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Life Cycle Assessment

The methodology in this report is based on ISO 14040

7150378 (sold in CH)

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Methodology

Environmental Impact Assessment

<p>Functional unit</p>	<p>The functional unit is a quantified performance of a product system for use as a reference unit. One of the primary purposes of a functional unit is to provide a reference to which the input and output data are normalized (in a mathematical sense). The functional unit of this analysis is "12 set(s) of bound pages of paper for the purpose of writing".</p>
<p>Impact Indicator</p>	<p>The impact is measured through the "IPCC 2013 GWP 100a" method.</p>
<p>Electricity impact calculation method</p>	<p>Following guidelines from the GHG Protocol, the impact of electricity is calculated using the location-based approach. This means that the emission factors used represent the average annual carbon intensity of the power grid in the country the processes take place in.</p>
<p>Hypothesis</p>	

Environmental Impact Assessment

System Boundaries

The scope of this research includes the complete lifecycle of a notebook from raw material extraction to disposal options for each material, which is the cradle-to-grave perspective.

Exclusions

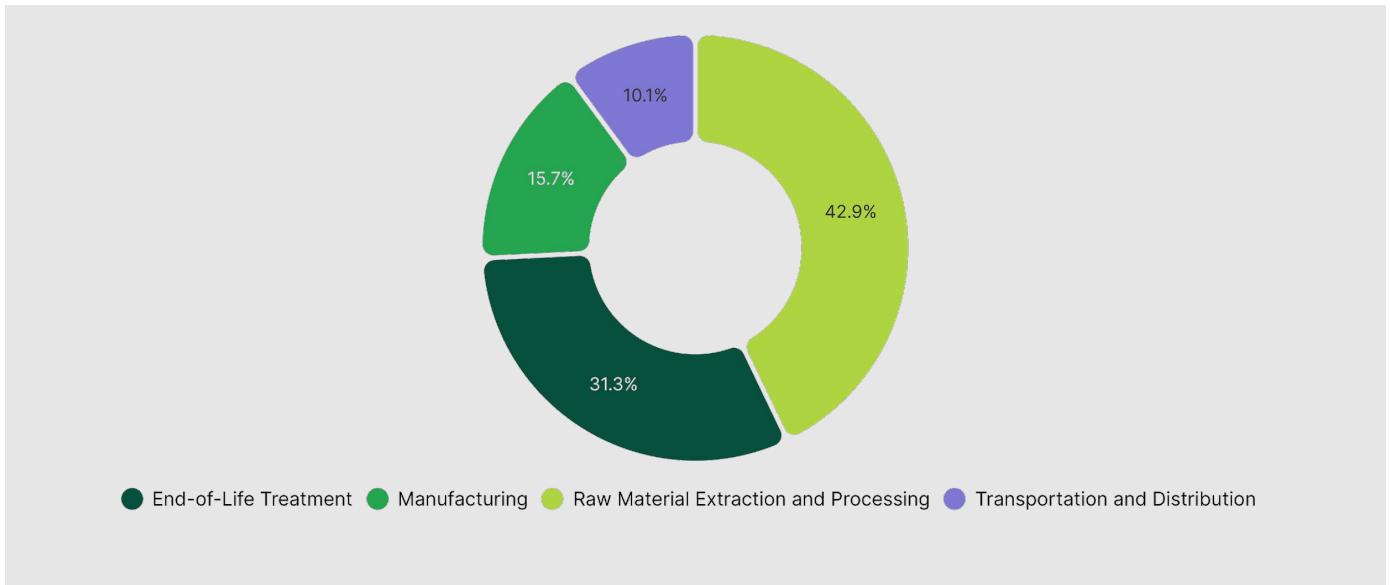
The impact of secondary packaging and writing utensils are excluded from this assessment.

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Results

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Climate Change



Step	Impact (kg CO ₂ eq)	Percentage (%)
Raw Material Extraction and Processing	0.44	42.88 %
End-of-Life Treatment	0.32	31.35 %
Manufacturing	0.16	15.68 %
Transportation and Distribution	0.1	10.10 %
TOTAL	1.03	100.00 %

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Climate Change - Raw Material Extraction and Processing



● Sourcing of raw material (adhesive) ● Sourcing of raw material (bleached kraft paper)

Activity	Emission Factor Num	Quantity	Impact (g CO ₂ eq)	Percentage (%)
Sourcing of raw material (bleached kraft paper)	1	0.82	406.81	92.50 %
Sourcing of raw material (adhesive)	2	6.05 · 10 ⁻³	32.99	7.50 %
TOTAL			439.8	100.00 %

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Climate Change - Manufacturing



Activity	Emission Factor Num	Quantity	Impact (g CO ₂ eq)	Percentage (%)
Electricity usage during material transformation (bleached kraft paper)	3	0.29	127.75	79.44 %
Natural gas usage during material transformation (bleached kraft paper)	4	0.16	28.1	17.48 %
Electricity usage during material transformation (adhesive)	3	0.01	4.97	3.09 %
TOTAL			160.82	100.00 %

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Climate Change - End-of-Life Treatment



Activity	Emission Factor Num	Quantity	Impact (g CO ₂ eq)	Percentage (%)
End of life (bleached kraft paper)	7	0.54	314.06	97.68 %
End of life (adhesive)	6	5.5 · 10 ⁻³	7.45	2.32 %
TOTAL			321.51	100.00 %

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