



# Home Report

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### survey report on:

Property address	79 Restalrig Avenue, Restalrig, EDINBURGH, EH7 6PN
Customer	The Estate of the Late Maurice Stocks
Customer address	c/o Sneddon Morrison Solicitors, 36-46 North Bridge Street, BATHGATE, West Lothian, EH48 4PP
Prepared by	Allied Surveyors Scotland Ltd
Date of inspection	21st October 2025



#### **PART 1 - GENERAL**

#### 1.1 THE SURVEYORS

The Seller has engaged the Surveyors to provide the Single Survey Report and a generic Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes. The Seller has also engaged the Surveyors to provide an Energy Report in the format prescribed by the accredited Energy Company.

The Surveyors are authorised to provide a transcript or retype of the generic Mortgage Valuation Report on to Lender specific pro-forma. Transcript reports are commonly requested by Brokers and Lenders. The transcript report will be in the format required by the Lender but will contain the same information, inspection date and valuation figure as the generic Mortgage Valuation Report and the Single Survey. The Surveyors will decline any transcript request which requires the provision of information additional to the information in the Report and the generic Mortgage Valuation Report until the Seller has conditionally accepted an offer to purchase made in writing.

Once the Seller has conditionally accepted an offer to purchase made in writing, the Purchaser's lender or conveyancer may request that the Surveyors provide general comment on standard appropriate supplementary documentation. In the event of a significant amount of documentation being provided to the Surveyors, an additional fee may be incurred by the Purchaser. Any additional fee will be agreed in writing.

If information is provided to the Surveyors during the conveyancing process which materially affects the valuation stated in the Report and generic Mortgage Valuation Report, the Surveyors reserve the right to reconsider the valuation. Where the Surveyors require to amend the valuation in consequence of such information, they will issue an amended Report and generic Mortgage Valuation Report to the Seller. It is the responsibility of the Seller to ensure that the amended Report and generic Mortgage Valuation Report are transmitted to every prospective Purchaser.

The individual Surveyor will be a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors who is competent to survey, value and report upon Residential Property<sup>1</sup>.

If the Surveyors have had a previous business relationship within the past two years with the Seller or Seller's Agent or relative to the property, they will be obliged to indicate this by ticking the adjacent box.

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The Surveyors have a written complaints handling procedure. This is available from the offices of the Surveyors at the address stated.

#### 1.2 THE REPORT

The Surveyors will not provide an amended Report on the Property, except to correct factual inaccuracies.

The Report will identify the nature and source of information relied upon in its preparation.

The Surveyor shall provide a Market Value of the Property, unless the condition of the Property is such that it would be inappropriate to do so. A final decision on whether a loan will be granted rests with the Lender who may impose retentions in line with their lending criteria. The date of condition and value of the property will be the date of inspection.

Prior to 1 December 2008, Purchasers have normally obtained their own report from their chosen Surveyor. By contrast, a Single Survey is instructed by the Seller and made available to all potential Purchasers in expectation that the successful Purchaser will have relied upon it. The Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors rules require disclosure of any potential conflict of interest when acting for the Seller and the Purchaser in the same transaction. The Single Survey may give rise to a conflict of interest and if this is of concern to any party they are advised to seek their own independent advice.

The Report and any expressions or assessments in it are not intended as advice to the Seller or Purchaser or any other person in relation to an asking price or any other sales or marketing decisions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Which shall be in accordance with the current RICS Valuation Standards (The Red Book) and RICS Codes of Conduct.

The Report is based solely on the Property and is not to be relied upon in any manner whatsoever when considering the valuation or condition of any other property.

If certain minor matters are mentioned in the Report it should not be assumed that the Property is free of other minor defects.

Neither the whole nor any part of the Report may be published in any way, reproduced or distributed by any party other than the Seller, prospective purchasers and the Purchaser and their respective professional advisers without the prior written consent of the Surveyors.

#### 1.3 LIABILITY

The Report is prepared with the skill and care reasonably to be expected of a competent residential surveyor who is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors.

The Report is addressed to the Seller and was prepared in the expectation that it (or a complete copy) along with these Terms and Conditions (or a complete copy) would (or, as the case might be, would have been) be disclosed and delivered to:

- the Seller;
- any person(s) noting an interest in purchasing the Property from the Seller;
- any person(s) who make(s) (or on whose behalf is made) an offer to purchase the Property, whether
  or not that offer is accepted by the Seller;
- the Purchaser; and
- the professional advisers of any of these.

The Surveyors acknowledge that their duty of skill and care in relation to the Report is owed to the Seller and to the Purchaser. The Surveyors accept no responsibility or liability whatsoever in relation to the Report to persons other than the Seller and the Purchaser. The Seller and Purchaser should be aware that if a Lender seeks to rely on this Report they do so at their own risk. In particular, the Surveyors accept no responsibility or liability whatsoever to any Lender in relation to the Report. Any such Lender relies upon the Report entirely at their own risk.

#### 1.4 GENERIC MORTGAGE VALUATION REPORT

The Surveyors undertake to the Seller that they will prepare a generic Mortgage Valuation Report, which will be issued along with the Single Survey. It is the responsibility of the Seller to ensure that the generic Mortgage Valuation Report is provided to every potential Purchaser.

#### 1.5 TRANSCRIPT MORTGAGE VALUATION FOR LENDING PURPOSES

The Surveyors undertake that on being asked to do so by a prospective purchaser, or his/her professional advisor or Lender, they will prepare a Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes on terms and conditions to be agreed between the Surveyors and Lender and solely for the use of the Lender and upon which the Lender may rely. The decision as to whether finance will be provided is entirely a matter for the Lender. The Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report will be prepared from information contained in the Report and the generic Mortgage Valuation Report.<sup>2</sup>

#### 1.6 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

All intellectual property rights whatsoever (including copyright) in and to the Report, excluding the headings and rubrics, are the exclusive property of the Surveyors and shall remain their exclusive property unless

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Which shall be in accordance with the current RICS Valuation Standards (The Red Book) and RICS Rules of Conduct

they assign the same to any other party in writing.

#### 1.7 PAYMENT

The Surveyors are entitled to refrain from delivering the Report to anyone until the fee and other charges for it notified to the Seller have been paid. Additional fees will be charged for subsequent inspections and Reports.

#### 1.8 CANCELLATION

The Seller will be entitled to cancel the inspection by notifying the Surveyor's office at any time before the day of the inspection.

The Surveyor will be entitled not to proceed with the inspection (and will so report promptly to the Seller) if after arriving at the property, the Surveyor concludes that it is of a type of construction of which the Surveyor has insufficient specialist knowledge to be able to provide the inspection satisfactorily. The Surveyor will also be entitled not to proceed if after arriving at the property, the surveyor concludes that the property is exempt under Part 3 of The Housing (Scotland) Act 2006 as detailed in the (Prescribed Documents) Regulations 2008. If there is a potential threat to their health or personal safety, the inspection may be postponed or cancelled, at the Surveyor's discretion.

In the case of cancellation or the inspection not proceeding, the Surveyor will refund any fees paid by the Seller for the inspection and Report, except for expenses reasonably incurred and any fee due in light of the final paragraph of this section.

In the case of cancellation by the Seller, for whatever reason, after the inspection has taken place but before a written report is issued, the Surveyor will be entitled to raise an invoice equivalent to 80% of the agreed fee.

#### 1.9 PRECEDENCE

If there is any incompatibility between these Terms and Conditions and the Report, these Terms and Conditions take precedence.

