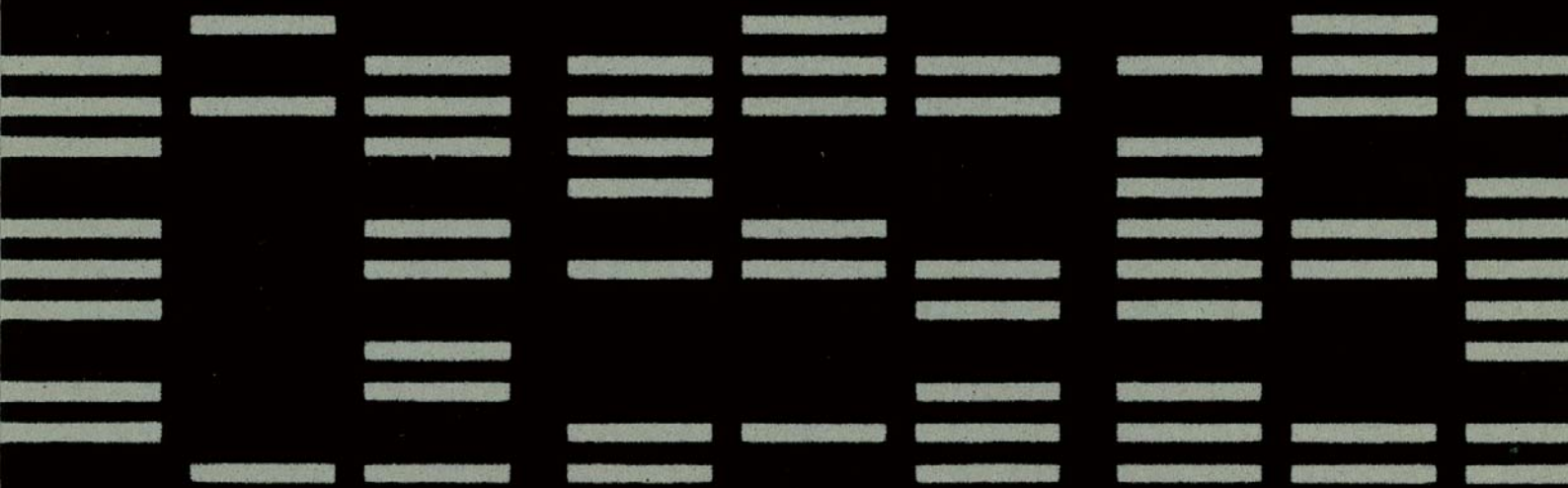


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## Sheraton Krabi Beach Resort

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**Location :**  
Khlong-Muang Beach, Krabi

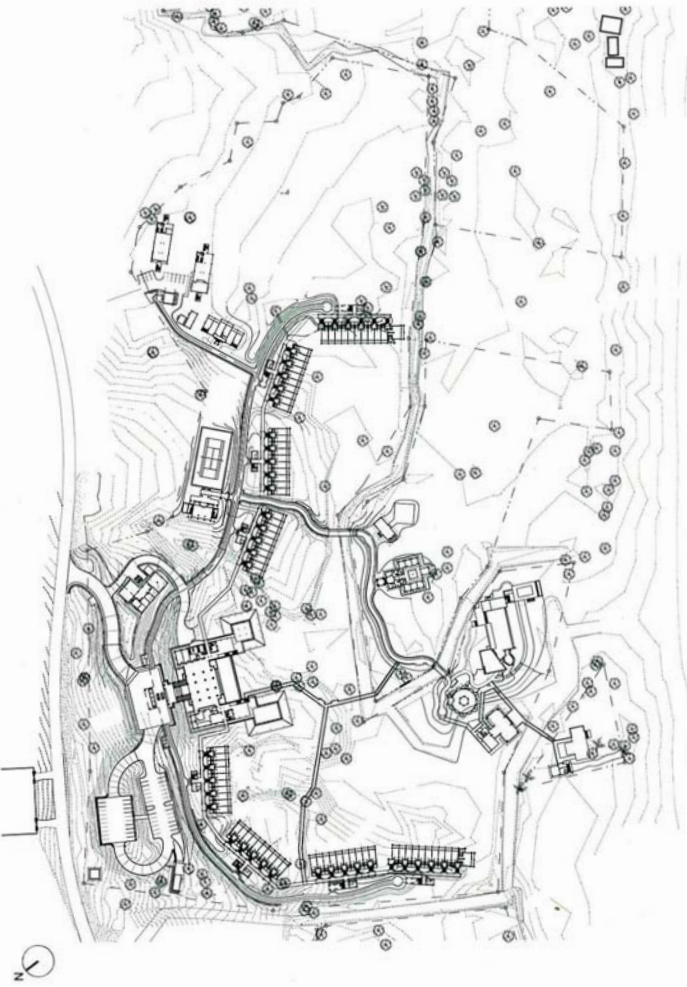
**Client :**  
MBK Hotels & Resort

**Area :**  
30,000 sq.m.

**Year :**  
2000 - 2002

The concept of the Sheraton Beach Resort is to blend its architecture with Krabi's most delicate mangrove area. The main building is set far apart from the beach in order to preserve the trees. The pathway between each area is raised to minimize the structural ground footprint and protect fragile plant species.

The resort architecture is contemporary with a touch of local detail. The overhang hip roof defines the buildings' character and protects it from the unpredictable southern Thai weather. The structures' completed proportion, scale, and rhythm is expressed in its simple design.



Main lobby looking toward the sea.



