

**Cognizant**

# **22nd National Award for Excellence in Energy Management 2021**

Siruseri SEZ - Chennai

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August 2021

# Agenda

1. Brief of the Organization
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# Cognizant Overview



Cognizant is a multinational corporation that provides IT services, including digital, technology, consulting, and operations services. It is headquartered in Teaneck, New Jersey, United States.

**#185**

On 2021 **Fortune 500**

Fortune

**#533**

On **Forbes Global 2000** for 2020

Forbes

**#483**

On **Forbes The Best Employers for Diversity 2019**

Forbes

**12 Years**

One of **Fortune's Most Admired Companies**

Fortune

**#63**

On **Forbes Top 100 Digital Companies** for 2019

Forbes

**#19**

On **Forbes America's Best Employers 2020**

Forbes

Cognizant is included in the **NASDAQ-100** and the **S&P 500** indices. Cognizant had a period of fast growth during the 2000s

159+ delivery and operations centers globally and spread across 39 countries

The company has more than 291,700 employees globally, of which, 100,000 are women employees.

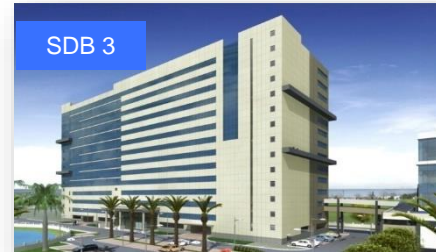
Total global footprint of 24 million+ built up area, in which 13.6 million SFT is of own Facility

Majority of these operations are in hot and humid climate and operates on 24X7 basis

More than 80% of the space is air-conditioned

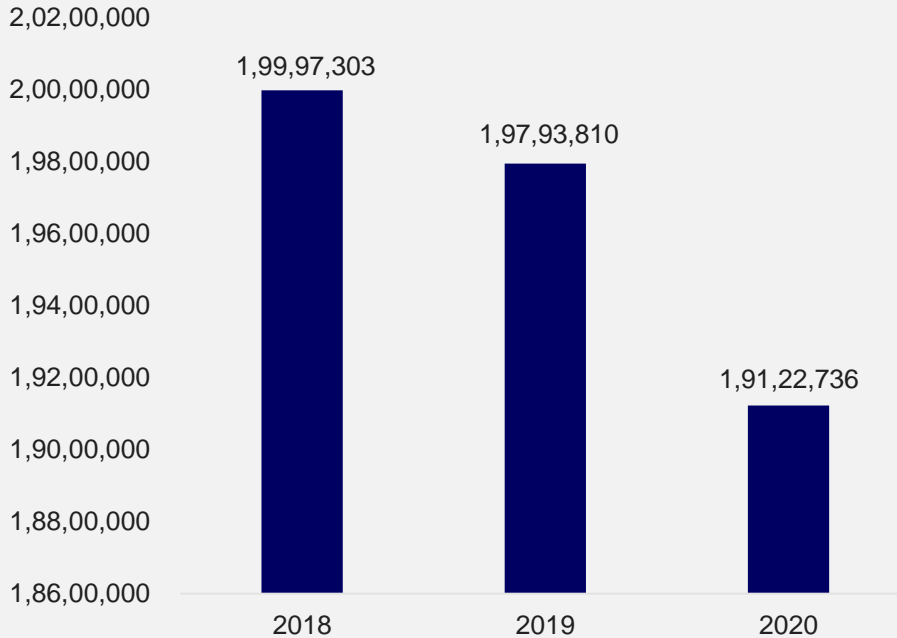
# Facility Overview

- Operations from 2011, Owned Facility at SIPCOT
- Campus Area – 40 acres.
- Total Built-up Area- 200,986.67 Sq.mtr
- Five Blocks (SDB1,SDB 2,SDB 3, MLCP & Cafeteria)
- Seating Capacity: 12554
- BAU Head Count: 8558 Associates & 1550 CWR
- TNEB Sanctioned Demand – 5500 KVA
- TNEB Supply Voltage Level – 33 KV
- Transformers Aggregate Capacity – 14000 KVA
- Diesel Generator Aggregate Capacity – 12000 KVA
- Chiller Aggregate Capacity – 4886 TR
- UPS Aggregate Capacity – 1905 KVA
- Exclusive Medical Center with Ambulance Service
- Gold Rated LEED Certified Building
- Certified for OHSAS 45001 and ISO 14001

