

Energy performance certificate (EPC)

819 Alum Rock Road BIRMINGHAM B8 2AG	Energy rating	Valid until:	7 July 2034
	E	Certificate number:	0148-3039-3203-3384-7200

Property type	Mid-terrace house
Total floor area	69 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 energy rating is E. It has the potential to be B.

[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.

Score	Energy rating	Current	Potential
92+	A		
81-91	B		90 B
69-80	C		
55-68	D		
39-54	E	49 E	
21-38	F		
1-20	G		

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)	Very poor
Roof	Pitched, 50 mm loft insulation	Poor
Window	Fully double glazed	Average
Main heating	Room heaters, mains gas	Average
Main heating control	No thermostatic control of room temperature	Poor
Hot water	Electric immersion, standard tariff	Very poor
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 60% of fixed outlets	Good
Floor	Suspended, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	None	N/A

Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 371 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m²).

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£1,927 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 £1,188 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2024** 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:

- 8,246 kWh per year for heating
- 2,259 kWh per year for hot water

Impact on the environment

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

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 **4.5 tonnes of CO₂**

This property's potential production **0.8 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.

Changes you could make

Step	Typical installation cost	Typical yearly saving
1. Increase loft insulation to 270 mm	£100 - £350	£103
2. Internal or external wall insulation	£4,000 - £14,000	£218
3. Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£800 - £1,200	£91
4. Increase hot water cylinder insulation	£15 - £30	£90
5. Low energy lighting	£20	£28
6. Condensing boiler	£3,000 - £7,000	£584
7. Solar water heating	£4,000 - £6,000	£73
8. Solar photovoltaic panels	£3,500 - £5,500	£495

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 by visiting www.gov.uk/improve-energy-efficiency

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	Vrindara Chopra
Telephone	07921290668
Email	chopravic26@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	Elmhurst Energy Systems Ltd
Assessor's ID	EES/027047
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About this assessment

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