

M.P. Evans Group plc

Palm oil
assessment

Total score:

63.0%

Latest update: October 2019

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About this company:

Founded in 1981, UK based producer M.P. Evans owns palm oil operations in Indonesia and Malaysia. The company carries out oil palm cultivation and processing of crude palm oil and palm kernel. The company is also involved in rubber production and property development.

Landbank (oil palm) 57,581 hectares

Palm cultivation revenue: 77%

Market cap: 457,848,009 USD

Thomson Reuters ticker: MPE.L

Bloomberg ticker: MPE LN

ISIN: GB0007538100

Sedol: 0753810

RSPO member? Yes

Other initiatives: Indonesian Sustainable Palm Oil (ISPO), International Sustainability and Carbon Certification (ISCC)

Activities: Oil palm cultivation, milling,

Locations: Indonesia (Sumatra, East Kalimantan, Bangka, Belitung Island), Peninsular Malaysia

Headquarters: UK

Related companies: In 2017 M.P. Evans sold its shares of 36.84% in PT Agro Muko to [SIPEF](#). M.P. Evans also has a joint venture with SIPEF with regards to PT Kerasaan Indonesia in which M.P. Evans has a 38% share. [PT Austindo Nusantara Jaya Tbk](#) has a 20% ownership interest in PT Evans Lestari (M.P. Evans Group).

Website: <http://www.mpevans.co.uk/>

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> Sustainability policy and leadership



8 / 11 72.7%

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1. Sustainable palm oil policy or commitment for all its operations?

The company has a range of policies around sustainability

2. Sustainable palm oil policy or commitment applies to all suppliers?

	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 3. High-level position of responsibility for sustainability? The company has a dedicated sustainability manager based in Jakarta supported by dedicated field staff resident on the company's estates	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 4. One or more members within the board of the company have responsibility for sustainability? The company's chief executive who is also a board member, takes the lead in setting policy on sustainability	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 5. Percentage or number of women in senior management team? 0	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 6. Percentage or number of women board members? 1	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 7. Member of multiple industry schemes or other external initiatives to reduce negative environmental or social outcomes associated with palm oil production?	✗	0 / 1	No source
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 8. Collaboration with stakeholders to reduce negative environmental or social outcomes associated with palm oil production?	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 9. Sustainability report published within last two years? 2018 - The company provides a section on sustainability within its 2018 annual report	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 10. Reports through standardised reporting systems?	✗	0 / 1	No source
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 11. Verification report on compliance with POIG Charter, if a POIG member? This indicator is disabled as the company is not a POIG member			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 12. Climate risks assessment available?	✗	0 / 1	No source



> Landbank, maps and traceability



11 / 16 68.8%

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<input type="checkbox"/> 13. Total land area managed/controlled for oil palm (ha)? 57,581	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 14. Total oil palm planted area (ha)? 52,343 - Figure includes plasma areas	✓	1 / 1	Source

<p><input type="checkbox"/> 15. Plasma/scheme smallholders planted area (ha)? 11,968</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 16. Unplanted (areas designated for future planting) (ha)? 1,815</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 17. Conservation set-aside area, including HCV area (ha)? 3,423 - Sum of HCV and other conservation areas</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 18. Area for infrastructure (ha)? 1,887</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 19. Maps of estates/management units? Concession boundaries have been made available to the RSPO in 2018 and the company declares these represent 100% of its concession sites</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 20. Maps of scheme/plasma smallholders?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 21. Names and locations of all third-party supplying plantations?</p>	✗	0 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 22. Number of company-owned mills? 3 - The company reports that it currently has three owned mills. One mill in Kota Bangun is expected to complete its construction in 2020 followed by two new mills at Bumi Mas and Musi Rawas by the end of 2023</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 23. Names and coordinates of company-owned mills? Coordinates for all three mills are provided on the company's website</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 24. Number (or percentage) of company-owned mills that source from company-owned plantations and/or third-party plantations?</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 25. Total volumes (or percentages) sourced by company-owned mills that come from company-owned plantations and/or third-party plantations?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 26. Number of supplier mills? This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this</p>			
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 27. Names and coordinates of all third-party supplying mills? This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this</p>			
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 28. Number (or percentage) of third-party supplier mills that source from their own plantations and/or third-party plantations? This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please</p>			

note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this

29. Total volumes (or percentages) sourced from third-party supplier mills that come from their own plantations and/or third-party plantations?

