

#### YEARLY STATUS REPORT - 2023-2024

#### Part A

#### **Data of the Institution**

1.Name of the Institution KMEA Engineering College

• Name of the Head of the institution Dr. Amar Nishad T M

• Designation Principal

• Does the institution function from its own Yes

campus?

• Phone no./Alternate phone no. 04842411003

• Mobile no 9447332529

• Registered e-mail naac@kmeacollege.ac.in

• Alternate e-mail principal@kmeacollege.ac.in

• Address Kuzhivelipady, Edathala North

(P.O.), Aluva

• City/Town Aluva

• State/UT Kerala

• Pin Code 683561

2.Institutional status

• Affiliated /Constituent Affiliated

• Type of Institution Co-education

• Location Rural

• Financial Status

#### Self-financing

• Name of the Affiliating University Kerala Technological University

• Name of the IQAC Coordinator Dr. Bijesh Paul

• Phone No. 04842411003

• Alternate phone No. 9349973413

• Mobile 7025194089

• IQAC e-mail address iqac@kmeacollege.ac.in

• Alternate Email address naac@kmeacollege.ac.in

3. Website address (Web link of the AQAR (Previous Academic Year)

https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AQAR%202022%20-%2023/AQAR%2020-23.pdf

4. Whether Academic Calendar prepared during the year?

Yes

• if yes, whether it is uploaded in the Institutional website Web link:

https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kme a/Academic%20Calender/Academic%20 Calendar%20-%2023-24%20Odd%20Sem. pdf

#### 5.Accreditation Details

| Cycle   | Grade | CGPA | Year of<br>Accreditation | Validity from | Validity to |
|---------|-------|------|--------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Cycle 1 | B+    | 2.58 | 2021                     | 16/03/2021    | 15/03/2026  |

#### 6.Date of Establishment of IQAC

12/03/2014

7.Provide the list of funds by Central / State Government UGC/CSIR/DBT/ICMR/TEQIP/World Bank/CPE of UGC etc.,

| Institutional/Depa<br>rtment /Faculty                        | Scheme | Funding Agency                    | Year of award with duration | Amount |
|--|--------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| KMEA Engineering College/ Robotics and Automation Department | FDP    | AICTE                             | 2024                        | 350000 |
| KMEA<br>Engineering<br>College                               | CSR    | Srishti<br>Robotics               | 2024                        | 250000 |
| KMEA<br>Engineering<br>College                               | CSR    | Amy Jewellers and Designers       | 2024                        | 25000  |
| KMEA<br>Engineering<br>College                               | CSR    | Fly Creative<br>Online<br>Limited | 2024                        | 8100   |

## 8.Whether composition of IQAC as per latest NAAC guidelines

• Upload latest notification of formation of IQAC

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Yes

#### 9.No. of IQAC meetings held during the year 5

- Were the minutes of IQAC meeting(s) and Yes compliance to the decisions have been uploaded on the institutional website?
- If No, please upload the minutes of the meeting(s) and Action Taken Report

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# 10. Whether IQAC received funding from any of the funding agency to support its activities during the year?

• If yes, mention the amount

#### 11. Significant contributions made by IQAC during the current year (maximum five bullets)

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## 12.Plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning of the Academic year towards Quality Enhancement and the outcome achieved by the end of the Academic year

| Plan of Action   | Achievements/Outcomes                            |
|--|--|
| Conduction of mock visits for NBA  | Conducted Successfully                           |
| Conduction of NBA visit by the expert team   | Five branches was accredited                     |
| Preparation of data for NIRF<br>Ranking  | Participated in NIRF ranking                     |
| Planning and preparation of activities of KMEA Innovation Council  | Got excellent rating                             |
| Action plan for increasing research activities through KRCC  | Increased number of publications and PhD holders |
| To enhance the number of MOUs for industrial interaction   | Increased number of MOUs                         |
| To develop a plan for improving the Admission  | Implemented successfully                         |
| Action plan for increasing Social Outreach through KSEC (NSS, Pain and Palliative Care Unit and Women's Forum) | Implemented successfully                         |

## 13. Whether the AQAR was placed before statutory body?

No

• Name of the statutory body

| Name | Date of meeting(s) |
|------|--------------------|
| Nil  | Nil                |

#### 14. Whether institutional data submitted to AISHE

| Part A   |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| Data of the Institution                              |  |  |  |  |
| 1.Name of the Institution                            | KMEA Engineering College                               |  |  |  |
| Name of the Head of the institution                  | Dr. Amar Nishad T M                                    |  |  |  |
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| 8.Whether compos<br>NAAC guidelines  | sition of IQAC as p                     | er latest                 | Yes         |                             |        |
| • Upload latest IQAC   | notification of form                    | ation of                  | View File   | <u>e</u>                    |        |
| 9.No. of IQAC med  | etings held during                      | the year                  | 5           |                             |        |
| <ul> <li>Were the minutes of IQAC meeting(s)<br/>and compliance to the decisions have<br/>been uploaded on the institutional<br/>website?</li> </ul> |   | Yes                       |             |                             |        |
| If No, please upload the minutes of the<br>meeting(s) and Action Taken Report  |   | No File U                 | Jploaded    |                             |        |
| 10.Whether IQAC any of the funding   | received funding f<br>agency to support |                           | No          |                             |        |

| activities during the year?  |  |
|------------------------------|--|
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|-----------|--------------------|
| 2022-2023 | 20/03/2024         |

#### 15. Multidisciplinary / interdisciplinary

Institute promotes Multidisciplinary and Interdisciplinary Research as well as Industry supported Workshop. Kmea Gaurage is a typical example for such initiative relevant to Mechanical and Elecrical Branches

#### 16.Academic bank of credits (ABC):

Since Kmea Engineering College is an affliated college we are offering all Accadamic Bank of Credits priscribed by Affiliating University, Kerala Technological University (KTU)

#### 17.Skill development:

All branches have their own mechanism for enhansing Skill development in their domain

## 18.Appropriate integration of Indian Knowledge system (teaching in Indian Language, culture, using online course)

Students are encouraged to participate online courses offered in Indian Languages and faculties are encouraged to contribute to such endeavours.

#### 19. Focus on Outcome based education (OBE): Focus on Outcome based education (OBE):

Institute functions on a seven point agenda namely , 1)
Curricculam Enrichment 2) Teaching- Learning Enhancement 3)
Research Upgradation 4) Infra structure Upgradation 5) Student
Progression through Placement, Higher Learning and Start ups. 6)
Overall Quality enhancement by Accreditation 7) Admission
upgradation Programmes All this activities are Outcome oriented

with pre set targets. Different activities are carried out to attain the Preset targets or Outcomes. Finally the review procees is carried out at the end of the tenure work. to identify any shortcomings in attainment and to rectify the same.

#### 20.Distance education/online education:

Students and Faculties are encouraged to undertake online NPTEL and other MOOC Courses.

| Extended Profile  |                  |  |
|---|------------------|--|
| 1.Programme   |                  |  |
| 1.1   | 339              |  |
| Number of courses offered by the institution across all programs during the year                |                  |  |
| File Description  | Documents        |  |
| Data Template   | <u>View File</u> |  |
| 2.Student   |                  |  |
| 2.1   | 1186             |  |
| Number of students during the year  |                  |  |
| File Description  | Documents        |  |
| Institutional Data in Prescribed Format   | <u>View File</u> |  |
| 2.2   | 390              |  |
| Number of seats earmarked for reserved category as per GOI/<br>State Govt. rule during the year |                  |  |
| File Description  | Documents        |  |
| Data Template   | <u>View File</u> |  |
| 2.3   | 330              |  |
| Number of outgoing/ final year students during the year   |                  |  |
| File Description  | Documents        |  |
| Data Template   | <u>View File</u> |  |
|   |                  |  |

| 3.Academic  |           |                  |
|---|-----------|------------------|
|   |           | 0.5              |
| 3.1   |           | 95               |
| Number of full time teachers during the year                      |           |                  |
| File Description  | Documents |                  |
| Data Template   |           | <u>View File</u> |
| 3.2   |           | 95               |
| Number of sanctioned posts during the year                        |           |                  |
| File Description  | Documents |                  |
| Data Template   |           | View File        |
| 4.Institution   |           |                  |
| 4.1   |           | 44               |
| Total number of Classrooms and Seminar halls                      |           |                  |
| 4.2   |           | 279.1            |
| Total expenditure excluding salary during the year (INR in lakhs) |           |                  |
| 4.3   |           | 460              |
| Total number of computers on campus for academic purposes         |           |                  |

#### Part B

#### **CURRICULAR ASPECTS**

#### 1.1 - Curricular Planning and Implementation

1.1.1 - The Institution ensures effective curriculum delivery through a well planned and documented process

University publishes academic calendar before the commencement of regular academics. A detailed academic calendar of the college which includes all important dates of curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities is prepared and gets approved by the academic council. The institution has a standard Course Diary. The POs and PSOs are derived from the Graduate Attributes and each faculty prepares COs of the respective subject and explain the same to the students in the first class itself. Course plan and teaching plan are prepared for each course before the beginning of

a semester by the concerned faculty within the ambit of academic schedule and this plan is verified and approved by HOD. The faculty members strictly adhere to the approved course plan. Feedbacks from the students are collected periodically to measure the effectiveness of teaching learning process and necessary actions are taken to fine tune the academic process. The student's academic progress is evaluated using various assessment tools like tests and assignments. The institution follows Revised Blooms Taxonomy (RBT) for the evaluation. The IQAC ensures the quality of the process through internal audits and facilitates the counter checking through audits conducted by the representatives of other departments.

| File Description                    | Documents  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Upload relevant supporting document | <u>View File</u>   |
| Link for Additional information     | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AO<br>AR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%201/Criteria%2<br>01.1.1.pdf |

## 1.1.2 - The institution adheres to the academic calendar including for the conduct of Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE)

KMEA Engineering College follows the calendar issued by the University strictly and plans all its activities including the conduct of Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE). The institute prepares an institute-level calendar and subsequently every department prepares its calendar. Institute calendar of events includes details like the total number of working days and holidays, CIE dates, dates for the Institute's flagship programs. The department calendar comprises guest lectures, workshops, industrial visits, other co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. Internal Assessment tests (IA), assignments, quizzes, and seminars are part of the Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE) of students. There is a well-defined process for the conduct of CIE as per the calendar of events. The internal assessment test timetable prepared by the examination committee is published to stakeholders, and conducted as per the schedule. Continuous evaluation and assessments are also done for laboratory course, project work, seminars, and internship as per schedule. Conduction of laboratory experiments and viva, Submission of records are the major components of laboratory course evaluation. As per the laboratory rubrics, the internal test is conducted at the end of the semester.

| File Description                    | Documents  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Upload relevant supporting document | <u>View File</u>   |
| Link for Additional information     | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AQ<br>AR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%201/Criteria%2<br>01.1.2.pdf |

# 1.1.3 - Teachers of the Institution participate in following activities related to curriculum development and assessment of the affiliating University and/are represented on the following academic bodies during the year. Academic council/BoS of Affiliating University Setting of question papers for UG/PG programs Design and Development of Curriculum for Add on/ certificate/ Diploma Courses Assessment /evaluation process of the affiliating University

#### B. Any 3 of the above

| File Description  | Documents        |
|---|------------------|
| Details of participation of<br>teachers in various<br>bodies/activities provided as a<br>response to the metric | <u>View File</u> |
| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |

#### 1.2 - Academic Flexibility

## 1.2.1 - Number of Programmes in which Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)/ elective course system has been implemented

#### 1.2.1.1 - Number of Programmes in which CBCS/ Elective course system implemented

5

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| Any additional information                              | <u>View File</u> |
| Minutes of relevant Academic<br>Council/ BOS meetings   | <u>View File</u> |
| Institutional data in prescribed format (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 1.2.2 - Number of Add on /Certificate programs offered during the year

## 1.2.2.1 - How many Add on /Certificate programs are added during the year. Data requirement for year: (As per Data Template)

14

| File Description  | Documents        |
|---|------------------|
| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| Brochure or any other document relating to Add on /Certificate programs | <u>View File</u> |
| List of Add on /Certificate programs (Data Template )                   | <u>View File</u> |

## 1.2.3 - Number of students enrolled in Certificate/ Add-on programs as against the total number of students during the year

422

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|---|------------------|
| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| Details of the students enrolled in Subjects related to certificate/Add-on programs | <u>View File</u> |

#### 1.3 - Curriculum Enrichment

1.3.1 - Institution integrates crosscutting issues relevant to Professional Ethics, Gender, Human Values, Environment and Sustainability into the Curriculum

Gender: KMEA Engineering College since its inception has been promoting gender equality. More than 80% of the faculties are females and majority of them are from the minority community. Thus KMEA fraternity not only preach gender equality but also practice the same. To promote gender equality and to address the grievances of female students & faculties, a Women's Forum has been operating in KMEA campus.

Environment & Sustainability: In order to understand the importance of environmental factors in engineering, the students of the Mechanical Engineering department had opted for Environmental Engineering as their elective and Civil Engineering department had opted for Environmental Engineering and Municipal Solid Waste Management. Most of the departments have opted their non

departmental elective as Disaster Management. The entire KMEA students learns the course Sustainable Engineering during their first year as per KTU syllabus from 2015 onwards. Students of the NSS unit of the college are always undertaking cleaning of nearby canals, ponds, planting trees.

Human Values & Professional Ethics: Human Values & Professional Ethics have been incorporated into our curriculum through the course Life Skills (HS210) and Business Economics (HS200) during the second year, common to all branches and has been introduced since 2015.

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| Upload the list and description of courses which address the Professional Ethics, Gender, Human Values, Environment and Sustainability into the Curriculum. | <u>View File</u> |

## 1.3.2 - Number of courses that include experiential learning through project work/field work/internship during the year

0

| File Description  | Documents        |
|---|------------------|
| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| Programme / Curriculum/<br>Syllabus of the courses  | No File Uploaded |
| Minutes of the Boards of<br>Studies/ Academic Council<br>meetings with approvals for<br>these courses | No File Uploaded |
| MoU's with relevant organizations for these courses, if any   | No File Uploaded |
| Institutional Data in Prescribed Format   | No File Uploaded |

#### 1.3.3 - Number of students undertaking project work/field work/ internships

422

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| List of programmes and number of students undertaking project work/field work//internships (Data Template) | View File        |

#### 1.4 - Feedback System

# 1.4.1 - Institution obtains feedback on the syllabus and its transaction at the institution from the following stakeholders Students Teachers Employers Alumni

#### A. All of the above

| File Description  | Documents  |
|---|--|
| URL for stakeholder feedback report   | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AQ<br>AR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%201/Criteria%2<br>01.4.1.pdf |
| Action taken report of the Institution on feedback report as stated in the minutes of the Governing Council, Syndicate, Board of Management | <u>View File</u>   |
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## 1.4.2 - Feedback process of the Institution may be classified as follows

B. Feedback collected, analyzed and action has been taken

| File Description                  | Documents  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
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#### TEACHING-LEARNING AND EVALUATION

#### 2.1 - Student Enrollment and Profile

#### 2.1.1 - Enrolment Number Number of students admitted during the year

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#### 325

| File Description                        | Documents        |
|---|------------------|
| Any additional information              | <u>View File</u> |
| Institutional data in prescribed format | <u>View File</u> |

## 2.1.2 - Number of seats filled against seats reserved for various categories (SC, ST, OBC, Divyangjan, etc. as per applicable reservation policy during the year (exclusive of supernumerary seats)

#### 2.1.2.1 - Number of actual students admitted from the reserved categories during the year

#### 281

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| Any additional information                                    | <u>View File</u> |
| Number of seats filled against seats reserved (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 2.2 - Catering to Student Diversity

## 2.2.1 - The institution assesses the learning levels of the students and organizes special Programmes for advanced learners and slow learners

KMEA have a blend of slow and advanced learners. The Institution always give special care for improving the performance of slow learners. The induction and orientation programs organized by the Institution help the students and parents to familiarizewith rules, regulations, activity points, internal and external assessment system, co curricular activities, extra-curricular activities, techno cultural activities, facilities such as the library, laboratories, central computing facility, physical education facilities, hostels, recreation facility, gymnasium and various other facilities. Faculty Advisors identify the slow learners, medium learners and advanced learners in every batch by considering the performance in Module Tests, Internal Exams, University Examination and Assignments. Course faculty set bench mark and students falling below this level are considered as slow learners. For enhancing the performance of slow learners, Remedial Session and Group Study Sessions are conducted both in college and in hostel . In these sessions slow learners are supported for solving previous year question papers and are encouraged to do more tutorial problems. To improve the technical skill of the students various workshops, internship programs, separate classes

for GATE and invited talks are carried out in all departments. Value added courses are provided to advanced learners for improving their skill for job acquisition.

