



HOW TO USE VERSION 2 OF EMERALD ECO-LABEL: NAPA'S EPD TOOL

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Goals of this Webinar

OVERALL: Be able to make an EPD using the Emerald Eco-Label tool at AsphaltEPD.com

1. Outline the data gathering step
2. Walk through using the tool, from initial account creation to defining a mix and making an EPD
3. Identify common mistakes and answer questions

What is an EPD?

- Environmental Product Declarations (EPDs) are ISO14044 certified labels for the environmental impacts of a manufactured products
- The rules governing asphalt EPDs were created by a panel of scientists and industry representatives over several years, and revised in 2022

Who can make EPDs?

- Each Organization has a Primary Contact
 - ▣ Can create plants, mixes, and EPDs
 - ▣ Can approve others to join their Organization
 - ▣ Can allow other to create plants, mixes, & EPDs

Primary contact is the technical lead and must go through the EPD Tool training...

....like you are right now

What data is needed?

Three main types of data:

1. Plants

- Electricity, fuel, water, production volume

2. Ingredients

- Aggregate, Binder, & Additives

3. Mixes

- Amounts of agg, binder, and additives in each mix
- Distances travelled for each mix ingredient

What data is needed?

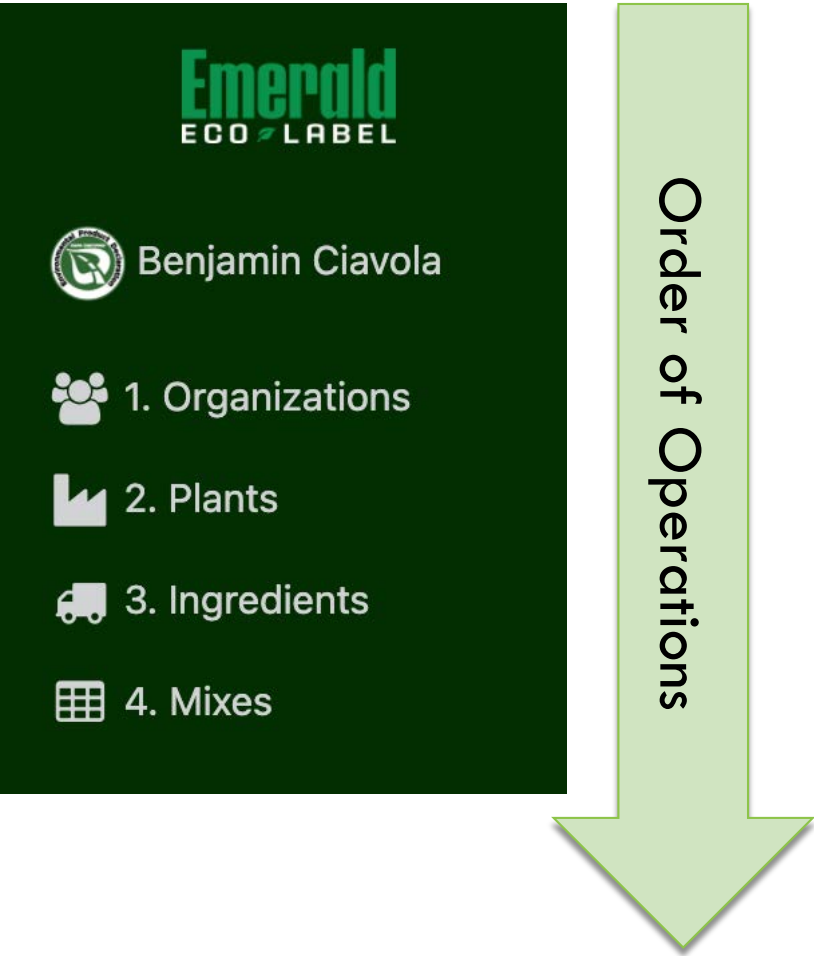
Handy document: “EPD Data Gathering rev3.xlsx”

- Print & gather data offline or enter into excel
- Lists exactly what data is needed
- Sheet has two mix definition options: Aggregate by Total %, or by Aggregate %
 - Created to help you get your mix % into the same format as the EPD Tool
 - Data entry to EcoLabel is always by total mix % mass

Is my Company's data safe?

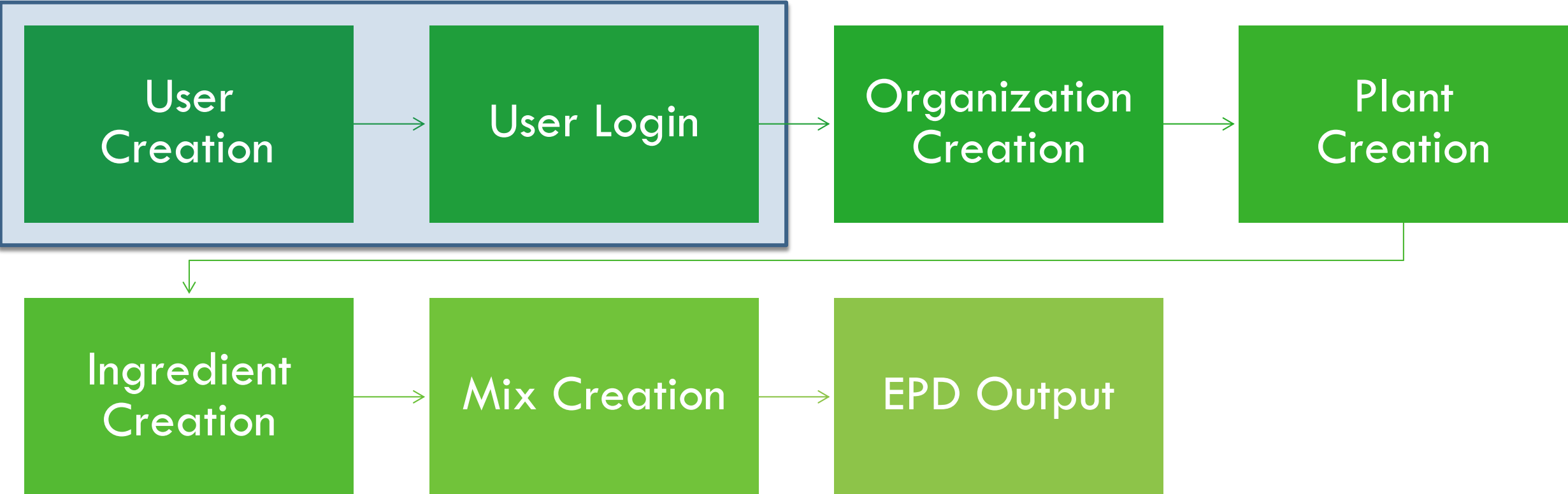
- **YES.** The only people who can see your data are employees of Trisight. We are under an NDA to never reveal your data.
- A Trisight data auditor may see parts of your data during a spot check to ensure your EPDs meet ISO14044 data quality standards.
- The software employs the credit card industry standard for encryption.

