

Facilities in the Institute for the management of the following types of degradable and non-degradable waste

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7.1.3	QIM	Describe the facilities in the institution for the management of the following types of degradable and non-degradable waste	Suvarna Bhat

Waste Management at Campus

Institute makes deliberate measures to handle degradable and non-degradable waste and emphasizes on maintaining clean campus. All are encouraged to adopt the 3Rs, namely Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle. **Solid Waste Management Practices:**

- The use of Styrofoam in the cafeteria is not permitted.
- Campaigns are conducted to reduce the use of plastic both on and off campus.
- Organic and nonbiodegradable (Dry) wastes are collected in green and blue dustbins.
- A composting facility is in place for generating high-quality manure.

Liquid Waste Management practices:

- Wastewater management at campus includes cleaning plant areas, sludge removal, dewatering, and tank cleaning.
- A sewage Treatment Plant (STP) with a capacity of 200 m³ per day is in place to take care of wastewater generated. Water is REUSED in green landscaping through sprinklers.

E-waste management practices:

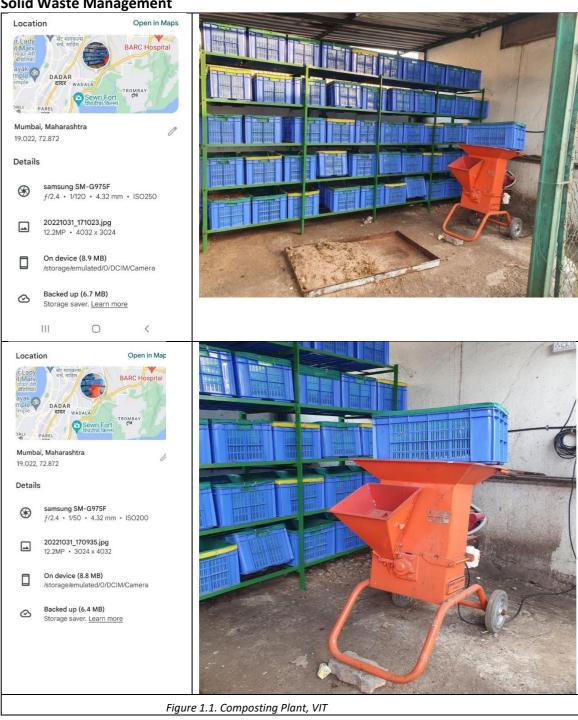
- Regular maintenance by technical staff and reutilization of spare parts of discarded electronic devices is a common practice.
- To sensitize students and staff on the careful disposal and management of electronic waste, an E-waste bin is installed at VIT.
- E-waste is collected by a company called Eco Recycling Ltd (Ecoreco).
- Non-functional computers, monitors, and printers are discarded in an eco-friendly manner.
- To create awareness about E-waste and its harmful effects on humans and the environment 'An E-waste awareness campaign' is conducted.



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1. Solid Waste Management





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2. Liquid Waste Management



Figure 2.1. Sewerage Treatment Plant, VIT



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3. E-Waste Management

