

METRO

Coalition member since 2020 | As of September 2024, palm oil, soy, paper, pulp, and fibre-based packaging (PPP), and beef are material commodities for METRO.

The following table includes a list of each Key Performance Indicator (KPI) for each material commodity, along with the company's 2023 reporting record. The record includes the following responses:

- “Yes” indicates a company is reporting against a KPI and reporting quantitatively where indicated
- “Yes – narrative reporting” indicates a company is reporting qualitatively against a quantitative KPI
- “Not yet reporting” response indicates a company is not yet reporting on a KPI
- “N/A” indicates a KPI was not established in a given year

Companies have also provided information on their performance against appropriate KPIs, along with methodologies and targets. This information has been self-reported by companies and verified by Proforest.

Links are provided to information when a company is reporting (“Yes”) against a public information requirement, and when a company is reporting qualitatively (“Yes – narrative reporting”) against a quantitative KPI.

For a full methodology on the Forest Positive Coalition's reporting process, including a list of all KPIs and public information requirements, visit transparency.tcgforestpositive.com

PALM OIL	Publicly reported value and method provided in 2023	Will your company be able to publicly report on this KPI by June 30th? (Select option from the dropdown)	Publicly reported value or narrative for 2024 reporting on 2023 data	Methodology for value reported	Scope (materials/products in-scope of the reported value, and proportion of total commodity volume that scope represents)	Link to publicly available source	Target (Optional)
1.0 - Element 1: Own Supply Chain							
1.1 - Policy commitments to the forest positive (NDPE) goals	METRO's objective is to reduce deforestation in its value chain, contributing to the goal of zero net deforestation, by responsibly sourcing our palm oil products and products which contain palm oil, as this is one of the key commodities causing deforestation. With this policy METRO wants to contribute to further improving the conditions within its palm oil value chain by requiring certification of products and establishing strong partnerships to work actively on palm oil. METRO promotes sustainable palm oil and aims to provide more transparency within the own palm oil supply chain. In addition, METRO is aiming to actively manage forests and enhance reforestation by partnerships and support of dedicated projects. https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/metro-policy-palm-oil_en.pdf?rev=5a0cfc981cdc4f3db714d5a7aafe44fc&dl=1	Yes	As a member of both the CGF Forest Positive Coalition and the RSPO, METRO commits to the Coalition goals in line with the NDPE (No Deforestation, No Peat, and No Exploitation) criteria of the RSPO. METRO's objective is to reduce deforestation in its value chain, contributing to the goal of zero net deforestation, by responsibly sourcing our palm oil products and products which contain palm oil, as this is one of the key commodities causing deforestation. With this policy METRO wants to contribute to further improving the conditions within its palm oil value chain by requiring certification of products and establishing strong partnerships to work actively on palm oil. METRO promotes sustainable palm oil and aims to provide more transparency within the own palm oil supply chain. In addition, METRO is aiming to actively manage forests and enhance reforestation by partnerships and support of dedicated projects.			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/ethics-and-trust/sustainable-sourcing-and-products#for-palm-oil and https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf-cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-palm-oil_en.pdf?rev=4ccbb10a-433d-4b35-b741-f14bf61025f4&dl=1	
1.2 - Timebound action plan summary	The previous target of 100% sustainable palm oil by 2020 was achieved. Building on this, we now want to enhance the uptake of physical certified sustainable palm oil and increase the share of Segregated or Identity Preserved certified palm oil. We want to achieve that by end of Fiscal Year 2023, 100% of the palm oil is purchased with the system of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) on levels Segregated or Identity Preserved, according to market availability.	Yes	Until end of FY 2023 we targeted at enhancing the uptake of physical certified sustainable palm oil and increasing the share of Segregated or Identity Preserved certified palm oil. Hence, by end of FY 2023, 100% of METRO's own brand palm oil shall be purchased Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) certified on levels Segregated or Identity Preserved, according to market availability. The policy and corresponding target is currently under revision after the 2023 target year has passed and the implementation of the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains (EUDR) due Dec 30, 2024, is in process.				
1.4 - % of total commodity volume that is in scope of Element 1 reporting (new KPI)	NA - new KPI	No					

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1.5 - % volume that is forest positive (or NDPE). In 2024, report on 1.5a and 1.5b only: % volume that is deforestation and conversion free (in alignment with the CGF-FPC DCF Palm Oil methodology) and year on year change in % DCF volumes – updated guidance for reporting.	Did not report	Yes - Quantitative	<p>% Palm oil used in our METRO Own Brand products as RSPO certified = 72%</p> <p>METRO Germany = 100% sustainably certified OB products (RSPO) METRO Entities = 57% sustainably certified OB products (RSPO) The Alignment with CGF FPC DCF methodology honestly is assumed by complying with EUDR requirements on DCF ie no or negligible risk</p>	<p><i>Is your DCF methodology aligned with the CGF-FPC DCF methodology? - Please highlight the relevant option: Fully aligned / Partially aligned / Not yet aligned. If selected 'partially or not yet aligned', please explain next steps for full alignment</i></p> <p><i>Next steps= complementary control system to be put in place for non-certified volumes in the mass balance mix.</i></p>		https://responsibility.metroag.de/commitments/kpis-and-targets/organic-and-responsible-products#certified-palm-oil	
1.9 - % physically certified (MB/SG)	<p>% Palm oil used in our METRO Own Brand products as RSPO certified = 79%</p> <p>METRO Germany = 100% sustainably certified OB products (RSPO) METRO Entities = 51%</p> <p>Share of sustainably certified palm products: IP = 0% SG = 46% MB = 32% Credits = 1%</p> <p>Sustainably certified Palm Oil = RSPO IP, SG, MB, Credits. The reporting is in line with the official and public reporting within the ACOP (Annual Communication of Progress) process being a member of the RSPO.</p> <p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/commitments/kpis-and-targets/organic-and-responsible-products#certified-palm-oil</p>	Yes - Quantitative	<p>% Palm oil used in our METRO Own Brand products as RSPO certified = 72%</p> <p>METRO Germany = 100% sustainably certified OB products (RSPO) METRO Entities = 57% sustainably certified OB products (RSPO)</p> <p>Share of sustainably certified palm products: IP = 0% SG = 48% MB = 23% Credits = 1%</p> <p>Sustainably certified Palm Oil = RSPO IP, SG, MB, Credits. The reporting is in line with the official and public reporting within the ACOP (Annual Communication of Progress) process being a member of the RSPO</p>			https://responsibility.metroag.de/commitments/kpis-and-targets/organic-and-responsible-products#certified-palm-oil	

