

# **Passive Witness House CLK**

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**Building Type**: Isolated or semi-detached house

Construction Year : 2016 Delivery year : 2017

Address 1 - street: 8818 GREVELS, Luxembourg

Climate zone: [Cfb] Marine Mild Winter, warm summer, no dry season.

Net Floor Area : 179 m<sup>2</sup> SHON RT (fr)

Construction/refurbishment cost : 525 000 €

Number of Dwelling : 1 Dwelling Cost/m2 : 2932.96 €/m<sup>2</sup>

#### Certifications :



### Proposed by :





# General information

Being heavily involved in passive constructions, we wanted to create a thoughtful and sustainable building. We equipped our control house with a complete EnOcean wireless home automation system. This innovative technology works without any battery or wiring. The energy recovered during the manipulation is enough to emit a radio signal, which makes it possible, for example, to turn on the light. Products and systems with EnOcean technology are perfectly integrated into the usual home automation systems, regardless of whether these systems communicate via LON, KNX, BACnet, TCP / IP or Ethernet. This allows the implementation without much work of the concepts of sustainable energy management.

# Data reliability

3rd part certified

### Stakeholders

#### Contractor

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# Construction Manager

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### Stakeholders

Function: Designer

Bureau d'Architecture Urbaine SARL

Radu Axinte

Realization of architectural plans

Function: Company

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Claude Goetz et Carlo Posing

Implementation of the home automation system

# Contracting method

General Contractor

# Owner approach of sustainability

The goal was to build an avant-garde house that reflects the philosophy of the company: our wish was to have an energy-efficient house, with efficient materials, photovoltaic panels, solar thermal panels, a powerful heat pump, all with an extremely well insulated energy envelope and a perfect airtightness (N50 = 0,26h-1). We also wanted this house to be sustainable, which is why we used EPFC certified materials and a rainwater recovery system.

# Architectural description

We wanted a very modern architecture by highlighting the assets of the house which has an exceptional view to the back. All living rooms have been oriented so you can enjoy this view. We have created the space in such a way that the intimacy of the occupants is respected while keeping passive requirements in mind. The house consists of large open spaces, beautiful ceiling heights, a skylight in the kitchen and large windows.

### Energy

# **Energy consumption**

Primary energy need: 27,80 kWhep/m².an

Primary energy need for standard building: 45,00 kWhep/m².an

Calculation method: RGD du 30 novembre 2007 - bâtiment d'habitation

Final Energy: 35,00 kWhef/m².an
Breakdown for energy consumption:

Heating installation: 1071 kWh

Domestic hot water preparation: 681 kWh

# Envelope performance

#### More information :

Insulating facade value U 0.12 W / m2K Slab against earth value U 0.08 W / m2K Ceiling attic height U 0.07 W / m2K Chassis: Ug 0.5 W / m2K; Uf 1,1 W / m2K

Indicator: EN 13829 - n50 » (en 1/h-1)

Air Tightness Value: 0,26 Users' control system opinion:

We chose this type of installation to match our ecological fiber and to limit electromagnetic waves as much as possible. By this system, we have much less electrical wiring, no batteries and radio waves propagate only during the fraction of a second during which we press the push button.

We can at any time on our Gsm by a very intuitive application to control the shutters, turn on the lights. We use it mainly to simulate our presence when we are traveling and returning later than expected. But we also use it for ease when we are in the couch.

Being able to check at all times that the windows and doors are closed is very reassuring as well.

The weather station also protects our house from overheating and lowers the blinds from the indoor temperature we choose. With indoor temperature and humidity probes and outdoor temperature and temperature sensors, we can regulate and control everything.

Now that we have got used to it, it would be difficult for us to do without it.

### Renewables & systems

# **Systems**

#### Heating system:

- Heat pump
- Low temperature floor heating
- Solar thermal

### Hot water system:

- Heat pump
- Solar Thermal

## Cooling system :

Others

## Ventilation system:

Double flow heat exchanger

#### Renewable systems:

- Solar photovoltaic
- Solar Thermal
- Heat pump

Renewable energy production: 100,00 %

# **Smart Building**

#### BMS:

Transverse energy optimization: automatic shutter closure

Recovery of free energies: recovery of rainwater

Home automation system: EnOcean, with a clean energy consumption of almost zero

Easy management of the temperature of the parts, control of the closing of the chassis, understanding and warning in case of water leakage.

Smart Grids planned to work with self-produced electrical energy storage systems

-relative energy

-power supply

-energy production

-etc.

#### Smartarid :

Home automation allows the monitoring of the production and consumption of the whole installation: photovoltaic panels, technical, ventilation, production, rest of the house for electricity, as well as consumption of rainwater and city water. Possibility of making data available in the cloud.

### **GHG** emissions

GHG in use: 5,60 KgCO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>/an

Methodology used :

CPE Energy Performance Certificate

# Life Cycle Analysis

#### Eco-design material:

Lifecycle and durability analyzes as well as deconstructability analyzes were calculated according to the Luxemburg Lenoz reference system.

