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## Leca Isoblokk 35 cm, Lightweight Concrete Block with PUR-insulation

Product

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## General information

### Product:

Leca Isoblokk 35 cm, Lightweight Concrete Block with PUR-insulation

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### This declaration is based on Product Category Rules:

EN 15804:2012+A1:2013 serve as core PCR  
Requirements on the EPD for Lightweight concrete.

### Declared unit:

1 m3 Leca Isoblokk 35 cm, Lightweight Concrete Block with PUR-insulation

### Declared unit with option:

A1,A2,A3,A4

### Functional unit:

### The EPD has been worked out by:

The declaration has been developed using EPDGen-version 1.0, Approval: NEPDT02

Company specific data are collected and registry by:

**Stian Gravnås**

Company specific data are audited by:

**Line Holaker**

### Verification:

Independent verification of data, other environmental information and EPD has been carried out in accordance with ISO14025, 8.1.3 and 8.1.4

externally



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### Manufacturer:

Saint-Gobain Byggevarer as

### Place of production:

Weber Leca Borge, Moumgt.,  
1658 Torp, Norway

### Management system:

ISO 9001, ISO 14001

### Org. No:

940 198 178

### Issue date: 01.01.2014

### Valid to: 31.12.2015

### Comparability:

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

### Year of study:

2014

### Approved:



Dagfinn Malnes  
Managing Director of EPD-Norway

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| Key environmental indicators | Unit       | Cradle to gate<br>A1 - A3 | Transport A4 |
|------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| Global warming               | kg CO2 eqv | 144,56                    | 2,02         |
| Energy use                   | MJ         | 2615,0472                 | 26,4456      |
| Dangerous substances         |            | *                         | *            |

\*The product contains no substances from the REACH Candidate list or the Norwegian priority list

## Product

### Product description:

Leca Isoblokk 35 cm is produced by Leca lightweight aggregate, cement, sand, water and PUR-insulation. Leca Isoblokk 35 cm is used for durable and moisture-proof exterior walls that require good insulation. The solution insulates better than the requirements of TEK-10 and satisfies the requirement for external wall insulation in Low Energy and Passive Houses. The solution is adapted for use as both a basement below ground and above ground exterior wall. The complete system Leca Isoblokk 35 cm consists of several components.

### Technical data:

SINTEF Technical Approval - TG20031. For further information see [www.weber-norge.no](http://www.weber-norge.no)

### Reference service life:

As for the building

### Product specification:

The raw materials used for the Polyurethane polymer (PUR-insulation) are fully reacted in the final product. The composition of the product is described in the following table:

| Materials                 | Percent |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Cement                    | 11,94   |
| Aggregate                 | 72,84   |
| Water                     | 8,23    |
| Packaging                 | 2,34    |
| Insulation, Plastic based | 4,65    |

### Market:

Norway

## LCA: Calculation rules

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### Cut-off criteria:

All major raw materials and all the essential energy is included. The production process for raw materials and energy flows that are included with very small amounts (<1%) are not included.

### Allocation:

The allocation is made in accordance with provisions in EN 15804. Incoming energy and water, and in-house waste from the production, is allocated equally among all products through mass allocation. Effects of primary production of recycled materials are 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:

| Materials                 | Data quality     | Source           | Year |
|---------------------------|------------------|------------------|------|
| Aggregate                 | EPD              | NEPD00120E       | 2013 |
| Aggregate                 | EPD              | NEPD00120E       | 2013 |
| Aggregate                 | Database         | Østfoldforskning | 2012 |
| Cement                    | EPD              | NEPD00024N       | 2013 |
| Water                     |                  |                  |      |
| Packaging                 |                  |                  |      |
| Packaging                 | European Average | APME             |      |
| Insulation, Plastic based | Database         | Plastic Europe   | 2014 |

### System boundary:

All processes from raw material extraction to product from the factory gate are included in the analysis (A1-A3). In addition, transportation to a central warehouse placed in accordance with guidelines issued by the EPD Norway (A4) is included.