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2.0 - Element 2: Suppliers & Traders							
2.1 - Direct supplier list. For retailers, this is the own brand supplier list	Did not report	No					
2.4 - List of identified major upstream suppliers/traders prioritized	Did not report	No					
2.2 - % Direct suppliers engaged and informed of 'Forest Positive Supplier' Commitment and 'Forest Positive Approach'	As part of the implementation of the METRO Palm Oil Procurement Policy, we are in ongoing discussions with our suppliers to work together on sustainable palm oil in our supply chains. By FY 21/22, 33% of our own brand suppliers globally met these requirements. Aware of the different current market challenges and maturities (e.g. product categories in which palm oil or its derivatives is an ingredient with in a low percentage in the recipe, market demand and availability in some geographies, such as Eastern Europe or Pakistan) which impact our share, our priority is to engage with those who are not supplying certified products and create awareness on sustainable palm oil. For example, we have engaged with our suppliers in Pakistan to create awareness on sustainable palm oil, as well as the major suppliers of detergents.	Yes - Quantitative	As part of the implementation of the METRO Palm Oil Procurement Policy, and the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains (EUDR) as well as our general deforestation and conversion free (DCF) supply chains approach, we are in ongoing bilateral discussions with our suppliers to work towards DCF supply chains and generally inform about this on our website. All METRO own brand suppliers are made aware of METRO's requirements and approach to DCF supply chains; by FY 22/23, 57% of our own brand products globally were RSPO certified. Aware of the different market challenges and maturities (e.g. product categories in which palm oil or its derivatives is an ingredient with in a low percentage in the recipe, market demand and availability in some geographies, such as Eastern Europe or Pakistan) which impact our share, our priority is to engage with those who are not supplying certified products and create awareness on sustainable palm oil. For example, we have engaged with our suppliers in Pakistan to create awareness on sustainable palm oil, as well as the major suppliers of detergents.			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/climate-protection#deforestation-free-supply-chains	
2.3 - Performance of direct suppliers against the elements of the Forest Positive Approach and changes over time including progress on delivery across entire palm oil business	Did not report	No					
2.5 - Upstream suppliers/traders prioritised and engaged (directly or via a collective approach) and informed of Forest Positive Approach	Narrative - METRO has been a member of the Palm Oil Transparency Coalition POTC since 2018. Together with other members, manufacturing and retail companies, the coalition engages annually with the most important palm oil importers on zero deforestation and exploitation-free palm oil supply chains.	Yes - Narrative	METRO has been a member of the Palm Oil Transparency Coalition POTC since 2018. Together with other members, manufacturing and retail companies, the coalition engages annually with the most important palm oil importers on zero deforestation and exploitation-free palm oil supply chains.				
2.6 - Performance of upstream suppliers/traders against the elements of the Forest Positive Approach and changes over time including progress on delivery across entire palm oil business	Narrative - Through POTC: This includes criteria such as traceable palm products, human rights (eg. FPIC criteria), sustainable forest criteria (eg. HCS). The coalition aims to increase transparency and encourage progress beyond certification.	Yes - Narrative	Through POTC: Performance is measured against criteria such as traceable palm products, human rights (eg. FPIC criteria), sustainable forest criteria (eg. HCS). The coalition aims to increase transparency and encourage progress beyond certification.				

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3.0 - Element 3: Monitoring & Reporting							
3.8 - Provide a short narrative summary of progress made towards reporting on the Element 3 in 2025 (for own brand products)	Did not report	No					
4.0 - Element 4: Landscape engagement							
4.1 - Priority production landscapes identified	METRO has engaged in a landscape initiative with Rainforest Alliance in West Kalimantan, Indonesia https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-palm-oil_en.pdf?rev=5ac1f4388b4449c8a56daf445991e9c3&d=1	Yes	Since 2021 METRO has engaged financially with other CGF FPC partners in a landscape initiative partnered with Rainforest Alliance in West Kalimantan, Indonesia.			https://www.rainforest-alliance.org/in-the-field/stopping-deforestation-and-advancing-sustainability-in-west-kalimantan-project-profile/ and https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/climate-protection#deforestation-free-supply-chains and https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-palm-oil_en.pdf?rev=4ccb10a-433d-4b35-b741-f14bf61025f4&d=1	
4.2 - Methodology used to identify priority production landscapes to transform to forest positive	For METRO as a wholesale specialist, the task to identify the exact production geographies for palm oil in our products is very complex. Hence, with the initiative we identified an important link to our own brands. Next to halting deforestation and overall environmental KPIs, one important selection criteria to support the Rainforest Alliance project was to improve the livelihood of smallholders in the area.	Yes	For METRO as a wholesale specialist, the task to identify the exact production geographies for palm oil in our products is very complex. Hence, with the initiative we identified an important link to our own brands. Next to halting deforestation and overall environmental KPIs, one important selection criteria to support the Rainforest Alliance project was to improve the livelihood of smallholders in the area.				
4.3 - # of landscape initiatives currently engaged in	1 initiative	Yes - Quantitative	1 initiative				

