

# Myanmar Stoves Campaign

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## GOLD STANDARD MONITORING REPORT

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Monitoring Periods: 01/03/2017 - 28/02/2018

1<sup>st</sup> Verification - 1<sup>st</sup> Periodic Verification of the 1<sup>st</sup> Crediting Period of 2017-18

Net Emission Reductions: For (2017-18) = 9320 tCO<sub>2</sub>

From	To	VERs
01 <sup>st</sup> March 2017	31 <sup>st</sup> December 2017	7767
01 <sup>st</sup> Jan 2018	28 <sup>th</sup> February 2018	1553
<b>Total</b>		<b>9320</b>

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## Section A: General Description of Myanmar Stoves Campaign

### A.1] Project Introduction, Participants and Technology Used

Myanmar Stoves Campaign aims to ensure the use of carbon finance to support the distribution and maintenance of domestic and non-domestic Fuel-Efficient Stoves (FES) through local implementation partner(s) (IP) in the Republic of the Union of Myanmar.

The Myanmar Stoves Campaign is a programme of the Soneva Foundation and the first Gold Standard certified carbon project in Myanmar. This project activity is implemented by three actors, which are the Soneva Foundation, Mercy Corps and Local Vendors (Sales Agents) in each of the targeted project villages under this VPA.

Myanmar Stoves Campaign was started in September 2013 and currently, and since then, as of May 2018, the project has covered more than 1000 villages in Mandalay Region in central part of Myanmar. The co-ordinated action by the three actors in this project has been successful in distributing over 20,000 fuel efficient stoves which have improved the lives of more than 100,000 people.

The stoves distributed are the Envirofit SuperSaver GL (Earlier known as M-5000). Each household received at least one stove. There are two methods of payments which are lump sum (15000 MMK for lump sum payment) and instalment (17000 MMK for five (5) months instalment) payments. Instalment is an excellent method for some families who have financial hardship and couldn't afford lump sum payment.

Selected FES model for this VPA:

- Envirofit SuperSaver GL (Earlier known as M-5000), launched in 2011, is the successor model of the G-3300 and is produced in China, India and Kenya



- Product weight 4.2kg
- Size (in cm): 28x26.5x26.5
- CO2 emission reduction compared to three stone fire of 66%
- Wood use reduction compared to three stone fire of 66%
- Thermal efficiency of 29.7%
- Manufacturer guarantee of 2 years on outside and 5 years on the inside parts
- Estimated product life of 5 years

Source: M5000 (SuperSaver GL) Performance Sheet ([Link](#)) and manufacturer website ([Link](#))

Envirofit SuperSaver GL had been selected as suitable product for local users based on the inputs from local communities and various stakeholders after they were consulted through demonstration and field tests. This followed with the stoves being distributed to the households in targeted villages.

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This intervention has helped the local households to smoothly transition to a new FES stove from being dependent on the old three stone fires. The user experience and benefits has been very positive and encouraging towards this modern technology. In addition to this, this project has successfully demonstrated the contribution in catalysing the socio-economic development of these communities by having a positive impact on a range of indicators. There is an increasing awareness among the users in targeted villages and the nearby ones on the immediate and long term environmental and economic benefits coming from this project, which is helping in higher rates of adoption, all of which is helping the Myanmar Stoves Campaign to positively impact the lives of the rural under-served in a sustainable and environmentally friendly way.

## A.2] Relevant Dates for the Project Activity

Date of first stove sale & start date of the project activity = 01<sup>st</sup> March 2017 (to 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017)

Start date of crediting period = 01<sup>st</sup> March 2017

First project monitoring exercise performed on: 14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> July 2018, results to be applied to the crediting periods from:

01/03/2017 - 28/02/2018

## A.3] Methodology Applied

GS1729 "Myanmar Stoves Campaign" Gold Standard micro-scale PoA applies the "Simplified micro-scale cookstove methodology" by Gold Standard Foundation.

The relevant equations are as follows:

$$ER_y = \sum_{0to1}^{XtoY} N_{p,y} * P_y * U_{p,y} * f_{NRB,y} * (EF_{b,fuel,CO2} + EF_{b,fuel,non\_CO2}) * (1 - DF_{b,Stove,y})$$

$$P_y = B_{b,y} * \left(1 - \frac{\eta_b}{\eta_{p,y}}\right)$$

$$\eta_{p,y} = \eta_p * (DF_\eta)^{y-1} * 0.94$$

Where:

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$N_{P,y}$	Number of project cookstoves of each age group operational in the year y
$P_y$	Quantity of firewood that is saved in the year y (tonnes per household in year y)
$U_{P,y}$	Usage rate for project cookstoves in year y, based on adoption rate and drop off rate revealed by usage surveys (fraction)
$f_{NRB,b,y}$	Fraction of biomass, used in year y for baseline scenario, which can be established as non-renewable. The project proponents shall estimate project specific national/ regional value <sup>4</sup> or apply the default $f_{NRB}$ value provided by the CDM Executive Board and endorsed by the host country DNA <sup>5</sup> .
$EF_{b,fuel,CO_2}$	CO <sub>2</sub> emission factor of firewood that is substituted or reduced. (Default value for wood fuel 1.747 tCO <sub>2</sub> /ton of wood)
$EF_{b,fuel,non\_CO_2}$	Non-CO <sub>2</sub> emission factor of firewood that is substituted or reduced. (Default value for wood fuel 0.455 tCO <sub>2</sub> /ton of wood)
$DF_{b,Stove,y}$	Usage of baseline cookstove during the year y (fraction) in project scenario
x	y – 1
y	Year of the crediting period

