Nebraska's Residential Energy Code – 2018 IECC

Existing Homes and Buildings

Nebraska Energy Code Training Program

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- MEEA is a nonprofit membership organization with 160+ members, including:
  - Utilities
  - Research institutions
  - State and local governments
  - Energy efficiency-related businesses
- MEEA helps stakeholders understand and implement cost-effective energy efficiency strategies

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About the Nebraska Training Program

- Goal: prepare the Nebraska workforce for upcoming changes in construction best practices
  - Residential and Commercial Energy Code
  - Building Science
  - Practical Solutions
- Focused on providing training to builders, code officials, design professionals, public officials and students
- For more information, visit: https://www.mwalliance.org/nebraska-energy-codes-training-program

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Today's Agenda

- Existing Buildings-Defined
- Code Requirements in the 2018 IECC
- Existing Building Code Sections Breakdown
- Performance Testing
- HVAC System
- Marketing Performance
- Key Takeaways

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IECC Chapter 5 Existing Buildings

Provisions:

- General (R 501)
- Additions (R 502)
- Alterations (R 503)
- Repairs (R 504)
- Change of Use/Occupancy (R 505)

What is the 2018 IECC?

Quick Update - Review

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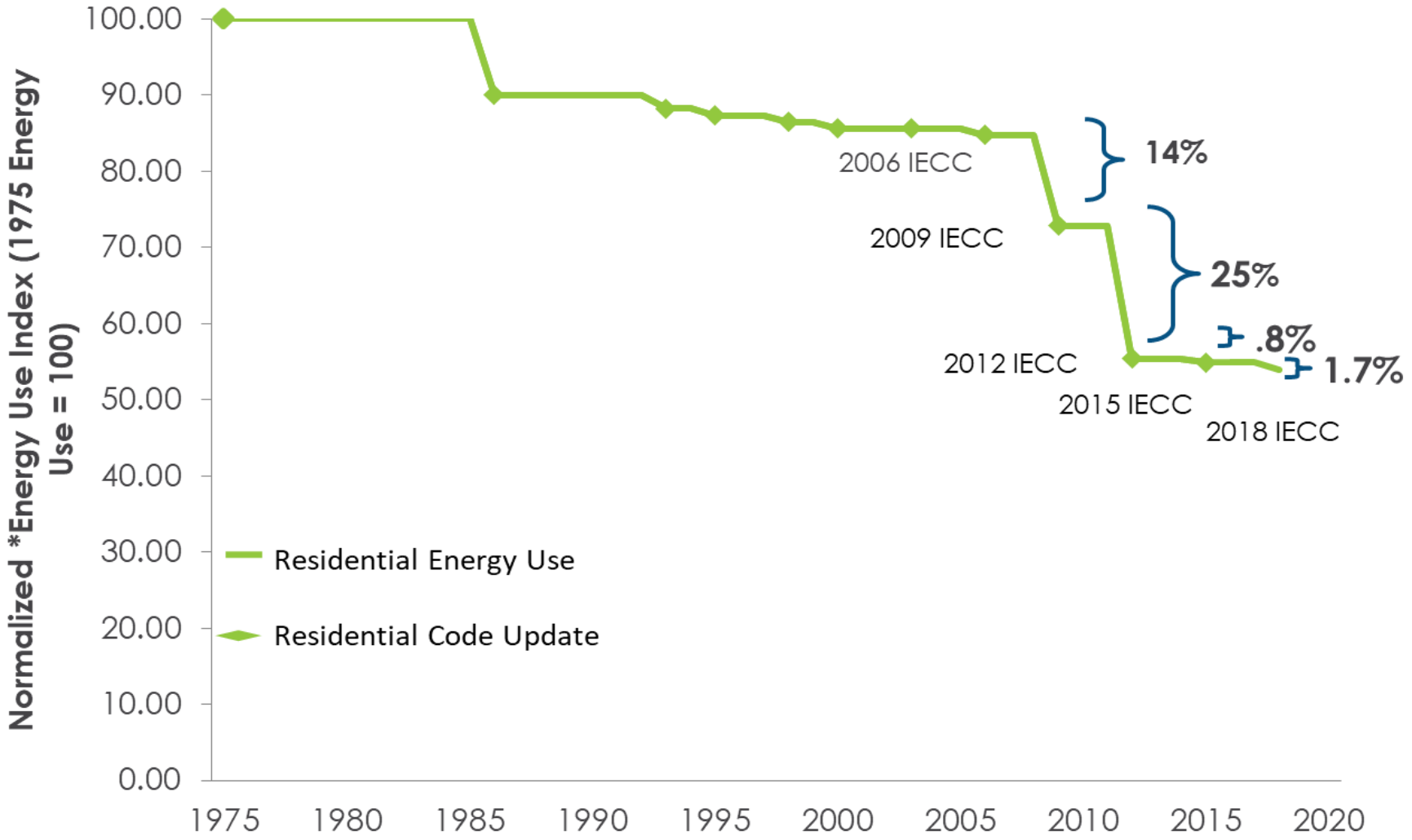
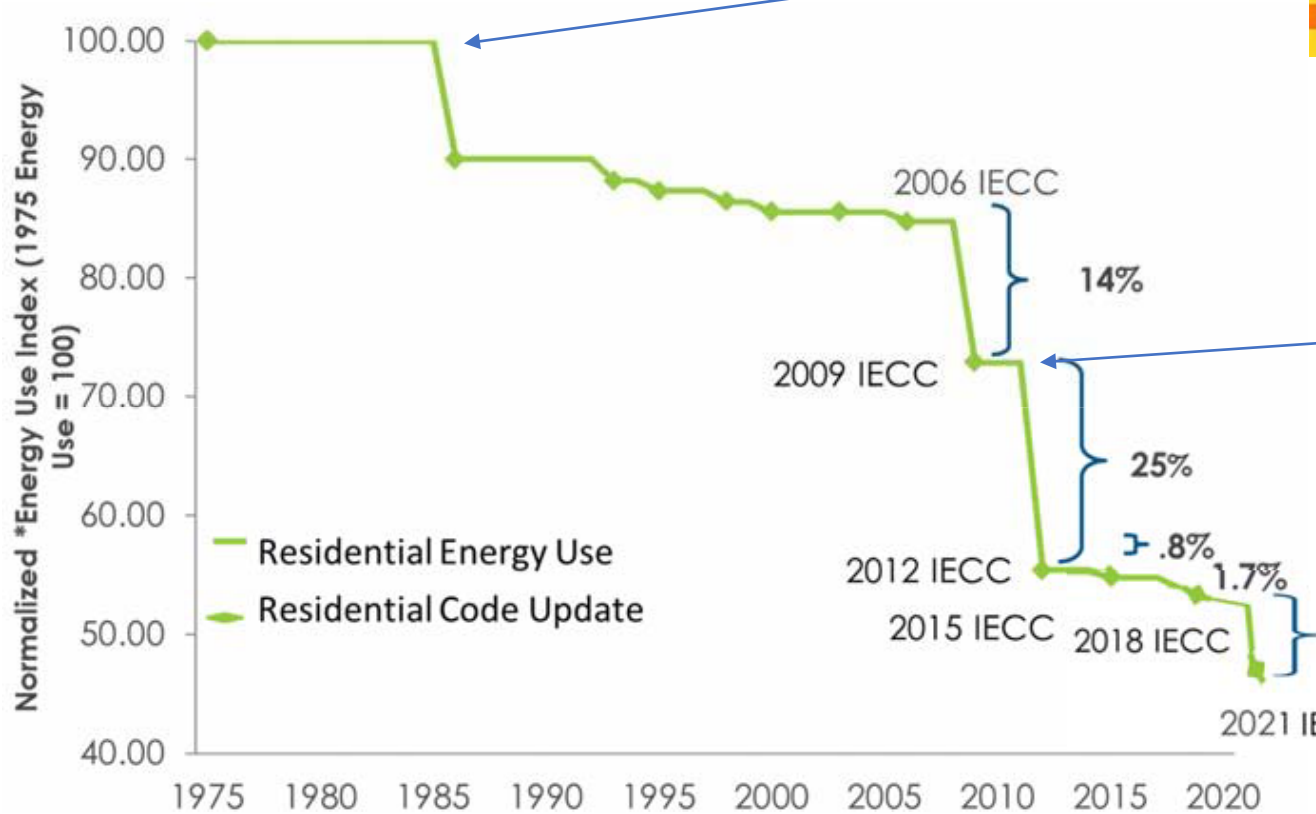
Model Energy Code Efficiency

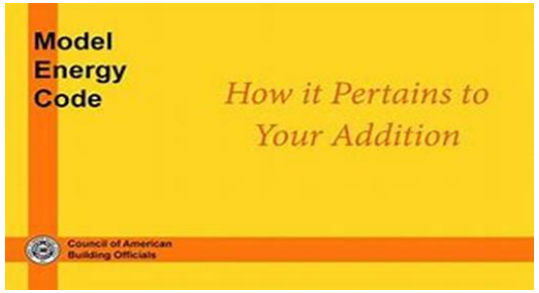


* Energy Use Index: National average energy use by building type and size.

