



WWF'S RETAILERS' COMMITMENT FOR NATURE



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FOOD IS AT THE HEART OF OUR BUSINESSES AND A THRIVING SOCIETY

Globally the food system is also the leading cause of biodiversity loss and a key contributor of climate change. And so it must be part of the solution. As CEOs of leading UK food retailers, we recognise that a future without nature is a future without food. By 2030 we collectively need to halt the loss of nature. Therefore, we are coming together with WWF-UK to commit to taking action across seven areas where food has a disproportionate impact on climate and nature.

Aldi UK, joining the WWF's Retailers' Commitment for Nature group in 2023, pledges to meet the below actions.

- Work with WWF to halve the environmental impact of UK Baskets by 2030, focusing on climate, deforestation and conversion of habitat, agricultural production, marine, diets, food waste and packaging as measured by the WWF Basket.
- Reporting data annually to WWF against these pillars and publicly reporting on actions taken.
- Meeting the business commitment to 1.5 by setting 1.5-degree SBTs in all scopes, near term and long term within one year of signing this letter.

We also align to existing signatory agreements to work with WWF and WRAP on Climate Action (Nov 2022) and water leadership action in support of the Courtauld Water Roadmap (May 2023).

Aldi looks forward to being part of this leading group of retailers taking action for climate and nature.

Signed:
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