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LOW COST APPROACHES: PROJECT CASE STUDIES









Orbit Homes Beattie Passive Vagdia and Holmes Architects

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East Midlands Homes Lindum Construction Val-U-Therm

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Hart Lea, Sandiacre

In-fill site

9 dwellings

7 two storey houses

- 4 semi-detached
- 3 terraced (Passivhaus)2 bungalows
- Both detached

Planning submitted before Passivhaus was chosen as the preferred standard

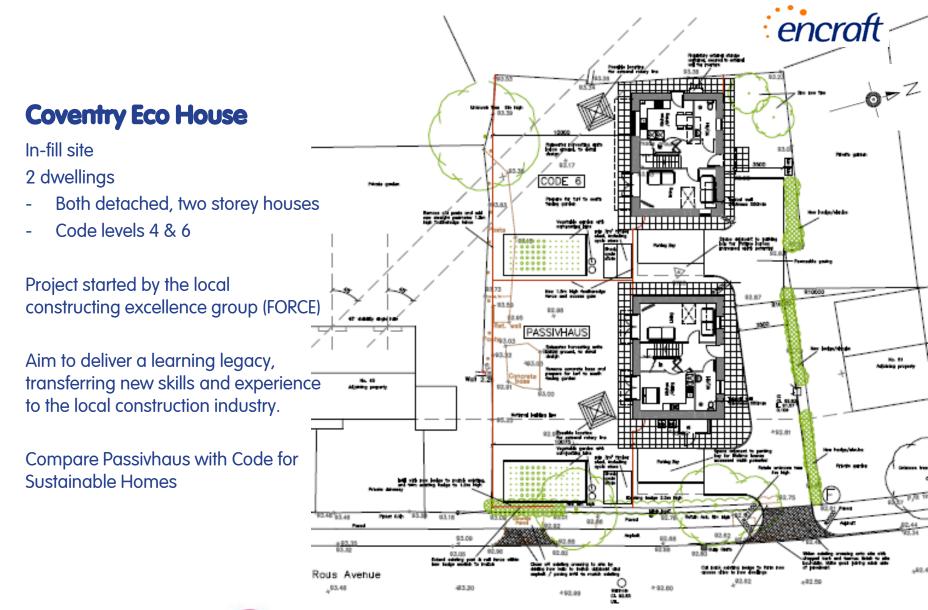
Whole life costing analysis of options to meet Code 4 ñ Passivhaus inspired fabric first approach preferred by client

Contractor led certification















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 - Beattie Passive
 - Passivhaus certified timber frame
- U-values
 - $0.07 \text{ W/m}^2\text{K}$
- Windows

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- Construction
 - Val-U-Therm
 - Off-site closed panel timber frame walls
- U-values

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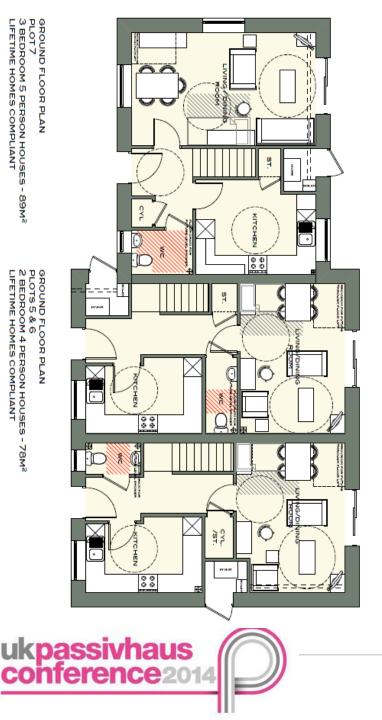






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Cost per m² of TFA



	Coventry Eco House	Hart Lea, Sandiacre
Demolition	N/A	£49
Site Clearance	£10	£9
Substructures	£12	£71
Build Cost Frame & Upper Floors, Roof, Walls, Windows, Doors, Internals, MVHR, Heating, Electrical	£885	£800
Other Direct Labour Costs External Works, Drainage & Services, Contractorís Prelims, Air Testing	£92	£433
Other Costs Performance Bond, Design/Consultants/Other Surveys Fees, Contractor Overheads & Profit	£92	£114
Total (excl. Demolition)	£1,091	£1,427





PHPP Verification



		Coventry Eco House		Hart Lea, Sandiacre	
Specific building demands	with reference to the treated floor area				
	Treated floor area	74.9	m	236.3	m
Space heating	Annual heating demand	12	kWh/(m²a)	19	kWh/(m²a)
	Heating load	10	W/m ²	10	W/m ²
Space cooling	Overall specific space cooling demand		kWh/(m²a)		kWh/(m²a)
	Cooling load		W/m ²		W/m ²
	Frequency of overheating (> 25 °C)	0.0	%	5.2	%
Primary Energy	dehumidification, DHW, cooling, Auxilianz Electricity and household electricity.	107	kWh/(m²a)	111	kWh/(m²a)
	DHW, space heating and auxiliary electricity	63	kWh/(m ² a)	76	kWh/(m²a)
Specific primary energy reduction through solar electricity		112	kWh/(m ² a)		kWh/(m²a)
Airtightness	Pressurization test result n_{50}	0.5	1/h	0.5	1/h







Thanks for listening

Öand here is a snapshot of things to comeÖ

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