



Malta Police Force EU Funded Projects



Internal Security Fund 2014-2020

This project is part-financed by the European Union
Co-financing rate: 75% EU Funds: 25% Beneficiary
Funds



Sustainable Management of Internal Security

Shared Management Funds Internal Security Funds (ISF)

1. **Procurement of Police equipment**
2. **Purchase of covert surveillance van**
3. **The purchase of four covert surveillance systems with video analytics**
4. **Procurement of Forensic equipment**



Shared Management ISF continued...

- 5. Passenger Name Record System (PNRS)**
- 6. Access to Interpol and Europol databases for competent law enforcement authorities**
- 7. Automatic Border Control Gates at the Malta International Airport**



Shared Management ISF continued...

- 8. Smart Policing - Enhancing the capacities of the Cyber Crime Unit**
- 9. Consolidation of the NS-SIS Unit IT Operations Room together with respective offices**
- 10. Extension of the existing Automatic Case Management System**
- 11. New and complete infrastructure to house the Command and Control Room**



Shared Management ISF continued...

12. Facial Recognition System at the Borders

13. Entry Exit System as per Regulation 2226/2017



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Shared Management Asylum, Migration and Integration Funds (AMIF)

14. Activities of Forced Return



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1. Procurement of Police Equipment: Bullet Proof Vests, Riots Kits and other equipment

SO & NO Preventing and Combating Crime

Budget: € 256,145.04

Departmental Tender

200	Bullet Proof Over Vest
200	Bullet Proof Under Vest
12	Inflatable Vest

DoC Tender

150	Riot Kits
100	Anti - Stab Vests
50	Flame Retardant Suits
32	Ballistic Plates



Project Finalised

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2. Purchase of Covert Surveillance Van

SO & NO Preventing and combating Crime

Budget: € 86,310.90



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3. Covert surveillance systems

SO&NO Preventing & Combating Crime

The four systems purchased will serve as deterrent but mostly the benefit of these cameras is that they can feed data in almost real time and catch detail as far as 10 km away. One of the cameras has also thermal features making it easier to detect subjects.

Budget:

€ 49,968.03



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4. Procurement of Forensic Equipment

SO & NO Preventing and Combating Crime

In order to strengthen the Malta Police Force's investigative and analytical capacity and to deter crime, the purchase of two special forensic equipment is being sought through an open tender. These devices identify and detect illicit substances, unknown chemicals, precursors and explosives.

Budget:

€ 75,000



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5. Passenger Name Record System

SO Preventing and Combating Crime
NO Exchange of Information

This project consists mainly in upgrading our Advance Passenger Information System to Passenger Name Record System. The procurement of software and hardware were essential in setting up the Passenger Information Unit but also transposing the Directive into National Law.

Budget:

€ 1,932,203.74

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6. Access to Interpol and Europol databases for competent Law Enforcement Authorities

SO Preventing and Combating Crime
NO Crime Exchange of Information

This project will integrate both databases to the National Police System and make them interoperable, thus allowing for searches on a HIT/NOHIT basis.

Budget: € 1,044,856.67



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7. Automatic Border Control Gates

SO Borders and Operating Support
NO Common Union Standards and Operating Support

The Malta Police Force is installing these gates both at the departures and arrivals lounges at Malta International Airport

Budget: € 790,000



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8. Smart Policing Enhancing the Capacities of the Cyber Crime Unit

SO Prevention and Combating Crime
NO exchange of information

Budget: € 667,930



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9. Consolidation of the NS-SIS Unit IT Operations Room with respective offices

SO Preventing and Combating Crime

NO exchange of information

The NS-SiS Unit within the Malta Police Force is the host of all Police National Systems and also to the Information Systems related to Border Control and European Union.

This project mainly consists of refurbishment and this is a continuation of the previous project under EBF.

Budget: € 203,100



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10. Extension of the existing Automated Case Management System

The need for new ICT tools is always on the increase and the extension of the already existing Case Management System will enhance timely exchange of information between all national and EU agencies fighting against serious organised crime. This development will enable the MPF to request VIS decisions under Eurodac regulations.

SO Prevention and Combating Crime NO exchange of information

Budget: € 800,000



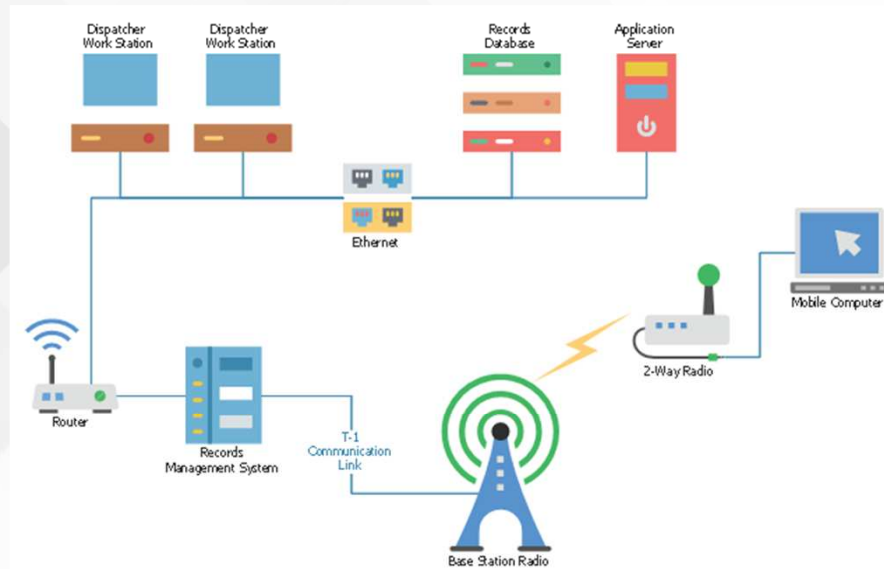
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11. New and complete infrastructure to house the Command and Control Room (phase 1 and 2)

