

BANGLADESH NATIONAL MUSEUM
Object ID Record Sheet

1 Object ID Number:															
0	1	0	1	0	3	4	1	9	6	9	0	0	2	1	8
2 Name of the Museum: Bangladesh National Museum															
3 Name of the Department: Department of History and Classical Art															
4 Classification: Architectural Member															
5 Date of Accession:										6 Accession Number:					
Day		Month		Year	1969					0	0	2	1	8	
7 Name of Object: Stone Column															
8 Materials of the Object: Black Basalt															
9 Measurements:															
Height or Length			Width			Depth			Diameter			Weight			
115.824	cm	0	cm	0	cm	0	cm	0	cm						gm
10 Inscriptions/Markings:															
11 Distinguishing Features:															
12 Title:															
13 Subject: Classical Art															
14 How Acquired: Collection															
15 Received From:															
Address:															
16 Price Paid:										Estimated Price:					
17 Insurance Value:															
18 Date or Period: 13th century A. D.															
19 Maker: Unknown															
20 Brief Description of the Object:															
This stone column is divided into three sections by two raised bands. The upper and lower sections are square. The middle section forming the shaft and flanked by two raised bands, is octagonal only in the carved area, part of the surface being left plain. It is carved with stylized floral and hanging bell-and-chain motifs.															
21 Place of Origin/Discovery: Gaur															
22 Provenance/Acquisition History: Gaur, Rajshahi															
23 Present Condition of the Object: Excellent															
24 Location within the Museum:															
25 File Reference:															
26 Conservation/Restoration Record:															
27 Bibliographical Reference: <i>Catalogue of the Special Exhibition of Islamic Art in Bangladesh in Dacca Museum April 3-28 1978, p. 29.</i>															
28 Comments: This stone column is one of the best examples of Islamic art in Bengal and one of the masterpieces of Bengal Art.															
29 Date of Object ID Sheet: 15-Dec-2011															
30 Author of the Record Prepared:															

31 Photograph(s):	0	0	2	1	8		0	0	2	1	8	
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