

# Environmental product declaration

in accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804+A2

TX





The Norwegian EPD Foundation

Owner of the declaration:

**TROX Group** 

**Product:** 

TX

**Declared unit:** 

1 pcs

This declaration is based on Product Category Rules:

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

PCR

NPCR 030:2021 Part B for ventilation components

Program operator:

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LCA.no EPD generator ID: 155148



## **General information**

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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 pcs TX

**Declared unit with option:** 

A1-A3,A4,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.

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Management system:

ISO 9001, ISO 14001:2015, ISO 50001:2018

Organisation no:

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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.

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Approved:

Managing Director of EPD-Norway



## **Product**

## **Product description:**

For the reduction of air-regenerated noise of air terminal units Type TVJ, TVT or EN.

For more information see: https://www.trox.de/en/secondary-silencers/tx-abefcf2685696a21#introduction

## **Product specification**

Rectangular secondary silencers for VAV terminal units to reduce the air-regenerated noise, available in 43 nominal sizes. Insertion loss at least 9 dB at 250 Hz. Splitters with aerodynamically profiled frames. Connecting flanges on both ends, suitable for 30 mm duct connection. Casing air leakage to EN 15727, class A. Complies with VDI 2083, clean room class 3, and US standard 209E, class 100.

This EPD includes the environmental data of the product series TX.

The following represents a representative dataset of the most sold variant in the declared sales year (TX-300x200x1500).

Materials	kg	%
Insulation, Mineral based	2,52	15,52
Metal - Galvanized Steel	13,57	83,43
Metal - Steel	0,17	1,03
Plastic - Ethylene vinyl acetate (EVA)	0,00	0,02
Total	16,26	
		01
Packaging	kg	%
Packaging - Pallet	3,99	99,18
Packaging - Plastic	0,03	0,82
Total incl. packaging	20,28	

## **Technical data:**

For technical data see: https://www.trox.de/en/secondary-silencers/tx-abefcf2685696a21#technical-information

#### Market:

Europe.

## Reference service life, product

20-25 years.

## Reference service life, building or construction works

60 years.

## LCA: Calculation rules

## **Declared unit:**

1 pcs TX

## **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. Energy, 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.

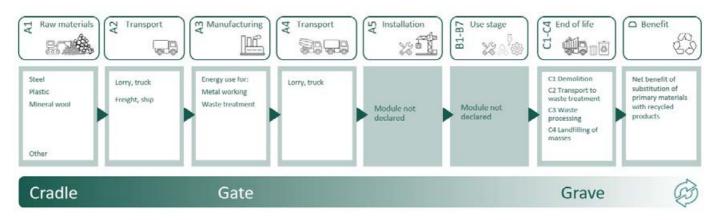
Materials	Source	Data quality	Year
Insulation, Mineral based	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Metal - Steel	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Packaging - Pallet	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Packaging - Plastic	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Plastic - Ethylene vinyl acetate (EVA)	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2019
Metal - Galvanized Steel	ecoinvent 3.6	Database	2020



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

Product stage				uction ion stage		Use stage				End of I	ife stage		Beyond the system boundaries			
Raw materials	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	Assembly	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refu <i>r</i> b ishment	Operational energy use	Operational water use	De- construction demolition	Transport	Waste processing	Disposal	Reuse-Recovery- Recycling-potential
A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	В3	B4	B5	В6	В7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Х	Χ	Χ	Χ	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	X

## System boundary:



## Additional technical information:

Rectangular secondary silencers for the reduction of air-regenerated noise of air terminal units Type TVJ, TVT or EN.

Absorption material is non-combustible mineral wool with RAL quality mark, biosoluble and hence hygienically safe according to the German TRGS 905 (Technical Rules for Hazardous Substances) and EU directive 97/69/EG.

Mineral wool faced with glass fibre fabric as pection against erosion due to airflow velocities up to 20 m/s.

Insertion loss measured according to ISO 7235 Casing air leakage to EN 15727, class A.



