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## Same challenges, now more complex

407

of wealth owned by 0.6% of World's richest



Sources: OECD, 2012; Mauna Loa Observatory Jan 2016; Harvard Institute of Politics, as reported in Time May 23, 2016

## Great work being done already on...

Governments	Infrastructure	Justice Systems
Healthcare	Philanthropy	Religious Institutions
Finance	Voters	Business

## **Business**

creates opportunity

### Business creates opportunity for all

NGOS, Govt Insufficient to the task

### When we unleash the power of business to create a more shared and durable prosperity for all

We...

Create more high quality jobs Reduce inequality Alleviate poverty Restore a healthier environment Build stronger communities

## What B Lab does

Step 1 Build a credible community of leaders --B Corps

Step

reate tools to make it easy for millions to follow Shared & Durable Prosperity

**Step 3** Inspire billions to support businesses who are a force for good



B Corp Certification is to business what Fair Trade is to coffee or Proudly South Africa is to local production.

## What does it take?

#### Meet higher levels of:



#### 1. Social and environmental performance Minimum 80 points on B Impact Assessment



#### 2. Transparency

Make B Impact Report publicly available



#### 3. Accountability

Expand corporate duties to consider stakeholders



## **Build a community of leaders**

**2000+** Certified B Corporations **50+** Countries **130** Industries **1** Unifying Goal





## South Africa Today – B Corps























## South Africa Today – Broader Movement



## **Build tools for others to follow**

**Measure What Matters** 





50,000+ businesses



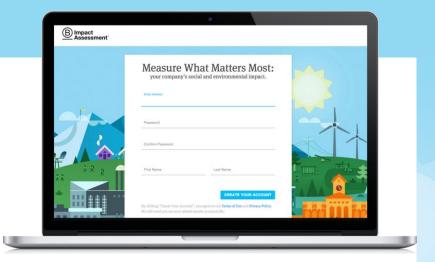


**100+** institutions (investors, supply chains, govt.)

## **B Impact Assessment Overview**

**B Impact Assessment** is a holistic measure of a company's social and environmental performance.

- Focused on positive performance
- Tailored based on # of employees, sector, & geography
- Based on 200 point scale
- Available in English, Spanish, Portuguese



#### www.bimpactassessment.net

The B Impact Assessment is used by 50,000+ businesses globally

## **Evolution of the B Impact Assessment**

2007	Alpha, Beta, Official Launch of Version 1.0	
2010	Version 2.0 Including first addenda – real estate & design/build, financial services	
2012	Version 3.0 Launch of Emerging Markets assessment First translations of assessment (Spanish) Assessment moves to Salesforce	
2015	Launch of the Quick Impact Assessment	
2014	Version 4.0 Launch of Developed Markets – Global Includes EM financial services addendum	₩0≗
2016	Version 5.0 New easy to use platform Higher education addendum	

## **BIA Development & Governance**

- Dynamic: Revised Every Two Years
- Stakeholder/User Driven: 3000+ Pieces of Feedback in 2015
- Transparent: Public Comment Period for Drafts
- Objective: Research Based; Expert Working Groups
- Independently Governed: Standards Advisory Council

## **Customized based on three "Track Drivers"**

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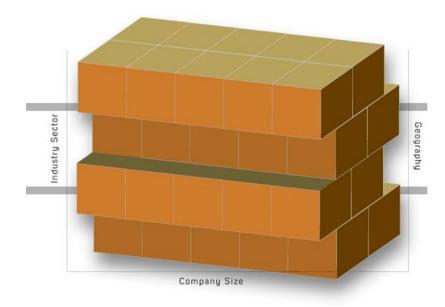
- Working Owners
- 1-9
- 10-49
- 50-250
- 250-1000
- 1000-10000

#### Market (geography):

- US Developed Markets (DM)
- Global Developed Markets (DM)
- Emerging Markets (EM)

#### Sector (industry):

- Manufacturing
- Service w/ minor
- Service w/ significant footprint
- Wholesale
- Agriculture
- Microfinance Institutions



## **B Impact Assessment Topics**





## Impact Business Model

The design of a company that creates a specific positive benefit/outcome for one or more of its stakeholders.



May be based on a product, beneficiary, particular process, activity or structure



Extraordinary & contingent upon company

## **Operational Impact**



Covers facilities, purchases, employees, and governance

Managing the day to day impact of running the business



Applies to all companies independent of design or intent



Aligned with other best-in-class

standards

## Four types of questions

#### **Practices**

Monitoring Water Use	$\bigtriangleup$
EXPLAIN THIS	:

#### Does your company monitor, record and/or report its water usage?

- O We do not currently monitor and record our usage
- O We monitor and record usage (no reduction targets)
- O We monitor and record usage, and have specific reduction targets
- O We monitor usage and have met specific reduction targets during the last fiscal year

#### Policies

Supplier Code of Condu	uct	☆ 🏿
EXPLAIN THIS	IN PRACTICE	:

Is there a formal written Supplier Code of Conduct policy that specifically holds the company's suppliers accountable for social and environmental performance?

