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SUMMARY

Detailed magnetometry was carried out by Archaeological Surveys Ltd on land to the west of Duddage Manor Business Park, Twyning, Gloucestershire, ahead of a planned expansion of the business park. The results indicate the presence of magnetically enhanced responses within the location of former agricultural buildings to the west of Duddage Manor, and it is possible that they are associated. Widespread magnetic debris covers several zones within the site and may have obscured weaker features. Other anomalies are also weak and poorly defined and their origin is uncertain.

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 *Survey background*

- 1.1.1 Archaeological Surveys Ltd was commissioned by Rhino Land Ltd to undertake a magnetometer survey of an area of land to the west of Duddage Manor Business Park, Twyning, Gloucestershire. The site has been outlined for a proposed extension to the business park including new access and infrastructure (Tewkesbury Borough Council planning application no: 21/01384/OUT) and the survey forms part of an archaeological assessment.
- 1.1.2 The geophysical survey was carried out in accordance with a Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI) produced by Archaeological Surveys (2022) and approved by Toby Catchpole, Heritage Team Leader with Gloucestershire County Council, prior to commencing the fieldwork.

1.2 *Survey objectives and techniques*

- 1.2.1 The objective of the survey was to use magnetometry to locate geophysical anomalies that may be archaeological in origin so that they may be assessed prior to development of the site. The methodology is considered an efficient and effective approach to archaeological prospection.
- 1.2.2 Geophysical survey can provide useful information on the archaeological potential of a site; however, the outcome of any survey relies on a number of factors and as a consequence results can vary. The success in meeting the aims and objectives of a survey is, therefore, often impossible to predetermine.

1.3 *Standards, guidance and recommendations for the use of this report*

- 1.3.1 Archaeological Surveys Ltd is a Registered Organisation with the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists and both company directors are Members of the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (MCIfA) and have therefore been

assessed for their technical competence and ethical suitability and abide by the CfA Codes of Conduct. The survey and report follow the recommendations set out by: European Archaeological Council (2015) *Guidelines for the Use of Geophysics in Archaeology*; Institute for Archaeologists (2002) *The use of Geophysical Techniques in Archaeological Evaluations*. The work has been carried out to the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (2014) (updated 2020) *Standard and Guidance for Archaeological Geophysical Survey*.

- 1.3.2 Archaeological Surveys Ltd provide a detailed geophysical survey report and it is recommended that where possible the contents should be considered in full. The Summary provides a brief overview of the results with more detail available in the Discussion and/or Conclusion. The *List of anomalies* within the Results provides a detailed assessment of the anomalies within separate categories which can be useful in inferring a level of confidence to the interpretation. Quality and factors influencing the interpretation of anomalies is also set out within the results.
- 1.3.3 It is recommended that the full report should always be considered when using data and interpretation plots; where this is not possible, in the field for example, the abstraction and interpretation plots should retain their colour coding and be used with a corresponding legend.
- 1.3.4 Where targeting of anomalies by excavation is to be carried out, care should be taken to place trenches over solid lines or features visible on the abstraction and interpretation plots. Archaeological Surveys abstraction and interpretation avoids the use of dashed or dotted line formats, and broken or fragmented lines used in interpretive plots may well correspond closely with truncation of archaeological features.

1.4 Site location, description and survey conditions

- 1.4.1 The site lies to the west of Duddage Manor Business Park and south of Brockridge Road, Twyning, Gloucestershire. It is centred on Ordnance Survey National Grid Reference (OS NGR) SO 89260 36920, see Figs 01 and 02.
- 1.4.2 The geophysical survey covers approximately 2.4ha within a 4ha pasture field. A zone in the eastern part of the site contains hardstanding and overgrown vegetation and was not suitable for survey. The area is generally flat land at around 35m AODN.
- 1.4.3 The ground conditions across the site were generally considered to be favourable for the collection of magnetometry data, although traversing was occasionally difficult due to patches of tall and thick vegetation. Weather conditions during the survey were initially wet followed by a period of sunny spells.



Plate 1: Survey area looking south west

1.5 Site history and archaeological potential

1.5.1 The Gloucestershire Historic Environment Record outlines that the site lies to the west of Duddage Tudor manor house with the remains of the associated farmyard and outbuildings within the north eastern corner of the development area. There is therefore potential for the survey to locate anomalies associated with these, and possibly previously unrecorded archaeological features.

1.6 Geology and soils

1.6.1 The underlying solid geology across the site is from the Charmouth Mudstone Formation with overlying River Terrace Deposits of sand and gravel across the majority of the site (BGS, 2022).

1.6.2 The overlying soil across the survey area is from the Bishampton 2 association and is a stagnogleyic argillic brown earth and consists of a deep, fine loamy over clayey soil with slowly permeable subsoil (Soil Survey of England and Wales, 1983).

1.6.3 Magnetometry carried out over similar geology and soil has produced good results. The site is, therefore, considered suitable for magnetic survey.

