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Preface

Educational institutions always had an important leadership role in society in demonstrating types of changes that used to occur with respect to the prime issues of the time. All around the world, educational institutions are taking steps to declare themselves the next carbon neutral school as a part of the global trend of becoming sustainable. In 2007, Victoria University School of Architecture and Design declared themselves the first carbon neutral campus in the world through the purchase of carbon credits. This concept is not a sustainable model as it does not guarantee the capture of carbon forever and also it is expensive.

The potential for any academic institution- (may be a school in a remote village or a university in an urban setting) - to become the driver for change is huge. Its role of practicing leadership in its community can be utilized to encourage and influence carbon neutral living.

The biggest factors that contribute towards emission are Energy, Transportation and Waste. Any reduction in the carbon emission by the above sectors, starts with the behavioral changes (Low cost) and/or technological investments (High cost). In order to make these changes, the students are to be educated properly on the concept of carbon neutral campuses and methods to reduce it.

In India, the concept of carbon neutral campuses is gaining momentum. Green Audit in Campuses measures the amount of Green House Gases (GHG) emissions produced as a result of its operations through an accounting like inventory of all the sources of GHGs and carbon sequestration in the school campus. Based on this, the total carbon footprint is estimated. Measures are recommended to bring down the carbon footprint of the campus and to make it a carbon neutral campus.

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1 Introduction



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Background

All across the developed countries, educational institutions are now moving to a sustainable future by becoming carbon neutral and greener spaces. They are taking responsibility for their environmental impact and are working to neutralize those effects. To become carbon neutral, institutions are working to reduce their emissions of greenhouse gases, cut their use of energy, use energy efficient equipment, use more renewable energy, plant and protect green cover and emphasize the importance of sustainable energy sources. Institutions that have committed to becoming carbon neutral have recognized the threat of global warming and are therefore committing to reverse the trend. Studies on this line has not struck roots in most of the developing countries-especially among students.

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), launched by the United Nations in 2015, are an excellent vehicle for driving this change. They represent an action plan for the planet and society to thrive by 2030. The SDGs provide a window of opportunity for creating multidimensional operational approaches for climate change adaptation. They address poverty, hunger and climate change, among other issues central to human progress and sustainable development, such as gender equality, clean water and sanitation, and responsible consumption and production.





The Green Audit of **St. Thomas College**, **Ranni** aims to assist campus to reduce their carbon footprint and educate tomorrow's leaders about strategies for carbon mitigation using their campus as a model. Also, this audit covers institutes responses towards SDGs by covering SDG 3,6,7,11,13,15. The green audit also aims to educate students and teachers on the concept of carbon footprint and to enable the students to collect data pertaining to the carbon emissions and carbon sequestration in their campus and to calculate the specific carbon footprint of the campus.

The project also suggests plans to make the campus carbon neutral or even carbon negative by implementing carbon mitigation strategies in areas such as,

- a. Energy
- b. Transportation
- c. Waste minimisation
- d. Carbon Sequestration etc.

The major objectives of the audit are:

- · To make aware students and teachers on the concept of carbon footprint.
- To calculate the specific carbon footprint of the campus and classify it as carbon negative, neutral or positive.
- To create carbon mitigation plans to reduce their footprint based on the data generated.

ST. THOMAS COLLEGE, RANNI

The history of the college is embedded in the history of Ranni. The college is situated on the top of a serene hill, in a sylvan surrounding, away from the din and bustle of the city, easily accessible and is at a walkable distance from the heart of Ranni town. The college was established in 1964, as a junior college by St Thomas Valiyapally Ranni, a pioneer parish of the Syrian Knanaya Arch Diocese of Malankara, with the whole hearted support of the then Bishop late lamented His Excellency Abraham Mor Clemis to meet the educational needs of the youth of the local community. The college was upgraded to a first grade college in 1968 and is the only institution for higher education in this part of the country. When the de-linking of Pre Degree sector was made possible by the government on administrative measures we were left with graduate and Post Graduate courses. The transmutation lead this institution to a



knowledge hub with divorcified courses. In addition to the conventional courses, we now offer UG & PG courses in Tourism also. During its 53 years of illustrious existence, the college gave birth to brilliant academicians, administrators, politicians and entrepreneurs.

The college aims at creating cultured and educated citizens who love God and their country. With its rural background and 'Gurukula' atmosphere, the college fosters uninterrupted pursuit of knowledge. The first Principal, Late Prof. K. A. Mathew, served as minister and PSC member in the Kerala State. He played a vital role in upgrading the junior college to a first grade one in 1968. As the Golden Jubilee project St. Thomas College of Advanced Studies, Edamury, Ranni, a Self Financing College affiliated to M.G. University, Kottayam was established in June 2014. In March 2016, the College was assessed and re-accredited in the second cycle by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) of UGC and graded at B level.

Occupancy Details				
Particulars	2018-19	2019-20		
Total Students	859	829		
Staffs	64	64		
Total Occupancy of the college	923	893		

For calculating per capita carbon emission estimation, only the student strength is taken into account.





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Ů.	Name of the Organisation	St. Thomas College, Ranni					
2	Address (include telephone, fax & e-mail)	Patha	namthi	College itta, 68 nail.cor	9641,	ni, 830105	7965
2	Year of Establishment	1964					
3	Name of building and Total No. of Electrical Connections/building	St. Th	omas	college	(8)		
4	Total Number of Students	Boys		Girls		Total	829
5	Total Number of Staff	64					
6	Total Occupancy	893					
7	Total area of green cover	50%					
8	Type of Electrical Connection	HT 0 LT 8			î.		
9	Total Connected Load (kW)	107					
10	Average Maximum Demand (KVA)	(*)					
11	Total built up area of the building (M²)	8317					
12	Number of Buildings				5		
13	Average system Power Factor			- 1	0.96		
14	Details of capacitors connected				NA		
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2 METHODOLOGY



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2.1. Sensitisation

Low Carbon campus initiatives are successful when everyone in the campus is engaged including students, teachers and staff. A team of students, teachers and staff were formed to participate in the audit. A sensitisation among students and teachers on the concept of carbon footprint was conducted.

During the audit the students and staffs were sensitised on the project and trained to be a part of the data collection team. This helped in conducting the survey in a participatory mode so that the awareness will penetrate to the grass root level. During the data collection field visit it was stressed that the team will spread these ideas to their homes and friends. This will help in a horizontal and vertical spread of the message to a wider group. It is assumed that through 1054 occupants of this campuses will reach same number of households. This message will spread to at least 4000 individuals approximately.

2.2 Estimation of carbon footprint

A carbon footprint is the amount of greenhouse gases—primarily carbon dioxide—released into the atmosphere by a particular human activity. A carbon footprint can be a broad measure or be applied to the actions of an individual, a family, an event, an organization, or even entire nation. It is usually measured as tons of CO₂ emitted per year, a number that can be supplemented by tons of CO₂-equivalent gases, including methane, nitrous oxide, and other greenhouse gases.

Global Warming Potential (GWP) is a measure of how much heat a greenhouse gas traps in the atmosphere up to a specific time horizon, relative to carbon dioxide. The Global Warming Potential (GWP) was developed to allow comparisons of the global warming impacts of different gases. Specifically, it is a measure of how much energy the emissions of one ton of a gas will absorb over a given period of time, relative to the emissions of one ton of carbon dioxide (CO₂).





	ci	1	Glob	al War	ming
Species	Chemical formula	Lifetime (years)	20 years	100 years	500 years
Carbon dioxide	CO2	variable §	1	1	1
Methane *	CH4	12±3	56	21	6.5
Nitrous oxide	N20	120	280	310	170
HFC-23	CHF3	264	9100	11700	9800
HFC-32	CH2F2	5.6	2100	650	200
HFC-41	CH3F	3.7	490	150	45
HFC-43-10mee	C5H2F10	17.1	3000	1300	400
HFC-125	C2HF5	32.6	4600	2800	920
HFC-134	C2H2F4	10.6	2900	1000	310
HFC-134a	CH2FCF3	14.6	3400	1300	420
HFC-152a	C2H4F2	1.5	460	140	42
HFC-143	C2H3F3	3.8	1000	300	94
HFC-143a	C2H3F3	48.3	5000	3800	1400
HFC-227ea	C3HF7	36.5	4300	2900	950
HFC-236fa	C3H2F6	209	5100	6300	4700
HFC-245ca	C3H3F5	6.6	1800	560	170
Sulphur hexafluoride	SF6	3200	16300	23900	34900
Perfluoromethane	CF4	50000	4400	6500	10000
Perfluoroethane	C2F6	10000	6200	9200	14000
Perfluoropropane	C3F8	2600	4800	7000	10100
Perfluorobutane	C4F10	2600	4800	7000	10100
Perfluorocyclobutane	c-C4F8	3200	6000	8700	12700
Perfluoropentane	C5F12	4100	5100	7500	11000
Perfluorohexane	C6F14	3200	5000	7400	10700

The methodology for carbon footprint calculations are still evolving and it is emerging as an important tool for green house management. In the present study carbon emission data from the campus is estimated under four categories viz.

- a. Energy
- b. Transportation
- c. Waste minimisation
- d. Carbon Sequestration

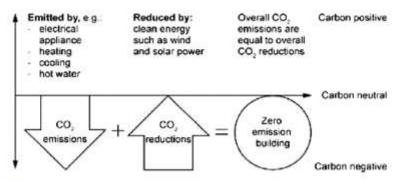
Carbon neutrality refers to achieving net zero GHG emission by balancing the measured amount of carbon released into atmosphere due to human activities, with an equal amount sequestrated in carbon sinks. It is crucial to restrict atmospheric concentrations of GHGs released from various socio-economic, developmental and life style activities using biological or natural processes. It is recognized that addressing climate change is not as simple as switching to renewable energy or

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offsetting GHG emissions. Rather, providing an opportunity for innovation in new developmental activities for viable and effective approach to address the problem.



Energy

In the campus carbon emission from energy consumption is categorised under two headings viz. energy from Electrical and Thermal. Energy used for transportation is calculated under transportation sector.

A detailed energy audit is conducted to understand the energy consumption of the campus. Information on total connected loads, their duration of usage and documents like electricity bills are evaluated. Connected loads are calculated by conducting a survey on electrical equipment on each location. Duration of usage was found out by surveying the users. The survey of equipment was conducted in a participatory mode.

The fuel consumption for cooking, like LPG, was studied by analysing the annual fuel bills and usage schedules during the study. Discussions were carried out with the concerned individuals who actually operate the cooking system.

Transportation

Carbon emission from transportation to be calculated by using the following formula:

Carbon Emission = Number of each type of vehicles × Avg. fuel consumed per year × Emission factors (based on the fuel used by the vehicle)

Waste Minimisation

The waste generated from the campus is also responsible for the greenhouse gas emission. So, in order to calculate the total carbon foot print of the campus it is



necessary to estimate the greenhouse gas emission from the waste generated in the campus by the activity of the students, teachers and staffs.

The calculation of the waste generated has been conducted by keeping measuring buckets for collecting the waste generated in a day. This waste so generated was calculated by weighing it.

Carbon Sequestration

Carbon sequestration is the process involved in the long-term storage of atmospheric carbon dioxide. Trees remove carbon dioxide from the atmosphere through the natural process of photosynthesis and store the carbon in their leaves, branches, stems, bark, and roots.

Carbon sequestrated by a tree can be found out by using different methods. Since this study is employed the volumetric approach, the calculation consists of five processes.

- · Determining the total weight of the tree
- Determining the dry weight of the tree
- Determining the weight of carbon in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree per year

Detailed calculations and results are given below.

Step 1: Determine the total green weight of the tree

The green weight is the weight of the tree when it is alive. First, you have to calculate the green weight of the above-ground weight as follows:

W above-ground= 0.25 D2 H (for trees with D<11)

W above-ground= 0.15 D2 H (for trees with D>11)

W above-ground= Above-ground weight in pounds

D = Diameter of the trunk in inches

H = Height of the tree in feet

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The root system weight is about 20% of the above-ground weight. Therefore, to determine the total green weight of the tree, multiply the above-ground weight by 1.2: W total green weight = 1.2* W above-ground

Step 2: Determine the dry weight of the tree

The average tree is 72.5% dry matter and 27.5% moisture. Therefore, to determine the dry weight of the tree, multiply the total green weight of the tree by 72.5%.

W dry weight = 0.725 * W total green weight

Step 3: Determine the weight of carbon in the tree

The average carbon content is generally 50% of the tree's dry weight total volume. Therefore, in determining the weight of carbon in the tree, multiply the dry weight of the tree by 50%.

W carbon = 0.5 * W dry weight

Step 4: Determine the weight of carbon dioxide sequestered in the tree

 CO_2 has one molecule of Carbon and 2 molecules of Oxygen. The atomic weight of Carbon is 12 (u) and the atomic weight of Oxygen is 16 (u). The weight of CO_2 in trees is determined by the ratio of CO_2 to C is 44/12 = 3.67. Therefore, to determine the weight of carbon dioxide sequestered in the tree, multiply the weight of carbon in the tree by 3.67. W carbon-dioxide = 3.67 * W carbon





3 RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS



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3.1 CARBON FOOTPRINT ESTIMATION

3.1.1 ENERGY

a. Electricity

Electricity is purchased from KSEB under 8 LT Connections, the details are given below.

	Electricity Co	nnection Details				
	St. Thomas College, Ranni					
1	Name of the Consumer	St. Thomas College, Rann				
2	Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph				
3	Consumer Numbers	1146072000540, 1146071019877, 1146079005428, 1146073013642, 1146070013641, 1146079016949, 1146076000773, 1146071019877				
5	Connected Load Total (kW)	107				
6	Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)	28219				

Electricity Bill Analysis

Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)					
Consumer No	2018-19	2019-20	Connected Load (kW)		
1146072000540	522	611	2		
1146071019877	5432	513	6		
1146079005428	1213	1834	4		
1146073013642	2234	4675	16		
1146070013641	13029	14234	16		
1146079016949	3672	1876	35		
1146076000773	9821	3241	22		
1146071019877	2987	1235	6		
Total	35923	28219	107		

Diesel

	Diesel Consu	mption Details	an annuación de	
	Transportation	Generator	Total	cost
	in L	in L	in L	in Rs
2018-19	0	344	344	30960
2019-20	0	289	289	26010



LPG

LPG Consump	tion Details	
	2018-19	2019-20
No Cylinders	4	5
Canteen/Lab LPG Consumption in kg	60	75
Total in kg	60	75

	Base Line Energy [Data				
	St. Thomas College, Ranni					
		2018-19	2019-20			
1	Electricity KSEB (kWh)	35923	28219			
2	Electricity DG (kWh)	1032	867			
3	Electricity Solar , Off grid (kWh)	0.00	0.00			
4	Electricity (KSEB + DG + Off grid) kWh	36955	29086			
5	Electricity Grid Tied (kWh)	1278	1278			
6	Diesel (L)	0	0			
7	LPG (kg)	60.00	75.00			
8	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0.00			

	Energy Consumption Profile				
SI No	Fuel	2018-19	2019-20		
1	Electricity	31781300	25013960		
2	Diesel	0	0		
3	LPG	720000	900000		
4	Biogas	0	0		
	Total	32501300	25913960		

Thermal Fuel Cons	sumption	
St. Thomas Colleg	e, Ranni	
	2018-19	2019-20
Annual LPG consumption in kg	60	75
Annual Diesel consumption in L	344	289
Annual petrol consumption in L	0	0
Annual Biogas consumption in m3	0	0



Renewable Energy



biogas plant is installed in a facility and is not working, it is recommended to repair the plant to effectively manage bio degradable waste. Some common reasons why a biogas plant may not be working include clogging of the pipes, leaks in the system, and inadequate maintenance. Therefore, it is important to regularly maintain the plant to ensure that it is functioning properly.

Once the biogas plant is repaired and functioning, it can provide numerous benefits such as reducing waste management costs, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, and providing a renewable energy source.





Specific Energy Consumption

	OTTOTRACTIONS- ENER	GY AUDIT	
	St. Thomas College, I	Ranni	
	Energy Performance Inc	lex (EPI)	
SI No	Particulars	2018-19	2019-20
1	Total building area (m²)	8317	8317
2	Annual Energy Consumption (kCal)	32501300	25913960
3	Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	37792	30133
4	Total Energy in Toe	3.25	2.59
5	Specific Energy Consumption kWh/m²	4.54	3.62

The specific energy consumption in 2019-20 may be taken as benchmark.



3.3. Waste Generation total

The major concern of waste management will be focused on the solid waste produced by the campus. Solid wastes produced in the campus are mainly of three types, food waste, paper waste, and plastic waste. Food wastes produced in the campus are mainly by two means. The vegetable wastes produced in the kitchen during the food preparation. The food waste produced by the students and staffs of the campus after the consumption of meals.



Degradable Waste

Degradable Wa	ste Generation	
St. Thomas Co	ollege, Ranni	
Particulars	2018-19	2019-20
Total Occupancy	923	893
Waste generated in kg /day	18.46	17.86
Waste generated in kg /Yr	4061.2	3929.2

Non-Degradable waste

Solid non degradable W	aste Generation	
St. Thomas Colle	ge, Ranni	
Particulars	2018-19	2019-20
Total Occupancy	923	893
Waste paper generated in kg /day	0.1846	0.1786
Waste plastic generated in kg /day	0.2769	0.2679
Waste paper generated in kg /Yr	40.61	39.29
Waste plastic generated in kg /Yr	60.92	58.94

3.4. Transportation

The college does not have any vehicles for logistics

Carbon Emission Profile (2019-20)

Carbon emissions in the campus due to the day-to-day activities are calculated and is discussed below. The emission factors considered for estimation and its units are given.

E	mission Factors	
Item	Factor	Unit
Electricity	0.00082	tCo2e/kWh
LPG	0.0015	tCo2e/kg
Diesel	0.0032	tCo2e/kg
Petrol	0.0031	tCo2e/kg
Food Waste	0.00063	tCo2e/kg
Paper Waste	0.00056	tCo2e/kg
Plastic Waste	0.00034	tCo2e/kg



Carbon Foot Print 2019-20

	Carbon Fo	ot Print			
SI. No.	Particulars	2018-19	tCO2e	2019-20	tCO2e
1	Electricity (kWh)	36955	30.30	29086	23.85
2	Diesel (L)	0	0.00	0	0.00
3	LPG (kg)	60.00	0.09	75.00	0.11
4	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000
5	Degradable Waste in kg/yr.	4061.2	2.56	3929.2	2.48
6	Paper Waste in kg/yr	40.61	0.02	39.29	0.02
	Total Carbon Foot Print tCO2e/yr		32.97		26.46

3.5. CARBON SEQUESTRATION

All the activities including energy consumption and waste management have their equivalent carbon emission and they positively contribute to the carbon footprint of the campus. Carbon sequestration is the reverse process, at which the emitted carbon dioxide will get sequestrated according to the type of carbon sequestration employed. Even though there are many natural sequestration processes are involved in a campus, the major type of sequestration among them is the carbon sequestration by trees.