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<p>4.4 - For each landscape initiative your company is currently engaged in, information on:</p> <p>a. Name, location, timeline and other partners involved</p> <p>b. Report on type of engagement (e.g disbursed financial, in-kind, capacity, preferential sourcing)</p> <p>c. Specific actions or projects that are supported</p> <p>d. How the actions intend to address systemic issues and contribute to delivering forest positive goals (at least one of conservation, restoration, positive inclusion of farmers and communities, multi stakeholder platforms or partnerships)</p> <p>e. Linkages to shared landscape-level goals developed through multi-stakeholder process</p>	<p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-palm-oil_en.pdf?rev=5ac1f4388b4449c8a56daf445991e9c3&d=1</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Since 2021 METRO has engaged financially with other CGF FPC partners in a landscape initiative partnered with Rainforest Alliance in West Kalimantan, Indonesia. The goals of the initiative are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.A functional governance structure, bringing together all land users (producers, companies, communities, local governments, and NGOs) for joint decision-making and collective action on land use to conserve biodiversity and delineate go and no-go areas. 2.Strengthened smallholder livelihoods, linking them to global markets through supply chain mapping, and strengthening their capacities in enterprise and sustainable agricultural practices, in return for their agreement not to clear more land. 3.Increased sustainability awareness of the mills operating in the landscape through engagement with the Accountability Framework and linking them to global markets through the Palm Industry Platform. 4.Achievement of national and district governments' commitments to market-driven goals for smallholders and private companies in the landscape, through working collaboratively with stakeholders within the framework of LTKL, to promote a green development pathway. 				

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1.0 - Element 1: Own Supply Chain							
1.1 - Policy commitments to the forest positive goals	<p>METRO's objective is to eliminate deforestation from its (soy) value chain, contributing to the goal of zero deforestation, by responsibly sourcing our soy products and products which contain soy or soy derivatives, since this is one of the key commodities causing deforestation. With this policy METRO wants to contribute to further improving the conditions within its soy value chain by requiring certification of products and establishing strong partnerships to work actively on soy topics. METRO promotes sustainable soy and aims to provide more transparency.</p> <p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/metro-policy-soy-procurement_en.pdf?rev=6061946a476e4ba28fa4615acd8092a6&dl=1</p>	Yes	<p>Through our Sustainable Soy Procurement Policy METRO aims to improve its soy related assortment by continuously optimising the environmental and social aspects in our supply chains, both embedded soy (in animal feed) and soy as an ingredient.</p> <p>We are committed to achieve deforestation- and conversion-free (DCF) soy in our supply chains, therefore we have been engaging with our suppliers (both branded and own brand / private label) to work together. We work on understanding our own supply base including origins, footprint, risk of deforestation or conversion and other legality aspects of our sources. The implementation of the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains (EUDR) as well as working towards our to be updated Science Based Target (SBTi – product carbon footprint) help us to achieve deeper transparency and understanding on the details and respective legality, deforestation or conversion risks in our soy supply chains. By complying with the EUDR we will not market any products within the EU market beyond "negligible" risk of deforestation or conversion. Together with our suppliers we work on mitigating any potential deforestation or conversion risks.</p> <p>Furthermore, to complement our efforts, we are committed to support initiatives delivering forest positive development at landscape level.</p> <p>We align our actions with the FPC goals.</p>			<p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/ethics-and-trust/sustainable-sourcing-and-products#for-soy and https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-soy_en.pdf?rev=43b74b79-b86d-4a02-b36a-150bb7043fae&dl=1</p>	

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1.2 - Timebound action plan summary	<p>By end of Fiscal Year 2025, 100% of the soy Tier 1 (direct soy) and Tier 2 (soy used as animal feed) in our Own Brand (Common and Local Sourcing), no-name brand and A-Brand supply chain is sourced from areas which are verified as zero deforestation, according to market availability. We will require our A-Brand product suppliers (food and non-food) to act in the same spirit of this policy and provide data and proof of sustainable soy. We will also work in a collaborative approach on soy projects together with our suppliers as well as other stakeholders in the supply chain. The "Soy Action Plan" will provide more detail on this.</p> <p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/metro-policy-soy-procurement_en.pdf?rev=6061946a476e4ba28fa4615acd8092a6&dl=1</p>	Yes	By end of FY 2025, there should be no more deforestation or conversion-related soy in our supply chains, for branded and own brand products, for products with soy as an ingredient as well as for soy used as animal feed for meat or aquaculture fish and seafood. The policy and its target is currently under revision as the implementation of the EUDR due Dec 30, 2024, is in process.			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/ethics-and-trust/sustainable-sourcing-and-products#for-soy	
1.3 - Soy footprint across all product categories	not reported	No					
1.4 - Methodology for soy footprint calculation	not reported	No					
1.5 - % of total commodity volume that is in scope of Element 1 reporting (new KPI)	n/a- new KPI	No					

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1.6 - % Traceable to at-risk origin (country or subnational) without further assurance of DCF status	<p>We are working within the CGF FPC, individually and with our supply chain partners, to obtain knowledge of the origin of the soy (direct and indirect in animal feed) that is in our supply chains. A Quality Assurance (QA) Process and system has been established to verify and collect such information from our direct suppliers. We will also focus on the percentage of soy in our supply chains from high-risk origins or unknown origins, in order to be able to act and report on our progress on ensuring soy is Deforestation and Conversion Free (DCF) for high-risk origins</p> <p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-soy_en.pdf?rev=dc4dfa02292d4801be3b1fa3f4f5a44b&d=1</p>	Yes - Narrative	We are working within the CGF FPC, individually and with our supply chain partners, to obtain knowledge of the origin of the soy (direct and indirect in animal feed) that is in our supply chains. By complying with the EUDR, we will know the origins and respective deforestation or conversion risks of all METRO EU marketed soy products by end of 2024.				
1.7 - % Unknown origins	<p>A Quality Assurance (QA) Process and system has been established to verify and collect such information from our direct suppliers. This process is currently ongoing. When we have this knowledge, we will report on the percentage of soy in our supply chain with known origin, as well as report on key elements of the supply chain including soy footprint and known upstream actors.</p>	Yes - Narrative	We are working within the CGF FPC, individually and with our supply chain partners, to obtain knowledge of the origin of the soy (direct and indirect in animal feed) that is in our supply chains. By complying with the EUDR, we will know the origins and respective deforestation or conversion risks of all METRO EU marketed soy products by end of 2024.				