#### 1.1 **DEFINITIONS**

- the "Lender" is the party who has provided or intends or proposes to provide financial assistance to the Purchaser towards the purchase of the Property and in whose favour a standard security will be granted over the Property;
- the "Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes" means a separate report, prepared by the Surveyor, prepared from information in the Report and the generic Mortgage Valuation Report, but in a style and format required by the Lender. The Transcript Mortgage Valuation Report for Lending Purposes will be prepared with the skill and care reasonably to be expected from a surveyor who is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors and who is competent to survey, value and report on the Property;
- the "Generic Mortgage Valuation Report" means a separate report, prepared by the Surveyor from information in the Report but in the Surveyor's own format;
- the "Market Value" is the estimated amount for which a property should exchange on the date of valuation between a willing buyer and a willing seller in an arm's-length transaction after proper marketing wherein the parties had each acted knowledgeably, prudently and without compulsion;
- the "Property" is the property which forms the subject of the Report;

- the "Purchaser" is the person (or persons) who enters into a contract to buy the Property from the Seller:
- a "prospective Purchaser" is anyone considering buying the Property;
- the "Report" is the report, of the kind described in Part 2 of these Terms and Conditions and in the form set out in part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2006 (Prescribed Documents) Regulations 2008;
- the "Seller" is/are the proprietor(s) of the Property;
- the "Surveyor" is the author of the Report on the Property; and
- the "Surveyors" are the firm or company of which the Surveyor is an employee, director, member or partner (unless the Surveyor is not an employee, director, member or partner, when the "Surveyors" means the Surveyor) whose details are set out at the head of the Report.
- the "Energy Report" is the advice given by the accredited Energy Company, based on information collected by the Surveyor during the Inspection, and also includes an Energy Performance Certificate, in a Government approved format.

#### PART 2 - DESCRIPTION OF THE REPORT

#### 2.1 THE SERVICE

The Single Survey is a Report by an independent Surveyor, prepared in an objective way regarding the condition and value of the Property on the day of the inspection, and who is a member of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors. It includes an Energy Report as required by Statute and this is in the format of the accredited Energy Company. In addition, the Surveyor has agreed to supply a generic Mortgage Valuation Report.

#### 2.2 THE INSPECTION

The Inspection is a general surface examination of those parts of the Property which are accessible: in other words, visible and readily available for examination from ground and floor levels, without risk of causing damage to the Property or injury to the Surveyor.

All references to visual inspection refer to an inspection from within the property at floor level and from ground level within the site and adjoining public areas, without the need to move any obstructions. Any references to left or right are taken facing the front of the property.

The Inspection is carried out with the Seller's permission, without causing damage to the building or contents. Furniture, stored items and insulation are not moved.

Unless identified in the report the Surveyor will assume that no harmful or hazardous materials have been used in the construction. The presence or possible consequences of any site contamination will not be researched.

The Surveyor will not carry out an asbestos inspection, and will not be acting as an asbestos inspector in completing a Single Survey of properties that may fall within the Control of Asbestos in the Workplace Regulations. In the case of flats it will be assumed that there is a duty holder, as defined in the Regulations and that a Register of Asbestos and effective Management Plan is in place, which does not require any expenditure, or pose a significant risk to health. No enquiry of the duty holder will be made.

#### 2.3 THE REPORT

The Report will be prepared by the Surveyor who carried out the property inspection and will describe various aspects of the property as defined by the headings of the Single Survey report with the comments being general and unbiased. The report on the location, style and condition of the property, will be concise and will be restricted to matters that could have a material effect upon value and will omit items that, in the Surveyor's opinion, are not significant. If certain minor matters are mentioned, it should not be interpreted that the property is free of any other minor defects.

Throughout the Report, the following repair categories will be used to give an overall opinion of the state of repair and condition of the property.

- 1 Category 3: Urgent repairs or replacement are needed now. Failure to deal with them may cause problems to other parts of the property or cause a safety hazard. Estimates for repairs or replacement are needed now.
- 2 Category 2: Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.
- 3 Category 1: No immediate action or repair is needed.

**WARNING:** If left unattended, even for a relatively short period, Category 2 repairs can rapidly develop into more serious Category 3 repairs. The existence of Category 2 or Category 3 repairs may have an adverse effect on marketability, value and the sale price ultimately achieved for the property. This is particularly true during slow market conditions when the effect can be considerable.

Parts of the property, which cannot be seen or accessed, will not be reported upon and this will be stated. If the Surveyor suspects that a defect may exist within an unexposed area and which could have a material effect upon the value, he may recommend further investigation by specialist contractors.

#### 2.4 SERVICES

Surveyors are not equipped or qualified to test the services and therefore no comment can be interpreted as implying that the design, installation and function of the services are in accordance/compliance with regulations, safety and efficiency expectations. However, comment is made where there is cause to suspect significant defects or shortcomings with the installations. No tests are made of any services or appliances.

#### 2.5 ACCESSIBILITY

A section is included to help identify the basic information interested parties need to know to decide whether to view a property.

#### 2.6 ENERGY REPORT

A section is included that makes provision for an Energy Report, relative to the property. The Surveyor will collect physical data from the property and provide such data in a format required by an accredited Energy Company. The Surveyor cannot of course accept liability for any advice given by the Energy Company.

#### 2.7 VALUATION AND CONVEYANCER ISSUES

The last section of the Report contains matters considered relevant to the Conveyancer (Solicitor). It also contains the Surveyor's opinion both of the market value of the property and of the re-instatement cost, as defined below.

"Market Value" The estimated amount for which a property should exchange on the date of valuation between a willing buyer and a willing seller in an arm's-length transaction after proper marketing wherein

the parties had each acted knowledgeably, prudently and without compulsion. In arriving at the opinion of the Market Value the Surveyor also makes various standard assumptions covering, for example, vacant possession; tenure and other legal considerations; contamination and hazardous materials; the condition of un-inspected parts; the right to use mains services; and the exclusion of curtains, carpets etc. from the valuation. In the case of flats, the following further assumptions are made that:

- There are rights of access and exit over all communal roadways, corridors, stairways etc. and to use communal grounds, parking areas, and other facilities;
- There are no particularly troublesome or unusual legal restrictions;
- There is no current dispute between the occupiers of the flats or any outstanding claims or losses; and the costs of repairs to the building are shared among the co-proprietors on an equitable basis.

Any additional assumption, or any found not to apply, is reported.

"Re-instatement cost" is an estimate for insurance purposes of the current cost of rebuilding the Property in its present form unless otherwise stated. This includes the cost of rebuilding the garage and permanent outbuildings, site clearance and professional fees, but excludes VAT (except on the fees).

Sellers or prospective Purchasers may consider it prudent to instruct a reinspection and revaluation after a period of 12 weeks (or sooner if appropriate) to reflect changing circumstances in the market and/or in the physical condition of the Property.

#### 1. Information and scope of inspection

This section tells you about the type, accommodation, neighbourhood, age and construction of the property. It also tells you about the extent of the inspection and highlights anything that the surveyor could not inspect.

All references to visual inspection refer to an inspection from within the property without moving any obstructions and externally from ground level within the site and adjoining public areas. Any references to left or right in a description of the exterior of the property refer to the view of someone standing facing that part of the property from the outside.

The inspection is carried out without causing damage to the building or its contents and without endangering the occupiers or the surveyor. Heavy furniture, stored items and insulation are not moved. Unless identified in the report the surveyor will assume that no harmful or hazardous materials or techniques have been used in the construction. The presence or possible consequences of any site contamination will not be researched.

Services such as TV/cable connection, internet connection, swimming pools and other leisure facilities etc. will not be inspected or reported on.

