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### Restricted Navigational Areas - 2026

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners, owners of vessels and the general public that the following restricted navigational areas have been established as follows:

- A) In Wied il-Ghasri (Gozo), the area joining the points A1, A2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart A.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
A1	36° 04'.796	014° 13'.731
A2	36° 04'.795	014° 13'.741

- B) In Il-Qolla il-Bajda (Gozo), the area joining the points B1, B2, B3, B4 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart B.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
B1	36° 04'.728	014° 15'.055
B2	36° 04'.728	014° 15'.085
B3	36° 04'.746	014° 15'.120
B4	36° 04'.773	014° 15'.124

- C) In Marfa (Ir-Ramla tal-Bir), the area joining the points C1, C2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart C.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
C1	35° 59'.171	014° 20'.755
C2	35° 59'.166	014° 20'.741



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D) In Mellieha (Ramlet il-Qortin), the area joining the points D1, D2, D3 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart D.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
D1	35° 59'.222	014° 21'.021
D2	35° 59'.265	014° 21'.048
D3	35° 59'.251	014° 21'.105

E) In Ir-Ramla tat-Torri, the area joining the points E1, E2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart E.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
E1	35° 59'.604	014° 21'.873
E2	35° 59'.496	014° 21'.855

F) In Il-Bajja ta' L-Imgiebah, the area joining the points F1, F2, F3 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart F.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
F1	35° 58'.091	014° 22'.887
F2	35° 58'.101	014° 22'.887
F3	35° 58'.096	014° 23'.019

G) In Il-Bajja ta' San Pawl il-Bahar (Selmun), the area joining the points G1, G2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart G.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
G1	35° 58'.033	014° 23'.814
G2	35° 57'.847	014° 23'.828

H) In Il-Bajja ta' San Pawl il-Bahar (Tal-Fekruna), the area joining the points H1, H2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart H.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
H1	35° 57'.174	014° 23'.335
H2	35° 57'.145	014° 23'.358



- I) In Il-Bajja ta' San Pawl il-Bahar (Gillieru), the area joining the points I1, I2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart I.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
I1	35° 56'.952	014° 24'.325
I2	35° 56'.984	014° 24'.382

- J) In Il-Ponta tad-Dragnara, the area joining the points J1, J2, J3, J4 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart J.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
J1	35° 55'.527	014° 29'.679
J2	35° 55'.499	014° 29'.704
J3	35° 55'.449	014° 29'.672
J4	35° 55'.459	014° 29'.617

- K) In Ix-Xatt ta' Spinola (opposite Cavalieri Hotel), the area joining the points K1, K2, K3 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart K.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
K1	35° 55'.131	014° 29'.582
K2	35° 55'.140	014° 29'.681
K3	35° 55'.150	014° 29'.679

- L) In Sliema, a floating platform will be laid centred at point L1 as shown on attached chart L.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
L1	35° 54'.882	014° 30'.448

- M) In Il-Port ta' Marsamxett (Tigne), the area joining the points M1, M2, M3, M4 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart M.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
M1	35° 54'.324	014° 30'.705
M2	35° 54'.314	014° 30'.688
M3	35° 54'.358	014° 30'.617
M4	35° 54'.370	014° 30'.628



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N) In Il-Port ta' Marsamxett (Ta' Xbiex area), the area joining the points N1, N2, N3, N4 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart N.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
N1	35° 53'.947	014° 30'.043
N2	35° 53'.943	014° 30'.062
N3	35° 53'.889	014° 30'.045
N4	35° 53'.893	014° 30'.028

O) In Il-Port ta' Marsamxett (near Excelsior Hotel), the area joining the points O1, O2, O3, O4 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart O.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
O1	35° 53'.903	014° 30'.276
O2	35° 53'.916	014° 30'.279
O3	35° 53'.928	014° 30'.301
O4	35° 53'.925	014° 30'.320

P) In Il-Port ta' Marsamxett (Valletta Water Polo Pitch area), the area joining the points P1, P2, P3 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart P.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
P1	35° 54'.069	014° 30'.639
P2	35° 54'.137	014° 30'.725
P3	35° 54'.130	014° 30'.734

Q) In Il-Port il-Kbir (Kalkara Creek - Toqba area - Birgu), the area joining the points Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart Q.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
Q1	35° 53'.449	014° 31'.224
Q2	35° 53'.452	014° 31'.228
Q3	35° 53'.418	014° 31'.271
Q4	35° 53'.411	014° 31'.263



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R) In Il-Port il-Kbir (Rinella Bay area), the area joining the points R1, R2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart R.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
R1	35° 53'.656	014° 31'.629
R2	35° 53'.584	014° 31'.609

S) In Delimara (Xrobb l-Ghagin), the area joining the points S1, S2, S3, S4 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart S.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
S1	35° 50'.490	014° 34'.029
S2	35° 50'.465	014° 33'.968
S3	35° 50'.394	014° 34'.033
S4	35° 50'.415	014° 34'.150

T) In Delimara (St. Peter's Pool), the area joining the points T1, T2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart T.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
T1	35° 49'.981	014° 33'.735
T2	35° 49'.963	014° 33'.746

U) In Delimara (Kalanka tat-Tumbrell), the area joining the points U1, U2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart U.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
U1	35° 49'.867	014° 33'.736
U2	35° 49'.829	014° 33'.726

V) In Delimara (Kalanka it-Tawwalija), the area joining the points V1, V2 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart V.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
V1	35° 49'.435	014° 33'.666
V2	35° 49'.389	014° 33'.626



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W) In Il-Bajja ta'Marsaxlokk (Il-Magħluq), the area joining the points W1, W2, W3 and the intermediate coastline as shown on attached chart W.

Points	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
W1	35° 50'.337	014° 32'.846
W2	35° 50'.288	014° 32'.908
W3	35° 50'.270	014° 33'.009

To always ensure safety, no vessel, craft, or other object, whether mechanically driven or not, is to enter these designated restricted areas. Furthermore, the use of fishing gear/implements is not allowed in these areas.

These restricted navigational areas may be in place with immediate effect and until further notice.

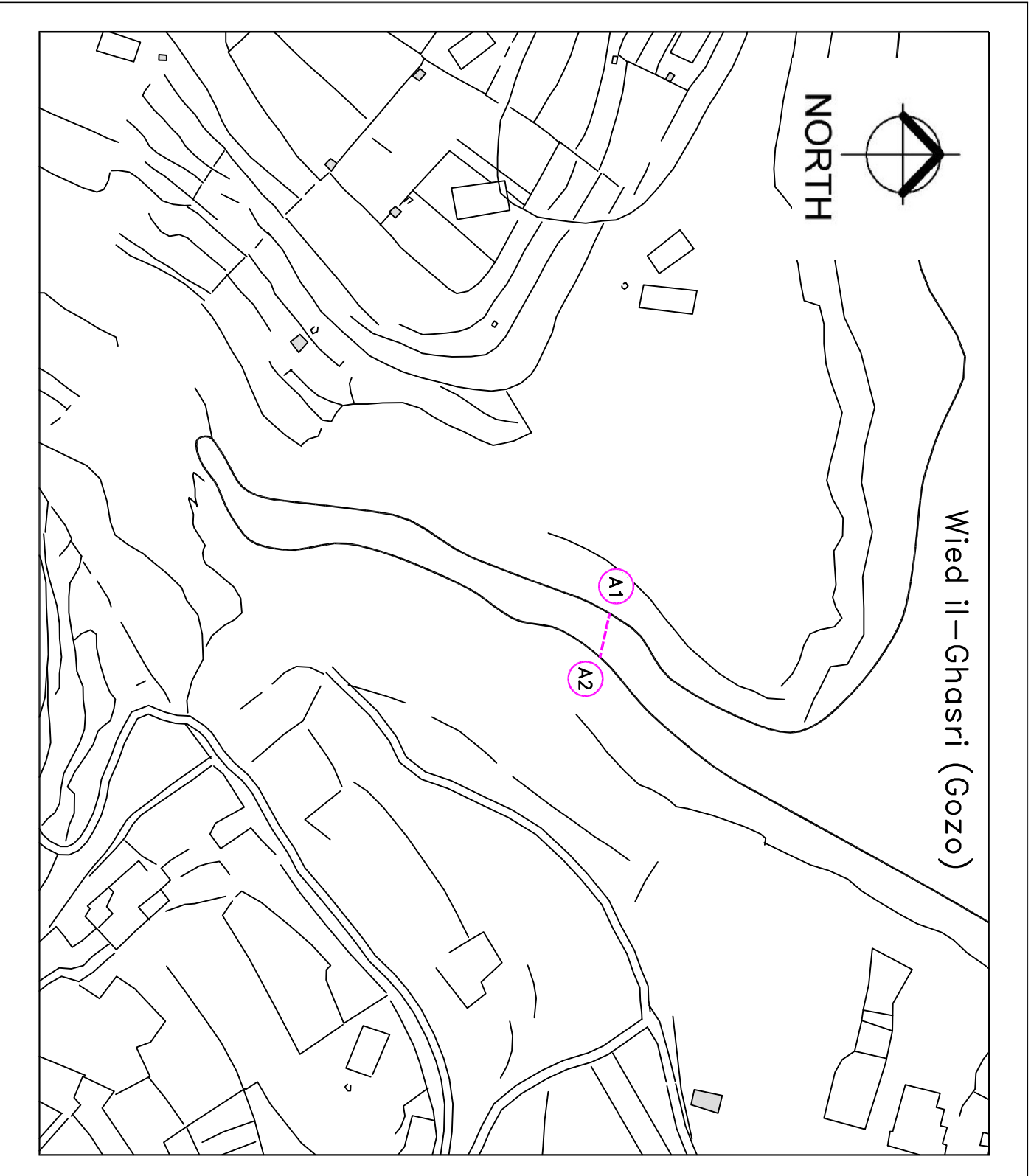
All restricted navigational areas, with the exception of the floating platform, shall be delineated by physical perimeters. Pending the installation and completion of such perimeters, all mariners, vessel owners and bathers are hereby notified that the areas indicated in the attached charts shall be kept clear from all vessels and moorings.

Owners of vessels moored within these designated restricted areas are advised to remove their vessels and mooring buoys immediately. Any vessels and mooring buoys left in these areas may be removed by the respective operators. No liability whatsoever will be borne by Transport Malta for any damage to vessels or any damage/loss of mooring buoys and ground tackles, that are left in these areas.

Mariners are informed that it is prohibited to secure/moor any vessel, craft, or object to any marker buoy, ropes, floating platform, and related gear delineating the restricted navigational areas.

