

Methodology for calculating the

Environmental Profit & Loss Account

At Philips, our purpose is to improve people's health and well-being through meaningful innovation.

Our goal is to improve the lives of 2.5 billion people a year by 2030.

We launched our ESG commitments, with ambitious targets to be achieved by the end of 2025, in 2020. Besides our social impact, focusing on SDG 3, we have an environmental impact through our global operations (including our supply chain), but even more so through our products and solutions. This is where we contribute to SDG 12 (Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns) and SDG 13 (Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts).

The Philips Environmental Profit & Loss (EP&L) account guides our efforts on the environmental dimension. It is an economic valuation in EUR of the impact that Philips has on the environment, or in other words: an environmental footprint of Philips' complete value chain expressed in monetary terms.

Our EP&L account is based on Life-Cycle Assessment (LCA) methodology. Philips has been performing LCAs since 1990. The assessments are used to steer our EcoDesign efforts and to determine the Green Focal Areas (GFAs) of the Philips product portfolio. The GFAs are product characteristics like energy efficiency, weight and product lifetime that determine the environmental impact of our product portfolio. They form the basis of our steadily growing Green/EcoDesigned solutions portfolio.

The EP&L account is a logical next step to extend the scope from individual product value chains to Philips' complete value chain. It will support the direction of our sustainability strategy by providing insights into the main environmental hotspots from an overall business point of view and it will guide Philips in its efforts to deliver on its commitment to reduce its full value chain emissions in line with a 1.5-degree global warming scenario.

The current EP&L account only includes the hidden environmental costs that are associated with our activities and products. It does not include the benefits ('profit') to society that Philips generates by improving people's lives through our products and solutions, e.g. our healthcare solutions. We have a well-established methodology to calculate the number of lives we positively touch with our products and solutions. We aim to look into valuing these societal benefits in monetary terms in the future.

This document describes the methodology we used to calculate the 2021 EP&L account, including information on the scope, assumptions and data sources. The 'EP&L' metric is part of the assurance assignment of EY. EY's assurance report can be found in chapter 13.6 of the Annual Report 2021.

Scope

The scope of the EP&L account comprises three parts:

Philips Group Scope of Environmental Profit & Loss Account, 2021

1

Business activities

All business activities and markets are included in scope except software, hardware servicing during use phase (parts replacement), consumables and accessories

2

Value chain

The scope of the EP&L account is 'cradle to grave'. It includes raw material and component production and processing. Philips' own operations (manufacturing, offices, business travel and logistics, usage of our products and disposal at the end of life.)

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Environmental impact

The choice of environmental impacts is related to the LCA methodology ReCiPe and the monetary valuation methodology that has been chosen. Further explanation is given under 'Methodology'.

Business activities

For Personal Health, 96% of the product portfolio revenue is covered in the EP&L. Non covered products consist of accessories, spare parts and products with relatively low sales revenue. Consumables that are directly connected to consumer electronic products, such as brush heads for toothbrushes, have been included. Consumables not directly attached to the product (e.g. shaving gel or toothpaste) are not included.

With the disentanglement of Domestic Appliances business in 2021, the business activities of this business have been excluded from the scope. This business manufactures energy consuming products like steam irons, vacuum cleaners and airfryers meaning that Philips' environmental is being reduced significantly by the disentanglement (refer to the Annual Report 2021 for details).

For Precision Diagnosis, Connected Care and Image Guided Therapy 38% of the revenue is included in scope. All medical systems and monitors are included in the calculation with the exception of Lumify, catheters, and product (spare) parts.

Consumables, accessories and hardware upgrades are excluded from the scope with the exception of masks. Reason for the exclusion of consumables (e.g. sensors, cuffs, ECG cables etc.) and accessories is that due to the large variety it is not yet possible to accurately determine the overall material composition and weight.

Hardware upgrades and parts replacement (repair) of medical equipment during the use phase of medical equipment are difficult to trace back to material composition and are thus not included yet in the scope. However, the environmental impact of business travel of the service engineers is included in scope.

Value chain

The scope of the EP&L addresses the key environmental contributors. For extraction and processing of raw materials and production of components (e.g. plastics and printed circuit boards), generic environmental impact data from the LCA database Ecoinvent 3.4 have been used. Forming of metal and plastic materials into parts, e.g. with metal extrusion or injection moulding, is excluded from scope.

