

HOME INSPECTION REPORT



33 Halford Ave
Toronto

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SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

*This page should not be considered as the complete report.
Please read all other forms contained within the Home
Inspection Report*

*For the purposes of this report,
the front of the house is considered
to be facing: West*

ROOFING The roof surfaces through-out are overall in good repair.

EXTERIOR Overall well maintained.

STRUCTURE Overall well built house with additions.

ELECTRICAL The 200 AMP service size is adequate and the wiring is copper grounded (majority) and ungrounded (minor) -see details.

HEATING 10-yr-old high-efficiency forced-air gas furnace with a typical life expectancy of 20-yrs.

COOLING/
HEAT PUMPS 10-yr-old air-conditioner with a typical life expectancy of 15-yrs.

INSULATION/
VENTILATION Recommend additional insulation in the roof space to improve comfort and efficiency.

PLUMBING Overall good water pressure with copper supply piping. The washrooms and kitchen are in good repair.

INTERIOR Renovated. Overall well maintained. The foundation has been damp-proofed which will minimize risk of basement leaking.

OVERALL RATING

The following rating reflects both the original quality of construction and the *overall* current condition of the home, based on a comparison to *similar* homes.


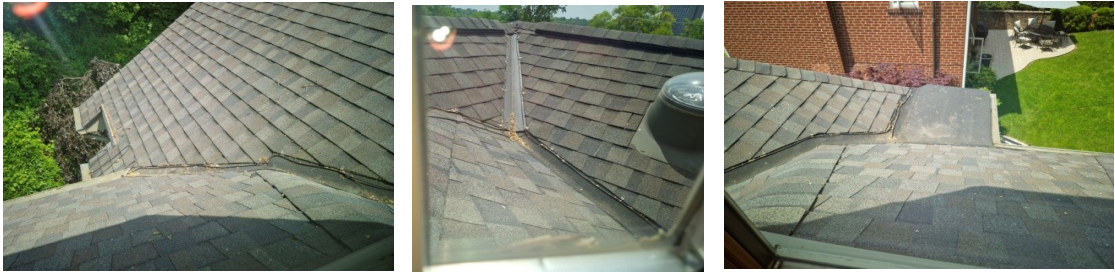

Below Typical

Typical

Above Typical

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REFERENCE LINK		http://redbrickinspections.ca/docs/2_Roofing_Reference_Guide.pdf		
33 Halford Ave		ROOFING/Chimneys		June 5 2026
Description				
Roofing Material:	Location:	Leakage Probability:	Chimney(s) Type:	Location:
Asphalt Shingles:	West Slope:	Low	Brick:	South
Asphalt Shingles:	East Slope:	Medium		
Limitations				
Roof Inspected By:	Access Limited By:	Chimney Access Limited By:		
From Edge	Height	Height		
From Grade	Tree			
Observations/Recommendations				
<p>West Slope: overall surface in good repair Chimney: rebuilt and in good repair</p>				
				
<p>East Slope: overall surface in good repair Ice Dams: various areas use heating cables- monitor performance</p>				
				
<p>Solarium: overall in good repair</p>				
				
<p>Note: Recommend Annual Maintenance Contract for Roof Surface, Flashing Details and Chimney(s)</p>				

Description

Gutters & Downspouts: Aluminum:	Downspout(s) Discharge: Below/Above Grade	Lot Topography: Towards House Away From House	Walls & Wall Structures: Brick Wood siding Stone Retaining Wall
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Limitations

Exterior Inspection from Ground Level

Observations/Recommendations

WALL SURFACES:

Brick: overall in good repair

Wood siding: overall in good repair

Comments: various wood trim components, maintenance as required

DOORS/WINDOWS: overall in good repair



ATTACHED GARAGE: rear: interior door requires auto closer

PORCH overall in good repair, general mortar maintenance

**Walk(s)/Driveway(s): overall in good repair

RETAINING WALL(s): overall in good repair



Note: Maintain Gutters & Downspouts annually. Extend Downspouts at least 6-feet away from the house