This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this

30. Total volume (or percentage) sourced for refineries that comes from intermediary traders and/or refiners rather than directly from mills?

This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this

31. Time-bound commitment to achieve 100% traceability to mill level?

This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this

32. Percentage of supply traceable to mill level?

This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this

33. Time-bound commitment to achieve 100% traceability to plantation level?

2021

✓ 1 / 1 Source

34. Percentage of fresh fruit bunches (FFB) from own mills traceable to plantation level?

✗ 0 / 2 No source

35. Percentage of fresh fruit bunches (FFB) from supplier mills traceable to plantation level?

This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not source from supplier mills. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this

36. Publishes traceability data at refinery level?

This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it is not a refiner. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this

37. Publishes traceability data at crusher level?

This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not own crushing facilities. Please note that ZSL has been unable to confirm this



> **Deforestation and biodiversity**



12 / 18 67.4%

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38. Commitment to zero deforestation or zero conversion of natural ecosystems?

The company states new development only takes place in heavily degraded areas which are neither forested nor suitable habitats for endangered species

✓ 1 / 1 Source

	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 39. Commitment to zero deforestation or zero conversion of natural ecosystems applies to all suppliers?			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 40. Criteria for defining deforestation? HCV, HCS, peat. The company states the it does not plant on peat or HCS areas since November 2018			
	P	0.75 / 2	Source
■ 41. Evidence of monitoring deforestation? The company patrols its conservation areas daily, uses satellite imagery to monitor its HCV areas annually, and states in 2019 the company will pilot the use of drones to help protect its conservation areas from encroachment			
	✗	0 / 1	No source
■ 42. Amount of illegal/non-compliant deforestation recorded in own operations?			
	✗	0 / 1	No source
■ 43. Amount of illegal/non-compliant deforestation recorded in supplier operations?			
	✗	0 / 1	No source
■ 44. Commitment to restoration of non-compliant deforestation/conversion?			
	✗	0 / 1	No source
■ 45. Commitment to restoration of non-compliant deforestation/conversion applies to all suppliers?			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
	+	0.69 / 1	
■ 46. Implementing a landscape or jurisdictional level approach? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 47. Commitment to biodiversity conservation?			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 48. Commitment to biodiversity conservation applies to all suppliers?			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
	+	0.69 / 1	
■ 49. Identified species of conservation concern, referencing international or national system of species classification? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 50. Examples of species and/or habitat conservation management? The company states that planting of jungle trees and other environmentally suitable plants is undertaken in conservation areas, as well as clearly signposting conservation areas and educating local communities of their importance. The company states it patrols its conservation areas, uses camera traps to monitor wild animals and carries out biodiversity surveys. It also conducts training with its own workers and amongst local villages to raise awareness of the importance of HCV areas to local communities. Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 51. Commitment to no hunting or only sustainable hunting of species?			
	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 52. Commitment to no hunting or only sustainable hunting of species applies to all suppliers?			



