

# Tourist attractions of Puławy

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## Monuments of the park and palace complex

Park-and-palace complex ; former residence of the Czartoryski family

Park-and-palace complex, occupying c.32 ha, constructed more than 200 years before according to the concept of Izabela Czartoryska in landscape-English style.

It is worth to visit the following:

- The Czartoryski family residence ; erected in the years 1671-76, later many times rebuilt; well-restored historical interiors, among others a baroque hall, as well as rooms: stone, Gothic, knight, column and ball.
- Gothic House ; built by Ch.P. Aigner's plans on the foundations of a baroque garden pavillion; national and European art collections storing venue.
- Sybil's Temple ; the most important historical building in the town, erected in 1798-1801 by Ch.P. Aigner modelled on Vesta's Temple in Tivoli near Rome; according to its founder Izabela Czartoryska's idea designed to be a memorabilia museum ; first Polish national museum.
- Beloved Virgin Mary's Assumption Church ; former palace chapel built in 1803, modelled on Roman Pantheon; dedicated to Adam Kazimierz Czartoryski's mother.
- Greek House ; former palace orangery with a monumental four-column Doric portico; presently seat of the municipal library.
- Marynka's Palace ; classicist bulding, erected before 1794 for the eldest daughter of the



Czartoryski family ; Maria Wirtemberg.

- Chinese Alcove ; rare example of Polish garden architecture modelled on a Chinese pagoda,
- Yellow House, known as Alexandrian House,
- English Stairs,
- Roman Archway,
- Sarcophagus, dedicated to August Czartoryski and Zofia primo voto Sieniawska.

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