

THE ROMAN TOWN OF MERIDA



Merida, according to historiographical tradition, was founded as a Roman colony in the year 25 b.C. by order of the emperor Octavian Augustus to serve as a retreat for veteran soldiers .



More than 400 m long and 100 m wide it was the largest of the city's entertainment buildings.



And this is the Merida bridge with the Guadiana river.



The temple of Diana is one of few religious monuments. It was built at the end of 1 b.C.



The height of this monument is 15 metres and its width is 13. It is made up of granite and marble.



Brought water to Merida from the Proserpina reservoir. It's called that because it seems like a miracle that it's still standing.



This monument was built in 16 and 15 b.C. The theatre has undergone several renovations, the most important in the late 1st or early 2nd century.



It was inaugurated in 8 b.C. This building was destined for fights between gladiators, between beasts or between men and beasts.