# Water management

No sufficient return on the building at the moment as it is our Witness House. 10 000 I cistern in operation.

# Products

### **Product**

Motiv340 swing door

DANA

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Product category: Finishing work / Millwork - Hardware

 $White \ lacquered \ wood \ door, \ honeycomb \ core \ with \ slightly \ rounded \ door \ frame \ and \ linear \ hollow \ pattern$ 

It was important for us to work with quality materials, which is why we chose these eco-certified doors.



Oak Rome

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Product category: Finishing work / Millwork - Hardware oak engineered hardwood floor "eiche rom" rustic look

It was important for us to work with quality materials, which is why we chose this eco-certified parquet.



Sylitol® organic interior paint

Caparol

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Product category: Finishing work / paints, mural, wallcoverings

High quality interior silicate paint, solvent free. Suitable for use in spaces used by allergic patients.

The interior painting is one of the elements with which the occupant is in direct contact and the non-harmful character is very important in this respect.



NodOn

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Product category: Finishing work / Electrical systems - Low and high current

The combination of miniature energy harvesting modules and ultra-low power radio technology makes it possible to offer innovative sensors that require no maintenance. These self-powered switches and sensors therefore operate wirelessly and offer unparalleled flexibility of use as well as increased time and energy efficiency. All while limiting investment and operating costs. Wireless, self-powered sensors and switches using the EnOcean wireless standard are an ideal solution for sustainable building applications. This power supply by



movement, light or temperature makes cables and batteries for switches unnecessary, as well as for collecting information from sensors such as: Temperature, water or presence sensors. The sensors and actuators can communicate directly with each other and / or can be controlled by a controller / gateway placed in the room via a cloud interface for applications requiring remote management and control via a computer or smartphone.

Vitocal 242-S compact heat pump unit

Viessmann

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Product category: HVAC, électricité / heating, hot water

Split version System combination with Vitovent 300-F home ventilation system with central control unit for heating, hot water, solar system and ventilation



Solar flat plate Vitosol 200-FM

Viessmann

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Product category: HVAC, électricité / heating, hot water for DHW heating, with overheating protection ThermProtect



# Costs

# Construction and exploitation costs

Renewable energy systems cost : 46 764,80 €

Subsidies : 20 468 €

### Urban environment

Our house is located in Grevels, part of the municipality of Wahl in the canton of Redange.

# Land plot area

Land plot area: 934,00 m<sup>2</sup>

## Built-up area

Built-up area: 18,00 %

# Parking spaces

A garage (2 cars) + outside parking

# **Building Environnemental Quality**

# **Building Environmental Quality**

- indoor air quality and health
- water management
- energy efficiency
- renewable energies
- · products and materials

#### Contest

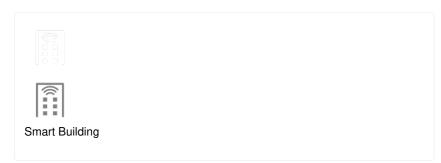
# Reasons for participating in the competition(s)

La technologie EnOcean permet une maison connectée intelligente. Cette intelligence est invisible, elle avertit et permet également de contrôler les données, ceci en ne dépensant aucune énergie et en émanent moins d'ondes. Cette technologie nécessite moins de matières premières (pas de piles, moins de câbles) et permet une grande modularité, c'est-à-dire que la maison évolue selon les besoins de ses habitants. Enfin, la maison intelligente permet de grandes économies d'énergie grâce notamment à la gestion de la surchauffe et à la fermeture automatique des volets ou encore à la gestion des températures des pièces ainsi qu'au contrôle de la fermeture des châssis. D'autre part, la maison intelligente permet également une meilleure compréhension des habitudes de vie via les données.

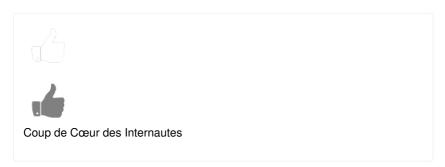
### Voici les fonctionnalités qui ont été intégrées dans la maison témoin:

- l'économie d'énergie
- contrôle de la température
- Contrôle des consommations / productions
- Ombrage intelligent
- Abaissement cohérent des stores
- Éteindre systématiquement les lumières
- sécuritée
- éteindre tout
- Contrôle des ouvertures de fenêtres et portes
- Simulation de présence
- Alarm
- Confort
- Visualisation centrale et contrôle de l'ensemble de l'installation électrique
- Contrôle des éclairages chronométré
- Ombrage automatique
- contrôle de scènes
- Positions programmables pour stores et volets
- Opération
- PC avec/sans Touchscreen
- Applications sur Tablette
- Applications sur Smartphone
- Pilotage à distance
- Commande vocales

# Dunumy candidate in the category









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