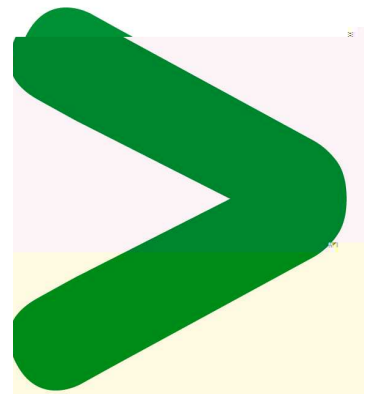
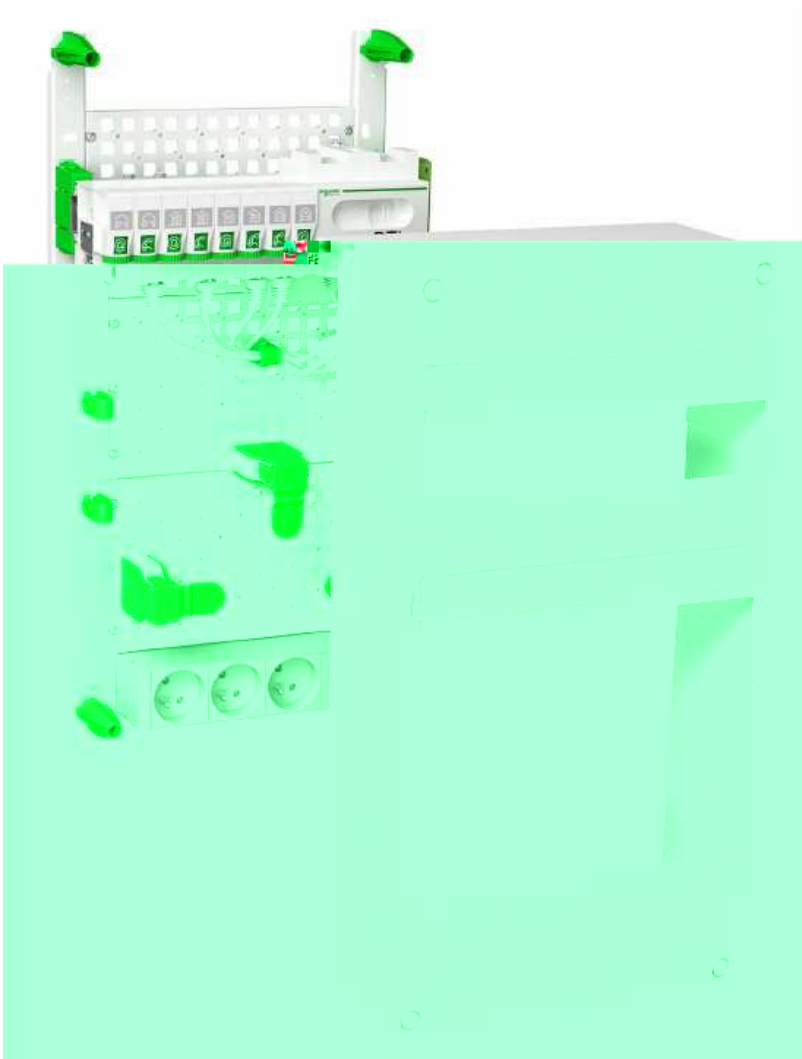


# Product Environmental Profile

**Lexcom Home Essential Range  
Multimedia cabinets 3 rows**



# Product Environmental Profile – PEP

## Product overview

The main purpose of the **Lexcom Home Essential Range Multimedia cabinets (Grade 2)** is to renew the LexCom Home essential offer allowing the customer to make easier the installation, thanks to its unique feature: Installation without tool.

Further to that, this new offer wants to improve the network performance at home, offering the possibility to reach 1G of the local network.

The multimedia cabinets fill the main functionality to split telephone signal to all the rooms in the house, but also allow to be the central point to dispatch any IP signal (phone, TV & data) integrating the right components inside and using the RJ45 sockets on wall.

Besides to be mandatory in the new residential constructions in France, in most of the European countries, the multimedia cabinet becomes a need in order to have a wired home network between the operator modem and each of the house rooms.

Following the trend of bandwidth performance increase, adapted to the different uses including security cameras, door entry systems, energy managements systems, sound systems, etc.