Energy consumption of our products (> 80%) is dominating Philips' environmental impact. The energy consumption during the full lifetime of the products sold in 2021 is included. For example, the environmental impact of electricity needed to use a Diamond Clean toothbrush during its full lifetime of an estimated four years, so until 2025, is included in the 2021 EP&L account. This is a significant overestimate of the 2021 impact, however as the life-cycle impact is 'generated' in 2021 it has been decided to account for this impact in the year that the products are sold.

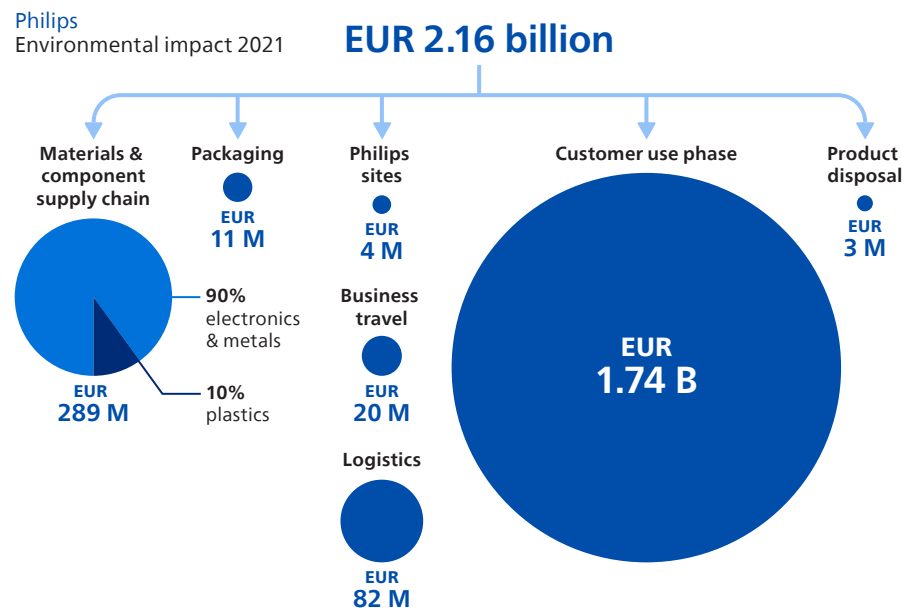
The use-case scenarios, defined by the power consumption, duration and frequency of use, has a significant impact on the result, especially for consumer products, which have large sales volumes, long lifetimes and frequently high energy consumption (e.g. haircare products).

As of 2020 we measure the impact of the electricity consumption of our products based on the specific energy mix of the market where the products are sold. As markets of sales (e.g. Central Europe) often consists of several countries, e.g. Poland and Romania, the energy mix is used of the country with the highest sales in that market and/or the country for which an Ecoinvent dataset is available for electricity production.

For all Healthcare diagnostic imaging equipment, we aim to calculate the energy consumption according to the COCIR standard. This standard describes how a measurement should be carried out and what use case scenario to apply as to number of hours per day in ready-to-scan, standby, off and scanning mode. In the current EP&L account, this standard is applied for the MR and CT equipment.

The total energy impact is also determined by the number of days that a medical system is used per year and the total lifetime. For the frequency of use we apply 250 to 365 days per year for diagnostic medical systems assuming usage during normal working hours only (5 days per week and including 2-week holiday) or usage every day of the year. Actual number of days that diagnostic equipment is being used will depend on patient schedules and emergency situations which will differ per hospital. As to lifetime, an average of 10 years is used for patient monitors, X-ray, CT-, MR- IGT- and Ultrasound equipment and 5 years for Respiration equipment. The lifetime is based on our guaranteed service lifetime.

For Personal Health products, the applied lifetime is aligned with the lifetimes as used in the Lives Improved calculation



Environmental impacts

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Out of scope

Not included in the EP&L, besides the above mentioned out-of-scope business activities, are inputs- and outputs that are difficult to assess and have a relatively low contribution:

- Inbound transport of raw materials, components and subassemblies¹
- Purchased materials that do not end up in final products (e.g. cutting wastes in our factories)
- Emissions to air and water, waste, consumption of water and process chemicals at Philips manufacturing sites
- Waste and water consumption of non-industrial Philips sites (e.g. offices and warehouses)

Philips uses mostly off the shelf components in its products which means that the net Bill of Materials (BOM) of products as used in the EP&L calculation will not deviate much from the gross purchased materials.

