

MOLA HEADLAND INFRASTRUCTURE



CONTEXT SHEET

Site code A14	Area/Field TEA38	Sub-area/Trench	Context number 382753
ECB #	Subgroup	Parent context 382753	Context type cut ☒ fill ☐ deposit ☐

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

STRATIGRAPHY

382754	this context	Same as context	380799
382757		Cuts context	
		Cut by context	

CUT

(if you are using this section score out section **FILL/DEPOSIT** below)

DESCRIPTION

INTERPRETATION

Shape

sub- ☐ rectangular ☐ square ☐ circular ☐ linear ☒ curvilinear ☐ irregular ☐ other* ☐

Orientation

☒ N-S
☐ E-W
☐ NE-SW
☐ NW-SE



Sides

☐ vertical
☐ steep
☒ moderate sloping
☐ gentle
☐ stepped
☐ undercutting
☐ complex*

Base

☐ flat
☐ concave
☐ v-shaped
☐ sloping
☐ uneven
☐ complex*

Dimensions

in metres

Length

2.10m*

Width

1.55m*

Depth

0.45m*

Diameter

Shape result of (tick all that apply) **FEATURE NFE - DIMENSIONS IN SLOT**

design ☒ material cut into ☐ natural processes ☐ degree of truncation ☐ uncertain ☐

- ☐ pit
- ☐ post-hole
- ☐ stake-hole
- ☒ ditch
- ☐ ring-ditch
- ☐ beam slot
- ☐ construction cut
- ☐ robber cut
- ☐ gully
- ☐ palaeochannel
- ☐ furrow
- ☐ field boundary
- ☐ burial cut
- ☐ other cut (describe below)

FILL/DEPOSIT

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DESCRIPTION

INTERPRETATION

Compaction

☐ compact
☐ moderately compact
☐ loose
☐ friable

Colour

light ☐ mid ☐ dark ☐ mottled ☐
brownish ☐ brown ☐
greyish ☐ grey ☐
orangeish ☐ orange ☐
yellowish ☐ yellow ☐
reddish ☐ red ☐
blueish ☐ blue ☐

Thickness

black ☐ white ☐ other* ☐

Composition

clayey ☐ clay ☐
silty ☐ silt ☐
sandy ☐ sand ☐
gravelly ☐ gravel ☐
peaty ☐ peat ☐

Inclusions

use the following: O: occasional M: moderate F: frequent	stones*	chalk	iron pan	manganese	charcoal	plant remains*	wood	marine shell	bone*	pot	fired clay / CBM	CTP	mortar/plaster	leather/textile	glass	metal	industrial waste	lithics	coarse stone
frequency																			
bulk find																			

- ☐ topsoil
- ☐ subsoil
- ☐ geological subsoil
- ☐ remnant topsoil
- ☐ surface
- ☐ occupation layer
- ☐ dumped layer
- ☐ deliberate backfill
- ☐ destruction debris
- ☐ bedding layer
- ☐ natural infilling
- ☐ colluvial layer
- ☐ in situ burning
- ☐ post-pipe
- ☐ packing
- ☐ cremation
- ☐ other fill/deposit (describe below)

CROSS REFERENCE

Sample nos	Finds nos	Photo nos	Drawing nos
/	/	3820556 3820559 3820552-53 3820557-58	SM: 155, 156 Surveyed: plan ☒ section ☒ levels ☐ #38528 #38526 #38530

Basic process

construction ☒ use ☐ disuse ☐

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

(any further details that may be important for understanding the context, including items marked * overleaf)

THIS IS THE CUT OF A DITCH RUNNING N-S.

THIS DITCH WAS OBSERVED IN A TEST SLOT
THEREFORE IT WASN'T FULLY EXCAVATED.

IT APPEARS TO CUT BOTH DITCHES THAT RUN
E-W # [382759], [382755].

THE CUT WAS OBSERVED ONLY ^{UP TO} ~~40~~ 40cm depth
~~AT~~ AND IT ~~SEEMS~~ APPEARS MODERATELY SLOPPING.

BASE WAS NOT OBSERVED.

Refer to context 382751, 53

SKETCHES

(consider: location plan, detailed plan showing relationships, section showing fills/deposits as appropriate)

