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Scottish
Single Survey



## survey report on:

Property address	Dodside Toll Stewarton Road Newton Mearns Glasgow G77 6WQ
Customer	Mr Colin Giles
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Prepared by	Shepherd Chartered Surveyors
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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 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 marking the adjacent box.



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 Rules 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.

#### 1.10 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 <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 <u>Category 2:</u> 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 detached villa with a further	
	detached annex.	
Accommodation	GROUND FLOOR: Reception Hallway, Living Room, Kitchen/Dining Room, Study/Bedroom 5, Cloakroom, Utility Room.	
	FIRST FLOOR: Landing, Master Bedroom with en-suite Shower Room, Bedroom 2 with walk-in wardrobe, Bedroom 3, Bedroom 4, Family Bathroom.	
	ANNEX 1: Living Room/Kitchen, Bedroom with en-suite Shower Room.	
	ANNEX 2: Playroom/Games Room.	
Gross internal floor area (m²)	The gross internal floor area extends to 251 m² or thereby (including all external apartments).	
Neighbourhood and location	The subjects are located within a rural setting to the south of Glasgow where surrounding properties are of mixed design, vintage and character.	
	Adequate local shopping, educational and transport facilities are available within commuting distance.	
Age	Original structure pre 1900 although extended in recent times.	
Weather	Dry and clear.	
Chimney stacks	There are no chimney stacks pertaining to the property.	

## Roofing including roof space Sloping roofs were visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate. 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. The roof was seen to be of pitched design overlaid with concrete tiles. Access to the roof space is by way of a hatch within the ceiling of the upper landing. This revealed a timber framed roof structure. Rainwater fittings Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate. Rainwater fittings are formed in uPVC materials. Main walls Visually inspected with the aid of binoculars where appropriate. Foundations and concealed parts were not exposed or inspected. The main walls are believed to be a combination of stone, brick and block construction rendered externally. 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 subjects are accessed by way of a pedestrian entrance door to the front elevation and uPVC double glazed patio doors leading from the dining kitchen and sitting room apartments. Window units are of uPVC construction, containing double glazing. Natural lighting is provided at attic level by way of Velux roof lights.

External decorations	Visually inspected.
	External timbers have a paint finish.
Conservatories / porches	There are no conservatories or porches pertaining to the property.
Communal areas	There are no communal areas pertaining to the property.
Garages and permanent outbuildings	Visually inspected.
	The subjects benefit from a detached garage which was seen to be of brick/block construction under a pitched and tiled roof.
	Access is by way of a vehicular and pedestrian entrance door to the front elevation. There is a games room/study apartment located above the garage which is accessed by way of uPVC double glazed patio doors from the rear elevation at first floor level. Further natural lighting is provided by way of Velux roof lights.
	There is a secondary annex which forms a detached apartment. This would appear to be of brick/block construction under a pitched tiled roof. Access is by way of a pedestrian entrance door to the front elevation and uPVC double glazed patio doors to the rear. Further windows were again seen to be of uPVC construction, containing double glazing.
Outside areas and boundaries	Visually inspected.
	There are garden grounds to all sides.
	Gardens are bound by way of walling and fencing.
Ceilings	Visually inspected from floor level.
	Ceilings within the property are formed in plasterboard.
Internal walls	Visually inspected from floor level.
	Using a moisture meter, walls were randomly tested for dampness where considered appropriate.
	Internal walls are formed in a combination of brickwork, plastered on both faces and plasterboard.

Floors including sub floors  Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	Surfaces of exposed floors were visually inspected. No carpets or floor coverings were lifted.  Floors are of timber construction.  No sub-floor inspection was undertaken and hence we cannot comment upon its condition.  Built-in cupboards were looked into but no stored items were moved.  Kitchen units were visually inspected excluding
	Internal joinery incorporates timber skirtings and door facings together with internal pass doors of timber construction.  The kitchen incorporates base and wall mounted units.  There is a secondary kitchen located within the studio apartment which again contains fitted units.
Chimney breasts and fireplaces	Visually inspected.  No testing of the flues or fittings was carried out.
	There is a solid fuel stove fire located within the annex within the living room apartment. This vents by way of a metal flue through to roof level.
Internal decorations	Visually inspected.
	Internal decoration incorporates paint finishes throughout.
Cellars	There are no cellars pertaining to the property.
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.  The electrical switch gear is located within the cupboard off the kitchen. Power points are of 13 amp standard.
Gas	There is no gas supply to the subject property.

