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NatHERS Certificate No. 0008706870

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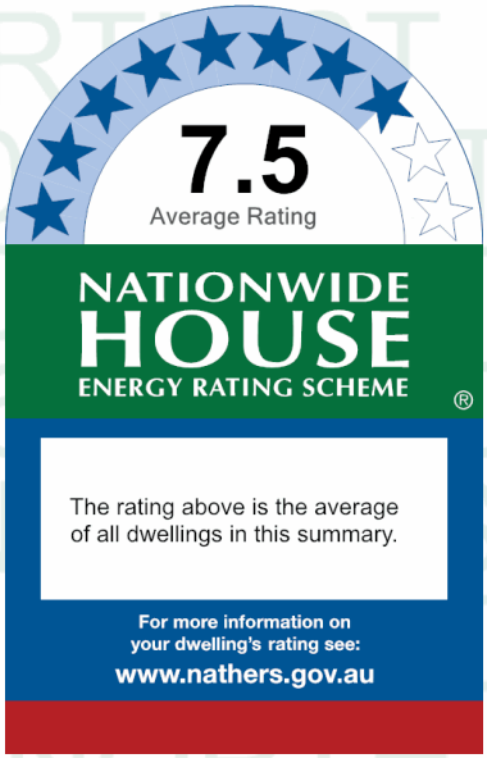

Property

Address 2-10 Birch street,
North St Marys , NSW , 2760

Lot/DP 346-350/31990

NatHERS climate zone 28

Accredited assessor

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Assessor Accrediting Organisation Design Matters National

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Summary of all dwellings

Certificate number and link	Unit Number	Heating load (MJ/m^2/p.a.)	Cooling load (MJ/m^2/p.a.)	Total load (MJ/m^2/p.a.)	Star rating
0008706632	1	48.3	10.5	58.7	7.3
0008706830	2	45.6	4.8	50.4	7.7
0011505666	3	19.9	24.2	44.1	7.9
0011505740	4	18.5	18.6	37.1	8.3
0008706749	5	41.7	6.2	47.9	7.8

National Construction Code (NCC) requirements

Continued Over

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0011505724	7	17.6	25.3	42.8	8.1
0011505690	8	25.9	24.4	50.3	7.7
0008706855	9	55.1	9.4	64.6	7.1
0008706814	10	60.6	5.3	65.9	7
0011505674	11	32.9	20.6	53.5	7.6
0011505658	12	41.2	18.3	59.5	7.3
0008706731	13	41.3	11.9	53.2	7.6
0008706707	14	43.7	5.7	49.5	7.8
0008706665	15	61.9	7.7	69.6	6.8
0011505716	16	14.4	24.6	39	8.3
0011505732	17	15	22.1	37.1	8.3
0011505708	18	21.8	21.4	43.2	8
0008706756	19	56.3	9.7	66	6.9
0008706715	20	62.1	10	72.1	6.7
0011505682	21	35.1	20.3	55.4	7.4
0011505641	22	37.7	19.6	57.3	7.4
Average		39.02	15.10	54.11	7.53

* Refer to glossary.
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Explanatory notes

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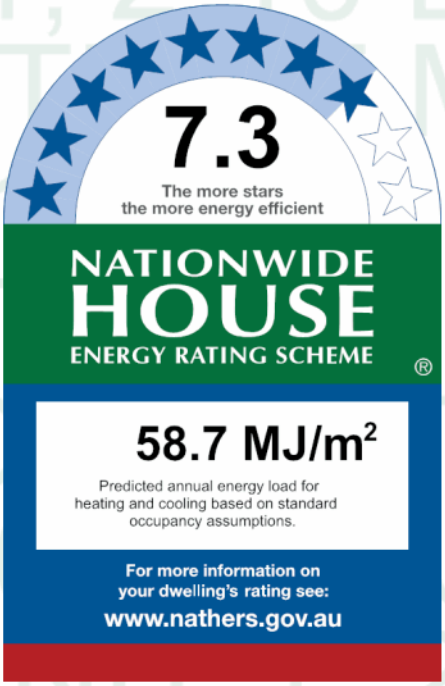

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Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*	
Conditioned*	49.0
Unconditioned*	8.0
Total	57.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type
Suburban

NatHERS climate zone
28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
48.3	**10.5**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

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Additional notes

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62
ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Window and glazed door *schedule*

* Refer to glossary.

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2410	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1450	n/a	45	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1800	1810	n/a	45	W	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	1800	850	n/a	45	N	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Custom* roof windows

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				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

* Refer to glossary.

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No
EW-2	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	1500	S	3100	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-2	2700	3590	W	2900	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3645	E	100	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	3645	W	200	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	4145	N	200	NO
Kitchen/living	EW-2	2700	1490	N	200	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-2	2700	2245	N	200	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-2	2700	3645	E	100	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity brick		18.00	No Insulation
IW-2 - Single Skin Brick		42.00	No insulation

Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering

* Refer to glossary.

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
Kitchen/living	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	28.60	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Bedroom 1	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	15.10	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
Kitchen/living	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	5.40	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Bath/Ldy	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	8.20	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm

Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/living	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
Bedroom 1	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
Kitchen/living	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
Bath/Ldy	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No

Ceiling *penetrations**

Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
Kitchen/living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
Bath/Ldy	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed

Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/living	1	1200
Bedroom 1	1	900

Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
None Present			

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Explanatory notes

About this report

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Ratings are based on a unique climate zone where the home is located and are generated using standard assumptions, including occupancy patterns and thermostat settings. The actual energy consumption of a home may vary significantly from the predicted energy load, as the assumptions used in the rating will not match actual usage patterns. For example, the number of occupants and personal heating or cooling preferences will vary.

While the figures are an indicative guide to energy use, they can be used as a reliable guide for comparing different dwelling designs and to demonstrate that the design meets the energy efficiency requirements in the National Construction Code. Homes that are energy efficient use less energy, are warmer on cool days, cooler on hot days and cost less to run. The higher the star rating the more thermally efficient the dwelling is.

Accredited assessors

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The predicted annual energy load in this NatHERS Certificate is an estimate based on an assessment of the building by the assessor. It is not a prediction of actual energy use, but may be used to compare how other buildings are likely to perform when used in a similar way.

Information presented in this report relies on a range of standard assumptions (both embedded in NatHERS accredited software and made by the assessor who prepared this report), including assumptions about occupancy, indoor air temperature and local climate.

Not all assumptions that may have been made by the assessor while using the NatHERS accredited software tool are presented in this report and further details or data files may be available from the assessor.

