### Environmental Product Declaration

In accordance with: ISO 14025 UNE-EN 15804:2012+A2:2019 for:



### **PORCELAIN STONEWARE TILES**

(Bla classification based on EN 14411:2016)

### Of KERABEN GRUPO, S.A.U

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### 2. Company information

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#### Description of the organisation

KERABEN GRUPO, with more than 40 years of professional experience, is made up of a group of companies dedicated to the manufacture and marketing of ceramic products, special pieces and complementary activities. At Keraben Grupo we design and develop our products from the initial idea through to manufacture, using the latest ceramic technology and working meticulously and in detail on all aspects of the design, so that each piece has a unique graphic and texture.

Nowadays, Keraben is one of the world's leading ceramic groups. We produce a wide variety of wall and floor tiles in white paste, porcelain, porcelain stoneware, in different formats and styles. Our main objective is the creation of spaces with their own personality. To do this, we are committed to continuous improvement in all processes, for design, quality and proximity, values with which to guarantee the trust and satisfaction of customers, employees and suppliers.

Keraben Grupo, produces ceramic floor and wall tiles, which reach the market through its three main ceramic brands: Keraben, Metropol and Ibero. Our international growth has been based on two main pillars: an extensive and well-established distribution network and close collaboration with architects and interior designers. Nowadays, our products are available in over 120 countries.

#### Certification

Keraben Grupo has obtained the following certifications:

- ISO 9001: Quality Management System Registration number: ES-0256/1994 (Keraben Nules and Keraben L'Alcora's plants)

- ISO 14001: Environmental Management System Registration number S-2013/0361 (Keraben Nules)
- ISO 50001: Energy Management System. Registration number GE-2017/0023 (Keraben Nules)
- ISO 14064: Keraben calculates its carbon footprint since 2011 according to UNE EN ISO 14064.



#### Name and location of production sites

For the production of the porcelain stoneware tiles included in this EPD, the following facilities are considered:

#### Keraben Nules (Keraben 1 y 2)

Ctra Valencia - Barcelona, Km 44,3, 12520 Nules, Castellón

#### Keraben L'Alcora (Keraben 6)

Ctra. CV-16, Km.11, 12110 L'Alcora, Castellón

#### Cerámica Saloni

Carrer de l'Alcora, Km 17, 12130 Sant Joan de Moró, Castelló





### 3. Product information

#### **Product name**

Porcelain stoneware tiles



#### **UN CPC code**

373 Refractory products and structural nonrefractory clay products

#### **Product identification**

The 38 ceramic sizes included in this EPD covers the ceramic tiles pertaining group BIa (porcelain stoneware tiles), classification based on EN 14411:2016 (equivalent to ISO13006:2018), this is their water absorption is less than 0.5% and its forming is by pressing.

The porcelain stoneware tiles included in the study cover different models with different formats. The thickness formats included in the scope of this EPD are from 8.2mm (18.5 kg/m<sup>2</sup>) to 10.8mm (25.4 kg/m<sup>2</sup>), with an average weight of 22.1kg/m<sup>2</sup>.

#### **Product technical features**

The function of the product is to cover surfaces. In this study the environmental behaviour of the porcelain stoneware tiles as indoor house surface covering has been assessed, however, the versatility of these pieces allows them to be installed in other places, such as offices, stores, hospitals, etc, in indoor and outdoor environments, as well as covering walls and other surfaces.

The product meets requirements defined by the EN 14411:2016 standard and ISO 13006 Annex G. Hereafter, a table with principal properties is presented.



