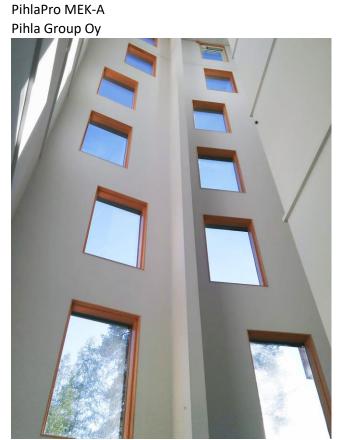
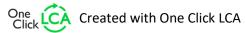




# **ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCT DECLARATION** IN ACCORDANCE WITH EN 15804+A2 & ISO 14025 / ISO 21930



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# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### MANUFACTURER

Manufacturer	Pihla Group Oy
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### **EPD STANDARDS, SCOPE AND VERIFICATION**

Program operator	EPD Hub, hub@epdhub.com
Reference standard	EN 15804+A2:2019 and ISO 14025
PCR	EPD Hub Core PCR version 1.0, 1 Feb 2022 EN 17213 Windows and doors
Sector	Construction product
Category of EPD	Third party verified EPD
Scope of the EPD	Cradle to gate with options, A4-A5, and modules C1-C4, D
EPD author	Timo Nissinen Pihla Group Oy
EPD verification	Independent verification of this EPD and data, according to ISO 14025: □ Internal certification ☑ External verification
EPD verifier	H.U as an authorized verifier acting for EPD Hub

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#### PRODUCT

Product name	PihlaPro MEK-A							
Additional labels	Pihla MEK-A, Tiivi MEK-A							
Product reference								
Place of production	Ruovesi							
Period for data	2021							
Averaging in EPD	No averaging							
Variation in GWP-fossil for A1-A3	%							

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL DATA SUMMARY**

Declared unit	1 m2 of window
Declared unit mass	40.53 kg
GWP-fossil, A1-A3 (kgCO2e)	6.33E1
GWP-total, A1-A3 (kgCO2e)	3.85E1
Secondary material, inputs (%)	0.178
Secondary material, outputs (%)	42.9
Total energy use, A1-A3 (kWh)	236.0
Total water use, A1-A3 (m3e)	0.361





## **PRODUCT AND MANUFACTURER**

#### ABOUT THE MANUFACTURER

Pihla Group Oy is a domestic window and door operator whose goal is to improve people's quality of life with windows and doors. We develop and manufacture Finland's best window and door solutions for consumers, housing associations and construction industry customers as well under the Pihla, PihlaPRO, Tiivi, Profin, Klas1, Sydänpuu, Metallityö Välimäki and Puuseppien brands. Our wide range of brands serves all our customers, from renovation and new projects to the most architecturally challenging projects and various public and administrative buildings.

#### **PRODUCT DESCRIPTION**

The studied product is a fixed wood-aluminium window with a tripleglazed insulating glass unit. The studied product is based on 1,23 x 1,48 m size. The window has a wooden frame and aluminium cladding on the outside. The popularity of Pihla MEK-A fixed windows has constantly been increasing thanks to their advanced glazing solution and excellent energyefficiency.

Further information can be found at www.pihlapro.fi.

#### PRODUCT RAW MATERIAL MAIN COMPOSITION

Raw material category	Amount, mass- %	Material origin
Metals	2.4	
Minerals	65.6	
Fossil materials	2.0	
Bio-based materials	30	

#### **BIOGENIC CARBON CONTENT**

Product's biogenic carbon content at the factory gate

Biogenic carbon content in product, kg C 5.	53
Biogenic carbon content in packaging, kg C 2.2	27

#### FUNCTIONAL UNIT AND SERVICE LIFE

Declared unit	1 m2 of window
Mass per declared unit	40.53 kg
Functional unit	
Reference service life	

#### SUBSTANCES, REACH - VERY HIGH CONCERN

The product does not contain any REACH SVHC substances in amounts greater than 0,1 % (1000 ppm).



## **PRODUCT LIFE-CYCLE**

#### SYSTEM BOUNDARY

This EPD covers the life-cycle modules listed in the following table.

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<b>A1</b>	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	<b>C1</b>	C2	<b>C3</b>	<b>C4</b>		D				
x	x	x	x	x	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	MND	x	x	x	x	x					
Raw materials	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	Assembly	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational energy use	Operational water use	Deconstr./demol.	Transport	Waste processing	Disposal	Reuse	Recovery	Recycling			

Modules not declared = MND. Modules not relevant = MNR.