Glossary

Annual energy load	the predicted amount of energy required for heating and cooling, based on standard occupancy assumptions.
Assessed floor area	the floor area modelled in the software for the purpose of the NatHERS assessment. Note, this may not be consistent with the floor area in the design documents.
Ceiling penetrations	features that require a penetration to the ceiling, including downlights, vents, exhaust fans, rangehoods, chimneys and flues. Excludes fixtures attached to the ceiling with small holes through the ceiling for wiring, e.g. ceiling fans; pendant lights, and heating and cooling ducts.
Conditioned	a zone within a dwelling that is expected to require heating and cooling based on standard occupancy assumptions. In some circumstances it will include garages.
Custom windows	windows listed in NatHERS software that are available on the market in Australia and have a WERS (Window Energy Rating Scheme) rating.
Default windows	windows that are representative of a specific type of window product and whose properties have been derived by statistical methods.
Entrance door	these signify ventilation benefits in the modelling software and must not be modelled as a door when opening to a minimally ventilated corridor in a Class 2 building.
Exposure category – exposed	terrain with no obstructions e.g. flat grazing land, ocean-frontage, desert, exposed high-rise unit (usually above 10 floors).
Exposure category – open	terrain with few obstructions at a similar height e.g. grasslands with few well scattered obstructions below 10m, farmland with scattered sheds, lightly vegetated bush blocks, elevated units (e.g. above 3 floors).
Exposure category – suburban	terrain with numerous, closely spaced obstructions below 10m e.g. suburban housing, heavily vegetated bushland areas.
Exposure category – protected	terrain with numerous, closely spaced obstructions over 10 m e.g. city and industrial areas.
Horizontal shading feature	provides shading to the building in the horizontal plane, e.g. eaves, verandahs, pergolas, carports, or overhangs or balconies from upper levels.
National Construction Code (NCC) Class	the NCC groups buildings by their function and use, and assigns a classification code. NatHERS software models NCC Class 1, 2 or 4 buildings and attached Class 10a buildings. Definitions can be found at www.abcb.gov.au.
Opening percentage	the openability percentage or operable (moveable) area of doors or windows that is used in ventilation calculations.
Provisional value	an assumed value that does not represent an actual value. For example, if the wall colour is unspecified in the documentation, a provisional value of 'medium' must be modelled. Acceptable provisional values are outlined in the NatHERS Technical Note and can be found at www.nathers.gov.au
Reflective wrap (also known as foil)	can be applied to walls, roofs and ceilings. When combined with an appropriate airgap and emissivity value, it provides insulative properties.
Roof window	for NatHERS this is typically an operable window (i.e. can be opened), will have a plaster or similar light well if there is an attic space, and generally does not have a diffuser.
Shading device	a device fixed to windows that provides shading e.g. window awnings or screens but excludes eaves.
Shading features	includes neighbouring buildings, fences, and wing walls, but excludes eaves.
Solar heat gain coefficient (SHGC)	the fraction of incident solar radiation admitted through a window, both directly transmitted as well as absorbed and subsequently released inward. SHGC is expressed as a number between 0 and 1. The lower a window's SHGC, the less solar heat it transmits.
Skylight (also known as roof lights)	for NatHERS this is typically a moulded unit with flexible reflective tubing (light well) and a diffuser at ceiling level.
U-value	the rate of heat transfer through a window. The lower the U-value, the better the insulating ability.
Unconditioned	a zone within a dwelling that is assumed to not require heating and cooling based on standard occupancy assumptions.
Vertical shading features	provides shading to the building in the vertical plane and can be parallel or perpendicular to the subject wall/window. Includes privacy screens, other walls in the building (wing walls), fences, other buildings, vegetation (protected or listed heritage trees).

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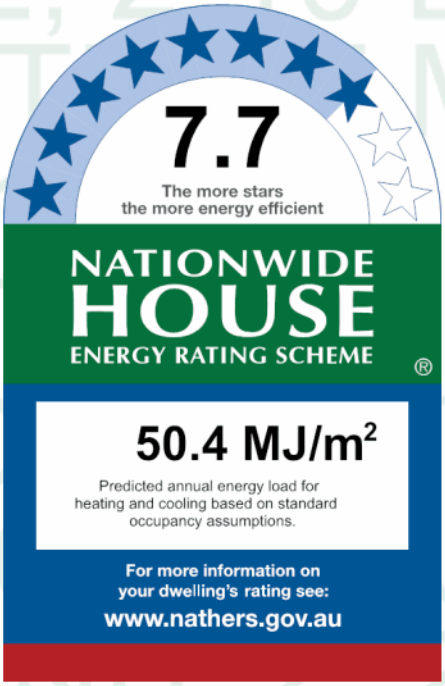

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Custom* windows

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*

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Roof window *type and performance*

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

* Refer to glossary.

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/living	2040	820	90	W

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3590	W	3400	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3590	E	2200	YES
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	3700	W	400	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	2700	N	6900	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	700	N	6900	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	3700	E	300	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Single Skin Brick		54.00	No insulation
IW-2 - Cavity brick		57.00	No Insulation

Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
Kitchen/living	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	31.10	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Bedroom 1	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	16.00	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
Kitchen/living	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	5.80	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Bath/Ldy	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	9.10	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm

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Bedroom 2	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	13.00	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm

Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/living	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
Bedroom 1	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
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Ceiling *penetrations**

Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
Kitchen/living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
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Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/living	1	1200
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Bedroom 2	1	900

Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
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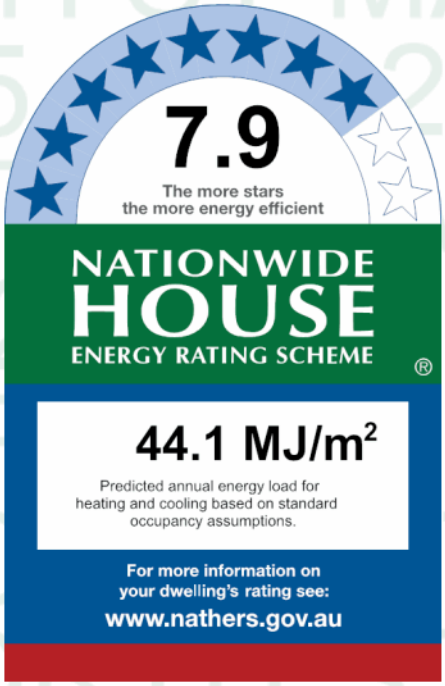

Property

Address	Unit 3, 2-10 Birch street, North St Marys , NSW , 2760
Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ (2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*

Conditioned*	49.0
Unconditioned*	8.0
Total	58.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
19.9	**24.2**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Declaration of interest	Declaration completed: no conflicts

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62
ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2400	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1450	n/a	45	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1800	1810	n/a	10	W	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	1200	850	n/a	10	N	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Custom* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	1500	S	700	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3640	W	3000	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3695	E	200	NO
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Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity brick		18.00	No Insulation
IW-2 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		42.00	No insulation

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Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
Kitchen/living	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	28.60	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Bedroom 1	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	15.20	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
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Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/living	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
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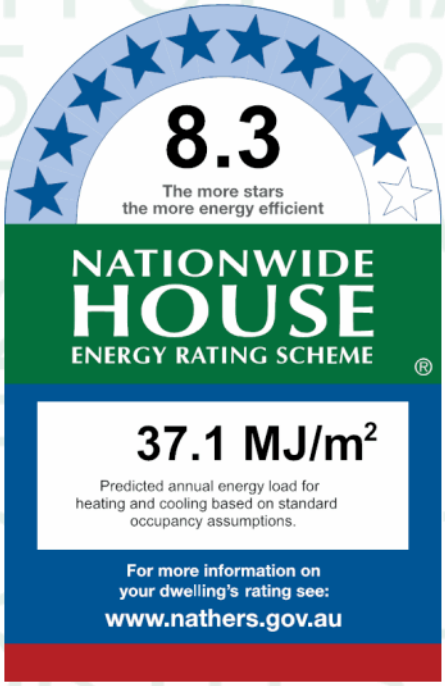

Property

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Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

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Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

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Unconditioned*	0.0
Total	75.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
18.5	**18.6**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
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External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes
EW-2	Cavity Brick	0.85	Dark	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3640	W	3500	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-2	2700	3640	E	400	YES
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	3700	W	300	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	2700	N	4400	YES
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Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	3700	E	500	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		54.00	No insulation
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Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
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Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
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Bedroom 1	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Lobby	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Bath/Ldy	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
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Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/living	1	1200
Bedroom 1	1	900
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Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
Corrugated Iron	Bulk, Reflective Side Down, Anti-glare Up R1.3	0.50	Medium