### FlowChart:



## LCA: Scenarios and additional technical information

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

### Transport from production site to user (A4)

| Type    | Capacity utilisation (incl. return) % | Type of vehicle | Distance km | Fuel/Energy consumption | Unit  | Value (l/t) |
|---------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------|-------------|
| Truck   | 75 %                                  | Lorry to market | 50          | 0,015594                | l/tkm | 0,78        |
| Railway | .                                     | .               | .           | .                       | .     | .           |
| Boat    | .                                     | .               | .           | .                       | .     | .           |
| Other   | .                                     | .               | .           | .                       | .     | .           |

### Installation in the building (A5)

| .                                     | Unit           | Value |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|-------|
| Auxiliary                             | kg             | 0     |
| Water consumption                     | m <sup>3</sup> | 0     |
| Electricity consumption               | kWh            | 0     |
| Other energy carriers                 | MJ             | 0     |
| Material loss                         | kg             | 0     |
| Output materials from waste treatment | kg             | 0     |
| Dust in the air                       | kg             | 0     |

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### Maintenance (B2)/Repair (B3)

| .                       | Unit           | Value |
|-------------------------|----------------|-------|
| Maintenance cycle       | .              | 0     |
| Auxiliary               | kg             | 0     |
| Other resources         | kg             | 0     |
| Water consumption       | M <sup>3</sup> | 0     |
| Electricity consumption | kWh            | 0     |
| Other energy carriers   | MJ             | 0     |
| Material loss           | kg             | 0     |

### Use (B1):

| .         | Unit | Value |
|-----------|------|-------|
| No effect | 0    | 0     |

### End of Life (C1, C3, C4)

| .                                     | Unit | Value |
|---------------------------------------|------|-------|
| Hazardous waste disposed              | kg   | 0     |
| Collected as mixed construction waste | kg   | 0     |
| Reuse                                 | kg   | 0     |
| Recycling                             | kg   | 0     |
| Energy recovery                       | kg   | 0     |
| To landfill                           | kg   | 0     |

### Transport to waste processing (C2)

| Type    | Capacity utilisation (incl. return) % | Type of vehicle | Distance km | Fuel/Energy consumption | Unit  | Value (l/t) |
|---------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------------|-------|-------------|
| Truck   | 0 %                                   | .               | 0           | 0                       | l/tkm | 0           |
| Railway | .                                     | .               | .           | .                       | .     | .           |
| Boat    | .                                     | .               | .           | .                       | .     | .           |
| Other   | .                                     | .               | .           | .                       | .     | .           |

### Benefits and loads beyond the system boundaries (D)

## LCA: Results

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

| Product stage |           |               |           | Construction installation stage  | User stage |             |        |             |               |                        |                       |                             | End of life stage |                  |          |                                     | Beyond the system boundaries |
|---------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|------------|-------------|--------|-------------|---------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Raw materials | Transport | Manufacturing | Transport | Construction/ Installation stage | 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         | MNR                              | MNR        | MNR         | MNR    | MNR         | MNR           | MNR                    | MNR                   | MNR                         | MNR               | MNR              | MNR      | MNR                                 |                              |

### Environmental impact

| Parameter | Unit                                  | A1        | A2        | A3        | A4        | A5 | C1 | C2 |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----|----|----|
| GWP       | kg CO <sub>2</sub> -eqv               | 1,29E+002 | 2,66E+000 | 1,29E+001 | 2,02E+000 |    |    |    |
| ODP       | kg CFC11 -eqv                         | 1,02E-004 | 0,00E+000 | 1,99E-006 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| POCP      | kg C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> -eqv | 1,98E-001 | 2,84E-003 | 3,33E-002 | 5,34E-003 |    |    |    |
| AP        | kg SO <sub>2</sub> -eqv               | 2,63E-001 | 9,71E-003 | 6,74E-003 | 1,23E-003 |    |    |    |
| EP        | kg PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> -eqv | 3,11E-001 | 1,51E-003 | 3,52E-003 | 8,22E-004 |    |    |    |
| ADPM      | kg Sb -eqv                            | 5,27E-001 | 0,00E+000 | 8,34E-005 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| ADPE      | MJ                                    | 1,80E+003 | 3,51E+001 | 1,62E+002 | 2,65E+001 |    |    |    |

