

SASB Index

2022 Global Sustainability Report



SUSTAINABILITY ACCOUNTING STANDARDS BOARD (SASB)

| Topic | Code | Accounting Metric | Response |
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| Water Management | CG-HP-140a.1 | Total Water Withdrawn | 89,252,000 m ³ /yr |
| | | % of total water withdrawn in regions with high or extremely high baseline water stress | 8.50% |
| | | Total Water Consumed | 6,572,000 m ³ /yr |
| | | % of Water Consumed in regions with high or extremely high baseline water stress | 39% |
| | CG-HP-140a.2 | Description of water management risks and discussion of strategies and practices to mitigate those risks | Designating sites as water stressed. Implementation of LEAN Water at sites, starting with water stressed sites. LEAN Water has levels 1 - 4, each of which are ~ 5 % reduction. |
| Product Environmental, Health, and Safety Performance | CG - HP - 250a.1 | Revenue from products that contain REACH substances of very high concern (SVHC) | \$1,648,670.53 |
| | CG-HP-250a.2 | Revenue from products that contain substances on the California DTSC Candidate Chemicals List | When consumers choose our instantly recognizable brands they also trust in our commitment to safety. This commitment extends to the materials we use. We want our consumers to have confidence in our products and that starts with using safe materials and making safe products, all of which go through our robust Product Safety Analysis. In this process, Kimberly-Clark proactively gathers chemical composition information for each raw material used in manufacturing for product safety analysis and checks against legally restricted substances relevant to the product form and country of sale to ensure compliance. Accordingly we design our products to meet all applicable laws and regulations, including the California Safer Consumer Products (SCP) Program. Kimberly-Clark does not manufacture or market any Adopted Priority Products (product-chemical combinations) or identified Pre-regulatory Priority Products subject to the Safer Consumer Products regulations. |
| | CG-HP-250a.3 | Discussion of process to identify and manage emerging materials and chemicals of concern | Product Quality & Safety (kimberly-clark.com) |
| | CG-HP-250a.4 | Revenue from products designed with green chemistry principles | We are members of the Green Chemistry and Commerce Council (GC3), a multistakeholder collaborative that drives the commercial adoption of green chemistry by catalyzing and guiding action across industries, sectors, and supply chains. |

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| Packaging Lifecycle Management | CG-HP-410a.1 | Total weight of packaging | Total Weight of Packaging: Global (paper + plastic) = 718,713 MT ¹ Global (plastic only) =90,448 MT ¹ NA (paper + plastic) = 219,594 NA (plastic only) = 27,674 |
| | | Percentage made from recycled and/or renewable materials | Recycled Content in Plastic Packaging: Global = 5.11% NA = 10.64% |
| | | Percentage that is recyclable, reusable, and/or compostable | Paper + Plastic Packaging: Global = 98.3 % ¹ NA = 99.5% Plastic Only Packaging: Global = 86.7% NA = 88.35% |
| | | CG-HP-410a.2 | Discussion of strategies to reduce the environmental impact of packaging throughout its lifecycle |
| Environmental & Social Impacts of Palm Oil Supply Chain | CG-HP-430a.1 | Amount of palm oil source | Kimberly-Clark purchased 2,663 metric tons of formulated solutions, which may have included palm oil or a palm derivative, as an ingredient for its global businesses in 2022. |
| | | % RSPO identity preserved | 0% |
| | | % RSPO segregated | 0% |
| | | % RSPO mass balance | 8% |
| | | % RSPO book & claim | 0% |
| Activity Metrics | CG-HP-000.A | Total weight of products sold ² | 4,726,546 MT |
| | CG-HP-000.B | Number of manufacturing facilities | 83 |

1. Global data management is built upon purchased material goods data converted into weight through estimated factors. Data is to be considered as estimated and Kimberly-Clark will continue to refine as the program develops. [Global figure updated by TI on 17 May 2023]

2. Total weight of products sold does not include externally manufactured products

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