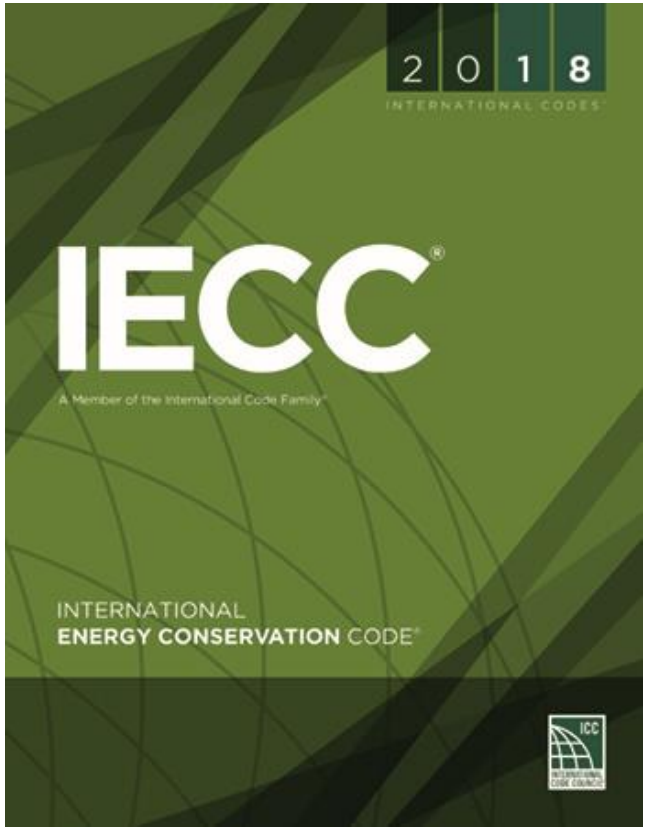
Source: MEEA based on PNNL Analysis

Residential Energy Code Background





So, What's Changed since 2009?



2018 IECC / IRC Section 11

- Creates a Residential Energy Code separate from the Commercial Energy Code
- Adds testing and verification requirements
- Promotes Innovation through Energy Ratings Index (ERI)
  - Uses a HERS-type index as an "equivalent" for residential applications
  - Mandatory requirements still apply

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2018 IECC Mandatory Requirements

Energy Certificate

- Energy Certificate located on circuit breaker box includes key energy efficiency measures and is signed by the builder

Air Sealing

- All holes between floors and through exterior walls/ceilings have been sealed in **accordance with table R402.4.1.1**
- Building or dwelling unit is **tested to verify air leakage rate of ≤ 3 Air Changes per Hour (ACH)**
- Building or dwelling unit must have continuous air barrier installed

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2018 IECC Mandatory Requirements

Ducts

- All ducts are sealed with approved materials (e.g. mastic or UL 181 tape) - duct tape is not acceptable
- All ducts outside conditioned space are tested to verify duct leakage with a total duct leakage or leakage to the outside test
- Supply & return ducts in attic insulated to ≥ R-6 when ducts are outside conditioned space and ≥ R-8 when ducts are outside the building thermal envelope

Building Cavities

- **Building framing cavities shall not be used as supply ducts or plenums**

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2018 IECC Mandatory Requirements

Heating and Cooling

- Controls: Programmable thermostat installed
- Equipment sized per ACCA Manuals S & J

Lighting

- Minimum of **90% high-efficacy lamps** installed
- Recessed lighting in thermal envelope IC-rated and airtight

Mechanical Ventilation

- **Installed according to requirements in the International Mechanical Code**
- **Required for all homes ≤ 5 ACH per Section M303.4 (3 ACH is a 2018 IECC mandatory requirement)**

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2018 IECC Mandatory Requirements

Other requirements

- Wood-burning fireplaces have tight flue dampers or doors, and outdoor combustion air
- Mechanical system piping insulated to min R-3 for fluids >105° F or <55° F
- Circulating hot water systems shall be insulated to at least R-2. Systems shall include an automatic, or readily accessible, off-switch.

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Energy Code Compliance Pathways

Prescriptive Method Requirements

- All mandatory and prescriptive requirements must be met

Total UA Method Requirements

- All mandatory and prescriptive requirements (other than Table R402.1.2) must be met
- Include documentation to demonstrate compliance with the UA Trade-off method. Compliance software submittal must include completed compliance form, inspection checklist and certificate demonstrating compliance with 2018 IECC levels

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Energy Code Compliance Pathways

Simulated Performance Requirements (Section R405)

- All mandatory requirements must be met
- Submit an energy cost analysis report which demonstrates that the proposed design (as built) home is more efficient than the standard reference design home

Energy Rating Index Requirements (Section R406)

- All Mandatory requirements met. Meet or exceed 2009 IECC prescriptive envelope requirements
- ERI score of 61 or lower. Submit report demonstrating compliance

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2018 IECC Prescriptive Requirements

Table R402.1.2 Insulation Requirements By Component

Indicates Change

Requirement	2009 IECC	2018 IECC
Ceiling R-value	R-38	**R-49**
Wall R-value	R-20 or R-13+5	R-20 or R-13+5
Floors over unconditioned space	R-30	R-30
Basement R-value	10/13	**15/19**
Slab R-value and depth	10, 2 ft.	10, 2 ft. ***R-5 insulation shall be provided under the full area of a heated slab**
Crawl space wall R-value	10/13	**15/19**

2018 IECC Prescriptive Requirements

Indicates Change

Table R402.1.2 Fenestration Requirements By Component

Requirement	2009 IECC	2018 IECC
Fenestration U-factor (windows, glass, opaque and swinging doors with <50% glazing)	.35	**0.30**
Skylight U-factor	.60	**0.55**

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2018 IECC Prescriptive Requirements

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Requirement	2009 IECC	2018 IECC
Eave Baffle	NO REQUIREMENT	For air permeable insulations in vented attics, **a baffle shall be installed adjacent to soffit and eave vents**. Baffles shall maintain an opening equal or greater size than the vent. The baffle shall extend over the top of the attic insulation. The baffle shall be permitted to be any solid material. (402.2.3)
Hot water pipe insulation	NO REQUIREMENT	**Insulated to R-3,** ¾ or larger pipes with exceptions (403.5.3)

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2018 IECC Prescriptive Requirements

Indicates Change

Requirement	2009 IECC	2018 IECC
Duct Insulation	Supply ducts in attics shall be insulated to a minimum of R-4. Exception: Ducts or portions thereof in conditioned space (403.2.1)	Supply and Return ducts in attics shall be insulated to a **minimum of R-6 or R-8**, depending on diameter. All other ducts shall be insulated to a **minimum of R-6 or R-4.** Exception: Ducts or portions in conditioned space (403.3.1)
Duct Testing	Post construction: Leakage to Outdoors: 8 cfm/100 sq. ft. Total Leakage: 12 cfm/100 sq. ft. Rough-in: Total Leakage: 6 cfm/100 sq. ft. Exception: Duct tightness test not required if most ducts located entirely within building envelope. (403.2.2)	Ducts tested to the following leakage rates: Post construction: Total Leakage: **4 cfm/100 sq. ft.** Rough-in: Total Leakage: **4 cfm/100 sq. ft.** Exception: Duct tightness test not required if all ducts located entirely within building envelope. (403.3.4)

Other changes in the 2018 IECC

Indicates Change

Requirement	2009 IECC	2018 IECC
Thermally Isolated sunroom U-factor	Maximum fenestration U-factor shall be 0.50 and maximum skylight U-factor shall be 0.75. (402.3.5)	Maximum fenestration **U-factor shall be 0.45** and maximum skylight U-factor shall be 0.70. (402.3.5)
Buried Ducts in Attic	Not referenced	Ducts tested to have a maximum leakage rate of 1.5 cfm25/100 sq. ft. to the outside, are insulated with ≥ R-8 insulation, and have at least R-19 insulation above and to the sides of the ducts, **count as being in conditioned space**. (403.3.6)

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Existing Buildings 2018

General

- *Additions, Alterations or Repairs* to an existing building must comply to the applicable Energy Code Provisions.
- They shall; comply with Other applicable Code Provisions (ICC-R, IPC, IFC, etc.)
- Unaltered portions of the existing *Building* or Building supply systems shall not be required to comply.
- Historic Buildings are exempt. (Report must be approved by Code Official).

