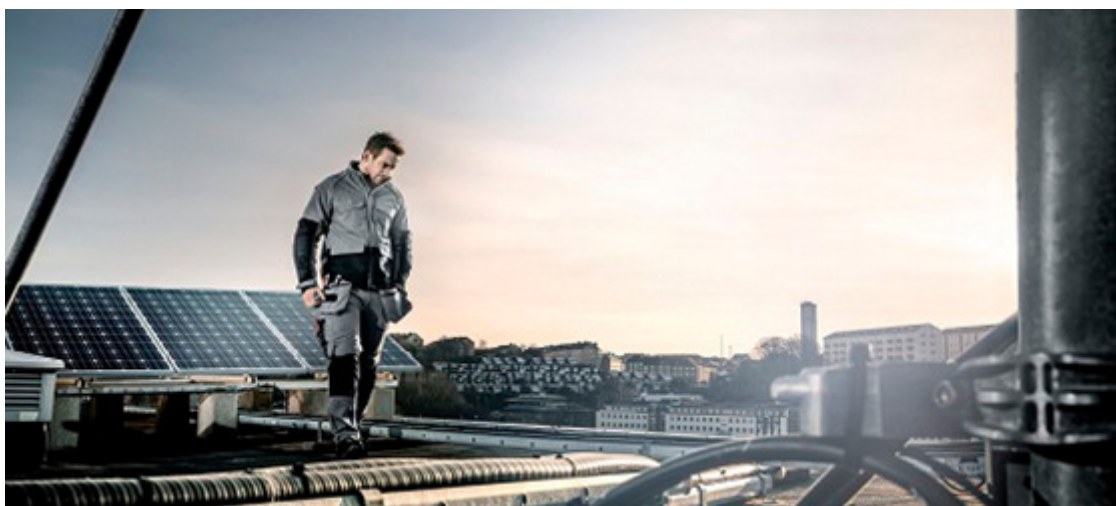


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Stay up to date with the latest news and information from the EPD Secretariat, read about the InData network, the first EPD of clothing, the EPD Stakeholder Conference in November and more.



### **Fristads is leading the way for EPD of clothing**

Manufacturing and sales of textiles have a major impact on our planet. Environmental impact arises throughout the manufacturing chain, from raw materials to finished product. Fristads now have an Environmental Product Declaration (EPD) for a whole collection, because they want to make a difference.

As part of working with EPD, Fristads now launches the Fristads Green. A new concept

where the entire manufacturing chain is characterized by environmental awareness and innovative solutions to minimize the footprint on the environment.

[Read the full article](#)

## **Save the date! EPD Stakeholder Conference Bilbao November 26th**

The Conference 2019 will take place in Bilbao, Spain, on Tuesday, November 26th 2019. The event is expected to gather EPD stakeholders from industry, academia and others sectors for a chance to meet and learn about the latest developments in the world of Environmental Product Declarations. Follow us on LinkedIn or visit our homepage to get the latest information about the event. Registration for the conference will open soon!

## **Summer schedule of the secretariat**

The Secretariat will have limited availability in July due to summer holidays. For all questions about EPDs, PCRs or EPD registrations in July, please use [info@environdec.com](mailto:info@environdec.com) as the main contact and we will answer you as soon as possible.



## **InData meeting hosted in Stockholm**

The 11th meeting of the InData Working Group was hosted in Stockholm in April. The latest developments within the field of digitalisation of EPD data were discussed, with the goal to harmonize the format of [machine-readable EPDs](#) for use in different applications.



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## **European calculation rules (CEN PCR) for ceramics tiles adopted**

A new product category-specific PCR standard, developed within CEN to complement the EN 15804 standard, has now been adopted via sub-PCRs in the International EPD® System: Sub-PCR-L Ceramic tiles (EN 17160)

The sub-PCRs does not add any additional methodological requirements, but simply refer

to the European standard. It is now available for any company wishing to declare an EPD for these product categories in the International EPD® System.

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## Launch of a new website [www.indata.network](http://www.indata.network)

As one of the members of the InData working group, we are pleased to announce the launch of a new website for a European sustainability data hub of construction products. The newly developed website will work as a platform to exchange experience and create a joint international information node for the construction sector.

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## EPD International Secretariat at event for the construction sector

In May Kristian Jelse from the EPD International Secretariat was present at an event for the construction sector in Stockholm. The event was hosted by WSP with the Swedish Transport Authority (Trafikverket) as one of the presenters.

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