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GENERAL HOME INSPECTION

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SUMMARY



MINOR/COSMETIC

CONCERNS OR

RECOMMEND UPGRADES



RECOMMENDATION



SAFETY HAZARD

- 2.2.1 Roof Coverings: Trees too close
- 2.3.1 Roof Roof Drainage Systems: Gutters Improperly Sloped
- 3.1.1 Exterior Walkways, Porches & Driveways: Driveway Cracking Minor
- 3.1.2 Exterior Walkways, Porches & Driveways: Porch Cracking Minor
- 3.4.1 Exterior Eaves, Soffits & Fascia: Eaves Damaged
- 3.5.1 Exterior Siding, Flashing & Trim: Step Cracking
- **₹** 3.6.1 Exterior Exterior Doors: Lock inoperable
- 3.8.1 Exterior Fence: General deficiencies
- 3.9.1 Exterior General deficiencies: Missing light covers
- 4.2.1 Heating/Cooling Air Handler: Needs annual service maintenance
- 6.5.1 Garage Garage Door: Damaged weatherstripping
- 7.6.1 Attic General: Light inoperable
- 8.1.1 Laundry Room General: Previous repair noted
- ₱ 10.1.1 Kitchen General: Settling cracks
- (a) 10.5.1 Kitchen Built-in Microwave: Damage
- ₱ 10.7.1 Kitchen Countertops & Cabinets: Cabinet Hinge Loose
- 11.2.1 Dining/Living Rooms Windows: Failed Seal
- 11.2.2 Dining/Living Rooms Windows: Missing Screen
- ₱ 11.3.1 Dining/Living Rooms Floors: Moderate/Normal Wear
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- 2 12.5.2 Bedrooms Walls: Touch up opportunities
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- 13.2.1 Bathrooms Water Supply, Distribution Systems & Fixtures: Fixture leaking
- 13.5.1 Bathrooms Shower: Insert damage
- ▲ 14.3.1 Interior Solid Fuel Heating Device (Fireplace, Woodstove): Creosote Buildup

1: INSPECTION DETAILS

Information

In Attendance

No one

Temperature (approximate)

80 Fahrenheit (F)

Occupancy

Furnished, Occupied

Type of Building

Attached, Single Family

Style

Ranch

Weather Conditions

Sunny

2: ROOF

		IN	NI	NP	D
2.1	General	Χ			
2.2	Coverings	Χ			
2.3	Roof Drainage Systems	Χ			
2.4	Flashings	Χ			
2.5	Skylights, Chimneys & Other Roof Penetrations	Χ			

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D = Deficiency

Information

General: Inspection Method

Roof

Coverings: MaterialAsphalt (Architectural)

General: Roof Type/Style

Hip

General: Number of layers

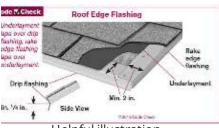
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Roof Drainage Systems: Condition Roof Drainage Systems: Gutter

MaterialAluminum



Flashings: ConditionSatisfactory, Not visible



Helpful illustration

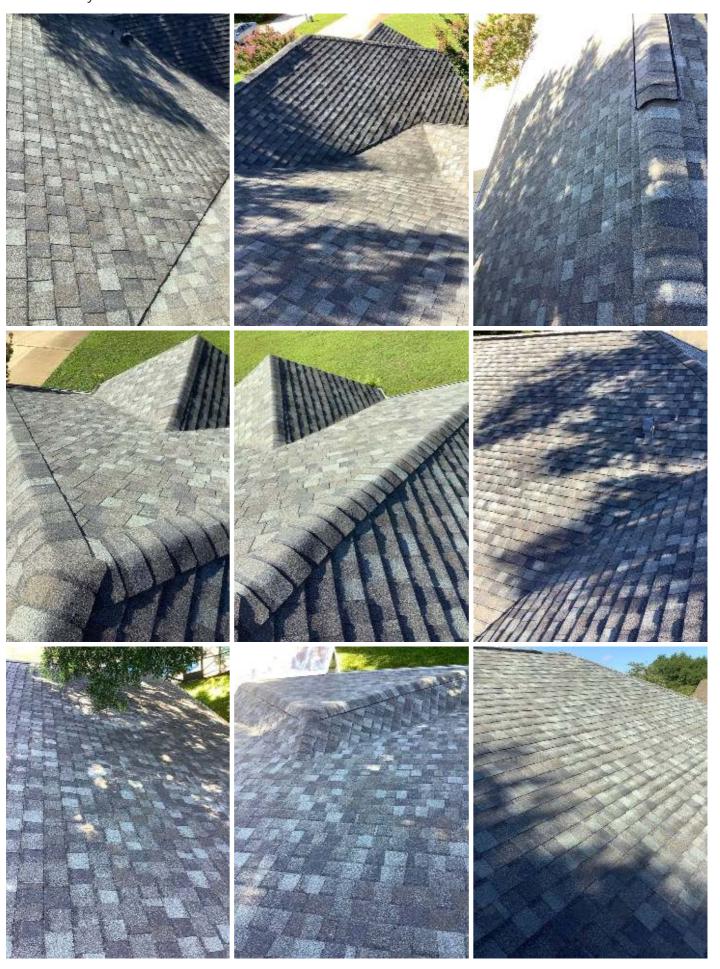
Flashings: MaterialAluminum, Not visible

