## LIGHTING AFRICA



Overall Impact	
<b>35,000,000</b> <sup>1</sup>	People across Africa with improved energy access due to modern solar lighting products
14,380,000 <sup>2</sup>	People in Africa whose basic lighting needs are being met by modern solar lighting products
7,500,000	Quality solar lighting products sold through local distributorships in Africa
700,000	Tons of GHGs avoided in Africa; CO <sub>2</sub> -equivalent of taking >147,000 cars off the road
31	Percent growth in sales of quality-assured solar lights between July and December 2014
4.8 <sup>3</sup>	Percent of Africa's un-electrified now using solar lights up from less than 1% in 2009
41	Manufacturers whose products have passed the Lighting Global Quality Standards
25	Countries where quality-verified products are on sale in Africa
Quality Standards	
Global	Quality Standards adopted as international standard for solar lighting products by the International Electrotechnical Commission {IEC Tech Spec 62257-9-5}
135	Solar lighting products so far tested against the Lighting Global Quality Standards
91	Products passed the Lighting Global Quality Standards for off-grid solar lighting products
50 <sup>4</sup>	Percent market share of quality off-grid lighting products up from just 3% in 2009
19	Technical Notes published, informing product design and improvement
4	Eco Design Notes published on health and safety issues for consumers and manufacturers
Market Intelligence	
36	Market Insight reports that facilitate entry into new markets or mobilization of investors
Access to Finance	
319,000	<b>Quality-verified solar lighting products imported</b> into Ethiopia with facilitation from World Bank financed foreign exchange credit facility
\$8.8m	Financing leveraged and facilitated for manufacturers, importers and consumers across Africa
8	MFIs in Kenya, and KIVA - the crowd-funding platform, providing consumer micro-loans
Partnering with Governments	
5	Countries integrated our activities into their energy access projects financed by the World Bank
\$25.7m	WB-financing committed by governments to catalyze markets for solar lighting products
Policy	
1	Country, Kenya, adopts the IEC TS 62257-9-5 as national law to counter market spoilage
1	Institution, the UNFCCC, referenced and harmonized its carbon financing (CDM) requirements with the IEC Technical Specification 62257-9-5

Note: Lighting Africa has contributed towards these results through its market development activities implemented in collaboration with various intermediaries across the supply chain, development partners and financial institutions; most importantly, in conjunction with manufacturers of solar lighting products and their distribution partners in Africa.

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<sup>1</sup> Cumulative number of people in homes that now own and use a solar lighting product (No. of products sold multiplied by 5pax/household)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Number of people whose basic lighting needs are being met by modern solar lighting products based on the new SE4All reporting framework

<sup>3 2012</sup> Lighting Africa Market Trends data

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> 2012 Lighting Africa Market Trends data