

# **Environmental Product Declaration**



Environmental Product Declaration for various ready mix concrete products produced by Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V. at their Ruiz Cortinez facility in Monterrey



# **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

# **International Certified Environmental Product Declaration**

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#### **COMPANY DESCRIPTION -**

Holcim Mexico produces and markets cement, ready-mix concrete, and other products and services for construction. The company has a nationwide presence through 7 cement plants with a current installed capacity to produce 12.6 million tons per year, 23 cement distribution centers, two maritime terminals, 1 Corporate Office, plus 35 ready-mix concrete plants, seven platforms, and a Geocycle transfer center, 26 commercial partners with more than 90 ready-mix concrete plants, more than 500 mixing pots, one aggregates plant and a Technological Innovation Center for Construction (CITEC).

Sustainable Development is an integral part of Lafarge Holcim's strategy around the world. Holcim Mexico has a clear vision of the future it wants for our country, which contributes to its development. Holcim Mexico's main objective is to create value. Creating value ensures long-term business success in covering the triple bottom line (i.e., social, economic, environmental values). Finally, good operating performance and a solid return on invested capital go hand in hand with sustainable development.

Holcim continues to invest in research and development. They have the Innovation and Development Center, located in Lyon (France), with satellite locations in various regions developing a comprehensive portfolio of innovators and sustainable solutions. These include different categories: inclusive business models, water management solutions, urban mining solutions (recycled aggregates), waste treatment services, energy-efficient solutions (insulating building materials), resource-efficient solutions (high recycled content, bags soluble cement), and low CO2 building materials.

Holcim operates with the belief that they can gain an advantage by developing knowledge and brand equity in the green building segment.

#### STUDY GOAL

The intended application of this life cycle assessment (LCA) is to comply with the procedures for creating a Type III environmental product declaration (EPD) and publish the EPD for public review on the website, http://labelingsustainability.com/. This level of study is in accordance with EPD Product Category Rule (PCR) for Ready Mix Concrete published by NSF International (2019) and is a sub-PCR of International Standards Organization (ISO) 21930:2017 Sustainability in buildings and civil works - Core rules for EPDs of construction products and services; International Standards Organization (ISO) 14025;2006 Environmental labels and declarations, Type III environmental declarations-Principles and procedures; ISO 14044:2006 Environmental management, Life cycle assessment- Requirements and guidelines; and ISO 14040:2006 Environmental management, Life cycle assessment-Principles and framework. The performance of this study and its subsequent publishing is in alignment with the business-to-business (B2B) communication requirements for the environmental assessment of building products. The study does not intend to support comparative assertions and is intended to be disclosed to the public.

This project report was commissioned to differentiate Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V. from their competition for the following reasons: generate an advantage for the organization; offer customers information to help them make informed product decisions; improve the environmental performance of Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V. by continuously measuring, controlling and reducing the environmental impacts of their products; help project facilitators working on Leadership



in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) projects achieve their credit goal; and to strengthen Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V.'s license to operate in the community. The intended audience for this LCA report is Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V.'s employees, their suppliers, project specifiers of their products, architects, and engineers. The EPD report is also available for policy makers, government officials interested in sustainability, academic professors, and LCA professionals. This LCA report does not include product comparisons from other facilities.

#### DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT AND SCOPE -

This EPD reports on 50 concrete mixes manufactured at the Holcim Mexico Operaciones S.A. de C.V. Ruiz Cortinez concrete facility in Nuevo Leon, México.

This LCA assumes the impacts from products manufactured in accordance with the standards outlined in this report. This LCA is a cradle-to-gate study, and therefore, stages extending beyond the plant gate are not included in this LCA. Excluded stages include transportation of the manufactured material to the construction site; on-site construction processes and components; building (infrastructure) use and maintenance; and "end-of-life" effects.

# READY MIX CONCRETE DESIGN SUMMARY

The following tables provide a list of the ready mix concrete products considered in this EPD along with key performance parameters.

Mix designs: 0 to 15 MPa

Table 1: Declared products with Mix designs: 0 to 15MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
2	68015NB0514	1.47 MPa 28d strength	special	1.47	1.9247312
		special concrete	concrete		
3	68025NB0518	2.45 MPa 28d strength	special	2.45	1.5726496
		special concrete	concrete		
4	24025NB0518	2.45 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	2.45	0.4892308
		mortars and fillers	fillers		
5	39035ND2010	3.43 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	3.43	0.7109005
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
6	68035ND2010	3.43 MPa 28d strength	special	3.43	0.6652361
		special concrete	concrete		
7	39036ND2010	3.53 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	3.53	0.6898148
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
8	39038ND4012	3.73 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	3.73	0.6846847
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
9	68038NB2014	3.73 MPa 28d strength	special	3.73	0.6782609
		special concrete	concrete		
10	77040ND4014	3.92 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	3.92	0.6528926
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
11	68040NB2014	3.92 MPa 28d strength	special	3.92	0.6681034
		special concrete	concrete		



12	39042ND4010	4.12 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	4.12	0.6097561
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
13	68042ND4010	4.12 MPa 28d strength	special	4.12	0.6666667
		special concrete	concrete		
14	39045ND2010	4.41 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	4.41	0.5916031
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
15	68045ND4010	4.41 MPa 28d strength	special	4.41	0.5905512
		special concrete	concrete		
16	77048NB2014	4.71 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	4.71	0.5445205
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
17	68048ND2010	4.71 MPa 28d strength	special	4.71	0.5852713
		special concrete	concrete		
18	73050ND0518	4.9 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	4.90	1.4689655
		mortars and fillers	fillers		
19	68060NB0514	5.88 MPa 28d strength	special	5.88	1.0114943
		special concrete	concrete		
20	71100ND1010	9.81 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	9.81	1.0432099
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
21	68100NB2018	9.81 MPa 28d strength	special	9.81	0.7073171
		special concrete	concrete		
22	73100ND0514	9.81 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	9.81	1.1796407
		mortars and fillers	fillers		
23	68120NB2018	11.77 MPa 28d strength	special	11.77	0.5094340
		special concrete	concrete		
24	70150NB2018	14.71 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	14.71	0.9820359
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
25	68150NB0514	14.71 MPa 28d strength	special	14.71	0.8695652
		special concrete	concrete		
26	73150NB0514	14.71 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	14.71	0.9556650
		mortars and fillers	fillers		

