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Non-Technical Summary

Headland Archaeology Ltd conducted an evaluation on land proposed for a mixed use development to the north of Stroudwater, Stonehouse, Gloucestershire in order to provide further information on the archaeological potential of the Proposed Development Area (PDA). The work was commissioned by CgMs Consulting on behalf of Robert Hitchens Limited, Redrow Homes Limited and their successors in title to the land.

A total of 175 trenches were excavated within the PDA. Evidence for Middle Iron Age to Roman activity was revealed in two trenches (Trenches 98 and 99) positioned at the southwest of the PDA. This corresponded with the results of the earlier geophysical survey carried out across the PDA in 2012 (Bartlett-Clark 2013). In addition there was some limited evidence for probable Roman activity in Trench 115. Aside from which there was widespread evidence for Medieval/Post-medieval and later agricultural activity comprising the remains of former field boundaries, furrows and similar features largely producing 17th century and later dating evidence.

Overall, given the size of the area investigated there were few sub-surface remains of archaeological significance.

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Planning background

1.1.1 A planning application is to be submitted for a mixed-use development on land North of Stroudwater, Stonehouse in Gloucestershire; henceforth referred to as the Proposed Development Area (PDA).

1.1.2 Previous non-intrusive studies of the PDA comprising a Desk-based Assessment (DBA, CgMs 2012) and geophysical survey (Bartlett-Clark Consultancy 2013) have previously been implemented, following the results of which, the Local Planning Authority's (LPA) archaeological advisors Gloucestershire County Council Archaeological Service (GCCAS) have been advised that the area covered by the PDA was archaeologically sensitive and that an intrusive trial trench evaluation would be required in advance of any development in order to obtain further information on the sub-surface archaeological potential. These works were requested in accordance with government guidance as set out in National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF, 2012). The evaluation would assess the extent, nature and survival of any archaeological features within those parts of the PDA where any intrusive development may take place.

1.1.3 Headland Archaeology were commissioned by CgMs Consulting, on behalf of Robert Hitchins Limited, Redrow Homes Limited and their successors in title to the land, to undertake this intrusive evaluation and a written scheme of investigation (WSI) for the evaluation was prepared by Headland Archaeology Ltd (2013).

1.2 Site Location and Geology

1.2.1 The PDA is located to the north of Stroudwater and approximately 8km to the west of Stroud in Gloucestershire and is centred at SO 379451, 206525 (Illus 1). It comprises approximately 100 hectares of land occupying a mixed agricultural landscape consisting of meadow pasture, cultivated land and set aside which is bisected by roadways, farm tracks, bridleways and footpaths. The fields making up the PDA surround, and lie adjacent to, the settlements of Nupend, Nastend and Westend to the north of the Bristol Road (A419) in Stonehouse. The Stonehouse Business Park at Oldends lies to the immediate southeast and the Swindon to Gloucester railway line lies to the immediate east.

1.2.2 The PDA comprises agricultural land which had generally been recently planted, harvested or ploughed at the time of the archaeological trial trenching. It also included areas of grassland used for grazing. The River Frome runs broadly northwest-southeast in close proximity to the southeast of the PDA, to the immediate south of the A419. Its tributary known as Nastend Brook runs broadly southwest-northeast through the southern part of the PDA.

1.2.3 The PDA has a rolling topography with the highest points being at Nupend and Nastend sloping down towards the River Frome and its tributary (Nastend Brook) in the southeastern end of the PDA. Spothights of c.41m Above Ordnance Datum (AOD) and c.40m AOD are recorded at Nupend and north of Nastend Farm falling to the south and eastward to c.23m AOD along Nastend Brook. The underlying solid geology consists of Jurassic Lower Lias Formation and Charmouth Mudstone Formation (www.bgs.ac.uk). Overlying drift deposits of river terrace gravels and sands exist to the south of Nupend and southwest of Nastend and along the course of the River Frome.

1.3 Archaeological background

1.3.1 The archaeological and historical background of the PDA has been detailed in full in the Desk-based Assessment (CgMs 2012). The results are summarised below.

1.3.2 There has been little previous archaeological fieldwork within the vicinity of the PDA. A trial trench evaluation was carried out adjacent to Oldends Farm at the east of the PDA in 2009, revealing the remains of former Medieval ridge and furrow cultivation, along with Post-medieval/Modern drainage features and a former boundary (CgMs 2012/ HER 33521). Former ridge and furrow cultivation has been identified over large parts of the PDA from aerial photograph evidence (CgMs 2012) and a number of historic hedgerow boundaries have been recorded that are considered important under the 1997 Hedgerow Regulations.

1.3.3 Prehistoric

The topography of the PDA and its close association with the course of the River Frome would have provided a suitable landscape for Prehistoric occupation. However, there is little recorded evidence for any Prehistoric activity within the PDA and immediate surrounding area comprising an isolated findspot to the east of St Cyr's Church (CgMs 2012/ HER 11850).

1.3.4 *Roman*

Roman findspots are recorded in the wider surrounding area to the west, south and east of the PDA (CgMs 2012/ HER 6935, 13161, 13163, 6935 and 6938). Further afield, evidence of Roman occupation has been recorded in the Stonehouse area. In particular, recent fieldwork c.2.2km to the east of the PDA revealed remains comprising pits, postholes, ditches, gullies, burials, a trackway and corn-drying oven (Cotswold Archaeology 2012). It has been suggested that a Roman villa was sited at Westend approximately 1.9km to the northwest of the PDA (Keys 1964). However, there is no corresponding evidence detailed in the HER (CgMs 2012).

1.3.5 *Saxon*

Stonehouse is recorded in the Domesday Book of AD1086 as having formed a pre-conquest manor, held at the time of Edward the Confessor by Tovi (Williams and Martin 2003). It is possible that settlement at Stonehouse was established during the late Saxon period, with an earlier settlement at Eastington in the vicinity of Churchend. In closer proximity, c.280m to the east of the PDA the remains of possible Deserted Medieval Village (DMV) are recorded at Stonehouse (CgMs 2012/ HER 5251). It is likely that the PDA comprised agricultural land and/or woodland throughout the Saxon period.

1.3.6 *Medieval*

By the Medieval period the PDA lay within the parish of Stonehouse held by William de Eu. An area of parkland of Medieval and/or Post-medieval date is recorded in association with Stonehouse Court (CgMs 2012/ HER 41365). Hamlet settlements at Churchend, Nupend, Nastend and Oldends were the focus of settlement at this time and the surrounding areas appears to have been primarily agricultural comprising open fields and associated woodland and meadow. Documentary evidence suggests that the PDA was in agricultural use, either as cultivated land or as uncultivated meadow throughout the Medieval period. This is supported by aerial photograph evidence which shows the remains of Medieval and/or Post-Medieval cultivation across large parts of the PDA (CgMs 2012).

1.3.7 *Post-Medieval and Modern*

By 1839 the PDA fell within the parishes of Stonehouse and Eastington and the respective Tithe maps show that the area comprised open land, indicated as being in pastoral use. Small farmsteads are shown on adjacent land. The 1st Edition Ordnance Survey map of 1884 shows little change. The Bristol and Gloucester Railway line, which opened in 1844 had been constructed to the immediate east of the PDA. Aside from which the PDA and surrounding land remained predominantly rural comprising open land with dispersed

farmsteads. The 1938 Ordnance Survey map shows that an allotment garden and associated outbuilding had been established broadly centrally within the PDA, in the vicinity of Nupend Farm (CgMs 2012). These are also depicted on the 1972 Ordnance Survey map but had been removed by 1980. The 1980 Ordnance Survey map shows a number of ancillary buildings had been constructed at Nupend Farm and the 2006 Ordnance Survey map indicates continued development within the farmyard.

1.3.8 Subsequent evaluation in the form of a geophysical survey (Bartlett–Clark, 2013) carried out on the PDA in October to December 2012 supported the findings of the DBA (CgMs 2012). The geophysical survey largely identified anomalies corresponding with former field boundaries along with evidence for extensive ridge and furrow (in non-arable areas). Aside from which there was little evidence for any activity of archaeological interest. Notably, a well-defined ditched enclosure of probable Late Prehistoric (Iron Age) date was identified in the southwestern part of the PDA at Nastend (as mapped on Illus 9).

1.3.9 Archaeological evidence from the PDA and the surrounding area suggests that the PDA has the potential to contain archaeological deposits from the Medieval and Post-medieval periods. It is considered likely that any such remains would be of an agricultural nature. Additionally, the geophysical survey (Bartlett–Clark, 2013) highlighted the potential for isolated remains of Late Prehistoric date. The above findings were noted prior to trial trenching being undertaken and have been considered in the production of this report.

2. METHODOLOGY

2.1 Objectives

2.1.1 The objectives of the evaluation were:

- to identify and assess the particular significance of any as yet unknown buried archaeological or palaeoenvironmental remains that may be affected by the proposed development;
- to determine and understand the nature, extent, condition, date, function and character of any remains on the PDA, in their cultural and environmental setting;
- to assess the quality, significance and state of preservation of any archaeological features and deposits affected by the proposed

development and to assess the ecofactual and palaeo-environmental potential of any archaeological deposits and features within the PDA;

- to analyse any evidence retrieved in light of objectives contained within the frameworks of local and regional research. In this case they are provided by *The Archaeology of South-West England, South West Archaeological Research Framework* (Somerset County Council 2007). This is supported by *Exploring Our Past* (English Heritage 1991), and *English Heritage Archaeology Division Research Agenda* (English Heritage 1997). Furthermore, as Iron Age remains were anticipated, period based research themes were also identified as outlined in *Understanding the British Iron Age: An Agenda for Action - A Report for the Iron Age Research Seminar and the Council of the Prehistoric Society* (Haselgrove et al 2001).

2.1.2 In addition to these general aims, it was hoped the results of the evaluation would provide an opportunity to address the following specific research objectives:

- establishing the depth and character of archaeologically ‘sterile’ overburden;
- identifying, characterising and dating any potential archaeological remains within the PDA;
- informing any future mitigation strategy as appropriate; and
- defining any constraints (e.g. areas of disturbance, service locations, etc.) and any potential constraints for further archaeological fieldwork if required.
- We will also consider the following Regional and Period based research objectives:
 - **Research Aim 14** detailed in *The Archaeology of South-West England* (Somerset County Council 2007) to “Widen our understanding of Later Bronze Age and Iron Age material culture.”
 - **Research Theme C2.1** detailed in *Understanding the British Iron Age: An Agenda for Action* (Haselgrove et al 2001) to “Increase data relating to, knowledge of and publication of information on enclosed and open settlements, their regional variations and patterns and their artefactual and ecofactual data.”

2.2 Methodology

2.2.1 The fieldwork took place between April and October 2013. A total of 182 trenches each measuring 50 metres in length were proposed, amounting to 9,050 linear metres at 2.10 meters in width. The trenches were laid out in order to test the geophysical anomalies and blank areas within the PDA and to provide a 2% sample (19,005sqm) of the 95.1 hectare area. A number of areas within the PDA could not be trenched at this stage (as shown on Illus 2) comprising:

- existing/working farmyard
- areas with ecological constraints
- areas with service / public rights of way constraints
- woodland
- open area not proposed for development

2.2.2 The fieldwork was divided into three Phases (due to the timing of access) as shown on Illus 1. Phase one was carried out between the 22nd April and the 24th May 2013 comprising the excavation of 139 trenches. Subsequently, Phase two was carried out between the 16th September and the 1st October 2013 comprising the excavation of 36 trenches. A third phase was undertaken on the 2nd October 2013 to allow for the excavation of two trenches on land at east of the PDA. However, these could not be excavated due to access issues (Illus 1). In total seven trenches were not excavated, of which three (Trenches 7, 146 and 147) were not excavated due to access issues. Trench 105 was not excavated as it was located in an area of dense woodland and could not be re-located to adjacent land due to presence of a high pressure gas main. Three trenches (Trenches 94, 95 and 145) were positioned outside the current proposed development area and were not excavated.

2.2.3 There was a contingency for an additional 2% sample if deemed necessary. As agreed between GCCAS, CgMs and Headland Archaeology at a site meeting it was deemed pertinent to extend Trench 99 (as shown on Illus 2 and 9) to allow for further investigation. Trench 99 was extended along its northwestern edge to examine the possible internal area within the enclosure. Trench 99 extension area was recorded in plan as shown on Illus 9.

2.2.4 A 360 degree tracked mechanical excavator equipped with a flat-bladed bucket was used to remove topsoil under direct archaeological control. Excavation continued until clean geological sediments or significant archaeological deposits were encountered.

2.2.5 Further excavation required to satisfy the objectives of the evaluation was continued by hand. A representative sample, sufficient to meet the objectives of the evaluation, was investigated by hand and all features were recorded. The stratigraphy of each trench was recorded in full.

2.3 Recording

2.3.1 All work and recording was in accordance with the code of practice of the Institute for Archaeologists (IfA) and the *Statement of Standards and Practices Appropriate for Archaeological Fieldwork in Gloucestershire* (GCC 1995). All trenches and contexts were given unique numbers. All recording was undertaken on pro forma record cards that conform to accepted archaeological standards. All stratigraphic relationships were recorded.

2.3.2 An overall site plan at an appropriate scale and relative to the National Grid was recorded by digital survey using a differential GPS.

2.3.3 A full photographic record comprising colour slide and black and white print photographs was taken, supplemented with digital photography. A metric scale was clearly visible in record photographs.

3. RESULTS

3.1 Introduction

3.1.1 Full trench descriptions, including orientation, length and depth are presented in Appendix 1.1. Technical details of individual contexts are presented in Appendix 1.2. Contexts are numbered by trench number: ie Trench 1 [101], Trench 2 [201]. Cut features are shown as [101] whilst their fills are expressed as (102) for example. The results are described in chronological order.

3.1.2 The overburden across the PDA varied, most likely as a result of long-term agricultural land-use. Topsoil was recorded directly overlying natural in six trenches. Subsoil was identified underlying topsoil and overlying natural in 169 trenches. However, the subsoil generally comprised a fairly mixed silty clay deposit with frequent lenses of re-deposited natural, indicating recent below ground disturbance. The topsoil varied in thickness from 0.12m (Trench 137) to 0.34m (Trench 2). The subsoil varied in thickness from 70mm (Trench 132) to 0.45m (Trench 16). The underlying natural geology generally comprised a mottled brownish orange to orangey brown silty clay with lenses of mid blue grey clay.

3.1.3 There was limited evidence for any remains of archaeological significance revealed in any of the 175 trenches. Features were recorded in twenty-three trenches (Trenches 13, 15, 16, 17, 21, 37, 44, 45, 46, 47, 61, 62, 66, 70, 98, 99, 108, 115, 116, 134, 144, 181 and 182 as mapped on Illus 4, 5, 7 and 8), of which two trenches (Trenches 98 and 99) contained Middle Iron Age to Roman remains. The remaining twenty-one trenches largely revealed Post-Medieval remains producing 17th century and later dating evidence. In addition to which, former furrows were recorded in thirty-six trenches widely dispersed across the PDA as shown on Illus 2. A further twenty trenches (Trenches 3, 4, 18, 24, 25, 28, 29, 36, 45, 47, 51, 52, 74, 88, 108, 130, 175, 178, 179 and 180 as shown on Illus 2) were identified containing possible features, which on hand investigation proved to be of natural geological origin.

3.1.4 In total seventeen trenches produced datable artefacts collected from the fills of features and the overburden. During the fieldwork, twelve trenches were identified containing features considered to be of greater interest comprising:

- Four trenches (Trenches 44, 98, 99 and 115) containing features considered to be of archaeological significance;
- Eight trenches (Trenches 44, 46, 47, 62, 66, 115, 181 and 182) containing features of possible archaeological significance.

3.1.5 Subsequent analysis work has proved that the remains recorded within these twelve trenches were largely Post-Medieval in date, probably relating to agricultural activity. Overall, the trial trench evaluation largely revealed evidence for Medieval and Post-Medieval agricultural land-use as previously demonstrated by the geophysical survey (as mapped on Illus 4 to 8). The results are described below in chronological order.

3.1.6 Whilst the trial trenches were largely archaeologically sterile the evaluation revealed varying evidence for Medieval to Modern agricultural activity. There was notable evidence for Modern truncation resulting from agricultural land-use (for example from the construction of land-drains).

3.2 *Prehistoric and Roman*

3.2.1 There were no remains or features of Early Prehistoric date recorded during the evaluation and no artefacts of Early Prehistoric date were recovered from the overburden.

3.2.2 There was evidence for Middle Iron Age to Roman activity recorded in two trenches (Trench 98 and 99) in the southwestern part of the PDA (at

Nastend), corresponding with the geophysical survey results (Bartlett-Clark 2013).

3.2.3 Trench 98 contained a single broadly northeast-southwest aligned ditch [9801] measuring 2.42m wide, with steep sloping sides and a flat base measuring 0.70m deep (Illus 10). The primary (9802) and secondary (9803) fills both produced middle to Late Iron Age and Roman pottery. The position of ditch [9801] broadly corresponded with the geophysical survey results as shown on Illus 9.

3.2.4 Trench 99 revealed two northwest-southeast aligned ditches [9901] (Illus 11) and [9907] (Illus 12) positioned at either end of the trench. Two undated pits [9903] and [9905] were situated in between the ditches, broadly centrally within the trench. Ditch [9901] measured 1.00m wide with gradual sloping sides and a slightly rounded base measuring 0.41m deep producing bone but no diagnostic material. Ditch [9907] measured 2.10m with a 'V' shaped profile measuring 0.90m wide, producing middle to Late Iron Age and Roman pottery along with an intrusive piece of Modern glass. Pit [9903] was circular in plan with a steep 'U' shaped profile measuring 0.33m deep. Pit [9905] was circular in plan with vertical sides measuring 0.19m deep. The position of ditches [9901] and [9907] corresponds with the geophysical survey results as shown on Illus 9. Similarly pit [9905] is positioned in close proximity to an anomaly mapped by the geophysical survey. Although undated pits [9903] and [9905] are positioned within the central area of the enclosure as depicted by the geophysical survey (Illus 9) and are considered likely to be contemporary with ditches [9901] and [9907] in Trench 99 and ditch [9801] in Trench 98.

3.2.5 Trench 99 was extended along its northwestern edge to further examine the internal area within the enclosure. This revealed two ditches [9909] and [9913] and two possible pits [9911] and [9915] which were recorded in plan as shown on Illus 9. Northwest-southeast ditch [9909] measured 5.10m + in length and up to 0.96m wide. East-west ditch [9913] measured 6.00m + long and up to 1.30m wide. Possible pit [9911] was intercutting with ditch [9909], it was sub circular in plan measuring 1.10m by 0.57m. Possible pit [9915] intersected with ditch [9913], it was sub circular in plan measuring 1.68m wide by 1.12m wide. Two pieces of Saxo-Norman pottery were collected from the surface of ditch [9909], accordingly it is possible that the features recorded within the extension to Trench 99 are of later date. However, it is considered likely that the pottery is intrusive and the result of agricultural activity such as manuring.

3.2.6 Five linear features were recorded in Trench 115 some distance to the west of Trenches 98 and 99. Parallel linear features [11507], [11509] and [11511] were all filled by a sterile silty clay and were interpreted as furrows broadly corresponding with the geophysical survey results as shown on Illus 8. Whilst ditch [11503] ran on a similar northeast-southwest alignment as the furrows it was notably different in plan and section. It measured 1.70m wide with a broadly 'U' shaped profile measuring 0.60m deep producing a sherd of Roman pottery. Shallow gully [11505] positioned at the eastern end of Trench 115 contained a similar clayey silt fill as ditch [11503] and it is considered likely to be contemporary based on its position and morphology. Ditches [11503] and gully [11505] probably relate to a Romano-British field system, although the possibility that they could reflect later agricultural features cannot be discounted. It is possible that this could have been contemporary with the activity recorded in Trenches 98 and 99, forming an outlying area associated with the enclosure. A single linear feature [11603] was recorded in Trench 116 to the immediate north of Trench 115. However, this was irregular in plan and section and was interpreted as the remains of a furrow. It runs parallel to the immediate south of a cultivation feature mapped by the geophysical survey as shown on Illus 8.

3.2.7 Overall, aside from the remains recorded in Trenches 98 and 99 there was little evidence for any sustained Prehistoric or Roman activity elsewhere within the PDA. Posthole [18206] recorded in Trench 182 at the northwest of the PDA (by Nupend Farm) produced one sherd of Middle to Late Iron Age pottery however this is considered to be residual. Roman pottery was collected from the fill of ditch [4705] (Trench 47) however it is considered likely to be residual. Notably, pit [4607] recorded in Trench 46; adjacent to ditch [4705] produced Roman and Medieval pottery. Roman pottery was collected from the overburden in four widely dispersed trenches (Trenches 29, 100, 107 and 144) indicative of later agricultural land use such as manuring.

3.3 Saxon and Medieval

3.3.1 There were no remains or features of Saxon date recorded during the evaluation. A sherd of Saxo-Norman pottery was recovered from the overburden in Trench 25. In addition two sherds of Saxo-Norman pottery were collected from the surface (9910) of ditch [9909] recorded in plan in Trench 99 extension area. As detailed above it is considered likely that the Saxo-Norman pottery is an intrusive surface find and does not serve to date ditch [9909].

