

MOLA HEADLAND INFRASTRUCTURE



CONTEXT SHEET

Site code A14	Area/Field TEA10	Sub-area/Trench A	Context number C106703
ECB #	Subgroup	Parent context C106702	Context type cut ☐ fill ☒ deposit ☐

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

STRATIGRAPHY

		C100002			Same as context
		this context			Cuts context
		C106702			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* ☐					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) ☐
Orientation I ☐ N-S I ☐ E-W I ☐ NE-SW I ☐ NW-SE N ▲		Sides I ☐ vertical I ☐ steep I ☐ moderate sloping I ☐ gentle I ☐ stepped I ☐ undercutting I ☐ complex*		Base I ☐ flat I ☐ concave I ☐ w-shaped I ☐ sloping I ☐ uneven I ☐ complex*	
Dimensions in metres		Length (L)	Width (W)	Depth (D)	
Shape result of (tick all that apply) design ☐ material cut into ☐ natural processes ☐ degree of truncation ☐ uncertain ☐					

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		Composition clayey ☐ ☒ clay silty ☐ ☐ silt sandy ☒ ☐ sand gravelly ☐ ☐ gravel peaty ☐ ☐ peat		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) ☐														
Thickness (max) 1.07m		black ☐ white ☐ other* ☐		other* ☐																
Inclusions use the following: O: occasional M: moderate F: frequent																				
frequency	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
bulk find	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐		☐	☐	☐	☒	☐	☒	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

CROSS REFERENCE

Sample nos 	Finds nos 	Photo nos 1004326 1004327	Drawing nos Surveyed: plan ☐ section ☒ levels ☐ D.62353
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Basic process

construction ☐ use ☐ disuse ☒

Date **12.04.2017**

Initials **RCG/G1**

Checked by **CTS**

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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

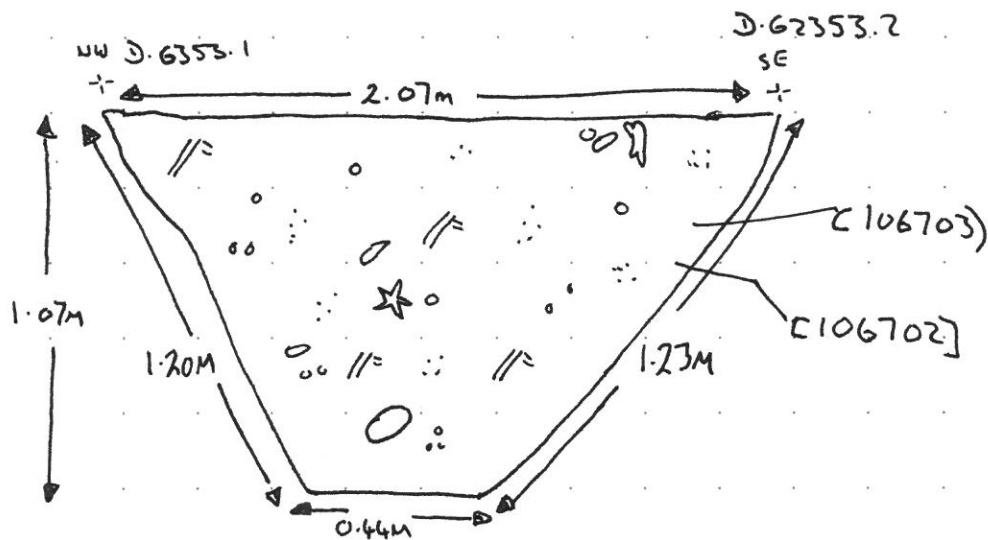
Moderately compact sandy clay fill of a SW-NE curvilinear ditch. Frequent amount of stone inclusions and a frequent amount of gravel and flint. A moderate amount of animal bone and CBM was found within fill, as were an occasional amount of marine shell. The finds within this singular fill of [106702] is suggestive of deliberate backfill, possibly conducted in the early Roman period due to the presence of early Roman pottery rim and fragment, as well as a single shard of worked flint.

Refer to context

[106702]

SKETCHES

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



SOUTH-WEST FACING SECTION
of fill of Ditch.

NOT TO SCALE

MATRIX

(100002)
[106703]
[106702]
[100003]

KEY

// = CLAY
• = SAND
o = STONE
Pencil = BONE
★ = CBM