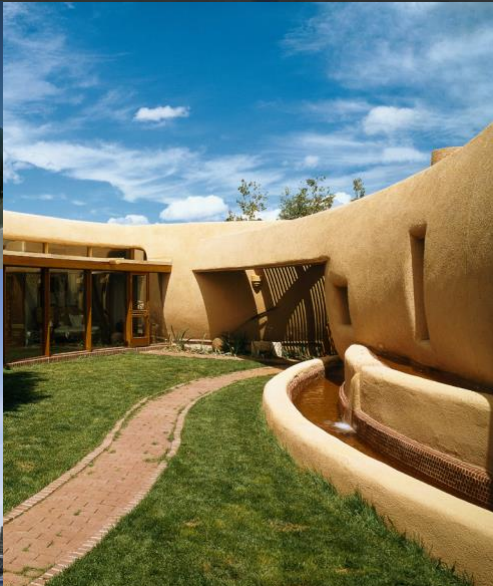




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EPD for StoArmat Classic Plus

StoArmat Classic Plus is a cement-free high build acrylic-based plaster material used with Sto Mesh to form Sto Strike Defense, an option for use over existing EIFS and in new EIFS wall construction that provides outstanding impact and puncture resistance for blunt or sharp objects and mitigates damages from woodpeckers. It also serves as a base coat in StoTherm® ci and StoVentec® Render wall systems.



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EPD program operator	ASTM International 100 Barr Harbor Drive P.O. Box C700 West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959, USA https://www.astm.org/	 ASTM INTERNATIONAL
Manufacturer name	Sto Corp. 3800 Camp Creek Parkway SW, Building 1400, Suite 120 Atlanta, GA 30331 www.stocorp.com (800) 221-2397	
Site(s) in which the results of the LCA are representative	Atlanta, GA, USA	
Declaration Number	EPD 1086	
Declared Product & Declared Unit	StoArmat Classic Plus One square meter (m ²) of manufactured product	
PCR Identification	ISO 21930:2017	
Product's intended application and use	For impact resistance in EIFS wall systems and used as a base coat in StoTherm® ci and StoVentec® Render Wall Systems	
Markets of applicability	North America	
Date of certification	December 9, 2025	
Period of validity	5 years from date of certification	
EPD type	Product-specific	
EPD scope	Cradle to gate with options (A1-A3, C1-C4)	
Year of reported primary data	Calendar year 2023	
LCA software and version Number	LCA for Experts (formerly GaBi) 10.9	
LCI database and version Number	MLC (formerly GaBi) Database Version 2024.2	
LCIA methodology and version number	IPCC AR5, TRACI 2.1 and CML-2016	
This declaration was independently verified in accordance with ISO 21930:2017, ISO 14025: 2006 and reference PCRs: <input type="checkbox"/> Internal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> External	Timothy S Brooke ASTM International 100 Barr Harbor Drive West Conshohocken, PA 19428 tbrooke@astm.org	
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Limitations Environmental product declarations from different EPD programs (ISO 14025) may not be comparable. Comparison of the environmental performance of construction products using EPD information shall be based on the product's use and impacts at the building level, and therefore EPDs may not be used for comparability purposes when not considering the building energy use phase.		

» Company

We believe in ‘**Building with conscience**’.

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» Manufacturing Site Covered in this EPD

Atlanta, GA, USA

» Performance Features

Outstanding resistance to sharp objects	Cement-free base coat	Low VOC
Outstanding resistance to blunt impact damage	Water-based	Ultra-high Impact with Sto Intermediate Mesh

» Product Identification

The product declared in this EPD is StoArmat Classic Plus (product number 81738).

» Product Description

StoArmat Classic Plus is a cement-free high build acrylic-based plaster material used with Sto Mesh to form Sto Strike Defense, a high impact and puncture resistant system for use over existing EIFS and in new EIFS wall construction. It resists impact at a substantially higher level than conventional EIF Systems. It also serves as a base coat in StoTherm® ci and StoVentec® Render wall systems.

This product falls under CSI division 07 20 00 and UNSPSC code 3015800.



