

Particulars

About Your Organisation

1.1 Member Name

Farmforce AS

1.2 Membership Number

8-0290-23-000-00

1.3 Membership Sector

Organisations

1.4 Membership Category

Affiliate

1.5 Country

Norway

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

No

2.2 Please select all the sectors that best describe the business activities of your company or organisation, including your primary RSPO membership sector. You may select multiple sectors and will be required to complete the ACOP form for the relevant sectors

- I am a bank or financial institution that finances or supports companies or organisations that produce or manufacture palm oil, palm kernel oil or related products
- I am a conservation and environmental NGO supporting the sustainable development of the palm oil industry
- I am a social and human development NGO supporting the sustainable development of the palm oil industry
- I am an Affiliate member of the RSPO, indirectly involved in the palm oil industry

Affiliates

1. Operational Profile

1.1 What are the main activities of your organisation?

Farmforce provides first-mile digital traceability solutions for agricultural supply chains, with a strong focus on sustainability, compliance, and transparency. Our software enables organizations working with smallholders and estates to collect, manage, and analyze field-level data—from farmer registration and plot mapping to sourcing records and sustainability audits. In the palm oil sector, we help stakeholders meet regulatory requirements such as EUDR and NDPE commitments by offering digital tools to ensure end-to-end traceability, prevent deforestation, and verify responsible sourcing at origin.

1.2 What activities has your organisation undertaken to promote sustainable palm oil, the RSPO and/or RSPO members in the reporting period?

In the reporting period, Farmforce has worked closely with processors, traders, and sustainability partners to implement digital traceability systems for palm oil that align with RSPO principles. Our activities include:

- Supporting RSPO-aligned organizations with geolocation and sourcing data to document supply chains from smallholders to mills.
- Equipping field agents with mobile tools to monitor sustainability practices such as no-deforestation, fair labor, and farm boundary integrity.
- Participating in international events such as the RSPO Roundtable Conference (RT2024) to share insights and best practices on digital traceability.
- Contributing to capacity building by training local cooperatives and sourcing partners in traceability data collection and compliance protocols.

These actions promote sustainable practices and strengthen the position of RSPO members across the palm oil value chain.

1.3 What percentage of your organisation's overall activities focus on palm oil?

10.0%

1.4 Did members of your organisation participate in RSPO working groups and/or taskforces in the reporting period?

No

1.5 Does your organisation have any past or on-going collaborations with public or private sector palm oil industry players to support them in their efforts to increase the production or consumption of certified sustainable palm oil (CSPO)?

Yes

1.6 How is your organisation's work on palm oil funded?

Farmforce's work on palm oil is funded through a combination of commercial partnerships with private-sector clients—including processors, traders, and sustainability platforms—and donor-funded projects supporting sustainable sourcing in key production regions. Our SaaS model enables scalable, long-term deployments with clients committed to sustainability, while grant funding helps catalyze traceability and compliance efforts among smallholders and cooperatives in emerging markets.

2. Actions for Next Reporting Period

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

In the coming year, Farmforce will continue to advance the digital infrastructure necessary for certified sustainable palm oil (CSPO) by:

- Expanding traceability deployments: We will scale our traceability platform across new regions and producer networks, enabling palm oil stakeholders to verify sourcing origins and sustainability practices in line with RSPO and EUDR requirements.
- Enhancing geolocation and deforestation monitoring: We are investing in product development to improve deforestation risk analysis and polygon mapping at the farm and estate levels, key elements in CSPO compliance.
- Supporting RSPO members: We will actively support RSPO member companies with tailored digital solutions to capture and report on sustainability data, audit readiness, and NDPE compliance.
- Training and capacity building: We will provide ongoing training to field agents, cooperatives, and sourcing teams on the use of our tools to ensure proper documentation and promote continuous improvement in sustainable practices.
- Thought leadership and collaboration: Farmforce will continue participating in RSPO events and working groups to share learnings and advocate for scalable, digital-first approaches to achieving CSPO goals.

Through these activities, we aim to strengthen the foundation for responsible palm oil sourcing and increase the uptake of certified sustainable volumes within global supply chains.

Challenges and Support

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

Others

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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 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

Others

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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

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