

Annual Communication on Progress (ACOP) 2022

Golden Agri-Resources Ltd

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Welcome to the Annual Communication on Progress (ACOP) 2022 report.

Before you begin your ACOP 2022 report, we recommend that you refer to the ACOP Guidelines document. This document contains a full list of ACOP 2022 questions in Annex 2 to assist you in preparing the report. The ACOP Guidelines document is available in English, Bahasa Indonesia, French, German, Spanish, Polish, Thai, Simplified Chinese and Japanese. The document can be found at the following link:

<https://rspo.org/resources/?category=acop-guidelines-for-members>

Help text containing guidelines and definitions for individual questions is available in the report. Please hover over this symbol  to view the help text

This version of the ACOP 2022 platform features an auto-save function. Your responses will automatically be saved as you proceed through the report, and you may exit and return to the report at a later time with your previous responses available.

At the end of the survey, you will be given an option to send a draft copy of the report to your email for review. Once the report has been submitted, you may download a PDF version of the report and a copy of the final report can also be sent to your email.

- Please acknowledge that you have read the ACOP introduction and are ready to begin your report


1.0 RSPO Member Particulars

Member Name	Golden Agri-Resources Ltd
Membership Number	1-0096-11-000-00
Membership Sector	Oil Palm Growers
Membership Category	Ordinary
Country	Mauritius

2.0 Does your company or organisation produce, process, consume or sell any palm oil or any products containing derivatives of palm oil?

- Yes
 No

2.1 Please select all description(s) that describe the palm oil-related activities of your company or organisation. Multiple selections are allowed, and not limited to the primary sector of the member's RSPO membership. You will be required to complete the relevant ACOP section based on your selection(s).

For Environmental/Conservation NGO and Social/Development NGO RSPO members that consume or retail palm oil or products containing palm oil, you will be required to answer the relevant supply chain sector ACOP form that must include the volumes of palm oil or products containing palm oil consumed or retailed under your organisation's own brands. 

- I own and operate oil palm estate(s) and/or palm oil mill(s)
- I represent a palm oil Independent Smallholder farmer Group
- I own and operate independent palm oil mills
- I own and operate independent palm kernel crushing plants - Processors and/or Traders
- I trade or broker palm oil, palm kernel oil or related products - Processors and/or Traders
- I am a refiner of palm oil or palm kernel oil - Processors and/or Traders

Traders

- I am a processor of intermediate (B2B) palm oil, palm kernel oil or related fractions/derivatives - Processors and/or Traders
- I am a B2B distributor or wholesaler of palm oil, palm kernel oil or related products - Processors and/or Traders
- I manufacture final consumer (B2C) products containing palm oil, palm kernel oil or related products. This includes products manufactured by 3rd party contractors - Consumer Goods Manufacturers
- I retail final consumer (B2C) products containing palm oil, palm kernel oil or related products - Retailers
- I operate food retail outlets that use palm oil, palm kernel oil or related products - Retailers

G.1.0 Operational profile

G.1.1 Please state your company's main activities as a palm oil grower:

- Oil palm grower without palm oil mill
- Oil palm grower with palm oil mill
- Oil palm grower with palm oil mill and palm kernel crushing plant**
- Independent palm oil mill
- Smallholder Group Manager






Information in Section 2.0 - Operations and Certification Progress - is a mandatory declaration in your ACOP. This includes hectare data, to enable the RSPO to accurately calculate certification of individual members, sectors and RSPO members as a whole. ACOP reports without reported hectare data will be considered as incomplete and will not be accepted. Incomplete ACOP reports may lead to suspension or termination of RSPO membership.

If you have any concerns regarding the public disclosure of your company's hectare data, please contact the ACOP team at acop@rspo.org

G.2.1 Land area controlled and managed associated to palm oil

G.2.1.1 Please state the total number of palm oil estates, certified and uncertified, controlled or managed by the member

Land area controlled and managed associated to palm oil

G.2.1.2 Total land controlled or managed for oil palm cultivation - planted and infrastructure (hectares) 	422097
G.2.1.3 Total land controlled or managed for oil palm cultivation - unplanted (hectares) 	0
G.2.1.4 Total land designated and managed as HCV areas (hectares) 	66384
G.2.1.5 Other conservation land set aside, excluding HCV areas reported in 2.1.4 (hectares) 	13593
G.2.1.6 Total land under scheme smallholders (hectares) 	115600
Total	617,674

G.2.2 Certification Progress

G.2.2.1 Number of management units certified under the RSPO P&C Certification

79

G.2.2.2 Total certified land under the RSPO P&C Certification, excluding scheme smallholders (hectares)

220250.98

G.2.2.2.1 Certification progress - land under RSPO P&C Certification, excluding scheme smallholders

43.87%

G.2.3 In which countries are your estates located?

