

Environmental Product Declaration



of multiple products, based on a representative product, in accordance with ISO 14025 and EN 15804:2012+A2:2019/AC:2021 for:

**EXQ light / IFXI / MMJ-HF / HMM / HMM Eca /
NHXMH Dca – Installation cable 300/500 V with Cu
conductors, XLPE insulated and HFFR sheathed**



from

TT kabeli d.o.o.

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equivalent content declarations; and be valid at the time of comparison. For further information about comparability, see EN 15804 and ISO 14025.

Company information

Owner of the EPD: TT kabeli d.o.o., Knešpolje bb, 88220, Široki Brijeg, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Contact: Eugen Šušak, deputy general director

Description of the organisation: The main subject of business of the company TT kabeli d.o.o. is the production of a wide spectra of cables. TT kabeli d.o.o. is the leading manufacturer of cables for different purposes in the region.

The company TT kabeli d.o.o. was founded in 2007. The company headquarters is located in Široki Brijeg, Knešpolje bb, Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as the cable production facility. With its quality and partnership-oriented relations, TT kabeli d.o.o. was quickly becoming the leading brand in the production of cable products in the region.

Product-related or management system-related certifications: ISO 9001, ISO 14001, ISO 45001, ISO 50001

Name and location of production site(s): Knešpolje bb, 88220, Široki Brijeg, Bosnia and Herzegovina

More information: About products – <https://www.ttcables.com/>

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Additional information: Acknowledging the growing body of evidence of environmental pollution and the major impact on Earth's climate change, TT kabeli d.o.o. has begun the process of establishing its environmental impacts related to the production of cables. As a suitable first step in determining the impact on the environment, the creation of a Life Cycle Assessment (LCA) Study was initiated in 2023.

LCA is a standardized methodology for assessing the potential environmental impacts of products, services and organizations using a life cycle perspective. This LCA study was conducted in accordance with the standards and guidelines [1-5].

Product information

Product name: group of cables EXQ light / IFXI / MMJ-HF / HMH / HMH Eca / NHXMH Dca

Product identification: low voltage power cable, 300/500 V, with Cu conductors, XLPE insulated and HFFR sheathed with halogen-free polyolefin compound bedding.

Product description: The cables in this group are foreseen by the following applications: for fixed surface and flush- mounted installations, indoors and outdoors. These cables are recommended for use in public and industrial settings whenever good fire retardant qualities, reduced fumes, toxic and corrosive gases emissions are required in the case of fire. Environment working temperature of these cables: -15 °C to +90 °C.

Group of cables EXQ light / IFXI / MMJ-HF / HMH / NHXMH Dca / HMH Eca produced in 2023:

- EXQ Light 3G1.5
- EXQ Light 3G2.5
- EXQ Light 4G1.5
- EXQ Light 5G1.5
- EXQ Light 5G2.5
- HMH 3G1.5

- HMH 3G2.5
- HMH 4x10
- HMH 4x16
- HMH 5G1.5
- HMH 5G10
- HMH 5G16
- HMH 5G2.5
- HMH 5G4
- HMH 5G6
- MMJ HF 5x10
- MMJ HF 5x16
- MMJ HF 5x6.

As the representative cable for the whole group, the cable EXQ Light 3x2.5 was chosen according to the suggestions in [6,7] by the **highest share** in the production quantities by mass within the cables in the group in 2023.

The EPD does not claim compliance with ISO 21930, therefore variations above 10% are allowed. Applying a representative product ensures fair market representation and supports practical decision-making without skewing results toward extreme cases.

UN CPC code: 46, 4634

Products are produced in one site: Knešpolje bb, 88220, Široki Brijeg, Bosnia and Herzegovina

Electricity use in the production process was modelled by the data from the Ecoinvent database under Electricity, medium voltage, residual mix BA (based on statistics from AIB-2023).

