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## Crossrail C261 - Early East (XSK10)

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## **Summary Note on Building Materials**

Two fragments of building material were recovered from XSK10 (context [142]). The building material from the site has been fully recorded and the information added to the Oracle database.

Listed below is a summary of the building material:

Context	Fabric	Туре	Context Date
[142]	2586	Ridge tile	1630-1800/1900
	3202	Pantile	

## Discussion

Both fragments of building material are post-medieval. They are likely to be mid-17th—18th century, although a later date cannot be entirely discounted. Both tiles could have come from the same roof or the same building as curved ridge tiles were needed to cover the crest of pantiled roofed buildings.

Pantiles were generally used on less prestigious building in London such as sheds, workshops and on more humble domestic dwellings in the poorer areas of the city.