



Technical Bulletin: Generate HVAC Design Reports with the Click of a Button

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The two most commonly used residential HVAC design programs, Wrightsoft Right-Suite Universal and Elite RHVAC, can now automatically generate the ENERGY STAR HVAC Design Report. Before, HVAC designers laboriously copied design information onto the HVAC Design Report manually. With this major step forward, the HVAC Design Report is completed fast and accurately, standardizing the exchange of information between the HVAC and HERS rating industry.

Be sure your existing builder and HVAC designer partners know about this time-saving feature. When talking to prospective partners, highlight that generating the HVAC Design Report is now much easier. Partners who last looked at ENERGY STAR several years ago may not be aware that this advance, along with lower H-QUITO membership fees and optional airflow balancing of supply registers and return grilles, has significantly streamlined the cost and effort for HVAC contractors to participate in the program.

Supporting Software Versions

Wrightsoft has offered the ENERGY STAR HVAC Design Report since March 2016 in Right-Suite Universal 2017 or higher.

Elite introduced support for the HVAC Design Report on September 2018 in RHVAC Desktop version 9.01.296 or higher. RHVAC Online, Elite's web-app version of the software, also offers the report.

Users are encouraged to upgrade to the most up-to-date software version to take advantage of the latest adjustments and bug fixes.

Learn More

Watch a tutorial on generating the report in Right-Suite Universal at [Wrightsoft University](#).

See more details on RHVAC's support, including a sample report, at [Elite's website](#).

Find additional ENERGY STAR resources for HVAC [designers](#) and [contractors](#).

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