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<p>1.8 - % DCF supply and break-down into:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • % DCF negligible risk origin • % DCF certified • % DCF monitored (new KPI) 	<p>We will also focus on the percentage of soy in our supply chains from high-risk origins or unknown origins, in order to be able to act and report on our progress on ensuring soy is Deforestation and Conversion Free (DCF) for high-risk origins.</p>	<p>Yes - Narrative</p>	<p>93% of METRO Soy Tier 1 own brand products are monitored and RTRS certified; 52% of METROs Soy Tier 2 own brand products are monitored and RTRS certified. By complying with the EUDR, we will know the origins and respective deforestation or conversion risks of all METRO EU marketed soy products by end of 2024. Respectively, we will report on known origins and its respective classifications as well as on percentage of DCF beef products and supplier communication and performance regarding DCF soy products. The Alignment with CGF FPC DCF methodology honestly is assumed by complying with EUDR requirements on DCF ie no or negligible risk</p>	<p><i>Is your DCF methodology aligned with the CGF-FPC DCF methodology? - Please highlight the relevant option: Fully aligned / Partially aligned / Not yet aligned.</i> <i>If selected 'partially or not yet aligned', please explain next steps for full alignment</i> <i>Next steps: provide further methodological detail and work to continue to improve traceability</i></p>			
<p>1.9 - Progressing towards DCF soy: a) Year on year change in DCF volume % b) Proportion (%) of soybean equivalent volume in scope that is progressing towards DCF</p>	<p>We will also focus on the percentage of soy in our supply chains from high-risk origins or unknown origins, in order to be able to act and report on our progress on ensuring soy is Deforestation and Conversion Free (DCF) for high-risk origins.</p>	<p>No</p>					
2.0 - Element 2: Suppliers & Traders							
2.1 - Direct supplier list	not reported	No					
2.4 - List of identified major upstream suppliers		No					

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2.5 - Summary of the Forest Positive Approach for suppliers and traders	We are currently working internally on the process to communicate accordingly to our suppliers (starting with Tier 1, own brand suppliers) the coalition asks, along with our METRO Soy Procurement Policy. We will follow the 5 key elements of the Forest Positive Coalition Ask (as detailed in the public Soy Roadmap), which will serve as the further basis for our engagement and monitoring of progress of suppliers. Listing the 5 key elements of the Forest Positive Coalition Asks	Yes	As part of the implementation of METRO's Sustainable Soy Procurement Policy and the EUDR as well as our general DCF approach, we are in ongoing bilateral discussions with our suppliers to work towards DCF supply chains and generally inform about this on our website.			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/climate-protection#deforestation-free-supply-chains	
2.2 - % of T1 suppliers to whom the Forest Positive Approach and its implementation have been communicated	As part of the implementation of METRO Soy Procurement Policy, we are in ongoing discussions with our suppliers to work together on sustainable soy in our supply chains focusing on own brand. 80% of our suppliers are compliant with our Soy Tier 1 policy.	Yes - Narrative	As part of the implementation of METRO's Sustainable Soy Procurement Policy and the EUDR as well as our general DCF approach, we are in ongoing bilateral discussions with our suppliers to work towards DCF supply chains and generally inform about this on our website. All METRO own brand suppliers are made aware of METRO's requirements and approach to DCF supply chains; by FY 22/23, 93% of our own brand products globally were RTRS certified.			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/climate-protection#deforestation-free-supply-chains	
2.3 - Performance of Tier 1 suppliers against the elements of the Forest Positive Approach including progress on delivery across entire soy business	not reported	No					

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2.6 - Upstream suppliers/traders sourcing from at-risk origins that have been engaged (directly or via collective approach) and are being evaluated	As member of the CGF FPC, we also commit to engage our upstream suppliers to share our ambition of Deforestation and Conversion Free (DCF) soy. We are sharing our ambition of Deforestation and Conversion Free (DCF) with our top indirect suppliers and own brand suppliers. We are also organising meetings with soy traders to share our ambition of Deforestation and Conversion Free (DCF) across the wider supply chain, for instance with the Soft Commodities Forum, and individual traders and suppliers. Our METRO France operation became a signatory of the soy manifesto, along with seven other major (French) retailers, to mobilise French actors to fight against imported soy linked to deforestation. Together with them, METRO has committed to ensuring that imported soy linked to deforestation or conversion in the Cerrado region does not find its way into the French supply chain, by implementing specifications across our own-brand products. METRO is also member of the STC (Soy Transparency Coalition), where we assess soy traders together with facilitator 3Keel.	Yes - Narrative	As member of the CGF FPC, we also commit to engage our upstream suppliers to share our ambition of DCF soy. We are sharing our ambition of DCF supply chains with our top indirect suppliers and own brand suppliers. We are also organising meetings with soy traders to share our ambition of DCF supply chains across the wider supply chain, for instance with the Soft Commodities Forum, and individual traders and suppliers. Our METRO France operation became a signatory of the soy manifesto, along with seven other major (French) retailers, to mobilise French actors to fight against imported soy linked to deforestation. Together with them, METRO has committed to ensuring that imported soy linked to deforestation or conversion in the Cerrado region does not find its way into the French supply chain, by implementing specifications across our own-brand products. METRO is also member of the STC (Soy Transparency Coalition), where we assess soy traders together with facilitator 3Keel.				