3.3.2 Medieval pottery was recovered from the fills of two features recorded in adjacent trenches (Trenches 46 and 47) at the northwest of the PDA. Pit

[4607] (in Trench 46) produced Roman and Medieval pottery from fill (4608), as detailed above the Roman pottery is interpreted as residual. It is possible pit [4607] is of Medieval date, however it is considered more likely that the Medieval pottery is also residual and that pit [4607] relates to the Post-Medieval remains recorded in the adjacent trenches (Trenches 42, 44 and 47). Ditch terminus/pit [4715] contained residual Medieval pottery along with Post-Medieval artefacts, further highlighting the likelihood that pit [4607] is also of later date.

3.3.3 Medieval pottery was collected from the overburden in two widely dispersed trenches (Trenches 29 and 144) indicative of later agricultural land use such as manuring. In addition an area of disturbance (10905) was recorded in Trench 109 comprising mixed topsoil and subsoil with lenses of re-deposited natural; it produced a single sherd of Medieval pottery.

3.3.4 Overall, there was very little evidence for any Saxon and Medieval activity across the PDA. A very small assemblage of Saxon and Medieval pottery was collected from the overburden and there were no features proved to be of either date. However, this is not unsurprising and serves to support the documentary evidence which suggests the entire PDA was in agricultural land-use throughout these periods.

3.4 Post-Medieval to Modern

3.4.1 There was widespread evidence for Post-Medieval and Modern activity recorded across the PDA. Twenty-two trenches were identified containing former field boundaries and agricultural features/ areas of disturbance of Post-Medieval/Modern date as shown on Illus 2. In general, the overburden was fairly sterile across the entire PDA and Post-medieval artefacts were only collected from the overburden in three trenches (Trenches 25, 42 and 144).

3.4.2 Features (not including mapped former boundaries) producing Post-Medieval dating evidence were recorded in five widely dispersed trenches (Trenches 13, 44, 47, 70 and 181) and Modern dating evidence was recovered from one feature in Trench 13. Ditch [5701] recorded in Trench 57 corresponding with a former field boundary shown on the historic mapping produced a fragment of Post-Medieval brick. In addition two furrows [4207] and [18114] recorded in Trenches 42 and 181 respectively produced Post-Medieval pottery. Furrows [4207] and [18114] corresponded with cultivation features mapped by the geophysical survey.

3.4.3 Trench 13 revealed two northeast-southwest aligned ditches [1303] and [1305]. Ditch [1303] measured 0.80m wide with a 'U' shaped profile

measuring 0.40m deep, producing Post-medieval pottery. Ditch [1305] measured 0.90m wide with an irregular profile measuring 0.45m deep, producing modern pottery. Ditches [1303] and [1305] are positioned broadly centrally between two former field boundaries as shown on Illus 3 and are possibly contemporary with these, relating to former land division.

3.4.4 Trench 44 contained a series of five linear features, comprising two parallel northeast-southwest aligned gullies [4412] and [4410] and two parallel east-west gullies [4418] and [4414] and northwest-southeast aligned ditch [4416], of which gullies [4412] and [4414] contained Post-Medieval pottery. Gullies [4412], [4418], [4410] and [4414] were fairly evenly spaced between 3.00m and 4.80m apart, each measuring between 0.40m and 1.10m wide and up to 0.70m deep. They all contained similar fills and based on their position and morphology are considered likely to be broadly contemporary, probably serving as drainage gullies. Gully [4414] was truncated by ditch [4416] which contained a ceramic land drain at 0.24m below the ground surface. Four postholes [4404], [4407], [4418] and [4422] were interspersed between the gullies. They measured between 0.40m and 0.72m in diameter and up to 0.29m deep. Posthole [4420] was truncated by gully [4418]. It is possible that the postholes are of earlier date however they are considered more likely to be of Post-Medieval date, relating to agricultural activity.

3.4.5 A ditch terminus/pit [4715] was recorded at the northeast end of Trench 47. It measured 2.60m wide by 0.49m deep and contained a quantity of Post-Medieval pottery along with two clay pipe stems. In addition, four undated linear features and three undated discreet features were also revealed in Trench 47. Two broadly northeast-southwest aligned gullies [4709] and [4713] were recorded to the immediate southwest of ditch/pit [4715] and two northwest-southeast aligned ditches [4703] and [4705] lay further to the southwest. The linear features measured between 0.75m and 1.00m wide and up to 0.35m deep and all contained a similar sterile silty clay fill. Sub-circular/irregular pits [4711], [4707] and [4717] similarly contained sterile silty clay fills. Pit [4707] was truncated by gully [4709] and pit [4711] was truncated by gully [4713]. Whilst largely undated the remains revealed in Trench 47 are considered likely to be broadly contemporary with Post-Medieval ditch/pit [4715] probably relating to agricultural activity. A number of the features recorded in Trench 47 correspond with cultivation features depicted by the geophysical survey as shown on Illus 5.

3.4.6 The Ordnance Survey map dated to 1938 shows 'Allotments' positioned at the north of the site in the vicinity of Nupend Farm. These are still shown on the Ordnance Survey map dated to 1972 but had been removed

by 1980. The location of Trenches 60 to 64 broadly correspond with the footprints of the 'Allotment' which was positioned alongside to the footpath (which remains in place today). Trenches 44 to 47 are located immediately adjacent to the location of the former 'Allotment' on the opposite side of the footpath. It is thought likely some (if not all) of the features recorded in Trenches 44 and 47 could relate to the former 'Allotment' shown on the Ordnance Survey maps of 1938 and 1972.

3.4.7 A single northwest-southeast aligned gully was revealed at the western end of Trench 70. It measured 0.40m wide by 50mm deep and is interpreted as the remains of a drainage feature. It produced a fragment of CBM of Post-Medieval date.

3.4.8 Trench 181 contained a sub-rectangular feature [18108], only partially revealed within the trench measuring 1.20m+ in length by 0.70m+ wide. It had steep undercutting sides and a flat base. The primary fill (18109) contained Post-Medieval pottery and the secondary fill (18110) produced five sherds of Post-Medieval pottery. Two undated pits were recorded at the easternmost end of Trench 181. However, these proved to be of Modern date based on the stratigraphy. Irregular pits [18118] and [18120] both truncated land drain [18116] and are considered likely to relate to modern ground disturbance post-dating the construction of the land drain. A northwest-southeast aligned gully [18122] was positioned broadly centrally within trench 181, containing a sterile clayey silt fill. Its alignment corresponds with a number of cultivation features mapped by the geophysical survey as shown on Illus 5 and it is considered likely to relate to agricultural activity. In addition three furrows ([18104], [18113] and [18114]) were observed evenly spaced along Trench 181, corresponding with the geophysical survey results.

3.4.9 The Ordnance Survey map dated to 1938 shows an outbuilding positioned at Nupend Farm in the location of Trenches 181 and 182. The building is still shown on the Ordnance Survey map of 1972 but had been removed by 1980. It is thought likely that sub-rectangular feature [18108] relates to this former building and that irregular pits, [18118] and [18120], relate to ground disturbance following the removal of this building.

3.4.10 Overall, there was varying evidence for Post-Medieval and Modern activity across the PDA, probably predominantly relating to agricultural land use.

3.5 *Undated*

3.5.1 Undated features were recorded in fourteen trenches (Trenches 15, 16, 17, 21, 37, 45, 46, 61, 62, 66, 108, 134, 144 and 182) (as shown on Illus 4, 5, 7 and 8). These largely comprised linear features considered likely to relate to agricultural activity of Post-medieval and modern date.

3.5.2 Four widely dispersed trenches (Trenches 37, 108, 134 and 144) all contained single linear features thought likely to relate to agricultural land use. Trench 37 contained a northeast-southwest aligned gully [3703] positioned on the same alignment as a former field boundary. Its position also corresponded with geophysical anomalies (magnetic anomalies on former field boundary) (Illus 4). Trench 108 revealed an irregular linear feature measuring 2.26m wide by 0.17m deep containing an organic fill suggestive of agricultural activity. Trench 134 contained a northeast-southwest aligned linear feature [13403] measuring 0.60m wide by 0.20m deep. It was interpreted as the remains of a furrow and its position corresponds with cultivation features mapped by the geophysical survey (Illus 7). Trench 144 was located in an area with a number of former furrows. Northwest-southeast aligned gully [14403] measured 0.54m wide by 0.16m deep and contained moderate fragments of charcoal and CBM in the fill. It was interpreted as a drainage feature of probable modern date as it truncated a furrow.

3.5.3 Trenches 15, 16, 17 and 21 were located adjacent to one another at the west of the PDA (Illus 4). Trenches 15, 16 and 21 contained linear features recorded on similar alignments to former field boundaries as shown on Illus 4. Trench 15 contained a northeast-southwest aligned gully [1503] and a northwest-southeast aligned gully [1505] both running parallel to former field boundaries. Accordingly they are considered likely to represent the remains of drainage features associated with the earlier field layout. Trenches 16 and 21 both contained a single gully [1603] and [2103], running parallel to a former field boundary. It is considered likely that gully [1603] and [2103] represent the remains of a continuous drainage feature associated with the earlier field layout. Trench 17 contained a single irregular linear feature [1705] interpreted as the probable remains of a furrow and lies on a similar northeast-southwest alignment to cultivation remains depicted further to the southwest of Trench 17.

3.5.4 Notably, undated remains recorded within five trenches (Trenches 45, 46, 61, 62 and 66) are considered likely to relate to the former 'Allotment' first shown on the Ordnance Survey map dated to 1938 as detailed above. Trenches 60 to 64 are positioned broadly within the footprints of the former 'Allotment' and Trenches 44 to 47 are located immediately adjacent to the

location of the former 'Allotment.' Trench 66 lies in close proximity to the north of the former 'Allotment.' Accordingly it is considered likely that the undated remains revealed in Trenches 45, 46, 61, 62 and 66 relate to the former 'Allotment' and associated activity and are of modern date.

3.5.5 In particular Trench 62 revealed a sub rectangular feature [6201] partially revealed within the trench. On initial identification it was thought possible that it could represent the remains of a sunken featured building. It had steep sloping sides measuring 0.27m deep. A possible posthole [6203] was identified truncating its base. It is thought possible that sub rectangular feature [6201] could represent the remains of an ancillary building associated with the 'Allotment' such as a shed, not shown on the historic mapping. A single posthole [6603] was recorded in Trench 66. It was oval in plan measuring 0.42m by 0.23m with steep sides measuring 0.11m deep. It is difficult to provide any detailed interpretation of an isolated posthole but it could represent the remains of a former fence-line. It is possible that it is of earlier date but Trench 66 is located in close proximity to the immediate north of the former 'Allotment,' accordingly it is considered likely to be of more recent origin.

3.5.6 Trench 61 revealed a northwest-southeast aligned ditch measuring 1.80m wide with a broadly 'U' Shaped profile measuring 0.26m deep. It is recorded on a similar alignment to a cultivation feature mapped by the geophysical survey (as shown on Illus 5) and is considered likely to be of agricultural or similar origin. Two northwest-southeast aligned gullies [4503] and [4505] were recorded in Trench 45 along with an irregular pit [4507] interpreted as the remains of a tree throw. Gully [4503] contained a land drain at the base and a land drain was also located to the immediate east of [4505] on the same alignment. Accordingly gullies [4503] and [4505] were both interpreted as drainage gullies. Trench 46 revealed two pits [4604] and [4607] along with a posthole [4602] broadly corresponding with cultivation remains mapped by the geophysical survey (Illus 5) and are interpreted as the remains of Modern agricultural activity.

3.5.7 A broadly northwest-southeast aligned linear feature [18204] was recorded towards the eastern end of Trench 182. Postholes [18206] and [18208] were revealed on opposite sides of the linear feature [18204] adjacent to each other and based on their position and morphology all three features are considered likely to be contemporary. Posthole [18206] produced a sherd of Middle to Late Iron Age pottery however this was thought likely to be residual. Four furrows ([18211], [18213], [18216] and [18218]) were observed in Trench 182 corresponding with the geophysical survey results, indicating

general ground disturbance as a result of agricultural activity, highlighting the likelihood that the pottery was residual. Similar to Trench 181 the remains recorded in Trench 182 are thought likely to relate to the outbuilding shown on maps dating to 1938 to 1972 in the location of Trenches 181 and 182.

3.5.8 Overall, the undated remains are generally considered to represent Post-Medieval/Modern activity of an agricultural nature.

3.6 Description of the significance of the heritage assets

3.6.1 The local and regional research contexts are provided by The Archaeology of South-West England, South West Archaeological Research *Framework* (Somerset County Council 2007), the aims of which are to survey and evaluate our current understanding of the region's historic environment. This is supported by *Exploring Our Past (English Heritage 1991)*, and *English Heritage Archaeology Division Research Agenda* (English Heritage 1997). Furthermore, period based research themes are provided by *Understanding the British Iron Age: An Agenda for Action - A Report for the Iron Age Research Seminar and the Council of the Prehistoric Society* (Haselgrove et al 2001).

3.6.2 At present the Middle Iron Age to Roman remains within the PDA do not allow for any detailed consideration of the research aims outlined in these documents, given the nature of the remains and the fairly limited artefactual and ecofactual data produced. However, they have the potential to contribute to our general understanding of these periods in the region. If any further mitigation work is carried out in advance of development this may allow for greater consideration of specific research aims.

3.6.3 The documentary evidence suggests that the PDA and surrounding area has largely been in agricultural use from the Saxon period onwards. The results of the evaluation serve to confirm this, corresponding with the aerial photographic evidence and the geophysical survey results. The Medieval/Post-Medieval agricultural remains recorded within the PDA aid our general understanding of development of the landscape at this time in the area.

3.6.4 Although the trial trenching only revealed fairly limited archaeological evidence for past activity of any date the results contribute to our general understanding of the development of agricultural activity in the region. A summary of the significant heritage assets identified by the trial trenching is set out in Table 1 below.

Table 1 Summary of Significant Heritage Assets (HA's)

Description of Heritage Asset	Trench Number/s	Feature Number/s	Significance of heritage asset (Low, Medium, High) and of local, regional, national, international interest
HA1 Middle Iron Age to Roman activity	98 and 99		Medium significance of local interest
HA2 Medieval/Post-Medieval agricultural activity	N/A- Widely dispersed across PDA (as detailed above/ shown on Illus 2-7)		Low significance of local interest

4. FINDS ASSESSMENT

by Paul Blinkhorn and Julie Lochrie

4.1 Introduction

4.1.1 The finds assemblage comprises 104 sherds of pottery, six pieces of CBM, two clay pipes, two metal objects and a fragment of glass ranging in date from the Iron Age to modern period. The most substantial aspects of the assemblage consist of the Iron Age, Roman, Medieval and Post-Medieval pottery.

4.1.2 A complete table of all the finds is presented in Appendix 2 and a summary of the assemblage is shown in Table 2.

4.1.3 The finds assessed includes those collected by hand in the field and any collected by wet sieving. Wet-sieved finds were retrieved by flotation and wet sieving in a Siraf-style flotation machine. Any material remaining in the flotation tank (retent) was wet-sieved through a 1mm mesh and air-dried. The remaining material was sorted, scanned with a magnet and any material of archaeological significance removed.

4.1.4 The finds have undergone visual examination and, where appropriate, microscopic examination (x10, x20 or X60). All finds have been catalogued on an Access database using visual and metric recording.

4.1.5 The pottery was bulk-sorted by context and the material from each recorded by type, quantity, weight and fabric and recorded as a single database entry. Where possible, the pottery fabrics were recorded using the

4.1.6 Gloucester City type-series (eg Vince 1984a and 1984b), aside from the

Roman Finewares, which were recorded using codes of the National Roman Fabric Reference Collection.

Table 2 Summary of the finds assemblage by trench and context- quantified by number of finds (unless specified all dates are AD)

Trench	Context	Date	Pottery (Iron Age)	Pottery (Roman)	Pottery (Medieval and later)	Ceramic Building Materials	Clay Pipe	Metalwork	Glass
13	1304	17 th Century	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
13	1306	19 th Century	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
25	2501	17 th Century	-	-	4	-	-	-	-
29	2901	15 th Century	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
42	4201	17 th Century	-	-	2	1	-	-	-
42	4208	17 th Century	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	4413	16 th Century	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
44	4415	17 th Century	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
46	4608	11 th Century	-	1	1	-	-	-	-
47	4706	2 nd Century	-	1	-	-	2	-	-
47	4716	17 th Century	-	-	4	-	-	-	-
47	4719	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
057	5702	Medi-PM	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
070	7002	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
98	9802	3 rd Century	6	3	-	-	-	1	-
98	9803	1 st Century	15	1	-	-	-	-	-
99	9900	Roman	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
99	9908	2 nd Century	25	8	-	2	-	-	1
99	9910	11 th Century	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
100	10000	3 rd – 4 th	-	1	-	-	-	-	-

Trench	Context	Date	Pottery (Iron Age)	Pottery (Roman)	Pottery (Medieval and later)	Ceramic Building Materials	Clay Pipe	Metalwork	Glass
		Century							
107	10701	1 st -3 rd Century	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
109	10905	Late 15 th Century	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
115	11504	15 th Century	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
144	14400	15 th Century	-	-	5	-	-	-	-
144	14402	2 nd Century	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
181	18109	17 th Century	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
181	18110	Late 17 th Century	-	-	5	-	-	-	-
181	18115	17 th Century	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
182	18207	Iron Age	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
			47	22	35	6	2	2	1

4.2 Pottery

4.2.1 The pottery assemblage comprised 104 sherds with a total weight of 806g. The pottery occurrence by number and weight of sherds per context by fabric type is shown in Table 3. Each date should be regarded as a *terminus post quem*. The range of fabric types is typical of sites in the region (see Table 3).

4.2.2 The Iron Age pottery consisted of 47 sherds of probable Middle to Late Iron Age date. Pottery sherds of this date were highest in number but were retrieved from relatively few contexts which were concentrated in the south of the PDA, within Trenches 98 and 99.

4.2.3 The Roman pottery assemblage totals 22 sherds ranging in date between the 1st and 4th centuries AD. These sherds were recovered from several trenches but included a concentration from Trenches 98 and 99, possibly suggesting a continuity of occupation from the Iron Age to the Roman period.

4.2.4 The Medieval and later pottery was scattered across most finds-bearing trenches. Medieval pottery numbered 14 sherds and was found in seven trenches (Trenches 25, 29, 46, 47, 99, 109 and 144) ranging in date between the 11th to early 17th century. The Post-Medieval pottery was mostly 17th century in date, totalling 17 sherds collected from six trenches (Trenches 13, 25, 42, 44, 47 and 181).

Table 3: Pottery occurrence by number and weight (in g) of sherds per context by fabric type

Context	IAFI		TF2		TF4		TF5		TF11		TF22		LGFSA		TF41B		TF52		TF60		TF80		TF70		TF62		TF94		TF72		TF74		19thC					
	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt	No	Wt						
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4608									1	27																												
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9802	6	43							1	6	1	9	1	3																								
9803	15	44							1	7																												
9908	25	75							1	10	2	10	2	13																								
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Total	45	171	1	96	1	10	5	34	8	189	6	35	1	15	6	44	8	17	1	2	10	149	2	12	2	2	11	1	2	2	3	2	2	14				

IAF1: Moderately hard, slightly sandy textured clay containing sparse coarse fossil shell fragments up to 2 mm, and common limestone, discrete ooliths, crushed fossil shell and calcitic fragments. Smooth, soapy feel; TF2: Grog-tempered Ware; TF4: Black-burnished Ware; TF5: Local Grey Ware; TF11: Severn Valley Ware; TF22: Shell-tempered Ware; LGFSA: South Gaulish Samian Ware; TF41B: Saxo-Norman Oolitic limestone Ware; TF 52: Oxidized glazed Malvernian Ware; TF 60: Cistercian Ware; TF 62: Anglo-Dutch Tin-Glazed Earthenware; TF70: North Devon Gravel-tempered Ware; TF72: Staffordshire/Bristol Slipware; TF74: Staffordshire/Bristol Manganese Glazed Ware; TF80: Glazed Red Earthenware; TF94: Westerwald/Cologne Stoneware 19thC: Miscellaneous 19th and 20th century wares.

4.3 Metalwork

4.3.1 The metalwork includes a copper alloy pin and an iron object. The copper alloy pin is most likely the broken pin section from a brooch. There is thickening and indications of a break at one end to support this. This pin was retrieved from context (9802), the primary fill of ditch [9801], containing Iron Age and Roman pottery, and may date to these periods.

4.3.2 The iron object includes two corroded pieces from a tapering shaft, the dating of which is unclear. There was no associated diagnostic evidence to aid with dating.

4.4 Other Finds

4.4.1 The other finds included six pieces of ceramic building material (CBM), two pieces of clay pipe and a fragment of glass. Most of the CBM comprised small abraded lumps which inhibited dating, however two were clearly handmade bricks of Medieval to Post-Medieval date. The clay pipes are Post-Medieval to Modern in date and the glass is Modern.

