

Cost Implications of Green Building Certification Process

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Abstract As our country is acing in construction of infrastructure, it has made some worthy advancements in the way construction activities happened over the years. India is a home to 137 crore population and the number seems to increase endlessly. As people are now moving into urban cities, the pressure on these cities to provide shelter comes with a hefty price which is borne by the environment. All the construction activities hamper the ecological balance of the locality. The study discusses how the new concepts are brought in to curb the menace of the construction activities. With Green architecture, sustainable development soothes the damage done to the environment and brings about clean construction. The current self- sufficient energy efficient concepts adaptability and impact on the performance of the building.

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I. INTRODUCTION

As the migration of people from rural areas to cities increased tremendously over the years it led to pressure on the urban city of Pune to provide shelter to all. To meet those demands the consumption of naturally available resources increased haphazardly without foreseeing its availability in the near future and it continues to do so.

It is forecasted that the demand-supply gap as high as 70% would surface in Pune. With the demand increasing to 180000 units and supply remaining 53000 units. Looking at the pace in which construction is happening in Pune, it has taken a toll on the environment. Sustainable development seems a permanent solution to curb this menace. Certifying agencies like the IGBC, GRIHA, ASHRAE to name a few have laid down detailed guidelines for designing buildings and providing facilities to the end users in a way that a minimal destruction to the environment takes place.

II. Literature Survey

Sharad R Khere et al 2016:

This paper discusses about the four green building rating systems. It says that these rating systems are not unique in nature and they cannot rate the building effectively. However, they bring about critical points enough for the developer, architect etc. to study the sustainability of the building [1].

Bong-Ciang Hwarg 2010:

The green building concept is taking a boon in Singapore construction. However, they do not have a project management framework in place. This framework is very essential as it helps monitor the projects parameter like cost, time & quality. Lack of communication has led to many project disputes. Hence this paper concludes that a proper communication is essential for successful delivery of green building project [2].

Dr. Dina Elmigy 2014:

This paper discusses the harm done to the environment due to construction activities and the need to bring in laws and rules to curb the pollution caused by it. Many green building Programs are design aspect Hence this study highlights designs & clarifies the difference between the LEED, GRIHA, GBCA & GPR [3].

Zhikun et al 2018:

This paper discusses how the concept of green building came into picture. Also, the need and necessity of the green buildings in today's scenario. The inability of the government to curb the pollution caused by the construction activities is the main barrier why the green building concept is still not taking pace [4].

Luay N. Dwaikat et al:

Being the biggest supporter of contamination and ozone harming

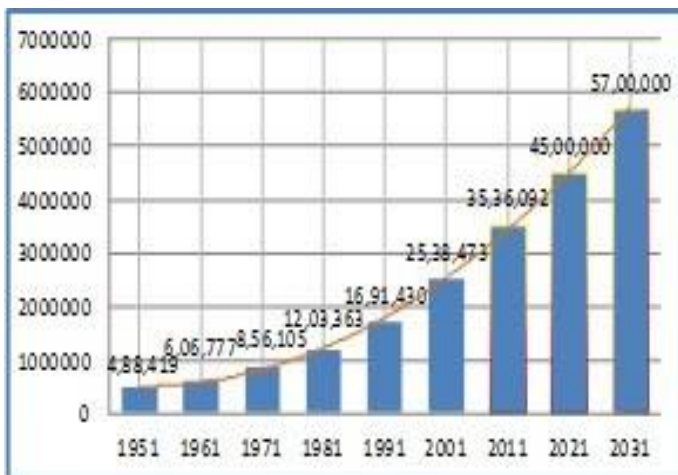


Figure 1 The rising population in Pune (census 2011)

substance emanations, the development area has acquired force in practical turn of events and assumes a critical part in maintainability accomplishment. The green buildings can diminish the fossil fuel byproducts up to zero levels through using environmentally friendly power frameworks to meet the prerequisites of its tenants. Environmentally friendly power frameworks in the green structure can be either aloof or dynamic frameworks while inactive energy frameworks allude to enhancements of building envelope components to limit the all out energy request the dynamic frameworks use more current innovation and more proficient electrical gadgets and machines to lessen energy interest, and to create energy from environmentally friendly power sources, for example, sunlight based, wind, geothermal (Heat from the earth). Aloof sun oriented plan has a possibility to wipe out 50 – 75% of cooling and warming energy interest in structures [5].

