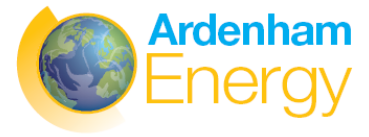


# 3 kWp PV Installation The Viking Centre Claxby



The 3 kWp grid connected PV array was commissioned in the Spring of 2008 at the Viking Centre in Claxby, Lincolnshire. The project was supported by the Low Carbon Buildings Programme framework funded by BERR, and Ardenham Energy as part of the British Gas Consortium.

The installation was undertaken following the award of a Low Carbon Building Programme Phase 2 Grant to provide 50% of the capital cost. The electricity generated is synchronised with the grid supply via an inverter and will be used to supply clean energy to the property, as well as exporting to the grid for use elsewhere when there is more energy produced than is necessary in the property.

The 3 kWp array is almost silent in operation and will generate around 2700kWh of greenhouse gas free electricity each year. The installation includes a display in the reception area which will outline real time energy production as well as cumulative kWh and CO<sub>2</sub> savings.

The installation took 5 days to complete and comprises:-

- 18 no Sharp 162Wp crystalline Modules
- 1 no Fronius G83/1 compliant IG30 inverters
- Single phase pulsed kWh Meters
- DC and AC switchgear

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