

Model EPD

"Reactive resins based on epoxy resins, filled and/or aqueous filled with low content of fillers"

(Declaration number EPD-FEI-20150302-IBG1-EN)







DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY FOR PRODUCTS WITH MODEL EPDS

Mapei is a member of FEICA (Association of the European Adhesive & Sealant Industry), which has developed so-called Model Environmental Product Declarations (Model EPDs), independently verified by IBU (Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V.).

The Model EPDs represent the current production technology in Europe. The compliance of Mapei products to the Model EPDs is checked on the base of their formulations, by using an IBU-approved guideline procedure.

Mapei declares that the product

Eporip

meets the criteria of the attached Model EPD "Reactive resins based on epoxy resins, filled and/or aqueous filled with low content of fillers" (Declaration number EPD-FEI-20150302-IBG1-EN

The Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) data and the remaining content of the attached Model EPD apply to the above mentioned product and may thus be used whenever they are required for the evaluation of the sustainability of buildings where **Eporip** is applied.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATION

as per ISO 14025 and EN 15804

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1. General Information

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This Declaration is based on the Product Category Rules:

Reaction resin products, 07.2014 (PCR tested and approved by the SVR)

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Declared product / Declared unit

1 kg reactive resin based on epoxy resin, filled and/or aqueous filled; density 1.1 - 2.5 g/cm³

Scope:

This validated Declaration entitles the holder to bear the symbol of the *Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V.* It exclusively applies for products produced in Europe and for a period of five years from the date of issue. This EPD may be used by FEICA members and their members provided it has been proven that the respective product can be represented by this EPD. For this purpose a guideline is available at the FEICA secretariat. The members of FEICA are listed on its website. The owner of the declaration shall be liable for the underlying information and evidence; the IBU shall not be liable with respect to manufacturer information, life cycle assessment data and evidences.

Verification

The CEN Norm /EN 15804/ serves as the core PCR
Independent verification of the declaration
according to /ISO 14025/
internally x externally



Mr Olivier Muller (Independent verifier appointed by SVR)

2. Product

2.1 Product description

Reactive resins based on epoxy resin, filled and/or aqueous filled

Manin

The reactive resins are manufactured in a twocomponent process using reactively-diluted epoxy resins and polyamines. The aqueous systems can be formulated as aqueous dispersions on the resin or hardening agent side.

They comply with multiple, often specific tasks in the construction, fitting and repair of structures. By using reactive resins based on epoxy resin, filled and/or aqueous filled, the fitness for use of structures is decisively improved and their life time extended. The product displaying the highest environmental impacts was used as a representative product for calculating the Life Cycle Assessment results (worst case-approach).

2.2 Application

Reactive resins based on epoxy resin, filled and/or aqueous filled, are used in the following applications:

Module 1: Reactive resins for protecting and repairing concrete structures

Products for **surface protection of concrete**, for increasing the durability of concrete and reinforced concrete structures as well as for new concrete and for maintenance and repair work, products for **structural and non-structural repair** used for restoring the original condition of concrete structures and/or replacing faulty concrete and providing reinforcements with protection; products for **structural bonding** of strengthening materials to an existing concrete structure and **products for concrete injection** for filling cracks, voids and interstices in concrete.

Module 2: Reactive resins for liquid applied roof waterproofing kits

Reactive resins for waterproofing roof constructions which are applied on the construction site

Module 3: Reactive resin primer for bridge waterproofing

Primer for bridge waterproofing for use on bridges made of concrete



Module 4: Reactive resins as adhesive for tiles Tile adhesives for internal and external tile installations on walls, floors and ceilings.

Module 5: Reactive resins for watertight covering kits Watertight covering kits for wet room floors and/or walls inside buildings

Module 6:Reactive resins for liquid applied waterproofings for buildings

Liquid applied products for waterproofing of buildings **Module 7:** Screed material and floor screeds
Products for screed / synthetic resin screed for use in floor constructions

Module 8: Reactive resins for waterproofing components made of concrete or brickwork and for pre-treating mineral sub-surfaces such as screed or concrete flooring prior to flooring, parquet and tiling work

Applications in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance **Module 9:** Reactive resins for optical design of concrete components

Products for usually coloured design of concrete accompanied by less-specified surface protection and improved durability of concrete and reinforced concrete surfaces. The same applies for other mineral subsurfaces such as plaster, stone and brickwork. On account of the susceptibility of epoxy resin layers to weathering factors (yellowing, whiting after extensive weathering), a final polyurethane-based coating is usually applied to epoxy layers in outdoor applications.

2.3 Technical Data

Module 1: Reactive resins for protecting and repairing concrete structures

The minimum requirements of /EN 1504/ apply. These are:

- 1.1 **Surface protection** systems for concrete Requirements on performance characteristics for all intended uses in accordance with /EN 1504-2:2005-01/, Tables 1 and 5:
- Permeability to CO2 (/EN 1062-6:2002-10/)
- Water vapour permeability (/EN ISO 7783-1/-2:2012-02/)
- Capillary absorption and permeability to water (/EN 1062-3:2008-04/)
- Adhesive strength by pull off test (/EN 1542:1999-07/)
- 1.2 Products for **structural and non-structural repair** Requirements on performance characteristics for all intended uses in accordance with /EN 1504-3/, Tables 1 and 3:
- Compressive strength (/EN 12190/)
- Chloride content (/EN 1015-17/)
- Adhesive strength by pull off test (/EN 1542:1999-07/)
- 1.3 Products for **structural bonding** Performance characteristics for all intended uses in accordance with Tables 3.1 and 3.2 (manufacturer's declaration of performance)-
- 1.4 Products for **concrete injection** for filling cracks, voids and interstices in concrete—Requirements on performance characteristics for all intended uses in accordance with /EN 1504-5:2005-03/, Table 3:
- Injectability (/EN 1771:2004-11/)
- Viscosity (/EN ISO 3219:1994-10/)

Other performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 2: Reactive resins for liquid applied roof waterproofing kits

The minimum requirements of /ETAG 005/ must be maintained.

The performance requirements must be indicated in accordance with the European Technical Assessment (ETA, no.).

Module 3: Reactive resins for liquid-applied bridge deck waterproofing kits

The minimum requirements of /ETAG 033/ apply. The performance characteristics must be indicated in accordance with the European Technical Assessment (ETA, no.).

Module 4: Reactive resins as adhesive for tiles
The minimum requirements in accordance with /EN
12004:2012-09/ apply. These are:

- Initial shear adhesion strength (/EN 12003:2009-01/)
- Shear adhesion strength after water immersion (/EN 12003:2009-01/) Open time: tensile adhesion strength (/EN 1346:2007-11

Other performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / Declaration of Performance

Module 5: Reactive resins for watertight covering kits The minimum requirements of the /ETAG 022/ must be maintained.

The performance characteristics must be indicated in accordance with the European Technical Assessment (ETA, no.).

Module 6: Reactive resins for liquid applied waterproofings for buildings

Module 7: Screed material and floor screeds The minimum requirements of /EN 13813:2003-01/ apply. For synthetic resin screeds, these are:

- Bond strength (/EN 13892-8:2003-02/)
- Reaction to fire (/EN 13501-1:2010-01/)

Performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 8: Reactive resins for waterproofing components made of concrete or brickwork and for pre-treating sub-surfaces such as screed or concrete flooring prior to flooring, parquet and tiling work At least the following requirements must be fulfilled:

Name	Value	Unit
Shore hardness A /ISO 7619-1,2/	> 50	
Shore hardness D /ISO 7619-1,2/	> 25	
Density /EN ISO 2811: 2011-06/	0,9 - 2	kg/dm³
Viscosity /EN ISO 3219: 1994-10/	< 200	Pas

Other performance characteristics are in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 9: Reactive resins for optical design of concrete components

Physical data on the coating material and/or coating must be indicated in accordance with the respective product standards; these can include, for example:

- Viscosity (/EN ISO 3219:1994-10/)
- Density (/EN ISO 2811:2011-06/)
- Pendulum damping (/ISO 1522:2007-04/)
- Reaction to fire (/EN 13501-1:2010-01/)
- Tensile strength (/EN 13892-8:2003-02/)

Other performance characteristics are in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance.



2.4 Placing on the market / Application rules

For the placing on the market in the EU/EFTA (with the exception of Switzerland) products falling under the Regulation (EU) No 305/2011 need a Declaration of Performance taking into consideration either the relevant harmonised European standard or the European Technical Assessment and the CE-marking. For the application and use of the products the respective national provisions apply.

2.5 Delivery status

Liquid or pasty in containers made of tinplate or plastic appropriately prepared in separate or combi-containers for the practical mixing ratio. One kg of product in individual containers. Sealants in plastic cartridges and poly-tube bags made of foil compound materials. Typical container sizes contain 10 to 25 kg of material. For more extensive applications, vats containing approx. 200 kg or IBCs containing more than 1 tonne are also used.

A sheet steel container was modelled for the Life Cycle Assessment.

2.6 Base materials / Ancillary materials

Reactive resins based on epoxy resin, filled and/or aqueous filled, comprise resin and crosslinking agent components. Aqueous, filled systems can be formulated as aqueous dispersions on the resin or crosslinking agent side.

The resin component contains low-molecular epoxy resins based on Bisphenol-A and Bisphenol-F Diglycidether. Reactive diluting agents (Glycidether) based on aliphatic alcohol are used for viscosity adjustment. Crosslinking occurs when installed on site with the amine component. Polyamines and polyamine adducts based on IPDA, MXDA, TMDA and TEPA are used for this purpose. The components can contain accelerators, catalysts, wetting agents, foam regulators, inert diluting agents (no solvents) for fine adjustment of the product properties as auxiliaries (restrictions governing application or placing on the market must be observed).

The mixing ratio for resin and crosslinker is adjusted in accordance with the stoichiometric requirements. Product crosslinking starts immediately after mixing the components.

On average, the products covered by this EPD contain the following range of base materials and auxiliaries: Resin component: ~ 45-65%

Crosslinker component: ~ 10-15% Reactive diluting agent: ~ 15-30%

Filler material: 5-15% Other: ~ <1.5%

The ranges referred to above are average values and the composition of products complying with the EPD can deviate from the concentration volumes referred to in individual cases. Deviations are possible. More detailed information is provided by the respective manufacturer (e.g. product data sheets). In individual cases, it is possible that substances on

the list of particularly harmful substances for inclusion in Annex XIV of the /REACH/ Ordinance are included in concentrations of more than 0.1%. If this is the case, this information can be found in the respective safety data sheet.

2.7 Manufacture

The product components formulated are usually mixed from the ingredients in batch mode and packaged for delivery, whereby quality and environmental standards in accordance with /ISO 9001:2008-12/ and the

provisions outlined in the relevant regulations such as the Industrial Safety Regulation and Federal Pollution Control Act are adhered to.

2.8 Environment and health during manufacturing

As a general rule, no other environmental protection measures other than those specified by law are necessary.

2.9 Product processing/Installation

Reactive resins based on epoxy resin (filled and/or water-filled)

are processed by trowelling/knife-coating or rolling, pouring, spraying or injection, whereby health and safety measures (hand and eye protection, ventilation, respiratory equipment) are to be taken and consistently adhered to in accordance with the information on the safety data sheet and conditions on site. VOC-Emissions may occur.

2.10 Packaging

A detailed description of packaging is provided in section 2.5. Empty containers and clean foils can be recycled.

2.11 Condition of use

During the use phase, reactive resins based on epoxy, unfilled/solvent-free, are crosslinked and essentially comprise an inert, three-dimensional network. They are long-lasting products which protect our buildings in the form of primer, coatings or sealings and make a significant contribution towards retaining their function and long-term value

2.12 Environment and health during use Option 1 – Products for applications outside indoor areas with permanent stays by people

During use, reactive resins based on epoxy, filled and/or aqueous filled, lose their reactivity and react inert.

No risks are known for water, air and soil if the products are used as designated.

Option 2 – Products for applications inside indoor areas with permanent stays by people

When used in indoor areas with permanent stays by people, evidence of the emission performance of construction products in contact with indoor air must be submitted according to national requirements. No further influences on the environment and health by emanating substances are known.

2.13 Reference service life

Reactive resins based on epoxy resin, aqueous (unfilled), comply with various, often specific tasks associated with the construction or refurbishment of building structures. Use thereof decisively improves the usability of building structures and significantly extends their Reference Service Life.

The anticipated Reference Service Life depends on the specific installation situation and associated product exposure. It can be influenced by weather factors as well as by mechanical or chemical loads.

2.14 Extraordinary effects

Fire

Even without any special fire safety fittings, the reactive resins based on epoxy, unfilled/solvent-free, comply with the minimum requirements of /EN 13501-



1/ for fire class E and Efl. In terms of the volumes used, they only have a subordinate effect on the fire characteristics of a building in which they are installed. As cross-linked epoxy resins involve a duroplastic material, it does not melt or drip with the result that the resins do not contribute to fire spread, whereas the combustibility of cross-linked epoxy resins is greater than that of other duroplastics. Among other substances, formaldehyde and phenol can be formed in the event of a fire.

Water

The reactive resins based on epoxy, unfilled/solventfree, are chemically inert and water-insoluble. They are often used for protecting building structures from harmful water ingress / the effects of flooding.

Mechanical destruction

Mechanical destruction of reactive resins based on epoxy resin does not lead to any decomposition products which are harmful to the environment or health.

2.15 Re-use phase

According to present knowledge, no environmentallyharmful effects are generally anticipated in landfilling, for example, as a result of de-construction and recycling of building materials to which crosslinked epoxy resin products are adherent.

If epoxy systems can be removed from construction products without any noticeable effort, thermal

utilisation is a practical recycling variant on account of their energy content.

Minor adhesion is not taken into consideration during disposal. It does not interfere with disposal/recycling of the remaining components / building materials.

2.16 Disposal

Individual components which can no longer be recycled must be combined at a specified ratio and hardened.

Hardened product residue is not special waste. Non-hardened product residue is special waste. Empty, dried containers (free of drops and scraped clean) are directed to the recycling process. Residue must be directed to proper waste disposal taking consideration of local guidelines.

The following European Waste Codes waste (EWC) codes can apply:

Hardened product residue:

/EWC 2000/532/EC 080112/ with the exception of those covered by /EWC 2000/532/EC08 01 11/ /EWC 2000/532/EC 080410/ with the exception of those covered by /EWC 2000/532/EC 08 04 09/

2.17 Further information

More information is available in the manufacturer's product or safety data sheets and is available on the manufacturer's Web sites or on request. Valuable technical information is also available on the associations' Web sites.

3. LCA: Calculation rules

3.1 Declared Unit

This EPD refers to the declared unit of 1 kg reactive resin based on epoxy resin, filled and/or aqueous filled of density 1.1 - 2.5 g/cm³ in the mixing ratio required for processing both components in accordance with the PCR Part B for Reactive resin products. Consumption per unit area of the products to be applied extensively can range between only a few hundred grams and more than 1 kg per square metre. In the case of products, which are injected, the application volume depends on the component to be injected.

