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WILMAR INTERNATIONAL AND ADM

JOINT STATEMENT TO A SECTORAL ROADMAP CONSISTENT WITH A 1.5C

The two JV parents of Olenex - Wilmar International and ADM - issued a joint statement at the World Leaders' Summit on Forests and Land Use at COP26 - UN Climate Change Conference, as two of the twelve largest global agricultural trading and processing companies. They pledged their commitment to a sectoral roadmap for enhanced supply chain action that is consistent with a 1.5 degrees Celsius pathway to be achieved by COP27, is 100% committed too.

The statement reinforces the urgency for collective action to identify solutions at scale for halting deforestation and reducing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. Visit the statement [here](#).



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Figure 1. Nora Willkomm at Noblee Plant

Olenex Edible Oils GmbH - Werk Noblee (Hamburg) team and Olenex Sustainability team announced that on 10th November 2021 the plant team filled the last fully hydro non-SG Stearin tanker.

The only palm products in FH ND plant's portfolio (fully hydrogenated non-deodorized) are now 100% RSPO SG certified (Segregated Quality: throughout the supply chain, certified palm oil is kept separate from conventional palm oil).

DOW JONES SUSTAINABILITY INDICES AND N#1 SPOTT21 WILMAR GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY FRONTRUNNER

Olenex's parent company Wilmar International has been included in the **Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI) World Index** in addition to the previous inclusion in the DJSI Asia Pacific Index in 2020.



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**Dow Jones
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Olenex supports Wilmar on this sustainability journey, as we strive to create positive value and impact through our business.

More information about Wilmar's inclusion to the DJSI is available [here](#).

To learn more about the DJSI Corporate Sustainability Assessment, kindly visit [this link](#).

Wilmar International was also ranked first in the assessment by **Sustainable Palm Oil Transparency Toolkit (SPOTT)**, with a total score of over 91 percent for transparency, public disclosure on its policies and efforts related to environmental, social and governance (ESG) matters.

Developed by Zoological Society of London (ZSL), an international conservation charity, SPOTT assesses commodity producers, processors, and traders, including natural rubber, palm oil, pulp and timber, against over 100 sector-specific indicators related to sustainability commitments, practices and disclosures.

To learn more about this sustainability milestone, [visit here](#).

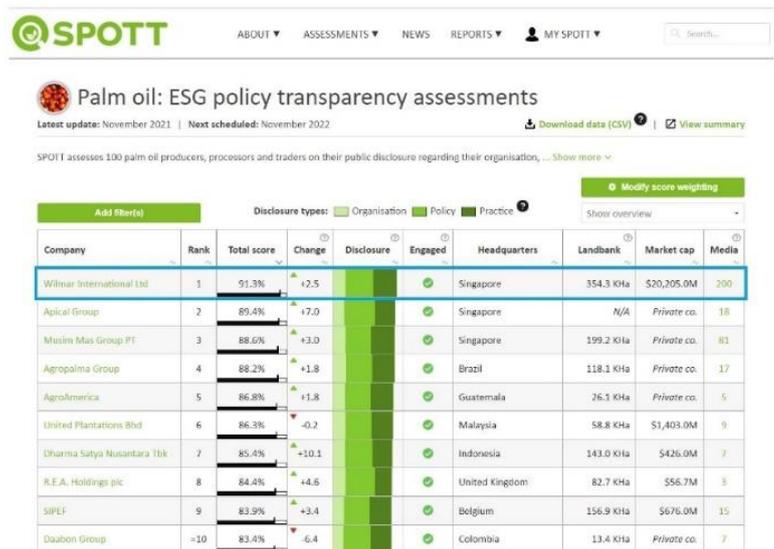


Figure 2. SPOTT 2021 ranking. Wilmar scored 91.3%



The **third accomplishment**, by the **Global Child Forum**, is **Wilmar's** recognition as the highest achiever globally and across all industries for championing the protection of children's rights Global Benchmark 2021.

In an independent report published, 'The State of Children's Rights and Business 2021', which evaluated 832 companies globally, **Wilmar scored an impressive 9.8 out of 10**. To learn more about this milestone, [visit here](#).

