

QUALITY REPORT

Clean Cooking - Cook Stove for Rural India

VCS-2942 · VCS · India

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3.5 Overall Score out of 10	■ Integrity (35%)	3.2
	■ Transparency (25%)	4.0
	■ Claim Safety (25%)	3.8
	■ Documentation (15%)	3.2

Weights: Integrity 35% · Transparency 25% · Claim Safety 25% · Documentation 15%

Assessment Summary

The project shows some positive elements (VVB involvement, recent monitoring report, FPIC and grievance mechanism reported) but has significant integrity and documentation weaknesses: multiple corrective action requests, unanswered questions on baseline and leakage, and extraction confidence flagged as low. These gaps create risk of overcrediting and reduce confidence in reported emission reductions.

Project Details

Registry	Verra (VCS)
Registry ID	VCS-2942
Sector	cookstoves
Country	India
Vintage	Recent
Project Methodology	VMR0006 1.1
Crediting Period	2022 — 2029
VVB	RINA
Verified ERs	148,546 tCO2e
Monitoring Period	2024 — 2025
Confidence	Medium
Documents Reviewed	50 documents reviewed
Scored	2026-04-23

Red Flags

- Multiple corrective action requests and material findings regarding baseline, fNRB calculation and thermal efficiency
- Leakage not addressed in the latest documents and no leakage deduction provided
- Low extraction confidence reported (key documents poorly readable)

Score Breakdown

Integrity — 3.2 / 10

- Multiple corrective actions and material findings reported in the monitoring report (2025-10-03) related to baseline survey, thermal efficiency and fNRB calculation

- Additionality was confirmed by a VVB in later documents (VVB: RINA) but earlier records contradict that — lowers confidence

The monitoring report (2025-10-03) and VVB involvement (RINA) provide some procedural integrity, but the report records numerous material findings and corrective actions concerning baseline identification, thermal efficiency measurement and fNRB calculation. Leakage is stated as not addressed in the latest documents and no leakage deduction percentage is provided in the extracted record. Reversals are not addressed. These combined shortcomings justify a low integrity score.

Transparency — 4.0 / 10

+ VVB named (RINA) and a recent monitoring report dated 2025-10-03 is available with verified ERR (148,546) reported

- Key items missing or not stated publicly in extracted record: buffer pool percentage, total ERR claimed, and grid emission factor; extraction confidence is low

A named VVB (RINA), a monitoring period (2024-01-01 — 2025-08-31) and a verified ERR figure (148,546) are present in the monitoring report (2025-10-03). However, several transparency-relevant items are missing from the extracted record: buffer pool percentage, total ERR claimed, grid emission factor and some monitoring assumptions. The minimum extraction confidence is low, which further reduces transparency.

Claim Safety — 3.8 / 10

+ Project is reported not CORSIA-eligible (reduces double-counting risk) and uses a project baseline method (VMR0006) which is appropriate for cookstoves

- fNRB method and value show contradictions (local field method and national default both appear in documents) and leakage justification is inconsistent — increases over-crediting risk

The project is reported as not CORSIA-eligible, lowering double-counting risk. However, contradictions in the fNRB method (local field versus national default) and uncertainty in usage-rate monitoring (assumed/verified usage not clearly available) raise over-crediting concerns. Leakage treatment is inconsistent across documents, increasing claim risk.

Documentation — 3.2 / 10

+ Large document set used (46 docs) and a recent monitoring report (2025-10-03) exists

- Minimum extraction confidence flagged as low and many corrective actions remain; several contradictions across documents reduce documentation reliability

Although 46 documents were used and the latest monitoring report is dated 2025-10-03, the record shows low extraction confidence and many outstanding corrective actions required from the VVB. Several fields are explicitly not stated in the extracted record (e.g., buffer pool percentage, grid emission factor) and the existence of contradictions between documents (see below) lowers the documentation score.

Risk Indicators

● Additionality	VVB-confirmed but contradictory records
● Permanence	buffer/reversal not clearly addressed
● Leakage	leakage not addressed in latest docs
● Baseline	project baseline present but reassessment/details missing
● Safeguards	FPIC and grievance mechanism reported
● Double-claim	not CORSIA-eligible

What Would Improve This Score

- VVB should close outstanding corrective actions with documented evidence: provide baseline survey details, fNRB calculation spreadsheet, thermal efficiency validation and weighing scale calibration records.
- Publish or extract clear values for buffer pool percentage, leakage deduction (or robust justification of negligible leakage), total ERR claimed, and the grid emission factor; and resolve contradictory records with dated, authoritative documents.