| File Description                      | Documents        |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| Paste link for additional information | Nil              |
| Upload any additional information     | <u>View File</u> |

#### 2.2.2 - Student- Full time teacher ratio (Data for the latest completed academic year)

| Number of Students | Number of Teachers |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1186               | 95                 |

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#### 2.3 - Teaching- Learning Process

2.3.1 - Student centric methods, such as experiential learning, participative learning and problem solving methodologies are used for enhancing learning experiences

Experiential learning: Invited talks are conducted regularly in the college by the external experts. They share their experience with the studentsthat prepares them for real job scenario. Students regularly organizes and takes part in tech fests, conferences, inter college events, project competitions and idea fests. College has signed MOUs with industries to promote internships and training . Participative learning: Students are divided into various groups and asked to read various articles or write ups on certain selected topics. They get an opportunity to conceptualize the theoretical aspects and helps them in reflective thinking, problem solving and to logically question what was taught. Students undertake group activities like project, assignments, casestudy analysis and are also provided the opportunity to undertake value added courses in the college.. They are also taken to field/ industry visits, study tours in India and are also encouraged to undertake innovative projects . Teaching learning methods adopted by the faculty include lecture modes, interactive modes, project based learning, computer assisted learning, experiential learning, tutorials and more. For effective teaching learning process along with intensive ICT tools, Group Discussions, Debates and Brainstorming sessions are conducted. The pedagogical methods like

Peer-to-Peer learning, model makings, scale ups, critical pedagogy and role plays are also conducted.

| File Description                  | Documents  |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Upload any additional information | <u>View File</u>                                 |
| Link for additional information   | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/recent-<br>events/ |

## 2.3.2 - Teachers use ICT enabled tools for effective teaching-learning process. Write description in maximum of 200 words

KMEA practice blended learning which focuses on giving personalized experiences to the learners exposing them to web sources, e-learning, online platforms, games and ICT models. This encourages the students to retain their interest and inculcate self learning procedures. This is practiced by using moodle platform which enables both the educator and learner to interact in face to face online mode. For this purpose collegehas provided necessary infrastructure and all learners and faculties posses their own moodle login id . IMPLEMENTATION OF ONLINE PEDAGOGICAL METHODS IN KMEA Teachers use online whiteboards for best practices in teaching online. In virtual classroom setup, an online whiteboard helps them to convey information and make a better connection . Online whiteboard is a canvas on which teachers can make diagrams, share pre-made templates and charts, make sketches, write etc. Faculties in KMEA deliver lectures in real time through live online classes. That allow teachers and students to interact face-to-face and give the classroom-like environment for learning. Teachers uses various tools like Google meet, WebEx, Zoom etc which are available online and create a connection with students for running regular classes. Teachers are also using other effective ICT enabled techniques like Pre-Recorded Video Lectures, online guizzes.

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| Provide link for webpage describing the ICT enabled tools for effective teaching-learning process | <u>View File</u> |

## 2.3.3 - Ratio of mentor to students for academic and other related issues (Data for the latest completed academic year )

#### 2.3.3.1 - Number of mentors

45

| File Description   | Documents        |
|--|------------------|
| Upload, number of students enrolled and full time teachers on roll | <u>View File</u> |
| Circulars pertaining to assigning mentors to mentees               | <u>View File</u> |
| Mentor/mentee ratio  | <u>View File</u> |

#### 2.4 - Teacher Profile and Quality

#### 2.4.1 - Number of full time teachers against sanctioned posts during the year

95

| File Description   | Documents        |
|--|------------------|
| Full time teachers and sanctioned posts for year (Data Template)   | <u>View File</u> |
| Any additional information   | <u>View File</u> |
| List of the faculty members<br>authenticated by the Head of<br>HEI | No File Uploaded |

2.4.2 - Number of full time teachers with Ph. D. / D.M. / M.Ch. /D.N.B Superspeciality / D.Sc. / D.Litt. during the year (consider only highest degree for count)

2.4.2.1 - Number of full time teachers with Ph. D. / D.M. / M.Ch. /D.N.C Superspeciality / D.Sc. / D.Litt. during the year

17

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| List of number of full time teachers with Ph. D. / D.M. / M.Ch./ D.N.B Super specialty / D.Sc. / D.Litt. and number of full time teachers for year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 2.4.3 - Number of years of teaching experience of full time teachers in the same institution (Data for the latest completed academic year)

#### 2.4.3.1 - Total experience of full-time teachers

683

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| List of Teachers including their PAN, designation, dept. and experience details(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 2.5 - Evaluation Process and Reforms

2.5.1 - Mechanism of internal assessment is transparent and robust in terms of frequency and mode. Write description within 200 words.

The institution is affiliated to Kerala Technological University and adhered to its norms and guidelines. The evaluation scheme is communicated to the first year students and their parents on the invocation day . The daily attendance status of a student is informed to his parent through ETLAB. The attendance of all students is displayed at the end of each month and at the end of semesterwhere final defaulters are declared. The question paper for internal tests and assignments are set as per revised Blooms Taxonomy. The question paper of each subject is evaluated by the department scrutiny committee . The series tests and assignments are conducted as per academic calendar. CCTV cameras are deployed in all class rooms and exam cells . The answer sheets are returned to students for scrutiny as per the academic calendar and marks are entered in the portal after addressing the grievances of the students, if any. The internal test marks are also displayed to the students Open house is conducted to communicate the performance of students . Continuous evaluation process such as viva for each experiment is followed in laboratories. Remedial

classes are conducted to improve the performance of the slow learners.

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### 2.5.2 - Mechanism to deal with internal examination related grievances is transparent, time-bound and efficient

The internal examination dates are decided in academic councilmeeting in line with University academic calendar The academic calendar is displayed to students at the beginning of the semester. Two sets of Question papers are sent by question paper setter to Head of Department, who chooses a question paper to avoid probable leakage of questions. Department question paper scrutiny committee is constituted with HoD and senior faculty as members , to ensure the quality of the question paper . The weightage and division of marks are made transparent . The scheme and key of question paper is also prepared and is communicated to students after internal exam. The evaluation of answer sheets are done by faculty handling the subjects . The students can approach the concerned course faculty for clarification, if any. He can also approach HOD and Principal with his answer sheet, if his grievances regarding the evaluation of answer sheet is not satisfied .There is a grievance redressal mechanism for students to redress all grievances with regard to the evaluation process related to the internal examinations. Class/course committee meetings are conducted . The college strictly follows the academic calendar published by A P J ABDUL KALAM KERALA TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY .It consists of the schedule for commencement of class & registration, course committee/ class committee, date of registration of university exam, date of tests to be conducted, date to publish attendance, end semester exam dates etc. In tune with University academic calendar college prepares the academic calendar .

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| Link for additional information | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/academic-<br>calender/ |

#### 2.6 - Student Performance and Learning Outcomes

2.6.1 - Programme and course outcomes for all Programmes offered by the institution are stated and displayed on website and communicated to teachers and students.

The Institute has well defined learning outcomes. The vision and mission of the institution emphasizes on promoting value education through motivated trained faculty to prepare the students to accept the challenges of globalization. The vision and mission statements are displayed at various key positions inthe college building. Programme Educational Objectives (PEO), Programme Outcomes (PO), Programme Specific Outcomes (PSO) and Course outcomes (CO) have been defined by every department. These are also available in course files along with the mapping of the same with programme outcomes and course outcomes. These are also made available as a printout along with many other details such as course plan, question bank, assignment questions, evaluation scheme in the department. Programme Educational Objectives (PEO), Programme Specific Outcomes(PSO) and Programme outcomes (PO) are discussed during department meetings comprising of Head of Departments and faculties and course outcomes (CO) are discussed by faculty members in the classrooms. Programme Educational Objectives ( PEO), Programme Specific Outcomes(PSO) and Programme Outcomes (PO) are published in the website of college. At the end of every semester, all the departments evaluate POs and COs by using tools like tutorial and mid-term results, exam results, course end survey and yearly alumni feedback etc.

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| Upload COs for all Programmes (exemplars from Glossary) | <u>View File</u>                                    |

2.6.2 - Attainment of Programme outcomes and course outcomes are evaluated by the institution.

The institution use course outcome as an indicator for evaluating student performance and achievement of learning objectives. The process of attainment of COs, POs and PSOs starts from writing appropriate COs. The course outcomes are written by the respective faculty using Bloom's Taxonomy. A correlation is established between COs and POs in the scale of 1 to 3, 1 being the slight

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(low), 2 being moderate (medium) and 3 being substantial (high). A mapping matrix is prepared in this regard for every course. The course outcomes written and their mapping with POs are reviewed frequently by a committee of senior faculty members and HoD. Internal assessment contributes 20% and university assessment contributes 80% to the total attainment of CO. PO/PSO assessment is done by giving 80% weightage to direct assessment and 20% to indirect assessment. Direct assessment is based on CO attainment where 80% weightage is given to attainment through university exams and 20% weightage is given to attainment through internal assessments. Indirect assessment is done through programme exit survey, alumni survey and employer survey where programme exit survey and employer survey are given a weightage of 25% each and alumni exit survey is given a weightage of 50%.

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#### 2.6.3 - Pass percentage of Students during the year

## 2.6.3.1 - Total number of final year students who passed the university examination during the year

225

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| Upload list of Programmes and<br>number of students passed and<br>appeared in the final year<br>examination (Data Template) | <u>View File</u>   |
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#### 2.7 - Student Satisfaction Survey

## 2.7.1 - Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) on overall institutional performance (Institution may design its own questionnaire) (results and details need to be provided as a weblink)

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#### RESEARCH, INNOVATIONS AND EXTENSION

- 3.1 Resource Mobilization for Research
- 3.1.1 Grants received from Government and non-governmental agencies for research projects / endowments in the institution during the year (INR in Lakhs)
- 3.1.1.1 Total Grants from Government and non-governmental agencies for research projects / endowments in the institution during the year (INR in Lakhs)

126376

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| e-copies of the grant award<br>letters for sponsored research<br>projects /endowments | <u>View File</u> |
| List of endowments / projects<br>with details of grants(Data<br>Template)             | <u>View File</u> |

- 3.1.2 Number of teachers recognized as research guides (latest completed academic year)
- 3.1.2.1 Number of teachers recognized as research guides

10

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| Institutional data in prescribed format | <u>View File</u> |

- 3.1.3 Number of departments having Research projects funded by government and non government agencies during the year
- 3.1.3.1 Number of departments having Research projects funded by government and non-government agencies during the year

2

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| Supporting document from Funding Agency                       | <u>View File</u> |
| Paste link to funding agency website                          | Nil              |

#### 3.2 - Innovation Ecosystem

## 3.2.1 - Institution has created an ecosystem for innovations and has initiatives for creation and transfer of knowledge

ABOUT K-IIC The Institution's Innovation Councilat KMEAEngineering College isfocused on building afull ecosystemtoencouragean innovation cultureacross the KMEA, from ideacreation to preincubation, incubation, and graduation from the incubator as successful start-ups. KMEA IIC or K-IIC will also focus on evaluation methods to identify and nurture students who will transition from dependent to startup status. IIC was established to inspire our students' creativity to work on new ideas and innovation and to promote them in the creation of start-ups and entrepreneurial enterprises. K-IIC has taken steps to inculcate the incubation and start-up mantra among students and faculties by a ligning with various state and central government programs over the years.

#### Vision

To cater for the needs of students as well as faculty entrepreneurs with innovative ideas of social relevance and thereby disseminating a culture of entrepreneurship in the campus which will boost our education system and thereby growing the national economic and social development. Also, to inculcate the incubation start-up practices among students, through their academic calendar, making them nurture their ideas, bring them to conceptual stage, promote funding through various schemes and programs, while encouraging them to transform to a start-up through incubation.

#### Mission

To develop a system with the required infrastructure that can enable students and faculty to innovate and prototype their ideas with industrial standards and support from Government, industry and reputed academic institutions around the world and help them to realize their potentials

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## 3.2.2 - Number of workshops/seminars conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and entrepreneurship during the year

## 3.2.2.1 - Total number of workshops/seminars conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and entrepreneurship year wise during the year

51

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| Report of the event  | <u>View File</u> |
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| List of workshops/seminars<br>during last 5 years (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 3.3 - Research Publications and Awards

#### 3.3.1 - Number of Ph.Ds registered per eligible teacher during the year

#### 3.3.1.1 - How many Ph.Ds registered per eligible teacher within the year

3

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| URL to the research page on HEI website   | Nil              |
| List of PhD scholars and their details like name of the guide, title of thesis, year of award etc (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |
| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.3.2 - Number of research papers per teachers in the Journals notified on UGC website during the year

#### 3.3.2.1 - Number of research papers in the Journals notified on UGC website during the year

12

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| List of research papers by title,<br>author, department, name and<br>year of publication (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.3.3 - Number of books and chapters in edited volumes/books published and papers published in national/international conference proceedings per teacher during the year

## 3.3.3.1 - Total number of books and chapters in edited volumes/books published and papers in national/international conference proceedings year wise during year

8

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| List books and chapters edited volumes/ books published (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 3.4 - Extension Activities

3.4.1 - Extension activities are carried out in the neighborhood community, sensitizing students to social issues, for their holistic development, and impact thereof during the year

KMEA Engineering College actively engages with the neighboring community through initiatives like ASAP, PMKVY, and SRC, aiming to boost skill acquisition and employability. Faculty and students participate in community work to foster ethical values, responsibility, and good citizenship. The college's National Service Scheme (NSS) cell and Pain and Palliative Care Unit organize annual social activities.

ASAP equips Kerala's youth with industry-relevant skills for future-ready careers by collaborating with industrial sectors to design updated curricula. PMKVY, the flagship scheme of the Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, focuses on skill certification to enhance employability and livelihood opportunities for Indian youth, including recognition of prior learning.

The NSS organizes socially impactful programs to benefit the neighborhood community. The Women's Forum conducts initiatives for societal betterment. Additionally, the Pain and Palliative Care Unit supports the local community during hardships through various programs. These activities collectively sensitized students to social issues, fostered holistic development, and created a positive impact on the community.

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- 3.4.2 Number of awards and recognitions received for extension activities from government / government recognized bodies during the year
- 3.4.2.1 Total number of awards and recognition received for extension activities from Government/ Government recognized bodies year wise during the year

0

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| Number of awards for extension activities in last 5 year (Data Template) | No File Uploaded |
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- 3.4.3 Number of extension and outreach programs conducted by the institution through NSS/NCC/Red cross/YRC etc., (including the programmes such as Swachh Bharat, AIDS awareness, Gender issues etc. and/or those organized in collaboration with industry, community and NGOs) during the year
- 3.4.3.1 Number of extension and outreach Programs conducted in collaboration with industry, community and Non- Government Organizations through NSS/ NCC/ Red Cross/ YRC etc., during the year

28

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| Reports of the event organized   | <u>View File</u> |
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| Number of extension and<br>outreach Programmes conducted<br>with industry, community etc<br>for the during the year (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 3.4.4 - Number of students participating in extension activities at 3.4.3. above during year

# 3.4.4.1 - Total number of Students participating in extension activities conducted in collaboration with industry, community and Non- Government Organizations such as Swachh Bharat, AIDs awareness, Gender issue etc. year wise during year

932

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| Report of the event   | <u>View File</u> |
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| Number of students<br>participating in extension<br>activities with Govt. or NGO etc<br>(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 3.5 - Collaboration

## 3.5.1 - Number of Collaborative activities for research, Faculty exchange, Student exchange/internship during the year

## 3.5.1.1 - Number of Collaborative activities for research, Faculty exchange, Student exchange/ internship year wise during the year

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| Details of Collaborative activities with institutions/industries for research, Faculty | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.5.2 - Number of functional MoUs with institutions, other universities, industries, corporate houses etc. during the year

## 3.5.2.1 - Number of functional MoUs with Institutions of national, international importance, other universities, industries, corporate houses etc. year wise during the year

75

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| Details of functional MoUs with institutions of national, international importance, other universities etc during the year | <u>View File</u> |

#### INFRASTRUCTURE AND LEARNING RESOURCES

#### 4.1 - Physical Facilities

4.1.1 - The Institution has adequate infrastructure and physical facilities for teaching-learning. viz., classrooms, laboratories, computing equipment etc.

The institution has a sprawling campus with modern buildings, technology-enabled classrooms, internet with Wi-Fi, library with reading room, digital library, well equipped laboratories, central computing facility, spacious hostels for students, seminar halls and auditorium. Adequate facilities for teaching and learning are available throughout the campus in the three academic blocks.

#### Campus Infrastructure

- We have 40 spacious classrooms with proper ventilation, lighting and appropriate furniture and all class rooms are equipped with ICT facilities.
- The College has 4 ICT enabled seminar halls with wellequipped infrastructure for organizing special lecturers and meetings.
- All the laboratories are designed with safety features imbibed in the infrastructure and create an excellent ambience and atmosphere for work.