Description	The subjects comprise a two storey mid-terraced house with private areas of garden provided to the front and rear.
Accommodation	Ground floor:- Entrance vestibule, hallway, living room, and dining room with kitchen off.
	First floor:- Landing, three bedrooms and bathroom.
Gross internal floor area (m²)	Circa 96 sq. metres.
Neighbourhood and location	The property is located in a well-established residential area of the Restalrig district of Edinburgh. Local amenities and facilities are within easy reach.
	There is a railway line located to the rear of the property.
Age	The property was built circa 1930s and therefore is approximately 90 years old.
Weather	There were light rain showers during the course of the inspection.
Chimney stacks	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.
	Our inspection of the chimney stacks was from ground floor level only, therefore not all areas were fully visible.
	The chimney stacks appear to be of masonry construction, rendered externally and having clay pots.

#### Roofing including roof space Sloping roofs were visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate. Flat roofs were visually inspected from vantage points within the property and where safe and reasonable to do so from a 3m ladder externally. Roof spaces were visually inspected and were entered where there was safe and reasonable access, normally defined as being from a 3m ladder within the property. If this is not possible, then physical access to the roof space may be taken by other means if the Surveyor deems it safe and reasonable to do so. Our inspection of the roof was from ground floor level only, therefore not all areas were fully visible. The roof is of a mansard style. The flat section appears to be covered in felt and the pitched sections to the front and rear are covered in tiles. The dormers to the front elevation have a flat roof covered in felt. There is an attic hatch on the landing ceiling. A restricted inspection of the roof void was undertaken. This particular area of the roof void is not insulated. Rainwater fittings Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate. Visually inspected from ground level, these appear to be a mixture of cast-iron and PVC. Main walls Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate. Foundations and concealed parts were not exposed or inspected. The main walls appear to be of traditional cavity brick construction, roughcast externally with a masonry paint finish. Windows, external doors and joinery Internal and external doors were opened and closed where keys were available. Random windows were opened and closed where possible. Doors and windows were not forced open. The front entrance door is of PVC construction with a PVC doubleglazed window above. The patio doors to the rear of the dining room are of PVC double-glazed units.

The windows are of some age and are of PVC double-glazed units.

External decorations	Visually inspected.
	Decorated areas have a paint finish.
Conservatories / porches	Not applicable.
Communal areas	Not applicable
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Garages and permanent outbuildings	Not applicable.
Outside areas and boundaries	Visually inspected.
	Private areas of garden ground are provided to the front and rear.
	Boundaries are formed by masonry walls, timber fencing, metal
	railings and a metal gate.
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Ceilings	Visually inspected from floor level.
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	lath/plaster with the ceiling in the bathroom and the kitchen having a timber clad finish.
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Chimney breasts and fireplaces	Visually inspected.
	No testing of the flues or fittings was carried out.
	There is a fireplace in the living room and in the dining room, and both fireplaces have gas living flame fires. The gas fires were not tested at the time of our inspection.
Internal decorations	Visually inspected.
	Decorated areas include walls/ceilings.
Cellars	Not applicable.
Electricity	Accessible parts of the wiring were visually inspected without removing fittings. No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances. Visual inspection does not assess any services to make sure they work properly and efficiently and meet modern standards. If any services are turned off, the surveyor will state that in the report and will not turn them on.
	There is a mains electricity supply. The circuit breaker unit and meter are located in the entrance vestibule.
Gas	Accessible parts of the system were visually inspected without removing fittings. No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances. Visual inspection does not assess any services to make sure they work properly and efficiently and meet modern standards. If any services are turned off, the surveyor will state that in the report and will not turn them on.
	There is a mains gas supply, the meter is located externally.
Water, plumbing, bathroom fittings	Visual inspection of the accessible pipework, water tanks, cylinders and fittings without removing any insulation.
	No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances.
	There is a mains cold water supply with pipework, where seen, being mainly of copper/plastic.
	The bathroom has a white three piece suite. There is a shower above the bath which has not been tested.
Heating and hot water	Accessible parts of the system were visually inspected apart from communal systems, which were not inspected.
	No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances.
	Central heating is provided by a Glow-Worm Micron 50FF boiler which is wall-mounted in the kitchen.
	The boiler serves radiators throughout the property and also appears to provide domestic hot water in conjunction with a hot

Heating and hot water	water tank which is concealed in a cupboard in the living room.  The heating was on at the time of our inspection and was in working order.
Drainage	Drainage covers etc were not lifted.
	Neither drains nor drainage systems were tested.
	Drainage is understood to be to the public sewer.

#### Fire, smoke and burglar alarms

#### Visually inspected.

No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances.

We will not pass any comment with regards to a burglar alarm for security reasons.

There are smoke alarms within the property.

There is now a requirement in place for compliant interlinked fire, smoke and heat detectors in residential properties. The new fire smoke and alarm standard came into force in Scotland in February 2022, requiring a smoke alarm to be installed in the room most frequently used for living purposes and in every circulation space on each floor. A heat alarm also requires to be installed in each kitchen. The alarms need to be ceiling mounted and interlinked. Where there is a carbon fuelled appliance such as a boiler, open fire or wood burner etc. a carbon monoxide detector is also required.

The surveyor will only comment on the presence of a smoke detector etc. but will not test them, ascertain if they are in working order, interlinked and / or fully compliant with the fire and smoke alarm standard that was introduced in 2022.

#### Any additional limits to inspection

#### For flats / maisonettes

Only the subject flat and internal communal areas giving access to the flat were inspected.

If the roof space or under-building / basement is communal, reasonable and safe access is not always possible. If no inspection was possible, this will be stated. If no inspection was possible, the surveyor will assume that there are no defects that will have a material effect on the valuation.

The building containing the flat, including any external communal areas, was visually inspected only to the extent that the surveyor is able to give an opinion on the general condition and standard of maintenance.

It was not possible to inspect floor surfaces due to fitted floor coverings/heavy furniture.

No inspection of any sub-floor area has been undertaken.

Our inspection of the roof void above the landing was restricted due to head height.

Our inspection of the roof was from ground floor level only and

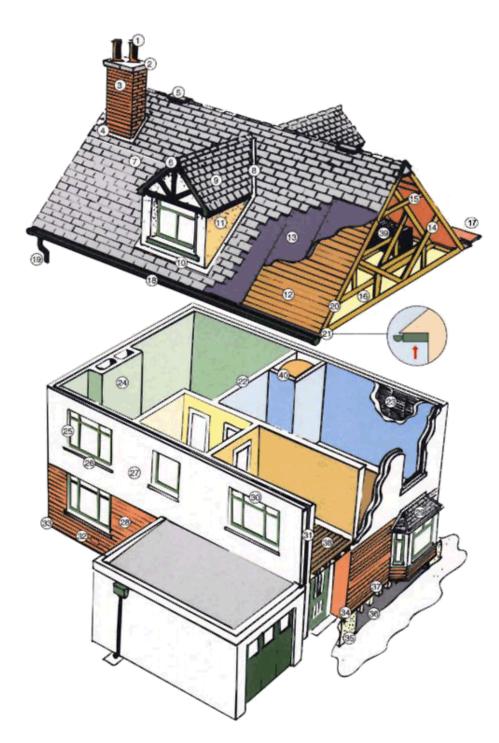
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therefore the roof coverings, chimney stacks and flat roof sections were not fully visible.

An inspection for Japanese Knotweed was not carried out. This is a plant which is subject to controlled regulation, is considered to be invasive and one which can render a property unsuitable for some mortgage lenders. It is therefore assumed that there is no Japanese Knotweed within the boundaries of the property or its neighbouring property. Identification of Japanese Knotweed is best undertaken by a specialist contractor. If it exists, removal must be undertaken in a controlled manner by a specialist contractor. This can prove to be expensive.

Some materials used in the building and maintenance industry until 1999 contain asbestos. Asbestos fibres released into the air, and which are breathed in, are dangerous to health. Decorative finishes in common use in the period from about 1950 to about 1985 included artex, used as a coating on ceilings and sometimes walls. Older artex can contain asbestos and if sanding or removal of this material is intended, then appropriate precautions should be taken, if necessary, with advice from the Environmental Health Department of the Local Authority.

