

DESIGN REFERENCE GUIDE

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1. About GreenRE

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2. Introduction

The GreenRE assessment scheme was established in 2013 and is a recognized green building rating system tailored for the tropical climate. GreenRE sets parameters and establishes indicators to guide the design, construction and operation of buildings towards increased energy effectiveness and enhanced environmental performance.

The intent of this Design Reference Guide for Non-Residential Buildings (referred to as "this Guideline") is to establish environmentally friendly practices for the planning, design and construction of buildings, which would help to mitigate the environmental impact of built structures.

This Guideline is not intended to abridge safety, health, environmental or related requirements contained in other applicable laws, codes or policies administered by relevant authorities. Where there is a conflict between a requirement of this Guideline and such other regulations affecting the design, construction and operation of the project, the building regulations shall take precedence.

3. Revision Log

Revision	Description	Date Effective
1.1	Issued for Implementation	1 st June 2013
1.2	Revised version of implementation	1 st June 2014
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4. GreenRE Assessment Stages

The GreenRE Non-Residential Building certification process is as follows:

Application

Submittal of application with relevant supporting documents for certification upon strategic inception of infrastructure project.



Pre-Assessment



Actual Assessment



Site Verification

A pre-assessment can be conducted (mandatory) to give the project team a better understanding of the criteria and evaluation of the certification level sought. This should be performed upon selection of suitable design option to allow teams to identify and maximize opportunities at the earliest stages of the project.

Actual assessment to be conducted once the design and documentary evidences (e.g. approved plan) are ready. After the actual assessment, our assessors will review the documents submitted.

Assessment process includes design and documentary reviews to verify if the building project meets:

- (i) The intents of the criteria
- (ii) The pre-requisite requirement for GreenRE Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum rating where applicable.

Provisional Certificate will be issued upon completion of this stage.

Site verification to be conducted upon project completion.

Final Certificate will be issued upon completion of this stage.

5. GreenRE Non-Residential Building Rating System

Overview:

The GreenRE non-residential building rating system is divided into six (6) sections as follows:

Part 1 - Energy Efficiency: This category focuses on the approach that can be used in the building design and system selection to optimise the energy efficiency of buildings.

Part 2 - Water Efficiency: This category focuses on the selection of fittings and strategies enabling water use efficiency during construction and building operation.

Part 3 – Environmental Protection: This category focuses on the design, practices and selection of materials and resources that would reduce the environmental impacts of built structures.

Part 4 - Indoor Environmental Quality: This category focuses on the design strategies that would enhance the indoor environmental quality which include air quality, thermal comfort, acoustic control and daylighting.

Part 5 - Other Green Features: This category focuses on the adoption of green practices and new technologies that are innovative and have potential environmental benefits.

Part 6 - Carbon Emission of Development: This category focuses on the use of carbon calculator to calculate the carbon emission of the development.

These environment impact categories are broadly classified under two main groups namely (I) Energy Related Requirements and (II) Other Green Requirements.

Energy Related Requirements consist of Part 1- Energy Efficiency where credits are allocated for the various energy efficient designs, practices and features used. A minimum of 30 credits must be obtained from this group to be eligible for certification. For shop lot / office project, minimum 22 credits must be obtained from this group. The number of credits achievable for this group is capped at 50 credits (exclude 20 bonus credits that are obtainable under NRB 1-10 – Renewable Energy).

Other Green Requirements consist of Part 2 - Water Efficiency; Part 3 - Environmental Protection; Part 4 - Indoor Environmental Quality; Part 5 - Other Green Features and Part 6 - Carbon Emission of Development. Credits are allocated for the water efficient features, environmentally friendly design practices, innovative green features used and carbon emission of development. A minimum of 20 credits must be obtained from this group to be eligible for certification. The number of credits achievable for this group is also capped at 50 credits.

The maximum GreenRE score achievable for a project is capped at 100 credits and this does not include 20 bonus credits that are obtainable under Energy Related Requirements if a project uses renewable energy sources. The credit scored for

renewable energy provision shall not result in a double grade jump in GreenRE rating (i.e from GreenRE Bronze or Silver to Gold or Platinum)

Under the non-residential building criteria, the environmental impact category Part 1 – Energy Efficiency applies to both air-conditioned and non-air-conditioned spaces. Where there is a combination of air-conditioned and non-air-conditioned spaces, the credits allocated are to be prorated in accordance with the respective floor areas. For simplicity, credits applicable to air-conditioned areas are accounted only if the aggregate air-conditioned areas exceed 500 m². Similarly, credits applicable to non-air-conditioned areas are accounted only if the aggregate non-air-conditioned areas are more than 10% of the total floor areas excluding carparks and common areas.

Points scoring and fulfilment of pre-requisite for mixed mode ventilated spaces are as follows:

- If more than >90% of space (NLA excluding common areas) utilizes one mode of ventilation, pre-requisite for that form of ventilation only applies.
- Points scoring to be pro-rated based on modes of ventilation provided. (e.g if 90% NV and 10% airconditioned – points for NV scoring to be 90% of available points (NRB 1-3 & NRB 1-4) and 10% from NRB 1-1 & NRB 1-2).
- OTTV <50 w/m² will be applicable for all air-conditioned spaces exceeding 1000m².
- Roof u-value requirements mandatory for all building types.

Framework:

To achieve GreenRE Award



Prerequisite & Mandatory Requirements

All relevant prerequisite and mandatory requirements for the specific GreenRE Rating are to be complied with



Energy Related Requirements Minimum 30 credits

Shop Lot / Office Minimum 22 credits

Other Green Requirements Minimum 20 credits

Elective Requirement for Energy Improvement (Combination of the following items to meet 30 credits)

Part 1 - Energy Efficiency

- NRB 1-1 Thermal Performance of Building
 Envelope -OTTV
- NRB 1-2 Air-Conditioning System
- NRB 1-3 Building Envelope Design/ Thermal Parameters
- NRB 1-4 Natural Ventilation/Mechanical Ventilation
- NRB 1-5 Daylighting
- NRB 1-6 Artificial Lighting
- NRB 1-7 Ventilation in Carparks
- NRB 1-8 Ventilation in Common Areas
- NRB 1-9 Lift and Escalators
- NRB 1-10 Energy Efficient Practices & Features
- NRB 1-11 Renewable Energy

Elective Requirement for Other Areas (Combination of the following items to meet 20 credits)

Part 2 - Water Efficiency

- NRB 2-1 Water Efficient Fittings
- NRB 2-2 Water Usage and Leak Detection
- NRB 2-3 Irrigation System and Landscaping
- NRB 2-4 Water Consumption of Cooling Tower

Part 3 - Environmental Protection

- NRB 3-1 Sustainable Construction
- NRB 3-2 Sustainable Products
- NRB 3-3 Greenery Provision
- NRB 3-4 Environmental Management Practice
- NRB 3-5 Green Transport
- NRB 3-6 Stormwater Management
- NRB 3-7 Refrigerants

Part 4 - Indoor Environmental Quality

- NRB 4-1 Thermal Comfort
- NRB 4-2 Noise Level
- NRB 4-3 Indoor Air Pollutants
- NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management
- NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts
- NRB 4-6 Access to view from work area

Part 5 - Other Green Features

NRB 5-1 Green Features & Innovations

Part 6 - Carbon Emission of Development

NRB 6-1 Carbon Emission of Development

Credit Allocation:

	gory		Credits Allocation	
(l) Energy Related Requirements		1	
Part 1: Energy Efficiency				
	NRB 1-1 Thermal Performance of Building Envelope	Section (A)	15	
	– OTTV	Applicable to air-		
	NRB 1-2 Air – Conditioning System	cond. areas	33	
	Sub -Total (A) - NRB 1-1 to 1-2	-	48	
	NRB 1-3 Building Envelope – Design/ Thermal Parameters	Section (B)	30	
ts	NRB 1-4 Natural Ventilation/Mechanical Ventilation	Applicable to non		
eq.		air- cond. areas	20	
Minimum 30 credits	Sub - Total (B) - NRB 1-3 to 1-4		50	
n 3	NRB 1-5 Daylighting	Section(C)	6	
n D	NRB 1-6 Artificial Lighting	Applicable to all	12	
ij	NRB 1-7 Ventilation in Carparks	areas	4	
Σ	NRB 1-8 Ventilation in Common Areas		5	
	NRB 1-9 Lifts and Escalators		2	
	NRB 1-10 Energy Efficient Practices & Features		12	
	NRB 1-11 Renewable Energy		20	
	Sub - Total (C) - NRB 1-5 to 1-11	<u>.</u>	61	
	Category Score for Part 1 – Energy Efficiency [Prorate Subtotal (A) + Prorate Subtotal (B)] + Subtotal (C))	111 (MAX)	
(II) Other Green Requirements			
	Part 2: Water Efficiency			
	NRB 2-1 Water Efficient Fittings		8	
	NRB 2-2 Water Usage and Leak Detection		2	
	NRB 2-3 Irrigation System and Landscaping		3	
	NRB 2-4 Water Consumption of Cooling Tower		2	
	Category Score for Part 2 – Water Efficiency		15	
	Part 3: Environmental Protection			
	NRB 3-1 Sustainable Construction	10		
	NRB 3-2 Sustainable Products		10	
δ	NRB 3-3 Greenery Provision		8	
20 credits	NRB 3-4 Environmental Management Practice		10	
ت د	NRB 3-5 Green Transport		6	
	NRB 3-6 Stormwater Management		3	
μ	NRB 3-7 Refrigerants		2	
Minimum	Category Score for Part 3 – Environmental Protection		49	
≌	Part 4: Indoor Environmental Quality			
	NRB 4-1 Thermal Comfort		2	
			1	
	NRB 4-2 Noise Level		•	
	NRB 4-2 Noise Level NRB 4-3 Indoor Air pollutants		2	
	NRB 4-2 Noise Level NRB 4-3 Indoor Air pollutants NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management			
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	NRB 4-2 Noise Level NRB 4-3 Indoor Air pollutants NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts NRB 4-6 Access to view from Work Area Category Score for Part 4: Indoor Environmental Quality		2 2 1	
	NRB 4-2 Noise Level NRB 4-3 Indoor Air pollutants NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts NRB 4-6 Access to view from Work Area		2 2 1 1	
	NRB 4-2 Noise Level NRB 4-3 Indoor Air pollutants NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts NRB 4-6 Access to view from Work Area Category Score for Part 4: Indoor Environmental Quality		2 2 1 1 9	
	NRB 4-2 Noise Level NRB 4-3 Indoor Air pollutants NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts NRB 4-6 Access to view from Work Area Category Score for Part 4: Indoor Environmental Quality Part 5: Other Green Features NRB 5-1 Green Features & Innovations Category Score for Part 5: Other Green Features		2 2 1 1 9	
	NRB 4-2 Noise Level NRB 4-3 Indoor Air pollutants NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts NRB 4-6 Access to view from Work Area Category Score for Part 4: Indoor Environmental Quality Part 5: Other Green Features NRB 5-1 Green Features & Innovations Category Score for Part 5: Other Green Features Part 6: Carbon Emission of Development		2 2 1 1 9	
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^{*}Total score will be rounded to the nearest whole number

6. GreenRE Non-Residential Building Rating System Scoring

Score	Rating
91 and above	GreenRE Platinum
86 to ≤ 90	GreenRE Gold
76 to ≤ 85	GreenRE Silver
50 to ≤ 75	GreenRE Bronze

7. GreenRE Non-Residential Building Rating System Criteria

Pre-requisites:

1. **GENERAL**

 Building envelope design with Overall Thermal Transfer Value (OTTV) computed based on the methodology and guidelines stipulated in the MS1525:2019.

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GreenRE Gold — OTTV of 42 W/m<sup>2</sup> or lower
GreenRE Platinum — OTTV of 40 W/m<sup>2</sup> or lower
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- To demonstrate the 6% energy saving over its reference model using static calculation for GreenRE Bronze and Silver.
- Building Energy Intensity (BEI) calculation
- Minimum score under NRB1-6 Artificial Lighting GreenRE Gold and Platinum ≥ 5 credits
- NRB 2-1 Water Efficient Fittings To demonstrate reduction of potable water usage by 10%.
- Minimum score under NRB 3-1 Sustainable Construction GreenRE Gold ≥ 3 credits
 GreenRE Platinum ≥ 5 credits
- Minimum score under NRB 3-2 Sustainable Products
 GreenRE Gold ≥ 3 credits
 GreenRE Platinum ≥ 4 credits
- NRB 3-3 (a) Green Plot Ratio, including site inventory analysis and carbon sequestration calculation.
- NRB 3-4 (a) Environmental Management Plan (EMP) during construction.
- NRB 3-4 (i) Provision of facilities or recycling bins for collection and storage of different recyclable waste such as paper, glass, plastic etc and establish the Waste Management Route and Provide recycler details.
- Provision of Building User Guide and Sustainable Operation Management Guide.
- NRB 4-1 (a) To meet the minimum requirement of ASHRAE 62.1. Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality.
- NRB 6-1(a) & (b) & (c) calculation of operational and embodied carbon.

2. MINIMUM SYSTEM EFFICIENCY

• Air-conditioned Buildings

Minimum Design System Efficiency/Operating System Efficiency (DSE/OSE)

For buildings using Water-Cooled Chilled Water Plant

	Building Cooling Load (RT)	
GreenRE Rating	< 500	≥ 500
	Efficiency (kW/RT)	
Bronze	0.85	0.75
Silver	0.80	0.70
Gold	0.75	0.68
Platinum	0.70	0.65

• For buildings using Air-Cooled Chilled Water Plant or Unitary Air-Conditioner

GreenRE	Building Cooling Load (RT)		
Rating	< 500	≥ 500	
Rating	Efficiency (kW/RT)		
Bronze	1.1	1.0	
Silver	1.0	1.0	
Gold	0.85	Case by case(i)	
Platinum	0.78	Case by Case(I)	

For building with building cooling load of more than 500RT, the use of air cooled central chilled water plant or other unitary air-conditioners are not encouraged for Gold and Platinum ratings. In general, the system efficiency of the air cooled central chilled-water plant and other unitary air-conditioners are to be comparable with the stipulated efficiency for water-cooled central chilled-water plant. Buildings that are designed with air cooled systems (e.g stratified and/or multi-block developments) and seeking Gold / Platinum GreenRE rating will be assessed on a case-by-case basis.

Points scoring and fulfilment of pre-requisite for air-conditioning will be allowed in the following scenarios:

- Provided by developer for net lettable area (NLA).
- Not provided by developer but included as part of green lease AND in building user guide.
- Not provided by developer but included as obligation to purchaser AND in building user guide.

Fulfilment of pre-requisite for air-conditioning without point scoring:

- Included in building user guide.
- For gold and platinum projects, savings in energy model to reflect efficiency of air-conditioners proposed in building user guide.

Note: The performance of the overall air-conditioning system for the building is based on the Operating System Efficiency (OSE) of the system during normal building operating hours as defined below:

Office Building

Monday to Friday: 9am to 6pm

Retail Mall:

Monday to Sunday: 10am to 9pm

Institutional:

Monday to Friday: 9am to 5pm

Hotel and Hospital:

24-hour

Industrial and Other Building

Types:

To be determined based on the operating hours

• Non-Air-conditioned Buildings

To be eligible for GreenRE Platinum Rating, ventilation simulation must be carried out to identify the most effective building design and layout. The simulation results and the recommendations derived are to be implemented to ensure good natural ventilation. Details and submission requirements on ventilation simulation can be found in Appendix B of this Guideline. Assistance from ceiling fans is allowable to improve the thermal comfort of a space whereby ventilation simulation shall prove that unassisted ventilation (NV) complies with the minimum requirement of 0.14 m/s wind velocity.

3. ENERGY EFFICIENCY COMPLIANCE

Projects shall demonstrate the stipulated performance through either option listed below (Gold and Platinum projects with air-conditioning system only):

Option 1 - Energy Savings

 To demonstrate the stipulated energy savings over its reference model using an energy modelling framework set out. Details and submission requirements on energy modelling can be found in Appendix A Energy Modelling Guideline. (Baseline – MS1525:2007)

Type of AC System	Energy Saving Required (%)		
Type of AC Gystein	Gold	Platinum	
Centralized Air			
Conditioning system /	45	50	
Unitary system			
District Cooling System	25	30	

Option 2 – Building Energy Intensity (BEI) Benchmarking

 To demonstrate the stipulated Building Energy Intensity (BEI) using an energy modelling framework set out. Details and submission requirements on energy modelling can be found in Appendix A Energy Modelling Guideline. (Baseline – MS1525:2007)

BEI is derived using the following equation:

BEI = [(TBEC - CPEC) / (GFA excluding carpark - GLA x FVR) x (NF/OH)

Where:

- a) TBEC = Total building energy consumption (kWh/year)
- b) CPEC = Car Park Energy Consumption in (kWh/year)
- c) GFA = Gross Floor Area (exclude car park area) (m²)
- d) GLA = Gross Lettable Area (m²)
- e) FVR = Floor Vacancy Rate (NLA) (m²)
- f) NF = Normalizing factor based on a typical weekly operating hour that is 52 Hrs/week [only for office category]
- g) OH = Weighted weekly operating hours (hrs/week) [only for office category]

Note:

- Design BEI is based on 100% occupancy rate for consistency.
- All major active equipment to be included in the estimation of TBEC.
- During verification stage, if the occupancy rate is low, e.g., only 20% occupancy rate, it needs to be projected to 80% to get the BEI which reflects the actual operation situation

Building Type	Gold (kWh/m²/year)	Platinum (kWh/m²/year)	
Office Building	135	120	
Hotel	240	220	
Retail Mall	230	210	
School, University and	110	100	
College	110	100	
School, University and	38	35	
College (MOE)	30	33	
Hospital (Private and	375	340	
General	373	040	
Community Hospitals	230	120	
Polyclinics	150	135	
Nursing / Youth Homes	90	80	

Table 1: Building Energy Intensity (BEI) Benchmarking

4. M&V SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS (FOR CENTRALIZED AC SYSTEMS ONLY)

Provision of permanent measuring instruments for monitoring of water-cooled chilled-water system and air-cooled chilled water system operating system efficiency. The installed instrumentation shall have the capability to calculate resultant plant operating system efficiency (i.e. kW/RT) within 5% of its true value and in accordance with ASHRAE Guide 22 and AHRI 550/590. Heat balance test

for water-cooled chilled water system is required for verification of the accuracy of the Measurement and Verification (M&V) instrumentation.

