



“What is sustainability?”

The 58 sustainability goals of the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO)

GOOD GOVERNANCE

CORPORATE ETHICS	Mission Statement		Due Diligence	
ACCOUNTABILITY	Holistic Audits	Responsibility		Transparency
PARTICIPATION	Stakeholder Dialogue		Grievance Procedures	Conflict Resolution
RULE OF LAW	Legitimacy	Remedy, Restoration & Prevention	Civic Responsibility	Resource Appropriation
HOLISTIC MANAGEMENT	Sustainability Management Plan		Full-Cost Accounting	

ENVIRONMENTAL INTEGRITY

ATMOSPHERE	Greenhouse Gases		Air Quality	
WATER	Water Withdrawal		Water Quality	
LAND	Soil Quality		Land Degradation	
BIODIVERSITY	Ecosystem Diversity	Species Diversity		Genetic Diversity
MATERIALS & ENERGY	Material Use	Energy Use		Waste Reduction & Disposal
ANIMAL WELFARE	Animal Health		Freedom from Stress	

ECONOMIC RESILIENCE

INVESTMENT	Internal Investment	Community Investment	Long-Ranging Investment	Profitability	
VULNERABILITY	Stability of Production	Stability of Supply	Stability of Market	Liquidity	Risk Management
PRODUCT QUALITY & INFORMATION	Food Safety		Food Quality		Product Information
LOCAL ECONOMY	Value Creation		Local Procurement		

SOCIAL WELL-BEING

DECENT LIVELIHOOD	Quality of Life	Capacity Development		Fair Access to Means of Production	
FAIR TRADING PRACTICES	Responsible Buyers		Rights of Suppliers		
LABOUR RIGHTS	Employment Relations	Forced Labour	Child Labour	Freedom of Association & Right to Bargaining	
EQUITY	Non Discrimination		Gender Equality		Support to Vulnerable People
HUMAN SAFETY & HEALTH	Workplace Safety and Health Provisions		Public Health		
CULTURAL DIVERSITY	Indigenous Knowledge		Food Sovereignty		

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