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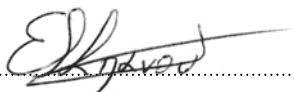
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Headland Archaeology Ltd was commissioned by Transport Initiatives Edinburgh (tie) Limited to carry out archaeological works comprising the excavation of the remains of the post-medieval graveyard associated with South Leith Parish Church in advance of the main tram track construction (INFRACO) in Constitution Street. The excavation yielded 302 inhumations within a variety of grave types. Constitution Street, adjacent to the graveyard wall of the local parish church, was built in 1790 to improve access to the harbour. Despite the proximity to a known graveyard, the density and preservation of graves was unexpected, as the extent of burials was thought not to have gone much beyond the existing graveyard wall. No finds of human remains had been reported previously, despite evidence that many burials had been cut by modern services.

The graves, orientated WNW-ESE, were arranged in closely spaced rows. The majority were single, supine extended inhumations interred in wooden coffins or in earthen graves. Also present were shrouded bodies placed in simple graves, group burials in irregular pits including superimposed double burials, usually of a child and an adult. Most artefacts were iron coffin nails, with a few shroud pins. A copper buckle was found in one grave, along with textile remains of clothing worn by the deceased. Documentary and pottery evidence point to a date in the 16th and 17th centuries for most graves, and all pre-date construction of Constitution Street c 1790. There is a strong possibility however that earlier medieval burials are located in the cemetery, possibly associated with the 15th-century hospital and chapel which stood on and close to the present church. Radiocarbon dating and further stratigraphic analysis may give us a more accurate picture of their chronology.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Headland Archaeology Ltd was commissioned by Transport Initiatives Edinburgh (tie) Limited to carry out archaeological works comprising the excavation of the remains of the post-medieval graveyard associated with South Leith Parish Church in advance of the main tram track construction (INFRACO) in Constitution Street. The work formed part of the series of archaeological mitigation proposals identified within the Parliamentary Act's Environmental Statement commissioned and prepared by Parsons Brinckerhoff and Halcrow Group on behalf of tie and the City of Edinburgh Council (CEC). A brief for the INFRACO archaeological work was prepared by Parsons Brinckerhoff, Halcrow Group and City of Edinburgh Council Archaeology Service (CECAS act as archaeological advisor to CEC on archaeological matters).

This particular exercise had the specific objective of recording and excavating burials and disarticulated human remains which formed part of the former graveyard of South Leith Parish church, now lying under Constitution Street, where preservation *in situ* was not possible, and in advance of any disturbance caused by the construction of the tram track-bed and associated works. The site targeted for full excavation was located along Constitution Street, between the southwestern corner of the current wall enclosing the churchyard and its entrance gate to the NE. It covered an area

of 110 x 10m. Due to traffic management restrictions the full area was excavated into a series of 10 x 4m panels (termed here Areas 1–11) to a required depth of 1.2m below the current road surface. The work followed previous phases of archaeological monitoring and evaluation by Headland Archaeology (2008 and 2009) where undisturbed burials were discovered beneath the current road surface of Constitution Street.

1.1 Historical background

South Leith Parish Church originated as a chapel dedicated to Virgin Mary within the parish of Restalrig. It was probably built around 1483. There are records mentioning the endowment of an altar of St Peter in 1490 and of royal gifts to the 'new kyrk of Leith' in 1497 (Marshall 1983, 6–8). The Preceptory of St Antony's constructed in 1430 and located on the west side of St Anthony's Wynd was always thought to have been the first religious house in Leith, and it may be the case that St Mary's chapel and especially its adjacent burial ground was an addition to that of St Antony's (Robertson 1925, 175). Within a short distance to the church, the Hospital of St Anthony is thought to have stood to the west of St Mary's Church, on the site of Kirkgate Church. Before the construction of St Mary's Church, the hospital's chapel appears to have been the place of worship of the local tradesmen and craftsmen, and there are references to several altars within it.



The South Leith Parish Records containing extracts from the Parish Registers for the years 1588–1700 and from 1700–1850, reveal the rich history of the church and the churchyard spanning nearly three centuries with references to various historical events taking place in post-medieval Leith. The chapel was originally cruciform but it was reduced to its nave by 1559. The bombardment of Leith partially destroyed the chapel in 1560. It was made into a parish church in 1609. The plague of 1645 killed more than 2700 people accounting for half the population of Leith. They were mainly buried in grounds in the Leith Links but there are also mentions of mass burials in layers within the churchyard ground.

Between 1650 and 1657 the church was occupied by Cromwellian troops and the churchyard was used for military equipment and stores before being restored to ecclesiastical use soon after.

South Leith Parish Church in its present form dates from a campaign of rebuilding by Thomas Hamilton in 1847–8 although the west piers of the original crossing can still be seen in the vestibules at the east end of the building. It is not known when the churchyard was formally enclosed by the current churchyard wall but this is likely to have been at the time of the construction of Constitution Street in 1790 although the old burial ground extended further eastwards probably as far as the eastern defensive line and ramparts of South Leith.

1.2 Previous archaeological work

Constitution Street was identified early on in the planning of the project as a highly sensitive archaeological zone due to its proximity to the early medieval core of Leith and later defences. During the MUDFA mitigation works, articulated burials were discovered across Constitution Street to the east of South Leith Parish Church's graveyard. Burials were first discovered immediately underlying the pavement adjacent to the entrance to the churchyard during service renewal works. Further across the street, the graves appeared to be much more deeply buried, and there was more loose bone, indicating past disturbance of burials (Humble & Murray 2008). It appears that the graveyard of South Leith Parish Church had originally extended further to the east beyond the modern churchyard wall, and had been cut through when Constitution Street and its housing was built in the eighteenth century.

As a result of the discovery of these burials, evaluation trenches were excavated in 2008 to gather further information on the depth and nature of the archaeological material present. The deposits immediately beneath the road appeared to be made ground. This sandy deposit, into which the service trenches were cut, was probably used to create a level surface for the road. The presence of disarticulated human bone in this made ground suggests that at least some of it originated from the original graveyard and at may have been re-deposited when the tenements, which have basements, were constructed on the eastern side of Constitution Street.

The graves were more numerous on the western side of the road where they had been less disturbed. They were cut into a graveyard soil that was present at a depth of c 0.8m. This was found on the western side of both trenches and in the centre of Trench 2 where burials were also encountered. The graveyard soil in the centre of

Trench 2 had been truncated leaving only a small area undisturbed. It occurred at a similar depth as that found to the west but the burials in this area occurred 0.3m into the graveyard soil, at a depth of 1.1m below the present road surface, suggesting that the profile in this area was more complete.

2. METHODOLOGY

2.1 Methods of excavation

The work was undertaken as a full archaeological excavation, in a series of panels. Opening small areas (c 10 x 4m) ensured that any articulated burials could be dealt with and removed speedily without leaving burials exposed for longer than is strictly necessary. Due to health and safety considerations as well as traffic management restrictions, two parallel series of panels were excavated. The first series of panels run immediately adjacent to the graveyard wall, and measured approximately 10m long by 4m wide. The second series was excavated on the western side of the road following backfilling of the first series of panels.

The tarmac and underlying concrete that constitute the current road surface were removed by the main contractor using a concrete breaker and a 16 ton tracked mechanical excavator down onto the top of the sandy made ground under direct archaeological supervision. Numerous services, some live, were discovered cut into this made ground and these had to be exposed in a controlled manner in order to avoid damaging them. Disused service pipes were removed by the main contractor under archaeological supervision. Following rapid recording of the position of the services, service trenches and extent of made ground, excavation proceeded using a mechanical excavator equipped with a flat blade to remove homogenous deposits of modern made ground underlying much of Constitution Street. A large amount of disarticulated human bone was recovered within this disturbed horizon and this was removed and stored following standard procedures. The spoil heaps were then rapidly screened to recover any loose disarticulated human remains. Mechanical excavation ceased at the top of undisturbed soil layers representing buried graveyard soil at which point hand cleaning and excavation of graves was undertaken.

The brief stated that the required depth of excavation was to be a minimum of 1.2m, the maximum depth to which excavation for the tram tracks is expected to reach. However, when *in situ* graves were discovered and exposed partly below this depth, the graves were fully excavated to avoid disturbance during construction. In addition, excavation exceeded the required depth when it was deemed necessary to further investigate the character of the archaeological remains in sondages, as in the case of ditches. This was agreed with CECAS in advance.

Following the excavation of all graves and features within a given panel, a site meeting was held between Headland, CECAS, tie and contractor at the completion of each section. Once CECAS had confirmed that an area had been fully excavated, the principal contractor arranged backfilling and reinstatement of the road surface between opening the next panel. This process was repeated until all

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eleven areas had been fully excavated meeting the requirements of the planning authority and CECAS.

Laminated temporary interpretation panels were fixed to the excavation's temporary site fencing in order to provide public information about the excavations. The illustrated text provided a brief history of the site and excavations undertaken in Constitution Street and Leith. The text was updated mid-way through the excavations.

2.2 Methods of recording

Traffic restrictions, health and safety considerations and security issues dictated that opening the entire 110m length of road which contained graves was not possible in one stage. In order for the road to remain at least partly open to traffic during the six months of excavation the two 'lanes' of the street were excavated separately, giving a maximum working width of about 4m at a time. As mentioned above, the two areas were further divided into 10m lengths to adhere to traffic management regulations. In some sections as many as sixty intercutting inhumations were present, along with modern services. Apart from the issue of restricted space, the majority of graves were found along the centre of Constitution Street, hence extending beyond the limits of excavation at any given time. Although the preferred method identified in the WSI was the excavation of whole graves, this was not always possible where they extended outwith the limits of the trench. Thus, the required method of excavation necessitated a recovery and recording methodology that would allow accurate correlation between the two halves of the archaeological excavation and would facilitate subsequent post-excavation analysis of what was in effect a unified archaeological area.

The west-facing section along the first series of panels was fully recorded between Areas 4 and 11. Grave cuts and skeletal remains continuing into the east-facing limit of excavation were marked on the section using paper tags noting their context number, area and grave cut number. Their heights and position on the section were digitally recorded. Detailed context cards and sketches were drawn indicating the recovered parts of the skeleton and other observed patterns. These were recorded under the area number with the suffix a (eg Area 2a). Care was taken when recovering protruding bones from sections. In most cases, these were tagged under the relevant skeleton number, left *in situ* and covered with a layer of terram geo-textile prior to the backfilling of each panel with sand and type 1 gravel.

Due to the nature of the above backfilling method, the second series of panels had to be shored using evenly spaced iron sheeting. In order not to damage the unexcavated graves known to continue into the second section, it was decided to excavate the second, eastern side of the road so as to overlap with previously excavated ground where shoring could be safely placed. The protective layer of terram was carefully and gradually removed to allow to recover the tags of the previously recorded burials. This was cross-checked using the recorded heights to ensure that the second half of inhumation could be accurately matched, recorded and stored with the first half.

General recording followed standard archaeological methods adapted to any special circumstances of the present excavation. All grave cuts were given unique context numbers and recorded on digital survey. Levels were taken on the preserved top of their grave fills and at their base. In many cases, grave cuts were not easily distinguishable from the surrounding sandy soil matrix. Nevertheless, in order to digitally record their presence their conjectured edges were surveyed along with the line of truncation. Different layers and conventions were used on the survey in to distinguish between preserved graves edges and conjectured ones. Where coffins were present, these were given separate numbers, their preserved line surveyed and sampled accordingly for wood samples. *In situ* coffin nails were 3-D plotted. Skeletons and fills were also given unique numbers and sampled consistently from areas adjacent and below the body, namely in the area of the pelvis, skull, hands and feet in order to recover smaller bones.

All discrete contexts and features were photographed using a metric scale. Colour slide and print film was used in addition to digital photography. Sections were drawn at a scale of 1:10 or 1:20 as appropriate. No skeletons were hand drawn in the field. Instead they were all photographed in a manner suitable for subsequent rectification and drawing during post-excavation. At least three pairs of visible co-ordinate targets were placed along the body and photographed as vertically as possible. The markers were then surveyed digitally on a separate layer using the skeleton context no. In the case of deep negative features or deep coffins two sets of co-ordinate markers were used; one set at the bottom, close to the skeletons and another along the upper cut. Three spot heights were taken on skeletons (top of skull, sacrum and feet). Full description of the body positioning and alignment were noted on pro-forma skeleton cards.

3. RESULTS

3.1 General stratigraphy & preservation

Eleven continuous trenches (Areas 1–11), each measuring c 10m x 4m were excavated. Together they covered an area of 110m along Constitution Street approximately within the projected limits of the current graveyard. This allowed the recording of a continuous section along the west-facing extent of the first set of trenches (Areas 4–12). The soil profile was similar across the excavation area although variations in depth were noted. It generally consisted of made ground up to 0.5m thick beneath the modern road, overlying services and service trenches and, where preserved, patches of *in situ* graveyard soil. This graveyard soil was generally encountered at a minimum depth of 8.6m OD, and consisted of brown-grey sand into which numerous and in some cases, superimposed, graves had been cut.

Geological deposits on the site consisted of Holocene beach sands characteristic of the drift geology of much of the area, comprising raised marine deposits of sand and gravels. Clean geological deposits were only seen when the contractor undertook trial excavations in the vicinity of a manhole in Area 5 to a maximum depth of 6.9m OD (c 2.2m below the present road surface). In this sondage, the base of the soil profile consisted of clean, pale beach sand interleaved



with bands of fine beach gravel, the top of which was encountered at a depth of c 7.5m OD, overlain by pale yellow, windblown sand at a depth of c 7.9m OD. The latter deposit was interpreted as windblown sand which would have originally been formed into dunes with an undulating surface, truncated by several grave cuts underlying numerous, later graves that had been cut from a higher level. These were found as deep as 6.6m OD (Area 8). Even deeper grave cuts were visible at which point they were preserved *in situ* (Areas 7 and 8). Occasional thin layers capping the abovementioned dune sand were encountered consisting of darker yellow-brown, mottled sand interpreted as a turf stabilisation layer (eg context 541). These characteristic deposits were encountered at different depths, possibly indicating multiple episodes of levelling or turfing.

Overlying the dune sand deposits were *in situ* buried soil deposits encountered at varied depths across the excavation area ranging from 8.5m OD to the south-west to 7.5m OD to the north-east. They generally consisted of soft mottled orange-brown or pale grey-brown sand c 0.2–0.7m thick, interpreted as subsoil that had developed into graveyard soil into which graves were cut. The colour and consistency of these deposits varied from light brown sand with few inclusions to more compacted, dark brown-orange sand with few inclusions of charcoal (eg contexts 66, 572). The darker colour was interpreted as indicating stained sand from a turf horizon. In some cases, a more compacted horizon overlying these deposits indicated trampled topsoil/surfaces. An example of the latter is context 47 encountered at a depth of 8.5m OD consisting of compact, grey sand with inclusions of charcoal and shell immediately underlying a cleaner, softer, dark orange-brown mottled sandy deposit.

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Within these patches of graveyard soil, where they were undisturbed by modern truncation, numerous graves were encountered. These were recorded at a minimum depth of 8.80m OD at the top of the grave cuts (0.4m below the current road surface), to 7.5m OD (1m below current road surface) within areas of better preserved profiles, eg Areas 7–9 east. The majority of these graves, especially towards the central and northern extent of the site truncated earlier and deeper graves as mentioned above. Graves were filled with the same graveyard soil they had been cut into, thus rendering their cuts in many cases indistinguishable from the surrounding soil matrix. Apart from graves, four ditches, two pits and a cobble surface were also excavated. These features and their stratigraphic relationship to the graves are discussed below.

Overlying the graves and graveyard soil was a c 0.2–0.5m thick deposit of made ground consisting of brown coarse sand containing fragments of sandstone, and abundant disarticulated human remains. This deposit was interpreted as levelling material from when Constitution Street was constructed. Into this, numerous services had been cut. These services consisted of cast iron pipes and modern ceramic/plastic ducts set into trenches between 0.4 and 0.9m wide, and up to 1m deep, truncating large numbers of graves although in some cases the basal fills of grave cuts were discovered immediately below the pipes. The majority of services run N-S and were predominantly located along both sides of Constitution Street adjacent to the respective pavements. In addition to these, various other modern cuts and disused service pipes were encountered at various locations and orientations. Amongst the most substantial disturbances were a linear cut running N-S centrally along Areas 6–11,

c 0.5–0.7m wide and up to at least 1.2m deep. This was thought to be the cut for the main sewer as seen in a manhole in Area 5. Another linear cut truncated a number of graves along the eastern extent of the first series of panels. Sharply sloping tipping lines of fine sand and coarser gravelly sand was seen in the west-facing section. The area between the services and the pavement was partially excavated when possible only on the western side of the road. Similar services run along the eastern side close to the pavement. This area (c 0.5m wide) was not excavated apart from two sondages to ascertain whether undisturbed deposits existed. Made ground was found to continue down to c 1.2m below the present ground surface.

3.2 The graves

The abovementioned services and modern cuts had truncated much of the area of excavation at various depths and locations leaving narrow 'islands' of *in situ* undisturbed buried old soil deposits, and within these were c 260 graves and 302 inhumations. The majority of graves were located centrally within Areas 4–8 with lower densities of graves towards the northern (Area 9) and southwestern extents of the excavation (Areas 2, 3). Over 300 inhumations were fully excavated, the skeletal remains of which were recovered in varying degrees of preservation and completeness.

Graves were encountered at varying depths depending upon the degree of truncation and local topographical factors. As described above, their stratigraphic associations were often unclear due to horizontal truncation and dense intercutting layers of graves. No clear phasing pattern can be offered at this stage except for the observation that seemingly two or in some cases three superimposed layers of graves were encountered. The upper layer truncated in some cases parts of earlier burials and was cut into a dark brown-orange, or grey sandy graveyard soil. The lower layer(s) had been cut into cleaner, paler sand with fewer inclusions, resembling windblown dune sand. The latter deposit was most evident in Areas 7–9 where graves were discovered as deep as 1.8m below the present road surface, some of which were preserved *in situ*.

Due to modern truncation or other disturbance less than 20% of all grave cuts survived as complete or near complete features. Their length ranged between 1.5 and 2m long although shorter and longer examples were also recorded, presumably depending upon the stature of the individual and the presence/absence of a coffin within the grave. They were generally rectangular, fairly narrow and shallow cuts 0.38–0.87m wide with a maximum preserved depth of 0.6m to their base. Their depth however widely varied, in most cases reflecting the degree of truncation of the surface rather than true depth of the original grave excavation although their dimensions also varied by type of grave.

Grave typology

A preliminary, working typology for graves was devised and all graves were assigned to a type accordingly. At this stage, the types describe mostly the presence/absence of a lining (coffin) and the number of inhumations (single, multiple). An attempt has been made to also infer their possible timing of interment distinguishing between simultaneous group burials and multiple episodes of reusing the burial plot. Further analysis can add sub-types to these main categories accounting for types of body positioning, shape and sequence.

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Type 1: Simple

Type 1 was assigned to graves that appeared to be simple, earthen (not lined) pits, cut in the sand to receive a single individual without a coffin. This was by far the most common type of grave recorded accounting for 76% of all excavated graves. The majority of Type 1 grave cuts comprised fairly basic excavations of rectangular or sub-rectangular shape with rounded corners, vertical sides and flat bases. Following burial the grave cuts were then filled with the same sandy subsoil, and so in the absence of a coffin, these ephemeral cuts in many cases were indistinguishable from the surrounding soil matrix. Based on the complete or near complete graves, their length ranged between 1.2–0.9m. They were generally fairly narrow, max. 0.5m wide and the majority were preserved to a depth of as little as 0.05 to 0.3m. A great density of simple, superimposed, intercutting graves was observed in Areas 5–6.

Type 2: Simple/Lined

Type 2 described simple, earthen grave cuts of rectangular or trapezoidal shape cut into the sand to receive a single coffin. Type 2 was assigned to 19% of all excavated graves. Their cut was usually better defined than Type 1 graves with straight sides, vertical edges and flat bases. In a few cases, a double cut was observed comprising an upper, wider cut and a lower, narrower cut to receive the coffin. An example of a double cut was recorded in grave 50 in Area 2. The grave comprised an upper cut c 0.77 wide and 0.22m deep and a lower cut c 0.4–0.36m wide narrowing down to 0.25m wide at the foot of coffin and 0.11m deep. Despite the depth however, the coffin was poorly preserved surviving as a dark stain with iron nails arranged *in situ* along the long sides at c 20m intervals.

The coffins themselves were of regular rectangular shape or more commonly trapezoidal, narrowing down at the foot. All coffins discovered were made of wood. On site identification indicated the presence of pine but also oak coffins (S. Timpany, pers. com.). Their preservation however was rather poor and none were sturdy enough to be lifted as complete coffins. They mostly survived as a soft, thin layer of wood between 0.01 and 0.05m thick lining the long sides of graves and in very few cases as better preserved lids with iron nails securing them to the containers still *in situ*. Most lids were found collapsed inwards with the skeleton being pressed close up against the edge and with usually their skulls protruding. The base of coffins was rarely observed as degraded dark organic material below the skeleton. Large, square iron nails were recovered *in situ*, evenly spaced at c 0.2m intervals along the sides.

At least two examples of a different type of wooden container were discovered, other than coffins; consisting of wooden linings or frames at the base. These comprised transverse base slats presumably placed into the grave first followed by the side boards held vertical by the insertion of the end boards. Examples of similar arrangements have been found at Perth Carmelite friary and were of earlier medieval date (Boyd 1989, 117–118). One of the examples from Constitution Street was found in grave 252 (coffin 250). The coffin was 1.75 long of trapezoidal shape, wider at the west end c 0.45m narrowing to 0.3m at the eastern end. The lid was found almost intact although in poor condition having collapsed over skeleton 251. A number of iron nails were found on the upper edges of the

lid. The coffin contained skeleton 251 lying supine extended with its arms crossed over the pelvis. The depth of the coffin was c 0.13m at which point the base consisted of transverse slats. Iron nails were found at this level, although presumably related to the side boards of the coffin.

No other type of distinct grave linings were found although it is worth mentioning that in at least one instance (skeleton 158) a substance described as white powder, interpreted as quick lime was found below and above the skeleton in grave 159.

Type 3: Group burials

Type 3 describes a single grave cut with multiple interments ranging from the most common double burial to multiple interments. Twelve Type 3 graves were excavated. During excavation an attempt was made to distinguish between group burials that appeared to be contemporaneous based on stratigraphic and spatial relationships, and those that were likely to represent later insertions within the same burial plot.

Group burials ranged from two individuals up to at least nine individuals placed either side by side or in 'stacks'. Their grave cuts varied accordingly depending upon the number and positioning of individuals. The dimensions and shape of the grave cuts for double burials did not differ from those for simple graves whilst multiple inhumations were placed within a bigger burial pit of irregular or oval shape.

Most double burials appeared to have received the interments simultaneously. Examples include grave 114 comprising a sub-rectangular, earthen cut measuring <1.5 long, c 0.6m wide and 0.2m deep containing skeletons 112 and 113. Skeleton 112 was a juvenile placed in prone position above skeleton 114 which was an adult or sub adult lying supine extended with arms by its sides. The grave was truncated to the north-west and south-east by modern services; hence details of the body positioning cannot be determined. Similarly, in grave 164 two individuals were placed one on top of another both in supine extended position, again with child skeleton 161 placed above adult skeleton 164. Another example was that of heavily truncated grave 153 containing two individuals, skeletons 153 and 152 lying side by side with skeleton 152 placed slightly above and across part of skeleton 153. In Area 5, rectangular grave cut 307 contained two individuals, skeletons 303 and 305 lying supine extended but placed haphazardly into the cut with their legs entangled although the latter may be accounted for by the dense grave cutting activity in this area.

Group mass burials containing more than two interments ranged from well-preserved and carefully positioned burials to intercutting, stacked burials with evidence for re-use of the grave cut after the initial interment. Grave 427 was c 0.8m wide and <1m long and 0.24m deep containing at least four or five individuals, all placed supine extended, side by side in 'rows' aligned WNW-ESE. The group contained an infant lying on its left side (skeleton 424) with its head facing east and three to four adult individuals stratigraphically all buried at the same time, although skeleton 426 appears to be slightly lower than the other skeletons. Another group burial was found within grave 589 in Area 7. The cut was of rectangular shape, its full



length was not recovered but it was 1.86m wide and at least 0.5m deep. It contained at least nine individuals (skeletons 575, 574, 626, 646, 637, 639, 643 and 625) with skeleton 481 possibly a later addition to this mass grave. The skeletons were found heavily truncated by later graves in an area of very dense grave cutting activity. There is some stratigraphic evidence to suggest that the majority of these individuals represent a single phase of activity although skeletons 481 and possibly 474 may represent separate episodes from the bulk of the burials. Skeletons 643, 637, 639 and 646 were placed supine extended, side by sides with their heads unusually facing SSW.

A different example of Type 3 grave is illustrated by grave 137 in Area 4. Grave 137 survived partially beneath a water pipe in the westernmost 'row' of graves in Area 4; hence its full length could not be determined whilst all skeletons were only represented by the lower body or lower legs. The cut was sub-rectangular in shape, c 0.48m wide and it was found to contain four superimposed individuals (skeletons 134, 135, 136 and 143), all within the same fairly well defined cut. Of these, the two latest (upper) burials Skeleton 134 (possibly a child) and skeleton 135 could have been contemporary based on the fact that they appeared to have been laid side by side, respecting each other's position. Skeleton 134 was placed directly above, truncating and removing part of underlying skeleton 136 which in turn had disturbed and removed part of the earliest (lower) skeleton 143.

Grave 335 may represent multiple burial episodes within a single, reused burial plot. The grave had been truncated away on its north-eastern side by a modern service trench; hence its full width is unknown. The southwestern extent survived to a min length of 2.04m. It contained a number of inhumations (skeletons 341, 342, 345, 346, 361, 362) with some stratigraphic evidence for later interments. One of these individuals was unusually a coffined burial (Coffin 260).

Type 4: Charnel and secondary 'burials'

This type recorded the numerous either redeposited, partially articulated skeletons or charnel pits containing disarticulated bones belonging to several individuals. The two charnel pits recorded were of irregular shape, such as grave 1096 in Area 5 containing charnel consisting of a number of well preserved skulls and predominantly long bones belonging to different individuals. Charnel pit 501 was of oval shape and roughly oriented N-S measured 1.1 long 0.5 wide and 0.2m deep. It contained a large amount of disarticulated bone predominantly long bones and at least four fragmented skulls.

In addition to charnel pits, a large amount of disarticulated bone was found redeposited within sealed graves containing articulated burials.

Alignment and body positioning

The majority of burials were oriented WNW-ESE with NW-SE alignments more common towards the southern extent of the excavation area (Areas 2–4). The head was always laid to the west of the grave and the feet to the east. The position of the head was facing straight up or in several cases slightly turned facing NE. However, although most burials conformed to this general orientation pattern, there were common slight deviations observed in particular

at superimposed burials or adjacent but cut from different levels. This possibly reflects the unmarked status and visibility of graves at the time of subsequent burials in the same location.

Exceptions to the normative orientation were represented by a few examples. Two S-N burials were encountered in Area 6. Skeleton 1017 (grave 1018) and skeleton 1052 (grave 1053) were superimposed and followed the same orientation. They were both recovered along the edge of ditch 980, with their southern ends sloping down into the ditch, hence may represent post-burial repositioning into the partially infilled ditch. Skeleton 345 within group burial 335 was oriented N-S although this may again indicate post-burial movement to make room for subsequent interments within the same grave cut. Similarly, skeleton 481 (within grave cut 482) was oriented N-S within a narrow cut and may represent a later insertion or secondary deposition into group burials 589. Fibres and woven textile fragments were found associated with the body indicating a shrouded burial. Burials in Area 5 located around and sloping down within pit 1134 also followed peculiar alignments ranging from almost E-W and the reverse to almost N-S. Their haphazard orientation around the edges of the pit may indicate that these were secondary burials, having been moved from elsewhere.

The vast majority of inhumations were laid in the grave or coffin extended supine with their arms most commonly folded across the abdomen or pelvic area and others with their arms straight by their side. In several burials, the feet were found crossed, left over right foot. Other recorded body positions were also found, mostly variations of the extended position. Skeleton 67 (in grave 69) was positioned partially flexed with the lower body lying on its left side and the head facing east. Skeleton 195 (in grave 195) was supine extended with right arm over the pelvis and left arm to its side and with its legs partially flexed. It is not clear whether these variations reflect deliberate body positioning or post-mortem shifting of the body. A few burials were positioned lying on their left side, most common with child burials. Finally, two prone burials were encountered. Skeleton 112 belonging to a child was placed prone directly overlying supine extended skeleton 113. Skeleton 1191 was found lying extended, prone although it was heavily truncated and its position may be coincidental.

3.3 The Ditches (84, 270, 980 & 1553)

3.3.1 Ditch 84

A linear ditch running NW-SE across Area 2 was recorded at a depth of 8.3m OD cut into the sandy subsoil. It measured 2.6m wide and 0.6m deep with regular, straight/gently sloping sides and flat base. Its full length is not known as it was truncated to the north-west by services and to the south-east by a linear modern cut. Its basal fills (101 and 102) comprised deposits of mottled, dark brown-orange silty sand with occasional inclusions of charcoal. Both deposits are interpreted as windblown sand deposited at the base of the ditch soon after it was dug. The ditch had silted up with deposit 99, a c 0.5m thick, grey-brown silty sand with occasional charcoal, small stones, bone and oyster shell very similar to the graveyard soil in this area. Uppermost deposit 85, almost indistinguishable from overlying deposit 73, consisted of fairly dark grey-black, mottled sand with

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frequent inclusions of animal bone, charcoal and mortar fragments. This deposit was interpreted as a midden deposit concentrated within the upper fill of the silted up ditch. Deposit 73 was found overlying the area of the ditch and extending further to the south-west and the north-west. Pottery sherds dating to the late medieval/early post-medieval period were found within 73 and 85. No graves were located within the extent of this feature.

3.3.2 Ditch 270

Approximately 8m to the north-west of ditch 84, ditch 270 was located at a similar NW-SE orientation to ditch 84. Ditch 270 however was heavily truncated, its line only visible in the west-facing section and partially in very narrow remains in plan to the north-west at a depth of c 7.7m OD in between utility services. The ditch was at least 2m wide with a steeply sloping side and 1.55m deep. It appears to flatten out towards the limit of excavation but its base was not reached. Its primary fill (233) consisted of soft, dark, mid grey sand with occasional charcoal inclusions. It was very similar in consistency to the surrounding graveyard soil and several graves were cut into its primary fill 233 at various depths (graves 213, 122, 262, 218, 225, 259, 261, 120, 254, 257 and 268). Pottery dating to the 14th/15th century was recovered from this fill. The upper fill of the ditch consisted of light brown, mottled sand with occasional charcoal. Its upper half was very mixed whilst its lower half overlying 233 showed some banding of windblown sand and coarser, darker sand. The preliminary interpretation of this is that the windblown sand accumulated within the ditch between episodes of backfilling.

3.3.3 Ditch 980 & 1076

The western edge of a large, linear NE-SW aligned ditch was encountered running parallel to the easternmost limit of excavation and truncated by services. Its eastern extent was only partially discovered in a sondage and tentatively identified as belonging to the same ditch giving it a total width of c 1.25m. Its full length is not known but it runs through Areas 4–9, occasionally truncated by service cuts. The ditch may have had steep sides although these varied from 75 degrees to nearly vertical along its visible length, and a rounded base to a total depth of c 1.54m from its preserved top edge.

Its stratigraphic relationship to the graves in this area is uncertain as it truncates several graves and consequently has removed the lower half of many skeletons, especially towards the northeastern limits, whilst it is clearly truncated by others in certain sections, mostly concentrated towards Area 5 and 6. In the latter case, these graves (examples include 1183, 1092, 1150, 1183, 1150, 983 *etc.*) had been clearly cut into or 'dumped' within its upper fills, with several skeletons found sloping sharply at a S-N or NW-SE orientation. Its basal fill comprised a homogenous, sandy deposit 1003 0.4m thick, containing a fragmentary coffin. Overlying this deposit is 994, a very homogenous, pale sandy deposit into which all the abovementioned graves had been cut. This sequence suggests that the ditch had been rapidly infilled when it went out of use, with burials either redeposited within the ditch having originally been interred somewhere else, or the graves had been cut into the infilled ditch.

3.3.4 Ditch 1153

Ditch 1153 was recorded in Area 5 running on a N-S alignment, although its full width or length could not be determined as it was largely seen in section with only its eastern line surviving, although if projected it would have been >8 m wide and as much as 2.5 deep. A narrow sondage was excavated down to a depth of c 1.4m at which point excavation ceased without having reached the bottom of the backfill deposits. Its eastern side was gently sloping although it appeared steeper further below.

Its sequence comprised a series of sharply sloping, superimposed infilling deposits (1197–8, 1170–4) comprising mainly yellow, gravelly coarse sand with some inclusions of pebbles interleaved with thin lenses of dark brown-black sandy silt, interpreted as stabilisation layers after each episode of infilling. Overlying these were dark greyish-brown silty sandy deposits 1179 underlying 1169. The interface between these two was quite diffuse with interleaved bands of black, organic silty material. The latter two deposits with a combined depth of 1.95m possibly represented attempts at levelling the area, and were cut by pit 1134 to the west.

3.4 Other features

Very few features other than graves and ditches were encountered, excluding modern cuts. Pit 1134 was a sub circular pit recorded at a depth of 7.9m OD at the top the cut. The pit had steep sides and a flat base and it was truncated by several graves on all sides. A cobbled surface (contexts 801 and 803) were located in Area 8 and 9 although these may represent general collapse or demolition deposit.



4. FINDS ASSESSMENT

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4.1 Introduction

A small finds assemblage was recovered from the excavations. Finds were largely related to the use of the area as a graveyard in the late medieval and early post-medieval periods, including coffin nails, lace tags, shroud pins and even a gravedigger's shovel. Other finds were residual in the graveyard soil, including several sherds of imported pottery

4.2 Assemblage summary

The metalwork formed the most important part of the assemblage in terms of characterising the use of the area. The majority of this was made up of coffin nails, 504 in all, many associated with stains from wooden coffins. Other finds related to shroud fastenings, including six lace tags, three wire eyelets and three pins. Two buckles were found in graves (SK176, SK911) which probably relate to clothing worn by the deceased. Both were of the same shape, one in copper alloy, one in iron and date to the late 16th or 17th centuries. A copper alloy stud may also have decorated a coffin, while various other iron strips and plates were probably also coffin fittings. A large shovel blade was unfortunately unstratified but in this setting may well relate to grave-digging.