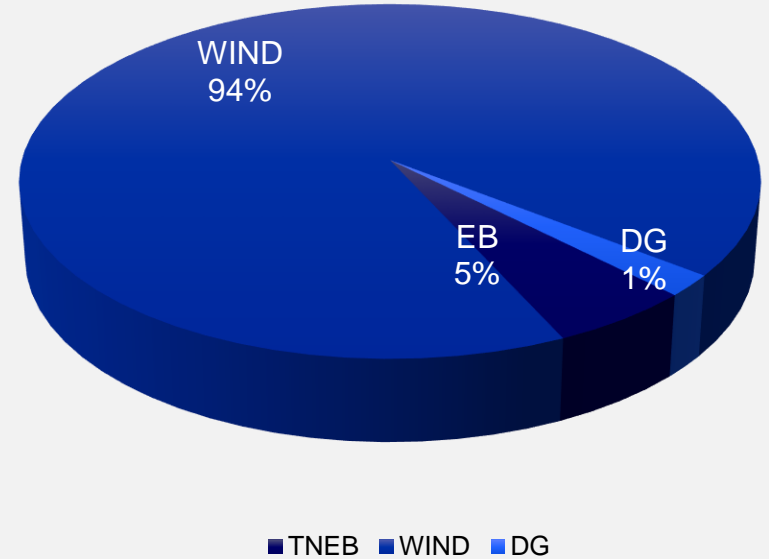


# Energy Consumption Overview for year 2018 - 2020

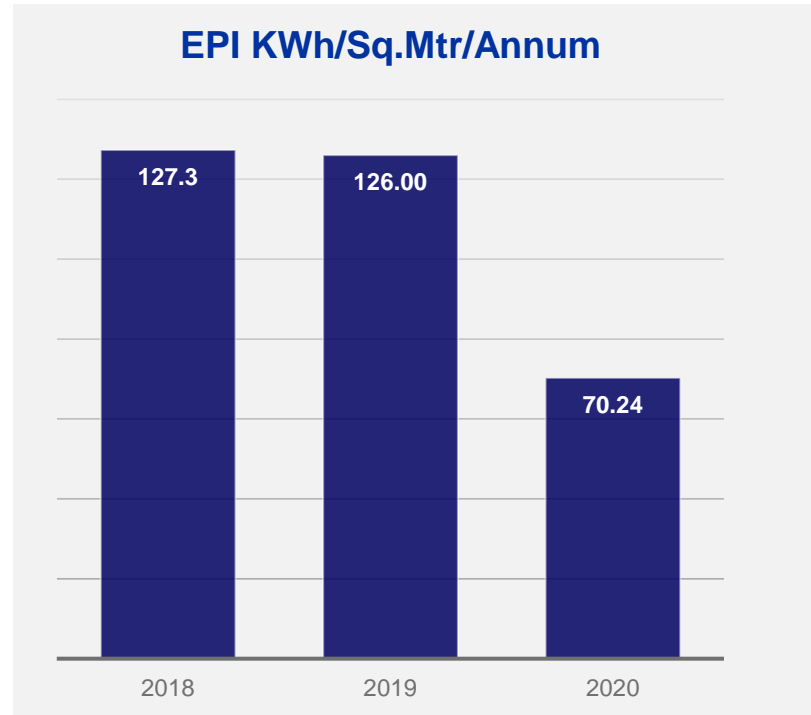
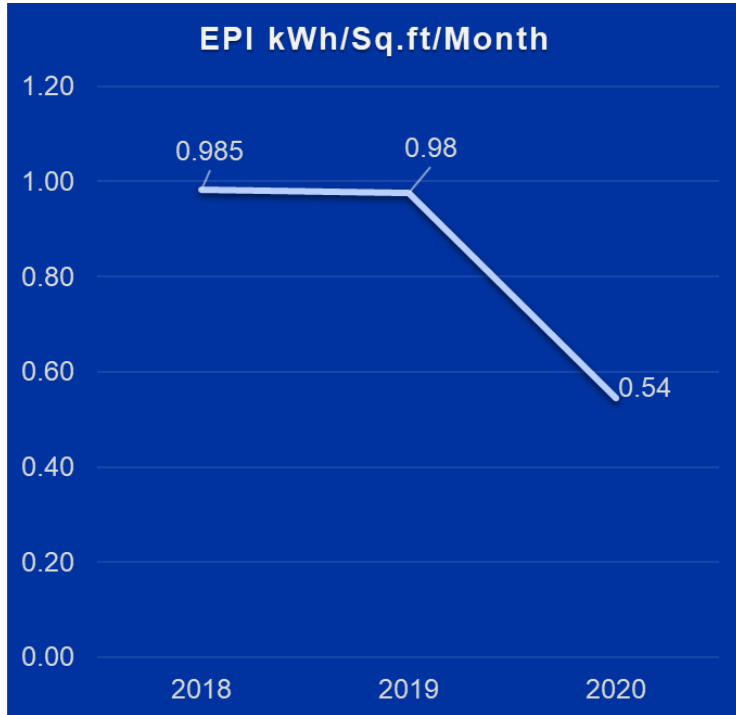
## Total Energy Consumption (kWh) Trend- 2018-2020



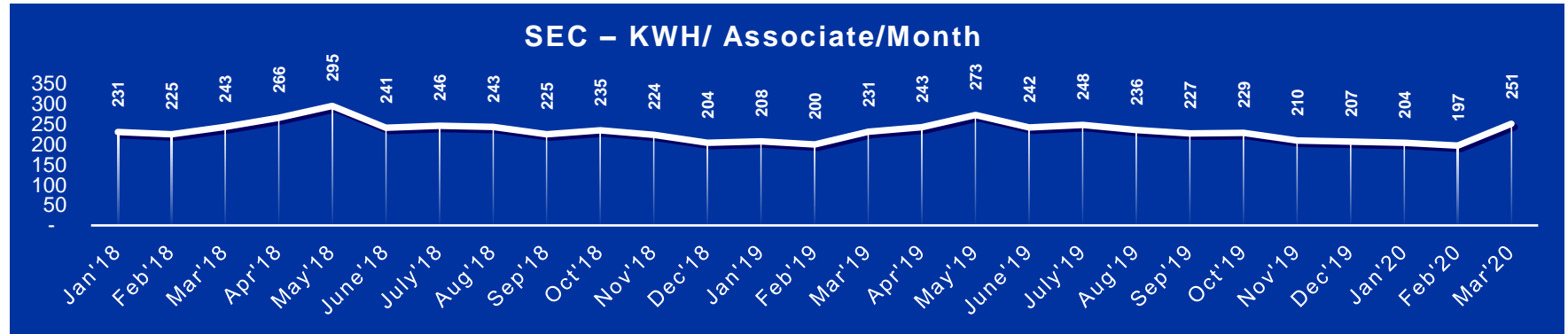
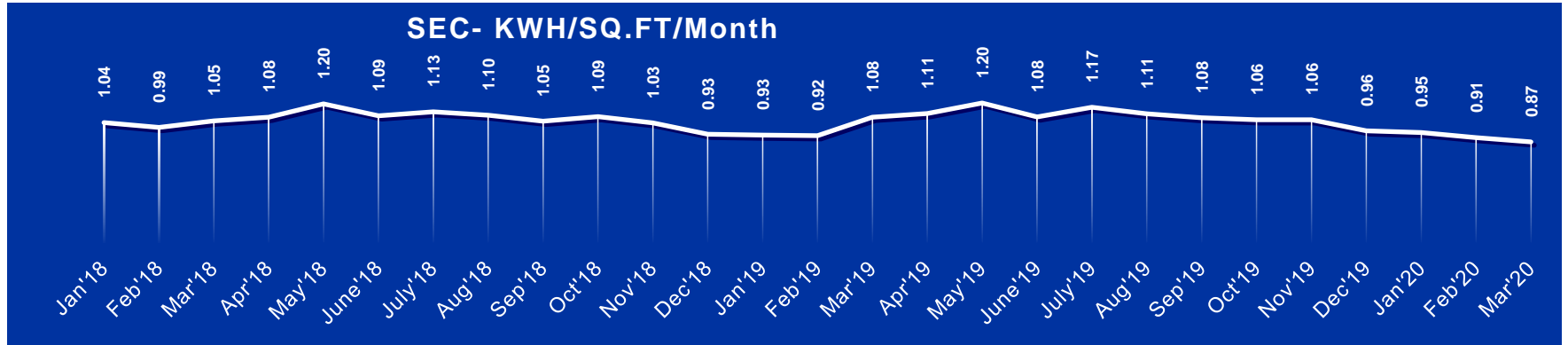
## Source Wise Energy Consumption (%) Overview 2020