5. FAUNAL

By Laura Bailey and Tim Holden

5.1 Faunal Remains Introduction

5.1.1 The animal bone assemblage comprises 258 hand-recovered specimens and 156 specimens recovered from environmental soil samples. The entire assemblage derives from seven contexts (see Table 4), recorded in five separate trenches. A summary of the assemblage is shown in Table 4.

Table 4 Phases of activity identified on site and the proportion of the assemblage

<i>Trench</i>	<i>Context</i>	<i>Weight (g)</i>	<i>Total No of fragments (TNF)</i>	<i>% of Total No.</i>
13	1306	3	3	0.724
25	2501	9.8	10	2.42
44	4406	7.8	2	0.48
98	9802	1048.4	105	25.36
98	9803	69	25	6.04
99	9902	38.8	4	0.97
99	9908	1255.3	265	64
Total		2432.1	414	100

5.2 Methodology

5.2.1 The aims of the assessment were to provide a basic quantification of the available data, to characterise the assemblage as far as possible and to identify the potential of the data-set for further analysis.

5.2.2 The number of identifiable fragments was recorded, together with the preservation and any signs of modification of the bone, in order to assess the quality, quantity and potential of the assemblage. Where possible, fragments were identified to species level using Schmid 1972. However, where bone was very fragmented or undiagnostic it was marked as indeterminate (Table 5).

5.2.3 Three principle techniques were used, where possible, to estimate the age at which animals were slaughtered. Bones were considered ageable if the state of epiphyseal fusion (Silver 1969) could be ascertained or if mandibles had one or more molar teeth present (Grant 1982, Payne 1973).

5.3 Results

5.3.1 The assemblage comprised 414 bone fragments, weighing 2432.1g in total recovered from seven contexts (comprising topsoil, one posthole and five ditches). A full catalogue of the hand excavated remains together with those recovered from the retents is provided in Table 5.

5.3.2 The condition of the bone was generally fair and the surface abrasion was moderate. Surface abrasion describes the degree of erosion of the surface caused by taphonomic factors such as weathering and soil conditions. The condition of the bone suggests that it was not exposed for a long period of time. Fragmentation was moderate throughout the assemblage and both ancient and modern breaks were visible.

Table 5 Summary of Animal bone assemblage

Context	Weight (g)	Total number of fragments	Cattle	Deer	Sheep/goat	Pig	Small ungulate	Rodent	Indet
1306	3	3					3		
2501	9.8	10					10		
4406	7.8	2					1		
9802	1048.4	105	42	15			5	1	42
9803	69	25			25				
9902	38.8	4	4						
9908	1255.3	265	15		5	1	46	126	72
Total	2432.1	414	61	15	30	1	65	127	115

5.3.3 The hand collected assemblage was dominated by a large number of small ungulate bones, likely to have come from sheep/goat, pig or deer. Cattle bones were also abundant in the assemblage. Wild mammals were represented by a single deer mandible collected from the secondary fill (9802) of enclosure ditch [9801] in Trench 98. Pottery from this deposit dated from the mid to late Iron Age and Roman periods. The greatest number and variety of animal bone was recovered from the fill (9908) of enclosure ditch [9907], which contained pottery dating to the Roman period. Bones recovered from this deposit included fragments of long bone, scapulae, ribs and skulls from large ungulates together with long bone fragments, molars (sheep & pig), phalanges, ribs and scapulae from small ungulates.

5.3.4 Rodent bones were recovered from the retents from soil samples <001> and <002>, from the fills (9908) and (9802) of enclosure ditches [9907] and [9801] respectively. Both deposits contained pottery dating to the Roman period.

5.3.5 Although many of the bones were fragmented, no bias in body parts was apparent in the assemblage with fragments of mandible and teeth, skull, vertebrae, ribs, phalanges, astragali, scapulae and long bones, noted for both the small and large ungulates.

5.3.6 Evidence of man-made modification was present on many of the bones implying that butchery was taking place. Chop marks were most frequently observed on the bones of cattle/ large ungulates and sheep/ goat/ small ungulates, many of which were vertically split prior to deposition, possibly for bone marrow extraction.

5.3.7 Fragments of burnt bone were observed in sample <1> from the fill (9908) of enclosure ditch [9907]. These included both scorched (partially burnt) and calcined bones.

5.3.8 Whole bones were rare in all contexts but a few complete articular ends and teeth were noted and will permit the collection of limited metrical data (Albarella 2002).

5.4 Summary

5.4.1 Although the faunal assemblage is small, it is generally well preserved. It comprises the three main types of domesticated animals (of cow, sheep/goat & pig). Deer was present in relatively small quantities from a deposit containing Mid to Late Iron Age and Roman pottery indicating that large animals were being hunted at this time. However, they do not appear to have

played a large part in the economy of the site. Small creatures are represented by rodent bones recovered from the environmental sample retents.

5.5 Recommendations

5.5.1 Although the assemblage is in excess of the minimum of 300 bones suggested for reliable analysis (Hambleton-Dyer 1999), approximately 55 percent of the assemblage was too fragmentary to identify. Further, 126 of the total 414 bones come from an individual rodent. Although the research agenda (Webster 2008) highlights the importance of recording of tooth wear to establish the age of death of pigs, sheep and cattle for inter-site comparison, the number of teeth present in this assemblage is too small to draw any meaningful conclusions. A low level of information could be obtained on butchery methods. However, this would not be sufficient to allow for any comparisons of butchery and cooking methods with other similar sites.

6. ENVIRONMENTAL

By Laura Bailey and Tim Holden

6.1 Introduction

6.1.1 Four bulk samples ranging in volume from 10 to 20 litres were taken during the investigations. The samples were taken from four features comprising the fills of two ditches, a posthole and a sub-rectangular feature. The aims of the assessment were to:

- Assess the presence, preservation and abundance of any palaeoenvironmental materials within the sample;
- Assess the potential of the material for any indications of the function of the feature; and
- Assess whether a proxy-date for the feature can be provided based on any palaeoenvironmental materials present.

The environmental remains are quantified in Tables 6 and 7.

6.2 Methodology

6.2.1 The samples were subjected to flotation and wet sieving in a Siraf-style flotation machine. The floating debris (the flot) was collected in a 250 µm sieve and, once dry, scanned using a binocular microscope. Any material remaining in the flotation tank (retent) was wet-sieved through a 1mm mesh and air-dried. This was then sorted and any material of archaeological significance removed. All plant macrofossil samples were analysed using a stereomicroscope at magnifications of x10 and up to x100 where necessary to aid identification. Identifications, where provided, were confirmed using modern reference material and seed atlases including Cappers *et al.* (2006). A

number of animal bones were recovered from the retents (which are discussed above in Section 5 along with the hand collected bone).

6.3 Results

6.3.1 The results of the assessment are presented in Tables 6 (Retent samples) and 7 (Flotation samples). Material suitable for AMS (Accelerated Mass Spectrometry) radiocarbon dating is shown in the tables.

Table 6: Retent Remains

Context Number	Sample Number	Feature	Sample Vol (l)	Mammal Bone		Shell	Charcoal Quantity	Charcoal max size (cm)	Material Available for AMS	Comments
				Burnt	Unburnt					
9908	1	Fill of Ditch [9907]	20	++	+++	+++	+	1.5	Charcoal +	Charcoal non-oak
9802	2	Primary fill of Ditch [9801]	20		++	++			-	
6202	3	Fill of sub-rectangular feature	20						-	
6204	4	Fill of posthole [6203]	10						-	
Key: += rare (0-5), ++ = occasional (6-15), +++ = common (15-50) and ++++ = abundant (>50)										
NB charcoal over 1cm is suitable for identification and AMS dating										

Table 7: Flotation Sample Results

Context Number	Sample Number	Feature	Total flot Vol (ml)	Charcoal Quantity	Material available for AMS	Comments
9908	1	Fill of Ditch [9907]	25	-	-	Contains terrestrial snail shell ++++
9802	2	Primary fill of Ditch [9801]	25	-	-	Contains terrestrial snail shell +
6202	3	Fill of sub-rectangular feature	10	-	-	Contains terrestrial snail shell ++
6204	4	Fill of posthole [6203]	5	-	-	Contains modern roots ++

Key: += rare (1-5), ++ = occasional (6-15), +++ = common (16-50) and ++++ = abundant (>50)
NB charcoal over 1cm is suitable for identification and AMS dating

6.4 Wood charcoal

6.4.1 Wood charcoal was present in small quantities in the retents of sample <1>, taken from the fill (9906) of Ditch [9907]. The charcoal was identified as non-oak and varied in size from 0.5 cm to 1.5 cm (Table 6).

6.5 Other Finds

6.5.1 Animal bone

Animal bone was recovered from the retents of samples <1> and <2> taken from the fills ((9908) and (9802)) of ditches [9907] and [9801] respectively (see Section 5).

6.5.2 Shell

Terrestrial snail shells were recovered from the flots taken from the fills ((9908) and (9802)) of ditches [9907] and [9801] respectively and from the fill (6202) of sub-rectangular feature [6201]. Given the excellent condition of the shells it is likely that they are of recent rather than archaeological origin.

6.6 Discussion

6.6.1 Given the lack of palaeoenvironmental remains the assemblage offers little scope for any further analysis.

7. CONCLUSIONS

7.1 Discussion

7.1.1 The PDA is situated approximately 8km to the west of Stroud in Gloucestershire, to the north of Stroudwater. It is likely that the area was largely in agricultural use from the Saxon period onwards. The results of the evaluation confirmed the presence of Late Prehistoric/Roman remains (**HA1** as detailed in Table 1 and shown on Illus 2 and 8) within the PDA, as identified by the geophysical survey (Bartlett Clark 2013). Additionally, further to the west of **HA1** there was some limited evidence for probable Roman activity recorded in Trench 115. Aside from which the evaluation provided further evidence to suggest that the area was not subject to any settlement activity from the Saxon period onwards. It is likely that the area formed agricultural land associated with the hamlets of Nupend, Nastend and Oldends.

7.1.2 The evaluation suggests that the geophysical survey was successful in identifying any features of archaeological interest present within the PDA.

7.1.3 The features excavated within Trenches 98 and 99 broadly correspond with the geophysical survey anomalies (Illus 9). There was no evidence for any sustained Late Prehistoric/ Roman activity elsewhere within the PDA. Overall, the remains recorded in Trenches 98 and 99 (**HA1**) hint at fairly low-level Late Prehistoric/ Roman activity. A relatively small quantity of pottery was recovered from individual features comprising **HA1**. The geophysical survey results support the interpretation that features recorded in Trenches 98 and 99 and Trench 99 extension area were related and of similar date.

7.1.4 The PDA has been subject to long-term agricultural land-use from the Post-Medieval period onwards and most likely pre-dating this from the Saxon period onwards. The overburden across the PDA varied and there had been considerable plough disturbance in places. Accordingly, it is likely that any earlier remains once present immediately below the ploughsoil would have been truncated or destroyed.

7.1.5 The trial trenching evaluation revealed Post-Medieval/Modern remains representing agricultural land-use and associated activity (HA2). The Post-Medieval/Modern remains were widely dispersed across the PDA. Additionally, the undated features were largely considered to be of Post-Medieval/Modern date, predominantly relating to agricultural land use.

7.1.6 Documentary evidence, historic mapping, aerial photograph evidence and the geophysical survey results all serve to support the interpretation of the trial trench evaluation results. Collectively these sources demonstrate that the remains largely represent post-medieval and later activity of an agricultural nature.

7.1.7 Notably the evaluation provides evidence for previously unknown Late Prehistoric and Roman activity. The results of the evaluation have the general potential to contribute to research on the development of the landscape in the area of the PDA in the Post-Medieval period.

7.1.8 There was a general correlation between previously identified ridge and furrow recorded by aerial photograph evidence and the geophysical survey. The finding of the evaluation broadly confirm the results of the geophysical survey. Overall the evaluation has been successful in characterising the archaeological potential of the PDA and has increased our

understanding of Late Prehistoric/Roman periods and the Post-Medieval period on a local scale.

7.2 Assessment of the impact of development on the significance of Heritage Assets

7.2.1 The change of use in the PDA from agricultural land to mixed use development will involve groundworks.

7.2.2 The evaluation confirmed the presence of Late Prehistoric/Roman remains (**HA1**) within one isolated area at the southwest of the PDA (at Nastend). Additionally, further to the west of **HA1** there was some limited evidence for probable Roman activity recorded in Trench 115. It is possible that the remains recorded within Trench 115 were broadly contemporary with **HA1** and represent an outlying area associated with the enclosure. The evaluation confirmed widespread evidence for agricultural activity of Post-Medieval and later date (**HA2**) across the PDA. The results of the evaluation indicate that any intrusive works in the vicinity of Trenches 98 and 99 (**HA1**) will impact on heritage assets of local significance.

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APPENDIX 1: SITE REGISTERS

1.1 Trench Register

Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
1	N/S	Topsoil is mid grayish brown silt, organic soil with rootlets (0-0.30). Subsoil is light brown clayey silt with occasional chalk flecks (0.30-0.54). Natural varies; patches of orangey brown sandy silt with small gravel and chalk pieces and mid gray clay patches with no gravel/chalk inclusions (0.54+).	52	0.47	0.54
2	SE/NW	Topsoil is mid grayish brown silt, organic soil with rootlets (0-0.34). Subsoil is light brown clayey silt with occasional chalk flecks (0.34-0.55). Natural varies; patches of orangey brown sandy silt with small gravel and chalk peices and mid gray clay patches with no gravel/chalk inclusions (0.55+).	50	0.46	0.55
3	N/S	Topsoil is mid grayish brown silt, organic soil with rootlets (0-0.30). Subsoil is light brown clayey silt with occasional chalk flecks (0.30-0.42). Natural varies; patches of orangey brown sandy silt with small gravel and chalk pieces and mid gray clay patches with no gravel/chalk inclusions (0.42+).	50	0.41	0.42
4	E/W	Topsoil is mid grayish brown silt, organic soil with rootlets (0-0.30). Subsoil is light brown clayey silt with occasional chalk flecks (0.30-0.45). Natural varies; patches of orangey brown sandy silt with small gravel and chalk pieces and mid gray clay patches with no gravel/chalk inclusions (0.45-0.55+).	52	0.49	0.55

Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
5	E/W	Topsoil is Dark grayish brown clayey silt, quite firm, occasional small pebbles up to 0.10m in size and moderate rootlets (0-0.22). Subsoil is Mid grayish brown clayey gravelly silt with frequent small gravel pieces up to 0.05m (0.22-0.37). Light orangey brown gravel with stone inclusions up to 0.15min size of dark brownish gray clay (0.37-0.44+).	53	0.44	0.44
6	NE/SW	Topsoil is Dark grayish brown clayey silt, quite firm, occasional small pebbles up to 0.10m in size and moderate rootlets (0-0.24). Subsoil is Mid grayish brown clayey gravelly silt with frequent small gravel pieces up to 0.05m (0.24-0.37). Light orangey brown gravel with stone inclusions up to 0.15min size of dark brownish gray clay (0.37-0.44+).	53	0.37	0.44
7		Not excavated - no access.			
8	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.29) Subsoil (0.24-0.42) Natural (0.42+).	25.7	0.42	0.42
9	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.28) Subsoil (0.28-0.41) Natural (0.41+).	50.1	0.41	0.41
10	N/S	Topsoil is dark gray brown, clay silt, friable (0-0.30) Subsoil is mid orangey gray, firm silty clay (0.30-0.40) Natural is mid gray compacted clay (0.40+).	50	0.35	0.40
11	E/W	Topsoil is dark gray brown, clay silt, friable (0-0.30) Subsoil is mid orangey gray, firm silty clay (0.30-0.60) Natural is mid gray compacted clay (0.60+).	50	0.57	0.60
12	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.32) Subsoil (0.32-0.42) Natural (0.42+)	25.6	0.42	0.42
13	NW/SE	Topsoil is dark gray brown, clay silt, friable (0-0.25) Subsoil is mid orangey gray, firm silty clay (0.25-0.50) Natural is light gray orange compacted clay (0.50+).	50	0.50	0.50

Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
14	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.23). Subsoil is firm mid orange brown, silty clay (0.23-0.63). Natural is compacted mid blue gray clay (0.63+).	40	0.52	0.63
15	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.28) Subsoil (0.28-0.37) Natural (0.37+).	50.2	0.37	0.37
16	N/S	Topsoil is dark gray brown, clay silt, friable (0-0.15) Subsoil is mid orangey gray, firm silty clay (0.15-0.60) Natural is light gray orange compacted clay (0.60+).	50	0.55	0.60
17	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.10) Subsoil is firm mid orange gray, silty clay (0.10-0.50) Natural is compacted mix of mid blue gray and light orangey yellow clay (0.50+).	50	0.45	0.50
18	N/S	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.10) Subsoil is soft mid orangey gray silty clay (0.10-0.45) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.45+).	50	0.43	0.45
19	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.25) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.25-0.51) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.51+).	50	0.50	0.51
20	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.15) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.0.15-0.50) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.50+).	50	0.47	0.50
21	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.26) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.26-0.37) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.37+).	50.2	0.37	0.37
22	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.37) Natural (0.37+).	50.2	0.37	0.37

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Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
23	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.31) Subsoil (0.31-0.41) Natural (0.41+)	50.1	0.41	0.41
24	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.30) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.30-0.55) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.55+).	50	0.50	0.55
25	E/W	Topsoil is fairly firm grayish dark brown gravelly clayey silt (0-0.29) Subsoil is fairly firm orangey brown clayey silt (0.29-0.37) Natural is orangey brown to brownish orange silt clay (0.37-0.40+).	53	0.39	0.40
26	N/S	Topsoil is fairly firm grayish dark brown gravelly clayey silt (0-0.30) Subsoil is fairly firm orangey brown clayey silt (0.30-0.39) Natural is orangey brown to brownish orange silt clay (0.39-0.46+).	53	0.46	0.46
27	N/S	Topsoil is dark grayish brown friable silt with rootlets (0-0.17) Subsoil is mid orangey brown very firm friable clayey silt (0.17-0.42) Natural is mid orangey brown clayey silt with veins of mid gray clay (0.42+).	51	0.41	0.42
28	E/W	Topsoil is fairly firm grayish dark brown gravelly clayey silt (0-0.29) Subsoil is fairly firm orangey brown clayey silt (0.29-0.39) Natural is orangey brown to brownish orange silt clay (0.39-0.45+).	53	0.40	0.45
29	N/S	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.20) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.20-0.42) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.42+).	50	0.38	0.42
30	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.15) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.15-0.33) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay	50	0.31	0.33

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Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
		(0.33+).			
31	N/S	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.13) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.13-0.35) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.35-0.50+).	50	0.37	0.50
32	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.40) Natural (0.40+).	50	0.33	0.40
33	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.22) Subsoil (0.22-0.30) Natural (0.30+).	50	0.26	0.30
34	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.25) Subsoil (0.25-0.35) Natural (0.35+).	50	0.30	0.35
35	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.21) Subsoil (0.21-0.30) Natural (0.30+).	50.1	0.25	0.30
36	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.31) Natural (0.31+).	50	0.28	0.31
37	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.24) Subsoil (0.24-0.27) Natural (0.27+).	50	0.26	0.27
38	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.39) Natural (0.39+).	48	0.32	0.39
39	SW/NE	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.36) Natural (0.36+).	50.1	0.31	0.36
40	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.36) Natural (0.36+).	50.1	0.31	0.36
41	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.42) Natural (0.42+).	50.2	0.42	0.42
42	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.20) Subsoil is mid orangey gray silty clay (0.20-0.30) Natural is light orangey yellow sandy clay with mid blue gray clay (0.30-0.31+).	50.1	0.31	0.31
43	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.30) Natural (0.30+).	50.1	0.28	0.30
44	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.36) Subsoil (0.36-0.45) Natural (0.45+).	50.6	0.40	0.45
45	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.18) Subsoil is mid orangey brown gravel silt (0.18-0.41) Natural is light brown orange	50.4	0.45	0.48

