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GLOSSARY OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

Archaeology

For the purposes of this project archaeology is taken to mean the study of past human societies through their material remains from Prehistoric times to the Modern era. No rigid upper date limit has been set, but AD 1900 is used as a general cut-off point.

CBM

Ceramic Building Material.

Medieval

The period between the Norman Conquest (AD 1066) and *circa* AD 1500.

Natural

In archaeological terms this refers to the undisturbed natural geology of a site, in this case *Highworth Limestone Member* – limestone with clay.

NGR

National Grid Reference from the Ordnance Survey Grid.

OD

Ordnance Datum; used to express a given height above sea-level.

OS

Ordnance Survey.

Post-medieval

The period after *circa* AD 1500.

Prehistoric

The period prior to the Roman invasion of AD 43. Traditionally sub divided into; *Palaeolithic* – *circa* 500,000 BC to *circa* 12,000 BC; *Mesolithic* – *circa* 12,000 BC to *circa* 4,500 BC; *Neolithic* – *circa* 4,500 BC to *circa* 2,000 BC; *Bronze Age* – *circa* 2,000 BC to *circa* 800 BC; *Iron Age* – *circa* 800 BC to AD 43.

Roman

The period traditionally dated AD 43 to *circa* AD 410.

Saxon

The period between *circa* AD 410 and AD 1066.

Sunken Featured Building (Grubenhaus)

Structure characteristic of the early to middle Saxon period in Britain. They generally consist of a rectangular pit, often with associated postholes. They are likely to have been used for domestic dwelling, storage and as working-sheds.

SUMMARY

Between June and November 2013 Foundations Archaeology undertook a programme of archaeological strip, map and sample and watching brief in advance of and during groundworks related to a residential development on land at Coffin Close, Westrop, Highworth, Wiltshire (NGR: 420027.192777). The project was commissioned by Persimmon Homes.

The archaeological works revealed evidence for later Prehistoric, Roman, early to middle Saxon and early Medieval settlement within, or near to the site.

Later Prehistoric and Roman activity was represented by the occurrence of relatively small assemblages of struck flints and Roman pottery respectively, which largely occurred as residual material in later contexts.

Evidence for Saxon settlement was present in the form of a probable *Sunken Featured Building* (SFB) and a possibly related shallow pit. The pottery recovered from these features and elsewhere in the site indicated an early to middle Saxon date for this activity. A contemporary loomweight fragment was also recovered from the site, as well as part of an iron knife blade.

The majority of on-site settlement features, which included ditches, pits and postholes, appeared to date to the early Medieval period. A significant proportion of the ditches were set on a general northeast-southwest – southeast-northwest alignment. This did not relate to the alignment of Westrop Lane to the east, which suggested that the ditches pre-dated the construction of the lane.

There was a distinct paucity of later Medieval artefacts within the investigation area which indicated that a settlement shift, away from the site, had occurred sometime during the 13th – 14th century.

The site was largely given over to agriculture and limestone quarrying in the later Medieval and early Post-medieval periods. A group of very regular clay extraction pits, which were present at the south of the site, could be confidently related to late Post-medieval – early Modern brick manufacturing.

1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Between June and November 2013 Foundations Archaeology undertook a programme of archaeological strip, map and sample and watching brief in advance of and during groundworks related to a residential development on land at Coffin Close, Westrop, Highworth, Wiltshire (NGR: 420027.192777). The project was commissioned by Persimmon Homes.
- 1.2 In accordance with the principles of NPPF12 and the archaeological policies of Swindon Borough Council a programme of archaeological works, comprising strip, map and sample excavation and watching brief, was required in advance of and during development groundworks.
- 1.3 The archaeological works were undertaken in accordance with two Written Scheme of Investigations (WSI), prepared by Foundations Archaeology (2013a and b), based on discussions and correspondence with Melanie Pomeroy-Kellinger of Wiltshire Council Archaeology Service, *Standards for Field Evaluation and Assessment in Wiltshire* (CAS 1995) and with CIFA *Standard and Guidance for Archaeological Excavation/Watching Brief* (2008).
- 1.4 This document presents an analysis of the evidence recovered during the course of the project and a suggests a suitable publication format, in accordance with Management of Research Projects in the Historic Environment - MoRPHE (English Heritage 2006).

2 PROJECT BACKGROUND

- 2.1 It was proposed to construct a residential housing estate with associated road access and landscaping within the site.
- 2.2 The site is situated to the north of the centre of Highworth, west of Westrop Lane, within an area of residential development. The study area is located on the northern edge of Highworth hill, on ground which slopes gently downwards from south to north. The underlying geology comprises *Highworth Limestone Member* – limestone with clay (BGS online viewer). At the time of the fieldwork, the site comprised the garden/grounds of Hillside House, which incorporated a disused tennis court at the west.
- 2.3 Highworth is a settlement of Saxon and Medieval origin, but there have also been indications of extensive Roman settlement on the high ground, which is now occupied by the town.
- 2.4 Two archaeological evaluations undertaken within the site (Foundations Archaeology 2006 and 2012) identified possible Roman, Medieval and Post-medieval features, which included pits, ditches and possible quarries. The latter evaluation also indicated the presence of an extensive area of very regular Post-medieval pits at the south of the site and also confirmed that part of the site, within, and immediately to the south of the disused tennis court,

had been significantly truncated and, therefore, had no archaeological potential.

- 2.5 The site contained the potential for the presence of significant Roman, Medieval and Post-medieval archaeological deposits. This did not prejudice the project against the recovery of evidence related to other periods.
- 2.6 In light of the presence of archaeological features within the site, a condition was attached to the development planning permission, which required a programme of archaeological strip, map and sample and further works if necessary.

3 METHODOLOGY

- 3.1 Strip, Map and Sample: Three areas (Areas 1, 2 and 3) were subject to mechanical stripping, as shown in Figure 2. Non-significant overburden was removed down to the top of significant archaeological or natural deposits, whichever was encountered sooner. This was achieved by use of a 360° tracked mechanical excavator equipped with a toothless grading bucket, whilst under constant archaeological direction.
 - 3.1.1 Archaeological features and deposits were archaeologically mapped to a suitable scale and were subject to hand excavation by archaeologists, in accordance with the sampling levels detailed in the relevant WSI. Any variations to the excavation sampling levels were agreed on site with Melanie Pomeroy-Kellinger, or her representative.
- 3.2 Watching Brief: Groundworks associated with the construction of the access road were undertaken whilst under constant archaeological observation. Identified features, finds and deposits were investigated and recorded in accordance with the Watching Brief WSI.

4 STRATIGRAPHIC EVIDENCE

- 4.1 A full description of all contexts identified during the course of the project is given in Appendix 1, along with specialist reports in Appendices 2 to 6.
- 4.2 The general stratigraphic sequence was relatively uniform across most of Areas 1 and 3. Natural yellow beige clay and limestone deposits were present at an average depth of 0.50m (117.32m OD) below the Modern ground surface. The natural substrates were intermittently overlaid by a clay subsoil (1002), up to 0.19m thick, which was, in turn, overlaid by a clay topsoil (1001), up to 0.34m thick. The western part of Area 1, immediately north of the former tennis court, had previously been stripped. The natural deposits in this part of the site were present at an average depth of 0.40m (116.73m OD) below Modern ground and were overlaid by Modern backfill (1011) and a subsequent layer of asphalt (1012).

- 4.3 Area 2 contained natural yellow clay, at an average depth of 0.51m (118.89m OD) below Modern ground level. The natural clay was overlaid by a layer of mixed clay soil (1013), up to 0.28m thick, which contained occasional Modern detritus. Layer (1013) was, in turn, overlaid by topsoil (1001), up to 0.34m thick.
- 4.4 The watching brief identified natural beige clay and limestone at approximately 1m below Modern ground level. The natural substrates were overlaid by a mixture of subsoil and Modern backfill layers (102)wb/(106)wb/(107)wb/(110)wb and (111)wb, up to 0.51m thick, which were sealed by either brick rubble and asphalt (101)wb or topsoil (103)wb, up to 0.50m thick.
- 4.5 Archaeological features were present, cut into, or located on the top of the natural substrates, within all of the investigated areas.

5 DISCUSSION

- 5.1 In general, soil visibility conditions were generally very poor, with feature relationships often difficult to discern due to the frequent occurrence of homogenous clay fills and diffuse soil horizons. Many of the on-site features were very shallow and numerous ditches were discontinuous and dissipated at their terminals, which suggested that the site was likely to have suffered a high degree of plough truncation. It was also noted that shallow features often exhibited evidence for root intrusions to the base of their profiles, which, along with the evidence for former ploughing, indicated the potential for the occurrence of intrusive material within these types of feature. Due to these limitations, as well as a relatively high degree of artefact residuality, it was not possible to create a robust phase plan of the site. The following discussion presents the on-site evidence by period and attempts to elucidate stratigraphic and artefactual coherence wherever possible.
- 5.2 The on-site features comprised numerous ditches, pits, some of which were clearly former quarries, postholes and two stone walls, one of which was associated with a stone spread. Area 1 contained a relatively high density of features, which formed a fairly confusing palimpsest. A group of very distinctive regular pits was present within Area 2.
- 5.3 **Prehistoric**
 - 5.3.1 Evidence for Prehistoric activity comprised an assemblage of twenty later Neolithic – Early Bronze Age struck flints, fifteen of which were present as residual material in later contexts. The flints were in generally fresh condition and represent limited evidence for activity within or close to the site. No on-site features were datable to the Prehistoric period.

5.4 Roman

5.4.1 A relatively small assemblage of 49 sherds of Roman pottery was recovered from Areas 1, 2 and 3. The pottery was relatively evenly distributed throughout the site and was present in very low numbers within individual features, often as residual material (Figures 14 and 18). In light of this, no features were demonstrably datable to the Roman period and, as such, the pottery most likely represents evidence for Roman settlement activity in the general locale of the site. The complete lack of Roman CBM suggested that Roman settlement in this area was not likely to have been associated with substantial buildings.

5.5 Saxon

5.5.1 A total of 117 sherds of early to middle Saxon pottery were recovered from Areas 1 and 3 and a fragment of early to middle Saxon fired clay loomweight was present, as residual material, within ditch fill (1073). As with the Roman pottery, the Saxon pottery often occurred within features in small numbers as residual material, however pits [1274] and [1040] contained Saxon pottery without later datable material.

5.5.2 Pit [1274] was stratigraphically early and contained 94 sherds of relatively unabraded early to middle Saxon pottery, which represented 80% of the total Saxon pottery assemblage, as well as eight sherds of residual Roman pottery. The fill of the pit also contained 47 fragments of animal bone, which included cow, sheep, pig and horse remains, as well as a corroded iron knife blade. The western and northern parts of the pit had been cut into and obscured by later activity (pit [1286] and ditch [1336]), however, what remained of the feature appeared to represent the eastern part of a rectangular pit, which had a shallow, flat profile. In light of this, along with the associated early to middle Saxon pottery, pit [1274] probably represented the remains of a Saxon *Sunken Featured Building* (SFB). The pit was not associated with any postholes, which are generally accepted to be a key structural feature of SFBs; however, there are a significant number of SFBs in England and on the continent, where postholes are entirely absent (Tipper 2004; 71).

5.5.3 Pit [1040] was located approximately 10m to the northeast of pit [1274] and consisted of an amorphous pit with a shallow, undulating profile, which contained a homogenous clay fill (1043). Fill (1043) contained two sherds of residual Roman pottery, four sherds of early to middle Saxon pottery and eight animal bone fragments, which included cow, sheep and pig remains, as well as a fragment of an iron perforated fitting or substantial chain-link. On the basis of its proximity to pit [1274] and its associated dating evidence, pit [1040] is tentatively dated to the Saxon period.

5.5.4 When considered as a whole the Saxon remains present within Areas 1 and 3 represent good evidence for early to middle Saxon settlement within the site, although, due to the limited nature of the surviving evidence, the exact nature and extent of the settlement remains unclear.

5.6 Early Medieval (11th to 13th century)

- 5.6.1 The early Medieval pottery assemblage comprised 367 sherds and, as such, formed the largest single group by period. Early Medieval pottery was recovered from all of the investigation areas.
- 5.6.2 Ditch [1141]/[1201] was equivalent to evaluation ditch [103] (Foundations Archaeology 2006) and comprised a northeast – southwest aligned former boundary ditch. Due to the on-site limitations it was not possible to determine the northeastern morphology or extent of this feature. The previous evaluation tentatively dated the ditch to the Roman period, however, the subsequent excavation of Sections 071, 075 and 107 recovered a mixture of Roman, Saxon and early Medieval pottery from the ditch fills. A sherd of Saxon pottery was present within primary fill (1142) and two sherds of 11th century pottery were incorporated into the ditch, within fill (1214), when it was a largely open feature. On this basis, the ditch is less likely to represent a Roman or, indeed, an early to middle Saxon feature and probably represents an early Medieval boundary ditch. The alignment of the ditch did not appear to bear any relation to the north – south alignment of Westrop Lane, which suggested that it pre-dated the construction of the lane (Figure 13). It is very probable that at least some of the other on-site ditches, which were orientated on a northeast – southwest or northwest – southeast alignment, were related to ditch [1141]/[1201]; although, the dating of these features remained problematic.
- 5.6.3 A total of four postholes [1060], [1078], [1365] and [1415] contained early Medieval pottery, with no later artefactual evidence. Postholes [1060] and [1415] contained one and two pottery sherds respectively and could therefore only be tentatively dated to the early Medieval period. Posthole [1365] (Figures 6 and 11) contained a sherd of early Medieval pottery, was stratigraphically earlier than pit fill (1089) and, therefore, most likely represented an early Medieval feature. Posthole [1078], which was located 1.2m to the southwest of posthole [1365], was cut through, and as such, was stratigraphically later than pit fill (1089). This posthole was most likely to be a later feature, which contained residual Roman and early Medieval pottery. None of the other on-site postholes could be directly related to the early Medieval period (Figure 12), although, given the dominance of early Medieval pottery within the site, it seems likely that at least some of these features were related to this phase of activity. It was notable that the postholes mainly occurred within the central part of the site, to the east of Area 1 and the west of Area 3, at the location of the majority of the possibly co-axial northeast – southwest/northwest – southeast aligned ditches.
- 5.6.4 Areas 1 and 3 contained numerous dispersed small, shallow pits, which were also mostly situated in the area of the northeast – southwest/northwest – southeast aligned ditches. The dating evidence recovered from these features included a small amount of Roman, Saxon and early Medieval pottery, with a complete absence of later wares. It is therefore likely that at least some of the pits were related to early Medieval activity. The pits were, on the whole, very shallow and it remained uncertain if they represented the truncated remains of former refuse pits or small quarries.

5.7 Later Medieval (14th to mid 16th century) and later

- 5.7.1 A total of four sherds of later Medieval pottery were present within the fills (1253)/(1431) of two substantial quarry holes. The general paucity of later Medieval pottery indicated that there was a settlement shift, away from the site. This probably dated to the 13th - 14th century and was most likely related to the formation of Highworth town and market from the 13th century onwards, which is located to the south of the site on top of the hill. On-site features which probably dated to the later Medieval period, or later, comprised ditches, a wall, numerous quarry holes and a small number of postholes.
- 5.7.2 Features [1385], [1388], [1338], [1373], [1336], (1458), [1346], [1352], [1340]? and [1349] formed parts of a substantial north-northeast – south-southwest aligned ditched boundary, which had clearly been re-cut on numerous occasions (Figures 7, 8 and 13, also Sections 155, 160, 173 and 175). The ditch terminated at the north, at the southwestern edge of quarry hole [1390]/[1369]/[1290] (Sections 170 and 176, also Figure 11). Primary ditch cut [1385] was stratigraphically earlier than quarry hole [1390], whilst ditch re-cut [1388] was later; and ditch [1373] was later than quarry hole [1369]. This suggested that the ditched boundary was an active landscape feature, both before and after the excavation and in-filling of the quarry. Multiple sections excavated across and into the boundary yielded a small assemblage of six sherds of pottery. A single sherd of 11th – 12th century Medieval pottery was recovered from the primary fill (1347) of early ditch cut [1346] and a mixture of Roman, Medieval and early Post-medieval pottery was present within later ditch re-cuts [1349] and [1388]. The dating evidence, along with the general paucity of artefacts within the ditch, suggested that the feature represented a Medieval agricultural boundary, which remained in use into the early Post-medieval period. Its relationship with other ditched boundaries within the site, or Westrop Lane, remained unclear.
- 5.7.3 Ditches [1032], [1354/7], [1307], [1425], [104]wb and [108]wb and wall (1200) were all aligned either north – south or east – west and most likely represented later Medieval or later features, which had been laid out in relation to the alignment of Westrop Lane. The ditches contained a small amount of residual Roman, Saxon and early Medieval pottery; the general absence of later dating evidence within these features indicated that they were likely to have been situated away from contemporary settlement foci and probably represented agricultural and/or landscape boundaries.
- 5.7.4 Areas 1 and 3 contained a number of substantial amorphous quarry holes ([1119], [1280]etc., [1311]etc., [1401], [1429]etc., [1434]etc., [1438] and [1449]), many of which had been cut into the solid bedrock and represented clear evidence for limestone quarrying. The quarry in-fills contained a mixture of Roman, Saxon and early Medieval pottery; however, later Medieval pottery, present within fill (1431) and part of a possible later Medieval copper alloy finger ring, recovered from fill (1324), indicated that at least some, if not all of the limestone quarrying potentially dated to the later Medieval period or later.

- 5.7.5 Sub-rectangular pit [1087] was initially thought to potentially represent the remains of a SFB. On this basis, the feature was subjected to 100% hand excavation (Figure 11). The investigation demonstrated that the pit had a relatively undulating profile and that part of its fill (1089) was stratigraphically later than Medieval posthole fill (1366). The pit fill, which was relatively homogenous (1088/9/90), yielded a single sherd of early to middle Saxon pottery, as well as five sherds of early Medieval pottery, along with six residual struck flints. In light of this evidence, rather than an SFB, pit [1087] most likely represented a former quarry pit, which dated to the Medieval period or later.
- 5.7.6 Wall (1200) was not associated with any other walls or postholes and was almost certainly a former boundary feature, which was associated with a spread of dumped stones (1245)/(1246)/(1249)/(1250)/(1283)/(1292)/(1293)/(1377)/(1392). The stones extended from the wall at the east, along the southern edge of a quarry hole [1280]/[1247]/[1369]/[1390]/[1290], which, at the time of the deposition of the stones, would have been a partially in-filled feature. Wall (1200) and stones (1245)etc. appeared to be the remains of a former localised 'hard' boundary and area of hardstanding, located at the edge of a partially in-filled quarry hole, which may have served as a dew pond.
- 5.7.7 There was no evidence for buried turf-lines or former topsoil horizons between the in-fills within quarry [1280]etc. and dumped stones (1245)etc., which suggested that the in-filling of the quarry and the deposition of the stones were fairly contiguous events. The stones were directly overlaid by dark soil deposits (1285), (1252), (1253), (1299), (1248), (1325), (1294), (1378) and (1295), some of which contained Post-medieval pottery. This suggested that the stones were present as an extant feature within the landscape in the Post-medieval period. On this basis, wall (1200) and hardstanding (1245)etc. probably represented later Medieval - Post-medieval livestock management features.
- 5.7.8 Postholes [1018] and [1158] contained Post-medieval artefacts, which demonstrated that at least some of the postholes within the site dated to the Post-medieval period or later; although it is probable that, where later postholes were present, they represented either agricultural or garden features.
- 5.7.9 Area 2 contained a group of at least twenty six distinctive and very regular square and rectangular pits with near vertical sides and flat bases, which were cut into the top of the natural plastic clay (Figures 4 and 9 - Pits 1 to 21 and Pit Group 1, and previous evaluation report (2012), Figures 3 and 4). The pits were not archaeologically excavated during the excavation works and were, therefore, recorded in plan only; however, they were visibly stratigraphically later than ditches [1361], [1363] and [1367] and red glazed earthenware pottery recovered from the previous evaluation indicated that they dated to later Post-medieval – early Modern period.
- 5.7.10 The Ordnance Survey Map of 1876-7 shows a brick yard, with kiln and associated 'old clay pit and quarry' approximately 160m to the southwest of

the site, as well as another 'clay pit and quarry', approximately 30m to the southwest. The regular pits in Area 2 can therefore be confidently interpreted as clay quarries, related to late Post-medieval - early Modern brick manufacturing located in northwest Highworth.

- 5.8 The excavation and watching brief recovered a mixed artefact assemblage, which comprised Prehistoric struck flints, Roman, Saxon, Medieval and Post-medieval pottery, worked bone and metal artefacts, including part of a possible early to middle Saxon knife blade, as well as animal bones representing cattle, sheep, pig, horse, dog, cat and bird remains. The finds assemblage is, on the whole, entirely consistent with that to be expected from settlement activity. A small fragment of a possible human bone (humerus) was recovered from the fill of undated ditch/linear pit [1217]. No other human remains were present in the feature or elsewhere within the site and, as such, the bone most likely represents residual material.
- 5.9 A total of five site contexts were subject to bulk soil sample and environmental analysis (Appendix 6). All five contexts contained charred plant remains; however, the generally shallow depths of the sampled features, along with the evidence for frequent root intrusions across the site, indicated that there was a high potential for intrusive charred plant remains to be present within the samples. This, along with a lack of dating precision, indicated that the results of the environmental analysis should be seen as inconclusive and of limited interpretative value.

6 CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FURTHER WORK

- 6.1 The archaeological investigations have recorded significant archaeological deposits, which although heavily truncated, can be shown to represent evidence for later Prehistoric, Roman, early to middle Saxon and early Medieval settlement within, or near to the site.
- 6.2 Later Prehistoric and Roman activity was represented by the occurrence of relatively small assemblages of struck flints and Roman pottery respectively, which largely occurred as residual material in later contexts. A complete lack Roman CBM suggested that Roman settlement in this area was not likely to have been associated with substantial buildings.
- 6.3 Evidence for Saxon settlement was present in the form of a probable *Sunken Featured Building* (SFB) and a possibly related shallow pit. The pottery recovered from these features and elsewhere in the site indicated an early to middle Saxon date for this activity. A contemporary loomweight fragment was also recovered from the site, as well as part of an iron knife blade, which was present within the fill of the SFB.
- 6.4 The majority of on-site settlement features, which included ditches, pits and postholes, appeared to date to the early Medieval period. A significant proportion of the ditches were set on a general northeast-southwest – southeast-northwest alignment. This did not relate to the alignment of Westrop

Lane to the east, which suggested that the ditches pre-dated the construction of the lane.