Determination of quantity of biomass saved:

Quantity of firewood that is saved ( $P_y$ ) is estimated as follows:

$$P_y = B_{b,y} * (1 - \eta_b / \eta_{p,y}) \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

Where:

$B_{b,y}$	Quantity of firewood consumed in baseline scenario during year y (tonnes per household per year)
$\eta_{p,y}$	Efficiency of project cookstove in year y (fraction)
$\eta_b$	Efficiency of the baseline cookstove being replaced (fraction). A default value of 10% shall be used if the replaced cookstove is a three stone fire, or a conventional device without a grate or a chimney i.e. with no improved combustion air supply or flue gas ventilation

Determination of firewood consumed in baseline ( $B_{b,y}$ )

The firewood consumed in baseline ( $B_{b,y}$ ) for this VPA is calculated through the baseline survey conducted as per the guidelines in The Gold Standard Simplified Methodology for Efficient Cookstoves, Version 01, February 2013 by Gold Standard Foundation. The survey shows an Annual Baseline Wood Consumption/Household to be 4.219 Metric Tons.

# Section B: Description of Monitoring System & Exercise for VPA 007

## B.1] Monitoring System

The monitoring plan is in accordance with " The Gold Standard Simplified Methodology for Efficient Cookstoves, Version 01, February 2013."

The monitoring methodology is supported by:

- Sales receipts
- Total Sales Record (Project Tracking File)
- Customer Database
- Project Database, which is maintained continuously

### Maintenance of a Total Sales Record

The Project Proponent collates and maintains the total sales data in electronic and paper format. The Total Sales Record will comprise the following data:

- Date of Sale<sup>1</sup>
- Model/type of project technology sold:
- Serial/ID number of the device
- Name and telephone number (if available) of end-users
- Application of device (type of end use: Commercial/Domestic)
- Address/ Location of end-users<sup>2</sup>

The **Sales Record** information is collected using the following methods:

For the portable fuel-efficient stoves, the local vendors (sales agents) sell stoves directly to end-users and record sales and user training continuously. This data is then collated into a detailed Total Sales Record that tracks the chain of transactions between the user and the distributors.

<sup>1</sup> Date of Sale will be associated with conservative assessment as to date of installation and commencement of use of technology

<sup>2</sup> In circumstances where a user's formal address cannot be provided due to insufficient information on street names/house numbers, suitable landmarks/ with location on a town/city plan will be provided.

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The data received by the project implementation partners in paper format will be converted and saved electronically for monitoring and analysis purposes. A mechanism, designed jointly between the CME and the implementing partner, is agreed and put in place to accurately track sales, inventories, supply and purchases for every stove distributed. For assuring accuracy and consistency, the Total Sales Record will be cross checked with import data, usage and other relevant data.

The names and telephone numbers or name and addresses collected must be commensurate with representative sampling, i.e. the names and addresses or phone numbers (where possible) within sales record shall be large enough so that surveys can be based on representative, randomly selected samples.

## Project Database

The project database is derived from the Total Sales Record with project cookstoves differentiated by different project scenarios. The differentiation of the project database into sections is based on the results of the applicable monitoring studies for each project scenario, in order that emission reduction calculations can be conducted appropriately section by section.

## Other periodic monitoring tasks

Monitoring shall consist of checking of a representative sample, once every year (annually) to ensure that project cookstoves are still operating by carrying out the usage survey as per the guidelines set out in the methodology.

Annual surveys for monitoring:

- **Usage Survey** to establish the drop-off rates in technology usage from year-1 sales and other vintages. For example, if only cookstoves in the first year of use (age0-1) are being credited, a usage parameter must be established for age-group 0-1, through a usage survey for cookstove age0-1. If cookstoves of age 0-1 and age 1-2 are being credited (as part of first request for issuance), usage parameters must be established for age-group 0-1 and 1-2, respectively through a usage survey. If cookstoves of age-group 0-1 and 1-2 are being credited (as part of second request for issuance), usage parameters must be established for age-group 1-2 only through a usage survey as the usage rate for cookstoves of age group 0-1 can be applied from the previous issuance.
- **Monitoring Survey** to reassess household kitchen regimes. CME and/or Implementation Partner will randomly sample households from the sales agreements received. Sampling will be representative of geographic regions and technology used.

Where replacements are made, monitoring shall also ensure that the efficiency of the new cookstove is similar to the appliances being replaced.

The project must also monitor the use of baseline stoves in the project activity and any seasonal variation.

Finally, the project must also monitor the physical conditions of the cookstoves.

## B.2] Monitoring Exercise for VPA 007

The project monitoring survey for this VPA, was conducted from 14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> July 2018.