Electricity, Bosnia and Herzegovina	
Renewable	34.04%
unspecified	0.01%
biomass	0.00%
solar	0.56%
geothermal	0.00%
wind	2.68%
hydro	30.79%
Nuclear	0%
Fossil	65.96%
unspecified	0.00%
hard coal	65.96%
lignite	0.00%
oil	0.00%

gas	0.00%
CO ₂ (gCO ₂ /kWh)	843.93

LCA information

Declared unit: 1 m of electric cable

Reference service life: min. 30 years

Time representativeness: reference year 2023

Database(s) and LCA software used: The assessment of the possible environmental impacts of the TT kabeli d.o.o.'s products was carried out with the support of the software **OpenLCA version 2.3** & **Ecoinvent database version v3.10**, using the EN 15804 + A2 Method **EF 3.1** and Cumulative Energy Demand (**CED**) for impact assessment.

The estimated impact results are only relative statements, which do not indicate the endpoints of the impact categories, exceeding threshold values, safety margins and/or risks.

Transport of raw materials for production purposes is mostly brought by road vehicles (trucks) and to a lesser extent as water traffic.

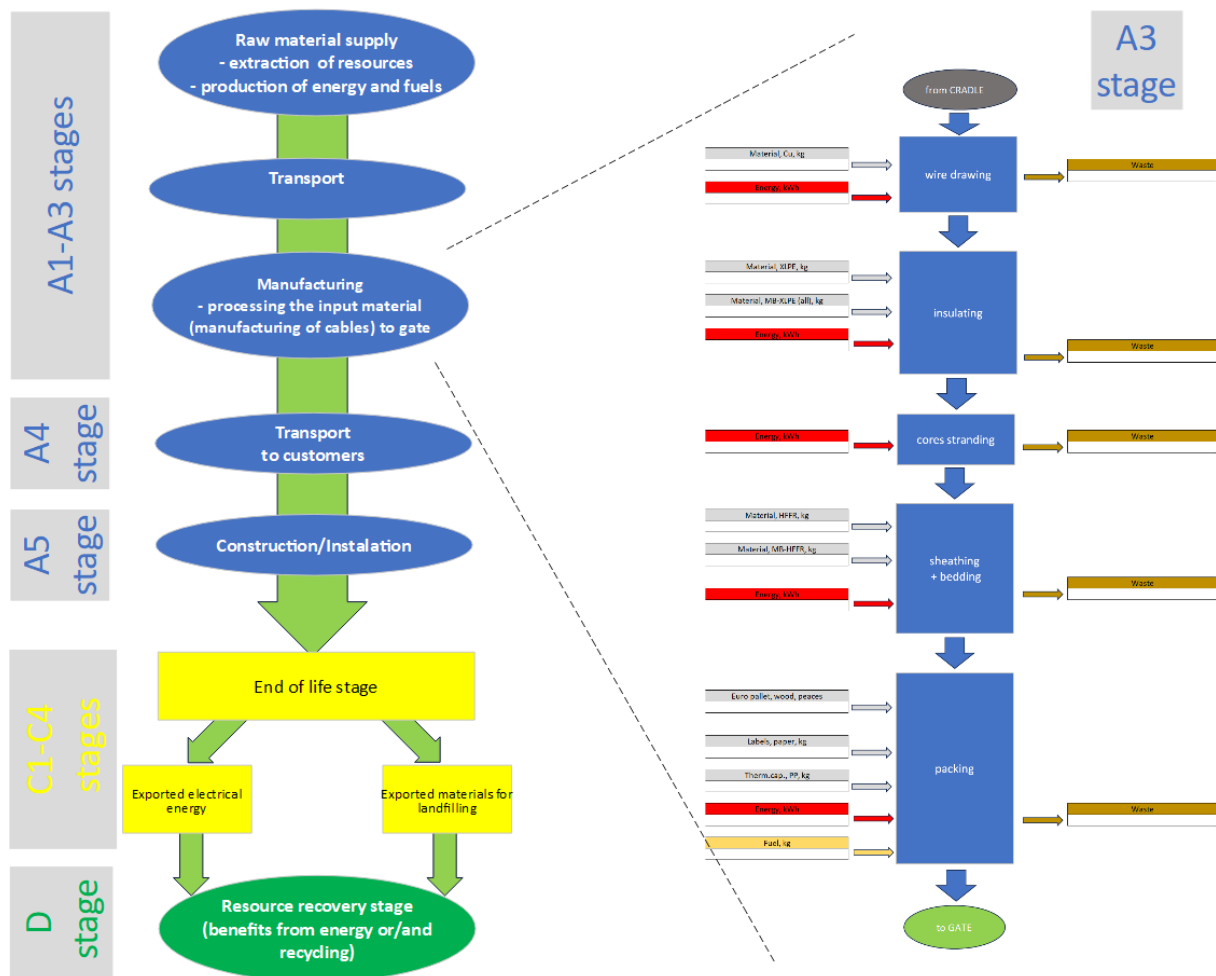
The following steps are not included in the study:

- maintenance and operation of support equipment;
- transport to warehouse and to final customer;
- product use.