Mix designs: 15 to 20 MPa

Table 2: Declared products with Mix designs: 15 to 20MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
27	01200ND4014	19.61 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	19.61	0.8608247
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
28	68200NB0518	19.61 MPa 28d strength	special	19.61	0.7913386
		special concrete	concrete		
29	73200NB0514	19.61 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	19.61	0.7868852
		mortars and fillers	fillers		

Mix designs: 21 to 25 MPa

Table 3: Declared products with Mix designs: 21 to 25MPa considered in this environmental product declaration





Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
31	68250NB1014	24.52 MPa 28d strength	special	24.52	0.6180556
		special concrete	concrete		
32	73250NB0514	24.52 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	24.52	0.6807018
		mortars and fillers	fillers		

Mix designs: 26 to 30 MPa

Table 4: Declared products with Mix designs: 26 to 30MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
33	70280NB2014	27.46 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	27.46	0.5310345
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
34	01300NB2018	29.42 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	29.42	0.6678832
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
35	60300NB2022	29.42 MPa 28d strength	special	29.42	0.6083916
		special concrete	concrete		
36	73300NB0518	29.42 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	29.42	0.5121951
		mortars and fillers	fillers		

Mix designs: 31 to 35 MPa

Table 5: Declared products with Mix designs: 31 to 35MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
30	70250NB2014	31.6 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	31.60	0.6936937
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
37	01350NB2014	34.32 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	34.32	0.5663430
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
38	60350NB2014	34.32 MPa 28d strength	special	34.32	0.5728477
		special concrete	concrete		
39	73350NB0514	34.32 MPa 28d strength	mortars and	34.32	0.4545455
		mortars and fillers	fillers		

Mix designs: 36 to 40 MPa

 ${\it Table 6: } \textbf{Declared products with Mix designs: 36 to 40MPa considered in this environmental product declaration}$ 

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
40	13400ND2010	39.23 MPa 28d strength Ready mix concrete	Ready mix concrete	39.23	0.482866





Mix designs: 41 to 45 MPa

Table 7: Declared products with Mix designs: 41 to 45MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
42	13450ND2010	44.13 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	44.13	0.4518950
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
43	60450NB2022	44.13 MPa 28d strength	special	44.13	0.4104478
		special concrete	concrete		

Mix designs: 46 to 50 MPa

Table 8: Declared products with Mix designs: 46 to 50MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
44	13500ND2010	49.03 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	49.03	0.416
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		

Mix designs: 51 to 55 MPa

Table 8: Declared products with Mix designs: 51 to 55MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
1	3745NB2014	54 MPa 28d strength Ready	Ready mix	54.00	0.4428571
		mix concrete	concrete		
41	60400NB2022	54.9 MPa 28d strength	special	54.90	0.4202128
		special concrete	concrete		
46	13550ND2010	53.94 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	53.94	0.3589744
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
47	60550NB2022	53.94 MPa 28d strength	special	53.94	0.3507014
		special concrete	concrete		

Mix designs: 56 to 60 MPa

Table 10: Declared products with Mix designs: 56 to 60MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
48	13600NB2014	58.84 MPa 28d strength Ready mix concrete	Ready mix concrete	58.84	0.3265306





Mix designs: >60 MPa

Table 11: Declared products with Mix designs: >60MPa considered in this environmental product declaration

Mix#	Unique name/ID	Short description	Product type	28 day strength, MPa	H2O to cement ratio
45	60500NB2022	60.9 MPa 28d strength	special	60.90	0.4057279
		special concrete	concrete		
49	14650NB1022	63.74 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	63.74	0.3152866
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		
50	14750NB2022	73.55 MPa 28d strength	Ready mix	73.55	0.2843750
		Ready mix concrete	concrete		

#### READY MIX CONCRETE DESIGN COMPOSITION

The following figures provide mass breakdown (kg per functional unit) of the material composition of each ready mix concrete design considered. Please note that the presented breakdown has been randomly altered by +/-10%, and is therefore only an approximation; this manipulation is to ensure confidentiality.

Table 12: Design composition

Product Components	Raw Material, weight%
Cement	Proprietary
Aggregates	30-60.00
Others	0.01-5.00
Total	100.00

#### SYSTEM BOUNDARIES

The following figure depicts the cradle-to-gate system boundary considered in this study:

#### Life Cycle Impacts A1-A3 B1-B7 C1-C4 A4-A5 PRODUCT STAGE **INSTALLATION PROCESS STAGE USE STAGE END OF LIFE STAGE** A1 Raw material supply C1 De-installation/ A4 Transport to site B1 Use A2 Transport A5 Installation **B2** Maintenance Demolition C2 Transport A3 Manufacturing Process B<sub>3</sub> Repaid C3 Waste processing **B4** Replacement **B5** Refurbishment C4 Disposal of Waste **B6** Operational energy use B7 Operational water use

Figure 1: General life cycle phases for consideration in a construction works system

This is a Cradle-to-gate life cycle assessment and the following life cycle stages are included in the study:



# **System Boundary**

Raw Material Supply (A1)

Cements & SCMs Aggregates Admixtures Batch Water Fibers & Pigments Transport

(A2)

Truck, Rail, Ship Energy Carriers (fuels) Manufacturing

(A3)

Energy Carriers (electricity and fuels)

Ancillary Materials (lubricants, motor oil, cleaning chemicals, other consumables)

Water (manufacturing water, including wash water for cement trucks, but excluding batch water)

Waste (end of life treatment of ancillary materials and any packaging) 30% total fleet energy transit mix plants only

Figure 2: General system inputs considered in the product system and categorized by modules in scope

- A1: Raw material supply (upstream processes) Extraction, handling, and processing of the materials used in manufacturing the declared products in this LCA.
- A2: Transportation Transportation of A1 materials from the supplier to the "gate" of the manufacturing facility (i.e. A3).
- A3: Manufacturing (core processes)- The energy and other utility inputs used to store, move, and manufacturer the declared products and to operate the facility.

