

# Environmental Product Declaration



In accordance with ISO 14025 for:

## ANODISED ALUMINIUM PROFILE

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## PRODUCT CATEGORY RULES (PCR)

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# Company Information

Founded in 1970 by Mehmet ARSLAN, Arslan Aluminum is one of the leading companies in the sector with its product quality, technology and environmentally friendly operations through continuous development and new investments.

Arslan Alüminyum has a capacity of 90.000 tons/year in extrusion profile production and has achieved international quality standards in surface treatment, molding, anodizing, painting, tenefer, watering and mechanical processing. With a capacity of 240,000 tons/year, recycling facility currently has a capacity of 120,000 tons/year in aluminum billet and ingot production. Arslan Alüminyum has a total of 4 factories in Bilecik 1st and 2nd Organized Industrial Zones.

1st factory located in the 1st Organized Industrial Zone, extrusion profile production is carried out. In addition, anodizing facility is also located in the 1st factory. 3rd factory located in the 2nd Organized Industrial Zone has a Recycling Facility and Casthouse, and extrusion profile production is carried out in 2nd and 4th factories. In 2nd factory, in addition to extrusion profile production, Arslan Alüminyum has powder coating painting lines and wood effect unit, die shop and design department and mechanical processing department.

Head office is located in Kağıthane/Istanbul and customs and financial affairs are carried out from head office.



# Product Information

## 1. PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Aluminum billets are first formed into profiles by extrusion in presses. The generated profiles ultimately go through additional processing, such as thermal break, surface treatments (anodizing and painting), and machining (which covers a variety of mechanical working procedures, including cutting, drilling, milling, shearing, threading, and bending).

