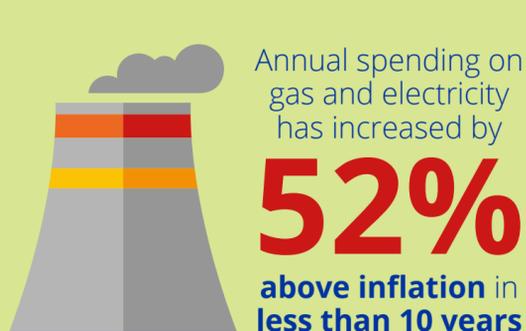


UK Energy in 2014: The Year in Figures

Home energy consumption has fallen, but UK households are still paying a great deal more for their energy. We round up the key energy statistics of 2014 and highlight the trends.

Energy Bills Are Rising



Energy bills are rising at a **faster rate than household income** (August 2009 - August 2013)



Compared with a decade ago, consumers are paying an average of **£410 more a year** for energy despite **consuming 17% less**



Fuel Poverty is Increasing



Fuel poverty affects **41%** of the lowest income families

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Families with children and working age households make up **70%** of households in fuel poverty



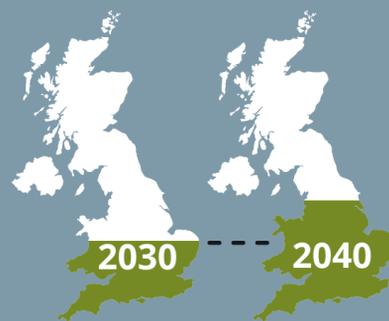
2.33 million households are predicted to be unable to meet their heating costs this year

Community Heating Could Be the Answer

There are around **2000 community heating schemes** across the UK currently, heating approximately **210,000 dwellings** and **1700 commercial and public buildings**



That equates to **less than 2%** of the UK's heat demand



The government has set targets to increase UK community heating to **20% by 2030** and **40% by 2050**



In some instances, metered community heating schemes are cutting energy bills by **as much as**

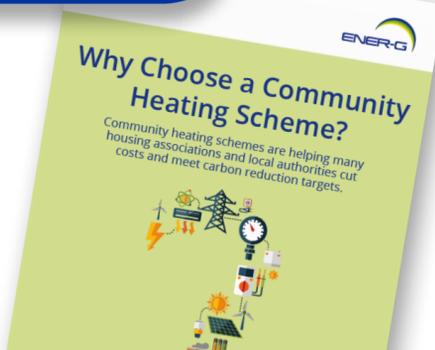
60%



There is enough heat wasted in London alone to meet **70%** of the city's heating needs

Find out how to fight back against fuel poverty and rising energy costs.

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Why Choose a Community Heating Scheme?

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