G.2.3.1 Indonesia – Please indicate which province(s)

Press and hold Ctrl or Command on your keyboard to select or deselect multiple provinces.





G.2.3.2 Malaysia – Please indicate which state(s)

Press and hold Ctrl or Command on your keyboard to select or deselect multiple states.



G.2.3.3 Other – Please indicate which country/countries

Press and hold Ctrl or Command on your keyboard to select multiple countries.



G.2.4 New plantings and development (excluding replanting)

G.2.4.1 How much new land was planted by your company during this reporting period (hectares)? 

0

G.2.5 Supply of Fresh Fruit Bunches (FFB)

G.2.5.1 Total FFB volume produced by estates managed or controlled by your company (tonnes)

7812248





G.2.5.1.1 Total certified FFB volume produced by certified estates managed or controlled by your company (tonnes)

4163381

G.2.5.1.2 Certification progress - Certified FFB volume produced by estates managed or controlled by your company

53.29%

G.2.5.2 In addition to FFB produced by your company's estates, does your supply base include any of the following?

- Scheme Smallholders 
- Independent Smallholders 
- Outgrowers 
- Other Third-Party Suppliers 

G.2.5.3 Scheme smallholder operations that supply your operations:

G.2.5.3.1 Total FFB volume supplied by scheme smallholders (tonnes)

2288312

G.2.5.3.2 Total certified FFB volume supplied by scheme smallholders (tonnes)

1233728

G.2.5.3.3 Certification progress - Certified FFB volume supplied by scheme smallholders

53.91%

G.2.6 Fresh Fruit Bunches (FFB) processing and production operations

G.2.6.1 Number of palm oil mills operated ?

G.2.6.2 Number of palm oil mills that are RSPO Certified ?

G.2.7 Palm Kernel processing and production operations

G.2.7.1 Number of palm kernel crushers and/or palm kernel mills operated ?

G.2.7.2 Number of palm kernel crushers and/or palm kernel mills certified under RSPO Supply Chain Certification (SCC) ?

G.3.0 Palm Oil and Certified Palm Oil Production

Information in Section 3 - Palm Oil and Certified Palm Oil Production - is a mandatory declaration in your ACOP. This includes volume, to enable the RSPO to accurately calculate production uptake on a member, sector and total level. ACOP reports without reported volume data will be considered incomplete and will not be accepted.

If you have any concerns regarding the public disclosure of your company's volume data, please contact the ACOP team at acop@rspo.org

Please note that requests for confidentiality will be treated on a case-by-case basis. In such cases, hectare data will still be required to be reported to the RSPO, but will be removed from the public report - identified as 'redacted'

G.3.1 Total Crude Palm Oil produced (tonnes) ?

Malaysia ?

Indonesia ?

Latin America ?

Africa

0

Rest of the World

0

Total

2,428,311

G.3.2 CSPO sold as RSPO certified

Identity Preserved (IP)

284930.24

Segregated (SG)

0

Mass Balance (MB)

211199.66

RSPO Credits

21500

Total

517,629.9

G.3.5 Total CSPO

G.3.2 CSPO sold as RSPO-certified

517629.9

G.3.3 CSPO sold under other certification schemes

489641.58

G.3.4 CSPO sold as conventional

728.98

Total

1,008,000.4€

G.3.6 According to the volume information you have provided in this questionnaire, CSPO represents the following percentage of your total CPO production

41.51%

G.3.7 Based on total CSPO volumes sold (Question G.3.6) , please estimate the percentage of the volumes originating from your operations in the following regions/countries