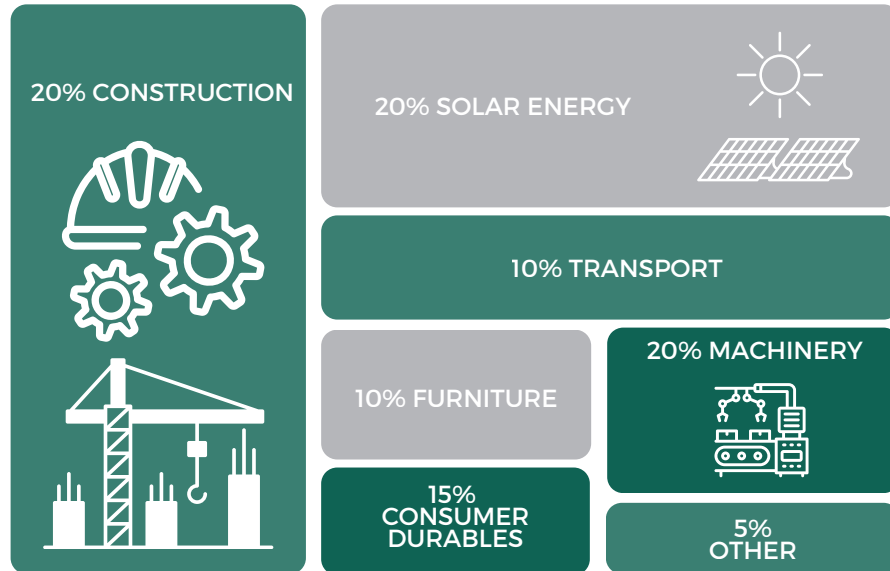
### GEOGRAPHICAL SCOPE

Global

### UN CPC CODE

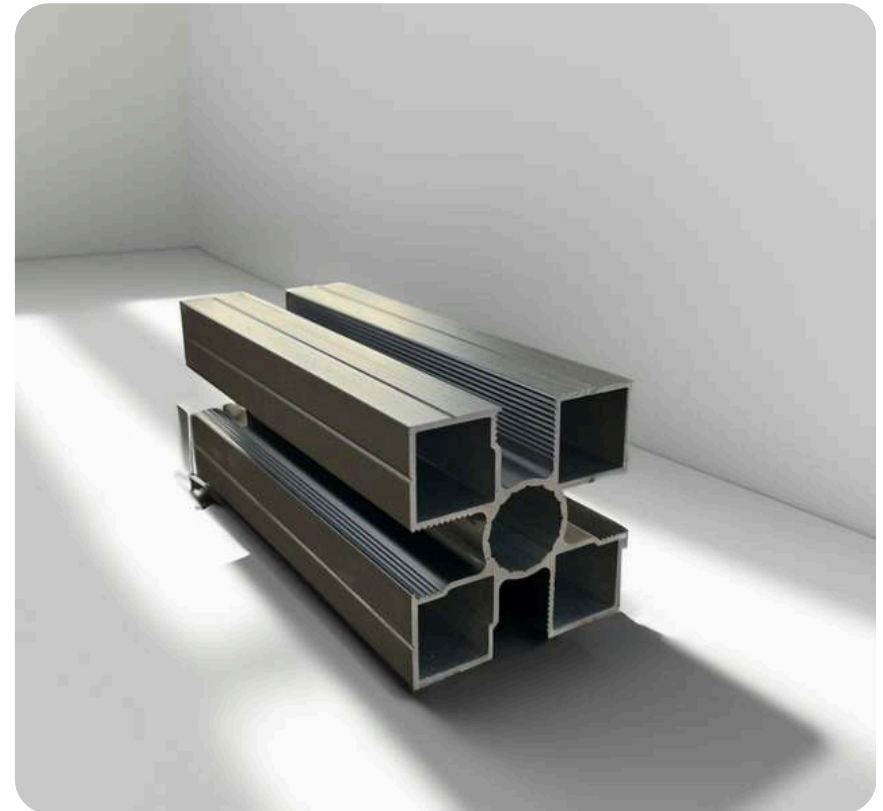
4153 - Semi-finished products of aluminium or aluminium alloys

### APPLICATIONS OF ALUMINIUM WORLDWIDE



## 2. PRODUCT APPLICATION

Numerous markets, including the automotive, building and construction, industrial, and general engineering sectors, use the aluminum profile under study.



# Content Declaration

CONTENT DECLARATION OF ANODISED ALUMINIUM PROFILE						
Product	Primer Aluminium, Weight-%	Post-consumer Weight-%	Pre-consumer Weight-%	Additives, Weight-%	Renewable material, Weight-%	Biogenic carbon, Weight-%
Anodised Aluminium Profile	35-45	0-5	40-50	10-20	0	0



# LCA Information

## TIME REPRESENTATIVENESS

Data refer to the year 2022

## DATABASE USED

Ecoinvent Database 3.10

## LCA SOFTWARE USED

SimaPro 9.6.0.1

The project's general scope and the approach taken to accomplish the stated goals are described in the next section.

Selecting the appropriate manufacturing technologies, supporting product systems, the study's declared unit and system boundary, data collection, software & database, cut-off criteria, data quality requirements, geographical and time coverage, allocation principles, and LCIA category selection are all included.

## DECLARED UNIT

The Declared Unit (DU) is 1 kg of Anodised Aluminium Profile

## DESCRIPTION OF SYSTEM BOUNDARIES

Cradle to gate with modules C and D (A1-A4, C1-C4+D)

## INVENTORY

The inventory for the LCA study is based on the 2022 production figures for aluminium products by Arslan Alüminyum production plant in Bilecik, Turkey. This EPD's system boundary is cradle to gate with modules C and D. (A1-A4, C1-C4+D).

## ALLOCATIONS

There is no product allocation in this study.

## CUT-OFF CRITERIA

All energy flows are considered in the analysis of the LCA without any cut-off criteria.

## ASSUMPTIONS

Raw materials, transport, production and packaging materials data are collected from the production plant.

## LCA MODELLING, CALCULATION AND DATA QUALITY

The results of the LCA with the indicators as per EPD requirement are given in the LCA result tables. According to the PCR, all energy calculations were obtained. There are no co-product allocations within the LCA study underlying this EPD.

## REACH and RoHS

Arslan Alüminyum products have REACH, RoHS registration. The products do not contain any REACH and RoHS SVHC substances in amounts greater than 0.1% (1000 ppm).

# LCA Information

## METHODOLOGY

The EN 15804:2012+A2:2019 reference package is based on EF 3.1.

Allocation, cut-off, EN15804 system model used.

