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Definitions

NOTE: All definitions listed below refer to the property or item listed as inspected on this report at the time of inspection

A Acceptable Functional with no obvious signs of defect.

NP Not Present Item not present or not found.

NI Not Inspected Item was unable to be inspected for safety reasons or due to lack of power, inaccessible, or disconnected at time of

inspection.

M Marginal Item is not fully functional and requires repair or servicing.

D Defective Item needs immediate repair or replacement. It is unable to perform its intended function.

General Information

Property Information

Property Address

City Atlanta State Ga Zip 30305

Contact Name

phone

Email

Client Information

Client Name

Client Address

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Inspection Company

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File Number Peachtree Battle Ave. 092007

Conditions

Others Present Listing agent, buyer and buyers agent Property Occupied Yes

Estimated Age 77 Entrance Faces Unknown

Inspection Date 09/20/2007

Start Time 10:00 End Time 3:00

Electric On • Yes O No O Not Applicable

Gas/Oil On O Yes O No O Not Applicable

Water On • Yes O No O Not Applicable

Temperature 69

Weather Mostly sunny Soil Conditions Dry

Space Below Grade Cellar and crawlspace

Building Type Single family Garage Detached

Sewage Disposal Public sewer How Verified Multiple listing service

Water Source Public water How Verified Multiple listing service

Additions/Modifications N/A

Permits Obtained N/A How Verified N/A

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	Lots and Grounds (Continued)
11.	Lawn Sprinklers: Present Inspection doesn't include sprinkler, did not test, recommend have homeowner show operation, check zones and spray patterns
	Exterior Surface and Components
If wood composit: periods are over	ion siding is present most manufactures have settled class action law suits, many claim \cdot
If dwelling has s	stucco, inspection did not include probing for water intrusion.
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Main dwelling Exte	
1. LL LL LL LL LL	Type: Brick and frame Brick joint cracks at several areas around windows and at arches at drive through carport
2.	Trim: Wood a. Water damage at corner board over roof as
	noted in picture at front exterior, also some peeling paint
	at front frame trim and window sills.
	b. Slight water damage at the bottom of rake board at roof
	overhang at right back corner of house.
	c. Noted settlement at the wood window sill at right
3.⊠□□□□	bedroom back left window at brick. Fascia: Wood
4. \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	Soffits: Open soffits, not boxed in
* HHHHH	Door Bell: Hard wired Missing chimes cover at upstairs hall.
	Entry Doors: Wood a. Noted daylight around top of door at left back door.
	b. Loose door latch at left door.
$7.\square\square\square\square\square\square$	Patio Door: Back porch screened door a. Torn and loose screen at door.
	b. Door opens over a step, missing a landing.
8. 🗌 🗎 🗎 🖺 🗎	Windows: Wood See living space sections.
	Missing drip edge flashing over windows
9.	Window Screens: Not installed Missing screens
10.	Exterior Lighting: Surface mount * a. Reverse polarity at back
	porch GFCI outlet.
	b. Inspector does not inspect landscape lighting, did view
	some needed repairs to lighting. c. Missing one bulb at wall light at back porch.
	d. Missing few light lens at drive through carport light
	and at garage vehicle door light.
11. \square \square \square \square	Exterior Electric Outlets: 120 Volt GFCI outlet Broken outlet at front exterior at
	foundation wall.
12.	Hose Bibs: Surface mounted a. Loose mounted spigot, not anchored to brick at
· — — —	all spigots.
80000	b. Front spigot is winterized, has shut off valve at front cellar.
13.	Gas Meter: Front of house
14. 🛛 🔲 🔲 🔲	Main Gas Valve: Located at gas meter

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	Outbuilding
A NP NI M D	and finished area Outhuilding
1. Exterior should be sho	and finished area Outbuilding————————————————————————————————————
4.	Structure: 2x8 Stick frame rafters g: Sheetrock and paint Sheetrock and paint Carpet lation: Block a. Noted efflorescence evidence of past water entry at block wall of garage.
8. Doors exter 9. Electri addir	
10. 🛛 🗌 🔲 📗 Plumb	pose outlet at back left wall of workout room. ping: Copper and PVC drain, Elec. water heater Source: Radiant baseboard heat and window A/C
	Roof
A NP NI M D Main roof Roof Surface —	
3. \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	e to Inspect: 50% Height of roof, Steep roof pitch al: Celadon ceramic slate and asphalt shingles a. Noted several med loose and missing roof tiles, recommend qualified contractor to more entire roof and insure all needed repairs are corrected to ment water entry, noted several pictures of areas. Muscles assing a ridge shingle at right side of house at fireplace flue. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Meal all exposed nail heads at shingles and vents on roof. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof, may have exposed nail heads. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center roof. Muscles asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted maked center r

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	Roof (Continued)
Material: (contin	nued)
4. Type: Gable 5. Approx Age: 10 6.	Flashing: Not fully visible Flashing was painted could not fully view. a. All flashing material that meets brick should be galvanized material and some sidewall flashing was not properly step flashed. b. Missing kickout flashing where roof meets vertical walls to divert water and debris to gutters. c. Noted some valley flashing used where roof meets sidewall, should be step flashed.
7.	Valleys: Roll roof material and metal Leaves holding in valleys Plumbing Vents: Cast Iron Gutters: Metal and gutter guards Downspouts: Metal Rusted at bottom downspout elbow, missing straps to secure to wall and disconnected at extension.
11. 🗌 🔲 🗎 🗎	<pre>Leader/Extension: Some splash blocks and extensions a. Missing extension or splash block at left back corner of house, at front exterior center of house. b. Cannot fully view underground extensions. c. Displaced splashblock at right side of front stoop.</pre>
12. X	e, den fireplace Chimney Chimney: Metal flue pipe at fireplace Flue/Flue Cap: Metal cap Tree limbs to close to flue cap e left of den Chimney
14. 🛛 🗌 🗎 🗎 🗎 15. 🔲 🔲 🗑 🔲 🗎	Chimney: Brick Flue/Flue Cap: Crown Could not view crown at top of high appliance brick

