# **Energy performance certificate (EPC)**

34, Droveway
LOUGHTON
IG10 2LZ

Energy rating
Certificate number: 8403-2536-6922-3226-0303

Property type Ground-floor flat

Total floor area 39 square metres

# Rules on letting this property

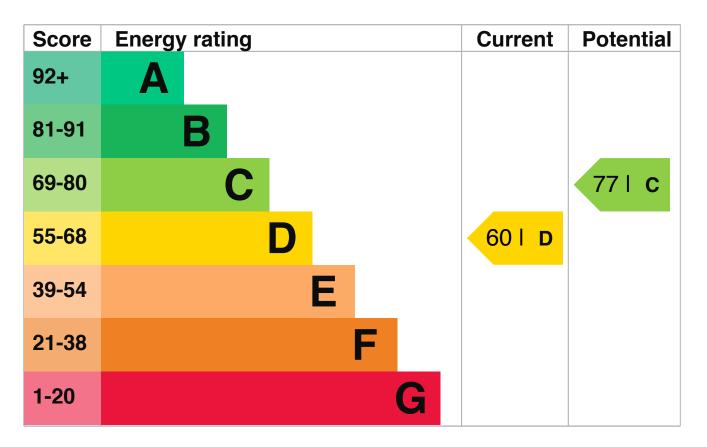
Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

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).

# **Energy efficiency rating for this property**

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

See how to improve this property's energy performance.



The graph shows this property's current and potential energy efficiency.

Properties are given a rating from A (most efficient) to G (least efficient).

Properties are also given a score. The higher the number the lower your fuel 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

This section shows the energy performance for features of this property. The assessment does not consider the condition of a feature and how well it is working.

Each feature is assessed as one of the following:

- very good (most efficient)
- good
- average
- poor
- · very poor (least efficient)

When the description says "assumed", it means that the feature could not be inspected and an assumption has been made based on the property's age and type.

Feature	Description	Rating
Wall	Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)	Good
Window	Fully double glazed	Average
Main heating	Electric storage heaters	Average
Main heating control	Manual charge control	Poor
Hot water	Electric immersion, off-peak	Very poor
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 60% of fixed outlets	Good
Roof	(another dwelling above)	N/A
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	Portable electric heaters (assumed)	N/A

#### Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 480 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

### **Environmental impact of this property**

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

Properties are rated in a scale from A to G based on how much carbon dioxide (CO2) they produce.

Properties with an A rating produce less CO2 than G rated properties.

An average household produces	6 tonnes of CO2
This property produces	3.2 tonnes of CO2
This property's potential production	2.3 tonnes of CO2

By making the <u>recommended changes</u>, you could reduce this property's CO2 emissions by 0.9 tonnes per year. This will help to protect the environment.

Environmental impact ratings are based on assumptions about average occupancy and energy use. They may not reflect how energy is consumed by the people living at the property.

## Improve this property's energy performance

By following our step by step recommendations you could reduce this property's energy use and potentially save money.

Carrying out these changes in order will improve the property's energy rating and score from D (60) to C (77).

Step	Typical installation cost	Typical yearly saving
1. Floor insulation (solid floor)	£4,000 - £6,000	£112
2. Increase hot water cylinder insulation	£15 - £30	£44
3. Low energy lighting	£10	£12
4. High heat retention storage heaters	£800 - £1,200	£179

#### Paying for energy improvements

You might be able to get a grant from the <u>Boiler Upgrade Scheme (https://www.gov.uk/guidance/check-if-you-may-be-eligible-for-the-boiler-upgrade-scheme-from-april-2022)</u>. This will help you buy a more efficient, low carbon heating system for this property.

## Estimated energy use and potential savings

Based on average energy costs when this EPC was created:

Estimated yearly energy cost for this property	£787
Potential saving if you complete every step in order	£348

The estimated cost shows how much the average household would spend in this property for heating, lighting and hot water. It is not based on how energy is used by the people living at the property.

Find ways to save energy in your home.

#### Heating use in this property

Heating a property usually makes up the majority of energy costs.

# Estimated energy used to heat this property

Type of heating Estimated energy used

Space heating 3914 kWh per year

Water heating 1929 kWh per year

Potential energy savings by installing insulation

The assessor did not find any opportunities to save energy by installing insulation in this property.

# Contacting the assessor and accreditation scheme

This EPC was created by a qualified energy assessor.

If you are unhappy about your property's energy assessment or certificate, you can complain to the assessor directly.

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

Accreditation schemes are appointed by the government to ensure that assessors are qualified to carry out EPC assessments.

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Assessor's declaration	No related party	
Date of assessment	27 July 2020	
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