Technical Details

Table 1: Technical Data for Product

Performance	Test Method	Result	Unit
Impact Resistance	ASTM E2568/E2486	Meets Standard impact resistance with one-layer Sto Mesh Meets Ultra-High impact resistance with one-layer Sto Intermediate Mesh when installed in two coats at minimum total dry thickness of 4.0mm (3/16-inch) Meets Ultra-High impact resistance with one-layer Sto Intermediate Mesh and one-layer Sto Mesh when installed at minimum total dry thickness of 4.0mm (3/16-inch)	n/a
Accelerated Weathering	ASTM E2658/G155	No deleterious effects after 2000 hours	n/a
Salt Spray	ASTM E2658/B117	No deleterious effects after 1000 hours	n/a
Freeze/Thaw Resistance	ASTM E2658/E2485	No deleterious effects after 60 cycles	n/a
Water Vapor Transmission	ASTM E96, Method B	21	Perms
Water Penetration Resistance	ASTM E2658/e331	No water penetration after 2 hours at 299 Pa (6.24 psf)	n/a

Because this product can serve several functions and is an individual component intended for use in Sto's wall systems, the technical properties and product performance criteria depend on the combination of products in the wall system. As such, the following table declares the product performance when used in Sto wall systems.

Table 2: Technical Data for Product as a Component of Sto Wall Systems

Meets Requirements of	Evaluation Criteria:	Evaluation Report Reference
2021, 2024 IBC, IRC	ASTM C297, C482, E330, E331, E84, E2485, D2247, B117, E2486, E2568, NFPA 285, 268	CCRR-0454

Material Composition

The material compositions of the product are listed below:

Table 3: Material composition for Product

Ingredient*	Mass %
Silica	45.8%
Water	15.4%
Other mineral fillers**	14.6%
Acrylic polymer	11.7%
Aluminum trihydrate	10.1%
Surfactants	1.4%
Cellulose	<1%
Fiber glass	<1%
Adhesion promoter	<1%
Defoamer	<1%

* The product does not contain hazardous substances per the EPA's Resource Conservation and Recovery Act.

**Mineral fillers include limestone, talc, etc.

» Properties of Declared Product as Delivered

Table 4: Properties of declared product

Parameter	Value
Color	Beige
Packaging	29.4 kg (65 lb) per pail
Shelf Life	12 months in original, unopened, properly stored and sealed container
Storage	Store in tightly sealed container. Protect from extreme heat (90°F or 32°C), freezing and direct sunlight.

Product Bulletin and Product Test Results can be found at Sto's [website](#)

» Components related to Life Cycle Assessment

The declared unit for the LCA study was 1 square meter (m²) of manufactured product. The reference flow required for one declared unit is provided in Table 5.

Table 5: Declared Unit Details

Parameter	Value	Unit
Declared unit	1 m ² of manufactured cladding products	
Mass	6.68	kg
Thickness to achieve declared unit	3	mm
Density	1,550	kg/m ³

» Scope and Boundaries of the Life Cycle Assessment

The LCA was performed in accordance with ISO 14040 standards. The study is a cradle-to-gate with options LCA and includes the stages A1-A3, C1-C4.