** Any or all these items may contribute to **Basement Leakage**. Please see Interior Page

REFERENCE LINK

http://redbrickinspections.ca/docs/4_Structure_Reference_Guide.pdf

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STRUCTURE

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Description

Configuration: Basement:	Foundations: Masonry Block Poured Concrete	Floor : Wood Joists	Walls : Masonry (Double-Brick) Wood Frame (Siding)	Roof/Ceiling Framing: Wood Rafters/Joists Not Visible
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Limitations

Restricted Access to: Wall Space	Foundation Wall Not Visible: <u>90</u> % Roof Space Inspected From Access Hatch	limited to portion at front
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Observations/Recommendations

overall well built house with additions

ROOF: overall in good repair
(portions obstructed)



Description

Service Size: 200 AMP (240volts)	Service Entrance Cable:	Distribution Wire:
Main Disconnect/Service Box	Location: Overhead	Copper
Rating: 200 AMP	Type of material: Not Visible	Grounded & Ungrounded
Description: Breakers		
Location: Basement		
Distribution Panel	System Grounding:	
Rating: 200 AMP	Description: Copper	
Description: Breakers	Location: Water Pipe	Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter:
Location: Basement		Location: Outside
Auxiliary Panel(s):	Outlets	Bathroom(s)
Rating: AMP	Description: Grounded/Ungrounded	Laundry Area
Description:	Number of Outlets: Typical	Arc Fault Circuit Interrupter:
Location:		Location:

Limitations

Main Disconnect Cover Not Removed

Observations/Recommendations

SERVICE ENTRANCE: **overall in good repair**
 SERVICE PANEL: **overall in good repair**
panel obstructed by cabinet - cover not removed



BRANCH WIRING: **based on random sampling majority upgraded**
 Knob & Tube: **based on random sampling none observed - see below**

Ungrounded Outlet(s): **based on random sampling observed in dining room and bedroom above, overall minimal amount ungrounded wiring estimated provide GFCI's (ground fault circuit interrupters)**

Note 1: All recommendations are safety issues - Treat them as high priority.

Note 2: Please ensure accurate labelling on panels.

REFERENCE LINK http://redbrickinspections.ca/docs/6_Heating_Reference_Guide.pdf

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HEATING

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Description

Description: Efficiency: Rated Input: Approx. Age: Life Expectancy: Fuel Type: Shut Off at:
Forced Air Furnace: High 80 x1000BTU/hr 10 yrs. 20 yrs. Gas Meter-Exterior

Exhaust Vent Arrangement: Plastic Through-Wall Vent

Limitations

Heat Loss Calculations Not Done A/C Presently Operating
Heat Exchanger- Inaccessible

Furnace Performance

Supply Temp F:
Return Temp F:

Observations/Recommendations

FORCED AIR FURNACE: [service annually](#)
[recommend obtaining replacement parts/servicing contract](#)
Filter: [replace 1-per-3 months](#)



ELECTRIC HEATERS(s): [master washroom: - inoperative when tested - further evaluation](#)

REFERENCE LINK

http://redbrickinspections.ca/docs/7_AC_Heat_Pump_Reference_Guide.pdf

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COOLING/Heat Pumps

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Description

Description:	Cooling Capacity:	Approx. Age:	Typical Life Expectancy:
Air Conditioner (air-cooled):	30 x1,000 BTU/hr	10 yrs. old	15 to 20 yrs.