#### **MANUFACTURING AND PACKAGING (A1-A3)**

The environmental impacts considered for the product stage cover the manufacturing of raw materials used in the production as well as packaging materials and other ancillary materials. Also, fuels used by machines, and handling of waste formed in the production processes at the manufacturing facilities are included in this stage. The study also considers the material losses occurring during the manufacturing processes as well as losses during electricity transmission.

The product is made of a mixture of primary and secondary metals, triple glazed glass and plastic parts. The materials are transported to Pihla Group production facility, where the main manufacturing processes include cutting of wood and aluminum parts, surface treatment, glazing and assembly. The finished products are packed on pallets and sent to the customer. The manufacturing process requires electricity and fuels for the different equipment as well as heating. Certain ancillary materials are also included.

#### **TRANSPORT AND INSTALLATION (A4-A5)**

Transportation impacts occurred from final products delivery to construction site (A4) cover fuel direct exhaust emissions, environmental impacts of fuel production, as well as related infrastructure emissions.

The transportation distance is defined according to the PCR. Average distance of transportation from production plant to building site is assumed as 413 km and the transportation method is assumed to be lorry. Empty returns are not taken into account as it is assumed that return trip is used by the transportation company to serve the needs of other clients. Transportation does not cause losses as product are packaged properly.

#### **PRODUCT USE AND MAINTENANCE (B1-B7)**

This EPD does not cover the use phase and its effects have not been studied.

Air, soil, and water impacts during the use phase have not been studied.

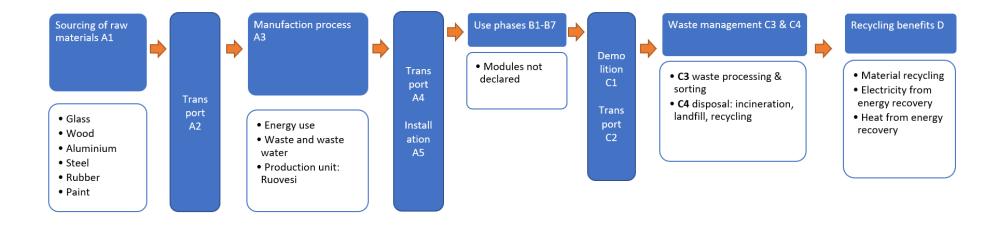
#### **PRODUCT END OF LIFE (C1-C4, D)**

Consumption of energy and natural resources in demolition process is assumed to be negligible. End-of-life scenario according EN 17213:2020 has been used. The scenario recommends using a conservative recycling efficiency of 90 % for all types of secondary materials entering Module D. It is assumed that the waste is collected as mixed construction waste and transported to the waste treatment center. Transportation distance to treatment is assumed as 50 km and the transportation method is assumed to be lorry (C2). Module C3 accounts for energy and resource inputs for sorting and treating these waste streams for recycling and incineration with energy recovery.



### **MANUFACTURING PROCESS**

### Manufacturing process



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### LIFE-CYCLE ASSESSMENT

#### **CUT-OFF CRITERIA**

The study does not exclude any modules or processes which are stated mandatory in the reference standard and the applied PCR. The study does not exclude any hazardous materials or substances. The study includes all major raw material and energy consumption. All inputs and outputs of the unit processes, for which data is available for, are included in the calculation. There is no neglected unit process more than 1% of total mass or energy flows. The module specific total neglected input and output flows also do not exceed 5% of energy usage or mass.

#### ALLOCATION, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

Allocation is required if some material, energy, and waste data cannot be measured separately for the product under investigation. All allocations are done as per the reference standards and the applied PCR. In this study, allocation has been done in the following ways:

Data type	Allocation
Raw materials	No allocation
Packaging materials	Allocated by mass or volume
Ancillary materials	Not applicable
Manufacturing energy and waste	Allocated by mass or volume

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#### **AVERAGES AND VARIABILITY**

Type of average	No averaging
Averaging method	Not applicable
Variation in GWP-fossil for A1-A3	%

This EPD is product and factory specific and does not contain average calculations.

#### LCA SOFTWARE AND BIBLIOGRAPHY

This EPD has been created using One Click LCA EPD Generator. The LCA and EPD have been prepared according to the reference standards and ISO 14040/14044. Ecoinvent and One Click LCA databases were used as sources of environmental data.



