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Methodology

Environmental Impact Assessment

Functional unit

The functional unit is a quantified performance of a product system for use as a reference unit. One of the primary purposes of a functional unit is to provide a reference to which the input and output data are normalized (in a mathematical sense). Therefore, the functional unit shall be clearly defined and measurable.

Impact Indicator

The impact is measured through the "IPCC 2021 GWP100" method

Electricity impact calculation method

Following guidelines from the GHG Protocol, the impact of electricity is calculated using the location-based approach. This means that the emission factors used represent the average annual carbon intensity of the power grid in the country the processes take place in.

Life Cycle Analyses

Cradle to grave





Emission Factor Inventory

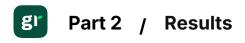
| Nu m | Emission Factor | Source | Value | Unit |
|---------|--|-----------------------------|--------------------|------|
| 1 | Polyvinylchloride, emulsion polymerised Ordinary transforming activity | ECOINVENT 3.10 | 2.6284389 2 | kg |
| 2 | Polyester filament finished at plant 100% polyester | BASE EMPREINTE ADEME 3.0 | 10.0285 | kg |
| 3 | Polypropylene, granulate Market activity | ECOINVENT 3.10 | 3.51619699 3 | kg |
| 4 | Electricity Total (Scope 2 & 3) People's Republic of China | IEA 2023 | 0.7231 | kWh |
| 5 | Freight Boat From CN to FR | WELOW EXPERTS 1.0 | 0.2522727 8 | kg |
| 6 | Waste yarn and waste textile Ordinary transforming activity | ECOINVENT 3.10 | 0.0046572 46015 | kg |
| 7 | Waste polyvinylchloride product Ordinary ক্ষুক্ত্যক্তিrming activity | ECOINVENT 3.10 | 1.213152213 | kg |
| 8 | polyethylene/polypropylene product Ordinary | ECOINVENT 3.10 | 1.78353257 5 | kg |
| | transforming activity | | | |



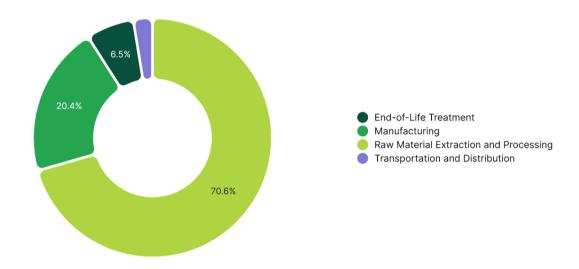




Results



Climate Change



| Step | Impact (kg CO ₂ eq) | Percentage (%) |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| Raw Material Extraction and Processing | 14.07 | 70.57 % |
| Manufacturing | 4.07 | 20.38 % |
| End-of-Life Treatment | 1.29 | 6.47 % |
| Transportation and Distribution | 0.51 | 2.58 % |

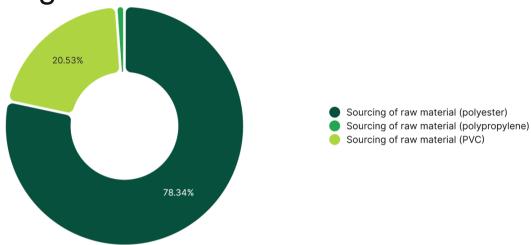
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Climate Change - Raw Material Extraction and

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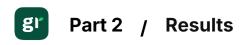


| Activity | Emission Factor Num | Quantity | Impact (kg CO ₂ eq) | Percentage (%) |
|--|---------------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| Sourcing of raw material (polyester) | 2 | 1.1 | 11.03 | 78.34 % |
| Sourcing of raw material (PVC) | 1 | 1.1 | 2.89 | 20.53 % |
| Sourcing of raw material (polypropylene) | 3 | 0.04 | 0.16 | 1.12 % |
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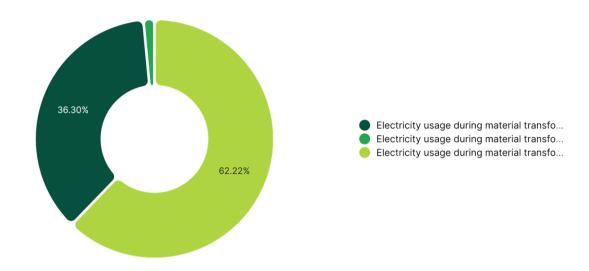
TOTAL 14.07 100.00 %







Climate Change - Manufacturing



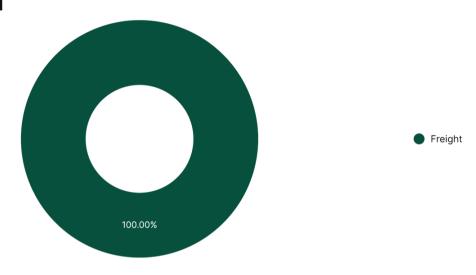
| Activity | Emission Factor Num | Quantity | Impact (kg CO ₂ eq) | Percentage (%) |
|--|---------------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Electricity usage during material transformation (PVC) | 4 | 3.5 | 2.53 | 62.22 % |
| Electricity usage during material transformation (polyester) | 4 | 2.04 | 1.48 | 36.30 % |
| Electricity usage during material transformation (polypropylene) | 4 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 1.48 % |
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| TOTAL | 4.07 | 100.00 % |
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Climate Change - Transportation and Distribution



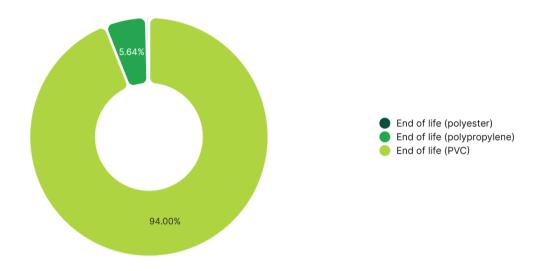
| Activity | Emission Factor Num | Quantity | Impact (g CO ₂ eq) | Percentage (%) |
|----------|---------------------------|----------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Freight | 5 | 2.04 | 514.64 | 100.00 % |
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TOTAL 514.64 100.00 %





Climate Change - End-of-Life Treatment



| Activity | Emission Factor Num | Quantity | Impact (kg CO ₂ eq) | Percentage (%) |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| End of life (PVC) | 7 | 1 | 1.21 | 94.00 % |
| End of life (polypropylene) | 8 | 0.04 | 0.07 | 5.64 % |
| End of life (polyester) | 6 | 1 | 4.65 · 10^-3 | 0.36 % |
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TOTAL 1.29 100.00 %





