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How does warm rent vs cold rent work?

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Apartments listed with Kaltmiete and Warmmiete. What is the difference?

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✓ Accepted answer

Kaltmiete = base rent. **Warmmiete** = Kaltmiete + Nebenkosten (heating, water, garbage). NOT included: electricity (~50€), internet (~35€), Rundfunkbeitrag (18.36€).
Rule: Nebenkosten \approx 2.50-3.50€/m².