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Catalogue of the flint tools recovered at Romancamp Gate
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A collection of 31 pieces of flint was submitted for specialist examination. The classification of this collection is summarised in Table 2.

Table 2

Type	No.	Wt. in grams
Unretouched flakes complete	6	19.2
Unretouched flakes broken	15	17.9
Core	1	4.7
Scrapers	2	9.4
Piercer	1	1.6
Microlith	1	0.1
Miscellaneous retouched pieces	3	4.3
Unclassified burnt fragments	2	3.2
Totals	31	60.4

Catalogue of the Romancamp Gate Flints

Cat. No.	Type	Wt in Grams	Comments
01	Core	4.7	Burnt; slightly damaged; A1 microblade core; no cortex; max. dimension 26 mm.
02	Flake	2.0	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; poss. core rej.; brown.
03	Piercer	1.6	Distal point on small flake; slight damage; cortex; grey; max. L. 22 mm.
04	Microlith	0.1	Fragment; blunted on RHS; type unclass.; no cortex; grey.
05	Scraper	3.3	Complete; extended-end; 'thumbnail' type; cortex; grey/brown; L. 18 x B. 20 x Th. 7.5 mm.
06	Flake	2.9	Unretouched; complete; cortex; core rej.; yellow/brown/red.
07	Flake	0.7	Unretouched; complete; cortex; grey.
08	Flake	0.2	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; grey.
09	Flake	2.2	Unretouched; complete; cortex; grey.
10	Flake	0.1	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; grey.
11	Flake	8.9	Unretouched; complete; cortex; banded grey/cream.
12	Flake	3.9	Unretouched; complete; cortex; grey.
13	Flake	1.3	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; grey/brown.
14	Misc retouched	1.0	Notched blade segment; bulbar end absent; poss. a microlith frag.; no cortex; light grey.
15	Unclass burnt	2.8	Cortex.
16	Flake	0.7	Unretouched; broken; cortex; burnt.
17	Flake	0.1	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; grey.
18	Flake	3.4	Unretouched; broken; prob. core rej.; cortex; burnt.

Cat. No.	Type	Wt in Grams	Comments
19	Misc retouched	1.1	Distal blade segment; with inverse retouch at the tip and incipient ?blunting at the break; prob. a broken microlith; no cortex; grey/blue/white.
20	Flake	1.9	Unretouched blade; broken at the distal tip; no cortex; grey.
21	Flake	0.4	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; red.
22	Flake	0.3	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; grey.
23	Flake	0.6	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; burnt.
24	Flake	0.2	Unretouched; broken; no cortex; red.
25	Flake	0.6	Unretouched; complete; no cortex; grey.
26	Scraper	6.1	End scraper on distal end of thick flake/blade; broken transversely with bulbar end absent; perhaps intentionally; no cortex; burnt; max L. 24; B. 20; Th. 12 mm.
27	Misc retouched	2.2	Medial flake segment with some lateral blunting retouch; poss. an intentional segment & part of a composite tool-edge; no cortex; light grey.
28	Flake	0.3	Unretouched; broken; cortex; white.
29	Flake	1.2	Unretouched; broken; poss. core rej.; no cortex; cream.
30	Unclass burnt	0.4	Cortex.
31	Flake	5.2	Unretouched; broken; cortex; burnt.