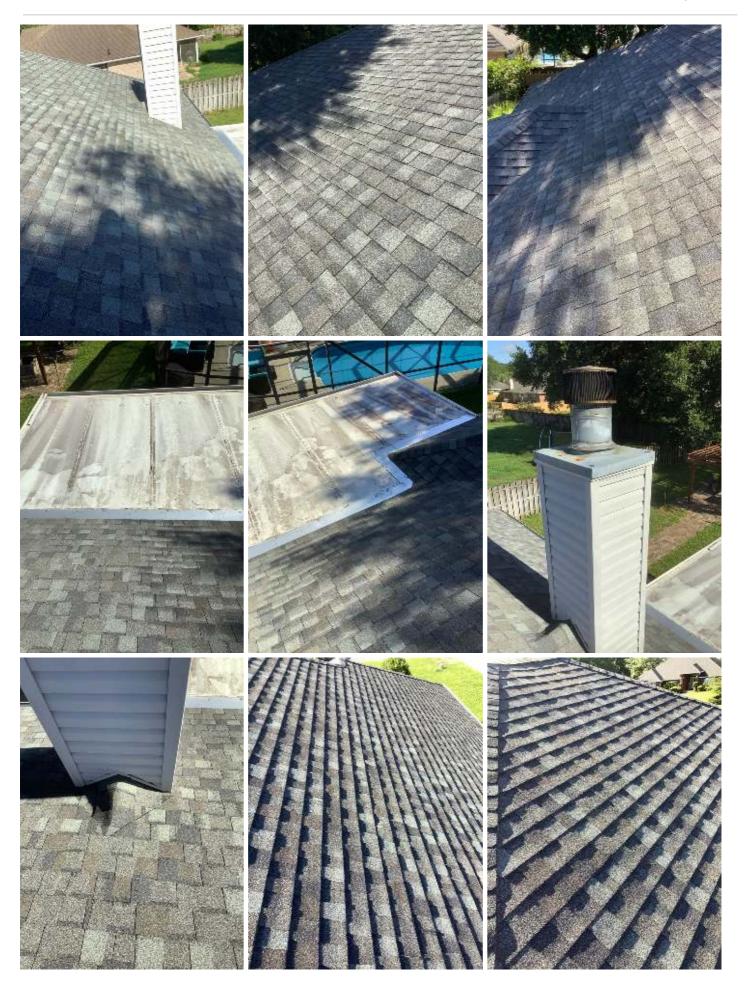


Helpful illustration

Coverings: Condition

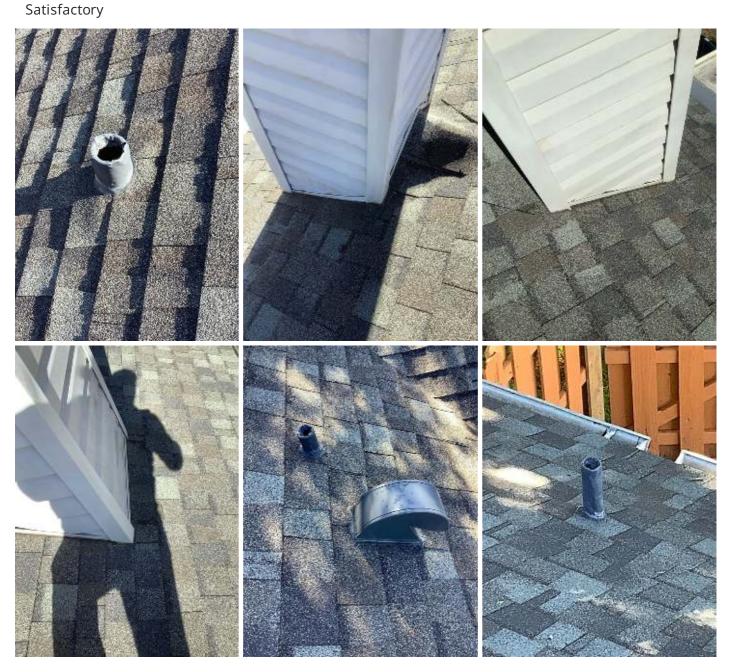
Satisfactory







Skylights, Chimneys & Other Roof Penetrations: Condition



Observations

2.2.1 Coverings TREES TOO

CLOSE



Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

Roof coverings appeared overall satisfactory but will need minor maintenance. Please pay particular attention in trimming back the tree branches so they do not rub against the roof shingles.

Recommendation



2.3.1 Roof Drainage Systems

GUTTERS IMPROPERLY SLOPED



Gutters are improperly sloped in some areas, which could result in runoff drainage and pooling. Recommend qualified gutters contractor repair.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified gutter contractor





Front

Right Side

3: EXTERIOR

		IN	NI	NP	D
3.1	Walkways, Porches & Driveways	Χ			
3.2	Main Water Shut-off Device	Χ			
3.3	Foundation	Χ			
3.4	Eaves, Soffits & Fascia	Χ			
3.5	Siding, Flashing & Trim	Χ			
3.6	Exterior Doors	Χ			
3.7	Vegetation, Grading, Drainage & Retaining Walls	Χ			
3.8	Fence	Χ			
3.9	General deficiencies	Χ			
3.10	Pergola	Χ			

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Information

Walkways, Porches & Driveways: Walkways, Porches & Driveways: Foundation: Material

Condition **Driveway Material** Concrete Satisfactory Concrete, Pavers



Eaves, Soffits & Fascia: Condition Siding, Flashing & Trim: Condition Siding, Flashing & Trim: Siding Satisfactory Style Satisfactory

