



# Brasso Seco Paria TAC

A local green-blue enterprise in Trinidad and Tobago



Brasso Seco Paria TAC protects watersheds and teaches visitors to do the same.



Brasso Seco TAC supports collective ownership and shareholding through training staff to fully engage in its operations.



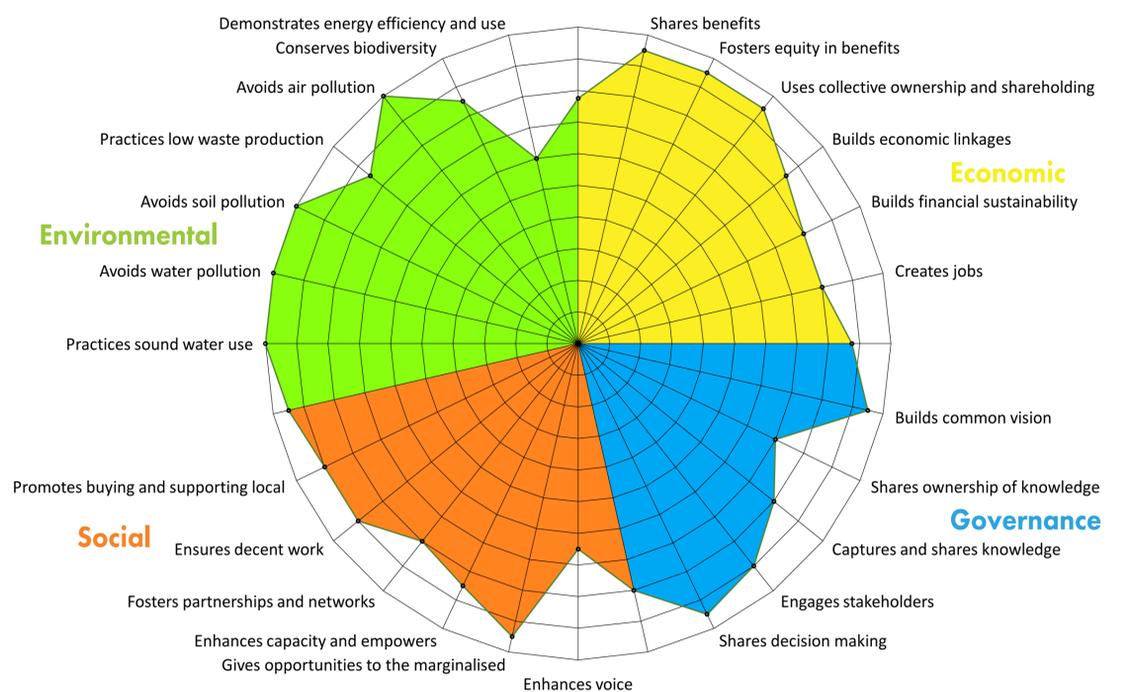
Brasso Seco Paria TAC supports promotion and buying of local goods, such as cocoa beans.



Brasso Seco Paria TAC utilises participatory decision-making to manage its programmes.



Brasso Seco Paria Tourism Action Committee (Brasso Seco Paria TAC), founded in 1997, is a local green-blue enterprise that provides eco-tourism and agro-tourism services in and around the remote villages of Brasso Seco and Paria, in Trinidad's Northern Range. In 2017, they did a self-assessment using the Local Green-Blue Enterprise Radar developed by the Caribbean Natural Resources Institute (CANARI) and produced a visual representation of how they are delivering **economic** well-being and viability, **social** inclusion and equity, **environmental** sustainability and good **governance** within their enterprise.



## Strengthening impact

Brasso Seco Paria TAC is achieving success as a local green-blue enterprise and is a sound example of what it means to be part of an inclusive, green and resilient economy. Key areas which it has identified for continued improvement are:

1. Build financial sustainability through new initiatives like agro-tourism tours and bread-making;
2. Improve energy efficiency by installing solar panels;
3. Foster more partnerships within the community; and
4. Complete documentation of traditional techniques to better capture and share knowledge.



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