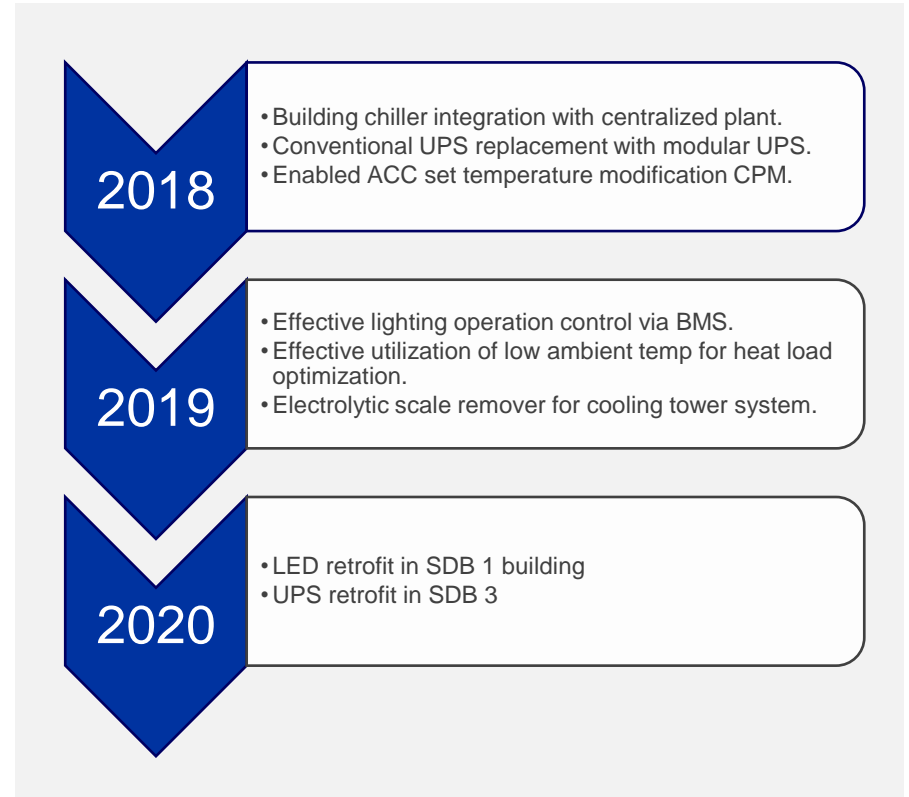
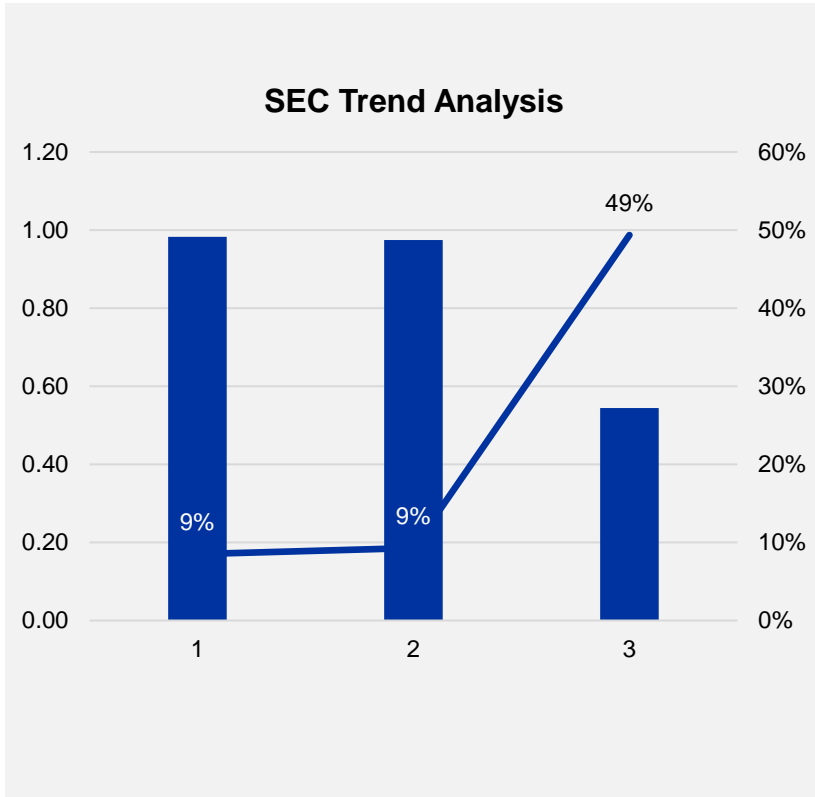
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# Specific Energy Consumption Overview - 2018 to 2020



# Specific Energy Consumption Trend Analysis - 2018 to 2020

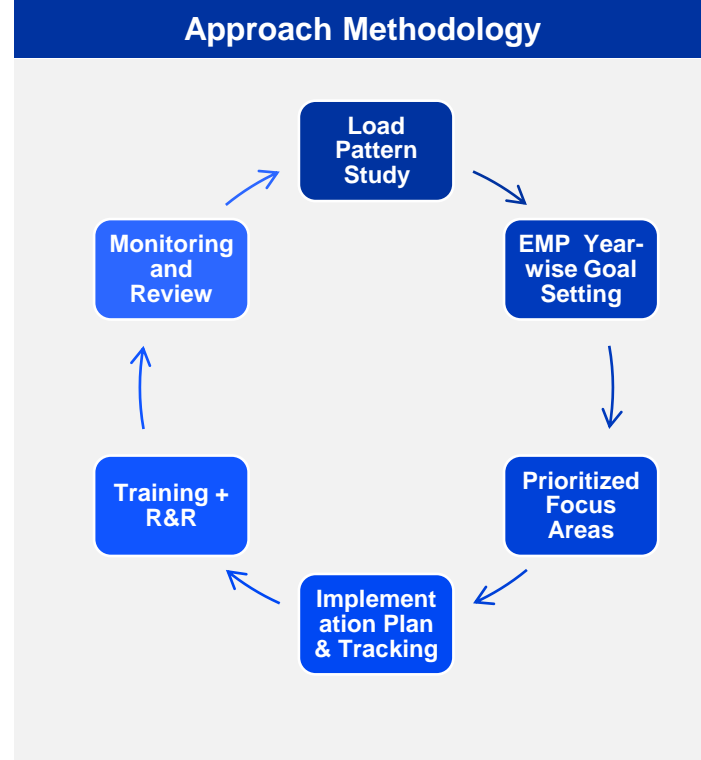
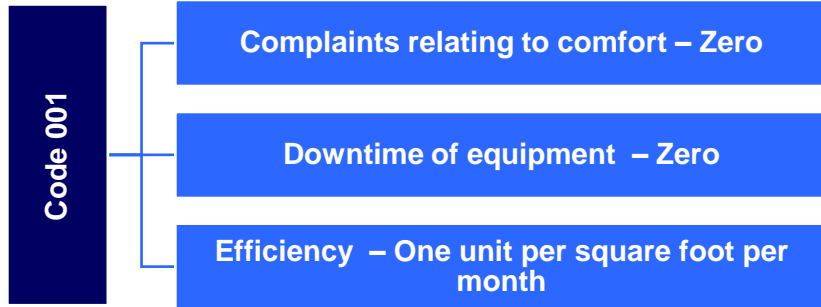




