

Result summary

# Acton

Vescom BV

Calculation number: ReTHiNK-39829  
Generation on: 23-08-2023  
Issue date: 23-08-2023  
Valid until: 23-08-2028  
Status: verified

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## 1 General information

### 1.1 PRODUCT

Acton

### 1.2 VALIDITY

**Issue date** 23-08-2023

**Valid until:** 23-08-2028

### 1.3 OWNER OF THE DECLARATION

**Address production location:** August-Horch-Str. 16, 95213 Münchberg

### 1.4 VERIFICATION OF THE DECLARATION

CEN standard EN 15804:2012+A2:2019 serves as the core PCR. In compliance with ISO 14040:2006 and 14044:2006.

Independent verification of the declaration according to EN ISO 14025:2011-10.

Internal  External



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### 1.5 THIS DECLARATION IS BASED ON THE PRODUCT CATEGORY RULES

EN15804+A2:2019

### 1.6 FUNCTIONAL UNIT

1m<sup>2</sup> fabric

Declared unit: square meter (m<sup>2</sup>)

1m<sup>2</sup> fabric to be used as upholstery of furniture.

The fabric weights 0,429 kg/m<sup>2</sup> and has a reference service life of 10 years.

In line with the Inside/Inside horizontal PCR v1.3 (2021), A4 is scalable. The average profile 'Lorry (truck) unspecified' is assumed as most representative.

### 1.7 CONVERSION FACTORS

| Description   | Value | Unit           |
|---------------|-------|----------------|
| Declared unit | 1     | m <sup>2</sup> |



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**Production location:** Vescom Textiles GmbH

## 1 General information

| Description               | Value    | Unit           |
|---------------------------|----------|----------------|
| Weight per declared unit  | 0.430    | kg             |
| Conversion factor to 1 kg | 2.325380 | m <sup>2</sup> |

### 1.8 SCOPE OF DECLARATION AND SYSTEM BOUNDARIES

This is a Cradle to gate with options, modules C1-C4 and module D LCA. The life cycle stages included are as shown below:

(X = module included, ND = module not declared)

| A1 | A2 | A3 | A4 | A5 | B1 | B2 | B3 | B4 | B5 | B6 | B7 | C1 | C2 | C3 | C4 | D |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|
| X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | X  | ND | ND | ND | ND | X  | X  | X  | X  | X |

The modules of the EN15804 contain the following:

|                                 |                                    |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Module A1 = Raw material supply | Module B5 = Refurbishment          |
| Module A2 = Transport           | Module B6 = Operational energy use |
| Module A3 = Manufacturing       | Module B7 = Operational water use  |

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Module A4 = Transport                           | Module C1 = De-construction / Demolition                           |
| Module A5 = Construction - Installation process | Module C2 = Transport  |
| Module B1 = Use                                 | Module C3 = Waste Processing                                       |
| Module B2 = Maintenance                         | Module C4 = Disposal   |
| Module B3 = Repair                              | Module D = Benefits and loads beyond the product system boundaries |
| Module B4 = Replacement                         |  |

### 1.9 COMPARABILITY

In principle, a comparison or assessment of the environmental impacts of different products is only possible if they have been prepared in accordance with EN 15804. For the evaluation of the comparability, the following aspects have to be considered in particular: PCR used, functional or declared unit, geographical reference, the definition of the system boundary, declared modules, data selection (primary or secondary data, background database, data quality), scenarios used for use and disposal phases, and the life cycle inventory (data collection, calculation methods, allocations, validity period). PCRs and general program instructions of different EPDs programs may differ. Comparability needs to be evaluated. For further guidance, see EN 15804+A2 (5.3 Comparability of EPD for construction products) and ISO 14025 (6.7.2 Requirements for comparability).

## 2 Product

### 2.1 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Vescom produces high-quality interior products for the international project market mainly in the hospitality, healthcare, retail, offices and education segments.

Vescom develops, produces and distributes wall coverings, upholstery and curtain fabrics. The coverings and fabrics are available in a wide variety of materials, structures, textures and colours.

