# Environmental Product Declaration

In accordance with ISO 14025 for:

# **EPD**®

# **ACTUATOR**

from

### **ALESPRI**



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### **Company information**

Owner of the EPD: ALESPRI S.A - +34964467228 - www.alespri.com - Pol. Ind. Mercado Sector II, S/N - 12580 BENICARLÓ (Castelló) - Spain

### Description of the organisation:

Alespri, company specialised in the stamping and anodising of aluminium components for the perfumery, cosmetics and pharmacy sectors. The company was founded in 1984 and it is currently a family business owned by the Prim family. They have driven the company for more than 30 years until today to become a leader in its sector, always innovating and firmly customer oriented.

The management of the Grupo Industrial Alespri is characterised by a clear customer service vocation, commitment to innovation, engagement of the organisation with the operational excellence and a firm determination for continuous improvement. Grupo Industrial Alespri aims to become the reference point in the sector, strengthening a sustainable human development, an unbeatable customer service and a positive impact on society. Grupo Industrial Alespri is a family-owned company that strives to preserve and promote the values of integrity, passion, respect, communication and service, as an essential reference in the decision-making process and as a solid foundation for its competitive growth and sustainability.

For the Grupo Industrial Alespri the concept of "quality" has significance beyond that of the final control of the product. It is a philosophy, a new culture of the company that reaches all aspect of the production and service. Only in this way it is possible to guarantee quality over time. To have the ISO 9000 Certification implies responsible work, following precisely requested requirements and systematically applying statistical requisites and procedural tools focusing on achieving progress and continuous improvement.

Grupo Industrial Alespri, committed to the preservation of the environment, disposes of the ISO 14001 Certification and has established, on its own initiative, a set of mechanisms and processes directed to reduce the environmental impact, such as the reuse of chemical products in process, the implementation of equipment that minimises the consumption of energy, the reduction of waste, among others.

In accordance with the company's commitment to the environment and with the aim of offering to our customers the maximum product quality, a "Life Cycle Assessment" has been carried out of the aluminum components more representative of the company: ferrules and actuator sheaths. The objective of this study is to know the impact that the Grupo Industrial Alespri has on the environment, as well as the processes and materials used with higher environmental impact. The company has communicated, in an objective and transparent way, the environmental impact of the life cycle of their with the publication of two EPDs(Environmental Product Declaration) by means of The International EPD System.

<u>Name and location of production site:</u> The declared section Actuator are produced by Alespri. The production plant is located in:

Pol. Ind. Mercado Sector II, S/N –
 12580 BENICARLÓ (Castelló) Spain





### **Product information**

Product name: Actuator

<u>Product description:</u> The actuator product for perfume containers (UN CPC 4299) is a component manufactured entirely from anodised aluminium integrated into perfume containers (100% by weight aluminium), whose function is to facilitate the dispersion mechanism of the perfume contained in such container. This product is manufactured by hook and bulk in a wide range of diameters:

DIAMETER (mm)	AVERAGE WEIGHT (kg)
11	3,55E-04
11,6	3,76E-04
13	4,96E-04
15 (620)	6,08E-04
15 (640)	6,44E-04

More information about the product is available at: www.alespri.com

UN CPC code: 4299

Geographical Scope: Global

### LCA information

Declared unit: One-piece actuator dispensing system with a diameter between 11mm and 15mm

<u>Time representativeness:</u> primary data from manufacturing site refer to year 2019

<u>Database(s)</u> and <u>LCA</u> software used: Ecoinvent v3.6 (allocation, cut-off by classification - 2019) database and SimaPro 9.2 software have been used for the LCA calculations.

<u>Cut off rules:</u> In the case of insufficient or missing input data for a unit process, the cut-off criteria should be 1% of the primary renewable and non-renewable energy use and 1% of the total mass input to the unit process. The total input flows not considered per module should be 5% of the energy use and mass. Thus, as a cut-off rule, it is stipulated that as a minimum, the inventory data shall total 99% of the total mass and energy use of each unit process and 95% of each module.

<u>Description of system boundaries:</u> The presented EPD® includes the next life cycle stages: Upstream Processes, Production Stage (Core Processes) and Downstream Processes.