1. Building Envelope - OTTV

• The OTTV of the building envelope for a building, having a <u>total air-conditioned</u> area exceeding 1000 m² and above should not exceed 50 W/m².

2. Roof

- In the <u>case of an air-conditioned building</u>, the concept of Roof Thermal Transfer Value (RTTV) is applied if the roof is provided with skylight and the entire enclosure below is fully air-conditioned.
- For roofs with skylight, the maximum recommended RTTV is 25 W/m².

3. Roof - U-Value

• The roof of the building shall not have a thermal transmittance (U-Value) greater than that tabulated in Table 2-1.

Table 2-1 Maximum U-Value for Roof (W/m²K)

Roof Weight Group	Maximum U-Value (W/m²K)
Light (Under 50 kg/m²)	0.4
Heavy (Above 50 kg/m²)	0.6

4. Energy Management System

To Install Energy Management System where air-conditioned space is greater than 4000 m^2

5. Provision of differently-able amenities based on recommended or best practices as UBBL, MS1183 Part-8, MS1184, MS1331 and etc.

Part 1 - Energy Efficiency GreenRE Credits (A) Applicable to Air-Conditioned Building Area (with an aggregate air-conditioned area > 1000m²)

NRB 1-1 THERMAL PERFORMANCE OF BUILDING ENVELOPE - OTTV

Enhance overall thermal performance of building envelope to minimise heat gain thus reducing the overall cooling load requirement.

Baseline:

Maximum permissible OTTV = 50 W/m²

Prerequisite Requirement:

GreenRE Gold – OTTV of 42 W/m² or lower GreenRE Platinum – OTTV of 40 W/m² or lower 2 credits for every reduction of 1 W/m² in OTTV from the baseline.

Credits scored = $100 - [2 \times (OTTV)]$ where OTTV $\leq 50 \text{ W/m}^2$ (Up to 15 credits)

NRB 1-2 AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM

Applicable to Air-conditioned Building Areas (with an aggregate air-conditioned area > 1000m²)

Encourage the use of better efficiency airconditioned equipment to minimize the energy consumption.

(System efficiency in kW/ton)

(a) Water-Cooled Chilled-Water Plant:

- i. Water-Cooled Chiller
- ii. Chilled water pump
- iii. Condenser water pump
- iv. Cooling tower

	Building Cooling	
Baseline	Load	
	< 500	≥ 500
	RT	RT
<u>Prerequisite</u>	0.85	0.75
<u>Requirements</u>	kW/RT	kW/RT
Minimum system		
efficiency of central		
chilled-water plant		

(a) Water-Cooled Chilled-Water Plant:

Building cooling load < 500RT

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 0.85 kW/ton

0.3 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 0.85 kW/ton

Credit scored = 0.3 x (% improvement)

Building cooling load ≥ 500RT

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 0.75 kW/ton

0.35 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 0.75 kW/ton

Credit scored = 0.35 x (% improvement)

(up to 20 credits)

OR

(b) Air Cooled Chilled-Water Plant / Unitary Air-Conditioners:

Air cooled Chilled-Water Plant:

- Air-Cooled Chiller
- Chilled Water Pump

Unitary Air-Conditioners:

- Variable Refrigerant Flow (VRF) System
- Water-Cooled Package Unit
- Single-Split Unit
- Multi-Split Unit

Baseline	Building Cooling	
	Load	
	< 500	≥ 500
	RT	RT
<u>Prerequisite</u>	1.1	1.0
<u>Requirements</u>	kW/RT	kW/RT
Minimum system		
efficiency of air		
cooled chilled water		
plant or unitary		
conditioners		

Note(1): Where there is a combination of centralised air-conditioned system with unitary air-conditioned system, the computation for the credits scored will be pro-rated based on the air-conditioning system aggregate capacity.

(c) Air Distribution system:

- Air Handling units (AHUs)
- Fan Coil Units (FCUs)

Fan System Input Power

Baseline: ASHRAE 90.1:2010 Clause 6.5.3.1 and as prescribed below;

OR

(b) Air Cooled Chilled-Water Plant / Unitary Air-Conditioners:

Building cooling load < 500RT

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 1.1 kW/ton

0.2 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 1.1 kW/ton

Credit scored = 0.2 x (% improvement)

Building cooling load ≥ 500RT

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 1.0 kW/ton

0.25 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 1.0 kW/tom

Credit scored = 0.25 x (% improvement)

(up to 20 credits)

(c) Air Distribution system:

0.15 credits for every percentage improvement in the air distribution system efficiency over the baseline

Credit scored = 0.15 x (% improvement)

(up to 8 credits)

Baseline Air Distribution	Allowable Fan System Input Power	
System Type	(kW/m ³ /s)	(W/CMH)
AHUs / FCUs ≥ 4kW (Constant Volume)	1.5	0.42
AHUs ≥ 4kW (Variable Volume)	2.1	0.58
Fan systems with nameplate motor power < 4kW	0.6	0.17

Note (2): For buildings using district cooling system, there is no need to compute the plant efficiency under Part 1-2 (a) and (b). The credits obtained will be pro-rated based on the air distribution system efficiency under Part 1-2(c).

- (d) Prerequisite requirements: Provision of permanent measuring instruments for monitoring of water-cooled chilled water plant and air-cooled chilled water plant efficiency. The installed instrumentation shall have the capability to calculate resultant plant efficiency (i.e. kW/RT) within 5% of its true value and in accordance with ASHRAE Guide 22 and AHRI 550/590. The following instrumentation and installation are also required to be complied:
- Location and installation of the measuring devices to meet the manufacturer's recommendation.
- Data acquisition system to have a minimum resolution of 16 bit.
- All data logging with capability to trend at 1minute sampling time interval.
- Dedicated digital power meters shall be provided for the following groups of equipment: chiller(s), chilled water pump(s), condenser water pump(s) and cooling tower(s).
- Flow meters to be provided for chilledwater and condenser water loop and shall be of ultrasonic / full bore magnetic type or equivalent.

Applicable only to buildings with provision of water-cooled chilled water plants

2 credits

Part 1-Energy Efficiency **GreenRE Credits** (B) Applicable to Non-Air-Conditioned Building Areas (with an aggregate non air-conditioned areas > 10% of total floor area excluding carparks and common areas) NRB 1-3 BUILDING ENVELOPE -**DESIGN/THERMAL PARAMETERS** Enhance the overall thermal performance of building envelope to minimise heat gain which would improve indoor thermal comfort encourage natural ventilation mechanical ventilation. (a) Minimum direct west facing façade Credits scored = 10 - [0.2 x (% of west)]facing façade areas through building design orientation. over total façade Note (3): Orientation of façade that falls within areas)] the range of 22.5° N of W and 22.5° S of W will be defined as west facing façade. Core (Up to 10 credits) walls for lift or staircases and toilets that are located within this range are exempted in Where there is no west facing façade, the computation. total credits scored for this item will be 25 credits; the NRB 1-3 b (i), b (ii) and (c) as listed below will not be applicable. (b)(i) Minimum west facing window opening. Credits scored = 10 - [0.1 x (% of west)]facing window areas over total west facing façade areas)] (b)(ii) Effective sun shading provision for Credits scored = $0.1 \times (\% \text{ of west facing})$ windows on the west façade with window areas with sun minimum shading of 30%. shading devices over total west facing façade areas) (Up to 10 credits for NRB 1-3(b)(i) &(b)(ii)) Credits scored = $0.05 \times (\% \text{ of the external})$ (c) Better thermal transmittance (U-value) of west facing walls areas external west facing walls. with U-value of 2 W/m²K or less over the total west The U-value of external west facing wall facing façade areas) should be equal or less than 2W/m²K (Up to 5 credits)

(d) Better thermal transmittance (U-value) of roof.

Baseline: U-value for roof stated below depending on the weight range of roof structure:

Roof Weight	Maximum
Group (kg/m²)	U-value (W/m ² K)
Light (Under 50)	0.4
Heavy (Over 50)	0.6

2 credits for every 0.1 W/m²K reduction (Up to 5 credits)

NRB 1-4 NATURAL VENTILATION / MECHANICAL VENTILATION

(a) Natural Ventilation

Encourage building that facilitates good natural ventilation.

- (i) Proper design of building layout that utilises prevailing wind conditions to achieve adequate cross ventilation.
- (ii) Use of ventilation simulation modelling and analysis or wind tunnel testing to identify the most effective building design and layout to ensure good natural ventilation.

Note: Assistance from ceiling fan is allowable to improve the thermal comfort of a space whereby ventilation simulation shall prove that unassisted ventilation (NV) complies with the minimum requirement of 0.14 m/s wind velocity.

<u>Prerequisite requirement:</u> GreenRE Platinum: Ventilation simulation modelling and analysis are to be carried out to ensure good natural ventilation with minimum weighted average wind velocity of 0.6m/s within the functional spaces or units.

OR

(b) Mechanical Ventilation

Encourage energy efficient mechanical ventilation system as the preferred ventilation mode to non-air-conditioning in buildings.

Baseline: Fan power limitation in mechanical ventilation systems:

1 credit for every 10% of NV areas with window openings facing north and south directions and cross ventilation

Credits scored = 1 x (% units/10)

(Up to 10 credits)

5 credits
(Additional 5 credits if the recommendations are implemented and meet air-flow requirements – up to 10 credits)

OR

0.6 credit for every subsequent 1% improvement from the baseline Credits scored = 0.6 x (% improvement)

(Up to 15 credits)

Allowable namepl	ate motor power	
Constant volume	Variable volume	
1.7 kW/m ³ /s	2.4 kW/m ³ /s	
Note (3): Where there is a combination naturally ventilated and mechanical ventilate spaces, the credits scored will only be based the predominant ventilation modes of norma occupied spaces.		ed on
	Sub-Total (E	Sum of GreenRE credits obtained from NRB 1-3 to 1-4

Part 1 – Energy Efficiency GreenRE Credits (C) General NRB 1-5 DAYLIGHTING

Encourage design that optimises the use of effective day lighting to reduce energy use for artificial lighting.

- a) Use of daylight simulation analysis or any relevant calculation to verify that 50% or more of all normally occupied areas achieve adequate daylight illuminance levels as specified in MS 1525:2019. Areas with illuminance levels below or above the range do not comply.
- b) Daylighting in the following common areas:
 - i. Lift lobbies and corridors
 - ii. Staircases
 - iii. Carparks

Note:

- a) Simulation or suitable daylight calculation is necessary for occupied space and common area to achieve the minimum daylight factors required
- For common areas, artificial lighting circuits schematic area necessary as documentary to proof design allows controllability to maximise harvested daylight

Percentage of Habitable Spaces with Adequate Ambient Lighting Level	Credits Allocation
50% - 75%	1
76% - 90%	2
>90%	3

(Up to 3 credits)

1 credit 1 credit 1 credit

NRB 1-6 ARTIFICIAL LIGHTING

Encourage the use of better efficient lighting to minimise energy consumption from lighting usage while maintaining proper lighting level.

<u>Baseline:</u> Luminance level stated in MS 1525:2019

Note: For retail applications, the following lighting power budget baselines shall be used:

Retail type	Baseline
Fashion	≤36.0 W/m ²
Specialty	≤50.0 W/m ²
General	≤25.0 W/m ²

Fashion - Clothing, shoes, apparel,

Specialty – Jewellery, watch, electrical, IT and optical General – Books, media, banks, new-agents etc.

0.3 credit for every percentage improvement in the lighting power budget

Credits scored = 0.3 x (% improvement)
(Including tenant lighting provision)
(Up to 12 credits)

(Excluding tenant lighting provision) (Up to 5 credits)

Note:

- a) Lux level simulation is required to show compliance per MS1525:2019
- b) The lighting circuit also should comply to the following:
- To install at least 1 light switch with labels for switched zone ≤ 30m². Zones ≥ 30m² to be matched accordingly.
- Light switches are to be placed near doorways and easily accessed; AND
- Separate switches for lights parallel to natural lighting.

NRB 1-7 VENTILATION IN CARPARKS

Encourage the use energy efficient design and control of ventilation systems on carparks.

- (a) Carparks designed with natural ventilation.
- (b) CO sensors are used to regulate the demand for mechanical ventilation (MV).

Note (4): Where there is a combination of different ventilation mode adopted for car park design, the credits scored under this requirement will be prorated accordingly.

Naturally ventilated carparks – 4 credits

Credits scored based on the mode of mechanical ventilation provided

Fume extract- 2.5 credit

MV with or without supply – 2 credits

(Up to 4 credits)

NRB 1-8 VENTILATION IN COMMON AREAS

Encourage the use of energy efficient design and control of ventilation systems in the following common areas:

- Toilets
- Corridors
- Staircases
- Atriums
- Lift Lobbies

Credits scored based on the mode of ventilation provided in the applicable areas.

Natural vent. – 1.5 credits for each area Mechanical vent. – 0.5 credit for each area

(Up to 5 credits)

NRB 1-9 LIFTS AND ESCALATORS

Encourage the use of energy efficient lifts and escalators.

(a) Lifts with the following energy efficient features:

Extent of Coverage: All lifts and/or escalators

	 i. AC variable voltage and variable frequency (VVVF) motor drive or equivalent. 	1 credit
	ii. Sleep mode features or equivalent.	
(b)	Escalators with energy efficient features such as motion sensors.	1 credit
	RB 1-10 ENERGY EFFICIENT RACTICES & FEATURES	
Er	ncourage the use of energy efficient actices and features which are innovative ad have positive environmental impact	
a)	Computation of energy consumption based on design load in the form of Building Energy Intensity (BEI)	1 credit
b)	Use of vertical greenery system on east and west facade to reduce heat gain through building envelope.	1 credit for high impact 0.5 credit for low impact
c)	Installation of sub meter in switchboard for each service system that is >100kVA of the Total Connected Load (TCL).	1 credit
d)	Use of energy efficient features: Examples:	
	 Heat recovery system Ductless fan for basement ventilation Motion sensors for staircases half 	3 credits for every 1% energy saving over the total building energy consumption per features
	landing Sun pipes Etc	(Up to 9 credits)
1		

NRB 1-11 RENEWABLE ENERGY	
Encourage the use of renewable energy sources in buildings	5 credits for every 1% replacement of electricity (based on total electricity consumption) by renewable energy
	OR
	3 credits for every 1% replacement of electricity (based on the total electricity consumption excluding tenant's usage) by renewable energy
	OR
	3 credits for every 10% of roof area used for solar panels.
	OR
For buildings where solar panels are not installed, provide solar panel installation ready roof. Appropriate roof pitch, static loads, mounting system, and roof access to be considered.	1 credit
	Note: The credit scored for renewable energy provision shall not result in a double grade jump in GreenRE rating (i.e from GreenRE Bronze or Silver to Gold or Platinum)
	(Up to 20 credits)
Sub-Total (C):	Sum of GreenRE credits obtained from NRB 1-5 to 1-11

PART 1 – ENERGY EFFICIE	ENCY
CATEGORY SC	OPF.

Sub-Total (A) X Air-Conditioned

Building Floor Area

Total Floor Area

+

Sub-Total (B) X Non-Air-Conditioned
Building Floor Area
Total Floor Area

+ Sub-Total (C)

Where:

Sub-Total (A) = Sum of GreenRE Credits obtained Under Section (A) that is NRB 1-1 to 1-2

Sub-Total (B) = Sum of GreenRE Credits obtained Under Section (B) that is NRB 1-3 to 1-4

Sub-Total (C) = Sum of GreenRE Credits obtained Under Section (C) that is NRB 1-5 to 1-11

If either Section (A) or Section (B) is not applicable, no pro-rating of areas is required for the score computation.

Total floor area includes air-conditioned area and non-air-conditioned area but excluding car park and common area.

Part 2 – Water Efficiency	G	reenRE Cred	dits
NRB 2-1 WATER EFFICIENT FITTINGS			
Encourage the use of water efficient fittings that are certified under the Water Efficiency Products Labelling Scheme (WEPLS). a) Basin taps and mixers b) Flushing cistern c) Shower taps and mixers or showerheads d) Sink/bib taps and mixers e) Urinals and urinal flush valve Note: • Pre-requisite requirement - to demonstrate 10% reduction of potable water consumption using water savings calculator.	Products La Efficient * 4 credits Credits can be and water efficient		Most Efficient *** 8 credits d on the number of the fitting type
NRB 2-2 WATER USAGE AND LEAK DETECTION Promote the use of sub-metering and leak detection system for better control and monitoring (a) Provision of sub-meters for major water uses which includes irrigation, cooling towers and tenant's usage (b) Linking all sub-meters to Building Management System (BMS) for leak detection.		1 credit	

NRB 2-3 IRRIGATION SYSTEM AND LANDSCAPING	
Provision of suitable systems that utilise rainwater or recycled water for landscape irrigation to reduce potable water consumption.	
(a) Use of non-potable water including rainwater for landscape irrigation	1 credit
(b) Use of water efficient irrigation system with rain sensor	Extent of Coverage: At least 50% of the landscape areas are served by the system 1 credit
(c) Use of drought tolerant plants that require minimal irrigation	Extent of Coverage: At least 50% of the landscape areas 1 credit
NRB 2-4 WATER CONSUMPTION OF COOLING TOWER	
Reduce potable water consumption for cooling purpose.	
(a) Use of cooling tower water treatment system which can achieve 6 or better cycles of concentration at acceptable water quality	1 credit
(b) Use of recycled water from approved sources for cooling purpose	1 credit
PART 2 – WATER EFFICIENCY CATEGORY SCORE:	Sum of GreenRE credits obtained from NRB 2-1 to 2-4

Part 3 – Environmental Protection

GreenRE Credits

NRB 3-1SUSTAINABLE CONSTRUCTION

Encourage recycling and the adoption of building designs, construction practices and materials that are environmentally friendly and sustainable.

(a) Use of sustainable and recycled materials;

Green Cements with approved industrial by-product (such as Ground Granulated Blast furnace Slag (GGBS), silica fume, fly ash) to replace Ordinary Portland Cement (OPC).

% Replacement of OPC by approved industrial by-products	Credits Allocation
10	1
20	2
30	3
40	4
>50	5

(Up to 5 credits)

(b) Concrete Usage Index (CUI)

Encourage more efficient concrete usage for building components.

