

Particulars

About Your Organisation

1.1 Name of your organisation

The Netherlands Feed Industry Association (NEVEDI)

1.2 What is/are the primary activity(ies) or product(s) of your organisation?

- Palm Oil Grower
- Processor and/or Trader
- Consumer Goods Manufacturer
- Retailer
- Bank and/or Investor
- Social and/or Development NGO
- Environmental and/or Conservation NGO
- Affiliate

1.3 Membership number

8-0085-08-000-00

1.4 Membership category

Organisations

1.5 Membership sector

Affiliate

Affiliates

1. Operational Profile

1.1 What are the main activities of your organisation?

Nevedi (The Dutch Feed Industry Association) protects the interests of the Dutch feed industry. About 90 Feed companies and suppliers are associated with Nevedi. These companies represent more than 95% of the total feed production for livestock in the Netherlands. The Nevedi members are producers of compound feed, milk replacers and premix additives as well as wet feed suppliers. The share of compound feed sold in the Netherlands by the members of Nevedi is 11,9 million metric tons. The annual turnover in the sector is €5,0 billion with 5.500 employees being active. Nevedi's new 5-year vision 2020-2025 "Feed for chain co-operation" focusses on 4 themes: "Sustainable foodchains", "Animal feed production for healthy and safe food", "Circular agriculture" and "Labour"

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

Nevedi has supported her members in covering the palm oil footprint of 2019. For the small and medium size companies a small collective was formed for purchasing RSPO Palm Trace credits. Nevedi is a member of the Dutch Alliance Sustainable Palm Oil and attended several meetings. Practical information has been shared on the members website about RSPO, buying credits and about sustainable palm oil. Nevedi monitors each quarter of the year the progress of buying RSPO Palm Trace credits. Nevedi has expanded the scope of feed for which members have to use CSPO or buy RSPO Trace credits: now also rumen-protected fats have to be covered. Nevedi has started negotiations with the Sustainable Dairy Chain in The Netherlands, to work towards the use of CSPK in dairy feed.

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

5.0%

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?

All of Nevedi's are funded by the membership fees paid by our member, so this also goes for all palm oil related work.

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)

Nevedi hopes to further increase the use of CSPO (and the start of the use of CPKO). For CSPO this would mean that not only Dutch national consumption of animal-based food (dairy, eggs, meat) is covered, but also all export of animal products. The percentage of palm oil use in the Dutch Feed Industry, covered by CSPO or RSPO credits has been growing steadily. In 2017 (reported november 2018) the coverage in Dutch Feed was 56%. in 2018 (reported January 2020) this had grown to 68%. Together with other members of the Dutch Association for Sustainable Palm Oil (DASPO) we now aim for: - The Dutch Government to include the demand for the use of CSPO in Sustainable Purchasing Policy. - Expand our focus towards more CSPO in the sectors Out-of-Home, Foodservice and Home & Personal Care. - Increased co-operation with other (international) initiatives to work on 100% CSPO in Europe.

3. Challenges

3.1 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
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- Supply issues
- Traceability issues
- No challenges faced
- Others

Others

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3.2 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?

- Engagement with business partners or consumers on the use of CSPO
- Engagement with government agencies
- 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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3.3 If your organisation has any other publicly-available reports or information regarding its palm oil-related policies and activities, please provide the links here

[https://assets.nevedi.nl/p/229376/20180724%20Factsheet%20Palmolie\(1\).pdf](https://assets.nevedi.nl/p/229376/20180724%20Factsheet%20Palmolie(1).pdf)
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