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Bar and Bar in Coil (Products in Sendai)





Functional unit

1 metric ton

System boundary

☐ final products ■ intermediate products

Production stage (Raw material acquisition,

Manufacturing) and Recycling potential

Main specifications of the product

Production Site:

Sendai works

Representative Standards:

SC, SCR, SCM, SGD, SUM, SWRCH

Shape:

Bar, Bar in Coil

Size range (mm):

Bar: φ17 - φ120

Bar in Coil: φ16.7 - φ52

PCR number	PA-180000-AW-05	
PCR name	Steel products	
	(except for construction use)	
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JR-AW-23021E

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Third party verifier*

Registration#

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Independent verification of data & declaration in accordance with ISO14025

□internal	■ external

Company Information

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1. Results of life cycle impact assessment (LCIA)

Stage	Production stage (cradle to gate) [A1],[A2] and [A3]	Unit	
Global warming IPCC2013 GWP100a	1.0E+03	kg-CO₂eq	
Acidification	5.9E-01	kg-SO₂eq	
Photochemical ozone	3.4E-03	kg-PO₄³-eq	

Stage Parameter	Unit	Total	[A1][A2] Raw material acquisition	[A3] Manufacturing	[D] Recycling potential
Global warming IPCC2013 GWP100a	kg-CO₂eq	1.0E+03	2.5E+02	7.7E+02	3.7E+02
Ozone layer destruction	kg-CFC-11eq	2.3E-07	1.7E-07	5.8E-08	6.7E-08
Acidification	kg-SO₂eq	5.9E-01	2.6E-01	3.3E-01	5.7E-01
Photochemical ozone	kg-C ₂ H₄eq	1.6E-02	1.7E-03	1.4E-02	8.0E-02
Eutrophication	kg-PO ₄ 3-eq	3.4E-03	5.0E-06	3.4E-03	6.8E-03

2. Life cycle inventory analysis (LCI)		
Parameter		Unit
Non-renewable material resources	2.2E+01	kg
Non-renewable energy resources	1.6E+04	MJ
Renewable material resources	1.3E+01	kg
Renewable primary energy	2.8E+02	MJ
Consumption of freshwater	1.7E+00	m ³

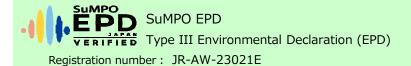
4. Waste to disposal		
Parameter		Unit
Hazardous waste	0.0E+00	kg
Non-hazardous waste.	8.5E-01	kg

*Data derived from LCA and not assigned to the impa	ct categories of LCIA
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3. Material composition		
Material		Unit
iron [Fe]	≧84.2	wt%
carbon [C]	≦1.10	wt%
silicon [Si]	≦3.00	wt%
manganese [Mn]	≦3.00	wt%
phosphorus [P]	≦0.15	wt%
sulfur [S]	≦0.45	wt%
copper [Cu]	≦0.60	wt%
nickel [Ni]	≦4.00	wt%
chromium [Cr]	≦2.50	wt%
molybdenum [Mo]	≦1.00	wt%

5. Additional explanation

- Scrap recycling potential is calculated based on ISO 20915/JIS Q 20915 and shown as [D] in table 1. Recycling ratio used in this calculation is 93.0%. (Using data is 2018FY from The Japan Iron and Steel Federation, The Japan ferrous raw materials association and The Japan Steel Can recycling Association).
- The basic unit data of power consumption is the average of 10 electric power suppliers of Japan in 2014FY.
- \cdot Each item (except iron) in table 3 is the maximum value of all product standards covered by this EPD.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$ Primary data in 2021 is used.



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6-1. Supplementary environmental information

The production site is certified to ISO 14001.

6-2. Regulated hazardous substances			
Substance	CAS No.	Reference to standards or regulations	
manganese [Mn]	7349-96-5	Industrial Safety and Health Act	
nickel [Ni]	7440-02-0	· Industrial Safety and Health Act	
chromium [Cr]	7440-47-3	Industrial Safety and Health Act	
molybdenum [Mo]	7439-98-7	Industrial Safety and Health Act	
copper [Cu]	7440-50-8	· Industrial Safety and Health Act	
lead [Pb]	7439-92-1	Industrial Safety and Health Act	

7. Assumptions of secondary data used

IDEA v2.1.3 database is used. Steel scrap data (JP-AJ-0001) from the Japan Iron and Steel Federation are used.

8. Remarks

- \cdot March, 2025; Change from the EcoLeaf mark to the SuMPO EPD mark.
- For data quantification, please refer to PCR and Rules on quantification and declaration.
- Comparative assertion is permitted only when Rules on quantification and declaration are satisfied. (Reference URL: https://ecoleaf-label.jp/regulation/)

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