Brick, Panels

Exterior Doors: Condition Exterior Doors: Exterior Entry

Satisfactory Doors

Metal, Glass

Fence: Type Wood

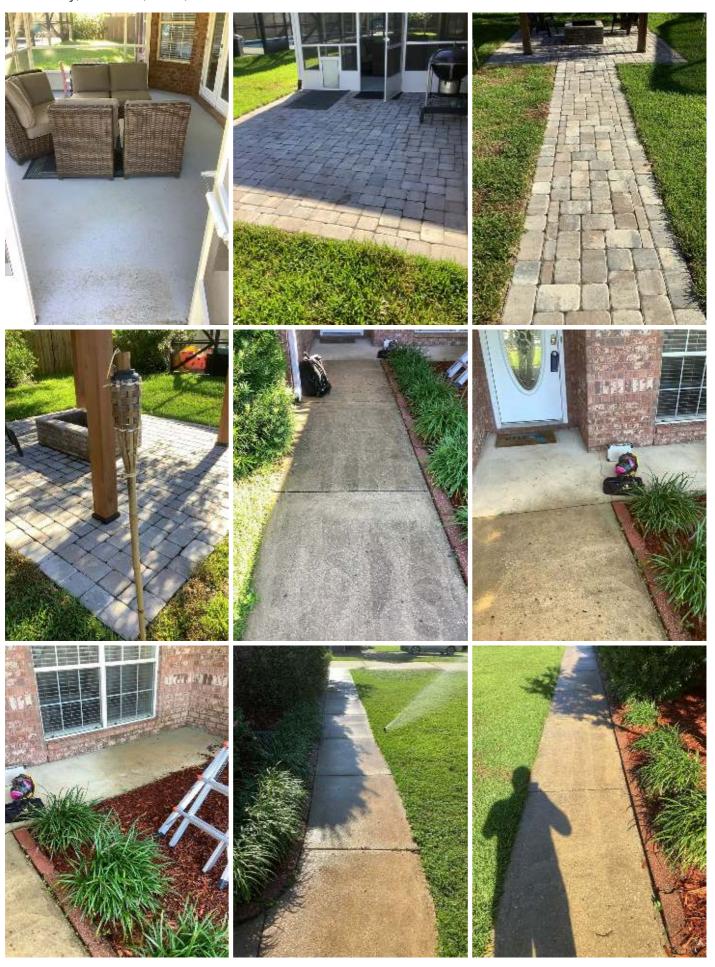


Fence: ConditionSatisfactory

Fence: Gate(s)Operable=Yes

Walkways, Porches & Driveways: Appurtenance

Driveway, Sidewalk, Patio, Rear Porch





Main Water Shut-off Device: Location







Siding, Flashing & Trim: Caulking Opportunities

Recommend caulking all exterior penetrations as needed to avoid water and insect intrusion



Siding, Flashing & Trim: Siding MaterialAluminum, Vinyl



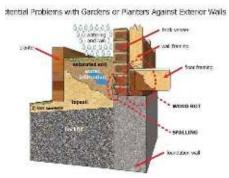
Peace of Mind Inspection Services

Siding, Flashing & Trim: General photos



Vegetation, Grading, Drainage & Retaining Walls: Landscaping too close

Recommend trimming and/or removal of vegetation away from home.



Helpful illustration



Vegetation, Grading, Drainage & Retaining Walls: General photos



Fence: General photos



Pergola: General photos









Limitations

Walkways, Porches & Driveways

INSPECTION LIMITED BY OWNER'S BELONGINGS



Foundation

SLAB/FOUNDATION

Slab/Foundation access is limited due to coverings, and was not fully evaluated. Only what was readily accessible was inspected.



Observations

3.1.1 Walkways, Porches & Driveways



Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

DRIVEWAY CRACKING - MINOR

Minor cosmetic cracks observed, which may indicate movement in the soil. Recommend monitor and/or have concrete contractor patch/seal.

Recommendation

Recommend monitoring.



3.1.2 Walkways, Porches & Driveways



PORCH CRACKING - MINOR

Minor cosmetic cracks observed, which may indicate movement in the soil. Recommend monitor and/or have concrete contractor patch/seal.

Recommendation

Recommend monitoring.





Rear Front

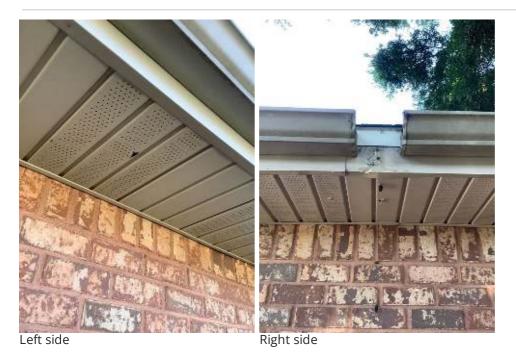
3.4.1 Eaves, Soffits & Fascia

EAVES - DAMAGED



One or more sections of the eaves are damaged. Recommend qualified roofer evaluate & repair. Recommendation

Contact a qualified roofing professional.



3.4.2 Eaves, Soffits & Fascia



MILDEW/ALGAE

There are signs of algae and/or mildew on the siding. This is a cosmetic issue and is not uncommon especially on shaded portions of the home. Recommend that said areas be washed or cleaned or a regular basis.

Recommendation

Contact a handyman or DIY project



3.5.1 Siding, Flashing & Trim



Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

STEP CRACKING

Hairline cracks occur in the mortar between bricks or concrete blocks. Some hairline cracks are natural and usually no cause for alarm. Stair-step cracks look like stair steps in the home's mortar and may be a cause for concern if the cracks measure more than a 1/4 in width and the wall or foundation is bulging.

Recommendation

Recommend monitoring.



Front

3.5.2 Siding, Flashing & Trim



PREVIOUS REPAIR NOTED

Recommend inquiring with seller. (Possible plumbing repair?)

Recommendation

Contact the seller for more info



Rear

3.6.1 Exterior Doors



LOCK INOPERABLE

Recommendation



Front door

3.8.1 Fence

GENERAL DEFICIENCIES

Recommendation

Contact a qualified professional.









Wood decay



3.9.1 General deficiencies

MISSING LIGHT COVERS

Recommendation





3.9.2 General deficiencies



Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

LIGHT INOPERABLE

One or more lights are not operating. New light bulb possibly needed. If its more than a lightbulb change, recommend an electrician evaluate further.

