

STRATIGRAPHY

		(107084)			Same as context
		[107086]			Cuts context
		(107087)			Cut by context

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

INTERPRETATION

Shape sub- ☐ rectangular ☐ square ☐ circular ☐ linear ☒ curvilinear ☐ irregular ☐ other* ☐				
Orientation I ☐ N-S H ☐ E-W ↗ ☐ NE-SW ↘ ☒ NW-SE N 	Sides J ☐ vertical \ ☐ steep / ☒ moderate ~ ☐ gentle ⋈ ☐ stepped U ☐ undercutting ☐ complex*	Base — ☒ flat C ☐ concave V ☐ v-shaped / ☐ sloping ~ ☐ uneven ☐ complex*	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)	
Dimensions in metres	Length + 20 M	Width 	Depth 0-62 M	Diameter
Shape result of (tick all that apply) design ☒ material cut into ☒ natural processes ☐ degree of truncation ☐ uncertain ☐				

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

INTERPRETATION

Compaction		Colour		Composition															
☐ compact	☐ moderately compact	light ☐ mid ☐ dark ☐ mottled ☐		clayey ☐ silty ☐ sandy ☐ gravelly ☐ peaty ☐	☐ clay ☐ silt ☐ sand ☐ gravel ☐ peat														
☐ loose	☐ friable	brownish ☐ greyish ☐ orangeish ☐ yellowish ☐ reddish ☐ blueish ☐	brown ☐ grey ☐ orange ☐ yellow ☐ red ☐ blue ☐																
Thickness		black ☐ white ☐ other* ☐		other* ☐															
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 ☐

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Basic process

Sample nos	Finds nos	Photo nos	Drawing nos 62462	construction ☒ use ☐ disuse ☐
—	—	1003087 1003088 1003089 1003118 1003119 1003121	Surveyed: plan ☐ section ☒ levels ☐	Date 12/10/17 Initials GSP Checked by FdF

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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

CUT OF DITCH [107086] : NW FACING LINEAR DITCH WITH MODERATELY SLOPING SIDES & A FLAT BASE. CONTINUATION OF DITCH [106817]. FULL EXTENT OF DITCH IS UNKNOWN AS AREA IS SEVERELY UNDER-MACHINED & DEADLINES MEAN FURTHER INVESTIGATION COULD NOT BE UNDERTAKEN.

FEATURE IS LIKELY 700 TO DATE FROM THE IRON AGE AS PART OF A FRAGMENTED HUMAN SKULL WAS DISCOVERED WITHIN (107087), ALONG WITH ANIMAL BONE & SEEMINGLY IRON AGE POT.

Refer to context [107084]

SKETCHES

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

REFER TO [107068] FOR PLAN