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Retrofit
Passive House Institute

ID 5334

THE BARGE

Passivhaus EnerPHit Project Documentation





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Project characteristics

Year of construction	2017 - 2019	Space Heating	28kWh/(m²a)
U Value External Walls	Thermal improvement to existing external solid wall constructions are limited by dew point calculations and thus the primary performance has been achieved at 0.302 to 0.348 W/(m²K) New external wall construction 0.14 W/(m²K)	Treated Floor Area	125m²
U Value Flat Roof	New construction 0.119W/(m²K)	Air Pressure test @ 50 Pa	0.43ac/hr
U Value Pitched Roof	Existing cottage renovation 0.134w/9m²K)	Primary Energy Renewable	119kWh/(m²a)
U Value Windows	0.86W/(m²K)	Primary Energy Non renewable	122kWh/(m²a)

Project Description

The Barge: circa 1810 solid wall brick cottage, south facing to a walled garden within the City of Ripon, adjacent to the Canal Basin.

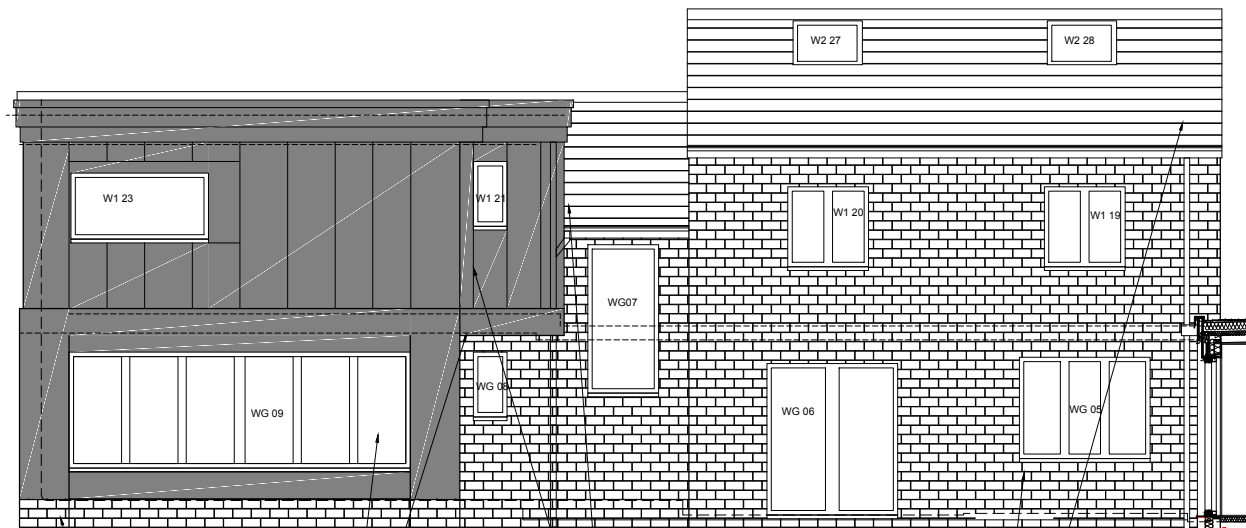
The cottage was a two storey two up two down and had a 1970's extension to the west which included family bathroom, stairwell and mono-ridge sitting room. It was in very poor condition with considerable damp, mould growth, draughts and poor thermal value.

The property has undergone a deep retrofit taking it back to a carcass of external walls and roof rafters, before restoring it to achieve Passivhaus EnerPhit by components with a target Heating demand

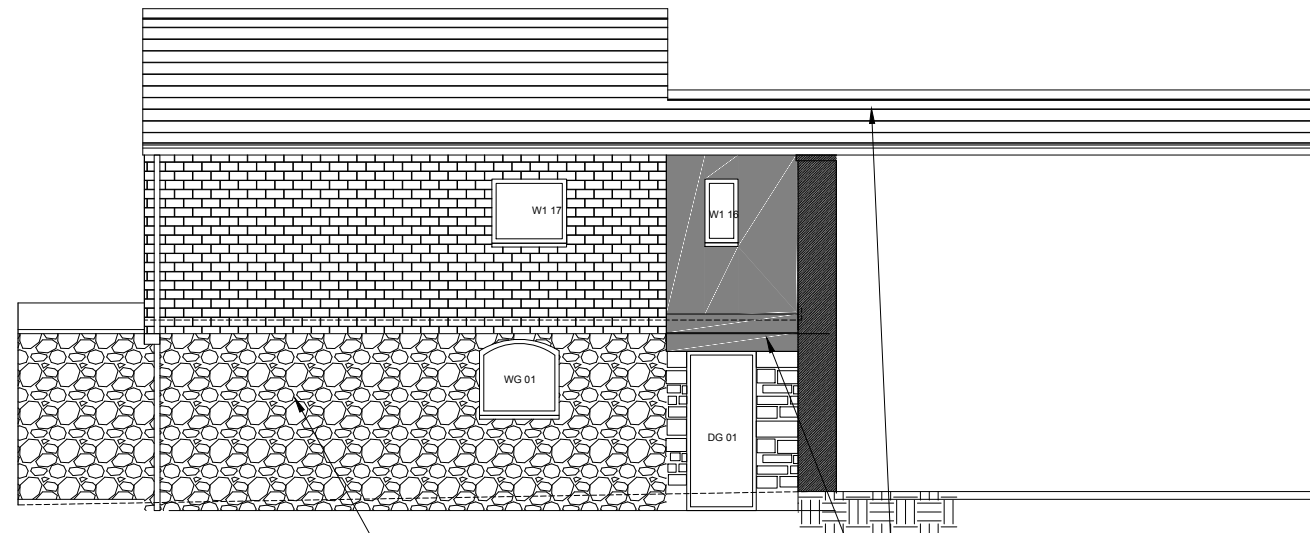
Project Participants

Architect; Certified Passivhaus Designer & Self Builder	Claire Jamieson	Phi Architecture
Certifier	Kym Mead	Mead Consulting
Heating and Domestic hot water	Nick Roberts	NCR Heating and Plumbing