- 6.5 There was a distinct paucity of later Medieval artefacts within the investigation area which indicated that a settlement shift, away from the site, had occurred sometime during the 13th – 14th century. It is likely that the abandonment of the site was related to the formation of Highworth town and market in the 13th century.
- 6.6 The excavation evidence indicated that the site was largely given over to agriculture and limestone quarrying in the later Medieval and early Post-medieval periods. A group of very regular clay extraction pits, which were present at the south of the site, could be confidently related to late Post-medieval - early Modern brick manufacturing.
- 6.7 The archive is currently held at the offices of Foundations Archaeology but will be deposited with an appropriate archive in due course.
- 6.8 The evidence from the archaeological investigations is significant and clearly warrants a short publication note in a relevant journal. Due to the limitations associated with the stratigraphic evidence, as detailed in paragraphs 5.1 and 5.9, further analysis of the artefactual assemblage and environment evidence is unlikely to materially enhance the understanding of the site. Prior to the publication note the results of the current project should be related to both of the previous site evaluations, as well as the recent evaluation (Foundations Archaeology 2015) and excavation works (Foundations Archaeology forthcoming) undertaken immediately to the southwest of the site.

7 NATURE OF THE RECORD

- 7.1 The stratigraphic archive for the site consists of the following elements:

context sheets;
record sheets;
plans;
sections;
acetate sheets;
black and white photographs;
digital photographs.

- 7.2 The following contexts types were represented:

ditch;
pit;
stone quarry hole;
clay extraction pit;
posthole;
fill;
SFB;

stone wall;
stone spread.

- 7.3 The methodologies used to recover this evidence were set out in the WSI. In summary the following excavation methods were utilised. A mechanical excavator was used to remove overburden onto the surface of archaeological deposits and/or the natural substrates, thereafter an appropriate sample of selected deposits was removed by manual excavation. A watching brief was undertaken during the access road construction works. All contexts were recorded on a pro-forma context sheet and principal deposits were drawn in plan and section. These are available in the archive. Photographs were taken of all excavated features and sections.
- 7.4 Following the completion of the excavation, artefacts were appropriately conserved and an ordered, indexed, and internally consistent site archive was compiled in accordance with MoRPHE. All applied conservation methodologies are detailed in the archive.

8 STATEMENT OF POTENTIAL

- 8.1 Of the specific objectives set out in the strip, map and sample WSI, the following have been achieved:

i/ to define and identify the nature of archaeological deposits on site, and date these where possible. This has been achieved, although, due to former truncation of deposits the date phasing of the site evidence was limited;

ii/ to attempt to characterise the nature and preservation of the archaeological sequence and recover as much information as possible about the spatial patterning and extent of features present on the site. The archaeological works have identified and recorded a relatively poorly preserved multi-phase settlement site which extended across Areas 1 to 3 as well as the watching brief area;

iii/ to recover a well dated stratigraphic sequence, which will attempt to determine the complexity of the horizontal and vertical stratigraphy present, and to recover coherent artefact, ecofact and environmental samples. The site contained variable degrees of horizontal and vertical complexity, which had been significantly impacted upon by plough truncation. This resulted in fairly imprecise dating across the site and compromised the site's environmental potential;

iv/ to determine the potential of the site to provide palaeoenvironmental and/or economic evidence and the forms in which such evidence may be present. The site has negligible palaeoenvironmental potential. General economic evidence was present in the form of settlement related artefacts, which included struck flints, pottery, a loomweight, worked bone and metal artefacts, along with animal bones. There was also evidence for on-site limestone and clay quarrying;

v/ to identify the extent of Roman activity within the site. A relatively small assemblage of Roman pottery represented limited evidence for activity within or near to the site. No on-site features were demonstrably datable to the Roman period.

- 8.2 The results of the fieldwork justified the implementation of the excavation and watching brief programme and the site is of sufficient quality to warrant a short publication note in a relevant archaeological journal.

9 PUBLICATION REPORT AND ARCHIVING

- 9.1 The publication report should comprise a brief text synopsis of the results of the site works, which should be synthesised with the results of the previous on-site evaluations and the works recently undertaken to the southwest of the site. It is envisaged that the publication note will occur in *Wiltshire Archaeological and Natural History Magazine*.
- 9.2 A full OASIS record, with attached report, will be created.
- 9.3 Additionally, a full report of the excavations will be posted online at the Foundations Archaeology website (<http://www.foundations.co.uk>).
- 9.4 The site archive for the project will be submitted to the National Monuments Record of Historic England for security copying upon completion of the report.
- 9.5 The site archive and artefactual collection will be deposited with an appropriate museum.

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APPENDIX 1: STRATIGRAPHIC DATA

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
				AREAS 1, 2 and 3 ; natural = yellow beige firm clay, which contained occasional outcrops of limestone.		
1001	na	na	0.34	Topsoil; dark brown clay silt, which contained occasional Modern detritus.	1002, 1013	na
1002	na	na	0.19	Subsoil; grey to grey brown clay silt. Occurred intermittently across Areas 1 and 3.	natural	1001
[1003]	1.18	0.9	0.33	Sub-oval pit with a steep uneven profile. Contained fill 1004.	natural	1004
1004	1.18	0.9	0.33	Fill of pit [1003]; dark grey silt clay.	[1003]	1002
[1005]	4	1.3	0.48	Linear pit with steep sloping sides and a flat base at the south and a shallow, flat profile at the north. Features [1005] and [1109] are equivalent and formed parts of a pit. Contained 1006, 1007 and 1008.	1073	1008
1006	4	1.2	0.22	Fill of pit [1005]; dark brown grey clay sand, which contained occasional stones and occasional charcoal flecks.	1007	1002
1007	?	1.3	0.25	Fill of pit [1005]; light orange grey clay silt, which contained occasional small stones and occasional charcoal flecks.	1008	1006
1008	?	0.68	0.1	Fill of pit [1005]; red brown plastic clay, which contained occasional stones.	[1005]	1007
[1009]	1.5	1.4	0.13	Sub-circular pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1010.	natural	1010
1010	1.5	1.4	0.13	Fill of pit [1009]; brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1009]	1002
1011	na	na	0.45	Modern backfill/bedding, which was situated in area of a former tennis court.	natural	1012
1012	na	na	0.25	Layer of asphalt - tennis court.	1011	na
1013	na	na	0.28	Subsoil; mixed yellow to dark brown clay silt, which contained occasional Modern artefacts.	natural,	1001
				Modern make-up/dump layer. Present within Area 2; dissipated at the east end.	Area 2 pits	

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1014]	0.36	0.36	0.28	Sub-circular posthole with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1015.	1002	1015
				Equivalent to postholes [1016] and [1018]		
1015	0.36	0.36	0.28	Fill of posthole [1014]; brown orange plastic clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1014]	1001
[1016]	0.46	0.43	0.14	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1017.	1002	1017
1017	0.46	0.43	0.14	Fill of posthole [1016]; brown orange plastic clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1016]	1001
[1018]	0.42	0.43	0.24	Sub-circular posthole with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1019.	1002	1019
1019	0.42	0.43	0.24	Fill of posthole [1018]; brown orange plastic clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks, as well as a single fragment of clay smoking pipe.	[1018]	1001
[1020]	12	0.57	0.26	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fills 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1027 and 1216. Probably a continuation of ditch [1126].	natural	1022, 1024, 1027, 1216
1021	?	0.5	0.13	Fill of ditch [1020]; dark grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1022	1002
1022	?	0.4	0.06	Fill of ditch [1020]; red brown plastic clay.	[1020]	1021
1023	?	0.5	0.1	Fill of ditch [1020]; dark grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1024	1002
1024	?	0.54	0.12	Fill of ditch [1020]; red brown plastic clay.	[1020]	1023
[1025]	6.7	0.6	0.28	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a variable rounded profile. Contained fills 1026, 1207 and 1208. Continuation of ditch terminus [1030].	1209, 1216	1026, 1207
1026	?	0.6	0.17	Fill of ditch [1025]; grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1025]	1002
1027	?	0.41	0.18	Fill of ditch [1020]; grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1020]	1002
[1028]	1.02	0.8	0.19	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, uneven profile. Contained fill 1029.	natural	1029
1029	1.02	0.8	0.19	Fill of pit [1028]; mid brown plastic clay, which contained frequent charcoal lenses.	[1028]	1002
[1030]	6.7	0.6	0.28	Ditch terminus with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1031. Continuation of ditch [1025].	natural	1031

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1031	?	0.45	0.28	Fill of ditch [1030]; orange brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1030]	1002
[1032]	8	0.4	0.25	North edge of east - west aligned ditch with a near vertical north edge. Contained fill 1033.	1002	1033
				Possibly related to Modern ditch located immediately to the north.		
1033	8	0.4	0.25	Fill of ditch [1032]; grey brown plastic clay silt.	[1032]	1001
[1034]	1.9	0.35	0.1	Northwest - southeast aligned linear pit or gully with a shallow, rounded profile.	1039	1035
				Contained fill 1035.		
1035	1.9	0.35	0.1	Fill of pit/gully [1034]; grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal	[1034]	1002
				flecks.		
[1036]	0.95	0.5	0.14	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1037.	natural	1037
1037	0.95	0.5	0.14	Fill of pit [1036]; grey brown plastic clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1036]	1002
[1038]	3.6	1.5	0.31	Sub-oval pit with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1039.	natural	1039
1039	3.6	1.5	0.31	Fill of pit [1038]; light grey plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1038]	[1034]
[1040]	4.6	2.8	0.31	Amorphous pit with a shallow, undulating profile. Contained fill 1043.	natural	1043
1041				void		
1042				void		
1043	4.6	2.8	0.31	Fill of pit [1040]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1040]	1002
[1044]	16	1.16	0.25	Curvilinear ditch with a variable profile. Contained fills 1130, 1129 and 1045.	natural	1130, 1129,
				Dissipated at the southwest. Continuation of ditch [1137].		1045
1045	?	1.16	0.24	Fill of ditch [1044]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional to frequent	[1044]	1002
				charcoal flecks.		
[1046]	7.4	0.37	0.31	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a variable profile. Contained fills 1047, 1069, 1070, 1059 and 1071. Terminated at the northeast and southwest.	1058, 1068	1047, 1069, 1059, 1071

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1047	?	0.31	0.2	Fill of ditch [1046]; grey brown plastic silt clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1046]	1002
[1048]	1.2	1.15	0.14	Sub-oval pit with a shallow flat profile. Contained fill 1049.	natural	1049
1049	1.2	1.15	0.14	Fill of pit [1048]; dark grey brown clay sand.	[1048]	1002
[1050]	6	1.5	0.18	Northeast - southwest aligned linear pit with a wide, shallow profile. Contained fills 1051	natural	1051, 1058
				and 1058. Dissipated at the southwest.		
1051	?	0.9	0.18	Fill of pit [1050]; dark grey brown plastic clay.	[1050]	1002
[1052]	0.5	0.4	0.12	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1053.	natural	1053
1053	0.5	0.4	0.12	Fill of posthole [1052]; grey brown clay sand.	[1052]	1002
[1054]	13.7	0.37	0.11	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fills 1064,	natural	1064, 1055,
				1055, 1147, 1162 and 1155. Terminated at the southeast. Uncertain relationship with		1147, 1162,
				pit [1096].		1155
1055	?	0.3	0.09	Fill of ditch [1054]; light grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1054]	1002
[1056]	5.5	1.4	0.37	Northwest - southeast aligned linear pit with a wide, rounded profile. Contained fills	natural	1057, 1148,
				1057, 1148, 1149 and 1172. Uncertain relationship with feature [1173].		1172
1057	?	0.96	0.23	Fill of pit [1056]; grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained rare - occasional charcoal	[1056]	1002
				flecks.		
1058	?	1.3	0.08	Fill of pit [1050]; dark grey brown plastic clay.	[1050]	[1046]
1059	?	0.44	0.22	Fill of ditch [1046]; grey brown plastic silt clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1046]	1002
[1060]	0.5	0.5	0.15	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1061.	natural	1061
1061	0.5	0.5	0.15	Fill of posthole [1060]; dark brown grey plastic clay silt, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1060]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1062]	6.7	0.5	0.12	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a shallow rounded profile. Contained fills 1068,	natural	1068, 1063,
				1063, 1091, 1086 and 1101. Dissipated at the northwest; uncertain relationship with		1091, 1086,
				feature [1098]. Terminated at the southeast.		1101
1063	?	0.4	0.1	Fill of ditch [1062]; orange brown plastic sand clay.	[1062]	1002
1064	?	0.25	0.06	Fill of ditch [1054]; yellow brown soft plastic silt clay.	[1054]	1002
[1065]	0.2	0.2	0.06	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fills 1066 and 1067.	natural	1067
1066	?	0.12	0.03	Fill of posthole [1065]; dark brown black clay silt, which contained frequent charcoal flecks.	1067	1002
				Possible base of post-pipe/remains of burnt post.		
1067	0.2	0.2	0.06	Fill of posthole [1065]; yellow brown plastic sand clay. Possible post-packing fill?	[1065]	1066
1068	1.4	0.4	0.1	Fill of ditch [1062]; orange brown plastic sand clay.	[1062]	[1046]
1069	?	0.18	0.16	Fill of ditch [1046]; mottled beige brown clay sand, which contained occasional	[1046]	1070
				charcoal flecks.		
1070	?	0.37	0.18	Fill of ditch [1046]; grey brown plastic silt clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	1069	1002
1071	?	0.2	0.26	Fill of ditch [1046]; dark grey brown plastic silt clay, which contained rare	[1046]	1002,
				charcoal flecks.		Modern
						feature
[1072]	11	0.44	0.07	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fills 1073 and 1106.	natural	1073, 1106
				Terminated at the southeast, dissipated at the northwest. Possibly represented a continuation of ditch [1187].		

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1073	4.5	0.45	0.06	Fill of ditch [1072]; yellow brown soft silt clay.	[1072]	[1005]
[1074]	0.38	0.23	0.12	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1075.	natural	1075
1075	0.38	0.23	0.12	Fill of posthole [1074]; grey brown plastic clay.	[1074]	[1076]
[1076]	0.54	0.42	0.23	Sub-oval posthole with an uneven, rounded profile. Contained fill 1077.	1075	1077
1077	0.54	0.42	0.23	Fill of posthole [1076]; dark grey brown plastic clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1076]	1002
[1078]	0.7	0.31	0.18	Sub-oval pit/posthole with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1079.	1089	1079
1079	0.7	0.31	0.18	Fill of feature [1078]; grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1078]	1002
[1080]	0.9	0.4	0.15	Sub-rectangular pit with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1081.	natural	1081
1081	0.9	0.4	0.15	Fill of pit [1080]; dark grey brown plastic silt clay.	[1080]	[1082]
[1082]	0.33	0.33	0.13	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1083.	1081	1083
1083	0.33	0.33	0.13	Fill of posthole [1082]; dark brown grey silt clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks, as well as a single large stone.	[1082]	1002
[1084]	0.27	0.25	0.07	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1085.	natural	1085
1085	0.27	0.25	0.07	Fill of posthole [1084]; brown grey plastic silt clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1084]	1002
1086	?	0.49	0.08	Fill of ditch [1062]; light orange brown plastic sand clay.	[1062]	1002
[1087]	7.3	3.2	0.45	Substantial, sub-rectangular pit with a wide, undulating profile. Contained fills 1088, 1089 and 1090. Complete excavation of this feature revealed possible posthole [1365], which was situated beneath fill 1089.	natural	1088, 1089, 1090
1088	?	3.2	0.39	Fill of pit [1087]; light beige brown soft plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1087]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1089	?	3.5	0.45	Fill of pit [1087]; equivalent to fill 1088.	[1087], 1366	[1078]
1090	?	2.15	0.32	Fill of pit [1087]; equivalent to fill 1088.	[1087]	1002,
						Modern
						feature
1091	?	0.51	0.12	Fill of ditch [1062]; orange brown plastic sand clay.	[1062]	1002
[1092]	0.3	0.3	0.14	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1093.	natural	1093
1093	0.3	0.3	0.14	Fill of posthole [1092]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1092]	1002
[1094]	0.4	0.38	0.13	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1095.	natural	1095
1095	0.4	0.38	0.13	Fill of posthole [1094]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks and occasional stones.	[1094]	1002
[1096]	2.2	1	0.07	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1097.	natural	1097
				Uncertain relationship with feature [1054].		
1097	2.2	1	0.07	Fill of pit [1096]; mid grey brown plastic clay sand.	[1096]	1002
[1098]	9	1.8	0.14	East - west aligned amorphous curvilinear feature with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fills	natural	1099, 1100,
				1099, 1100 and 1195. Uncertain relationship with ditches [1062] and [1167]. Unclear if this		1195
				shallow linear feature represents the base of a ditch, or possibly, a hedgerow.		
1099	?	1.8	0.13	Fill of feature [1098]; light grey plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1098]	1002
1100	?	1.48	0.1	Fill of feature [1098]; light grey plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1098]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1101	?	0.39	0.08	Fill of ditch [1062]; light orange brown plastic sand clay.	[1062]	1002
[1102]	0.42	0.3	0.09	Sub-oval posthole with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1103.	natural	1103
1103	0.42	0.3	0.09	Fill of posthole [1102]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal	[1102]	1002
				flecks.		
[1104]	0.28	0.27	0.13	Sub-circular posthole with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1105.	natural	1105
1105	0.28	0.27	0.13	Fill of posthole [1104]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal	[1104]	1002
				flecks.		
1106	?	0.44	0.06	Fill of ditch [1072]; light brown plastic clay sand.	[1072]	[1107]
[1107]	1.48	1.3	0.11	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1108.	1106	1108
1108	1.48	1.3	0.11	Fill of pit [1107]; mid grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional lumps	[1107]	1002
				and flecks of charcoal.		
[1109]				Equivalent to pit [1005].		
[1110]	1.3	1.3	0.22	Sub-circular pit with a rounded profile. Contained fills 1111 and 1112.	natural	1111
1111	?	1	0.08	Fill of pit [1110]; light brown orange plastic sand clay, which contained occasional	[1110]	1112
				charcoal flecks.		
1112	1.3	1.3	0.14	Fill of pit [1110]; mid brown orange plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1111	1002
[1113]	2.4	0.3	0.08	North - south aligned linear pit with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1114.	natural	1114
1114	2.4	0.3	0.08	Fill of pit [1113]; mid yellow brown plastic clay sand.	[1113]	1002
[1115]	21.4	1.4	0.26	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a variable profile. Contained fills 1132, 1117,	1116, 1355	1132, 1117,
				1118, 1124, 1125 and 1215.		1118, 1124,
				Possibly represented a continuation of [1197] and [1412].		1125, 1215

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1116	3.5	1.4	0.19	Fill of pit [1131]; mid brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1131]	[1115]
1117	?	1.4	0.19	Fill of ditch [1115]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1115]	1002
1118	?	0.9	0.26	Fill of ditch [1115]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1115]	1002
[1119]	3.5	3.3	>0.35	Amorphous pit with sloping edges. Only partially excavated. Contained fills 1121 and 1120.	natural	1121
				Equivalent to [1122].		
1120	?	0.6	0.15	Fill of pit [1119]; dark brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1121	1002
1121	?	0.24	0.21	Fill of pit [1119]; brown orange plastic sand clay.	[1119]	1120
[1122]				Equivalent to pit [1119]. Contained fill 1123.	natural	1123
1123	?	0.7	0.31	Fill of pit [1122]; brown orange plastic clay.	[1122]	1002
1124	?	0.75	0.16	Fill of ditch [1115]; dark brown plastic clay sand.	[1115]	1002
1125	?	0.69	0.2	Fill of ditch [1115]; dark brown plastic clay sand.	[1115]	1001
[1126]	5.5	0.55	0.19	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a rounded profile. Contained fills 1127, 1128 and 1209. Probably related to ditch [1020].	natural	1127, 1209
1127	?	0.36	0.06	Fill of ditch [1126]; mid yellow brown plastic clay silt.	[1126]	1128
1128	?	0.5	0.13	Fill of ditch [1126]; dark brown plastic clay silt.	1127	1002
1129	?	0.3	0.1	Fill of ditch [1044]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1044]	1002
1130	?	0.39	0.07	Fill of ditch [1044]; grey brown plastic clay sand.	[1044]	1002
[1131]	3.5	1.4	0.19	Pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1116.	natural	1116
1132	?	0.92	0.21	Fill of ditch [1115]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1115]	1002
[1133]	0.9	0.52	0.09	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1134.	natural	1134

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1134	0.9	0.52	0.09	Fill of pit [1133]; grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1133]	1002
[1135]	2	0.98	0.15	Amorphous pit with a shallow, undulating profile. Contained fill 1136.	natural	1136
1136	2	0.98	0.15	Fill of pit [1135]; grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1135]	1002
[1137]	16	0.81	0.25	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a variable, rounded profile. Contained fills 1138, 1156 and 1169. Equivalent to ditch [1044]. Uncertain relationship with ditch [1141].	1155	1138, 1156, 1169
1138	?	0.81	0.25	Fill of ditch [1137]; brown orange plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1137]	1002
[1139]	1.38	1.2	0.18	Sub-circular pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1140. Uncertain relationship with ditch [1145].	natural	1140
1140	1.38	1.2	0.18	Fill of pit [1139]; purple brown plastic clay sand.	[1139]	1002
[1141]	10.5	1.35	0.52	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a variable, steep rounded profile. Contained fills 1170, 1142, 1143, 1144, 1150, 1151, 1152, 1213, 1214, 1223, 1224. Possibly equivalent to [1173], [1167] and [1201]; although uncertain. Uncertain relationship with feature [1219].	1171, 1146	1170, 1142, 1150, 1213, 1223
1142	?	0.35	0.1	Fill of ditch [1141]; light grey soft plastic grey sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1141]	1143
1143	?	0.72	0.19	Fill of ditch [1141]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1142	1144
1144	?	1.05	0.14	Fill of ditch [1141]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1143	1002
[1145]	0.9	0.21	0.13	North - south aligned ditch with a shallow, steep rounded profile. Contained fill 1146.	natural	1146
1146	0.9	0.21	0.13	Fill of ditch [1145]; mid brown plastic clay sand.	[1145]	[1141]
1147	?	0.33	0.08	Fill of ditch [1054]; grey brown plastic clay silt.	[1054]	1002
1148	?	0.88	0.16	Fill of linear pit [1056]; brown orange plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1056]	1149

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1149	?	1.16	0.19	Fill of linear pit [1056]; grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1148	1002
1150	?	0.88	0.12	Fill of ditch [1141]; yellow brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1141]	1151
1151	?	1.1	0.2	Fill of ditch [1141]; mid yellow brown plastic clay silt.	1150	1152
1152	?	1.04	0.18	Fill of ditch [1141]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1151	[1153]
[1153]	0.8	0.4	0.18	Sub-oval pit with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1154.	1152	1154
1154	0.8	0.4	0.18	Fill of pit [1153]; dark grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1153]	1002
1155	?	0.56	0.11	Fill of ditch [1054]; light grey clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1054]	[1137]
1156	?	0.69	0.15	Fill of ditch [1137]; mid grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1137]	1002
[1157]	4	1.3	0.19	Amorphous linear pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fills 1457, 1171 and 1192. Equivalent to [1165].	natural	1457, 1171, 1192
[1158]	0.4	0.36	0.29	Sub-circular posthole with near vertical sides and a flat base. Contained fill 1159.	1457, 1002	1159
1159	0.4	0.36	0.29	Fill of posthole [1158]; light brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal	[1158]	1001
[1160]	1.1	0.8	0.24	Pit with sloping sides and a flat base. Contained fill 1161.	natural	1161
1161	1.1	0.8	0.24	Fill of pit [1160]; grey brown plastic clay.	[1160]	1002
1162	?	0.37	0.1	Fill of ditch [1054]; grey brown plastic sand clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1054]	1002
[1163]	1.2	0.8	0.11	Sub-circular pit with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1164.	natural	1164
1164	1.2	0.8	0.11	Fill of pit [1163]; grey brown plastic clay.	[1163]	1002
[1165]	3	2.2	0.19	Amorphous pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fills 1166, 1171 and 1192. Equivalent to features [1157] and [1174].	natural	1166, 1171, 1192

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1166	?	1.68	0.14	Fill of pit [1165]; dark brown plastic clay silt.	[1165]	1002
[1167]	6	0.78	0.22	North - south aligned ditch with a variable profile. Contained fills 1168, 1178 and 1195.	natural	1168, 1178,
				Terminated at the north. Uncertain relationship with features [1098] and [1173].		1195
1168	?	0.66	0.21	Fill of ditch [1167]; grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1167]	1002
1169	?	0.7	0.19	Fill of ditch [1137]; mid brown plastic clay sand. Uncertain relationship with fill 1170.	[1137]	1002
1170	?	1.28	0.32	Fill of ditch [1141]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1141]	1002
1171	1.02	0.6	0.12	Fill of feature [1157]/[1165]; mid to light brown plastic clay sand.	[1157],	[1141]
					[1165]	
1172	?	1.7	0.36	Fill of feature [1173]/[1056]; mid brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1056],	1002
					[1173]	
[1173]	?	1.3	0.3	Cut feature with a sloping profile. Contained fill 1172. Uncertain if related to [1167], [1098],	natural	1172
				[1056] or [1141].		
[1174]	5	2	0.12	Amorphous, linear pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1175. Equivalent to	natural	1175
				features [1165] and [1255].		
1175	?	1.8	0.12	Fill of pit [1174]; mid plastic clay silt.	[1174]	1002
[1176]	1.9	0.56	0.16	Northeast - southwest aligned linear pit with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1177.	natural	1177
1177	1.9	0.56	0.16	Fill of pit [1176]; brown plastic clay.	[1176]	1002
1178	?	0.78	0.1	Fill of ditch [1167]; light brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1167]	1002
[1179]	0.6	0.42	0.12	Sub-oval pit/posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1180.	natural	1180
1180	0.6	0.42	0.12	Fill of pit/posthole [1179]; dark brown grey plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal	[1179]	1002
				flecks.		