Recommendation



4: HEATING/COOLING

		IN	NI	NP	D
4.1	Exterior A/C	Χ			
4.2	Air Handler	Χ			

Information

Exterior A/C: LocationExterior wall left side

Exterior A/C: Model Number GS7140361KF

Exterior A/C: Maximum fuse/breaker rating (amps)

35

Exterior A/C: Brand

Goodman

Exterior A/C: Serial Number

1805012748

Exterior A/C: Fuses/breakers

installed (amps)

30

Exterior A/C: Energy Source

Electric

Exterior A/C: Age

05/2018

Exterior A/C: Outside Disconnect

Yes



Helpful illustration

Air Handler: Brand

Goodman

Air Handler: Serial Number

1805626687

Air Handler: FilterNeeds cleaning



Air Handler: Energy Source/Type

Electric

Air Handler: Age

05/2018

Air Handler: Model Number

ARUF37C14AC

Air Handler: Location

Hallway

Exterior A/C: Condition

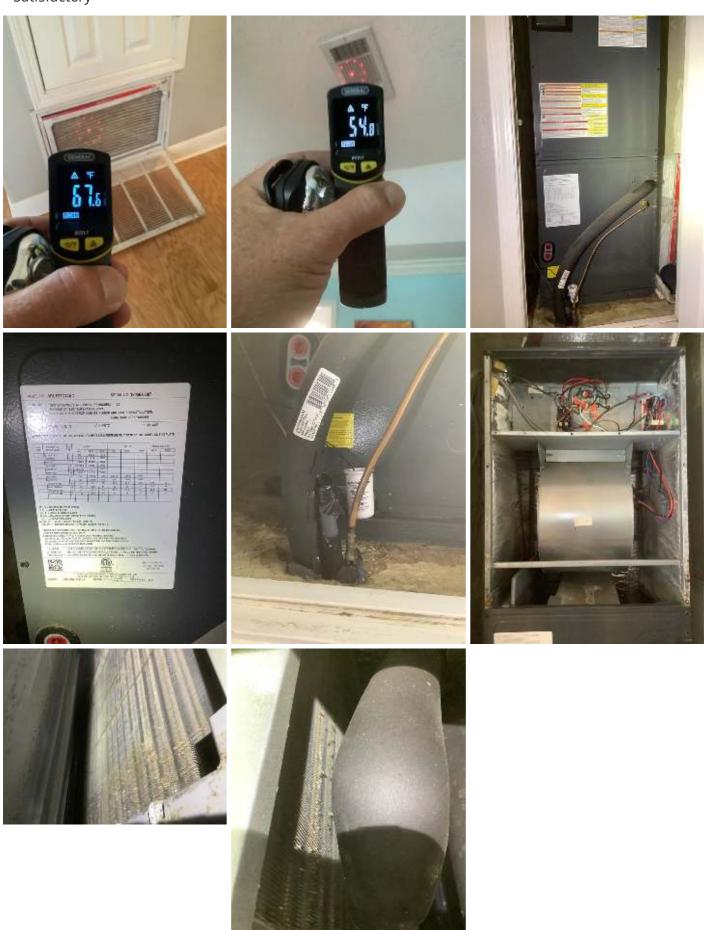
Satisfactory





Air Handler: Condition

Satisfactory



Observations

4.2.1 Air Handler



NEEDS ANNUAL SERVICE MAINTENANCE

Plan to schedule annual HVAC system maintenance once in the spring for your cooling equipment and again in the fall for your heating system. If you have a heat pump, the combined heating/cooling system should receive maintenance twice a year. Change the HVAC air filter every month.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified HVAC professional.





4.2.2 Air Handler

POTENTIAL DRAIN BACK UP/ LEAK



Observed staining with moisture present at pedestal and a pan (Dry) under HVAC unit. This could have already been repaired as no active leaks noted. Recommend inquiring with sellers and monitor for further damage and repair or replace as needed by a licensed contractor.

Recommendation

Contact the seller for more info







5: ELECTRICAL

		IN	NI	NP	D
5.1	Service Entrance Conductors	Χ			
5.2	Main & Subpanels, Service & Grounding, Main Overcurrent Device	Χ			
5.3	Branch Wiring Circuits, Breakers & Fuses	Χ			

Information

Condition

Satisfactory

Main & Subpanels, Service & Grounding, Main Overcurrent

Device: Panel TypeCircuit Breaker



Main & Subpanels, Service & Grounding, Main Overcurrent Device: Panel Capacity

200 AMP

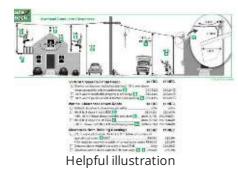
Branch Wiring Circuits, Breakers

& Fuses: Wiring Method Romex, Not Visible Main & Subpanels, Service & Grounding, Main Overcurrent Device: Panel Manufacturer(s)

Milbank

Service Entrance Conductors: Electrical Service Conductors

Below Ground





Main & Subpanels, Service & Grounding, Main Overcurrent Device: Main Panel Location Right







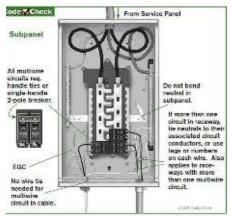
Main & Subpanels, Service & Grounding, Main Overcurrent Device: Sub Panel Location Garage



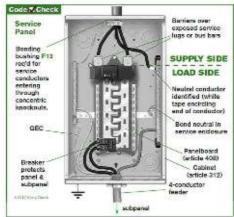




Branch Wiring Circuits, Breakers & Fuses: Branch Wire 15 and 20 AMP Copper



Helpful illustration



Helpful illustration

6: GARAGE

		IN	NI	NP	D
6.1	Ceiling	Χ			
6.2	Floors	Χ			
6.3	Windows	Χ			
6.4	Walls & Firewalls	Χ			
6.5	Garage Door	Χ			
6.6	Garage Door Opener	Χ			
6.7	Occupant Door (From garage to inside of home)	Χ			

Information

Windows: Window Type

Double-hung

Garage Door: Type

Sectional

Windows: Window Manufacturer Garage Door: Material

Unknown Aluminum

Limitations

Floors

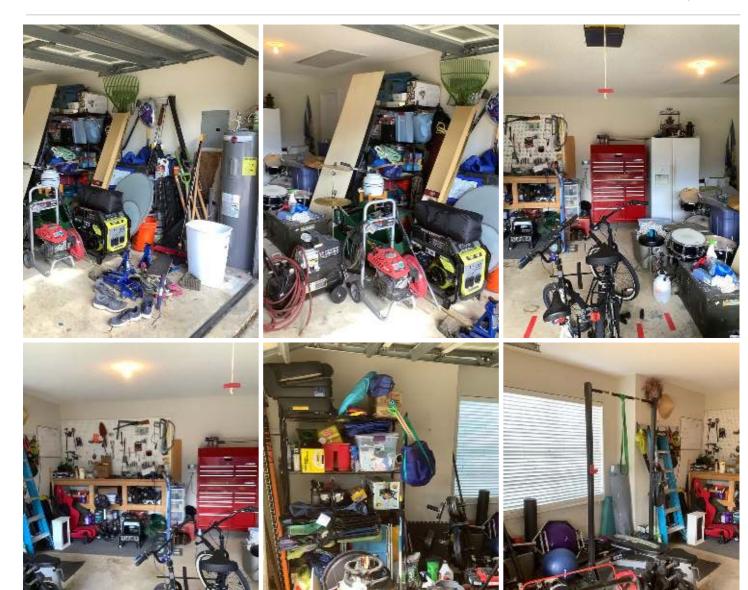
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Walls & Firewalls