During this period, 110 household face to face surveys were conducted in a total of 10 villages under this VPA. These villages are Kyauk Tan, Myauk Kyun, Nwar Shar Yoe, Pauk Myaing, Phyu Twin Kone, Pin Lel, Sin Gut, Tha Yet Kan, Than Kone, and Ya Thar.

The survey was designed to collect key information on the monitoring parameters for carbon emission reduction calculations and sustainability development indicators. The list of people interviewed is provided at the end of this document in Annex 2.

The team involved in the project monitoring exercise is as follows:

Name	Designation & Role	Qualification
Bhushan Trivedi	<p>Consultant to the Soneva Foundation on Myanmar Stoves Campaign.</p> <p>Bhushan led the designing of the project monitoring survey exercise + QA/QC of data.</p>	<p>Bhushan Trivedi is a consultant in the field of social development and social entrepreneurship. He has an extensive experience of working in the development sector in India and Myanmar, specifically on energy access initiatives. Apart from being a consultant to the Soneva Foundation on Myanmar Stoves Campaign for four years, he also led a solar PV micro-grid project in rural Myanmar.</p> <p>Bhushan has earned his bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering from Pune University, India. A Masters in Environmental Assessment &amp; Management from Salford University, Manchester, UK, and a Diploma in Social Entrepreneurship from NMIMS, Mumbai.</p>
Phyo Phyo Wai	<p>Senior Program Manager, Energy Venture Program for Mercy Corps (Myanmar)</p> <p>Phyo Phyo planned the data collection, training of enumerators, supervision and QA/QC of data.</p>	<p>Phyo is Senior Program Manager managing Energy Social Venture Program for Mercy Corps (Myanmar). She has extensive experiences in Development sectors, especially in Resilience sector; Disaster Risk Reduction, Climate Change and Civil Society Strengthening Sector.</p> <p>Phyo received a Bachelor Degree, majoring in Chemistry from University of Distance Education, Yangon, Myanmar. She also received Master in Development Studies (M.Dev.S) from the Institute of Economics, Yangon and Master in Development Management (MDM) from the Asian Institute of Management (AIM), Philippine. She has also obtained the Post-Graduate Diploma in Social Work from Yangon Art &amp; Science University, Myanmar and Diploma in Teaching English for Speaker of Other Language from London Teacher Training College, UK.</p>
U Hla Khaing	<p>Enumerator</p>	<p>U Hla Khaing is a Myanmar national having significant experience in data collection process with Mercy Corps an</p>

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	Data Collection	other organizations. Moreover, he performed as one of the members of Village Development Committee in LIFT Project implemented by Mercy Corps since in 2010.
U Nyeing Maung	Enumerator Data Collection	U Nyeing Maung is a Myanmar national and also one of the members of Village Development Committee in LIFT Project implemented by Mercy Corps in 2010, having relevant experience in data collection relating to community development projects. He is currently living in Tel Lay Pin village, Tel Lay Pin Village Tract, Pyawbwe Township, Mandalay Division.

## Age Groups

The project activity initially installed stoves into 1993 households but 1787 stoves are considered for crediting.

This VPA claims ERs for the age<sub>0-1</sub> and has collected information to estimate the drop rates/usage rates of the cookstoves in these project regions.

From the age<sub>0-1</sub> results, the usage rate found out was 97% which means there are currently 1734s stoves currently in use.

## Monitoring Procedure Followed

Soneva Foundation led the design of the monitoring exercise while ensuring the quality assurance/check mechanisms with the same. The monitoring plan was then shared and discussed with the project implementation partners, Mercy Corps, who interviewed, selected and trained a team of enumerators for data collection. The data collection was via a survey designed in line with the Project Survey format, Annex A in the Simplified Methodology for Efficient Cookstoves. These 110 surveys were conducted at each of the randomly selected households from the age<sub>0-1</sub> group.

The data collected converted into the electronic format and shared with the Soneva Foundation, the CME of this project.

## QA/QC Measures

Soneva Foundation is responsible for ensuring data quality. The data used in this report is sourced from the project monitoring survey (conducted in July 2018), and the user database + project tracking file which are updated regularly. Cross checking of the stove user name and respective serial numbers were done in two stages, first by the team at Mercy Corps and followed by Soneva Foundation.

## B.3] Parameters monitored according to the monitoring plan

### Parameters and data fixed ex-ante

The following data and parameters are fixed ex-ante and do not need to be monitored over the crediting period:

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	<b>EF<sub>b, fuel, CO2</sub></b>
Data unit:	tCO2/t firewood
Description:	CO2 emission factor arising from the use of firewood in baseline scenario
Source of data used:	IPCC default values, table 1.4 of chapter 1 of Vol. 2, 2006 IPCC Guidelines for National Greenhouse Gas Inventories
Value applied:	1.747
Justification of the choice of data or description of measurement methods and procedures actually applied:	Deemed valid by GS VER Methodology
Any comment:	Measuring emission factors from stove technologies is costly and difficult to do accurately. The CME applies default IPCC emission values.