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2.7 - Performance of upstream suppliers/traders against the elements of the Forest Positive Approach including progress on delivery across entire soy business	not reported	No					
4.0 - Element 4: Landscape engagement							
4.1 - Priority production landscapes identified	See beef initiative	Yes	Since 2021 METRO has engaged financially with other CGF FPC partners in a landscape initiative partnered with Conservation International (do Brazil), in a project focused on low-carbon regenerative agricultural production systems in the Cerrado biome, integrating soy and beef.			https://www.theconsumergoodsforum.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/FACTSHEET_Forest-Positive-Coalition-digital_version.pdf and https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/climate-protection#deforestation-free-supply-chains and	
4.2 - Methodology used to identify priority production landscapes to transform to forest positive		Yes	Next to halting deforestation and overall environmental KPIs, one important selection criteria to support the Conservation International project was to improve the livelihood of farmers and securing their land rights. The project is also connected to our ambition to stop deforestation in the Cerrado, as Cerrado Manifesto SoS signatory				
4.3 - # of landscape initiatives currently engaged in		Yes - Quantitative	1 initiative				

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<p>4.4 - For each landscape initiative your company is currently engaged in, information on:</p> <p>a. Name, location, timeline and other partners involved</p> <p>b. Report on type of engagement (e.g disbursed financial, in-kind, capacity, preferential sourcing)</p> <p>c. Specific actions or projects that are supported</p> <p>d. How the actions intend to address systemic issues and contribute to delivering forest positive goals (at least one of conservation, restoration, positive inclusion of farmers and communities, multi-stakeholder platforms or partnerships)</p> <p>e. Linkages to shared landscape-level goals developed through multi-stakeholder process</p>		Yes	<p>Since 2021 METRO has engaged financially with other CGF FPC partners in a landscape initiative partnered with Conservation International (do Brazil), in a project focused on low-carbon regenerative agricultural production systems in the Cerrado biome. This project aims to promote a low-carbon production model through two components: 1. Technical production: Working together with local farmers and traders in the Cerrado area, Conservation International has set up regenerative agriculture production, to capture carbon in the soil while improving soil health, crop yields, water resilience, and avoiding deforestation to use only pre-deforested areas; the project also improves the social standards and livelihoods of the farmers. Soy and beef are combined since the way of working also includes rotating use of the farmland (soy crops one year, beef grazing next). 2. Credit: raising awareness of farmers and producers of existing credit mechanisms and how to access to credit line of local financial institutions.</p>				

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1.0 - Element 1: Own Supply Chain							
1.1 - PPP Sourcing Policy including commitment to the forest positive goals	<p>METRO's aim is to reduce deforestation in its value chain, contributing to the goal of zero deforestation by responsibly sourcing its timber and paper products as well as products that contain wood or wood fibre, as this is one of the key commodities causing deforestation. With this policy, METRO wants to contribute to further improving the conditions within its paper and wood value chain by requiring certification of products and establishing strong partnerships with respective business partners. METRO promotes sustainable paper and wood products and aims to provide more transparency within its own paper and wood supply chain. In addition, METRO aims to contribute to sustainable forest management and enhance reforestation by engaging in partnerships and supporting dedicated projects. Details on these measures will be included in the METRO Paper and Wood Action Plan.</p> <p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/metro-policy-paper-wood_en.pdf?rev=a999caae6e7c4f6781ffc88d11b1ba29&dl=1</p>	Yes	<p>Re. Packaging: as a matter of principle, we support the further utilisation of resources and their recovery through recycling. Our focus is on packaging and the use of conventional plastic. To reduce our environmental footprint, we strongly support closed-loop recycling management and are committed to reduce the environmental impact of our own brand packaging products during the whole product life cycle. We work to develop innovative solutions to improve resource efficiency, for instance by reducing packaging material, increasing the proportion of recycled material used in our packaging, and designing our packaging to improve stacking on pallets while at the same time reducing the costs for our customers.</p> <p>We are committed to achieve deforestation and conversion free (DCF) supply chains, therefore we have been engaging with our suppliers to work together.</p> <p>Re. Paper & Wood Products as such: METRO's aim is to reduce deforestation in its value chain, contributing to the goal of zero deforestation by responsibly sourcing its timber and paper products as well as products that contain wood or wood fibre, as this is one of the key commodities causing deforestation. With this policy, METRO wants to contribute to further improving the conditions within its paper and wood value chain by requiring certification of products and establishing strong partnerships with respective business partners. METRO promotes sustainable paper and wood products and aims to provide more transparency within its own paper and wood supply chain. In addition, METRO aims to contribute to sustainable forest management and enhance reforestation by engaging in partnerships and supporting dedicated projects. Details on these measures will be included in the METRO Paper and Wood Action Plan.</p>			<p>https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/share/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/metro-policy-own-brands-packaging_en.pdf?rev=06e04e3d-183f-4f76-8f11-699bdab4586f&dl=1 and https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/packaging-plastic and https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/ethics-and-trust/sustainable-sourcing-and-products#for-paper-and-wood and https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/share/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-paper-wood_en.pdf?rev=df0e50a4-f7fd-4d9c-9a34-a9c7847d016f&dl=1</p>	

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1.2 - Timebound action plan summary	See action plan. Targets: METRO aims to ensure that, by 2023, 100% of its own brand (OB) products made from wood or wood fibre, in accordance with the scope originate from legal and responsibly managed forests. METRO aims to ensure that by 2023, 100% of our own brand (OB) primary and secondary packaging originates from responsibly managed forests. Specifically, we request 100% FSC/PEFC certified material or an allowance of 70% recycled content.	Yes	<p>Re. Packaging: to drive us further towards sustainability, we've refined our packaging commitments spanning from FY 2021/22 to FY 2029/30. We've collaborated closely with suppliers, ensuring FSC or PEFC certifications are at the core of our initiatives. We aim by 30 September 2030:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1.Increase Recycled Content We target to achieve 30% recycled plastic content in our own brand packaging. 2.Packaging Circularity We target to have 100% of our own brand packaging designed to be recyclable, reusable, or home compostable. 3.Paper, Paperboard & Wood Commitment We target to use Forest Stewardship Council® (FSC®) / Programme for the Endorsement of Forest Certification Schemes (PEFC) certified materials or a minimum of 70% recycled content for all paper, paperboard, cardboard, and wood used in our own brand packaging in primary and secondary packaging level. <p>Re. P&W Products: METRO aims to ensure that, by 2023, 100% of its own brand (OB) products made from wood or wood fibre, in accordance with the scope originate from legal and responsibly managed forests.</p>			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/packaging-plastic and https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/ethics-and-trust/sustainable-sourcing-and-products#for-paper-and-wood	
1.3 - % of total commodity volume that is in scope of Element 1 reporting (New KPI)	NA -new KPI	No					
1.4 - % recycled, % virgin fibre	Narrative - We consider sustainable products the ones made from recycled wood or wood fibre and ask for suppliers to certify them according to ISO 14024:2018 or an equivalent eco-label. However, we do not have KPIs in this category (i.e. % of recycled wood fibre products) – we keep records for monitoring and further information purposes. A similar approach is followed for packaging made from recycled material with an allowance of 70% recycled content.	Yes - Narrative	<p>Re. primary and secondary packaging, 47% is certified (FSC/PEFC) or recycled (recycled means at least 70% recycling quota)</p> <p>Re. P&W products: We consider sustainable products the ones made from recycled wood or wood fibre and ask for suppliers to certify them according to ISO 14024:2018 or an equivalent eco-label. However, we do not have KPIs in this category (i.e. % of recycled wood fibre products)</p>				

