



Wilmar Releases Sustainability Report 2020

SINGAPORE, 20 MAY 2021 – Wilmar International (Wilmar) is pleased to release its [Sustainability Report for the financial year ended 31 December 2020](#)ⁱ that covers Wilmar's key business segments.

The report also incorporates reporting on Wilmar's COVID-19 response and interventions. Wilmar channelled over US\$15.69 million towards the provision of food supplies, medical equipment and supplies and financial contributions. Wilmar also helped fight the pandemic by diverting the resources of some of its Research and Development (R&D) laboratories to produce alcohol-based hand sanitisers for use by both its workers, as well as people in the local communities where it operates. Wilmar worked closely with schools and teachers in its plantations to ensure that children have continued access to education despite the limitations due to the ongoing pandemic, which include the lack of adequate internet connectivity in the rural areas where its plantations are located.

Wilmar's Sustainability Report for 2020 is compliant with the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Standards and is also aligned to Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB) standards and the Task Force on Climate related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) recommendations. The report also contains disclosures recommended in the Agricultural Products Sustainability Accounting Standard (Industry Standard, Version 2018-10) and the Processed Food Sustainability Accounting Standard (Industry Standards, Version 2018-10) that was developed by SASB. We are also for the first time using the TCFD recommendations to guide our climate change disclosures.

Ernst & Young LLP (EY) was engaged to provide independent, limited assurance on selected disclosures in this report. Traceability to mill data and No Deforestation, No Peat, No Exploitation (NDPE) Implementation Reporting Framework disclosures for palm oil operations have been assured by Control Union (CU).

This report is intended to be read in conjunction with Wilmar's [Annual Report for 2020](#)ⁱⁱ and the sustainability-related disclosures on our [Sustainability Dashboard](#)ⁱⁱⁱ. All photographs featured in the report are of Wilmar's people, products and operations.

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ABOUT WILMAR'S SUSTAINABILITY

As a leading agribusiness group, Wilmar recognises that we have a fundamental role to play in developing quality products required by the world while ensuring we have a responsible and sustainable manner of production. We adopt a holistic approach to sustainability that is fully integrated with our business model. Guided by the philosophy that our business must enhance stakeholder value while minimizing our environmental footprint, our business practices are aligned with universally acceptable social and environmental standards. [Wilmar's No Deforestation, No Peat, No Exploitation \(NDPE\)^{iv}](#) Policy underpins our aspiration to make a positive impact and drive transformation across the palm oil industry. For more information, please visit www.wilmar-international.com/sustainability.

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