Documents Reviewed

- VCS Issuance Deed of Representation - signed 28.04.2023.pdf
- Issuance-Deed_VCS_2942_V4__2(VAS signed)_2.1.pdf
- RV1_VCS_PRR_2942_16Jan2024_closure.pdf
- VCS_V2_PRR_2942_04Oct2024.pdf
- ER Estimation_2942_Ver. 02 (1).xls
- VCS 2942_SD-VISa-MR_V01_MP_03_08102024_GSC.pdf
- 24.05.30_MR_SD Vista 2942_Cl.pdf
- Actual_ER_Sheet_2942_MP_1_Ver. 1__31.01.2023_(1).xlsx
- SD-VISa-MR_16Jun22-30Sept22_VVISTA 002_Vitol & EKIESL_V1-corrected.pdf
- A local language summary of the monitoring report - CLEAN COOKING- COOK STOVE FOR RURAL INDIA_VCS2942.pdf
- SDVISa_2942-MR_V02_MP03_01 January 2024 to 30 August 2025.pdf
- Local language summary of MR_VCS 2942_SD VISa_MP_3_08102024_GSC.pdf
- VCS 2942_SD-VISa-MR_V01_MP_02_190624.pdf
- SD-VISa-MR_01October2022 to 31December2023.pdf
- 24.04.02_ER_VCS_2942_MP2_V02.xlsx
- MR_VCS_2942_MP2_V03_27092024.cl.pdf.pdf
- A local language summary of the monitoring report_VCS 2942_SD VISa_19062024 (002).pdf
- Joint_PD_MR_VCS2942_Cleaned.pdf
- Local language summary of MR_VCS 2942_SD VISa_MP_3_01 January 2024 to 30 August 2025.pdf
- SD VISa Registration Representation, Multiple Representors_FINAL.pdf
- 2942_PUB_COM_SUM_SD VISa_Ver_29OCT2024_28NOV2024.pdf
- LIST_REP_2942_07FEB2022.pdf
- VCS Registration Deed of Representation - signed 28.04.2023.pdf
- 2942_PRR_SDV_VV1_16JUN2022_30SEP2022.pdf
- 2942_PUB_COM_SUM_CCB_V1_13JUL2023_12AUG2023.pdf
- Authorization letter for name change.pdf
- SD VISa Project Implementation Representation, Multiple Representors_MP-2- Signed.pdf
- India OutlineFilled.kml
- Declaration of Vitol - signed.pdf
- Communications-Agreement-multiple-PPs-VCS2942-SD VISa - Signed_01062023_ALL signed.pdf
- SD VISa Project Implementation Representation, Multiple Representors_FINAL.pdf
- Deed of Accession Vitol signed.pdf
- VCS 2942_Villages (2).kml
- SD_PRR_2942_VAL_04DEC2024.pdf
- SD-VISa-PD_VISTA 002_Vitol & EKIESL_V1 (1).pdf
- 24.05.30_PD_SD Vista 2942_Cl.pdf
- Listing Representation signed..pdf
- PROJ_DESC_DRAFT_2942_13APR2022.pdf
- SD-VISa-VerR_01October2022 to 31December2023.pdf
- Verification report VCS 2942.cl.pdf.pdf
- Val report_SD VISTA_VCS 2942.cl.pdf
- JVR-VR_VCS 2942_Cleaned.pdf
- VCS-Validation-Representation-v4.1.pdf
- VCS 2942_SD_VISa_Validation_Representation_signed.pdf
- SD-VISa-Verification-Representation-v1.0_VKU.VER.01.24_VERRA_SD-V_2942.pdf
- VCS 2942_Verification-Representation-v4.2_signed.pdf
- VCS-Verification-Representation-v4.1.pdf

- Ver report_SD VISTA_VCS 2942.cl.pdf
- 2942_SD-VISa-Ver-Rep-v1.0_signed.pdf

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