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1.5 - % of virgin supply certified, and % per scheme and chain of custody model	For OB products, we achieved a certification rate of 60% in FY 2021/22, of which 77% was FSC certified and 17% was PEFC certified and 6% certified with other certification schemes– target is 100% in 2023. 66% of our own brand suppliers are already compliant with our policy, as part of the implementation of the METRO Procurement Policy, we are in ongoing discussions with our suppliers, with the priority to engage with those that are not supplying certified products and establishing action plans For OB product packaging, we achieved an overall achievement of 26.7% (primary packaging) and 48.2% (secondary packaging) in FY2021/22. You can access the full breakdown per certification scheme and notes of the OB product packaging figures here. https://reports.metroag.de/cr-kpi-report/2022-2023/?modal=plastic-reduction	Yes - Quantitative	Re. own brand packaging: 53.3% (primary packaging) and 69.2% (secondary packaging) certified or recycled (minimum of 70% recycled content) in FY2022/23. For P&W products, we achieved a certification rate of 69% in FY 2022/23, of which 77% was FSC certified and 17% was PEFC certified and 6% certified with other certification schemes. 66% of our own brand suppliers are already compliant with our policy, as part of the implementation of the METRO Procurement Policy, we are in ongoing discussions with our suppliers, with the priority to engage with those that are not supplying certified products and establishing action plans.			https://reports.metroag.de/cr-kpi-report/2022-2023/?modal=plastic-reduction and file:///C:/Users/n-a.radowitz/Downloads/2022-23-packaging-and-plastic-report-en.pdf and https://responsibility.metroag.de/commitments/kpis-and-targets/organic-and-responsible-products/#sustainable-forestry	
1.6 - % of virgin supply traceable to origin (at least to country of harvest)	Did not report	No					
1.7 - % of supply from high priority sources	Narrative - We are asking our business partners to have in place a proper system to track and report the origin of the timber contained in final products made from virgin fibre to verify that the timber has been harvested legally. The following traceability information is required for each wooden component of the product: • Type of wood • Scientific name of the tree species • Country of origin of the wood	Yes - Narrative	We are asking our business partners to have in place a proper system to track and report the origin of the timber contained in final products made from virgin fiber to verify that the timber has been harvested legally and is DCF. This is also to comply with the EU Timber Regulation. The following traceability information is therefore required for each wooden component of the product: •Type of wood •Scientific name of the tree species •Country of origin of the wood The implementation of the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains (EUDR) will enhance the transparency into the PPP supply chains and enable us to handle DCF risky sources with particular care.				

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<p>1.8 - a) % Deforestation and Conversion free (DCF) volumes and breakdown into:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • % DCF certified (disaggregated by certification scheme) • % DCF monitored (field/remote) <p>b) % additional volumes from low-risk origins (volumes not already reported through the implementation options in metric a).</p> <p>c) % year on year change in DCF volume including narrative explanation (new KPI)</p>	NA - new KPI	Yes - Quantitative	<p>We don't have data in % of volumes but certified products:</p> <p>Re. own brand packaging: All suppliers are monitored and 53.3% (primary packaging) and 69.2% (secondary packaging) of own brand products' packaging is certified or recycled (minimum of 70% recycled content) in FY2022/23.</p> <p>For P&W All suppliers are monitored. Re. the own brand P&W products, we achieved a certification rate of own brand products of 69% in FY 2022/23, of which 77% was FSC certified and 17% was PEFC certified and 6% certified with other certification schemes.</p> <p>The Alignment with CGF FPC DCF methodology honestly is assumed by complying with EUDR requirements on DCF ie no or negligible risk</p>	<p><i>Is your DCF methodology aligned with the CGF-FPC DCF methodology? - Please highlight the relevant option: Fully aligned / Partially aligned / Not yet aligned. If selected 'partially or not yet aligned', please explain next steps for full alignment</i></p> <p><i>Next steps- continue to improve traceability and increase uptake of certification</i></p>			
1.9 - % volumes under engagement to progress towards DCF (adjusted KPI)	Our risk management system helps us avoid sourcing from high-risk areas – for example in 2020, we stopped sourcing from South America as it was identified as a high-risk area. Once a region is defined as 'risk' area, we either exclude it from our sourcing process or (in absence of alternatives) we enhance our existing compliance and control mechanisms to ensure products are traceable and certified in line with our policy requirements. Hence, we do not identify risk areas as such (and therefore % of our sourcing that come from risk areas) but work on an avoidance principle unless no alternative is available. The example of Vietnam is such an example of a risk area where – in lack of an alternative- our monitoring, compliance and supplier engagement efforts have intensified over the past years	No					
2.0 - Element 2: Suppliers & Traders							
2.1 - Direct supplier list	Did not report	No					

