

Conagra Brands SASB Disclosure Fiscal Year 2020



CONAGRA BRANDS 2020 SASB DISCLOSURE

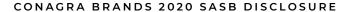


The Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB) is an independent, private sector standards-setting organization dedicated to enhancing the efficiency of the capital markets by fostering high-quality disclosure of material sustainability information that meets investor needs. Our reporting uses the Standard for the Processed Foods industry as defined by SASB's Sustainable Industry Classification System® (SICS®). Note that some responses may not fully align with individual SASB metric guidance, but represent data most closely aligned with each metric.

ТОРІС	ACCOUNTING METRIC	CATEGORY	UNIT OF MEASURE	CODE	RESPONSE
Energy Management	(1) Total energy consumed, (2) percentage grid electricity, (3) percentage renewable	Quantitative	Gigajoules (GJ), Percentage (%)	FB-PF-130a.1	 (1) 10,406,165 gigajoules (GJ) of energy consumed (2) 31% from grid electricity (3) 4% renewable energy¹
Water Management	(1) Total water withdrawn, (2) total water consumed, percentage of each in regions with High or Extremely High Baseline Water Stress	Quantitative	Thousand cubic meters (m.), Percentage (%)	FB-PF-140a.1	 (1) 18,240,941 thousand cubic meters (m) of water withdrawn (2) 16% in regions with High or Extremely High Baseline Water Stress²
	Number of incidents of non-compliance associated with water quantity and/or quality permits, standards, and regulations	Quantitative	Number	FB-PF-140a.2	Conagra Brands had zero (0) incidents of non-compliance.
	Description of water management risks and discussion of strategies and practices to mitigate those risks	Discussion and Analysis	n/a	FB-PF-140a.3	The primary tools leveraged by Conagra Brands to identify, assess and respond to water-related risks include: WRI Aqueduct Water Risk Atlas – Food & Beverage weighting scheme; in-house risk-mapping; a Supplier Excellence Program sustainability assessment; and international media resources. Conagra Brands' sustainability team annually reviews the Aqueduct Water Risk data for our manufacturing locations, overlaying production and water withdrawal data with internal company knowledge to identify and monitor water use at high-risk sites. If a facility is designated as high-risk based on this assessment, water conservation efforts are prioritized at that location, in addition to other business drivers of decision-making. Conagra Brands' Supplier Excellence Program broadly measures the performance of our largest and most strategic suppliers on a diverse set of criteria, including social and environmental metrics. Water-related questions included in our Supplier Excellence Program assessment include whether suppliers respond publicly to the CDP Water Security Questionnaire, have water reduction goals, or implement sustainability policies that address agriculture or other value chain water use. The scoring system allows us to quantitatively measure supplier progress over time, and Conagra Brands uses this information to enhance business partnerships. For more information, see our 2020 CDP Water disclosure at www.cdp.net .
Food Safety	Global Food Safety Initiative (GFSI) audit (1) non-conformance rate and (2) associated corrective action rate for (a) major and (b) minor non-conformances	Quantitative	Rate	FB-PF-250a.1	There was one (1) major non-conformance identified in fiscal year 2020. This translated to a major non-conformance rate of 0.02. There were 260 minor non-conformances in fiscal year 2020, resulting in a minor non-conformance rate of 7.4. Corrective actions were implemented for 100% of the major and minor non-conformances identified and submitted to and accepted by the GFSI certifying body for confirmation.

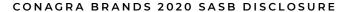
Note to FB-PF-130a.1: Includes all Conagra Brands company-owned manufacturing facilities, corporate offices in Omaha and Chicago, corporate jet aircraft fuel, and company-owned and operated warehouses

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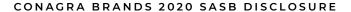