This PEP concerns the multimedia cabinets 3

- THD pack (3 rows)

- Active Box (3 rows): operator devices (modem, ONT) dedicated

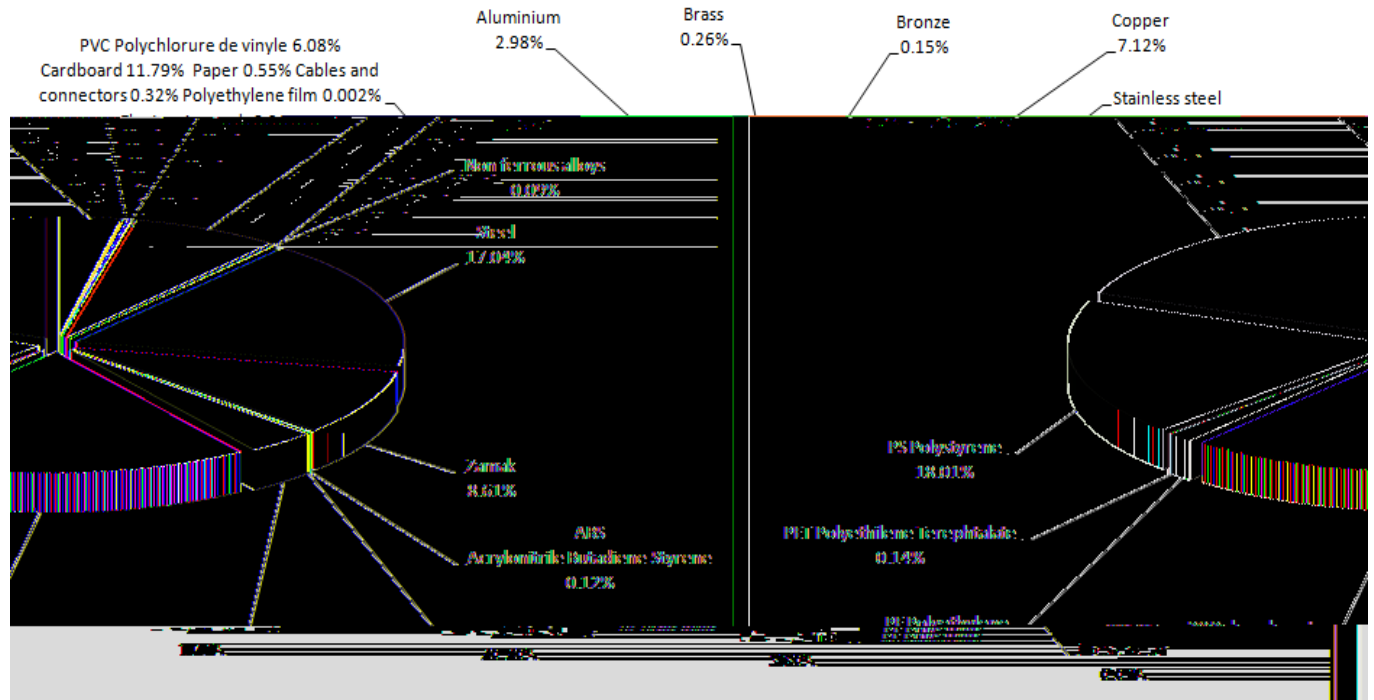
The representative product used for the analysis is the **THD pack (VDIR390033)**.

The environmental impacts of this referenced product are representative of the impacts of the other products of the range which are developed with a similar technology.

The environmental analysis was performed in conformity with ISO 14040.

## Constituent materials

The mass of the product range is from 3000 g and 3500 g including packaging. It is **3231 g** for the **THD pack (VDIR390033)**. The constituent materials are distributed as follows:



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## Substance assessment

Products of this range are designed in conformity with the requirements of the European RoHS Directive 2011/65/EU and do not contain, or only contain in the authorised proportions, lead, mercury, cadmium, hexavalent chromium or flame retardants (polybrominated biphenyls - PBB, polybrominated diphenyl ethers - PBDE) as mentioned in the Directive

Details of ROHS and REACH substances information are available on the Schneider-Electric [Green Premium website](http://www2.schneider-electric.com/sites/corporate/en/products-services/green-premium/green-premium.page) . ( <http://www2.schneider-electric.com/sites/corporate/en/products-services/green-premium/green-premium.page> )

## Manufacturing

The **Lexcom Home Essential Multimedia cabinets 3 Rows** product range is manufactured at a Schneider Electric production site on which an ISO14001 certified environmental management system has been established.

## Distribution

The weight and volume of the packaging have been optimized, based on the European Union's packaging directive.

The **Lexcom Home Essential Multimedia cabinets 3 Rows** packaging weight is **398.8 g**.

It consists of cardboard (381 g), Paper (17.72 g) and Polyethylene film (0.08 g).

The weight of recycled materials used is 100% of total packaging mass.

The product distribution flows have been optimised by setting up local distribution centres close to the market areas.

## Use

The products of the **Lexcom Home Essential Multimedia cabinets 3 Rows** range do not generate environmental pollution (noise, emissions) requiring special precautionary measures in standard use.

The product range does not require special maintenance operations.

## End of life

At end of life, the products in the **Lexcom Home Essential Multimedia cabinets 3 Rows** have been optimized to decrease the amount of waste and allow recovery of the product components and materials.