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Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
		gravel (0.41+).			
46	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.20) Subsoil (0.20-0.43) Natural (0.43+).	50.2	0.44	0.46
47	SW/NE	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.22) Subsoil is firm mid gray orange silty clay (0.22-0.42) Natural is soft light yellow gray sandy clay (0.42+).	50	0.44	0.48
48	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.30) Subsoil (0.30-0.34) Natural (0.34+).	50	0.34	0.38
49	W/E	Topsoil (0-0.28) Subsoil (0.28-0.32) Natural (0.32+).	50.1	0.32	0.36
50	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.30) Subsoil (0.30-0.40) Natural (0.40+).	50.1	0.43	0.47
51	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.29) Subsoil (0.29-0.39) Natural (0.39+).	50.2	0.42	0.45
52	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.30) Subsoil (0.30-0.33) Natural (0.33+).	50.1	0.33	0.37
53	E/W	Topsoil is silty clay (0-0.15) Subsoil is silty clay (0.15-0.30) Natural is clay (0.30+).	50	0.33	0.37
54	N/S	Topsoil is silty clay (0-0.20) Subsoil is silty clay (0.20-0.40) Natural is clay (0.40+).	51	0.40	0.40
55	N/S	Topsoil is silty clay (0-0.20) Subsoil is silty clay (0.20-0.41) Natural is blue gray clay with gravelly pockets (0.41+).	50	0.44	0.47
56	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.27) Subsoil (0.27-0.33) Natural (0.33+).	50.3	0.37	0.40
57	NW/SE	Topsoil (0-0.24) Subsoil (0.24-0.36) Natural (0.36+).	50.1	0.39	0.43
58	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.38) Natural (0.38+).	50.1	0.39	0.41
59	SE/NW	Topsoil (0-0.27) Subsoil (0.27-0.39) Natural (0.39+).	50.2	0.44	0.49
60	SE/NW	Topsoil (0-0.28) Subsoil (0.28-0.42) Natural (0.42+).	50.4	0.44	0.46
61	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.20) Subsoil (0.20-0.38) Natural (0.38+).	50	0.41	0.45
62	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.15) Subsoil (0.15-0.32)	50	0.35	0.40

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Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
		Natural (0.32+).			
63	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.20) Subsoil (0.20-0.37) Natural (0.37+).	50.4	0.39	0.41
64	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.17) Subsoil (0.17-0.33) Natural (0.33+).	50	0.43	0.43
65	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.21) Subsoil (0.21-0.33) Natural (0.33+).	50	0.37	0.40
66	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.20) Subsoil (0.20-0.36) Natural (0.36+).	50.1	0.39	0.42
67	NW/SE	Topsoil is firm dark brown gray silty clay (0-0.25) Subsoil is firm mid gray orange silty clay (0.25-0.45) Natural is firm light orange yellow/ mid gray blue clay (0.45+).	50	0.47	0.50
68	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.23) Subsoil (0.23-0.33) Natural (0.33+).	50.1	0.37	0.39
69	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.21) Subsoil (0.21-0.37) Natural (0.37+).	50.2	0.41	0.45
70	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.20) Subsoil (0.20-0.33) Natural (0.33+).	50.1	0.35	0.41
71	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.28) Subsoil (0.28-0.44) Natural (0.44+).	50.2	0.47	0.50
72	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.19) Subsoil (0.19-0.40) Natural (0.40+).	50.6	0.40	0.41
73	E/W	Topsoil is firm mid blue gray silty clay (0-0.22) Subsoil is firm mid yellow gray silty clay (0.22-0.39) Natural is blue, yellow and gray clays (0.39+).	50	0.40	0.41
74	N/S	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.25) Subsoil is firm light orange gray clay (0.25-0.40) Natural is soft light gray orange clay (0.45+).	50	0.44	0.45
75	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark gray brown clay silt (0-0.25) Subsoil is firm mid light yellow brown clay (0.25-0.45) Natural is soft light gray yellow clay (0.45+)	50	0.42	0.45
76	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.39) Natural (0.39+).	50.1	0.42	0.45
77	NE/SW	Topsoil (0-0.26) Subsoil (0.26-0.38) Natural (0.38+).		0.41	0.44
78	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.20) Subsoil (0.20-0.37) Natural (0.37+).	50	0.35	0.37

Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
79	NE/SW	Topsoil (0-0.18) Subsoil (0.18-0.32) Natural (0.32+).	36	0.29	0.38
80	N/S	Topsoil is friable dark brown silt with lots of rooting (0-0.20) Subsoil is firm dark orangey brown silt (0.20-0.30) Natural is friable dark orangey brown clayey silt (0.30-0.32+).	52	0.31	0.32
81	NW/SE	Topsoil is friable dark brown silt with lots of rooting (0-0.15) Subsoil is firm dark orangey brown silt (0.15-0.29) Natural is friable dark orangey brown clayey silt (0.29+).	52	0.25	0.29
82	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark brown silt with lots of rooting (0-0.30) Subsoil is firm dark orangey brown silt (0.30-0.46) Natural is friable dark orangey brown clayey silt (0.46+).	52	0.41	0.46
83	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark brown silt with lots of rooting (0-0.19) Subsoil is firm dark orangey brown silt (0.19-0.29) Natural is friable dark orangey brown clayey silt (0.29-0.38+).	53	0.26	0.38
84	N/S	Topsoil is friable dark brown silt with lots of rooting (0-0.18) Subsoil is firm dark orangey brown silt (0.18-0.38) Natural is friable dark orangey brown clayey silt (0.38-0.42+).	53	0.37	0.42
85	E/W	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.25) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.25-0.43) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.43-0.50+).	53	0.45	0.50

Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
86	E/W	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.36) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.36-0.43) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.43-0.48+).	53	0.46	0.48
87	N/S	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.37) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.37-0.42) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.42-0.50+).	53	0.45	0.50
88	E/W	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.34) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.34-0.44) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.44-0.48+).	53	0.42	0.48
89	N/S	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.32) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.32-0.40) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.40-0.48+).	53	0.46	0.48

Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
90	E/W	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.26) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.26-0.30) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.30-0.38+).	53	0.35	0.38
91	N/S	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.30) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.30-0.40) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.40-0.50+).	53	0.40	0.50
92	N/S	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.30) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.30-0.40) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.40-0.45+).	53	0.42	0.45
93	E/W	Topsoil is firm dark grayish brown to blackish brown gravelly silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0-0.26) Subsoil is firm light grayish brown to yellowish brown silty clay with moderate to frequent rootlets (0.26-0.30) Natural is firm yellowish brown to orangey brown clay to slightly greenish gray clay with brownish orange mottles (0.30-0.35+).	53	0.03	0.35

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Tr	Orientation	Description	Length	Depth of Overburden	Max Depth
94		Not excavated - private land			
95		Not excavated - private land			
96	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil is a yellow brown clay (0.2-0.46m) Natural (0.46m+).	50.1	0.46	0.51
97	NW/SE	Topsoil (0-0.3m) Subsoil (0.3-0.51m) Natural (0.51m+).	50.1	0.51	0.58
98	WSW/ENE	Topsoil (0-0.21m) Subsoil (0.21-0.37m) Natural (0.37m+).	36.5	0.37	0.46
99	SW/NE	Topsoil (0-0.22m) Subsoil (0.22-0.4m) Natural (0.4m+).	59.4	0.40	0.54
100	SW/NE	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.36m) Natural (0.36m+)	50.1	0.36	0.41
101	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Subsoil (0.26-44m) Natural (0.44m+)	50.6	0.44	0.46
102	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark grey-brown clay-silt (0-0.22m) Subsoil is firm mid grey-orange silty-clay (0.22-0.4m) Natural is compact light blue-grey clay mixed with mid orange-brown gravel (0.4m+)	50	0.40	0.40
103	SW/NE	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Subsoil (0.26-0.53m) Natural (0.53m+)	50.2	0.53	0.57
104	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.28m at W end; 0-0.3m at E end) Subsoil (0.28-0.56m at W end; 0.3-0.6m at E end) Natural (0.56m+ at W end; 0.6m+ at E end)	40	0.56 (W end) 0.9m (E end)	1.00
105		Not excavated - overgrowth			
106	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Natural (0.26m+)	50.2	0.26	0.40
107	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.23m) Subsoil (0.23-0.37m) Natural (0.37m+)	50.1	0.37	0.46
108	SE/NW	Topsoil (0-0.3m) Subsoil (0.3-0.44m) Natural (0.44m+).	50	0.44	0.60
109	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.23m) Subsoil (0.23-0.44m) Natural (0.44m+).	50.3	0.44	0.56
110	NW/SE	Topsoil (0-0.22m) Subsoil (0.22-0.4m) Natural (0.4m+).	50.3	0.40	0.47
111	S/N	Topsoil (0-0.24m) Subsoil (0.24-0.38m) Natural (0.38m+).	50.1	0.38	0.46
112	S/N	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Natural (0.26m+).	50.1	0.26	0.32
113	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Natural (0.26m+).	50.1	0.26	0.36
114	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.24m) Natural (0.24m+)	50.2	0.24	0.30
115	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.28m) Natural (0.28m+).	50.1	0.28	0.38

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116	S/N	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Natural (0.26m+).	50.2	0.26	0.34
117	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.36m) Natural (0.36m+).	53	0.36	0.36
118	W/E	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.39m) Natural is a dark orange-brown firm clay (0.39m+)	53	0.39	0.57
119	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.33m) Subsoil (0.33-0.44m) Natural (0.44m+)	53	0.44	0.59
120	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.29m) Subsoil (0.29-0.35m) Natural (0.35m+).	58	0.35	0.66
121	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.3m) Subsoil (0.3-0.47m) Natural (0.47m+).	52	0.47	0.63
122	NW/SE	Topsoil (0-0.21m) Subsoil (0.21-0.37m) Natural (0.37m+).	50	0.37	0.45
123	NW/SE	Topsoil (0-0.19m) Subsoil (0.19-0.34m) Natural (0.34m+).	50	0.34	0.39
124	NW/SE	Topsoil is dark loamy silt (0-0.17m) Subsoil is a mid yellow-brown clayey-silt (0.17-0.31m) Natural is a yellow brown clay (0.31m+)	50	0.31	0.31
125	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.19m) Subsoil (0.19-0.36m) Natural (0.36m+).	50	0.36	0.40
126	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.20m) Subsoil (0.2-0.31m) Natural (0.31m+)	50	0.31	0.42
127	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.18m) Subsoil (0.18-0.29m) Natural (0.29m+).	50	0.29	0.29
128	NW/SE	Topsoil (0-0.16m) Subsoil (0.16-0.29m) Natural(0.29m+)	50	0.29	0.31
129	E/W	Topsoil is friable dark grey-brown clay-silt (0-0.2m) Subsoil is firm mid orange-grey silty-clay (0.2-0.34m) Natural is compact blue-yellow-grey clay (0.34m+).	50	0.34	0.45
130	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.18m) Subsoil (0.18-0.3m) Natural (0.3m+).	50	0.30	0.35
131	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.1m) Subsoil (0.1-0.3m) Natural (0.3m+).	50	0.30	0.60
132	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.13m) Subsoil (0.13-0.2m) Natural (0.2m+).	50	0.20	0.21
133	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.17m) Subsoil (0.17-0.31m) Natural (0.31m+).	50	0.31	0.55
134	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.35m) Natural (0.35m+)	50	0.35	0.40

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135	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.4m) Natural (0.4m+).	50	0.40	0.60
136	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.15m) Subsoil (0.15-0.41m) Natural (0.41m+).	50	0.41	0.90
137	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.12m) Subsoil (0.12-0.32m) Natural (0.32m+).	50	0.32	0.45
138	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.23m) Subsoil (0.23-0.35m) Natural (0.35m+)	50	0.35	0.35
139	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.14m) Subsoil (0.14-0.27m) Natural (0.27m+).	50	0.27	0.50
140	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.25m) Subsoil (0.25-0.4m) Natural (0.4m+).	50	0.40	0.45
141	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.23m) Subsoil (0.23-0.41m) Natural (0.41m+).	50	0.41	0.41
142	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.09m) Subsoil (0.09-0.27m) Natural (0.27m+).	50	0.27	0.27
143	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.11m) Upper subsoil is brown-grey silty-clay (0.11-0.24m) Lower subsoil is yellow-brown silty-clay (0.24-42m) Natural is blue-grey clay (0.42m+).	50	0.42	0.50
144	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.1m) Subsoil (0.1-0.22m) Natural (0.22m+).	50	0.22	0.22
145		Not excavated - private land			
146		Not excavated - no access			
147		Not excavated - no access			
148	NE/SW	Topsoil is friable grey-brown clay-silt (0-0.3m) Subsoil is orange-brown silty-clay (0.3-0.4m) Natural is mixture of clays (0.4m+).	50	0.40	0.40
149	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.12m) Subsoil (0.12-0.28m) Natural (0.28m+).	50	0.28	0.28
150	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.45m) Natural (0.45m+).	50	0.45	0.45
151	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.18m) Subsoil (0.18-0.26m) Natural (0.26m+).	50	0.26	0.40
152	W/E	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.35m) Natural (0.35m+).	50	0.35	0.35
153	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.4m) Natural (0.4m+).	50	0.40	0.41
154	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.36m) Natural (0.36m+).	50	0.36	0.36
155	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.28m) Subsoil (0.28-	50	0.44	0.48

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		0.44m) Natural (0.44m+).			
156	W/E	Topsoil (0-0.17m) Subsoil (0.17-0.34m) Natural (0.34m+).	50	0.34	0.40
157	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.25m) Subsoil (0.25-0.37m) Natural (0.37m+).	50	0.37	0.45
158	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.19m) Subsoil (0.19-0.36m) Natural (0.36m+).	50	0.36	0.38
159	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.19m) Subsoil (0.19m-0.36m) Natural (0.36m+).	51	0.36	0.38
160	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.17m) Subsoil (0.17-0.27m) Natural (0.27m+).	50	0.27	0.34
161	NW/SE	Topsoil (0-0.22m) Subsoil (0.22-0.39m) Natural (0.39m+).	48	0.39	0.39
162	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.19m) Subsoil (0.19-0.41m) Natural (0.41m+).	49	0.41	0.45
163	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.23m) Subsoil (0.23-0.42m) Natural (0.42m+).	50	0.42	0.42
164	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.25m) Subsoil is (0.25-0.45m) Natural (0.45m+).	50	0.45	0.45
165	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.4m) Natural (0.4m+).	50	0.40	0.45
166	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.3m) Natural (0.3m+).	50	0.30	0.38
167	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.34m) Natural (0.34m+).	50	0.34	0.34
168	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.23m) Subsoil (0.23-0.33m) Natural (0.33m+).	50	0.33	0.35
169	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Subsoil (0.26-0.47m) Natural (0.47m+).	50	0.47	0.56
170	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.25m) Subsoil (0.25-0.45m) Natural (0.45m+).	50	0.45	0.50
171	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.24m) Subsoil (0.24-0.47m) Natural (0.47m+).	49	0.47	0.47
172	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.44m) Natural (0.44m+).	49	0.44	0.44
173	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Subsoil (0.26-0.43m) Natural (0.43m+).	50.5	0.43	0.44
174	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.29m) Subsoil (0.29-0.49m) Natural (0.49m+).	50	0.49	0.60
175	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.36m) Subsoil (0.36-0.4m) Natural (0.4m+).	50	0.40	0.45
176	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.33m) Subsoil (0.33-0.44m) Natural (0.44m+).	50	0.44	0.50

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177	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.3m) Subsoil (0.3-0.41m) Natural (0.41m+).	50	0.41	0.52
178	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.31m) Subsoil (0.31-0.38m) Natural (0.38m+).	50	0.38	0.43
179	N/S	Topsoil (0-0.3m) Subsoil (0.3-0.37m) Natural (0.37m+).	50	0.37	0.46
180	E/W	Topsoil (0-0.25m) Subsoil (0.25-0.35m) Natural (0.35m+).	50	0.35	0.44
181	SW/NE	Topsoil (0-0.26m) Subsoil (0.26-0.53m) Natural (0.53m+).	50.1	0.53	0.60
182	SW/NE	Topsoil (0-0.2m) Subsoil (0.2-0.36m) Natural (0.36m+).	50.1	0.36	0.62

1.2 Context Register

Context no.	Area	Description	Dimensions and Cut/Fill Details
1303	TR13	Cut of pit/ditch terminus	Linear terminus/pit feature 0.70m in length NE/SW x 0.80m wide NW/SE x 0.40m deep. Circular feature coming out of SW baulk.
1304	TR13	Fill of pit/ditch terminus [1303]	Dark orange grey silty clay with occasional chalk flecks and small stones.
1305	TR13	Cut of ditch	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.90m wide x 0.45m deep. NE/SW aligned.
1306	TR13	Fill of ditch [1305]	Dark orange grey silty clay with occasional roots, chalk flecks and small stones.
1503	TR15	Cut of ditch	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.00m wide x 0.35m deep. NE/SW aligned.
1504	TR15	Fill of ditch [1503]	Dark orange brown silty clay with occasional chalk flecks and small stones.
1505	TR15	Cut of possible gulley/enclosure gulley	Curvilinear feature 2.10m+ wide x 0.35m wide x 0.15m deep. NE/SW aligned.
1506	TR15	Fill of possible gulley/enclosure gulley [1505]	Mid orange brown silty clay, occasional rooting.
1603	TR16	Cut of gulley	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.50m wide x 0.20m deep. WSW/ENE aligned
1604	TR16	Fill of gulley [1603]	Dark orange grey silty clay with occasional chalk flecks and

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			small stones.
1703	TR17	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.60m wide x 0.30m deep. N/S aligned.
1704	TR17	Fill of furrow [1703]	Mid yellow grey silty clay with occasional small stones.
1705	TR17	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.25m wide x 0.40m deep. NE/SW aligned.
1706	TR17	Fill of furrow [1705]	Mid yellow grey silty clay with occasional small stones.
2103	TR21	Cut of ditch/furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.50m wide x 0.40m deep. ENE/WSW aligned.
2104	TR21	Fill of ditch/furrow [2103]	Mid green grey silty clay with occasional small stones and rooting.
3003	TR30	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.80m wide x 0.18m deep. NE/SW aligned.
3004	TR30	Fill of furrow [3003]	Mid orange brown silty clay with occasional chalk flecks and small stones.
3005	TR30	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.80m wide x 0.22m deep. NE/SW aligned.
3006	TR30	Fill of furrow [3005]	Mid orange brown silty clay with occasional chalk flecks and small stones.
3007	TR30	Cut of furrow/ditch	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.80m wide x 0.18m deep. NE/SW aligned.
3008	TR30	Fill of furrow/ditch [3007]	Mid orange brown silty clay with occasional chalk flecks and small stones.
3103	TR31	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.00m wide x 0.45m deep. NE/SW aligned.
3104	TR31	Lower fill of furrow [3103]	Mid orange gray silty clay.
3105	TR31	Upper fill of furrow [3103]	Dark blue gray silty clay.
3106	TR31	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.00m wide x 0.50m deep. NE/SW aligned.
3107	TR31	Lower fill of furrow [3106]	Mid orange grey silty clay.
3108	TR31	Upper fill of furrow [3106]	Dark blue grey silty clay.
3703	TR37	Cut of gully	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.96m wide x 0.32 deep. N/S

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			aligned.
3704	TR37	Fill of gully [3703]	Mottled grey brown clay silt with roots and stones.
4001	TR40	Cut of possibly furrow	Possible furrow or natural clay, trench is a clay and gravel mix. Recorded by photo.
4002	TR40	Fill of possible furrow [4001]	-
4203	TR42	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.32m deep. Aligned NE/SW.
4204	TR42	Fill of furrow [4203]	Mid grey yellow silty clay with occasional small stones and rooting.
4205	TR42	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.25m deep. Aligned NE/SW.
4206	TR42	Fill of furrow [4205]	Mid grey yellow silty clay with occasional small stones and rooting.
4207	TR42	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.35 deep. Aligned NE/SW.
4208	TR42	Fill of furrow [4207]	Mid grey yellow silty clay with occasional small stones and rooting.
4404	TR44	Cut of post hole	Circular post hole 0.72m N/S x 0.69m E/W x 0.29m deep.
4405	TR44	Lower fill of post hole [4404]	Mid yellowish grey sandy silt, very similar to natural (4403). High frequency of small gravel inclusions.
4406	TR44	Upper fill of post hole [4404]	Dark brownish grey sandy silt with occasional gravel inclusions.
4407	TR44	Cut of post hole	Circular post hole 0.60m N/S x 0.82m E/W x 0.24m deep.
4408	TR44	Lower fill of post hole [4407]	Light greyish brown silty clay.
4409	TR44	Upper fill of post hole [4407]	Greyish, dark brown clayey silt with stone inclusions and very occasional flecks of charcoal.
4410	TR44	Cut of linear	Linear feature 2.70m+ in length x 0.63m wide x 0.13m deep. NE/SW aligned.
4411	TR44	Fill of linear [4410]	Greyish brown slightly clayey silty gravel to gravelly silt. Frequent stone inclusions up to 0.10m in size.
4412	TR44	Cut of linear	Linear feature 3.00m+ in length x 0.40m wide x 0.21m deep. NE/SW aligned.
4413	TR44	Fill of linear [4412]	Brownish grey silty clay, small stone inclusions up to 0.10m in size.
4414	TR44	Cut of gully	Linear feature 2.20m+ in length x 0.60m wide x 0.10m deep. E/W aligned.
4415	TR44	Fill of gully [4414]	
4416	TR44	Cut of land drain	Land drain 2.40m+ in length x 0.40m wide x 0.30m deep (to land drain). NW/SE aligned.