This may include policies on Fair Trade. The answer to this question affects questions you'll encounter further on in your assessment.

O Yes O No

#### Outputs

Low Impact Renewable	e Energy Use	☆ 口	-
EXPLAIN THIS	SHOW EXAMPLE		:

#### What % of energy use is produced from low-impact renewable sources?

Include electricity and other energy consumption from heating, hot water, etc.

С	0%
С	1-24%
۲	25-49%
С	50-74%
О	75-99%
С	100%
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Employee Satisfaction		☆ 🛛	-
EXPLAIN THIS	SHOW EXAMPLE		:

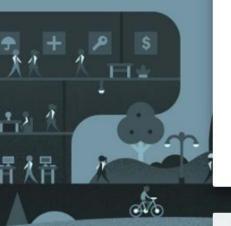
#### What percent of your employees are 'Satisfied' or 'Engaged'?

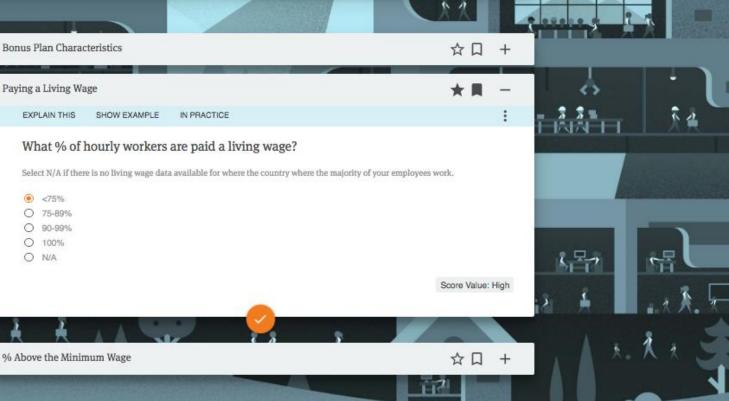
Select N/A if satisfaction or engagement is not formally surveyed.

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0	65-80%
۲	81-90%
0	>90%



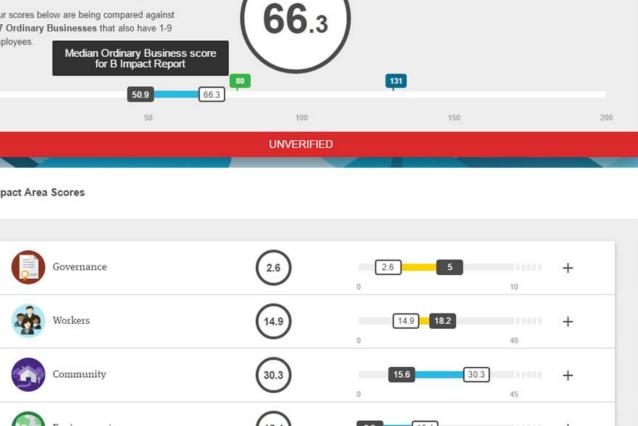






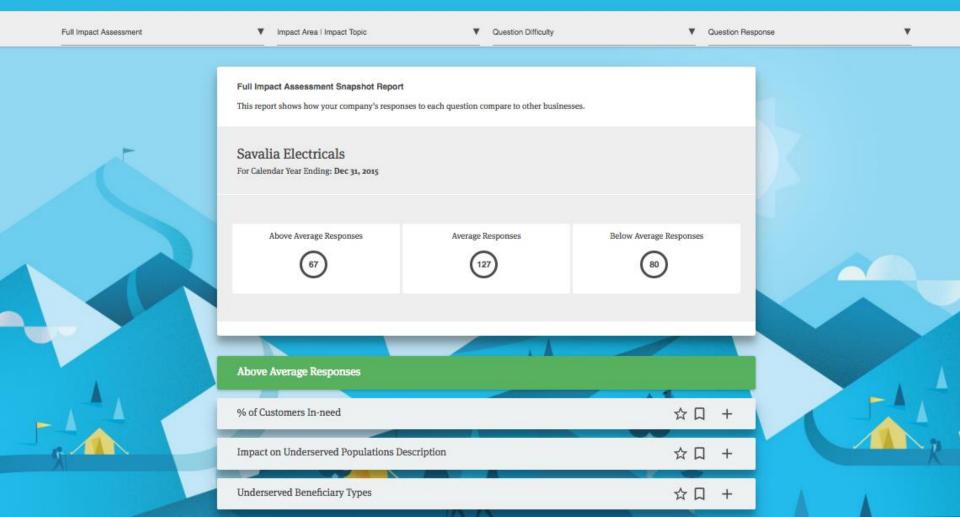








#### Snapshot Report



## When companies use BIA, they make measurable change.



Boloco Burritos

Raised compensation for all employees to a living wage

#### Greyston Bakery

Created a supplier education program to help their supply chain reduce their carbon emissions



