Rescheck Versus Manual J (Free Download)

Which Energy Report do you need for your construction project? The basic answer will depend on your building department and building code.

What is the main difference in Rescheck and Manual J? Rescheck measures the suitability of your building's insulation envelope against your local climate zone and gives you a pass or fail score. Manual J measures the building envelope versus the climate zone and gives you sensible heat gain, latent heat gain, and total heat loss.

Does your building permit require that you get a Rescheck? If your building department and building code require that you obtain a Rescheck, you will probably need a Rescheck.

Does your building permit require that you get a Manual J? If you building inspector has told you that you need to have a Manual J to get a building permit then chances are that you will need a Manual J heat loss calculation.

Can a Rescheck or Manual J be optional? Yes, it is possible that you may not need to obtain a Rescheck or Manual J to get your building permit. In this instance it would be solely your choice as to whether you chose to have a Rescheck or Manual J created by a Rescheck and Manual J service provider.

What is the cost of a Rescheck? \$79 is the cost of a Rescheck

What is the cost of a Manual J? \$79 is the cost of a Manual J

How long does it take to create a Rescheck? 4-6 hours is the typical time allotted to create a Rescheck.

How long does it take to create a Manual J? 4-6 hours is the time that is needed to create most Manual J heat loss calculations.

Where is the best place to obtain a Rescheck and Manual J? Rescheck.info offers Reschecks and Manual Js and in generally considered the leader in Rescheck and Manual J service

https://www.rescheck.info/2017/05/11/do-i-need-a-rescheck-manual-j-or-both

Thanks for reading the Reschexpert blog and our coverage of all thing home energy audit related like Reschecks and Manual Js. If you need a Rescheck or Manual J simply email us plans, jobsite address, and square footage and we will get you taken care of.

Best regards

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Related Links:

https://www.rescheck.info/2018/03/12/simple-instructions-to-complete-a-rescheck-yourself/

https://www.rescheck.info/2016/03/21/rescheck-report-for-additions/

https://www.rescheck.info/2020/06/24/entering-data-into-rescheck-web-rescheck-desktop-basic-tutorial/

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