As according to the PCR, the following figure illustrates the general activities and input requirements for producing ready mix concrete products and is not necessarily exhaustive.

In addition, as according to the relevant PCR, the following requirements are excluded from this study:

- Production, manufacture and construction of A3 building/capital goods and infrastructure:
- Production and manufacture of steel production equipment, steel delivery vehicles, earth-moving equipment, and laboratory equipment;
- Personnel-related activities (travel, furniture, office supplies);
- Energy use related to company management and sales activities.

For this LCA the manufacturing plant, owned and operated by Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V., is located at their Planta Ruiz Cortinez facility in México. All operating data is formulated using the actual data from Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V.'s plant at the above location, including water, energy consumption and waste generation. All inputs for this system boundary are calculated for the plant.

This life cycle inventory was organized in a spreadsheet and was then input into an RStudio environment where pre-calculated LCIA results for relevant products/activities stemming from the ecoinvent v3.8 database and a local EPD database in combination with primary data from Holcim México Operaciones S.A. de C.V. were utilized. Explanations of the contribution of each data source to this study are outlined in the section 'Data Sources and Quality'. Further LCI details for each declared product are provided in the sections 'Detailed LCI tables' and 'Transport tables' of the detailed LCA



report. A parameter uncertainty analysis was also performed where key statistical results (e.g. min/mean/max etc.) are provided in the detailed LCA report.

#### CUT-OFF CRITERIA

ISO 14044:2006 and the focus PCR requires the LCA model to contain a minimum of 95% of the total inflows (mass and energy) to the upstream and core modules be included in this study. The cut-off criteria were applied to all other processes unless otherwise noted above as follows. A 1% cut-off is considered for all renewable and non-renewable primary energy consumption and the total mass of inputs within a unit process where the total of the neglected inputs does not exceed 5%.

#### DATA SOURCES AND DATA QUALITY ASSESSMENT

Raw material transport: A combination of actual mode/distance combinations were assumed for key bulk materials whereas ecoinvent default multi-modal market mix distances were assumed for other inputs where no original data could be provided.

**Electricity**: Electricity consumption values are for Holcim Mexico in calendar year 2022. These values were direct reported from Holcim records. The unit process "market for electricity, medium voltage/electricity, medium voltage/MX/kWh" was used to represent the Mexico grid electricity used by the concrete plant.

**Process/space heating**: No fuel is used for space heating at this plant.

Fuel required for machinery: Machinery-related fuel requirements were determined from direct Holcim information. The types of machinery used include generators, pumps to pump concrete to higher elevations, and transportation equipment used for moving materials.

Waste generation: Waste generation values are directly reported from Holcim operations for both bulk waste and hazardous waste. No High-level radioactive waste is generated on-site at this facility. Wash water values are direct reported water use from Holcim México for 2022.

Recovered energy: Not applicable.

Recycled/reused material/components: The amount of returned concrete is based on Holcim primary data for the reference year, 2022..

Module A1 material losses: Due to lack of data, default loss factors of 5% were assumed. The PCR states" A3 shall include an assumption of 5% material loss unless product specific data is available and transparently reported in the project LCA report underlying the EPD;"

Direct A3 emissions accounting: Direct emissions are modeled using fuel and technology appropriate ecoinvent activities. See LCI input tables for details.

Waste transport requirements: Transportation distances are using estimated values. The waste hauler cannot guarantee the exact distances traveled due to the variation of route and actual location of disposal. Most waste disposal sites are near the plant therefore the 25 km distance is a



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representative estimate. Returned concrete and wash water, measured in kilograms, is based on direct Holcim reporting for the reference year 2022.

Product transport requirements: The diesel fuel used by the mixing trucks is direct primary information reported from Holcim México records for the year 2022. The concrete PCR allots 30% of the overall mixing truck total for stage A3 (manufacturing) for mixing the materials.

The following tables depict a list of assumed life cycle inventory utilized in the LCA modeling to generate the impact results across the life cycle modules in scope. An assessment of the quality of each LCI activities utilized from various sources is also provided.

Table 13: LCI inputs assumed for module A1 (i.e. raw material supply) Data Quality Assessment Key Fair=1, Good=2, Very Good = 3.

Input	LCI.activity	Data.source	Geo	Year	Technology	Time	Geography	Reliability	Completeness
Water	tap water production,	ecoinvent v3.8	Nuevo	v3.8 in					
	conventional with biological treatment/tap water/RoW/kg		Leon	2021	2	3	1	3	3
Limestone Gravel	limestone quarry operation/limestone, unprocessed/RoW/kg; Note: modifications made (see ecoinvent activity changes table)	ecoinvent v3.8	Nuevo Leon	v3.8 in 2021	2	3	1	3	3
Additives	market for chemical,	ecoinvent v3.8	Nuevo	v3.8 in					
	organic/chemical, organic/GLO/kg		Leon	2021	2	3	1	3	3
Cement (CPC 40) - Ramos Azripe	CPC 40	Progam Operator: Labeling Sustainability- EPD ID: ab22ee19- 4f97-41a2- bf8a- 4297c635a5d6	Coahuila	very good, 3rd party verfied facility- specific EPD dataset	3	NA	3	3	3
Fly Ash	Waste input produced off- site	See A3 inputs	Coahulia	See A3 inputs	2	А3	2	А3	А3

#### DATA QUALITY ASSESSMENT

Data quality/variability requirements, as specified in the PCR, are applied. This section describes the achieved data quality relative to the ISO 14044:2006 requirements. Data quality is judged based on its precision (measured, calculated, or estimated), completeness (e.g., unreported emissions),



consistency (degree of uniformity of the methodology applied within a study serving as a data source) and representativeness (geographical, temporal, and technological).