Carbon Sequest	ration	
Particular's	2018-19	2019-20
Total No of Trees	236	236
Carbon sequestrated by trees in the campus (tCO2e)	6.6	6.90

Trees sequestrate carbon dioxide through the biochemical process of photosynthesis and it is stored as carbon in their trunk, branches, leaves and roots. The amount of carbon sequestrated by a tree can be calculated by different methods. In this study, the volumetric approach was taken into account, thus the details including CBH (Circumference at Breast Height), height, average age, and total number of the trees, are required. Details of the trees in the campus compound are given in the Table. Detailed table is included in the technical supplement.

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- · Determining the weight of carbon in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree
- · Determining the weight of CO2 sequestrated in the tree per year

List of Trees in Campus

SI. No.	English Name	QTY
1	Jackfruit Tree	12
2	Mango	9
3	Ashoka Tree	1
4	Bulletwood	2
5	Teak	84
6	Coconut	21
7	Wild Jack	7
8	Royal Princiana	4
9	Mahagony	38
10	Soursop Tree	7
11	Golden Shower Tree	8
12	Guava Tree	10
13	Rambutan	3
14	Copper Pod	3
15	False Ashoka	6
16	Caturina	1
17	Ornamental Palm	10
18	All Spice	1
19	Pride of India	2
20	Papaya	2
21	Bay Leaf	1
22	Persian Silk Tree	1
23	Araucaria	1
24	Hyophorbe	1
25	Sand Paper Tree	1
	Total	236



CARBON FOOTPRINT OF THE CAMPUS (2019-20)

Various carbon emitting activities such as consumption of energy, transportation and waste generation leads to the total emission of 26.46 tCO₂e per year by the campus. The total carbon sequestration by trees in the campus compound is 6.90tCO₂e. Thus, the current carbon footprint of the campus will be the difference of total carbon emission and total carbon sequestration/mitigation. The following table shows the carbon footprint level

Specific CO2 Footprint

SI No	Particulars	2018-19	2019-20
1	Total carbon emission tCO2e	32,97	26.46
2	Total carbon sequestration tCO2e	6.56	6.90
3	Amount of carbon mitigated through renewable energy tCO ₂ e	1.05	1.05
4	To be mitigated tCO2e	25.37	18.51
5	Total No of Students	923	893
6	Specific Carbon Footprint kg CO2e/Student/Yr	27.49	20.73

The total specific carbon footprint is estimated as 20.73 kg of CO₂e per student for the year 2019-20.





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Carbon Mitigation Plans



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The total emission of the carbon dioxide per student is **26.46** kg per year (2019-2020). Emission reduction plans were prepared to bring the existing per capita carbon footprint to zero or below so as to bring the campus a carbon neutral or carbon negative campus.

This can be achieved in many ways but, every alternate plan must be in such a way that, it must fulfill the actual purpose of each activity that is considered.

Here, three major methods are taken in to account as the plans for reducing the carbon emission of the campus.

- · Resource optimisation
- Energy efficiency
- Renewable energy

RESOURCE OPTIMISATION

The effective use of resources can limit its unnecessary wastage. Optimal usage of the resources (such as fuels) can save the fuel and can also reduce the carbon emission due to its consumption. This technique can be effectively implemented in the 'transportation' and 'waste' sectors of the campus.

WASTE MINIMISATION

Optimal utilisation of paper and plastic stationaries can reduce the frequency of purchase of items. This can reduce the unnecessary wastage of money as well as the excess production of waste. In the case of food, proper food habits and housekeeping practices can optimise its usage.

Currently, the campus is taking an appreciable effort to reduce the unnecessary production of wastes. But the campus still has opportunities to reduce the generation of waste and can improve much more. Resource optimisation can be effectively implemented in all type of waste generated in the campus and the campus can expect about 50% reduction the total waste produced.

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ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Energy efficiency is the practice of reducing the energy requirements while achieving the required energy output. Energy efficiency can be effectively implemented in all the sectors of the campus.

FUELS FOR COOKING

The campus uses commercial LPG cylinders for its cooking purpose. The campus can install a biogas plant to treat food waste and the biogas thus generated can be used in kitchen. Installation of a solar water heater to rise the water temperature to a much higher level, then it has to consume only very less amount of thermal energy for preparing the same amount of food is another method. This can make a positive benefit to the campus by saving money, energy and can reduce the carbon emission of the campus due to thermal energy consumed for cooking.

TRANSPORTATION

Energy efficiency of the transportation sector is mainly depended on the fuel efficiency of the vehicles used. Here mileage of the vehicle (kmpl - Kilometres per Litre) is calculated to assess the fuel efficiency of the vehicle.

Percentage of closeness is the ratio of actual mileage of the vehicle to its expected mileage. If the percentage of closeness of mileages of each vehicle is greater than that of its average, then the efficiency status of the vehicle is considered as 'Above average' and else, it is considered as 'Below average'.

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Carbon Mitigation Proposals

After analyzing the historical and measured data the following projects are proposed to make the campus carbon neutral. The projects are from energy efficiency and renewable energy. The further additions in the green cover increase will also give positive impact in the carbon mitigation.

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		(kWh)	MWh	Years	ĒΟ	RO €
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	3591	3.59	10	2.62	26.21
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	3105	3.10	10	2.27	22.66
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	397	0.40	10	0.29	2.90
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 156 No's in-efficent ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4770	4.77	10	3.48	34.82
	Total	11863	12	10	8.66	86.60

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1	Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant	13688	13.69	25	9.99	249.80
	Total	13688	14	25	9.99	250

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Energy Saving Proposal Code 1

Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube

Existing Scenario

84 numbers of T8(40 W) lamps were identified during the energy audit field survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that the average utility of these fittings are of 30%.

Proposed System

The existing T8 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18W in phased manner and the savings will be of 55% (inclusive of improved light output and reduced energy consumption)

Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	84
Total load (kW)	3.36
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	5645
Expected Annual Energy saving for replacing all fittings (kWh)	3105
Cost of Power	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	0.25
Investment required for complete replacements [@Rs 300 per fittings](Lakhs Rs)	0.25
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	12.18

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Energy Saving Proposal Code	
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 to 18W LED Tube	No's T12 (55W) Lamps
Existing Scenario	
257 numbers of T12(55 W) lamps were identified during survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is average utility of these fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	
The existing T12 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18W the savings will be of 67% (inclusive of improved light o energy consumption)	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
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No of fittings	58
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Energy Saving Proposal	
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Existing Scenario	
There are 156 numbers of ceiling fans installed in the a day operation. All are conventional type and most of	
Proposed System	
There is an energy saving opportunity in replace the e star labelled fans. The five star labelled fans give a sa higher service value (air delivery/watt).	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hrs)	2400
Total numbers of ordinary fans	156
Total load (kW)	10.92
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	17035
Expected Annual Energy saving, for total replacement(kWh)	4770
Cost of Power (Rs)	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	
	0.38
Investment required for a total replacement (Lakhs Rs)[@3000 Rs per Fan with 50W at full speed]	0.38 4.68

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Energy Saving Proposal	
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No to 9W LED Bulb	's CFL(15W) Lamps
Existing Scenario	
24 numbers of CFL (15W) lamps were identified during the survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is obsaverage utility of these fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	
The existing CFL may be replaced to LED Bulb of 9W in ph savings will be of 40% (inclusive of improved light output a consumption)	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	40
	46
Total load (kW)	0.69
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Energy Saving Proposal

Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant

Existing Scenario

There is a good potential of solar power electricity generation. The availability of sunlight is very high. There are some canopies available in the proposed site, but by having proper trimming of trees this may be avoided. If the SPVs are place in the roof top it will help improving RTTV (Roof Thermal Transmit Value) of the building.

Proposed System

It is proposed to have a Solar Power Plant of 10kW at the beginning stage. The state and central government is pushing and giving good assistance to the installation. It can be installed as an internal grid connected system which is much cheaper than off grid system. Now days the technology provides trouble free grid interactive and connected system. The installation will provide 25yrs trouble free generation with only 20% efficiency loss at the 25th year.

Financial Analysis	
Proposed Solar installed Capacity (kW)	10
Total average kWh per day expected (3.5kWh/day average)	37.50
Total annual Generating Capacity (kWh)	13688
Cost of energy generated annually Lakhs Rs	1.82
Investment required (INR lakh)(Approx)	5.50
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	36.26
Life cycle in Yrs	25
Total Saving in Life Cycle (Approx) RS lakh	45.51

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		Summary			
Co	onsolidated Cost Benefit Analysis of	The second secon	The second second second second	ovement l	Projects
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SI No	Projects	Investment	Cost saving	SPB	Energy saved
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1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.17	0.29	7.27	3591
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.25	0.248	12.18	3105
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	0.04	0.032	15.63	397
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 156 No's in-efficent ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4.68	0.382	147.17	4770
5	Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant	5.50	1.820	36.26	13688
	Total	10.47	2.48	43.70	21959

(The saving are projected as per the assumed operation time observed based in the discussions with the plant officials. The data of saving percentages are taken from BEE guide books and field measurements.)

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5 CONCLUSION



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The carbon emission from different sectors namely, Energy, Transportation and wastes were calculated using standard procedures. Carbon sequestration by the trees present in the campus was also estimated. From these the total carbon footprint of the campus was arrived at.

1	Total Carbon Foot Print tCO2e/yr	26.46
2	Carbon Sequestrated tCO2e/yr	6,90
3	Carbon mitigated by Renewable Energy tCO ₂ e/yr (Installed)	1.05
4	Carbon mitigated by Renewable Energy tCO ₂ e/yr (Proposed)	9.99
5	Carbon mitigated by Energy Efficiency (Proposed) tCO ₂ e/yr	8.66
6	Effective Carbon footprint tCO2e/yr	-0.14
7	Total No of Students	829
8	Specific Carbon Footprint kg CO2e/Student/Yr	-0.17

From this study it was found that carbon footprint of the campus to be -0.17 kgCO₂e/ Student/ Year in place of current footprint i.e., 31.92 kgCO₂e/ student/ Year. To achieve this an investment of 10.47 lakhs Rs is required through energy efficiency and renewable energy projects proposed. It will be around 1263 Rs per student to make the campus the carbon negative.

	Cost to make the campus Carbon Negative	
1	Cost of implementation in Energy Efficiency Lakhs Rs	4.97
	Cost of implementation in Renewable Energy Lakhs Rs	5.50
3	Total Lakhs Rs	10.47
4	Total number of students	829
5	Cost per student to make the campus carbon negative Rs/ Student	1263



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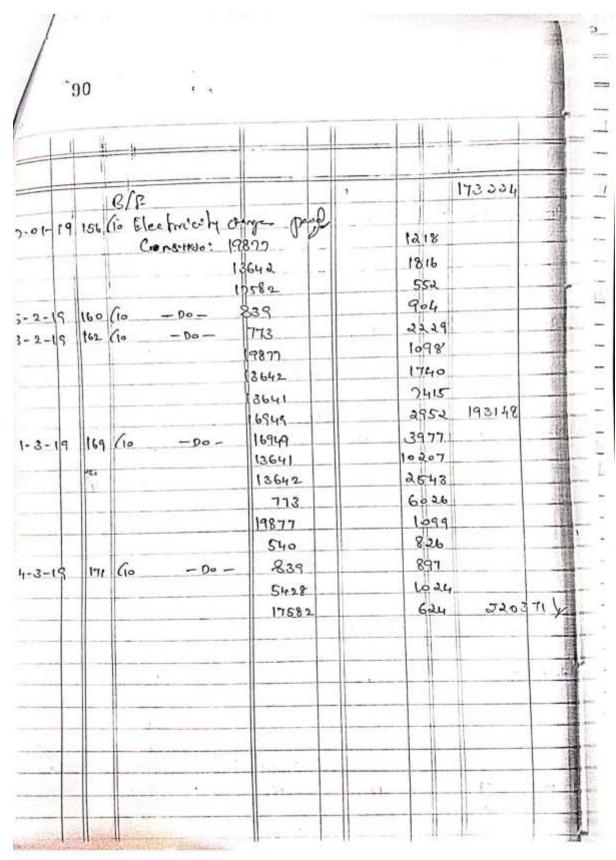


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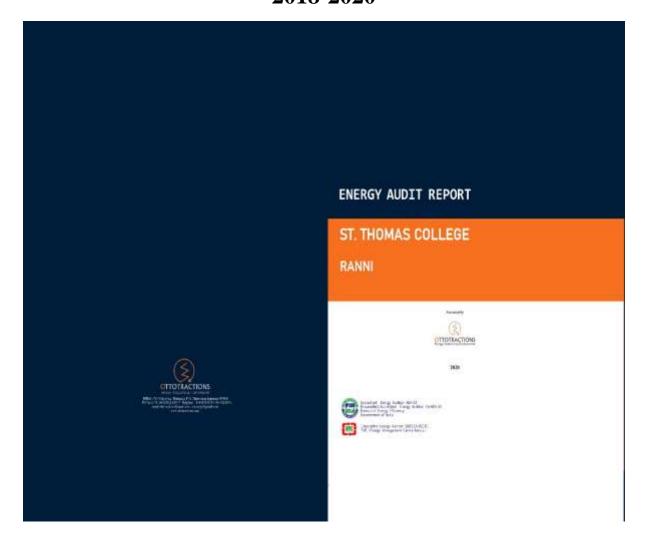
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This is to certify that

The data collection has been carried out diligently and truthfully;

All data monitoring devices are in good working condition and have been calibrated or certified by approved agencies authorised and no tampering of such devices has occurred;

All reasonable professional skill, care and diligence had been taken in preparing the energy audit report and the contents thereof are a true representation of the facts;

Adequate training provided to personnel involved in daily operations after implementation of recommendations; and

The energy audit has been carried out in accordance with the Bureau of Energy Efficiency (Manner and Intervals of Time for the Conduct of Energy Audit) Regulations, 2010.

SURESH BABU B V ACCREDITED ENERGY AUDITOR (AEA 33)

-		Summary			
	Consolidated Cost Benefit Analysis of I			ovement P	rojects
SI No	Projects St. Thomas C	Investment	Cost	SPB	Energy
INO	20	(Lakhs Rs)	(Rs)/Yr	Months	kWh/Yr
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.17	0.29	7.27	3591
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.25	0.248	12,18	3105
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	0.04	0.032	15.63	397
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 156 No's in-efficient ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4.68	0.382	147.17	4770
5	Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant	5.50	1.820	36.26	13688
	Total	10.47	2.48	43.70	21959

(The saving are projected as per the assumed operation time observed based in the discussions with the plant officials. The data of saving percentages are taken from BEE guide books and field measurements.)



1 Introduction

A detailed energy audit has been carried out at St. Thomas College Ranni by OTTOTRACTIONS in April 2020. During the energy audit energy saving opportunities has been identified to help improving energy efficiency of the facility. OTTOTRACTIONS is an Accredited Energy Auditor of Bureau of Energy Efficiency and Empaneled Energy Auditor of Energy Management Centre, Government of Kerala.

This energy audit report complies with the clauses in *Energy Conservation Act*, 2001 on mandatory energy audit (**Form 4** [refer regulation 6(2)] guidelines for preparation of energy audit report) and complies with the G.O (Rt) No.2/2011/PD dated 01.01.2011 issued by Government of Kerala on mandatory energy audit.

1.1. General Building details and descriptions

The history of the college is embedded in the history of Ranni. The college is situated on the top of a serene hill, in a sylvan surrounding, away from the din and bustle of the city, easily accessible and is at a walkable distance from the heart of Ranni town. The college was established in 1964, as a junior college by St Thomas Valiyapally Ranni, a pioneer parish of the Syrian Knanaya Arch Diocese of Malankara, with the whole hearted support of the then Bishop late lamented His Excellency Abraham Mor Clemis to meet the educational needs of the youth of the local community. The college was upgraded to a first grade college in 1968 and is the only institution for higher education in this part of the country. When the de-linking of Pre Degree sector was



made possible by the government on administrative measures we were left with graduate and Post Graduate courses. During its 53 years of illustrious existence, the college gave birth to brilliant academicians, administrators, politicians and entrepreneurs.

The college aims at creating cultured and educated citizens who love God and their country. With its rural background and 'Gurukula' atmosphere, the college fosters uninterrupted pursuit of knowledge. The first Principal, Late Prof. K. A. Mathew, served as minister and PSC member in the Kerala State. He played a vital role in upgrading the junior college to a first grade one in 1968. As the Golden Jubilee project St. Thomas College of Advanced Studies, Edamury, Ranni, a Self-Financing College affiliated to M.G. University, Kottayam was established in June 2014. In March 2016, the College was assessed and re-accredited in the second cycle by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) of UGC and graded at B level.

Occupancy Details				
Particulars	2018-19	2019-20		
Total Students	859	829		
Staffs	64	64		
Total Occupancy of the college	923	893		

For calculating specific energy consumption, the total built-up area is taken into account.

Energy audit team

The Energy Audit team is listed below. Besides this list various domine experts also participated in this project.

- Suresh Babu B V, Accredited Energy Auditor, AEA 33
- 2. B. Zachariah, Chief Technical Consultant
- 3. Abin Baby, Project Engineer
- 4. Jomon J S, Project Engineer
- Amrutha A M, Data Analyst
- 6. Anjana B S, Project Assistant



Process description

The energy audit has been carried out at St. Thomas College, Ranni The following is the baseline data of this building.

	BASELINE DATA SHEE	TFOR	GREEN	AUD	T			
1	Name of the Organisation	St. Thomas College, Ranni						
2	Address (include telephone, fax & e-mail)	St. Thomas College, Ranni, Pathanamthitta, 689641, stcranni@gmail.com,+91 8301057965				7965		
2	Year of Establishment	1964						
3	Name of building and Total No. of Electrical Connections/building	St. Thomas college (8)						
4	Total Number of Students	Boys		Girls		Total	829	
5	Total Number of Staff			district and the same	64			
6	Total Occupancy	893						
7	Total area of green cover	50%						
8	Type of Electrical Connection	HT	0	LT		8		
9	Total Connected Load (kW)	107						
10	Average Maximum Demand (KVA)				22			
11	Total built up area of the building (M2)			į	8317			
12	Number of Buildings				5			
13	Average system Power Factor			1	0.96			
14	Details of capacitors connected		0		NA			
15	Transformer Details (Nos., kVA, Voltage	TR 1						
13	ratio)	NA						
15	DG Set Details (kVA,)	DG1	DG2	DG3	DG4	DG5	Remarks	
13	DG Set Details (KVA,)	10	11122221311		1110 20 2			
		Rating		Nos.		Remarks		
16	Details of motors	5 to 10			2]		
10	Details of filotors	10 t	o 50					
		Abov	ve 50					



Energy and utility system description

3.1.1 Electricity

Electricity is purchased from KSEB under 8 LT Connections, the details are given below. A 10 kVA Diesel Generator are in operation at this campus

	Electricity C	onnection Details				
	St. Thomas College, Ranni					
1	Name of the Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni				
2	Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph				
3	Consumer Numbers	1146072000540, 1146071019877, 1146079005428, 1146073013642, 1146070013641, 1146079016949, 1146076000773, 1146071019877				
5	Connected Load Total (kW)	107				
6	Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)	28219				

3.2. Thermal Energy / Transportation

There are no vehicles operated from college for transportation. LPG is used for cooking in the canteen and diesel is used to operate Diesel Generators.