Position is referred to **WGS 84 DATUM.**

Chart Affected: **BA 177, 211, 2537, 2538**



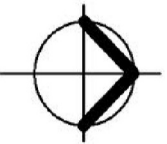
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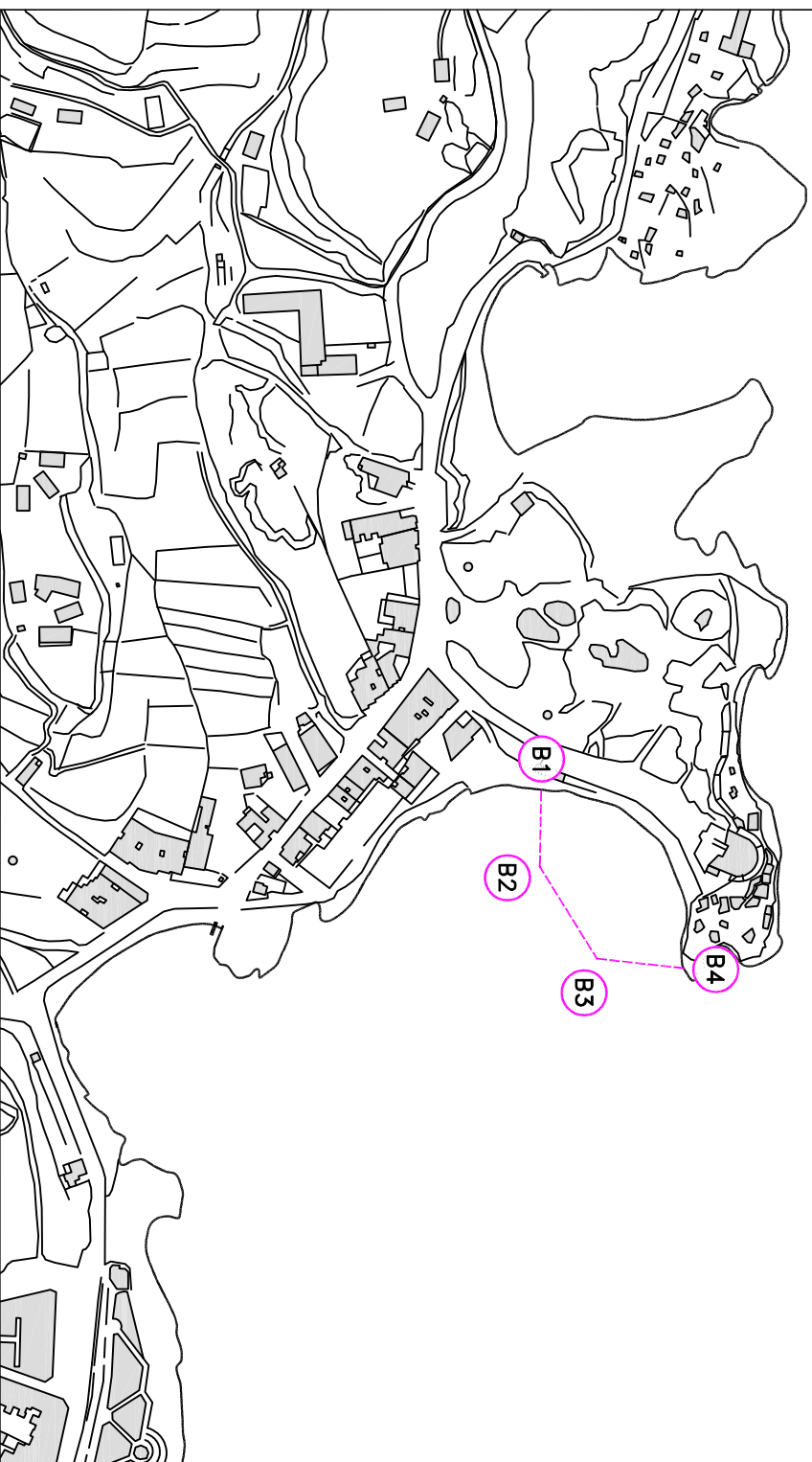
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Chart A



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## Il-Qolla il-Bajda (Gozo)



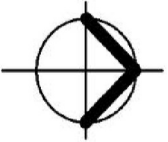
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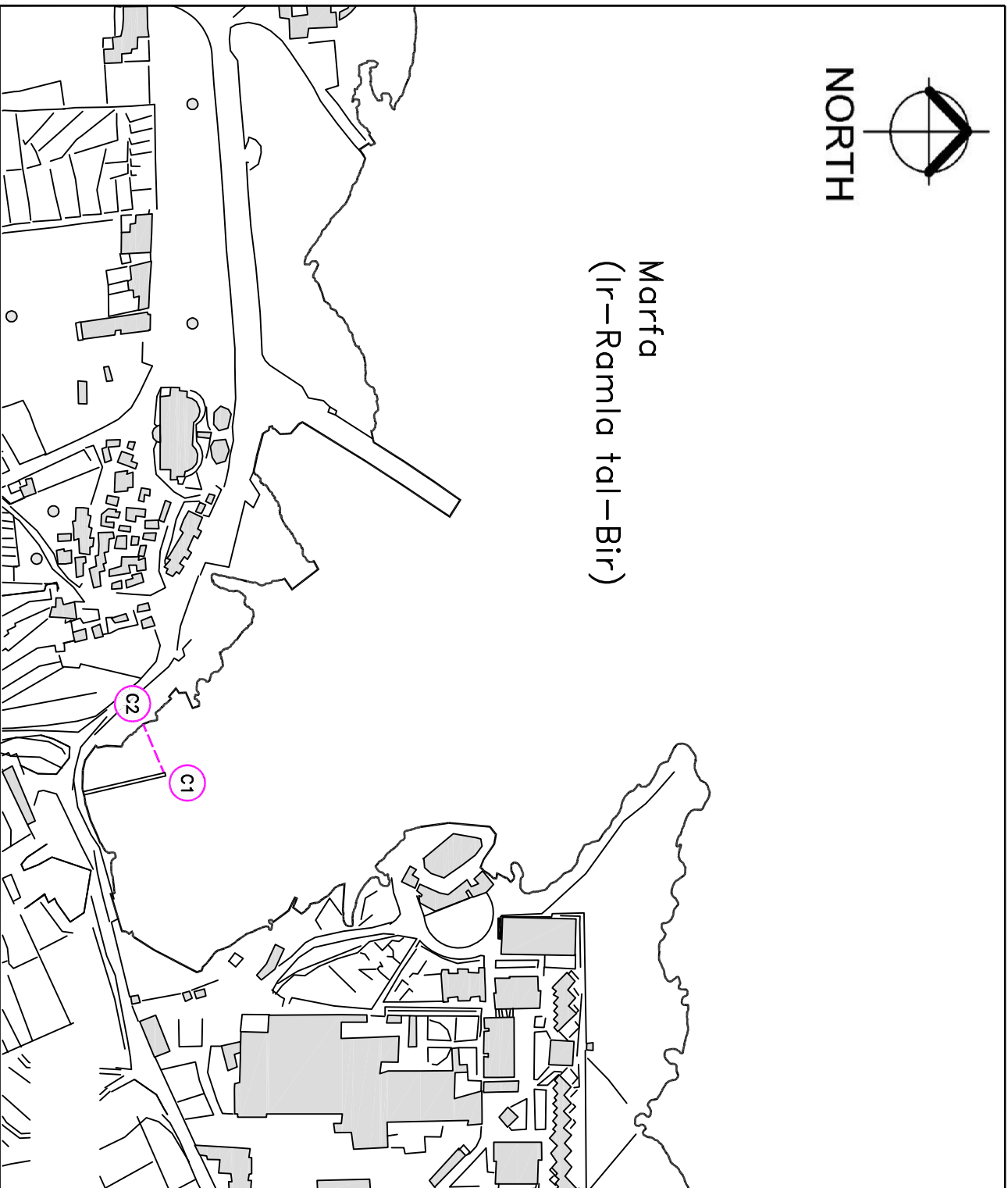
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# Chart B



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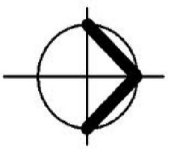
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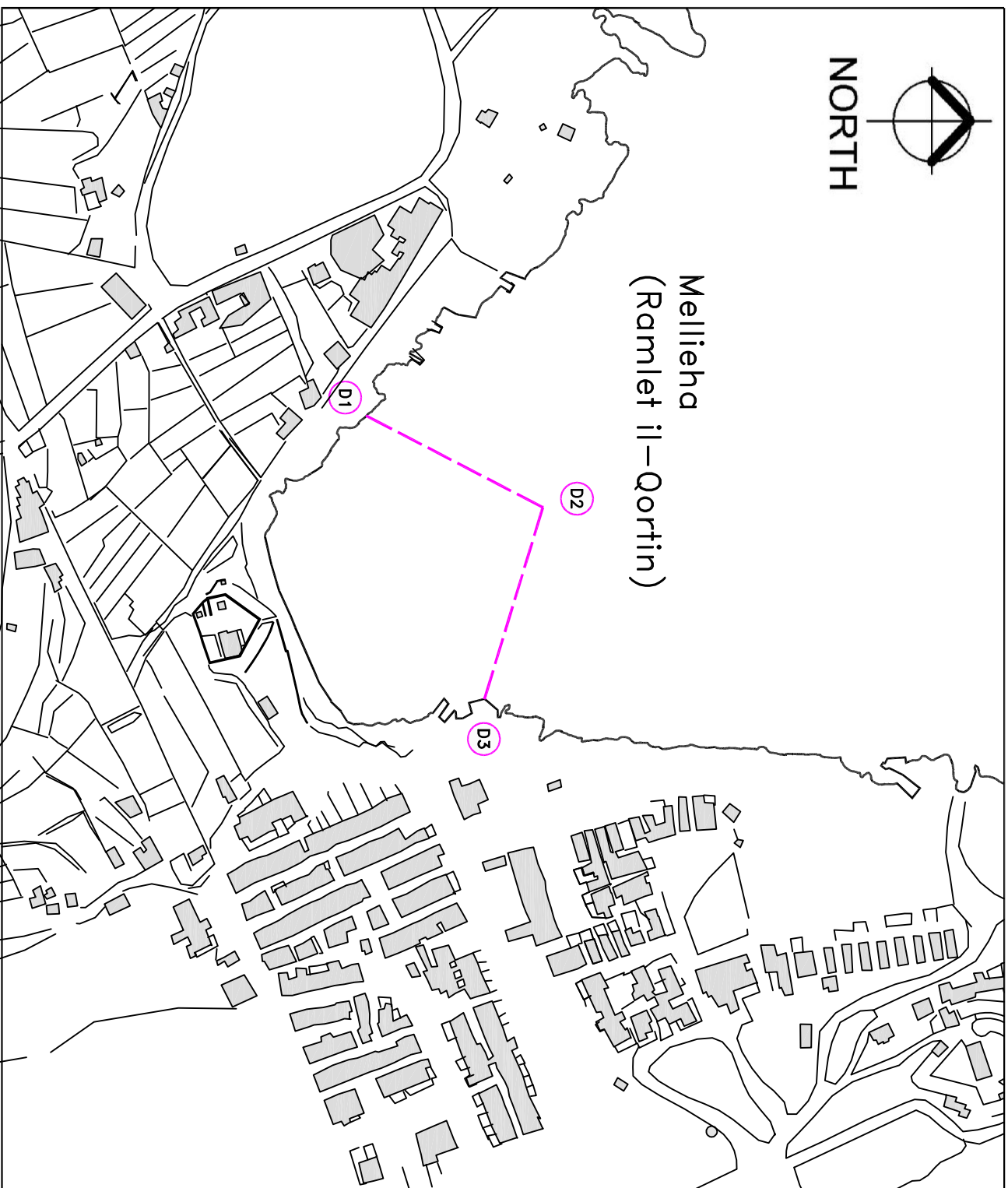
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Chart C



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Melliha  
(Ramlet il-Qortin)