### 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.

We understand that the water supply is provided via a private pump and facility which takes water from the adjacent water station. Confirmation would be prudent in this regard.

Water piping, where visible, is run in copper and PVC.

Bathroom fittings incorporates a four piece suite within the principal bathroom and a shower, WC and wash hand basin within each of the shower room apartments.

There is a further WC and wash hand basin within the cloakroom at ground floor level.

### Heating and hot water

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.

Heating to the main structure is provided via an oil fired floor standing boiler located within the utility room which serves radiators throughout the property.

Further heating is provided to the annex by way of electric panel heaters.

Domestic hot water is provided via a large hot water cylinder located within the cupboard off the dining kitchen.

### Drainage

Drainage covers etc. were not lifted.

Neither drains nor drainage systems were tested.

Drainage is by way of a septic tank which is located on the opposite side of the main road within an adjacent field.

#### Fire, smoke and burglar alarms

### Visually inspected.

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

All Scottish homes require 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 needs to be installed in each kitchen. The alarms need to be ceiling mounted and interlinked. Where there is a carbonfuelled appliance such as a boiler, open fire or wood burner, a carbon monoxide detector is also required. We have not assessed or tested any existing equipment and it is the purchasers responsibility to confirm that the property will comply with these standards following a change of ownership.

### Any additional limits to inspection

An inspection for Japanese Knotweed was not carried out. This is a plant which is subject to control 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.

The property was fully furnished and had fitted floor coverings, therefore no detailed inspection was possible of the floors and accordingly, no comment can be made on their condition. Internal cupboards were generally filled with storage items. No access was available beneath sanitary or kitchen fittings.

Windows and external doors were not all fully opened or tested.

The cold water rising main was not fully inspectable.

## 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
- 26) 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
	Repairs or replacement requiring future attention, but estimates are still advised.	

Structural movement	
Repair category	1
Notes	There was no evidence of significant structural movement within the limitations of our inspection.

Dampness, rot and infestation	
Repair category	1
Notes	Damp meter readings were taken where considered appropriate within the property and moisture levels were found to be within an acceptable range.

Chimney stacks	
Repair category	N/A
Notes	N/A

Roofing including roof space	
Repair category	1
Notes	No significant defects were noted at the time of inspection. Roofing contractors recommend that roof coverings are inspected regularly in order to ensure they remain watertight.
	We would highlight that given the age of the roof coverings, regular maintenance work should be anticipated on an ongoing basis.
	The roof structure over the detached annex was showing signs of weathering together with significant moss growth on the rear elevation. Future maintenance and repair should be anticipated.

Rainwater fittings	
Repair category	1
Notes	Within the limitations of our inspection rainwater goods were seen to be free from significant defect.  We would highlight that it was not raining at the time of our inspection and
	we would recommend that all rainwater fittings be inspected during heavy rainfall in order to ensure they are free from defect.

Main walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	Within the limitations of our inspection, no significant defects were noted, however normal levels of maintenance are recommended.

Windows, external doors and joinery	
Repair category	1
Notes	Windows were not all fully opened or tested, and it should be appreciated that some defects are only evident during certain weather conditions.  Within the limitations of our inspection, no significant defects were noted.

External decorations	
Repair category	1
Notes	Paint finished and decorated external surfaces will require redecoration on a regular basis.

Conservatories/porches	
Repair category	N/A
Notes	N/A

Communal areas	
Repair category	N/A
Notes	N/A

Garages and permanent outbuildings	
Repair category	2
Notes	General weathering and hairline cracking was noted to the render work over the annex requiring future maintenance and repair.
	The vehicular door to the garage was noted to be damaged, requiring future maintenance and/or replacement.

Outside areas and boundaries	
Repair category	1
Notes	Garden grounds generally were seen to be in good order having been well maintained in recent times.  Boundary walls and fences should be regularly checked and maintained as
	necessary.  General weathering and deterioration was noted to timber deck areas
	requiring future joinery repair work.

Ceilings	
Repair category	1
Notes	Within the limitations of our inspection no significant defects were noted.

Internal walls	
Repair category	1
Notes	Within the limitations of our inspection no significant defects were noted.

Floors including sub-floors	
Repair category	1
Notes	Due to fitted carpets and floor coverings no detailed inspection of floors was possible and accordingly no comment can be made on their condition.