A Life Cycle Analysis study has been conducted from cradle to gate with options.

### **Upstream module:**

- Extraction and processing of raw materials, manufacture of aluminum used as raw material for actuator product.
- Stamping process: through mechanical presses and dies and punches all oil lubricated the metal parts are obtained according to design

**Core module:** Product manufacturing process, manufacturing of packagings, treatment of waste produced during manufacture and transport of auxiliary materials to the facility.





- External transportation to the core processes.
- Degreasing: immersion in a detergent product for the removal of lubricating oil
- Polishing: immersion in a highly concentrated acid product at 100°C in order to achieve the specular shining of the surface. Includes washing by water immersion in a triple counter-current waterfall
- Anodizing: immersion in a sulfuric acid electrolyte with electrical current to produce the anodic oxidation of the aluminum surface (opening the pores of the metal). Includes washing by immersion in counter-current well water cascade
- Color process: immersion in colorant to obtain the desired color. Includes washing by immersion in counter-current water cascade.
- Sealing: immersion in boiling deionised water for rehydration of the anodic layer (closing the pores). Includes washing by immersion in counter-current deionised water cascade.
- Drying: drying of pieces through hot-air ovens.
- Verification: electronic control of the pieces to ensure quality.
- Expedition: preparation of documentation to send the product to the customer and packaging
- Wastewater and air treatment
- Treatment of solid waste generated in the factory
- Transport: transportation of auxiliary materials to the factory
- Other energy consumption: lighting and air conditioning of the factory

### Downstream module:

- Transportation of the product to the end customer
- Packaging end-of-life

The next processes have not been taken into account:

- The manufacturing of capital goods with expected lifetime over three years, (machines, buildings and other capital goods).
- Maintenance activities
- Workers transportation (home-factory-home journey)

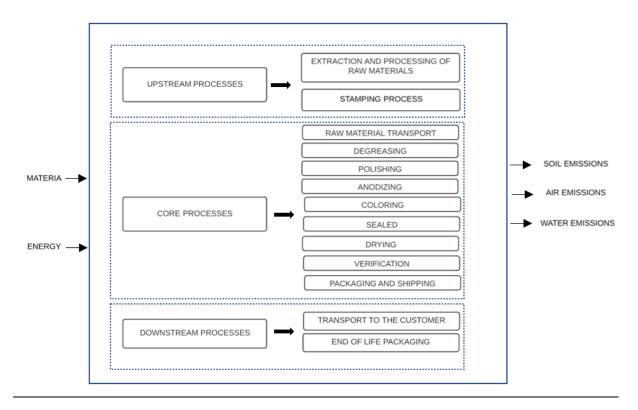
### Additional information:

SCENARIO INFORMATION	VALUE/DESCRIPTION		
Vehicle type used for transport	Long distance truck		
verlicle type used for transport	Transoceanic cargo ship		
Vehicle load capacity	Truck: 32 tones		
Fuel type and consumption	Truck:31,1L/100 km		
Fuel type and consumption	Cargo ship:0,0014L/100 TnKm		
Distance to the client	Truck: 894 km		
Distance to the chefit	Cargo ship: 1040km		





### System diagram:



<u>Excluded lifecycle stages:</u> It has not been considered the end of life of the product, since it does not depend on Alespri S.A., but it depends on the perfume's bottle manufacturer which integrates the product actuator.

### More information:

- The underlying LCA study has been carried out by Marcel Gomez Consultoría Ambiental
- More information about the product is available at: http://www.alespri.com

### **Content declaration**

Material	Weight, kg	Post-consumer material, Renewable materia weight-% weight-%			
Aluminium	4,96E-04	0 0			
Packaging materials	Weight, kg	Weight-% (versus the product)			
Corrugated cardboard	3,02E-05				
Packaging film (Low Density Polyethylene)	3,46E-06	<6%			

Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC), as described on the REACH stands for Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals have not been used in the manufacture of actuator.





