



# **Environmental Product Declaration**

In accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804:2012+A2:2019/AC:2021 for:

# Machine Plaster

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This EPD covers multiple products, based on worst-case results.(Included products : OP11, Makonat Pro and OP77)

### How to Read This EPD?



An Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) is an ISO Type III Environmental Declaration based on ISO 14025 standard. An EPD transparently reports the environmental performance of products or services from a lifecycle perspective. The preparation of an EPD includes different stages, from acquiring raw materials to the end of life of the final product/service. EPDs are based on international standards and consider the entire value chain. Additionally, EPD is a third-party verified document. This EPD includes several sections described below.

#### 1. General and Program Information

The first part of an EPD has information about the name of the manufacturer and product/service and other general information such as the validity and expiration dates of the document, the name of the program operator, geographical scope, etc. The second page states the standards followed and gives information about the program operator, third-party verifier, etc. The followed Product Category Rule (PCR) is indicated on the second page.

#### 2. Company and Product/Service Information

Information about the company and the investigated product is given in this section. It summarizes the characteristics of the product provided by the manufacturer. It also includes information about the product such as product composition and packaging.

#### 3. LCA Information

LCA information is one of the most important parts of the EPD as it describes the functional/ declared unit, time representativeness of the study, database(s) and LCA software, along with system boundaries.

The table presented in this part has columns for each stage in the life cycle. The considered stages are marked 'X' whereas the ones that are not declared are labeled as 'ND'. Not all EPDs consider the full life cycle assessment for a product's entire life stages. The 'System Boundary' page is also the place where one can find detailed information about the stages and the assumptions made.

#### 4. LCA Results

The results of the Life Cycle Assessment analysis are presented in table format. The first column in each table indicates the name of the impact category and their measurement units are presented in the second column. These tables show an amount at each life cycle stage to see the impact of different indicators on different stages. Each impact can be understood as what is released through the production of the declared unit of the material—in this case, 1 kg machine plaster production. The benefits of reuse/recycling of the declared product is reflected in this section.

The first impact in the table is global warming potential (GWP), which shows how much  $CO_2$  is released at each stage. Other impacts include eutrophication potential, acidification potential, ozone layer depletion, land use related impacts, etc. The second table provides results for resource use and the third table is about the waste produced during the production. The fourth and final table shows the results for the GWP-GHG indicator, which is almost equivalent to the GWP-Total indicator mentioned previously. The only difference is that this indicator excludes the biogenic carbon content by following a certain methodology.

### **Programme Information**



The International EPD<sup>®</sup> System: EPD International AB Box 210 60 SE-100 31 Stockholm, Sweden, info@environdec.com

CEN standard EN 15804 serve as the core Product Category Rules (PCR), PCR 2019:14 Construction products, version 1.3.3., Construction EN 15804:2012+A2:2019/AC:2021 Sustainability of Construction Works

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Independent third-party verification of the declaration and data. according to ISO 14025:2006:

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EPD verification X

Independent third-party verification of the declaration and data, according to ISO 14025:2006, via EPD is verified by individual verifier.

**Third party verifier:** Dr. Nasser Ayoub **Approved by:** The International EPD<sup>®</sup> System Technical Committee supported by the Secretariat

Procedure for follow-up of data during EPD validity involves third party verifier:

Yes

No X

#### Life Cycle Assessment (LCA)

LCA accountability: Orhan Atacan BSc, MBA - Metsims Sustainability Consulting

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**About the Company** 



**Owner of the EPD:** Onpo Madencilik Ins. San ve Tic. A.S. **Production Plant:** Ankara, Türkiye

Onpo Madencilik Ins. San ve Tic. A.S. has been established in year 2005. Since the day we were founded, we have worked to reveal the difference and reach the leading position in the Turkish plaster industry. Thus, we established the ONAT ALÇI brand in 2011. We continued to work in line with our future goals and principles in our factory, which contributes to the construction sector at the 20th km of Ankara Bala road.

While developing our durable, reliable and quality products, we have adopted the basic principle of contributing to a strong state and a strong economy. For this reason, in 2015, we expanded our influence by adding ONATPAN Gypsum Board factory to our company with 100% domestic capital, which is affiliated with Ali Rıza Onat Müt. Ins. ve Proj. Hizm. Tic ve San A.S. Thus, with its strong product range and production capacity, we continue to show our difference in the construction sector by producing 450 000 tons of Powder Gypsum and 15 000 000 m<sup>2</sup> of Gypsum Board per year in an area of 100 000 m<sup>2</sup>.