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53. Commitment to conduct High Conservation Value (HCV) assessments? ✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

54. Commitment to conduct High Conservation Value (HCV) assessments applies to all suppliers? ✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

55. High Conservation Value (HCV) assessments for planting undertaken prior to January 2015, and associated management and monitoring plans? ✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)
 There is public availability of the following HCV assessments:
 South Sumatra: PT Evans Lestari; Bangka Belitung Island: PT Gunung Pelawan Lestari; East Kalimantan: PT Prima Mitrajaya Mandiri; PT Teguh Jayaprima Abadi

56. High Conservation Value (HCV) assessments for all estates planted since January 2015?
 This indicator is disabled as the company has not undertaken any new planting since January 2015

57. High Conservation Value (HCV) management and monitoring plans for all estates planted since January 2015?
 This indicator is disabled as the company has not undertaken any new planting since January 2015

58. Commitment to only use licensed High Conservation Value (HCV) assessors accredited by the HCV Resource Network's Assessor Licensing Scheme (ALS)? ✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

59. Commitment to only use licensed High Conservation Value (HCV) assessors accredited by the HCV Resource Network's Assessor Licensing Scheme (ALS) applies to all suppliers? P 0.5 / 1 [Source](#)
 The commitment applies to scheme smallholders, but it is not clear whether it applies to all suppliers

60. Satisfactory review of all High Conservation Value (HCV) assessments undertaken since January 2015 by the HCV ALS Quality Panel?
 This indicator is disabled as the company has not undertaken any new planting since January 2015

61. Commitment to the High Carbon Stock (HCS) Approach? ✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

62. Commitment to the High Carbon Stock (HCS) Approach applies to all suppliers? ✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

63. High Carbon Stock (HCS) assessments? ✗ 0 / 1 No source

64. Commitment to conduct social and environmental impact assessments (SEIAs)? ✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

65. Commitment to conduct social and environmental impact assessments (SEIAs) applies to all ✗ 0 / 1 [Source](#)

suppliers?

✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **66. Social and environmental impact assessments (SEIAs) undertaken, and associated management and monitoring plans?**

There is public availability of the following SEIAs:

South Sumatra: PT Evans Lestari

Bangka Belitung Island: PT Gunung Pelawan Lestari

East Kalimantan: PT Prima Mitrajaya Mandiri ; PT Teguh Jayaprima Abadi



> Peat, fire and GHG emissions



11 44 / 20 57.2%

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✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **67. Commitment to no planting on peat of any depth?**

P 0.5 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **68. Commitment to no planting on peat of any depth applies to all suppliers?**

The company's commitment applies to scheme smallholders and no clear commitment for other suppliers found

✗ 0 / 1 No source

■ **69. Implementation of commitment to no planting on peat of any depth?**

✗ 0 / 1 No source

■ **70. Landbank or planted area on peat?**

✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **71. Commitment to best management practices for soils and peat?**

P 0.5 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **72. Commitment to best management practices for soils and peat applies to all suppliers?**

The company's commitment to BMPs on peat applies to all suppliers

✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)
+ 0.69 / 1

■ **73. Evidence of best management practices for soils and peat?**

The company provides details on adopting best management practices on soil and peat by minimising erosion, maintaining water levels and recycling nutrients. Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume

✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **74. Commitment to zero burning?**

✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **75. Commitment to zero burning applies to all suppliers?**

P 0.75 / 2 [Source](#)

■ **76. Evidence of fire monitoring and management?**

✓ 1 / 1 [Source](#)

■ **77. Details/number of hotspots/fires in company estates?**

The company states it is not aware of any fires on or near its estates since 2005

<p><input type="checkbox"/> 78. Details/number of hotspots/fires within surrounding landscape/smallholders?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 79. Time-bound commitment to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions intensity?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 80. Methodology used to calculate GHG emissions? RSPO Palm GHG Calculator and ISCC 205 tool</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 81. Progress towards commitment to reduce GHG emissions intensity?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 82. Percentage of mills with methane capture (100%)? 2 - The company reports that methane and biogas capture is done in its Bumi Permai mill and Tengkalat mill only, hence partial points awarded</p>	P	0.5 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 83. GHG emissions intensity? 0.86 - tCO2e/ha</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 84. GHG emissions from land use change? The company has published a Palm GHG report of 2016 with GHG emissions from land use change reported for each estate</p>	P	0.5 / 1	Source



