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Major initiatives and associations working on sustainable palm oil in Europe

RSPO

Since 2004, the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil has been transforming the palm oil industry in collaboration with the global supply chain. It has pledged to help support and build a 100% Certified Sustainable Palm Oil (CSPO) EU market by 2020.

ESPO The European Sustainable Palm **Oil project** (established by IDH and MVO) drives the uptake of more sustainable palm oil to 100% in Europe by 2020.

EPOA

The European Palm Oil Alliance is committed to create a science based and balanced view on the nutritional and sustainability aspects of palm oil.

European National Initiatives Various companies and industry associations work together in National Initiatives to increase the uptake of sustainable palm oil in their respective countries.

ESPOAG

The EU food sectors (AIBI CAOBISCO, FEDIMA, FEDIOL and IMACE) united in the European Sustainable Palm Oil Advocacy **Group** advocate for a balanced, science based debate on sustainable palm oil and promote the uptake of CSPO.

Certification standards for Sustainable Palm oil

In food and HPC (home and personal care products), the main certification standard used is the **Roundtable** on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO). The RSPO has developed a set of environmental and social criteria which companies must comply with in order to produce CSPO. In 2015, **12,9 million MT** was certified according to the RSPO Principles and Criteria.

Other certification standards for sustainable palm oil are offered by the International Sustainability and Carbon Certification (ISCC) and Rainforest Alliance. Indonesia and Malaysia have developed their own standards for certified sustainable palm oil. The Indonesian Sustainable Palm Oil (ISPO) and Malaysian Sustainable Palm Oil (MSPO) are important steps towards more sustainable production.

With the support of several European national initiatives, ESPO instigated the 'Commitment to Support 100% Sustainable Palm Oil in Europe by 2020'. In response, the governments of key EU countries declared their support towards the project by signing the Amsterdam Palm Oil Declaration.





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Facts and Figures on Trade Flows & Sustainability









PALM OIL AND PALM KERNEL OIL IN EUROPE Main Trade Flows



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Italy 1,620 Total import EU 7,365 Reference year: 2015 | All volumes are in '000 tonnes