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# 秘密特工

# ROGUE AGENT

LOCATE A ROGUE SECRET  
AGENT AND PREVENT AN  
INTERNATIONAL INCIDENT



# Briefing

Greetings, Special Agent.

We have a request on our hands from our friends over at the CIA. In September of 2021, one of their operatives went missing in action. Upon further investigation, it was discovered this operative went rogue and started a smuggling business for the Russians. Mostly dealing in complex electronics, which have become difficult to come by for Russians after sanctions began. The agent we're looking for is named Valentino Maggi. Born in Brooklyn New York on 18.05.1987.

Valentino was recruited into the CIA during his time as a student at Columbia University. Most of his 10 years in active service were spent as an analyst working out of Langley. Recently though, in August of 2020, Valentino moved to overseas work. Being stationed in Italy as a liaison officer for the Italian foreign intelligence agency "Agenzia Informazioni e Sicurezza Esterna". Doing stellar work, right up until the point he went missing. Prompting an extensive investigation into his whereabouts.

And that is where your task begins. One of the files recovered from Valentino's computer, is an image with a text file. We believe this to be the current location of Valentino Maggi. Locate the safehouse, so local authorities can raid the premises.

As always, Special Agent, the contract is yours, if you choose to accept.



A man in a dark suit, white shirt, and dark tie stands in the center of the frame. He is wearing dark sunglasses and has a serious expression. The background is a warm-toned, slightly blurred image of a building with windows and shutters, suggesting a Mediterranean or European setting. The overall color palette is dominated by browns, oranges, and yellows, giving it a vintage or cinematic feel.

## Materials

safehouse-aerial-rogue-agent.jpg

## Answer Instruction

Use the answer to unlock the flagfile, this will reward you with your badge.

answer format: country-town-coordinate

answer example: spain-madrid-12.345678-12.345678

## Flagfile

Be advised, the flagfile is an encrypted ZIP. Make sure your OS supports the ZIP format. Ensure the password contains no hidden characters or formatting.

## Write-Up

There is an attached file called a write-up, this will give you the answer in case you get stuck.

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