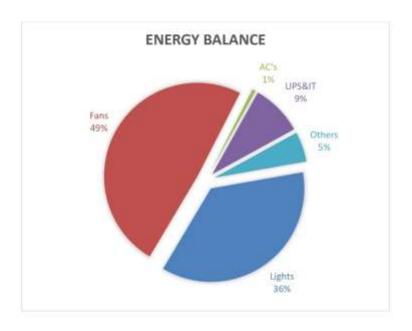
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Energy Balance



49 % of the total energy consumed in this facility is used to operate Fans. Lighting uses 36% UPS and IT Uses AC uses 9%. Air-conditioners uses 1% and Others uses 5%.



Performance evaluation of major utilities and process equipment's /systems.

- 5.1. List of equipment and process where performance testing was done.
 - 5.1.1. Electrical System
 - 5.1.2. Lighting & Fans

5.2. Results of performance testing

5.2.1. Electrical System

The average unit cost of electricity is **8.00 Rs/kWh**. This is taken as the basis for the financial analysis of electrical energy efficiency projects. The information on average energy consumption is taken from the historical electricity bill analysis.

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Electricity Consumption

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Consumer No	2018-19	2019-20	Connected Load (kW)
1146072000540	522	611	2
1146071019877	5432	513	6
1146079005428	1213	1834	4
1146073013642	2234	4675	16
1146070013641	13029	14234	16
1146079016949	3672	1876	35
1146076000773	9821	3241	22
1146071019877	2987	1235	6
Total	35923	28219	107

Diesel

The campus has a Diesel Generator. The details of Diesel consumption is given below.

Diesel Consumption Details							
	Transportation	Generator	Total	cost			
	in L	in L	in L	in Rs			
2018-19	0	344	344	30960			
2019-20	0	289	289	26010			

	Base Line Energy D	ata					
	St. Thomas College, Ranni						
		2018-19	2019-20				
1	Electricity KSEB (kWh)	35923	28219				
2	Electricity DG (kWh)	1032	867				
3	Electricity Solar , Off grid (kWh)	0.00	0.00				
4	Electricity (KSEB + DG + Off grid) kWh	36955	29086				
5	Electricity Grid Tied (kWh)	1278	1278				
6	Diesel (L)	0	0				
7	LPG (kg)	60.00	75.00				
8	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0.00				

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	Energy Consumption Profile				
SI No	Fuel	2018-19	2019-20		
1	Electricity	31781300	25013960		
2	Diesel	0	0		
3	LPG	720000	900000		
4	Biogas	0	0		
	Total	32501300	25913960		

Solar Power Plant

Sola	r Power Plant	
Capacity (kWp)	2018-19	2019-20
1	1278	1278

Lighting

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SI.No	Location	Lights							Fans	
		LED-T	LED-B	LED-SQ	T8	T12	ICL	CFL	CF	EF
1	Principal	1		9		1			2	Т
2	Conf Hall				2	2			1	
3	Office	1			3	4			6	
4	Admn Room	1			4				3	
5	Manager					1			2	
6	Malayalam Dpmt	1							1	
7	3 Rooms	3							3	
8	4 Rooms					4			4	
9	9 Rooms					27			13	
10	Seminar Hall	3							6	1
11	4 Rooms				4				4	
12	Botany department					1		4	2	
13	Museum	1							2	
14	5 Classrooms	1				5			5	
15	Physics Department	1	1		2	1		2	5	
16	Computer lab				3				2	
17	3 Rooms							12	9	
18	3 Rooms				3				3	
19	3 Rooms				3				3	
20	English department					2			1	
21	6 Rooms				6			1,	6	

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	Total	19	3	9	84	58	3	46	156	1
33	Auditorium	4			22				13	
32	5 Rooms			<u> </u>	7				5	
31	3 Rooms	1			1	2			3	
30	2 Rooms)	2				2	
29	3 Rooms				3				4	
28	4 Rooms			ji i				4	4	
27	9 Rooms	1		JI.	5	1		1	9	
26	6 Rooms				6			2	6	
25	3 Departments	W			6	6			14	
24	Lab			2	2	1		3	4	
23	3 Rooms						3	1	3	
22	Conf Hall	111	2					22	6	

Lux Measurement

SI. No:	Location	Lux Avg
1	Manager	64
2	Seminar Hall	74
3	Botany department	80
4	Museum	84
5	Physics Department	93
6	Computer lab	75
7	Lab	76
8	Auditorium	88



Energy efficiency in utility and process system

The specific energy consumption is normally taken as the ratio of total energy consumed to the total are of building.

	OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERG	GY AUDIT	
	St. Thomas College, F	Ranni	
	Energy Performance Ind	ex (EPI)	
SI No	Particulars	2018-19	2019-20
1	Total building area (m²)	8317	8317
2	Annual Energy Consumption (kCal)	32501300	25913960
3	Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	37792	30133
4	Total Energy in Toe	3.25	2.59
5	Specific Energy Consumption kWh/m²	4.54	3.62

The Energy Performance Index (EPI) is

3.62 kWh/m2

The EPI of 2019-20 may be taken as benchmark.



Evaluation of energy management system

Energy management policy

There is no written energy policy available, but environment policy is available which includes energy conservation also. A draft energy management policy is given below. The management may constitute an energy management policy and display the same in the plant to motivate the staff.

ST. THOMAS COLLEGE RANNI, RANNI

ENERGY POLICY

(Draft)

We are committed to optimally utilize various forms of energy in a cost effective manner to effect conservation of energy resources. We are committed to conserve the energy which is a scarce resource with the requisite consistency in the efficiency, effectiveness in the cost involved in the operations and ensuring that production quality and quantity, environment, safety, health of people are maintained. We are also committed to increase the renewable energy share of the total energy we use.

We are also committed to monitor continuously the saving achieved and reduce its specific energy consumption by minimum of 2% every year.

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Head of the Institution

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7.1. Energy management monitoring system

- Energy Management Cell has to be constituted with an objective to revise action plan for energy conservation thereby reducing the production cost.
- Energy conservation tips/ posters are displayed in crucial points.
- Use of renewable energy has to be encouraged.

7.2. Training to staff responsible for operational and Documentation.

- The staff and students need to be made more aware of the importance of energy saving and management.
- Log books shall be maintained to record Electricity Consumption and Diesel consumption.
- Meter reading shall be taken and compared with KSEB regularly.
- Better operating practices regarding appliances and fixtures should be taught to the staff.

7.3. Best Practices

- · Have solid waste management program
- Conducted Green Audit.
- · Have different social and environmental clubs
- Started to installing LED Lights
- Conducted Energy Conservation Training Programs
- · Installed Solar street lights



Energy Conservation Measures and Recommendations

	Executive	Summary			
	Consolidated Cost Benefit Analysis of	Energy Efficie	ncy Impro	vement Pr	ojects
	St. Thomas	College, Rann	i		
SI No	Projects	Investment	Cost saving	SPB	Energy saved
IVO	14.7A (144-13-5) (1)-1	(Lakhs Rs)	(Rs)/Yr	Months	kWh/Yr
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.17	0.29	7.27	3591
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.25	0.248	12.18	3105
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	0.04	0.032	15.63	397
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 156 No's in-efficent ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4.68	0.382	147,17	4770
5	Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant	5.50	1.820	36.26	13688
	Total	10.47	2.48	43.70	21959

(The saving are projected as per the assumed operation time observed based in the discussions with the plant officials. The data of saving percentages are taken from BEE guide books and field measurements.)

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OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERGY AUDIT

Energy Saving Proposal Code 1

Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube

Existing Scenario

84 numbers of T8(40 W) lamps were identified during the energy audit field survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that the average utility of these fittings are of 30%.

Proposed System

The existing T8 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18W in phased manner and the savings will be of 55% (inclusive of improved light output and reduced energy consumption)

Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	84
Total load (kW)	3.36
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	5645
Expected Annual Energy saving for replacing all fittings (kWh)	3105
Cost of Power	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	0.25
Investment required for complete replacements [@Rs 300 per fittings](Lakhs Rs)	0.25
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	12.18

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OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERGY AUD	IT .
Energy Saving Proposal Code	1.00
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 No's LED Tube	T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W
Existing Scenario	
257 numbers of T12(55 W) lamps were identified during the ethe facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	
The existing T12 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18W in ph savings will be of 67% (inclusive of improved light output and consumption)	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	58
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Total load (kW)	3.19
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OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERGY AUDIT

Energy Saving Proposal

Energy Saving by replacing existing 156 No's in-efficient ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans

Existing Scenario

There are 156 numbers of ceiling fans installed in the facility with minimum 8 hrs a day operation. All are conventional type and most of them are very old.

Proposed System

There is an energy saving opportunity in replace the existing fans with new five star labelled fans. The five star labelled fans give a savings up to 30% with higher service value (air delivery/watt).

Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hrs)	2400
Total numbers of ordinary fans	156
Total load (kW)	10.92
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	17035
Expected Annual Energy saving, for total replacement(kWh)	4770
Cost of Power (Rs)	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	0.38
Investment required for a total replacement (Lakhs Rs)[@3000 Rs per Fan with 50W at full speed]	4.68
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	147.17

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OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERGY AUDI	Γ
Energy Saving Proposal	
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No's LED Bulb	CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W
Existing Scenario	
24 numbers of CFL (15W) lamps were identified during the en the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that th fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	sar cany
The existing CFL may be replaced to LED Bulb of 9W in phase savings will be of 40% (inclusive of improved light output and a consumption)	
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Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
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Annual working hours (hr) No of fittings	46 0.69 994 397 8.00



Energy Saving Proposal

Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant

Existing Scenario

There is a good potential of solar power electricity generation. The availability of sunlight is very high. There are some canopies available in the proposed site, but by having proper trimming of trees this may be avoided. If the SPVs are place in the roof top it will help improving RTTV (Roof Thermal Transmit Value) of the building.

Proposed System

It is proposed to have a Solar Power Plant of 10kW at the beginning stage. The state and central government is pushing and giving good assistance to the installation. It can be installed as an internal grid connected system which is much cheaper than off grid system. Now days the technology provides trouble free grid interactive and connected system. The installation will provide 25yrs trouble free generation with only 20% efficiency loss at the 25th year.

Financial Analysis

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Proposed Solar installed Capacity (kW)	10
Total average kWh per day expected (3.5kWh/day average)	37.50
Total annual Generating Capacity (kWh)	13688
Cost of energy generated annually Lakhs Rs	1.82
Investment required (INR lakh)(Approx)	5.50
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	36.26
Life cycle in Yrs	25
Total Saving in Life Cycle (Approx) RS lakh	45.51

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	St. Thomas Greenhouse Gas Mitigation throu			fficiency	Project	S
SI No	Projects	Energy	Ę	Sustainability (Years)	First year ton of CO2 mitigated	Expected Tons of CO2 mitigated through out life cycle
		(kWh)	MWh	Years	Firs	E of
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	3591	3.59	10	2.62	26.21
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	3105	3.10	10	2.27	22.66
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	397	0.40	10	0.29	2.90
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 156 No's in-efficent ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4770	4.77	10	3.48	34.82
	Total	11863	12	10	8.66	86.60

	St. Tho	mas College	, Ranni			
	Greenhouse Gas Mitigatio	n through R	enewable	Energy	Projects	
SI No	Projects	Energy	y)	Sustainabilit y (Years)	year ton of 2 mitigated	cted Tons of 2 mitigated ugh out life cycle
		(kWh)	MWh	Years	First) CO2	Expe COO thro
1	Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant	13688	13.69	25	9.99	249.80
	Total	13688	14	25	9.99	250

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Technical Supplements

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1	Principal	1		9		1	-		2		1	0.01.000.000	1	1		7.2.2.2.3
2	Conf Hall	100			2	2			1		7.14		1	110	1	
3	Office	1.1			3	4			6		- 2		2		-	
4	Admn Room	1			4				3		3		1			
5	Manager	-				1			2		- 1		1			
6	Malayalam Dpmt	1				1111			1							
7	3 Rooms	3							3							
8	4 Rooms					4			4							
9	9 Rooms					27			13							
10	Seminar Hall	3				-			6	1.1		- 1				
11	4 Rooms				4	105			4		- 22 - 1					
12	Botany department				-	1			2		1		1			1
13	Museum	1							2				1			
14	5 Classrooms	1				5		20	5							
15	Physics Department	1	1		2	1		2	- 5			1	1			
16	Computer lab				3				2				5			
17	3 Rooms							12	9							
18	3 Rooms				3				3							
19	3 Rooms				.3				3							
20	English department					2			1				1			
21	6 Rooms				6	-			6				1			

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	Total	19	3	9	84	58	3	46	156	1	9	2	39	1	1	1
33	Auditorium	4			22				13							
32	5 Rooms				7	7.00			5							
31	3 Rooms	1			1	2			3							
30	2 Rooms				2				2							
29	3 Rooms				-3				4							
28	4 Rooms				122			4	4							
27	9 Rooms	1			5	1		1	9							
26	6 Rooms				6			2	6							
25	3 Departments				-6	6		-	14		200		-			
24	Lab				2	1		3	4		1		24			
23	3 Rooms						3		3							
22	Conf Hall		2					22	- 6				- 1			

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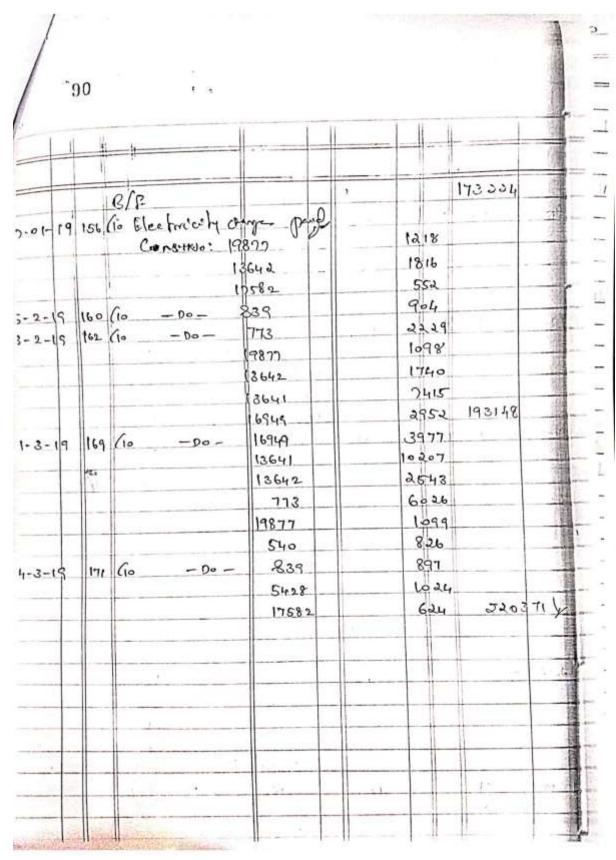


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INTRODUCTION

St. Thomas College, Ranni has entrusted Ottotractions to carry out an environment audit of their campus building.

Each section contains recommendations for improvements relating to environmental issues, which are consolidated in the action plan in section 4.

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BACKGROUND

The history of the college is embedded in the history of Ranni. The college is situated on the top of a serene hill, in a sylvan surrounding, away from the din and bustle of the city, easily accessible and is at a walkable distance from the heart of Ranni town. The college was established in 1964, as a junior college by St Thomas Valiyapally Ranni, a pioneer parish of the Syrian Knanaya Arch Diocese of Malankara, with the whole hearted support of the then Bishop late lamented His Excellency Abraham Mor Clemis to meet the educational needs of the youth of the local community. The college was upgraded to a first grade college in 1968 and is

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the only institution for higher education in this part of the country. When the delinking of Pre Degree sector was made possible by the government on administrative measures we were left with graduate and Post Graduate courses. During its 53 years of illustrious existence, the college gave birth to brilliant academicians, administrators, politicians and entrepreneurs.

The college aims at creating cultured and educated citizens who love God and their country. With its rural background and 'Gurukula' atmosphere, the college fosters uninterrupted pursuit of knowledge. The first Principal, Late Prof. K. A. Mathew, served as minister and PSC member in the Kerala State. He played a vital role in upgrading the junior college to a first grade one in 1968. As the Golden Jubilee project St. Thomas College of Advanced Studies, Edamury, Ranni, a Self Financing College affiliated to M.G. University, Kottayam was established in June 2014. In March 2016, the College was assessed and re-accredited in the second cycle by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) of UGC and graded at B level.

Occupancy Details							
Particulars 2018-19 2019-2							
Total Students	859	829					
Staffs	64	64					
Total Occupancy of the college	923	893					

Total student strength of the campus is 829. For calculating per capita carbon emission estimation, the student strength is taken into account.

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ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

This section is broken down into the following different areas: waste, water, energy, resource and materials use and procurement. A final 'other' section is also included for any additional issues.

1.1. Waste

The way communities generate and manage their waste plays an absolutely key role in their ability to use resources efficiently. All buildings contain bins for both general

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waste and mixed recyclables (plastic bottles, card, cans and paper). On average each floor in the buildings areas has its own general waste bin and one recycling bin. When the bins are emptied by the cleaning staff. Bins are marked and kept in different colors for identification, however in some locations throughout the building it was unclear which bins were for which waste streams.

There basic which are four ways campus can do plastic recycling collection services for plastic bottles and containers curbside, drop-off, buy-back or deposit/refund programs. The first, and most widely accessible, collection method is curbside collection of recyclables. The campus is installed bins to collect plastic bottles and single use plastics. The college has given a proper awareness on plastic waste problems and they are discouraging the students or teachers to carry plastics to the campus. The Bhoomitra Sena Club is very active in the campus and do a verity of programs to build awareness on waste management. The reports on different activities of the club are attached as technical supplement of this report.

The major concern of waste management will be focused on the solid waste produced by the campus. Solid wastes produced in the campus are mainly of three types, food waste, paper waste, and plastic waste. Food wastes produced in the campus are mainly by two means. The vegetable wastes produced in the kitchen during the food preparation. The food waste produced by the students and staffs of the campus after the consumption of meals. The degradable waste is treated in the biogas plant, the biogas generated is used in the kitchen. A state of art sewage treatment plant is installed in the campus

Degradable Wa	ste Generation	
St. Thomas C	ollege, Ranni	
Particulars	2018-19	2019-20
Total Occupancy	923	893
Waste generated in kg /day	18.46	17.86
Waste generated in kg /Yr	4061.2	3929.2

Burning plastics shall be strictly restricted inside the campus. Burning plastic and other wastes releases dangerous substances such as heavy metals, Persistent Organic Pollutants, and other toxics into the air and ash waste residues. Such

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pollutants contribute to the development of asthma, cancer, endocrine disruption, and the global burden of disease.

