Energy performance certificate (EPC)

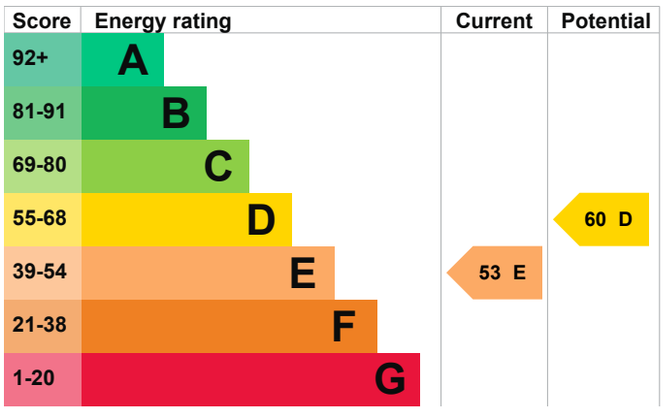
7 Upper Malone Road BELFAST BT9 6TD	Energy rating **E**	Valid until:	**5 May 2036**
		Certificate number:	**2254-1282-3438-0620-2211**

Property type	Detached house
Total floor area	226 square metres

Energy rating and score

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

See how to improve this property's energy efficiency.



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 Northern Ireland:

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, filled cavity	Good
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)	Good
Roof	Pitched, 400 mm loft insulation	Very good
Roof	Pitched, insulated	Average
Window	Mostly double glazing	Poor
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, oil	Average
Main heating control	Programmer, TRVs and bypass	Average
Hot water	From main system	Average
Lighting	Below average lighting efficiency	Average
Floor	Suspended, insulated	N/A
Floor	To unheated space, limited insulation (assumed)	N/A
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Air tightness	(not tested)	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 201 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

Additional information

Additional information about this property:

- PV recommended
  When considering the PV installation consider installing PV battery and a PV diverter for water heating.

Smart meters

This property had **no smart meters** when it was assessed.

Smart meters help you understand your energy use and how you could save money. They may help you access better energy deals.

Find out how to get a smart meter (https://www.smartenergygb.org/)

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£2,928 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 £282 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2026** 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:

- 23,806 kWh per year for heating
- 3,290 kWh per year for hot water

Impact on the environment

This property's environmental impact rating is E. It has the potential to be D.

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	10.0 tonnes of CO2
This property's potential production	8.7 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

Step	Typical installation cost	Typical yearly saving
1. Heating controls (room thermostat)	£220 - £250	£139
2. Condensing boiler	£2,200 - £3,500	£144
3. Solar photovoltaic panels	£8,000 - £10,000	£252

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	Ross Lindsay
Telephone	07935489951
Email	ross@emberenergyni.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	ECMK
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About this assessment

Assessor's declaration	No related party
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