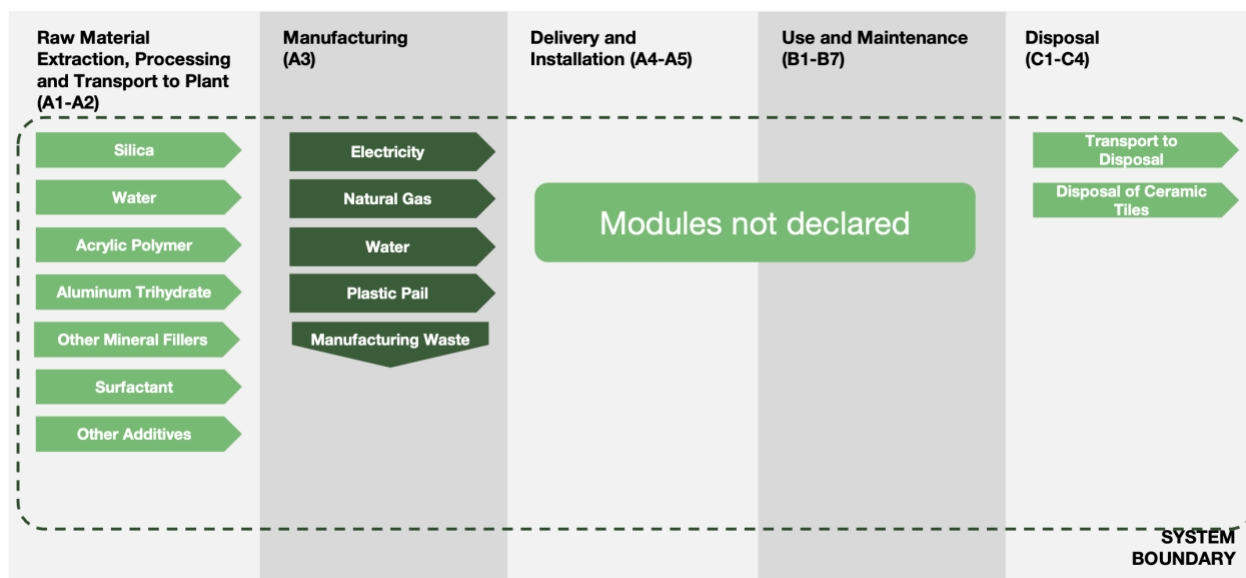


Figure 1: System boundary diagram of the Product

» Cut-off Criteria

Material inputs greater than 1% (based on total mass of the final product) were included within the scope of analysis. Material inputs less than 1% were included if sufficient data was available to warrant inclusion and/or the material input was thought to have significant environmental impact. Cumulative excluded material inputs and environmental impacts are less than 5% based on total weight of the functional unit. No known flows are deliberately excluded from this EPD.

» Data Quality

The overall data quality level was determined to be good. Primary data was collected from Sto's facility in Atlanta, GA for the 2023 reference year. When primary data did not exist, secondary data were obtained from the MLC Database Service. Overall, both primary and secondary data are considered good quality in terms of geographic, temporal and technological coverage.

» Estimates and Assumption

Assumptions were made to represent the cradle-to-grave environmental performance of Sto's products. These assumptions include the transportation distances, the disposal of packaging material and the product at its end of life and use phase assumptions.

» Allocation

General principles of allocation were based on ISO 14040/44. Where possible, allocation was avoided. When allocation was necessary it was done on a physical mass basis.

» Product Stage (A1-A3)

The product is produced at Sto's Atlanta, GA facility. This stage includes an aggregation of raw material extraction, supplier processing, delivery, manufacturing and packaging by Sto. The product is supplied in 5-gal pail containing 29.4 kg (65 lb) of product.

» End-of-Life Stage (C1-C4)

In this stage, the disposal of product waste at its end of life is included. Excavators, cranes, and other heavy machinery may be used

for demolishing large sections of cladding or walls. In the study, it is assumed to the products are manually demolished. The disposal pathway the waste stream is modeled as 100% landfilled as per the UL PCR Part A v4.0.

Table 6: End-of-life Scenario Details

Parameter	Value
Collected as mixed construction waste [kg]	6.68
Waste to Landfill [kg]	6.68
Distance to Landfill [km]	32

Life Cycle Assessment Results

TRACI 2.1 impact characterization methodology and IPCC 5th assessment report are adopted to calculate the environment impacts. Table 7 provides the acronym key of the impact indicators declared in this EPD.

