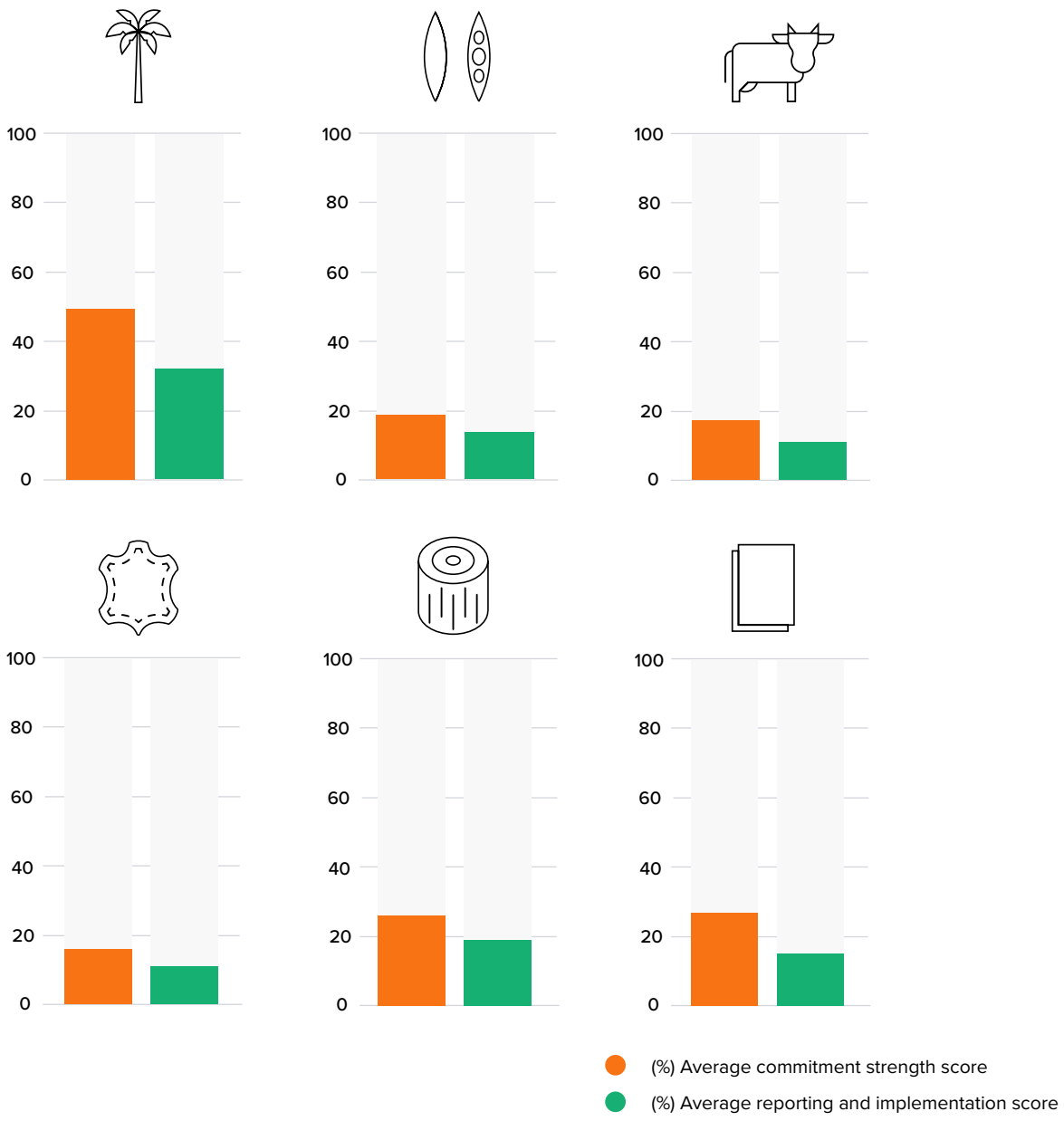
Implementation of commitments

Commitments on deforestation and human rights are important in setting out a company's intentions, but they are only meaningful if they are implemented. Without implementation of deforestation commitments, climate targets cannot be delivered.

Forest 500 companies are assessed on whether they monitor the source of the forest-risk commodities they use, whether they require suppliers to have deforestation-free commitments, and whether they report on progress towards eliminating deforestation.

There is still a clear gap between the number of companies setting deforestation commitments, and the number of those implementing them effectively.



Graph 4: Reporting and implementation scores compared to commitment strength