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### Historical background

The low hill of Tiryns, in Argolis, was continuously inhabited from the Neolithic (2700-2000 BC) Antiquity, among the



*Aerial view of the site*

During the Late Bronze Age, Tiryns fortified and Argolis, Argolis was destroyed by the Mycenaean

Pausanias, who visited Tiryns in the 2nd century AD. The upper of the site is the acropolis, Tiryns

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The Tiryns acropolis

View of south-west wall of the acropolis



The discovery of the acropolis in Tiryns was a significant find for the Mycenaean civilization, and it is one of the most important archaeological sites in Greece.

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**The West Bastion** - This was the main entrance to the city. The tunnel was built by the Mycenaean civilization. It is a good example of the Mycenaean architecture.



**View of West Bastion** - This was the main entrance to the city. The wall was built by the Mycenaean civilization. It is a good example of the Mycenaean architecture.

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