

# Clean cooking, Rwanda

Household technology to improve climate, health and livelihoods



**THE GLOBAL GOALS**  
For Sustainable Development

**1 NO POVERTY**



**3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING**



**7 AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY**



Firewood holds huge importance in Rwanda, where 98% of rural households rely on wood as their main cooking fuel. New cleaner cooking stoves are supplied at a subsidised rate in order to ensure accessibility for those families unfamiliar with the technology. Each stove is designed and produced locally, providing much needed training and employment to the region. Activities here save 1000s of tonnes of carbon each year while also:

- delivering reductions in household air pollution and improving respiratory health
- saving families money by lowering their fuel expenditure; and
- reducing pressure on local forests by lowering total demand for firewood



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