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2.2 - Proportion of suppliers informed about the Forest Positive Suppliers approach	Narrative - In line with our OB Paper & Wood and Single Use Plastic Policy (includes PPP commitments) scope(s), products / packaging made from virgin wood or wood fibre must be certified in accordance with one of the following third-party forest certification schemes (FSC/PEFC). As part of the implementation of the METRO Procurement Policy, we are in ongoing discussions with our suppliers, with the priority to engage with those that are not supplying certified products and establishing action plans.	Yes - Narrative	As part of the implementation of METRO's Sustainable Packaging Policy and P&W Procurement Policy as well as the EUDR and our general DCF approach, we are in ongoing bilateral discussions with our suppliers to work towards DCF supply chains and generally inform about this on our website. All METRO own brand suppliers are made aware of METRO's requirements and approach to DCF supply chains.				
2.3 - Number or proportion of suppliers identified as priority for engagement, and % engaged	Narrative - As part of the implementation of the METRO Procurement Policy, we are in ongoing discussions with our suppliers, with the priority to engage with those that are not supplying certified products and establishing action plans	Yes - Narrative	As part of the implementation of the METRO Procurement Policies, we are in ongoing discussions with our suppliers, with the priority to engage with those that are not supplying certified products or which under EUTR and upcoming EUDR are considered risky with regards to traceability of their raw materials.				
2.4 - Performance of engaged suppliers and changes over time including progress on delivery across entire business	66% of our own brand suppliers are already compliant with our policy	Yes - Quantitative	66% of our own brand suppliers are already compliant with our policy	see policy			
4.0 - Element 4: Landscape engagement							
4.1 - Priority production landscapes identified	Landscape engagement for other commodity	No					
4.2 - Methodology used to identify priority production landscapes to transform to forest positive		No					
4.3 - # of landscape initiatives currently engaged in		No					
4.4 - For each landscape initiative your company is currently engaged in, information on: a. Name, location, timeline and other partners involved b. Report on type of engagement (e.g disbursed financial, in-kind, capacity, preferential sourcing) c. Specific actions or projects that are supported d. How the actions intend to address systemic issues and contribute to delivering forest positive goals (at least one of conservation, restoration, positive inclusion of farmers and communities, multi-stakeholder platforms or partnerships) e. Linkages to shared landscape-level goals developed through multi-stakeholder process		No					

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1.0 - Element 1: Own Supply Chain							
1.1 - Policy commitments to the FP goals	<p>METRO aims to improve its beef related assortment by continuously optimising the environmental and social aspects in our supply chains. We seek to understand our own supply base including footprint, origins and risk of deforestation or conversion. For areas with risk of deforestation or conversion we will work proactively to deliver commitments and identify and resolve any issues. Furthermore, to complement our efforts, we are committed to support initiatives delivering forest positive development at landscape level. Within the scope of our Meat Procurement Policy, Beef has a special focus to ensure that it does not contribute to deforestation or forest conversion. We will align our actions with the Forest Positive Coalition goals.</p>	Yes	<p>METRO aims to improve its beef related assortment by continuously optimising the environmental and social aspects in our supply chains. We work on understanding our own supply base including origins, footprint, risk of deforestation or conversion and other legality aspects of our sources. The implementation of the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains (EUDR) as well as working towards our to be updated Science Based Target (SBTI – product carbon footprint) help us to achieve deeper transparency and understanding on the details and respective legality, deforestation or conversion risks in our supply chains. By complying with the EUDR we will not market any products within the EU market beyond “negligible” risk of deforestation or conversion. Together with our suppliers we work on mitigating any potential deforestation or conversion risks. Furthermore, to complement our efforts, we are committed to support initiatives delivering forest positive development at landscape level. Within the scope of our Meat Procurement Policy, Beef has a special focus to ensure that it does not contribute to deforestation or forest conversion. We will align our actions with the FPC goals.</p>			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/ethics-and-trust/sustainable-sourcing-and-products#for-meat and https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-beef_en.pdf?rev=38803c2c-fa3d-4348-87aa-67bf58751757&dl=1	
1.2 - Timebound action plan summary	Did not report	No					
1.3 - Beef footprint across all product categories	Did not report	No					
1.4 - % of total commodity volume that is in scope of Element 1 reporting a) % of the total commodity volume that is in scope of your Element 1 reporting b) Narrative explanation on the % excluded from scope	NA - new KPI	No					

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1.5 - % with known origin and per classification of origin	Narrative - We are working within the CGF FPC, individually and with our supply chain partners, to obtain knowledge of the origin of the cattle products in our supply chains. In this sense, we have committed by 2025 100% that our own brand products are digital traceable to the farm level and share through our own digital solution: ProTrace. Furthermore, we also encourage our A-Brand supplier to share this information. When we have this knowledge, we will report on the percentage of known origin in our supply chain, as well as report on key elements of the supply chain including footprint and known upstream actors, products from unknown origins, and from high-risk origins specifically Cerrado and Amazon. https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-beef_en.pdf?rev=c8a73abfd3c84b80bae3dab0cc74614&d=1	Yes - Narrative	For long, we are working within the CGF FPC, individually and with our supply chain partners, to obtain knowledge of the origin of the cattle products in our supply chains. In this sense, we committed to 100% own brand common sourced beef product digital traceability to the farm level by end of 2025 and total own brand beef product digital traceability by end of 2030. Related information is shared through METRO's digital solution: PROTrace. Furthermore, we also encourage our A-Brand supplier to share this information. By complying with the EUDR, we will know the origins and respective deforestation or conversion risks of all METRO EU marketed beef products by end of 2024. Respectively, we will report on known origins and its respective classifications as well as on percentage of deforestation and conversion free cattle products and supplier communication and performance regarding deforestation and conversion free products.			https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-beef_en.pdf?rev=38803c2c-fa3d-4348-87aa-67bf58751757&dl=1	
1.6 - % Deforestation and Conversion free (DCF) volumes and breakdown as indicated a) % of cattle products purchased that are DCF and to what level upstream this has been ascertained b) % of cattle products purchased broken down into: • Volumes that are DCF due to negligible risk origins • Volumes that are DCF due to suppliers with DCF control mechanisms • Volumes that are DCF due to remote assessment c) Year on Year Change in % DCF	NA - new KPI	No		<i>Is your DCF methodology aligned with the CGF-FPC DCF methodology? - Please highlight the relevant option: Fully aligned / Partially aligned / Not yet aligned.</i> <i>If selected 'partially or not yet aligned', please explain next steps for full alignment</i> <i>Next steps- continue to improve traceability</i>			

