* A letter of offer from SEAI must be received before works can commence at Stage 1 & Stage 2

Stage 1 grants support EXEED Planning and Design activities. Ideally, the EXEED process will begin as early as possible in a project but is possible to begin at any stage before the design is finalised and the implementation period begins. Stage 1 grant payment takes place once Stage 1 activities are completed.

Measurement and verification of the project should entail a comparison of energy performance in operation (\(B\)) against the baseline design (\(A_1\), \(A_2\), or \(A_3\), as applicable)