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Textile fragments were well preserved in two graves: in SK481 this was by desiccation; in SK176 this was by mineralisation in association with the copper alloy buckle. In both cases, these cloth fragments probably represent shrouds.

There were 40 sherds of pottery. These were typically single sherds, residual in the graveyard soil. The earliest sherds were of local medieval white gritty ware (12th–15th century), but the majority of the assemblage was of late medieval and early post-medieval wares. These included imported sherds of Low Countries redware, Anglo-Dutch tin-glazed earthenware, Rhenish stoneware, a rim sherd from a French chafing dish and an unusual sherd of Beauvais single slip sgraffito.

Other finds included residual fragments of clay pipe stem, ceramic building material, stone and more unusually, a bone toothbrush.

4.3 Discussion

The finds are in many ways typical of graveyards of this period. The quantity of coffin and shroud fittings and remains has the potential to provide an insight into burial practices in Leith during this period. The pottery provides useful dating evidence and background colour in terms of Leith's European trading links.

5. PALAEOENVIRONMENTAL SAMPLE ASSESSMENT

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5.1 Introduction

Forty-six samples have been processed from the 303 samples taken during the excavation at Constitution Street, Edinburgh. Samples have been processed in order to assess their palaeoenvironmental potential to provide information on former domestic (*eg* diet) and economic (industrial and trade) activity from the presence of former plant remains. Samples were also assessed to look for artifactual evidence that may be able to build on the information gained from the plant remains. A particular focus of this study was also to examine the quantity of human bone recovered from those samples which relate to the grave fills of the former cemetery area on Constitution Street. Based on the outcomes of this assessment recommendations will be made for any further work.

5.2 Method

Samples were processed in laboratory conditions using a standard floatation method (*cf.* Kenward *et al.* 1980). All plant macrofossil samples were analysed using a stereo-microscope at magnifications of x10 and up to x100 where necessary to aid identification. Identifications were confirmed using modern reference material and seed atlases including Cappers *et al.* (2006).

5.3 Results

The results of the sample processing are provided in Appendix 2.1 (Retent finds) and Appendix 2.2 (Floatation finds). Suitable material for AMS dating is also identified within each table. All plant remains were preserved through charring.

5.3.1 Plant remains

Charred cereal grains were present in seven of the samples processed (see Appendix 2.2). The charred cereal assemblage appears to be typical of medieval to post-medieval assemblages with the presence of oat (*Avena* sp), hulled barley (*Hordeum vulgare*), spelt wheat (*Triticum spelta*) and rye (*Secale cereale*) grains. All grain encountered in the samples was only present in small (rare) amounts, with only three samples containing more than one species of grain (026, 029 and 123). Poorly preserved grain present that could not be identified to even family level has been recorded as indeterminate cereal grain (*Cerealia indet.*).

A very small number of wild taxa were found; present in only three samples (029, 054 and 123). Wild taxa recorded were bramble (*Rubus* sp.), member of the pea family (*Fabaceae* sp.), which may relate to the presence of plants such as vetches and of particular interest was the presence of flax (*Linum usitatissimum*) in Sample 054.

Charcoal fragments were present in 23 of the samples (see Appendix 2.2). Charcoal fragment were found to be generally small in size (<1cm), with only two samples (012 and 026) contained fragments of

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1cm in size. Together with the small size of the fragments they were also found to be presenting small quantities with only one sample (026) containing more than occasional amounts (see Appendix 2.2).

5.3.2 Other finds

Together with the charred plant remains recovered from the samples a number of other finds were also present. The most common material recovered was unburnt bone, which in the case of the grave fills was almost entirely human bone remains (see Appendix 2.1). Animal bone was also recovered, in particular samples from midden, ditch and buried soil features, while fish bone was present in small amounts within three samples (011, 022 and 026). Burnt animal bone was present within four samples (026, 049, 053 and 301) again in small quantities. Marine shell was found in thirteen samples and included oyster, mussel and whelks.

Artifactual material was also recovered from the samples including a sherd of post-medieval pottery (Sample 014), glass fragments (samples 022 and 262) together with glass waste (Sample 262), and iron objects (samples 011, 012, 014, 141 and 197). Wood fragments were also found in five samples (104, 113, 141, 178 and 197), which is believed may relate to the remains of coffins. Industrial waste was also encountered with iron waste and magnetic residue present in seven and one (012) samples, respectively (see Appendix 2.1). Other materials present included mortar, which was present in fifteen samples and burnt stone, which was present in one sample (026).

5.4 Discussion

The samples are discussed below by the feature types encountered during the excavation of the site.

5.4.1 Grave fills

Twenty samples were processed from the grave fills (see Appendix 2) in order to provide a representative sample of materials present. Unburnt bone representative of human skeletal material was the most frequent find within the grave fills and is likely to relate to the smaller skeletal bones not recovered during the excavation. The recovery of this material within the bulk samples is significant as it means more information will be available for the osteoarchaeologist for any future analyses of the skeletons. Iron objects recovered from the samples included shroud pins and nails, which are again thought to be related to the burials. Five samples also contained wood fragments that are believed to be remnants of the wooden coffins used for burial.

The grave fills were found to contain only a small number of charred plant remains, with oat and hulled barley the only cereals present (see Appendix 2.2). A small quantity of charred bramble seeds were also recovered from one of the grave fills, which could relate to the consumption of wild foodstuffs. Small quantities of charcoal fragments, cinders and marine shell were also present in the samples together with industrial waste (iron slag and metallic residue). The modest amount of materials recovered is likely to relate to activities that took place in the area, such as small-scale metal working (iron slag and metallic residue) and domestic waste (charcoal, cinders, coal, charred grain). However, the nature of grave fills, consisting

largely of back-filled material means that the material recovered may not necessarily relate to the same period as the burials.

Interestingly the samples from the grave fills contained a significant amount of mortar fragments. These fragments may relate to building rubble that has been incorporated into the back fill material used to cover the coffins. Marine shell (such as oyster) that was also found in some of the grave fill samples could similarly represent construction material with shell being used in the past to form part of the mortar for buildings. It is worth noting that marine shell occurs within those samples containing mortar fragments (see Appendix 2.2).

5.4.2 Buried soil

Two bulk samples were taken from the buried soil that was found below the horizon containing the burials and thus may be able to inform on activities and the environment prior to the cemetery being in use. Together with the bulk samples the sequence was also sampled using kubiena tins to provide further material that can be used for other investigative analyses such as pollen and soil thin-section analysis. Charred plant remains from this deposit were also sparse, with only a small number of hulled barley grains present from near the surface of the buried soil (Sample 014), together with small quantities of charcoal fragments all less than 0.5cm in size (see Appendix 2.1).

Despite a rather limited assemblage of charred plant remains there is a variety of material present in this deposit including possible other food consumption waste such as marine shell (oysters) and cinders together with possible domestic waste including a sherd of post-medieval pottery (see Finds report for details). Other materials recovered included mortar fragments and industrial waste in the form of small quantities of iron slag (see Appendix 2.1). The recovered materials from this deposit are likely to represent a general spread of remains (plant and artifactual) from activities taking place in the local area. Some evidence of disturbance to this deposit is also present from the finding of human bone within these samples, showing that the burial activity did impact this layer.

5.4.3 Ground surface

Three samples were processed from deposits relating to sediments close to the present ground surface. No charred cereal grains were recovered from these samples with only small quantities of charcoal fragments (<0.5cm in size) present (see Appendix 2.2). Other materials were also recovered although again mostly in small quantities including glass sherds, iron slag and mortar fragments, together with potential food waste of fish bone together with marine shell and also human bone (see Appendix 2.1). Coal fragments were present in the largest quantities indicating a probable post medieval date for the deposit when coal would have been the main fuel-type in use. These deposits are again believed to relate to discarded materials from local domestic and industrial activities taking place in the area. However, much of the material is believed to be reworked given the presence of human bone within the samples.

5.4.4 Midden deposits

One sample (026) was processed from the upper fill of ditch 84 which has been interpreted as a midden deposit (85) and characteristically



contained a mixture of food waste materials (see Appendix 2). Charred cereal grain of oat, hulled barley, spelt wheat and rye were all present within the midden assemblage and although present in small quantities the grain assemblage is fairly diverse and would suggest a medieval date, being similar to other midden assemblages in Scotland (eg Timpany and Haston, 2008). Other probable food debris within the midden included unburnt and burnt animal bone, the latter in an abundant quantity, unburnt fish bone, marine shell (including oyster and whelk) and cinders. Other material within the midden assemblage may again have derived from industrial activities (iron slag and burnt stone) and possible construction materials (mortar).

5.4.5 Ditch fills

Twenty samples were processed from the fills of 4 ditches found at the site. There is a general paucity of charred plant remains from the ditch fills (see Appendix 2.2). A small quantity of oat was found in one sample (299) from a fill [1171] of ditch [1153] while slightly more grain was recovered from a fill [099] of ditch [084] with oat, hulled barley and spelt wheat present together with indeterminate cereal grain (in Sample 029). Wild taxa was also found in ditch [084] with a fruit of the pea family recovered, which is more likely to represent weed species such as vetches than the cultivated field pea. Of particular interest was the presence of flax seed in Sample 054 from a fill [296] of ditch [270]. Although only a small quantity of flax was found, a tentative interpretation for its presence is the use of flax for the production of linen and suggests the possible cultivation of flax together with cereals. The small numbers of charred cereals and wild taxa, together with charcoal fragments suggest that this material has been accidentally deposited into the ditch, originating from activities in the surrounding area.

Other materials also encountered within the ditch deposits include small quantities of human bone within ditches [993] and [1153] indicating that burials may have truncated parts of these ditches. Thus other materials within these ditch fills may represent reworked and redeposited finds. Mortar fragments were present in ditches [084] and [993] with the latter also containing marine shell, which may again relate to former construction materials. This ditch [993] was also found to contain glass and glass waste together with and iron object indicating potential waste from local industries within the ditch. Potential food waste in the form of marine shell and burnt animal bone was also present within ditches [270] and [1153].

5.5 Conclusion & recommendations

Small quantities of charred cereal grain were present, with most of the grain coming from midden and ditch fill deposits. The presence of cereals including spelt wheat, oat and rye suggests a medieval to post-medieval date for the grain assemblages.

- Human bone was the most frequently recovered material within the samples. The majority was associated with grave fills but other potentially reworked (disarticulated) human bone was found associated with ditch, buried soil and current ground surface deposits.
- The majority of materials recovered were in small quantities and are likely to represent the spread of waste from both

domestic and industrial activities in the area near to the cemetery.

- A typical midden assemblage was revealed with abundant animal bone together with other food waste such as charred cereal grain, fish bone and marine shells.
- The presence of flax within the assemblage is of interest and may relate to possible retting activities in the area associated with the production of linen.

The samples processed for this assessment report showed that a variety of archaeological materials can be recovered from the bulk samples. Particularly significant is the recovery of human bone, which will aid in the interpretation of the hand-collected skeletal material during excavation, ensuring skeletons are as complete as possible for the osteoarchaeological analyses. Artefacts relating to grave goods and grave activity were also found such as shroud pins and will also provide further information on burial practices. Therefore it is recommended that the remaining bulk samples are processed in order to recover further skeletal elements from the burials together with artifactual materials that can inform on burial practices.

The coffin wood fragments present in the grave fill samples could be identified to investigate what wood types were used in coffin construction and to see whether these are likely to represent local or possible exported wood. Therefore it is recommended that a selection of coffin wood from within the samples is identified in order to provide information on wood types used in coffin construction.

Although assessment of the bulk samples from the buried soil showed there was only limited charred plant material within it, the kubiena tin samples offer the chance to look at activities and the surrounding landscape of the area through pollen analysis. By looking at the pollen and non-pollen palynomorphs (eg fungal spores) within the soil, a picture of the area and the activities taking place therein can be reconstructed offering a unique window into this period of Leith's history. Thin-section soil analysis of this deposit from the buried soil will also allow comment on its formation and consistency. Ideally this sample should be from an area of the soil not showing disturbance, which was suggested in the assessment. Therefore it is recommended that the kubiena tin samples taken from the buried soil should be made available for pollen and thin-section analysis to provide a unique window of the past to be opened allowing for the reconstruction of the former landscape and further evidence of the activities taking place.

The midden deposit produced a significant quantity of animal bone, together with fish bone. This bone assemblage has the potential to provide further information on economy and trade (livestock and fishing), industrial activities (butchery and bone working), together with consumption and domestic activities. Therefore it is recommended that the faunal and fish bone assemblages from the midden are analysed by a faunal bone expert to provide further dietary, economic and possible trade information for the area.

6. DISCUSSION

Despite heavy truncation due to numerous 19th and 20th century services and service trenches the excavation yielded a wealth of information related to the graveyard of South Leith Parish Church and to the use of its space prior but mostly during its use as burial ground. Based on the South Leith Records the core churchyard was in use since 1483 when St Mary's chapel was founded and with extensions or other variations to its boundaries continued to function as burial ground for the parish of South Leith until the 19th century. The excavation site lies along Constitution Street, immediately to the east and outwith the current churchyard, as this is enclosed by the current cemetery wall. This however reflects late 18th/19th alterations to the churchyard boundaries brought about in order to accommodate the construction of Constitution Street and the tenements on its eastern side. It is likely that the 302 inhumations recovered represent several generations of burial within the grounds of the church spanning the 15th–19th centuries. A full analysis of human remains, including C¹⁴ (by ASM) dates as well as further documentary research will be undertaken during the next stage of work.

6.1 Historic context

Early maps of the area show the cemetery of the church used to be much larger, extending up to the remains of the defensive ramparts for the town (Kirkwood 1817). This means that when Constitution Street was built it was constructed over the top of the cemetery. It is possible that the excavated graves cover a period of around two centuries and that some of them may belong to the earliest phase of St Mary in the first part of the 15th century. There are later mentions that the neighbouring Preceptory of St. Anton's also built around the same time had a 'Kirk yard' attached to it for the increase of the burying ground.

Records of the church give thorough details of burial within the church but not in the area outwith the formal churchyard. The various Incorporations had altars in the church around which they buried their dead such as the craftsmen being buried at the altar of St John, the cordiners at the altar of St Crispin *etc.* When there was no more space available within the church the Incorporations buried their members in the churchyard in defined ground adjacent to these altars. These divisions continued to the middle of the 18th century and are noted today in the churchyard.

In the later part of the 16th century the churchyard was enclosed with walls or dykes and formed an open field. There is a record from 1649 that one such dyke was converted into a fortification. The current churchyard as enclosed by the present wall possibly date to the late 18th century when Constitution Street was built. Prior to this the churchyard would have extended eastwards although it would have been enclosed by dykes. From the records we learn that the churchyard area served many public uses. The Kirk Session was letting out the churchyard grassed area for grazing until the middle of the 17th century when gravestones were erected and the Session began to receive complaints. The churchyard was also used as a shortcut from and to the Kirkgate or the Links.

From May to November of 1645 the parish register is taken up by accounts of the plague which was regarded as the worst of its kind

and claimed around half the population of Leith. The epidemic was made worst by the living conditions and the famine that followed. The dead were buried in the Links and a fresh spot was chose for the burials of successive days. The records state that there were burials from Hermitage Hill to Constitution Street.

6.2 Stratigraphy and spatial patterning

Pre-graveyard features

The earliest horizon encountered on the site was geological deposits comprising beach sands and gravels encountered at a depth of c 2m below the current road surface. Overlying the geological subsoil, fairly homogenous layers of windblown sand were seen at varying depths and of varying thickness/preservation. NW-SE aligned ditch 84 was cut into this horizon and together with ditch 270 may represent the earliest features on the site pre-dating its use as a graveyard although the relationship of ditch 84 to the adjacent graves is somewhat unclear. Both these NW-SE ditches could be interpreted as boundary ditches between plots prior to the use of the site as burial ground. Local White Gritty ware dating to the 12/15th century was recovered from the fill of ditch 84 and LWW dating to the 14th/15th century from the primary fill of ditch 270.

Two substantial ditches were excavated within the eastern half of the site also pre-dating some of the graves in the area. Ditch 970 was aligned N-S along the eastern side of Constitution Street. No dating evidence was recovered from its fills but based on its stratigraphic relationship to the graves it is likely that graves were cut into the ditch along its western edge soon after it was infilled. The lower part of the skeletons in these graves were found sloping down presumably as a result of subsequent natural compaction of the softer material in the ditch. The alignment of the ditch roughly follows the alignment of the nearby 16th century fortifications along the eastern line of Leith's defensive works. The fortification consisting of earthen ramparts arranged in a system of angular bastions was built in 1548, was deliberately slighted soon after the siege of Leith in 1560 and underwent numerous rebuilds and repairs over the course of the 16th and 17th centuries. Whether the excavated ditch relates in any way to these works is not clear and at present it is only conjectural based on its proximity to the fortification line.

The graves and graveyard space between the 15th–18th centuries

A sand dune landscape is indicated by the undulating surface of natural windblown sand and the presence of levelling turf lines at several depths. The upper layers of these sands had developed into graveyard soil from which graves were cut into. At least two superimposed layers of graves were observed whilst in some areas, most notably in Area 7 and 8 multiple layers were visible the lower of which was preserved *in situ*. The undulating soft ground of the underlying sand dunes probably also accounts for this pattern to an extent. This pattern however also illustrates aspects of graveyard management over its lifespan. It is typical of heavily used post-medieval parish cemeteries where multiple intercutting layers of interments and overcrowded churchyards is the norm.

The grave cuts comprised fairly basic excavations. The majority of these graves would have been unmarked, ephemeral cuttings to receive the body either shrouded as indicated by shroud pins



and textile fragments recovered or confined. The low percentage of coffins excavated may be fictitious since in several cases iron nails were recovered from the fills of graves where presumably the remains of wooden coffins would have disintegrated. The South Leith records mention though that prior to the passing of the Poor Law Act in 1854 in Scotland only those who could afford them were buried in coffins. Characteristically, at the time of the plague in July 1645 the Kirk Session ordered that those who were not able to pay for 'kists' (coffins) would be buried by 'the bier'. The bier, also known as the 'common mort kist' was a closed box with the lid hung on hinges so that the body could be emptied into the grave.

More regularly spaced 'rows' of graves observed in the southwestern extent of the site and nearly all of them containing coffins compared to the 'stacks' of burials in simple earthen graves towards the northeastern extent may be a chronological indicator of the use of the graveyard space. The chronology and timing of these successive burials cannot be determined with any degree of accuracy whilst the possibility that some of these inhumations represent short-lived, sudden events such as the plague recorded in 1645 remains open.

Further research as well as specialist analyses (radiocarbon dating, isotope analysis) are required, in order to refine the chronology and phasing of the site.

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8. APPENDICES

Appendix 1 Site registers

Appendix 1.1 Context register

Context	Area	Identity	Description
40	2	Skeleton	Extended supine human inhumation within cut 042.
41	2	Grave fill	Fill of grave 046. Mid-brown sand with some leaching of wood (coffin). Contains small stones and frags of marine shell and charcoal.
42	2	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 040, wooden coffin staining visible c 0.02 Wide against side of grave cut. Contains Fe nails vertical against cut.
43	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within cut 045. Only part of lower l. Leg and foot partially survive beneath service. Coffined type of burial implied by presence of Fe nails. Truncated by service cut and machine.
44	2	Grave fill	Mid-grey sandy fill of grave cut 045.
45	2	Grave cut	Cut for grave containing skeleton 043.
46	1+2	Cut	Linear cut of service trench running along the length of all 11 areas. It may be related to the sewer located in Area 5. In areas 10–11 it almost certainly continues into the western loe. Cut is filled with coarse sand. Tipping lines are visible in section. Two slots excavated in Area 3 and 4 down to 1.4. The base of the cut was not reached. The cut truncates several graves along the western edge of areas 3–9.
47	2	Layer	Compact ground surface cut by several graves. Mid brown silty sand with gravel and small stones.
48	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 050. Arms slightly flexed with hands folded on abdomen area. Upper torso and cranium truncated by pipe trench.
49	2	Grave fill	Mid-grey sandy fill of grave cut 050 containing skeleton 048.
50	2	Grave cut	Double cut (upper and lower) of grave containing skeleton 048. Upper cut is cut from surface 047. Lower cut for coffin is rectangular located c 0.2–0.3m below upper cut. Coffin not preserved apart from linear wood staining along the sides.
51	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation in grave cut 053. No clear coffin stain but coffined burial is indicated by Fe nails. Cranium, cervical vertebrae and clavicle truncated by mod pipe. Feet largely missing.
52	2	Grave fill	Compact sandy silt with gravel fill of grave 053.
53	2	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing coffined burial 051. Heavily truncated, only northern edge clearly visible. Shallow cut from surface 047.
54	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation in grave cut 056. Cranium truncated by service trench. Arms lying straight with hands over pelvic area.
55	2	Grave fill	Fill of grave 056. Mottled yellowish brown silty sand. Coffin stain clearly visible, collapsed over body. Wood preserved in places. Pottery in fill above body. Coffin nails recovered.
56	2	Grave cut	Cut of grave for skeleton 54. Width narrows towards feet. Coffin not well preserved but identifiable from stains overlying body and wood surviving in places.
57	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 059. Lower legs and feet truncated by services. Arms flexed and crossing over abdominal area, left arm over right.
58	2	Grave fill	Fill of grave 059. Mid grey sand also containing coffin nails.
59	2	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 057 with no coffin preserved. Truncated to the nw and SE by modern services.
60	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 062. Heavily truncated to the SE by service cut 046; only skull to upper rib cage and tops of humeri preserved.
61	2	Grave fill	Mid grey silty sand fill of grave 062. No coffin preserved, however coffin nails retrieved from fill.
62	2	Grave cut	Heavily truncated grave cut for skeleton 060, only surviving partially to the nw. Shape of cut and presence of nails in fill suggest cut held a coffin.
63	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 065. Truncated to the nw, therefore only lower ribs down to feet survive. Arms flexed with hands over pelvic area.
64	2	Grave fill	Dark grey silty sand fill of grave 065. Coffin nails and pottery recovered.
65	2	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 063, with some preservation of coffin: both nails and wood sampled. The cut is truncated to the nw by services.
66	2	Layer	Mid grey sand deposit that may be remnants of a turf surface layer. Possibly also the base of a sand dune.
67	2	Skeleton	Inhumation within cut 059. Partially flexed, apparently lying on left side of body. Skull facing NE with arms slightly flexed at the side of the body. Right arm is over the rib cage, left arm beneath it. A modern cut to the south has disturbed the pelvis, with right leg and both feet entirely missing. Possibly a juvenile as grave is only 1m in length.



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68	2	Grave fill	Mid grey silty sand fill of grave 069. Coffin nails recovered from fill.
69	2	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 067. No visible coffin remains, however nails recovered from fill suggest it was a lined grave. It cuts ground surface 073 and is truncated to the south by a modern service cut.
70	2	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Juvenile skeleton, aged approximately 3 years old at time of death. Arms slightly flexed with hands resting over pelvic area.
71	2	Grave fill	Compact mid grey silty sand with very occasional gravel and charcoal fragments. Fill of grave 72. Coffin nail recovered from fill.
72	2	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 070 containing coffin. Coffin nails spaced approximately 0.15m apart along sides of coffin.
73	2	Layer	Compact mid grey silty sand, with occasional lenses containing charcoal, bone and shell fragments. Edges of deposit clearly defined within extent of ditch 84.
74	3	Grave cut	Grave cut truncated by two parallel modern services running NE-SW. Contains grave fill 075 and skeleton 076.
75	3	Grave fill	Soft, dark grey brown silty sand. Truncated by parallel modern services running NE-SW. One coffin nail recovered from fill. Fill of grave cut 074.
76	3	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 074. Heavily truncated by modern disturbance. Only fibulae and right tibia <i>in situ</i> . Feet bones were disarticulated. Rest of skeleton absent.
77	3	Layer	Soft dark orange sand beneath grave 74. Natural dune sand.
78	3	Grave cut	Grave cut partially truncated by modern services. Cut for skeleton 079.
79	3	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 078. Left arm flexed with hand positioned on pelvic area. Lower right arm truncated by modern disturbance. Legs straight, feet disarticulated and partially truncated by modern disturbance.
80	3	Grave fill	Soft dark grey brown silty sand. Contained coffin nails and Fe buckle. Fill of grave cut 078.
81	3	Cut	Modern service pipe trench.
82	3	Layer	Soft grey brown sand, frequent charcoal flecks. Indistinguishable from 99, main fill of ditch 84. Buried soil.
83	3	Fill	Mottled yellow grey sand gravel with occasional layers of clay. Fill of modern cut 46.
84	3	Cut	Possible medieval property/boundary ditch. Midden material 73 overlay upper deposit of ditch fill. May pre date graveyard surface.
85	3	Fill	Mottled black grey sandy silt with frequent inclusions of animal bone, charcoal, mortar and green glaze pottery fragments. Midden deposit over ditch 84. Similar to midden deposit 73.
86	3	Grave cut	Grave cut containing coffin. Truncated ditch 84.
87	3	Grave fill	Soft yellow brown sand. Contained coffin nails.
88	3	Skull	Skull recovered from fill of modern service trench. Disarticulated bones found in the vicinity.
89	3	Skeleton	Disarticulated human remains. Lower skeleton partially articulated with pelvis, left femur, left patella and fragments of the left tibia <i>in situ</i> . A skull and rib bones were also recovered. Bones may represent the remains of two disarticulated individuals. No grave cut was visible.
90	3	Skeleton	Extended supine juvenile inhumation. Largely truncated by cut 46 with left arm, both hands and lower body absent.
91	3	Grave cut	Grave cut for simple inhumation, skeleton 093. Truncated to nw and SE by modern disturbance.
92	3	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 91.
93	3	Skeleton	Heavily truncated skeletal remains within cut 091, with only lower leg bones <i>in situ</i> .
94	3	Skeleton	Remains of extended supine inhumation. Left arm flexed with hand over pelvic area. Lower left arm, lumbar vertebrae, sacrum and left pelvis, left femur and lower leg bones <i>in situ</i> . Hand and feet bones largely disarticulated. Rest of skeleton absent. No cut visible, but partially overlay grave 167.
95	3	Grave fill	Mid grey sand. Fill of grave 97. Not excavated as skeletal remains predominantly beyond limit of excavation.
96	3	Skeleton	Supine inhumation, femurs visible only. Upper body most likely continued beyond limit of excavation. Truncated below femurs by modern disturbance. Not excavated.
97	3	Grave cut	Cut of grave for simple inhumation. Not excavated.
98	3		N/A
99	3	Fill	Soft grey brown silty sand, frequent flecks of charcoal, occasional inclusions of bone and shell fragments. Silted or wind blown re-deposition of 82 into cut of ditch 84.
100	3	Layer	Soft mid orange sand with very occasional flecks of charcoal. Re-deposited natural caused by collapse of south edge of ditch 84 soon after it was dug.
101	3	Fill	Mottled brown black silty sand, with occasional charcoal inclusions. Similar to 99 but with more silt. Primary fill of ditch 84.

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102	4	Skeleton	—
103	4	Grave fill	Soft mottled mid dark brown sand with occasional clay inclusions. Fill of grave 105. Very similar to surrounding deposits.
104	4	Skeleton	Remains of inhumation within grave cut 105: partial cranium and disarticulated long bones.
105	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave for skeleton 104. Not very visible, truncated by modern disturbance.
106	4	Grave fill	Soft mottled mid dark brown sand with occasional fragments of clay. Fill of grave 108.
107	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 108. Juvenile skeleton with left arm flexed at right angle with hand over chest. Most of right arm absent due to modern truncation. Legs straight with right foot pointing down. Left foot largely absent.
108	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave. Poorly defined.
109	4	Fill	Fill of modern cut 110.
110	4	Cut	Modern cut.
111	4	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand, occasional inclusions of small stones and charcoal fragments. Fill of grave 114.
112	4	Skeleton	Extended prone inhumation in grave cut 114. Juvenile skeleton lay directly over adult inhumation 113. Truncated by modern cut above lumbar vertebrae; right pelvis, sacrum and right femur also absent. One of disarticulated skulls 115 or 116 may belong to this skeleton .
113	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation in grave cut 114. Truncated above right humerus and above left tibia by modern disturbance. One of disarticulated skulls 115 or 116 may belong to this skeleton. Small adult or sub adult skeleton .
114	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeletons 112 and 113.
115	4	Skull	Disarticulated skull.
116	4	Skull	Disarticulated skull.
117	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 138. Body below ribcage truncated by modern disturbance.
118	4	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 120.
119	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 120. Body below ribcage and right arm bones truncated by modern disturbance.
120	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 119. Truncated on three sides by modern disturbance.
121	4	Grave fill	Soft dark brown sand. Very similar to surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 123.
122	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 123. Head faced NE. Heavily truncated by modern disturbance, only skull and cervical and upper thoracic vertebrae <i>in situ</i> .
123	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 122.
124	4	Grave fill	Mixed light brown sand. Not distinct from surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 126
125	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 126. Femurs extend out of section with lower legs beyond limit of excavation. Upper body truncated by modern disturbance.
126	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 125. Cut not visible.
127	4	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand with occasional charcoal flecks. Fill of grave 129.
128	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within cut 129. Lower leg bones extend out of section at limit of excavation. Truncated midway up femurs by modern cut.
129	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 128.
130	4	Grave fill	Light brown sand with occasional flecks of charcoal. Not distinguishable from surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 132.
131	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 132. Head facing NE. Skeleton below skull and left clavicle beyond limit of excavation.
132	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 131. Cut not visible but skull of skeleton 131 lay over feet of skeleton 128.
133	4	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 137
134	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 137. Only partial leg bones remain. Directly over skeleton 135.
135	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 137. Only lower leg bones and feet project beyond extent of modern disturbance. Juvenile skeleton . Directly under skeleton 134 and over skeleton 136.
136	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 137. Left hand placed over pelvic area. Only left hand, left pelvis and femur, lower leg bones and feet present. Directly below skeleton 135 and over skeleton 143.



Context	Area	Identity	Description
137	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeletons 134, 135, 136 and 143. South side clearly visible.
138	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 117.
139	4	Grave fill	Soft yellow brown sand. Fill of grave 138.
140	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Only left femur, lower leg bones and feet present, rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
141	5	Layer	Compact dark grey silty sand, with very occasional charcoal fragments and gravel. Graves truncate this deposit. Buried soil/original graveyard soil.
142	4	Cut	—
143	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Only lower legs and feet present. Part of grave 137 or separate cut? No separate cut recorded although notes describe this as an 'earlier disturbed burial'.
144	4	Grave fill	Compact grey silty sand. Fill of grave 146.
145	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 146. Only right tibia and ankle bones <i>in situ</i> .
146	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 145.
147	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 149. Head facing upwards. Most of skeleton beyond limit of excavation. Truncated by grave 146, resulting in the loss of the left shoulder and upper arm.
148	4	Grave fill	Compact grey silty sand. Fill of grave 149.
149	4	Grave cut	Compact grey silty sand. Fill of grave 149.
150	4	Grave fill	Cut of grave containing skeleton 152. Cut not visible. Truncated by grave 146.
151	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 153. Head facing upwards. Located immediately below and to the south of skeleton 152. Both skeletons in the same grave.
152	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 153. Head facing NE. Left arm flexed with hand over pelvic area. Right arm and hand absent due to truncation by modern disturbance. Lies over and to the immediate north of skeleton 151. Both skeletons within the same grave.
153	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeletons 151 and 152. Nw end of cut is clearly visible. Much of cut truncated by modern disturbance.
154	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 155. Head facing sw. Left arm appears to be straight although only ulna present. Lower right arm and hand absent. Legs straight, feet truncated by grave cut to the SE.
155	4	Grave cut	—
156	4	Grave fill	—
157	5	Grave fill	Compact grey silty sand. Fill of grave 159.
158	5	Skeleton	Extended supine adult inhumation within grave cut 159. Head facing upwards. Arms flexed with ends of lower arms over pelvic area (hands absent). Mandible, upper vertebrae and ribs present but not <i>in situ</i> . Lower body beyond limit of excavation.
159	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 158. Continues beyond limit of excavation to SE.
160	4	Grave cut	Grave cut contains skeleton 117.
161	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 162. Stack burial. Skull lies directly over skull of skeleton 164. Only upper torso preserved. No coffin visible. Sub adult/ juvenile.
162	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeletons 161 and 164. No coffin visible. Truncated by modern disturbance.
163	4	Grave fill	Soft yellow brown sand. Fill of grave 162.
164	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 162. Stack burial. Only torso present. Skull is directly under skull of skeleton 161.
165	4	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 167.
166	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 167. Head facing upwards. Arms slightly flexed with hands over pelvic area. Legs straight with lower legs elevated, feet absent. Sub adult individual.
167	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 166.
168	4	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 170.
169	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 170. Left arm straight with left hand by side. Skeleton above femurs beyond limit of excavation.

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170	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 169.
171	4	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 172.
172	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 173. Truncated by later grave cut to south.
173	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 172.
174	4	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 176. Contains SF20, a possible belt buckle.
175	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 176. Only leg bones and right humerus present.
176	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 175. Possibly truncated by later grave cuts to the nw.
177	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 178. Partial leg bones only present. Head would have been at SE end but truncated by graves 146 and 149.
178	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 177.
179	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 180. Lower ends of femurs exposed only.
180	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 179.
181	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 183. Head absent, but skull 184 may belong to this skeleton. Arms slightly flexed, with hands probably over pelvic area although right hand absent and left hand disturbed. Lower skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
182	4	Grave fill	Soft mid grey brown sand. Fill of grave 183.
183	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 181.
184	4	Skeleton	Skull within grave cut 186. Possibly disarticulated and belonging to skeleton 181 or may be part of a se-nw oriented inhumation that continues beyond the limit of excavation.
185	4	Grave fill	Dark grey brown sand. Fill of grave 186.
186	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skull 184. Se end of cut visible only.
187	4	Skull	Disarticulated skull within modern cut.
188	4	Skeleton	Disarticulated feet bones of inhumation. Rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation.
189	4	Coffin	No cut allocated to this burial, though is recorded as truncating grave 205. Associated with skeleton 207.
190	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 191. Right arm straight with hand by top of femur. Only right arm, occasional rib bones, femurs and left tibia present.
191	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 190. May abut grave 162. Largely truncated by modern disturbance.
192	4	Grave fill	Fine light brown sand. Fill of grave 191.
193	4	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 195.
194	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 195, bent at knees with knees pointing to NE. Head facing upwards. Lower left arm turned outwards away from body, lower right arm flexed with right hand over left side of pelvis. Sub adult individual. Lower legs and feet truncated by modern disturbance.
195	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 194.
196	5	Grave fill	Compact grey silty sand, with occasional charcoal inclusions. Fill of grave 198.
197	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 198. Partial leg bones and feet present only. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
198	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 197.
199	5	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 200. Skull exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation.
200	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 199. Cut not visible. Possibly truncated by grave 202.
201	5	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 202. Only some vertebrae, ribs and left part of pelvis present. Continues beyond limit of excavation.
202	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 201.
203	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 205. Lower leg bones and feet present with rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation.
204	4	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 205.
205	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 203.



