

# SHOP SUSTAINABLY:

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## What is Palm Oil?

Palm oil is an inexpensive, edible vegetable oil that comes from the fruits of oil palm trees. Palm oil is found in over 50% of grocery store products. It is primarily farmed in Borneo and Sumatra as well as other equatorial countries where there is abundant heat and rainfall.



## The Problem

Because it is used in many everyday products, the demand for palm oil has risen significantly. When done unsustainably, the homes of orangutans and other wildlife in Borneo and Sumatra are threatened by millions of acres of deforestation.

## What Can You Do?

When shopping, choose brands that are members of the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil (RSPO). These brands are committed to using sustainable palm oil. Use the Cheyenne Mountain Zoo's PalmOil Scan app to check for brands that are wildlife friendly!



This list provides great choices for Halloween, Easter or Valentine's Day!

