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4.1 Map of Window 4.

4.10 Fyfield Down, Wroughton Mead: plan of the main medieval settlement called Wroughton Copse before excavation, showing its position on top of 'Celtic' fields.

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5.1 Fyfield Down, Wroughton Mead and Copse, showing the medieval site (WC and site 10), superimposed on the fragmentarily surviving pattern of 'Celtic' fields.

5.3 Wroughton Copse cutting plan, showing profiles I and II and the three main excavated areas: Cutting 2 (Building 1), Cutting 4 (Buildings 2 and 3) and Cutting 6 (Building 4 and oven)

5.4 Plan of Wroughton Mead site showing excavated buildings and other features

5.8 Enclosure A, Cuttings 3 and 3a (plan and section). The plan and section d-a show the entrance to Enclosure A, marked by upstanding sarsen stones (see Fig 5.3).

5.9 Enclosure A, Cutting 3, sections. Section d-c shows the entrance to Enclosure A. Section C-B shows a bank consisting of humus with flints (layer 2) with a large sarsen embedded as a revetment to the south. The ditch, filled with bank erosion material, lies on the external side of the enclosure to the north (see Fig 5.3).

5.10 Wroughton Copse, Enclosure B, Cutting 1, plan and both sections which were markedly different. Section D-C shows a roughly constructed wall of large sarsens fronting a bank (layers 44a, 44) overlying an old ground surface (layer 24); section A-B also shows large sarsens but loosely disposed and lying on the front of the bank (layers 43, 2) as if dumped. The 'pit' to the E is a solution hollow, full of Clay-with-Flints (layer 49) overlying Chalk (layer 50)

5.10a, section 6A(i), East Face, through bank of Enclosure B at S end of B4, showing the medieval bank of Enclosure B, layer 5, overlies the plough soil (layer 2) which has accumulated behind the original 'Celtic' field boundary bank (layer 38b), on top of the old ground surface (layer 43).

5.11 Enclosure B, outside S end Building 2, Cuttings 4P, 4Pii and 4Piii (plan and sections), 2Y (section, bottom left) and 2T/U (section, bottom right; *see* fig. 5.3 for position). The ditch from 4Piii to 4Pii, an internal feature of Enclosure B (*cf* fig. 5.4), was overlaid by stones forming part of the ruined or unfinished structure on its S side, pp. 00-00. It is shown in section to the *right* and, as excavated below Building 1, in the two SE-NW sections *below* (*left*, layers 33a, 33b, 40a; *right*, layer 38a. The sarsens in layer 1 are part of the W wall of Building 1 South).

5.13 Pit 6, sections S-N and W-E. The S end, top left, overlaps with Fig. 5.14, bottom right. The bank and ditch, top right, are of Enclosure A/B. Layer 28 is the clay lining of the pond, subsequently used for dumping tonnes of sarsens, later covered by domestic rubbish (Layers 30, 31, 35, 37 and 38), into which was laid the base for the oven.

U = Unexcavated.

5.14 Building 4, plan, longitudinal section and positions of cross-sections A-A, B-B, C-C and D-D. At the N end, the section of Pit 6 is continued in Fig. 5.13.

5.15 Building 4, sections A-A, B-B, C-C and D-D (see Fig 5.14). Section C-C shows the fire-pit and its filling cut into Chalk, partially beneath the oven base; section D-D shows the filling longitudinally, its top apparently slippage from the oven (Layers 1, 7, 16 and 15).

5.16 Plan of Buildings 2 (to the right) and 3, and 'latrine' (Pit 8), showing position of longitudinal section (N-S) and sections A-A, B-B, C-C and D-D (see Figs. 5.19, 5.20 and 5.21).

5.17 Cutting 5, the Mound. Sections W-E and S-N (see Fig. 5.3).

5.18 Schematised sections B-B and C-C across B1 (see Figs. 5.3 and 5.22).

5.19 Building 2, sections A-A, B-B and C-C. Section A-A shows the inner face of the east wall on the south side of the entrance, pressed down into the filling the Phase II trench (layer 11a). Layer 11 represents the NW corner of Pit 7; PH3W has been projected forward. Section B-B is a profile along the base of the trench. In section C-C layer 34 of red clay with chalk could well be the spoil from the Phase II trench, subsequently overlaid by the west wall of B2 (see Fig. 5.16).

5.20 Building 2, Pit 7, section D-D (see Fig. 5.16).

5.21 Buildings 2 and 3, longitudinal profile and section along central N-S axis of excavation grid (*see* Fig. 5.3 and 5.16).

5.22 Building 1, plan; with features projected onto a longitudinal section (A-A) and position of sections B-B, C-C, D-D and G-G (*see* Figs. 5.18 and 5.23).

5.23 Building 1, Pits 1 and 2. Section D-D across Pits 1 and 2 (top), showing deposit, including iron-axe (GF210), and section G-G across Pit 2 under east wall (*see* Fig. 5.22).

5.24 Pond, in plan with Cutting 9 showing concentration of sarsen boulders in its centre as far as excavated; and section S-N across it showing probable clay lining (layer 39).

5.25 Enclosure C. Top, excavated areas: Cutting 10, boxes G, H, J, M, N and O, and Cutting 11; with Cutting 12 to the E. The hollow, top left, is a pond excavated in Cutting 9 (*see* Fig. 5.24). Bottom, excavated features, showing stippled, exposed sarsens of Buildings 10 and MN2/3 and, at the north end, the course of the two-phase ditch originally bounding Enclosure C. The large, black sarsen stones and dotted squares mark the suggested bays of Building 10 (pp. 000-00)

5.26 Enclosure C: detail of Cutting 10, boxes G, H and J, showing sarsen 'wall-footings' and large sarsens interpreted as truss-supports between bays (stippled, *cf* fig. 5.25), a possible hearth ('H' symbol in broken-line circle) and distribution of selected objects (of iron, sherds of baked clay tile, a whetstone); with W-E section through ditch (layer 33) and bank (layer 2) of Enclosure C respectively cutting and overlying 'Celtic' field ploughsoil and bank (layer 11a, lower). Layer 11a, upper, in the top of the bank, was interpreted as a root-hole, perhaps a trench, marking the line of a hedge. To the E, the 'platform' of a 'long building' and its putative E wall are represented by layers 5a and 43; pp. 00-00). For layer descriptions, *see* p. 0.

5.27 Enclosure C, north end, showing the course of the two-phase enclosure ditch as excavated, from the N end of the enclosure bank where the ditch runs out from the foot on the 'Celtic' field lynchet to its bend to the S in Cutting O5; with the ditch's section as recorded at point *a* in Cutting O3 (for layer symbols used, *see* fig. 00, and p. 00). To the S in MN2/3 is the corner of a probable medieval building marked by a concentration of objects as well as sarsens.

5.28 Enclosure C, Cutting 11, section W-E across E side of enclosure bank and ditch (*cf* fig. 5.25), showing similar evidence in the top of the bank (layer 2) for a hedge (1a), a well-preserved old ground surface (layer 5), and a shallow ditch scooped out of Clay-with-Flints subsoil (layer 49).

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6.6 ODXI/A: Beaker accompanying Burial 1b.

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7.5 Plan of Romano-British settlement Overton Down South

7.18 ODXII, Building 3, plan corn-drying

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9.5 West Overton: Plan of earthworks in Church Close (Crown Copyright Reserved).

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