Methodology

The method used to calculate the EP&L account is the internationally recognized ReCiPe methodology², in combination with environmental pricing as provided by CE Delft. The LCA software used for the environmental impact assessment is EcoChain. Data models are based on the Swiss national LCI database Ecoinvent v.3.4, for background as well as foreground data. The insights we derived from the EP&L results when expressed in ReCiPe end scores (mPts) do not deviate from the results expressed in EUR.

Environmental impacts included in the assesment

- Climate change
- Ozone depletion
- Human toxicity
- Eutrophication (fresh/marine water)
- Photochemical oxidant formation
- Particulate matter formation
- Acidification
- Ionizing radiation
- Ecotoxicity (marine and freshwater/land)
- Land use

¹ For materials, the Ecoinvent 'market for' datasets are used which include all required logistics to make a material available on the market. However, the last mile transport from tier 1 suppliers to Philips is not included in our EP&L calculation

² Goedkoop, M. et al., 2013. R. ReCiPe 2008, A life cycle impact assessment method which comprises harmonised category indicators at the midpoint and the endpoint level; First edition (version 1.08) Report I: Characterisation, Den Haag: Ministerie van Volkshuisvesting, Ruimtelijke Ordening en Milieubeheer (VROM).

The environmental pricing methodology of CE Delft is based on the ReCiPe 2008 methodology for LCA. The prices (see table 1) are so-called damage costs (as opposed to prevention or abatement costs) and represent the willingness of citizens to pay for not having to be exposed to an additional 1 kg of environmental pollution, expressed in EUR per 1 kg of emissions. The environmental prices are included as conversion factors ('weighing factors') in the LCA software at the midpoint level of environmental impacts. In our LCA software, ReCiPe 2008 can only be used with the Ecoinvent 3.4 database. Preferably we would use the more recent ReCiPe 2016 methodology in conjunction with a more up to date EcoInvent database e.g. 3.6. This is however not possible as the CE Delft environmental prices are only valid for the ReCiPe 2008 method.

The CE Delft pricing methodology does not yet include environmental prices for depletion of water, fossil fuels and metals and natural land transformation and hence these environmental impacts are excluded from the scope. The explanation why these environmental prices are not available in the pricing methodology can be found in Chapter 5 of the CE Delft Handbook.

The environmental prices have been calculated for Dutch territory only. Many environmental impacts like human toxicity and ecotoxicity are specific to the local context. This means that the environmental prices cannot be automatically extrapolated to other regions outside The Netherlands.

CE Delft also has European environmental prices available. However, as that would also not represent Philips' global sales, it has been decided to continue using the (higher) Dutch environmental prices and await the publication of the global set of country specific prices.

Theme	Unit	External costs	Weighting factor
Climate change	EUR/kg CO ₂ -eq	EUR 0.06	EUR 0.06
Ozone depletion	EUR/kg CFC-eq	EUR 30.40	EUR 123.00
Human toxicity	EUR/kg 1.4 DB-eq	EUR 0.16	EUR 0.16
Photochemical oxidant formation	EUR/kg NMVOC-eq	EUR 2.10	EUR 2.10
Particulate matter formation (chimney >100m)	EUR/kg PM ₁₀ -eq	EUR 35.12	EUR 35.12
Ionizing radiation	EUR/kg kBq U235-eq	EUR 0.05	EUR 0.05
Acidification	EUR/kg SO ₂ -eq	EUR 5.40	EUR 8.12
Freshwater eutrofication	EUR/kg P-eq	EUR 1.90	EUR 1.90
Marine eutrofication	EUR/kg N	EUR 3.11	EUR 3.11
Terrestrial ecotoxicity	EUR/kg 1.4 DB-eq	EUR 8.89	EUR 8.89
Freshwater ecotoxicity	EUR/kg 1.4 DB-eq	EUR 0.04	EUR 0.04
Marine toxicity	EUR/kg 1.4 DB-eq	EUR 0.01	EUR 0.01
Land use	EUR M ² /year	EUR 0.03	EUR 0.04

Table 1: Environmental prices of environmental impacts in the Netherlands

As can be derived from table 1, particulate matter formation (main contributor to results) has a relatively high weighting factor. This is due to the rather unique Dutch situation with relative low air quality and a high concentration of ammonia in the air. Ammonia is an important source of particulate matter formation. As mentioned, due to lack of environmental prices that are geographically differentiated, we used the Dutch data.