Solid non degradable Wa	ste Generation		
St. Thomas College, Ranni			
Particulars	2018-19	2019-20	
Total Occupancy	923	893	
Waste paper generated in kg /day	0.1846	0.1786	
Waste plastic generated in kg /day	0.2769	0.2679	
Waste paper generated in kg /Yr	40.61	39.29	
Waste plastic generated in kg /Yr	60.92	58.94	

	WASTE MINIMIZATION	AND RECYCLING
1	Does your institute generate any waste?	Yes, Solid waste, Canteen waste,
	If so, what are they?	paper, plastic, Horticulture Waste etc.
2	What is the approximate amount of waste generated per day? (in Kilograms/) (approx.)	18
3	How is the waste generated in the institute managed? By	Reuse of one side printed Paper for internal communication. Kitchen waste is used to generate manures and biogas. Two types of Waste bins are provided at campus for biodegradable and non-biodegradable waste.
	1 Composting	In-house
	2 Recycling 3 Reusina	In-house
		In-house
	4 Others (specify)	
4	Do you use recycled paper in institute?	Yes
5	Do you use reused paper in institute?	Yes
6	How would you spread the message of recycling to others in the community? Have you taken any initiatives? If yes, please specify.	Number of awareness programs through Nature Club, Biodiversity Club and NSS Camp
7	Can you achieve zero garbage in your institute? If yes, how?	Not yet achieved. Possible through waste management plan.

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	Is there a garden in your	Green Cover Audit	
1	institute?		Yes
2	Do students spend time in the garden?		Yes
	Total number of Plants in	Plant type	Approx. number
3	Campus	Trees	236
	Campus	Ornamental	Not estimated
4	Number of Tree Plantation Drives organized by School per annum. (If Any)	Yes, through Nature Club and Biodiversity clu plantation drives are organized.	
5	Number of Trees Planted in Last FY.	60	
•	Survival Rate	90%	

All the activities including energy consumption and waste management have their equivalent carbon emission and they positively contribute to the carbon footprint of the campus. Carbon sequestration is the reverse process, at which the emitted carbon dioxide will get sequestrated according to the type of carbon sequestration employed. Even though there are many natural sequestration processes are involved in a campus, the major type of sequestration among them is the carbon sequestration by trees.

Trees sequestrate carbon dioxide through the biochemical process of photosynthesis and it is stored as carbon in their trunk, branches, leaves and roots. The amount of carbon sequestrated by a tree can be calculated by different methods. In this study, the volumetric approach was taken into account, thus the details including CBH (Circumference at Breast Height), height, average age, and total number of the trees, are required. Detailed table is included in the technical supplement.

Carbon Sequestration		
Particulars	2018-19	2019-20
Total No of Trees	236	236
Carbon sequestrated by trees in the campus (tCO2e)	6.6	6.90

Carbon sequestrated by a tree can be found out by using different methods. Since this study is employed the volumetric approach, the calculation consists of five processes.

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- · Determining the total weight of the tree
- · Determining the dry weight of the tree
- . Determining the weight of carbon in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree per year

Carbon sequestrated by each species of trees in the campus compound is given in the Table. Detailed calculation results are listed out in the tables provided in the technical supplements of 'Carbon sequestration'.

SI. No.	English Name	QTY
1	Jackfruit Tree	12
2	Mango	9
3	Ashoka Tree	1
4	BulletWood	2
5	Teak	84
6	Coconut	21
7	Wild Jack	7
8	Royal Princiana	4
9	Mahagony	38
10	Soursop Tree	7
11	Golden Shower Tree	8
12	Guava Tree	10
13	Rambutan	3
14	Copper Pod	3
15	False Ashoka	6
16	Caturina	1
17	Ornamental Palm	10
18	All Spice	1
19	Pride of India	2
20	Papaya	2
21	Bay Leaf	1
22	Persian Silk Tree	1
23	Araucaria	1
24	Hyophorbe	1
25	Sand Paper Tree	1
	Total	236

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3.1.1 ENERGY

a. Electricity

The total emission of the carbon dioxide per student is 20.73 kg per year. Emission reduction plans were prepared to bring the existing per capita carbon footprint to zero or below so as to bring the campus a carbon neutral or carbon negative campus. All energy efficiency projects shall be implemented, So, the effective specific carbon emission per student is -0.17kg of CO₂ per year only

This can be achieved in many ways but, every alternate plan must be in such a way that, it must fulfill the actual purpose of each activity that is considered.

Here, three major methods are taken in to account as the plans for reducing the carbon emission of the campus.

- · Resource optimization
- Energy efficiency
- Renewable energy

Electricity Consumption

	Electricity Connection Details				
	St. Thomas College, Ranni				
1	Name of the Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni			
2	Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph			
3	Consumer Numbers	1146072000540, 1146071019877, 1146079005428, 1146073013642, 1146070013641, 1146079016949, 1146076000773, 1146071019877			
5	Connected Load Total (kW)	107			
6	Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)	28219			

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Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)					
Consumer No	2018-19	2019-20	Connected Load (kW)		
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1146071019877	5432	513	6		
1146079005428	1213	1834	4		
1146073013642	2234	4675	16		
1146070013641	13029	14234	16		
1146079016949	3672	1876	35		
1146076000773	9821	3241	22		
1146071019877	2987	1235	6		
Total	35923	28219	107		

RESOURCE OPTIMISATION

The effective use of resources can limit its unnecessary wastage. Optimal usage of the resources (such as fuels) can save the fuel and can also reduce the carbon emission due to its consumption. This technique can be effectively implemented in the 'transportation' and 'waste' sectors of the campus.

WASTE MINIMISATION

Optimal utilization of paper and plastic stationaries can reduce the frequency of purchase of items. This can reduce the unnecessary wastage of money as well as the excess production of waste. In the case of food, proper food habits and housekeeping practices can optimize its usage.

Currently, College is taking an appreciable effort to reduce the unnecessary production of wastes. But the campus still has opportunities to reduce the generation of waste and can improve much more. Resource optimization can be effectively implemented in all type of waste generated in the campus and the campus can expect about 50% reduction the total waste produced.

ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Energy efficiency is the practice of reducing the energy requirements while achieving the required energy output. Energy efficiency can be effectively implemented in all the sectors of the campus.

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FUELS FOR COOKING

The campus can install a solar water heater to rise the water temperature to a much higher level, then it has to consume only very less amount of thermal energy for preparing the same amount of food. This can make a positive benefit to the campus by saving money, energy and can reduce the carbon emission of the campus due to thermal energy consumed for cooking.

TRANSPORTATION

Energy efficiency of the transportation sector is mainly depended on the fuel efficiency of the vehicles used. Here mileage of the vehicle (kmpl - Kilometres per Litre) is calculated to assess the fuel efficiency of the vehicle. Percentage of closeness is the ratio of actual mileage of the vehicle to its expected mileage. If the percentage of closeness of mileages of each vehicle is greater than that of its average, then the efficiency status of the vehicle is considered as 'Above average' and else, it is considered as 'Below average'

Renewable Energy

1kWp Solar power plant is installed in the campus which helps offsetting the carbon foot print. The details of these projects are given in the concerned chapters.

After analyzing the historical and measured data the following projects are proposed to make the campus carbon neutral. The projects are from energy efficiency and renewable energy. The further additions in the green cover increase will also give positive impact in the carbon mitigation.

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	St. Thomas Greenhouse Gas Mitigation throu			Efficienc	y Projec	cts
SI No	SI Projects		<u> </u>	Sustainability (Years)	First year ton of CO2 mitigated	Expected Tons of CO2 mitigated through out life cycle
		(kWh)	MWh	Years	Firs	@ - t
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 58 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	3591	3.59	10	2.62	26.21
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 84 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	3105	3.10	10	2,27	22.66
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 46 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	397	0.40	10	0.29	2.90
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 156 No's in-efficient ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4770	4.77	10	3.48	34.82
	Total	11863	12	10	8.66	86.60

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	Greenhouse Gas Mitigatio	n through F	Renewabl	e Energy	/ Project	s
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		(kWh)	MWh	Years	First yea	Expected CO2 mi
1	Installation of 10kWp Solar Power Plant	13688	13.69	25	9.99	249.80
	Total	13688	14	25	9.99	250





General Environmental Awareness Questio	nnaire
Are you aware of any environmental Laws pertaining to different aspects of environmental management?	Yes
Does your institute have any rules to protect the environment? List possible rules you could include.	Yes
Dose Environmental Ambient Air Quality Monitoring conducted by the Institute?	No
Dose Environmental Water and Wastewater Quality monitoring conducted by the Institute?	Yes
Dose stack monitoring of DG sets conducted by the Institute?	No
Is any warning notice, letter issued by state government bodies?	No
Dose any Hazardous waste generated by the Institute? If yes explain its category and disposal method	No
Are you aware of any environmental Laws pertaining to different aspects of environmental management?	Yes
Does your institute have any rules to protect the environment? List possible rules you could include.	Yes
Does housekeeping schedule in your campus?	Yes
Are students and faculties aware of environmental cleanliness ways? If Yes Explain	Yes
Does Important Days Like World Environment Day, Earth Day, and Ozone Day etc. eminent in Campus?	Yes
Does Institute participate in National and Local Environmental Protection Movement?	Yes
Does the institute have any Recognition/certification for environment friendliness?	No
Does the institute use renewable energy?	Yes
Does the Institution conduct a green/environmental audit of its campus?	Yes
Has the institution been audited / accredited by any other agency such as NABL, NABET, TQPM, NAAC etc.?	Yes (NAAC)

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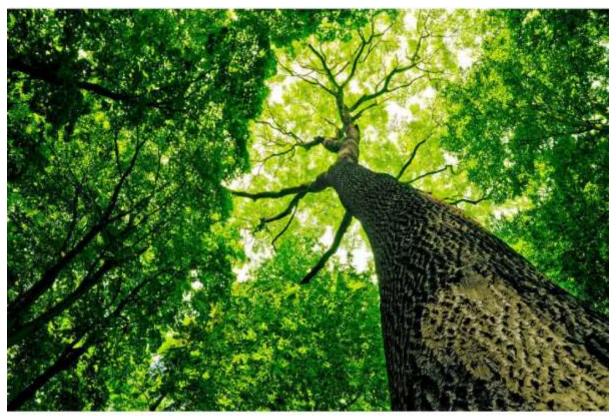




Best Practices and Initiatives	
Renewable Energy	Yes
Solar Power Plant	Yes
Energy Audit and Green Audit Conducted	Yes
Biogas Plant installed	No
Biodiversity Conservation	Yes
Green Cover	Yes
Tree Plantation Drives	Yes
ECO clubs	Yes
Groundwater Recharge	Yes
Rain Water Harvesting System.	Yes
Pollution Reduction Public Transportation	Yes
E Waste Management	Yes
Connected to authorized recycler	Yes
Solid Waste Management	Yes
Lifting of garbage from the campus on alternate days by the Municipal Corporation.	No
Adoption of Village	Yes
CSR	Yes
Water Conservation	Yes
Energy Conservation	Yes

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RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1. Implement a utility monitoring program.
 - Allocate staff to carry out meter readings for electricity, waste and water on regular basis
 - · Add monitoring data to spreadsheet so results can be viewed graphically
 - · Compare with the utility bills meter readings in order to ensure accuracy;
- Consider adopting and implementing a sustainable procurement policy which takes into account the whole life cycle of a product, and make sure environmental issues are written into tenders when contracting out.
- 3. Consider trialing recycled paper again many recycled brands today, such as

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Evolve, are just as good as virgin paper.

- Trial the use of re-manufactured (i.e., refilled) ink and toner cartridges rather than purchasing new ones.
- Consider producing some designated 'environmental' pages on the intranet to make it easier for staff to find environmental information. If possible, a discussion forum could be set up to allow easy internal communications and staff to make suggestions for environmental improvements.
- 6. Environmental training could be formalized and carried out for all staff. It does not have to be too long or onerous, providing it covers key points, particularly in relation to waste so all staff are aware of the legal requirements. At the very least, environmental information should be included in the induction pack.
- 7. It is strongly recommended that environmental information is also given to students and staff during induction. It is particularly important for them to be aware of what waste they can dispose of on site and where they can dispose of it, and what waste streams they must take away with them.
- 8. Consider implementing an environmental management system to incorporate all improvements and monitoring requirements. It does not need to be a complex system certified to any particular standard, merely a way of ensuring that baselines are set and progress is measured. Formation of Environment Policy and communicated to all faculties and other staff.
- 9. Plan for Zero Waste Campus Project
- 10. E-waste monthly inventory be maintained at campus as per E waste rules 2016.
- A Water Meter should be installed at the institute for monitoring of water consumption per capita.
- Increase in Environmental promotional activities for spreading awareness at campus.
- Environment/Green committee formation for regulating eco-friendly initiatives at campus premises and periphery.

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CONCLUSION

This audit involved extensive consultation with all the campus team, interactions with key personnel on a wide range of issues related to Environmental aspects. The audit has identified several observations for making the campus premise more environmentally friendly. The recommendations are also mentioned with observations for St. Thomas college, Ranni team to initiate actions.

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1	Electricity (kWh)	36955	30,30	29086	23.85
2	Diesel (L)	0	0.00	0	0.00
3	LPG (kg)	60.00	0.09	75.00	0.11
4	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000
5	Degradable Waste in kg/yr.	4061.2	2.56	3929.2	2.48
6	Paper Waste in kg/yr	40.61	0.02	39.29	0.02
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3	Carbon mitigated by Renewable Energy tCO ₂ e/yr (Installed)	1.05
4	Carbon mitigated by Renewable Energy tCO ₂ e/yr (Proposed)	9.99
5	Carbon mitigated by Energy Efficiency (Proposed) tCO2e/yr	8.66
6	Effective Carbon footprint tCO2e/yr	-0.14
7	Total No of Students	829
8	Specific Carbon Footprint kg CO2e/Student/Yr	-0.17

However, there is scope for further improvement, particularly in relation to waste minimization and energy monitoring. By implementing a basic environmental management system, current good practice can be formalized and a framework can be set up for monitoring, implementation of action plans and continual improvement.

The audit team observed that the overall site is maintained well from an environmental perspective. There are no major observations but few things are important to initiate urgently are waste management records by monthly inventory of hazardous waste, rainwater harvesting recharge; water balance cycle and periodic inspection of buildings; environment policy and initiation of composting at campus.

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- The Batteries (Management and Handling) rules, 2001 (Amended 2010)
- Relevant Indian Standard Code practices







TECHNICAL SUPPLEMENTS

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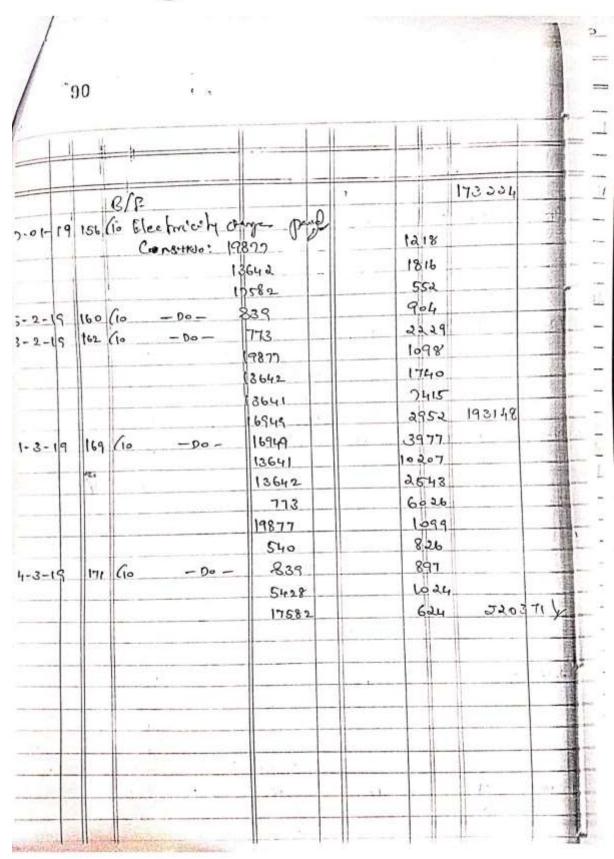


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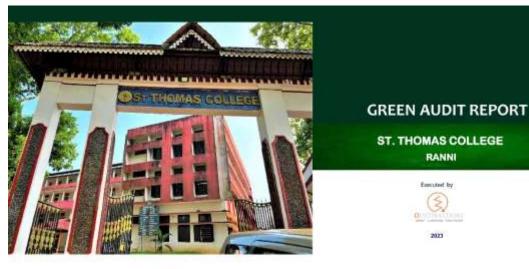
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Preface

Throughout history, educational institutions have played a crucial leadership role in society, showcasing the necessary changes concerning key issues of their time. Today, educational institutions worldwide are embracing the global trend of sustainability by striving to become carbon-neutral schools. An example of this is Victoria University School of Architecture and Design, which made history in 2007 by declaring itself the world's first carbon-neutral campus through the purchase of carbon credits. However, this approach is not a sustainable model as it does not guarantee the permanent capture of carbon and can also be financially burdensome.

Academic institutions, regardless of their location, whether it be a school in a remote village or a university in an urban setting, possess immense potential to become catalysts for change. They can take on a leadership role within their communities, using their influence and platform to promote and encourage carbon-neutral living.

The primary contributors to carbon emissions are energy consumption, transportation, and waste. To effectively reduce carbon emissions in these sectors, two approaches can be taken: behavioral changes, which are low-cost but require mindset shifts, and technological investments, which are more expensive but offer long-term solutions. In order to facilitate these changes, it is essential to educate students about the concept of carbon-neutral campuses and provide them with the necessary knowledge and methods to actively participate in emission reduction efforts.

The idea of carbon-neutral campuses is rapidly gaining traction in India. Green audits conducted on campuses involve assessing the quantity of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions generated as a result of campus operations. This assessment is carried out through an inventory-like process that takes into account all sources of GHG emissions and carbon sequestration within the school campus. Using this information, the total carbon footprint of the campus is calculated. Recommendations are then provided to reduce the carbon footprint and achieve carbon neutrality for the campus.

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Introduction



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Background

All across the developed countries, educational institutions are now moving to a sustainable future by becoming carbon neutral and greener spaces. They are taking responsibility for their environmental impact and are working to neutralize those effects. To become carbon neutral, institutions are working to reduce their emissions of greenhouse gases, cut their use of energy, use energy efficient equipment, use more renewable energy, plant and protect green cover and emphasize the importance of sustainable energy sources. Institutions that have committed to becoming carbon neutral have recognized the threat of global warming and are therefore committing to reverse the trend. Studies on this line has not struck roots in most of the developing countries-especially among students.

The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), launched by the United Nations in 2015, are an excellent vehicle for driving this change. They represent an action plan for the planet and society to thrive by 2030. The SDGs provide a window of opportunity for creating multidimensional operational approaches for climate change adaptation. They address poverty, hunger and climate change, among other issues central to human progress and sustainable development, such as gender equality, clean water and sanitation, and responsible consumption and production.



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The Green Audit of **St. Thomas College, Ranni** aims to assist campus to reduce their carbon footprint and educate tomorrow's leaders about strategies for carbon mitigation using their campus as a model. Also, this audit covers institutes responses towards SDGs by covering SDG 3,6,7,11,13,15. The green audit also aims to educate students and teachers on the concept of carbon footprint and to enable the students to collect data pertaining to the carbon emissions and carbon sequestration in their campus and to calculate the specific carbon footprint of the campus.

The project also suggests plans to make the campus carbon neutral or even carbon negative by implementing carbon mitigation strategies in areas such as,

- a. Energy
- b. Transportation
- c. Waste minimisation
- d. Carbon Sequestration etc.

