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GLOSSARY OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

ARCHAEOLOGY

For the purpose of this report, archaeology is taken to mean the study of past human societies through their material remains, from prehistoric times to the modern era. No rigid upper date limit has been set, but AD 1900 is used as a general cut-off point.

BRONZE AGE

A chronological division of the prehistoric period which sees the introduction of copper and eventual widespread adoption of bronze for use in weapons, jewellery, etc. In Britain it is dated between c. 2300 and 700 BC.

CROPMARK

A trace of a buried feature revealed by differential growth of crops, best seen from the air.

MEDIEVAL

Taken here as the period from the Norman invasion of Britain in AD 1066 to approximately AD 1500.

NATURAL

Defined in archaeological terms this refers to the undisturbed natural geology of a site, eg. river terrace gravels, etc.

NEOLITHIC

A chronological division of the prehistoric period during which agriculture and domestic animals were introduced into Britain. It is conventionally dated to between c. 4500 and 2000 BC.

NGR

National Grid Reference.

ROMANO-BRITISH

The period from the Roman invasion of Britain of AD 43 to a date generally agreed to be AD 410, by which time there had been a fusion between the indigenous late Iron Age traditions with Roman culture.

SAM

Scheduled Ancient Monument.

SAXON

Taken here as the period from the end of the Roman era c. AD 410 to the Norman conquest of Britain in AD 1066.

SMR

Sites and Monuments Record.

SUMMARY

An archaeological fieldwalking survey was undertaken by Cotswold Archaeological Trust on land south-west of Junction 8/9 of the M4 motorway near Holyport in Berkshire. The work was commissioned by Countryside Planning and Management (CPM) on behalf of Granada Hospitality Ltd and Boulevard Land Ltd, as part of a planning application to develop the site as a motorway services area.

The survey established prehistoric activity across the fieldwalking area. Three worked flints of the Mesolithic period were recovered along with a larger assemblage of late Neolithic/early Bronze Age flint which was spread across the entire area.

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 In November 1995 Cotswold Archaeological Trust carried out a fieldwalking survey on land south-west of Junction 8/9 of the M4 motorway near Holyport in Berkshire. The work was commissioned by Countryside Planning and Management (CPM) on behalf of Granada Hospitality Ltd. and Boulevard Land Ltd., as part of a planning application to develop the site as a motorway services area.

1.2 It has been recommended that an archaeological fieldwalking survey should be completed prior to the determination of the planning application. This recommendation is in accordance with the Department of the Environment's Planning and Guidance Note 16 (PPG 16) (DOE 1990). The fieldwalking programme is the second stage of pre-planning permission archaeological investigations. The first stage consisted of a desk-based assessment of the archaeological background of the application site and local surrounding area, and a geophysical survey (CPM 1995).

1.3 The fieldwalking survey was conducted in accordance with the brief issued by CPM (1995). The site archive will be deposited with Reading Museum.

2. THE STUDY AREA

2.1 The study area is located immediately to the west of the Cresswell Farm buildings and southwest of Junction 8/9 of the M4 motorway (NGR SU 885 783). It is in the parish of Bray and the nearest village is Holyport to the south-east. The application area comprises 13 hectares and is currently in use as a turf farm. The fieldwalking area comprised approximately 5 hectares in the north-east corner of the site (Fig. 2). The fieldwalk only covered part of the application area as this was the only area that had been recently ploughed and was therefore suitable for fieldwalking.

2.2 The underlying geology of the study area is terrace gravels of the river Thames.

3. AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

3.1 The primary objective of the fieldwalking survey was to gather sufficient information on the presence and nature of the archaeological resource within the proposed development area to assist in determination of the planning application, and if necessary, to assist in formulation of further mitigation measures.

4. ARCHAEOLOGICAL BACKGROUND

The study area

4.1 The application site lies in an area of considerable archaeological interest, as the stage one search of the SMR demonstrates. The geophysical survey did not indicate the presence of any significant archaeological features (Geophysical Surveys of Bradford 1995).

A search of the air photographs indicate that the site has a history as grassland and as a result no cropmark features were visible.

4.2 The Sites and Monuments Record (SMR) lists the following archaeological features or finds from the study area and its vicinity.

4.3 One archaeological feature is known from the study area, **SMR 2603**. Six large 'foreign' stones arranged in a semicircle were observed in a gas trench by Maidenhead and District Archaeological Society. The stones were approximately 18" high and appear to have been set upright. No dating evidence was recovered for this feature.

Prehistoric

4.4 **SMR 460** A ?neolithic pit containing 3 potboilers, 2 flint flakes and 1 pot sherd, approximately 1.4 km south-west of the study area.

4.5 **SMR 463** Thousands of early mesolithic worked flints were found during drainage works, approximately 800m north-east of the study area. These may represent one large or several small camp sites, located beside a reed swamp/lake. Overlain by Saxon settlement (**SMR 464**, see below). **SAM 144**

4.6 **SMR 467** Several early neolithic pits/shafts with extensive deposits of flint and pot were found following the demolition of Cannon House. The presence of some late mesolithic flint suggests a lengthy settlement of this area. Approximately 1km north-east of the study area.