	Requirements			Values	
	Lenght for non-rectified	Deviation V	V	<u>+</u> 2 mm	
	Lenght for rectified			<u>+</u> 1 mm	
	Thickness	<u>+</u> 0,5 mm			
	Straightness of sides non-rectified	<u>+</u> 1,5 mm			
	Straightness of sides rectified	<u>+</u> 0,8 mm			
	Rectangularity non-rectified	<u>+</u> 2 mm			
D 10	Rectangularity rectified		<u>+</u> 1,5 mm		
Part 2	Flatness central: non-rectified			<u>+</u> 2 mm	
	Flatness central: rectified			<u>+</u> 1,8 mm	
	Flatness side: non-rectified			<u>+</u> 2 mm	
	Flatness side: rectified			<u>+</u> 1,8 mm	
	Flatness: warpage non-rectified			<u>+</u> 2 mm	
	Flatness: warpage rectified			<u>+</u> 1,8 mm	
	Surface quality	Complies			
Part 3	Determination of water absorption, app density and bulk density	parent poros	ity, apparent relative	<u>&lt;</u> 0,5% máx (máx.0,6%)	
Part 4	Modulus of rupture > 7,5 mm			<u>&gt;</u> 1300	
Determination of modulus of rupture and breaking strength	Breaking strength N/mm <sup>2</sup>	<u>&gt;</u> 35			
Part 5	Determination of impact resistance by measurement of coefficient of restitution	Resist			
Part 6	Determination of resistance to deep ab		nporcelain tiles	<u>&lt;</u> 175 mm <sup>3</sup>	
Part 7 <sup>1</sup>	Determination of resistance to surface for porcelain tiles	PEI 3 (750 rev)			
Part 8	Determination of linear thermal expanse		Value informed	Complies	
Part 9	Determination of resistance to thermal	shock		Complies	
Part 10	Determination of moisture expansion		Value informed	Complies	
Part 11	Determination of crazing resistance for	porcelain ti	iles	Complies	
Part 12	Determination of frost resistance			Complies	
Part 13	Acids and bases low concentrations		Value informed	Mínimo B	
Determination of	Acids and bases high concentrations		Value informed	Mínimo B	
chemical resistance	Household products and swimming po	ols	Value informed	Mínimo A	
Part 14 Determination of	GL Stains		Mín. 3	Mínimo 3	
resistance to stains	UGL Stains		Value informed	Mínimo 3	
Part 15 <sup>2</sup>	Determination of lead and cadmium giv porcelain tiles	ven off by	Value informed	NPD	
	DIN 51130		Mín.R9	Complies	
Slipping	ENV 12633		Mín. Class 1 (Class 3 Rd between 50 a 60)	Complies	
Chipping	COF / DCOF		> 0,6 / > 0,4	Complies	
	XP P05 010		Mín. PC6 Mín. PN12	Complies	
UPEC - WALLPEC	UPEC - Cahier WALLPEC – Technical document		Value informed	See certified values CSTB	
CCC Mark	Internal exposure index Ira		CLASS A	<u>&lt;</u> 1.0	
	External exposure index ly		CLASS A	<u>&lt;</u> 1.3	



### 4. LCA information

#### Functional unit / declared unit

To cover 1  $m^2$  of a surface (flooring) of a residential area for 50 years with porcelain stoneware tiles (22.1kg/m<sup>2</sup> of weight).

#### **Reference service life**

The Reference Service Life (RSL) of the product is the same as that of the building where it is installed provided that it is installed correctly, as it is a durable product which does not require substitution. A Reference Service Life of 50 years has been considered.

Parameter	Result (expressed per functional unit)
Reference Service Life	Minimum 50 years
Declared product properties (on gate), coatings, etc.	Minimum values of the relevant characteristics according to Annex G of the EN 14411 standard.
	For more information request technical data sheets according to model.
Design parameters of the application (manufacturer's instructions), including references to good practices.	For more information request technical data sheets according to model.
Estimated quality of work, when installed according to the manufacturer's specifications	For more information request technical data sheets according to model.
Estimation of the quality of work, when installed from outside environment (for outdoor applications), e.g. weathering,	Minimum values of the relevant characteristics according to Annex G of the EN 14411 standard.
pollutants, UV radiation and wind exposure, building orientation, shading, temperature, etc.	For more information request technical data sheets according to model.
Indoor environment (for indoor applications), e.g.	Minimum values of the relevant characteristics according to Annex G of the EN 14411 standard.
temperature, humidity, chemical exposure	For more information request technical data sheets according to model.
Conditions of use, e.g.: frequency of use, mechanical exposure, etc.	For more information request technical data sheets according to model.
Maintenance, e.g.: required frequency, type and quality and replacement of replaceable components	For more information request technical data sheets according to model.

#### Representativeness, quality and selection of data

The raw data has been directly provided by Keraben Grupo and this data corresponds to three production centres of the enterprise property. For the secondary data, the most updated GaBi ts databases have been used and modelled with GaBi version 10.5.1.128. All data belong to a geographical scenario of Spain 2020.