Project CUI (m³/m²)	Credits Allocation
≤ 0.70	1
≤ 0.60	2
≤0.50	3
≤0.40	4
≤0.35	5

(Up to 5 credits)

Prerequisite Requirement:

Minimum score under NRB 3-1: GreenRE Gold \geq 3 credits GreenRE Platinum \geq 5 credits

NRB 3-2 SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTS

- a) Encourage the use of products that are environmentally friendly and sustainable as follow:
 - Eco Label products
 - Wood products certified by the Forest Stewardship council (FSC) or the Malaysia Certification Council (MTCC)
 - Agreement of the manufacturer or suppliers for the buyback programmes within the life cycle or at the end of materials life for recycling reuse purpose

Extent of use of environmentally friendly product	Weightage for Credit Allocation
Low Impact	0.5
Medium impact	1
High Impact	2

Credits scored will be based on the extent of use of environmentally friendly product.

(Up to 8 credits)

 Reuse Salvaged Materials
 Salvage or reuse construction materials for 2% of building materials based on the total material cost (extracted from the bill of quantities).

1 credit

c) Recycled Content

Encourage the utilisation and use of recycled content material so that the total of post-consumer recycled content plus half of the pre-consumer content constitutes at least 10% based on the total material cost.

1 credit

Prerequisite Requirement:

Minimum score under NRB 3-2: GreenRE Gold \geq 3 credits GreenRE Platinum \geq 4 credits

NRB 3-3 GREENERY PROVISION

Encourage greater use of greenery and restoration of existing trees to reduce heat island effect.

(a) Green Plot Ratio (GnPR) is calculated by considering the 3D volume covered by plants using the Leaf Area Index (LAI).

Note:

- To include site inventory analysis on greenery pre-development and calculation of carbon sequestration of greenery post development.
- (b) Restoration of trees on site, conserving or relocating of existing trees on site. (at least 20%) a
- (c) Provision of compost bins to recycle organic waste to meet at least 30% of landscape fertilizer needs.

GnPR	Credits
	Allocation
1.0 to < 2.0	1
2.0 to < 3.0	2
3.0 to < 4.0	3
4.0 to < 5.0	4
5.0 to < 6.0	5
≥ 6.0	6

1 credit

1 credit

NRB 3-4 ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PRACTICE

Encourage the adoption of environmentally friendly practices during construction and building operation.

- (a) Implement effective environmentally friendly programmes including monitoring and setting targets to minimise energy use, water use and construction waste during construction stage and include the following practices:
 - To record the electrical consumption during the construction stage and hence, minimise energy usage by onsite utilities.
 - Appointment of safety, health and environment officer.
 - To prepare an Environmental Management Plan and conduct a complete Erosion Sedimentation Control Plan (ESCP).
 - To prepare a Construction Waste Management Plan.
 - To include commitment to recycle and/or salvage 50% of the volume of non-hazardous construction debris.
 - Provide at least the minimum level of sanitation/safety facilities for construction workers.
 - Use a low-flow flushing system and efficient fitting tap in the construction site office/ showroom.
 - Provision of the Rainwater Harvesting System and the strategies of rainwater.
 - Develop and implement and IAQ Management plan for Construction.
- (b) Main builder that has good track records in the adoption of sustainable, environmentally friendly, and considerate practices during construction.
- (c) Building quality is assessed and passed under the Quality Assessment System (QLASSIC) or Construction Quality Assessment System (CONQUAS) or Building Quality Assessment System (BuildQUAS).
- (d) To performs IBS content scoring based on CIDB IBS scoring scheme.

1 credit

1 credit

1 credit

1 credit for IBS score ≥ 50% 2 credits for IBS score ≥ 70%

0.25 credit for each firm (Up to 1 credit)
1 credit
1 credit
1 credit
1 credit
1 credit
1 credit
1 credit
Extent of coverage: Minimum 1 number priority parking bays for every 100 carpark lots. EV chargers – 1 for every 200 parking bays. (Cap at 3) (1 credit)

(e) Provision of covered / sheltered bicycles parking lots (i.e with rack / bar) and adequate shower and changing facilities.

Extent of Coverage:

Bicycles parking lot: Minimum 10 number and maximum 50 numbers of bicycle parking lot.

Shower Facilities: Minimum 1 number for every 100 regular occupant and additional 1 for every 150 occupants.

(Cap at 7) (1 credit)

- (f) Community connectivity. Locate the building within 800m of 5 basic service, not limited to:
 - Place of worship.
 - Bank.
 - Pharmacy.
 - Convenience grocery.
 - Post office.
 - Laundry.
 - Hardware store.
 - Supermarket.
 - School.
 - Library.
 - Daycare centre.
 - Senior care facility.
 - Beauty salon.
 - Hospital/clinics.
 - Community centre.
 - Park.
 - Night market

1 credit

NRB 3-6 STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

Encourage the treatment of stormwater runoff through provision of infiltration or design features before discharge to public drains.

Provision of infiltration features or design features for new development and redevelopment in accordance with MSMA.

Reduce post development stormwater peak discharge rate and quantity from exceeding pre-development peak discharge rate and quantity:

5 - 15% - 1 credit

16 - 25% - 2 credits

> 25% - 3 credits

(Up to 3 credits)

NRB 3-7 REFRIGERANTS Reduce the potential damage to the ozone layer and the increase in global warming through the release of ozone depleting substances and greenhouse gases.	
(a) Refrigerants with ozone depleting potential (ODP) of zero OR with global warming potential (GWP) of less than 100.	1 credit
(b) Use of refrigerant leak detection system at critical areas of plant rooms containing chillers and other equipment with refrigerants.	1 credit
PART 3-ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION CATEGORY SCORE:	Sum of GreenRE credits obtained from NRB 3-1 to 3-7

Part 4 – Indoor Environmental Quality	GreenRE Credits
NRB 4-1 THERMAL COMFORT	
Air-conditioning system is designed to allow for cooling load variations due to fluctuations in ambient air temperature to ensure consistent indoor conditions for thermal comfort.	
a) Meet the minimum requirements of Section 4 through 7 of ASHRAE Standard 62.1, Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality or any applicable local code, whichever is more stringent and requirement as follow:	1 credit
 Indoor temperature between 23°C to 26°C Relative Humidity between 50% to 70% 	
b) Additional 1 credit will be awarded for room temperature and humidity displays in all applicable areas.	1 credit
in all applicable aloue!	(Up to 2 credits)
NRB 4-2 NOISE LEVEL	
Building is designed to achieve ambient internal noise level as specified: • 55 dB (6am – 10pm) L _{Aeq} • 45 dB (10pm – 6am) L _{Aeq}	1 credit
NRB 4-3 INDOOR AIR POLLUTANTS	
Minimise airborne contaminants, mainly from inside sources to promote a healthy indoor environment.	Extent of Coverage: A at least 90% of the internal wall areas
a) Use of low volatile organic compounds (VOC) paints and coatings certified under local/international certification body.	1 credit
b) Use of Low VOC material for the adhesives and sealant certified under local/international certification body for composite wood products.	1 credit

NRB 4-4 INDOOR AIR QUALITY (IAQ) MANAGEMENT		
MANAGEMENT		
Ensure that building ventilation systems are designed and installed to provide acceptable IAQ under normal operating hours.		
a) Provision of filtration media and differential pressure monitoring equipment in Air Handling Units (AHUs).	1 credit	
b) Implement effective IAQ management plan and Indoor Mould Prevention Guideline to ensure that building ventilation systems are clean and free from residuals left over from construction activities.	1 credit	
NRB 4-5 HIGH FREQUENCY BALLASTS / LED DRIVERS		
Improve workplace lighting quality by avoiding low frequency flicker associated with fluorescent lighting with the use of high frequency ballasts in the fluorescent luminaries. Or Use of driver with output frequency < 200Hz	Extent of Coverage: At least 90% of all applicable areas that are served by fluorescent luminaries 1 credit	
and < 30% flicker for LED lighting.		
NRB 4-6 Access to view from Work Area		
Design ≥ 60% of the occupied building spaces to have a direct line of sight through vision glazing and measured between 0.8 m and 2.3 m above the finished floor plan levels.	1 credit	
Part 4 – INDOOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY CATEGORY SCORE:	Sum of GreenRE credits obtained from NRB 4-1 to 4-6	

Part 5 – Other Green Features	GreenRE Credits
NRB 5-1 GREEN FEATURES & INNOVATIONS Encourage the use of green features which are innovative and have positive environmental impact. Examples:	
 Pneumatic waste collection system Dual chute system Self-cleaning façade system Infiltration trenches Integrated storm water retention/treatment into landscaping Etc 	2 credits for high impact item 1 credit for medium impact item 0.5 credit for low impact item (Up to 7 credits)
PART 5 – OTHER GREEN FEATURES CATEGORY SCORE:	Sum of GreenRE credits obtained from NRB 5-1

Part 6- Carbon Footprint of Development GreenRE Credits			
NRB 6-1 CARBON FOOTPRINT OF	Oreenic Oreans		
DEVELOPMENT			
a) Recognise the carbon emission based	4 110		
on operational carbon footprint computation of the building comprising	1 credit		
energy [B6] and water consumption			
[B7].			
b) Calculation of product stage embodied			
carbon based on following building	0.5 credit		
materials [A1-A3]:	0.5 Groun		
- concrete - steel			
- bricks			
- cement			
- steel and metal			
c) Calculation of construction stage			
embodied carbon [A4-A5]	0.5 credit		
d) Reduction from reference embodied			
carbon (for Ready Mix Concrete,	>10% 0.5 credit		
Cement, Steel Reinforcement, Bricks,	>30% 1 credit		
Steel & Metal)	250 % T Gredit		
PART 6- CARBON FOOTPRINT OF	Sum of GreenRE credits obtained from		
DEVELOPMENT	NRB 6-1		
CATEGORY SCORE:			
GreenRE Score (Non- Residential)			
GreenRF Score (NRR) = \(\sum_{\text{ategory}}\) score [(Part 1-Energy Efficiency)+		
GreenRE Score (NRB) = ∑Category score [(Part 1-Energy Efficiency)+ (Part 2-Water Efficiency)+			
(Part 3-Environmental Protection)+			
(Part 4-Indoor Environmental Quality)+			
(Part 5-Other Green Features)+ (Part 6-Carbon Emission of Development)]			
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Where:			
Category Score for Part 1≥ 30 credits and ∑Category score for Part 2 to Part 6 ≥ 20 cre	dits		
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Option 1 – Energy Saving Requirement

Requirements

To demonstrate the stipulated energy savings over its reference model using an energy modelling framework set out. Details and submission requirements on energy modelling can be found in Appendix A Energy Modelling Guideline. (Baseline – MS1525:2007)

Type of AC System	Energy Saving Required (%)	
Type of AC System	Gold	Platinum
Centralized Air Conditioning system	45	50
District Cooling System	25	30

Documentary Evidences

Actual Assessment:

Detailed report from simulation software.

Site Verification Assessment

- 12 months of operational energy consumption data.
- Justification of energy saving.
- Breakdown of the energy consumption based on power meters reading.
- Energy audit report.

Option 2- Building Energy Intensity (BEI)

Requirements

Total Building annual energy consumption over the gross floor area of the building (kWh/m²/yr). Based on:

- Energy Calculation or Energy Simulation
- Measurement In operation

The project shall demonstrate the Building Energy Intensity (BEI) and show compliance to the table below (minimum occupancy >80%):

BEI is derived using the following equation:

BEI = [(TBEC - CPEC) / (GFA excluding carpark - GLA x FVR) x (NF/OH)]

Where:

- a) TBEC = Total building energy consumption (kWh/year)
 - b) CPEC = Car Park Energy Consumption in (kWh/year)
 - c) GFA = Gross Floor Area (exclude car park area) (m²)
 - d) GLA = Gross Lettable Area (m²)
 - e) FVR = Floor Vacancy Rate (NLA) (m²)
 - f) NF = Normalizing factor based on a typical weekly operating hour that is 52 Hrs/week [only for office category]
 - g) OH = Weighted weekly operating hours (hrs/week) [only for office category]

Note:

- 1) Design BEI is based on 100% occupancy rate for consistency.
- 2) All major active equipment to be included in the estimation of TBEC.
- 3) During verification stage, if the occupancy rate is low, e.g., only 20% occupancy rate, it needs to be projected to 80% to get the BEI which reflects the actual operation situation

Building Type	Gold	Platinum
	(kWh/m²/year)	(kWh/m²/year)
Office Building	135	120
Hotel	240	220
Retail Mall	230	210
School, University and College	110	100
School, University and College (MOE)	38	35

Documentary Evidences

Actual Assessment:

• Details report from simulation software

Site Verification Assessment

- Scenario 1), based on utility bill, if the occupancy rate is low, e.g. only 20% occupancy rate, it needs to be projected to 80% to get the BEI which reflects the actual operation situation;
- Scenario 2), based on the utility bills, If the actual operation hours are the same as what were used during the design stage, no adjustment required for operational hours; If fixed operational hours were used during design and they are different from actual operation hours, adjustment needs to be done based on actual operational hour

Worked Example

Example 1

Office building	Result based on projected da building undergoing i	ata for existing retrofit)
TBEC (Total Annual Building Energy Consumption):	250,500	kWh/year
GFA	2,584	m ²
BEI	96.9	kWh/m²/year

Based on the requirement, it meets the Platinum BEI <120 requirement.

Example 2:

During verification stage, which is one year after operation, if the occupancy rate is only 30%:

A small office building	Results based on projected data for existing building undergoing retrofit)	
Annual Total Building Energy Consumption: At 30% occupancy	100,000	kWh/year
GFA	2,584	m²
BEI	38.77	kWh/m²/year
TBEC Adjusted to 80% occupancy	=100,000÷ 0.3 × 0.8 = 266667	kWh/year
BEI after adjustment	103.2	kWh/m²/year

With adjusted BEI of 103.2 the project can pass the verification requirement for Platinum
Platinum

(I) Energy Related Requirements

Part 1- Energy Efficiency

NRB 1-1 Thermal Performance of Building Envelope-OTTV

NRB 1-2 Air-Conditioning System

NRB 1-3 Building Envelope – Design / Thermal Parameters

NRB 1-4 Natural Ventilation (exclude carparks)

NRB 1-5 Daylighting

NRB 1-6 Artificial Lighting

NRB 1-7 Ventilation in Carparks

NRB 1-8 Ventilation in Common Areas

NRB 1-9 Lift and Escalators

NRB 1-10 Energy Efficient Practices & Features

NRB 1-11 Renewable Energy

NRB 1-1 THERMAL PERFORMANCE OF BUILDING ENVELOPE - OTTV

Objectives	Enhance overall thermal performance of building envelope to minimise heat gain thus reducing the overall cooling load requirement.	
Applicability	Applicable to air-conditioned building spaces with aggregate areas > 1000m ² .	
Baseline Standard	Maximum permissible OTTV = 50 W/m ²	
	OTTV stands for Overall Thermal Transfer Value.	
	Maximum permissible RTTV = 25 W/m ²	
	RTTV stands for Roof Thermal Transfer Value.	
	In the case of an air-conditioned building, the concept of Roof Thermal Transfer Value (RTTV) is applied if the roof is provided with skylight and the entire enclosure below is fully air-conditioned.	
	The computation of OTTV & RTTV shall be based on the methodology specified in the MS 1525:2019.	
Requirements	Up to 15 credits can be scored for building envelope with better thermal performance than the baseline standard:	
	2 credits for every reduction of 1 W/m² in OTTV from the baseline.	
	Credits scored = 100 – [2 x (OTTV)] where OTTV ≤ 50 W/m ²	
	For developments consisting of more than one building, the weighted average of the OTTVs based on the façade areas of these buildings shall be used as the basis for credits allocation.	
	That is:	
	OTTV weighted average = \sum (OTTV bldg X Abldg) / A devt	
	where OTTV $_{bldg} =$ OTTV for building (W/m²) $A_{bldg} = Summation \ of \ all \ façade \ areas \ (m²) \ in \ a \ building \\ A_{devt} = Summation \ of \ total \ applicable \ façade \ areas \ of \ all \ buildings \\ within \ the \ development \ (m²) \ (i.e. \ \sum A_{bldg})$	
Prerequisite	GreenRE Gold — OTTV of 42 W/m² or lower	
Requirements	GreenRE Platinum – OTTV of 40 W/m ² or lower	

Documentary Evidences

- Site plan with clearly demarcated the orientation of the building.
- Architectural elevation drawings showing the composition of the different façade or wall systems that are relevant for the computation of OTTV.
- Glazing specification showing the U Value and SC Value.
- Window and door schedule.
- Detailed area (m²) tabulation of fenestration and wall for every façade showing the window to wall ratio (WWR).
- Calculation of U Value for all type of external walls.
- Calculation of the Shading Coefficient for external shading device.
- OTTV calculation for each facing wall.
- A drawing showing the cross-sections of typical parts of the roof construction, giving details of the type and thickness of basic construction materials, insulation and air space.
- The U-value of the roof assembly and technical specification of the roof insulation (if any).

In the case of an air-conditioned building, the concept of Roof Thermal Transfer Value (RTTV) is applied if the roof is provided with skylight and the entire enclosure below is fully air-conditioned.

- RTTV Calculation (if applicable)
- Skylight specification showing the U Value and SC Value.

References

MS1525:2019- Energy Efficiency and Use of Renewable Energy for Non-Residential Buildings - Code of Practice

NRB 1-2 AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM

Objectives	Encourage the use of better efficient air-conditioned equipment to minimise energy consumption.		
Applicability	Applicable to air-conditioned building areas where its aggregate air-conditioned areas > 1000m ² .		
	Scope covers all air-conditioned equipment for the buildings as listed: Chillers Air Handling Units (AHU) Fan Coil Units (FCU) Unitary Air-Conditioners/ Condensing Units which include single-split units, multi-spilt units and variable refrigerant flow (VRF) system		
Baseline Standard	Minimum efficiency requirement of the air-conditioning system stated in MS 1525:2019 or SS 530 & SS CP 13.		
	Points scoring and fulfilment of pre-requisite for air-conditioning will be allowed in the following scenarios:		
	 Provided by developer for NLA. Not provided by developer but included as part of green lease AND inclusion in building user guide. Not provided by developer but included as obligation to purchaser AND inclusion in building user guide. 		
	Fulfilment of pre-requisite for air-conditioning without point scoring:		
	 Included in building user guide. For gold and platinum projects, savings in energy model to reflect efficiency of air-conditioners proposed in building user guidelines. 		
	1-2(a) Water-Cooled Chilled Water Plant		
	Baseline Building Cooling Load		
	Prerequisite Requirements 0.85 0.75 Minimum system efficiency of kW/RT kW/RT		
	central chilled-water plant		
	 i. Baseline for Water-Cooled Chiller – Refer Table 25 of MS 1525:2007 to calculate Its Coefficient of Performance (COP) ii. Chilled-water pump and condenser water pump efficiency – Refer to Clause 8.2.5.1 in MS 1525:2007 which states that for chilled water or condenser water pumping system operating for more than 750 hours a year, the pump efficiency shall be: 		

Table 21. Maximum power consumption for pumping system

Type of pumping system	Maximum Power consumption [W/(m3/h)]
Condenser water pump	84
Chilled water pump	97

Cooling tower performance at the rating condition states in Table 3 SS 530.

