APPENDIX 1 - GLASS

1.1 Assessment of Glass

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- 1.1.1 A single fragment of glass was recovered by hand excavation from context 2002, the undifferentiated fill of ditch 3002 in the western SMS area. This ditch also contained two sherds of late Iron Age pottery.
- 1.1.2 The fragment is of blue/green glass and possibly comes from a Roman prismatic bottle. This would suggest a date between the late 1st and early 3rd centuries. Glass of this type occurs quite frequently on rural settlements of the Romano-British period.
- 1.1.3 The fragment thus adds to the evidence for Roman activity in the vicinity at this time, but can add little to understanding of the morphology or function of the settlement. It offers no potential for further work.