The major objectives of the audit are:

- · To make aware students and teachers on the concept of carbon footprint.
- To calculate the specific carbon footprint of the campus and classify it as carbon negative, neutral or positive.
- To create carbon mitigation plans to reduce their footprint based on the data generated.

ST. THOMAS COLLEGE, RANNI

The history of the college is embedded in the history of Ranni. The college is situated on the top of a serene hill, in a sylvan surrounding, away from the din and bustle of the city, easily accessible and is at a walkable distance from the heart of Ranni town. The college was established in 1964, as a junior college by St Thomas Valiyapally Ranni, a pioneer parish of the Syrian Knanaya Arch Diocese of Malankara, with the whole hearted support of the then Bishop late lamented His Excellency Abraham Mor Clemis to meet the educational needs of the youth of the local community. The college was upgraded to a first grade college in 1968 and is the only institution for higher education in this part of the country. When the delinking of Pre Degree sector was made possible by the government on administrative measures we were left with graduate and Post Graduate courses. The transmutation

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lead this institution to a knowledge hub with divorcified courses. In addition to the conventional courses, we now offer UG & PG courses in Tourism also. During its 53 years of illustrious existence, the college gave birth to brilliant academicians, administrators, politicians and entrepreneurs.

The college aims at creating cultured and educated citizens who love God and their country. With its rural background and 'Gurukula' atmosphere, the college fosters uninterrupted pursuit of knowledge. The first Principal, Late Prof. K. A. Mathew, served as minister and PSC member in the Kerala State. He played a vital role in upgrading the junior college to a first grade one in 1968. As the Golden Jubilee project St. Thomas College of Advanced Studies, Edamury, Ranni, a Self Financing College affiliated to M.G. University, Kottayam was established in June 2014. In March 2016, the College was assessed and re-accredited in the second cycle by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) of UGC and graded at B level.

Occupancy Details					
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23		
Total Students	900	881	805		
Staffs	64	64	64		
Total Occupancy of the college	964	945	869		

For calculating per capita carbon emission estimation, only the student strength is taken into account.





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2	Address (include telephone, fax & e-mail)	St. Thomas College, Ranni, Pathanamthitta, 689641, stcranni@gmail.com, +91 8301057965					
2	Year of Establishment	1964					
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2 METHODOLOGY



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2.1. Sensitisation

Low Carbon campus initiatives are successful when everyone in the campus is engaged including students, teachers and staff. A team of students, teachers and staff were formed to participate in the audit. A sensitisation among students and teachers on the concept of carbon footprint was conducted.



During the audit the students and staffs were sensitised on the project and trained to be a part of the data collection team. This helped in conducting the survey in a participatory mode so that the awareness will penetrate to the grass root level. During the data collection field visit it was stressed that the team will spread these ideas to their homes and friends. This will help in a horizontal and vertical spread of the message to a wider group. It is assumed that through 1054 occupants of this campuses will reach same number of households. This message will spread to at least 4000 individuals approximately.

2.2 Estimation of carbon footprint

A carbon footprint is the amount of greenhouse gases—primarily carbon dioxide—released into the atmosphere by a particular human activity. A carbon footprint can be a broad measure or be applied to the actions of an individual, a family, an event, an organization, or even entire nation. It is usually measured as tons of CO₂ emitted per year, a number that can be supplemented by tons of CO₂-equivalent gases, including methane, nitrous oxide, and other greenhouse gases.

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Global Warming Potential (GWP) is a measure of how much heat a greenhouse gas traps in the atmosphere up to a specific time horizon, relative to carbon dioxide. The Global Warming Potential (GWP) was developed to allow comparisons of the global warming impacts of different gases. Specifically, it is a measure of how much energy the emissions of one ton of a gas will absorb over a given period of time, relative to the emissions of one ton of carbon dioxide (CO₂).

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HFC-32	CH2F2	5.6	2100	650	200
HFC-41	CH3F	3.7	490	150	45
HFC-43-10mee	C5H2F10	17.1	3000	1300	400
HFC-125	C2HF5	32.6	4600	2800	920
HFC-134	C2H2F4	10.6	2900	1000	310
HFC-134a	CH2FCF3	14.6	3400	1300	420
HFC-152a	C2H4F2	1.5	460	140	42
HFC-143	C2H3F3	3.8	1000	300	94
HFC-143a	C2H3F3	48.3	5000	3800	1400
HFC-227ea	C3HF7	36.5	4300	2900	950
HFC-236fa	C3H2F6	209	5100	6300	4700
HFC-245ca	C3H3F5	6.6	1800	560	170
Sulphur hexafluoride	SF6	3200	16300	23900	34900
Perfluoromethane	CF4	50000	4400	6500	10000
Perfluoroethane	C2F6	10000	6200	9200	14000
Perfluoropropane	C3F8	2600	4800	7000	10100
Perfluorobutane	C4F10	2600	4800	7000	10100
Perfluorocyclobutane	c-C4F8	3200	6000	8700	12700
Perfluoropentane	C5F12	4100	5100	7500	11000
Perfluorohexane	C6F14	3200	5000	7400	10700

The methodology for carbon footprint calculations are still evolving and it is emerging as an important tool for green house management. In the present study carbon emission data from the campus is estimated under four categories viz.

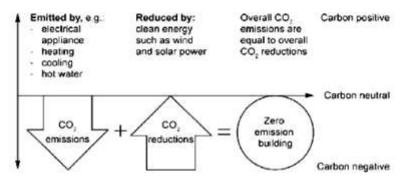
- a. Energy
- b. Transportation
- c. Waste minimisation
- d. Carbon Sequestration

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Carbon neutrality refers to achieving net zero GHG emission by balancing the measured amount of carbon released into atmosphere due to human activities, with an equal amount sequestrated in carbon sinks. It is crucial to restrict atmospheric concentrations of GHGs released from various socio-economic, developmental and life style activities using biological or natural processes. It is recognized that addressing climate change is not as simple as switching to renewable energy or offsetting GHG emissions. Rather, providing an opportunity for innovation in new developmental activities for viable and effective approach to address the problem.



Energy

In the campus carbon emission from energy consumption is categorised under two headings viz. energy from Electrical and Thermal. Energy used for transportation is calculated under transportation sector.



A detailed energy audit is conducted to understand the energy consumption of the campus. Information on total connected loads, their duration of usage and documents like electricity bills are evaluated. Connected loads are calculated by conducting a survey on electrical equipment on each location. Duration of usage was

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found out by surveying the users. The survey of equipment was conducted in a participatory mode.

The fuel consumption for cooking, like LPG, was studied by analysing the annual fuel bills and usage schedules during the study. Discussions were carried out with the concerned individuals who actually operate the cooking system.

Transportation

Carbon emission from transportation to be calculated by using the following formula:

Carbon Emission = Number of each type of vehicles × Avg. fuel consumed per year × Emission factors (based on the fuel used by the vehicle)

Waste Minimisation

The waste generated from the campus is also responsible for the greenhouse gas emission. So, in order to calculate the total carbon foot print of the campus it is necessary to estimate the greenhouse gas emission from the waste generated in the campus by the activity of the students, teachers and staffs.

The calculation of the waste generated has been conducted by keeping measuring buckets for collecting the waste generated in a day. This waste so generated was calculated by weighing it.



Carbon Sequestration

Carbon sequestration is the process involved in the long-term storage of atmospheric carbon dioxide. Trees remove carbon dioxide from the atmosphere

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through the natural process of photosynthesis and store the carbon in their leaves, branches, stems, bark, and roots.

Carbon sequestrated by a tree can be found out by using different methods. Since this study is employed the volumetric approach, the calculation consists of five processes.

- · Determining the total weight of the tree
- · Determining the dry weight of the tree
- · Determining the weight of carbon in the tree
- . Determining the weight of CO2 sequestrated in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree per year

Detailed calculations and results are given below.

Step 1: Determine the total green weight of the tree

The green weight is the weight of the tree when it is alive. First, you have to calculate the green weight of the above-ground weight as follows:

W above-ground= 0.25 D2 H (for trees with D<11)

W above-ground= 0.15 D2 H (for trees with D>11)

W above-ground= Above-ground weight in pounds

D = Diameter of the trunk in inches

H = Height of the tree in feet

The root system weight is about 20% of the above-ground weight. Therefore, to determine the total green weight of the tree, multiply the above-ground weight by 1.2:

W total green weight = 1.2* W above-ground

Step 2: Determine the dry weight of the tree

The average tree is 72.5% dry matter and 27.5% moisture. Therefore, to determine the dry weight of the tree, multiply the total green weight of the tree by 72.5%.

W dry weight = 0.725 * W total green weight

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Step 3: Determine the weight of carbon in the tree

The average carbon content is generally 50% of the tree's dry weight total volume. Therefore, in determining the weight of carbon in the tree, multiply the dry weight of the tree by 50%.

W carbon = 0.5 * W dry weight

Step 4: Determine the weight of carbon dioxide sequestered in the tree

 CO_2 has one molecule of Carbon and 2 molecules of Oxygen. The atomic weight of Carbon is 12 (u) and the atomic weight of Oxygen is 16 (u). The weight of CO_2 in trees is determined by the ratio of CO_2 to C is 44/12 = 3.67. Therefore, to determine the weight of carbon dioxide sequestered in the tree, multiply the weight of carbon in the tree by 3.67. W _{carbon-dioxide} = 3.67 * W _{carbon}



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3 RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS



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3.1 CARBON FOOTPRINT ESTIMATION

3.1.1 ENERGY

a. Electricity

Electricity is purchased from KSEB under 8 LT Connections, the details are given below.

	Electricity Connection Details						
	St. Thomas College, Ranni						
1	Name of the Consumer	St. Thomas College, Rann					
2	Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph					
3	Consumer Numbers	1146072000540, 1146071019877, 1146079005428, 1146073013642, 1146070013641, 1146079016949, 1146076000773, 1146071019877					
5	Connected Load Total (kW)	107					
6	Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)	29879					

Electricity Bill Analysis

	20	22-2023		
Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni		
Connected load	2	Consumer no	1146072000540	
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North	
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh	
May-22	208	1294	6.22	
Jul-22	221	1483	6.72	
Sep-22	127	941	7.39	
Nov-22	141	1041	7.39	
Jan-23	121	1012	8.39	
Mar-23	176	1473	8.39	





	20	22-2023		
Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni		
Connected load	6	Consumer no	1146071019877	
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North	
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh	
May-22	258	1098	4.26	
Jul-22	0	1098	0.00	
Sep-22	0	1098	0.00	
Nov-22	0	1098	0.00	
Jan-23	0	1098	0.00	
Mar-23	0	1098	0.00	

2022-2023

Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni		
Connected load	4	Consumer no	1146079005428	
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North	
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh	
May-22	325	3325	10.23	
Jul-22				
Sep-22				
Nov-22				
Jan-23	332	2618	7.89	
Mar-23				

2022-2023

Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas	College, Ranni
Connected load	16	Consumer no	1146073013642
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh
Apr-22	166	2099	12.64
May-22	180	1799	9.99
Jun-22	457	4566	9.99
Jul-22			Contract Con
Aug-22	349	3074	8.81
Sep-22			
Oct-22	697	6137	8.81
Nov-22	475	4185	8.81
Jan-23	3775		
Mar-23	436	2548	5.84

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2022-2023

Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni		
Connected load	16	Consumer no	114607001364	
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North	
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh	
May-22	1272	10161	7.99	
Jul-22	1393	16508	11.85	
Sep-22	934	12235	13.10	
Nov-22	865	11522	13.32	
Jan-23				
Mar-23	1106	14123	12.77	

2022-2023

Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas	College, Ranni
Connected load	35	Consumer no	1146079016949
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh
Apr-22	315	4124	13.09
May-22	242	3812	15.75
Jul-22	0	0	
Sep-22	271	4197	15.49
Oct-22	286	4066	14.22
Nov-22	320	4554	14.22
Jan-23	294	4178	14.22
Mar-23	271	4483	16.54

2022-2023

Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni		
Connected load	22	Consumer no	1146076000773 Ranny North	
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section		
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh	
May-22	627	5931	9.46	
Jun-22	392	3507	8.95	
Jul-22	449	4022	8.95	
Aug-22	475	4249	8.95	
Sep-22	0		8.95	
Nov-22	0		8.95	
Jan-23	0		8.95	
Mar-23	613	6102	9.95	

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2022-2023

Name of the	Consumer	St. Thomas C	ollege, Ranni
Connected load	6	Consumer no	1146071019877
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh
May-22	123	1098	8.93
Jun-22	124	1098	8.85
Jul-22	125	1098	8.78
Aug-22	123	1098	8.93
Sep-22	123	1098	8.93
Oct-22	123	1098	8.96
Nov-22	122	1098	9.00
Dec-22	122	1098	9.04
Jan-23	121	1098	9.07
Feb-23	121	1098	9.11
Mar-23	120	1098	9.15

Consumer No	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	Connected Load (kW)
1146072000540	210	672	993	2
1146071019877	5387	4487	516	6
1146079005428	2090	1164	1971	4
1146073013642	2446	2108	4731	16
1146070013641	3102	12628	13368	16
1146079016949	3476	3513	2999	35
1146076000773	4068	8099	3834	22
1146071019877	1445	1656	1468	6
Total	20778	32671	29879	107

Diesel

Diesel Consumption Details					
	Transportation	Generator	Total	cost	
11	in L	in L	in L	in Rs	
20-21	0	310	310	28800	
21-22	0	323	323	30060	
22-23	0	328	328	31200	

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LPG

LPG Consumption Details						
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23			
No Cylinders	4	5	5			
Canteen/Lab LPG Consumption in kg	60	75	75			
Total in kg	60	75	75			

	Base Line	Energy Data		
	St. Thomas (College, Ranni		1.0000000000000000000000000000000000000
		2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	Electricity KSEB (kWh)	20778	32671	29879
2	Electricity DG (kWh)	929	970	985
3	Electricity Solar, Off grid (kWh)	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Electricity (KSEB + DG + Off grid) kWh	21707	33641	30864
5	Electricity Grid Tied (kWh)	1214	1214	1278
6	Diesel (L)	0	0	0
7	LPG (kg)	60.00	75.00	75.00
8	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0.00	0.00

	Energy	Consumption Profile		
SI	Fuel	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
No (kCal)				
1	Electricity	18667740	28931009	26543354
2	Diesel	0	0	0
3	LPG	720000	900000	900000
4	Biogas	0	0	0
	Total	19387740	29831009	27443354

Thermal Fuel C	consumption				
St. Thomas College, Ranni					
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23		
Annual LPG consumption in kg	60	75	75		
Annual Diesel consumption in L	310	323	328		
Annual petrol consumption in L	0	0	0		
Annual Biogas consumption in m3	0	0	0		

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Renewable Energy



biogas plant is installed in a facility and is not working, it is recommended to repair the plant to effectively manage bio degradable waste. Some common reasons why a biogas plant may not be working include clogging of the pipes, leaks in the system, and inadequate maintenance. Therefore, it is important to regularly maintain the plant to ensure that it is functioning properly.

Once the biogas plant is repaired and functioning, it can provide numerous benefits such as reducing waste management costs, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, and providing a renewable energy source.



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Specific Energy Consumption

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	St. Thomas Co	Ilege, Ranni		
	Energy Performa	nce Index (EP	1)	
SI No	Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	Total building area (m²)	8317	8317	8317
2	Annual Energy Consumption (kCal)	19387740	29831009	27443354
3	Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	22544	34687	31911
4	Total Energy in Toe	1.94	2.98	2.74
5	Specific Energy Consumption kWh/m²	2.71	4.17	3.84

The specific energy consumption in 2022-23 may be taken as benchmark.



3.3. Waste Generation total

The major concern of waste management will be focused on the solid waste produced by the campus. Solid wastes produced in the campus are mainly of three types, food waste, paper waste, and plastic waste. Food wastes produced in the campus are mainly by two means. The vegetable wastes produced in the kitchen during the food preparation. The food waste produced by the students and staffs of the campus after the consumption of meals.





Degradable Waste

Degradabl	le Waste Generatio	n	
St. Thon	nas College, Ranni		
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Total Occupancy	964	945	869
Waste generated in kg /day	19.28	18.9	17.38
Waste generated in kg /Yr	4241.6	4158	3823.6

Non-Degradable waste

Solid non degradable	Waste Generation	on	
St. Thomas Co	llege, Ranni		
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Total Occupancy	964	945	869
Waste paper generated in kg /day	0.1928	0.189	0.1738
Waste plastic generated in kg /day	0.2892	0.2835	0.2607
Waste paper generated in kg /Yr	42.42	41.58	38.24
Waste plastic generated in kg /Yr	63.62	62.37	57.35

3.4. Transportation

The college does not have any vehicles for logistics

Carbon Emission Profile (2022-23)

Carbon emissions in the campus due to the day-to-day activities are calculated and is discussed below. The emission factors considered for estimation and its units are given.

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	Emission Factors	
Item	Factor	Unit
Electricity	0.00082	tCo2e/kWh
LPG	0.0015	tCo2e/kg
Diesel	0.0032	tCo2e/kg
Petrol	0.0031	tCo₂e/kg
Food Waste	0.00063	tCo2e/kg
Paper Waste	0.00056	tCo2e/kg
Plastic Waste	0.00034	tCo2e/kg

Carbon Foot Print 2022-23

Carbon Foot Print							
SI. No.	Particulars	2020-21	tCO ₂ e	2021-22	tCO ₂ e	2022-23	tCO ₂ e
1	Electricity (kWh)	21707	17.80	33641	27.59	30864	25.31
2	Diesel (L)	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
3	LPG (kg)	60.00	0	75.00	0.11	75.00	0.11
4	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000
5	Degradable Waste in kg/yr.	4241.6	3	4158	2.62	3823.6	2.41
6	Paper Waste in kg/yr	42.42	0	41.58	0.02	38.24	0.02
Tota	al Carbon Foot Print tCOze/yr		20.59		30.34		27.85

3.5. CARBON SEQUESTRATION

All the activities including energy consumption and waste management have their equivalent carbon emission and they positively contribute to the carbon footprint of the campus. Carbon sequestration is the reverse process, at which the emitted carbon dioxide will get sequestrated according to the type of carbon sequestration employed. Even though there are many natural sequestration processes are involved in a campus, the major type of sequestration among them is the carbon sequestration by trees.

Carbon Sequestration				
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	
Total No of Trees	236	236	236	
Carbon sequestrated by trees in the campus (tCO2e)	6,4	7.1	7.50	



Trees sequestrate carbon dioxide through the biochemical process of photosynthesis and it is stored as carbon in their trunk, branches, leaves and roots. The amount of carbon sequestrated by a tree can be calculated by different methods. In this study, the volumetric approach was taken into account, thus the details including CBH (Circumference at Breast Height), height, average age, and total number of the trees, are required. Details of the trees in the campus compound are given in the Table. Detailed table is included in the technical supplement.

Carbon sequestrated by a tree can be found out by using different methods. Since this study is employed the volumetric approach, the calculation consists of five processes.

