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Coordinator of the WP

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Participants of the WP

- you are invited

Main Goal of the WP

Creation of environmental models and subsequent processing of analyzes of the life cycle of the mobility system and its key components in the environment of the Czech Republic as a basis for quantifying environmental benefits, supporting decision-making at the level of policy formulation and innovation processes.

Partial Goals for the Current Period

Creation of Knowledge Base of LC Inputs of Key Elements of the Mobility System



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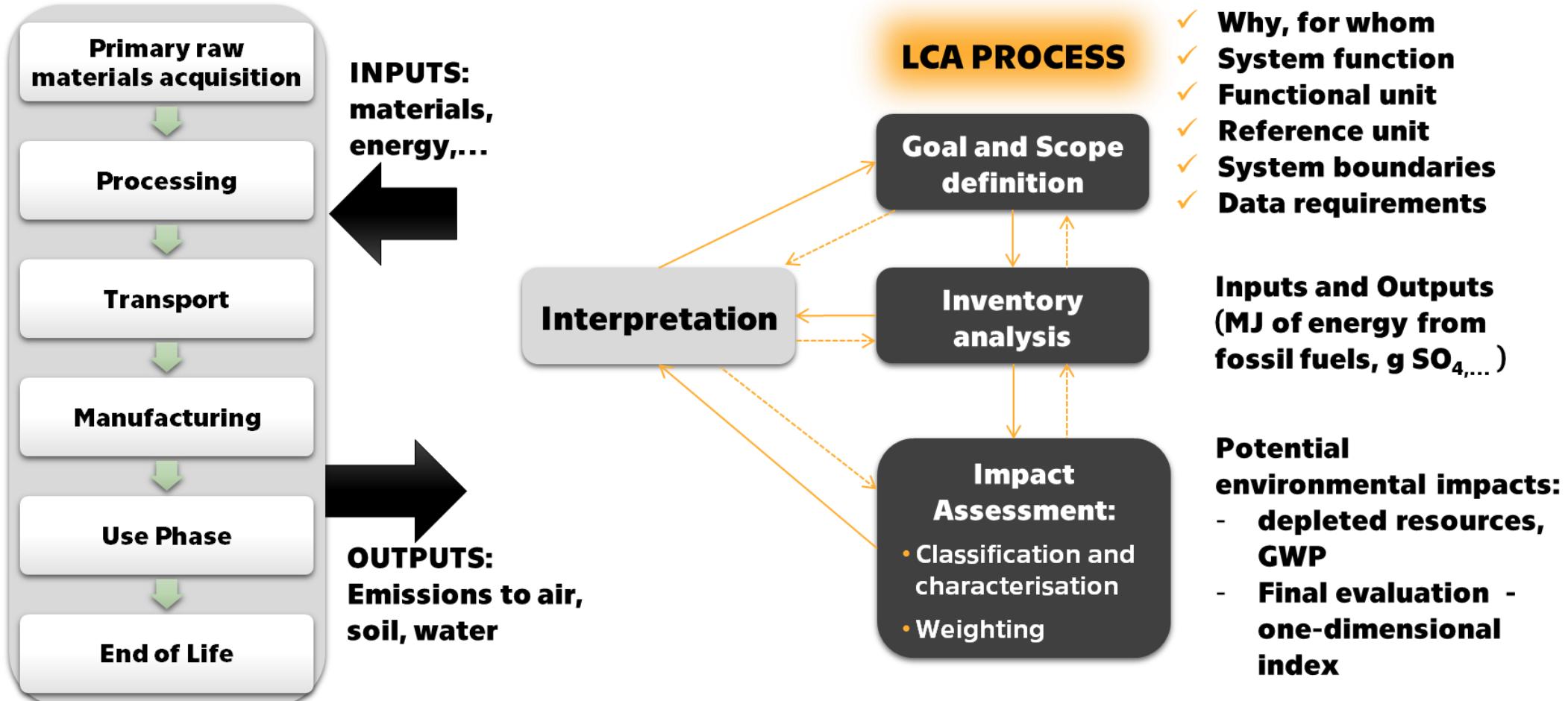
4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems

Official 4-WP04 Deliverables:

- **4-WP04-001 | Quantitative Life Cycle Analysis of the Sustainability of the Mobility Systems and its Selected Partial Elements, VI./2026, CTU 1.0**



Activities in 4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems





Activities in 4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems

	Aktivita v DP 4-WP04	Hlavní řešitel aktivity	Doba řešení projektu			
			2023	2024	2025	2026
01	Knowledge Base of LC Inputs of Key Elements of the Mobility System	Miroslav Žilka, Barbora Stieberová (FS ČVUT)	ano	ano	ne	ne
02	Definition of Scenarios, Structure of the Environmental Model, Catalog of Process Flowcharts of Key Components of the Mobility System	Miroslav Žilka, Barbora Stieberová (FS ČVUT)	ne	ano	ano	ne
03	Environmental Analysis of the Mobility System in the Czech Republic and its Key Components	Miroslav Žilka, Barbora Stieberová (FS ČVUT)	ne	ne	ano	ano
04	Identification of Case Studies within the Consortium for the Processing of LC Analyses	Miroslav Žilka, Barbora Stieberová (FS ČVUT)	ne	ano	ano	ne
05	Case Studies LC Analyses	Miroslav Žilka, Barbora Stieberová (FS ČVUT)	ne	ne	ano	ano



Activities in **4-WP04**: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems

Activity	Knowledge Base of LC Inputs of Key Elements of the Mobility System
Time of realization	04/2023 – 06/2024
Output	4-WP04-001 (O): Quantitative Life Cycle Analysis of the Sustainability of the Mobility Systems and its Selected Partial Elements (FS ČVUT) 6/2026

Activity outputs:

1. Structuralized database of relevant information sources
 2. Report summarizing main findings and insights from the review

Why?

- Capturing the current state of knowledge in the field of LCA analyzes of key elements of the mobility system
 - Obtaining inputs for LC modelling
 - Building a knowledge base for the consortium