# Comparison of SEC with Internal & National Benchmark

BEE - National Benchmark			
EPI in kWh/Sq. M. / Year			
Star Rating	Warm and Humid	Composite	Hot and Dry
1 Star	200-175	190-165	180-155
2 Star	175-150	165-140	155-130
3 Star	150-125	140-115	130-105
4 Star	125-100	115-90	105-80
<b>5 Star</b>	<b>Below 100</b>	<b>Below 90</b>	<b>Below 80</b>

## Internal Benchmark



# List of Energy Savings Projects Planned – 2021

Year	Initiative Category	Initiative Discription	Investment for Initiative (INR)	Energy Savings (kWh)	Energy Cost (INR)	Pay Back Period (Months)
2021	Lighting	Replacement of 2 x 18 Watts CFL fittings with 1 x 12 Watts LED fittings in SDB2 & 3 buildings	71,77,874	605,288	48,42,304	18 Months
2021	Lighting	Replacement of 4 x 14 Watts FTL fittings with 1 x 24 Watts LED fittings in SDB2 & 3 buildings	88,71,450	1,067,308	85,38,464	12 Months
2021	AHU	Workstations AHUs retrofit across campus 82nos	1,08,90,000	648,300	51,86,400	24 Months
2021	Chiller	Modification of main header pipelines interconnection at chiller plant room	4,63,991	80,186	6,41,488	9 Months