Precision: Through measurement and calculation, the manufacturers collected and provided primary data on their annual production. For accuracy, the LCA practitioner and 3rd Party Verifier validated the plant gate-to-gate data.

Completeness: All relevant specific processes, including inputs (raw materials, energy, and ancillary materials) and outputs (emissions and production volume) were considered and modeled to represent the specified and declared products. The majority of relevant background materials and processes were taken from ecoinvent v3.8 LCI datasets where relatively recent region-specific electricity inputs were utilized. The most relevant EPDs requiring key A1 inputs were also utilized where readily available.

Consistency: To ensure consistency, the same modeling structure across the respective product systems was utilized for all inputs, which consisted of raw material inputs and ancillary material, energy flows, water resource inputs, product, and co-products outputs, returned and recovered Ready Mix Concrete materials, emissions to air, water and soil, and waste recycling and treatment. The same background LCI datasets from the ecoinvent v3.8 database were used across all product systems. Crosschecks concerning the plausibility of mass and energy flows were continuously conducted. The LCA team conducted mass and energy balances at the plant and selected process level to maintain a high level of consistency.

Reproducibility: Internal reproducibility is possible since the data and the models are stored and available in a machine readable project file for all foreground and background processes, and in Labeling Sustainability's proprietary Ready Mix Concrete LCA calculator\* for all production facility and product-specific calculations. A considerable level of transparency is provided throughout the detailed LCA report as the specifications and material quantity make-up for the declared products are presented and key primary and secondary LCI data sources are summarized. The provision of more detailed publicly accessible data to allow full external reproducibility was not possible due to reasons of confidentiality.

\*Labeling Sustainability has developed a proprietary tool that allows the calculation of PCRcompliant LCA results for Ready Mix Concrete product designs. The tool auto-calculates results by scaling base-unit technosphere inputs (i.e. 1 kg sand, 1 kWh electricity, etc.) to replicate the reference flow conversions that take place in any typical LCA software like openLCA or SimaPro. The tool was tested against several LCAs performed in openLCA and the tool generated identical results to those realized in openLCA across every impact category and inventory metric (where comparisons could be readily made).

Representativeness: The representativeness of the data is summarized as follows.

- Time related coverage of the manufacturing processes' primary collected data from 2022-01-01 to 2022-12-31.
- Upstream (background) LCI data was either the PCR specified default (if applicable) or more appropriate LCI datasets as found in the country-adjusted ecoinvent v3.8 database.
- Geographical coverage for inputs required by the A3 facility(ies) is representative of its region of focus; other upstream and background processes are based on US, North





American, or global average data and adjusted to regional electricity mixes when relevant.

Technological coverage is typical or average and specific to the participating facilities for all primary data.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL INDICATORS AND INVENTORY METRICS -

Per the PCR, this EPD supports the life cycle impact assessment indicators and inventory metrics as listed in the tables below. As specified in the PCR, the most recent US EPA Tool for the Reduction and Assessment of Chemical and Other Environmental Impacts (TRACI), impact categories were utilized as they provide a North American context for the mandatory category indicators to be included in the EPD. Additionally, the PCR requires a set of inventory metrics to be reported with the LCIA indicators (see tables below).

It should be noted that emerging LCA impact categories and inventory items are still under development and can have high levels of uncertainty that preclude international acceptance pending further development. Use caution when interpreting data in any of the following categories.

#### LIMITATIONS

This EPD is a declaration of potential environmental impact and does not support or provide definitive comparisons of the environmental performance of specific products. Only EPDs prepared from cradle-to-grave life cycle results and based on the same function and reference service life and quantified by the same functional unit can be used to assist purchasers and users in making informed comparisons between products.

LCIA results are relative expressions and do not predict impacts on category endpoints, the exceeding of thresholds, safety margins or risks. Further, LCA offers a wide array of environmental impact indicators, and this EPD reports a collection of those, as specified by the PCR.

In addition to the impact results, this EPD provides several metrics related to resource consumption and waste generation. While these data may be informational in other ways, they do not provide a measure of impact on the environment

#### TOTAL IMPACT SUMMARY

The following table reports the total LCA results for each product produced at the given ready mix concrete facility on a per 1m3 of concrete basis.

#### Mix designs: 0 to 15 MPa

Table 14: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 0 to 15MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

a) Midpoint Impact Categories:

