

proforest

NDPE Implementation Reporting Framework (IRF)





Agenda

- 1. Introduction of NDPE Implementation Reporting Framework (IRF)
- 2. How does the IRF work
- 3. Example of IRF for No Deforestation
- 4. How to fill in the IRF template
- 5. Timeline and next steps
- 6. Information and support

What is the IRF?



Stepwise reporting framework



Allows companies to consistently and systematically report on volumes at different stages of progress towards NDPE compliance



Combines different actions across the industry

Covers:

- √ No Deforestation (No-D)
- √ No development on Peat (No-P)
- ✓ No Exploitation (starting with respect of labour and land rights issues)

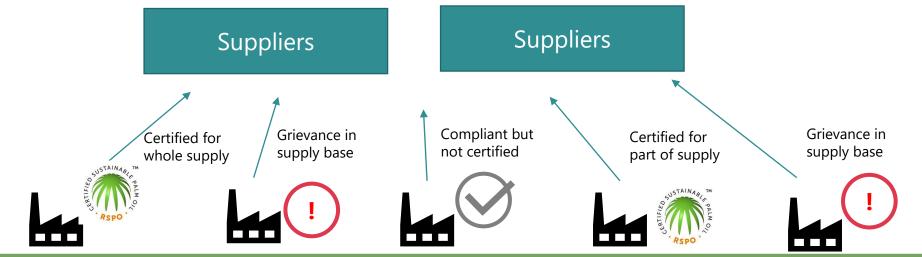
Why is the NDPE IRF needed?

- Demonstrates progress the industry has made so far
- Allows reporting across all progress- from early to advanced- in production base
- Supports industry collaboration and willingness to work together to address issues

NDPE commitments



Downstream buyer



Production base: Where No Deforestation, No Peat, No exploitation commitments apply

The NDPE IRF Journey

RSPO RT Kota Kinabalu

PepsiCo and Cargill host meeting where trial results presented and approach refined

gar agribusiness and food

RSPO EU RT Utrecht

At PepsiCo and Cargill hosted meeting companies agree IRF as industry reporting tool

Stakeholder meeting

Agreement to trial at scale

RSPO RT Bangkok

Discussion and plan of roll out for No-D. No-P

Companies hosting meetings to drive with suppliers and customers

Companies requesting IRF profiles through supply chain

No-E first template pilot (Apr – Jun 2020)

PepsiCo and Cargill hosting virtual workshops in Jun 2020

Progress

RSPO EU RT

PepsiCo hosts meeting wilmar to present framework and bring on board other companies proposal for framework to

Agreement to trial



Companies actively involved





General Mills



First draft of

labour)

allocation

No-E (Land and

criteria sent to

group for review

Cargill







PEPSICO

Tropicana 🚜 🔏

FUJI OIL



Apical

proforest

Zarthworm tran

t



Jan 2018

Concept

PepsiCo and Proforest

monitor volumes in

progress and delivery

Jun 2018

Nov 2018

Jun 2019

Sept 2019 Nov

2019

Jun

2020

Palm Oil Collaboration Group update

Convenor: PepsiCo, Cargill

Facilitator: Proforest

- First convened by PepsiCo in 2017
- Informal group of palm oil buying and producing companies discussing both challenges and successes with implementation of NDPE commitments
- Proforest is technical partner
- The IRF is one of the key collaborative projects
- IRF recognised as monitoring tool by the CGF







Topics discussed

- Engaging with Producer Groups
- Understanding the FFB supply base
- Addressing deforestation in third party FFB supply
- Reporting on NDPE progress
- Addressing complaints effectively
- T1 Supplier Scorecards
- Understanding the 'E' in NDPE

Working Groups

NDPE IRF

Production and protection beyond concessions

Social issues WG

Independent Verification









































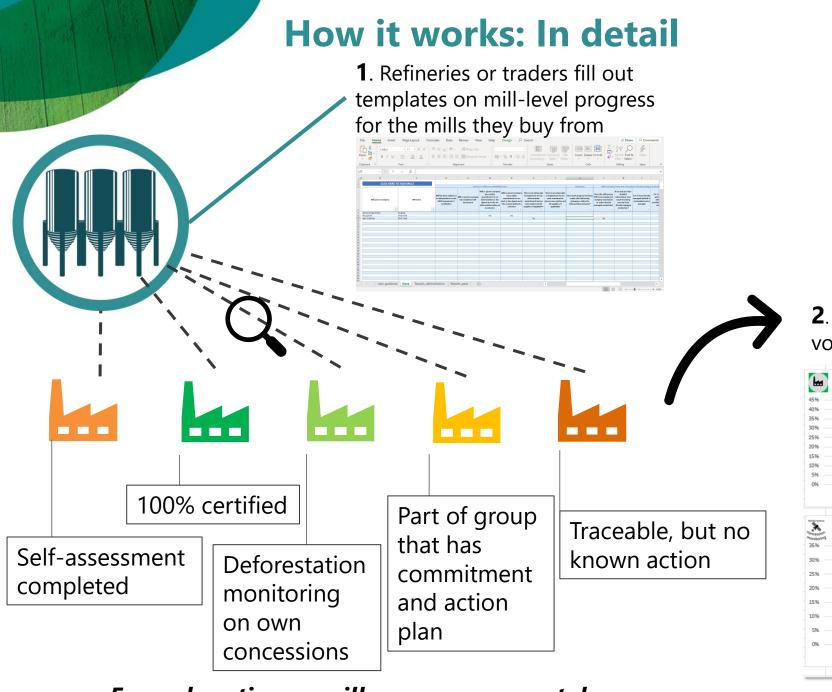




How does the IRF work?