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206	4	Grave fill	Soft light to dark brown sand. Fill of grave cut 189.
207	4	Skeleton	Bones of feet located within coffin 189. Hand bones located between feet. Adult individual.
208	4	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 209. Skull, left humerus and upper vertebrae present.
209	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 208.
210	4	Grave fill	Grave fill of cut 209.
211	4	Grave fill	Soft mid grey brown sand. Fill of grave 213.
212	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 213 with lower leg bones and partial feet bones exposed. Rest of skeleton lies beyond limit of excavation.
213	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 212.
214	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 215. Hand bones of left hand by top of left femur; left arm was probably straight but bones are absent. Hand bones from right hand recovered from over pelvis indicating right arm was probably flexed. Arm bones, upper torso and skull absent, lower left leg bones and both feet absent.
215	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 214. Cut not visible.
216	4	Grave fill	Soft light to dark brown sand. Fill of grave 218.
217	4	Skeleton	Inhumation within grave cut 218, lying on left side. Hands absent but arms flexed and raised with right arm across chest, lower arm in front of skull. Left arm flexed at very acute angle so that hand would have pillowed head. Legs absent. Juvenile skeleton, appears to have been posed in sleeping position. Lower skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
218	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 217. Cut not visible.
219	4	Grave fill	Soft fine mid brown sand, with occasional clay inclusions. Fill of grave 221.
220	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 221. Head facing upwards. Arms straight. Juvenile individual.
221	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 220. Cut was 0.3m longer than skeleton.
222	5	Coffin	Outline of coffin identified by decayed wood to the west of grave 222. No associated inhumation though may relate to grave 202.
223	4	Grave fill	Soft mid dark grey brown sand. Fill of grave 225.
224	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 225. Left arm straight with hand by side; right arm flexed with hand over left side of pelvis. Legs straight. Upper torso and skull beyond limit of excavation. Feet truncated by modern disturbance.
225	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 224. Cut not visible.
226	4	Grave fill	Soft dark grey brown sand. Fill of possible cut 227. Not distinguishable from surrounding deposits.
227	4	Cut	Possible cut.
228	5	Skull	Disarticulated skull lying face down within fill of grave 230. Other disarticulated bones nearby. May represent an inhumation truncated by later burials.
229	5	Grave fill	Soft mottled light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 230.
230	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 228.
231	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 232. Upper torso, upper arms and skull truncated by modern disturbance.
232	5	Coffin	Trace of coffin outline in truncated grave 230. Outline shows at thin band of dark humic soil with some iron staining from nails. Some surviving nails also present.
233	4	Layer	Soft mid dark grey sand with occasional charcoal inclusions. Primary fill of ditch. Truncated by graves 258, 260, 246, 254, 257 and 237.
234	5	Skeleton	Articulated right leg of extended supine inhumation. Left leg truncated by grave 244. Upper skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
235	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 234. Not visible.
236	4	Grave fill	Soft light brown grey sand. Fill of grave 238. Indistinguishable from surrounding deposit, graveyard soil 141.
237	4	Skeleton	Articulated lower leg bones of extended supine inhumation within grave cut 238. Only left and right tibias and fibulas, right patella and left ankle bone survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
238	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 237. Cut not visible.
239	5	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 241. Wooden coffin remains measured 1.2 X 0.36 X 0.1m and was truncated to the west.
240	5	Skeleton	Remains of inhumation within coffin in cut 241. No bones were articulated, with skeleton in very poor state of preservation.

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241	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 240.
242	5	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 244.
243	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 244. Lower right leg survives. Most of skeleton truncated by grave 240.
244	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 243.
245	4	Grave fill	Soft light brown grey sand. Fill of grave 247.
246	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 247. Truncated above knee by modern disturbance.
247	4	Grave cut	Eastern end of grave cut containing skeleton 246.
248	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 250. Only ankle and feet bones survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
249	5	Grave fill	Soft mid grey brown sand. Fill of grave 252.
250	5	Coffin	Wooden coffin containing skeleton 251. Coffin lid largely intact but has collapsed in places over skeleton 251. Coffin wider at west end (0.45m) than east end (0.3m). Several coffin nails recovered.
251	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 252. Skull disarticulated. Arms flexed with hands over pelvis, although hand bones were somewhat disarticulated. Rib bones, left ulna and right patella displaced.
252	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 251.
253	4	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 254
254	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 248. Cut not visible.
255	4	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 257. Possibly truncated by grave 254.
256	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 257. Truncated above knee by grave 254. Feet truncated by modern disturbance.
257	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 256. Cut not visible.
258	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 259. Truncated by modern disturbance; pelvis, sacrum, femurs, top of tibias and top of left fibula survive.
259	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 258. Truncates ditch fill 233.
260	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 261. Only lower epiphyses of leg bones and feet survive.
261	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 260. Truncates ditch fill 233.
262	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 263. Cut not visible.
263	4	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 262. Partially disarticulated remains of right foot recovered, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation.
264	4	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 262.
265	4	Skull	Disarticulated skull. Located within backfill of modern service cut. May be associated with grave 260.
266	4	Skull	Disarticulated skull in layer 233.
267	4	—	N/A
268	4	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 266
269	4	Fill	Soft light brown sand with darker bands, occasional charcoal inclusions. Upper areas of deposit very mixed. Lower areas of deposit exhibit some banding possibly indicating windblown sand entering ditch in between backfilling. Upper fill of ditch 270.
270	4	Cut	Linear E-W running ditch. Visible in west section at limit of excavation. Cut appears to flatten out towards base. Pre dates burials in the area with several graves truncating the upper parts of the ditch.
271	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 188. Truncates 233.
272	4	Grave fill	Soft grey sand with frequent charcoal inclusions. Fill of grave 271.
273	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 274.
274	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Truncated above lower pelvis by grave 283. Legs straight. Sub adult individual.
275	5	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand, occasional charcoal inclusions. Fill of grave 273. Contained pot fragments.
276	5	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Deposit within coffin 250.



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277	5	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 279.
278	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 279. Legs straight. Truncated above femurs by modern disturbance.
279	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 278.
280	5	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 282.
281	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave fill 282. Head facing south. Left arm flexed at right angle. Lower right arm, hands and lower body beyond limit of excavation. Skeleton 0.35m wide at shoulders.
282	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 281.
283	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 284. Cut not visible.
284	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 283. Legs straight. Upper body and hands truncated by modern disturbance.
285	5	Grave fill	Soft grey sand containing frequent disarticulated bone. Disarticulated bone may belong to skeleton 274. Fill of grave 283.
286	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 287. Abuts grave 283.
287	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 286 right tibia and fibula and feet bones survive. Left tibia and fibula partially truncated. Skeleton above lower leg bones truncated by modern disturbance.
288	5	Grave fill	Soft grey sand with occasional charcoal inclusions. Fill of grave 286.
289	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 290. Feet bones survive; rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
290	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 289.
291	5	Skull	Disarticulated skull. Located between leg bones of skeleton 294.
292	5	Skull	Disarticulated skull.
293	5	Skull	Disarticulated skull.
294	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 295. Femurs, left part of pelvis, left hand and lumbar vertebrae exposed. Lower legs and right side of torso beyond limit of excavation. Left side of torso and skull truncated by modern disturbance.
295	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 294.
296	5	Skull	Disarticulated skull and pelvis. Within fill 300 in grave 302.
297	5	Skull	Disarticulated skull. Skull upside down between legs of skeleton 301.
298	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 299. Lower legs and feet only exposed. Femurs absent, but no cut visible. Right fibula had been broken and fused together again.
299	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 298.
300	5	Grave fill	Large number of disarticulated human bones found within grave 302. Includes disarticulated skulls 296 and 297.
301	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 302. Right side of torso, left shoulder and skull truncated by grave 230 to the south and modern disturbance to the west. Feet truncated by grave 252.
302	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 301. Cut not visible.
303	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 307. Truncated above pelvis. Buried together with skeleton 305.
304	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 309. Truncated above left femur and left hand and above right foot by grave 307.
305	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 307. Truncated by grave 252 and grave 311 with only lower leg bones <i>in situ</i> . Skeleton 305 buried together with skeleton 303: left tibia and fibula lie under the right leg of skeleton 303 with left foot over the left leg of 303.
306	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 311. Lower skeleton only survives. Skeleton truncated above femurs, lower sacrum and right pelvis by modern disturbance. Disarticulated finger bones recovered from pelvic area.
307	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeletons 303 and 305. Edge of cut not visible.
308	5	Grave fill	Loose grey brown sand. Fill of grave 307.
309	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 304.
310	5	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand. Fill of grave 309.

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311	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 306.
312	5	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand with charcoal inclusions and disarticulated human bones. Fill of grave 311.
313	5	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 314. Only upper left torso and left arm survive due to truncation by grave 252 to east, grave 302 to south and modern disturbance to west. Left arm flexed so that would have rested over pelvis.
314	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 313. Cut not visible.
315	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 316. Legs straight. Only legs, pelvis, lumbar vertebrae and several finger bones survive. Finger bones recovered from between femurs. Feet beyond limit of excavation. Juvenile individual.
316	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 315. Cut not visible.
317	5	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand with occasional clay inclusions. Fill of grave 319.
318	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 319. Head facing upwards. Arms straight with hands resting over edge of pelvis/top of femurs. Legs straight.
319	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 318. Cut tapers from 0.4m wide at west end to 0.28m wide at east end.
320	5	Grave fill	Soft dark brown sand. Fill of grave 322.
321	5	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 322. Very truncated by modern disturbance, only left and right tibias, partial pelvis, right hand, left and right radiuses and some rib bones survive.
322	5	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 321.
323	5	Layer	Black brown silty sand. Fragmentary stain representing coffin below skeleton 321. Poor level of preservation.
324	6	Grave fill	Fine grey sand with occasional charcoal inclusions. Deposit lay over skeleton 325.
325	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut ? Only skull and some rib bones survive. Head facing upwards. Skull may belong to skeleton 326 and have been disarticulated by modern disturbance or may be part of severely truncated earlier inhumation pre dating grave 327.
326	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 327. Cranium truncated with only mandible surviving. Head would have faced upwards from position of mandible. Arms flexed with left hand resting over left side of pelvis and right lower arm beside right pelvis. Right hand absent. Skeleton truncated below pelvis by modern disturbance. Skeleton 0.25m wide at shoulders.
327	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 326. Cut not visible.
328	6	Coffin	Coffin. Poor preservation.
329	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 331.
330	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 331. Head facing nw. Skull, upper torso and right arm exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation. Left arm truncated by modern disturbance.
331	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 330. Continued beyond limit of excavation.
332	6	Grave fill	Soft yellow brown sand with occasional charcoal inclusions. Fill of grave 334.
333	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 334. Right hand bones, right leg bones, and left femur survive. The right ankle and feet bones and left tibia and fibula were partially recovered also. Truncated by modern disturbance.
334	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 333.
335	6	Grave cut	Cut of mass grave containing articulated skeletons, disarticulated skulls and coffin burials.
336	6	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand with very occasional inclusions of clay. Fill of mass grave 335.
337	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 340 in coffin 338.
338	6	Coffin	Wooden coffin base. Good preservation of wooden base and north side. Coffin lid not preserved.
339	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 337.
340	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 337. Pelvis, left femur, lumbar vertebrae, left humerus and ulna, right radius and ulna and partial remains of both hands and left foot survive. Not possible to identify position of hands due to poor preservation and disarticulation.
341	6	Skull	Disarticulated skull located above the pelvis of skeleton 342 within mass grave 335.
342	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 335. Leg bones and feet only survive due to truncation by modern disturbance. Legs straight. Skull 341 lay over pelvic area.



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343	6	Skeleton	—
344	6	Skull	Disarticulated skull within mass grave 335.
345	6	Skeleton	Inhumation within grave cut 335. Individual lying on its side with head facing north. Bone in very poor condition. Skull, vertebrae, ribs and right humerus survive. Juvenile individual.
346	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 335. Head facing upwards. Arms appear to be straight, though preservation of lower arms and hands is extremely poor. Right leg straight, left leg slightly rotated inwards. Left foot truncated by modern disturbance. Skeleton 0.32m wide at shoulders.
347	6	Grave fill	Firm light brown sand. Fill of grave 349.
348	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 349. Legs straight. Truncated above tibias by modern disturbance. Bones of feet fragmentary. Juvenile individual.
349	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 348.
350	6	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand with occasional clay inclusions. Fill of grave 353. Not excavated due to contamination from modern disturbance.
351	6	Coffin	Decayed wood of coffin lid and base. Coffin for skeleton 352 in grave 353.
352	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 353. Left arm flexed, although lower arm may not be <i>in situ</i> . Legs straight. Lower thoracic vertebrae, lumbar vertebrae, right side of pelvis, right arm and leg bones and left tibia survive.
353	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 352 in coffin 351.
354	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 357.
355	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 357. Skull largely truncated with top of cranium disarticulated and mandible disarticulated and lying upside down beneath left shoulder, which has also been disturbed. Lower right arm absent. Left arm flexed with radius and ulna lying over chest, although this might also represent later disturbance. Left hand is absent. Right side of pelvis, left femur and phalanges of right hand survive.
356	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin containing skeleton 355. Sides of coffin approx. 0.005m thick. Base of coffin survives as fragments beneath skeleton 355. Patches of dark brown organic material within the fill 354 may represent traces of the coffin lid. Coffin has collapsed in slightly and the skeleton is pressed close up against the edge.
357	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 355 in coffin 356.
358	6		N/A
359	6	Grave fill	—
360	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Wood very soft and thin, with lid collapsed in over skeleton 361. Coffin may be within mass grave 335 or may represent an earlier burial within a distinct grave cut. No distinct cut visible. Located to the immediate south of coffin 362.
361	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within coffin 360. Legs straight. Only leg bones and partial feet bones survive.
362	6	Coffin	Remains of wooden coffin. May represent coffin within mass grave 335, an earlier distinct burial, or even a wooden lining on the base of mass grave 335 (together with coffin 360). The wooden remains are severely truncated by modern disturbance.
363	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 335. Only the right tibia and fibula survive due to truncation by modern disturbance. Immediately to the north of skeleton 361.
364	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand with occasional flecks of charcoal. Fill of grave 366.
365	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 366. Severely truncated skeleton with right scapula and clavicle, left side of ribcage, thoracic and lumbar vertebrae, sacrum, right side of pelvis and femurs surviving. Right femur not <i>in situ</i> .
366	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 365 in coffin 367.
367	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin lid. Wooden remains partially overlay skeleton 365.
368	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 371.
369	6	Skull	Skull exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation and lying directly over right humerus of skeleton 370. Rest of skeleton recovered with later extension of area of excavation and recorded as skeleton 446. Same as skeleton 446.
370	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 371. Truncated above neck by grave 373 and below bottom of right radius and ulna and top of left radius and ulna by grave 447
371	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 370.
372	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand containing frequent disarticulated human bone.
373	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing re-deposited bone.

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374	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of possible wooden coffin. Only staining remains. Possible coffin for skeleton 333 in grave 334.
375	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 381. Lumbar vertebrae, sacrum, left radius, left ulna, left femur, top of right femur and part of right side of pelvis survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by grave 357 and modern disturbance.
376	6	Grave cut	—
377	6	Grave fill	—
378	6	Skeleton	Skull of inhumation exposed in the section at the eastern limit of excavation, within grave cut 379. Head facing upwards. Adult individual.
379	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 378.
380	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 381.
381	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 375.
382	6	Skull	Disarticulated cranium located in backfill of modern cut.
383	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 416. Skull damaged but appears to face south. Skeleton below right humerus and midway down left radius and ulna and above tibiae truncated by modern disturbance. Skeleton below tibiae continued beyond limit of excavation.
384	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 386.
385	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 386. Remains of hand bones lay on inner side of upper femurs suggesting arms may have been slightly flexed. Only lumbar vertebrae, sacrum, right side of pelvis, occasional metacarpals and phalanges from hand bones, femurs, left patella and tops of tibiae and fibulae survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
386	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 385. Cut not visible.
387	6	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand. Fill of grave 389. Only seen in section.
388	6	Skeleton	Inhumation within grave cut 389. Seen in section only.
389	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 388. Seen in section at eastern limit of excavation only.
390	6	Layer	Soft homogenous orange to dark brown sand. Deposit encountered throughout Area 6 and was truncated by the graves in this area. Deposit pre dates graveyard and may represent a windblown natural deposit or sand dunes.
391	4	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 140. Cut not visible.
392	4	Skull	Disarticulated cranium. Fragmentary remains.
393	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 395.
394	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 395. Leg bones and partial pelvis/sacrum survive, rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance. Juvenile individual.
395	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 394. Very shallow where seen.
396	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown silty sand with occasional clay inclusions. Fill of grave 398.
397	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 398. Only lower leg bones and feet survive, rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
398	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 397.
399	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 401.
400	6	Skeleton	Severely truncated remains of supine inhumation within grave cut 401. Part of right scapula, right clavicle, part of ribcage, and upper thoracic vertebrae <i>in situ</i> . Left femur disarticulated but present in grave. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance to south and grave 395 to north. Juvenile individual.
401	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 400. Cut not visible.
402	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 403.
403	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 404. Head facing south. Upper torso and most of skull survive. Top of cranium truncated by modern disturbance. Skeleton truncated below upper humeri and sternum by grave 408.
404	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 403.
405	6	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Deposit darker around pelvis of skeleton 406. Fill of grave 407.
406	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 407. Right arm flexed with hand resting over left side of pelvis. Skull and left side of torso truncated by modern disturbance to north. Left femur <i>in situ</i> , right tibia disarticulated but present in grave. Legs otherwise truncated by modern disturbance.



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407	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 406. Cut not visible.
408	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 410 in coffin 409. Cut not visible.
409	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Lid has collapsed into coffin.
410	6	Skeleton	Inhumation within grave cut 408.
411	6	Grave fill	Fine light brown sand. Fill of coffin 409.
412	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 414. Seen in section only, sides of cut truncated by modern disturbance.
413	6		N/A
414	6	Skeleton	Supine extended inhumation within grave cut 412, exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation. Skeleton truncated above tibias by modern disturbance. Lower leg bones beyond proximal tibial epiphyses beyond limit of excavation. No bones recovered.
415	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 412. Seen in section only.
416	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 383. Cut not visible.
417	6	Grave fill	Yellow brown sand. Fill of grave 416.
418			N/A
419	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Contained occasional disarticulated bones. Fill of grave 421.
420	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 421. Truncated above proximal epiphysis of right tibia and part way up distal end of left femur by modern disturbance. Juvenile individual, epiphyses fragmentary.
421	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 420. One of several juvenile inhumations in this area.
422	6	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand with patches of darker humic sand. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Disarticulated long bones and other fragmented bones recovered from the deposit. These bones may represent the remains of an earlier inhumation disturbed by grave 427. Fill of mass grave 427.
423	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 427, turned slightly onto left side. Right scapula, humerus, radius, ulna and hand survived, most of upper body truncated by grave 421. Lower skeleton beyond limit of excavation. Juvenile skeleton 424 lay over chest and abdominal area of skeleton 423. Left arm of skeleton 423 lies under, and around the waist of, skeleton 425 to the north. Disarticulated skull 428 lay to SE of remains of skeleton 423, though there is no evidence to indicate it belonged to skeleton 423. Skeleton 423 an adult individual. Skeleton 423 and skeleton 424 may represent a mother and child.
424	6	Skeleton	Crouched inhumation within grave cut 427. Head facing NE. Arms lay across torso. Partial remains; skull, ribs, left arm bones and right side of pelvis survive. Disarticulated leg bones found in grave fill 422 may belong to this skeleton. Bone fragmentary. Skeleton 424 lay over chest/abdominal area of skeleton 423. Juvenile individual. Together with skeleton 423 may represent mother and child.
425	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 427. Skull absent, skeleton below distal ends of each humerus and lower thoracic vertebrae truncated by gr.435. Disarticulated left femur in grave fill 422 most likely belongs to skeleton 425, probably disturbed by gr.435. Juvenile individual.
426	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 427. Skull absent. Left arm slightly flexed with hand over left side of pelvis. Right hand over right side of pelvis suggesting right arm was also flexed. Torso, left arm and hand bones, right humerus and hand bones and left femur survive. Right hand of skeleton 425 lay over pelvis of skeleton 426. Juvenile/sub adult individual.
427	6	Grave cut	Cut of mass grave containing skeletons 423, 424, 425, 426 and 429. Cut continues to east beyond limit of excavation and truncated by modern disturbance to the west.
428	6	Skull	Disarticulated skull and atlas vertebra within mass grave 427. This skull may belong to skeleton 423 or skeleton 425, although robust nature and fusion of sutures suggest it belonged to an adult individual.
429	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Head facing NE. Arms flexed with lower arms crossed and right hand resting on left wrist. Left hand absent. Lower body truncated by grave 435, with left hand, pelvis, legs and feet absent. Lay directly below skeleton 425 and skeleton 426. Appear to have been buried in single phase. Family group with oldest individual, skeleton 429, laid first?
430	6	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 432.
431	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 432. Bone in very poor condition, torso little more than a stain. Maxilla crushed/truncated by grave 337. Right arm flexed with lower arm over pelvis. Hands and lower left arm absent. Feet bones beyond limit of excavation to the east. Sub adult individual. 0.25m wide at shoulders.
432	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 431.
433	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 435.
434	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 435. Head faces NE. Skull, cervical vertebrae and part of left shoulder exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE.

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435	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 434. Cut continued beyond limit of excavation to SE. Truncated skeleton 425 and skeleton 426 in mass grave 427.
436	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown silty sand with occasional inclusions of disarticulated human bone. Fill of grave 439.
437	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Vertical sides, with wood very thin. Lid very decayed and only trace remains of base of coffin.
438	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 439. Skull truncated by grave 353. Left arm truncated by modern disturbance. Right humerus, scapula and clavicle, upper thoracic vertebrae and ribs exposed, lower skeleton beyond limit of excavation to SE.
439	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 438. Sides of cut not visible.
440	6	Grave fill	Soft light yellow brown sand with occasional inclusions of disarticulated human bone. Fill of grave 443.
441	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 443. Skeleton apart from feet entirely truncated by modern disturbance.
442	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin containing skeleton 441. Fragments of the lid were found collapsed into the coffin. Wood very thin, 0.01m thick.
443	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 441 in coffin 442. Sides of cut not visible. Dimensions taken those of coffin 442.
444	6	Grave fill	Light brown yellow sand with occasional inclusions of disarticulated human bone. Fill of grave 391.
445	6	Grave fill	Soft yellow brown sand with rare inclusions of clay. Fill of grave 447.
446	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 447. Head facing upwards. Cranium already removed prior to extension of area of excavation and recorded as skeleton 369. Left side of skeleton disturbed and truncated with left leg truncated towards distal end of femur; right leg also truncated by modern disturbance. Right arm straight and lies beneath body. Left arm very disturbed with radius and ulna pushed under torso and humerus around pelvis. Thoracic vertebrae missing indicating the extent of truncation from the north.
447	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 446. Cut not visible.
448	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 450.
449	6	Skeleton	Truncated supine inhumation within grave cut 450. Lumbar vertebrae and right ilium of pelvis survive. A thoracic vertebra lay in the disturbed ground to the immediate north of the articulated remains.
450	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 449. Cut not visible. Truncated by modern disturbance.
451	6	Grave fill	Soft mid yellow brown sand. Fill of grave 453.
452	6	Skeleton	Truncated supine inhumation within grave cut 453. Cranial fragments, left ribs and some thoracic vertebrae survive. Juvenile individual.
453	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 452. Cut not visible.
454	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 455. Cut not visible.
455	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 454. Right arm bones, right hand, pelvis, left humerus, left femur, occasional rib bones and cervical vertebrae survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
456	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 454.
457	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 428.
458	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 428.
459	6	Grave fill	Soft mid yellow brown sand with occasional inclusions of wood fragments from coffin 461. Interface with surrounding deposits clear on north side, diffuse to south. Fill of grave 462
460	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 462. Feet, lower legs and distal ends of femurs survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
461	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Wood poorly preserved and fragmentary, 0.002m thick.
462	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 460 in coffin 461.
463	6	Skull	Disarticulated cranial fragments. Possibly from juvenile individual.
464	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 467.
465	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 467. Tibias, fibulas and ankle bones survive, rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
466	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Coffin lid largely decayed although portions have collapsed onto skeleton 465.
467	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 465 in coffin 466. Cut not visible.
468	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 471.



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469	6	Skeleton	Truncated inhumation within grave cut 471. Proximal end of right femur and four metacarpals of right hand survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
470	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Coffin lid fragmentary, coffin truncated by modern disturbance.
471	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 469. Truncated by modern disturbance, only south edge survives.
472	6	Skeleton	Truncated supine inhumation within grave cut 473. Mandible, cervical vertebrae, right shoulder and right arm bones survive. Right arm flexed. Rest of skeleton truncated.
473	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 472. Cut not visible.
474	6	Skeleton	Partially articulated feet bones of inhumation. Within grave cut 475.
475	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 474. Cut not visible.
476	6	Grave fill	Soft yellow brown sand. Fill of grave 473.
477	6	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 479
478	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 479. Lower torso, lower arms and hands truncated by modern disturbance. Feet truncated by grave 482.
479	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 478. Cut not visible.
480	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand with occasional degraded textile fragments. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 482.
481	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 482, slightly rotated with right side lower than left. Oriented nne-ssw. Head facing sw although cranium beyond limit of excavation and appeared to be crushed by modern disturbance. Arms flexed with hands resting over pelvis. Lower left arm and left foot truncated, possibly by modern disturbance. Inward rotation of shoulders suggests may lie in narrow cut. Textile fragments 496 lay under skeleton – may represent clothing/shroud/sack. Left shoulder and cranium lies over lower left leg of skeleton 478. Cut not visible – it is possible that this individual was deposited into mass grave 589 once it had already been partially backfilled. Skeleton 481 lies just within western edge of cut.
482	6	Grave cut	Putative cut of grave containing skeleton 481. Extent defined by areas of staining associated with textile 496. Unusual orientation and position of skeleton 481 suggests that it may have been added to mass grave 589 when it was already partially backfilled. If this is the case then cut 482 can be voided.
483	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Very diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 485.
484	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 485. Skull exposed together with atlas and axis cervical vertebrae. Rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE. Head faces sw.
485	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 484. Mostly beyond limit of excavation to SE.
486	6	Grave fill	Soft mid grey brown sand with occasional inclusions of clay. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 488.
487	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 488. Skull, left shoulder, both humerus, right radius, right hand and right foot truncated by modern disturbance. Lower arms appear to be straight, left hand beside proximal end of left femur. Left leg flexed inwards.
488	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 487. Truncated to east, south and west by modern disturbance.
489	6	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Fragments of the lid survive towards the nw end. Coffin tapers from nw end to narrower SE end.
490	6	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 491.
491	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 490. Left scapula, left humerus and left ulna, pelvis, left patella and both tibias and fibulas survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
492	6	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 490.
493	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 494. Narrow cut with the pelvis of skeleton 494 taking up the entire width.
494	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 495. Head facing upwards. Arms straight with hands beside proximal end of femurs in narrow cut 493. Legs straight. Anterior ribs and sternum absent.
495	6	Grave cut	Soft dark brown sand. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 493.
496	6	Textile	Fragmentary remains of textile below skeleton 481. May represent clothing/shroud/sack. Skeleton 481 may be in distinct cut or more likely is late addition to mass grave 589. Fibrous textile fragments recovered from area of left arm, between right arm and ribcage and from between femurs. Localised staining around skeleton 481 may also represent degraded textile.
497	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Very diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 499.

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498	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 499. Only left scapula, left humerus and upper left ribcage recovered. Upper skeleton truncated by grave 482. Lower skeleton beyond limit of excavation to SE. A left femur lay directly over the left humerus. Only the proximal epiphysis exposed – this femur may belong to skeleton 498 and be disturbed or may belong to a distinct inhumation.
499	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 498. Cut not visible.
500	6	Fill	Soft light brown yellow sand, frequent inclusions of disarticulated human bone. One fragment of pottery recovered from deposit. Fill of charnel pit 501.
501	6	Cut	Cut of charnel pit. Followed same orientation as modern service cut. Charnel pit may date to original use of graveyard or may have been created during modern period.
502	6	Grave fill	Soft light brown yellow sand with occasional clay inclusions. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 504.
503	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 504. Only distal end of left femur and proximal end of tibiae and left fibula survive. Truncated by charnel pit 501 to the east and modern disturbance to the west. Small bones and un-fused long bone epiphyses indicate juvenile individual.
504	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 503.
505	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand, with moderate disarticulated human bone inclusions, occasional clay inclusions and rare inclusions of oyster shell. Fill of grave 507.
506	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 507. Left femur, lower leg bones and feet survive. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
507	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 506.
508	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 509. Truncated to north by grave 532 and by modern disturbance to the east and west.
509	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 508. Only lumbar vertebrae, coccyx and right ilium of pelvis survive.
510	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 532. Only femurs, sacrum right ilium of pelvis, right radius and ulna and phalanges of right hand survive. Phalanges of right hand lay over proximal end of right femur.
511	6	Skull	Disarticulated skull in charnel pit 501.
512	6	Skull	Disarticulated cranium at base of charnel pit 501.
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514	6	Skull	Disarticulated cranium at base of charnel pit 501.
515	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Very diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 517.
516	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 517. Only femurs, pelvis and sacrum survive.
517	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 516. Cut not visible.
518	6	Grave fill	Moderately compact mid grey brown sand, with occasional charcoal, clay and disarticulated human bone inclusions. Fill of grave 520.
519	6	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 520. Right half of skull truncated by grave 507, not possible to identify direction head facing. Arms straight, hands absent. Anterior ribcage truncated by grave 507. Skeleton 0.28m wide at shoulders.
520	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 519. Truncated to south by grave 507.
521	6	Grave fill	Light brown sand. Fill of grave 523.
522	6	Skeleton	Top of cranium of supine inhumation exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation.
523	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 522.
524	6	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 525. Only right side of ribcage, sternum and several thoracic vertebrae survive.
525	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 524. Cut not visible. No grave fill due to modern disturbance directly over skeleton 524.
526	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 528.
527	6	Skeleton	Top of cranium of supine inhumation exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation.
528	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 527 exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation. Cut not visible.
529	6	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 531.
530	6	Skeleton	Top of cranium of supine inhumation exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation. Head turned slightly to face south. May be in same grave 528 as skeleton 527 or be truncated by grave 528 beyond limit of excavation.



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531	6	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 530 exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation. Cut not visible. Skeleton 530 may lie in same grave 528 as skeleton 527 or be truncated by grave 528 beyond limit of excavation.
532	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 510. Truncated to the nw and SE by modern disturbance. Truncated to the NE by grave 537.
533	7	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand. Fill of grave 532.
534	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 535. Truncated to the nw by grave 537 and to the SE by modern disturbance.
535	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 534. Phalanges of left hand and partial femurs survive.
536	7	Grave fill	Dark brown sand. Fill of grave 534.
537	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 539.
538	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin containing skeleton 539.
539	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 537. Only left foot and phalanges of right foot survive.
540	7	Grave fill	Dark brown sand. Fill of grave 537.
541	7	Layer	Moderately compact mid grey brown sand. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Possible turf line. Exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation.
542	7	Layer	Moderately compact light brown yellow sand. Clear interface with turf line 541; diffuse with grave fills. Deposit was frequently truncated by inhumations. Lay over naturally deposited sand. Graveyard soil. Exposed in section at eastern limit of excavation.
543	7	Grave fill	Soft mid grey sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 545.
544	7	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 545. Only skull and upper torso as far as sternum exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE. Head facing NE. Juvenile individual.
545	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 544. Cut not visible.
546	7	Layer	Soft mid dark grey brown sand. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Graveyard soil in Area 7.
547	7	Grave fill	Soft mid grey brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 549.
548	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 549. Skeleton rotated slightly to lie partially on left side. Only pelvic area exposed: lumbar vertebrae, sacrum, partial pelvis, partial femurs and occasional metacarpals and phalanges of right hand. Upper skeleton truncated by modern disturbance. Lower legs and feet beyond limit of excavation to the east.
549	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 548. Cut not visible.
550	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mottled red brown grey white sand with occasional charcoal inclusions. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 552.
551	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 552. Lower femurs survive only, rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance. Distal end of right femur shows evidence of tool marks. Most likely occurred after deposition.
552	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 551.
553	7	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand with occasional disarticulated human bones and ferrous fragments from iron coffin nails. Fill of grave 556.
554	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 556. Cranium exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the east.
555	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin containing skeleton 554. Coffin lid fragmentary and collapsed onto upper surface of cranium of skeleton 554. Iron coffin nails at corners of coffin.
556	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 554. Very narrow cut, 0.02m wider than coffin.
557	7		N/A
558	7	Grave fill	Soft mid dark brown sand. Same as deposit 572.
559			N/A
560			N/A
561	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 563.
562	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 563. Truncated above pelvis by modern disturbance. Upper right femur and carpals and metacarpals of right hand also truncated. Left hand lay beside proximal end of left femur. Legs straight.
563	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 562.

