Energy performance certificate (EPC)			
39 Bounds Oak Way TUNBRIDGE WELLS TN4 0TW	Energy rating	Valid until: 6 June 2033 Certificate number: 2190-7016-7070-1107-5605	
Property type	Detached house		
Total floor area		135 square metres	

# Rules on letting this property

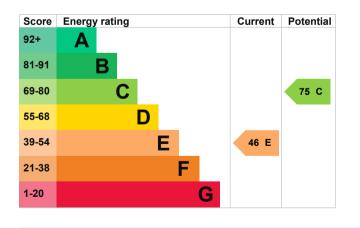
Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

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

## Energy rating and score

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

<u>See how to improve this property's energy</u> <u>efficiency</u>.



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
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)	Good
Roof	Pitched, 100 mm loft insulation	Average
Roof	Pitched, insulated (assumed)	Good
Window	Mostly double glazing	Average
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	Good
Main heating control	Programmer, TRVs and bypass	Average
Hot water	From main system	Average
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 53% of fixed outlets	Good
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Floor	Suspended, limited insulation (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 359 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 £1,758 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 £710 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 energy for heating, hot water and lighting.

### Heating this property

Estimated energy needed in this property is:

- 18,657 kWh per year for heating
- 2,981 kWh per year for hot water

#### Saving energy by installing insulation

Energy you could save:

- 625 kWh per year from loft insulation
- 3,681 kWh per year from cavity wall insulation

#### 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 produces	8.8 tonnes of CO2
This property's current environmental impact rating is F. It has the potential to be C.		This property's potential production	3.9 tonnes of CO2
Properties get a rating from A (best) to G (worst) on how much carbon dioxide (CO2) they produce each year. CO2 harms the environment.		You could improve this property's CO2 emissions by making the suggested changes. This will help to protect the environment.	
Carbon emissions		These ratings are based on assumptions about	
An average household produces	6 tonnes of CO2	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. Cavity wall insulation	£500 - £1,500	£253
2. Floor insulation (solid floor)	£4,000 - £6,000	£55
3. Low energy lighting	£45	£37
4. Heating controls (room thermostat)	£350 - £450	£83
5. Condensing boiler	£2,200 - £3,000	£245
6. Solar water heating	£4,000 - £6,000	£37
7. Solar photovoltaic panels	£3,500 - £5,500	£357

#### Help paying for energy improvements

You might be able to get a grant from the <u>Boiler Upgrade Scheme (https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme)</u>. 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.

Assessor's name	Andrew Spratt
Telephone	07539 410831
Email	andy.spratt@hotmail.co.uk

#### Contacting the accreditation scheme

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

Accreditation scheme Assessor's ID Telephone Email	Quidos Limited QUID204197 01225 667 570 <u>info@quidos.co.uk</u>
About this assessment Assessor's declaration	Employed by the professional dealing with the property transaction
Date of assessment	5 June 2023
Date of certificate	7 June 2023
Type of assessment	<u>RdSAP</u>