- The IRF assesses mill level performance and allocates the mill and the volume it supplies to a category of progress
- Recognises that there are different steps towards full delivery on NDPE compliant volumes

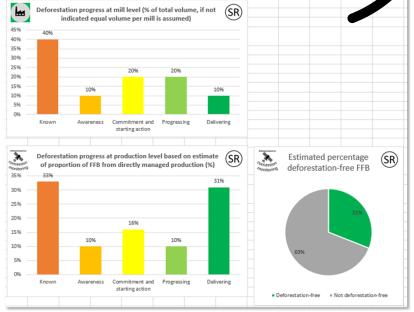
Known Awareness Commitment and starting action Progressing Delivering



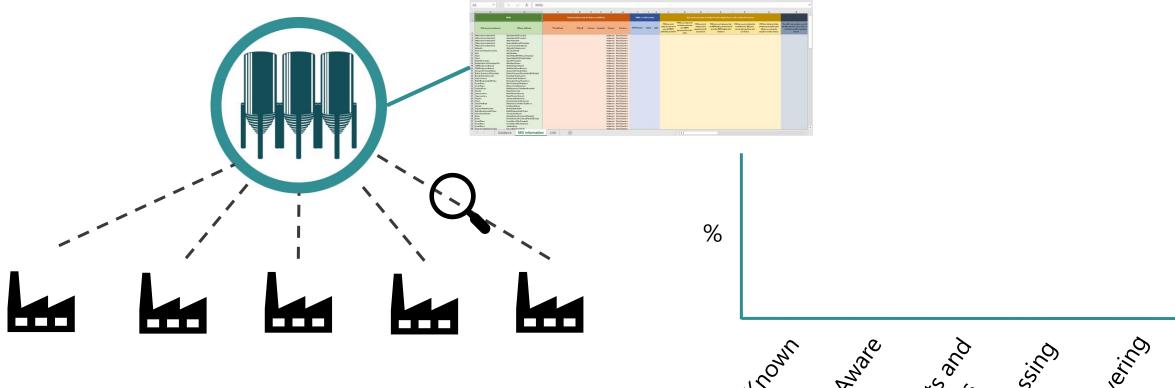
3. The profiles are shared with customers who aggregate profiles from each of their T1 suppliers

Downstream

2. A profile is automatically created on volumes in each category



Example actions a mill or company can take















Self-assessment completed

%

TOME MASS SOUND STANDS SOUND OF THE STANDS SOUND STANDS S

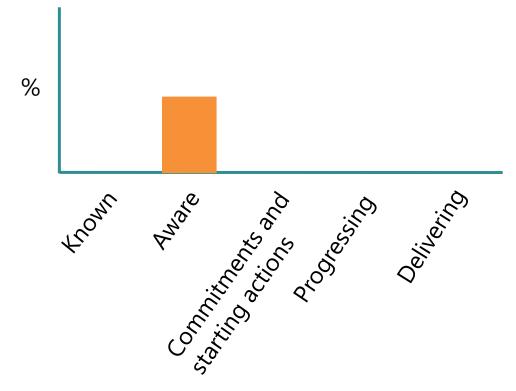














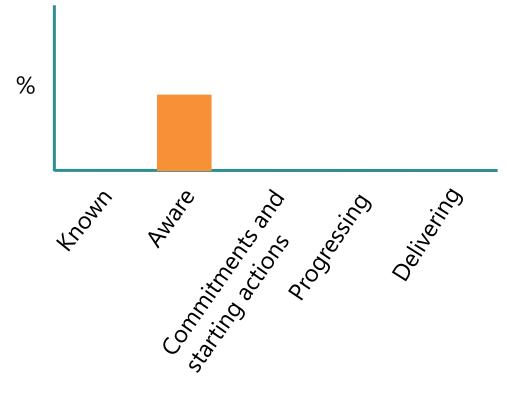








100% certified

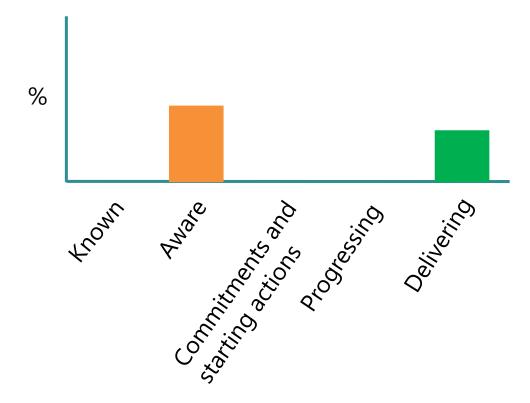












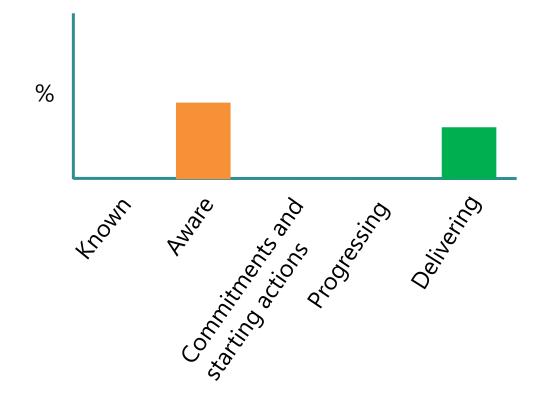


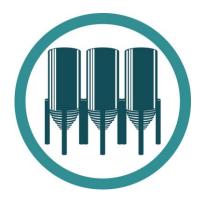






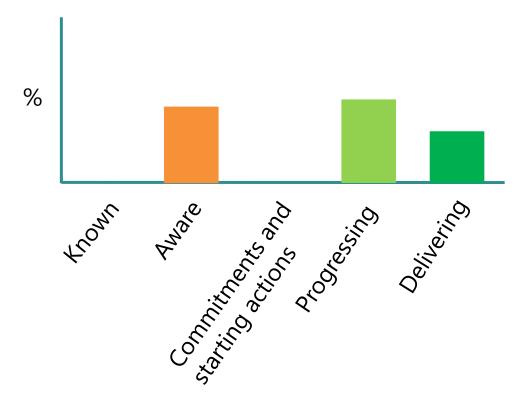
Deforestation monitoring on own concessions