Rating condition is as follows: 35°C Entering water
29°C Leaving water
24°C Wet Bulb Outdoor air

Propeller and axial fan cooling tower:

With heat rejected from every 3.23 L/s of condenser water per 1 kW of fan power rating:

Cooling tower performance ≤ 1kW / 3.23 L/s ≤ 0.310 kW/ L/s

Centrifugal fan cooling tower:

With heat rejected from every 1.7L/s of condenser water per 1kW of fan power rating:

Cooling tower performance ≤ 1kW / 1.7 L/s ≤ 0.588 kW / L/s

OR

1-2(b) Air-Cooled Chilled-Water Plant / Unitary Air-Conditioners

Baseline	Building Cooling Load		
	< 500 RT ≥ 500 RT		
Prerequisite Requirements			
Minimum system efficiency of air	1.1	1.0	
cooled chilled water plant or	kW/RT	kW/RT	
unitary conditioners			

- Air-cooled chilled water plant Refer Table 25 of MS 1525:2007 to calculate its Coefficient of Performance (COP).
- Unitary Air-Conditioners / Condensing Units Refer Table 23 of MS 1525:2007

Note: If the specific type of air conditioned is not found in MS 1525:2007, please refer to SS 530 to make the calculation on COP. Priority given to MS 1525:2007.

1-2(c) <u>Air Distribution System – Refer ASHRAE 90.1:2010 Clause 6.5.3.1 as prescribed below:</u>

Baseline Air Distribution System Type	Allowable Fan System Input Power		
	(kW/m ³ /s)	(W/CMH)	
AHUs / FCUs ≥ 4kW	1.5	0.42	
(Constant Volume)			
AHUs ≥ 4kW	2.1	0.58	
(Variable Volume)			
Fan systems with nameplate motor power < 4kW	0.6	0.17	

1-2(d) <u>Provision of permanent measuring instruments to monitor water-cooled</u> and air-cooled chilled water plant

- The instrumentation installed in the system shall have capability to calculate resultant plant efficiency within ± 5% of its true value – Refer ASHRAE Guide 22 and AHRI 550/590.
- The following instrumentation accuracy as follow can be considered for monitoring central water-cooled chilled plant efficiency.

Description	Measurement error
Temperature sensors	
- 10K/30K Thermistor	± 0.03 – 0.05 °C at 0°C
- Platinum Resistance	
Thermometers	
Floor Sensor Meter	
- Ultrasonic	± 0.5 – 1.0 % over entire
- Full bore magnetic	measurement range
Power meter	ANSI C12.1-2008, Class 1
	±1%

1-2(e) <u>Verification of central chilled water plant instrumentation – Heat Balance substantiating test</u>

- Substantiating test shall be conducted as accordance to AHRI 550/590
- The heat balance shall be conducted over entire normal operating hours with more than 80% of the computed balance within ± 5% over the audit period

Heat balance is denoted by below equation:

q condenser = q evaporator + W input

Where;

q condenser = heat rejected (in kW or RT)

q _{evaporator} = cooling load (in kW or RT)
W _{input} = measured electrical power input to compressor

1-2(f) Provisioning of variable speed controls for chiller plant equipment

1-2(g) Provisioning of automatic control devices or sensors to regulate outdoor air flow rate to maintain the concentration of Carbon Dioxide at acceptable range ≤700 ppm above outdoor concentration.

Requirements

1-2(a) Air-Conditioned Plant (Up to 20 credits)

• Building cooling load ≥ 500RT :

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 0.75 kW/ton

0.35 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 0.75 kW/ton

Credit scored = 0.35 x (% improvement)

• Building cooling load < 500RT:

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 0.85 kW/ton

0.3 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 0.85 kW/ton

Credit scored = 0.3 x (% improvement)

(up to 20 credits)

OR

1-2(b) Air-Conditioned Plant (Up to 20 credits)

• Building cooling load ≥ 500RT:

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 1.0 kW/ton

0.25 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 1.0 kW/ton

Credit scored = 0.25 x (% improvement)

• Building cooling load < 500RT:

14 credits for achieving plant efficiency of 1.1 kW/ton

0.2 credit for every percentage improvement in the chiller plant efficiency better than 1.1 kW/ton

Credit scored = 0.2 x (% improvement)

(up to 20 credits)

1-2 (c) Air Distribution System (Up to 8 credits)

0.15 credits for every percentage improvement in the air distribution system efficiency above the baseline.

Credits scored = 0.15 x (% improvement)

Note (1): For building using district cooling system, there is no need to compute the plant efficiency under item NRB 1-2(a). The credit obtained will be pro-rated based on the air distribution system efficiency under NRB 1-2(c).

- 1-2 (d) 2 credit can be scored for the provision of permanent measuring instruments for monitoring of water cooled chilled-water plant and aircooled chilled water plant efficiency
- 1-2 (e) 1 credit can be scored for verification of central water cooled chilledwater plant instrumentation: Heat Balance – substantiating test for water cooled chilled-water plant to be computed in accordance with AHRI 550/590. The operating system efficiency and heat balance to be submitted to GreenRE upon commissioning.
- 1-2(f) 1 credit can be scored if variable speed controls for chiller plant equipment such as chilled-water pumps and cooling tower fans are provided to ensure better part-load plant efficiency.
- 1-2(g) 1 credit can be scored if sensors or similar automatic control devices are used to regulate outdoor air flow rate to maintain the concentration of carbon dioxide (CO₂) ≤ 700 ppm above outdoor.

Documentary Evidences

For 1-2 (a) and 1-2 (b)

 Detailed calculations of the overall improvement in equipment/system efficiency of the air-conditioning plants/ units showing the design cooling system capacity and the system efficiency (including individual equipment efficiency).

- Calculation and technical data of the designed system efficiency of chillers at part load condition.
- Technical product information of all air-conditioning and system which included chillers, chilled water pumps, condenser water pumps, cooling towers.
- Schematic drawings showing the air-conditioning system.
- Schedules of the air-conditioning system.

For 1-2 (c)

- Detailed calculations of the overall improvement for air distribution system.
- Technical product information of all AHUs, FCUs, and etc.
- AHUs and FCUs schedule and schematic drawing.

For 1-2 (d)

- Instrument's calibration certificates from accredited laboratory or batch calibration certificates from manufacturer.
- Schematic drawing showing the location of the digital power meters, flow meters and temperature sensors.
- Summary of instruments, standard and measurement accuracy to be presented in the following format:

Instruments	Instruments	Quantity	Measurement	Resultant	Type/Brand/
	calibration		Error (% of	Error (%	Model
	standard		reading)	kW/RT)	
Temperature/					
Sensors					
Flow meter/					
Sensors					
Power Meter					

 Technical specification of the digital power meters, flow meters and temperature sensors.

For 1-2 (e)

- Computation of the percent heat balance that is the total heat gain and total heat rejected must be within ± 5% for 80% of the sampled credits over the normal building operations hours accordance with AHRI550/590.
- Detailed calculations of the overall uncertainly of measurement of the resultant chiller plant efficiency in kW/RT to be within ± 5% of the true value based on instrumentation specification.

For 1-2 (f) and 1-2 (g)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirements to incorporate these control devices.
- Plan layouts showing the locations and the types of control devices used to regulate fresh air intake.

	Technical product specification of the control devices.
References	 (a) MS 1525:2019 – Energy efficient and use of renewable energy for non-residential building – Code of Practice (b) SS 530 – Code of Practice for Energy Efficiency Standard for Building Services and Equipment. (c) SS CP 13 – Code of Practice for Mechanical Ventilation and Air-Conditioning in Buildings.
Worked	Case: District Cooling Plant (DCP)
Example	For 1-2(a) (ii) An air-conditioned building equipped only AHU and FCU. Whilst its chiller, cooling tower and pumps are placed outside the building. The AHU performance system is 8 %.
	0.5 credit for AHU improvement; 0.15 x 8 % = 1.2 credits For 1-2(a) (i), The pro-rate calculation shall be; 1.2 credits x 20 credits = 4.8 credits 5 credits Total credits scored for part 1-2(a)(i) and 1-2(a)(ii) = 1.2 + 4.8 = 6 credits

NRB 1-3 BUILDING ENVELOPE – DESIGN/THERMAL PARAMETERS

Objectives	Enhance the overall performance of building envelope to minimise heat gain which would improve indoor thermal comfort and encourage natural ventilation.					
Applicability	Applicable to non-air-conditioned building spaces with aggregate areas > 10% of					
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Baseline	Baseline stand	lard for 1-3(d) - U-value for	roof:			
Standard						
		Table 1-3.1: Maximum		1		
		Roof Weight	Maximum U-Value			
		Group Light	(W/m²K)			
		(Under 50 kg/m²)	0.4			
		Heavy	0.6			
		(Above 50 kg/m²)	0.6			
Requirements	1-3(a) Up to 10	O credits can be scored if the	ne building envelope is	designed with		
-	. , .	n direct west facing façade	•	•		
	Where th	here is no west facing façad	le, the credits scored w	ill be 24 credits		
	and the	requirements under 1-3 (b)	(i), b(ii) and (c) will no	t be applicable		
	for scori	ng.				
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	Credits	scored = $10 - [0.2 \times (\% \text{ of } (\% \text{ of }$	- ·	reas over total		
		Taçac	de areas)]			
	Note: Orientation of façade that falls within the range of 22.5° N of W and 22.5° S of W will be defined as west facing façade (see illustration below). Core walls for lift or staircases and toilets that are located within this range are exempted in computation.					
		Illustration 1-3.1: Orie	entation of facade			
	Wes facir faca	st → fa ng fa	Vest of acade			
	Illustration 1 An example of direct west facing facade Illustration 2 The block is orientated 10°N of W which is less than of 22.5° N of W. In this instance, the façade is defined as west facing façade'.					
			lustration 3 The block is orientated 40°N of W white xceeds 22.5°N of W and hence the acade is not considered as 'west facinacade' in the computation.			
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1-3(b) Up to 10 credits can be scored for design with (i) minimum west facing window opening and/or (ii) having effective sun shading provision for windows with minimum shading of 30% on the west façade.

For 1-3 (b)(i) Credits scored = 10 - [0.1 x (% of west facing window areas over total west facing façade areas)]

For 1-3 (b)(ii) Credits scored = 0.1 x (% of west facing window areas with sun shading devices over total west facing façade areas)

Notes: For 1-3 (b)(ii), credits can only be scored if the sun shading devices meet at least a shading of 30% as tabulated in Table 1-3.2 below:

Table 1-3.2 : Minimum Requirement on Shading Devices for West Façade

Types of Sun	Angle of	Desired Shading			
shading Devices	inclination	30%	40%	50%	60%
Horizontal Shading	0°	0.6	0.9	1.5	
(R ₁)	20°	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.8
	40°	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.1
Vertical Shading (R ₂)	0°	2.1			
	20°	1.1	1.7	2.5	
	40°	0.7	1	1.4	
	50°	0.6	0.9	1.1	2.8

Where

Horizontal Shading/ Projections (R₁)

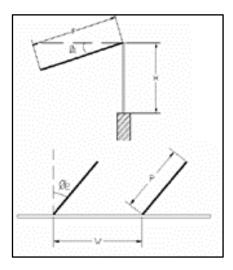
$$R_1 = \underline{P}$$

 \emptyset_1 = Angle of inclination

Vertical Shading/ Projections (R2)

$$R_2 = P$$

 \emptyset_2 = Angle of inclination



1-3(c) Up to 5 credits can be scored for external west facing wall that are designed with better thermal transmittance that is U-value of wall equal or less than 2W/m²K.

Credits scored = 0.04 x (% of the external west facing walls areas with U-value of 2 W/m²K or less over the total west facing facade areas)

1-3(d) Up to 5 credits can be scored for roof design with better thermal transmittance that is U-value of roof than the baseline standard.

Credits scored = 2 credits for every 0.1 W/m²K reduction from the baseline.

Prerequisite Requirements

Ventilation simulation and its recommendation must be carried out using the prescribed methodology stated in Ventilation Simulation Methodology and Requirements to be eligible for GreenRE Platinum rating.

Documentary Evidences

For 1-3(a)

- Architectural plan layouts and elevation drawings of all façade. Highlight those areas that are considered as west facing façade.
- Calculation showing the percentage of west facing façade areas in the prescribed tabulated format as shown in Table 1-3(a).

Table 1-3(a) Minimum direct west facing external façade

	Area of west facing external façade (m²) (a)	Total area of external façade (b)	% of west facing external facade
Block 1			∑ (a)/ ∑(b) x 100
Block 2			
Block 3			
Total			

Credits scored for 1-3(a)= $10 - [0.2 \text{ x} (\sum (a) / \sum (b) \text{ x} 100)]$

For 1-3(b)(i) and (ii)

- Architectural plan layouts and elevation drawing of west facing façade and highlight the window openings.
- Sectional drawing showing the details of the sun shading devices.
 Highlight those sun shading devices that meet the 30% shading requirement.
- Window schedules.
- Calculation showing the percentage of west facing window areas in the prescribed tabulated format.

Table 1-3(b)(i): Minimum west facing windows openings

Description	Area of west facing window area (m²) (a)	Total area of west facing external façade (m²) (b)	% of west facing window areas over total west facing external façade areas
Block 1			∑ (a)/ ∑(b) x 100
Block 2			
Block 3			
Total			

Credits scored for 1-3(a) = $10 - [0.1 \text{ x} (\sum (a) / \sum (b) \text{ x} 100)]$

Table 1-3(b)(ii): Effective sun shading provisions for west facing window with minimum 30% shading

Description	Area of west facing window with effective sun shading provision(m²)	Total area of west facing external façade (m²) (b)	% of west facing window areas over total west facing external façade areas
Block 1			∑ (a)/ ∑(b) x 100
Block 2			1
Block 3			
Total			

Credits scored for 1-3(a) = 0.1 x $[(\sum (a)/\sum (b)) \times 100)]$

• Calculation showing the percentage of west facing window with the provision of sun shading devices meet at least of 30%.

For 1-3(c)

- Architectural drawings highlighting the material types and walls.
- Detailed sectional drawings showing the wall composition and the respective U-values calculation.
- Extracts of the tender specification which states the thermal transmittance (K-value) properties to be adopted for west facing walls.
- Technical product information of the insulation materials (if applicable).
- Calculation showing the percentage of west facing window areas in the prescribed tabulated format as shown in Table 1-3(c).

Table 1-3(c): Better thermal transmittance of external west facing walls

Description	Area of external west facing walls with U-value of 2W/m ² K or less (m ²) (a)	Total area of west facing external façade (m²) (b)	% of external west facing wall areas with prescribed U values over total west facing external façade areas
Block 1			∑ (a)/ ∑(b) x 100
Block 2			
Block 3			
Total			

Credits scored = $0.04 \times [(\sum (a)/\sum (b)) \times 100)]$

For 1-3(d)

- Roof layout and sectional details of the development.
- Extracts of the tender specification which states the thermal transmittance properties of roof.
- Detailed sectional drawings showing the roof composition and the respective U-values and calculation showing the average reduction.
- Technical product information of the insulation materials (if applicable).

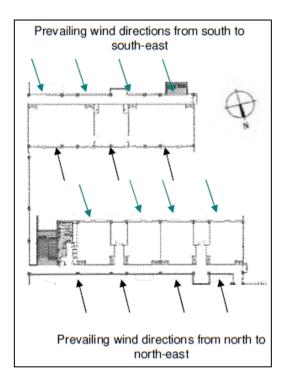
Table 1-3(d): Better thermal transmittance of roof

		Roof Type	Weight Group	Weight range (kg/m²)	Maximum Thermal Transmittanc e (w/m²K)	Designed U-value (W/m²K)	Reduction (W/m²K)
		Roof 1	Light	Under 50	0.4		
		Roof 2	Heavy	Above 50	0.6		
References	-						

NRB 1-4 NATURAL VENTILATION / MECHANICAL VENTILATION

Objectives	Encourage building that facilitates good natural ventilation. Encourage energy efficient mechanical ventilation system as the preferred ventilation mode to airconditioning in buildings.				
Applicability	Applicable to Non Air-Conditioned Building Areas (with an aggregate non air-conditioned areas > 10% of total floor area excluding carparks and common areas) for Natural Ventilation.				
Baseline Standard	Fan power limitation in mechanical ventilation systems:				
	Allowable na	mepla	ate motor power]	
	Constant volume	;	Variable volume	1	
	1.7 kW/m ³ /s		2.4 kW/m ³ /s]	
Requirements	1-4(a) Natural Ventilation				
	Up to 10 credits can be scored fo conditions to achieve adequate cr			evailing wind	
	1 credit for every (10% of units/ ro		with window openings factors south directions)	ing north	
	Credits scored = 1 x (% of units / 10)				
	Note: In Malaysia, the prevailing wind comes from two predominant directions; that is the north to north-east during the Northeast monsoon season and south to south-east during the South-west monsoon season. Hence, buildings designed with window openings facing the north and south directions have the advantages of the prevailing wind conditions which would enhance indoor thermal comfort. Meteorological data on the more precise wind direction and velocity of the site location can also be used as the basis for the design.				
	It is not necessary for the window of prevailing wind direction. Only windows adjoining toil considered. Window adjoining toil considered. An oblique angle is considered accepage).	indow lets/ b	adjoining the habitable eathroom and store roor	space to be m will not be	

Illustration 1-3.1: Orientation of facade facing North and South



Building layout shows all rooms with window openings facing the North and South directions.

Prevailing wind directions from north to north-east

Room 1

Room 2

Room 5

Room 6

Room 6

Illustration 1-3.2: Orientation of facade facing North and South

Building layout shows not all rooms with window facing the north and south directions. Room 2 to Room 5 would only have prevailing wind in one direction. Only Room 1 and 6 can be considered meeting requirement 1-3(a).

