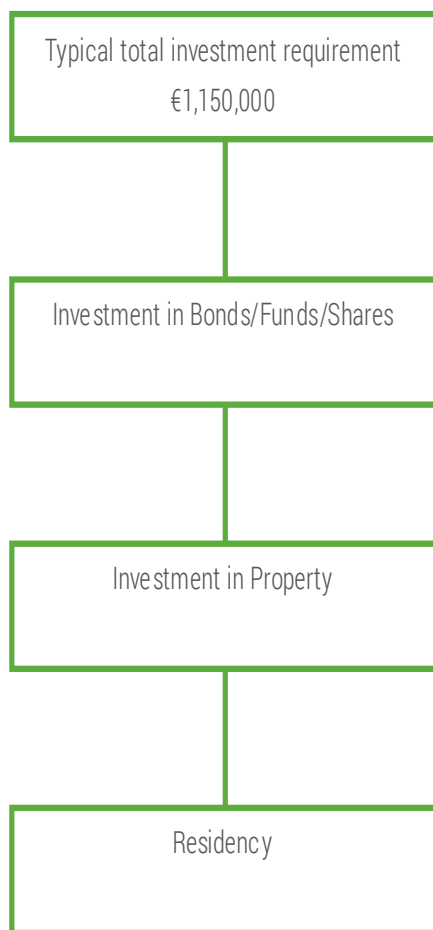


## Malta 'Citizenship by Investment' Programme Individual Investor Programme ('IIP')



### CONTRIBUTION TO NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL FUND

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- Minimum €650,000 contribution for the main applicant and an additional contribution per qualifying dependant listed under the programme, as applicable: 70% goes into a National Development and Social Fund set up by the Government of Malta, 30% goes into a Government Consolidated Fund.

### INVESTMENT

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- Minimum €150,000 contribution, invested into qualifying investments, e.g. Malta Government bonds, maintained for a minimum of 5 years.

### PROPERTY

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- Purchase residential property of at least €350,000, or rental of a residential property of at least €16,000 per annum. Property must be retained for at least 5 years following the issue of the certificate of naturalisation.

### RESIDENCY

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- In order to qualify for the grant of a certificate of naturalisation in terms of the programme, the main applicant must hold the status of a resident of Malta for at least 12 months prior to the grant of the certificate. This residency requirement seeks evidence of genuine links with Malta together with a period of actual physical presence in Malta. Persons already resident in Malta for at least 1 year prior to IIP approval would be considered to have met this requirement.

### TIMING

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- Citizenship may be granted after 12 months from effective date of commencement of the genuine links with Malta in terms of the aforementioned residency requirement, subject to satisfactory conclusion of the programme.

### APPLICATIONS

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- Made to and processed by Identity Malta, submitted through an Approved Agent.

## Malta Residence and Visa Programme

### INVESTMENT

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The Government of Malta has introduced the Malta Residence and Visa Programme through which applicants may acquire the right to reside in Malta, subject to the fulfilment of certain conditions, including:

- An investment of **€250,000** in qualifying investments as may be periodically determined by Identity Malta (e.g. Government bonds)
- A qualifying property by way of purchase at a minimum value of **€320,000** or by way of lease at a minimum rent of **€12,000** per annum
- Economically stable, i.e. must have an annual income of at least **€100,000** per annum, arising outside Malta, or be in possession of capital of not less than **€500,000**
- Is not a national of Malta or any other EU/EEA state
- Holds a comprehensive health insurance covering himself and all dependants for all risks across the whole of the EU
- Is in good health and not suffering from any contagious disease
- Is of good character

### THE BENEFITS

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The beneficiary and dependants would be entitled to:

- Reside in Malta
- Visa-free travel throughout the Schengen Area, subject to 3 months in any 6 month period, excluding periods of stay in Malta