The results of the Life Cycle Assessment provided in this declaration have been calculated from the product with the highest environmental impact (worst-case scenario).

Declared unit

Name	Value	Unit
Declared unit	1	kg
Conversion factor to 1 kg	1	-

3.2 System boundary

Modules A1-A3, A4, A5 and D are taken into consideration in the LCA:

- A1 Production of preliminary products
- A2 Transport to plant
- A3 Production incl. provision of energy, production of packaging as well as auxiliaries and consumables, waste treatment)
- A4 Transport to site
- A5 Installation (disposal of packaging & installation losses and emissions during installation)

 D Credits from incineration of packaging materials & installation losses and recycling the metal container

The declaration is therefore from "cradle to gate - with options".

3.3 Estimates and assumptions

Where no specific /GaBi/ processes were available, the individual recipe ingredients of formulation were estimated on the basis of information provided by the manufacturer or literary sources.

3.4 Cut-off criteria

All raw materials submitted for the formulations and production data were taken into consideration. The manufacture of machinery, plants and other infrastructure required for production of the products under review was not taken into consideration in the LCA.

Transport of packaging materials is also excluded.

3.5 Background data

Data from the /GaBi 6/ database was used as background data. Where no background data was available, it was complemented by manufacturer information and literary research.

3.6 Data quality

Representative products were applied for this EPD and the product in a group displaying the highest environmental impact was selected for calculating the LCA results. The datasets are less than 5 years old. Production data and packaging are based on details



provided by the manufacturer. The formulation used for evaluation refers to a specific product.

3.7 Period under review

Representative formulations were accepted by FEICA Ltd and collected in 2011.

3.8 Allocation

No allocations were applied for production. A multiinput allocation with a credit for electricity and thermal energy was used for incineration of production residues and packaging materials. The credits achieved through packaging disposal are declared in Module D.

3.9 Comparability

Basically, a comparison or an evaluation of EPD data is only possible if all the data sets to be compared were created according to /EN 15804/ and the building context, respectively the product-specific characteristics of performance, are taken into account. In this case, 1 kg reactive resin was selected as the declared unit. Depending on the application, a corresponding conversion factor such as the specific unit area must be taken into consideration.

4. LCA: Scenarios and additional technical information

The following technical information forms the basis for the declared modules or can be used for developing specific scenarios in the context of a building evaluation if modules are not declared (MND).

Transport to the building site (A4)

Name	Value	Unit
Litres of fuel	0.0016	l/100km
Transport distance	1000	km
Capacity utilisation (including empty runs)	85	%
Gross density of products	1100 -	kg/m³
transported	2500	Kg/III*
Capacity utilisation volume factor	1	-

Installation into the building (A5)

Name	Value	Unit
Material loss	0.01	kg
VOC in the air (NMVOC)	0.02	kg



5. LCA: Results

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A1	A2	А3	A4	A5	B1	B2	В3	B4	B!	5	В6	В7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
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RESULTS OF THE LCA - ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT: 1 kg reactive resin based on epoxy resin, filled and/or aqueous filled																	
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6. LCA: Interpretation

All impacts are associated with the production phase (A1-A3). The most significant contribution to the production phase impacts is the upstream production of raw materials as main driver. Another relevant contributor in the production phase, in the category of Abiotic Depletion Potential Elements (ADPE), is the steel sheet used as a packaging material. The majority of life cycle energy consumption takes place during the production phase (A1-A3). Significant contributions to Primary Energy Demand – Nonrenewable (PENRT) derive from the energy resources used in the production of raw materials. The largest contributor to Primary Energy Demand – Renewable (PERT) is the consumption of renewable energy resources required for the generation and supply of

Materials for energy recovery

Exported electrical energy

Exported thermal energy

electricity. During manufacturing (A1-A3) some influence also arises due to the wooden pallets used as packaging that need solar energy for photosynthesis. It should be noted that Primary Energy Demand – Renewable (**PERT**) generally represents a small percentage of the production phase primary energy demand with the bulk of the demand coming from non-renewable energy resources.

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Transportation to the construction site (A4) and the installation process (A5) make a negligible contribution to almost all impacts. The only exception is the photochemical ozone creation potential (**POCP**) that is significantly influenced by the installation of the product due to emissions of benzyl alcohol of maximum 2%. This leads to a contribution of the installation phase of

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up to 80% on the overall life cycle of the product. Emissions associated with the manufacturing of products (A3) only have a minor influence on POCP. In module A4, transport to construction site, values for POCP are negative due to emission profile modelled for the selected transportation process and of the characterisation method used in CML 2001 for the calculation of the POCP.

Scrap burdens and energy credit from incineration of packaging material reported in module D are not important (contribution <2.5% for most results). CO₂ is the most important contributor to Global Warming Potential (GWP). For the Acidification Potential (AP), NO_x and SO₂ contribute to the largest

Requisite evidence

VOC

Special tests and evidence have not been carried out or provided within the framework of drawing up this Model EPD. Some member states require special documentation on VOC emissions into indoor air for specific areas of application. This documentation, as well as documentation for voluntary VOC labelling, has to be provided separately and is specific for products in question.

Evidence pertaining to VOC emissions shall show

- either an attestation of compliance with,
- or documentation of test data that are required in, any of the existing regulations or in any of the existing voluntary labeling programs for low-emitting products, as far as these
- (1) include limits for the parameters TVOC, TSVOC, carcinogens, formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, LCI limits for individual substances (including but not limited to the European list of harmonized LCIs), and the R
- (2) base their test methods on /CEN/TS 16516/ (or /EN 16516/, after the on-going revision of /CEN/TS
- (3) perform testing and apply the limits after 28 days storage in a ventilated test chamber, under the conditions specified in /CEN/TS 16516/; some regulations and programs also have limits after 3 days, on top of the 28 days limits;

(4) express the test results as air concentrations in the European Reference Room, as specified in /CEN/TS 16516/.

Examples of such regulations are the Belgian /Royal Decree C-2014/24239/, or the German /AgBB/. Examples of such voluntary labeling programs are EMICODE, Blue Angel or Indoor Air Comfort.

Relevant test results shall be produced either by an /ISO 17025/ accredited commercial test lab, or by a qualified internal test lab of the manufacturer. Examples for the applied limits after 28 days storage in a ventilated test chamber are:

- TVOC: 1000 µg/m3 TSVOC: 100 µg/m³ Each carcinogen: 1 μg/m³
- Formaldehyde: 100 µg/m³
- LCI: different per substance involved R value: 1 (meaning that, in total, 100% of the
- combined LCI values must not be exceeded).

Informative Annexes (2 tables):

The table shown below is an overview of the most relevant regulations and specifications as of April 2015, as regards requirements after 3 days storage in a ventilated test chamber.

	TVOC [μg/m³]	Sum of carcinogens. C1A,CA2 [μg/m³]	Formal- dehyde [µg/m³]	Acet- aldehyde [μg/m³]	Sum of Form- and Acet- aldehyde
German DIBt/AgBB regulation	10 000	10	-/-	-/-	-/-
draft Lithuanian regulation	10 000	10	-/-	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1	1 000	10	50	50	50 ppb
EMICODE EC1 PLUS	750	10	50	50	50 ppb

The table above provides an overview of the most relevant regulations and specifications as of April 2015, as regards requirements after 28 days storage in a ventilated test chamber. Some details may be

missing in the table due to lack of space. Values given represent maximum values/limits.



	TVOC [μg/m³]	TSVOC [μg/m³]	Each carcinogen C1A,CA2 [µg/m³]	Formaldehyde [µg/m³]	Acetaldehyde [μg/m³]	rci	R value	Specials	Sum non-LCI & non- identified [µg/m³]
Belgian regulation	1000	100	1	100	200	Belgian list	1	Toluene 300 μg/m³	-/-
French regulations class A+	1000	-/-	-/-	10	200	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class A	1500	-/-	-/-	60	300	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class B	2000	-/-	-/-	120	400	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class C	>2000	-/-	-/-	>120	>400	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
German DIBt/AgBB regulation	1000	100	1	100	1200	German AgBB list	1	-/-	100
draft Lithuanian regulation	1000	100	1	product type specific	-/-	Lithua- nian list	1	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1	100	50	1	(after 3 days)	(after 3 days)	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1 PLUS	60	40	1	(after 3 days)	(after 3 days)	German AgBB list	1	-/-	40
Finnish M1, sealants	20	-/-	1	10	-/-	-/-	-/-	Ammonia, odour	-/-
Finnish M1, adhesives	200 μg/m²h	-/-	5 μg/m²h	50 μg/m²h	-/-	-/-	-/-	Ammonia, odour	-/-

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Model EPD

"Modified mineral mortars, group 2"

(Declaration number EPD-FEI-20160042-IBG1-EN)







DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY FOR PRODUCTS WITH MODEL EPDS

Mapei is a member of FEICA (Association of the European Adhesive & Sealant Industry), which has developed so-called Model Environmental Product Declarations (Model EPDs), independently verified by IBU (Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V.).

The Model EPDs represent the current production technology in Europe. The compliance of Mapei products to the Model EPDs is checked on the base of their formulations, by using an IBU-approved guideline procedure.

Mapei declares that the product

Mapecem

meets the criteria of the attached Model EPD

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The Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) data and the remaining content of the attached Model EPD apply to the above mentioned product and may thus be used whenever they are required for the evaluation of the sustainability of buildings where *Mapecem* is applied.

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Declared product / Declared unit

1 kg of modified mineral mortar with a density $800 - 1,700 \text{ kg/m}^3$

Scope:

This validated Declaration entitles the holder to bear the symbol of the *Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V.* It exclusively applies for products produced in Europe and for a period of five years from the date of issue. This EPD may be used by FEICA members and their members provided it has been proven that the respective product can be represented by this EPD. For this purpose a guideline is available at the FEICA secretariat. The members of FEICA are listed on its website. The owner of the declaration shall be liable for the underlying information and evidence; the IBU shall not be liable with respect to manufacturer information, life cycle assessment data and evidences.

Verification

The CEN Norm /EN 15804/ serves as the core PCR Independent verification of the declaration according to /ISO 14025/

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externally

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Mr Olivier Muller (Independent verifier appointed by SVR)

2. Product

2.1 Product description

Modified mineral mortars are combinations of one or more inorganic binder, aggregates, water and if necessary additives. They comply with manifold, often specific, tasks in the construction, furnishing and refurbishment of buildings.

The product displaying the highest environmental impacts was used as a representative product for calculating the Life Cycle Assessment results (worst case-approach).

2.2 Application

Modified mineral mortars are used for the following applications:

Module 1: Modified mineral mortars as repair mortar for the protection and repair of concrete structures

- **1.1** Products for structural and non-structural repair which are used to restore the original condition of concrete structures and/or to replace defective concrete
- **1.2** Products for reinforcement corrosion protection *Module 2:* Adhesives based on modified mineral mortars

- **2.1** Products for bonding ceramic tiles as well as natural stone for internal and external installations on walls, floors and ceilings
- 2.2 Products for bonding thermal insulation composite panels

Module 3: Modified mineral mortars as joint fillers Products for joint filling of wall and floor coverings made of ceramic tiles as well as natural stone for indoor and outdoor applications

Module 4: Modified mineral mortars as cementitious screed, floor levelling compounds, filler, flowing screed Products for manufacturing bonded screed, screeds on separating or insulating layers, for levelling and repairing usual building substrates such as rough, uneven concrete floors, cement, anhydrite and mastic asphalt screed, heated screed and ceramic coverings for indoor and outdoor applications

Module 5: Modified mineral mortars as levelling compounds for walls and ceilings

Products for levelling and repairing rough, uneven walls, for repairing grit spots, closing blowholes and modelling broken corners and edges

Module 6: Modified mineral mortar as grouts



Products for grouting on holes, recesses, concrete precast columns, foundations and for anchoring machine components indoors and outdoors

Module 7: Modified mineral mortars for waterproofing slurries

Products for providing cement-based waterproofing surfaces in structural and civil engineering. For use in new and old buildings as well as beneath tiles (mineral or flexible waterproofing slurries)

Module 8: Modified mineral mortars as repair mortar Products for carrying out repairs (e.g. for repairing minor voids and holes) on horizontal and vertical areas

2.3 Technical Data

Construction products with Declaration of Performance in accordance with /CPR/

Module 1: Modified mineral mortars as repair mortar for the protection and repair of concrete structures The minimum requirements according to /EN 1504/ apply. These are:

1.1

Products for structural and non-structural repair - Requirements on performance characteristics for all intended uses in accordance with /EN 1504-3/, Table 1:

- Compressive strength (/EN 12190/)
- Chloride ion content (/EN 1015-17/)
- Adhesive strength by pull off test (/EN 1542/)
- Restrained shrinkage/expansion (/EN 12617-4/)
- **1.2** Reinforcement corrosion protection products Requirements on all intended uses in accordance with /EN 1504-7/, Table 1:
- Corrosion protection (/EN 15183/)

Other performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 2: Adhesives based on modified mineral mortar

- **2.1** The minimum requirements in accordance with /EN 12004/ apply. These are:
- Tensile adhesion strength after dry storage (/EN 1348/)
- Tensile adhesion strength after water immersion (/EN 1348/)
- Tensile adhesion strength after heat ageing (/EN 1348/
- Tensile adhesion strength after freeze/thaw cycles (/EN 1348/)
- Open time: Tensile strength (/EN 1346/)
 Other performance characteristics in accordance with
 the manufacturer's technical documentation /
 declaration of performance
- **2.2** Performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance; /ETAG 004/ apply.

Module 3: Modified mineral mortars as joint fillers The minimum requirements of /EN 13888/ must be maintained.

Module 4: Modified mineral mortars as cementitious screed, floor levelling compounds, filler, flowing screed:

The minimum requirements of /EN 13813/ must be maintained. These are:

- Reaction to fire (/EN 13501-1/)
- Release of corrosive substances
- Compressive strength (/EN 13892-2/)
- Flexural strength (/EN 13892-2/)

Other performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance **Module 5:** Modified mineral mortars as levelling compounds for walls and ceilings

Module 5.1: The minimum requirements of /EN 998-1/ apply. These are:

- Reaction to fire (/EN 13501-1/)
- Compressive strength
- Dry bulk density
- Capillary water absorption
- Water vapour permeability

Other performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 5.2: The minimum requirements of /EN 13279/ apply.

Performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 6: Modified mineral mortars as grouts **Module 7:** Modified mineral mortar for waterproofing slurries

The minimum requirements in accordance with /EN 14891/ apply.

Module 8: Modified mineral mortars as repair mortar Performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

2.4 Placing on the market / Application rules

For the placing on the market in the EU/EFTA (with the exception of Switzerland) products falling under the Regulation (EU) No 305/2011 need a Declaration of Performance taking into consideration either the relevant harmonised European standard as cited in chapter 2.3 or the European Technical Assessment and the CE-marking.

For the application and use of the products the respective national provisions apply.