EPD Tool Workflow



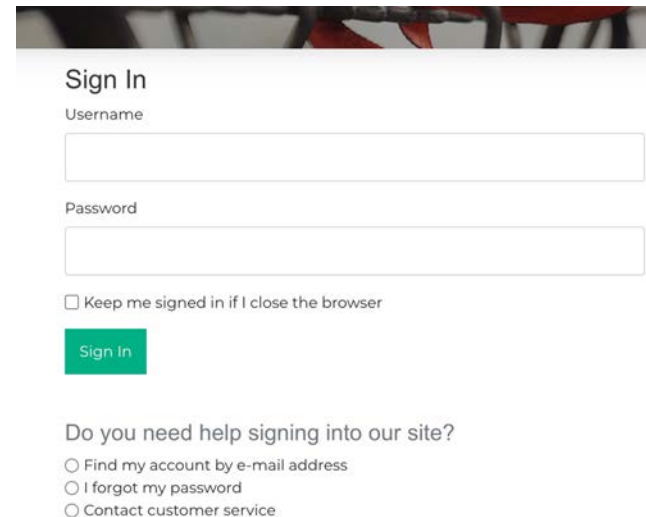
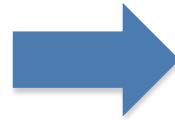
The sidebar of the site is organized to guide the workflow

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How to create an EcoLabel account


- ❑ Establish a NAPA user account
- ❑ Navigate to <https://asphaltpd.org>
- ❑ Click “Sign in”
- ❑ Sign in with your NAPA account


A screenshot of the 'Sign In' form on the website. The form has a title 'Sign In' and two input fields: 'Username' and 'Password'. Below the password field is a checkbox labeled 'Keep me signed in if I close the browser'. A green 'Sign In' button is positioned below the checkbox. At the bottom of the form, there is a question 'Do you need help signing into our site?' followed by three radio button options: 'Find my account by e-mail address', 'I forgot my password', and 'Contact customer service'.


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 4. Mixes

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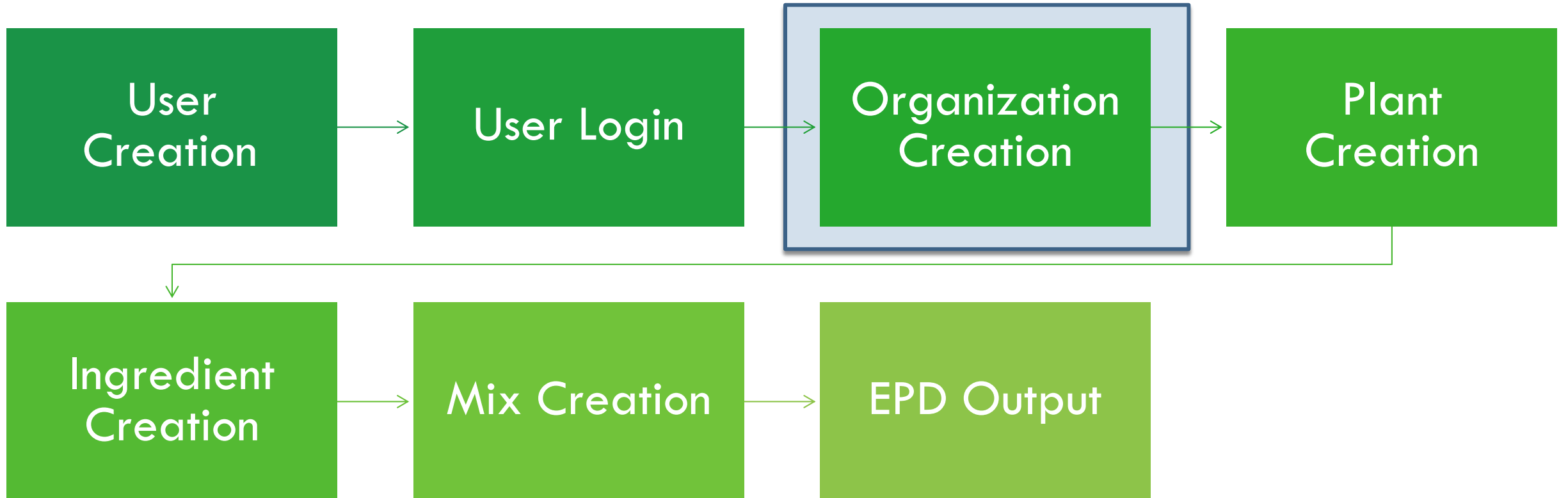
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
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New Organization

Company Name*

Webinar Demo Org

Url*

http://asphaltepd.org

Company Logo

TriSight_logo600px.png

Address Line 1*

322 Shelden Ave

Address Line 2

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Organization successfully created.

Details

Edit

Current information about this organization.

Organization Address

322 Shelden Ave
Houghton, MI 49931

Primary Contact

Please identify a primary contact for this organization.

Organization Authorizations

Edit

Manage high-level user permissions for your organization.

User	Edit Organization Details	View All Plants	Edit All Plants	Add Plants	Delete Plants	Add Users
Benjamin Ciavola btciavol@mtu.edu	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Manage users for Webinar Demo Org

User Email *	Can view org	Can edit org	Can view all plants	Can edit all plants	Can add plants	Can delete plants	Can add users	Has been trained	Delete
<input type="text" value="btciavol@mtu.e"/> ▾	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Save Changes

Organization Authorizations

Manage high-level user permissions for your organization.

