TECHNICIAN TRAINING FOR THE CONSERVATION OF MOSAICS

PART 1
THE CONSERVATION OF IN SITU MOSAICS

Documentation of mosaics

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# Written Documentation

## Data Forms

### DATA FORM NO. 3 – CONDITION ASSESSMENT

**STUDY PHASE**

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#### PRESENT EXPOSURE CONDITIONS

- In open air
- Reburied
- Under an open shelter
- Under a removable cover
- Under a closed shelter
- Parts not excavated or inaccessible

**DATA FORM NO. 1 – IDENTIFICATION**

**SITE**

**BUILDING**

**ROOM**

**SECTIONS, FRAGMENTS OR LEVELS**

**MOSAIC ID**

**EXISTING DOCUMENTATION ABOUT THE MOSAIC AND ITS CONSERVATION**

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**GENERAL OBSERVATIONS ON THE CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUE**

**DETERIORATION OF INTERVENTIONS AROUND THE MOSAIC**

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<th>Clogged drainage</th>
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**OSERVATIONS ON THE CONDITION ASSESSMENT**

**GENERAL CONDITION OF THE MOSAIC**

- Good
- Fair
- Bad

- Date recommended for next inspections
- Date recommended for interventions

**PREPARED BY**

**DATE**
TITLE: Previous Interventions Map
DATE: June 2005
PREPARED BY: Mohamed Said

LEGEND – PREVIOUS INTERVENTIONS MAP

- Mortar repairs
  - Infilling of lacunae
  - Edging repair
  - Outline of each infilling or edging mortar
  - Overlapping between mortar layers (new ▶️ old)
  - Filling of interstices between tesserae

- Reintegration of lacunae
  - Reintegration with tesserae
  - Reintegration with :

- Detached mosaics
  - Outline of the support panels of a detached mosaic re-laid in situ
  - Location of the metal reinforcements of the support panels
  - Parts detached and stored elsewhere

- Other types of interventions
  - Reburial outline
  - Drainage openings
Photographic Documentation

Photographs

General photo

Photographic survey

Documentation photo
The maintenance process and its documentation through time
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GENERAL OBSERVATIONS ON THE CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUE

(Type of pavement, decoration, materials, colors, tesserae sizes, etc.)

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## Data Form No. 2 – Previous Interventions

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<th>Reintegration of lacunae</th>
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<td>with pieces of stone, brick or other material inserted into the mortar</td>
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<th>Lifting and relaying on a new support</th>
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<td>Application of a surface product (resin, wax, etc.)</td>
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| Reburial (Draw a vertical section of the reburial; describe the fill materials and separation membranes used, provide the total thickness and thickness of each layer) |

### Previous Interventions Around the Mosaic

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### Dates of Previous Interventions Carried Out and Information Sources

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During the initial inspection, check the boxes of all the deterioration phenomena that are present. During maintenance cycles, only indicate new deterioration phenomena that have occurred since the last inspection or last intervention.

## STRUCTURAL DETERIORATION

- Tessellatum lacunae
- Cracks
- Bulges

## SURFACE DETERIORATION

- Detached tesserae
- Deteriorated tesserae
- Deteriorated mortar between tesserae

## PRESENCE OF BIO-DETERIORATION AGENTS

- Micro-organisms
- Vegetation

## DETERIORATION OF INTERVENTIONS

- Deteriorated lacunae fills or edging repairs
- Deteriorated support panels
- Deteriorated support metal reinforcements

### Reburial

- Presence of vegetation
- Loss of fill materials
- Deteriorated separation membranes

## DETERIORATION OF INTERVENTIONS AROUND THE MOSAIC

- Clogged drainage
- Deteriorated cover or shelter
- Stabilized walls with new deterioration
- Damaged access barrier
- Other: 

## OBSERVATIONS ON THE CONDITION ASSESSMENT

**GENERAL CONDITION OF THE MOSAIC**

- Good
- Fair
- Bad

- Date recommended for next inspection: 

  (No intervention required)

- Date recommended for intervention: 

  (Intervention required)

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# DATA FORM NO. 4—INTERVENTION PLANNING

**PLANNING PHASE**

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**TOTAL WORK DAYS FOR 1 TECHNICIAN:**

Number of days / weeks / months: __________ for number of technicians: __________

- Intervention by a specialist needed on or around the mosaic
  Notes:

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How to number the divisions of a mosaic

**SECTIONS**

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

**FRAGMENTS**

| A | B |

**LEVELS**

| I | II |
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CASE STUDY

Hergla, Tunisia

House “of the two peristyles”
ID: HE/H2P/25
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SITE  Hergla (HE)

BUILDING  House “of the two peristyles” (H2P)

ROOM  25

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**ROOM**

**SECTIONS, FRAGMENTS OR LEVELS**

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(Type of pavement, decoration, materials, colors, tesserae sizes, etc.)

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**Dimensions and numbering of SECTIONS in the drawing**

![Diagram of mosaic sections](image)
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![Diagram of mosaic levels](image)

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**PREPARED BY**

Mohamed Said

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SITE
Hergla (HE)

BUILDING
House “of the two peristyles” (H2P)

ROOM 25

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MOASIC ID
HE / H2P / 25

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