2.5 Delivery status

Modified mineral mortars are generally manufactured and supplied as factory-made dry mortars. Factory-made dry mortar is a finished mixture of base materials which merely requires the addition of water on the building site. The products can be supplied in 1-5 kg bags, 15-25 kg sacks, Big Bags (1 t), minitainers (1.2 t) or as silo goods (5-15 t).

Paper sacks with polyethylene lining were modelled as packaging (worst-case approach).

2.6 Base materials / Ancillary materials

On average, the products covered by this EPD contain the following ranges of base materials and auxiliaries referred to:

Cement: ~ 15 - 98% Filler materials: ~ 0 - 80% Plaster: ~ 0 - 20% Additives: ~ 0 - 10%

Dispersion powder: ~ 0 - 10%

These ranges are average values and the composition of products complying with the EPD can deviate from these concentration levels in individual cases. More detailed information is available in the respective manufacturer's documentation (e.g. product data sheets).

In individual cases, it is possible that substances on the list of materials of particularly high concern for inclusion in Annex XIV of the /REACH/ regulation are contained in concentrations exceeding 0.1%. If this is the case, this information can be found on the respective safety data sheet. Mortar for special



applications can also contain fungicides, whereby the functional group of fungicides is dependent on the chemical specification.

2.7 Manufacture

The raw materials are stored in silos, big bags or sacks in the manufacturing plant and fed gravimetrically in accordance with the respective formula and mixed intensively. The mix is then packaged.

Quality and environmental standards in accordance with /ISO 9001:2008-12/ and the provisions outlined in the relevant regulations such as the Industrial Safety Regulation and Federal Pollution Control Act are adhered to.

2.8 Environment and health during manufacturing

The state-of-the-art involves maximum recirculation of dry waste into production. Wherever dust is incurred during production in the plant, it is directed to a filter system taking consideration of the limit values applicable for the workplace and using the corresponding extraction plants. Sack discharge stations connected to the extraction plant offer employees additional protection from dust. Most of the dust collected in the filter system and any residue incurred during production is returned to the manufacturing process.

Powder residues: Residual product is returned to the production process wherever possible.

Air: Process air is dedusted autonomously, whereby the values are far below legal requirements.

Water: The production process does not involve water. Very low volumes of water are required for laboratory tests and for sanitary facilities.

Noise: Noise level measurements have indicated that all values established within the production facility fall below the hearing protection limit of 85dB(A).

Waste: The main types of waste are powder waste, paper (paper bags) and foil. Low volumes of metal scrap (metal containers), waste oil (maintenance), wood (pallets) and commercial waste are incurred. All waste is separated, stored and redirected to the recycling circuit or disposed of.

2.9 Product processing/Installation

Modified mineral mortars can be processed both automatically and manually. The mortars are either automatically removed from a silo using a dry conveyor or manually taken from the container, mixed with water and installed.

The professional liability association's rules apply as well as the respective safety data sheets pertaining to the construction products.

On account of the various hydrate levels of cement, lime and calcium sulphate binding agents in the mineral mortar, the fresh mortar mixed with water is usually strongly alkaline. In the case of more extensive contact, this alkaline state can cause serious damage to eyes and skin. Therefore, any contact with eyes or skin must be avoided by taking personal protective measures and the information outlined on the safety data sheet must be observed.

Uncontrolled dust emissions should be avoided. Modified mineral mortars may not be discharged into the sewage system, surface water or groundwater. Waste incurred on the building site (packaging, pallets, residual mortar) must be collected separately. Suitable waste disposal companies dispose of packaging materials and mortar sacks and return them to the recycling circuit. Dry mortar residue is taken back by

the manufacturing plants and used as a raw material. No dry mortar residue in mortar sacks is incurred. Hard mortar residue can be recycled or disposed of as building site rubble.

2.10 Packaging

A detailed description of packaging is provided in section 2.5. Empty, trickle-free paper containers and clean PE foils can be recycled.

2.11 Condition of use

Modified mineral mortar does not rot and is resistant to ageing when used in accordance with the designated purpose of the respective products.

It is a durable product which, when used as adhesive, screed, waterproofing material or repair product, makes an essential contribution towards improving building function and value.

2.12 Environment and health during use

Owing to the stable crystalline bond and firm structure achieved after curing, emissions are extremely low and harmless to health when used in accordance with the designated purpose of the respective products. No risks are known for water, air and soil if the products are used as designated.

Natural ionising radiation from mineral mortar is extremely low and negligible in terms of health hazards

Options for applications in indoor areas with permanent stays by people:

Evidence of the emission performance of construction products in contact with indoor air and depending on the designated use must be submitted for applications in indoor areas with permanent stays by people, e.g. in accordance with the /AgBB/ test scheme or the /GEV/ (Gemeinschaft Emissionskontrollierte

Verlegewerkstoffe, Klebstoffe und Bauprodukte e.V., Düsseldorf) /EMICODE/® marking system typically applied in Germany.

2.13 Reference service life

Modified mineral mortars decisively improve the usability of building structures and significantly extend their original service lives.

The anticipated reference service life depends on the specific installation situation and the exposure associated with the product. It can be influenced by weathering as well as mechanical or chemical loads.

2.14 Extraordinary effects

Fire

In accordance with Commission Decision 94/611EC, modified mineral binding agents comprising finely-distributed organic components must always be classified in reaction-to-fire class A1 "No contribution to fire" in accordance with /EN 13501-1/.

Where higher percentages of organic components are involved, it can also be assumed that at least the requirements of /EN 13501-1/ are maintained for fire class E and Efl.

Water

No relevant volumes of water-soluble substances hazardous to water are washed out when exposed to water (e.g. flooding). Cement-based mortar is stable in terms of structure and is not subject to any changes in form when exposed to water and drying.



Mechanical destruction

The mechanical destruction of modified mineral mortars does not lead to any decomposition products which are harmful for the environment or health. Dust incurred during de-construction should be avoided by taking the appropriate measures (e.g. humidification).

2.15 Re-use phase

Components manufactured using modified mineral mortars can usually be easily demolished. When removing a building, the materials do not need to be treated as special waste; care should, however, be taken to ensure unmixed residual materials wherever possible. Mineral mortars can usually be redirected to normal building material recycling circuits. Re-use is generally in the form of recycled aggregate in building construction and civil engineering.

No practical experience is currently available for reusing components comprising modified mineral mortar after decommissioning.

2.16 Disposal

The portion of a modified mineral mortar-based product applied at an other construction product is rather low. These low amounts do not play a role when the construction product is disposed. They do not interfere with the disposal/recycling of other components / building materials.

The following European Waste Codes waste (EWC) codes can apply:

Mineral mortar: /EWC 2000/532/EC 170101/ and /EWC 2000/532/EC 101314/

Mineral filler and levelling compound: /EWC 2000/532/EC 170107/

Calcium sulphate-based filler and levelling compound: /EWC 2000/532/EC 170802/

2.17 Further information

More information is available in the manufacturer's product or safety data sheets and is available on the manufacturer's Web sites or on request. Valuable technical information is also available on the associations' Web sites.

3. LCA: Calculation rules

3.1 Declared Unit

This EPD refers to the declared unit of 1 kg modified mineral mortar with a density of 800 - 1,700 kg/m³. The results of the Life Cycle Assessment provided in this declaration have been calculated from the product with the highest environmental impact (worst-case scenario).

With the information about the consumption per surface area the results can be calculated into a declared unit of kg/m³.

Declared unit

Name	Value	Unit
Declared unit	1	kg
Conversion factor to 1 kg	1	-

3.2 System boundary

Modules A1-A3, A4, A5 and D are taken into consideration in the LCA:

- A1 Production of preliminary products
- A2 Transport to plant
- A3 Production incl. provision of energy, production of packaging as well as auxiliaries and consumables, waste treatment)
- A4 Transport to site
- A5 Installation (disposal of packaging & installation losses and emissions during installation)
- D Credits from incineration of packaging materials

The declaration is therefore from "cradle to gate - with options".

3.3 Estimates and assumptions

Where no specific /GaBi/ processes were available, the individual recipe ingredients of formulation were estimated on the basis of information provided by the manufacturer or literary sources.

3.4 Cut-off criteria

All raw materials submitted for the formulations and production data were taken into consideration. The manufacture of machinery, plants and other infrastructure required for production of the products under review was not taken into consideration in the LCA. Transport of packaging materials is also excluded.

3.5 Background data

Data from the /GaBi/ ts database was used as background data. Where no background data was available, it was complemented by manufacturer information and literary research.

3.6 Data quality

Representative products were applied for this EPD and the product in a group displaying the highest environmental impact was selected for calculating the LCA results. The datasets are less than 5 years old. Production data and packaging are based on details provided by the manufacturer. The formulation used for evaluation refers to a specific product.

3.7 Period under review

Representative formulations were accepted by FEICA Ltd and collected in 2011.

3.8 Allocation

No allocations were applied for production. A multiinput allocation with a credit for electricity and thermal energy was used for incineration of packaging materials. The credits achieved through packaging disposal are declared in Module D.

3.9 Comparability

Basically, a comparison or an evaluation of EPD data is only possible if all the data sets to be compared were created according to /EN 15804/ and the building context, respectively the product-specific characteristics of performance, are taken into account. In this case, 1 kg modified mineral mortar was selected as the declared unit. Depending on the application, a corresponding conversion factor such as the specific use per surface area must be taken into consideration.



4. LCA: Scenarios and additional technical information

The following technical information is a basis for the declared modules or can be used for developing specific scenarios in the context of a building assessment if modules are not declared (MND).

Transport to the building site (A4)

Name	Value	Unit
Litres of fuel	0.0016	l/100km
Transport distance	1000	km
Capacity utilisation (including empty runs)	85	%
Gross density of products transported	800 - 1700	kg/m³
Capacity utilisation volume factor	1	-

Installation into the building (A5)

Name	Value	Unit
Water consumption	0.0003	m³
Material loss	0.013	kg



5. LCA: Results

Replacement Transport Refurbishment Use Operational water processing demolition Transport Nanufacturing Maintenance Refurbishment Operational water Use Operational water Use Operational water Operational water	BENEFITS AND LOADS BEYOND THE SYSTEM BOUNDARIES
Raw material supply Transport Manufacturing ansport from the gate to the site Assembly Use Maintenance Repair Replacement Replacement ase oerational energy use use le-construction demolition Transport Transport Disposal	
	Reuse- Recovery- Recycling- potential
A1 A2 A3 A4 A5 B1 B2 B3 B4 B5 B6 B7 C1 C2 C3 C4	I D
X X X X X MND	D X
RESULTS OF THE LCA - ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT: 1 kg modified mineral mortar, group 2	<u>.</u>
Parameter Unit A1-A3 A4 A5	D
Global warming potential [kg CO ₂ -Eq.] 6.38E-1 4.82E-3 9.97E-2	-3.69E-2
Depletion potential of the stratospheric ozone layer [kg CFC11-Eq.] 5.14E-9 2.21E-14 3.60E-13	-1.21E-11
Acidification potential of land and water $[kg SO_z$ -Eq.] 2.03E-3 1.19E-5 1.24E-5 Eutrophication potential $[kg (PO_a)^3$ -Eq.] 1.82E-4 2.75E-6 2.44E-6	-5.84E-5 -5.91E-6
Eutrophication potential [kg (PO ₄)*-Eq.] 1.82E-4 2.75E-6 2.44E-6 Formation potential of tropospheric ozone photochemical oxidants [kg ethene-Eq.] 1.92E-4 -3.33E-6 1.13E-6	-5.91E-6 -6.20E-6
Abiotic depletion potential for non-fossil resources [kg Sb-Eq.] 1.06E-6 3.21E-10 1.09E-9	-6.27E-9
Abiotic depletion potential for fossil resources [MJ] 7.09E+0 6.64E-2 2.20E-2	-5.06E-1
RESULTS OF THE LCA - RESOURCE USE: 1 kg modified mineral mortar, group 2	
Parameter Unit A1-A3 A4 A5	D
Renewable primary energy as energy carrier [MJ] 2.05E+0 IND IND	IND
Renewable primary energy resources as material utilization [MJ] 0.00E+0 IND IND	IND
Total use of renewable primary energy resources [MJ] 2.05E+0 3.77E-3 3.16E-3	-8.34E-2
Non-renewable primary energy as energy carrier [MJ] 6.80E+0 IND IND Non-renewable primary energy as material utilization [MJ] 1.20E+0 IND IND	IND IND
Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources [MJ] 8.00E+0 6.66E-2 2.56E-2	-6.19E-1
Use of secondary material [kg] 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 0.00E+0	0.00E+0
Use of renewable secondary fuels [MJ] 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 0.00E+0	0.00E+0
Use of non-renewable secondary fuels [MJ] 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 0.00E+0	0.00E+0
Use of net fresh water [m³] IND IND IND	IND
RESULTS OF THE LCA – OUTPUT FLOWS AND WASTE CATEGORIES: 1 kg modified mineral mortar, group 2	
Parameter Unit A1-A3 A4 A5	D
	IND
Hazardous waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND	IND
Non-hazardous waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND	IND
Non-hazardous waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND Radioactive waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND	
Non-hazardous waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND Radioactive waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND Components for re-use [kg] 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 0.00E+0	0.00E+0
Non-hazardous waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND Radioactive waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND Components for re-use [kg] 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 Materials for recycling [kg] 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 0.00E+0	0.00E+0
Non-hazardous waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND Radioactive waste disposed [kg] IND IND IND Components for re-use [kg] 0.00E+0 0.00E+0 0.00E+0	

Not all of the used inventories for the calculation of the LCA support the methodological approach for the declaration of water and waste indicators. The material amounts, displayed with these inventories, contribute significantly to the production. The indicators Use of fresh water, Hazardous waste disposed, Non-hazardous waste disposed and Radioactive waste disposed are therefore not declared (decision of IBU advisory board 2013-01-07).

6. LCA: Interpretation

All impacts are associated with the production phase (A1-A3). The most significant contribution to the production phase impacts is the upstream production of raw materials as main driver. The majority of life cycle energy consumption takes place during the production phase (A1-A3). Besides the cement also the dispersion powder influences the results significantly, although this is only used up to 5%. Significant contributions to Primary Energy Demand – Non-renewable (PENRT) derive from the energy resources used in the production of raw materials. The largest contributor to Primary Energy Demand – Renewable (PERT) is the consumption of renewable

energy resources required for the generation and supply of electricity. During manufacturing (A1-A3) some influence also arises due to the wooden pallets and paper used as packaging that need solar energy for photosynthesis. It should be noted that Primary Energy Demand – Renewable (PERT) generally represents a small percentage of the production phase primary energy demand with the bulk of the demand coming from non-renewable energy resources. CO_2 is the most important contributor to Global Warming Potential (GWP). For the Acidification Potential (AP), NO_x and SO_2 contribute to the largest share.



