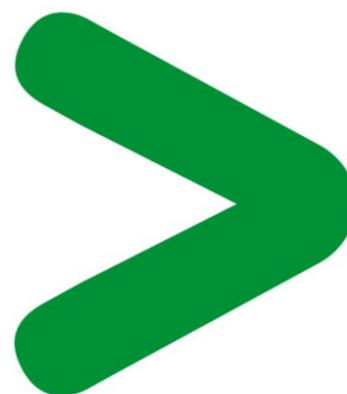


# Product Environmental Profile

**Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A**



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# Product Environmental Profile – PEP

## Product overview

The main purpose of the Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A is to protect circuits against overloads and short circuit currents and for Isolation, for a typical life time of 20 years.

This range consists of 1P, 2P, 3P, 4P Miniature Circuit Breaker with rated current ranging from 1A to 63A in Curve C & 1P, 2P Miniature Circuit Breaker with Rated current 6A to 32A in Curve B.

The representative product used for the analysis is Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A,

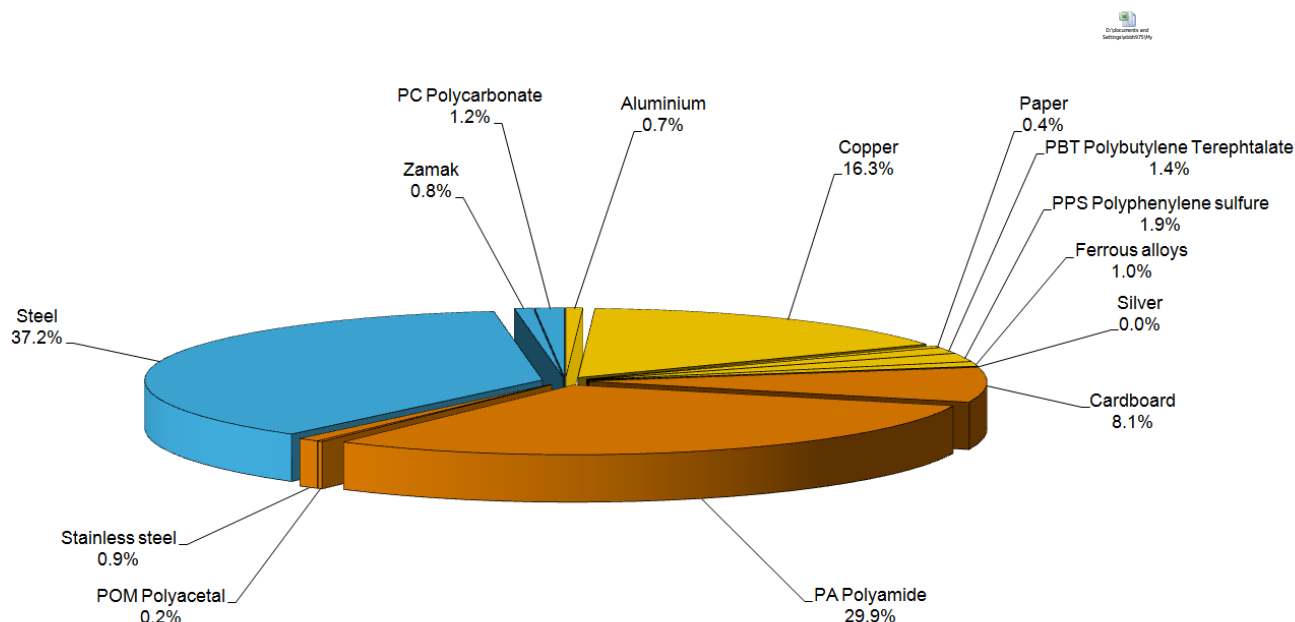
The representative product used for the analysis is Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A, commercial reference A9KF71463

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 100 g and 550 g including packaging. It is 550 g for the Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A, commercial reference A9KF71463. The constituent materials are distributed as follows:



## 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 Acti 9K/ K60H product range is manufactured at a Schneider Electric production site on which an ISO14001 certified environmental management system has been established.

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## Distribution

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

The Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A, packaging weight is 44.92 g. It consists of 44.192 g of Cardboard and 0.8 g of Paper.

## Use

The products of the Acti 9K/ K60H range do not generate environmental pollution (noise, emissions) requiring special precautionary measures in standard use.

The dissipated power depends on the conditions under which the product is implemented and used. This dissipated power is between 1 W and 4.8 W for the Acti 9K/ K60H product range. It is 4.8 W at 100% load for the referenced Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A, commercial reference A9KF71463

This thermal dissipation represents less than 0.0183% of the power which passes through the product.