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4417	TR44	Fill of land drain [4416]	
4418	TR44	Cut of linear	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.80m wide x 0.26m deep. E/W aligned.
4419	TR44	Fill of linear [4418]	Greyish brown clayey, gravelly silt to silty clay with stone inclusions up to 0.10m in size.
4420	TR44	Cut of post hole	Circular post-hole 0.50m N/S x 0.50m E/W truncated by [4418] linear feature.
4421	TR44	Fill of post hole [4420]	Greyish yellowish brown silty clay with stone inclusions up to 0.10m in size.
4422	TR44	Cut of post hole	Sub-rounded post hole 0.42m N/S x 0.55m E/W x 0.21 deep.
4423	TR44	Fill of post hole [4422]	Greyish brown silty clay with small stone inclusions up to 0.05m in size and very occasional flecks of charcoal.
4503	TR45	Cut of drainage gully	Linear feature 2.90m+ in length x 0.40m wide x 0.58m deep. NW/SE aligned.
4504	TR45	Fill of drainage gully [4503]	Mid orangey grey silty clay, firm with occasional small stones.
4505	TR45	Cut of gully	Linear feature 2.20m+ in length x 0.60m wide x 0.25m deep. E/W aligned.
4506	TR45	Fill of gully [4505]	Mid orangey grey silty clay, firm with occasional small stones and occasional bio-turbation.
4602	TR46	Cut of post hole	Circular post hole 0.30m N/S x 0.30m E/W x 0.20m deep.
4603	TR46	Fill of post hole [4602]	Dark grey brown silty clay.
4604	TR46	Cut of pit	Circular pit 1.60m N/S x 1.60m E/W x 0.48m deep.
4605	TR46	Silting of pit [4604]	Primary silting episode, grey brown gravelly clay.
4606	TR46	Silting of pit [4604]	Secondary silting episode, grey silty clay.
4607	TR46	Cut of pit	Circular pit 2.10m N/S x 2.10m E/W x 0.48m deep.
4608	TR46	Silting of pit [4607]	Grey clay with occasional gravel.
4703	TR47	Cut of ditch terminus	Linear feature 2.60m in length x 1.10m wide x 0.33m deep. N/S aligned.
4704	TR47	Fill of ditch terminus [4703]	Mid orange brown firm silty clay with small stones.
4705	TR47	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.40m wide x 0.53m deep. N/S aligned.
4706	TR47	Fill of furrow [4705]	Mid orange brown soft silty clay
4707	TR47	Cut of sub-circular feature	Sub-circular feature cut by later linear [4709] 1.00m length NW/SE x 0.75m wide NE/SW x 0.20m deep.
4708	TR47	Fill of sub-circular	Soft mid grey orange clay silt with small stones.

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		feature [4707]	
4709	TR47	Cut of gully	Linear feature 2.1m+ in length x 1.00 wide x 0.26m deep. E/W aligned. Truncates (4708).
4710	TR47	Fill of gully [4709]	Firm mid grey orange silty clay with occasional small stones.
4711	TR47	Cut of pit/ditch terminus	Circular feature disappearing into baulk. 0.55m in length NE/SW x 0.90 wide NW/SE x 0.28m deep.
4712	TR47	Fill of pit/ditch terminus [4711]	Friable mid brown orange clay silt with occasional small to medium stones.
4713	TR47	Cut of ditch/gully	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length E/W x 0.75m wide N/S x 0.35m deep. E/W aligned. Possibly relating to [4709] to form a trackway.
4714	TR47	Fill of ditch/gully [4713]	Soft (waterlogged) mid brown orange silty clay with small stones.
4715	TR47	Cut of pit/ditch terminus	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 2.60m wide x 0.49m deep. NW/SE aligned.
4716	TR47	Fill of pit/ditch terminus [4715]	Grey brown silty clay with gravel inclusions.
4717	TR47	Cut of pit	Circular feature 0.70m in length x 0.70m wide x 0.35m deep. Possibly a natural feature, shrub/hedge.
4718	TR47	Lower fill of pit [4717]	Soft (waterlogged) light orange grey clay with occasional small stones.
4719	TR47	Upper fill of pit [4717]	Friable mid brown orange clay silt with occasional small stones.
4902	TR49	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length
4903	TR49	Fill of furrow [4902]	-
4904	TR49	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length
4905	TR49	Fill of furrow [4904]	-
5001	TR50	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.07m deep. E/W aligned.
5002	TR50	Fill of furrow [5001]	-
5701	TR57	Cut of field boundary	Field boundary ditch matches position on map. 2.10m+ in length x 0.70m wide x 0.12m deep.
5702	TR57	Fill of field boundary [5701]	Firm mid greyish brown silty clay with occasional small stones.
6101	TR61	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. E/W aligned.
6102	TR61	Fill of furrow [6101]	-
6103	TR61	Cut of ditch	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 1.80m wide x 0.26m deep. E/W aligned.

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6104	TR61	Fill of ditch [6103]	Friable mid brownish grey sandy clay with 15% small stones and some charcoal. Cut by furrow [6101].
6105	TR61	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. E/W aligned.
6106	TR61	Fill of furrow [6105]	-
6201	TR62	Cut of sub rectangular feature	Sub-rectangular feature 2.21m E/W x 2.16m N/S x 0.27m deep. Sides disappear in to north and south baulks, extent of cut not visible. Cut by land drain on eastern edge.
6202	TR62	Fill of [6201]	Friable mid greyish brown sandy clay with 30% small stones.
6203	TR62	Cut of post hole in [6201]	Circular feature within the cut off [6201]. 0.18m in length x 0.20m wide x 0.14m deep.
6204	TR62	Fill of [6203] post hole	Firm mid blueish gray clay, probably a packing deposit.
6301	TR63	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. NW/SE aligned.
6302	TR63	Fill of furrow [6301]	-
6401	TR64	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. NW/SE aligned.
6402	TR64	Fill of furrow [6401]	-
6403	TR64	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. NW/SE aligned.
6404	TR64	Fill of furrow [6403]	-
6405	TR64	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. NW/SE aligned.
6406	TR64	Fill of furrow [6405]	-
6501	TR65	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. NE/SW aligned.
6502	TR65	Fill of furrow [6501]	-
6601	TR66	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. NE/SW aligned.
6602	TR66	Fill of furrow [6601]	-
6603	TR66	Cut of pit	Small oval pit, possibly a rubbish pit or post -hole 0.23m in length x 0.42m wide x 0.11m deep.
6604	TR66	Fill of pit [6603]	Dark greyish brown silty clay with 4% charcoal inclusions.
6703	TR67	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 2.30m wide. NE/SW aligned.
6704	TR67	Fill of furrow [6703]	-
6705	TR67	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 2.10m wide. NE/SW aligned.
6706	TR67	Fill of furrow [6705]	-

Context no.	Area	Description	Dimensions and Cut/Fill Details
7001	TR70	Cut of gully	Shallow linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.40m wide x 0.05m deep. N/S aligned
7002	TR70	Fill of gully [7001]	Friable mid greyish brown silty clay with occasional charcoal flecks.
7503	TR75	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x less than 0.01m deep. N/S aligned.
7504	TR75	Fill of furrow [7503]	Very thin clay layer <0.01m deep.
9801	TR98	Cut of possible enclosure ditch	Linear feature 2.42m in width X 0.7m in depth. NW / SE aligned. Steep sides with flat base.
9802	TR98	Lower fill of ditch [9801]	Mixed deposit, consisting of light blue-grey clay, with sandy-clay inclusions, sub-angular stones and <1% charcoal inclusions.
9803	TR98	Upper fill of ditch [9801]	Grey-brown clay, with sub-angular stones.
9901	TR99	Cut of ditch	Linear feature running across trench, 1m in width X 0.41m deep. NW / SE aligned. Gradually sloping sides, with flat base.
9902	TR99	Fill of ditch [9901]	Grey-brown clay with chalk inclusions.
9903	TR99	Cut of pit	Circular feature, 0.68m in diameter X 0.33m deep. Steep angled sides, with rounded base.
9904	TR99	Fill of pit [9903]	Grey-brown clay with chalk inclusions.
9905	TR99	Cut of posthole	Circular feature, 0.18m in diameter X 0.19m deep. Vertical sides with rounded base.
9906	TR99	Fill of posthole [9905]	Grey-brown clay.
9907	TR99	Cut of ditch	Linear feature running across trench, 2.1m in width X 0.9m deep. NW / SE aligned. Sloping-steep sides, with V-shaped base.
9908	TR99	Fill of ditch [9907]	Blue-grey clayey-silt, with <1% charcoal and <1% chalk inclusions. Concentration of small snail shells at the base.
9909	TR99	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature 5.2m in length X 1.1m in width X 1.1m deep. SE / NW aligned.
9910	TR99	Fill of linear feature [9909]	-
9911	TR99	Cut of possible pit	Oval-shaped pit, joining [9909]. 0.57m in width X 1.1m deep.
9912	TR99	Fill of pit [9911]	-
9913	TR99	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature 6m in length X 1.2m in width. E / W aligned.
9914	TR99	Fill of linear feature [9913]	-
9915	TR99	Cut of possible pit	Oval-shaped pit, joining [9913]. 1.12m in width X 1m deep.
9916	TR99	Fill of pit [9915]	-

Context no.	Area	Description	Dimensions and Cut/Fill Details
10804	TR108	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature 2.26m in width X 0.17m deep. NE / SW aligned. Sloping sides with irregular base.
10805	TR108	Fill of linear feature [10804]	Friable grey-brown clayey-silt, with occasional pieces of gravel, chalk, and charcoal.
10904	TR109	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature, aligned NE / SW across trench.
10905	TR109	Fill of linear feature [10904]	-
11503	TR115	Cut of ditch	Linear feature, 1.7m in width X 0.6m deep. NW / SE aligned. Steep sides with rounded base.
11504	TR115	Fill of ditch [11503]	Light grey-brown clayey-silt, with small sub-angular stones.
11505	TR115	Cut of gully	Linear feature, 0.36m in width X 0.07m deep. N/S aligned. Sloping sides with rounded base.
11506	TR115	Fill of gully [11505]	Friable mid grey-brown clayey-silt, with a few pieces of gravel.
11507	TR115	Cut of furrow	Linear feature, 1.23m in width X 0.14m deep. N/S aligned. Gently sloping sides with slightly rounded base.
11508	TR115	Fill of furrow [11507]	Friable mid brown-grey clayey-silt, with poorly sorted sub-angular gravels.
11509	TR115	Cut of furrow	Linear feature, 1.22m in width X 0.12m deep. NNW / SSE aligned. Gently sloping sides with uneven base.
11510	TR115	Fill of furrow [11509]	Friable light grey-brown clayey-silt, with poorly sorted sub-rounded stones.
11511	TR115	Cut of furrow	Linear feature, 0.84m in width X 0.19m deep. NE / SW aligned. Gently sloping sides with rounded base.
11512	TR115	Fill of furrow [11511]	Friable mid grey-brown clayey-silt, with small poorly sorted sub-angular stones.
11603	TR116	Cut of furrow	Linear feature, 1.53m in width X 0.24m deep. NE / SW aligned. Gently sloping sides with rounded base.
11604	TR116	Fill of furrow [11603]	Friable mid grey-brown sandy-clay, with small poorly sorted sub-rounded stones.
12004	TR120	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature, 1.45m in width X 0.25m deep. E/W aligned. Gently sloping sides and rounded base.
12005	TR120	Fill of linear feature [12004]	Orange-brown silty-clay, with occasional charcoal smudges.
12006	TR120	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature, 0.96m in width X 0.25m deep. E/W aligned. Northern edge slopes gently, southern is more irregular, rounded base.

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12007	TR120	Fill of linear feature [12006]	Light orange-brown silty-clay, with occasional charcoal and ceramic building material flecks.
12008	TR120	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature, 1.13m in width X 0.25m deep. E/W aligned. Gently sloping sides and relatively flat base.
12009	TR120	Fill of linear feature [12008]	Orange-brown silty-clay, with occasional charcoal flecks.
12010	TR120	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature, 1.10m in width X 0.25m deep. E/W aligned. Southern edge slopes gently, northern is more irregular, irregular base.
12011	TR120	Fill of linear feature [12010]	Light orange-brown silty-clay, with fragments of chalk, ceramic building material, and charcoal.

13403	TR134	Cuts for ridge and furrow	Three linear features running across trench, 0.61m in width X 0.21m deep. NE/SW aligned. Concave sides with rounded base.
13404	TR134	Fill of furrows [13403]	Soft grey silty-clay.
13603	TR136	Cut of furrow	Two linear features running across trench. Northern one continues into northern section. Southern one is 0.2m in width X 0.6m deep. NE/SW aligned.
13604	TR136	Fill of furrow	-
13704	TR137	Cut for possible fire-pit.	Sub-circular feature, 1.1m in length (continuing into northern section) X 0.45m in width X 0.2m deep. Irregular sides with concave base.
13705	TR137	Baked clay and charcoal dump within [13704]	Firm dark pink-grey silty-clay, with frequent charcoal flecks and baked clay lumps.
14403	TR144	Cut of linear feature	Linear feature, 0.54m in width X 0.16m deep. N/S aligned. Concave sides and rounded base.
14404	TR144	Fill of linear feature [14403]	Soft grey silty-clay.
18104	TR181	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 3.10m wide 0.07m deep. N/S aligned.
18105	TR181	Fill of furrow [18104]	-
18106	TR181	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 2.90m wide 0.14m deep. N/S aligned.
18107	TR181	Fill of furrow [18106]	-
18108	TR181	Cut of pit	Sub rectangular pit with rounded corners 2.10m+ in length x 2.9m wide x 0.47m deep. N/S aligned. Possible quarry pit.

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18109	TR181	Lower fill of pit [18108]	Friable mid brownish gray clayey silt with occasional small gravel pieces.
18110	TR181	Upper fill of pit [18108]	Friable mid reddish brown clayey silt with occasional small gravel pieces.
18111	TR181	Cut of clay pit	Partial large pit, disappearing in to the baulk 2.10m+ in length x 3.60m wide x 0.50m deep. N/S aligned. Possible quarry pit.
18112	TR181	Fill of clay pit [18111]	-
18113	TR181	Natural feature	Natural feature - disappearing in to the baulk 2.10m+ in length x 3.60m wide x 0.44m+ deep, not fully dug. N/S aligned.
18114	TR181	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 2.50m wide x 0.11m deep. N/S aligned.
18115	TR181	Fill of furrow [18114]	-
18116	TR181	Cut of land drain	Land drain 2.10m+ in length x 0.30m wide, which cuts (18119).
18117	TR181	Fill of land drain [18116]	Loose light brownish yellow sandy clay with small stones. Packing deposit relating to land drain.
18118	TR181	Cut of modern feature	Irregular shaped modern feature associated with land drains, which cuts (18116)
18119	TR181	Fill of modern feature [18118]	Loose mid grayish brown clayey sand. Dumping/levelling deposit.
18120	TR181	Cut of modern pit	Sub rectangular modern pit 0.28m deep which cuts (18119).
18121	TR181	Fill of modern pit [18120]	Firm mid blueish gray clay with charcoal inclusions. Dumping deposit.
18122	TR181	Cut of gulley	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.9m wide x 0.22m deep. N/S aligned. Corresponds with gulley in TR82 [18204].
18123	TR181	Fill of gulley [18122]	Mid redish brown clayey silt with occasional small gravel pieces.
18204	TR182	Cut of gulley	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 0.73m wide x 0.15m deep. NW/SE aligned.
18205	TR182	Lower fill of gulley [18204]	Friable light gray brown clayey silt with some small gravel inclusions.
18206	TR182	Cut of post hole	Sub circular feature 0.50m in length x 0.73m wide x 0.40m deep.
18207	TR182	Lower fill of post hole [18206]	Friable mid gray brown clayey silt with small gravel inclusions.
18208	TR182	Cut of post hole	Shallow circular feature 0.60m in length x 0.66m wide x 0.23m deep.
18209	TR182	Fill of post hole [18208]	Friable mid gray brown clayey silt with small gravel inclusions.
18210	TR182	Upper fill of post hole [18206]	Friable dark red brown clayey silt. Charcoal rich in places with fired clay being recovered.
18211	TR182	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 2.50 wide x 0.15m deep. NW/SE aligned.

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18212	TR182	Fill of furrow [18211]	-
18213	TR182	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length x 2.60m wide x 0.17m deep. NW/SE aligned.
18214	TR182	Fill of furrow [18213]	-
18215	TR182	Upper fill of gully [18204]	Friable dark red brown clayey silt with small gravel inclusions.
18216	TR182	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. N/S aligned.
18217	TR182	Fill of furrow [18216]	-
18218	TR182	Cut of furrow	Linear feature 2.10m+ in length. N/S aligned.
18219	TR182	Fill of furrow [18218]	-

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Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
001			ID shot
002		N	Trench 29 - general pre-ex shot
003		N	Trench 33 - general pre-ex shot
004		W	Trench 34 - general pre-ex shot
005		N	Trench 35 - general pre-ex shot
006		E	Trench 36 - general pre-ex shot
007		W	Trench 32 - general pre-ex shot
008		W	Trench 32 - land drain B - east end
009		N	Trench 32 - pipe/land drain
010			Trench 32 - pipe/land drain close up
011		S	Trench 32 - Land drain A - west end
012		N	Trench 31 - general pre-ex shot
013		W	Trench 31 - land drain B - south end
014		W	Trench 31 - land drain A - north end
015		W	Trench 30 - land drain
016		E	Trench 30 - general pre-ex shot
017		S	Trench 36 - land drain
018		W	Trench 36 - land drain
019		W	Trench 34 - land drain
020		N	Trench 29 - land drain F - south end
021		N	Trench 29 - land drain E
022		N	Trench 29 - land drain D
023		N	Trench 29 - land drain C
024		N	Trench 29 - land drain B

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
025		N	Trench 29 - land drain A - north end
026		W	Trench 37 - general pre-ex shot
027		W	Trench 42 - general pre-ex shot
028		W	Trench 42 - land drain
029		N	Trench 48 - general pre-ex shot
030		E	Trench 49 - general pre-ex shot
031		W	Trench 49 - land drain A
032		W	Trench 49 - land drain B
033		W	Trench 49 - land drain B
034		W	Trench 43 - land drain
035		E	Trench 43 - general pre-ex shot
036		S	Trench 44 - general pre-ex shot
037		S	Trench 44 - land drain
038		W	Trench 45 - general pre-ex shot
039		W	Trench 45 - land drain
040		E	Trench 47 - land drain A - west end
041		W	Trench 47 - land drain B - east end
042		W	Trench 47 - general pre-ex shot
043		S	Trench 61 - land drain A - west end
044		S	Trench 61 - land drain B
045		S	Trench 61 - land drain C - cutting linear
046		S	Trench 61 - land drain D
047		N	Trench 61 - general pre-ex shot
048		E	Trench 62 - land drain A - north end
049			Trench 62 - land drain A - north end
050			Trench 62 - land drain A - north end
051			Trench 62 - land drain A - north end
052		W	Trench 62 - land drain B - east end
053			Trench 62 - land drain B - east end
054			Trench 62 - land drain B - east end
055			Trench 62 - land drain B - east end
056		W	Trench 62 - general pre-ex shot
057		E	Trench 63 - land drain
058		W	Trench 63 - general pre-ex shot
059		S	Trench 64 - general pre-ex shot
060		N	Trench 64 - land drain A - north end
061		N	Trench 64 - land drain B
062			Trench 64 - land drain B
063			Trench 64 - land drain B

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
064		W	Trench 65 - land drain A
065			Trench 65 - land drain A
066		E	Trench 65 - land drain B
067		E	Trench 65 - land drain C
068		W	Trench 65 - general pre-ex shot
069			Trench 65 - land drain D - south end
070		S	Trench 66 - general pre-ex shot
071		S	Trench 66 - land drain A - north end
072			Trench 66 - land drain A - north end
073		S	Trench 66 - land drain B
074		S	Trench 66 - land drain C
075			Trench 66 - land drain C
076		S	Trench 66 - land drain E
077			Trench 66 - land drain E
078			Trench 66 - land drain E
079		S	Trench 66 - land drain F
080			Trench 66 - land drain F
081		S	Trench 66 - land drain G
082		N	Trench 66 - land drain H
083		S	Trench 66 - land drain D
084			Trench 66 - land drain D
085		S	Trench 46 - general pre-ex shot
086		N	Trench 41 - service line
087		S	Trench 41 - land drain
088		N	Trench 41 - general pre-ex shot
089		E	Trench 40 - general pre-ex shot
090		E	Trench 40 - land drain
091		SW	Trench 39 - general pre-ex shot
092		S	Trench 39 - broken plastic pipe
093		S	Trench 39 - broken plastic pipe
094		N	Trench 39 - broken plastic pipe
095		NE	Trench 39 - land drain A - north east end
096		NE	Trench 39 - land drain B
097			ID shot
098		W	Trench 38 - land drain
099		W	Trench 38 - general pre-ex shot
100		W	Trench 32 - general pre-ex shot
101		N	Trench 50 - land drain
102		S	Trench 50 - general pre-ex shot