#### Sectional Diagram showing elements of a typical house



Reference may be made in this report to some or all of the above component parts of the property. This diagram may assist you in locating and understanding these items.

- 1) Chimney pots
- 2) Coping stone
- 3 Chimney head
- 4 Flashing
- 5 Ridge ventilation
- 6 Ridge board
- 7) Slates / tiles
- 8 Valley guttering
- 9 Dormer projection
- 10 Dormer flashing
- 11) Dormer cheeks
- 12) Sarking
- 13) Roof felt
- (14) Trusses
- 15) Collar
- 16 Insulation
- 17) Parapet gutter
- (18) Eaves guttering
- 19) Rainwater downpipe
- 20) Verge boards/skews
- 21) Soffit boards
- 22) Partition wall
- 23) Lath / plaster
- 24) Chimney breast
- (25) Window pointing
  - 6) Window sills
- 27) Rendering
- (28) Brickwork / pointing
- 29) Bay window projection
- (30) Lintels
- 31) Cavity walls / wall ties
- 32) Subfloor ventilator
- 33) Damp proof course
- 34) Base course
- 35) Foundations
- (36) Solum
- 37) Floor joists
- 38) Floorboards
- 39) Water tank
- 40 Hot water tank

#### 2. Condition

This section identifies problems and tells you about the urgency of any repairs by using one of the following three categories:

Category 3	Category 2	Category 1
Urgent repairs or replacement are needed now. Failure to deal with them may cause problems to other parts of the property or cause a safety hazard. Estimates for repairs or replacement are needed now.	Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.	No immediate action or repair is needed.

Structural movement	
Repair category	1
Notes	Movement has affected the building at some point in the past, but the movement does not appear to be recent or progressive.

Dampness, rot and infestation	
Repair category	2
Notes	Moisture readings were obtained to a section of lower wall in the living room. The situation should be monitored and if there is any deterioration then specialist advice should be obtained.

Chimney stacks	
Repair category	1
Notes	Areas visible from a ground level inspection appeared to be in a condition consistent with age and type of construction. Due to the age of the property, ongoing maintenance/repair work should be anticipated.

Roofing including roof space	
Repair category	2
Notes	Some slates are uneven/chipped, missing and displaced in areas.
	Flat felt roof coverings have not been inspected, but flat felt roof coverings tend to have a limited lifespan and can fail without warning. The flat roofs over the dormers have not been inspected.
	The cement flashings to the skew are loose and in need of some repair works.
	With any property of this age and type, regular expenditure on roof repair/maintenance works as a whole, including chimneys and rainwater gutters, should be anticipated.
	Roofs are prone to water penetration during adverse weather but it is not always

Roofing including roof space	
Repair category	2
Notes	possible for surveyors to identify this likelihood in good or dry weather. All roofs should be inspected and repaired by reputable tradesmen on an annual basis and especially after storms.

Rainwater fittings	
Repair category	2
Notes	Leakage was noted to the rainwater gutters to the rear elevation. Sections of rainwater gutters are showing evidence of corrosion and debris was also noted. Repair/maintenance works should, therefore, be anticipated.

Main walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	The external walls are in a condition consistent with age and type of construction, however, hairline cracks were noted to roughcast which would benefit from pointing works.
	Some weathering was noted to the masonry paint finish.

Windows, external doors and joinery	
Repair category	2
Notes	A window in the living room and a window in the bathroom are affected by condensation due to defective seals. The windows are of some age, therefore maintenance/repair and upgrading works should be anticipated.
	It should be appreciated that double glazed sealed units do have a limited life expectancy and defective seals can lead to condensation between the panes, necessitating in replacement of the units. This can sometimes only be obvious during adverse weather conditions.

External decorations	
Repair category	1
Notes	Routine maintenance/repair works should be anticipated.

Conservatories/porches	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Communal areas	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Garages and permanent outbuildings	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Outside areas and boundaries	
Repair category	-
Notes	the timber/felt shed and the glasshouse are showing evidence of age-related wear and tear.
	Routine maintenance works should be anticipated with regards to the masonry retaining and boundary walls. Corrosion was noted to the metal railings and gate.

Ceilings	
Repair category	2
Notes	The ceiling in the kitchen is bulging due to a previous leak. Hairline cracks were noted to plasterwork and cornices. A degree of cosmetic repair works will be required prior to redecoration.
	The timber cladding in the bathroom and kitchen should be painted with a fire retardant paint.
	Staining was noted to a ceiing in one of the bedrooms, but when tested with a moisture meter the area was dry.

Internal walls	
Repair category	2
Notes	As stated in the 'dampness, rot and infestation' section of the report, moisture

Internal walls	
Repair category	2
Notes	readings were obtained to a section of lower wall in the living room.  Hairline cracks were noted to plasterwork and fixing holes were noted to the stair wall.  The walls in the kitchen have a timber clad finish which should be painted with a fire retardant paint.

Floors including sub-floors	
Repair category	1
Notes	Sections of flooring are creaky/uneven underfoot.  We are unable to comment on the condition of any sub-floor area as no inspection has been undertaken.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	
Repair category	2
Notes	The glass pane to the timber single-glazed door between the hallway and vestibule may not comply with safety glass regulations. Upgrading works should be anticipated.
	The kitchen fittings are of an older style, but are in serviceable condition. Wear and tear was noted.

Chimney breasts and fireplaces	
Repair category	1
Notes	No significant defects were noted with regards to the fireplace in the living room and dining room. We understand from the vendor that a gas engineer serviced both gas fires on 7th October 2025 and they are in working order.

Internal decorations	
Repair category	1
Notes	The internal decoration is to an acceptable standard, but redecoration to taste will be required.

Cellars	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Electricity	
Repair category	2
Notes	The electrical installation within the property is likely to be of a mixed age and therefore maintenance/upgrading works should be anticipated. A socket was noted to the skirting in the hallway.
	The trade bodies governing electrical installations currently advise that these should be tested prior to a change of occupancy and, thereafter, at least once every five years, by a competent Electrician.
	The electrical wiring system should therefore be checked, tested and upgraded if necessary by an NIC/EIC Registered electrician. Any recommendations made with regard to the safety of the installation should be undertaken.

Gas	
Repair category	1
Notes	The trade bodies governing gas installations currently advise that these should be tested prior to a change of occupancy and, thereafter, at least once per year, by a Gas Safe Registered Contractor.
	The gas system should therefore be checked and tested by a Gas Safe registered contractor.

Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings	
Repair category	2
Notes	The grout between the wall tiles around the bathtub are partially missing and would benefit from repair works.
	The seal around the bathtub should be regularly checked/maintained. The flooring below the bathtub has not been inspected and therefore it has been assumed it is free from any defects.
	The shower above the bath has not been tested, therefore we are unable to comment on its condition.
	Due to the age of the property, there may be lead piping behind the scenes.  Oxidation was noted to exposed pipework.

Heating and hot water	
Repair category	2
Notes	We understand from the vendor that the boiler was serviced on 7th October 2025 and the boiler was also in working order at the time of our inspection. The boiler is of some age, therefore maintenance/repair and upgrading works should be anticipated.
	We are unable to comment on the condition of the hot water tank as no inspection has been undertaken.
	It has been assumed that the heating installation has been regularly serviced and that recent service history records will be made available. This should be checked by the conveyancer.

Drainage	
Repair category	1
Notes	At the time of our inspection, we did not lift any drainage inspection covers or carry out any drainage tests and we cannot therefore comment with any authority on the condition of the drainage system. We would add that there was no evidence on the surface to suggest any major problems in this connection, but if you wish further investigations undertaken, then a competent plumber should be instructed.

Set out below is a summary of the condition of the property which is provided for reference only. You should refer to the previous comments for detailed information.

