

# Environmental Product Declaration



In accordance with ISO 14025:2006 and EN 15804:2012+A2:2019/AC:2021 for:

## ***Pliable Conduit***

from

***DIETZEL GmbH***



Programme:	The International EPD System, <a href="http://www.environdec.com">www.environdec.com</a>
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*This EPD covers multiple products from the same company. Please refer to the list in the product information section.*

## GENERAL INFORMATION

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Product Category Rules (PCR)
<b>CEN standard EN 15804 serves as the Core Product Category Rules (PCR)</b>
<b>Product Category Rules (PCR):</b> <i>PCR 2019:14 Construction products (EN 15804+A2) (2.0.1)</i>
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For further information about comparability, see EN 15804 and ISO 14025.

## INFORMATION ABOUT EPD OWNER

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Description of the organisation: DIETZEL GmbH is a manufacturing and trading family-owned company based in Vienna, Austria. DIETZEL GmbH manufactures electrical conduits and accessories, cable protection systems and various other products for electrical installation, structural and civil engineering, and road construction at their production sites in Vienna (Austria), Pezinok (Slovakia) and Dongguan (China).

Product-related or management system-related certifications: ISO 9001:2015; ISO 14001:2015

## PRODUCT INFORMATION

Product name: Pliable Conduit

UN CPC code: 36320

Product description: pliable conduit can be easily bent and shaped. It is often referred to as a corrugated conduit because its surface is typically corrugated, which provides the conduit with the required flexibility. It's manufactured from polypropylene; it's non-flame propagating, halogen free and low smoke (LSF0H).

Areas of application of pliable conduits:

- Cavity-wall installations: in plasterboard or dry-lining, pliable conduits can be pulled swiftly and easily through cavities.
- Concrete and screed: when cables are laid in screed or concrete ceilings, the conduit adapts readily to the structure.
- Partition walls and ceilings: for flexible cable routing in suspended ceilings or along convoluted paths.

Name and location of production site(s): Vienna, Austria

References to any relevant websites for more information: [www.dietzel-univolt.com](http://www.dietzel-univolt.com)

Following products are covered by this EPD:

Type	Weight (g/m)	Outside Diameter (mm)	Classification acc.
HFX 16	40	16	23332
HFX 20	58	20	
HFX 25	67	25	
HFX 32	92	32	
HFX 40	115	40	
HFX 50	165	50	
HFXP 16	47	16	33433

HFXP 20	62	20	
HFXP 25	83	25	
HFXP 32	110	32	
HFXP 40	145	40	
HFXP 50	190	50	
HFXP PRO 16	60	16	
HFXP PRO 20	72	20	
HFXP PRO 25	95	25	
HFXP PRO 32	140	32	
HFXP PRO 40	160	40	
HFXP PRO 50	215	50	33432

## CONTENT DECLARATION

- The mass (weight) of one unit of a product, as purchased or per declared unit: average weight with 0,076 kg /m conduit
- Content of the product in the form of a list of materials and substances, and their mass:

Product content	Mass, kg	Share of components	Post-consumer recycled material, mass-% of product	Biogenic material, mass-% of product	Biogenic material, kg C/product or declared unit
Polypropylene	0,07	92,1%	0%	0%	0%
Pigment	0,0008	1,0%	0%	0%	0%
Flame retardant	0,002	2,6%	0%	0%	0%
Slip surface	0,0025	3,3%	0%	0%	0%
Slip agent	0,0008	1,0%	0%	0%	0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>0,076</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>

- The mass and the content of distribution and/or consumer packaging:

Packaging materials	Mass, kg	Mass-% (versus the product)	Biogenic material, kg C/product or declared unit
PE film	0,0026	3	0
Pallet	0,00046	0,6	0,00014
<b>Total</b>	<b>0,005</b>	<b>3,6</b>	<b>0,00014</b>

- Information on the environmental and hazardous/toxic properties of a substances contained in the product: The product does not contain any REACH SVHC substances in amounts greater than 0.1%.
- Other information on substances with hazardous and toxic properties: none to declare
- The declared share of biogenic/recycled materials: none to declare

## LCA INFORMATION

Declared unit: 1-meter rigid conduit with an average weight of 0,076 kg (mass excluding packaging)