Internal joinery and kitchen fittings	
Repair category	1
Notes	Within the limitations of our inspection no significant defects were noted.

Chimney breasts and fireplaces	
Repair category	1
Notes	All flue linings should be checked, repaired if necessary and swept prior to fires/appliances being reused.

Internal decorations	
Repair category	1
Notes	The property is in good decorative order.

Cellars	
Repair category	N/A
Notes	N/A

Electricity	
Repair category	1
Notes	The Institution of Engineering Technology recommends that inspections and testings are undertaken at least every five years and on a change of occupancy. It should be appreciated that only the most recently constructed or re-wired properties will have installations which fully comply with IET regulations.

Gas	
Repair category	N/A
Notes	N/A

Water, plumbing and bathroom fittings				
Repair category	1			
Notes	The property is understood to have a private water supply from the adjacent water station. This source is assumed to be reliable. Neither the reliability nor purity of the supply have been tested and any purchaser should fully satisfy themselves in these respects prior to conclusion of missives.			
	No tests have been undertaken of the system, however within the limitations of our inspection, no significant defects were noted. No inspection has been possible to enclosed timbers beneath wet appliances and no comment has been made on the condition of unseen areas. Watertight seals will require to be regularly checked and replaced, to prevent water damage to adjoining areas.			

Heating and hot water				
Repair category	1			
Notes	It is assumed that the central heating system has been properly installed, updated and maintained to meet with all current regulations and standards with particular regard to fluing and ventilation requirements. Service records should be obtained and checked. In the absence of service documentation further advice should be obtained from a qualified heating engineer to ascertain the condition, efficiency, and life expectancy of the system.  The service records for the oil tank and supply should be confirmed prior to sale.			

Drainage	
Repair category	2
Notes	There are understood to be private drainage arrangements in the form of a septic tank within an adjacent field. The maintenance liability, rights of access and SEPA consents should be confirmed.  We understand that repairs are pending in this regard although are to be undertaken prior to sale. Confirmation would be prudent.

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

### 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. Wherea 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		
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	X	No	
5. Is there a toilet on the same level as the living room and kitchen?	Yes	X	No	
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 property has been altered including the formation of the annex, garage and playroom and the internal layout of the main accommodation. It should be confirmed that all necessary permissions have been obtained.

Where defects or repairs have been identified within this report it is recommended that, prior to entering into any legally binding sale or purchase contract, further specialist's or contractor's advice and estimates should 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.

#### Estimated reinstatement cost for insurance purposes

For Reinstatement Cost Assessment purposes, it is recommended that the subjects be insured for a sum of not less than £750,000 (SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING).

This figure is the estimate of the cost of rebuilding the premises and bears no direct relationship to current market value.

#### Valuation and market comments

Having considered matters, taking account of our general observations on site, we are of the opinion that the Market Value of the subjects in their present condition and with the benefit of vacant possession may be fairly stated in the sum of £600,000 (SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING).

Signed	Martin Waite Electronically signed :- 14/04/2025 15:56
Report author	Martin Waite
Company name	J & E Shepherd Chartered Surveyors
Address	269 Kilmarnock Road Shawlands Glasgow G43 1TX
Date of report	09/04/2025



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Property Address	
Address	Dodside Toll, Stewarton Road, Newton Mearns, Glasgow, G77 6WQ
Seller's Name	Mr Colin Giles
Date of Inspection	09/04/2025
Property Details	
Property Type X House	Bungalow Purpose built maisonette Converted maisonette
Purpose built flat	Converted flat Tenement flat Flat over non-residential use
	Other (specify in General Remarks)
Property Style X Detached	Semi detached Mid terrace End terrace
Back to back	High rise block Low rise block Other (specify in General Remarks)
Does the surveyor believe that the pmilitary, police?	property was built for the public sector, e. g. local authority,
Flats/Maisonettes only Floor(s) on wh	nich located No. of floors in block Lift provided? Yes No
Tidde, maiddinatae daily	No. of units in block
Approximate Year of Construction	1900
Tenure	
X Absolute Ownership	Other
Accommodation	
Number of Rooms 3 Living room	(s) 5 Bedroom(s) 2 Kitchen(s)
3 Bathroom(s	2 Other (Specify in General remarks)
Gross Floor Area (excluding garage	es and outbuildings) 251 m² (Internal) 275 m² (External)
Residential Element (greater than 4)	<u> </u>
Residential Liement (greater than 7	7/0) A 165 L 140
Garage / Parking / Outbuildings	
Single garage X Double gar	age Parking space No garage / garage space / parking space
Available on site? X Yes	No
Permanent outbuildings:	
None.	

