

About Akshardham Temple, New Delhi

Akshardham or Swaminarayan Akshardham complex is a Hindu mandir, and a spiritual-cultural campus in New Delhi, India. The complex displays millennia of traditional Hindu and Indian culture, spirituality, and architecture. It is the largest Hindu temple after the Akshardham in Gandhinagar.

The main attraction of the Swaminarayan Akshardham complex is the Akshardham Mandir. It rises 141-foot (43 m) high, spans 316-foot (96 m) wide, and extends 356-foot (109 m) long.[10] It is intricately carved with flora, fauna, dancers, musicians, and deities.

Designed in accordance with the standards of Maharishi Vastu Architecture, it features a blend of architectural styles across India. It is entirely constructed from Rajasthani pink sandstone and Italian Carrara marble. Based on traditional Hindu architectural guidelines (Shilpa shastras) on maximum temple life span, it makes no use of ferrous metal. Thus, it has no support from steel or concrete.

The mandir also consists of 234 ornately carved pillars, nine domes, and 20,000 murtis of sadhus, devotees, and acharyas. The mandir also features the Gajendra Pith at its base, a plinth paying tribute to the elephant for its importance in Hindu culture and India's history. It contains 148 life sized elephants in total weighing a total of 3000 tons.



AGENDA

Organization	WBA
Visitor's Names	Mr. Erwin; Mr. John Cline; Mr. Joshua Barrington; Mr. John Czyz

Objectives of visit	To Review the RT Progress and meet the Team
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Location	TCS Noida
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Date/ Day	Time		Topic	Presenter	Meeting Room	Remarks
	Duration	From	To			
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3-Oct-16	75 min	8:00 AM	9:15 AM	Trave to Noida-6 Office/Security Check <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Security check-in, Visitor Pass• Welcome Guests• Meet the TCS Leadership for WBA• Quick View of Day sessions		
	45 min	9:15 AM	10:00 AM	Overview of TCS WBA Relationship <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Team Structure• Value Delivered	Manish Khanna	Board Room - 1
	45 min	10:00 AM	10:45 AM	Experience and learnings of similar large SAP Rollouts <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Key Watchouts• Learnings and Best Practices	Mohan Krishnan + Ravi	Board Room - 1
	30 min	10:45 AM	11:15 AM	Integration COE - WAG Web Methods Readiness and Best Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Team Readiness• Enablers for the engagement• Learnings and Best practices	Sharmistha	Board Room - 1
	15 min	11:15 AM	11:30 AM	Tea Break + Mail Catch-up		
	60 min	11:30 AM	12:30 PM	Progress Update on Retail Transformation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Program update• Team Structure• Synergy with Managed Services team• Tools and accelerators developed• Preparation for Next Phase• Open Questions and discussion	Manjinder/Aseem	Board Room - 1
	60 min	12:30 PM	1:30 PM	LUNCH		
	45 min	1:30 PM	2:15 PM	• Introduction and informal meeting with Retail Transformation team	TCS RT Team	Board Room - 1
	45 min	2:15 PM	3:00 PM	• Floor walk of ODC covering all team (development, Support and Transformation) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Store Lab Floor walk	Aseem Sehgal	WBA ODC
	60 min	3:00 PM	4:00 PM	WBA TownHall	Customer	Cafeteria
	15 min	4:00 PM	4:15 PM	Wrap Up and Depart to Airport		
END OF DAY						