Today, we continue to work with precision to ensure customer satisfaction and service quality, as well as our product quality, capacity and diversity. We talk to our customers, listen to them and constantly work to find solutions to their problems. We act with an innovative perspective in order to adapt our work to today's conditions, and we constantly follow technological developments. In line with these principles, we continue to provide multi-faceted benefits to Turkey's construction industry.

The company have Quality Management System - ISO 9001, Occupational Health and Management System - ISO 45001 and Environmental Management System - ISO 14001.



# **About the Product**



#### Product Group Name: Machine Plaster

This EPD covers the product group. The EPD is based on the worst-case approach according to environmental impacts. The criterion for defining the worst-case product is mainly based on the declared environmental performance indicator.

Included products: OP11, Makonat Pro and OP77.

#### **Product Group Description**

Machine Plaster is applied on bricks, concretes, gas concretes, pumice blocks etc. It is a bagged gypsum-based concentrated ready to use plaster that can be applied directly on the materials by machine. It is A1 class fireproof material that provides sound insulation.

#### Surface and Environment During the Application

It should be free from dirty materials such as dust, oil, paint. Extremely dry, hot and highly absorbent surfaces should be moistened with water. The surface of the ceilings should be roughened before applying the plaster or primed with a material that allows the mortar to stick to the surface. There should not be air flow or circulation in the environment during the application. The application temperature should be between +5 and +40 °C.

#### Application

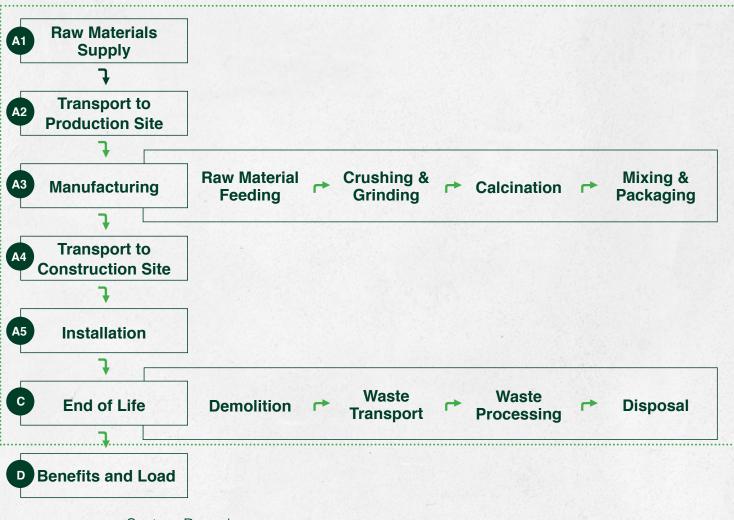
It is prepared in the plaster machine with the enough proportion of plaster/water (6,5-7,0 lt water / 10 kg Machine Plaster). The mortar is sprayed on the surface by machine. The application thickness is determined with the help of slabs according to the smoothness of the surface. Correction is made with a trowel. When the surface reaches a consistency that will not collapse when lightly pressed with a finger, trifiling is performed. After the trifiling process, the surface will be ready for painting by polishing again with a steel trowel.

The product UN CPC code is 37410 according to Central Product Classification (CPC) Version 2.1.

Physical Form	White powder
Plaster/Water Ratio	10 kg for 6,5- 7,0 lt water
Usage Period	90-120 minutes
Freezing Time	180-220 minutes
Dry Unit Weight	650-750 kg/m <sup>3</sup>
Consumption Amount	7,0-7,5 kg/m <sup>2</sup> (For every 1 cm thickness)
Fire Reaction Class	A1
Compressive Strength	≥ 2,0 N/mm <sup>3</sup>
Flexural Strength	≥ 1,0 N/mm <sup>3</sup>

#### Technical Specifications (According to TS EN 13279-1,2)

# **System Boundaries & Description**



..... System Boundary

#### A1 - Raw Material Supply

Production starts with raw materials mainly locally sourced, but some transported from other parts of the world. 'Raw material supply' includes raw material extraction and pre-treatment processes before production. The stage covers the supply (quarrying) and production of all binder components and additives. The use of electricity, fuel and auxiliary materials in production is also taken into account.