- · Determining the total weight of the tree
- Determining the dry weight of the tree
- Determining the weight of carbon in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree per year

List of Trees in Campus

	List of Trees and Plants	
SI. No.	English Name	QTY
1	Jackfruit Tree	12
2	Mango	9
3	Ashoka Tree	1
4	Bulletwood	2
5	Teak	84
6	Coconut	21
7	Wild Jack	7
8	Royal Princiana	4
9	Mahagony	38
10	Soursop Tree	7
11	Golden Shower Tree	8
12	Guava Tree	10
13	Rambutan	3
14	Copper Pod	3
15	False Ashoka	6
16	Caturina	1

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17	Ornamental Palm	10
18	All Spice	1
19	Pride of India	2
20	Papaya	2
21	Bay Leaf	1
22	Persian Silk Tree	1
23	Araucaria	1
24	Hyophorbe	1
25	Sand Paper Tree	1
	Total	236

CARBON FOOTPRINT OF THE CAMPUS (2022-23)

Various carbon emitting activities such as consumption of energy, transportation and waste generation leads to the total emission of 27.85 tCO2e per year by the campus. The total carbon sequestration by trees in the campus compound is 7.50tCO2e. Thus, the current carbon footprint of the campus will be the difference of total carbon emission and total carbon sequestration/mitigation. The following table shows the carbon footprint level

Specific CO2 Footprint

Amount of Carbon to be mitigated for Low Carbon Campus					
SI No	Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	
1	Total carbon emission tCO2e	20.59	30.34	27.85	
2	Total carbon sequestration tCO2e	6.41	7.13	7.50	
3	Amount of carbon mitigated through renewable energy tCO2e	1.00	1.00	1.05	
4	To be mitigated tCO2e	13.18	22.22	19.30	
5	Total No of Students	964	945	869	
6	Specific Carbon Footprint kg CO2e/Student/Yr	13.67	23.51	22.21	

The total specific carbon footprint is estimated as 22.41 kg of CO₂e per student for the year 2022-23.





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Carbon Mitigation Plans



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The total emission of the carbon dioxide per student is **27.85** kg per year (2022-2023). Emission reduction plans were prepared to bring the existing per capita carbon footprint to zero or below so as to bring the campus a carbon neutral or carbon negative campus.

This can be achieved in many ways but, every alternate plan must be in such a way that, it must fulfill the actual purpose of each activity that is considered.

Here, three major methods are taken in to account as the plans for reducing the carbon emission of the campus.

- · Resource optimisation
- Energy efficiency
- Renewable energy

RESOURCE OPTIMISATION

The effective use of resources can limit its unnecessary wastage. Optimal usage of the resources (such as fuels) can save the fuel and can also reduce the carbon emission due to its consumption. This technique can be effectively implemented in the 'transportation' and 'waste' sectors of the campus.

WASTE MINIMISATION

Optimal utilisation of paper and plastic stationaries can reduce the frequency of purchase of items. This can reduce the unnecessary wastage of money as well as the excess production of waste. In the case of food, proper food habits and housekeeping practices can optimise its usage.

Currently, the campus is taking an appreciable effort to reduce the unnecessary production of wastes. But the campus still has opportunities to reduce the generation of waste and can improve much more. Resource optimisation can be effectively implemented in all type of waste generated in the campus and the campus can expect about 50% reduction the total waste produced.

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ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Energy efficiency is the practice of reducing the energy requirements while achieving the required energy output. Energy efficiency can be effectively implemented in all the sectors of the campus.

FUELS FOR COOKING

The campus uses commercial LPG cylinders for its cooking purpose. The campus can install a biogas plant to treat food waste and the biogas thus generated can be used in kitchen. Installation of a solar water heater to rise the water temperature to a much higher level, then it has to consume only very less amount of thermal energy for preparing the same amount of food is another method. This can make a positive benefit to the campus by saving money, energy and can reduce the carbon emission of the campus due to thermal energy consumed for cooking.

TRANSPORTATION

Energy efficiency of the transportation sector is mainly depended on the fuel efficiency of the vehicles used. Here mileage of the vehicle (kmpl - Kilometres per Litre) is calculated to assess the fuel efficiency of the vehicle.

Percentage of closeness is the ratio of actual mileage of the vehicle to its expected mileage. If the percentage of closeness of mileages of each vehicle is greater than that of its average, then the efficiency status of the vehicle is considered as 'Above average' and else, it is considered as 'Below average'.



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Carbon Mitigation Proposals

After analyzing the historical and measured data the following projects are proposed to make the campus carbon neutral. The projects are from energy efficiency and renewable energy. The further additions in the green cover increase will also give positive impact in the carbon mitigation.

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	St. Thomas Greenhouse Gas Mitigation throu			Efficienc	y Projec	cts
SI No	Projects	Energy saved(Yearly)				Expected Tons of CO2 mitigated through out life cycle
		(kWh)	MWh	Years	First year ton of CO2 mitigated	الله من والم
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by eplacing existing 34 No's T12 902 55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	902	0.90	10	0.66	6.59
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 64 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	1014	1.01	10	0.74	7.40
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 16 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	69	0.07	10	0.05	0.50
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 178 No's in-efficent ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4187	4.19	10	3.06	30.56
	Total	6172	6	10	4.51	45.05

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	St. Thomas	College	, Ranni			
	Greenhouse Gas Mitigation th	rough R	enewabl	e Energy	Projects	1
SI No	Projects	Energy	(Yearly)	Sustainabili ty (Years)	First year ton of CO2 mitigated	ected Tons 22 mitigated ughout life cycle
		(kWh)	MWh	Years	First y	Expect of CO2 throug
1	Installation of 20kWp Solar Power Plant	27375	27.38	25	19.98	499.59
	Total	27375	27	25	19.98	500

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OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERGY AUDIT

Energy Saving Proposal Code 1

Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 64 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube

Existing Scenario

64 numbers of T8(40 W) lamps were identified during the energy audit field survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that the average utility of these fittings are of 30%.

Proposed System

The existing T8 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18W in phased manner and the savings will be of 55% (inclusive of improved light output and reduced energy consumption)

Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	64
Total load (kW)	2.56
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	1843
Expected Annual Energy saving for replacing all fittings (kWh)	1014
Cost of Power	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	0.08
Investment required for complete replacements [@Rs 300 per fittings](Lakhs Rs)	0.19
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	28.41

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Energy Saving Proposal Code	
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 34 to 18W LED Tube	No's T12 (55W) Lamps
Existing Scenario	C.115 100511101010
257 numbers of T12(55 W) lamps were identified during survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is average utility of these fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	
The existing T12 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18Vi the savings will be of 67% (inclusive of improved light of energy consumption)	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
N. CONT.	
No of fittings	34
Process and the Control of the Contr	
Total load (kW)	34
No of fittings Total load (kW) Annual Energy Consumption (kWh) Expected Annual Energy saving for replacing all fittings (kWh)	34 1.87
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Energy Saving Proposal	
Energy Saving by replacing existing 178 No's in- Energy Efficient Five star fa	
Existing Scenario	
There are 178 numbers of ceiling fans installed in the a day operation. All are conventional type and most of	
Proposed System	
There is an energy saving opportunity in replace the estar labelled fans. The five star labelled fans give a sa higher service value (air delivery/watt).	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hrs)	2400
Total numbers of ordinary fans	178
Total load (kW)	12.46
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	
	14952
Expected Annual Energy saving, for total replacement(kWh)	14952 4187
replacement(kWh)	4187
replacement(kWh) Cost of Power (Rs)	4187 8.00

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Energy Saving Proposal	
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 16 No's CFL(1 to 9W LED Bulb	5W) Lamps
Existing Scenario	J235.5.2.491.511
24 numbers of CFL (15W) lamps were identified during the energy a survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed the average utility of these fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	
The existing CFL may be replaced to LED Bulb of 9W in phased ma savings will be of 40% (inclusive of improved light output and reduce consumption)	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
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Energy Saving Proposal

Installation of 20kWp Solar Power Plant

Existing Scenario

There is a good potential of solar power electricity generation. The availability of sunlight is very high. There are some canopies available in the proposed site, but by having proper trimming of trees this may be avoided. If the SPVs are place in the roof top it will help improving RTTV (Roof Thermal Transmit Value) of the building.

Proposed System

It is proposed to have a Solar Power Plant of 10kW at the beginning stage. The state and central government is pushing and giving good assistance to the installation. It can be installed as an internal grid connected system which is much cheaper than off grid system. Now days the technology provides trouble free grid interactive and connected system. The installation will provide 25yrs trouble free generation with only 20% efficiency loss at the 25th year.

Financial Analysis	
Proposed Solar installed Capacity (kW)	20
Total average kWh per day expected (3.5kWh/day average)	75.00
Total annual Generating Capacity (kWh)	27375
Cost of energy generated annually Lakhs Rs	3.64
Investment required (INR lakh)(Approx)	11.00
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	36.26
Life cycle in Yrs	25
Total Saving in Life Cycle (Approx) RS lakh	91.02

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-		Summary			
C	onsolidated Cost Benefit Analysis of St. Thomas	Energy Efficie College, Rann		ovement i	rojects
SI	Projects	Investment	Cost saving	SPB	Energy
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1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 34 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.10	0.07	16.96	902
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 64 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.19	0.081	28.41	1014
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 16 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	0.01	0.006	31.25	69
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 178 No's in-efficient ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	5.34	0.335	191.33	4187
5	Installation of 20kWp Solar Power Plant	11.00	3.641	36.26	27375
	Total	16.55	4.06	60.84	32644

(The saving are projected as per the assumed operation time observed based in the discussions with the plant officials. The data of saving percentages are taken from BEE guide books and field measurements.)

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5 CONCLUSION



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The carbon emission from different sectors namely, Energy, Transportation and wastes were calculated using standard procedures. Carbon sequestration by the trees present in the campus was also estimated. From these the total carbon footprint of the campus was arrived at.

	Total Carbon Foot Print tCO2e/yr	27.85
	Carbon Sequrested tCO2e/yr	7.50
3	Carbon mitigated by Renewable Energy tCO2e/yr (Installed)	1.05
4	Carbon mitigated by Renewable Energy tCO2e/yr (Proposed)	19.98
5	Carbon mitigated by Energy Efficiency (Proposed) tCO2e/yr	4.51
8	Effective Carbon footprint tCO2e/yr	-5.18
7	Total No of Students	805
3	Specific Carbon Footprint kg CO2e/Student/Yr	-6.44

From this study it was found that carbon footprint of the campus to be -6.44 kgCO₂e/ Student/ Year in place of current footprint i.e., 27.85 kgCO₂e/ student/ Year. To achieve this an investment of 27.55 lakhs Rs is required through energy efficiency and renewable energy projects proposed. It will be around 3422 Rs per student to make the campus the carbon negative.

	Cost to make the campus Carbon Negative								
1	Cost of implementation in Energy Efficiency Lakhs Rs	16.55							
2	Cost of implementation in Renewable Energy Lakhs Rs	11.00							
3	Total Lakhs Rs	27.55							
4	Total number of students	805							
5	Cost per student to make the campus carbon negative Rs/ Student	3422							



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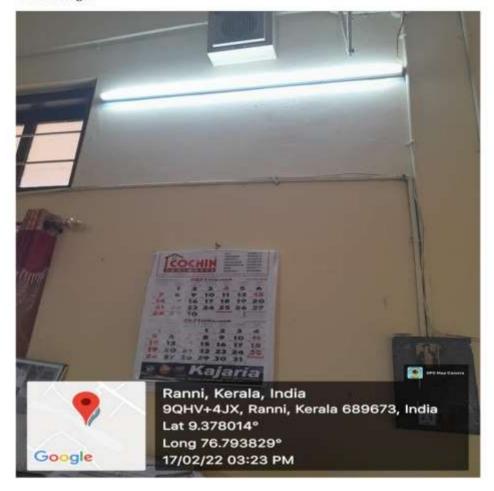
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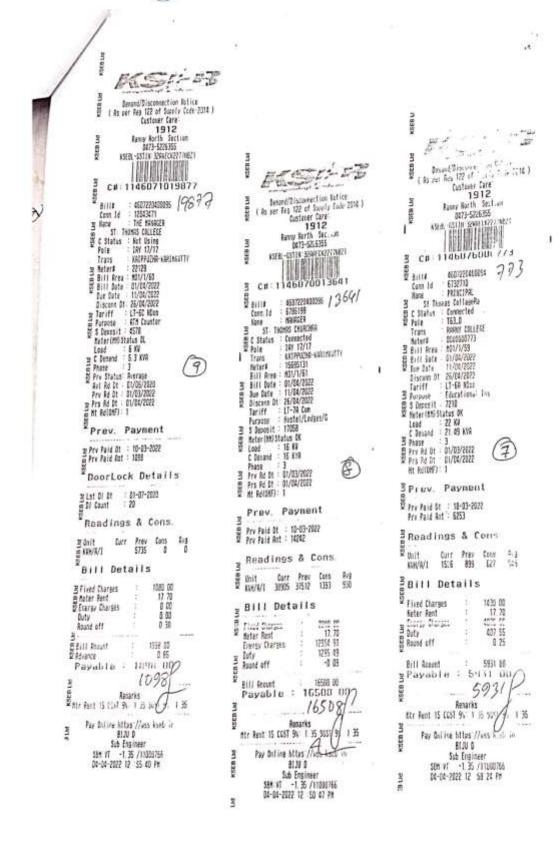
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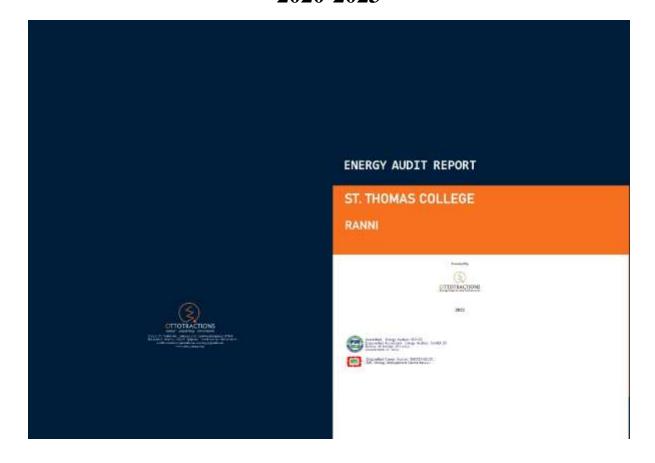
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SI No	Projects	Investment	Cost saving	SPB	Energy saved
		(Lakhs Rs)	(Rs)/Yr	Months	kWh/Yr
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 34 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.10	0.07	16.96	902
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 64 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.19	0.081	28.41	1014
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 16 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	0.01	0.006	31.25	69
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 178 No's in-efficient ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	5.34	0.335	191.33	4187
5	Installation of 20kWp Solar Power Plant	11.00	3.641	36.26	27375
	Total	16.55	4.06	60.84	32644

(The saving are projected as per the assumed operation time observed based in the discussions with the plant officials. The data of saving percentages are taken from BEE guide books and field measurements.)



1 Introduction

A detailed energy audit has been carried out at St. Thomas College Ranni by OTTOTRACTIONS in March 2023. During the energy audit energy saving opportunities has been identified to help improving energy efficiency of the facility. OTTOTRACTIONS is an Accredited Energy Auditor of Bureau of Energy Efficiency and Empaneled Energy Auditor of Energy Management Centre, Government of Kerala.

This energy audit report complies with the clauses in *Energy Conservation Act*, 2001 on mandatory energy audit (**Form 4** [refer regulation 6(2)] guidelines for preparation of energy audit report) and complies with the G.O (Rt) No.2/2011/PD dated 01.01.2011 issued by Government of Kerala on mandatory energy audit.

1.1. General Building details and descriptions

The history of the college is embedded in the history of Ranni. The college is situated on the top of a serene hill, in a sylvan surrounding, away from the din and bustle of the city, easily accessible and is at a walkable distance from the heart of Ranni town. The college was established in 1964, as a junior college by St Thomas Valiyapally Ranni, a pioneer parish of the Syrian Knanaya Arch Diocese of Malankara, with the whole hearted support of the then Bishop late lamented His Excellency Abraham Mor Clemis to meet the educational needs of the youth of the local community. The college was upgraded to a first grade college in 1968 and is the only institution for higher education in this part of the country. When the de-

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linking of Pre Degree sector was made possible by the government on administrative measures we were left with graduate and Post Graduate courses. During its 53 years of illustrious existence, the college gave birth to brilliant academicians, administrators, politicians and entrepreneurs.

The college aims at creating cultured and educated citizens who love God and their country. With its rural background and 'Gurukula' atmosphere, the college fosters uninterrupted pursuit of knowledge. The first Principal, Late Prof. K. A. Mathew, served as minister and PSC member in the Kerala State. He played a vital role in upgrading the junior college to a first grade one in 1968. As the Golden Jubilee project St. Thomas College of Advanced Studies, Edamury, Ranni, a Self-Financing College affiliated to M.G. University, Kottayam was established in June 2014. In March 2016, the College was assessed and re-accredited in the second cycle by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) of UGC and graded at B level.

Occupancy Details					
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23		
Total Students	900	881	805		
Staffs	64	64	64		
Total Occupancy of the college	964	945	869		

For calculating specific energy consumption, the total built-up area is taken into account.

Energy audit team

The Energy Audit team is listed below. Besides this list various domine experts also participated in this project.

- 1. Suresh Babu B V, Accredited Energy Auditor, AEA 33
- 2. B. Zachariah, Chief Technical Consultant
- 3. Abin Baby, Project Engineer
- 4. Jomon J S, Project Engineer
- 5. Amrutha A M, Data Analyst
- Anjana B S, Project Assistant



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Process description

The energy audit has been carried out at St. Thomas College, Ranni The following is the baseline data of this building.

	BASELINE DATA SH	EET F	OR GR	EEN A	UDIT		
1	Name of the Organisation	St. Thomas College, Ranni					
2	Address (include telephone, fax & e-mail)	St. Thomas College, Ranni, Pathanamthitta, 689641, stcranni@gmail.com,+91 8301057965					
2	Year of Establishment	1964					
3	Name of building and Total No. of Electrical Connections/building	St. Thomas college (8)					
4	Total Number of Students	Boys		Girls	11	Total	805
5	Total Number of Staff	64					
6	Total Occupancy	869					
7	Total area of green cover	50%					
8	Type of Electrical Connection	HT	0	LT	0	8	
9	Total Connected Load (kW)	107					
10	Average Maximum Demand (KVA)						
11	Total built up area of the building (M ²)	8317					
12	Number of Buildings	5					
13	Average system Power Factor	0.96					
14	Details of capacitors connected	NA NA					
15	Transformer Details (Nos., kVA, Voltage ratio)	TR 1			SHAW-O		
15		NA					pro-co
15	DG Set Details (kVA,)	DG1	DG2	DG3	DG4	DG5	Remarks
		10					
16	Details of motors	Rating		Nos.		Remarks	
		5 to	10	3	2		
		10 t	o 50				
		Abov	e 50				



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Energy and utility system description

3.1.1 Electricity

Electricity is purchased from KSEB under 8 LT Connections, the details are given below. A 10 kVA Diesel Generator are in operation at this campus

	Electricity Co	nnection Details			
St. Thomas College, Ranni					
1	Name of the Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni			
2	Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph			
3	Consumer Numbers	1146072000540, 1146071019877, 1146079005428, 1146073013642, 1146070013641, 1146079016949, 1146076000773, 1146071019877			
5	Connected Load Total (kW)	107			
6	Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)	29879			

3.2. Thermal Energy / Transportation

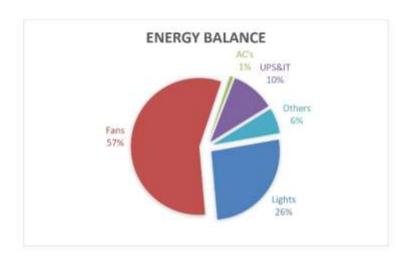
There are no vehicles operated from college for transportation. LPG is used for cooking in the canteen and diesel is used to operate Diesel Generators.