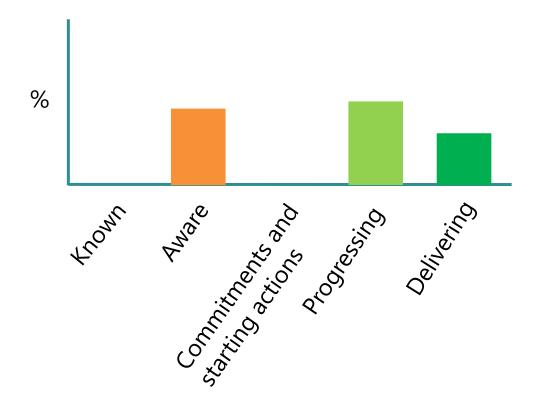


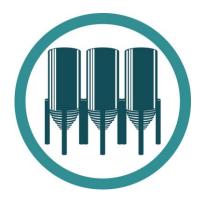




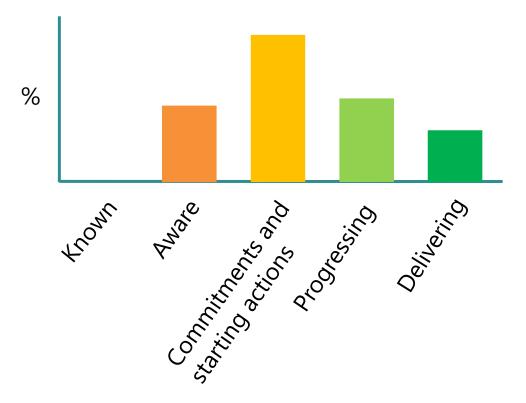


Part of group that has commitment and action plan

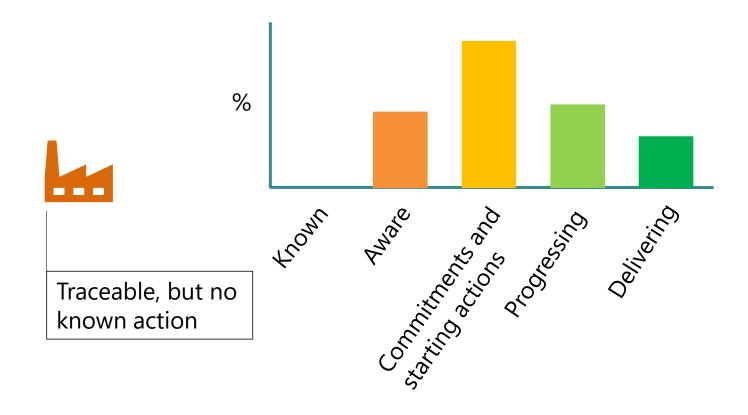




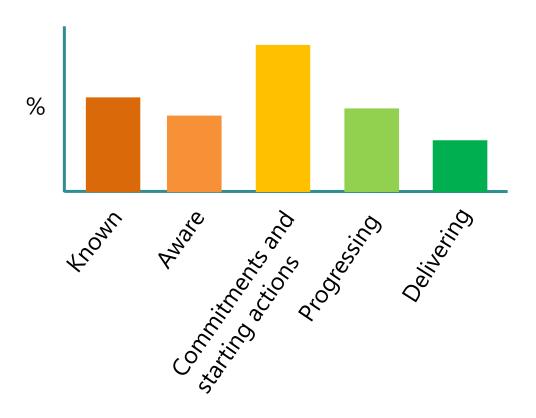


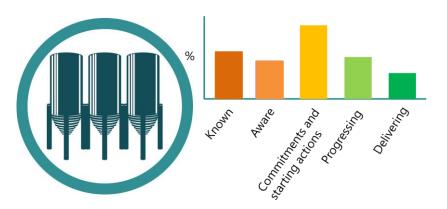


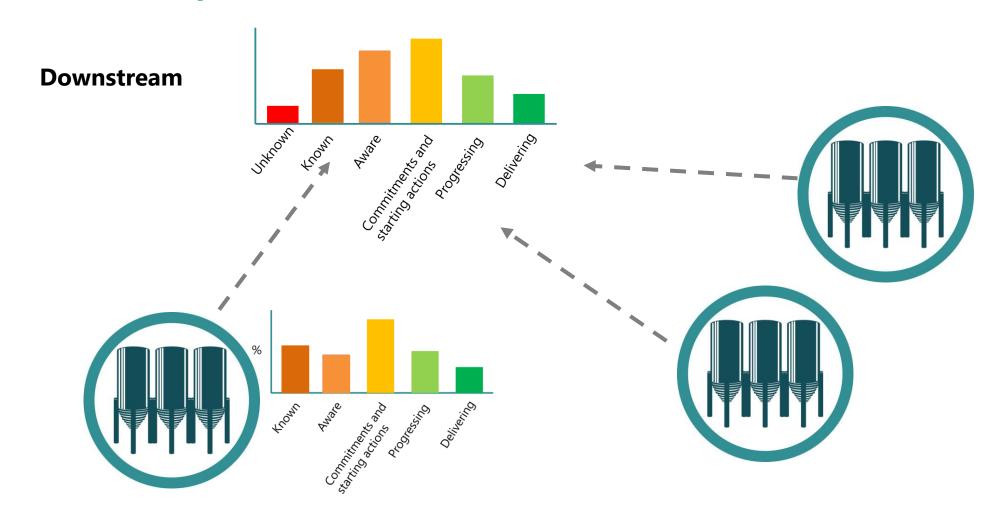








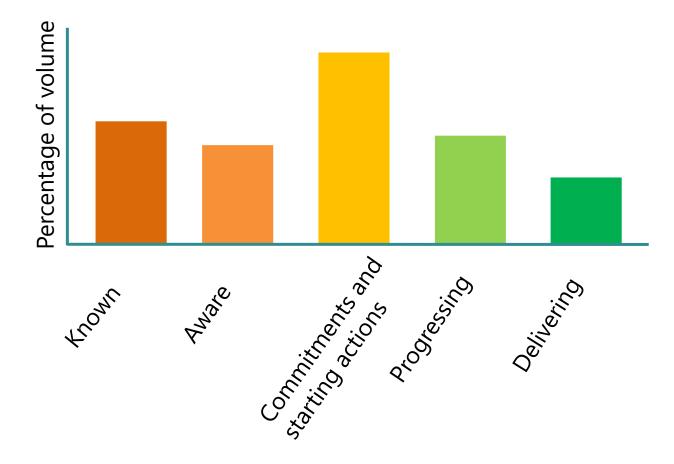




NDPE Implementation Reporting Framework profile

Separate profile for

- ✓ No Deforestation
- ✓ No development on Peat
- ✓ Respecting labour rights
- Respecting land rights



Categories of progress

Example: IRF for No Deforestation

Known

- Traceable, but no further action known

11 11

Awareness

- The mill's company has received training or workshop that means they are aware of expectations

Commitment and starting action

- The mill's company has a policy or commitment to No-Deforestation

Progressing

- Some of the supply to the mill is delivering through e.g., certification or satellite monitoring, etc Delivering