4.7 **SMR 867** Several arrowheads of bone and flint found near Roman vessel, noted below.

Romano-British

4.8 **SMR 459** A Roman pit with a variety of domestic and agricultural artefacts, suggesting a farmstead or villa? nearby.

4.9 **SMR 867** A small sepulchral vessel resembling the Preaferricula used in libations. Approximately 800m south-east of study area.

4.10 **SMR 2618** A Roman urn containing a cremation, 30 yards from the proposed line of a Roman road. Approximately 30m south-west of the study area.

Saxon

4.11 **SMR 464** Evidence for Saxon settlement overlying mesolithic site SMR 463, comprising Saxon pot sherds, grass tempered pottery and timber stakes at 1.5m intervals driven into the peat. Timbers C14 dated to AD 753 +/- 155. Also see SMR 471 below.

Medieval

4.12 **SMR 471** A large timber framed farmhouse dated medieval to 16th century. Excavation beneath Grade II long barn revealed several layers of alluvium which sealed a dark deposit containing 7th century Saxon pottery and bones.

4.13 **SMR 462** A possible moated enclosure, perhaps the site of Cresswells Manor. Medieval - post-medieval.

4.14 **SMR 449** Holyport is first recorded in 1220. a number of 16th century and earlier buildings remain within the village. A moated manor house (**SMR 450**) is just north of the village.

5. METHODOLOGY

5.1 A site grid was laid out across the entire fieldwalking area involving 17 north - south transects spaced 20m apart, based on the Ordnance survey National Grid line SU 887000. Each transect was walked in a south - north direction and finds recovered along each line were bagged together at 20m intervals (Fig. 3). The finds were labelled by grid coordinates. A catalogue of flints is listed in Appendix 1 and a catalogue of ceramic material is listed in Appendix 2.

6. FIELDWALKING SURVEY RESULTS

6.1 General

6.1.1 The study area was not freshly ploughed and had been rolled and reseeded with grass. Visibility across the field was approximately 90% of the surface area due to the fact that grass had started to sprout. The topsoil was composed of a mid orange brown fine silt sand. The fieldwork was carried out in dry slightly overcast conditions and the soil surface was damp.

6.2 The fieldwalk

6.2.1 The fieldwalk produced an assemblage of worked flint from across the entire fieldwalking area. Figs. 3 and 4 show their distribution. Post-medieval brick/tile and some pottery and glass were also collected.

Flint

6.2.2 The spread of artefacts appeared to be fairly even across the study area with slight concentrations to the north-east and south-west. No significant concentrations of material, or types of material, were observed on or between the transects and consequently no further collection on a 5m by 5m grid was carried out, as it was felt that the original collection was representative of the study area. (See Appendix 1 for catalogue of flint.)

6.2.2 The flint assemblage falls into two groups; Mesolithic, represented by three pieces of flint in the central area of the study area, and late Neolithic/early Bronze Age spread across the whole site. Burnt flint was also present.

Finds other than flint

6.2.3 Post-medieval and modern pottery, brick/tile fragments, glass, iron and slate also recovered from the study area (see Appendix 2).

6.3 Discussion

6.3.1 The presence of three Mesolithic flints suggests some form of transient activity within the study area. An early Mesolithic site (SMR 463) is located some 800m north-east of the study area. Thousands of worked flints suggest the presence of a large or several small camps. It is therefore not surprising to find mesolithic artefacts within the application area.

6.3.2 The main flint assemblage from the study area is broadly characteristic of the late Neolithic/early Bronze Age. The range of artefacts recovered is indicative of domestic activity. Whilst there are two slight concentrations of flints to the north-east and south-west of the fieldwalking area, the scatter appears to continue in both directions beyond the area fieldwalked. Neolithic activity is documented in the SMR to the north-east and south-west of the study area (SMR 460 and 467). The gravel terraces of the River Thames have long been known to have been exploited in the Neolithic/Bronze Age period as excavations such as at Runnymede and Reading Business Park demonstrate.

6.3.3 The presence of post-medieval and modern artefacts within the fieldwalked area may be a result of manuring, implying that the study area has been used for arable farming in the past. If this is the case it was presumably prior to the 1940's as the air photograph record shows the study area as grassland.

7. ASSESSMENT

7.1 The fieldwalking survey has been successful in suggesting the character of the archaeological resource present within part of the application area.

7.2 The nature of the late Neolithic/early Bronze Age assemblage suggests some form of domestic settlement within or perhaps near the study area. Whilst much of the flint found on the surface of the field has been damaged and broken, it is possible that underlying material and any possible archaeological features such as pits and postholes may have survived undamaged. It is not known to what extent the study area has been ploughed in the past but it has been under pasture since the 1940's and the current farming of turf does not appear to be causing deep soil disturbance.

