# **ENVIRONMENTAL AUDIT REPORT**

# ASM's INSTITUTE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES,

Pimpri, Pune 411 018



Year: 2023-24

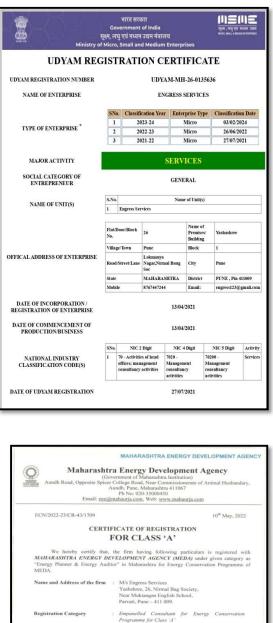
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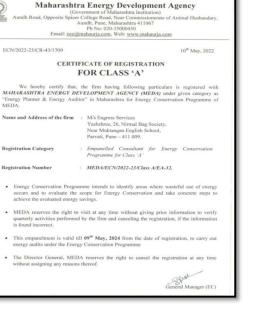
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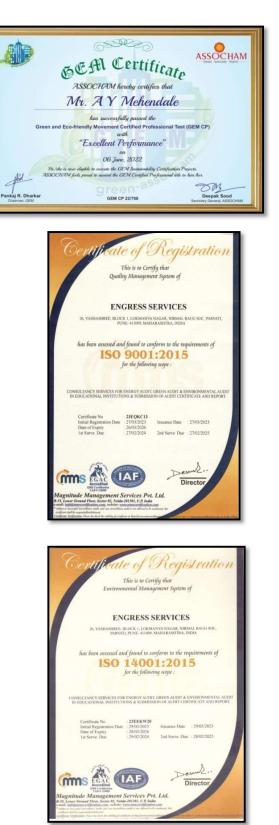
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### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

**1. ASM's Institute of Professional studies, Pimpri, Pune** consumes Energy in the form of **Electrical Energy;** used for various gadgets, Office & other facilities.

- 2. Pollution due to Institute Activities:
  - > Air pollution: Mainly CO<sub>2</sub> on account of Electricity Consumption
  - > Solid Waste: Bio degradable Garden Waste, Paper & Plastic Waste
  - > Liquid Waste: Human liquid waste

#### 3. Present Energy Consumption & CO<sub>2</sub> Emission:

No	Particulars	Value	Unit
1	Annual Energy Purchased	77035	kWh
2	Annual CO <sub>2</sub> Emissions	71.64	MT

#### 4. Usage of Renewable Energy & Reduction in CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions:

- The Energy Generated by 2.180 kWp Solar PV Plant in 2023-24 is 2616 kWh
- Equivalent Reduction in CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions in 2023-24 is 2.43 MT

#### 5. Indoor Air Quality Parameters:

No	Parameter/Value	AQI	PM-2.5	PM-10
1	Maximum	51	31	37
2	Minimum	46	28	31

#### 6. Indoor Lux & Noise Level Parameters:

No	Parameter/Value	Lux Level	Noise Level, dB
1	Maximum	236	49.2
2	Minimum	221	46.9

#### 7. Waste Management:

No	Head	Particulars
1	Solid Waste	Segregation of Waste at source
2	Organic Waste	Arrangement of Bio Composting Bed
3	Sanitary Waste	Installed Sanitary Waste Incinerator
4	E Waste	Disposed of through Authorized Agency

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#### 8. Rain Water Management:

The Institute has installed Rainwater Management Project. The rain water falling on the terrace is collected through pipes and is used to increase the underground water table.

#### 9. Environment Friendly Initiatives:

- > Tree Plantation in the campus.
- > Creation of awareness on Water Conservation Display of Posters

#### **10. Assumption:**

- 1. 1 kWh of Electrical Energy releases 0.93 Kg of CO<sub>2</sub> into atmosphere
- 2. Energy generated by Roof Top Solar PV Plant: 4 kWh/kWp per Day
- 3. Annual Solar Energy Generation Days: 300 Nos
- 4. Energy consumed is computed based on Load Utilization Factor

#### 11. References:

- For CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions: <u>www.ccd.gujarat.gov.in</u>
- For Various Indoor Air Parameters: <u>www.ishrae.com</u>
- For AQI Quality Standards: <u>www.cpcb.com</u>
- For Solar PV Energy Generation: www.rooftopsolar.gov.in