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Malaysia

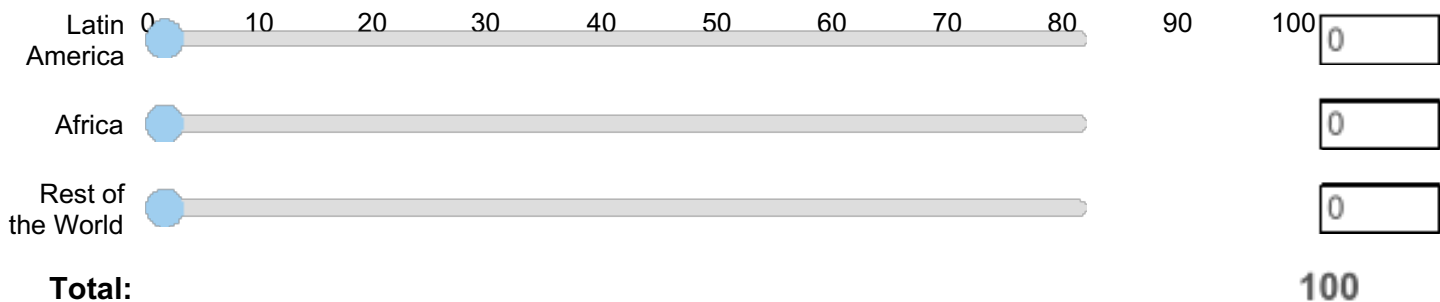


0

Indonesia



100



G.3.8 Total Palm Kernel produced (tonnes) ?

Malaysia ?	0
Indonesia ?	632114
Latin America ?	0
Africa ?	0
Rest of the World ?	0
Total	632,114

G.3.9 CSPK sold as RSPO certified ?

Identity Preserved (IP) ?	136048.40
Segregated (SG) ?	0
Mass Balance (MB) ?	145703.04
Total	281,751.44

G.3.12 Total CSPK sold ?

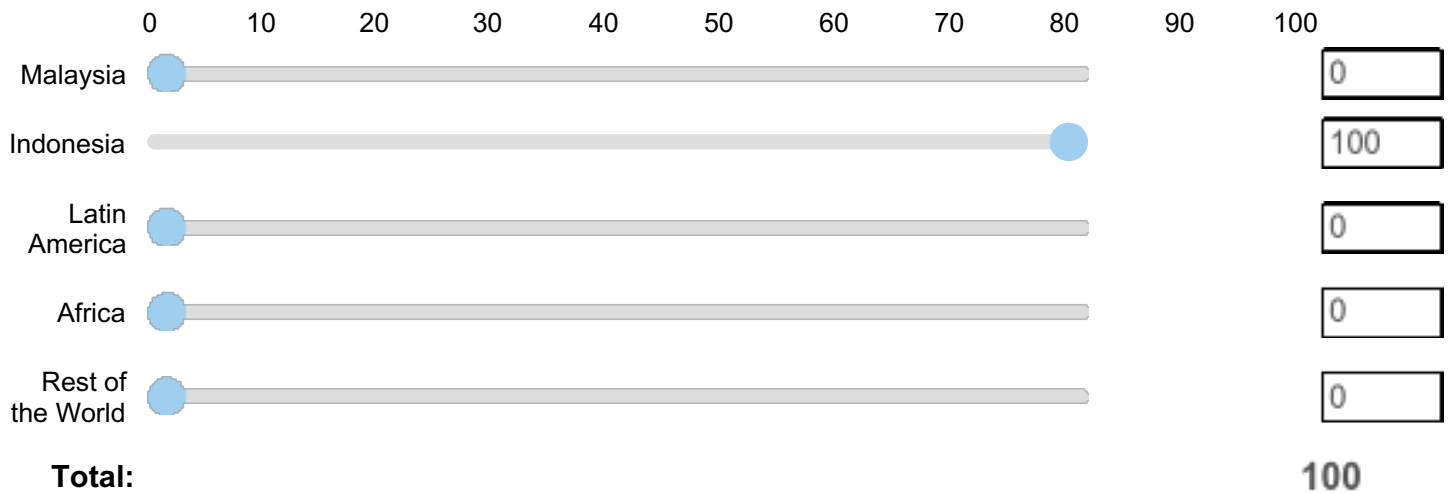
G.3.9 CSPK sold as RSPO-certified ?	281751.44
G.3.10 CSPK sold under other certification schemes ?	0
G.3.11 CSPK sold as conventional ?	2517.42
Total	284,268.86

G.3.13 According to the volume information you have provided in this

questionnaire, CSPK represents the following percentage of your total PK production ?

44.97%

G.3.14 Based on the CSPK sold volumes (Question G.3.12), please estimate the percentage of volumes originating from your operations in the following regions/countries: ?



G.4.0 TimeBound Plan

G.4.1 Which year did your company achieve (or plans to achieve) its first RSPO P&C certification? ?

