

# **LCA**



## ENVIRONMENTAL LIFE CYCLE ASSESSMENT OF A PRODUCT

The subject of the analysis was 1 kg of clothing sample\*.

A life cycle assessment (LCA) was conducted for two processes:

- · clothing production,
- operations of the company "Ubrania Do Oddania" regarding the reintroduction of clothing into circulation.

**The scope** of the analysis covered the **"cradle-to-gate"** stage.

The functional unit used in the study was 1 kg of clothing.

**The aim** of the analysis was to determine the environmental impact in two categories:

- emissions, expressed in carbon dioxide equivalent (kg CO₂e),
- total water consumption, expressed in m³/kg.

#### **SCOPE OF ANALYSIS:**

PRODUCTION

CRADLE

PROCESSING

**OF RAW** 

GATE



DISTRIBUTION





**GRAVE** 

PACKAGING

CRADLE TO GATE\*\*

#### SUMMARY

The conducted analysis provides detailed information on the carbon footprint of 1 kg of a clothing sample, taking into account cradle-to-gate (LCA)\*\* emissions for two categories.

The comparison results serve as a basis for communication with end customers

The analysis was conducted in collaboration with Envirly – a consulting and technology company supporting businesses in meeting sustainability and ESG requirements.

### METHODOLOGY AND DATA SOURCES

The analysis was conducted in accordance with the LCA method. All methodologies and estimations are available in the calculation file. The main sources of emission factors were:

- Ecoinvent database version: 3.11
- AIB 2024
- Science direct
- Supplier data

PRODUCT CARBON
FOOTPRINT - SAVINGS
ANALYSIS RESULTS



13,09

kg eqCO2

- Emission intensity for introducing 1 kg of clothing into the circular system: 1.03 kg
- Emission intensity of producing 1 kg of clothing: 14.12 kg CO₂e
- GHG emissions savings: 13.09 kg CO₂e

WATER CONSUMPTION – SAVINGS ANALYSIS RESULTS:

7,18

m3/ka

- Total water consumption for introducing 1 kg of clothing into the circular system:
   0.04 m³
- Total water consumption for producing 1 kg of clothing: **7.22 m**<sup>3</sup>
- Water savings: 7.18 m³

<sup>\*</sup>Calculations were performed based on the analysis of a 1 kg sample, estimated from approximately 150 kg of clothing items collected from the sorting facility.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Detailed assumptions are available in the calculation files.