It is assumed that by end-of-life stage (C1-C4) 60% of polymer material will be incinerated for electric energy and aluminium & copper wires will be recycled with the rate of 90%. In C1 stage manual disassembly without operations relevant to LCA is assumed. Transport distance to the incineration plant was assumed to be 100 km. In C4 stage 40% of polymer material goes to landfilling. Wooden drums and pallets after installation (A5) will be incinerated for electric energy.

Module D comprises energetic recovery potentials resulting from end-of-life recycling.

Description of the system boundaries: *Cradle to gate (A1–A3) with modules End of life (C1–C4), module D and optional modules A4–A5.*



System diagram: (left – system boundaries, right – insight into the production process, i.e. “gate to gate”, A3 stage)

Modules declared, geographical scope, share of specific data (in GWP-GHG indicator) and data variation: (**X** – included, **ND** – Not declared)

	Product stage			Construction process stage		Use stage							End of life stage				Resource recovery stage
	Raw material supply	Transport	Manufacturing	Transport	Construction installation	Use	Maintenance	Repair	Replacement	Refurbishment	Operational energy use	Operational water use	De-construction demolition	Transport	Waste processing	Disposal	Reuse-Recovery-Recycling-potential
Module	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Modules declared	X	X	X	X	X	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	X	X	X	X	X
Geography	GLO	EU	BA	EU	EU								EU	EU	EU	EU	EU
Specific data used	<20%					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation – products	>10%					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Variation – sites	Not relevant					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Even though the environmental impacts are divided in LCA stages, we are discouraging the use of the results of modules A1-A3 (A1-A5 for services) without considering the results of module C.

The EPD framework includes a 3-step allocation procedure, but system expansion according to the ISO14044 is not allowed in the EPD due to the nature of the framework being strictly attributional, not consequential.

The 3-step allocation procedure:

- When possible, allocation shall be avoided through sub-dividing the processes, so that the input and output data related to the sub-processes can be obtained.
- When allocation cannot be avoided, a partitioning of input and output to different products or services shall be done based on their underlying physical relationship.
- If allocation based on a physical relationship cannot be applied, partitioning based on another relationship is also possible. A sensitivity analysis needs to be performed when economic value is used as a basis for allocation.

For this study, there are no major co-products during the cable manufacturing process with separate energy and materials flows.

Energy allocation for the production machines in the factory is based on measuring the amount of energy used by electrical equipment during the machine's normal operation.

By-products of waste treatment processes are cut-off, as are all by-products classified as recyclable.

The general rules for cut-off of inputs and outputs follow the requirements in EN 15804, 6.3.5, where the total of neglected input flows per module shall be a maximum of 5 % of energy usage and mass and 1 % of energy usage and mass for unit processes. The pigments and catalysts for the isolation materials

of the cables (share less than 1%) as well as infrastructure and capital goods - facility buildings (including warehouse) and offices, machinery and equipment in facility, software and tools are excluded from the calculation process.

Content information

Table 1. Basic information about product components and packaging materials per functional unit

Product components	Weight, kg/m	Post-consumer material, weight-%	Biogenic material, weight-%
	EXQ Light 3x2.5		
Material, Cu, kg	5.94E-02	0%	0%
Material, XLPE, kg	1.19E-02	0%	0%
Material, MB-XLPE (colour), kg	7.52E-04	0%	0%
Material, HFFR bedding, kg	3.33E-02	0%	0%
Material, HFFR sheathing, kg	4.15E-02	0%	0%
Material, MB-EVA white, kg	4.12E-04	0%	0%
TOTAL	5.94E-02	0%	0%
Packaging materials	Weight, kg/m	Weight-% (versus the product)	
	EXQ Light 3x2.5		
Euro pallet (25 kg), kg	5.96E-03	4.04%	
Labels, paper, kg	2.00E-05	0.01%	
Stretch packaging film, kg	2.50E-05	0.02%	
Thermo packaging foil, kg	1.50E-05	0.01%	
TOTAL	6.01E-03	4.08%	

The product does not contain any REACH SVHC substances.