TOPIC	ACCOUNTING METRIC	CATEGORY	UNIT OF MEASURE	CODE	RESPONSE
Food Safety	Percentage of ingredients sourced from Tier 1 supplier facilities certified to a Global Food Safety Initiative (GFSI) recognized food safety certification program	Quantitative	Percentage (%) by cost	FB-PF-250a.2	We require our suppliers to use an accredited certification body to audit against Global Food Safety Initiative (GFSI) standards annually. Approximately 80% of our Tier 1 suppliers have completed GFSI-recognized certification, which is the relevant metric we currently have available to report.
	(1) Total number of notices of food safety violation received, (2) percentage corrected	Quantitative	Number, Percentage (%)	FB-PF-250a.3	Conagra Brands had zero (0) food safety violations.
	(1) Number of recalls issued and (2) total amount of food product recalled	Quantitative	Number, Metric tons (t)	FB-PF-250a.4	(1) Six (6) recalls in fiscal year 2020, with none resulting in injuries or illness(2) Approximately 227 metric tons (t) of food product recalled
Health & Nutrition	Revenue from products labeled and/or marketed to promote health and nutrition attributes	Quantitative	Reporting currency	FB-PF-260a.1	Revenue from products labeled and/or marketed to promote health and nutrition attributes is approximately \$8.4 billion.
	Discussion of the process to identify and manage products and ingredients related to nutritional and health concerns among consumers	Discussion and Analysis	n/a	FB-PF-260a.2	Conagra Brands maintains a number of cross-functional groups, including an Attribute Steering Committee and Natural Council, that meet regularly to identify and manage products and ingredients the may be related to nutrition, health and wellness concerns among consumers. The Committees includes internal subject matter experts from legal, regulatory, labelling, nutrition, sustainability, consumer demand, product development, communications, and other functions relevant to identifying and managing trending nutritional and health food attributes and any related concerns, including but not limited to: sustainable proteins, additives, potential allergens, sodium, sugar, and product disclosures. The Committees guide nutrition, health and wellness attribute development and communications for product packaging, brand websites, e-commerce and other channels.
Product Labeling & Marketing	Percentage of advertising impressions (1) made on children and (2) made on children promoting products that meet dietary guidelines	Quantitative	Percentage (%)	FB-PF-270a.1	Conagra Brands participates in the Children's Food and Beverage Advertising Initiative (CFBAI) of the Council of Better Business Bureaus. Pursuant to our CFBAI pledge, Conagra Brands devotes 100% of our national advertising directed to children under 12 years of age to products that meet the CFBAI's strict uniform nutrition criteria, and does not advertise to children under the age of six. In line with our CFBAI commitments, programming is deemed "child-directed" if it has an audience of 35% or more children under the age of 12.
	Revenue from products labeled as (1) containing genetically modified organisms (GMOs) and (2) non-GMO	Quantitative	Reporting currency	FB-PF-270a.2	Conagra Brands fully supports the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Law, which requires food companies to include information about GMOs on product labels and online. Now that the final National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard has been issued by the USDA, we intend to comply fully and are on track to include information about GMOs on product labels and online by the January 2022 compliance deadline.
	Number of incidents of non-compliance with industry or regulatory labeling and/or marketing codes	Quantitative	Number	FB-PF-270a.3	Three (3) incidents of non-compliance with federal labeling codes, all of which were promptly addressed with appropriate corrective action. Conagra Brands takes compliance seriously and has internal teams who evaluate the company's labels and marketing to ensure they comply with all relevant legal and regulatory requirements. To the extent the company learns of a situation of non-compliance, it is addressed immediately.
	Total amount of monetary losses as a result of legal proceedings associated with labeling and/or marketing practices	Quantitative	Reporting currency	FB-PF-270a.4	Conagra Brands is and has been a party to a number of legal proceedings challenging various product claims made in the Company's product labeling. To the extent loss contingencies related to any of these matters could be deemed material to the company's financial statements, they would be disclosed in Conagra Brands' annual 10-K and/or quarterly 10-Q SEC reports.