*Highest score, indicating that the company discloses how they address children's rights in the area

The following companies are the highest scoring, with an overall score of 9.0 or higher:

Company	Sector	Industry	Overall score
Wilmar International	Food, Beverage & Personal Care	Agricultural Products	9.8
Vodafone	Telecommunications & Technology	Telecommunications	9.3
Telenor	Telecommunications & Technology	Telecommunications	9.2
Nestle	Food, Beverage & Personal Care	Food & Beverage	9.2
Deutsche Telekom	Telecommunications & Technology	Telecommunications	9.1
OMV	Energy & Utilities	Oil & Gas	9.1
Samsung	Telecommunications & Technology	Electronics	9.0

Figure 3. Global Child Forum ranking. Wilmar International scored 9.8.

All the **Sustainability News** are available in the brand-new [NEWS section](#) on the Olenex website.



Figure 4. News section view at Olenex website



COCONUT SECTOR APPROACH PROTECTING THE RIGHTS OF CHILDREN IN THE COCONUT OIL SUPPLY CHAIN – THE PHILIPPINES



As mentioned in the previous [Sustainability Update](#), Olenex and Wilmar, together with Cargill, renowned development organisations and with financial support from the Dutch government, engaged in a due diligence programme to protect children’s rights in the coconut supply chain in the Philippines.

In November, we reached the **end of Phase A** with the objective meant to reveal the prevalence and root causes of child labour in these coconut supply chains, as well as the macro and micro risks that contribute to the vulnerability of workers and pose barriers to policy implementation. For this, the consortium members performed, amongst others:

- Supply chain mapping
- Desk review on statistics around child labour
- Stakeholder consultation
- Review of legal frameworks
- Interviews of governmental agencies, key management of the companies, suppliers, and workers
- Identification of root causes
- Identification of company measures

We will soon share a dedicated communication on the results of Phase A of this programme.

A strong partnership

Partners in this first-of-its-kind sector approach are the following companies and organisations.

Industry associations

- The Netherlands Oils and Fats Organisation (MVO)
- The Association of Dutch Producers of Edible Oils and Fats (VERNOF)

Non-governmental development organisations

- ICCO, part of Cordaid
- Global March against Child Labour
- Verité

Commercial processors and traders of coconut oil

- Cargill
- Wilmar



SRT SUPPLIER REPORT TOOL

Assessing suppliers' progress and sustainability performance with the Supplier Reporting Tool (SRT)

Olenex and Wilmar expect all its supplying palm oil mills to comply with our No Deforestation, No Peat, No Exploitation (NDPE) Policy.

To better assess our suppliers' progress and their implementation of our NDPE policy, we developed the **Supplier Reporting Tool (SRT)**. SRT is an online self-reporting tool that allows our suppliers to report their NDPE compliance. Since the launch in 2017, we have asked our suppliers across Indonesia, Malaysia, and Latin America to provide annual updates using SRT.

With the SRT data, we conducted a risk assessment on all our suppliers. This involved analysing SRT data combined with mills' certification status, grievances, and the neighbourhood geospatial risk analysis Consortium of Resource Experts (CORE's). Those categorized with higher levels of risk or 'high-priority mills undergo site assessments and direct engagement as part of our NDPE policy implementation programmes.

With SRT, we support our suppliers in assessing all relevant sustainability requirements from our NDPE policy. More information on [our website](#).



Figure 5. Measurement parameters of the SRT tool



MARIPOSA WISSE YEAR-TWO & WISSMA KICK-OFF

Olenex remains committed to investing the Mariposa fund most effectively: by providing tools to Latin American suppliers to assist in the transformation towards sustainable practices in the palm industry.

Mariposa launched a new 2-year project this autumn. WISSMA (Wilmar Supports Sustainable Management) runs with 78 participants from 9 Latam countries, including 54 suppliers and 6 industry associations. This is the second program under Mariposa, the crowdfunding initiative

WISSE, the first project under Mariposa, reached the end of year two. Despite all difficulties, 47% of the 3-year certification objective was accomplished.

WISSE

I realized that I had to run the farm sustainably if I wanted to increase productivity and protect the planet

Bernib Banegas, WISSE participant, Honduran Smallholder aims to certification



WISSE, reached the end of year two. This 2021 has been a challenging year not only because of Covid, but also because of the damage to plantations caused by hurricanes in Honduras.

Despite all these extreme situations, the four mills enrolled in WISSE -Hondupalma, Honducaribe, Palmasa and Asapalsa- together with their independent smallholders kept their commitment to the program and fulfilled all the activities planned.

For more details of WISSE program, please visit our second -year report [here](#).

WISSMA

WISSMA, the second project under Mariposa, organized its first Webinar. It was addressed to mill managers from 9 Latin American countries.