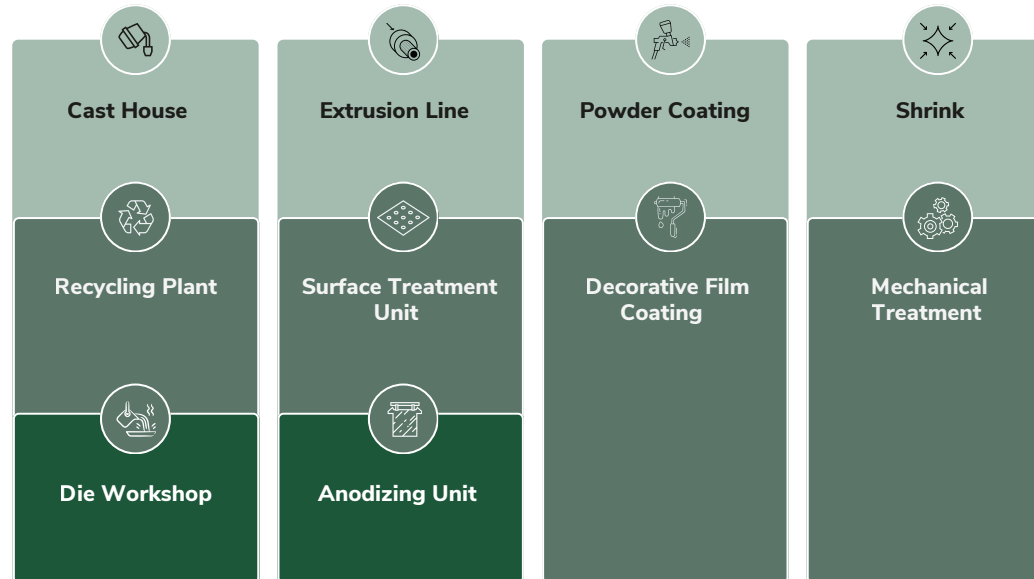
Average production data has been utilized to calculate the impacts for profiles of different sizes and shapes. The scenarios analyzed in this study are currently applied and represent one of the most probable alternatives.

## DATA QUALITY

Data collection and quality requirements were conducted in accordance with ISO 14044. The environmental impact of raw material production was derived from the Ecoinvent database v.3.8. Arslan Alüminyum provided essential data for core processes, including the quantities of all input and output materials. Utility consumption data, such as energy and water, were sourced from invoices and measuring instruments, while waste data were obtained from the waste declaration form. Information on transport distances and methods for each input material was gathered from purchase invoices and Google Maps.

For electricity data input, Ecoinvent (versiyon 3.10) Turkey's electricity production dataset has been used, with a climate impact (GWP) of 6.3291e-1 kgCO2e/kWh for the process. Besides, for natural gas global dataset has been taken.

## MANUFACTURING PROCESS



# LCA Information

## STANDARDS

- The production of 6000 series aluminium alloys is carried out through the casting and extrusion processes.
- Products are manufactured in accordance with the 573-3+A1 standard for Chemical Composition.
- Mechanical Properties, adherence is ensured to standards 755-1, 755-2, 755-3, 755-4,755-5,755-6,755-7, 755-8, 755-9, 12020-1, and 12020-2.
- Technical specifications for Inspection and Delivery of the produced items fall under the TS EN 15088 standard.
- Painted profiles are subject to control according to QUALICOAT specifications, while anodized profiles are checked in accordance with QUALANOD specifications.

### Physical properties of aluminum in solid state

Property	Value
State of matter	Solid
Density	2,70 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Density in liquid state	2,375 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
Melting point	933,47 °k (660,32 °c)
Boiling point	2792 °k (2519 °c)
Heat of fusion	10,71 kj/mol
Heat of evaporation	294,0 kj/mol

### Other properties of aluminum in solid state

Property	Value
Electric resistance	26,50 NΩ·M (20°C'DE)
Thermal conductance	237 w/(m·k)
Thermal expansion	23,1 µm/(m·k) (25°C'de)
Velocity of sound	5000 m/s (20 °c'de)
Mohs hardness	2.75
Vickers hardness	167 mpa
Brinell hardness	245 mpa