Environmental Information

Potential environmental impact – mandatory indicators according to EN 15804

Table 2. Potential environmental impact aggregated for A1-A3, C1-C4 and D modules per functional unit

Indicator	Unit	Total A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
EXQ Light 3x2.5									
GWP-fossil	kg CO ₂ eq.	4.25E-01	5.36E-02	9.86E-03	0.00E+00	2.80E-03	2.40E-02	8.30E-04	-1.97E-01
GWP-biogenic	kg CO ₂ eq.	-9.85E-03	0.00E+00	9.85E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
GWP-luluc	kg CO ₂ eq.	4.34E-01	5.36E-02	1.04E-05	0.00E+00	2.80E-03	2.40E-02	8.30E-04	-1.94E-01
GWP-total	kg CO ₂ eq.	5.20E-04	1.78E-05	6.69E-08	0.00E+00	9.29E-07	8.04E-07	3.33E-07	-2.61E-04
ODP	kg CFC 11 eq.	9.40E-09	1.07E-09	1.26E-13	0.00E+00	5.56E-11	4.18E-11	1.72E-11	-1.03E-04
AP	mol H ⁺ eq.	1.03E-02	1.12E-04	6.30E-08	0.00E+00	5.83E-06	1.28E-05	4.42E-06	-8.25E-03
EP-freshwater	kg P eq.	7.96E-04	3.63E-06	5.07E-09	0.00E+00	1.90E-07	1.51E-02	7.99E-08	-6.60E-04
EP-marine	kg N eq.	7.03E-04	2.68E-05	3.01E-08	0.00E+00	1.40E-06	9.22E-03	1.72E-06	-4.66E-04
EP-terrestrial	mol N eq.	8.75E-03	2.90E-04	2.26E-07	0.00E+00	1.51E-05	5.83E-03	1.88E-05	-6.10E-03
POCP	kg NMVOC eq.	2.94E-03	1.86E-04	9.24E-08	0.00E+00	9.69E-06	1.82E-05	6.48E-06	-1.84E-03
ADP-minerals&metals*	kg Sb eq.	1.17E-04	1.79E-07	3.08E-11	0.00E+00	9.33E-09	6.20E-09	2.50E-09	-1.03E-04
ADP-fossil*	MJ	7.01E+00	7.55E-01	1.43E-04	0.00E+00	3.94E-02	3.17E-02	1.31E-02	-2.79E+00
WDP*	m ³	2.08E-01	3.69E-03	7.48E-06	0.00E+00	1.92E-04	7.10E-04	8.96E-05	-1.20E-01
Acronyms	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								

* Disclaimer: The results of this environmental impact indicator shall be used with care as the uncertainties of these results are high or as there is limited experience with the indicator (according to [3], Table 5).

Potential environmental impact – additional mandatory and voluntary indicators

Table 3. Additional mandatory and voluntary indicators per functional unit

Indicator	Unit	Tot. A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
EXQ Light 3x2.5									
GWP-GHG ¹	kg CO ₂ eq.	4.38E-01	5.37E-02	1.20E-05	0.00E+00	2.80E-03	2.40E-02	8.30E-04	-1.97E-01
Additional voluntary indicators e.g. the voluntary indicators from EN 15804 or the global indicators according to ISO 21930:2017 -N.D.									

