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Saipem's business strategy is driven by the creation of shared value. This is the basis of our sustainability concept that recognises the importance of taking all stakeholders into account in our value creation process, including society as a whole and the environment.

An important step forward in this approach entails the identification of all environmental and social impacts our Company generates and their measurement in order to be adequately managed for the benefit of the environment and society.

The measurement of these impacts is of paramount importance for a company to better integrate sustainability aspects in its decision-making process, aware that more comprehensive measurements lead to a more comprehensive management approach.

Based on previous experiences, studies on this topic and literature reviews, we have designed our own measurement model, called REVALUE, which strives to value the overall impact of Saipem's business activities worldwide.

The REVALUE model has been structured considering a 'continuous improvement' approach, allowing for the possibility to constantly integrate and further refine the model concept and the quantification of the indicators for impact evaluation. This is because we are aware of the great challenges that the impact quantification poses and the need to continuously work and improve methodologies for impact assessment. Thus, this document describes the preliminary results of the exercise in terms of model design and the presentation of results.

#### **METHODOLOGY OVERVIEW**

The REVALUE model is based on existing impact measurement techniques that delineate the relationship between business activity inputs, their corresponding outputs and their long term outcomes. The impact is then the measure of the outcome attributable to the business activities.

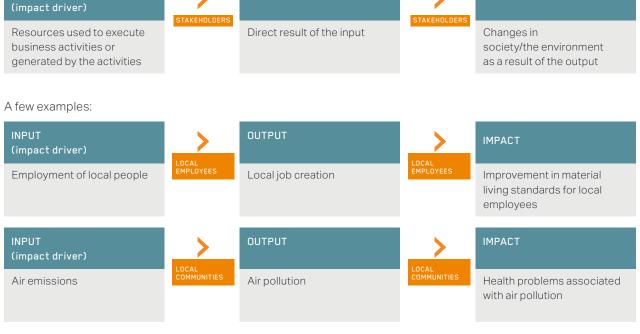
This causal process has been structured considering the perspectives and impacts for Saipem's relevant stakeholders, including government and local authorities, business partners, local employees and neighbouring communities. The representation of the impact pathway is presented below:

IMPACT

OUTPUT

# Definition:

INPUT



A comprehensive analysis of inputs/outputs/impacts has been carried out taking into consideration the main inputs (impact drivers) related to Saipem's activities worldwide, namely:

#### Social impact drivers

- Employment of personnel;
- Purchases of goods and services;
- Tax payments to countries;
- Employee training;
- Saipem Welfare system.

# **Environmental impact drivers**

- GHG emissions;
- Other air emissions (VOC,  $SO_2$ ,  $NO_X$ , CO, PM);
- Waste production;
- · Water withdrawal;
- Spills.

In order to quantify the impacts, proxies have been identified and quantified by using different methodologies and data sources, both internal and external.

At present, only some of the impacts identified have been quantified by use of a proxy, due to a limited availability of data that can represent the effect on society/the environment connected with the impact driver.

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Employment of local personnel	LOCAL EMPLOYEES	Local job creation	LOCAL EMPLOYEES	<ul> <li>Improvement in material living standards</li> <li>Change in well-being due to Health &amp; Safety accidents</li> </ul>
INPUT (impact driver)	<u> </u>	ОИТРИТ	<b>&gt;</b>	IMPACT
Purchase of goods and services	LOCAL BUSINESS	Increased revenues for local vendors	LOCAL COMMUNITIES	Improvement in material living standards
INPUT (impact driver)	<b>&gt;</b>	OUTPUT	<u> </u>	IMPACT
Employee training	LOCAL EMPLOYEES	Increased skills	LOCAL EMPLOYEES	Improved employability
INPUT (impact driver)	<u> </u>	OUTPUT	<u> </u>	IMPACT
GHG emissions	NATIONAL GOVERNMENT	Contribution to climate change	LOCAL COMMUNITIES	Change in health and well-being
INPUT (impact driver)	<u>&gt;</u>	ОИТРИТ	<u>&gt;</u>	IMPACT
Avoided GHG emissions	NATIONAL GOVERNMENT	Contribution to fighting climate change	LOCAL COMMUNITIES	Avoided change in health and well-being
INPUT (impact driver)	<b>&gt;</b>	ОИТРИТ	<u> </u>	IMPACT
Other air emissions	LOCAL COMMUNITIES	Air pollution	LOCAL COMMUNITIES	Change in health and well-being



The impacts were selected based on a combination of elements including their materiality for Saipem's business activities, the availability of reliable methods and data, and the feasibility of a monetary quantification.

#### **RESULTS**

For the quantification of impacts, input data from Saipem's internal accounting and reporting systems was considered. Input data refer to the 2018 reporting year and are compared with 2017 results.