Alternative compliance: The application of ventilation simulation can be used to prove that the building layout utilises prevailing wind conditions and could

achieve adequate cross ventilation within the indoor units through sufficient window openings. The ventilation simulation should be carried in the same conditions outlined in paragraph 1-4(a) below. Credits should only be scored if the recommendations from the simulation are implemented.

1-4(a) 5 credits for the use of ventilation simulation software to identify the most effective building design and layout in achieving good natural ventilation.

The design should provide an average wind velocity within the space of at least 0.6 m/s or more. And <u>additional 5 credits</u> be scored if the recommendations from the ventilation simulation are implemented. The ventilation simulation shall be carried out in accordance with the methodology stated in Appendix B.

Note: Assistance from the ceiling fan is allowable to improve the thermal comfort of a space whereby ventilation simulation shall prove that unassisted ventilation (NV) complies with the minimum requirement of 0.14 m/s wind velocity.

1-4(b) Mechanical Ventilation

Up to 15 credits for the use of mechanical system in order to promote adequate ventilation between indoor and outdoor air.

0.6 credits for every subsequent 1% improvement in the baseline.

Documentary Evidences

1-4(a)(i) Building layout with the cross ventilation

- Architectural plan layouts showing the units / rooms of all blocks with highlights of those with north and south window openings.
- Calculation showing the percentage of units or rooms with window openings facing north and south directions in the prescribed formats as shown in Table 1-4(a).

Table 1-4(a) – Percentage of units with window opening in N-S direction

Ref	Description	Units/Rooms with window opening in the N-S direction (a)	Total no. of naturally ventilated units/room	% of units/ rooms with window opening in N-S direction
1	Classroom Block A & A1			∑ (a) / ∑(b) x 100
2	Classroom Block B			
3	Offices, meeting rooms and computer rooms with air-conditioning			
	Total:			

	Credits scored = 1.0 x (% of units / 10)
	$= 1.0 \times [(\sum (a) / \sum (b) \times 100) / 10]$
	$= 1.0 \times [(2 (a) / 2(b) \times 100) / 10]$
	 1-4(a)(ii) Ventilation simulation modelling Ventilation simulation modelling result and analysis or wind tunnel testing to identify the most effective building design and layout which achieve average wind velocity at least 0.6m/s or more. A summary of the recommendation from the ventilation simulation report. Architectural plan layout highlights the implementation base on the
	recommendation from the report.
	1-4(b) Mechanical Ventilation
	Plan layout demarcate the area with mechanical ventilation system.
	 The overall design and drawings for mechanical ventilation system to make up the required outdoor air quantity into the building at desire fan power limit.
	 Detailed calculations showing the fan power improvement.
	Product catalogue of the fan power used.
References	SS CP 13 - Code of Practice for Mechanical Ventilation and Air-Conditioning
	Buildings

NRB 1-5 DAYLIGHTING

Objectives	Encourage design that optimises the use of effective day lighting to reduce				
	energy use for artificial lighting.				
Applicability	1-5(a) Applicable to all normally occupied areas within the development.				
	1-5(b) Applicable to all common areas within the d	evelopment.			
Baseline Standard	1-5(a) The minimum illuminance level for day lighti with MS1525:2019.	ing shall be in accordance			
Requirements	1-5(a) Up to 3 credits can be scored for the use of	daylight simulation analysis			
·	or any relevant calculation documents to verify that 50% or more of all habitable spaces achieve adequate daylight illuminance levels as specified in Clause 5.4.1 in MS 1525:2019.				
	The scoring will be based on percentage of habitable spaces with adequate ambient lighting level.				
	Table 1-5.1: Credits allocation according	to Habitable Spaces			
	Percentage of Habitable Spaces with	Credits Allocation			
	Adequate Ambient Lighting Level				
		50% - 75% 1			
	76% - 90% >90%	76% - 90% 2 >90% 3			
	75070				
	1-5(b) (i) 1 credit for provision of day lighting for lift 1-5(b) (ii) 1 credit for provision of day lighting for st				
	1-5(b) (iii) 1 credit for provision of day lighting for car parks.				
	Note: (a) Simulation or suitable daylight calculation space and common area to achieve the required. (b) For common areas, artificial lighting circuit documentary to proof design that allows harvested daylight.	e minimum daylight factors schematics are necessary as			

Documentary For 1-5(a) **Evidences** Schedules showing the total floor area of the habitable spaces in the development. Daylight simulation / calculation report summarizing the analysis and modelling results for each habitable space area that meets the requirement. Architectural plan layout showing glazing/window area for each habitable space. For 1-5(b) Architectural plan layout showing the window/ glazing at the lift lobby. corridors, staircases, and car parks (where applicable). Calculation showing the 80% of each common area with the daylight provision. References MS 1525:2019 - Energy Efficiency and Use of Renewable Energy for Non-Residential Building - Code of Practice Worked Tabulate occupied spaces and daylight factor achieved for all areas. **Example** 1-5(a) Calculate % of occupied areas achieving daylight factor between 1-3.5% e.g.: % occupied areas with DF 1-3.5% = 60% Credits scored for 1-5(a) = 1 credits Worked Proposed non-residential development with the following provision: Example 1-5(b) All lift lobbies (including private lift lobbies), corridors and staircases are designed to have adequate day lighting that would eliminate the need for artificial lighting during daytime. 75% of the car park areas have day lighting provision while the other 25% of the car park areas need to employ the use of artificial lighting to maintain proper lighting level. **Table 1-5.3: Credits Allocation** Criteria Credit Allocated No. Credit 1-5(b) (i) Lift lobbies and corridors 1 1 1 1 1-5(b) (ii) Staircases Day lighting for carparks. 0.75 1-5(b) (iii) TOTAL 2.75 As carpark achieves adequate daylighting in only 75% of applicable areas (<80%) – scoring will be prorated to 0.75. Therefore, credits scored for 1-5(b) = 2.75 credits

NRB 1-6 ARTIFICIAL LIGHTING

Objectives	Encourage the use of better efficient lighting to minimise energy consumption from lighting usage while maintaining proper lighting level.				
Applicability	Applicable to lighting provisions that designed in accordance to the luminance level as recommended in MS 1525: 2019.				
Baseline		stated in MS 1525:		ency and Use of	
Standard		gy for Non-Residential	•	•	
Requirements	Up to 12 credits if tenants' light is provided OR Up to 5 credits if tenants' light is excluded for the improvement in the lighting power consumption.				
	0.3 credit for eve baseline standard	ry percentage improve d. That is	ement in the lighting p	rovisions over the	
	Credits scored =	0.3 x (% improvement)			
	Display lighting and specialised lighting are to be included in the calculation of lighting power budget.				
	The design service illuminance, lamp efficiencies and the light output ratios of luminaries shall be in accordance with in MS 1525:2019 –Energy Efficiency and Use of Renewable Energy for Non-Residential Building - Code of Practice.				
	For retail applications, the following lighting power budget baselines shall apply:				
	Retail type Baseline				
		Fashion	≤36.0 W/m ²	-	
	Specialty ≤50.0 W/m²				
	General ≤25.0 W/m²				
	Fashion – Clothing, shoes, apparel, Specialty – Jewelry, watch, electrical, IT and optical General – Books, media, banks, new-agents etc. Note: a) Lux level simulation is required to show compliance as MS1525:2019 b) The lighting circuit also should comply to the following: • To install at least 1 light switch with labels for switched zone ≤ 30m2 30m2 to be matched accordingly. • Light switches are to be placed near doorways and easily accessed; A • Separate switches for lights parallel to natural lighting.				

Documentary Lighting layout plan. **Evidences** Lighting schedules showing the numbers, locations and types of luminaries used and switching circuit not cover > 30 sqm. Calculation of the proposed lighting power budget and the percentage of improvement in the prescribed tabulated format shown in Table 1-6-1 and Extract tender specification of lighting fittings used. Technical product information of the lighting luminaries used. Lux simulation result for all the spaces showing compliance with illuminance level in table 10, MS1525:2019. MS 1525:2019 - Energy Efficiency and Use of Renewable Energy for Non-References Residential Building - Code of Practice Worked a) Determine the total power consumption based on the lighting layout Example 1-6 design for each area and light fitting types used. b) Calculate the total power consumption based on the maximum lighting power budget stated in MS 1525:2019. c) Calculate the percentage improvement in the total power consumption.

Table 1-6-1: Total power consumption based on each fitting type						
Description	Area (m²)	Light Fitting	Power Consumption	Ballast Loss	No. of Fittings	Total power consumption
		Туре	per fitting (W)	(W)		based on fitting type
	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	[(C)+(D)] x E
Office Space 1	1500	T5	2x28	3	245	14455
Office Space 2	1250	T5	2x28	3	210	12390
Meeting		Т8	1x36	3	15	585
Room	75	Surface downlight	2x36	0	8	416
Corridors 1	150	T5	2x28	3	15	885
		T5	2x28	3	15	885
Corridors 2	205	Surface downlight	1x70	0	9	630
		Т8	2x36	3	87	6525
Atrium	850	Surface downlight	1x150	0	10	1500
Carparks	7500	T5	2x28	3	436	25724
Staircase	300	T5	2x28	3	20	1180
Total: 65175						

Table 1-6-2: Total power consumption based on design and MS 1525:2019

Description	Area (m²)	Design Data			25:2019
				Requirements	
		Total Power	Design	Reference	Reference
		Consumption	Lighting	Lighting	Total Power
		(by area)(W)	Power	Power	Consumption
			Budget	Budget	(by area)(W)
			(W/m^2)	(W/m²)	
	(A)	(F)	(F/A)	(H)	(H x A)
Office	1500	14455	9.64	12	18000
Space 1					
Office	1250	12390	9.91	12	15000
Space 2					
Meeting	75	1001	13.35	12	900
Room					
Corridors 1	150	885	5.90	5	750
Corridors 2	205	1515	7.39	5	1025
Atrium	850	8025	9.44	5	4250
Carparks	7500	25724	3.43	5	37500
Staircase	300	1180	3.93	5	1500
Total:		65175			78,925

% improvement in the lighting power consumption

=
$$[\Sigma (H \times A) - \Sigma(F)] / \Sigma (H \times A) \times 100\%$$

=(78925-65175)/78925 x 100%

=17.42%

Credits scored = $0.3 \times 17.42\% = 5.26$ credits

Therefore, credits scored should be 5.26 credits if tenant's lighting is included: and credits scored should be 5 credits (max) if tenant's light is excluded.

NRB 1-7 VENTILATION IN CARPARKS

Objectives	Encourage the use energy efficient design and control of ventilation systems on carparks.
Applicability	Applicable to all carparks spaces in the development.
Baseline Standard	-
Requirements	1-7(a) 4 credits can be scored if the carparks spaces that are fully naturally ventilated
	1-7(b) For carparks that have to be mechanically ventilated, credits can be s scored for the use of carbon monoxide (CO) sensors in regulating such demand based on the mode of mechanical ventilation (MV) used; 2.5 credits for carparks using fume extract system and 2 credits for those with MV with or without supply.
	Note: Where there is a combination of different ventilation mode adopted for carparks design, the credits scored under this requirement will be prorated accordingly.
Documentary Evidences	 For 1-7 (a) Plan layouts showing all car park provision for the development with highlights of the car park spaces that are designed to be naturally ventilated. Calculation showing the openings at the carpark level to meet the UBBL requirement.
	 For 1-7(b) Plan layouts showing all car park provision for the development with highlights of the car park spaces that are designed to be mechanical ventilated. Plan layout indicating the location of CO sensors and the mode of ventilation adopted for the design. Calculation showing the credits allocation if there is a combination of different ventilation mode adopted for the car park design. Technical product information of CO sensors and mechanical ventilation.
References	MS 1525:2019 –Energy Efficiency and Use of Renewable Energy for Non-Residential Building - Code of Practice

Worked Example 1-7 Proposed development has a 6-storey naturally ventilated carparks and one level of mechanically ventilated basement carparks with CO sensor to be installed to regulate MV. Areas of naturally ventilated carparks = 6 x 600 = 3600 m² Areas of basement carparks = 600 m² Total areas = 4200 m² Credits scored for 1-7 = (3600/4200) x 4 + (600/4200) x 2 = 3.71 credits

NRB 1-8 VENTILATION IN COMMON AREAS

Objectives	Encourage the use of energy efficient design and control of ventilation systems in common areas.
Applicability	Applicable to the following common areas of the development. • Toilets • Lift Lobbies • Staircases • Atriums
Baseline Standard	-
Requirements	Up to 5 credits can be scored for the use of natural ventilation as an effective passive cooling design strategy to reduce the energy used by air- conditioning systems in these common areas. Credits are scored based on the mode of ventilation provided in these applicable areas. Natural ventilation – 1.5 credits for each area Mechanical ventilation – 0.5 credit for each area
Documentary Evidences	 Plan layouts showing the applicable areas and the respective modes of ventilation with proper demarcation of the opening. Schedules showing the numbers, locations of the applicable areas and the mode of ventilation used. Technical product information of mechanical ventilation system. (if applicable) of ventilation used Schematic drawing of the mechanical ventilation system. Calculation showing the credits allocation if there is a combination of different ventilation modes adopted for the applicable areas.
References	MS 1525:2019 –Energy Efficiency and Use of Renewable Energy for Non-Residential Building - Code of Practice

Worked Example 1-8

Proposed development has the following details:

No. of toilet = 45; where 10 units are designed with air-conditioning.

% of toilet units with natural ventilation = (45-10)/45 = 77.8%Hence, it is less than 90%; no credit for this item

No. Of staircases = 100; all are mechanical ventilated -0.5 credit No. Of lift lobbies = 22; all are naturally ventilated -1.5 credits

Credits scored for 1-8 = 0.5 + 1.5 = 2 credits < 5 credits (max)

NRB 1-9 LIFTS AND ESCALATORS

Objectives	Encourage the use of energy efficient lifts and escalators.
Applicability	Applicable to ALL lifts and/or escalators in the development.
Baseline Standard	-
Requirements	 1 credit can be scored for the use of lifts with energy efficient features such as AC variable voltage and variable frequency (VVVF) motor drive and sleep mode features or equivalent. 1 credit can be scored for the use of escalators with motion sensors to regulate usage.
Documentary Evidences	 Extracts of the tender specification indicating the types of lifts & escalators and related features used. Plan layout showing the location of the lifts and escalators. Schedules showing the total number of lifts & escalators and its power consumption. Technical information of the lifts & escalators.
References	-
Worked Example 1-9	Proposed development has the following provision: Two lift types: Type L1 with VVVF motor drive and sleep mode features Type L2 with VVVF motor drive and sleep mode features Two escalator types: Type E1 with VVVF motor drive and motion sensors Type E2 without VVVF motor drive and motion sensors 1 credit for the use of lifts with VVVF motor drive; and 1 credit for the use of lifts with sleep mode features No credits for escalators as not all escalators are designed with motion sensors Credits scored for 1-9 = 2 credits (out of 3 credits)

NRB 1-10 ENERGY EFFICIENT PRACTICES & FEATURES

Objectives	Encourage the use of energy efficient practices and features which are
Objectives	innovative and have positive environmental impact in terms of energy saving.
Applicability	1-10(a) Applicable to all developments
	1-10(b) Applicable to practices and features that are not listed in the
	requirements under Part 1 – Energy Efficiency.
Baseline	-
Standard	
Requirements	1-10(a) 1 credit can be scored for the practice of using Building Energy Intensity (BEI) as a building performance indicator to measure the building's unit area energy consumption for future monitoring and improvements.
	BEI is derived using the following equation:
	BEI = [(TBEC - CPEC) / (GFA excluding carpark - GLA x FVR) x (NF/OH)
	Where: h) TBEC = Total building energy consumption (kWh/year) i) CPEC = Car Park Energy Consumption in (kWh/year) j) GFA = Gross Floor Area (exclude car park area) (m²) k) GLA = Gross Lettable Area (m²) l) FVR = Floor Vacancy Rate (NLA) (m²) m) NF = Normalizing factor based on a typical weekly operating hour that is 52 Hrs/week [only for office category] n) OH = Weighted weekly operating hours (hrs/week) [only for office category] Note: (1) Design BEI is based on 100% occupancy rate for consistency. (2) All major active equipment to be included in the estimation of TBEC. 1-10(b) Up to 1 credit can be scored for the provision of greenery system on east and west facade to reduce the heat gain through the building envelope. 1 credit for high impact where provision is more than 50% of applicable facade areas. 0.5 credit for low impact where provision is
	at 25% of the same. 1-10 (c) Up to 1 credit for the Installation of sub meter on switchboard for each service system that is >100kVA of the Total Connected Load (TCL)
	 Install separate sub-meters for lighting systems, chillers, sockets, AHU, lifts, and other services that use loads of ≥ 100 kVA (TCL).
	 1-10(c) Up to 9 credits can be scored for the use of the following approved energy efficient features depending on the potential energy saving. Thermal storage system Heat recovery devices Light shelves

- Motion sensors for staircases half landing and toilets
- Sun pipes for natural lighting
- Ductless fans for cleaning system
- Auto-condenser tube cleaning system
- Photo sensors to maximize the use of daylighting

Note: For features that are not listed NRB 1-10(c) above, the QP is required to submit the details showing the positive environmental impacts and potential energy savings of the proposed features to GreenRE assessment.

Documentary Evidences

For 1-10(a)

- Calculation of the Building Energy Intensity (BUI) using the predetermined daily usage pattern.
- Detail calculation including operation hours for the estimated energy load for each component in the building etc.: lighting, air conditioning system, pump, receptacle load.
- Technical product information and related drawing on the energy efficient features.
- List of the assumption for the BEI calculation.

For 1-10(b)

- Landscape plan layout showing the vertical greenery provision and building elevation.
- Calculation showing the extent of the vertical greenery provision over the east and west façade areas.

For 1-10(c)

 Electrical schematic drawings which show the location of the sub-meter on the main switchboard and on the small switchboard for each service of ≥ 100 kVA (TCL).

For 1-10(d)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the provision of the proposed energy efficient features and the extent of implementation where applicable.
- Technical product information and related drawing on the energy efficient features used.
- Calculation of the percentage energy saving that could be reaped from the use of these features.

References

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Worked Example 1-10

For 1-10(a):

- (1) Determine the total annual building electricity consumption (TBEC) based on the estimated electricity consumption and usage pattern in term of operation hours of all the major energy consumption systems and equipment
- (2) Computation of the BEI of the building

Background info:

Assume a proposed development with GFA excluding car park of 86000 m², operational hours per week is 55 hours at 100% occupancy rate. No data centre in the building.