[Edit](#)

User	Edit Organization Details	View All Plants	Edit All Plants	Add Plants	Delete Plants	Add Users
Benjamin Ciavola btciavol@mtu.edu	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Joseph Shacat jshacat@asphaltpavement.org	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Plant Authorizations

Manage plant-level user permissions for your organization.

[Edit](#)

Plant	User	View Plant	Edit Plant Details	Edit Primary Data	Edit Mixes	Edit Sources	Add Users
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Plant Authorizations

Manage plant-level user permissions for your organization.

Edit

Plant

User

View Plant

Edit Plant
Details

Edit
Primary
Data

Edit Mixes

Edit
Sources

Add Users

Safety Data Sheets

Manage safety data sheets for your organization's products.

Add

No safety data sheets defined

Safety Data Sheet

Define a new Safety Data Sheet (SDS) for your organization. You must either provide a URL that links to the SDS document or a contact email address for EPD users to request a copy of the SDS.

When you enter data for a mix design in the Mixes interface, you will be able to select the appropriate SDS for the mix design. SDS information will be included in your EPDs in accordance with ISO 21930 and the PCR for Asphalt Mixtures.

Sheet Information

Datasheet Name*

Webinar Demo Org SDS

URL

Request Email

ben@trisightengineering.com

Ingredients

Name*	CAS*	Min	Actual	Max	
Aggregate	Various	90.0		95.0	remove

Name*	CAS*	Min	Actual	Max	
Asphalt Cement	8052-42-4			10.0	remove

Name*	CAS*	Min	Actual	Max	
Additives	Various			1.0	remove

Name*	CAS*	Min	Actual	Max	
					remove

[add another](#)

save

You can provide a minimum value, maximum value, minimum and maximum, or actual value for an arbitrary number of ingredients.

Joseph Shacat
jshacat@asphaltpavement.org



Plant Authorizations

Manage plant-level user permissions for your organization.

Edit

Plant

User

View Plant

Edit Plant
Details

Edit
Primary
Data

Edit Mixes

Edit
Sources

Add Users

Safety Data Sheets

Manage safety data sheets for your organization's products.

Add

Datasheet

Ingredients

Last Modified

Edit

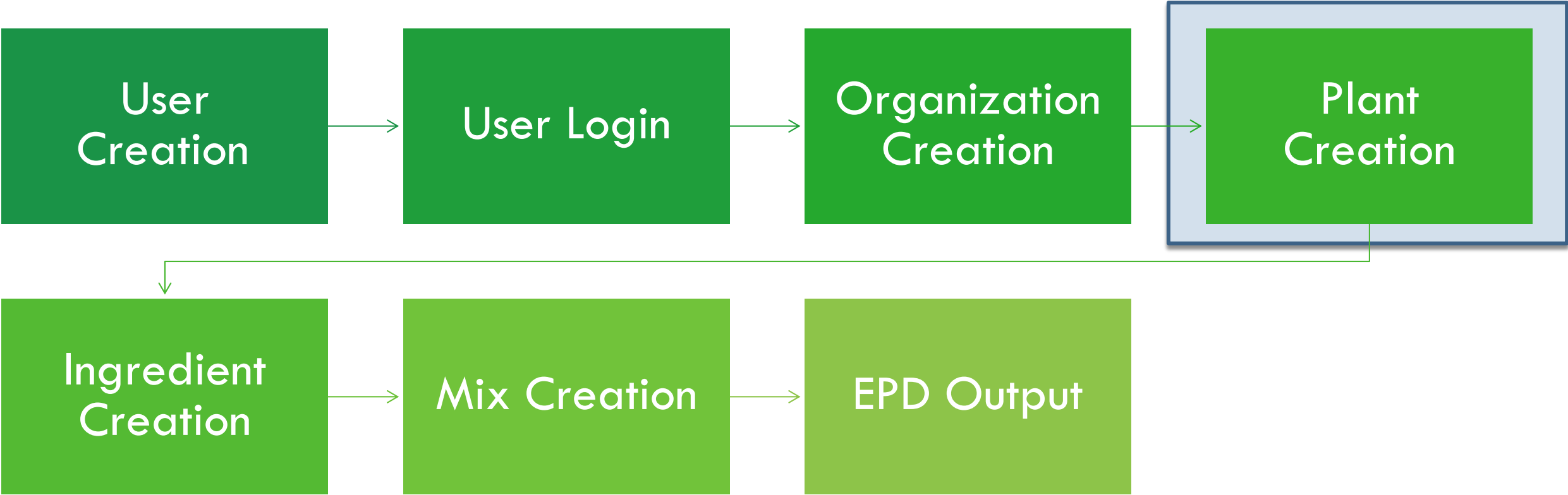
Webinar Demo Org SDS

Aggregate
Asphalt Cement
Additives

March 21, 2022, 11:18 p.m.

Edit

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Webinar Demo Org

Plants

New

Help

No production facilities defined for Webinar Demo Org

Define a New Production Facility for Webinar Demo Org

Facility Name*

Webinar Plant

Please ensure that the address entered on this page is for the physical address of the plant. Please do not use a P.O. box or other mail forwarding address. This address will be used for EPD calculations related to this plant.

Address Line 1*

322 Shelden Ave

Address Line 2

City

Please ensure that the address entered on this page is for the physical address of the plant. Please do not use a P.O. box or other mail forwarding address. This address will be used for EPD calculations related to this plant.

Address Line 1*

322 Sheldon Ave

Address Line 2

City*

Houghton

State*

Michigan


5-digit Zip Code*


49931





Plant zipcode is used to identify your electricity provider: make sure you get it correct!


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Choose a payment plan

NAPA Members

The rate for members is

\$3000

for 5 years, 0 months, 10 days of access.

Select

Non-Members

The rate for non-members is

\$6000

for 5 years, 0 months, 10 days of access.

You're a NAPA member, please select other plan.