2011

G.4.2 Which year did your company achieve (or plans to achieve) 100% RSPO certification for all its estates and mills? ?

2025

G.4.2.1 If the previous target year for G.4.2 has not been met, please explain why

In response to a number of obstacles that have prevented GAR from achieving its RSPO certification goals, including RaCP and land title (HGU), which are currently in the planning stages, GAR has recently revised its RSPO Time-Bound Plan ("TBP") 2025. In addition, a new supply base—scheme smallholders from our Peremajaan Sawit Rakyat (PSR) Program—must be accounted for by this TBP alteration.

G.4.3 Which year did your company achieve (or plans to achieve) 100% RSPO certification of scheme smallholders? ?

2025

G.4.3.1 If the previous target year for G.4.3 has not been met, please explain why

To finish this timebound, GAR still communicates with key stakeholders. The company believes that the starting aim is set under conservative circumstances in order to attain the goal. The epidemic, however, has altered the current situation from the initial plan. As a result, GAR will keep making the necessary changes to achieve the deadline.

G.4.4 Which year did your company achieve (or plans to achieve) 100% RSPO certification for all FFB, regardless of source? ?

2025

G.4.4.1 If the previous target year for G.4.4 has not been met, please explain why

GAR recognises that the timebound is now tailored to the current conditions and circumstances. We believe this makes the target achievable. However, we also recognise that there are some matters that are beyond the responsibility of the company and involve other key stakeholders. Therefore, we are trying to achieve the current targets despite facing complex challenges.

G.5.0 Concession Map

G.5.1 The RSPO General Assembly Resolution 6G (2013) calls for all members with Grower operations to submit maps of their concessions through ACOP.

Has your company submitted concession maps to the RSPO in previous ACOP cycles? ?

Yes


No

G.5.2 Has your company acquired any new concession sites or have any concession sites changed ownership since the previous ACOP map submission?

Yes

No

G.5.3 Please upload your company's updated estate location concession map(s) in Shapefile format here.

This requirement only applies if your company has made changes to its concession sites from previous map submissions in ACOP or if the member is submitting concession maps through ACOP for the first time 

03 Final Map.zip

0.8 MB


application/zip

Thank you for previously submitting your company's concession maps in Shapefile format. If there are any updates to the maps, please contact the RSPO GIS team at maps@rspo.org

G.6.0 GHG Footprint

G.6.1 What is the average GHG footprint for all certified management units by hectare (tCO₂e/ha)? 

7.52

G.6.2 What is the average GHG footprint for all certified management units per tonne of crude palm oil (tCO₂e/tCPO)? 

2.74

G.6.3 What are the key emission sources identified by your company in certified management units? 

- Land use change
- Existing cultivation peatland
- Palm oil mill effluent (POME)
- Fertiliser application
- Others

Others

G.6.4 Does your company have a baseline for GHG reporting?

Yes

No

G.6.4.3 Please explain why your company does not have an existing baseline, and if it is planning to develop a baseline for GHG reporting?

GAR is now working to establish a baseline for reporting GHGs.

G.7.0 Support for Oil Palm Smallholders

G.7.1 How is your company supporting Independent Smallholder groups?

Sourcing of physical FFB

Financial support

Operations support

Training support

Community development

Not supporting Independent Smallholder groups

Others

G.7.1.1 Please provide the names and locations of the oil palm Independent Smallholder groups that you are currently supporting. This question is not mandatory, and is left to the discretion of the RSPO member to answer.

Since 2014, we have assisted independent farmers in obtaining replanting financing from state-owned banks. We also conduct a variety of smallholder independence support programs. Since 2013, we have offered independent farmers in East Kalimantan technical support through the Smallholders Development Program. High-yielding seeds, fertilizer and herbicides, as well as the leasing of heavy equipment, are available to farmers.

G.8.0 Actions For Next Reporting Period

G.8.1 Outline activities that your company will undertake in the coming year to

advance its certification efforts. ?

By the year 2025, we intend to have certified all of our remaining mills and their supply chains, including plasma estates.

G.8.2 Outline activities that your company will undertake in the coming year to promote the uptake CSPO along the supply chain. ?