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APPENDIX 1

CATALOGUE OF FLINT BY GRAEME WALKER

Summary of recovered flint

Approximately 280 pieces of worked, or possibly worked flint were recovered from the fieldwalking survey. Much of the material was damaged and broken, undoubtedly the result of post-depositional factors. Some 37 heavily damaged or smashed pieces have been included within the analysis, although their attribution to the worked assemblage is by no means unambiguous. All the material was scanned for typology and date. Due to the condition of much of the material and the small size of the assemblage, no metrical analysis was undertaken.

The assemblage is dominated by flakes (48.6%), mostly secondary and tertiary. Cores form 6% of the assemblage, tools 7.9%, fragments and chips 13.2%, and unidentified burnt fragments 24.3%. The composition of the assemblage suggests that the material derives from domestic activity. Although slightly clustering into two groups, to the north-east and south-west of the site, the scatter clearly continues beyond the site limits in both directions, and the activity foci may well be outside the area fieldwalked.

There are few typologically distinct pieces amongst the assemblage. However, a prismatic blade core and several narrow blade fragments would suggest at least a transient Mesolithic presence on the site. The majority of the material would seem to err towards a later Neolithic/early Bronze Age character, most of the unbroken flakes being characteristically short and broad (Ford et al 1984). However, preferential survival of the naturally more robust material of these dimensions means such conclusions must be treated with caution.

88760/ 78300	1 Burnt core ?systematic.
	1 Possibly worked lump.
/ 78320	1 Burnt flint.
	1 Chip.
	1 Tertiary flake.
/ 78340	1 Primary flake.
/ 78360	1 Secondary flake, rolled.
	2 Possibly worked lumps.
	1 Broken primary flake.
	1 Primary flake.
/ 78380	2 Burnt flints.
	1 Burnt tertiary flake.
	2 Secondary flakes.
	1 Broken primary flake.
/ 78400	1 Burnt flint.

	1 Primary flake.
	1 Broken secondary flake.
	1 Broken tertiary flake.
	1 Nodule fragment.
88740/ 78300	1 Tabular lump.
/ 78320	3 Possibly worked lumps.
/ 78340	2 Secondary flakes.
/ 78360	1 Possibly worked lump.
	1 Broken tertiary flake.
/ 78380	1 Primary flake with hinge fracture ?Bronze Age.
/ 78420	1 Tertiary flake.
88720/ 78280	1 Tertiary flake.
/ 78320	1 Possibly worked fragment.
	2 Tertiary flakes.
/ 78340	1 Tertiary flake.
	1 Burnt flint.
/ 78360	2 Possibly worked lumps
	1 Secondary flake.
	2 Tertiary flakes.
	1 ?Core fragment.
88720/ 78360	1 Broken tertiary flake - retouched.
	1 Long tertiary flake.
/ 78380	1 ?Tertiary flake.
/ 78400	3 Possibly worked lumps.
	3 Secondary flakes.
	1 Broken secondary flake.
	2 Tertiary flakes.
/ 78420	1 Burnt flint.
	4 Possibly worked lumps.
	1 Primary flake.
	1 Secondary flake.
88700/ 78300	4 Burnt flint.
	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Broken secondary flake.

/ 78340	1 Burnt core - keeled. 2 Burnt flints. 1 Tertiary flake. 1 ??Pick fragment. 1 Squat tertiary flake - retouched. 1 Broken tertiary ?blade. 1 Secondary flake - utilised.
/ 78360	1 Bifacial point. 1 Burnt flint. 1 Secondary flake. 2 Possibly worked lumps.
/ 78380	1 Tertiary flake with hinge fracture.
/ 78400	2 Burnt flints.
/ 78420	1 Burnt core - systematic. 1 Possibly worked lump. 2 Tertiary flakes.
88680/ 78300	1 Burnt secondary flake. 1 Core / Nodule fragment. 1 ?Core fragment - systematic. 1 Chip. 1 ?Primary flake.
/ 78360	1 Burnt flint. 1 Secondary flake. 1 Possibly worked lump.
/ 78400	1 Burnt flint. 1 Secondary flake. 1 Secondary flake - ?retouched.
88660/ 78280	1 Tabular Nodule
/ 78300	1 Broken secondary blade - Mesolithic. 2 Tertiary flakes. 1 Broken tertiary flake. 1 Burnt flint.
/ 78360	1 Primary flake - retouched. 1 Tertiary flake. 1 Secondary flake. 1 Burnt flint.