16. \square \square \square \square Chimney Flashing: Not fully visible Could not fully view

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	Garage/Carport
If property is occup	pied storage items may block full view.
Periodically monitor	r the bolts and rollers at garage vehicle door.
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2. X	e: Detached Car Spaces: 2 Garage Doors: Wood Door Operation: Mechanized Door Opener: Raynor Exterior Surface: Stucco, cement siding and brick Stucco makes ground contact Roof: Celadon ceramic slate and asphalt shingles a. Raised
	shingle tab, could view water stain at interior at roof decking and cracked roof decking, add support and seal from roof. b. Missing sealant at exposed nail heads at plumbing vent pipe. c. Torn shingle tabs at right side of structure.
7. 🛛 🗌 🗎 🗎 🗎 8. 🔻 🔲 🔲 🔲 🗎	Roof Structure: 2x8 Stick frame rafters Ceiling: Exposed framing Walls: Sheetrock and paint Appears mildew stains at back sheetrock above
	block wall at back left corner. Floor/Foundation: Poured slab Minor concrete cracks and appears to have level
11.	area, not sloped toward vehicle door openings. Hose Bibs : Surface mounted Not anchored to exterior cladding
13. \(\) \(Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting a. Loose mounted light fixture between garage vehicle doors at exterior and missing some of the light lens. b. Open junction box missing a cover plate at front of garage attic. Windows: Fixed pane and double hung Gutters: Aluminum Noted some gutter clogging Downspouts: Aluminum Leader/Extensions: Missing Missing extension or splash block at back right corner.
	Electrical
Pacific, Zinsco/Syl- Smoke alarm batterio	that need further evaluation from licensed electrician, if identified in the report are Federal vania. es should be changed yearly, replace on move in and every year thereafter. cts noted should be corrected by licensed electrical contractor.
2. 🗌 🔲 🔲 🔯	ps: 150 Volts: 120-240 VAC Service: Overhead Main service mast has pulled loose brick, noted in picture
4. \(\) \(120 VAC Branch Circuits: Copper Few neutral wires are double tapped at bus bar in panel, should enter separate bolts 240 VAC Branch Circuits: Copper and aluminum Aluminum Wiring: Main service and some 240 volt breakers Conductor Type: Non-metallic sheathed cable and bx GFCI: See electrical sections throughout the report

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	Electrical (Continued)
8.	Ground: Driven ground rod * a. Disconnected bond clamp at water supply pipe above electric panel in cellar. b. Buried driven rod did not view ground wire connection at meter. c. Ground wire was not bonded around the pressure reducer valve at main water supply pipe.
	Smoke Detectors: Not present at all proper locations Missing smoke alarm outside of kitchen at main floor and missing in each bedroom area at upstairs, finished attic and in cellar, recommend installing.
Cellar Electric Pan 10. ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☑	Manufacturer: ITE and Homeline a. Double tap present at bottom right of main panel, also has few wire splices inside of panel, insure proper connections. b. Has few breakers that are not the panel manufacture brand, should be same brand as manufacture. c. Some openings in side of panel, unused, missing covers. c. Panel cover screws not blunt at main panel and missing few screws.
Sub panel in cellar	Main Breaker Size: 150 Amps Breakers: CU/AL a. Breakers are not fully labeled at panel and outside meter, and some appear not properly labeled, also insure that A/C breakers are compatible with name plate rating of outside units. Inded? ② Yes O No In garage attic and outbuilding Electric Panel Breakers: CU/AL Breakers are not fully labeled
	nded? • Yes O No
	Structure
	or mildew like substance will be reported, this inspection does not test for mold or mildew, an st should perform this inspection if so desired.
Any structural def	ects noted should be corrected by licensed engineer or qualified contractor
A NP NI M D 1. \(\sqrt{1} \sqrt{1} \sqrt{1} \sqrt{1} \sqrt{2} \sqrt{1} \sqrt{2} \sqrt{1} \sqrt{2} \sqrt{2} \sqrt{1} \sqrt{2} \s	Structure Type: Cellar and crawlspace Foundation: Brick Noted efflorescence evidence of past water entry at left foundation wall, noted water stains, monitor cellar and exterior on heavy
3. \(\) \(rain. Beams: Solid wood Joists/Trusses: 2x10 Overnotched joist for current standards at girders. Piers/Posts: Steel posts Floor/Slab: Poured slab Noted cracked slab and some displacement, appears wood strut has been added, recommend additional support under displaced area at back of cellar stairs.
7.	Stairs/Handrails: Wood stairs with no handrail a. Missing handrail and limited headroom height at cellar stairs. b. Missing bearing support under the top of cellar stair stringers. c. Limited headroom height at main stairs and upper stair handrail was