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
103		S	Trench 51 - general pre-ex shot
104		E	Trench 53 - land drain A - west end
105		E	Trench 53 - general pre-ex shot
106		E	Trench 53 - land drain B east
107		N	Trench 54 - general pre-ex shot
108		S	Trench 54 - land drain
109		NW	Trench 59 - general pre-ex shot
110		NW	Trench 59 - general pre-ex shot
111		NW	Trench 59 - land drain C - south east end
112		NW	Trench 59 - land drain B
113			Trench 59 - land drain B
114		NW	Trench 59 - land drain A NW end
115			Trench 59 - land drain A NW end
116		W	Trench 58 - land drain A
117		W	Trench 58 - land drain B
118			Trench 58 - land drain B
119			Trench 58 - land drain B
120		W	Trench 58 - general pre-ex shot
121		W	Trench 58 - land drain C
122		NW	Trench 57 - general pre-ex shot
123		S	Trench 57 - land drain B
124		S	Trench 57 - land drain A + B intersection
125			Trench 57 - land drain A + B intersection
126			Trench 57 - land drain A + B intersection
127		E	Trench 56 - land drain
128		W	Trench 56 - general pre-ex shot
129		SW	Trench 55 - general pre-ex shot
130		SW	Trench 55 -land drain C - north east end
131		SW	Trench 55 -land drain B
132		SW	Trench 55 -land drain A - south west end
133		SE	Trench 108 - land drain
134		SE	Trench 108 - general pre-ex shot
135		W	Trench 115 - general pre-ex shot
136		E	Trench 115 - land drain
137		N	Trench 116 - general pre-ex shot
138		S	Trench 116 -land drain B - south end
139		S	Trench 116 -land drain A - north end
140		S	Trench 112 - general pre-ex shot
141		S	Trench 112 - land drain A - north end

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
142		S	Trench 112 - land drain B
143		E	Trench 114 - land drain
144		W	Trench 114 - general pre-ex shot
145		W	Trench 113 - general pre-ex shot
146		E	Trench 107 - general pre-ex shot
147		E	Trench 107 - land drain A - west end
148		E	Trench 107 - land drain B - west end
149		E	Trench 106 - land drain A
150		E	Trench 106 - general pre-ex shot
151		E	Trench 160 - land drain B - east end
152		E	Trench 109 - land drain
153		E	Trench 109 - general pre-ex shot
154		SE	Trench 110 - land drain
155		SE	Trench 110 - land drain
156		N	Trench 111 - general pre-ex shot
157		E	Trench 14 - land drain A - west end
158		W	Trench 14 - general pre-ex shot
159		E	Trench 14 - land drain B - east end
160		NW	Trench 13 - general pre-ex shot
161		SE	Trench 13 - land drain C - south east end
162		SE	Trench 13 - land drain B
163		SE	Trench 13 - land drain A - north west end
164		W	Trench 24 - general pre-ex shot
165		E	Trench 24 - land drain
166		N	Trench 23 - general pre-ex shot
167		N	Trench 23 - land drain B - south end
168		S	Trench 23 - land drain A - north end
169		W	Trench 22 - general pre-ex shot
170		NW	Trench 21 - general pre-ex shot
171		NW	Trench 21 - land drain
172		N	Trench 18 - general pre-ex shot
173		W	Trench 19 - general pre-ex shot
174			Trench 19 - land drain
175		W	Trench 20 - land drain A - west end
176		N	Trench 20 - land drain B
177		N	Trench 20 - land drain C
178		W	Trench 20 - general pre-ex shot
179		N	Trench 17 - land drain
180		W	Trench 17 - land drain

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
181		N	Trench 16 - general pre-ex shot
182		W	Trench 11 - general pre-ex shot
183		N	Trench 11 - land drain
184		W	Trench 15 - general pre-ex shot
185			ID shot
186		N	Trench 10 - general pre-ex shot
187		N	Trench 10 - land drain
188		W	Trench 9 - general pre-ex shot
189		W	Trench 8 - general pre-ex shot
190		W	Trench 12 - general pre-ex shot
191		SE	Trench 97 - land drain
192		NW	Trench 97 - general pre-ex shot
193		N	Trench 96 - general pre-ex shot
194		N	Trench 96 - land drain
195		SW	Trench 99 - general pre-ex shot
196		SW	Trench 99 - land drain
197		WSW	Trench 98 - general pre-ex shot
198		ENE	Trench 100 - land drain
199		WSW	Trench 100 - general pre-ex shot
200		SSW	Trench 103 - general pre-ex shot
201		SSW	Trench 103 - land drain
202		W	Trench 104 - general pre-ex shot
203		W	Trench 104 - land drain
204		W	Trench 102 - general pre-ex shot
205		E	Trench 101 - general pre-ex shot
206		W	Trench 78 - general pre-ex shot
207		W	Trench 78 - land drain
208		NE	Trench 77 - general pre-ex shot
209		NE	Trench 77 - land drain A - SW end
210		NE	Trench 77 - land drain B
211		NE	Trench 77 - land drain C - NE end
212		E	Trench 76 - land drain B - east end
213		E	Trench 76 - land drain A - west end
214		E	Trench 76 - general pre-ex shot
215		E	Trench 75 - land drain A - west end
216		W	Trench 75 - land drain A - west end
217		W	Trench 75 - land drain B & C - east end
218		N	Trench 74 - land drain K - south end
219		N	Trench 74 - land drain J

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
220		N	Trench 74 - land drain I
221		N	Trench 74 - land drain H
222		E	Trench 74 - land drain G
223		E	Trench 74 - land drain F
224		N	Trench 74 - land drain E
225		N	Trench 74 - land drain D
226		S	Trench 74 - land drain B & C
227		S	Trench 74 - land drain A - north end
228		S	Trench 74 - general pre-ex shot
229		NW	Trench 60 - general pre-ex shot
230		SE	Trench 60 - land drain A - NW end
231		SE	Trench 60 - land drain B - SE end
232		S	Trench 73 - land drain A - west end
233		S	Trench 73 - land drain B
234		S	Trench 73 - land drain C
235		W	Trench 73 - general pre-ex shot
236		S	Trench 73 - land drain D - east end
237		W	Trench 72 - general pre-ex shot
238		S	Trench 72 - land drain F - east end
239		S	Trench 72 - land drain E
240		E	Trench 72 - land drain D
241		E	Trench 72 - land drain C
242		E	Trench 72 - land drain B
243		W	Trench 72 - land drain A - west end
244		N	Trench 71 - land drain H - south end
245		N	Trench 71 - land drain F
246		N	Trench 71 - land drain E
247		E	Trench 71 - land drain D
248		E	Trench 71 - land drain C
249		N	Trench 71 - land drain B
250		N	Trench 71 - land drain A - north end
251		N	Trench 71 - land drain G
252		S	Trench 71 - general pre-ex shot
253		S	Trench 70 - land drain G & H - south end
254		W	Trench 70 - land drain F
255		S	Trench 70 - land drain E
256		W	Trench 70 - land drain D
257		S	Trench 70 - land drain C & D
258		N	Trench 70 - land drain B

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
259		W	Trench 70 - land drain A
260		E	Trench 70 - general pre-ex shot
261		N	Trench 68 - land drain
262		S	Trench 68 - land drain
263		E	Trench 69 - general pre-ex shot
264		NW	Trench 67 - land drain E
265		SW	Trench 67 - land drain C & D
266		SW	Trench 67 - land drain B
267		NNE	Trench 67 - land drain A - NW end
268		SE	Trench 67 - general pre-ex shot
269		N	Trench 167 - general pre-ex shot
270		W	Trench 168 - general pre-ex shot
271		NNE	Trench 168 - land drain A
272		W	Trench 166 - general pre-ex shot
273		NE	Trench 166 - land drain A - east end
274		NE	Trench 166 - land drain B - west end
275		W	Trench 166 - land drain B - west end
276		S	Trench 165 - general pre-ex shot
277		S	Trench 165 - land drain A south end
278		S	Trench 165 - land drain B - south end
279		S	Trench 165 - land drain C - north end
280		W	Trench 164 - general pre-ex shot
281		N	Trench 164 - land drain A - east end
282		N	Trench 164 - land drain B - west end
283		W	Trench 169 - general pre-ex shot
284		S	Trench 170 - general pre-ex shot
285		S	Trench 170 - land drain A
286		W	Trench 174 - general pre-ex shot
287		N	Trench 174 - land drain A - east end
288		N	Trench 174 - land drain B
289		N	Trench 174 - land drain C
290		N	Trench 174 - land drain D
291		N	Trench 174 - land drain E
292		N	Trench 174 - land drain F - west end
293		N	Trench 173 - general pre-ex shot
294		W	Safety fencing - temp machine compound in Oldends
295		-	ID Shot
296		W	Trench 160 - general pre-ex shot
297		W	Trench 159 - general pre-ex shot

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
298		N	Trench 159 - land drain - east end
299		W	Trench 161 - general pre-ex shot
300		N	Trench 161- land drain A - west end
301		N	Trench 161- land drain B - east end
302		E	Trench 162 - general pre-ex shot
303		N	Trench 163 - general pre-ex shot
304		E	Trench 163 - land drain A - north end
305		E	Trench 163 - land drain B - south end
306		W	Trench 171 - general pre-ex shot
307		S	Trench 172 - general pre-ex shot
308		N	Trench 172 - land drain A - north end
309		S	Trench 158 - general pre-ex shot
310		N	Trench 158 - land drain A - south end
311		N	Trench 158 - land drain B
312		N	Trench 158 - land drain C - north end
313		E	Trench 157 - general pre-ex shot
314A		W	Trench 157 - land drain A - east end
314B		W	Trench 157 - land drain A - east end
315		W	Trench 157 - land drain B
316		W	Trench 157 - land drain C - west end
317		E	Trench 125 - general pre-ex shot
318		E	Trench 125- land drain A - east end
319		S	Trench 126 - general pre-ex shot
320		N	Trench 126 - land drain A - south end
321		N	Trench 126 - land drain B & C
322		N	Trench 126 - land drain D - north end
323		W	Trench 129 - general pre-ex shot
324		SE	Trench 128 - general pre-ex shot
325		S	Trench 128 - land drain
326		N	Trench 127 - land drain A
327		N	Trench 127 - land drain B
328		N	Trench 127 - land drain C
329		W	Trench 127 - general pre-ex shot
330		S	Trench 130 - land drain A - south end
331		N	Trench 130 - land drain A - south end
332		NW	Trench 123 - land drain A - NW end
333		NW	Trench 124 - general pre-ex shot
334		SE	Trench 124 - land drain
335		NW	Trench 123 - general pre-ex shot

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
336		SE	Trench 123 - land drain A
337		SE	Trench 123 - land drain B
338		SE	Trench 123 - land drain C
339		SE	Trench 123 - land drain D
340		SE	Trench 123 - land drain E
341		NW	Trench 122 - general pre-ex shot
342		SE	Trench 122 - land drain
343		SW	Trench 155 - land drain A
344		W	Trench 156 - general pre-ex shot
345		SW	Section through linear feature [10804]
346		N	South facing section through linear feature [11503]
347		NE	Section through gully [11505]
348		NE	Section through furrow [11507]
349		N	South facing section through linear feature [11509]
350		N	Section of furrow [11603]
351		N	Section of furrow [11511]
352		NW	Section of ditch [9901]
353		NW	Section of pit [9903]
354		SE	Section of post hole [9905]
355		SE	Section of ditch [9907]
356		E	Trench 182 - general pre-ex shot
357		W	Trench 182 - land drain A
358		W	Trench 182 - land drain B
359		E	Trench 182 - plastic pipe
360		E	Trench 181 - general pre-ex shot
361		W	Trench 181 - land drain A
362		N	Trench 181 - land drain B
363		W	Trench 181 - land drain C
364		S	Trench 181 - land drain D
365		NW	Section through gully [18204]
366		SE	Section through post hole [18206]
367		NE	Section through post hole [18208]
368		W	Section demonstrating furrow [5001]
369		S	North facing section through gully [4001]
370A		N	Slot demonstrating furrow [4001]
370B		S	North facing section through pit/post hole [6603]
371		-	Trench 58 - land drain
372		E	Section through post hole [4404]
373		-	Furrow [18211]

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
374		-	Furrow [18213]
375		NNE	SSW facing section of boundary ditch [5701]
376		SE	NW facing section of ditch [6103]
377		E	Sunken feature building [6201] quadrant
378		SE	NW facing section of SFB [6201]
379		N	Sunken feature building [6201] - plan
380		W	Sunken feature building [6201] - plan
381		SE	NW facing section of SFB [6201]
382		NE	SW facing section of SFB [6201]
383		SE	NW facing of post hole [6203] in SFB [6201]
384		E	West facing section of post hole [4407]
385		NE	SW facing section of linear [4410]
386		NE	SW facing section of linear [4412]
387		E	West facing section of linear [4414] & land drain [4416]
388		E	West facing section of linear [4414] & land drain [4416]
389		E	West facing section of linear [4418] & post hole [4420]
390		NE	SW facing section of post hole [4422]
391		S	Furrow [18104]
392		W	East facing section of modern features [18116], [18118] & [18120]
393		N	Quadrant of natural feature [18113]
394		N	Quadrant of natural clay filed feature [18111]
395		S	Section through furrow [18106]
396		S	North facing section of quarry pit [18103]
397		NW	General shot [18111] & [18108]
398		N	Furrow [18114]
399		N	North facing section of gulley [18122]
400		-	ID shots Colour film 11, B&W film 12 & digital
401		N	Trench 1 - general pre-ex shot
402		SE	Trench 2 - general pre-ex shot
403		S	Trench 3 - general pre-ex shot
404		E	Trench 4 - general pre-ex shot
405		W	Trench 95 - on private land (also too overgrown to place pegs)
406		W	Trench 95 - on private land (also too overgrown to place pegs)
407		W	Trench 95 - on private land (also too overgrown to place pegs)
408		W	Trench 95 - on private land (also too overgrown to place pegs)
409		W	Trench 94 - on private land
410		E	Trench 94 - on private land
411		NE	Trench 70 - general pre-ex shot

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
412		NW	Trench 81 - general pre-ex shot
413		W	Trench 82 - general pre-ex shot
414		N	Trench 80 - general pre-ex shot
415		W	Trench 83 - general pre-ex shot
416		N	Trench 84 - general pre-ex shot
417		W	Trench 85 - general pre-ex shot
418		E	Trench 88 - general pre-ex shot
419		-	Trench 88 - broken land drain
420		N	Trench 87 - general pre-ex shot
421		E	Trench 86 - general pre-ex shot
422		W	Trench 119 - general pre-ex shot
423		E	Trench 121 - general pre-ex shot
424		-	Trench 121 - land drain
425		-	Trench 111 - land drain
426		-	Trench 119 - land drain
427		W	Trench 25 - general pre-ex shot
428		N	Trench 26 - general pre-ex shot
429		W	Trench 28 - general pre-ex shot
430		W	Trench 5 - general pre-ex shot
431		NNW	Trench 6 - general pre-ex shot
432		S	Trench 27 - general pre-ex shot
433		S	Trench 120 - general pre-ex shot
434		W	Trench 117 - general pre-ex shot
435		W	Trench 118 - general pre-ex shot
436		N	Trench 89 - general pre-ex shot
437		W	Trench 90 - general pre-ex shot
438		N	Trench 92 - general pre-ex shot
439		W	Trench 93 - general pre-ex shot
440		S	Trench 91 - general pre-ex shot
441		S	Trench 176 - general pre-ex shot
442		E	Trench 177 - general pre-ex shot
443		S	Trench 179 - general pre-ex shot
444		NE	Trench 178 - general pre-ex shot
445		NE	Trench 175 - general pre-ex shot
446		SW	Trench 180 - general pre-ex shot
447		E	West facing section of linear [12006]
448		E	West facing section of linear [12010]
449		W	West facing section of linear [12008]
450		W	West facing section of linear [12004]

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
451-499			numbers not used
500		SW	Access to trench 7 - overhanging tree bridge
501		SW	Access to trench 7 - overhanging tree bridge
502		S	Access to trench 7 - overhanging tree bridge
503		S	Trench 7 - view from bridge into field - power line
504		N	Access to trench 7 - bridge & power line
505		E	Access to trench 7 - Grange Road
506		E	Access to trench 7 - Grange Road
507		-	ID shot: Colour - 51, B & W - 50
508		S	Trench 153 - land drain A - north end
509		W	Trench 155 - land drain A
510		W	Trench 155 - land drain B
511		W	Trench 155 - land drain C
512		N	Trench 155 - general pre-ex shot
513		W	Trench 153 - land drain B
514		N	Trench 153 - general pre-ex shot
515		NW	Trench 153 - land drain C
516		E	Trench 152 - general pre-ex shot
517		E	Trench 151 - general pre-ex shot
518		NW	Trench 152 - land drain A
519		W	Trench 154 - general pre-ex shot
520		W	Trench 136 - land drain A - north end
521		W	Trench 136 - land drain B - south end
522		N	Trench 136 - general pre-ex shot
523		S	Trench 135 - land drain A
524		W	Trench 131 - general pre-ex shot
525		N	Trench 131 - land drain A
526		N	Trench 131 - land drain B
527		N	Trench 131 - land drain C
528		NNW	Trench 132 - general pre-ex shot
529		NW	Trench 132 - land drain A
530		E	Trench 133 - general pre-ex shot
531		N	Trench 134 - general pre-ex shot
532		S	Trench 135 - land drain B
533		S	Trench 135 - land drain C
534		W	Trench 135 - general pre-ex shot
535		E	Trench 138 - land drain A
536		E	Trench 138 - land drain B
537		E	Trench 138 - land drain C

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
538		E	Trench 138 - land drain D
539		E	Trench 138 - general pre-ex shot
540		E	Trench 137 - land drain A
541		S	Trench 137 - feature [13704]
542		N	Trench 141 - general pre-ex shot
543		N	Trench 141 - land drain A
544		W	Trench 140 - general pre-ex shot
545		W	Trench 140 - land drain A
546		N	Trench 139 - general pre-ex shot
547		E	Trench 139 - land drain A
548		E	Trench 139 - land drain B
549		SE	Trench 139 - land drain C with [13905]
550		W	Trench 143 - general pre-ex shot
551		SW	Trench 143 - land drain A
552		E	Trench 137 - general pre-ex shot
553		N	Trench 142 - general pre-ex shot
554		SE	Trench 142 - land drain A
555		W	Trench 144 - general pre-ex shot
556		S	Trench 144 - general pre-ex shot
557		E	Trench 150 - land drain A
558		E	Trench 150 - general pre-ex shot
559		SW	Trench 148 - general pre-ex shot
560		E	Trench 149 - land drain A
561		E	Trench 149 - land drain B
562		W	Trench 149 - general pre-ex shot
563		SW	NE facing section of ditch [1305] and pit/linear [1303]
564		N	South facing section baulk section of ditch [1503]
565		SW	NE facing section of ditch [1503]
566		N	South facing section of curve-linear [1505]
567		W	East facing section of ditch [1603]
568		S	North facing section of furrow [1703]
569		S	North facing section of furrow [1705]
570		NW	SE facing section of ditch [9801]
571		NW	SE facing section of ditch [9801]
572		SE	Trench 99 - extension
573		N	Trench 99 - extension
574		SE	Trench 99 - extension
575		N	Trench 99 - extension
576		S	Trench 24 - North facing section of shallow ditch/geology

Frame no.	C/S no.	Direction	Description
577		N	SW facing section of ditch [2103]
578		-	ID shot: B & W - 52
579		W	East facing section of furrow/post med linear [3003]
580		W	East facing section of furrow/post med linear [3005]
581		NW	East facing section of furrow/post med linear [3005]
582		NW	East facing section of furrow/post med linear [3007]
583		E	West facing section of furrow [3103]
584		E	West facing section of furrow [3106]
585		N	South facing section of furrow [4203]
586		N	Trench 42 - South facing section of land drain
587		N	South facing section of furrow [4205]
588		N	South facing section of furrow [4207]
589		SE	North facing section of drainage gulley [4503]
590		E	Trench 45 - natural feature
591		-	North facing section of gulley [4505]
592		N	Trench 46 - circular feature [4602]
593		N	Trench 46 - circular feature [4607]
594		N	Trench 46 - circular feature [4604] & [4607]
595		-	ID shot: Colour film - 53
596		S	Trench 46 - circular feature [4604]
597		-	Trench 37 - Ditch [3703]
598		SE	Trench 45 - north facing section of land drain A
599		N	South facing ditch terminus profile [4703]
600		SW	Trench 47 - NE facing section of natural feature
601		SE	NW facing section of furrow [4705]
602		NW	SE facing section of pit [4707] and ditch [4709]
603		SE	NW facing section of pit [4711] and ditch [4713]
604		S	North facing section of pit [4715]
605		-	Trench 134 - feature [13403]
606		-	Trench 144 - feature [14403]
607		W	East facing section of pit [13704]
608		S	North facing section of pit [13704]

1.4 Drawing Register

Drawing no.	Plan	Section	Description
1301		1:20	Trench 13 - SW facing section of ditches [1303] & [1305]
1501		1:20	Trench 15 - south facing section of furrow