# 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, 16-32 tonnes, EURO 6 (km)	36,7 %	800	0,043	l/tkm	34,40
De-construction demolition (C1)	Unit	Value			
Demolition of building per kg of ventilation product (kg)	kg/DU	16,10			
Transport to waste processing (C2)	Capacity utilisation (incl. return) %	Distance (km)	Fuel/Energy Consumption	Unit	Value (Liter/tonne)
Truck, 16-32 tonnes, EURO 6 (km)	36,7 %	50	0,043	l/tkm	2,15
Waste processing (C3)	Unit	Value			
Materials to recycling (kg)	kg	12,36			
Waste treatment per kg Plastics, incineration (kg)	kg	0,00			
Disposal (C4)	Unit	Value			
Landfilling of ashes from incineration of Plastics, process per kg ashes and residues (kg)	kg	0,00			
Substitution of primary steel with net scrap (kg)	kg	0,02			
Waste, mineral wool, to landfil (kg)	kg	2,52			
Waste, plastic, mixture, to landfill (kg)	kg	0,00			
Waste, scrap steel, to landfill (kg)	kg	1,36			
Benefits and loads beyond the system boundaries (D)	Unit	Value			
Substitution of electricity (MJ)	MJ	0,00			
Substitution of primary steel with net scrap (kg)	kg	2,91			
Substitution of thermal energy, district heating (MJ)	МЈ	0,00			



## **LCA: Results**

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

Environ	Environmental impact											
	Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D			
	GWP-total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> -eq	6,32E+01	2,65E+00	2,12E-02	1,66E-01	3,51E-03	8,96E-04	-3,20E+00			
	GWP-fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> -eq	6,21E+01	2,65E+00	2,12E-02	1,66E-01	3,51E-03	8,96E-04	-3,20E+00			
	GWP-biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> -eq	1,06E+00	1,10E-03	3,98E-06	6,86E-05	1,34E-07	3,74E-06	-1,76E-03			
	GWP-luluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> -eq	6,44E-02	9,44E-04	1,67E-06	5,90E-05	5,90E-08	-3,39E-06	-1,43E-03			
٨	ODP	kg CFC11 -eq	5,57E-06	6,01E-07	4,59E-09	3,76E-08	2,30E-11	7,72E-09	-1,05E-07			
CE .	AP	mol H+ -eq	6,10E-01	7,62E-03	2,22E-04	4,76E-04	5,01E-07	9,17E-05	-1,59E-02			
	EP-FreshWater	kg P -eq	3,63E-03	2,12E-05	7,73E-08	1,32E-06	2,32E-09	-9,38E-07	-1,97E-04			
-	EP-Marine	kg N -eq	7,29E-02	1,51E-03	9,80E-05	9,43E-05	1,87E-07	4,60E-05	-3,29E-03			
	EP-Terrestial	mol N -eq	1,97E+00	1,69E-02	1,08E-03	1,05E-03	1,86E-06	5,20E-04	-3,36E-02			
	POCP	kg NMVOC -eq	2,56E-01	6,46E-03	2,96E-04	4,04E-04	4,56E-07	1,14E-04	-1,60E-02			
	ADP-minerals&metals <sup>1</sup>	kg Sb -eq	4,69E-02	7,33E-05	3,26E-08	4,58E-06	9,31E-10	-1,44E-07	-5,52E-05			
	ADP-fossil <sup>1</sup>	MJ	8,40E+02	4,01E+01	2,92E-01	2,51E+00	6,03E-04	4,05E-01	-2,69E+01			
<u></u>	WDP <sup>1</sup>	$m^3$	5,05E+03	3,88E+01	6,21E-02	2,42E+00	2,28E-03	1,46E+00	1,66E+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

<sup>1.</sup> The results of this environmental impact indicator shall be used with care as the uncertainties on these results are high or as there is limited experienced with the indicator