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Existing Buildings 2021

General

- *Additions, Alterations or Repairs* to an existing Or Relocated building must comply to the applicable Energy Code Provisions.

- Changes from an unconditioned to a conditioned space shall comply with section 502 (additions)

Existing Buildings

Additions (R502)

- Addition to Building, system or portion thereof shall comply with code.
- Conditioned space changed from Unconditioned Space: Building envelope (UA) shall comply
- New Heating/cooling systems shall comply.
  - Exception: Existing systems ducts extended to addition, <40 linear feet in U/C space: Not required to be tested
- New Lighting systems in addition must comply.

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Existing Buildings

Additions

- Simulated Performance Alternative allowed;
- If existing plus addition or equal to or less than annual energy cost of existing building.

(2021: Ducts extended from an existing system are excepted from R402.1.2)

Existing Buildings

Alterations (R 503)

- Any Alteration to Building, system or portion thereof shall comply with code.

- Building Envelope: Shall Comply with Code(s)

Existing Buildings

Alterations (R 503)

Building Envelope: Exceptions; *(not required to comply provided energy use is not increased)*

- Storm windows installed over existing fenestrations.
- Surface applied window film to reduce Solar Heat Gain
- Existing Wall, ceiling, floor cavities exposed during renovations (must be filled with insulation)
- Wall, ceiling, floor cavitied not exposed.
- Roof re-cover *(But: roofs without cavity insulation shall be insulated above or below the sheathing)*

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Existing Buildings

Alterations; Replacement Fenestration:

- Where some or all of an existing Fenestration (including sash or glazing) the replacement shall meet *U-factor* and *SHGC* in R 402.1.2
- Area weighted average alternative; allowed where more than one replacement fenestration unit is installed showing the U-factor, SHGC or both of all replacements are shown…(Basically, demonstrate Improvement)

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Existing Buildings

Alterations; HVAC:

- New systems shall comply with R403

Exception: Where ducts form existing are extended < 40 Lineal Feet in an unconditioned space not required to be tested.

(2021: Ducts extended from an existing system are excepted from R402.1.2)

Existing Buildings

Alterations; SWH & Lighting

- New SWH systems shall comply with R403.5
- Lighting: New Lighting shall Comply with R404.1

Exception: Alterations that replace <50% of luminaries in a space as long as total lighting power is not increased.

(2021: No Changes)

Existing Buildings

Repairs (R 504)

- Any Repair to Building, system or portion thereof shall comply with code (R501.3)
- Exempt form IECC:
  - Work on non damaged components necessary for the repair shall be considered part of that repair and not alteration.
  - Ordinary non permit repairs due to wear, normal service conditions, etc.

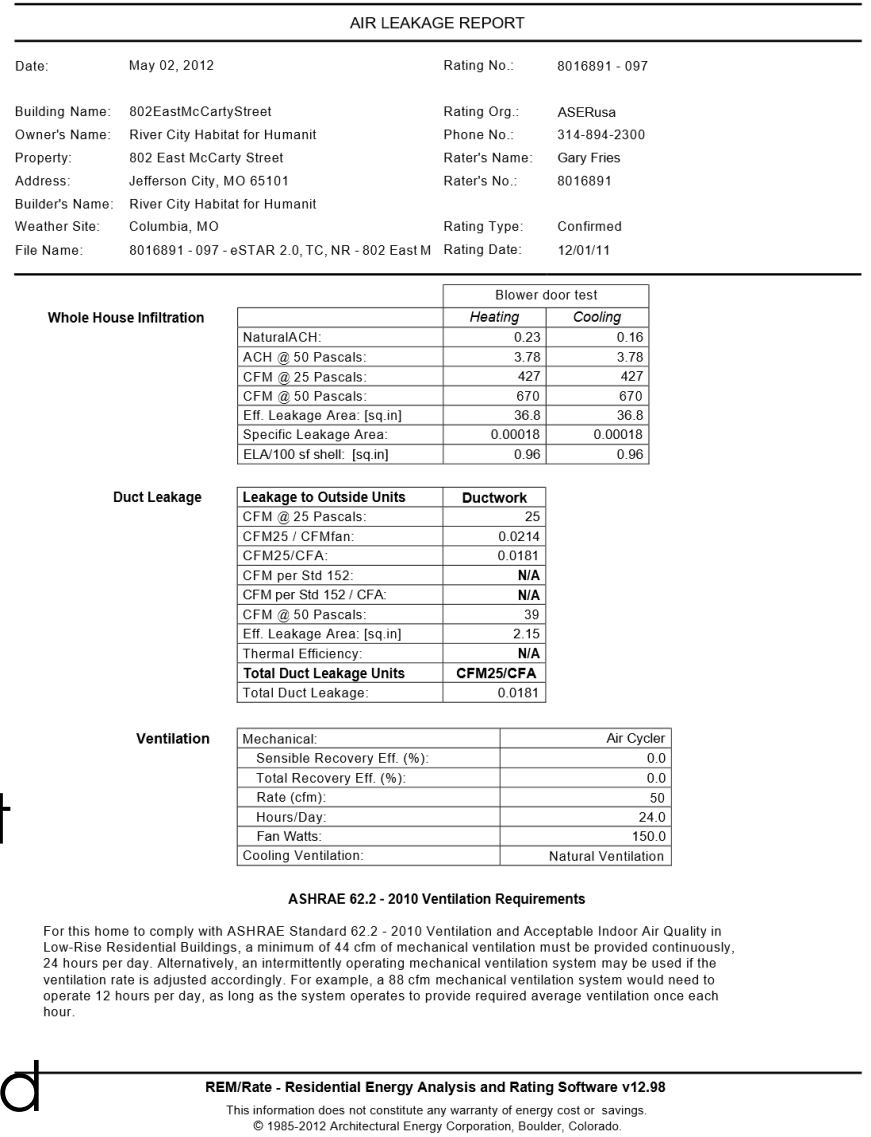
Performance Testing

A Great Benefit

(and a new code requirement)

Air Leakage Report

- Blower door test documents a home's air leakage performance
- Required by code
- Third party verification (some areas; performed by Inspectors)
- Provides solid data for final equipment adjustment and energy use/cost forecast
- Great liability protection for all involved



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Weather Site:	Columbia, MO	Rating Type:	Confirmed
File Name:	8016891 - 097 - eSTAR 2.0, TC, NR - 802 East M	Rating Date:	12/01/11

Whole House Infiltration

	Blower door test	
	Heating	*Cooling*
NaturalACH:	0.23	0.16
ACH @ 50 Pascals:	3.78	3.78
CFM @ 25 Pascals:	427	427
CFM @ 50 Pascals:	670	670
Eff. Leakage Area: [sq.in]	36.8	36.8
Specific Leakage Area:	0.00018	0.00018
ELA/100 sf shell: [sq.in]	0.96	0.96

Duct Leakage

Leakage to Outside Units	**Ductwork**
CFM @ 25 Pascals:	25
CFM25 / CFMfan:	0.0214
CFM25/CFA:	0.0181
CFM per Std 152:	**N/A**
CFM per Std 152 / CFA:	**N/A**
CFM @ 50 Pascals:	39
Eff. Leakage Area: [sq.in]	2.15
Thermal Efficiency:	**N/A**
Total Duct Leakage Units	**CFM25/CFA**
Total Duct Leakage:	0.0181

Ventilation

Mechanical:	Air Cycler
Sensible Recovery Eff. (%):	0.0
Total Recovery Eff. (%):	0.0
Rate (cfm):	50
Hours/Day:	24.0
Fan Watts:	150.0
Cooling Ventilation:	Natural Ventilation

ASHRAE 62.2 - 2010 Ventilation Requirements

For this home to comply with ASHRAE Standard 62.2 - 2010 Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Low-Rise Residential Buildings, a minimum of 44 cfm of mechanical ventilation must be provided continuously, 24 hours per day. Alternatively, an intermittently operating mechanical ventilation system may be used if the ventilation rate is adjusted accordingly. For example, a 88 cfm mechanical ventilation system would need to operate 12 hours per day, as long as the system operates to provide required average ventilation once each hour.

