# **Energy Performance Certificate (EPC)**

**Dwellings** 

# **Scotland**

#### 2F1, 31 ROSEBURN TERRACE, EDINBURGH, EH12 5NQ

Dwelling type: Mid-floor flat
Date of assessment: 29 July 2019
Date of certificate: 02 August 2019

**Total floor area:** 65 m<sup>2</sup>

Primary Energy Indicator: 260 kWh/m²/year

**Reference number:** 0170-2791-9030-9821-2615 **Type of assessment:** RdSAP, existing dwelling

Approved Organisation: Elmhurst

Main heating and fuel: Boiler and radiators, mains

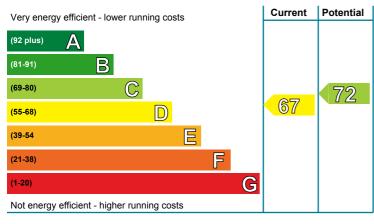
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#### You can use this document to:

- Compare current ratings of properties to see which are more energy efficient and environmentally friendly
- Find out how to save energy and money and also reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by improving your home

| Estimated energy costs for your home for 3 years* | £2,040 | See your<br>recommendations<br>report for more<br>information |
|---|--------|---|
| Over 3 years you could save*                      | £366   |   |

\* based upon the cost of energy for heating, hot water, lighting and ventilation, calculated using standard assumptions

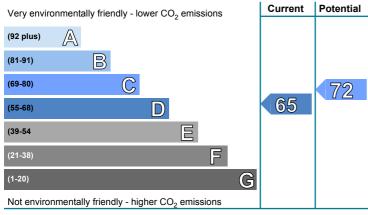


#### **Energy Efficiency Rating**

This graph shows the current efficiency of your home, taking into account both energy efficiency and fuel costs. The higher this rating, the lower your fuel bills are likely to be.

Your current rating is **band D (67)**. The average rating for EPCs in Scotland is **band D (61)**.

The potential rating shows the effect of undertaking all of the improvement measures listed within your recommendations report.



### **Environmental Impact (CO<sub>2</sub>) Rating**

This graph shows the effect of your home on the environment in terms of carbon dioxide  $(CO_2)$  emissions. The higher the rating, the less impact it has on the environment.

Your current rating is **band D (65)**. The average rating for EPCs in Scotland is **band D (59)**.

The potential rating shows the effect of undertaking all of the improvement measures listed within your recommendations report.

## Top actions you can take to save money and make your home more efficient

| Recommended measures                   | Indicative cost  | Typical savings over 3 years |  |
|--|------------------|------------------------------|--|
| 1 Internal or external wall insulation | £4,000 - £14,000 | £291.00                      |  |
| 2 Low energy lighting                  | £25              | £72.00                       |  |

A full list of recommended improvement measures for your home, together with more information on potential cost and savings and advice to help you carry out improvements can be found in your recommendations report.

To find out more about the recommended measures and other actions you could take today to stop wasting energy and money, visit greenerscotland.org or contact Home Energy Scotland on 0808 808 2282.

THIS PAGE IS THE ENERGY PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATE WHICH MUST BE AFFIXED TO THE DWELLING AND NOT BE REMOVED UNLESS IT IS REPLACED WITH AN UPDATED CERTIFICATE

#### Summary of the energy performance related features of this home

This table sets out the results of the survey which lists the current energy-related features of this home. Each element is assessed by the national calculation methodology; 1 star = very poor (least efficient), 2 stars = poor, 3 stars = average, 4 stars = good and 5 stars = very good (most efficient). The assessment does not take into consideration the condition of an element and how well it is working. 'Assumed' means that the insulation could not be inspected and an assumption has been made in the methodology, based on age and type of construction.