2 METHODOLOGY

2.1 *Technical synopsis*

- 2.1.1 Magnetometry survey records localised magnetic fields that can be associated with features formed by human activity. Magnetic susceptibility and magnetic thermoremnance (also known as thermoremanence) are factors associated with the formation of localised fields.
- 2.1.2 Iron minerals within the soil may become altered by burning and the break down of biological material; effectively the magnetic susceptibility of the soil is increased, and the iron minerals become magnetic in the presence of the Earth's magnetic field. Accumulations of magnetically enhanced soils within features, such as pits and ditches, may produce magnetic anomalies that can be mapped by magnetic prospection.
- 2.1.3 Magnetic thermoremnance can occur when ferrous minerals have been heated to high temperatures such as in a kiln, hearth, oven etc. On cooling, a permanent magnetisation may be acquired due to the presence of the Earth's magnetic field. Certain natural processes associated with the formation of some igneous and metamorphic rock may also result in magnetic thermoremnance.
- 2.1.4 The localised variations in magnetism are measured as sub-units of the Tesla, which is a SI unit of magnetic flux density. These sub-units are nano Teslas (nT), which are equivalent to 10^{-9} Tesla (T). Additional details are set out in 2.2 below and within Appendix A.

2.2 *Equipment configuration, data collection and survey detail*

- 2.2.1 The detailed magnetic survey was carried out using a SENSYS MAGNETO® MXPDA 5 channel cart-based system. The instrument has 5 fluxgate gradiometers (FGM650) spaced 0.5m apart with readings recorded at 20Hz. The cart is pushed at walking speed and not towed. Each sensor is not zeroed in the field as the vertical axis alignment is precisely fixed leaving sensor offsets that are removed during data processing. The fixing of the vertical alignment ensures the sensors are not unduly influenced by localised magnetic fields and that the vertical component of a magnetic anomaly is measured. The gradiometers have a measurement range of ± 8000 nT, although the recorded range is ± 3000 nT, and resolution is around 0.1nT. They are linked to a Leica GS10 RTK GNSS with data recorded by SENSYS MonMX software on a rugged notebook computer system.
- 2.2.2 Due to the fixed offsets within the fluxgate sensors, as a result of the manufacturing and tensioning process, the survey data do not provide a visually useful dataset until a zero median traverse algorithm is applied. It is recognised that this has the potential to affect some anomalies detrimentally by removing linear features orientated parallel to survey transects. However, this has not been noted as a particular problem with the system due to the high resolution data collection, generally long length of traverses and variability within the magnetic characteristics of a linear anomaly.

- 2.2.3 Data are collected along a series of parallel survey transects to achieve 100% coverage of the surveyable land. The length of each transect is variable and relates to the size of the survey area and other factors including ground conditions. A visual display allows accurate placing of transects and helps maintain the correct separation between adjacent traverses. Data are not collected within fixed grids and data points are considered to be random even though the data are collected in a systematic manner covering all accessible areas (Aspinall, Gaffney and Schmidt, 2009).
- 2.2.4 Fluxgate sensors are highly sensitive to temperature change and this manifests as drift during the course of a survey. This can be particularly noticeable during the morning as temperatures rise and the equipment warms or cools. Sensor drift within the course of a traverse will appear as a line trending from negative to positive after processing with a zero median traverse algorithm. To remove the potential for temperature drift, data were collected after a 20 minute stabilisation period and traverses were limited to a time of generally <100s.

2.3 *Data processing and presentation*

- 2.3.1 Magnetic data collected by the MAGNETO® MXPDA cart-based system are initially prepared using SENSYS MAGNETO® DLMGPS software. The software effectively allocates a geographic position for each data point and can compensate for fixed offsets present within the FGM650 sensors. The offsets are positive or negative values present on all fluxgate gradiometer sensors. Some systems use manual or electronic balancing to effectively zero the sensors; however, this is a short term measure that is prone to drift through temperature changes and vibration and can easily be incorrectly set due to localised magnetic fields. The FGM650 sensors are very accurately aligned to the vertical magnetic gradient and are highly stable showing negligible drift on long traverses. The offset values are removed using TerraSurveyor software.
- 2.3.2 Survey tracks are analysed and georeferenced raw data (UTM Z30N) are then exported in ASCII format for further analysis and display within TerraSurveyor. The removal of the offset values (compensation) of the sensors is also carried out in TerraSurveyor using a zero median traverse function. Data are then considered to be minimally processed. Note: without the zero median traverse function it is not possible to create a meaningful data plot as all sensors have a different offset value. Although a zero median traverse algorithm can remove anomalies aligned with the survey tracks, in practice this rarely occurs due to the use of long traverses, high resolution measurement and variability within the magnetic susceptibility of long linear features.
- 2.3.3 The minimally processed data are collected between limits of $\pm 3000\text{nT}$ and clipped for display at $\pm 3\text{nT}$. Data are interpolated to a resolution of effectively 0.5m between tracks and 0.15m along each survey track.