# **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT DATA**

### CORE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT INDICATORS - EN 15804+A2, PEF

Impact category	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	С3	C4	D
GWP – total <sup>1)</sup>	kg CO₂e	3.93E1	1.43E0	-2.2E0	3.85E1	1.69E0	8.41E0	MND	0E0	3.72E-1	2.03E1	3.16E0	-3.05E1						
GWP – fossil	kg CO₂e	5.97E1	1.43E0	2.1E0	6.33E1	1.7E0	2.12E-1	MND	0E0	3.72E-1	1.3E0	2.03E0	-2.73E1						
GWP – biogenic	kg CO₂e	-2.14E1	7.8E-4	-4.31E0	-2.57E1	1.23E-3	8.2E0	MND	0E0	2E-4	1.9E1	1.13E0	-3.08E0						
GWP – LULUC	kg CO <sub>2</sub> e	9.28E-1	5.14E-4	6.54E-3	9.35E-1	5.12E-4	1.15E-4	MND	0E0	1.34E-4	8.39E-4	3.71E-4	-1.81E-1						
Ozone depletion pot.	kg CFC-11e	5.66E-6	3.26E-7	2.18E-7	6.21E-6	4E-7	1.48E-8	MND	0E0	8.46E-8	7.63E-8	1.71E-7	-2.6E-6						
Acidification potential	mol H⁺e	4.95E-1	4.18E-3	1.49E-2	5.14E-1	7.14E-3	4.58E-4	MND	0E0	1.07E-3	1.07E-2	8.31E-3	-2.3E-1						
EP-freshwater <sup>2)</sup>	kg Pe	4.62E-3	1.22E-5	1.88E-4	4.82E-3	1.38E-5	5.05E-6	MND	0E0	3.16E-6	9.03E-5	4.53E-5	-1.11E-3						
EP-marine	kg Ne	7.72E-2	8.53E-4	4.52E-3	8.26E-2	2.15E-3	9.97E-5	MND	0E0	2.12E-4	9.74E-4	1.29E-3	-2.89E-2						
EP-terrestrial	mol Ne	8.89E-1	9.51E-3	4.98E-2	9.48E-1	2.38E-2	1.14E-3	MND	0E0	2.37E-3	1.24E-2	1.58E-2	-3.46E-1						
POCP ("smog") <sup>3)</sup>	kg NMVOCe	2.4E-1	3.6E-3	1.75E-2	2.61E-1	7.64E-3	3.35E-4	MND	0E0	9.06E-4	3.5E-3	6.75E-3	-9.49E-2						
ADP-minerals & metals <sup>4)</sup>	kg Sbe	1.24E-3	3.86E-5	3.14E-5	1.31E-3	2.9E-5	9.89E-7	MND	0E0	1.03E-5	4.85E-5	9.76E-6	-3.49E-4						
ADP-fossil resources	MJ	6.34E2	2.13E1	3.6E1	6.91E2	2.64E1	1.64E0	MND	0E0	5.62E0	1.1E1	1.44E1	-3.52E2						
Water use <sup>5)</sup>	m <sup>3</sup> e depr.	1.99E6	7.13E-2	-2.24E0	1.99E6	9.84E-2	1.42E-2	MND	0E0	1.84E-2	5.67E-1	3.82E-1	-3.81E0						

#### ADDITIONAL (OPTIONAL) ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT INDICATORS - EN 15804+A2, PEF

Impact category	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	СЗ	C4	D
Particulate matter	Incidence	4.13E-6	9.26E-8	9.18E-7	5.14E-6	1.54E-7	5.04E-9	MND	0E0	2.37E-8	4.81E-8	8.93E-8	-2.09E-6						
Ionizing radiation <sup>6)</sup>	kBq U235e	2.38E0	9.47E-2	1.35E-1	2.61E0	1.16E-1	1.1E-2	MND	0E0	2.46E-2	4.87E-2	3.79E-2	-2.61E0						
Ecotoxicity (freshwater)	CTUe	1.33E3	1.68E1	8.24E1	1.43E3	2.02E1	1.12E0	MND	0E0	4.37E0	8.21E1	8.23E1	-5.73E2						
Human toxicity, cancer	CTUh	3.39E-8	4.82E-10	4.7E-9	3.91E-8	5.17E-10	3.95E-11	MND	0E0	1.26E-10	1.52E-9	8.09E-10	-1.75E-8						
Human tox. non-cancer	CTUh	1.34E-6	1.84E-8	8.33E-8	1.44E-6	2.4E-8	1.33E-9	MND	0E0	4.77E-9	9.36E-8	7.85E-8	-1.57E-7						
SQP <sup>7)</sup>	-	1.77E2	1.89E1	7.3E0	2.04E2	3.99E1	1.14E0	MND	0E0	4.76E0	3.42E0	1.94E1	-3.61E1						

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#### **USE OF NATURAL RESOURCES**