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1.7 - % progressing towards DCF	<p>Narrative - METRO aims to improve its beef related assortment by continuously optimising the environmental and social aspects in our supply chains. We seek to understand our own supply base including footprint, origins and risk of deforestation or conversion. For areas with risk of deforestation or conversion we will work proactively to deliver commitments and identify and resolve any issues.</p> <p>Furthermore, to complement our efforts, we are committed to support initiatives delivering forest positive development at landscape level.</p>	Yes - Narrative	<p>METRO aims to improve its beef related assortment by continuously optimising the environmental and social aspects in our supply chains.</p> <p>We work on understanding our own supply base including origins, footprint, risk of deforestation or conversion and other legality aspects of our sources. The implementation of the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains (EUDR) as well as working towards our to be updated Science Based Target (SBTi – product carbon footprint) help us to achieve deeper transparency and understanding on the details and respective legality, deforestation or conversion risks in our supply chains. By complying with the EUDR we will not market any products within the EU market beyond “negligible” risk of deforestation or conversion.</p> <p>Together with our suppliers we work on mitigating any potential deforestation or conversion risks. Furthermore, to complement our efforts, we are committed to support initiatives delivering forest positive development at landscape level.</p>			https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/cgf/cgf-fpc-reporting-kpis-metro-beef_en.pdf?rev=38803c2c-fa3d-4348-87aa-67bf58751757&dl=1	

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2.0 - ELEMENT 2: SUPPLIER & MEATPACKERS							
2.1 - Supplier list	Did not report	No					
2.2 - Summary of the Forest Positive Approach for meatpackers and own brand manufacturers	Did not report	Yes	As part of the implementation of the METRO Sustainable Meat Policy and the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains as well as our general DCF approach, we are in ongoing bilateral discussions with our suppliers to work towards DCF supply chains and generally inform about this on our website.			https://responsibility.metroag.de/esg-priorities/climate-carbon/climate-protection#deforestation-free-supply-chains https://responsibility.metroag.de/-/media/project/mag/shared/global/newsroom-media/documents/responsibility/metro-policy-meat-procurement_en.pdf?rev=6bb5eb34-db64-4e94-bfaa-b9695fef5e3e&dl=1	
2.3 - T1 suppliers to whom the Forest Positive Approach and its implementation have been communicated	Did not report	Yes - Narrative	As part of the implementation of the METRO Sustainable Meat Policy and the EU 2023/1115 Regulation on Deforestation-free Supply Chains as well as our general DCF approach, we are in ongoing bilateral discussions with our suppliers to work towards DCF supply chains and generally inform about this on our website.				
2.4 - Performance of T1 suppliers against Forest Positive Approach including progress on delivery across entire operations	Did not report	No					
2.5 - Meatpackers sourcing from priority origins that have been engaged and are being evaluated	Did not report	No					
2.6 - Performance of meatpackers against Forest Positive Approach including progress on delivery across entire operations	Did not report	No					

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4.2 - Methodology used to identify priority production landscapes to transform to forest positive	Next to halting deforestation and overall environmental KPIs, one important selection criteria to support the Conservation International project was to improve the livelihood of farmers and securing their land rights. The project is also connected to our ambition to stop deforestation in the Cerrado, as Cerrado Manifesto SoS signatory	Yes	Next to halting deforestation and overall environmental KPIs, one important selection criteria to support the Conservation International project was to improve the livelihood of farmers and securing their land rights. The project is also connected to our ambition to stop deforestation in the Cerrado, as Cerrado Manifesto SoS signatory				
4.3 - # of landscape initiatives currently engaged in	1 initiative	Yes - Quantitative	1 initiative				

BEEF (and other cattle-derived products)	Publicly reported value and method provided in 2023	<i>Will your company be able to publicly report on this KPI by June 30th?</i> <i>(Select option from the dropdown)</i>	Publicly reported value or narrative for 2024 reporting on 2023 data	Methodology for value reported	Scope (materials/products in-scope of the reported value, and proportion of total commodity volume that scope represents)	Link to publicly available source	Target (Optional)
<p>4.4 - For each landscape initiative your company is currently engaged in, information on:</p> <p>a. Name, location, timeline and other partners involved</p> <p>b. Report on type of engagement (e.g disbursed financial, in-kind, capacity, preferential sourcing)</p> <p>c. Specific actions or projects that are supported</p> <p>d. How the actions intend to address systemic issues and contribute to delivering forest positive goals (at least one of conservation, restoration, positive inclusion of farmers and communities, multi-stakeholder platforms or partnerships)</p> <p>e. Linkages to shared landscape-level goals developed through multi-stakeholder process</p>	<p>This project aims to promote a low-carbon production model through two components: 1. Technical production: Working together with local farmers and traders in the Cerrado area, Conservation International has set up regenerative agriculture production, to capture carbon in the soil while improving soil health, crop yields, water resilience, and avoiding deforestation to use only pre-deforested areas; the project also improves the social standards and livelihoods of the farmers. Soy and beef are combined since the way of working also includes rotating use of the farmland (soy crops one year, beef grazing next). 2. Credit : raising awareness of farmers and producers of existing credit mechanisms and how to access to credit line of local financial institutions</p>	<p>Yes</p>	<p>Since 2021 METRO has engaged financially with other CGF FPC partners in a landscape initiative partnered with Conservation International (do Brazil), in a project focused on low-carbon regenerative agricultural production systems in the Cerrado biome. This project aims to promote a low-carbon production model through two components: 1. Technical production: Working together with local farmers and traders in the Cerrado area, Conservation International has set up regenerative agriculture production, to capture carbon in the soil while improving soil health, crop yields, water resilience, and avoiding deforestation to use only pre-deforested areas; the project also improves the social standards and livelihoods of the farmers. Soy and beef are combined since the way of working also includes rotating use of the farmland (soy crops one year, beef grazing next). 2. Credit: raising awareness of farmers and producers of existing credit mechanisms and how to access to credit line of local financial institutions.</p>				