Reference service life: not applicable

Time representativeness: Jan 2024 - Dec 2024

Geographical scope: A1-A3: Vienna (Austria); A4, A5 and C modules: Europe

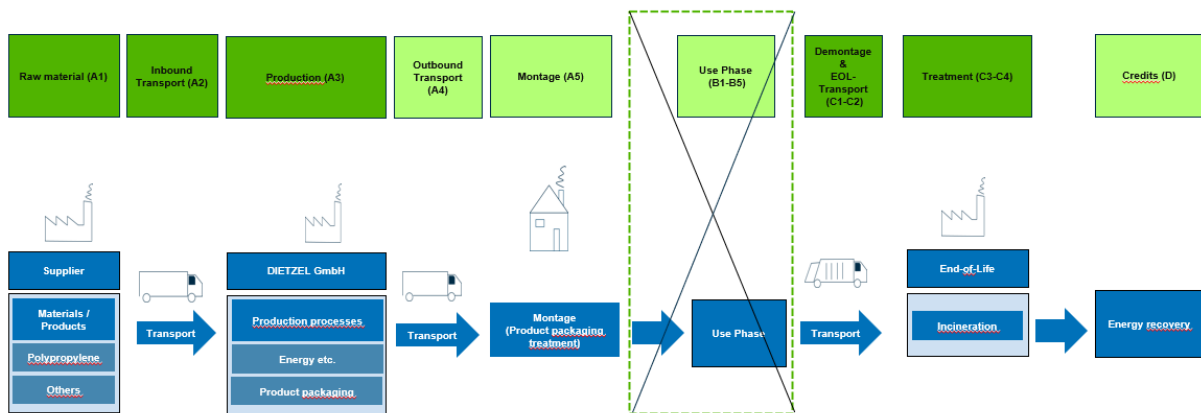
Database(s) and LCA software used: MLC 2025.2, Ecoinvent 3.11 with cut-off model; LfE Software

Description of system boundaries:

Cradle to gate with options, A4-A5, modules C1-C4 and module D.

Process flow diagram:

Process flow diagram of the product system, divided into the life-cycle stages and modules (or other division of the product life cycle, if defined in the PCR), showing the main processes included and the system boundary of the LCA. The diagram shall make it clear when the end-of-waste state is reached for main input flows of reused/recycled materials and recovered energy, and for output flows of reused/recycled materials and recovered energy exiting the end-of-life stage.



More information:

Description of the modelling:

A1-A3 – Production stage

All raw materials (e.g. polypropylene granulates) including input packaging belong to A1.

The means of transport and supplier-specific distances to the manufacturer are provided by DIETZEL GmbH, which are considered under A2. Energy inputs and auxiliaries for production at DIETZEL GmbH as well as production waste treatment belong to A3. The production of packaging materials for products (reuseable pallets, PE-film) is also part of A3. Since the packaging has a low mass compared to the product weight and the information of transport is limited, a cut-off for the transport of packaging materials to DIETZEL GmbH was conducted. All process data from the manufacturing are provided by DIETZEL GmbH and are attributed to the declared products based on the corresponding length. Production wastes are collected by external partner and treated externally, therefore a cut-off approach is used and only emission from transport is considered.

A4-A5 - Construction stage

The means of transport and client-specific average distances (A4) are provided by DIETZEL GmbH. The use/installation of the product (A5) does not generally result in losses and is manually done. Fastening materials could be used for montage. However, due to the various applications of the conduit, no primary data on installation is available, and no information is provided in PCR Part B as well, therefore these factors are not taken into account in the calculation. The phase of installation (A5) only includes the environmental impacts from the treatment of product packaging waste. The transport of packaging to treatment site is considered with the assumption of 50 km via truck. The packaging materials of the products are assumed to be incinerated by using corresponding datasets. No energy recovery is considered for steel band treatment, which is considered as inert waste incineration, while credits are given for energy recovery from wood and plastic incineration.

#### C1-C4 – End-of-life stage

Due to the fact that the products have various applications and because of the long lifespan of the product, the data for de-construction is not available. So the data from Table 4 in PCR B is used for calculation in C1. The distance to waste treatment plant (C2) is assumed to be 50 km via truck. At end-of-life stage, 100% of the product is assumed to be incinerated as a worst-case scenario which is listed under C3 with the consideration of energy recovery in module D.

