



Forest responsible products

How TFT helps address deforestation in product supply chains?

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What do we mean by forest responsible tft^* product ?

Respecting the environment and improving people's lives at the extraction stage of the supply chain

✓Extraction

The raw materials composing the product must:

 Be derived from forests concessions, plantations and farms operating in compliance with local regulations.

- Protect high conservation value forest areas (HCVF)
- Protect peatlands
- Protect forest areas of 'high carbon' value

 Support the free prior and informed consent of indigenous and local communities

 Be in compliance with credible certification standard (FSC, RSPO, etc...)

✓ Traceability:

Systems guaranteeing the origin of the raw materials





New momentum towards forest responsible products

Delivering Forest Responsible products is becoming a **strategic imperative** for businesses



- ✓ **Compliance** with ever tightening regulations (FLEGT, Lacey Act for timber...)
- ✓ Reputation risk: strengthening bond with customers, staff and shareholders
- ✓ **Reliable supply**: securing access to sustainable raw material sources
- ✓ **Cost savings:** finding unexpected efficiency gains in the supply chain



Who we are? TFT's History



1999 ✓ 6 companies founded TFT to secure timber from legal and well-managed forests in their supply chain

2010 ✓ 85 members (industry, retailers)

- \checkmark 8,5 million hectares of land impacted by our projects
- ✓ A broad range of products



Who we are

TFT is a global non-profit organization that helps companies deliver responsible products with a focus on deforestation

 \checkmark 90 employees in 13 offices around the world

- $\checkmark {\rm We}$ work on the ground
- ✓Combination of environmental and social expertise

✓ Making connection between business and civil society

A business minded non-profit focusing on products





Our Model TFT SUPPLY CHAIN MODEL NGOS REGULATORS TECHNICAL COMMUNICATION SUPPORT SUPPORT Market EXTRACTION PRODUCTION DISTRIBUTION CONSUMPTION



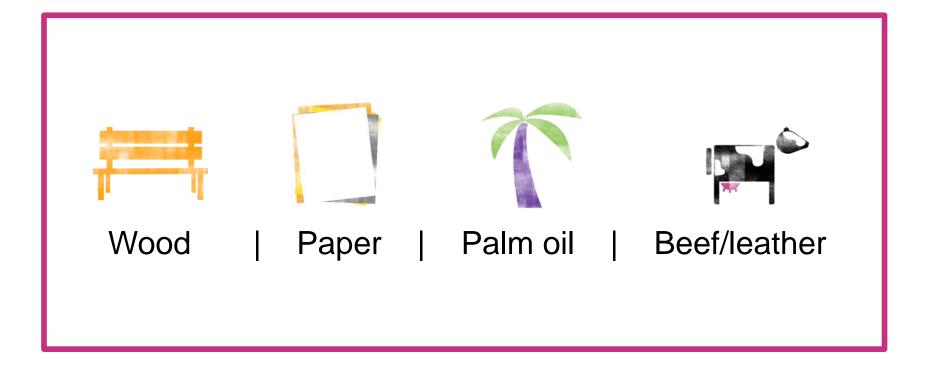
Our expertise

- 1. Map the supply chain
- 2. Set up traceability system all the way back to the raw material source
- **3. Provide technical assistance** on the ground to help tackle key sustainability risks with focus on the extraction stage and deforestation
- 4. Help achieve legal compliance and certification
- 5. **Communicate** the changing "product story" to key stakeholders





Product groups





Who we work with





Palm Oil Products

How does TFT help its members deliver responsible palm oil products ?





Palm Oil approach

- **1** Supply chain mapping
 - Cooperate with the member to identify the origins of its palm oil
 - Develop a **policy** (RSG) and an **action plan** to define future responsible purchase
 - Identify suppliers and plantations who support the implementation of the established policy and meet its price, volume, logistics and quality demands





Palm Oil approach

2 Setting up traceability systems

✓ Develop systems to have Plantation level visibility / transparency

✓ Natural segregation model





Palm Oil approach

3 Provide TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE on the ground

✓ Gap Assessments

✓ Action Plans

✓ Stakeholders consultation

 Training on technical, social and environmental issues







Palm oil approach

4 Achieve COMPLIANCE and CERTIFICATION

- ✓ RSPO (TFT is member of the social chamber)
- ✓ RSG (responsible sourcing guidelines)





Palm oil approach

5 COMMUNICATE the changing product story to stakeholders

✓ Engage with civil society

✓ Inform customers

✓ In the future possible use TFT's logo on product





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