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### (ENE4) Drying Space



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#### Technical Guide November 2010 Criteria

- 1 available credits
- Credits worth 1.17% points each
- Mandatory Element: No

Aim: To promote a reduced energy means of drying clothes.

Assessment Criteria:

#### Criteria

Where space and equipment are provided for drying clothes:

- For 1 – 2 bedroom dwellings, the drying equipment must be capable of holding 4m+ of drying line
- For 3+ bedroom dwellings, the drying equipment must be capable of holding 6m+ of drying line

The *drying space* (internal or external) must be *secure*

#### Default Cases

None



### Technical Guide May 2009 Criteria

- 1 available credits
- Credits worth 1.26% points each
- Mandatory Element: No

Aim: To provide a reduced energy means of drying clothes.

Assessment Criteria: Credits are awarded based on the provision for drying space for each dwelling type in accordance with the table below:

Criteria
Where space with posts and footings or fixings capable of holding 4m+ of drying line for 1 bed dwellings, and 6m+ of drying line for 3+ bed dwellings, is provided for drying clothes. The space (internal or external) should be secure.
Default Cases
None



### References for ENE4

[Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers \(CIBSE\): Low Carbon Consultants and Energy Assessors, by CIBSE Certification Ltd](#)

[Department for Communities and Local Government. Building Regulations Approved Document F "Ventilation \(2006\)](#)

[Energy Saving Trust](#)

[Department for Communities and Local Government. Approved Document L1A Conservation of fuel and power \(New dwellings\). CLG, London, 2010. Available from](#)

[Department for Communities and Local Government. Building Regulations Approved Document F “Ventilation \(2010\)](#)

### **Additional information**

[Good practice Guide 268 Energy efficient ventilation of dwellings - a guide for specifiers \(2006\)](#)

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[External Drying Space](#)



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[Internal Drying Space](#)



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