Structural movement	1
Dampness, rot and infestation	2
Chimney stacks	1
Roofing including roof space	2
Rainwater fittings	2
Main walls	1
Windows, external doors and joinery	2
External decorations	1
Conservatories/porches	-
Communal areas	-
Garages and permanent outbuildings	-
Outside areas and boundaries	-
Ceilings	2
Internal walls	2
Floors including sub-floors	1
Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	2
Chimney breasts and fireplaces	1
Internal decorations	1
Cellars	-
Electricity	2
Gas	1
Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings	2
Heating and hot water	2
Drainage	1

#### Category 3

Urgent repairs or replacement are needed now. Failure to deal with them may cause problems to other parts of the property or cause a safety hazard. Estimates for repairs or replacement are needed now.

#### Category 2

Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.

#### Category 1

No immediate action or repair is needed.

#### Remember

The cost of repairs may influence the amount someone is prepared to pay for the property. We recommend that relevant estimates and reports are obtained in your own name.

#### Warning

If left unattended, even for a relatively short period, Category 2 repairs can rapidly develop into more serious Category 3 repairs. The existence of Category 2 or Category 3 repairs may have an adverse effect on marketability, value and the sale price ultimately achieved for the property. This is particularly true during slow market conditions where the effect can be considerable.

#### 3. Accessibility information

#### Guidance notes on accessibility information

Three steps or fewer to a main entrance door of the property:

In flatted developments the 'main entrance' would be the flat's own entrance door, not the external door to the communal stair. The 'three steps or fewer' are counted from external ground level to the flat's entrance door. Where a lift is present, the count is based on the number of steps climbed when using the lift.

Unrestricted parking within 25 metres:

For this purpose, 'Unrestricted parking' includes parking available by means of a parking permit. Restricted parking includes parking that is subject to parking restrictions, as indicated by the presence of solid yellow, red or white lines at the edge of the road or by a parking control sign, parking meters or other coin-operated machines.

1. Which floor(s) is the living accommodation on?	Ground and first
2. Are there three steps or fewer to a main entrance door of the property?	Yes No X
3. Is there a lift to the main entrance door of the property?	Yes No X
4. Are all door openings greater than 750mm?	Yes No X
5. Is there a toilet on the same level as the living room and kitchen?	Yes No X
6. Is there a toilet on the same level as a bedroom?	Yes No X
7. Are all rooms on the same level with no internal steps or stairs?	Yes No X
8. Is there unrestricted parking within 25 metres of an entrance door to the building?	Yes X No

#### 4. Valuation and conveyancer issues

This section highlights information that should be checked with a solicitor or licensed conveyancer. It also gives an opinion of market value and an estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes.

#### Matters for a solicitor or licensed conveyancer

All boundaries, rights of way and maintenance liability with regards to this property should be checked.

The property has been extended to the rear at ground floor level and we understand from the applicant that all necessary local authority consents and certification have been obtained for this alteration.

#### Estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes

The estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes is £300,000 (Three Hundred Thousand Pounds Sterling).

This figure is an opinion of an appropriate sum for which the property and substantial outbuildings should be insured against total destruction, on a reinstatement basis, assuming reconstruction of the property in its existing design and materials. Finishings and fittings have not been included. No allowance has been included for inflation during the insurance period or during reconstruction and no allowance has been made for VAT, other than on professional fees. Further discussions with your insurers are advised. The figure should be reviewed annually and in light of any future alterations or additions.

#### Valuation and market comments

The market value of the property described in the report is £350,000 (Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand Pounds Sterling).

This figure assumes vacant possession and that the property is unaffected by any adverse planning proposals, onerous burdens, title restrictions or servitude rights.

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Address	22 Walker Street, Edinburgh, EH3 7HR
Date of report	22nd October 2025



Property Address		
Address Seller's Name Date of Inspection	79 Restalrig Avenue, Restalrig, EDINBURGH, EH7 6PN The Estate of the Late Maurice Stocks 21st October 2025	
Property Details		
Property Type	X House       Bungalow       Chalet       Purpose built maisonette         Coach       Studio       Converted maisonette       Purpose built flat         Converted flat       Tenement flat       Flat over non-residential use       Other (specify in General Remarks)	
Property Style	□ Detached       □ Semi detached       □ Mid terrace       □ End terrace         □ Back to back       □ High rise block       □ Low rise block       □ Other (specify in General Remarks)	
Does the surveyor be e.g. local authority, m	elieve that the property was built for the public sector, Yes X No nilitary, police?	
Flats/Maisonettes onl		
Approximate Year of	No. of units in block Construction 1930	
Tenure		
X Absolute Ownership	Leasehold Ground rent £ Unexpired years	
Accommodation		
Number of Rooms	2     Living room(s)     3     Bedroom(s)     1     Kitchen(s)       1     Bathroom(s)     0     WC(s)     0     Other (Specify in General remarks)	
	cluding garages and outbuildings) 96 m² (Internal) 106 m² (External)	
Residential Element (	(greater than 40%) X Yes No	
Garage / Parking /	Outbuildings	
Single garage Available on site?	□ Double garage       □ Parking space       X No garage / garage space / parking space         □ Yes       □ No	
Permanent outbuildings:		
None.		

Construction								
Walls	X Brick	Stone	Cond	crete 7	imber frame			
	Solid	Cavity	Stee	I frame	Concrete block	Othe	r (specify in Ger	neral Remarks)
Roof	Tile	Slate	Asph	ıalt 🔲 F	elt			
	Lead	Zinc	Artific	cial slate F	lat glass fibre	X Othe	r (specify in Ger	neral Remarks)
Special Risks								
Has the property s	suffered struct	ural moveme	ent?				X Yes	No
If Yes, is this rece	nt or progress	ive?					Yes	X No
Is there evidence, immediate vicinity	history, or rea?	ason to antic	ipate subsid	ence, heav	e, landslip o	or flood in the	e Yes	X No
If Yes to any of the	e above, prov	ide details in	General Re	marks.				
Service Connec	tion							
		If any and						n d la sation
Based on visual in of the supply in Ge			ces appear t	o be non-m	nains, pieas	e comment o	on the type a	nd location
Drainage	X Mains	Private	None		Water	X Mains	Private	None
Electricity	X Mains	Private	None		Gas	X Mains	Private	None
Central Heating	X Yes	Partial	None					
Brief description o	f Central Hea	ting:						
Gas fired central	heating syste	em.						
Site								
Apparent legal iss	ues to be veri	fied by the c	onveyancer.	Please pro	vide a brief	description	in General R	emarks.
Rights of way	Shared driv	es / access	Garage or	other amenition	es on separate	site Sha	red service con	nections
Agricultural land in	cluded with prope	erty	Ill-defined	boundaries		Othe	er (specify in Ge	neral Remarks)
Location								
Residential suburb	X Res	idential within to	own / city	Mixed reside	ential / comme	rcial Mai	nly commercial	
Commuter village	Rer	note village		solated rura	l property	Othe	er (specify in Ge	neral Remarks)
Planning Issues	<b>;</b>							
Has the property b	peen extended	d / converted	/ altered?	X Yes	] No			
If Yes provide deta								
Roads								
X Made up road	Unmade road	d Partly	completed nev	v road	Pedestrian a	ccess only	Adopted	Unadopted

#### **General Remarks**

The property is located in a well-established residential area of the Restalrig district of Edinburgh. Local amenities and facilities are within easy reach.

The roof is of a mansard style, pitched to the front and rear and incorporating a flat section which is covered in felt.

Externally, with any property of this age and type, regular expenditure on roof repair/maintenance works as a whole, including chimneys and rainwater gutters, should be anticipated. Flat felt roof coverings tend to have a limited lifespan and can fail without warning. Sections of tiles are uneven/displaced and missing in areas. The cement flashing to the skew is loose and in need of repair works. Sections of rainwater gutters are showing evidence of corrosion and leakage was note to the rear elevation.

