About

Since several years, the juice industry has been discussing how to drive sustainability in the supply chain by mitigating supply chain risks and fulfilling market demand for sustainable juice. The sustainable juice covenant is the action plan by and for the juice industry to put its sustainability ambitions into action.

How to reach 100% Sustainability?

- ▶ Joint target setting
 Aiming for 100% Sustainable Juice and Puree by 2030
 Certification and verification of supply chain
- ▶ Independent monitoring of progress
- ▶ Annual monitoring of percentage verifiably sustainable
- Issue mitigating projects
 Opportunity to apply for co-funding from IDH
 addressing key sustainability issues in Africa, Asia
 and Latin America.

What do we count as sustainable?

Fruit and vegetables from farms with a sustainability certification at least equivalent to SAI/FSA Bronze (based on 3rd party auditing), which are processed and packed by ETI/SMETA/SA-8000 certified industry partners.



Endorsed by



What is expected of you as a processor

For your products to be recognized as sustainable, you need to provide the following assurances.

At farm level

Any standard that has been benchmarked by SAI/FSA as "bronze equivalent". The most common standards are below, please <u>download</u> the full list or visit fsatool.com.

SAI FSA bronze (3rd party audited), Global Gap in combination with FSA add-on, Rainforest Alliance / SAN, Fairtrade, Fair for Life, Rural Horizons Brasil Citrus, Unilever Sustainable Agriculture Code, SIZA, UTZ.

At processing level

A sustainability certification or verification that is at least equivalent to ETI/SMETA 4-Pillar or SA8000.

What is expected of you as a signatory?

- ► Commit to aim to source 100% Sustainable Juice and puree in 2030
- ► Report progress annually and allow independent verification
- ▶ Promote the Juice Covenant
- ▶ Share knowledge on sustainability with covenant members

WEBSITE

Visit the website to find out further how to be recognized as sustainable by SJC.



MORE INFORMATION ON THE SJC

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Benefits for companies

- Public expression of your sustainability ambition
- Proven, tpractical approach to sustainability
- ► Independent monitoring of your progress (co-funded by IDH)
- Opportunity to apply for IDH co-funding for issue mitigating projects
- Exploit market opportunities and reduce your risk exposure





Covenant sustainably sourced, processed and traded fruit and vegetable derived juices, purees and their concentrates.



