

MAKING DORSET'S COASTAL ARCHAEOLOGY MORE ACCESSIBLE

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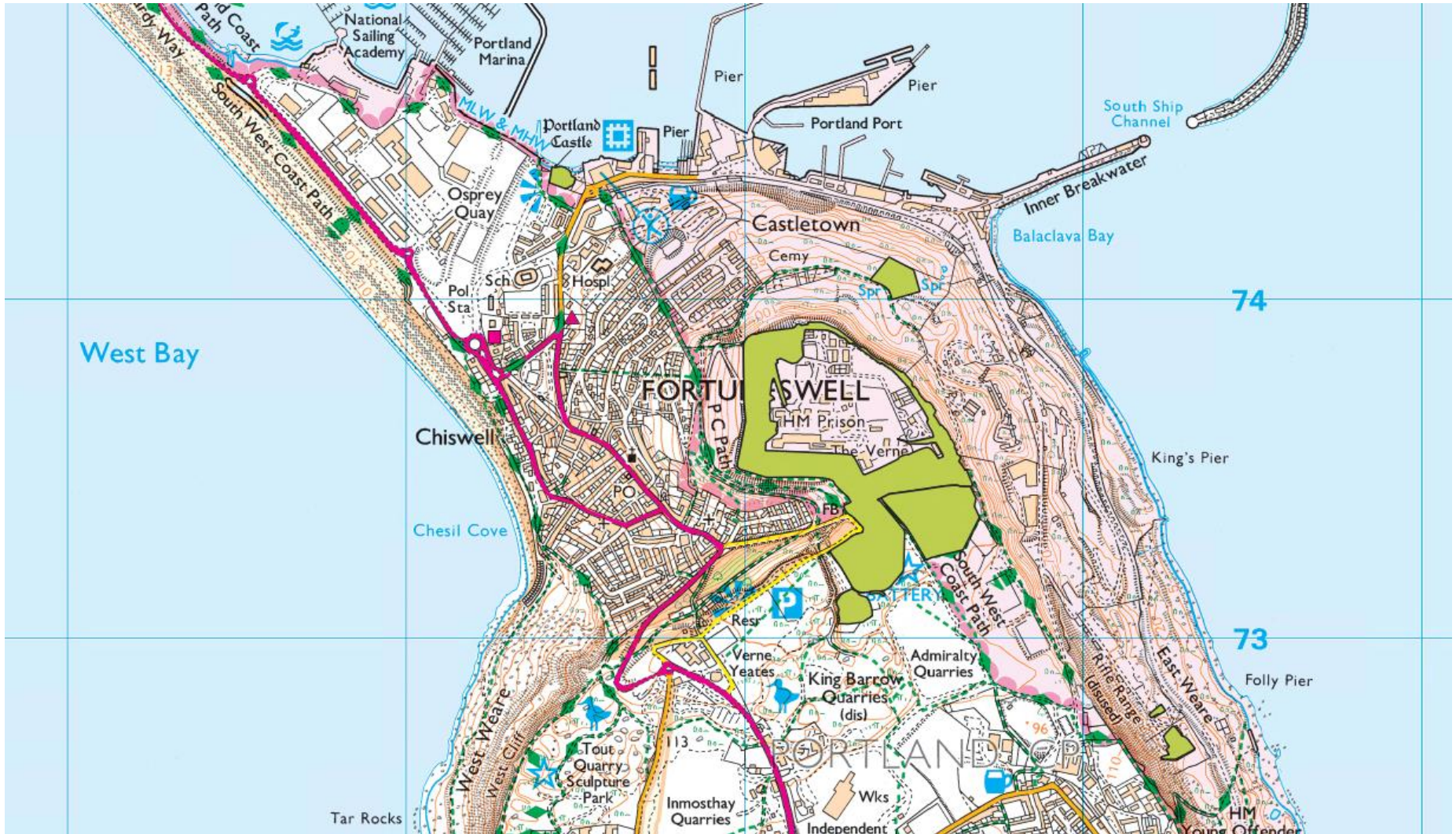
REDISCOVERING HIGH ANGLE BATTERY







The 'bigger picture'



Areas in green are Scheduled Monuments.

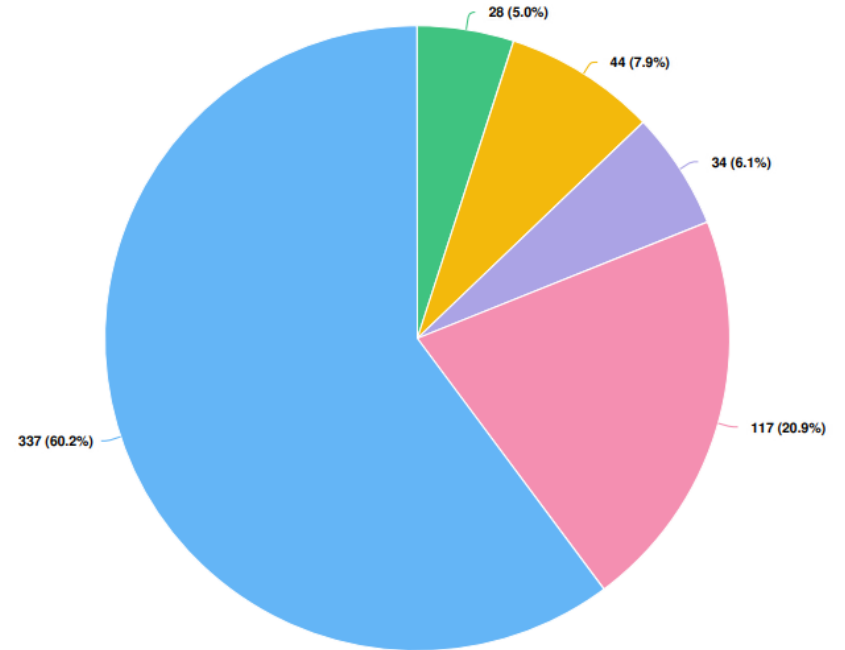
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The issues



