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## Overview



- KSG Kirchner Solar Group
- Off-grid Market
- KSG Approach
- KSG Off-grid Solutions
  - Telecommunication sector
  - Village eletrification



# KSG Headquarters Germany





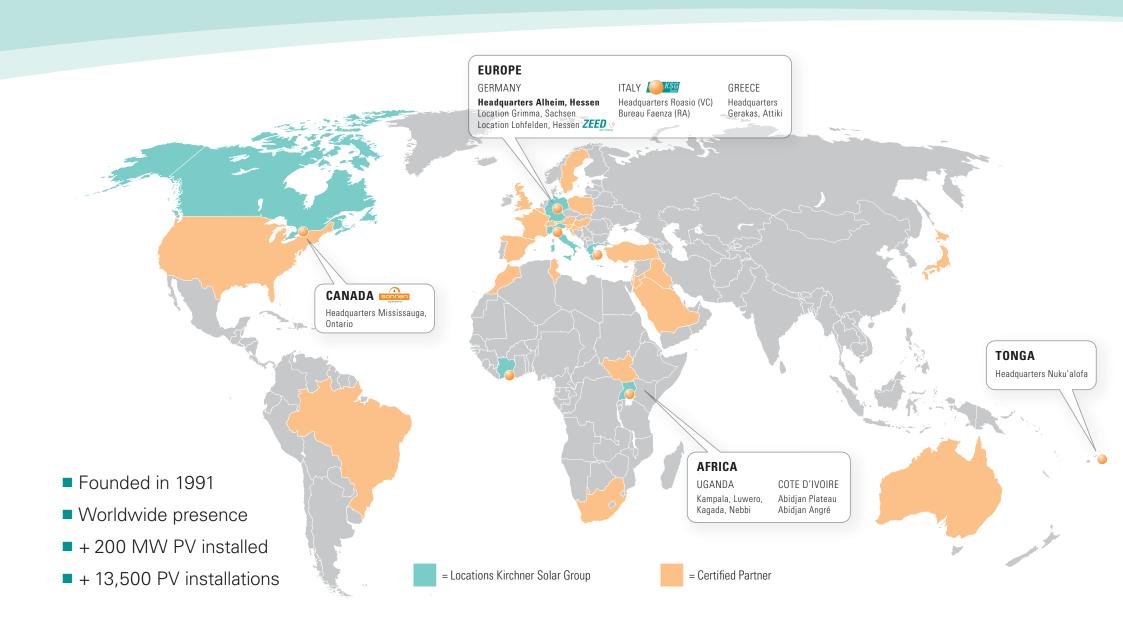
## KSG Business Units





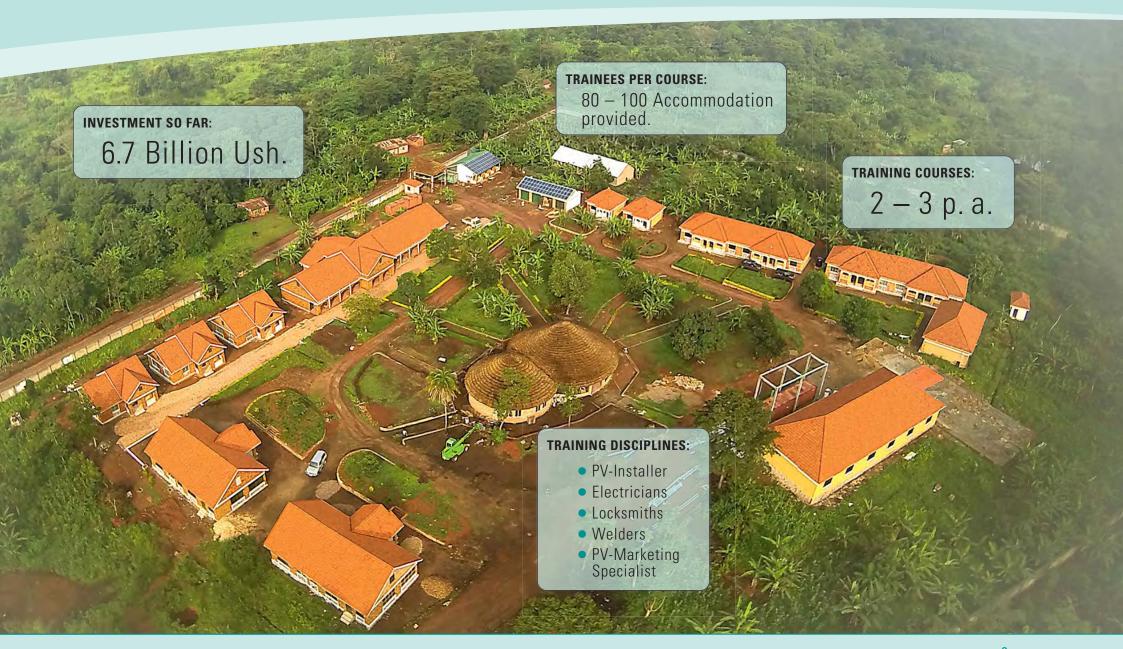
## KSG Kirchner Solar Group





# KSG Solar Center Uganda

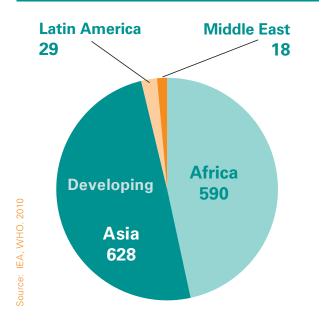




### Off-Grid Market

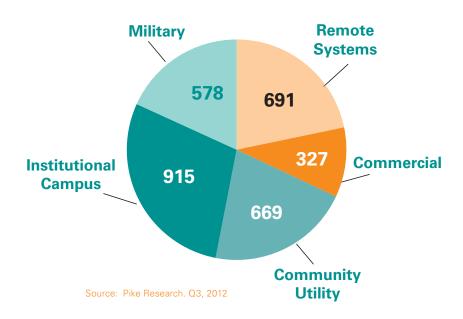


### Population w/o electricity (millions)



- Rural electrification challenges:
  - High costs grid expansion
  - Insufficient population density
  - Low electricity requirements
  - Complicated grid maintenance

### Diesel micro-grids worldwide



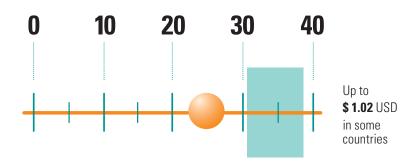
- Diesel micro-grid challenges:
  - Rising diesel costs
  - High OPEX costs
  - Complex logistics
  - High carbon footprint

### Off-Grid Market



### Off-grid rural electrification

Solar vs. Alternative (USD cents / kWh)







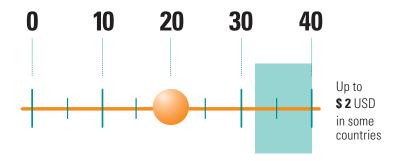
Source: US EIA, McKinsey. 2012

#### Solar advantage in rural electrification:

- Low individual investment
- Decentralized
- Household sized systems
- Minimum maintenance needed

### Micro-grids worldwide

Solar vs. Alternative (USD cents / kWh)







Source: US EIA, McKinsey. 2012

#### Solar advantage hybrid micro-grid:

- Minimum diesel use
- Low OPEX
- Supply reliability
- Minimum carbon footprint



- Case: Telco-Sector in Africa
  - 5 Mio. mobile cell towers worldwide consume
    1% of the world's electricity
  - Many in off-grid regions or unreliable grids
  - Over 150.000 mobile cell towers in Africa
  - Annual growth rate is assumed at 19%
  - Rising competition leads to consolidations and cost pressure





