

26. Lakshmikanta Temple

Place – Kalale, Nanjangudu

District : Mysuru

Taluk : Nanjangud

Locality : Kalale

Geo – Coordinates:

Lat : 12.072798° N

Long : 76.66007° E

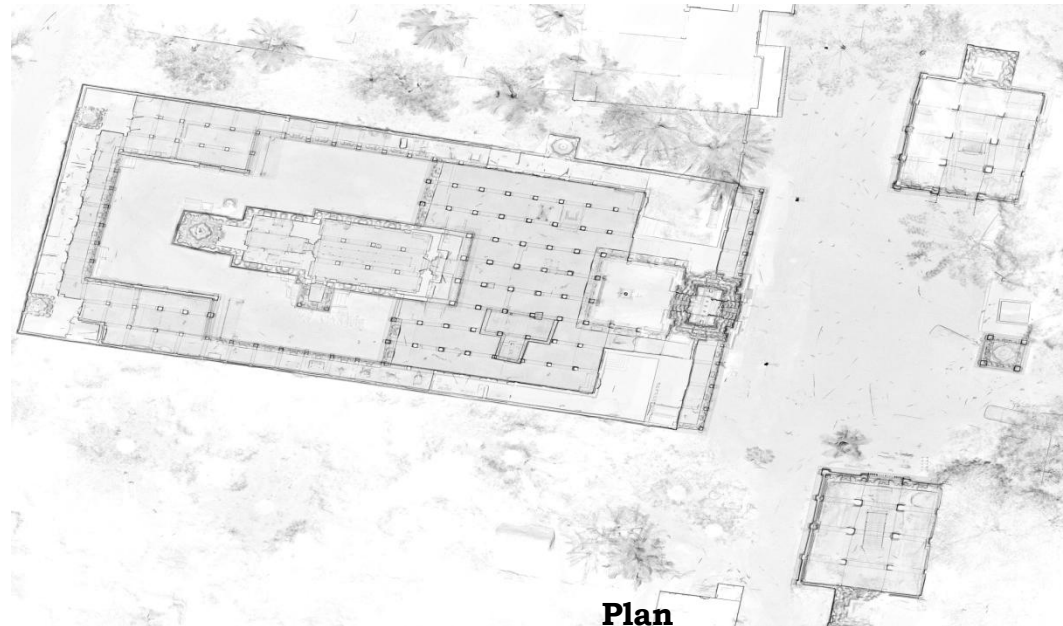


History

Lakshmikantha Temple is located at Kalale, in Nanjanagudu Taluk, Mysuru District.

It appears to have been constructed in three stages in about 1300 AD to 700 AD. The temple consists of girbhagriha, sukanasi and Navaranga. Mukhamantapa seems to be of later addition. The temple has cylindrical pillars in Navaranga and its outer walls are decorated with row of pilasters and a dentil cornice in the middle belonged to the late Hoysala period. The temple now to apparently enlarge during the Vijayanagar and Kalale Dalavai periods. The central image is Narayana in Hoysala style. The prakara of the temple has the shrines of Desika, Jiyar and Hanuman. The Navaratri mantapa, Krittikoteswara mantapa and a small vasantamantapas around. About 100 yards to the Lakshmikantha Temple is a Sati temple known as Ittigemalagamma Shrine.

3D Point Cloud



Plan