Transportation to the construction site (A4) and the installation process (A5) make a negligible contribution to almost all impacts. The only exception is a relevant influence of carbon dioxide emissions in module A5 to Global Warming Potential (GWP) due to the incineration of the packaging materials paper and pallets.

In module A4, transport to construction site, values for Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential (POCP) are negative due to emission profile modelled for the selected transportation process and of the characterisation method used in CML 2001 for the calculation of the POCP. Transportation processes are responsible for the emission of NOx in the ground layer atmosphere. NO in particular can have an ozone

depleting effect that is reflected in CML 2001 by assigning a negative characterisation factor to this substance. However, although these negative values may appear unusual, it should be considered that POCP is only one of the analysed environmental impact categories. All other potential impacts would increase with greater transportation distances, showing that transportation is a process leading to net environmental burdens. Furthermore, even for POCP, transportation processes needed for supply of materials and product distribution only have limited counterbalance effects on the overall LCA results. Energy credit from incineration of packaging material reported in module D show a negligible influence on the overall results.

7. Requisite evidence

VOC

Special tests and evidence have not been carried out or provided within the framework of drawing up this Model EPD. Some member states require special documentation on VOC emissions into indoor air for specific areas of application. This documentation, as well as documentation for voluntary VOC labelling, has to be provided separately and is specific for products in question.

Evidence pertaining to VOC emissions shall show

- either an attestation of compliance with,
- or documentation of test data that are required in, any of the existing regulations or in any of the existing voluntary labelling programs for low-emitting products, as far as these
- (1) include limits for the parameters TVOC, TSVOC, carcinogens, formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, LCI limits for individual substances (including but not limited to the European list of harmonized LCIs), and the R value:
- (2) base their test methods on /CEN/TS 16516/ (or /EN 16516/, after the on-going revision of /CEN/TS 16516/);
- (3) perform testing and apply the limits after 28 days storage in a ventilated test chamber, under the

conditions specified in /CEN/TS 16516/; some regulations and programs also have limits after 3 days, on top of the 28 days limits;

(4) express the test results as air concentrations in the European Reference Room, as specified in /CEN/TS 16516/.

Examples of such regulations are the Belgian /Royal Decree C-2014/24239/, or the German /AgBB/. Examples of such voluntary labelling programs are /EMICODE/, /Blue Angel/ or /Indoor Air Comfort/.

Relevant test results shall be produced either by an /ISO 17025/ accredited commercial test lab, or by a qualified internal test lab of the manufacturer. Examples for the applied limits after 28 days of storage in a ventilated test chamber are:

- TVOC: 1000 μg/m³
- TSVOC: 100 μg/m³
- Each carcinogen: 1 μg/m³
- Formaldehyde: 100 μg/m³
- LCI: different per substance involved
- R value: 1 (meaning that, in total, 100% of the combined LCI values must not be exceeded).

Informative Annexes (2 tables):

Table 1 shows an overview of the most relevant regulations and specifications as of April 2015, as regards requirements after 3 days of storage in a ventilated test chamber.

Table 2 provides an overview of the most relevant regulations and specifications as of April 2015, as regards requirements after 28 days of storage in a ventilated test chamber. Some details may be missing in the table due to lack of space. Values given represent maximum values/limits.

	TVOC [μg/m³]	Sum of carcinogens. C1A,CA2 [µg/m³]	Formal- dehyde [µg/m³]	Acet- aldehyde [µg/m³]	Sum of Form- and Acet- aldehyde
German DIBt/AgBB regulation	10 000	10	-/-	-/-	-/-
draft Lithuanian regulation	10 000	10	-/-	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1	1 000	10	50	50	50 ppb
EMICODE EC1 PLUS	750	10	50	50	50 ppb



	TVOC [μg/m³]	TSVOC [μg/m³]	Each carcinogen C1A,CA2 [µg/m³]	Formaldehyde [µg/m³]	Acetaldehyde [μg/m³]	rci	R value	Specials	Sum non-LCI & non- identified [µg/m³]
Belgian regulation	1000	100	1	100	200	Belgian list	1	Toluene 300 μg/m³	-/-
French regulations class A+	1000	-/-	-/-	10	200	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class A	1500	-/-	-/-	60	300	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class B	2000	-/-	-/-	120	400	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class C	>2000	-/-	-/-	>120	>400	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
German DIBt/AgBB regulation	1000	100	1	100	1200	German AgBB list	1	-/-	100
draft Lithuanian regulation	1000	100	1	product type specific	-/-	Lithua- nian list	1	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1	100	50	1	(after 3 days)	(after 3 days)	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1 PLUS	60	40	1	(after 3 days)	(after 3 days)	German AgBB list	1	-/-	40
Finnish M1, sealants	20	-/-	1	10	-/-	-/-	-/-	Ammonia, odour	-/-
Finnish M1, adhesives	200 μg/m²h	-/-	5 μg/m²h	50 μg/m²h	-/-	-/-	-/-	Ammonia, odour	-/-

LeachingMeasurement of leaching performance (eluate analysis) indicating the measurement process.

Leaching is only relevant for specific applications. In this case, information can be provided by the manufacturer.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATION

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1. COMPANY DESCRIPTION / GOAL & SCOPE

Founded in 1937 in Milan, Italy, Mapei produces adhesives and complementary products for laying all types of floor, wall and coating materials, and also specializes in other chemical products used in the building industry, such as waterproofing products, specialty mortars, admixtures for concrete, products for underground constructions and for the restoration of concrete and historical buildings.

There are currently 85 subsidiaries in the Mapei Group, with a total of 80 production facilities located around the world in 35 different countries and in 5 different continents. Mapei also has 18 central laboratories. Most locations are ISO 9001 and ISO 14001 or EMAS-certified.

Mapei's strategy of internationalization is based on two main objectives: being closer to local needs and lowering transportation costs. With the declared objective of being close to buyers and clients, Mapei's presence in the five continents enables the company to comply with the requirements of each location, and to use only locally-based managers and qualified personnel, without changing the approach of Mapei.

Mapei invests 12% in its company's total work-force and 5% of its turnover in Research & Development; in particular, 70% of its R&D efforts are directed to develop eco-sustainable and environmentally friendly products, which give important contribution to all major green rating systems for eco-sustainable buildings such as LEED and BREEAM.

Furthermore, Mapei has developed a sales and technical service network with offices all over the world and offers an efficient Technical Assistance Service that is valued by architects, engineers, contractors and owners.

The goal of the study is to provide necessary data and documentation to produce an EPD according to the requirements of PCR Environdec (version 2.2, 2017-05-30) under EN 15804:2014 and to have more comprehension about the environmental impacts related to **Topcem Pronto** and **Mapecem Pronto** manufactured in Mapei S.p.A. located in Robbiano di Mediglia (Italy), Latina (Italy) and Sassuolo (Italy), including packaging of the finished products.

Target audiences of the study are customers and other parties with an interest in the environmental impacts of **Topcem Pronto** and **Mapecem Pronto**.

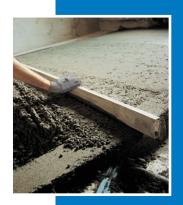
This analysis shall not support comparative assertions intended to be disclosed to the public.





Topcem Pronto is a pre-blended ready-to-use mortar with normal setting and controlled shrinkage based on a special hydraulic binder and graded aggregates. **Mapecem Pronto** is a pre-blended, ready-to-use, quick-setting and drying, controlled-shrinkage mortar with a special hydraulic binder base, admixtures and selected aggregates to be mixed with water.

The two products are compliant with EN 13813 ("Screed material and floor screeds. Screed material. Properties and requirements"), and supplied in 25 kg multiply bags.



3. CONTENT DECLARATION

The main components and ancillary materials of **Topcem Pronto** and **Mapecem Pronto** are the following:



Materials	Percentage (%)
Binders	10 – 20
Fillers	60 – 90
Other	0 – 5

The products contain neither carcinogenic substances nor substances of very high concern (SVHC) on the REACH Candidate List published by the European Chemicals Agency in a concentration more than 0,1 % (by unit weight).



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4. DECLARED UNIT AND REFERENCE SERVICE LIFE

The declared unit is 1kg of packaged finished product.

Packaging materials include:

- Wooden pallet
- Multiply bag (paper/PE/paper)
- LDPE used as wrapping material

The reference service life of the screeds, if professionally installed and properly used, is estimated to be the same as the building one.

5. SYSTEM BOUNDARIES AND ADDITIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION

The approach is "cradle to gate". The following modules have been considered:

- A1, A2, A3 (Product stage): extraction and transport of raw materials and packaging, production process;
- A4 (Construction stage): transport of the finished product to final customers.

System Boundaries A1 - A3 A4 - A5 C1 - C4 B1 - B7 PRODUCT CONSTRUCTION END OF LIFE **USE STAGE** STAGE STAGE STAGE A1 A2 **A3** A4 **A5 B1 B2 B3 B4 B5** C1 C2 **C3** C4 Refurbishment Replacement Demolition Transport Waste Processing Repair Use **Operational Energy Use Operational Water Use**

Table 2: System boundaries

included

excluded



A brief description of production process is the following:

The production process starts from raw materials, that are purchased from external and intercompany suppliers and stored in the plant. Bulk raw materials are stored in specific silos and added automatically in the production mixer, according to the formula of the product. Other raw materials, supplied in bags or big bags, are stored in their warehouse and added automatically or manually in the mixer. The production is a discontinuous process, in which all the components are mechanically mixed in batches. The semi-finished product is then packaged in bags, put on wooden pallets, covered by stretched hoods and stored in the Finished Products' warehouse. The quality of final products is controlled before the sale.

Figure 1: Production process detail











Figure 2: Mediglia Plant



Table 3: Transport to the building site (A4)

Name	Value	Unit
Means of transport: truck euro 3 with 27 tons of payload	& Ocean ship wi	th 27500 DWT
Litres of fuel (truck)	~ 2E-03	I/DU*100km
Litres of fuel (ship)	~ 4E-04	I/DU*100km
Transport distance (weighted average)	~ 400	km
Capacity utilisation (including empty runs)	85	%
Gross density of products transported	~ 1400	kg/m³
Capacity utilisation volume factor	100	%
DU: declared unit		

6. CUT-OFF RULES & ALLOCATION

Criteria for the exclusion of inputs and outputs (cut-off rules) in the LCA and information modules and any additional information are intended to support an efficient calculation procedure. They are not applied in order to hide data.

The following procedure is followed for the exclusion of inputs and outputs:

- All inputs and outputs to a unit process, for which data are available, are included in the calculation.
- Cut-off criteria, where applied, are described in Table 4.

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Process excluded from study	Cut-off criteria	Quantified contribution from process			
A3: production (auxiliary materials)	Less than 10 ⁻⁵ kg/kg of finished product	Sensitivity study demonstrates a relative contribution lower than 0,5%			
A3: waste and particle emission	Less than 10 ⁻⁵ kg/kg of finished product	Sensitivity study demonstrates a relative contribution lower than 0,5%			

For the allocation procedure and principles consider the following table (Table 5):

Table 5: Allocation procedure and principles

Module	Allocation Principle
A1	All data are referred to 1 kg of product • A1: electricity is allocated to the whole plant
A3	All data are referred to 1 kg of packaged product • A3-wastes: all data are allocated to the whole plant



7. ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE & INTERPRETATION



GWP₁₀₀

Global Warming Potential refers to the emission/presence of GHGs (greenhouse gases) in the atmosphere (mainly ${\rm CO_2}$, ${\rm N_2O}$, ${\rm CH_4}$) which contribute to the increase in the temperature of the planet.



AP

Acidification Potential refers to the emission of specific acidifying substances (i.e. NOx, SOx) in the air. These substances decrease the pH of the rainfall with predictable damages to the ecosystem.



EP

Eutrophication Potential refers to the nutrient enrichment of flowing water, which determines unbalance in aquatic ecosystems and causes the death of the aquatic fauna.



ODP

Ozone Depletion Potential refers to the degradation of the stratospheric layer of the ozone involved in blocking the UV component of sunrays. Depletion is due to particularly reactive components that originate from chlorofluorocarbon (CFC) or chlorofluoromethanes (CFM).



POCP

The Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential is the ozone formation in low atmosphere. This is quite common in the cities where a great amount of pollutants (like VOC and NOx) are emitted every day (industrial emissions and vehicles). It is mainly diffused during the summertime.



ADP_e (elements)

Abiotic Depletion Potential elements refers to the depletion of the mineral resources.



ADP_f (fossil fuel)

Abiotic Depletion Potential fossil fuel refers to the depletion of the fossil fuel resources.





Following tables show environmental impacts for the products considered according to CML methodology (2001 – Jan2016). All the results are referred to the declared unit (see chapter § 4).

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Table 6: **Topcem Pronto**: Environmental categories referred to the declared unit

Environr categ		Unit	A1 – A3	A 4
	GWP ₁₀₀	(kg CO₂ eq.)	1,36E-01	2,55E-02
	ADPe (element)	(kg Sb eq.)	2,75E-08	2,11E-09
	ADPf (fossil)	(MJ)	1,23E+00	3,47E-01
	АР	(kg SO ₂ eq.)	1,30E-04	1,52E-04
	EP	(kg (PO ₄)³-eq.)	5,02E-05	3,89E-05
	ODP	(kg R-11 eq.)	5,42E-09	6,96E-16
	POCP	(kg ethylene eq.)	4,56E-05	-6,76E-05

GWP₁₀₀; Global Warming Potential; **ADP**e: Abiotic Depletion Potential (elements); **EP**: Eutrophication Potential; **AP**: Acidification Potential; **POCP**: Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential; **ODP**: Ozone Depletion Potential; **ADP**f: Abiotic Depletion Potential (fossil)



Table 7: Topcem Pronto: Other environmental indicators referred to the declared unit

Environmental Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A 4
RPEE	MJ	3,37E-01	1,92E-02
RPEM	MJ	-	-
TPE	MJ	3,37E-01	1,92E-02
NRPE	MJ	1,27E+00	3,48E-01
NRPM	MJ	-	-
TRPE	MJ	1,27E+00	3,48E-01
SM	kg	-	-
RSF	MJ	-	-
NRSF	MJ	-	-
W	m³	6,34E-04	4,36E-04

RPEE Renewable primary energy as energy carrier; RPEM Renewable primary energy as material utilisation; TPE Total use of renewable primary energy sources; NRPE Non-renewable primary energy as energy carrier; NRPM Non-renewable primary energy as material utilization; TRPE Total use of non-renewable primary energy sources; SM Use of secondary materials; RSF Renewable secondary fuels; NRSF Non-renewable secondary fuels; W Net use of fresh water

Table 8: Topcem Pronto: Waste production referred to the declared unit

Output flow	Unit	A1-A3	A4	
NHW	kg	3,11E-03	-	
HW	kg	7,43E-06	-	
RW	kg	0,00E+00	-	
Components for re-use	kg	-	-	
Materials for recycling	kg	-	-	
Materials for energy recovery	kg	-	-	
Exported energy	MJ	-	-	
HW Hazardous waste disposed; NHW Non Hazardous waste disposed; RW Radioactive waste disposed				





