

Energy performance of buildings - Overarching EPB assessment - Part 3: General principles for determination and reporting of primary energy factors (PEF) and CO₂ emission coefficients

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