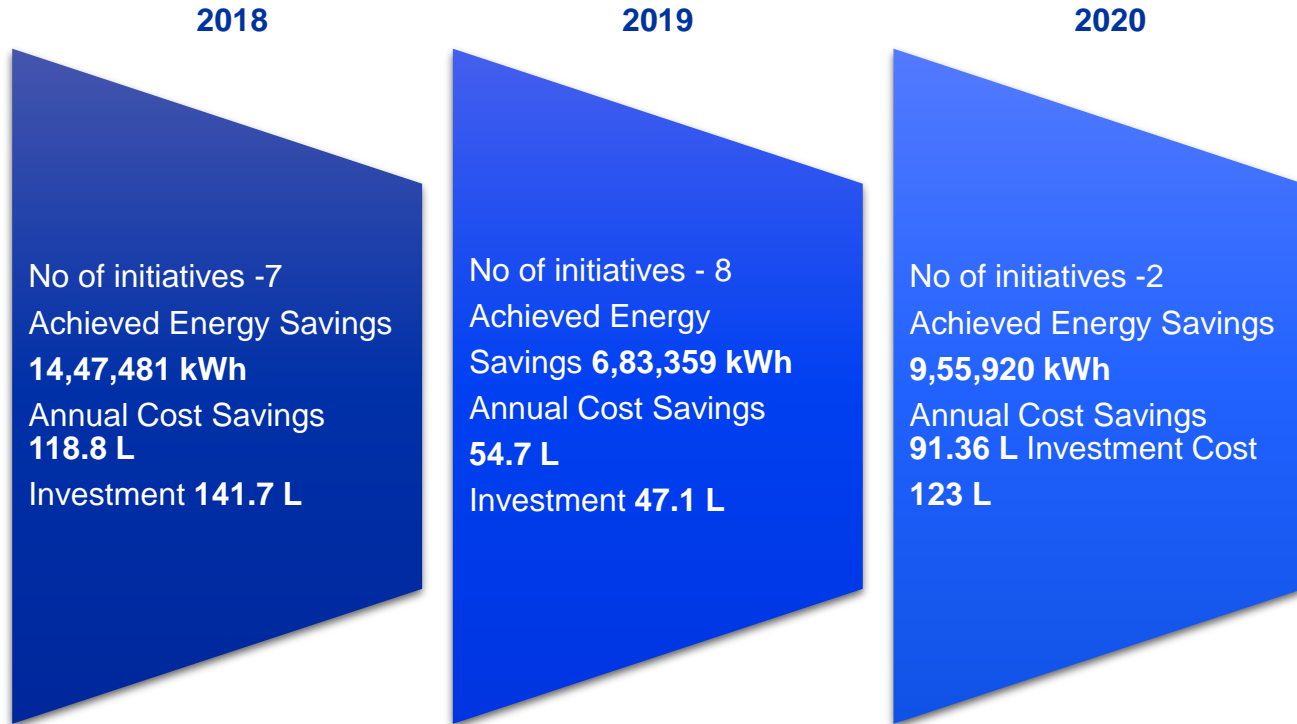
Annual Energy Savings  
2,401,082 KWh

Cost Savings  
INR.19,208,656

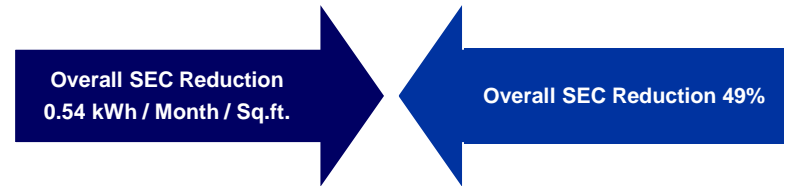
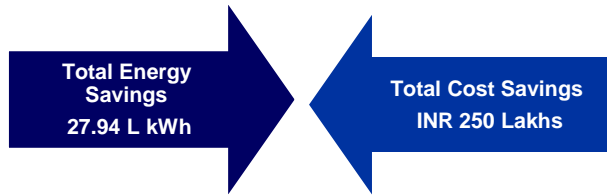
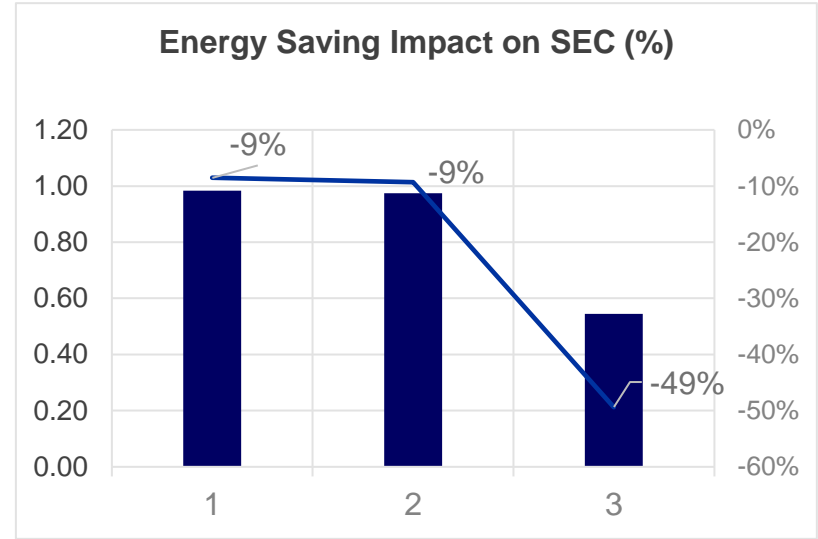
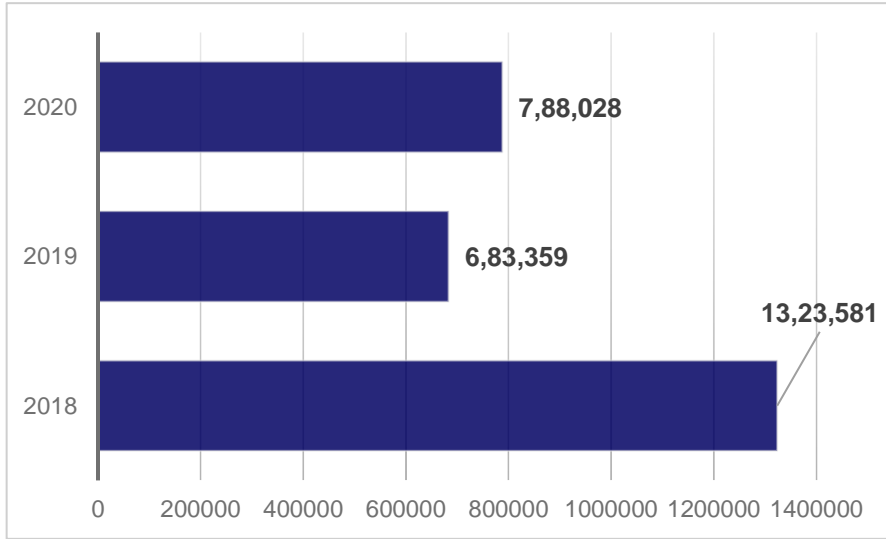
Investment ost INR.  
27,403,315

Payback Months 18  
Months

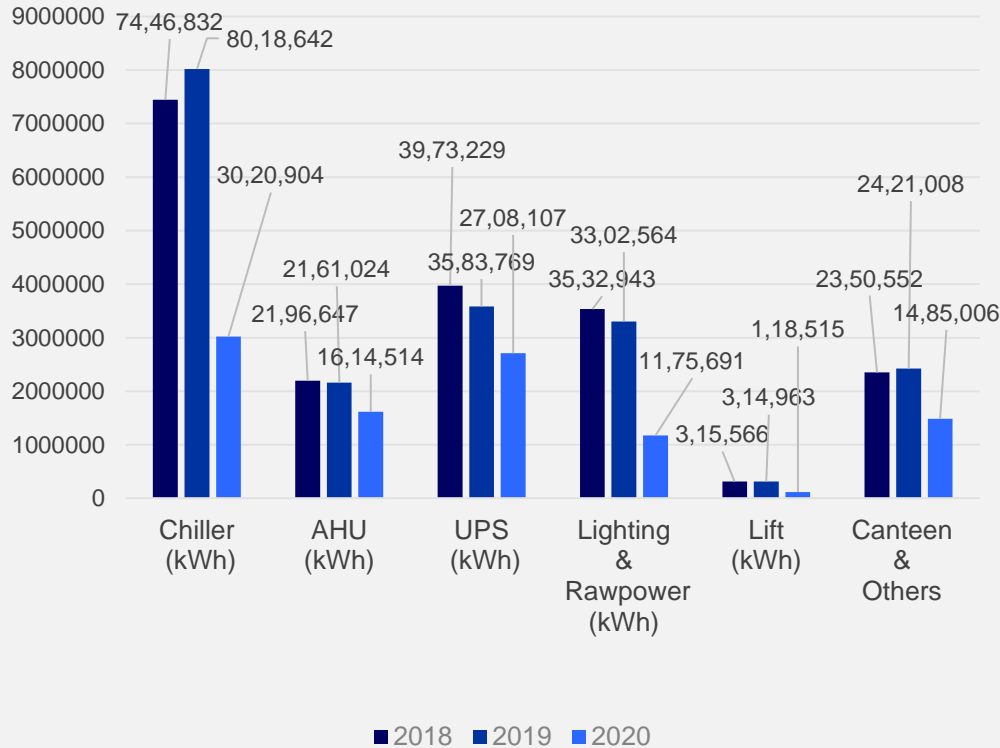
# Energy Saving Projects Implemented Summary in 2018 to 2020



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# Energy Saving Projects Implemented in 2018 to 2020



