

# **Environmental Product Declaration**

In accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804+A2

Hereby, as a member of FEICA (Association of the European Adhesive and Sealant Industry), Bostik confirms that the manufacturing technology and the below-mentioned finished product's chemical composition are covered by the FEICA, EFCC, DBC and IVK's enclosed model EPD, which is verified by IBU (Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V.)

With this declaration we confirm that the product,

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is covered by FEICA, EFCC, DBC and IVK's enclosed model EPD, which indicates that the provided LCA data and the other data and information from the attached model EPD are applied and can be used.

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# **ENVIRONMENTAL-PRODUCT DECLARATION**

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Modified mineral mortar, group 1 DBC, EFCC, FEICA, IVK



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General Information							
DBC, EFCC, FEICA, IVK	Modified mineral mortar, group 1						
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Declaration number	Declared product / declared unit						
EPD-DBC-20220217-IBF1-EN	1 kg of modified mineral mortar with a density 800 - 1,700 kg/m³						
This declaration is based on the product category rules:	Scope:						
Mineral factory-made mortar, 01.01.0001 (PCR checked and approved by the SVR)	This verified EPD entitles the holder to bear the symbol of the Institut Bauen und Umwelt e.V. It exclusively applies to products produced in Europe and for a period of five years from the date of issue.						
Issue date	This EPD may be used by members of FEICA, EFCC,						
26.09.2022	DBC and IVK 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						
Valid to	<ul> <li>the secretariats of the four associations. The members of the associations are listed on their respective</li> </ul>						
25.09.2027	websites.  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.  The EPD was created according to the specifications of EN 15804+A2. In the following, the standard will be simplified as EN 15804 bezeichnet.						
	Verification						
11.	The standard EN 15804 serves as the core PCR						
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# 2. Product

# 2.1 Product description/Product definition

# Modified

mineral mortars are combinations of one or more inorganic binders, fillers,

aqueous dispersions or dispersion powders, water and if necessary additives. They

comply with manifold, often specific, functions 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). For the placing on the market in the European Union/European Free Trade Association (EU/EFTA) with the exception of Switzerland) products falling under the Regulation (EU) No 305/2011 (*CPR*) 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.

# 2.2 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 used to restore and/or replace defective concrete
- 1.2 Products to protect reinforcement, necessary to extend the service life of a concrete structure exhibiting deterioration

# 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 screed, floor levelling compounds, fillers, flowing screed

Products for screed/synthetic resin screed for use in floor constructions

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 mortars 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 liquid applied products for waterproofing of buildings

Products for

providing cement-based waterproofing surfaces in structural and civil

engineering. For use in new and old buildings as well as beneath tiles

- 7.1 Liquid-applied water impermeable products for use beneath ceramic tiling
- 7.2 Products for waterproofing with mineral waterproofing slurries or flexible polymer modified thick coatings
- 7.3 Products for water proofing in conjunction with ceramic tiles
- 7.4 Products for waterproofing with flexible polymer modified mineral thick coatings

# Module 8: Modified mineral mortars for waterproofing floors and/or walls inside buildings

Products for watertight covering in wet rooms inside buildings

#### 2.3 **Technical Data**

The density

of the products is between 0,80 and 1,70 g/cm3, other relevant technical data can

be found in the manufacturer's technical documentation. Construction

products with Declaration of Performance in accordance with CPR and the

manufacturer's technical documentation:

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

1.1 Products used to restore and/or replace defective concrete

The

requirements on essential characteristics for all intended uses in accordance

with EN 1504-3, Tables 1 and 3, must be maintained. These are:

- Compressive strength (EN 12190)
- Chloride ion content (EN 1015-17)
- Adhesive strength by pull-off test (EN 1542)

### 1.2 Products to protect reinforcement

The requirements on essential characteristics for all intended accordance with EN 1504-7, Table 1, must be maintained. This is

- Corrosion protection (EN 15183)

# **Further**

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

# Module 2: Adhesives based on modified mineral mortars

2.1 Products for bonding ceramic tiles as well as natural stone

internal and external installations on walls, floors and ceilings

The requirements on essential characteristics according to EN 12004, Table 1, must be maintained. These are:

- Tensile adhesion strength after dry storage (EN 12004-2)









- Tensile adhesion strength after water immersion (EN 12004-2)
- Tensile adhesion strength after heat ageing (EN 12004-2)
- Tensile adhesion strength after freeze/thaw cycles (EN 12004-2)
- Open time: Tensile strength (EN 12004-2)

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

#### 2.2 The

minimum requirement of EAD 040083-00-0404 External Thermal Insulation Composite Systems with Rendering must be maintained. The essential characteristics are to be specified in accordance with the

European technical assessment (ETA, specification no.). Further essential characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's

technical documentation/declaration of performance

## Module 3: Modified mineral mortars as joint fillers

The minimum requirements of EN 13888 must be maintained.

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

The

requirements on essential characteristics according to EN 13813 'Screed

material and floor screeds - Screed materials - Properties and requirements'

must be maintained. For synthetic resin screeds, these are:

- Bond strength (EN 13892-8)

- Reaction to fire (EN 13501-1)

**Further** 

essential 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

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

documentation/declaration of performance

Module 5.2: The minimum requirements of EN 13279 apply. Further essential characteristics in accordance with the manufacturer's technical

Module 6: Modified mineral mortars as grouts

The requirements of DAfStb Guideline on 'Production and use

cement-bound flow concrete and grouting mortar' (VeBMR) must be maintained.

The requirements according to MVV TB No. C 2.1.4.5 for "Ü-mark" must be maintained.







# Module 7: Modified mineral mortars for liquid applied products for waterproofing of buildings

7.1

The requirements according to EN 14891, table 1, must be maintained. These are:

- initial tensile adhesion strength EN 14891

Tensile adhesion strength after water contact EN 14891

Waterproofing EN 14891

- Crack bridging ability EN 14891

# 7.2

minimum requirements of the 'Testing principles for granting general building

authority approved test certificates for waterproofing with

waterproofing slurries and flexible polymer modified thick coatings' (PG MDS/FPD) must be maintained.

# The

characteristics for the proof of usability are to be specified in accordance

with the test principles for granting general building authority

certificates for waterproofing with mineral waterproofing slurries and flexible

polymer thick coatings.

# 7.3

### The

minimum requirements of the 'testing principles for granting general building

authority approved test certificates for waterproofing in conjunction with ceramic tiles' (PG AIV) must be considered.

#### 7.4

#### The

minimum requirement of EAD 030295-00-0605 must be maintained. The essential characteristics are to be specified in accordance with the European technical assessment (ETA, specification no.).

# Module 8: Modified mineral mortars for waterproofing floors and/or walls inside buildings

#### The

minimum requirement of EAD 030352-00-0503 must be maintained. The

essential characteristics are to be specified in accordance with the European

technical assessment (ETA, specification no.).

# Constructional data

Name	Value	Unit
Compressive strength	-	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Adhesive shear strength	-	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Water absorption	-	mg
Water vapor diffusion equivalent air layer thickness	-	m
Thermal conductivity	-	W/mK
Tensile bond strength	-	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Flexural strength	-	N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Sound absorption coefficient (if relevant)	-	%

Please select one of the following options and delete the header of the selected [alternative]:

# [Alternative 1a: Product according to the CPR, based on a hEN]:

- · Performance data of the product in accordance with the declaration of performance with respect to its essential characteristics according to EN xyz:date, title.
- · Voluntary data: source, date, title (not part of CEmarking).

# [Alternative 1b: Product according to the CPR, based on an ETA]:

- · Performance data of the product in accordance with the declaration of performance with respect to its essential characteristics according to ETA no. xyz, date, title.
- · Voluntary data: source, date, title (not part of CEmarking).

[Alternative 2a: Product not harmonised in accordance with the CPR but in accordance with other provisions for harmonisation of the EU]:









Performance data of the product according to the harmonised standards, based on provisions for harmonization.

Voluntary data: source, date, title (not part of CE-marking).