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Structure (Continued)
not continued) not continuos. d. Slight loose wood noising at top of stairs at hall. e. Inconsistent stair rise height at upper stairs. Subfloor: Dimensional wood
Submoor. Dimensional wood
Attic
Ction: From the attic access areas Unable to Inspect: 50% Has finished area in attic Roof Framing: 2x6 Rafter Noted some prior repairs Sheathing: Dimensional wood Noted some prior repairs Ventilation: Gable vents a. Dirty back gable vent screen. b. Missing lower air soffit vents. Insulation: Loose fill and batts a. Some displaced wall insulation. b. Noted a rat trap at back attic and saw a live rat at right attic, recommend to re-bait and move trap to right
attic area. c. Binding attic doors at jamb and missing weather strip around doors. Insulation Depth: 6" Less than current standard Wiring/Lighting: Light a. Open junction box at wire splice missing a cover plate at back attic area and missing a light switch cover plate. b. Open junction box, missing a cover plate at front attic, exposed wire splices.
Bathroom Fan Venting: Did not view termination Did not view termination of all vent fans to exterior
Crawl Space
r mildew like substance will be reported, this inspection does not test for mold or mildew, an t should perform this inspection if so desired.
awlspace along back and right side Crawl Space ction: Interior door to cellar Unable to Inspect: 30% Low crawlspace area at back and right side. Access: Wood door Moisture Penetration: Yes Noted efflorescence evidence of past water entry, Water stains present on: Noted water stains at left foundation wall. Moisture Barrier: Missing vapor barrier Missing a vapor barrier on dirt floor at back and right crawlspace area, recommend adding. Ventilation: Vents Minimal foundation ventilation

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	Crawl Space (Continued)	
8.	<pre>Insulation: Batting a. Partial insulation most areas uninsulated under floor, some has displaced at right crawlspace. b. Noted rat trap in crawlspace area.</pre>	
9.	<pre>Electrical: Lights * a. Exposed wire splices, not in closed junction box above electric panel. b. One light appears blown bulb at right crawlspace.</pre>	
	Air Conditioning	
Any defects noted	should be repaired by a licensed HVAC contractor.	
If outside air tem	perature is below 60 degrees unable to properly test A/C unit for cooling.	
Inspect filter eve	ry three months, replace or clean if needed.	
A NP NI M D		
5. Area Served: 2 6. Fuel Type: Ele	A/C System Operation: Appears serviceable Condensate Removal: PVC Drains to a floor drain in cellar Exterior Unit: Carrier 38etg042300 Serial Number: 3705e42909 nd floor and finished attic Approximate Age: 7 ctric 240 volt Temperature Differential: 13 A/C Capacity: 3.5 ton Visible Coil: Copper core with aluminum fins Refrigerant Lines: Suction line and liquid line Electrical Disconnect: Switch blade disconnect	
11. \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	A/C System Operation: Appears serviceable Condensate Removal: PVC	

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18. Fuel Type: Natural gas
19. \(\sum \) \(

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Fireplace/Wood Stove
If creosote is noted should be cleaned by licensed chimney sweep, also flue and cap should be inspected once a year.
If ventless fireplace is noted, do not operate while sleeping or for prolong use, recommend install carbon monoxide detector in the area.
A NP NI M D
Den Fireplace 1. Den Fireplace Construction: Prefab a. Cracks at the fireplace firebox back wall. b. Missing fireproof caulking around gas pipe. 2. Type: Gas logs or wood burning
3. Smoke Chamber: Metal Creosote build up at top of firebox
4.
5. M Damper: Metal Damper: Metal Hearth: Marble Missing caulk where marble meets firebox.
Heating System
This visual inspection does not include disassembling to view the heat exchanger, if rust is noted in burner chamber recommend further evaluation, any defects noted in report should be repaired by licensed HVAC contractor.
Inspect filter every three months and replace or clean if needed.
Recommend adding carbon monoxide detector at gas appliance area and bedroom areas
A NP NI M D
Attic Heating System — 1. \(\sum \subseteq \subseteq \subseteq \text{Heating System Operation: Appears serviceable} \) 2. \(\mathbb{Manufacturer: Carrier} \)
3. Model Number: 58dla090-12116 Serial Number: 4805a302364. Type: Gas forced air Capacity: 88,000 BTU
5. Area Served: 2nd floor and finished attic area Approximate Age: 2 6. Fuel Type: Natural gas
7. 🔯 🔲 📋 🔲 🔲 Heat Exchanger: 4 Burner
8. Blower Fan/Filter: Direct drive with disposable filter Very dirty filter 13 1/2 x 24 1/2, not common size.
9. Distribution: Rigid and flex ducts Missing insulation on duct at right attic over den
10. D Circulator: Forced air 11. D Draft Control: Manual 12. D Flue Pipe: Double wall Inadequate flue pipe clearance at roof decking in attic
Cellar Heating System ————————————————————————————————————
14. Manufacturer: Carrier 15. Model Number: 58dla090-12116 Serial Number: 4605a31278
16. Type: Gas forced air Capacity: 88,000 BTU 17. Area Served: 1st floor Approximate Age: 2

