Environmental product declaration

in accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804+A2

Roth QuickBox®

The Norwegian EPD Foundation

Owner of the declaration:
Roth North Europe A/S

Product:
Roth QuickBox®

Declared unit:
1 kg

This declaration is based on Product Category Rules:
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General information

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Management system:

EN ISO 9001:2015, EN ISO 14001:2015

Statement of liability:

The owner of the declaration shall be liable for the underlying information and evidence. EPD Norway shall not be liable with respect to manufacturer information, life cycle assessment data and evidences.

Organisation no:

34012113

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Declared unit with option:

A1-A3,A4,A5,C1,C2,C3,C4,D

Valid to:

14.11.2029

Year of study:

2023

Functional unit:

Comparability:

EPD of construction products may not be comparable if they not comply with EN 15804 and seen in a building context.

General information on verification of EPD from EPD tools:

Independent verification of data, other environmental information and the declaration according to ISO 14025:2010, § 8.1.3 and § 8.1.4. Verification of each EPD is made according to EPD-Norway's guidelines for verification and approval requiring that tools are i) integrated into the company's environmental management system, ii) the procedures for use of the EPD tool are approved by EPD-Norway, and iii) the process is reviewed annually by an independent third party verifier. See Appendix G of EPD-Norway's General Programme Instructions for further information on EPD tools

Development and verification of EPD:

The declaration is created using EPD tool lca.tools ver EPD2022.03, developed by LCA.no. The EPD tool is integrated in the company's management system, and has been approved by EPD Norway.

Developer of EPD: Stine Bøgh Petersen

Reviewer of company-specific input data and EPD: Kim Haugsted Neubert

Verification of EPD tool:

Independent third party verification of the EPD tool, background data and test-EPD in accordance with EPDNorway's procedures and guidelines for verification and approval of EPD tools.

Third party verifier:

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(no signature required)

Approved:

Håkon Hauan
Managing Director of EPD-Norway

Product:

Product description:

Roth QuickBox® for wall and panel wall is delivered as a single box with push-fit coupling for 12, 15, and 18 mm PEX pipes, and also as a double box for 15 mm PEX pipes. Roth QuickBox® is made of transparent, molded plastic with a pre-mounted brass elbow and pressure testing plug. The pre-mounted sealing nipple and lock are approved according to Norwegian NT VVS 129 and meet the requirements of Danish SBI guideline 252 and BR18. The push-fit coupling ensures a quick and secure connection. The transparent plastic allows for checking the insertion depth from the side or front.

Product specification:

Materials	Value	Unit
Brass	40-50	%
Stainless steel	0-5	%
Polycarbonate (PC)	30-40	%
Nylon	5-10	%
Packaging, corrugated board box	0,057	kg
Packaging, plastic bag	0,041	kg

Technical data:

The plastic housing is molded in transparent polycarbonate (PC). The sealing nipple is made of glass fiber reinforced PP with lips of TPR. The conduit lock is made of GF reinforced ABS. The gasket for the elbow is made of EPDM rubber. The push-fit elbow is made of dezincification-resistant brass CW602N with a ½" internal thread. The integrated locking ring in the elbow is made of stainless steel, the O-ring is made of EPDM rubber, and the release ring and support ring are made of acetal plastic.

Market:

Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Finland & UK

Reference service life, product:

60 years (Haugbølle, K., et.al, 2022)

Reference service life, building or construction works:

50 years (Haugbølle, K., et.al, 2022)

LCA: Calculation rules

Declared unit:

1 kg Roth QuickBox®

Cut-off criteria:

All major raw materials and all the essential energy is included. The production processes for raw materials and energy flows with very small amounts (less than 1%) are not included. These cut-off criteria do not apply for hazardous materials and substances.

Allocation:

The allocation is made in accordance with the provisions of EN 15804. Incoming energy and water and waste production in-house is allocated equally among all products through mass allocation. Effects of primary production of recycled materials is allocated to the main product in which the material was used. The recycling process and transportation of the material is allocated to this analysis.

