







- 1. Single Survey
- 2. Energy Report
- 3. Property Questionnaire



survey report on:

	7 Dailuaine Terrace, Carron, Aberlour, AB38 7RG
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Customer	Ms S Reid
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Customer address	

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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 Property¹.

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.

The ultimate holding company of Harvey Donaldson & Gibson is Countrywide plc. In Scotland, Countrywide plc also own Slater Hogg & Howison and Countrywide North. A full list of estate agents owned or under franchise to Countrywide plc is available on request. Harvey Donaldson & Gibson trades as an entirely separate company and has no financial interest whatsoever in the disposal of the property being inspected.

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

¹ Which shall be in accordance with the current RICS Valuation Standards (The Red Book) and RICS Codes of Conduct.

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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. 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.²

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 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;

² Which shall be in accordance with the current RICS Valuation Standards (The Red Book) and RICS Rules of Conduct

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- 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 <u>Category 3:</u> 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 one and a half storey end-terraced house.
Accommodation	The Accommodation comprises -
	Ground floor - Entrance hall, bedroom, living room and kitchen.
	First floor - Landing, bedroom and shower room.

Aberlour and Elgin.

	Age	102 years.
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Weather It was dry at the time of the inspection.

Chimney stacks	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate.
	The chimneyhead is of rendered masonry construction, with clay pots and dressed in lead flashings, where visible from ground level.

Roofing including roof space	The roof is pitched, timber framed and covered with slates.
	Access into the roof space is via a ceiling hatch located in the upstairs bedroom. Insulation material has been laid between and over the joists.
	The rear extension and front dormer window projection are under flat EPDM rubber roofs.

Rainwater fittings	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate. Rainwater discharge is via uPVC and cast iron gutters and downpipes.
Main walls	Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where

appropriate.
Foundations and concealed parts were not exposed or inspected.
The main external walls are of pointed solid stone construction.
The rear extension is of cavity brickwork construction.

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 windows and doors are of a double glazed upvc.
	The fascia boards and soffits at the eaves of the roof are timber.

External decorations	Visually inspected.
	The external decorations are painted, where applicable.

Conservatories / porches	None.
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Communal areas	None.
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Garages and permanent outbuildings	Visually inspected.
	There is a brickwork store under corrugated asbestos roof with lighting and power.
	To the rear of the garden, there is a timber summerhouse under a corrugated perspex type roof.

Outside areas and boundaries	Visually inspected.
	There are garden grounds to the front and rear of the property which are bounded by timber fencing and post and wire fencing.
	The grounds mostly consist of gravelled areas and planted shrubs. There is a shared gravelled driveway which provides access to the subjects rear parking space.
	There are two timber sheds located in the garden, however these are not considered permanent outbuildings for home report purposes.

Ceilings	Visually inspected from floor level.
	Ceilings throughout the property appear to be a mixture of plasterboard and of timber strapped, lathed and plastered construction whereby the wet plaster is floated onto a timber framework of lathing fixed to the underside of the ceiling joists.

Internal walls	Visually inspected from floor level.
	Using a moisture meter, walls were randomly tested for dampness where considered appropriate.
	The internal walls are a mixture of lath and plaster, plasterboard lined and plastered on the hard.

Floors including sub floors	Surfaces of exposed floors were visually inspected. No carpets or floor coverings were lifted.
	Sub-floor areas were inspected only to the extent visible from a readily accessible and unfixed hatch by way of an inverted "head and shoulders" inspection at the access point.
	Physical access to the sub floor area may be taken if the Surveyor deems it is safe and reasonable to do so, and subject to a minimum clearance of 1m between the underside of floor joists and the solum as determined from the access hatch.
	Flooring is a mixture of solid concrete and timber construction at ground floor level, upper floors being of suspended timber, overlaid in tongue and groove boarding.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	Built-in cupboards were looked into but no stored items were moved.
	Kitchen units were visually inspected excluding appliances.
	The internal doors are a mixture timber boarded and timber with glazed inserts.
	The skirting boards and door surrounds are timber.
	The staircase is timber.
	The kitchen fittings consist of a range of floor and wall mounted units with a stainless steel sink.

Chimney breasts and fireplaces	Visually inspected.
	No testing of the flues or fittings was carried out.
	There is a fireplace located in the upstairs bedroom. The fireplace in the downstairs bedroom has been capped.
	There is a multi-fuel burning stove to a back boiler located in the living room.

Internal decorations	Visually inspected.
	The ceilings and walls are painted.
	The internal joinery it painted and finished with a decorative stain.
	The kitchen is finished with tiles and the shower room is finished with wet-wall panels and tiles.

Cellars None.

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.
	Mains electricity is installed. The meter and consumer unit are located in the hallway. The system appears to be of a 13 amp type and design. The switch and socket outlets are plastic and the wiring is sheathed with PVC, where visible. There is a redundant fuse box located next to the consumer unit.