Table 1-10.1 : Total Building Electricity Consumption per year

System/Equipment	Total Annual Building Electricity Consumption (kWh)/year
Lighting (air-conditioned space)	3094380
Lighting (non air-conditioned space)	236321
Exterior Lighting	405800
Air-conditioned Plant	7924425
Air System Fans	632293
Mechanical Ventilation Fans	207571
Lifts	792966
Escalators	45865
Receptacle Equipment *(16W/m²)	3936517
Domestic Water Pump Systems	226088
Hot Water Systems	93789
Others	-
Total :	17596015

^{*}For tenant receptacle load, the nominal values shown in the following table can be adopted.

Receptacle Loads	Nominal Values
General office areas	12 W/m²
Large conference areas	11 W/m²
Server/Computer rooms	540 W/m²

Source: ASHRAE STD 90.1:1999

Total annual Building Electricity Consumption (TBEC) excluding the carpark consumption = 17596015 kWh/year

Therefore, the BEI of the building is as follows:

BEI = (TBEC/GFA)

= (17596015/86000)

 $= 204.6 \text{ kWh/m}^2/\text{yr}$

Credit scored for 1-10(a) = 1 credit

For 1-10(b):

The same proposed development has incorporated vertical greenery systems on the east and west facade to reduce heat gain to the building.

Table 1-10.2: Total vertical greenery on east and west facade

Areas of vertical greenery systems	Percentage = 2000/4800
= 2000 m ²	= 42% < 50%
Total east and west facade areas	Therefore, credits scored for 1-10(b) =
= 4800 m ²	0.5 credit

For 1-10(c):

The same proposed development has included the use of motion sensors for all staircases and toilets

(i) Toilets

Total light fittings to be controlled by motion sensors = 2×350 nos. Power consumption by light fitting = $2 \times 350 \times 36$ W = 25200 W Assume 5 hours per day that the light fittings are off when it is not occupied. Electricity saving = 25200 W x 5 hours = 126 kWh Annual electricity saving = $126 \times 365 = 45990$ kWh

(ii) Staircases

Total light fittings to be controlled by motion sensors = 2×180 nos. Power consumption by light fitting = $2 \times 180 \times 18$ W = 6480 W Assume 10 hours per day that the light fittings are off when it is not used Electricity saving = 6480 W $\times 10$ hours = 64.8 kWh Annual electricity saving = $64.8 \times 365 = 23652$ kWh

Total annual electricity saving using motion sensors = 45990+23652 = 69642 kWh

% energy savings = 69642/17596015 = 0.396%

Credits scored for 1-10(c) = 3 credits for every 1% energy saving = $3 \times 0.396\% = 1.19$ credit

NRB 1-11 RENEWABLE ENERGY

Objectives	Encourage the use of renewable energy sources in buildings.
Applicability	Includes all renewable energy sources.
Baseline Standard	-
Requirements	Up to 20 credits can be scored based on the percentage replacement of electricity by the renewable energy source: 5 credits for every 1% replacement of electricity (based on total electricity consumption) by renewable energy. OR 3 credits for every 1% replacement of electricity (exclude tenant's usage) by renewable energy. OR 3 credits for every 10% of roof area used for solar panels. OR 1 credit for the provision of solar panel installation roof, for a building where solar panels are not installed. Appropriate roof pitch, static loads, mounting system, and roof access to be considered.
Documentary Evidences	 Extract of the tender specification of the renewable energy system and the extent of implementation. Technical product information for the renewable energy system and the expected renewable energy generated. Calculation of the percentage replacement of electricity and the total annual electricity consumption of the development. Architectural plan and elevations marking out areas allocated a renewable energy.

(II) Other Green Requirements

Part 2 – Water Efficiency NRB 2-1 Water Efficient Fittings

NRB 2-2 Water Usage and Leak Detection

NRB 2-3 Irrigation System

NRB 2-4 Water Consumption of Cooling Tower

NRB 2-1 WATER EFFICIENT FITTINGS

Objectives	-	Labelling Scheme (WE	nt fittings covered under the EPLS) or Water Efficiency	
Applicability Baseline	Applicable to all water fittings covered by the WEPLS as follows:			
Standard				
Requirements	Up to 8 credits can be scored based on the number and water efficiency rating of the fitting type used. Rating Based on Water Efficiency Products Labelling Scheme (WEPLS)			
	Efficient *	Highly Efficient **	Most Efficient ***	
	4 credits	6 credits	8 credits	
	GreenRE Water Calcu	lator)	ater efficient fittings. (refer	
Documentary Evidences	 for the development Water fitting scheduler rating of the propose the Table 2.1-1. Schematic drawing WEPLS product sprecognition from WE international body the required. Calculation of percent 	ules showing the number ed fittings in the prescribed of cold water and sanitary pecification or certificate. EPLS, product catalogue at that equivalent to the SII	In the event no product and test report from local or RIM standard of testing is ased on the water efficient	
References	For more information about http://www.span.gov.my/incom/saabout-us1&catid=175%	dex.php?option=com_con		

Worked Example 2-1

Example of a water fitting schedule showing the numbers, types and the approve rating of the proposed fitting for a residential development (including common facilities such as clubhouse toilets).

Table 2-1.1: Computation of the percentage of water fittings

Ref.	Water	WEPLS rating		Not		
	Fitting Type	Efficient	Highly Efficient	Most Efficient	Rated	Total
1	Shower taps and mixers	0	45	0	0	45
2	Basin taps and mixers	0	0	55	0	55
3	Sink/bib taps and mixers	0	70	0	0	70
4	Flushing cisterns	0	0	50	0	50
5	Others - Urinals for club house	0	0	0	5	5
Total no. based on rating (A)		0	115	105	5	∑A = 225
Weightage (B)		4	6	8	0	
Total (AxB)		0	690	840	0	$\sum (AxB) = 1530$

Credits scored = $\sum (A \times B) / \sum A$

= 1530 / 225

= 6.8 credits

Use the water template calculator to calculate the water saving calculation.

NRB 2-2 WATER USAGE AND LEAK DETECTION

Objectives	Promote the use of sub-meter and leak detection system for better control and monitoring of water usage
Applicability	Applicable to sub-metering provisions for major water uses of the building developments.
Baseline Standard	-
Requirements	2-2(a) 1 credit can be scored if sub-meters are provided for <u>ALL</u> major water uses i.e. irrigation system, cooling towers and tenant's usage where applicable.
	2-2(b) 1 credit can be scored if all sub-meters are linked to the Building Management System (BMS) for monitoring and leak detection. The BMS should have specific alert features that can be set and triggered to detect the possibility of water leakage during operation.
Documentary Evidences	 For 2-2(a) Extracts from the tender specification stating the locations and provision of sub meters for all major water uses. List of a submeter and its location. Schematic drawings of cold water distribution system showing the location of the sub meters provided.
	 Extracts from the tender specification and schematic drawing showing the location of sub-metering and its linkage to the Building Management System (BMS). List of input and output point of the Building Management System (BMS) with highlighted the submeter point. Write up on the specific alert features that can be triggered and detect the water leakage during operation.
References	-

NRB 2-3 IRRIGATION SYSTEM AND LANDSCAPING

Objectives	Reduce potable water consumption by provision of suitable systems that utilise rainwater or recycled water for landscape irrigation.			
	rainwater or recycled water for lan	dscape irrigatio	n.	
Applicability	Applicable to development with landscaping provision.			
Baseline Standard	-			
Requirements	2-3(a) 1 credit can be scored for the use of non-potable water including rainwater for landscape irrigation.			
	For rainwater harvesting tan Guideline for Rainwater Har guidelines. The rainwater ta water use only	vesting and Util	isation System	(SPAH) and MSMA
	Summary calculation of % rainwater harvesting to be p	•		•
	2-3(b) 1 credit can be scored if more than 50% of the landscape areas are served by water efficient irrigation system with features such as automatic sub-soil drip irrigation system with rain sensor control.			
	2-3(c) 1 credit can be scored if at le tolerant plants or plants that		•	s consist of drought
Worked Example 2-3 (a)	Landscape Consumption			
(a)	Location Landscape type	Water Required (L/day)	Quantity	Total watering requirement (L/Day)
	GF Tree Shrub Turf	24 6.3 3.1	200 Nos 5660 m2 1415 m2	4800 35658 4386.5 44844.5
	Irrigation water requirement (Litre/Day)	44844.5		1101110
	Roof Catchment			
	Type		m ²	Run-off coefficient
	Pitched Tile Steel Roof RC Roof Block Pavement Gravel Roadway		1239 1110	0.8 0.9 0.5 0.7 0.3
	Total Catchment Area (m²) Catchment Area x Run -off coeffi	cient	2349 1670.1	

Type Of System	First Flush System
Equation	Collectible Rainwater = Rainfall x Catchment Area x Run Off Coefficient - (Total Catchment Area x First Flush Diversion)
First Flush Diversion (L/sqm)	1
Tank Size (L)	160,000.00
Total Annual Collected Rain Water (L)	3,880,633.50
Average Daily Collected Rain Water (L)	10,631.87
Irrigation Consumption (L/Day)	44,844.50
Percentage of Reduction (%)	23.71

Water calculation template can be download in GreenRE website

Documentary Evidences

For 2-3(a)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing how the non-potable water source is to be provided.
- Relevant drawings showing the location and design of the non-potable water source; and
- Calculation of the estimation of saving of potable water for irrigation by the non -potable water source

For 2-3(b)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the provision and details of water efficient irrigation system.
- Relevant layout plans showing the overall landscape areas and the areas that would be served using the system; and
- Calculation showing the percentage of the landscape areas that would be served using the system (at least 50%)
- Product technical information of the irrigation system.

For 2-3(c)

- Relevant layout plans showing the overall landscape areas and the areas that use drought tolerant plants or plants that require minimal irrigation.
- Calculation showing the percentage of the landscape areas that use drought tolerant plants or plants that require minimal irrigation (at least 50%).
- Plant species showing the minimum water requirement.

References

- Manual Saliran Mesra Alam Malaysia(MSMA) (2000), Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment
- 2. "Rainwater Guideline for Installing A Rainwater Collection and Utilization System", KPKT (1999)
- 3. "Rainwater Harvesting Guidebook Planning and Design" Department of Irrigation and Drainage, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment.
- 4. The list of drought tolerant or resistant plant species may be obtained from the online website: http://florafaunaweb.nparks.gov.sg/

NRB 2-4 WATER CONSUMPTION OF COOLING TOWER

Objectives	Reduce potable water consumption for cooling purpose.
Applicability	Applicable to building development with water-cooled central chillers systems and water-cooled package units.
Baseline	-
Standard	
Requirements	2-4(a) 1 credit can be scored for the use of cooling tower water treatment system which can achieve 6 or better cycles of concentration at acceptable water quality.
	2-4(b) 1 credit can be scored for the use of recycled water from approved sources to meet the water demand for cooling purpose.
Documentary	For 2-4(a)
Evidences	 Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirements to incorporate with the cooling tower designs to achieve six cycles of concentration. Details showing how the cooling towers have been designed to achieve at least six cycles of concentration.
	 Relevant drawings showing the location of the cooling towers and other supporting systems that are required to achieve the designed concentration.
	For 2-4(b)
	Extracts of the tender specification showing how the recycled water source is to be provided.
	Details of the recycled water system.
	 Schematic system showing the recycling system.
References	-

Part 3 – Environmental Protection

NRB 3-1 Sustainable Construction

NRB 3-2 Sustainable Products

NRB 3-3 Greenery Provision

NRB 3-4 Environmental Management Practice

NRB 3-5 Green Transport

NRB 3-6 Stormwater Management

NRB 3-7 Refrigerants

NRB 3-1 SUSTAINABLE CONSTRUCTION

Objectives

Objectives	that are environmentally friendly and sustainable.					
Applicability	Generall	Generally applicable to all building developments.				
Baseline	-					
Standard						
Requirements	3-1(a)	3-1(a) Up to 5 credits can be scored with the use of sustainable and recycled				
		materials				
		Cradita can be accred for u	as of Croon Coments with	opproved		
		Credits can be scored for us industrial by-product such as (• •		
		(GGBS), silica fume, and fly as		•		
		(OPC) based on percentage				
		Green Concrete:	,	Í		
	Та	ble 3-1.1 : Credits allocation acc	ording to replacement percent	tage		
		Replacement of OPC by	Credit Allocation			
		approved industrial by- products (%)	Credit Allocation			
		10	1			
		20	2			
		30	3			
		40	4			
		>50	5			
	3-1(b) U	p to 5 credits are allocated to er	ncourage more efficient concr	ete usage		
	3-1(b) Up to 5 credits are allocated to encourage more efficient concrete usage for building components based on the percentage reduction in the					
		escribed Concrete Usage Index				
		Table 3-1.2 : Credits allocation for project CUI Project CUI (m³/m²) Credits Allocation				
		≤ 0.70 1				
		≤ 0.60	2			
		≤0.50	3			
		≤0.40	4			
		≤0.35	5			
		Note: Concrete Usage Index (CU	I) is an indicator of the amount	of concrete		
	Note: Concrete Usage Index (CUI) is an indicator of the amount of concrete used to construct the superstructure that includes both the structural and non-					
		used to construct the superstructu	re that includes both the structure	al and non-		
		structural elements. CUI does no	t include the concrete used for	or external		
		structural elements. CUI does no works and sub-structural work	ot include the concrete used for is such as basements and for	or external undations.		
		structural elements. CUI does no works and sub-structural work CUI is defined as the volume of	ot include the concrete used for its such as basements and for concrete in cubic metres neede	or external undations.		
		structural elements. CUI does no works and sub-structural work	ot include the concrete used for its such as basements and for concrete in cubic metres neede	or external undations.		
		structural elements. CUI does no works and sub-structural work CUI is defined as the volume of square metre of constructed floor and concrete Usage Index = Concrete	ot include the concrete used for its such as basements and for concrete in cubic metres needed area. It is expressed as: Note: Volume (m³)	or external undations.		
Dogumentery	Eor 2.4/	structural elements. CUI does no works and sub-structural work CUI is defined as the volume of square metre of constructed floor Concrete Usage Index = Concrete Construct	ot include the concrete used for is such as basements and for concrete in cubic metres neede area. It is expressed as:	or external undations.		
Documentary Evidences	For 3-1(a	structural elements. CUI does no works and sub-structural work CUI is defined as the volume of square metre of constructed floor Concrete Usage Index = Concrete Construct	ot include the concrete used for its such as basements and for concrete in cubic metres needed area. It is expressed as: Note: Volume (m³)	or external undations.		

Encourage the adoption of building designs, construction practices and materials

- Extract of tender specification showing the requirements to use of Green Cement / Concrete.
- Certificate of products showing the recycled content.
- Calculation of estimated quantity of replacement by mass of Green Cement / Concrete.

For 3-1(b)

- Structural plan layout, elevation and sectional plans showing the type of wall system used, the dimensions and sizes of all the building and structural elements.
- Bill of quantities showing the volume of concrete to be used.
- Detail Concrete Usage Index (CUI) calculation showing the quantity of concrete for each floor level.

Worked Example 3-1(a)

Proposed development will used Grade 35, 40, 70 and 80 concrete.

From the concrete design mix the percentage of replacement of OPC by the green cements as follow:

Grade 35 = 15.52 % Grade 40 = 63% Grade 70 = 59 %

Grade 80 = 58 %

No	Concrete Grade	Quantity (m³)	Percentage of Green Cement (%)	Green Cement Quantity in (m³)
1	Grade 35	27,381	15.52	4250
2	Grade 40	448	63	282
3	Grade 70	12,141	59	7163
4	Grade 80	12,155	58	7,050
	Total	52,155		18,745

Overall % Green Cement replacement = 18,745/52,155 = 35.96% Therefore, credit scored for NRB 3-1(a)= **2 credits**

Worked Example 3-1(b)

Proposed development comprises a 15-storey residential block with a basement carpark and the following details:

Table 3-1.3: Concrete usage and constructed floor areas

Concrete usage for the superstructure		Constructed	floor areas
For 1 st storey For 2 nd to 15 th storey (including roof level)	= 587 m ³ = 5400 m ³	For 1st storey For 2nd to 15th (including roof level)	= 1000 m ² = 14000 m ²
Therefore, Total concrete usage	= 5987 m ³	Therefore, Total constructed floo	r area = 15000m ²

Note: The concrete usage for foundation and two basements are not required to be included.

Concrete Usage Index (CUI) = $\frac{5987}{15000}$ = 0.4 m³/m²

Based on the calculation shown in Table 3-1.4

CUI of $0.4 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2 \le 0.4 \text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2$

Therefore, credits scored = 4 credits

Refer to the following Table 3-1.4 for more details

Table 3-1.4 – Concrete Usage Index

	MPUTATION OF CONCRETE U ject Reference No.: <u>AXXXX-000</u> 0		NTIAL BLDG Total no. of sto	rev for the	
proj	ect: <u>15</u>	<u></u>			
Bloo	ck No: <u>A</u>				
	Structural System	Thickness (mm) or size (mm x mm)	Volume of concrete (m³)	Remark *	
1	1 st storey				
	1.1 Columns	200x400, 200x200	72	Precast	
	1.2 Beams	200x400,200x500	145	Precast	
	1.3 Slabs	150,200	265	Post- tensioned	
	1.4 Staircases	150	30	Precast	
	1.5 Suspended structures like planter boxes, bay windows, ledges etc	150	10	Precast	
	1.6 Parapets	150	5	RC	
	1.7 External walls – load bearing walls	Nil	0	-	
	1.8 External walls – non-load bearing walls	125	15	RC	
	1.9 Internal walls – load bearing walls	200	40	RC	
	1.10 Internal walls – non- load bearing walls	Nil	0	Light weight concrete	
	1.11 Others (kerbs, ramps, services risers, etc)	Not required	5		
	Total volume of co	ncrete for this storey (m ³)	587	7	
	Total constructed floo	or area for this storey (m²)	1000)	
2	Typical floor layout				
	2.1 Columns	200x400, 200x200	55	Precast	
	2.2 Beams	200x400, 200x500	45	Precast	
	2.3 Slabs	150,200	160	Post- tensioned	
	2.4 Staircases	150	30	Precast	
	2.5 Suspended structures like planter boxes, bay windows, ledges etc	150	10	Precast	
	2.6 Parapets	150	5	RC	
	2.7 External walls – load bearing walls	Nil	0	-	
	2.8 External walls – non-load bearing walls	125	15	RC	

COM	COMPUTATION OF CONCRETE USAGE INDEX RESIDENTIAL BLDG				
Proje	Project Reference No.: AXXXX-00001-2007 Total no. of storey for the project: 15				
Block	k No: <u>A</u>				
Structural System Thickness (mm) or size (mm x mm) Volume of concrete (m³) Remark					
2	2 nd storey to 30 th storey (Ty	pical floor layout)			
	2.9 Internal walls – load bearing walls	200	40	RC	
	2.10 Internal walls – non- load bearing walls	Nil	0	-	
	2.11 Others (kerbs, ramps, services risers etc)	Nil	0	-	
Volume of concrete for one storey (m³)			360		
	Constructed floor area for one storey 933.3			3	
	Total volume of concre	ete for 2 nd to 15 th storey	360x15=	5400	
	Total constructed floor area for 2 nd to 15 th storey (m²) (including roof level) 933.3x15=14000				
Total volume of concrete for this project (m³) 5987			7		
	Total constructed floor area for	or this project (m²)	1500	0	
	Concrete Usage Index (CUI in m³/m²) 0.4				

^{*}To indicate if the structural elements is of precast concrete, post-tensioned concrete, high strength concrete(>Grade 60) or reinforced concrete (RC) under the 'Remarks' column

Notes: The quantities of the concrete for all the structural and non-structural elements for each floor level are computed. All the elements listed in the table such as columns, beams, slabs, suspended structures (like planter boxes, bay windows and ledges etc), parapets, walls and others (service risers, kerbs, ramps etc) are to be included. The concrete usages for foundation and basement works are excluded in CUI computation.