	/ 78380	1 Burnt flint.
		1 ?Burnt flint.
		2 Secondary flakes.
	/ 78400	1 Chip.
		1 Secondary flake.
		1 Broken secondary flake - ?retouched.
	/ 78420	1 Tertiary flake.
		1 Primary flake - retouched into side and end scraper.
88640/ 78280		1 Burnt flint.
		1 Primary flake.
	/ 78320	1 Burnt flint.
	/ 78340	1 Broken secondary flake.
		2 Tertiary flakes.
		1 Broken tertiary flake.
		1 Burnt flint.
	/ 78360	1 Tertiary flake.
	/ 78380	1 Burnt flint
		1 Nodule fragment.
	/ 78400	1 Burnt flint.
88620/ 78260		1 Primary flake with hinge fracture.
		1 Secondary flake.
		1 Broken tertiary flake.
	/ 78280	2 Burnt flints.
		1 Secondary flake.
10	/ 78400	1 Large primary flake with hinge fracture.
		1 Broken secondary flake - ?utilised.
88600/ 78280		1 ??Core.
	/ 78300	1 Tertiary flake.
	/ 78360	1 Secondary flake.
		1 ?Core fragment.
	/ 78380	1 ?Scraper fragment.
88580/ 78260		1 Secondary flake.
		1 Primary flake.
		2 Broken secondary flakes.

	1 Broken tertiary flake.
/ 78280	1 Broken primary flake.
	1 Burnt flint.
	1 Tertiary flake.
/ 78320	1 Broken secondary flake.
/ 78360	1 Secondary flake with hinge fracture.
88560/ 78260	1 Secondary flake.
/ 78280	1 Possibly worked fragment.
	1 ?Core fragment.
	1 Broken secondary flake.
	1 ?Notched blade - ?Neolithic.
88540/ 78260	2 Burnt flints.
/ 78280	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Tertiary flake
	3 Burnt flints.
/ 78300	1 Burnt flint.
	1 Burnt core - systematic.
/ 78320	1 Secondary flake.
/ 78340	2 Burnt flints.
	1 Broken tertiary flake.
	1 Broken primary flake.
/ 78360	2 Possibly worked lumps.
88520/ 78260	7 Burnt flints.
	1 Broken tertiary flake.
/ 78280	1 Burnt flint.
	2 Secondary flakes.
	1 Broken secondary flake.
	1 Tertiary flake.
	1 Chip.
/ 78300	2 Burnt flints.
/ 78320	1 ?Blade - retouched.
	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Broken primary flake.
88500/ 78240	Burnt flint.

/ 78260	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Burnt flint.
	1 Tertiary flake - retouched.
/ 78280	4 Burnt flints.
	1 ?Core.
/ 78300	1 Burnt flint.
	2 Secondary flakes.
	1 Tertiary flake.
	2 Possibly worked lumps.
/ 78320	1 Nodule fragment.
88480/ 78240	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Burnt core - ?systematic.
/ 78260	4 Burnt flints.
	1 End scraper.
/ 78280	2 Burnt flints.
	1 Burnt core - systematic.
	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Secondary flake with hinge fracture
88480/ 78300	1 Burnt flint.
/ 78320	1 Broken tertiary flake.
/ 78340	1 Burnt flint.
	1 Burnt ?round scraper.
88460/ 78280	1 Scraper / Borer - Neolithic / Bronze Age.
	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Tertiary flake.
	3 Burnt flints.
	1 Possibly worked lump.
/ 78300	1 Burnt core - systematic.
	1 Primary flake with hinge fracture.
	1 Primary flake.
	1 Secondary flake.
	1 Broken tertiary flake.
/ 78320	1 Secondary flake.
/ 78340	1 Burnt secondary flake.
	2 Broken secondary flakes.

- 1 Tertiary flake.
- 1 Tertiary flake - utilised.

- 88440/ 78300
 - 1 Possibly worked lump.
 - 1 ?Core fragment.
 - 1 Burnt flint.
- / 78320
 - 1 Primary flake with hinge fracture.
 - 1 Secondary flake.
 - 1 Tertiary flake.
 - 1 Broken tertiary flake - ?notched.
- / 78340
 - 1 Nodule fragment.
 - 1 Broken primary flake.
 - 1 Burnt flint.

APPENDIX 2**CATALOGUE OF FINDS OTHER THAN FLINTS**

All finds are of post-medieval date.

88760 / 78300 1 Fragment of tile.
 / 78320 1 Fragment of tile.
 / 78400 2 Fragments of modern ceramic.

88740/ 78300 3 Fragments of tile.
 2 Fragments of brick.
 2 Fragments of glass vessels.
 1 Fragment of slate.
 / 78320 1 Fragment of brick
 1 Fragment of modern ceramic.
 / 78340 2 Fragments of tile.
 5 Fragments of brick.
 / 78360 1 Fragment of tile.
 1 Fragment of modern ceramic
 / 78400 1 Fragment of tile.
 3 Fragments of brick.

1 Fragment of ?pot.
 / 78420 4 Fragments of brick.
 1 Unidentified Fe object.
 88720/ 78300 1 Fragment of tile.
 / 78320 1 Fragment of tile with nail hole.
 1 Fragment of glass vessel ?base.
 / 78340 1 Fragment of brick.
 / 78360 1 Fragment of tile.
 / 78380 1 Fragment of glass vessel.
 1 Fragment of modern ceramic.
 / 78400 3 Fragments of brick.
 / 78420 1 Fragment of pot.
 1 Fragment of slate.
 1 Fragment of ?tile.
 1 Fragment of glass vessel.