> Water, chemical and pest management



10.82 / 22 49.2%

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<p><input type="checkbox"/> 85. Time-bound commitment to improve water use intensity?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 86. Progress towards commitment on water use intensity?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 87. Water use intensity?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 88. Time-bound commitment to improve water quality (BOD and COD)?</p>	✗	0 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 89. Progress towards commitment on water quality (BOD and COD)?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 90. Treatment of palm oil mill effluent (POME) and/or palm oil refinery effluent (PORE)? The company has installed composting system for its mills, which utilises liquid effluent from the mill and the resulting compost is tested for its nutrient value and applied to the field as an organic fertiliser</p>	P	0.75 / 1	Source
<p><input type="checkbox"/> 91. Commitment to protect natural waterways through buffer zones?</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source

	✓ 1 / 1 + 0.69 / 1 Source
92. Implementation of commitment to protect natural waterways through buffer zones? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	
	✓ 1 / 1 Source
93. Commitment to minimise the use of chemicals, including pesticides and chemical fertilisers?	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
94. Commitment to minimise the use of chemicals, including pesticides and chemical fertilisers, applies to all suppliers?	
	✓ 1 / 1 + 0.69 / 1 Source
95. Implementation of commitment to reduce chemical usage? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
96. Chemical usage per ha or list of chemicals used?	
	✓ 1 / 1 Source
97. Commitment to no use of paraquat?	
	✓ 1 / 1 Source
98. Commitment to no use of paraquat applies to all suppliers?	
	✗ 0 / 1 Source
99. Commitment to no use of World Health Organisation (WHO) Class 1A and 1B pesticides? The company only aims to phase out Class 1A and 1B pesticides and no time-bound commitment found	
	✗ 0 / 1 Source
100. Commitment to no use of World Health Organisation (WHO) Class 1A and 1B pesticides applies to all suppliers?	
	✓ 1 / 1 Source
101. Commitment to no use of chemicals listed under the Stockholm Convention and Rotterdam Convention?	
	✗ 0 / 1 Source
102. Commitment to no use of chemicals listed under the Stockholm Convention and Rotterdam Convention applies to all suppliers?	
	✓ 1 / 1 + 0.69 / 1 Source
103. Integrated Pest Management (IPM) approach? The company will manage pests, diseases, weeds and invasive non-native species using appropriate integrated pest management ("IPM") techniques. Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	



> Community, land and labour rights



29 89 / 46 65%

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<p>■ 104. Commitment to human rights?</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 105. Commitment to human rights applies to all suppliers? The commitment applies to smallholders but does not cover all suppliers</p>	<p>P 0.5 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 106. Progress on human rights commitment? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1 + 0.69 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 107. Commitment to respect legal and customary land tenure rights?</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 108. Commitment to legal and customary land rights applies to all suppliers?</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 109. Details of process for addressing land conflicts available?</p>	<p>✗ 0 / 1</p>	<p>No source</p>
<p>■ 110. Commitment to respect indigenous and local communities' rights?</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 111. Commitment to indigenous and local communities' rights applies to all suppliers?</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 112. Examples of local stakeholder engagement to prevent conflicts? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1 + 0.69 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 113. Commitment to free, prior and informed consent (FPIC)?</p>	<p>✓ 1 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 114. Commitment to free, prior and informed consent (FPIC) applies to all suppliers?</p>	<p>✗ 0 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 115. Details of free, prior and informed consent (FPIC) process available? The RSPO Principles and Criteria 2018 contain guidance and requirements on the process to conduct free, prior and informed consent (FPIC). Partial points have therefore been awarded on the basis of the company's commitments under the RSPO New Planting Procedures (NPP) as an RSPO member</p>	<p>P 0.5 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 116. Commitment to support the inclusion of women across palm oil operations, including addressing barriers faced?</p>	<p>✗ 0 / 1</p>	<p>Source</p>
<p>■ 117. Commitment to support the inclusion of women across palm oil operations, including addressing barriers faced, applies to all suppliers?</p>	<p>✗ 0 / 1</p>	<p>No source</p>
<p>■ 118. Commitment to mitigate impacts on food security?</p>	<p>✗ 0 / 1</p>	<p>No source</p>
<p>■ 119. Commitment to mitigate impacts on food security applies to all suppliers?</p>		

