

# Environmental Product Declaration



In accordance with ISO 14025:2006 and EN 15804:2012+A2:2019/AC:2021 for:

## NOVATOP ELEMENT

from

AGROP NOVA a.s.

NOVATOP 

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# General information

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#### Product Category Rules (PCR)

CEN standard EN 158041+A2 serves as the Core Product Category Rules (PCR)

Product Category Rules (PCR): PCR 2019:14 Construction products (EN 15804:A2) (1.3.1)

PCR review was conducted by: IVL Swedish Environmental Research Institute Secretariat of the International EPD® System

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EPD verification by accredited certification body

Third-party verification: TZÚS Praha, s.p. is an approved certification body accountable for the thirdparty verification

The certification body is accredited by: Czech Accreditation Institute

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## Company information

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**Description of the organisation:**

AGROP NOVA a.s. was established in 2001. Today it is one of the largest and most modern producers of large multilayer boards in Europe. The company's core product range is NOVATOP SWP multilayer boards and NOVATOP SYSTEM - a comprehensive and in many ways unique building system based on cross-laminated timber (CLT).

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**Product-related or management system-related certifications:**

ISO 9001:2015

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**Name and location of production site(s):**

Agrop Nova a.s., Lesnická 49, 798 03 Plumlov, the Czech Republic (headquarters and drying of wood)  
Agrop Nova a.s., Ptenický Dvůrek 99, 798 43 Ptení, the Czech Republic (plant)

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## Product information

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**Product name and identification:**

NOVATOP ELEMENT

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**Product description:**

NOVATOP ELEMENT - are large ribbed components made of multi-layered solid spruce boards (SWP), it is a structural element for wooden buildings. The construction of the element consists of a load-bearing bottom plate, the thickness of which depends on the required fire resistance of the structure. The transverse and longitudinal ribs are glued to it, the height of which depends on the required load-bearing capacity of the element. The whole structure is enclosed by the top plate. The connection of the plates and ribs is made by gluing and cold pressing. The cavities can be fitted with thermal and acoustic insulation as required.

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**UN CPC code:**

314 Boards and panels

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**Geographical scope:**

Europe, Global

For modules A1-A3, A4 and C1-C4 +D a European and Global scale has been considered due to the availability of data for waste scenarios.

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## LCA information

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**Functional unit / declared unit:**

1 m<sup>3</sup> of solid wood panel – mass 490 kg

**Time representativeness:**

< 10 years for background data;  
< 2 years for manufacturer's data

**Database(s) and LCA software used:**

EcolInvent database v. 3.8;  
SimaPro 9.4.0.2 software

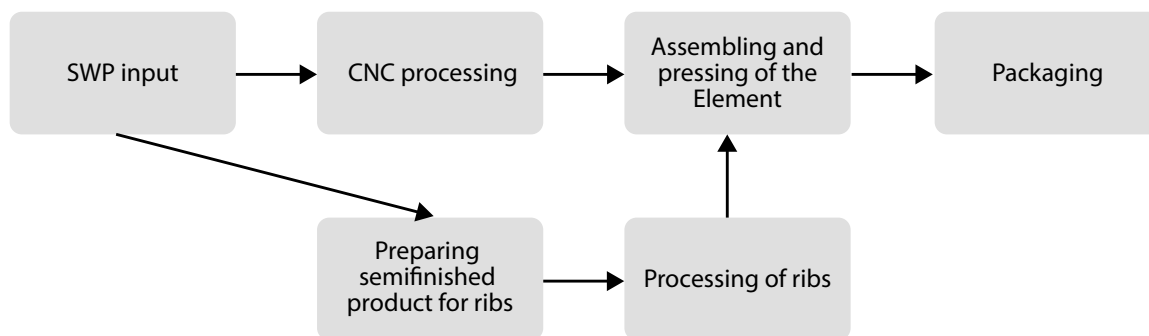
**Description of system boundaries:**

Cradle to gate with options, modules C1–C4, module D and with optional modules (A1–A3 + C + D and additional modules). The additional modules may be one or more selected from A4–A5 and/or B1–B7

## System diagram

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**More information:**

The electricity used in the production processes of module A3 is purchased from an electricity supplier and is supported by a Guarantee of Origin- it is electricity from renewable energy sources. The share of renewable energy sources was modelled based on the Czech Republic's energy mix current in the reference period. Its climate impact is 0,255 kg CO<sub>2</sub> eq./kWh (using the GWP-GHG indicator). More info about production see [www.novatop-system.com](http://www.novatop-system.com)

## Modules declared, geographical scope, share of specific data (in GWP-GHG results) and data variation (in GWP-GHG results):

	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
<b>Modules declared</b>	x	x	x	x									x	x	x	x	x
<b>Geography</b>	Global	Global	Global	Global									Global	Global	Global	Global	Global
<b>Specific data used</b>		>90%			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Variation – products</b>		0%			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Variation – sites</b>		0%			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

## Content information

Product components	Weight, kg	Post-consumer material, weight-%	Biogenic material, weight-% and kg C/kg
Sawnwood	463	0	100 %/206
Additional inputs – glue and sealant	24	0	0
Additional inputs – fasteners wood	0,8	0	100 %
Additional inputs – fasteners iron	0,1	0	0
TOTAL	490	0	95 %/206
Packaging materials	Weight, kg	Weight-% (versus the product)	Weight biogenic carbon, kg C/kg
Packaging film LDPE	2	0	0
TOTAL	2	0	0