# [Alternative 2b: Product harmonized as well in accordance with the CPR as with other legal provisions of the EU]:

- · Performance data of the product in accordance with the declaration of performance with respect to its essential characteristics according to EN xyz: date, title or ETA no. xyz, date, title respectively.
- · Performance data of the product, based on the harmonised standards, in accordance with the other provisions for harmonization.
- · Voluntary data: source, date, title (not part of CEmarking)

# [Alternative 3: Product for which no legal provisions for harmonisation of the EU exist]:

Performance data of the product with respect to its characteristics in accordance with the relevant technical provision (no CE-marking).

#### 2.4 **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 and/or a polymer

dispersion 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).

# Base materials/Ancillary materials

Typically.

the products covered by this EPD contain the following range of base materials

and auxiliaries (% by mass):

Inorganic binder: ~ 2 -98

materials: ~ 0 - 90

Additives: ~ 0 - 10

Aqueous

dispersion and/or dispersion powder: ~ 0 - 35

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).

Note: For companies to declare their products within the scope of this EPD it is not sufficient to simply comply with the product composition

shown above. The application of this EPD is only possible for member companies

of DBC, EFCC, FEICA, and IVK member associations and only for specific

formulations with a total score below the declared maximum score for a product

group according to the associated guidance document.

# 1. substances from the "Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation" (SVHC)

If this

product contains substances listed in the candidate list (latest version)

exceeding 0.1 percentage by mass, the relevant information can be found in the

safety data sheet of the relevant product covered by this model EPD.

# 2. CMR substances in categories 1A and 1B

this product contains other carcinogenic, mutagenic, reprotoxic (CMR)

substances in categories 1A or 1B which are not on the candidate list,

exceeding 0.1 percentage by mass, the relevant information can be found in the

safety data sheet of the relevant product covered by this model EPD.

# 3. Biocide products added to the construction product

this construction product contains biocide products, the active substances,

information on the concentration and/or concentration range, the product type

together with information on their hazardous properties are listed in the

safety data sheet of the respective product.









#### Manufacture 2.6

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.

## 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 considering the limit values applicable for the workplace

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.

#### 2.8 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 convevor 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.

# 2.9 Packaging

A detailed

description of packaging is provided in section 2.4. Empty, trickle-free paper

containers and clean PE foils can be recycled.

## Condition of use

A 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.

#### 2.11 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 the respective products are used in accordance with the designated

purpose. 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 German AgBB test scheme or the GEV (Gemeinschaft Emissionskontrollierte

Verlegewerkstoffe, Klebstoffe und

Bauprodukte e.V., Düsseldorf) EMICODE® marking system typically applied in

Germany.









#### Reference service life 2.12

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.

Description of the influences on the ageing of the product when applied in accordance with the rules of technology.

#### 2.13 **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

# Fire protection

Name	Value
Building material class	
Burning droplets	
Smoke gas development	

## Water

No relevant volumes of water-soluble substances hazardous to water are washed out when hardened modified mineral mortars are exposed to water (e.g. flooding). Modified mineral mortar is stable in terms of structure and is not subject to any changes in form when exposed to water and drying. If non-hardened modified mineral mortars are exposed to water an increase of the pH will take place.

# Mechanical destruction

The mechanical

destruction of modified mineral mortars does not lead to any decomposition products which are

harmful to the environment or health. Dust incurred during de-

should be avoided by taking the appropriate measures (e.g.

humidification).

# 2.14 Re-use phase

Components

manufactured using modified mineral mortars can usually be easily demolished. When a building is removed, the materials do not need to be treated as special

waste; care should,

however, be taken to ensure unmixed residual materials wherever possible. Modified mineral mortars can usually be redirected to normal building material recycling

circuits. Re-use is generally in the form of recycled aggregate in

construction and civil engineering. No practical experience is currently

available for reusing components comprising cementitiousbased products after decommissioning.

# 2.15 Disposal

The portion of

a modified mineral mortar applied to another construction product is rather

low. These low amounts do not play a role when the construction product is

disposed of. They do not interfere with the disposal/recycling of

components/building materials.

