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# A SURVEY OF USE OPEN SOURCE SOFTWARE IN LIBRARIES OF SELECTED COLLEGES IN SHIRUR TAHSIL, PUNE

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## ABSTRACT:

In the field of libraries and information centre's, information Communication Technology plays a very important role. In order to perform the activities smoothly and timely libraries need to be ICT enable. OSS has much potential for libraries and information centre's, and there are a number of open source software (OSS) like Greenstone, Dspace and Ganesha, etc that demonstrates its importance in this area. OSS is becoming increasingly popular software due to its advantages. This paper highlights what is OSS and Use of Open Source software in Library Automation and digitization in selected college libraries in Shirur Tahsil, Pune.

*Keywords: ICT, Library Automation, Digital Library, Open Source Software, Dspace.*

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Due to rapid developments in information and communication technologies (ICT) now a day's many libraries prefer automated libraries. It increases efficiency and enables