Prices

- Depends on when you enter the system (# of years the EPDs are valid)
- Rate is per plant; Unlimited EPDs per plant



Year	NAPA Members	Non-members
2022 (up to 5 years)	\$3000	\$6000
2023 (up to 4 years)	\$3000	\$6000
2024 (up to 3 years)	\$2750	\$5500
2025 (up to 2 years)	\$2500	\$5000
2026 (up to 1 year)	\$2250	\$4500

Webinar Demo Org

Plants

New

Help

Name	Active	Production Data
Webinar Plant		

Webinar Plant Primary Data

Total Yearly Production

Data collection start date*

03/22/2021



Data collection period must have started between 03/23/2017 and 03/22/2021.

Quantities reported on this page refer to a 12 month period that began within the last five years. Please state the start date of the twelve month period during which the data was recorded.

All subsequent entries must have been recorded over this 12 month period.

Total Asphalt Mix Sold

100000

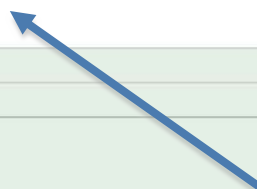
U.S. Short Tons

Please state the total tonnage of asphalt (including all mix types) produced at your plant and placed at a job over the chosen 12 month period.

Asphalt sold shn document

Choose File

No file chosen



Total Water

0

Enter the total quantity of water consumed during the 12-month data collection period (including water used for concrete, asphalt binder, and landscaping), slurry

Best practice: Upload documentation for all data

Key Data Categories

- Production quantity
- Water use
- Waste (baghouse fines, wet scrubber fines, etc.)
- Electricity consumption
- Onsite generator fuel
- Burner fuel
- Oil heater fuel
- Equipment fuel (loaders, trucks, etc.)

Scenario:

Plant only tracks total diesel use.

Solution:

Enter all diesel use as burner fuel.



Welcome to the EPD Tool data gathering sheet. It is meant to be used in conjunction with the EPD Tool Instructions (pdf).

It is provided to help you gather the relevant data needed to create your first EPD using the Asphalt EPD tool.

The data can be divided into three categories:

1. Organizational information
2. Plant data
3. Suppliers and ingredients
4. Mix information (Mix Form A and Mix Form B)

There is a separate worksheet for each category to align with the data entry sections of the EPD Tool.

All data entered into the EPD tool is confidential. Only the downstream environmental impacts will appear in the final EPD. No sensitive data about mix design or energy usage will be revealed in the EPD.



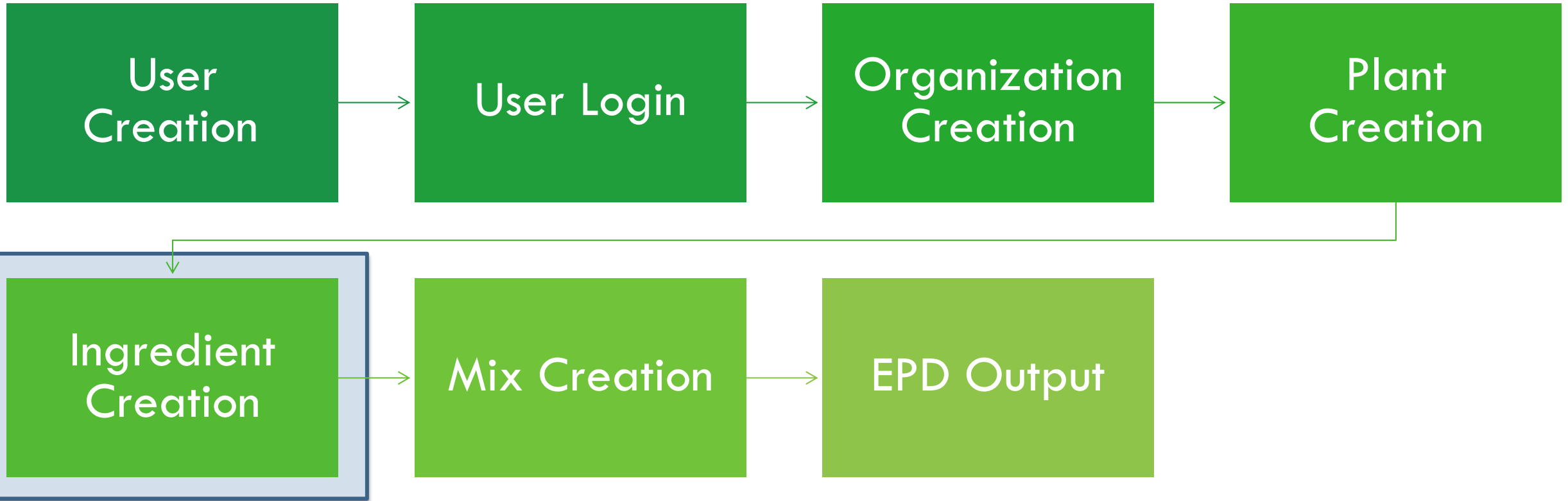
EPD Data Gathering Sheet.

Created by Lianna Miller and Joseph Shacat

Version 3, March 21, 2022



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Available Mix Ingredients

Aggregates

Your library of aggregate materials used by any plant associated with this Organization. Define all aggregates except RAP and RAS here.

New

Source

Ingredient

Details

Origin

Binders

Your library of asphalt binders used by any plant associated with this Organization, including binders that are modified at the terminal.

New

Source

Ingredient

Details

Origin

Field Blended Binder Additives

Your library of additives used to modify asphalt binder at asphalt plants associated with this Organization. Binder additives that are blended at the terminal do not need to be listed here and should be entered using the Binder interface instead.

New

Source

Ingredient

Details

Origin

Data update required

Due to updates to the Emerald EcoLabel tool, some of your ingredients require an update to their data. Please check each highlighted ingredient and make sure that it references the correct ingredient type in all dropdowns. These types changed with the version 2.0 update with the addition of new data.

Please contact epd@asphaltpavement.org with any questions.

Aggregates

Your library of aggregate materials used by any plant associated with this Organization. Define all aggregates except RAP and RAS [here](#).