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1181]	0.36	0.34	0.12	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1182.	natural	1182
1182	0.36	0.34	0.12	Fill of posthole [1181]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1181]	1002
[1183]	0.7	0.41	0.14	Sub-oval pit/posthole with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1184.	natural	1184
1184	0.7	0.41	0.14	Fill of pit/posthole [1183]; mid brown friable sand silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1183]	1002
[1185]	0.82	0.8	0.21	Sub-circular pit with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1186.	1002	1186
1186	0.82	0.8	0.21	Fill of pit [1185]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks. Modern fill.	[1185]	1001
[1187]	8	0.6	0.19	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fills 1188 and 1196. Dissipated at the southeast, merged with the southern edge of [1197] at the northwest. Uncertain relationship with [1197].	natural	1188, 1196
1188	?	0.32	0.03	Fill of ditch [1187]; mid brown friable sand silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1187]	1002
[1189]	0.42	0.41	0.29	Sub-square posthole with steep sides and a narrow, flat base. Contained fills 1190 and 1191.	natural	1190
1190	0.42	0.41	0.29	Fill of posthole [1189]; light grey brown plastic clay sand. Probable post-packing fill.	[1189]	1191
1191	0.16	0.16	0.29	Fill of posthole [1189]; mid brown friable clay sand. Probable post-pipe.	1190	1002
1192	0.7	0.65	0.19	Fill of [1157]/[1165]; yellow brown plastic clay silt.	[1157], [1165]	1002
[1193]	1.05	0.79	0.12	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1194.	natural	1194
1194	1.05	0.79	0.12	Fill of pit [1193]; mid brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1193]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1195	1.2	0.7	0.17	Fill of [1098]/[1167]; brown grey plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1098], [1167]	1002
1196	1.7	0.5	0.19	Fill of ditch [1187]; mid brown orange friable sand silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Indistinguishable from fill 1198.	[1187]	1002
[1197]	11.7	2.3	0.6	East - west aligned wall footing trench with a variable profile. Contained fills 1198, 1199, 1200(wall), 1326, 1330, 1331 and 1245(stones). Terminated at the east, merged with quarry pit [1280] at the west. Uncertain relationship with ditch [1187].	natural	1200, 1198, 1199, 1326, 1330, 1331
1198	2	0.6	0.23	Fill of wall footing trench [1197]; orange brown friable sand silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Indistinguishable from fill 1196. Occurred to the south of and abutted wall 1200; probably represents wall construction backfill. Equivalent to fill 1199.	[1197]	1002
1199	5.6	0.95	0.16	Fill of wall footing trench [1197]; orange brown friable sand silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Occurred to the north of and abutted wall 1200; probably represents wall construction backfill. Equivalent to fill 1198.	[1197]	1002
1200	7.15	0.6	0.6	Fill of wall footing trench [1197]; east - west aligned stone-built wall. Irregular grey beige limestones set within a plastic brown sand silt clay matrix. The wall terminated at the east and the west. Abutted fill 1331 and stones 1245 at the west. Abutted fills 1198 and 1199.	[1197], 1326, 1330	1002
[1201]	3	0.84	0.41	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a steep, sloping profile. Contained fill 1202. Possibly represented a continuation of ditch [1141].	natural	1202

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1202	3	0.84	0.41	Fill of ditch [1201]; dark grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1201]	1002, Modern ditch
[1203]	3.4	0.6	0.22	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a 'V' shaped profile. Contained fill 1204. Possibly related to feature [1201], [1217] or [1225]; although uncertain which one.	natural	1204
1204	3.4	0.6	0.22	Fill of ditch [1203]; grey brown plastic clay sand.	[1203]	1002
[1205]	2.2	2	0.11	Sub-circular pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1206.	natural	1206
1206	2.2	2	0.11	Fill of pit [1205]; grey brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1205]	1002
1207	?	0.35	0.03	Fill of ditch [1025]; yellow brown plastic clay silt.	[1025]	1208
1208	?	0.46	0.15	Fill of ditch [1025]; dark brown plastic clay silt.	1207	1002
1209	?	0.96	0.17	Fill of ditch [1126]; mid to dark yellow brown plastic clay silt.	[1126]	[1025]
[1210]	0.17	0.16	0.17	Sub-circular posthole with near vertical sides and a narrow, rounded base. Contained fills 1212 and 1211.	natural	1212
1211	0.07	0.07	0.08	Fill of posthole [1210]; dark brown friable clay sand. Possible post-pipe.	1212	1002
1212	0.17	0.16	0.17	Fill of posthole [1210]; grey plastic clay silt. Possible post-packing fill.	[1210]	1211
1213	?	0.75	0.24	Fill of ditch [1141]; brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1141]	1214
1214	?	1.18	0.27	Fill of ditch [1141]; light brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1213	1002
1215	?	0.54	0.12	Fill of ditch [1115]; grey brown friable silt sand clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1115]	1002
1216	?	0.57	0.26	Fill of ditch [1020]; yellow brown plastic clay silt.	[1020]	[1025]

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1217]	3	0.72	0.31	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch or linear pit with a variable, rounded profile.	1220, 1226	1218
				Contained fill 1218.		
1218	3	0.72	0.31	Fill of ditch [1217]; dark brown grey plastic clay sand, which contained frequent charcoal flecks.	[1217]	1002
[1219]	3.3	1.1	0.13	Possible cut feature with a shallow, flat profile, which was located to the northwest of ditch [1141]. Contained fill 1220. Uncertain relationship with ditch [1141].	natural	1220
1220	3.3	1.1	0.13	Fill of feature [1219]; orange brown plastic silt clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1219]	[1217]
[1221]	1.4	1.2	0.19	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1222.	natural	1222
1222	1.4	1.2	0.19	Fill of pit [1221]; brown grey yellow plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1221]	1002
1223	1.38	0.4	0.28	Fill of ditch [1141]; mid grey brown plastic clay sand.	[1141]	1224
1224	1.38	0.78	0.16	Fill of ditch [1141]; dark brown plastic clay sand.	1223	1002
[1225]	4.4	0.7	0.09	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1226.	natural	1226
				Dissipated at the southwest. Possibly related to ditch [1141] or [1203]; although, uncertain.		
1226	4.4	0.07	0.09	Fill of ditch [1225]; mid brown grey plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1225]	[1217]
[1227]	4.6	1.3	0.05	Curvilinear feature with a very shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1228. Mostly obscured by Modern ditch.	natural	1228
1228	4.6	1.3	0.05	Fill of feature [1227]; mid grey brown plastic clay silt.	[1227]	1002,
						Modern ditch
						ditch

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1229]	2	0.38	0.16	Northwest - southeast aligned linear pit with a shallow rounded profile. Contained	natural	1230
				fill 1230.		
1230	2	0.38	0.16	Fill of pit [1229]; dark grey brown plastic silt clay, which contained frequent charcoal flecks.	[1229]	1002
[1231]	2.4	1.8	0.08	Amorphous pit with a very shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1232.	natural	1232
1232	2.4	1.8	0.08	Fill of pit [1231]; dark brown clay sand.	[1231]	1002
[1233]	1.46	0.5	0.06	Probable pit with a very shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1234.	natural	1234
1234	1.46	0.05	0.06	Fill of pit [1233]; mid dark brown clay sand.	[1233]	1002
1235	1.22	1.1	0.06	Fill of pit [1236]; yellow brown plastic clay silt, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1236]	1002
[1236]	1.22	1.1	0.06	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1235.	natural	1235
[1237]	1.7	0.5	0.09	North - south aligned linear pit with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1238.	natural	1238
1238	1.7	0.5	0.09	Fill of pit [1237]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1237]	1002
1239	0.67	0.6	0.14	Fill of pit [1240]; mid dark brown plastic silt clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1240]	1002
[1240]	0.67	0.6	0.14	Sub-oval pit with an uneven, rounded profile. Contained fill 1239.	natural	1239
[1241]	0.58	0.42	0.09	Cut feature, possibly a pit, with a shallow profile. Contained fill 1242.	natural	1242
1242	0.58	0.42	0.09	Fill of pit [1241]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1241]	[1349],
						1002
[1243]	1.8	1.1	0.08	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1244.	natural	1244
1244	1.8	1.1	0.08	Fill of pit [1243]; dark brown plastic clay sand.	[1243]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1245	3.4	2.4	0.35	Fill of [1197]/[1280]; deposit of irregularly shaped grey beige limestones; no evidence for associated mortar or other bonding material. Plan and section observations indicate that this feature represented a spread of stones, as opposed to a collapsed wall.	1331, [1197], [1280]	1002, 1285
				Abutted wall 1200 in plan; therefore probably contemporary. Equivalent to stones 1246, 1283, 1249, 1250, 1292, 1293, 1377 and 1392.		
1246				Continuation of/equivalent to stones 1245.	[1280]	1285
[1247]	4.1	1	0.85	Southern edge of large quarry hole with a steep, sloping profile. Not fully excavated. Contained fills 1248, 1249, 1250, 1251, 1252, 1253 and 1321. Equivalent to [1280], [1369], [1290], [1390] and [1322].	natural	1321
1248	4.1	1	0.37	Fill of quarry hole [1247]; brown grey plastic silt clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Contained lens 1252. Equivalent to fill 1253.	1249	1001
1249	2.2	1	0.34	Fill of quarry hole [1247]; deposit of irregularly shaped limestones, which was present at the southern edge of the quarry hole. Equivalent to stones 1245 and 1250.	1251	1248
1250				Fill of quarry hole [1247]; continuation of/equivalent to stones 1249.	1251	1248
1251	2.75	1	0.09	Fill of quarry hole [1247]; grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1321	1249, 1250
1252	1.4	1	0.21	Fill of quarry hole [1247]; dark brown black plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Occurred as a lens within fill 1248/1253.		
1253	4.1	1	0.37	Fill of quarry hole [1247]; equivalent to fill 1248.		

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1254	?	0.89	0.08	Fill of ditch [1255]; mid dark brown plastic silt clay, which contained occasional to rare charcoal flecks.	[1255]	1002
[1255]	15	1.2	0.11	East - west aligned ditch with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fills 1254 and 1257. Equivalent to features [1174] and [1259].	natural	1254, 1257
1256				void		
1257	?	1.12	0.11	Fill of ditch [1255]; brown grey plastic clay sand.	[1255]	1002
1258	?	0.71	0.05	Fill of ditch [1259]; mid brown yellow plastic silt clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1259]	1002
[1259]	15	0.71	0.05	East - west aligned ditch with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1258. Terminated at the west. Equivalent to features [1255] and [1174].	natural	1258
[1260]	1.05	1	0.22	Sub-oval pit with a sloping, rounded profile. Contained fill 1261.	natural	1261
1261	1.05	1	0.22	Fill of pit [1260]; mid brown plastic clay silt.	[1260]	1002
[1262]	0.65	0.62	0.07	Sub-circular pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1263.	natural	1263
1263	0.65	0.62	0.07	Fill of pit [1262]; light brown plastic clay sand.	[1262]	1002
1264				void		
1265				void		
1266				void		
1267				void		
[1268]	0.84	0.84	0.14	Sub-circular pit with a shallow, irregular profile. Contained fill 1269.	natural	1269
1269	0.84	0.84	0.14	Fill of pit [1268]; dark brown grey plastic silt clay, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1268]	1002
1270	1.7	1.55	0.11	Fill of pit [1271]; mid dark brown plastic silt sand.	[1271]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1271]	1.7	1.55	0.11	Sub-circular pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1270.	natural	1270
[1272]	1.1	1	0.19	Sub-circular pit with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1273.	natural	1273
1273	1.1	1	0.19	Fill of pit [1272]; dark brown friable clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1272]	1002
[1274]	4	3	0.3	Probable sub-rectangular pit with a relatively shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1275.	natural	1275
1275	4	3	0.3	Fill of pit [1274]; mid brown grey plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1274]	[1286]
1276	1.05	0.6	0.12	Fill of pit [1277]; dark to mid brown plastic silt sand, which contained occasional charcoal	[1277]	1002
[1277]	1.05	0.6	0.12	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1276.	natural	1276
[1278]	10.6	1.25	0.14	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fills 1279	natural	1279, 1306
				and 1306. Terminated at the northeast and southwest.		
1279	?	1.2	0.12	Fill of ditch [1278]; mid brown plastic clay silt, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1278]	1002
[1280]	7.2	6.5	0.96	Large quarry hole with a very irregular profile. Contained fills 1281, 1282, 1283, 1284	natural	1281, 1283,
				and 1285, as well as, possibly, 1245/6 and 1331. Equivalent to [1247], merged with wall		1331
				footing trench [1197] at the east.		
1281	2.62	0.9	0.31	Fill of quarry hole [1280]; mottled grey yellow brown plastic clay sand, which contained	[1280]	1282
				occasional charcoal flecks.		
1282	2.61	0.9	0.32	Fill of quarry hole [1280]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal	1281	1284
				flecks.		
1283	3.4	1.6	0.2	Fill of quarry hole [1280]; deposit of irregularly shaped limestones, which was present	[1280]	1285
				at the southern edge of the quarry hole. Equivalent to stones 1245 and 1249.		
				Similar to stone deposit 1284.		

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1284	?	1.14	0.12	Fill of quarry hole [1280]; deposit of irregularly shaped limestones, which was present at the northern edge of the quarry hole. Similar to stones 1283. Not present within Section 147 to the west.	1282	1285
1285	5.3	3.5	0.47	Fill of quarry hole [1280]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Probably equivalent to quarry fills 1253, 1325, 1294, 1295 and 1299.	1283, 1284	1001
[1286]	3.4	1	0.4	Curvilinear pit with a 'V' shaped profile. Contained fill 1287.	1275	1287
1287	3.4	1	0.4	Fill of pit [1286]; brown grey plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1286]	[1336]
[1288]	2.9	0.75	0.19	North - south aligned linear pit with sloping sides and a flat base. Contained fill 1289.	1295, [1385]	1289
1289	2.9	0.75	0.19	Fill of pit [1288]; light brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1288]	1001
[1290]	4.5	2	0.73	Western edge of large quarry hole with an irregular profile. Not fully excavated. Contained fills 1333, 1291, 1292, 1293, 1299, 1294 and 1295. Equivalent to [1390].	natural	1333
1291	2.57	1	0.19	Fill of quarry hole [1290]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1333	1292, 1293
1292	3.3	1	0.49	Fill of quarry hole [1290]; deposit of irregularly shaped limestones and brown clay, which was present at the western edge of the quarry hole. Equivalent to 1293. Similar/equivalent to stones 1392, 1377, 1249 and 1250.	1291	1299, 1295
1293				Equivalent to 1292.		
1294	1.16	1	0.18	Fill of quarry hole [1290]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1299	[1332]

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1295	1.9	1	0.2	Fill of quarry hole [1290]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Similar to 1294.	1293	[1332]
1296	20	1.24	0.36	Fill of wall footing trench [1332]; limestone garden wall, which comprised irregularly shaped limestones contained within a loose beige brown soil and limestone mortar. Modern feature, related to the former tennis court.	[1332]	1001
1297				void		
1298				void		
1299	?	1.18	0.14	Fill of quarry hole [1290]; dark grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1292	1294
1300	1.32	0.93	0.27	Fill of pit [1301]; mid dark brown plastic silt sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1302	1001
[1301]	1.32	0.93	0.27	Sub-oval pit with steep sides and a flat base. Contained fills 1300 and 1302.	1304	1302
1302	?	1	0.05	Layer of bones - probable animal burial, present at base of pit [1301].	[1301]	1300
1303				void		
1304	3.58	2.1	0.28	Fill of pit [1305]; mid dark brown plastic silt clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1305]	[1301]
[1305]	3.58	2.1	0.28	Amorphous pit with a shallow, uneven profile. Contained fill 1304.	natural	1304
1306	?	1.24	0.14	Fill of ditch [1278]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1278]	1002
[1307]	5.6	1	0.37	North - south aligned ditch with a 'V' shaped profile. Contained fills 1308 and 1320. Probably related to ditch [1309].	natural	1308, 1320
1308	?	1	0.37	Fill of ditch [1307]; mottled red blue plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1307]	1011

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1309]	3.6	0.4	0.1	Northwest - southeast aligned ditch with a shallow 'V' shaped profile. Contained fills 1310 and 1320. Interacted with ditch [1307] at the southeast.	natural	1310, 1320
1310	?	0.4	0.1	Fill of ditch [1309]; mottled red blue plastic clay.	[1309]	1011
[1311]	10	9	1	Large quarry hole with a very irregular profile. Contained fills 1312 - 19. Equivalent to [1334], [1342], [1344] and [1327]. Not fully excavated.	natural	1312
1312	?	1.1	0.24	Fill of quarry hole [1311]; mid grey brown plastic clay silt sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1311]	1313
1313	?	0.8	0.18	Fill of quarry hole [1311]; mottled yellow brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	1312	1314
1314	?	1.1	0.38	Fill of quarry hole [1311]; mid grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1313	1315
1315	?	1.5	0.14	Fill of quarry hole [1311]; dark grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional to frequent charcoal flecks.	1314	1316
1316	?	1.25	0.1	Fill of quarry hole [1311]; mixed yellow brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1315	1317
1317	?	2.14	0.4	Fill of quarry hole [1311]; mid grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1316	1318
1318	?	1.03	0.18	Fill of quarry holes [1311] and [1344]; beige brown friable clay sand limestone, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	1317, 1345	1319

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1319	?	2.2	0.16	Fill of quarry hole [1311]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1318	1011
1320	?	0.7	0.15	Fill of ditches [1307] and [1309]; mottled red blue plastic clay. Fill extended across both ditch features within excavated section. Equivalent to fills 1308 and 1310.	[1307], [1309]	1011
1321	2.03	1	0.19	Fill of quarry hole [1247]; beige brown plastic gritty clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1247]	1251
[1322]	2.8	1	1	Large quarry hole with a very irregular profile. Contained fills 1323, 1324 and 1325. Equivalent to [1280] and [1290].	natural	1323
1323	?	1.28	0.27	Fill of quarry hole [1322]; beige brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1322]	1324
1324	?	2.78	0.8	Fill of quarry hole [1322]; light beige brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1323	1325
1325	5	2.3	0.29	Fill of quarry hole [1322]; dark brown friable clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Equivalent to fill 1248/53.	1324	1001, geo-tech pit
1326	1.05	0.6	0.15	Fill of wall footing trench [1197]; orange brown sand silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Probable bedding layer for wall 1200. Equivalent to 1330.	[1197]	1200
[1327]	5.5	5.2	0.46	Large quarry hole with an irregular, shallow profile. Contained fills 1328 and 1329. Equivalent to quarry [1311].	natural	1328
1328	5.5	5.2	0.46	Fill of quarry hole [1327]; light brown grey gritty sand clay.	[1327]	1329
1329	1.9	1.3	0.24	Fill of quarry hole [1327]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1328	1011

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1330	1.6	0.64	0.19	Fill of wall footing trench [1197]; orange brown friable sand silt. Probable bedding layer for wall 1200. Equivalent to 1326. Abutted fill 1331 at the west; uncertain relationship.	[1197]	1200
1331	4	1.2	0.33	Fill of [1197] and [1280]; mid green brown grey plastic clay sand. Abutts fill 1330 and wall 1200 at the east; uncertain relationship.	[1197], [1280]	1245
[1332]	20	1.24	0.36	North - south aligned wall footing trench with near vertical sides and a flat base. Contained former garden wall 1296.	1294, 1295, 1337, 1351, 1378, 1374	1296
1333	1.3	1	0.05	Fill of quarry hole [1290]; beige brown plastic clay sand grit, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1290]	1291
[1334]	3	1.7	0.4	Quarry hole with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1335. Equivalent to quarry [1311].	natural	1335
1335	3	1.7	0.4	Fill of quarry [1334]; brown grey plastic sand clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks. Indistinguishable from fill 1345.	[1334]	1011
[1336]	15	1.9	0.67	North - south aligned ditch with a sloping, rounded profile. Contained fill 1337. Equivalent to ditches [1373] and [1349].	1287	1337
1337	?	1.9	0.67	Fill of ditch [1336]; mixed mid to light brown plastic clay sand.	[1336]	[1332], [1340]
[1338]	6.6	2.4	0.61	North - south aligned ditch with a wide, sloping rounded profile. Contained fill 1339. Equivalent to ditch [1385].	natural	1339
1339	?	2.4	0.61	Fill of ditch [1338]; mid brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1338]	[1340]

