

Abbreviation	Meaning
CPR	charred plant remains
HNS	hazelnut shell
SBT	smoke-blackened thatch (also called 'soot blackened thatch' in some publications)
SFB	sunken featured buildings
cf	from the Latin ' <i>confer</i> ' (read as 'compare'; botanically an uncertain identification)
fpl	items per litre (identifiable, countable items such as seeds, grain, chaff fragments)
frag	broken fragments
<i>sl</i>	<i>sensu lato</i> (in the broadest sense)
Prehist	unspecified prehistoric
Palaeo	Palaeolithic
Meso	Mesolithic
Neo	Neolithic
BA	Bronze Age
IA	Iron Age
RB	Roman
AS	Anglo-Saxon
Saxo-Norm	Saxo-Norman transitional period/undifferentiated
Med	medieval
PM	post-medieval
E	early
M	middle
L	late
?	uncertain
C	charred
W	waterlogged
M	mineral replaced (mineralised)
S	silica
I	impression
BEDS	Bedfordshire
BUCKS	Buckinghamshire
CAMBS	Cambridgeshire
DERBYS	Derbyshire
ESSEX	Essex
GLOUCS	Gloucestershire
HEREFORDS	Herefordshire
HERTS	Hertfordshire
LEICS	Leicestershire
LINCS	Lincolnshire
NORFOLK	Norfolk
NORTHANTS	Northamptonshire
NOTTS	Nottinghamshire
RUT	Rutland
SHROPS	Shropshire
STAFFS	Staffordshire
SUFFOLK	Suffolk
WARWICKS	Warwickshire

WEST MIDS	West Midlands
WORCS	Worcestershire