- 2.3.4 Additional data processing has been carried out in the form of high pass filtering. This effectively removes low frequency variation along a traverse that has been caused by large magnetic bodies, cultivation or rapid temperature change. Data treated to additional processing have been compared to unprocessed data to ensure that no significant anomalies have been removed.
- 2.3.5 Appendix C contains metadata concerning the survey and data attributes and is derived directly from TerraSurveyor. Reference should be made to Appendix B for further information on processing.
- 2.3.6 A TIF file is produced by TerraSurveyor software along with an associated world file (.TFW) that allows automatic georeferencing (OSGB36 datum) when using GIS or CAD software. The main form of data display used in the report is the minimally processed greyscale plot. With regard to the Sensys MXPDA, minimally processed data are considered by the manufacturer to be data that are compensated by SENSYS MAGNETO DLMGPS software, see 2.3.1 and 2.3.2. Note: traceplots are not considered to be appropriate as they do not provide an accurate or useful assessment of the magnetic anomalies due to the very high density of data collection. In addition, traceplots cannot be meaningfully plotted against base mapping and in areas of complexity traces may be lost or highly confused. Traceplots may be used to demonstrate characteristic magnetic profiles across discrete features where it is considered beneficial.
- 2.3.7 The raster images are combined with base mapping using ProgeCAD Professional 2021, creating DWG (2018) file formats. All images are externally referenced to the CAD drawing in order to maintain good graphical quality. The CAD plots are effectively georeferenced facilitating relocation of features using GNSS, resection method, etc.
- 2.3.8 An abstraction and interpretation is drawn and plotted for all geophysical anomalies located by the survey. Anomalies are abstracted using colour coded points, lines and polygons. All plots are scaled to landscape A3 for paper printing. Appendix E sets out CAD layer names with colour and graphic content for each interpretation category, see 3.3.
- 2.3.9 A brief summary of each anomaly, with an appropriate reference number, is set out in list form within the results (Section 3) to allow a rapid and objective assessment of features within the survey area. Where further interpretation is possible, or where a number of possible origins should be considered, more subjective discussion is set out in Section 4.
- 2.3.10 A digital archive is produced with this report, see Appendix D below. The main archive is held at the offices of Archaeological Surveys Ltd.

3 RESULTS

3.1 *General assessment of survey results*

- 3.1.1 The detailed magnetic survey was carried out over approximately 2.4ha within a single pasture field.
- 3.1.2 Magnetic anomalies located can be generally classified as positive anomalies of an uncertain origin, anomalies associated with land management, areas of magnetic debris and disturbance, strong discrete dipolar anomalies relating to ferrous objects..
- 3.1.3 Anomalies located within each survey area have been numbered and are described in 3.4 below.

3.2 *Statement of data quality and factors influencing the interpretation of anomalies*

- 3.2.1 Data are considered representative of the magnetic anomalies present within the site. There are no significant defects within the dataset.
- 3.2.2 High magnitude magnetic anomalies in the eastern part of the survey area relate to ferrous objects and debris and are unlikely to be archaeologically significant. However, the high magnitude responses have the potential to obscure weak magnetic features should they exist within this part of the site.
- 3.2.3 The survey located very few anomalies that could be associated with the fill of former cut features e.g. ditches and pits, and as a consequence it has not been possible to make a broad qualitative assessment of the magnetic contrast between feature fills and the underlying subsoil/geology. A single topsoil sample was obtained from an area in the western part of the site away from modern debris in order to assess the mass specific magnetic susceptibility of the soil. Using a Bartington MS2B sensor an average low frequency mass specific magnetic susceptibility (X_{if}) of $8.3 \times 10^{-8} \text{m}^3 \text{kg}^{-1}$ was obtained from several subsamples; this is similar to a wide range of clay and chalk topsoils within southern England where magnetometry is acceptable. However, the single topsoil sample obtained may not be representative, and it was not possible to obtain subsoil samples which limits confidence in any interpretation. The measurements were not the primary objective of the survey and are considered supplementary.

3.3 *Data interpretation*

- 3.3.1 The list of sub-headings below attempts to define a number of separate categories that reflect the range and type of features located during the survey. A general explanation of the characteristics of the magnetic anomalies is set out for each category in order to justify interpretation, see Table 1.

Interpretation category	Description and origin of anomalies
Anomalies with an uncertain origin	The category applies to a range of anomalies where <u>there is not enough evidence to confidently suggest an origin</u> . Anomalies in this category <u>may well be related to archaeologically significant features, but equally relatively modern features, geological/pedological features and agricultural features should be considered</u> . Morphology may be unclear or uncharacteristic and there may be a lack of additional supporting information. Positive anomalies are indicative of magnetically enhanced soils that may form the fill of 'cut' features or may be produced by accumulation within layers or 'earthwork' features; soils subject to burning may also produce positive anomalies. Negative anomalies are produced by material of comparatively low magnetic susceptibility such as stone and subsoil.
Anomalies relating to land management	Anomalies are mainly linear and may be indicative of the magnetically enhanced fill of cut features (i.e. ditches). The anomalies may be long and/or form rectilinear elements and they may relate to topographic features or be visible on early mapping. Associated agricultural anomalies (e.g. headlands, plough marks and former ridge and furrow) may support the interpretation. Land drains can appear in a classic herringbone pattern of interconnected multiple dipolar linear anomalies, or as parallel linear anomalies. The multiple dipolar response indicates ceramic land drains.
Anomalies associated with magnetic debris	Magnetic debris often appears as areas containing many small dipolar anomalies that may range from weak to very strong in magnitude. They often occur where there has been dumping or ground make-up and are related to magnetically thermoremanent materials such as brick or tile or other small fragments of ferrous material. This type of response is occasionally associated with kilns, furnace structures, hearths and nail spreads from former wooden structures or rooves and <u>may, therefore, be archaeologically significant</u> . It is also possible that the response may be caused by natural material such as certain gravels and fragments of igneous or metamorphic rock. Strong discrete dipolar anomalies are responses to ferrous objects within the topsoil.
Anomalies with a modern origin	The magnetic response is often strong and dipolar indicative of ferrous material and may be associated with extant above surface features such as wire fencing, cables, pylons etc. Often a significant area around these features has a strong magnetic flux which may create magnetic disturbance; such disturbance can effectively obscure low magnitude anomalies if they are present. Fluxgate sensors may respond erratically adjacent to strong magnetic sources. Buried services may produce characteristic multiple dipolar anomalies dependant upon their construction.