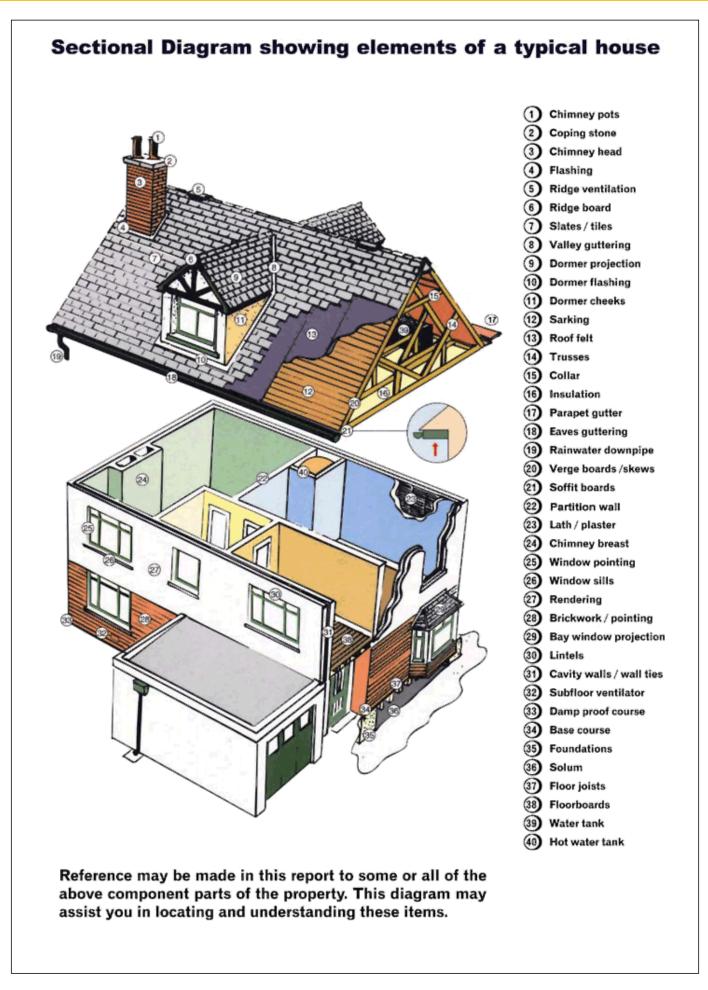
Gas	No gas.
Water, plumbing, bathroom fittings	Visual inspection of the accessible pipework, water tanks, cylinders and fittings without removing any insulation.
	No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances.
	The property has a private water supply.
	The shower room contains a shower cubicle, wash hand basin and w.c.
	The visible pipework is a mixture of copper and plastic.

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.
	The property is centrally heated by means of a multi-fuel back boiler to a stove. Heating to the rooms is provided by water filled radiators. Hot water is supplemented by an electric immersion heater, the foam insulated hot water cylinder is located in the landing cupboard. There is underfloor heating to the shower room.

Drainage	Drainage covers etc were not lifted.	
	Neither drains nor drainage systems were tested.	
	Drainage is understood to be to a shared septic tank, located across from number 11 and 12 Dailuaine Terrace.	

Fire, smoke and burglar alarms	Visually inspected.
	No tests whatsoever were carried out to the system or appliances.
	Smoke/heat detectors and carbon monoxide alarms are installed.
	Scottish government regulations come into effect in February 2022 which will require each property to have linked smoke and heat detectors and if gas/carbon burning appliances are present then a carbon monoxide alarm fitted. Purchasers should satisfy themselves with regards to compliance.

Any additional limits to inspection	The property was inspected within the limits imposed by occupation which included, throughout, closely nailed and fixed fitted carpeting, floor coverings, stored items, furnishings etc. The owner's personal belongings were not removed from cupboards.
	This report does not constitute a full and detailed description of the property and a structural investigation was not carried out. No inspection was undertaken of woodwork or other parts of the structure which are covered, unexposed or otherwise inaccessible and as a result no guarantee can be given that such parts of the structure are free from rot, beetle or other defects.
	The external building fabric has been inspected from ground level only from the subjects grounds and where possible from adjoining public property. Exposure work has not been carried out.
	It was dry on the date of inspection. Leakage and water penetration within roof spaces, around chimney breasts, window openings, etc are sometimes only visible during or immediately after, adverse weather conditions.
	The report does not include an asbestos inspection. However, asbestos was widely used in the building industry until around 2000, when it became a banned substance. If the possibility of asbestos based products has been reported within the limitations of the inspection and you have concerns you should engage a qualified asbestos surveyor.
	No sub-floor inspection was possible due to no apparent means of access.
	Flat roofs cannot be inspected from ground level.
	The roof space inspection was limited to a head and shoulders style basis only, due to furniture restricting access and the presence of insulation material being laid between and over the ceiling joists.
	No close inspection was possible to enclosed areas beneath and around washing appliances and sanitary fittings.