The results presented are representative of ceramic coverings, expressed as average values weighted by the production of the ceramic coverings pertaining BIa group.

#### Time-related coverage

The manufacturer's specific data represented a full year and were less than 5 years old. Specifically, the most recent stable data of the analysed product manufacturing plant were used (data relating to the year 2020).



#### Geographic coverage

Wherever possible, data were used relating to the country in which the process at issue was developed or, when this was not possible, regional or global data were applied.

#### Technological coverage

The data used reflected the technological reality of the system analysed.

#### Database(s) and LCA software used

- GaBi database: Database for Life Cycle Engineering. SpheraSolutions Upgrade 2021.2 Edition (February 21, 2021 SP 40).
- GaBi v 10 software-system. SpheraSolutions. Compilation 10.5.1.128
- Ecoinvent v 3.7.1

#### **Description of system boundaries**

Cradle to grave and module D(A + B + C + D)

#### Allocation and cut-off rules

In this cradle-to-grave LCA study, a cut-off rule of 1% for the energy use (renewable and non -renewable) and 1% of total mass in those unitary processes, whose data is insufficient, have been applied. In total, more than 95% of all mass and energy inputs and outputs of the system have been included, excluding the not available nor quantified data. The principle of modularity in the allocation of environmental loads, i.e. that they apply where they occur, and the "polluter pays" principle have been followed.

The excluded data are the following:

- Diffuse particle emissions to the atmosphere during the transportation and storage of powdery nature raw materials.
- Non-regulated channel emissions generated during combustion stages (spray drying, piece drying and firing).
- The recycling and reutilization of the residues generated during the life cycle of the ceramic coverings according to PCR. However, the recycling process of the residues and the benefits obtained from this recycled will be quantified in module D.
- Waste management and transport to landfill have not been included in glaze manufacturing.
- Machinery and industrial equipment production.
- Long-term emissions have not been considered.

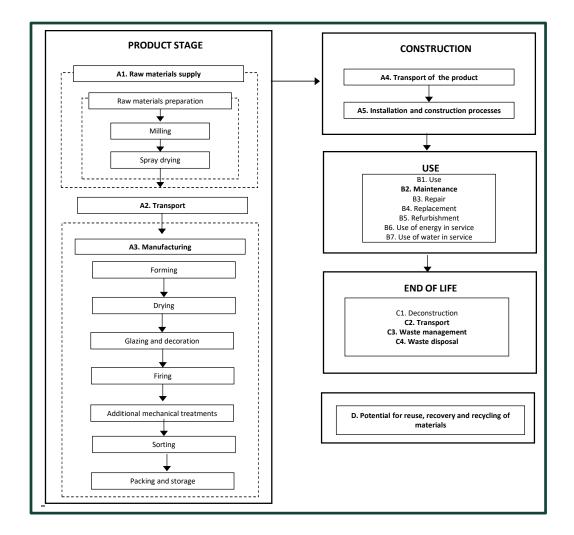
Furthermore, allocations have been made on a production-weighted average basis, both in mass and in m<sup>2</sup> of rated output.



#### **Electric mix**

Renewables: 6%; Nuclear: 39.3%; Fossil: 58.2%. *(Spanish Residual Mix 2020, CNMC)* Climate impact of electricity production: 0.098kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq./MJ

#### System diagram



#### Environmental impact methodologies

The selected impact categories and flow indicators, the applied impact assessment methods and the characterisation factors used were those recommended by standard EN 15804:2012+A2:2019 included in the Environmental Footprint method. The applied characterisation factors were those available at the following Web link: <u>https://eplca.jrc.ec.europa.eu/LCDN/developerEF.xhtml</u>.



#### A1-A3 Product Stage

#### Raw materials supply and transport (A1 y A2)

The raw materials required for the ceramic tiles manufacturing are classified as: plastic raw materials and non-plastic or degreasing raw materials. Specifically, the raw materials included in the composition of the support are clays, feldspars and sands, as well as waste from the factory itself, which can be sludge or ceramic pieces generated before and after the firing stage, introduced in the grinding stage of the raw materials.

Regarding glaze raw materials, the most used in the formulation are the following ones: quartz, kaolin, alkaline feldspars, nepheline, calcium carbonate, dolomite, zircon, wollastonite, calcined alumina and ceramic frits.