Energy Balance



57 % of the total energy consumed in this facility is used to operate Fans. Lighting uses 26% UPS and IT Uses AC uses 10%. Air-conditioners uses 1% and Others uses 6%.



Performance evaluation of major utilities and process equipment's /systems.

- 5.1. List of equipment and process where performance testing was done.
 - 5.1.1. Electrical System
 - 5.1.2. Lighting & Fans

5.2. Results of performance testing

5.2.1. Electrical System

The average unit cost of electricity is **8.00 Rs/kWh**. This is taken as the basis for the financial analysis of electrical energy efficiency projects. The information on average energy consumption is taken from the historical electricity bill analysis.

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Electricity Consumption

	20	22-2023			
Name of the (Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni			
Connected load	2	Consumer no	1146072000540		
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North		
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh		
May-22	208	1294	6.22		
Jul-22	221	1483	6.72		
Sep-22	127	941	7.39		
Nov-22	141	1041	7.39		
Jan-23	121	1012	8.39		
Mar-23	176	1473	8.39		

Name of the 0	Consumer	St. Thomas	College, Ranni
Connected load	16	Consumer no	1146073013642
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh
Apr-22	166	2099	12.64
May-22	180	1799	9.99
Jun-22	457	4566	9.99
Jul-22	10.000		
Aug-22	349	3074	8.81
Sep-22			
Oct-22	697	6137	8.81
Nov-22	475	4185	8.81
Jan-23			
Mar-23	436	2548	5.84

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Name of the (Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni		
Connected load	16	Consumer no	1146070013641	
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North	
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh	
May-22	1272	10161	7.99	
Jul-22	1393	16508	11.85	
Sep-22	934	12235	13.10	
Nov-22	865	11522	13.32	
Jan-23				
Mar-23	1106	14123	12.77	

	20	22-2023			
Name of the (Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni			
Connected load	35	Consumer no	1146079016949		
Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	Section	Ranny North		
Month	kWh	Rs (Total)	Rs/kwh		
Apr-22	315	4124	13.09		
May-22	242	3812	15.75		
Jul-22	0	0			
Sep-22	271	4197	15.49		
Oct-22	286	4066	14.22		
Nov-22	320	4554	14.22		
Jan-23	294	4178	14.22		
Mar-23	271	4483	16.54		

Diesel

The campus has a Diesel Generator. The details of Diesel consumption is given below.

Diesel Consumption Details							
	Transportation	Total	cost				
	in L	in L	in L	in Rs			
20-21	0	310	310	28800			
21-22	0	323	323	30060			
22-23	0	328	328	31200			

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Consumer No	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	Connected Load (kW)	
1146072000540	210	672	993	2	
1146071019877	5387	4487	516	6	
1146079005428	2090	1164	1971	4	
1146073013642	2446	2108	4731	16	
1146070013641	3102	12628	13368	16	
1146079016949	3476	3513	2999	35	
1146076000773	4068	8099	3834	22	
1146071019877	1445	1656	1468	6	
Total	20778	32671	29879	107	

	Base Line 6	nergy Data		
	St. Thomas C	ollege, Ranni		
		2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
1	Electricity KSEB (kWh)	20778	32671	29879
2	Electricity DG (kWh)	929	970	985
3	Electricity Solar , Off grid (kWh)	0.00	0.00	0.00
4	Electricity (KSEB + DG + Off grid) kWh	21707	33641	30864
5	Electricity Grid Tied (kWh)	1214	1214	1278
6	Diesel (L)	0	0	0
7	LPG (kg)	60.00	75.00	75.00
8	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0.00	0.00

	Energy Consumption Profile						
SI	Final	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23			
No	Fuel	(kCal)					
1	Electricity	18667740	28931009	26543354			
2	Diesel	0	0	0			
3	LPG	720000	900000	900000			
4	Biogas	0	0	0			
200	Total	19387740	29831009	27443354			

Solar Power Plant

	Solar Power	Plant		
Capacity (kWp)	Annual Generation			
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	
1	1214	1214	1278	

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Lighting

		St. Th	omas C	ollege, Ra						
	Location LED T LED B LED SO TO TAX ICL CEL						ns			
SI.No	Location	LED-T	LED-B	LED-SQ	T8	T12	ICL	CFL	CF	EF
1	Principal	2		9					2	
2	Conf Hall	2			2				1	
3	Office	5			3				6	
4	Admn Room	1			4				3	
5	Manager					1			2	
6	Malayalam Dpmt	1							1	
7	3 Rooms	3							3	
8	4 Rooms					4			4	
9	9 Rooms					27			18	
10	Seminar Hall	3							6	1
11	4 Rooms				4				4	
12	Botany department					1			2	
13	Museum	1							2	
14	5 Classrooms	5							10	
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16	Computer lab				3				2	
17	3 Rooms				1			12	9	
18	3 Rooms	3						70	3	
19	3 Rooms				3			-	3	
20	English department	1				1			1	
21	6 Rooms				6				6	
22	Conf Hall		24						12	
23	3 Rooms						3		3	
24	Lab	3							4	
25	3 Departments	6			6				18	
26	6 Rooms				6				6	
27	9 Rooms	9							9	
28								4	4	
29	3 Rooms	3							6	
30	2 Rooms				2				2	
31	3 Rooms	3							3	
32		10000			5				5	
33	Auditorium	8			18				13	
	Total	61	25	9	64	34	3	16	178	1

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Lux Measurement

SI. No:	Location	Lux Avg
1	Manager	69
2	Seminar Hall	77
3	Botany department	90
4	Museum	83
5	Physics Department	96
6	Computer lab	79
7	Lab	79
8	Auditorium	90

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Energy efficiency in utility and process system

The specific energy consumption is normally taken as the ratio of total energy consumed to the total are of building.

	OTTOTRACTION	IS- ENERGY AU	IDIT						
	St. Thomas	College, Ranni							
	Energy Perform	nance Index (El	PI)	0.0					
SI Particulars 2020-21 2021-22 2022-2									
1	Total building area (m²)	8317	8317	8317					
2	Annual Energy Consumption (kCal)	19387740	29831009	27443354					
3	Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	22544	34687	31911					
4	Total Energy in Toe	1.94	2.98	2.74					
5	Specific Energy Consumption kWh/m²	2.71	4.17	3.84					

The Energy Performance Index (EPI) is

3.84 kWh/m²

The EPI of 2022-23 may be taken as benchmark.

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Evaluation of energy management system

Energy management policy

There is no written energy policy available, but environment policy is available which includes energy conservation also. A draft energy management policy is given below. The management may constitute an energy management policy and display the same in the plant to motivate the staff.

ST. THOMAS COLLEGE RANNI, RANNI

ENERGY POLICY

(Draft)

We are committed to optimally utilize various forms of energy in a cost effective manner to effect conservation of energy resources. We are committed to conserve the energy which is a scarce resource with the requisite consistency in the efficiency, effectiveness in the cost involved in the operations and ensuring that production quality and quantity, environment, safety, health of people are maintained. We are also committed to increase the renewable energy share of the total energy we use.

We are also committed to monitor continuously the saving achieved and reduce its specific energy consumption by minimum of 2% every year.

Date
Hoad of the Institution

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7.1. Energy management monitoring system

- Energy Management Cell has to be constituted with an objective to revise action plan for energy conservation thereby reducing the production cost.
- Energy conservation tips/ posters are displayed in crucial points.
- Use of renewable energy has to be encouraged.

7.2. Training to staff responsible for operational and Documentation.

- The staff and students need to be made more aware of the importance of energy saving and management.
- Log books shall be maintained to record Electricity Consumption and Diesel consumption.
- Meter reading shall be taken and compared with KSEB regularly.
- Better operating practices regarding appliances and fixtures should be taught to the staff.

7.3. Best Practices

- · Have solid waste management program
- Conducted Green Audit.
- · Have different social and environmental clubs
- Installed LED bulbs
- Conducted Energy Conservation Training Programs
- Installed Solar Power Plant



Energy Conservation Measures and Recommendations

	Consolidated Cost Benefit Analysis of	Energy Efficie	ncy Impro	vement Pr	ojects
	St. Thomas	College, Rann	i		
SI No	Projects	Investment	Cost saving	SPB	Energy saved
	1024-036-000	(Lakhs Rs)	(Rs)/Yr	Months	kWh/Yr
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 34 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.10	0.07	16.96	902
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 64 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	0.19	0.081	28.41	1014
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 16 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	0.01	0.006	31.25	69
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 178 No's in-efficient ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	5.34	0.335	191.33	4187
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OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERGY AUDIT

Energy Saving Proposal Code 1

Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 64 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube

Existing Scenario

64 numbers of T8(40 W) lamps were identified during the energy audit field survey in the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that the average utility of these fittings are of 30%.

Proposed System

The existing T8 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18W in phased manner and the savings will be of 55% (inclusive of improved light output and reduced energy consumption)

Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	64
Total load (kW)	2.56
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	1843
Expected Annual Energy saving for replacing all fittings (kWh)	1014
Cost of Power	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	0.08
Investment required for complete replacements [@Rs 300 per fittings](Lakhs Rs)	0.19
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	28.41

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Energy Saving Proposal Code	
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 34 Not LED Tube	s T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W
Existing Scenario	
257 numbers of T12(55 W) lamps were identified during the the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	
The existing T12 may be replaced to LED Tube of 18W in p savings will be of 67% (inclusive of improved light output ar consumption)	
Financial Analysis	7157-17
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	34
Total load (kW)	1.87
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	1346
Expected Annual Energy saving for replacing all fittings (kWh)	902
Cost of Power	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	0.07
	0.07
Investment required for complete replacements [@Rs 300 per fittings](Lakhs Rs)	0.10



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Energy Saving Proposal	
Energy Saving by replacing existing 178 No's in-eff Efficient Five star fans	
Existing Scenario	
There are 178 numbers of ceiling fans installed in the fa- operation. All are conventional type and most of them are	
Proposed System	
There is an energy saving opportunity in replace the exist labelled fans. The five star labelled fans give a savings uvalue (air delivery/watt).	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hrs)	2400
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Total numbers of ordinary fans	177,1,7,75
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Total numbers of ordinary fans Total load (kW) Annual Energy Consumption (kWh) Expected Annual Energy saving, for total	178 12.46 14952 4187
Total numbers of ordinary fans Total load (kW) Annual Energy Consumption (kWh) Expected Annual Energy saving, for total replacement(kWh) Cost of Power (Rs)	178 12.46 14952 4187 8.00





OTTOTRACTIONS- ENERGY AUDIT	
Energy Saving Proposal	
Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 16 No's Cl LED Bulb	L(15W) Lamps to 9W
Existing Scenario	
24 numbers of CFL (15W) lamps were identified during the ener the facility. During discussion with officers it is observed that the fittings are of 30%.	
Proposed System	
The existing CFL may be replaced to LED Bulb of 9W in phased savings will be of 40% (inclusive of improved light output and reconsumption)	
Financial Analysis	
Annual working hours (hr)	2400
No of fittings	16
Total load (kW)	0.24
Annual Energy Consumption (kWh)	173
Expected Annual Energy saving for replacing all fittings (kWh)	69
Cost of Power	8.00
Annual saving in Lakhs Rs (1st year)	0.01
Investment required for complete replacements [@Rs 90 per fittings](Lakhs Rs)	0.01
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	31.25



Energy Saving Proposal

Installation of 20kWp Solar Power Plant

Existing Scenario

There is a good potential of solar power electricity generation. The availability of sunlight is very high. There are some canopies available in the proposed site, but by having proper trimming of trees this may be avoided. If the SPVs are place in the roof top it will help improving RTTV (Roof Thermal Transmit Value) of the building.

Proposed System

It is proposed to have a Solar Power Plant of 10kW at the beginning stage. The state and central government is pushing and giving good assistance to the installation. It can be installed as an internal grid connected system which is much cheaper than off grid system. Now days the technology provides trouble free grid interactive and connected system. The installation will provide 25yrs trouble free generation with only 20% efficiency loss at the 25th year.

Financial Analysis	
Proposed Solar installed Capacity (kW)	20
Total average kWh per day expected (3.5kWh/day average)	75.00
Total annual Generating Capacity (kWh)	27375
Cost of energy generated annually Lakhs Rs	3.64
Investment required (INR lakh)(Approx)	11.00
Simple Pay Back (in Months)	36.26
Life cycle in Yrs	25
Total Saving in Life Cycle (Approx) RS lakh	91.02

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Technical Supplements

		St. T	homas	College	Rann	i		10								
				Lig	hts				Far	15		IT			Others	5
SI.N	Location	LED-	LED- B	LED- SQ	T8	T12	IC L	CF L	CF	F	Printe r	Projecto r	PC	TV	AC (1TR)	Fridg
1	Principal	2	0.0	9				27.0	2	100	1	1.00	- 1	1		
2	Conf Hall	2			2				1				-1		1	
3	Office	- 5			3				- 6		2		2			
4	Admn Room	1			4				3		3		1			
5	Manager				100	1			2		1		1			
6	Malayalam Dpmt	1							1							
7	3 Rooms	3							3							
8	4 Rooms	1				4			4							
9	9 Rooms					27			18							
10	Seminar Hall	3							6	1		1				
11	4 Rooms	1000			4				4			7.0				
12	Botany department					1			2	Г	1		1			1
13	Museum	1							2				1			
14	5 Classrooms	- 5							10							
15	Physics Department	2	1		2				5			1	1			
16	Computer lab				3				2				5			
17	3 Rooms				100			12	9							
18	3 Rooms	3						-	3							
19	3 Rooms				3				3							

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	Power	1220	250	180	256	187	30	288	1424	60	900	240	780	10	1200	1200
	Wattage	20	10	20	40	55	10	18	80	60	100	120	200	10	1200	120
	Total	61	25	9	64	34	3	16	178	1	9	2	39	1	1	1
33	Auditorium	8			18				13							
32	5 Rooms	loes.			5				5							
31	3 Rooms	3							3							
30	2 Rooms				2				2							
29	3 Rooms	3							- 6							
28	4 Rooms	0.41						4	4							
27	9 Rooms	9							9							
26	6 Rooms	7			6				6							
25	3 Departments	- 6			6				18							
24	Lab	3							- 4		(1)		24			
23	3 Rooms		547.0				3		3							
22	Conf Hall		24				317-		12							
21	6 Rooms				6				-6							
20	English department	1	_			1			1				1			

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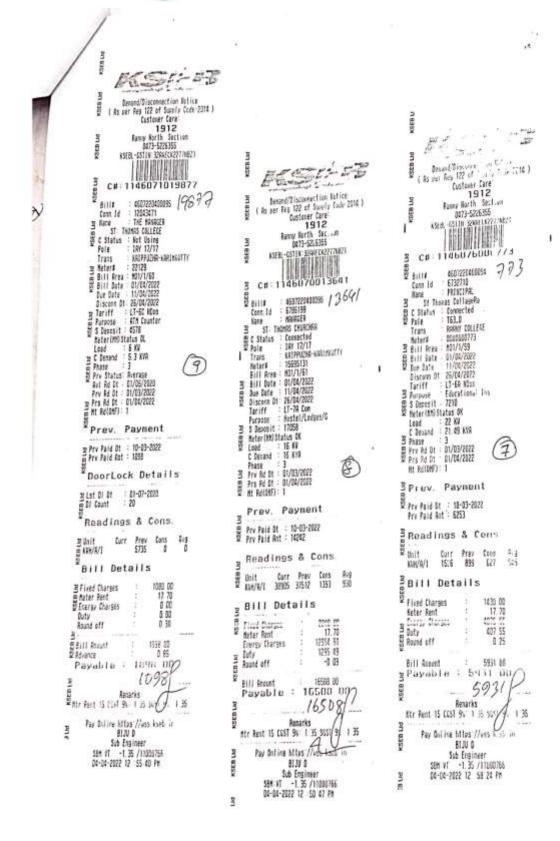














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INTRODUCTION

St. Thomas College, Ranni has entrusted Ottotractions to carry out an environment audit of their campus building.

Each section contains recommendations for improvements relating to environmental issues, which are consolidated in the action plan in section 4.

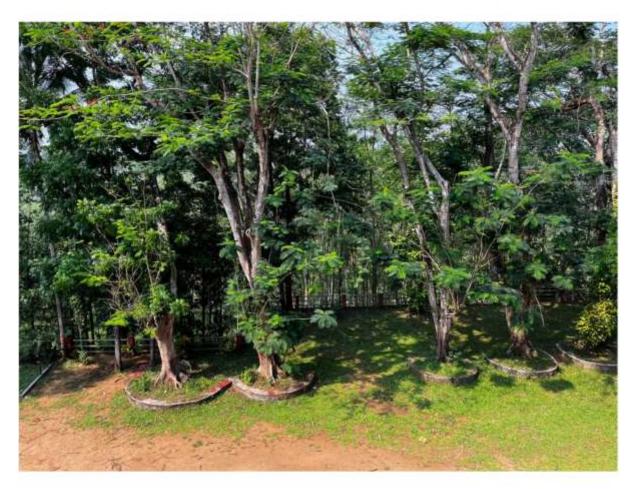
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BACKGROUND

The history of the college is embedded in the history of Ranni. The college is situated on the top of a serene hill, in a sylvan surrounding, away from the din and bustle of the city, easily accessible and is at a walkable distance from the heart of Ranni town. The college was established in 1964, as a junior college by St Thomas Valiyapally Ranni, a pioneer parish of the Syrian Knanaya Arch Diocese of

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Malankara, with the whole hearted support of the then Bishop late lamented His Excellency Abraham Mor Clemis to meet the educational needs of the youth of the local community. The college was upgraded to a first grade college in 1968 and is the only institution for higher education in this part of the country. When the delinking of Pre Degree sector was made possible by the government on administrative measures we were left with graduate and Post Graduate courses. During its 53 years of illustrious existence, the college gave birth to brilliant academicians, administrators, politicians and entrepreneurs.

The college aims at creating cultured and educated citizens who love God and their country. With its rural background and 'Gurukula' atmosphere, the college fosters uninterrupted pursuit of knowledge. The first Principal, Late Prof. K. A. Mathew, served as minister and PSC member in the Kerala State. He played a vital role in upgrading the junior college to a first grade one in 1968. As the Golden Jubilee project St. Thomas College of Advanced Studies, Edamury, Ranni, a Self Financing College affiliated to M.G. University, Kottayam was established in June 2014. In March 2016, the College was assessed and re-accredited in the second cycle by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) of UGC and graded at B level.



Occupancy Details							
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23				
Total Students	900	881	805				
Staffs	64	64	64				
Total Occupancy of the college	964	945	869				

Total student strength of the campus is 805. For calculating per capita carbon emission estimation, the student strength is taken into account.

