

Palm Oil Statement

Essential Trading support sustainable production of palm oil. Our suppliers are audited to ensure that principles and criteria for sustainable palm oil production are met, including the preservation of threatened species and habitats. The supplier of palm oil used in Essential products is an approved member of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO), and sources palm oil via a plantation management company that has a zero-burning policy.



"The RSPO recognises that palm oil is an important and versatile raw material for both food and non-food industries, which contribute to the economic development of the producing countries and the diets of millions of people around the world. However, we believe that production of palm oil and the creation of new plantations must be done in a sustainable manner based on economic, social and environmental

viability. Towards this end, the RSPO is developing a credible definition of sustainable palm oil production and will be promoting the implementation of best management practices that comply with this definition."

- Statement from our supplier, Ian McIntosh, MD of Aarhus United UK

Essential products containing sustainably sourced palm oil:

- Essential Flapjacks
- Essential Sosmix
- Essential Dark Chocolate Spread

For more info visit: www.sustainablepalmoil.org