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Energy performance certificate (EPC)

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Old Railway Tavern
Station Road
Wakes Colne
COLCHESTER
CO6 2DS

Energy rating

E

Valid until

30 March 2035

Certificate number

0390-2219-2470-2675-2821

Property type
Detached house
Total floor area
163 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](#).

Energy rating and score

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

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

Score	Energy rating	Current	Potential
92+	A		
81-91	B		
69-80	C		76
55-68	D		
39-54	E	52	
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	Solid brick, as built, no insulation (assumed)	Poor
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)	Very good
Roof	Pitched, 200 mm loft insulation	Good
Roof	Pitched, insulated (assumed)	Good
Window	Fully double glazed	Average
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, oil	Average
Main heating	Boiler and underfloor heating, oil	Average
Main heating control	Programmer, room thermostat and TRVs	Good
Main heating control	Programmer and room thermostat	Average
Hot water	From main system	Average
Lighting	Low energy lighting in all fixed outlets	Very good
Floor	Suspended, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Floor	Solid, insulated (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	Room heaters, dual fuel (mineral and wood)	N/A

Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 204 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m²).

► [About primary energy use](#)

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend £2,017 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 £717 per year if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is based on average costs in 2025 when this EPC was created. People living at the property may use different amounts of energy for heating, hot water and lighting.

Heating this property

Estimated energy needed in this property is:

- 19,357 kWh per year for heating
- 2,984 kWh per year for hot water

Impact on the environment

This property's environmental impact rating is E. 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.

Carbon emissions

An average household produces
6 tonnes of CO₂
This property produces
8.5 tonnes of CO₂
This property's potential production
4.2 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

► Do I need to follow these steps in order?

Step 1: Internal or external wall insulation

Typical installation cost
£4,000 - £14,000
Typical yearly saving
£423
Potential rating after completing step 1



Step 2: Floor insulation (suspended floor)

Typical installation cost
£800 - £1,200
Typical yearly saving
£112
Potential rating after completing steps 1 and 2



Step 3: Solar water heating

Typical installation cost
£4,000 - £6,000
Typical yearly saving
£83
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 3



Step 4: Replacement glazing units

Typical installation cost
£1,000 - £1,400
Typical yearly saving

£99

Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 4



Step 5: Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp

Typical installation cost

£3,500 - £5,500

Typical yearly saving

£484

Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 5



Advice on making energy saving improvements

[Get detailed recommendations and cost estimates](#)

Help paying for energy saving improvements

You may be eligible for help with the cost of improvements:

- Insulation: [Great British Insulation Scheme](#)
- Heat pumps and biomass boilers: [Boiler Upgrade Scheme](#)
- Help from your energy supplier: [Energy Company Obligation](#)

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

Adrian Bunting

Telephone

01206 738294

Email

adrian928@btinternet.com

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/007188

Telephone

01455 883 250

Email

enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk

About this assessment

Assessor's declaration

No related party

Date of assessment

31 March 2025

Date of certificate

31 March 2025

Type of assessment

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If you are aware of previous certificates for this property and they are not listed here, please contact us at mhclg.digital-services@communities.gov.uk or call our helpdesk on 020 3829 0748 (Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm).

Certificate number

[8314-7028-2800-8779-5926](#)

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25 August 2024

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