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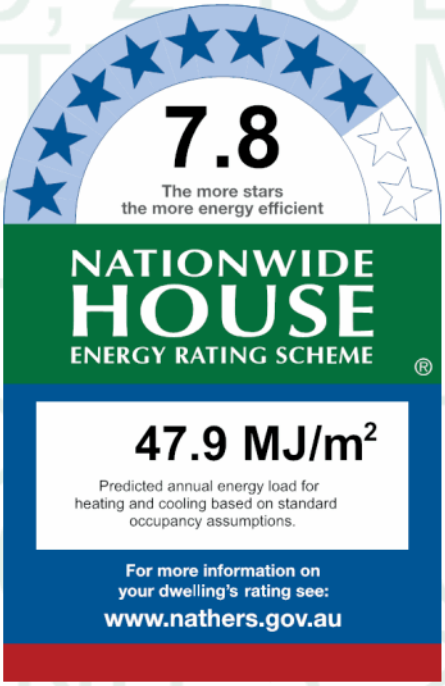

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Type	New Dwelling

Plans

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Unconditioned*	0.0
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Exposure type
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NatHERS climate zone
28

Thermal performance

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2400	n/a	45	W	No
Bedroom	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2170	n/a	45	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation

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No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	4200	W	2800	NO
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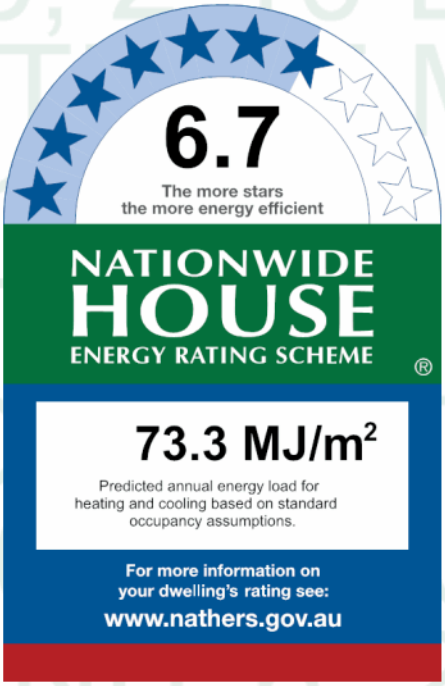

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MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62
ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

Window and glazed door *schedule*

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Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2400	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/Living	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1810	n/a	45	S	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	S	No
Bedroom	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2170	n/a	45	E	No
Bedroom	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1810	n/a	45	S	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	4200	W	2700	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	6845	S	100	NO
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Bedroom	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	15.60	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm

Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
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Ceiling *fans*

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Roof *type*

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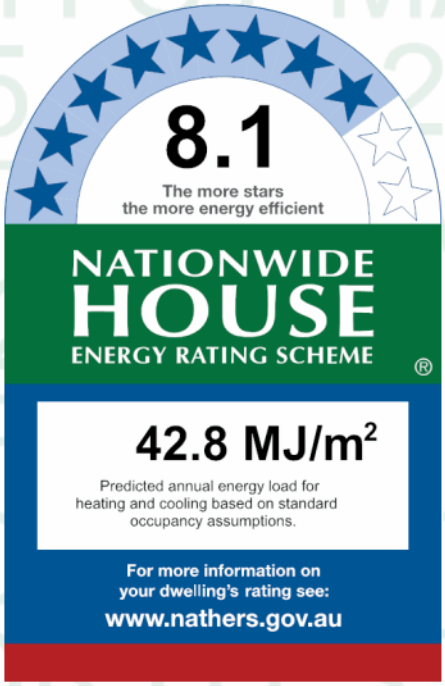

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Type	New Dwelling

Plans

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Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

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Unconditioned*	0.0
Total	59.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
17.6	25.3
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Certificate check

Ensure the dwelling is designed and then built as per the NatHERS Certificate. While you need to check the accuracy of the whole Certificate, the following spot check covers some important items impacting the dwelling's rating.

Genuine certificate

Does this Certificate match the one available at the web address or QR code in the verification box on the front page? Does the set of NatHERS-stamped plans for the dwelling have a Certificate number on the stamp that matches this Certificate?

Ceiling penetrations*

Does the 'number' and 'type' of ceiling penetrations (e.g. downlights, exhaust fans, etc) shown on the stamped plans or installed, match what is shown in this Certificate?

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Does the installed window meet the substitution tolerances (SHGC and U-value) and window type, of the window shown on this Certificate? Substituted values must be based on the Australian Fenestration Rating Council (AFRC) protocol.

Apartment entrance doors

Does the 'External Door Schedule' show apartment entrance doors? Please note that an "external door" between the modelled dwelling and a shared space, such as an enclosed corridor or foyer, should not be included in the assessment (because it overstates the possible ventilation) and would invalidate the Certificate.

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Has the appropriate exposure level (terrain) been applied? For example, it is unlikely that a ground-floor apartment is "exposed" or a top floor high-rise apartment is "protected".

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Have provisional values been used in the assessment and, if so, noted in "additional notes" below?

Additional notes

I have modeled the shading in accordance with NatHERS principles

Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

* Refer to glossary.

Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2400	n/a	45	W	No
Bedroom	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2170	n/a	10	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
GEN-04-006a	Single-glazed clear, Timber and Aluminium Frame

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
Kitchen/Living	GEN-04-006a	n/a	50	0.70	N	None	No	0.50
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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes
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External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
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Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity brick		63.00	No Insulation
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Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
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Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
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Lobby	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
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Ceiling *penetrations**

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Ceiling *fans*

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Roof *type*

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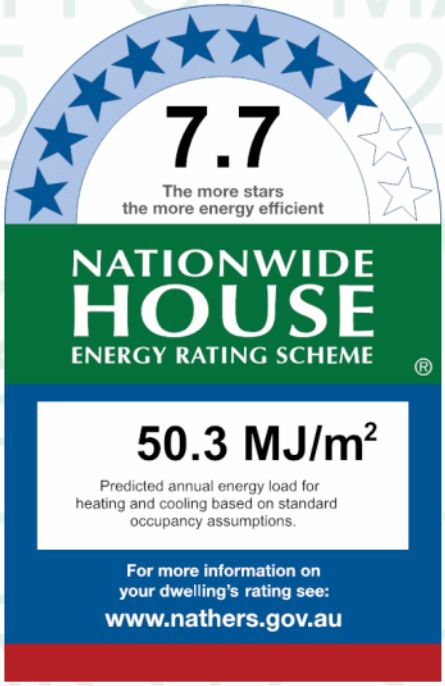

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Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
25.9	**24.4**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62
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Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2400	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/Living	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1810	n/a	45	S	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	S	No
Bedroom	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2170	n/a	10	E	No
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Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
GEN-04-006a	Single-glazed clear, Timber and Aluminium Frame

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
Kitchen/Living	GEN-04-006a	n/a	50	0.70	N	None	No	0.50
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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
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Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	4200	W	2600	NO
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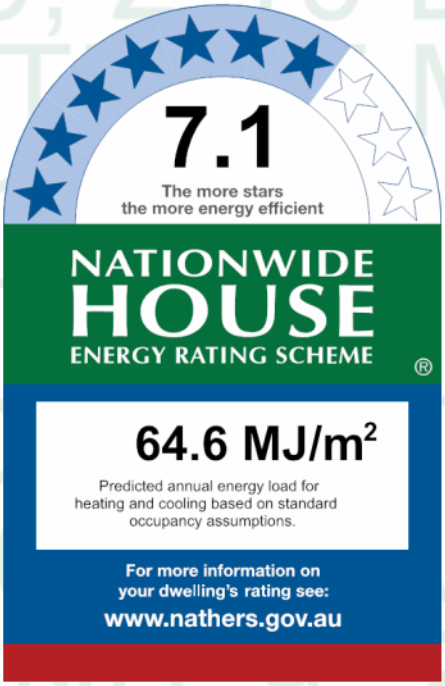