Activities in 4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems

Knowledge Base of LC Inputs of Key Elements of the Mobility System



MOBILITY SYSTEMS

EV/BEV

HYDROGEN

PHEV/HEV

CE

BATTERIES

FUEL CELL

PRODUCTION

RECYCLING

SECOND LIFE

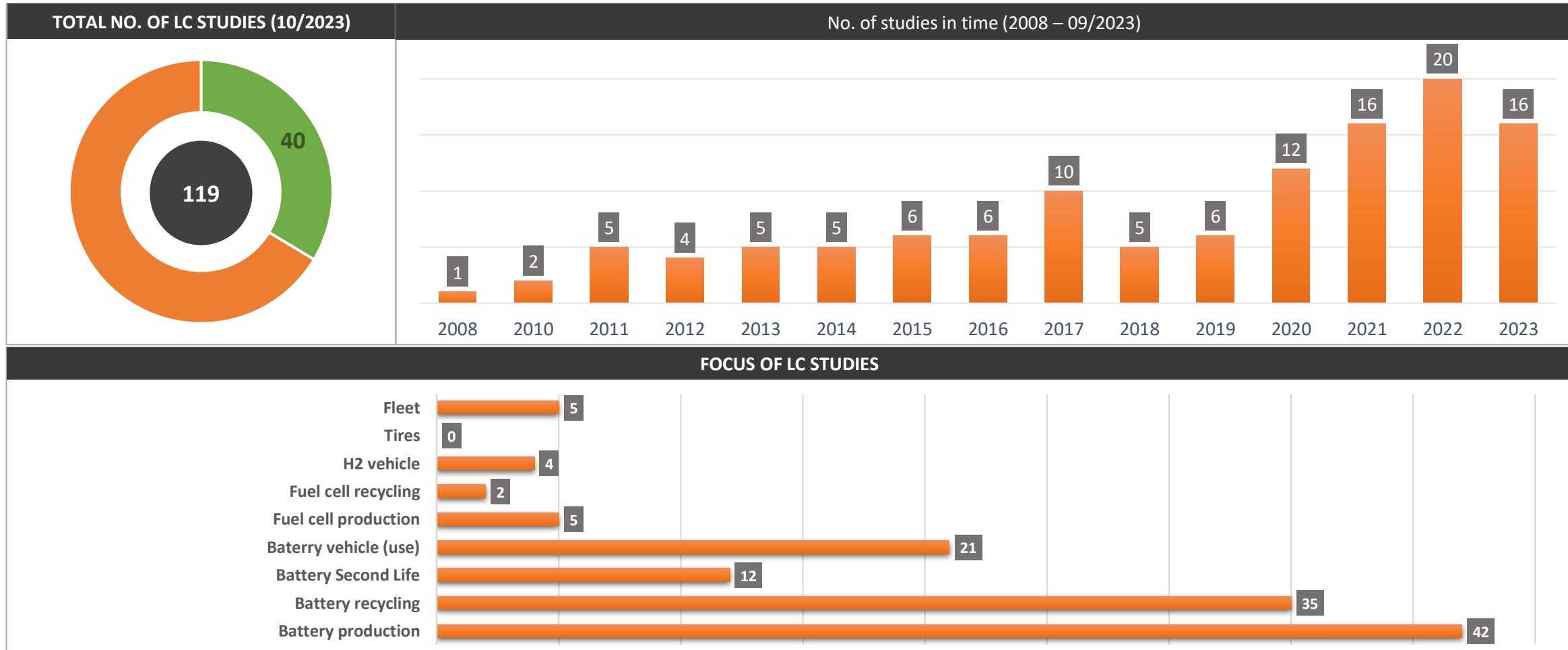
PRODUCTION