• An incubation center with all the necessary equipment, to help the entrepreneurs realize their ideas.

#### Computer Facilities

- The institution maintains a total of 460 computers, with 412 computers solely for the students academic and browsing facilities.
- The students can access the internet in the Central Computing Facility as well as the Digital Library.
- Internet facility is available in the classrooms, faculty rooms with LAN connections, in addition to the Wi-Fi enabled for the whole campus.

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4.1.2 - The Institution has adequate facilities for cultural activities, sports, games (indoor, outdoor), gymnasium, yoga centre etc.

#### SPORTS

Sports facilities for students such as basketball court, football and cricket ground, volleyball court, indoor badminton court, kabaddi court etc. are provided. All the sports activities are coordinated by the Department of Physical Education. A sports tournament 'PACE' covering many sport events is held every academic year. An inter college football, volleyball, badminton and cricket tournaments named as 'AHAS' is also conducted every year. Annual sports meet is conducted as per the KTU schedule. The winners of this meet participate in all Kerala sports meets conducted by KTU.

#### CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

There are sufficient numbers of conference halls and an auditorium for organizing cultural and literary events. A fully equipped auditorium with a seating capacity of 1000 is available for organizing intercollege as well as intra college cultural events every year. The college conducts biannual tech fest called as 'KAPRICIOUS' in

which students from different engineering colleges take part and exhibit their talents. We also conduct cultural programmes and technical fests exclusively for our students to boost their talents.

#### GYMNASIUM

Our college boasts an excellent gymnasium with most modern equipment to which is utilized by students to keep themselves fit.

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## 4.1.3 - Number of classrooms and seminar halls with ICT- enabled facilities such as smart class, LMS, etc.

#### 44

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| Upload Number of classrooms<br>and seminar halls with ICT<br>enabled facilities (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u>   |

## 4.1.4 - Expenditure, excluding salary for infrastructure augmentation during the year (INR in Lakhs)

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## 4.1.4.1 - Expenditure for infrastructure augmentation, excluding salary during the year (INR in lakhs)

#### 127.38

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| Upload Details of budget<br>allocation, excluding salary<br>during the year (Data Template | <u>View File</u> |

#### 4.2 - Library as a Learning Resource

#### 4.2.1 - Library is automated using Integrated Library Management System (ILMS)

The Central Library of KMEA Engineering College is fully automated. Library functions with Open Source Software - KOHA (Koha version - 22.05.06.000) since 2015 with complete information of book details. The holdings of the library can be searched through OPAC (opac.kmeacollege.ac.in). All the books have been classified with Dewey Decimal Classification. The Library has a collection of 29170Volumes and 7482Titles.

A Digital Library with 20 computer systems is also provided to the users in order to access the e-resources such as e-journals, e-books, e-ShodhSindhu, DELNET, NPTEL lectures etc. The Library is also a registered member of NDLI which has collection of more than 6 lakh e-books. The institution has subscribed Elsevier Science Direct (Engineering + Computer Science) and EBSCO IEEE ASPP Online e-journal annual subscription. Online resources are available from library portal. Library have purchased Knimbus digital library platform provided by APJAKTU.

The library offers various services to its users like automated circulation system, online public access catalogue, reprography, internet browsing, library orientations, etc.

Name of the ILMS Software: KOHA

Nature of Automation (Fully or Partially) : Fully

Version: 22.05.06.000

Year of Automation: 2015

(Updated with the latest KOHA version on 2022)

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# 4.2.2 - The institution has subscription for the A. Any 4 or more of the above following e-resources e-journals e-ShodhSindhu Shodhganga Membership e-books Databases Remote access toe-resources

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| Details of subscriptions like e-<br>journals,e-ShodhSindhu,<br>Shodhganga Membership etc<br>(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 4.2.3 - Expenditure for purchase of books/e-books and subscription to journals/e- journals during the year (INR in Lakhs)

## 4.2.3.1 - Annual expenditure of purchase of books/e-books and subscription to journals/e-journals during the year (INR in Lakhs)

#### 9.15

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| Details of annual expenditure<br>for purchase of books/e-books<br>and journals/e- journals during<br>the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 4.2.4 - Number per day usage of library by teachers and students (foot falls and login data

#### for online access) (Data for the latest completed academic year)

## 4.2.4.1 - Number of teachers and students using library per day over last one year

85

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| Details of library usage by teachers and students | <u>View File</u> |

#### 4.3 - IT Infrastructure

# 4.3.1 - Institution frequently updates its IT facilities including Wi-Fi

KMEA Engineering College maintains a total of460 computers, with412computers solely for the students'academic and browsing facilities. Each department has laptops for classes, seminars and workshops. College has Linux, Programming, Projectand CentralComputing Labsunder the CSE Department, CAD labs forCiviland Mechanical Engineering, SystemsandMicroprocessor labs for Electronics and Communication Engineeringand ElectronicsandInstrumentation. The campus is equipped with network switches, a 300 Mbps BSNL leased line (1:1), 10 Mbps NEMICT BSNL broadband, and a 100 Mbps Asianet leased line.All computers have UPS back up.

The Wi-Fi enabled campus has14 Ruckus ZoneDirector - controlled accesspoints. The users are authenticated using MAC address and can access network through personal laptops, mobiles and other gadgets. The whole college campusincluding classrooms is under CCTV Surveillance. Printers and scanners are installed in office, library, staffrooms etc. Xerox machines are also available in college. College has Sophos XGS-2100 Squid Proxy Hardware Firewall architecture and Kaspersky Antivirus to protect network from latest threats.

The teaching and learning process is enhanced through incorporating ICT tools and e-resources. A campus automation system enables parents to monitor attendance and academic progress. Student feedback is collected online, and the regularly updated college website shares events and updates to outside world. Most of the systems in college is running on opensource software. College also have software packages of IBM Rational Rose, Oral Language software, Solid Works (Dept. of ME), AutoCAD (Dept. of ME, Dept. of CE), Ansys, STADD (Dept. of CE) and MATLAB

(Dept. of EC, EE and CS).

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## **4.3.2 - Number of Computers**

460

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| List of Computers                 | <u>View File</u> |

# **4.3.3 - Bandwidth of internet connection in** A. ? 50MBPS the Institution

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| Details of available bandwidth of internet connection in the Institution | <u>View File</u> |

# 4.4 - Maintenance of Campus Infrastructure

- 4.4.1 Expenditure incurred on maintenance of infrastructure (physical and academic support facilities) excluding salary component during the year (INR in Lakhs)
- 4.4.1.1 Expenditure incurred on maintenance of infrastructure (physical facilities and academic support facilities) excluding salary component during the year (INR in lakhs)

289.78

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| Details about assigned budget<br>and expenditure on physical<br>facilities and academic support<br>facilities (Data Templates) | <u>View File</u> |

4.4.2 - There are established systems and procedures for maintaining and utilizing physical, academic and support facilities - laboratory, library, sports complex, computers, classrooms etc.

#### LABORATORY

The equipment and machinery in the laboratory/workshop are maintained by the lab in-charge(s)/workshop In- Charge(s). Periodic reporting on requirements of repairs and maintenance are submitted by the lab in-charge to the administrative office. If the problem is minor, the technical support staff of the lab will rectify it. For major failures, support from vendors is taken.

#### **SPORTS**

The Department of Physical Education is responsible for the maintenance of sports equipments, facilities and regular sports activities.

#### **LIBRARY**

The institution ensures effective utilization and maintenance of the library through Library Council which consists of Principal, main librarian and department librarians from all the seven departments. Books are issued on presentation of the student identity card. Students are instructed to check the books while borrowing and they will be responsible for any type of damage noticed at the time of return.

#### BUILDING MAINTENANCE

The infrastructure facilities, services and equipment are maintained by the Infrastructure committee of the campus. Their maintenance staff is available to take care of the entire maintenance of land, buildings, water supply, stores, electrical and mechanical equipments etc. The main objective of the infrastructure committee is to oversee the Institute's physical

assets: its land, buildings, and equipments.

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#### STUDENT SUPPORT AND PROGRESSION

## **5.1 - Student Support**

- 5.1.1 Number of students benefited by scholarships and free ships provided by the Government during the year
- 5.1.1.1 Number of students benefited by scholarships and free ships provided by the Government during the year

13

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| Upload self attested letter with<br>the list of students sanctioned<br>scholarship  | <u>View File</u> |
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| Number of students benefited by<br>scholarships and free ships<br>provided by the Government<br>during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

- 5.1.2 Number of students benefitted by scholarships, free ships etc. provided by the institution / non- government agencies during the year
- 5.1.2.1 Total number of students benefited by scholarships, free ships, etc provided by the institution / non- government agencies during the year

241

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| Number of students benefited by<br>scholarships and free ships<br>institution / non- government<br>agencies in last 5 years (Date<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

5.1.3 - Capacity building and skills enhancement initiatives taken by the institution include the following: Soft skills Language and communication skills Life skills (Yoga, physical fitness, health and hygiene) ICT/computing skills

A. All of the above

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| Details of capability building<br>and skills enhancement<br>initiatives (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

# 5.1.4 - Number of students benefitted by guidance for competitive examinations and career counseling offered by the institution during the year

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# 5.1.4.1 - Number of students benefitted by guidance for competitive examinations and career counseling offered by the institution during the year

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| Number of students benefited by guidance for competitive examinations and career counseling during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

# **5.1.5 - The Institution has a transparent** mechanism for timely redressal of student

#### A. All of the above

grievances including sexual harassment and ragging cases Implementation of guidelines of statutory/regulatory bodies Organization wide awareness and undertakings on policies with zero tolerance Mechanisms for submission of online/offline students' grievances Timely redressal of the grievances through appropriate committees

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| Minutes of the meetings of<br>student redressal committee,<br>prevention of sexual harassment<br>committee and Anti Ragging<br>committee | <u>View File</u> |
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## **5.2 - Student Progression**

# 5.2.1 - Number of placement of outgoing students during the year

# 5.2.1.1 - Number of outgoing students placed during the year

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| Self-attested list of students placed                        | No File Uploaded |
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| Details of student placement during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

# 5.2.2 - Number of students progressing to higher education during the year

# 5.2.2.1 - Number of outgoing student progression to higher education

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| Upload supporting data for student/alumni          | No File Uploaded |
| Any additional information                         | No File Uploaded |
| Details of student progression to higher education | <u>View File</u> |

- 5.2.3 Number of students qualifying in state/national/ international level examinations during the year (eg: JAM/CLAT/GATE/ GMAT/CAT/GRE/ TOEFL/ Civil Services/State government examinations)
- 5.2.3.1 Number of students qualifying in state/ national/ international level examinations (eg: JAM/CLAT/NET/ SLET/ GATE/ GMAT/CAT/GRE/ TOEFL/ Civil Services/ State government examinations) during the year

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#### **5.3 - Student Participation and Activities**

- 5.3.1 Number of awards/medals for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at university/state/national / international level (award for a team event should be counted as one) during the year
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| e-copies of award letters and certificates   | No File Uploaded |
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| Number of awards/medals for<br>outstanding performance in<br>sports/cultural activities at unive<br>rsity/state/national/international<br>level (During the year) (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

5.3.2 - Institution facilitates students' representation and engagement in various administrative, cocurricular and extracurricular activities (student council/ students representation on various bodies as per established processes and norms)

Response: Yes Student council committee rules and regulations The functions and activities of a student council should support the aims and objectives of the council and promote the development of the college and the welfare of its students. In planning and undertaking activities during the course of the academic year, the council should work closely with college management, teachers and parents, consult regularly with students in the college and involve as many students as possible in the activities of the council.

Responsibilities Representing the views of the student body to the college management. Promoting good communication within the college. Supporting the educational development and progress of students. Assisting with induction or mentoring for new first year students. Contributing to the development of college policy. Assisting in college sports and cultural activities. Assisting with fund raising event for charity. Organising events and activities that engage students, staff, parents and the community. Students council should take part in promoting college beautification and spreading environmental awareness. Student council should come together to help to raise awareness in the college and their community within the following

categories- Drug, alcohol, safety and health.

Members should research and provide information to staff and students about the negative and positive effects of the above mentioned categories.

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# 5.3.3 - Number of sports and cultural events/competitions in which students of the Institution participated during the year (organized by the institution/other institutions)

# **5.3.3.1 -** Number of sports and cultural events/competitions in which students of the Institution participated during the year

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| Report of the event  | <u>View File</u> |
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| Number of sports and cultural events/competitions in which students of the Institution participated during the year (organized by the institution/other institutions (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 5.4 - Alumni Engagement

5.4.1 - There is a registered Alumni Association that contributes significantly to the development of the institution through financial and/or other support services

KMEA Engineering College, Edathala, Aluva, was established in 2002, with the first batch graduating in 2006. In 2010, an informal Alumni Association, KMEA ENGINEERING COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (KECIAN), was formed to maintain bonds between alumni and their alma mater. In 2018, the college initiated the formal registration process for the association.

The association's objectives include maintaining strong connections between alumni and the institution, fostering collaboration to advance engineering education and research, and promoting cultural and social ties among alumni, students, and staff. It seeks to instill a sense of tradition and heritage while supporting the institution's growth.

The association also aims to establish scholarships, prizes, book banks, and research grants to support students. It provides opportunities for entrepreneurship development, practical skill-building, and career guidance for graduates. Additionally, it assists students in aligning their qualifications with suitable opportunities.

Operating as a non-profit organization, the association is dedicated to educational and cultural initiatives. It continues to strengthen ties, encourage collaboration, and contribute to the growth and success of the institution and its members.

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# 5.4.2 - Alumni contribution during the year B. 4 Lakhs - 5Lakhs (INR in Lakhs)

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#### GOVERNANCE, LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

#### 6.1 - Institutional Vision and Leadership

6.1.1 - The governance of the institution is reflective of and in tune with the vision and mission of the institution

## **Vision**

To be a centre of excellence in academics and research for moulding students to become competent engineering

professionals with innovative ideas and dedicated to the upliftment of the deprived socio-economic sections of the

society through an effective teaching learning process.

#### Mission

M1-To transform budding engineers into employable quality professionals.

M2- To inculcate the need of pursuing higher education among the graduate students so as to create a society of highly

educated professionals.

M3- To impart ethical values and social consciousness among the students so as to create responsible and socially

committed engineers.

M4- To create an excellent academic ambiance which encourages creative thinking, innovations and research.

KEC is committed to provide high-quality education for all students. It's an Engineering College which offers an environment conducive to the best learning situations - individualized academic support, dedicated teaching faculty, personal educational and financial counselling. All the processes and procedures are so designed that quality is inherent throughout. We got three star IIC ranking from MHRD. Our college hosted the southern regional meet of IIC jointly organized by the Ministry of Education Innovation Cell and AICTE. Five B. Tech programs in our prestigious institution are being accredited by the National Board of Accreditation in October 2023.

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6.1.2 - The effective leadership is visible in various institutional practices such as decentralization and participative management.

KEC has a mechanism for delegating authority and providing operational autonomy to various functionaries to work towards a decentralized governance system. Faculty members are given representation in various committees/ cells and allowed to conduct various programmes to showcase their abilities. Our institute promotes a culture of participative management by involving staff and students in various activities. The Principal, Vice principal and staff members are involved in defining the policies/procedures, framing guidelines and rules/regulations pertaining to admission, placement, discipline, grievance, counselling, training & development, library services etc. and are

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effectively implementing the same to ensure smooth and systematic functioning of the institute. For the various programmes to be conducted by the institute, staff members meet, discuss, share their opinion, plan for the event and form various committees involving students. Staff members are also involved in deciding academic activities and examinations to be conducted in the institute.

- At a functional level the faculty members participate in sharing the knowledge by discussing the latest trends/ technology during faculty meetings.
- Suggestions are invited from the stakeholders before the policy formulations.

Case Study: Establishment of KMEA Innovation Cell(KIC): KMEA Innovation Council

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## 6.2 - Strategy Development and Deployment

## 6.2.1 - The institutional Strategic/perspective plan is effectively deployed

Strategic plans were made based on the vision and the mission and by seeing the need of the institution. Guidelines with specific plans for implementation by aligning the academic and non-academic aspects improve the overall quality of academics and administration. The college has the following perspective plans:

- Developing a system for industry interaction through MOUs, internships, trainings and programmes
- Enhancing the continuing education cell to cater the needs of neighbouring community
- Faculty and Student empowerment programmes -(proof FDPs conducted)
- Encourage activity based learning to develop disciplinary minds, creative minds and innovative minds

- Development of start-ups and promotion of entrepreneurship
- Membership of Professional bodies
- Streamlining of Career Guidance and Placement Unit
- Development of Research Cell
- Preparation of institute development plan for academic enhancement
- Activation of IQAC for acquiring NAAC and NBAaccreditation
- Enhancement of Alumni Association ActivitiesPhysical Education Facilities
- KEC hosted 3 the International Conference on Technological Advancements in emerging engineering areas (ICTACME 2024,ICACCES2024,ICIHSR2024) from February 22-23, 2024. Researchers, engineers and professors from all over the world attended the conference.

