Making the link: Retailer ↔ Smallholder

- Market transformation to 100% sustainable palm implies smallholder inclusion.
- Challenge: Complex supply chain between retailer and smallholder.

Three pillars of ALDI’s Smallholder Strategy

1. I.S. Credits
2. Engagement in working groups
3. Engagement on the ground
Why I.S. Credits?

- Remote smallholder plantations without certified mills nearby.
- Valuing of high administrative and financial burden for certification.
- Direct investment in the growing region.
- Support of independence of I.S.
- Support of continuous work on RSPO compliance of I.S.
Thank You