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General Information

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Product

Product description

The Nordic Bronze product is an alloy of copper and tin (CuSn4). When exposed to the atmosphere, the surface gradually changes to a stable, dark chocolate brown.

Nordic Bronze is available in sheets or coils.

- Thickness range: 0.5 2.0 mm
- Maximum width: 780 mm.

This declaration is valid for the product Nordic Bronze.

Application

Nordic products are used for facades, roofs, roof drainage systems and other architectural elements of all shapes, as well as interior applications, decorations, ceilings, wall claddings

Relevant standards are: /EN 1172/ in combination with /EN 1976/, /EN 1652/, /EN 504/, /EN 14783/.

Technical Data

Test standards are: EN ISO 6507-1;2005; EN-ISO 6507-2:2005 , EN ISO 6892-1:2009, ISO 1811-2:1988-10, ISO 4739:1985-05

Nordic Bronze

Owner of the Declaration

Aurubis Finland Oy P.O. Box 60 FI-28101 Pori, Finland

Declared product / Declared unit

1 kg Nordic Bronze

Scope:

The Core environmental product declaration refers to copperstripes and copper sheets produced by Aurubis at Pori Oy site, Finland. Depending on the surface quality, the product is availabe in different qualities. This EPD refers to the product Nordic Bronze. The Life Cycle Assessment is based on data from Aurubis Finland Oy in FI-28101 Pori. The plant is located in Pori, Finland. The data is based on the production year 2015. The owner of the declaration shall be liable for the underlying information and evidence; the IBU shall not be liable with respect to manufacturer information, life cycle assessment data and evidences.

Verification

The CEN Norm /EN 15804/ serves as the core PCR Independent verification of the declaration according to /ISO 14025/

externally

internally

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(Independent verifier appointed by SVR)

Physical and mechanical properties

Value	Unit
17	10 ⁻⁶ K ⁻¹
290 - 390	N/mm ²
8860	kg/m ³
max 190	N/mm^2
min 40	%
70-100	HV
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Base materials / Ancillary materials

The Nordic Bronze product consist of an alloy of copper and tin (CuSn4) according to /EN 1172/. The tin (Sn) content is 3.5-4.5%, the phosphorus content is 0.01-0.4 % and the remaining content is copper (Cu).

The cakes for Nordic Brass sheet production are supplied from Aurubis Stolberg and Schwermetall, in Germany, and only undergo rolling operations at Aurubis Pori.

Additives:

Biodegradable rolling oil and emulsion which



is used for cooling and lubrication during the rolling process.

 Benzotriazole which is used as anticorrosive agent.

Reference service life

Copper has a long service life and durability. The rates of copper elutriation under normal atmospheric weathering are between 0.7 g/m²*a and 1.5g/m²*a.

LCA: Calculation rules

Declared Unit

The declared unit is 1 kg of Nordic Bronze.

Declared unit

Name	Value	Unit
Declared unit	1	kg
Conversion factor to 1 kg	-	-

System boundary

Type of the EPD: cradle-to-gate - with options. According to "System limits" outlined in section 5.5. of the PCR, Part A: "Calculation Rules for the Life Cycle Assessment and Requirements on the Background Report" the following life cycle stages are considered:

- Production, upstream raw materials & energy (Module A1-A3)
- Waste processing for reuse, recovery or recycling (Module C3)

 Benefits and loads beyond the product system boundary (Module D)

Comparability

Basically, a comparison or an evaluation of EPD data is only possible if all the data sets to be compared were created according to /EN 15804/ and the building context, respectively the product-specific characteristics of performance, are taken into account. The used background database has to be mentioned. For life cycle modelling of the considered products, the '/GaBi ts Software/, developed by thinkstep AG, has been used. All relevant background datasets are taken from

the /GaBi ts Software/ database. The datasets from the GaBi database are documented in the online documentation /GaBi ts Data/.

LCA: Scenarios and additional technical information

End of life (C1 - C4)

Name	Value	Unit
Collected separately	1	kg
Recycling	0.99	kg

Reuse, recovery and/or recycling potentials (D), relevant scenario information

Name	Value	Unit
Net scrap substituting primary material	-0,01	kg
Material loss	0	%



LCA: Results

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GaBi ts Data

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GaBi ts Software

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