RECYCLING



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Knowledge Base of LC Inputs of Key Elements of the Mobility System





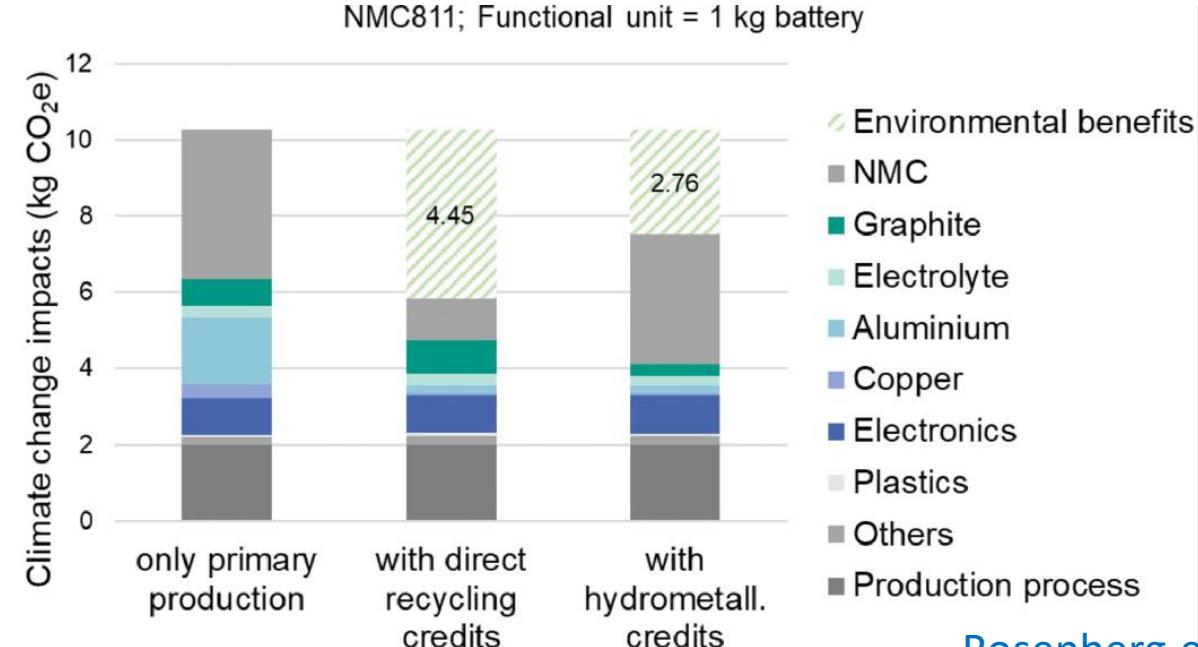
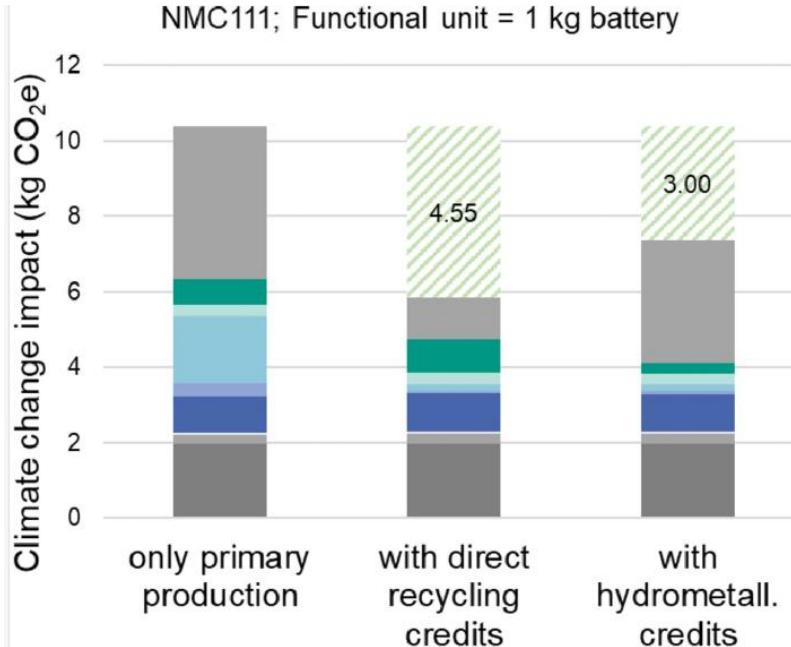
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■ Preliminary general conclusions:

There is an intense development of recycling processes in the recent years and new LCA studies can be found: e.g. Mohr et al, 2020, Zhou 2020, Kallitsis 2022, Adhikari, 2023, Rosenberg, 2023, and also review papers: Pražanová 2022, Li 2023.

e.g. Rosenberg et al, 2023 show the GWP benefits of direct recycling in comparison with advanced hydrometallurgical process (grade material).



Rosenberg et al, 2023



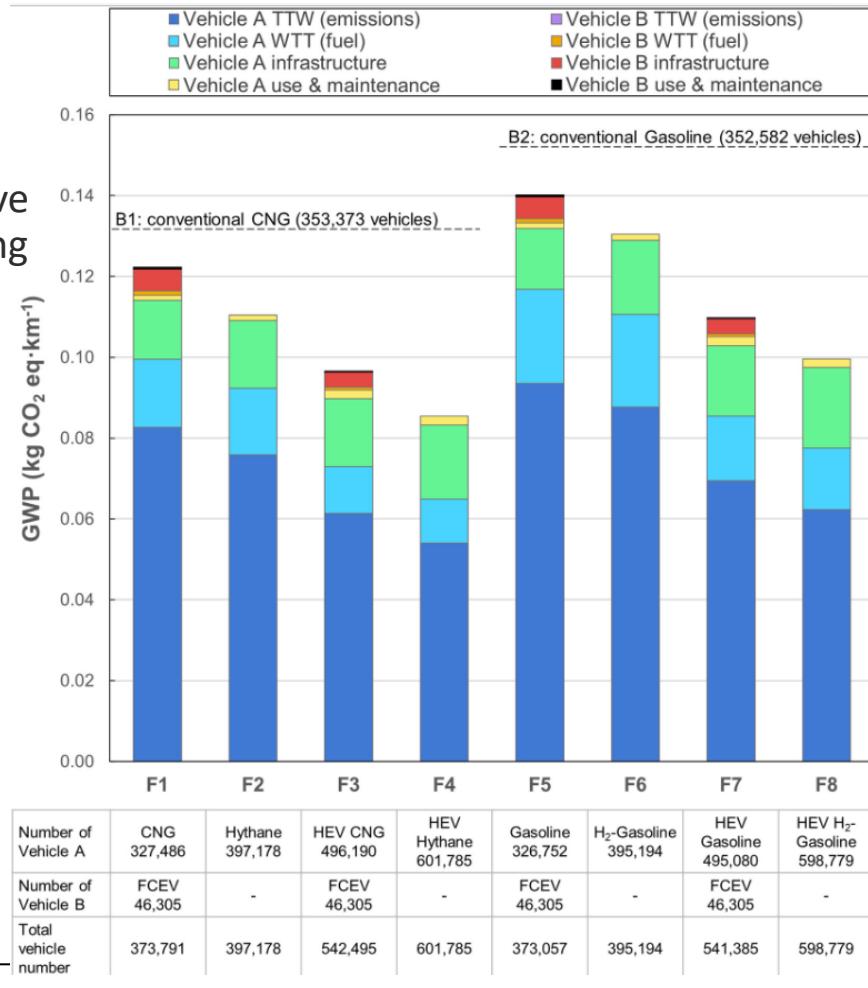
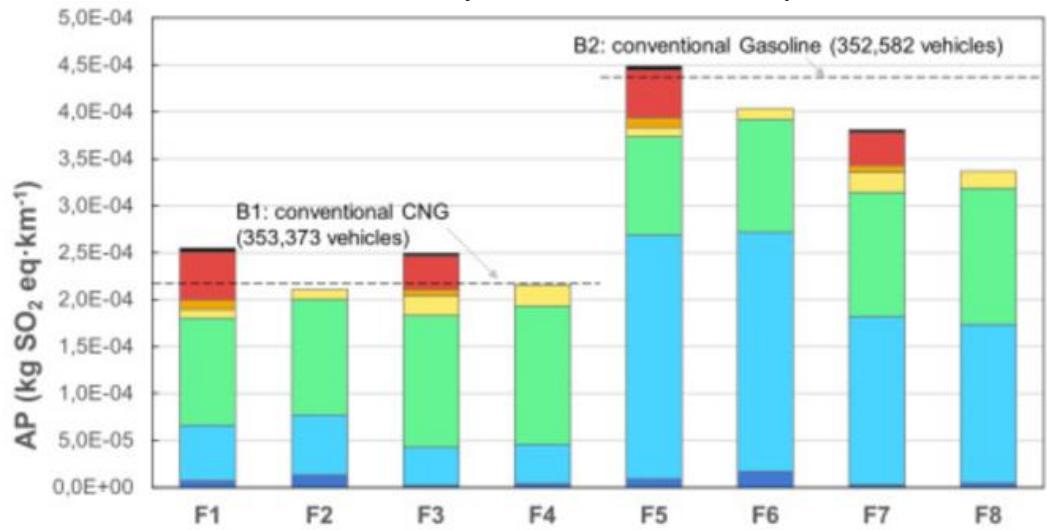
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■ Preliminary general conclusions:

Transition strategies

- Tarabay et al. 2023 show that 100% of new LDV sales being PHEV by 2029 would have equivalent cumulative (2020–2050) life cycle GHG emissions as 100% new sales being BEV by 2035
- Candelaresi, 2023 the use of hydrogen blends could facilitate the transition towards an environmentally sustainable transport



8 different fleets
with H2 in Italy

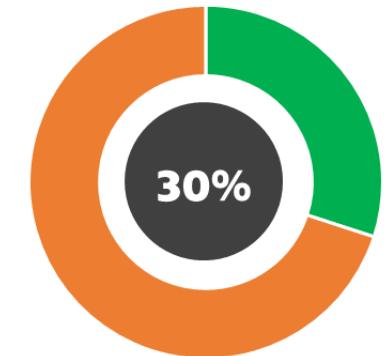


Fulfillment of goals and deliverables of **4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems**

