

JD Environmental Policy

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Company background

Jojoba Desert is the world's leading Jojoba oil manufacturer and provider, based in the heart of the Israeli desert. Jojoba Desert provides various Jojoba oil based products globally, to top international cosmetics brands, cosmetics manufacturers, laboratories and distributors.

We believe in nurturing long-term partnerships. Our customers feel safe knowing that we carry their care, provide innovative products, stable supply and engage in responsible leadership.

As a cooperative settlement (Kibbutz) owned entity, we leverage over 30 years of combined pioneering spirit, world-class technological, agronomic and manufacturing experience and expertise. Our key to success is rooted deep within our connection to the Israeli desert and its unique soil. We are dedicated to sustainability and social responsibility, seeking to offer a stable supply of high-quality, standard-compliant Jojoba oil-based products that satisfy every customer's ingredient.

Offering end-to-end production coverage and traceability, we have become the leading company offering pure, natural, Jojoba oil.

"Jojoba Desert" supplies JD Jojoba Pure products (INCI: *Simmondsia chinensis* (Jojoba) Seed Oil) produced by "Jojoba Israel" (A.C.S) Ltd. and "Desert Oil" Ltd plantation, at the northern Israeli NEGEV desert.

All our products are produced under "Cold Press" procedures and contain 100% pure natural Jojoba Oil. The entire process is conducted void of human contact and without substances of animal origin and without chemicals resulting in pure natural liquid wax of the highest quality and in full compliance.

Determination & description of relevant topics

As Jojoba Desert is a marketing company the topics identified are: reducing energy consumption & GHG emissions; preventing local & accidental pollution; reducing & recycling by products & waste; ensuring customer health & safety and supporting environmental services & advocacy. According to JD's scope as **Natural Cosmetic Ingredients- R&D & Supply** we have defined the packaging requirements for samples in order to minimise the amount of material used, to maximise the amount of material that can be reused or recycled, and use materials with a considerable percentage recycled content where possible. Our products packages are food compliance, and contains no PVC.

Definition of policy application scope

This policy is applicable for “Jojoba Desert” (A.C.S.) Ltd. as it relates to some environmental criteria that are of public interest, such as GHG’s emmissions, water consumptions, agrochemicals input and more. JD takes the opportunity to follow the Jojoba seeds and oil producers performances by developing a platform for monitoring and continous improvement for the whole stakeholders involved.

Criteria	Wholesale, retail & logistic	Manufacture of RM
Energy & GHGs	√	√
Water		√
Biodiversity		√
Local & Accidental Pollution	√	√
Materials & Waste	√	√
Product Use	√	√
Product End of Life	√	√
Customer Health & Safety	√	√
Environmental services & advocacy	√	

Definition of objectives for each identified topic, timeline for achivement (progress) & responsibility

According to annex 1. detailed and reviewed prior to the annual management survey.

An annual CSR report will summarise the achivements and the action plan for the folowing years.

Definition of timeline for policy review

The policy and the CSR report will be reviewed on an annual basis, as part of the EcoVadis CSR assesment process and prior to the FFL annual audit.

Definition of communication chanel of the policy

The policy will be translated to the local languge (i.e. hebrew) and will be communicated to the stake holders together with the annual CSR Report at the end of Q1 of each year.

The policy will be communicated with customers and suppliers on the base of specific interest.

The policy will be available at the website.

Approved by:

Lee Reuveni

September 14, 2021

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Annex 1

The Annual environmental survey will be summarized in the table form attached, and will include data analysis and report on:

- ✓ Use of renewable energies or purchase of green energy
- ✓ Measures to reuse or recycle waste
- ✓ Recall procedure in place
- ✓ Reduction of water consumption through innovative equipment, methods, or technologies
- ✓ information on measures regarding environmental services and advocacy: Some examples of actions on this topic include promotion of products or services with positive environmental or social impacts (e.g. provision to customers of services for reducing material consumption, products eco-designed), provision of information to support more sustainable behavior of clients, or raising client awareness on CSR issues.
- ✓ Measures on local & accidental pollution (e.g. noise, dust, spills): Some examples of actions on this topic include implementation of company-specific emergency preparedness and response procedures, measures to avoid emissions of dust or particles, and regular and formalized soil testing to check soil contamination of heavy metals.
- ✓ Information on total gross Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions
- ✓ Information on total water consumption
- ✓ Information on total weight of hazardous waste
- ✓ Information on agrochemicals input
- ✓ Information on total weight of non-hazardous waste
- ✓ Information on total energy consumption

	total energy consumption	total gross Scope 1 GHG emissions	total gross Scope 2 GHG emissions	water consumption	total weight of non-hazardous waste	total weight of hazardous waste	local pollution	local & accidental pollution	environmental issues
Indicator	KWh/yr	Kg CO ₂ equiv. per year	Kg CO ₂ equiv. per year	m ³	Kg	Kg	total no. per year	total no. per year	total no. per year
*Q4_2020	23,382	0	49.17	2,624	N/A	0	0	0	0

*updated by Sep. 2020.