



# Taj Mahal



**The Taj Mahal is a white marble mausoleum located on the southern bank of the Yamuna River in the Indian city of Agra.**



For the construction of the complex was invited more than 22,000 artists from all over the Empire, as well as masters of Central Asia, Persia and the Middle East.



It is one of the world's most celebrated structures and a symbol of India's rich history.



Throughout the complex are passages from the Qur'an that comprise some of the decorative elements.



For security reasons only five items—water in transparent bottles, small video cameras, still cameras, mobile phones and small ladies' purses—are allowed inside the Taj Mahal.