



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

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Fireworks Display - Our Lady of Mount Carmel - Gzira feast

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies Mariners that firework displays will be let off from the foreshore in Sliema Creek, centred in positions A and B, as shown on the attached chart:

Position	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
A	35° 54'.316	014° 30'.257
B	35° 54'.275	014° 29'.775

The aerial fireworks display will take place from Manoel Island at point A, as shown in red on the attached chart, on the following dates and times:

Saturday 8th July 2023 from 0800 hours till 0815 hours,
from 1200 hours till 1215 hours,
from 1800 hours till 1845 hours and
from 2200 hours till 2300 hours.

Due to another event being held at Il-Fortizza Manoel, depending on wind direction the firework display being held on Saturday 8th July 2023 between 2200 hours and 2300 hours, may have to take place from point C instead, as shown in blue on the attached chart.

Position	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
C	35° 54'.296	014° 30'.363

Sunday 9th July 2023 from 0800 hours till 0815 hours,
from 1200 hours till 1215 hours
from 1900 hours till 2030 hours and
from 2100 hours till 2230 hours.



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Small fireworks will also be let off from near the bridge at point B, as shown in magenta on the attached chart, on the following date and time:

Saturday 8th July 2023 from 2300 hours till 2359 hours.

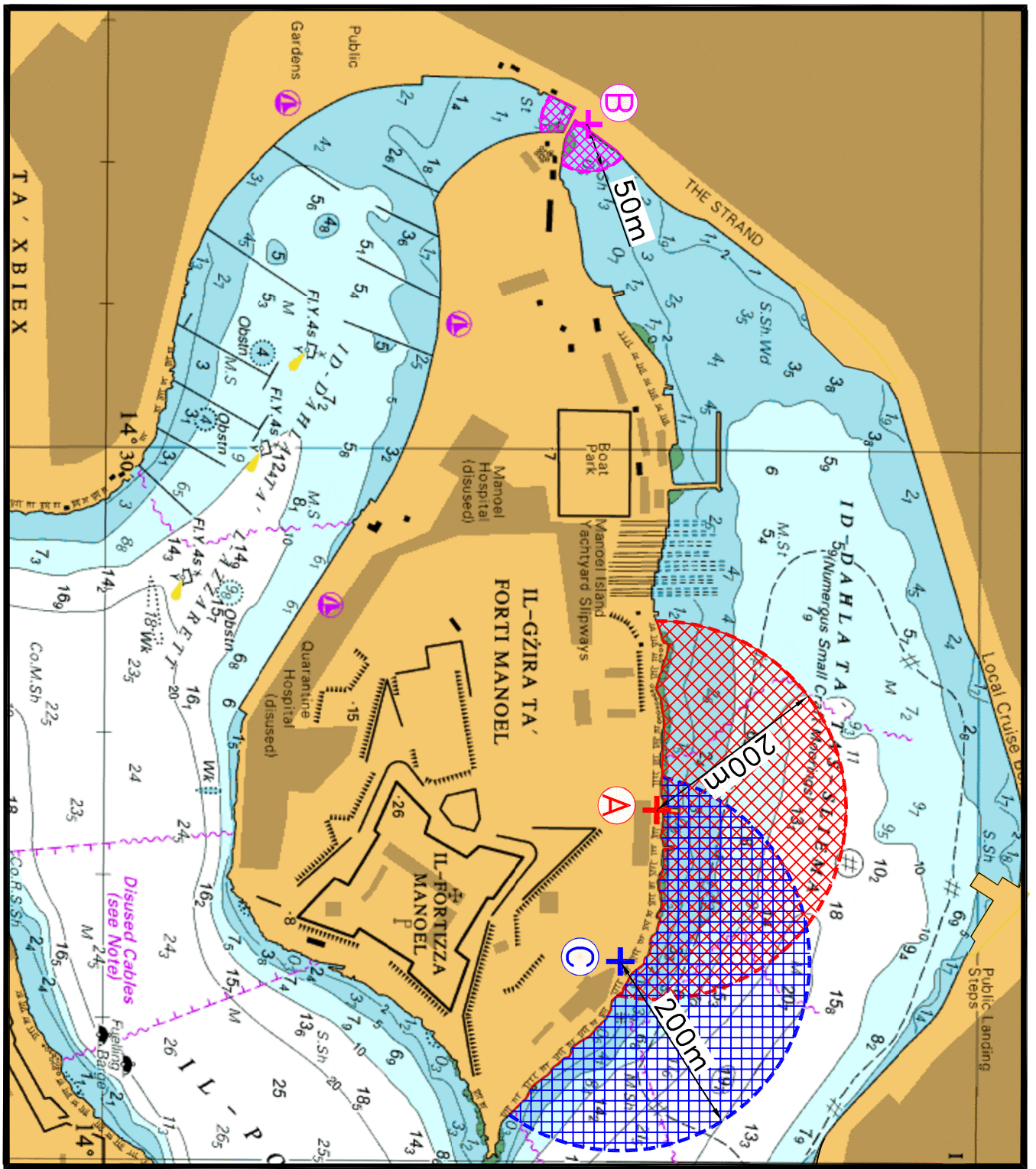
In view of the above, mariners are informed that navigation within 200 meters from the above-mentioned point A in Marsamxett Harbour will be prohibited during the time of the fireworks.

All craft moored within 200m from points A or C and 50m from point B (as shown on the attached chart) are to be removed on the above-mentioned dates and times of the fireworks displays.

Transport Malta will accept no liability whatsoever for any damage caused by the firework displays to any vessel and her ancillary equipment, whether such vessel and her ancillary equipment are left within the indicated area, or outside such area.

All mariners are to comply with any instructions given on VHF Channel 12 and/or 16, by Valletta VTS and by any enforcement officers on site.

Chart Affected: BA 177



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