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Packaging Lifecycle Management	(1) Total weight of packaging, (2) percentage made from recycled and/or renewable materials, and (3) percentage that is recyclable, reusable, and/or compostable	Quantitative	Metric tons (t), Percentage (%)	FB-PF-410a.1	 (1) Estimated 666,380 metric tons (t) of packaging procured by Conagra Brands (2) Estimated 47% made from recycled or renewable materials (3) Estimated 72% made from recyclable materials Estimates are based, in part, on industry-wide average weights and post-consumer recycled content levels, guided by best practices on environmental footprint accounting from organizations such as the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).
	Discussion of strategies to reduce the environmental impact of packaging throughout its lifecycle	Discussion and Analysis	n/a	FB-PF-410a.2	Conagra Brands has committed to make 100% of our current plastic packaging renewable, recyclable or compostable by 2025. In addition, we apply key principles of sustainable packaging across packaging formats and materials. These sustainable packaging principles provide for adoption of more fiber-based packaging, reduction in material use, and packaging redesigns to support recyclability.
Environmental & Social Impacts of Ingredient Supply Chain	Percentage of food ingredients sourced that are certified to third-party environmental and/or social standards, and percentages by standard	Quantitative	Percentage (%) by cost	FB-PF-430a.1	 100% of Conagra Brands' suppliers are required to follow our Supplier Code of Conduct, which includes third-party standards for human rights such as the International Bill of Human Rights and the principles concerning fundamental rights set out in the International Labour Organization's Declaration on Fundamental Principles and Rights at Work. In addition to our Supplier Code of Conduct requirements: 100% of purchased palm oil is Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO)-certified 100% of fish sourced for our Van de Kamp's and Mrs. Paul's products is Marine Stewardship Council (MSC)-certified 100% of major U.S. dairy suppliers to Conagra Brands adhere to the National Dairy Farmers Assuring Responsible Management (FARM) Animal Care Program Select ingredient volumes are USDA Organic-certified, though we do not currently have volume data
	Suppliers' social and environmental responsibility audit (1) non-conformance rate and (2) associated corrective action rate for (a) major and (b) minor non-conformances	Quantitative	Rate	FB-PF-430a.2	Conagra Brands' Supplier Excellence Program broadly measures the performance of our largest and most strategic suppliers on a diverse set of criteria, including social and environmental metrics. Our risk management team monitors our entire supplier list daily for regulatory violations and legal actions, including those on regulatory corruption, social and environmental compliance. There were zero (0) incidents of non-compliance found related to environmental compliance, child labor and human trafficking, which translates to a non-conformance rate of 0.0.
Ingredient Sourcing	Percentage of food ingredients sourced from regions with High or Extremely High Baseline Water Stress	Quantitative	Percentage (%) by cost	FB-PF-440a.1	Based on WRI's Aqueduct Analysis, 1% of our responsible sourcing priority ingredients are directly sourced from geographies rated as High water stress areas. Our priority ingredients represent those we deem most material for ESG risk analysis based on global risk trends and volumes sourced.
	List of priority food ingredients and discussion of sourcing risks due to environmental and social considerations	Discussion and Analysis	n/a	FB-PF-440a.2	Conagra Brands' priority responsible sourcing list is based on ESG risk assessments of food ingredients and packaging materials with input from subject matter experts within our R&D, sustainability, procurement, risk management and other relevant teams, as well as third-party research identifying crops and sourcing geographies that may be at higher risk for environmental, social or governance risks. Conagra Brands mitigates ESG risks through requirements in our Supplier Code of Conduct, and individual ESG assessments and engagements of our largest suppliers as part of our Supplier Excellence Program. The Supplier Excellence Program applies to our top direct material suppliers, which includes major suppliers for our responsible sourcing priority ingredients.





