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### **Investigation of PEX pipes for drinking water use.**

#### Summary

The main objective of the project has been to investigate if the PEX pipes, that are used as distribution lines inside buildings, gives migration to the drinking water. The investigation shows, that the migration from the PEX pipes is much lower in the field investigation than in the laboratory tests. It could not be shown concentrations of breakdown products from antioxidants in the field investigation, that with current knowledge would lead to health concerns during the use of the pipes. The investigation also shows, that there are differences in the migration of breakdown products from the added antioxidants from the different pipes.