Data quality:

Specific data for the product composition are provided by the manufacturer. The data represent the production of the declared product and were collected for EPD development in the year of study. Background data is based on EPDs according to EN 15804 and different LCA databases. The data quality of the raw materials in A1 is presented in the table below.

Materials	Source	Data quality	Year
Metal - Brass	Modified ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Metal - Stainless steel	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Packaging - Cardboard	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Packaging - Plastic	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Plastic - Polyamide	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Plastic - Polycarbonate (PC)	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Plastic - Polyethylene (MDPE)	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Rubber, synthetic	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Thermoplastic elastomers (TPE)	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019

System boundaries (X=included, MND=module not declared, MNR=module not relevant)

Product stage			Construction installation stage		Use stage							End of life stage				Beyond the system boundaries
Raw materials	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	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	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
X	X	X	X	X	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	X	X	X	X	X

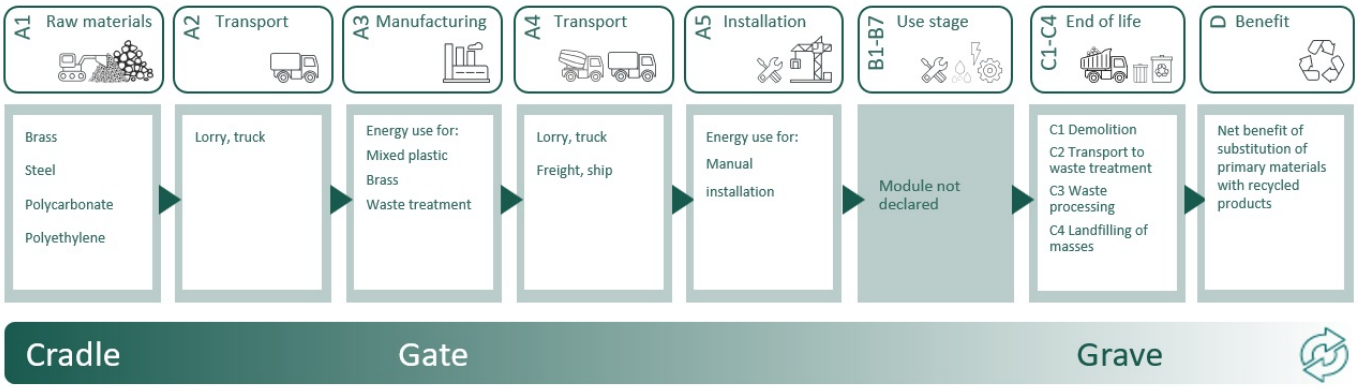
System boundary:

Module A1: Packaging has been included by average use of packaging pr. 1 kg of product.

Module A4: The transportation distances provided in this EPD are derived from precise data concerning the distances between production facility and and various sales departments in different countries. Subsequently, it is assumed that the distribution from each of these sales departments to the end customers an approximate distance of 300 km*.

*Transportation by truck is assumed on a distributon of 80% EURO 6 and 20% EURO 5, based on data from the companys own logistics provider.

Module C2: The estimated transportion distance to the waste handling facility in this EPD is 100 km, assuming the use of a truck as the transport method.



Additional technical information:

*It should be noted that some of the articles that we supply do contain Lead above the 0.1% by weight threshold, however the lead is a part of a metal alloy in our brass products (not copper). Due to the chemical bonding within the alloy, there is no risk of any exposure, and no further information or markings are required for safe use. As noted in RoHS Annex III, Exemption (6c) was granted for lead in copper and brass alloys, allowing up to 4% lead (Pb) by weight. Our products are 2% lead by weight maximum.

LCA: Scenarios and additional technical information

The following information describe the scenarios in the different modules of the EPD.

