



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

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### **Sailing Regatta in Il-Bajja ta' Marsaxlokk – April 2022**

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta would like to notify mariners that the Birżebbuġa Sailing Club shall be holding Regattas for dinghies on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2022 and Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

Races shall be held between 0900 hours and 1700 hours (local time) on both days.

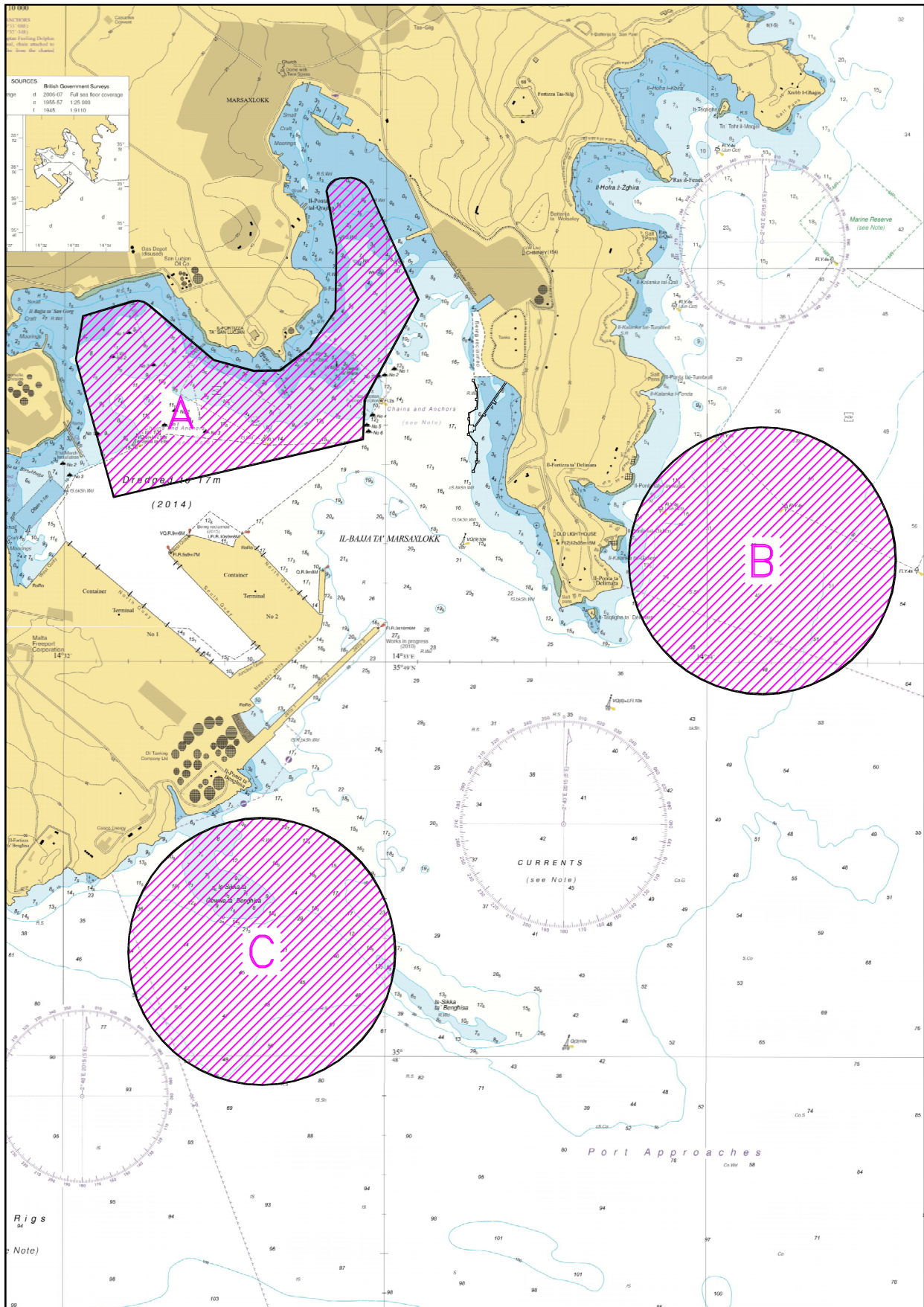
Class races shall be held over two (2) adjacent upwind / downwind courses, centred in the selected sailing area depending on the prevailing wind direction and weather conditions. See attached chart showing areas A, B and C.

The courses, around which the competitors shall have to sail, shall be defined by orange inflatable marks (waypoints) of about 1.5 meters in height.

Races will take place when no merchant vessel traffic is scheduled to enter or depart from the Malta Freeport Terminals.

Masters of all craft, not directly involved in this Sailing Regattas, are asked to keep clear of the racing area, especially at each of the turning marks. All mariners are to observe any instructions that may be given by personnel on the Race Organisers safety craft and on VHF Channels 14 and/or 16 by Marsaxlokk VTS.

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