Current State of Deliverables, Milestones and Fulfillment of Goals

M: Knowledge Base of LC Inputs of Key Elements of the Mobility System (06/2024)

PROGRESS STATUS



List of Due Deliverables and Their Added Value

4-WP04-001 (O): Quantitative Life Cycle Analysis of the Sustainability of the Mobility Systems and its Selected Partial Elements

- Work on the first milestone towards the processing of the deliverable
- **WiP & no major delays**



Current contribution of **4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems**

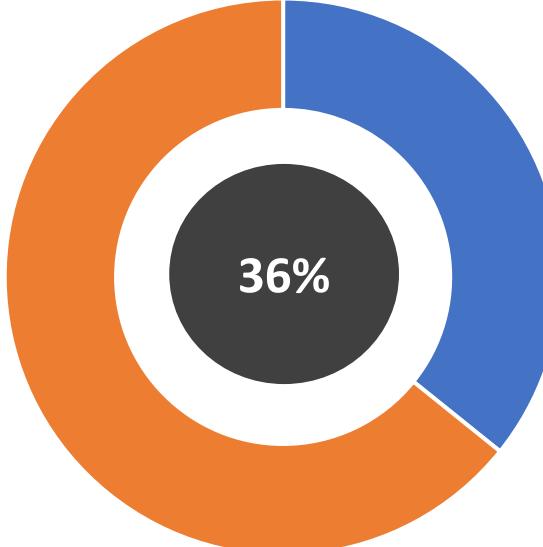
Assessment of the Contribution of Deliverables

- Building a structured knowledge base in the field of LC studies of mobility systems and its sub-elements for the use of consortium members.
- Presentation of benefits and data structure of LC analyses, identification of suitable case studies within the consortium.



Current contribution of **4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems**

Assessment of the Formal/Administrative Goals of the Work Package

Finances	Commercialisation	Deliverables
<p>BUDGET CONSUMPTION 04-09 2023</p>  <p>36%</p>	<p>Analytical tasks</p> <p>M</p> <p>Not relevant</p>	<p>OK</p>



Current contribution of **4-WP04:** Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems

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Thank you for your attention

ANY QUESTIONS?



Výtah z prací 2023-2025 na **4-WP04**: Analýzy životního cyklu v systémech mobility

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Z důvodu vysoké náročnosti na rozsah vstupních dat bude prvním krokem vytvoření znalostní báze pro tvorbu LC analýz. Jejím účelem je samozřejmě zajištění potřebných vstupů pro tvorbu environmentálních modelů, ale předpokládáme, že bude ve formě strukturované databáze informačních zdrojů k dispozici všem členům konsorcia. Kromě strukturované databáze bude výstupem tohoto kroku souhrnná zpráva, která bude zachycovat klíčové informace komplexní rešerše.

V dalším kroku budou definovány jednotlivé klíčové komponenty systému mobility v podobě flow-chartů zachycujících klíčové jednotkové procesy a vstupní parametry. Rovněž budou definovány scénáře budoucího vývoje.

Následně bude sestaven environmentální model v systému SimaPro a s jeho pomocí bude provedena analýza systému mobility a jejich klíčových komponent v prostředí České republiky. Výstup této analýzy by měl mít podobu souhrnné zprávy.

Především ve druhé polovině sledovaného období by rovněž měly být v rámci konsorcia identifikovány vhodné case studies (konkrétní inovační projekty), pro zpracování dílčí LC analýz.



Results of **4-WP04:** Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems – Achieved 2023-2025

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Due to the high demands on the range of input data, the first step will be the creation of a knowledge base for the creation of LC analyses. Its purpose is, of course, to provide the necessary inputs for the creation of environmental models, but we assume that it will be available to all members of the consortium in the form of a structured database of information resources. In addition to the structured database, the output of this step will be a summary report that will capture the key information of the complex search. In the next step, individual key components of the mobility system will be defined in the form of flow-charts capturing key unit processes and input parameters. Future development scenarios will also be defined. Subsequently, an environmental model will be compiled in the SimaPro system and with its help an analysis of the mobility system and its key components in the environment of the Czech Republic will be carried out. The output of this analysis should take the form of a summary report.