Impact category	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	<b>C1</b>	C2	СЗ	C4	D
Renew. PER as energy <sup>8)</sup>	MJ	6.29E1	3.04E-1	1.02E2	1.66E2	3.33E-1	1.61E-1	MND	0E0	8.05E-2	1.57E0	4.36E-1	-9.65E1						
Renew. PER as material	MJ	0E0	0E0	7.85E1	7.85E1	0E0	-7.85E1	MND	0E0	0E0	-1.76E2	-9.3E0	-2.55E2						
Total use of renew. PER	MJ	6.29E1	3.04E-1	1.81E2	2.44E2	3.33E-1	-7.83E1	MND	0E0	8.05E-2	-1.75E2	-8.86E0	-3.51E2						
Non-re. PER as energy	MJ	6.29E2	2.13E1	3.41E1	6.85E2	2.64E1	1.64E0	MND	0E0	5.62E0	1.1E1	1.44E1	-3.52E2						
Non-re. PER as material	MJ	5.06E0	0E0	1.91E0	6.97E0	0E0	-1.91E0	MND	0E0	0E0	-6.9E0	-5.7E-1	-8.81E0						
Total use of non-re. PER	MJ	6.34E2	2.13E1	3.6E1	6.92E2	2.64E1	-2.7E-1	MND	0E0	5.62E0	4.06E0	1.39E1	-3.61E2						
Secondary materials	kg	7.14E-2	0E0	6.98E-4	7.21E-2	0E0	0E0	MND	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	7.82E-1						
Renew. secondary fuels	MJ	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	MND	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0						
Non-ren. secondary fuels	MJ	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	MND	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0						
Use of net fresh water	m³	3.46E-1	3.7E-3	1.12E-2	0.361	5.51E-3	4.62E-4	MND	0E0	9.71E-4	6.27E-3	1.12E-2	-1.26E-1						

8) PER = Primary energy resources.

#### **END OF LIFE – WASTE**

Impact category	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	СЗ	C4	D
Hazardous waste	kg	3.54E0	2.19E-2	3.76E-1	3.94E0	2.57E-2	4.83E-3	MND	0E0	5.79E-3	0E0	3.21E-1	-2.67E0						
Non-hazardous waste	kg	8.06E1	1.53E0	4.24E0	8.63E1	2.84E0	3.27E-1	MND	0E0	3.98E-1	0E0	1.96E1	-2.76E1						
Radioactive waste	kg	2.16E-3	1.46E-4	1.33E-4	2.44E-3	1.82E-4	1.08E-5	MND	0E0	3.85E-5	0E0	5.23E-5	-1.82E-3						

#### **END OF LIFE – OUTPUT FLOWS**

Impact category	Unit	A1	A2	A3	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	С3	C4	D
Components for re-use	kg	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	MND	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0						
Materials for recycling	kg	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	MND	0E0	0E0	8.9E0	0E0	0E0						
Materials for energy rec	kg	0E0	0E0	2.25E0	2.25E0	0E0	7.4E0	MND	0E0	0E0	8.5E0	0E0	0E0						
Exported energy	MJ	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	0E0	1.41E0	MND	0E0	0E0	3.75E0	0E0	0E0						



### **VERIFICATION STATEMENT**

#### **VERIFICATION PROCESS FOR THIS EPD**

This EPD has been verified in accordance with ISO 14025 by an independent, third-party verifier by reviewing results, documents and compliancy with reference standard, ISO 14025 and ISO 14040/14044, following the process and checklists of the program operator for:

- This Environmental Product Declaration
- The Life-Cycle Assessment used in this EPD
- The digital background data for this EPD

Why does verification transparency matter? Read more online This EPD has been generated by One Click LCA EPD generator, which has been verified and approved by the EPD Hub.

#### THIRD-PARTY VERIFICATION STATEMENT

I hereby confirm that, following detailed examination, I have not established any relevant deviations by the studied Environmental Product Declaration (EPD), its LCA and project report, in terms of the data collected and used in the LCA calculations, the way the LCA-based calculations have been carried out, the presentation of environmental data in the EPD, and other additional environmental information, as present with respect to the procedural and methodological requirements in ISO 14025:2010 and reference standard. I confirm that the company-specific data has been examined as regards plausibility and consistency; the declaration owner is responsible for its factual integrity and legal compliance.

I confirm that I have sufficient knowledge and experience of construction products, this specific product category, the construction industry, relevant standards, and the geographical area of the EPD to carry out this verification.

I confirm my independence in my role as verifier; I have not been involved in the execution of the LCA or in the development of the declaration and have no conflicts of interest regarding this verification.

Hetal Parekh Udas as an authorized verifier acting for EPD Hub Limited 17.02.2023