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Table 9: **Mapecem Pronto**: Environmental categories & other output flows referred to the declared unit

Environr categ		Unit	A1 – A3	A4
Wy.	GWP ₁₀₀	(kg CO₂ eq.)	1,66E-01	3,05E-02
	ADPe (element)	(kg Sb eq.)	1,03E-06	2,52E-09
	ADPf (fossil)	(MJ)	1,71E+00	4,14E-01
	АР	(kg SO $_2$ eq.)	6,37E-04	1,81E-04
	EP	(kg (PO ₄)³-eq.)	5,81E-05	4,65E-05
	ODP	(kg R-11 eq.)	1,13E-09	8,32E-16
	POCP	(kg ethylene eq.)	3,63E-05 ments); EP: Eutrophication	-8,14E-05

GWP_{roc}; Global Warming Potential; **ADP**e: Abiotic Depletion Potential (elements); **EP**: Eutrophication Potential; **ADP**: Acidification Potential; **POCP**: Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential; **ODP**: Ozone Depletion Potential; **ADP**f: Abiotic Depletion Potential (fossil)



Table 10: Mapecem Pronto: Other environmental indicators referred to the declared unit

Environmental Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A 4
RPEE	MJ	4,15E-01	2,29E-02
RPEM	MJ	-	-
TPE	MJ	4,15E-01	2,29E-02
NRPE	MJ	1,79E+00	4,16E-01
NRPM	MJ	-	-
TRPE	MJ	1,79E+00	4,16E-01
SM	kg	-	-
RSF	MJ	-	-
NRSF	MJ	-	-
W	m³	1,52E-03	5,22E-04

RPEE Renewable primary energy as energy carrier; RPEM Renewable primary energy as material utilisation; TPE Total use of renewable primary energy sources; NRPE Non-renewable primary energy as energy carrier; NRPM Non-renewable primary energy as material utilization; TRPE Total use of non-renewable primary energy sources; SM Use of secondary materials; RSF Renewable secondary fuels; NRSF Non-renewable secondary fuels; W Net use of fresh water

Table 11: Mapecem Pronto: Waste production referred to the declared unit

Output flow	Unit	A1-A3	A 4	
NHW	kg	4,28E-03	-	
HW	kg	4,21E-06	-	
RW	kg	0,00E+00	-	
Components for re-use	kg	-	-	
Materials for recycling	kg	-	-	
Materials for energy recovery	kg	-	-	
Exported energy	MJ	-	-	
HW Hazardous waste disposed; NHW Non Hazardous waste disposed; RW Radioactive waste disposed				

Tables above and the following histograms show absolute results and relative contributions for the environmental categories considered in this EPD.

Module A1 gives the highest contribution for several environmental categories, up to 98% of the total impact in the whole system boundary (ODP).

In particular, the binders have the greatest contribution to GWP_{100} ; electricity consumption (module A1) considerably affects GWP_{100} , ADP (fossil) and ODP values. Transport modules (A2, A4) show a sensible contribution both for the EP and POCP environmental categories.





Modules A2 and A4 (transport of raw materials and transport of finished product), give a negative contribution to POCP, due to nitrogen dioxide and monoxide emission factors, (for more details, see the methodology used: HBEFA -Handbook Emission Factors for Road Transport).

The details about the relative contribution of the different modules considered in the system boundaries are shown in Table 12 and Table 13. A focus on GWP_{100} for the two products is shown in Table 14.

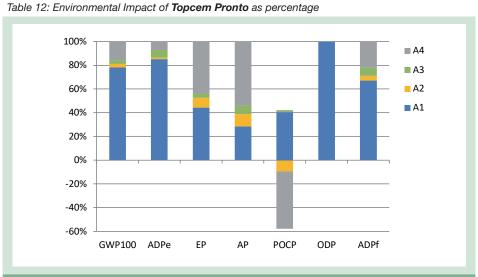
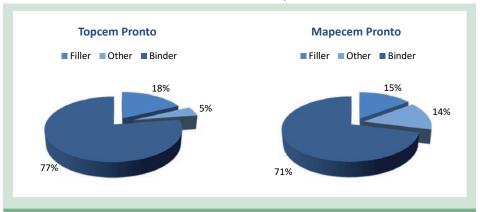


Table 13: Environmental Impact of Mapecem Pronto as percentage 100% ■ A4 80% ■ A3 **A**2 60% ■ A1 40% 20% 0% -20% -40% -60% GWP100 ADPe ΑP POCP ODP ADPf



Table 14: Focus on GWP100 of the module A1 for the two products



More details about electrical mix used in this EPD (Italian grid mix - 2014), is shown below:

	Data source	Amount	Unit
Electricity grid mix (IT) – 2014	GaBi database	0,4020	kg CO ₂ -eqv/kWh
Electricity from photovoltaic (IT) – 2014	GaBi database	0,0641	kg CO ₂ -eqv/kWh

8. DATA QUALITY

Table 15: Data quality

Dataset & Geographical reference	Database (source)	Temporary reference
Grey Portland Cement (IT)	S-P-00880	2016
White Portland Cement (TR)	EPD-CIS-20150243-CAA1	2015
Aluminous Cement (DE)	GaBi Database	2015
Fillers (EU)	GaBi Database	2017
Additives (EU)	GaBi Database	2012 – 2017
Electricity grid mix (IT)	GaBi Database	2014
Electricity from photovoltaic (IT)	GaBi Database	2014
Packaging components (EU)	GaBi Database, PlasticEurope	2005 – 2017
A2; A4		
Truck transport (euro 3, 27t payload – GLO)	GaBi Database	2017
Light Train (Gross Ton Weight 500t - GLO)	GaBi Database	2017
Oceanic ship (27500 DWT - GLO)	GaBi Database	2017
Electricity grid mix (EU)	GaBi Database	2014
Diesel for transport (EU)	GaBi Database	2014
Heavy Fuel Oil (EU)	GaBi Database	2014

All data included in table above refer to a period between 2005 and 2017; the most relevant ones are specific from supplier, while the others (i.e. transport and minor contribution dataset), come from European and global databases.

All dataset are not more than 10 years old according to EN 15804 § 6.3.7 "Data quality requirements". The only exception is represented by one raw material used for one packaging component production.

Primary data concern the year 2017 and represent the whole annual production.





9. REQUISITE EVIDENCE

9.1 VOC emissions

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) Special tests and evidence have been carried out on the two products, according to ISO 16000 parts 3, 6, 9 and 11 and CN/TS 16516.

According to GEV (Gemeinschaft Emissionskontrollierte Verlegewerkstoffe, Klebstoffe und Bauprodukte e.V.) test method, the tile-adhesives have been evaluated in emission chambers, in order to detect their VOC emissions after 3 and 28 days storage in the ventilated chambers.

Topcem Pronto and **Mapecem Pronto** meet the requirements for the emission class Emicode EC1R^{PLUS}, as "very low VOC emission", released by GEV.

Nex table describes the limits for the Emicode EC1PLUS class:

	3 days μg/m³	28 days μg/m³
TVOC (C6-C16)	≤ 750 µg/m³	≤ 60 µg/m³
TSVOC (C16-C22)		≤ 40 μg/m³
C1A-C1B substances	Total ≤ 10 μg/m³	Single substance ≤ 1 µg/m³
Formaldehyde/ acetaldehyde	≤ 50 µg/m³	
Sum of formaldehyde/ acetaldehyde	≤ 50 ppb	
sum of non-assessable VOCs		≤ 40
R value		≤1

10. SIGNIFICANT CHANGES FROM THE PREVIOUS VERSION

In this revision new primary data have been adopted (referred to the reference year 2017) and the last update of the CML methodology (version 4.7) has been used for calculation. In addition, GPI update to the 3.0 version has been adopted. Due to these updates, several environmental categories have changed more than $\pm 10\%$ (ADPe, ADPf, AP, EP, ODP, POCP).





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11. VERIFICATION AND REGISTRATION

EPD of construction products may not be comparable if they do not comply with EN 15804.

Environmental product declarations within the same product category from different programs may not be comparable.

CEN standard EN15804 contenente le PCR			
PCR:	PCR 2012:01 Construction products and Construction services, Version 2.2, 2017-05-30		
PCR review was conducted by:	The Technical Committee of the International EPD® System. Chair: Massimo Marino Contact via info@environdec.com		
Independent verification of the declaration and data, according to			
ISO 14025	EPD Verification (external)		
Third party verifier:	Certiquality S.r.l. Number of accreditation: 003H rev14		
Accredited or approved by:	Accredia		
Procedure for follow-up of data during EPD validity involves	⊠ Yes		
third-party verifier	□ No		

12. REFERENCES

- GENERAL PROGRAMME INSTRUCTIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL EPD® SYSTEM. VERSION 3.0
- PCR 2012:01; "PRODUCT GROUP CLASSIFICATION: MULTIPLE UN CPC CODES CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS AND CONSTRUCTION SERVICES": VERSION 2.2
- HBEFA: HANDBOOK EMISSION FACTORS FOR ROAD TRANSPORT
- EN 13813 "SCREED MATERIAL AND FLOOR SCREEDS. SCREED MATERIAL. PROPERTIES AND REQUIREMENTS"



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Primer 3296

Model EPD

"Dispersion-based products, solvent-free"

(Declaration number EPD-FEI-20160086-IBG1-EN)







DECLARATION OF CONFORMITY FOR PRODUCTS WITH MODEL EPDS

Mapei is a member of FEICA (Association of the European Adhesive & Sealant Industry), which has developed so-called Model Environmental Product Declarations (Model EPDs), independently verified by IBU (Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V.).

The Model EPDs represent the current production technology in Europe. The compliance of Mapei products to the Model EPDs is checked on the base of their formulations, by using an IBU-approved guideline procedure.

Mapei declares that the product

Primer 3296

meets the criteria of the attached Model EPD "Dispersion-based products, solvent-free" (Declaration number EPD-FEI-20160086-IBG1-EN)

The Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) data and the remaining content of the attached Model EPD apply to the above mentioned product and may thus be used whenever they are required for the evaluation of the sustainability of buildings where **Primer 3296** is applied.

Mapei S.p.A.

Giorgio Squinzi mministratore Unico



ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATION

as per ISO 14025 and EN 15804

Owner of the Declaration FEICA - Association of the European Adhesive and Sealant Industry

Programme holder Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V. (IBU)

Publisher Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V. (IBU)

Declaration number EPD-FEI-20160086-IBG1-EN

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1. General Information

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FPD-FFI-20160086-IBG1-FN

This Declaration is based on the Product Category Rules:

Coatings with organic binders, 07.2014 (PCR tested and approved by the SVR)

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Dispersion-based products, solventfree

Owner of the Declaration

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Declared product / Declared unit

1 kg / 1 kg; density 1,000 - 1,500 kg/m³

Scope:

This validated Declaration entitles the holder to bear the symbol of the Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V. It exclusively applies for products produced in Europe and for a period of five years from the date of issue. This EPD may be used by FEICA members and their members provided it has been proven that the respective product can be represented by this EPD. For this purpose a guideline is available at the FEICA secretariat. The members of FEICA are listed on its website. The owner of the declaration shall be liable for the underlying information and evidence; the IBU shall not be liable with respect to manufacturer information, life cycle assessment data and evidences.

Verification

The CEN Norm /EN 15804/ serves as the core PCR
Independent verification of the declaration
according to /ISO 14025/
internally x externally



Mr Olivier Muller (Independent verifier appointed by SVR)

2. Product

2.1 Product description

Solvent-free, dispersion-based products comprise organic binding agents based on synthetic and/or natural resins, mineral fillers such as chalk as well as water and smaller volumes of auxiliaries (thickening agents, defoaming agents, surface-active agents, preservatives etc.). They dry physically through evaporation of the water contained therein.

They comply with manifold, often specific, tasks in the construction, furnishing and repair of buildings. Using dispersion-based products decisively improves the fitness for use of structures and extends their life expectancy.

The product displaying the highest environmental impacts within the class of dispersion-based products considered was used as a representative product for calculating the Life Cycle Assessment results (worst case-approach).

2.2 Application

Dispersion-based products are used for the following applications:

Module 1: Dispersion adhesives, fixatives, precoatings and primers for floor coverings and parquet

flooring

Adhesives for, e.g.

- tufted carpets with various backing
- woven textile coverings, fibre-bonded and natural-fibre coverings
- resilient coverings (PVC, rubber)
- linoleum
- insulating bases and underlays
- parquet, laminate and wood blocks

on surfaces ready for laying. The products are suitable for normal wear in residential and commercial areas, also on heated floor constructions.

Module 2: Dispersion-based tile adhesive

Products for bonding ceramic tiles and paving as well as natural stone for internal and external installations on walls, floors and ceilings

Module 3: Dispersion-based adhesives, coatings and sealants

As structural adhesives, coatings and sealants:

- structural and repair adhesives
- dispersion filler compounds
- · joint sealants

Module 4: Dispersion-based products for waterproofing of buildings



Module 5: Dispersion-based primers and bonding agents for concrete and floor screeds

Module 6: Dispersion-based products for surface protection of concrete

To increase the durability of concrete and reinforced steel structures as well as for new concrete and for maintenance and repair work (for areas without vehicle traffic)

Module 7: Dispersion-based primers, barrier coatings, varnishes and glazes for coating of buildings, structural elements and components for decorative, functional or protective purposes

2.3 Technical Data

Module 1: Dispersion adhesives, fixatives, precoatings and primers for floor coverings and parquet flooring

Dispersion adhesives for floor coverings have to comply with the requirements of the /EN 14259:2003/. Fixatives do not usually comply with these requirements; their strengths are lower in accordance with their specifications. The performance characteristics of pre-coatings and primers are subject to the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance.

Dispersion adhesives for parquet: The test procedures and requirements of the /EN 14293:2006/ have to be fullfilled.

Module 2: Dispersion-based tile adhesive The minimum requirements in accordance with /EN 12004:2012/ must be maintained. These are:

- Shear adhesion strength after dry storage (/EN 1324:2007/)
- Shear adhesion strength after heat ageing (/EN 1324:2007/)
- Open time: tensile adhesion strength (/EN 1346:2007/)

Other performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 3: Dispersion-based adhesives, coatings and sealants

Performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 4: Dispersion-based products for waterproofing of buildings

The minimum requirements of the /ETAG 022:2007/ must be maintained.

The performance characteristics must be indicated in accordance with the European Technical Assessment (ETA. no.).

