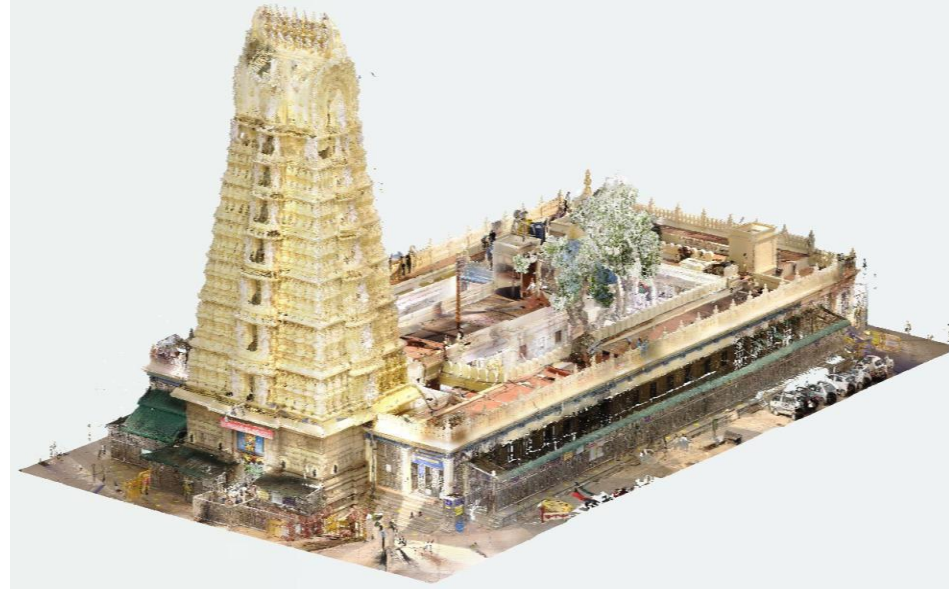


# 01. Chamundeshwari Temple

**Place** - Chamundi Hills, Mysuru

**District** : Mysuru  
**Taluk** : Mysuru  
**Locality** : Chamundi Hills

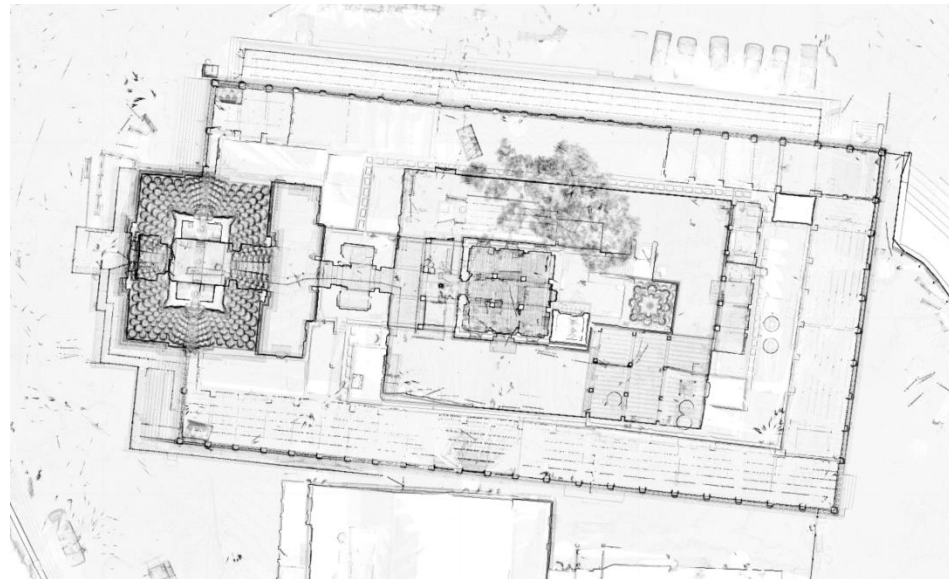
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## History

The Chamundeshwari temple, overlooking Mysuru from 1062 mts summit of the Chamundi Hill, is dedicated to Chamundeshwari, the tutelary deity of the Mysuru Wodeyars. This temple, with large silver gates and golden idols, is a fine quadrangular structure. It is dominated by a towering 7 - storey 40 mts height 'Gopuram' and a Mahadvara built by the late Krishnaraja III in 18th Century. He also presented the golden jewel, 'Nakshatramalika' inscribed with 30 Sanskrit verses. The Chamundi Hill derives its name from the goddess Kali or Chamundi. The huge statue of Mahishasura along with shrines dedicated to Siva and Vishnu contribute to the aesthetic appeal making it as a chief tourist attraction. To the south of Chamundeshwari temple, is the Mahabaleshwara temple, with a prakara, mahadvara and brass-plated doorways and the temple, attributed to Vishnuvardhana a Hoysala dynasty, is dedicated to Shiva.

**3D Point Cloud**



**Plan**