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1340]	5.4	1.4	0.48	North - south aligned ditch with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1341. Appeared to terminate at the north, although, not tested.	1337, 1339	1341
1341	5.4	1.4	0.48	Fill of ditch [1340]; dark brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1340]	1011
[1342]	3	0.9	0.28	Quarry hole with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1343. Equivalent to quarry [1311].	natural	1343
1343	3	0.9	0.28	Fill of quarry hole [1342]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1342]	1011
[1344]	1.7	0.7	0.48	Quarry hole with a rounded profile. Contained fills 1345 and 1318. Equivalent to quarry [1311].	natural	1345
1345	1.7	0.7	0.48	Fill of quarry hole [1344]; brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1344]	1318
[1346]	?	0.78	0.34	Cut feature, probably a ditch, with a rounded basal profile. Contained fills 1347 and 1348. Visible in section only.	natural	1347
1347	?	0.78	0.1	Fill of ditch [1346]; mottled brown grey yellow sand clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1346]	1348
1348	?	0.67	0.24	Fill of ditch [1346]; mid brown grey plastic sand clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks and frequent stones.	1347	[1352]
[1349]	15	1.66	0.61	North - south aligned ditch with a wide, rounded profile. Contained fills 1350 and 1351. Equivalent to ditches [1336] and [1373].	1353, 1242	1350
1350	?	0.96	0.24	Fill of ditch [1349]; light brown green grey plastic sand clay.	[1349]	1351
1351	?	1.66	0.38	Fill of ditch [1349]; light yellow brown grey plastic sand clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1350	[1332]

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1352]	?	0.6	0.65	Cut feature, probably a ditch, with a sloping eastern edge. Contained fill 1353.	1348	1353
				Visible in section only.		
1353	?	0.6	0.65	Fill of ditch [1352]; green brown grey plastic sand clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1352]	[1349]
[1354]	7	0.68	0.28	East - west aligned ditch with a variable, rounded profile. Contained fills 1355 and 1356. Equivalent to ditch [1357] and probably equivalent to ditch [1427] or [1425].	natural	1355, 1356
1355	?	0.43	0.28	Fill of ditch [1354]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1354]	[1115]
1356	?	0.68	0.12	Fill of ditch [1354]; dark brown plastic clay silt.	[1354]	1001
[1357]	7	>1.1	0.4	East - west aligned ditch with a variable, rounded profile. Contained fills 1358, 1359 and 1360. Equivalent to ditch [1354] and probably equivalent to ditch [1427] or [1425].	natural	1358, 1359
1358	?	0.75	0.19	Fill of ditch [1357]; mid yellow brown plastic clay silt.	[1357]	1001
1359	?	>1	0.24	Fill of ditch [1357]; grey brown plastic clay silt.	[1357]	1360
1360	?	>0.90	0.17	Fill of ditch [1357]; mid yellow brown plastic clay silt.	1359	1001
[1361]	6.7	1	0.28	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1362.	natural	1362
1362	6.7	1	0.28	Fill of ditch [1361]; mid brown grey plastic sand clay.	[1361]	Pit 13
[1363]	6	0.48	0.25	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with near vertical sides and a flat base. Contained fill 1364.	natural	1364
1364	6	0.48	0.25	Fill of ditch [1363]; mid brown grey plastic sand clay, which contained frequent charcoal flecks.	[1363]	Pit 18

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1365]	0.42	0.35	0.07	Sub-circular posthole with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1366.	natural	1366
1366	0.42	0.35	0.07	Fill of posthole [1365]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1365]	1089
[1367]	8	0.34	0.2	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fill 1368.	natural	1368
				Equivalent to ditches [1393] and [1382].		
1368	?	0.34	0.2	Fill of ditch [1367]; brown grey plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1367]	Pit 18
[1369]	3	1.8	0.9	Large quarry hole with a steep sloping profile. Contained fills 1370, 1372, 1375, 1376,	natural	1370, 1379
				1377, 1378 and 1379. Equivalent to [1390] and [1247].		
1370	?	0.74	0.16	Fill of quarry hole [1369]; beige brown plastic clay sand.	[1369]	1372
[1371]				Recorded as a possible cut feature, but more probably a steep horizon between dumped quarry in-fills.		
1372	1.8	1.32	0.4	Fill of quarry hole [1369]; grey brown plastic clay sand, which contained occasional large limestones and occasional charcoal flecks.	1370	1375, 1376
[1373]	15	1.1	0.5	North - south aligned ditch with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1374. Dissipated/ terminated at the north. Equivalent to ditches [1336] and [1349].	1375	1374
1374	?	1.1	0.5	Fill of ditch [1373]; mid brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1373]	[1332]
1375	2.4	0.6	0.75	Fill of quarry hole [1369]; beige to mid brown grey plastic clay sand, which contained occasional large limestones, as well as rare charcoal flecks.	1376, 1379	[1373], [1332], 1377
1376	?	1.5	0.3	Fill of quarry hole [1369]; beige orange friable gritty limestone/clay.	1372	1375
1377	2.4	0.3	0.25	Fill of quarry hole [1369]; deposit of irregularly shaped limestones. Equivalent to limestones 1249 and 1392.	1375	1378

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1378	1.12	0.47	0.22	Fill of quarry hole [1369]; dark brown plastic clay sand. Equivalent to 1285.	1377	[1332]
1379	?	0.75	0.58	Fill of quarry hole [1369]; mid brown plastic clay sand, which contained rare charcoal flecks.	[1369]	1375
[1380]	5	0.9	0.38	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1381.	natural	1381
				Dissipated at the southwest.		
1381	5	0.9	0.38	Fill of ditch [1380]; light brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1380]	[1382]
[1382]	8	0.59	0.33	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fills	1381	1384
				1383 and 1384. Equivalent to ditches [1367] and [1393].		
1383	?	0.51	0.17	Fill of ditch [1382]; black plastic silt clay, which contained frequent charcoal flecks.	1384	Pit 19
1384	?	0.48	0.17	Fill of ditch [1382]; brown plastic clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1382]	1383
[1385]	6.6	2	0.98	North - south aligned ditch with a rounded profile. Contained fills 1386 and 1387.	natural	1386
				Probably terminated at the north. Equivalent to ditch [1338].		
1386	1.04	1.08	0.27	Fill of ditch [1385]; orange brown plastic silt clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1385]	1387
1387	2.1	0.8	0.44	Fill of ditch [1385]; orange brown friable silt clay, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1386	[1388],
						[1390],
						[1288]
[1388]	2.2	1.4	0.47	Cut feature, probably a ditch, with a sloping western edge. Contained fill 1389.	1387, 1392	1389
				Probably terminated at the north.		
1389	2.2	1.4	0.47	Fill of ditch [1388]; grey brown friable silt sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1388]	[1332]

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1390]	1.07	0.47	0.43	Quarry hole with a sloping, rounded profile. Contained fills 1391 and 1392. Equivalent to [1369] and [1290].	1387	1391
1391	0.98	0.32	0.14	Fill of quarry hole [1390]; light brown beige friable sand silt.	[1390]	1392
1392	1	0.5	0.43	Fill of quarry hole [1390]; deposit of irregularly shaped limestones. Equivalent to limestones 1377 and 1292.	1391	[1388]
[1393]	8	0.6	0.32	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a rounded profile. Contained fills 1395 and 1394. Equivalent to ditches [1367] and [1382].	natural	1395
1394	?	0.57	0.14	Fill of ditch [1393]; black plastic silt clay, which contained frequent charcoal flecks.	1395	Pit 19
1395	?	0.6	0.32	Fill of ditch [1393]; yellow orange plastic clay.	[1393]	1394
1396				Subsoil in Area 3 - equivalent to 1002.		
1397				Topsoil in Area 3 - equivalent to 1001.		
[1398]	4	0.4	0.19	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a steep, rounded profile. Contained fills 1399 and 1400. Equivalent to ditch [1405].	natural	1399
1399	?	0.3	0.1	Fill of ditch [1398]; beige brown plastic clay silt.	[1398]	1400
1400	?	0.4	0.09	Fill of ditch [1398]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1399	1002
[1401]	3.6	3.3	0.75	Sub-circular quarry hole with a near vertical northern edge. Contained fills 1402, 1403 and 1404. Not fully excavated.	natural	1402
1402	?	1.05	0.33	Fill of quarry hole [1401]; orange brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1401]	1403

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1403	?	1.14	0.33	Fill of quarry hole [1401]; light brown orange plastic silt clay, which contained frequent limestones and occasional charcoal flecks.	1402	1404
1404	?	1.35	0.28	Fill of quarry hole [1401]; dark brown friable silt sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1403	1002
[1405]	4	0.4	0.12	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a shallow profile. Contained fill 1406. Equivalent to ditch [1398]. Dissipated at the northeast.	natural	1406
1406	?	0.4	0.12	Fill of ditch [1405]; beige brown plastic clay silt.	[1405]	1002
[1407]	5	0.64	0.14	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1408. Terminated/dissipated at the northeast. Equivalent to ditches [1409], [1412] and [1115].	natural	1408
1408	?	0.64	0.14	Fill of ditch [1407]; beige brown plastic clay silt.	[1407]	1002
[1409]	5	1.1	0.22	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with a rounded, irregular profile. Contained fills 1410 and 1411. Equivalent to ditches [1115], [1407] and [1412].	natural	1410
1410	?	0.58	0.15	Fill of ditch [1409]; beige brown plastic clay silt.	[1409]	1411
1411	?	0.7	0.1	Fill of ditch [1409]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1410	1002
[1412]	5	1	0.27	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch with an uneven, rounded profile. Contained fills 1413 and 1414. Equivalent to ditches [1115], [1407] and [1409].	natural	1413
1413	?	0.6	0.13	Fill of ditch [1412]; light grey brown plastic clay silt.	[1412]	1414
1414	?	1	0.2	Fill of ditch [1412]; dark brown plastic clay silt.	1413	1002
[1415]	0.61	0.45	0.22	Possible posthole with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1416.	natural	1416
1416	0.61	0.45	0.22	Fill of posthole [1415]; dark brown plastic clay silt.	[1415]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1417]	4.2	1.3	0.23	Cut feature with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1418. Possibly related to ditch [1427].	natural	1418
1418	4.2	1.3	0.23	Fill of feature [1417]; mid brown soft clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1417]	1002
[1419]	5	1.37	0.32	East - west aligned ditch with a sloping southern edge and a flat base. Contained fills	natural	1420
				1420, 1421 and 1422. Equivalent to ditch [1425] and possibly equivalent to ditch [1354/7].		
1420	?	0.35	0.08	Fill of ditch [1419]; dark brown soft clay silt, which contained frequent charcoal flecks.	[1419]	1421
1421	?	0.36	0.09	Fill of ditch [1419]; beige plastic clay.	1420	1422
1422	?	1	0.22	Fill of ditch [1419]; mid brown soft clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1421	1002
[1423]	5	1.75	0.18	East - west aligned amorphous/linear pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1424.	natural	1424
				Dissipated at the east end.		
1424	5	1.75	0.18	Fill of feature [1423]; dark brown soft clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1423]	1002
[1425]	5	0.7	0.16	East -west aligned ditch with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 1426.	natural	1426
				Equivalent to ditch [1419] and possibly equivalent to ditch [1354/7].		
1426	?	0.7	0.16	Fill of ditch [1425]; mottled dark brown yellow plastic clay silt, which contained	[1425]	[1427]
				frequent charcoal flecks.		
[1427]	5	1.67	0.17	Northeast - southwest aligned ditch/linear pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1428.	1426	1428
				Possibly equivalent to features [1354/7] and [1417].		
1428	5	1.67	0.17	Fill of feature [1427]; light brown friable silt sand, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1427]	1001
[1429]	10.5	2.3	0.43	North - south aligned linear pit, probably a quarry, with an uneven profile. Contained	natural	1430
				fills 1430 and 1431. Equivalent to feature [1436].		
1430	?	1.36	0.24	Fill of quarry [1429]; grey brown friable clay silt grit.	[1429]	1431

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
1431	?	1.68	0.38	Fill of quarry [1429]; mid brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	1430	1001
[1432]	1	0.9	0.06	Sub-oval pit with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fill 1433.	1435	1433
1433	1	0.9	0.06	Fill of pit [1432]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1432]	1001
[1434]	7.5	4.2	0.4	Amorphous pit, probably a quarry, with a rounded, uneven profile. Contained fill 1435.	natural	1435
				Equivalent to pit [1442].		
1435	?	4.1	0.4	Fill of quarry [1434]; light brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1434]	[1432], [1446]
[1436]	10.5	1.28	0.23	North - south aligned linear pit, probably a quarry, with a rounded profile. Contained fill	natural	1437
				1437. Equivalent to pit [1429].		
1437	?	1.28	0.23	Fill of pit [1436]; mid brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1436]	1001
[1438]	10	4.6	0.38	Large quarry hole with a sloping western profile. Contained fills 1439, 1440 and 1441.	natural	1439
1439	?	1.52	0.26	Fill of quarry hole [1438]; mid yellow brown plastic clay silt, which contained frequent	[1438]	1440
				limestones.		
1440	?	1.02	0.13	Fill of quarry hole [1438]; beige plastic clay.	1439	1441
1441	?	1.73	0.13	Fill of quarry hole [1438]; dark grey brown plastic clay silt, which contained frequent	1440	1002
				limestones and occasional charcoal flecks.		
[1442]	7.5	1.6	0.23	Linear pit, probably a quarry, with a flat, uneven profile. Contained fill 1443.	natural	1443
				Equivalent to quarry [1434].		
1443	?	1.6	0.23	Fill of quarry [1442]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1442]	1002

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
[1444]	6.7	1.7	0.16	Northeast - southwest aligned possible ditch with a shallow, flat profile. Contained fills	natural	1445, 1448
				1445 and 1448. Dissipated at the northeast.		
1445	?	1.4	0.16	Fill of ditch [1444]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1444]	1002
[1446]	1.45	0.43	0.41	Sub-oval pit with a rounded, uneven profile. Contained fill 1447.	1435	1447
1447	1.45	0.43	0.41	Fill of pit [1446]; mottled dark brown yellow plastic clay silt, which contained occasional	[1446]	1002
				charcoal flecks.		
1448	?	1.07	0.07	Fill of ditch [1444]; yellow brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1444]	1002
[1449]	10.4	4.4	0.28	Large quarry hole with a shallow, sloping western profile. Contained fill 1450.	natural	1450
1450	?	1.05	0.28	Fill of quarry hole [1449]; dark brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal	[1449]	1002
				flecks.		
[1451]	2.6	0.65	0.16	Sub-oval pit with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1452.	natural	1452
1452	2.6	0.65	0.16	Fill of pit [1451]; yellow brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional charcoal flecks.	[1451]	1002
[1453]	1.7	0.55	0.16	Sub-oval pit with a rounded profile. Contained fill 1454.	natural	1454
1454	1.7	0.55	0.16	Fill of pit [1453]; dark brown plastic clay silt.	[1453]	1002
1455				Void		
1456	0.7	0.2	?	Deposit of dark brown plastic clay silt, which was present at the southern edge of Area 2;	natural	1013
				possible pit. Not excavated.		
1457	?	0.88	0.14	Fill of pit [1157]; mid brown plastic clay sand.	[1157]	[1158]
1458	2.4	1	?	Deposit of dark brown plastic clay silt; possible continuation of ditch [1349]. Not excavated.	natural	1001

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
Area 2 pits				Pits 1 to 21 and Pit Group 1: At least 26 sub-square and sub-rectangular pits, which were	1362, 1364,	1013
				very precisely aligned. The pits extended across the majority of Area 2 and most likely	1368, 1383,	
				represented former clay quarry pits. The pits contained variable dark brown to orange	1394	
				yellow clay in-fills, with occasional lenses of charcoal.		
				None of the pits were archaeologically excavated.		
				WATCHING BRIEF; natural = yellow beige firm clay, which contained occasional		
				outcrops of limestone.		
101wb	na	na	0.5	Tarmac and mixed Modern backfill. Present in the area of the extant Hillside House	102wb	na
				driveway.		
102wb	na	na	0.51	Subsoil; variable dark brown to brown clay silt, which contained frequent fragments	natural	101wb,
				of limestone, as well as occasional brick fragments.		103wb
103wb	na	na	0.4	Topsoil; dark brown clay silt, which contained occasional Modern detritus.	102wb	na
				Present outside of area of Hillside House driveway.		
[104]wb	4	1	0.18	North - south aligned ditch with a sloping upper profile. Contained fill 105wb. Partially	natural	105wb
				excavated.		
105wb	4	1	0.18	Fill of ditch [104]wb; variable light to dark brown silt clay, which contained occasional	[104]wb	102wb
				charcoal flecks and frequent limestone fragments.		
106wb				Modern backfill; no further record.		
107wb				Modern backfill; no further record.		
[108]wb	4.7	0.59	0.13	North - south aligned ditch with a shallow, rounded profile. Contained fill 109wb.	natural	109wb

CXT	L(m)	W(m)	D(m)	DESCRIPTION	LATER THAN	EARLIER THAN
109wb	4.7	0.59	0.13	Fill of ditch [108]wb; brown plastic clay silt, which contained occasional to frequent limestones.	[108]wb	102wb
110wb				Modern backfill; no further record.		
111wb				Modern backfill, which contained residual Medieval pottery; no further record.		
[112]wb				Modern service trench; no further record.		

APPENDIX 2: THE POTTERY

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The pottery assemblage comprised 570 sherds with a total weight of 5,499g. The estimated vessel equivalent (EVE), by summation of surviving rimsherd circumference was 1.21. The following were noted:

F1: Early/Middle Anglo-Saxon Organic-tempered Ware, AD450-850. Fine fabric with moderate to dense organic voids up to 10mm, very fine silver mica flecks, rare calcareous material up to 2mm. 115 sherds, 848g, EVE = 0.07.

F101: Late Saxon Oxford Shelly Ware. Late 8th – early 11th C. Same as Oxfordshire fabric OXB (Mellor 1994). 2 sherds, 79g, EVE = 0.

F200. Oolitic Limestone ware, 11th – 12th century. . Same as Oxfordshire fabric OXAC (ibid.). 87 sherds, 657g, EVE = 0.15.

F202: Newbury 'A/B' ware. Late 11th – late 14th century (Mepham 1997, 51-2). 180 sherds, 1625g, EVE = 0.47.

F300: Medieval Oxford ware, AD1075 – 1400. Oxfordshire fabric OXY (Mellor 1994). 4 sherds, 26g, EVE = 0.04.

F352: Brill/Boarstall Ware, c. AD1200-?1600. Oxfordshire fabric OXAM (ibid.). 5 sherds, 21g, EVE = 0.07.

F355: Minety-type ware, Early 12th – 16th century. Oxfordshire fabric OXAM (ibid.). 79 sherds, 408g, EVE = 0.39.

F401: Oxidized Glazed Malvernian Ware, 14th – 17th century. Gloucestershire fabric TF52 (Vince 1984). 2 sherds, 11g, EVE = 0.

F405. Frechen Stonewares. AD1550-1700. (Gaimster 1997). 11 sherds, 162g.

F413: Cologne/Westerwald Stoneware, 17th century+ (ibid.). 1 sherd, 7g.

F425: Red Earthenware, 16th – 19th century (Brears 1969). Fine sandy earthenware, usually with a brown or green glaze, occurring in a range of utilitarian forms. Such 'country pottery' was first made in the 16th century, and in some areas continued in use until the 19th century. 21 sherds, 556g.

F1000: Miscellaneous 19th and 20th century wares. Mass-produced white earthenwares, stonewares etc. 2 sherds, 12g.

The pottery occurrence by number and weight of sherds per context by fabric type is shown in Table 2. Each date should be regarded as a *terminus post quem*. All the fabric types are well-known in the region and most are present in both the Gloucestershire and Oxfordshire type-series.

Chronology

Each context-specific assemblage was given a ceramic phase-date base on the range of ware-types present, as shown in Table 1. The data in Table 2 show that, the Roman and early to middle Saxon activity aside, the site was occupied from around the time of the Norman Conquest until the 13th or 14th century, after which time it was largely abandoned.

Table 1: Ceramic phase definition

Ceramic Phase	Date	Defining Wares
RB	1 st – 4 th C	F1001
E/MS	AD450-850	F1, F101
M1	E – M/L 11 th C	F200
M2	M/L 11 th – E 12 th C	F202, F300
M3	E 12 th – E 13 th C	F355
M4	13 th C	F352
M5	14 th – mid 16 th C	F401
PM1	Mid 16 th – E 17 th C	F405, F425
PM2	E 17 th – 18 th C	F413
MOD	19 th C+	F1000
U/S	Unstratified	-

Loomweight

A fragment of an early to middle Saxon fired clay loomweight occurred in context (1073). It weighs 125g, is 100mm in diameter and is 30% complete.

Assessment

The assemblage, in the main, comprises small groups of sherds which have the potential to offer little further information about the site other than to give a basic date for the features. The presence of a later Medieval vessel in the form of a dripping dish suggests at least some of the assemblage is indeed later than its *terminus post quem* would suggest.

The group of early to middle Saxon pottery from context (1275) suggest strongly that the feature was an early to middle *Saxon Sunken Featured Building*. The feature produced most of the pottery of this date from the site (94 sherds, 642g), with most of it originating from perhaps only two or three vessels, including a fragment from the base of a particularly large jar and a rimsherd from a smaller vessel.

The Medieval material largely comprises fragments of jars and jugs, along with a few pieces of bowls. Perhaps the only vessel worthy of note is a fragment of a dripping dish from context (1431). Such vessels, which are usually 14th century or later, were used to catch the dripping from spit-roasting meat and are relatively rare at rural sites.

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Cntxt	RB		F1		F101		F200		F202		F300		F355		F352		F401		F405		F425		F413		F1000		Date	
	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		
1439													9	88														M3
1441									8	66			3	29	1	5												M4
1443							1	1	1	2			2	5														M3
1445	2	8					2	2																				M1
1447							1	7	10	62																		M2
1448	1	2																										RB
1450									22	161			11	120														M3
1452													1	6	1	5												M4
1454									1	3			4	27														M3
	49	280	115	848	2	39	87	657	189	1695	4	26	82	1124	5	21	4	84	11	162	21	556	1	7	2	12		

* Modern pottery within fill (1325) is probably derived from a geo-technical pit – see section 147.

Post-medieval pottery within fill (1282) may be related to fill (1285) – see section 137.

APPENDIX 3: THE FLINT

By Dr Hugo Anderson-Whymark

Twenty struck flints were recovered from excavations at Coffin Close. These comprise a small number of regular flakes and flake cores, two edge-retouched flakes, a backed knife and a fragmentary, unidentifiable, edge-retouched flake tool (Table 1). The artefacts were predominately manufactured from good quality chalk flint, but a few flints from a derived fluvial source (probably river gravels) were noted; both of these raw materials can be sourced from the Marlborough Downs to the south. The artefacts result from a careful reduction strategy aimed at producing small regular flakes. This technology is most characteristic of later Neolithic and Early Bronze Age Industries. The simple retouched tools are, unfortunately, not closely datable and cannot refine this date range.