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Air Leakage Report

Date:	May 02, 2012	**Rating No.:**	81158891-901
Building Name:	123 Main Street	**Rating Org.:**	Raters USA
Owners Name:	Jane Smith	**Phone:**	555-555-5555
Property Address:	123 Main Street Omaha, NE 68007	**Rater's Name:**	John Williams
Builder's Name:	ABC Construction	**Rater's No:**	1234567
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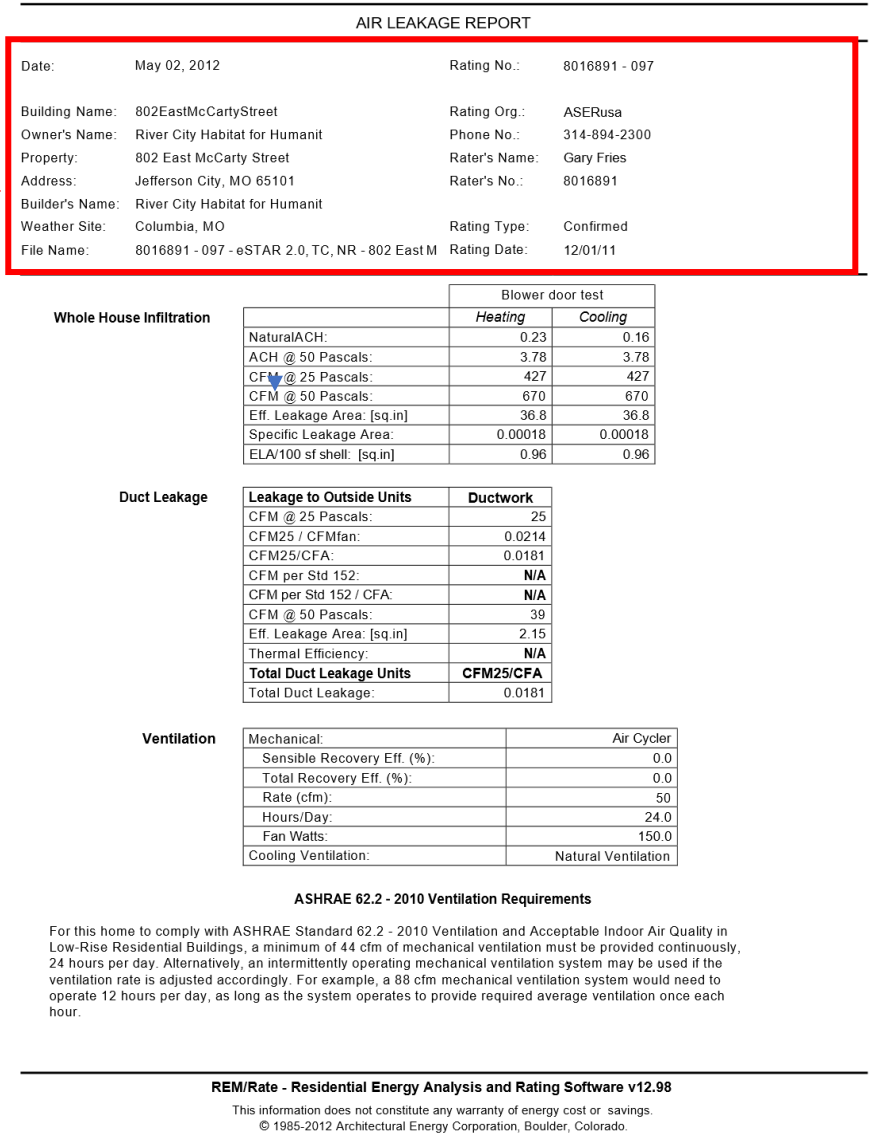

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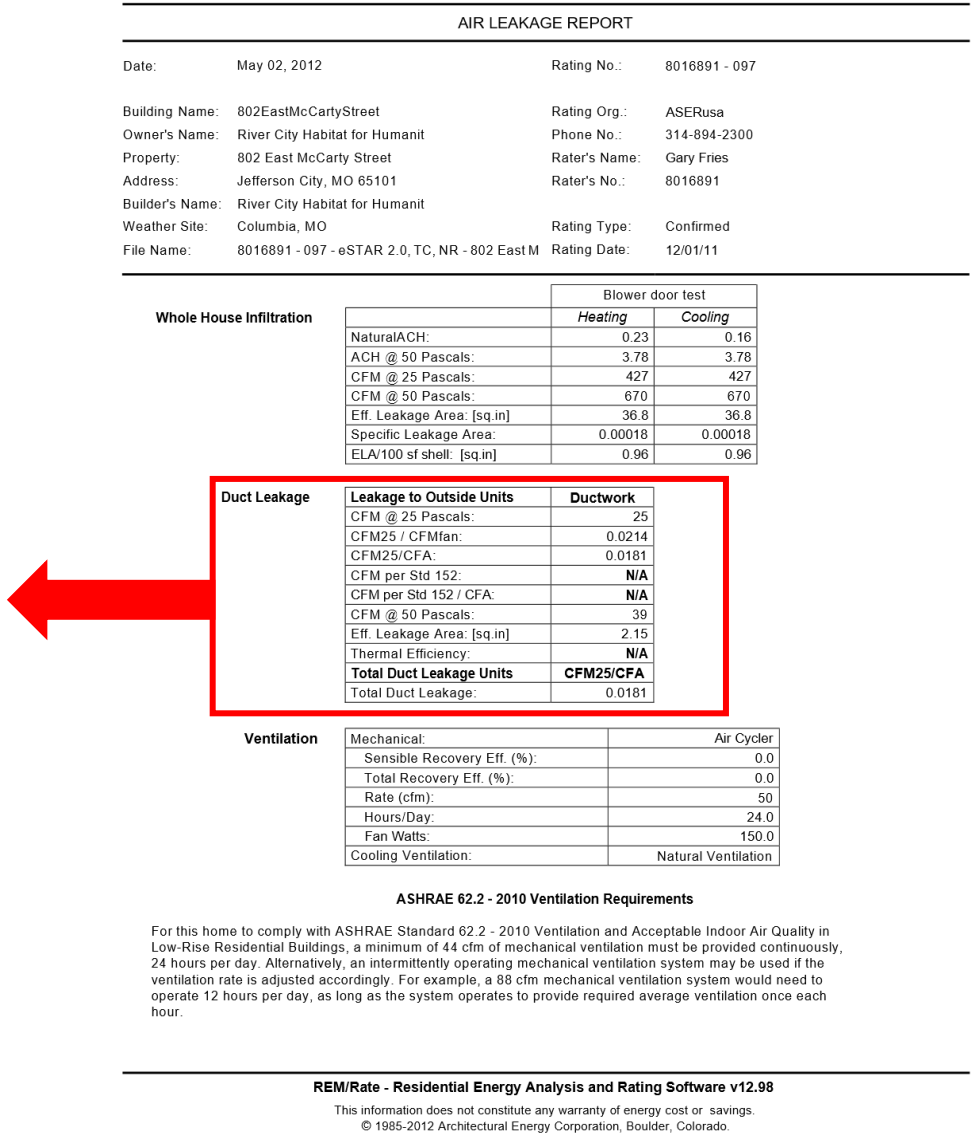

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Whole House Infiltration

	Blower door test	
	Heating	*Cooling*
NaturalACH:	0.23	0.16
ACH @ 50 Pascals:	3.78	3.78
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Specific Leakage Area:	0.00018	0.00018
ELA/100 sf shell: [sq.in]	0.96	0.96

Duct Leakage

Leakage to Outside Units	Ductwork
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REM/Rate - Residential Energy Analysis and Rating Software v12.98

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Air Leakage Report

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Ventilation and I.A.Q.