INSPECTION LIMITED BY OWNER'S BELONGINGS



Observations

6.5.1 Garage Door



DAMAGED WEATHERSTRIPPING

Recommendation

Contact a handyman or DIY project



7: ATTIC

		IN	NI	NP	D
7.1	Roof Structure & Attic	Χ			
7.2	Attic Insulation	Χ			
7.3	Ventilation	Χ			
7.4	Distribution System	Χ			
7.5	Exhaust Systems	Χ			
7.6	General				

Information

Roof Structure & Attic: DeckingOSB

Roof Structure & Attic: Type Hip **Attic Insulation: Condition**Satisfactory



Attic Insulation: Insulation TypeBlown, Fiberglass

Distribution System: Ductwork Insulated

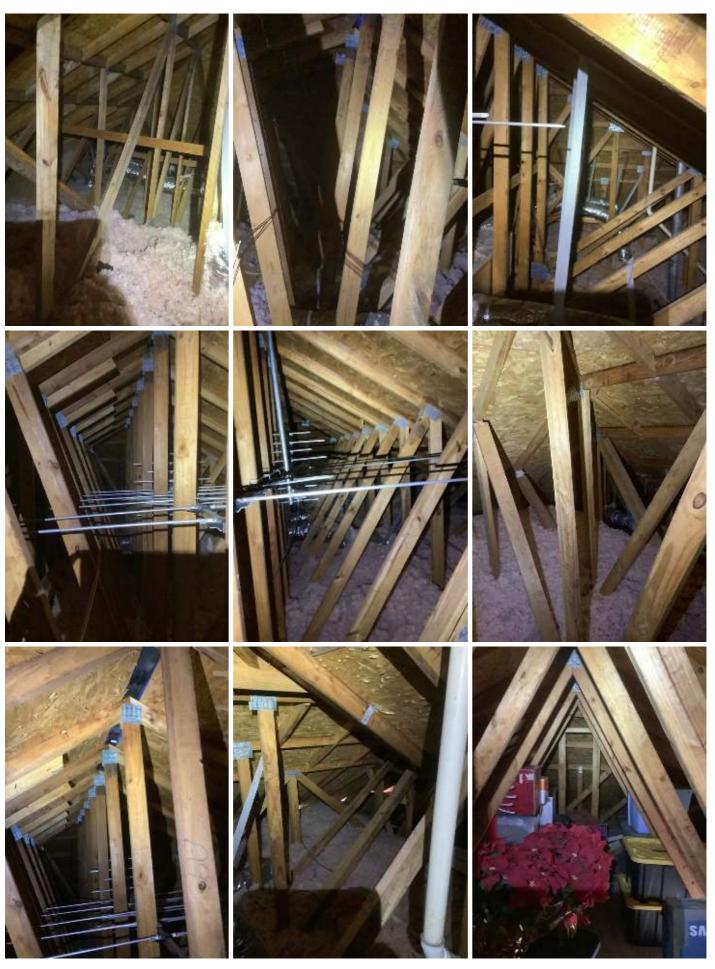


Exhaust Systems: Exhaust FansNone

Distribution System: ConfigurationCentral

Roof Structure & Attic: Inspection Method

Attic Access



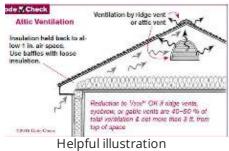
Attic Insulation: Insulation Depth

12-14"

The recommended level for most attics is to insulate to R-38 or about 10 to 14 inches, depending on insulation type.

Ventilation: Ventilation Type

Ridge Vents, Soffit Vents







Observations

7.6.1 General

LIGHT INOPERABLE

Recommendation

Contact a qualified electrical contractor.





8: LAUNDRY ROOM

		IN	NI	NP	D
8.1	General	Χ			
8.2	Floors	Χ			

Information

General: General photos



General: Dryer VentMetal



General: Water SourcePublic



General: Wall MaterialDrywall

General: Dryer Power Source 220 Electric



General: Ceiling MaterialDrywall, Popcorn

Floors: Floor Coverings

Tile

Observations

8.1.1 General PREVIOUS

Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

REPAIR NOTEDRecommendation

Recommend monitoring.



9: HOT WATER HEATER

		IN	NI	NP	D
9.1	Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents	Χ			

IN = Inspected

NI = Not Inspected

NP = Not Present

D = Deficiency

Information

Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Power Source/Type Electric Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Location Garage

Code of Check

Water Heater
In Garage

Hot water
Hot water
Hot water

Hot water

Hot water

Cold water

Continuation
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Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Model Number M101808905

Helpful illustration

WOOLD CAME COME

Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Serial Number M101808905 Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Age 03/2018 Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Capacity 50

Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Condition

Satisfactory



Hot Water Systems, Controls, Flues & Vents: Manufacturer Rheem

We recommend flushing & servicing your water heater tank annually for optimal performance. Water temperature should be set to at least 120 degrees F to kill microbes and no higher than 130 degrees F to prevent scalding.

Here is a nice maintenance guide from Lowe's to help.