We kept adding smallholders to the Ksatria Sawit initiative, which seeks to accelerate Traceability to the Plantation (TTP). This program identifies the agents and farmers of the smallholders that many of our supplier mills purchase from in these regions. Around 146,000 farmers have signed up for the program as of this writing. We had 98 percent TTP for our entire palm supply chain as of the end of 2022. We are now working together with our major clients on initiatives aimed at Tier 2 suppliers including smallholders and agencies. Programs like Sawit Terampil are among them. We are concentrating on upskilling more than 4,500 independent smallholders from the Leuser Ecosystem area in Aceh and North Sumatera by working with clients like MARS and Fuji Oil. The smallholders will receive both individual and group instruction on sound farming methods.

PT.1.0 Operational Profile

PT.1.1 Please state your company's main activity within the palm oil supply chain.


- Refiner of CPO and PKO ?
- Palm Kernel Crusher ?
- Trader with Physical Possession ?
- Trader without Physical Possession ?
- Integrated Refiner-Trader-Processor ?
- Intermediate Products Producer ?
- Power, Energy and Biofuel Processor ?
- Animal Feed Producer ?
- Oleochemicals Producer ?
- Distribution & Logistics ?
- Other

PT 2.0 Palm Oil and Certified Sustainable Palm Oil Consumption

PT.2.0 Palm Oil and Certified Sustainable Palm Oil Consumption






Information in Section 2.0 - Palm Oil and Certified Sustainable Palm Oil Sourcing is a mandatory declaration in your ACOP. This includes volume data on palm oil, palm kernel oil and related products consumed of individual members, sectors and RSPO members as a whole. ACOP reports without reported volume data will be considered as incomplete and will not be accepted. Incomplete ACOP reports may lead to suspension or termination of RSPO membership.

If you have any concerns regarding the public disclosure of your company's volume data, please contact the ACOP team at acop@rspo.org

PT.2.1 Please include details of all certified and uncertified operations using palm oil, palm kernel oil and related products, owned and/or managed by the member and/or all entities that belong to the group. 

Fully-owned

PT.2.1.1 In which markets do you sell goods with palm oil and palm oil -related products? 

- Europe 
- North America 
- China
- India
- Malaysia
- Indonesia
- Africa 
- Latin America 
- Rest of the World 

DL.2.0 In order to facilitate ease of reporting and transparency, RSPO members operating within the palm oil demand supply chain can now choose to report palm oil and palm oil product volumes on:

- 1) an aggregate level (as in previous ACOP reporting cycles) OR**
- 2) by up to 5 individual subsidiaries. Members with more than 5 subsidiaries**

2) by up to 5 individual subsidiaries. Members with more than 5 subsidiaries will be required to aggregate the volumes of remaining subsidiaries into a separate total.

Please indicate whether you would like to declare your palm oil and palm oil product volumes in aggregate or by subsidiaries

- an aggregate level (as in previous ACOP reporting cycles)
- by up to 5 individual subsidiaries. Members with more than 5 subsidiaries will be required to aggregate the volumes of remaining subsidiaries into a separate total.

PT.2.2 Volumes of uncertified and certified palm oil, palm kernel oil and related product sourced in the year

Crude palm oil, including derivatives refined from CPO (tonnes) <input type="checkbox"/>	6440123
Crude palm kernel oil, including derivatives refined from CPKO (tonnes) <input type="checkbox"/>	961531
Crude palm kernel expeller (tonnes) <input type="checkbox"/>	718096
Total	8,119,750

PT.2.3 Volume of RSPO-certified palm oil, palm kernel oil and related products sourced in the year (tonnes):

	Crude Palm Oil (CSPO) and CSPO Derivatives	Crude Palm Kernel Oil (CSPKO) and CSPKO Derivatives	Palm Kernel Expeller (CSPKE)
RSPO Credits from Mill / Crusher <input type="checkbox"/>	0	0	0
RSPO Credits from Independent Smallholder <input type="checkbox"/>	0	0	0
Mass Balance (MB) <input type="checkbox"/>	593493.6	375765.1	0
Segregated (SG) <input type="checkbox"/>	263950.5	3535.54	0
Identity Preserved (IP) <input type="checkbox"/>	0	0	0
Total	857,444.1	379,300.64	0

PT.2.4 According to the volume information you have provided in Question PT.2.2 and Question PT.2.3, your company's certified palm oil, palm kernel oil