Property

Address	Unit 9, 2-10 Birch street , North St Marys , NSW , 2760
Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*

Conditioned*	67.0
Unconditioned*	9.0
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Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
55.1	**9.4**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/Living	2040	820	90	W

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	3800	W	1300	NO
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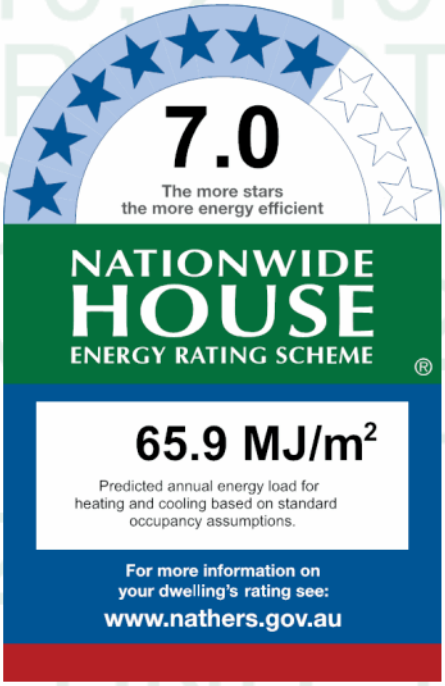

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Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

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Unconditioned*	8.0
Total	60.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type
Suburban

NatHERS climate zone
28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
60.6	**5.3**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

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I have modeled the shading in accordance with NatHERS principles

Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-006-01 A	ALM-006-01 A Aluminium B DG Argon Fill Clear-Clear	4.5	0.61	0.58	0.64
ALM-005-01 A	ALM-005-01 A Aluminium A DG Argon Fill Clear-Clear	4.5	0.50	0.48	0.53

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Window and glazed door *schedule*

* Refer to glossary.

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/Living	ALM-006-01 A	n/a	1200	1210	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/Living	ALM-006-01 A	n/a	2400	2410	n/a	45	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-005-01 A	n/a	800	2170	n/a	45	S	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-006-01 A	n/a	800	1810	n/a	45	W	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-005-01 A	n/a	800	970	n/a	90	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Custom* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/Living	2040	820	90	W

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No
EW-2	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	3745	W	100	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-2	2700	900	N	2900	YES
Kitchen/Living	EW-2	2700	3745	E	3500	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-2	2700	1490	S	100	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	4245	S	2600	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	3745	W	200	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-2	2700	2245	S	100	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-2	2700	3745	E	100	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity brick		20.00	No Insulation
IW-2 - Single Skin Brick		43.00	No insulation

Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering

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Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
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Kitchen/Living	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	5.60	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Bedroom 1	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	15.90	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
Bath/Ldy	Concrete Slab on Ground 150mm	8.40	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm

Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/Living	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
Kitchen/Living	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
Bedroom 1	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
Bath/Ldy	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No

Ceiling *penetrations**

Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
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Bath/Ldy	2	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed

Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/Living	1	1200
Bedroom 1	1	900

Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
None Present			

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Disclaimer

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Information presented in this report relies on a range of standard assumptions (both embedded in NatHERS accredited software and made by the assessor who prepared this report), including assumptions about occupancy, indoor air temperature and local climate.

Not all assumptions that may have been made by the assessor while using the NatHERS accredited software tool are presented in this report and further details or data files may be available from the assessor.

Glossary

Annual energy load	the predicted amount of energy required for heating and cooling, based on standard occupancy assumptions.
Assessed floor area	the floor area modelled in the software for the purpose of the NatHERS assessment. Note, this may not be consistent with the floor area in the design documents.
Ceiling penetrations	features that require a penetration to the ceiling, including downlights, vents, exhaust fans, rangehoods, chimneys and flues. Excludes fixtures attached to the ceiling with small holes through the ceiling for wiring, e.g. ceiling fans; pendant lights, and heating and cooling ducts.
Conditioned	a zone within a dwelling that is expected to require heating and cooling based on standard occupancy assumptions. In some circumstances it will include garages.
Custom windows	windows listed in NatHERS software that are available on the market in Australia and have a WERS (Window Energy Rating Scheme) rating.
Default windows	windows that are representative of a specific type of window product and whose properties have been derived by statistical methods.
Entrance door	these signify ventilation benefits in the modelling software and must not be modelled as a door when opening to a minimally ventilated corridor in a Class 2 building.
Exposure category – exposed	terrain with no obstructions e.g. flat grazing land, ocean-frontage, desert, exposed high-rise unit (usually above 10 floors).
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Provisional value	an assumed value that does not represent an actual value. For example, if the wall colour is unspecified in the documentation, a provisional value of 'medium' must be modelled. Acceptable provisional values are outlined in the NatHERS Technical Note and can be found at www.nathers.gov.au
Reflective wrap (also known as foil)	can be applied to walls, roofs and ceilings. When combined with an appropriate airgap and emissivity value, it provides insulative properties.
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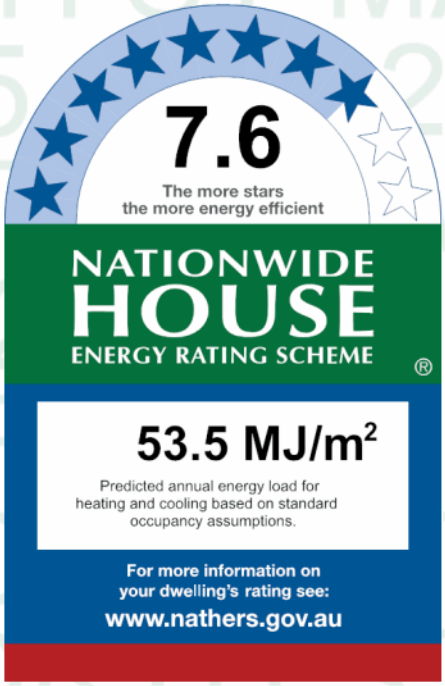

Property

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Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*

Conditioned*	67.0
Unconditioned*	9.0
Total	76.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
32.9	**20.6**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
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Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	30	E	No
Hallway	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	30	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1800	1800	n/a	45	W	Yes
Bedroom 2	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1810	n/a	10	W	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	N	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

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No Data Available					

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Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes
EW-2	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No
EW-3	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	1200	3800	W	0	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	3800	W	1600	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	1200	2600	N	0	YES
Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	2600	N	8500	YES
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	1200	3740	E	0	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	3740	E	900	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	900	S	3100	YES
Hallway	EW-1	1200	5290	E	0	NO
Hallway	EW-3	1500	5290	E	900	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	3590	W	4200	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	1200	4200	W	0	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-3	1500	4200	W	800	NO

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Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Bedroom 2	EW-1	1200	3095	N	0	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-3	1500	3095	N	700	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-1	1200	1300	S	0	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-3	1500	1300	S	10500	YES
Bath/Ldy	EW-1	1200	3695	N	0	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-3	1500	3695	N	700	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-1	1200	2495	E	0	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-3	1500	2495	E	900	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		56.00	No insulation
IW-2 - Cavity brick		19.00	No Insulation

Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
Kitchen/Living	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	29.50	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Hallway	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	12.50	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
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Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/Living	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
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Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Bedroom 2	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Bath/Ldy	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No

Ceiling *penetrations**

Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
Kitchen/Living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
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Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/Living	1	1200
Bedroom 1	1	900
Bedroom 2	1	900

Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
Corrugated Iron	Bulk, Reflective Side Down, Anti-glare Up R1.3	0.50	Medium