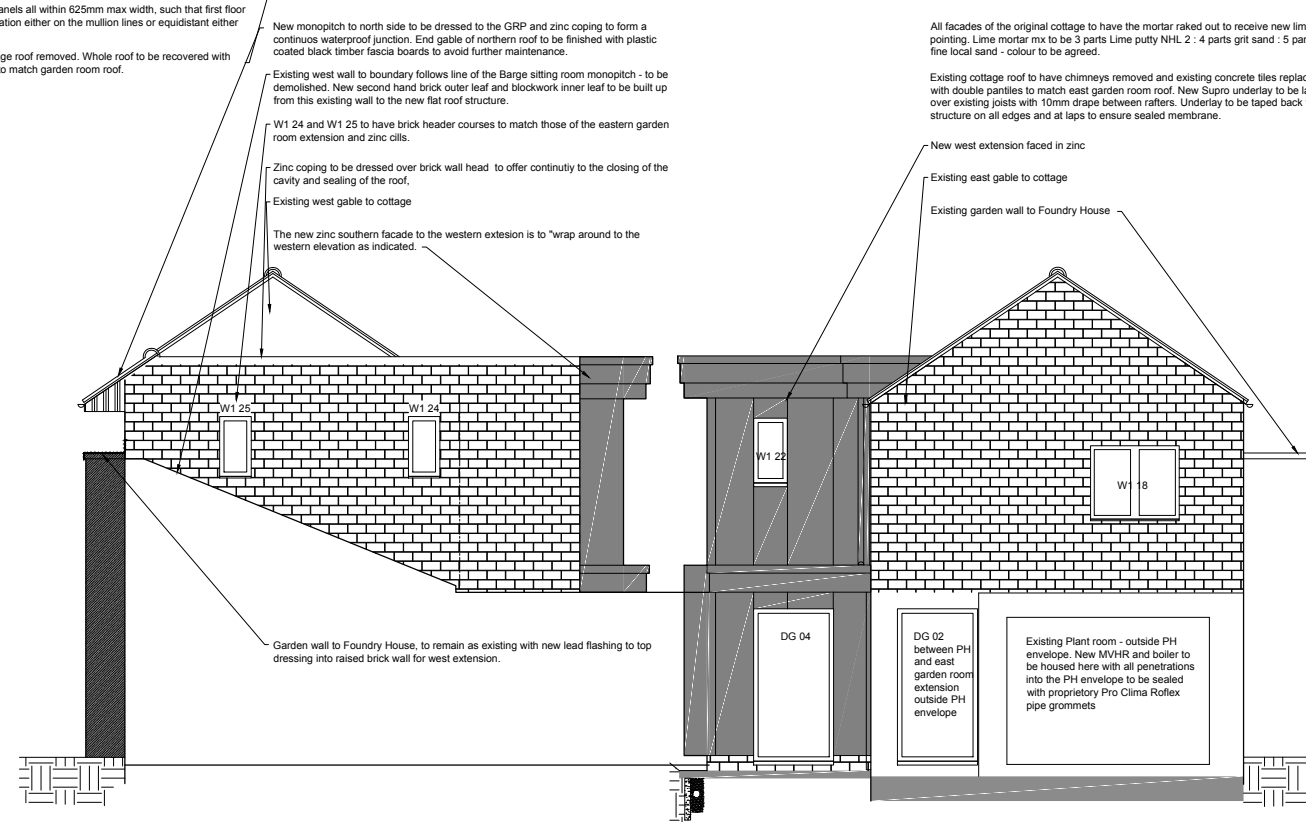
Elevations



South elevation



North elevation



West elevation adjoining party wall

East elevation adjoining garden room and party walls

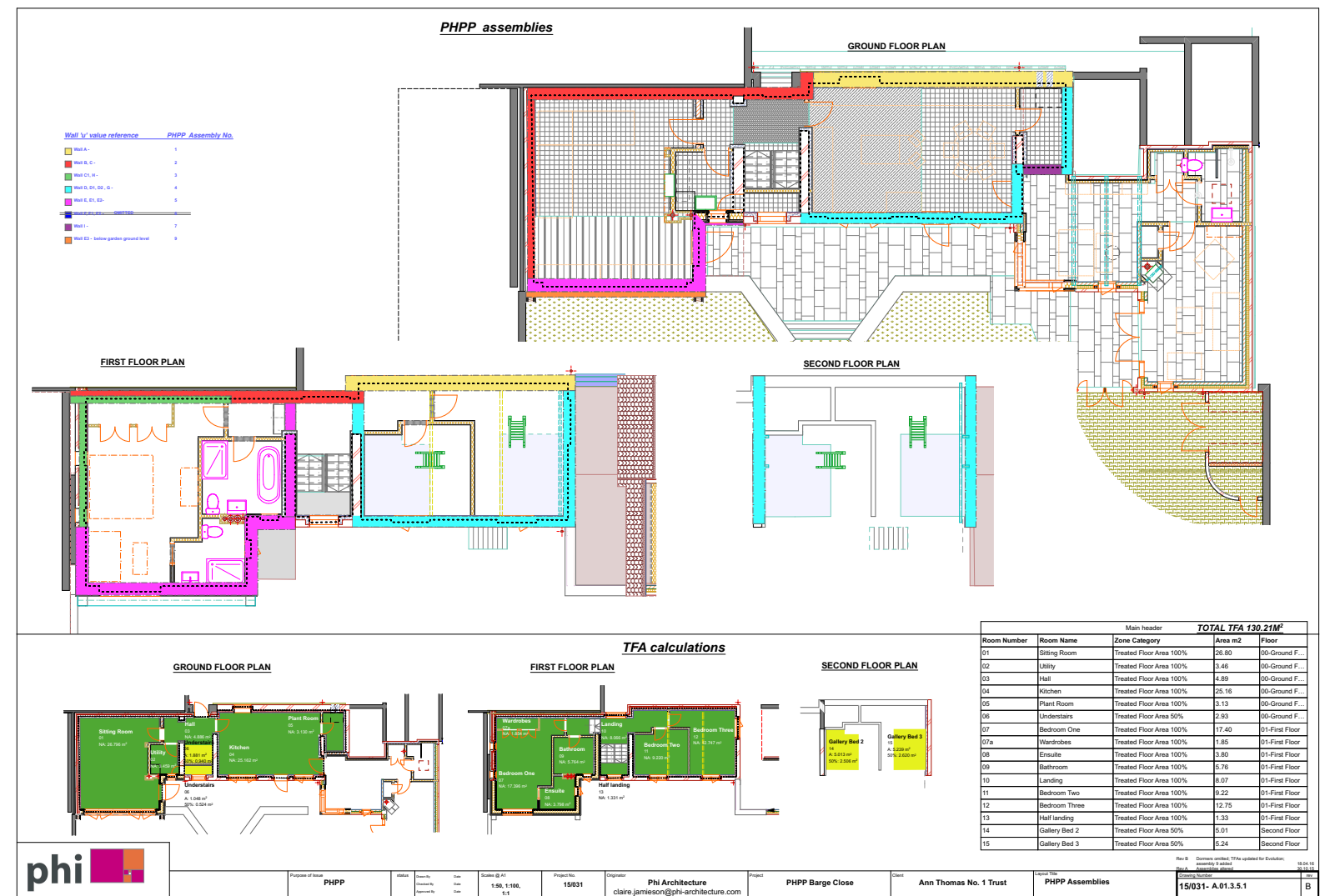
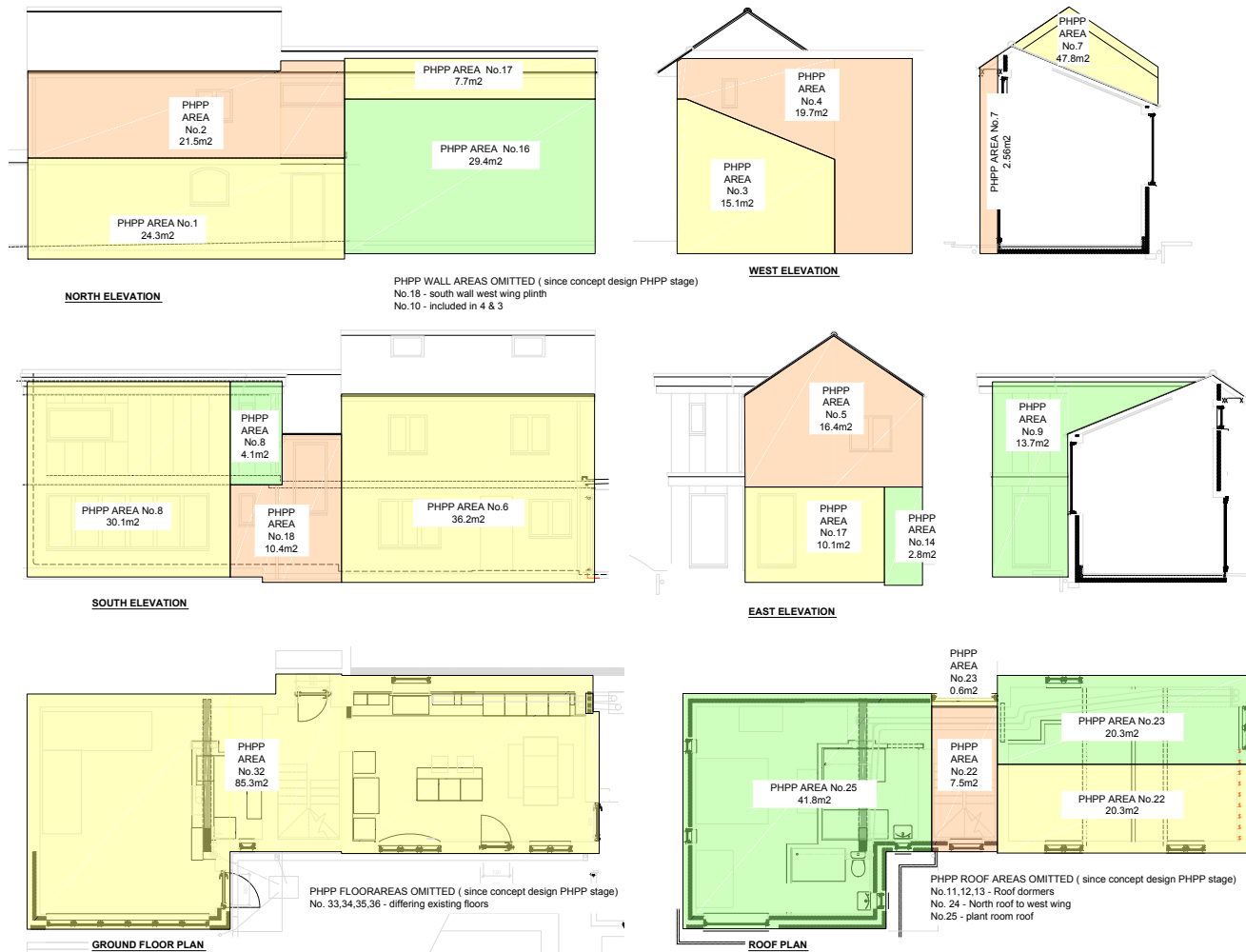