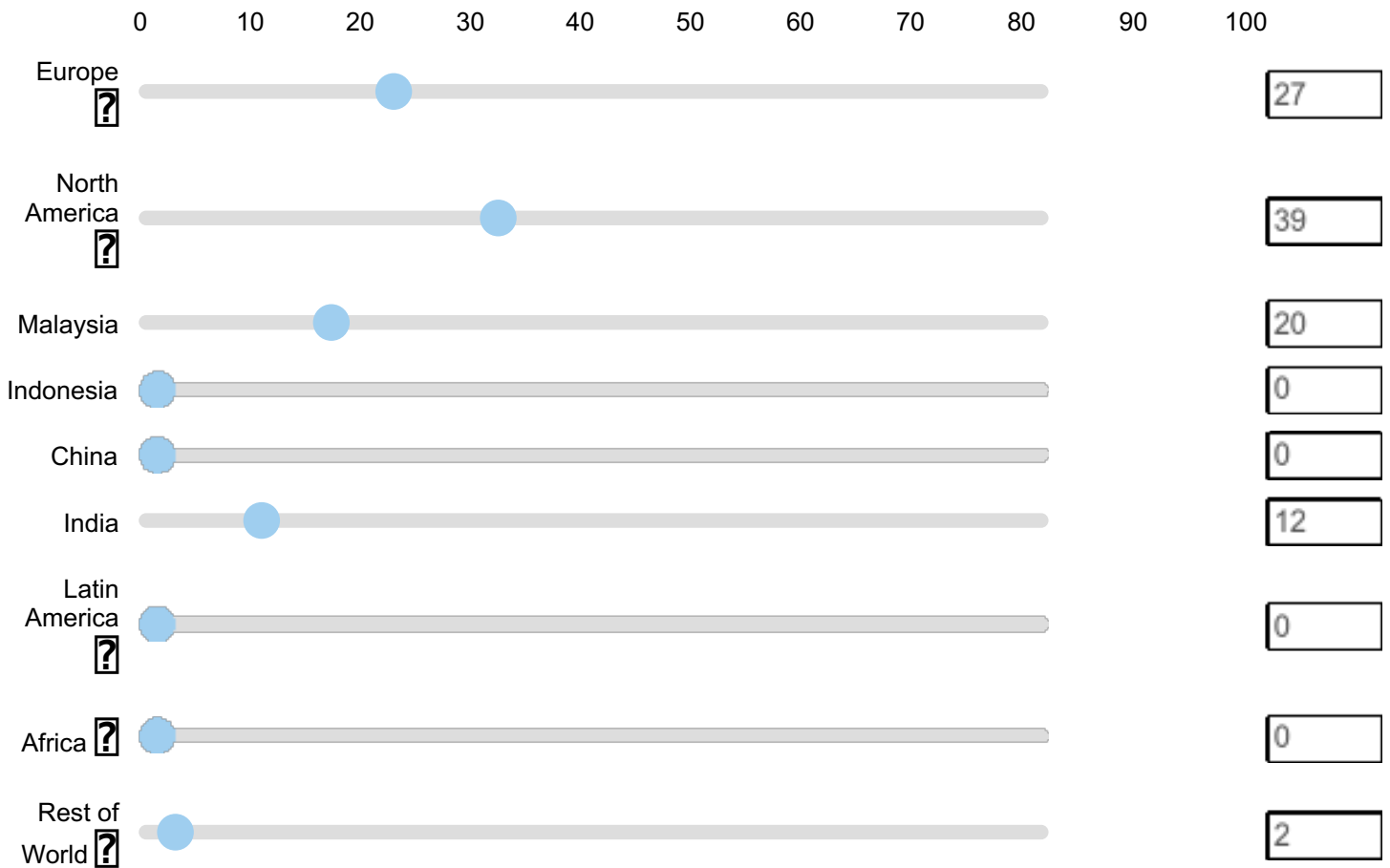
and related products uptake is:

15.23%

PT.2.4.1 Please provide additional information on your certified palm oil, palm kernel oil and related products uptake calculated in PT.2.4. This may include changes due to business environment, evolving nature of operations or variations due to stock positions

There is no further comments or information in this section.

PT.2.5 What is the estimated percentage of Certified Sustainable Palm Oil in the palm oil, palm kernel oil and related products sold, traded or processed by your company in the following regions:



PT.3.0 TimeBound Plan

PT.3.1 Which year did your company achieve (or expects to achieve) the RSPO supply chain certification or RSPO trader/distributor licence?

PT.3.2 Which year did your company start (or expect to start) to source any

PT.3.2 Which year did your company start (or expect to start) to source any RSPO-certified palm oil and oil palm products? ?

2013

PT.3.2.1 If the previous target year has not been met, please explain why.

Target has been achieved.

