# Nationwide House Energy Rating Scheme NatHERS Certificate No. BRE1G7XNSH

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**Property** 

Address 1, SALEYARDS LANE, MUDGEE, NSW, 2850

Lot/DP 16/1266486

NCC Class\* Class 1a

Type New Home

**Plans** 

Main plan 10914.1

Prepared by HIBBARDS PTY LTD

# Construction and environment

Assessed floor area (m²)\* Exposure type
Conditioned\* 130.2 suburban

Unconditioned\* 48.2 NatHERS climate zone

Total 178.4 65, MUDGEE

Garage 36.4



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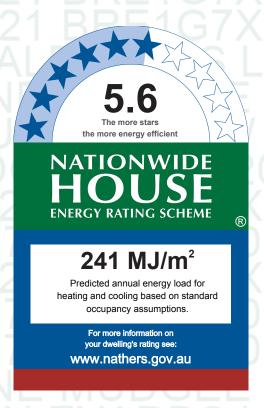
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**Declaration of interest** Declared, refer to "Additional Notes" on page 2



# Thermal performance

**Heating Cooling** 

236.4 4.6

MJ/m<sup>2</sup> MJ/m<sup>2</sup>

## About the rating

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

## Verification

To verify this certificate, scan the QR code or visit https://www.fr5.com.au /QRCodeLanding?PublicId= BRE1G7XNSH When using either link, ensure you are visiting www.FR5.com.au.



## National Construction Code (NCC) requirements

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

In NCC 2019, these requirements include minimum star ratings and separate heating and cooling load limits that need to be met by buildings and apartments through the NatHERS assessment. Requirements additional to the NatHERS assessment that must also be satisfied include, but are not limited to: insulation installation methods, thermal breaks, building sealing, water heating and pumping, and artificial lighting requirements. The NCC and NatHERS Heating and Cooling Load Limits (Australian Building Codes Board Standard) are available at www.abcb.gov.au.

State and territory variations and additions to the NCC may also apply.



## Certificate Check

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

#### Genuine certificate

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

#### Ceiling penetrations\*

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

#### Windows

Does the installed window meet the substitution tolerances (SHGC and U-value) and window type, of the window shown on this Certificate?

#### Apartment entrance doors

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

#### Exposure\*

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

#### Provisional\* values

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

## Additional Notes

R1.5 INSULATION BATTS TO INTERNAL WALLS JOINING TO GARAGE

R3.5 INSULATION BATTS TO ENTIRE CEILING INCLUDING GARAGE

NO ANTICON BLANKET REQUIRED

# Window and glazed door type and performance

#### Default\* windows

Window ID	Window description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
ALM-002-01 A	Aluminium B SG Clear	6.7	0.7	0.66	0.74
Custom* windows					
				Substitution to	lerance ranges
Window ID	Window description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
SSW-001-07 A	100 SERIES - ALUMINIUM SLIDING WINDOW SG 4CIr	6.16	0.74	0.7	0.78
SSW-012-11 A	100 SERIES - ALUMINIUM SLIDING DOOR SG 5CIr	6.07	0.74	0.7	0.78

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# Window and glazed door Schedule

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

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Substitution tolerance ranges

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BED 4	ALM-002-01 A	W5	1800	600	double_hung	45.0	SSW	No
BED 4	ALM-002-01 A	W6	1800	600	double_hung	45.0	SSW	No
ENSUITE	SSW-001-07 A	W2	900	1200	sliding	45.0	ESE	No
BED 3	SSW-001-07 A	W10	1500	1500	sliding	45.0	NNE	No
BED 2	SSW-001-07 A	W11	1500	1500	sliding	45.0	NNE	No
GARAGE	SSW-001-07 A	W7	300	1800	fixed	0.0	WNW	No
ACTIVITY	ALM-002-01 A	W12	2100	900	double_hung	45.0	ESE	No
BED 1	SSW-001-07 A	W1	900	2100	sliding	45.0	NNE	No
MEDIA	ALM-002-01 A	W3	1800	600	double_hung	45.0	SSW	No
MEDIA	ALM-002-01 A	W4	1800	600	double_hung	45.0	SSW	No
MEDIA	ALM-002-01 A	W4A	1800	600	double_hung	45.0	SSW	No
WC	SSW-001-07 A	W9	900	600	sliding	45.0	WNW	No
KITCHEN/LIVING	SSW-012-11 A	D1	2100	2400	sliding	45.0	NNE	No
LAUNDRY	SSW-012-11 A	D4	2100	1500	sliding	30.0	WNW	No
BATHROOM	SSW-001-07 A	W8	900	900	sliding	45.0	WNW	No

# Roof window type and performance value

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

Custom\* roof windows

				Substitution to	lerance ranges
Window ID	Window description	Maximum U-value*	SHGC*	SHGC lower limit	SHGC upper limit
No Data Available				<u> </u>	