**GWP** Global warming potential; **ODP** Depletion potential of the stratospheric ozone layer; **POCP** Formation potential of tropospheric photochemical oxidants; **AP** Acidification potential of land and water; **EP** Eutrophication potential; **ADPM** Abiotic depletion potential for non fossil resources; **ADPE** Abiotic depletion potential for fossil resources

### Resource use

| Parameter | Unit           | A1        | A2        | A3        | A4        | A5 | C1 | C2 |
|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----|----|----|
| RPEE      | MJ             | 3,13E+002 | 4,72E-002 | 1,83E+002 | 4,56E-002 |    |    |    |
| RPEM      | MJ             | 1,60E-001 | 1,61E-002 | 1,00E-001 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| TRPE      | MJ             | 3,13E+002 | 6,33E-002 | 1,84E+002 | 4,56E-002 |    |    |    |
| NRPEE     | MJ             | 1,67E+003 | 3,50E+001 | 1,77E+002 | 2,64E+001 |    |    |    |
| NRPEM     | MJ             | 3,92E+002 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| TNRPE     | MJ             | 2,06E+003 | 3,50E+001 | 1,77E+002 | 2,64E+001 |    |    |    |
| SM        | kg             | 1,28E+001 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| RSF       | MJ             | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| NRSF      | MJ             | 2,37E+002 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| W         | m <sup>3</sup> | 9,12E+001 | 3,25E-001 | 3,70E+001 | 2,36E-001 |    |    |    |

**RPEE** Renewable primary energy resources used as energy carrier; **RPEM** Renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; **TRPE** Total use of renewable primary energy resources; **NRPEE** Non renewable primary energy resources used as energy carrier; **NRPEM** Non renewable primary energy resources used as materials; **TNRPE** Total use of virgin, non-renewable resources with energy content; **SM** Use of secondary materials; **RSF** Use of renewable secondary fuels; **NRSF** Use of non renewable secondary fuels; **W** Use of net fresh water

### End of life - Waste

| Parameter | Unit | A1        | A2        | A3        | A4        | A5 | C1 | C2 |
|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----|----|----|
| HW        | kg   | 1,52E-002 | 0,00E+000 | 2,22E-002 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| NHW       | kg   | 1,23E+001 | 7,40E-003 | 3,23E+000 | 4,93E-003 |    |    |    |
| RW        | kg   | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |

**HW** Hazardous waste disposed; **NHW** Non hazardous waste disposed, **RW** Radioactive waste disposed

### End of life - Output flow

| Parameter | Unit | A1        | A2        | A3        | A4        | A5 | C1 | C2 |
|-----------|------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----|----|----|
| CR        | kg   | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 2,00E-003 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| MR        | kg   | 4,69E-002 | 0,00E+000 | 3,39E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| MER       | kg   | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| EEE       | MJ   | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |
| ETE       | MJ   | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 | 0,00E+000 |    |    |    |

**CR** Components for reuse; **MR** Materials for recycling; **MER** Materials for energy recovery; **EEE** Exported electric energy; **ETE** Exported thermal energy

## Additional Norwegian requirements

### Electricity

The following data from ecoinvent v3 (June 2012) for Norwegian production mix included import, low voltage is used; Energy/Electricity country mix/Low voltage/Market: Electricity, low voltage {NO}| market for | Alloc Def, U. Production of transmission lines, in addition to direct emissions and loss in grid are included. Characterisation factors stated in EN 15804:2012+A1:2013 are used. This gives following greenhouse gas emissions: 24 g CO<sub>2</sub>-eqv/kWh

### Hazardous substances

None of the following substances have been added to the product: Substances on the REACH Candidate list of substances of very high concern (checked 10.10.2014) substances on the Norwegian Priority list (checked 10.10.2014) and substances that lead to the product being classified as hazardous waste. The chemical content of the product complies with regulatory levels as given in the Norwegian Product Regulations

### Indoor air

The product meets the requirements for low pollutant (M1) by EN15251:2007 Appendix E. The product has no impact on the indoor environment.

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