



# 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 : Nathjee Ka Temple  
 Past :  
 Other Name (if any): :

#### 2. Location

LONGITUDE 75° 4' E

LATITUDE 28° 13' N

#### Address

Ward No. 7

: **Village (village code)** Bissna  
**Post** : Bissna **District:** Jhunjhunu  
**State** : Rajasthan **PIN:** 331027

#### Approach

: It is 40km from Jhunjhunu & well connected to regular bus services and train 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:** Within a lofty boundary wall this temple is raised on a high rise plinth which is clad with ceramic tiles. The temple has a flat simple façade with square pillared porch that leads to the sanctum. Over the sanctum there is a simple Shikhar within the same complex theme is another shrine which has two cylindrical & pointed on top Shikhar.

#### 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** : Ward No-7, Vill. + P.O. - Bissan, Dist- Jhunjhunu, State- Rajasthan  
**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** : Urban  
**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 Storys : 01
  
- **Spatial Organization**  
Orientation : The Temple is oriented North- South & Faces the South.  
Plan :  
Allocation of Spaces :

### ARCHITECTURAL STYLE

- **Ornamentation**  
Exteriors : The Shikhars have porn carvings & reliefs of shikhar forms.  
Interiors :  
Movable Collections :  
**Any Other** (specify) :

### 10. Construction Technology

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- Structural System** : Hindu Architecture
- Building Techniques** : Corbelled
- Material of Construction** : Stone, Brick, Cement, Rubble, etc.

### 11. Condition Assessment

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| In General | Good / Fair |
|------------|-------------|
|            | Good        |

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|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Sign of Deterioration   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Serious Deterioration   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Danger of Disappearance |

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

Generally well maintained except for blackening of roofing.

## 12. Threats to the Property

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|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Natural         |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Negligence      |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Vandalism       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 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**

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##### **COMMENTS**

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