



# 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 : Shambhar Nath Jee ka Mandir  
 Past :  
 Other Name (if any): :

#### 2. Location

LONGITUDE 74° 20' E

LATITUDE 26° 75' N

Address

Desuri

: **Village (village code)**

**Post** : Desuri

**District**: Pali

**State** : Rajasthan

**PIN**: 306703

**Approach**

: The Temple is situated at Desuri in Pali District. It is 100 KM away from Pali. It is well connected by regular bus services.

#### 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: It is a beautiful Jain temple dedicated to bhagwan Shambhar Nath ji. It is a double story massive structure. The façade of the temple is highly impressive. There are two life size painted stone image of Elephant with riders stand on both the side of the entrance. It has curvilinear superstructure with Aanga shiklas.

#### 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** : 19<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)** :

#### 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) |

## SECTION II: DESCRIPTION

### 9. Physical Description and Decorative Features

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- **Context** \* **Drawings** (Attach extra sheet if necessary)
  - Urban / Rural Setting** Rural
  - 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 : 02
  - Number of Story's : 02
  
- **Spatial Organization**
  - Orientation : The temple is oriented East – West and faces the East.
  - Plan :
  
  - Allocation of Spaces :

### ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**
  - Exteriors : Ornate facade
  - Interiors :
  - Movable Collections :
  
- Any Other** (specify) :

### 10. Construction Technology

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- Structural System** : Nagara style
  
- Building Techniques** : Trabeate system
  
- 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):**

Well maintained

## 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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#### **14. Photographs**

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

##### **Photo Reference**

##### **CAPTION**

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

(Related to rituals / performance / festivals etc.)

##### **Reference**

##### **DESCRIPTION**

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

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#### **17. Listers**

**NAME**

**NAME**

#### **18. Reviewers**

**NAME**

**NAME**

**COMMENTS**

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