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564	7	Skull	Disarticulated skull in fill of modern cut.
565	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mottled grey brown and red brown sand with occasional inclusions of degraded wood from coffin 567.
566	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 568. Head facing NE. Skull recovered, rest of skeleton beyond the limit of excavation to the SE.
567	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Soft dark brown wood and silt deposit. Poorly preserved, continued to the SE beyond the limit of excavation.
568	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 568.
569	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mid grey brown sand with occasional small sub rounded stones. Fill of grave 571.
570	7	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 571. Head facing sw. Only skull exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation.
571	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 570. Cut not visible.
572	7	Layer	Soft dark brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Possible podsol/old topsoil buried under lenses of windblown sand.
573	7	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Fill of grave 579.
574	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 579. Head facing upwards. Skeleton below pelvis beyond limit of excavation to the east. Left arm straight with left hand by proximal end of left femur. Lower right arm and hand truncated – possibly by overlying grave 611 or by mass grave 589. Possible foetal remains over right ilium of pelvis. Skeleton 574 may represent a pregnant woman.
575	7	Skeleton	Supine extended inhumation within grave cut 605. Cranium crushed with head facing south. Skull, both humerus and upper torso exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the east. Neck at very sharp angle.
576	7	Skull	Disarticulated skull. Top of cranium survives. Most likely re-deposited in grave 605 following burial of skeleton 577.
577	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 605. Head faces upwards. Skull, left humerus and upper torso exposed. Disarticulated skulls 576 and 578 located either side of skull of skeleton 577. These disarticulated skulls appear to have been deliberately placed after the deposition of skeleton 577.
578	7	Skull	Disarticulated skull in grave 605. Placed to immediate north of skull of skeleton 577. Disarticulated skull 576 to immediate south of skull of skeleton 577. Appears to have been deliberately deposited after the deposition of skeleton 577.
579	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 574.
580	7	Grave fill	Soft pale brown sand. Fill of grave 583.
581	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 583. Head faces north. Mandible slightly displaced. Lower body below proximal ends of femurs beyond limit of excavation to the east. Lumbar vertebrae and left ilium of pelvis truncated by modern disturbance with fragmentary remains; this same disturbance had displaced the left radius and ulna. Grave 597 truncated skeleton 581 with a number of disarticulated bones likely to belong to 581 found in the backfill of grave 597.
582	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Rectangular in plan, little more than a stain remained. Western and southern sides intact with wooden remains, though north side has collapsed.
583	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 581 in coffin 582. Continued beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
584	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mottled red brown to grey brown sand with occasional inclusions of degraded wood from coffin 586, disarticulated human bone, stone and charcoal. Fill of grave 587.
585	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 587. Head faces upwards. Arms straight with left hand by proximal end of left femur. Left hand not exposed, may lay beyond limit of excavation. Skeleton below pelvis lay beyond limit of excavation to the east.
586	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Coffin lid collapsed in places. Sides of coffin largely intact though areas had decayed to silt. Sides up to 0.08m thick.
587	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 585 in coffin 586. Cut is 0.22m longer than coffin to the wnw. Grave is truncated by grave 568 and grave 571 to the south but coffin 586 was largely intact.
588	7	Grave fill	Soft mid dark brown sand with occasional inclusions of clay, charcoal and disarticulated human bone. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Possible tip lines in the deposit indicate that each burial in mass grave 589 may have been covered with sand after deposition. Upper deposit truncated by later inhumations, grave 556.
589	7	Grave cut	Cut of mass grave containing skeletons 575, 574, 626, 646, 637, 639, 643 and 625. Skeleton 481 may be a later addition to this mass grave.
590	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 592 in coffin 591. Cut is 0.08m wider than coffin on all sides. Continued beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
591	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin. Coffin lid collapsed in over skeleton 592. Sides of coffin up to 0.008m thick.
592	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 590. Head facing upwards and slightly to the south. Maxilla crushed/collapsed. Upper arms by sides. Skeleton below ribcage and distal end of both humerus beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
593	7	Grave cut	Possible cut appeared to slope south to north through grave fill 615. Associated with some disarticulated human bones but contained no skeleton. Possibly represents an upper fill of grave 590 which layered on backfilling.



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594	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of coffin 591 in grave 590.
595	7	Grave fill	Soft mottled dark brown and mid yellow brown sand with clear interface with surrounding deposits. Darker deposit than 615, possibly represents upper fill of grave 590 but clear distinction between 595 and 615 suggests 595 may be the fill of a cut truncating grave 590. Fill of cut 593
596	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Disarticulated bones may belong to skeleton 581 which was truncated by grave 598. Lay under 1m thick modern disturbance. Fill of grave 598.
597	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 598. Head faced north. Skeleton below distal ends of both humerus and mid torso beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
598	7	Grave cut	A: cut of grave containing skeleton 597. Continued beyond limit of excavation to SE. Cut not clear but truncated grave 583.
599	7	Layer	Soft dark brown silt contained lower legs bones of juvenile individual. May represent distinct inhumation but in disturbed position and lay in grave fill 600 over the pelvis of skeleton 601.
600	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown yellow sand. Fill of grave 602.
601	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 602. Arms flexed with hands crossed on chest. Cranium, left humerus and proximal ends of left radius and ulna truncated by modern disturbance. Truncated below distal end of femurs by grave 608.
602	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 601. Cut not visible.
—	7	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 605, lies over disarticulated skulls 576 and 578.
604	7	Coffin	Single fragment of wooden coffin. To immediate north of left humerus of skeleton 577. Extremely friable.
605	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 577.
606	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 608.
607	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 608. Head faced sw. Skeleton below distal end of both humerus and ribcage beyond limit of excavation to the SE. Arms straight by sides. Long bone epiphyses not fused. Juvenile individual.
608	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 607. Continued beyond limit of excavation.
609	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin within grave cut 602. Only a stain remained — soft black silt.
610	7	Grave fill	Soft light grey brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 611.
611	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 575.
612	7	Grave fill	Soft mid brown sand with a single disarticulated human bone. Clear interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 614.
613	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 614. Head faced sw. Skull, atlas and axis vertebrae and proximal ends of both humerus exposed. Rest of skeleton beyond the limit of excavation to the SE.
614	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 613. Continued beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
615	7	Grave fill	Soft mottled yellow brown sand with occasional inclusions of disarticulated human bone. Clear interface with surrounding deposits.
616	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mottled red brown and white grey sand with occasional inclusions of stone, disarticulated human bone and charcoal. Fill of grave 618.
617	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 618. Head elevated with chin resting on cervical vertebrae. Head faced NE. Left arm straight, left hand beyond limit of excavation to the SE. Right arm flexed with lower right arm and hand over left ilium of pelvis. Legs and feet beyond limit of excavation to the SE. A disarticulated hand lay directly over the skull of 617. Sternum and clavicles slightly disturbed.
618	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 617. Narrow cut, skeleton appears cramped — head elevated and forward with chin resting on cervical vertebrae. Continued to SE beyond limit of excavation.
619	7	Grave fill	Soft mottled light brown sand with rare flecks of charcoal. Fill of grave 622.
620	7	Skeleton	Fragments of patella and long bone of inhumation within grave cut 622. Rest of skeleton truncated by modern disturbance.
621	7	Coffin	Fragmentary remains of wooden coffin containing skeleton 620.
622	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 620.
623	7	Grave fill	Soft grey brown sand with occasional lumps of clay. Very mottled deposit, possibly re-deposited from earlier grave. Fill of grave 624.
624	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 625. Continued beyond limit of excavation to SE.
625	7	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 624. Head faced upwards. Only skull exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
626	7	Skull	Supine inhumation. Head faced NE. Skull only exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE. Lay in mass grave 589.

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627	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Diffuse interface with surrounding deposits. Fill of grave 629.
628	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 629. Skull in fragments. Arms straight with hands to inside of proximal ends of femurs and over pelvis. Lower left arm and lumbar vertebrae disturbed by modern disturbance. Long bone epiphyses un-fused. Juvenile/sub adult individual.
629	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 628.
630	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand with occasional inclusions of degraded wood from coffin 632. Fill of grave 633.
631	7	Skeleton	Skull of extended supine inhumation within grave cut 633. Badly damaged, in fragments. Rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
632	7	Coffin	Degraded remains of wooden coffin.
633	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 631. Continued beyond limit of excavation to SE.
634	7	Skull	Disarticulated skull in modern disturbance.
635	7	Skull	Disarticulated skull, long bones and carpals in modern disturbance.
636	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mid grey brown sand with occasional lumps of clay. Same as 588. Fill of mass grave 589. Given distinct number for purpose of sampling. Deposit taken from around skeleton 637.
637	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 589. Head faced south. Only skull, cervical vertebrae and shoulders exposed. The rest of skeleton beyond the limit of excavation to the SE. Neck of skeleton twisted through 180 degrees and in unusual position. Partially overlies skeleton 639.
638	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mid grey brown sand with occasional lumps of clay. Same as 588. Fill of mass grave 589. Given distinct number for purpose of sampling. Deposit taken from around skeleton 639.
639	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 589. Head faced south. Only skull, cervical vertebrae, shoulders and both humerus were exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE. Partially underlies skeleton 637. Skeleton buried on an angle so that left shoulder was higher than the right.
640	7	Grave fill	Soft light brown sand. Fill of grave 642.
641	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 642. Left arm straight with hand by proximal end of left femur. Skull damaged. Right arm, hand and femur mostly truncated either by grave 583 or modern disturbance. Juvenile individual.
642	7	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 641.
643	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 589. Head faced south. Only skull, cervical vertebrae, shoulders and humerus exposed, rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation to the SE.
644	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mid grey brown sand with occasional lumps of clay. Same as 588. Fill of mass grave 589. Given distinct number for purpose of sampling. Deposit taken from around skeleton 643.
645	7	Grave fill	Moderately compact mid grey brown sand with occasional lumps of clay. Same as 588. Fill of mass grave 589. Given distinct number for purpose of sampling. Deposit taken from around skeleton 646.
646	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 589. Skull badly damaged. Arms straight. Hand bones very degraded. Skeleton near complete, with skeleton below distal ends of femurs beyond limit of excavation to SE.
647	7	Grave fill	Backfill of grave.
648	7	Skeleton	Skeleton within grave cut 649, suffered some minor damage to ribs and the top of the right pelvis. Skull and mandible removed by services. Feet extend very slightly in baulk.
649	7	Grave cut	Linear cut.
650	7	Grave fill	—
651	7	Skeleton	Skeleton within grave cut 653 positioned with both arms placed to the sides with hands below the pelvis.
652	7	Coffin	Six coffin nails found although there was no signs of timber present.
653	7	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 651b. Cut is truncated on the east side by a modern service cut.
654	7	Grave fill	Back fill of grave cut 656.
655	7	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 656.
656	7	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 655.
657	8	Grave fill	Back fill of grave cut 659.



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658	8	Skeleton	Supine inhumation within grave cut 659.
659	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 658.
660	8	Grave cut	Cut for skeleton 661.
661	8	Skeleton	Skull record in loe section. Within grave cut 660.
662	8	Grave fill	Backfill of grave cut 660.
663	8	Grave fill	Soft sandy, mid grey brown deposit. Deposit interface clearly defined. Occasional stone inclusions. Truncated from above and to the west of modern services. Fill of grave 665 containing skeleton 664.
664	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 665 E-W aligned and almost completely truncated away by later cut to east and from above by a recent type filled pit. Only lower legs and feet remain with fractures observed in several places. A pelvis lies adjacent to the left foot which may have possibly belonged to skeleton 664 and re-deposited when the grave was disturbed.
665	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 664. Truncated from above and to the east by modern disturbance.
666	7	Grave fill	Fill of cut 668. Soft sandy mid brown with darker grey brown around ribs. Interface clear.
667	7	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Head is displaced and is laying face down. The base of the skull is oriented to the NE and the skull faces the S. Lower jaw and underside of skull absent. Arms positioned by the sides of the body. Within coffin 675 and cut 668 covered by backfill (666).
668	7	Grave cut	Grave cut. Cut was truncated by service cut to the east and contains coffin 675 and skeleton 667.
669	8	Grave cut	Grave cut. Contains skeleton 670.
670	8	Skeleton	A: extended supine inhumation. Juvenile. Within cut 669. Head on left side — facing N. Hands placed on pelvis. Skeleton appears complete. B: lower legs of a supine inhumation laid flat within cut 669b. Tibular and fibular measure 0.16m long suggesting it is a child burial.
671	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 669. A fine sandy deposit, pale yellow with occasional small pebble/stone inclusions. Deposit interface is not clear.
672	8	Grave cut	Imperceptible grave cut for 673.
673	8	Skeleton	Extended supine near complete skeleton within grave cut 672. Skull missing — likely truncated by sewer cut. Left humerus truncated. Left and right extremities of pelvis also damaged. R femur missing. Both arms lying either side of the rib-cage, with right hand lying over the sacrum. Left hand disturbed but positioned beside pelvis down the left side of the body. Both feet oriented towards the left side of cut. Skeleton 673 overlies grave 676 and coffin 677. Coffin 677 is angled slightly more northward than skeleton 673.
674	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 674. A soft yellow/mid brown sandy deposit. Fill of grave 672.
675	8	Coffin	Remains of coffin seen as dark grey brown in section. Only the left side of the coffin survives but preservation was poor.
676	8	Grave cut	Grave cut containing coffin 677 and skeleton 696.
677	8	Coffin	Coffin contains skeleton 696. The western extent has been truncated by a modern sewer.
678	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 676 containing skeleton 696. Soft sandy yellow/mid brown deposit.
679	8	Skull	Top of skull only — mandible and maxilla absent within graveyard soil 680.
680	8	Layer	—
681	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 683. A moderate sandy mid grey brown deposit with occasional bone, small stones and nails. Truncated from above and to the west by services.
682	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 683. Left hand lies on right pelvis. Right hand lies to the right of the right femur with fingers partially underlying femur. Left femur appears to have been broken at some point and appears deformed. Truncated from the lumbar vertebrae to skull by modern cut.
683	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 682.
684	8	Skull	Disarticulated skull.
685	8	Layer	Layer of dark brown sand mixed with demolition debris.
686	8	Layer	Deposit of sand containing occasional stone inclusions — probably re-deposited overlying a heavy band of brown sand (687).
687	8	Layer	A loose brown sand with few inclusions. Truncated at northern end of Area 8. Old ground surface.
688	8	Layer	A loose light brown sandy deposit with occasional stone inclusions.
689	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 692. A loose mottled light to mid-brown sand with occasional sandstone, rounded pebbles and re-deposited bone.

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690	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 692. Skull partially collapsed. Front of pelvis damaged. Hands slightly disarticulated. Located on top of a thin poorly preserved coffin layer. Probably disturbed by later grave 911.
691	8	Coffin	Coffin with lid. Lid has sunken down over fabric and is very degraded but still <i>in situ</i> . Bones clearly visible through lid. Coffin nails uncovered. Base of coffin destroyed during removal of the skeleton. Coffin in grave cut 692.
692	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 692.
693	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 695. A medium to loose light brown sand containing occasional stone (one stone with mortar adhering) and disarticulated human bone.
694	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 695. Juvenile. Skull and cervical vertebrae missing. Vertebrae dislodged at the lower part of ribcage.
695	8	Grave cut	Cut for grave. Containing skeleton 694 and fill 693.
696	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 676. Skeleton heavily truncated. Only lower legs (left and right tibia/fibula) and feet survive. The feet are turned to the right with the left foot turning under the right foot. Overlies skeleton 698.
697	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 698.
698	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 697. Damage to rib and pelvis. Left leg and left arm are not present.
699	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 701 and skeleton 700. A light brown sandy deposit.
700	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 701. Right fibula is missing. Both tibias have sustained damage. Meta-tarsal's and possibly phalanges of left foot appear to overlay the right foot slightly — only at inferior part of the right foot metatarsals.
701	8	Grave cut	Cut for grave has been disturbed at western end by service cut. Filled by 700. Cut by 046.
702	8	Layer	—
703	8	Bone	—
704	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 710. Head to west. Bone in good condition. Left humerus disarticulated (cut by 697). Arms disturbed. Right arm straight by side. Lies beneath 629. Legs straight (cut by 697). Head torso, pelvis and upper femur in good condition and present left arm (ulna and carpals) and hand not <i>in situ</i> . Child approx. 2 years.
705	8	Grave fill	Fill of 707. Mid grey brown sandy deposit of moderate consistency. Occasional bone inclusions.
706	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 707. Hands across pelvis. Arms are tight against the body indicating probable shroud burial. Bone in fairly good condition although skull heavily truncated. Several bones are obviously un-fused and thinness of the bones indicate a probable teenager/older child. Vertebrae is slightly curved around lumbar region, however this may be post depositional movement.
707	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 706.
708	8	Skull	Disarticulated skull
709	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 710. Mid grey brown sand.
710	8	Grave cut	Grave cut. Contains skeleton 704.
711	8	Skull	Re-deposited and damaged cranium at north end of Area 8. Skull has no jaw and is missing parts.
712	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 714 and skeleton 713. Light brown sand with dark brown and black patches in areas close to the skeleton.
713	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 714. Skull and right arm are missing. Much of the bone broken but still <i>in situ</i> . Left foot overlies the right foot slightly at phalanges. Pelvis and lower body is at an angle compared to upper body. Body is of a juvenile.
714	8	Grave cut	A grave cut could not be identified.
715	8	Grave fill	Loose medium brown sand filling grave 717.
716	8	Skeleton	Single disarticulated foot within grave cut 717, truncated to the west by modern service cut and to the south by grave 692.
717	8	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 716 in grave fill 715.
718	8	Skull	Disarticulated skull. Bone in good condition with all teeth directly overlying 720.
719	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 697. Light brown sand with patches of darker sand near the bones.
720	8	Skeleton	Feet only, both of which are missing part or all of their phalanges. A service pipe truncated the phalanges and the burial underlies a deposit of re-deposited un-stratified bone. Feet angled slightly inwards.



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721	8	Grave cut	Severely truncated grave cut containing only feet, upper part of cut was also truncated with disarticulated bones and skulls directly overlying. Overlay cut for grave 803 with skeleton 802.
722	8	Grave fill	Severely truncated grave cut containing only feet, upper part of cut was also truncated with disarticulated bones and skulls directly overlying. Overlay cut for grave 803 with skeleton 802.
723	8	Coffin	Rectangular coffin containing well preserved bone 724. Coffin slopes from w to e. Lid collapsed over skeleton . Grain clearly visible.
724	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 725. Lower legs truncated by modern cut.
725	8	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 724 in coffin 723.
726	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 727. Not clearly visible. No traces of coffin.
727	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 728. Only legs survive. Truncated to west side by modern sewer cut. Hand bones were buried very close to rib of left femur. It is not certain that they belong with this skeleton . Only ankles were visible.
728	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 726.
729	8	Grave fill	A moderate mid grey brown sand with occasional stone inclusions. Grave fill of 731.
730	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 731. Truncated to west by sewer cut, only the feet survive. Right foot is slightly higher than left. A copper pin found with the feet indicates a probable shroud burial.
731	8	Grave cut	No visible cut so shape is assumed. Cut of skeleton 730.
732	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 734 and skeleton 733. Soft mid tan silty sand.
733	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 734. Skull is tilted slightly to the right and the face is turned upwards. Right arm in straight position with hand up against the side of the pelvis. Left arm is flexed with hand placed palm down.
734	8	Grave cut	Grave cut difficult to define
735	8	Skull	Disarticulated skull.
736	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 737. Only lower legs and feet preserved. Remainder cut away by modern sewer cut. Feet are close together. Left put slightly over right foot.
737	8	Grave cut	Cut for grave containing skeleton 736. Truncated to west by modern cut.
738	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 737 with skeleton 736. Very fine beach sand with no inclusions.
739	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 741.
740	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 741. Lower legs of truncated adult. Both fibula, tibia and foot bones intact although the toes are nearly touching the service pipe and may be slightly disturbed as one or two disarticulated toe bones were found nearby.
741	8	Grave cut	Cut containing skeleton 740. Truncated to the west by services.
742	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 745. A loose medium brown sand with charcoal inclusions.
743	8	Coffin	Wooden coffin associated with skeleton 744. Tapers towards foot. Lid has collapsed onto body. Coffin nails uncovered.
744	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within coffin 743. Skull missing truncated by service cut. Arms extended by side. Legs extended and uncrossed.
745	8	Grave cut	Grave cut containing coffin 743. Cut of grave not visible in plan. Filled by skeleton 744.
746	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 749. A moderate to soft mid-grey/ brown sand with occasional bone and stone inclusions.
747	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 749. Skull facing south. Arms flat against side, left hand laid straight against side, right hand overlies right femur. Legs straight. Adult burial.
748	8	Coffin	Coffin containing skeleton 747.
749	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for burial 747. Cut narrows towards west to 0.4m.
750	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 752. Sand with some staining especially around bones of 751 but without a clear interface.
751	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 752. Fibias, tibias and feet intact as well as fragments of left femur, the rest of the burial was truncated by service cuts to the west. All feet bones recovered.
752	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 751.

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753	8	Grave cut	Cut for grave. No coffin. Cut from natural white light yellow windblown sand. Western extent truncated by cut. Eastern extent not clearly visible. Underlies skeleton 727 (adjacent to north) and is adjacent to skeleton 736 to north.
754	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 753. Lower legs only. Cut away by modern cut for sewer to west. Feet close together. Right foot under left foot.
755	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 753 containing skeleton 754. A fine light yellow sand with small pebble inclusions.
756	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 758. A soft mid grey brown slightly silty sand.
757	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 758. Skull missing. Only left humerus present. No arm on right. Legs straight and feet present. Bone very wet, crumbly and degraded. Right arm and left ribs may have been truncated. Hands removed. Juvenile -- estimated age 2 years.
758	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 757. Truncated to the south. Overlying grave 734.
759	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 761. Loose mid brown homogenous sand deposit with re-deposited bone inclusions.
760	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 761. Truncated to west by services. Slightly disarticulated hands to the left and right of the pelvis. Fibias and tibias run under baulk to east but were recovered by pulling them out of section, leaving any feet bones <i>in situ</i> .
761	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 760. Imperceptible cut. Truncated at west by services.
762	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 764 for skeleton 763.
763	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 764. Left hand beneath left pelvis and top of left femur. Right arm also extended and parallel to body with right hand resting beside top of right femur. Bone in very good condition (although some cracks around epiphyses of long bones, ribs and left area of pelvis). Skull is absent, truncated by cut for sewer. Lower legs beyond limits of excavation. Disarticulated long bone over left patella indicates the area of the grave has also been disturbed. A single stone 0.10 X 0.05 X 0.05 Lies over the lumbar vertebrae at bas of rib cage.
764	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave for skeleton 763. Truncated to w by cut for sewer (which has removed 763's skull).
765	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 767. A loose brown sand.
766	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 767. Heavily truncated. Right arm all that is left <i>in situ</i> .
767	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 766.
768	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 769.
769	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 768. Only legs survive. Cut to the west by modern cut. Pelvis not present. Feet (extended) run into west facing section. No cut is clearly visible. Skeleton 727 is adjacent to the north. Coffin 772 is adjacent to the south.
770	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 768 containing skeleton 769. A fine light yellow white sand.
771	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave for skeleton 773b..
772	8	Coffin	Remains of coffin. Poorly preserved wood. Lid has collapsed onto mid torso. Sides are very thin sheets of wood. Several coffin nails recovered.
773	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 771. Skull is truncated by modern cut to the west. Arms are by side, flush with coffin. Right arm and hand are slightly under pelvis on side. Vertebrae is fragile. Pelvis has been slightly dislodged. Remains of coffin lid perceptible.
774	8	Grave fill	Deposit. Light brown sand.
775	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 778. Soft dark tan silty sand with gravel inclusions.
776	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 778. Head and upper torso missing truncated by modern cut. Left arm up against side of coffin. Only humerus <i>in situ</i> . Right humerus at angle to body. Legs straight, feet may be only partially present. Bone fairly friable. Truncated by modern cut to the west and by 734 to the south.
777	8	Coffin	Coffin survives only on north side as a thin line of wood. Slight stain seen for base. Two coffin nails uncovered at foot of coffin.
778	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave. Skeleton 776.
779	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of 781. A loose light yellow sand with patches of silty black.
780	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 781. Truncated to west by services and with fibias and tibias running into baulk at east. As well as small size the ends of the longer bones are un-fused. The hands join over the pelvis and not all the bones could be assigned to one side or the other, the right leg is slightly lower than the left.
781	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 780.
782	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 785. A loose medium brown sand.
783	8	Coffin	Lid partially surviving. Rectangular aligned E-W with 3 coffin nails. Within cut 785 and contains skeleton 784. Cuts 792 on the south side.



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784	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 785. Skull facing to the south. Arms extended by side, hands under pelvis. Left femur disturbed. The feet are pointing to the south. Within coffin 783b and cut 785b.
785	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 784.
786	8	Grave cut	Imperceptible cut. No cut identified.
787	8	Grave fill	Fill of cut 789. Similar to natural sand with some silt and staining around the bones but without a clearly perceptible interface.
788	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 789. Truncated above femurs by services to the west. Left humerus missing. Left fibula snapped. Feet extend east under baulk but were recovered during excavation.
789	8	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 788.
790	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 786. A soft yellow brown sand with gravel inclusions (<2%).
791	8	Skeleton	Skeleton located on left side of grave cut 793. Legs flexed, arms flexed, right hand on pelvis, left hand on ribcage. Head facing nw. Feet close together. Skeleton 791 part of a double burial with baby skeleton 792 immediately to the nw. Possibly died in child birth/early life.
792	8	Skeleton	Juvenile. Located on right side of grave cut 793. Lower body from lumbar vertebrae truncated. Right arm and ribs also truncated (from 734 above). Left arm by side. No right arm. Skull very thin and fragmentary. Rest of bone fragile. Located in double burial with (mother) adult skeleton 791. Skeleton facing each other on side. Newborn?
793	8	Grave cut	Grave cut of burials 791 and 792.
794	8	Grave fill	Grave fill of skeleton 796.
795	8	Coffin	Coffin not seen.
796	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 797. Skull faced up. Arms straight and uncrossed. Legs straight. Ankles together.
797	8	Grave cut	Cut for grave containing skeleton 796.
798	8	Grave fill	Fill of cut 800 for skeleton 799.
799	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 800. Juvenile. Skull and right clavicle truncated by sewer cut. 0.24m wide at shoulders. Left patella not <i>in situ</i> , right patella absent. Ends of long bones have not yet fused. Hands lie beside upper femurs (hands and arms straight). Bone in mixed condition, some in good condition but much of smaller bones fragmented.
800	8	Grave cut	Cut not discernible — presumably rectangular in plan. Truncated by cut of modern service. Cut contains skeleton 799 adjacent to cut 764 to the south.
801	8	Grave fill	Fill of cut 803.
802	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 803. Juvenile. Truncated to west. Pelvis and above previously destroyed. No sign of fingers. Long bones un-fused.
803	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave for skeleton 802. Truncated at west by services.
804	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 807. A moderate light grey brown sand with occasional stone inclusions.
805	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 807. Truncated to the west from top of femurs above. Some finger bones survive on the side of the left femur suggest hand laid over the top of thigh. Feet are straight with toes upwards. Legs straight although lower legs and feet slope down to east. Burial slightly overlies skeleton 806 but does not truncate suggesting they may have been buried together.
806	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 807. Truncated above the pelvis by a sewer cut. Left hand on outside upper leg. Right hand rests on upper right leg. Legs and feet straight with feet up against side of cut 807. Skeleton appears to be an adult. Burial slightly underlies skeleton 805 and it is possible they were buried at the same time as they share a grave cut and do not truncate each other. Directly overlies burial 827 but does not truncate.
807	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for multiple burials — 805, 806, 826 and 827. Truncated from above and on the north side by grave cut 749. Truncated away to west by sewer.
808	8	Skull	Disarticulated skull within grave 785.
809	8	Grave fill	Fill of cut 811. A soft light brown sandy deposit.
810	8	Skeleton	Upper ends of femurs exposed at base of cut for sewer. Upper body has presumably been truncated away by same cut. Rest of skeleton beyond limit of excavation. Exposed bones surveyed and left <i>in situ</i> .
811	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave for skeleton 810. Cut not visible.
812	8	Coffin	Remains of a disturbed coffin, heavily decayed and truncated by 725. The wood on the south side of the coffin was fairly well preserved. Two coffin nails (one aligned N-S) and the other aligned E-W were observed on the coffin. No human remains were found to be associated with the coffin — it is likely that they were encountered in disarticulated channel in the grave above 722, skeleton 724.
813	8	Grave fill	Fill of pit 814. A soft greyish brown sand.

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814	8	Grave cut	Rectangular pit located beneath coffin 723 and cut by 725. The pit was observed at a depth of 1.55m but was unexcavated as it extended below the limit of excavation. It lay directly beneath coffin remains 723 but two features did not appear to be directly related.
815	8	Skeleton	Articulated foot. No cut or rest of body survive.
816	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 819. A loose light brown sand with bone inclusions.
817	8	Coffin	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 819. Arms by sides, some disarticulation of finger bones. Face inclined to left (to the north). Bones of femurs down to feet surviving. Some disturbance to left foot. Feet oriented such that right foot is turned outwards on its side slightly while left foot is quite flat.
818	8	Skeleton	Poorly preserved coffin. Wood decayed to peat. No lid, only faint traces of base. Sides partially preserved along edges but not as far as the base. Truncated to west by services.
819	8	Grave cut	Rectangular cut containing skeleton 817. Truncated at west by services.
820	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 822. A loose light brown sandy deposit.
821	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 822. Severely truncated adult skeleton. All right side is truncated with the exception of the right toes. Left foot present.
822	8	Grave cut	Surveyed as unreal edge though its possible there is no cut here and 821 was buried with 824.
823	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 825. Loose light brown sand. Shroud pin uncovered.
824	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 825. Truncated above hips. No trace of hands or arms. Overlying grave cut 822. Truncated right shin. Shroud pin found on left pelvis. Feet bones <i>in situ</i> .
825	8	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 824.
826	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 807. Truncated from the knee up to the west by modern sewer cut. Left foot truncated at the toes by grave cut 749. Legs are straight though appear to be turned slightly towards the south. Juvenile. Burial below skeleton 805 and within the same grave cut.
827	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 807. Truncated above the knees by sewer cut. Legs are laid straight with feet touching. Burial appears to be an adult or teenager. Lies directly below 806 and was probably buried at the same time as within same grave cut.
828	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 831. A soft light brown sand with frequent loose bone and occasional sub-angular stone inclusions.
829	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 831. Skeleton above lumbar vertebrae truncated by modern cut. Left hand resting over sacrum. Right hand bones beside top of right femur (partial only and lower right arm absent). Right lower leg bones disturbed with patella and tibia lying at right hand side of coffin. Feet <i>in situ</i> . Toes pressed up against the foot of coffin suggesting a tight fit for the body.
830	8	Coffin	Wood. Lid collapsed into grave and largely decayed. Side intact. Base partially decayed. Truncated to west by modern cut. Surviving to a thickness of 0.6 cm. Coffin nails recovered along side of coffin, two at corners, one midway between them.
831	8	Grave cut	Cut, largely defined by coffin 830. Cut lies over 809 backfill for unexcavated skeleton 810 at limit of excavation.
832	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 835. Mid grey brown sandy deposit. Unexcavated.
833	8	Skeleton	Unexcavated burial assumed to be in coffin 834.
834	8	Coffin	South and east sides of coffin visible from above. Unexcavated.
835	8	Grave cut	Unexcavated assumed cut for coffin 834.
836	8	Grave fill	Fill of grave 838. Loose pale brown sandy deposit.
837	8	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 838. Skull face up. Arms crossed with hands on pelvis. Legs extended. Legs crossed at ankle with left foot over right. Tibia 0.3m long. Possible juvenile.
838	8	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 837.
839	10b	Cut	Service cut.
840	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 842. Loose black/brown/yellow mottled sand with occasional seashell inclusions.
841	9b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 842. Severely truncated and disturbed adult or sub-adult skeleton. Spine is largely present though disturbed from <i>in situ</i> position. Hands appear to have been at pelvis although they are too disturbed to identify both. Fragments of lower right arm found.
842	9b	Grave cut	Imperceptible cut. Severely truncated grave cut into dark graveyard soil. Unreal edges surveyed.
843	9b	Grave cut	Cut from grave containing coffin 844.
844	9b	Coffin	Fairly decayed coffin lid still visible in patches. Coffin sides still surviving but very thin. Fixing nails still present 0.16m apart along sides of coffin. Appears to be quite a tight fitting coffin – tibias against coffin sides.



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845	9b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 843. Cut by two sets of services. Only surviving bones are tibiae, fibulae and feet bones. Both feet curving inwards slightly. Skeleton located inside coffin 844.
846	9b	Grave fill	Fill of coffin 844. Soft light brown sandy deposit with included coffin remains.
847	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave construction cut 843. A soft light brown/mottled sandy deposit.
848	9b	Layer	Thick relatively clean homogenous deposit. Appears to begin on the east side of constitution street mid-way through Area 9 outside no. 133.
849	9b	Coffin	Remains of foot of coffin with some foot bones. Truncated by service cut to west.
850	9b		N/A
851	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 853. A loose grey brown sand.
852	9b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 853. Juvenile. Remains have been disturbed along the left side where a number of disarticulated bones (mainly ribs were recovered). Arms were placed by sides with hands by hips. Left shoulder and humerus missing along with left ribs. Spine appears to be present but is slightly disturbed in lumbar region.
853	9b	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 852.
854	9b	Coffin	Remnants of wooden coffin in grave 856 containing skeleton 855. Coffin nails survive <i>in situ</i> along upper edge of eastern head. Base preserved only as a thin dark patch.
855	9b	Skeleton	Feet only and right lower tibia and fibula. Right tarsals flush with side. Badly disturbed by wood cut.
856	9b	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 855 in coffin 854. Only eastern side clear. Disturbed by modern cuts.
857	9b	Grave fill	Fill of coffin 854. Fine light brown sandy fill of grave 856. Very few inclusions and big sub angular stone.
858	9b	Cut	Sub rectangular shallow cut truncated to west by service cut. Disarticulated bones recovered from fill. Possibly modern.
859	9b	Fill	—
860	9b	Layer	—
861	9b	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 880.
862	9b	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 880.
863	9b	Grave cut	Cut of grave. Skeleton not encountered. Below lower limit of excavation. Grave cut containing skeleton 889.
864	9b	Grave cut	Cut of grave. Skeleton not encountered. Below lower limit of excavation.
865	9b	Grave cut	Truncated grave cut containing remains of coffin 878 and skeleton 866.
866	9b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 865. Appears to be the skeleton of a child. Skull damaged during modern excavations. Left arm missing/displaced also left scapula and clavicle. Later cut has truncated the skeleton from lower vertebrae downwards to the east. Only upper part of right humerus intact.
867	9b	Grave fill	Grave deposit lying in and around skeleton 866. A loose dark brown sand. Fill of grave 865.
868	9b	Grave cut	—
869	9b		N/A
870	9b	Grave cut	—
871	9b	Grave cut	—
872	9b	Grave cut	Grave cut that is truncated heavily to the east by a modern cut. There is also a small area of stones/cobbles that appear to overlie the north side of the cut causing disturbance — stone spread 887. Very partial remains of a coffin are visible at the north west corner of the cut and two coffin nails also recorded at west end — coffin 883. Part of disturbed pelvis overlying grave but no skeleton /bones <i>in situ</i> .
873	9b	Grave cut	—
874	9b	Grave cut	—
875	9b	Grave cut	—
876	9b	Grave cut	Heavily truncated cut for grave. Only the western most 0.15m survives due to later cut. Depth difficult to define but coffin nails identified at 0.3m depth.
877	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 876. Heavily truncated to east by modern cut. A soft light brown sand. Coffin nails located at depth of 0.3m.
878	9b	Coffin	Very decayed coffin. No structural integrity remaining, only very thin woody deposits around skeleton. Truncated to the east by later cut.