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	Heating System (Continued)
filter sl 21. \	H:Manual ouble wall Vents up masonry chimney chase, was sealed to chase pace, cannot view the flue in chase or the crown at top of high
	Plumbing
Any plumbing defects noted shou	ld be repaired by a licensed plumbing contractor.
Recommend installing a carbon m	pnoxide detector at gas appliance area and bedrooms
If polybutylene supply pipes are for more information	e noted, They were the subject of a class action suit and settlement. www.pbpipe.com
Recommend using liquid clothes	washing and dishwashing detergents, Especially with septic systems.
If property is on well, water i	s not tested
Test temperature and pressure re	elief valve on water heater area every six months.
Cannot fully view main water se	rvice pipe when underground.
not teste 2.	Appears copper Has filter cartridge at water supply pipe, was d, check filter if installed Shutoff: Cellar front wall Noted corrosion at shut off valve, was ng Copper Some supply pipes lack support in cellar. PVC and cast iron Cast iron and PVC Vent did not terminate above roofline, d in attic above master bathroom.
	er Operation: Serviceable Water heater not properly elevated off of not store liquid flammables
7. Manufacturer: GE 8. Model Number: gg50t6a Se 9. Type: Natural gas Capace 10. Approximate Age: 6 Area Se 11.	erial Number: geng1201a11212 ity: 50 gallon

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	Bathroom
Any plumbing defect	ts noted should be repaired by a licensed plumbing contractor.
If polybutylene pip	pes are noted, has settled a class action suit, for more information go to www.pbpipe.com
A NP NI M D Half Bathroom —	
1. \(\) \(Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Walls: Wallpaper Floor: Tile Doors: Wood Limited headroom height at door and hall to the bathroom. Windows: Wood casement Missing window lock Electrical: Light a. Missing an outlet in bathroom. b. Light did not operate at hall outside of half bath and kitchen, insure
7. \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	operational or blown bulbs. Sink/Basin: Pedestal Faucets/Traps: Copper supply pvc drain Toilets: American Standard HVAC Source: Ventilation: Window
12. \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Walls: Wallpaper Floor: Carpet Unapproved floor covering for a bath Doors: Wood Missing doorstops Windows: Glass block Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting GFCI outlet didn't properly trip when
18. 🛛 🗌 🔲 🔲 🖂 19. 🗖 🔲 🗎 🗎 🖂	tested, it also tested ungrounded. Sink/Basin: Pedestal Faucets/Traps: Copper supply pvc drain Tub/Surround: Porcelain tub and tile surround Tile grout cracks, Missing a soft caulk joint at surround
21.	Toilets: Standard Loose toilet seat HVAC Source: Supply air Ventilation: Electric ventilation fan
24. 🗌 🖺 🗎 🔲	Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Noted condensation stains on ceiling at master stall shower.
25. 🗌 🔲 🗎 🔲	Walls: Wallpaper and paint a. Loose towel bar. b. Binding medicine cabinet doors.
26. 🛛 🗌 🗎 🗎 🗎 27. 🔲 🔲 🗎 🖺	Floor: Tile Doors: Wood a. Missing doorstop. b. Broke mirror at closet door at master bathroom area and mirrored closet doors are binding and missing some handles to open.

c. Slight gap where door meets jamb at side of door to the hall.

 $\textbf{28.} \ \square \ \square \ \square \ \square \ \square \ \square \ \text{Windows: Wood double hung a. Cracked glass at front window.}$

b. Missing window locks.

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	Bathroom (Continued)
29. 🗌 🔲 🔲 🖾	Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting * a. GFCI outlet didn't properly trip when tested at master bath pedestal sink area. * b. Missing a counter outlet at master bath vanities, has outlet at wall around the corner, not GFCI and has reverse polarity. c. Has blown and broken bulb at master bath above vanity.
30. 🛛 🗌 🗎 🗎 🗎	 d. Blown bulb at stair landing light fixture. Counter/Cabinet: Solid surface and wood Sink/Basin: Pedestal a. Drain stopper did not hold water, pedestal sink. b. Cracked area at sink rim, pedestal sink.
32. 🛛 🗌 🗎 🗎 🗎	c. Loose hot water control stem at back left master bath sink. Faucets/Traps: Copper supply pvc drain Tub/Surround: Porcelain tub and tile surround a. Loose control handles. b. Missing a drain stopper.
34. 🗌 🔲 🗎 🖾 🗍	 c. Missing a soft caulk joint at surround. Shower/Surround: Tile floor and marble surround a. Missing a soft caulk joint at corners b. Tile grout cracks and appears efflorescence at some joints, may be allowing water under tile, recommend insure good grout joint and seal.
35. 🗌 🔲 🗎 🗮 🗍 36. 🔲 🗎 🗎 🗎	c. Noted some clogging at drain. Toilets: Kohler Loose toilet seat and missing bolt covers. HVAC Source: Supply air Appears to have unused returns at top and bottom of master bath closet area.
37.	Ventilation: Electric ventilation fan Fan inoperative, missing knob and switch cover plate screws and appears that wiring is disconnected for fan in attic and missing a duct to exterior.
Outbuilding Bathro 38.	Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Walls: Sheetrock and paint Floor: Tile Cracked floor cover Doors: Hollow door Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting Counter/Cabinet: Cultured marble and wood Sink/Basin: Cultured marble Drain stopper did not hold water Faucets/Traps: Copper supply pvc drain Shower/Surround: Tile floor and walls a. Loose control handles.
47. 🛛 🗌 🗎 🗎 🗎	b. Missing a soft caulk joint at corners.Toilets: American StandardVentilation: Electric ventilation fan Vent duct did not terminate to exterior

