



Indian Institute of Technology Madras
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Report on Tree Plantation at IIT Madras

Due to Vardah cyclone, we have lost a lot of green cover in the campus (around 650 trees).

Most of the damaged trees are non-native trees, yielding an insight regarding tree plantation. More native trees are planned to restore the green cover.

Proposed to have this planting in two phases:

We have successfully completed the Phase 1 of Tree Planting, as per the planned schedule keeping in mind the arrival of monsoons.

Approx. 600 trees were planted - Each costing Rs.2000 (includes cost of tree, tree guards, labour, and maintenance).

The phase comprised of two tree plantation events where one was held with CSR partners and other one with Alumni. The CSR partnered plantation event has been organized along with Wells Fargo and United Way Chennai Teams. The plantation drive organized with alumni has seen active participation from alumni.

Phase 2 will also be in similar scale, planned to be held in 2018. Where again 600 trees are planned to be planted.

Glimpses of the tree plantation drives:

Alumni actively participating in the plantation drive



CSR Partners at the tree plantation drive



Thanks to all the donors for making this initiative a great success and making the campus a greener place.