## Chiller

- 44,25,928 kWh
- 59%



## AHU

- 5,82,133 kWh
- 27%



## UPS

- 12,65,122 kWh
- 32%



## Lift

- 1,97,051 kWh
- 62%



## Lighting & Power

- 23,57,252 kWh
- 67%



## Canteen & Others

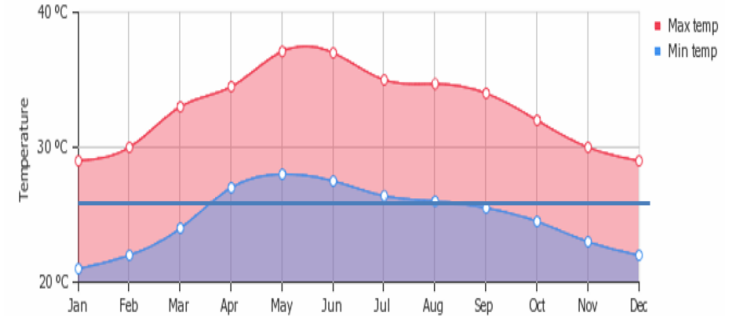
- 8,65,546 kWh
- 37%



# IP: Effective Utilization of Low Ambient Temperature for Heat Load Reduction


## Opportunities for Improvement

- It was very obvious that the ambient temperature is reaching lower level at times of winter
- During night hours the temperature in the atmosphere was observed reaching till  $\leq 20^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Decided to use this low temperature air for the air-conditioning usages
- The idea is to use the ambient air to achieve better air quality as well as the energy savings
- The RH and temperature are the critical parameters to consider apart from pollution
- The thermodynamics to be related for proper control
- The risk of loosing or screwing up the entire operation was carefully evaluated and scrutinised



- It was observed that Oct, Nov, Dec and Jan are having good OA conditions in early morning
- Air Temperature difference is considered as acceptable condition for Air-intake
- The lower the outdoor temperature is higher the energy savings potential

# IP: Effective Utilization of Low Ambient Temperature for Heat load reduction



**SMS LABS SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED**

**TEST REPORT**

Page No: 1 of 1  
Report Date: 06 Feb 2019

Report No: SEN19010262-02

**Customer Name :** COGNIZANT TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED. (SEZ)

**Customer Address :** Plot No.B40, 41, 42&44, Sigeet Siruairi IT Park, Siruairi, Kanchiappuram District, Chennai - 603103.

**Sample Description :** Ambient Air Quality

**Reference :** PO No: 3114411-OP-4427400026      **Sampling Date :** 28 to 29 Jan 2019

**Sample Drawn by :** Laboratory      **Sample Received on :** 09:30am to 09:30am

**Sampling Location :** STP Area      **Test Started on :** 29 Jan 2019

**Sampling Procedure :** IS 5182 Part-V & Part-XIV      **Test Completed on :** 05 Feb 2019


**Relative Humidity :** 56%      **Ambient Temperature :** 32°C

Test Results					
S.No	Parameter	Test Method	Results	Unit	As per TNPCB Limit
<b>CHEMICAL TEST</b>					
1	Ammonia as NH3	SMSLA/EN/SOP/017	BDL (DL-20)	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	400** Max.
2	Arsenic as As	IS 5182 (Part-22)	BDL(DL-0.1)	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	06** Max.
3	Benzene	SMSLA/EN/SOP/04	BLQ(LOQ-1)	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	05** Max.
4	Benzo (a) Pyrene (Particulate Phase)	SMSLA/EN/SOP/04	BLQ(LOQ-0.05)	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	01** Max.
5	Carbon Monoxide as CO (flar)	IS 5182 (Part-10)	BDL (DL-1.14)	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	02** Max.
6	Lead as Pb	IS 5182 (Part-22)	BDL(DL-0.001)	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	1.0** Max.
7	Nickel as Ni	IS 5182 (Part-22)	BDL(DL-0.1)	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	20** Max.
8	Nitrogen dioxide as NO2	IS 5182 (Part-6)	19.9	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	80** Max.
9	Ozone as O3 (flar)	IS 5182 (Part-9)	BDL (DL-20)	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	100** Max.
10	Particulate Matter (PM10)	IS 5182 (Part-23)	48.9	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	100** Max.
11	Particulate Matter (PM2.5)	SMSLA/EN/SOP/062	18.6	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	60** Max.
12	Sulphur Dioxide as SO2	IS 5182 (Part-2)	13.4	µg/m <sup>3</sup>	80** Max.

Note : BDL - Below Detection Limit, B.L.Q. - Below Quantification Limit, LOQ - Limit of Quantification.

Remarks : \*\*Annual arithmetic mean of minimum 104 measurements in a year at a particular site taken twice a week 24 hourly at uniform intervals.  
\*24 hourly or 03 hourly monitored result, as applicable, shall be complied with 95% of the time in a year. 2% of the time, they may exceed the limit but not on two consecutive days of monitoring.

\*\*\*\*\*End of Report\*\*\*\*\*

  
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- As per the ambient air quality test report there is no harmful pollutants found
- All the parameters were found within pollution control board specified limit
- Decided to intake the ambient fresh air directly in to the system for the initiative
- The ambient air co2 level is lesser than the indoor co2 threshold limits (ambient Co2 level was found 400ppm)

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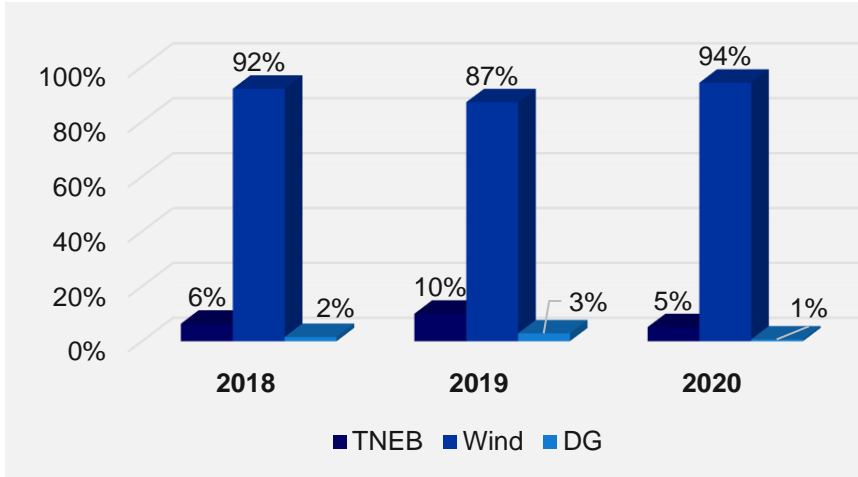
## Summary of Savings:

