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Enterprise: Burn (Kenya)

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Degree of accuracy of the information contained in the data sheet

High

1. Activity of the entreprise

The company manufactures fuel-efficient stoves.

In 2010, Peter Scott started BURN Design Lab and BURN Manufacturing Co. on Vashon Island, Washington.

In 2014, BURN launched its first full manufacturing facility in Kenya - the first and only of its kind. BURN is now the only vertically integrated modern cookstove company in sub-Saharan Africa. The solar-powered facility currently has a capacity of 400,000 stoves per month and employs over 2,500 people, half of whom are women.

A recent study by UC Berkeley shows that a domestic investment of \$40 to buy a Jikokoa generates a staggering return of \$1,000 for the society.

Over the next three years, BURN aims to expand to Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia, DRC, Nigeria and Ghana, launch five new products and increase production capacity in Kenya from 400,000 to 1 million per month.

Points to be precised

- Location of the plant(s)?
- Percentage of local value added?
- Turnover 2023?

2. Product range

Electric stoves

https://www.burnstoves.com/products/electric/



Charcoal stoves

https://www.burnstoves.com/products/charcoal-stoves/



Wood and bricket stoves

https://www.burnstoves.com/products/wood-stoves/



LPG stoves

https://www.burnstoves.com/products/lpg-appliances/



3. Sources of information

https://www.burnstoves.com

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