Government Polytechnic Pune

Department of Computer Engineering

ASCoD

Date: 10th&11thOctober,2024
Event Name: E-waste Collection Drive

The E-waste Collection Drive organized by the ASCoD Committee at Government Polytechnic Pune aimed to raise awareness about the importance of proper e-waste disposal. The event was held on10th and 11th October, 2024, with five e-waste collection containers placed across the campus from 1PM to 6 PM each day. Volunteers were stationed at each location to assist students and record details such as their names, branches, and the type of e-waste they disposed of. The initiative successfully encouraged students to contribute towards environmentally responsible practices, helping to reduce the harmful effects of improperly discarded electronic waste. The event highlighted the importance of sustainability and responsible technology usage, fostering a sense of accountability within the student community.

Schedule:

- **9th October, 2024:** The preparation for the event began on 9th October when a group of six students assembled five containers made from premade cardboard boxes. The students then decorated the boxes to make them easily identifiable. After the boxes were ready, the team
  Placed them at the designated collection locations.Additionally, posters promoting the e-waste drive were created and placed on notice boards in various departments to raise awareness. A volunteer team for the program was formed on this day.

- **10th & 11th October, 2024 (1 PM - 6 PM):** The **E-waste collection drive** was conducted across two days. Five containers were placed at key locations around the campus to facilitate easy drop-offs by students and staff:

  - Canteen
  - Computer Department–Notice Board
  - Computer Department– Second Floor
  - Library

- Student Section

Volunteers, under the guidance of **Mrs. L.S. Korade**, monitored the disposal process. They recorded the **name of the student**, their **branch**, and the type of **e-waste material** disposed of. This ensured accountability and an organized collection of the disposed electronics.