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1. Activity of the Entreprise

Chanja Datti is a social enterprise that collects plastic waste (PET bottles, water sachets, nylon bags etc.) and other recyclables like aluminium cans, papers (old newspapers, cardboard, cartons, old textbooks etc.), tires, and glass bottles, and transforms them into flakes or shreds, as raw materials in the manufacture of other products.

Chanja Datti is strategically poised to deploy indigenous technology including those produced by students from Nigeria's tertiary institutions towards its recycling efforts.

The company works with factories in Abuja. The goal of the enterprise is to clean up the Abuja environment by transforming its waste into value.



2. Product Range

The following link shows some of the stages in the sorting/compacting/shredding process: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1vVW4KISWjU

The Afri-Plastics competition organized by the UK-based Nesta Challenges foundation in 2024 has rewarded eight plastic waste recovery solutions from African start-ups, among which Chanja Datti. The eight winners have received technical support for the expansion of their solutions in sub-Saharan Africa, as well as financial support worth a total of \$5.2 million from the Canadian government.

Point to be precised: Quantity of waste treated in 2023?

3. Sources of Information

https://www.chanjadatti.com

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4. Contacts

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<u>Point to be precised</u>: emails and phone numbers of two managers of the enterprise.