#### A2 - Raw Material Transport

Raw material transport from supplier to manufacturer is considered in raw material supply stage. The distances and routes are calculated accordingly. Depending the manufacturer, locally supplied steel is transported via trucks and other supplies come through seaway.

Transport Mode	Туре
Road	Vehicle: Lorry Size Class: >32 metric ton Emission Standard: EURO5 Fuel Type: Diesel
Sea	Vehicle: Container Ship DWT (Load Capacity): 43000 tonnes Fuel Type: Heavy Fuel Oil



#### A3 - Manufacturing

Gypsum, quarried from the mine, undergoes initial crushing. Subsequent to this, it's heated in kilns, a process known as calcination, after which it is stored in silos designated for gypsum hemihydrate. Following this, gypsum hemi-hydrate, along with fillers and other additives, are conveyed to a mixer. The proportions of these materials are meticulously measured based on the specific characteristics of the product intended to be produced. Once the mixture reaches a uniform consistency, it is then moved on to the packaging area.

The end products are then packaged or sold as bulk. Electric and natural gas are consumed during the manufacturing.

Information	Description
Electricity Data	Türkiye electricity grid mix from Ecoinvent, Medium Voltage
Type of dataset	Cradle to gate
GWP of Electricity Data	0,578 kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq./kWh

#### A4 - Product Transport

Product transport from manufacturer to customer is considered in product material supply stage. The distances and routes are calculated accordingly. Depending the customer location, product is transported via trucks and other supplies come through seaway.

Transport Mode	Туре
Road	Vehicle: Lorry Size Class: >32 metric ton Emission Standard: EURO5 Fuel Type: Diesel
Sea	Vehicle: Container Ship DWT (Load Capacity): 43000 tonnes Fuel Type: Heavy Fuel Oil

#### A5 - Installation

During the installation, water is used as a material. Since the materials used depend on the surface area, similar amounts of materials are used for all products. Additionally, electricity is needed for mixing by machine.

Input	Value
Water	0,4 liter/kg (Average requirements of all products)
Electric (Mixer)	0,034 kwh for 2 minutes

Additionally, LCA also includes the end-of-life of packaging waste at the installation site. End-of-life scenarios of packaging materials are modelled by assuming EU statistics.



#### C1 - Deconstruction / Demolition

There is no energy use during uninstallation, manpower and some tools are sufficient.

#### C2 - Waste Transport

Waste transport includes the transport of materials after they reach their end-of-life. The average distance was assumed 50 km by truck from demolition site to a waste or recycling area.

Parameter	Value
Vehicle Type	Vehicle: Lorry Size Class: 16-32 metric ton Emission Standard: EURO4 Fuel Type: Diesel
Distance	50 km

#### C3 - Waste Processing

The product is considered to be landfilled without reuse, recovery or recycling. It is classified as 'nonhazardous waste' in the European list of waste products. The impacts of any treatment process to the demolished waste is included in this stage. It is assumed that no treatment is needed as 100 % of the material goes to a landfill.

#### C4 - Disposal

All plasters end up at construction and demolition waste landfills as their final fate and modelled as such in the LCA.

#### **D** - Benefits

No potential benefits of recycling and re-use were taken into account. Only the benefit due to the recycling of the packaging has been calculated.

# **LCA** Information



Declared Unit: 1 kg of machine plaster

Time Representativeness: 2023 (12 months)

#### Database(s) and LCA Software: Ecoinvent 3.9.1 and SimaPro 9.5

**System Boundaries:** Cradle to gate with options, modules C1–C4, module D and with optional modules (A4-A5).

	Pro	duct St	tage		ruction s Stage	Use Stage				Er	nd of Li	Benefits and Loads					
	Raw Material Supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport from the gate to the site	Assembly	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational Energy Use	Operational Water Use	De-construction	Transport	Waste Processing	Disposal	Reuse-Recycling- Recovery Potential
Module	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Modules Declared	х	х	х	Х	Х	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	x	х	х	Х	Х
Geography	GI	LO	TR			GLO											
Specific Data Used		>90%										-					
Variation - Products	34%								Sec.		-		1. de.				
Variation - Sites			0%	12								-					

(X:Included in LCA, ND: Not Declared)

#### **Geographical Scope**

The geographical scope of this EPD is global.

