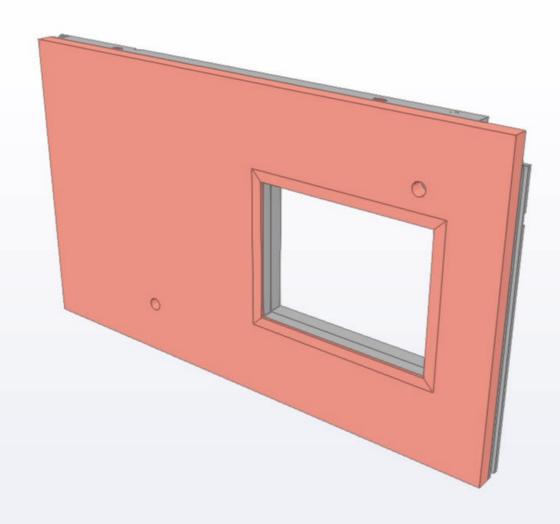




# Environmental product declaration

in accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804+A2

## VI Kooltherm Uddevalla Biobetong 2





The Norwegian EPD Foundation

## Owner of the declaration:

Heidelberg Materials Precast Contiga AB – Concrete

#### **Product**

VI Kooltherm Uddevalla Biobetong 2

#### **Declared unit:**

1 tonne

## This declaration is based on Product Category Rules:

CEN Standard EN 15804:2012+A2:2019 serves as core PCR

NPCR 020:2021 Part B for Concrete and concrete elements

#### Program operator:

The Norwegian EPD Foundation

## Declaration number:

NEPD-6220-5482-EN

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#### **EPD** software:

LCAno EPD generator ID: 230457



#### **General information**

#### **Product**

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#### 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.

#### **Declared unit:**

1 tonne VI Kooltherm Uddevalla Biobetong 2

#### **Declared unit with option:**

A1,A2,A3,A4,A5,C1,C2,C3,C4,D

#### Functional unit:

#### 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

#### **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:

Jane Anderson, Construction LCA Ltd

(no signature required)

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#### Manufacturer:

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#### Place of production:

Uddevalla, Heidelberg Materials Precast Contiga AB

, Sweden

#### Management system:

Holds a local environmental diploma and is certified for ISO45001, 14001 and 9001

#### Organisation no:

556270-5979

#### Issue date:

30.04.2024

#### Valid to:

30.04.2029

#### Year of study:

2022

#### **Comparability:**

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

#### **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. NEPDT03

Developer of EPD: Alexander Noré

Reviewer of company-specific input data and EPD: Håvard Nyman

#### Approved:

Håkon Hauan, CEO EPD-Norge



#### **Product**

## **Product description:**

A half-sandwich wall panel, combining a robust concrete layer and a layer of Kooltherm insulation, usually used as an exterior wall, offers a durable and energy-efficient solution for modern construction. They are manufactured in different thicknesses depending on the desired function. Theese walls are casted on horizontal mold tables with one side that is counter-molded, down in form and on side with mounted insulation, up in form. The concrete provides structural strength and resilience, while the Kooltherm delivers excellent thermal insulation. This prefabricated unit streamlines the building process, ensuring quick installation and airtight performance, making it ideal for a variety of architectural applications where efficiency and longevity are paramount.

Concrete walls are 100% recyclable and enable fast, cost-effective and rational progress in the construction project.

#### **Product specification**

Materials	kg	%
Additives	69,77	6,98
Aggregate	740,00	74,00
Cement	90,29	9,03
Chemical	2,40	0,24
Insulation	14,36	1,44
Metal - Steel	29,29	2,93
Water	53,89	5,39
Total	1000,00	

#### Technical data:

The declared element is 1 ton of insulated concrete wall that is a total of 300mm thick. A 150mm thick layer of concrete in the quality C35/45, w/c ratio 0.50, and a 150mm thick layer of Kooltherm. The declared ton includes an average amount of reinforcement of 27.36kg/ton and an average amount of cast in materials of 1.93kg/ton. The declared unit also applies to a wide range of dimensions with an average amount of reinforcement and cast in materials.