This LCA considers Acton upholstery fabric made of 100% flame retardant polyester.

The reference service life is 10 years.

#### Technical information

Among others fire resistance, wear resistance and tensile strength tests are done.

- Wear resistance, according to ISO 12947-2; 90,000 rubs martindale and according to ASTM D4157; 100,000 double rubs wyzenbeek.
- Tensile strength, according to ISO 13934-1; warp 1380 N / weft > 1790 N

### 2.2 DESCRIPTION PRODUCTION PROCESS

Yarn is delivered at the production site. In the factory the yarn is woven into fabric, coloured and washed. The energy needed for these production steps is included in the LCA. After the production process the fabric is inspected manually before packing and shipping. The shipping transport distance is variable and set at 1 km.

### 2.3 CONSTRUCTION DESCRIPTION

Depending on the final application of the fabric, it must undergo additional processes. These processes should be added separately when the specific processes/values of the project are known, and are left outside the scope of this LCA. Hence, users of the LCA can determine for their respective project what the value must be, and find their sources accordingly. Therefore, apart from the packaging material waste and construction waste, the LCA does not take this module into account, but should be added when the LCA is used in a specific product.

## 3 Results

### 3.1 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT INDICATORS PER SQUARE METER

#### CORE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT INDICATORS EN15804+A2

| Abbreviation | Unit             | A1      | A2      | A3       | A4       | A5      | B1      | B2      | B3      | C1      | C2      | C3       | C4       | D        | Total   |
|--------------|------------------|---------|---------|----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| AP           | mol H+ equiv.    | 8.15E-3 | 2.56E-4 | 8.10E-3  | 1.04E-6  | 8.64E-4 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 3.86E-5 | 4.42E-4  | 2.83E-6  | 3.52E-3  | 2.14E-2 |
| GWP-total    | kg CO2 equiv.    | 1.85E+0 | 4.42E-2 | 4.83E-1  | 1.80E-4  | 1.66E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 6.66E-3 | 7.49E-1  | 4.54E-3  | 6.43E-1  | 5.44E+0 |
| GWP-b        | kg CO2 equiv.    | 6.77E-3 | 2.04E-5 | -1.38E+0 | 8.29E-8  | 1.47E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 3.07E-6 | -7.98E-5 | 3.50E-6  | -1.35E-2 | 8.65E-2 |
| GWP-f        | kg CO2 equiv.    | 1.84E+0 | 4.42E-2 | 1.85E+0  | 1.79E-4  | 1.89E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 6.66E-3 | 7.49E-1  | 4.54E-3  | 6.56E-1  | 5.34E+0 |
| GWP-luluc    | kg CO2 equiv.    | 2.03E-3 | 1.62E-5 | 1.02E-1  | 6.58E-8  | 3.13E-3 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 2.44E-6 | 8.19E-5  | 1.60E-7  | 1.55E-4  | 1.07E-1 |
| EP-m         | kg N equiv.      | 1.32E-3 | 9.03E-5 | 1.73E-3  | 3.67E-7  | 2.35E-4 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.36E-5 | 1.21E-4  | 1.72E-6  | 4.22E-4  | 3.93E-3 |
| EP-fw        | kg P equiv.      | 6.68E-5 | 4.46E-7 | 8.19E-5  | 1.81E-9  | 5.34E-6 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 6.72E-8 | 2.83E-6  | 5.82E-9  | 2.83E-5  | 1.86E-4 |
| EP-T         | mol N equiv.     | 1.50E-2 | 9.96E-4 | 2.33E-2  | 4.04E-6  | 2.70E-3 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.50E-4 | 1.34E-3  | 1.04E-5  | 4.19E-3  | 4.76E-2 |
| ODP          | kg CFC 11 equiv. | 1.49E-7 | 9.76E-9 | 2.29E-7  | 3.96E-11 | 2.18E-8 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.47E-9 | 2.47E-8  | 1.00E-10 | 4.99E-8  | 4.86E-7 |
| POCP         | kg NMVOC equiv.  | 5.12E-3 | 2.84E-4 | 5.48E-3  | 1.15E-6  | 7.91E-4 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 4.28E-5 | 3.82E-4  | 3.98E-6  | 2.15E-3  | 1.43E-2 |
| ADP-f        | MJ               | 2.75E+1 | 6.67E-1 | 2.80E+1  | 2.71E-3  | 2.32E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.00E-1 | 9.76E-1  | 7.68E-3  | 1.06E+1  | 7.02E+1 |
| ADP-mm       | kg Sb-equiv.     | 2.06E-5 | 1.12E-6 | 1.63E-5  | 4.55E-9  | 2.77E-6 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.69E-7 | 1.44E-6  | 3.47E-9  | 1.14E-5  | 5.38E-5 |
| WDP          | m3 world equiv.  | 7.25E-1 | 2.39E-3 | 4.96E-1  | 9.69E-6  | 4.17E-2 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 3.59E-4 | 4.42E-2  | 3.29E-4  | 6.46E-1  | 1.96E+0 |