| Element               | Description  | Energy Efficiency | Environmental |
|-----------------------|--|-------------------|---------------|
| Walls                 | Sandstone or limestone, as built, no insulation (assumed)      | ***               | ***           |
|                       | Sandstone or limestone, as built, partial insulation (assumed) | ***               | ***           |
| Roof                  | (another dwelling above)                                       | _                 | <del>_</del>  |
| Floor                 | (another dwelling below)                                       | _                 | _             |
| Windows               | Fully double glazed  | ***               | <b>★★★☆☆</b>  |
| Main heating          | Boiler and radiators, mains gas                                | ****              | <b>★★★★</b> ☆ |
| Main heating controls | Programmer, room thermostat and TRVs                           | ***               | <b>★★★★</b> ☆ |
| Secondary heating     | None   | _                 | _             |
| Hot water             | From main system, no cylinder thermostat                       | ***               | ***           |
| Lighting              | Low energy lighting in 50% of fixed outlets                    | ***               | <b>★★★★</b> ☆ |

### The energy efficiency rating of your home

Your Energy Efficiency Rating is calculated using the standard UK methodology, RdSAP. This calculates energy used for heating, hot water, lighting and ventilation and then applies fuel costs to that energy use to give an overall rating for your home. The rating is given on a scale of 1 to 100. Other than the cost of fuel for electrical appliances and for cooking, a building with a rating of 100 would cost almost nothing to run.

As we all use our homes in different ways, the energy rating is calculated using standard occupancy assumptions which may be different from the way you use it. The rating also uses national weather information to allow comparison between buildings in different parts of Scotland. However, to make information more relevant to your home, local weather data is used to calculate your energy use, CO<sub>2</sub> emissions, running costs and the savings possible from making improvements.

### The impact of your home on the environment

One of the biggest contributors to global warming is carbon dioxide. The energy we use for heating, lighting and power in our homes produces over a quarter of the UK's carbon dioxide emissions. Different fuels produce different amounts of carbon dioxide for every kilowatt hour (kWh) of energy used. The Environmental Impact Rating of your home is calculated by applying these 'carbon factors' for the fuels you use to your overall energy use.

The calculated emissions for your home are 46 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>/yr.

The average Scottish household produces about 6 tonnes of carbon dioxide every year. Based on this assessment, heating and lighting this home currently produces approximately 3.0 tonnes of carbon dioxide every year. Adopting recommendations in this report can reduce emissions and protect the environment. If you were to install all of these recommendations this could reduce emissions by 0.6 tonnes per year. You could reduce emissions even more by switching to renewable energy sources.

### Estimated energy costs for this home

|           | Current energy cost | Potential energy costs | Potential future savings |
|-----------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Heating   | £981 over 3 years   | £684 over 3 years      |                          |
| Hot water | £819 over 3 years   | £831 over 3 years      | You could                |
| Lighting  | £240 over 3 years   | £159 over 3 years      | save £366                |
|           | Totals £2,040       | £1,674                 | over 3 years             |

These figures show how much the average household would spend in this property for heating, lighting and hot water. This excludes energy use for running appliances such as TVs, computers and cookers, and the benefits of any electricity generated by this home (for example, from photovoltaic panels). The potential savings in energy costs show the effect of undertaking all of the recommended measures listed below.

#### **Recommendations for improvement**

The measures below will improve the energy and environmental performance of this dwelling. The performance ratings after improvements listed below are cumulative; that is, they assume the improvements have been installed in the order that they appear in the table. Further information about the recommended measures and other simple actions to take today to save money is available from the Home Energy Scotland hotline which can be contacted on 0808 808 2282. Before carrying out work, make sure that the appropriate permissions are obtained, where necessary. This may include permission from a landlord (if you are a tenant) or the need to get a Building Warrant for certain types of work.

| Recommended measures |   | Indicative cost  | Typical saving per year | Rating after improvement |             |
|----------------------|---|------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
|                      |   |                  |                         | Energy                   | Environment |
| 1                    | Internal or external wall insulation      | £4,000 - £14,000 | £97                     | C 71                     | C 71        |
| 2                    | Low energy lighting for all fixed outlets | £25              | £24                     | C 72                     | C 72        |

## Choosing the right improvement package



For free and impartial advice on choosing suitable measures for your property, contact the Home Energy Scotland hotline on 0808 808 2282 or go to www.greenerscotland.org.