## **MOBILE** PHONE

Your smartphone is stained with blood

## SI CUIDAS EL **COMBATES LA POBREZ** A STANDARD TO STANDARD STANDAR

Did you know that each kilo of coltan cost the lives of two people in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC)?

2 years is the average lifetime of the mobile.



75 kg

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is the ecological backpack of your smartphone

In 10 years mobile phones have been manufactured in the world, the same amount than inhabitants.

By 2020-000

5.4 billion people will use mobile phones

**3** billion will have electric supply

billion people will have access to drinkable water

8 billion of vehicles

## All this cause

**EXPLOITATION** WAR **VIOLATIONS ON DRC** 



5 million of deaths since 1998

**4.5** million of people displaced during 2017

More than 10000 annual violations to women

DISEASE **ADDICTION** 



We look at the mobile once every 10 minutes without counting the sleep hours

CONTAMINATION, **VOLUME AND TOXICITY** OF RESIDUES

To compensate the CO<sub>2</sub>emissions we would have to use our mobile phone for more than 33 years

What's the progress?



EU regulation to prevent human rights violations related to illegal trade in minerals

**SDG 12: Ensure** sustainable consumption and production patterns by 2030.



Due Diligence Guide of the **OECD** 



#connectmobilepoverty

Learn about the case of the Democratic Republic of Congo, where

80% of the world's coltan reserves are located.



**JUDGE:** ANALYSE THE FACTS



Yet we can once more broaden our vision. We have the freedom needed to limit and direct technology; we can put it at the service of another type of progress, one which is healthier, more human, more social, more integral. Laudato Si', 112

## **ACT:** ENCOURAGE YOURSELF TO IMPLEMENT TRANSFORMATIVE ACTIONS

Calculate and reduce your mobile phone [13] usage

Extend the life of your mobile

Before buying a mobile:

- Reuse
- Second-hand purchase
- Discover the Fairphone



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