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ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

This section is broken down into the following different areas: waste, water, energy, resource and materials use and procurement. A final 'other' section is also included for any additional issues.

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1.1. Waste

The way communities generate and manage their waste plays an absolutely key role in their ability to use resources efficiently. All buildings contain bins for both general waste and mixed recyclables (plastic bottles, card, cans and paper). On average each floor in the buildings areas has its own general waste bin and one recycling bin. When the bins are emptied by the cleaning staff. Bins are marked and kept in different colors for identification, however in some locations throughout the building it was unclear which bins were for which waste streams.

There are four basic ways which campus do plastic recycling collection services for plastic bottles and containers curbside, drop-off, buy-back or deposit/refund programs. The first, and most widely accessible, collection method is curbside collection of recyclables. The campus is installed bins to collect plastic bottles and single use plastics. The college has given a proper awareness on plastic waste problems and they are discouraging the students or teachers to carry plastics to the campus. The Bhoomitra Sena Club is very active in the campus and do a verity of programs to build awareness on waste management. The reports on different activities of the club are attached as technical supplement of this report.



The major concern of waste management will be focused on the solid waste produced by the campus. Solid wastes produced in the campus are mainly of three types, food waste, paper waste, and plastic waste. Food wastes produced in the campus are mainly by two means. The vegetable wastes produced in the kitchen during the food preparation. The food waste produced by the students and staffs of

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the campus after the consumption of meals. The degradable waste is treated in the biogas plant, the biogas generated is used in the kitchen. A state of art sewage treatment plant is installed in the campus

Degradable	e Waste Generatio	n					
St. Thomas College, Ranni							
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23				
Total Occupancy	964	945	869				
Waste generated in kg /day	19.28	18.9	17.38				
Waste generated in kg /Yr	4241.6	4158	3823.6				

Burning plastics shall be strictly restricted inside the campus. Burning plastic and other wastes releases dangerous substances such as heavy metals, Persistent Organic Pollutants, and other toxics into the air and ash waste residues. Such pollutants contribute to the development of asthma, cancer, endocrine disruption, and the global burden of disease.

Solid non degradable Waste Generation				
St. Thomas College, Ranni				
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	
Total Occupancy	964	945	869	
Waste paper generated in kg /day	0.1928	0.189	0.1738	
Waste plastic generated in kg /day	0.2892	0.2835	0.2607	
Waste paper generated in kg /Yr	42.42	41.58	38.24	
Waste plastic generated in kg /Yr	63.62	62.37	57.35	

1	Does your institute generate any waste?	Yes, Solid waste, Canteen waste,
	If so, what are they?	paper, plastic, Horticulture Waste
2	What is the approximate amount of waste generated per day? (in Kilograms/) (approx.)	19
3	How is the waste generated in the institute managed? By	Reuse of one side printed Paper for internal communication. Kitchen waste is used to generate manures and biogas. Two types of Waste bins are provide at campus for biodegradable and non biodegradable waste.

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	1	Composting	In-house
	2	Recycling	In-house
	3	Reusing	In-house
	4	Others (specify)	
4	Do you institute	use recycled paper in	Yes
5	Do you use reused paper in institute?		Yes
message of 6 the commun		mmunity? Have you taken latives? If yes,	Number of awareness programs through Nature Club, Biodiversity Club and NSS Camp
		specify.	
7		u achieve zero garbage in stitute? If yes, how?	Not yet achieved. Possible through waste management plan.

		Green Cover Audit		
1	Is there a garden in your institute?	Yes		
2	Do students spend time in the garden?	Yes		
	Total number of Digate in	Plant type	Approx. number	
3	Total number of Plants in	Trees	236	
	Campus	Ornamental	Not estimated	
4	Number of Tree Plantation Drives organized by School per annum. (If Any)	Yes, through Nature Club and Biodiversity club plantation drives are organized.		
5	Number of Trees Planted in Last FY.	30		
	Survival Rate	90%		

All the activities including energy consumption and waste management have their equivalent carbon emission and they positively contribute to the carbon footprint of the campus. Carbon sequestration is the reverse process, at which the emitted carbon dioxide will get sequestrated according to the type of carbon sequestration employed. Even though there are many natural sequestration processes are involved in a campus, the major type of sequestration among them is the carbon sequestration by trees.

Trees sequestrate carbon dioxide through the biochemical process of photosynthesis and it is stored as carbon in their trunk, branches, leaves and roots. The amount of carbon sequestrated by a tree can be calculated by different methods. In this study,

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the volumetric approach was taken into account, thus the details including CBH (Circumference at Breast Height), height, average age, and total number of the trees, are required. Detailed table is included in the technical supplement.

Carbon Sequestration			
Particulars	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Total No of Trees	236	236	236
Carbon sequestrated by trees in the campus (tCO2e)	6.4	7.1	7.50

Carbon sequestrated by a tree can be found out by using different methods. Since this study is employed the volumetric approach, the calculation consists of five processes.

- · Determining the total weight of the tree
- · Determining the dry weight of the tree
- Determining the weight of carbon in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree
- Determining the weight of CO₂ sequestrated in the tree per year

Carbon sequestrated by each species of trees in the campus compound is given in the Table. Detailed calculation results are listed out in the tables provided in the technical supplements of 'Carbon sequestration'.



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SI. No.	English Name	QTY
1	Jackfruit Tree	12
2	Mango	9
3	Ashoka Tree	1
4	BulletWood	2
5	Teak	84
6	Coconut	21
7	Wild Jack	7
8	Royal Princiana	4
9	Mahagony	38
10	Soursop Tree	7
11	Golden Shower Tree	8
12	Guava Tree	10
13	Rambutan	3
14	Copper Pod	3
15	False Ashoka	6
16	Caturina	1
17	Ornamental Palm	10
18	All Spice	1
19	Pride of India	2
20	Papaya	2
21	Bay Leaf	1
22	Persian Silk Tree	1
23	Araucaria	1
24	Hyophorbe	1
25	Sand Paper Tree	1
	Total	236

3.1.1 ENERGY

a. Electricity

The total emission of the carbon dioxide per student is 22.21 kg per year. Emission reduction plans were prepared to bring the existing per capita carbon footprint to zero or below so as to bring the campus a carbon neutral or carbon negative campus. All energy efficiency projects shall be implemented, So, the effective specific carbon emission per student is -6.44kg of CO₂ per year only

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This can be achieved in many ways but, every alternate plan must be in such a way that, it must fulfill the actual purpose of each activity that is considered.

Here, three major methods are taken in to account as the plans for reducing the carbon emission of the campus.

- · Resource optimization
- Energy efficiency
- Renewable energy

Electricity Consumption

	Electricity Co	nnection Details	
St. Thomas College, Ranni			
1	Name of the Consumer	St. Thomas College, Ranni	
2	Tariff	LT-6A 3Ph	
3	Consumer Numbers	1146072000540, 1146071019877, 1146079005428, 1146073013642, 1146070013641, 1146079016949, 1146076000773, 1146071019877	
5	Connected Load Total (kW)	107	
6	Annual Electricity Consumption (kWh)	29879	

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Consumer No	2020-21	2021-22 2022-2	1 2021-22	2022-23	(kW)
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1146071019877	5387	4487	516	6	
1146079005428	2090	1164	1971	4	
1146073013642	2446	2108	4731	16	
1146070013641	3102	12628	13368	16	
1146079016949	3476	3513	2999	35	
1146076000773	4068	8099	3834	22	
1146071019877	1445	1656	1468	6	
Total	20778	32671	29879	107	

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RESOURCE OPTIMISATION

The effective use of resources can limit its unnecessary wastage. Optimal usage of the resources (such as fuels) can save the fuel and can also reduce the carbon emission due to its consumption. This technique can be effectively implemented in the 'transportation' and 'waste' sectors of the campus.

WASTE MINIMISATION

Optimal utilization of paper and plastic stationaries can reduce the frequency of purchase of items. This can reduce the unnecessary wastage of money as well as the excess production of waste. In the case of food, proper food habits and housekeeping practices can optimize its usage.

Currently, College is taking an appreciable effort to reduce the unnecessary production of wastes. But the campus still has opportunities to reduce the generation of waste and can improve much more. Resource optimization can be effectively implemented in all type of waste generated in the campus and the campus can expect about 50% reduction the total waste produced.



ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Energy efficiency is the practice of reducing the energy requirements while achieving the required energy output. Energy efficiency can be effectively implemented in all the sectors of the campus.

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FUELS FOR COOKING

The campus can install a solar water heater to rise the water temperature to a much higher level, then it has to consume only very less amount of thermal energy for preparing the same amount of food. This can make a positive benefit to the campus by saving money, energy and can reduce the carbon emission of the campus due to thermal energy consumed for cooking.

TRANSPORTATION

Energy efficiency of the transportation sector is mainly depended on the fuel efficiency of the vehicles used. Here mileage of the vehicle (kmpl - Kilometres per Litre) is calculated to assess the fuel efficiency of the vehicle. Percentage of closeness is the ratio of actual mileage of the vehicle to its expected mileage. If the percentage of closeness of mileages of each vehicle is greater than that of its average, then the efficiency status of the vehicle is considered as 'Above average' and else, it is considered as 'Below average'

Renewable Energy

1kWp Solar power plant is installed in the campus which helps offsetting the carbon foot print. The details of these projects are given in the concerned chapters.

After analyzing the historical and measured data the following projects are proposed to make the campus carbon neutral. The projects are from energy efficiency and renewable energy. The further additions in the green cover increase will also give positive impact in the carbon mitigation.



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	OTTOTRACTION	NS- ENER	GY AUD	IT		
	St. Thomas Greenhouse Gas Mitigation throu			Efficienc	u Draia	oto
SI No	Projects	Energy saved(Yearly)		Sustainability (Years)	First year ton of CO2	Expected Tons of 60 CO2 mitigated through out life cycle
		(kWh)	MWh	Years	E E	Ē, Ē
1	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 34 No's T12 (55W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	902	0.90	10	0.66	6.59
2	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 64 No's T8 (40W) Lamps to 18W LED Tube	1014	1.01	10	0.74	7.40
3	Energy Saving in Lighting by replacing existing 16 No's CFL(15W) Lamps to 9W LED Bulb	69	0.07	10	0.05	0.50
4	Energy Saving by replacing existing 178 No's in-efficient ceiling fans with Energy Efficient Five star fans	4187	4.19	10	3.06	30.56
	Total	6172	6	10	4.51	45.05

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		(kWh)	MWh	Years	First	Expected CO2 mi through
1	Installation of 20kWp Solar Power Plant	27375	27.38	25	19.98	499.59
	Total	27375	27	25	19.98	500





General Environmental Awareness Question	onnaire
Are you aware of any environmental Laws pertaining to different aspects of environmental management?	Yes
Does your institute have any rules to protect the environment? List possible rules you could include.	Yes
Dose Environmental Ambient Air Quality Monitoring conducted by the Institute?	No
Dose Environmental Water and Wastewater Quality monitoring conducted by the Institute?	Yes
Dose stack monitoring of DG sets conducted by the Institute?	No
Is any warning notice, letter issued by state government bodies?	No
Dose any Hazardous waste generated by the Institute? If yes explain its category and disposal method	No
Are you aware of any environmental Laws pertaining to different aspects of environmental management?	Yes
Does your institute have any rules to protect the environment? List possible rules you could include.	Yes
Does housekeeping schedule in your campus?	Yes
Are students and faculties aware of environmental cleanliness ways? If Yes Explain	Yes
Does Important Days Like World Environment Day, Earth Day, and Ozone Day etc. eminent in Campus?	Yes
Does Institute participate in National and Local Environmental Protection Movement?	Yes
Does the institute have any Recognition/certification for environment friendliness?	No
Does the institute use renewable energy?	Yes
Does the Institution conduct a green/environmental audit of its campus?	Yes
Has the institution been audited / accredited by any other agency such as NABL, NABET, TQPM, NAAC etc.?	Yes (NAAC)





Best Practices and Initiatives	
Renewable Energy	Yes
Solar Power Plant	Yes
Energy Audit and Green Audit Conducted	Yes
Biogas Plant installed	No
Biodiversity Conservation	Yes
Green Cover	Yes
Tree Plantation Drives	Yes
ECO clubs	Yes
Groundwater Recharge	Yes
Rain Water Harvesting System.	Yes
Pollution Reduction Public Transportation	Yes
E Waste Management	Yes
Connected to authorized recycler	Yes
Solid Waste Management	Yes
Lifting of garbage from the campus on alternate days by the Municipal Corporation.	No
Adoption of Village	Yes
CSR	Yes
Water Conservation	Yes
Energy Conservation	Yes





RECOMMENDATIONS

- Implement a utility monitoring program.
 - Allocate staff to carry out meter readings for electricity, waste and water on regular basis
 - · Add monitoring data to spreadsheet so results can be viewed graphically
 - Compare with the utility bills meter readings in order to ensure accuracy;
- Consider adopting and implementing a sustainable procurement policy which takes into account the whole life cycle of a product, and make sure environmental issues are written into tenders when contracting out.

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- Consider trialing recycled paper again many recycled brands today, such as Evolve, are just as good as virgin paper.
- Trial the use of re-manufactured (i.e., refilled) ink and toner cartridges rather than purchasing new ones.
- Consider producing some designated 'environmental' pages on the intranet to make it easier for staff to find environmental information. If possible, a discussion forum could be set up to allow easy internal communications and staff to make suggestions for environmental improvements.
- 6. Environmental training could be formalized and carried out for all staff. It does not have to be too long or onerous, providing it covers key points, particularly in relation to waste so all staff are aware of the legal requirements. At the very least, environmental information should be included in the induction pack.
- 7. It is strongly recommended that environmental information is also given to students and staff during induction. It is particularly important for them to be aware of what waste they can dispose of on site and where they can dispose of it, and what waste streams they must take away with them.
- 8. Consider implementing an environmental management system to incorporate all improvements and monitoring requirements. It does not need to be a complex system certified to any particular standard, merely a way of ensuring that baselines are set and progress is measured. Formation of Environment Policy and communicated to all faculties and other staff.
- 9. Plan for Zero Waste Campus Project
- 10. E-waste monthly inventory be maintained at campus as per E waste rules 2016.
- A Water Meter should be installed at the institute for monitoring of water consumption per capita.
- Increase in Environmental promotional activities for spreading awareness at campus.
- Environment/Green committee formation for regulating eco-friendly initiatives at campus premises and periphery.





CONCLUSION

This audit involved extensive consultation with all the campus team, interactions with key personnel on a wide range of issues related to Environmental aspects. The audit has identified several observations for making the campus premise more environmentally friendly. The recommendations are also mentioned with observations for St. Thomas college, Ranni team to initiate actions.

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		C	arbon Foo	t Print			
SI. No.	Particulars	2020-21	tCO2e	2021-22	tCO2e	2022-23	tCO2e
1	Electricity (kWh)	21707	17.80	33641	27.59	30864	25.31
2	Diesel (L)	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
3	LPG (kg)	60.00	0	75.00	0.11	75.00	0.11
4	Biogas (m3)	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000
5	Degradable Waste in kg/yr.	4241.6	3	4158	2.62	3823.6	2.41
6	Paper Waste in kg/yr	42.42	0	41.58	0.02	38.24	0.02
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However, there is scope for further improvement, particularly in relation to waste minimization and energy monitoring. By implementing a basic environmental management system, current good practice can be formalized and a framework can be set up for monitoring, implementation of action plans and continual improvement.

The audit team observed that the overall site is maintained well from an environmental perspective. There are no major observations but few things are important to initiate urgently are waste management records by monthly inventory of hazardous waste, rainwater harvesting recharge; water balance cycle and periodic inspection of buildings; environment policy and initiation of composting at campus.

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TECHNICAL SUPPLEMENTS

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7.1.2 Facilities for alternate sources of energy and energy conservation measures in the Institution

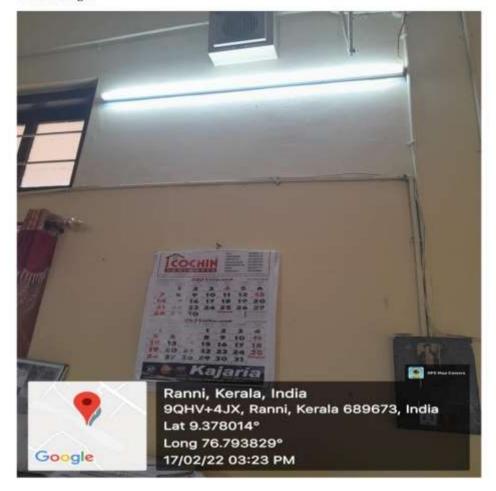
Photographs of the facilities for alternate sources of energy

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Solar Plant



LED tube light



Biogas Plant



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1.	Artocarpus heterophyllus	ลูเอเมื	JACKFRUIT TREE	12
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3.		അശോകം	ASHOKA TREE	1
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5.	Tectona grandis	തേക്ക്	TEAK.	84
6.	Cocos nucifera	തെങ്ങ്	COCONUT TREE	7
7.	Artocarpus hirsutus	ആഞ്ഞിലി	WILD JACK	4
8.	Delonix regia	ഗുൽമോഹർ	ROYAL PRINCIANA	38
9.	Swietenia macrophylla	മഹാഗണി	MAHAGONY	7
10.	Annona muricata	മുള്ളാത്ത	SOURSOP TREE	-
11.		കണിക്കൊന്ന	GOLDEN SHOWER TREE	8
12.	Psidium guajava	വേര	GUAVA TREE	10
13.	Nephelium lappaceum	റംബൂട്ടാൻ	RAMBUTAN	3
14.	Peltophorum pterocarpum	മഞ്ഞവാക	COPPER POD	3
15.	Polyathia longifolia	അർണമരം	FALSE ASHOKA	6
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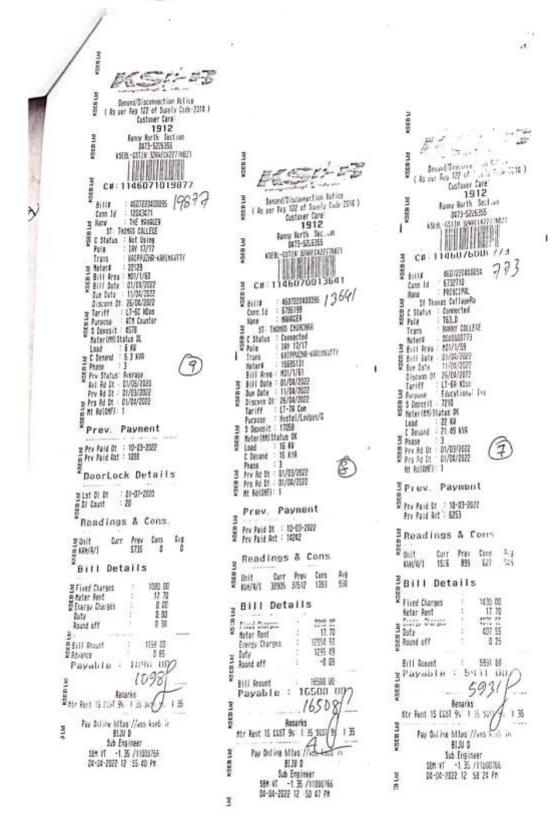














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