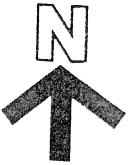
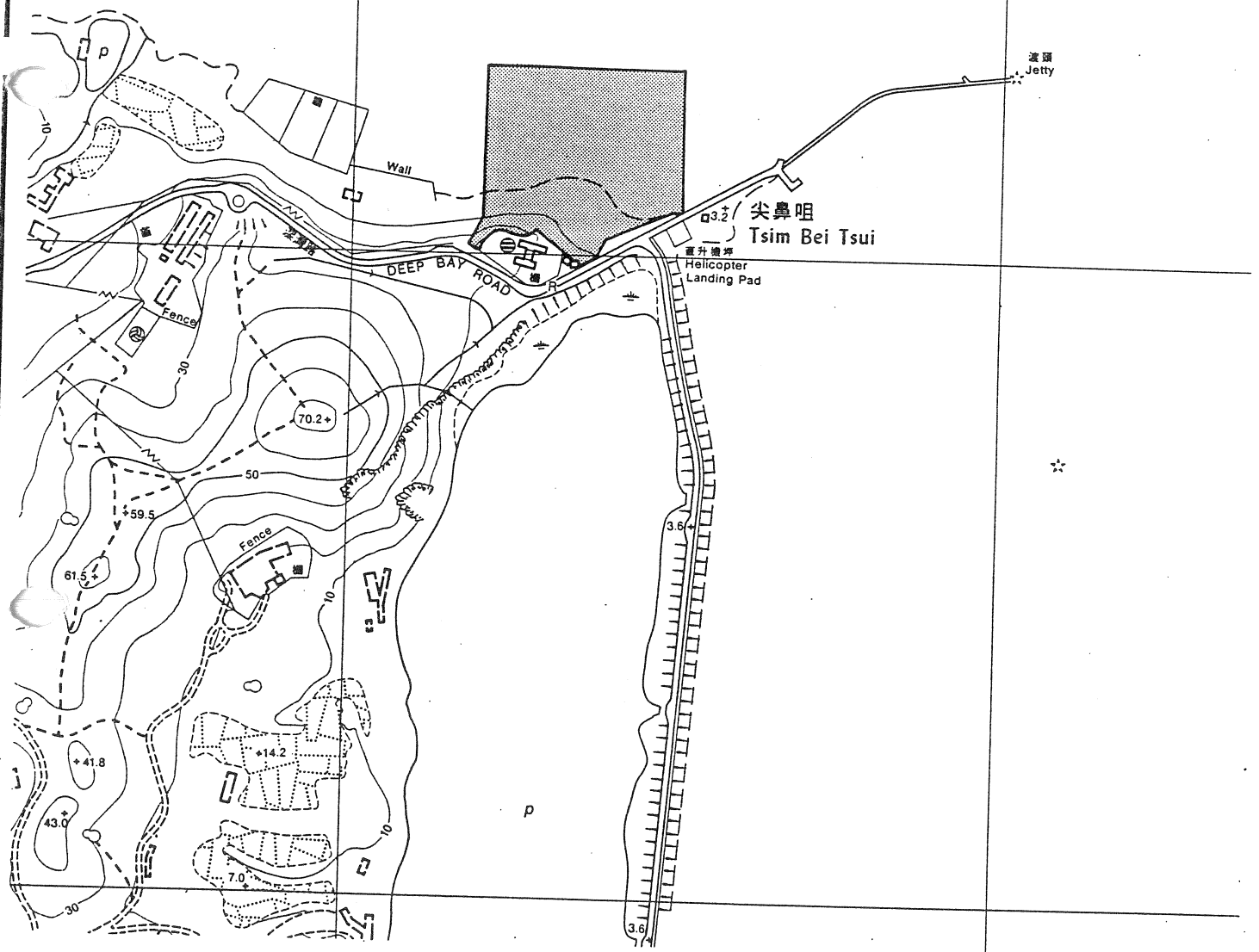


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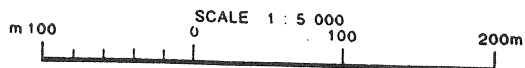


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No. 41 - Tsim Bei Tsui

Site

The site is a seafront location at Tsim Bei Tsui just below Tsim Bei Tsui Police Post (JV 923897) in the north-western part of the New Territories of Hong Kong. The area is about 2.1 hectares.

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Special Scientific Interest

The site contains a mature mangrove community, progressing from the high zoned mangroves of the landward fringe to the pioneer species at the water edge. Amongst them is Bruguiera conjugata which is becoming rare in Hong Kong. Moreover, this mangrove stand provides the only known habitat in Hong Kong for the large mangrove pulmonate snail, Ellobium polita (Ellobiidae).

Degree of Hazard

Although the site appears to be well protected due to its proximity to the Police Station and by the Boarder Fence, any further development of existing or new fish ponds/duck farms or similar foreshore activities could destroy this mangrove community.

Recommended Protection Measures

The Agriculture & Fisheries Department should be closely consulted on any development proposals which will affect the site. No other protection or management measures are necessary at the present time.