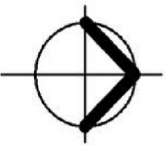
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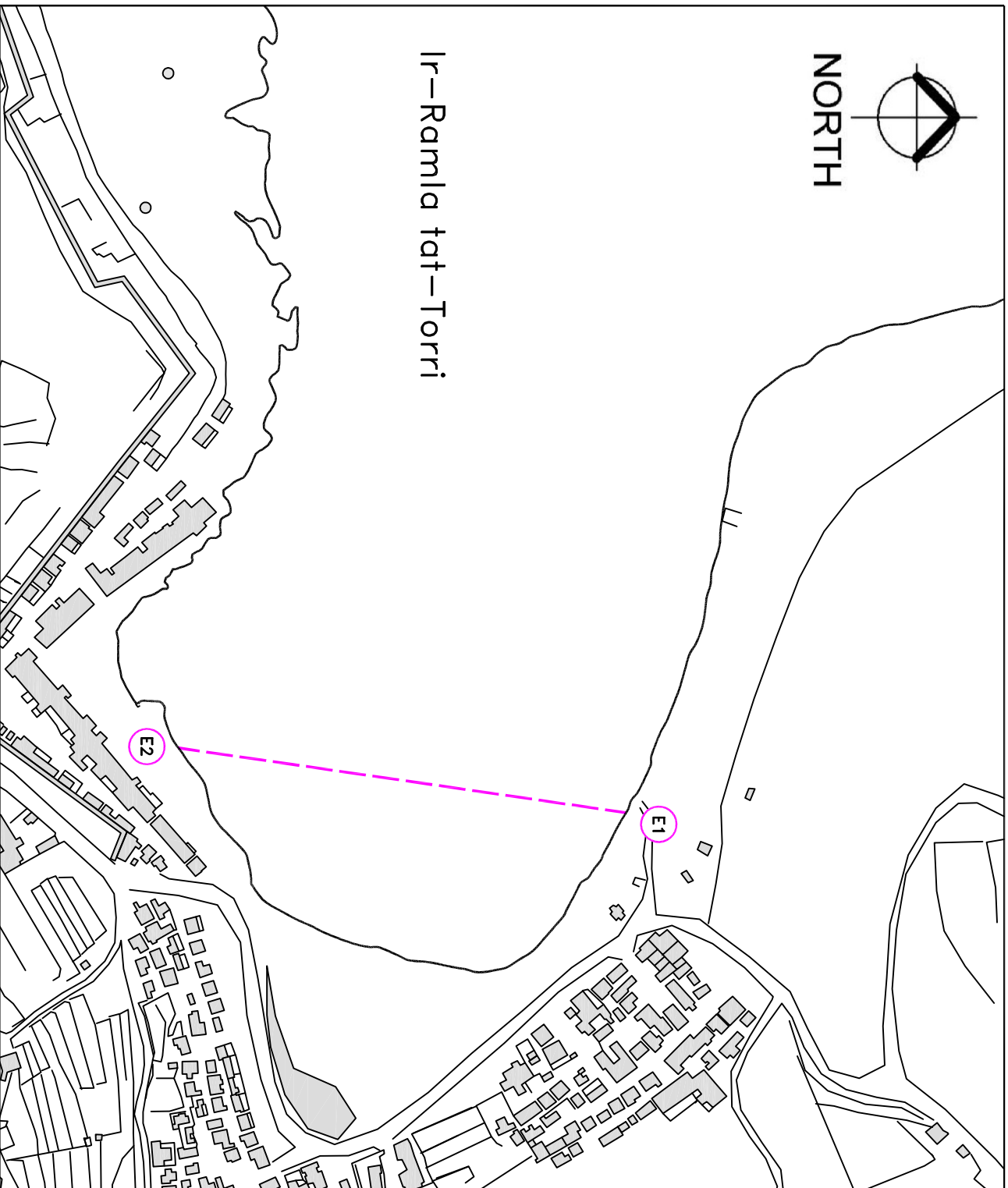
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Chart D



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Ir-Ramla tat-Torri



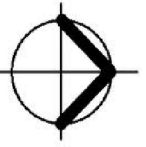
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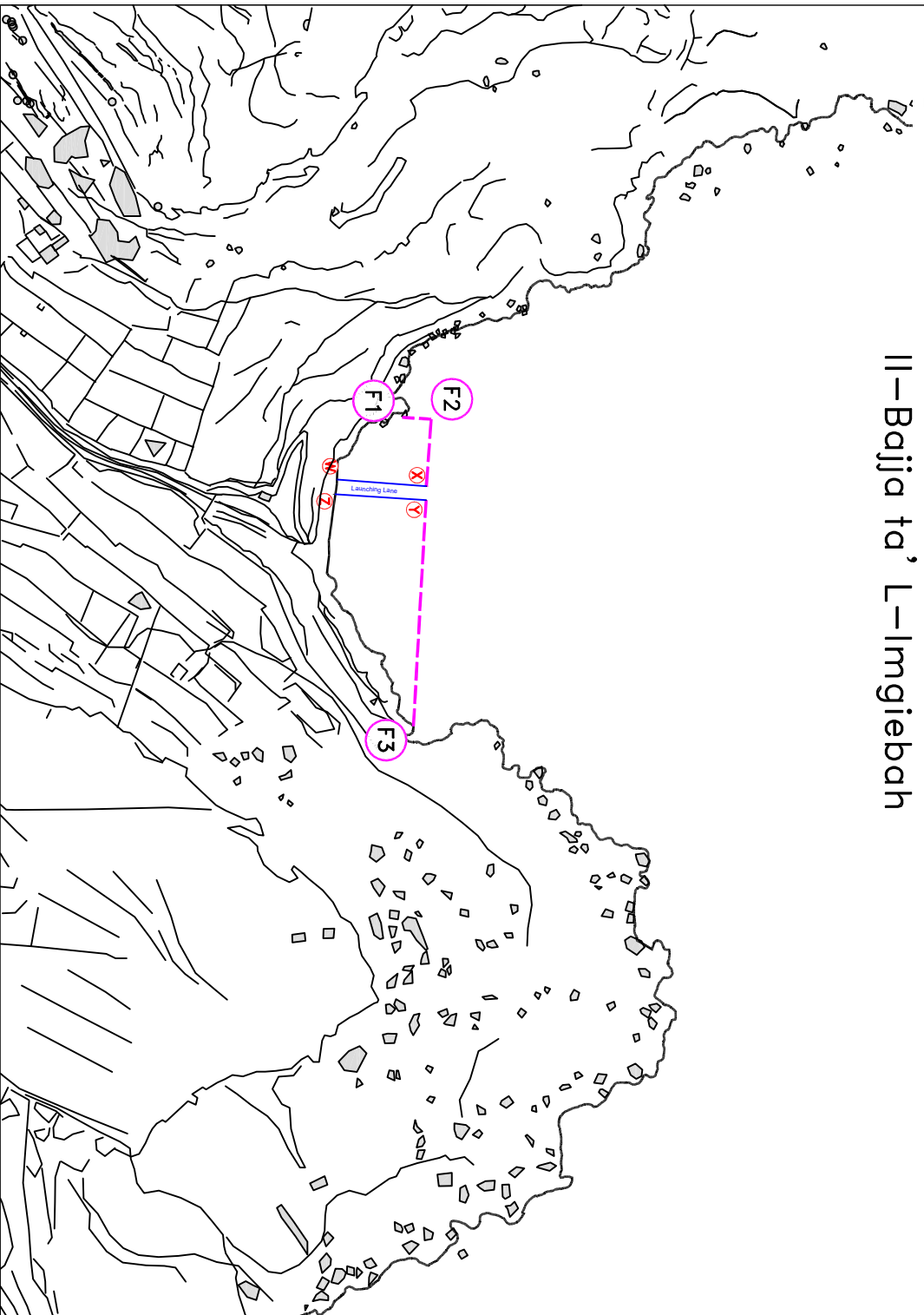
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Chart E



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# Il-Bajja ta' L-Imgiebah



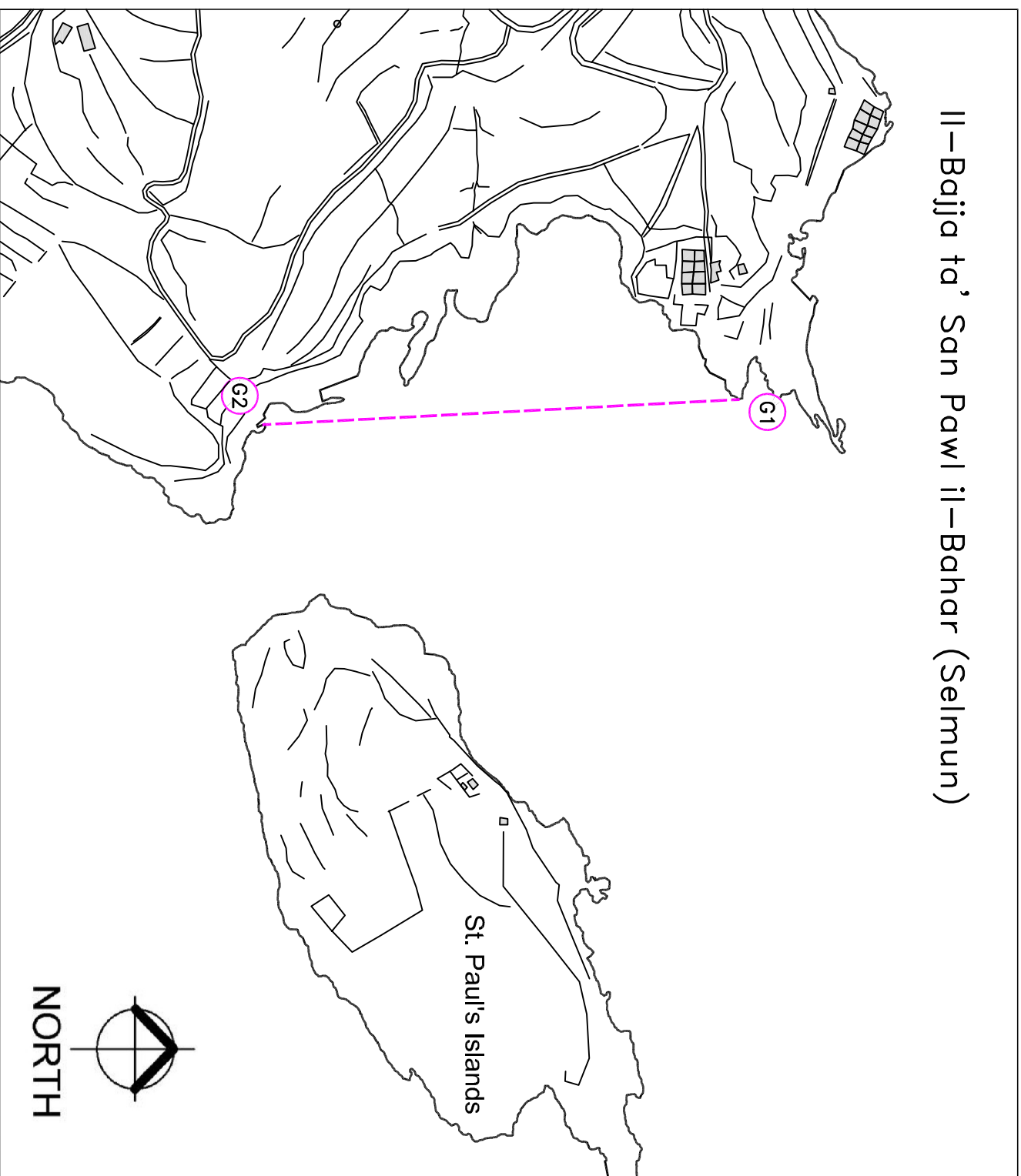
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## Il-Bajja ta' San Pawl il-Bahar (Selmun)