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| Strategic Plan and deployment documents on the website | <u>View File</u>   |
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6.2.2 - The functioning of the institutional bodies is effective and efficient as visible from policies, administrative setup, appointment and service rules, procedures, etc.

KEC has a clearly defined organisation structure including governing council and administrative setup to ensure effective and efficient governance and management. Three councils have been constituted in the apex level for the proper and smooth functioning.

Governing Council (GC): The members of the governing council of the trust to which, by rule and bye-laws of the trust, the management of its affairs are entrusted. The governing council is formed with members from the KMEA Trust and is made responsible to monitor the overall performance of the institution.

Academic Council: The academic council plans and monitors all the academic activities at institutional level. It reviews the quality of course delivery process and attainment of outcomes.

College Council: The Director/Principal heads the administrative setup and is the key decision maker with regard to academic and administrative matters.

Administrative Setup: The Principal heads the administrative setup and is the key decision maker with regard to academic and administrative matters.

Service Rules: Service rules, leave rules, policies and procedures for the institution are defined. These rules are circulated to ensure that the staff members are aware of the rules. They are made known to all newly recruited staff members through an induction program. circulated to ensure that the staff members are aware of the rules. They are made known to all newly recruited staff members through an induction program.

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6.2.3 - Implementation of e-governance in areas of operation Administration Finance and Accounts Student Admission and Support Examination

A. All of the above

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| ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning)Document   | <u>View File</u> |
| Screen shots of user inter faces   | <u>View File</u> |
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| Details of implementation of e-<br>governance in areas of<br>operation, Administration<br>etc(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 6.3 - Faculty Empowerment Strategies

## 6.3.1 - The institution has effective welfare measures for teaching and non-teaching staff

Institute is always striving to motivate and empower the faculty to create a sense of direction and positive awareness to all the departments in the teaching learning processes.

#### Teaching and Non-Teaching

- Casual, Maternity and Sick Leave as per policy.
- Earned leave which can be availed during the time of vacation period in the academic calendar of the University
- Special leave for exigencies which may arise Healthnonteaching staff.
- Provident Fund and Other Benefits:. The employee and the employer contribute to the EPF scheme on a monthly basis.
- Provident Fund: An employee becomes eligible for enrolment into the provident fund after the completion of the probation period as per the Provident Fund Act.
- Other Benefits Employees' State Insurance (ESI)

#### Staff Welfare Activities

• Staff Recreation Activities through staff welfare committee and it is intended for the welfare and development of the whole staff and to provide a platform for us to interact with each other.

- Ensure a favourable working environment.
- Arrange extra-curricular activities .
- Conduct meetings to honour the staff for their achievements.
- Coordinate benevolent funds for the members of staff.
- Arrange Annual events such as employee outings, Family Day, sports activities and competitions.

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- 6.3.2 Number of teachers provided with financial support to attend conferences/ workshops and towards membership fee of professional bodies during the year
- 6.3.2.1 Number of teachers provided with financial support to attend conferences/workshops and towards membership fee of professional bodies during the year

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| Details of teachers provided<br>with financial support to attend<br>conference, workshops etc<br>during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

- 6.3.3 Number of professional development /administrative training programs organized by the institution for teaching and non-teaching staff during the year
- 6.3.3.1 Total number of professional development /administrative training Programmes organized by the institution for teaching and non teaching staff during the year

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| Reports of the Human Resource<br>Development Centres<br>(UGCASC or other relevant<br>centres).  | No File Uploaded |
| Reports of Academic Staff<br>College or similar centers   | <u>View File</u> |
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6.3.4 - Number of teachers undergoing online/face-to-face Faculty development Programmes (FDP) during the year (Professional Development Programmes, Orientation / Induction Programmes, Refresher Course, Short Term Course etc.)

# 6.3.4.1 - Total number of teachers attending professional development Programmes viz., Orientation / Induction Programme, Refresher Course, Short Term Course during the year

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| IQAC report summary   | No File Uploaded |
| Reports of the Human Resource<br>Development Centres<br>(UGCASC or other relevant<br>centers)     | No File Uploaded |
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| Details of teachers attending professional development programmes during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 6.3.5 - Institutions Performance Appraisal System for teaching and non-teaching staff

An effective performance management system plays an important role in managing the institution in an efficient manner. A good performance management system works towards the improvement of the overall institutional performance of teaching and non-teaching staff for ensuring the achievements of the overall institutional mission and vision. The Institution follows all the basic recruitment and promotional policies as per AICTE. All teaching and non-teaching staff should complete the self-appraisal every year.

Appraisal is purely based on the following criteria,

- Teaching and learning effectiveness during the academic year
- Regularity and punctuality.
- Active participation in duties assigned by HoD.
- Contribution towards extracurricular and co-curricular activities.
- Details of innovations/ contributions to teaching during the year.
- Major contribution for the benefit of students, staff, institute and society.
- Improvement of professional competence.
- General details such as achievements and difficulties faced.

The management reviews the performance appraisal and analyses each staff. Based on the collective reports, remedial actions will be taken if needed, and also decides the regular increments and promotions. Some of the faculty members have been promoted as per the outcome of the performance reviewer committee.

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#### **6.4 - Financial Management and Resource Mobilization**

6.4.1 - Institution conducts internal and external financial audits regularly Enumerate the various internal and external financial audits carried out during the year with the mechanism for settling

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audit objections within a maximum of 200 words

Yes, The Institution regularly conducts internal and external financial audits with well-structured processes.

Financial audit is intended to provide a 'reasonable' assurance over the accuracy of financial statements. So our institution appointed an external agency to conduct the financial audit to verify and certify the entire recurring and non-recurring and the capital expenditure of the institute each year. Qualified staff members from our finance department will do a thorough check on each payment and vouchers on a half yearly basis. Likewise external auditors do a thorough check on payment and vouchers on a yearly basis. So far there have been no major objections from any member of the audit team. Minor error pointed out by the audit team was corrected immediately. Precautionary steps are taken to avoid such mistakes in future. The institute regularly follows an external financial audit system. Each financial year of the institute is audited by a Chartered Accountant. The audit queries like, Is there any advance given for purchase, how to meet the revenue for the institution, nature of staff welfare expenses, and all the queries are well answered by the auditee up to the level.

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# 6.4.2 - Funds / Grants received from non-government bodies, individuals, philanthropers during the year (not covered in Criterion III)

# 6.4.2.1 - Total Grants received from non-government bodies, individuals, Philanthropers during the year (INR in Lakhs)

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| Annual statements of accounts  | <u>View File</u> |
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| Details of Funds / Grants<br>received from of the non-<br>government bodies, individuals,<br>Philanthropers during the year<br>(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

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6.4.3 - Institutional strategies for mobilization of funds and the optimal utilization of resources

Budget Preparation and Fund Allocation

The Institute has a well-defined procedure to monitor effective and efficient utilization of available resources for infrastructure, development and teaching learning process. All the major financial transactions are monitored by the office. The account of each financial year of the institute is audited by a Chartered Accountant. Thus the utilization of financial resources is monitored at several levels.

Earned Income: The main source of the earned income of the institution is the fees collected. The hostel fee also becomes a major part of the funds earned.

Funds Raised: Funds are also mobilized by the institution for various activities such as funds received as sponsorship for various student activities, consultancy services, faculty development programmes, workshops and seminars, Alumni

contribution, computer lab is rented out to government and public sector agencies for the conduct of examinations.

Grants Received from Government and Non-Government Agencies: The faculty members and different cells of the institution receive grants for research and innovation from agencies like ATAL, AICTE, Start-Up Mission, ASAP, etc.

Utilization - All the funds received are routed through the accounts of the institution so that the funds mobilised are employed for the purpose for which it was mobilized.

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#### 6.5 - Internal Quality Assurance System

6.5.1 - Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has contributed significantly for institutionalizing the quality assurance strategies and processes

The IQAC was established during 2014 and acts as a nodal agency of the institution for coordinating quality-related activities. For this purpose different entities have been formed under this cell and each entity or component works for improving and upgrading the quality of overall functioning.

Objectives The prime task of the IQAC is,

- To develop a system for conscious, consistent and catalytic improvement in the performance of the institution.
- To promote the measures for institutional functioning towards quality enhancement through internalization of quality culture and institutionalization of best practices.
- To promote the college into a centre of excellence in academics and research.

The two institutionalized remarkable practices 1.KMEA innovation council(KIC) KMEA engineering college through (KIC) has taken steps to inculcate the incubation and start-up mantra among students and faculties by aligning with various state and central government programs over the years.KIC has recently frames the KIC policy. 2. KMEA "Place of Research": KMEA engineering college was recognized as "Place of Research" on 4th August 2023 by APJ Abdul Kalam University. The college being recognized as a "Place of Research" typically signifies that the institution is acknowledged for its significant contributions to research activities within the field of engineering.

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6.5.2 - The institution reviews its teaching learning process, structures & methodologies of operations and learning outcomes at periodic intervals through IQAC set up as per norms and recorded the incremental improvement in various activities

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- 1.Allotment of the subjects to the faculty by HoDs as per their specialization.
- 2.Preparation of teaching plan and course plan along with correlation to the Course Outcomes (COs), Program Outcome (POs) and Program Specific Outcome (PSOs).
- 3.Preparation of Course file which contains university syllabus, previous year question papers, series test question papers, assignment questions, their answer key and slow learner activity schedule.
- 4.Conduction of series test, assignments, seminars as a part of the internal assessment of students
- 5.Conduction of result analysis of series tests.
- 6. Identification of slow learners and medium learners from result analysis and conduction of remedial classes.
- 7.Conduction of advanced courses like NPTEL and GATE coaching for higher learners
- 8.Conduction of parent teacher meeting and open house after each series test to inform parents about academic progress and behavioural pattern of students.
- 9.Advisory Committee, Class Committee and Course Committee meeting to review the teaching learning process.
- 10. Analyse the feedback from students to assess the teaching and to implement any corrective measures.
- 11. Semester wise result analysis of University exams.
- 12. Conduction of invited talks by faculties of eminent institutes for students and faculties to enhance their knowledge in specific domains.
- 13. The seminars and workshops conducted for the faculty and students.

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# 6.5.3 - Quality assurance initiatives of the institution include: Regular meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC); Feedback collected, analyzed and used for improvements Collaborative quality initiatives with other institution(s) Participation in NIRF any other quality audit recognized by state, national or international agencies (ISO Certification, NBA)

#### A. All of the above

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| Upload e-copies of the accreditations and certifications                           | <u>View File</u>                    |
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#### INSTITUTIONAL VALUES AND BEST PRACTICES

# 7.1 - Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

7.1.1 - Measures initiated by the Institution for the promotion of gender equity during the year

Institution has provided CCTV cameras in its three academic blocks at class rooms and at key locations to ensure the safety, security and discipline of the students. Further CCTV cameras have been installed at gate and at barriers along the road. The institute has tie up with Samaritan Hospital, Pazhanganad for any medical emergency and has an ambulance maintained by our Pain and Palliative care unit. At women's hostel, timings are maintained for the entry and exit of students by the warden. Further round the clock security is also provided at hostels.

COUNSELLING The college has a counsellor, Adv. P.A.Majeed Parakkadan, our management committee member who is always available to counsel and guide our students. In addition, we have a counsellor Dr. Shereena for the needs of students. There is a Student Grievance Cell to review the existing practices and other rules affecting students and recommend amendments for students.

#### COMMON ROOM

Common rooms are provided for both boys and girls in the premises. Separate prayer hall is provided for both girls and boys. Discipline committee members are deputed at different destinations for the safety of lady staff and students. A stationery store & cafeteria are functioning inside the campus.

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| Annual gender sensitization action plan   | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AQ<br>AR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria%2<br>07.1.1.A.pdf |
| Specific facilities provided for women in terms of:a. Safety and security b. Counseling c. Common Rooms d. Day care center for young children e. Any other relevant information | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AO<br>AR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria%2<br>07.1.1.B.pdf |

7.1.2 - The Institution has facilities for alternate sources of energy and energy conservation measures Solar energy Biogas plant Wheeling to the Grid Sensorbased energy conservation Use of LED bulbs/power efficient equipment

C. Any 2 of the above

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7.1.3 - Describe the facilities in the Institution for the management of the following types of degradable and non-degradable waste (within 200 words) Solid waste management Liquid waste management Biomedical waste management E-waste management Waste recycling system Hazardous chemicals and radioactive waste management

KMEA Engineering College is committed to "zero waste" concept by

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reducing the environmental impact of its activities through its philosophy of "reduce-reuse-recycle- 3R". Staff and students of the college are given awareness about energy consumptions. It is made sure that the electronic devices like computers, fans, lights & air conditioners are turned off before leaving the rooms.

SOLID WASTE: The daily waste is collected by housekeeping staff of each block and is moved to waste treatment plant of the village. The organic vegetable garden on the campus is nurtured from the bio waste of the campus including food scraps. The solid waste management system involves the burning of waste in a specially provided space. Waste like plastic, papers etc. are collected and sold out to scrap vendor at regular intervals. An incinerator is installed for burning non hazardous waste.

LIQUID WASTE: We adhere to a strict protocol of liquid waste disposal in our laboratories. Any glassware used in the laboratory is rinsed with minimum water. All waste water lines from toilets, bathrooms etc. are connected to the septic tank.

E-WASTE: The E-wastes are collected and are disposed to the scrap dealer based on the highest bidding.

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| Geo tagged photographs of the facilities  | No File Uploaded |

7.1.4 - Water conservation facilities available B. Any 3 of the above in the Institution: Rain water harvesting **Bore well /Open well recharge Construction** of tanks and bunds Waste water recycling Maintenance of water bodies and distribution system in the campus

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#### 7.1.5 - Green campus initiatives include

# 7.1.5.1 - The institutional initiatives for greening the campus are as follows:

- A. Any 4 or All of the above
- 1. Restricted entry of automobiles
- 2. Use of bicycles/ Battery-powered vehicles
- 3. Pedestrian-friendly pathways
- 4. Ban on use of plastic
- 5. Landscaping

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## 7.1.6 - Quality audits on environment and energy are regularly undertaken by the institution

7.1.6.1 - The institutional environment and energy initiatives are confirmed through the following 1.Green audit 2. Energy audit 3.Environment audit 4.Clean and green campus recognitions/awards 5. Beyond the campus environmental promotional activities

D. Any 1 of the above

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| Reports on environment and energy audits submitted by the auditing agency | <u>View File</u> |
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7.1.7 - The Institution has disabled-friendly, barrier free environment Built environment with ramps/lifts for easy access to classrooms. Disabled-friendly washrooms Signage including tactile path, lights, display boards and signposts Assistive technology and

A. Any 4 or all of the above

facilities for persons with disabilities
(Divyangjan) accessible website, screenreading software, mechanized equipment
5. Provision for enquiry and information:
Human assistance, reader, scribe, soft copies
of reading material, screen reading

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7.1.8 - Describe the Institutional efforts/initiatives in providing an inclusive environment i.e., tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal socioeconomic and other diversities (within 200 words).

The institution organises various programmes to improve, tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal socioeconomic and other diversities' Thevarious programmes by NSS has conveyed its social relevance

to the neighbourhood community. In addition, we conducts everal programmes for the service of society and environment.

The Pain and Palliative care unit of the college has lendeda helping hand to the neighbourhood community during its

period of hardships through its programmes and activities. The Womens forum has been in the forefront for promoting

gender equality and women safety.

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7.1.9 - Sensitization of students and employees of the Institution to the constitutional obligations: values, rights, duties and responsibilities of citizens

The various programmes by NSS has conveyed its socialrelevance to the neighbourhood community. NSS unit celebrates

all days of national importanceRepublic Day, IndependenceDay, Gandhi Jayanti, Teachers Day, . Children's day, Engineer's

day, NSS day etc. In addition, we conduct several programmes for the service ofsociety, environment such as flood related

activities, medically assisted activities

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| Details of activities that inculcate values; necessary to render students in to responsible citizens | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AQ<br>AR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria%2<br>07.1.9.pdf |
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7.1.10 - The Institution has a prescribed code of conduct for students, teachers, administrators and other staff and conducts periodic programmes in this regard. The Code of Conduct is displayed on the website There is a committee to monitor adherence to the Code of Conduct Institution organizes professional ethics programmes for students, teachers, administrators and other staff 4. Annual awareness programmes on Code of Conduct are organized

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| Code of ethics policy document   | <u>View File</u> |
| Details of the monitoring committee composition and minutes of the committee meeting, number of programmes organized, reports on the various programs etc., in support of the claims | <u>View File</u> |
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7.1.11 - Institution celebrates / organizes national and international commemorative days, events and festivals

College organizes national festivals and birth/deathanniversaries of great Indian personalities.