Table 1: List and description of interpretation categories

3.4 List of anomalies

Area centred on OS NGR 389260 236920, see Figs 03 – 05.

Anomalies with an uncertain origin

(1) – A number of positive linear responses are located towards the north eastern part of the site. They correspond with the approximate location of agricultural buildings associated with Duddage Manor to the east, and which are mapped in 1840, but no longer mapped in 1884. The anomalies indicate a response to magnetically enhanced material, possibly brick, and an association with former structural remains is possible.

(2) – Positive linear anomalies in the north eastern corner of the site lack a coherent morphology and are masked by magnetic debris. It is therefore not possible to determine if they have any association with the formerly mapped farm buildings nearby or if they relate to spreads of dumped magnetic material.

(3) – A weakly positive linear anomaly is located immediately west of a large zone of magnetic debris. The response could relate to a cut, ditch-like feature, but its age and origin is uncertain.

(4) - A small number of weakly positive linear and discrete anomalies are located in the south eastern part of the site. They lack a clearly defined morphology and cannot be confidently interpreted as cut features.

(5) – A row of three discrete, positive anomalies is located at the western end of the survey area, outside of the development boundary. While the responses appear as pit-like features, it is possible that they are a response to a buried land drain.

Anomalies associated with land management

(6) – A number of weak, multiple dipolar, linear anomalies are evident in the south western corner of the site. These relate to a series of ceramic land drains.

Anomalies associated with magnetic debris

(7) – A circular area of magnetic debris in the northern part of the survey area but outside of the development boundary relates to ferrous and other magnetically thermoremnant material, such as brick/tile, that has been used to infill a pond in the 20th century.

(8) – Zones of magnetic debris relate to spreads of modern magnetic material within the site.

(9) – The site contains numerous strong, discrete, dipolar anomalies which are a response to ferrous and other magnetically thermoremnant objects within the topsoil.

Anomalies with a modern origin

(10) – Magnetic disturbance from electricity poles and other ferrous objects and material within and surrounding the site.

4 CONCLUSION

4.1.1 The results of the geophysical survey indicate the presence of magnetically enhanced material towards the north eastern corner of the site. These correspond with the location of possible medieval or post medieval farm buildings associated with Duddage Manor and mapped in the 1840s. It is, therefore, possible that the anomalies are associated with the farm buildings; however, widespread magnetic debris from modern dumping and ground consolidation is also evident in the area and the features are poorly defined.

4.1.2 A small number of other weakly positive linear anomalies have been located within the site, and while one linear in the northern part of the site could relate to a former ditch-like feature, the majority of the responses are very weak and poorly defined.

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Appendix A – basic principles of magnetic survey

Iron minerals are always present to some degree within the topsoil and enhancement associated with human activity is related to increases in the level of magnetic susceptibility and thermoremanent material. Magnetic susceptibility is an induced magnetism within a material when it is in the presence of a magnetic field. This can be thought of as effectively permanent due to the presence of the Earth's magnetic field. Thermoremanent magnetism occurs when ferrous material is heated beyond a specific temperature known as the Curie Point. Demagnetisation occurs at this temperature with re-magnetisation by the Earth's magnetic field upon cooling.

Enhancement of magnetic susceptibility can occur in areas subject to burning and complex fermentation processes on biological material; these are frequently associated with human settlement. Thermoremanent features include ovens, hearths, and kilns. In addition thermoremanent material such as tile and brick may also be associated with human activity and settlement.

Silting and deliberate infilling of ditches and pits with magnetically enhanced soil can create an area of enhancement compared with surrounding soils and subsoils into which the feature is cut. Mapping enhanced areas will produce linear and discrete anomalies allowing an assessment and characterisation of hidden subsurface features.

It should be noted that areas of negative enhancement can be produced from material having lower magnetic properties compared to the topsoil. This is common for many sedimentary bedrocks and subsoils which were often used in the construction of banks and walls etc. Mapping these 'negative' anomalies may also reveal archaeological features.