Building Envelope +

Air Sealing Package +

HVAC Design, Equipment & Installation +

ERV/HRV +

Water Heating Design

= Occupant Comfort

Any questions?

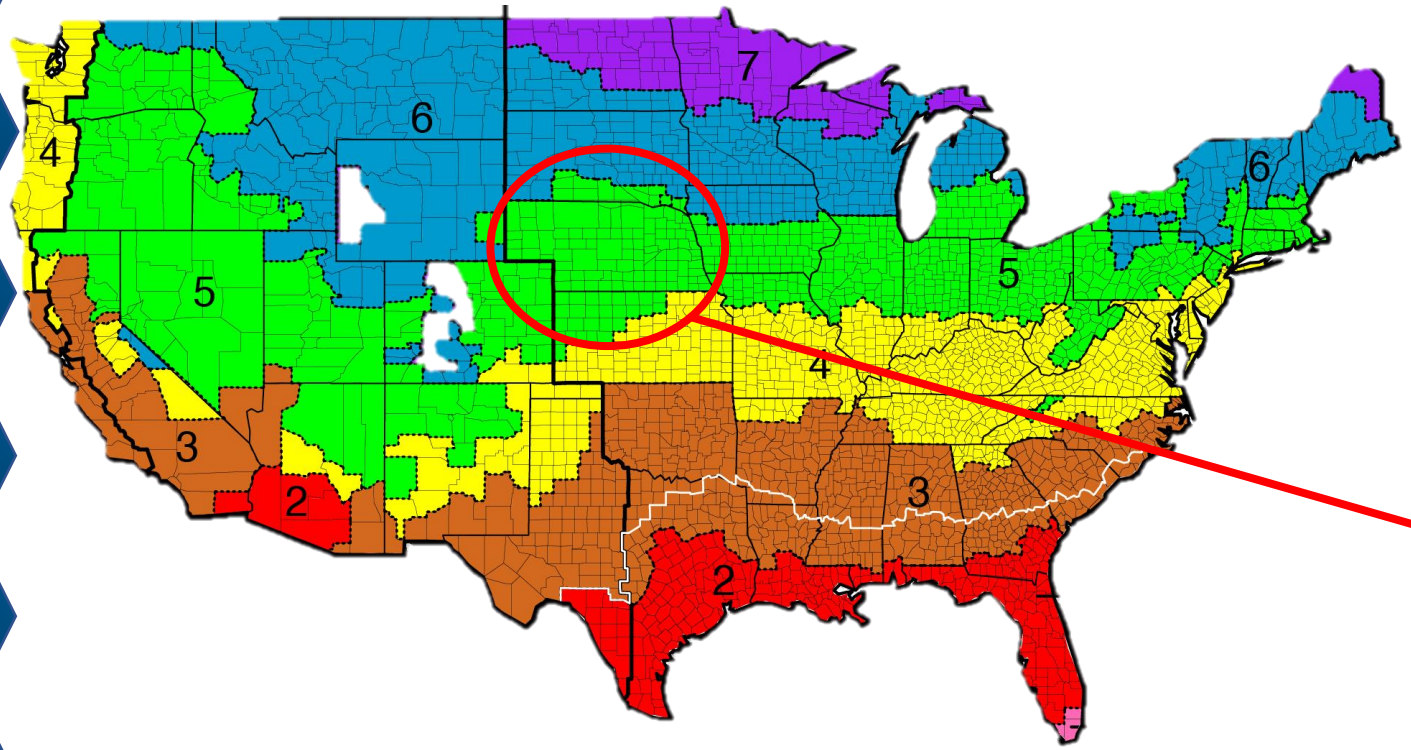
Moisture Management

It Connects EVERYTHING!

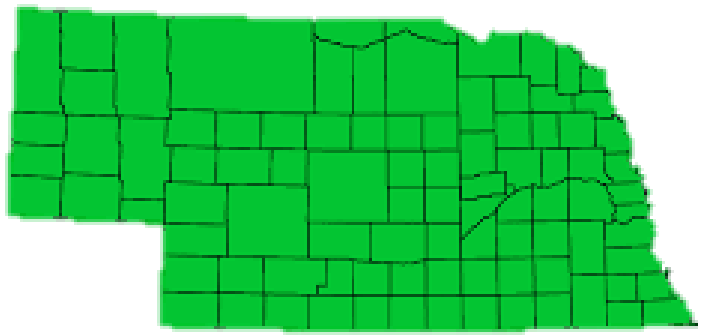
The Major "Damage Functions"

- Liquid water (bulk and capillary)
- Air-borne water
- Vapor
- Radiation (UV degradation)
- Pests
- People

Climate Zones



- Nebraska has only one climate zone – 5A
- Cold & Moist climate



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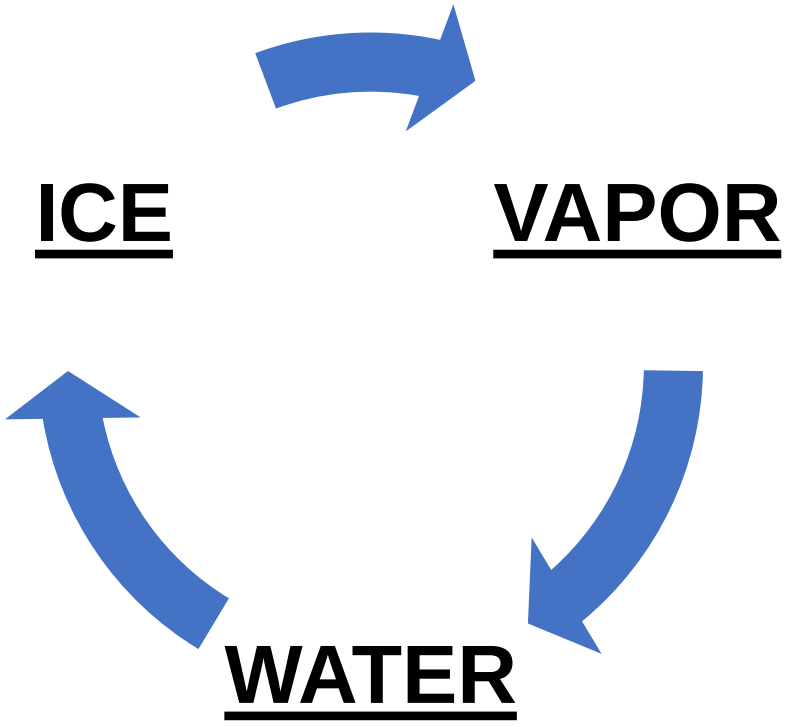
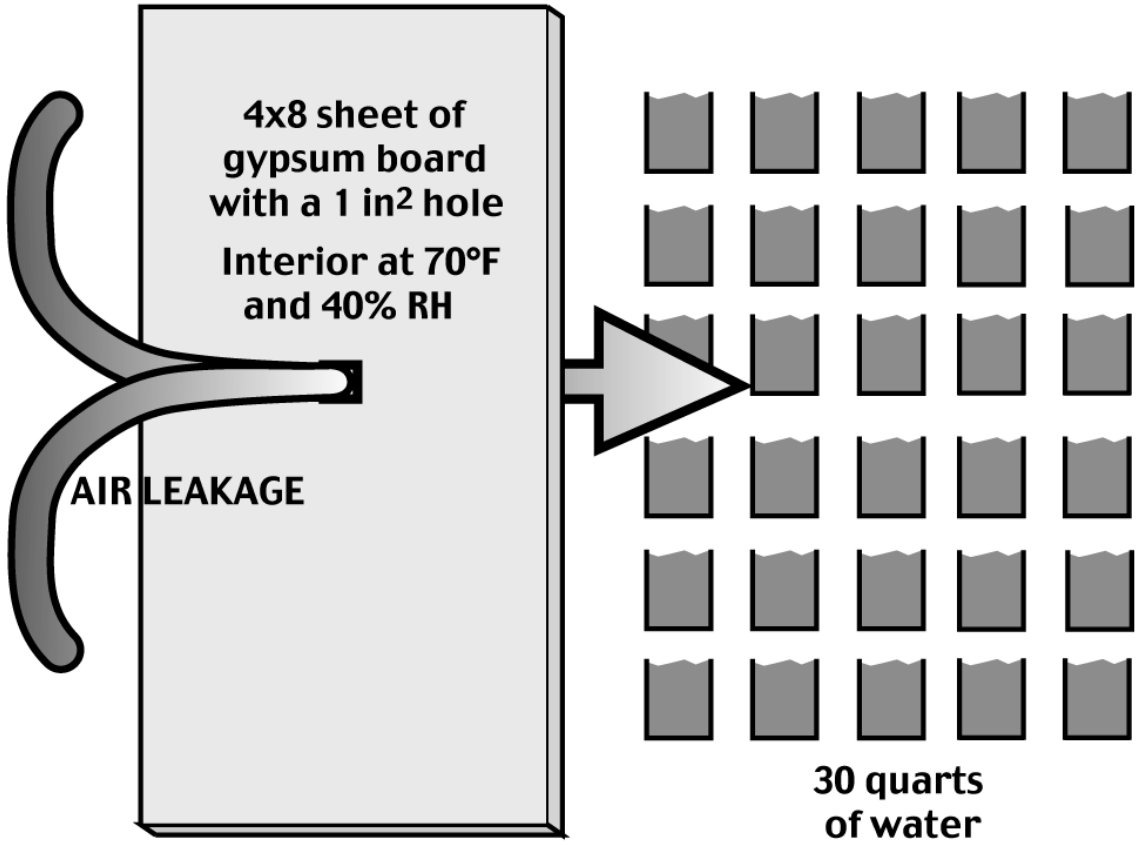
Prioritizing Moisture Movement

