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Energy Efficiency Policies in the buildings sector

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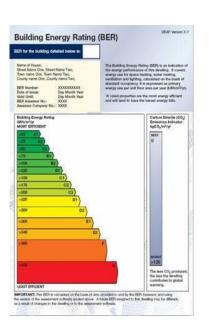
Information tools

Policies and measures designed to increase knowledge, awareness and training among relevant stakeholders or the general public

Existing tools:

- General information campaigns
- Targeted training programmes for professionals
- Labelling schemes:
 - Provide purchaser with information with information on a products energy usage or emissions

IEA Energy Efficiency Policy Recommendation 9:



Governments should require building energy performance labels or certificates that provide information to owners, buyers and renters.



Analyses of existing labelling schemes

- The implementation of labelling schemes increased the last five years.
- Voluntary schemes often cover other environmental issues too
- Enforcement varies from one country to another
- Do not target all types of buildings
- Difficult to evaluate the impact



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