- 1. RepublicDay: Republic Day is celebrated on January 26 tocommemorate the adoption of constitution. Our NSS unit conducts republicday activities on every 26thJanuary.
- 2. Independence Day: Ourstudents celebrate Independence day onevery August 15th byhoisting flags and distributing sweets.
- 3. Gandhi Jayanti:-Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi iscelebrated on 2ndOctober. Gandhi Jayanthi is celebrated by our students by

observing sevanavaram and indulging in social works.

- 4. Teachers Day: Our students organize teacher's daycelebration on 5th September.
- 5.. Engineer's day: Celebrated on15th September, the birth anniversary of greatest IndianEngineer Bharat RatnaMokshagundam Visvesvaraya, by Studentsand faculties by taking apledge to uphold the ethics & valuesthroughout their career.
- 6.. NSS day was celebrated by ourNSS unit on 24th September..

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| Annual report of the celebrations and commemorative events for the last (During the year) | <u>View File</u> |
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#### 7.2 - Best Practices

- 7.2.1 Describe two best practices successfully implemented by the Institution as per NAAC format provided in the Manual.
- Kmea Innovation Council(KIC)

KIC was formed to plan, coordinate and control all the activities leading to creation of startups. It is a mother council which controls the

different entities.

- 1) IIC-established as per guidelines ofMIC- GOVT
- 2) ARIIA established as per guidelines of MIC- GOVTof India for ranking educationalinstitutions based on

innovative and startup activities.

- 3) IEDC-established topromote startups and innovation ecosystem in the campus.
- 4)Electronic Incubation centre established by DIC to performstudent's ideation and prototype development.
- 5) SDPK established as per the norms of Govt. of Kerala .
- 6) KDISK To coordinate and implement real time project in association

with Govt. of Kerala.

7) E-Yantra Lab - In association withIIT Mumbai to focus on Robotics and 3D printing. KIC was

instrumental in achieving 64th position in ARIIA ranking andalso 5 star ranking in IIC rating.

2. KMEA Institutional Scholarship A novel practice whichinvolves, contribution of a part of the monthly salary of the

staff of the college voluntarily to meet the fees of needystudents. The scholarship is managed by committee consisting

of faculty members from each department. A substantial amounthas been distributed to the students.

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| Best practices in the Institutional website | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/AQ<br>AR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria%2<br>07.2.1.pdf |
| Any other relevant information              | Nil  |

#### 7.3 - Institutional Distinctiveness

7.3.1 - Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust within 200 words

Institutional Distinctiveness

#### 1.ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH COLLABORATION

Academic and research collaboration between KMEA Engineeringcollege and other universities plays a vital role in

fostering innovation, knowledge exchange, and addressing real world challenges. Such collaborations enable us to leverage

each other's expertise, resources, and facilities, leading toimpactful research outcomes and enhanced educational

experiences.

Further KEC has signed MoU with reputed international universities like Universiti Teknologi MARA, Malaysia and

Durban University Of Technology, South Africa. These collaborations often take various forms, including

joint academic programs and research projects, exchangeprograms for students and faculty, shared laboratory

facilities, joint conferences and collaborative fundinginitiatives. This will help to tackle complex engineering

problems, explore emerging technologies, and developinnovative solutions that have practical applications.

#### 2..KMEA SOCIAL EMPOWERMENT CELL

KEC conducts its activities aimed at empowering society through its social empowermentcell. Institute involves the faculty and students incommunity work. This helps the students to learn ethical values and understand their responsibilities, and develop as

good citizens. College has an active National ServiceSchemecell, Pain and Palliative care unit and Women's Forumthrough which different social activities are planned.

#### Part B

#### **CURRICULAR ASPECTS**

#### 1.1 - Curricular Planning and Implementation

1.1.1 - The Institution ensures effective curriculum delivery through a well planned and documented process

University publishes academic calendar before the commencement of regular academics. A detailed academic calendar of the college which includes all important dates of curricular, cocurricular and extra-curricular activities is prepared and gets approved by the academic council. The institution has a standard Course Diary. The POs and PSOs are derived from the Graduate Attributes and each faculty prepares COs of the respective subject and explain the same to the students in the first class itself. Course plan and teaching plan are prepared for each course before the beginning of a semester by the concerned faculty within the ambit of academic schedule and this plan is verified and approved by HOD. The faculty members strictly adhere to the approved course plan. Feedbacks from the students are collected periodically to measure the effectiveness of teaching learning process and necessary actions are taken to fine tune the academic process. The student's academic progress is evaluated using various assessment tools like tests and assignments. The institution follows Revised Blooms Taxonomy (RBT) for the evaluation. The IQAC ensures the quality of the process through internal audits and facilitates the counter checking through audits conducted by the representatives of other departments.

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1.1.2 - The institution adheres to the academic calendar including for the conduct of Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE)

KMEA Engineering College follows the calendar issued by the University strictly and plans all its activities including the conduct of Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE). The institute

prepares an institute-level calendar and subsequently every department prepares its calendar. Institute calendar of events includes details like the total number of working days and holidays, CIE dates, dates for the Institute's flagship programs. The department calendar comprises guest lectures, workshops, industrial visits, other co-curricular and extracurricular activities. Internal Assessment tests (IA), assignments, quizzes, and seminars are part of the Continuous Internal Evaluation (CIE) of students. There is a well-defined process for the conduct of CIE as per the calendar of events. The internal assessment test timetable prepared by the examination committee is published to stakeholders, and conducted as per the schedule. Continuous evaluation and assessments are also done for laboratory course, project work, seminars, and internship as per schedule. Conduction of laboratory experiments and viva, Submission of records are the major components of laboratory course evaluation. As per the laboratory rubrics, the internal test is conducted at the end of the semester.

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1.1.3 - Teachers of the Institution participate in following activities related to curriculum development and assessment of the affiliating University and/are represented on the following academic bodies during the year. Academic council/BoS of Affiliating University Setting of question papers for UG/PG programs Design and Development of Curriculum for Add on/ certificate/ Diploma Courses Assessment /evaluation process of the affiliating University

B. Any 3 of the above

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## 1.2 - Academic Flexibility

# 1.2.1 - Number of Programmes in which Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)/ elective course system has been implemented

## 1.2.1.1 - Number of Programmes in which CBCS/ Elective course system implemented

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| Minutes of relevant Academic<br>Council/ BOS meetings   | <u>View File</u> |
| Institutional data in prescribed format (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

# 1.2.2 - Number of Add on /Certificate programs offered during the year

# 1.2.2.1 - How many Add on /Certificate programs are added during the year. Data requirement for year: (As per Data Template)

14

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# 1.2.3 - Number of students enrolled in Certificate/ Add-on programs as against the total number of students during the year

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#### 1.3 - Curriculum Enrichment

1.3.1 - Institution integrates crosscutting issues relevant to Professional Ethics, Gender, Human Values, Environment and Sustainability into the Curriculum

Gender: KMEA Engineering College since its inception has been promoting gender equality. More than 80% of the faculties are females and majority of them are from the minority community. Thus KMEA fraternity not only preach gender equality but also practice the same. To promote gender equality and to address the grievances of female students & faculties, a Women's Forum has been operating in KMEA campus.

Environment & Sustainability:In order to understand the importance of environmental factors in engineering, the students of the Mechanical Engineering department had opted for Environmental Engineering as their elective and Civil Engineering department had opted for Environmental Engineering and Municipal Solid Waste Management. Most of the departments have opted their non departmental elective as Disaster Management. The entire KMEA students learns the course Sustainable Engineering during their first year as per KTU syllabus from 2015 onwards. Students of the NSS unit of the college are always undertaking cleaning of nearby canals, ponds, planting trees.

Human Values & Professional Ethics: Human Values & Professional Ethics have been incorporated into our curriculum through the course Life Skills (HS210) and Business Economics (HS200) during the second year, common to all branches and has been introduced since 2015.

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## 1.3.2 - Number of courses that include experiential learning through project work/field work/internship during the year

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## 1.3.3 - Number of students undertaking project work/field work/ internships

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## 1.4 - Feedback System

## **1.4.1 - Institution obtains feedback on the syllabus and its transaction at the**

A. All of the above

## institution from the following stakeholders Students Teachers Employers Alumni

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| URL for stakeholder feedback report   | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/A<br>OAR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%201/Criteria<br>%201.4.1.pdf |
| Action taken report of the<br>Institution on feedback report<br>as stated in the minutes of the<br>Governing Council, Syndicate,<br>Board of Management | View File  |
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## 1.4.2 - Feedback process of the Institution may be classified as follows

B. Feedback collected, analyzed and action has been taken

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## TEACHING-LEARNING AND EVALUATION

#### 2.1 - Student Enrollment and Profile

## 2.1.1 - Enrolment Number Number of students admitted during the year

## 2.1.1.1 - Number of students admitted during the year

325

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# 2.1.2 - Number of seats filled against seats reserved for various categories (SC, ST, OBC, Divyangjan, etc. as per applicable reservation policy during the year (exclusive of supernumerary seats)

## 2.1.2.1 - Number of actual students admitted from the reserved categories during the year

281

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| Number of seats filled against seats reserved (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 2.2 - Catering to Student Diversity

2.2.1 - The institution assesses the learning levels of the students and organizes special Programmes for advanced learners and slow learners

KMEA have a blend of slow and advanced learners. The Institution always give special care for improving the performance of slow learners. The induction and orientation programs organized by the Institution help the students and parents to familiarize with rules, regulations, activity points, internal and external assessment system, co curricular activities, extra-curricular activities, techno cultural activities, facilities such as the library, laboratories, central computing facility, physical education facilities, hostels, recreation facility, gymnasium and various other facilities. Faculty Advisors identify the slow learners, medium learners and advanced learners in every batch by considering the performance in Module Tests, Internal Exams, University Examination and Assignments. Course faculty set bench mark and students falling below this level are considered as slow learners. For enhancing the performance of slow learners, Remedial Session and Group Study Sessions are conducted both in college and in hostel . In these sessions slow learners are supported for solving previous year question papers and are encouraged to do more tutorial problems. To improve the technical skill of the students various workshops, internship programs, separate classes for GATE and invited talks are carried out in all departments. Value added courses are provided to advanced learners for improving their skill for job acquisition.

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## 2.2.2 - Student- Full time teacher ratio (Data for the latest completed academic year)

| Number of Students | Number of Teachers |
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## 2.3 - Teaching-Learning Process

2.3.1 - Student centric methods, such as experiential learning, participative learning and problem solving methodologies are used for enhancing learning experiences

Experiential learning: Invited talks are conducted regularly in the college by the external experts. They share their experience with the studentsthat prepares them for real job scenario. Students regularly organizes and takes part in tech fests, conferences, inter college events, project competitions and idea fests. College has signed MOUs with industries to promote internships and training . Participative learning: Students are divided into various groups and asked to read various articles or write ups on certain selected topics. They get an opportunity to conceptualize the theoretical aspects and helps them in reflective thinking, problem solving and to logically question what was taught. Students undertake group activities like project, assignments, case-study analysis and are also provided the opportunity to undertake value added courses in the college.. They are also taken to field/ industry visits, study tours in India and are also encouraged to undertake innovative projects . Teaching learning methods adopted by the faculty include lecture modes, interactive modes, project based learning, computer assisted learning, experiential learning, tutorials and more. For effective teaching learning process along with intensive ICT tools, Group Discussions, Debates and Brainstorming sessions are conducted. The pedagogical methods like Peer-to-Peer learning, model makings, scale ups, critical pedagogy and role plays are also conducted.

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| Link for additional information   | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/recent-<br>events/ |

## 2.3.2 - Teachers use ICT enabled tools for effective teaching-learning process. Write description in maximum of 200 words

KMEA practice blended learning which focuses on giving personalized experiences to the learners exposing them to web sources, e-learning, online platforms, games and ICT models. This encourages the students to retain their interest and inculcate self learning procedures. This is practiced by using moodle platform which enables both the educator and learner to interact in face to face online mode. For this purpose collegehas provided necessary infrastructure and all learners and faculties posses their own moodle login id . IMPLEMENTATION OF ONLINE PEDAGOGICAL METHODS IN KMEA Teachers use online whiteboards for best practices in teaching online. In virtual classroom setup, an online whiteboard helps them to convey information and make a better connection . Online whiteboard is a canvas on which teachers can make diagrams, share pre-made templates and charts, make sketches, write etc. Faculties in KMEA deliver lectures in real time through live online classes. That allow teachers and students to interact face-to-face and give the classroom-like environment for learning. Teachers uses various tools like Google meet, WebEx, Zoom etc which are available online and create a connection with students for running regular classes. Teachers are also using other effective ICT enabled techniques like Pre-Recorded Video Lectures, online quizzes.

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#### ${\bf 2.3.3}$ - Ratio of mentor to students for a cademic and other related issues (Data for the latest completed a cademic year )

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## 2.3.3.1 - Number of mentors

45

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## 2.4 - Teacher Profile and Quality

## 2.4.1 - Number of full time teachers against sanctioned posts during the year

95

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## 2.4.2 - Number of full time teachers with Ph. D. / D.M. / M.Ch. /D.N.B Superspeciality / D.Sc. / D.Litt. during the year (consider only highest degree for count)

## 2.4.2.1 - Number of full time teachers with Ph. D. / D.M. / M.Ch. /D.N.C Superspeciality / D.Sc. / D.Litt. during the year

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## 2.4.3 - Number of years of teaching experience of full time teachers in the same institution (Data for the latest completed academic year)

## 2.4.3.1 - Total experience of full-time teachers

683

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#### 2.5 - Evaluation Process and Reforms

2.5.1 - Mechanism of internal assessment is transparent and robust in terms of frequency and mode. Write description within 200 words.

The institution is affiliated to Kerala Technological University and adhered to its norms and guidelines. The evaluation scheme is communicated to the first year students and their parents on the invocation day . The daily attendance status of a student is informed to his parent through ETLAB. The attendance of all students is displayed at the end of each month and at the end of semesterwhere final defaulters are declared. The question paper for internal tests and assignments are set as per revised Blooms Taxonomy. The question paper of each subject is evaluated by the department scrutiny committee . The series tests and assignments are conducted as per academic calendar. CCTV cameras are deployed in all class rooms and exam cells . The answer sheets are returned to students for scrutiny as per the academic calendar and marks are entered in the portal after addressing the grievances of the students, if any. The internal test marks are also displayed to the students Open house is conducted to communicate the performance of students . Continuous evaluation process such as viva for each experiment is followed in laboratories. Remedial classes are conducted to improve the performance of the slow learners.

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## 2.5.2 - Mechanism to deal with internal examination related grievances is transparent, timebound and efficient

The internal examination dates are decided in academic councilmeeting in line with University academic calendar The academic calendar is displayed to students at the beginning of the semester. Two sets of Question papers are sent by question paper setter to Head of Department, who chooses a question paper to avoid probable leakage of questions. Department question paper scrutiny committee is constituted with HoD and senior faculty as members ,to ensure the quality of the question paper . The weightage and division of marks are made transparent . The scheme and key of question paper is also prepared and is communicated to students after internal exam. The evaluation of answer sheets are done by faculty handling the subjects . The students can approach the concerned course faculty for clarification, if any. He can also approach HOD and Principal with his answer sheet, if his grievances regarding the evaluation of answer sheet is not satisfied .There is a grievance redressal mechanism for students to redress all grievances with regard to the evaluation process related to the internal examinations. Class/course committee meetings are conducted . The college strictly follows the academic calendar published by A P J ABDUL KALAM KERALA TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY .It consists of the schedule for commencement of class & registration, course committee/ class committee, date of registration of university exam, date of tests to be conducted, date to publish attendance, end semester exam dates etc. In tune with University academic calendar college prepares the academic calendar .

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|                                 | <u>calender/</u>                        |

## 2.6 - Student Performance and Learning Outcomes

2.6.1 - Programme and course outcomes for all Programmes offered by the institution are stated and displayed on website and communicated to teachers and students.

The Institute has well defined learning outcomes. The vision and mission of the institution emphasizes on promoting value education through motivated trained faculty to prepare the students to accept the challenges of globalization. The vision

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and mission statements are displayed at various key positions inthe college building. Programme Educational Objectives (PEO), Programme Outcomes (PO), Programme Specific Outcomes (PSO) and Course outcomes (CO) have been defined by every department. These are also available in course files along with the mapping of the same with programme outcomes and course outcomes. These are also made available as a printout along with many other details such as course plan, question bank, assignment questions, evaluation scheme in the department. Programme Educational Objectives (PEO), Programme Specific Outcomes(PSO) and Programme outcomes (PO) are discussed during department meetings comprising of Head of Departments and faculties and course outcomes (CO) are discussed by faculty members in the classrooms. Programme Educational Objectives ( PEO), Programme Specific Outcomes (PSO) and Programme Outcomes (PO) are published in the website of college. At the end of every semester, all the departments evaluate POs and COs by using tools like tutorial and mid-term results, exam results, course end survey and yearly alumni feedback etc.