The majority of the artefacts are in reasonable fresh condition indicating that they probably result from Prehistoric activity on or close to the site. Although potentially indicative of settlement, albeit short term and/or small scale, this limited assemblage has no potential for further work.

Table 1: The flint assemblage from Coffin Close by artefact type

Artefact type	Total No.
Flake	12
Irregular waste	1
Single platform flake core	2
Opposed platform flake core	1
Edge-retouched flake	2
Backed knife	1
Unidentifiable retouched tool	1
Grand total	20

Catalogue

Context 1037. Regular flake of chalk flint. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age.

Context 1089. Burnt single platform flake core of chalk flint weighing 101.5g. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1089. Single platform flake core of chalk flint weighing 12.8g. Heavily corticated, except two scars. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1089. Broken flake with light bluish white cortication. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1089. Opposed platform flake core of chalk flint weighing 25.5g. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1089. Piece of irregular waste. Chalk flint. Residual.

Context 1089. Broken soft hammer flake with a light bluish white cortication. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1120. Flake of flint with a buff coloured cortex. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1128. Broken flake of flint with a water worn cortex. Light white cortication. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age.

Context 1134. Burnt fragment of an unidentifiable edge-retouched tool. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1149. Burnt fragmentary backed knife with a small notch. Neolithic-Early Bronze Age.

Context 1159. Small fragment of an edge-retouched flake. Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1282. Burnt and broken flake. Residual.

Context 1287. Flake. Residual.

Context 1304. Flake.

Context 1328. Broken flake with a moderate white surface cortication. . Probably Neolithic-Early Bronze Age. Residual.

Context 1335. Flake. Residual.

Context 1343. Flake of river gravel flint with an abraded cortex. Residual.

Context 1372. Flake.

Context 1437. Fragment of a thin and regular flake that exhibits slight distal edge retouch. Residual.

APPENDIX 4: THE ANIMAL BONE

By Heidi Dawson

Introduction

A collection of bone from one hundred and fifty-six contexts was presented to the author for assessment. Preservation was generally good, although most elements were fragmentary. Bone elements were identified where possible, to element represented and species.

Methods

The bones analysed for this report were identified to species using diagrams and descriptions from France (2009), Hillson (1996), Schmid (1972), and Ryder (1969). Bones of the following species were identified in the assemblage: *Bos* (cattle), *Ovis* (sheep¹), *Sus* (pig), *Canis* (Dog) *Equus* (horse) and *Felis* (cat). At least one species of bird was also present although further analysis is required to identify this to species. Those bones not identifiable to species were recorded by the author as cow-size, sheep-size, or unidentified.

Results

Overall 2628 bone fragments and 172 loose teeth were counted with 647 identified to bone element and animal species. The results of the elements identified to species are presented in Table 1. Context (1218) contained a small fragment of the distal end of a humerus which appears to be human in morphology. All other bones were from animal species. Only a few cut, chop and gnaw marks were noted during the assessment and six unidentified bone fragments had evidence for burning.

Species Representation

Cattle (*Bos*)

There is a Minimum number of individuals (MNI) of 5 (with evidence for two juveniles) and a NISP (Number of identified specimens) or TBC (total bone count) value of 195. This represents 30% of the animal remains recovered which were identified to species.

Sheep (*Ovis/Capra*)

Elements recorded as sheep could equally be identified as goat due to the similarity of most bones between these two closely related species. There is a MNI of 6 (with evidence for one juvenile) and a NISP value of 133, and this represents 20% of the animal remains recovered which were identified to species.

Pig (*Sus*)

There is a MNI of 3 (with evidence for one juvenile) and a NISP value of 104. This represents 16% of the animal remains recovered which were identified to species.

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¹ Sheep and goat bones are very similar so although the bones in this report are referred to as sheep they could potentially be goat.

Dog (*Canis*)

The MNI for dog is 4 and the NISP value 102, this represents 16% of the animal remains recovered which were identified to species.

Horse (*Equus*)

The MNI for horse is 3 and the NISP value is 66, this represents 10% of the animal remains recovered which were identified to species.

Cat (*Felis*)

The MNI for cat is 1 and the NISP value 1, this represents <1% of the animal remains recovered which were identified to species.

Bird (unidentified species)

The MNI for Bird is 2 and the NISP value is 47, this represents 7% of the animal remains recovered identified to species.

Analysis by context

Ovis was represented across the most contexts, 57, with *Bos* present in 50 contexts. *Equus* was present in 25 contexts, *Sus* in 22, *Canis* in 19 and *Felis* in only one (1196) represented by a mandible (lower jaw). Bird bones were identified in six contexts with context (1404) containing a near complete skeleton of a largish species possibly domestic goose or duck (this needs further investigation). Context (1282) contained all the long bones and many foot bones of an individual dog skeleton as well as bones from *Equus*, *Bos*, *Ovis* and *Sus*. Nineteen contexts contained no bone fragments that could be identified confidently to species.

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Table 1: Identified remains by species

Context	Species	Bone
1006	<i>Bos</i>	Metatarsal (MT)
1006	<i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1006	<i>Ovis</i>	Mandible
1006	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1021	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1026	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1026	<i>Bos</i>	Premolar
1026	<i>Bos</i>	Incisor
1026	<i>Bos</i>	Incisor
1026	<i>Bos</i>	Incisor
1027	<i>Equus</i>	MT
1027	<i>Equus</i>	Astragulus
1027	<i>Equus</i>	MP
1027	? <i>Equus</i>	carpal/tarsal
1031	<i>Ovis</i>	Metapodial (MP)
1031	<i>Bos</i>	Deciduous molar
1031	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1043	<i>Bos</i>	Horn core
1043	<i>Ovis</i>	Tibia
1043	<i>Bos</i>	MT
1043	<i>Sus</i>	Maxilla
1043	<i>Bos</i>	Astragulus
1043	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1043	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1043	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1045	<i>Bos</i>	MP
1045	<i>Bos</i>	MP
1057	<i>Bos</i>	Mid phalanx
1057	<i>Ovis</i>	Astragulus
1057	? <i>Bos</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1057	? <i>Bos</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1057	<i>Sus</i>	Mandible
1057	<i>Equus</i>	Premolar
1057	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1059	<i>Ovis</i>	Radius
1068	<i>Bird</i>	Corocoid
1079	<i>Bos</i>	Scapula
1087	<i>Ovis</i>	Metacarpal (MC)
1089	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1093	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar

1099	<i>Bos</i>	Radius
1111	<i>Canis</i>	Molar
1111	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1114	<i>Ovis</i>	Tibia
1116	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1117	<i>Ovis</i>	Mandible
1117	<i>Ovis</i>	Mandible
1117	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1118	<i>Equus</i>	Scapula
1118	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1123	<i>Bos</i>	MP
1120	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1120	<i>Bos</i>	Premolar
1132	<i>Canis</i>	Mandible
1132	<i>Canis</i>	Mandible
1132	<i>Equus</i>	MT
1132	? <i>Canis</i>	Mandible
1132	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1142	<i>Ovis</i>	Maxilla
1142	<i>Bos</i>	MT
1144	<i>Bos</i>	Scapula
1144	<i>Bos</i>	Incisor
1149	<i>Bos</i>	Maxilla
1149	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1152	<i>Sus</i>	Skull fragments
1152	? <i>Sus</i>	Radius
1152	Bird	Lumbosacrale
1152	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1156	<i>Bos</i>	MT
1170	<i>Bos</i>	MC
1170	<i>Sus</i>	Mandible
1170	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1172	<i>Bos</i>	Ulna
1172	? <i>Bos</i>	Radius
1172	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1184	<i>Bos</i>	Calcaneus
1196	<i>Felis</i>	Mandible
1194	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1195	<i>Sus</i>	Canine
1197	<i>Sus</i>	Humerus
1197	<i>Ovis</i>	Ulna
1197	<i>Bos</i>	Molar

1197	<i>Sus</i>	Canine
1197	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1198	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1198	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1199	<i>Sus</i>	Humerus
1199	? <i>Canis</i>	Radius
1199	<i>Sus</i>	Premolar
1200	<i>Canis</i>	Femur
1200	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1200	<i>Equus</i>	Tibia
1200	<i>Equus</i>	Mid phalanx
1200	? <i>Canis</i>	Femur
1200	? <i>Ovis</i>	Mandible
1200	? <i>Sus</i>	Pelvis
1200	<i>Equus</i>	Premolar
1200	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1200	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1200	<i>Bos</i>	Deciduous molar
1200	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1200	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1200	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1200	<i>Ovis</i>	Incisor
1202	<i>Equus</i>	MT
1202	<i>Equus</i>	Tarsal
1202	? <i>Ovis</i>	Vertebra
1202	<i>Ovis</i>	Astragulus
1202	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1202	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1206	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1209	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1216	<i>Equus</i>	Femur
1218	<i>Bos</i>	Humerus
1218	<i>Sus</i>	Mandible
1222	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1230	<i>Equus</i>	Radius
1238	<i>Ovis</i>	MP
1238	<i>Ovis</i>	Calcaneus
1249	<i>Canis</i>	MT3
1249	<i>Canis</i>	MT5
1249	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1249	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1249	? <i>Canis</i>	Vertebra

1249	? <i>Canis</i>	Skull fragments
1249	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1250	<i>Equus</i>	MT
1250	<i>Ovis</i>	MP
1250	<i>Canis</i>	Tibia
1250	? <i>Equus</i>	Vert
1250	? <i>Equus</i>	Vertebra
1250	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1251	<i>Canis</i>	Axis
1251	<i>Bos</i>	Vertebra
1251	<i>Bos</i>	Vertebra
1251	<i>Bos</i>	Axis
1251	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1251	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1251	<i>Ovis</i>	Dec molar
1251	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1251	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1252	<i>Bos</i>	Humerus
1252	? <i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1252	<i>Equus</i>	MC
1252	? <i>Ovis</i>	Tibia
1252	<i>Ovis</i>	Femur
1252	? <i>Bos</i>	?Radius
1252	<i>Canis</i>	MC3
1252	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1252	<i>Canis</i>	Mandible
1252	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1252	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1252	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Canis</i>	Tibia
1253	<i>Canis</i>	Mandible
1253	<i>Canis</i>	Maxilla
1253	? <i>Canis</i>	Jaw
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	MC
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	MT
1253	<i>Equus</i>	Astragulus
1253	? <i>Bos</i>	MP
1253	<i>Canis</i>	Calcaneus
1253	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1253	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1253	? <i>Bos</i>	Carpal

1253	? <i>Bos</i>	Carpal
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1253	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1253	<i>Equus</i>	Incisor
1273	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Radius
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Radius
1275	<i>Bos</i>	MC
1275	<i>Ovis</i>	MP
1275	? <i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1275	? <i>Bos</i>	MP
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Astragulus
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1275	<i>Equus</i>	Pelvis
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Maxilla
1275	<i>Equus</i>	Maxilla
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1275	<i>Ovis</i>	Horn core
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Astragulus
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1275	<i>Ovis</i>	Ulna
1275	<i>Bos</i>	MT
1275	<i>Bos</i>	MP
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Humerus
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Horn core
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Horn core
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Long Bone fragments
1275	<i>Bos</i>	MT
1275	<i>Bos</i>	MT
1275	<i>Bos</i>	MP

1275	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1275	<i>Equus</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Equus</i>	Premolar
1275	<i>Equus</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Premolar
1275	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Sus</i>	Canine
1275	<i>Sus</i>	Canine
1275	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1275	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1275	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Humerus
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Humerus
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Ulna
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Ulna
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Ulna
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Radius
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Radius
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Femur
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Tibia
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Tibia
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Mandible
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MT4
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MC2
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MC5
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MC3
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MC3
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MC5
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MC4
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MT5
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MC5
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Phalanx

1282	<i>Canis</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Scapula
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1282	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Rib
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Rib
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Rib
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Rib
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Rib
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Pelvis
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Scapula
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1282	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1282	? <i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1282	<i>Equus</i>	Astragulus
1282	? <i>Equus</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1282	<i>Equus</i>	Calcaneus
1282	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1282	<i>Bos</i>	Mid phalanx
1282	<i>Bos</i>	MP
1282	<i>Sus</i>	Mandible
1282	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1282	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1282	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1282	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1282	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1282	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1282	<i>Bos</i>	Deciduous molar
1282	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Femur
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1285	<i>Equus</i>	Phalanx
1285	<i>Equus</i>	Phalanx
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Mid phalanx
1285	? <i>Bos</i>	Astragulus
1285	? <i>Bos</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1285	? <i>Bos</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1285	<i>Sus</i>	Atlas
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Mandible

1285	<i>Canis</i>	Canine
1285	<i>Canis</i>	Canine
1285	<i>Canis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Incisor
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1285	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1287	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1287	<i>Sus</i>	Canine
1287	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1287	? <i>Sus</i>	Mandible
1289	<i>Bos</i>	Radius
1289	? <i>Canis</i>	Humerus
1292	<i>Bos</i>	Mandible
1292	<i>Bos</i>	Femur
1294	<i>Bos</i>	Humerus
1294	<i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1294	<i>Bos</i>	Humerus
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Radius
1294	<i>Canis</i>	Tibia
1294	<i>Canis</i>	MT3
1294	<i>Canis</i>	Ulna
1294	<i>Canis</i>	Scapula
1294	? <i>Canis</i>	Tibia
1294	? <i>Bos</i>	Femur
1294	<i>Sus</i>	Astragulus
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Phalanx
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Phalanx

1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1294	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1295	<i>Ovis</i>	Deciduous molar
1295	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1296	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1296	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1296	<i>Canis</i>	MT
1296	? <i>Canis</i>	Ulna
1296	<i>Ovis</i>	Premolar
1302	<i>Sus</i>	MP
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Phalanx
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Phalanx
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Mid phalanx
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Distal phalanx
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Phalanx
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Mid phalanx
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Carpals/tarsals
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Maxilla
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Maxilla
1302	? <i>Sus</i>	Skull
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Atlas
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Vertebra
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Vertebra
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Vertebra
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Vertebra
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Molar
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Deciduous molar
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Deciduous molar
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Premolar
1302	<i>Sus</i>	Premolar
1304	<i>Sus</i>	Phalanx
1304	<i>Sus</i>	Mid phalanx
1304	<i>Sus</i>	Mid phalanx
1304	<i>Sus</i>	Distal phalanx
1304	<i>Equus</i>	Radius
1304	<i>Equus</i>	Molar
1304	<i>Sus</i>	Canine
1304	<i>Sus</i>	Molar
1306	<i>Canis</i>	Mandible

1306	<i>Canis</i>	Molar
1306	<i>Canis</i>	Premolar
1306	<i>Canis</i>	Premolar
1308	<i>Bos</i>	Femur
1310	? <i>Equus</i>	Pelvis
1312	<i>Bos</i>	MC
1317	<i>Canis</i>	Femur
1317	<i>Bos</i>	Radius
1317	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1317	<i>Ovis</i>	Tibia
1317	<i>Ovis</i>	MT
1317	<i>Ovis</i>	MP
1317	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1317	<i>Bos</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1317	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1317	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1318	<i>Canis</i>	Atlas
1324	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Humerus
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Humerus
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Radius
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Radius
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Ulna
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Ulna
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Femur
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Femur
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Tibia
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Scapula
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Scapula
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Astragulus
1325	<i>Canis</i>	MT3
1325	<i>Canis</i>	MT2
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Phalanx
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1325	<i>Canis</i>	Vertebra
1325	<i>Sus</i>	Maxilla
1325	<i>Bos</i>	Radius
1325	<i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1325	<i>Bos</i>	Pelvis
1325	<i>Equus</i>	Astragulus

1325	<i>Bos</i>	Astragulus
1325	<i>Equus</i>	Calcaneus
1325	<i>Equus</i>	Calcaneus
1325	<i>Bos</i>	MC
1325	<i>Equus</i>	MP
1325	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1325	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1325	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1325	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1326	<i>Canis</i>	Humerus
1326	<i>Equus</i>	MP
1326	<i>Equus</i>	MP
1328	<i>Ovis</i>	Radius
1328	<i>Bos</i>	Maxilla
1328	<i>Bos</i>	Premolar
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1328	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1329	<i>Ovis</i>	Mid phalanx
1329	<i>Sus</i>	Molar
1333	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1335	<i>Bos</i>	Tibia
1335	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1335	<i>Bos</i>	Scapula
1335	? <i>Bos</i>	Vertebra
1335	<i>Bird</i>	Femur
1335	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1337	<i>Equus</i>	Femur
1337	<i>Bos</i>	Calcaneus
1337	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1337	<i>Ovis</i>	MT
1337	<i>Ovis</i>	MC
1339	<i>Ovis</i>	Deciduous molar
1343	<i>Bos</i>	Premolar
1343	<i>Bos</i>	Premolar
1345	<i>sus</i>	Atlas
1345	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1345	? <i>Equus</i>	Canine
1347	<i>Equus</i>	Radius
1348	<i>Sus</i>	Molar
1350	<i>Ovis</i>	MC
1350	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus

1350	?Bird	?Metacarpus
1350	<i>Sus</i>	Deciduous molar
1350	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1350	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1350	<i>Sus</i>	Incisor
1350	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1364	? <i>Sus</i>	Scapula
1374	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1374	<i>Bos</i>	MP
1374	<i>Equus</i>	Tibia
1374	<i>Equus</i>	Radius
1378	<i>Bos</i>	Radius
1381	<i>Bos</i>	Axis
1381	<i>Bos</i>	Humerus
1387	<i>Bos</i>	MT
1387	? <i>Bos</i>	Carpal/tarsal
1387	<i>Equus</i>	Phalanx
1387	<i>Bos</i>	Phalanx
1387	<i>Ovis</i>	MP
1387	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1387	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1389	<i>Bos</i>	Astragulus
1394	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1396=1002	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1396=1002	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1402	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1404	Bird	Tibia
1404	Bird	Tibia
1404	Bird	Femur
1404	Bird	Femur
1404	Bird	Humerus
1404	Bird	Humerus
1404	Bird	Metacarpus
1404	Bird	Metatarsus
1404	Bird	Corocoid
1404	Bird	Corocoid
1404	Bird	Ulna
1404	Bird	Ulna
1404	Bird	Scapula
1404	Bird	Scapula
1404	Bird	Clavicular
1404	Bird	Clavicular

1404	Bird	Radius
1404	Bird	Phalanx
1404	Bird	Mid phalanx
1404	Bird	Pelvis
1404	Bird	Lumbosacral
1404	Bird	Vertebra
1404	Bird	Vertebra
1404	Bird	Vertebra
1404	Bird	Vertebra
1404	Bird	Vertebra
1404	Bird	Rib
1418	<i>Equus</i>	Premolar
1420	<i>Bos</i>	Molar
1426	<i>Equus</i>	Vertebra
1426	<i>Equus</i>	Vertebra
1426	<i>Equus</i>	Vertebra
1426	<i>Equus</i>	Vertebra
1426	<i>Equus</i>	Vertebra
1426	? <i>Equus</i>	Mandible
1428	<i>Ovis</i>	Molar
1428	<i>Ovis</i>	Deciduous molar
1435	<i>Equus</i>	Mid phalanx
1435	<i>Equus</i>	Distal phalanx
1435	<i>Sus</i>	Mandible
1435	<i>Ovis</i>	Maxilla
1435	<i>Sus</i>	Canine
1435	<i>Equus</i>	Incisor
1441	? <i>Bos</i>	Calcaneus
1441	<i>Ovis</i>	Humerus
1441	<i>Canis</i>	MP
1443	<i>Ovis</i>	molar
1447	<i>Bos</i>	molar
1447	<i>Ovis</i>	molar
1450	<i>Equus</i>	Phalanx
1450	<i>Ovis</i>	MP
1450	? <i>Equus</i>	Tibia
1454	<i>Ovis</i>	dec molar
U/S	<i>Canis</i>	Mandible
U/S	<i>Bos</i>	MP
U/S	<i>Ovis</i>	molar
U/S	<i>Bos</i>	incisor
U/S	<i>Bos</i>	incisor

APPENDIX 5: OTHER FINDS

By Lynn Bevan

Introduction

Nineteen small finds from the site of Coffin Close, Westrop, Wiltshire were examined for purposes of post-excavation assessment. These comprised two copper alloy objects, one worked bone object and 16 iron objects. All of the iron objects were poorly preserved, with much corrosion and flaking, although the majority of them were identifiable. No x-rays of the items were provided.

This assessment was undertaken in cognisance of the procedures of post-excavation assessment as set out in MAP 2 (English Heritage 1991), to provide both a quantification of the assemblage and a qualitative overview of its potential for further analysis. However, in view of the poor standard of preservation among the ironwork and the lack of potential for further study of the finds, more detailed study was conducted on the finds than would be normal for an assessment of this type, the results of which are included here.

Worked Bone

A single worked bone item was examined: a small calcined fragment from a bone toothbrush (Context 1204), broken across a line of four bristle holes at the base of the head where it narrows to form the handle. Bone toothbrushes first appeared during the 17th century and continued to be made into the early decades of the 20th (MacGregor 1985, 183, Fig. 99, 184). The form of this brush, the tuft holes of which do not fully pierce the head (Crummy 1988, Fig. 27: 1864, 25), is suggestive of a later 19th or early 20th century date.

Copper Alloy

Two copper alloy objects were examined comprising a narrow rectangular band broken at both ends and decorated with a series of incised vertical lines (Context 1324) and a thin fragment of sheet with irregularly-shaped edges (Context 1220). While the sheet fragment was undiagnostic, the decorated strip was probably part of an item of jewellery based upon published parallels. However, dating for this item is problematic since the two closest parallels are chronologically diverse, comprising part of a Roman armlet or a broken fragment from a flattened Medieval finger ring. Narrow copper alloy armlets, some with similarly linear decoration, generally date to the 3rd and 4th centuries (Crummy 1983, 37, Fig. 42: 1676, 1679, 1683, 42). Simple hoop rings made from soldered sheeting or cast copper alloy, often decorated with incised designs including vertical banding (Pritchard 1991, Fig. 217: 1624, 1627, 1629, 331), are known from early 15th century deposits in London (*ibid* 1991, 332). While the fragment discussed here is exactly the same width as the cited published examples of armlets and rings, it was recovered from a fill which contained Medieval pottery and, therefore, an interpretation as part of a Medieval finger ring is most likely.

Iron

Sixteen iron objects were examined. These comprised a small corroded knife blade (Context 1275), a perforated fitting or substantial chainlink (Context 1043), a pointed tool or spike (Context 1374), a drill bit (Context 1285), a large piece of riveted strip, probably door furniture (1059), a staple (Context 1310), a nail (Context 1285) and nine unidentified fragments. The fragments came from the following contexts: (1204) x 2; (1220) x 2; (1328) x 1 (leaded); (1450) x 4.

Though broadly identifiable, items such as the knife, drill bit and tool or spike were not chronologically diagnostic in form and therefore could be of any date from the Roman period onwards.

