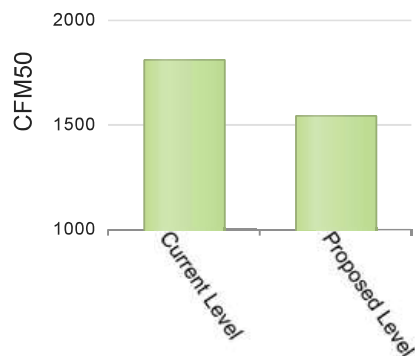


Controlling Your Home's Air Leakage

Uncontrolled air leakage occurs when air moves through gaps or openings in walls, floors, ceilings, duct work, doors or windows, and is often a major source of energy loss in homes. As your home becomes more air tight and energy efficient, controlled ventilation is required to ensure healthy ventilation.

Using diagnostic equipment, your home's air leakage rate was measured and compared to an industry standard for healthy ventilation rates.

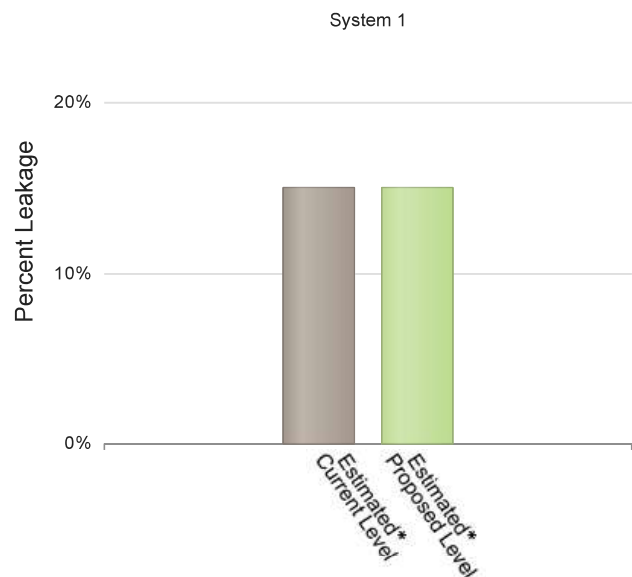
Your Home's Air Leakage Rate



The proposed level of air sealing will allow your home to meet industry standards for healthy indoor air quality via natural ventilation through your building enclosure. However, your home may benefit from mechanical ventilation to ensure healthy indoor air quality by controlling the source of your fresh air. To determine which ventilation strategy is best for your home, discuss the available options with your trusted energy advisor.

Your Home's Duct Leakage

Addressing duct system leaks, holes and poorly connected ducts prevents conditioned air from escaping into unconditioned space. By reducing this leakage, home owners should expect to use less energy and experience a more comfortable home.



Proper sealing of your home's duct distribution system can significantly improve airflow, offering many benefits, including energy cost savings, improved indoor air quality and better balanced temperatures from room to room.

Untested systems are marked as "estimated." These systems's leakage values are estimated based on the qualitative descriptions given by the rater.