Internally, the property has been kept in a condition consistent with age and type of construction, but some maintenance/repair and upgrading works are required, and these items have been reflected within our valuation figure provided. Some moisture readings were obtained to a section of the lower wall in the living room. The situation should be monitored and if there is any deterioration then specialist advice should be obtained.

All boundaries, rights of way and maintenance liability with regards to this property should be checked.

The property has been altered in the past as the dining room has been extended to the rear. We understand from the vendor that all necessary Local Authority consents and certification have been obtained for this alteration.

There is a railway line located to the rear of the property.

Essential Repairs			
None			
Estimated cost of essential repairs £	Retention recommended? Yes	☐ No	Amount £

Comment on Mortgageability				
	suitable security for lending purposes although as lenders' requirements of mortgage provider that the property meets their lending criteria.	liffer you		
Valuations				
Market value in present condition  Market value on completion of essential repairs  Insurance reinstatement value (to include the cost of total rebuilding, site clearance, professional fees, ancillary charges plus VAT)  Is a reinspection necessary?  Buy To Let Cases				
What is the reasonable rangementh Short Assured Tenal	ge of monthly rental income for the property assuming a letting on a 6 ncv basis?	£		
	here there is a steady demand for rented accommodation of this type?	Yes No		
Declaration				
Signed Surveyor's name Professional qualifications Company name Address Telephone Fax	Security Print Code [391498 = 5153] Electronically signed by:- Aisha Akram MRICS Allied Surveyors Scotland Ltd 22 Walker Street, Edinburgh, EH3 7HR 0131 226 6518			
Report date 22nd October 2025				

## **Energy Performance Certificate (EPC)**

Dwellings

## **Scotland**

#### 79 RESTALRIG AVENUE, RESTALRIG, EDINBURGH, EH7 6PN

Dwelling type:End-terrace houseDate of assessment:21 October 2025Date of certificate:22 October 2025

**Total floor area:** 96 m<sup>2</sup>

Primary Energy Indicator: 262 kWh/m²/year

Reference number: 2196-1915-1200-8035-1200
Type of assessment: RdSAP, existing dwelling

Approved Organisation: Elmhurst

**Main heating and fuel:** Boiler and radiators, mains

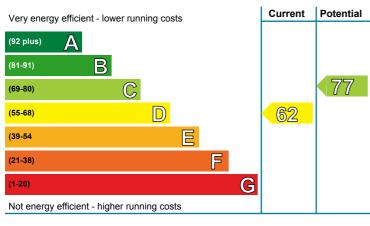
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#### You can use this document to:

- Compare current ratings of properties to see which are more energy efficient and environmentally friendly
- Find out how to save energy and money and also reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by improving your home

Estimated energy costs for your home for 3 years*	£5,286	See your recommendations
Over 3 years you could save*	£1,539	report for more information

<sup>\*</sup> based upon the cost of energy for heating, hot water, lighting and ventilation, calculated using standard assumptions

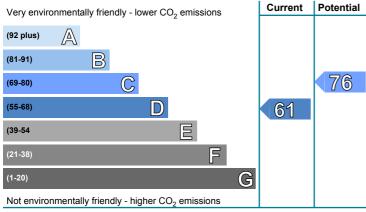


#### **Energy Efficiency Rating**

This graph shows the current efficiency of your home, taking into account both energy efficiency and fuel costs. The higher this rating, the lower your fuel bills are likely to be.

Your current rating is **band D (62)**. The average rating for EPCs in Scotland is **band D (61)**.

The potential rating shows the effect of undertaking all of the improvement measures listed within your recommendations report.



#### **Environmental Impact (CO<sub>2</sub>) Rating**

This graph shows the effect of your home on the environment in terms of carbon dioxide ( $CO_2$ ) emissions. The higher the rating, the less impact it has on the environment.

Your current rating is band D (61)

The potential rating shows the effect of undertaking all of the improvement measures listed within your recommendations report.

#### Top actions you can take to save money and make your home more efficient

Recommended measures	Indicative cost	Typical savings over 3 years
1 Cavity wall insulation	£900 - £1,500	£267.00
2 Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£5,000 - £10,000	£252.00
3 Condensing boiler	£2,200 - £3,500	£1020.00

A full list of recommended improvement measures for your home, together with more information on potential cost and savings and advice to help you carry out improvements can be found in your recommendations report.

To find out more about the recommended measures and other actions you could take today to stop wasting energy and money, visit greenerscotland.org or contact Home Energy Scotland on 0808 808 2282.

THIS PAGE IS THE ENERGY PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATE WHICH MUST BE AFFIXED TO THE DWELLING AND NOT BE REMOVED UNLESS IT IS REPLACED WITH AN UPDATED CERTIFICATE

#### Summary of the energy performance related features of this home

This table sets out the results of the survey which lists the current energy-related features of this home. Each element is assessed by the national calculation methodology; 1 star = very poor (least efficient), 2 stars = poor, 3 stars = average, 4 stars = good and 5 stars = very good (most efficient). The assessment does not take into consideration the condition of an element and how well it is working. 'Assumed' means that the insulation could not be inspected and an assumption has been made in the methodology, based on age and type of construction.

Element	Description	Energy Efficiency	Environmental
Walls	Cavity wall, as built, no insulation (assumed) Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)	***** ****	**** ***
Roof	Roof room(s), limited insulation (assumed)	***	***
Floor	Suspended, no insulation (assumed)	_	<u>—</u>
Windows	Fully double glazed	***	***
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, mains gas	<b>★★★★</b> ☆	<b>★★★★</b> ☆
Main heating controls	Programmer and room thermostat	***	***
Secondary heating	Room heaters, mains gas	_	<del></del>
Hot water	From main system, no cylinder thermostat	***	***
Lighting	Excellent lighting efficiency	****	****

#### The energy efficiency rating of your home

Your Energy Efficiency Rating is calculated using the standard UK methodology, RdSAP. This calculates energy used for heating, hot water, lighting and ventilation and then applies fuel costs to that energy use to give an overall rating for your home. The rating is given on a scale of 1 to 100. Other than the cost of fuel for electrical appliances and for cooking, a building with a rating of 100 would cost almost nothing to run.

As we all use our homes in different ways, the energy rating is calculated using standard occupancy assumptions which may be different from the way you use it. The rating also uses national weather information to allow comparison between buildings in different parts of Scotland. However, to make information more relevant to your home, local weather data is used to calculate your energy use,  $CO_2$  emissions, running costs and the savings possible from making improvements.

#### The impact of your home on the environment

One of the biggest contributors to global warming is carbon dioxide. The energy we use for heating, lighting and power in our homes produces over a quarter of the UK's carbon dioxide emissions. Different fuels produce different amounts of carbon dioxide for every kilowatt hour (kWh) of energy used. The Environmental Impact Rating of your home is calculated by applying these 'carbon factors' for the fuels you use to your overall energy use.

The calculated emissions for your home are 47 kg CO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>/yr.

The average Scottish household produces about 6 tonnes of carbon dioxide every year. Based on this assessment, heating and lighting this home currently produces approximately 4.5 tonnes of carbon dioxide every year. Adopting recommendations in this report can reduce emissions and protect the environment. If you were to install all of these recommendations this could reduce emissions by 1.7 tonnes per year. You could reduce emissions even more by switching to renewable energy sources.

