# **Energy performance certificate (EPC)**

	Energy rating	Valid until:	31 March 2034
4 Countess Terrace WHITEHAVEN CA28 6BU		Certificate number:	7802-3036-5207-0724-5200
Property type	I	Mid-terrace hou	Ise
Total floor area	ł	88 square metr	es

# Rules on letting this property

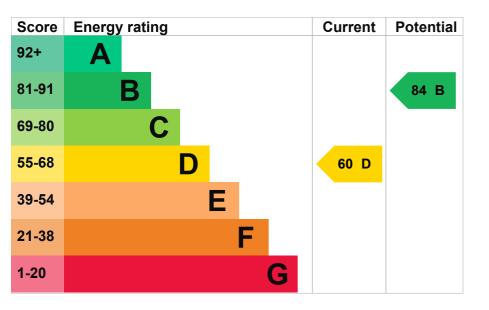
Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

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).

# **Energy rating and score**

This property's energy rating is D. 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	Sandstone or limestone, as built, no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, partial insulation (assumed)	Average
Roof	Pitched, no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Roof	Flat, limited insulation (assumed)	Poor
Roof	Roof room(s), no insulation (assumed)	Very poor
Window	Fully double glazed	Average
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, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	None	N/A
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#### Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 303 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

About primary energy use

#### **Additional information**

Additional information about this property:

- Cavity fill is recommended
- Stone walls present, not insulated

# How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend £1,831 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 £709 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:

- 16,524 kWh per year for heating
- 1,866 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

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

#### Do I need to follow these steps in order?

Step 1: Room-in-roof insulation	
Typical installation cost	£1,500 - £2,700
Typical yearly saving	£411
Potential rating after completing step 1	68 D
Step 2: Cavity wall insulation	
Typical installation cost	£500 - £1,500
Typical yearly saving	£75
Potential rating after completing steps 1 and 2	70 C
Step 3: Internal or external wall insulation	
Typical installation cost	£4,000 - £14,000
Typical yearly saving	£104
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 3	72 C
Step 4: Floor insulation (solid floor)	
Typical installation cost	£4,000 - £6,000
Typical yearly saving	£60
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 4	73 C
Step 5: Solar water heating	

Typical installation cost	£4,000 - £6,000
Typical yearly saving	£58
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 5	74 C

## Step 6: Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp

Typical installation cost	£3,500 - £5,500
Typical yearly saving	£578
Potential rating after completing steps 1 to 6	84 B

### 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). 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.

Assessor's name	Gary Gibson
Telephone	07540274933
Email	cumbriaepc@outlook.com

## 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/020883
Telephone	01455 883 250
Email	enquiries@elmhurstenergy.co.uk

### About this assessment

Assessor's declaration	No related party
Date of assessment	30 March 2024
Date of certificate	1 April 2024
Type of assessment	► <u>RdSAP</u>

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

Certificate number	0778-2824-6820-9100-9905 (/energy-certificate/0778-2824-
	<u>6820-9100-9905)</u>
Expired on	3 February 2020

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