PT.3.3 Which year did your company achieve (or expects to achieve) 100% RSPO certification of all palm product processing facilities. ?

2017

PT.3.3.1 If the previous target year has not been met, please explain why.

Target has been achieved.

PT.3.4 Year expected to only source RSPO-certified palm oil and oil palm products. ?

2030

PT.3.4.1 If target has not been met, please explain why.

The timebound is currently ongoing.

PT.3.5 If the TimeBound Plan commitments declared above do not cover all countries in which the member operates, please explain why

The majority of our producers are generating RSPO Certified products, and the majority of consumers are wanting it, thus we believe that the industry should adapt in order to better manage RSPO Certified products. GAR is dedicated to attaining this goal through interaction with our suppliers, customers, and other RSPO members.

PT.4.0 Actions for Next Reporting Period

PT.4.1 Please outline activities that your company will take in the coming year to promote the production or consumption of certified sustainable palm oil (CSPO)

- Participation in RSPO Working Group or Task Forces
- Support Independent Smallholders

(ISH)

- Contribute to the RSPO Smallholder Trainer Academy
- Financial contribution to the RSPO Smallholder Support Fund
- Direct investments in Smallholder Certification projects
- Involvement/direct investments in Jurisdictional/Landscape approach
- Direct/collective investments in conservation and restoration initiatives
- Financial contribution to support members with Remediation and Compensation (RaCP) process, direct/collective investments in conservation and restoration initiatives
- Allocating FTE to promote the production or consumption of certified sustainable oil palm products
- Specific policies and action plans by the member to promote CSPO production or consumption in the upstream or downstream supply chain, including target dates or broader policies that include such efforts
- No activities planned

Others

We notify our clients about our capacity to deploy the MB & SG physical supply chain modules of the RSPO CSPO. We also urge our suppliers to adhere to the RSPO standards. For more information on our efforts to encourage the adoption of RSPO certification on oil palm products in our supply chain, please visit our GAR Website (<https://www.goldenagri.com.sg/sustainability/certifications/RSPO/>) and GAR Supplier Assessment (<https://www.goldenagri.com.sg/sustainability/responsible-sourcing/supplierassessment/>).

SR.1.0 Shared Responsibility

The Board of Governors of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil approved the Shared Responsibility rules on 31 October 2019, requiring all members to share sustainability requirements and obligations.

Reporting of Shared Responsibility (SR) requirements will be done through ACOP and MyRSPO. As the process of verification of the reports is in development, the Shared Responsibility section in ACOP may change in future ACOP cycles.

Evidence to show compliance to the SR requirements shall be uploaded via your membership profile in MyRSPO. Please login to your MyRSPO account and upload the relevant policies, plans and relevant reports there. If you do not have a policy or your policy does not cover all items, you will be required to provide a Declaration of

your policy does not cover all items, you will be required to provide a Declaration of Support for the relevant policy items in your MyRSPO profile.

Additional information on the required policies and plans applicable to all sectors as well as the annual uptake targets for supply chain actors can be found on <https://rspo.org/members/shared-responsibility> or email the Shared Responsibility team at sharedresponsibility@rspo.org.

SR.1.0.1 Acknowledgement

- Please acknowledge that you have read and understood the Shared Responsibility requirements for policy submissions.

Information & Public Availability

SR.1.1 Does your organisation have organisational management documents publicly-available?

- Yes
- No

Ethical Conduct & Human Rights

SR.1.2 Does your organisation have a publicly-available Policy covering Ethical Conduct & Human Rights?

- Yes
- No

SR.1.2.1 Does the policy cover:

- Ethical conduct for contractors
- Ethical conduct for recruitment
- Respect of human rights, including for suppliers and sub-Contractors

Legal Compliance

SR.1.3 Does your organisation comply with all applicable legal requirements?



Yes

No

SR.1.4 Does your organisation require its third party contractors to comply with legal requirements, i.e. including a clause on legal compliance in the contracts?

Yes

No

Complaints & Grievances

SR.1.5 Does your organisation have a Grievance Mechanism that is accessible to all affected parties?

Yes

No

SR.1.5.1 Is your Grievance mechanism in line with the principles of the RSPO's Complaints System?

Yes

No

Land Use & FPIC

SR.1.6 Does your organisation have a publicly-available policy covering Commitment to respect Free Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC) in the Palm Oil Supply chain?

Yes

No

SR.1.6.1 Does your organisation have a procedure in place to identify legal, customary or user rights, and people entitled to compensation?