Drawing no.	Plan	Section	Description
			[1503]
1502		1:20	Trench 15 - south facing section of ditch [1505]
1601		1:10	Trench 16 - east facing section of gulley ditch [1603]
2101		1:20	Trench 21 - SW facing section of furrow/ditch [2103]
4401		1:10	Trench 44 - west facing section through post hole [4404]
4402		1:10	Trench 44 - west facing section of linear [4418] & post hole [4420]
4403		1:10	Trench 44 - west facing section of post hole [4407]
4701		1:20	Trench 47 - SE facing section of [4707] & [4709]
4702		1:10	Trench 47 - NW facing section of [4713] & [4711]
6101		1:10	Trench 61 - NW facing section through [6101] & [6103]
6201		1:10	Trench 62 - SW facing section through possible SFB [6201]
6202		1:10	Trench 62 - NW facing section through possible SFB [6201]
9801		1:10	Trench 98 - SE facing section of enclosure ditch [9801]
18101		1:10	Trench 181 - east facing section of [18118] & [18120]
18102		1:20	Trench 181 - east facing section of pits [18102] & [18108]
18201		1:10	Trench 182 - section through post hole [18206]
18202		1:10	Trench 182 - section through gulley [18204]

1.5 Sample Register

Sample no.	Context no.	Description
001	9908	Fill of ditch [9907] - enclosure ditch in TR99
002	9802	Fill of ditch [9801] - enclosure ditch in TR98
003	6202	Fill of possible sunken feature building [6201] TR2
004	6204	Fill of posthole in [6201] - possible SFB TR62

1.6 Small Finds Register

Small Finds no.	Context	Description
001	9802	Cu pin, recovered from fill of enclosure ditch in TR98

APPENDIX 2: CATALOGUES

2.1 Finds Catalogue

Trench	Context	SF	Sample	Quantity	Weight (g)	Material	Object	Description	Period
013	1304	-	-	1	1	Pottery (PM)	-	Westerwald/Cologne Stoneware	Post-medieval
013	1304	-	-	1	13	CBM	Fragment	Abraded fragment, very little remains, two possible original faces suggest a tile rather than brick due to thickness	-
013	1306	-	-	1	13	Pottery (Mod)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Modern
013	1306	-	-	2	14	Pottery (Mod)	-	Miscellaneous	Modern
025	2501	-	-	2	8	Pottery (PM)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Post-medieval
025	2501	-	-	2	3	Pottery (Medi)	-	Saxo-Norman	Medieval
029	2901	-	-	1	39	Pottery (Rom)	-	Severn Valley Ware	Roman
029	2901	-	-	1	4	Pottery (Medi)	-	Oxidised glazed Malvernian Ware	Medieval
042	4201	-	-	2	80	Pottery (PM)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Post-medieval
042	4201	-	-	1	79	CBM	Brick	Corner of a hand made brick fabric, probably similar to the brick from (5702)	Post-medieval
042	4208	-	-	1	3	Pottery (PM)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Post-medieval
044	4413	-	-	1	7	Pottery (PM)	-	North Devon Gravel-tempered Ware	Post-medieval
044	4415	-	-	1	4	Pottery (PM)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Post-medieval
046	4608	-	-	1	27	Pottery (Rom)	-	Severn Valley Ware	Roman

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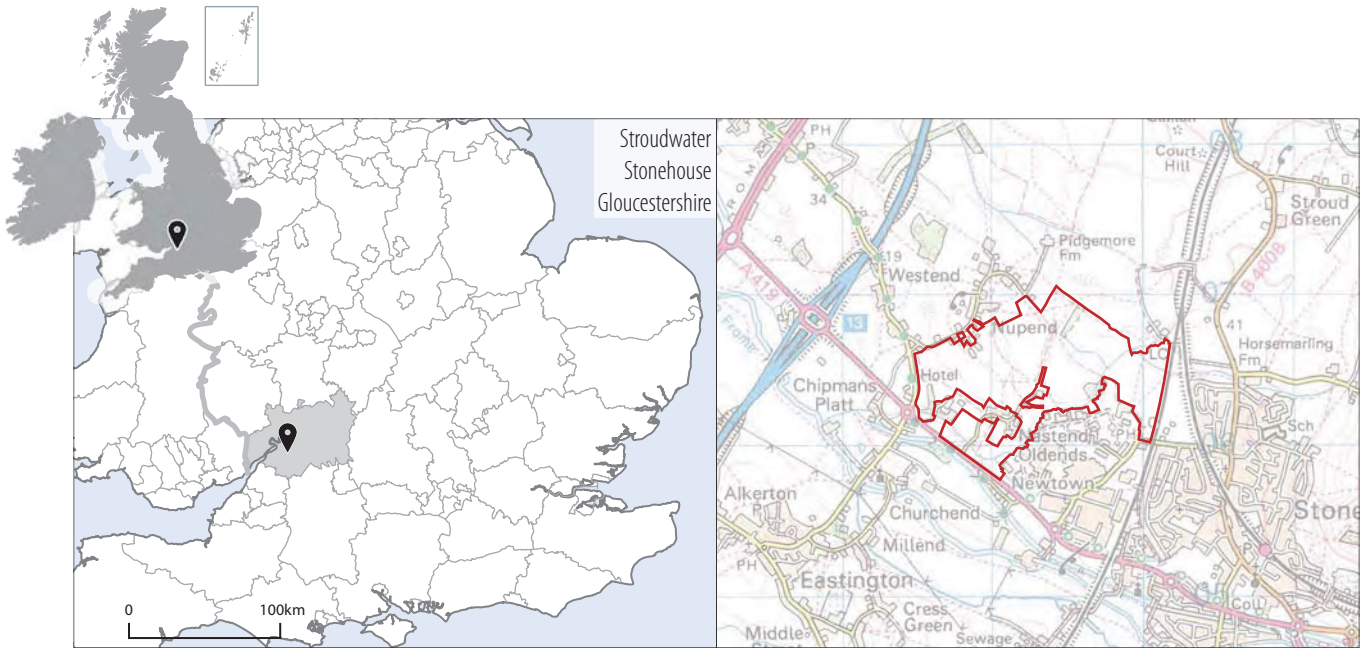
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046	4608	-	-	1	20	Pottery (Medi)	-	Saxo-Norman Oolitic limestone Ware	Medieval
047	4706	-	-	1	5	Pottery (Rom)	-	Severn Valley Ware	Roman
047	4716	-	-	1	4	Pottery (PM)	-	Oxidised glazed Malvernian Ware	Post-medieval
047	4716	-	-	1	6	Pottery (PM)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Post-medieval
047	4716	-	-	1	5	Pottery (Medi)	-	North Devon Gravel-tempered Ware	-
047	4716	-	-	1	10	Pottery (PM)	-	Westerwald/Cologne Stoneware	Post-medieval
047	4716	-	-	2	8	Clay Pipe	Stems	Wide bore	-
047	4719	-	-	2	2	Iron	Object	Two conjoining pieces of a small rectangular sectioned, tapering rod	-
057	5702	-	-	1	325	CBM	Brick	Hand made half-brick fragment. Un-frogged, 67mm width. Linear mark on one side, most likely from where the bricks have been stacked out to dry	Medi - post-medieval
070	7002	-	-	1	1	CBM	Fragment	Small abraded lump of soft-orange red fabric	-
098	9802	-	-	1	9	Pottery (Rom)	-	Severn Valley Ware	Roman
098	9802	-	-	6	43	Pottery (PH)	-	Calcerous fabric	Middle - Late Iron Age
098	9802	-	-	1	6	Pottery (Rom)	-	Local Grey Ware	Roman
098	9802	-	-	1	3	Pottery (Rom)	-	Shell-tempered Ware	Roman
098	9802	1	-	1	2	Copper Alloy	Pin	Possible brooch pin. Broken area at one end possibly indicates where it may have attached to the brooch	?Roman
098	9803	-	-	1	7	Pottery (Rom)	-	Local Grey Ware	Roman
098	9803	-	-	15	44	Pottery	-	Calcerous fabric	Middle -

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						(PH)			Late Iron Age
099	9900	-	-	1	15	Pottery (Rom)	-	South Gaulish Samian Ware	Roman
099	9908	-	-	23	75	Pottery (PH)	-	Iron Age	Middle - Late Iron Age
099	9908	-	-	2	91	Pottery (Rom)	-	Severn Valley Ware	Roman
099	9908	-	-	1	10	Pottery (Rom)	-	Black Burnished Ware	Roman
099	9908	-	-	2	10	Pottery (Rom)	-	Local Grey Ware	Roman
099	9908	-	-	3	13	Pottery (Rom)	-	Shell-tempered Ware	Roman
099	9908	-	1	1	0	Glass	Fragment	Clear glass fragment	Modern
099	9908	-	-	2	2	Pottery (PH)	-	Calcerous fabric	Middle - Late Iron Age
099	9908	-	-	2	23	CBM	Fragment	Abraded, hard fired red fabric, one abraded face remaining	-
099	9910	-	-	2	19	Pottery (Medi)	-	Saxo-Norman Oolitic limestone Ware	Medieval
100	10000	-	-	1	17	Pottery (Rom)	-	Shell-tempered Ware	Roman
107	10701	-	-	1	96	Pottery (Rom)	-	Grog-tempered Ware	Roman
107	10701	-	-	1	11	Pottery (Rom)	-	Local Grey Ware	Roman
109	10905	-	-	1	2	Pottery (Medi)	-	Cistercian Ware	Medieval
115	11504	-	-	1	8	Pottery (Rom)	-	Severn Valley Ware	Roman
144	14400	-	-	5	7	Pottery (Medi)	-	Oxidised glazed Malvernian Ware	Medieval
144	14402	-	-	1	2	Pottery (Rom)	-	Shell-tempered Ware	Roman
144	14402	-	-	1	2	Pottery (Medi)	-	Saxo-Norman Oolitic limestone Ware	Medieval
144	14402	-	-	1	10	Pottery	-	Severn Valley Ware	Roman

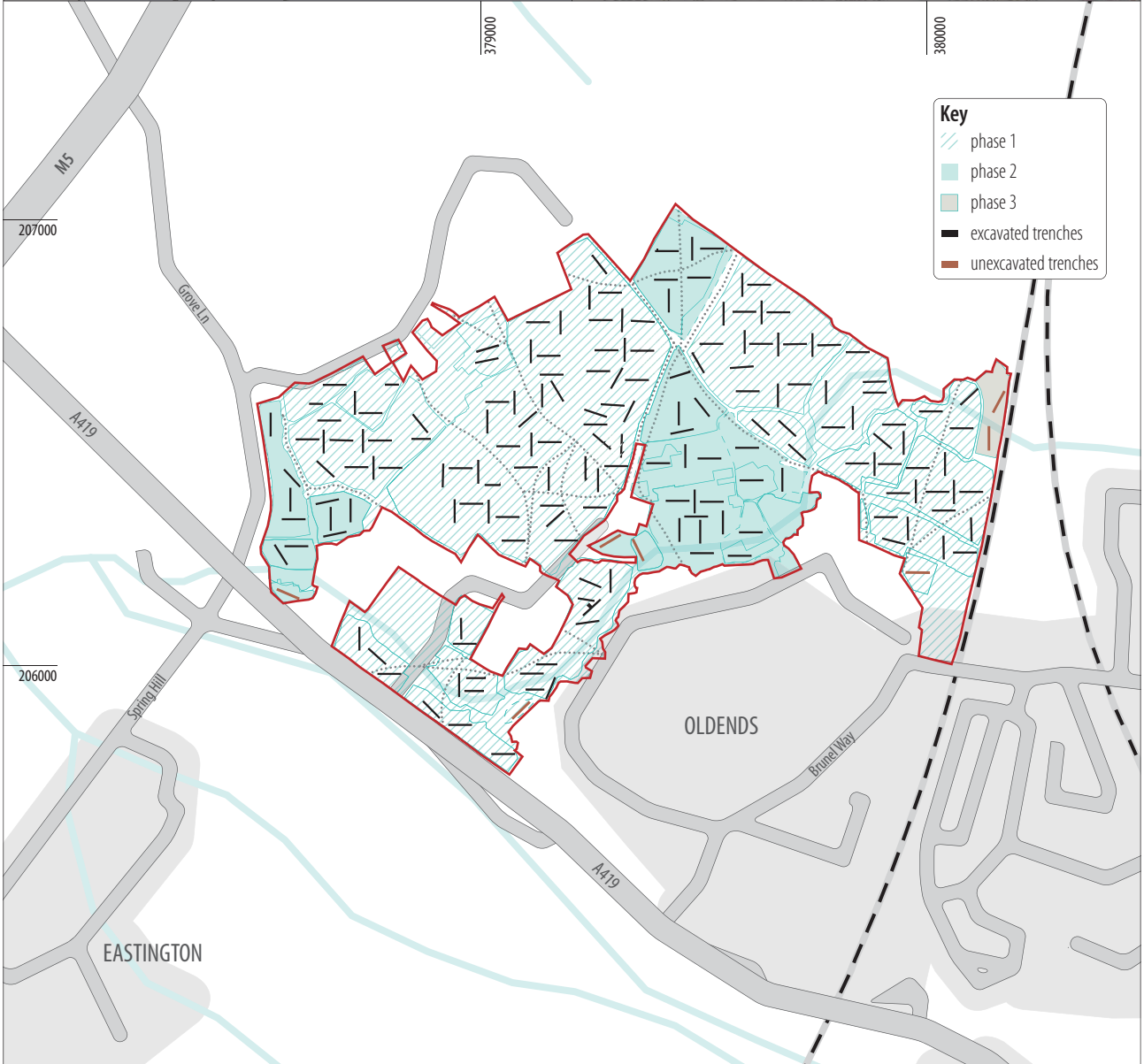
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						(Rom)			
144	14402	-	-	1	2	Pottery (Medi-PM)	-	Oxidised glazed Malvernian Ware	Medieval - Post-medieval
181	18109	-	-	1	8	Pottery (PM)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Post-medieval
181	18110	-	-	2	2	Pottery (PM)	-	Anglo-Dutch Tin Glazed Earthenware	Post-medieval
181	18110	-	-	2	3	Pottery (PM)	-	Staffordshire/Bristol Manganese Glazed Ware	Post-medieval
181	18110	-	-	1	2	Pottery (PM)	-	Staffordshire/Bristol Slipware	Post-medieval
181	18115	-	-	1	27	Pottery (PM)	-	Glazed Red Earthenware	Post-medieval
182	18207	-	-	1	9	Pottery (PH)	-	Calcerous fabric	Middle - Late Iron Age



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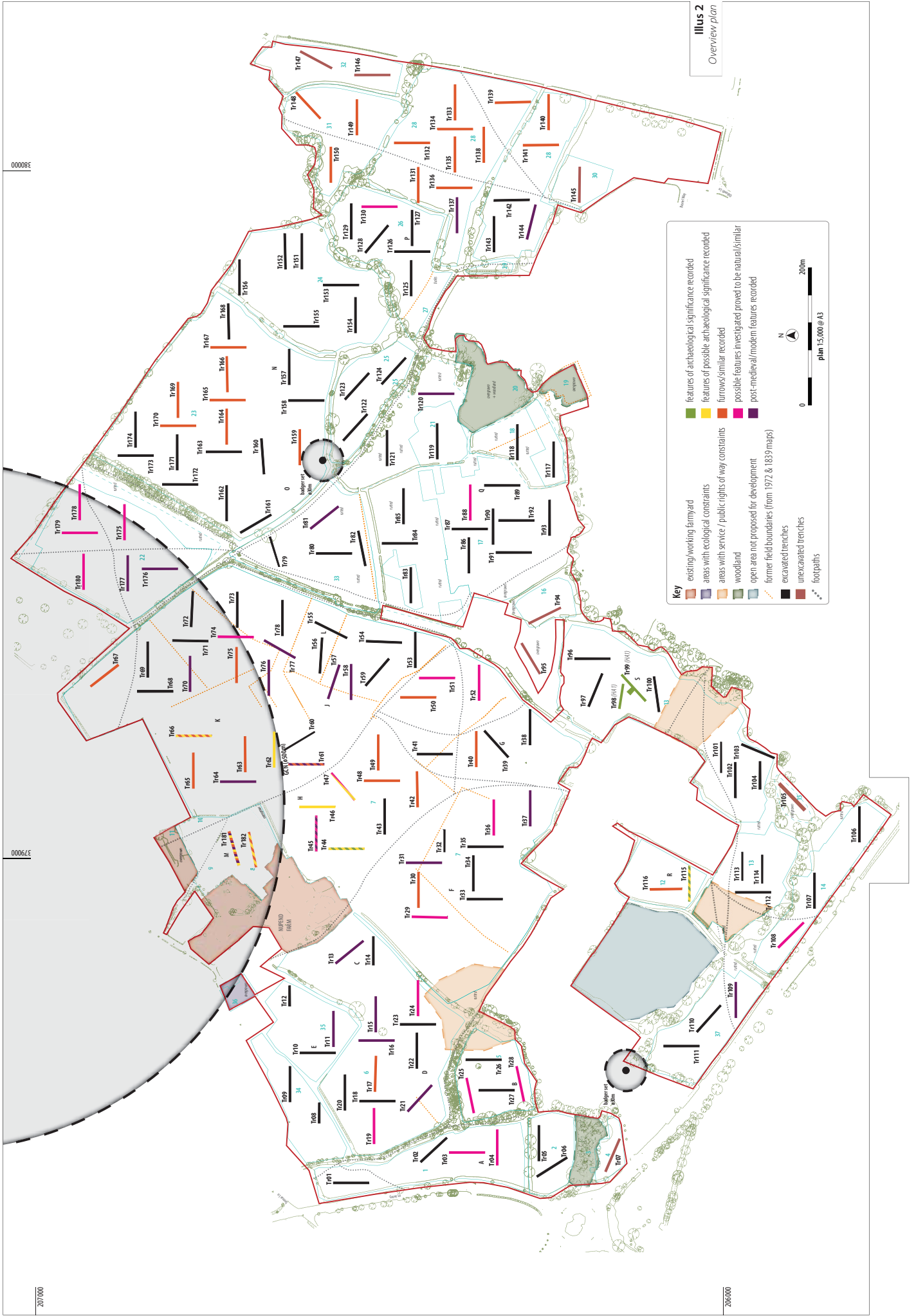
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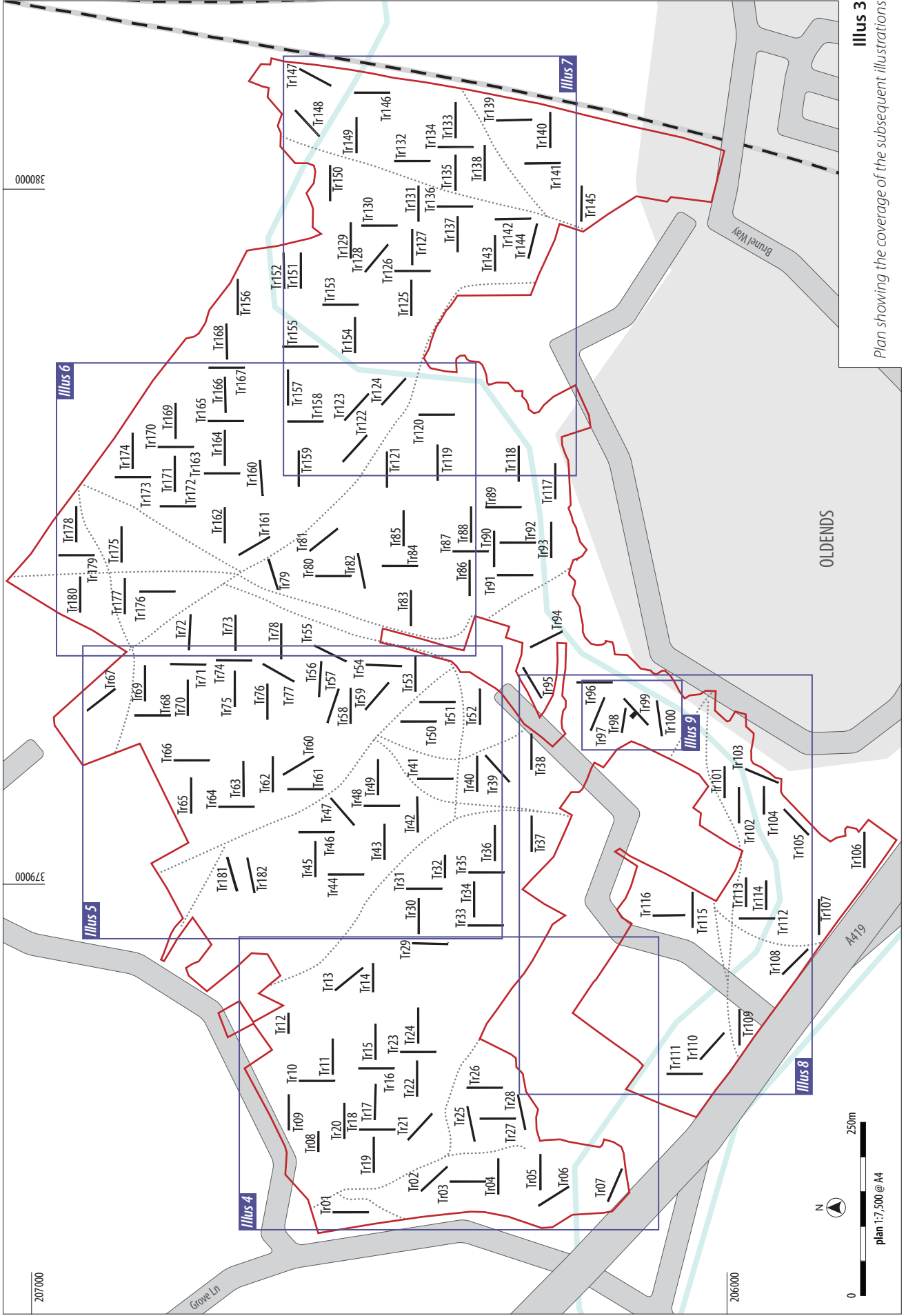
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