The ceramic frits are insoluble glasses, prepared in an external company by complete fusion of their original raw materials, called "frits". It is estimated that around 35% of the raw materials used in the glaze applied on porcelain stoneware tiles are submitted to fritting process.

The raw materials used have different origins according to their nature and properties. The raw materials coming from outside Spain are transported by freighter to the port of Castelló, and from there by truck to the production plants. For sea transport the freighter selected is a transoceanic one, whose distance traversed depends on the origin of each case, whereas for road transport a 27t truck which meets the Euro6 standard has been chosen. All raw materials are transported in bulk, that is, they do not require packaging material, except the decoration materials which are transported in a 17.3t payload truck, from the frits and glaze factory to Keraben Grupo plants.

The preparation of raw materials for the ceramic body of Keraben Grupo ceramic tiles is carried out in the factories of the spray-dried granule suppliers and in in the group's own plants. In this process, the proportion of raw materials is defined and their origin is adjusted to the characteristics of the production process and the final performance required.

The spray-dried granules are obtained by wet milling of the raw materials and subsequent spray drying. Keraben Grupo supplier companies have installed heat and power cogeneration systems in their spray dryers. All hot gases are used in the spray dryer and the electricity generated is partly used in the production process, thus reducing the electrical requirements of the grid, and partly sold to the grid.

Once the spray – dried granule has been obtained, it is transported to the manufacturing plants.

#### Manufacturing (A3)

This process and the following treatments applied to the tiles are carried out in Keraben Grupo facilities. The procedure is the following: the spry-dried powder is discharged in storage hoppers and with a feed system based in conveyor belts with weight control, this granule is sent to the forming stage by uniaxial dry pressing, carried out by hydraulic or oleodinamic presses. This is the most indicated method to control the pressing cycle.

The pieces formed are placed in a continuous dryer to reduce their humidity, duplicating or triplicating their mechanical resistance, which allows for their subsequent processing.

The tiles coming from the dryer are covered with one or more thin layers of engobe and glaze, which are applied over the ceramic body through spraying and digital glaze techniques. This treatment is used to confer the product surface a series of technique and aesthetic features, as impermeability, ease of cleaning, brightness, colour, superficial texture, chemical and mechanical resistance.



Firing is the most important stage of the ceramic tiles production process, as it is when the pieces, previously shaped, experience a fundamental modification of their features, resulting in a tough, water and chemical resistant product. The ceramic pieces are subject to a single firing single-deck roller kiln.

Once the piece is fired, in some cases mechanical treatments such as polishing, cutting, etc. are applied to provide new effects. Polishing is controlled removal operation of the surface layer of ceramic pieces and is carried out to give them a bright surface and a high-quality aesthetic appearance. The cutting phase is necessary to transform the big pieces into the format requested by customers.

Once the quality controls are met, the classified pieces are packaged in primary cardboard packs and wood pallets. Finally, they are covered with film LDPE.

#### A4-A5 Construction Process Stage

#### A4 Transport

Product distribution is as follows: 41% in Spain, 34% in Europe and 25% to the rest of the world.

For road transport, a 27t truck classified Euro 6 has been considered (national transport and European, average distance of 300km and 1390km, respectively). For transcontinental transport, an average transoceanic freighter has been estimated (transport to the rest of the world, 6520km), as indicated in EN 17160.

Parameter	Result (expressed per functional unit)
Fuel type and consumption	According to the destinations in the distribution as described above: 0.38 I diesel (truck Euro 6, 27 t) 0.038I fueloil (freighter)
Distance	300 km national distribution: 41% 1390 km European distribution: 34% 6520 km rest of the world distribution: 25%
Capacity utilisation (including no-load return)	85% in truck 100% freighter
Bulk density of transported products	≈1800kg/m³

#### A5 Product installation and construction process

Once the product is unpacked, it is installed. According to the PCRs for ceramic tiles, it has been established that the application of mortar is required for installation.

Glue mortars are cementitious adhesives consisting of a mixture of hydraulic binders, mineral fillers and organic additives, which only need to be mixed with water or liquid addition just before use. They consist of a mixture of white or grey cement, mineral fillers of siliceous and/or limestone nature and organic additives: water retaining agents, water re-dispersible polymers, rheology modifiers, fibres, etc.