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Surface Areas and Assemblies



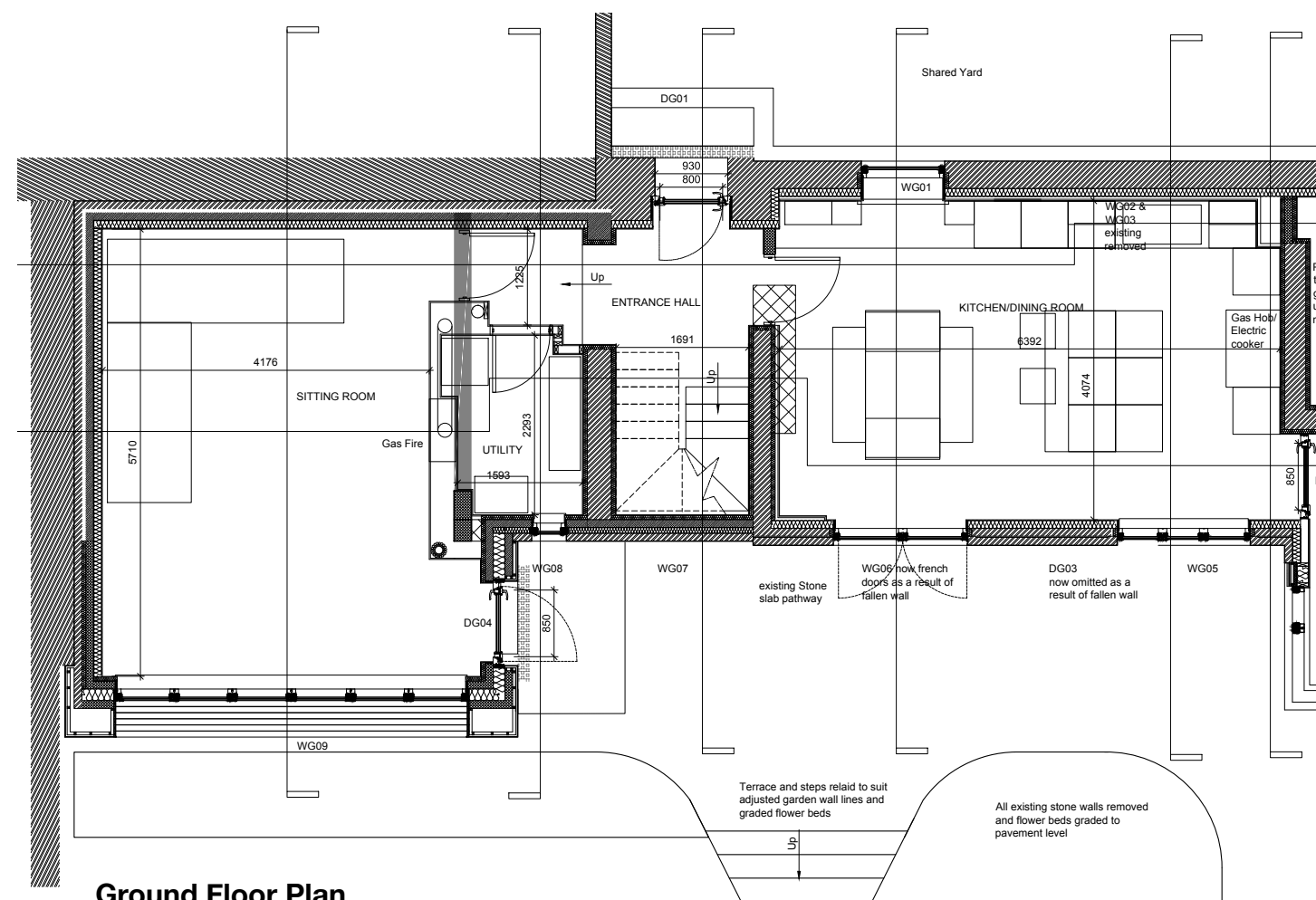


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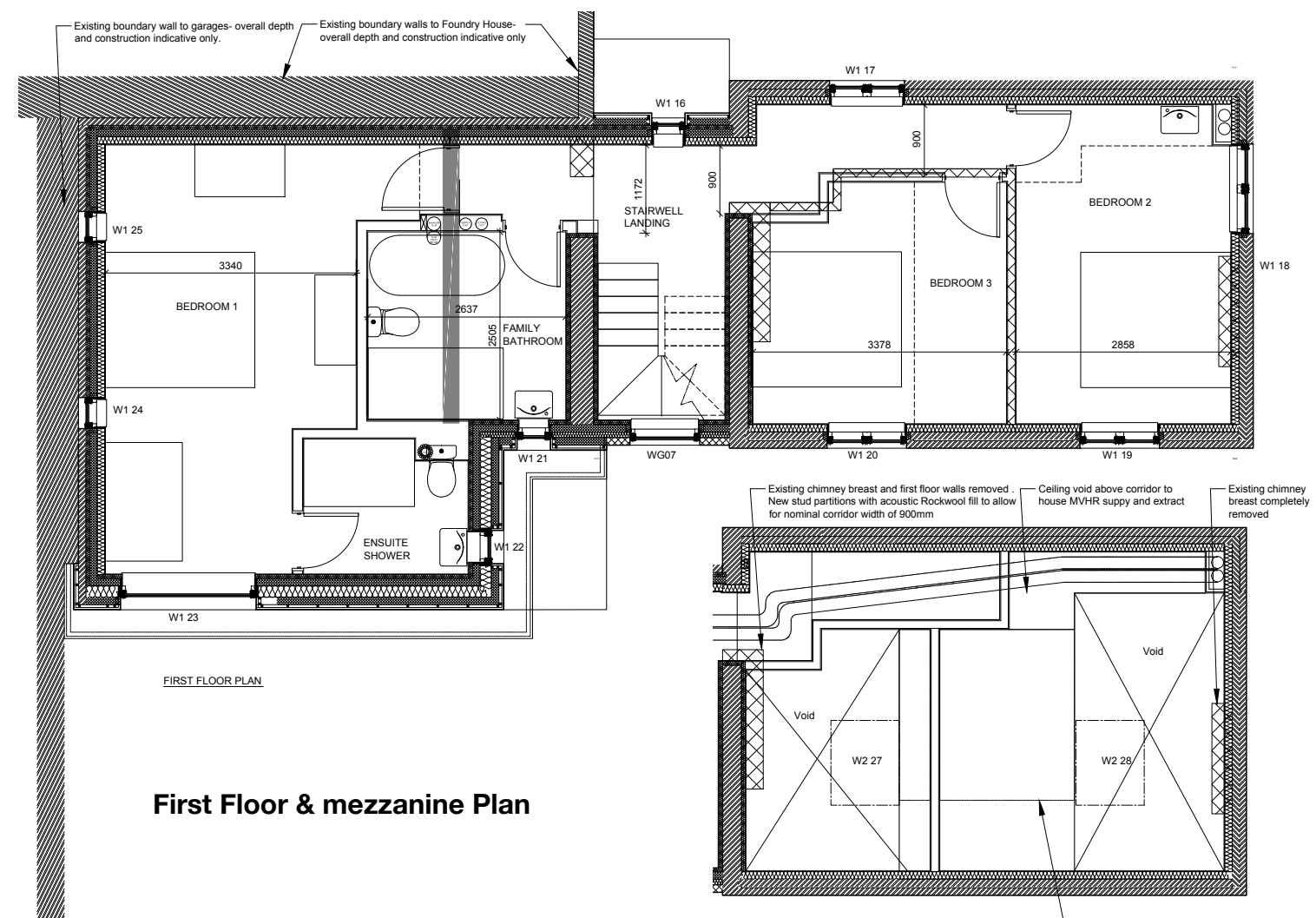
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Plans



New West Wing

Existing cottage



MEZZANINE FLOOR PLAN

Mezzanine floor to span between existing truss ties to full width of house north to south. Rooflights to line through centred on window below.



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Walls

Exterior wall construction - water vapour permeable approach

Original cottage