Especially in the second half of the period, suitable case studies (specific innovation projects) should also be identified within the consortium, for the processing of partial LC analyses.

Výtah z prací 2023 na **4-WP04**: Analýzy životního cyklu v systémech mobility

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V roce 2023 byly započaty práce na tvorbě znalostní báze. Primárně byla navržena její struktura umožňující filtraci zdrojů dle tematického a obsahového zaměření. Dále byly akumulovány informační zdroje zaměřené na LC studie (v současnosti více jak 120 zdrojů) v oblasti mobility. Ty jsou průběžně zpracovávány a analyzovány. Klíčové informace jsou integrovány do souhrnného reportu, který by měl být finalizován v polovině roku 2024.

Author	Name	Source	Review	Sub chain	Sub products	Sub energy	Sub services	Sub vehicles	Post goods	Post energy	H2	Flu	Data	Focus	
1	Hawkins et al.	Comparative Environmental Life Cycle Assessment of Conventional and Electric Vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1111/joc.12314	Review				1						Review focused on LCA of EV	
2	Nordin et al.	Review of Recent Life cycle Assessments of Image and Actual Electric Vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1007/s00191-013-0134-8	Review				1						Review focused on LCA of EV	
3	Nordahl et al.	Environmental impacts of hybrid, plug-in hybrid, and battery electric vehicles—what can we learn from life cycle assessments?	https://doi.org/10.1080/09593116.2013.783674	Review				1						Review focused on LCA of EV	
4	Potter et al.	The environmental impact of Lithium batteries and the role of key parameters influencing accompanying uncertainties in life cycle assessments: differences in life cycle assessment approaches for lithium-ion batteries with focus on greenhouse gases	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2017.306	Review	1									Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production	
5	Ellington et al.	The Life Cycle Energy Consumption and Greenhouse Gas Emissions from Lithium-Ion Batteries	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2017.3028	Review	1									Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production	
6	Romnes and Dahlhoff	The Life Cycle Energy Consumption and Greenhouse Gas Emissions from Lithium-Ion Batteries	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2017.3029	Review	1									Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production	
7	Achberger and Jungmeier	Environmental Life Cycle Impacts of Automotive Batteries Based on a Literature Review	https://doi.org/10.1337/97813220845	Review	1								50 studies (2005 - 2020)	Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production	
8	Tamparoli	Life Cycle Assessment of Electric Vehicles: A Review of Recent Literature	https://doi.org/10.1337/97813112684	Review	1									Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production	
9	Zhuo et al.	Assessing the life cycle cumulative energy demand and greenhouse gas emissions of lithium-ion batteries	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2021.3033	Review	1								76 studies	Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production	
10	Bauer and Guclu	The greenhouse gas emissions of the powertrain of electric vehicles: a critical review of life cycle assessment studies	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2022.3105	Review	1									Misanalysis	Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
11	Pozio	Life-Cycle Assessment and Considerations for Batteries and Battery Materials	https://doi.org/10.1002/er.6771	Review	1										Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
12	Anshel et al.	Life Cycle Assessment of Lithium-Ion Batteries: A Critical Review	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2022.3104	Review	1									80 studies (2010 - 2021)	
13	Le et al.	Critical review of life cycle assessment of lithium-ion batteries for electric vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2022.3090	Review											
14	Vurme et al.	Life cycle assessment of electric vehicles in comparison to combustion engine vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2021.0146	Review				1						1	Review focused on LCA of EV
15	Ishaku et al.	Closing gaps in LCA of lithium-ion batteries: LCA of batteries without consideration with new primary data	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2022.3193	Book	NMTC	1			1				1 wh battery pack	Primary data for the cathode material production at laboratory scale (Kathodit)	
16	Norrie et al.	Contribution of Li-ion batteries to the environmental impact of electric vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1007/s00191-021-00372-y	Case study	LithoCo	1			1				1 km		LCA Comparison of BEV with ICE (comparable to a Volkswagen Golf)
17	Zachrisson et al.	Life cycle assessment of lithium-ion batteries for plug-in hybrid electric vehicles – Critical issues	https://doi.org/10.1017/jms.2010.0600	Case study	LFP	1			1						LCA of LiP battery with two different solvents for PHEV manufacturing.
18	Sullivan and Gates	Life-Cycle Analysis of Production and Recycling of Lithium Ion Batteries	https://doi.org/10.1142/17221008	Case study	1										
19	Malone-Bitter et al.	Lithium ion environmental assessment of the production and recycling of lithium-ion batteries for plug-in hybrid and battery electric vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1007/s10368-017-1100-2	Case study	M, NiMH, and Li	1			1						