However, CE Delft does provide a differentiation in environmental price for particulate matter formation related to the source of emission. The environmental price for particulate matter formed via transportation exhaust gasses is higher than particulate matter formed via high chimneys of electricity generation plants. Given the fact that electricity consumption is the main contributing factor to the Philips EP&L 2021 (81%), with particulate matter formation and climate change as the main environmental impacts, we used an adapted environmental price of particulate matter formation as provided by CE Delft (35.12 EUR/kg PM10 eq).

Data quality

Several factors are influencing the bandwidth of the final EP&L account results:

- Accurateness of generic datasets
- Scope of data included
- Assumptions made (e.g. the choice of reference products as proxies to cover all product categories and the pattern of use of products to derive the electricity consumption)

Availability and quality of data is a challenge inherent to LCA and results in uncertainty of the EP&L outcome. Uncertainty also results from the LCA and monetary valuation methodology used, which is based on assumptions that will vary over time.

The figures reported are Philips' best possible estimate. As we gain new insights and retrieve more and better data, we may enhance the methodology and accuracy of results in the future. The inherent uncertainties relevant to the further development of the EP&L are expressed in the related disclosures in the annual report.

Table 2: Data sources

Data	Source	Remark
Material extraction and processing upstream	Generic data from Eco-invent (LCA) database (industry averages)	No specific environmental data from suppliers have been collected. Geographical scope of Ecoinvent datasets: Global (GLO) data for materials, unless country of origin is known, or if only European dataset (RER) is available.
Environmental data Philips sites	Energy consumption as registered in Credit360 software (used by Philips sites)	Waste, emissions to air and water, consumption of water and process chemicals excluded Geographical scope of used Eco-invent datasets: country-specific datasets used for energy processes. For example, for China-based plants, the Chinese electricity mix is used.
Outbound transportation supplied and (semi)final goods	Invoices from our logistic providers	This includes transportation between Philips sites and from Philips sites to customers.
Material composition and weight Philips products	Bill of materials (BOM) of reference products (Article Groups: AGs) and product documentation Philips website	For each business, within the mentioned scope, representative reference products with high sales were identified and the material composition of these products derived. These data were used as proxy for comparable other product categories. Net BOM data have been used.
Production amounts	Sales data	
Business travel	Internal declaration system as used by Philips employees	As reported in our operational Carbon Footprint
Energy consumption office buildings	Invoices from our energy providers	As reported in our operational Carbon Footprint
Use phase	Based on power (W) and duration of usage per day or week; lifetime based on Lives improved data	If data was not available, assumptions were made based on use cases of similar products. Geographical scope of used Eco-invent datasets: region-specific datasets used for electricity generation
Final disposal	WEEE disposal scenario in Eco-invent database.	Assuming 50 km transportation by truck from disposal location (e.g. retailer or hospital) to waste treatment/recycling facility
To be inserted in Use phase row	Lifetime for Personal Health products is based on our Lives Improved data. For Health Systems it is based on the guaranteed service lifetime	Geographical scope of used Ecoinvent datasets for electricity consumption: country-specific datasets are used based on our market of sales (e.g. Nordics, France, Benelux, Greater China, North America, and LATAM)

Next steps

In next year's EP&L calculation we aim to:

- apply a more harmonized use frequency across the medical diagnostic portfolio
- introduce more reference products within the hairdryer portfolio to account for variation in power consumption between the models

Furthermore, we will continue to closely follow (inter)national developments in the EP&L methodology, e.g. the EU Product Environmental Footprint (PEF) and Organizational Environmental Footprint (OEF) project aimed at the development of an EU harmonized LCA method, and the Value Balancing Alliance that aims to develop a standardized methodology to measure and monetize corporate environmental impacts.