The product range does not require special maintenance operations.

## End of life

At end of life, the products in the Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A have been optimized to decrease the amount of waste and allow recovery of the product components and materials.

This product range doesn't need any special end-of-life treatment. According to countries' practices this product can enter the usual end-of-life treatment process.

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.

## 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 Acti 9K BI MCB 4P 63A C 10000A, commercial reference A9KF71463.
- 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 Product dissipation is 4.8 W 100% load, loading rate is 30% and service uptime percentage is 100%.
- The geographical representative area for the assessment is India and the electrical power model used for calculation is Indian model.
- End of life impacts are based on a worst case transport distance to the recycling plant (1000km)

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## Presentation of the product environmental impacts

Environmental indicators	Unit	For give the name and commercial reference or description of the representative product					
		S = M + D + I + U + E	M	D	I	U	E
Air Acidification (AA for PEP)	kg H+ eq	2.4215E-01	7.4801E-04	9.1601E-06	0.0000E+00	2.4135E-01	4.2548E-05
Air Toxicity (AT for PEP)	m <sup>3</sup>	2.8561E+08	1.5468E+06	1.3615E+04	0.0000E+00	2.8398E+08	6.3367E+04
Energy Depletion (ED for PEP)	MJ	1.4327E+04	4.5471E+01	6.9479E-01	0.0000E+00	1.4278E+04	3.0547E+00
Global Warming Potential (GWP for PEP)	kg CO <sub>2</sub> eq.	1.1626E+03	3.0515E+00	4.9257E-02	0.0000E+00	1.1593E+03	2.1684E-01
Hazardous Waste Production (HWP for PEP)	kg	2.8800E+01	8.1562E-02	6.1026E-08	0.0000E+00	2.8718E+01	2.6831E-07
Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP for PEP)	kg CFC-11 eq.	3.2396E-05	2.3222E-07	9.3422E-11	0.0000E+00	3.2163E-05	4.1074E-10
Photochemical Ozone Creation Potential (POCP for PEP)	kg C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> eq.	1.8844E-01	1.0182E-03	1.0992E-05	0.0000E+00	1.8735E-01	5.3971E-05
Raw Material Depletion (RMD for PEP)	Y-1	2.4706E-14	1.7161E-14	1.0076E-18	0.0000E+00	7.5394E-15	4.4299E-18
Water Depletion (WD for PEP)	dm <sup>3</sup>	1.2939E+03	2.9671E+01	5.1193E-03	0.0000E+00	1.2642E+03	2.2507E-02
Water Eutrophication (WE for PEP)	kg PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> eq.	3.1631E-03	6.0710E-04	9.1610E-08	0.0000E+00	2.5555E-03	4.0277E-07
Water Toxicity (WT for PEP)	m <sup>3</sup>	5.5246E+01	9.9255E-01	2.1075E-02	0.0000E+00	5.4139E+01	9.2658E-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 Use 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 mode 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 life cycle phases (manufacturing, distribution and utilization). For example, special industrial waste in the manufacturing phase, waste associated with the production of electrical power, etc. It is expressed in kg.
<b>Ozone Depletion (OD)</b>	This indicator defines the contribution to the phenomenon of the disappearance of the stratospheric ozone layer due to the emission of certain specific gases. The effect is expressed in gram equivalent of CFC-11.
<b>Photochemical Ozone Creation (POC)</b>	This indicator quantifies the contribution to the "smog" phenomenon (the photochemical oxidation of certain gases which generates ozone) and is expressed in gram equivalent of ethylene (C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> ).
<b>Raw Material Depletion (RMD)</b>	This indicator quantifies the consumption of raw materials during the life cycle of the product. It is expressed as the fraction of natural resources that disappear each year, with respect to all the annual reserves of the material.
<b>Water Depletion (WD)</b>	This indicator calculates the volume of water consumed, including drinking water and water from industrial sources. It is expressed in dm <sup>3</sup> .
<b>Water Eutrophication (WE)</b>	Eutrophication is a natural process defined as the enrichment in mineral salts of marine or lake waters or a process accelerated by human intervention, defined as the enrichment in nutritive elements (phosphorous compounds, nitrogen compounds and organic matter). This indicator represents the water eutrophication of lakes and marine waters by the release of specific substances in the effluents. It is expressed in grams equivalency of PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>3-</sup> (phosphate).
<b>Water Toxicity (WT)</b>	This indicator represents the water toxicity. It takes into account the usually accepted concentrations for several substances in water and the quantity of substances released over the life cycle. The indication given corresponds to the water volume needed to dilute these substances down to acceptable concentrations.

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