# Energy Company Obligation Monthly Update

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#### Dear Stakeholder

#### Read on for March's ECO update.

- This issue highlights the publication of the response to the ECO2t consultation part two.
- We have linked to a <u>letter</u> on room in roof insulation under ECO2t and an <u>update</u> to the deemed scores matrix.
- We include an <u>update</u> to the ECO frequently asked questions, as well as on the publication of updated <u>ECO reporting working group documents</u> and associated documents for ECO2t.
- Finally, the newsletter contains links to the latest ECO delivery data.

#### **Quick links**

ECO guidance

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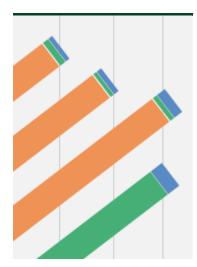
**Installer FAQs** 

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#### Latest news and updates



# ECO2 progress reports

Our monthly <u>ECO2 progress</u> reports show delivery against suppliers' ECO2 targets.

The latest monthly update shows that 84,530 loft insulation installations have been approved under ECO2 from April 2015 to January 2017.

View the charts

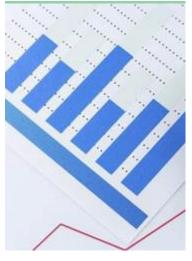


## ECO2t consultation response part two

We have published the response to our <u>ECO2t</u> consultation part two.

This follows on from our ECO2t consultation part one and draft guidance outlining changes to the ECO2 scheme. Our final ECO guidance will be published in the second week of April 2017.

Read our response



# BEIS' ECO monthly statistical release

The Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS) issued their latest statistics.

These show that 2,062,782 measures have been installed under the ECO scheme since it began in 2013. This includes 464,415 boiler installations.

**View BEIS' stats** 

### Other recent developments

#### Room in roof insulation

We have published an open letter providing clarity on the standards required for the installation of roomin-roof insulation under ECO2t.

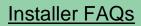


#### **Deemed scores update**

The deemed scores matrix has been updated following engagement with industry. The changes relate to the scores for the replacement of qualifying boilers with biomass boilers, air source and ground source heat pumps.

#### ECO guidance

View our <u>ECO guidance</u> resources on our website.



Read our updated
Frequently Answered
Questions for installers
and industry.



#### **ECO FAQs update**

We have provided an <u>update</u> to our installers and industry ECO FAQs to include a section on electric storage heaters.



#### Reporting working group

A number of <u>ECO reporting working</u> group documents have been updated in preparation for the extended scheme beginning 1 April 2017. This includes the Declaration of Conformity and Completed Installation (DOCC).



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#### **ECO2t documents**

We have published a range of <u>associated documents</u> in preparation for ECO2t. These are listed in the guidance section of our website.

#### Have a query?

Please do get in touch and we'll be happy to help.

#### **ECO** legislation

View the <u>draft ECO</u>
<u>Amendment Order 2017</u>
on the government
website.

#### Counter fraud

Concerned about fraud related to ECO? Read our counter-fraud page.

#### **About ECO**

ECO is a government scheme to reduce carbon dioxide emissions from Britain's domestic housing and support people living in fuel poverty by funding energy efficiency improvements.

It places legal obligations on larger energy suppliers to deliver energy efficiency measures to domestic premises in Great Britain. The scheme began in 2013, and the overall obligation period for the second phase of ECO (ECO2) runs from 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2017.

Ofgem E-Serve is the administrator of ECO while BEIS is responsible for the policy. You can read about Ofgem's role on the scheme on our <u>website</u>.