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	<b>EF<sub>b, fuel, non_CO2</sub></b>
Data unit:	tCO2/t firewood
Description:	Non-CO2 emission factor for use of firewood in baseline scenario
Source of data used:	IPCC default value, table 2.9 of chapter 2 of Vol. 2, 2006 IPCC Guidelines for National Greenhouse Gas Inventories
Value applied:	0.455
Justification of the choice of data or description of measurement methods and procedures actually applied:	Deemed valid by GS VER Methodology
Any comment:	Measuring emission factors from stove technologies is costly and difficult to do accurately. The CME applies default IPCC emission values.

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<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	$\eta_b$
Data unit:	Fraction
Description:	Efficiency of the baseline system being replaced
Source of data used:	Methodology
Value applied:	10%
Justification of the choice of data or description of measurement methods and procedures actually applied:	Default value as per the GS methodology.
Any comment:	Measuring emission factors from stove technologies is costly and difficult to do accurately. The CME applies default IPCC emission values.

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	$\eta_p$
Data unit:	Percent
Description:	Efficiency of the cookstove $i$ being used in the project scenario
Source of data used:	Emissions and Performance Report (Colorado State University)
Value applied:	29.7%
Justification of the choice of data or description of measurement methods and procedures actually applied:	<p>The efficiency of the project cookstove needs to be determined by an independent expert or entity, in the field or laboratory, following the Water Boiling Test protocol (available at <a href="http://www.pciaonline.org/node/1048">http://www.pciaonline.org/node/1048</a>).</p> <p>The CME may assess the project cookstove efficiency at the time of installation and use the default factor (eq.3) to derive efficiency in the year <math>y</math>. OR, the project cookstove efficiency (<math>\eta_{p,y}</math>) may be determined annually following the WBT protocol. In such a case the project cookstove efficiency shall not be adjusted by the default factor for efficiency loss during the year of operation. The term “DF<math>\eta</math>” shall be omitted and “<math>\eta_p</math>” shall be replaced. The average project cookstove efficiency will be determined using WBT in year <math>y</math> to calculate the <math>\eta_{p,y}</math>, efficiency of project cookstove in year <math>y</math>.</p>
Any comment:	<p>No extra Water Boiling Test in Myanmar is required as long as the project stove has been independently tested and is widely used in different countries.</p> <p>Source: Envirofit Data (<a href="http://envirofit.org/product/cookstoves/supersaver-gl-wood/">http://envirofit.org/product/cookstoves/supersaver-gl-wood/</a>)</p>

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<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	$f_{NRB, y}$
Data unit:	Fraction
Description:	Default values of fraction of non-renewable biomass for least developed countries and small island developing states
Source of data used:	CDM EB67 Report Annex 22 ( <a href="#">Weblink</a> ) Endorsed by Myanmar DNA
Value applied:	0.95
Justification of the choice of data or description of measurement methods and procedures actually applied:	The default NRB approved by CDM EB will be applied to all VPAs. If this value is updated by the EB or rejected by the Myanmar DNA, then each VPA using this value will be updated either at VPA inclusion or verification. A VPA-specific NRB assessment may be provided as an alternative within a VPA-DD.
Any comment:	Endorsement letter provided during PoA/VPA 001 validation phase

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	$B_{b,y}$
Data unit:	t/hh/a (tons firewood per household per annum)
Description:	Quantity of firewood consumed for cooking in baseline scenario during year y
Source of data used:	Baseline survey report
Value applied:	4.219
Justification of the choice of data or description of measurement methods and procedures actually applied:	<p>The value derived from ex-ante baseline surveys, please find the document titled, "Myanmar Stoves Campaign - Baseline Survey Report - March 2018". Three main reasons for higher than usual fuelwood consumption:</p> <p>Most families own livestock, mainly pigs, chicken, and cows. A common feedstock is broken rice which is cooked together with other cereals in order to make it easier to digest for the animals. This habit adds another cooking session per day.</p> <p>Farmers are regularly visited by traders to negotiate purchases of harvested goods. During these visits families prepare food for guests, requiring additional cooking.</p> <p>During fieldwork, additional food is prepared for farmworkers.</p>
Any comment:	All data sources are transparent and verifiable. Refer to baseline survey report for details, submitted separately in supporting documents with this report

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	$LE_{p,i,y}$
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Data unit:	fraction
Description:	Leakage in project scenario p, for technology i, during year y
Source of data to be used:	Default value
Value applied:	0.95
Justification:	Deemed valid per the GS methodology.
Any comment:	Aggregate leakage can be assessed for multiple project scenarios, if appropriate.

### Parameters and data fixed ex-ante – with latest values from 2018 Survey

The following data and parameters are established as part of the project survey and are monitored over the crediting period. The tables show the latest values derived from project monitoring survey conducted in March 2018.

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	$U_{p,y}$
Data unit:	Percentage
Description:	Usage rate for project cookstove in year y, based on adoption rate and drop off rate as per usage surveys
Source of data:	Project monitoring survey conducted during July 2018
Value applied:	97% value applied for 2017-18
Monitoring frequency:	Annually as established in the VPA-DD
QA/QC procedures to be applied:	A representative sample of project cookstove end-users was selected for follow-up by the monitoring and evaluation team. End user surveys were done house to house and status/information on all monitoring parameters was gathered.
Any comment:	A usage parameter is derived for each age group of project cookstove being credited.