New

Source	Ingredient	Details	Origin
Test Quarry 1	Coarse Grade 1	Update required	11 Quarry St. Test City, GA 11111
Test Quarry 1	Fine Grade 1	Update required	11 Quarry St. Test City, GA 11111
Test Quarry 1	Fine Grade 2	Update required	11 Quarry St. Test City, GA 11111

Define a New Aggregate

Select Source

Select a supplier company. Please ensure a company has not already been defined before adding a new supplier.

Source*

[New Supplier](#)

Aggregate Details

Ingredient Name*

Aggregate Type*

† Ingredients with upstream data gaps. Data gaps that represent more than 1% of the mix by mass (individually) or 5% of the mix by mass (combined) are ineligible for EPD creation. Data gaps below these thresholds will be indicated on the EPD. Work is ongoing to develop datasets to fill these data gaps. Please contact NAPA at epd@asphaltpavement.org with inquiries about timelines for filling data gaps and to request upstream data from your supplier.

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Define a New Source

Enter company and contact information for a new supplier. Please ensure that the supplier has not already been defined by checking the dropdown list above. This information is collected in order to track the use of each ingredient and ensure a verifiable audit trail for each EPD. All supplier details are covered under a non-disclosure policy.

Company Name*

Webinar supplier

Address Line 1*

322 Shelden Ave

Company Website

<https://asphaltpd.org>

Address Line 2

Contact Name

Ben Ciavola

City*

Houghton

Email*

ben@trisightengineering.com

State*

Michigan

Phone Number*

(555) 393-9292

5-digit Zip Code*

49931

Aggregate Details

Ingredient Name*

Webinar Sand and Gravel

Aggregate Type*

✓ ----

Natural Stone

Glass Cullet

Recycled Concrete Aggregate

† Slag - Iron (blast furnace)

† Slag - Steel (basic oxygen furnace)

† Slag - Steel (electric arc furnace)

Mineral fillers - Baghouse fines

Mineral fillers - Crusher fines

Mineral fillers - Fly ash

Mineral fillers - Lime

Mineral fillers - Portland cement

Mineral fillers - Slag cement

Source*

Webinar supplier in Houghton, MI

New Supplier

Binder Details

Delete Ingredient

Name*

Webinar Basic Binder

✓ Unmodified

PPA Modified - up to 1% polyphosphoric acid

SBS modified - 3.5% styrene-butadiene-styrene

GTR modified - 5% to 10% ground tire rubber

† Cutback Asphalt

† Emulsified Asphalt

† Natural Asphalt (e.g. Trinidad Lake)

from your supplier.

Description

Document

Choose File

No file chosen

Additives and Modifiers

If your binder is further modified at the terminal (in addition to any additives or modifiers listed in the selected data source) list the modifiers and the percent of the binder that they represent. If you modify your binder at your plant, do not include the modifiers here. Instead, create a binder additive on the Material Sources page (the same page that navigated you here to create a new Binder). The difference is important because it affects the travel distances of the binder additives.

Additive Type*

Percent of Binder by Mass*

- ✓ ----
- Warm Mix Additive - Ingevity Evotherm M1
- † Antistrip Agents - Amidoamines
- † Antistrip Agents - Imidazolines
- † Antistrip Agents - Organo-silanes
- † Antistrip Agents - Polyamines
- † Elastomer - Biopolymer
- † Elastomer - Natural Rubber
- † Elastomer - Polybutadiene

 %

Update Binder Additive

Select Source

Select a supplier company. Please ensure a company has not already been defined before adding a new supplier.

Source*

Webinar supplier in Houghton, MI



New Supplier

Binder Additive Details

Delete Ingredient

If the binder additive is blended at the asphalt plant, it should be entered here. Binder additives that are blended at the terminal should be entered using the Binder interface.

Name*

Evotherm

Additive Type*

Warm Mix Additive - Ingevity Evotherm M1



† Indicates ingredient has a data gap. Select the relevant category of additive or modifier. If it is not found in the list, please contact NAPA at epd@asphaltpavement.org.

Mix Additive Details

Delete Ingredient

Name*

Lime

-
- ✓ Antistrip Agents - Hydrated lime
- † Fibers, natural - Cellulose
- † Fibers, natural - Mineral
- † Fibers, natural - Rock wool
- † Fibers, synthetic - Aramid
- † Fibers, synthetic - Fiberglass
- † Fibers, synthetic - Polyester
- † Fibers, synthetic - Polypropylene
- † Fibers, recycled
- † Pigments - Iron oxide
- † Pigments - Titanium dioxide
- † Plastic - Recycled
- † Warm Mix Additive - Zeolites (aluminosilicates)
- † Warm Mix Additive - Hybrid technologies

Binders

New

Your library of asphalt binders used by any plant associated with this Organization, including binders that are modified at the terminal.

Source	Ingredient	Details	Origin
Webinar supplier	Webinar Basic Binder <i>Unmodified</i>	Edit	322 Shelden Ave Houghton, MI 49931

Field Blended Binder Additives

New

Your library of additives used to modify asphalt binder at asphalt plants associated with this Organization. Binder additives that are blended at the terminal do not need to be listed here and should be entered using the Binder interface instead.

Source	Ingredient	Details	Origin
Webinar supplier	Natural Rubber <i>Elastomer - Natural Rubber</i>	Edit	322 Shelden Ave Houghton, MI 49931