#1 – Bulk Water
#2 – Capillary Water
#3 – Air-Transported Moisture
#4 – Diffusive Moisture Movement



Air Transport of Moisture – Priority #3

- Air carries a ***lot*** of water
- Air leakage
  - Moisture flow
    - 4X8 Drywall
    - 70 F
    - 40% RH
    - 1 square inch hole
- Flow quantity
  - 30 Quarts of water!!



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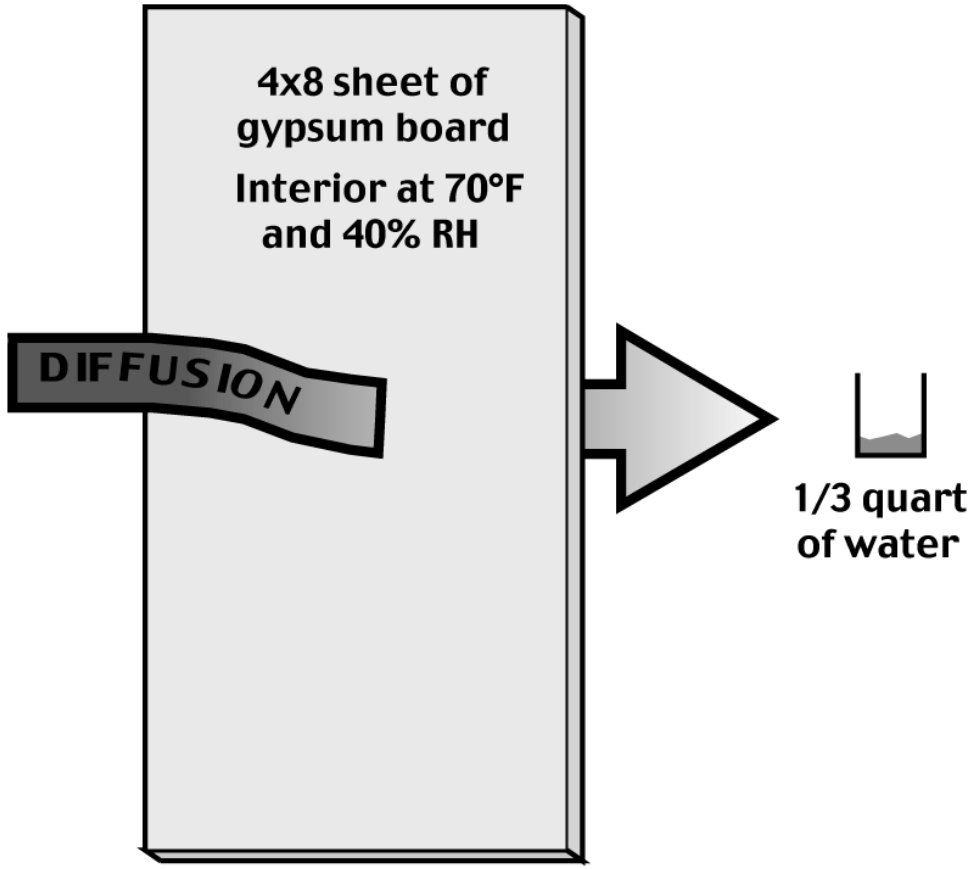
Diffusion – Priority #4



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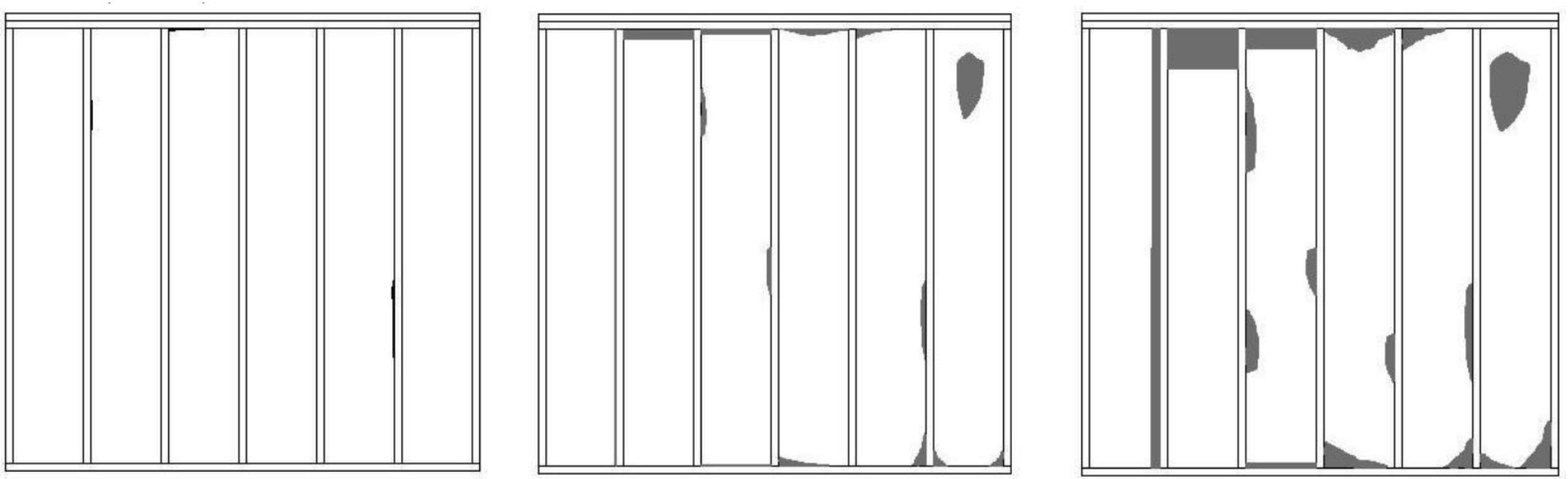
- Migration of moisture by means of vapor pressure differential
- Occurs in either direction based on climate conditions and exterior/interior levels of humidity
- Different building materials have different permeability

Batt Insulation Grading

Code Compliant ——— **Not Acceptable** ———



Grade I: Almost no gaps

Grade II: Up to 2%

Grade III: 2% - 5%

RESNET protocol for the effect of missing insulation on installation grade

Diagrams from the HERS Standards

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Major Building Envelope Protection Systems

- Water Barrier
- Air Barrier
- Thermal Barrier
- Vapor Profile (not just the designated vapor retarder)
- Maintenance documents

“You don’t get what you expect, you get what you inspect!”