Cement is Heidelberg Materials Bascement CEM II 42.5 R. See EPD-HCG-20210157-CAA1-EN

Concrete strength C35/45.

Exposure classes up to XC4-XF3.

Life length class up to L100 (100 years).

More technical data and information about load capacitys for the different wall dimensions is available at Heidelberg Materials Precast Contiga's concrete factory in Uddevalla

#### Market:

Sweden

#### Reference service life, product

Lifetime depends on exposure class. Interior walls in exposure class XCO have no limitation in service life

#### Reference service life, building or construction works

More than 50 years

#### LCA: Calculation rules

#### **Declared unit:**

1 tonne VI Kooltherm Uddevalla Biobetong 2

#### **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.



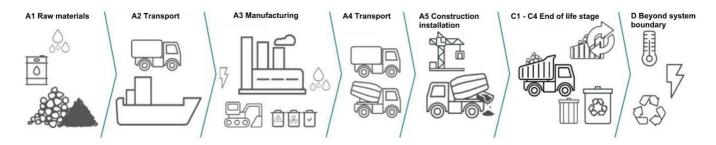
Materials	Source	Data quality	Year
Additives	Supplier	EPD	2022
Aggregate	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Cement	EPD-HCG-20210157-CAA1-EN	EPD	2021
Chemical	EPD-EFC-20210198-IBG1-EN	EPD	2021
Insulation	EPD-KSI-20210046-CBA2-EN	EPD	2021
Metal - Steel	Ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Water	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019



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

	P	roduct stag	je		uction on 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
A	41	A2	A3	A4	A5	В1	B2	В3	B4	B5	В6	В7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
2	Χ	Х	Х	Χ	Χ	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	Х	Χ	Х	Χ	X

## System boundary:



## Additional technical information:

The product can be recycled by crushing



## 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)
Truck, over 32 tonnes, EURO 6 (km)	53,3 %	85	0,023	l/tkm	1,96
Assembly (A5)	Unit	Value			
Diesel (L)	L/DU	0,87			
De-construction demolition (C1)	Unit	Value			
Demolition of building per kg of cement-based product, C1 (kg)	kg/DU	970,70			
Demolition of building per kg of steel, C1 (kg)	kg/DU	29,30			
Diesel (L)	L/DU	0,87			
Transport to waste processing (C2)	Capacity utilisation (incl. return) %	Distance (km)	Fuel/Energy Consumption	Unit	Value (Liter/tonne)
Truck, over 32 tonnes, EURO 6 (km)	53,3 %	85	0,023	l/tkm	1,96
Waste processing (C3)	Unit	Value			
Materials to recycling (kg)	kg	19,63			
Waste treatment of cement-based product after demolition (kg	kg	660,08			
Disposal (C4)	Unit	Value			
Waste, concrete sludge, rest concrete, to disposal (kg)	kg	310,62			
Waste, scrap steel, to disposal (kg)	kg	9,67			
Benefits and loads beyond the system boundaries (D)	Unit	Value			
Substitution of steel (kg)	kg	9,50			
Substitution of stone materials (kg)	kg	660,08			