88700/ 78280	1 Fragment of pot ?handle - glazed.
/ 78300	1 Fragment of glass vessel.
	1 Fragment of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick.
/ 78340	1 Fragment of tile.
	1 Fragment of brick.
/ 78360	2 Fragments of tile.
	1 Fragment of glazed tile.
	2 Fragments of brick.
	1 Fragment of modern ceramic.
/ 78400	2 Fragments of tile.
/ 78420	1 Fragment of modern ceramic.

88680/ 78280	4 Fragments of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick
/ 78300	4 Fragments of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick.
/ 78320	1 Fragment of tile.
	3 Fragments of brick.
/ 78340	4 Fragments of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick.

1 Fragment of pot rim.

88680/ 78360	3 Fragments of tile.
	1 Fragment of pot base.
/ 78400	3 Fragments of brick.

88660/ 78300	2 Fragments of tile.
/ 78320	1 Fragment of tile.
	1 Fragment of glass vessel.
/ 78340	1 Fragment of ?brick.
	1 Fragment of tile.
	1 Fragment of brick.
	1 Fragment of glass vessel.
/ 78360	1 Fragment of tile.
/ 78380	1 Fragment of tile.
	1 Fragment of modern ceramic.

	1 Fragment of glass vessel.
/ 78400	1 Fragment of pot.
/ 78420	1 Fragment of tile.
88640/ 78280	1 Fragment of tile.
	1 Fragment of brick.
/ 78300	1 Fragment of pot.
	1 Fragment of brick.
	1 Fragment of modern ceramic.
/ 78320	1 Fragment of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick.
	1 Fragment of pot.
/ 78340	1 Fragment of modern drain.
	4 Fragments of tile.
	1 Fragment of modern ceramics.
/ 78360	2 Fragments of tile.
/ 78380	1 Fragment of brick.
/ 78400	1 Fragment of pot.
	1 Fragment of glazed pot.
88620/ 78260	1 Fragment of brick.
/ 78280	3 Fragments of tile.
	1 Fragment of brick.
	1 Fragment of modern ceramic.
	1 Fragment of modern ceramic handle.
/ 78300	3 Fragments of tile.
	1 Fragment of brick.
/ 78320	1 Fragment of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick.
/ 78340	4 Fragments of tile.
/ 78360	1 Fragment of tile.
/ 78380	1 Fragment of modern ceramic.
	2 Fragments of tile.
	1 Fragment of brick.
88600/ 78280	1 Fragment of tile.
/ 78320	1 Fragment of tile.
	1 Glass vessel.

/ 78340	1 Fragment of tile with nail hole.
/ 78360	1 Fragment of tile.
	3 Fragments of brick.
/ 78380	1 Fragment of tile.
88580/ 78260	1 Fragment of modern ceramic.
	1 Fragment of tile.
	1 Fragment of pot (abraded)
/ 78280	1 Fragment of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick
/ 78300	4 Fragments of tile.
/ 78340	1 Fragment of tile.
/ 78380	2 Fragments of tile.
88560/ 78260	1 Fragment of tile.
	2 Fragments of brick.
	1 Fragment of pot (v. abraded)
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	1 Fragment of brick.
	1 Fragment of glazed tile.
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	1 Fragment of ?pot.
	1 Fragment of brick.
/ 78340	1 Fragment of pot (abraded).
	1 Fragment of glass vessel.
/ 78360	1 Fragment of tile.
88540/ 78260	2 Fragments of tile.
/ 78280	1 Fragment of glass vessel.
/ 78300	2 Fragments of brick.
/ 78320	1 Fragment of tile.
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	1 Fragment of slate.
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/ 78320	1 Fragment of tile.
/ 78340	1 Fragment of glass vessel.

88440/ 78300	1 Fragment of ?pot.
	1 Fragment of brick.
/ 78320	3 Fragments of tile.
	1 Fragment of brick