**AP**=Acidification (AP) | **GWP-total**=Global warming potential (GWP-total) | **GWP-b**=Global warming potential - Biogenic (GWP-b) | **GWP-f**=Global warming potential - Fossil (GWP-f) | **GWP-luluc**=Global warming potential - Land use and land use change (GWP-luluc) | **EP-m**=Eutrophication marine (EP-m) | **EP-fw**=Eutrophication, freshwater (EP-fw) | **EP-T**=Eutrophication, terrestrial (EP-T) | **ODP**=Ozone depletion (ODP) | **POCP**=Photochemical ozone formation - human health (POCP) | **ADP-f**=Resource use, fossils (ADP-f) | **ADP-mm**=Resource use, minerals and metals (ADP-mm) | **WDP**=Water use (WDP)

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### ADDITIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT INDICATORS EN15084+A2

| Abbreviation | Unit              | A1       | A2       | A3      | A4       | A5       | B1      | B2      | B3      | C1      | C2       | C3       | C4       | D        | Total   |
|--------------|-------------------|----------|----------|---------|----------|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|----------|----------|----------|---------|
| ETP-fw       | CTUe              | 4.50E+1  | 5.94E-1  | 4.86E+1 | 2.41E-3  | 4.50E+0  | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 8.95E-2  | 9.31E+0  | 8.17E-3  | 2.31E+1  | 1.31E+2 |
| PM           | disease incidence | 6.94E-8  | 3.98E-9  | 8.98E-8 | 1.61E-11 | 1.06E-8  | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 5.99E-10 | 4.72E-9  | 5.34E-11 | 3.15E-8  | 2.11E-7 |
| HTP-c        | CTUh              | 9.86E-10 | 1.93E-11 | 1.28E-9 | 7.83E-14 | 1.89E-10 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 2.90E-12 | 1.83E-10 | 2.14E-13 | 6.24E-10 | 3.29E-9 |
| HTP-nc       | CTUh              | 3.51E-8  | 6.50E-10 | 2.42E-8 | 2.64E-12 | 3.05E-9  | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 9.79E-11 | 3.44E-9  | 5.32E-12 | 2.19E-8  | 8.85E-8 |
| IR           | kBq U235 equiv.   | 6.63E-2  | 2.79E-3  | 7.00E-2 | 1.13E-5  | 7.01E-3  | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 4.21E-4  | 3.53E-3  | 3.01E-5  | 3.06E-2  | 1.81E-1 |
| SQP          | Pt                | 4.14E+0  | 5.78E-1  | 1.61E+2 | 2.35E-3  | 5.25E+0  | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 8.71E-2  | 5.45E-1  | 1.82E-2  | -6.17E+1 | 1.09E+2 |

**ETP-fw**=Ecotoxicity, freshwater (ETP-fw) | **PM**=Particulate Matter (PM) | **HTP-c**=Human toxicity, cancer (HTP-c) | **HTP-nc**=Human toxicity, non-cancer (HTP-nc) | **IR**=Ionising radiation, human health (IR) | **SQP**=Land use (SQP)

