

Energy performance certificate (EPC)

8 Hale Road WIDNES WA8 8SA	Energy rating G	Valid until: 11 June 2036
		Certificate number: 0120-9064-0214-9007-1603

Property type Semi-detached house

Total floor area 80 square metres

Rules on letting this property

! You may not be able to let this property

This property has an energy rating of G. It cannot be let, unless an exemption has been registered. 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).

Properties can be let if they have an energy rating from A to E. You could make changes to [improve this property's energy rating](#).

Energy rating and score

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

[See how to improve this property's energy efficiency](#).

Score	Energy rating	Current	Potential
92+	A		
81-91	B		85 B
69-80	C		
55-68	D		
39-54	E		
21-38	F		
1-20	G	5 G	

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, no insulation (assumed)	Poor
Roof	Pitched, 50 mm loft insulation	Poor
Window	Single glazed	Very poor
Main heating	No system present: electric heaters assumed	Very poor
Main heating control	None	Very poor
Hot water	Electric immersion, standard tariff	Very poor
Lighting	Excellent lighting efficiency	Very good
Floor	Suspended, no insulation (assumed)	N/A
Air tightness	(not tested)	N/A
Secondary heating	None	N/A

Primary energy use

The primary energy use for this property per year is 351 kilowatt hours per square metre (kWh/m²).

Additional information

Additional information about this property:

- **Party wall insulation**
Party wall is a property of two homes. If acoustic issues are important seek professional advice before insulating party wall. Insulating party wall on one side may cause condensation risk to adjoining property.
- **Cavity fill is recommended**

Smart meters

This property had **no smart meters** when it was assessed.

Smart meters help you understand your energy use and how you could save money. They may help you access better energy deals.

[Find out how to get a smart meter \(https://www.smartenergygb.org/\)](https://www.smartenergygb.org/)

How this affects your energy bills

An average household would need to spend **£4,988 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 £4,037 per year** if you complete the suggested steps for improving this property's energy rating.

This is **based on average costs in 2026** 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:

- 12,558 kWh per year for heating
 - 5,292 kWh per year for hot water
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Impact on the environment

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

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 2.7 tonnes of CO₂

This property's potential production 2.0 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.

Steps you could take to save energy

Step	Typical installation cost	Typical yearly saving
1. Increase loft insulation to 270 mm	£900 - £1,200	£210
2. Cavity wall insulation	£900 - £1,500	£614
3. Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£5,000 - £10,000	£272
4. Insulate hot water cylinder with 80 mm jacket	£20 - £40	£572
5. Draught proofing	£150 - £250	£125
6. Gas condensing boiler	£3,500 - £10,000	£2,095
7. Replace single glazed windows with low-E double glazed windows	£4,500 - £6,000	£148
8. Solar photovoltaic panels	£8,000 - £10,000	£258

Advice on making energy saving improvements

[Get detailed recommendations and cost estimates \(www.gov.uk/improve-energy-efficiency\)](https://www.gov.uk/improve-energy-efficiency)

Help paying for energy saving improvements

You may be eligible for help with the cost of improvements:

- Free energy saving improvements: [Warm Homes Local Grant \(www.gov.uk/apply-warm-homes-local-grant\)](https://www.gov.uk/apply-warm-homes-local-grant)
- Heat pumps and biomass boilers: [Boiler Upgrade Scheme \(www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme\)](https://www.gov.uk/apply-boiler-upgrade-scheme)
- Help from your energy supplier: [Energy Company Obligation \(www.gov.uk/energy-company-obligation\)](https://www.gov.uk/energy-company-obligation)

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	Steven Davies
Telephone	07849037174
Email	ste412@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	Quidos Limited
Assessor's ID	QUID203891
Telephone	01225 667 570
Email	info@quidos.co.uk

About this assessment

Assessor's declaration	No related party
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Date of certificate	12 June 2026
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