

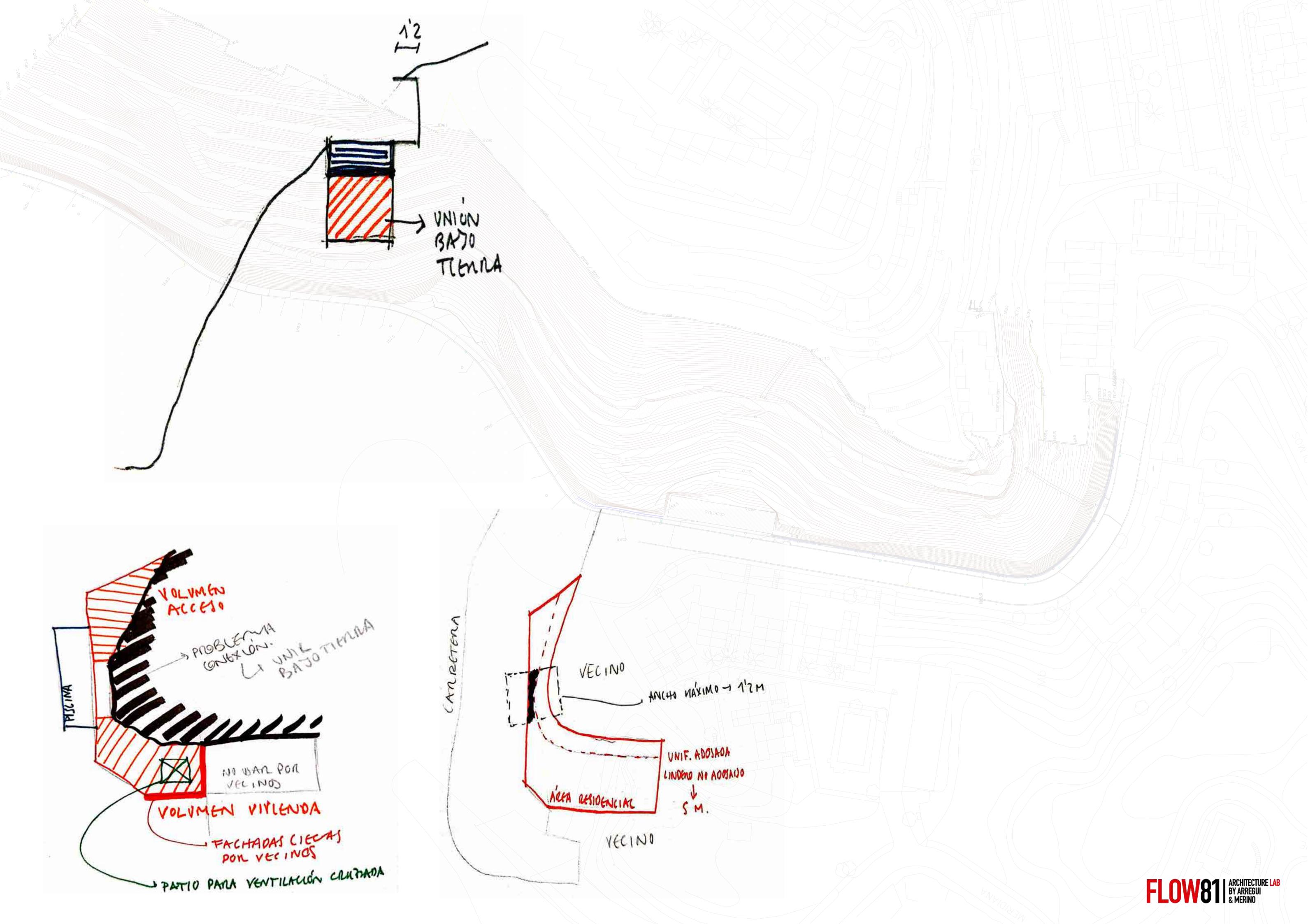
EL RISCO



CONDITIONS

- -42% slope, a cliff
- -Many neighbors, less privacy
- -Very compact rocky terrain
- -Very restricted urban development
- -Very complicated neighborhood