### CLASSIFICATION OF DISCLAIMERS TO THE DECLARATION OF CORE AND ADDITIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT INDICATORS

| ILCD classification | Indicator   | Disclaimer |
|---------------------|---|------------|
| ILCD type / level 1 | Global warming potential (GWP)  | None       |
|                     | Depletion potential of the stratospheric ozone layer (ODP)  | None       |
|                     | Potential incidence of disease due to PM emissions (PM)   | None       |
|                     | AAcidification potential, Accumulated Exceedance (AP)   | None       |
|                     | Eutrophication potential, Fraction of nutrients reaching freshwater end compartment (EP-freshwater) | None       |
| ILCD type / level 2 | Eutrophication potential, Fraction of nutrients reaching marine end compartment (EP-marine)         | None       |
|                     | Eutrophication potential, Accumulated Exceedance (EP-terrestrial)                                   | None       |
|                     | Formation potential of tropospheric ozone (POCP)  | None       |
|                     | Potential Human exposure efficiency relative to U235 (IRP)  | 1          |
| ILCD type / level 3 | Abiotic depletion potential for non-fossil resources (ADP-minerals&metals)                          | 2          |
|                     | Abiotic depletion potential for fossil resources (ADP-fossil)                                       | 2          |
|                     | Water (user) deprivation potential, deprivation-weighted water consumption (WDP)                    | 2          |

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| ILCD classification | Indicator  | Disclaimer |
|---------------------|--|------------|
|                     | Potential Comparative Toxic Unit for ecosystems (ETP-fw) | 2          |
|                     | Potential Comparative Toxic Unit for humans (HTP-c)      | 2          |
|                     | Potential Comparative Toxic Unit for humans (HTP-nc)     | 2          |
|                     | Potential Soil quality index (SQP)                       | 2          |

**Disclaimer 1** – 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.

**Disclaimer 2** – 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.

### 3.2 INDICATORS DESCRIBING RESOURCE USE AND ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION BASED ON LIFE CYCLE INVENTORY (LCI)

#### PARAMETERS DESCRIBING RESOURCE USE

| Abbreviation | Unit | A1      | A2      | A3      | A4      | A5      | B1      | B2      | B3      | C1      | C2      | C3      | C4      | D        | Total   |
|--------------|------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------|
| PERE         | MJ   | 1.89E+0 | 8.35E-3 | 2.12E+1 | 3.39E-5 | 7.13E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.26E-3 | 7.65E-2 | 1.36E-4 | -1.09E+1 | 1.29E+1 |
| PERM         | MJ   | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.40E+1 | 0.00E+0 | 4.21E-1 | 0.00E+0  | 1.45E+1 |
| PERT         | MJ   | 1.89E+0 | 8.35E-3 | 3.52E+1 | 3.39E-5 | 1.13E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.26E-3 | 7.65E-2 | 1.36E-4 | -1.09E+1 | 2.74E+1 |
| PENRE        | MJ   | 2.43E+1 | 7.08E-1 | 2.90E+1 | 2.87E-3 | 2.31E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.07E-1 | 1.04E+0 | 8.17E-3 | 6.67E+0  | 6.41E+1 |
| PENRM        | MJ   | 1.32E+1 | 0.00E+0 | 2.02E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 4.39E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 4.44E+0  | 2.01E+1 |
| PENRT        | MJ   | 3.74E+1 | 7.08E-1 | 3.10E+1 | 2.87E-3 | 2.75E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.07E-1 | 1.04E+0 | 8.17E-3 | 1.11E+1  | 8.42E+1 |
| SM           | Kg   | 2.59E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 2.07E-2 | 0.00E+0 | 8.40E-3 | 0.00E+0  | 2.88E-1 |
| RSF          | MJ   | 0.00E+0  | 0.00E+0 |
| NRSF         | MJ   | 0.00E+0  | 0.00E+0 |
| FW           | M3   | 2.12E-2 | 8.12E-5 | 1.57E-2 | 3.30E-7 | 1.38E-3 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.22E-5 | 1.29E-3 | 8.02E-6 | 1.74E-2  | 5.71E-2 |

