WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Buyers and builders don't always speak the same language. But despite the marked differences in semantics, energy efficiency is paramount to consumers.





of respondents agree that energy-efficiency is the most important attribute when facing a home purchase or remodel decision. 68%

of consumers who purchased a home in the past three years, or plan to in the next three, feel the term eco-friendly offers more value than a home marketed as green by builders.



of consumers find more value in a home described as comfortable than one described as livable

Do buyers prefer the term *low-flow* or *water-saving*?



Do buyers prefer the term green-conscious or environmentally friendly?



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