- All of the supply to the mill is delivering through certification, satellite monitoring, etc

2. Volume based allocation

1. Mill-based

allocation



11 11

11 11

Proportion of volume from own concessions if delivering

Example: IRF for No Deforestation

Two main actions to demonstrate a mill has not cleared forest since 2015:



RSPO certification



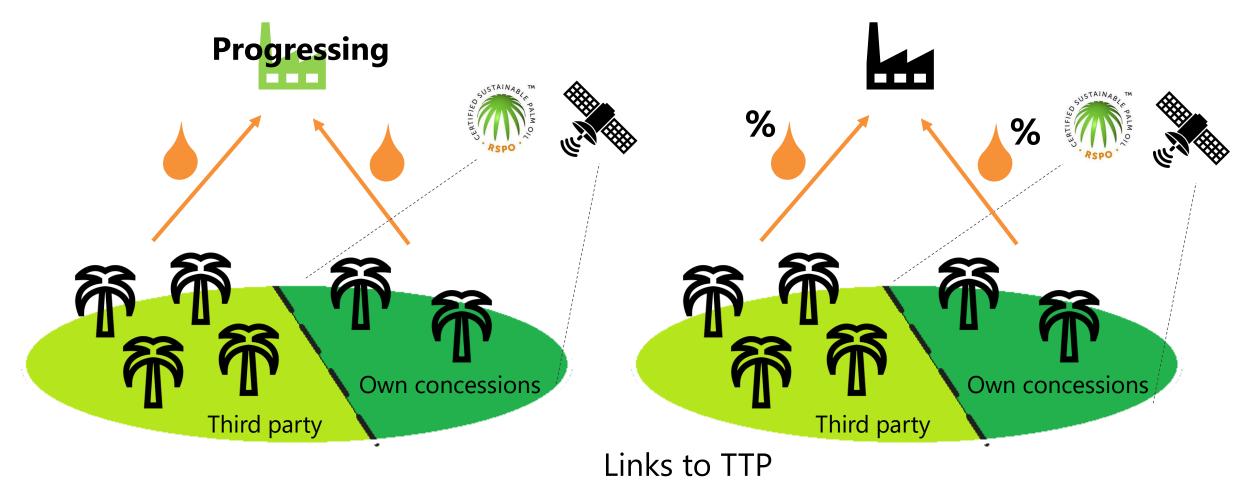
Satellite monitoring linked to plantation maps

Mill allocation vs. FFB allocation

Mill based allocation

FFB based allocation



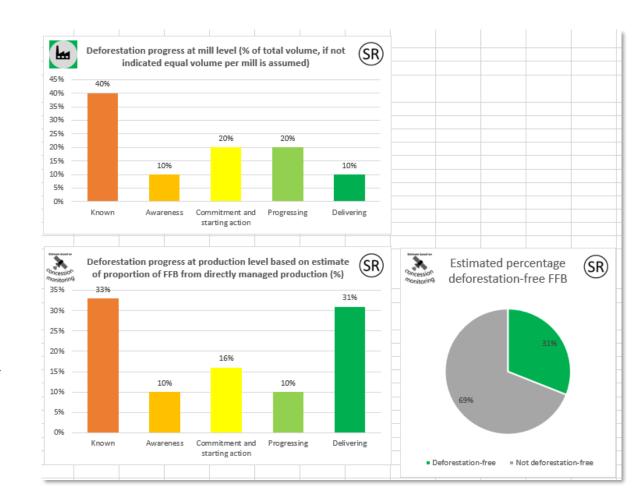


Results

Results

For deforestation, there are two options:

- Whole mill is allocated to a category
- Mill is split between category for own plantations and third party/smallholder production of FFB
 - Proportion for own vs. third party supply is estimated by regional default or can be entered into template



Commonly asked questions

Do MB certified mills automatically fall under the Delivering category?