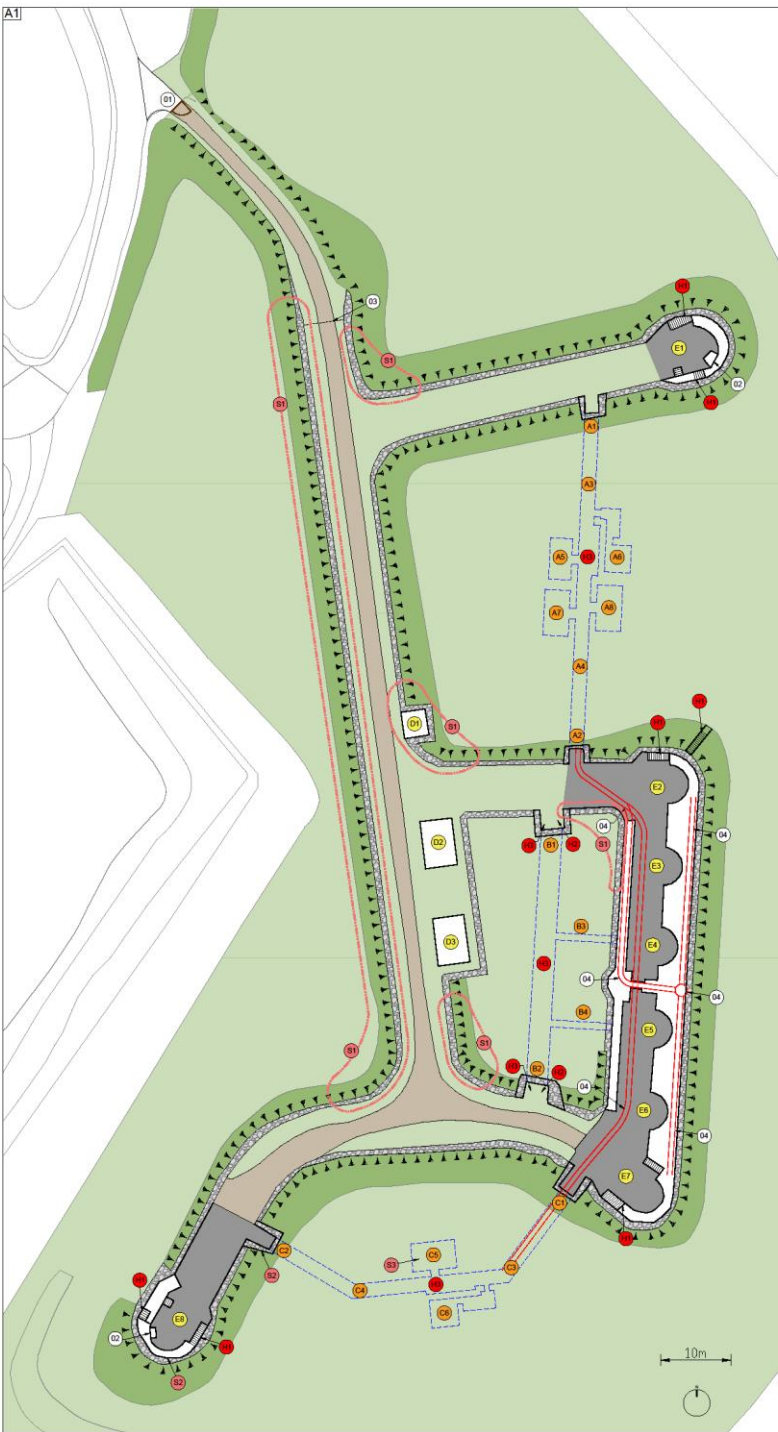
The public consultation – the Ghost Tunnels

Q7 The Tunnels We are considering closing all of the tunnels for safety reasons and to get drone footage of all tunnels to have a photographic record that would be available online. What is your view on this? Credit: Historic England Archive



Question options

● Definitely disagree ● Somewhat disagree ● Neither agree nor disagree ● Somewhat agree ● Definitely agree



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- Key**
- Existing buildings and structures
 - Existing underground structures
 - Existing vegetation - gentle gradient
 - Existing vegetation - steep gradient/landform
 - Existing dirt paths
 - Existing concrete surfaces
 - Existing stone retaining walls
 - Existing field gates - maintenance access
 - Existing narrow gauge railway line

- A** Tunnel A (individual areas marked as A1-A8)
 - B** Tunnel B (individual areas marked as B1-B4)
 - C** Tunnel C (individual areas marked as C1-C6)
- Buildings (individual buildings marked D1-D3)**
- D1** Building 1 - damaged roof, seal up required
 - D2** Building 2 - minor damage, seal up required
 - D3** Building 3 - minor damage, seal up required
- Emplacements (individual areas marked as E1-E8)**
- Health & Safety**
- Damaged steps & overgrown vegetation
 - Damaged handrails
 - Rubble/debris on the pedestrian routes
- Damage to structures and walls**
- Wall and bank erosion within area
 - Missing capping stones
 - Damaged structures
- Other items:**
- Existing field gate
 - Latrine building
 - Historic entrance to the Battery
 - Narrow gauge railway line

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