Objectives	Encourage the use of products that are	Encourage the use of products that are environmentally friendly and sustainable		
Applicability	Applicable to non-structural and archite	ctural building components.		
Baseline Standard	-			
Requirements	3-2 (a) Up to 8 credits are allocated to encourage the use of environmentally friendly products that are certified by approved local/international certification body. The criterion is only applicable for non-structural building components and construction. Credits scored will be based on the extent of use of environmentally friendly product under following category:			
	 Eco Label products Wood products certified by the Malaysia Certification Council (Note: Agreement of the manufacturer within the life cycle or at the expurpose 	MTCC) or suppliers for the buyback prog	ramm	
	The environmentally friendly product product international or local certification body a			
	Table 3-2.1 : Weightag	ge for credits allocation		
	Extent of use of environmentally friendly product	Weightage for Credits Allocation		
	Low impact	0.5		
	Medium impact	1		
	High Impact	2		

quantities used for same intended purpose. If not met, it will be classified as medium impact (1 credit).

Items that are used for all common areas, external works and communal facilities are considered as medium impact (1 credit) if quantities used by percentage are more than 80% (i.e extent of coverage as compared to total quantities used for same intended purpose in common areas If not met, it will be classified as $\underline{\text{low}}$ impact (0.5 credit)

Notes:

- (1) The impact categories listed above generally apply to main building elements e.g internal / external wall, floor, ceiling, roof, doors, etc. Singular products e.g termite treatment system, playground equipment, gym flooring etc will be classed as low impact. All applications will be subject to GreenRE's evaluation.
- (2) Same type of the product not allowed to be double claimed for different area of application
- (3) The credit allocated for low volatile organic compound (VOC) paints and adhesives certified by approved local certification body can be found in NRB 4-3 and hence shall not be included in the scoring for NRB 3-2.
- 3-2 (b) Up to 1 credit for reuse & Salvage or reuse construction materials for 2% of building materials based on the total material cost (extracted from the bill of quantities).
- 3-2 (c) Recycled Content of the Steel and Glass

Up to 1 credit for the utilisation and use of recycled content material so that the total of post-consumer recycled content plus half of the pre-consumer content constitutes at least 10% based on the total material cost .

Documentary Evidences

3-2 (a)

- Extracts from the tender specification and drawings showing the requirements to incorporate the environmentally friendly products that are certified and approved by local/international certification body.
- Certification details from approved local/international certification body such as the material certification standards and rating within validity period.
- Technical product information on the sustainable products.
- Calculation of products and extent of coverage.

3-2 (b)

- A list of proposed salvaged materials.
- A calculation of the value of reused materials against the estimated total value of the materials for the project.

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For 3-1(c)

- Calculation of the total percentage (based on cost) of materials with recycled content against the actual total value of the materials for the project.
- The percentage of post-consumer and/or pre-consumer recycled content must be established based on cost. The calculation of the recycled content value of each material must be provided.
- Product brochure of each installed recycled content material showing the percentage of post- and pre-consumer recycled content.

Reference

https://www.myhijau.my/directory/

Worked Example 3-2

Determine if the environmentally friendly products selected are certified with approved local/international certification body. Check if the products used are meant for main building elements or functional spaces and can be considered high impact or medium impact. Products that are meant for common areas and external works such as toilets, lobbies and landscaping areas are considered as medium impact or low impact.

Note: Certain products can have more environmentally friendly features than others. Other than recycled materials, they may have features like low VOC assembly or manufactured with resource efficient processes, durability etc that will render the products more environmental friendly than others. If the certified products selected are more environmental friendly and are given a better rating by the approved local/international certification body, a higher weightage can be considered in credit scoring.

Example of a proposed development with the following provisions:

- (a) Use of carpets for all office spaces. Product is not certified.
- (b) Use of panel boards as internal partitions for more than 50% of the office spaces and the product is rated by an approved certification body.
- (c) Precast concrete road kerbs. Product is rated by approved local certification body. (Singular product)
- (d) Use of roof waterproofing coating. Product is rated by approved local certification body.
- (e) Use of wooden doors for all areas. Product is rated by approved local certification body.

	Products and Extent of coverage	With approved certification	Extent of use category	Credits scored
(a)	Carpets for all office spaces	No	N/A	0
(b)	Panel boards as internal partition for more than 50% of office spaces	Yes	2	2
(c)	Precast road kerbs	Yes	0.5	0.5
(d)	Roof waterproofing	Yes	1	1
(e)	Wooden doors for all areas	Yes	2	2

Therefore, credits scored for 3-2 = 2 + 0.5 + 1 + 2 = 5.5 credits

NRB 3-3 GREENERY PROVISION

Objectives	Encourage greater use of greenery and restoration of existing trees reduce heat island effect.
Applicability	Applicable to building developments with landscaping areas.
Baseline	-
Standard	
Requirements	3-3(a) Up to 6 credits can be scored for the provision of greenery within the developments including roof top/ sky garden and green roof.
	Green Plot Ratio (GnPR) is calculated by considering the 3D volume covered by plants using the following Leaf Area Index (LAI).
	Table 3-3.1: Leaf Area Index (LAI)

Plant group	Trees	Palms	Shrubs & Groundcover	Turf
	Canopy:	Solitary = 2.5	Monocot = 3.5	Turf = 2.0
LAI	Open = 2.5	Cluster = 4.0	Dicot = 4.5	
	Intermediate = 3.0			
	Dense = 4.0			
	$AII = 60 \text{ m}^2$	Solitary = 20m ²	Planted area	Planted
Area		Cluster = 17m ²		area





Green Plot Ratio (GnPR) = Total Leaf Area / Site Area

Table 3-3.2 : Credits Allocation according to GnPR

GnPR	Credits Allocation
1.0 to < 2.0	1
2.0 to < 3.0	2
3.0 to < 4.0	3
4.0 to < 5.0	4
5.0 to < 6.0	5
≥ 6.0	6

Note:

- To include site inventory analysis on greenery pre-development and calculation of carbon sequestration of greenery post development.
- 3-3 (b) 1 credit for restoration of trees on-site, conservation or relocation of existing trees on site. (at least 20%)
- 3-3 (c) 1 credit for provision of compost bins to recycle organic waste to meet at least 30% of landscape fertilizer needs.

Documentary Evidences

For 3-3 (a)

- Plan layouts showing the site area as well as the greenery that is provided within the development (including a listing of the number of trees, palms, shrubs, turf and the respective sub category and LAI values).
- Calculation showing the extent of the greenery provision in the prescribed tabulated formats.
- The plant species sub categories and its LAI values obtained from the online website: http://florafaunaweb.nparks.gov.sg/.
- To submit the site inventory analysis on greenery pre-development and calculation of carbon sequestration of greenery post development

For 3-3 (b)

- Site layouts showing the existing and final locations (where applicable) and number of the trees to be restored or conserved or relocated.
- Documentary evidence showing the relocation or restoration activities.

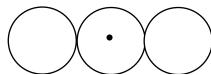
For 3-3 (c)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirements to provide compost bin
- Product specifications.
- Method statement with details steps of composting process (if applicable).
- The calculation of the 30% of fertilizer replacement with the composting

Exceptions

TREES AND PALMS SPACING (CENTRE-TO-CENTRE)

(a) If the selected trees and palms are to be planted at \leq 2m from trunk-to-trunk as illustrated below, the leaf area shall be calculated as the product of LAI value and planted area (in m²).



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- (b) For trees that have tight, columnar crowns, the canopy area of 12m² is to be adopted for calculation of leaf area. These species include, but not limited to the following:
 - Garciniacymosa forma pendula
 - Garciniasubelliptica
 - Polyalthialongifolia
 - Carallia brachiate
 - Gnetumgnemon

References

The plant species, its sub categories and LAI values may be obtained from the online website: http://florafaunaweb.nparks.gov.sg

Worked Example 3-3(a)

- (1) Determine the number of trees, palms and the trees for shrubs and turfs and other greenery area.
- (2) The Leaf Area Index (LAI) of the individual plant species and its canopy area are predetermined design parameters applicable for all developments.
- (3) The plant species sub categories and its LAI values can be obtained from the online website: http://florafaunaweb.nparks.gov.sg/ (see example below) by searching the common / scientific names of the plants.
- (4) Compute the green areas as shown in the Table 3-3.3 below

Table 3-3.3: Calculation of the Green Plot Ratio

		(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)x(B)x(C)
Category	Sub category	LAI	Canopy	Qty/Planted	Leaf Area
		value	area	Area	Leai Alea
	Open Canopy	2.5	60 m ²	0 no.	0
Trees (no.)	Intermediate Canopy	3.0	60 m ²	8 no.	1440
	Dense Canopy	4.0	60 m ²	12 no.	2880
Palms	Solitary	2.5	20 m ²	10 no.	500
(no.)	Cluster	4.0	17 m ²	10 no.	680
Shrubs (m²)	Monocot	3.5	NA	0 m ²	0
Siliubs (III-)	Dicot	4.5	NA	20 m ²	90
Turf(m ²)	Turf	2.0	NA	90 m ²	180
Vertical Greenery (m ²)	-	2.0	NA	10 m ²	20
		•	To	tal Leaf Area:	5790

Note: Green roof landscaping would be calculated as per illustrated above

Assume site area is 4000 m²

Green Plot Ratio (GnPR) = total leaf area / site area

= 5790 / 4000 = 1.45

Where GnPR = 1.0 to < 2.0

Therefore, credits scored for 3-3(a) = 1 credit

NRB 3-4 ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PRACTICE

Objectives	Encourage the adoption of environmental friendly practices during construction and building operation.
Applicability	Generally applicable to all building developments.
Baseline Standard	-
Requirements	 3-4(a) 1 credit can be scored if effective implementation of environmental friendly programmes including monitoring and setting targets to minimise energy use, water use and construction waste are in place during the construction stage. The minimum requirement of the Environmentally friendly programmes as follows; To record the electrical consumption during the construction stage and hence, minimise energy usage by on-site utilities. Appointment of safety, health and environment officer To prepare an Environmental Management Plan and conduct a complete Erosion Sedimentation Control Plan (ESCP) To prepare a Construction Waste Management Plan To include commitment to recycle and/or salvage 50% of the volume of non-hazardous construction debris Provide at least the minimum level of sanitation/safety facilities for construction workers. Use a low-flow flushing system and efficient fitting tap in the construction site office/ showroom Provision of the Rainwater Harvesting System strategies of the rainwater usage Develop and implement and IAQ Management plan for the Construction
	3-4(b) 1 credit can be scored if main builder has good track records in completing internationally recognized accredited Green Buildings and adoption of sustainable, environmentally friendly, and considerate practices during construction
	3-4(c) 1 credit can be scored if the building quality is assessed and passed (Score < 70%) under the Quality Assessment System in Construction (QLASSIC) or Building Quality Assessment System (BuildQUAS).
	 3-4(d) 1 credit can be scored for IBS content scoring ≥ 50% based on CIDB IBS scoring scheme. 1 credit can be scored for IBS content scoring ≥ 70% based on CIDB IBS scoring scheme.
	3-4(e) Up to 1 credit if the developer, main builder, M&E consultant, and architect are ISO 14000 certified. 0.25 credits are allocated for each firm that is certified.

- 3-4(f) 1 credit if the project team comprises Certified GreenRE AP/Green Mark AP /MyCrest AP
- 3-4(g) 1 credit can be scored for the provision of building users' guide with details of the environmentally friendly facilities and features within the building and their uses in achieving the intended environment performance during building operation.

The minimum requirement of the Green Building User Guide as follows;

- Details of green building certification i.e rating tier, scorecard, certificate, validity etc.
- Summary of green building features (ideally with photographs and diagrams)
- Recommended practices for enhanced environmental performance of residence (refer to GreenRE green home user guide)
- Green fit out guidelines to detail recommended minimum environmental standards to assist building users' in making sustainable fit-out decisions.
- 3-4(h) 1 credit can be scored for provision of Sustainable Operation Management Guideline (SOMG) and at least one session of briefing to be conducted to the Building Management Team.

The minimum requirement of the Sustainable Operation Management Guideline as follow;

- Recommended performance standards to assist building users in making sustainable fit out decisions.
- Energy management and monitoring plan common areas
- Water management and monitoring plan common areas
- Waste management plan including details of recycling facilities entire development
- Environmental policy and cleaning strategies / schedule common areas
- Pandemic response plan (e.g increased cleaning requirements, closure of common facilities, signages etc)
- 3-4(i) 1 credit can be scored for the Provision of facilities or recycling bins for collection and storage of different recyclable waste such as paper, glass, plastic etc and establish the Waste Management Route and Provide recycler details.

For commercial building, waste separation bins to be provided at each floor in a convenient location and suitable strategy should be available to manage the waste collection centrally.

Documentary Evidences

For 3-4(a)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirements for builder to provide and implement environmental friendly programmes to minimise energy use, water use and construction waste during construction stage
- Details of the environmental friendly programmes implemented.

For 3-4(b)

 Main builder's track records details in the adoption of sustainable, environmentally friendly, and considerate practices during construction.

For 3-4(c)

• Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to adopt QLASSIC with score > 70% where applicable.

For 3-4(d)

- A copy of CIDB IBS Score form.
- Copy of structural drawings.

For 3-4(e)

 A certified true copy of the ISO 14000 certificate of developer, main contractor, M & E consultant, and architect where applicable.

For 3-4(f)

 A certified true copy of the certificate of GreenRE Accredited Professional / Green Mark Accredited Professional / MyCREST QP where applicable and a confirmation of their involvement performance in a project development.

For 3-4(g)

 A copy of the building users' guide containing the details of the environmental friendly facilities and features within the building and their uses in achieving the intended environment performance during building operation.

For 3-4(h)

 A copy of the sustainable Operation Management Guideline (SOMG) containing the details of recommended minimum environmental practices for the building management organization

For 3-4(i)

- Plan layout showing the location of the recycling bins for collection and storage of different recyclable waste.
- Product catalogue showing the size of recycle bins.
- Details of the haulers/ recycler

References

www.cidb.gov.my/index.php/my/bidang-utama/teknologi-dan-inovasi/ibs https://www.iso.org/iso-14001-environmental-management.html

NRB 3-5 GREEN TRANSPORT

Objectives	Promote environmental friendly transport options and facilities to reduce pollution from individual car use.			
Applicability	Generally applicable to all building developments.			
Baseline Standard	-			
Requirements	3-5(a) 1 credit can be scored for design that provides good access (<800m walking distance) to public transport networks such as MRT/LRT stations or bus stops.			
	. ,	ored for provision of core use of public transport.	vered walkway to facilitate	
	stations to at least		ructure for electric charging king spaces. Provision of	
	3-5(d) 1 credit can be scored for provision of electric vehicle charging stations and priority parking lots within the development. Provision of minimum of isolator with 7kWp charger			
	Extent of coverage:			
	Minimum 1 number priority parking bays for every 100 carpark lots. EV chargers – 1 for every 200 parking bays. (Cap at 3)			
	3-5(e) Up to 1 credit can be scored for the provision of covered/sheltered bicycles parking lots with rack / locking bar.			
	Extent of Coverage: Bicycles parking lot: Minimum 10 number and maximum 50 numbers of bicycle parking lot.			
	Shower Facilities: Minimum 1 number for every 100 regular occupant and additional 1 for every 150 occupants. (Cap at 7)			
	3-5 (f) Up to 3 credits for the	ne building within 800m of	5 basic service, not limited	
	 Place of worship. 	Hardware Store	Beauty Salon	
	Bank Bharmanu	Supermarket Sebasi	Hospital / Clinics Community Control	
	PharmacyConvenience grocery	SchoolLibrary	Community CentrePark	
	Post Office	Daycare Centre	Night Market	
	• Laundry	 Senior Care Facility 	5	
Documentary	For 3-5(a)			
Evidences				

- Site layout plan in the context of the surrounding area showing the location of the development site and walking path to the location of the MRT/LRT stations and bus stops not more than 800m.
- Proposed bus-stop details drawing.

For 3-5(b)

- Site layout plan showing the connection of covered walkway from the development to the MRT/LRT stations or bus stops.
- Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to provide covered walkway.

For 3-5(c)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to provide electric charging stations.
- Plan layout showing the location of the electric charging station in the development.
- Calculation showing electric charging stations is at least 10% of available parking spaces.
- Schematic showing the infrastructure of the EV charging station

For 3-5(d)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to provide hybrid/electric vehicle refuelling/recharge stations and priority parking
- Plan layout showing the location of the electric vehicle charging station in the development.
- Product technical information.

For 3-5(e)

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to provide covered/sheltered bicycles parking lots for the development and the total quantity of bicycles lots provided.
- Plan layout showing the location of the covered/sheltered bicycle parking lots and rack/locking bar.

For 3-5(f)

- Submit the site plan showing the building location in connection to the above basic services, indicating the covered walkways, pedestrian access, and other connections like link bridges.
- Proximity is determined by drawing a 0.8 km radius around the main building entrance on a site map.