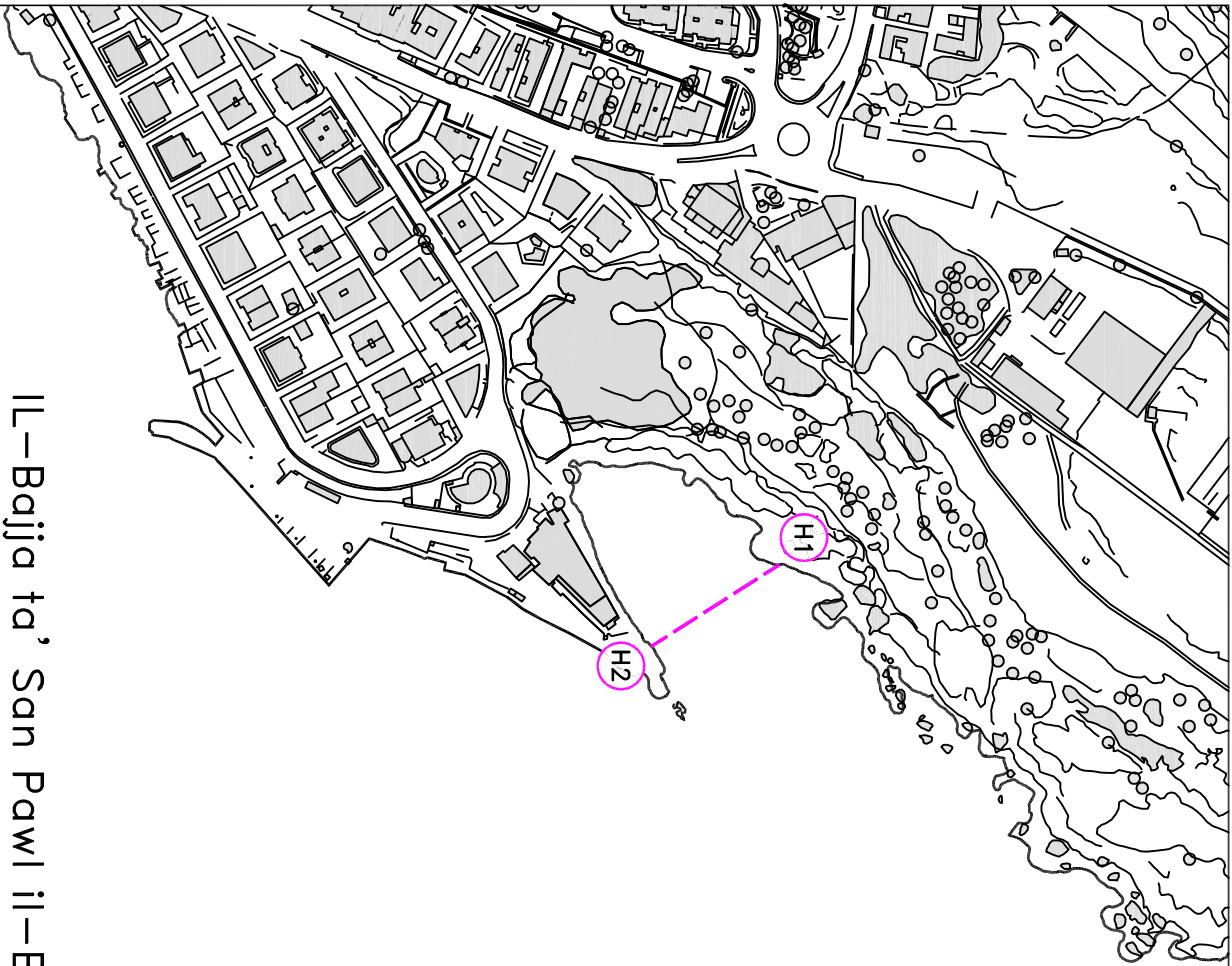


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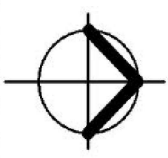
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IL—Bajja ta' San Pawl il-Bahar (Tal-Fekruna)



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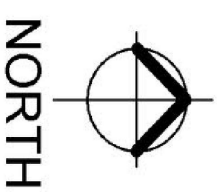
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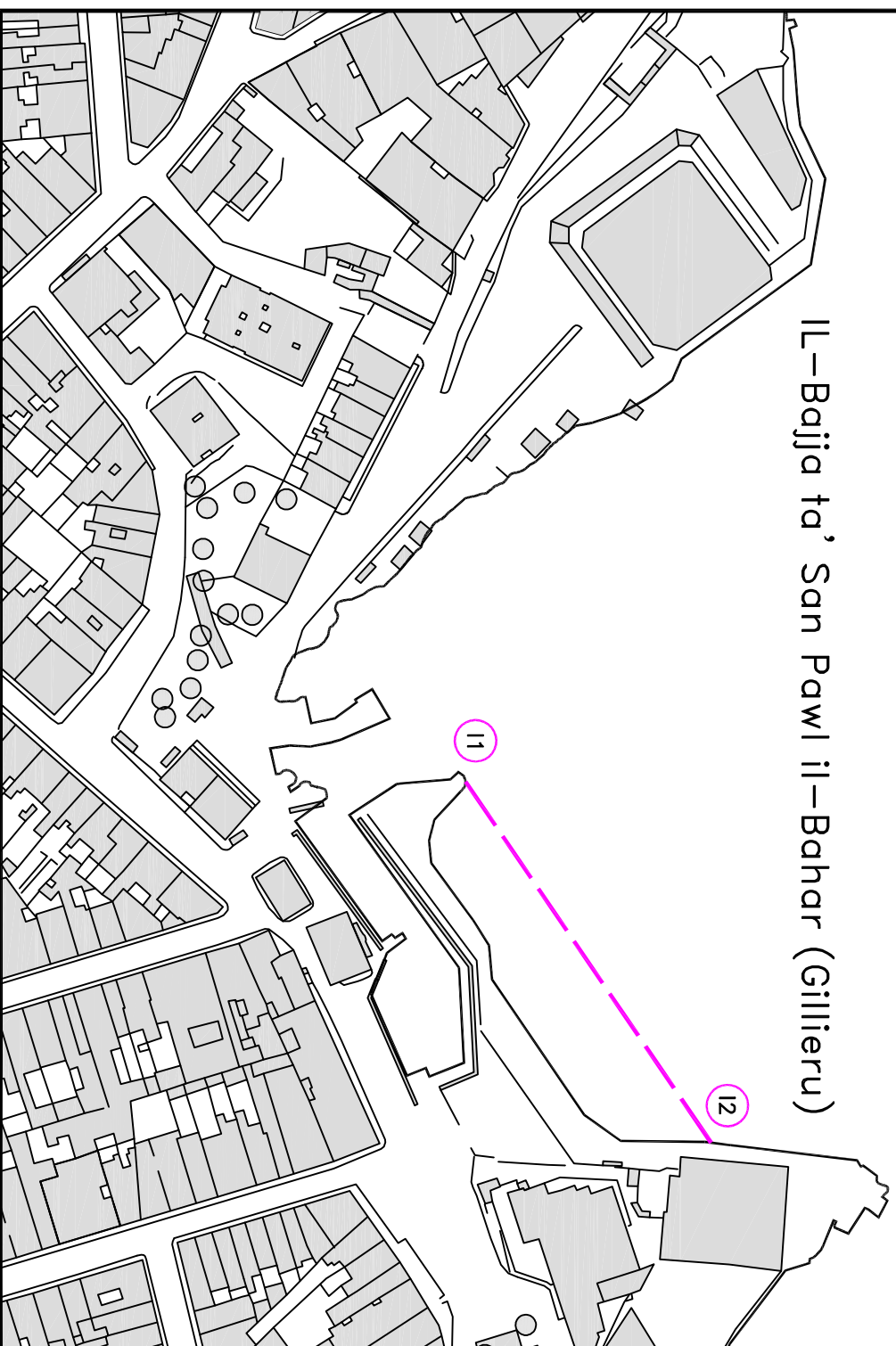
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Chart H

Positions Refer To WGS 84 Datum		
Position	Latitude	Longitude
11	35° 56'.952	014° 24'.325
12	35° 56'.984	014° 24'.382



il-Bajja ta' San Pawl il-Bahar (Gillieru)



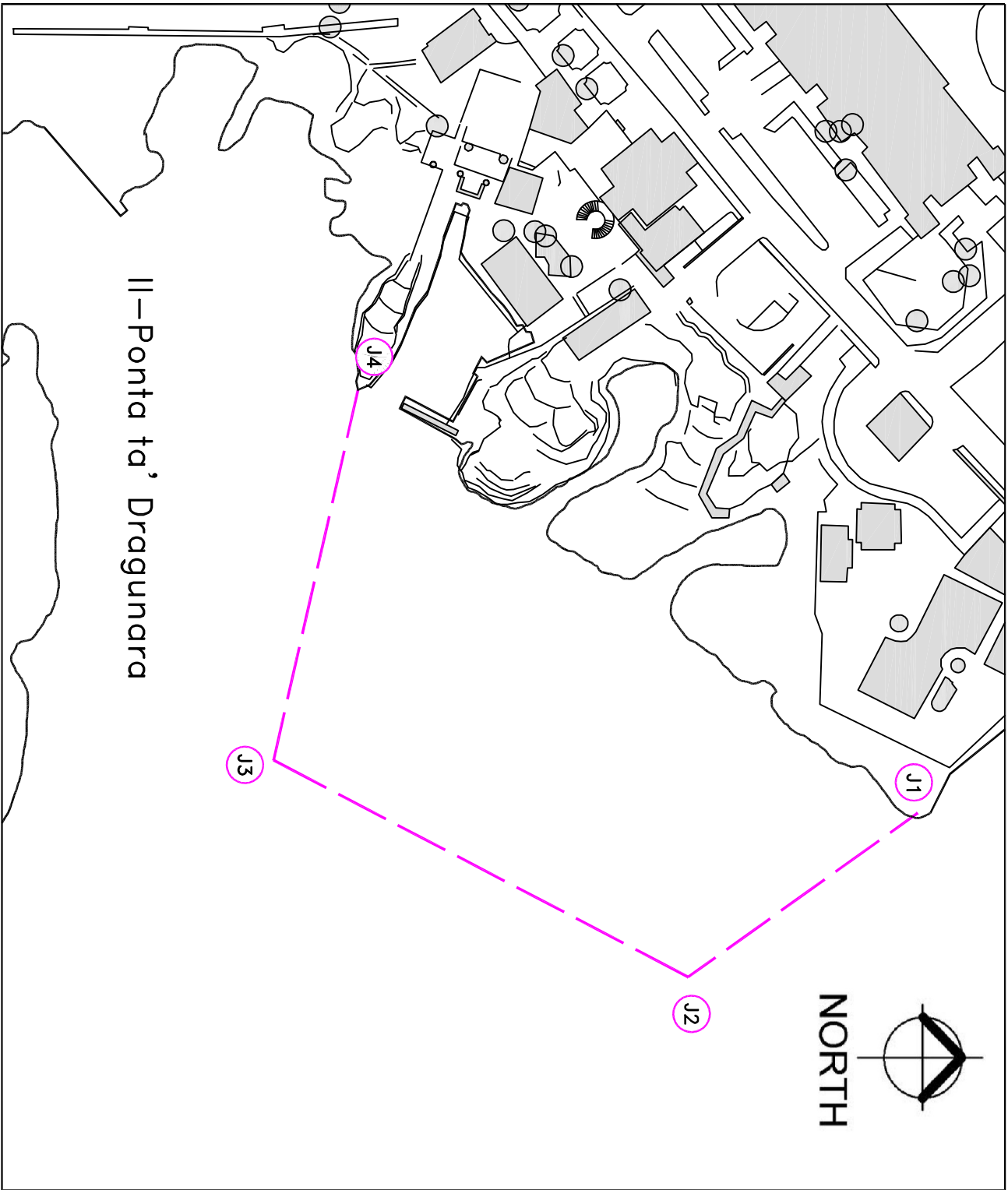
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Chart 1