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 movemen	t
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious significant structural movement noted, on the basis of a single inspection.

Dampness, rot and infestation	
Repair category	2
Notes	An electronic moisture meter was used to measure levels of dampness, at random locations, to lower wall surfaces and floors, where accessible and without moving furniture or lifting floor coverings, if present. Localised high damp meter readings were recorded adjacent to the multi-fuel burning stove.

Chimney stacks	
Repair category	1
Notes	From a ground level inspection, no obvious significant defects were noted to the chimneyhead, allowing for normal weathering.
	Chimneys can be vulnerable to defects and should be regularly maintained.

Roofing including roof space	
Repair category	2
Notes	Roof slating, where viewed from ground level, appears to have been laid to generally even courses, however a number of slipped, chipped and broken slates were noted. Deterioration was also evident to the ridge tiling and pointing.
	Within the roof space, historic damp staining was noted.
	It should be fully appreciated that a flat roof, even when new does have a limited life and always requires regular and careful ongoing maintenance to ensure it remains in a wind and watertight condition. We have been advised the flat roof was replaced in 2019 and is under a 20 year guarantee.

Rainwater fittings	
Repair category	1
Notes	Cast iron components show signs of corrosion. It will be appreciated that the inspection was carried out during dry weather conditions. Sometimes defects in rainwater goods are only apparent during, or after heavy rainfall.

Main walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	The main walls are in reasonable condition allowing for age and weathering, however some patches of eroded stonework/brickwork are evident in places and some of the mortar joints are defective, but this is considered commensurate with the age and type of property.

Windows, external doors and joinery	
Repair category	2
Notes	No obvious significant defects were noted to the windows or doors.
	Deterioration was noted to the external timbers.

External decorations	
Repair category	2
Notes	The external decorations are weathered/corroding and require attention. The condition of the joinery should be checked and repaired as necessary during redecoration.
	Paint finishes and decorated external surfaces will require redecoration on a regular basis.

Conservatories/porches	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Communal areas	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Garages and permanent outbuildings	
Repair category	2
Notes	 Within the brickwork store, staining and woodworm was noted to the timbers. The roof is made of corrugated asbestos cement which is not considered a health hazard provided it is not disturbed. It should only be removed and disposed of by a licensed contractor. The summerhouse is in reasonable condition having regard to its intended purpose, however some gaps were evident between the timbers.

Outside areas and boundaries	
Repair category	1
Notes	Outside areas and boundaries appear adequate for purpose.

Ceilings	
Repair category	2
Notes	Plaster cracking and deterioration was noted to some of the ceiling surfaces, consistent with age. As age increases, it is not unusual for the plaster to lose its key with the timber lathing, and such defects are only revealed when decorative surfaces are stripped to allow redecoration to take place.

Internal walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	The plaster finishes appear generally sound with only minor evidence of unevenness and blemishes.

Floors including sub-floors	
Repair category	1
Notes	Within the limitations imposed on the inspection, no indications were noted to suggest any serious disrepair. It will however be appreciated that concealed floor timbers cannot be guaranteed to be free from defect.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious significant defects were noted to the internal joinery or kitchen fittings. It should be confirmed that all glass doors contain safety glass to comply with current regulations.

Chimney breasts and fireplaces	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious significant defects were noted to the chimney breasts or fireplaces. It is considered prudent to have the fireplace flue swept and tested prior to use. We have been advised by the seller that the chimneys have been swept annually.

Internal decorations		
Repair category	1	
Notes	No obvious significant defects were noted to the internal decoration.	

Cellars	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

Electricity	
Repair category	1
Notes	It is likely that only the most recently rewired properties will have electrical installations that fully comply with current regulations. The installation in this property has been tested with the next test due in 2023.
	It is recommended good practice that all electrical installations should be checked periodically, approximately every ten years or when a property changes hands. This should be regarded as a routine safety and maintenance check.

Gas	
Repair category	-
Notes	Not applicable.

F Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings		
Repair category	1	
Notes	No obvious significant defects noted to the accessible plumbing or sanitary fittings.	
	Given the presence of a shower over the tray, it is essential that all wall linings, tile grout, seals, etc are maintained in good condition. Failure to do so can lead to concealed defects behind wall finishes, and below the shower tray. As the tray is boxed in, it will be appreciated that it is not possible to comment on concealed locations.	
	In a property of this age it is possible for lead pipework to be present in concealed areas however; none was noted within the limitations of the inspection.	
	The property has a private water supply which should be tested periodically for purity.	