No, MB certification only covers part of the supply base so puts the mill in Progressing. Mills need to be engaging with and ensuring that their third party supply (non-certified supply) is also NDPE compliant to be categorised in Delivering.

How do you use the IRF if you are not directly sourcing from mills?

There is a separate tab (Tab for "Supply from Refiners & Traders") in the template which allows you to provide information based the IRF profiles you receive from your direct suppliers (e.g. refiners, traders, other aggregators).

• Does the IRF cover Rainforest Alliance certification?

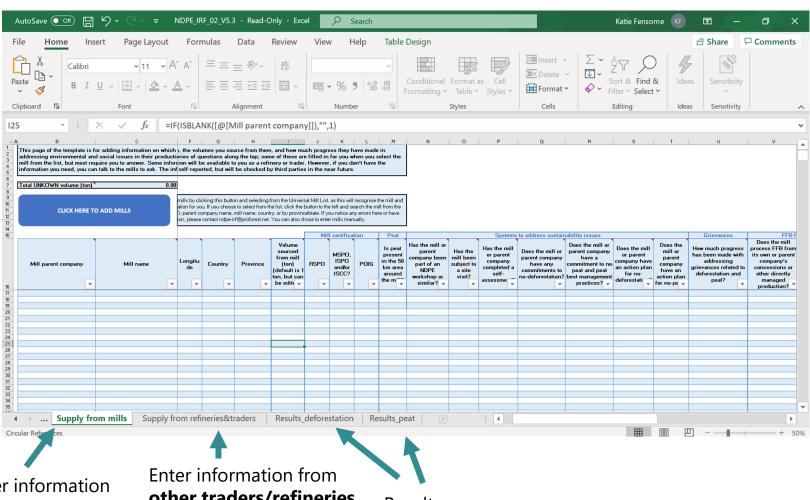
No, the certification schemes included are RSPO, MSPO, ISPO, ISCC and POIG. RA may be added in the future if appropriate.

How up-to-date is the prepopulated information on RSPO certification in the template?

This information has last been updated to November 2019. There is an option for users to edit this with more recent information if they know of any changes.

IRF Template

Overview



Enter information about the mills you **buy directly from** here

enter information from other traders/refineries that you buy from here (using their profiles)

Results

Deforestation and peat





How to fill in IRF template

Direct purchase from mills

Case study 1

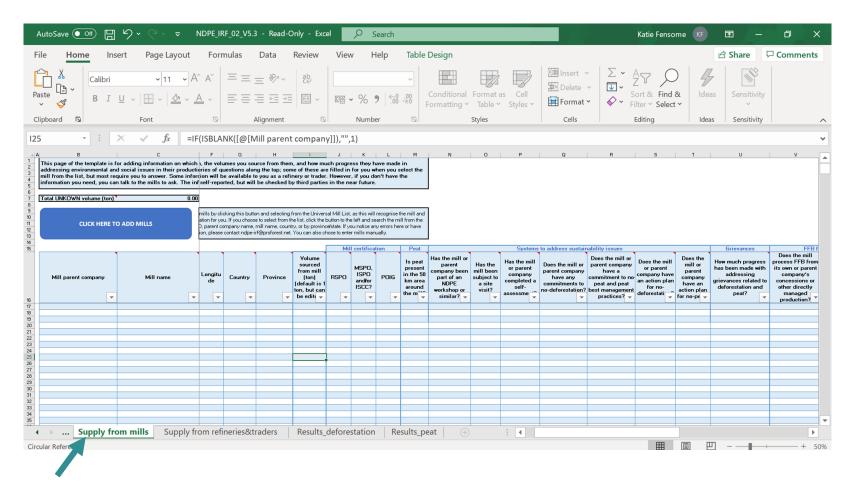


Purchase from refiners, traders and other aggregators

Case study 2



How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills



- Supply from mills tab applies to volumes being sourced directly from mills (e.g. by refiners and other aggregators)
- Detailed information from each mill required

Enter information about the mills you **buy directly from**

here

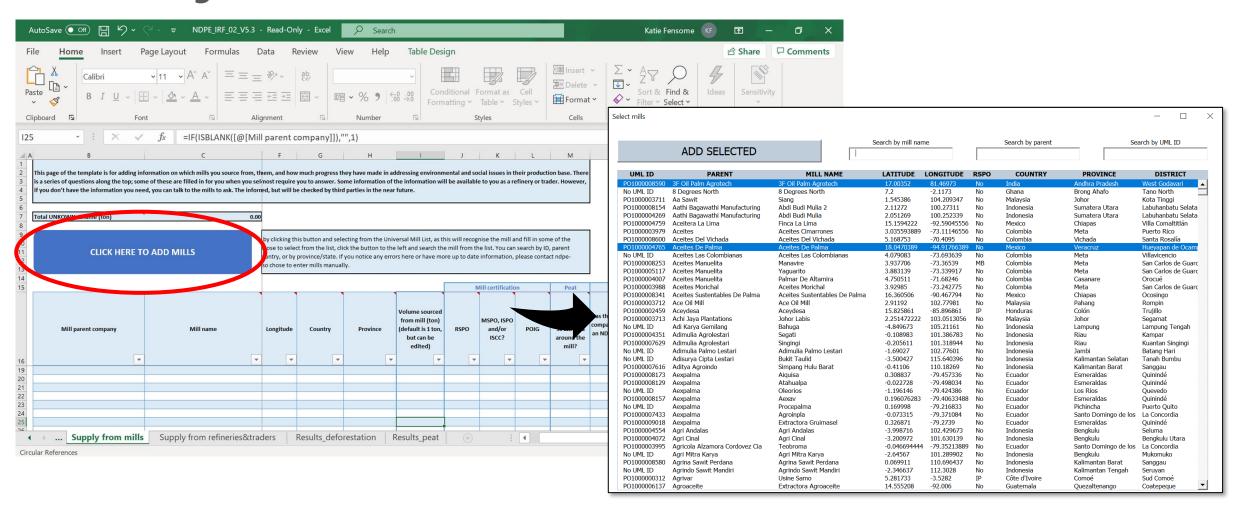
How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills

