

Energy performance certificate (EPC)

6, Archvale Park
NEWTOWNABBEY
BT36 6LL

Energy rating

E

Valid until: 28 October 2026

Certificate number: 2689-2948-0230-6896-8960

Property type

Semi-detached house

Total floor area

78 square metres

Energy rating and score

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

[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+ | A | | |
| 81-91 | B | | |
| 69-80 | C | | |
| 55-68 | D | | 60 D |
| 39-54 | E | 41 E | |
| 21-38 | F | | |
| 1-20 | G | | |

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 | Cavity wall, as built, no insulation (assumed) | Poor |
| Wall | Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed) | Good |
| Roof | Pitched, limited insulation (assumed) | Very poor |
| Roof | Pitched, insulated (assumed) | Good |
| Window | Fully double glazed | Average |
| Main heating | Boiler and radiators, oil | Average |
| Main heating control | Programmer, no room thermostat | Very poor |
| Hot water | From main system, no cylinder thermostat | Poor |
| Lighting | No low energy lighting | Very poor |
| 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 351 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m²).

Additional information

Additional information about this property:

- Cavity fill is recommended

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£1,149 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 £360 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2016** when this EPC was created. People living at the property may use different amounts of energy for heating, hot water and lighting.

Impact on the environment

This property’s environmental impact rating is F. It has the potential to be E.

Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) on how much carbon dioxide (CO2) they produce each year.

Carbon emissions

An average household produces 6 tonnes of CO2

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| This property produces | 7.1 tonnes of CO2 |
| This property’s potential production | 4.9 tonnes of CO2 |

You could improve this property’s CO2 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. Cavity wall insulation | £500 - £1,500 | £164 |
| 2. Low energy lighting | £85 | £45 |
| 3. Hot water cylinder thermostat | £200 - £400 | £21 |
| 4. Heating controls (room thermostat and TRVs) | £350 - £450 | £132 |
| 5. Floor insulation (solid floor) | £4,000 - £6,000 | £29 |
| 6. Solar water heating | £4,000 - £6,000 | £54 |
| 7. Solar photovoltaic panels | £5,000 - £8,000 | £266 |

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.

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| Assessor's name | Martin Chambers |
| Telephone | 07772 086595 |
| Email | martin.chambers@hotmail.co.uk |

Contacting the accreditation scheme

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

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| Accreditation scheme | NHER |
| Assessor's ID | NHER008048 |
| Telephone | 01455 883 250 |
| Email | enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk |

About this assessment

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| Assessor's declaration | No related party |
| Date of assessment | 28 October 2016 |
| Date of certificate | 29 October 2016 |
| Type of assessment | RdSAP |
