

## **MAHAGANPATI MANDIR**

### **Wai, Satara, Maharashtra, India**

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#### **Interesting Facts**

One of the unique feature of this temple is the 'Fish shape' given to the back of the temple. This is done to protect the temple from floods in Krishna river. The fish shape of temple back, will divide the water current and will reduce the water pressure on the temple and thus protecting it from floods.

#### **Best Season To Visit**

The best season to visit the temple is Winter season. The best months to visit are September to February.

#### **Weather**

Highest - March to May (39°C during day and 22°C during night)  
Average - May (35°C during the day and 25°C during night)  
Lowest - December to February (34°C during day and 16°C during night)  
Monsoon season - June to September

## Dress Code

For men the dress code is Shirt & Trouser, Dhoti or Pyjamas with upper cloth.

For women the preferred dress code is saree or half-saree with blouse or chudidhar with pyjama and upper cloth.

Shorts, mini-skirts, middies, sleeveless tops, low-waist jeans and short-length T-shirts are not allowed.

## Do's & Dont's

**Do bathe and wear clean clothes before you enter the temple.**

**Do respect ancient customs and co-pilgrims while at temple.**

**Smoking and drinking is prohibited in this temple.**

**Chewing betel leaves, tobacco, gutka and spitting inside temple is strictly prohibited.**

**transport connections**

**Name**

**Distance**

**Contact Number**

**Wai Bus Stand**

**700 MTRS**

**1800221250**

**Palsi Railway Station**

39 KM  
139

Pune International Airport

95 KM  
912026683232

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