Magnetic survey or magnetometry can be carried out using a fluxgate gradiometer and may be referred to as gradiometry. The SENSYS gradiometer is a passive instrument consisting of two fluxgate sensors mounted vertically 65cm apart. The instrument is carried about 10-20cm above the ground surface and the upper sensor measures the Earth's magnetic field as does the lower sensor but this is influenced to a greater degree by any localised buried magnetic field. The difference between the two sensors will relate to the strength of the magnetic field created by the buried feature.

There are a number of factors that may affect the magnetic survey and these include soil type, local geology and previous human activity. Situations arise where magnetic disturbance associated with modern services, metal fencing, dumped waste material etc., obscures low magnitude fields associated with archaeological features.

Appendix B – data processing notes

Clipping

Minimum and maximum values are set and replace data outside of the range with those values. Extreme values are removed improving colour or greyscale contrast associated with data values that may be archaeologically significant. Different ranges are applied to data in order to determine the most suitable for anomaly abstraction and display.

High Pass Filter

Removes low frequency anomalies within the data that are not considered to be archaeologically significant and may be natural in origin. A window passes over the data, the mean of all the data within the window is subtracted from the centre value. The size of the window is adjusted as is the weighting which may be uniform or Gaussian. The process is used to improve the visibility of anomalies of interest.

Zero Median/Mean Traverse

The median (or mean) of data from each traverse is calculated ignoring data outside a threshold value, the median (or mean) is then subtracted from the traverse. The process is used to equalise differences between the offset values of the gradiometer sensors. The process can remove archaeological features that run along a traverse but with the high resolution datasets created by the Sensys FGM650 sensors and the method of data collection this has not been a notable problem. In fact, the removal of offsets using software avoids carrying out a balancing procedure on site, which inevitably can never be done in magnetically clean

conditions and results in improperly aligned fluxgate sensors and/or electronic adjustment values.

Appendix C – survey and data information

Minimally processed data	Y Interval: 0.13 m	4 Clip from -3.00 to 3.00 nT
Filename: J932-mag-proc.xcp	Stats	Filtered data
Instrument Type: Sensys DLMGPS	Max: 3.32	Filename: J932-mag-proc-hpf.xcp
Units: nT	Min: -3.30	Stats
UTM Zone: 30U	Std Dev: 1.34	Max: 3.32
Survey corner coordinates (X/Y): OSGB36	Mean: -0.03	Min: -3.30
Northwest corner: 389145.76, 237020.88 m	Median: 0.03	Std Dev: 1.27
Southeast corner: 389371.44, 236829.52m	Composite Area: 4.3186 ha	Mean: -0.02
Collection Method: Randomised	Surveyed Area: 2.3609 ha	Median: 0.01
Sensors: 6	PROGRAM	GPS based Proce5
Dummy Value: 32702	Name: TerraSurveyor	1 Base Layer.
Source GPS Points: 709800	Version: 3.0.32.4	2 Unit Conversion Layer (Lat/Long to UTM).
Dimensions	GPS based Proce4	3 DeStripe Median Traverse:
Composite Size (readings): 1736 x 1472	1 Base Layer.	4 High pass Uniform (median) filter: Window dia: 300
Survey Size (meters): 226 m x 191 m	2 Unit Conversion Layer (Lat/Long to UTM).	5 Clip from -3.00 to 3.00 nT
Grid Size: 226 m x 191 m	3 DeStripe Median Traverse:	
X Interval: 0.13 m		

Appendix D – digital archive

Archaeological Surveys Ltd hold the primary digital archive at their offices in Wiltshire. Data are backed-up onto an on-site data storage drive and at the earliest opportunity data are copied to CD ROM for storage on-site and off-site.

A copy of the report in PDF/A format will be supplied to the Gloucestershire Historic Environment Record, together with a DXF of the survey boundary. In order to comply with the Gloucestershire Archaeological Archive Standards (Paul, 2018) the data will be archived with the Archaeology Data Service (ADS) and the report uploaded to Online AccesS to the Index of archaeological investigationS (OASIS) in the formats stated below for archiving:



Archive contents:

File type	Naming scheme	Description
Data	J932-mag-[area number/name].asc J932-mag-[area number/name].xcp J932-mag-[area number/name]-proc.xcp	Raw data as ASCII CSV TerraSurveyor raw data TerraSurveyor minimally processed data
Graphics	J932-mag-[area number/name]-proc.tif	Image in TIF format
Drawing	J932-[version number].dwg	CAD file in 2018 dwg format
Report	J932 report.odt	Report text in LibreOffice odt format

Table 2: Archive metadata

Appendix E – CAD layers for abstraction and interpretation plots

The table below sets out Archaeological Surveys Ltd CAD layer names with associated colours and graphical content. Where CAD files are available layers may be extracted for further CAD/GIS use. Note: hatched polygon boundaries are contained within layers with the RGB colour code 254, 255, 255 (near white) in order to prevent their visibility.