# Roof window schedule

				Area		Outdoor	Indoor	
Location	Window ID	Window no.	Opening %	(m²)	Orientation	shade	shade	
No Data Available								

## Skylight type and performance

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Skylight ID	Skylight description

# No Data Available

# Skylight schedule

		Skylight	Skylight shaft	Area Orien	t- Outdoo	r	Skylight shaft	
Location	Skylight ID	No.	length (mm)	(m²) ation	shade	Diffuser	reflectance	
No Data Available								

## External door schedule

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

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GARAGE	2100	4800	100.0	SSW	
ENTRY	2040	1200	100.0	SSW	

# External wall type

			Solar	Wall shad	е	Reflective
Wa	all ID	Wall type	absorptanc	e (colour)	Bulk insulation (R-value)	wall wrap*
	1	EIB - BRICK VENEER + ANTIGLARE FOIL	0.8	Dark		Yes
	2	FR5 - Double Brick	0.8	Dark		No

# External wall schedule

Location	Wall ID	Height (mm)		Orientation	Horizontal shading feature* maximum projection (mm)	Vertical shading feature (yes/no)
BED 4	1	2440	2101	WNW	450	Yes
BED 4	1	2440	2951	SSW	479	Yes
BED 4	1	2440	1547	ESE	2370	Yes
ENSUITE	1	2440	1911	ESE	457	No
BED 3	1	2440	3011	NNE	508	No
BED 3	1	2440	3621	WNW	449	No
BED 2	1	2440	3579	ESE	3750	Yes
BED 2	1	2440	2949	NNE	466	No
GARAGE	1	2526	5928	WNW	501	No
GARAGE	2	2526	6066	SSW	453	Yes
ACTIVITY	1	2440	1358	ESE	3747	Yes
BED 1	1	2440	4122	NNE	454	Yes
BED 1	1	2440	3600	ESE	457	No
ENTRY	1	2440	1876	SSW	2482	Yes
MEDIA	1	2440	500	SSW	2472	Yes
MEDIA	1	2440	3494	SSW	450	Yes
MEDIA	1	2440	4386	ESE	462	No
WC	1	2440	915	WNW	467	No
KITCHEN/LIVING	1	2440	811	NNE	450	Yes
KITCHEN/LIVING	1	2440	3969	NNE	5555	Yes
LAUNDRY	1	2440	1710	WNW	478	No
BATHROOM	1	2440	2016	WNW	469	No

# Internal wall type

Wall ID	Wall type	Area (m²) Bulk insulation
1	FR5 - Internal Plasterboard Stud Wall	117.6
2	FR5 - Internal Plasterboard Stud Wall	30.9 Glass fibre batt: R1.5 (R1.5)

# Floor type

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Location	Construction	(m²) ventilation	(R-value) Covering

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BED 4	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	10.8	Enclosed	R0.0	Carpet
ENSUITE	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	4.1	Enclosed	R0.0	Tiles
BED 3	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	10.8	Enclosed	R0.0	Carpet
BED 2	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	10.6	Enclosed	R0.0	Carpet
GARAGE	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	36.4	Enclosed	R0.0	none
ACTIVITY	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	16.1	Enclosed	R0.0	Carpet
BED 1	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	14.9	Enclosed	R0.0	Carpet
ENTRY	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	5	Enclosed	R0.0	Tiles
MEDIA	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	17.5	Enclosed	R0.0	Carpet
WC	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	1.6	Enclosed	R0.0	Tiles
KITCHEN/LIVING	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	40.5	Enclosed	R0.0	Tiles
LAUNDRY	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	4.7	Enclosed	R0.0	Tiles
BATHROOM	FR5 - 300mm waffle pod, 85mm concrete (R0.63)	5.5	Enclosed	R0.0	Tiles

# Ceiling type

		Bulk insulation R-value (may	Reflective
Location	Construction material/type	include edge batt values)	wrap*
BED 4	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
ENSUITE	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
BED 3	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
BED 2	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
GARAGE	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
ACTIVITY	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
BED 1	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
ENTRY	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
MEDIA	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
WC	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
KITCHEN/LIVING	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
LAUNDRY	Plasterboard	R3.5	No
BATHROOM	Plasterboard	R3.5	No

# Ceiling penetrations\*

Location	Quantity	Туре	Diameter (mm)	Sealed/unsealed
BED 4	1	Downlights	80	Sealed
ENSUITE	1	Downlights	80	Sealed
ENSUITE	1	Exhaust Fans	200	Sealed
BED 3	1	Downlights	80	Sealed
BED 2	1	Downlights	80	Sealed
ACTIVITY	1	Downlights	80	Sealed
BED 1	1	Downlights	80	Sealed
ENTRY	1	Downlights	80	Sealed
MEDIA	2	Downlights	80	Sealed

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WC	1	Downlights	80	Sealed	
KITCHEN/LIVING	6	Downlights	80	Sealed	
KITCHEN/LIVING	1	Exhaust Fans	200	Sealed	
LAUNDRY	1	Downlights	80	Sealed	
BATHROOM	1	Downlights	80	Sealed	
BATHROOM	1	Exhaust Fans	200	Sealed	

# Ceiling fans

Location Quantity Diameter (mm)

No Data Available

# Roof type

Construction	Added insulation (R-value)	Solar absorptance	Roof shade
Cont: Attic-Continuous	0.0	0.73	Dark

\* Refer to glossary. Page 6 of 8



# **Explanatory Notes**

## About this report

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

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

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

#### **Accredited assessors**

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

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

AAOs have specific quality assurance processes in place, and continuing professional development requirements, to maintain a high and consistent standard of assessments across the country.