The waste derived from the packaging of the pieces is managed separately according to the geographical location of the installation site. Otherwise, 3% of product losses have been considered at the installation stage.

Parameter	Result (expressed per functional unit)
Supplementary materials for installation	3.3 kg



Parameter	Result (expressed per functional unit)
Water use	0.81
Use of other resources	Not applicable
Quantitative description of the type of energy (regional mix) and consumption during the installation process	Not applicable
Waste of materials at the construction site before processing of waste generated at the product installation (specified by type)	Product losses: 662g Packaging wastes: - Cardboard: 90 g - Plastic: 35g - Wood: 662 g
Output of materials (specified by type) as a result of waste treatment waste at the construction site, e.g. from waste collected for recycling, energy recovery, disposal (specified by route)	Product losses for recycling: 464g Product losses for final deposition:199g Cardboard for incinerating: 1g Cardboard for recycling: 89g Cardboard for recycling: 89g Cardboard for final deposition: 0 g Plastic for incinerating: 3 g Plastic for recycling: 27g Plastic for final deposition:47 g Wood for incinerating: 161g Wood for recycling: 486g Wood for final deposition: 15 g
Direct emissions to ambient air, soil and water	Not applicable

#### B1-B7 Use Stage

#### B1 Use

Once installed, the tiles do not require any energy input for their use, nor do they require maintenance after installation, except for normal cleaning operations. For this reason, of all the aforementioned modules, only the environmental loads attributable to product maintenance (module B2) are considered.

#### **B2** Maintenance

Cleaning is done with a damp cloth and, if the surface is dirty or greasy, cleaning agents such as detergents or bleaches can be used. In this study, water and disinfectant consumption has been considered for a floor covering installed in a residential scenario, i.e. cleaning once a week with water and once every two weeks with detergent during the 50-year life span.

Parameter	Result (expressed per functional unit)						
Maintenance process	According to RCP for ceramic tiles (EN17160) residential floor cleaning scenario						
Maintenance cycle	Washing once a week with water and once every two weeks with detergent.						
Auxiliary materials for maintenance (e.g. cleaning products) (specify each material)	Detergent: 1.34E-04 kg/m <sup>2</sup>						
Material wastage during maintenance (specify type)	Not applicable						
Net tap water consumption	0.1 l/m <sup>2</sup>						
Energy input during maintenance (e.g. vacuum cleaning), type of energy carrier (e.g. electricity) and amount, if applicable and relevant	Not applicable						



#### B3-B4-B5 – Repair, replacement and refurbishment

The tiles do not require repair, replacement or renovation

#### B6-B7 – Operational energy use and Operational water use

These modules are not relevant for ceramic tiles

#### C1-C4 End of Life Stage

#### C1 Deconstruction and demolition

At the end of its service life, the product will be removed, either as part of a building renovation or during demolition. In the context of the demolition of a building, the impacts attributable to the removal of the product are negligible.

#### C2 Transport

The product waste is transported in a heavy-duty truck (27 t) that complies with Euro 6 standards to be managed either by deposition in inert landfills or recycling. An average distance of 50km from the building site to the destination is considered. Also included is the return of the trucks (100% empty return).

#### C3 Waste management for reuse, recovery and recycling

It has been estimated that 70% of tiles are recycled and/or reused, as indicated in the PCR.

#### C4 Final disposal

It is estimated that 30% of the product is sent to controlled landfill after the end of its service life.

Parameter	Result (expressed per functional unit)
Collection process, specified by type	25.4 kg/m <sup>2</sup>
Recovery system, specified by type	17.8 kg recycled as filler material
Disposal, specified by type	7.6 kg to controlled landfill
Assumptions for scenario development (e.g.: transport)	The product waste is transported in a heavy-duty truck (27 t) that complies with Euro 6 standards to be managed either by deposition in inert landfills or recycling. An average distance of 50km from the building site to the destination is considered. Also included is the return of the trucks (100% empty return).



### Module D Potential environmental benefits and burdens of reuse, recovery and recycling activities

The environmental burdens and benefits of obtaining secondary material from waste generated at the manufacturing stage (waste such as cardboard, plastic and wood), at the installation stage (product losses, tile packaging waste: cardboard, plastic and wood) and at the end of life of the product have been considered.

