# **Energy performance certificate (EPC)**

7 Hermitage Green Hermitage THATCHAM RG18 9SL	Energy rating	Valid until:	12 January 2035
		Certificate number:	0390-2147-7490-2695-8541
Property type Semi-detached house			

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**Total floor area** 85 square metres

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## Rules on letting this property

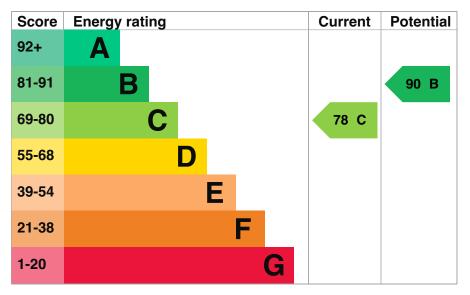
Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

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

## **Energy rating and score**

This property's energy rating is C. 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.

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, insulated (assumed)	Good
Roof	Pitched, 250 mm loft insulation	Good
Window	Fully double glazed	Good
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	Good
Main heating control	Programmer, room thermostat and TRVs	Good
Hot water	From main system	Good
Lighting	Low energy lighting in all fixed outlets	Very good
Floor	Solid, insulated (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	None	N/A

### Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 136 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

#### About primary energy use

## How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend £710 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 £59 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:

- 4,698 kWh per year for heating
- 2,417 kWh per year for hot water

## Impact on the environment

This property's environmental impact rating is C. 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

2.0 tonnes of CO2

This property's potential production

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: Solar water heating	
Typical installation cost	
	£4,000 - £6,000
Typical yearly saving	
	£59
Potential rating after completing step 1	
	79 C
Step 2: Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp	
Typical installation cost	
	£3,500 - £5,500
Typical yearly saving	
	£453
Potential rating after completing steps 1 and 2	
	90 B

### 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:

• Heat pumps and biomass boilers: Boiler Upgrade Scheme

## 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 Thomas Dixon

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Telephone

0203 397 8220

#### Email

support@propcert.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/026253

 Telephone

 01455
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Email enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk

### About this assessment

Assessor's declaration No related party

#### Date of assessment

13 January 2025

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#### Type of assessment

RdSAP

## 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 <u>mhclg.digital-services@communities.gov.uk</u> or call our helpdesk on <u>020 3829 0748</u> (Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm).

There are no related certificates for this property.

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