This product range contains a DTI with integrated phone splitter and cables that should be separated from the stream of waste so as to optimize end-of-life treatment by special treatments. The location of these components and other recommendations are given in the End of Life Instruction document which is available for this product range on the Schneider-Electric Green Premium website [Green Premium website](http://www2.schneider-electric.com/sites/corporate/en/products-services/green-premium/green-premium.page) ( <http://www2.schneider-electric.com/sites/corporate/en/products-services/green-premium/green-premium.page> ).

The recyclability potential of the products has been evaluated using the "ECO DEEE recyclability and recoverability calculation method" (version V1, 20 Sep. 2008 presented to the French Agency for Environment and Energy Management: ADEME).

According to this method, the potential recyclability ratio without packaging is: **57%**.

As described in the recyclability calculation method this ratio includes only metals and plastics which have proven industrial recycling processes.

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### Environmental impacts

Life cycle assessment has been performed on the following life cycle phases: Materials and Manufacturing (M), Distribution (D), Installation (I) Use (U), and End of life (E).

Modeling hypothesis and method:

- The calculation was performed on the **THD pack (VDIR390033)**.
  - Product packaging is included.
  - Installation components: No special components included.
  - Scenario for the Use phase: this product range is included in the category “**Energy passing product**”.
- Assumed service lifetime is **20 years** and use scenario is: Don't need to define the using scenario.
- The geographical representative area for the assessment is **Europe** and the electrical power model used for calculation is **European** model.
  - End of life impacts are based on a worst case transport distance to the recycling plant (1000km)

#### Presentation of the product environmental impacts

Environmental indicators	Unit	Lexcom Home Essential Multimedia cabinets 3 Rows - THD pack (VDIR390033).					
		S = M + D + I + U + E	M	D	I	U	E
Air Acidification (AA)	kg H+ eq	3.96E-03	3.84E-03	7.20E-05	0.00E+00	1.36E-05	3.67E-05
Air toxicity (AT)	m³	6.74E+06	6.56E+06	1.07E+05	0.00E+00	1.68E+04	5.47E+04
Energy Depletion (ED)	MJ	3.48E+02	3.38E+02	5.46E+00	0.00E+00	2.01E+00	2.64E+00
Global Warming Potential (GWP)	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.99E+01	1.92E+01	3.87E-01	0.00E+00	1.01E-01	1.87E-01
Hazardous Waste Production (HWP)	kg	5.90E-01	5.89E-01	4.79E-07	0.00E+00	1.68E-03	2.32E-07
Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP)	kg CFC-11 eq.	9.90E-07	9.83E-07	7.34E-10	0.00E+00	5.50E-09	3.55E-10
Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential (POCP)	kg C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> eq.	6.64E-03	6.47E-03	8.63E-05	0.00E+00	3.54E-05	4.66E-05
Raw Material Depletion (RMD)	Y-1	9.48E-13	9.48E-13	7.91E-18	0.00E+00	2.28E-18	3.82E-18
Water Depletion (WD)	dm <sup>3</sup>	2.08E+02	2.07E+02	4.02E-02	0.00E+00	2.90E-01	1.94E-02
Water Eutrophication (WE)	kg PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> eq.	2.12E-03	2.12E-03	7.20E-07	0.00E+00	2.38E-07	3.48E-07
Water Toxicity (WT)	m³	8.74E+00	8.47E+00	1.66E-01	0.00E+00	2.91E-02	8.00E-02

Life cycle assessment has been performed with the EIME software (Environmental Impact and Management Explorer), version 5 and with its database version 2013-02

The **Manufacturing** phase is the life cycle phase which has the greatest impact on the majority of environmental indicators.

### System approach

As the products of the range are designed in accordance with the European RoHS Directive 2011/65/EU, they can be incorporated without any restriction in an assembly or an installation subject to this Directive.

Please note that the values given above are only valid within the context specified and cannot be used directly to draw up the environmental assessment of an installation.

## Glossary

<b>Air Acidification (AA)</b>	The acid substances present in the atmosphere are carried by rain. A high level of acidity in the rain can cause damage to forests. The contribution of acidification is calculated using the acidification potentials of the substances concerned and is expressed in mole equivalent of H <sup>+</sup> .
<b>Air Toxicity (AT)</b>	This indicator represents the air toxicity in a human environment. It takes into account the usually accepted concentrations for several gases in the air and the quantity of gas released over the life cycle. The indication given corresponds to the air volume needed to dilute these gases down to acceptable concentrations.
<b>Energy Depletion (ED)</b>	This indicator gives the quantity of energy consumed, whether it is from fossil, hydroelectric, nuclear or other sources. It takes into account the energy from the material produced during combustion. It is expressed in MJ.
<b>Global Warming (GW)</b>	The global warming of the planet is the result of the increase in the greenhouse effect due to the sunlight reflected by the earth's surface being absorbed by certain gases known as "greenhouse-effect" gases. The effect is quantified in gram equivalent of CO <sub>2</sub> .
<b>Hazardous Waste Production (HWP)</b>	This indicator quantifies the quantity of specially treated waste created during all the thermal and chemical processes.

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