

NOVITHERM[™] HEAT REFLECTORS REDUCE HEATING COSTS and IMPROVE COMFORT



What are Novitherm Heat Reflectors?

Heat Reflectors are an energy saving product designed for hot water heating systems in buildings older than 1980.

Scientifically designed to reflect radiant heat, they are installed in between the hot water heating units and the cold exterior wall.

This reduces heat loss and reflects the heat back into your home or building resulting in improved comfort levels, reduced energy heating requirements and reduced greenhouse gas.





THREE TYPES OF HEAT TRANSFER:

RADIATION

- DOES NOT BECOME HEAT UNTIL IT IS ABSORBED
- AIR IS NOT WARMED BY RADIATION

CONDUCTION

 TRANSFER OF HEAT ENERGY PHYSICALLY FROM MOLECULE TO MOLECULE

CONVECTION

- HEAT ENERGY IS TRANSFERRED THROUGH A GAS OR LIQUID BY CIRCULATION
- GOOD CONVECTION CURRENTS WILL MINIMIZE LAYERING



CONVECTORS and RADIATORS...















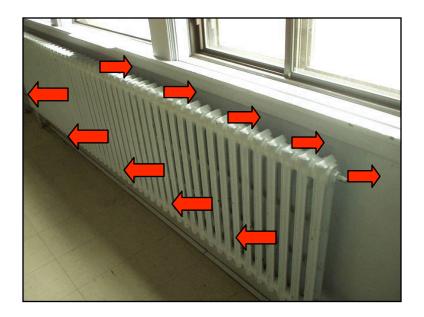




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Radiators are designed to heat a space primarily through <u>radiation</u>. Their thick, heavy bodies provide a large thermal mass which stores the heat from your boiler water and gradually release it into the space.

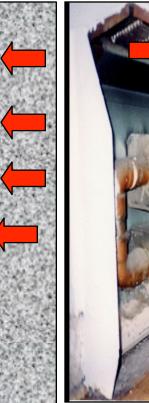


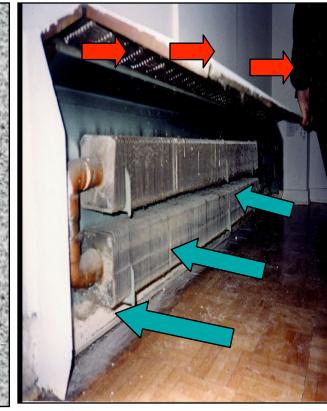
The infrared heat that is emitted travels in a straight line in all directions and heats up all objects in it's path.



Convectors are designed to heat the cooler air from the floor as it passes through the finned tubes and then distribute the heated air throughout the space via convection, but there is still a significant infrared heat component.

Exterior Wal

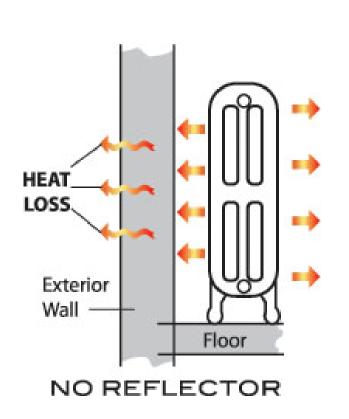


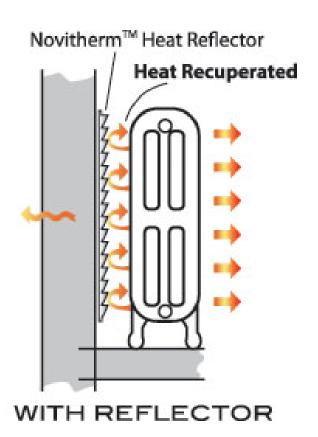


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Heat Reflectors Work with Radiators



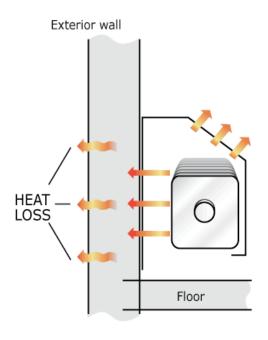


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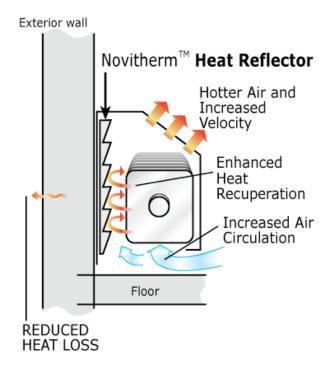