Transport from production place to user (A4)	Capacity utilisation (incl. return) %	Distance (km)	Fuel/Energy Consumption	Unit	Value (Liter/tonne)
Ship, Coastal Barge (km)	71,0 %	165	0,011	l/tkm	1,82
Ship, Freight, Transoceanic (km)	65,0 %	22774	0,003	l/tkm	68,32
Truck, 16-32 tonnes, EURO 5 (km) - Europe	36,7 %	60	0,044	l/tkm	2,64
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Truck, 16-32 tonnes, EURO 5 (km) - Europe	36,7 %	88	0,044	l/tkm	3,86
Truck, 16-32 tonnes, EURO 6 (km) - Europe	36,7 %	351	0,043	l/tkm	15,10
Truck, 16-32 tonnes, EURO 6 (km) - Europe	36,7 %	240	0,043	l/tkm	10,32

Assembly (A5)	Unit	Value			
Waste, packaging, plastic film (LDPE), to average treatment (kg)	kg	0,04			
Waste, packaging, corrugated board box, to average treatment (kg)	kg	0,06			

Transport to waste processing (C2)	Capacity utilisation (incl. return) %	Distance (km)	Fuel/Energy Consumption	Unit	Value (Liter/tonne)
Truck, 16-32 tonnes, EURO 5 (km) - Europe	36,7 %	100	0,044	l/tkm	4,40

Waste processing (C3)	Unit	Value			
Waste, Materials to recycling (kg)	kg	0,50			
Waste treatment per kg Polyamide 6, PA6, incineration with fly ash extraction (kg)	kg	0,06			
Waste treatment per kg EPDM, synthetic rubber, incineration with fly ash extraction (kg)	kg	0,00			
Waste treatment per kg Polycarbonate, PC, incineration with fly ash extraction (kg)	kg	0,36			
Waste treatment per kg Polyethylene (PE), incineration with fly ash extraction (kg)	kg	0,01			
Waste treatment per kg Thermoplastics, TPE, incineration with fly ash extraction (kg)	kg	0,02			

Disposal (C4)	Unit	Value			
Waste, scrap steel, to landfill (kg)	kg	0,00			
Landfilling of ashes from incineration of Acrylonitrile butadiene styrene, ABS, municipal incineration with fly ash extraction, process per kg ashes and residues (kg)	kg	0,02			
Landfilling of ashes from incineration of EPDM, synthetic rubber, process per kg ashes and residues (kg)	kg	0,00			
Waste, scrap brass, to landfill (kg)	kg	0,05			
Landfilling of ashes from incineration of Polyethylene (PE), process per kg ashes and residues (kg)	kg	0,00			

Benefits and loads beyond the system boundaries (D)	Unit	Value			
Substitution of primary steel with net scrap (kg)	kg	0,01			
Substitution of electricity (MJ)	MJ	0,69			
Substitution of thermal energy, district heating (MJ)	MJ	10,46			
Substitution of primary Brass with net scrap (kg)	kg	0,00			

LCA: Results

The LCA results are presented below for the declared unit defined on page 2 of the EPD document.