Indicator/LCI Metric **GWP** AΡ EP ODP **PCOP ADPe ADPf** 



Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	32.1	0.355	287	2.74e-05	0.451	0.000647	2090
Maximum	56.2	0.391	503	4.2e-05	0.796	0.00134	3220
Mean	45.1	0.374	401	3.53e-05	0.637	0.00102	2690
Median	46.3	0.376	412	3.57e-05	0.656	0.00105	2730
68015NB0514	32.1	0.355	287	2.74e-05	0.451	0.000647	2090
68025NB0518	34.3	0.358	308	2.87e-05	0.482	0.000713	2190
24025NB0518	56.2	0.391	503	4.2e-05	0.796	0.00134	3220
39035ND2010	45.2	0.375	399	3.54e-05	0.639	0.00101	2690
68035ND2010	46.8	0.376	414	3.57e-05	0.665	0.00105	2730
39036ND2010	45.6	0.375	404	3.57e-05	0.646	0.00102	2720
39038ND4012	46.3	0.376	409	3.61e-05	0.655	0.00105	2760
68038NB2014	47.1	0.378	417	3.66e-05	0.667	0.00107	2800
77040ND4014	47.9	0.379	427	3.71e-05	0.678	0.0011	2830
68040NB2014	47.1	0.378	418	3.66e-05	0.667	0.00106	2770
39042ND4010	48.5	0.38	431	3.74e-05	0.686	0.00111	2860
68042ND4010	46.7	0.377	412	3.63e-05	0.661	0.00106	2780
39045ND2010	50	0.382	445	3.83e-05	0.707	0.00116	2930
68045ND4010	49.1	0.381	437	3.78e-05	0.696	0.00112	2860
77048NB2014	52.6	0.386	472	3.98e-05	0.743	0.00124	3050
68048ND2010	49.8	0.382	442	3.82e-05	0.705	0.00115	2920
73050ND0518	38.6	0.365	340	3.16e-05	0.544	0.000828	2400
68060NB0514	40.2	0.367	363	3.26e-05	0.564	0.000898	2500
71100ND1010	40.2	0.367	352	3.2e-05	0.571	0.000854	2430
68100NB2018	42.8	0.371	390	3.41e-05	0.601	0.000976	2620
73100ND0514	40.8	0.368	360	3.29e-05	0.575	0.000892	2500
68120NB2018	47.5	0.377	437	3.62e-05	0.671	0.00111	2780
70150NB2018	40.9	0.368	359	3.29e-05	0.578	0.000884	2500
68150NB0514	46.3	0.376	412	3.55e-05	0.656	0.00105	2720
73150NB0514	44.1	0.373	392	3.49e-05	0.622	0.000994	2660

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NRE	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ -Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	221 0	43.1	217 0	55. 9	0.0019	0.36 9	346	0.0047 6	0.168	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Maximum	349 0	87	338 0	87. 2	0.0049 7	0.43 8	364	0.0059 5	0.25	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	290 0	66. 4	283 0	72.7	0.0035 8	0.39 8	356	0.0054 1	0.199	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Median	294 0	68. 5	287 0	73. 8	0.0037	0.39	357	0.0054 5	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
68015NB05 14	221 0	43.1	217 0	55. 9	0.0019	0.37 7	346	0.0047 6	0.214	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187



60005ND05	20.4	47	228	-0	0.0000	0.00	0.47	0.00.49	0.240	4.060	0.000	407
68025NB05	234	47.		58.	0.0022	0.38	347	0.0048	0.219	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	3	0	7	2	8		3		05	9	
24025NB05	349	87	338	87.	0.0049	0.42	364	0.0059	0.193	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0		0	2	7	5		5		05	9	
39035ND20	290	65.	281	72.7	0.0034	0.38	357	0.0054	0.184	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0	4	0		8	3		5		05	9	
68035ND20	294	69	286	73.	0.0037	0.38	354	0.0053	0.189	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0		0	8	8	9		4		05	9	
39036ND20	293	67.	287	73.4	0.0036	0.38	357	0.0054	0.183	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0	6	0		3	3		8		05	9	
39038ND40	298	69	289	74.5	0.0037	0.38	358	0.0055	0.186	4.06e-	0.038	187
12	0		0		3	9				05	9	
68038NB20	301	69.	294	75.	0.0037	0.39	358	0.0055	0.19	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	6	0	6	9	6		5		05	9	
77040ND40	304	71.2	296	76.	0.0039	0.4	358	0.0055	0.192	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0		0	8	5			6		05	9	
68040NB20	299	69	293	74.7	0.0037	0.39	358	0.0055	0.189	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0		0		1	3		4		05	9	
39042ND40	308	73.	301	77.	0.0039	0.39	359	0.0055	0.184	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0	3	0	8	2	3		9		05	9	
68042ND40	299	68.	289	74.	0.0037	0.38	358	0.0055	0.184	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0	5	0	8	8	8		3		05	9	
39045ND20	319	75.	308	79.	0.0042	0.40	360	0.0056	0.189	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0	8	0	7	7	3		5		05	9	
68045ND40	310	73	301	77.1	0.0042	0.39	360	0.0056	0.184	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0		0			3		2		05	9	
77048NB20	329	81.	324	82.	0.0045	0.41	361	0.0057	0.193	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	8	0	9	9	5		5		05	9	
68048ND20	314	74.	307	79.	0.0041	0.39	360	0.0056	0.185	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0	8	0	2	5	8		6		05	9	
73050ND05	257	53.	252	64.	0.0026	0.43	353	0.0052	0.25	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	9	0	6	8	4		1		05	9	
68060NB05	269	58.	262	67.	0.0029	0.4	352	0.0051	0.211	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	5	0	5	9			9		05	9	
71100ND101	260	56.	258	65.1	0.0028	0.38	352	0.0051	0.204	4.06e-	0.038	187
0	0	4	0		4	7		4		05	9	
68100NB20	282	64.	273	70.	0.0035	0.37	353	0.0052	0.178	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	5	0	7	3	2		5		05	9	
73100ND05	269	57.	262	67.	0.0029	0.42	354	0.0053	0.233	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	3	0	3	2	3		1		05	9	
68120NB20	300	73.	294	75.	0.0042	0.36	351	0.0052	0.168	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	9	0	6	3	9		2		05	9	
70150NB20	267	57.	263	67	0.0029	0.38	355	0.0052	0.198	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	6	0		7	6		8		05	9	
68150NB05	294	67.	286	73.4	0.0038	0.43	354	0.0053	0.236	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	6	0		5	8		6		05	9	
73150NB051	285	64.	277	71.7	0.0034	0.43	356	0.0054	0.23	4.06e-	0.038	187
4	0	1	0		2			4		05	9	
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# Mix designs: 15 to 20 MPa