Heating and hot water	
Repair category	2
Notes	No obvious significant defects were noted to the heating system or hot water system, although these have not been tested. However, the central heating boiler is of an older design and opinions suggests that boilers have a life expectancy between 10 and 20 years depending on the quality of the boiler and whether or not regular maintenance has been carried out. Future repair or replacement should be anticipated. It is recommended good practice that boilers are serviced on an annual basis by an appropriately qualified person. The boiler's service history should be checked by referring to the service records. If there is no record of a recent service, the
	boiler should be checked by an appropriately qualified person.

Drainage	
Repair category	1
Notes	No obvious significant defects were noted to the drainage system, within the limitations of the inspection.
	It is understood that drainage is to a septic tank. The valuation reported assumes that the septic tank has been registered with and is fully compliant with all requirements of the Scottish Environmental Protection Agency (SEPA), both with regard to the tank and its outfall.

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	1
Main walls	1
Windows, external doors and joinery	2
External decorations	2
Conservatories/porches	-
Communal areas	-
Garages and permanent outbuildings	2
Outside areas and boundaries	1
Ceilings	2
Internal walls	1
Floors including sub-floors	1
Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	1
Chimney breasts and fireplaces	1
Internal decorations	1
Cellars	-
Electricity	1
Gas	-
Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings	1
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 floor
2. Are there three steps or fewer to a main entrance door of the property?	Yes X No
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 X No
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

The tenure is understood to be Outright Ownership.

In line with our normal practice, it is specifically assumed that the property and its value are unaffected by any matters which would or should be revealed to a competent Completing Solicitor by a local search and replies to the usual enquiries, or by any statutory notice and planning proposal.

Where defects or repairs have been identified within this report, or where access was not possible to significant parts of the structure, it is recommended that, prior to entering into any legally binding sale or purchase contract, further specialists or contractors advice and estimates must be obtained, to establish the implications, if any, on a potential offer to purchase or the sale price likely to be achieved for the property.

Access to the rear of the property is via a shared track, and reference to the Titles will ascertain the exact ownership, maintenance and liability of same.

Alterations and a two storey extension have been carried out in the past, though these appear to be historic in nature. It is assumed all necessary Local Authority and other consents have been obtained for alterations and the appropriate documentation, including Building Warrants and Completion Certificates issued. If any works did not require consent then it is assumed they meet the standards required by the Building Regulations or are exempt.

We understand the flat roof covering is under a 20 year guarantee, the guarantees of works should be transferred with the Title Documents at the point of sale.

The property is believed to be connected to a private water supply. A specialist report should be obtained to confirm that it complies with statutory regulations for safe drinking water. The reliability of the supply must also be confirmed.

Estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes

£305,000 (Three hundred and five thousand pounds).

Building costs are currently increasing significantly above inflation due to material and labour shortages. It is recommended that you update this figure regularly to ensure that you have adequate cover or alternatively seek specialist advice from your insurer.

Valuation and market comments

In its present condition the opinion of valuation for the Outright Ownership interest with vacant possession on 29 June 2022 is:

£140,000 (One hundred and forty thousand pounds sterling).

Signed	Security Print Code [444343 = 5577]O
	Electronically signed

Report author India Hill

Company name	Harvey Donaldson And Gibson
Address	Caledonian House Business Centre, High Street, Elgin, IV30 1BD

Date of report	5th July 2022
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Mortgage Valuation Report



Property Address						
Address Seller's Name Date of Inspection	7 Dailuaine Terrace, C Ms S Reid 29th June 2022	arron, Aberl	our, AB38 7RG			
Property Details						
Property Type		ungalow onverted flat	Purpose built maisonet	Flat over n	maisonette on-residenti cify in Gene	al use ral Remarks)
Property Style		emi detached igh rise block	Mid terrace	X End terrace		ral Remarks)
Does the surveyor be e.g. local authority, m	lieve that the property v ilitary, police?	vas built for	the public sector,	Yes	X No	
Flats/Maisonettes on	y Floor(s) on which located	d	No. of floors in block	Lift provided?	Yes	No
Approximate Year of	Construction 1920		No. of units in block			
Tenure						
X Absolute Ownership	Leasehold Groun	nd rent £	Unexpired y	ears		
Accommodation						
Number of Rooms		Bedroom(s) WC(s)	 Kitchen(s) Other (Specify in Ger 	neral remarks)		
	cluding garages and out		83 m ² (Internal)	100 m ² (External)		
Residential Element	greater than 40%) 🗙 Ye	es 🗌 No				
Garage / Parking /	Outbuildings					
Single garage Available on site?	Double garage	X Parki	ng space] No garage / garage	e space / pa	rking space
Permanent outbuildin	gs:					
Brick store, Timber	store.					