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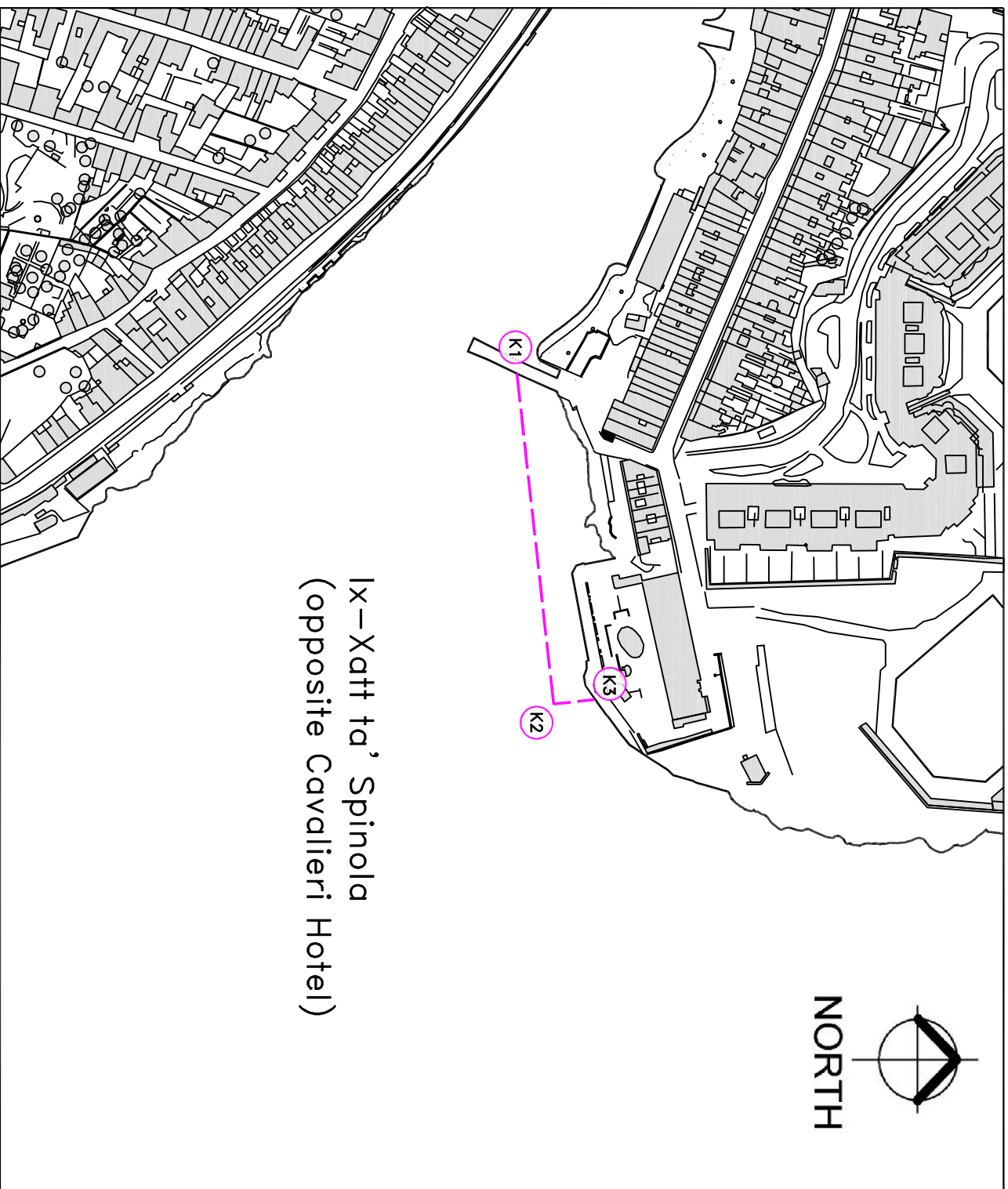
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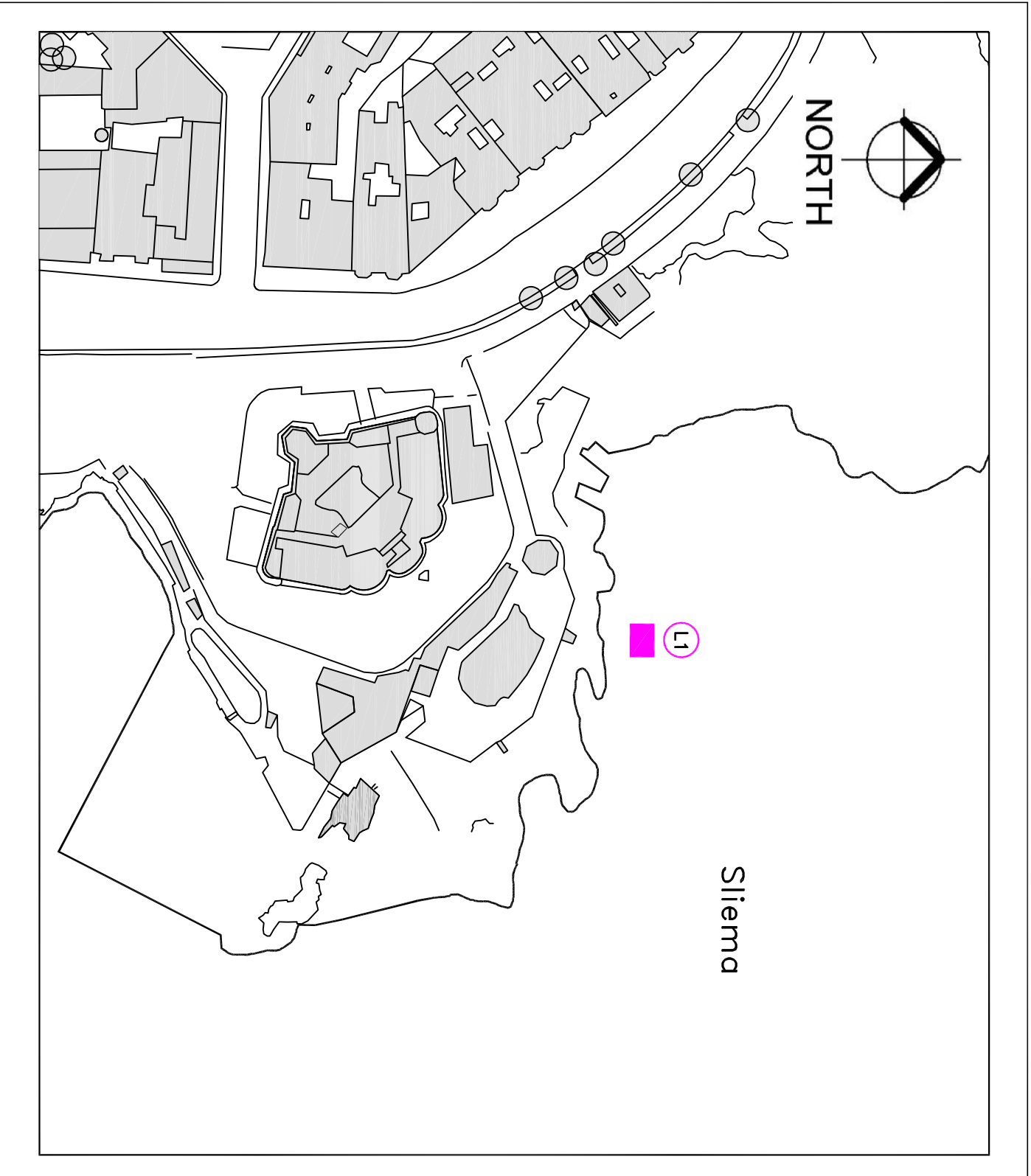
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Ix-Xatt ta' Spinola  
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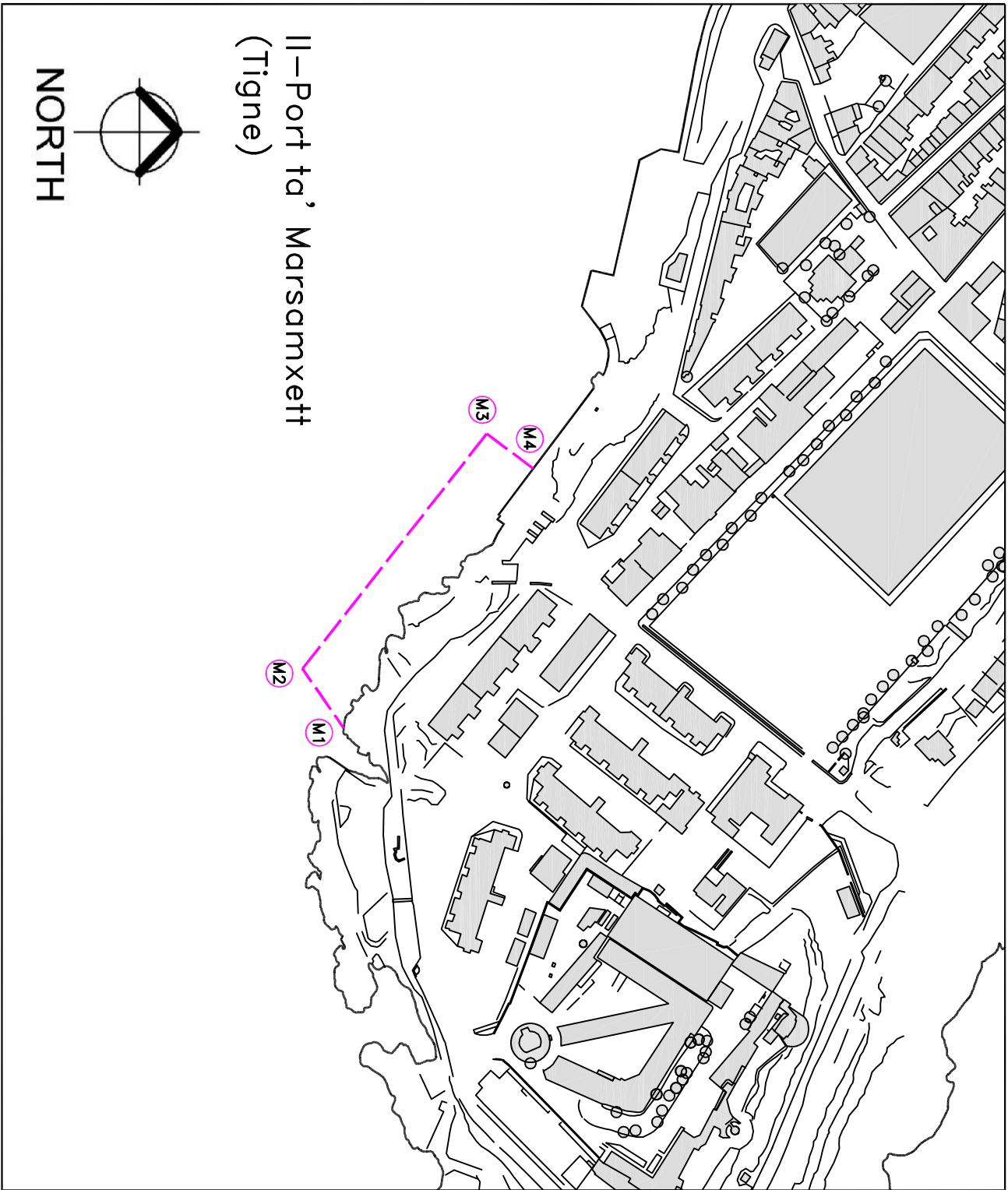


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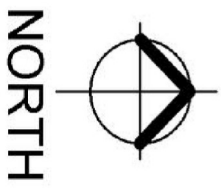
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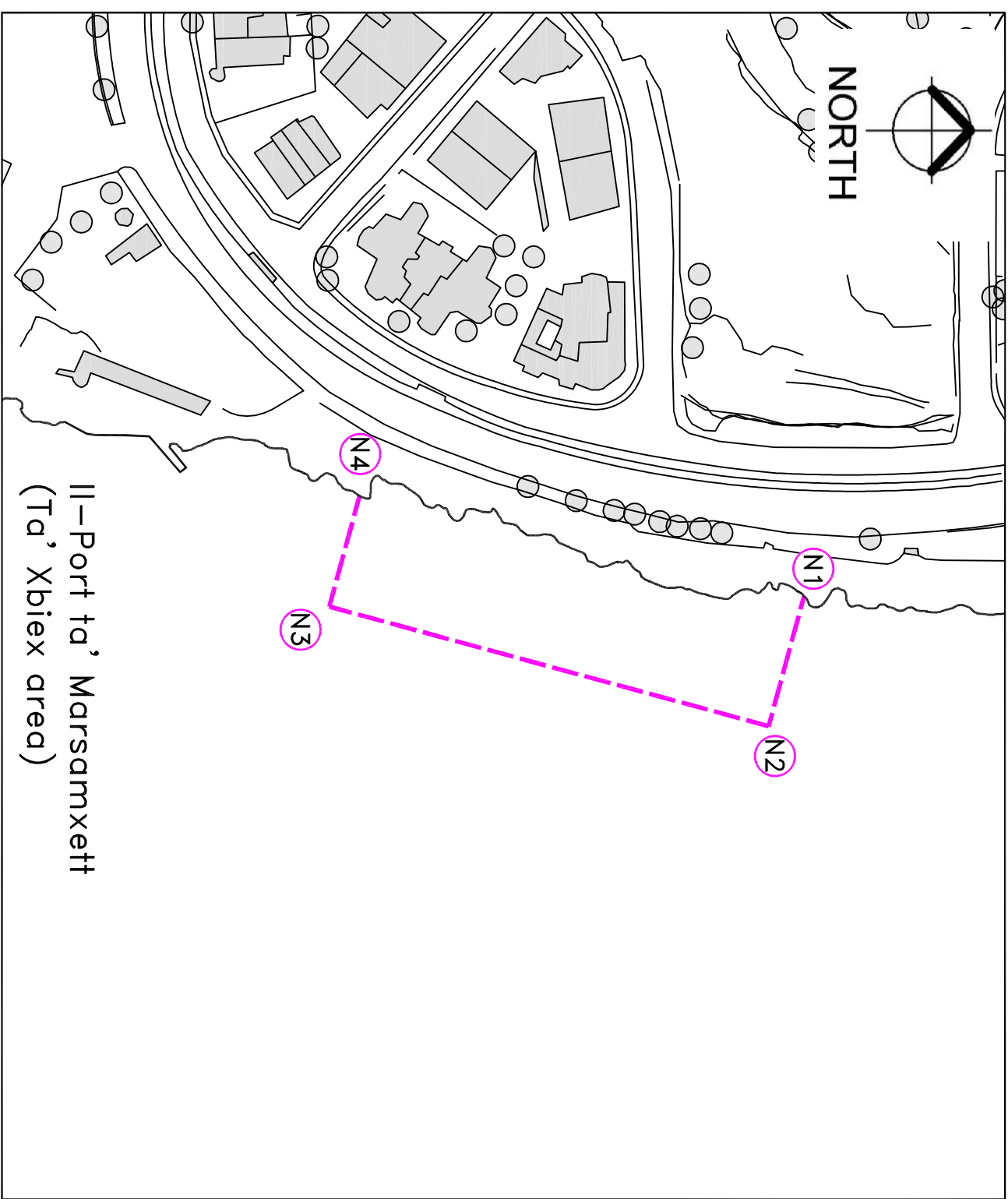
Il-Port ta' Marsamxett  
(Tigne)



