# Get the Facts on Modern Diamond Mining

Diamond Producers Association unveils independent research from S&P Global company, Trucost, on Members' impact on local communities, employees and the environment.

TO SHED LIGHT ON THE REALITY OF MODERN DIAMOND MINING, THE DIAMOND PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION (DPA) COMMISSIONED INDEPENDENT RESEARCH ON ITS MEMBERS, WHO COMPRISE APPROXIMATELY 75% OF THE WORLD'S DIAMOND PRODUCTION. TRUCOST EXAMINED 150 DIFFERENT METRICS ACROSS MEMBERS' OPERATIONS IN COUNTRIES INCLUDING BOTSWANA, RUSSIA, CANADA, NAMIBIA, SOUTH AFRICA, LESOTHO, AUSTRALIA, ZIMBABWE AND TANZANIA. TO VIEW THE FULL REPORT, GO TO TOTAL-CLARITY.COM.

THE REPORT
FOUND THAT DPA
MEMBERS CREATE

us\$16 billion

IN NET SOCIOECONOMIC
AND ENVIRONMENTAL
BENEFITS



#### Our People

SALARIES AND WAGES PAID BY DPA MEMBERS CREATED

## us\$3.9 billion

IN DIRECT AND INDIRECT BENEFITS

DPA MEMBERS' EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTORS ARE PAID ON AVERAGE:

66% more

THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE SALARY AND

Nearly 5x

THE LIVING WAGE IN THEIR COUNTRY

DPA MEMBERS EMPLOY

77,000

EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTORS
WORLDWIDE, WHICH IS LARGER THAN
COCA-COLA'S GLOBAL WORKFORCE

#### Our <u>Communities</u>

NEARLY

60%

OF THE US\$16 BILLION NET BENEFIT FLOWS BACK INTO LOCAL COMMUNITIES

DPA MEMBERS INFUSED

us\$6.8 billion

INTO LOCAL COMMUNITIES THROUGH THE PURCHASE OF LOCAL GOODS AND SERVICES

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BENEFITS ASSOCIATED WITH SOCIAL PROGRAMS, INCLUDING HEALTH AND EDUCATION, TOTALED

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m US}\$292$  million

#### Our Environment

DPA MEMBERS' ENVIRONMENTAL FOOTPRINT IS LIMITED ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY TO CO2 EMISSIONS:

## 160kg of CO2

PER POLISHED CARAT, WHICH IS THE EQUIVALENT TO SENDING 5 1/2 DOZEN FLOWERS

DPA MEMBERS PROTECT

### 3x the land

THEY USE FOR MINING GLOBALLY

THE ESTIMATED CO2
ASSOCIATED WITH LABORATORY
GROWN DIAMONDS IS NEARLY



THAN DIAMONDS RECOVERED BY DPA MEMBERS IN 2016