



# FAIR FOR LIFE

List of ingredients that must be fair trade certified

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## Introduction:

This document presents the list of ingredients that, in the case of certifying a multi-ingredient product, must be certified in order to use the FFL logo on the product (“Fair Trade Product” or “Made with Fair Trade ingredients” category). The listed ingredients are considered to be available in Fair Trade form (i.e. in sufficient quantity and quality, and traceable). Therefore, they must normally be certified.

This is an evolving list: some ingredients can be added through regular updates.

This document complements the Annex I of the Fair for Life standard, which describes the general composition rules as well as conditions for possible exemptions.

*“Certified ingredients” are Fair for Life Fair Trade certified ingredients or ingredients recognized as equivalent according to procedure presented in Annex IV of the Fair for Life standard.*

*Particular case of **compound ingredients** (ie. an ingredient made up of more than one sub-ingredient):  
If a compound ingredient is purchased and one or more of the sub-ingredients is on the list of ingredients that must be Fair Trade certified, the sub-ingredient is exempt from requiring Fair Trade certification.*

*Example: If a Fair for Life operation is purchasing peppermint candies as a compound ingredient for a Fair for Life certified product, with sub-ingredients of cane sugar, corn syrup and peppermint oil; then the cane sugar is exempt of requiring Fair Trade certification.*

### Evolving list of ingredients that must be fair trade certified:

FOOD	COSMETICS / DETERGENTS / HOME PERFUMES	TEXTILES
<b>Bananas</b> ( <i>fresh</i> )	<b>Argan</b> ( <i>kernels, oil</i> )	<b>Cotton</b> ( <i>lint, yarn</i> )
<b>Cocoa</b> ( <i>beans, mass/liquor</i> )	<b>Shea</b> ( <i>nuts, butter</i> )	
<b>Coffee</b> ( <i>beans</i> )	<b>Cocoa</b> ( <i>beans, mass/liquor</i> )	
<b>Cane sugar</b> ( <i>crystals</i> )	<b>Sesame</b> ( <i>seeds, oil</i> )	
<b>Mangoes</b> ( <i>fresh</i> )	<b>Coconut</b> ( <i>coconuts, oil</i> )	
<b>Pineapples</b> ( <i>fresh</i> )		
<b>Tea</b> ( <i>Camellia sinensis</i> ) ( <i>leaves</i> )		

Whenever possible, it is strongly recommended to widen the application of this list by also sourcing in Fair Trade certified quality ingredients which are:

- not specified in this list, but correspond to other processing degrees / other by-products for the same raw material;
- specified in this list, but part of a compound ingredient.