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	Kitchen
If polybutylene su	apply pipe is noted, was in a class action law suit.
A NP NI M D	
1st Floor Kitchen - 1.	Refrigerator: Sub-Zero Has icemaker hookup Microwave: KitchenAid Sink: Porcelain coated Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting a. Missing one florescent light bulb over back windows and missing florescent light lens.
10.	b. GFCI outlets not present at front counters. Plumbing/Fixtures: Copper supply pvc drain Counter Tops: Solid surface Cabinets: Wood Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Walls: Sheetrock and paint Floor: Hardwood Doors: Wood Missing doorstops at french doors Windows: Wood casement and double hung. HVAC Source: Supply air
	Bedroom
Recommend installi	Bedroom and a carbon monoxide detector at bedroom areas when gas appliances are present.
Install and test s	ang a carbon monoxide detector at bedroom areas when gas appliances are present.
A NP NI M D Up back left Bedro 1.	Ing a carbon monoxide detector at bedroom areas when gas appliances are present. Smoke alarms at each bedroom area and change batteries annually Closet: Single Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Water stains present at closet Walls: Sheetrock and paint a. Water stains present at shelf area at closet. b. Missing a section of sheetrock at back wall of closet, behind bath. Floor: Carpet Some squeaky floor areas at wood floor at 2nd floor hall. Doors: Wood Loose doorknob, Missing a strikeplate at closet door. Windows: Wood double hung Painted shut Electrical: Fan and outlets Two prong ungrounded outlets HVAC Source: Supply air
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Bedroom (Continued)	
18. \(\) \(Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Walls: Sheetrock and paint Floor: Carpet Doors: Wood Missing doorstop Windows: Wood double hung a. Cracked glass at front window. b. Painted shut at closet window at others.
23. 🛛 🗌 🗎 🗎	Electrical: Fan and outlets HVAC Source: Return and supply
Living Space	
A NP NI M D Dining Living Space	<u> </u>
1. \(\) \(Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Walls: Sheetrock and paint Floor: Hardwood Doors: Wood Windows: Wood double hung Painted shut Electrical: Lighting and outlet Minimal outlets HVAC Source: Return and supply Dirty ducts
15.	HVAC Source: Return and supply Dirty ducts at entry area hall. Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Walls: Sheetrock and paint Floor: Carpet Few burnt spots at fireplace. Doors: Wood Windows: Casement and fixed pane a. Cracked glass at to left of left fixed pane at two panes at casement windows. b. Painted shut casement windows and did not tightly close. Electrical: Lighting and outlet Reversed polarity at all outlets checked.

22. 🛛 🗌 🔲 🗎 HVAC Source: Return and supply

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Laundry Room/Area	
Monitor and keep dryer vents cleaned yearly, also insure no lint build up inside of housing.	
A NP NI M D	
Master bath closet Laundry Room/Area ————————————————————————————————————	
□ □ □ □ Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint	
Doors: Wood	
Electrical: Stacked washer and dryer, did not view hookup	
Dryer Vent: Vinyl and rigid Vinyl dryer duct is used, recommend replacing	
Floor Drain: Drain pan Drain pan was bent, but did appear to have connection	
to drain pipe to properly drain water.	

Final Comments

If roof cover is Celadon Ceramic Slate, check out web site www.oldhouseweb.com for information.

Asterisks represent areas of most concern in that particular section.

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Marginal Summary

This summary is not the entire report. The complete report may include additional information of concern to the client. It is recommended that the client read the complete report.

Lots and Grounds

1. Walks: Stone Mortar joint cracks at stone around pool area.



- 2. Patio: Slate
- 3. Vegetation: Grass, shrubbery and trees a. Shrubbery to close to main structure and outbuilding, A/C units and tree limbs close to structure.

b. Tree limbs rub electric service line.







- 4. Retaining Walls: Brick and crosstie, stone and stucco a. Some deterioration at crosstie at right exterior, add ivy blocked full view, did not view tie backs.
 - b. Noted brick joint cracks at right brick privacy wall.
 - c. Noted some stucco cracks at back retaining wall at garage and missing a guardrail at top of wall.
 - d. Missing handrails at landscape stairs and guardrail at wall around pool area and gate opens over stairs at back of pool.
 - e. Appears some retaining walls missing weep holes.





- 5. Grading: Minor slope Appears grading to high on foundation along back left wall at walkway area, may allow moisture to hold against wood floor band.
- 6. Driveway: Concrete Minor concrete cracks

Exterior Surface and Components

- 7. Main dwelling Exterior Surface Type: Brick and frame Brick joint cracks at several areas around windows and at arches at drive through carport
- 8. Trim: Wood a. Water damage at corner board over roof as noted in picture at front exterior, also some peeling paint at front frame trim and window sills.
 - b. Slight water damage at the bottom of rake board at roof overhang at right back corner of house.
 - c. Noted settlement at the wood window sill at right bedroom back left window at brick.
- 9. Door Bell: Hard wired Missing chimes cover at upstairs hall.
- 10. Entry Doors: Wood a. Noted daylight around top of door at left back door.
 - b. Loose door latch at left door.



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- 11. Patio Door: Back porch screened door a. Torn and loose screen at door.
 - b. Door opens over a step, missing a landing.
- 12. Windows: Wood See living space sections.
 Missing drip edge flashing over windows
- 13. Window Screens: Not installed Missing screens
- 14. Hose Bibs: Surface mounted a. Loose mounted spigot, not anchored to brick at all spigots.
 - b. Front spigot is winterized, has shut off valve at front cellar.