**PERE**=renewable primary energy ex. raw materials | **PERM**=renewable primary energy used as raw materials | **PERT**=renewable primary energy total | **PENRE**=non-renewable primary energy ex. raw materials | **PENRM**=non-renewable primary energy used as raw materials | **PENRT**=non-renewable primary energy total | **SM**=use of secondary material | **RSF**=use of renewable secondary fuels | **NRSF**=use of non-renewable secondary fuels | **FW**=use of net fresh water

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### OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION DESCRIBING WASTE CATEGORIES

| Abbreviation | Unit | A1      | A2      | A3      | A4      | A5      | B1      | B2      | B3      | C1      | C2      | C3      | C4      | D       | Total   |
|--------------|------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| HWD          | Kg   | 1.54E-5 | 1.69E-6 | 6.90E-5 | 6.86E-9 | 4.41E-6 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 2.54E-7 | 1.72E-6 | 1.17E-8 | 1.09E-6 | 9.35E-5 |
| NHWD         | Kg   | 1.14E-1 | 4.23E-2 | 1.74E-1 | 1.72E-4 | 3.39E-2 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 6.37E-3 | 3.42E-2 | 3.07E-2 | 4.69E-2 | 4.83E-1 |
| RWD          | Kg   | 5.15E-5 | 4.38E-6 | 7.45E-5 | 1.78E-8 | 7.95E-6 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 6.59E-7 | 3.60E-6 | 4.57E-8 | 2.41E-5 | 1.67E-4 |

**HWD**=hazardous waste disposed | **NHWD**=non hazardous waste disposed | **RWD**=radioactive waste disposed

### ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION DESCRIBING OUTPUT FLOWS

| Abbreviation | Unit | A1      | A2      | A3      | A4      | A5      | B1      | B2      | B3      | C1      | C2      | C3      | C4      | D       | Total   |
|--------------|------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| CRU          | Kg   | 0.00E+0 |
| MFR          | Kg   | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 6.26E-3 | 0.00E+0 | 7.00E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.36E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 8.42E-1 |
| MER          | Kg   | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 2.83E-4 | 0.00E+0 | 8.50E-6 | 0.00E+0 | 2.92E-4 |
| EET          | MJ   | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 3.15E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 2.31E-4 | 0.00E+0 | 3.73E+0 | 4.04E+0 |
| EEE          | MJ   | 0.00E+0 | 0.00E+0 | 1.83E-1 | 0.00E+0 | 1.34E-4 | 0.00E+0 | 2.16E+0 | 2.35E+0 |

**CRU**=Components for re-use | **MFR**=Materials for recycling | **MER**=Materials for energy recovery | **EET**=Exported Energy Thermic | **EEE**=Exported Energy Electric

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### 3.3 INFORMATION ON BIOGENIC CARBON CONTENT PER SQUARE METER

#### BIOGENIC CARBON CONTENT

The following information describes the biogenic carbon content in (the main parts of) the product at the factory gate per square meter:

| Biogenic carbon content                           | Amount | Unit |
|---|--------|------|
| Biogenic carbon content in the product            | 0      | kg C |
| Biogenic carbon content in accompanying packaging | 0.4009 | kg C |

#### UPTAKE OF BIOGENIC CARBON DIOXIDE

The following amount of uptake of carbon dioxide is account in module A1 by the main parts of the product. Related uptake and release of carbon dioxide in downstream processes are not taken into account in this number although they do appear in the presented results.

| Uptake Biogenic Carbon dioxide | Amount | Unit              |
|--------------------------------|--------|-------------------|
| Packaging                      | 1.47   | kg CO2 (biogenic) |

## 4 Contact information

| Publisher   | Operator  | Owner of declaration  |
|---|---|---|
|    |    |    |
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