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	$N_{p,y}$
Data unit:	Number of project cookstoves credited (units)
Description:	Cookstove in the project database for project scenario p through year y
Source of data:	VPA 007 (GS 6129) - End User Database
Value applied:	1787
Monitoring frequency:	Continuous
QA/QC procedures to be applied:	Transparent data analysis and reporting
Any comment:	

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<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	<b>DF<sub>n</sub></b>
Data unit:	Fraction
Description:	Discount factor to account for efficiency loss n of project cookstoves
Source of data:	Fixed default value from the methodology.
Value applied:	0.99 i.e., 1% efficiency loss per year. For period 2016-17 = 0.94
Monitoring frequency:	Annual
QA/QC procedures to be applied:	Transparent data analysis and reporting
Any comment:	This default will be used if stoves are found in good condition during annual surveys. For each year, the stoves of the age group x-y should be physically verified. In the case of progressive installations, stove of age group 0-1 shall also be physically verified each year through a random sampling approach. Minimum number of sample size shall be selected following the guidelines provided in section 4.2, option (b) of the methodology.

<b>Data / Parameter:</b>	<b>DF<sub>p, Stove, y</sub></b>
Data unit:	Fraction
Description:	Discount factor to account for usage of baseline cookstove during the year y in project scenario p
Source of data:	Project monitoring survey conducted during July 2018
Value applied:	8.38 %
Monitoring frequency:	Annual
QA/QC procedures to be applied:	Transparent data analysis and reporting
Any comment:	The discount factor for baseline-stove use may be determined based on number of meals cooked using the baseline stove. The required information shall be captured through sample surveys carried out following a random sampling approach for each age-group of the project stove. The minimum number of sample sizes shall be selected following the guidelines provided in section 4.2, option (b) of the POA-DD. The impact of seasonal variation on the use of baseline stove should be considered as part of the monitoring survey.

## Results on Sustainability Development Indicators - with latest values from 2018 Survey

No	1	
Indicator	Air Quality	
Mitigation measure	Not Required	
<i>Repeat for each parameter</i>	N/A	
Chosen parameter	Visible improvement in the indoor air quality by reduction of smoke, and sub-sequent indoor air pollution, irritation to eyes, soot emitting out and depositing on the walls of houses.	
Current situation of parameter	<p><b>100 %</b></p> <p>Unanimous agreement from the current stove users that the project stove has significantly improved the indoor air quality as compared to the earlier baseline stove.</p> <p>Source: VPA 007 (GS 6129) – Project Monitoring Survey Results</p>	
Estimation of baseline situation of parameter	Elevated levels of smoke coming out from stove usage, irritation to eyes, respiratory difficulties and higher deposition of soot on the walls of the kitchen area/house.	
Future target for parameter	Maintain and improve the indoor air quality.	
Way of monitoring	How	Household Surveys, Focus Group Discussions & Interviews
	When	Annually – after stoves are distributed
	By who	Self-Assessment by CME or Independent Auditor

No	2	
Indicator	Livelihoods of the Poor	
Mitigation measure	Not Required	
<i>Repeat for each parameter</i>	N/A	

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Chosen parameter		Money and time spent in purchasing/collecting firewood
Current situation of parameter		<p><b>Time Savings for Households = 44% (80 mins/month)</b></p> <p>According to the project monitoring survey results, around 92% of the stove users have a practice of collecting firewood and have reported to save an average of 44% time (avg. of 80 mins/month) in the activity. Around 6% of the stove users currently purchase wood. Even for the current users who have started purchasing wood recently, the project stove saves significant amount of money as compared to the baseline three-stone stove.</p> <p>Source: VPA 007 (GS 6129) – Project Monitoring Survey Results</p>
Estimation of baseline situation of parameter		Households earlier spent more time to collect firewood before using the new stoves.
Future target for parameter		Increase the time and money savings for users
Way of monitoring	How	Household Surveys, Focus Group Discussions & Interviews
	When	Annually – after stoves are distributed
	By who	Self-Assessment by CME or Independent Auditor

No	3
Indicator	Access to Affordable and Clean Energy
Mitigation measure	Not Required
<i>Repeat for each parameter</i>	N/A
Chosen parameter	Access and satisfaction with project stove
Current situation of parameter	<p>The project initially installed stoves into 1787 households. Applying the latest usage rate of 97% this results in 1734 stoves currently in use. From the baseline survey, we know that households have on average 4.83 members. Thus, the project currently provides clean and efficient cooking stoves for 8631 people.</p> <p>There has been high levels of user satisfactions with the project stove, savings in fuel are evident. Stove users are satisfied with the small portable design of stove which can be easily carried around anywhere.</p>
Estimation of baseline situation of	Three stove fires were easily accessible but are stationary, emit more heat on the user, consume more wood and does not provide

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parameter		with a healthy and comfortable environment for the user. None of the users had any form of better and efficient cooking technology.
Future target for parameter		Increase the outreach and number of stoves distributed. Maintain and increase the level of user satisfactions.
Way of monitoring	How	Household Surveys, Focus Group Discussions & Interviews
	When	Annually – after stoves are distributed
	By who	Self-Assessment by CME or Independent Auditor

