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Product Carbon Footprint (PCF) Analysis Report

for EcoWidget Pro (ymvwtggyxu)

Total PCF: 30.735 kgCO₂e
per unit (Cradle-to-Grave)

Key Performance Indicators

Total Footprint

30.735 kgCO₂e

Impact per Unit

30.735 kgCO₂e/unit

Top Material Hotspot

Aluminum Casing (3.5 kgCO₂e)

Primary Emission Scope

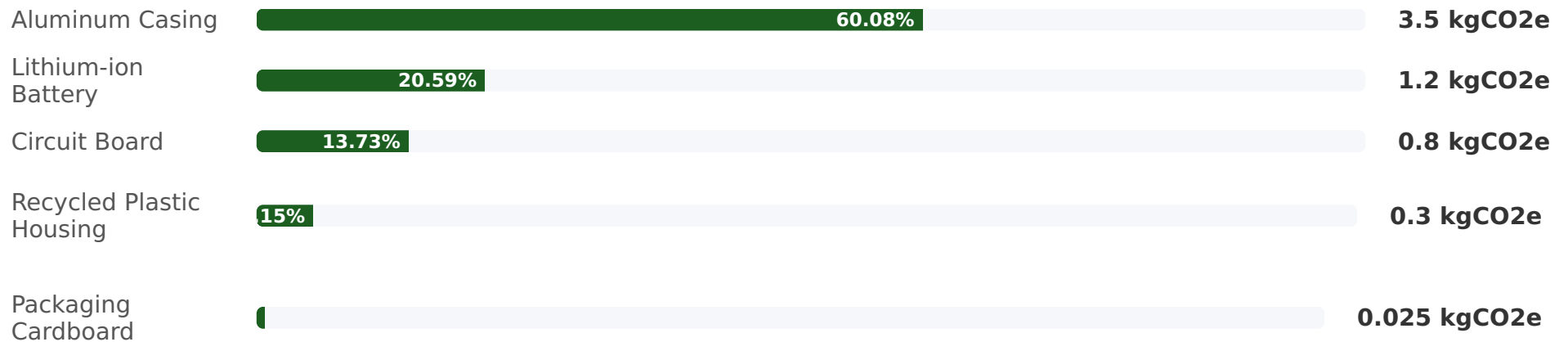
Use Phase (96.06% of Total)

Carbon Footprint Breakdown

Lifecycle Stage Emissions



Material Carbon Impact



Highlights & Carbon Hotspots

- The **Use Phase** is the overwhelmingly most significant contributor to the product's carbon footprint, accounting for **96.06%** of total emissions. This highlights operational energy consumption as the primary area for intervention.
- **Material Acquisition & Pre-processing** is the second largest contributor at **21.23%** of the total PCF, with Aluminum Casing and Lithium-ion Battery identified as key material hotspots.
- The product achieves a **net negative End-of-Life impact (-2.69%)** due to a high recyclability percentage and established circular economy programs, demonstrating the positive effect of circularity.
- Manufacturing-related (Scope 2) and Transport emissions are comparatively minor but still offer areas for optimization within the immediate operational control.

Recommended Action Plan

1. **Prioritize Use Phase Efficiency:** Invest heavily in Research & Development to drastically reduce the EcoWidget Pro's energy consumption during its operational life. This is the single most impactful area for emission reduction.
2. **Optimize Material Selection:** Explore further opportunities to incorporate materials with lower embodied carbon, such as higher percentages of recycled content for aluminum or alternative, lighter materials.
3. **Expand Circularity Initiatives:** Continue and strengthen existing circular/take-back programs, potentially exploring repairability and remanufacturing to extend product lifespans and further reduce End-of-Life impacts.
4. **Enhance Supply Chain Visibility:** Work with European suppliers to gather more specific, primary data on their operational emissions and energy mixes to refine upstream Scope 3 calculations and identify further reduction opportunities.