Case study:

Refinery sources directly from 5 mills

- Mill 1 has attended an NDPE workshops and only sources from 3rd party supply
- Mill 2 has a policy in place and only sources from its own plantation which is monitored for deforestation by satellite
- Mill 3 and 4 are RSPO MB certified and source volumes from own concessions (certified) and from independent smallholders. Deforestation was identified in the supply base of mill 3 and it has so far not taken any steps to address this
- Mill 5 has provided no information and the refinery only knows its name and location

How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills Adding mills



How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills Adding volume from mill

Mill parent company	Mill name	UML ID	Latitude	Longitude	Country	Province		Volume sourced from mill (ton) (default is 1 ton, but can be edited)
▼	-	~	-	-	•		~	~
Parent 1	Mill 1				Colombia			1.00
Parent 2	Mill 2				Colombia			1.00
Parent 3	Mill 3				Mexico		1	1.00
Parent 3	Mill 4				Mexico		_	1.00
Parent 4	Mill 5				Colombia			1.00
		I	I	I	I	I		

Volume sourced from mill by refinery- info needed for charts to be created

Basic mill information- prepopulated

How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills

Certification

Certification information Section is prepopulated, but can also be edited if you have more recent information

> Mill 3 and 4 are MB certified

		IV	Iill certifi	catio	n		
	RSPO		MSPO, I and/o ISCC	or	POIG		
		~		~		~	
•	No		No		No		
•	No		No		No		
	МВ		No		No		
•	MB		No		No		
	Don't know		Don't kı	now	Don't know		

How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills Early actions

Systems- includes workshops, visits, self-assessments, policies and action plans

Mill 1 has attended NDPE workshop and mill 2 has a policy

Systems to address sustainability issues											Grievan	
Has the mill or parent company been part of an NDPE workshop or similar?	Has the n been subj to a site vi	ject	Has the mill of parent compa completed a s assessment	the mill or Does the mill or pard company have and commitments to n		iy 10-	Does the mill or parent		parent company have an action plan for no-		adhere to their co the mill or paren one of these for i	ties a company omake sure they ommitments. If t company has no-deforestation, will put the mill nts and Starting
		Ť		Ť		Ľ	l	Ť		Ť		
Yes	No		No		No		No		No		No	No grievance log
Don't know	Don't kn	ow	Don't know	1	Yes		Yes		Don't know		Don't know	No grievance log
Don't know Don't kn		ow	Don't know		Don't know		Don't know		Don't know		Don't know	At least one griev
Don't know	Don't kn	ow	Don't know	1	Don't know		Don't know		Don't know		Don't know	No grievanc
Don't know	Don't kn	ow	Don't know	1	Don't know		Don't know		Don't know		Don't know	I don't k

Guidance

How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills Own plantations vs. 3rd party volumes

Proportion of FFB from directly managed vs. third party

N.B. this is important for the volume based allocation result

Mill 1 only sources from 3rd party and mill 2 only sources from own plantations

	F						
Does the mill process FFB from its own or parent company's concessions or other directly managed production?		If yes, how much is being processed from directly managed areas (%)?		Est. % from 3rd party supply (default is provincial/country average)	Est. vol from 3rd party		
		•	(,	•	▼	•	
	No				100%	1.00	
	Yes		100%		0%	0.00	
	Yes		50%		50%	0.50	
	Yes		50%		50%	0.50	
	Don't know				50%	0.50	
							_

How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills

- Progress with directly managed plantations
- Progress with Third Party (e.g. smallholders)

_		Progress on own es	tates				Progress on 3rd party supply					
If the mill sources from its own concessions, are they being monitored by a satellite monitoring system, with alerts being dealt with through a grievance mechanism?	Have the own estates been established for a long time and/or is expansion not possible?	Has an HCV and HCSA assessment been conducted for the mill's own concessions?	Have HCV and HCS areas been identified and are they being monitore	Has a peat or soil assessment been conducted for the mill's own concessions?	Are peat areas being managed and monitored and is the remediation plan being implemented needed)?	Is there is ongoing work with third party suppliers, such as independent smallholders, independent estates and FFB dealers to implement commitment related to no-deforestation	Is there is ongoing work with third party suppliers, such as independent smallholders, independent estates and FFB dealers to implement commitment related to no-peat?	Is there system in place which guarantees that suppliers outside concession are deforestation—	Is there system in place which guarantees that suppliers outside concession are free from planting on peat?	Provide details on the systems referred to in the columns AF - A		
NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know		
Yes	Yes	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
Don't know	Don't know	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes Don't know Don't know Don't kno		Don't know	Don't know	Don't know		
Don't know	Don't know	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know		
Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know	Don't know		
	7											
			Mill 2 h	as				- 0				
							No inte	ormation				
		/ 0	eforesta	tion	\		on wha	t mills are				
		m	onitoring	and								
		m	ill 3 and O MB ce	4 are	/		(on their ty supply				

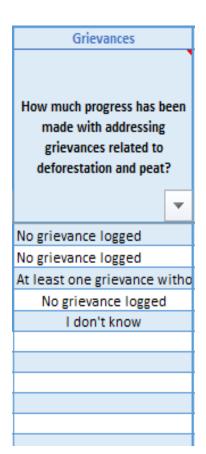
How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills Grievances

If there is a deforestation or peat grievance at mill level, this is indicated in the column shown to the right.

This column MUST be filled in as it affects the categories even if it is left blank

If there is a grievance at parent company level, the mill is brought back to lower allocation category.