# **Environmental Information**

### Potential environmental impact 11mm - 11,6mm

Since the difference in environmental impact is equal or less than 10% for 11mm - 11,6mm actuator, the following information is valid for the EPD results of all elements

PARAMETER		UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
	Fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	3,94E-09	2,97E- 09	3,17E-11	6,94E-09
Global warming	Biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,14E-10	3,68E- 10	1,71E-13	4,83E-10
potential (GWP)	Land use and land transformation	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,18E-11	1,37E- 11	1,14E-14	2,55E-11
	TOTAL	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	4,06E-09	3,35E- 09	3,19E-11	7,45E-09
Acidification	Acidification potential (AP)		2,03E-11	2,19E- 11	1,67E-13	4,24E-11
Eutrophication potential (EP)		kg PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> eq.	1,94E-12	3,85E- 12	1,99E-14	5,81E-12
Photochemical oxidant formation potential (POFP)		kg NMVOC eq.	1,37E-11	9,46E- 12	1,70E-13	2,34E-11
Abiotic depletion potential – Elements		kg Sb eq.	1,65E-12	1,87E- 13	5,35E-16	1,84E-12
Abiotic depletion potential – Fossil resources		MJ, net calorific value	4,04E-08	3,25E- 08	4,99E-10	7,34E-08
Water scard	city potential	m³ eq.	9,17E-10	3,93E- 09	1,59E-12	4,85E-09

### **Use of resources**

PARAMETER		UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Primary carrier energy carrier energy Used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value	6,24E-09	8,69E- 09	6,12E-12	1,49E-08	
		MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
	MJ, net calorific value	6,24E-09	8,69E- 09	6,12E-12	1,49E-08	
Primary energy resources –	Use as energy carrier	MJ, net calorific value	4,73E-08	4,59E- 08	5,08E-10	9,37E-08





Non- renewable	Used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	MJ, net calorific value	4,73E-08	4,59E- 08	5,08E-10	9,37E-08
Secondary material		kg	0	0	0	0
Renewable secondary fuels		MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
Non-renewable secondary fuels		MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
Net use of fresh water		m <sup>3</sup>	4,14E-08	2,22E- 08	3,84E-11	6,36E-08

### Waste production and output flows

### **Waste production**

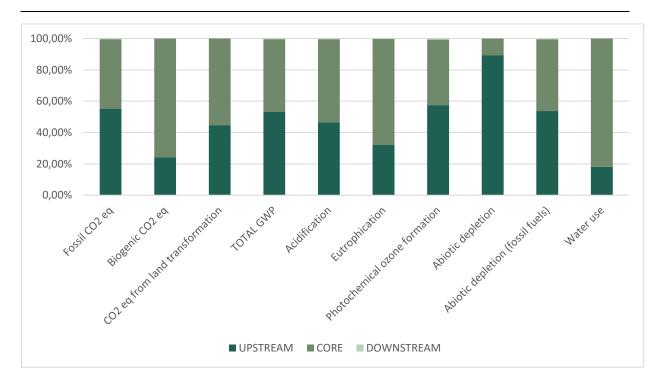
PARAMETER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	4,00E-12	5,53E-14	1,16E-15	4,06E-12
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	7,09E-10	2,88E-09	4,02E-11	3,63E-09
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	1,46E-13	2,41E-13	3,47E-15	3,91E-13

### **Output flows**

PARAMETER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Components for reuse	kg	0	0	0	0
Material for recycling	kg	0	1,59E-02	6,80E-02	8,39E-02
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0	0	0	0

In general terms, as it is shown in the table of potential environmental impact, and figure results impact categories, the results show the highest impact distributed between upstream and core processes. Finally, Downstream module has little impact too, representing less than 1% of the whole impact. The life cycle has an impact of 7,45E-09kg of CO2 equivalent.





