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# **Product Carbon Footprint Report**

**Product: gjlmletrzn**

**Company Name: ekiljtwdkm**

**Senior Sustainability Consultant: gdxsdtfxqd**

**Accounting Standard: GHG Protocol**

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## Executive Summary

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The total Product Carbon Footprint for one functional unit of **gjlmletrzn** is calculated to be **40.99 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e**. The primary contributors to this footprint are identified within the materials acquisition and production phases, particularly due to the embedded emissions in key components, followed by the product's use phase.

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## 1. Methodology and Scope Definition

This Product Carbon Footprint (PCF) analysis adheres to the principles and requirements of the **GHG Protocol Product Standard**, encompassing direct (Scope 1), indirect from purchased energy (Scope 2), and other indirect value chain emissions (Scope 3). Furthermore, the analysis incorporates considerations from the **2026 Land Sector and Removals (LSR) Standard update** where applicable. A key focus has been to ensure at least 95% coverage for Scope 3 reporting, as mandated by the 2026 requirements, by meticulously analyzing the entire value chain.

### 1.1 Functional Unit

- **Functional Unit:** 1.0 unit of gjlmletrzn

### 1.2 System Boundary

- **System Boundary:** factory\_gate (cradle-to-gate with significant downstream considerations). This includes raw material extraction, manufacturing, transportation to the factory gate, product assembly, outbound logistics, use phase, and end-of-life treatment.

### 1.3 Geographic Scope

- **Final Production Country:** China
- **Supply Chain Focus:** Europe Focused (reflecting significant markets and logistics routes)

### 1.4 Allocation

- Emissions are allocated directly to the functional unit. No co-product allocation was required for this specific analysis.

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## 2. Lifecycle Inventory (LCI) Stages & Data Collection

The lifecycle of **gjlmltrzn** was mapped into distinct stages to facilitate data collection and emission calculation. Primary data was prioritized where available, complemented by secondary data from industry-standard databases (simulated using Ecoinvent/DEFRA representative factors) for generic processes and materials.

### 2.1 Materials Acquisition and Pre-processing (Scope 3 - Category 1: Purchased goods and services)

The Detailed Bill of Materials (BOM) for **gjlmltrzn** (represented by placeholder hnmrffov) provides specific data points for high-accuracy material impact calculation.

#### Detailed Bill of Materials (BOM) for gjlmltrzn:

ID	Description	Category	Process	Quantity	Unit	Emission Factor (kg CO2e/unit or kg)	Total Carbon (kg CO2e)
1	Main PCB Assembly	Electronics	Manufacturing	1.0	unit	15.0	15.0
<b>Subtotal Materials Emissions (kg CO2e):</b>							<b>30.30</b>

ID	Description	Category	Process	Quantity	Unit	Emission Factor (kg CO2e/unit or kg)	Total Carbon (kg CO2e)
2	Aluminum Casing	Metal	Extrusion, Machining	0.5	kg	8.0	4.0
3	ABS Plastic Enclosure	Plastic	Injection Molding	0.3	kg	3.0	0.9
4	Lithium-Ion Battery	Battery	Assembly	0.1	kg	100.0	10.0
5	Copper Wiring	Metal	Drawing	0.05	kg	4.0	0.2
6	Cardboard Packaging	Paper	Converting	0.2	kg	1.0	0.2
<b>Subtotal Materials Emissions (kg CO2e):</b>							<b>30.30</b>

The material breakdown indicates that the Lithium-Ion Battery and Main PCB Assembly are significant contributors to the upstream material footprint, primarily due to the energy-intensive manufacturing processes and raw material extraction associated with these components.

## 2.2 Production Phase (Scope 2: Purchased electricity)

The manufacturing of **gjlmletrzn** takes place in China. Energy consumption data and renewable energy usage were incorporated.

- **Energy Intensity (kWh/unit):** qtlfulxjz (15 kWh/unit)
- **Renewable Energy Usage:** hvrtugtqqy (70%)
- **Grid Electricity Consumption:**  $15 \text{ kWh/unit} * (1 - 0.70) = 4.5 \text{ kWh/unit}$
- **Renewable Electricity Consumption:**  $15 \text{ kWh/unit} * 0.70 = 10.5 \text{ kWh/unit}$
- **Emission Factor (China Grid Mix):** 0.6 kg CO2e/kWh

- **Emissions from Production Energy:**  $4.5 \text{ kWh/unit} * 0.6 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kWh} = 2.70 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e}$

The use of 70% renewable energy significantly mitigates the Scope 2 emissions from the production facility.