Mortgage Valuation Report

Construction							
Walls	Brick	X Stone	Concrete	Timber frame	Other	(specify in Ger	eral Remarks)
Roof	Tile	X Slate	Asphalt	Felt	Other	(specify in Ger	eral Remarks)
Special Risks							
Has the property s	suffered struct	ural moveme	ent?			Yes	XNo
If Yes, is this rece	nt or progress	sive?				Yes	No
Is there evidence, immediate vicinity		ason to antic	ipate subsidence	, heave, landslip o	or flood in the	e Yes	X No
If Yes to any of the	e above, prov	ide details in	General Remark	(S.			
Service Connec	tion						
Based on visual ir of the supply in G			ces appear to be	non-mains, pleas	e comment o	on the type a	nd location
Drainage	Mains	X Private	None	Water	Mains	X Private	None
Electricity	X Mains	Private	None	Gas	Mains	Private	X None
Central Heating	X Yes	Partial	None				
Brief description of	of Central Hea	ting:					
Heating fuel: So Heating type: Ra							
Site							
Apparent legal iss	ues to be veri	fied by the c	onvevancer. Plea	ase provide a brief	description i	n General R	emarks.
Rights of way	X Shared driv	•		amenities on separate		ed service conr	
III-defined boundar		_	tural land included w			er (specify in Ge	neral Remarks)
Location							
Residential suburb Commuter village		idential within to		ed residential / comme ated rural property		ly commercial r (specify in Ge	neral Remarks)
Planning Issues	5						
Has the property b If Yes provide deta			/ altered? X	Yes 🗌 No			
Roads							
X Made up road	Unmade road	d 🗌 Partly	completed new road	I Pedestrian a	access only	Adopted	Unadopted

General Remarks

The property is situated in the semi-rural village of Carron, on the outskirts of Aberlour. Surrounding properties are of similar age and character. There are limited amenities nearby however a wider range of amenities and facilities can be found in the towns of Aberlour and Elgin.

The general condition of the property appears consistent with age and type of construction, but some works of repair and maintenance are required.

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We understand the flat roof covering is under a 20 year guarantee, the guarantees of works should be transferred with the Title Documents at the point of sale.

Essential Repairs

None apparent within the limitations of our inspection.

Estimated cost of essential repairs £

Retention recommended? Yes

X No Amount £

Mortgage Valuation Report

Comment on Mortgageability

The property affords adequate security for loan purposes based on the valuation figure, subject to indiv	ridual
lender's criteria.	

Valuations	
Market value in present condition	£ 140,000
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)	£ 305,000
Is a reinspection necessary?	Yes X No
Buy To Let Cases	
What is the reasonable range of monthly rental income for the property assuming a letting on a 6 month Short Assured Tenancy basis?	£
Is the property in an area where there is a steady demand for rented accommodation of this type?	Yes No
Declaration	

Signed	Security Print Code [444343 = 5577]O Electronically signed by:-
Surveyor's name	India Hill
Professional qualifications	AssocRICS
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Energy Performance Certificate (EPC)

Scotland

Dwellings

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Dwelling type:EnDate of assessment:29Date of certificate:29Total floor area:83Primary Energy Indicator:54

End-terrace house 29 June 2022 29 June 2022 83 m² 549 kWh/m²/year Reference number: Type of assessment: Approved Organisation: Main heating and fuel: 2018-1014-7206-0842-1200 RdSAP, existing dwelling Elmhurst Boiler and radiators, dual fuel (mineral and wood)

You can use this document to:

B

Not environmentally friendly - higher CO₂ emissions

D

F

G

(81-91)

(69-80)

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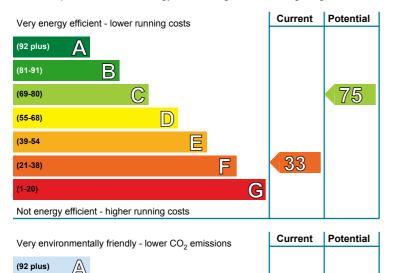
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- Compare current ratings of properties to see which are more energy efficient and environmentally friendly
- Find out how to save energy and money and also reduce CO₂ emissions by improving your home

Estimated energy costs for your home for 3 years*	£6,657	See your recommendations
Over 3 years you could save*	£3,156	report for more information

* 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 F (33)**. 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 (CO₂) 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 F (28)**. The average rating for EPCs in Scotland is **band D (59)**.