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Il-Port ta' Marsamxett  
(Ta' Xbiex area)

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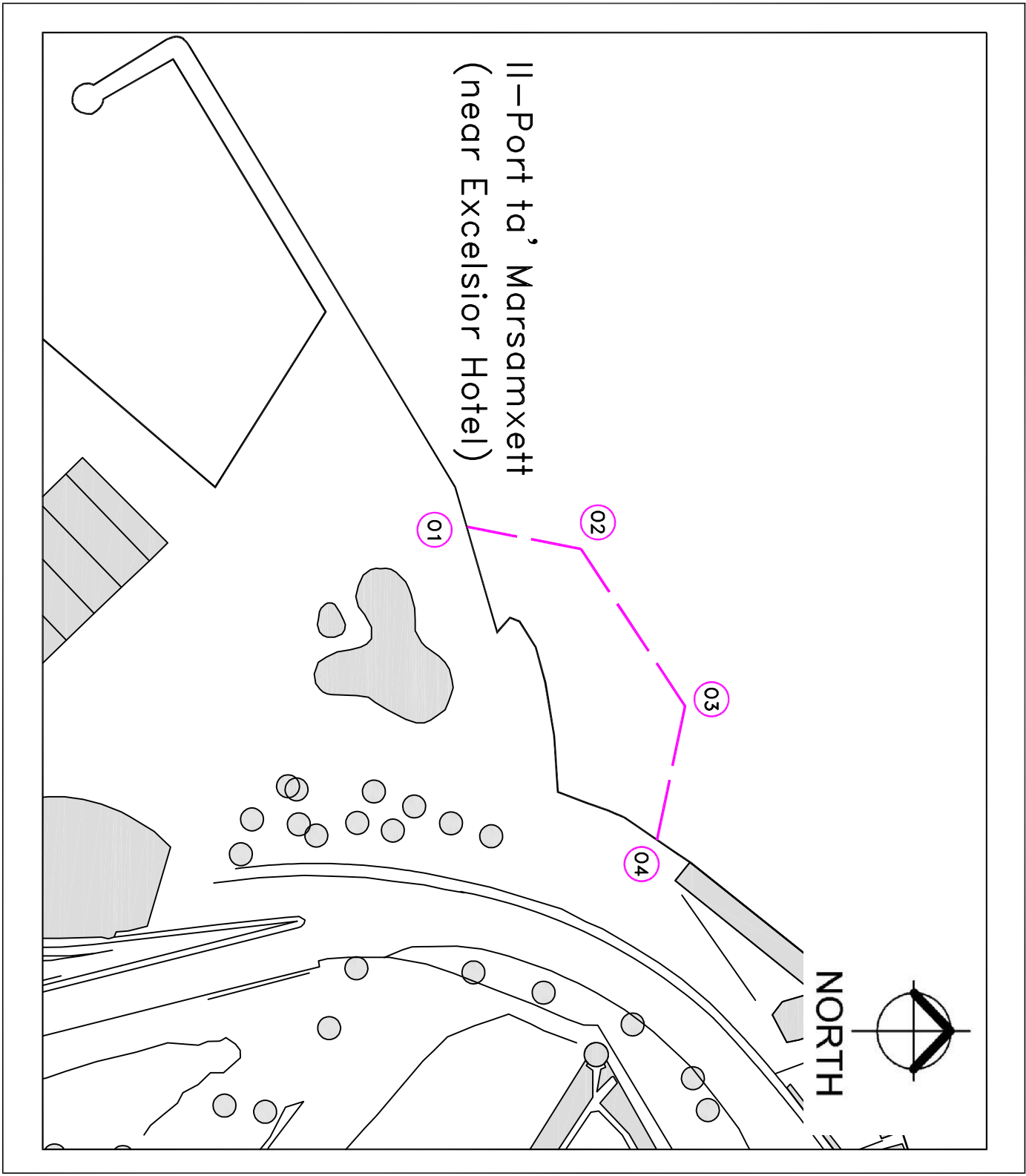
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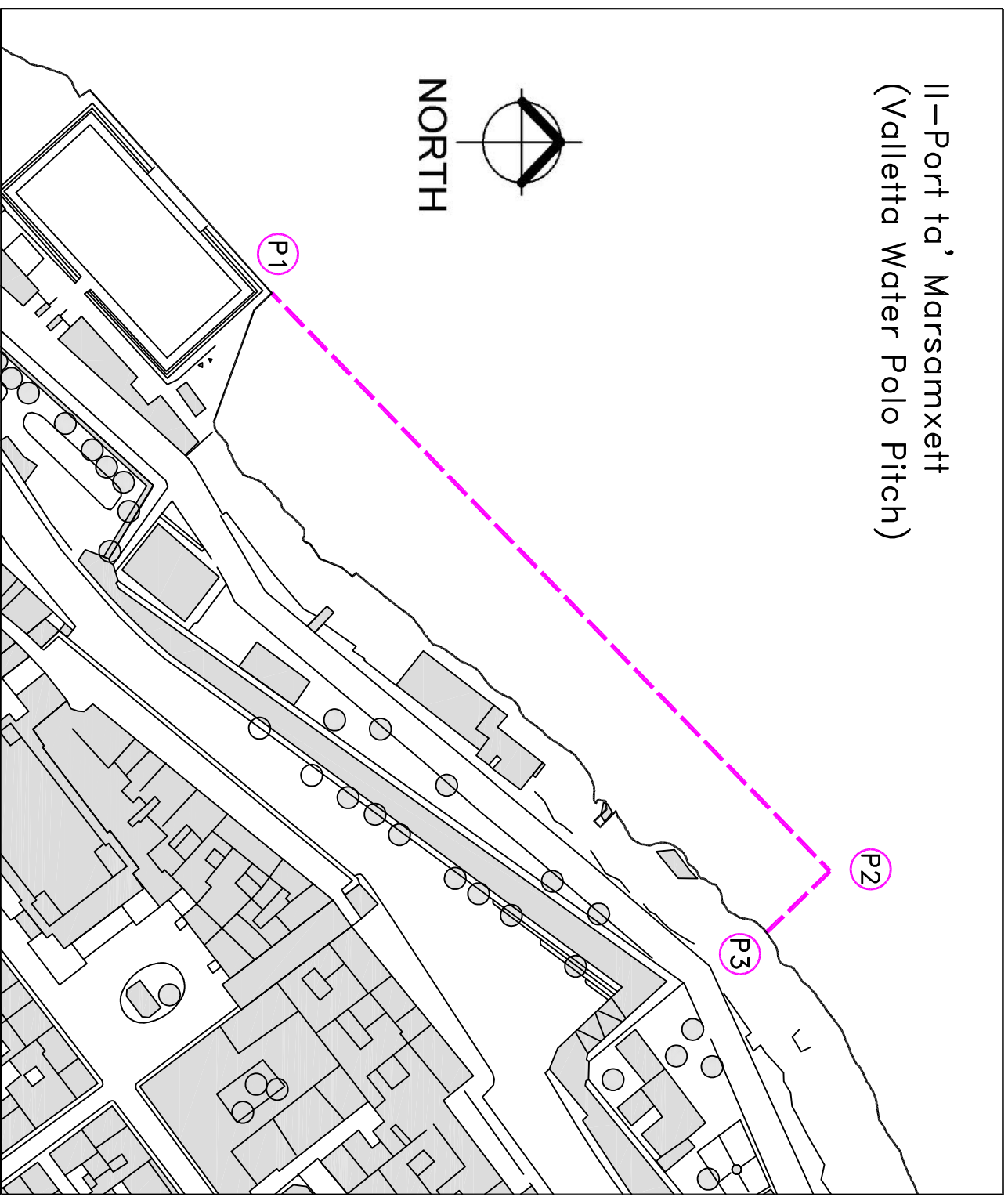
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11—Port ta' Marsamxett  
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Chart 0

# Il-Port ta' Marsamxett (Valletta Water Polo Pitch)



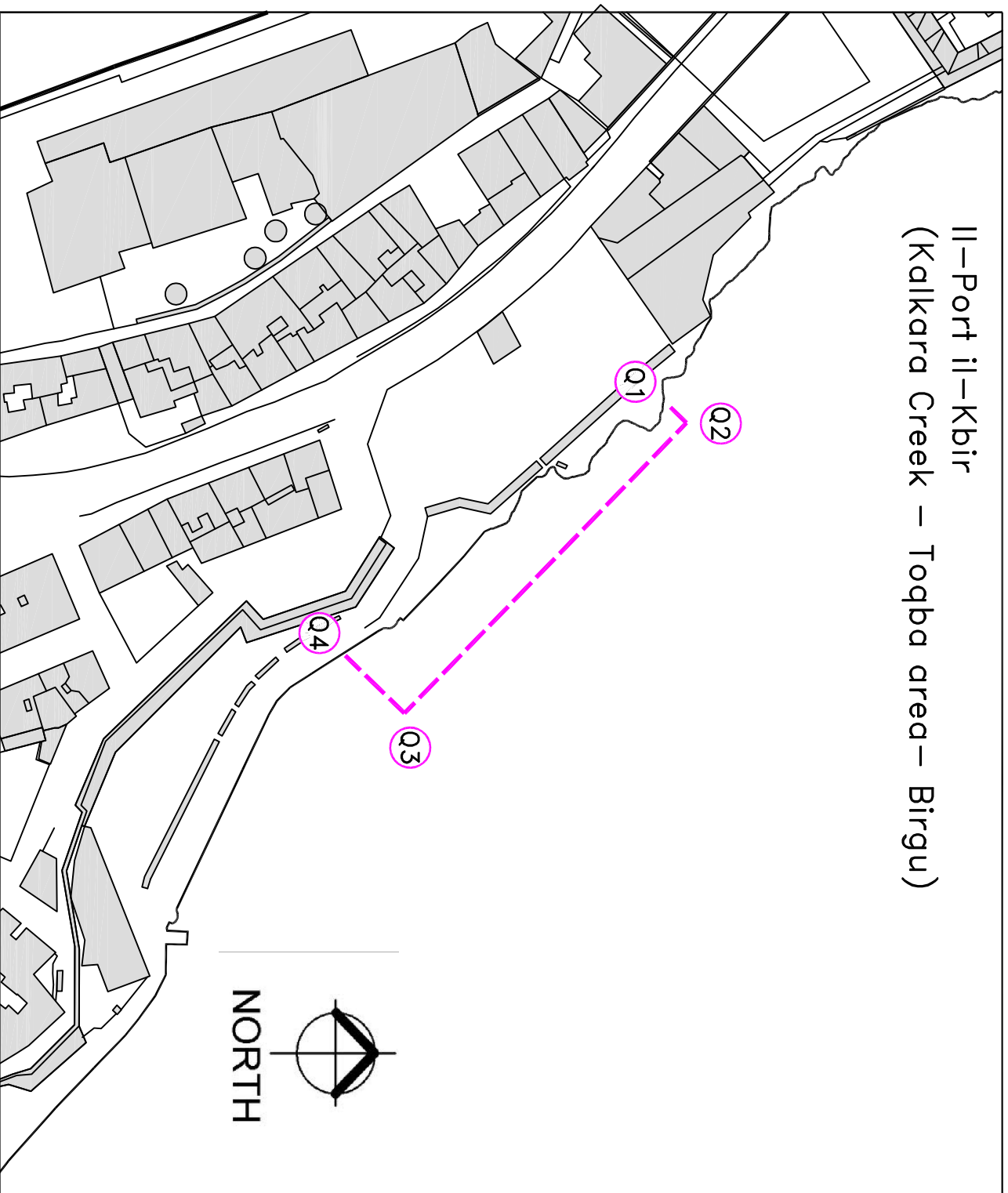
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Il-Port il-Kbir  
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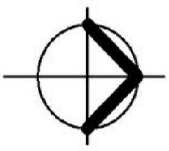