	✗	0 / 1	No source
■ 120. Progress on commitment to mitigate impacts on food security?	✗	0 / 2	No source
■ 121. Commitment to provide essential community services and facilities?	✗	0 / 1	Source
■ 122. Progress on commitment to provide essential community services and facilities? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	✓ +	1 / 1 0.69 / 1	Source
■ 123. Commitment to respect all workers' rights?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 124. Commitment to respect all workers' rights applies to all suppliers?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 125. Progress on commitment to respect all workers' rights? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	✓ +	1 / 1 0.69 / 1	Source
■ 126. Commitment to Fundamental ILO Conventions or Free and Fair Labour Principles?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 127. Commitment to Fundamental ILO Conventions or Free and Fair Labour Principles applies to all suppliers?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 128. Commitment to eliminate gender-related discrimination with regards to employment and occupation?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 129. Commitment to eliminate gender-related discrimination with regards to employment and occupation applies to all suppliers?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 130. Percentage or number of temporary employees?	✗	0 / 1	No source
■ 131. Percentage or number of women employees? 27%	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 132. Commitment to pay at least minimum wage?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 133. Commitment to pay at least minimum wage applies to all suppliers?	✓	1 / 1	Source
■ 134. Progress on commitment to pay minimum wage? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	✓ +	1 / 1 0.69 / 1	Source

<input type="checkbox"/> 135. Reporting of salary by gender?	✗	0 / 1	No source
<input type="checkbox"/> 136. Commitment to address occupational health and safety?	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 137. Commitment to address occupational health and safety applies to all suppliers?	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 138. Reduction of time lost due to work-based injuries?	✗	0 / 1	No source
<input type="checkbox"/> 139. Time lost due to work-based injuries?	✗	0 / 1	No source
<input type="checkbox"/> 140. Zero fatalities as a result of work-based accidents? There company reports no fatalities among its workforce or contractors working on its estates during 2017	P	0.75 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 141. Number of fatalities as a result of work-based accidents? 0 - During 2017 among the company's workforce or contractors working on its estates	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 142. Provision of personal protective equipment and related training? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	✓ +	1 / 1 0.69 / 1	Source



> Certification standards



9.09 / 14 64.9%

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<input type="checkbox"/> 143. Member of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO)? 2,006	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 144. RSPO-certified within three years of joining the RSPO or by November 2010 for companies joining prior to finalisation of the RSPO certification systems in November 2007? 2012	✗	0 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 145. Submitted most recent RSPO Annual Communication of Progress (ACOP)?	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 146. Listed all countries and regions in which operates in most recent RSPO Annual Communication of Progress (ACOP)? The company only states that it operates in: Indonesia (East Kalimantan, Bangka Belitung, South Sumatra, North Sumatra) and in Malaysia (Penang).	✓	1 / 1	Source
<input type="checkbox"/> 147. Time-bound plan for achieving 100% RSPO certification of estates and mills within five years or achieved 100% RSPO-certification of estates? 2024	✓	1 / 1	Source