Construction							
Walls Roof	X Brick X Tile			imber frame Felt		(specify in Gene (specify in Gene	,
Special Risks							
Has the property	y suffered structui	ral movement?				Yes X N	0
If Yes, is this red	cent or progressiv	re?				Yes N	0
Is there evidence the immediate v	e, history, or reas ricinity?	on to anticipate	subsidence, h	eave, landslip	or flood in	Yes X N	0
If Yes to any of	the above, provide	e details in Gene	eral Remarks.				
Service Conn	ections						
Based on visual the supply in Ge	inspection only. I eneral Remarks	f any services a	ppear to be no	on-mains, pleas	se comment o	n the type an	d locationof
Drainage	Mains	X Private	None	Water	Mains	X Private	None
Electricity	X Mains X Yes	Private Partial	None None	Gas	Mains	Private	X None
Central Heating				<b>、</b> .			
Oil fired boiler to ra	of Central Heatin		Tialitis Services	o.			
0:4-							
Site	ssues to be verific	ad by the convey	rancer Pleas	o provido a brid	of description	in General P	omarke
Rights of way		es / access Gara		•	•	rvice connection	
Ill-defined bound		land included with p	-			ecify in General	
Location							
X Residential subu	urb Resid	dential within town /	city Mixe	d residential / com	mercial Shar	ed service conn	ections
Commuter villag	ge Remo	ote village	Isola	ted rural property	Othe	r (specify in Ger	neral Remarks)
Planning Issu	es						
	y been extended / etails in General F		ered? X	∕es ☐ No			
Roads							
X Made up road	Unmade road	Partly comp	oleted new road	Pedestrian acc	ess only Ac	dopted	Unadopted

## General Remarks

The subjects comprise a detached villa located within a rural setting to the south of Glasgow, where surrounding properties are of mixed

Ample looking shopping, educational and public transport facilities are available within commuting distance.

The subjects generally would appear to be in a reasonable state of repair having regard to its age and nature of construction. There were matters requiring attention which should be capable of remedy by routine maintenance and repair.

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OTHER ACCOMMODATION: utility roo	m and games room.	
Essential Repairs		
None apparent.		
Estimated cost of essential repairs	N/A	
Retention recommended?	Yes X No	
Retention amount	N/A	
The property forms suitable security for the self contained annex should be referenced.	mortgage purposes subject to the specific lending criteria of any mortgage provierred to individual lenders for further advice.	der. The presence of
Valuation		
Market value in present condition		£ 600,000
Market value on completion of es	ssential repairs	£
Insurance reinstatement value		£ 750,000
	g, site clearance, professional fees, ancillary charges plus VAT)	
Is a reinspection necessary?		Yes X No

## Declaration

Signed Martin Waite

Electronically signed :- 14/04/2025 15:56

Surveyor's name Martin Waite

Professional qualifications MRICS

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Date of Inspection 09/04/2025



**Energy Performance Certificate** 



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

**Dwellings** 

## **Scotland**

### THE OLD TOLLHOUSE, STEWARTON ROAD, NEWTON MEARNS, GLASGOW, G77 6WQ

**Dwelling type: Detached house** Date of assessment: 15 April 2025 Date of certificate: 15 April 2025 **Total floor area:** 161 m<sup>2</sup>

**Primary Energy Indicator:** 244 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>/year Reference number: 9453-1003-0204-8755-9204 RdSAP, existing dwelling Type of assessment:

Approved Organisation: **Elmhurst** 

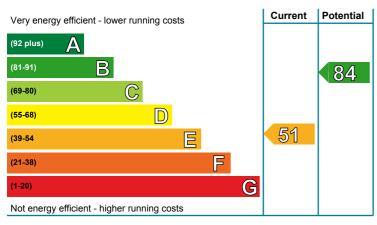
Main heating and fuel: Boiler and radiators, oil

#### 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*	£6,999	See your recommendations	
Over 3 years you could save*	£1,701	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 E (51). 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.