10: KITCHEN

		IN	NI	NP	D
10.1	General	Χ			
10.2	Dishwasher	Χ			
10.3	Garbage Disposal	Χ			
10.4	Range/Oven/Cooktop	Χ			
10.5	Built-in Microwave	Χ			
10.6	Refrigerator	Χ			
10.7	Countertops & Cabinets	Χ			
10.8	Floors	Χ			

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Information

Garbage Disposal: Condition

Satisfactory

Built-in Microwave: Condition Satisfactory



Range/Oven/Cooktop:

Range/Oven Brand

Kenmore

Countertops & Cabinets:

Countertop Material

Corian

Range/Oven/Cooktop: Exhaust

Hood Type

Re-circulate

Countertops & Cabinets:

Cabinetry

Wood

Countertops & Cabinets: Caulking Floors: Floor Coverings opportunities Tile



General: ConditionSatisfactory









General: Plumbing







Dishwasher: BrandKenmore





Range/Oven/Cooktop: Range/Oven Energy Source

Electric





Refrigerator: BrandWhirlpool







Observations

10.1.1 General

SETTLING CRACKS

Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

Minor cosmetic cracks observed. Recommend monitor and/or patch/seal.

Recommendation

Recommend monitoring.



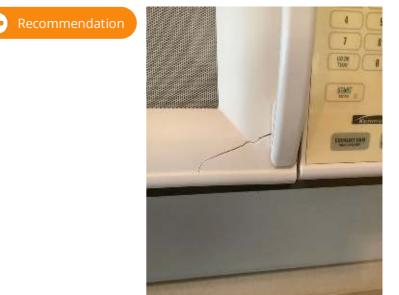


10.5.1 Built-in Microwave

DAMAGE

Recommendation

Contact a qualified appliance repair professional.



10.7.1 Countertops & Cabinets



Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

CABINET HINGE LOOSE

One or more cabinet hinges were loose. Recommend a qualified handyman or cabinet contractor repair.

Here is a helpful DIY article on cabinet repairs.

Recommendation

Contact a handyman or DIY project



11: DINING/LIVING ROOMS

		IN	NI	NP	D
11.1	Doors	Χ			
11.2	Windows	Χ			
11.3	Floors	Χ			
11.4	Walls	Χ			
11.5	Ceilings	Χ			
11.6	Thermostat Controls	Χ			
11.7	Lighting Fixtures, Switches, GFCI & Receptacles	Χ			

Information

Doors: ConditionSatisfactory

Floors: Floor CoveringsTile, Hardwood

Thermostat Controls: General photos



Windows: Window TypeDouble-hung

Walls: Wall MaterialDrywall

Lighting Fixtures, Switches, GFCI & Receptacles: Condition

Satisfactory

Windows: Window Manufacturer

Unknown

Ceilings: Ceiling Material

Popcorn, Drywall

General Photos











Observations

11.2.1 Windows

FAILED SEAL



Observed condensation between the window panes, which indicates a failed seal. Recommend qualified window contractor evaluate & replace.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified window repair/installation contractor.



Living room front

11.2.2 Windows



Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

MISSING SCREEN

Window missing screen. Recommend replacement.

Recommendation

Recommended DIY Project



Dining room/all

11.3.1 Floors

MODERATE/
NORMAL WEAR

Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

Floors in the home exhibited moderate surface wear along major paths of travel. Recommend a qualified flooring contractor evaluate for possible re-finish.

Recommendation

Recommend monitoring.



12: BEDROOMS

		IN	NI	NP	D
12.1	General	Χ			
12.2	Doors	Χ			
12.3	Windows	Χ			
12.4	Ceilings	Χ			
12.5	Walls	Χ			
12.6	Floors	Χ			
12.7	Lighting Fixtures, Switches & Receptacles	Χ			
12.8	Smoke Detectors	Χ			
12.9	Carbon Monoxide Detectors	Χ			

NP = Not Present

D = Deficiency

Information

Doors: ConditionSatisfactory

Ceilings: Ceiling MaterialDrywall, Popcorn

Lighting Fixtures, Switches & Receptacles: Condition

Satisfactory

General: General photos

Windows: Window Type

Double-hung

Walls: Wall Material

Drywall

Windows: Window Manufacturer

Unknown, Andersen

Floors: Floor CoveringsCarpet, Hardwood



Master bedroom



Bedroom 1/front



Bedroom 2/left



Bedroom 3/right

Limitations

General

INSPECTION LIMITED BY OWNER'S BELONGINGS

Observations

12.3.1 Windows

FAILED SEAL

Observed condensation between the window panes, which indicates a failed seal. Recommend qualified window contractor evaluate & replace.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified window repair/installation contractor.



Bedroom 1/front

12.3.2 Windows



Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

SCREEN DAMAGE

Recommendation

Contact a handyman or DIY project



Bedroom 2

12.5.1 Walls

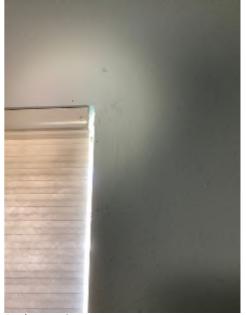
POOR PATCHING



Sub-standard drywall patching observed at time of inspection. Recommend re-patching.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified drywall contractor.



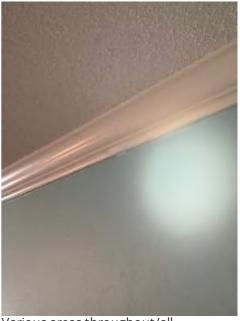
Bedroom 2

12.5.2 Walls
TOUCH UP
OPPORTUNITIES

Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

Recommendation

Contact a handyman or DIY project



Various areas throughout/all bedrooms

13: BATHROOMS

		IN	NI	NP	D
13.1	General	Χ			
13.2	Water Supply, Distribution Systems & Fixtures	Χ			
13.3	Toilet	Χ			
13.4	Windows	Χ			
13.5	Shower	Χ			
13.6	Lighting Fixtures, Switches, GFCI & Receptacles	Χ			
13.7	Ceilings	Χ			
13.8	Walls	Χ			
13.9	Floors	Χ			

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Information

General: Caulking opportunities



Water Supply, Distribution **Windows: Window Type** Systems & Fixtures: Water Supply Fixed

Material Hose

Unknown

Windows: Window Manufacturer Shower: Caulking Opportunities

Lighting Fixtures, Switches, GFCI & Receptacles: Condition

Satisfactory

Ceilings: Ceiling Material

Popcorn, Drywall

Walls: Wall Material

Drywall

Floors: Floor Coverings

Tile

General: General photos



Bathroom one Bathroom two Master bathroom

General: Whirlpool tub







Water Supply, Distribution Systems & Fixtures: Distribution Material Copper







Bathroom one

Bathroom two

Master bathroom/left



Master bathroom/right

Toilet: Toilet supply







Bathroom one Bathroom two Master bathroom

Observations

13.1.1 General

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Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

DOOR DOESN'T LATCH

Door doesn't latch properly. Recommend handyman repair latch and/or strike plate.