Outbuilding

- 15. Back of dwelling, garage and finished area Outbuilding Exterior Surface: Stucco, cement siding and brick Stucco makes ground contact, should be elevated above grade and between garage vehicle doors.
- 16. Back of dwelling, garage and finished area Outbuilding Foundation: Block a. Noted efflorescence evidence of past water entry at back block wall of garage.
 - b. Noted crack at block wall at back wall of garage.
- 17. Back of dwelling, garage and finished area Outbuilding Doors: Hollow door interior, insulated exterior Missing support under exterior door threshold
- 18. Back of dwelling, garage and finished area Outbuilding Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting a. Did not view a smoke alarm, recommend adding.
 - b. Loose outlet at back left wall of workout room.

Roof

- 19. Flashing: Not fully visible Flashing was painted could not fully view.
 - a. All flashing material that meets brick should be galvanized material and some sidewall flashing was not properly step flashed.
 - b. Missing kickout flashing where roof meets vertical walls to divert water and debris to gutters.
 - c. Noted some valley flashing used where roof meets sidewall, should be step flashed.





- 20. Valleys: Roll roof material and metal Leaves holding in valleys
- 21. Downspouts: Metal Rusted at bottom downspout elbow, missing straps to secure to wall and disconnected at extension.



- 22. Leader/Extension: Some splash blocks and extensions a. Missing extension or splash block at left back corner of house, at front exterior center of house.
 - b. Cannot fully view underground extensions.
 - c. Displaced splashblock at right side of front stoop.
- 23. Right side of house, den fireplace Chimney Flue/Flue Cap: Metal cap Tree limbs to close to flue cap

Garage/Carport

- 24. Rear Garage Exterior Surface: Stucco, cement siding and brick Stucco makes ground contact
- 25. Rear Garage Walls: Sheetrock and paint Appears mildew stains at back sheetrock above block wall at back left corner.
- 26. Rear Garage Floor/Foundation: Poured slab Minor concrete cracks and appears to have level area, not sloped toward vehicle door openings.

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- 27. Rear Garage Hose Bibs: Surface mounted Not anchored to exterior cladding
- 28. Rear Garage Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting a. Loose mounted light fixture between garage vehicle doors at exterior and missing some of the light lens.
 - b. Open junction box missing a cover plate at front of garage attic.
- 29. Rear Garage Gutters: Aluminum Noted some gutter clogging
- 30. Rear Garage Leader/Extensions: Missing Missing extension or splash block at back right corner.

Electrical

- 31. 120 VAC Branch Circuits: Copper Few neutral wires are double tapped at bus bar in panel, should enter separate bolts
- 32. Cellar Electric Panel Breakers: CU/AL a. Breakers are not fully labeled at panel and outside meter, and some appear not properly labeled, also insure that A/C breakers are compatible with name plate rating of outside units.
- 33. Sub panel in cellar, garage attic and outbuilding Electric Panel Breakers: CU/AL Breakers are not fully labeled

Structure

- 34. Foundation: Brick Noted efflorescence evidence of past water entry at left foundation wall, noted water stains, monitor cellar and exterior on heavy rain.
- 35. Joists/Trusses: 2x10 Overnotched joist for current standards at girders.
- 36. Stairs/Handrails: Wood stairs with no handrail a. Missing handrail and limited headroom height at cellar stairs.
 - b. Missing bearing support under the top of cellar stair stringers.
 - c. Limited headroom height at main stairs and upper stair handrail was not continuos.
 - d. Slight loose wood noising at top of stairs at hall.
 - e. Inconsistent stair rise height at upper stairs.

Attic

- 37. Doors Attic Ventilation: Gable vents a. Dirty back gable vent screen.
 - b. Missing lower air soffit vents.
- 38. Doors Attic Insulation: Loose fill and batts a. Some displaced wall insulation.
 - b. Noted a rat trap at back attic and saw a live rat at right attic, recommend to re-bait and move trap to right attic area.
 - c. Binding attic doors at jamb and missing weather strip around doors.



- 39. Doors Attic Insulation Depth: 6" Less than current standard
- 40. Doors Attic Bathroom Fan Venting: Did not view termination Did not view termination of all vent fans to exterior

Crawl Space

- 41. Some cellar and crawlspace along back and right side Crawl Space Moisture Penetration: Yes Noted efflorescence evidence of past water entry, Water stains present
- 42. Some cellar and crawlspace along back and right side Crawl Space Moisture Barrier: Missing vapor barrier Missing a vapor barrier on dirt floor at back and right crawlspace area, recommend adding.
- 43. Some cellar and crawlspace along back and right side Crawl Space Ventilation: Vents Minimal foundation ventilation
- 44. Some cellar and crawlspace along back and right side Crawl Space Insulation: Batting a. Partial insulation most areas uninsulated under floor, some has displaced at right crawlspace.
 - b. Noted rat trap in crawlspace area.



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Air Conditioning

- 45. Right exterior front unit AC System Condensate Removal: PVC Drains to a floor drain in cellar
- 46. Right exterior back unit AC System Condensate Removal: PVC

Fireplace/Wood Stove

- 47. Den Fireplace Fireplace Construction: Prefab a. Cracks at the fireplace firebox back wall. b. Missing fireproof caulking around gas pipe.
- 48. Den Fireplace Hearth: Marble Missing caulk where marble meets firebox.