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

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Recommended measures	Indicative cost	Typical savings over 3 years
1 Flat roof or sloping ceiling insulation	£850 - £1,500	£252.00
2 Room-in-roof insulation	£1,500 - £2,700	£1344.00
3 Cavity wall insulation	£500 - £1,500	£288.00

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

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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	Sandstone or limestone, as built, no insulation (assumed)	*****	*****
	Cavity wall, as built, no insulation (assumed)	★★☆☆☆	$\bigstar\bigstar \bigstar \clubsuit$
Roof	Roof room(s), ceiling insulated	*****	$\bigstar \texttt{A} \texttt{A} \texttt{A} \texttt{A} \texttt{A}$
Floor	Suspended, no insulation (assumed) Solid, no insulation (assumed)		_
Windows	Fully double glazed	★★★☆	★★★★☆
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, dual fuel (mineral and wood)	★★★☆☆	★★★☆☆
Main heating controls	TRVs and bypass	★★★☆☆	★★★☆☆
Secondary heating	Room heaters, dual fuel (mineral and wood)	—	_
Hot water	From main system, no cylinder thermostat	★★☆☆☆	★★☆☆☆
Lighting	Low energy lighting in 63% of fixed outlets	★★★★☆	★★★★☆

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, CO₂ 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 119 kg $CO_2/m^2/yr$.

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 9.9 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 5.5 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	£5,283 over 3 years	£2,880 over 3 years			
Hot water	£1,089 over 3 years	£414 over 3 years	You could		
Lighting	£285 over 3 years	£207 over 3 years	save £3,156		
Total	s £6,657	£3,501	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.

Recommended measures		Indicative cost	Typical saving	Rating after improvement		
		indicative cost	per year	Energy	Environment	
1	Flat roof or sloping ceiling insulation	£850 - £1,500	£84	F 35	F 30	
2	Room-in-roof insulation	£1,500 - £2,700	£448	E 47	E 40	
3	Cavity wall insulation	£500 - £1,500	£96	E 50	E 42	
4	Internal or external wall insulation	£4,000 - £14,000	£119	E 54	E 46	
5	Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£800 - £1,200	£108	D 57	E 49	
6	Increase hot water cylinder insulation	£15 - £30	£40	D 59	E 50	
7	Low energy lighting for all fixed outlets	£15	£21	D 59	E 51	
8	Hot water cylinder thermostat	£200 - £400	£25	D 60	E 52	
9	Solar water heating	£4,000 - £6,000	£111	D 64	D 55	
10	Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp	£3,500 - £5,500	£303	C 75	D 65	

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

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 Flat roof or sloping ceiling insulation

Insulating a flat roof or sloping ceiling will significantly reduce heat loss through the roof; this will improve levels of comfort, reduce energy use and lower fuel bills. Insulation can be placed on top of the roof under the waterproof membrane and should particularly be considered when the waterproofing needs to be replaced. Further information about roof insulation and details of local contractors can be obtained from the National Insulation Association (www.nationalinsulationassociation.org.uk). Building regulations generally apply to this work so it is best to check with your local authority building standards department.

2 Room-in-roof insulation

Insulating roof rooms will significantly reduce heat loss; this will improve levels of comfort, reduce energy use and lower fuel bills. If it has a flat ceiling insulation can usually be added above the ceiling, and sloping ceilings and walls of roof rooms can be insulated using an internal lining board. Roof voids must have adequate ventilation to prevent dampness; seek advice about this if unsure. Further information about roof room insulation and details of local contractors can be obtained from the National Insulation Association (www.nationalinsulationassociation.org.uk). Building regulations generally apply to this work so it is best to check this with your local authority building standards department.

3 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).

4 Internal or external wall insulation

Internal or external wall insulation involves adding a layer of insulation to either the inside or the outside surface of the external walls, which reduces heat loss and lowers fuel bills. As it is more expensive than cavity wall insulation it is only recommended for walls without a cavity, or where for technical reasons a cavity cannot be filled. Internal insulation, known as dry-lining, is where a layer of insulation is fixed to the inside surface of external walls; this type of insulation is best applied when rooms require redecorating. External solid wall insulation is the application of an insulant and a weather-protective finish to the outside of the wall. This may improve the look of the home, particularly where existing brickwork or rendering is poor, and will provide longlasting weather protection. Further information can be obtained from the National Insulation Association (www.nationalinsulationassociation.org.uk). It should be noted that a building warrant is required for the installation of external wall insulation. Planning permission may also be required and that building regulations apply to external insulation so it is best to check with your local authority on both issues.

5 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.

6 Hot water cylinder insulation

Increasing the thickness of existing insulation around the hot water cylinder will help to maintain the water at the required temperature; this will reduce the amount of energy used and lower fuel bills. An additional cylinder jacket or other suitable insulation layer can be used. The insulation should be fitted over any thermostat clamped to the cylinder. Hot water pipes from the hot water cylinder should also be insulated, using pre-formed pipe insulation of up to 50 mm thickness, or to suit the space available, for as far as they can be accessed to reduce losses in summer. All these materials can be purchased from DIY stores and installed by a competent DIY enthusiast.

7 Low energy lighting

Replacement of traditional light bulbs with energy saving bulbs will reduce lighting costs over the lifetime of the bulb, and they last many times longer than ordinary light bulbs. Low energy lamps and fittings are now commonplace and readily available. Information on energy efficiency lighting can be found from a wide range of organisations, including the Energy Saving Trust (http://www.energysavingtrust.org.uk/home-energy-efficiency/lighting).