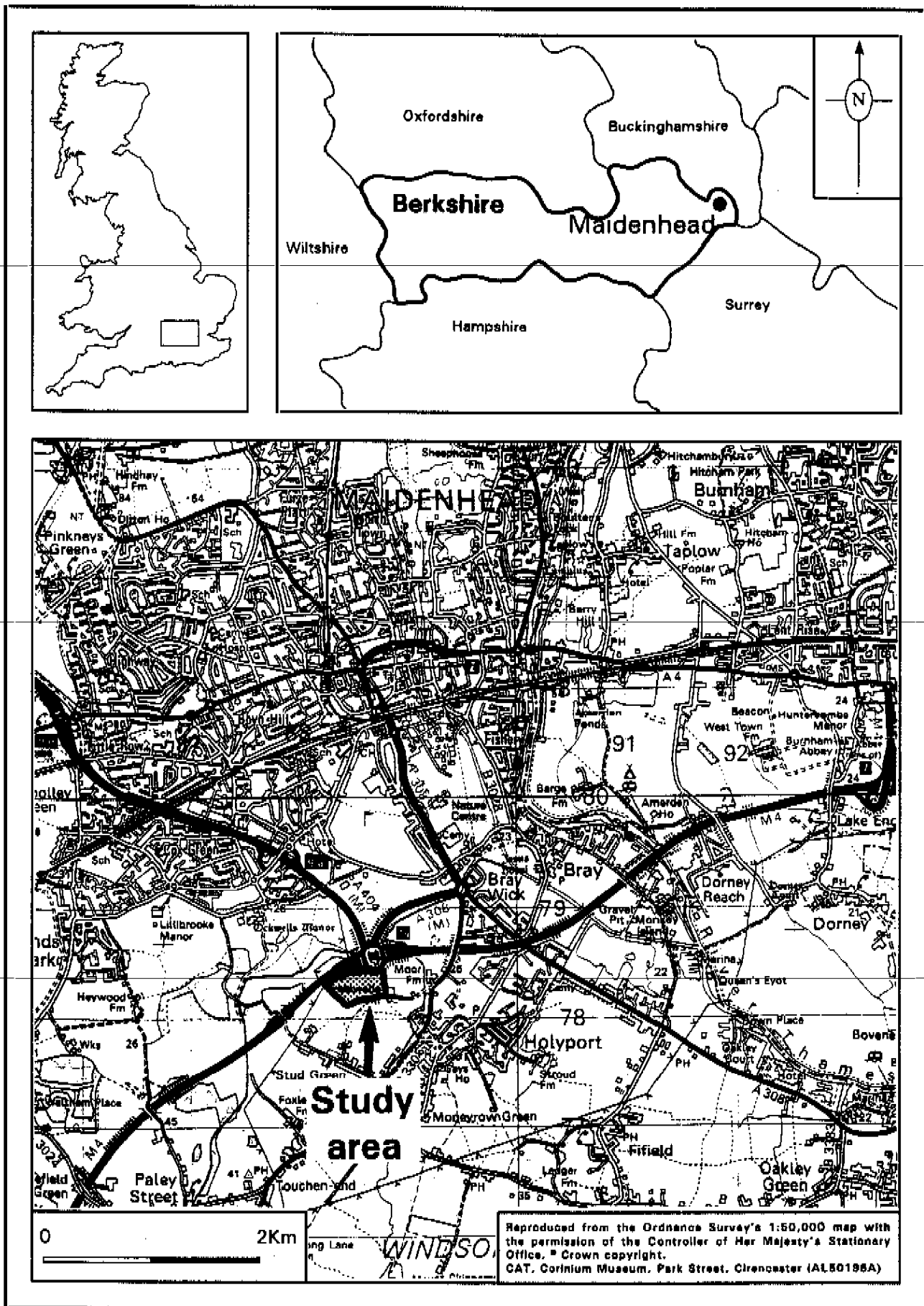


Fig. 1 Location plan

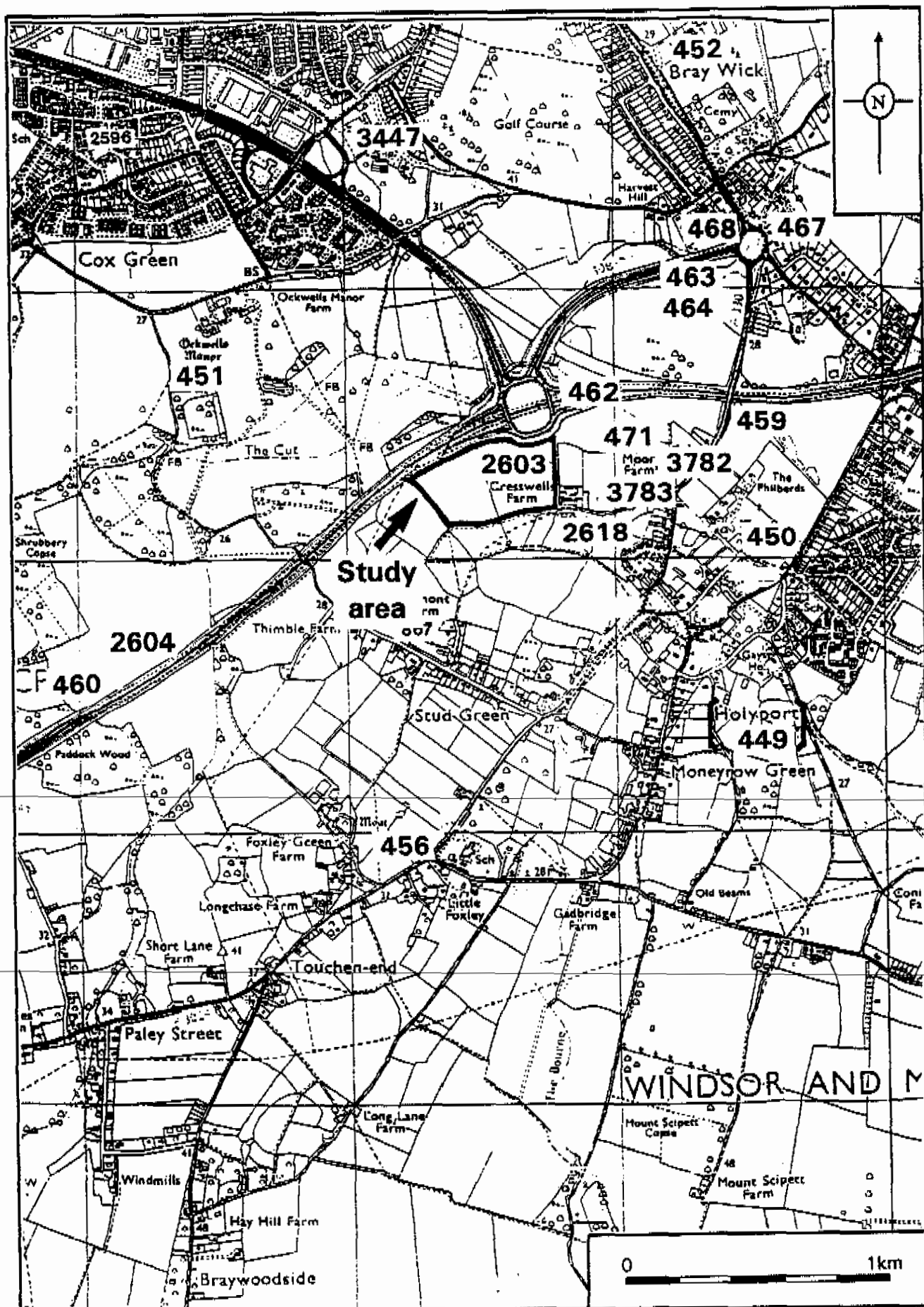


