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TAL-PATRIMONJU KULTURALI  
SUPERINTENDENCE OF CULTURAL HERITAGE

# National Inventory of the Cultural Property of the Maltese Islands

NICPMI Inv. No. 1434

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<b>Property Name</b>	Marsalforn Traverse and Fougasse		
<b>Address</b>	Marsalforn		
<b>Town Name</b>	Marsalforn	<b>Toponym</b>	-
<b>Property Owner</b>	Government	<b>Managing Body</b>	-
<b>Local Council</b>	Żebbuġ		
<b>Guardianship Deed</b>	-		

<b>Period</b>	Modern (18th Century)		
<b>Phase</b>	Early Modern: Knights of St John (18th Century)		
<b>Cultural Heritage Type &amp; Value</b>	Historical Technical	<b>Cultural Heritage Property Value Assessment</b>	Outstanding
<b>Property Function</b>	Fortification	<b>Conservation Area</b>	

<b>Outline Description</b>	Coastal traverse and fougasse
<b>Property Description</b>	Rock-hewn traverse with accompanying ditch cut into shore line along the left side of Marsalforn Bay. This appears to date from the early 18 <sup>th</sup> century coastal defences erected in the area after 1715. To the rear of the fougasse stands a rock-hewn fougasse cut into the side of the present-day road. This was partly damaged when it was cut into from the side.

<b>Scheduled by MEPA</b>	No	<b>Degree of Protection</b>	-	<b>G.N. No.</b>	-	<b>G.N. Date</b>	-
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<b>Recommended Bibliography</b>	S.C. Spiteri, The Fougasse- the stone mortar of Malta (Malta, 1999), 15-6
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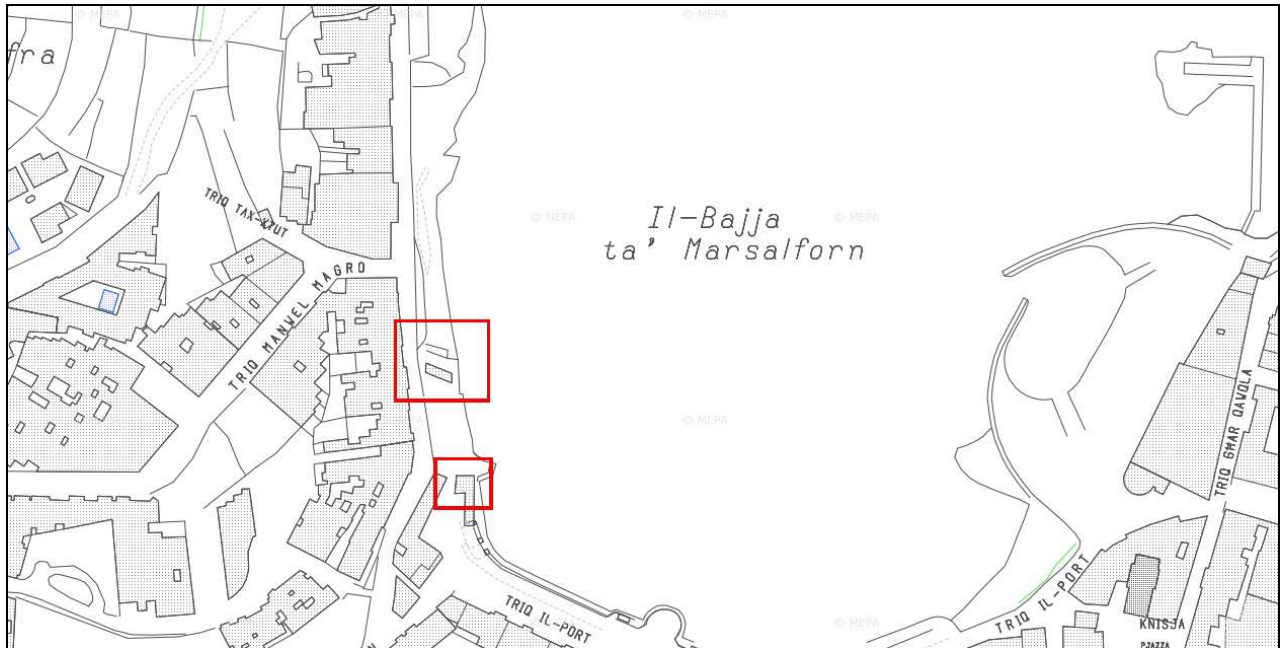
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Property Plan



Property Images

