

GLOSSARY

GREEN BUILDING: “It is the practice of increasing efficiency with which buildings use resources – energy, water and materials – while reducing building impacts on human health and the environment.”

COURTYARD: The courtyards act as “light wells,” illuminating adjacent work areas. When this light is not sufficient, sensors trigger the deployment of efficient electric lights. Dimmers automatically control the illumination levels, turning the lights off when they’re unnecessary. Also, occupancy sensors prevent a light from being switched off at an unoccupied workstation.

ROOF GARDEN: Absorbing heat and radiating it into the building. This is minimized through the roof gardens covering 55% of the roof area.

NATURAL LIGHTING: Natural light deflection systems can direct light deep into the room and ensure better natural lighting provisions.