Environmental impact										
	Indicator	**Unit**	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
	GWP-total	kg CO_2 -eq	9,84E+00	3,93E-01	1,02E-01	0	1,83E-02	1,07E+00	5,13E-04	-8,20E-02
	GWP-fossil	kg CO_2 -eq	9,88E+00	3,93E-01	4,17E-03	0	1,83E-02	1,07E+00	5,13E-04	-7,97E-02
	GWP-biogenic	kg CO_2 -eq	-3,96E-02	1,33E-04	9,75E-02	0	7,47E-06	2,29E-05	5,44E-07	-1,56E-04
	GWP-luluc	kg CO_2 -eq	4,97E-03	2,31E-04	5,56E-07	0	6,40E-06	4,26E-06	1,56E-07	-2,10E-03
	ODP	kg CFC11 -eq	7,97E-07	8,53E-08	3,91E-10	0	4,17E-09	2,28E-09	2,05E-10	-4,42E-03
	AP	mol H+ -eq	4,99E-02	8,22E-03	8,40E-06	0	7,48E-05	2,31E-04	4,17E-06	-9,56E-04
	EP-FreshWater	kg P -eq	5,68E-04	2,27E-06	1,43E-08	0	1,44E-07	2,03E-07	7,52E-09	-9,38E-06
	EP-Marine	kg N -eq	8,83E-03	2,03E-03	5,11E-06	0	2,22E-05	1,11E-04	1,26E-06	-1,98E-04
	EP-Terrestial	mol N -eq	1,02E-01	2,26E-02	3,01E-05	0	2,45E-04	1,13E-03	1,40E-05	-2,21E-03
	POCP	kg NMVOC -eq	2,99E-02	5,97E-03	9,25E-06	0	7,52E-05	2,73E-04	4,22E-06	-6,37E-04
	ADP-minerals&metals[1]	kg Sb-eq	1,76E-03	5,92E-06	3,99E-08	0	4,96E-07	1,15E-07	5,14E-09	-2,54E-05
	ADP-fossil[1]	MJ	1,43E+02	5,37E+00	2,64E-02	0	2,76E-01	1,45E-01	1,44E-02	-1,04E+00
	WDP[1]	m^3	3,11E+02	2,95E+00	6,38E-02	0	2,63E-01	1,04E+00	1,19E-02	-1,01E+01

GWP-total = Global Warming Potential total; 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

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*INA Indicator Not Assessed

1. 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

Remarks to environmental impacts:

Additional environmental impact indicators

Indicator		Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
	PM	Disease incidence	4,65E-07	9,77E-09	1,37E-10	0	1,32E-09	1,01E-09	6,90E-11	-3,24E-08
	IRP[2]	kgBq U235 -eq	7,31E-01	2,33E-02	1,16E-04	0	1,21E-03	3,63E-04	5,79E-05	-5,68E-03
	ETP-fw[1]	CTUe	4,41E+02	3,50E+00	3,01E-02	0	2,03E-01	2,21E+00	4,36E-01	-9,24E+00
	HTP-c[1]	CTUh	8,86E-09	0,00E+00	1,00E-12	0	0,00E+00	6,10E-11	1,24E-09	-2,14E-10
	HTP-nc[1]	CTUh	4,39E-07	1,82E-09	3,40E-11	0	2,20E-10	2,76E-09	8,48E-08	-7,41E-09
	SQP[1]	dimensionless	4,18E+01	2,06E+00	3,21E-02	0	1,90E-01	2,63E-02	5,35E-02	-5,85E+00

PM = Particulate Matter emissions; IRP = Ionizing radiation – human health; ETP-fw = Eco toxicity – freshwater; HTP-c = Human toxicity – cancer effects; HTP-nc = Human toxicity – non cancer effects; SQP = Potential Soil Quality Index (dimensionless)

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1. 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
2. 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.

Resource use

Indicator		Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
	PERE	MJ	1,08E+01	5,52E-02	5,52E-04	0	3,90E-03	8,02E-03	1,66E-04	-5,38E+00
	PERM	MJ	4,71E-01	0,00E+00	-4,71E-01	0	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
	PERT	MJ	1,13E+01	5,52E-02	-4,71E-01	0	3,90E-03	8,02E-03	1,66E-04	-5,38E+00
	PENRE	MJ	1,29E+02	5,37E+00	2,64E-02	0	2,76E-01	1,45E-01	1,44E-02	-1,04E+00
	PENRM	MJ	1,43E+01	0,00E+00	-1,74E+00	0	0,00E+00	-1,25E+01	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
	PENRT	MJ	1,43E+02	5,37E+00	-1,71E+00	0	2,76E-01	-1,24E+01	1,44E-02	-1,04E+00
	SM	kg	5,03E-01	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	3,29E-06	-3,10E-04
	RSF	MJ	1,94E-01	1,82E-03	1,60E-05	0	1,39E-04	1,73E-04	9,92E-06	-4,89E-04
	NRSF	MJ	1,15E-01	1,14E-02	5,25E-05	0	4,98E-04	0,00E+00	1,01E-04	-3,02E-01
	FW	m^3	6,97E-02	4,16E-04	1,32E-05	0	2,91E-05	1,22E-03	1,66E-05	-6,58E-03

