From the 1970s onwards, Winchester Museums, responsible for the investigation and curation of the archaeological heritage of the city and its surrounding district, carried out a series of major excavations in the Winchester area. The results of these excavations, together with associated analyses and research, are being published in a series of academic reports.

The following reports have already been published:

Oram's Arbour - The Iron Age enclosure at Winchester. Volume 1: Investigations 1950-1999 by K E Qualmann, H Rees, G D Scobie and R Whinney, 2004

The book reports on the evidence for prehistoric settlement in Winchester from a series of excavations carried out in the 1970s and 1980s, and includes a gazetteer of all prehistoric sites known up to 2004.

Artefacts and Society in Roman and medieval Winchester - Small finds from the suburbs and defences, 1971-1986 by H Rees, N Crummy, P J Ottaway and G Dunn, 2008

This includes as an introduction brief descriptions of the sites and their context within the changing history and archaeology of the city, followed by an examination of nearly 3,000 catalogued objects according to the manner of their use. The last part offers synthesis and discussion.

To be published in the near future:

Feeding a Roman town - Environmental evidence from excavations in Winchester 1972-1985 by M Maltby

The companion volume to this one, much of this book is taken up by a detailed report on a very large group of Roman faunal remains from sites in the northern suburb and on the defences. It also includes smaller reports on other faunal assemblages, and molluscan and plant remains.

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