Additional	Additional environmental impact indicators											
l	ndicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D			
	PM	Disease incidence	6,05E-06	1,62E-07	5,88E-09	1,02E-08	3,00E-12	2,13E-09	-2,65E-07			
	IRP <sup>2</sup>	kgBq U235 -eq	3,77E+00	1,75E-01	1,25E-03	1,10E-02	2,35E-06	2,41E-03	1,15E-02			
49	ETP-fw <sup>1</sup>	CTUe	2,03E+03	2,97E+01	1,60E-01	1,86E+00	9,23E-03	-7,12E-01	-1,78E+02			
49.* ****	HTP-c <sup>1</sup>	CTUh	3,24E-07	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	-8,10E-11	-1,54E-08			
& D	HTP-nc <sup>1</sup>	CTUh	3,82E-06	3,25E-08	1,45E-10	2,03E-09	6,00E-12	2,14E-09	3,34E-07			
	SQP <sup>1</sup>	dimensionless	9,77E+02	2,81E+01	3,71E-02	1,75E+00	1,21E-04	1,43E+00	-2,01E+00			

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 use	Resource use											
	ndicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D			
	PERE	MJ	1,27E+02	5,74E-01	1,58E-03	3,59E-02	5,87E-05	-6,64E-03	-2,18E+00			
	PERM	MJ	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00			
Ą.	PERT	MJ	1,82E+02	5,74E-01	1,58E-03	3,59E-02	5,87E-05	-6,64E-03	-2,18E+00			
	PENRE	MJ	8,40E+02	4,01E+01	2,92E-01	2,51E+00	6,03E-04	4,05E-01	-2,69E+01			
Å	PENRM	MJ	1,38E-01	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	0,00E+00			
IA	PENRT	MJ	8,42E+02	4,01E+01	2,92E-01	2,51E+00	6,03E-04	4,05E-01	-2,69E+01			
<u> </u>	SM	kg	9,45E+00	0,00E+00	1,43E-04	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	1,01E-04	0,00E+00			
2	RSF	MJ	4,01E+00	2,05E-02	3,89E-05	1,28E-03	1,47E-06	7,93E-04	1,15E-01			
	NRSF	MJ	2,45E+01	7,34E-02	5,72E-04	4,59E-03	0,00E+00	1,98E-02	3,36E+00			
<b>&amp;</b>	FW	m <sup>3</sup>	7,27E-01	4,29E-03	1,50E-05	2,68E-04	1,06E-06	5,82E-04	-6,73E-03			

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 life - Waste												
Indicator		Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D			
	HWD	kg	5,60E-01	2,07E-03	8,60E-06	1,29E-04	0,00E+00	-6,61E-05	-1,66E-02			
Ū	NHWD	kg	1,98E+01	1,95E+00	3,46E-04	1,22E-01	0,00E+00	3,87E+00	-1,31E+00			
<b>2</b>	RWD	kg	3,33E-03	2,73E-04	2,03E-06	1,71E-05	0,00E+00	2,49E-06	8,82E-06			

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

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

End of life - Output flow											
Indicat	or	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D		
<b>@▷</b>	CRU	kg	0,00E+00								
\$₽	MFR	kg	7,62E-01	0,00E+00	1,41E-04	0,00E+00	1,24E+01	9,47E-05	0,00E+00		
DØ	MER	kg	2,19E-06	0,00E+00	4,37E-07	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	7,68E-07	0,00E+00		
<b>₹</b>	EEE	MJ	2,42E-02	0,00E+00	1,50E-06	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	6,82E-06	0,00E+00		
DØ	EET	MJ	3,66E-01	0,00E+00	2,27E-05	0,00E+00	0,00E+00	1,03E-04	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

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Biogenic Carbon Content									
Unit	At the factory gate								
kg C	0,00E+00								
kg C	0,00E+00								
	kg C								

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
Electricity, market mix (kWh) - Germany	ecoinvent 3.6	585,93	g CO2-eq/kWh

## **Dangerous substances**

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

## **Indoor environment**

## **Additional Environmental Information**

Additional environmental in	Additional environmental impact indicators required in NPCR Part A for construction products											
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	C1	C2	C3	C4	D				
GWPIOBC	kg CO <sub>2</sub> -eq	6,32E+01	2,65E+00	2,12E-02	1,66E-01	3,51E-03	-8,23E-03	-4,79E+00				

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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