References

NRB 3-6 STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

Objectives	Encourage the treatment of stormwater runoff through provision of infiltration or design features before discharge to public drains.	
Applicability	Generally applicable to building developments.	
Baseline Standard	-	
Requirements	Up to 3 credits can be scored for the provision of infiltration features or design features for new development and redevelopment whereby the post development stormwater peak discharge rate and quantity is lower than the predevelopment peak discharge rate and quantity. Note: The treatment of stormwater runoff shall be through provision of infiltration or design features as recommended in Urban Storm Water Management (MSMA).	
Documentary Evidences	 Urban Storm Water Management (MSMA) report showing reduction of post development stormwater peak discharge rate and quantity from exceeding pre-development peak discharge rate and quantity. Drainage plan, schematic plan, location plan and details of water features such as the specification of filtration layer, transition layer and drainage layer, sub-soil drainage system, overflow arrangement, plant list etc. 	
References	MSMA – Urban Storm Water Management	

NRB 3-7 REFRIGERANTS

Objectives	Reduce the potential damage to the ozone layer and the increase in global warming through the release of ozone depleting substances and greenhouse gases.		
Applicability	Generally applicable to all building developments with air-conditioning systems.		
Baseline Standard	-		
Requirements	3-7(a) 1 credit can be scored for the use of refrigerants with ozone depleting potential (ODP) of zero OR with global warming potential (GWP) of less than 100.		
	3-7(b) 1 credit can be scored for the use of refrigerant leak detection system at critical areas of plant rooms containing chillers and other equipment with refrigerants.		
Documentary	For 3-7(a)		
Evidences	 Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement for all refrigerants to have ODP of zero OR GWP of less than 100. Technical product information highlighted refrigerants to have ODP of zero OR GWP of less than 100. 		
	 For 3-7(b) Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to incorporate a refrigerant leak detection system. Schematic drawing showing the location of the refrigerant leak detection system at critical areas of plant room containing chillers and others equipment with refrigerants. Product technical information of the system. 		
References	-		

Part 4 – Indoor Environment Quality

NRB 4-1 Thermal Comfort

NRB 4-2 Noise Level

NRB 4-3 Indoor Air Pollutants

NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management

NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts

NRB 4-1 THERMAL COMFORT

Objectives	Recognise buildings that are designed with good thermal comfort.		
Applicability	Generally applicable to all building developments with air-conditioning systems.		
Baseline Standard	-		
Requirements	Meet the minimum requirements of Section 4 through 7 of ASHRAE Standard 62.1, Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality or any applicable local code, whichever is more stringent and requirement as follow: • Indoor temperature between 23°C to 26°C • Relative Humidity between 50% to 70% 4-1 (b)Additional 1 credit will be awarded for provision of room temperature and		
Documentary Evidences	humidity display.		
References	-		

NRB 4-2 NOISE LEVEL

Objectives	Recognise buildings that are designed to consider the potential noise levels within the dwelling units are maintained at an appropriate level. All building partitions to shall be in accordance with required STC ratings.			
Applicability	Generally applicable to building developments.			
Baseline Standard	ASTEM E413 or equivalent			
Requirements	credit can be scored if the building is designed to achieve ambient internal noise level as specified: • 55dB (6am – 10pm) L _{Aeq} • 45dB (10pm – 6 am) L _{Aeq} This can be achieved by adhering to the following STC values for residential building partitions			
	Description		Transmission ass (STC)	
	Separation between functional spaces within dwelling units and in-between adjacent dwelling units. 40 - 50			
	Spaces between mechanical and 50 - 60 equipment spaces and occupied spaces			
	For developments that are in close proximity to road with heavy traffic, flyover or highway, it is necessary to have a detailed analysis conducted by the acoustic consultant. Credits can only be scored if the recommendations from the acoustic consultant are implemented.			
	Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to design the occupied space with partitions meeting the required STC ratings as per table below:			
	Location		STC rating of partitions	
Documentary	Between General Office Space Hotel Rooms, Classrooms, Lecture Tomatics Rooms, Conference Rooms and where confidential speech is required	heaters, spaces	40 - 50 50 - 60	_
Evidences	Between Mechanical / Equipment spaces and occupied spaces			
	 Architectural & structural plan layout, elevation and sectional plans showing types of wall system used, dimensions and size of all building and structural elements with STC ratings. OR A report of detail analysis and recommendations from acoustic consultant 			
References	(if applicable).			

NRB 4-3 INDOOR AIR POLLUTANTS

Objectives	Minimise airborne contaminants, mainly from inside sources to promote a healthy indoor environment.		
Applicability	Generally applicable to all building developments.		
Baseline Standard	-		
Requirements	4-3(a) 1 credit can be scored for the use of low volatile organic compounds (VOC) paints and coating certified under local/international certification body for at least 90% of the internal wall areas.		
	 4-3(b) 1 credit can be scored for the Use of Low VOC material for the adhesives and sealant certified under local/international certification body for composite wood products. . 		
	Use only zero-/low-VOC paints. All paints used in the interior of the building must be certified as containing zero VOC or less than the limits specified in Table 4 below.		
	Paint applications	VOC limits (g at VOC per litre)	
	Interior Coatings	Flat Non Flat	< 50 <150
	Exterior Coatings	Flat Non Flat	< 200 <100
	Anti Corrosive	Gloss/ semi gloss/flat	<250
Documentary Evidences	VOC paints that are centre body or equivalent. Product catalogue. Product certificate with For 4-3(b) Extracts of the tended adhesive with low emillocal/international certificate. Product catalogue.	r specification showing the ssion formaldehyde and are ification body.	ernational certification ernational certification
References	Product certificate with -	i valiuity expliy.	

NRB 4-4 INDOOR AIR QUALITY (IAQ) MANAGEMENT

Objectives	Ensure building ventilation systems are designed and installed to provide acceptable IAQ under normal operating conditions.		
Applicability	Applicable to air-conditioned buildings		
Baseline Standard	-		
Requirements	4-4(a) 1 credit can be scored for the provision of filtration media and differential pressure monitoring equipment in Air Handling Unit (AHU)		
	4-4(b) 1 credit can be scored by Implement effective IAQ management plan and Indoor Mould Prevention Guideline to ensure that building ventilation systems are clean and free from residuals left over from construction activities.		
Documentary Evidences	 Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirements of the filter media and pressure monitoring equipment. Technical product information which should include the minimum efficiency report value (MERV 8-12) parameters of the filter. Technical product information of the differential pressure monitoring equipment Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement for builder to provide and implement effective IAQ management and the details of the management plan. For 4-4 (c) Floor plans displaying signage on smoking-restricted areas. 		
References	-		

NRB 4-5 HIGH FREQUENCY BALLASTS

Objectives	Encourage the use of high frequency ballasts in fluorescent luminaries and LED low flicker LED drivers to improve the workplace lighting quality.	
Applicability	Generally applicable to workplace such as offices, classrooms and training rooms and the like.	
Baseline	-	
Standard		
Requirements	(a)1 credit can be scored for the use of high frequency ballasts in the fluorescent luminaries if it is adopted in at least 90% of the applicable areas that are served by fluorescent luminaries.	
	Or	
	(b) 1 credit can be scored for the use of LED driver with output frequency < 200Hz and < 30% flicker for LED lighting in at least 90% of the applicable areas served by LED lighting.	
Documentary Evidences	Extracts of the tender specification showing the requirement to have high frequency ballasts or LED driver.	
	A summary sheet listing all fluorescent and LED luminaries used for the developments. Clastrical lighting levent indicating all the fittings with high fragrency.	
	 Electrical lighting layout indicating all the fittings with high frequency ballasts or LED lighting. 	
	 Product catalogue specifying high frequency ballast for fluorescent luminaries. (if applicable) 	
	 Product catalogue specifying the LED driver with output frequency <200 Hz and <30% flicker for LED lighting. (if applicable) 	
	 Calculation showing at least 90% of the applicable areas that are served by high frequency ballast or LED lighting. 	
References	-	

NRB 4-6 ACCESS TO VIEW FROM WORK AREA

Objectives	To promote higher levels of well-being, productivity, and human comfort.
Applicability	Generally applicable to workplace such as offices, classrooms, and training rooms and the like.
Baseline	-
Standard	
Requirements	Up to 1 credit for design ≥ 60% of the occupied building spaces to have a direct line of sight through vision glazing and measured between 0.8 m and 2.3 m above the finished floor plan levels.
Documentary	Typical floor plans indicating and clearly marked with the identified
Evidences	occupied building spaces.
	 2. Plan and sectional drawings clearly showing the line of sight drawn from occupied building spaces to the vision glazing perimeter. 3. Design strategy of the interior layout that will be designed or recommended to maintain the view to the outside.
References	-

Part 5 – Other Green Features

NRB 5-1 GREEN FEATURES & INNOVATIONS

Objectives	Encourage the use of green features which are innovative and have positive environmental impact on water efficiency, environmental protection and indoor environmental quality of the buildings.		
Applicability	Generally applicable to all building developments.		
Baseline Standard	-		
Requirements	Up to 7 credits are awarded for the use of the following green features depending on their potential environmental benefits or reduced environmental impacts.		
	Water efficiency		
	i. Use of self-cleaning façade system		
	 2 credits for more than 75% of the external walls. 		
	 1 credit for more than 50% of the external walls. 		
	0.5 credit for at least 25% of the external walls.		
	ii. Use of grey water recycling system		
	 2 credits for all blocks of the development. 		
	1 credit for at least one block of the development.		
	iii. Recycling of AHU condensate		
	 1 credit for more than 75% of the AHU condensate 		
	0.5 credit for at least of 50% of the AHU condensate		
	iv. 0.5 credit for the use of membrane filtration system to recycle water during construction.		
	v. 0.5 credit for the use of non-chemical water treatment for cooling tower.		
	Environmental Protection		
	i. Provision of green roof and roof top garden		
	 1 credit for more than 50% of the roof areas 		
	0.5 credit for at least 25% of the roof areas		
	 ii. Provision of vertical greening 1 credit for more than 50% of the external wall areas 0.5 credit for at least 25% of the external wall areas 		
	iii. 1 credit for the provision of double refuse shuts for separating recyclable from non-recyclable waste		
	iv. 0.5 credit for the use of non-chemical treatment system such as termite		
	baiting system, anti-termite mesh. v. Up to 1 credit if at least 10% of the fine and/or coarse aggregate used for concrete production of structural application are replaced with recycled		
	products from approved sources. 0.5 credit for each recycled product		

used. Credits can only be scored if the extent of implementation covers at least 50% of all concrete structural elements of the superstructures (by volume).

Indoor Air Quality

- i. Use of Titanium Dioxide solutions to remove odour in toilets:
 - 1 credit for more than 50% of all toilets
 - 0.5 credit for at least 25% of all toilets
- ii. 1 credit for the use of pneumatic waste collection system.
- iii. 0.5 credit for the use of Ultraviolet light-C band (UV) emitters in <u>all</u> air handing units (AHUs) to improve indoor air quality.
- iv. Demonstrating the external view in the net lettable area (NLA). The submission must be showing the furniture plan layout.
 - 1 credit for more than 60% of the NLA having the external view
 - 2 credit for more than 75% of the NLA having the external view.

Others

- Provision of landscape drainage and infiltration trenches:
 - 1 credit for at least 25% of the green areas
 - 0.5 credit for less than 25% of the green areas
- ii. Provision of system to recycle surface runoff from the vertical green wall and sky garden:
 - 1 credit for at least 25% of green areas
 - 0.5 credit for less than 25% green areas
- iii. 0.5 credit for the use of siphonic rainwater discharge system at roof.
- iv. 0.5 credit for the provision of eco-pond.
- v. 0.5 credit for the provision of carpark guidance system.

Note: For features that are not listed above, the QP is required to submit the details showing the positive environmental impacts, possible savings and benefits of the proposed features to GreenRE for assessment.

Documentary Evidences

- Extracts of the tender specification showing the provision of the specific green features used and the extent of implementation where applicable.
- Technical product information (including drawings and supporting documents) of the green features.
- Quantified evidences on the potential environmental benefits that are features can bring to the development.

References

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Part 6 - Carbon Emission of Development

NRB 6-1 CARBON EMISSION OF DEVELOPMENT

Objectives	To calculate the carbon emission resulted from the associated energy used during construction and operational phase of a development.		
Applicability	Generally applicable to all building development.		
Baseline Standard	-		
Requirements	a) Recognise the carbon emission based on operational carbon footprint computation of the building comprising energy [B6] and water consumption [B7]. b) Calculation of product stage embodied carbon based on following building materials [A1-A3]: - concrete - steel - bricks - cement - steel and metal c) Calculation of construction stage embodied carbon [A4-A5] d) Reduction from reference embodied carbon (for Ready Mix Concrete, Cement, Steel Reinforcement, Bricks, Steel & Metal) EC (tCO ₂ eq/t) Ready Mixed Cement Steel Bricks Steel & Metal Concrete Reinforcement 0.199 - 0.219 0.965 - 1.0857 1.39 - 2.41 0.249 - 0.279 1.478 - 2.498		
Documentary Evidences	 For 6-1 (a) Detail calculation for the estimated energy load for each component in the building e.g.: lighting, air-conditioning system, pump, receptacle load. Details calculation for estimated water consumption of the building e.g.: water fittings, landscape, water features. Technical product information on the energy efficient features and water efficient features used. Summary tabulation of estimated total energy savings and total water savings of the development for the year. Carbon emission calculation. For 6-1 (b) Embodied carbon footprint calculation For 6-1(c) Calculation of construction stage embodied carbon [A4-A5] For 6-1 (d) Calculation showing the reduction from reference embodied carbon (for Ready Mix Concrete, Cement, Steel Reinforcement, Bricks, Steel & Metal) 		

References Worked **Energy Consumption** Design **Example** Type of usage (kWh/yr) 6-1 819,498 Lighting Air-Conditioning 860,589 M/V System 25,550 Total Energy Usage 1,705,637

Water Consumption

(Please refer GreenRE Water Calculator)

Type of fixtures	Design	Baseline
Type of fixtures	(m³/yr)	(m³/yr)
Flow Fixtures	2,402	6,899
Flush Fixtures	5,366	5,161
Total Water Usage	7,768	12,060

Baseline

(kWh/yr)

1,151,575

1,406,899

25,550

2,584,024

Carbon Footprint

Type of usego	Design	Baseline	
Type of usage	kgCO₂e/yr	kgCO₂e/yr	
Energy	1,226,619	1,860,497	
Water	155,344	241,192	
Total Annual Carbon Footprint	1,381,963	2,101,689	

Energy CO2 Emission Reduction (ktCO2e/annum, based on electricity energy reduction only @ 1kWh =

- 0.694 kg CO2- Peninsular
- 0.699 kg CO2- Sarawak
- 0.536 kg CO2- Sabah)

Water CO2 Emission Reduction = 0.419 kg CO₂/m³

Percentage savings = (2,101,689 - 1,381,963) / 2,101,689 = 34.25%

Credits scored for 6-1 (a) = 1 credit

Embodied carbon calculation

No	Material	Description	tCO2e		Quantity	Total
			Value	Unit		tCO2e
1	Concrete (G30)	Slab	0.309	m ³	9876.19	3051.74
2	Glass	10mm of Glass (Single Glass excluding Frame)	0.035	m ²	4500.00	157.50
3	Steel	Rebar	1.2	kg	5000.00	6000.00
	Total					9209.24

Credits scored for 6-1 (b) = 1 credit

The project entitled = 2 credit

Reference Table)			
EC (tCO ₂ eq/t)				
Ready Mixed	Cement	Steel	Bricks	Steel & Metal
Concrete		Reinforcement		
0.199~0.219	0.965~1.0857	1.39~2.41	0.24 9-	1.478-2.498
			0.279	

6. Documentation Requirements

All documents submitted for the REHDA GreenRE Assessment should be duly verified and signed by the Qualified Person (QP) and appropriate practitioners where applicable.

The documentation required for ventilation simulation and energy modelling should also be endorsed by the QP and appropriate practitioners as part of the documentary evidences for certification.

Table: Summary Checklist and the Corresponding Signatories for GreenRE Non-Residential Criteria

GreenRE Criteria	Required Signatories				
Part 1 – Energy Efficiency					
NRB 1-1 Thermal Performance of Building Envelope - OTTV	PA				
NRB 1-2 Air-Conditioning System	PE				
NRB 1-3 Building Envelope – Design/ Thermal Parameters	PA				
NRB 1-4 Natural Ventilation (exclude carparks)	PA				
NRB 1-5 Daylighting	PA				
NRB 1-6 Artificial Lighting	PE				
NRB 1-7 Ventilation in Carparks	PE				
NRB 1-8 Ventilation in Common Areas	PE				
NRB 1-9 Lifts and Escalators	PE				
NRB 1-10 Energy Efficient Practices & Features					
Heat Recovery Devices	PE				
Motion Sensors/ Photo Sensors	PE				
Others	S				
NRB 1-11 Renewable Energy	S				
Part 2 – Water Efficiency					
NRB 2-1 Water Efficient Fittings	PA				
NRB 2-2 Water Usage and Leak Detection	PE				
NRB 2-3 Irrigation System	PE				
NRB 2-4 Water Consumption of Cooling Tower	PE				
Part 3 – Environmental Protection					
NRB 3-1 Sustainable Construction	PE				
NRB 3-2 Sustainable Products	PA				
NRB 3-3 Greenery Provision	PE				
NRB 3-4 Environmental Management Practice	PE				
NRB 3-5 Green Transport	PA				
NRB 3-6 Stormwater Management	PE				
NRB 3-7 Refrigerants	PA				
Part4 – Indoor Environmental Quality					
NRB 4-1 Thermal Comfort	PE				
NRB 4-2 Noise Level	S				
NRB 4-3 Indoor Air Pollutants	PA				
NRB 4-4 Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Management	PA				
NRB 4-5 High Frequency Ballasts	PE				
Part 5 – Other Green Features					
NRB 5-1 Green Features & Innovations	S				
Part 6 - Carbon Emission of Development					
NRB 6-1 Carbon Emission of Development	S				

- 1. PA refers to Professional Architect
- 2. PE refers to Professional Engineer, Landscape Architect, Planner and Quantity Surveyor (QS)
- 3. S refers to Specialist which includes Facilitator, Project Manager, Facilities Manager, Energy or Sustainable consultant and Commissioning Specialist