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

Mineral mortar: EWC 17 01 01 and EWC 10 13 14

Mineral filler

and levelling compound: EWC 17 01 07

Calcium

sulphate-based filler and levelling compound: EWC 17 08 02

# **Further information**

More information is available on the

manufacturer's product or safety data sheets and is available on the

manufacturer's websites or on request. Valuable technical information is also

available on the associations' websites.

# 3. LCA: Calculation rules

#### **Declared Unit** 3.1

This EPD refers

to the declared unit of 1 kg of modified mineral mortar, group 1; applied

into the building with a density of 800 - 1,700 kg/m3 in accordance with

the IBU PCR part B for Mineral

Factory-Made Mortars.

The results of

the Life Cycle Assessment provided in this declaration have been selected from

the product with the highest environmental impact (worst-case scenario).

Depending on

the application, a corresponding conversion factor such as the







density to

convert volumetric use to mass must be taken into consideration.

-Incineration, for materials like plastic, wood and paper.

-C1-C2-C4-D

The Declaration

type is according to EN 15804: Cradle to gate with options, modules C1-C4, and module D (A1-A3, C, D) and additional modules (A4-A5).

## Declared unit

Name	Value	Unit
Declared unit	1	kg
Gross density	800 - 1700	kg/m <sup>3</sup>

For IBU core EPDs (where clause 3.6 is part of the EPD): for average EPDs, an estimate of the robustness of the LCA values must be made, e.g. concerning variability of the production process, geographical representativeness and the influence of background data and preliminary products compared to the environmental impacts caused by actual production.

# 3.2 System boundary

Modules A1. A2

and A3 are taken into consideration in the LCA:

#### - A1

Production of preliminary products

Transport to the plant

## - A3

Production incl. provision of energy, production of packaging as

auxiliaries and consumables and waste treatment

# - A4 Transport to site

### - A5

Installation, product applied into the building during A5 phase operations and packaging disposal.

# The end of life

for the packaging material considered is described below:

The building

deconstruction (demolition process) takes place in the C1 module which considers

energy generation and consumption of diesel and all the emissions

connected with the fuel-burning process to run the machines. After the

demolition, the product is transported to the end-of-life processing (C2

module) where all the impacts related to the transport processes are

considered. For precautionary principle and as a worst-case scenario, landfilling is the only end-of-life scenario considered. This is modelled by the landfill process (module C4) where the product ends its life cycle.

#### Module D

accounts for potential benefits that are beyond the defined system boundaries.

Credits are generated during the incineration of packaging that is occurring in the A5 module.

# **Estimates and assumptions**

For this EPD

formulation and production data defined and collected by FEICA were

considered. Production waste was assumed to be disposed of by landfilling as a worst case.

An average of paper

sacks with polyethylene lining and wooden pallets was considered in the LCA.

#### 3.4 **Cut-off criteria**

All raw

materials submitted for the formulations and production data were taken into consideration.

# The manufacture

of machinery, plant and other infrastructure required for the production of the

products under review was not taken into consideration in the LCA.

Transport of packaging materials is excluded.

# 3.5 Background data

Data from the GaBi 10 database SP40 (2020) was used as background data.

#### 3.6 **Data quality**









# Representative

products were applied for this EPD and the product in the group displaying the

highest environmental impact was selected for calculating the LCA results. The

background datasets used are less than 4 years old.

Production data

and packaging are based on details provided by the manufacturer. The

formulation used for evaluation refers to a specific product.

#### The data

quality of the background data is considered to be good.

#### 3.7 Period under review

Representative formulations are valid for 2021.

# Geographic Representativeness

Land or region, in which the declared product system is manufactured, used or handled at the end of the product's lifespan: Europe

#### 3.9 Allocation

Mass allocation

has been applied when primary data have been used and implemented into the LCA model.

#### 3.10 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.

The used background database has to be mentioned.

# 4. LCA: Scenarios and additional technical information

# Characteristic product properties Information on biogenic carbon

## The packaging

material contains biogenic carbon content which is presented below.