The four speakers gave their vision and shared their knowledge on the main topic: **EU requirements: A potential challenge**.

'Thank you very much, excellent webinar, really good information and speakers', Grepalma said.

'Thank you, the topics discussed today are fascinating, and their approach is very clear', Oscar Salgado, mill manger, wrote in the chat.

More information, visit [Mariposa](#), [WISSE](#) and [WISSMA](#).



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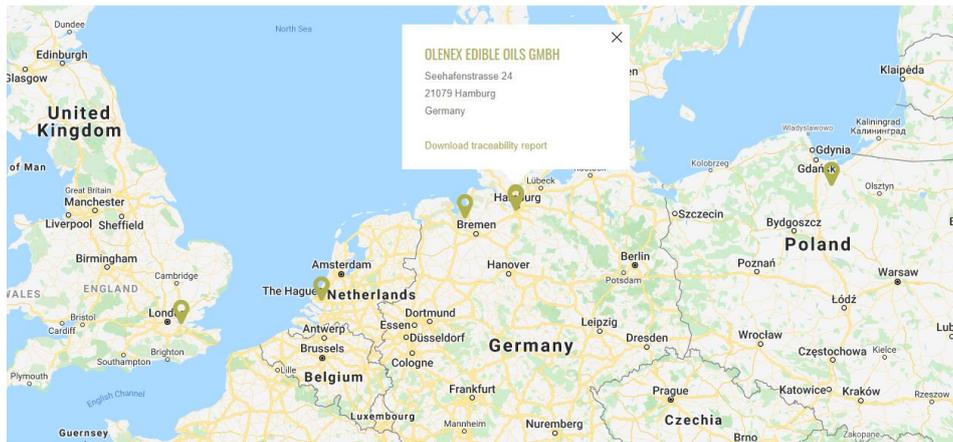


Figure 6. Map on Olenex website with all the information available per refinery

Traceability is an integral part of providing greater transparency in the supply chain. The map on [our website](#) displays the locations of our refineries and holds the traceability reports per refinery and their supplying mills updated from July 2020 up to June 2021. By clicking on a refinery, all mills supplying are available.

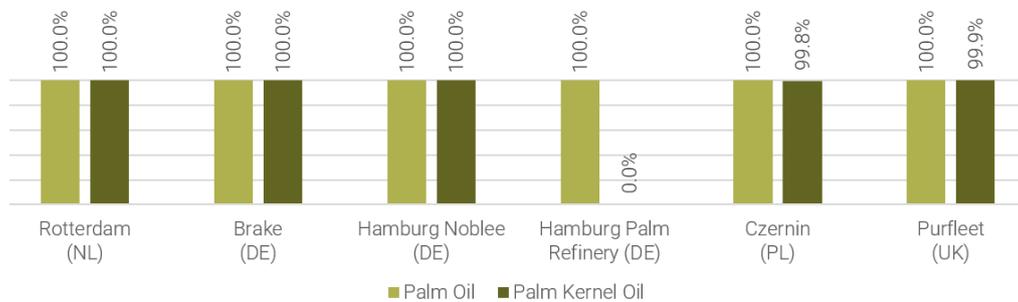


Figure 7. Traceability to mill Q3 2020 – Q2 2021 reporting period

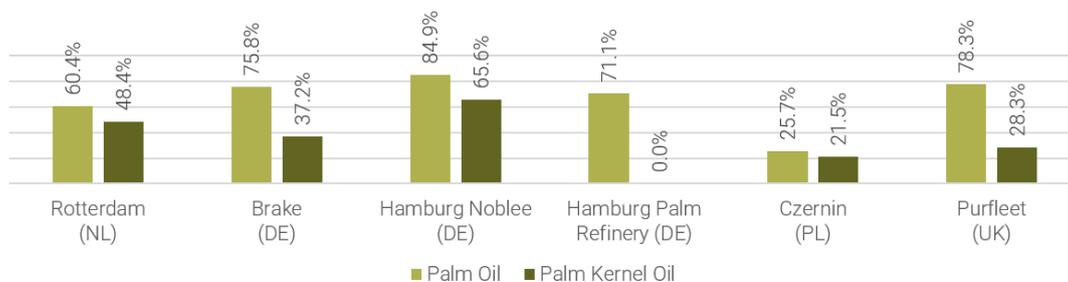


Figure 8. Traceability to plantation Q3 2020 – Q2 2021 reporting period



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