Recommendations for Further Analysis

In view of the poor condition and fragmentary nature of this small, largely undiagnostic assemblage, no further analysis or research is recommended. For example x-raying of the iron objects probably would not aid closer identification of any of the items among which close contemporaneity cannot in any case be established or assumed. Therefore the potential of this assemblage, which appears to be of local significance only, is very limited in archaeological terms.

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APPENDIX 6: CHARRED PLANT REMAINS

By Ellen Simmons

Introduction

Excavations carried out by Foundations Archaeology at Coffin Close, Westrop revealed archaeological features primarily related to early Medieval settlement. Flotation samples were taken from posthole fill (1366), pit fill (1089), boundary ditch fill (1213), and wall trench fills (1330) and (1331) in order to determine the concentration, diversity, state of preservation and suitability for use in radiocarbon dating, of any archaeobotanical material present. A further aim of this assessment was to evaluate the potential of this material to provide evidence for the function of the contexts, the economy of the site or for the nature of the local environment.

Recovery, processing and laboratory methods

The flotation samples were processed for charred plant remains and wood charcoal by GeoFlo Southwest Geophysical and Flotation Services using a water separation machine. Floating material was collected in a 250µm mesh, and the remaining heavy residue retained in a 1mm mesh. The flots and heavy residue were air dried.

The samples were assessed in accordance with English Heritage guidelines for environmental archaeology assessments (Jones, 2011). A preliminary assessment of the samples was made by scanning under a low power binocular microscope (x7-x45) and recording the abundance of the main classes of material present. Where less than five items were present, these were counted in full. Where more than five items were present, these were recorded using a scale of abundance. Preliminary identification of plant material was carried out by comparison with material in the author's own reference collection and various reference works (e.g. Berggren, 1981; Anderberg, 1994; Cappers *et al*, 2006). Cereal identifications and nomenclature follow Jacomet (2006). Other plant nomenclature follows Stace (2010). The composition of the samples is recorded below in Table 1.

Species represented

Intrusive roots were present in all five samples indicating an increased likelihood that some charred material present in these samples may be intrusive, particularly in the case of deposits where a lower density of charred plant material was present.

Preservation of charred cereal grains was variable, with some grains exhibiting distortion and with only fragments of epidermis remaining while other grains were well preserved with little distortion and epidermis intact. Preservation of wood charcoal was good, with no vitrified charcoal fragments noted as present and little evidence of mineralisation, whereby mineral deposits penetrate into the vessels of the wood charcoal fragments, obscuring morphological characteristics and potentially hampering identification.

Charred cereal grains and wild or weed plant seeds were present in all the samples. The majority of cereal grains were morphologically similar to bread / club type wheat (*Triticum aestivo-compactum*) with the greatest quantity being present in sample 3 from boundary ditch fill (1213). Charred rachis nodes identified as probable bread wheat (*Triticum cf. aestivum*) were also present in small amounts in all but sample 2 from pit fill context (1089). An oat grain (*Avena* sp.) and a barley grain (*Hordeum* sp.) were present in sample 1 from posthole context (1366). Four barley grains, two of which were hulled, were present in boundary ditch fill (1213) and an indeterminate barley rachis node was present in sample 4 from wall trench fill (1330). Large seeded legumes were present in all but sample 1 from posthole fill (1366). Fragments of charred hazel nutshell (*Corylus avellana*) were also present in sample 3 from boundary ditch fill (1213) and sample 5 from wall trench fill (1331).

Charred wild or weed plant seeds include nettle (*Urtica dioica*), goosefoots (*Chenopodium* spp.), black bindweed (*Polygonum convolvulus*), docks (*Rumex* spp.), vetch / pea (*Vicia* / *Lathyrus*), clover medick (*Trifolium* / *Medicago*), stinking mayweed (*Anthemis cotula*), rushes (*Juncus* spp.) sedge (*Carex* sp.), brome / rye grass (*Bromus* / *Lolium*), and grasses (Poaceae).

Wood charcoal fragments were present in all of the samples, although only sample 3 from boundary ditch fill (1213) contained more than fifty fragments greater than 2mm in size. Wood charcoal of both diffuse and ring porous taxa were noted as present in the samples. Further identification of the taxa present would require high power microscopy.

Discussion

A low density and diversity of charred cereal grains, cereal chaff, wild or weed plant seeds and hazel nut shell were present in the samples. Crop types present include oat grain (*Avena* sp.), barley (*Hordeum* sp.) grain and chaff and bread / club type wheat grain along with probable bread wheat rachis nodes suggesting that the bread / club type wheat grains are likely to be representative of bread wheat. It could not be determined whether the oat grain represents wild or cultivated oat due to a lack of diagnostic chaff.

Charred crop material associated with wild or weed plant seeds is generally most likely to represent waste from crop processing which is mixed with cereal grains charred accidentally during grain drying or food preparation and deposited in the fills of features across the site. The presence of seeds from typical weeds of crops in association with crop material indicates that the wild plant seeds are likely to have been harvested along with the crops. The presence of seeds of rushes and sedge may therefore indicate the cultivation of damp soils or wet field ditches. Other sources of charred plant remains however include waste roofing or flooring material, turves, kindling and animal fodder and as such the seeds of rushes and sedge may not represent crop weeds. Collection of wild food resources is indicated by the presence of small amounts of charred hazelnut shell.

This charred plant assemblage is typical of the crop types present in Medieval archaeobotanical assemblages from England. Bread wheat is the most common wheat present at Medieval sites in England, with barley, oats and legumes also frequently recovered (Moffett 2006: 47-50). Bread wheat replaced spelt wheat as the most commonly cultivated species of wheat in the region at some point between the late Roman period and the early Medieval period, although there is a general paucity of evidence for when this transition took place in different parts of the region (Straker 2007, 163). Bread wheat requires a greater input of fertiliser than other wheat and is less tolerant of competition by weeds. It has been argued that the adoption of bread wheat as a principle crop during the Anglo Saxon period onwards may be related to agricultural intensification (Jones 1981, 107). The wild or weed plant taxa represented in the samples are also typical of those present in Medieval charred plant assemblages. The presence of stinking mayweed in particular is characteristic of Roman and later charred plant assemblages and the increased presence of this species has also been related to the expansion of agriculture on to heavier clay soils, as has the presence of taxa commonly associated with damp soils (Jones 1981, 111).

In light of the relatively imprecise dating for most of the analysed features, along with the potential for intrusive material to be present within the assessed samples, no further analysis of the charred plant remains is recommended at this stage.

A relatively low density of land snail shells (Mollusca) were present in samples 4 and 5 from wall trench fills (1330) and (1331). It is likely that the numbers present would not be sufficient for further analysis.

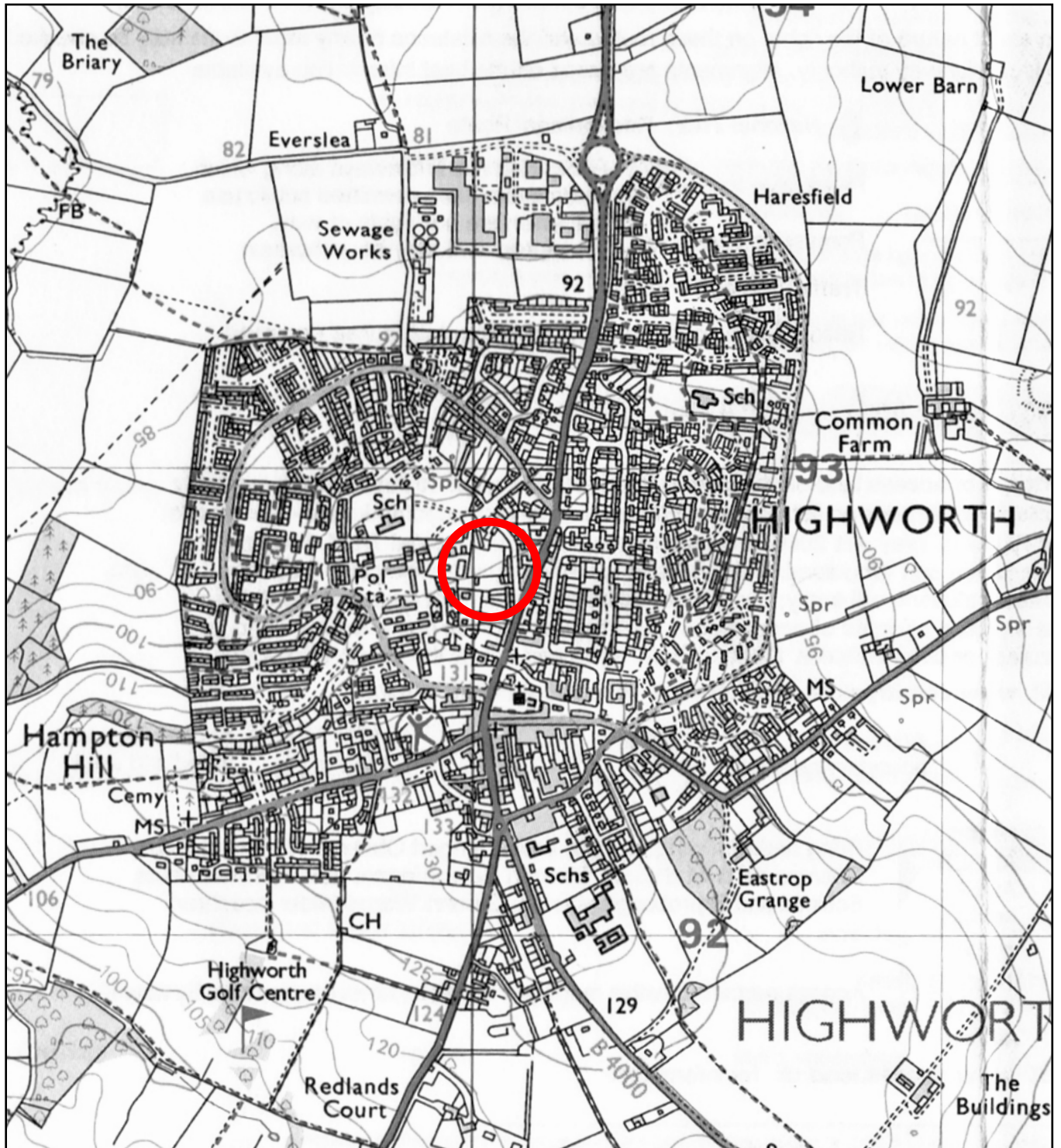
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Table 1

Archaeobotanical Sample Scanning Sheet					
SITE: Coffin Close, Westrop					
NGR: SU 2000 9270					
CONTEXT NUMBER	1366	1089	1213	1330	1331
FLOTATION SAMPLE NUMBER	1	2	3	4	5
CONTEXT TYPE	Post hole	pit	Boundary ditch	Wall trench	Wall trench
PROVISIONAL DATE	E Med	E Med	E Med	E Med	E Med
SAMPLE VOLUME (litres)	3	62	66	60	63
Charred plant material (*key - = < 5 items, += > 5 items, ++ = > 10 items, +++ = > 30 items, ++++ = > 50 items, +++++ = > 100 items.)					
CROP MATERIAL*					
Probable oat grain (cf. <i>Avena</i> sp.)	1				
Barley grain (<i>Hordeum</i> sp.)	1		2		
Barley grain (<i>Hordeum</i> sp.) hulled			2		
Barley rachis node (<i>Hordeum</i> sp.)				1	
Bread / club wheat type grain (<i>Triticum aestivo-compactum</i> type)	++	++	++++	+++	++
Probable bread wheat rachis node (<i>Triticum</i> cf. <i>aestivum</i>)	1		+	1	1
Wheat (<i>Triticum</i> sp.)					++
Large seeded legume		0.5	1	1	0.5
culm node					1
Total identifiable crop material	++	++	++++	+++	++
WILD / WEED PLANT MATERIAL*					
Common nettle (<i>Urtica dioica</i>)					1
Goosefoots (<i>Chenopodium</i> spp.)	1			1	1
Black bindweed (<i>Polygonum convolvulus</i>)				1	
Docks (<i>Rumex</i> spp.)			3		4
Vetch / pea (<i>Vicia</i> / <i>Lathyrus</i>)	1		1	1.5	1
Clover / medick / (<i>Trifolium</i> / <i>Medicago</i>)				2	
Stinking mayweed (<i>Anthemis cotula</i>)	+		+	++	+
Rushes (<i>Juncus</i> spp.)	1			3	4
Sedge (<i>Carex</i> sp.)	1				
Brome / rye grass (<i>Bromus</i> / <i>Lolium</i>)		1		1	1
Small seeded grass (>2mm Poaceae)		2	1	2	
Large seeded grass (<2mm Poaceae)			3	3	3
Unidentified wild seed	1		1	3	3
Total identifiable wild / weed plant material	++	-	++	+++	++
NON SEED PLANT MATERIAL*					
Hazel nutshell (<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.)			-		-
> 2mm wood charcoal fragments	+	++	++++	+++	+
> 2mm round wood charcoal					
> 2mm vitrified charcoal					

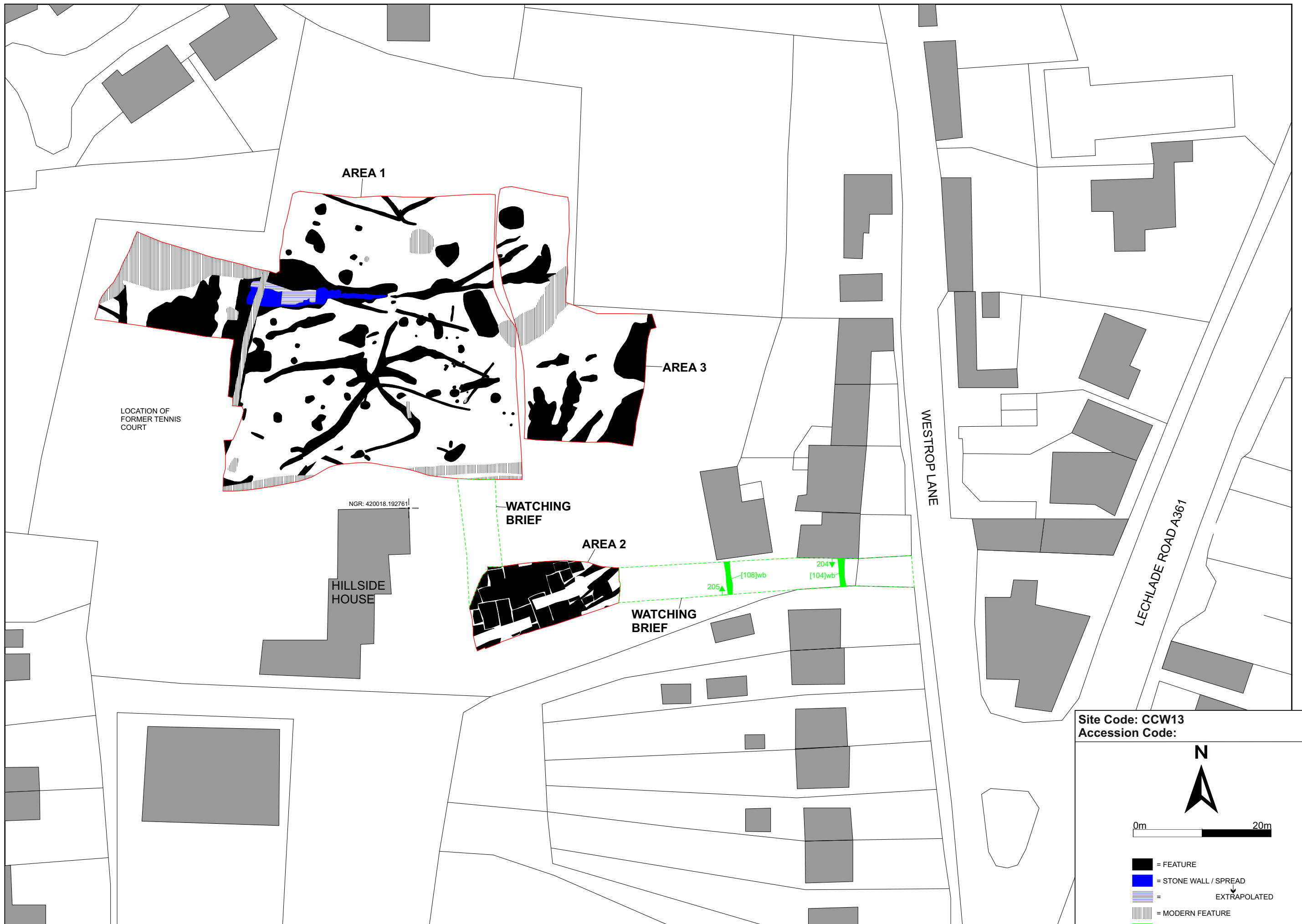
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SITE: Coffin Close, Westrop					
NGR: SU 2000 9270					
CONTEXT NUMBER	1366	1089	1213	1330	1331
FLOTATION SAMPLE NUMBER	1	2	3	4	5
CONTEXT TYPE	Post hole	pit	Boundary ditch	Wall trench	Wall trench
PROVISIONAL DATE	E Med	E Med	E Med	E Med	E Med
SAMPLE VOLUME (litres)	3	62	66	60	63
Intrusive plant material / non-plant material (- = < 5 items, += > 5 items, ++ = > 10 items, +++ = > 30 items, ++++ = > 50 items, +++++ = > 100 items.)					
% Intrusive roots	20	80	60	60	40
Non – charred wild plant seeds					
Land snail shells (Mollusca)				+++	+++
Metallurgical debris					
Sample summary information					
Further analysis of charred plant material	x	x	✓	✓	x
Further analysis of wood charcoal	x	x	✓	x	x
Charred material suitable for C14 dating	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Retain flots	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓



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FIGURE 1: Site Location



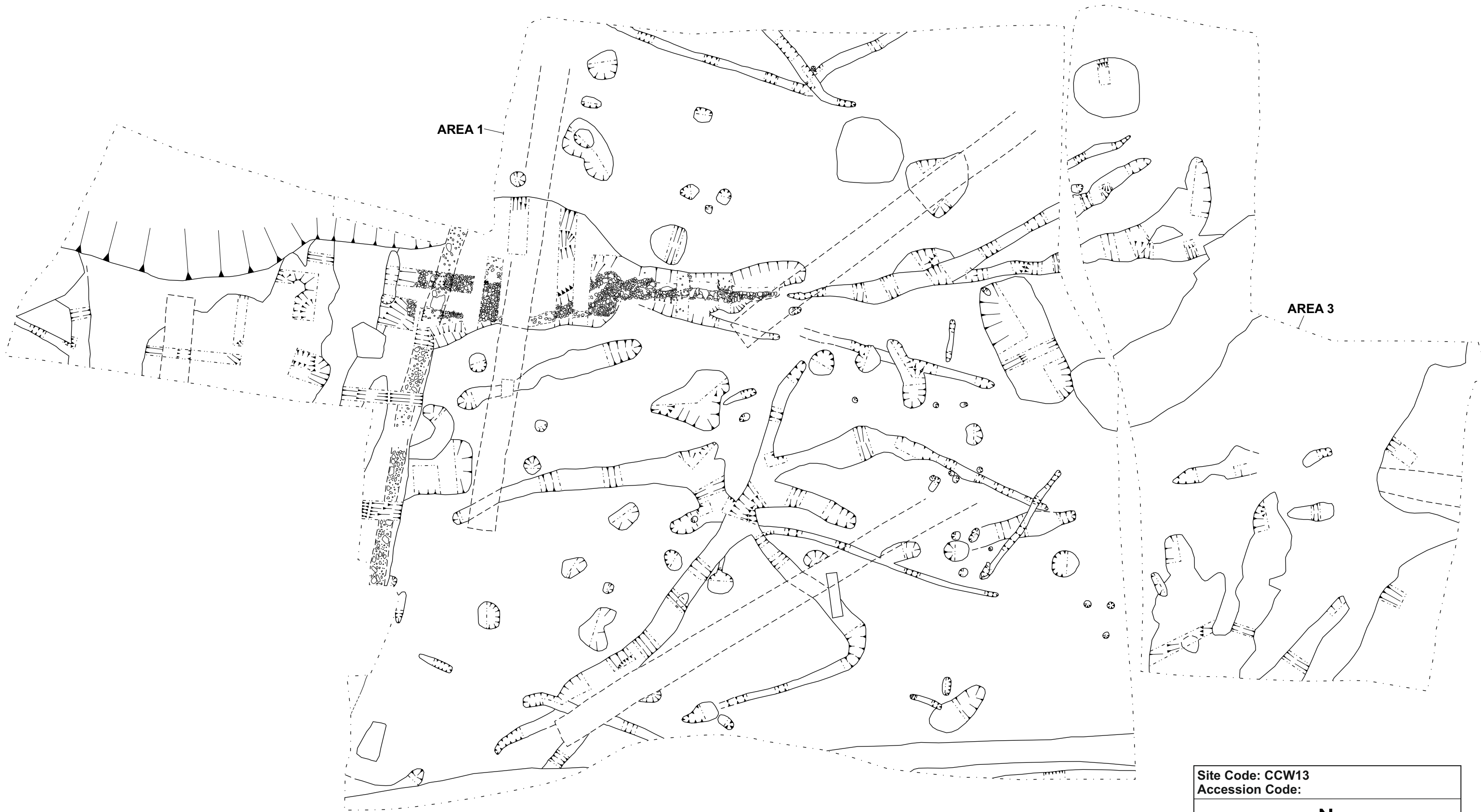
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FIGURE 2: Site Plan

