

## How to Get a HERS® Index Score for Your Home

The HERS Index Score tells you how energy efficient your home is with just one number—it's like a MPG label for houses. In order to get your home HERS-rated, you have to contact a certified RESNET Home Energy Rater for a HERS home energy rating.

## What Is a HERS Home Energy Rating?

A HERS home energy rating is an in-depth energy performance assessment of your home. A certified RESNET Home Energy Rater will carry out a series of diagnostic tests using specialized equipment, such as a blower door test and duct leakage tester, to determine:

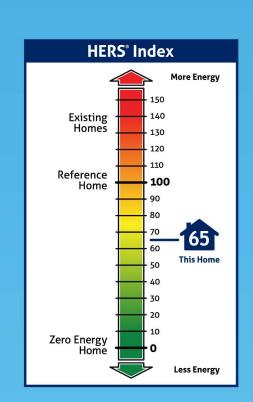


The HERS rating provides a computerized simulation analysis utilizing RESNET Accredited Rating Software to calculate a rating score on the HERS Index. The report will also contain a cost/benefit analysis for the recommended improvements and expected return on investment.

## What Do the HERS Index Scores Mean?

With HERS Index scores, lower is always better. A low HERS Index Score means a more energy efficient home.

For more information about the HERS Index, visit: www.hersindex.com/knowthescore





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