### Top Operators in SSA by number of connections

2012

Operators	Total Connections	Headquartered	Countries
MEN	103,319,174	South Africa	Liberia, Botswana, Guiena, Benin, Cameroon, Congo, Côte d'ivoire, Ghana, Guinea -Bissau, Nigeria, Rwanda, South Africa, Swaziland, Uganda, Zambia
vodafone	70,955,587	United Kingdom	DRC, Lesotho, Mozambique, South Africa (Vodacom), Tanzania, Ghana, Kenya (Safaricom)
<b>airtel</b>	63,507,689	India	Burkina Faso, Chad, Congo, DRC, Gabon, Ghana, Kenya, Madagascar, Malawi, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, Sierra Leone, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia
orange"	28,592,053	France	Côte d'Ivoire, Botswana, Cameroon, CAR, Madagascar, Niger, Uganda, Equatorial Guinea, Mauritius, Guinea-Bissau, Guinea, Mali, Senegal, Kenya
Globalcom	23,859,754	Nigeria	Benin, Ghana, Nigeria
اتصالات etisalat	19,402,674	UAE	Tanzania, Nigeria, Benin, CAR, Côte d'Ivoire, Gabon, Niger, Togo
tigô Millicom	16,961,871	Luxembourg	Chad, DRC, Ghana, Rwanda, Senegal, Tanzania, Mauritius
sudatel Jilogui	2,147,588	Sudan	Mauritania, Ghana, Senegal, Guinea, Nigeria

# KSG Reference project Uganda



### Pilot site:

Nakawomeka (mobile cell tower)

Kabunyata (village eletrification)



KSG Uganda (solar training center)

Luwero District





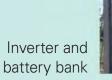




Installation KSG Solar Genset for mobile cell tower in Nakawomeka



 Pilot site at mobile cell tower
 Nakawomeka





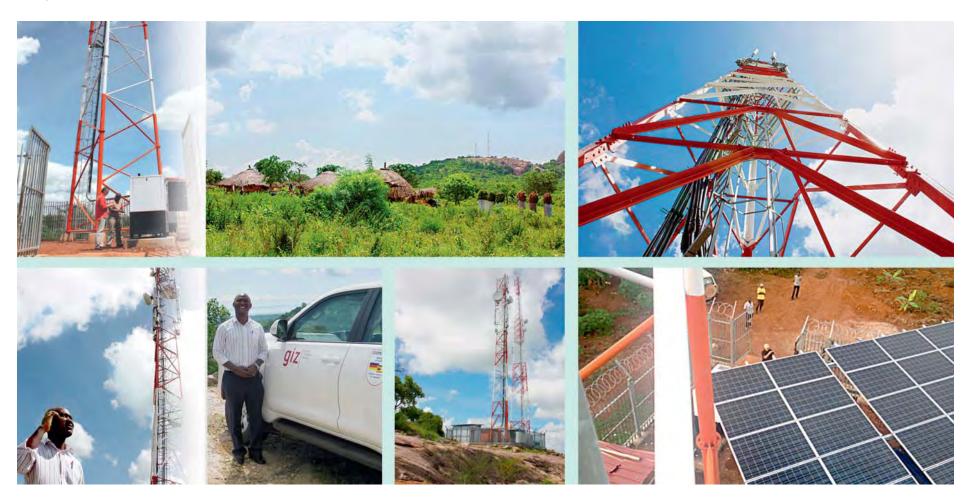


Energy container and installation





Impressions KSG Solar Genset in Nakawomeka



## KSG Village electrification





■ Impressions KSG Solar Genset for electrification in Kabunyata





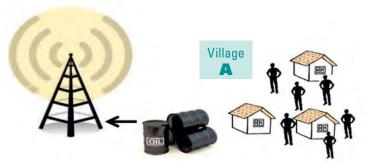
## KSG Electrification conception





Village

Project: Mobile cell tower and village for rural electrification









- **Before** KSG Solar Genset...
  - Mobile towers are run by diesel
  - Rural communities have no access to electricity, use paraffin and kerosene
  - No economic development in rural areas
  - High environmental burden

- After KSG Solar Genset ...
  - Solar substitutes diesel, energy costs sink significantly
  - Establishment of small enterprises
  - Creation of job oppurtunities in the villages
  - Training in operation and maintenance

Village

## KSG Village electrification







## Local customers and productive use





... after electrification with KSG Solar Genset





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