#### **LCA: Results**

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

Envir	Environmental impact													
	Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D		
	GWP-total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> - eq	1,62E+02	3,90E+00	1,40E+00	7,41E+00	3,08E+00	7,08E+00	7,41E+00	4,75E-01	1,37E+00	-1,20E+01		
	GWP-fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> - eq	1,61E+02	3,90E+00	1,39E+00	7,40E+00	3,08E+00	7,08E+00	7,40E+00	4,69E-01	1,37E+00	-1,20E+01		
	GWP-biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> - eq	8,16E-02	1,66E-03	1,27E-02	3,17E-03	5,76E-04	1,33E-03	3,17E-03	4,05E-03	1,17E-03	-3,59E-02		
	GWP-luluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> - eq	4,86E-01	1,21E-03	1,81E-03	2,26E-03	2,42E-04	5,58E-04	2,26E-03	6,49E-04	2,69E-04	-5,70E-03		
٨	ODP	kg CFC11 - eq	4,91E-06	9,37E-07	2,38E-07	1,79E-06	6,64E-07	1,53E-06	1,79E-06	9,24E-08	6,68E-07	-6,07E-07		
	АР	mol H+ -eq	5,17E-01	1,43E-02	1,28E-02	2,38E-02	3,22E-02	7,40E-02	2,38E-02	3,79E-03	1,34E-02	-6,55E-02		
	EP-FreshWater	kg P -eq	7,72E-03	3,08E-05	3,45E-05	5,89E-05	1,12E-05	2,58E-05	5,89E-05	2,96E-05	1,02E-05	-6,83E-04		
	EP-Marine	kg N -eq	9,42E-02	3,20E-03	4,50E-03	5,22E-03	1,42E-02	3,27E-02	5,22E-03	1,11E-03	5,02E-03	-1,55E-02		
	EP-Terrestial	mol N - eq	1,34E+00	3,57E-02	5,01E-02	5,82E-02	1,56E-01	3,56E-01	5,82E-02	1,28E-02	5,53E-02	-1,65E-01		
	POCP	kg NMVOC -eq	5,07E-01	1,33E-02	1,38E-02	2,29E-02	4,28E-02	9,86E-02	2,29E-02	3,43E-03	1,58E-02	-6,70E-02		
	ADP- minerals&metals <sup>1</sup>	kg Sb- eq	1,49E-03	6,88E-05	3,43E-05	1,32E-04	4,72E-06	1,09E-05	1,32E-04	5,95E-06	1,21E-05	-3,15E-04		
	ADP-fossil <sup>1</sup>	MJ	1,79E+03	6,31E+01	1,92E+01	1,20E+02	4,23E+01	9,74E+01	1,20E+02	1,46E+01	4,43E+01	-1,14E+02		
<u>%</u>	WDP <sup>1</sup>	m <sup>3</sup>	2,79E+03	4,79E+01	9,72E+02	9,22E+01	8,99E+00	2,07E+01	9,22E+01	1,61E+03	9,32E+01	-6,57E+02		

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

## Remarks to environmental impacts

<sup>&</sup>quot;Reading example: 9,0 E-03 = 9,0\*10-3 = 0,009"

<sup>\*</sup>INA Indicator Not Assessed

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Addi	Additional environmental impact indicators														
Ind	icator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D			
	PM	Disease incidence	7,84E-06	3,54E-07	2,71E-07	6,80E-07	8,51E-07	5,92E-06	6,80E-07	6,07E-08	2,85E-07	-1,16E-06			
	IRP <sup>2</sup>	kgBq U235 -eq	3,75E+03	2,76E-01	1,59E-01	5,26E-01	1,81E-01	4,21E-01	5,26E-01	2,44E-01	1,92E-01	-1,97E-01			
	ETP-fw <sup>1</sup>	CTUe	2,52E+03	4,60E+01	3,32E+01	8,79E+01	2,31E+01	5,32E+01	8,79E+01	1,03E+01	2,19E+01	-6,09E+02			
46.* ****	HTP-c <sup>1</sup>	CTUh	6,13E-07	0,00E+00	1,55E-09	0,00E+00	8,98E-10	1,90E-09	0,00E+00	6,60E-10	6,40E-10	-5,16E-08			
% ₽	HTP-nc <sup>1</sup>	CTUh	4,65E-06	4,46E-08	3,65E-08	8,50E-08	2,13E-08	4,93E-08	8,50E-08	9,24E-09	1,28E-08	1,06E-06			
	SQP <sup>1</sup>	dimensionless	3,56E+02	7,15E+01	5,34E+00	1,38E+02	5,37E+00	1,21E+01	1,38E+02	8,23E+00	1,61E+02	5,15E+01			