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| Upload COs for all<br>Programmes (exemplars from<br>Glossary) | <u>View File</u>                                    |

## 2.6.2 - Attainment of Programme outcomes and course outcomes are evaluated by the institution.

The institution use course outcome as an indicator for evaluating student performance and achievement of learning objectives. The process of attainment of COs, POs and PSOs starts from writing appropriate COs. The course outcomes are written by the respective faculty using Bloom's Taxonomy. A correlation is established between COs and POs in the scale of 1 to 3, 1 being the slight (low), 2 being moderate (medium) and 3 being substantial (high). A mapping matrix is prepared in this regard for every course. The course outcomes written and their mapping with POs are reviewed frequently by a committee of senior faculty members and HoD. Internal assessment contributes 20% and university assessment contributes 80% to

the total attainment of CO. PO/PSO assessment is done by giving 80% weightage to direct assessment and 20% to indirect assessment. Direct assessment is based on CO attainment where 80% weightage is given to attainment through university exams and 20% weightage is given to attainment through internal assessments. Indirect assessment is done through programme exit survey, alumni survey and employer survey where programme exit survey and employer survey are given a weightage of 25% each and alumni exit survey is given a weightage of 50%.

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| Upload any additional information     | <u>View File</u>  |
| Paste link for Additional information | https://kmea.etlab.in/outcomes/cobasedexa<br>m/overallcoa/735?batch_id=28 |

## 2.6.3 - Pass percentage of Students during the year

## 2.6.3.1 - Total number of final year students who passed the university examination during the year

225

| File Description  | Documents  |
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| Upload list of Programmes and<br>number of students passed and<br>appeared in the final year<br>examination (Data Template) | <u>View File</u>   |
| Upload any additional information   | <u>View File</u>   |
| Paste link for the annual report  | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/A<br>QAR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%202/Criteria<br>%202.6.3.pdf |

## 2.7 - Student Satisfaction Survey

## 2.7.1 - Student Satisfaction Survey (SSS) on overall institutional performance (Institution may design its own questionnaire) (results and details need to be provided as a weblink)

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdIvVhKv0BwP E5wYSrkOq gv5-8IEpfZzC6Ch0uJSV0pE1i-Q/viewform

#### RESEARCH, INNOVATIONS AND EXTENSION

#### 3.1 - Resource Mobilization for Research

- 3.1.1 Grants received from Government and non-governmental agencies for research projects / endowments in the institution during the year (INR in Lakhs)
- 3.1.1.1 Total Grants from Government and non-governmental agencies for research projects / endowments in the institution during the year (INR in Lakhs)

126376

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| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| e-copies of the grant award<br>letters for sponsored research<br>projects /endowments | <u>View File</u> |
| List of endowments / projects with details of grants(Data Template)                   | <u>View File</u> |

3.1.2 - Number of teachers recognized as research guides (latest completed academic year)

## 3.1.2.1 - Number of teachers recognized as research guides

10

| File Description                        | Documents        |
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| Any additional information              | <u>View File</u> |
| Institutional data in prescribed format | <u>View File</u> |

- 3.1.3 Number of departments having Research projects funded by government and non government agencies during the year
- 3.1.3.1 Number of departments having Research projects funded by government and non-government agencies during the year

2

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| List of research projects and<br>funding details (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |
| Any additional information  | No File Uploaded |
| Supporting document from Funding Agency                             | <u>View File</u> |
| Paste link to funding agency website                                | Nil              |

## 3.2 - Innovation Ecosystem

## 3.2.1 - Institution has created an ecosystem for innovations and has initiatives for creation and transfer of knowledge

ABOUT K-IIC The Institution's Innovation Councilat KMEAEngineering College isfocused on building afull ecosystemtoencouragean innovation cultureacross the KMEA, from ideacreation to pre-incubation, incubation, and graduation from the incubator as successful start-ups. KMEA IIC or K-IIC will also focus on evaluation methods to identify and nurture students who will transition from dependent to startup status. IIC was established to inspire our students' creativity to work on new ideas and innovation and to promote them in the creation of start-ups and entrepreneurial enterprises. K-IIC has taken steps to inculcate the incubation and start-up mantra among students and faculties by a ligning with various state and central gover nment programs over the years.

#### Vision

To cater for the needs of students as well as faculty entrepreneurs with innovative ideas of social relevance and thereby disseminating a culture of entrepreneurship in the campus which will boost our education system and thereby growing the national economic and social development. Also, to inculcate the incubation start-up practices among students, through their academic calendar, making them nurture their ideas, bring them to conceptual stage, promote funding through various schemes and programs, while encouraging them to transform to a start-up through incubation.

#### Mission

To develop a system with the required infrastructure that can enable students and faculty to innovate and prototype their ideas with industrial standards and support from Government, industry and reputed academic institutions around the world and help them to realize their potentials

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## 3.2.2 - Number of workshops/seminars conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and entrepreneurship during the year

## 3.2.2.1 - Total number of workshops/seminars conducted on Research Methodology, Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and entrepreneurship year wise during the year

51

| File Description   | Documents        |
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| Report of the event  | <u>View File</u> |
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| List of workshops/seminars<br>during last 5 years (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.3 - Research Publications and Awards

## 3.3.1 - Number of Ph.Ds registered per eligible teacher during the year

## 3.3.1.1 - How many Ph.Ds registered per eligible teacher within the year

3

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| URL to the research page on HEI website   | Nil              |
| List of PhD scholars and their<br>details like name of the guide ,<br>title of thesis, year of award<br>etc (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |
| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.3.2 - Number of research papers per teachers in the Journals notified on UGC website during the year

## 3.3.2.1 - Number of research papers in the Journals notified on UGC website during the year

12

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| List of research papers by title,<br>author, department, name and<br>year of publication (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.3.3 - Number of books and chapters in edited volumes/books published and papers published in national/ international conference proceedings per teacher during the year

## 3.3.3.1 - Total number of books and chapters in edited volumes/books published and papers in national/international conference proceedings year wise during year

8

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| List books and chapters edited volumes/ books published (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 3.4 - Extension Activities

3.4.1 - Extension activities are carried out in the neighborhood community, sensitizing students to social issues, for their holistic development, and impact thereof during the year

KMEA Engineering College actively engages with the neighboring community through initiatives like ASAP, PMKVY, and SRC, aiming

to boost skill acquisition and employability. Faculty and students participate in community work to foster ethical values, responsibility, and good citizenship. The college's National Service Scheme (NSS) cell and Pain and Palliative Care Unit organize annual social activities.

ASAP equips Kerala's youth with industry-relevant skills for future-ready careers by collaborating with industrial sectors to design updated curricula. PMKVY, the flagship scheme of the Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship, focuses on skill certification to enhance employability and livelihood opportunities for Indian youth, including recognition of prior learning.

The NSS organizes socially impactful programs to benefit the neighborhood community. The Women's Forum conducts initiatives for societal betterment. Additionally, the Pain and Palliative Care Unit supports the local community during hardships through various programs. These activities collectively sensitized students to social issues, fostered holistic development, and created a positive impact on the community.

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| Paste link for additional information | Nil              |
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## 3.4.2 - Number of awards and recognitions received for extension activities from government / government recognized bodies during the year

## 3.4.2.1 - Total number of awards and recognition received for extension activities from Government/ Government recognized bodies year wise during the year

0

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| Number of awards for extension activities in last 5 year (Data Template) | No File Uploaded |
| e-copy of the award letters  | No File Uploaded |

## 3.4.3 - Number of extension and outreach programs conducted by the institution through

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NSS/NCC/Red cross/YRC etc., (including the programmes such as Swachh Bharat, AIDS awareness, Gender issues etc. and/or those organized in collaboration with industry, community and NGOs) during the year

3.4.3.1 - Number of extension and outreach Programs conducted in collaboration with industry, community and Non- Government Organizations through NSS/ NCC/ Red Cross/ YRC etc., during the year

28

| File Description   | Documents        |
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| Reports of the event organized   | <u>View File</u> |
| Any additional information   | <u>View File</u> |
| Number of extension and outreach Programmes conducted with industry, community etc for the during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

- 3.4.4 Number of students participating in extension activities at 3.4.3. above during year
- 3.4.4.1 Total number of Students participating in extension activities conducted in collaboration with industry, community and Non- Government Organizations such as Swachh Bharat, AIDs awareness, Gender issue etc. year wise during year

932

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| Report of the event   | <u>View File</u> |
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| Number of students<br>participating in extension<br>activities with Govt. or NGO<br>etc (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.5 - Collaboration

- 3.5.1 Number of Collaborative activities for research, Faculty exchange, Student exchange/ internship during the year
- 3.5.1.1 Number of Collaborative activities for research, Faculty exchange, Student exchange/ internship year wise during the year

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| e-copies of related Document   | <u>View File</u> |
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| Details of Collaborative activities with institutions/industries for research, Faculty | <u>View File</u> |

## 3.5.2 - Number of functional MoUs with institutions, other universities, industries, corporate houses etc. during the year

## 3.5.2.1 - Number of functional MoUs with Institutions of national, international importance, other universities, industries, corporate houses etc. year wise during the year

75

| File Description   | Documents        |
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| e-Copies of the MoUs with institution./ industry/corporate houses  | <u>View File</u> |
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| Details of functional MoUs with institutions of national, international importance, other universities etc during the year | <u>View File</u> |

## INFRASTRUCTURE AND LEARNING RESOURCES

## **4.1 - Physical Facilities**

4.1.1 - The Institution has adequate infrastructure and physical facilities for teaching- learning. viz., classrooms, laboratories, computing equipment etc.

The institution has a sprawling campus with modern buildings, technology-enabled classrooms, internet with Wi-Fi, library with reading room, digital library, well equipped laboratories, central computing facility, spacious hostels for students, seminar halls and auditorium. Adequate facilities for teaching and learning are available throughout the campus in the three academic blocks.

## Campus Infrastructure

 We have 40 spacious classrooms with proper ventilation, lighting and appropriate furniture and all class rooms are equipped with ICT facilities.

- The College has 4 ICT enabled seminar halls with wellequipped infrastructure for organizing special lecturers and meetings.
- All the laboratories are designed with safety features imbibed in the infrastructure and create an excellent ambience and atmosphere for work.
- An incubation center with all the necessary equipment, to help the entrepreneurs realize their ideas.

## Computer Facilities

- The institution maintains a total of 460 computers, with 412 computers solely for the students academic and browsing facilities.
- The students can access the internet in the Central Computing Facility as well as the Digital Library.
- Internet facility is available in the classrooms, faculty rooms with LAN connections, in addition to the Wi-Fi enabled for the whole campus.

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| Paste link for additional information | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/N<br>AAC/Criteria%204/4.1.1.pdf |

4.1.2 - The Institution has adequate facilities for cultural activities, sports, games (indoor, outdoor), gymnasium, yoga centre etc.

#### SPORTS

Sports facilities for students such as basketball court, football and cricket ground, volleyball court, indoor badminton court, kabaddi court etc. are provided. All the sports

activities are coordinated by the Department of Physical Education. A sports tournament 'PACE' covering many sport events is held every academic year. An inter college football, volleyball, badminton and cricket tournaments named as 'AHAS' is also conducted every year. Annual sports meet is conducted as per the KTU schedule. The winners of this meet participate in all Kerala sports meets conducted by KTU.

#### CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

There are sufficient numbers of conference halls and an auditorium for organizing cultural and literary events. A fully equipped auditorium with a seating capacity of 1000 is available for organizing intercollege as well as intra college cultural events every year. The college conducts biannual tech fest called as 'KAPRICIOUS' in

which students from different engineering colleges take part and exhibit their talents. We also conduct cultural programmes and technical fests exclusively for our students to boost their talents.

#### **GYMNASIUM**

Our college boasts an excellent gymnasium with most modern equipment to which is utilized by students to keep themselves fit.

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## 4.1.3 - Number of classrooms and seminar halls with ICT- enabled facilities such as smart class, LMS, etc.

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| Upload Number of classrooms<br>and seminar halls with ICT<br>enabled facilities (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u>   |

## 4.1.4 - Expenditure, excluding salary for infrastructure augmentation during the year (INR in Lakhs)

## 4.1.4.1 - Expenditure for infrastructure augmentation, excluding salary during the year (INR in lakhs)

127.38

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## 4.2 - Library as a Learning Resource

## 4.2.1 - Library is automated using Integrated Library Management System (ILMS)

The Central Library of KMEA Engineering College is fully automated. Library functions with Open Source Software - KOHA (Koha version - 22.05.06.000) since 2015 with complete information of book details. The holdings of the library can be searched through OPAC (opac.kmeacollege.ac.in). All the books have been classified with Dewey Decimal Classification. The Library has a collection of 29170Volumes and 7482Titles.

A Digital Library with 20 computer systems is also provided to the users in order to access the e-resources such as ejournals, e-books, e-ShodhSindhu, DELNET, NPTEL lectures etc. The Library is also a registered member of NDLI which has collection of more than 6 lakh e-books. The institution has subscribed Elsevier Science Direct (Engineering + Computer Science) and EBSCO IEEE ASPP Online e-journal annual subscription. Online resources are available from library portal. Library have purchased Knimbus digital library platform provided by APJAKTU.

The library offers various services to its users like automated circulation system, online public access catalogue, reprography, internet browsing, library orientations, etc.

Name of the ILMS Software: KOHA

Nature of Automation (Fully or Partially) : Fully

Version: 22.05.06.000

Year of Automation: 2015

(Updated with the latest KOHA version on 2022)

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| Paste link for Additional<br>Information | Nil              |

## 4.2.2 - The institution has subscription for the following e-resources e-journals e-ShodhSindhu Shodhganga Membership ebooks Databases Remote access toeresources

A. Any 4 or more of the above

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| Details of subscriptions like e-<br>journals,e-ShodhSindhu,<br>Shodhganga Membership etc<br>(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 4.2.3 - Expenditure for purchase of books/e-books and subscription to journals/e-

## journals during the year (INR in Lakhs)

## 4.2.3.1 - Annual expenditure of purchase of books/e-books and subscription to journals/e-journals during the year (INR in Lakhs)

#### 9.15

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| Details of annual expenditure<br>for purchase of books/e-books<br>and journals/e- journals during<br>the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 4.2.4 - Number per day usage of library by teachers and students (foot falls and login data for online access) (Data for the latest completed academic year)

## 4.2.4.1 - Number of teachers and students using library per day over last one year

85

| File Description                                  | Documents        |
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| Any additional information                        | No File Uploaded |
| Details of library usage by teachers and students | <u>View File</u> |

#### 4.3 - IT Infrastructure

## 4.3.1 - Institution frequently updates its IT facilities including Wi-Fi

KMEA Engineering College maintains a total of460 computers, with412computers solely for the students'academic and browsing facilities. Each department has laptops for classes, seminars and workshops. College has Linux, Programming, Projectand CentralComputing Labsunder the CSE Department, CAD labs forCiviland Mechanical Engineering, SystemsandMicroprocessor labs for Electronics and Communication Engineeringand ElectronicsandInstrumentation. The campus is equipped with network switches, a 300 Mbps BSNL leased line (1:1), 10 Mbps NEMICT BSNL broadband, and a 100 Mbps Asianet leased line.All computers have UPS back up.

The Wi-Fi enabled campus has14 Ruckus ZoneDirector - controlled accesspoints. The users are authenticated using MAC address andcan access network through personal laptops, mobiles and

other gadgets. The whole college campusincluding classrooms is under CCTV Surveillance. Printers and scanners are installed in office, library, staffrooms etc. Xerox machines are also available in college. College has Sophos XGS-2100 Squid Proxy Hardware Firewall architecture and Kaspersky Antivirus to protect network from latest threats.

The teaching and learning process is enhanced through incorporating ICT tools and e-resources. A campus automation system enables parents to monitor attendance and academic progress. Student feedback is collected online, and the regularly updated college website shares events and updates to outside world. Most of the systems in college is running on opensource software. College also have software packages of IBM Rational Rose, Oral Language software, Solid Works (Dept. of ME), AutoCAD (Dept. of ME, Dept. of CE), Ansys, STADD (Dept. of CE) and MATLAB (Dept. of EC, EE and CS).

