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Diving survey and water sampling in II-Port ta' Marsaxlokk

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners and owners of vessels that diving surveys and water sampling will be carried out within II-Port ta' Marsaxlokk between Friday 5th March 2021 and Sunday 7th March 2021.

The diving surveys will be held will be carried out at approximate locations A, B, C, D and E as shown on attached chart.

| Position | Latitude (N) | Longitude (E) |
|----------|--------------|---------------|
| Α | 35° 49'.751 | 014° 33'.290 |
| В | 35° 49'.690 | 014° 33'.344 |
| С | 35° 49'.594 | 014° 33'.368 |
| D | 35° 50'.299 | 014° 32'.776 |
| E | 35° 49'.757 | 014° 33'.641 |

Water sampling will be carried out along the imaginary lines in approximate position W to X and Y to Z as shown on attached chart.

| Position | Latitude (N) | Longitude (E) |
|----------|--------------|---------------|
| W | 35° 49'.908 | 014° 33'.241 |
| Χ | 35° 49'.174 | 014° 33'.277 |
| Υ | 35° 49'.679 | 014° 32'.767 |
| Z | 35° 49'.680 | 014° 33'.410 |

The works will be carried out with the assistance of the vessel Atlantis II which will be displaying the international code of Signals flag "A".

A safety zone of 50m round the support vessel is to be kept during the survey / sampling.





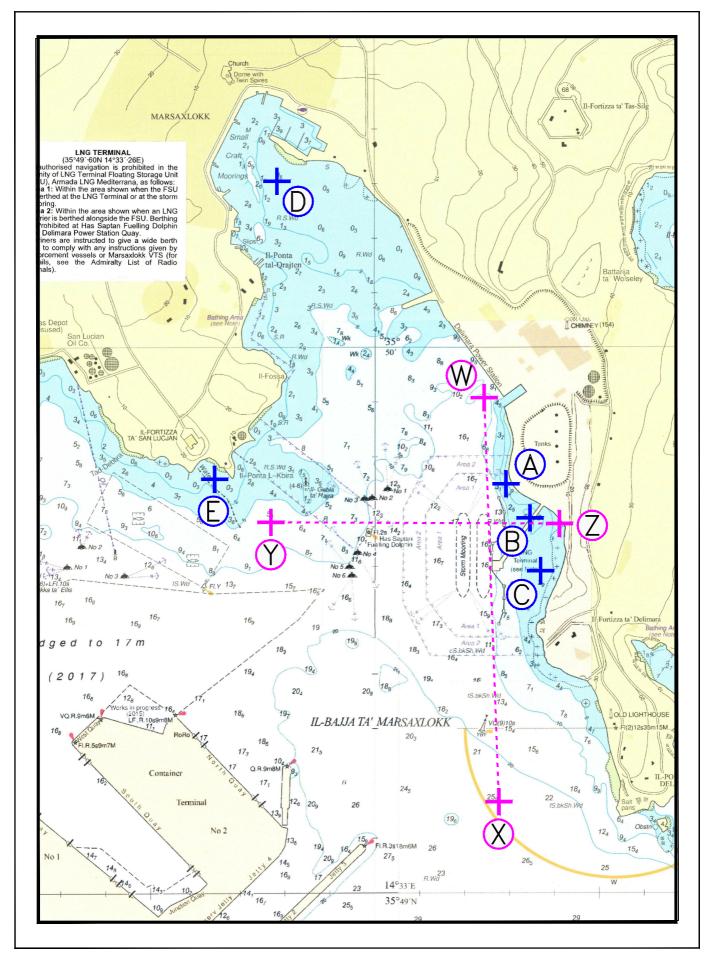




Masters and operators of vessels are advised to keep a sharp lookout, navigate with caution, and at slow speed when navigating close to the above indicated area.

Any instructions issued by Marsaxlokk Port Control (Marsaxlokk VTS) on VHF channel 14 and/or by any enforcement agency on site, are to be complied with.

Chart affected: BA 36



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