Limitations

Cooling Performance

Supply Temp F:	55
Return Temp F:	70

Observations/Recommendations

AIR CONDITIONER: [service annually](#)



REFERENCE LINK

http://redbrickinspections.ca/docs/8_Insulation_Ventilation_Reference_Guide.pdf

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INSULATION/VENTILATION

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Description

Material:	Location	R-Value	Air/Vapour Barrier:	Venting:
Fiberglass:	Main Roof:	24	None Found	Roof Ridge Roof Soffit

Limitations

Roof Space Inspected from Access Hatch west Access Not Gained To Roof Space east
 Access Not Gained To Wall Space

Observations/Recommendations

ROOF SPACE: west: uneven distribution of insulation - improve/add insulation
 remove debris



Comments: material in roof space: may contain asbestos
 since material located in roof outside of building envelope - low risk
 encapsulating the insulation is often the best approach
 Environmental Consultants can assist if this is a concern



Note: adding insulation is considered an improvement rather than a repair

R-values are estimated

Description

Service Piping into House: Copper	Main Shut Off Valve at: Basement	Water Flow (Pressure): Good
Supply Piping & Pump(s): Copper	Waste Piping & Pump(s): Plastic Cast Iron	Water Heater 2 units Type: Induced Draft Fuel Type: Gas Capacity: 50 Gal Age Yrs.: 1 Life Expectancy: 15

Limitations

Isolating/Relief Valves & Main Shut Off Valves Not Tested	Concealed Plumbing not Inspected
Kitchen and Laundry Appliances Were Not Inspected	Tub/Sink Overflows Not Tested

Observations/Recommendations

SUPPLY PIPING: all piping examined was in good repair

WASTE PIPING: all piping examined was in good repair
new plastic cleanout pipe(s) at front driveway indicates drain upgrades

Basement Floor Drain: main unit not found - likely under finished floor
one unit noted at rear storage room
recommend installing backflow valve to main waste drain

Washroom(s): overall in good repair
Whirlpool Tub: two units: not tested, service before use

Kitchen(s) overall in good repair
auto extraction vent: could not get to work- further evaluation



Description

Floor Finishes:	Wall Finishes:	Ceiling Finishes:	Windows:	Exterior Doors:
Wood	Plaster/Drywall	Plaster/Drywall	Casement	Wood
Ceramic Tile			Fixed	French
Carpet			Skylight(s)	
Resilient				
Fireplaces:	Fireplace Fuel:			
Zero Clearance	Gas			
Insert	Gas			

Limitations

Restricted/No Access To: _____ Foundation Not Visible 90 %
 CO Detectors, Security Systems, Central Vacuum, Chimney Flues Not Inspected Drainage Tile Not Visible
 Storage/Furnishings in Some Areas Limited Inspection

Observations/Recommendations

STAIRS: provide hand rails to basement steps
 minor sloping of treads typical for older house
 Floors/Walls/Ceilings: overall in good repair

Trim/Cabinets/Counters: overall in good repair

Windows/Doors: overall in good repair

Fireplaces: reported functional
 service annually

**Basement Leakage: presently no leaking detected with moisture meter random sampling
 as observed from north window wells foundation damp-proofed
 to minimize leaking risk



CO/Smoke detectors: please ensure one per level each with annual maintenance, this is a life safety concern and mandatory by law

** Steps recommended in order to minimize basement leakage

1. gutters, downspouts, grading, driveways: ongoing maintenance and repair/see Exterior
2. cracks/form ties on foundation: monitor/repair as required
3. excavation/damp-proofing: monitor basement, consider step 3 as a last resort

Environmental/Health Concerns: http://redbrickinspections.ca/docs/11_Environmental_Reference_Guide.pdf



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- **Over 20 years of building inspecting experience in Toronto and the GTA**
- **Over 6,000 residential and commercial buildings inspected**

Bob has inspected over 6,000 residential and commercial buildings of various descriptions and reporting on conditions of major systems including structure, building envelope and mechanical systems, specific problem investigations and pre-renovation inspections. In the past Bob has helped train Home Inspectors and assisted in the creation of educational courses on home inspecting as well as taught Home Inspection courses at Seneca College. Bob also has experience in the construction industry inspecting many large scale projects through-out the GTA. He also served in the Canadian Navy as a Marine Mechanic and Ships Team Diver.

Professional Designations

- P.Eng. (Professional Engineer of Ontario) <http://www.peo.on.ca/>
 - RHI Registered Home Inspector <http://www.oahi.com/>
 - Environmental Site Assessment: ESA Phase 1 Certified <http://aesac.ca/>
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