Table 15 Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 15 to 20MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

#### a) Midpoint Impact Categories:

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	43.4	0.372	383	3.44e-05	0.614	0.000957	2610
Maximum	49.3	0.381	439	3.8e-05	0.695	0.00115	2910
Mean	46.9	0.377	417	3.65e-05	0.662	0.00107	2780
Median	47.9	0.379	429	3.72e-05	0.676	0.00111	2830
01200ND4014	43.4	0.372	383	3.44e-05	0.614	0.000957	2610
68200NB0518	49.3	0.381	439	3.8e-05	0.695	0.00115	2910
73200NB0514	47.9	0.379	429	3.72e-05	0.676	0.00111	2830

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NR E	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	cww c	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ -Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	279	62.	275	70.	0.0033	0.39	356	0.0053	0.202	4.06e-	0.038	187
Millimani	0	7	0	3		6		7		05	9	
Maximum	314	74.	305	78.	0.0041	0.45	359	0.0056	0.237	4.06e-	0.038	187
Maximam	0	2	0	8	6	3		8		05	9	
Mean	299	69.	293	75.3	0.0037	0.42	358	0.0055	0.222	4.06e-	0.038	187
Mean	0	5	0		9	9		5		05	9	
Median	304	71.7	298	76.	0.0039	0.43	358	0.0056	0.228	4.06e-	0.038	187
Median	0		0	8	2	8		1		05	9	
01200ND40	279	62.	275	70.	0.0033	0.39	356	0.0053	0.202	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	7	0	3		6		7		05	9	
68200NB05	314	74.	305	78.	0.0041	0.45	359	0.0056	0.237	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	2	0	8	6	3		8		05	9	
73200NB05	304	71.7	298	76.	0.0039	0.43	358	0.0056	0.228	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0		0	8	2	8		1		05	9	



# Mix designs: 21 to 25 MPa

Table 16: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 21 to 25MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

#### a) Midpoint Impact Categories:

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	50.5	0.382	458	3.79e-05	0.716	0.00118	2900
Maximum	51.4	0.383	462	3.83e-05	0.731	0.00119	2940
Mean	51	0.382	460	3.81e-05	0.724	0.00119	2920
Median	51	0.382	460	3.81e-05	0.724	0.00119	2920
68250NB1014	51.4	0.383	462	3.83e-05	0.731	0.00119	2940
73250NB0514	50.5	0.382	458	3.79e-05	0.716	0.00118	2900

# b) Inventory Metrics:

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NRE	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ -Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	314 0	78. 6	304 0	78. 8	0.0044	0.42 6	355	0.0054 5	0.213	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Maximum	318 0	79. 5	3110	79.3	0.0045 6	0.44	356	0.0054 8	0.23	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	316 0	79	308 0	79	0.0045	0.43 4	356	0.0054 6	0.222	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Median	316 0	79	308	79	0.0045	0.43 4	356	0.0054 6	0.222	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
68250NB10	318	79.	3110	79.3	0.0045	0.42	356	0.0054	0.213	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	5			6	6		8		05	9	
73250NB05	314	78.	304	78.	0.0044	0.44	355	0.0054	0.23	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	6	0	8	3	2		5		05	9	

#### Mix designs: 26 to 30 MPa

Table 17: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 26 to 30MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	50.7	0.383	455	3.82e-05	0.717	0.00118	2920



Maximum	62.3	0.399	569	4.45e-05	0.884	0.00153	3440
Mean	53.9	0.387	487	3.99e-05	0.766	0.00127	3060
Median	51.4	0.383	462	3.86e-05	0.731	0.00119	2940
70280NB2014	51.6	0.383	463	3.84e-05	0.735	0.00119	2940
01300NB2018	50.7	0.383	455	3.87e-05	0.717	0.00118	2950
60300NB2022	51.1	0.383	460	3.82e-05	0.727	0.00118	2920
73300NB0518	62.3	0.399	569	4.45e-05	0.884	0.00153	3440

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NRE	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ -Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	315 0	77. 7	308	79. 3	0.0043 2	0.4	355	0.0054 6	0.188	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Maximum	373 0	99. 9	364 0	94. 4	0.0062 7	0.49 2	360	0.0058 6	0.247	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	331 0	83. 6	323 0	83.	0.0049	0.43 6	358	0.0056	0.216	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Median	318 0	78. 4	310 0	79. 8	0.0045	0.42 7	358	0.0055 8	0.214	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
70280NB20	318	79.	308	79.	0.0045	0.4	356	0.0054	0.188	4.06e-	0.038	187
14	0	1	0	4	1			9		05	9	
01300NB20	319	77.	3110	80.1	0.0043	0.43	360	0.0056	0.218	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	7			2	4		7		05	9	
60300NB20	315	77.	308	79.	0.0045	0.42	355	0.0054	0.209	4.06e-	0.038	187
22	0	7	0	3	4			6		05	9	
73300NB05	373	99.	364	94.	0.0062	0.49	359	0.0058	0.247	4.06e-	0.038	187
18	0	9	0	4	7	2		6		05	9	

# Mix designs: 31 to 35 MPa

Table 18: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 31 to 35MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	45.9	0.376	408	3.59e-05	0.65	0.00103	2730
Maximum	65.1	0.403	596	4.6e-05	0.923	0.00161	3560
Mean	54.7	0.388	493	4.08e-05	0.774	0.0013	3120
Median	53.8	0.388	484	4.06e-05	0.762	0.00128	3100
70250NB2014	45.9	0.376	408	3.59e-05	0.65	0.00103	2730
70250NB2014	45.9	0.376	408	3.59e-05	0.65	0.00103	2730
60350NB2014	53.7	0.387	481	4.05e-05	0.759	0.00127	3100