Omer Tatari et al:

Built environment has a considerable effect on the economy, society, and the climate. Alongside the expanding ecological thought of the structure impacts, the natural appraisal of structures has acquired generous significance in the development business. In this investigation, a counterfeit neural organization model is worked to foresee cost premium of LEED ensured green structures dependent on LEED classifications. To confirm the feasibility of the model, numerous relapse examination is utilized as a benchmarking model. In the wake of approving the forecast force of the neural organization model, a worldwide affectability investigation is used to give a superior comprehension of potential connections among information and yield factors of the expectation model. Feasible Sites and Energy and Atmosphere LEED classifications were found to have the most noteworthy affectability in cost premium expectation. In this examination, our objective was to uncover the critical connections between LEED classes and the expense premium, and offer a choice model that can control proprietors to appraise cost charges dependent on looked for LEED credits [6].

Amir Hosein Ghaffarian Hoseiniet al 2016:

This examination focuses to clarify the embodiment of supportability in green structure plan executions. In such manner, the examination causes to notice the manageable energy exhibitions of green structures to recognize the compelling boundaries dependent on the contemporary fruitful achievements. The examination expounds on the contemporary patterns and utilizations of green structure plan and the separate effects on practical turns of events. Subsequently, the insightful survey affirms that the economical energy execution of green structures has been changed to a reasonable and down to earth goal to ease the CO₂ emanations and decrease the structure area energy utilization. Moreover, with view to the current difficulties and boundaries, the examination infers that; it is as yet pivotal to distinguish and create proficient energy arrangements related with green structures for tending to the future energy requests. Moreover, the discoveries feature that the manageable energy exhibitions related with incorporated innovations and environmentally friendly power frameworks are as yet interlaced with huge difficulties identified with the essential boundaries of cost, support, and activity. All in all, the examinations of the exploration discoveries are prescribed

to be mulled over by designers, architects and engineers for the advancement of future eco-urban areas with an unequivocal perspective towards creating greener and more brilliant built environments [7].

III. POPULATION GROWTH AND MIGRATION FROM VILLAGES TO CITIES ARE PROBLEMS

The burden of providing basic services and administrations on concerned Municipal Corporations is extremely heavy and unexpected. One of the most important is the financial impact. Global warming, wealth depletion, food shortages, air, water, and land pollution are only a few of the consequences of urbanization. This has brought independent and energy-efficient private buildings in the metropolitan area a new lease on life. It will meet immediate needs while still catering to potential interests.

IV. BUILDINGS THAT ARE SELF-SUFFICIENT AND ENERGY EFFICIENT

A. Facility and site maintenance.

The location of a site and its management during construction are crucial factors for a venture's legitimacy. As a result, the structure's operation and support costs decrease. The Sustainable Sites class discourages construction on already scarce land, restricts a structure's effects on conditions and streams, promotes locally reasonable planning, rewards smart transportation choices, manages storm-water run-off, and reduces deterioration, light pollution, the heat island effect, and development-related pollution. Plan for the most limited covering for non- housetop areas, use of heat-sensitive material on the roof, reduction in exterior lighting and pollution, and building operation and support activities all contribute to a reduction in reliance on common resources. Green systems must be planned, designed, and operated by building owners, organizers, counsels, engineers, office chiefs, and task directors. An unwavering affirmation software that can be used on any structure type and at any point of the structure's lifecycle. It encourages a holistic approach to managing practicality through observing execution.

B. Water efficiency

Consumable water supply is important for structures. Water Efficiency's aim, for what it's worth, is to encourage more efficient water use. Within, more efficient installations and fittings, as well as water-wise finishing outside, are used to refine water decline on a regular basis. Mastery and capability of various types of water in terms of usage extends. Productivity in terms of water. Water collection, waste water disposal, a separate water source for non-consumable water, and other activities are orchestrated and carried out to make more efficient use of water. Water-efficient homes can conserve up to 30 percent of their consumable water.

C. Energy efficiency

It supports a wide range of energy systems. Energy use monitoring, efficient planning and production. Separate energy meters for normal and backup supplies. Efficient apparatuses,

frameworks and lighting in rooms and common areas. The use of renewable and clean energy sources generated locally or off-site and other imaginative mechanisms that result in the efficient use of energy. By using efficient applications, energy savings of up to 30% can be achieved.

D. Health and Comfort

Smoking effects can be limited by using no smoking strategies during construction and prohibiting smoking in similar zones. It will be advantageous for both labors and customers to use environmentally friendly materials for construction, such as low VOC paints. Providing near lifts, lifts, and exceptional W.C. and washrooms in a similar zone will provide comfort to truly tested tenants. Customers are alerted to their status by the plan of a running track and pools which results in a decrease in non-appearance in their working atmosphere and an increase in performance.

E. Materials & Resources

Structures generate a lot of waste during the construction and tasks phases, and they use a lot of materials and properties. This encourages people to choose products and materials that have been thoughtfully produced, selected, manufactured, and delivered. As a result, waste is reduced, similar to the reuse and reusing of materials, and it calls waste reduction at an object source.