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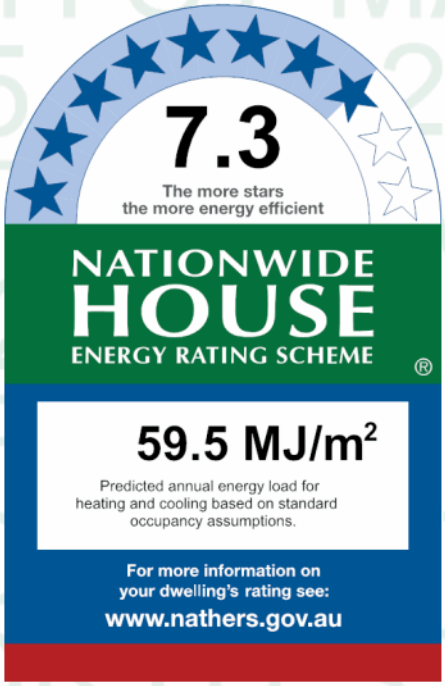

Property

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Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*

Conditioned*	50.0
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Total	59.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
41.2	**18.3**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Declaration of interest Declaration completed: no conflicts

About the rating

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/Living	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	850	1810	n/a	90	W	No
Kitchen/Living	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	850	2410	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2400	n/a	45	S	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	10	E	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	970	n/a	90	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

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No Data Available					

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

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EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes
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EW-3	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
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Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	7500	W	1500	NO
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Bath/Ldy	EW-3	1500	3695	S	800	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-1	1200	2395	E	0	NO

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Bath/Ldy	EW-3	1500	2395	E	1000	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity brick		20.00	No Insulation
IW-2 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		42.00	No insulation

Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
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Ceiling *type*

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Ceiling *penetrations**

Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
Kitchen/Living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
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Ceiling *fans*

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Kitchen/Living	1	1200
Bedroom 1	1	900

Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
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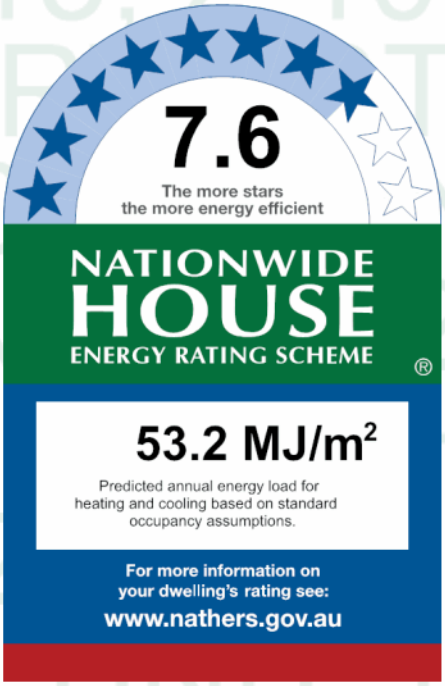

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

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Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
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Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2410	n/a	45	N	No
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Roof window *type and performance*

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Roof window *schedule*

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No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/living	2400	820	90	W

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Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3600	E	100	NO
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Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	1000	N	3900	YES
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Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
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Floor *type*

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Ceiling *type*

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Kitchen/living	Concrete, Plasterboard	No insulation	No
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Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
Kitchen/living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
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Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/living	1	1200
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Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
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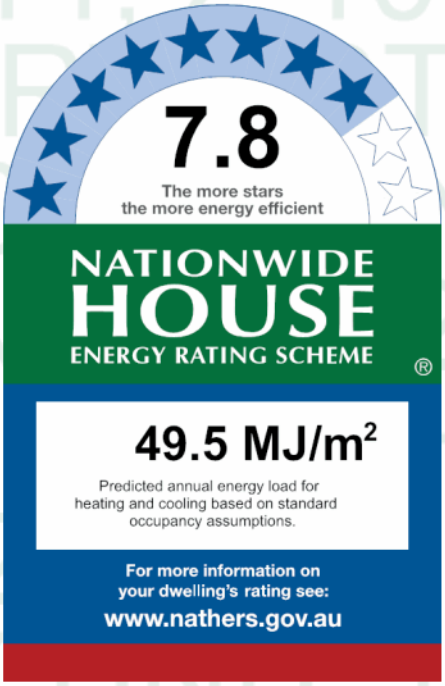

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Type	New Dwelling

Plans

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Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

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Conditioned*	74.0
Unconditioned*	0.0
Total	74.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type
Suburban

NatHERS climate zone
28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
43.7	**5.7**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1450	1550	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2410	n/a	45	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1800	1810	n/a	45	W	No
Bedroom 2	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1800	1810	n/a	30	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Custom* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

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Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/living	2400	820	90	W

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No
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External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3690	W	3400	YES
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Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	3600	W	200	NO
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Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
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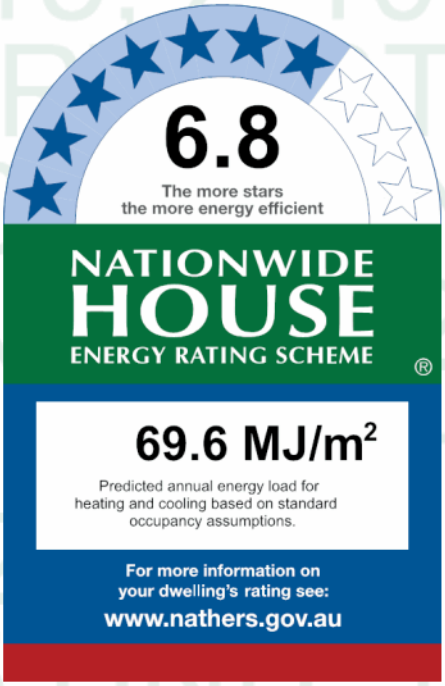

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NatHERS climate zone

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MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Window and glazed door *schedule*

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Roof window *type and performance*

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No Data Available					

Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/living	2400	820	90	W

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No
EW-2	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3690	W	3500	YES
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Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	4345	S	100	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	3600	W	100	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-2	2700	1600	N	6900	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-2	2700	1490	S	4600	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-2	2700	2390	S	4600	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-2	2700	1600	N	6900	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-2	2700	3600	E	200	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-2	2700	3545	S	100	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Single Skin Brick		53.00	No insulation
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Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
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Roof *type*

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Property

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Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*

Conditioned*	49.0
Unconditioned*	9.0
Total	57.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
14.4	**24.6**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

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Have provisional values been used in the assessment and, if so, noted in "additional notes" below?

Additional notes

I have modeled the shading in accordance with NatHERS principles

Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62
ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

* Refer to glossary.

Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2400	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	1200	850	n/a	90	N	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	30	N	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1450	n/a	45	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1450	1810	n/a	10	W	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

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No Data Available					

Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	600	S	6800	YES
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Bath/Ldy	EW-1	2700	3740	E	500	YES

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		40.00	No insulation
IW-2 - Cavity brick		18.00	No Insulation

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Floor *type*

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Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/living	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
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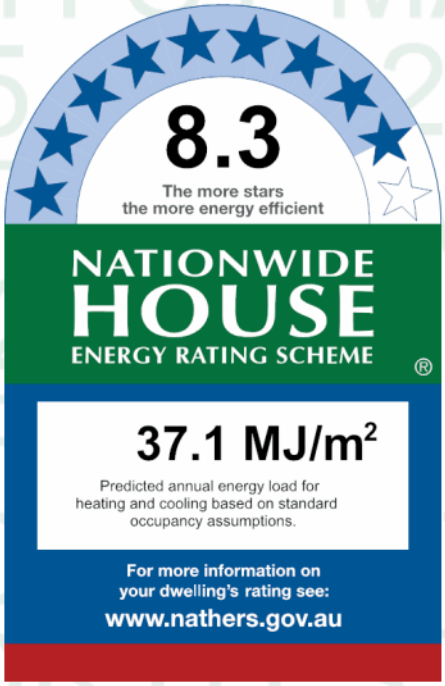

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Total	75.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

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Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
15.0	**22.1**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Additional notes