Began offering a retirement plan, life insurance, and disability insurance to employees

**Fireclay Tile** 

Etsy

Tripled their percentage of spending with locally owned businesses



#### Badger Balm

Began subsidizing off-site childcare

#### iSupportU

Switched energy providers so their office could be 100% wind-powered

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Progress Reporting	B Impact Report	Question Level Benchmarking	Impact Cloud	Flexible Reporting

\*Original View

Download All Data

#### **Progress Reporting**

Network	Companies	Period	Sort Table
(All)	• (AII) •	Current Year 🔹	Latest Login
Number of Companies	Recent Activity	Average Completion	Companies Behind Schedule
807	14	45%	0
	Last 30 Days	Quick Impact Assessment/Custom	Desired Completion Date 7/8/2018
Company Contact	Data Sharing Year Progress	Latest Login Overall Score BIA Comp	pletion Custom See Repo

Need Assistance	Company	Contact	Data Sharing	Year	Progress	Latest Login	Overall Score	DIA Completion	Completion	See Reports	
) Logout	Surya Brasil	Marcio Moreira	Approved	2016	In Progress	8/22/16	124	100%	94%		Î
ged in as Santiago Perez rez@bcorporation.net	LED Inspire   WATT and FLUX	K.A. Stacie Alexiou	Approved	2016	Rated and Completed	8/18/16	88	100%	98%		
ange Password	Repeat Roses	Jennifer Grove	Approved	2016	In Progress	8/16/16	54	52%	78%		
	Juliana Lohmann	JULIANA LOHMANN	Approved	2016	In Progress	8/15/16	1	1%	2%		



Network Analytics

- My Dashboard

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#### **Question Level Benchmarking**

Benchmark	My Networks		Company Name		Impact Area	1× -	Impact Topic		Performance	
All Companies *	(All)	•	(AII)	*	(Multiple values)	*	(All)	•	(All)	*
Period	Market		Sector		Industry Category		Industry		Size	

#### **Companies in Network**

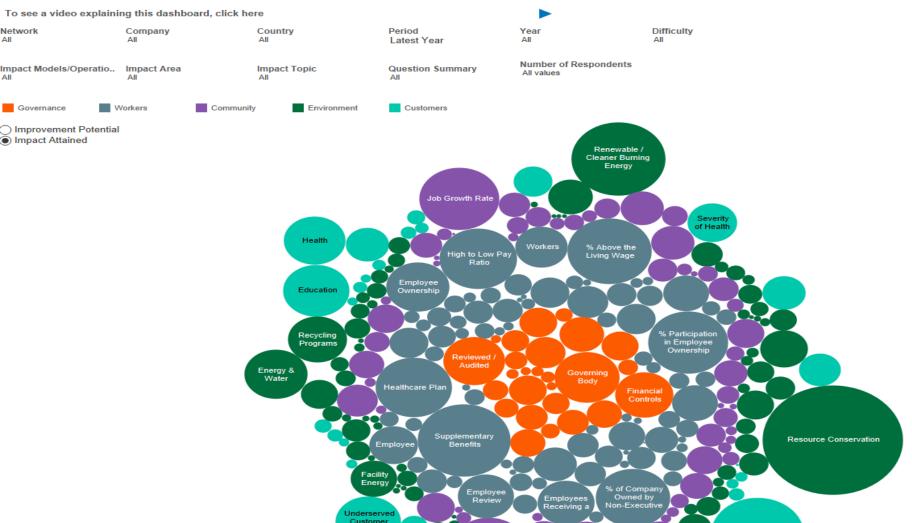
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#### Companies in Benchmark

20,653

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Question Summary	% of Points Earned	Benchmark Avg	0%	20%	40%	60%	80%	100%	
% Above the Living Wage	38%	45%			• •				
% Above the Minimum Wage	63%	51%				• •			
% Donated to Charity	25%	50%			•	•			
% GHG Emissions Offset	0%	7%	•	•					
% Increase in Wages	100%	55%				•		٠	
% of Business From Microdistributors	50%	38%			•				
% of Business From Microfranchises	25%	38%			٠				
% of Company Owned by Non-Executive Employees	12%	17%		••					
% of Company Owned by Non-Management Employees	0%	4%							
% of Employees Paid Living Wage	67%	62%				+			
% of Employees Volunteer Service	5%	22%		•					
% of Profits Donated	26%	22%							

#### Impact Cloud: 31 Companies



## **About Measure What Matters**

One day, **all companies** will measure and manage their impact with the same **rigor as financial performance**.