Non-accredited assessors do not have this level of quality assurance or any ongoing training requirements.

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

#### **Disclaimer**

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

The predicted annual energy load in this NatHERS Certificate is an estimate based on an assessment of the building by the assessor. It is not a prediction of actual energy use, but may be used to compare how other buildings are likely to perform when used in a similar way. Information presented in this report relies on a range of standard assumptions (both embedded in NatHERS accredited software and made by the assessor who prepared this report), including assumptions about occupancy, indoor air temperature and local climate.

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

# Glossary

Annual energy load	the predicted amount of energy required for heating and cooling, based on standard occupancy assumptions.
Assessed floor area	the floor area modelled in the software for the purpose of the NatHERS assessment. Note, this may not be consistent with the floor area in the design documents.
Ceiling penetrations	features that require a penetration to the ceiling, including downlights, vents, exhaust fans, rangehoods, chimneys and flues. Excludes fixtures attached to the ceiling with small holes through the ceiling for wiring, e.g. ceiling fans; pendant lights, and heating and cooling ducts.
Conditioned	a zone within a dwelling that is expected to require heating and cooling based on standard occupancy assumptions. In some circumstances it will include garages.
Custom windows	windows listed in NatHERS software that are available on the market in Australia and have a WERS (Window Energy Rating Scheme) rating.
Default windows	windows that are representative of a specific type of window product and whose properties have been derived by statistical methods.
Entrance door	these signify ventilation benefits in the modelling software and must not be modelled as a door when opening to a minimally ventilated corridor in a Class 2 building.
Exposure category - exposed	terrain with no obstructions e.g. flat grazing land, ocean-frontage, desert, exposed high-rise unit (usually above 10 floors).
Exposure category - open	terrain with few obstructions at a similar height e.g. grasslands with few well scattered obstructions below 10m, farmland with scattered sheds, lightly vegetated bush blocks, elevated units (e.g. above 3 floors).
Exposure category - suburban	terrain with numerous, closely spaced obstructions below 10m e.g. suburban housing, heavily vegetated bushland areas.
Exposure category - protected	terrain with numerous, closely spaced obstructions over 10 m e.g. city and industrial areas.
Horizontal shading feature	provides shading to the building in the horizontal plane, e.g. eaves, verandahs, pergolas, carports, or overhangs or balconies from upper levels.

# **5.6 Star Rating** as of 20 Aug 2021



National Construction Code (NCC) Class	the NCC groups buildings by their function and use, and assigns a classification code. NatHERS software models NCC Class 1, 2 or 4 buildings and attached Class 10a buildings. Definitions can be found at www.abcb.gov.au.
Opening Percentage	the openability percentage or operable (moveable) area of doors or windows that is used in ventilation calculations.
Provisional value	an assumed value that does not represent an actual value. For example, if the wall colour is unspecified in the documentation, a provisional value of 'medium' must be modelled. Acceptable provisional values are outlined in the NatHERS Technical Note and can be found at www.nathers.gov.au
Reflective wrap (also known as foil)	can be applied to walls, roofs and ceilings. When combined with an appropriate airgap and emissivity value, it provides insulative properties.
Roof window	for NatHERS this is typically an operable window (i.e. can be opened), will have a plaster or similar light well if there is an attic space, and generally does not have a diffuser.
Shading device	a device fixed to windows that provides shading e.g. window awnings or screens but excludes eaves.
Shading features	includes neighbouring buildings, fences, and wing walls, but excludes eaves.
Solar heat gain coefficient (SHGC)	the fraction of incident solar radiation admitted through a window, both directly transmitted as well as absorbed and subsequently released inward. SHGC is expressed as a number between 0 and 1. The lower a window's SHGC, the less solar heat it transmits.
Skylight (also known as roof lights)	for NatHERS this is typically a moulded unit with flexible reflective tubing (light well) and a diffuser at ceiling level.
U-value	the rate of heat transfer through a window. The lower the U-value, the better the insulating ability.
Unconditioned	a zone within a dwelling that is assumed to not require heating and cooling based on standard occupancy assumptions.
Vertical shading features	provides shading to the building in the vertical plane and can be parallel or perpendicular to the subject wall/window. Includes privacy screens, other walls in the building (wing walls), fences, other buildings, vegetation (protected or listed heritage trees).