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**Gold Standard Solar Projects** 



# ■ SOLAR COOKSTOVE PROJECTS

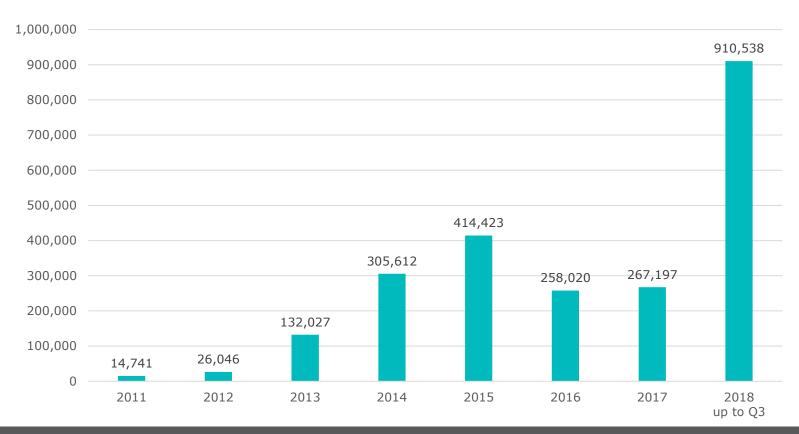


- 17 solar cookstove projects
- Over 2.3 million tonnes of credits issued from 14
  projects based in 6 different countries
  - **1.4** million VERs
  - **0.9** million GS CERs

#### Highest issuances in:

- Madagascar (46%)
- China (42%)
- Opportunity for

### ■ YEAR-ON-YEAR SOLAR COOKSTOVE ISSUANCES



# T CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

- 100% efficient
- Zero fuel costs
- Useful when wood fuel is scarce or hard to collect – e.g. high altitude areas/desert areas
- Tends not to displace baseline fuels completely
- Fewer VERs than 'traditional' improved cookstoves
- May need additional engagement to encourage adoption + skills to maintain

