

MOLA HEADLAND INFRASTRUCTURE



CONTEXT SHEET

Site code A14	Area/Field 16A 31	Sub-area/Trench	Context number (310226)
ECB #	Subgroup	Parent context 310225	Context type cut ☐ fill ☒ deposit ☐

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX **310225** STRATIGRAPHY

	(310225)			Same as context
	(310226)			Cuts context
(SK 310215)	(310228)	(310229)		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 ☐ N-S ☐ E-W ☐ NE-SW ☐ NW-SE ☒ N	Sides ☐ vertical ☐ steep ☐ moderate ☐ gentle ☐ stepped ☐ undercutting ☐ complex*	Base ☐ flat ☐ concave ☐ v-shaped ☐ sloping ☐ uneven ☐ complex*			
Dimensions in metres	Length	Width	Depth		
Shape result of (tick all that apply) design ☐ material cut into ☐ natural processes ☐ degree of truncation ☐ uncertain ☐					

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 ☐		☐ 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 0.18m	black ☐ white ☐ other* ☐	other* ☐			
Inclusions use the following: O: occasional M: moderate F: frequent					
frequency 0	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 ☐				

CROSS REFERENCE				Basic process
Sample nos	Finds nos	Photo nos	Drawing nos	construction ☐ use ☐ disuse ☒
	(SK 310215)	310226	# 31039	
		310229	Surveyed:	Date 20/04/18
		3100 276-80	plan ☐ section ☒ levels ☒	Initials RAA
				Checked by EM

This form is incomplete if fields marked with * are empty. PTO for additional information (and describing all items marked with *) and sketches.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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

(310226) IS A SMALL BLUEISH BAND
FOR MING A THIN FILL THAT CONTAINS
A HUMAN SKULL AND A LARGE PIECE OF
BLACK POT.

(SK 310215) DISARTICULATED HUMAN SKULL, RECOVERED
IN FAIRLY GOOD CONDITION ALBERT
DAMAGED BY EXCAVATION. ITS POSITION, WITH
ITS FACE LOOKING EAST, SUGGESTS A CAREFUL AND
DELIBERATE PLANTING, FOLLOWING A RITUAL OF SORTS.
~~THIS POSSIBLE~~

BLACK PIECE OF POT FOUND PRESENTS BRUSH
DECORATION AND DATES A DATE APPROX. AT
MIA.

Refer to context: SEE BELOW

SKETCHES

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

PREVIOUS SLOT [310057] - (310066)

SECT. SKETCH (310224)

PLAN [310230]