#### Estimated energy costs for this home

	Current energy costs	Potential energy costs	Potential future savings
Heating	£3,276 over 3 years	£2,556 over 3 years	
Hot water	£1,821 over 3 years	£1,002 over 3 years	You could
Lighting	£189 over 3 years	£189 over 3 years	save £1,539
Total	s £5,286	£3,747	over 3 years

These figures show how much the average household would spend in this property for heating, lighting and hot water. This excludes energy use for running appliances such as TVs, computers and cookers, and the benefits of any electricity generated by this home (for example, from photovoltaic panels). The potential savings in energy costs show the effect of undertaking all of the recommended measures listed below.

#### Recommendations for improvement

The measures below will improve the energy and environmental performance of this dwelling. The performance ratings after improvements listed below are cumulative; that is, they assume the improvements have been installed in the order that they appear in the table. Further information about the recommended measures and other simple actions to take today to save money is available from the Home Energy Scotland hotline which can be contacted on 0808 808 2282. Before carrying out work, make sure that the appropriate permissions are obtained, where necessary. This may include permission from a landlord (if you are a tenant) or the need to get a Building Warrant for certain types of work.

December de discourse		Indicative cost	Typical saving	Rating after improvement		
Re	commended measures	indicative cost	per year	Energy	Environment	
1	Cavity wall insulation	£900 - £1,500	£89	D 64	D 64	
2	Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£5,000 - £10,000	£84	D 65	D 65	
3	Replace boiler with new condensing boiler	£2,200 - £3,500	£340	C 73	C 75	
4	Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp	£8,000 - £10,000	£231	C 77	C 76	

#### **Alternative measures**

There are alternative improvement measures which you could also consider for your home. It would be advisable to seek further advice and illustration of the benefits and costs of such measures.

- External insulation with cavity wall insulation
- Biomass boiler (Exempted Appliance if in Smoke Control Area)
- Micro CHP

#### Choosing the right improvement package

For free and impartial advice on choosing suitable measures for your property, contact the Home Energy Scotland hotline on 0808 808 2282 or go to www.greenerscotland.org.



#### About the recommended measures to improve your home's performance rating

This section offers additional information and advice on the recommended improvement measures for your home

#### 1 Cavity wall insulation

Cavity wall insulation, to fill the gap between the inner and outer layers of external walls with an insulating material, reduces heat loss; this will improve levels of comfort, reduce energy use and lower fuel bills. The insulation material is pumped into the gap through small holes that are drilled into the outer walls, and the holes are made good afterwards. As specialist machinery is used to fill the cavity, a professional installation company should carry out this work, and they should carry out a thorough survey before commencing work to ensure that this type of insulation is suitable for this home and its exposure. They should also provide a guarantee for the work and handle any building standards issues. Further information about cavity wall insulation and details of local installers can be obtained from the National Insulation Association (www.nationalinsulationassociation.org.uk).

#### 2 Floor insulation (suspended floor)

Insulation of a floor will significantly reduce heat loss; this will improve levels of comfort, reduce energy use and lower fuel bills. Suspended floors can often be insulated from below but must have adequate ventilation to prevent dampness; seek advice about this if unsure. Further information about floor insulation is available from many sources including www.energysavingtrust.org.uk/scotland/Insulation/Floor-insulation. Building regulations generally apply to this work so it is best to check with your local authority building standards department.

#### 3 Condensing boiler

A condensing boiler is capable of much higher efficiencies than other types of boiler, meaning it will burn less fuel to heat this property. This improvement is most appropriate when the existing central heating boiler needs repair or replacement, however there may be exceptional circumstances making this impractical. Condensing boilers need a drain for the condensate which limits their location; remember this when considering remodelling the room containing the existing boiler even if the latter is to be retained for the time being (for example a kitchen makeover). Building regulations generally apply to this work and a building warrant may be required, so it is best to check with your local authority building standards department and seek advice from a qualified heating engineer.

#### 4 Solar photovoltaic (PV) panels

A solar PV system is one which converts light directly into electricity via panels placed on the roof with no waste and no emissions. This electricity is used throughout the home in the same way as the electricity purchased from an energy supplier. Planning permission might be required, building regulations generally apply to this work and a building warrant may be required, so it is best to check with your local authority. The assessment does not include the effect of any Feed-in Tariff which could appreciably increase the savings that are shown on this EPC for solar photovoltaic panels, provided that both the product and the installer are certified by the Microgeneration Certification Scheme (or equivalent). Details of local MCS installers are available at www.microgenerationcertification.org.

#### Low and zero carbon energy sources

Low and zero carbon (LZC) energy sources are sources of energy that release either very little or no carbon dioxide into the atmosphere when they are used. Installing these sources may help reduce energy bills as well as cutting carbon.

LZC energy sources present: There are none provided for this home

#### Your home's heat demand

In this section, you can see how much energy you might need to heat your home and provide hot water. These are estimates showing how an average household uses energy. These estimates may not reflect your actual energy use, which could be higher or lower. You might spend more money on heating and hot water if your house is less energy efficient. The table below shows the potential benefit of having your loft and walls insulated. Visit https://energysavingtrust.org.uk/energy-at-home for more information.

Heat demand	Existing dwelling	Impact of loft insulation	Impact of cavity wall insulation	Impact of solid wall insulation
Space heating (kWh per year)	9,903.55	N/A	N/A	N/A
Water heating (kWh per year)	5,172.11			

#### **Addendum**

#### **About this document**

This Recommendations Report and the accompanying Energy Performance Certificate are valid for a maximum of ten years. These documents cease to be valid where superseded by a more recent assessment of the same building carried out by a member of an Approved Organisation.

The Energy Performance Certificate and this Recommendations Report for this building were produced following an energy assessment undertaken by an assessor accredited by Elmhurst (www.elmhurstenergy.co.uk), an Approved Organisation Appointed by Scottish Ministers. The certificate has been produced under the Energy Performance of Buildings (Scotland) Regulations 2008 from data lodged to the Scottish EPC register. You can verify the validity of this document by visiting www.scottishepcregister.org.uk and entering the report reference number (RRN) printed at the top of this page.

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If you have any concerns regarding the content of this report or the service provided by your assessor you should in the first instance raise these matters with your assessor and with the Approved Organisation to which they belong. All Approved Organisations are required to publish their complaints and disciplinary procedures and details can be found online at the web address given above.

#### Use of this energy performance information

Once lodged by your EPC assessor, this Energy Performance Certificate and Recommendations Report are available to view online at www.scottishepcregister.org.uk, with the facility to search for any single record by entering the property address. This gives everyone access to any current, valid EPC except where a property has a Green Deal Plan, in which case the report reference number (RRN) must first be provided. The energy performance data in these documents, together with other building information gathered during the assessment is held on the Scottish EPC Register and is available to authorised recipients, including organisations delivering energy efficiency and carbon reduction initiatives on behalf of the Scottish and UK governments. A range of data from all assessments undertaken in Scotland is also published periodically by the Scottish Government. Further information on these matters and on Energy Performance Certificates in general, can be found at www.gov.scot/epc.

#### Advice and support to improve this property

There is support available, which could help you carry out some of the improvements recommended for this property on page 3 and stop wasting energy and money. For more information, visit greenerscotland.org or contact Home Energy Scotland on 0808 808 2282.

Home Energy Scotland's independent and expert advisors can offer free and impartial advice on all aspects of energy efficiency, renewable energy and more.

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Property address	79 Restalrig Avenue Edinburgh EH7 6PN
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Seller(s)	Carolyn McNeill, as executor in the estate of the late Maurice Malcolm Stocks
Completion date of property questionnaire	16 October 2025

#### Note for sellers

- Please complete this form carefully. It is important that your answers are correct.
- The information in your answers will help ensure that the sale of your house goes smoothly. Please answer each question with as much detailed information as you can.
- If anything changes after you fill in this questionnaire but before the date of entry for the sale of your house, tell your solicitor or estate agent immediately.