Heating System

- 49. Attic Heating System Distribution: Rigid and flex ducts Missing insulation on duct at right attic over den
- 50. Attic Heating System Flue Pipe: Double wall Inadequate flue pipe clearance at roof decking in attic
- 51. Cellar Heating System Blower Fan/Filter: Direct drive with disposable filter Missing filter cover and filter slightly dirty. 20x20 filter
- 52. Cellar Heating System Flue Pipe: Double wall Vents up masonry chimney chase, was sealed to chase in crawlspace, cannot view the flue in chase or the crown at top of high brick chase.
- 53. Fuel Tank: Abandoned boiler tank Has older unused radiant heaters in most rooms and boiler in cellar no longer in use.

<u>Plumbing</u>

- 54. Main Water Shutoff: Cellar front wall Noted corrosion at shut off valve, was not leaking
- 55. Water Lines: Copper Some supply pipes lack support in cellar.
- 56. Cellar Water Heater Water Heater Operation: Serviceable Water heater not properly elevated off of floor, do not store liquid flammables
- 57. Cellar Water Heater Flue Pipe: Double wall Vents up masonry chimney chase, monitor

Bathroom

- 58. Half Bathroom Doors: Wood Limited headroom height at door and hall to the bathroom.
- 59. Half Bathroom Windows: Wood casement Missing window lock
- 60. Half Bathroom Electrical: Light a. Missing an outlet in bathroom.
 - b. Light did not operate at hall outside of half bath and kitchen, insure operational or blown bulbs.
- 61. Jack/jill Bathroom Floor: Carpet Unapproved floor covering for a bath
- 62. Jack/jill Bathroom Doors: Wood Missing doorstops
- 63. Jack/jill Bathroom Tub/Surround: Porcelain tub and tile surround Tile grout cracks, Missing a soft caulk joint at surround
- 64. Jack/jill Bathroom Toilets: Standard Loose toilet seat
- 65. Master Bathroom Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Noted condensation stains on ceiling at master stall shower.
- 66. Master Bathroom Walls: Wallpaper and paint a. Loose towel bar.
 - b. Binding medicine cabinet doors.



- 67. Master Bathroom Doors: Wood a. Missing doorstop.
 - b. Broke mirror at closet door at master bathroom area and mirrored closet doors are binding and missing some handles to open.
 - c. Slight gap where door meets jamb at side of door to the hall.
- 68. Master Bathroom Windows: Wood double hung a. Cracked glass at front window.
 - b. Missing window locks.

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- 69. Master Bathroom Sink/Basin: Pedestal a. Drain stopper did not hold water, pedestal sink.
 - b. Cracked area at sink rim, pedestal sink.
 - c. Loose hot water control stem at back left master bath sink.
- 70. Master Bathroom Tub/Surround: Porcelain tub and tile surround a. Loose control handles.
 - b. Missing a drain stopper.
 - c. Missing a soft caulk joint at surround.
- 71. Master Bathroom Shower/Surround: Tile floor and marble surround a. Missing a soft caulk joint at corners
 - b. Tile grout cracks and appears efflorescence at some joints, may be allowing water under tile, recommend insure good grout joint and seal.
 - c. Noted some clogging at drain.
- 72. Master Bathroom Toilets: Kohler Loose toilet seat and missing bolt covers.
- 73. Master Bathroom HVAC Source: Supply air Appears to have unused returns at top and bottom of master bath closet area.
- 74. Outbuilding Bathroom Floor: Tile Cracked floor cover
- 75. Outbuilding Bathroom Sink/Basin: Cultured marble Drain stopper did not hold water
- 76. Outbuilding Bathroom Shower/Surround: Tile floor and walls a. Loose control handles.
 - b. Missing a soft caulk joint at corners.
- 77. Outbuilding Bathroom Ventilation: Electric ventilation fan Vent duct did not terminate to exterior

Kitchen

- 78. 1st Floor Kitchen Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting a. Missing one florescent light bulb over back windows and missing florescent light lens.
 - b. GFCI outlets not present at front counters.
- 79. 1st Floor Kitchen Doors: Wood Missing doorstops at french doors

Bedroom

- 80. Up back left Bedroom Ceiling: Sheetrock and paint Water stains present at closet
- 81. Up back left Bedroom Walls: Sheetrock and paint a. Water stains present at shelf area at closet.
 - b. Missing a section of sheetrock at back wall of closet, behind bath.
- 82. Up back left Bedroom Floor: Carpet Some squeaky floor areas at wood floor at 2nd floor hall.
- 83. Up back left Bedroom Doors: Wood Loose doorknob, Missing a strikeplate at closet door.
- 84. Up back left Bedroom Windows: Wood double hung Painted shut
- 85. Up back left Bedroom Electrical: Fan and outlets Two prong ungrounded outlets
- 86. Upstairs Right Bedroom Windows: Wood double hung Missing window lock
- 87. Master Bedroom Closet: Walk In Loose shelf at finished attic closet and closet doors not installed at 3rd floor.
- 88. Master Bedroom Doors: Wood Missing doorstop
- 89. Master Bedroom Windows: Wood double hung a. Cracked glass at front window.
 - b. Painted shut at closet window at others.

Living Space

- 90. Dining Living Space Windows: Wood double hung Painted shut
- 91. Dining Living Space Electrical: Lighting and outlet Minimal outlets
- 92. Dining Living Space HVAC Source: Return and supply Dirty ducts
- 93. Living Room Living Space Doors: Wood Missing doorstop at closet.
- 94. Living Room Living Space Windows: Fixed pane and double hung Cracked glass small window at bottom of stairs.
- 95. Living Room Living Space Electrical: Lighting and outlet a. Open ground at three prong outlet at right wall of hall.
 - b. Two prong ungrounded outlets and three prong outlet is ungrounded.
- 96. Living Room Living Space HVAC Source: Return and supply Dirty ducts at entry area hall.

