

Please Say NO to Palm Oil

50% or more of products we buy contain **Palm Oil**.

300 soccer fields of **rainforest** are deforested **EVERY HOUR** for **Palm Oil** production and costs the lives of 50 **ORANGUTANS** each week & the suffering of many more.

Palm Oil is a major contributor to the climate crisis .

90% of habitat has been lost already due to Palm Oil

Rainforests are the LUNGS of our living planet

SUPPLY = DEMAND - if we keep buying products that contain Palm Oil and it's derivatives, manufacturers will keep on using it.

Some companies will argue that they are members of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil. While Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) member companies publicly claim that they are committed to sustainable palm oil, many are not meeting their RSPO commitments. Despite RSPO certification all of the same destructive practices are occurring and the RSPO is failing to enforce its own minimal principles & criteria. Until the RSPO functions as it should we advocate **BOYCOTTING** all products which contain palm oil.

CHECK THE INGREDIENTS OF PRODUCTS YOU BUY

In Your Groceries

Vegetable or Stearic Acid Vegetable Oil (if high in saturated fat) most Sodium Laureth Sulfates & most Sodium Lauryl, Sulfates(SLS)(can be from coconut as well but still a nasty chemical best to avoid), Sodium Dodecyl Sulfate (SDS or NaDS) Palm Kernel Oil, Palm Fruit Oil, Palmate or Palmitate, Emulsifier 422, 430-36, 470-8, 481-483, 493-5

In your Cosmetics

Elaeis Guineensis or Glyceryl Stearate, Stearic Acid & Hexadecylic or Palmitic Acid

Chemicals Which Contain Palm Oil

Steareth 2 & Steareth 20 or Sodium Lauryl Lactylate most Sodium Lauryl Sulfoacetates & Hydrated Palm, Glycerides Sodium Isostearoyl Lactylate (vegetable stearic acid) Sodium Palm Kernelate or Cetyl Palmitate or Octyl Palmitate (anything with Palmitate at the end) Palmolein & Palm Olein Cetearyl Alcohol or Emulsifier 422, 430-36, 470-8, 481-483, 493-5, Myristyl Myristate, Myristic Alcohol & Myristic Cetrimonium Chloride Acid, Cocoamidopropyl Betaine

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