Finnish approach to climate declarations and limit values

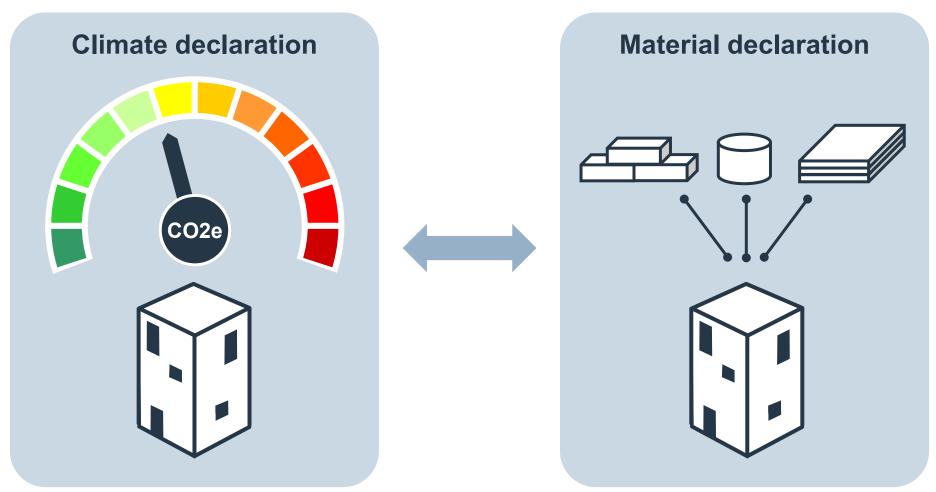
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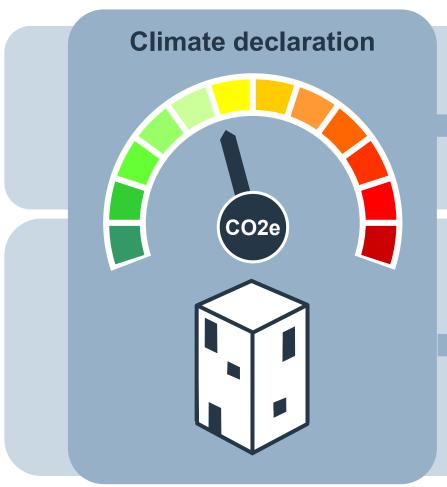


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Carbon footprint

- Mandatory Climate Declaration for all building projects that require a building permit
- Limit values for new buildings

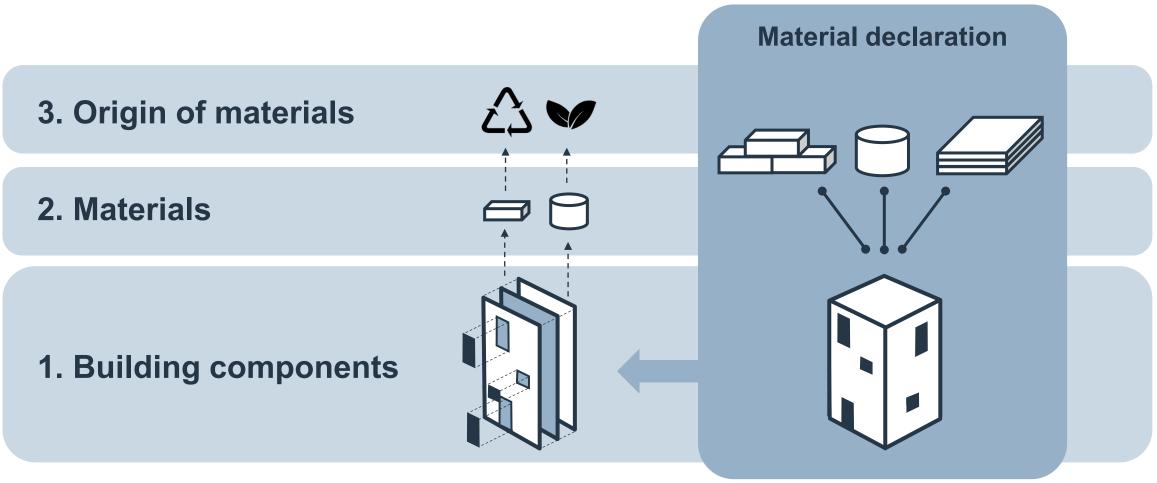
Carbon handprint

Potential climate benefits based on EN standards

- Net benefits from reuse, recycling or energy recovery
- Long-term carbon storages
- Carbonisation of concrete
- Surplus renewable energy
- Planted trees



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Symmetry with Energy Performance Certificates

