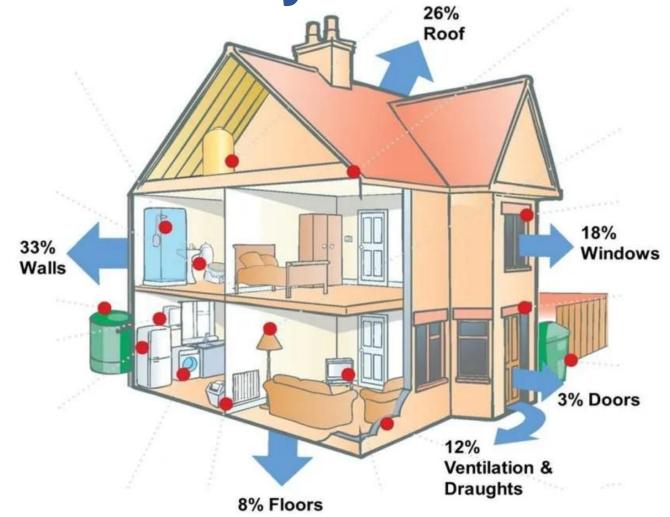
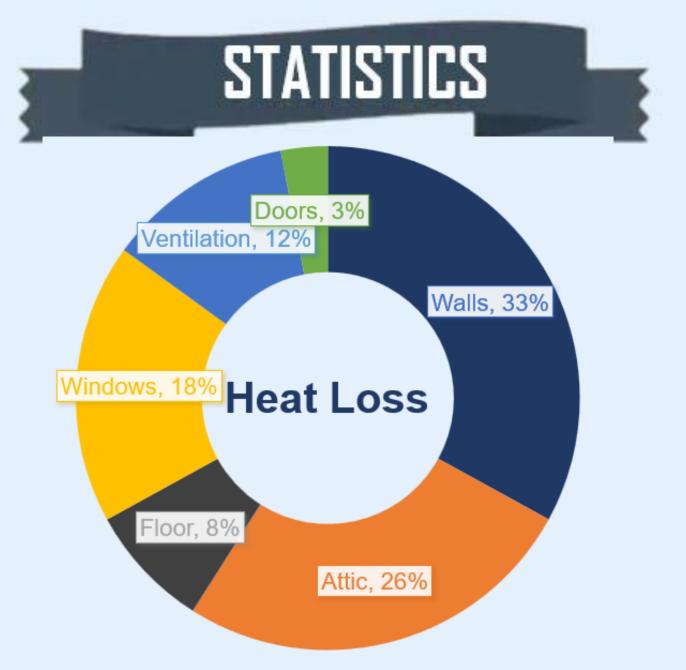


Insulation: Reduce Energy Bills and Carbon Footprint

By Team 11

Looking to insulating your home? Here is what you should know





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INTRODUCTION

Inefficient home insulation system:

- Outdated or poorly installed insulation material
- Leads to energy waste
- Impact climate change

- Fiber glass insulation loses 40% heat when exposed to moisture
- Mineral wool loses 30% heat due to inadequate installation

Heat loss of insulation materials over a decade

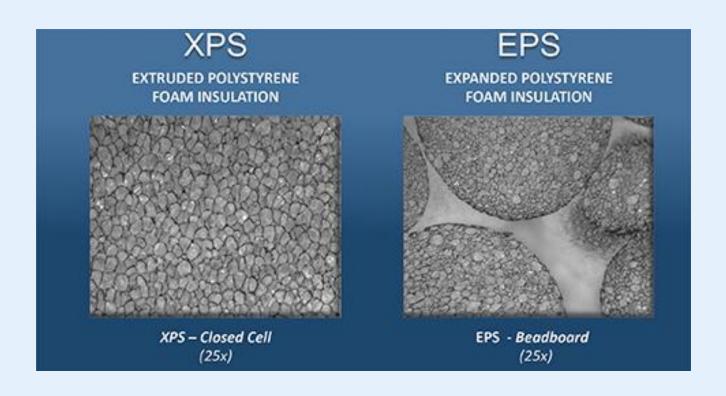


Problem Description

EPS and XPS provides:

- more resistant to moisture
- more resistant to Air leakage
- increases Energy efficiency

Problem Solution



Thermal Resistance

Insulating material	R-Value/inch
Fibre glass	3.95
Mineral wool	4
EPS	4.3
XPS	5.3

- R-value measures insulation material's resistance to heat flow.
- Higher R-values provide better insulation and energy efficiency
- Proper installation and maintenance of insulation is important for achieving desired Rvalue and cost savings



EPS: Expanded Polystyrene



XPS: Extruded Polystyrene

Proposed Materials

EPS

- Excellent thermal insulation
- Light weight
- Durable

XPS

- Moisture resistant
- Stable thermal resistivity
- Recyclable

- **EPS** and XPS should be manufactured by recyclable and sustainable materials
- **Promotes** responsible production and reduces waste







































Improvements

EPS and XPS Addresses: SDG 7

- Energy Efficiency
- Renewable Energy

SDG 11

- Sustainable Buildings
- Waste Reduction

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Cont.

SDG 12

- Resource efficiency
- Circular economy

SDG 13

- Climate Action
- Sustainable

Consumption



Conclusion

In conclusion, insulation material plays a vital role in building a more sustainable future and:

- helps reduce energy consumption.
- improves indoor air quality.