Heat Load Reduction per AHU	-	1.725 TR per AHU
Total Number of AHU	-	84 No's
Total Heat Load Reduction of campus	-	1.725 TR per AHU x 84 No's
	-	<b>144 TR</b>
Specific Power Consumption of Chiller System	-	0.85 kW / TR
Equivalent Electrical Energy Consumption	-	144 TR x 0.85 kW/TR
	-	<b>123 kW</b>
Expected Average Operating Hours	-	<b>4 Hours / Day</b>
Expected Days of minimum Ambient Temperature	-	<b>90 Days per Annum</b> (October, November, December & January)
Estimated Energy Savings	-	123 kW x 4 Hours /Day
	-	<b>492 kWh per Day</b>
Estimated Annual Energy Savings	-	492 kWh per Day x 90 Days
	-	<b>44280 kWh per Annum</b>
Energy Cost	-	INR.10/-kWh
Estimated Annual Cost Savings	-	<b>INR.4,42,800 /- (Only for SRZ facility)</b>





# Utilization of Renewable Energy Sources-2018-2020



Technology (Electrical)	Type of Energy	Onsite/Offsite	Installed Capacity (MW)	Wind Energy Utilization (million kWh)	% of overall renewable energy
Electrical	Wind	Offsite	256.85	45.6	90.5%

# Utilization of Renewable Energy Sources – FY 2018-2021

Year	Installed Capacity (MW)	Total Wind Energy Contracted Quantum (Lacs kWh)	Actual Supplied Wind Energy Quantum (Lacs kWh)	SRZ-Consumption (Lacs kWh)	Allocation Contribution (%)
2018-19	256.85	525	511	176.31	34.5%
2019-20	256.85	525	509	170.10	33.42%
2020-21	256.85	525	379	72.58	19.15%

- In FY 2018-19 additional quantum of 200 Lacs kWh purchased with an investment of INR.200 Lacs
- RPO is complied in FY 2017-18 as Solar – 5% and Non-Solar – 9%
  - ✓ Solar REC purchased – **976 No's**
  - ✓ Non-Solar REC purchased - **1757 No's**
- Allocation contribution reduction for FY 2018-20
  - ✓ Tariff – Commercial without Tax (INR.8/kWh)
  - ✓ Less wind generation during peak seasonal months

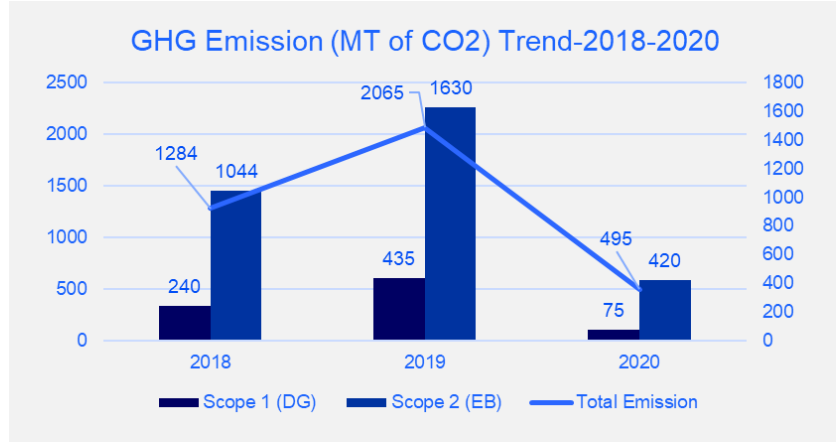
# Waste Utilization and Management

SI No	Type Of Waste Generated	Disposal Method	Action Taken for Reduction of Waste
1	Hazardous Waste	Used and waste oil disposed to TNPCB authorized recycler	Battery waste – Extension of battery warranty (3 to 3.5 years)
2	Non-Hazardous Waste	Carton & paper waste disposed to authorized recycler Ms.ITC Ltd & Got 10 Reams	Paper waste – 1) Limitation of printer access 2) E-Fit tool implemented and manual check list optimized 3) Paper cups usages eliminated 100%
3	E Waste	Disposed to TNPCB authorized recycler	E –Waste – CFL to LED (Lifetime enhancement)



**Cognizant choose to refuse the use of following  
‘One time use and throw plastics’ irrespective of  
thickness form 13.07.2018 onwards**

# GHG Inventorisation – 2018 To 2020



## GHG Reduction Target & Action Plan

GHG Reduction

1. TNEB Power fluctuation in 2019
2. RE utilization decreases (92% to 87%) in 2019
3. NR2O in 2020

GHG Target

1. SBT-24% ↓ in 2024
2. IOT Project implementation
3. Energy efficiency project implementation

## Indoor Air Quality (BAU)

Test Parameters	Units	Result	Permissible limit	Remarks
Carbon Dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> )	Mg/m <sup>3</sup>	570	1000	1. Testing through NABL Laboratory 2. Random sampling will be done Monthly once for workstations
Total Fungal Count	Cfu/m <sup>3</sup>	48	500	
Total Bacterial Count	Cfu/m <sup>3</sup>	103	500	

# Standardization of Best Practices

## Personnel Computer



Sleep mode enabled for all personnel computer



Conventional CPU replacement with compact CPU



Awareness created to Associates to switch off the monitor while leaving the workplace

## Air-Conditioning

Workplace temperature policy standardized  
24 ° C to 26 ° C



Maintaining UPS/  
Battery room temperature b/n  
25 ° C to 26 ° C



Hub room temperature-maintained b/n  
24 ° C to 26 ° C

## Kitchen / Pantry

Elimination of electrical hot plate

Mandatory use of BEE star rated equipment's

Scheduled operation of ventilation system

Periodical cleaning of heater in bain-marie

Standard operation temperature for all freezer equipment

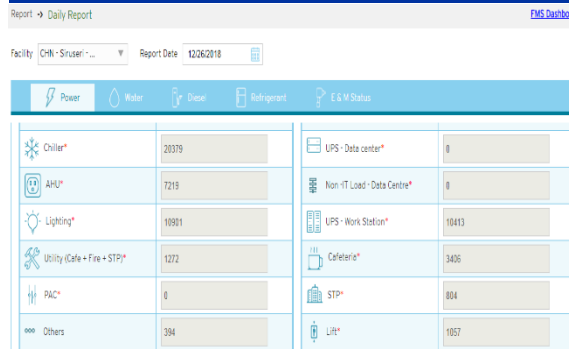
Weekly deep cleaning for all type of freezer

