

Product Environmental Profile

Fuses for photovoltaic applications



LEGRAND'S ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENTS

- Incorporate environmental management into our industrial sites
Of all Legrand sites worldwide, over 80% are ISO 14001-certified (sites belonging to the Group for more than five years)..
- Involve the environment in product design
Provide our customers with all relevant information (composition, consumption, end of life, etc.).
Reduce the environmental impact of products over their whole life cycle..
- Offer our customers environmentally friendly solutions
Develop innovative solutions to help our customers design more energy efficient, better managed and more environmentally friendly installations.



REFERENCE PRODUCT

Fonction	Breaking: Clears a fault current and secures a DC PV solar system with $I_n = 10A$ 1000V (EN standard 60269-6), over a 20-year lifetime, while passing 30% of I_n current 30% of the time.
Reference Product	<div data-bbox="858 920 1107 1256" data-label="Image"> </div> <p data-bbox="858 1267 1107 1294">Catalogue Numbers 414627</p> <p data-bbox="683 1301 1283 1328">Cylindric Fuse for photovoltaic applications 1 000 V= 10 A x 38 mm</p>

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PRODUCTS CONCERNED

The environmental data for the reference product refers to the following Catalogue Numbers:

Références 414625, 414626 414627, 414628, 414629 414630



■ CONSTITUENT MATERIALS

This Reference Product contains no substances prohibited by the regulations applicable at the time of its introduction to the market. At the date of publication of this document, this Reference Product does not contain RoHS substances (2002/95/EC and its revision 2011/65/EU). It contains none of the 138 candidate substances of the candidate list of the REACH regulation dated 19/12/2012.

Total weight of Reference Product		9 g (with unit packaging)			
Plastics as % of weight		Metals as % of weight		Other as % of weight	
Melamine resin	10.0%	Copper	45.7%	Fiberglass	16.2%
		Silver	0.5%	Quartz sand	13.2%
		Tin	0.3%	Vulcanized fiber	0.6%
				Packaging as mg of weight	
				Paper	13.5%
Total plastics	10.0%	Total metals	46.5%	Total other and packaging	43.5%



■ MANUFACTURE

This Reference Product comes from a site that have received ISO14001 certification.



■ DISTRIBUTION

Products are distributed from logistics centres located with a view to optimize transport efficiency. The Reference Product is therefore transported over an average distance of 780 km by road from our warehouse to the local point of distribution into the market in Europe.

Packaging is compliant with with european directive 2004/12/EC concerning packaging and packaging waste.

At the packaging end of life, its recyclability rate is of 100% (in % of the mass of the packaging)



■ INSTALLATION

Installation components not delivered with the product are not taken into account.



■ USE

Servicing and maintenance:
Under normal conditions of use, this type of Product requires no servicing or maintenance

Consumable
No consumables are necessary to use the Reference Product



END OF LIFE

Product end of life management is integrated into product design by the development teams.

The dismantling and sorting of components or materials is made as easy as possible with a view to recycling or failing that, another form of reuse.

% in mass of the product only :

Recyclability :	50%
Incinerability :	0.9%
Ordinary waste :	49.1%



ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

The evaluation of environmental impacts examines the stages of the reference product life cycle: manufacturing, distribution, installation, use, and end of life. It is representative from products marketed and used in Europe in compliance with the local current standards

The following modelling elements were taken into account:

Manufacture	Unit packaging taken in account. As required by the "PEP ecopassport" programme all transports for the manufacturing of the Reference Product, including materials and components, has been taken in account.
Distribution	Transport between the last Group distribution centre and an average delivery to the sales area
Installation	Installation components not delivered with the product are not taken into account.
Use	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Under normal conditions of use, this type of Product requires no servicing or maintenance • No consumables are necessary to use the Reference Product • Product category : passive product • Use scenario : non-continuous operation for 20 years at 30% of rated load, during 30% of the time. This modelling duration does not constitute a minimum durability requirement • Energy model: France, year 2005
End of life	In view of the data available on the date of creation of the document, and in accordance with the requirements of the PCR of the «PEP ecopassport» programme, transport of the Reference Product by road only once, over a distance of 1000 km, to a processing site at end of life was counted.
Software used	EIME V5 and its database "EIME version 5.1, database version CODDE-2013-02"



ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS (continued)

	Total for Life cycle		Raw material and manufacture		Distribution		Installation		Use		End of life		
	Value	Unit	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	Value	%	
Mandatory indicators	Contribution to greenhouse effect	9.83E+02	g~CO2	2.00E+01	2%	1.53E+00	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	9.63E+02	98%	4.49E-01	< 1%
	Damage to the ozone layer	7.68E-05	g~CFC-11	4.41E-06	6%	1.08E-06	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	7.24E-05	94%	8.52E-10	< 1%
	Eutrophisation of water	1.23E-02	g~PO43-	1.34E-03	11%	2.54E-05	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	1.10E-02	89%	8.35E-07	< 1%
	Photochemical ozone formation	4.31E-01	g~C2H4	1.08E-02	3%	1.33E-03	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	4.20E-01	97%	1.00E-04	< 1%
	Acidification of the air	1.75E-01	g~H+	5.10E-03	3%	1.97E-04	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	1.70E-01	97%	8.35E-05	< 1%
	Total energy consumed	9.52E+01	MJ	3.25E-01	< 1%	1.93E-02	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	9.49E+01	100%	6.33E-03	< 1%
	Consumption of water	1.83E+01	dm3	1.92E-01	1%	1.83E-03	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	1.81E+01	99%	4.66E-05	< 1%

Optional indicators	Depletion of natural resources	3.78E-15	années ⁻¹	3.73E-15	99%	2.63E-20	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	5.61E-17	1%	9.18E-21	< 1%
	Toxicity of the air	2.19E+05	m ³	6.94E+03	3%	2.91E+02	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	2.12E+05	97%	1.24E+02	< 1%
	Toxicity of the water	1.80E-01	m ³	1.69E-02	9%	2.12E-04	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	1.63E-01	90%	1.92E-04	< 1%
	Production of hazardous waste	1.24E-02	kg	8.81E-04	7%	5.69E-07	< 1%	0.00E+00	0%	1.16E-02	93%	5.56E-10	< 1%

The environmental impacts of the Reference Product are representative of the products covered by the PEP, which therefore constitute a homogeneous environmental family. Indicators are identical.

To determine the environmental impact of a product covered by the PEP other than the cat.number 414627, the following rules apply :

For 414625 reference, multiply the reference value by 0.8125

For 414626 reference, multiply the reference value by 0.875

For 414628 reference, multiply the reference value by 1.0625

For 414629 reference, multiply the reference value by 1.375

For 414630 reference, multiply the reference value by 1.625

For Raw Material Depletion indicator, the maximum is for 414630 reference, the higher rated fuse (30A) of this uniform range.

The value for Manufacturing phase is: 1.56x10⁻¹⁴

The value for Total life cycle is: 1.57x10⁻¹⁴

The values of these impacts are valid for the context specified in this document. They must not be used directly to draw up the environmental balance sheet for the installation.

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The elements of the present PEP cannot be compared with elements from another programme	