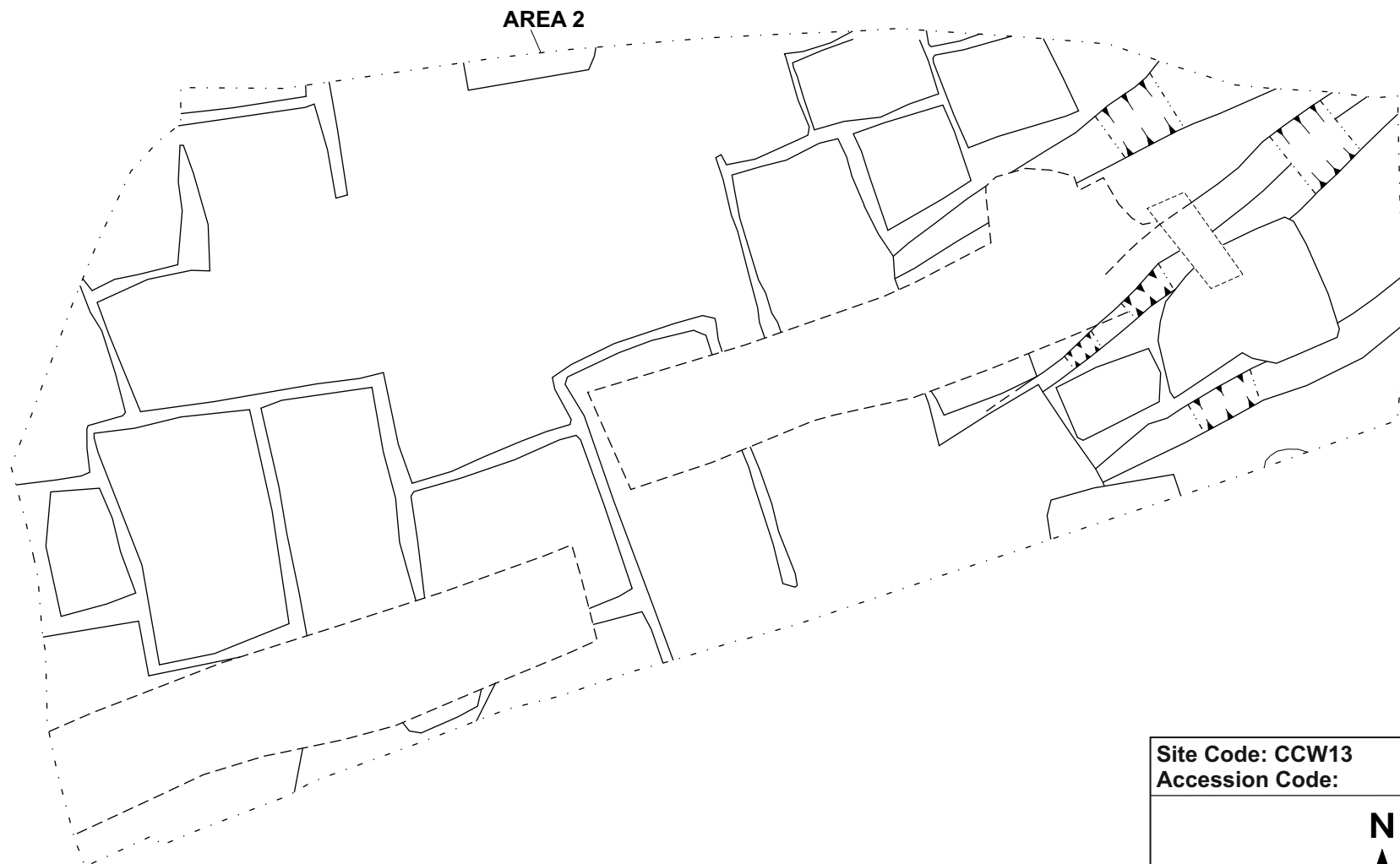


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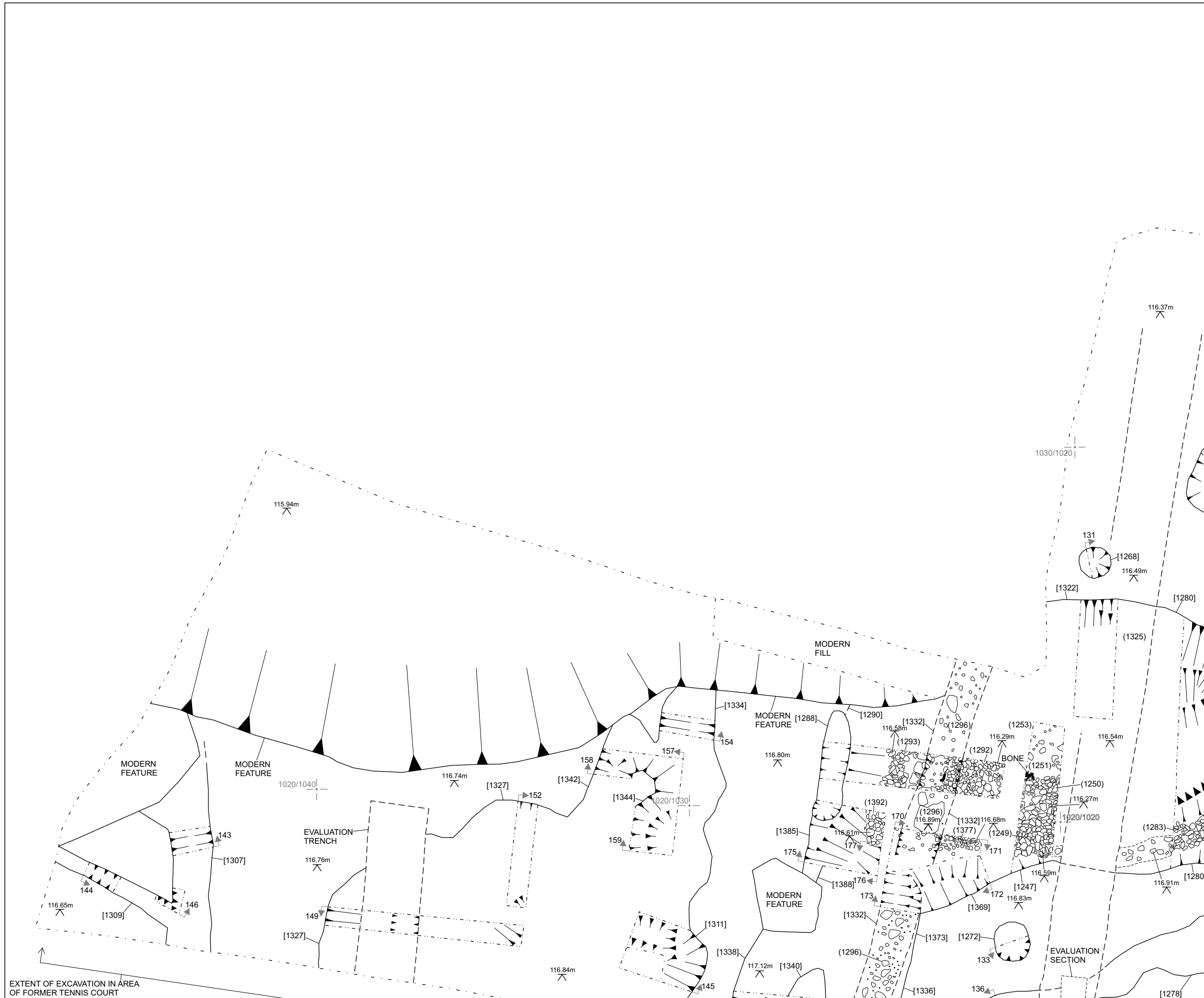


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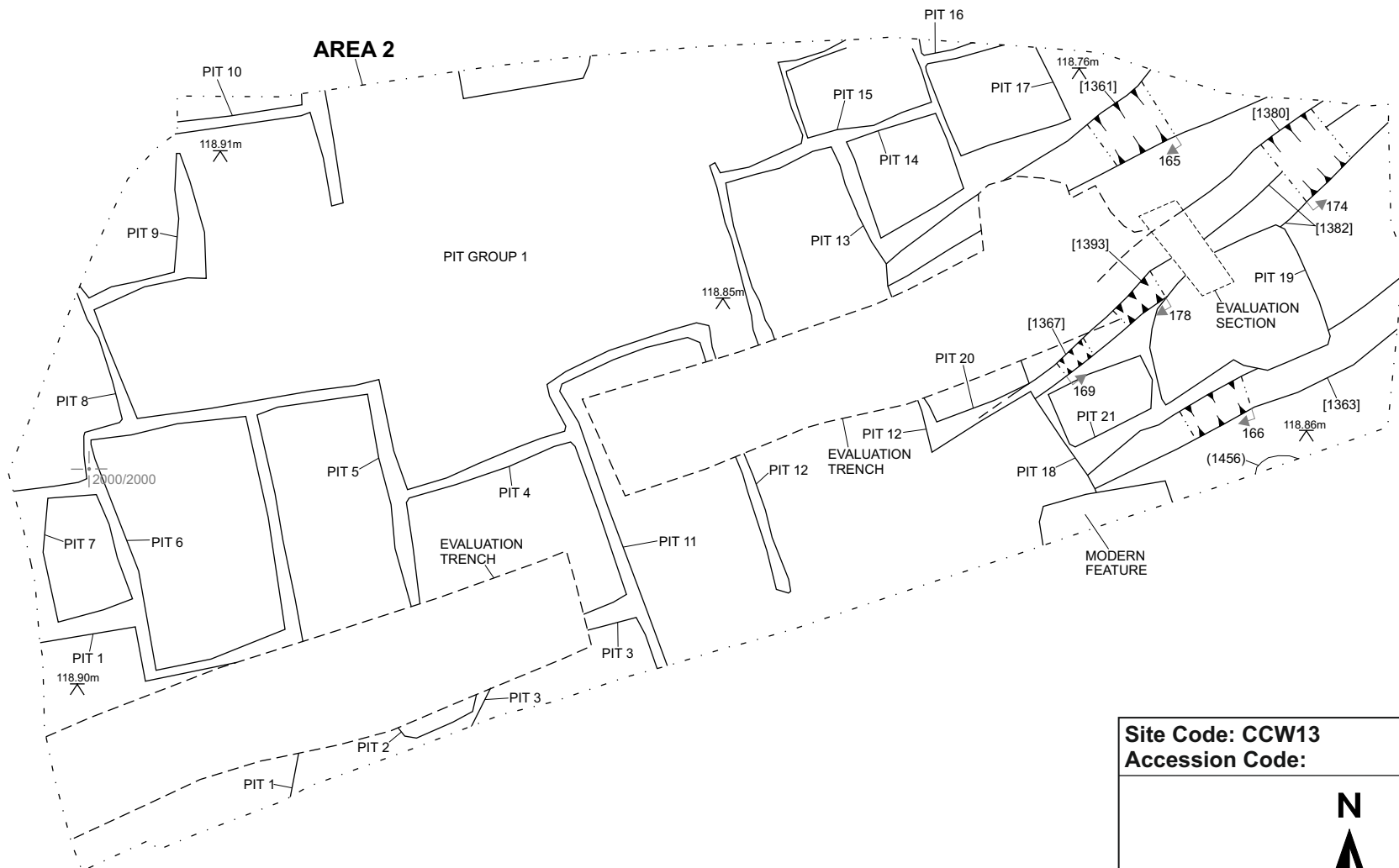


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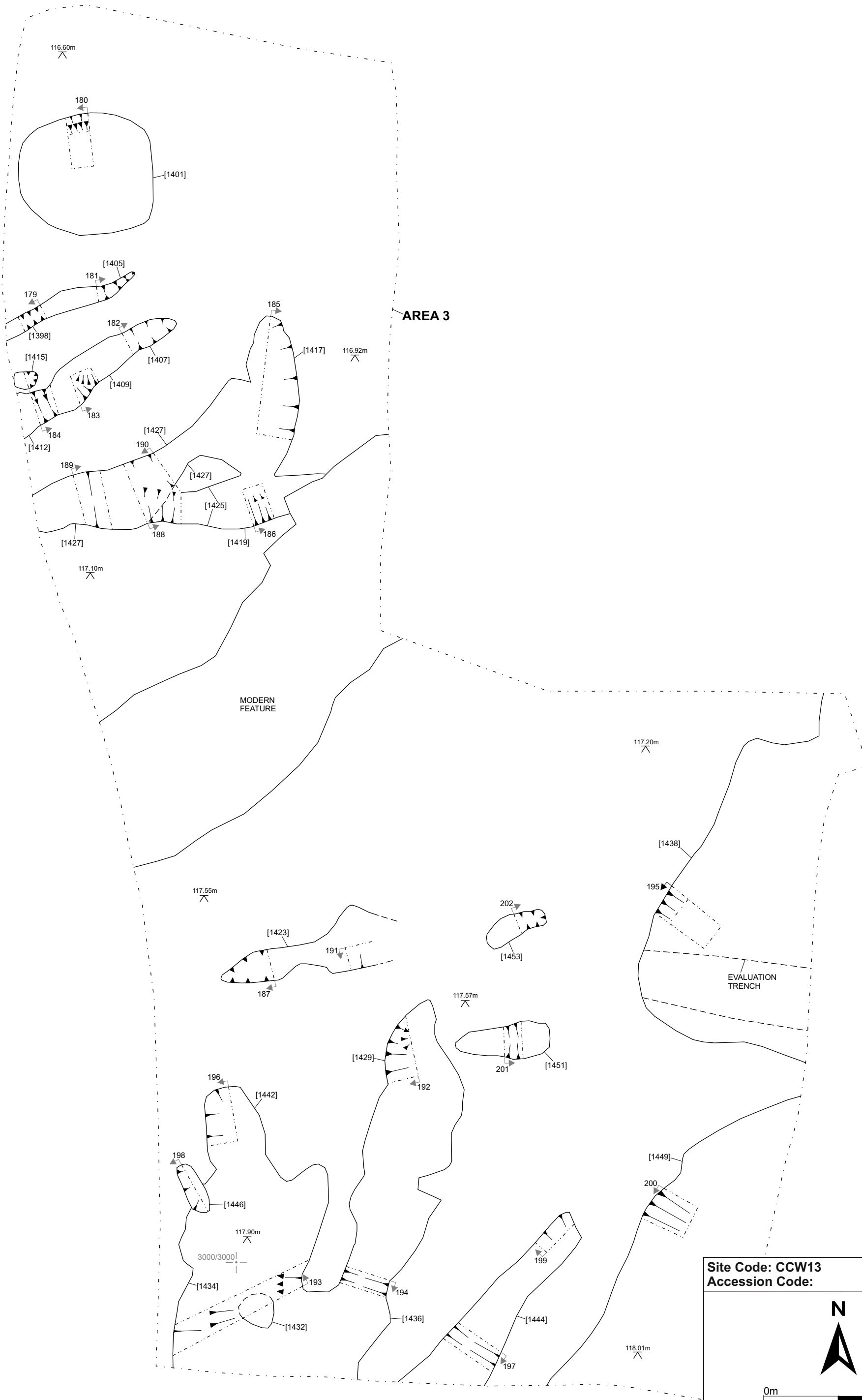


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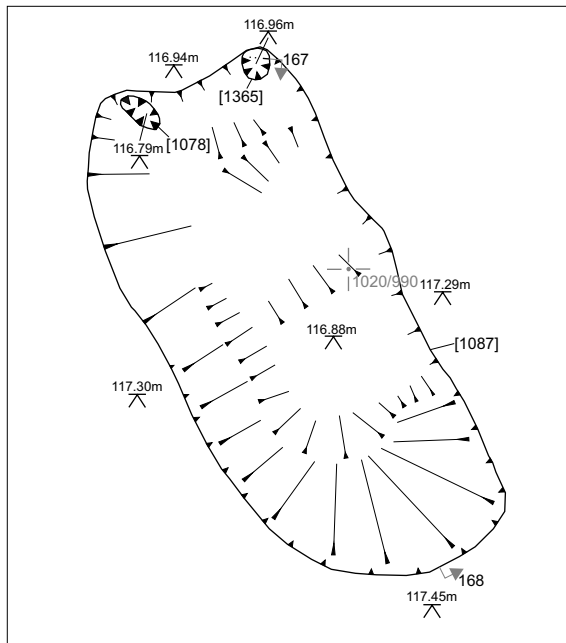
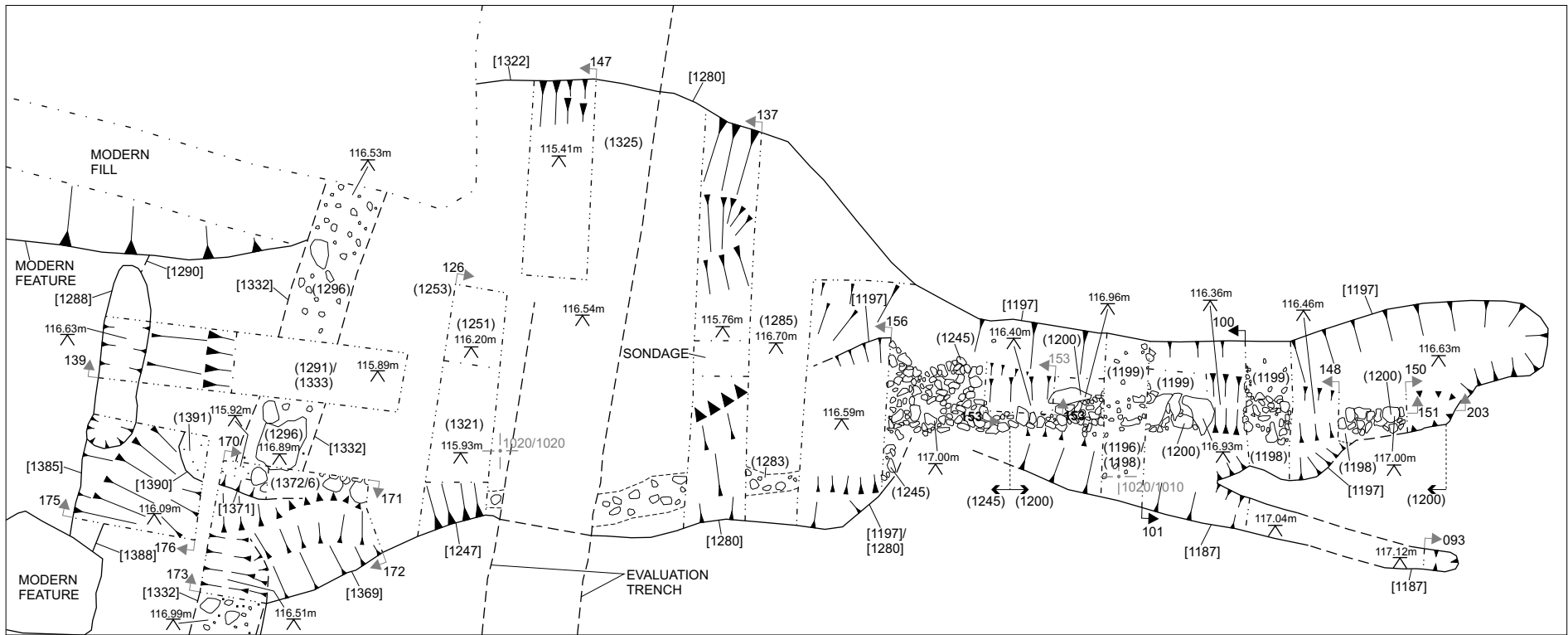


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FIGURE 10: Area 3 Detailed Plan



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FIGURE 11: Post-excavation Plans of Pit [1087] and Wall (1200)/Quarry [1247]

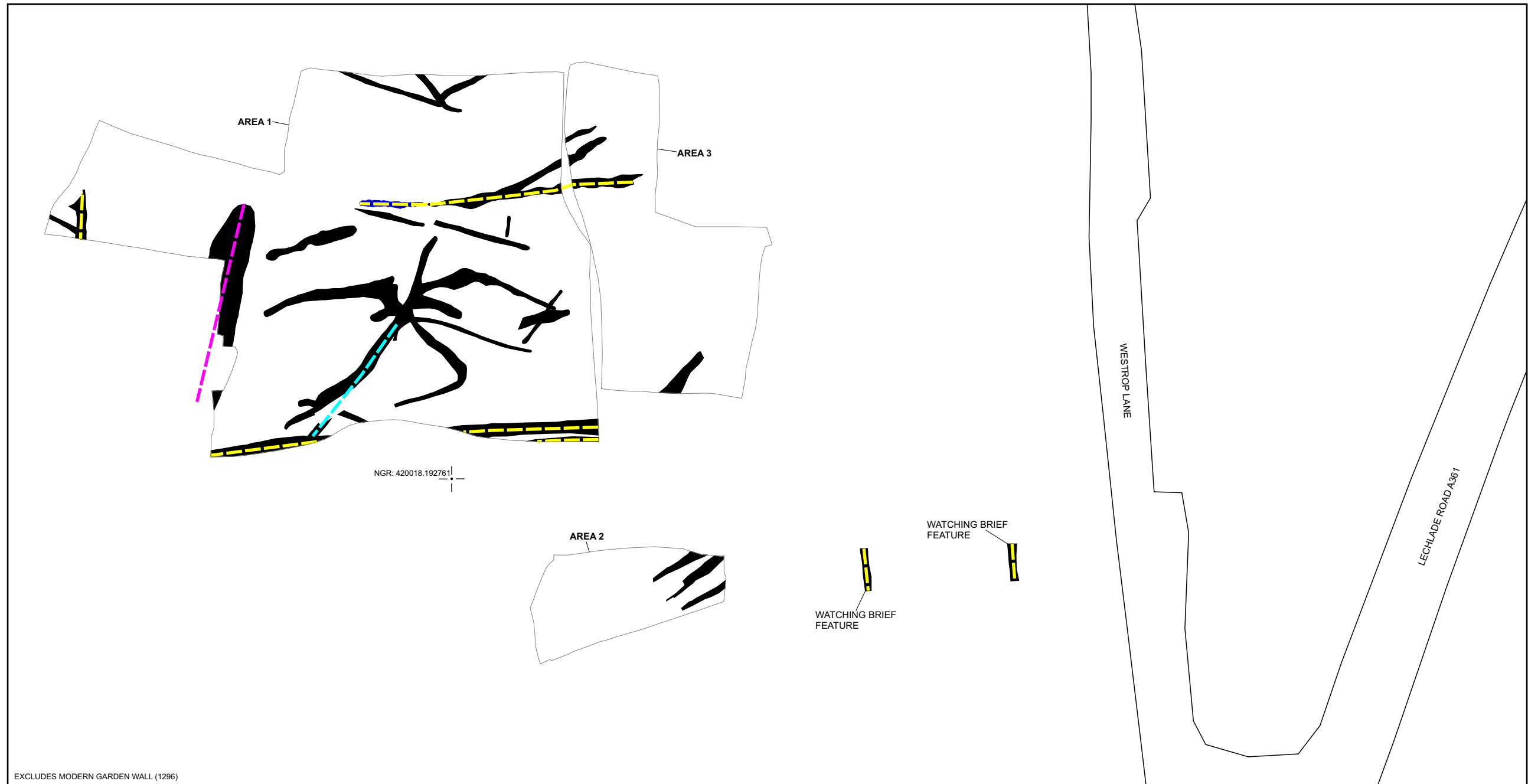


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FIGURE 12: Posthole Distribution Plan