Use of resources

Table 4. Energy indicators per functional unit

Indicator	Unit	Tot. A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
EXQ Light 3x2.5									
PERE	MJ	9.90E-01	1.20E-02	1.22E-03	0.00E+00	6.25E-04	5.47E-04	2.23E-04	-5.38E-01
PERM	MJ	1.01E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	-2.70E-02
PERT	MJ	9.90E-01	1.20E-02	1.02E-01	0.00E+00	6.25E-04	5.47E-04	2.23E-04	-5.65E-01
PENRE	MJ	6.93E+00	7.42E-01	1.40E-04	0.00E+00	3.87E-02	3.13E-02	1.29E-02	-2.57E+00
PENRM	MJ.	4.42E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	-3.15E+00
PENRT	MJ	1.13E+01	7.42E-01	1.40E-04	0.00E+00	3.87E-02	3.13E-02	1.29E-02	-5.72E+00
SM	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
RSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
NRSF	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
FW	m ³	9.54E-01	1.25E-02	2.40E-05	0.00E+00	6.54E-04	5.61E-04	2.30E-04	-6.75E-01

¹ The indicator includes all greenhouse gases included in GWP-total but excludes biogenic carbon dioxide uptake and emissions and biogenic carbon stored in the product. This indicator is thus equal to the GWP indicator originally defined in EN 15804:2012+A1:2013.

Acronyms	<p>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 excluding non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRM = Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials; PENRT = Total use of non-renewable primary energy re-sources; SM = Use of secondary material; RSF = Use of renewable secondary fuels; NRSF = Use of non-renewable secondary fuels; FW = Use of net fresh water</p>
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Waste production and output flows

Waste production

Table 5. Waste production per functional unit

Results per functional unit for EXQ Light 3x2.5									
Indicator	Unit	Tot. A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	5.23E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	4.11E-02	-4.63E-02
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00

Output flows

Table 6. Output flows per functional unit

Results per functional unit									
Indicator	Unit	Tot. A1-A3	A4	A5	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
EXQ Light 3x2.5									
Components for re-use	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Material for recycling	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	5.96E-03	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	5.27E-02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00

Information on biogenic carbon content

Table 7. Biogenic carbon content in product and in packaging per functional unit

Results per functional unit		
BIOGENIC CARBON CONTENT	Unit	QUANTITY
EXQ Light 3x2.5		
Biogenic carbon content in product	kg C	0.0
Biogenic carbon content in packaging	kg C	2.69E-03

Note: 1 kg biogenic carbon is equivalent to 44/12 kg CO₂.

Additional information

Variation of core environmental performance indicators

In accordance with the regulations, the variation between the highest and lowest environmental impact indicator results (both mandatory and additional) for modules A to C is declared. The thickest cable within the product group is assumed to have the highest environmental impact results and the thinnest cable is assumed to have the lowest environmental impact results. The variation between products is mainly subjected to material weight (according to the 'Contribution Tree' analysis in the openLCA software, material-related components (wire and insulation) account for an average of 90% of the total environmental impact for all cables in the group). Consequently, the estimated impact parameters are higher than the values based solely with mass — due to an additional influence representing approximately 10% in the total contribution. Based on this, it is possible to identify any cable which exhibits a variation in impact assessment results exceeding 10% from those of the representative product.

Variation of results			
Cable	Mass of cable per 1 m (wire + isolation), kg	Mass deviation from the representative cable	Estimated deviation from impact assessment parameters
EXQ Light 3G1.5*	0.099	-31.25%	-28.13%
EXQ Light 3G2.5- representative cable	0.144	0.00%	0.00%
EXQ Light 4G1.5*	0.117	-18.75%	-16.88%
EXQ Light 5G1.5	0.139	-3.47%	-3.12%
EXQ Light 5G2.5*	0.207	43.75%	39.38%
HMH 3G1.5	0.132	-8.33%	-7.50%

HMH 3G2.5*	0.174	20.83%	18.75%
HMH 4x10*	0.608	322.22%	290.00%
HMH 4x16*	0.944	555.56%	500.00%
HMH 5G1.5*	0.174	20.83%	18.75%
HMH 5G10*	0.726	404.17%	363.75%
HMH 5G16*	1.128	683.33%	615.00%
HMH 5G2.5*	0.238	65.28%	58.75%
HMH 5G4*	0.382	165.28%	148.75%
HMH 5G6*	0.494	243.06%	218.75%
MMJ HF 5x10*	0.702	387.50%	348.75%
MMJ HF 5x16*	1.017	606.25%	545.63%
MMJ HF 5x6*	0.474	229.17%	206.25%

*-cable with variation of impact assessment parameters more than 10% form the representative cable.

Information related to Sector EPD

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Differences versus previous versions

This version v.1.0 is the first version of EPD calculation for this group of the products for TT kabeli d.o.o. company.

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