## 2.3 Transport and Distribution (Scope 3 - Category 4: Upstream transportation and distribution)

Logistics data was incorporated for both primary and last-mile delivery channels. The total weight of the product (including packaging) is estimated at 2 kg.

- **Primary Transport Mode:** Select Mode (Ocean Freight, China to Europe)
- **Primary Transport Distance:** vhzesyvmwf (10,000 km)
- **Last-Mile Delivery Channel:** Delivery Type (Road Van, within Europe)
- **Last-Mile Transport Distance:** 500 km
- **Emission Factor (Ocean Freight):**  $0.00001 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kg}\cdot\text{km}$
- **Emission Factor (Road Freight - Heavy Duty Truck/Van):**  $0.00009 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kg}\cdot\text{km}$

### Transport Emissions:

- **Ocean Freight Emissions:**  $10,000 \text{ km} * 2 \text{ kg} * 0.00001 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kg}\cdot\text{km} = 0.20 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e}$
- **Road Freight Emissions:**  $500 \text{ km} * 2 \text{ kg} * 0.00009 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kg}\cdot\text{km} = 0.09 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e}$
- **Total Transport Emissions:**  $0.20 + 0.09 = 0.29 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e}$

## 2.4 Use Phase (Scope 3 - Category 11: Use of sold products)

The energy consumption during the product's lifespan is a critical factor in its overall footprint.

- **Product Lifespan:** mjfhqfhyxq (5 years)
- **Energy Consumption in Use:** jitnkhqvuw (5 kWh/year)

- **Total Energy Consumption over Lifespan:**  $5 \text{ kWh/year} * 5 \text{ years} = 25 \text{ kWh}$
- **Emission Factor (European Grid Mix for Use Phase):**  $0.3 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kWh}$  (representative average)
- **Emissions from Use Phase:**  $25 \text{ kWh} * 0.3 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kWh} = 7.50 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e}$

## 2.5 End-of-Life (EoL) (Scope 3 - Category 12: End-of-life treatment of sold products)

The end-of-life scenario considers recyclability and the presence of circular economy programs.

- **Recyclability Percentage:**  $80\%$
- **Circular/Take-back Programs:** Active take-back program in key markets
- **Non-recycled Portion:**  $100\% - 80\% = 20\%$
- **Estimated Product Mass:**  $2 \text{ kg}$
- **Mass of Non-recycled Material:**  $2 \text{ kg} * 0.20 = 0.4 \text{ kg}$
- **Emission Factor (Disposal/Incineration, simplified):**  $0.5 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kg}$  (representative value for residual waste treatment)
- **Emissions from End-of-Life:**  $0.4 \text{ kg} * 0.5 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e/kg} = 0.20 \text{ kg CO}_2\text{e}$

The presence of an active take-back program for **ekiljtwdkm** demonstrates a commitment to circularity, which likely enhances the actual recycling rates and reduces the environmental burden from disposal.

## 2.6 Land Sector and Removals (LSR) Standard Update (2026)

In accordance with the 2026 LSR Standard update, direct land-use change and carbon removals were considered. For a manufactured electronic product like **gjlmletrzn**, significant direct land sector impacts or removals are generally not associated with its lifecycle, particularly with the current data resolution. Indirect impacts via raw material supply chains (e.g., specific mining practices) are captured within the material emission factors. Therefore, no additional quantifiable LSR impacts were identified that significantly alter the PCF at this level of analysis.

### 3. Calculation of Emissions (Activity \* Emission Factor = CO2e)

The emissions for each lifecycle stage are aggregated and categorized according to the GHG Protocol.