Recommendation

Recommended DIY Project



Bathroom 2/lock

13.1.2 General

DAMAGED

COVER PLATE

Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

Recommendation

Contact a handyman or DIY project



Bathroom one

13.1.3 General **STAINING**

Minor/Cosmetic Concerns or Recommend Upgrades

Recommendation Contact a qualified cleaning service.



13.2.1 Water Supply, Distribution Systems & Fixtures



FIXTURE LEAKING

Master bath whirlpool tub

Recommendation

Contact a qualified plumbing contractor.



13.5.1 Shower

INSERT DAMAGE



Observed some hairline cracks at shower insert, didn't observe any leaking at the time of inspection. Recommend monitoring its effectiveness and repair or replace as needed.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified professional.





Bathroom two

Bathroom two

14: INTERIOR

		IN	NI	NP	D
14.1	Drain, Waste, & Vent Systems	Χ			
14.2	Smoke Detectors	Χ			
14.3	Solid Fuel Heating Device (Fireplace, Woodstove)	Χ			

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D = Deficiency

Information

Drain, Waste, & Vent Systems:

Material PVC

Smoke Detectors: Condition

Satisfactory

Solid Fuel Heating Device (Fireplace, Woodstove): Type

booW

Solid Fuel Heating Device (Fireplace, Woodstove): Condition Satisfactory





Observations

14.3.1 Solid Fuel Heating Device (Fireplace, Woodstove)



CREOSOTE BUILDUP

There was a notable amount of creosote buildup in the flue. Recommend a qualified fireplace or chimney contractor inspected and sweep on annual basis.

Recommendation

Contact a qualified fireplace contractor.



STANDARDS OF PRACTICE

Inspection Details

13.1 General limitations: The inspector is NOT required to perform actions, or to make determinations, or to make recommendations not specifically stated in this Standard.

Inspections performed using this Standard: Are not technically exhaustive.

Are not required to identify and to report: Concealed conditions, latent defects, consequential damages, and Cosmetic imperfections that do not significantly affect a component's performance of its intended function. This Standard applies to buildings with four or fewer dwelling units and their attached and detached garages and carports, This Standard shall not limit or prevent the inspector from meeting state statutes which license professional home inspection and home inspectors, Redundancy in the description of the requirements, limitations, and exclusions regarding the scope of the home inspection is provided for emphasis only.

13.2 General exclusions: The inspector is NOT required to determine: The condition of systems and components that are not readily accessible, The remaining life expectancy of systems and components, The strength, adequacy, effectiveness, and efficiency of systems and components, The causes of conditions and deficiencies, Methods, materials, and costs of corrections, Future conditions including but not limited to failure of systems and components, The suitability of the property for specialized uses, Compliance of systems and components with past and present requirements and guidelines (codes, regulations, laws, ordinances, specifications, installation and maintenance instructions, use and care guides, etc.), The market value of the property and its marketability, The advisability of purchasing the property. The presence of plants, animals, and other life forms and substances that may be hazardous or harmful to humans including, but not limited to, wood destroying organisms, molds and mold-like substances, The presence of environmental hazards including, but not limited to, allergens, toxins, carcinogens, electromagnetic radiation, noise, radioactive substances, and contaminants in building materials, soil, water, and air, The effectiveness of systems installed and methods used to control or remove suspected hazardous plants, animals, and environmental hazards, Operating costs of systems and components, Acoustical properties of systems and components are subject to recall, controversy, litigation, product liability, and other adverse claims and conditions.

The inspector is NOT required to offer: Or to perform acts or services contrary to law or to government regulations, Or to perform architectural, engineering, contracting, or surveying services or to confirm or to evaluate such services performed by others, Or to perform trades or professional services other than home inspection, Warranties or guarantees.

The inspector is NOT required to operate: Systems and components that are shut down or otherwise inoperable, Systems and components that do not respond to normal operating controls, Shut-off valves and manual stop valves, Automatic safety controls.

The inspector is NOT required to enter: Areas that will, in the professional judgment of the inspector, likely be dangerous to the Inspector or to other persons, or to damage the property or its systems and Components, Under-floor crawlspaces and attics that are not readily accessible.

The inspector is NOT required to inspect: Underground items including, but not limited to, underground storage tanks and other underground indications of their presence, whether abandoned or active, Items that are not installed, Installed decorative items, Items in areas that are not entered in accordance with 13.2.D, Detached structures other than garages and carports, Common elements and common areas in multi-unit housing, such as condominium properties and cooperative housing, Every occurrence of multiple similar components, Outdoor cooking appliances.

The inspector is NOT required to: Perform procedures or operations that will, in the professional judgment of the inspector, likely be dangerous to the inspector or to other persons, or to damage the property or its systems or components, Describe or report on systems and components that are not included in this Standard and that were not

inspector, likely be dangerous to the inspector or to other persons, or to damage the property or its systems or components, Describe or report on systems and components that are not included in this Standard and that were not inspected, Move personal property, furniture, equipment, plants, soil, snow, ice, and debris, Dismantle systems and components, except as explicitly required by this Standard, Reset, reprogram, or otherwise adjust devices, systems, and components affected by inspection required by this Standard, Ignite or extinguish fires, pilot lights, burners, and other open flames that require manual ignition, Probe surfaces that would be damaged or where no deterioration is visible or presumed to exist.