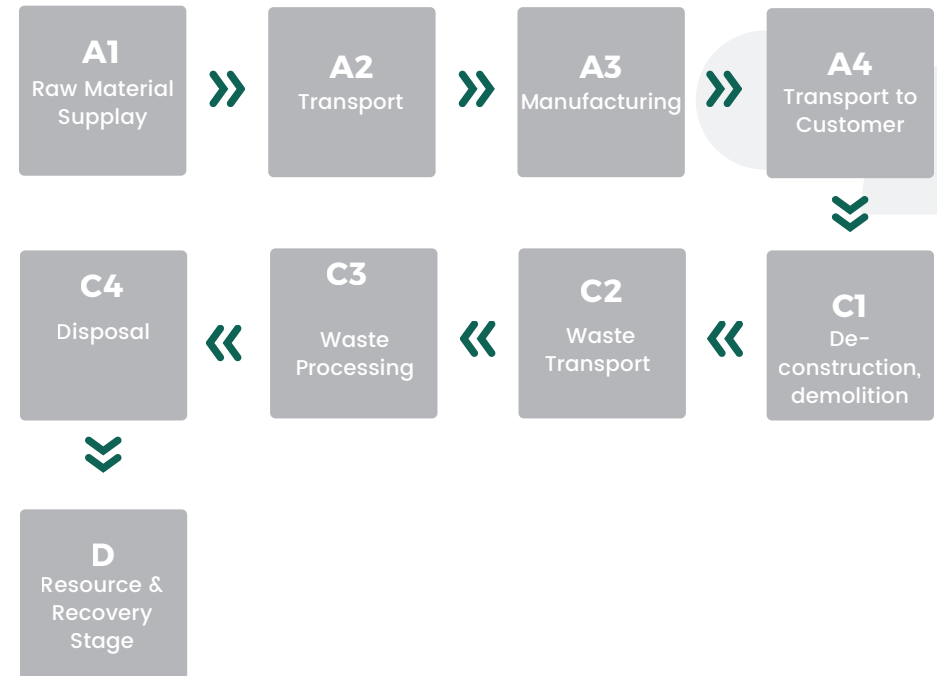
# LCA Information

Arslan Alüminyum manufactures and supplies aluminum billets in a range of sizes and thicknesses, as specified in the product catalog available on its website. For the purposes of this assessment, calculations have been based on a 1 kg aluminum billet, utilizing average data collected from Arslan Alüminyum’s production processes to ensure accurate representation of typical product impacts.

**Table 1: Content declaration of packaging material of aluminium billet**

Packaging material	Weight (kg/Mt)	Weight(%)	Biogenic carbon, weight (kg)
Cardboard	0.015	1.5	-
Plastic packaging	0.003	0.3	-
Wood packaging	0.028	2.8	0.014

## SYSTEM BOUNDARIES OF PRIMARY ALUMINIUM PRODUCTION



# LCA Information

## More Information

### A1-RAW MATERIAL SUPPLY

This module considers the extraction, processing and energy utilized in the manufacturing process of raw material.

### A2-TRANSPORT

This module considers the transportation of raw materials to the factory.

### A3-MANUFACTURING

This stage includes energy and water consumption during manufacturing process. Additionally, packaging materials are covered in this module. The processing of any waste arising from this stage is also included. Followed production process are as;

- Casting
- Continuous homogenizing
- Extrusion
- Packaging

### A4-TRANSPORT TO CUSTOMER

This stage considers the transportation of aluminium products to the customers.

A4 Scenario Information	Unit
Fuel type and consumption of vehicle or vehicle type used for transport	Euro6 gross vehicle weight 16-32 metric ton lorry and container ship
Distance	Weighted average distance of 61 km of lorry

### C1 - DE-CONSTRUCTION, DEMOLITION PROCESSES:

The majority of apps presume that deconstruction is a manual operation. Profiles are sometimes a component of a bigger structure that is being demolished when machines are involved. Impacts attributable to profiles are minimal in this instance. Consequently, no inputs were modeled in this step.

### C2 - TRANSPORT FROM COLLECTION POINT TO WASTE PROCESSING AND DISPOSAL SITE:

During this phase, discarded goods are transported to the waste processing/disposal location. Trucks are assumed to travel 100 km.