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## 4.3.2 - Number of Computers

460

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| List of Computers                 | <u>View File</u> |

## **4.3.3 - Bandwidth of internet connection in the Institution**

A. ? 50MBPS

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| Upload any additional<br>Information                                     | No File Uploaded |
| Details of available bandwidth of internet connection in the Institution | <u>View File</u> |

## 4.4 - Maintenance of Campus Infrastructure

- 4.4.1 Expenditure incurred on maintenance of infrastructure (physical and academic support facilities) excluding salary component during the year (INR in Lakhs)
- 4.4.1.1 Expenditure incurred on maintenance of infrastructure (physical facilities and academic support facilities) excluding salary component during the year (INR in lakhs)

#### 289.78

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| Audited statements of accounts   | No File Uploaded |
| Details about assigned budget<br>and expenditure on physical<br>facilities and academic support<br>facilities (Data Templates) | View File        |

4.4.2 - There are established systems and procedures for maintaining and utilizing physical, academic and support facilities - laboratory, library, sports complex, computers, classrooms etc.

#### LABORATORY

The equipment and machinery in the laboratory/workshop are maintained by the lab in-charge(s)/workshop In- Charge(s). Periodic reporting on requirements of repairs and maintenance are submitted by the lab in-charge to the administrative office. If the problem is minor, the technical support staff of the lab will rectify it. For major failures, support from vendors is taken.

#### SPORTS

The Department of Physical Education is responsible for the maintenance of sports equipments, facilities and regular sports activities.

#### LIBRARY

The institution ensures effective utilization and maintenance of the library through Library Council which consists of Principal, main librarian and department librarians from all the seven departments. Books are issued on presentation of the student identity card. Students are instructed to check the books while borrowing and they will be responsible for any type

of damage noticed at the time of return.

#### BUILDING MAINTENANCE

The infrastructure facilities, services and equipment are maintained by the Infrastructure committee of the campus. Their maintenance staff is available to take care of the entire maintenance of land, buildings, water supply, stores, electrical and mechanical equipments etc. The main objective of the infrastructure committee is to oversee the Institute's physical assets: its land, buildings, and equipments.

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#### STUDENT SUPPORT AND PROGRESSION

## **5.1 - Student Support**

## **5.1.1 - Number of students benefited by scholarships and free ships provided by the Government during the year**

## 5.1.1.1 - Number of students benefited by scholarships and free ships provided by the Government during the year

13

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| Upload self attested letter with<br>the list of students sanctioned<br>scholarship   | <u>View File</u> |
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| Number of students benefited<br>by scholarships and free ships<br>provided by the Government<br>during the year (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 5.1.2 - Number of students benefitted by scholarships, free ships etc. provided by the institution / non- government agencies during the year

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## 5.1.2.1 - Total number of students benefited by scholarships, free ships, etc provided by the institution / non- government agencies during the year

241

| File Description   | Documents        |
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| Upload any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| Number of students benefited<br>by scholarships and free ships<br>institution / non- government<br>agencies in last 5 years (Date<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

5.1.3 - Capacity building and skills enhancement initiatives taken by the institution include the following: Soft skills Language and communication skills Life skills (Yoga, physical fitness, health and hygiene) ICT/computing skills

A. All of the above

| File Description  | Documents        |
|---|------------------|
| Link to Institutional website   | Nil              |
| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| Details of capability building<br>and skills enhancement<br>initiatives (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

5.1.4 - Number of students benefitted by guidance for competitive examinations and career counseling offered by the institution during the year

143

5.1.4.1 - Number of students benefitted by guidance for competitive examinations and career counseling offered by the institution during the year

143

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| Any additional information  | <u>View File</u> |
| Number of students benefited<br>by guidance for competitive<br>examinations and career<br>counseling during the year<br>(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

# 5.1.5 - The Institution has a transparent mechanism for timely redressal of student grievances including sexual harassment and ragging cases Implementation of guidelines of statutory/regulatory bodies Organization wide awareness and undertakings on policies with zero tolerance Mechanisms for submission of online/offline students' grievances Timely redressal of the grievances through appropriate committees

## A. All of the above

| File Description   | Documents        |
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| Minutes of the meetings of<br>student redressal committee,<br>prevention of sexual<br>harassment committee and<br>Anti Ragging committee | View File        |
| Upload any additional information  | View File        |
| Details of student grievances including sexual harassment and ragging cases  | No File Uploaded |

## **5.2 - Student Progression**

## 5.2.1 - Number of placement of outgoing students during the year

## 5.2.1.1 - Number of outgoing students placed during the year

79

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| Self-attested list of students placed                              | No File Uploaded |
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| Details of student placement<br>during the year (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## 5.2.2 - Number of students progressing to higher education during the year

## 5.2.2.1 - Number of outgoing student progression to higher education

10

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| Upload supporting data for student/alumni          | No File Uploaded |
| Any additional information                         | No File Uploaded |
| Details of student progression to higher education | <u>View File</u> |

# 5.2.3 - Number of students qualifying in state/national/international level examinations during the year (eg: JAM/CLAT/GATE/ GMAT/CAT/GRE/ TOEFL/ Civil Services/State government examinations)

# 5.2.3.1 - Number of students qualifying in state/ national/ international level examinations (eg: JAM/CLAT/NET/ SLET/ GATE/ GMAT/CAT/GRE/ TOEFL/ Civil Services/ State government examinations) during the year

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| Number of students qualifying in state/ national/ international level examinations during the year (Data Template) | No File Uploaded |

## 5.3 - Student Participation and Activities

- 5.3.1 Number of awards/medals for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at university/state/national / international level (award for a team event should be counted as one) during the year
- 5.3.1.1 Number of awards/medals for outstanding performance in sports/cultural activities at university/state/ national / international level (award for a team event should be counted as one) during the year.

8

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| e-copies of award letters and certificates  | No File Uploaded |
| Any additional information  | No File Uploaded |
| Number of awards/medals for<br>outstanding performance in<br>sports/cultural activities at uni<br>versity/state/national/internatio<br>nal level (During the year)<br>(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

5.3.2 - Institution facilitates students' representation and engagement in various administrative, co-curricular and extracurricular activities (student council/ students representation on various bodies as per established processes and norms)

Response: Yes Student council committee rules and regulations
The functions and activities of a student council should
support the aims and objectives of the council and promote the
development of the college and the welfare of its students. In
planning and undertaking activities during the course of the
academic year, the council should work closely with college
management, teachers and parents, consult regularly with
students in the college and involve as many students as
possible in the activities of the council.

Responsibilities Representing the views of the student body to the college management. Promoting good communication within the college. Supporting the educational development and progress of students. Assisting with induction or mentoring for new first year students. Contributing to the development of college policy. Assisting in college sports and cultural activities. Assisting with fund raising event for charity. Organising events and activities that engage students, staff, parents and the community. Students council should take part in promoting college beautification and spreading environmental awareness. Student council should come together to help to raise awareness

in the college and their community within the following categories- Drug, alcohol, safety and health.

Members should research and provide information to staff and students about the negative and positive effects of the above mentioned categories.

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## 5.3.3 - Number of sports and cultural events/competitions in which students of the Institution participated during the year (organized by the institution/other institutions)

## **5.3.3.1 - Number of sports and cultural events/competitions in which students of the Institution participated during the year**

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## 5.4 - Alumni Engagement

5.4.1 - There is a registered Alumni Association that contributes significantly to the development of the institution through financial and/or other support services

KMEA Engineering College, Edathala, Aluva, was established in 2002, with the first batch graduating in 2006. In 2010, an informal Alumni Association, KMEA ENGINEERING COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION (KECIAN), was formed to maintain bonds between alumni and their alma mater. In 2018, the college initiated the formal registration process for the association.

The association's objectives include maintaining strong connections between alumni and the institution, fostering collaboration to advance engineering education and research, and promoting cultural and social ties among alumni, students, and staff. It seeks to instill a sense of tradition and heritage while supporting the institution's growth.

The association also aims to establish scholarships, prizes, book banks, and research grants to support students. It provides opportunities for entrepreneurship development, practical skill-building, and career guidance for graduates. Additionally, it assists students in aligning their qualifications with suitable opportunities.

Operating as a non-profit organization, the association is dedicated to educational and cultural initiatives. It continues to strengthen ties, encourage collaboration, and contribute to the growth and success of the institution and its members.

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## 5.4.2 - Alumni contribution during the year (INR in Lakhs)

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#### GOVERNANCE, LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

#### 6.1 - Institutional Vision and Leadership

6.1.1 - The governance of the institution is reflective of and in tune with the vision and mission of the institution

#### Vision

To be a centre of excellence in academics and research for moulding students to become competent engineering

professionals with innovative ideas and dedicated to the upliftment of the deprived socio-economic sections of the

society through an effective teaching learning process.

#### Mission

M1-To transform budding engineers into employable quality professionals.

M2- To inculcate the need of pursuing higher education among the graduate students so as to create a society of highly

educated professionals.

M3- To impart ethical values and social consciousness among the students so as to create responsible and socially

committed engineers.

M4- To create an excellent academic ambiance which encourages creative thinking, innovations and research.

KEC is committed to provide high-quality education for all students. It's an Engineering College which offers an environment conducive to the best learning situations — individualized academic support, dedicated teaching faculty, personal educational and financial counselling. All the processes and procedures are so designed that quality is inherent throughout. We got three star IIC ranking from MHRD. Our college hosted the southern regional meet of IIC jointly organized by the Ministry of Education Innovation Cell and AICTE.. Five B. Tech programs in our prestigious institution are being accredited by the National Board of Accreditation in October 2023.

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6.1.2 - The effective leadership is visible in various institutional practices such as decentralization and participative management.

KEC has a mechanism for delegating authority and providing operational autonomy to various functionaries to work towards a decentralized governance system. Faculty members are given

representation in various committees/ cells and allowed to conduct various programmes to showcase their abilities. Our institute promotes a culture of participative management by involving staff and students in various activities. The Principal, Vice principal and staff members are involved in defining the policies/procedures, framing guidelines and rules/regulations pertaining to admission, placement, discipline, grievance, counselling, training & development, library services etc. and are effectively implementing the same to ensure smooth and systematic functioning of the institute. For the various programmes to be conducted by the institute, staff members meet, discuss, share their opinion, plan for the event and form various committees involving students. Staff members are also involved in deciding academic activities and examinations to be conducted in the institute.

- At a functional level the faculty members participate in sharing the knowledge by discussing the latest trends/ technology during faculty meetings.
- Suggestions are invited from the stakeholders before the policy formulations.

Case Study: Establishment of KMEA Innovation Cell(KIC): KMEA Innovation Council

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## **6.2 - Strategy Development and Deployment**

## 6.2.1 - The institutional Strategic/perspective plan is effectively deployed

Strategic plans were made based on the vision and the mission and by seeing the need of the institution. Guidelines with specific plans for implementation by aligning the academic and non-academic aspects improve the overall quality of academics and administration. The college has the following perspective plans:

 Developing a system for industry interaction through MOUs, internships, trainings and programmes

- Enhancing the continuing education cell to cater the needs of neighbouring community
- Faculty and Student empowerment programmes -(proof FDPs conducted)
- Encourage activity based learning to develop disciplinary minds, creative minds and innovative minds
- Development of start-ups and promotion of entrepreneurship
- Membership of Professional bodies
- Streamlining of Career Guidance and Placement Unit
- Development of Research Cell
- Preparation of institute development plan for academic enhancement
- Activation of IQAC for acquiring NAAC and NBAaccreditation
- Enhancement of Alumni Association ActivitiesPhysical Education Facilities
- KEC hosted 3 the International Conference on Technological Advancements in emerging engineering areas (ICTACME 2024,ICACCES2024,ICIHSR2024) from February 22-23, 2024. Researchers, engineers and professors from all over the world attended the conference.

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| Strategic Plan and deployment documents on the website | <u>View File</u>   |
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6.2.2 - The functioning of the institutional bodies is effective and efficient as visible from policies, administrative setup, appointment and service rules, procedures, etc.

KEC has a clearly defined organisation structure including governing council and administrative setup to ensure effective and efficient governance and management. Three councils have been constituted in the apex level for the proper and smooth functioning.

Governing Council (GC): The members of the governing council of the trust to which, by rule and bye-laws of the trust, the management of its affairs are entrusted. The governing council is formed with members from the KMEA Trust and is made responsible to monitor the overall performance of the institution.

Academic Council: The academic council plans and monitors all the academic activities at institutional level. It reviews the quality of course delivery process and attainment of outcomes.

College Council: The Director/Principal heads the administrative setup and is the key decision maker with regard to academic and administrative matters.

Administrative Setup: The Principal heads the administrative setup and is the key decision maker with regard to academic and administrative matters.

Service Rules: Service rules, leave rules, policies and procedures for the institution are defined. These rules are circulated to ensure that the staff members are aware of the rules. They are made known to all newly recruited staff members through an induction program. circulated to ensure that the staff members are aware of the rules. They are made known to all newly recruited staff members through an induction program.

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# 6.2.3 - Implementation of e-governance in areas of operation Administration Finance and Accounts Student Admission and Support Examination

#### A. All of the above

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| ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning)Document   | <u>View File</u> |
| Screen shots of user inter faces   | <u>View File</u> |
| Any additional information   | <u>View File</u> |
| Details of implementation of e-<br>governance in areas of<br>operation, Administration<br>etc(Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

## **6.3 - Faculty Empowerment Strategies**

## 6.3.1 - The institution has effective welfare measures for teaching and non-teaching staff

Institute is always striving to motivate and empower the faculty to create a sense of direction and positive awareness to all the departments in the teaching learning processes.

Teaching and Non-Teaching

- Casual, Maternity and Sick Leave as per policy.
- Earned leave which can be availed during the time of vacation period in the academic calendar of the University
- Special leave for exigencies which may arise Healthnonteaching staff.

- Provident Fund and Other Benefits: The employee and the employer contribute to the EPF scheme on a monthly basis.
- Provident Fund: An employee becomes eligible for enrolment into the provident fund after the completion of the probation period as per the Provident Fund Act.
- Other Benefits Employees' State Insurance (ESI)

#### Staff Welfare Activities

- Staff Recreation Activities through staff welfare committee and it is intended for the welfare and development of the whole staff and to provide a platform for us to interact with each other.
- Ensure a favourable working environment.
- Arrange extra-curricular activities .
- Conduct meetings to honour the staff for their achievements.
- Coordinate benevolent funds for the members of staff.
- Arrange Annual events such as employee outings, Family Day ,sports activities and competitions.

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## 6.3.2 - Number of teachers provided with financial support to attend conferences/ workshops and towards membership fee of professional bodies during the year

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| Details of teachers provided<br>with financial support to attend<br>conference, workshops etc<br>during the year (Data<br>Template) | <u>View File</u> |

6.3.3 - Number of professional development /administrative training programs organized by the institution for teaching and non-teaching staff during the year

## 6.3.3.1 - Total number of professional development /administrative training Programmes organized by the institution for teaching and non teaching staff during the year

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| Reports of the Human<br>Resource Development<br>Centres (UGCASC or other<br>relevant centres).  | No File Uploaded |
| Reports of Academic Staff<br>College or similar centers   | <u>View File</u> |
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- 6.3.4 Number of teachers undergoing online/face-to-face Faculty development Programmes (FDP) during the year (Professional Development Programmes, Orientation / Induction Programmes, Refresher Course, Short Term Course etc.)
- 6.3.4.1 Total number of teachers attending professional development Programmes viz., Orientation / Induction Programme, Refresher Course, Short Term Course during the year

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| IQAC report summary   | No File Uploaded |
| Reports of the Human<br>Resource Development<br>Centres (UGCASC or other<br>relevant centers)     | No File Uploaded |
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| Details of teachers attending professional development programmes during the year (Data Template) | <u>View File</u> |

#### 6.3.5 - Institutions Performance Appraisal System for teaching and non-teaching staff

An effective performance management system plays an important role in managing the institution in an efficient manner. A good performance management system works towards the improvement of the overall institutional performance of teaching and non-teaching staff for ensuring the achievements of the overall institutional mission and vision. The Institution follows all the basic recruitment and promotional policies as per AICTE. All teaching and non-teaching staff should complete the self-appraisal every year.

Appraisal is purely based on the following criteria,

- Teaching and learning effectiveness during the academic year
- Regularity and punctuality.
- · Active participation in duties assigned by HoD.
- Contribution towards extracurricular and co-curricular activities.
- Details of innovations/ contributions to teaching during the year.
- Major contribution for the benefit of students, staff, institute and society.
- Improvement of professional competence.

 General details such as achievements and difficulties faced.

The management reviews the performance appraisal and analyses each staff. Based on the collective reports, remedial actions will be taken if needed, and also decides the regular increments and promotions. Some of the faculty members have been promoted as per the outcome of the performance reviewer committee.

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#### 6.4 - Financial Management and Resource Mobilization

6.4.1 - Institution conducts internal and external financial audits regularly Enumerate the various internal and external financial audits carried out during the year with the mechanism for settling audit objections within a maximum of 200 words

Yes, The Institution regularly conducts internal and external financial audits with well-structured processes.