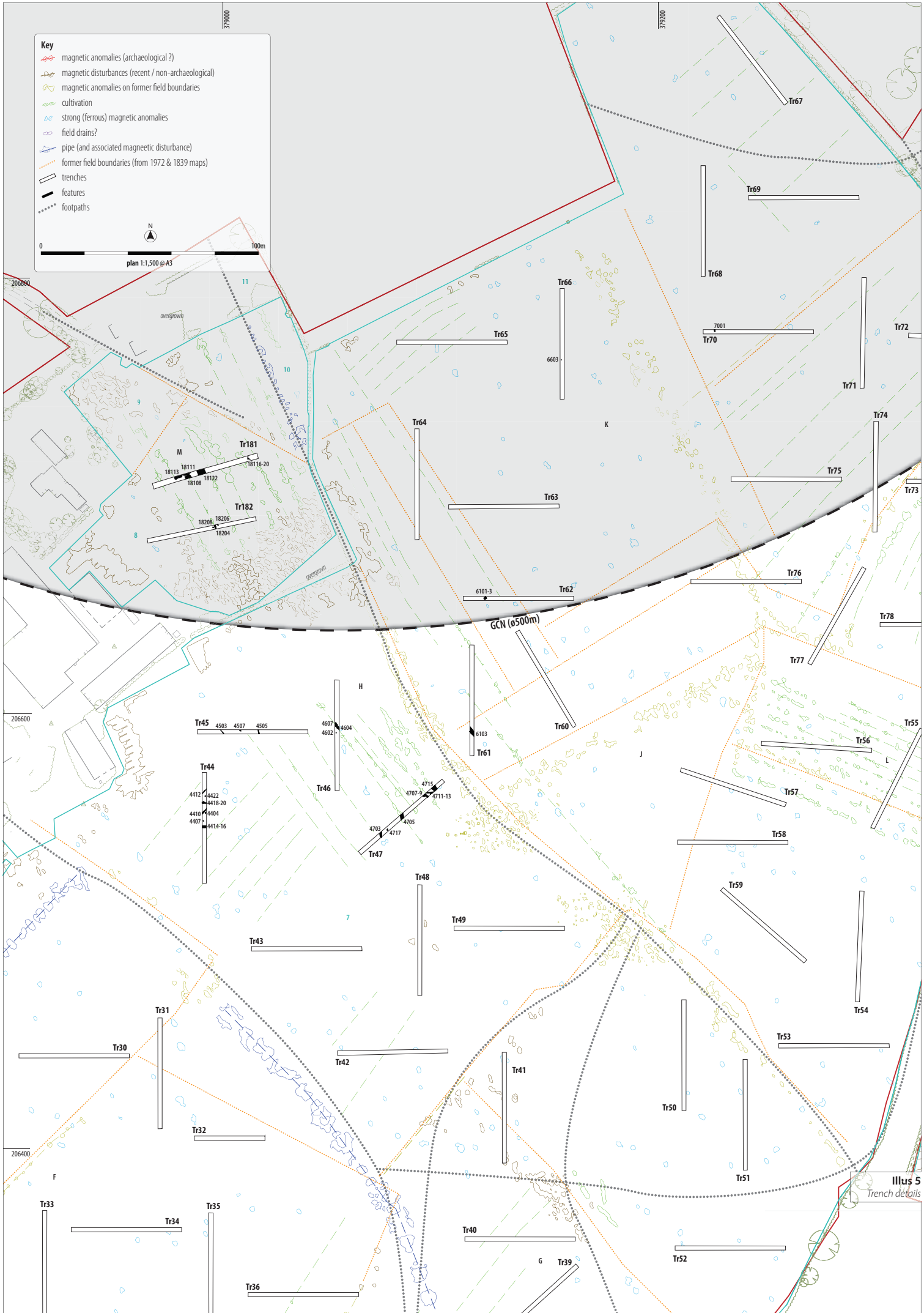
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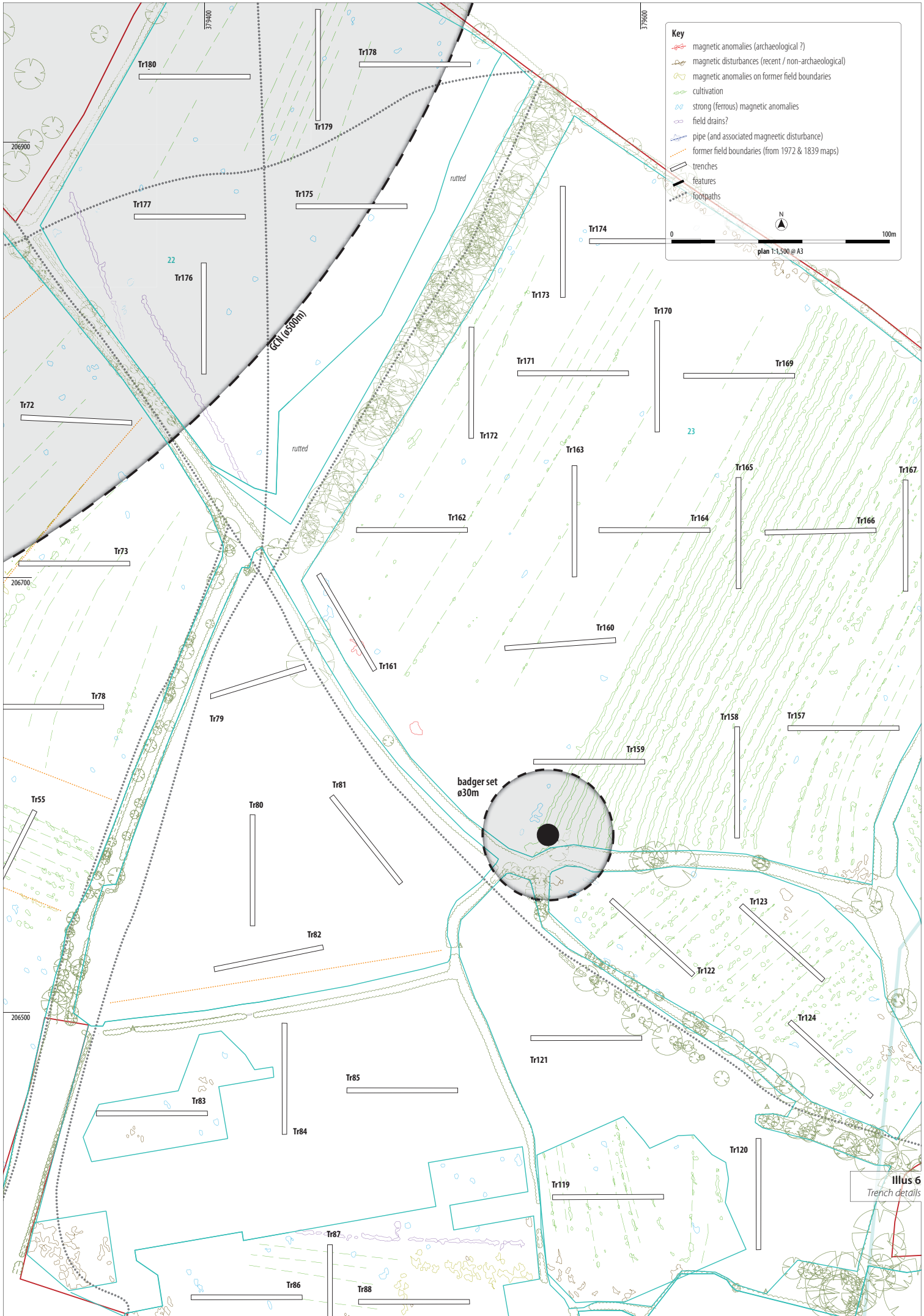
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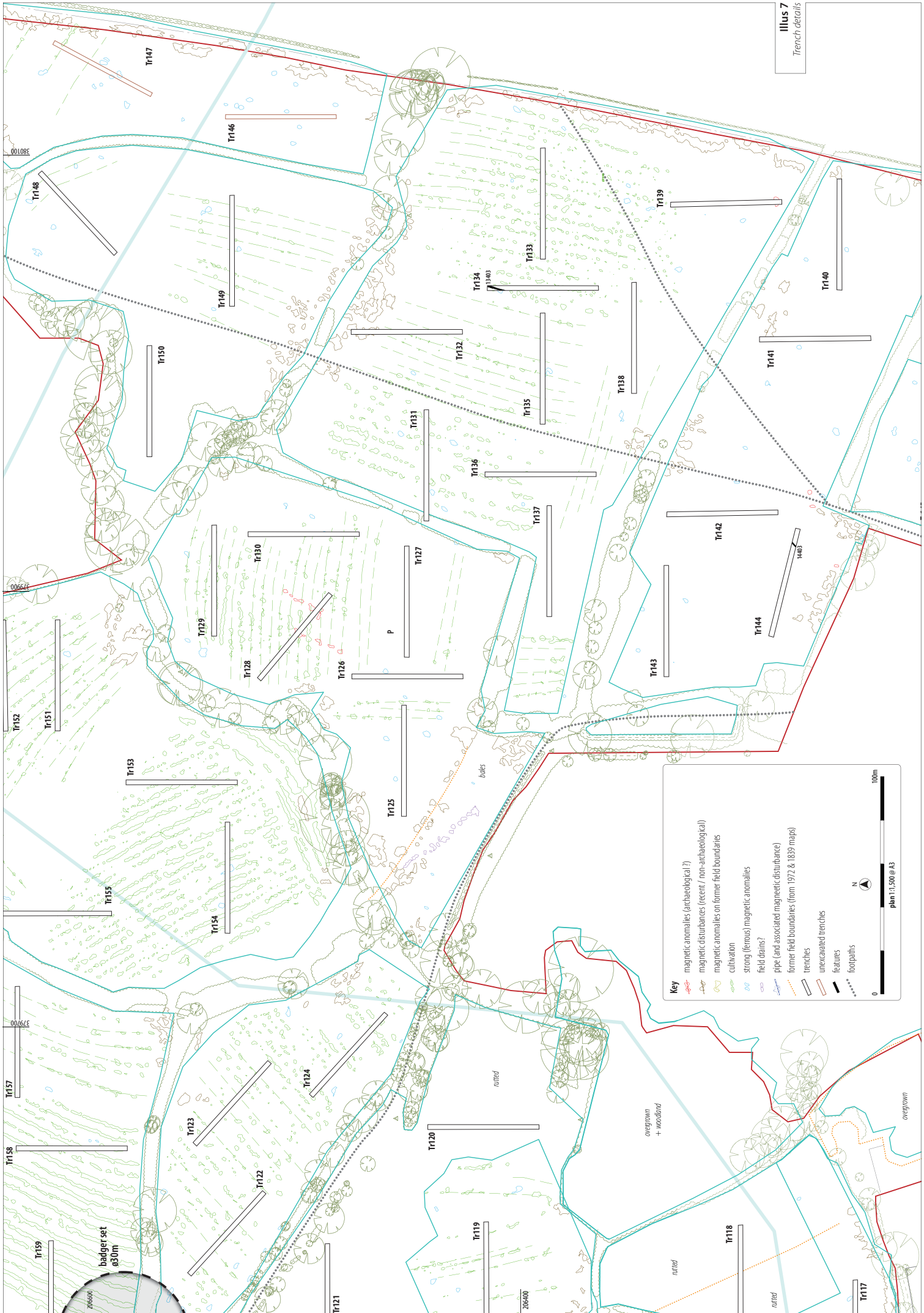
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Illus 5
Trench details

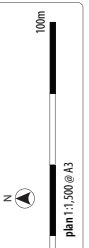


Illus 6
Trench details



key

- magnetic anomalies (archaeological?)
- - - magnetic disturbances (recent / non-archaeological)
- magnetic anomalies on former field boundaries
- - - cultivation
- strong (ferrous) magnetic anomalies
- - - field drains?
- - - pipe (and associated magnetic disturbance)
- - - former field boundaries (from 1972 & 1939 maps)
- trenches
- - - unexcavated trenches
- - - features
- - - footpaths



badger set
ø30m

ruined

overgrown
+ wooded

ruined

overgrown

pipes

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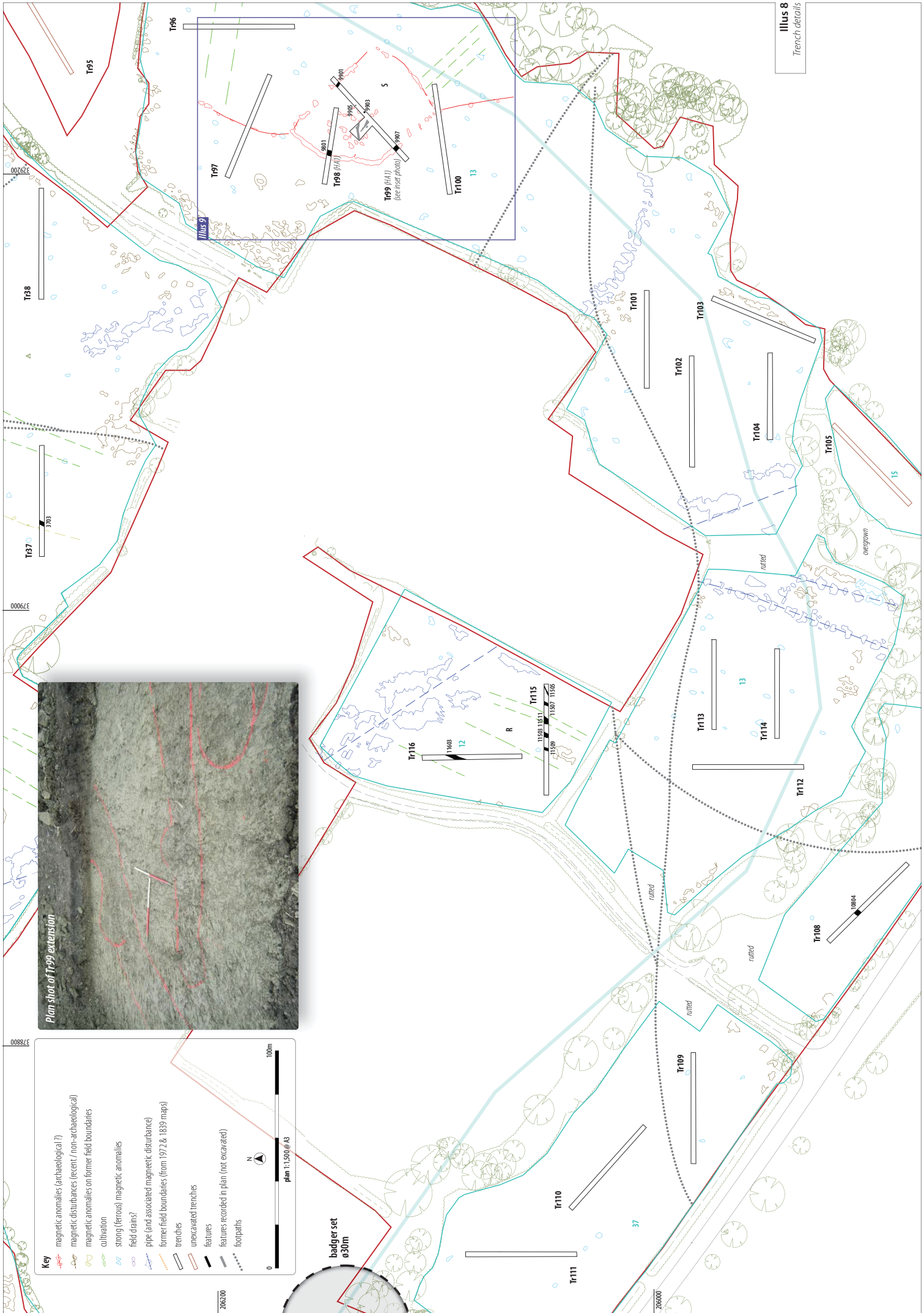
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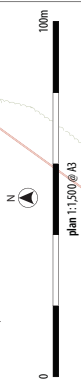
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plan 1:1,500 @ A3



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 - cultivation
 - strong (ferrous) magnetic anomalies
 - field drains?
 - pipe (and associated magnetic disturbance)
 - former field boundaries (from 1972 & 1839 maps)
 - trenches
 - unexcavated trenches
 - features
 - features recorded in plan (not excavated)
 - footpaths

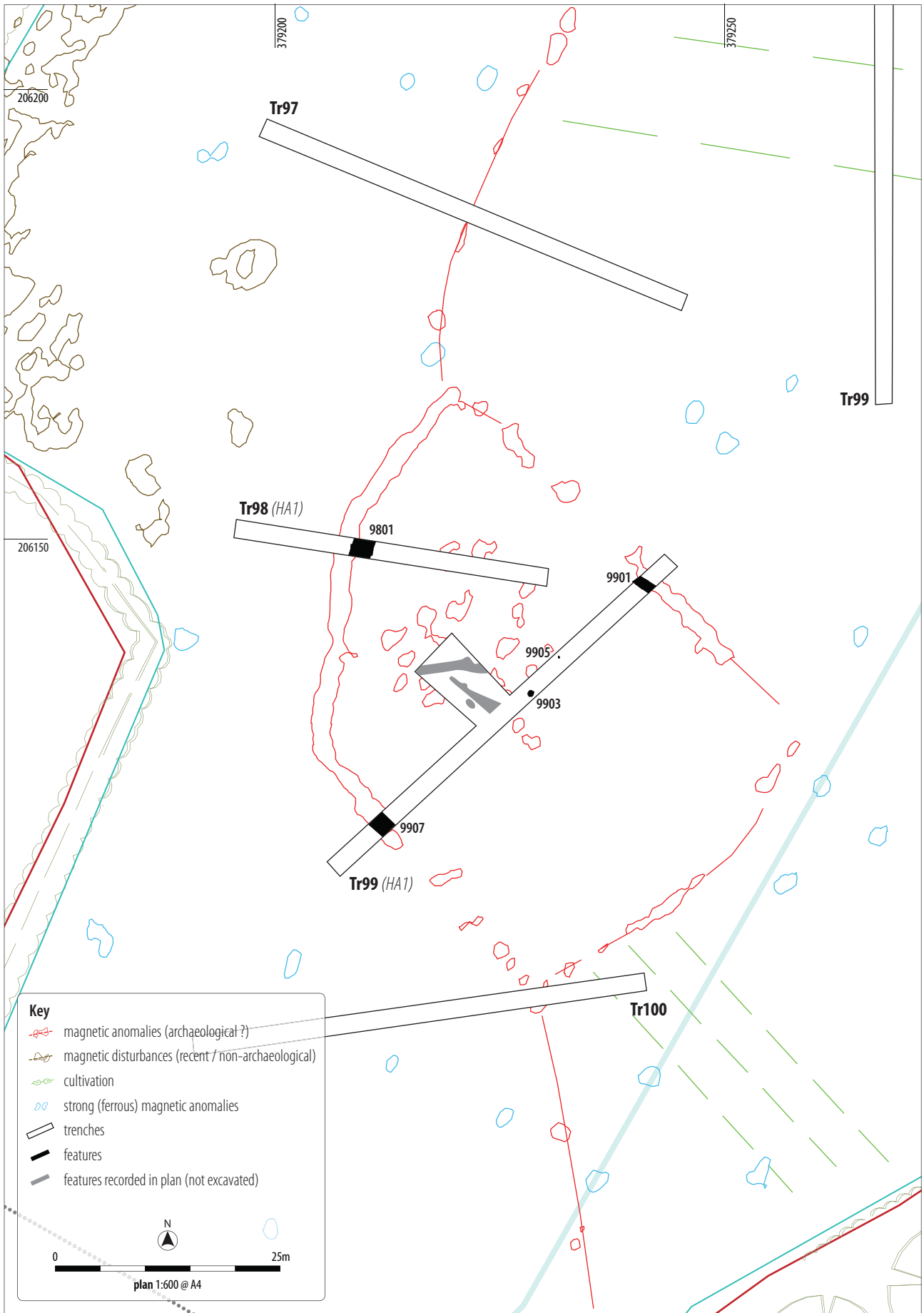


badger set
ø30m



illus 8
Trench details

illus 9



Illus 9
Detail of Trench 98 and 99



Illus 10
SE-facing section of ditch [9801]



Illus 11
SE-facing section of ditch [9901]



Illus 12
NW-facing section of ditch [9907]