Mix Additives

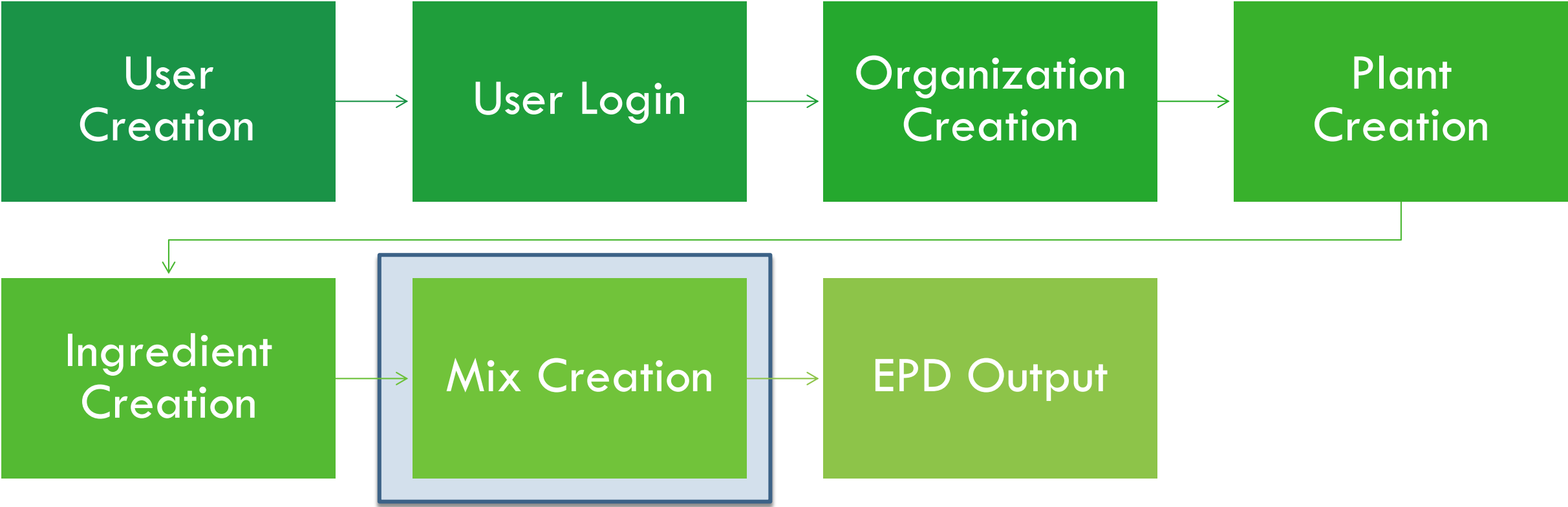
New


Your library of mix additives that are blended at asphalt plants associated with this Organization.

Source	Ingredient	Details	Origin
Webinar supplier	Evotherm <i>Warm Mix Additive - Evotherm</i>	Edit	322 Shelden Ave Houghton, MI 49931




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New Mix

Name

Edit

EPD

Status

Define a New Asphalt Mix

Remaining mass budget of 100% is outside 0.01% tolerance

Mix Definition

Identify the primary characteristics of this mix. Note that all mass percentages are in terms of **total mix mass**.

Mix ID*

Webinar Mix

Enter a meaningful unique identifier for this mix. We suggest you use your company's naming convention and/or identifier.

Primary Contact*

btciavol@mtu.edu

Identify a primary contact person for this mix. This person's contact information will be included on all EPDs generated for this mix design.

Safety Data Sheet

Webinar Demo Org SDS

Please select the SDS for this mix. If your organization has no SDS sheets defined, please create one using the Organizations interface before continuing

Specification

Mix Specification Entity*

DOT

Name of the entity that developed the specification for this mix.

Mix Specification*

Webinar Superpave Spec

Mix specification name

Mix design method

Superpave



Project or Customer ID

MY-DOT-PROJECT-1A

OPTIONAL: ID for the project or customer for whom this mix was designed.

Upper PG Grade

Lower PG Grade

58



-28



Nominal Maximum Aggregate Size

Enter the nominal maximum aggregate size used in this mix. Please enter a value either in decimal inches or in millimeters, but not both.

Nominal maximum aggregate size (inches)

inches

Nominal maximum aggregate size (millimeters)

mm

Heating

How would you categorize this mix's processing?*

Hot Mix



Warm mix technology*

Chemical Additive



Min Temp*

Minimum temperature of mix production.

Max Temp*

Maximum temperature of mix production.

Units*

Fahrenheit



Ensure correct units are selected.

Reclaimed Asphalt Pavement

Percent RAP by Mass

RAP is processed onsite

 %

Reclaimed Asphalt Pavement used, as percent of total mix mass. Value should be between 0 and 100.

RAP Truck Distance

RAP Train Distance

RAP Barge Distance

RAP Ocean Distance

 miles miles miles miles

Enter the approximate average distance that RAP is transported from the initial processing or storage location to the asphalt plant. If the initial processing or storage location is onsite, you may enter a distance of zero if you included fuel consumption for on-site transport activities in the Equipment Fuel Consumption field of the Plants interface.

Recycled Asphalt Shingles

Percent RAS by Mass

RAS is processed onsite

 %

Recycled Asphalt Shingles used, as percent of total mix mass. Value should be between 0 and 100.

RAS Truck Distance

RAS Train Distance

RAS Barge Distance

RAS Ocean Distance

Remaining mass budget of 4% is outside 0.01% tolerance

Aggregate

Identify all aggregates used in this mix. Do not include RAP or RAS - these are accounted for in the Mix Overview section above.

Distances should include all travel from the aggregate quarry or gravel pit to the asphalt plant. For recycled aggregates such as glass cullet or recycled concrete aggregates, the distance should include all travel from the material processing facility to the asphalt plant

Ingredient*

Percent of Mix by Mass*

Natural Stone - Webinar Sand and Gravel from Webinar supplier



66

%

Truck Distance

Train Distance

Barge Distance

Ocean Distance

50

Miles

Miles

Miles

Miles

One-way distance. Default is 50 miles.

One-way distance.

One-way distance.

One-way distance.

remove

Document

Choose File

No file chosen

Please attach a file that documents the use of this ingredient in this mix, if available.

Add another aggregate

Remaining mass budget of 0% is outside 0.01% tolerance

Virgin Binder

Identify types and amounts of virgin binder used in this mix.

Do not include binder content due to RAP, RAS, or any other recycled sources. Do not include mass due to binder additives or modifiers added at your plant. Report all such additives in the next section.

Distances should include all travel from the asphalt terminal to the final mix production facility. If you source the binder directly from the refinery, use the distance from the refinery to the final mix production facility.

Ingredient*

Percent of Mix by Mass*

Webinar Basic Binder from Webinar supplier



3.99

%

Truck Distance

Train Distance

Barge Distance

Ocean Distance

50



Miles

Miles

Miles

Miles

One-way distance calculated from the terminal. Default is 50 miles.

One-way distance calculated from the terminal.

One-way distance calculated from the terminal.

One-way distance.

remove

Document

Choose File

No file chosen

Please attach a file that documents the use of this ingredient in this mix, if available.