Solid walls stripped back to bare brick and cobble, with all layers of plasterboard, plaster, paint and wall paper removed.

Chimney breasts removed and complete internal face given a lime levelling coat

Airtightness primarily achieved through a lime slurry wash.

Internal insulation with Pavadentro

Lime plaster finish and Beeck mineral paint emulsion

External mortar joints ground out and repointed with lime mortar to ensure water vapour permeable construction throughout.

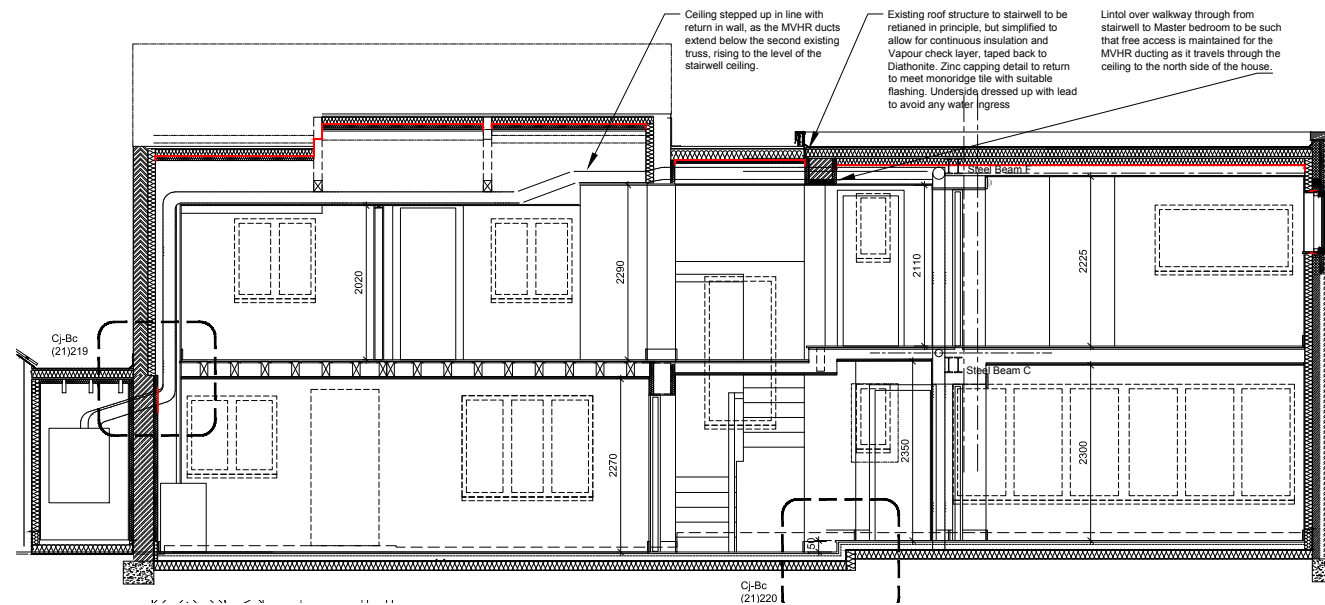
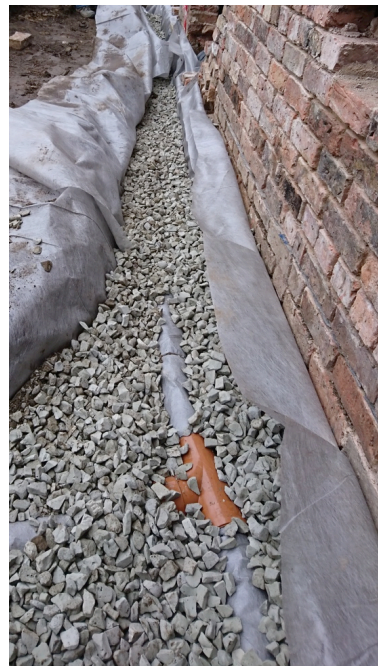
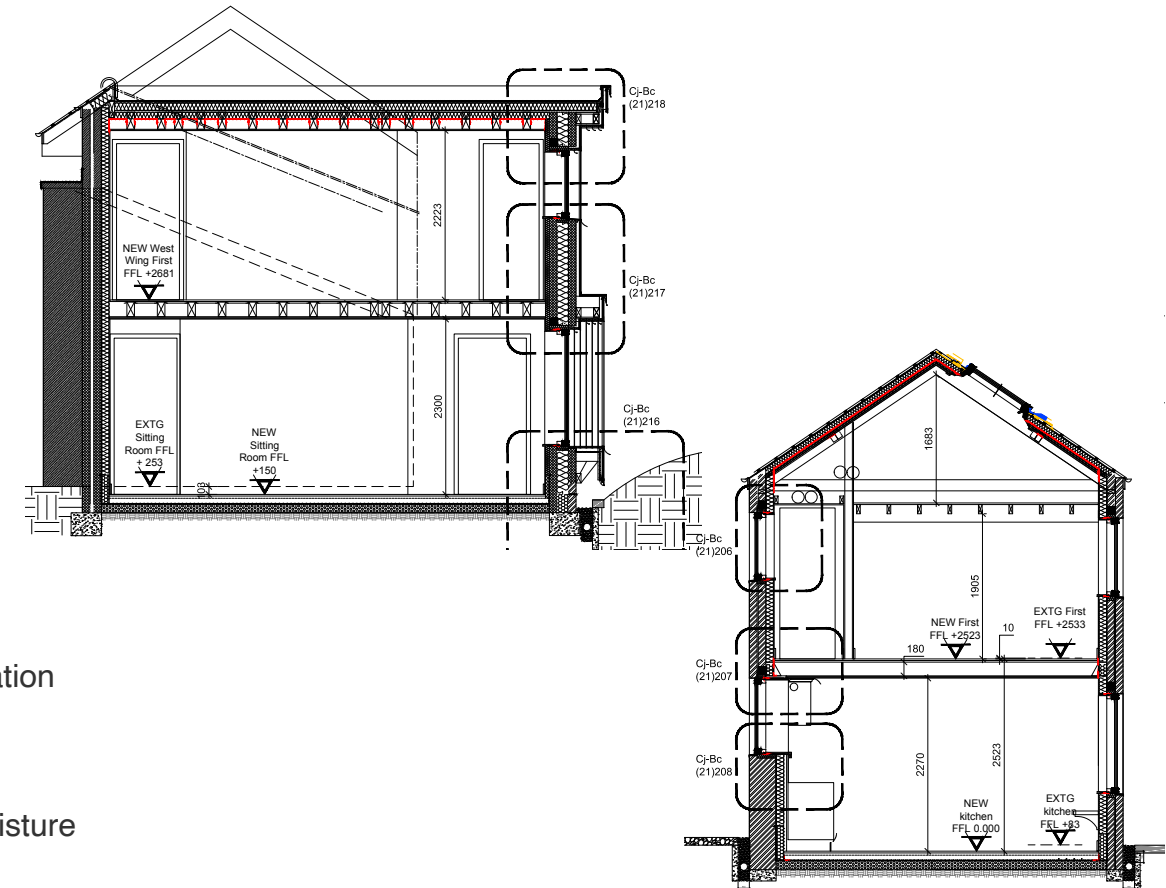
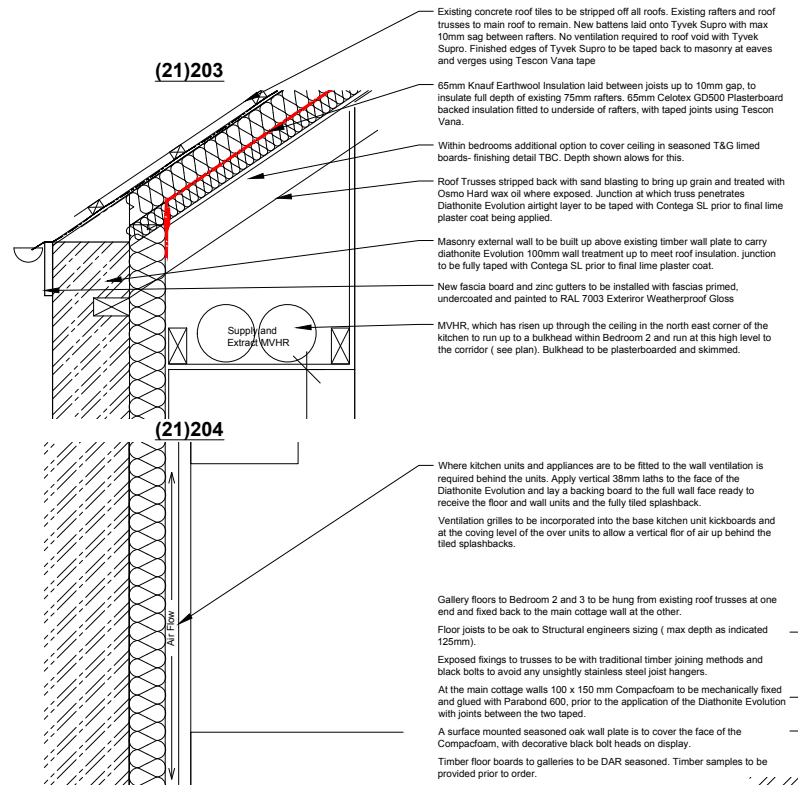
New west wing

