## AIR CONDITIONING AND LOCAL HEATING

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Open urban spaces are usually paved, which absorb heat in the day and release in the night. Lack of greenery and concrete high rise buildings aggravate the situation. Rise in average temperature of the environment of Earth has accelerated use of air conditioning (AC) for office and living spaces. Air conditioners releases heat in the ambient, and suitable changes in the AC technology can reduce its impact on the environment