### **ABBREVIATIONS**

Kg	:	Kilo Gram
MSEDCL	:	Maharashtra State Distribution Company Limited
MT	:	Metric Ton
kWh	:	kilo-Watt Hour
LPD	:	Liters per Day
LED	:	Light Emitting Diode
AQI	:	Air Quality Index
PM-2.5	:	Particulate Matter of Size 2.5 Micron
PM-10	:	Particulate Matter of Size 10 Micron
CPCB	:	Central Pollution Control Board
ISHRAE	:	The Indian Society of Heating & Refrigerating & Air Conditioning Engineers

# CHAPTER-I INTRODUCTION

#### 1. Important Definitions:

#### 1.1. Environment: Definition as per environment Protection Act: 1986

Environment includes water, air and land and the inter-relationship which exists among and between Water, Air, Land and Human beings, other living creatures, plants microorganism and property

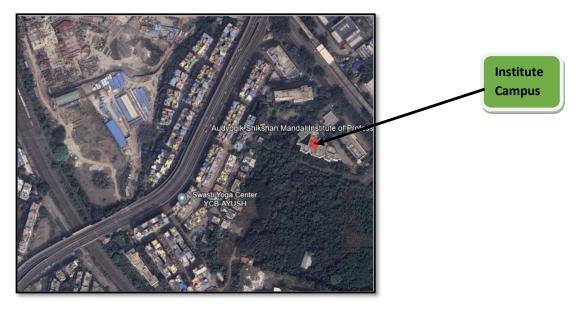
#### **1.2. Environmental Audit: Definition:**

According to UNEP, 1990, "Environmental audit can be defined as a management tool comprising systematic, documented and periodic evaluation of how well environmental organization management and equipment are performing with an aim of helping to regularize the environment

#### 1.2 Key Study Points:

No	Particulars
1	Study of Present Resource Consumption & CO <sub>2</sub> Emission
2	Study of Usage of Renewable Energy
3	Study of Indoor Air Quality
4	Study of Indoor Lux & Noise Level
5	Study of Water Management
6	Study of Waste Management Practices
7	Study of Environment Friendly Practices

#### 1.3 Institute Location Image:

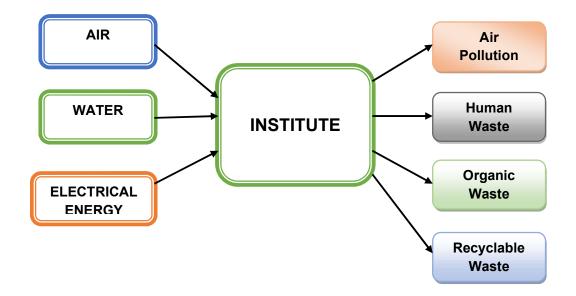


# CHAPTER-II STUDY OF RESOURCE CONSUMPTION & CO<sub>2</sub> EMISSION

The Institute consumes following basic/derived Resources:

- 1. Air
- 2. Water
- 3. Electrical Energy

We try to draw a schematic diagram for the Institute System & Environment as under. Chart No 1: Representation of Resource Requirement & Waste of a Institute:



Now we compute the Generation of  $CO_2$  on account of consumption of Electrical Energy. The basis of Calculation for  $CO_2$  emissions due to Electrical Energy is as under.

• 1 kWh of Electrical Energy releases 0.93 Kg of CO<sub>2</sub> into atmosphere

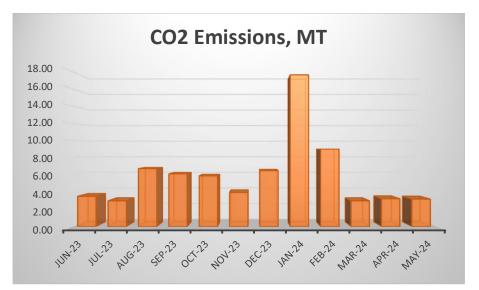
#### Table No 1: Study of Consumption of Electrical Energy & CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions: 23-24:

No	Month	Energy Purchased, kWh	CO <sub>2</sub> Emissions, MT
1	Jun-23	3779	3.51
2	Jul-23	3209	2.98
3	Aug-23	7231	6.73
4	Sep-23	6569	6.11
5	Oct-23	6323	5.88
6	Nov-23	4261	3.96

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7	Dec-23	6979	6.49
8	Jan-24	18917	17.59
9	Feb-24	9659	8.98
10	Mar-24	3209	2.98
11	Apr-24	3472	3.23
12	May-24	3427	3.19
13	Total	77035	71.64
14	Maximum	18917	17.59
15	Minimum	3209	2.98
16	Average	6420	5.97

Chart No 2: Month wise CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions:



# CHAPTER III STUDY OF USAGE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY

In this Chapter, we present the Generation of Solar Energy & subsequent  $\text{CO}_2$  Emission Reduction.

