

## Section 1 | About your property and your energy use

1) Do you own or rent your home?

- Own  Rent

2) How many people live in the house?

3) How old is the oldest person living in the house?

4) Are there any children age 16 or under living in the house?

- Yes  No

5) When was your property built?

- Pre-1900  1900-1919  
 1920-1945  1946-1979  
 1980-1995  1996 or after

6) What type of property is it?

- House  Bungalow  
 Flat  Maisonette

7) Is your home ...

- Detached  Semi-detached  
 Mid-terrace  End-terrace  
 Enclosed

8) If your home is a flat, is it ...

- Basement flat  Ground-floor flat  
 Mid-floor flat  Top-floor flat

9) How many bedrooms does your home have? (Include rooms which were originally bedrooms but are now used for another purpose.)

10) How many storeys does your home have? (Don't include unheated basements or loft space)

11) How many open chimneys?

12) How many extractor fans?

13) What are the main walls of your home made of?

- Solid brick  Solid stone  System build  
 Brick cavity  Timber frame  Don't know  
 Other ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

14) How are your walls insulated?

- Cavity-wall insulation  
 Solid-wall insulation (internal)  
 Solid-wall insulation (external)  
 None  Don't know

15) Is your roof mainly ...

- Sloping  Flat  
 Other  There is no roof

16) How much roof/loft insulation does your home have?

- None  50mm (2")  
 100mm (4")  200mm (8")  
 300mm (12") or more  No roof  
 Don't know (or no access)

17) What sort of window frames does your home have? (Please select most common type)

- Wood  Metal  
 Plastic (uPVC)  Don't know

18) How much of your home has double or triple glazing (approx)?

- 100%  75%  50%  
 25%  0%

19) How many doors opening to the outside does your home have? If you live in a flat that isn't on the ground floor this might be zero.

20) Most of your external doors are made of ...

- Wood  Metal  Plastic (uPVC)  
 Don't know  No external door (flat)

21) What electricity tariff are you on?

- Standard  Economy 7  Don't know

22) How many low-energy lightbulbs are there in your home? (Please only include light fittings, no stand-alone lamps)

23) What is your main heating system?

(If you have more than one system please select the one that provides the most heat)

- Boiler and radiators  Warm air  
 Storage heaters  Communal  
 Room heaters (includes stand-alone heaters fuelled by gas, oil, electricity or solid fuel)  
 Don't know  
 Other ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

24) Main heating fuel

- Gas  Standard electric  Oil  
 Coal  LPG/bottled gas  Wood  
 Economy 7  Communal fuel  Other

25) Heating controls (tick all that apply)

- Programmer  Room thermostat  
 Radiator valves  Appliance thermostat  
 Storage heater dials  Don't know  
 Other ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

26) What kind of boiler do you have?

- Standard boiler (your house may also have a separate hot water tank)  
 Condensing boiler (with hot water tank)  
 Combi boiler (providing heating and instant hot water, usually without a hot water tank)  
 Condensing combi  
 Back boiler (usually behind a fireplace)  
 No boiler  Don't know

27) When was your current heating system installed? (This refers to the heating system itself, not the heat emitters. So if you have an old boiler but new radiators, please enter the age of the boiler not the radiators)

- Under 3 yrs  3 to 10 yrs  10 to 15 yrs  
 15 to 20 yrs  Over 20 yrs  Don't know

28) What kind of water heating system does your home have? If you have an electric shower, but the remaining hot water in your house comes from an alternative system then select the alternative system.

- Same system as heating (above)  
 Economy 7 immersion/cylinder  
 Standard electric immersion/cylinder  
 Instantaneous gas  Instantaneous electric  
 Don't know  None

29) If your home has a hot water cylinder, how big is it (in litres)

- Small (under 90)  Normal (90-130)  
 Medium (130-170)  Large (over 170)  
 Don't know

30) Is the hot water cylinder insulated?

- No cylinder  Loose jacket  
 Factory foam  Don't know

31) ... and how thick is the insulation?

- Unknown  No cylinder  
 No insulation  12mm (0.5 inch)  
 25mm (1 inch)  50mm (2 inches)  
 75mm (3 inches)  more than this

32) Does the hot water cylinder have a thermostat that allows you to control the temperature of hot water?

- Yes  No

33) Which renewable energy technologies does your house have

- Solar panels (PV)  Solar water heating  
 Wind turbine  Log stove  
 Other ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

## Section 2 | Your details

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person who did this survey  
(if not the householder) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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