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2410	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	30	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1450	1810	n/a	10	W	No
Bedroom 2	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1810	n/a	10	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3795	W	3400	YES
Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3795	E	300	YES
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	1600	S	200	YES
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	3600	W	200	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	1600	N	4400	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	1700	N	200	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	3600	E	400	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	1700	S	200	YES

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		53.00	No insulation
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Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
Kitchen/living	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	33.40	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm

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Lobby	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
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Bedroom 1	1	900
Bedroom 2	1	900

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Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
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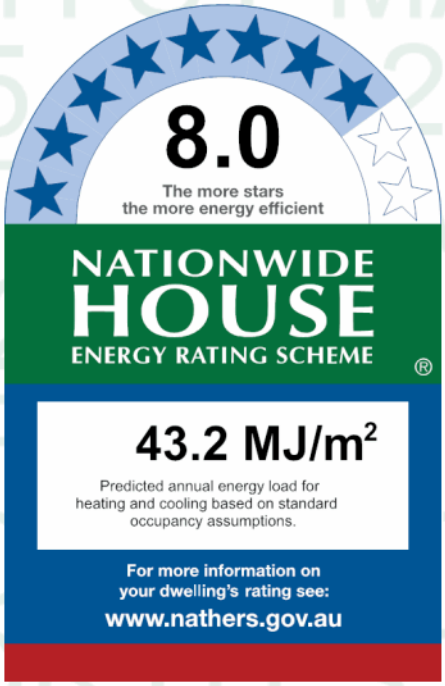

Property

Address	Unit 18, 2-10 Birch street, North St Marys , NSW , 2760
Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*

Conditioned*	65.0
Unconditioned*	9.0
Total	74.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
21.8	**21.4**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

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Declaration of interest Declaration completed: no conflicts

About the rating

NatHERS software models the expected thermal energy loads using information about the design and construction, climate and common patterns of household use. The software does not take into account appliances, apart from the airflow impacts from ceiling fans.

Verification

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National Construction Code (NCC) requirements

The NCC's requirements for NatHERS-rated houses are detailed in 3.12.0(a)(i) and 3.12.5 of the NCC Volume Two. For apartments the requirements are detailed in J0.2 and J5 to J8 of the NCC Volume One.

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Certificate check

Ensure the dwelling is designed and then built as per the NatHERS Certificate. While you need to check the accuracy of the whole Certificate, the following spot check covers some important items impacting the dwelling's rating.

Genuine certificate

Does this Certificate match the one available at the web address or QR code in the verification box on the front page? Does the set of NatHERS-stamped plans for the dwelling have a Certificate number on the stamp that matches this Certificate?

Ceiling penetrations*

Does the 'number' and 'type' of ceiling penetrations (e.g. downlights, exhaust fans, etc) shown on the stamped plans or installed, match what is shown in this Certificate?

Windows

Does the installed window meet the substitution tolerances (SHGC and U-value) and window type, of the window shown on this Certificate? Substituted values must be based on the Australian Fenestration Rating Council (AFRC) protocol.

Apartment entrance doors

Does the 'External Door Schedule' show apartment entrance doors? Please note that an "external door" between the modelled dwelling and a shared space, such as an enclosed corridor or foyer, should not be included in the assessment (because it overstates the possible ventilation) and would invalidate the Certificate.

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Have provisional values been used in the assessment and, if so, noted in "additional notes" below?

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Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

* Refer to glossary.

Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2410	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	30	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1450	1810	n/a	10	W	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	970	n/a	90	S	No
Bedroom 2	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1810	n/a	10	E	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes

External wall *schedule*

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Kitchen/living	EW-1	2700	3740	W	3500	YES
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Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	4295	S	200	NO
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Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/living	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
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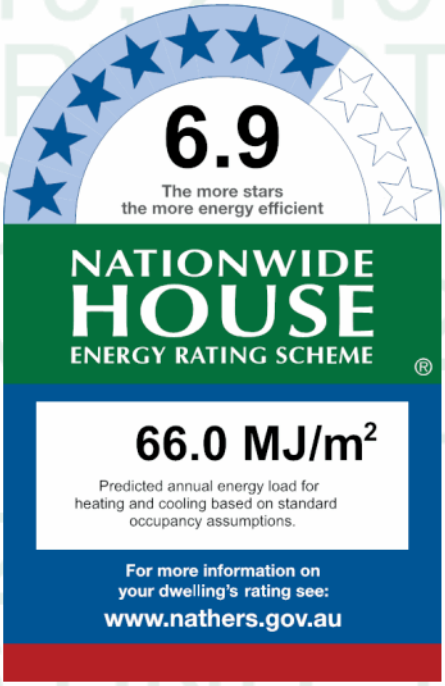

Property

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Type	New Dwelling

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Garage	0.0

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NatHERS climate zone

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Heating	Cooling
56.3	**9.7**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62
ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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Window and glazed door *schedule*

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Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
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Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2410	n/a	45	E	No
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Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	N	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/Living	2040	820	90	W

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
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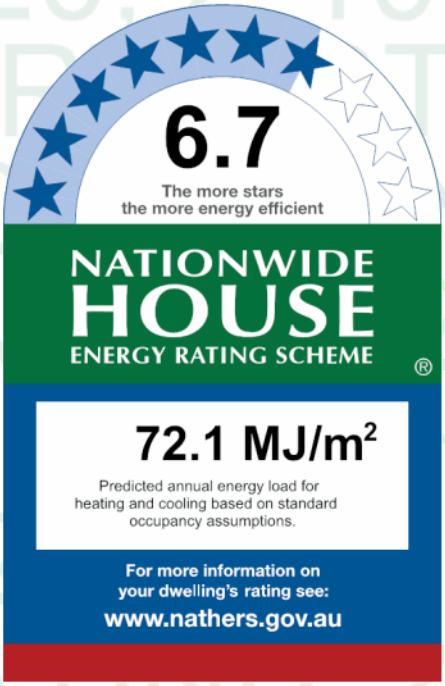

Property

Address	Unit 20, 2-10 Birch street , North St Marys , NSW , 2760
Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*	
Conditioned*	68.0
Unconditioned*	9.0
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Window and glazed door *schedule*

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Roof window *type and performance*

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Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

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External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
Kitchen/Living	2040	820	90	W

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
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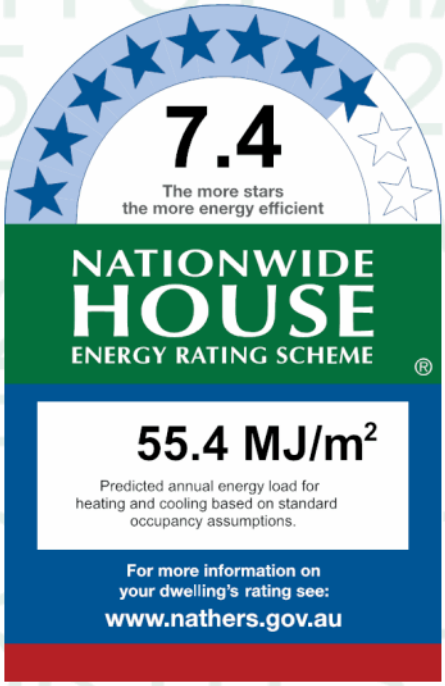

Property

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Lot/DP	346-350/31990
NCC Class*	2
Type	New Dwelling

Plans

Main plan	BGYVZ(2022.011)
Prepared by	DTA Architects

Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m^2)*

Conditioned*	67.0
Unconditioned*	9.0
Total	76.0
Garage	0.0

Exposure type

Suburban

NatHERS climate zone

28

Thermal performance

Heating	Cooling
35.1	**20.3**
MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

Accredited assessor

Name	Dean Gorman
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Accreditation No.	DMN/13/1645
Assessor Accrediting Organisation	Design Matters National
Declaration of interest	Declaration completed: no conflicts

About the rating

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Additional notes

I have modeled the shading in accordance with NatHERS principles

Window and glazed door *type and performance*

Default* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-004-01 A	ALM-004-01 A Aluminium B DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.59	0.56	0.62
ALM-003-01 A	ALM-003-01 A Aluminium A DG Air Fill Clear-Clear	4.8	0.51	0.48	0.54

Custom* windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

* Refer to glossary.