### C3 - SHREDDING AND SORTING FRACTIONS FOR RECYCLING:

This module includes a detailed assessment of the impacts related to the sorting and preparation steps needed for melting.

### C4 - LANDFILL OF MATERIALS FRACTIONS NOT ENTERING THE RECYCLING TREATMENT:

According to the European Aluminum Association ("EAA"), 5% of aluminum waste goes to landfill.

### D-RESOURCE & RECOVERY STAGE

According to European Aluminium Association ("EAA"), 95% of the aluminium wastes is recycled.

**Table 2: End of life scenario table**

Material exiting the system boundary	Process at the system boundary	Material/energy recovered /substituted	Related quantity
Anodised Aluminium Profile	Recycling	Aluminium	0.95 kg

# LCA Information

**Table 3: Modules declared, geographical scope, share of specific data (in GWP-GHG indicator) and data variation**

	Product stage		Construction process stage			Use stage							End of life stage			Resource & recovery stage	
	Raw Material Supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	Construction Installation	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational Energy Use	Operational Water Use	De-construction & Demolition	Transport	Waste Processing	Disposal	Recycling Potential
Module	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
<b>Module declared</b>	x	x	x	x	x	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	x	x	x	x	x
<b>Geography</b>	GLO	GLO	TR	GLO	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	GLO	GLO	GLO	GLO	GLO
<b>Specific data use</b>	>9.9%		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Variation - products</b>	0%		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Variation - sites</b>	0%		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

# LCA Results

**Table 4: Environmental Impact Results for 1 kg of Anodised Aluminium Profile**

Impact category	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWP-Fossil	kg CO2 eq	1.21E+01	1.77E-01	0.00E+00	1.92E-02	1.03E+00	1.07E+01	-6.54E+00
GWP-Biogenic	kg CO2 eq	-9.12E-04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	9.12E-04	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
GWP-Luluc	kg CO2 eq	1.54E-01	7.20E-05	0.00E+00	7.78E-06	8.73E-04	7.89E-04	-1.34E-01
GWP-Total	kg CO2 eq	1.45E+01	1.77E-01	0.00E+00	1.92E-02	1.04E+00	1.07E+01	-6.70E+00
ODP	kg CFC -11 eq	1.37E-07	2.63E-09	0.00E+00	2.84E-10	1.43E-08	2.55E-08	-5.31E-08
AP	mol H+ eq	8.55E-02	4.06E-04	0.00E+00	4.39E-05	1.05E-02	4.83E-03	-5.14E-02
EP-Freshwater	kg P eq	4.40E-04	1.64E-06	0.00E+00	1.78E-07	5.13E-05	8.00E-06	-1.98E-04
EP-Marine	kg N eq	1.22E-02	9.17E-05	0.00E+00	9.91E-06	9.75E-04	1.26E-03	-6.14E-03
EP-Terrestrial	mol N eq	1.33E-01	1.02E-03	0.00E+00	1.10E-04	1.22E-02	1.39E-02	-6.88E-02
POCP	kg NMVOC	4.62E-02	5.69E-04	0.00E+00	6.15E-05	3.87E-03	6.04E-03	-2.51E-02
*ADPE	kg Sb eq	1.88E-05	5.79E-07	0.00E+00	6.26E-08	1.03E-04	2.18E-06	-9.30E-06
*ADPF	MJ	1.24E+02	2.49E+00	0.00E+00	2.69E-01	1.06E+01	2.26E+01	-6.40E+01
*WDP	m3 depriv.	7.59E+00	1.13E-02	0.00E+00	1.23E-03	5.69E-01	-1.18E+00	-1.59E+00
Acronyms	GWP-total: Climate change, GWP-fossil: Climate change- fossil, GWP-biogenic: Climate change - biogenic, GWP-luluc: Climate change - land use and transformation, ODP: Ozone layer depletion, AP: Acidification terrestrial and freshwater, EP-freshwater: Eutrophication freshwater, EPmarine: Eutrophication marine, EP-terrestrial: Eutrophication terrestrial, POCP: Photochemical oxidation, ADPE: Abiotic depletion - elements, ADPF: Abiotic depletion - fossil resources, WDP: Water scarcity, PM: Respiratory inorganics - particulate matter, IR: Ionising radiation, ETP-FW: Ecotoxicity freshwater, HTP-c: Cancer human health effects, HTP-nc: Non-cancer human health effects, SQP: Land use related impacts, soil quality							
Legend	A1: Raw Material Supply, A2: Transport, A3: Manufacturing, A4: Transportation of Product C1:Demolition and Deconstruction , C2: Waste Transport, C3: Waste Processing, C4:Waste Disposal, D: Resource& Recovery Stage							