73350NB0514	65.1	0.403	596	4.6e-05	0.923	0.00161	3560

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NR E	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ -Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	297 0	68. 2	285 0	73.7	0.0035 6	0.38 9	357	0.0054 8	0.188	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Maximum	386 0	105	375 0	97. 4	0.0065 4	0.48 8	362	0.0059 6	0.236	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	338	84. 8	329	84. 8	0.0049	0.43 6	360	0.0057 6	0.21	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Median	336 0	83	328 0	84	0.0048	0.43	361	0.0058	0.209	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
70250NB20 14	297 0	68. 2	285 0	73.7	0.0035 6	0.38 9	357	0.0054 8	0.188	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
70250NB20 14	337 0	84. 4	328 0	84.1	0.0047 6	0.43 5	362	0.0058 1	0.21	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
60350NB20 14	334 0	81. 6	328 0	84	0.0049	0.43 3	362	0.0058 1	0.208	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
73350NB05 14	386	105	375 0	97. 4	0.0065 4	0.48 8	360	0.0059 6	0.236	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187

# Mix designs: 36 to 40 MPa

Table 19: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 36 to 40MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	55.1	0.389	497	4.14e-05	0.78	0.00131	3160
Maximum	55.1	0.389	497	4.14e-05	0.78	0.00131	3160
Mean	55.1	0.389	497	4.14e-05	0.78	0.00131	3160
Median	55.1	0.389	497	4.14e-05	0.78	0.00131	3160
13400ND2010	55.1	0.389	497	4.14e-05	0.78	0.00131	3160



Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NR E	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ -Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	340 0	86. 4	332 0	85. 6	0.0049	0.41 6	363	0.0058 6	0.189	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Maximum	340 0	86. 4	332 0	85. 6	0.0049	0.41 6	363	0.0058 6	0.189	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	340 0	86. 4	332 0	85. 6	0.0049	0.41 6	363	0.0058 6	0.189	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Median	340 0	86. 4	332 0	85. 6	0.0049	0.41 6	363	0.0058 6	0.189	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
13400ND20 10	340 0	86. 4	332 0	85. 6	0.0049 3	0.41 6	363	0.0058 6	0.189	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187

# Mix designs: 41 to 45 MPa

Table 20: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 41 to 45MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

# a) Midpoint Impact Categories:

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	57.2	0.392	517	4.26e-05	0.809	0.00137	3250
Maximum	62.6	0.401	570	4.59e-05	0.884	0.00154	3510
Mean	59.9	0.396	544	4.42e-05	0.846	0.00146	3380
Median	59.9	0.396	544	4.42e-05	0.846	0.00146	3380
13450ND2010	57.2	0.392	517	4.26e-05	0.809	0.00137	3250
60450NB2022	62.6	0.401	570	4.59e-05	0.884	0.00154	3510

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NR E	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ - Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	353	91	344	88.	0.0050	0.42	364	0.0059	0.189	4.06e-	0.038	187
	0		0	3	9	2		4		05	9	
Maximum	381	101	371	95.	0.0061	0.44	367	0.0061	0.2	4.06e-	0.038	187
Maximum	0		0	7		9		9		05	9	
Mean	367	96	358	92	0.0056	0.43	366	0.0060	0.194	4.06e-	0.038	187
Mean	0		0			6		6		05	9	



Median	367	96	358	92	0.0056	0.43	366	0.0060	0.194	4.06e-	0.038	187
Median	0		0			6		6		05	9	
13450ND20	353	91	344	88.	0.0050	0.42	364	0.0059	0.189	4.06e-	0.038	187
10	0		0	3	9	2		4		05	9	
60450NB20	381	101	371	95.	0.0061	0.44	367	0.0061	0.2	4.06e-	0.038	187
22	0		0	7		9		9		05	9	

# Mix designs: 46 to 50 MPa

Table 21: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 46 to 50MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

# a) Midpoint Impact Categories:

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	60.1	0.397	545	4.43e-05	0.851	0.00146	3390
Maximum	60.1	0.397	545	4.43e-05	0.851	0.00146	3390
Mean	60.1	0.397	545	4.43e-05	0.851	0.00146	3390
Median	60.1	0.397	545	4.43e-05	0.851	0.00146	3390
13500ND2010	60.1	0.397	545	4.43e-05	0.851	0.00146	3390

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NR E	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ - Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Maximum	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43 2	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Median	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
13500ND20 10	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187



# Mix designs: 51 to 55 MPa

Table 22: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 51 to 55MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

#### a) Midpoint Impact Categories:

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	57.2	0.392	517	4.16e-05	0.814	0.00136	3190
Maximum	72.1	0.415	660	5.15e-05	1.02	0.00184	3990
Mean	63.7	0.402	580	4.63e-05	0.902	0.00157	3560
Median	62.8	0.401	572	4.6e-05	0.888	0.00154	3520
3745NB2014	57.2	0.392	517	4.16e-05	0.814	0.00136	3190
60400NB2022	60.5	0.398	549	4.48e-05	0.854	0.00148	3430
13550ND2010	65.1	0.404	594	4.73e-05	0.921	0.00161	3620
60550NB2022	72.1	0.415	660	5.15e-05	1.02	0.00184	3990

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NR E	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ -Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	345 0	88. 6	336 0	86. 9	0.0052 6	0.41 6	358	0.0056 8	0.188	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Maximum	435 0	118	423 0	109	0.0074 6	0.49	373	0.0066	0.21	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	386	103	376 0	97	0.0062	0.44 6	366	0.0061	0.195	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Median	382 0	102	373 0	96. 2	0.0060	0.44	368	0.0062	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
3745NB201 4	345 0	88. 6	336 0	86. 9	0.0052 6	0.41 6	358	0.0056 8	0.189	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
60400NB20 22	372 0	97. 9	363 0	93. 5	0.0057 6	0.43 7	367	0.0061 6	0.192	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
13550ND20 10	393 0	106	383 0	98. 8	0.0063	0.44	368	0.0062 7	0.188	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
60550NB20 22	435 0	118	423 0	109	0.0074 6	0.49	373	0.0066	0.21	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187