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879	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 861 overlying 880. A compact pale yellow brown sand with very occasional charcoal.
880	9b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 861. Arms by sides. Head turned to south. Truncated by service trench on eastern side – cuts through femurs mid-way.
881	9b	Layer	Structural remains. Sub angular and sub rounded stones typically 0.15 x 0.1 x 0.07m, though up to 0.2 x 0.15 x 0.1m on occasion. Appears to form rough cobbled surface with occasional patches of compacted gravel rich sand (mortar) over and in between larger stones. Survival somewhat patchy – appears to have been part of a larger surface laid directly over some of the graves – occasional long bones protrude through surface.
882	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 872. Truncated to east by modern cut. A soft light brown sand containing small bones.
883	9b	Coffin	Only the north east corner of the coffin survives, barely perceptible. Coffin nail recovered from that corner also.
884	9b	Grave fill	Fill of cut 886 containing skeleton fragments of skull and pelvis of 885. A fine light brown sand.
885	9b	Skeleton	Skull deposited in cut 886. Possibly second skull below at base. Both fragmentary. Part of pelvis between two skulls.
886	9b	Grave cut	Cut containing skeletal remains 885.
887	9b	Layer	Spread of five stones/cobbles partially overlying north side of grave 872. Possibly same stone spread as 881.
888	9b	Grave fill	A soft sand backfill to grave cut 863. A soft light brown yellow fine sand.
889	9b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Skull at west end slightly raised and facing south. Arms are laid to the side left lower arm just over pelvis. Only upper part of right femur survives. Rest of lower body is cut by service cut. Within cut 863.
890	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 869. A soft light brown yellow sand with occasional stone and disarticulated bone present.
891	9b	Fill	Fill of sub rectangular pit 838. A soft dark brown sand contains disarticulated bone.
892	9b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 864. Skeleton beyond lower limit of excavation.
893	9b	Grave cut	Grave cut. Likely to be grave cut continuation of either grave 761 or 781. Contains feet of skeleton 760b and skull 896. Also contains disarticulated skull fragments and long bones thus may have cut through graves 761 and 781.
894	—	—	N/A
895	—	—	N/A
896	—	—	N/A
897	9b	Grave cut	Truncated cut containing toe bones (skeleton 898) possibly eastern extremity of grave 752.
898	9b	Skeleton	Only toes bones remain. Appear to be <i>in situ</i> in grave cut 897. May be associated with skeleton 751.
899	9b	Grave fill	Mottled light brown sand deposit in grave cut 897.
900	8b	Layer	A layer of possible demolition material comprising large angular sandstone blocks to small stone mixed in with a white course lime mortar lumps and lumps of clay and dark brown sand. Up to 0.40m deep. Above layer 925.
901	8b	Grave fill	Fill of cut 903. A loose yellowy brown sand with occasional small pebbles.
902	8b	Skeleton	Human remains truncated by service cut. Only top section of skeleton remains.
903	8b	Grave cut	Cut not visible in plan. This grave cut truncates the lower feet section of grave 749. The northern edge of 749's coffin 748 had been removed during the process of burial. In addition the eastern half of the grave has been completely truncated by N-S service trench.
904	8b	Skull	Disarticulated cranium in backfill of grave 725b.
905	8b	Coffin	Remains of coffin identified in section 0.35m south of skeleton 817b. All that survives was a thin section of side and coffin nail. According to survey, it nearly aligns with south side of grave 819, however, 819 is 0.5m wide which is very wide for single burial. It may be that this coffin 905 and the cut recorded as south side of grave 819 represent a different burial to the one with skeleton 817 and 817b.
906	8b	Fill	A soft light brown fine sand. Fill of cut 907. Not excavated.
907	8b	Cut	A sub rectangular cut in plan with rounded corners truncated by previous excavations to the west side. Due to depth below the required depth not excavated.
908	8b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 911. Loosely compacted friable sand overlying skeleton 910, coffin 909 and deposited with unreal cut 911. Deposit and feature truncated by service trench. A friable light yellowish brown sand with very occasional small sub angular pebbles.
909	8b	Coffin	Only base of coffin survives <i>in situ</i> . Truncated at east by large service trench. Wood is very friable and fragmented. Coffin directly overlies 692.
910	8b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 911. Top half of skeleton. Lower section truncated by service trench. This overlies grave 692. Located within coffin base 909. Only left arm remains.



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911	8b	Grave cut	Cut for grave. Unreal edge. Cut for grave not seen due to high level of bioturbation in area. Coffin base underneath skeleton gives only indication of grave size. This grave is later than 692 and 924.
912	8b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 914. A soft light brown fine sand.
913	8b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 914. Right arm straight to side of pelvis. Left arm crossed over to right side just above the pelvis. Only upper joint section of femurs survives. Legs truncated by modern service cut.
914	8b	Grave fill	Grave cut for skeleton 913 and backfill 912. Cut not visible in plan. Located to the south of cut 911. Cuts graveyard soil.
915	8b	Skull	Disarticulated skull within fill of modern cut running N-S along length of excavated area. Only top and sides of skull surviving; no jaw or teeth etc attached or found nearby.
916	8b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 917. A moderate light yellowish brown sand with rare small sub-rounded pebbles.
917	8b	Grave cut	Heavily truncated grave cut. No skeletal remains found within cut and other cuts visible at depth of 0.27m
918	8b	Grave fill	A moderate light yellowish brown sand. Possible grave fill of 919.
919	8b	Grave cut	Rectangular corner of possible grave cut previously excavated to the west. No matching grave cut found on survey but may be too high to match up. Edge of cut defined by dark brown staining.
920	8b	Grave fill	A moderate light brown sand. Truncated fill of grave 921. Cut by modern service construction cut.
921	8b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 926.
922	8b	Grave fill	Fill of 924. A loose friable yellow sand.
923	8b	Skeleton	A single right leg within grave cut 924 – very bowed. No other skeletal remains uncovered.
924	8b	Grave cut	Cut of possible grave. Unreal cut.
925	8b	Layer	Possible turf layer. A thin layer of brown black sand located below the rubble/demolition layer 900. Runs under the bt cables and seems to run under the water pipe.
926	8b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation. Skeleton cut by modern services or construction trench below thoracic vertebrae and below humerus on arms. Skull is tilted back with mouth open; arms down by sides. Spine straight but rib cage and sternum are squashed to south/right hand side of body.
927	8b	Grave cut	Unexcavated cut of possible grave. Appeared in plan as rectangular. Beyond depth limit of excavation.
928	7b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 930 containing skeleton 929. A loose mottled light to dark brown sand with occasional stone inclusions.
929	7b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 930. Same as skeleton 661. Truncated by modern service cut below ribs. Head facing to right. Arms straight at sides. End of bones not yet fused. Two coffin nails found but only very ephemeral traces of coffin.
930	7b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 929. Same as 660.
931	7b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 933 containing skeleton 932. A loose dark brown sand.
932	7b	Skeleton	Disarticulated skull. Truncated, only skull and jaw remain. Head faces to the left.
933	7b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 932. Heavily truncated.
934	7b	Layer	Grave yard soil. Mottled dark and light brown sand with occasional sand and gravel.
935	7b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 937 and above skeleton 936. A soft mid brown sand with occasional angular stones.
936	7b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 937. Juvenile approximate 0.5m tall. Bones very fragile. Legs and arms are slightly turned to the south. Skull in poor condition.
937	7b	Grave cut	Cut for grave containing skeleton 936. Truncates upper part of grave cut 583b.
938	7b	Skull	Disarticulated skull. May be part of skeleton 940. Disturbed by grave 725.
939	7b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 942. A loose friable yellowish brown sand.
940	7b	Skeleton	Singular bone uncovered with related coffin 941. Bone is either the left humerus or tibia. Remains were not excavated due to limit of excavation depth.
941	7b	Coffin	Unexcavated remains of coffin within grave cut 942. Wood appears poorly preserved, very friable and appears to have been truncated by 725b.
942	7b	Grave cut	Cut of grave. Not excavated as beyond depth of excavation. Grave located at approximately 1.7m depth.
943	7b	Grave fill	Fill of possible grave 946. A friable, yellowish brown sand. Unexcavated.
944	7b	Skeleton	Single bone of small skeleton located within grave 946. Possible very small tibia or humerus. Unexcavated as beyond excavation depth.

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945	7b	Coffin	Unexcavated remains of coffin underlying 725b. Appears to be orientated E-W
946	7b	Grave cut	Unexcavated cut of possible grave located directly beneath cut 725b.
947	7b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 949. Truncated by later grave cut 921 at higher level. Fill covers skeleton 948. Modern trench removed eastern half of fill.
948	7b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 949. Arms by side. Left arm removed by cutting of grave 921 and right arm only exists to the humerus. Head facing right. Lower mandible cracked. Right ribcage appears splayed and left slightly crushed. Bones in a deteriorating state. Several ribs broke off during cleaning and became fragmented. A lot of dark staining surrounding rib cage and under skull. Skeleton slopes head to midriff.
949	7b	Grave cut	Grave cut located under grave 921.
950	7b	Grave fill	Fill of 952. Grave fill. A moderate light brown mottled sand with small rounded pebble inclusions.
951	7b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 952. Truncated beneath waist by later cut (ditch?). Skull tilted towards the north. No forearms present. Pelvis and legs have been truncated by later cut. No evidence of hand bones. Ribs, spine, upper arms, shoulder blades, clavicle present.
952	7b	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 951. Appears to cut the grave cuts of skeleton 566 and possibly the northern portion of skeleton 592.
953	—	—	N/A
954	7b	Skull	—
955	7b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 958. Soft light brown fine sand with occasional stone inclusions.
956	7b	Skeleton	Extended supine inhumation within grave cut 958. Skull is raised slightly and turned to the north. Both arms turned in to the pelvis with hands above the pelvis. Adolescent. Right hand, pelvis and legs truncated by modern cut. Grave cut earlier burial 620.
957	7b	Coffin	The coffin only survived as stains in the sand.
958	7b	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 956. Grave cut truncates an earlier burial skeleton 620 and cut 622.
959	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton has been heavily disturbed. Pelvis has fingers of right hand still <i>in situ</i> . Only femurs and knee caps are present of the lower legs.
960	7b	Skull	—
961	6b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 959.
962	6b	Grave fill	Yellow/grey sandy deposit.
963	6b	Skull	Disarticulated cranium in fill of large cut encountered in areas 9b – 6b. Cranium badly damaged and fragmentary. Cut is possibly modern although no associated services identified.
964	7b	Skull	—
965	7b	Skull	—
966	8b	Skeleton	Body positioned extended supine with truncated below the rib cage by a later cut. Left arm is also missing.
967	7b	Grave cut	—
968	8b	Grave cut	Imperceptible edge which maybe the same as cut 974. Grave cut for skeleton 966.
969	8b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 968 around skeleton 966.
970	8b	Coffin	Only evidence of the coffin found was one coffin nail.
971	8b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 973. Under grave cut 633 containing skeleton 631. A soft light yellow brown sand.
972	8b	Skeleton	Skull crushed with portions of cranium, maxilla and right radius absent. (Probably due to truncation by gr 633.) Fill of grave is strained in places around skeleton. Bone in mixed condition after lifting. Ribs, femurs and pelvis poor and very fragile.
973	8b	Grave cut	Cut of grave containing skeleton 972. Cut not visible. Truncated by grave 633 with skeleton 631's coffin lying directly over skeleton 972.
974	8b	Grave cut	Invisible cut given around skeleton 975.
975	8b	Skeleton	Skeleton truncated below the thoracic vertebrae. Right arm and scapula are missing, while left arm is truncated part way down the humerus. Skull positioned slightly to the left. Front of the mandible was visible while skeleton 966 was being excavated and it is also <i>in situ</i> . This possibly suggests that this was a multiple burial.
976	8b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 974.
977	8b	Skull	Disarticulated skull in backfill of the modern cut.



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978	7b	Grave fill	Fill in disturbed grave cut 967.
979	9b	Fill	Fill of ditch 980. Frequent disarticulated bone.
980	9b	Cut	Cut of ditch seen in Area 9b — 6b. The cut was steeply sloping and believed to be related to an unidentified service. 980 is truncated to the east by modern services so its original width and depth are unknown.
981	6b	Grave fill	Sandy fill of grave 983, covering skeleton 982.
982	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton severely disturbed by service trench as well as later graves.
983	6b	Grave cut	Grave cut heavily truncated by other later graves.
984	6b	Skull	Skull located in grave 988.
985	6b	Skull	Skull positioned over the chest of skeleton 987. The lower face and nasal cavity had not survived and the right side of the cranium had been truncated.
986	6b	Skull	Fragmented skull identified resting on the left arm of skeleton 987. Together with skeleton 984 formed a charnel deposit in grave 988.
987	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton identified with two charnel deposit skulls either side of its skull. It had been truncated by ditch 980, which slips towards and dropped into grave 471.
988	6b	Grave cut	Heavily disturbed cut for grave, which was truncated to waist by ditch 980. The grave had collapsed into the one below before slipping into ditch 980.
989	6b	Skull	Disarticulated skull with graveyard soil 989.
990	6b	Skull	Disarticulated half of skull with an opening at the top.
991	7b	Skull	—
992	7b	Skull	—
993	7b	Cut	Steep sided, flat based ditch, only western side of which was excavated. Same ditch as 980 (Area 6b).
994	7b	Fill	Fill of ditch 993. Contains a large amount of disarticulated human bone.
995	7b	Cut	Truncated ditch 993. (Same as 980)
996	7b	Fill	Backfill of service trench.
997	6b	Grave fill	Sandy grave cut by modern services. Fill of grave 999.
998	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton of juvenile with adult teeth contained within skull with baby teeth still present. Skull crushed and remainder of skeleton pushed down to slope W-E.
999	6b	Grave cut	Unseen cut for skeleton 998.
1000	6b	Grave fill	Brown/grey sandy silt backfill of grave 988.
1001	6b	Skeleton	Heavily disturbed fill from 979.
1002	6b	Grave cut	Unreal cut.
1003	7b	Grave fill	Medium brown homogenous sand fill of ditch 993. Contains coffin 1007 that appears to have collapsed into ditch 993, along with deposit 1003.
1004	7b	Skull	Cut of skeleton 592. Only skull remains with no discernible facial structure. Unidentifiable bone fragments found beside the skull, possible reburial.
1005	7b	Skeleton	Truncated by grave 605b. Very badly truncated skeleton with only pelvis and lower vertebrae remaining. Lower limbs later recovered from ditch cut 980, sealed by fill 979.
1006	7b	Grave cut	Imperceptible cut for skeleton 1005. Heavily truncated by 605b to the west and 933 to the east.
1007	7b	Coffin	Coffin discovered during excavation of slot through ditch 993. Coffin contained no bones and appears to have collapsed into ditch along with fill 1003, within which it is contained.
1008	6b	Coffin	Small fragments of coffin present along with three large coffin nails.
1009	6b	Grave cut	Unreal cut.
1010	6b	Grave fill	Grave 1043 truncated by ditch 980. Possibly within cut 589 (mass burial?)
1011	6b	Skeleton	—
1012	6b	Grave cut	—
1013	7b	Grave cut	Shallow cut that has been heavily truncated by grave cut above 568 (vertically above rather than stratigraphically). This truncation has removed all of the bone from the grave. Cut extends west into a previous phase of excavation, but was apparently not recovered or given a number.

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1014	7b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 1013.
1015	6b	Skull	Disarticulated skull lying against the service trench.
1016	6b	Skeleton	Remains of child with left hand ribs articulated, but the right ribs are disarticulated. No apparent relationship between 1011 and surrounding skeletons.
1017	6b	Skeleton	Body positioned with right arm laid at the side and the right hand placed upon the pelvis. Skeleton slopes down towards ditch 980, possibly slide during construction of this ditch.
1018	6b	Coffin	Brown sandy deposit mostly likely to be remains of the coffin of skeleton 1017.
1019	6b	Grave fill	Medium brown sandy fill of grave 1020.
1020	6b	Skeleton	Fragmentary burial of a child truncated by grave 1063. This truncation has left only the feet and left fibula <i>in situ</i> .
1021	6b	Grave cut	Imperceptible grave cut for skeleton 1020.
1022	6b	Grave fill	Yellow/brown silty sand deposit. Backfill of grave 1026.
1024	6b	Grave fill	Charnel deposit in grave 1026. Fragmented femurs and tibiae arranged around the upper body of skeleton 1025.
1025	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton of an adult male laid in an extended supine position with arms laid straight at the sides. Left shoulder appears raised with the skull resting upon it. Everything below the waist except for a small fragment of the right hip was truncated by ditch 980.
1026	6b	Grave cut	Cut of grave located east to the main N-S section sloping slightly to the east. It was uniform and regular up until it becomes truncated by ditch 980.
1027	6b	Skull	Skull was found without mandible and positioned upright and facing south.
1028	6b	Skull	Remains of disturbed skull. Face broken with fragments pushed inwards. The skull was positioned facing upwards.
1029	6b	Skull	Skull found with dislocated mandible east to 1030.
1030	6b	Skull	Skull found upright in an east facing position with the rest of the skeleton tilted towards the east, roughly at a 45 degree angle.
1031	6b	Skull	—
1032	6b	Grave fill	Sandy fill of grave 1034 surrounding skeleton 1033.
1033	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton positioned with the skull facing south with most of the lower body truncated by a modern cut.
1034	6b	Grave cut	Cut for grave containing skeleton 1033. It is sited south of grave 624b and north of area which appears to be devoid of graves.
1035	6b	Grave fill	Fill of grave cut 1036. This grave contained a large amount of disarticulated bone, which is probably associated with grave 427.
1036	6b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 1057.
1037	6b	Skull	Fragmented disarticulated skull.
1038	6b	Skull	Skull disarticulated from the rest of the skeleton by bt service cut. Positioned facing north lying on its left hand side.
1039	6b	Grave fill	Brown, silty sand backfill of grave 1042.
1040	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton truncated at the knees by a service trench and lays within what was a well preserved coffin 1041. Legs positioned parallel with feet hyper extended with the heels facing east.
1041	6b	Coffin	Well preserved coffin of grave 1042. Grave truncated to the south by a modern service trench and along the eastern side by ditch 980.
1042	6b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 1040. Truncated to the south by a service trench and to the east by ditch 980. Its also truncated E-W burial 1036.
1043	7b	Grave cut	Unreal edge cut for grave.
1044	7b	Grave fill	Sandy material overlying skeleton 1011.
1045	7b	Grave fill	Loose sandy deposit overlying skeleton 1046 within cut 1047.
1046	7b	Skeleton	Incredibly friable skeletal remains of skeleton, possibly mass burial cut 980.
1047	7b	Grave cut	Unreal edge oriented with skeleton 1046. This grave has been truncated by ditch 980. Cut of grave located beneath graves 574b and 626b.
1048	7b	Grave fill	—
1049	7b	Skeleton	Skeleton in mass grave 589. Both femurs sloping into ditch 980, legs not retrieved from behind the edge of the trench.
1050	7b	Grave cut	—



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1051	6b	Grave fill	Fill of grave 1053.
1052	6b	Skeleton	Adult skeleton positioned with left arm at the side with the right arm truncated. Skeleton appears to have slipped into ditch 980.
1053	6b	Grave cut	Cut for grave containing skeleton 1052.
1054	6b	Grave cut	Cut for grave.
1055	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton located to the south of skeleton 1059 and truncated by ditch 980.
1056	6b	Grave fill	Yellowish brown sandy backfill of grave 1054.
1057	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton laid with arms extended with right hand placed upon the pelvis and left hand by the side. Skull found with face forward. Ditch 993 truncates skeleton from below the pelvis.
1058	6b	Grave fill	Sandy deposit overlying skeleton 1059.
1059	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton appearing to be located within mass grave cut 589.
1060	6b	Grave cut	Cut of grave.
1061	6b		Dark brown sandy fill of grave cut 1063.
1062	6b	Skeleton	Tibia, fibula and patella are the only remains of this skeleton . Grave 1042 truncated the feet, while the upper body has been truncated by unknown cut.
1063	7b	Grave cut	Imperceptible grave cut for skeleton 1062.
1064	6b	Skeleton	Right arm, pelvis and fragmented top of femur are all that remain of this skeleton . Assumed part of 1064, but this is not definite.
1065	6b	Skeleton	Left fibula and foot remain from this skeleton due to truncation by either ditch 980 or the bt service cut.
1066	6b	Skeleton	Thoracic vertebrae and one right side rib are all that remain. Everything else was truncated by 1036. Grave 1069 was truncated by this one and lies to the east.
1067	6b	Grave cut	Grave truncated by 1068 to the west. Only a few ribs remain from this skeleton and were positioned flat on a level plane.
1068	6b	Grave cut	Grave cut of skeleton 1066.
1069	6b	Grave cut	Grave cut containing skeleton 1067.
1070	7b	Grave fill	Greyish/brown silty sandy backfill of grave 1068.
1071	6b	Grave fill	Greyish/brown silty sandy backfill of grave 1067.
1072	6b	Skull	Elongated skull found sitting upright and facing east. Elongation of the skull likely relates to hydrocephalous condition. It was positioned under the ribcage of 1046.
1073	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton located below 1060, 1059. This skeleton appears to have the pelvis of 637b underneath its left humerus.
1074	6b	Skull	Fragments of the back of a skull.
1075	6b	Fill	—
1076	6b	Cut	—
1077	5b	Skeleton	Heavily truncated adult burial. Infant burial skeleton 1084 inserted later.
1078	5b	Grave fill	Yellowish/brown sandy fill around skeleton 1078. Difficult to distinguish from surrounding natural.
1079	5b	Coffin	Only visible for 0.20cm along south edge as dark brown stain. No nails found.
1080	5b	Grave cut	Cut for grave skeleton 1077. Only clear along the south edge.
1081	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton laid on its back with the skull facing upwards. Right arm has been truncated below the lower arm, while the left forearm is resting over the pelvis.
1082	6b	Grave cut	U-shaped grave cut associated with cut 379 and skeleton 378.
1083	6b	Grave fill	Brown sandy grave fill of 1082.
1084	5b	Skeleton	Infant burial almost complete inserted within adult grave skeleton 1077, displacing pelvis and left leg.
1085	5b	Skeleton	Heavily truncated skeleton cut so that only the rib cage and right arm remain.
1086	6b	Skeleton	Body positioned with hands at its side. Lower legs missing due to truncation by ditch 993. Part of mass grave.
1087	6b	Skeleton	Skeleton positioned on its back with left arm at its side and right arm placed over its pelvis.

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1088	5b	Grave fill	Light brown sandy fill of grave 202b.
1089	5b	Coffin	Remains of coffin for skeleton 201b in grave 202b. Fragments of lid survive over the leg tibia and fibula bones of skeleton 201b.
1090	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton buried in a coffin which was truncated from the pelvis up by service pipes and grave 282b. The ankles appear to disappear into ditch 980, lying to the east. Coffin survived as a dark stain in the shape of the skeleton.
1091	5b	Coffin	Dark stain identified as decayed coffin in grave 1092.
1092	5b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 1092. Truncated by ditch 980 to the east, services to the north-west and grave 281b to the south-west.
1093	5b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 1085.
1094	6b	—	—
1095	5b	Skeleton	Charnel deposit in grave 281b. It rested against the southern long cut edge at an approximate 45 degree angle, facing NE. Possibly connected to skeleton 1090.
1096	5b	Grave cut	Cut containing skull 1097 and disarticulated bone.
1097	5b	Skull	Disarticulated bones and skull in cut 1096, truncating both skeleton 147b and skeleton 149b.
1098	5b	Grave fill	Mid-brown sandy fill of cut 1096.
1099	5b	Grave cut	Cut assumed to be connected with skeleton 1101.
1100	5B	Grave fill	Mid-grey/brown sandy deposit associated with skeleton 1101. It was truncated to the west by Area 5a and to the east by the street foundations.
1101	5B	Skeleton	Lumbar vertebrae, right pelvis, upper half of right femur and only the top half of the left pelvis survived. Finger bones were found over the right side of the pelvis. No remains recorded at this location in Area 5a.
1102	6B	Skull	Disarticulated skull found facing the ground with no other associated body remains <i>in situ</i> . Rear of skull in fragile state. Medium sized skull (0.20m x 0.13m x 0.10m)
1103	5B	Coffin	Truncated coffin for skeleton 158b. It survives as a dark stain in the sand and a coffin nail was found in the middle of the of the foot end of the base.
1104	4B	Skull	—
1105	5B	Grave fill	Greyish/brown silty sandy back fill of grave 1092. Truncated on its nw side, where the eastern side was truncated by ditch 980.
1106	5B	Grave fill	Yellow/brown sandy fill around infant skeleton 1084.
1107	5B	Grave cut	Grave cut for infant burial.
1108	6B	Grave fill	Yellowish/grey sandy fill of grave cut 379.
1109	6B	Skeleton	Skeleton of a young child resting upon its back with the skull resting upon its right shoulder. The feet appear to be truncated.
1110	5B	Skeleton	Left arm and upper ribcage are all that remain of this skeleton. The remains lie adjacent to a coffin stain, but there is no evidence to show if they are related.
1111	6b	Grave cut	Rectangular burial cut.
1112	6b	Grave fill	Brown sandy fill of 1111.
1113	5b	Grave fill	Dark brown sandy fill of grave 1115.
1114	5b	Skeleton	Adult burial with the skull facing the right and the lower body truncated by ditch 993. The right side of the skeleton appears to also have been truncated by another grave. Right hand present and sitting on the stomach, where the left hand is missing and would have sat on the pelvis.
1115	5b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 1114.
1116	5b	Grave cut	Grave cut for 1110. Truncated by coffin 1121 to the south and by services to the east.
1117	5b	Grave fill	Yellowish/grey silty sandy backfill of grave 1116.
1118	5b	Grave cut	Imperceptible cut for grave skeleton 1119.
1119	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton is in extended supine position with left arm missing and right arm at the side with right hand over right pelvis. Ditch cut 980 truncates the skeleton below the femurs.
1120	5b	Grave fill	Mid-brown sandy fill from around skeleton 1119.
1121	5b	Coffin	Degraded fragments of coffin with at least four nails attached.
1122	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton positioned upon its back with only torso and upper arms present.
1123	5b	Grave fill	Light brown sandy fill of grave 1138 (skeleton 1122).



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1124	5b	Grave cut	Shallow cut of grave with traces of coffin to the north, south, west and truncated to the east.
1125	5b	—	—
1126	5b	Grave fill	Mid-grey/brown sandy fill from inside coffin 1125 around skeleton 1127.
1127	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton positioned on its back with the skull turned to the right. Only the upper body is present with everything below the upper arms truncated by grave 1076.
1128	5b	Grave fill	Dark brown sandy deposit.
1129	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton laid in supine extension with left hand placed over pelvis, while the right hand has been truncated by ditch 980. Only the lumbar vertebrae, pelvis, sacrum and the left femur remain with a fragment of shoulder blade. An oyster shell was also present with this burial.
1130	5b	Grave cut	Cut for grave 1129.
1131	5b	Skeleton	Heavily disturbed adult burial, apparently truncated by and subsequently slumping into a pit from the south. The elements out side of the pit remain <i>in situ</i> with the right arm crossed over the body with the right hand upon the left hip. Bones found near sloping edge may be humerus and a fragment of femur?
1132	5b	Grave fill	Grave fill of cut 1133.
1133	5b	Grave cut	Grave cut for skeleton 1131.
1134	5b		Very steep sided post medieval/modern pit. Exact purpose unknown.
1135	5b		Virtual cut of skeleton 1122.
1136	4b	Cut	Cut.
1137	4b	Fill	Fill of cut 1136.
1138	5b	Grave cut	Virtual cut of skeleton 1122.
1139	5b	Skull	Disarticulated skull within ditch fill 1075.
1140	5b	Skull	Disarticulated skull found lying face down with jaw disarticulated.
1141	4b	Cut	Rectangular modern cut containing loose backfill.
1142	4b	Fill	Mid brown sandy deposit used to backfill trench. Fill of 1141.
1143	4b	Cut	Cut most likely for a service pipe. Fill of cut is truncated by 1141.
1144	4b	Fill	Grey/brown clay/sand fill of cut 1143.
1145	4b	Cut	Part of a larger cut that appeared in Area 4. Possibly a modern pit.
1146	4b	Grave fill	Sandy fill of 1145.
1147	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton above the pelvis has appeared to have slumped into pit cut 1134. Left ulna and radius have been lost, where the left femur is missing due to truncation by grave cut 1124.
1148	5b	Cut	Unreal.
1149	5b	Grave fill	Yellow/brown sandy deposit around skeleton 1147.
1150	5b	Grave cut	Imperceptible cut for skeleton 1151.
1151	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton of a child/infant with the head tilted to the right. Body disturbed by ditch 980 which may have caused the pelvis to slip into the ditch with right forearm and legs detaching away eastwards. Arms are positioned by the side and the body seems to be laid in the extended supine position.
1152	5b	Grave fill	Mid brown sandy fill of grave cut 1150.
1153	5b	Cut	Cut associated to large ditch seen in Area 5b.
1154	5b	Grave fill	Grave cut for 1155.
1155	5b	Skeleton	Left fibula found displaced and overlying over the right fibula. Skeleton was truncated by pit cut 1134.
1156	5b	Grave fill	Grey/brown silty sandy backfill of grave cut 1154.
1157	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton has been truncated and disturbed by bt service cut and pit cut 1134, leaving only the legs remaining. The skeleton lies within 1169.
1158	5b	Cut	Unreal.
1159	5b	Grave fill	Yellow/brown sandy silt deposit around skeleton 1157.

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1160	5b	Grave cut	—
1161	5b	Skeleton	—
1162	5b	Grave fill	—
1163	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton has been truncated by pit cut 1134, which has left only the legs remaining. The burial is located within ditch 1153 in the uppermost fill 1169.
1164	5b	Cut	Unreal.
1165	5b	Grave cut	Grave cut with ditch 980 lying to the east. No skeleton present.
1166	5b	Grave fill	Mid-brown sandy fill of grave 1165.
1167	5b	Cut	Pit like cut truncated by sk1129.
1168	5b	Fill	Brown sandy deposit.
1169	5b	Fill	Brown sandy silt deposit from fill of large ditch 1153, truncated to the south by pit/ditch 1134.
1170	5b	Fill	Yellowish brown deposit.
1171	5b	Fill	Grey/brown sandy silty deposit lying in section on northern side ditch 1153
1172	5b	Fill	Yellowish/brown sandy deposit associated with the northern side of ditch 1153.
1173	5b	Fill	Yellowish/brown silty sandy deposit that could be natural.
1174	5b	Fill	Greyish/brown sandy silt deposit associated with the excavated edge of ditch 1153.
1175	5b	Fill	Dark brown sandy silt deposit from the northern shoulder of ditch 1153.
1176	5b	Fill	Dark brown sandy silt sited in a small hollow at the top of the ditch. Forms a part of the dark section found in 1173.
1177	5b	Layer	Yellowish brown silty sand deposit which could possibly be natural,
1178	5b	Layer	Yellowish brown silty sandy deposit that could be natural.
1179	5b	Fill	Grey/brown sandy silty deposit. Forming the penultimate backfill of ditch 1153 and truncated by pit 1134.
1180	5b	Skeleton	Upper body of two skeletons lying within a single cut (skeleton 1181). Skeleton positioned lying facing left with head on the abdomen of lower body. The right side of the skeleton and lower body has been truncated by ditch 1076.
1181	5b	Skeleton	Lower of two bodies found within a single cut. Skeleton is positioned looking to the right with body 1180 resting upon its abdomen. Dark brown/black staining around the lungs and the legs are truncated by ditch 1076.
1182	5b	Grave fill	Yellowish brown sandy fill from around double burial 1183.
1183	5b	Grave cut	Cut for double inhumation. It has irregular sides clearly visible at the west end and indistinct elsewhere. No evidence of coffin or other container.
1184	5b	Skull	Crushed disarticulated skull sitting within 1075 in ditch 1076.
1185	5b	Fill	Yellowish brown sandy deposit forming backfill of pit 1134.
1186	5b	Fill	Yellowish brown sandy deposit forming part of the backfill system of pit 1134.
1187	5b	Fill	Yellowish brown silty sandy backfill deposit identified in pit 1134.
1189	5b	Skeleton	The upper portion of this skeleton has been truncate away and not recovered within the first stage, leaving the lower legs intact. Both feet are turned outwards suggesting that the body was laid apparently in an extended supine position. These remains were positioned in ditch fill 1159 with skeleton 1191 lying 0.4m to the south. The grave cut 1190 for skeleton 1189 was not visible.
1190	5b	Grave cut	Imperceptible grave cut for skeleton 1189.
1191	5b	Skeleton	Skeleton discovered within the backfill of ditch 1153 and truncated by pit 1134 from the lower thoracic vertebrae. Skull, ribs, upper thoracic vertebrae, upper right arm and half of left scapula recovered, along with the left hand.
1192	5b	Grave fill	Grey silty sandy backfill deposit of grave 1193, with truncation by pit 1134 to the south-west.
1193	5b	Grave cut	Grave cut of skeleton 1191.
1194	5b	Grave cut	Cut for coffin 222b.
1195	5b	Grave fill	Yellowish grey silty sandy backfill cut for coffin 222b.



Context	Area	Identity	Description
1196	5b	Grave fill	Brown sandy fill of grave 1190.
1197	5b	Fill	Greenish/brown clay/silt deposit from the backfill of ditch 1153.
1198	5b	Fill	Black silty deposit from ditch 1153.

