

Embodied Carbon Calculator: Mid-level Report

(CIBSE TM65 Digital Tool)



If Section A of the 'Input' tab is correctly completed, the results will be shown here.

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Mid-level report for LED Strip - Group A as manufactured by No Grey Area

'Mid-level' calculation		Notes/source
Date of assessment	13/01/25	Form "dd/mm/yy"
Name of assessor and assessor organisation	Self Assessment	
Contact email address of assessor	jordan@nogreyarea.co.uk	

Product information		
Type of product	Luminaires	
Capacity of equipment/size (kW; m ³ ; litres; etc.)	5 m	
Product weight (kg)	0.15 kg	
Material % breakdown for at least 95% of the product weight? (Y/N)	Y	
Product service life (years)	10 Years	
If refrigerant based, type of refrigerant used and GWP	No refrigerant, 0 kgCO ₂ e	
Refrigerant charge (kg)	0.00 kg	
Energy consumption of the factory* per unit of product	5.00 kWh	Electricity - Asia
Location of manufacture*	Shenzhen, Guangdong, China	
Product complexity category	Category 2	See CIBSE TM65 Table 4.3

Embodied carbon results (kg CO ₂ e) — breakdown		
A1: Material extraction	4 kgCO ₂ e	TM65 assumption
A2: Transport	0 kgCO ₂ e	TM65 assumption
A3: Manufacturing	8 kgCO ₂ e	
A4: Transport to site	0 kgCO ₂ e	TM65 assumption
A5: Construction	n/a	
B1: Refrigerant leakage during use	0 kgCO ₂ e	TM65 leakage Type 0
B2: Maintenance (if information given by manufacturer)	n/a	
B3: Repair	2 kgCO ₂ e	TM65 assumption
B4: Replacement	n/a	
B5: Refurbishment	n/a	
B6: Operational energy	n/a	
B7: Operational water	n/a	
C1: Refrigerant leakage when decommissioning	0 kgCO ₂ e	TM65 leakage Type 0
C2: Transport	0 kgCO ₂ e	
C3: Waste processing	4 kgCO ₂ e	
C4: Disposal	0 kgCO ₂ e	TM65 assumption

Embodied carbon results (kg CO ₂ e) — without refrigerant leakage		
A1-C4 without buffer factor (excluding B1, C1)	18 kgCO ₂ e	
A1-C4 with buffer factor (excluding B1, C1)	23 kgCO ₂ e	

Embodied carbon result (kg CO ₂ e) — refrigerant leakage only		
B1 (refrigerant leakage during use) + C1 (refrigerant leakage at end of life)	0 kgCO ₂ e	

Embodied carbon result with 'mid-level' calculation method (kg CO ₂ e) — total		
Result of 'mid-level' calculation method	23 kgCO ₂ e	

Assumptions		
A1: Material carbon coefficient source	Source = CIBSE TM65, Table 2.1	E.g.: Source = CIBSE TM65, Table 2.1
B1: Refrigerant annual leakage rate (%)	0%	E.g.: Source = CIBSE TM65, Table 4.13 type 2
C1: Refrigerant end of life recovery rate (%)	100%	E.g.: Source = CIBSE TM65, Table 4.13 type 2
B3: Materials replaced as part of repair (%)	10%	E.g.: Source = CIBSE TM65
C4: Percentage of product going to landfill (%)	55%	E.g.: Source = CIBSE TM65