No	4	
Indicator	Human & Institutional Capacity	
Mitigation measure	Not Required	
<i>Repeat for each parameter</i>	N/A	
Chosen parameter	Number of households participated in environmental awareness raising campaigns and sessions.	
Current situation of parameter	<p>From the start of this VPA on 01<sup>st</sup> March 2017 to 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017, the results of Human &amp; Institutional Capacity are as follows:</p> <p>Total Awareness Raising Events = 60</p> <p>Total Participants = 1560</p> <p>Total Male Participation = 511 out of 1560 (33%)</p> <p>Total Female Participation = 1049 out of 1560 (67%)</p> <p>Source: VPA 007 (GS 6129) - Project Tracking File, submitted as a supporting document</p>	
Estimation of baseline situation of parameter	None of such campaigns and/or sessions were organized.	
Future target for parameter	Increase the number of household and women participation	
Way of monitoring	How	Household Surveys, Focus Group Discussions & Interviews
	When	Annually – after stoves are distributed
	By who	Self-Assessment by CME or Independent Auditor

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No	5	
Indicator	Quantitative Employment & Income Generation	
Mitigation measure	Not Required	
<i>Repeat for each parameter</i>	<i>N/A</i>	
Chosen parameter	Number of local Sales Agents jobs created and increase in income & social recognition.	
Current situation of parameter	<p>From the start of this VPA on 01<sup>st</sup> March 2017 to 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017, the results on Quantitative Employment &amp; Income Generation are as follows:</p> <p>Total Number of Sales Agents (Vendors) Trained = 46</p> <p>Total Female Sales Agents (Vendors) Trained = 42</p> <p>Total Male Sales Agents (Vendors) Trained = 4</p> <p>These local sales agents in this VPA from all the villages, and significant increase in their social recognition and some assistance through financial incentives. The average earnings made by the sale agents is 90,925 MMK.</p> <p>Source VPA 007 (GS 6129) - Project Tracking File, submitted as a supporting document.</p>	
Estimation of baseline situation of parameter	These jobs did not exist prior to this project	
Future target for parameter	Increase more local vendors with more focus on women	
Way of monitoring	How	Household Surveys, Focus Group Discussions & Interviews
	When	Annually – after stoves are distributed
	By who	Self-Assessment by CME or Independent Auditor

## Section C: Emission Reduction Calculations

### Actual Emission Reduction Values Post Conducting the Monitoring Study

The table below summarizes the values for key emission reduction calculation parameters, measured in project monitoring survey, default values from methodology, and from other sources used for calculations for the crediting period. I.e., 2016-17. Please refer the “VPA 007 (GS 6129) - Ex-Post Emission Reductions Sheet” for 2017-18, as a supporting document for detailed calculations.

Parameter	Description	Crediting Period 2016-17	Unit	Source
$N_{p,y}$	Number of project cookstoves of each age group operation in year y	1787		VPA 007 (GS 6129) – End User Database
$U_{p,y}$	Usage rate for project cookstove in year y, based on adoption rate and drop off rate	97	%	Project monitoring survey conducted during July 2018
$B_{b,y}$	Quantity of firewood consumed in baseline scenario during year y	4.22	Tons/ household/ year	Baseline Survey Report
$\eta_b$	Efficiency of the baseline system being replaced	10	%	Default Value from Methodology
$\eta_{p,y}$	Efficiency of the system being deployed as part of the project activity	27.92	%	After applying discount factor to original efficiency (29.7%) to account for efficiency loss of project cookstove per year of operation
$P_y$	Quantity of firewood that is saved in the year y	2.71	Tons/ household/ year	Calculated as per Methodology
$DF\eta$	Discount factor to account for efficiency loss of project cookstove per year of	0.94	Factor	Calculated as per Methodology
$f_{NRB, y}$	Fraction of woody biomass saved by the project activity in period y that can be established as non-renewable biomass	0.95	Fraction	CDM EB67 Report Annex 22 ( <a href="#">Weblink</a> ) + Endorsement Letter Provided

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				during PoA registration
EF <sub>b, fuel, CO2</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub> emission factor of firewood that is substituted or reduced	1.747	tCO <sub>2</sub> /tWood	Default Value from Methodology
EF <sub>b, fuel, non CO2</sub>	Non-CO <sub>2</sub> emission factor of firewood that is substituted or reduced	0.455	tCO <sub>2</sub> /tWood	Default Value from Methodology
DF <sub>b, Stove, y</sub>	Usage of baseline cookstove during the year y in project scenario	8.38	%	Project monitoring survey conducted during July 2018
	<b>Emission reductions of the project activity in period y (pre-leakage)</b>	<b>9810</b>	<b>tCO<sub>2</sub></b>	Calculated as per Methodology
	<b>Leakage Discount Factor</b>	<b>0.95</b>		
ER <sub>y</sub>	<b>Emission reductions of the project activity in period y</b>	<b>9320</b>		Calculated as per Methodology
<b>Total ER for 2017-18</b>			<b>tCO<sub>2</sub></b>	