Fig. 2 Study area & location of SMR sites

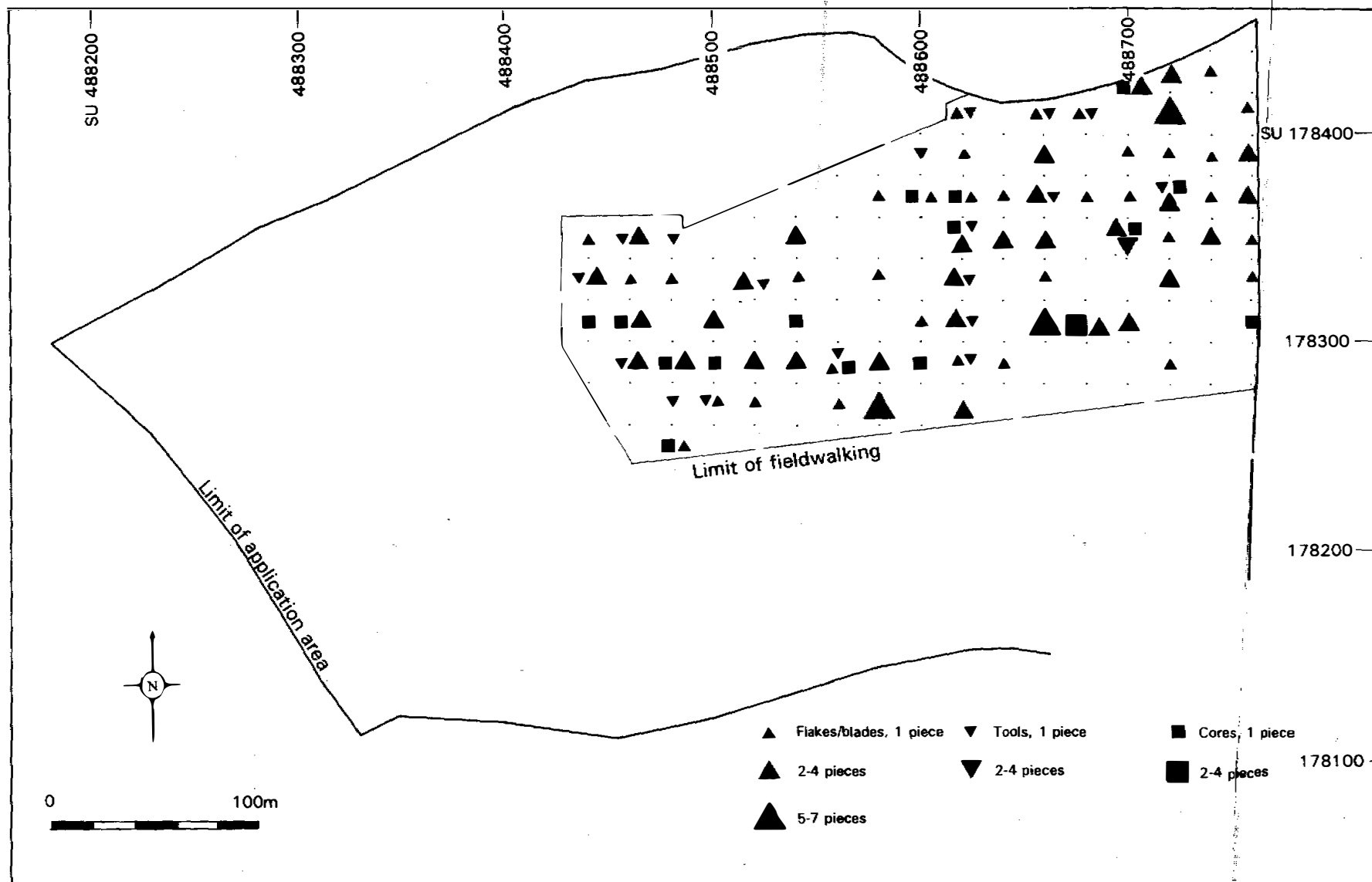


Fig. 3 Distribution of cores, flakes/blades & tools