Yes

No

Smallholders

SR.1.7 Does your organisation support oil palm smallholders (groups)?

Yes

No

SR.1.7.1 Does your organisation report on the actions to support the inclusion of smallholders?

Yes

No

Labour & Labour Rights

SR.1.8 Does your organisation have a publicly-available policy covering Labour & Labour Rights?

Yes

No

SR.1.8.1 Does the policy cover:

No discrimination and equal opportunities

Pay and working conditions at least at legal or industry minimum standards and are sufficient to provide decent living wages (DLW)

Freedom of association and Collective bargaining

Protection of children, as well as the workforce of suppliers and third-party contractors

Prevention of all forms of harassment, including sexual harassment

No forced or trafficked labour

Occupational Health & Safety

SR.1.9 Does your organisation have a publicly-available Policy covering Occupational Health & Safety?

- Yes
- No

SR.1.9.1 Does your organisation have a Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Occupational Health & Safety?

- Yes
- No

Waste Management

SR.1.10a Does your organisation have a waste management plan that includes reduction, recycling, reusing and disposal based on the hazardous characteristics?

- Yes
- No

SR.1.10a.1 Is this plan implemented?

- Yes
- No

Water Management

SR.1.11 Does your organisation have a water management plan to promote efficient use and continued availability of water sources?

- Yes
- No

SR.1.11.1 Is this plan implemented?

- Yes
- No

Energy Use

SR.1.12 Does your organisation have an energy use plan to improve the efficiency of the fossil fuels used and to optimise renewable energy?

Yes

No

SR.1.12.1 Are there records of implementation of the plan ie. monitoring and reporting?

Yes

No

Climate Change & Greenhouse Gas (GHG)

SR.1.13 Does your organisation have a publicly-available policy covering Climate Change & Greenhouse Gas (GHG) including identification and assessment of GHG emissions and implementation of a plan to reduce or minimise them?

Yes

No

Claims and labels

SR.1.15 Does your organisation promote the use of off-product RSPO claims and labels?

Yes


No

CS.1.0 Challenges and Support

CS.1.1 What significant obstacles or challenges has your company encountered in the promotion of certified sustainable palm oil (CSPO)? What efforts has your company taken to address these obstacles or challenges?


- Awareness of RSPO in the market
- Difficulties in the certification process
- Certification of smallholders
- Competition with non-RSPO members
- High costs in achieving or adhering to certification
- Human rights issues
- Insufficient demand for RSPO-certified palm oil**
- Low usage of palm oil
- Reputation of palm oil in the market
- Reputation of RSPO in the market
- Supply issues
- Traceability issues
- No challenges faced
- Others**

1. There is little demand in the major markets where we operate. 2. When there is no immediate demand, it is challenging to get more plantations to join the RSPO on the supply side. 3. Not all clients require RSPO-certified products, and not all suppliers may earn this certification.

CS.1.2 In addition to the actions already reported in this ACOP report, what other ways has your company supported the vision of the RSPO to transform markets to make sustainable palm oil the norm? 

- Communication and/or engagement to transform the negative perception of palm oil
- Engagement with business partners or consumers on the use of CSPO**
- Engagement with government agencies**
- Engagement with peers and clients
- Promotion of CSPO through off-product

- Promotion of CSPO through oil product claims
- Promotion of CSPO outside of RSPO venues such as trade workshops or industry associations
- Promotion of physical CSPO
- Providing funding or support for CSPO development efforts
- Research & Development support
- Stakeholder engagement
- No actions taken
- Others

CS.1.3 If your company has any other publicly-available reports or information regarding its palm oil-related policies and activities, please provide the links here 

Please refer to our GAR Website:(<https://www.goldenagri.com.sg/sustainability/certifications/RSPO/>) and GAR Supplier Assessment:(<https://www.goldenagri.com.sg/sustainability/responsiblesourcing/supplierassessment/>) for more information on our efforts in promoting the use of RSPO Certification on oil palm products in our supply chain.

S.1.0 Would you like to submit your ACOP 2022 report now? The data reported in ACOP 2022 is acknowledged to be true and accurate upon submission.

- No, I would like to have my ACOP 2022 reviewed internally by my company or organisation before submission
- Yes, I would like to proceed to submit my ACOP 2022 report

S.1.2 Thank you for completing your ACOP 2022 report. Please click the Submit button below to submit your final ACOP 2022 report.

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