

Energy requirements Building regulations



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Energy requirements for buildings

-Implemented through Danish Building Code



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- -Method
- -Requirements for energy performance of buildings
- -Cost-optimal
- -New buildings
- -Existing buildings
- -Technical systems
- -NZEB



Building Regulations

- Energy Frames for new buildings
- Change of use and extensions
- Conversion and other alterations to the building and replacement of boilers etc
- Holiday Homes
- Minimum thermal insulation
- Minimum requirements to individual services

Building code contains future requirements

- LowEnergy Class 2015 has been part of Building Code since 2006
- Building Class 2020 since 2011
- Spurs innovation
- Gives companies an opportunity to build according to future requirements
- Lowers price of the future requirements



Bygningsreglementets krav til enfamiliehuse, 1961-2020

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Lowenergy buildings (red) vs normal buildings (blue)



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Energy Frames – General rules

- Air tightness Blower Door
- Transmission losses
- Primary Energy Factors
- Thermal indoor climate

Energy calculation in BE10



Key numbers

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Heating of DHW 0,0 Heat pump 10,7	Output from special sources		
Ventilators 1,2 Pumps 0,8 Cooling 0.0	Solar heat 4,5 Heat pump 14,0 Solar cells 0.0		
Total el. consumption 24,3	Wind mills 0,0		

Energy Frame for homes, dorms, hotels etc

- (52,5+1650/A) kWh/m2 per year

Energy Frame for offices, schools, institutions

- (71,3+1650/A) kWh/m2 per year
- For building with high demand for lighting, ventilation or similar, the energy frame is augmented

Low Energy Class 2015

- For dwellings: (30+1000/A) kWh/m2 per year
- For other buildings: (41+1000/A) kWh/m2 per year
- Stricter demands for air tightness, thermal comfort

Building Class 2020

- For dwellings: 20 kWh/m2 per year
- For other buildings: 25 kWh/m2 per year
- Stricter demands for air tightness, thermal comfort, CO2 in some rooms, windows, daylight, heat recovery

Change of use and extensions

- "Change of use" means use for a different purpose that involves significantly higher energy consumption. Examples are:
 - conversion of an unheated building for accommodation.
 - conversion of useable roof space for accommodation
- List of U-values to be followed
- 22% rule heat loss framework

Conversion and other alterations to the building and replacement of boilers etc.

- Cost-efficient measures should be applied
- List of measures that normally is cost-efficient is included in an appendix
- If building components are replaced completely, they should live up to the demands for new construction

Minimum thermal insulation

- A list of minimum acceptable constructions

Table of U values	U value W/m² K
External walls and basement walls in contact with the soil.	0.30
Suspended upper floors and partitions to rooms/spaces that are unheated or heated to a temperature more than 8 K lower than the temperature in the room/space concerned.	0.40
Ground slabs, basement floors in contact with the soil and sus- pended upper floors above open air or a ventilated crawl space.	0.20
Suspended floors below floors with underfloor heating adjoin- ing heated rooms/spaces.	0.50
Ceiling and roof structures, including jamb walls, flat roofs and sloping walls directly adjoining the roof.	0.20
External doors, rooflights, doors and hatches to the outside or to rooms/spaces that are unheated and these as well as glass walls and windows to rooms that are heated to a temperature more than 5 K below the temperature in the room concerned.	1.80

Windows

- Eref (energy balance of reference window)
- Energy balance contains information on Uw-value and gw-value

New Building Regulations 2015

- Low Energy Class 2015 will be minimum requirements
- Energy frames for existing buildings
- Ecodesign will replace certain danish requirements
- Remove requirements for surface temperature of windows
- Tightening of energy requirements for windows
- Renewable energy in energy frame