#### 3.1 Summary of Emissions by Lifecycle Stage

Lifecycle Stage	GHG Scope	Description	Emissions (kg CO2e)
Materials Acquisition & Pre-processing	Scope 3 (Category 1)	Raw materials, components, and packaging production	30.30
Production Energy	Scope 2	Purchased electricity for manufacturing (grid portion)	2.70
Transport & Distribution	Scope 3 (Category 4)	Upstream transportation (ocean and road freight)	0.29
Use Phase	Scope 3 (Category 11)	Energy consumption during product use over its lifespan	7.50
End-of-Life Treatment	Scope 3 (Category 12)	Disposal of non-recycled materials	0.20
<b>Total Product Carbon Footprint (kg CO2e):</b>			<b>40.99</b>

#### 3.2 Emissions Categorization by GHG Protocol Scope

GHG Scope	Category	Emissions (kg CO2e)	Contribution (%)
<b>Scope 1</b>	Direct Emissions (from owned/controlled sources)	0.00	0.0%
<b>Total Product Carbon Footprint (kg CO2e):</b>		<b>40.99</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

GHG Scope	Category	Emissions (kg CO2e)	Contribution (%)
Scope 2	Indirect Emissions (from purchased electricity for production)	2.70	6.6%
Scope 3	Category 1: Purchased goods and services (Materials)	30.30	73.9%
	Category 4: Upstream transportation and distribution	0.29	0.7%
	Category 11: Use of sold products	7.50	18.3%
	Category 12: End-of-life treatment of sold products	0.20	0.5%
<b>Total Product Carbon Footprint (kg CO2e):</b>		<b>40.99</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Scope 3 Compliance:** The detailed analysis of raw materials, transport, use phase, and end-of-life demonstrates significant coverage of Scope 3 emissions. The calculated Scope 3 emissions account for 93.4% (38.29 / 40.99) of the total PCF. While close, further investigation into minor components or ancillary processes could push this past the 95% target required for 2026, though for a product-level analysis with robust BOM, this is highly comprehensive.

## 4. Review & Report: Hotspots and Reliability

### 4.1 Hotspot Identification

The analysis clearly identifies the following major emission hotspots for **gjlmltrzn**:

- **Materials Acquisition (73.9%):** This is the most significant contributor, largely driven by the embedded emissions in the Main PCB Assembly, Aluminum Casing, and especially the Lithium-Ion Battery. Strategies to reduce this impact should focus on:
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- **Production Energy (6.6%):** While already mitigated by 70% renewable energy usage, further increasing renewable energy penetration at manufacturing sites can further reduce this.

## 4.2 Data Reliability and Limitations

The reliability of this PCF is high due to the use of detailed primary data (simulated for BOM, energy, transport) and reliance on generally accepted industry-standard emission factors (representative of Ecoinvent/DEFRA data).

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- **Assumptions:** Minor assumptions were made for simplified EoL emissions and representative emission factors where exact supplier-specific data was not available. The product weight for transport was estimated.
- **LSR Standard:** While acknowledged, specific land-use change impacts were not quantified as direct and significant impacts were not identified for this product's lifecycle based on available data.

## 4.3 Recommendations for Reduction

- **Material Optimization:** Explore materials with lower embodied carbon, such as recycled aluminum or bio-based plastics where feasible, without compromising product performance.

- **Energy Efficiency:** Invest in R&D to enhance the energy efficiency of **gjlmlerzn** during its operational life, thereby reducing the use phase footprint.
- **Renewable Energy Expansion:** Continue to increase renewable energy adoption at manufacturing facilities and encourage suppliers to do the same.
- **Circular Economy Initiatives:** Leverage the active take-back programs to maximize product recycling and explore opportunities for material reuse or refurbishment.
- **Supplier Engagement:** Collaborate with key material and component suppliers to drive emission reductions within their own operations.

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### 1.1 Functional Unit

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## 1.3 Geographic Scope

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- **Grid Electricity Consumption:**  $15 \text{ kWh/unit} * (1 - 0.70) = 4.5 \text{ kWh/unit}$
- **Renewable Electricity Consumption:**  $15 \text{ kWh/unit} * 0.70 = 10.5 \text{ kWh/unit}$

- **Emission Factor (China Grid Mix):** 0.6 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh  
(representative value, typical range for China grid mix is around 0.556 - 0.6835 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh)
- **Emissions from Production Energy:** 4.5 kWh/unit \* 0.6 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh = 2.70 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e

The use of 70% renewable energy significantly mitigates the Scope 2 emissions from the production facility.

## 2.3 Transport and Distribution (Scope 3 - Category 4: Upstream transportation and distribution)

Logistics data was incorporated for both primary and last-mile delivery channels. The total weight of the product (including packaging) is estimated at 2 kg.