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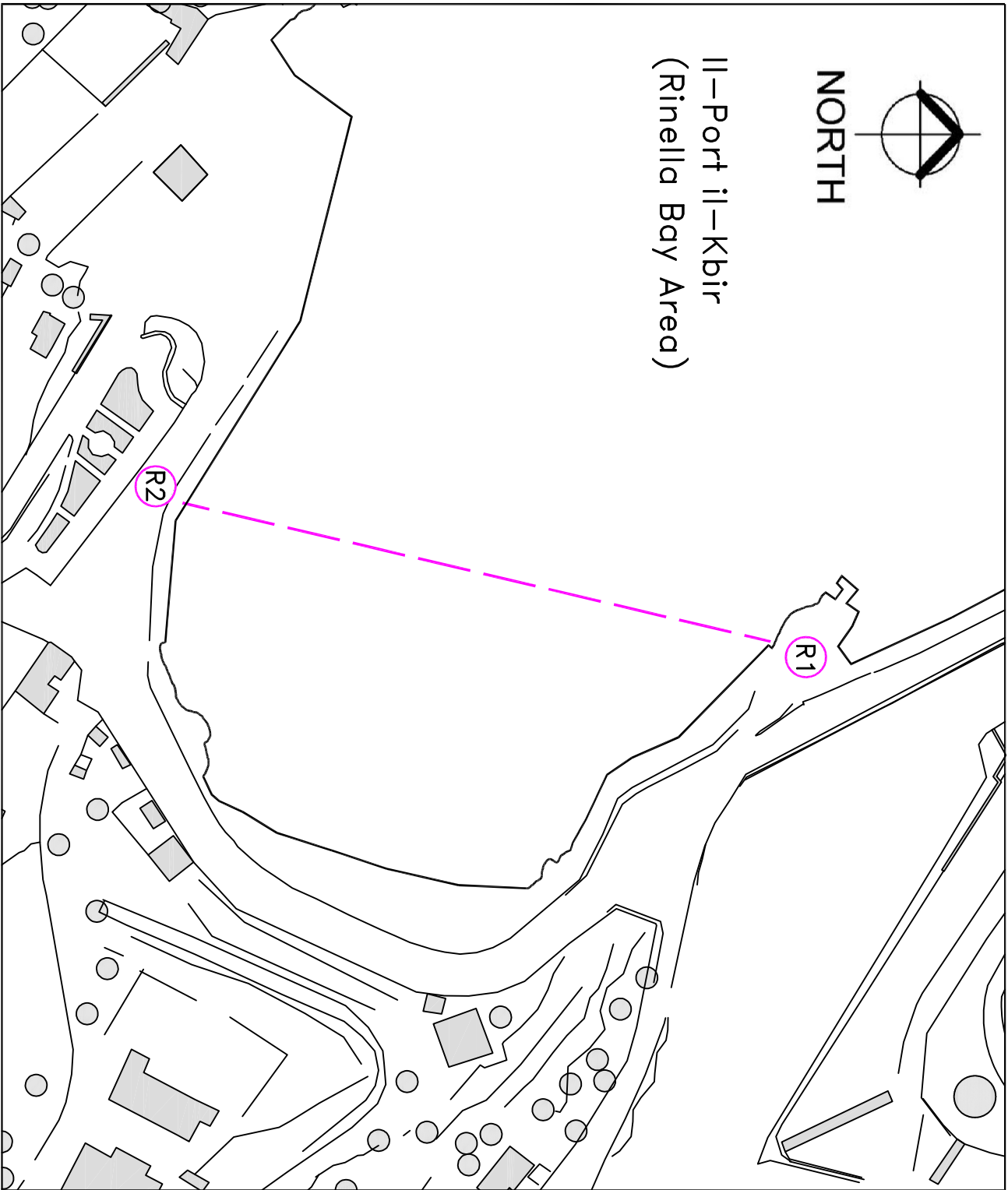
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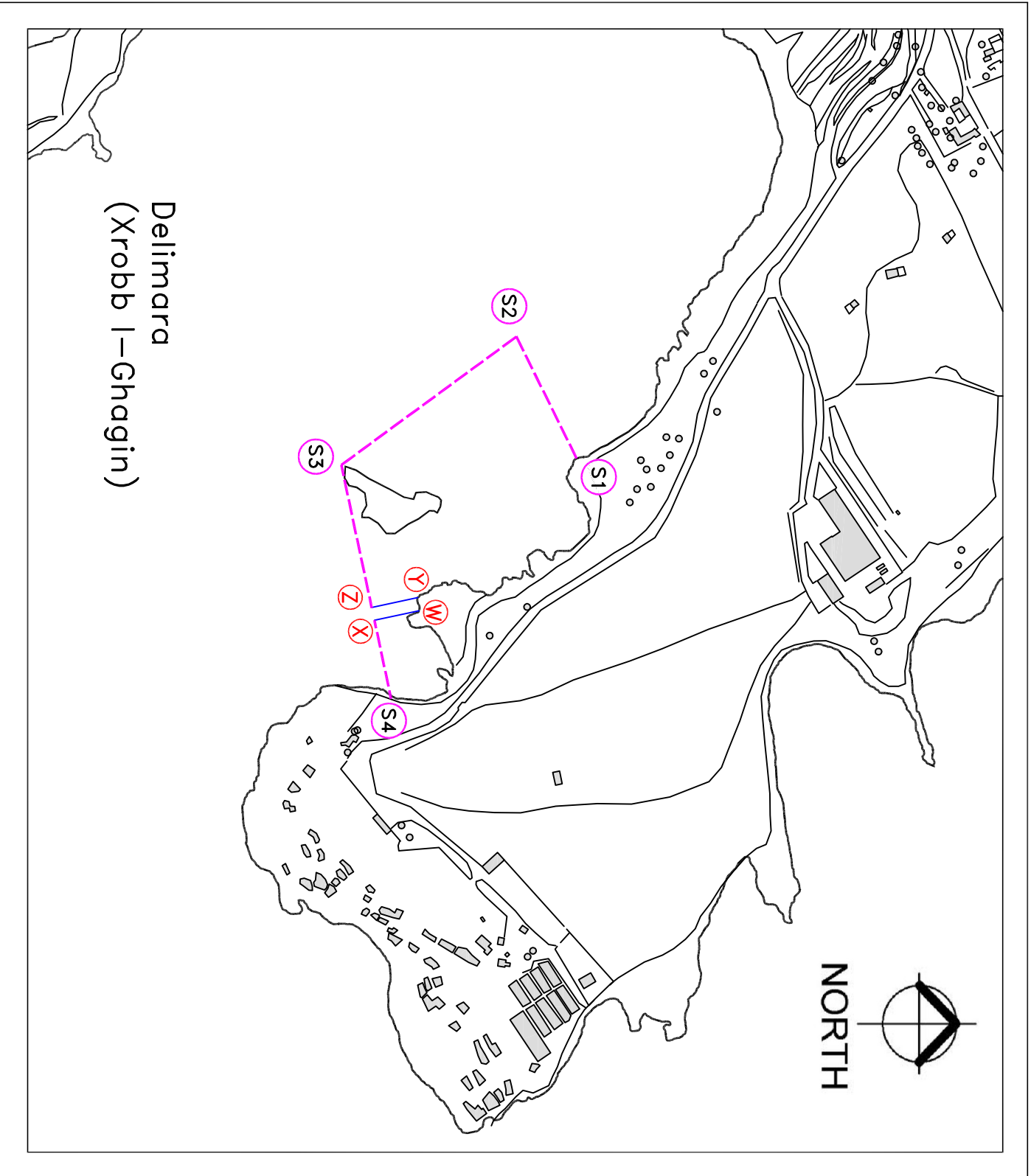
Il-Port il-Kbir  
(Rinella Bay Area)



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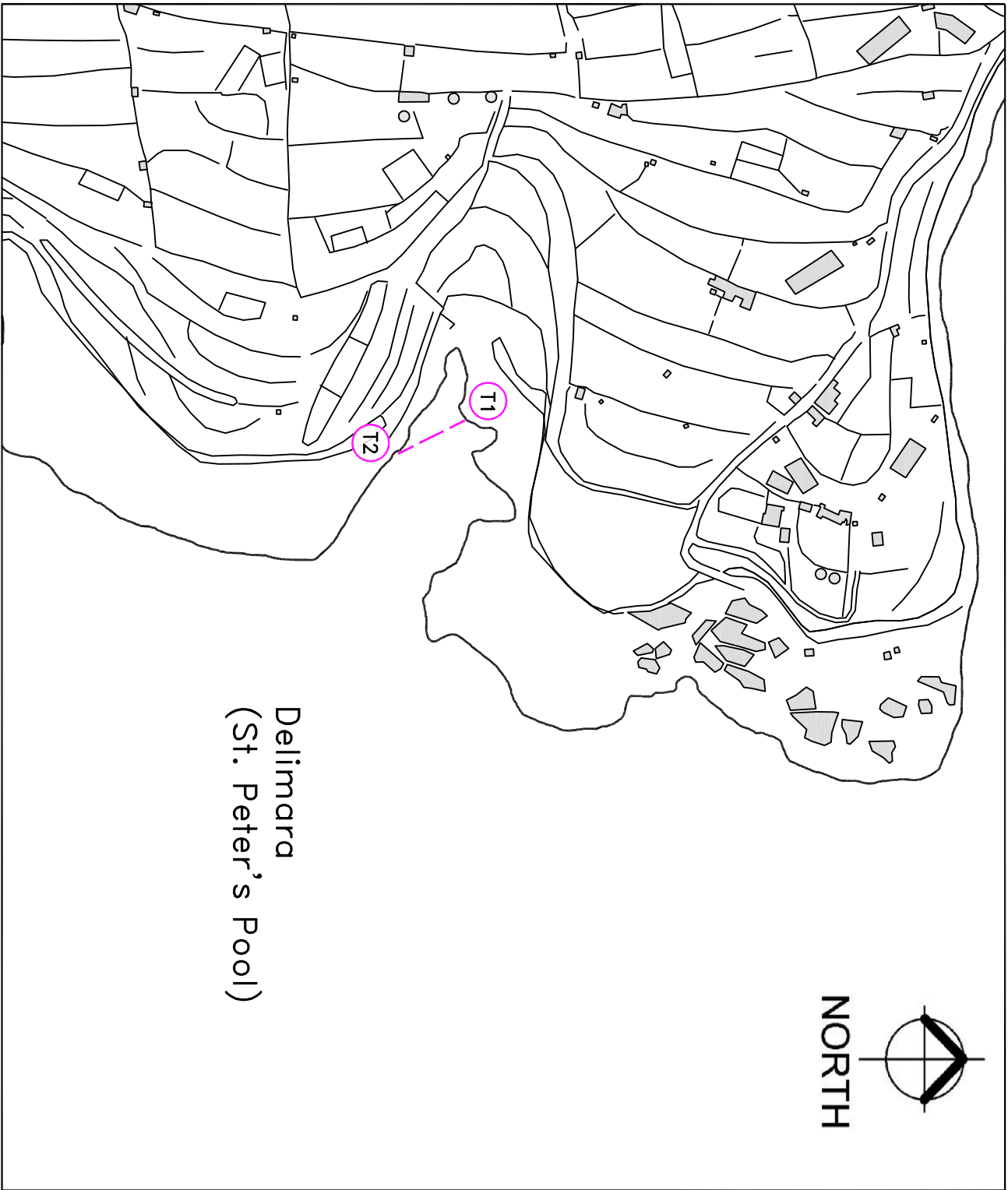