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 materials; RSF = Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW = Net use of fresh water

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*INA Indicator Not Assessed

End of life - Waste

Indicator		Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
	HWD	kg	6,81E-02	2,51E-04	0,00E+00	0	1,41E-05	0,00E+00	7,05E-04	-1,59E-04
	NHWD	kg	7,92E-01	1,16E-01	9,84E-02	0	1,32E-02	0,00E+00	5,59E-02	-2,80E-02
	RWD	kg	5,52E-04	3,70E-05	0,00E+00	0	1,88E-06	0,00E+00	8,95E-08	-4,66E-06

HWD = Hazardous waste disposed; NHWD = Non-hazardous waste disposed; RWD = Radioactive waste disposed

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*INA Indicator Not Assessed

End of life - Output flow

Indicator		Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
	CRU	kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00
	MFR	kg	1,07E-01	0,00E+00	7,44E-02	0	0,00E+00	4,97E-01	2,93E-06	-4,17E-05
	MER	kg	5,71E-02	0,00E+00	4,02E-03	0	0,00E+00	4,48E-01	9,06E-08	-5,03E-06
	EEE	MJ	2,62E-02	0,00E+00	3,29E-03	0	0,00E+00	6,91E-01	2,78E-07	-3,17E-05
	EET	MJ	3,97E-01	0,00E+00	4,98E-02	0	0,00E+00	1,05E+01	4,21E-06	-4,79E-04

CRU = Components for re-use; MFR = Materials for recycling; MER = Materials for energy recovery; EEE = Exported energy electrical; EET = Exported energy thermal

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Biogenic Carbon Content

Indicator	Unit	At the factory gate
Biogenic carbon content in product	kg C	0,00E+00
Biogenic carbon content in accompanying packaging	kg C	2,66E-02

Note: 1 kg biogenic carbon is equivalent to 44/12 kg CO2

Additional requirements

Greenhouse gas emissions from the use of electricity in the manufacturing phase:

National production mix from import, low voltage (production of transmission lines, in addition to direct emissions and losses in grid) of applied electricity for the manufacturing process (A3).

Electricity mix	Source	Amount	Unit
Electricity, China (kWh)	ecoinvent 3.6	1102,91	g CO2-eq/kWh
Electricity, Denmark (kWh)	ecoinvent 3.6	338,20	g CO2-eq/kWh
Electricity, United Kingdom (kWh)	ecoinvent 3.6	386,67	g CO2-eq/kWh
Electricity, Taiwan (kWh)	ecoinvent 3.6	796,71	g CO2-eq/kWh

Dangerous substances:

The product contains dangerous substances, more than 0,1% by weight, given by the REACH Candidate List, see table:

Name	CASNo	Amount
Lead		0-2%*

Indoor environment:

Not relevant. No tests have been carried out on the product concerning indoor environment.

Additional Environmental Information

Additional environmental impact indicators required in NPCR Part A for construction products									
Indicator	**Unit**	A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWPIOBC	kg CO_2 -eq	1,02E+01	3,93E-01	4,17E-03	0	1,83E-02	1,07E+00	1,77E-03	-8,85E-02

GWP-IOBC: Global warming potential calculated according to the principle of instantaneous oxidation. In order to increase the transparency of biogenic carbon contribution to climate impact, the indicator GWP-IOBC is required as it declares climate impacts calculated according to the principle of instantaneous oxidation. GWP-IOBC is also referred to as GWP-GHG in context to Swedish public procurement legislation.

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