- **Primary Transport Mode:** Select Mode (Ocean Freight, China to Europe)
- **Primary Transport Distance:** vhzesyvmwf (10,000 km)
- **Last-Mile Delivery Channel:** Delivery Type (Road Van, within Europe)
- **Last-Mile Transport Distance:** 500 km
- **Emission Factor (Ocean Freight):** 0.00001 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kg·km  
(derived from typical values like 0.01-0.016 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/tonne-km)
- **Emission Factor (Road Freight - Heavy Duty Truck/Van):** 0.00009 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kg·km  
(derived from typical values like 0.09 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/tonne-km or 0.21 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e per 1000km for a 2kg package)

### Transport Emissions:

- **Ocean Freight Emissions:** 10,000 km \* 2 kg \* 0.00001 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kg·km = 0.20 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e
- **Road Freight Emissions:** 500 km \* 2 kg \* 0.00009 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kg·km = 0.09 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e
- **Total Transport Emissions:** 0.20 + 0.09 = 0.29 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e

## 2.4 Use Phase (Scope 3 - Category 11: Use of sold products)

The energy consumption during the product's lifespan is a critical factor in its overall footprint.

- **Product Lifespan:** mjfhqfhyxq (5 years)
- **Energy Consumption in Use:** jitnkhqvwu (5 kWh/year)
- **Total Energy Consumption over Lifespan:** 5 kWh/year \* 5 years = 25 kWh
- **Emission Factor (European Grid Mix for Use Phase):** 0.3 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh (representative average, typical EU grid intensity is around 0.238 - 0.452 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh)
- **Emissions from Use Phase:** 25 kWh \* 0.3 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kWh = 7.50 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e

## 2.5 End-of-Life (EoL) (Scope 3 - Category 12: End-of-life treatment of sold products)

The end-of-life scenario considers recyclability and the presence of circular economy programs.

- **Recyclability Percentage:** ylhjumluem (80%)
- **Circular/Take-back Programs:** mnfquotvz (Active take-back program in key markets)
- **Non-recycled Portion:** 100% - 80% = 20%
- **Estimated Product Mass:** 2 kg
- **Mass of Non-recycled Material:** 2 kg \* 0.20 = 0.4 kg
- **Emission Factor (Disposal/Incineration, simplified):** 0.5 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kg (representative value for residual waste treatment. For context, landfilling plastic can be around 0.033 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kg, while other waste treatment options vary. This factor accounts for potential emissions from incineration or landfilling of the non-recycled portion)
- **Emissions from End-of-Life:** 0.4 kg \* 0.5 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e/kg = 0.20 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e

The presence of an active take-back program for **ekiljtwdkm** demonstrates a commitment to circularity, which likely enhances the

actual recycling rates and reduces the environmental burden from disposal.

## 2.6 Land Sector and Removals (LSR) Standard Update (2026)

In accordance with the 2026 LSR Standard update, direct land-use change and carbon removals were considered. The LSR Standard, effective January 1, 2027, provides guidance for quantifying, reporting, and tracking land emissions and CO<sub>2</sub> removals. For a manufactured electronic product like **gjmletrzn**, significant direct land sector impacts or removals are generally not associated with its lifecycle, particularly with the current data resolution. Indirect impacts via raw material supply chains (e.g., specific mining practices) are captured within the material emission factors. Therefore, no additional quantifiable LSR impacts were identified that significantly alter the PCF at this level of analysis. Companies with significant land-based activities or those sourcing agricultural products would find the LSR Standard particularly relevant.

## 3. Calculation of Emissions (Activity \* Emission Factor = CO<sub>2</sub>e)

The emissions for each lifecycle stage are aggregated and categorized according to the GHG Protocol.

### 3.1 Summary of Emissions by Lifecycle Stage

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**Scope 3 Compliance:** The detailed analysis of raw materials, transport, use phase, and end-of-life demonstrates significant coverage of Scope 3

emissions. The calculated Scope 3 emissions amount to 38.29 kg CO<sub>2</sub>e, representing approximately 93.4% of the total PCF. While highly comprehensive, further investigation into minor components or ancillary processes could help to reach or exceed the proposed 95% inclusion threshold for Scope 3 reporting, which is a key change in the GHG Protocol's 2026 Scope 3 Standard revisions.

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## 4. Review & Report: Hotspots and Reliability

### 4.1 Hotspot Identification

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