Low lambda concrete block and cavity construction with full fill insulation

External zinc ventilated rain screen

Internal lime plaster finish and Beeck mineral paint emulsion

Perimeter ground external insulation with Foamit for thermal and moisture control





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Floors

Ground and first floors

Ground floors

Foamit compacted as thermal hardcore with internal perimeter Styrofoam insulation

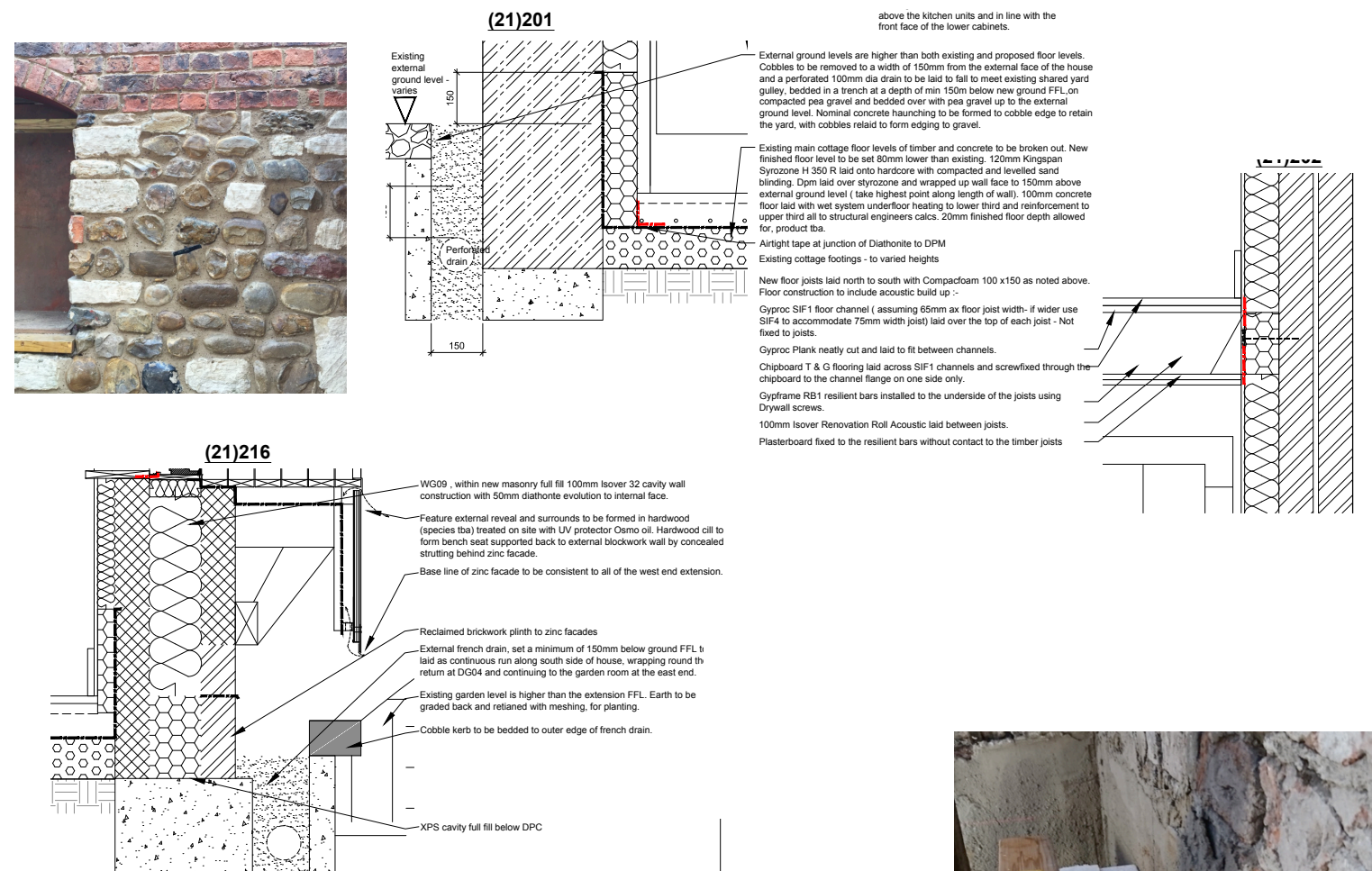
DPM laid over, taped at seams, to receive 100mm poured concrete.