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- 97. Den Living Space Floor: Carpet Few burnt spots at fireplace.
- 98. Den Living Space Windows: Casement and fixed pane a. Cracked glass at to left of left fixed pane at two panes at casement windows.
 - b. Painted shut casement windows and did not tightly close.

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Defective Summary

This summary is not the entire report. The complete report may include additional information of concern to the client. It is recommended that the client read the complete report.

Lots and Grounds

- 1. Steps/Stoops: Concrete and brick a. Concrete cracks at front stoop and stairs, settlement at the tiles at floor surface will allow water under stoop.
 - b. Missing a quardrail at front stoop and handrail at stairs.
 - c. Short landing outside of both left exterior doors and missing a guardrail and handrail at stairs and has some concrete cracks.
- 2. Deck: Wood Wood to ground contact and water damage at right band joist. Could not fully view under low deck, appears may allow water to run toward foundation under covered porch, deck floor boards.





Exterior Surface and Components

- 3. Exterior Lighting: Surface mount * a. Reverse polarity at back porch GFCI outlet.
 - b. Inspector does not inspect landscape lighting, did view some needed repairs to lighting.
 - c. Missing one bulb at wall light at back porch.
 - d. Missing few light lens at drive through carport light and at garage vehicle door light.
- 4. Exterior Electric Outlets: 120 Volt GFCI outlet Broken outlet at front exterior at foundation wall.

Outbuilding

5. Back of dwelling, garage and finished area Outbuilding Roof: Asphalt shingle and composition slate See garage roof section

Roof

- 6. Main roof Roof Surface Material: Celadon ceramic slate and asphalt shingles a. Noted several cracked loose and missing roof tiles, recommend qualified contractor to monitor entire roof and insure all needed repairs are corrected to prevent water entry, noted several pictures of areas.
 - b. Missing a ridge shingle at right side of house at fireplace flue.
 - c. Appears asphalt shingle material was used to form at ridge cover noted at back center roof, may have exposed nail heads.

d. Seal all exposed nail heads at shingles and vents on roof.



















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Material: (continued)









Garage/Carport

- 7. Rear Garage Roof: Celadon ceramic slate and asphalt shingles a. Raised shingle tab, could view water stain at interior at roof decking and cracked roof decking, add support and seal from roof.
 - b. Missing sealant at exposed nail heads at plumbing vent pipe.
 - c. Torn shingle tabs at right side of structure.

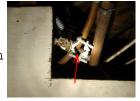


Electrical

8. Service: Overhead Main service mast has pulled loose brick, noted in picture



- 9. GFCI: See electrical sections throughout the report
- 10. Ground: Driven ground rod * a. Disconnected bond clamp at water supply pipe above electric panel in cellar.
 - b. Buried driven rod did not view ground wire connection at meter.
 - c. Ground wire was not bonded around the pressure reducer valve at main water supply pipe.



- 11. Smoke Detectors: Not present at all proper locations Missing smoke alarm outside of kitchen at main floor and missing in each bedroom area at upstairs, finished attic and in cellar, recommend installing.
- 12. Cellar Electric Panel Manufacturer: ITE and Homeline a. Double tap present at bottom right of main panel, also has few wire splices inside of panel, insure proper connections.
 - b. Has few breakers that are not the panel manufacture brand, should be same brand as manufacture.
 - c. Some openings in side of panel, unused, missing covers.
 - c. Panel cover screws not blunt at main panel and missing few screws.



Structure

13. Floor/Slab: Poured slab Noted cracked slab and some displacement, appears wood strut has been added, recommend additional support under displaced area at back of cellar stairs.



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Attic

- 14. Doors Attic Wiring/Lighting: Light a. Open junction box at wire splice missing a cover plate at back attic area and missing a light switch cover plate.
 - b. Open junction box, missing a cover plate at front attic, exposed wire splices.



Crawl Space

15. Some cellar and crawlspace along back and right side Crawl Space Electrical: Lights * a. Exposed wire splices, not in closed junction box above electric panel. b. One light appears blown bulb at right crawlspace.



Fireplace/Wood Stove

16. Den Fireplace Smoke Chamber: Metal Creosote build up at top of firebox



17. Den Fireplace Flue: Metal Creosote build-up, Recommend cleaning

Heating System

18. Attic Heating System Blower Fan/Filter: Direct drive with disposable filter Very dirty filter $13\ 1/2\ x\ 24\ 1/2$, not common size.

Plumbing

19. Vent Pipes: Cast iron and PVC Vent did not terminate above roofline, terminated in attic above master bathroom.

Bathroom

- 20. Jack/jill Bathroom Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting GFCI outlet didn't properly trip when tested, it also tested ungrounded.
- 21. Master Bathroom Electrical: GFCI outlet and lighting * a. GFCI outlet didn't properly trip when tested at master bath pedestal sink area.
 - * b. Missing a counter outlet at master bath vanities, has outlet at wall around the corner, not GFCI and has reverse polarity.
 - c. Has blown and broken bulb at master bath above vanity.
 - d. Blown bulb at stair landing light fixture.



22. Master Bathroom Ventilation: Electric ventilation fan Fan inoperative, missing knob and switch cover plate screws and appears that wiring is disconnected for fan in attic and missing a duct to exterior.

Living Space

23. Den Living Space Electrical: Lighting and outlet Reversed polarity at all outlets checked.