Mill 3 has a deforestation grievance which has not been addressed



How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills Categorisation by mill

	Deforestation mill categorisat	ion			Deforestation FFB cat	ego	risation		Peat mill categorisation	
Mill name	Deforestation-free Allocated category for mill		Deforestation- free volume (%, estimated)		Deforestation-free Allocated category for FFB from directly managed		Deforestation-free Allocated category for FFB from third party supply		Peat Allocated category for mill	
v		•	•			•		*	▼	
Mill 1	Awareness		0	%	Awareness		Awareness		Awareness	
Mill 2	Delivering		100	%	Delivering		Delivering		Commitment and starting action	n
Mill 3	Known		0	%	Known		Known		Known	
Mill 4	Progressing		50%		Delivering		Known		Known	
Mill 5	Known		0%		Known		Known		Known	

- Mill 1 has attended an NDPE workshops and only sources from 3rd party supply
- Mill 2 has a policy in place and only sources from its own plantation which is monitored for deforestation by satellite
- Mill 3 and 4 are RSPO MB certified and source volumes from own concessions (certified) and from independent smallholders. Deforestation was identified in the supply base of mill 3 and it has so far not taken any steps to address this
- Mill 5 has provided no information and the refinery only knows its name and location

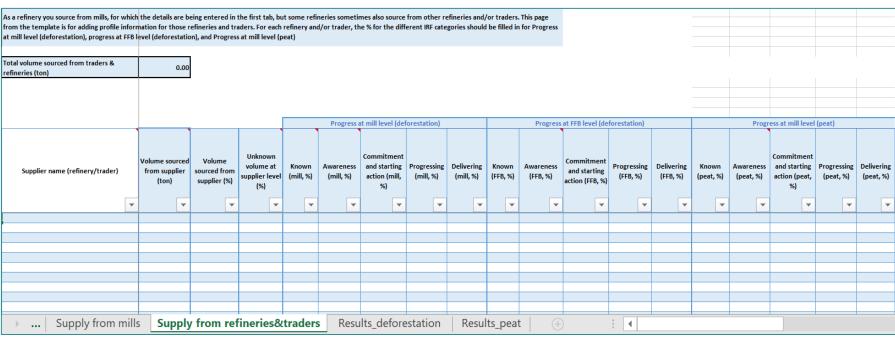
How to fill in IRF template: Direct purchase from mills



Currently self-

reported but

Peterson working



- Supply from refiners & traders tab applies to volumes being sourced from aggregators, i.e. not mills
- IRF profiles required from T1 suppliers



Enter information from **traders/refineries** that you buy from here (using their profiles)

Case study:

A trader buys from 3 suppliers

- Supplier 1: Supplied 30 metric tonnes; has provided full mill list and IRF profile
 - Known: 20%, Awareness: 20%; Commitment and taking action: 10%; Progressing: 30%; Delivering: 20%
- Supplier 2: Supplied 50 mt; has provided full mill list and IRF profile
 - Known: 30%, Awareness: 20%; Commitment and taking action: 30%; Progressing: 15%; Delivering: 5%
- Supplier 3: Supplied 20 mt; no sourcing information provided

Adding volume from supplier

Supplier name (refinery/trader)	Volume sourced from supplier (ton)	Volume sourced from supplier (%)	Unknown volume at supplier level (%)	
▼	_	-	-	
Supplier 1	30.00	30%	0%	
Supplier 2	50.00	50%	0%	
Supplier 3	20.00	20%	100%	

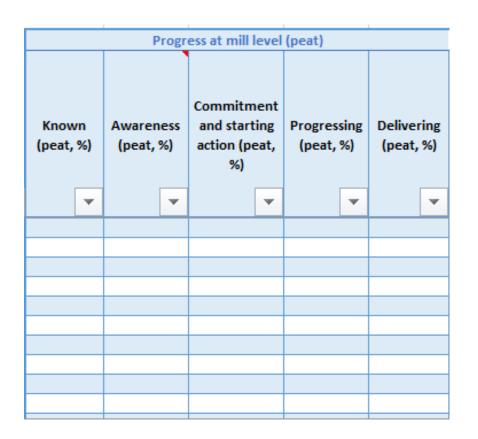
Percentage of volume supplier has marked as Unknown (not traceable to mill) in their profile NB. If supplier has not provided profile and mill list, all volumes go in Unknown

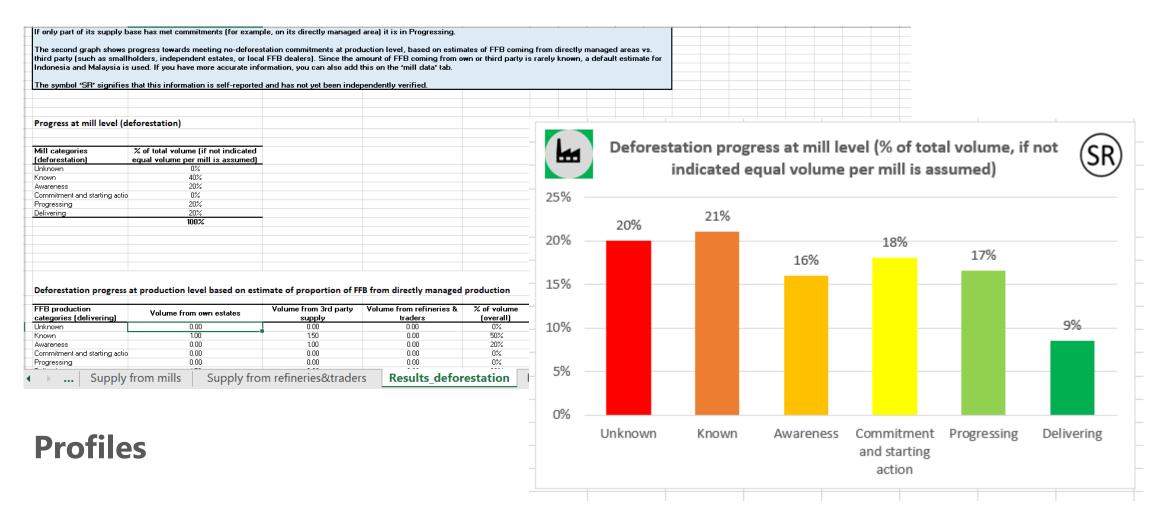
Adding supplier profile information on deforestation for supply coming from own plantations vs third party/smallholders