Internal studwork thermally broken from slab with fixing through Compacfoam spacers

Insulation laid over concrete ready to receive underfloor heating and screed

First floors

Hung as a raft, thermally broken from the existing solid wall constructions by Compacfoam spacers set through airtight lime slurry with Orcon airtightness sealant





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Windows

Windows and doors

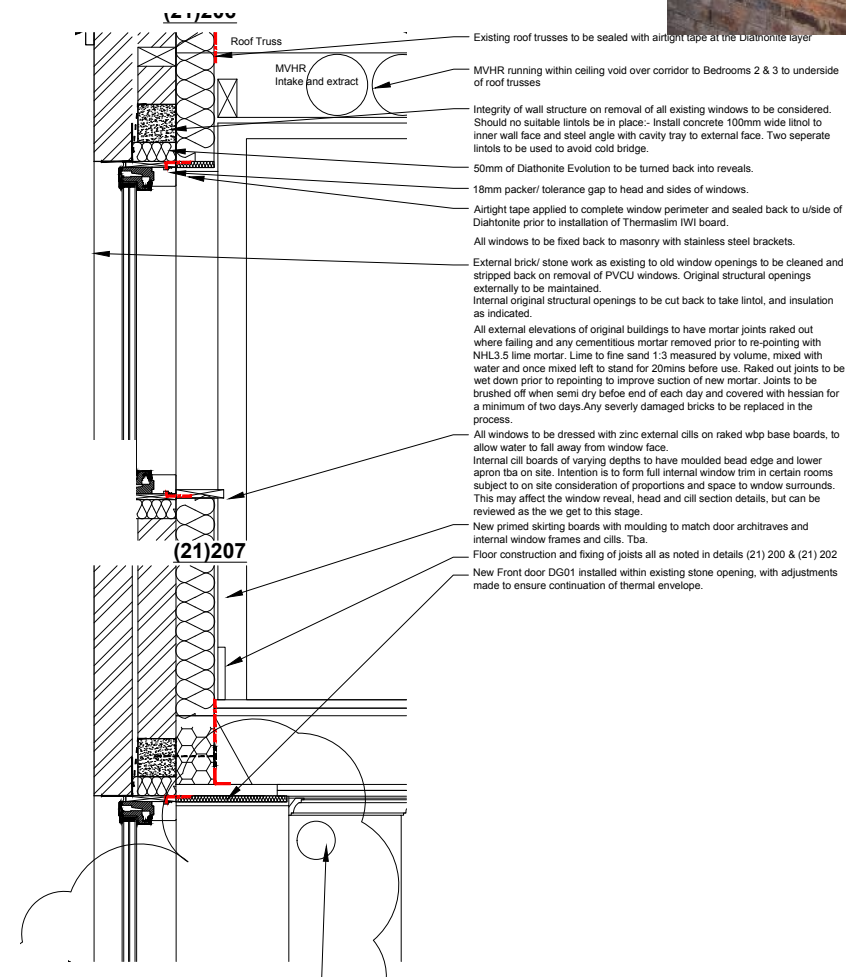
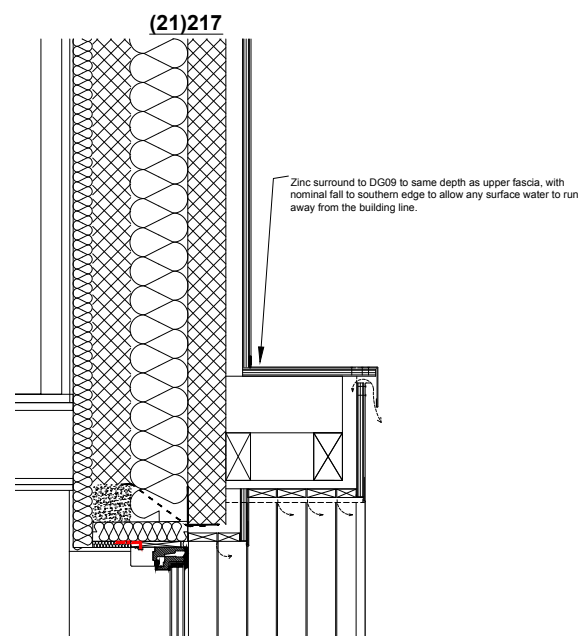
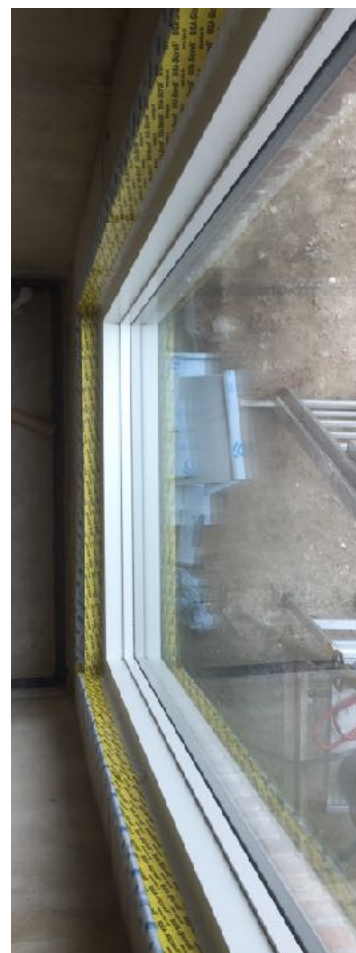
Ideal Combi Futura+

Windows set back 100mm from external facades and fixed with brackets back to ply reveals.
Internal thermal envelope completed with Pavadentro and Spacetherm blanket

Siga airtight tapes close airtight layer to lime slurry.
Compriband infill to tolerance gaps on external faces

g values vary according to orientation 0.51 to 0.53
Ug value ranges from 0.52 - 0.57W(m²K)
Class 4 air permeability