Module 5: Dispersion-based primers and bonding agents for concrete and floor screeds

Performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 6: Dispersion-based products for surface protection of concrete

Dispersion-based products for surface protection systems of concrete comply with the following requirements (characteristics for all intended uses in accordance with /EN 1504-2:2005/, Tables 1 and 5):

- Permeability to CO2 (/EN 1062-6:2002/)
- Water vapour permeability (/EN ISO 7783-1/-2:2012/)
- Capillary absorption and permeability to water (/EN 1062-3:2008/)
- Measurement of bond strength by pull-off (/EN 1542:1999/)

Other performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance

Module 7: Dispersion-based primers, barrier coatings, varnishes and glazes for coating of buildings, structural elements and components for decorative, functional or protective purposes

The requirements of the /Decopaint Directive 2004/42/EC/ must be maintained

- · for unpigmented primers
- for pigmented dispersion varnishes and dispersion primers in Decopaint product group d
- for water-soluble glazes in Decopaint product groups e or f
- for barrier primers in Decopaint product group g
- for single-component special varnishes in Decopaint product group i.

all of which are water-based.

Performance characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical documentation / declaration of performance.

2.4 Placing on the market / Application rules

For the placing on the market in the EU/EFTA (with the exception of Switzerland) products falling under the Regulation (EU) No 305/2011 need a Declaration of Performance taking into consideration either the relevant harmonised European standard or the European Technical Assessment as cited in chapter 2.3 and the CE-marking.

For the application and use of the products the respective national provisions apply.

2.5 Delivery status

Liquid or pasty in containers made of plastic or metal. Typical container sizes contain 1 to 30 kg, usually 10 to 20 kg of product on pallets. For larger applications, vats with approx. volumes of 200 kg (litres) or IBCs (intermediate bulk containers) with a capacity in excess of 1 tonne (m³) are also used.

A plastic container was modelled for the Life Cycle Assessment.

2.6 Base materials / Ancillary materials

Dispersion-based products usually comprise at least one synthetic resin dispersion, natural or synthetic resins dispersed in water, mineral fillers (e.g. chalk) and/or pigments. Auxiliaries such as thickening agents, defoaming agents, surface-active and dispersing agents as well as preservatives are used to fine-tune the product features.

On average, the products covered by this EPD contain the following range of base materials and auxiliaries (% by mass):

- Synthetic resin dispersion (solids portion): 5 65
- Natural resins, natural resin derivatives: 0 25
- Mineral fillers: 0 60
- Pigments: 0 35
- Water: 15 95
- Auxiliaries: 1 5
- Thickening agents: < 3
- Dispersing agents / Emulsifying agents: < 2
- Wetting agent: 2
- Other: 0 2

The biocidal products used contain agents which can be marketed in accordance with Biocidal Products Regulation (EU) No 528/2012.

In individual cases, it is possible that substances on the list of particularly harmful substances for inclusion in Annex XIV of the /REACH/ regulation are contained in concentrations of exceeding 0.1%. If this is the case,



this information can be found on the respective safety data sheet.

2.7 Manufacture

Dispersion-based products are usually mixed discontinuously in batch mode, i.e. in individual batches or series of individual batches, and filled into the delivery containers. The quality of the products and safe handling thereof is ensured by the corresponding regulations such as /ISO 9001:2008-12/ and the provisions outlined in the relevant regulations such as the Industrial Safety Regulation and Federal Pollution Control Act.

2.8 Environment and health during manufacturing

As a general rule, no particular environmental or health protection measures other than those specified by law are necessary.

2.9 Product processing/Installation

Dispersion-based products are processed on site using suitable tools, usually by hand. The products are applied by trowelling/knife-coating, painting, rolling or spraying, whereby health and safety measures (gloves and goggles, ventilation) are to be taken and consistently adhered to in accordance with the information on the safety data sheet and conditions on site

Depending on the application and product specifications, between 50 and 1,500 g/m² are applied.

2.10 Packaging

A detailed description of packaging is provided in section 2.5. Empty containers and clean foils can be recycled.

2.11 Condition of use

During the use phase dispersion-based products are existent as hardened film.

They are long-lasting products which protect our buildings in the form of primers, coatings or sealants as well as making an essential contribution towards their appearance, function and sustainability.

2.12 Environment and health during use Option 1 – Products for applications outside indoor areas with permanent stays by people No risks are known for water, air and soil if the products are used as designated.

Option 2 – Products for applications inside indoor areas with permanent stays by people

When used in indoor areas with permanent stays by people, evidence of the emission performance of construction products in contact with indoor air must be submitted according to national requirements. No further influences on the environment and health by emanating substances are known.

2.13 Reference service life

Dispersion-based products fulfil manifold, often specific, tasks in the construction, refurbishment or renovation of building structures. They decisively improve the usability of building structures and significantly extend their original service lives.

The anticipated reference service life depends on the specific installation situation and the exposure associated with the product. It can be influenced by weather factors as well as by mechanical or chemical loads.

2.14 Extraordinary effects

Fire

In terms of their application volumes, dispersion-bound products usually have no or only a subordinate influence on the fire characteristics of the structure in which they have been used.

Water

Dispersion-based products are only water-resistant to a certain degree and their strength can deteriorate when exposed to water for longer periods of time, detaching from the surface in a worst-case scenario. The primary components of dispersion-based products are not hazardous to water or only slightly hazardous to water. Owing to the overall low volumes of dispersion-based products used on buildings, no relevant contribution towards environmental damage can be anticipated by buildings featuring dispersion-based products in the event of extraordinary exposure to water.

Mechanical destruction

The mechanical destruction of dispersion-bound products does not lead to any decomposition products which are harmful for the environment or health.

2.15 Re-use phase

According to present knowledge, no known environmentally-hazardous effects in terms of disposal are to be generally anticipated through dismantling and recycling components to which hardened, dispersion-bound products adhere.

2.16 Disposal

The portion of a dispersion-based product applied at an other construction product is rather low. These low amounts do not play any role when the construction product is disposed. They do not interfere with the disposal/recycling of other components / building materials.

Hardened product residue mechanically removed from substrates must be disposed of as commercial / construction waste.

The following waste codes according to the European List of Waste (/2000/532/EC/) can apply: Hardened product residue:

08 01 12 waste paint and varnish other than those mentioned in 08 01 11

08 04 10 waste adhesives and sealants other than those mentioned in 08 04 09

2.17 Further information

More information is available in the manufacturer's product or safety data sheets and is available on the manufacturer's Web sites or on request. Valuable technical information is also available on the associations' Web sites.

3. LCA: Calculation rules



3.1 Declared Unit

This EPD refers to the declared unit of 1 kg dispersion-based product with a density of 1.000 - 1.500 kg/m³ in the mixing ratio required for processing the components in accordance the PCR part B for Coatings with organic binders.

Consumption per unit area of the products to be applied extensively can range between 50 - 1.500 g/m².

The results of the Life Cycle Assessment provided in this declaration have been calculated from the product with the highest environmental impact (worst-case scenario).

Declared unit

Name	Value	Unit
Conversion factor to 1 kg	1	-
Declared unit	1	kg

3.2 System boundary

Modules A1-A3, A4, A5 and D are taken into consideration in the LCA:

- A1 Production of preliminary products
- A2 Transport to plant
- A3 Production (incl. provision of energy, production of packaging as well as auxiliaries and consumables, waste treatment)
- A4 Transport to site
- A5 Installation (disposal of packaging & installation losses and emissions during installation)
- D Credits from incineration of packaging materials & installation losses

The declaration is therefore from "cradle to gate - with options".

3.3 Estimates and assumptions

Where no specific /GaBi/ processes were available, the individual constituent materials of the formulations were estimated based on information provided by the manufacturerer or literature sources.

3.4 Cut-off criteria

All raw materials submitted for the formulations and production data were taken into consideration. The manufacture of machinery, plants and other infrastructure required for production of the products under review was not taken into consideration in the LCA.

Transport of packaging materials is also excluded.

3.5 Background data

Data from the /GaBi/ 6 database was used as background data. Where no background data was available, data gaps were complemented by manufacturer information and literature research.

3.6 Data quality

Representative products were selected for this EPD. The product displaying the highest environmental impacts in a group was selected for calculating the LCA results. The datasets are less than 5 years old. Data for production and packaging are based on details

provided by the manufacturer. The formulation used for evaluation refers to a specific product.

3.7 Period under review

Representative formulations were accepted by FEICA Ltd and collected in 2011.

3.8 Allocation

No allocations were applied for production. A multiinput allocation with a credit for electricity and thermal energy was used for incineration of production residues and packaging materials. The credits achieved through packaging disposal are declared in Module D.

3.9 Comparability

Basically, a comparison or an evaluation of EPD data is only possible if all the data sets to be compared were created according to /EN 15804/ and the building context, respectively the product-specific characteristics of performance, are taken into account. In this case, 1 kg dispersion-based product was selected as the declared unit. Depending on the application, a corresponding conversion factor such as the specific weight per surface area must be taken into consideration.

4. LCA: Scenarios and additional technical information

The following technical information is a basis for the declared modules or can be used for developing specific scenarios in the context of a building assessment if modules are not declared (MND).

Transport to the building site (A4)

Transport to the banding one (A+)				
Name	Value	Unit		
Litres of fuel	0.0016	l/100km		
Transport distance	1000	km		
Capacity utilisation (including empty runs)	85	%		
Gross density of products transported	1000 - 1500	kg/m³		
Capacity utilisation volume factor	1	-		

Installation into the building (A5)

Name	Value	Unit					
Material loss	0.01	kg					
VOC in the air	0.001	ka					



5. LCA: Results

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	CONSTRUCTION OF THE SYSTEM BOUNDARY (X = INCLUDED IN LCA;						END OF LIFE STAGE			BENEFITS AND LOADS BEYOND THE SYSTEM BOUNDARIES							
Raw material supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport from the gate to the site	Assembly	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement		Refurbishment	Operational energy use	Operational water	De-construction demolition	Transport	Waste processing	Disposal	Reuse- Recovery- Recycling- potential
A1	A2	А3	A4	A5	B1	B2	В3	B4		B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
X	Χ	Х	X	Х	MND	MND	MN	D MNE	N	IND	MND	MN	D MND	MND	MND	MND	X
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		Glob	oal warmir	ng potent	ial			[kg CO ₂ -Eq.] 9.92E-1		4.87E	-2 1.60E-1		<u>-</u> 1	-6.90E-2			
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6. LCA: Interpretation

The majority of life cycle energy consumption takes place during the production phase (A1-A3). Significant contributions to Primary Energy Demand - Nonrenewable (PENRT) derive from the energy resources used in the production of raw materials. The largest contributor to Primary Energy Demand - Renewable (PERT) is the consumption of renewable energy resources required for the generation and supply of electricity. During manufacturing (A1-A3) relevant influence also arises due to the wooden pallets used as packaging that need solar energy for photosynthesis. It should be noted that Primary Energy Demand - Renewable (PERT) generally represents a small percentage of the production phase primary energy demand with the bulk of the demand coming from non-renewable energy resources.

Transportation to the construction site (A4) and the installation process (A5) make a minor contribution to almost all impacts. The only exception is the photochemical ozone creation potential (POCP) that is significantly influenced by the installation of the product due to emissions of volatile substances of maximum 0.1%. This leads to a contribution of the installation phase of up to 35% on the overall life cycle of the product. Emissions associated with the manufacturing of products (A3) only have a negligible influence on POCP.

In module A4, transport to construction site, values for POCP are negative due to emission profile modelled for the selected transportation process and of the characterisation method used in /CML 2001/ for the calculation of the POCP. Transportation processes are responsible for the emission of NO_x in the ground layer



atmosphere. NO in particular can have an ozone depleting effect that is reflected in /CML 2001/ by assigning a negative characterisation factor to this substance. However, although these negative values may appear unusual, it should be considered that POCP is only one of the analysed environmental impact categories. All other potential impacts would increase with greater transportation distances, showing that transportation is a process leading to net environmental burdens. Furthermore, even for POCP, transportation processes needed for supply of

materials and product distribution only have limited counterbalance effects on the overall LCA results. Scrap burdens and energy credit from incineration of packaging material reported in module D are of little importance.

In general, CO_2 is the most important contributor to Global Warming Potential (GWP). For the Acidification Potential (AP), NO_x and SO_2 contribute to the largest share.

7. Requisite evidence

7.1 VOC

Special tests and evidence have not been carried out or provided within the framework of drawing up this Model EPD. Some member states require special documentation on VOC emissions into indoor air for specific areas of application. This documentation, as well as documentation for voluntary VOC labelling, has to be provided separately and is specific for products in question.

Evidence pertaining to VOC emissions shall show

- either an attestation of compliance with,
- or documentation of test data that are required in, any of the existing regulations or in any of the existing voluntary labeling programs for low-emitting products, as far as these
- (1) include limits for the parameters TVOC, TSVOC, carcinogens, formaldehyde, acetaldehyde, LCI limits for individual substances (including but not limited to the European list of harmonized LCIs), and the R value;
- (2) base their test methods on /CEN/TS 16516/ (or /EN 16516/, after the on-going revision of /CEN/TS 16516/):
- (3) perform testing and apply the limits after 28 days storage in a ventilated test chamber, under the conditions specified in /CEN/TS 16516/; some regulations and programs also have limits after 3 days, on top of the 28 days limits;

(4) express the test results as air concentrations in the European Reference Room, as specified in /CEN/TS 16516/.

Examples of such regulations are the Belgian /Royal Decree C-2014/24239/, or the German /AgBB/. Examples of such voluntary labeling programs are EMICODE, Blue Angel or Indoor Air Comfort.

Relevant test results shall be produced either by an /ISO 17025/ accredited commercial test lab, or by a qualified internal test lab of the manufacturer. Examples for the applied limits after 28 days storage in a ventilated test chamber are:

- TVOC: 1000 μg/m³
 TSVOC: 100 μg/m³
- Each carcinogen: 1 μg/m³
- Formaldehyde: 100 µg/m³
- LCI: different per substance involved
- R value: 1 (meaning that, in total, 100% of the combined LCI values must not be exceeded).

Informative Annexes (2 tables):

The table shown below is an overview of the most relevant regulations and specifications as of April 2015, as regards requirements after 3 days storage in a ventilated test chamber.

	TVOC [μg/m³]	Sum of carcinogens. C1A,CA2 [µg/m³]	Formal- dehyde [µg/m³]	Acet- aldehyde [μg/m³]	Sum of Form- and Acet- aldehyde
German DIBt/AgBB regulation	10 000	10	-/-	-/-	-/-
draft Lithuanian regulation	10 000	10	-/-	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1	1 000	10	50	50	50 ppb
EMICODE EC1 PLUS	750	10	50	50	50 ppb



	TVOC [µg/m³]	TSVOC [μg/m³]	Each carcinogen C1A,CA2 [µg/m³]	Formaldehyde [µg/m³]	Acetaldehyde [μg/m³]	rci	R value	Specials	Sum non-LCI & non- identified [µg/m³]
Belgian regulation	1000	100	1	100	200	Belgian list	1	Toluene 300 μg/m³	-/-
French regulations class A+	1000	-/-	-/-	10	200	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class A	1500	-/-	-/-	60	300	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class B	2000	-/-	-/-	120	400	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
French regulations class C	>2000	-/-	-/-	>120	>400	-/-	-/-	List of 8 VOCs, 4 CMR	-/-
German DIBt/AgBB regulation	1000	100	1	100	1200	German AgBB list	1	-/-	100
draft Lithuanian regulation	1000	100	1	product type specific	-/-	Lithua- nian list	1	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1	100	50	1	(after 3 days)	(after 3 days)	-/-	-/-	-/-	-/-
EMICODE EC1 PLUS	60	40	1	(after 3 days)	(after 3 days)	German AgBB list	1	-/-	40
Finnish M1, sealants	20	-/-	1	10	-/-	-/-	-/-	Ammonia, odour	-/-
Finnish M1, adhesives	200 μg/m²h	-/-	5 μg/m²h	50 μg/m²h	-/-	-/-	-/-	Ammonia, odour	-/-

The table above provides an overview of the most relevant regulations and specifications as of April 2015, as regards requirements after 28 days storage in a ventilated test chamber. Some details may be missing in the table due to lack of space. Values given represent maximum values/limits.

