

Green Building / Certification Guide

Energy, Power & Renewables

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This guide explains what the tool produces, how to use the output, and what to watch for. The actual output (draft/report) is generated on the tool page.

Background

Explains green building and related certifications for an organisation — IGBC, GRIHA, LEED and energy-efficiency ratings — with benefits (efficiency, image, incentives) and the process (registration, design, verification). Use this to pursue a green certification. Confirm current certification requirements with the rating body.

Purpose of this tool & output

Pursue green certifications

How the output is used

Use it to pursue a green-building certification — pick the rating, understand the credits and the documents, and apply.

Who receives it

The application goes to the certification body — IGBC (CII), GRIHA Council, or USGBC (LEED) — depending on the rating you pursue.

How to submit / file it

Register the project and submit design, energy, water and materials documentation against the chosen rating credits, followed by review and, for some ratings, site verification.

Fees & charges

Registration and certification fees scaled to the project area, plus consultant and simulation costs.

Who should vet it

An accredited green-building consultant/AP, and the certification body review panel.

Important cautions

AI-generated guide; confirm current certification requirements.

Companion documents

- ESG Strategy Builder
- Carbon Footprint Calculator
- Carbon Credits Guide
- REC & Green Attributes Guide
- Sustainability Report Builder
- Net Zero Roadmap

This is AI-assisted guidance. Verify with a qualified professional before any binding decision. Fees, authorities and processes vary by state and change over time — confirm with your state authority.