In addition :-



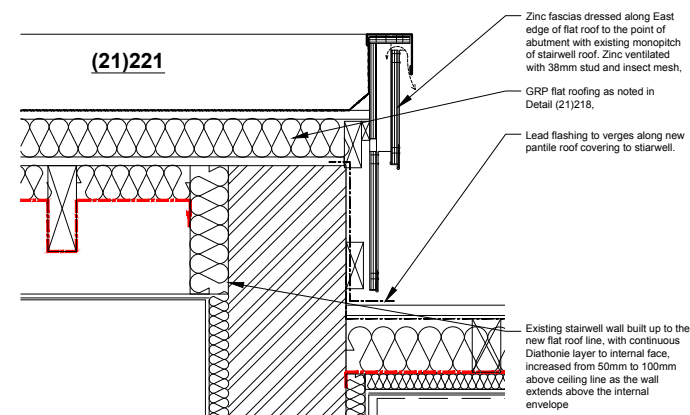
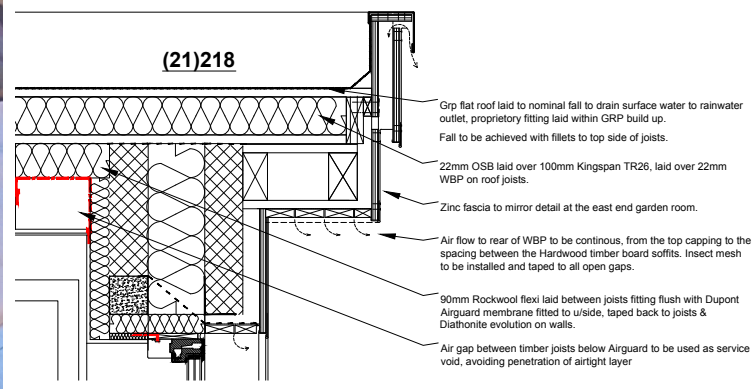


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Roof



Roof construction

Original cottage

Original rafters retained and made true
Warm roof construction created using insulation overlay
Roofing membrane taped at all seams and back to gables and eaves
Additional insulation laid as infill between existing rafters, prior to fitting of internal airtight membrane

New west wing

New flat roof formed as a warm roof with GRP top coat to provide surface for south facing PV array



Services

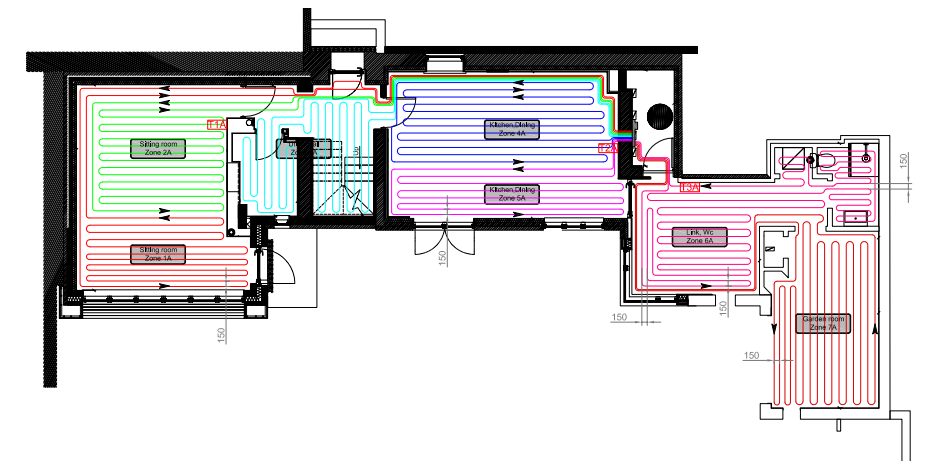
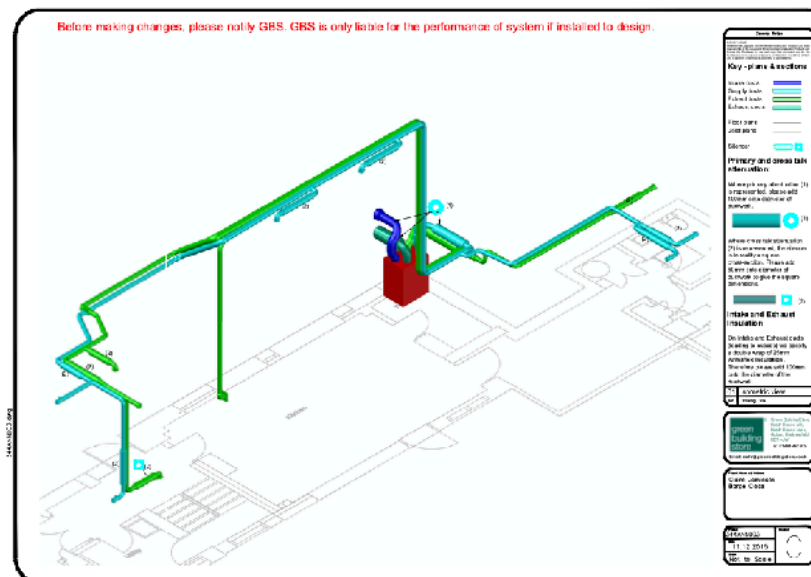
Heating and DHW

Ground floor under wet system underfloor heating
First floor nominal radiator sizes and towel radiators

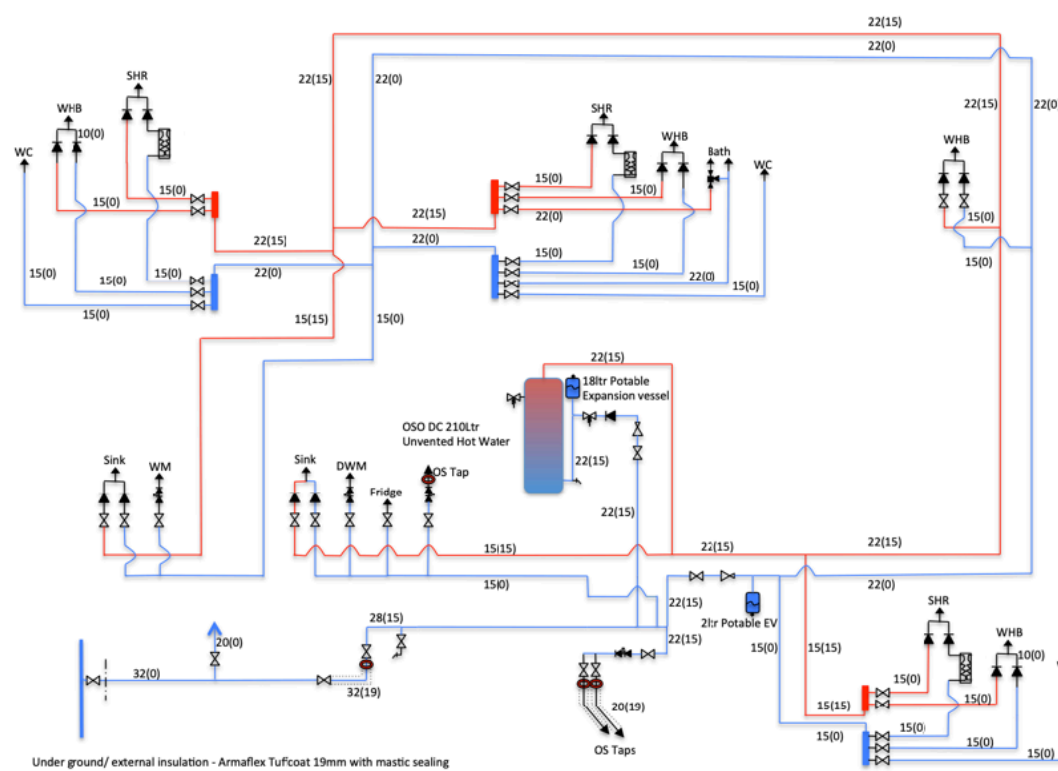
Oso hot water cylinder
All supported by new Ideal gas boiler