#### Current Potential Very environmentally friendly - lower CO2 emissions (92 plus) B (81-91) (69-80)73 (55-68) $\mathbb{D}$ (39-54 43 (21-38) (1-20)G Not environmentally friendly - higher CO2 emissions

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

This graph shows the effect of your home on the environment in terms of carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) emissions. The higher the rating, the less impact it has on the environment.

Your current rating is band E (43). 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

Recommended measures	Indicative cost	Typical savings over 3 years
1 Internal or external wall insulation	£4,000 - £14,000	£846.00
2 Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£800 - £1,200	£558.00
3 Increase hot water cylinder insulation	£15 - £30	£87.00

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	Sandstone or limestone, as built, no insulation (assumed)	***	***
	Cavity wall, as built, insulated (assumed)	★★★☆☆	★★★★☆
	Timber frame, as built, insulated (assumed)	****	<b>★★★★☆</b>
Roof	Pitched, 270 mm loft insulation	<b>★★★★☆</b>	<b>★★★★</b> ☆
	Pitched, insulated (assumed)	<b>★★★☆☆</b>	$\star\star\star$
	Roof room(s), insulated	★★★★☆	<b>★★★★</b> ☆
Floor	Suspended, no insulation (assumed)	_	_
Windows	Fully double glazed	<b>★★★★☆</b>	<b>★★★★</b> ☆
Main heating	Boiler and radiators, oil	***	<b>★★★</b> ☆
Main heating controls	Programmer, room thermostat and TRVs	<b>★★★★</b> ☆	<b>★★★</b> ☆
Secondary heating	Room heaters, dual fuel (mineral and wood)	_	_
Hot water	From main system	***	<b>★★★☆☆</b>
Lighting	Low energy lighting in all 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,  $CO_2$  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 63 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 10 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 5.2 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	£5,841 over 3 years	£4,518 over 3 years	
Hot water	£765 over 3 years	£387 over 3 years	You could
Lighting	£393 over 3 years	£393 over 3 years	save £1,701
Total	£6,999	£5,298	over 3 years

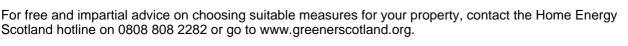
These figures show how much the average household would spend in this property for heating, lighting and hot water. This excludes energy use for running appliances such as TVs, computers and cookers, and the benefits of any electricity generated by this home (for example, from photovoltaic panels). The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

Da	assumented massives	Indicative cost	Typical saving	Rating after improvement	
Recommended measures		per year		Energy	Environment
1	Internal or external wall insulation	£4,000 - £14,000	£282	D 57	E 48
2	Floor insulation (suspended floor)	£800 - £1,200	£186	D 61	E 52
3	Increase hot water cylinder insulation	£15 - £30	£29	D 62	E 53
4	Solar water heating	£4,000 - £6,000	£69	D 64	D 55
5	Solar photovoltaic panels, 2.5 kWp	£3,500 - £5,500	£393	C 70	D 61
6	Wind turbine	£15,000 - £25,000	£865	B 84	C 73

## Choosing the right improvement package





## 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 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 long-lasting 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.

### 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 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.

#### 4 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.

#### 5 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.

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#### 6 Wind turbine

A wind turbine provides electricity from wind energy. This electricity is used throughout the home in the same way as the electricity purchased from an energy supplier. Wind turbines are not suitable for all properties. The system's effectiveness depends on local wind speeds and the presence of nearby obstructions, and a site survey should be undertaken by an accredited installer. Planning permission might be required and 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. 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 a wind turbine, 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)	25,802	N/A	N/A	(3,848)
Water heating (kWh per year)	3,666			

### **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.

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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 greeners cotland.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 Questionnaire



Property address	Dodside Toll Stewarton Road Newton Mearns Glasgow G77 6WQ
Seller(s)	Mr Colin Giles
Completion date of property questionnaire	11/04/2025

