

# Energy performance certificate (EPC)

4, St. Ives Gardens  
BELFAST  
BT9 5DN

Energy rating

**D**

Valid until:

**17 February 2030**

Certificate number:

**9120-0122-6430-7668-1296**

Property type

Mid-terrace house

Total floor area

134 square metres

## Energy rating and score

This property's energy rating is D. It has the potential to be C.

[See how to improve this property's energy efficiency.](#)

The graph shows this property's current and potential energy rating.

**Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) and a score.** The better the rating and score, the lower your energy bills are likely to be.

For properties in Northern Ireland:

the average energy rating is D  
the average energy score is 60

Score	Energy rating	Current	Potential
92+	<b>A</b>		
81-91	<b>B</b>		
69-80	<b>C</b>		<b>75 C</b>
55-68	<b>D</b>	<b>64 D</b>	
39-54	<b>E</b>		
21-38	<b>F</b>		
1-20	<b>G</b>		

## Breakdown of property's energy performance

### Features in this property

Features get a rating from very good to very poor, based on how energy efficient they are. Ratings are not based on how well features work or their condition.

Assumed ratings are based on the property's age and type. They are used for features the assessor could not inspect.

Feature	Description	Rating
Wall	Solid brick, as built, no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)	Good
Roof	Roof room(s), no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Roof	Roof room(s), insulated (assumed)	Good
Window	Mostly double glazing	Average
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	Good
Main heating control	Programmer, room thermostat and TRVs	Good
Hot water	From main system	Good
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 84% of fixed outlets	Very good
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Floor	Solid, insulated (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	None	N/A

### Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 239 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m<sup>2</sup>).

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## How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£1,192 per year on heating, hot water and lighting** in this property. These costs usually make up the majority of your energy bills.

You could **save £374 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2020** when this EPC was created. People living at the property may use different amounts of energy for heating, hot water and lighting.

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## Impact on the environment

This property's environmental impact rating is D. It has the potential to be C.

Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) on how much carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) they produce each year.

## Carbon emissions

An average household produces 6 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>

This property produces 5.7 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>

This property's potential production 3.6 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>

You could improve this property's CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by making the suggested changes. This will help to protect the environment.

These ratings are based on assumptions about average occupancy and energy use. People living at the property may use different amounts of energy.

## Steps you could take to save energy

Step	Typical installation cost	Typical yearly saving
1. Room-in-roof insulation	£1,500 - £2,700	£305
2. Condensing boiler	£2,200 - £3,000	£69
3. Solar water heating	£4,000 - £6,000	£32
4. Solar photovoltaic panels	£3,500 - £5,500	£316

## Who to contact about this certificate

### Contacting the assessor

If you're unhappy about your property's energy assessment or certificate, you can complain to the assessor who created it.

Assessor's name	Andrew Smyth
Telephone	02890 325888
Email	<a href="mailto:andrew.smyth@macfarlanesmyth.com">andrew.smyth@macfarlanesmyth.com</a>

### Contacting the accreditation scheme

If you're still unhappy after contacting the assessor, you should contact the assessor's accreditation scheme.

Accreditation scheme	Elmhurst Energy Systems Ltd
Assessor's ID	EES/006351
Telephone	01455 883 250
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### About this assessment

Assessor's declaration	Employed by the professional dealing with the property transaction
Date of assessment	18 February 2020
Date of certificate	18 February 2020
Type of assessment	<a href="#">RdSAP</a>