

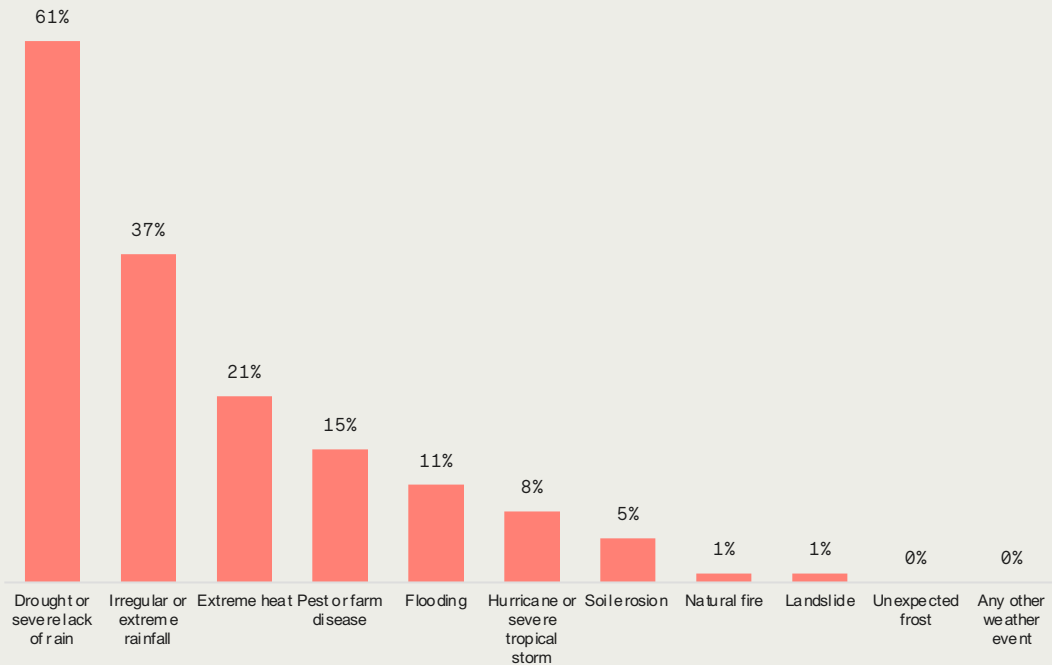
Climate Resilience Impact

February / 2025



Vulnerability

84% have experienced climate shock(s) in the last 2 years. 42% have experienced more than one shock.



“

I'm a farmer and I experienced the drought. I farmed 3 hectares of maize and harvested only five 50kg bags of maize from there.

– Zambia

Climate Resilience

60 Decibels Climate Resilience Benchmark: 47%

Climate Resilience Score

Average of the following results.

Preparedness	% who say that they feel more prepared for a future shock because of the company product/service	47%
Ability to Cope	% who say their ability to cope with a future shock has improved because of the organisation product/service	47%
Ability to Recover	% who say their ability to recover from a future shock has improved because of the organisation product/service	50%
Time to Recover	% who believe they will recover quicker from a future shock because of the company product/service	43%

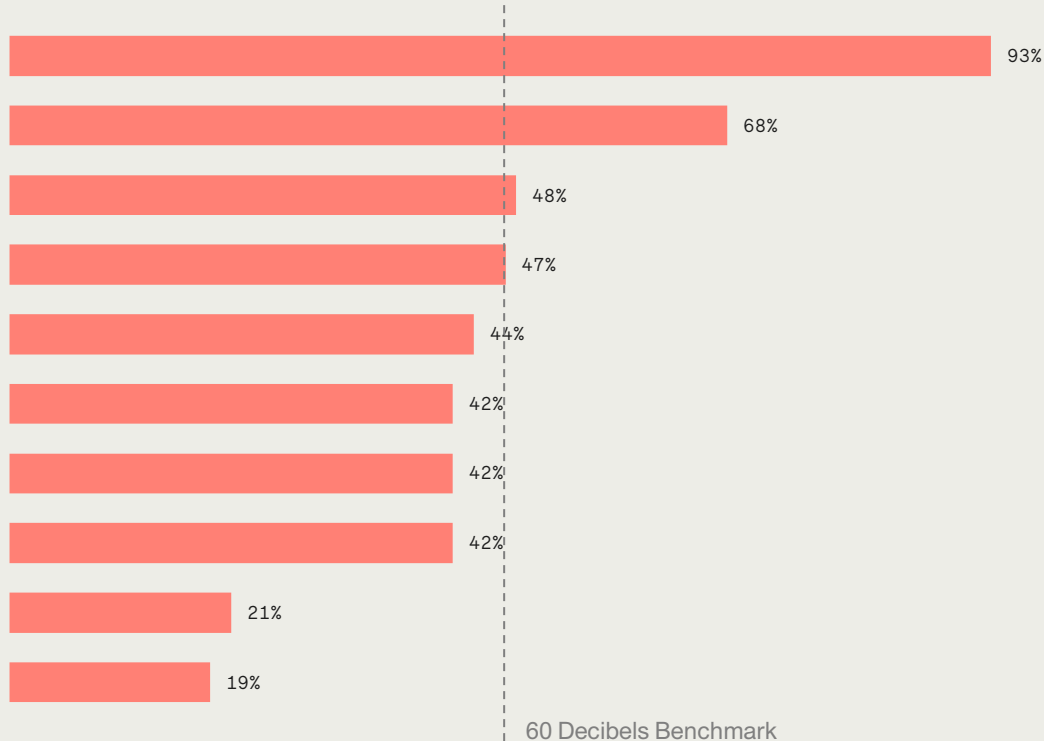
“

We are more prepared as the mobility of the [solar water] pump allows us to fill our water tanks from different sources of water and not rely on our source which might dry during droughts.

– Zimbabwe

Climate Resilience

Ranking



“

The issue of climate change is a global thing. If I have the [product/service], it makes me more safe from climate change. I will have access to current information and I will be able to charge my phone.

– Liberia

Climate Resilience

Looking for trends...



No major differences by gender or location (urban/rural).



Those who have experienced a shock in the last 2 years are more likely to feel more prepared for future shocks thanks to the organisation product/service (55%) than those who haven't experience a shock in the last 2 years (27%).

“

We often deal with unpredictable rainfall and floods. Thanks to the [product/service], we've managed to save money on firewood and construct terraces to prevent flooding.

– Rwanda

Who Did We Talk To?

2,400+
respondents

6
countries

10
organisations

- > 7 sub-sectors: Appliance, Cooking, Energy service, Mini-grid, Solar home system, Solar lantern, Insurance
- > Countries: Liberia, Nigeria, Rwanda, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe
- > Organisations: Celfre Energy, Del Agua, Mobile Power, Opportunity International, RDG Collective, SolarPoint, UpEnergy, Vanpeux, VITALITE, Zengamina

“

The SHS has not helped me in any way to prepare for the future shocks. All I am enjoying is home lighting.

–Zambia

“

The [product/service] is just for home use, our farming activities still remain affected in the event of another drought. Irrigation systems are quite expensive for us to afford at the moment hence we are less prepared for another drought.

–Zambia

Get In Touch

Kat Harrison, Director
kat@60decibels.com



Photo: Kat Harrison