#### Allocation

According to 2023 production figures, total water consumption, energy consumption and raw material transportation are allocated by weighted average. In addition, total hazardous and non-hazardous waste amounts were allocated according to production tonnage. There is no co-product allocation.

#### **Background Data**

For all LCA modelling and calculation, Ecoinvent database (v3.9.1) and SimaPro (v9.5) LCA software were used. Characterization factors of EN 15804 reference package based on EF 3.1 are utilized. Impact of infrastructure and capital goods are excluded from the analysis.

#### Assumptions

Upstream and downstream road transportation are assumed to be carried out with EURO5 motor vehicles with a size class of 16-32 metric tonnes where distances acquired through Google Maps. In addition, 50 km distance for the waste transport at C2 stage is assumed.



#### **Cut-Off Criteria**

1% cut-off is applied in LCA. Data for elementary flows to and from the product system contributing to a minimum of 99% of the declared environmental impacts have been included.

#### **Reach Regulation**

No substances included in the Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for authorization under the REACH regulations are present in this product either above the threshold for registration with the European Chemicals Agency or above 0.1% (wt/wt).

#### **Product Composition**

Gypsum is the main input of the process. Additives are included in the assessment.

Product Component	Weight, %	Post-consumer material, weight-%	Biogenic material, weight-% and kg C/kg
Gypsum	70-80	0	0
Calcite	15-25	0	0
Additivies	0-5	0	0

#### **Packaging Composition**

Plasters are packaged and send to customer. Pallets, and nylon films are generally used in packaging.

Product Component	Weight, kg	Weight-% (versus the product)	Weight biogenic carbon, kg C/kg
Pallet	0,011	1,1%	0,59
Big Bag	0,001	0,1%	0
Nylon Film	0,00036	0,036%	0
Stretch Film	0,00036	0,036%	0

#### LCA Modelling, Calculation And Data Quality

The results of the LCA with the indicators as per EPD requirement are given in the LCA result tables. All energy calculations were obtained using Cumulative Energy Demand (LHV) methodology, while fresh water use is calculated with selected inventory flows in SimaPro according to the PCR. There are no co-product allocations within the LCA study underlying this EPD. The regional energy datasets were used for all energy calculations. Data quality assessment is given below table.

Stage	Data Type
Raw Material Supply	Generic database, plant spesific data
Raw Material Transport	Generic database, plant spesific data
Manufacturing	Generic database, plant spesific data
Product Transport	Generic database, generic data
Installation	Generic database, generic data
End of Life	Generic database, generic data
Benefits and Loads	Generic database, generic data

# **LCA Results**



It is discouraging the use of the results of modules A1-A3 (A1-A5 for services) without considering the results of module C. The estimated impact results are only relative statements, which do not indicate the endpoints of the impact categories, exceeding threshold values, safety margins and/or risks.

