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**WORLD HERITAGE COMMITTEE - Twenty-first session**

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C.1 Properties which the Committee inscribed on the World Heritage List  
(...)

<b>Identification No.</b>	<b>Name of property</b>	<b>State Party having submitted the nomination in accordance with Article 11 of the Convention</b>	<b>Criteria</b>
831	The Archaeological Area of Agrigento	Italy	(i) (ii) (iii) (iv)

The Committee decided to inscribe this site on the basis of criteria (i), (ii), (iii) and (iv), considering that Agrigento was one of the greatest cities of the ancient Mediterranean world, and it has been preserved in an exceptionally intact condition. Its great row of Doric temples is one of the most outstanding monuments of Greek art and culture.