MVHR

Paul Novus 300
91.2% hHR,eff
0.24 specific efficiency



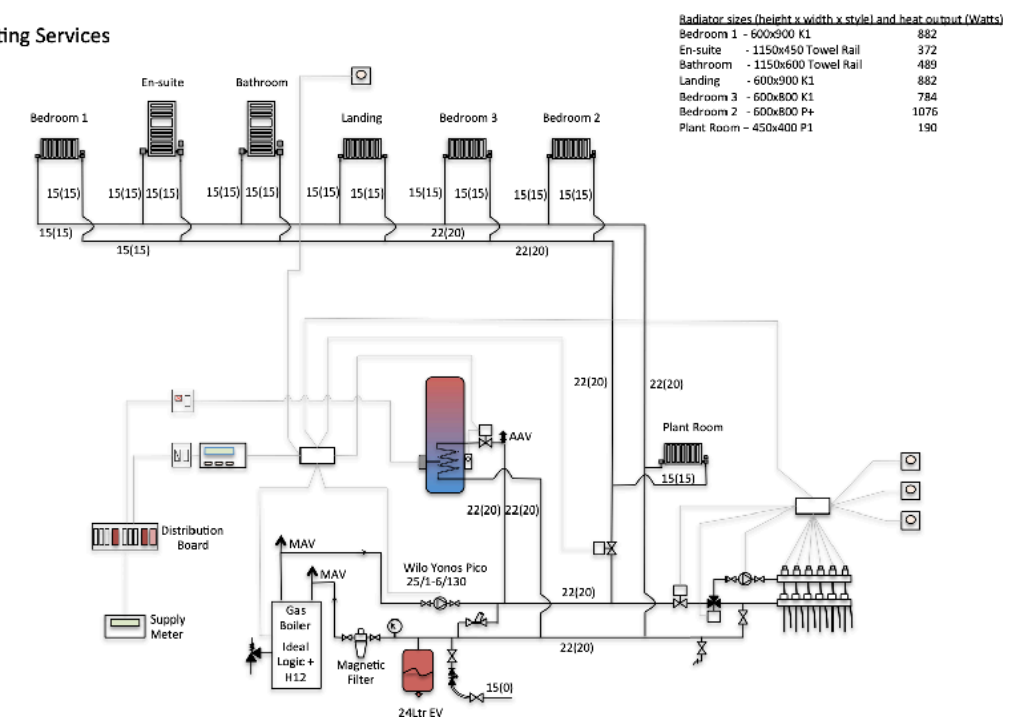
Hot and Cold Water Services



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Heating Services



Internal insulation - Kingspan Kooltherm 15mm and 20mm Silver foil phenolic with foil tape sealing

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Air tightness & Certification



Air Leakage Certificate

In accordance with BS EN 13829, ATTMA TSL1 (2016) & TSL4 (2018)

Building Tested:	The Barge
	5 Canal Road, Ripon HG4 1QN
Test Date:	18 th December 2018
Test Engineer:	Paul Jennings, Aldas
Certificate No:	P3731-C01

This is to certify that the above-named dwelling has been tested for air leakage in accordance with the BS EN 13829:2001 methodology and the requirements of ATTMA as specified in TSL1 (2016) & TSL4 (2018). The additional requirements of the Passivhaus Institute when Passivhaus Certification is required were also met. The average Leakage Characteristics of the dwelling were recorded as follows:

Airflow @ 50 Pa:		123.1 m³/hr	
Air Permeability @ 50 Pa:		0.36 m³ / (hr.m²)	
Air Change Rate @ 50 Pa:		0.43 AC/hr	
Data consistency, r² (requirement, r² > 0.98):		0.995	
Slope, n (requirement, 0.5 < n < 1.0):		0.78	
Intercept, C _{env} :		5.85 m³ / (hr.Pa ⁿ)	
Test Parameters			
Envelope, A _E :		346 m²	
Volume, V:		287.8 m³	
Env. Calc. prepared by:		Paul Jennings, Aldas & Claire Jamieson, PHI Architecture	
Initial Offset Pressure	-1.40 Pa	Final Offset Pressure:	-0.07 Pa
Initial Inside Temperature:	13.8°C	Final Inside Temperature:	13.6°C
Average Outside Temperature:	9.8°C	Barometric Pressure:	102.5 kPa

This certificate should be read in conjunction with the full airtightness test report P3731-02 and associated test method statement.

Signed: Paul Jennings Name: Paul Jennings Date Issued: 18th December 2018
Position: Air Leakage Specialist
Deviations from TSL1 & TSL4 methodology: None

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'EnerPHit Classic'
(Climate zone: Cool-temperate)



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Architectural
Design Ltd.

Authorised
by:

Dr. Wolfgang Feist
64283 Darmstadt
Germany

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Britain



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| classic | plus | premium |

Client	Claire Jamieson 5 Canal Road HG4 1QN Ripon, United Kingdom/ Britain
Architect	Phi Architecture 5 Canal Road HG4 1QN Ripon, United Kingdom/ Britain
Building Services	NCR Plumbing & Heating 3 The Green HG4 3NJ Galphay, United Kingdom/ Britain
Energy Consultant	Phi Architecture 5 Canal Road HG4 1QN Ripon, United Kingdom/ Britain

Buildings retrofitted to the EnerPHit Standard offer excellent thermal comfort and very good air quality all year round. Due to their high energy efficiency, energy costs as well as greenhouse gas emissions are extremely low.

The design of the above-mentioned building meets the criteria defined by the Passive House Institute for modernization to the 'EnerPHit Classic' standard:

Building quality		This building	Criteria	Alternative criteria
Heating	Heating demand [kWh/(m ² a)]	28	≤	-
Cooling	Frequency of overheating (> 25 °C) [%]	3	≤	10
Airtightness	Pressurization test result (n ₅₀) [1/h]	0.4	≤	1.0
Non-renewable primary energy (PE)	PE demand [kWh/(m ² a)]	122	≤	0
Component quality				
Building envelope to ambient air (U-value)		0.13	≤	0.15
Building envelope to ground (U-value)		0.14	≤	0.25
Wall with interior insulation to ambient air (U-value)		0.27	≤	0.35
Windows/Exterior doors (U _w , installed)		0.83	≤	0.86
Windows (U _w , installed)		0.99	≤	1.01
Glazing (g-value)		0.52	≥	0.00
Glazing/shading (max. solar load)			≤	-
Ventilation (effect. heat recovery efficiency)		91	≥	75

The associated certification booklet contains more characteristic values for this building.

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Certifier: Kym Mead, Mead Ltd

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Verification data & additional information

Specific building characteristics with reference to the treated floor area						
	Treated floor area m²			Criteria	Alternative criteria	Fulfilled?²
Space heating	Heating demand kWh/(m²a)	124.8	≤	-	-	-
	Heating load W/m²	28	≤	-	-	-
Space cooling	Cooling & dehum. demand kWh/(m²a)	-	≤	-	-	-
	Cooling load W/m²	-	≤	-	-	-
	Frequency of overheating (> 25 °C) %	3	≤	10		yes
	Frequency excessively high humidity (> 12 g/kg) %	0	≤	20		yes
Airtightness	Pressurization test result n ₅₀ 1/h	0.4	≤	1.0		yes
Non-renewable Primary Energy (PE)	PE demand kWh/(m²a)	122	≤	135.739464		yes
Primary Energy	PER demand kWh/(m²a)	119	≤	-	-	-
Renewable (PER)	Generation of renewable energy kWh/(m²a)	28	≥	-	-	-

Additional Information

Special features, factors

Integration of 18th Century cottage solid wall renovation with new build Pigmento green zinc extension within considerable party wall constraints accommodating 8 different external wall types and two different roof types

Water vapour permeable renovation to restore original building fabric

Walled garden with almost entirely south facing aspect enabling excellent solar gains.

4KW array installed on southerly orientation flat roof

Construction costs

Cost per square metre < £2,000

Overall withheld

Energy consumption

Currently monitored by Carlos Jimenez Bescos, Nottingham University