Results on impact categories





# Potential environmental impact 13mm

PARAI	METER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
	Fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	5,50E-09	4,15E- 09	4,44E-11	9,70E-09
Global warming	Biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,59E-10	5,15E- 10	2,39E-13	6,75E-10
potential (GWP)	Land use and land transformation	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,65E-11	1,92E- 11	1,60E-14	3,57E-11
	TOTAL	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	5,68E-09	4,69E- 09	4,46E-11	1,04E-08
Acidification	Acidification potential (AP)		2,84E-11	3,06E- 11	2,33E-13	5,92E-11
Eutrophication	potential (EP)	kg PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> eq.	2,71E-12	5,38E- 12	2,78E-14	8,13E-12
Photochemical oxidant formation potential (POFP)		kg NMVOC eq.	1,92E-11	1,32E- 11	2,37E-13	3,27E-11
Abiotic depletion potential – Elements		kg Sb eq.	2,30E-12	2,62E- 13	7,48E-16	2,57E-12
Abiotic depletion potential – Fossil resources		MJ, net calorific value	5,65E-08	4,54E- 08	6,97E-10	1,03E-07
Water scard	city potential	m³ eq.	1,28E-09	5,49E- 09	2,22E-12	6,77E-09

### **Use of resources**

PARAMETER		UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
resources -	energy	MJ, net calorific value	8,73E-09	1,21E- 08	8,56E-12	2,09E-08
	Used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	MJ, net calorific value	8,73E-09	1,21E- 08	8,56E-12	2,09E-08
Primary energy	Use as energy carrier	MJ, net calorific value	6,61E-08	6,41E- 08	7,09E-10	1,31E-07
resources – Non- renewable	Used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	MJ, net calorific value	6,61E-08	6,41E- 08	7,09E-10	1,31E-07
Secondar	ry material	kg	0	0	0	0





Renewable secondary fuels	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
Non-renewable secondary fuels	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
Net use of fresh water	m <sup>3</sup>	8,11E-04	2,63E- 05	3,13E-06	8,40E-04

### Waste production and output flows

### **Waste production**

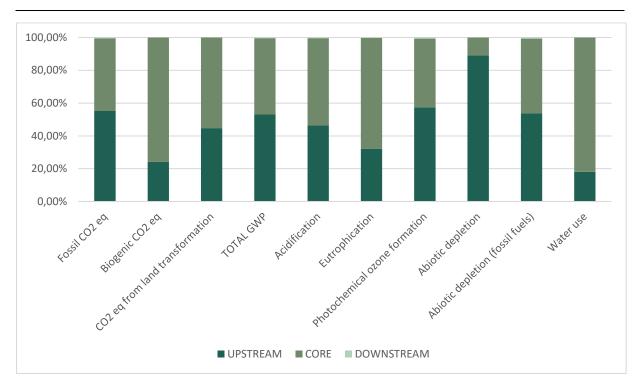
PARAMETER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	5,60E-12	7,74E-14	1,62E-15	5,67E-12
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	9,91E-10	4,02E-09	5,61E-11	5,07E-09
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	2,04E-13	3,38E-13	4,85E-15	5,46E-13

### **Output flows**

PARAMETER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Components for reuse	kg	0	0	0	0
Material for recycling	kg	0	1,59E-02	6,80E-02	8,39E-02
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0	0	0	0

In general terms, as it is shown in the table of potential environmental impact, and figure results impact categories, the results show the highest impact distributed between upstream and core processes. Finally, Downstream module has little impact too, representing less than 1% of the whole impact. The life cycle has an impact of 1,04E-08kg of CO2 equivalent.





Results on impact categories





### Potential environmental impact 15mm Bulk and Hook anodising

Since the difference in environmental impact is equal or less than 10% for 15mm Bulk and Hook anodizing actuator, the following information is valid for the EPD results of all elements

PARAMETER		UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	6,75E-09	5,10E- 09	5,45E-11	1,19E-08	
Global warming	Biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,96E-10	6,32E- 10	2,94E-13	8,28E-10
(GWP)	Land use and land transformation	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	2,03E-11	2,35E- 11	1,96E-14	4,38E-11
TOTAL		kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	6,97E-09	5,75E- 09	5,48E-11	1,28E-08
Acidification potential (AP)		kg SO <sub>2</sub> eq.	3,49E-11	3,75E- 11	2,86E-13	7,27E-11
Eutrophication potential (EP)		kg PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> eq.	3,33E-12	6,61E- 12	3,41E-14	9,97E-12
Photochemical oxidant formation potential (POFP)		kg NMVOC eq.	2,36E-11	1,62E- 11	2,91E-13	4,01E-11
Abiotic depletion potential – Elements		kg Sb eq.	2,83E-12	3,21E- 13	9,18E-16	3,15E-12
Abiotic depletion potential – Fossil resources		MJ, net calorific value	6,93E-08	5,57E- 08	8,55E-10	1,26E-07
Water scarcity potential		m³ eq.	1,57E-09	6,74E- 09	2,72E-12	8,31E-09

