



# INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL CENTRE FOR THE ARTS

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## Documentation format for Archaeological / Heritage Sites / Monuments

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### SECTION I : IDENTIFICATION

#### 1. Name

Present : Shree Parashawnath jee Mandir  
 Past :  
 Other Name (if any): :

#### 2. Location

LONGITUDE 74° 20' E

LATITUDE 26° 75' N

#### Address

Dadai road, Varkana

: **Village (village code)** Varkana  
**Post** : Varkana **District:** Pali  
**State** : Rajasthan **PIN:** 306601

#### Approach

: The Temple is situated near Dadai road at Varkana in Pali District. It is 100 KM away from Pali bus stand.

#### 3. Property Type

##### **Buildings**

- Palace
- Fort
- Citadel
- Govt. building
- Railway station
- Defence building
- Industrial building
- Other public buildings
- Residential building

##### **Religious structures**

- Temple
- Mosque
- Minar
- Church
- Monastery
- Stupa
- Tomb, Mausoleum

##### **Other Structures**

- Wall
- Gateway
- Pillar
- Others (specify)

##### **Engineering structure**

- Bridge
- Tunnel
- Other engineering structure

##### **Open space and related structures**

- Public square
- Park or garden
- Graveyard
- Baolis, Well
- Tank
- Cave

Note: This is a Jain temple dedicated to Bhagwan Parashawnath ji. It is double storied building. It has domical superstructure. Drum is decorated with kangura pattern. Below itthere is lateral transept. It has cloistered verandah with decorated pillars.

#### 4. Property Use

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**ABANDONED / IN USE :** In use

**Present** : Religious  
**Past** : Religious

#### 5. Age (Source)

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**PERIOD** :  
**YEARS** : 12<sup>th</sup> Century A.D.  
**Precise date of Construction** :  
**Completion** :  
**Subsequent changes** :  
**Destruction / Demolition** :

#### 6. Ownership / Level of Protection

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**SINGLE /MULTIPLE :**

**Public** : Archaeological Survey of India / State Archaeology Department / Any Other (Please specify)  
**Private** :  
**Any other (Please specify)** :  
**Name** :  
**Address** :  
**Phone** :

#### 7. Association

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- **WITH EVENTS**
  - In History** :
  - In Rituals** :
  - In Building Construction** :
  - Any other (specify)** :
- **WITH PERSONS**
  - Patron** :
  - Architect / Engineer** :
  - Any other (specify)** : Temple

#### 8. Statement of Significance

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|--------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Architectural       |                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Archaeological      |                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Historical          |                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Religious           |                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Any other (specify) | Domical superstructure |

## SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

### 9. Physical Description and Decorative Features

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- **Context** \* **Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary)  
  
**Urban / Rural Setting Surroundings**  
  
**Stand in Isolation**  
**Integral part of a Landscape / Street / Complex**
  
- **Quantification**  
Area Dimension ( L x B x H) : (m / cm/ feet / inch)  
  
Number of Blocks : 01  
Number of Story's : 01
  
- **Spatial Organization**  
Orientation : The Temple is oriented East - West and faces the West.  
  
Plan :  
  
Allocation of Spaces :

### ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**  
Exteriors : Domical superstructure, Kangura pattern  
Interiors : Cloistered verandah  
Movable Collections :  
  
**Any Other** (specify) :

### 10. Construction Technology

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- Structural System** : Indo persian
  
- Building Techniques** : Trabeate system and Arcuate
  
- Material of Construction** : Stone and plaster

## 11. Condition Assessment

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**In General**

**Good / Fair**

- Sign of Deterioration
- Serious Deterioration
- Danger of Disappearance

### **In Brief (Attach extra sheet if necessary):**

Blackening of surface.

## 12. Threats to the Property

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- Natural
- Negligence
- Vandalism
- Urban Pressures

### **SECTION III: REFERENCES**

#### **13. Reference Sources** (published and unpublished textual details)

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Gupta Dr. Mohan Lal Jodhpur, Sawbhag ka jilevar Sanskritik aur eatikhasik adhyan Rajasthani  
Granthagar Jodhpur 2007 - 2001

#### **14. Photographs**

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(Attach list as in page 6, in case of multiple photographs)

**Photo Reference**

**CAPTION**

#### **15. Audio / Video**

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(Related to rituals / performance / festivals etc.)

**Reference**

**DESCRIPTION**

#### **16. Maps/Plans/Drawings**

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#### **17. Listers**

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**NAME**

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#### **18. Reviewers**

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**NAME**

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