

## Appendix 7 Declaration from the applicant about packaging

To be completed by the applicant for a licence for the Nordic Swan Ecolabel.

Type of packaging	YES	NO
<p>Primary packaging?</p> <p><i>Primary packaging means the packaging of the product that is necessary until the point of user. In the case of sterile products, primary packaging is designed to maintain the sterility of the product resulting in one piece of the specific product per primary packaging. Non-sterile products can be packed in primary packaging per product, in a certain number of products or without any primary packaging. It depends on the product types and their need for protection.</i></p> <p><i>Small parts such as staples, plastic strips, closure clips and cords are exempted.</i></p>		
<p>Secondary packaging?</p> <p><i>Secondary packaging means the packaging of a certain number of products in their primary packaging (if used) for protection during transport and storage.</i></p>		
<p>Tertiary packaging?</p> <p><i>Tertiary packaging means the outer layer of packaging in which the product is distributed during their initial dispatch from the manufacturer of the product. Auxiliary packaging as wrapping film etc. for transportation pallets are excluded. Other packaging used in downstream distribution, including transport between distribution centres, retailers, or final customers is excluded.</i></p>		

Packaging name and/or item number (write all the names/numbers this declaration covers):
Components of the packaging (container, closure, lid):
Packaging material (type of plastic, board etc.). List all materials included in each component of the packaging:

For all packaging	YES	NO
Does the packaging or label contain halogenated plastics (e.g. PVC or PVDC), oxo-degradable plastic or biodegradable plastic?		
<p>Does the packaging contain intentionally added PFAS*?</p> <p><i>* PFASs are defined as any substance that contains at least one fully fluorinated methyl (CF<sub>3</sub>-) or methylene (-CF<sub>2</sub>-) carbon atom (without any H/Cl/Br/I attached to it).</i></p>		
<p>Is the packaging surface treated with PFAS*, either on the inside or on the outside of the packaging?</p> <p><i>* PFASs are defined as any substance that contains at least one fully fluorinated methyl (CF<sub>3</sub>-) or methylene (-CF<sub>2</sub>-) carbon atom (without any H/Cl/Br/I attached to it).</i></p>		
<p>Is metal use in the packaging?</p> <p>Staples and other small parts are exempt.</p>		

For primary packaging is exception of metal layer for barrier purposes to preserve a sterile barrier, minimize evaporation and/or improve product shelf life.		
<b>For board and paper:</b>		
Is the packaging marked with the FSC- or PEFC-logo? <b>If yes</b> , please attach documentation for certification.		
Does the packaging contain recycled wood raw material?  <b>If yes</b> , please state amount (weight %): _____		
Does the packaging contain wood raw material from forests that are managed in accordance with sustainable forestry management principles established by FSC- or PEFC-schemes?  <b>If yes</b> , please state amount (weight %): _____		
Does the packaging contain wood raw material covered by the FSC/PEFC control schemes (FSC controlled wood/PEFC controlled sources)?  <b>If yes</b> , please state amount (weight %): _____		
<b>For secondary packaging and tertiary packaging</b>	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Is the packaging made of monomaterial*? <i>* Monomaterial means one material type, e.g. cardboard or one type of plastic, e.g. PP. However, coloured packaging components made from PP are allowed to have up to 5% PE if it comes from the masterbatch.</i>		
If the packaging is not made of monomaterial: Is each packaging component made of monomaterial? Small parts such as plastic strips, closure clips and cords are exempt.		
If the packaging is not made of monomaterial: Can each packaging component be sorted separately for recycling* without using a tool (including sorting into different plastic types)? Small metal parts (e.g. staples) are exempt. <i>* Energy recovery does not qualify as recycling.</i>		
If the packaging is not made of monomaterial: Are packaging components made of different materials glued or welded together?		
Has carbon black been added to any plastic components?		

Place and date	Company name
Responsible person	Signature of responsible person
Telephone	Email