HIDDEN IN ROCK

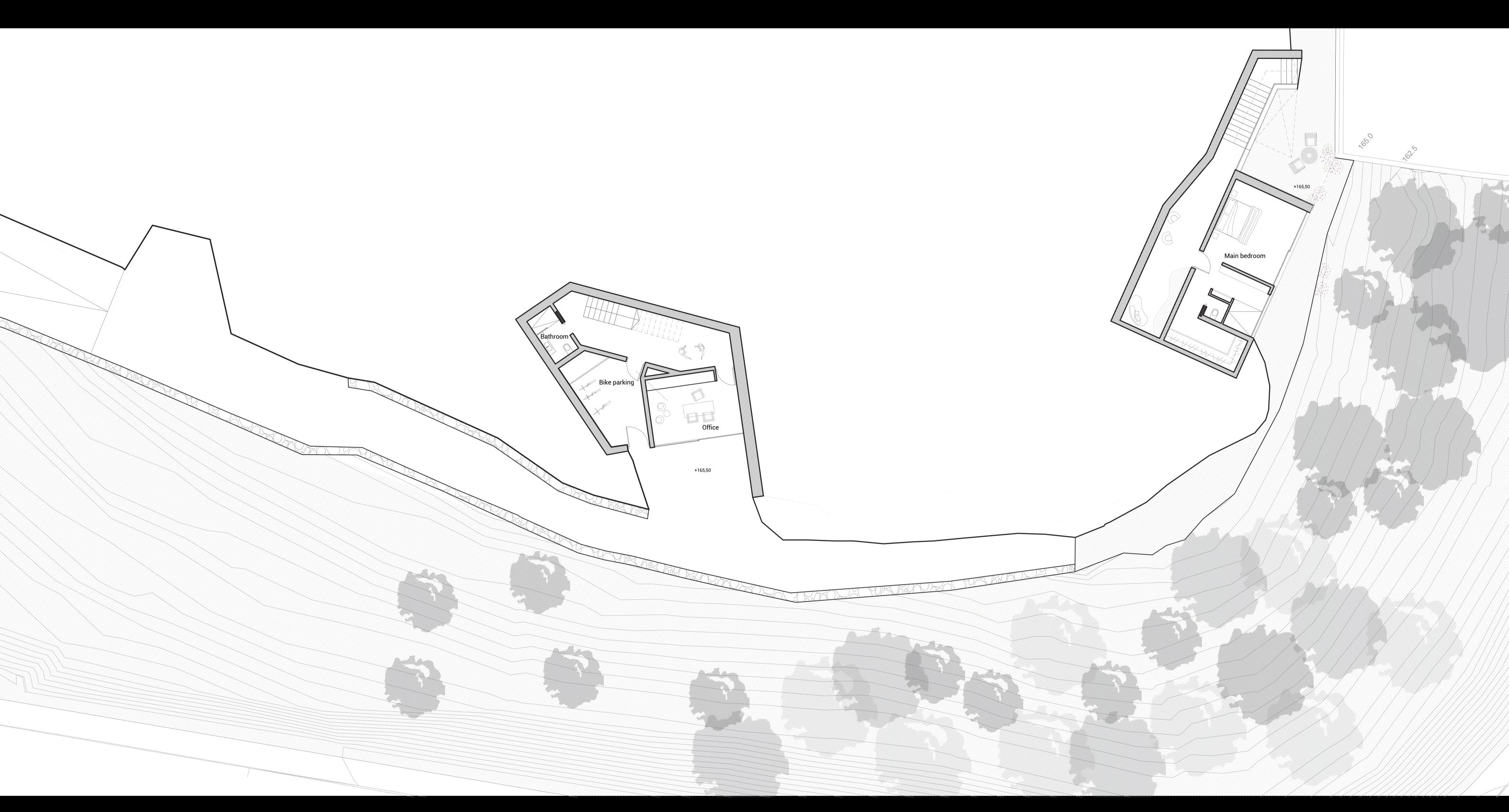
In the city of Malaga, in a peaceful haven of pine trees and native vegetation, a plot of land with a steep slope of 45%, practically a cliff, hides a nook to live in. It used to be a legendary meeting place for teenagers and the rocks of the mountain are covered in graffiti.

The orography of the area set the basis for the design, which is why it is C-shaped in plan. This particular morphology allows us to hide the house by taking advantage of the hardness of the rock that forms part of the design.