A total of 8 impacts were calculated, of which 3 are connected to social impact drivers and 5 to environmental impact drivers. They were calculated by considering the impact drivers derived only from Saipem's direct inputs.

As can be seen in Figure 1, the overall net value of all impacts accounts for €1,438 million (vs. €998 million in 2017), with a total of €1,757 million in positive impacts (vs. €1,303 million in 2017) and €319 million in negative impacts (vs. €305 million in 2017).

The overall net impact value from social impact drivers accounts for €1,746 million (vs. €1,295 million in 2017) while the net impact value from environmental impact drivers accounts for a negative figure of €308 million (vs. €297 million in 2017).

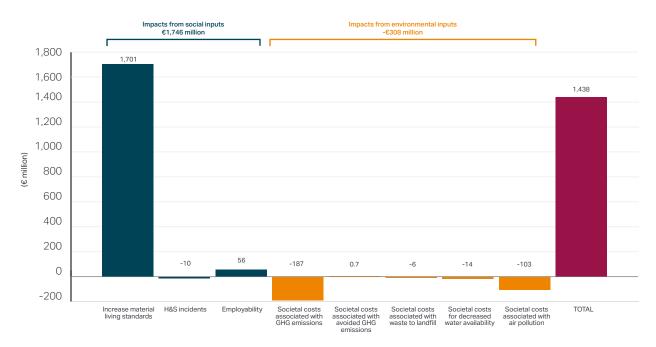


Figure 1. Overview of the results of 8 quantified impacts and the total net value resulting from all of them.

#### **CALCULATION DETAILS**

Starting with the input data from Saipem's internal accounting systems, the impact was calculated by use of proxy to give it a monetary quantification.

# INPUT



## IMPACT

Employment of local personnel

Total number of direct Saipem employees worldwide

Improvement in material living standards<sup>1</sup>

Proxy: increase in household consumption of employee families in the countries of operation

# INPUT (impact driver



# IMPACT

Purchases of goods and services

Total purchase of goods and services worldwide

Improvement in material living standards<sup>1</sup>

Proxy: increase in household consumption of employee (first-tier) vendors and their families in the countries of purchase

#### INPUT (impact driver)



# IMPACT

H&S accidents

Total number of fatalities and LTI of employees (including subcontractors) Change in well-being due to Health & Safety accidents

Proxy: costs of treatment associated with the number of accidents of Saipem employees and subcontractors calculated based on the 'Costs to Britain of workplace fatalities and self-reported injuries and ill health, 2015/16' study

# INPUT (impact driver)



# IMPACT

Employee training

Total number of training hours

Improved employability associated with skill development

Proxy: indirect and induced effect of the Human Capital Development impact category of the Saipem SELCE Model<sup>2</sup>, applied to all Saipem countries of operation (calculated as increased earning expectancy and reduction of unemployment risk)

# INPUT (impact driver)



# IMPACT

GHG emissions

Total GHG emissions (scope 1 and 2)

Change in health and well-being

Proxy: societal cost of GHG emissions calculated based on the Environmental Priority Strategy (EPS) 2015 dx (www.ivl.se/eps)

#### INPUT (impact driver)



# IMPACT

Avoided GHG emissions

Total avoided GHG emissions associated with energy efficiency initiatives

Avoided change in health and well-being

Proxy: avoided societal costs associated with GHG emissions calculated based on the Environmental Priority Strategy (EPS) 2015 dx (www.ivl.se/eps)

<sup>(1)</sup> The result in terms of improvement of material living standard has been reported as total sum of contribution from the two impact drivers (employment of local personnel and purchases of goods and services).

<sup>(2)</sup> Saipem Externalities Local Content Evaluation (SELCE) Model (more info here).

# INPUT (impact driver)



#### IMPACT

Other air emissions

Total air emissions (VOC, CO, PM, SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>x</sub>) Change in health and well-being

Proxy: effect of air pollutants on people and the environment calculated based on the Environmental Priority Strategy (EPS) 2015 dx (www.ivl.se/eps) as societal costs of CO, PM, NMVOC,  $NO_x$ ,  $SO_2$ 

#### INPUT (impact driver



#### IMPACT

Waste production

Total waste disposed to landfills

Change in health and well-being

Proxy: societal costs of waste disposal to landfills calculated based on an EC study, 'A Study on the Economic Valuation of Environmental Externalities from Landfill Disposal and Incineration of Waste' (2000), using the worst case scenario

### INPUT (impact driver



#### IMPACT

Water withdrawal

Total water withdrawal

Decrease in water availability for community use

Proxy: water production capacity for drinking water calculated based on Environmental Priority Strategy (EPS) 2015 dx (www.ivl.se/eps) as cost of drinking water production in country with water scarcity