#### D- Benefits and loads beyond the product system boundary

In module D the credits from incineration of the product packaging in A5 and incineration of products from the end-of-life stage are considered. Datasets 'RER: Electricity grid mix' and 'RER: Process steam from natural gas 95%' are used for substitution energy (credits).

#### Power mix

DIETZEL GmbH has its production site in Vienna, Austria. The electricity consumed is modelled based on the share of energy sources provided by the electricity supplier. The "GWP total" value of the electricity mix is 0,376 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh.

#### Cut-off Rules

All known and available primary data of the production processes, incl. raw materials and auxiliaries were considered. Transport of production waste to incineration plant is excluded due to the insignificance of the impacts. At least 98% of the cumulative environmental impacts are included in the calculation.

#### Allocation

No allocations are applied in the production stage because there is no co-product.

The benefits of energy recovery from waste incineration in A5 and C3 were allocated to module D. The default values for exported electricity (EEE) and thermal energy (EET) generated from incineration are already included in the selected datasets and considered in the calculation.

Process	Source type	Source	Reference year	Data category	Share of primary data, of GWP-GHG results for A1-A3
Manufacturing of raw materials	Database	MLC 2025.2, ecoinvent 3.11	2024	Representative generic datasets	0%
Input transport	Database	MLC 2025.2	2024	Primary data	4%
Manufacturing of products	Collected data	MLC 2025.2	2024	Primary data	3%
Generation of electricity used in production	Supplier specific data	Supplier	2024	Primary data	12%
Manufacturing of product packaging	Database	MLC 2025.2	2024	Representative generic datasets	0%
Total share of primary data, of GWP-GHG results for A1-A3					19%

Modules declared, geographical scope, share of primary data (in GWP-GHG results) and data variation (in GWP-GHG results):

	Product stage			Distribution/ installation stage		Use stage							End-of-life stage				Beyond product life cycle
	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	
Module	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Modules declared	X	X	X	X	X	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	X	X	X	X	X
Geography	AT	AT	AT	EU 27	EU 27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	EU 27	EU 27	EU 27	EU 27	EU 27
Share of primary data	19%			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation – products	<10%			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation – sites	0%			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

## ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE

### LCA results of the product(s) - main environmental performance results

#### Mandatory impact category indicators according to EN 15804+A2

Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWP-total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	2,07E-01	6,43E-03	7,18E-03	1,38E-04	4,10E-04	2,38E-01	0,00E+00	-1,16E-01
GWP-fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	2,06E-01	6,42E-03	6,45E-03	1,38E-04	4,10E-04	2,38E-01	0,00E+00	-1,15E-01
GWP-biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	6,14E-04	7,21E-06	7,30E-04	2,79E-08	4,60E-07	7,17E-06	0,00E+00	-5,44E-04
GWP-luluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	2,42E-04	6,35E-07	4,83E-07	1,41E-08	4,05E-08	2,02E-06	0,00E+00	-1,63E-04
ODP	kg CFC 11 eq.	2,16E-11	9,53E-16	1,47E-15	2,05E-12	6,07E-17	1,33E-14	0,00E+00	-9,44E-13
AP	mol H <sup>+</sup> eq.	3,33E-04	5,86E-06	9,69E-07	1,23E-06	3,74E-07	2,40E-05	0,00E+00	-1,92E-04
EP-freshwater	kg P eq.	1,30E-06	1,56E-09	2,11E-10	4,45E-09	9,97E-11	1,62E-09	0,00E+00	-1,04E-07
EP-marine	kg N eq.	8,55E-05	1,87E-06	2,71E-07	5,74E-07	1,19E-07	5,15E-06	0,00E+00	-4,02E-05
EP-terrestrial	mol N eq.	9,20E-04	2,14E-05	4,40E-06	6,28E-06	1,36E-06	1,13E-04	0,00E+00	-4,49E-04
POCP	kg NMVOC eq.	3,35E-04	6,56E-06	7,71E-07	1,88E-06	4,18E-07	1,53E-05	0,00E+00	-1,12E-04
ADP-minerals&metals*	kg Sb eq.	9,47E-08	1,84E-10	1,65E-11	4,92E-11	1,17E-11	1,50E-10	0,00E+00	-1,17E-08
ADP-fossil*	MJ	6,11E+00	8,52E-02	3,27E-03	1,78E-03	5,44E-03	2,80E-02	0,00E+00	-2,02E+00
WDP*	m <sup>3</sup>	4,39E-03	1,62E-05	6,91E-04	5,44E-06	1,03E-06	2,20E-02	0,00E+00	-8,41E-03
Acronyms	GWP-fossil = Global Warming Potential fossil fuels; GWP-biogenic = Global Warming Potential biogenic; GWP-luluc = Global Warming Potential land use and land use change; ODP = Depletion potential of the stratospheric ozone layer; AP = Acidification potential, Accumulated Exceedance; EP-freshwater = Eutrophication potential, fraction of nutrients reaching freshwater end compartment; EP-marine = Eutrophication potential, fraction of nutrients reaching marine end compartment; EP-terrestrial = Eutrophication potential, Accumulated Exceedance; POCP = Formation potential of tropospheric ozone; ADP-minerals&metals = Abiotic depletion potential for non-fossil resources; ADP-fossil = Abiotic depletion for fossil resources potential; WDP = Water (user) deprivation potential, deprivation-weighted water consumption								