SO Risk and Crises NO Early warning and Crisis

Budget: € 2,720,214.31



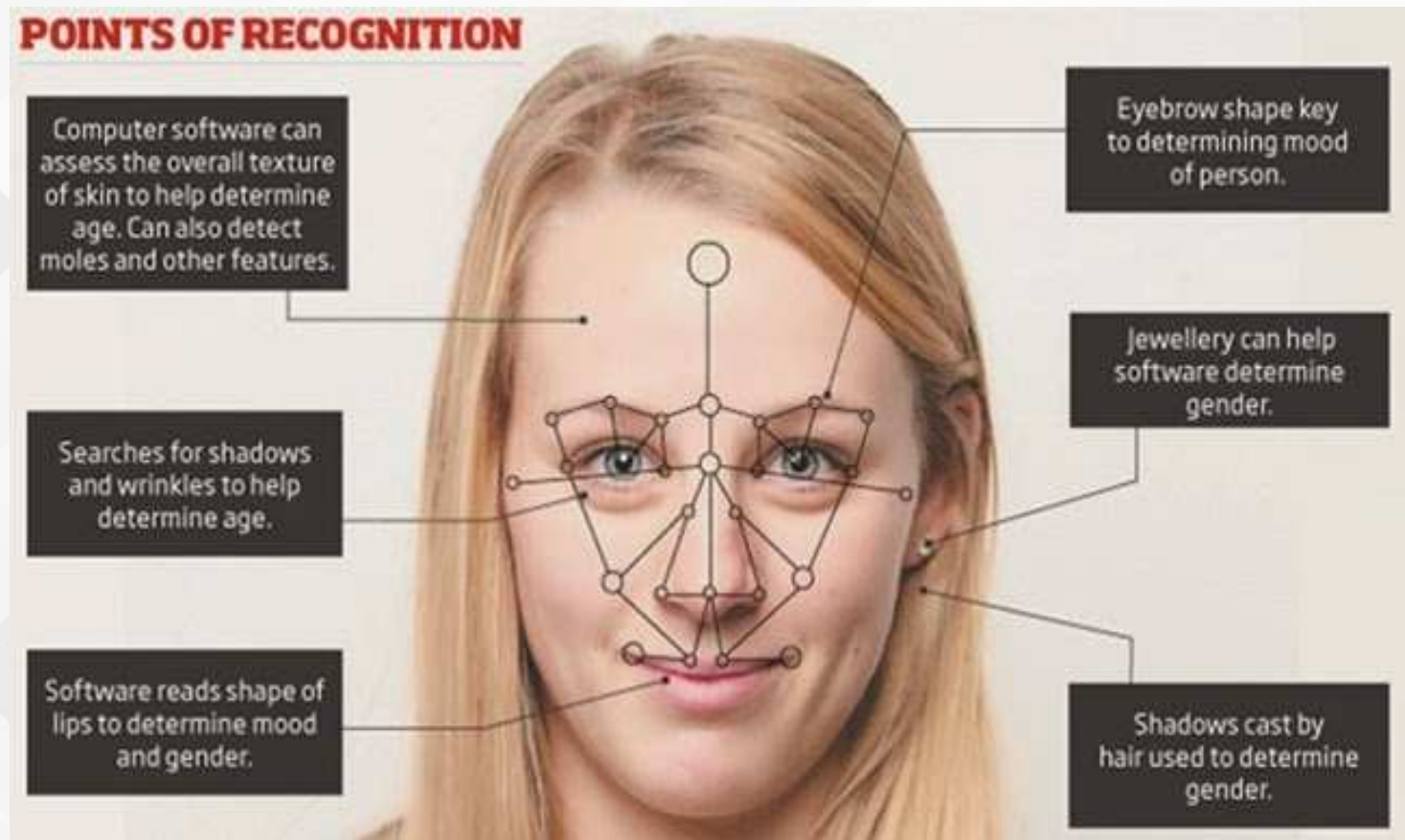
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12. Facial Recognition System at the borders

SO Borders NO Common Union Standards

Budget: € 1,066,667



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13. Entry Exit System

SO Borders NO National Capacity

Budget: € 6,412,600



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14. Activities of Forced Return

SO & NO Return Measures

This project consists of the expenses related to the repatriation of 3rd country Nationals which are staying illegally in Malta.

Budget: € 727,900



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Total Budget allocated to the Malta Police Force between 2014-2020

€ 16,832,895.69

Without additional funds to be allocated to
ETIAS, SIS and Interoperability



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Generic Common Indicators

- Number of projects in the area of crime prevention -9
- Number of projects supported by the Fund, aiming to improve law enforcement information exchanges which are related to EUROPOL data systems, repositories or communication tools (e.g. data loaders, extending access to SIENA, projects aiming to improving input to analysis work files etc.) - 5
- Number of tools put in place or upgraded with the help of the Fund to facilitate the protection of critical infrastructure by Member States in all sectors of the economy - 2
- Number of projects relating to the assessment and management of risks in the field of internal security supported by the Fund - 2
- Number of border control (checks and surveillance) infrastructure and means developed or upgraded with the help of the Fund – 4 ABC gates
- Total number of border crossings in 2018 circa 7 million 2.2 million non-Schengen supported by the Fund 200,000 arrivals per annum 200,000 departures are predicted to go through the ABC Gates. Please note that seaport and yacht marinas are not included
- Number of returnees whose return is foreseen to be co-financed by the Fund - circa 518
- Number of Monitored removal Operations and escorted Co-financed by the fund 21





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