# Measuring & Monitoring Device & Tool

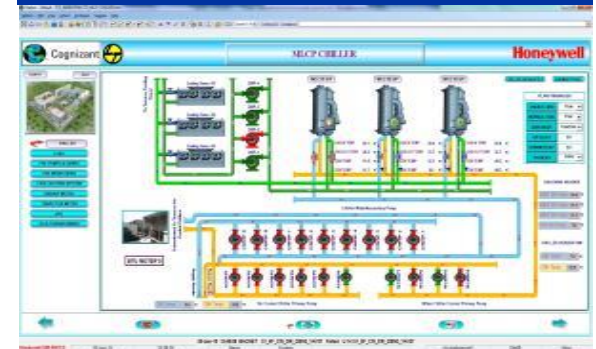
## Building Segment Wise Consumption



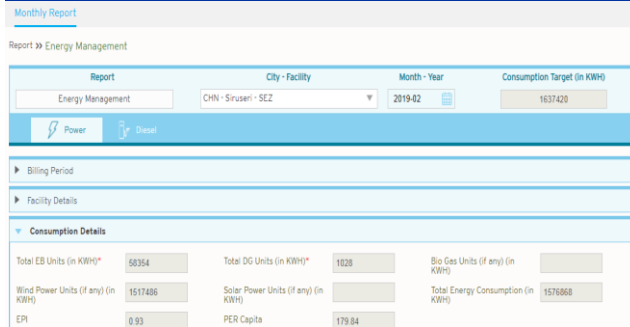
## FMS Tool-Daily Consumption Monitoring



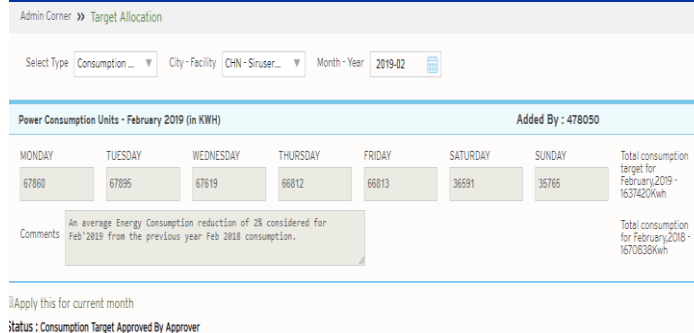
## Chiller Operating Parameters Monitoring



## FMS Tool-Monthly Consumption Monitoring



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# Initiative by Plant Team

Enabling Energy Saver Mode in Modular



Timer Controller for Peripheral Lighting



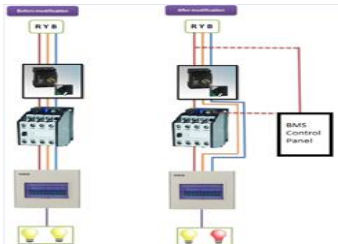
Limit Switch for AHU Room & Fire Shaft Door



Desktop Power off Activities Across Campus



Lighting Operation control Via BMS



Motion Sensor for Restroom Lighting Control



Pull Cord Switch Installation for Lighting



UPS Modular Optimization



# Energy & Innovation Awards

CII Award –  
Excellent Energy Efficient  
Unit 2019



CII Award –  
Energy Efficient  
Unit 2020



Innovation Awards - 3 Years

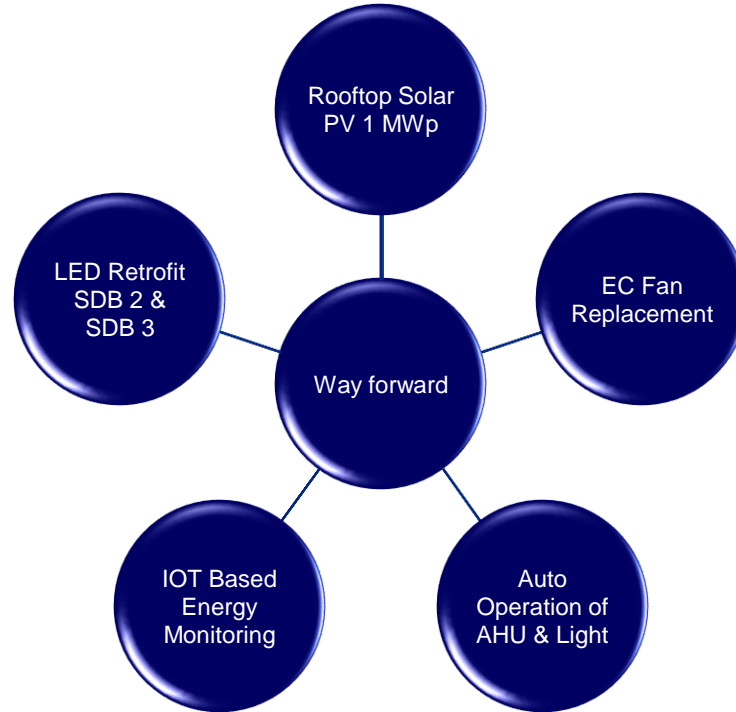
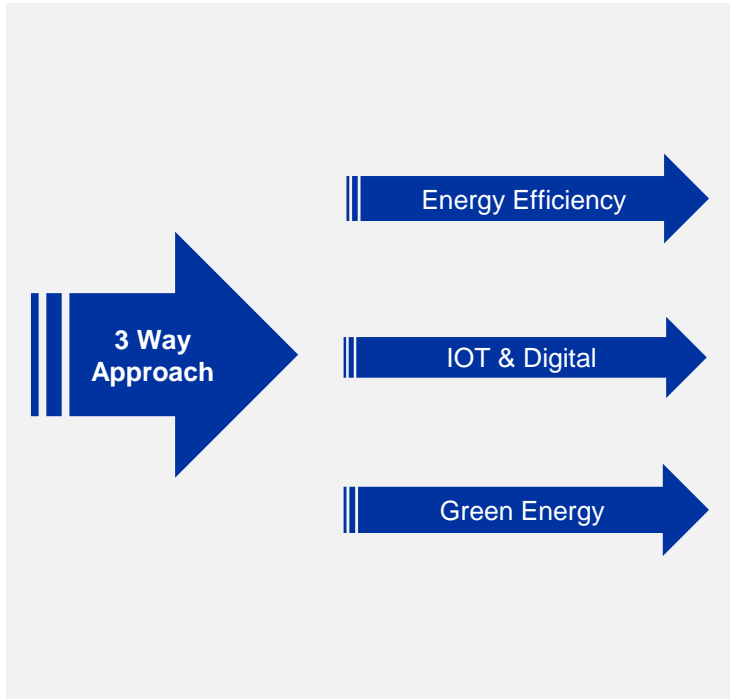




# Certifications – ISO 45001:2018 & IGBC - Gold



# Way Forward for Next 3 Years & Vision on EE



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