# Mix designs: 56 to 60 MPa

Table 23: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: 56 to 60MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

#### a) Midpoint Impact Categories:

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	70.7	0.412	648	5.05e-05	0.999	0.00178	3880
Maximum	70.7	0.412	648	5.05e-05	0.999	0.00178	3880
Mean	70.7	0.412	648	5.05e-05	0.999	0.00178	3880
Median	70.7	0.412	648	5.05e-05	0.999	0.00178	3880
13600NB2014	70.7	0.412	648	5.05e-05	0.999	0.00178	3880

#### b) Inventory Metrics:

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NR E	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	CWW C	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ - Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	тз	kg	kg
Minimum	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Maximum	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43 2	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Median	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
13600NB20 14	366 0	96. 1	358 0	92.5	0.0056 7	0.43	365	0.0060 7	0.19	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187

#### Mix designs: >60 MPa

Table 24: Total life cycle (across modules in scope) impact results for Mix designs: >60MPa, assuming the geometric mean point values on a per 1 m3 of concrete basis

Indicator/LCI Metric	AP	EP	GWP	ODP	PCOP	ADPe	ADPf
Unit	moles of H+-Eq	kg N	kg CO2- Eq	kg CFC- 11-Eq	kg NOx- Eq	kg Sb-Eq	MJ, net calorific value
Minimum	64.1	0.403	585	4.68e-05	0.905	0.00159	3580
Maximum	84.1	0.431	777	5.71e-05	1.19	0.00219	4490
Mean	76.8	0.42	707	5.31e-05	1.09	0.00197	4140
Median	82.1	0.427	760	5.53e-05	1.17	0.00212	4340



60500NB2022	64.1	0.403	585	4.68e-05	0.905	0.00159	3580
14650NB1022	82.1	0.427	760	5.53e-05	1.17	0.00212	4340
14750NB2022	84.1	0.431	777	5.71e-05	1.19	0.00219	4490

Indicator/L CI Metric	TPE	RE	NRE	NR R	RR	WD P	LFW	LFHW	CBW C	cww c	CHW	CNH W
Unit	MJ- Eq	MJ - Eq	MJ- Eq	kg	m3	m3	kg wast e	kg waste	m3	m3	kg	kg
Minimum	389	10 5	379 0	98. 4	0.0063 6	0.45 9	366	0.0062 5	0.205	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
Maximum	490 0	141	475 0	124	0.0092	0.53	372	0.0067 4	0.234	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Mean	451 0	129	438 0	114	0.0082 6	0.50 5	369	0.0064 8	0.219	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
Median	473 0	141	460 0	119	0.0091 9	0.52 5	368	0.0064 6	0.217	4.06e- 05	0.038	187
60500NB20 22	389 0	10 5	379 0	98. 4	0.0063 6	0.45 9	368	0.0062 5	0.205	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
14650NB10 22	473 0	141	460 0	119	0.0091 9	0.53	366	0.0064 6	0.234	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187
14750NB20 22	490 0	141	475 0	124	0.0092 4	0.52 5	372	0.0067 4	0.217	4.06e- 05	0.038 9	187

#### ADDITIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL INFO -

No regulated substances of very high concern are utilized on site.

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- ASTM A108 Standard Specification for Steel Bar, Carbon and Alloy, Cold-Finished
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- ASTM A153/A153M Standard Specification for Zinc Coating (Hot-Dip) on Iron and Steel
- ASTM A184 Standard Specification for Welded Deformed Steel Bar Mats for Concrete Reinforcement
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- ASTM A555/A555M Standard Specification for General Requirements for Stainless Steel Wire and Wire Rods
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- ASTM A666 Standard Specification for Annealed or Cold-Worked Austenitic Stainless Steel Sheet, Strip, Plate, and Flat Bar
- ASTM A706/A706M Standard Specification for Deformed and Plain Low-Alloy Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement
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- ASTM A775/A775M Standard Specification for Epoxy-Coated Steel Reinforcing Bars
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- ASTM A884/A884M Standard Specification for Epoxy-Coated Steel Wire and Welded Wire Reinforcement
- ASTM A934/A934M Standard Specification for Epoxy-Coated Prefabricated Steel Reinforcing Bars
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- ASTM C618 Standard Specification for Coal Fly Ash and Raw or Calcined Natural Pozzolan for Use in Concrete
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- ASTM C989/C989M Standard Specification for Slag Cement for Use in Concrete and Mortars
- ASTM C1017/C1017M Standard Specification for Chemical Admixtures for Use in **Producing Flowing Concrete**
- ASTM C1116/C1116M Standard Specification for Fiber-Reinforced Concrete
- ASTM C1157/C1157M Standard Performance Specification for Hydraulic Cement
- ASTM C1240 Standard Specification for Silica Fume Used in Cementitious Mixtures
- ASTM C1602/C1602M Standard Specification for Mixing Water Used in the Production of Hydraulic Cement Concrete
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- ASTM C330/C330M Standard Specification for Lightweight Aggregates for Structural Concrete
- ASTM C494/C494M Standard Specification for Chemical Admixtures for Concrete

#### **CSA Standards:**

CAN/CGSB-1.40 Anticorrosive Structural Steel Alkyd Primer





- CAN/CSA G30.18 Carbon steel bars for concrete reinforcement
- CAN/CSA A3000 Cementitious Materials Compendium
- CAN/CSA G40.20/G40.21 General requirements for rolled or welded structural quality steel / Structural quality steel
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- ISO 14040:2006 Environmental Management Life Cycle Assessment Principles and Framework
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