



Site code <b>A14</b>	Area/Field <b>TEP41</b>	Sub-area/Trench	Context number <b>[410096]</b>
ECB #	Subgroup	Parent context	Context type cut <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> fill <input type="checkbox"/> deposit <input type="checkbox"/>

**STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX**

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<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>(410094)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Same as context <del>410094</del>
this context					Cuts context <del>410094</del> <b>[410346]</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>(410095)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	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\* **NOT SEEN**

**Dimensions**  
in metres  
 Length (L) **1.1m**  
 Width (W) **1.94m**  
 Depth (D) **0.56m**  
 Diameter (Ø) **0.63m**

**Shape result of** (tick all that apply)  
 design  material cut into  natural processes  degree of truncation  uncertain

**INTERPRETATION**  
 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**

(if you are using this section score out section **CUT** above)

**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   
 black  white  other\*

**Composition**  
 clayey  clay   
 silty  silt   
 sandy  sand   
 gravelly  gravel   
 peaty  peat   
 other\*

**Thickness (max)**

**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	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**INTERPRETATION**  
 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
		4100071- 4100073 4100307- 4100309	Surveyed: plan <input type="checkbox"/> section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> levels <input type="checkbox"/> SH: 3/ DNo: 41018, 41074

**Basic process**  
 construction  use  disuse

Date **26/4/17**  
 Initials **ANC**  
 Checked by **[Signature]**

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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

CUT OF DITCH, NOT FULLY EXCAVATED. CONTAINS TWO FILLS (410094) AND (410095). ONE IS A SILTING FILL AND THE OTHER IS A DUMPING FILL. THE DITCH WAS IN USE FOR A WHILE + THEN BACK FILLED. THIS DITCH CUTS EARLIER DITCH [410092], AT A RIGHT ANGLE. FINDS FROM FILL SAY LATE IA DATE MAYBE EARLY ROMAN FOR THE DITCH.

UPDATED 10/5/17 NOW A DITCH WITH ONLY ONE FILL (410094). CUTS EARLIER DITCH (410095) / [410346] AND ITS FILL. IT IS A RE-CUT OF THE EARLIER DITCH. NOT FULLY EXCAVATED SO FULL PROFILE NOT SEEN. THIS DITCH STILL CUTS DITCH [410092] BUT ONLY PHYSICALLY NOT STRATIGRAPHICALLY. DITCH IS ONE OF SEVERAL ENCLOSURE DITCHES GOING AROUND THE MAJORITY OF THE ARCHAEOLOGY ON SITE.

Refer to context (410094)

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

NEW PLAN (410095)