NB. If profiles do not make distinction just fill in Progress at mill level cells

Known (mill, %)		Awareness (mill, %)		Commitment and starting action (mill, %)	Progressing (mill, %)		Delivering (mill, %)		
	*		~	~		*		¥	
20%		20%		10%	30%	30%		20%	
30%		20%		30%	15%		5%		
307	-	0%		I control of the cont			0%		

Adding supplier profile information on peat





Commonly asked questions

Can refineries and other aggregators get all the mill-level information?

Broadly speaking, it will depend on the relation between aggregators and their supplying mills. Refineries other aggregators buying directly from mills may need to adjust their engagement strategies and information gathering tools to ensure they are capturing the required data to fill in the IRF template.

• How is the IRF linked to the RSPO?

RSPO is key component of the IRF and key way for mills to show they are partially or fully delivering on NDPE.

• How often will we be required to produce this report? What information do we share through the supply chain?

There isn't an agreed time for reporting, it will depend on how often your clients will request you to provide profiles. What you send through is the aggregated profiles as a screen shot or downloaded from the template (found in last two Results tab). You do not have to send the detailed information filled out in tab 1 and 2 of the template.

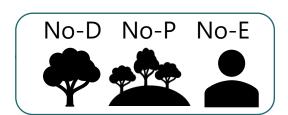
• Is the exact same template used by everyone filling out the IRF?

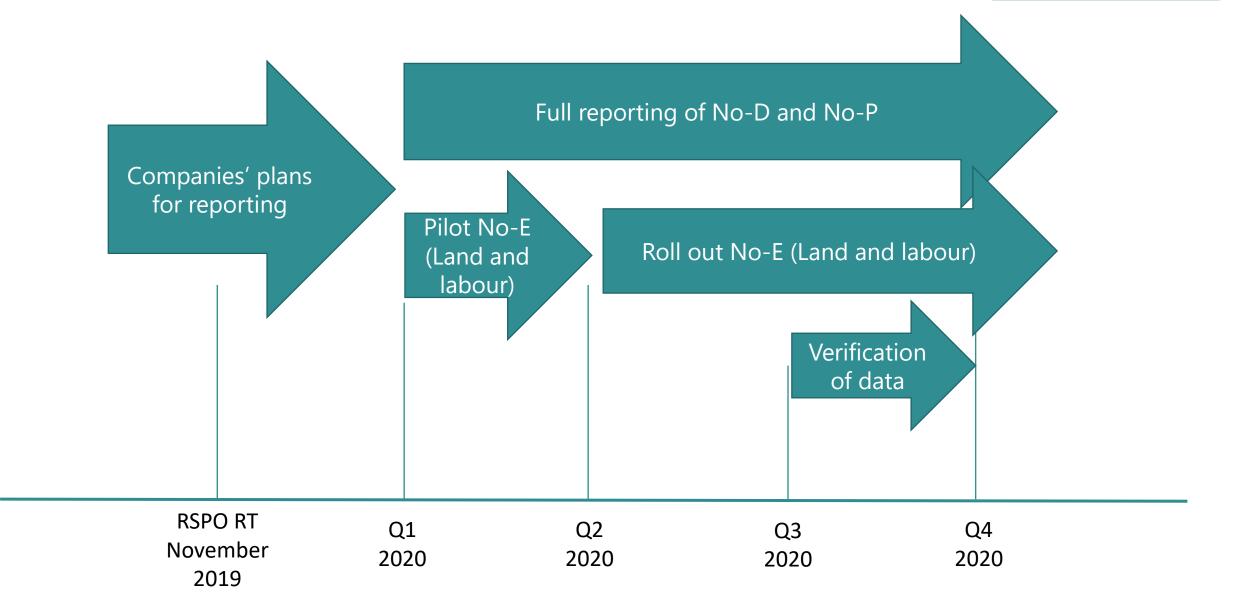
Yes, everyone uses the same template. Companies buying directly from mill will use tab 1 and companies buying from refiners, traders and other aggregators will use tab 2. Some companies may need to fill in both tabs if part of their supply is directly from mills and another part is from aggregators.

• The title in the second graph is "Deforestation progress at production level based on the estimate of proportion of FBB from directly managed production (%)". What is meant by directly manage production?

Directly managed production means from own concessions/plantations/estates.

Timeline of progress





Next steps

Manufacturers, traders and refineries buying from aggregators



Action: Start engaging with refiners and other aggregators to support initial IRF reporting and develop own profiles

Refineries and other aggregator buying directly from mills



Action: Start planning how your company will gather required information to fill out template

Mills



Action: Support refineries and other buyers requiring information on operations to support filling out of template

Companies using IRF so far:























NESTE



Mewah

















Information and support

All information, updates and templates for the IRF can be found here: https://ndpe-irf.net/

For support and questions on the IRF and filling in the template contact:

ndpe-irf@proforest.net

For more information and queries on joining the Palm Oil Collaboration Group contact:

POCollaborationGroup@proforest.net







Thank you for joining webinar