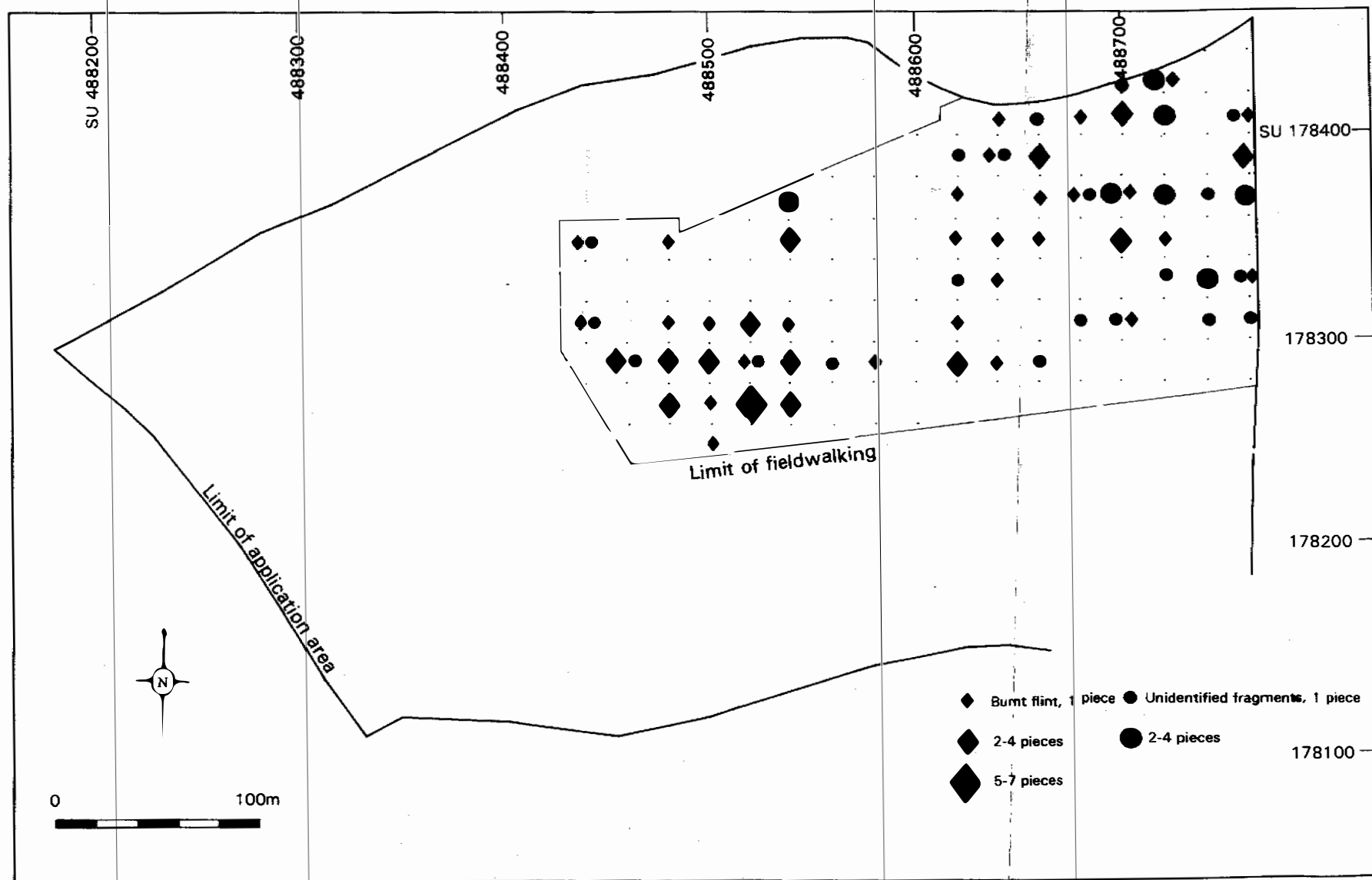


Fig. 4 Distribution of burnt flint & unidentified fragments