

Energy performance certificate (EPC)

1 Belon Drive
WHITSTABLE
CT5 3FG

Energy rating

C

Valid until: 30 May 2033

Certificate
number: 7497-3027-3205-3137-2204

Property type

Mid-terrace house

Total floor area

98 square metres

Rules on letting this property

Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

You can read [guidance for landlords on the regulations and exemptions](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/domestic-private-rented-property-minimum-energy-efficiency-standard-landlord-guidance)
(<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/domestic-private-rented-property-minimum-energy-efficiency-standard-landlord-guidance>).

Energy rating and score

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

See how to improve this property's energy efficiency.

| Score | Energy rating | Current | Potential |
|-------|---------------|---------|-----------|
| 92+ | A | | |
| 81-91 | B | | 84 B |
| 69-80 | C | 74 C | |
| 55-68 | D | | |
| 39-54 | E | | |
| 21-38 | F | | |
| 1-20 | G | | |

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 England and Wales:

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

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, insulated (assumed) | Good |
| Roof | Pitched, insulated (assumed) | Good |
| Roof | Roof room(s), ceiling insulated | Good |
| Window | Fully double glazed | Good |
| Main heating | Room heaters, electric | Very poor |
| Main heating control | Programmer and appliance thermostats | Good |
| Hot water | Electric immersion, off-peak, plus solar | Average |
| Lighting | Low energy lighting in all fixed outlets | Very good |
| Floor | Solid, insulated (assumed) | N/A |
| Floor | To unheated space, insulated (assumed) | N/A |
| Secondary heating | None | N/A |

Low and zero carbon energy sources

Low and zero carbon energy sources release very little or no CO₂. Installing these sources may help reduce energy bills as well as cutting carbon emissions. The following low or zero carbon energy sources are installed in this property:

- Solar water heating
- Solar photovoltaics

Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 155 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m²).

Additional information

Additional information about this property:

- PVs or wind turbine present on the property (England, Wales or Scotland)
The assessment does not include any feed-in tariffs that may be applicable to this property.
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How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£2,127 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 £815 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2023** when this EPC was created. People living at the property may use different amounts of heating, hot water and lighting.

Heating this property

Estimated energy needed in this property is:

- 4,763 kWh per year for heating
- 2,078 kWh per year for hot water

More ways to save energy

Find ways to save energy in your home by visiting www.gov.uk/improve-energy-efficiency.

Environmental impact of this property

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

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

Carbon emissions

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| An average household produces | 6 tonnes of CO2 |
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| This property produces | 2.6 tonnes of CO2 |
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| This property's potential production | 2.7 tonnes of CO2 |
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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.

Changes you could make

| Step | Typical installation cost | Typical yearly saving |
|--|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. High heat retention storage heaters | £2,000 - £3,000 | £824 |

Help paying for energy improvements

You might be able to get a grant from the [Boiler Upgrade Scheme](https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme) (<https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme>). This will help you buy a more efficient, low carbon heating system for this property.

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 | Adrian Bodkin |
| Telephone | 01227 368968 |
| Email | adrian.bodkin@sky.com |

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 | Elmhurst Energy Systems Ltd |
| Assessor's ID | EES/004982 |
| 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 | 31 May 2023 |
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| Type of assessment | <u>RdSAP</u> |