Report sub-heading and associated CAD layer names	Colour with RGB index	Layer content
Anomalies with an uncertain origin		
AS-ABST MAG POS LINEAR UNCERTAIN	 255,127,0	Line, polyline or polygon (solid)
AS-ABST MAG POS DISCRETE UNCERTAIN	 255,127,0	Solid donut, point or polygon (solid)

Anomalies relating to land management			
AS-ABST MAG LAND DRAIN		Cyan 0,255,255	Line or polyline
Anomalies associated with magnetic debris			
AS-ABST MAG DEBRIS		132, 132, 132	Polygon (cross hatched ANSI37)
AS-ABST MAG STRONG DIPOLAR		132, 132, 132	Solid donut, point or polygon (solid)
Anomalies with a modern origin			
AS-ABST MAG DISTURBANCE		132, 132, 132	Polygon (hatched ANSI31)

Table 3: CAD layering

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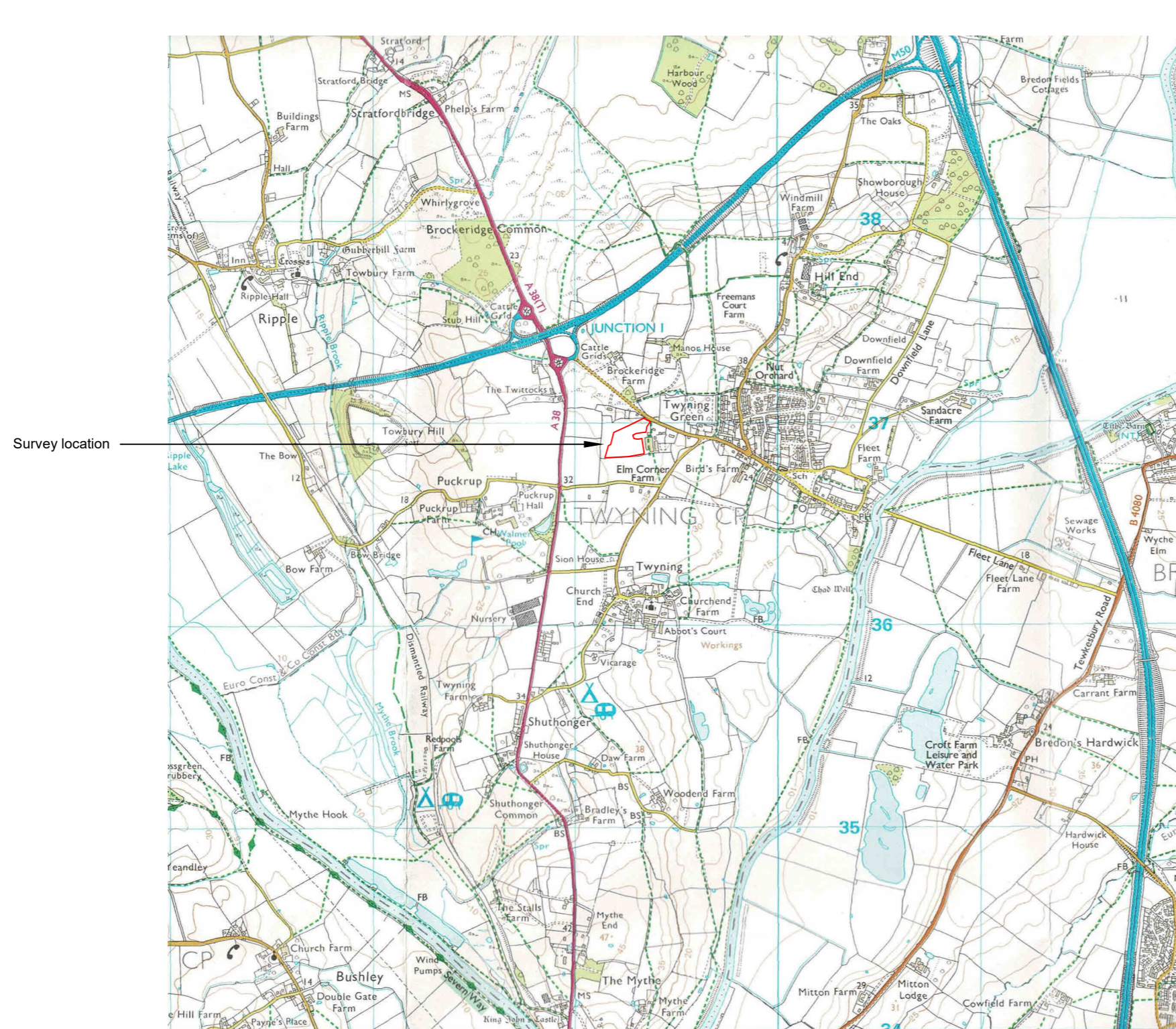
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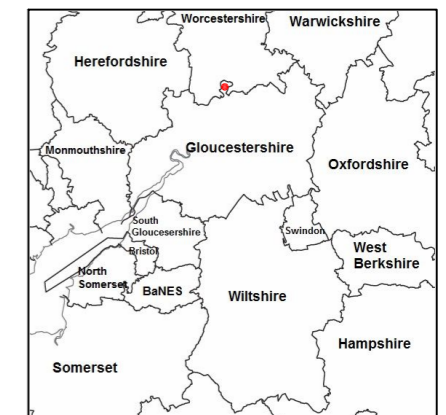