Window and glazed door *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Window type	Opening %	Orientation	Window shading device*
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	850	2410	n/a	45	W	No
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	2400	2170	n/a	45	N	No
Kitchen/Living	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	45	E	No
Hallway	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	2410	n/a	60	E	No
Bedroom 1	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1800	1810	n/a	45	W	No
Bedroom 2	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1810	n/a	10	W	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	N	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Custom* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
EW-1	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Foil reflective both sides of the Bulk Insulation R4	Yes
EW-2	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No
EW-3	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	1200	3800	W	0	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	3800	W	1500	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	2700	N	8600	YES
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	1200	3740	E	0	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	3740	E	1000	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	1200	1000	S	0	YES
Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	1000	S	2900	YES
Hallway	EW-1	1200	5290	E	0	NO
Hallway	EW-3	1500	5290	E	1000	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	3690	W	4200	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	1200	1300	S	0	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-3	1500	1300	S	10400	YES

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Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Bedroom 2	EW-1	1200	4100	W	0	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-3	1500	4100	W	700	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-1	1200	3095	N	0	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-3	1500	3095	N	800	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-1	1200	3695	N	0	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-3	1500	3695	N	800	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-1	1200	2495	E	0	NO
Bath/Ldy	EW-3	1500	2495	E	1000	NO

Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		56.00	No insulation
IW-2 - Cavity brick		19.00	No Insulation

Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
Kitchen/Living	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	29.90	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Hallway	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	12.30	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
Bedroom 1	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	12.80	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
Bedroom 2	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	12.40	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
Bath/Ldy	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	9.00	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm

Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/Living	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Hallway	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Bedroom 1	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No

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Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Bedroom 2	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Bath/Ldy	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No

Ceiling *penetrations**

Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
Kitchen/Living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
Bath/Ldy	2	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed

Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/Living	1	1200
Bedroom 1	1	900
Bedroom 2	1	900

Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
Corrugated Iron	Bulk, Reflective Side Down, Anti-glare Up R1.3	0.50	Medium

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Explanatory notes

About this report

A NatHERS rating is a comprehensive, dynamic computer modelling evaluation of a home, using the floorplans, elevations and specifications to estimate an energy load. It addresses the building layout, orientation and fabric (i.e. walls, windows, floors, roofs and ceilings), but does not cover the water or energy use of appliances or energy production of solar panels.

Ratings are based on a unique climate zone where the home is located and are generated using standard assumptions, including occupancy patterns and thermostat settings. The actual energy consumption of a home may vary significantly from the predicted energy load, as the assumptions used in the rating will not match actual usage patterns. For example, the number of occupants and personal heating or cooling preferences will vary.

While the figures are an indicative guide to energy use, they can be used as a reliable guide for comparing different dwelling designs and to demonstrate that the design meets the energy efficiency requirements in the National Construction Code. Homes that are energy efficient use less energy, are warmer on cool days, cooler on hot days and cost less to run. The higher the star rating the more thermally efficient the dwelling is.

Accredited assessors

To ensure the NatHERS Certificate is of a high quality, always use an accredited or licenced assessor. NatHERS accredited assessors are members of a professional body called an Assessor Accrediting Organisation (AAO).

Australian Capital Territory (ACT) licensed assessors may only produce assessments for regulatory purposes using software for which they have a licence endorsement. Licence endorsements can be confirmed on the ACT licensing register

AAOs have specific quality assurance processes in place, and continuing professional development requirements, to maintain a high and consistent standard of assessments across the country. Non-accredited assessors do not have this level of quality assurance or any ongoing training requirements.

Any questions or concerns about this report should be directed to the assessor in the first instance. If the assessor is unable to address these questions or concerns, the AAO specified on the front of this certificate should be contacted.

Disclaimer

The format of the NatHERS Certificate was developed by the NatHERS Administrator. However the content of each individual certificate is entered and created by the assessor to create a NatHERS Certificate. It is the responsibility of the assessor who prepared this certificate to use NatHERS accredited software correctly and follow the NatHERS Technical Notes to produce a NatHERS Certificate.

The predicted annual energy load in this NatHERS Certificate is an estimate based on an assessment of the building by the assessor. It is not a prediction of actual energy use, but may be used to compare how other buildings are likely to perform when used in a similar way.

Information presented in this report relies on a range of standard assumptions (both embedded in NatHERS accredited software and made by the assessor who prepared this report), including assumptions about occupancy, indoor air temperature and local climate.

Not all assumptions that may have been made by the assessor while using the NatHERS accredited software tool are presented in this report and further details or data files may be available from the assessor.

Glossary

Annual energy load	the predicted amount of energy required for heating and cooling, based on standard occupancy assumptions.
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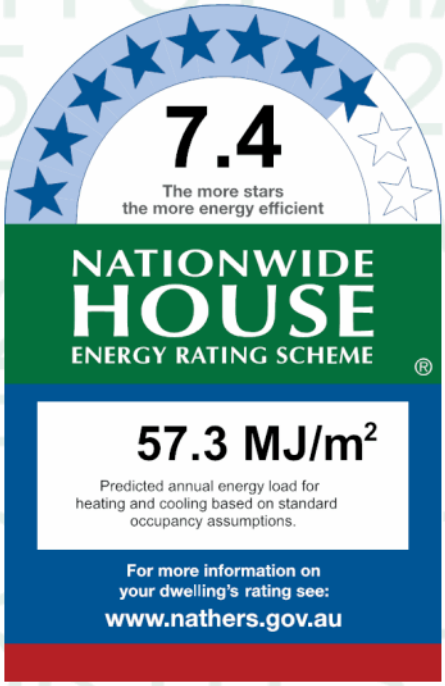

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MJ/m^2	MJ/m^2

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Custom* windows

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Bedroom 2	ALM-004-01 A	n/a	1200	1810	n/a	10	W	No
Bath/Ldy	ALM-003-01 A	n/a	800	1210	n/a	90	S	No

Roof window *type and performance*

Default* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
				SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available					

Custom* roof windows

Window ID	Window Description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	Substitution tolerance ranges	
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No Data Available					

Roof window *schedule*

Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Indoor shade
No Data Available								

Skylight *type and performance*

Skylight ID	Skylight description
No Data Available	

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Skylight *schedule*

Location	Skylight ID	Skylight No.	Skylight shaft length (mm)	Area (m^2)	Orientation	Outdoor shade	Diffuser	Skylight shaft reflectance
No Data Available								

External door *schedule*

Location	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Opening %	Orientation
No Data Available				

External wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Solar absorptance	Wall shade (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	Reflective wall wrap*
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EW-2	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No
EW-3	Cavity Brick	0.50	Medium	Bulk Insulation R0.7	No

External wall *schedule*

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)	Width (mm)	Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	3800	W	1500	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	900	N	2900	YES
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	1200	3740	E	0	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-3	1500	3740	E	900	NO
Kitchen/Living	EW-1	2700	2600	S	8500	YES
Hallway	EW-1	1200	5290	E	0	NO
Hallway	EW-3	1500	5290	E	900	NO
Bedroom 1	EW-1	2700	3690	W	4100	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	4100	W	700	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-1	2700	1300	N	10400	YES
Bedroom 2	EW-1	1200	3095	S	0	NO
Bedroom 2	EW-3	1500	3095	S	700	NO