### Modules declared, geographical scope, share of specific data (in GWP-GHG indicator) and data variation:

	Prod	uct sta	ige	Constr proc sta	ess	n Use stage						E	nd of	life sta	age	Resource recovery stage	
	Raw material supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	Construction installation	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational energy use	Operational water use	De-construction demolition	Transport	Waste processing	Disposal	Reuse-Recovery-Recycling-potential
Module	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	В6	B7	C1	C2	С3	C4	D
Modules declared	х	x	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	х	x	х	x	х	х	х	х
Geography		ES								EU							EU
Specific data used			>90%	10%								-					
Variation – products	-19	%/+23	%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation – sites	-7	7/+5%		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-



### 5. Content information

Product co	omponents	Weight (%)	Post-consumer material, weight-%	Renewable material, weight-%			
CERAMIC'S BODY	Clay, feldspar, kaolin, sand, etc	99%		0%			
GLAZE	Borates, feldspar, clay, etc	0.7%	0%	0%			
INKS		0.3%		0,10			
	TOTAL	100%	0%	0%			

The substances contained in the product listed in the "Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC) for authorisation" do not exceed 0.1% by weight of the product.

### 6. Biogenic carbon content

As required by standard EN 15804:2012+A2:2019, the carbon content of both the product and its packaging was separately declared. In the case of the product at issue, ceramic tiles, the tile components were inorganic, so that the biogenic carbon calculation did not apply.

In regard to the packaging used for tile distribution, its mass was less than 5% of the total product mass, so that the declaration of packaging biogenic carbon content was omitted. The mass percentage of the packaging used was declared for each type of studied tile in the following table.

Packaging materials	Weight, kg/m²	Weight-% (versus the product)
Cardboard	0.090	0.4%
Plastic	0.035	0.2%
Wood	0.662	3%



### 7. Environmental Information

The results refer to 1 m<sup>2</sup> of a surface (flooring) of a residential area for 50 years with porcelain stoneware tiles (22.1kg/m<sup>2</sup> average weight). The results of the Life Cycle Impact Assessment are relative expressions and do not predict final impacts by category, threshold exceedances, safety margins or risks.

#### Potential environmental impact – mandatory indicators according to EN 15804:2012+A2:2019

	Results per functional unit												
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3-B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D	
GWP-GHG <sup>1</sup>	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	9.95E+00	8.74E-01	1.31E+00	0	2.65E-01	0	0	1.16E-01	0	1.19E-01	-2.04E-01	
GWP-fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.01E+01	8.90E-01	1.33E+00	0	3.47E-01	0	0	1.18E-01	0	1.21E-01	-2.10E-01	
GWP-biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	4.74E-02	-8.40E-04	-1.23E-04	0	2.84E-03	0	0	-1.51E-04	0	1.26E-03	-4.75E-04	
GWP-luluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	5.04E-03	6.35E-03	1.01E-03	0	2.73E-05	0	0	9.69E-04	0	5.17E-04	-5.97E-04	
GWP-total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.02E+01	8.95E-01	1.33E+00	0	3.50E-01	0	0	1.19E-01	0	1.23E-01	-2.11E-01	
ODP	kg CFC 11 eq.	1.34E-08	1.11E-16	4.02E-10	0	1.25E-07	0	0	1.51E-17	0	6.85E-14	-3.17E-09	
AP	mol H⁺ eq.	1.89E-02	4.90E-03	2.69E-03	0	2.97E-03	0	0	9.56E-05	0	8.83E-04	-7.64E-04	
EP-freshwater	kg P eq.	4.01E-05	2.33E-06	2.65E-06	0	7.45E-06	0	0	3.51E-07	0	2.54E-06	-1.64E-06	
EP-freshwater	kg PO43- eq.	1.23E-04	7.15E-06	8.14E-06	0	2.29E-05	0	0	1.08E-06	0	7.80E-06	-5.03E-06	
EP-marine	kg N eq.	5.22E-03	1.31E-03	8.75E-04	0	3.31E-04	0	0	2.60E-05	0	2.43E-04	-2.21E-04	
EP-terrestrial	mol N eq.	5.77E-02	1.46E-02	9.56E-03	0	1.22E-02	0	0	3.21E-04	0	2.59E-03	-2.42E-03	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The indicator includes all greenhouse gases included in GWP-total, excluding biogenic carbon dioxide and product biogenic carbon emissions. This indicator is equivalent to the GWP indicator defined in UNE-EN 15804:2012+A2:2019