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Mandatory ind	icators	Unit	A1-A3	A4	<b>A</b> 5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
	Fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,75E-01	8,11E-05	1,98E-02	5,78E-02	9,35E-03	0,00E+00	6,20E-03	-1,48E-03
Global	Biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	-2,82E-02	2,21E-08	1,84E-02	2,22E-04	2,99E-06	1,05E-02	2,61E-04	-3,76E-06
Mandatory indica Global Warming Potential ODP AP EP - Freshwater EP - Marine EP - Terrestrial POCP **ADPE **ADPF **WDP PM *IR **HTP - C ***HTP - NC **SQP Legend Acronyms	Luluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	2,48E-04	4,60E-08	2,34E-04	6,87E-04	4,57E-06	0,00E+00	3,74E-06	-9,25E-06
	Total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,47E-01	8,11E-05	3,84E-02	5,87E-02	9,36E-03	1,05E-02	6,46E-03	-1,50E-03
ODP		kg CFC-11 eq.	6,98E-09	1,26E-12	1,35E-10	3,88E-10	2,05E-10	0,00E+00	1,80E-10	-3,93E-11
AP		mol H+ eq.	9,02E-04	8,61E-07	1,41E-04	4,14E-04	3,87E-05	0,00E+00	4,67E-05	-8,60E-06
EP - Freshwat	er	kg P eq.	4,46E-05	5,55E-09	2,27E-05	6,64E-05	6,59E-07	0,00E+00	5,16E-07	-5,61E-07
EP - Marine		kg N eq.	2,04E-04	2,33E-07	2,37E-05	6,93E-05	1,48E-05	0,00E+00	1,79E-05	-2,66E-06
EP - Terrestria	l	mol N eq.	2,23E-03	2,54E-06	2,13E-04	6,23E-04	1,58E-04	0,00E+00	1,92E-04	-2,91E-05
POCP		kg NMVOC	7,83E-04	7,88E-07	6,24E-05	1,82E-04	5,67E-05	0,00E+00	6,69E-05	-1,26E-05
**ADPE		kg Sb eq.	1,94E-06	1,81E-10	2,17E-08	6,20E-08	3,02E-08	0,00E+00	8,61E-09	-8,31E-09
**ADPF		MJ	2,34E+00	1,13E-03	2,08E-01	6,04E-01	1,33E-01	0,00E+00	1,54E-01	-2,56E-02
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		Additiona	al environmer	ntal impact in	dicators per d	eclared unit (	Optional)			
PM		disease inc.	9,86E-09	6,61E-12	6,47E-10	1,88E-09	7,66E-10	0,00E+00	1,02E-09	-1,51E-10
*IR		kBq U-235 eq.	7,40E-03	9,22E-07	2,09E-04	4,77E-04	1,79E-04	0,00E+00	9,78E-05	-1,67E-04
**HTP - C	ation .	CTUh	1,02E-10	3,50E-14	4,75E-12	1,24E-11	4,27E-12	0,00E+00	2,64E-12	-1,17E-11
***HTP - NC		CTUh	2,24E-09	7,07E-13	1,78E-10	5,04E-10	9,40E-11	0,00E+00	3,30E-11	-1,96E-11
**SQP		Pt	2,82E+00	8,95E-04	2,07E-02	5,95E-02	7,95E-02	0,00E+00	3,07E-01	-7,97E-01
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Acronyms		GWP-total: Climat Climate change – EP-freshwater: E POCP: Photocher Water scarcity. P effects. HTP-nc: N	land use an utrophication mical oxidation M: Respirato	d transformat freshwater. on. ADPE: Ab ory inorganics	ion. ODP: Ozo EPmarine: Eu viotic depletion s - particulate	one layer dep utrophication n - elements. e matter. IR:	oletion. AP: A marine. EP- ADPF: Abiot Ionising rad	cidification to terrestrial: E tic depletion iation. HTP-c	errestrial and utrophication - fossil resou	d freshwater n terrestrial urces. WDP
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ADDITIONAL MANDATORY IMPACT CATEGORY INDICATORS PER DECLARED UNIT										
Parameter	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D	
GWP - GHG	CTUh	1,76E-01	8,13E-05	2,01E-02	5,88E-02	9,38E-03	0,00E+00	6,22E-03	-1,50E-03	

GWP-GHG = Global Warming Potential total excl. biogenic carbon following IPCC AR5 methodology \*The indicator includes all greenhouse gases included in GWP-total but excludes biogenic carbon dioxide uptake and emissions and biogenic carbon stored in the product. This indicator is thus equal to the GWP indicator originally defined in EN 15804:2012+A1:2013

RESOURCE USE INDICATORS PER DECLARED UNIT										
Parameter	· Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D	
PERE	MJ	6,59E-01	1,29E-05	6,84E-02	2,00E-01	2,07E-03	0,00E+00	1,32E-03	-1,47E-01	
PERM	MJ	0,00E+00								
PERT	MJ	6,59E-01	1,29E-05	6,84E-02	2,00E-01	2,07E-03	0,00E+00	1,32E-03	-1,47E-01	
PENRE	MJ	2,34E+00	1,13E-03	2,08E-01	6,04E-01	1,33E-01	0,00E+00	1,54E-01	-2,56E-02	
PENRM	MJ	0,00E+00								
PENRT	MJ	2,34E+00	1,13E-03	2,08E-01	6,04E-01	1,33E-01	0,00E+00	1,54E-01	-2,56E-02	
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NRSF	MJ	0,00E+00								
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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; PENRM: Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRM: Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRM: Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT: Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT: Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT: Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources; SM: Use of secondary material; RSF: Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF: Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW: Use of net fresh water