8 Cylinder thermostat

A hot water cylinder thermostat enables the boiler to switch off when the water in the cylinder reaches the required temperature; this minimises the amount of energy that is used and lowers fuel bills. The thermostat is a temperature sensor that sends a signal to the boiler when the required temperature is reached. To be fully effective it needs to be sited in the correct position and hard wired in place, so it should be installed by a competent plumber or heating engineer. Building regulations apply to this work, so it is best to check with your local authority building standards department whether a building warrant will be required.

9 Solar water heating

A solar water heating panel, usually fixed to the roof, uses the sun to pre-heat the hot water supply. This can significantly reduce the demand on the heating system to provide hot water and hence save fuel and money. 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 these with your local authority. You could be eligible for Renewable Heat Incentive payments which could appreciably increase the savings beyond those shown on your EPC, 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.

10 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)	23,200	(996)	(1,260)	(1,530)
Water heating (kWh per year)	3,628			

Addendum

This dwelling has stone walls and so requires further investigation to establish whether these walls are of cavity construction and to determine which type of wall insulation is best suited.

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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.

Assessor's name:	Miss India Hill
Assessor membership number:	EES/019913
Company name/trading name:	Harvey Donaldson & Gibson Chartered Surveyors
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Related party disclosure:	No related party

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.







PROPERTY QUESTIONNAIRE

Property Address	7 Dailuaine Terrace, Carron, Aberlour, Moray, AB38 7RG
Vendor(s)	Mrs Susan Reid
Completion Date of Property Questionnaire	20/06/2022 21:38
System Ref:	QT664181





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? 10 years 11 months							
2.	Council Tax							
	Which Council Tax band is your property in?							
	A 🖉 B 🕺 C 😣 D 😣 E 😣 F 😣 G 😣 H 😣							
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)?							
	Don't know 😣							
5.	Listed buildings							
	Is your property a Listed Building, or contained within one (that is a building Yes Second and approved as being of special architectural or historical interest)?							
	Alterations/additions/avtansions							
6.	Alterations/additions/extensions							
a.	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)?							
	No 📀							
(i)	If you have answered yes, please describe below the changes which you have made:							
(ii)	Did you obtain planning permission, building warrant, completion certificate and other Yes Sonsents for this work?							
(iv)	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:							



6.	Alterations/additions/extensions			
	Have you had replacement windows, doors, patio doors or double glazing installed in your	Yes 🔮		
b.	property? If you have answered yes, please answer the three questions below	No 🔇		
	Were the replacements the same shape and type as the ones you	Yes 🔗		
(i)	replaced?	No 😣		
	Did the work involve any changes to the window or door openings?	Yes 😣		
(ii)		No 🝼		
	Please describe the changes made to the windows doors, or patio doors (with approximate dates when the work was completed): CR Smith replaced all windows in 2011.			
(iii)	Both external doors replaced 2012 Please give any guarantees which you received for this work to your solicitor or estate agent			
7.	Central heating			
	Is there a central heating system in your property? (Note: a partial central heating system is one which does not heat all the main	Yes 😣		
a.	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) Multi fuel stove in living room heats 5 radiators around house + hot water via a back boiler If you have answered yes, please answer the three questions below			
(i)	When was your central heating system or partial central heating installed?	2011		
	Do you have a maintenance contract for the central heating system?	Yes 🔇		
(11)		No ⊘		
(ii)	I) If you answered yes please give details of the company with whom you have a maintenance contract			
(iii)	When was your maintenance contract last renewed? (Please provide the month and year)			
8.	Energy Performance Certificate			
	Does your property have an Energy Performance Certificate which is less	Yes 😣		
	than 10 years old?	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 🥑		
	If you have answered yes is the damage the subject of any outstanding	Yes 🔇		
	insurance claim?	No 🔇		
	Are you aware of the existence of asbestos in your property?	Yes 😣		
b.		No 🥑		
	If you have answered yes please give details:			



