Energy performance certificate (EPC) 116 Sycamore Street ASHINGTON NE63 0HL Energy rating Valid until: 22 May 2034 Certificate number: 5700-2978-0922-7325-3543 Property type Mid-terrace house 72 square metres

Rules on letting this property

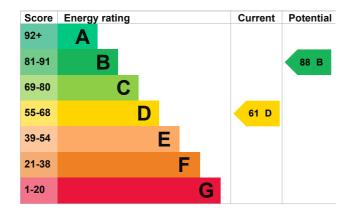
Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E.

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

Energy rating and score

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

<u>See how to improve this property's energy</u> 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, filled cavity	Average
Roof	Pitched, 200 mm loft insulation	Good
Window	Fully double glazed	Average
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	Good
Main heating control	Programmer, no room thermostat	Very poor
Hot water	From main system, no cylinder thermostat	Poor
Lighting	No low energy lighting	Very poor
Floor	Solid, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Secondary heating	Room heaters, mains gas	N/A

Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 312 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m2).

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend £1,590 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 £691 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:

- 6,433 kWh per year for heating
- 3,224 kWh per year for hot water

Impact on the environment

This property's environmental impact rating is D. 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	3.9 tonnes of CO2	
This property's potential production	1.1 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. Floor insulation (solid floor)	£4,000 - £6,000	£45
2. Low energy lighting	£40	£81
3. Hot water cylinder thermostat	£200 - £400	£50
4. Heating controls (room thermostat and TRVs)	£350 - £450	£193
5. Condensing boiler	£2,200 - £3,000	£248
6. Solar water heating	£4,000 - £6,000	£75
7. Solar photovoltaic panels	£3,500 - £5,500	£551

Help paying for energy improvements

You might be able to get a grant from the <u>Boiler Upgrade Scheme (https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme)</u>. 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 George Smith Telephone 01912463763

Email george.smith@rookmatthewssayer.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

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About this assessment

Assessor's declaration

Date of assessment

Date of certificate

Type of assessment

No related party
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