Appendix 1.2 Drawing register

Drawing	Scale	Plan / Section	Description
010	1:10	S	E facing section of ditch cut 084
011	1:20	S	W facing section of Area 5
012	1:20	S	W facing section of Area 5 cont.
013	—	—	Matrix for contexts around cut 227
014	1:10	S	E facing section of ditch cut 270 + skeleton 188 & skeleton 207
015	1:20	S	W facing section of Area 6
016	1:20	S	W facing section at LOE of Area 6
017	1:20	S	W facing section of extended LOE of Area 6
018	1:20	S	W facing section at LOE of Area 7
019	1:20	S	W facing section of Area 8
020	1:20	S	W facing section of Area 9/10
021	1:20	S	W facing section of Area 11
022	1:20	P	Stone spread 881 with Grave cut 886, Area 9b
023	1:10	S	N facing section through cut 993
024	1:10	S	SE facing section of ditch cut 1153
025	1:10	S	NW facing section through ditch cut 1153

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Appendix 1.3 Photographic register

Film no. 2

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
030	—	—	ID shot film no. 2
031	—	NW	Test pit showing foundations of church boundary wall
032	43	N	Skeleton 43 with scale
033	43	N	Skeleton 43 with targets
034	40	W	Skeleton 40 with scale
035	40	W	Skeleton 40 with scale
036	40	W	Skeleton 40 with targets
037	40	W	Skeleton 40 with targets
038	40	N	Close up of head of skeleton 40 with targets
039	40	S	Close up of feet of skeleton 40 with targets
040	42	W	Cut 42

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
041	50	W	Coffin stain 49 and cut 50
042	51	N	Skeleton 51
043	48	S	Skeleton 48
044	48	S	Skeleton 48 with targets
045	51	S	Skeleton 51 with targets
046	50	W	Grave cut 50
047	57	S	Skeleton 57 with scale
048	57	S	Skeleton 57 with targets
049	54	S	Lower half of skeleton 54 with scale
050	54	E	Upper half of skeleton 54 with scale
051	54	S	Lower half of skeleton 54 with targets

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
052	54	S	Upper half of skeleton 54 with targets
053	54	E	Oblique shot of skeleton 54
054	60	W	Skeleton 60 with scale
055	60	W	Skeleton 60 with scale
056	60	W	Skeleton 60 with targets
057	63	W	Skeleton 63 with scale
058	63	S	Skeleton 63 with targets
059	64	W	Cut 64
060	67	S	Skeleton 67 with scale
061	67	S	Skeleton 67 with targets
062	—	N	General view of Area 3

Film no. 3

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
063	70	S	Skeleton 70 with scale
064	70	S	Skeleton 70 with targets
065	76	E	Skeleton 76 with scale
066	73	E	Deposit of large animal bones in ground surface 73
067	76	W	Skeleton 76 with targets
068	79	N	Skeleton 79 in cut 78 with scale
069	79	N	Skeleton 79 in cut 78 with targets
070	46	N	S facing section of cut 46 showing fill 83
071	84	S	Midden deposit 84 in centre of Area 3
072	86	W	Grave cut 86, possibly disturbed
073	89	NW	Skull 89, possibly disarticulated
074	90	S	Skull of skeleton 90 in cut 86
075	90	W	Skeleton 90 with scale
076	90	W	Skeleton 90 with targets
077	86	S	Post ex shot of cut 86 showing N facing section
078	93	W	Skeleton 93 in cut 91
079	93	W	Skeleton 93 in cut 91 with targets
080	94	—	Skeleton 94
081	94	—	Skeleton 94
082	94	—	Skeleton 94
083	94	—	Skeleton 94
084	96	W	Skeleton 96 with scale
085	96	W	Skeleton 96 with targets
086	84	W	Post ex shot of slot through ditch 84

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
087	84	E	Post ex shot of slot through ditch 84
088	84	W	E facing section of ditch 84
089	107	S	Skeleton 107 with scale
090	104	E	Skeleton 104 with scale
091	104	N	General view of skeletons 104 and 107
092	107	S	Skeleton 107 with targets
093	104	N	Skeleton 104 with targets
094	112	N	Skeletons 112 and 113 with scale
095	112	W	Skeletons 112 and 113 with scale
096	112	N	Skeletons 112 and 113 with targets
097	119	S	Skeleton 119 with scale
098	119	S	Skeleton 119 with targets

Film no. 4

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
099	—	—	ID shot film no. 4
100	122	S	Skeleton 122 with scale
101	122	S	Skeleton 122 with targets
102	115	S	Disarticulated skulls 115, 116, 117 from left to right
103	112	S	Grave 114 containing skeletons 112 and 113 with targets
104	112	S	Grave 114 containing skeletons 112 and 113 with scale
105	—	W	Working shot of S area, Area 4
106	113	N	Skeleton 113 with scale
107	113	S	Skeleton 113 with targets
108	117	W	Skeleton 117 with scale
109	117	NW	Skeleton 117 with scale
110	117	W	Skeleton 117 with targets
111	125	E	Truncated skeletons 125, 128, 131 with scale
112	128	W	Skeletons 128 and 131 with targets
113	125	W	Skeleton 125 with scale
114	134	S	Skeletons 134, 135 and 136 with scale
115	134	S	Skeletons 134, 135 and 136 with targets
116	135	S	Skeletons 135 and 136 with scale and targets
117	141	E	Section showing sewer and buried soil horizon 141
118	141	E	Section showing sewer and buried soil horizon 141
119	136	S	Skeleton 136 with scale and targets
120	143	S	Skeleton 143 with scale
121	143	W	Oblique shot of skeleton 143 with scale



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
122	143	S	Skeleton 143 with targets
123	145	S	Skeleton 145 with scale
124	145	S	Skeleton 145 with scale
125	145	S	Skeleton 145 with targets
126	147	S	Skeleton 147 with scale
127	147	S	Skeleton 147 with targets
128	—	W	Frontline test pit showing graveyard wall foundations
129	154	W	Skeleton 154
130	154	SE	Skeleton 154
131	154	E	Skeleton 154
132	154	S	Skeleton 154 with targets
133	158	S	Skeleton 158 with scale
134	158	S	Skeleton 158 with targets
135	151	S	Skeletons 151 and 152 with scale
136	151	W	Skeletons 151 and 152 with targets

Film no. 5

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
137	—	—	ID shot film no. 5
138	151	W	Skeletons 151 and 152 with targets
139	152	S	Skeleton 152 with scale
140	152	S	Skeleton 152 with targets
141	152	S	Upper skeleton 152 with targets
142	152	S	Lower skeleton 152 with targets
143	161	W	Skeleton 161
144	—	—	Void
145	161	W	Skeleton 161
146	161	S	Skeleton 161 and underlying skeleton 164
147	161	W	Skeleton 161 with targets
148	166	N	Skeleton 166 with scale
149	166	N	Skeleton 166 with scale
150	166	N	Skeleton 166 with targets
151	166	N	Lower skeleton 166 with scale
152	166	N	Upper skeleton 166 with scale
153	169	S	Skeleton 169 with scale and targets
154	167	W	Post ex shot of grave cut 167
155	172	S	Skeleton 172 with scale
156	172	W	Skeleton 172 with scale

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
157	164	W	Skeleton 164
158	164	W	Skeleton 172 with targets
159	172	S	Skeleton 172 with targets
160	177	S	Skeleton 177 with scale
161	177	S	Skeleton 177 with targets
162	175	N	Skeleton 175 with scale
163	175	N	Skeleton 175 with targets
164	179	N	Skeleton 179 with scale
165	179	N	Skeleton 179 with targets
166	190	W	Skeleton 190 with scale
167	190	W	Skeleton 190 with targets
168	181	W	Lower skeleton 181 and skull 187
169	181	S	Upper skeleton 181, skull 184, feet 188 and coffin 189
170	184	W	Skull 184
171	181	S	Skeleton 181 with targets
172	181	W	Skeleton 181 with targets
173	181	W	Skeleton 181 with targets
174	197	S	Skeleton 197 with scale
175	197	S	Skeleton 197 with targets

Film no. 6

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
176	—	—	ID shot film no. 6
177	194	N	Skeleton 194 with scale
178	194	W	Skeleton 194 with scale
179	194	N	Skeleton 194 with targets
180	199	E	Skeletons 199 and 201 with scale
181	199	E	Skeletons 199 and 201 with targets
182	194	W	Working shot of skeleton 194
183	194	W	Working shot of skeleton 194
184	194	W	Skeleton 194 with scale
185	194	E	Skeleton 194 with scale
186	194	S	Skeleton 194 with target
187	203	S	Skeleton 203 in cut 205
188	203	S	Skeleton 203 with targets
189	195	E	Post ex shot of grave cut 195
190	207	W	Skeleton 207 in grave cut 189
191	207	W	Skeleton 207 with targets

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
192	208	S	Skeleton 208 in cut 209
193	208	W	Skeleton 208 with targets
194	214	N	Skeleton 214 with scale
195	214	E	Skeleton 214 with scale
196	214	S	Skeleton 214 with targets
197	217	W	Vertical shot of skeleton 217 with scale
198	217	W	Oblique shot of skeleton 217
199	217	W	Vertical shot of skeleton 217 targets
200	217	W	Oblique shot of skeleton 217
201	212	N	Vertical shot of skeleton 212 with scale and targets
202	222	S	Pre ex shot of coffin outline 222
203	220	S	Skeleton 220 with scale
204	220	S	Skeleton 220 with scale
205	893	—	Void
206	220	S	Skeleton 220 with targets
207	224	SE	Skeleton 224 with scale
208	224	SE	Skeleton 224 with targets
209	224	SE	Skeleton 224 with targets
210	228	NE	Close up of skull 228
211	228	SE	Skull 228 and bones in backfill of cut 230

Film no. 7

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
212	231	S	Skeleton 231 with scale
213	231	W	Skeleton 231 with scale
214	231	W	Skeleton 231 with targets
215	—	E	W facing section of trench edge in Area 5
216	—	E	W facing section of trench edge in Area 5
217	—	E	W facing section of trench edge in Area 5
218	234	S	Skeleton 234 with scale
219	234	S	Skeleton 234 with targets
220	237	W	Skeleton 237 with scale and targets
221	—	S	Working shot
222	241	E	Pre ex shot of cut 241 showing coffin outline
223	251	S	Coffin 250 containing skeleton 251
224	251	S	Coffin 250 containing skeleton 251
225	251	E	Coffin 250 containing skeleton 251
226	251	W	Coffin 250 containing skeleton 251
227	250	W	Coffin 250 with targets

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
228	258	N	Skeleton 258 with targets
229	260	N	Skeleton 260 with targets
230	246	N	Skeleton 246 with targets
231	248	N	Skeleton 248 with targets
232	256	N	Skeleton 256 with targets
233	237	N	Skeleton 237 with targets
234	258	N	Skeleton 258 with scale
235	260	N	Skeleton 260 with targets
236	246	N	Skeleton 246 with targets
237	248	N	Skeleton 248 with targets
238	256	N	Skeleton 256 with targets
239	237	N	Skeleton 237 with targets
240	—	—	Void
241	241	E	Remains of coffin lid in grave cut 241
242	241	W	Remains of coffin lid in grave cut 241
243	263	W	Skeleton 263 with scale
244	263	W	Skeleton 263 with targets
245	266	S	Skull and neck 263
246	266	W	Skull and neck 263 with targets
247	240	E	Skeleton 240

Film no. 8

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
248	—	—	ID shot film no. 8
249	240	E	Skeleton 240 in coffin
250	270	W	N part of section through ditch 270
251	270	W	S part of section through ditch 270
252	240	E	Skeleton 240 in cut 241 with targets
253	250	W	Coffin 250
254	250	W	Coffin 250
255	250	S	Coffin 250
256	250	W	Coffin 250 with targets
257	241	S	Cut 241 showing location of coffin nails on S side
258	274	S	Skeleton 274 with scale
259	274	S	Skeleton 274 with targets
260	243	S	Skeleton 243 with scale
261	243	S	Skeleton 243 with targets
262	278	S	Skeleton 278 with scale
263	230	N	General area of cuts 230, 241, 244 and 279



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
264	—	N	Working shot of Area 5
265	278	S	Skeleton 278 with targets
266	251	N	Skeleton 251 with scale and targets
267	251	W	Skeleton 251 with scale and targets
268	251	W	Skeleton 251 with scale
269	251	W	Skeleton 251 with scale
270	281	S	Skeleton 281 with scale
271	281	N	Working shot with skeleton 281 in foreground
272	281	S	Skeleton 281 with targets
273	284	S	Skeleton 284 with scale
274	284	S	Skeleton 284 with targets
275	289	W	Skeleton 289 with scale
276	289	W	Skeleton 289 with targets
277	250	W	Coffin 250 with targets
278	250	W	Coffin 250 with targets
279	250	W	Coffin 250 with scale
280	250	E	E end of coffin 250
281	—	E	W facing section of trench edge
282	—	E	W facing section of trench edge
283	—	SE	W facing section of trench edge

Film no. 9

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
284	—	—	ID shot film no. 9
285	287	S	Mid ex shot of skeleton 287 in grave 286 with scale
286	287	S	Mid ex shot of skeleton 287 in grave 286 with targets
287	291	S	Skulls 291, 292, 293
288	294	S	Skeleton 294 with scale
289	294	S	Skeleton 294 with targets
290	296	N	Skulls 296 and 297 with disarticulated pelvis
291	298	S	Skeleton 298 with scale
292	298	S	Skeleton 298 with targets
293	303	N	Skeletons 303–306 with scale
294	303	N	Skeletons 303–306 with targets
295	301	S	Skeleton 301 and skull 297 with scale
296	301	S	Skeleton 301 and skull 297 with targets
297	313	S	Skeleton 313 with scale
298	313	S	Skeleton 313 with targets
299	315	S	Skeleton 315 with scale

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
300	315	S	Skeleton 315 with targets
301	306	S	Skeleton 306 with scale
302	306	S	Skeleton 306 with targets
303	303	S	Skeletons 303, 304 and 305 with scale after skeleton 306 removed
304	303	S	Skeletons 303, 304 and 305 with targets after skeleton 306 removed
305	305	S	Second lower leg of 305 with targets
306	305	N	Second lower leg of 305 with scale
307	318	S	Skeleton 318 with scale
308	318	S	Lower skeleton 318 with targets
309	318	S	Upper skeleton 318 with targets
310	318	E	Skeleton 318 with targets
311	321	S	Skeleton 321 with scale
312	321	S	Skeleton 321 with targets
313	326	S	Skeleton 326 with skull 325 with scale
314	326	S	Skeleton 326 with skull 325 with targets
315	330	N	Skeleton 330 with scale
316	330	N	Skeleton 330 with targets
317	335	SW	Pre ex shot of possible cut 335 near skeleton 333
318	333	S	Skeleton 333 with scale
319	333	S	Skeleton 333 with targets

Film no. 10

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
320	338	E	Coffin 338
321	—	—	ID shot Film 10
322	338	E	Coffin 338 with targets
323	335	N	General shot of area in cut 335
324	335	W	General shot of area in cut 335
325	342	N	Skeleton 342 with targets and skull 341
326	341	W	Skull 341 with scale
327	342	N	Skeleton 342 with targets
328	342	N	Skeleton 342 with scale
329	348	SE	Skeleton 348 with scale
330	348	SE	Skeleton 348 with targets
331	346	N	Skeleton 346 with scale
332	346	S	Skeleton 346 with scale
333	346	N	Upper skeleton 346 with targets

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
334	346	N	Lower skeleton 346 with targets
335	346	E	Skeleton 346 with targets
336	346	N	Upper skeleton 346 with targets
337	351	W	Pre ex shot of coffin 351 with targets
338	351	W	Pre ex shot of coffin 351 with scale
339	351	E	Pre ex shot of coffin 351 with scale
340	345	S	Skeleton 345 with scale
341	345	S	Skeleton 345 with targets
342	355	N	Skeleton 355 with scale
343	355	N	Skeleton 355 with targets
344	356	N	Coffin 356
345	360	W	Coffins 360 and 362
346	352	W	Skeleton 352 with scale
347	352	W	Skeleton 352 with targets
348	367	NW	Remains of coffin 367 overlying skeleton 365
349	361	N	Skeleton 361 with scale
350	361	N	Skeleton 361 with targets
351	363	N	Skeleton 363 with scale
352	363	N	Skeleton 363 with targets
353	370	W	Skeleton 370 and skull 369 with scale
354	370	W	Skeleton 370 and skull 369 with targets
355	335	W	Post ex shot of cut 335
356	335	E	Post ex shot of cut 335

Film no. 11

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
357	—	—	ID shot film no. 11
358	335	W	E facing section of cut 335 showing possible timber base
359	370	W	Skeleton 370 with scale after removal of 369
360	370	W	Skeleton 370 with targets after removal of 369
361	365	W	Skeletons 365 and 375
362	365	W	Skeleton 365 with targets
363	375	W	Skeleton 375 with targets
364	378	E	Skull of skeleton 378 with scale
365	378	E	Skull of skeleton 378 in section
366	378	E	Skull of skeleton 378 with targets
367	330	E	Skeleton 330 with scale
368	330	E	Skeleton 330 with targets

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
369	382	W	Skull 382
370	907	E	W facing section of Area 6
371	385	W	Skeleton 385 with scale prior to extension of area
372	385	W	Skeleton 385 with targets prior to extension of area
373	388	E	Skeleton 388 in section
374	908	E	W facing section in Area 6 prior to expansion of area
375	909	E	W facing section in Area 6 prior to expansion of area
376	394	NW	Skeleton 394 with scale
377	394	NW	Skeleton 394 with targets
378	397	S	Skeleton 397 with scale
379	397	S	Skeleton 397 with targets
380	400	NW	Skeleton 400 with scale
381	400	NW	Skeleton 400 with targets
382	383	W	Skeleton 383 with scale
383	383	S	Skeleton 383 and legs of skeleton 365 with scale
384	383	W	Skeleton 383 with targets
385	403	S	Skeleton 403 with scale

Film no. 18

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
386	—	—	ID shot film no. 18 (N.B. films 12–17 do not exist)
387	403	S	Skeleton 403 with targets
388	406	S	Skeleton 406 with scale
389	406	S	Skeleton 406 with targets
390	409	W	Coffin 409
391	409	W	Coffin 409 with skeleton 403 to W
392	409	W	Coffin 409 with targets
393	340	W	Coffin 338 containing skeleton 340 with scale
394	340	W	Coffin 338 containing skeleton 340 with scale
395	340	W	Coffin 338 containing skeleton 340 with targets
396	365	W	Femurs of skeleton 365 with scale
397	365	W	Femurs of skeleton 365 with targets
398	351	S	Coffin 351 with coffin lid 437 with targets
399	351	S	Coffin 351 with coffin lid 437 with scale
400	352	S	Lower skeleton 352 with scale
401	352	S	Lower skeleton 352 with targets
402	420	W	Skeletons 420, 423–426 in cut 427 and skulls 428 and 429
403	420	W	Skeletons 420, 423–426 in cut 427 and skulls 428 and 429 with targets



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
404	431	W	Skeleton 431 with scale and targets
405	414	E	Skeleton 414 in W facing section
406	423	W	Close up of skeletons 423, 424 and legs 420 with targets
407	425	W	Close up of skeleton 425 with targets
408	426	W	Close up of skeleton 426 with targets
409	438	W	Skeleton 438 with scale
410	438	S	Skeleton 438 with targets
411	424	N	Close up of skeleton 424 with targets
412	355	W	Skeleton 355 and coffin 356 with scale
413	355	W	Skeleton 355 and coffin 356 with targets
414	441	W	Skeleton 441 with coffin 442
415	446	W	Truncated juvenile skeleton 446
416	449	W	Truncated skeleton 449 with scale
417	449	W	Truncated skeleton 449 with targets
418	441	W	Truncated skeleton 441 with scale
418a	446	W	Truncated juvenile skeleton 446 with scale
419	441	W	Truncated skeleton 441 with targets
419a	446	N	Truncated juvenile skeleton 446 with targets

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
438	469	E	Skeleton 469 with coffin base 470
439	465	S	Coffin 466 containing skeleton 465 with scale
440	465	S	Coffin 466 containing skeleton 465 with targets
441	472	S	Skeleton 472 with scale
442	472	S	Skeleton 472 with targets
443	484	W	Skeleton 484 with scale
444	485	W	Skeleton 484 with targets
445	487	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 487 with scale
446	487	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 487 with targets
447	489	W	Coffin lid fragments 489
448	493	W	Pre ex shot of grave cut 493
449	491	W	Skeleton 491
450	491	W	Skeleton 491 with targets
451	481	SW	Skeleton 481 in foreground with skeletons 477 and 494 in background
452	494	W	Partially excavated skeleton 494 and skeleton 478
453	481	SE	Skeleton 481 showing textile 496
454	496	NE	Close up of textile 496 (small find 36) on skeleton 481
455	496	NE	Close up of textile 496 (small find 37) on skeleton 481
456	498	W	Skeleton 498 with scale

54 Film no. 19

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
420	—	—	ID shot film no. 19
421	429	W	Skeletons 429 and 434 (to E) with scale
422	429	W	Skeletons 429 and 434 (to E) with targets
423	434	N	Skeleton 434 with targets
424	429	N	Skeleton 429 with targets and scale
425	452	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 452 with scale
426	452	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 452 with targets
427	455	E	Skeleton 455 with scale
428	455	E	Skeleton 455 with targets
429	370	W	E part of skeleton 370 with targets in extended area
430	370	W	E part of skeleton 370 with targets in extended area
431	460	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 460 with coffin lid 461
432	460	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 460 with coffin lid 461 with scale
433	460	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 460 with targets
434	375	W	Femur most likely from skeleton 375 with targets
435	463	S	Disarticulated skull 463
436	469	E	Coffin 470 containing skeleton 469 with scale
437	469	E	Coffin 470 containing skeleton 469 with targets

Film no. 20

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
457	—	—	ID shot film no. 20
458	498	W	Skeleton 498 with targets
459	501	E	Chamel pit 501
460	506	SE	Skeleton 506 with scale
461	506	SE	Skeleton 506 with targets
462	494	W	Skeleton 494 in cut 493
463	913	S	Working shot
464	494	W	Working shot of skeletons 494, 478 and 481
465	512	E	Skulls 512, 513 and 514 in chamel pit 501
466	503	N	Truncated juvenile skeleton 503 with scale
467	503	N	Truncated juvenile skeleton 503 with targets
468	519	W	Wide angles shot of skeletons 519, 494 and 478
469	516	S	Skeleton 516 with scale
470	481	E	Skeleton 481 with scale
471	494	W	Skeleton 494 with targets

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
472	516	S	Skeleton 516 with targets
473	478	W	Skeleton 478 with targets
474	509	W	Skeletons 509 and 510 with scale
475	509	W	Skeletons 509 and 510 with targets
476	519	S	Skeleton 519 with scale
477	519	S	Lower skeleton 519 with targets
478	519	S	Upper skeleton 519 with targets
479	481	W	Skeleton 481 with targets
480	519	W	Skeleton 519 with targets
481	519	S	Lower skeleton 519 with targets
482	519	S	Upper skeleton 519 with targets
483	914	E	Composite shot of W facing section of Area 6
484	524	W	Skeleton 524 with scale
485	524	W	Skeleton 524 with targets
486	527	E	Skeletons 527 and 530 in section with scale
487	527	E	Skeletons 527 and 530 in section with targets
488	510	W	Skeletons 510, 535 and 539 with scale
489	510	W	Skeletons 510, 535 and 539 with targets
490	544	S	Skeleton 544 with scale
491	544	W	Skeleton 544 with targets

Film no. 21

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
492	548	S	Skeleton 548 with scale
493	548	W	Skeleton 548 with targets
494	551	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 551 with scale
495	551	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 551 with targets
496	559	E	Coffin 559 with coffin 555 and skulls
497	562	N	Skeleton 562 with scale
498	562	N	W end of skeleton 562
499	562	N	E end of skeleton 562
500	562	W	Skeleton 562 with targets
501	566	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 566 with scale
502	566	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 566 with targets
503	554	E	Skeleton 554 in coffin 555 with skulls in foreground
504	570	E	Skull 570, skeleton 554 in coffin 555 and skulls
505	554	E	Skulls adjacent to skeleton 554
506		E	Working shot

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
507	—	E	Working shot
508	554	E	Close up shot of exposed skulls adjacent to skeleton 554
509	566	S	Skeletons 566 and 570
510	572	S	Section of deposit 572 sampled for pollen analysis
511	570	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 570 with scale
512	570	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 570 with targets
513	559	E	Post ex shot of cut 559
514	574	S	Grave cut 579 for skeleton 574 with skulls 576, 577 and 578
515	574	E	Grave cut 579 for skeleton 574 with skulls 576, 577 and 578
516	581	W	Skeleton 581 in coffin 582 with scale
517	581	W	Skeleton 581 in coffin 582 with targets
518	554	W	Skeleton 554 with targets, with 574–579 visible
519	592	W	Pre ex shot of cut 590 with coffin 591 and skull of skeleton 592
520	579	W	Mid ex working shot of 575–579 + skulls 576 and 578
521	579	—	Void
522	579	—	Mid ex working shot of 575–579
523	585	—	Vertical shot of coffin lid 586 over skeleton 585
524	597	W	Skeleton 597 with scale
525	597	W	Skeleton 597 with targets
526		W	Fragmentary deposit containing possible inhumation

Film no. 22

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
527	—	—	ID shot film no. 22
528	577	S	Skeleton 577 with disarticulated skulls 576 and 578 with scale
529	577	E	Skeleton 577 with disarticulated skulls 576 and 578 with scale
530	577	W	Skeleton 577 with disarticulated skulls 576 and 578 with targets
531	607	W	Skeleton 607 with scale
532	601	W	Working shot of skeleton 601
533	607	W	Skeleton 607 with skeleton 601 to W
534	607	W	Skeleton 607 with targets
535	585	W	Skeleton 585 in cut 587 with scale
536	585	W	Skeleton 585 in cut 587 adjacent to skeleton 592 in cut 590
537	577	W	Skeleton 577 with targets, disarticulated skulls 576 and 578 removed
538	577	W	Skeleton 577 with scale
539	601	W	Skeleton 601 with scale
540	601	W	Skeleton 601 with targets
541	601	E	Skeleton 601 with targets



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
542	585	—	Skeleton 585 in cut 587 with targets
543	575	W	Skeleton 575 with cut 579 for skeleton 574 in background
544	575	W	Skeleton 575 with targets
545	592	W	Coffin 591 over skeleton 592 with scale
546	592	W	Coffin 591 over skeleton 592 with targets
547	613	W	Upper skeleton 613 with scale
548	613	W	Upper skeleton 613 with targets
549	617	SW	Hand and skull of skeleton 617
550	591	W	Skeleton 592 with scale and targets, coffin lid fragments 591 removed
551	621	E	Coffin lid 621 with cut 622 in section
552	617	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 617 with scale
553	617	SW	Oblique shot of skeleton 617 with scale
554	617	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 617 with 4 targets
555	617	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 617 with 10 targets
556	625	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 625 with scale and targets
557	625	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 625 without scale
558	574	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 574 in cut 579 with scale and targets
559	574	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 574 in cut 579 with scale and targets
560	574	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 574 adjacent to skeleton 625
561	628	W	Skeleton 628 with scale
562	628	W	Oblique shot of skeleton 628 with scale
563	628	W	Skeleton 628 with targets
564	628	W	Oblique shot of skeleton 628 with targets

Film no. 23

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
565	—	—	ID shot film no. 23
566	626	—	Vertical shot of skull 626 with targets adjacent to skeleton 574
567	626	—	Vertical shot of skull 626 with scale adjacent to skeleton 574
568	631	E	Skeleton 631 in cut 633 with scale
569	631	E	Oblique shot of skeleton 631 in cut 633 with scale
570	631	E	Skeleton 631 in cut 633 with targets
571	574	E	Close up of right pelvis of skeleton 574 showing possible foetal remains
572	—	E	Working shot of mass grave
573	—	W	Working shot of mass grave
574	641	W	Skeleton 641 with scale
575	641	W	Skeleton 641 with targets

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
576	589	W	Mass grave 589 containing skeletons 637, 639, 643 and 646
577	589	W	Mass grave 589 containing skeletons 637, 639, 643 and 646
578	637	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 637
579	643	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 643
580	646	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 646
581	589	—	Vertical shot of mass grave 589 with targets
582	637	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 637 with targets
583	643	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 643 with targets
584	646	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 646 with targets
585	648	W	Skeleton 648 with scale
586	648	W	Skeleton 648 with targets
587	639	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 639 with scale
588	639	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 639 with targets
589	589	—	Vertical post ex shot of pit 589
590	589	S	Post ex shot of pit 589
591	589	E	Section through 589
592	655	W	Skeletons 655 and 651 with scale
593	651	W	Skeleton 651 with scale
594	651	W	Skeleton 651 with targets
595	655	W	Skeleton 655 with targets
596	—	E	S end of W facing limit of excavation
597	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
598	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
599	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
600	—	E	N end of W facing limit of excavation
601	667	W	Skeleton 667 with scale
602	667	W	Skeleton 667 with targets
603	664	W	Skeleton 664 with scale

Film no. 24

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
604	—	—	ID shot film no. 24
605	664	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 664 with targets
606	670	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 670
607	670	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 670 with targets
608	673	W	Skeleton 673 with scale
609	673	W	Skeleton 673 with targets
610	675	E	Coffin 675 and cut 668 in section
611	682	N	Skeleton 682 with scale

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
612	682	N	Skeleton 682 with targets
613	684	E	Disarticulated skull 684
614	691	W	Grave 692 prior to removal of coffin 691
615	691	E	Grave 692 prior to removal of coffin 691
616	696	W	Truncated skeleton 696 and coffin 677 in cut 676 with scale
617	700	E	Skeleton 700 with scale
618	700	E	Skeleton 700 with targets
619	696	W	Truncated skeleton 696 and coffin 677 in cut 676 with targets
620	694	S	Skeleton 694 with scale
621	694	S	Skeleton 694 without scale
622	690	W	Skeleton 690 with scale
623	690	W	Skeleton 690 with targets
624	704	N	Skeleton 704 with scale
625	704	N	Skeleton 704 with targets
626	711	E	Re-deposited skull 711
627	716	E	Foot of skeleton 716 with scale
628	716	E	Skeleton 716 with targets
629	706	W	Skeleton 706 with scale
630	698	SW	Skeletons 698, 713, 706 and 704
631	698	SW	Skeletons 698, 713 and 706
632	698	SW	Skeletons 698, 713 and 704
633	698	SW	Skeletons 698, 713 and 704
634	706	W	Skeleton 706 with scale
635	713	E	Skeleton 713 with scale
636	713	E	Skeleton 713 with targets
637	698	N	Skeleton 698 with scale
638	698	N	Upper skeleton 698 with targets
639	698	S	Lower skeleton 698 with targets
640	724	N	Skeleton 724 and coffin 723 with scale

Film no. 25

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
641	—	—	ID shot film no. 25
642	724	W	Skeleton 724 with targets
643	718	S	Skull 718 and skeleton 720 with scale
644	727	S	Skeleton 727 with scale
645	718	—	Skull 718 and skeleton 720 with targets
646	727	S	Skeleton 727 with targets

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
647	730	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 730 with scale
648	730	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 730 with targets
649	734	W	Skeleton 734 with scale
650	734	W	Skeleton 734 with scale
651	734	W	Skeleton 734 with targets
652	734	W	Skeleton 734 with targets
653	736	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 736
654	736	—	Vertical shot of skeleton 736 with targets
655	740	N	Skeleton 740 with scale
656	740	N	Skeleton 740 with targets
657	744	N	Skeleton 744 and coffin 743 with scale
658	744	W	Skeleton 744 and coffin 743 with scale
659	744	W	Skeleton 744 with targets
660	751	S	Skeleton 751 with scale
661	754	N	Skeleton 754 with scale
662	751	S	Skeleton 751 with targets
663	754	N	Skeleton 754 with targets
664	757	S	Skeleton 757 with scale
665	757	S	Skeleton 757 with targets
666	744	W	Skeleton 744 with targets
667		W	Working shot
668	748	W	Coffin lid 748
669	760	S	Skeleton 760 with scale
670	760	S	Skeleton 760 with targets
671	747	W	Skeleton 747 with scale
672	747	W	Skeleton 747 with targets
673	766	S	Skeleton 766 with scale
674	776	W	Skeleton 776 with scale
675	776	W	Skeleton 776 with scale
676	766	W	Skeleton 776 with targets
677	766	W	Skeleton 776 with targets
678	766	S	Skeleton 766 with targets
679	772	W	Coffin 772 showing collapsed lid

Film no. 26

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
680	—	—	ID shot film no. 26
681	763	W	Skeleton 763 with scale
682	763	W	Skeleton 763 with targets



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
683	780	S	Skeleton 780 with scale
684	780	S	Skeleton 780 with targets
685	773	W	Skeleton 773 and coffin 772
686	773	W	Skeleton 773 and coffin 772 with targets
687	783	W	Coffin 783
688	769	—	Vertical shot of legs of skeleton 769
689	769	—	Vertical shot of legs of skeleton 769 with targets
690	788	S	Skeleton 788 with scale
691	788	S	Skeleton 788 with targets
692	791	NW	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial. No scale
693	791	NW	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial with scale
694	791	NW	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial with scale
695	791	NW	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial with scale
696	791	SW	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial with scale
697	791	W	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial with targets
698	791	NW	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial with targets
699	791	NW	Close up of adult skeleton 791
700	792	NW	Close up of baby skeleton 792
701	791	NW	Skeletons 791 and 792 in double burial with targets
702	799	N	Skeleton 799 with scale
703	799	E	Skeleton 799 with targets
704	805	W	Skeletons 805 and 806 with scale
705	805	S	Skeleton 805 with targets
706	806	S	Skeleton 806 with targets
707	802	S	Truncated juvenile skeleton 802 with scale
708	802	S	Truncated juvenile skeleton 802 with targets
709	—	E	W facing section of Areas 8 and 9
710	—	E	W facing section of Areas 8 and 9
711	796	W	Skeleton 796 with scale
712	796	W	Skeleton 796 with targets
713	815	E	Foot of skeleton 815 with targets
714	812	E	Coffin 812
715	826	S	Skeletons 826 and 827
716	826	S	Skeleton 826 with targets