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Map of survey area



Survey location



● Survey location

Site centred on OS NGR
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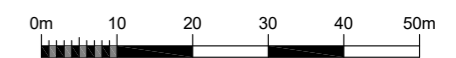
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Referencing information

Referencing grid to OSGB36 datum at 50m intervals

- 389250 236900
- Survey tracks
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- ⋯ Survey track stop
- ⬮ Development boundary

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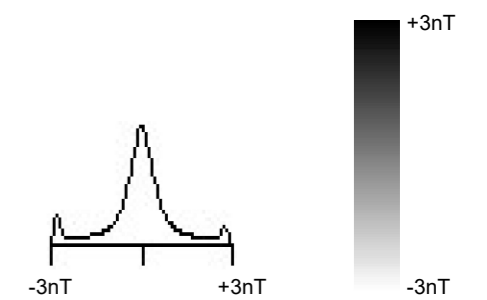
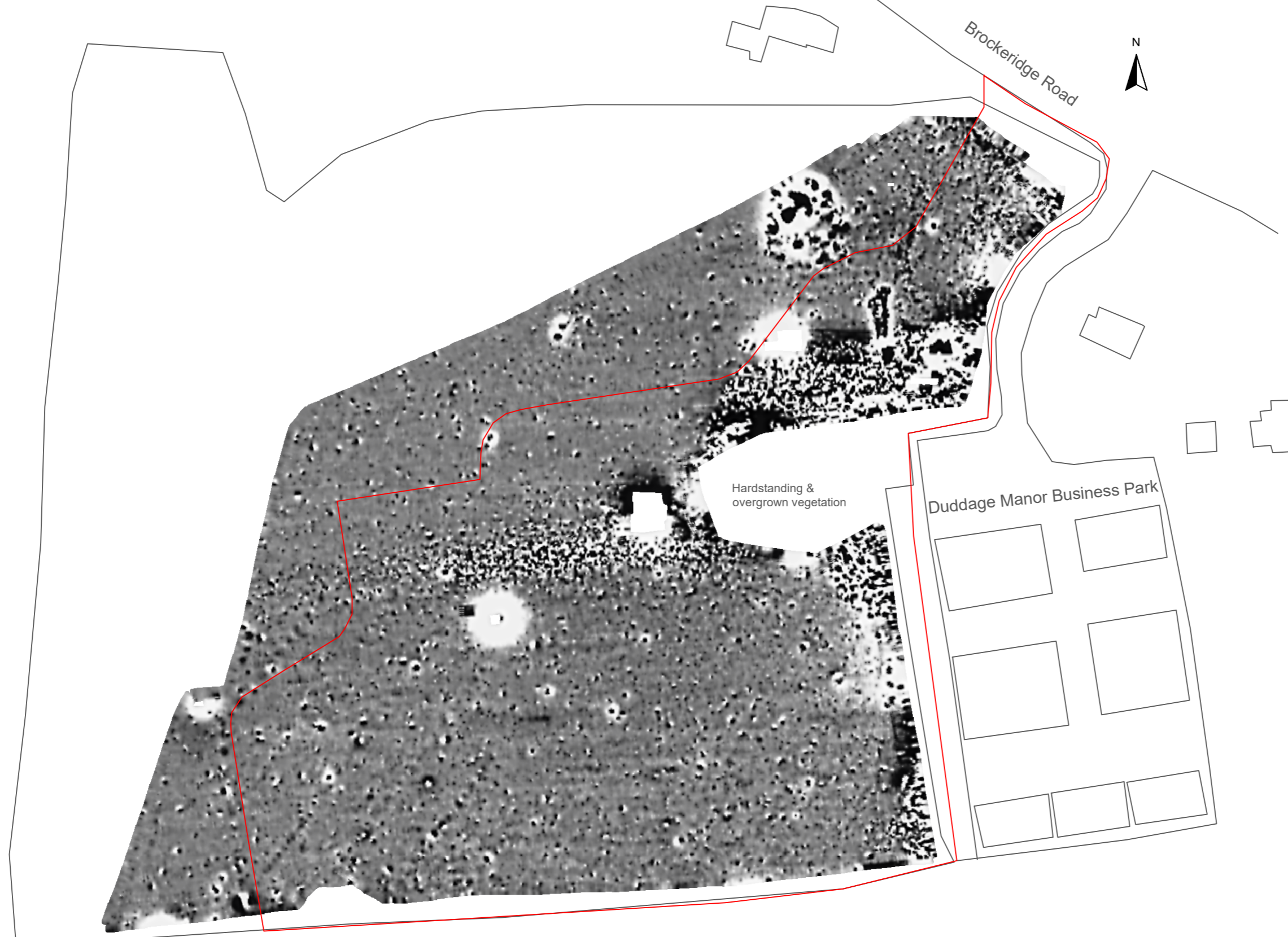
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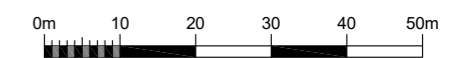
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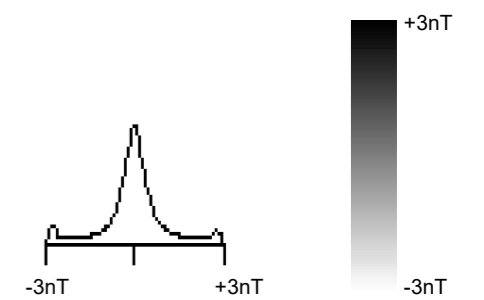