Add another binder

Remaining mass budget of 0% is within 0.01% tolerance

Binder Additives and Modifiers

Identify all binder additives or modifiers used in this mix.

Please include any materials added to virgin binder by your organization at your mix production facility, after the binder has been received from the terminal but before the binder is added to the mix.

Enter the percent per ton of mix (not binder!) that this binder additive comprises. Typical values are 0.05-1.0%. To convert from % of binder to % of total mix mass, multiply the percentage of the additive in the binder by the decimal percentage of the binder in the mix. So, if your additive is 2% of the total binder mass, and your mix is 5% binder, your additive is $2.0\% \times 0.05 = 0.10\%$ of total mix mass. Be sure that this mass percent calculation is factored into your reported amounts of virgin binder.

Distances should include all travel from the additive manufacturing facility to the final mix production facility.

Ingredient*

Percent of Mix by Mass*

Evotherm from Webinar supplier



0.01

%

Please calculate the percent of total mix mass that this additive represents.

Truck Distance

Train Distance

Barge Distance

Ocean Distance

50.0

Miles

Miles

Miles

Miles

remove

One-way distance. Default is 50 miles.

One-way distance.

One-way distance.

One-way distance.

Mix Additives

Identify all other materials added directly to this mix. Please include any material that is not included in base aggregates, binders, RAP, or RAS. For a list of possible categories please see the Ingredient Category dropdown on the "New Mix Additive Source" page.

Ingredient*

Percent of Mix by Mass*

 ▼ %

Truck Distance

Train Distance

Barge Distance

Ocean Distance

 Miles Miles Miles Miles

One-way distance. Default is 50 miles.

One-way distance.

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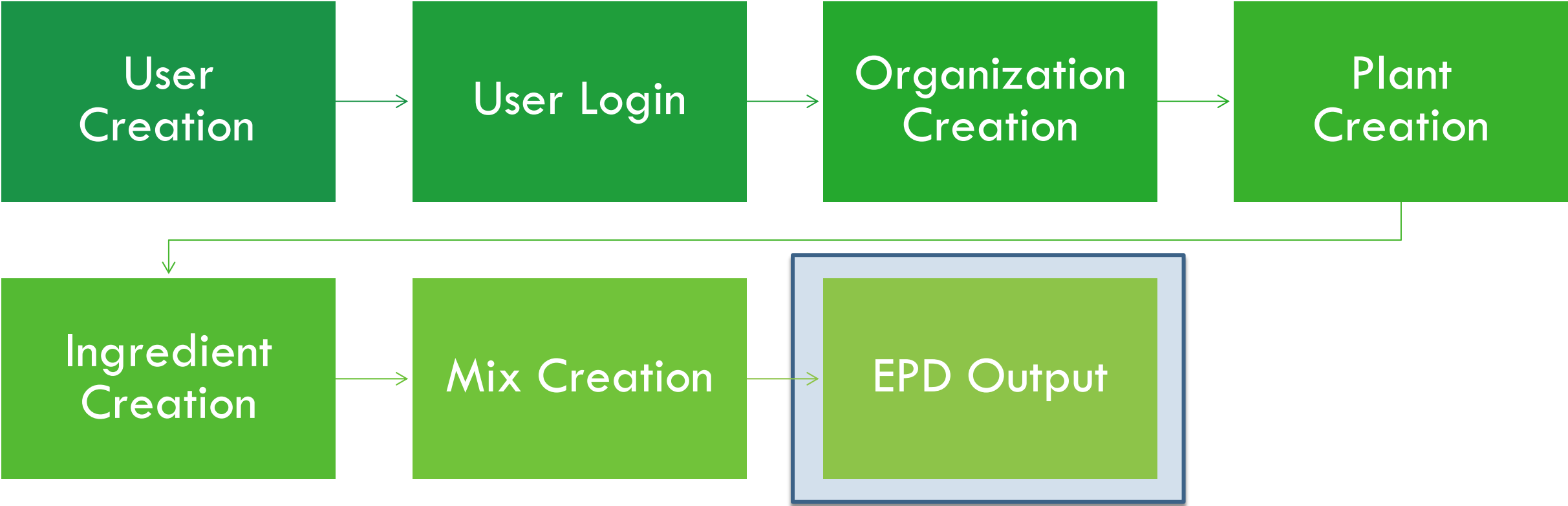
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Document

Please attach a file that documents the use of this ingredient in this mix, if available.

Add another mix additive

EPD Tool Workflow



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An Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) for Asphalt Mixtures

Company Information

Webinar Demo Org is an asphalt mixture producer.
Webinar Plant asphalt plant
 322 Shelden Ave
 Houghton, MI 49931
 USA



Product Description

This EPD reports the potential environmental impacts and additional environmental information for an asphalt mixture, which falls under the United Nations Standard Products and Services Code 30111509. Asphalt mixtures are typically incorporated as part of the structure of a roadway, parking lot, driveway, airfield, bike lane, pedestrian path, railroad track bed, or recreational surface.

Mix Name: Webinar Mix
 Specification Entity: DOT
 Specification: Webinar Superpave Spec
 Gradation Type: dense
 Mix Design Method: superpave
 Nominal Maximum Aggregate Size: 0.75 inches
 Performance Grade of Asphalt Binder: PG 58-28
 Customer [Project/Contract] Number: MY-DOT-PROJECT-1A

This mix producer categorizes this product as a Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) asphalt mixture. This asphalt mixture was produced within a temperature range of 149 to 154°C (300.0 to 310.0°F). Energy and environmental impacts are based on a plant's average performance over a 12-month period and are not adjusted for mix-specific production temperatures.



This declaration is an EPD in accordance with ISO 14025:2006¹ and ISO 21930:2017². The PCR is *Product Category Rules for Asphalt Mixtures*^{3,4}. This EPD transparently describes the potential environmental impacts associated with the identified life cycle stages of the described product.
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Date of Issue: March 22, 2022 **Period of Validity:** March 31, 2027
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This EPD can be found at <https://staging.asphaltpd.org/epd/d/gGyuG6uExSB/>
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Environmental Product Declaration for Asphalt Mixtures

Ingredients

Ingredients as identified in the mix design are provided in the table below.