### Year Wise ER breakup

From	To	VERs
01 <sup>st</sup> March 2017	31 <sup>st</sup> December 2017	7767
01 <sup>st</sup> Jan 2018	28 <sup>th</sup> February 2018	1553
<b>Total</b>		<b>9320</b>

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## Estimated ER Values Before Conducting the Monitoring Study

Year	Estimation of project activity emission (tCO <sub>2</sub> )	Estimation of baseline emissions (tCO <sub>2</sub> )	Estimation of leakage (Discount Factor = 0.95)	Estimation of overall emission reductions (tCO <sub>2</sub> )
01/03/2017 to 28/02/2018	0	10133.7	0.95	9320
Total (tCO <sub>2</sub> )	0	10133.7		9320

The difference between the estimated value for emission reductions Vs the actual values are summarized in the table below:

	Estimated VER	Actual VER
<b>2016-17 (age<sub>0-1</sub>)</b>	10133.7	9320

The difference between the estimated VER and actual VER values is majorly because of low usage rate (97% Vs 100% in estimated), decrease in number of stoves applied for crediting in the VPA. and the application of leakage discount factor (0.95)

## Annex 1 - List & Name of Supporting Documents

- 1) VPA 007 (GS 6129) - Baseline Survey Report
- 2) VPA 007 (GS 6129) - Project Tracking File
- 3) VPA 007 (GS 6129) - End User Database
- 4) VPA 007 (GS 6129) – Project Monitoring Survey Results
- 5) VPA 007 (GS 6129) - Ex Post Emission Reductions Sheet

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6) VPA 007 (GS 6129) - Monitoring Survey Scans

7) VPA 007 (GS 6129) - GSGG Monitoring Report

8) VPA 007 (GS 6129) – Micro Scale Verification Report

### Annex 2 - List of Households Surveyed

Survey No	Stove Serial Number	Household Owner Name	Village Name	Date of Purchase of FES	Date of Survey	FES Still Used
1	EM1G-077752	DawThanMyint	PaukMyaing	09-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
2	EM1G-076958	UKyawMin	PaukMyaing	01-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
3	EM1G-078599	UNyoGyi	PaukMyaing	08-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
4	EM1G-076387	DawWinKyi	PaukMyaing	24-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
5	EM1G-078368	DawHninKhing	PaukMyaing	25-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
6	EM1G-077043	UWinKo	PaukMyaing	04-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
7	EM1G-077756	DawKhinMar	PaukMyaing	09-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
8	EM1G-078284	DawKhinMyint	PaukMyaing	09-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
9	EM1G-078240	UMyintThein	PaukMyaing	06-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
10	EM1G-077150	DawKhinHtayMyint	PaukMyaing	09-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
11	EM1G-076382	DawWiniMar	PaukMyaing	26-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
12	EM1G-078046	DawAyeHtwe	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	30-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
13	EM1G-077999	DawMyintThein	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	05-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
14	EM1G-077655	UHlaKyaw	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	07-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes

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15	EM1G-077613	UNyuntWin	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	05-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
16	EM1G-077458	UAungMin	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	04-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
17	EM1G-077115	UTheinHtike	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	07-04-2017	14-07-2018	No
18	EM1G-078413	UWinNaing	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	06-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
19	EM1G-077204	UTinShwe	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	04-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
20	EM1G-077727	UAungWin	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	05-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
21	EM1G-077405	UThanHtay	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	06-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
22	EM1G-077660	DawZarchiThan	Nwar_Shar_Yoe	04-04-2017	14-07-2018	Yes
23	EM1G-076722	MaWinWinNew	MyaukKyun	05-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
24	EM1G-078258	DawMarNyung	MyaukKyun	05-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
25	EM1G-076961	DawKhinWin	MyaukKyun	05-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
26	EM1G-077125	DawThanThanAye	MyaukKyun	05-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
27	EM1G-077585	MaTwetTwetWin	MyaukKyun	01-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
28	EM1G-078176	DawWin	MyaukKyun	01-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
29	EM1G-076731	DawTheinDi	MyaukKyun	05-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
30	EM1G-078204	DawKhaing	MyaukKyun	01-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
31	EM1G-076824	DawKyiWine	MyaukKyun	01-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
32	EM1G-077671	MaKhinMyoeWin	MyaukKyun	01-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
33	EM1G-077784	MaGyan	MyaukKyun	01-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
34	EM1G-076998	UMaungSan	ThanKone	23-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
35	EM1G-078061	UThanZawLin	ThanKone	23-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
36	EM1G-077372	DawWarWar	ThanKone	29-05-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
37	EM1G-077026	DawWinWinNwee	ThanKone	21-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
38	EM1G-	ULynn	ThanKone	31-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes

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	077369					
39	EM1G-078322	UHAnHtay	ThanKone	25-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
40	EM1G-077890	DawWarWarHtay	ThanKone	30-06-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
41	EM1G-077389	DawLaeYiWin	ThanKone	22-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
42	EM1G-077924	DawPway	ThanKone	21-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
43	EM1G-077558	UWinZawMoe	ThanKone	30-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
44	EM1G-078444	UAungMyo	ThanKone	24-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
45	EM1G-076866	DawMyintMyintSan	Tha Yet Kan	22-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
46	EM1G-077572	DawPhyu	Tha Yet Kan	24-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
47	EM1G-078126	MaKhinWinAye	Tha Yet Kan	23-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
48	EM1G-077030	DawMar	Tha Yet Kan	24-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
49	EM1G-076417	UKyawSoe	Tha Yet Kan	22-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
50	EM1G-077278	DawTinAye	Tha Yet Kan	05-04-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
51	EM1G-078431	UKyawNaing	Tha Yet Kan	01-04-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
52	EM1G-078095	DawMyintSein	Tha Yet Kan	03-04-2017	18-07-2018	No
53	EM1G-076515	DawChoMar	Tha Yet Kan	22-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
54	EM1G-078360	UMyintThein	Tha Yet Kan	23-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
55	EM1G-077027	DawZar	Tha Yet Kan	24-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
56	EM1G-076889	DawMyaMya	Tha Yet Kan	24-03-2017	18-07-2018	Yes
57	EM1G-077829	DawHlaPo	HpyuTwinKone	25-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
58	EM1G-078466	DawEiZin	HpyuTwinKone	24-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
59	EM1G-076638	DawMyint	HpyuTwinKone	23-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes

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60	EM1G-077363	DawAyeMya	HpyuTwinKone	25-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
61	EM1G-078329	DawSanYee	HpyuTwinKone	25-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
62	EM1G-077201	DawKhinNgwe	HpyuTwinKone	25-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
63	EM1G-077574	DawThanHlaing	HpyuTwinKone	23-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
64	EM1G-078094	UNaingWin	HpyuTwinKone	23-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
65	EM1G-077001	DawBanHtay	HpyuTwinKone	22-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
66	EM1G-076464	DawTinAung	HpyuTwinKone	22-03-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
67	EM1G-077412	USelTint	Ya Thar	03-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
68	EM1G-076791	UMinHteik	Ya Thar	03-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
69	EM1G-077346	DawHtayNwet	Ya Thar	28-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
70	EM1G-077949	DawHninYone	Ya Thar	28-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
71	EM1G-076908	DawNyeinMyint	Ya Thar	27-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
72	EM1G-076844	UMinZaw	Ya Thar	01-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
73	EM1G-077303	DawShwe	Ya Thar	28-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
74	EM1G-077504	DawKhine	Ya Thar	03-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
75	EM1G-077904	DawLay	Ya Thar	10-06-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
76	EM1G-077004	DawZinMarKhine	Ya Thar	27-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
77	EM1G-077328	DawTheinHtay	Kyauk Tan	30-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
78	EM1G-077594	DawMyaWin	Kyauk Tan	28-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
79	EM1G-078514	DawAyeAyeAung	Kyauk Tan	15-06-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
80	EM1G-077297	DawThitarOo	Kyauk Tan	01-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
81	EM1G-	UMyintThan	Kyauk Tan	26-06-2017	16-07-2018	Yes

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82	EM1G-078183	DawAyeShwe	Kyauk Tan	30-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
83	EM1G-078133	DawZinMarOo	Kyauk Tan	01-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
84	EM1G-077592	DawPyayMal	Kyauk Tan	02-05-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
85	EM1G-077916	DawWin	Kyauk Tan	30-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
86	EM1G-077609	DawHlaYi	Kyauk Tan	30-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
87	EM1G-076787	MaAyeMar	Kyauk Tan	30-04-2017	16-07-2018	Yes
88	EM1G-076962	DawTinNyo	PinLel	26-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
89	EM1G-078578	UShweHtay	PinLel	04-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
90	EM1G-076684	MgNyo	PinLel	03-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
91	EM1G-078636	DawAyeMar	PinLel	18-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
92	EM1G-078166	UAungMin	PinLel	05-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
93	EM1G-078548	DawCho	PinLel	03-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
94	EM1G-077631	DawHlaing	PinLel	03-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
95	EM1G-078501	DawAyeWin	PinLel	03-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
96	EM1G-078235	UKhinMgHtay	PinLel	05-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
97	EM1G-078186	DawTinMar	PinLel	03-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
98	EM1G-077428	DawHlaThein	PinLel	24-05-2017	17-07-2018	4
99	EM1G-078561	UMoeKyaw	PinLel	05-05-2017	17-07-2018	Yes
100	EM1G-078002	DawThanAye	SinGut	12-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
101	EM1G-077129	DawHla	SinGut	14-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
102	EM1G-077961	DawHtay	SinGut	12-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
103	EM1G-076719	UToneChone	SinGut	04-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes

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104	EM1G-077501	DawKyin	SinGut	08-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
105	EM1G-078277	DawSanNu	SinGut	04-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
106	EM1G-076725	DawHnin	SinGut	05-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
107	EM1G-077511	DawChoNgwe	SinGut	12-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
108	EM1G-077415	USeinHtoo	SinGut	04-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
109	EM1G-077597	UPaTun	SinGut	04-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes
110	EM1G-077732	DawWinMow	SinGut	03-05-2017	15-07-2018	Yes