

# Energy performance certificate (EPC)

2 Rural Cottages Plealey, Pontesbury SHREWSBURY SY5 0XB	Energy rating	Valid until: 26 June 2027
	<b>F</b>	Certificate number: 0159-2826-7963-9523-5821

Property type	Mid-terrace house
Total floor area	79 square metres

## Rules on letting this property

### **!** You may not be able to let this property

This property has an energy rating of F. It cannot be let, unless an exemption has been registered. 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).

Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E. You could make changes to [improve this property's energy rating](#).

## Energy rating and score

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

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

Score	Energy rating	Current	Potential
92+	<b>A</b>		
81-91	<b>B</b>		
69-80	<b>C</b>		75 <b>C</b>
55-68	<b>D</b>		
39-54	<b>E</b>		
21-38	<b>F</b>	24 <b>F</b>	
1-20	<b>G</b>		

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, no insulation (assumed)	Poor
Roof	Pitched, no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Window	Fully double glazed	Average
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, oil	Poor
Main heating control	Programmer, TRVs and bypass	Average
Hot water	From main system, no cylinder thermostat	Very poor
Lighting	Low energy lighting in all fixed outlets	Very good
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	Room heaters, wood logs	N/A

### Low and zero carbon energy sources

Low and zero carbon energy sources release very little or no CO<sub>2</sub>. 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:

- Biomass secondary heating

### Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 461 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m<sup>2</sup>).

▶ [About primary energy use](#)

### Additional information

Additional information about this property:

- Cavity fill is recommended

## How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£1,419 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 £582 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2017** 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:

- 14,448 kWh per year for heating
- 4,364 kWh per year for hot water

# Impact on the environment

This property's environmental impact rating is F. 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

<b>An average household produces</b>	6 tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub>
<b>This property produces</b>	8.4 tonnes of CO <sub>2</sub>
<b>This property's potential production</b>	2.0 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.

# Changes you could make

► [Do I need to follow these steps in order?](#)

## Step 1: Cavity wall insulation

Typical installation cost	£500 - £1,500
Typical yearly saving	£226
Potential rating after completing step 1	<b>33 F</b>

## Step 2: Floor insulation (solid floor)

Typical installation cost	£4,000 - £6,000
Typical yearly saving	£58
Potential rating after completing steps 1 and 2	<b>36 F</b>

## Step 3: Hot water cylinder insulation

Increase hot water cylinder insulation

Typical installation cost	£15 - £30
Typical yearly saving	£44
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 3	<b>38 F</b>

## Step 4: Hot water cylinder thermostat

Typical installation cost	£200 - £400
Typical yearly saving	£25
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 4	<b>40 E</b>

## Step 5: Heating controls (room thermostat)

Typical installation cost	£350 - £450
Typical yearly saving	£69
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 5	<b>43 E</b>

## Step 6: Gas condensing boiler

Typical installation cost	£3,000 - £7,000
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**Typical yearly saving**

£82

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**Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 6****62 D**

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## Step 7: Solar water heating

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**Typical installation cost**

£4,000 - £6,000

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**Typical yearly saving**

£42

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**Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 7****63 D**

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## Step 8: Replacement glazing units

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**Typical installation cost**

£1,000 - £1,400

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**Typical yearly saving**

£38

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**Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 8****65 D**

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## Step 9: Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp

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**Typical installation cost**

£5,000 - £8,000

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**Typical yearly saving**

£275

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**Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 9****75 C**

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## 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.

## More ways to save energy

[Find ways to save energy in your home](#)

## 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**

Derek Reynolds

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**Telephone**

01746 710669

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**Email**[derek.reynolds@epc-solutions.com](mailto:derek.reynolds@epc-solutions.com)

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### Contacting the accreditation scheme

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

Accreditation scheme	NHER
Assessor's ID	NHER002398
Telephone	01455 883 250
Email	<a href="mailto:enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk">enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk</a>

## About this assessment

Assessor's declaration	No related party
Date of assessment	26 June 2017
Date of certificate	27 June 2017
Type of assessment	▶ <a href="#">RdSAP</a>

## Other certificates for this property

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

There are no related certificates for this property.

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