Heat Reflectors Work with Convectors

NO REFLECTOR



WITH REFLECTOR





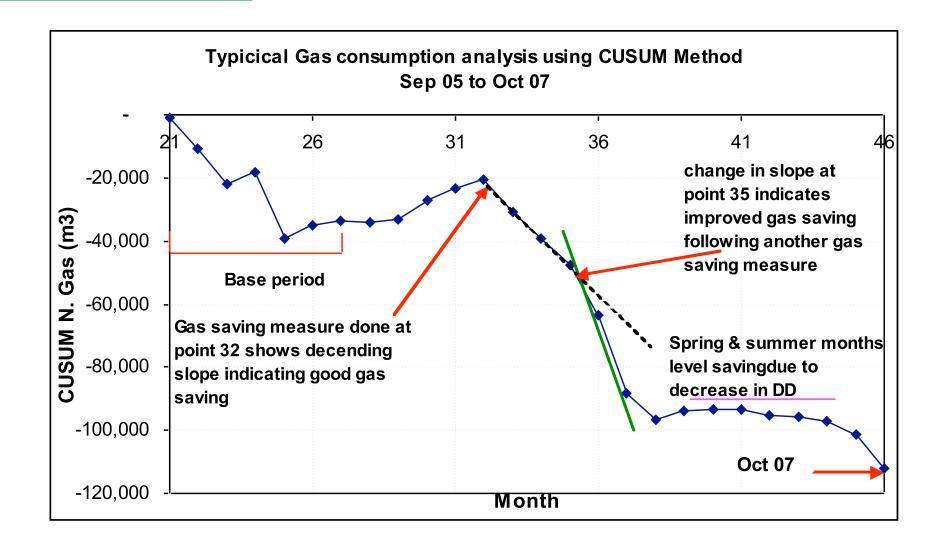
Calculation of Savings

FUEL UNITS / HDD = HF

FUEL CONSUMPTION / HEATING DEGREE DAYS = HEATING (FROM UTILITY) (FROM GOVERNMENT) FACTOR

HEATING FACTOR BEFORE CONSERVATION
IS COMPARED TO
HEATING FACTOR AFTER CONSERVATION
FOR A SAVINGS %







FOLLOW UP INSPECTION & REPORTS:

- System Temperature Profile (Heating)
- Combustion Analysis (up to 4 Boilers)
- Efficiency Analysis (Heating)
- CuSum Analysis (Consumption report)
- Final Reports (Presentation, hard copy)



RESEARCH PROVES:

Tests performed at the University of Waterloo's Solar Energy Lab show that Novitherm™Heat Reflectors have a thermal reflectivity of 93-95% of both long and short wave infrared heat.





3rd PARTY VERIFICATION ...

MULTI-RESIDENTIAL CLIENT

Sterling Karamar Ltd

- Four buildings at three sites, total of 627 apartments
- Heat Reflectors the only measure done, consumption monitoring was already in place -15 minute intervals
- 3rd party Engineer retained to verify savings did regression analysis

average of the four buildings ...

Over 20% savings



Enbridge Multi Choice Incentive Program - Ontario



Energy Efficiency Fund Incentive Program - Quebec

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IN SUMMARY:

Novitherm Canada Inc. is the manufacturer of the Novitherm™ Heat Reflector used to reduce heat loss on exterior-facing walls.

Installed behind hot water radiators and fin-type convectors in older buildings, Novitherm™ Heat Reflectors are scientifically designed to reflect radiant heat, resulting in reduced heating requirements, improved occupant comfort levels, and reduced greenhouse gas.

This inexpensive and highly cost-effective measure offers high Total Resource Cost and low free-ridership rates for North American utilities and government agencies, to achieve considerable savings within residential, commercial and low-income DSM programs.



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