10.	Services					
	Please tick which services are connected to your property and give details of the supplier					
	Service	Connected	Suppl	ier		
	Gas or liquid petroleum gas	\bigotimes				
	Water mains or private water supply		Private water supply - Maintained by Dia			
a.	Electricity		EDF			
	Mains drainage	\bigotimes				
	Telephone		EE			
	Cable TV or satellite	\bigotimes				
	Broadband		EE			
b.	Is there a septic tank at your property?			Yes 🔗		
D.	If you have answered yes please answ	ver the questi	ons below	No 😵		
	Do you have appropriate consents for the	ne discharge o	of your septic tank?	Yes 🥑		
(i)				No 😵		
				Don't know 😣		
	Do you have a maintenance contract for your septic tank?			Yes 🧭		
(ii)	No 🤅					
(")	If you answered yes please give details of the company with whom you have a maintenance contract					
	Scottish water					
11.	Responsibilities for shared or common areas					
	Are you aware of any responsibility to contribute to the cost of anything used jointly, such as repair of a shared drive, private road, boundary, or			Yes 🧭		
	garden area?			No 🚫		
a.				Don't know 😵		
	If you answered yes please give details					
	Shared responsibility for septic tank between 14 households. Emptied annually. Approx £15 per household.					
	Are you aware of any responsibility to co	ontribute to th	e cost of repair and	Yes 😣		
	maintenance of the roof, common stairwell, or other common areas?		No 🔇			
b.				Don't know 🚫		
	If you answered yes please give details					
	No					
	Has there been any major repair or repla		ny part of the roof	Yes 🔗		
С.	during the time you have owned the buil	lding?		No 😣		
	Do you have the right to walk over any o			Yes 😣		
 	example to put out your bins, or to main	tain your bour	ndaries?	No 🥑		
d.	If you answered yes please give details					
	Shared driveway at rear of property					



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11.	Responsibilities for shared or common areas					
	As far as you are aware, do any of your neighbours have the right to walk over your	Yes 😣				
•	property, for example to put out their rubbish bin, or to maintain their boundaries?	No 🧭				
е.	If you answered yes please give details					
	Shared driveway					
	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.)	Yes 😣				
f.		No 🔗				
	<u>If you answered yes</u> please give details					
12.	Charges associated with your property					
	Is there a factor or property manager for your property?	Yes 😣				
a.		No 🔗				
	If you answered yes please provide name and address and give details relating to deposits held	and charges				
	Is there a common buildings insurance policy?	Yes 😣				
		No 🕑				
b.		Don't know 😣				
	If you answered yes is the cost of insurance included in your monthly/annual factor's charges?	Yes				
	Diagon give details of any other charges you have to now on a regular basis for the up	No				
-	Please give details of any other charges you have to pay on a regular basis for the up areas or repair works, for example to a residents' association, or maintenance or stair					
C.	Nil					
13.	Specialist works					
10.	As far as you are aware, has treatment of dry rot, wet rot, damp or any	Yes 🛇				
	other specialist work ever been carried out to your property?	No 😣				
	l <u>If you answered yes</u> please give further details					
a.	Previous owner informed that in 1987 work was carried out as a preventative measure to treat					
	damp. Full joinery treatment was undertaken for all roof and floor timbers					
	Do you have any guarantees for this work?	Yes 🔇				
		No 🔗				
	Guarantees are held by :					
	As far as you are aware, has any preventative work for dry rot, wet rot, or damp ever been carried out to your property?	Yes 🧭				
		No 🔇				
	<u>If you answered yes</u> please give further details					
b.	As re above - before bought property					
	Do you have any guarantees for this work?	Yes 🤡				
		No 🚫				
	Guarantees are held by : Current owner					



14.	Guarantees					
	Are there any warranties or guarantees for any of the following					
a.		No	Yes	Don't know	With title deeds	Lost
(i) b.	Electrical work	Ø	8	8	8	8
(ii)	Roofing	\bigotimes		\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigotimes
b.	2019 installation of a synthetic rubber EPDM roofing membrane on from guarantee	nt and re	ear flat	roofs. 2	20 year	
(iii)	Central heating		\otimes	\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigotimes
b.						
(iv) b.	National House Building Council (NHBC)		8	\bigotimes	\bigotimes	8
(v)	Damp course	\bigotimes		\otimes	\otimes	\otimes
b.	1987 Tarradale Timber Preservation - 30 year protection					
(vi)	Any other work or installation? (for example cavity wall insulation, underpinning, indemnity policy)		\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigotimes	\bigotimes
b.						
	Are there any outstanding claims under any of the guarantees listed at	ove?			Y	'es 😣
				No 🝼		
С.	If you answered yes please give details					
15.	Boundaries					
	Are you aware has any boundary of your property been moved in the last ten years?			Yes 😣		
			No 🧭			
a.			Don't know 😣			
	If you answered yes please give details					



16.	Notices that affect your property		
	In the past three years have you ever receievd a notice :		
a.	Advising that the owner of a neighbouring property has made a planning application?	Yes No 🥑	
b.	that affects your property in some other way?	Yes No 🥑	
c.	that requires you to perform any maintenance, repairs, or improvements to the property?	Yes No 🥑	
	If you answered yes to any of a-c above please give the notices to your solicitor or estate agent, including any notices which arrive at any time before the date of entry of the purchas of your property		

Declaration by the seller(s) or other authorised body or person(s)

I/We confirm that the information on this form is true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge and belief.

Signatures:

Susan Reid

Graeme Reid

Date:





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