

Department for Energy Security and Net Zero

Government Buying Standards for Commercial refrigeration

Version	Date	Notes
4.0	August 2025	Minor revision to reflect current commercial refrigeration technologies on the Energy Technology List and fix broken links.
3.0	November 2015	Minor amendments to criteria where market availability of better performing products and/or standards and labelling have changed. Removed reference to fluorocarbons as this is now a standard legal requirement.
2.1	July 2014	Minor amendments at transition of SD in Government web pages to GOV.UK
2.0	April 2011	Introduction of mandatory specification
1.0	May 2008	Introduction of Best Practice Specification

Mandatory level

Energy Efficiency	Equipment must be listed on the Energy Technology List scheme
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Additional Information

- See the [Energy Technology Criteria List for refrigeration equipment](#)
- Read government guidance on [Fluorinated gas](#)