Film no. 27

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
717	—	—	ID shot film no. 27
718	827	S	Skeleton 827 with targets

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
719	814	E	Pit 814
720	817	N	Skeleton 817 in coffin 818 with scale
721	817	N	Skeleton 817 in coffin 818 with targets
722	829	N	Skeleton 829 in coffin 830 with scale
723	829	N	Skeleton 829 in coffin 830 with targets
724	807	S	Post ex shot of cut 807 and unexcavated coffin 834
725	837	W	Skeleton 837 with scale
726	837	W	Skeleton 837 with targets
727	821	S	Skeleton 821 with scale
728	821	S	Skeleton 821 with targets
729	—	E	S end of W facing limit of excavation
730	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
731	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
732	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
733	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
734	824	S	Skeleton 824 with scale
735	824	S	Skeleton 824 with targets
736	—	E	W facing limit of excavation to N of photograph 733
737	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
738	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
739	—	E	W facing limit of excavation
740	—	E	W facing section Area 9/10
741	—	E	W facing section Area 9/10
742	—	E	W facing section Area 9/10
743	—	E	W facing section Area 9/10
744	—	E	W facing section Area 9/10
745	—	E	W facing section Area 9/10
746	—	E	W facing section Area 9/10
747	—	N	Working shot of Area 11
748	—	W	Carillion trench outside No.66 Constitution St
749	—	W	Location shot of Carillion trench
750	—	NE	Working shot of Turriff excavation
751	—	E	Post-ex of Turriff excavation outside No.69
752	—	S	Post-ex of extension to Carillion trench
753	—	N	General shot of Area 11

Film no. 28

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
754	—	—	ID shot of film no. 28

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
755	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (S end)
756	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
757	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
758	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
759	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
760	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
761	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
762	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
763	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
764	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (Cont)
765	—	E	W facing section, Area 11 (N end)
766	—	—	Skeleton 784 with scale
767	—	—	Skeleton 784 with targets

Film no. 29

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
768	—	—	ID shot of film no. 29
769	—	SE	Location shot of Turriff works, pit A
770	—	NW	Location shot of Turriff works
771	—	W	Post-ex shot of Turriff works, pit A
772	—	W	Location shot of Turriff works
773	—	SE	Location shot of Turriff excavation works, pit B
774	—	W	Post-ex works of Turriff works, pit B
775	—	S	Location shot of Turriff works, pit B
776	—	NW	Location shot of Turriff works, pit C
777	—	W	Post-ex shot of Turriff works, pit C
778	—	N	Post-ex shot of Turriff works, pit C
779	—	W	Post ex shot of Turriff works, pit D
780	—	N	Post ex shot of Turriff works, pit D
781	—	N	Extension to pit D
782	—	S	Dis-articulated skull in backfilled pipe trench
783	—	S	Excavated trench to locate gas pipe
784	—	W	Excavated trench to locate gas pipe
785	—	E	Excavated trench to 1.2 m outside gas pipe & wall
786	—	S	Area 10 showing excavated area
787	—	SW	Area 10 partially flooded
788	—	SE	Area 10 partially flooded
789	—	S	Area 10b excavated showing services and sand deposits

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
790	844	S	Unclean pre-ex of coffin 844 & dumped burial at N end of Area 10
791	841	S	Pre-ex of skeleton 841 with scale
792	841	S	Pre-ex of skeleton 841 with targets
793	845	E	Grave 843 & skeleton 845 with scale
794	845	E	Grave 843 & skeleton 845 with targets
795	849	W	Coffin + foot remains 849
796	852	S	Skeleton 852 with scale
797	852	S	Skeleton 852 with targets
798	855	E	Coffin 854 + skeleton 855 with scale
799	855	E	Coffin 854 + skeleton 855 with targets
800	898	N	Pre-ex of pit cut 898
801	898	W	Pre-ex of pit cut 898
802		NE	Gen shot of graves cut through graveyard soil
803	866	W	Grave 865 + skeleton 866 with scale
804	866	W	Grave 865 + skeleton 866 with targets
805	861	E	Pre-ex of grave cut 861
806	862	E	Pre-ex of grave cuts 862, 863, 868

Film no. 30

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
807	864	E	Pre-ex of grave cut 864
808	869	E	Pre-ex of grave cuts 869-872
809	873	E	Pre-ex of grave cut 873
810	869	E	Pre-ex of grave cuts 869-872
811	864	E	Pre-ex of grave cut 864
812	874	E	Pre-ex of grave cut 874
813	879	E	Pre-ex of grave cut 879
814	860	N	S end of graveyard soil 860
815		N	S facing section at N end of Area 9b
816	876	W	Grave cut 876 with grave 865 + skeleton 866 to the north
817	881	E	Cobbled surface 881
818	881	N	Cobbled surface 881
819	881	E	Cobbled surface 881 over grave
820	880	W	Skeleton 880 in grave cut 861
821	880	W	Skeleton 880 with targets
822	880	E	Skeleton 880 with targets
823	872	W	Grave 872 with stone cobbles 887 over N side
824	872	W	Area 8b with grave cut 764



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
825	764	W	Area 8b with skeleton 764B
826	861	E	Grave cut 861
827	889	S	Skeleton 889 in grave cut 863 with scale
828	889	W	Skeleton 889 in grave cut 863 with scale
829	889	S	Skeleton 889 in grave cut 863 with targets
830	773	E	Skeleton 773 in Coffin 772 with scale
831	773	W	Skeleton 773 in Coffin 772 with scale
832	773	E	Skeleton 773 in Coffin 772 with targets
833	863	W	Grave cut 863
834	858	E	Shallow pit 858
835	799	W	Skeleton 799B with scale
836	799	W	Skeleton 799B with targets
837	893	W	Cut 893 + skeleton 760b at SW corner + disarticulated skull
838	760	W	Skeleton 760 with targets
839	885	W	Pre-ex shot of skull 865 in cut 886
840	726	W	Shot of skeleton 726b (feet)
841	897	W	Grave cut 897 with cut 893 & skull 869 to south
842	670	E	Skeleton 670b with scale
843	670	E	Skeleton 670b with targets
844	—	—	Working shot

Film no. 31

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
845	—	—	I D shot film no. 31
846	903	—	Grave cut 903, mid excavation
847	903	—	Grave cut 903, mid excavation
848	903	—	Grave cut 903, mid excavation with scale
849	—	—	Void
850	783	—	Coffin 783b
851	—	—	Void
852	783	N	Coffin 783b with targets
853	829	W	Skeleton 829b + coffin 830b with scale
854	902	W	Skeleton 902 with scale
855	902	W	Skeleton 902 with targets
856	784	S	Skeleton 784b with scale
857	784	S	Skeleton 784b with targets
858	796	S	Skeleton 796b with scale
859	796	S	Skeleton 796b with targets
860	817	W	Skeleton 817b with scale

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
861	817	W	Skeleton 817b with targets
862	797	W	Cut 797b
863	837	N	Skeleton 837b with scale
864	837	N	Skeleton 837b with targets
865	—	—	Working shot of Area 8b
866	905	W	Coffin remains 905 in section + skeleton 817b to right
867	907	W	pre-ex of cut 907
868	725	W	Grave cut 725b - mid-ex
869	911	W	Mid-ex shot of grave cut 911
870	725	—	Grave cut 725b showing coffin lid over skeleton 724b
871	914	N	Grave cuts 911-914
872	914	W	Grave cuts 911-914
873	913	N	Skeleton 913 with scale
874	913	N	Skeleton 913 with targets
875	—	S	Post-ex of Areas 9b & 8b
876	—	N	Post-ex of Areas 9b & 8b
877	—	—	Void
878	910	S	Skeleton 910 + 913
879	910	W	Skeleton 910 with scale
880	910	W	Skeleton 910 with targets
881	724	S	Skeleton 724b with targets

Film no. 32

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
882	—	—	I D shot film no. 32
883	900	—	Stone rubble layer 900
884	900	—	Stone rubble layer 900
885	694	W	Skeletons 691-694 with scale
886	694	W	Skeleton 691 with targets
887	923	W	Skeleton 923 with scale
888	923	W	Skeleton 923 with targets
889	—	N	Gen shot of stone backfill on plastic sheeting
890	—	N	Gen shot of stone backfill on plastic sheeting
891	925	N	Layer 925 below layer 900
892	926	W	Skeleton 926 in grave cut 921 with scale
893	926	W	Skeleton 926 in grave cut 921 with targets
894	929	W	Skeleton 929 with scale
895	929	W	Skeleton 929 with targets

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
896	724	W	Skeleton 724 with scale
897	724	W	Skeleton 724 with targets
898	597	W	Skeleton 597 with scale
899	597	W	Skeleton 597 with targets
900	932	W	Skeleton 932 with scale
901	932	W	Skeleton 932 with targets
902	617	W	Skeleton 617b with scale
903	617	W	Skeleton 617b with targets
904	651	N	Skeleton 651b with scale
905	651	N	Skeleton 651b with targets
906	724	W	Skeleton 724 with targets
907	613	W	Skeleton 613 with scale
908	613	W	Skeleton 613 with targets
909	653	W	Cut 653 showing coffin nails (SF 087)
910	936	S	Skeleton 936 with scale
911	936	S	Skeleton 936 with targets
912	931	—	General shot of Skeletons 931, 927, 925
913	938	—	General shots of Skeletons 938, 940, 944
914	948	S	Skeleton 948 with scale
915	948	W	Skeleton 948 with targets
916	951	W	Skeleton 951 with scale
917	951	W	Skeleton 951 with targets
918	653	E	General shot of grave cuts 653, 598, 937

Film no. 33

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
919			ID shot of Film No.33
920	581	S	Skeleton 581 with scale
921	581	S	Skeleton 581 with scale
922	582	S	Remains of Coffin 582 + nails (SF 090)
923	704	SW	Legs + feet of skeleton 704b with scale
924	704	NE	Legs + feet of skeleton 704b with targets
925	667	E	Skeleton 667 with scale
926	667	E	Skeleton 667 with targets
927	607	W	Skeleton 607b with scale
928	607	W	Skeleton 607b with targets

Film no. 34

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
929	—	—	ID shot of film no. 34
930	733	SW	Skeleton 733b with scale
931	733	SW	Skeleton 733b with target

Film no. 35

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
932	—	—	ID shot of film no. 35
933	632	W	Mid- ex of Skeleton 632 + Coffin with scale
934	632	W	Mid- ex of Skeleton 632 + Coffin with targets
935	632	E	Close up of wood grain on skeleton 632
936	632	N	Close up of wood grain on skeleton 632
937	632	E	Close up of wood grain on skeleton 632
938	632	E	Close up of wood grain on skeleton 632
939	—	S	Working shot
940	—	W	Working shot
941	959	W	Skeleton 959 with scale
942	959	W	Skeleton 959 with targets
943	554	W	Skeleton 554 with scale + skull 960
944	554	W	Skeleton 554 with targets
945	620	E	Skeleton (tibias) 620 over skeleton 956 with scale
946	620	E	Skeleton (tibias) 620 over skeleton 956 with targets
947	956	N	Skeleton 956 with scale
948	956	N	Skeleton 956 with targets
949	966	S	Skeleton 966 with scale
950	966	S	Skeleton 966 with targets
951	975	S	Skeleton 975 with scale
952	975	S	Skeleton 975 with targets
953	972	E	Skeleton 972 with scale
954	972	E	Skeleton 972 with targets
955	566	W	Skeletons 566, 570 & 951
956	566	W	Skeletons 566 & 570 with targets
957	465	W	Skeleton 465 + coffin with scale
958	465	W	Skeleton 465 + coffin with targets
959	383	E	Skeleton 383b with scale
960	383	E	Skeleton 383b with targets
961	967	W	Grave cut 967 + skull 960 with skeleton 554 to south
962	491	E	Skeleton 491b with scale



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
963	491	E	Skeleton 491b with targets
964	982	W	Skeleton 982 with scale
965	982	W	Skeleton 982 with targets
966	984	NW	Skulls 984, 985 & 986
967	—	N	View of skulls 991 & 992
968	522	W	Skeleton 522b with scale
969	980	N	S facing section of ditch cut 980 showing skeleton 522
970	498	W	Skeleton 498b with scale
971	498	W	Skeleton 498b with targets
972	522	W	Skeleton 522 with targets
973	995	E	View of pipe in service cut 995
974	0	S	Working shots
975	998	W	Skeleton 998 with scale

Film no. 36

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
976	—	—	ID shot of film no. 36
977	998	W	Skeleton 998 with targets
978	987	N	Skeleton 987 with scale
979	987	N	Skeleton 987 with targets
980	993	S	partially excavated section of ditch cut 993
981	993	S	S. facing section of cut 993
982	—	—	Void
983	1001	W	Skeleton 1001 with scale
984	1001	W	Skeleton 1001 with targets
985	557	W	Skeleton 557b with scale
986	557	W	Skeleton 557b with targets
987	469	N	Skeleton 469b + coffin 470 with scale
988	469	N	Skeleton 469b + coffin 470 with targets
989	1004	W	Skull 1004
990	484	N	Skeleton 484b with scale
991	484	W	Skeleton 484b with targets
992	577	W	Skeletons 577b, 550 & 1005 with scale
993	577	W	Skeletons 577b, 550 & 1005 with targets
994	577	W	Close up of skeleton 577
995	588	W	Skeleton 588 with scale
996	588	W	Skeleton 588 with targets
997	1008	E	Remains of coffin 1008

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
998	1016	W	Spine and ribs of skeleton 1016
999	625	W	Skeleton 625b with scale
1000	625	W	Skeleton 625b with targets
1001	592	E	Skeleton 592b with scale
1002	592	E	Skeleton 592b with targets
1003	575	W	Skeleton 575b with scale
1004	575	W	Skeleton 575b with targets
1005	1017	W	Skeleton 1017 with scale
1006	1017	W	Skeleton 1017 with targets
1007	1017	W	Skeleton 1017 with targets
1008	—	—	Working shot (digital only)
1009	—	—	Post-ex of north part of Area 7b
1010	1020	E	Skeleton 1020 with scale
1011	1020	E	Skeleton 1020 with targets
1012	1025	N	Skeleton 1025 with charnel 1024
1013	1025	N	Skeleton 1025 with scale
1014	1025	N	Skeleton 1025 with targets

Film no. 37

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1015	1033	W	Skeleton 1033 with scale
1016	1033	W	Skeleton 1033 with targets
1017	1036	E	Bone in Cut 1036
1018	626	W	Skeleton 626 with scale
1019	626	W	Skeleton 626 with targets
1020	1029	W	Skulls 1029 & 1030 + disarticulated bone
1021	1038	S	Skull 1038
1022	1041	W	Coffin 1041
1023	1041	N	Coffin 1041
1024	434	S	Skeleton 434b with scale
1025	434	S	Skeleton 434b with targets
1026	1045	W	Skeleton 1045 with scale
1027	1045	W	Skeleton 1045 with targets
1028	1011	W	Skeleton 1011 with scale
1029	1011	W	Skeleton 1011 with targets
1030	—	—	Working shots
1031	—	—	Working shots
1032	1040	W	Skeleton 1040 with scale

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1033	1040	W	Skeleton 1040 with targets
1034	1030	E	Skeleton 1030 with scale
1035	1030	E	Skeleton 1030 with targets
1036	330	W	Skeleton 330b with scale + disarticulated leg bone
1037	330	W	Skeleton 330b with scale
1038	330	W	Skeleton 330b with targets
1039	1052	S	Skeleton 1052 with scale
1040	1052	S	Skeleton 1052 with scale
1041	1052	S	Skeleton 1052 with targets
1042	1052	S	Skeleton 1052 with targets
1043	1046	W	Working shot showing skeletons 1046 + 1049
1044	1057	N	Skeleton 1057 with scale
1045	1057	N	Skeleton 1057 with targets
1046	1062	S	Skeleton 1062 with scale
1047	1062	S	Skeleton 1062 with targets
1048	—	N	Working shot of Area 6
1049	—	W	Working shot of skeletons 1055, 1049 & 1046
1050	1052	W	Skeleton 1052 with scale
1051	—	—	Working shot of excavations

Film no. 38

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1052	0	—	I D shot of film no. 38
1053	0	—	General shot
1054	1055	E	Group of Skeletons 1055, 1059, 1044 & 1046
1055	1049	E	Skeleton 1049 with scale
1056	1049	E	Skeleton 1049 with targets
1057	1055	W	Skeleton 1055 with scale
1058	1055	W	Skeleton 1055 with targets
1059	1059	W	Skeleton 1059 with scale
1060	423	S	Skeleton 423b with scale
1061	423	S	Skeleton 423b with targets
1062	1059	W	Skeleton 1059 with targets
1063	1065	E	Skeleton 1065 with scale
1064	1066	N	Skeleton 1066 with scale
1065	1066	N	Skeleton 1066 with targets
1066	1067	N	Skeleton 1067 with targets
1067	1072	NW	Shot of Skull 1072 with scale

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1068	1064	W	Skeleton 1064 with scale
1069	1064	W	Skeleton 1064 with targets
1070	637	W	Skeleton 637b with scale
1071	637	S	Skeleton 637b with targets
1072	639	S	Skeleton 639b with scale
1073	639	S	Skeleton 639b with targets
1074	639	S	Skeleton 639b showing detail of lower legs in ditch cut 993
1075	639	S	Skeleton 639 showing detail of arm and hand
1076	1073	W	Skeleton 1073 with scale
1077	1073	S	Skeleton 1073 with targets
1078	1081	W	Skeleton 1081 with scale
1079	1081	W	Skeleton 1081 with targets
1080	643	W	Skeleton 643b with scale
1081	643	S	Skeleton 643b with targets
1082	643	S	Skeleton 643b with targets

Film no. 39

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1083	—	—	—
1084	643	S	Skeleton 643b with targets
1085	643	S	Skeleton 643b with targets
1086	643	W	Skeleton 643b with scale
1087	—	—	I D shot of film no. 39
1088	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1089	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1090	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1091	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1092	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1093	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1094	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1095	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1096	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1097	—	—	Working shots of skeletons in Area 5b
1098	1086	W	Skeleton 1086 + 1087 with scale
1099	1086	S	Skeleton 1086 with targets
1100	1087	N	Skeleton 1087 with targets
1101	1081	W	Skeleton 1081 with targets
1102	1081	W	Skeleton 1081



Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1103	201	SW	Skeleton 201b with scale
1104	201	SW	Skeleton 201b with targets
1105	1085	W	Skeleton 1085 with targets
1106	1085	W	Skeleton 1085 with scale
1107	281	SE	Skeleton 281b with targets
1108	281	SE	Skeleton 281b with scale
1109	378	W	Skeleton 378 with scale
1110	378	W	Skeleton 378 with scale
1111	378	W	Skeleton 378 with targets
1112	149	W	Grave cut 149b with 1096 cutting it, with scale
1113	149	W	Grave cut 149b with 1096 cutting it, with targets
1114	149	W	Grave cut 149b with 1096 cutting it, with targets
1115	1090	SE	Skeleton 1090 with targets
1116	1090	SE	Skeleton 1090 with targets
1117	1090	SE	Skeleton 1090 with scale
1118	0	—	Void
1119	0	—	Void
1120	0	—	Void
1121	1077	SW	Skeleton 1077 + skeleton 1084 with scale
1122	1077	SW	Skeleton 1077 + skeleton 1084 with targets
1123	158	E	Skeleton 158b with scale
1124	158	E	Skeleton 158b with targets

Film no. 40

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1125	—	—	I D shot of film no. 40
1126	—	S	View of sondage into made ground in Area 5b
1127	1109	W	Skeleton 1109 with scale
1128	1109	W	Skeleton 1109 with targets
1129	1110	W	Skeleton 1110 with scale
1130	1110	W	Skeleton 1110 with targets
1131	1114	W	Skeleton 1114 with scale
1132	1114	W	Skeleton 1114 with targets
1133	—	—	Void
1134	1119	W	Skeleton 1119 with scale
1135	1119	W	Skeleton 1119 with targets
1136	1121	W	Coffin 1121 with scale
1137	1127	E	Skeleton 1127 with scale
1138	1127	—	Skeleton 1127 with targets

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1139	1127	—	Skeleton 1127 with targets
1140	1131	S	Skeleton 1131 with scale
1141	1131	S	Skeleton 1131 with targets
1142	1122	S	Skeleton 1122 with scale
1143	1122	S	Skeleton 1122 with targets
1144	1136	N	Modern pit cut 1136 + clear area
1145	—	W	Disarticulated skull with scale
1146	—	N	Modern pits and disturbance in Area 4b
1147	1147	NW	Skeleton 1147 with scale
1148	1147	NW	Skeleton 1147 with targets
1149	1147	NW	Skeleton 1147 showing ditch section
1150	1151	W	Skeleton 1151 with scale
1151	1151	W	Skeleton 1151 with targets
1152	1129	W	Skeleton 1129 with targets
1153	1155	NW	Skeleton 1155 with scale
1154	1155	NW	Skeleton 1155 with targets
1155	1129	W	Skeleton 1129 with targets
1156	—	W	Shot of sondage on Area 5b
1157	1074	E	Skull 1074
1158	1157	W	Skeleton 1157 with scale
1159	1157	W	Skeleton 1157 with targets
1160	—	W	Working shot showing excavation of double burial
1161	—	NW	Working shot in Area 5b

Film no. 41

Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1162	—	—	I D shot of film no. 41
1163	1163	NW	Skeleton 1163 with scale
1164	1163	NW	Skeleton 1163 with targets
1165	—	W	Mid-excavation shot
1166	—	NW	Section of ditch with tip lines, S end
1167	—	NW	Section of ditch with tip lines, S end
1168	—	E	Skeleton 1162 with scales
1169	—	E	Skeleton 1162 with targets
1170	—	—	Void
1171	—	W	General shot of Area 3b
1172	1154	NW	SE facing section through ditch cut 1154
1173	1154	NW	SE facing section through ditch cut 1154

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Photo	Context	Facing	Description
1174	1180	W	Skeleton 1180 with scale
1175	1180	N	Skeleton 1180 with scale
1176	1080	S	Skeleton 1180 with scale
1177	1180	W	Skeleton 1180 with targets
1178	1180	E	Skeleton 1180 with targets
1179	1180	E	Skeleton 1180 with targets
1180	1181	W	Skeleton 1181 with targets
1181	1181	W	Skeleton 1181 with scale
1182	—	N	Post-ex of Area 3b showing Area 4b in background
1183	—	W	Post-ex of Area 3b
1184	—	W	Post-ex of Area 4b
1185	—	S	Southern extent of excavation showing BT cables
1186	1181	W	Skeleton 1181 + skull 1184 with scale
1187	1181	W	Skeleton 1181 with targets
1188	1191	E	Skeleton 1191 + skeleton 1189 with scale
1189	1189	E	Skeleton 1189 with targets
1190	1189	E	Skeleton 1191 with targets
1191	1191	SE	Skeleton 1191 showing position of limbs
1192	1191	NW	Skeleton 1191 showing position of limbs
1193	1191	E	Skeleton 1191 half excavated

Appendix 1.4 Sample register

Sample	Context	Description
010	044	Fill of grave cut 045
011	041	Fill of grave cut 042
012	052	Fill of grave cut 053
013	049	Fill of grave cut 050
014	047	Layer
015	055	Fill of grave cut 056
016	058	Fill of grave cut 059
017	061	Fill of grave cut
018	064	Fill of grave cut
019	066	Deposit — ground surface
020	068	Fill of grave cut
021	071	Fill of grave cut
022	073	Ground surface
023	075	Fill of grave cut 074
024	080	Fill of grave cut 078

Sample	Context	Description
025	082	Charcoal stained sand across Area 3
026	085	Midden fill
027	087	Fill of grave cut
028	092	Fill of grave cut 091
029	099	Fill of ditch cut 084
030	101	Fill of ditch cut 084
031	111	Fill of grave cut 114
032	139	Fill of grave cut 138
033	141	Buried soil
034	144	Fill of grave cut 146
035	139	Fill of grave cut 140
036	157	Fill of grave cut
037	156	Fill of grave cut 155
038	150	Fill of grave cut 153
039	166	Fill of grave cut 167



Sample	Context	Description
040	171	Fill of grave cut 173
041	174	Fill of grave cut 176
042	163	Fill of grave cut 162
043	196	Fill of grave cut 198
044	192	Fill of grave cut 191
045	193	Fill of grave cut 195
046	206	Fill of grave cut 189
047	208	Fill from around damaged skull area
048	211	Fill of grave cut 213
049	216	Fill of grave cut 218
050	219	Fill of grave cut 221
051	232	Remains of coffin
052	264	Fill of grave 262
053	233	Primary fill of ditch cut 270
054	269	Upper fill of ditch cut 270
055	239	Fill of grave
056	233	Fill of grave
057	249	Fill of grave cut 250
058	275	Fill of grave cut 273
059	250	Coffin lid
060	242	Backfill of cut 244
061	277	Backfill of cut 279
062	276	Fill of coffin 250, head area
063	276	Fill of coffin 250, chest area
064	276	Fill of coffin 250, pelvis area
065	280	Fill of grave cut 282
066	285	Fill of grave cut 283
067	250	Remains of coffin – sides
068	250	Remains of coffin – base
069	288	Fill of grave cut 286
070	312	Fill of grave cut 311
071	308	Fill of grave cut 307
072	310	Fill of grave cut 309
073	317	Backfill of cut 319
074	317	Base of grave cut 319
075	323	Remains of coffin
076	320	Backfill of grave cut 322
077	324	Fill overlying chest area of skeleton 324

Sample	Context	Description
078	332	Fill of grave cut 334
079	374	Fill of grave cut 334
080	339	Fill of grave cut 338
081	338	Coffin remains
082	351	Coffin remains
083	349	Fill of grave cut 351
084	356	Coffin sides
085	360	Coffin lid
086	362	Coffin lid
087	336	Backfill of cut 335
088	364	Fill of grave cut 366
089	360	Remains of coffin
090	362	Remains of coffin
091	368	Fill of grave cut 371
092	380	Fill of grave cut 375
093	384	Fill of grave cut 386
094	393	Fill of grave cut 395
095	396	Fill of grave cut 398
096	404	Fill of grave cut 402
097	405	Fill of grave cut 407
098	411	Fill of coffin cut 409
099	338	Remains of coffin
100	339	Fill of grave cut 337
101	430	Fill of grave cut 432
102	422	Fill around skeleton 425
103	422	Fill of grave cut 426
104	436	Fill of grave cut 439
105	437	Remains of coffin
106	442	Remains of coffin
107	356	Remains of coffin
108	422	Fill around sk.429
109	456	Fill of grave cut 447
110	456	Fill of grave cut 454
111	470	Coffin remains
112	466	Coffin remains
113	464	Fill of grave cut 467
114	476	Fill of grave cut 473
115	493	Fill of grave

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Sample	Context	Description
116	492	Fill of coffin 489
117	489	Lid of coffin
118	500	Backfill of charnel pit
119	518	Fill of grave from skeleton 519 – legs
120	518	Fill of grave from skeleton 519 – torso
121	502	Fill of grave cut 503
122	477	Fill of grave
123	480	Fill of grave of skeleton 481
124	543	Fill of grave cut 545
125	547	Fill of grave cut 549
126	538	Coffin remains
127	533	Fill of grave cut 532
128	536	Fill of grave cut 534
129	540	Fill of grave cut 537
130	558	Fill of cut 559
131	565	Fill of cut 568
132	567	Coffin remains of cut 568
133	565	Fill of grave cut 568
134	572	Layer
135	572	Samples from podzol
136	580	Fill of grave cut 583
137	586	Coffin fragments
138	582	Coffin fragments
139	584	Fill of grave cut 587 – skull
140	584	Fill of grave cut 567 – torso
141	553	Fill of grave cut 556
142	573	Fill of grave cut 579
143	594	Fill of grave cut 590
144	586	Coffin lid remains
145	596	Fill of grave cut 598
146	600	Fill of grave cut 602
147	594	Layer overlying 600
148	555	Remains of coffin
150	603	Fill of grave cut 605
151	606	Fill of grave cut 608
152	584	Possible textile fragment
153	610	Fill of grave cut 605
154	612	Fill of grave cut 614

Sample	Context	Description
155	591	Lid of coffin
156	591	Side of coffin
157	619	Fill of grave cut 622
158	623	Fill of grave cut 624
159	616	Fill of grave cut – Skull area – skeleton 617
160	616	Fill of grave cut – Torso area – skeleton 617
161	621	Coffin remains
162	627	Fill of grave cut 629
163	630	Fill of grave cut 633
164	632	Coffin sample
165	636	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 637
166	638	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 639
167	644	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 643
168	640	Fill of grave cut 642
169	645	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 646
170	647	Fill of grave cut 649
171	650	Fill of grave cut 653
172	654	Fill of grave cut 656
173	666	Fill of grave cut 668
174	671	Fill of grave cut 670
175	674	Fill of grave cut 672
176	678	Fill of grave cut 676
177	689	Fill of grave cut 692
178	681	Fill of grave cut 683
179	677	Coffin remains
180	691	Coffin remains in cut 692
181	693	Fill of grave cut 695
182	712	Fill of grave cut 714
183	705	Fill of grave cut 707 – skull of skeleton 706
184	705	Fill of grave cut 707 – torso of skeleton 706
185	728	Fill of grave cut 726
186	619	Fill of grave cut 621
187	723	Fill of grave cut 725
188	732	Fill of grave cut 734
189	739	Fill of grave cut 741
190	748	Coffin sample
191	746	Fill of grave cut – skull of skeleton 747
192	746	Fill of grave cut – pelvis of skeleton 747



Sample	Context	Description
193	750	Fill of grave cut 752
194	755	Fill of grave cut 753
195	759	Fill of grave cut 761
196	743	Coffin remains
197	742	Fill of grave cut 745
198	762	Fill of grave cut 764
199	775	Fill of grave cut 775
200	779	Fill of grave cut 781
201	787	Fill of grave cut 784
202	772	Coffin sample
203	774	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 773
204	798	Fill of grave cut 800
205	801	Fill of grave cut 803
206	804	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 805
207	804	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 806
208	812	Coffin remains
209	804	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 826
210	804	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 827
211	828	V Fill of grave cut 821
212	816	Fill of grave cut 819
213	818	Coffin remains
214	820	Fill of grave cut 819
215	823	Fill of grave cut 819
216	830	Coffin remains
217	840	Fill of grave cut 842
218	846	Fill of grave cut – coffin 844
219	847	Fill of grave cut 843
220	844	Coffin remains
221	849	Coffin remains
222	851	Fill of grave cut 853
223	854	Coffin remains
224	867	Fill of grave cut 865
225	877	Fill of grave cut 876
226	879	Fill of grave cut 861
227	879	Fill of grave cut – lower torso of skeleton 880
228	882	Fill of grave cut 872
229	888	Fill of grave cut
230	772b	Coffin fragments

Sample	Context	Description
231	890	Fill of grave cut 869
232	884	Fill of grave cut 886
233	783b	Coffin fragments
234	901	Fill of grave cut 903
235	748b	Coffin fragments
236	912b	Fill of grave cut 914
237	722b	Fill of grave cut 725b
238	909	Coffin fragments
239	723b	Coffin fragments
240	692b	–
241	925	Layer below context 900
242	928	Fill of grave cut 930
243	612b	Fill of grave cut 614
244	630b	Fill of grave cut 633
245	632b	Coffin fragments
246	920	Fill of grave cut
247	935	Fill of grave cut 937
248	947	Fill of grave cut 948
249	950	Fill of grave cut of skeleton 951
250	630b	Fill of grave cut
251	632b	Coffin fragments
252	567b	Fill of grave cut – torso of skeleton 566
253	955	Fill of grave cut
254	969	Fill of grave cut of skeleton 966
255	976	Fill of grave cut of skeleton 975
256	466b	Coffin fragments
257	981	Fill of grave cut 982
258	497b	Fill of grave cut 499b
259	1000	Fill of grave cut 988
260	997	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 998
261	994	Upper fill of ditch cut 993
262	1003	Lower fill of ditch cut 993
263	529	Fill of grave cut 531
264	483b	Fill of grave cut 485b
265	470b	Coffin fragment
266	1008	Coffin fragments
267	623b	Fill of grave cut 624b
268	591b	Coffin fragment

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Sample	Context	Description
269	1023	Fill of grave cut 1026
270	1032	Fill of grave cut 1034
271	1041	Coffin fragment
272	1044	Fill of grave cut 1043
273	1045	Fill of grave cut 1047
274	1039	Fill of grave cut 1042
275	433b	Fill of grave cut 435b
276	1048	Fill of grave cut 1050
277	1054	Deposit from skeleton 1055
278	1051	Fill of grave cut – Torso of skeleton 1052
279	1064	Dark deposit surrounding skeleton
280	1073	Deposit around skeleton 1073
281	1078	Fill of grave cut 1080
282	1088	Fill of grave cut 202b
283	378b	Deposit around ribcage
284	1106	Fill of grave cut 1107
285	1109	Fill of grave cut – Ribcage of skeleton 1107
286	1120	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 1119

Sample	Context	Description
287	1121	Coffin fragments
288	1152	Fill of grave cut – skeleton 1151
289	1182	Fill around skeleton 1180 & 1181
290	1135	Fill of ditch cut 1134
291	1185	Fill of ditch cut 1134
292	1180	Fill of ditch cut 1134
293	1187	Fill of ditch cut 1134
294	1187	Fill of ditch cut 1153
295	1174	Fill of ditch cut 1153
296	1173	Fill of ditch cut 1153
297	1172	Fill of ditch cut 1153
298	1175	Fill of ditch cut 1153
299	1171	Fill of ditch cut 1153
300	1170	Fill of ditch cut 1153
301	1179	Fill of ditch cut 1153
302	1169	Fill of ditch cut 1153
303	1198	Primary ditch fill of cut 1153