Table 7: LCIA Impact Category and LCI Indicator Key

Abbreviation	Parameter	Unit
IPCC AR5		
GWP _{excl}	Global warming potential (100 years, excludes biogenic CO ₂)	kg CO ₂ eq
GWP _{incl}	Global warming potential (100 years, includes biogenic CO ₂)	kg CO ₂ eq
TRACI 2.1		
AP	Acidification potential of soil and water	kg SO ₂ eq
EP	Eutrophication potential	kg N eq
ODP	Depletion of stratospheric ozone layer	kg CFC 11 eq
SFP	Smog formation potential	kg O ₃ eq
CML 2001-Jan 2016		
ADP _F	Abiotic depletion potential for fossil resources	MJ, net calorific value
Carbon Emissions and Uptake		
BCRP	Biogenic Carbon Removal from Product	kg CO ₂
BCEP	Biogenic Carbon Emission from Product	kg CO ₂
BCRK	Biogenic Carbon Removal from Packaging	kg CO ₂
BCEK	Biogenic Carbon Emission from Packaging	kg CO ₂
BCEW	Biogenic Carbon Emission from Combustion of Waste from Renewable Sources Used in Production Processes	kg CO ₂
CCE	Calcination Carbon Emissions	kg CO ₂
CCR	Carbonation Carbon Removals	kg CO ₂
CWNR	Carbon Emissions from Combustion of Waste from Non- Renewable Sources used in Production Processes	kg CO ₂
Resource Use Parameters		
RPR _E	Use of renewable primary energy excluding renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value (LHV)
RPR _M	Use of renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value
NRPR _E	Use of non-renewable primary energy excluding non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value
NRPR _M	Use of non-renewable primary energy resources used as raw materials	MJ, net calorific value
SM	Use of secondary materials	kg
RSF	Use of renewable secondary fuels	MJ, net calorific value
NRSF	Use of non-renewable secondary fuels	MJ, net calorific value
RE	Recovered energy	MJ, net calorific value
FW	Net use of fresh water	m ³
Waste Parameters		
HWD	Disposed-of-hazardous waste	kg
NHWD	Disposed-of non-hazardous waste	kg
HLRW	High-level radioactive waste, conditioned, to final repository	kg
ILLRW	Intermediate- and low-level radioactive waste, conditioned, to final repository	kg
CRU	Components for reuse	kg
MR	Materials for recycling	kg
MER	Materials for energy recovery	kg
EEE	Exported electrical energy	MJ
EET	Exported thermal energy	MJ

The LCIA results presented below are per declared unit: 1 m² of manufactured product.

Impact Category	A1-A3	C1	C2	C3	C4
IPCC AR5					
GWPexcl [kg CO₂ eq]	8.32E+00	0.00E+00	5.48E-04	0.00E+00	1.48E-01
GWPincl [kg CO₂ eq]	8.15E+00	0.00E+00	5.46E-04	0.00E+00	1.47E-01
TRACI LCIA Impacts (North America)					
AP [kg SO₂ eq]	1.25E-02	0.00E+00	1.54E-06	0.00E+00	7.48E-04
EP [kg N eq]	1.49E-03	0.00E+00	1.61E-07	0.00E+00	3.22E-05
ODP [kg CFC 11 eq]	3.11E-08	0.00E+00	1.60E-18	0.00E+00	6.92E-15
SFP [kg O₃ eq]	2.65E-01	0.00E+00	3.47E-05	0.00E+00	1.34E-02
CML 2001-Jan 2016					
ADP_F [MJ]	1.47E+02	0.00E+00	7.09E-03	0.00E+00	2.12E+00
Carbon Emissions and Uptake					
BCRP [kg CO₂]	6.10E-02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
BCEP [kg CO₂]	2.66E-02	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	3.23E-02	0.00E+00
BCRK [kg CO₂]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
BCEK [kg CO₂]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
BCEW [kg CO₂]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
CCE [kg CO₂]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
CCR [kg CO₂]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
CWNR [kg CO₂]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00

The LCI results presented below are per declared unit: 1 m² of manufactured product.

Impact Category	A1-A3	C1	C2	C3	C4
Resource Use Indicators					
RPR_E [MJ]	1.58E+01	0.00E+00	3.16E-04	0.00E+00	2.71E-01
RPR_M [MJ]	1.36E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
NRPR_E [MJ]	9.49E+01	0.00E+00	7.15E-03	0.00E+00	2.19E+00
NRPR_M [MJ]	3.41E+01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
SM [kg]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
RSF [MJ]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
NRSF [MJ]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
RE [MJ]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
FW [m³]	7.32E-02	0.00E+00	1.05E-06	0.00E+00	2.83E-04
Output Flows and Waste Categories					
HWD [kg]	2.94E-04	0.00E+00	9.64E-13	0.00E+00	5.41E-10
NHWD [kg]	5.88E+00	0.00E+00	7.13E-07	0.00E+00	6.69E+00
HLRW [kg]	6.67E-06	0.00E+00	2.56E-11	0.00E+00	2.60E-08
ILLRW [kg]	5.77E-03	0.00E+00	2.15E-08	0.00E+00	2.32E-05
CRU [kg]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
MR [kg]	4.10E-01	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
MER [kg]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
EEE [MJ]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00
EET [MJ]	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00	0.00E+00

Interpretation

For the product in study, the majority of the environmental impacts come from the Product Stage (A1-A3) which includes the impacts derived from the raw materials, raw material transportation, and manufacturing of the product. For GWP, the main drivers are acrylic polymer, mineral fillers and packaging.

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