Root

5.1 The inspector shall: Inspect: roofing materials, Roof drainage systems, Flashing, Skylights, chimneys, and roof penetrations.

Describe: Roofing materials, Methods used to inspect the roofing.

5.2 The inspector is NOT required to inspect: antennae, Interiors of vent systems, flues, and chimneys that are not readily accessible, Other installed accessories.

Exterior

4.1 The inspector shall: Inspect: Wall coverings, flashing, and trim, Exterior doors, Attached and adjacent decks, balconies, stoops, steps, porches, and their associated railings, Eaves, soffits, and fascias accessible from the ground level, Vegetation, grading, surface drainage, and retaining walls that are likely to to affect the building adversely, Adjacent and entryway walkways, patios, and driveways, Describe wall coverings.

4.2 The inspector is NOT required to inspect: Screening, shutters, awnings, and similar seasonal accessories, Fences,

boundary walls, and similar structures, Geological and soil conditions, Recreational facilities, Outbuildings other than garages and carports, Seawalls, break-walls, and docks, Erosion control and earth stabilization measures.

6.1 The inspector shall: Inspect: Interior water supply and distribution systems, including fixtures and faucets, Interior drain, waste, and vent systems, including fixtures, Water heating equipment and hot water supply systems, Vent systems, flues, and chimneys, Fuel storage and fuel distribution systems, Sewage ejectors, sump pumps, and related piping.

Describe: Interior water supply, drain, waste, and vent piping materials, Water heating equipment, including energy source(s), Location of main water and fuel shut-off valves.

6.2 The inspector is NOT required to: inspect: Clothes washing machine connections, Interiors of vent systems, flues, and chimneys that are not readily accessible, Wells, well pumps, and water storage-related equipment, Water conditioning systems, Solar, geothermal, and other renewable energy water heating systems, Manual and automatic fire extinguishing and sprinkler systems and landscape irrigation systems. Septic and other sewage disposal systems.

determine: Whether water supply and sewage disposal are public or private, Water quality, The adequacy of combustion air components, Measure water supply flow and pressure, and well water quantity, Fill shower pans and fixtures to test for leaks.

Heating/Cooling

8.1 The Inspector shall: Open readily openable access panels.

Inspect: Installed heating equipment, Vent systems, flues, and chimneys, Distribution systems.

Describe: Energy source(s), Heating systems.

8.2 The inspector is NOT required to:Inspect: Interiors of vent systems, flues, and chimneys that are not readily accessible, Heat exchangers, Humidifiers and dehumidifiers, Electric air cleaning and sanitizing devices, Heating systems using ground-source, water-source, solar, and renewable energy technologies, Heat-recovery and similar whole-house mechanical ventilation systems.

Determine: Heat supply adequacy and distribution balance, The adequacy of combustion air components.

9.1 The inspector shall: Open readily openable access panels.

Inspect: Central and permanently installed cooling equipment, Distribution systems.

Describe: Energy source(s), Cooling systems.

9.2 The inspector is NOT required to: Inspect electric air cleaning and sanitizing devices, Determine cooling supply adequacy and distribution balance, inspect cooling units that are not permanently installed or that are installed in windows, Inspect cooling systems using ground-source, water-source, solar, and renewable energy technologies.

Electrical

7.1 The inspector shall: Inspect: Service drop, Service entrance conductors, cables, and raceways, Service equipment and main disconnects, Service grounding, Interior components of service panels and subpanels, Conductors, Overcurrent protection devices, A representative number of installed lighting fixtures, switches, and receptacles, Ground fault circuit interrupters and arc fault circuit interrupters.

Describe: The amperage rating of the service, Location of main disconnect(s) and subpanels, Presence or absence of smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms, The predominant branch circuit wiring method.

7.2 The inspector is NOT required to: Inspect: Remote control devices, Or test smoke and carbon monoxide alarms, security systems, and other signaling and warning devices, Low voltage wiring systems and components, Ancillary wiring systems and components not a part of the primary electrical power distribution system, Solar, geothermal, wind, and other renewable energy systems, Measure amperage, voltage, and impedance, Determine the age and type of smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms.

Attic

11.1 The inspector shall: Inspect: Insulation and vapor retarders in unfinished spaces, Ventilation of attics and foundation areas, Kitchen, bathroom, laundry, and similar exhaust systems, Clothes dryer exhaust systems. Describe: Insulation and vapor retarders in unfinished spaces, Absence of insulation in unfinished spaces at conditioned surfaces.

11.2 The inspector is NOT required to disturb insulation.

Interior

10.1 The inspector shall inspect: Walls, ceilings, and floors, Steps, stairways, and railings, Countertops and a representative number of installed cabinets, A representative number of doors and windows, Garage vehicle doors and garage vehicle door operators, Installed ovens, ranges, surface cooking appliances, microwave ovens, dishwashing machines, and food waste grinders by using normal operating controls to activate the primary function.
10.2 The inspector is NOT required to inspect: Paint, wallpaper, and other finish treatments, Floor coverings, Window treatments, Coatings on and the hermetic seals between panes of window glass, Central vacuum systems, Recreational facilities, Installed and free-standing kitchen and laundry appliances not listed in Section 10.1.F, Appliance thermostats including their calibration, adequacy of heating elements, self-cleaning oven cycles, indicator lights, door seals, timers, clocks, timed features, and other specialized features of the appliance, Operate, or confirm the operation of every control and feature of an inspected appliance.

12.1 The inspector shall: Inspect: Fuel-burning fireplaces, stoves, and fireplace inserts, Fuel-burning accessories installed in fireplaces, Chimneys and vent systems, Describe systems and components listed in 12.1.A.1 and .2. 12.2 The inspector is NOT required to: inspect: interiors of vent systems, flues, and chimneys that are not readily accessible, Fire screens and doors, Seals and gaskets, Automatic fuel feed devices, Mantles and fireplace surround, Combustion air components and to determine their adequacy, Heat distribution assists (gravity fed and fan assisted), Fuel-burning fireplaces and appliances located outside the inspected structures, Determine draft characteristics, Move fireplace inserts and stoves or firebox contents.