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THE INTERNATIONAL EPD® SYSTEM



Experiences from EPD presented at Nordic workshop on PEF

A fully-booked Nordic Workshop on the European Commission's Product Environmental Footprint (PEF) initiative was held in Stockholm in February. The workshop was organised by the Nordic Environmental Footprint group, IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute and Swedish Lifecycle Center.

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New company with EPD process certification

The latest company to get an EPD Process Certification is Fater S.p.A., meaning that their internal processes to produce EPDs have been quality assured by an external certification body. They recently published their first EPD in the International EPD® System for breathable shaped diapers..

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First EPD registration from Hungary

Saint-Gobain Construction Products Hungary Kft has become the first company to register Environmental Product Declarations from Hungary in the International EPD® System.

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Job opportunity: Business development manager and project manager

There is an increasing global interest to develop and use Environmental Product Declarations (EPD) to communicate life cycle based environmental performance of products. We need a Business development manager at the International EPD® System.

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Machine-redable EPDs and their use discussed

in Vienna

In February, two events were held in Vienna. Austria related to EPDs for construction products. We met with Kristian Jelse who participated to the events on behalf of the International EPD® System to get the latest updates:

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EPDs may now be found per sub-category

The International EPD® System database of EPDs may now be accessed by browsing some of the larger product categories per sub-category.

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Newly registered EPDs

These are some of the latest registered EPDs in the International EPD® System from companies such as Financiera Maderera S.A., Saint Gobain Construction Products Hungary Kft, Gyproc A, Gyproc AS, Granarolo S.p.A and Zip Water (AUST) Ptv. Ltd.



See them all here

Latest PCR activities

Recently published PCR

Bottled waters, not swettend or flavoured Home and SOHO Gateway Plastic waste and scrap recovry (recycling) services Windows and doors Blood and blood derived products for therapeutic or prophylactic uses

Newly initiated PCRs under development

Fruits and nuts, except kiwi fruit (Update) Instant boiling and chilled drinking water dispensers

Updates

Corrugated paper and paperboard (Update)

Vegetable juices, Plant milk and Other prepared and preserved vegetables, pulses and potatoes (Update)

Parts and accessories of computing machines (e.g. laser printer cartridges) (Update) Sauces (Update)

Meat of mammals (Update)

Nonwovens for clothing, protective clothing and upholstery (Update)

Hen eggs in shell, fresh (Update)

Frozen vegetables, pulses and potatoes (Update)

Fabricated steel products, except construction products, machinery and equipment (Update) Flexible plastic packaging

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

- How do I link to an EPD from my company website?
- How do I recognize an EPD conformant with ISO 14025 and/or EN 15804?

The International EPD® System is a programme for voluntary and transparent communication of the life cycle environmental impact of goods and services. With more than 15 years of experience, and a library consisting of certified environmental product declarations from 35 countries, EPD® serves as a credible choice for B2B and B2C communication based on ISO 14025 and other international standards.

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