

example

› Steel S235:

- Cross-section area = $100\text{kN} / 235 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 425 \text{ mm}^2$
- Volume = $425 \text{ mm}^2 \times 1000 \text{ mm} = 425'000 \text{ mm}^3$
- Weight = $425'000 \text{ mm}^3 \times 7'850 \text{ kg/m}^3 = 3.3 \text{ kg}$
- GWP = $3.3 \text{ kg} \times 0.6 \text{ kg}_{\text{CO}_2\text{eq}}/\text{kg} = \mathbf{2 \text{ kg}_{\text{CO}_2\text{eq}}}$

› Solid timber C24

- Cross-section area = $100\text{kN} / 8.5 \text{ N/mm}^2 = 11'765 \text{ mm}^2$
- Volume = $11'765 \text{ mm}^2 \times 1000 \text{ mm} = 11'765'000 \text{ mm}^3$
- Weight = $11'765'000 \text{ mm}^3 \times 500 \text{ kg/m}^3 = 5.9 \text{ kg}$
- GWP = $5.9 \text{ kg} \times 0.47 \text{ kg}_{\text{CO}_2\text{eq}}/\text{kg} = \mathbf{2.8 \text{ kg}_{\text{CO}_2\text{eq}}}$