# Information on describing the biogenic Carbon Content at factory gate

Name	Value	Unit
Biogenic carbon content in product	-	kg C
Biogenic carbon content in accompanying packaging	0.0194	kg C

For the preparation of building life cycle assessments, it must

taken into account that in module A5 (installation in the building) the

biogenic amount of CO<sub>2</sub> (0.0194 kg C \*3.67 = 0.071 kg CO2-eq.) of the packaging

bound in module A1-A3 is mathematically booked out.

The following technical scenario information is required for the declared modules and optional for non-declared modules. Modules for which no information is declared can be deleted; additional information can also be listed if necessary.

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).

A5 is not declared including the disposal of the packaging material on the construction site, the amounts of packaging materials included in the LCA calculations must be declared as technical scenario information for Module A5.

# Transport to the building site (A4)

Name	Value	Unit
Transport distance	1000	km
Gross weight	34 - 40	t
Payload capacity	27	t

# Installation into the building (A5)

Name	Value	Unit
Other resources for packaging material	0.055	kg
Material loss	0.01	kg
Water consumption	0.0003	m <sup>3</sup>

Material loss considers the amount of product not used during

application phase into the building. This amount is 1 % of the product and, impacts

related to the production of this part are assigned to the A5 module. This

percentage is considered as waste to disposal and impacts of its end of life

have been considered into the LCA model and declared in A5.

In case a reference service life according to applicable ISO standards is declared then the assumptions and in-use conditions underlying the determined RSL shall be declared. In addition, it shall be stated that the RSL applies for the reference conditions only.

The same holds for a service life declared by the manufacturer. Corresponding information related to in-use conditions needs not be provided if a service life taken from the list on service life by BNB is declared.

# End of life (C1-C4)

Name	Value	Unit
Collected as mixed construction waste	1.121	kg
Landfilling	1.121	kg

The value above 1 kg is due to the use of water during the installation phase where 50 % of water evaporate while 50 % remain in the product.

# 5. LCA: Results

In Table 1 "Description of the system boundary", all declared modules shall be indicated with an "X"; all modules that are not declared shall be indicated with "MND" (As default the modules B3, B4, B5 are marked as MNR - module not relevant). In the following tables, columns can be deleted for modules that are not declared. Indicator values should be declared with three valid digits (eventually using exponential form (e.g. 1,23E-5 = 0,0000123). A uniform format should be used for all values of one indicator.

If several modules are not declared and therefore have been deleted from the table, the abbreviations for the indicators can be replaced by the complete names, while the readability and clear arrangement should be maintained; the legends can then be deleted. If due to relevant data gaps, an indicator cannot be declared in a robust way, then the abbreviation "IND" (indicator not declared) should be used for this indicator.

- 0 calculated value is 0
- · 0 value falls under the cut-off
- · 0 assumption which exclude any flows (e.g. exported electricity A1-A3)
- IND in cases where the inventory does not support the methodological approach or the calculation of the specific indicator IND shall be used.

If no reference service life is declared (see chapter 2.13 "Reference Service Life"), the LCA results of the modules B1-B2 and B6-B7 shall refer to a period of one year. This shall then be indicated as an explanatory text below the tables. In addition, the formula for the quantification of such B-modules over the total life cycle shall be provided.

# DESCRIPTION OF THE SYSTEM BOUNDARY (X = INCLUDED IN LCA; ND = MODULE OR INDICATOR NOT DECLARED; MNR =

M	MODULE NOT RELEVANT)																
PRODUCT STAGE				TRUCTI CESS AGE	ON		US	SE STAC	ЭE			ENI	D OF LI	IFE STA	ιGE	BENEFITS AND LOADS BEYOND THE SYSTEM BOUNDARIE S	
	Raw material supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport from the gate to the site	Assembly	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational energy use	Operational water use	De-construction demolition	Transport	Waste processing	Disposal	Reuse- Recovery- Recycling- potential
	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	В3	B4	B5	В6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
	Х	Χ	Х	Х	Х	MND	MND	MNR	MNR	MNR	MND	MND	Х	Х	MND	Х	Х