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Intersection

HVAC System

*Don't Forget the **"V"***

HVAC Design and Loads

Oversized systems:

- Less comfort
- Less efficient
- Poorly handles moisture
- Premature equipment failure

Right-sized systems:

- Better operating efficiencies
- Greater comfort
- Healthier indoor environments
- Better moisture control

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HVAC Design and Loads

- Properly designed HVAC systems rely on scientific criteria and a systematic method to match the loads required for health and comfort:
  - *ACCA Manual J – Residential Load Calculation*
  - *ACCA Manual S – Residential Equipment Selection*
  - *ACCA Manual D – Residential Duct Systems*
- Reports should be submitted with permit application

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HVAC Design and Loads

Today's homes risk health problems for occupants because:

- They are not properly ventilated:
  - < 3 ACH
- More chemicals and products are used in and around a house:
  - Concentration levels are often 2 to100 times higher than outside.

Balanced Ventilation

- Blows air into and out of the house
- Is cost effective by reclaiming energy from exhaust and supply airflows (60%-80%!)
- Balances exhaust and supply flows (minimizes pressure differential)
- Maintains the Minimum Ventilation Guideline automatically with proper set-up

Appraisals and Resale Value

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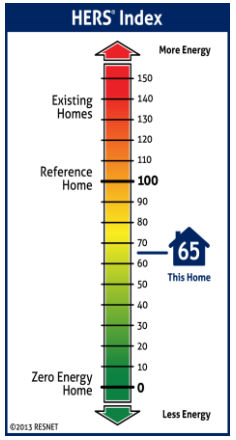
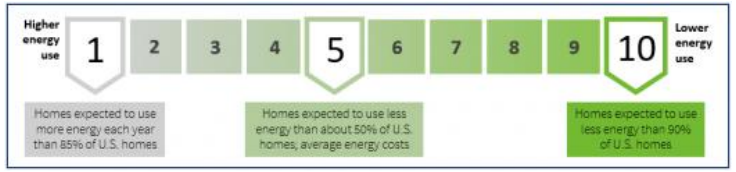
Green Appraisers

- Unlike granite countertops, energy efficiency investments are not always visible at a glance
- Utilize certifications, labels, ratings, and scores
- Make sure appraisers are accurately valuing sustainable properties
  - *Residential Green and Energy Efficient Addendum* - Assists appraisers in analyzing residential "Green" features and properties.





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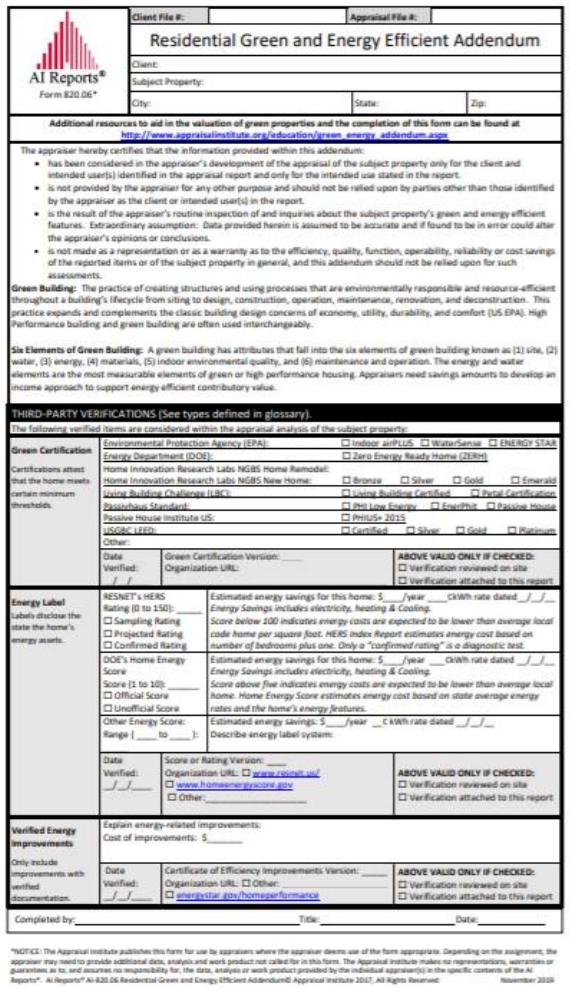
Residential Green and Energy Efficient Addendum!

- Resources for realtors and appraisers on properly valuing energy efficiency/green features
  - Educational materials
  - List of designated appraisers
  - Trainings

- For more information: http://www.appraisalinstitute.org/education/green_energy_addendum.aspx



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Residential Green and Energy Efficient Addendum

Client File #: | Appraisal File #:

Client:

Subject Property:

City: | State: | Zip:

Additional resources to aid in the valuation of green properties and the completion of this form can be found at http://www.appraisalinstitute.org/education/green_energy_addendum.aspx

The appraiser hereby certifies that the information provided within this addendum:

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- is not provided by the appraiser for any other purpose and should not be relied upon by parties other than those identified by the appraiser as the client or intended user(s) in the report.
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Green Building: The practice of creating structures and using processes that are environmentally responsible and resource-efficient throughout a building's lifecycle from siting to design, construction, operation, maintenance, renovation, and deconstruction. This practice expands and complements the classic building design concerns of economy, utility, durability, and comfort (US EPA). High Performance building and green building are often used interchangeably.

Six Elements of Green Building: A green building has attributes that fall into the six elements of green building known as (1) site, (2) water, (3) energy, (4) materials, (5) indoor environmental quality, and (6) maintenance and operation. The energy and water elements are the most measurable elements of green or high performance housing. Appraisers need savings amounts to develop an income approach to support energy efficient contributory value.

THIRD-PARTY VERIFICATIONS (See types defined in glossary).

The following verified items are considered within the appraisal analysis of the subject property:

Green Certification — Certifications attest that the home meets certain minimum thresholds.

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA): ☐ Indoor airPLUS ☐ WaterSense ☐ ENERGY STAR
Energy Department (DOE): ☐ Zero Energy Ready Home (ZERH)
Home Innovation Research Labs NGBS Home Remodel:
Home Innovation Research Labs NGBS New Home: ☐ Bronze ☐ Silver ☐ Gold ☐ Emerald
Living Building Challenge (LBC): ☐ Living Building Certified ☐ Petal Certification
Passivhaus Standard: ☐ PHI Low Energy ☐ EnerPHit ☐ Passive House
Passive House Institute US: ☐ PHIUS+ 2015
USGBC LEED: ☐ Certified ☐ Silver ☐ Gold ☐ Platinum
Other:

Date Verified: / / | Green Certification Version: ____ Organization URL: | ABOVE VALID ONLY IF CHECKED: ☐ Verification reviewed on site ☐ Verification attached to this report

Energy Label — Labels disclose the state the home's energy assets.

RESNET's HERS Rating (0 to 150): ____ ☐ Sampling Rating ☐ Projected Rating ☐ Confirmed Rating | Estimated energy savings for this home: $____/year ____ckWh rate dated __/__/__ *Energy Savings includes electricity, heating & Cooling. Score below 100 indicates energy costs are expected to be lower than average local code home per square foot. HERS Index Report estimates energy cost based on number of bedrooms plus one. Only a "confirmed rating" is a diagnostic test.*

DOE's Home Energy Score Score (1 to 10): ____ ☐ Official Score ☐ Unofficial Score | Estimated energy savings for this home: $____/year ____ckWh rate dated __/__/__ *Energy Savings includes electricity, heating & Cooling. Score above five indicates energy costs are expected to be lower than average local home. Home Energy Score estimates energy cost based on state average energy rates and the home's energy features.*

Other Energy Score: Range (____ to ____): | Estimated energy savings: $____/year ____ckWh rate dated __/__/__ Describe energy label system:

Date Verified: __/__/____ | Score or Rating Version: ____ Organization URL: ☐ www.resnet.us/ ☐ www.homeenergyscore.gov ☐ Other: | ABOVE VALID ONLY IF CHECKED: ☐ Verification reviewed on site ☐ Verification attached to this report

Verified Energy Improvements — Only include improvements with verified documentation.