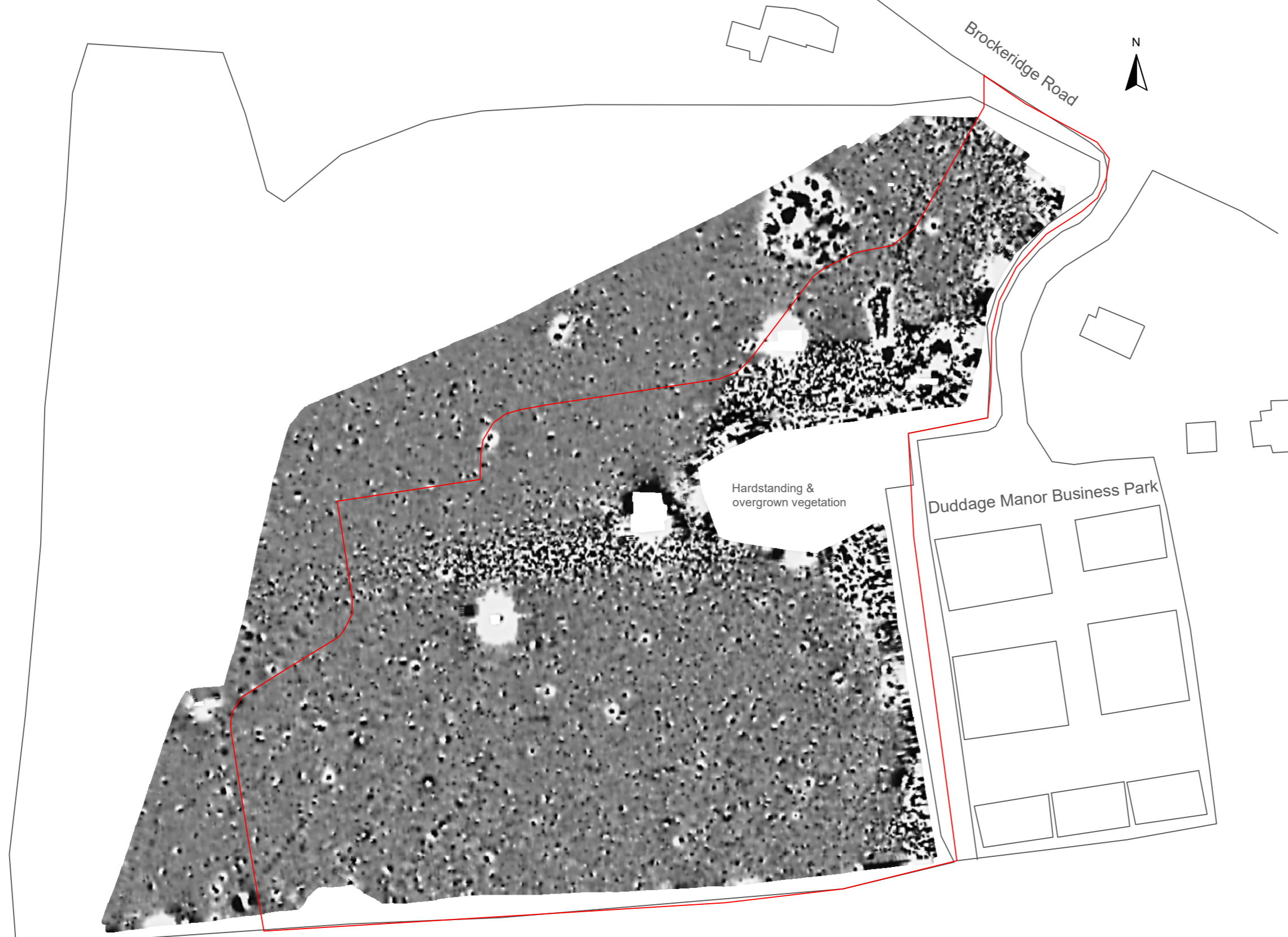
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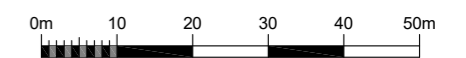
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**Greyscale plot of
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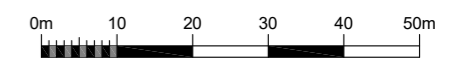
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**Abstraction and interpretation of
magnetic anomalies**

-  Positive linear anomaly - magnetically enhanced feature
-  Weak multiple dipolar linear anomaly - land drain
-  Discrete positive response - magnetic enhancement
-  Magnetic debris - spread of magnetically thermoremnant/ferrous material
-  Magnetic disturbance from ferrous material
-  Strong dipolar anomaly - ferrous object

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FIG 05