WASTE & OUTPUT INDICATORS											
Parameter		Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D	
HWD		kg	6,95E-05	2,77E-08	1,49E-05	4,33E-05	3,30E-06	0,00E+00	1,90E-06	-2,61E-06	
NHWD		kg	2,73E-02	7,58E-05	1,22E-03	3,52E-03	6,52E-03	0,00E+00	1,02E+00	-4,81E-04	
RWD		kg	1,85E-06	2,18E-10	5,02E-08	1,12E-07	4,34E-08	0,00E+00	2,28E-08	-4,34E-08	
CRU		kg	0,00E+00								
MFR		kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	4,04E-03	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	
MER		kg	0,00E+00								
EE (Electrical)		MJ	0,00E+00								
EE (Thermal)		MJ	0,00E+00								
Legend	Legend HWD: Hazardous waste disposed, NHWD: Non-hazardous waste disposed, RWD: Radioactive waste disposed, CRU Components for reuse, MFR: Material for recycling, MER: Materials for energy recovery, EE (Electrical): Exported energy electrical, EE (Thermal): Exported energy, Thermal.										

# Interpretation



#### Interpretation Of All LCA Stages

When the environmental impact categories of the product are evaluated, the production stages (A1-A3) and installation stage (A5) seem more dominant than other life cycle stages. The most dominant phase in the GWP-luluc, EP-freshwater and water depletion potential categories is the production stage, while the installation stage is dominant in all other impact categories. The use of plaster (as an adhesive), steel profiles and steel screws during the installation stage is the reason for the prominent impacts here. The table below lists the share of life cycle stages in each impact category. Impact category of GWP-biogenic and D module are not included in the percentage display because they contain negative values.

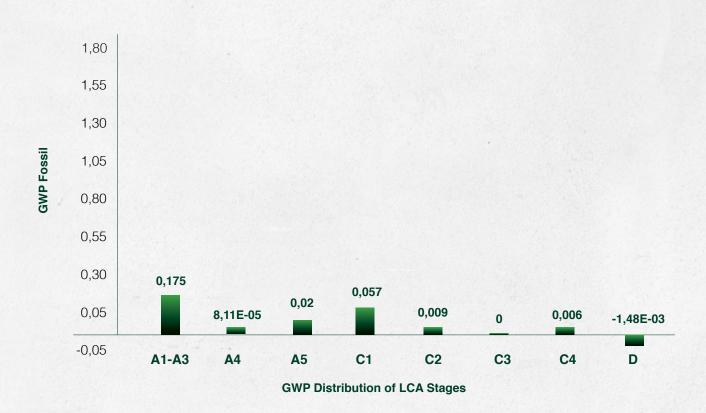
Parameter		A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4
	Fossil	65,3%	0,0%	7,4%	21,5%	3,5%	0,0%	2,3%
Global Warming Potential	Biogenic							
	Luluc	21,1%	0,0%	19,9%	58,4%	0,4%	0,0%	0,3%
	Total	54,4%	0,0%	14,2%	21,7%	3,5%	3,9%	2,4%
ODP		88,5%	0,0%	1,7%	4,9%	2,6%	0,0%	2,3%
AP		58,4%	0,1%	9,2%	26,8%	2,5%	0,0%	3,0%
EP - Fresh	nwater	33,1%	0,0%	16,8%	49,3%	0,5%	0,0%	0,4%
EP - Marine		61,8%	0,1%	7,2%	21,0%	4,5%	0,0%	5,4%
EP - Terre	strial	65,2%	0,1%	6,2%	18,2%	4,6%	0,0%	5,6%
POCP		68,0%	0,1%	5,4%	15,8%	4,9%	0,0%	5,8%
ADPE		94,0%	0,0%	1,1%	3,0%	1,5%	0,0%	0,4%
ADPF		68,0%	0,0%	6,0%	17,6%	3,9%	0,0%	4,5%
WDP 43,		43,8%	0,0%	23,2%	26,9%	0,5%	0,0%	5,7%

**Environmental Impact Distribution by LCA Stages** 



#### **Impact Categories**

The chart below examines the GWP comparison between life cycle stages. The graph shows that the installation stage (A5) has the highest GWP value. The production stage, following this stage, has the second highest GWP. Due to the product's dry weight, the shipment phase to the customer (A4) has a high GWP value compared to the other phases and is the third-highest module.



#### **Production Stages (A1-A3)**

The production stage includes 3 stages: raw material extraction (A1), transportation of the raw material to the factory site (A2) and manufacturing (A3). The GWP-total impact has a lower value than the GWP-fossil due to the negative biogenic carbon impact from kraft paper and cellulose. The negative bionic impact value should be taken into account when interpreting the GWP-total value.

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