F. Indoor environmental quality

Indians spend nearly 90 percent of their time indoors, in their homes, classrooms, and workplaces, where air quality is often worse than outside. Maintaining Healthy and Functioning Indoor Environmental Quality advances frameworks that can increase indoor air quality, such as providing induction to standard daylight and views, and enhancing acoustics.

V.CERTIFICATION OF SELF- SUFFICIENT AND ENERGY EFFICIENT RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS BY DIFFERENT AGENCIES.

Significant evaluation systems in India include the Indian Green Building Council (IGBC) and the Green Rating Integrated Habitant Assessment (GRIHA).

IGBC (International Green Building Council): For each building form and stage of the construction lifecycle, this rating system provides a manual for measuring and reporting achievement. There are four levels of qualification available for new commers.

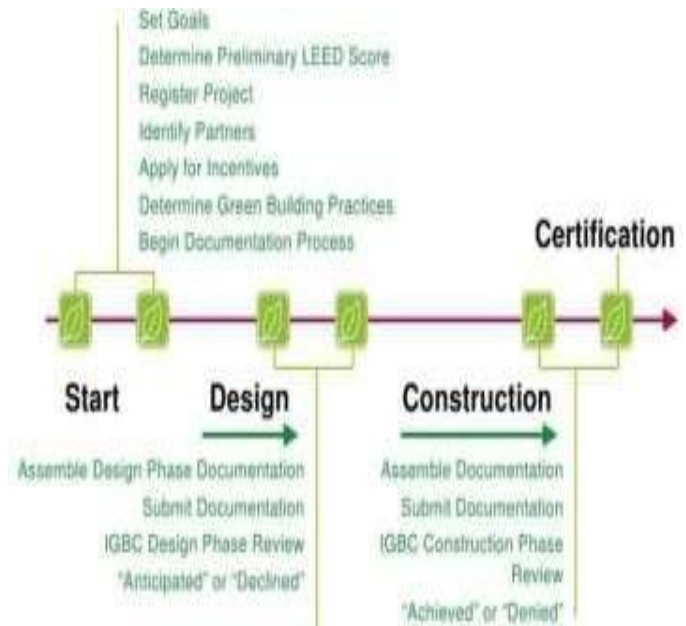


Figure 2 Certification Procedures

GRIHA

Depending on the number of centres obtained, different levels of affirmation (one to five stars) are permitted. For accreditation, 50 base centres are needed. To date, 575 exercises in India have signed up for the RIHA Rating services, covering a total area of more than 20 billion square metres.

CERTIFICATION INSPIRATIONS

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Discounts on Property Taxes and Premiums:

Certain guaranteed systems are eligible for evaluation and premium discounts from some metropolitan enterprises. The Pimpri-Chinchwad Municipal Corporation, for example, provides refunds on costs paid by designers, subject to local charge limits based on the number of stars a building receives via GRIHA certification.

Mortgage holders are eligible for a reduction in the local fee:

When the upgrade is over, the builder will hand over the green structure to the level owners, and the green structure's level owners will receive a 10% discount on local charges going forward. Other popular endeavors in Maharashtra's territory, such as Nashik and Navi Mumbai, are developing local charge-based green structure inspirations. In Pune, the Pune Municipal Corporation allows structures that are daylight-based or wind-resistant to be taller and thus more important, igniting the imagination of engineers.

For GRIHA pre-guaranteed ventures, a fast track to natural freedom is available:

According to the Indian government, private development projects with a built area of more than 20,000 sq m must first obtain an environment freedom certification is completed Because of the delays in beginning such

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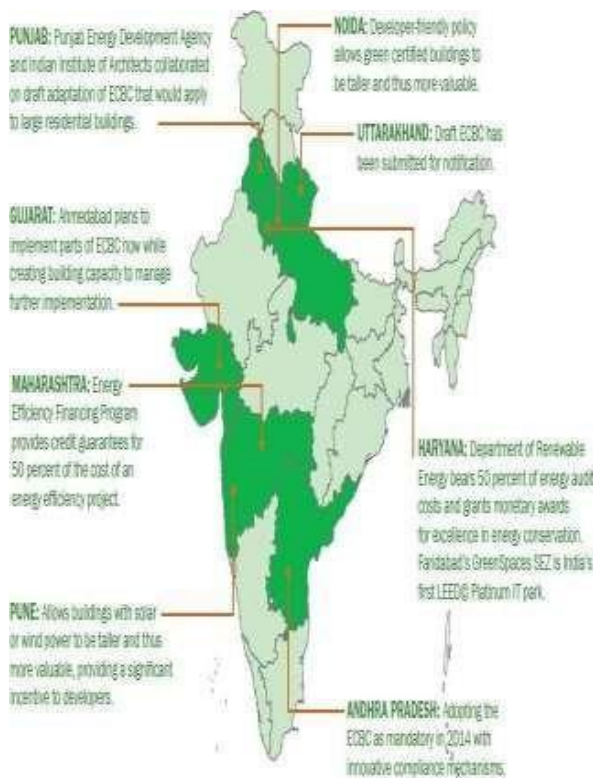