7.2 Leaching:

Dispersion-based products in outdoor applications are not used in areas with contact to soil and groundwater. There are currently no European or national

assessment criteria or emission scenarios in place for scenarios involving watered components.

7.3 Fire gas toxicity

The fire gases incurred by organic products contain hazardous substances but no particularly hazardous emissions. Testing toxicity of the fire gases makes sense particularly in the system configuration of the products and is therefore not carried out for individual coatings as the fire gases are essentially influenced by the type of substrate involved.

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ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATION

In accordance with ISO 14025 for

Mapelastic,
Mapelastic Smart,
Mapelastic Foundation,
Mapelastic Turbo









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1. **COMPANY DESCRIPTION / GOAL & SCOPE**

Founded in 1937 in Milan, Italy, Mapei produces adhesives and complementary products for laying all types of floor, wall and coating materials, and also specializes in other chemical products used in the building industry, such as waterproofing products, specialty mortars, admixtures for concrete, products for underground constructions and for the restoration of concrete and historical buildings.

There are currently 85 subsidiaries in the Mapei Group, with a total of 80 production facilities located around the world in 35 different countries and in 5 different continents. Mapei also has 31 central laboratories. Most locations are ISO 9001 and ISO 14001 or EMAS-certified.

Mapei's strategy of internationalization is based on two main objectives: being closer to local needs and lowering transportation costs. With the declared objective of being close to buyers and clients, Mapei's presence in the five continents enables the company to comply with the requirements of each location, and to use only locally-based managers and qualified personnel, without changing the approach of Mapei.

Mapei invests 12% in its company's total work-force and 5% of its turnover in Research & Development; in particular, 70% of its R&D efforts are directed to develop eco-sustainable and environmentally friendly products, which give important contribution to all major green rating systems for eco-sustainable buildings such as LEED and BREEAM.

Furthermore, Mapei has developed a sales and technical service network with offices all over the world and offers an efficient Technical Assistance Service that is valued by architects, engineers, contractors and owners.

The goal of the study is to provide necessary data and documentation to produce an EPD according to the requirements of PCR Environdec (version 2.3, 2018-11-15) under EN 15804:2014 and to have more comprehension about the environmental impacts related to **Mapelastic** (powder + latex), **Mapelastic Smart** (powder + latex), **Mapelastic Foundation** (powder + latex) and **Mapelastic Turbo** (powder + latex), all of them in the grey version, manufactured in Mapei S.p.A. located in Robbiano di Mediglia (IT), Latina (IT) and Sassuolo (IT) including packaging of the finished products.

Target audiences of the study are customers and other parties with an interest in the environmental impacts of the products studied.

This analysis shall not support comparative assertions intended to be disclosed to the public.







Mapelastic (A+B) is a two-component mortar based on cementitious binders, fine-grained selected aggregates, special admixtures and synthetic polymers dispersed in water, used for waterproofing and protection of concrete structures, renders and cementitious screeds.

The product contains around 2,5% of recycled material in the powder (part A).

Mapelastic Smart (A+B) is a two-component waterproofing mortar based on cementitious binders, fine-grained selected aggregates, special admixtures and synthetic polymers dispersed in water, used to protect concrete structures, renders and cementitious screeds. Particularly suitable for waterproofing irregular surfaces.

The product contains around 2% of recycled material in the powder (part A).

Mapelastic Foundation (A+B) is a two-component mortar based on cementitious binders, fine-grained selected aggregates, special admixtures and synthetic polymers dispersed in water, used for waterproofing concrete and masonry structures. It is recommended for foundation walls, car-parks and underground environments, basins, channels and swimming pools.

The product contains around 17% of recycled material in the poeder (part A).

Mapelastic Turbo (A+B) is a cementitious mortar for waterproofing terraces and balconies, also at low temperatures and on substrates not completely dry, used for rapid waterproofing product for concrete structures, cementitious screeds and old floor and wall covering.

All products are compliant with EN 1504-2 (Products and systems for the protection and repair of concrete structures - Definitions, requirements, quality control and evaluation of conformity - Part 2: Surface protection systems for concrete) and EN 14891 (Liquid-applied water impermeable products for use beneath ceramic tiling bonded with adhesives. Requirements, test methods, evaluation of conformity, classification and designation).

Products are supplied as follows:

- Mapelastic (kit A+B): 24 kg multiplybags for powder and 8 kg HDPE tank for latey
- Mapelastic Smart (kit A+B): 20 kg multiplybags for powder and 10 kg HDPE tank for latex
- Mapelastic Foundation (kit A+B): 22 kg multiplybags for powder and 10 kg HDPE tank for latex
- Mapelastic Turbo (kit A+B): 20 kg multiplybags for powder and 16 kg HDPE tank for latex









Mapelastic Smart Mapelastic Foundation MApelastic Turbo







3. CONTENT DECLARATION

The main components and ancillary materials of **Mapelastic**, **Mapelastic Smart**, **Mapelastic Foundation** and **Mapelastic Turbo** (grey versions) are the following:

Table 1: Composition							
Materials	Percentage (%) by mass						
Inorganic binders	< 30						
Fillers	< 70						
Recycled material	< 17						
Other (Additives, Packaging,)	< 3						

The products contain neither carcinogenic substances nor substances of very high concern (SVHC) on the REACH Candidate List published by the European Chemicals Agency in a concentration more than 0,1 % (by unit weight).

4. DECLARED UNIT AND REFERENCE SERVICE LIFE

The declared unit is 1 kg of powder (part A) with packaging and the requested weight for the latex (part B) with packaging, as follows:

- Mapelastic: 1 kg powder + 330 g latex + packaging
- Mapelastic Smart: 1 kg powder + 500 g latex + packaging
- Mapelastic Foundation: 1 kg powder + 450 g latex + packaging
- Mapelastic Turbo: 1 kg powder + 800 g latex + packaging

Packaging materials (for both powder and latex) include:

- · Wooden pallet
- Paper/PE/paper (used for powders bags)
- HDPE + PP (used for latex)
- · LDPE used as wrapping material

The reference service life of the mortar, if professionally installed and properly used, is estimated to be the same as the building one.





Napelastic Smart Napelastic Foundatio

5. SYSTEM BOUNDARIES AND ADDITIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION

The approach is "cradle to gate" with options.

The following modules have been considered:

- A1, A2, A3 (Product Stage): extraction and transport of raw materials and packaging, manufacturing process.
- A4 (Construction Process Stage): transport of the finished product to final customers.

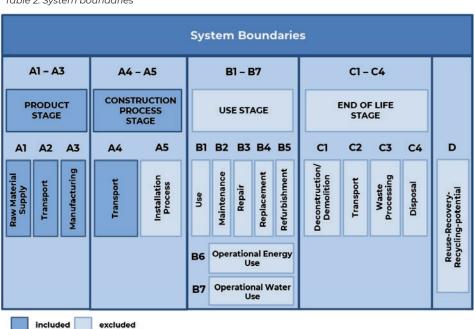


Table 2: System boundaries

A brief description of production process is the following:

The production process starts from raw materials, that are purchased from external and intercompany suppliers and stored in the plant. Bulk raw materials are stored in specific silos and added automatically in the production mixer, according to the formula of the product. Other raw materials, supplied in bags or big bags, are stored in their warehouse and added automatically or manually in the mixer. During the production of the powder, all the components are mechanically mixed in batches. Raw materials of latexes are mixed, properly diluted and packed into drums. The semi-finished products are then packaged, put on wooden pallets, covered by stretched hoods and stored in the Finished Products' warehouse. The quality of final products is controlled before the sale.



Figure 1: Production process detail



Table 3: Transport to the building site (A4)

Name	Value	Unit
Means of transport : truck euro 3 with 27 tons of payloac	l & Ocean ship v	vith 27500 DWT
Litres of fuel (truck)	~ 2E-03	I/DU*100km
Litres of fuel (ship)	~ 4E-04	I/DU*100km
Transport distance (weighted average)	~ 400	km
Capacity utilisation (including empty runs)	85	%
Gross density of powder products transported	1300 ÷ 1400	kg/m³
Gross density of liquid products transported	~ 1000	kg/m³
Capacity utilisation volume factor	100	%
DU: declared unit		



6. CUT-OFF RULES AND ALLOCATION

Criteria for the exclusion of inputs and outputs (cut-off rules) in the LCA, information modules and any additional information are intended to support an efficient calculation procedure. They are not applied in order to hide data.

The following procedure is followed for the exclusion of inputs and outputs:

- All inputs and outputs to a unit process, for which data are available, are included in the calculation.
- · Cut-off criteria, where applied, are described in Table 4.

Table 4: Cut-off criteria

Process excluded from the study	Cut-off criteria	Quantified contribution from process		
A3: production (auxiliary materials)	Less than 10 ⁻⁵ kg/kg of finished product	Sensitivity study demonstrates a relative contribution lower than 0,5%		
A3: waste and particle emission	Less than 10 ⁻⁵ kg/kg of finished product	Sensitivity study demonstrates a relative contribution lower than 0,5%		

For the allocation procedure and principles, consider the following table:

Table 5: Allocation procedure and principles

Module	Allocation Principle
Al	All data are referred to 1 kg of powder product Al: electricity is allocated to the whole plant production
A3	All data are referred to 1 kg of powder packaged product A3-wastes: all data are allocated to the whole plant production

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7. ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE & INTERPRETATION



GWP₁₀₀

Global Warming Potential refers to the emission/presence of GHGs (greenhouse gases) in the atmosphere (mainly CO_2 , N_2O , CH_4) which contribute to the increase in the temperature of the planet.



AP

Acidification Potential refers to the emission of specific acidifying substances (i.e. NOx, SOx) in the air. These substances decrease the pH of the rainfall with predictable damages to the ecosystem.



EP

Eutrophication Potential refers to the nutrient enrichment of flowing water, which determines unbalance in aquatic ecosystems and causes the death of the aquatic fauna.



ODP

Ozone Depletion Potential refers to the degradation of the stratospheric layer of the ozone involved in blocking the UV component of sunrays. Depletion is due to particularly reactive components that originate from chlorofluorocarbon (CFC) or chlorofluoromethanes (CFM).



POCP

The Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential is the ozone formation in low atmosphere. This is quite common in the cities where a great amount of pollutants (like VOC and NOx) are emitted every day (industrial emissions and vehicles). It is mainly diffused during the summertime.



ADP (elements)

Abiotic Depletion Potential elements refers to the depletion of the mineral resources.



ADP, (fossil fuel)

Abiotic Depletion Potential fossil fuel refers to the depletion of the fossil fuel resources.





Following tables show environmental impacts for the products considered according to CML methodology (2001 – Jan. 2016, version 4.7). All the results are referred to the declared unit (see \S 4).

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lable 6: Manelastic : Environmental	categories referred to the declared unit

ental category	Unit	A1-A3	A4
GWP ₁₀₀	(kg CO₂ eq.)	7,01E-01	2,93E-02
ADPe (element)	(kg Sb eq.)	4,13E-03	2,42E-09
ADPf (fossil)	(MJ)	1,28E+01	3,97E-01
АР	(kg SO ₂ eq.)	2,34E-03	1,75E-04
EP	(kg (PO ₄) ³⁻ eq.)	2,30E-04	4,45E-05
ODP	(kg R-11 eq.)	1,65E-08	7,97E-16
POCP	(kg ethylene eq.)	3,39E-04	-7,71E-05

 \mathbf{CWP}_{100} ; Global Warming Potential; \mathbf{ADPe} : Abiotic Depletion Potential (elements); \mathbf{EP} : Eutrophication Potential; \mathbf{AP} : Acidification Potential; \mathbf{POCP} : Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential; \mathbf{ODP} : Ozone Depletion Potential; \mathbf{ADPf} : Abiotic Depletion Potential (fossil)



Table 7: Mapelastic: other environmental indicators referred to the declared unit

Environmental Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4
RPEE	MJ	5,65E-01	2,19E-02
RPEM	MJ	-	-
TPE	MJ	5,65E-01	2,19E-02
NRPE	MJ	1,30E+01	3,99E-01
NRPM	MJ	-	-
TRPE	MJ	1,30E+01	3,99E-01
SM	kg	2,43E-02*	-
RSF	MJ	-	-
NRSF	MJ	-	-
W	m^3	1,69E-03	4,99E-04

RPEE Renewable primary energy as energy carrier; RPEM Renewable primary energy as material utilisation; TPE Total use of renewable primary energy sources; NRPE Non-renewable primary energy as energy carrier; NRPM Non-renewable primary energy as material utilization; TRPE Total use of non-renewable primary energy sources; SM Use of secondary materials; RSF Renewable secondary fuels; NRSF Non-renewable secondary fuels; W Net use of fresh water

Table 8: **Mapelastic**: waste production and other output flows referred to the declared unit

Output flow	Unit	A1-A3	A4
NHW	kg	3,41E-03	-
HW	kg	4,59E-04	-
RW	kg	0,00E+00	-
Components for re-use	kg	-	-
Materials for recycling	kg	5,38E-03	-
Materials for energy recovery	kg	-	-
Exported energy	MJ	-	-
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HW Hazardous waste disposed; NHW Non Hazardous waste disposed; RW Radioactive waste disposed





 $^{^{}st}$ The value is referred only to the powder component.