### **Use of resources**

PARA	METER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Primary	Use as energy carrier	MJ, net calorific value	1,07E-08	1,49E- 08	1,05E-11	2,56E-08
resources – Renewable	Used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	MJ, net calorific value	1,07E-08	1,49E- 08	1,05E-11	2,56E-08
Primary energy resources –	Use as energy carrier	MJ, net calorific value	8,02E-08	8,19E- 08	8,70E-10	1,63E-07
Non- renewable	Used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0





TOTAL	MJ, net calorific value	8,02E-08	8,19E- 08	8,70E-10	1,63E-07
Secondary material	kg	0	0	0	0
Renewable secondary fuels	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
Non-renewable secondary fuels	MJ, net calorific value	0	0	0	0
Net use of fresh water	m <sup>3</sup>	8,11E-04	2,63E- 05	3,13E-06	8,40E-04

### Waste production and output flows

### **Waste production**

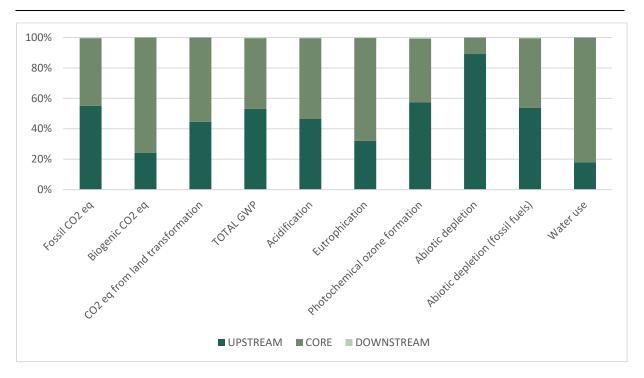
PARAMETER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	6,87E-12	9,49E-14	1,99E-15	6,96E-12
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	1,22E-09	4,94E-09	6,89E-11	6,22E-09
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	2,50E-13	4,14E-13	5,95E-15	6,70E-13

### **Output flows**

PARAMETER	UNIT	Upstream	Core	Downstream	TOTAL
Components for reuse	kg	0	0	0	0
Material for recycling	kg	0	1,59E-02	6,80E-02	8,39E-02
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0	0	0	0

In general terms, as it is shown in the table of potential environmental impact, and figure results impact categories, the results show the highest impact distributed between upstream and core processes. Finally, Downstream module has little impact too, representing less than 1% of the whole impact. The life cycle has an impact of 1,28E-08 kg of CO2 equivalent.





Results on impact categories





## Information related to Sector EPD

This is not a sector EPD.

# Differences versus previous versions

- Electricity production mix of Spain updated to 2019
- The flocculant Ecopol AL 60 has been replaced by FLOPAM TW945 from the SNF IBERICA.
- Total production has been update
- Data interpretation update





### References

- General Programme Instructions of the International EPD® System. Version 3.01.
- PCR 2013:09 UN CPC 36490, 42999 Dispensing Systems. Version 2.2 2019-11-21.
- ISO 14040:2006: Environmental Management-Life Cycle Assessment-Principles and framework.
- ISO 14044:2006: Environmental Management-Life Cycle Assessment-Requirements and guidelines.
- ISO 14025:2006: Environmental labels and declarations-Type III Environmental Declarations-Principles and procedures.
- ISO 14020:2000: Environmental labels and declarations General principles.
- LCA ALESPRI





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ANODIZED ALUMINUM ONE-PIECE ACTUATOR DISPENSING SYSTEM with a diameter between 11 mm and 15 mm.

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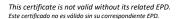
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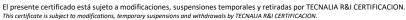
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