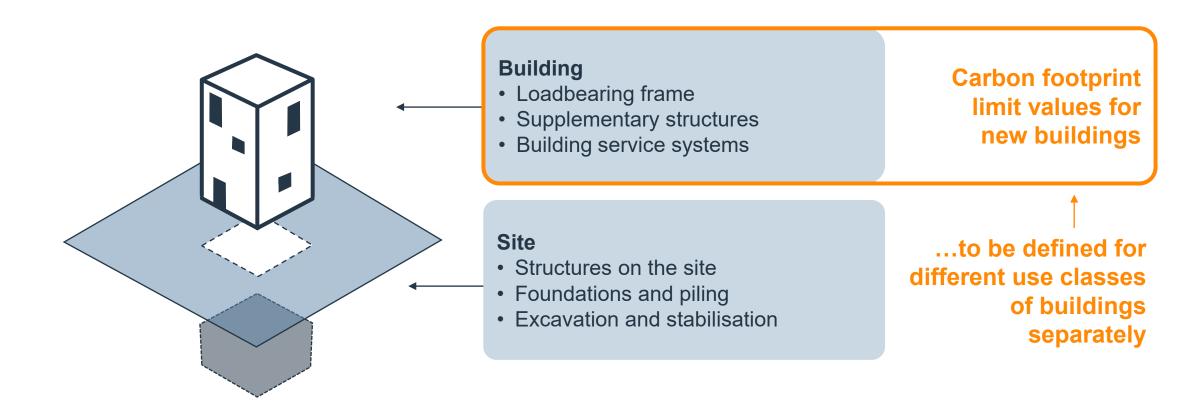
If a building requires an energy declaration, it will require also climate and material declaration



If a building has to stay below a given E value, it must also stay below a given C value