\* Disclaimer: 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 experienced with the indicator. 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.

### Additional mandatory and voluntary impact category indicators

Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWP-GHG <sup>1</sup>	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	2,07E-01	6,42E-03	6,45E-03	1,38E-04	4,10E-04	2,38E-01	0,00E+00	-1,15E-01

### Resource use indicators

Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
PERE	MJ	6,31E-01	6,15E-04	9,89E-03	1,13E-05	3,92E-05	7,68E-03	0,00E+00	-6,39E-01
PERM	MJ	9,14E-03	0,00E+00	-9,14E-03	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
PERT	MJ	6,40E-01	6,15E-04	7,46E-04	1,13E-05	3,92E-05	7,68E-03	0,00E+00	-6,39E-01
PENRE	MJ	6,11E+00	8,52E-02	1,21E-01	1,78E-03	5,44E-03	3,53E+00	0,00E+00	-5,63E+00
PENRM	MJ	3,62E+00	0,00E+00	-1,18E-01	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	-3,50E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
PENRT	MJ	9,73E+00	8,52E-02	3,27E-03	1,78E-03	5,44E-03	2,80E-02	0,00E+00	-5,63E+00
SM	kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
RSF	MJ	0,00E+00	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	0,00E+00
FW	m <sup>3</sup>	6,88E-04	6,68E-07	1,64E-05	1,27E-07	4,26E-08	5,15E-04	0,00E+00	-2,95E-04
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 non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT = Total use of non-renewable primary energy resources; SM = Use of secondary material; RSF = Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW = Use of net fresh water								

### Waste indicators

Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	1,06E-04	3,23E-12	1,52E-12	1,59E-06	2,06E-13	1,53E-11	0,00E+00	-1,29E-09
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	3,40E-03	7,58E-06	5,98E-04	1,18E-05	4,84E-07	9,45E-04	0,00E+00	-1,06E-03
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	3,01E-05	1,43E-07	1,07E-07	0,00E+00	9,09E-09	1,61E-06	0,00E+00	-1,45E-04

<sup>1</sup> This indicator accounts for all greenhouse gases except biogenic carbon dioxide uptake and emissions and biogenic carbon stored in the product. As such, the indicator is identical to GWP-total except that the CF for biogenic CO<sub>2</sub> is set to zero.

## Output flow indicators

Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Components for re-use	kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
Material for recycling	kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	1,27E-02	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	5,09E-01	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	2,28E-02	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	9,04E-01	0,00E+00	0,00E+00

## ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviation	Definition
<b>General Abbreviations</b>	
CPC	Central product classification
EN	European Norm (Standard)
EF	Environmental Footprint
EOL	End Of Life
GPI	General Programme Instructions
ISO	International Organization for Standardization
LfE	LCA for Experts
MLC	Managed LCA Content
ND	Not Declared
PCR	Product Category Rules
PE	Polyethylene
PP	Polypropylene
SVHC	Substances of Very High Concern

## REFERENCES

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MLC Professional Database (Sphera), Version 2025.1

Ecoinvent Database, Version 3.10.1

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## VERSION HISTORY

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