Appendix 1.5 Small finds catalogue

Context	SF	Sample	Material	Object	Qty	Description	Spot date	Period
U/S	—	—	Bone Obj	Toothbrush	1	Complete brush of copper wire/baleen construction. Burnt maker's mark worn and illegible.	19th/20th	Mod
U/S	—	—	CBM	Pan Tile?	2	Fragments.	—	PM
U/S	—	—	CBM	Chimney?	1	Small earthenware sherd, sooted interior.	18th/20th	Mod
U/S	—	—	Clay Pipe	Stem	1	Wide bore.	17th/18th	PM
U/S	—	—	Cu	Lace Tag	1	Complete, poss incised lines around one end. 'Topsoil.'	15th/16th	Medi
U/S	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	—	—	—
U/S	—	—	Fe	Sheet	1	Fragment 'found with disart bone.'	—	—
U/S	—	—	Fe	Nails	4	Coffin nails.	—	—
U/S	—	—	Fe	Nails	5	Coffin nails.	—	—
U/S	—	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails.	—	—
U/S	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	—	—	—
U/S	—	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails, one complete with wood grain in two directions.	—	—
U/S	—	—	Fe	Nail	4	One with mineralised wood.	—	—
U/S	035	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails.	—	—
U/S	120	—	Fe	Plate	1	Possible grip plate or strap fastening. With min wood adhering to one side.	—	—
U/S	121	—	Fe	Object	1	strip with square nail hole, part of horseshoe?	—	—
U/S	122	—	Fe + Wood	Shovel	1	Shovel blade, damaged around the edge, with ?socketed tang and length of preserved wooden handle.	—	—



Context	SF	Sample	Material	Object	Qty	Description	Spot date	Period
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Import	1	Beauvais single slipped sgraffito, white fabric, red slip, scratched bird design.	e.16th	Medi
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Import	1	TGE blue painted sherd.	17th	PM
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Local	3	PMO jar rim and sherds.	16th	PM
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Modern	2	Redware brown glazed, unglazed.	18th/19th	Mod
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Modern	1	Trans printed whiteware.	19th	Mod
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Local	3	LWW; PMO jug base and sherd.	15th–16th	Medi
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	LWW	15th	Medi
U/S	—	—	Pottery	Import	1	LCR	15th/17th	PM
U/S	—	0	Pottery	Import	1	Rhenish stoneware rim fragment, orange ash glaze, Siegburg?, cup rim?	15th/16th	Medi
U/S	—	0	Pottery	Local	1	WG/LWW jug handle, olive glazed.	14th/15th	Medi
001	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	Greyware, very abraded. Coarse sandy, some olive glaze remaining.	14th/16th	Medi
021	—	—	Cu	Pin / Lace Tag	1	Thick shaft, covered in sandy corrosion products.	16th/19th	PM
021	116	—	Fe	Strap	1	Wide strap, shaped, possibly a bracket?	—	—
026	—	—	Clay Pipe	Stem	1	Wide bore.	17th/e.18th	PM
026	—	—	Cu	Stud	1	Large round domed head.	—	—
026	—	—	Fe	Nails	3	—	—	—
026	117	—	Fe	Bar	1	Large thick round sectioned rod.	—	—
026	—	—	Mortar	—	1	Small lump with attached shell.	—	—
028	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	Redware, internal orange glaze.	17th/e.18th	PM
041	—	3	Cu	Lace Tag	1	Broken? Corroded, possibly a thick pin?	15th/16th	Medi
041	001	—	Cu	Pin	1	Shroud pin, assoc with skelly? near head?	16th/19th	PM
041	003	—	Fe	Nails	26	Coffin nails, small to large.	—	—
041	004	—	Fe	Nails	4	Coffin nails, large.	—	—
041	124	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail.	—	—
044	002	—	Fe	Nails	6	Coffin nails, small.	—	—
047	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	PMO	16th	PM
049	006	—	Fe	Nails	15	Coffin nails, small to medium.	—	—
052	130	—	Fe	Nails	15	Coffin nails, small to medium.	—	—
055	007	—	Fe	Nails	40	Coffin nails, small to large, some complete.	—	—
058	008	—	Fe	Nails	16	Coffin nails, small to medium.	—	—
061	009	—	Fe	Nails	8	Coffin nails, small.	—	—
061	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	LWW	15th/16th	Medi
063	—	—	Fe	Nails	1	Coffin nail shaft fragment.	—	—
064	010	—	Fe	Nails	19	Coffin nails, small to medium.	—	—
066	—	—	Pottery	Import?	1	Green glaze.	13th/16th	Medi
068	011	—	Fe	Nails	11	Coffin nails, small to medium.	—	—
070	126	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail.	—	—

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Context	SF	Sample	Material	Object	Qty	Description	Spot date	Period
071	012	—	Fe	Nails	21	Coffin nails, small to medium.	—	—
073	—	14	Fe	Nails	1	—	—	—
073	—	16	Fe	Nails	1	—	—	—
073	118	—	Fe	Nail	1	Clenched tip, very corroded.	—	—
073	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	PMR jug rim.	15th/16th	Medi
073	—	—	Pottery	Import	1	LCR tripod foot.	15th/16th	Medi
073	—	—	Pottery	Import	1	French chafing dish rim (cf Hurst et al 1986, p.79, no.104).	16th	PM
074	—	—	Fe	Nails	1	Coffin nail shaft.	—	—
080	013	—	Fe	Nails	17	Coffin nails, medium.	—	—
080	127	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail shaft. Found with left hand.	—	—
080	—	15	Stone	Natural	1	Picked up as Fe object — actually small stone with attached iron corrosion.	—	—
082	—	—	Fe	Lump	1	Small lump.	—	—
082	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	WG	12th/15th	Medi
085	119	17	Fe	Lump	1	Large lump.	—	—
085	—	—	Pottery	Local	8	PMO/PMR 2 jar rim/handles, 1 ridged handle, jar and jug body sherds.	15th/16th	Medi
085	—	—	Pottery	Import	1	Weser, dish rim.	L.16th—e.17th	PM
087	018	—	Fe	Nails	9	Coffin nails, small to medium, some complete.	—	—
174	020	—	Cu + Leather + Textile	Buckle	1	Double looped asymmetrical buckle frame with angled profile. One square end, one expanded and pointed front end. Pin still in place on central bar. Remains of leather strap still in place. Strap looped around bar and appears to have been secured using a square sectioned rivet. Free end of strap also present tucked under ends of buckle, over central bar. Buckle used in apparent backwards position with square end acting as front end and expanded rounded end acting as strap keeper. Coarse textile adhering to outside of buckle. Possibly shroud cloth over clothing.	1575–1700	PM
206	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, medium.	—	—
207	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail.	—	—
217	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	—	—	—
229	—	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails. Fragments poss assoc with skull 228.	—	—
231	—	—	Fe	Nails	3	Coffin nails and shafts.	—	—
232	—	—	Fe	Nails	7	Coffin nails, small.	—	—
233	—	—	Pottery	Local	1	LWW	14th/15th	Medi
239	129	—	Fe	Nails	23	Coffin nails, small to medium, some complete.	—	—
240	128	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails, small.	—	—
242	—	23	Pottery	Local	1	PMR	16th/17th	PM
250	022	—	Fe	Nails	45	Coffin nails, medium to large, some complete.	—	—
251	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail shaft fragment.	—	—
260	123	—	Fe	Nail	1	Nail shaft. Found in disturbed ground close to skeleton 260.	—	—
275	—	—	Pottery	Local	2	PMR, base sherd, odd right angled base.	16th	PM
307	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, in two pieces.	—	—
328	024	—	Fe	Nails	4	Coffin nails, medium.	—	—
338	025	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail.	—	—



Context	SF	Sample	Material	Object	Qty	Description	Spot date	Period
350	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, large.	—	—
352	029	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail shaft.	—	—
354	026	—	Fe	Nails	4	Coffin nails.	—	—
356	032	—	Fe	Nails	4	Coffin nails.	—	—
367	027	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails.	—	—
409	028	—	Fe	Nails	4	Coffin nails, large, most complete.	—	—
437	031	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails, small.	—	—
442	030	—	Fe	Nails	9	Coffin nails, small to medium.	—	—
461	033	—	Fe	Nails	9	Coffin nails.	—	—
465	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, medium, complete.	—	—
466	034	—	Fe	Nails	3	Coffin nails.	—	—
481	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Shaft fragment.	—	—
496	036	—	Textile	Shroud Cloth?	1	Fibres and piece of weave associated with skeleton. Possible shroud or clothing.	—	—
496	037	—	Textile	Shroud Cloth?	1	Fibres and piece of weave associated with skeleton. Possible shroud or clothing.	—	—
496	038	—	Textile	Shroud Cloth?	1	Fibres and associated staining from very degraded textile. Possible shroud or clothing.	—	—
500	—	0	MWD	Fe slag	1	Small lump, 3g.	—	—
538	039	—	Fe	Nails	8	Coffin nail fragments.	—	—
55	125	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails.	—	—
55	—	—	Pottery	Local	3	WG/RW	14th/15th	Medi
555	043	—	Fe	Nails	7	Coffin nails, (minimum 6 nails), all with min wood in various directions.	—	—
581	115	0	Cu	Eyelets	3	Wire eyelets with attached organic material. Possibly textile remains?	—	Medi/PM
582	042	—	Fe	Nails	4	Nails, some bent, only one with mineralised wood.	—	—
584	041A	—	Fe	Nails	13	Coffin nail fragments (min 6 nails).	—	—
584	—	152	Textile	Cloth?	1	Fragments of textile stain in ground, no weave visible, or fibres.	—	—
586	041B	—	Fe	Nails	3	Coffin nails, all with wood grain n two directions.	—	—
591	044	—	Fe	Nails	14	Coffin nails, (minimum 9 nails, all with mineralised wood in various directions.	—	—
600	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, complete with wood grain in two directions.	—	—
615	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Large, bent.	—	—
632	046	—	Fe	Nails	14	Coffin nails, (minimum 7 nails), all with mineralised wood in various directions.	—	—
652	047	—	Fe	Nails	7	Coffin nails, (minimum 5 nails), all with mineralised wood.	—	—
666	048	0	Cu	Lace Tag	1	Complete though a bit flattened. Remains of lace inside.	15th/16th	Medi
677	050	—	Fe	Nails	18	Coffin nails, (minimum 16 nails), all with mineralised wood, mostly in two directions.	—	—
680	—	49	Cu	Wire Pin	1	Cushion shaped head, shaft in two pieces.	18th/20th?	Mod
681	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, complete with wood grain in two directions.	—	—
691	052	—	Fe	Nails	29	Coffin nails (minimum 24 nails), most with mineralised wood, one clenched, three very large.	—	—
703	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, broken shaft, wood grain in two directions.	—	—

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703	—	—	Fe	Nails	2	Coffin nails, complete.	—	—
723	053	—	Fe	Nails	5	Coffin nails (minimum 3 nails), very large.	—	—
729	055	0	Cu	Wire Pin	1	Corroded, broken shaft.	—	—
766	—	—	Fe	Nail	1	Coffin nail, complete, unusual wood grain.	—	—
824	065	0	Cu	Lace Tag	1	Covered in corrosion products.	15th/16th	Medi
860	—	0	Lithics	Flint	1	large lump of grey flint, not worked, possibly ship-ballast?	—	—
910	081	—	Fe	Buckle	1	Double looped asymmetrical buckle. One end D-shaped, the other expanding trapezoidal with sheet roller on outer edge. Simple plain buckle plate in place but pin apparently missing. [Mineralised textile adhering to underside of buckle plate, possibly also leather on to of frame. Bone fragments also appear to be adhering to underside of frame. Frame L31, W 26.	1575-1700	PM
Natural	051	0	Cu	Lace Tag?	1	Covered in thick sandy corrosion products. Needs cleaning to confirm identification.	15th/16th	Medi

Appendix 2 Environmental tables

Appendix 2.1 Retent sample results

Context no.	Sample no.	Feature	Sample Vol (l)	Ceramic	Other building material	Stone	Glass		Metal	Industrial Waste	Burnt bone	Unburnt bone	Shell	Material available for AMS Dating	Cinders	Coal	Comments
				Pottery													
				Medi-PM	Mortar	Burnt stone	Glass	Glass Waste	Fe object	Fe slag	Mag res	Mammal	Mammal	Fish	Marine		
Grave fills																	
41	11	Fill of grave cut [042]	10		++++				+	+		+	+	+			Unburnt mammal bone is human
52	12	Fill of grave cut [053]	10		+				+		++++	+++	+++	Unburnt bone ++	+++	++++	Unburnt mammal bone is human
193	44	Fill of grave cut [191]	10									++++		Unburnt bone ++++	+	+	Unburnt mammal bone is human
216	49	Fill of grave cut [218]	5									+	++++	Unburnt bone +++			Unburnt mammal bone is human
288	69	Fill of grave cut [286]	8							+			+				Unburnt mammal bone is human
312	70	Fill of grave cut [311]	5										+++				Unburnt mammal bone is human
308	71	Fill of grave cut [307]	10										++				Unburnt mammal bone is human
339	79	Fill of grave cut [334]	1														Archaeologically sterile
396	95	Fill of grave cut [398]	3										+++	Unburnt bone ++			Unburnt mammal bone is human
436	104	Fill of grave cut [439]	4										+++	Unburnt bone ++		+	Unburnt mammal bone is human
464	113	Fill of grave cut [467]	5										+				Unburnt mammal bone is human
480	123	Fill of grave of sk. 481	10		+								++++	Unburnt bone ++	++	++	Unburnt mammal bone is human
533	127	Fill of grave cut [532]	10										++++	Unburnt bone +++			Unburnt mammal bone is human
553	141	Fill of grave cut [556]	10		++				+	++			++++	Unburnt bone ++++			Unburnt mammal bone is human
603	150	Fill of grave cut [605]	5										++++	Unburnt bone +++		+	Unburnt mammal bone is human
636	165	Fill of grave cut - Sk.637	10										+++	Unburnt bone ++			Unburnt mammal bone is human
681	178	Fill of grave cut [683]	5		+								++++	Unburnt bone ++			Unburnt mammal bone is human



Context no.	Sample no.	Feature	Sample Vol (l)	Ceramic Pottery	Other building material	Stone	Glass	Metal	Industrial Waste	Burnt bone	Unburnt bone	Shell	Material available for AMS Dating	Cinders	Coal	Comments
				Medi-PM	Mortar	Burnt stone	Glass	Glass Waste	Fe object	Fe slag	Mag res	Mammal	Mammal	Fish	Marine	
732	188	Fill of grave cut [734]	8									++++				Unburnt bone +++ Unburnt mammal bone is human
742	197	Fill of grave cut [745]	10		++++				+			++++	++			Unburnt bone ++++ Unburnt mammal bone is human
884	232	Fill of grave cut [886]	4		++							++++				Unburnt mammal bone is human
Buried Soil																
47	14	Buried soil surface	10	+	+				+	+		++	++++			Unburnt bone ++ Unburnt mammal bone is human
141	33	Buried soil	10		+							+	+			Unburnt mammal bone is human
Ground surface																
66	19	Deposit - ground surface	10							++					++++	
73	22	Ground surface	10		+++		+						+	+		+++ Unburnt mammal bone is human
82	25	Charcoal stained sand across Area 3	10									+	+		++++	Unburnt mammal bone is human
Midden deposits																
85	26	Midden fill	10		++++	+			+		+	++++	++	++		Unburnt bone ++++ Animal bone
Ditch fills																
99	29	Fill of ditch [084]	10		+										++++	++++
101	30	Fill of ditch [084]	10		+											++++
233	53	Primary fill of ditch [270]	10								+					++++
269	54	Upper fill of ditch [270]	10													++++
994	261	Upper fill of ditch cut [993]	20		++++							+++	+++			Unburnt bone ++ Unburnt mammal bone is human
1003	262	Lower fill of ditch cut [993]	10		+++		+	+		+		++	++			Unburnt mammal bone is human
1135	290	Fill of ditch cut [1134]	2													Archaeologically sterile
1186	291	Fill of ditch cut [1134]	2												+	
1185	292	Fill of ditch cut [1134]	5													Archaeologically sterile

Context no.	Sample no.	Feature	Sample Vol (l)	Ceramic Pottery	Other building material	Stone	Glass		Metal	Industrial Waste	Burnt bone	Unburnt bone	Shell	Material available for AMS Dating	Cinders	Coal	Comments
				Medi-PM	Mortar	Burnt stone	Glass	Glass Waste	Fe object	Fe slag	Mag res	Mammal	Mammal	Fish	Marine		
1187	293	Fill of ditch cut [1134]	3														Archaeologically sterile
1176	294	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10														Archaeologically sterile
1174	295	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10													+	
1173	296	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10										+				
1172	297	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10														Archaeologically sterile
1175	298	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	1														Archaeologically sterile
1171	299	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10														Archaeologically sterile
1170	300	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10										+			+	Unburnt mammal bone is human
1179	301	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10								+	+					Unburnt mammal bone is human
1169	302	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10										+		+++	++++	
1198	303	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	1										+				

Key:

+= rare, ++ = occasional, +++ = common, ++++ = abundant

NB charcoal over 1cm is suitable for identification and AMS dating



Appendix 2.2 Flotation sample results

Context no.	Sample no.	Feature	Total flot Vol (ml)	Cereal grain:	Avena sp.	Hordeum vulgare	Triticum aestivum compectum	Triticum spelta	Secale cereale	Cerealia indet.	Other plant remains	Charcoal Qty	Charcoal Max size (cm)	Cinders	Unburnt bone	Marine shell	Material available for AMS	Comments
Grave fills																		
41	11	Fill of grave cut [042]	20									+	<0.5	++			-	
44	10	Fill of grave cut [045]	5		+	+						+	<0.5	++			-	
49	13	Fill of grave cut [050]	50		++	++					wood fragments up to 2cm +++	+	<1			+	wood fragments ++	
52	12	Fill of grave cut [053]	20									++	1	++			charcoal +	
55	15	Fill of grave cut [056]	10								wood fragments up to 1cm ++++						wood fragments +++	
58	16	Fill of grave cut [059]	15		+	+	+				Raphanus raphanistrum +	+	<0.5	++			-	
61	17	Fill of grave cut [062]	20		+	++	+				Carex sp. +, Chenopodium album +, Stellaria media +, Raphanus raphanistrum +	++	0.5	+			-	
64	18	Fill of grave cut [065]	30		++	+				+	Fabaceae sp. +, wood fragments up to 2cm +++	+	<0.5	+++			wood fragments ++	
68	20	Fill of grave cut [069]	30		+					+		+	<0.5	+++			-	
71	21	Fill of grave cut [072]	40									+++	1.4				charcoal ++	
75	26	Fill of grave cut [074]	10		+	+		+				+	0.5	+			-	
80	24	Fill of grave cut [078]	60		+	+						+	<0.5	++			-	
92	28	Fill of grave cut [091]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
111	31	Fill of grave cut [114]	10									+	<0.5	+			-	
139	32	Fill of grave cut [138]	2									+	<0.5	+			-	
139	35	Fill of grave cut [138]	10		+	+					Rumex sp. + Fruit stone indet. +	+	<0.5				-	Fruit stone very fragmented

Context no.	Sample no.	Feature	Total flot Vol (ml)	Cereal grain:	Avena sp.	Hordeum vulgare	Triticum aestivum comapctum	Triticum spelta	Secale cereale	Cerealina indet.	Other plant remains	Charcoal Qty	Charcoal Max size (cm)	Cinders	Unburnt bone	Marine shell	Material available for AMS	Comments
144	34	Fill of grave cut [146]	2			+						+	<0.5				-	
150	38	Fill of grave cut [153]	20							+		+	<0.5				-	
156	37	Fill of grave cut [155]	5								Fabaceae sp. +						-	
157	36	Fill of grave cut [159]	8		+			+			Galium sp. +	+	<0.5				-	
166	39	Fill of grave cut [167]	10													+	-	
171	40	Fill of grave cut [172]	40		+	+				+		+	<0.5	++		+	-	
206	46	Fill of grave cut [189]	2									+	<0.5				-	
192	44	Fill of grave cut [192]	30			+								+	+++		unburnt bone +++	
193	45	Fill of grave cut [195]	10			+				+		+	<0.5				-	
196	43	Fill of grave cut [198]	2									+	<0.5				-	
211	48	Fill of grave cut [211]	10									+	<0.5				-	
216	49	Fill of grave cut [218]	30													+	-	
219	50	Fill of grave cut [221]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
239	55	Fill of grave cut [241]	20												++		-	
242	60	Fill of grave cut [244]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
249	57	Fill of grave cut [252]	2												+		-	
264	52	Fill of grave cut [262]	5											+	+		-	
275	58	Fill of grave cut [273]	10			+									+		-	
277	61	Fill of grave cut [279]	2												+		-	
280	65	Fill of grave cut [282]	10									+	<0.5		+		-	
285	66	Fill of grave cut [283]	5			+				+					+		-	
288	69	Fill of grave cut [286]	10			+						+	<0.5				-	
308	71	Fill of grave cut [307]	2												+		-	



Context no.	Sample no.	Feature	Total flint Vol (ml)	Cereal grain:	Avena sp.	Hordeum vulgare	Triticum aestivum compactum	Triticum spelta	Secale cereale	Cerealia indet.	Other plant remains	Charcoal Qty	Charcoal Max size (cm)	Cinders	Unburnt bone	Marine shell	Material available for AMS	Comments
310	72	Fill of grave cut [309]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
312	70	Fill of grave cut [311]	4														-	Archaeologically sterile
310	73	Backfill of grave cut [319]	10									+	<0.5	+	++		-	
317	74	Basal layer of grave cut [319]	20													+	-	
320	76	Backfill of grave cut [322]	2							+							-	
324	77	Fill overlying Sk 325	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
332	78	Fill of grave cut [334]	5									+	<0.5		+		-	Twine present
336	87	Backfill of grave cut [335]	2									+	<0.5				-	
339	80	Fill of grave cut [337]	5								wood fragments up to 1cm ++						wood fragments +	
339	100	Fill of grave cut [337]	2								wood fragments <1cm						-	
349	83	Fill of grave cut [348]	5												+	+	-	
364	88	Fill of grave cut [366]	30											++		+	-	
368	91	Fill of grave cut [371]	2															Archaeologically sterile
380	92	Fill of grave cut [375]	10			+								++			-	
384	93	Fill of grave cut [386]	4											+			-	
393	94	Fill of grave cut [395]	2															Archaeologically sterile
396	95	Fill of grave cut [398]	5									+	<0.5	+		+	-	
405	97	Fill of grave cut [407]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
411	98	Fill of grave cut [409]	50								wood fragments up to 1.5cm +++++						wood fragments +++++	
425	102	Fill around Sk 425	10													+	-	

Context no.	Sample no.	Feature	Total flot Vol (ml)	Cereal grain:	Avena sp.	Hordeum vulgare	Triticum aestivum compactum	Triticum spelta	Secale cereale	Cereal indet.	Other plant remains	Charcoal Qty	Charcoal Max size (cm)	Cinders	Unburnt bone	Marine shell	Material available for AMS	Comments
422	103	Fill of grave cut [427]	4														-	Archaeologically sterile
422	108	Fill of grave cut [427]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
430	101	Fill of grave cut [432]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
436	104	Fill of grave cut [439]	10								wood fragments less than 1cm +				+		-	
456	109	Fill of grave cut [454]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
456	110	Fill of grave cut [454]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
404	113	Fill of grave cut [467]	40								wood fragments up to 1cm +++						wood fragments +	
476	114	Fill of grave cut [473]	12									+	0.5	++			-	
477	122	Fill of grave cut [479]	10			+								+	+		-	
480	123	Fill of grave cut [482]	20		+	+					Rubus sp. +						-	
492	116	Fill of grave cut [490]	20								wood fragments up to 2cm +				+		wood fragments +	
495	115	Fill of grave cut [493]	84									+	<0.5	+++	+++++		Unburnt bone +	
502	121	Fill of grave cut [504]	-														-	No flot produced
518	119	Fill of grave cut [520]	20			+					Rachis internode +	++	<0.5	+			-	
518	120	Fill of grave cut [520]	15								Conium maculatum +			++			-	
533	127	Fill of grave cut [532]	2												+		-	
536	128	Fill of grave cut [534]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
540	129	Fill of grave cut [537]	5													+	-	Twine present
543	124	Fill of grave cut [545]	2									+	<0.5				-	
547	125	Fill of grave cut [549]	5									++	<0.5				-	
553	141	Fill of grave cut [556]	60								wood fragments up to 1.5cm ++++				+		wood fragments ++	



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558	130	Fill of grave cut containing Sk 570	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
573	142	Fill of grave cut [579]	10								wood fragments up to 1cm ++	+	<0.5		+		wood fragments +	
580	136	Fill of grave cut [583]	10											+	+		-	
584	139	Fill of grave cut [587] skull area	15								wood fragments up to 1cm +++++	+	0.5				-	
584	140	Fill of grave cut [587] torso area	80			+					wood fragments up to 4cm +++++	+	<0.5	+			wood fragments ++++	
594	143	Fill of grave cut [590]	20		+						Chenopodium album +, wood fragments less than 1cm ++	+	<0.5				-	
599	147	Fill of coffin 591 in grave cut [590]	-														-	No flot produced
596	145	Fill of grave cut [598]	5									+	<0.5				-	
600	146	Fill of grave cut [602]	-														-	No flot produced
603	150	Fill of grave cut [605]	20												+		-	
606	151	Fill of grave cut [608]	5									+	<0.5			+	-	
610	153	Fill of grave cut [611]	2									+	<0.5				-	
612	154	Fill of grave cut [614]	4														-	Archaeologically sterile
616	159	Fill of grave cut [618] skull area	10									+	0.5	+	+	+	-	
616	160	Fill of grave cut [618] torso area	5									+	0.5		+		-	
619	157	Fill of grave cut [622]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
619	186	Fill of grave cut [622]	10												+		-	
623	158	Fill of grave cut [624]	5									+	0.5				-	
627	162	Fill of grave cut [629]	10													+	-	

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630	163	Fill of grave cut [633]	30		+						wood fragments up to 4cm ++++						wood fragments +++	
636	165	Deposit around Sk 637	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
638	166	Fill of grave cut [639]	15									+	0.5	+			-	
640	168	Fill of grave cut [642]	10												++		-	
644	167	Fill of grave cut [643]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
645	169	Deposit around Sk 646	20											+	+		-	
647	170	Fill of grave cut [649]	10												+		-	
650	171	Fill of grave cut [653]	5												+		-	
654	172	Fill of grave cut [656]	5														-	Archaeologically sterile
666	173	Fill of grave cut [668]	2									+	0.5				-	
670	174	Fill of grave cut [669]	10											++			-	
674	175	Fill of grave cut [672]	50												++++		Unburnt bone +	
678	176	Fill of grave cut [676]	5									+	0.5				-	
681	178	Fill of grave cut [683]	5								wood fragments up to 1cm +	+	0.5				wood fragments +	
689	177	Fill of grave cut [692]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
693	181	Fill of grave cut [695]	20									+	<0.5	++			-	
705	183	Fill of grave cut [707] around skull	2								wood fragments <1cm +						-	
705	184	Fill of grave cut [707] around torso	2									+	<0.5				-	
712	182	Fill of grave cut [714]	32														-	Archaeologically sterile
728	185	Fill of grave cut [726]	-														-	No flot produced



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732	188	Fill of grave cut [734]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
739	189	Fill of grave cut [741]	-														-	No flot produced
742	197	Fill of grave cut [745]	30								wood fragments up to 3cm ++++					+	wood fragments ++	
746	191	Fill of grave cut [749] around skull	20								wood fragments up to 1.4cm ++++						wood fragments ++	
746	192	Fill of grave cut [749] around pelvis	10								wood fragments up to 1cm +++						wood fragments +	
750	193	Fill of grave cut [752]	2									+	<0.5			+	-	
755	194	Fill of grave cut [753]	20									+	<0.5			+	-	
759	195	Fill of grave cut [759]	10											+		+	-	
762	198	Fill of grave cut [764]	4														-	Archaeologically sterile
775	199	Fill of grave cut [778]	4								wood fragments <1cm +						-	
779	200	Fill of grave cut [781]	10								wood fragments <1cm +	+	<0.5				-	
787	201	Fill of grave cut [789]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
798	204	Fill of grave cut [800]	10								wood fragments <1cm +					+	-	
801	205	Fill of grave cut [803]	10									+	<0.5	+		+	-	
804	206	Fill of grave cut [807]	2								wood fragments <1cm +						-	
804	207	Fill of grave cut [807]	10								wood fragments <1cm ++						-	
804	209	Fill of grave cut [807]	20													+	-	
804	210	Fill of grave cut [807]	-														-	No flot produced
884	232	Fill of grave cut [886]	2									+	<0.5				-	
500	118	Fill of charnal pit [451]	10											+		+	-	
774	203	Fill of grave	-														-	No flot produced

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Coffin samples																		
232	51	Remains of coffin	2									+	<0.5				-	
437	105	Remains of coffin	20												+++		-	
582	138	Remains of coffin	10											+	+		-	
250	59	Coffin lid	5								wood fragments <1cm +			++			-	
470	111	Coffin lid	-														-	No flot produced
586	144	Coffin lid	4								wood fragments <1cm ++						-	
591	155	Coffin lid	5								wood fragments <1cm +++++						-	
338	99	Coffin base	10									+	<0.5	+		+	-	
276	62	Fill of coffin [250] head area	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
276	63	Fill of coffin [250] chest area	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
276	64	Fill of coffin [250] pelvis area	1			+											-	Archaeologically sterile
250	67	Remains of coffin [250]	10											+++			-	
250	68	Remains of coffin [250]	5									+	<0.5				-	
323	75	Coffin remains below sk 321	2									+	<0.5				-	
360	89	Coffin remains over Sk 361 in grave cut [335]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
362	90	Coffin remains in grave cut [335]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile



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339	79	Coffin remains in grave cut [337]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile
351	82	Coffin remains in grave cut [353]	5								wood fragments up to 1cm ++						wood fragments +	
356	84	Coffin remains below Sk 355	40								wood fragments up to 5cm +++++			++	+++		wood fragments +++++	
466	112	Coffin remains over Sk 465	5								wood fragments <1cm +++++						-	
565	131	Remains of coffin [567]	20			+		+			Chenopodium album +, wood fragments less than 1cm +						-	
565	133	Remains of coffin [567]	-															No flot produced
621	161	Coffin remains containing Sk 621	-														-	No flot produced
723	187	Coffin remains containing Sk 724	5								wood fragments <1cm +						-	
742	197	Coffin remains containing Sk 744	30								wood fragments up to 3cm +++++					+	wood fragments +++++	
Buried soil																		
47	14	Buried soil surface	30			+						+	<0.5	+			-	
141	33	Buried soil	30									+	<0.5	+			-	
174	41	Buried soil	10							+					+		-	
Ground surface																		
66	19	Deposit - ground surface	10									+	<0.5	++			-	
73	22	Ground surface	60									++	<1	++	+		-	

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82	25	Charcoal stained sand across Area 3	5									+	<0.5	+			-	
Midden deposits																		
85	26	Midden fill	80		+	+		+	+			+++	1	++++			charcoal ++	
Ditch fills																		
233	56	Primary fill of ditch [??]										+	<0.5				-	
99	29	Fill of ditch [084]	30		+	+		+		+	Fabaceae sp. +	++	<0.5			+	-	
101	30	Fill of ditch [084]	20									++	<0.5	+			-	
233	53	Primary fill of ditch [270]	2									+	<0.5				-	
269	54	Upper fill of ditch [270]	10								Linum usitatissimum +	+	<1				-	
994	261	Upper fill of ditch cut [993]	2											+			-	
1003	262	Lower fill of ditch cut [993]	8									+	<0.5				-	
1135	290	Fill of ditch cut [1134]	15									+	<0.5	+			-	
1181	291	Fill of ditch cut [1134]	4													+	-	
1185	292	Fill of ditch cut [1134]	8									+	<0.5				-	
1187	293	Fill of ditch cut [1134]															-	Archaeologically sterile
1176	294	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10											+			-	
1174	295	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	8									+	<0.5				-	
1173	296	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	8									+	<0.5	+			-	
1172	297	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	10													+	-	
1175	298	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile



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1171	299	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	5		+											+	-	
1170	300	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	4											+			-	
1179	301	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	6									+	<0.5	++			-	
1169	302	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	20									+	<0.5	+			-	
1198	303	Fill of ditch cut [1153]	2														-	Archaeologically sterile

Key:
+ = rare, ++ = occasional, +++ = common, ++++ = abundant
NB charcoal over 1cm is suitable for identification and AMS dating



Appendix 3 Discovery and Excavation in Scotland entry

LOCAL AUTHORITY:	City of Edinburgh
PROJECT TITLE/SITE NAME:	Edinburgh Trams Project: Report on archaeological excavations of South Leith Parish Church Graveyard, Constitution Street, Leith
PROJECT CODE:	ETCS08
PARISH:	Edinburgh
NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR(S):	Sorina Spanou
NAME OF ORGANISATION:	Headland Archaeology Ltd
TYPE(S) OF PROJECT:	Excavation
NMRS NO(S):	—
SITE/MONUMENT TYPE(S):	Cemetery
SIGNIFICANT FINDS:	Human Bone
NGR (2 letters, 8 or 10 figures)	NT 270 760
START DATE (this season)	15-04-2009
END DATE (this season)	22-09-2009
PREVIOUS WORK (incl. DES ref.)	Evaluation
MAIN (NARRATIVE) DESCRIPTION: (May include information from other fields)	<p>Headland Archaeology Ltd was commissioned by Transport Initiatives Edinburgh (tie) Limited to carry out archaeological works comprising the excavation of the remains of the post-medieval graveyard associated with South Leith Parish Church in advance of the main tram track construction (INFRACO) in Constitution Street. The excavation yielded 302 inhumations within a variety of grave types. Constitution Street, adjacent to the graveyard wall of the local parish church, was built in 1790 to improve access to the harbour. Despite the proximity to a known graveyard, the density and preservation of graves was unexpected, as the extent of burials was thought not to have gone much beyond the existing graveyard wall. No finds of human remains had been reported previously, despite evidence that many burials had been cut by modern services.</p> <p>The graves, orientated WNW-ESE, were arranged in closely spaced rows. The majority were single, supine extended inhumations interred in wooden coffins or in earthen graves. Also present were shrouded bodies placed in simple graves, group burials in irregular pits including superimposed double burials, usually of a child and an adult. Most artefacts were iron coffin nails, with a few shroud pins. A copper buckle was found in one grave, along with textile remains of clothing worn by the deceased. Documentary and pottery evidence point to a date in the 16th and 17th centuries for most graves, and all pre-date construction of Constitution Street c.1790. There is a strong possibility however that earlier medieval burials are located in the cemetery, possibly associated with the 15th-century hospital and chapel which stood on and close to the present church. Radiocarbon dating and further stratigraphic analysis may give us a more accurate picture of their chronology.</p>
PROPOSED FUTURE WORK:	None
ARCHIVE LOCATION (intended/deposited)	RCAHMS
SPONSOR OR FUNDING BODY:	TIE Ltd
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