#### RESULTS OF THE LCA - ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT according to EN 15804+A2: 1 kg of modified mineral mortar, group 1 Parameter Unit A1-A3 **A5** C1 C<sub>2</sub> C4 D **A4** kg CO<sub>2</sub>-Äq. GWP-total 4.88E-01 5.06E-02 1.05E-01 3.12E-04 1.39E-02 1.71E-02 -3.5E-02 kg CO<sub>2</sub>-Äq. GWP-fossil 5.58E-01 5E-02 1.36E-02 2.98E-04 1.33E-02 1.7E-02 -3.49E-02 kg CO<sub>2</sub>-Äq. -6.95E-02 1.46E-04 9.1E-02 1.38E-05 6.08E-04 5.38E-05 -8.21E-05 GWP-biogenic kg CO<sub>2</sub>-Äq. GWP-luluc 4.13E-04 4.05E-04 5.72E-06 7.17E-09 3.13E-07 4.89E-05 -2.45E-05 ODP kg CFC11-Äq. 2.81E-11 6.01E-18 2.81E-13 3.18E-20 1.39E-18 6.3E-17 -3.66E-16 AP a2 mol H+-Äq. 1.8F-03 1.5E-04 3.5E-05 4.04E-06 4.19E-05 1 22F-04 -4 9F-05 kg PO₄-Äq. 1.52E-07 2.81E-09 EP-freshwater 9.16E-07 1.49E-08 6.45E-11 2.92E-08 -4.52E-08 3.45E-04 6.68E-05 8.93E-06 1.92E-05 EP-marine kg N-Äq. 1.83E-06 3.14E-05 -1.27E-05 EP-terrestrial mol N-Äq. 3.72E-03 7.48E-04 1.14E-04 2.01E-05 2.12E-04 3.45E-04 -1.36E-04 kg NMVOC-POCP a2 1.33E-03 1.32E-04 2.83E-05 5.51E-06 3.8E-05 9.51E-05 -3.64E-05 Äq. kg Sb-Äq. ADPE 5.74E-08 3.59E-09 7.92E-10 9.03E-12 3.94E-10 1.53E-09 -5.74E-09 ADPF MJ 9.91E+00 6.66E-01 1.24E-01 4.27E-03 1.86E-01 2.23E-01 -5.92E-01 m3 world-Äq. WDP 8.79E-02 2.42E-02 5.9E-07 4.47E-04 2.58E-05 1.78E-03 -3.63E-03 deprived

GWP = Global warming potential; ODP = Depletion potential of the stratospheric ozone layer; AP = Acidification potential of land and water; EP = Eutrophication potential; POCP = Formation potential of tropospheric ozone photochemical oxidants; ADPE = Abiotic depletion potential for non-fossil resources; ADPF = Abiotic depletion potential for fossil resources; WDP = Water (user) deprivation potential)

# RESULTS OF THE LCA - INDICATORS TO DESCRIBE RESOURCE USE according to EN 15804+A2: 1 kg of modified mineral

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Parameter	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C4	D
PERE	MJ	9.81E-01	3.74E-02	7.42E-01	1.35E-05	5.88E-04	2.92E-02	-1.3E-01
PERM	MJ	7.21E-01	0	-7.21E-01	0	0	0	0
PERT	MJ	1.7E+00	3.74E-02	2.15E-02	1.35E-05	5.88E-04	2.92E-02	-1.3E-01
PENRE	MJ	8.86E+00	6.67E-01	2.01E-01	4.28E-03	1.87E-01	2.23E-01	-5.92E-01
PENRM	MJ	1.05E+00	0	-8.66E-02	0	0	0	0









PENRT	MJ	9.91E+00	6.67E-01	1.14E-01	4.28E-03	1.87E-01	2.23E-01	-5.92E-01
SM	kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RSF	MJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRSF	MJ	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FW	m <sup>3</sup>	2.46E-03	4.33E-05	5.71E-04	2.42E-08	1.05E-06	5.63E-05	-1.5E-04

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

## RESULTS OF THE LCA - WASTE CATEGORIES AND OUTPUT FLOWS according to EN 15804+A2: 1 kg of modified mineral mortar, group 1