Financial audit is intended to provide a 'reasonable' assurance over the accuracy of financial statements. So our institution appointed an external agency to conduct the financial audit to verify and certify the entire recurring and non-recurring and the capital expenditure of the institute each year. Qualified staff members from our finance department will do a thorough check on each payment and vouchers on a half yearly basis. Likewise external auditors do a thorough check on payment and vouchers on a yearly basis. So far there have been no major objections from any member of the audit team. Minor error pointed out by the audit team was corrected immediately. Precautionary steps are taken to avoid such mistakes in future. The institute regularly follows an external financial audit system. Each financial year of the institute is audited by a Chartered Accountant. The audit queries like, Is there any advance given for purchase, how to meet the revenue for the institution, nature of staff welfare expenses, and all the queries are well answered by the auditee up to the level.

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## 6.4.2 - Funds / Grants received from non-government bodies, individuals, philanthropers during the year (not covered in Criterion III)

## 6.4.2.1 - Total Grants received from non-government bodies, individuals, Philanthropers during the year (INR in Lakhs)

#### 6.92

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| Annual statements of accounts   | <u>View File</u> |
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| Details of Funds / Grants<br>received from of the non-<br>government bodies,<br>individuals, Philanthropers<br>during the year (Data<br>Template) | View File        |

#### 6.4.3 - Institutional strategies for mobilization of funds and the optimal utilization of resources

Yes

Budget Preparation and Fund Allocation

The Institute has a well-defined procedure to monitor effective and efficient utilization of available resources for infrastructure, development and teaching learning process. All the major financial transactions are monitored by the office. The account of each financial year of the institute is audited by a Chartered Accountant. Thus the utilization of financial resources is monitored at several levels.

Earned Income: The main source of the earned income of the institution is the fees collected. The hostel fee also becomes a major part of the funds earned.

Funds Raised: Funds are also mobilized by the institution for

various activities such as funds received as sponsorship for various student activities, consultancy services, faculty development programmes, workshops and seminars, Alumni

contribution, computer lab is rented out to government and public sector agencies for the conduct of examinations.

Grants Received from Government and Non-Government Agencies: The faculty members and different cells of the institution receive grants for research and innovation from agencies like ATAL, AICTE, Start-Up Mission, ASAP, etc.

Utilization - All the funds received are routed through the accounts of the institution so that the funds mobilised are employed for the purpose for which it was mobilized.

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#### 6.5 - Internal Quality Assurance System

6.5.1 - Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) has contributed significantly for institutionalizing the quality assurance strategies and processes

The IQAC was established during 2014 and acts as a nodal agency of the institution for coordinating quality-related activities . For this purpose different entities have been formed under this cell and each entity or component works for improving and upgrading the quality of overall functioning.

Objectives The prime task of the IQAC is,

- To develop a system for conscious, consistent and catalytic improvement in the performance of the institution.
- To promote the measures for institutional functioning towards quality enhancement through internalization of quality culture and institutionalization of best

practices.

• To promote the college into a centre of excellence in academics and research.

The two institutionalized remarkable practices 1.KMEA innovation council(KIC) KMEA engineering college through (KIC) has taken steps to inculcate the incubation and start-up mantra among students and faculties by aligning with various state and central government programs over the years.KIC has recently frames the KIC policy. 2. KMEA "Place of Research": KMEA engineering college was recognized as "Place of Research" on 4th August 2023 by APJ Abdul Kalam University. The college being recognized as a "Place of Research" typically signifies that the institution is acknowledged for its significant contributions to research activities within the field of engineering.

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- 6.5.2 The institution reviews its teaching learning process, structures & methodologies of operations and learning outcomes at periodic intervals through IQAC set up as per norms and recorded the incremental improvement in various activities
- 1.Allotment of the subjects to the faculty by HoDs as per their specialization.
- 2.Preparation of teaching plan and course plan along with correlation to the Course Outcomes (COs), Program Outcome (POs) and Program Specific Outcome (PSOs).
- 3.Preparation of Course file which contains university syllabus, previous year question papers, series test question papers, assignment questions, their answer key and slow learner activity schedule.
- 4.Conduction of series test, assignments, seminars as a part of the internal assessment of students
- 5. Conduction of result analysis of series tests.

- 6. Identification of slow learners and medium learners from result analysis and conduction of remedial classes.
- 7.Conduction of advanced courses like NPTEL and GATE coaching for higher learners
- 8.Conduction of parent teacher meeting and open house after each series test to inform parents about academic progress and behavioural pattern of students.
- 9.Advisory Committee, Class Committee and Course Committee meeting to review the teaching learning process.
- 10. Analyse the feedback from students to assess the teaching and to implement any corrective measures.
- 11. Semester wise result analysis of University exams.
- 12. Conduction of invited talks by faculties of eminent institutes for students and faculties to enhance their knowledge in specific domains.
- 13. The seminars and workshops conducted for the faculty and students.

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6.5.3 - Quality assurance initiatives of the institution include: Regular meeting of Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC); Feedback collected, analyzed and used for improvements Collaborative quality initiatives with other institution(s) Participation in NIRF any other quality audit recognized by state, national or international agencies (ISO Certification, NBA)

A. All of the above

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| Paste web link of Annual reports of Institution                                    | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/naac/ |
| Upload e-copies of the accreditations and certifications                           | <u>View File</u>                    |
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#### INSTITUTIONAL VALUES AND BEST PRACTICES

#### 7.1 - Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

#### 7.1.1 - Measures initiated by the Institution for the promotion of gender equity during the year

Institution has provided CCTV cameras in its three academic blocks at class rooms and at key locations to ensure the safety, security and discipline of the students. Further CCTV cameras have been installed at gate and at barriers along the road. The institute has tie up with Samaritan Hospital, Pazhanganad for any medical emergency and has an ambulance maintained by our Pain and Palliative care unit. At women's hostel, timings are maintained for the entry and exit of students by the warden. Further round the clock security is also provided at hostels.

COUNSELLING The college has a counsellor, Adv. P.A.Majeed Parakkadan, our management committee member who is always available to counsel and guide our students. In addition, we have a counsellor Dr. Shereena for the needs of students. There is a Student Grievance Cell to review the existing practices and other rules affecting students and recommend amendments for students.

#### COMMON ROOM

Common rooms are provided for both boys and girls in the premises. Separate prayer hall is provided for both girls and boys. Discipline committee members are deputed at different destinations for the safety of lady staff and students. A stationery store & cafeteria are functioning inside the campus.

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| Annual gender sensitization action plan   | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/A<br>OAR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria<br>%207.1.1.A.pdf |
| Specific facilities provided for women in terms of:a. Safety and security b. Counseling c. Common Rooms d. Day care center for young children e. Any other relevant information | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/A<br>QAR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria<br>%207.1.1.B.pdf |

# 7.1.2 - The Institution has facilities for alternate sources of energy and energy conservation measures Solar energy Biogas plant Wheeling to the Grid Sensor-based energy conservation Use of LED bulbs/ power efficient equipment

C. Any 2 of the above

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7.1.3 - Describe the facilities in the Institution for the management of the following types of degradable and non-degradable waste (within 200 words) Solid waste management Liquid waste management Biomedical waste management E-waste management Waste recycling system Hazardous chemicals and radioactive waste management

KMEA Engineering College is committed to "zero waste" concept by reducing the environmental impact of its activities through its philosophy of "reduce-reuse-recycle- 3R". Staff and students of the college are given awareness about energy consumptions. It is made sure that the electronic devices like computers, fans, lights & air conditioners are turned off before leaving the rooms.

SOLID WASTE: The daily waste is collected by housekeeping staff of each block and is moved to waste treatment plant of the village. The organic vegetable garden on the campus is nurtured from the bio waste of the campus including food scraps. The solid waste management system involves the burning of waste in a specially provided space. Waste like plastic, papers etc. are collected and sold out to scrap vendor at regular intervals. An

incinerator is installed for burning non hazardous waste.

LIQUID WASTE: We adhere to a strict protocol of liquid waste disposal in our laboratories. Any glassware used in the laboratory is rinsed with minimum water. All waste water lines from toilets, bathrooms etc. are connected to the septic tank.

E-WASTE: The E-wastes are collected and are disposed to the scrap dealer based on the highest bidding.

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| Relevant documents like<br>agreements / MoUs with<br>Government and other<br>approved agencies | No File Uploaded |
| Geo tagged photographs of the facilities   | No File Uploaded |

- 7.1.4 Water conservation facilities available in the Institution: Rain water harvesting Bore well /Open well recharge Construction of tanks and bunds Waste water recycling Maintenance of water bodies and distribution system in the campus
- B. Any 3 of the above

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#### 7.1.5 - Green campus initiatives include

## 7.1.5.1 - The institutional initiatives for greening the campus are as follows:

- A. Any 4 or All of the above
- 1. Restricted entry of automobiles
- 2. Use of bicycles/ Battery-powered vehicles
- 3. Pedestrian-friendly pathways
- 4. Ban on use of plastic
- 5. Landscaping

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| Various policy documents / decisions circulated for implementation | No File Uploaded |
| Any other relevant documents                                       | No File Uploaded |

### 7.1.6 - Quality audits on environment and energy are regularly undertaken by the institution

- 7.1.6.1 The institutional environment and energy initiatives are confirmed through the following 1.Green audit 2. Energy audit 3.Environment audit 4.Clean and green campus recognitions/awards 5. Beyond the campus environmental promotional activities
- D. Any 1 of the above

| File Description  | Documents        |
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| Reports on environment and energy audits submitted by the auditing agency | <u>View File</u> |
| Certification by the auditing agency                                      | No File Uploaded |
| Certificates of the awards received                                       | No File Uploaded |
| Any other relevant information  | No File Uploaded |

7.1.7 - The Institution has disabled-friendly, barrier free environment Built environment with ramps/lifts for easy access to classrooms. Disabled-friendly washrooms Signage including tactile path, lights, display boards and signposts Assistive technology and facilities for persons with disabilities (Divyangjan) accessible website, screen-reading software, mechanized equipment 5. Provision for enquiry and information: Human assistance, reader, scribe, soft copies of reading material, screen reading

A. Any 4 or all of the above

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| Geo tagged photographs / videos of the facilities                        | <u>View File</u> |
| Policy documents and information brochures on the support to be provided | No File Uploaded |
| Details of the Software procured for providing the assistance            | No File Uploaded |
| Any other relevant information   | No File Uploaded |

7.1.8 - Describe the Institutional efforts/initiatives in providing an inclusive environment i.e., tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal socioeconomic and other diversities (within 200 words).

The institution organises various programmes to improve, tolerance and harmony towards cultural, regional, linguistic, communal socioeconomic and other diversities' Thevarious programmes by NSS has conveyed its social relevance

to the neighbourhood community. In addition, we conducts everal programmes for the service of society and environment.

The Pain and Palliative care unit of the college has lendeda helping hand to the neighbourhood community during its

period of hardships through its programmes and activities. The Womens forum has been in the forefront for promoting

gender equality and women safety.

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| Supporting documents on the information provided (as reflected in the administrative and academic activities of the Institution) | <u>View File</u> |
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7.1.9 - Sensitization of students and employees of the Institution to the constitutional obligations: values, rights, duties and responsibilities of citizens

The various programmes by NSS has conveyed its socialrelevance to the neighbourhood community. NSS unit celebrates

all days of national importanceRepublic Day, IndependenceDay, Gandhi Jayanti, Teachers Day, . Children's day, Engineer's

day, NSS day etc. In addition, we conduct several programmes

for the service ofsociety, environment such as flood related

activities, medically assisted activities

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| Details of activities that inculcate values; necessary to render students in to responsible citizens | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/A<br>QAR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria<br>%207.1.9.pdf |
| Any other relevant information   | Nil  |

7.1.10 - The Institution has a prescribed code of conduct for students, teachers, administrators and other staff and conducts periodic programmes in this regard. The Code of Conduct is displayed on the website There is a committee to monitor adherence to the Code of Conduct Institution organizes professional ethics programmes for students, teachers, administrators and other staff 4. Annual awareness programmes on Code of Conduct are organized

C. Any 2 of the above

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| Code of ethics policy document   | <u>View File</u> |
| Details of the monitoring committee composition and minutes of the committee meeting, number of programmes organized, reports on the various programs etc., in support of the claims | <u>View File</u> |
| Any other relevant information   | No File Uploaded |

7.1.11 - Institution celebrates / organizes national and international commemorative days, events and festivals

College organizes national festivals and birth/deathanniversaries of great Indian personalities.

- 1. RepublicDay: Republic Day is celebrated on January 26 tocommemorate the adoption of constitution. Our NSS unit conducts republicday activities on every 26thJanuary.
- 2. Independence Day: Ourstudents celebrate Independence day onevery August 15th byhoisting flags and distributing sweets.
- 3. Gandhi Jayanti:-Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi iscelebrated on 2ndOctober. Gandhi Jayanthi is celebrated by our students by

observing sevanavaram and indulging in social works.

- 4. Teachers Day: Our students organize teacher's daycelebration on 5th September.
- 5.. Engineer's day: Celebrated on15th September, the birth anniversary of greatest IndianEngineer Bharat RatnaMokshagundam Visvesvaraya, by Studentsand faculties by taking apledge to uphold the ethics & valuesthroughout their career.
- 6.. NSS day was celebrated by ourNSS unit on 24th September..

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| Annual report of the celebrations and commemorative events for the last (During the year) | <u>View File</u> |
| Geo tagged photographs of some of the events  | No File Uploaded |
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#### 7.2 - Best Practices

- 7.2.1 Describe two best practices successfully implemented by the Institution as per NAAC format provided in the Manual.
- 1. Kmea Innovation Council(KIC)

KIC was formed to plan, coordinate and control all the activities leading to creation of startups. It is a mother council which controls the

different entities.

- 1) IIC-established as per guidelines ofMIC- GOVT
- 2) ARIIA established as per guidelines of MIC- GOVTof India for ranking educationalinstitutions based on

innovative and startup activities.

- 3) IEDC-established topromote startups and innovation ecosystem in the campus.
- 4)Electronic Incubation centre established by DIC to performstudent's ideation and prototype development.
- 5) SDPK established as per the norms of Govt. of Kerala .
- 6) KDISK To coordinate and implement real time project in association

with Govt. of Kerala.

7) E-Yantra Lab - In association withIIT Mumbai to focus on Robotics and 3D printing. KIC was

instrumental in achieving 64th position in ARIIA ranking and also 5 star ranking in IIC rating.

2. KMEA Institutional Scholarship A novel practice whichinvolves, contribution of a part of the monthly salary of the

staff of the college voluntarily to meet the fees of needystudents. The scholarship is managed by committee consisting

of faculty members from each department. A substantial amounthas been distributed to the students.

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| Best practices in the Institutional website | https://www.kmeacollege.ac.in/kmea/NAAC/A<br>QAR%202023%20-%2024/Criteria%207/Criteria<br>%207.2.1.pdf |
| Any other relevant information              | Nil  |

#### 7.3 - Institutional Distinctiveness

7.3.1 - Portray the performance of the Institution in one area distinctive to its priority and thrust within 200 words

Institutional Distinctiveness

1.ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH COLLABORATION

Academic and research collaboration between KMEA Engineeringcollege and other universities plays a vital role in

fostering innovation, knowledge exchange, and addressing real world challenges. Such collaborations enable us to leverage

each other's expertise, resources, and facilities, leading toimpactful research outcomes and enhanced educational

experiences.

Further KEC has signed MoU with reputed international universities like Universiti Teknologi MARA,

#### Malaysia and

Durban University Of Technology, South Africa. These collaborations often take various forms, including

joint academic programs and research projects, exchangeprograms for students and faculty, shared laboratory

facilities, joint conferences and collaborative fundinginitiatives. This will help to tackle complex engineering

problems, explore emerging technologies, and developinnovative solutions that have practical applications.

#### 2..KMEA SOCIAL EMPOWERMENT CELL

KEC conducts its activities aimed at empowering society throughits social empowermentcell. Institute involves the faculty and students incommunity work. This helps the students to learn ethical values and understand their responsibilities, and develop as

good citizens. College has an active National ServiceSchemecell, Pain and Palliative care unit and Women's Forumthrough which different social activities are planned.

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#### 7.3.2 - Plan of action for the next academic year

- 1. Preparation of compliance report for NBA
- 2. Preparation of SSR report for NAAC accreditation for SSR 2026
- 3. Planning and preparation of data for NIRF Ranking
- 4. Planning and preparation of data for KIRF Ranking
- 5. Conduction of International Conference

- 6. Conduction of Faculty Development Programs
- 7. Planning and preparing activities of KMEA Innovation Council and KMEA Social Empowerment Cell
- 8. Enhancing the research activities through KRCC
- 9. Conduction of placement drives for enhancing student progression
- 10. Enriching the KMEA as a place of research by inducting more PhD students and enrolling more faculties as supervisors.
- 11. Converting KMEA Engineering college into a centre of excellence in physicaleducation with a special focus on Kabbadi.