Explain energy-related improvements.
Cost of improvements: $_____

Date Verified: __/__/____ | Certificate of Efficiency Improvements Version: ____ Organization URL: ☐ Other: ☐ energystar.gov/homeperformance | ABOVE VALID ONLY IF CHECKED: ☐ Verification reviewed on site ☐ Verification attached to this report

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Marketing High Performance homes

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"Upgrading" to High Performance Homes

- High-performing homes cost less to heat and cool, are more comfortable, and are healthier for their occupants.
- 69% of real estate agents said promoting energy efficiency in listings was very or somewhat valuable
- Immediate benefits – energy savings, comfort, and health
- Long term-benefits – higher selling price

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E-Mail from Remodel Client 2013:

*"Also, wanted to share that this month was officially lower for electricity at the new (5000 sq ft) house than the old (2200 sq ft) house. The old house used **1013kWh** last month in 31 days **vs. 634 kWh** used in 29 days at the new house. Add on the 264kWh that the solar panels generated, and it was almost 3 times less usage with twice the square footage."*

Photos: Matt Belcher

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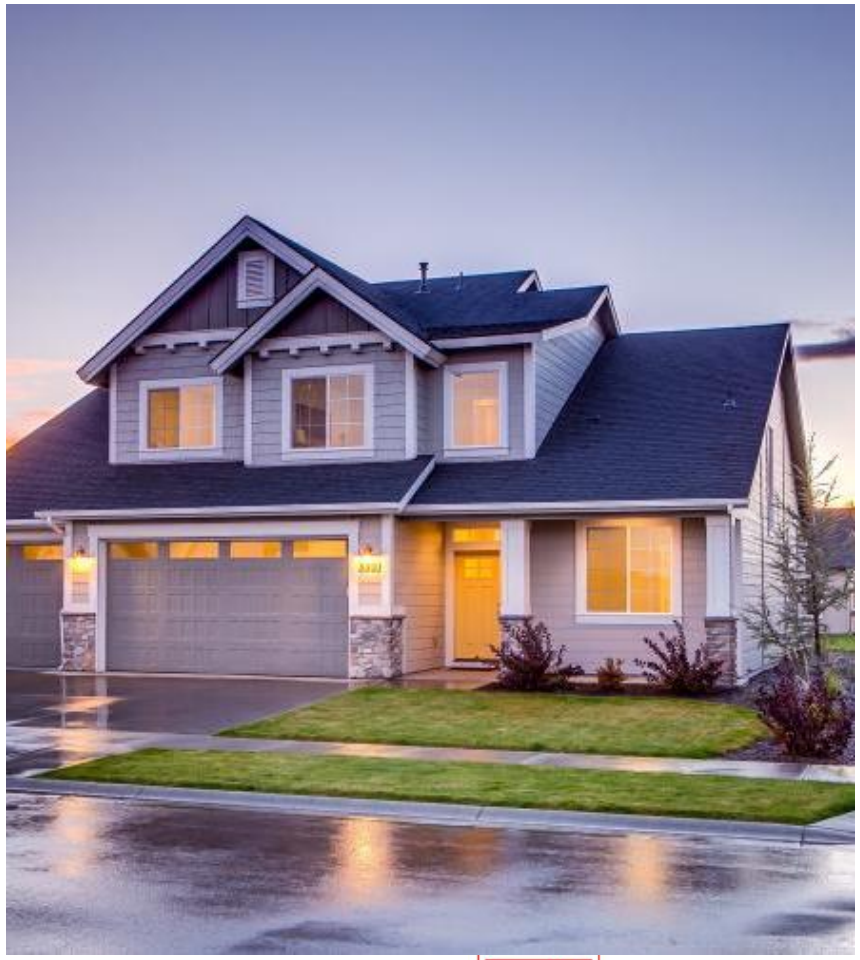
Energy Efficiency is a Must-Have for Home Buyers

- A survey done by the NAHB in 2018 showed 46% of builders reported that **marketing green homes was easier** than marketing non-green homes
- Energy efficient homes also **keep residents in their homes longer** and **sell more quickly** than non-energy efficient homes.
- Green certified homes have a **higher market value** than less efficient homes
- The odds of **mortgage default are also one-third less** for ENERGY STAR rated homes



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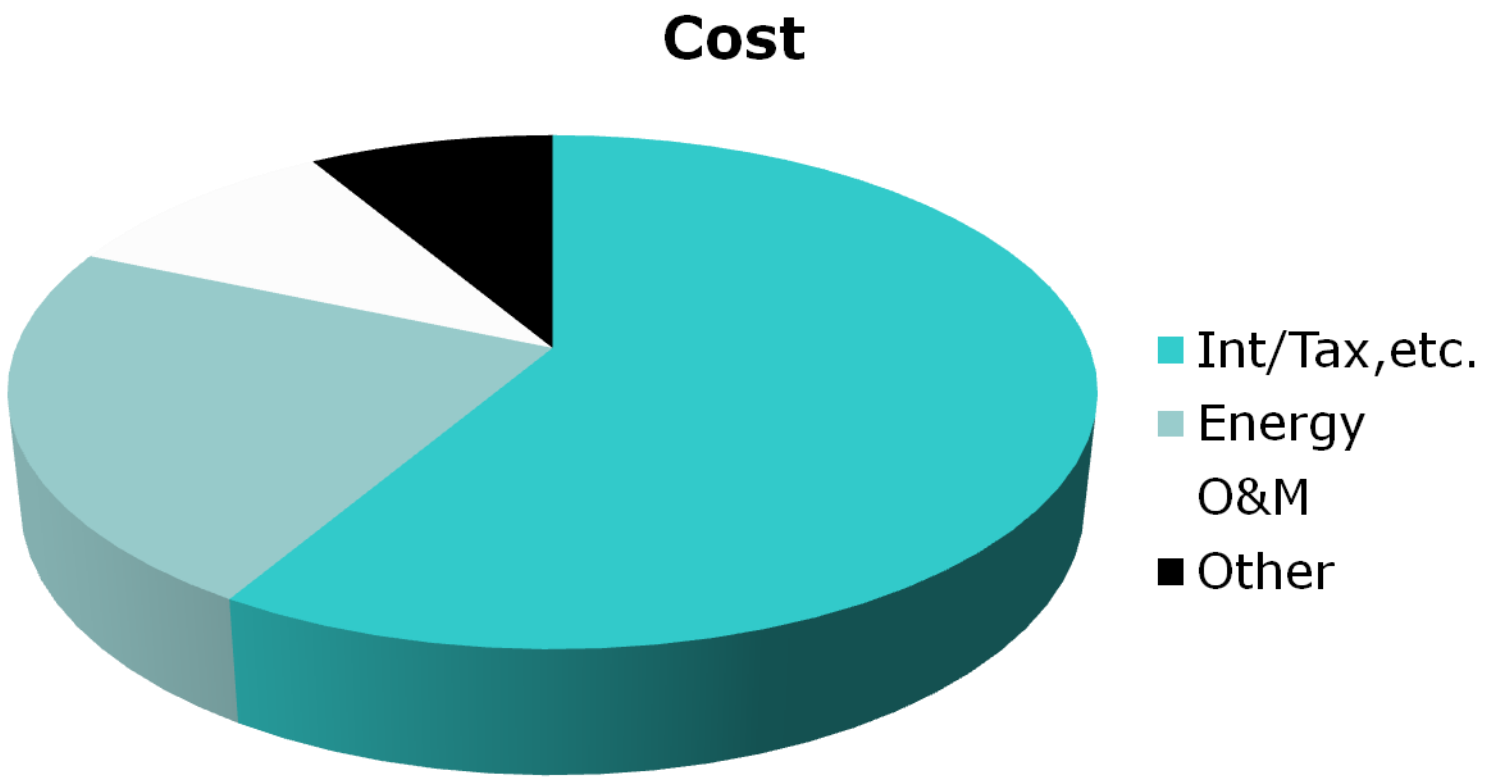
Equity!



Monthly Payment

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Key Takeaways

- 2018 IECC has new requirements for:
  - Air sealing
  - Duct sealing
  - U-Factor
  - R-Values
  - Performance Testing
- Controlling moisture is *critical*
  - Proper air sealing is key
  - Right-sizing HVAC is required
  - Mechanical ventilation must be installed and takes on new importance

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Upcoming Events

Online November 8-10, 2022 (10:00a.m. – 3:30 p.m.)

Midwest Building Energy Codes Conference – Register here

Online Wednesday, December 7, 2022 (10:00-11:30a.m.)

Commercial Energy Code: COMcheck Basics – Register here

In-person January 24-26, 2023 (9:00a.m.-5:00p.m.)

Duct and Envelope Tightness (DET) Verifier 3-day Training and Train-the-Trainer - Register here

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