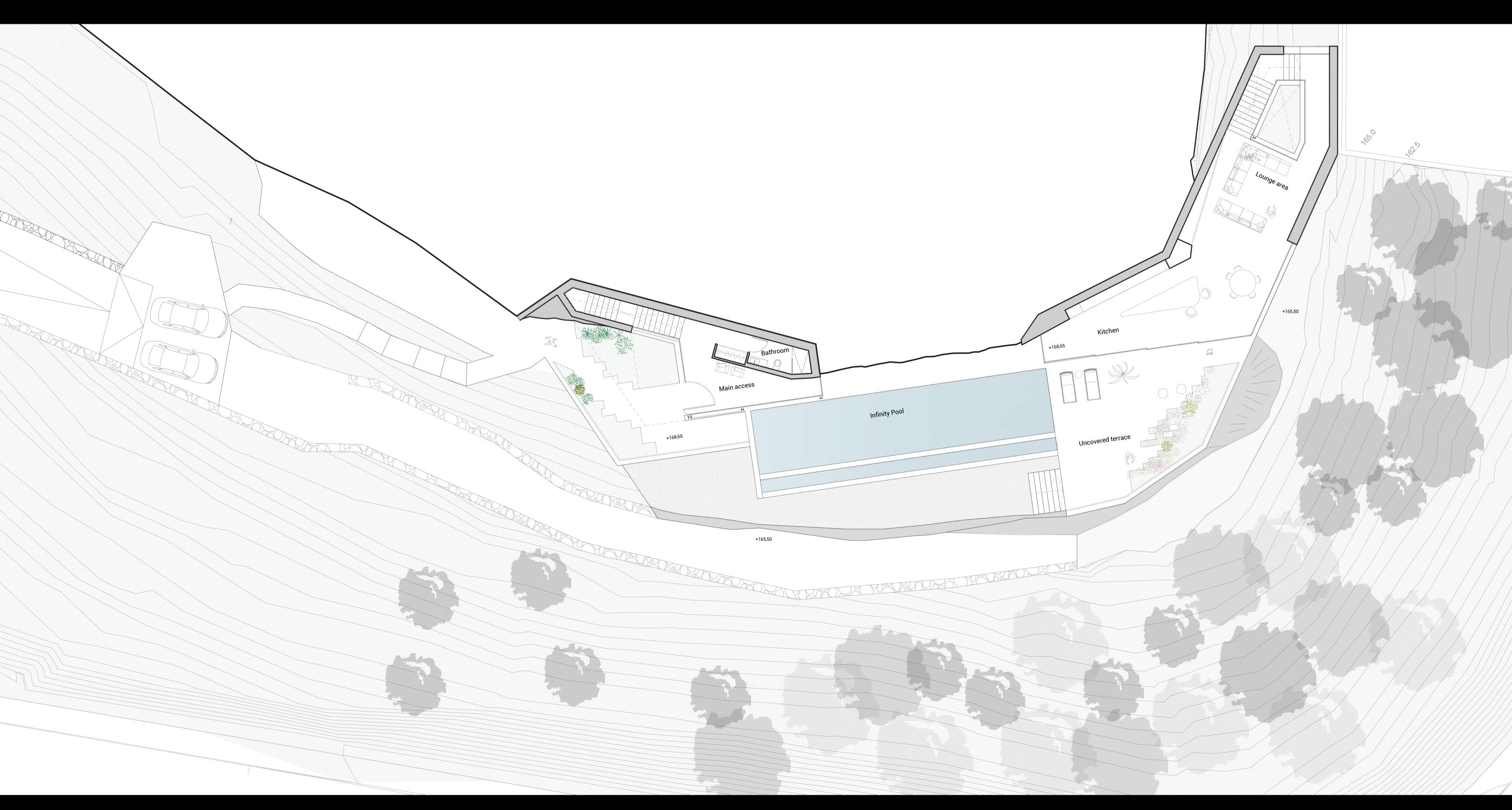
The house is at 169 metres above sea level, with almost imperceptible integration into the natural surroundings. The aim was to minimise impact on the land and energy consumption. The geometry of the building follows the land's contours, using the location's resources, including sunlight and natural ventilation. A few materials are the protagonists: wood, fair-faced concrete, steel and glass. The exposed reinforced concrete facades with the texture of the wood formwork envelop the entire house and the light courtyards break this box to provide extra light and ventilation.

The Bay of Malaga invades the main floor thanks to the large floor to ceiling windows, despite this it is an intimate house that cannot be seen from the outside. The inside-outside concept is very present in this project. The rock enters the house, we are in constant contact with it. The original graffiti are preserved and biodiversity is more abundant than before. It has been repopulated with native trees.





BASEMENTLEICOPORE: 15:2000



GROUND FLOOR E:1/200