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Parameter	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C4	D
HWD	kg	2.6E-05	3.1E-08	2.6E-07	4.15E-13	1.81E-11	3.4E-09	-2.36E-10
NHWD	kg	3.12E-02	1.02E-04	1.44E-02	4.37E-07	1.91E-05	1.12E+00	-2.74E-04
RWD	kg	2.46E-04	8.25E-07	3.74E-06	4.59E-09	2E-07	2.54E-06	-4.43E-05
CRU	kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MFR	kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MER	kg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EEE	MJ	0	0	1.48E-01	0	0	0	0
EET	MJ	0	0	2.66E-01	0	0	0	0

HWD = Hazardous waste disposed; NHWD = Non-hazardous waste disposed; RWD = Radioactive waste disposed; CRU = Components for re-use; MFR = Materials for recycling; MER = Materials for energy recovery; EEE = Exported electrical energy; EET = Exported thermal energy

# RESULTS OF THE LCA – additional impact categories according to EN 15804+A2-optional:

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Parameter	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C4	D
РМ	Disease incidence	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
IR	kBq U235-Äq.	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
ETP-fw	CTUe	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
HTP-c	CTUh	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
HTP-nc	CTUh	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
SQP	SQP	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND

PM = Potential incidence of disease due to PM emissions; IR = Potential Human exposure efficiency relative to U235; ETP-fw = Potential comparative Toxic Unit for ecosystems; HTP-c = Potential comparative Toxic Unit for humans (cancerogenic); HTP-nc = Potential comparative Toxic Unit for humans (not cancerogenic); SQP = Potential soil quality index

## Potential Human

exposure efficiency relative to U235, Disclaimer 1 – This impact category deals mainly with the eventual impact of low dose ionizing radiation on human health of the nuclear fuel cycle. It does not consider effects due to possible nuclear accidents, occupational exposure or radioactive waste disposal in underground facilities. Potential ionizing radiation from the soil, radon and (from) some construction materials is also not measured by this indicator.

# ADP minerals

& metals, ADP fossil, WDP, ETF-fw, HTP-c, HTP-nc, SQP, Disclaimer 2 - The results of this environmental impact indicator shall be used with care as the uncertainties on these results are high or as there is limited experience with the indicator.

### Additional

environmental impact indicators (suggested by EN15804, table 4) are not declared in the EPD. The results of this environmental impact indicator shall be used with care as the uncertainties on these results are high and as there is limited experience with the indicator (see ILCD classification in EN 15804, table 5). For this reason, results based on these indicators are not considered suitable for a decision-making process and are thus not declared in the EPD.









# 6. LCA: Interpretation

The majority of 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 the main driver. Besides the

cement also the dispersion powder influences the results significantly,

although this is only used for up to 8 % of the total composition. 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) 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.

Global Warming Potential (GWP). For the Acidification Potential (AP), NOx and

SO<sub>2</sub> contribute the largest share.

Transportation to the construction site (A4) and the installation process (A5) make a minor 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 plastic, paper and pallets.

In module A4, transport to construction site, values for Eutrophication

(freshwater, marine and terrestrial) have an impact due principally to the

emission of phosphate. Furthermore, climate change from land use change is influenced

by transport processes, due to the diesel production used as fuel, because part

of this diesel has been produced from bio-based raw materials.

In all EPDs, CO<sub>2</sub> is the most important contributor to

The end-of-life phases have a negligible influence on all impacts.

# Requisite evidence

Leaching

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 leaching for specific areas of application. This documentation has to be provided separately and is specific to the product in question.

If of relevance for the application (usually if the products are

outside of buildings) the leaching behaviour has to be measured e.g. according to DIN EN

12457/1--4 or DIN EN 14405 combined with the Council decision 2003/33/EC. 7.1 Leaching

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

Example:

based on DIN EN 12457/1-4 or DIN/CEN TS 14405 combined with the Council decision dated 19.12.2002 (2002/33/EC).

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## Candidate list

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### **CPR**

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## EWC 170101

2000/532/EC European Waste Catalogue / Ordinance on European List of Wastes: Concrete









#### EWC 170107

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#### **REACH**

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