## **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 prope	erty?	11 years	2 months	
2.	Council tax				
	Which Council Tax band is your prop	erty in?	G		
3.	Parking				
	What are the arrangements for parking at your property? (Please tick all that apply)				
	Garage	Yes			
	Allocated parking space	No			
	• Driveway	Yes			
	Shared parking	No			
	On street	No			
	Resident permit	No			
	Metered Parking	No			
	Other (please specify):				
4.	Conservation area				
	Is your property in a designated Con special architectural or historical int which it is desirable to preserve or e	erest, the character	is an area of or appearance of	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)?	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)?	No
	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 consents for this work?	
	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?	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?	
	(ii) Did this work involve any changes to the window or door openings?	
	(iii) Please describe the changes made to the windows doors, or patio doors approximate dates when the work was completed):	(with
	Please give any guarantees which you received for this work to your solicito agent.	r or estate
7.	Central heating	
a.	Is there a central heating system in your property? (Note: a partial central heating system is one which does not heat all the main rooms of the property — the main living room, the bedroom(s), the hall and the bathroom).	Yes
	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).	
	Oil	

	i) When was your central heating system or partial central heating system installed?			
	Unsure - Prior to us - new boile	er approx 8yrs		
	(ii) Do you have a maintenand	ce contract for the cen	tral heating system?	No
	If you have answered yes, ple you have a maintenance con-		e company with which	
	(iii) When was your maintena (Please provide the month ar	_	newed?	
8.	Energy Performance Certification	ate		
	Does your property have an I than 10 years old?	Energy Performance C	ertificate which is less	Yes
9.	Issues that may have affected	d your property		
а.	Has there been any storm, flood, fire or other structural damage to the property while you have owned it?		tural damage to the	No
	If you have answered yes, is insurance claim?	the damage the subjec	ct of any outstanding	
b.	Are you aware of the existence of the ex	•	property?	No
10.	Services			
a.	Please tick which services ar supplier:	e connected to your p	roperty and give details o	of the
	Services	Connected	Supplier	
	Gas or liquid petroleum gas	No		
	Water mains or private water supply	Yes	Private pump w Scottish Water	ithin
	Electricity	Yes	British Gas	
	Mains drainage	Yes	Septic Tank - So water empty	cottish

	Cable TV or satellite	No		
	Broadband	Yes	EE	
b.	Is there a septic tank system	Is there a septic tank system at your property?		
	If you have answered yes, pl	ease answer the two	questions below:	
	(i) Do you have appropriate consents for the discharge from your septic tank?			Don't know
	(ii) Do you have a maintenan	ce contract for your	septic tank?	Yes
	If have answered yes, details maintenance contract:	of the company witl	h which you have a	
	Scottish water			
11.	Responsibilities for shared of	or common areas		
a.	Are you aware of any responsed jointly, such as the reboundary, or garden area?			No
	If you have answered yes, p	olease give details:		
b.	Is there a responsibility to coroof, common stairwell or co			No
	If you have answered yes, p	olease give details:		
C.	Has there been any major rep		of any part of the roof	No
d.	Do you have the right to wa for example to put out your boundaries?			No
	If you have answered yes, p	lease give details:		
e.	As far as you are aware, do walk over your property, for maintain their boundaries?			No
	If you have answered yes, p	olease give details:		
f.	As far as you are aware, is your property? (public right right to pass, whether or no	t of way is a way ov	er which the public has a	No
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12.	Charges associated with the property	
a.	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:	No
b.	Is there a common buildings insurance policy?  If you have answered yes, is the cost of the insurance included in monthly/annual factor's charges?	No
C.	Please give details of any other charges you have to pay on a regular ba upkeep of common areas or repair works, for example to a residents' as or maintenance or stair fund.	
13.	Specialist work	
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.	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:	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:	
14.	Guarantees	
a.	Are there any guarantees or warranties for any of the following?	
	(i) Electrical work	Don't know
	(ii) Roofing	Don't

	(iii) Central heating	Don't know
	(iv) National House Building Council (NHBC)	Don't know
	(v) Damp course	Don't know
	(vi) Any other work installations? (for example, cavity wall installation, underpinning, indemnity policy)	No
b.	If you have answered 'yes' or 'with title deeds', please give details of the installations to which the guarantee(s) relate(s):	e work or
C.	Are there any outstanding claims under any of the guarantees listed above? If you have answered yes, please give details:	No
15.	Boundaries	
	So far as you are aware, has any boundary of your property been moved in thelast 10 years?	No
	If you have answered yes, please give details:	
16.	Notices that affect your property	
	In the past three years have you ever received a notice:	
a.	advising that the owner of a neighbouring property has made a planning application?	No
b.	that affects your property in some other way?	No
C.	that requires you to do any maintenance, repairs or improvements to your property?	No
	If you have answered yes to any of a-c above, please give the notices to yo or estate agent, including any notices which arrive at any time before the d of the purchaser of your property.	

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

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

Name(s): Colin Giles

Date: 11/04/2025

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