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Delimara  
(St. Peter's Pool)

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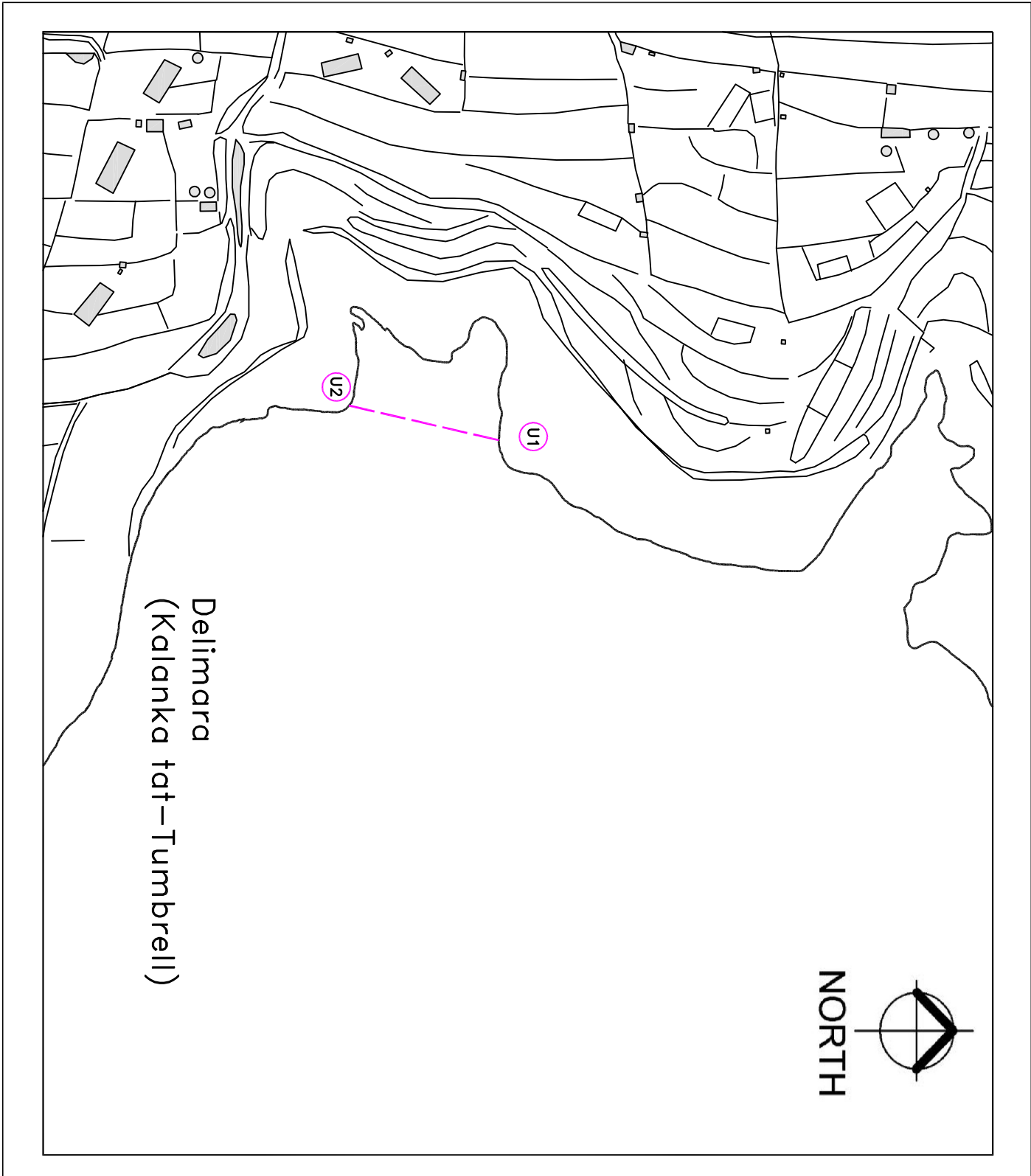
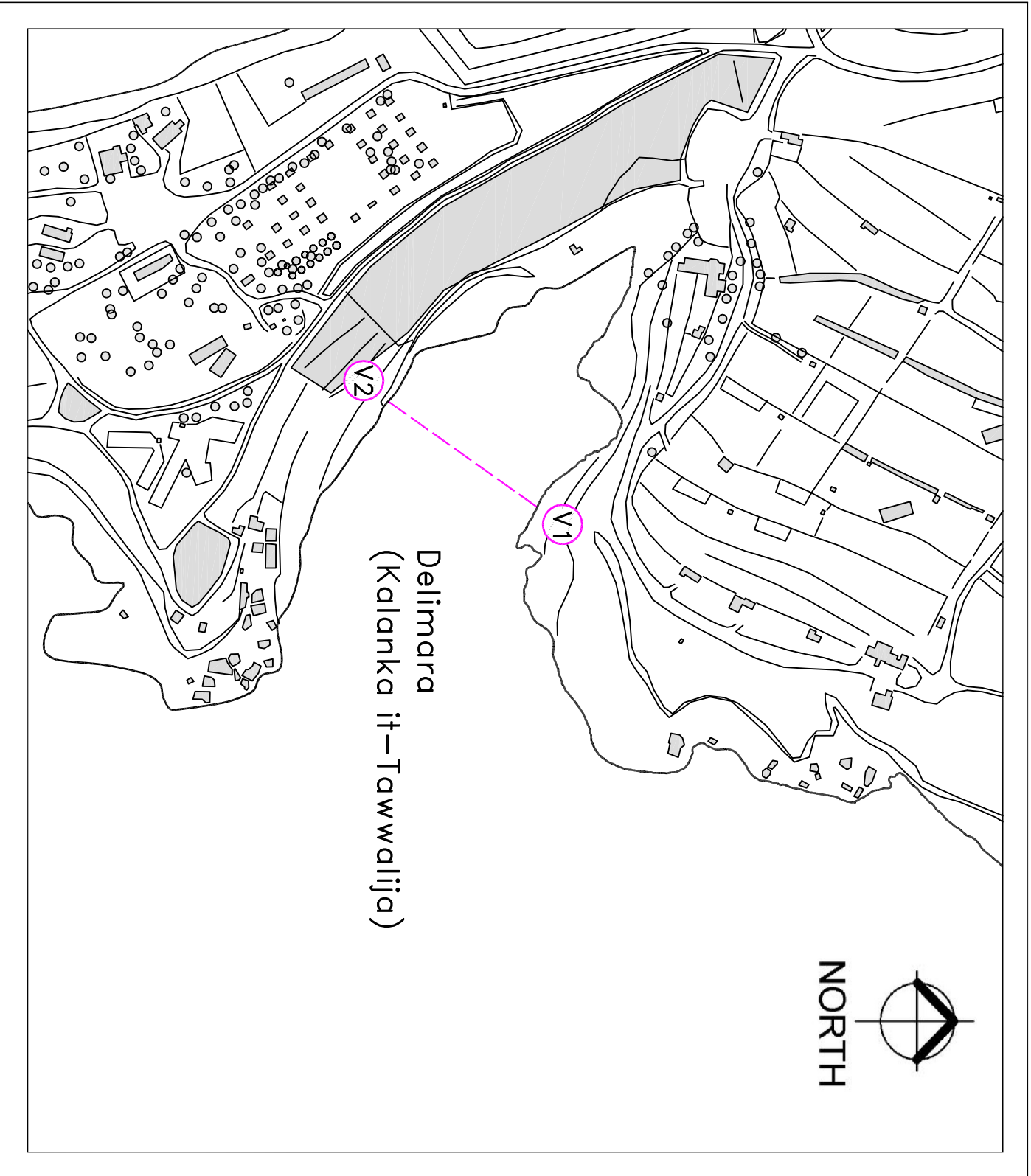


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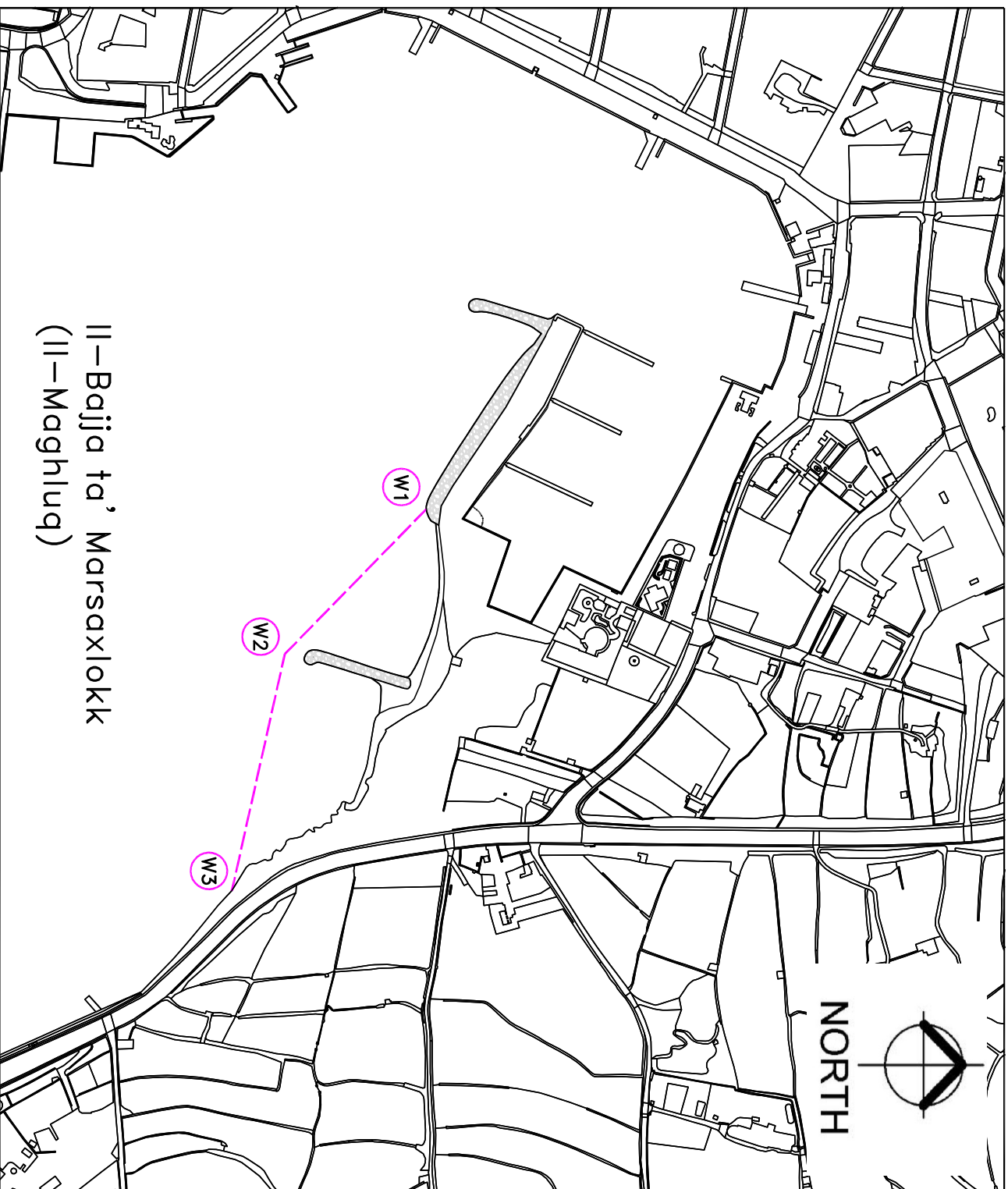
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