<p>148. Percentage of area (ha) RSPO-certified? 39,679 (69%)</p>	P	0.69 / 1	Source
<p>149. Percentage of scheme/plasma smallholders (ha) RSPO-certified? 7,729 (65%)</p>	P	0.65 / 1	Source
<p>150. Percentage of mills RSPO-certified? 3 (100%)</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p>151. Time-bound plan for achieving 100% RSPO certification of scheme/plasma/ associated smallholders and outgrowers within five years or target already achieved? 2024 - The target is within five years</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p>152. Percentage of FFB supply (tonnes) from independent smallholders/ outgrowers/third-party FFB suppliers that is RSPO-certified? 0 (0%)</p>	✗	0 / 1	Source
<p>153. Year expected to achieve 100% RSPO certification of all palm product processing facilities? This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not own processing facilities</p>			
<p>154. Percentage of all palm oil and oil palm products handled/traded/ processed (tonnes) that is RSPO-certified? This indicator is disabled as the company's reporting broadly suggests that it does not own processing facilities</p>			
<p>155. Sells or processes/trades RSPO-certified palm oil through Segregated or Identity Preserved supply chains?</p>	✗	0 / 1	Source
<p>156. Indonesia Sustainable Palm Oil (ISPO) certified (100%)? [Externally verified] The company reports ISPO certification has been achieved for all three of its mills</p>	P	0.75 / 1	Source
<p>157. Malaysia Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) certified?</p>	✗	0 / 1	No source
<p>158. Certified under voluntary sustainability certification scheme (e.g. ISCC, SAS, RSB, etc.)? The company states ISCC certification has been received for two mills (Pangkalan mill and Bumi Permai mill)</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source



> Smallholders and suppliers



3.75 / 10 37.5%

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<p>159. Commitment to support smallholders?</p>	✓	1 / 1	Source
<p>160. Programme to support scheme/plasma smallholders?</p>			

	✓ 1 / 1 Source
The company supports scheme smallholders through financial and management support. Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	
	P 0.75 / 1 Source
■ 161. Percentage of scheme/plasma smallholders involved in programme? The company details the number of cooperative schemes and total number of cooperative members	
	✓ 1 / 1 Source
■ 162. Programme to support independent smallholders/outgrowers? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
■ 163. Percentage of independent smallholders/outgrowers involved in programme?	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
■ 164. Process used to prioritise, assess and/or engage suppliers on compliance with company's policy and/or legal requirements?	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
■ 165. Percentage of suppliers assessed and/or engaged on compliance with company requirements?	
■ 166. Time-bound plan to engage with all high-risk mills within three years? This indicator is disabled as the company does not source from mills	
■ 167. Programme to support high-risk mills to become compliant with sourcing policies? This indicator is disabled as the company does not source from mills	
■ 168. Regularly engages with a subset of high-risk mills? This indicator is disabled as the company does not source from mills	
■ 169. Procedures in place to assess all own and third-party supplying palm oil mills for risk level? This indicator is disabled as the company does not source from mills	
■ 170. Regularly assesses and categorises the risk level of all own and third-party supplying mills? This indicator is disabled as the company does not source from mills	
■ 171. Regularly reports the risk level of all own and third-party supplying mills identified in its supply chain? This indicator is disabled as the company does not source from mills	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
■ 172. Suspension or exclusion criteria for suppliers?	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
■ 173. Time-bound action plans (including Key Performance Indicators) for suppliers to be in compliance with palm oil sourcing commitments?	
	✗ 0 / 1 No source
■ 174. Proportion of direct and indirect supply that comes from palm oil plantations which are compliant with palm oil sourcing policies?	



6.19 / 8 77.4%

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■ 175. Commitment to ethical conduct and prohibition of corruption?	✓ 1 / 1	Source
■ 176. Commitment to ethical conduct and prohibition of corruption applies to all suppliers?	✓ 1 / 1	Source
■ 177. Progress on commitment to ethical conduct and prohibition of corruption? Points for external verification have been awarded on the basis of the company's RSPO certified landbank/volume	✓ 1 / 1 + 0.69 / 1	Source
■ 178. Disclosure of the company's management approach to tax and payments to governments?	✓ 1 / 1	No source
■ 179. Whistleblowing procedure?	✓ 1 / 1	Source
■ 180. Own grievance or complaints system open to all stakeholders? The company has a grievance mechanism, but no details on the procedure are given	P 0.5 / 1	Source
■ 181. Details of complaints and grievances disclosed?	✗ 0 / 1	No source



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