Table No 2: Computation of Reduction in annual CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions:

No	Particulars	Value	Unit
1	Installed Capacity of Roof Top Solar PV Plant Capacity	2.180	kWp
2	Energy Generated in per kWp	4	4 kWh/kWp
3	Annual Solar Energy Generation Days	300	Nos
4	Energy Generated in the Year: 2023-24	2616	kWh
5	1 kWh of Electrical Energy saves	0.93	Kg/kWh
6	Qty of CO <sub>2</sub> Saved by Solar PV Plant =(4)*(5) /1000	2.43	MT of CO <sub>2</sub>

### Photograph of Roof Top Solar PV Plant:



### CHAPTER IV STUDY OF INDOOR AIR QUALITY

**1.** Air: The common name given to the atmospheric gases used in breathing and photosynthesis.

**2.** Air quality is a measure of the suitability of air for breathing by people, plants and animals.

**3. Air Quality Index: Air Quality Index (AQI)** is a number used by government agencies to measure the **Air Pollution** levels and communicate it to the population.

In this Chapter, we present three important Parameters: **AQI**- Air Quality Index, **PM-2.5**-Particulate Matter of Size 2.5 micron and **PM-10**- Particulate Matter of Size 10 micron

No	Location	AQI	PM2.5	PM10
1	Office	51	31	37
2	Classroom	46	28	31
3	Hall	50	30	36
4	Faculty Room	48	29	32
5	Classroom	49	29	33
	Maximum	51	31	37
	Minimum	46	28	31

Table No 3: Indoor Air Quality Parameters:

#### Table No 4: Air Quality Index Values & Concentration of PM 2.5 & PM10: (By CPCB):

No	Category	AQI Value	Concentration Range, PM 2.5	Concentration Range, PM 10
1	Good	0 to 50	0 to 30	0 to 50
2	Satisfactory	51 to 100	31 to 60	51 to 100
3	Moderately Polluted	101 to 200	61 to 90	101 to 250
4	Poor	201 to 300	91 to 120	251 to 350
5	Very Poor	301 to 400	121 to 250	351 to 430
6	Severe	401 to 500	250 +	430 +

#### **Conclusion:**

From the above measured values, we conclude that the observed values of AQI, PM-2.5 & PM-10 are in the **Satisfactory Range**, as per the guidelines given by Central Pollution Control Board.

### CHAPTER V STUDY OF INDOOR LUX & NOISE PARAMETERS

In this Chapter, we present the various Indoor Comfort Parameters measured during the Audit. The Parameters include: Lux Level and Noise Level.

No	Location	Lux Level	Noise Level, dB
1	Office	226	47
2	Classroom	234	49.2
3	Hall	229	48
4	Faculty Room	221	46.9
5	Classroom	236	49
	Maximum	236	49.2
	Minimum	221	46.9

#### Table No 4: Study of Indoor Comfort Condition Parameters:

#### Recommended Lux & Noise Level: As per BEE & ISHRAE Guidelines:

A) Noise Level Reference:			
No	Location	Noise Level Range, dB	
1	Offices	45-50	
2	Occupied Class Room 40-45		
3	Libraries	35-40	
B) Reference Lux Level, Lumens:			
1	For Class Rooms 200 Plus		
2	For Reading Rooms	200 Plus	

#### **Conclusion:**

From the above measured values, we conclude that:

- The Noise Level is within the prescribed Limit
- The Lux Level at various locations is Okay

### CHAPTER VI STUDY OF RAIN WATER MANAGEMENT

The Institute has implemented the Rain Water Harvesting Project. The Institute has installed Pipes from the terrace and the Rain water falling on the terrace is gathered and is used to increase the underground water table.

#### Photograph of Rain Water Carrying Pipe & Sand Filter Unit:



# CHAPTER-VII STUDY OF WASTE MANAGEMENT

In this Chapter, we present the Waste Management Practices, followed by the Institute.

#### **Details of Waste Management Practices:**

No	Head	Observation	Photograph
1	Solid Waste	Segregation of Waste at Source: Provision of Waste Collection Bins	
2	Organic Waste	Provision of Bio Composting Bed: For conversion of Leafy Waste	<section-header></section-header>

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3	Sanitary Waste	Dispose of through Sanitary Waste Incinerator	
4	E Waste	Disposed of the through Authorized Agency	

# CHAPTER-VIII STUDY OF ECO-FRIENDLY PRACTICES

In this Chapter, we present the Eco-Friendly Practices, followed by the Institute.

#### **Details of Eco-Friendly Practices:**

No	Head	Observation	Photograph
1	Tree Plantation	Internal Tree Plantation in the Campus	Internal Tree Plantation:
2	Creation of Awareness among Stake Holders	Display of Poster on Water Conservation	