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Internal wall *type*

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m^2)	Bulk insulation
IW-1 - Cavity brick		20.00	No Insulation
IW-2 - Cavity wall, direct fix plasterboard, single gap		57.00	No insulation

Floor *type*

Location	Construction	Area (m^2)	Sub-floor ventilation	Added insulation (R-value)	Covering
Kitchen/Living	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	29.80	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm
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Bedroom 1	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	12.80	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
Bedroom 2	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	12.40	None	No Insulation	Carpet+Rubber Underlay 18mm
Bath/Ldy	Concrete Slab, Unit Below 200mm	9.20	None	No Insulation	Ceramic Tiles 8mm

Ceiling *type*

Location	Construction material/type	Bulk insulation R-value (may include edge batt values)	Reflective wrap*
Kitchen/Living	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Hallway	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Bedroom 1	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Bedroom 2	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No
Bath/Ldy	Plasterboard	Bulk Insulation R2.5	No

Ceiling *penetrations**

Location	Quantity	Type	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
Kitchen/Living	1	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed
Bath/Ldy	2	Exhaust Fans	300	Sealed

Ceiling *fans*

Location	Quantity	Diameter (mm)
Kitchen/Living	1	1200
Bedroom 1	1	900
Bedroom 2	1	900

Roof *type*

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
Corrugated Iron	Bulk, Reflective Side Down, Anti-glare Up R1.3	0.50	Medium

* Refer to glossary.
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Explanatory notes

About this report

A NatHERS rating is a comprehensive, dynamic computer modelling evaluation of a home, using the floorplans, elevations and specifications to estimate an energy load. It addresses the building layout, orientation and fabric (i.e. walls, windows, floors, roofs and ceilings), but does not cover the water or energy use of appliances or energy production of solar panels.

Ratings are based on a unique climate zone where the home is located and are generated using standard assumptions, including occupancy patterns and thermostat settings. The actual energy consumption of a home may vary significantly from the predicted energy load, as the assumptions used in the rating will not match actual usage patterns. For example, the number of occupants and personal heating or cooling preferences will vary.

While the figures are an indicative guide to energy use, they can be used as a reliable guide for comparing different dwelling designs and to demonstrate that the design meets the energy efficiency requirements in the National Construction Code. Homes that are energy efficient use less energy, are warmer on cool days, cooler on hot days and cost less to run. The higher the star rating the more thermally efficient the dwelling is.

Accredited assessors

To ensure the NatHERS Certificate is of a high quality, always use an accredited or licenced assessor. NatHERS accredited assessors are members of a professional body called an Assessor Accrediting Organisation (AAO).

Australian Capital Territory (ACT) licensed assessors may only produce assessments for regulatory purposes using software for which they have a licence endorsement. Licence endorsements can be confirmed on the ACT licensing register

AAOs have specific quality assurance processes in place, and continuing professional development requirements, to maintain a high and consistent standard of assessments across the country. Non-accredited assessors do not have this level of quality assurance or any ongoing training requirements.

Any questions or concerns about this report should be directed to the assessor in the first instance. If the assessor is unable to address these questions or concerns, the AAO specified on the front of this certificate should be contacted.

Disclaimer

The format of the NatHERS Certificate was developed by the NatHERS Administrator. However the content of each individual certificate is entered and created by the assessor to create a NatHERS Certificate. It is the responsibility of the assessor who prepared this certificate to use NatHERS accredited software correctly and follow the NatHERS Technical Notes to produce a NatHERS Certificate.

The predicted annual energy load in this NatHERS Certificate is an estimate based on an assessment of the building by the assessor. It is not a prediction of actual energy use, but may be used to compare how other buildings are likely to perform when used in a similar way.

Information presented in this report relies on a range of standard assumptions (both embedded in NatHERS accredited software and made by the assessor who prepared this report), including assumptions about occupancy, indoor air temperature and local climate.

Not all assumptions that may have been made by the assessor while using the NatHERS accredited software tool are presented in this report and further details or data files may be available from the assessor.

Glossary

Annual energy load	the predicted amount of energy required for heating and cooling, based on standard occupancy assumptions.
Assessed floor area	the floor area modelled in the software for the purpose of the NatHERS assessment. Note, this may not be consistent with the floor area in the design documents.
Ceiling penetrations	features that require a penetration to the ceiling, including downlights, vents, exhaust fans, rangehoods, chimneys and flues. Excludes fixtures attached to the ceiling with small holes through the ceiling for wiring, e.g. ceiling fans; pendant lights, and heating and cooling ducts.
Conditioned	a zone within a dwelling that is expected to require heating and cooling based on standard occupancy assumptions. In some circumstances it will include garages.
Custom windows	windows listed in NatHERS software that are available on the market in Australia and have a WERS (Window Energy Rating Scheme) rating.
Default windows	windows that are representative of a specific type of window product and whose properties have been derived by statistical methods.
Entrance door	these signify ventilation benefits in the modelling software and must not be modelled as a door when opening to a minimally ventilated corridor in a Class 2 building.
Exposure category – exposed	terrain with no obstructions e.g. flat grazing land, ocean-frontage, desert, exposed high-rise unit (usually above 10 floors).
Exposure category – open	terrain with few obstructions at a similar height e.g. grasslands with few well scattered obstructions below 10m, farmland with scattered sheds, lightly vegetated bush blocks, elevated units (e.g. above 3 floors).
Exposure category – suburban	terrain with numerous, closely spaced obstructions below 10m e.g. suburban housing, heavily vegetated bushland areas.
Exposure category – protected	terrain with numerous, closely spaced obstructions over 10 m e.g. city and industrial areas.
Horizontal shading feature	provides shading to the building in the horizontal plane, e.g. eaves, verandahs, pergolas, carports, or overhangs or balconies from upper levels.
National Construction Code (NCC) Class	the NCC groups buildings by their function and use, and assigns a classification code. NatHERS software models NCC Class 1, 2 or 4 buildings and attached Class 10a buildings. Definitions can be found at www.abcb.gov.au.
Opening percentage	the openability percentage or operable (moveable) area of doors or windows that is used in ventilation calculations.
Provisional value	an assumed value that does not represent an actual value. For example, if the wall colour is unspecified in the documentation, a provisional value of 'medium' must be modelled. Acceptable provisional values are outlined in the NatHERS Technical Note and can be found at www.nathers.gov.au
Reflective wrap (also known as foil)	can be applied to walls, roofs and ceilings. When combined with an appropriate airgap and emissivity value, it provides insulative properties.
Roof window	for NatHERS this is typically an operable window (i.e. can be opened), will have a plaster or similar light well if there is an attic space, and generally does not have a diffuser.
Shading device	a device fixed to windows that provides shading e.g. window awnings or screens but excludes eaves.
Shading features	includes neighbouring buildings, fences, and wing walls, but excludes eaves.
Solar heat gain coefficient (SHGC)	the fraction of incident solar radiation admitted through a window, both directly transmitted as well as absorbed and subsequently released inward. SHGC is expressed as a number between 0 and 1. The lower a window's SHGC, the less solar heat it transmits.
Skylight (also known as roof lights)	for NatHERS this is typically a moulded unit with flexible reflective tubing (light well) and a diffuser at ceiling level.
U-value	the rate of heat transfer through a window. The lower the U-value, the better the insulating ability.
Unconditioned	a zone within a dwelling that is assumed to not require heating and cooling based on standard occupancy assumptions.
Vertical shading features	provides shading to the building in the vertical plane and can be parallel or perpendicular to the subject wall/window. Includes privacy screens, other walls in the building (wing walls), fences, other buildings, vegetation (protected or listed heritage trees).