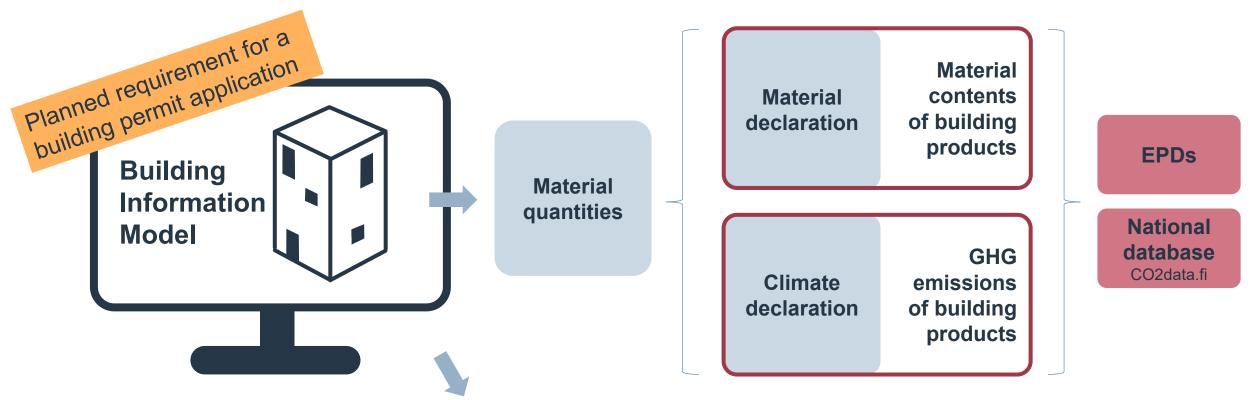


Scope of the assessment





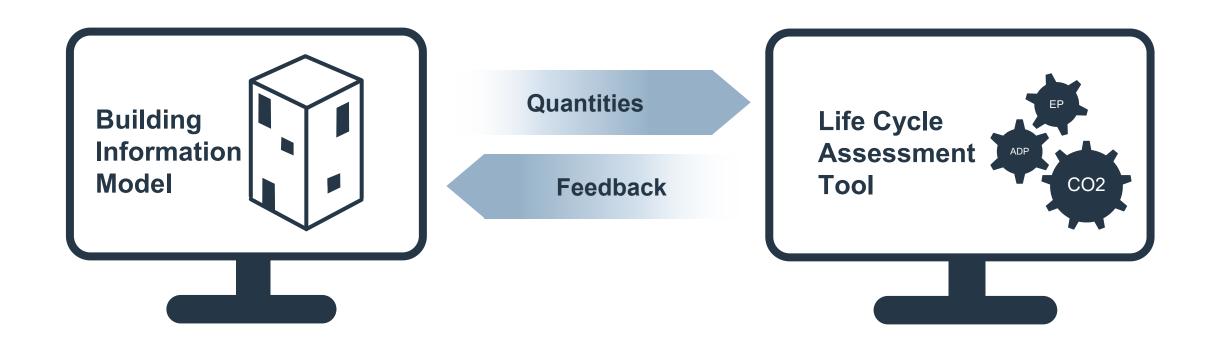
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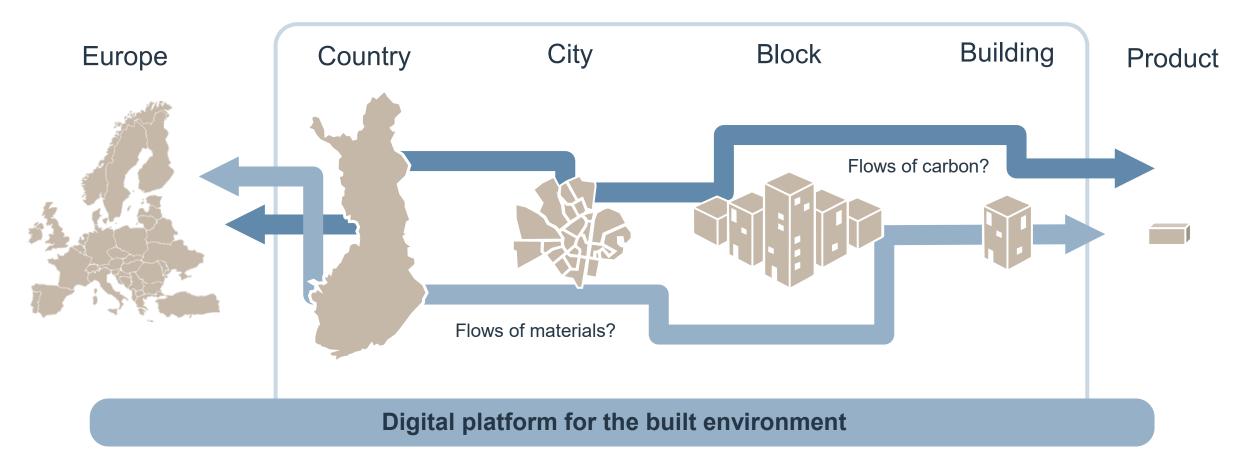
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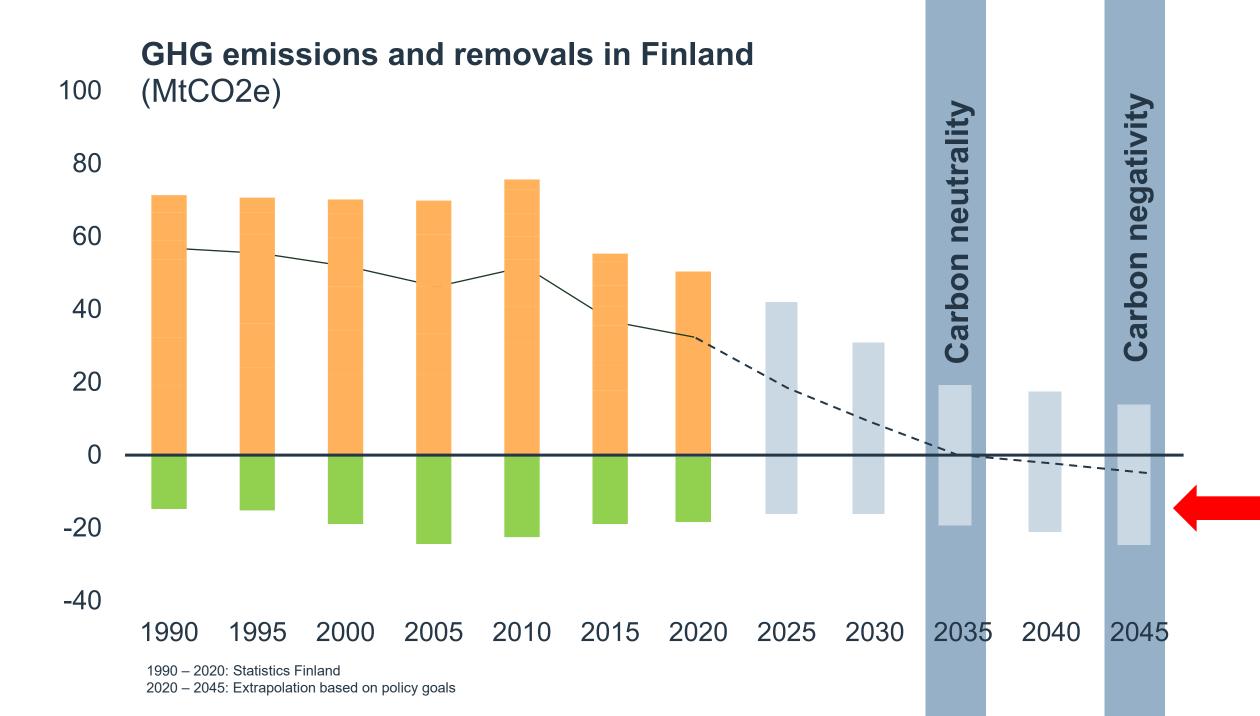
Digital platform for the built environment



Goal: Monitoring resource flows in the built environment



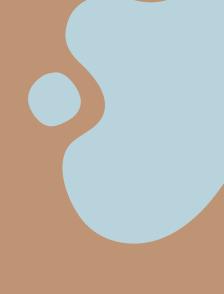




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