

REPUBLIC OF SLOVENIA

Description of the unit of intangible cultural heritage

Unique identification of heritage: 2-00051

Name of the unit: Dry stone walling

Category of heritage:

knowledge and practices concerning nature and the universe

Brief description:

Dry stone walling is a skill of building without the use of a binding material, where different types of solid stone buildings are constructed from available local stone obtained by cleaning and arranging land plots and while understanding the concept of building by stacking. The knowledge of stacking stones without a binder is the basic and original technique of building in the Karst and Istria, where this type of construction served as the basic condition of survival.

Photo:

Eda Belingar, 2014



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