Databáze informačních zdrojů



Results of 4-WP04: Life Cycle Analysis in Mobility Systems – Achieved 2023

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In 2023, work began on the creation of a knowledge base. Its structure was primarily designed to enable the filtering of sources according to thematic and content focus. Furthermore, information resources focused on LC studies in the field of mobility were accumulated (currently more than 120 resources). These are continuously processed and analyzed. Key information is integrated into a summary report, which should be finalized in mid-2024.

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2	Nordin and Henselick	2015 Life Cycle Assessment of Energy and Greenhouse Gas Emissions for Electric Vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2015.04.003	Review													Review focused on LCA of EV
3	Nestoroff et al.	2014 Environmental Impact of Hybrid, plug-in hybrid, and battery electric vehicles from life cycle assessment	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2014.03.014	Review													Review focused on LCA of EV
4	Potter et al.	2019 The environmental impact of Li-ion batteries and the role of key parameters	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2019.06.025	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
5	Willingham et al.	2017 Life cycle assessment differences in life cycle assessment studies of lithium-ion traction batteries with focus on greenhouse gas	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2017.06.028	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
6	Romani and Dabholkar	2017 The Life-Cycle Energy Consumption and Greenhouse Gas Emissions from Lithium-Ion Batteries	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2017.06.028	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
7	Achorage and Langner	2020 Environmental Life-Cycle Impacts of Automotive Batteries Based on a Systematic Review	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2020.113455	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
8	Tampurilli	2020 Life Cycle Assessment of Electric Vehicle Batteries: An Overview	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2020.113454	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
9	Zhai et al.	2021 Assessing the life cycle cumulative energy demand and greenhouse gas emissions of lithium-ion batteries	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2021.110353	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
10	Bouček and Guschl	2020 The greenhouse gas emissions of automotive lithium batteries: a critical review of life cycle assessment studies	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2020.113500	Review													Misanalysis
11	Pozio	2020 Life-Cycle Assessment Considerations for Batteries and Battery Materials	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2020.110771	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
12	Anishad et al.	2020 Life-Cycle Assessment of Lithium-Ion Batteries: A Critical Review	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2020.113144	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
13	Lai et al.	2019 Critical review of life cycle assessment of lithium-ion batteries for electric vehicles: A life cycle perspective	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2019.110160	Review													Review focused on LCA of batteries for EV production
14	Vermu et al.	2020 Life cycle assessment of electric vehicles – a comparison between combustion engines and electric drives	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2020.113683	Review													Review focused on LCA of EV
15	Fukuda et al.	2023 Closing gaps in LCA of lithium-ion batteries: LCA of life-cycle cell production with new primary data	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2023.113557	Review	NMC												Primary data for the cathode materials at laboratory scale (lithium)
16	Nozicka et al.	2010 Contribution of Li-ion batteries to the environmental impact of electric vehicles	10.1021/nl0933723g	Case study	Ubitox												LCA comparison of BEV with ICE (comparable to a Volkswagen Golf)
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18	Sullivan and Garsse et al.	2011 Life-Cycle Analysis of Production and Disposal of Lithium-Ion Batteries	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2011.05.004	Case study													
19	Majewski-Bellotti et al.	2011 Life cycle environmental assessment of lithium-ion and nickel metal hydride batteries for plug-in hybrid and battery electric vehicles	https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jenvsysman.2011.05.002	Case study	M, NMC, and												

Database of information sources