Businesses will strive to be **Best for the World**, resulting in a shared and durable prosperity.

#### **Types of Partners**



#### **Roles our partners play**

#### **Core Role:**

Promoter

Invite companies to take Assessment; spread the word

#### **Optional:**

FacilitatorOrganize events/workshops to take AssessmentFacilitate peer-learning

Advisor Providing technical assistance to helping them improve

**Celebrator** Congratulate participants or high achieving companies

**Investor** Drive capital to companies doing good

## What is Measure What Matters?

## A program to **teach** and **engage** businesses how to...



#### Create higher quality jobs



#### Build stronger communities

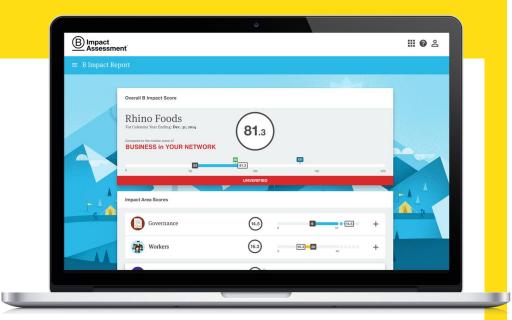


Preserve a healthier environment

## Step 1: Educate

**Invite** businesses to take the **Quick Impact Assessment** and take the first step to measuring their impact.

- Free, confidential tool
- Don't have to be the CEO to participate



## Step 2: Equip

#### Equip companies to improve their practices

#### What's your approach?

- Programs and workshops to help plan improvements
- Hands on assistance from local MBAs or small business coaches
- Mentorship from other local businesses
- [What we'll be exploring together!]





## Step 3 : Celebrate

**Celebrate** companies that participate and improve

....and create the carrot/incentive for participation

## 1,000,000 businesses aware of 'the issues'

#### Employing 20,000,000 workers



#### Workers

- Higher quality jobs
- Training and career advancement



#### **Customers**

- · Better choices at retail
- Products that address social issues



#### Communities

- · Diversity of workplaces, board rooms
- · Higher impact, lower risk supply chains



#### Environment

- Lower carbon, waste, water, toxins
- Fewer resources consumed to make products

## 1,000,000 businesses understand how they stack up against others

Governance	3.4	3.4 <b>5</b>	10 <b>+</b>
Workers	15.8	<b>15.8 18.2</b>	40 <b>+</b>
Community	30.3	<b>15.6</b> 0	.3 <b>+</b> 45
Environment	15.4	<b>6.3</b> 15.4	45 <b>+</b>

## 500,000 businesses on path to improve

Boloco Burritos Raised compensation for all employees to a living wage	<b>Azavea</b> Now encourages employees to use 10% of time for personal research projects	<b>Dansko</b> Makes tuition reimbursement available to 100% of employees
Badger Balm Began subsidizing off-site childcare	<b>Sungevity</b> Helps fundraise and support non-profit partnership organizations	Method Products Pays suppliers to reduce their carbon emissions
Etsy	Klean Kanteen	Farmigo
Tripled their percentage of spending with locally owned businesses	Now is 33% owned by women and ethnic minorities	Now has 50% of expenses with local independent suppliers

## **About B Corp – Appendix**

## Certified

## Corporation

# Why become a B Corp?

- 1. Maintain Mission
- 2. Differentiate from Pretenders
- 3. Benchmark and Improve Performance
- 4. Attract and Engage Talent
- 5. Collaborate with Peers
- 6. Save Money and Access Services
- 7. Generate press
- 8. Raise Capital

## B Corps do together what they can't do alone...



## **B** Corps do together what they can't do alone... Inclusion

## The B Corp Challenge



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#### **Engaging and Retaining a Diverse Workforce**

If you operate in the United States or another country where health insurance is commonly provided by employers, try using health risk questionnaires and focus groups to identify the best health benefits for your unique team. This will enable you to work with health providers to tailor benefits to best serve your unique workforce.25

If you aren't already, consider offering the following to your employees:

- Benefits to domestic partner, civil union, and/or same sex marriage spouses and dependents;<sup>26</sup>
- Transgender-inclusive health care; and
- Disability income insurance for protection in the case of accidents.

Your approach to providing benefits will depend on the unique needs of your employees and the resources at your disposal. That said, certain benefits may be more effective than others at boosting the inclusivity of your workplace. If you aren't already, consider offering:

 Flexible working arrangements. Empower your employees to make some decisions regarding when and where they work (e.g., through flex-time work schedules, job sharing, telecommuting, etc.). Studies have shown that this practice allows companies to hire and retain more women and people with disabilities, and that men also benefit. Flexible working arrangements can reduce work/life conflict, enhance productivity, improve wellbeing, reduce absenteeism, and increase job satisfaction 27

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