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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<sup>2.</sup> 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	e use											
Ind	licator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
ू <u>र</u> (हे	PERE	MJ	2,47E+02	7,89E-01	7,17E+01	1,51E+00	2,29E-01	5,29E-01	1,51E+00	7,49E+00	6,81E-01	-1,31E+01
4	PERM	MJ	2,81E-01	0,00E+00								
ar.	PERT	MJ	2,48E+02	7,89E-01	7,17E+01	1,51E+00	2,29E-01	5,29E-01	1,51E+00	7,49E+00	6,81E-01	-1,31E+01
	PENRE	MJ	1,44E+03	6,31E+01	1,92E+01	1,20E+02	4,23E+01	9,74E+01	1,20E+02	1,46E+01	4,43E+01	-1,15E+02
.Åo	PENRM	MJ	4,07E+02	0,00E+00								
IA	PENRT	MJ	1,85E+03	6,31E+01	1,92E+01	1,20E+02	4,23E+01	9,74E+01	1,20E+02	1,46E+01	4,43E+01	-1,15E+02
<u></u>	SM	kg	8,30E+01	0,00E+00								
2	RSF	MJ	5,86E+01	2,75E-02	6,16E-02	5,29E-02	5,63E-03	5,63E-03	5,29E-02	0,00E+00	1,41E-02	2,55E-01
	NRSF	MJ	1,41E+02	9,19E-02	1,70E-01	1,77E-01	8,29E-02	8,29E-02	1,77E-01	0,00E+00	4,05E-02	1,09E+01
<b>&amp;</b>	FW	m <sup>3</sup>	1,22E+00	7,13E-03	5,83E-01	1,37E-02	2,18E-03	5,01E-03	1,37E-02	2,49E-02	5,27E-02	-9,61E-01

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 resources used as raw materials; PENRM = Use of non renewable primary energy resources; SM = Use of secondary materials; PENRM = Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW = Net use of fresh water

<sup>&</sup>quot;Reading example: 9,0 E-03 = 9,0\*10-3 = 0,009" \*INA Indicator Not Assessed



End of I	ind of life - Waste													
Indicator		Unit	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D		
Ā	HWD	kg	2,91E-01	3,44E-03	1,24E-02	6,58E-03	1,25E-03	2,87E-03	6,58E-03	1,45E-03	0,00E+00	-6,05E-02		
Ū	NHWD	kg	3,98E+02	5,42E+00	6,38E+00	1,05E+01	5,01E-02	1,15E-01	1,05E+01	4,59E-02	3,20E+02	-4,46E+00		
8	RWD	kg	1,93E-02	4,31E-04	1,35E-04	8,21E-04	2,94E-04	6,76E-04	8,21E-04	1,54E-04	0,00E+00	-1,74E-04		

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

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End of life	nd of life - Output flow														
Indica	ator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D			
<b>@</b> D	CRU	kg	2,62E-03	0,00E+00											
\$\	MFR	kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	5,98E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	6,80E+02	0,00E+00	0,00E+00			
DF	MER	kg	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	1,05E-02	0,00E+00									
<b>F</b> D	EEE	MJ	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	5,68E-03	0,00E+00									
DØ.	EET	MJ	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	8,59E-02	0,00E+00									

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

"Reading example: 9,0 E-03 = 9,0\*10-3 = 0,009" \*INA Indicator Not Assessed

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	7,68E-03									
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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	Data source	Amount	Unit
Elektrisitet, Norge (kWh)	ecoinvent 3.6	24,33	g CO2-eg/kWh

#### **Dangerous substances**

The product contains no substances given by the REACH Candidate list.

#### **Indoor environment**

The product has a very small or no impact on the indoor climate

#### **Additional Environmental Information**

Additional environmental impact indicators required in NPCR Part A for construction products													
Indicator	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D		
GWPIOBC	kg CO <sub>2</sub> -eq	1,62E+02	3,90E+00	1,40E+00	7,41E+00	3,08E+00	7,08E+00	7,41E+00	4,69E-01	1,37E+00	-1,73E+01		

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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