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Ingredient Sourcing	List of priority food ingredients and discussion of sourcing risks due to environmental and social considerations	Discussion and Analysis	n/a	FB-PF-440a.2	As part of our Supplier Excellence Program, Conagra Brands assesses key suppliers at least annually on ESG risk-related performance and disclosure. Metrics include public supplier response to CDP Water, Forest and Investor questionnaires; annual sustainability disclosures in accordance with GRI or SASB frameworks; and policy/commitments adequately addressing sustainability risks specific to the supplier's industry. The annual sustainability assessment is supplemented by quarterly performance discussions and risk analyses, and we work in partnership with our suppliers to address any issues or gaps. Conagra Brands' priority ingredients and additional risk management practices are listed in alphabetical order below:
					 Beef: Risk management priorities include ecosystem impacts such as deforestation. To mitigate these risks, Conagra Brands' Supplier Code of Conduct states that Conagra Brands does not procure beef directly sourced from areas at high risk for deforestation, specifically the Amazon, the Cerrado and the Gran Chaco in Latin America.
					 Broiler chickens: Risk management priorities include animal welfare. To mitigate these risks, by 2024, Conagra Brands aims to source 100% of chicken used in products from either Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (RSPCA) or Global Animal Partnership (GAP)-approved breeds or strains; offer improved environments that meet GAP standards for better lighting, litter quality and other enrichments; provide birds with more space to perform natural behaviors, including a stocking density of no greater than six pounds per square foot and no use of broiler cages; employ a multi-step controlled atmosphere processing system and avoid live-shackling or live-dumping; and track supplier compliance via third-party auditing.
					 Cocoa: Risk management priorities include ecosystem impacts such as deforestation and labor practices. To mitigate these risks, Conagra Brands' Supplier Code of Conduct requires suppliers to reduce environmental impacts such as deforestation and avoid causing or contributing to adverse human rights impacts through their own activities and address such impacts when they occur and seek to prevent or mitigate adverse human rights impacts that are directly linked to their operations, products or services by their business relationships, even if they have not contributed to those impacts.
					 Dairy: Risk management priorities include animal welfare. To mitigate these risks, Conagra Brands sources primarily from the U.S., where major dairy suppliers adhere to the National Dairy Farmers Assuring Responsible Management (FARM) Animal Care Program.
					 Eggs: Risk management priorities include animal welfare. To mitigate these risks, Conagra Brands has made an ambitious commitment to source 100% cage free eggs throughout U.S. and Canada operations by 2025.
					 Palm oil: Risk management priorities include ecosystem impacts such as deforestation, labor practices, and geographic water scarcity. To mitigate these risks, 100% of our palm oil buy is covered by Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO) certification.
					 Peanuts: Risk management priorities include agricultural inputs and impacts. To mitigate these risks, peanut farmers in our supply chain have reduced fertilizer use by an industry average of 43%, water use by 33%, and pesticide use by 25% over approximately the last two decades.
					 Popcorn: Risk management priorities include agricultural inputs and impacts. To mitigate these risks, we source from geographies at low risk for contributing to agricultural runoff pollution in the Gulf of Mexico, according to internal assessments.
					 Pork: Risk management priorities include animal welfare. To mitigate these risks, 100% of pork sourced in accordance with the Pork Quality Assurance® Plus (PQA Plus) standards for animal welfare, food safety, public health, and other responsible business practices.
					 Seafood: Risk management priorities include overfishing and ecosystem impacts. To mitigate these risks, 100% of fish used in Van de Kamp's and Mrs. Paul's brands is third-party certified sustainable via Marine Stewardship Council certification.



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Ingredient Sourcing	List of priority food ingredients and discussion of sourcing risks due to environmental and social considerations	Discussion and Analysis	n/a	FB-PF-440a.2	 Soy: Risk management priorities include deforestation, agricultural inputs and impacts. To mitigate these risks, 100% of soy is sourced from areas designated as low risk for deforestation according to data from WWF Living Forests Report, Ceres Engage the Chain, and WRI Global Forest Watch Analysis. Conagra Brands' Supplier Code of Conduct states that Conagra Brands does not directly procure soy from the Amazon, the Cerrado nor the Gran Chaco in Latin America. Tomatoes: Risk management priorities include agricultural inputs and impacts and water scarcity. To mitigate these risks, tomato growers in Conagra Brands' supply chain have installed drip irrigation systems on 97% of contracted acres, improving sustainable farming through conservation tillage, reducing nutrient and crop management chemical application rates, and reducing water use by nearly 15% compared to traditional furrow irrigation systems. In addition, Conagra Brands' Oakdale, California tomato processing facility cleans and recycles water used to process tomatoes into farm irrigation water, supporting conservation throughout our supply chain. For more information on risk assessment and management strategies related to climate change, water stress and deforestation, see our 2020 CDP disclosures on www.cdp.net.

ACTIVITY METRIC	CATEGORY	UNIT OF MEASURE	CODE	RESPONSE
Weight of products sold	Quantitative	Metric tons (t)	FB-PF-000.A	Weight of products produced is approximately 3.5M metric tons (t) ³
Number of production facilities	Quantitative	Number	FB-PF-000.B	474

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 $^{^3}$ Note to FB-PF-000.A: Includes all Conagra Brands company-owned manufacturing facilities 4 Note to FB-PF-000.B: Includes all Conagra Brands company-owned manufacturing facilities