# PALM OIL INFORMATION ONLINE SERVICE (PALMOILIS)



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PALMOILIS is an online database service developed and hosted by the Palm Oil Research Institute of Malaysia (PORIM).

Palm oil data, information and knowledge are the strategic resource, the intellectual capital and the main product of PORIM. Since its establishment in 1979, many databases and information components have been independently generated at the various R&D laboratories and pilot plants of the Institute's headquarters at Bangi, Selangor and the local research

stations in Peninsular as well as East Malaysia. PALMOILIS is an attempt to consolidate and compile comprehensively from the unrivalled collection of these varied information resources and make it accessible via the Internet to the Industry, the Government sector and the general public. Such invaluable information can now be electronically delivered to your office, laboratory or even your home by subscribing to the integrated membership of the Palm Information Centre and PALMOILIS database subscription.



Palm Information Centre new premises





# WHAT ARE THE MEMBERSHIP PRIVILEGES?

#### 1. Online Access to R&D databases via PALMOILIS

PALMOILIS hosts a wide range of specialized R&D databases on oil palm and palm oil user-driven by the various divisions of PORIM. They are PALMPRODUCT, PORIMTESTS, PALMSTATS, BIOLINE, TASCLIENT, PORIMTECH and PALMCOOK. Other databases include the bibliographic and directory-type databases namely PALMSEARCH, PALMCLIENT and PALMCONSULT. Ultimately, these databases will be enhanced with a full-text content service.

#### Database updates via the Selective Dissemination of Information (SDI) with free photocopies of articles upon request.

#### 3. Online user enquiries

PALMOILIS facilitates answers to your enquiries by our technical experts / resource persons when you access BIOLINE and TASCLIENT databases. Traditional methods of handling enquiries are also entertained via visitation, correspondence, telephone, fax and the Oil Palm Hotline.

#### Reference, loan and reprographic facilities offered by the Palm Information Centre.

The physical collection comprises books, journals, technical reports, standards, patents, theses etc. on palm oil / oil palm and the related oils and fats industry. Reference, loans, photocopy and document delivery services are available upon request.

## Other services offered by the Institute in future.

The Palm Information Centre's operations and services will be expanded upon occupation of the new building in 1998. Additional services include those offered by the Palm Technology Gallery and the Records Centre. When fully operational, the Centre will be more than just an electronic library. It is also a multimedia science centre on oil palm-the golden crop of Malaysia.

# WHAT ARE THE DATABASES AVAILABLE?

The PALMOILIS website offers two sets of data and information.

#### 1. Public domain databases (free access)

- 1.1 Palm Information Centre Overview : Policies and Procedures
- 1.2 Subscription Information and Form, with facilities for online registration for a free trial linkup.
- 1.3 PORIM Publications Catalogue searchable via search template
- 1.4 PORIM Training / Seminar Programme searchable via search template
- 1.5 Bulletin Board searchable via search template
- 1.6 Information Centre Tour
- 1.7 Hotlinks to other relevant sites
- 1.8 PORIM Homepage.

#### 2. Databases on Subscription

#### 2.1 PALMSEARCH

Technical information with abstracts on oil palm / palm oil and other oils and fats. Full text content service is being offered.

#### 2.2 PALMCLIENT

Directory-type information on business enterprises in the Industry.

#### 2.3 PALMCONSULT

Directory-type information on experts for consultation in the Industry

#### 2.4 PALMCOOK

Palm oil-based recipes

#### 2.5 PORIMTECH

PORIM Technology Transfer No. 1 - 48

#### 2.6 PALMSTATS

Palm oil / oil palm statistics 1993 - latest

#### 2.7 PALMPRODUCT

PORIM-approved palm-based products

#### 2.8 PORIMTESTS

Electronic version of PORIM Test Methods

#### 2.9 BIOLINE

FAQs on oil palm

#### 2.10 TASCLIENT

FAQs on palm oil

### **HOW DO I GET CONNECTED?**

All you need is a PC linked up to the Internet to gain access to PALMOILIS. You can contact any Internet Service Provider (ISP) to get connected.

You also need to register as an authorised user of PALMOILIS. Just fill up the Free Trial Registration Form available for the link-up. Upon registration, a User ID and password is given and you are ready to access the databases and avail yourself to all the service benefits offered.

Our URL Address is:

PALMOILIS Homepage

http://161.142.141.112

or

http://netra.porim.gov.my

and

**PORIM Homepage** 

http://porim.gov.my

## WHO SHOULD SUBSCRIBE?

Practically anyone who wants to know anything about palm oil and oil palm need to be connected to PALMOILIS. Why?

PALMOILIS is a complete information package to serve your information needs. It is PORIM's databank-the best reference site on palm oil /oil palm.

Make PALMOILIS your information partner. Register today and open up the world of palm oil with your finger tips.

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#### **MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTION RATES**

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		Local (RM)	International (US\$)
1.	Membership Registration Fee (one time)		
	Individual	50.00	200.00
	Corporate	100.00	400,00
2.	Membership Subscription (Annual)		
	Individual	29.00	103,03
	Corporate	50.00	200.00
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1.	Database Subscription (Annual)		
	All databases	500.00	400.00
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2.	Database Usage (pay as you use)	0.30 sen/min	0.40 cent/min
3.	Downloading/Printing		
	General database	2.00/doc	2.00/doc
	Specialized R & D databases	5.00/doc	4.00/doc
	C Offline Charges		
1.	Photocopy	0.20 sen/page	0.20 cent/min
2.	Microcopy printout	0.50 sen/page	0.40 cent/man
3.	Service Cost (handling & postage)	2.00 /request	2.00 /request