# Results of the environmental performance indicators

## Mandatory impact category indicators according to EN 15804

Results per functional or declared unit																
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWP-fossil	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,96E+02	5,14E+01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	5,26E-01	4,07E+00	3,73E-01	-1,34E+01	-9,12E+00
GWP-biogenic	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	-1,66E+03	1,22E-01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4,12E-04	9,74E-03	2,91E-04	2,14E+02	-9,35E-01
GWP-luluc	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,52E+00	1,75E-02	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4,15E-05	1,37E-03	2,94E-05	-1,27E-02	-8,17E-03
GWP-total	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	-1,46E+03	5,15E+01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	5,27E-01	4,08E+00	3,73E-01	2,01E+02	-1,01E+01
ODP	kg CFC 11 eq.	1,11E+00	2,24E-01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	3,27E-03	1,63E-02	2,48E-03	-7,00E-02	-5,07E-02
AP	mol H+ eq.	3,31E-05	1,16E-05	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1,13E-07	9,23E-07	7,97E-08	-2,23E-06	-1,55E-06
EP-freshwater	kg P eq.	6,76E-02	3,43E-03	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1,58E-05	2,73E-04	1,12E-05	-2,72E-03	-3,32E-03
EP-marine	kg N eq.	3,37E-01	6,74E-02	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1,36E-03	4,99E-03	1,05E-03	-1,76E-02	-1,56E-02
EP-terrestrial	mol N eq.	3,75E+00	7,37E-01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1,49E-02	5,44E-02	1,15E-02	-2,05E-01	-1,64E-01
POCP	kg NMVOC eq.	1,13E+00	2,22E-01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4,18E-03	1,66E-02	3,24E-03	-6,12E-02	-4,66E-02
ADPminerals&metals*	kg Sb eq.	1,38E-03	1,84E-04	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2,11E-07	1,46E-05	1,49E-07	-4,23E-05	-2,94E-05
ADP-fossil*	MJ	2,90E+03	7,75E+02	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	7,17E+00	6,15E+01	5,08E+00	-2,04E+02	-1,55E+02
WDP*	m <sup>3</sup>	3,45E+01	2,19E+00	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1,04E-02	1,75E-01	7,34E-03	-2,57E+00	-3,97E-01

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; ADPminerals&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.

## Additional mandatory and voluntary impact category indicators

Results per functional or declared unit																
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
GWP-GHG <sup>1</sup>	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1,97E+02	5,14E+01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	5,27E-01	4,07E+00	3,73E-01	-1,34E+01	-9,13E+00
PM	Disease incidence	1,46E-05	3,53E-06	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	5,62E-08	2,82E-07	4,71E-08	-9,76E-07	-6,06E-07
IR	kBq U235 eq.	2,18E+01	4,04E+00	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	3,27E-02	3,21E-01	2,32E-02	-1,59E+00	-2,09E+00
ETP-fw	CTUe	4,75E+03	5,91E+02	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4,10E+00	4,70E+01	2,90E+00	-2,00E+02	-1,09E+02
HTP-c	CTUh	3,18E-07	2,13E-08	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	7,08E-10	1,68E-09	6,04E-10	-4,94E-09	-6,76E-09
HTP-nc	CTUh	4,62E-06	5,98E-07	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	3,66E-09	4,77E-08	2,89E-09	1,18E-07	-1,13E-07
SQP	dimensionless	1,45E+05	5,29E+02	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	9,31E-01	4,23E+01	6,59E-01	-1,51E+02	-9,24E+01

<sup>1</sup> This indicator accounts for all greenhouse gases except biogenic carbon dioxide uptake and emissions and biogenic carbon stored in the product. As such, the indicator is identical to GWP-total except that the CF for biogenic CO<sub>2</sub> is set to zero.

## Resource use indicators

Results per functional or declared unit																
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
PERE	MJ	2,48E+02	7,56E+00	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2,80E-02	6,03E-01	1,99E-02	-8,17E+00	-9,02E+00
PERM	MJ	2,01E+04	2,83E+00	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	9,13E-03	2,25E-01	6,46E-03	-1,88E+00	-1,89E+00
PERT	MJ	2,04E+04	1,04E+01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	3,72E-02	8,28E-01	2,63E-02	-1,01E+01	-1,09E+01
PENRE	MJ	2,90E+03	7,75E+02	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	7,17E+00	6,15E+01	5,08E+00	-2,04E+02	-1,55E+02
PENRM	MJ	2,01E+04	2,83E+00	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	9,13E-03	2,25E-01	6,46E-03	-1,88E+00	-1,89E+00
PENRT	MJ	2,30E+04	7,78E+02	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	7,18E+00	6,17E+01	5,09E+00	-2,06E+02	-1,57E+02
SM	kg	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
RSF	MJ	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
NRSF	MJ	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
FW	m <sup>3</sup>	3,45E+01	2,19E+00	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1,04E-02	1,75E-01	7,34E-03	-2,57E+00	-3,97E-01

### Acronyms

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

## Waste indicators

Results per functional or declared unit																
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Hazardous waste disposed	kg	9,92E-03	2,01E-03	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1,93E-05	1,60E-04	1,37E-05	-3,88E-04	-2,68E-04
Non-hazardous waste disposed	kg	1,03E+02	3,68E+01	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	8,82E-03	2,95E+00	6,25E-03	-6,95E+00	-6,16E+00
Radioactive waste disposed	kg	1,63E-02	5,31E-03	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4,99E-05	4,21E-04	3,54E-05	-1,21E-03	-1,07E-03

## Output flow indicators

Results per functional or declared unit																
Indicator	Unit	A1-A3	A4	A5	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	C1	C2	C3	C4	D
Components for re-use	kg	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
Material for recycling	kg	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	3,43E+02	0
Materials for energy recovery	kg	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, electricity	MJ	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
Exported energy, thermal	MJ	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0

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