## Information to be given to prospective buyer(s)

1.	Length of ownership					
	How long have you owned the property? 37 years					
2.	Council tax					
	Which Council Tax band is your property in? (Please tick one)					
3.	Parking					
	What are the arrangements for parking at your property? (Please tick all that apply)					
	• Garage					
	Allocated parking space					
	Driveway					
	Shared parking					
	On street					
	Resident permit					
	Metered parking					
	Other (please specify):					
4.	Conservation area					
	Is your property in a designated Conservation Area (that is an area of special architectural or historical interest, the character or appearance of which it is desirable to preserve or enhance)? ☐ No ☐ Don't know					

5.	Listed buildings		
	Is your property a Listed Building, or contained within one (that is a building recognised and approved as being of special architectural or historical interest)?	☐ Yes ☑ No	
6.	Alterations/additions/extensions		
a.	(i) During your time in the property, have you carried out any structural alterations, additions or extensions (for example, provision of an extra bath/shower room, toilet, or bedroom)?  If you have answered yes, please describe below the changes which you have made:	⊠ Yes □ No	
	rear extension		
	(ii) Did you obtain planning permission, building warrant, completion certificate and other consents for this work?	⊠ Yes □ No	
	If you have answered yes, the relevant documents will be needed by the purchaser and you should give them to your solicitor as soon as possible for checking.		
	If you do not have the documents yourself, please note below who has these documents and your solicitor or estate agent will arrange to obtain them:		
b.	Have you had replacement windows, doors, patio doors or double glazing installed in your property?	⊠ Yes □ No	
	If you have answered yes, please answer the three questions below:		
	(i) Were the replacements the same shape and type as the ones you replaced?	⊠ Yes □ No	
	(ii) Did this work involve any changes to the window or door openings?	☐ Yes ☑ No	
	(iii) Please describe the changes made to the windows doors, or patio doors (approximate dates when the work was completed):		
	r app 2023		
	Please give any guarantees which you received for this work to your so agent.	licitor or estate	

7.	Central heating			
a.	Is there a central heating system in your property?	⊠ Yes		
	(Note: a partial central heating system is one which does not heat all the main rooms of the property —	□ No		
	the main living room, the bedroom(s), the hall and the bathroom).	☐ Partial		
	If you have answered yes or partial – what kind of central heating is there?			
	(Examples: gas-fired, solid fuel, electric storage heating, gas warm air).			
	gas fired			
	If you have answered yes, please answer the three questions below:			
	(i) When was your central heating system or partial central heating system installed not sure			
	(ii) Do you have a maintenance contract for the central heating system?	⊠ Yes		
	If you have answered yes, please give details of the company with which you have a maintenance contract:	□ No		
Ovo Energy				
	(iii) When was your maintenance agreement last renewed? (Please and year).	provide the month		
	May 2025 - Boiler and 2 two gas fires serviced 7 October 2025			
8.	Energy Performance Certificate			
91	Does your property have an Energy Performance Certificate which is less than 10 years old?	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
9.	Issues that may have affected your property			
a.	Has there been any storm, flood, fire or other structural damage to your property while you have owned it?	☐ Yes ☑ No		
0	If you have answered yes, is the damage the subject of any outstanding insurance claim?	☐ Yes ☑ No		
b.	Are you aware of the existence of asbestos in your property?	☐ Yes		
	If you have answered yes, please give details:	⊠ No		

10.	Services				
a. Pl	ease tick which services are connected to your property and give details of the supplier:				
	Services	Connected	Supplier		
	Gas or liquid petroleum gas	Yes	Ovo Energy		
	Water mains or private water supply	yes	Scottish Water		
	Electricity	yes	Ovo Energy		
	Mains drainage	yes	Scottish Water		
	Telephone	disconected			
	Cable TV or satellite	disconnected			
	Broadband	disconnected	2		
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	Is there a septic tank system at your property?  If you have answered yes, please answer the two questions below:			☐ Yes ☑ No	
	(iv) Do you have appropriat septic tank?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't Know			
	(v) Do you have a maintena <u>If you have answered yes</u> , plea which you have a maintenance	☐ Yes ☐ No			

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11.	Responsibilities for shared or common areas	
а.	Are you aware of any responsibility to contribute to the cost of anything used jointly, such as the repair of a shared drive, private road, boundary, or garden area?	☐ Yes ☑ No
	If you have answered yes, please give details:	☐ Don't Know
b.	Is there a responsibility to contribute to repair and maintenance of the roof, common stairwell or other common areas?  If you have answered yes, please give details:	☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Not applicable
c.	Has there been any major repair or replacement of any part of the roof during the time you have owned the property?	☐ Yes ☑ No
d.	Do you have the right to walk over any of your neighbours' property — for example to put out your rubbish bin or to maintain your boundaries?  If you have answered yes, please give details:	☐ Yes ☑ No
e.	As far as you are aware, do any of your neighbours have the right to walk over your property, for example to put out their rubbish bin or to maintain their boundaries?  If you have answered yes, please give details:	☐ Yes ☑ No
f.	As far as you are aware, is there a public right of way across any part of your property? (public right of way is a way over which the public has a right to pass, whether or not the land is privately-owned.)  If you have answered yes, please give details:	☐ Yes ☑ No
12.	Charges associated with your property	
а.	Is there a factor or property manager for your property?  If you have answered yes, please provide the name and address, and give details of any deposit held and approximate charges:	☐ Yes ☑ No

b.	Is there a common buildings insurance policy?  If you have answered yes, is the cost of the insurance included in your monthly/annual factor's charges?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't Know ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't Know
c.	Please give details of any other charges you have to pay on a regular upkeep of common areas or repair works, for example to a residents' maintenance or stair fund.	basis for the association, or
13.	Specialist works	
a.	As far as you are aware, has treatment of dry rot, wet rot, damp or any other specialist work ever been carried out to your property?  If you have answered yes, please say what the repairs were for, whether you carried out the repairs (and when) or if they were done before you bought the property.	☐ Yes ⊠ No
b.	As far as you are aware, has any preventative work for dry rot, wet rot, or damp ever been carried out to your property?  If you have answered yes, please give details:	☐ Yes ☑ No
C.	If you have answered yes to 13(a) or (b), do you have any guarantees relating to this work?  If you have answered yes, these guarantees will be needed by the purchaser and should be given to your solicitor as soon as possible for checking. If you do not have them yourself please write below who has these documents and your solicitor or estate agent will arrange for them to be obtained. You will also need to provide a description of the work carried out. This may be shown in the original estimate.  Guarantees are held by:	☐ Yes ☐ No

14.	Guarantees					
a.	Are there any guarantees or warranties for any of the following:					
		No	Yes	Don't know	With title deeds	Lost
(i)	Electrical work					
(ii)	Roofing					
(iii)	Central heating	$\boxtimes$				
(iv)	National House Building Council (NHBC)					
(v)	Damp course					
(vi)	Any other work or installations? (for example, cavity wall insulation, underpinning, indemnity policy)					
b.	If you have answered 'yes' or 'with title deeds', please give details of the work or installations to which the guarantee(s) relate(s):					
C.	Are there any outstanding claims under any of the guarantees listed above?  If you have answered yes, please give details:					
15.	Boundaries					
	So far as you are aware, has any boundary of your property been moved in the last 10 years?  If you have answered yes, please give details:				☐ Yes ☑ No ☐ Don't know	

16.	Notices tha	at affect your property			
	In the past th	hree years have you ever received a notice:			
a.	advising that planning app	the owner of a neighbouring property has made a lication?	a ☐ Yes ☐ No		
b.	that affects y	our property in some other way?	☐ Yes ☑ No		
C.	that requires to your prope	you to do any maintenance, repairs or improvemerty?	ents		
	If you have answered yes to any of a-c above, please give the notices to your solicitor estate agent, including any notices which arrive at any time before the date of entry of the purchaser of your property.				
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