Dublin City Sustainable Energy Action Plan



Monitoring & Progress Report 2014 Key Findings



Energy Consumption

Dublin city's energy consumption fell by approximately 36 per cent in the five-year period from 2006 – 2011, with the recession cited as a major factor for this reduction.



Renewable Energy

Dublin city is now producing 96,205 megawatt hours from renewable energy sources, which is the equivalent to powering almost 5,000 homes annually.



Residential Sector

An analysis of almost 60,000 homes showed that the majority of dwellings had a Building Energy Rating (BER) of D1 or lower. Terraced housing fared the worst, with 76% achieving a D1 rating or lower.



Transport Sector

The number of bicycle journeys in the city increased by an impressive 82% between 2006-2011.



Commercial Sector

The commercial sector dropped its share of total final energy from 33% in 2006 to 27% in 2011, due to a steep decline in businesses operating between 2008-2011.



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