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# Archeological Sites in Factory: Heritage, Risk, Management, Conservation or in Danger?

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### **Abstract**

The old archeological sites have been significant locations for ages. There are several historic archeological sites in the area. The preservation of the area is a fascinating problem. Some specific ancient ruins are found in unusual locations, including factories. The writers of this brief essay discuss instances of ancient ruins being found in Thai enterprises. The intriguing question is whether this location encourages preservation of those local heritage ancient sites or encourages their destruction.

Keywords: Factory, Archeological, Conservation, Destruction.

#### Introduction

Ancient archeological sites are common significant locations in areas with a lengthy history. Several ancient temple ruins are protected as cultural treasure. The preservation of the place is an intriguing topic. Some ancient temple remains can be found in unusual locales, such as markets. The authors of this brief article examine the cases of ancient ruins discovered in Thai enterprises. The intriguing question is whether this location promotes conservation or encourages the demolition of these local cultural ancient sites.

#### **Case Studies**

# **Chomprasat Temple, Ratchaburi Province**

Ruins of a temple in the Khmer architecture can be seen in Ratchaburi province, right in the middle of a small paper mill. The temple's construction is still intact although in a state of disrepair. The region has been designated a national archeological heritage site. However, the element completely blocks access to the website. You must request permission from the factory in order to visit.

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# Wat Kruataphet Temple, Ayuddhaya Province

In the province of Ayuddhaya, next to an oil industry, is this temple ruin. The temple's interior has been completely demolished, although it is still in good condition. The component, however, fully prevents access to the website. The factory must grant your request before you can go on a visit.

#### Ancient Town Wall, Kanchanaburi Province

In the vicinity of a nearby paper industry, in the province of Kanchanaburi, sits this historic wall from the old town. The wall's structure has been well and still is intact. The region has been designated a national archeological heritage site. The factor is simple to access because it is not currently being run.



A. Chomprasat



Figure 1.Examples of archeological sites within the factories

# **Discussion**

The presence of ruins in an unfamiliar location is typically difficult. Zoos and hospitals housing temple remains are two good examples [1–2]. Even though the location is an old one, the community has moved into the old site area. It is typical for the old archaeological site to

be included within the new complex. However, if the combination happens in a private factory or other non-public setting, it needs to be discussed.

As for the factory site, the community can view and see the historic sites thanks to the restricted access. There may not be as much conservation by the locals as anticipated. The local population's contribution to conservation may be less than anticipated. Contrarily, from a positive or upbeat perspective, the factory typically adequately safeguards the location. The factor may occasionally have a larger budget for conservation. Notably, the factor still permits visitors to visit but does so with authorization to register. This ancient heritage has a special nature that calls for protection but restricted access.

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