# LCA Results

**Table 5: Environmental Impact Results for 1 kg of Anodised Aluminium Profile**

Impact category	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
PM	disease inc.	1.24E-06	1.31E-08	0.00E+00	1.42E-09	6.74E-08	6.81E-08	-7.13E-07
***IR	kBq U-235 eq.	3.20E-01	8.12E-04	0.00E+00	8.78E-05	2.61E-02	4.85E-03	-2.66E-01
ETP-FW	CTUe	4.24E+01	6.69E-01	0.00E+00	7.23E-02	1.43E+01	1.33E+02	-2.18E+01
*HTP-C	CTUh	4.79E-08	9.31E-10	0.00E+00	1.01E-10	1.30E-08	1.88E-08	-2.91E-08
*HTP-NC	CTUh	1.11E-07	1.56E-09	0.00E+00	1.69E-10	8.56E-08	6.25E-08	-5.71E-08
*SQP	Pt	5.05E+01	1.51E+00	0.00E+00	1.63E-01	9.12E+00	8.51E+00	-9.20E+00
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Impact category	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
**GHG-GWP	kg CO2 eq	3.54E+00	1.65E-01	0.00E+00	1.78E-02	9.74E-01	8.97E+00	-6.84E+00
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<p><b>Disclosure:</b> Results from modules A1-A3 should not be used alone. Consider module C results for a complete and reliable interpretation. The estimated impact results are only relative statements, which do not indicate the endpoints of the impact categories, exceeding threshold values, safety margins and/or risks.</p>								

# LCA Results

**Table 6: Use of Resources**

Impact category	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
PERE	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PERM	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PERT	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PENRE	MJ	1.29E+02	2.32E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	7.64E+00	-6.26E+01
PENRM	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
PENRT	MJ	1.29E+02	2.32E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	7.64E+00	-6.26E+01
SM	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	9.50E-01
RSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
NRSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
FW	m3	7.77E+00	8.13E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	1.99E-01	-1.68E+00
Acronyms	PERE = Use of renewable primary energy excluding renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PERM = Use of renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PERT = Total use of renewable primary energy resources; PENRE = Use of non-renewable primary energy excluding non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRM = Use of nonrenewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT = Total use of non-renewable primary energy re-sources; SM = Use of secondary material; RSF = Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW = Use of net fresh water							
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**Table 7: Waste Output & Flows**

Impact category	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
HWD	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
NHWD	kg	5.26E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
RWD	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
CRU	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
MFR	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.95E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
MER	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
EE (Electrical)	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
EE (Thermal)	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Acronyms	HWD: Hazardous waste disposed, NHWD: Non-hazardous waste disposed, RWD: Radioactive waste disposed, CRU: Components for reuse, MFR: Material for recycling, MER: Materials for energy recovery, EE (Electrical): Exported energy electrical, EE (Thermal): Exported energy, Thermal							
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*Disclaimer 1	The results of this environmental impact indicator shall be used with care as the uncertainties of these results are high or as there is limited experience with the indicator							
**Disclaimer 2	GWP-GHG = Global Warming Potential total excl. biogenic carbon following IPCC AR5 methodology. The indicator includes all greenhouse gases included in GWP-total but excludes biogenic carbon dioxide uptake and emissions and biogenic carbon stored in the product. The GWP-GHG indicator is identical to GWP-total except that the characterisation factor (CF) for biogenic CO2 is set to zero.							
*** Disclaimer 3	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 nor due to radioactive waste disposal in underground facilities. Potential ionizing radiation from the soil, from radon and from some construction materials is also not measured by this indicator.							

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