Results per functional unit												
Indicator	Unit A1-A3 A4 A5 B1 B2 B3-B7 C1							C1	C2	C3	C4	D
POCP	kg NMVOC eq.	1.55E-02	3.77E-03	2.52E-03	0	2.20E-03	0	0	8.92E-05	0	7.10E-04	-5.79E-04
ADP-min&met <sup>2</sup>	kg Sb eq.	1.42E-05	6.25E-08	4.71E-07	0	1.16E-08	0	0	9.01E-09	0	1.25E-08	-9.06E-08
ADP-fossil <sup>2</sup>	MJ	1.71E+02	1.17E+01	1.11E+01	0	1.77E+00	0	0	1.57E+00	0	1.59E+00	-2.14E+00
WDP	m <sup>3</sup>	1.74E+00	6.91E-03	1.53E-01	0	1.94E+01	0	0	1.03E-03	0	9.13E-03	-4.62E-02

Acronyms

**GWP-fossil** = Global Warming Potential fossil fuels; **GWP-biogenic** = Global Warming Potential biogenic; **GWP-luluc** = Global Warming Potential land use and land use change; **ODP** = Depletion potential of the stratospheric ozone layer; **AP** = Acidification potential. Accumulated Exceedance; **EP-freshwater** = Eutrophication potential. Fraction of nutrients reaching freshwater end compartment; **EP-marine** = Eutrophication potential. Accumulated Exceedance; **POCP** = Formation potential of tropospheric ozone; **ADP-minerals&metals** = Abiotic depletion potential for non-fossil resources; **ADP-fossil** = Abiotic depletion for fossil resources potential; **WDP** = Water (user) deprivation potential. deprivation-weighted water consumption

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The results of this environmental impact indicator shall be used with care as the uncertainties of these results are high or as there is limited experience with the indicator.



#### Use of resources

Results per functional unit												
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3-B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
PERE	MJ	2.07E+01	5.81E-01	2.02E+00	0	6.59E+00	0	0	8.79E-02	0	1.86E-01	-3.22E+00
PERM	MJ	5.32E+00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PERT	MJ	2.60E+01	5.81E-01	2.02E+00	0	6.59E+00	0	0	8.79E-02	0	1.86E-01	-3.22E+00
PENRE	MJ	1.71E+02	1.17E+01	1.11E+01	0	1.77E+00	0	0	1.58E+00	0	1.60E+00	-2.14E+00
PENRM	MJ	1.48E+00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PENRT	MJ	1.72E+02	1.17E+01	1.11E+01	0	1.77E+00	0	0	1.58E+00	0	1.60E+00	-2.14E+00
SM	kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RSF	MJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRSF	MJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FW	m <sup>3</sup>	3.44E-02	6.67E-04	3.23E-03	0	2.49E-01	0	0	1.01E-04	0	3.04E-04	-2.36E-03

Acronyms

**PERE** = Use of renewable primary energy excluding renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; **PERM** = Use of renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; **PERT** = Total use of renewable primary energy resources; **PENRE** = Use of non-renewable primary energy excluding non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; **PERT** = Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; **PERRM** = Use of non-renewable primary energy resources; **SM** = Use of secondary material; **RSF** = Use of renewable secondary fuels; **NRS**F = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; **FW** = Use of net fresh water



#### Waste production and output flows

#### Waste production

Results per functional unit												
Indicator		A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3-B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	9.48E-03	5.32E-10	2.84E-04	0	4.94E-11	0	0	7.94E-11	0	2.52E-08	-3.76E-08
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	7.42E+00	1.68E-03	5.22E-01	0	7.06E-02	0	0	2.34E-04	0	7.39E+00	-2.01E-03
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	4.19E-03	1.41E-05	3.35E-04	0	2.18E-05	0	0	1.91E-06	0	2.18E-05	2.28E-04



#### **Output flows**

Results per functional unit												
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3-B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Components for re- use	kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Material for recycling	kg	3.50E-02	0	6.98E-01	0	0	0	0	0	1.78E+01	0	0
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exported energy. electricity	MJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Exported energy. thermal	MJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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