Figure 3 Green building incentives, source-greener construction saves money: India offers incentives for energy efficient structures

VI. CURRENT SUSTAINABLE BUILDING SCENARIO

In the planning and organizing of the house, consider the aspects of manageability:

The structural arrangement of the watched assembling is that each level is three-sided open, which aids in obtaining the maximum amount of light and ventilation while reducing the load on the power grid. It is essential to build in order to have the most notable. Natural light, natural ventilation, pondering area wind data, and daylight-based way inspection, as dictated by PC reenactment There isn't a single ordinary divider on any of the levels that achieves incredible cross ventilation. The entire opening zone

(channel and outlet) takes up more than 30% of the floor area. As a result, there is a 20-30% reduction in indoor energy use

Finishing:

Many of the trees that have been planted are from Pune's "Local Fauna." Bahava, Kadamb, Saptaparni, Sitaphal, Shirish, Mango, Sonchafa, and Limbu are just a few examples. The trees are planted in such a way that their shadow can cover a large portion of the cleared area. Each tree is given a number and assigned to the level owner who will be in charge of it. The accessible stopping territories are obtained by social gatherings of veins, such as Jai, Jui, Krishna-Kamal, and so forth. The complex has a vegetable fix, from which each of the level owners can receive daily vegetables produced using organic methods.

Other environmentally sensitive initiatives include:

Vehicles would be charged using "environmentally friendly power energy" through an electric charging station. All W.C.s have a two-flush system with a 3L and 6L per flush stream pace. Separate chutes have also been provided for the variety and separation of 100 percent biodegradable and non-biodegradable wastes. Furthermore, a bio culture- based on-site treatment plant for the treatment of 100 percent of normal wastes. The fertilizer made from biodegradable wastes will be used on the actual construction site.

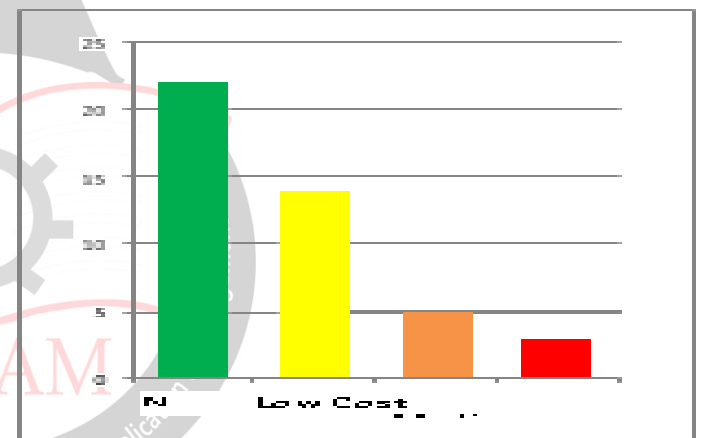


Figure 4 Overall Cost Implications to check flexibility of implementation

Presently, from above Graph is set up to know the general expense suggestions

From above examination it reflects that there is definitely not a significant expense qualification between traditional design and reasonable construction. A portion of the time the simplest and most affordable method can be used to grow the overall proficiency. There is a slight to medium expense qualification between them. Despite the way that there is more noteworthy endeavor need at early phase as time goes on the green construction winds up being moderate. Cost effectiveness at each period of development can be cultivated anyway proficiently masterminding and completing of pre-development works out, development activities and post development activities of building development.

VII. CONCLUSION

If the world's population grows, migration occurs in

metropolitan areas as a result of urbanization. As the population of cities grows, the demand for basic workplaces outfitted by concern experts grows, resulting in daily defilement. So, in order to limit this impact, feasible progress should be made in order to conserve traditional resources and reduce the burden on basic administrations.

It should be coordinated through various pre- development activities and adequately carried out through development work. Reasonable practice isn't a hard and fast rule; its results can shift with the seasons and aren't always consistent with each place.

Despite the fact that India ranks second in the world in terms of practical change, treatment at the grassroots level is lacking. Supportable treatment programs should be carried out at the grassroots level.

By connecting all affirming workplaces from the public to the community level through the selection of a local authority, the certification strategy should become fundamental. As a result, there will be early, successful, and fruitful pre-attestation, as well as final accreditation. Similarly, propelling forces should be established and made available to the entire country at a public level.

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