

IRON OBJECTS - THAT HAVE WITHSTOOD THE TEST OF TIME

- ① THE DELHI IRON PILLAR, 310 A.D., 6 TONS
- ① THE DHAR PILLAR, INDORE, 375 A.D., 7 TONS
- ① IRON IMPLEMENTS FROM BURIAL SITES IN SRI LANKA, 5TH CENTURY A.D.
- ① IRON CLAMPS & BEAMS OF THE BHUBHANESHWAR TEMPLE, 640 A.D.
- ① IRON BEAMS OF KONARK TEMPLE, 1240 A.D.
- ① IRON BEAMS IN THE PURI TEMPLE, 12TH CENTURY A.D.

FEATURES OF THE DELHI IRON PILLAR

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| TOTAL LENGTH | : | 23 FEET 8 INCHES |
| ABOVE GROUND LEVEL | : | 22 FEET |
| BELOW GROUND LEVEL | : | 20 INCHES |
| UPPER DIAMETER (BELOW DECORATION) | : | 12.5 INCHES |
| LOWER DIAMETER | : | 16.5 INCHES |
| TOTAL WEIGHT | : | 6 TONS |

THE GEOMETRY OF THE STRUCTURE (FROM TOP TO BOTTOM) IS AN AESTHETIC MASTERPIECE

THE ORNAMENTAL TOP, THE BASE AND THE EXACTNESS OF THE SCOPE NEED SPECIAL MENTION