



Yaeda Valley Project

Established: 2011 | First carbon revenue received: 2013

Winner of the:



Verified by:



Protecting the forested ancestral homeland of the Hadza hunter-gatherers by establishing their ownership of the natural resources in their territory and legal enforcement against encroachment.



By the end of 2020, **167,000** tonnes of CO₂ emissions avoided since the project started in 2011

Since 2011, over **149,000** trees prevented from being cut down



>US\$480,000 to local economies from carbon revenues since 2013

37 people directly employed in forest conservation through the project and **5,000** people directly benefit from the project

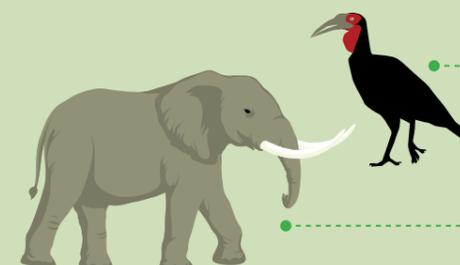
CO₂

Trained **33** VGS on natural resource protection tactics at Tanzania's leading wildlife training institute - the Pasiansi Wildlife Training Institute

1 novel Land Use Change Detection program developed in conjunction with the Yaeda Valley REDD project team



75% of management roles filled by women



12 threatened species protected

32,000 ha of critical habitat protected for migratory species

Conducted **10** meetings with the villages interested in becoming part of the expanded project. These meetings focus on free, prior, and informed consent (FPIC)

Engagement with **3** villages incorporating **2,500** people