MATERIAL INGREDIENTS		
	MATERIAL	WEIGHT %
	Natural Stone	66
	Reclaimed Asphalt Pavement	30
	Unmodified	4
	Warm Mix Additive - Ingevity Evotherm M1	< 1%

Material is a data gap. Upstream data associated with extraction and processing is not accounted for in

Hazardous Substances

substances, if applicable, are listed on the safety data sheet (SDS) associated with this asphalt mixture. The composition of the mix from the SDS are provided here for transparency.

DECLARED HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES		
AL NAME	CAS NO.	WEIGHT %
Aggregate	Various	90.0 < 95.0
Cement	8052-42-4	< 10.0
Admixtures	Various	< 1.0

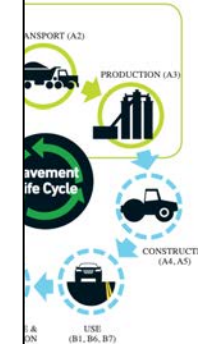
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ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT SUMMARY TABLE

IMPACT CATEGORY	POTENTIAL IMPACT PER METRIC TONNE ASPHALT MIXTURE (PER TON ASPHALT MIXTURE)
Global Warming Potential (GWP-100)	58.60 (53.16) kg CO2 Equiv.
Acid Equivalency Potential (ADP)	1.36e-06 (1.24e-06) kg CFC-11 Equiv.
Human Toxicity Potential (HTP)	1.29e-02 (1.17e-02) kg N Equiv.
Respiratory Irritation Potential (RIP)	1.66e-01 (1.50e-01) kg SO2 Equiv
Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential (POCP)	5.04 (4.57) kg O3 Equiv.

Life Cycle Framework

metric tonne (1 short ton) of an asphalt mixture (UNSPSC Code 30111509: Asphalt Based Concrete), which is produced composite material of aggregates, asphalt binder, and other materials.³



LIFE CYCLE STAGES AND INFORMATION MODULES

This is a cradle to gate EPD. It covers the raw material supply, transport, and manufacturing life cycle stages (modules A1-A3). It does not include construction (placement and compaction), use, maintenance, rehabilitation, or the end-of-life life cycle stages (modules A4-5, B1-7, and C1-4).²

Materials (A1): This stage includes raw material extraction and manufacturing (e.g., quarry operations for aggregates, petroleum extraction and refinery operations for asphalt binder production, etc.) based on the relative proportion of ingredients in the mix design.

Transport (A2): This stage includes transport of raw materials to the asphalt plant based on actual transportation distances and modes for ingredients in the mix design.

Production (A3): This stage comprises plant operations involved in the production of asphalt mixtures, including generation of electricity and heat used during asphalt mix production (e.g., extraction, refining, and transport of fuels). Data for this stage is plant specific.

NOTES

Using plant-specific data for asphalt mix production of the production stage (A1-A3). Potential variations in design, supplier locations, manufacturing processes, efficiencies, and energy consumption are accounted for. Data sources are prescribed in the Product Category Rules (PCR) and are publicly available and freely accessible. Use of the prescribed data sources improves comparability among the EPDs due to differences in the upstream data within the system boundaries.³

PROCEDURES

Production and transportation of raw materials are subdivided based on the relative material quantities in the mix design. For conventional asphalt plants that produce both hot-mix asphalt (HMA) and warm-mix asphalt (WMA), energy and other resources for asphalt mix production is on a mass basis. Mix-specific production data is used to separately allocate energy inputs to HMA and WMA mixtures. For conventional asphalt plants that use cold central plant recycling (CCPR) technologies, HMA and WMA mixtures are produced by segregating burner fuel consumption from CCPR mixtures.



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TABLE 1. PRODUCT INGREDIENTS

COMPONENT	MATERIAL	WEIGHT %
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<i>RAP</i>	<i>Reclaimed Asphalt Pavement</i>	30
<i>Binder</i>	<i>Unmodified</i>	4
<i>Binder Additive</i>	<i>Warm Mix Additive - Ingevity Evotherm M1</i>	< 1%

*Indicates that this material is a data gap. Upstream data associated with extraction and processing is not accounted for in this EPD.

TABLE 4. LIFE CYCLE IMPACT INDICATORS

ACRONYM	INDICATOR	UNIT	QUANTITY PER METRIC TONNE ASPHALT MIXTURE (PER SHORT TON ASPHALT MIXTURE)			
			MATERIALS (A1)	TRANSPORT (A2)	PRODUCTION (A3)	TOTAL (A1-A3)
GWP-100	<i>Global warming potential, incl. biogenic CO2</i>	<i>kg CO2 Equiv.</i>	27.28 (24.75)	8.08 (7.33)	23.24 (21.08)	58.60 (53.16)
ODP	<i>Ozone depletion potential</i>	<i>kg CFC-11 Equiv.</i>	1.25e-06 (1.14e-06)	4.88e-08 (4.42e-08)	6.07e-08 (5.50e-08)	1.36e-06 (1.24e-06)
EP	<i>Eutrophication potential</i>	<i>kg N Equiv.</i>	8.08e-03 (7.33e-03)	2.41e-03 (2.18e-03)	2.37e-03 (2.15e-03)	1.29e-02 (1.17e-02)
AP	<i>Acidification potential</i>	<i>kg SO2 Equiv.</i>	8.24e-02 (7.47e-02)	4.12e-02 (3.73e-02)	4.21e-02 (3.82e-02)	1.66e-01 (1.50e-01)
POCP	<i>Photochemical ozone creation potential</i>	<i>kg O3 Equiv.</i>	2.47 (2.24)	1.32 (1.20)	1.25 (1.13)	5.04 (4.57)

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Common Concerns

- Can someone figure out details of my plant operations from an EPD?
 - ▣ **NO.** The algorithm calculating environmental impacts goes through several large transformation matrices rendering back-calculation extremely complex.
- How long is an EPD good for?
 - ▣ 5 years or March 31, 2027, whichever is sooner.
- Is there a limit on the number of EPDs I can make?
 - ▣ **NO.** Payment is by plant; you can make unlimited EPDs for each plant.



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