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Table 9: Mapelastic Smart: Environmental categories referred to the declared unit

Environmental category		Unit	A1-A3	A4
Why.	GWP ₁₀₀	(kg CO ₂ eq.)	8,62E-01	3,89E-02
	ADPe (element)	(kg Sb eq.)	5,77E-03	3,22E-09
	ADPf (fossil)	(MJ)	1,68E+01	5,29E-01
	АР	(kg SO ₂ eq.)	3,14E-03	2,31E-04
	EP	(kg (PO ₄) ³⁻ eq.)	2,73E-04	5,94E-05
	ODP	(kg R-11 eq.)	1,79E-08	1,06E-15
	POCP	(kg ethylene eq.)	4,12E-04	-1,04E-04

GWP₁₀₀; Global Warming Potential; **ADPe**: Abiotic Depletion Potential (elements); **EP**: Eutrophication Potential; **AP**: Acidification Potential; **POCP**: Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential; **ODP**: Ozone Depletion Potential; **ADP**f: Abiotic Depletion Potential (fossil)



Table 10: Mapelastic Smart: other environmental indicators referred to the declared unit

Environmental Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4
RPEE	MJ	6,36E-01	2,92E-02
RPEM	MJ		
TPE	MJ	6,36E-01	2,92E-02
NRPE	MJ	1,70E+01	5,30E-01
NRPM	MJ	-	-
TRPE	MJ	1,70E+01	5,30E-01
SM	kg	2,17E-02*	-
RSF	MJ	-	-
NRSF	MJ	-	-
W	m^3	2,39E-03	6,65E-04

RPEE Renewable primary energy as energy carrier; **RPEM** Renewable primary energy as material utilisation; **TPE** Total use of renewable primary energy sources; **NRPE** Non-renewable primary energy as energy carrier; **NRPM** Non-renewable primary energy as material utilization; **TRPE** Total use of non-renewable primary energy sources; **SM** Use of secondary materials; **RSF** Renewable secondary fuels; **NRSF** Non-renewable secondary fuels; **W** Net use of fresh water

Table 11: Mapelastic Smart: waste production and other output flows referred to the declared unit

Output flow	Unit	A1-A3	A4	
NHW	kg	7,56E-03	-	
HW	kg	1,02E-03	-	
RW	kg	0,00E+00	-	
Components for re-use	kg	-	-	
Materials for recycling	kg	1,01E-02	-	
Materials for energy recovery	kg	-	-	
Exported energy	MJ	-	-	
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HW Hazardous waste disposed; **NHW** Non Hazardous waste disposed; **RW** Radioactive waste disposed





 $^{^{}st}$ The value is referred only to the powder component.

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Table 12: Mapelastic Foundation: Environmental categories referred to the declared unit

Environme	ental category	Unit	A1-A3	A4
	GWP ₁₀₀	(kg CO₂ eq.)	8,20E-01	4,06E-02
	ADPe (element)	(kg Sb eq.)	5,57E-03	3,36E-09
	ADPf (fossil)	(MJ)	1,62E+01	5,51E-01
	АР	(kg SO ₂ eq.)	3,63E-03	2,41E-04
	EP	(kg (PO ₄) ^{3.} eq.)	2,73E-04	6,19E-05
	ODP	(kg R-11 eq.)	1,46E-08	1,11E-15
	POCP	(kg ethylene eq.)	3,79E-04	-1,08E-04

 \mathbf{GWP}_{100} : Global Warming Potential; \mathbf{ADPe} : Abiotic Depletion Potential (elements); \mathbf{EP} : Eutrophication Potential; \mathbf{AP} : Acidification Potential; \mathbf{POCP} : Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential; \mathbf{ODP} : Ozone Depletion Potential; \mathbf{ADPf} : Abiotic Depletion Potential (fossil)

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Table 13: Mapelastic Foundation: other environmental indicators referred to the declared unit

Environmental Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4
RPEE	MJ	6,61E-01	3,05E-02
RPEM	MJ	-	-
TPE	MJ	6,61E-01	3,05E-02
NRPE	MJ	1,64E+01	5,53E-01
NRPM	MJ	-	-
TRPE	MJ	1,64E+01	5,53E-01
SM	kg	1,65E-01*	
RSF	MJ	-	-
NRSF	MJ	-	-
W	m^3	3,04E-03	6,94E-04

RPEE Renewable primary energy as energy carrier; **RPEM** Renewable primary energy as material utilisation; **TPE** Total use of renewable primary energy sources; **NRPE** Non-renewable primary energy as energy carrier; **NRPM** Non-renewable primary energy as material utilization; **TRPE** Total use of non-renewable primary energy sources; **SM** Use of secondary materials; **RSF** Renewable secondary fuels; **NRSF** Non-renewable secondary fuels; **W** Net use of fresh water

Table 14: Mapelastic Foundation: waste production and other output flows referred to the declared unit

Output flow	Unit	A1-A3	A4	
NHW	kg	8,76E-03	-	
HW	kg	1,18E-03	-	
RW	kg	0,00E+00	-	
Components for re-use	kg	-	-	
Materials for recycling	kg	1,14E-02	-	
Materials for energy recovery	kg	-	-	
Exported energy	МЈ	-	-	
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HW Hazardous waste disposed; **NHW** Non Hazardous waste disposed; **RW** Radioactive waste disposed





^{*} The value is referred only to the powder component.

Table 15: Mapelastic Turbo: Environmental categories referred to the declared unit

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Environme	ental category	Unit	A1-A3	A4
Why.	GWP ₁₀₀	(kg CO₂ eq.)	1,07E+00	4,12E-02
	ADPe (element)	(kg Sb eq.)	7,92E-03	3,41E-09
	ADPf (fossil)	(MJ)	2,27E+01	5,60E-01
	АР	(kg SO ₂ eq.)	5,47E-03	2,45E-04
	EP	(kg (PO ₄) ^{3.} eq.)	3,39E-04	6,28E-05
	ODP	(kg R-11 eq.)	8,16E-09	1,12E-15
	POCP	(kg ethylene eq.)	4,59E-04	-1,10E-04

GWP₁₀₀: Global Warming Potential; **ADPe**: Abiotic Depletion Potential (elements); **EP**: Eutrophication Potential; **AP**: Acidification Potential; **POCP**: Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential; **ODP**: Ozone Depletion Potential; **ADP**f: Abiotic Depletion Potential (fossil)





Table 16: Mapelastic Turbo: other environmental indicators referred to the declared unit

Environmental Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4
RPEE	MJ	8,16E-01	3,10E-02
RPEM	MJ	-	-
TPE	MJ	8,16E-01	3,10E-02
NRPE	MJ	2,31E+01	5,62E-01
NRPM	MJ	-	-
TRPE	MJ	2,31E+01	5,62E-01
SM	kg	-	-
RSF	MJ	-	-
NRSF	MJ	-	-
W	m^3	4,55E-03	7,04E-04

RPEE Renewable primary energy as energy carrier; RPEM Renewable primary energy as material utilisation; TPE Total use of renewable primary energy sources; NRPE Non-renewable primary energy as energy carrier; NRPM Non-renewable primary energy as material utilization; TRPE Total use of non-renewable primary energy sources; SM Use of secondary materials; RSF Renewable secondary fuels; NRSF Non-renewable secondary fuels; W Net use of fresh water

Table 17: Mapelastic Turbo: waste production and other output flows referred to the declared unit

Output flow	Unit	A1-A3	A4	
NHW	kg	7,58E-03	-	
HW	kg	1,02E-03	-	
RW	kg	0,00E+00	-	
Components for re-use	kg	-	-	
Materials for recycling	kg	1,02E-02	-	
Materials for energy recovery	kg	-	-	
Exported energy	MJ	-	-	
HW Hazardous waste disposed: NHW Non Hazardous waste disposed: RW Radioactive waste disposed				





To calculate the Environmental Indicators (EI) results for 1 m², use the multiplicative coefficients reported in Table 18.

Table 18: multiplicative coefficients for 1m² and 1mm thickness

	Application by spray	Application by roller / manual	
Mapelastic	EI _{DU} * 1,65	EI _{DU} * 1,28	
Mapelastic Smart	EI _{DU} * 1,47	EI _{DU} * 1,07	
Mapelastic Foundation	EI _{DU} * 1,52	EI _{DU} * 1,14	
Mapelastic Turbo	1	EI _{DU} * 0,78	
El _{Du} : Environmental Indicator for DU (Declared Unit)			

Tables (from 6 to 17) show absolute results for every considered environmental impact category. The **module A1** gives the highest contribution for each of them, up to 99% of the total impact in the whole system boundary.

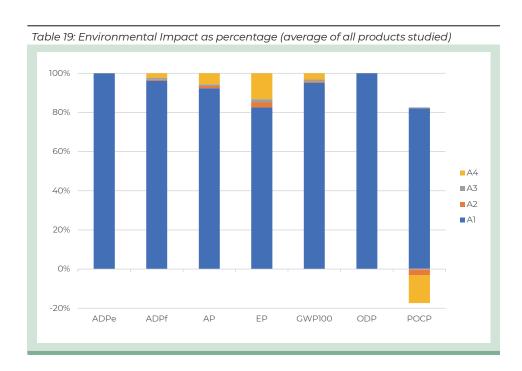
In particular hydraulic binders and organic polymers, which are some of the main components in the formulations, carry a significant impact for all environmental categories. Latexes increase relative contributes of A1 module, due to polymers emission factors.

The **modules A2** and **A4** (transport of raw materials and transport of the finished product) give a negative contribution to POCP due to NO and NO_2 emission factors (for more details, see the methodology used: *HBEFA* -*Handbook Emission Factors for Road Transport*).

The specific amounts of **recycled material** used in Mapelastic (part A), Mapelastic Smart (part A) and Mapelastic Foundation (part A) are shown as **SM** (Secondary Material) indicator in Table 7, Table 10 and Table 13 respectively.

The following histogram shows the relative contribution of the modules considered in the system boundary to the environmental impacts.





More details about electrical mix used in this EPD is shown below:

	Data source	Amount	Unit
Electricity grid mix (IT) – 2014	GaBi database	0,4020	kg CO ₂ -eqv/kWh
Electricity from photovoltaic (IT) – 2014	GaBi database	0,0641	kg CO ₂ -eqv/kWh

8. DATA QUALITY

Table 20: Data quality

Dataset & Geographical reference	Database (source)	Temporary reference
	A1; A3	
Inorganic Binders (DE)	GaBi Database; ecoinvent 3.4; EPD S-P-00880	2015 – 2017
Organic Binders (DE)	GaBi Database	2012
Fillers (EU)	GaBi Database	2017
Additives (EU)	GaBi Database	2012 – 2017
Polymer Dispersions (EU)	EcoProfile EPDLA	2015
Recycled Material (DE)	GaBi Database	2017
Electricity grid mix (IT)	GaBi Database	2014
Electricity from photovoltaic (IT)	GaBi Database	2014
Packaging components (EU)	GaBi Database; PlasticsEurope	2005 – 2017
	A2; A4	
Truck transport (euro 3, 27t payload – GLO)	GaBi Database	2017
Oceanic ship (27500 DWT)	GaBi Database	2017
Light Train (Gross Ton Weight 500 Tons - GLO)	GaBi Database	2017
Electricity mix (EU)	GaBi Database	2014
Diesel for transport (EU)	GaBi Database	2014
Heavy Fuel Oil (EU)	GaBi Database	2014

All data included in the table above refer to a period between 2005 and 2017; the most relevant ones are specific from supplier, while the others (i.e. transport and minor contribution dataset), come from European and global databases.

All datasets are not more than 10 years old according to EN 15804 § 6.3.7 "Data quality requirements". The only exception is represented by one raw material used for one packaging component production.

Primary data concern the year 2018 and represent the whole annual production.

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9. REQUISITE EVIDENCE

9.1. VOC emissions

Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) special tests and evidence have been carried out on the two products, according to ISO 16000 parts 3, 6, 9 and 11 and EN 16516.

The waterproofing slurries have been evaluated in emission chambers, in order to detect their VOC emissions after 3 and 28 days storage in the ventilated chambers, according to GEV (Gemeinschaft Emissionskontrollierte Verlegewerkstoffe, Klebstoffe und Bauprodukte e.V.) test method.

Mapelastic, Mapelastic Smart, Mapelastic Foundation and **Mapealstic Turbo** meet the requirements for the emission class Emicode EC1^{PLUS}, as "very low VOC emission", released by GEV.

Next table describes the limits for the Emicode EC1PLUS class.

Table 21: EC1 ^{PLUS} VOC limits		
	3 days µg/m³	28 days µg/m³
TVOC (C6-C16)	≤ 750 µg/m³	≤ 60 µg/m³
TSVOC (C16-C22)		≤ 40 µg/m³
C1A-C1B substances	Total ≤ 10 µg/m³	Single substance ≤ 1 µg/m3
Formaldehyde/acetaldehyde	≤ 50 µg/m³	
Sum of formaldehyde/ acetaldehyde	≤ 50 ppb	
Sum of non-assessable VOCs		≤ 40
R value		≤1

9.2. RECYCLED CONTENT

Mapelastic contains around 2,5% of recycled material in the powder (part A).

Mapelastic Smart contains around 2% of recycled material in the powder (part A).

Mapelastic Foundation contains around 17% of recycled material in the powder (part A).





10.SIGNIFICANT CHANGES FROM THE PREVIOUS VERSION

In this revision new primary data (referred to the reference year 2018) have been adopted and the last update of the PCR 2.3 has been considered. There's new content declaration and the indicator "Materials for recycling" has been assessed.

11. VERIFICATION AND REGISTRATION

EPD of construction products may not be comparable if they do not comply with EN 15804 $\,$

Environmental product declarations within the same product category from different programs may not be comparable

CEN standard EN15804 served as the core PCR	
PCR:	PCR 2012:01 Construction products and Construction services, Version 2.3, 2018-11-15
PCR review was conducted by:	The Technical Committee of the International EPD® System. Chair: Massimo Marino Contact via info@environdec.com
Independent verification of the declaration and data, according to ISO 14025	☑ EPD Process Certification (Internal)☐ EPD Verification (external)
Third party verifier:	Certiquality S.r.l. Number of accreditation: 003H rev15
Accredited or approved by:	Accredia
Procedure for follow-up of data during EPD validity involves third-party verifier	☑ Yes □ No

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12. REFERENCES

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 OF CONCRETE STRUCTURES DEFINITIONS, REQUIREMENTS, QUALITY
 CONTROL AND EVALUATION OF CONFORMITY PART 2: SURFACE
 PROTECTION SYSTEMS FOR CONCRETE)
- EN 14891 (LIQUID-APPLIED WATER IMPERMEABLE PRODUCTS FOR USE BENEATH CERAMIC TILING BONDED WITH ADHESIVES. REQUIREMENTS, TEST METHODS, EVALUATION OF CONFORMITY, CLASSIFICATION AND DESIGNATION).
- EN 15804:2014 SUSTAINABILITY OF CONSTRUCTION WORKS ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATIONS CORE RULES FOR THE PRODUCT CATEGORY OF CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS
- GENERAL PROGRAMME INSTRUCTIONS OF THE INTERNATIONAL EPD® SYSTEM. VERSION 3.0
- · HBEFA: HANDBOOK EMISSION FACTORS FOR ROAD TRANSPORT
- ISO 14025 ENVIRONMENTAL LABELS AND DECLARATIONS TYPE III ENVIRONMENTAL DECLARATIONS PRINCIPLES AND PROCEDURES
- ISO 14044 ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT -- LIFE CYCLE ASSESSMENT -- REQUIREMENTS AND GUIDELINES
- PCR 2012:01; "PRODUCT GROUP CLASSIFICATION: MULTIPLE UN CPC CODES CONSTRUCTION PRODUCTS AND CONSTRUCTION SERVICES"; VERSION 2.3





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