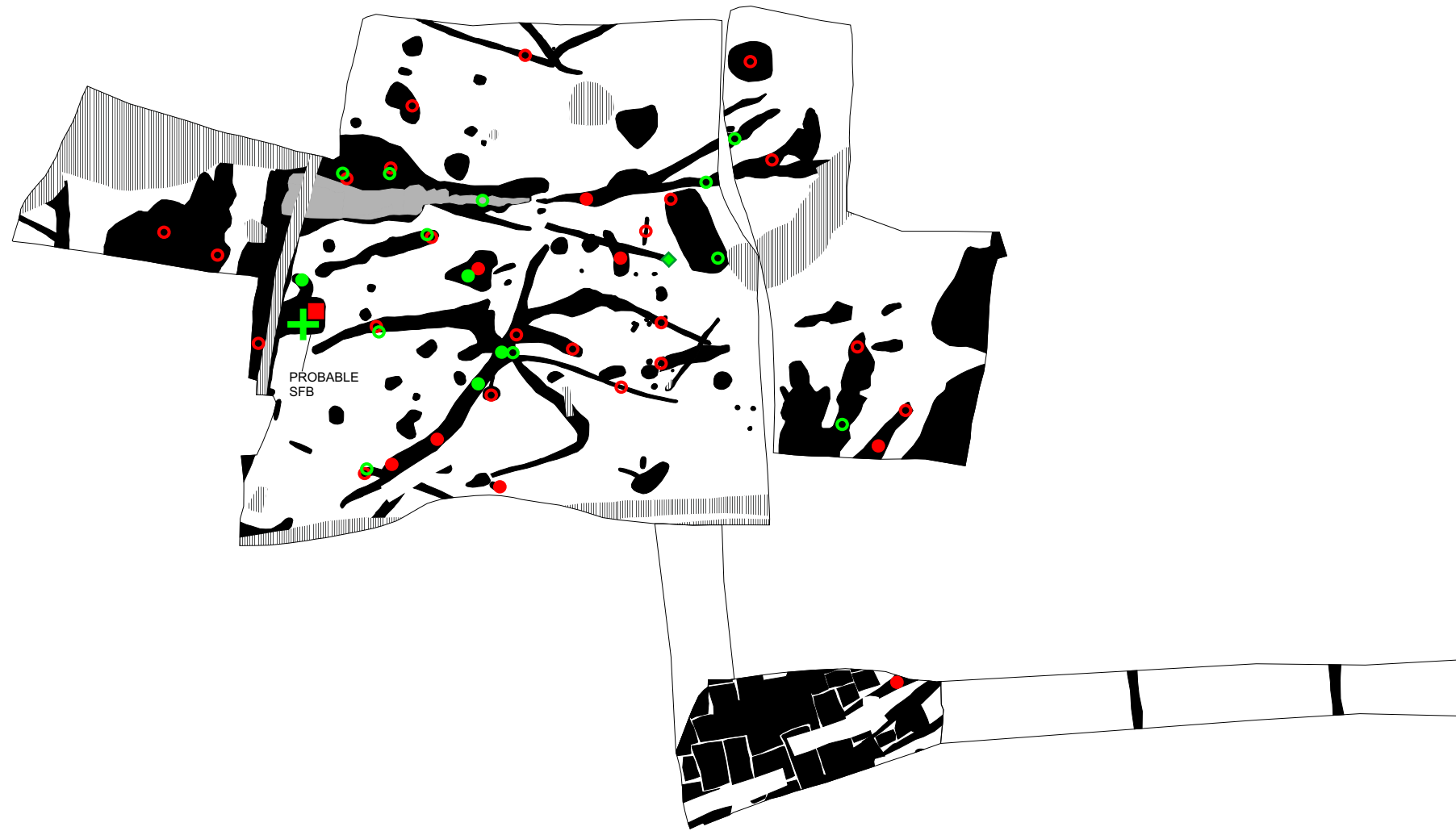
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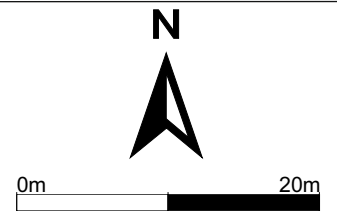
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- █ = LINEAR FEATURE
- █ = WALL
- █ = PROBABLE EARLY BOUNDARY DITCH [1141]/[1201]; EARLY MEDIEVAL?
- █ = BOUNDARY WITH EVIDENCE FOR FREQUENT RE-CUTS [1385]etc. MEDIEVAL AND LATER
- █ = FEATURE PROBABLY ALIGNED OFF WESTROP

FIGURE 13: Linear Feature Distribution Plan

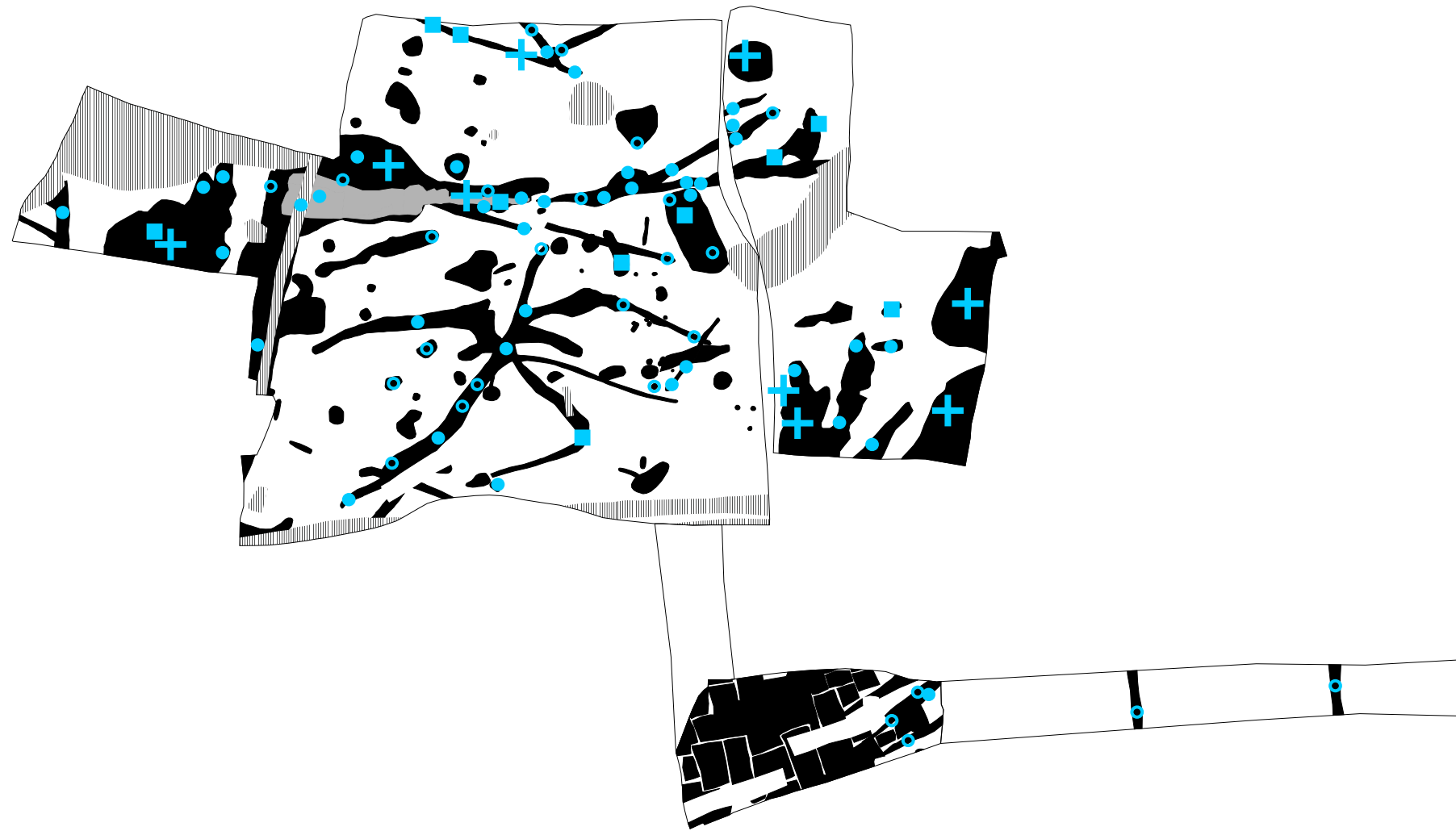


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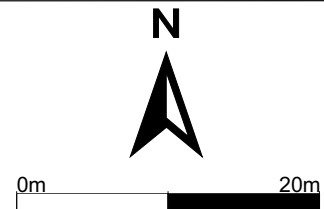


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- = STONE WALL / SPREAD
- = MODERN FEATURE
- = ROMAN POTTERY X 1 SHERD
- = ROMAN POTTERY X 2 - 4 SHERDS
- = ROMAN POTTERY X 5 - 10 SHERDS
- = EARLY-MID SAXON POTTERY X 1 SHERD
- = EARLY-MID SAXON POTTERY X 2 - 4 SHERDS
- = EARLY-MID SAXON POTTERY X > 10 SHERDS

FIGURE 14: Roman and Early-Mid Saxon Ceramics Distribution Plan

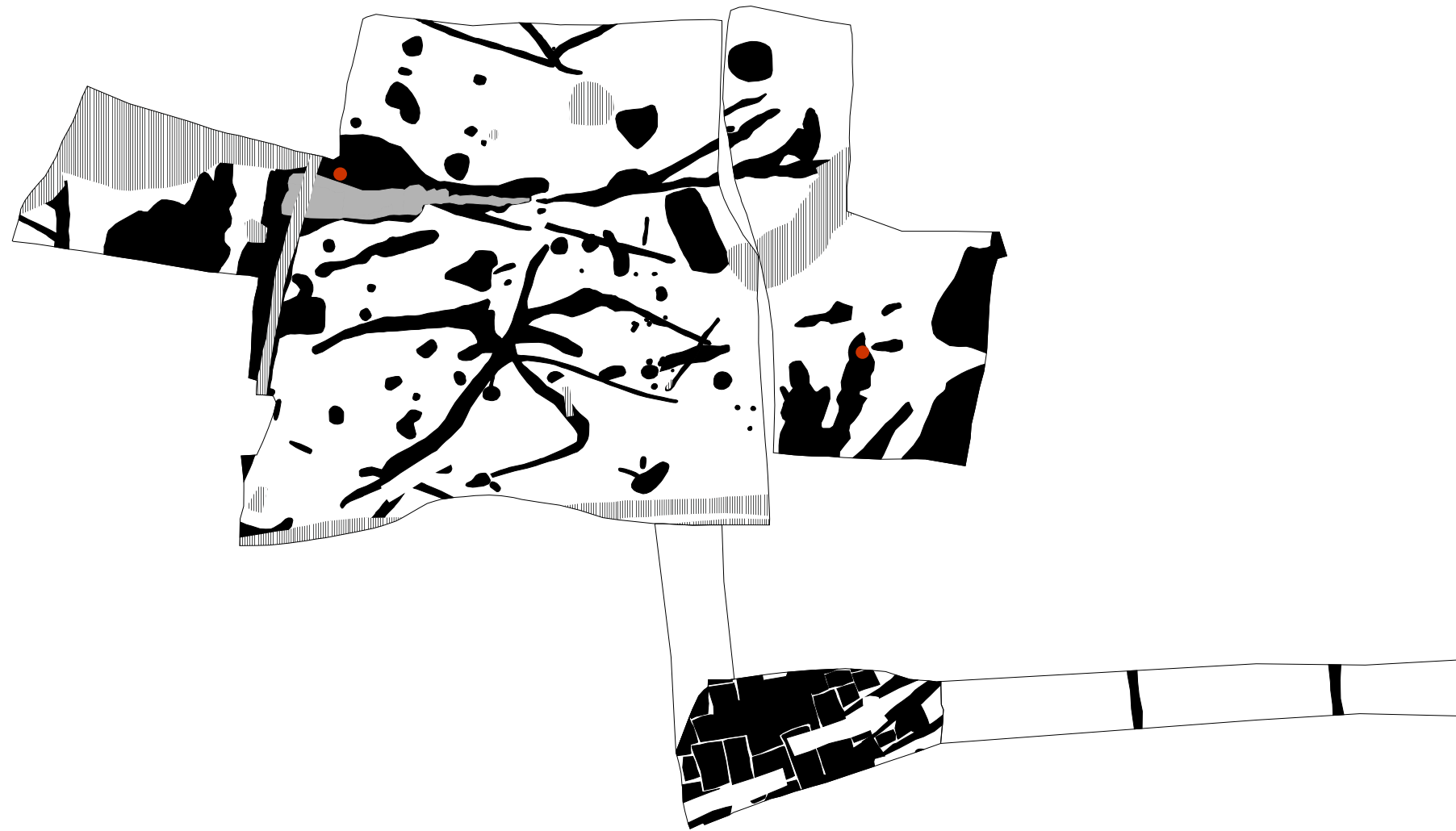


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- = STONE WALL / SPREAD
- = MODERN FEATURE
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 1 SHERD
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 2 - 4 SHERDS
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 5 - 10 SHERDS
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X ≥ 10 SHERDS

FIGURE 15: Early Medieval (11th to 13th Century) Ceramics Distribution Plan



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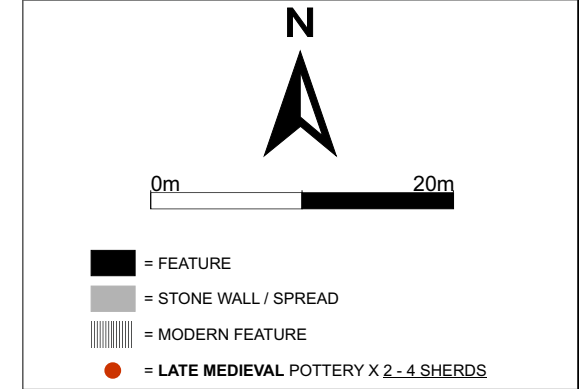
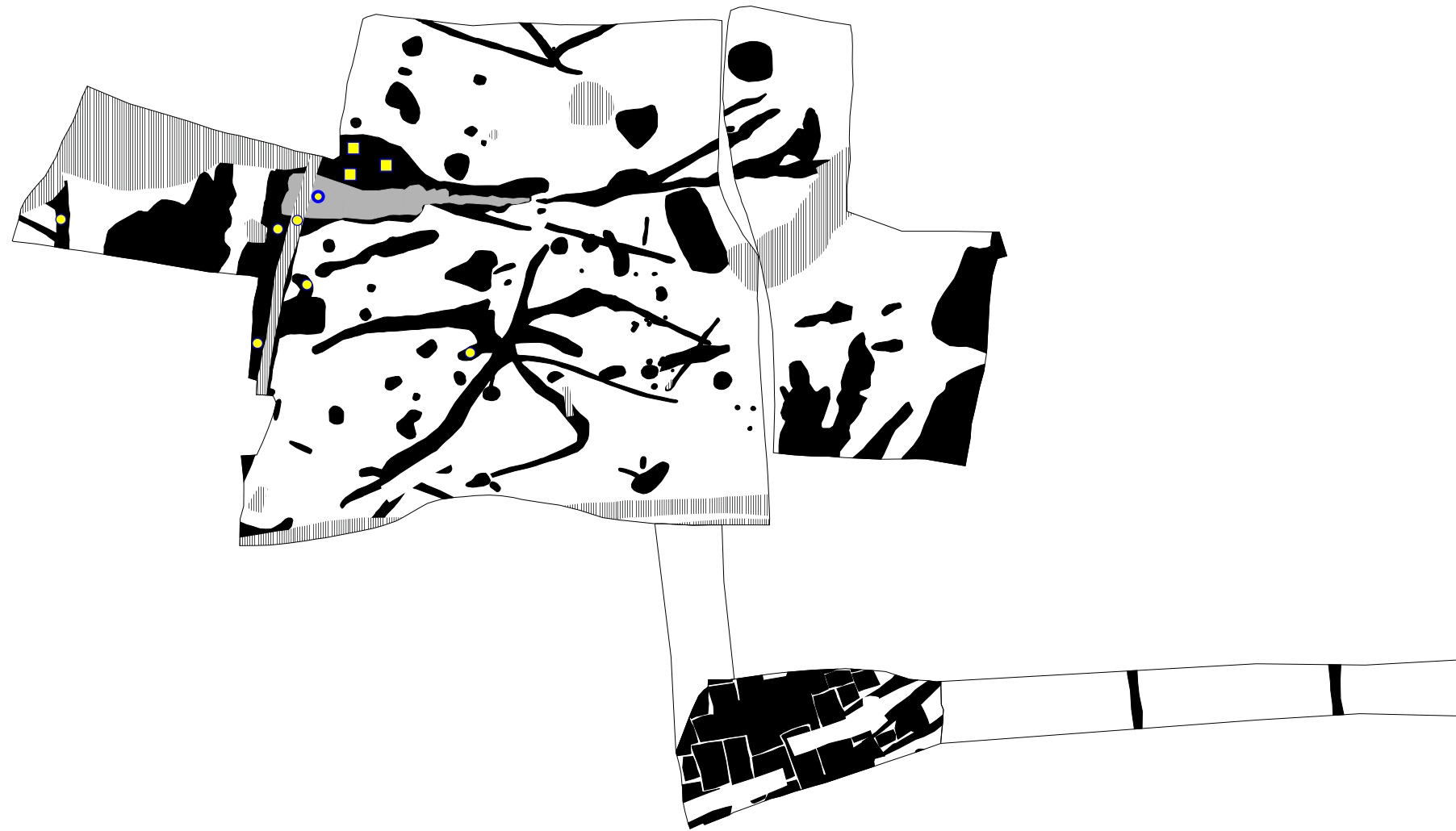
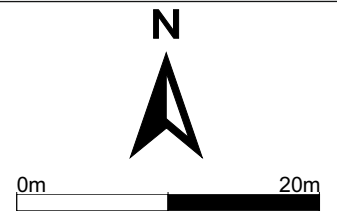


FIGURE 16: Late Medieval (14th to Mid-16th Century) Ceramics Distribution Plan

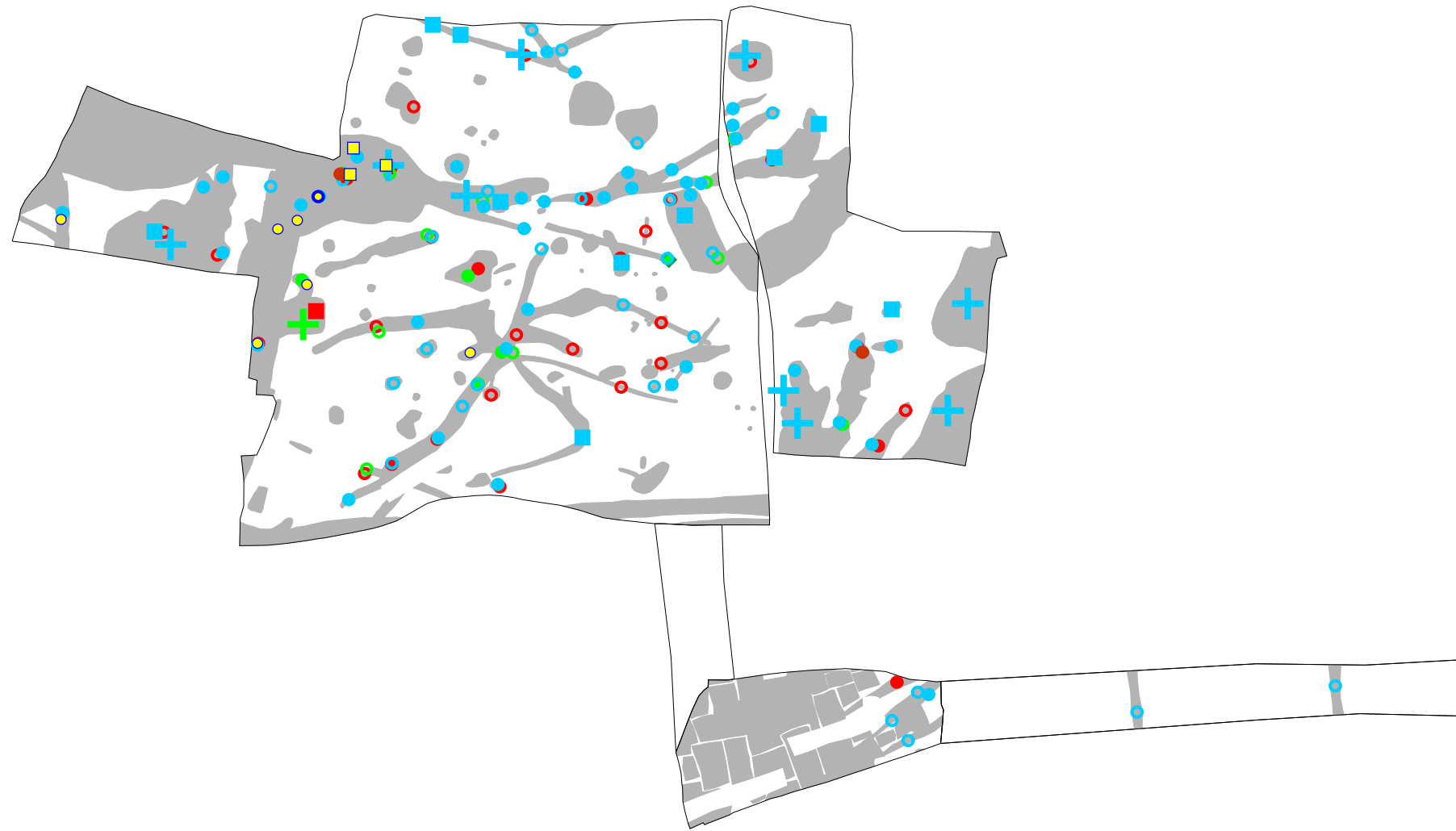


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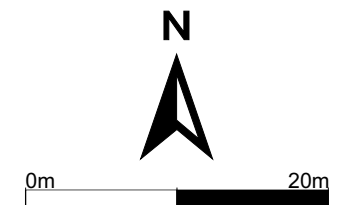


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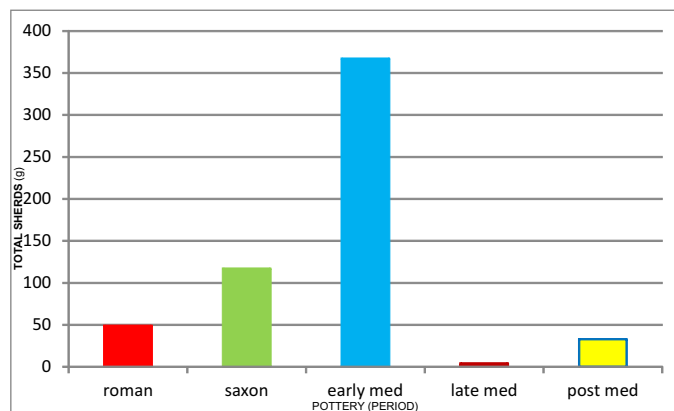
**FIGURE 17: Post-medieval
 Ceramics Distribution
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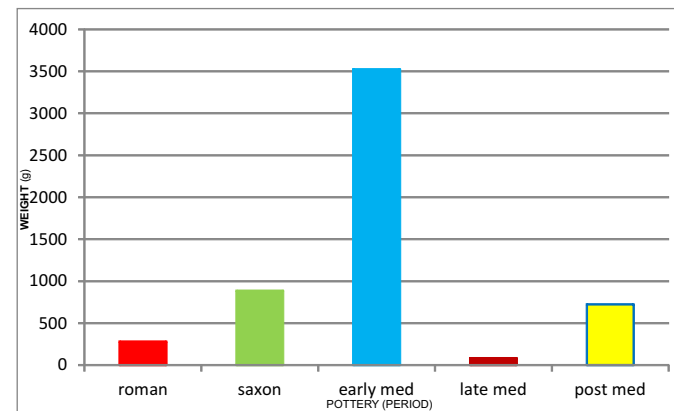
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- = ROMAN POTTERY X 2 - 4_SHERDS
- = ROMAN POTTERY X 5 - 10_SHERDS
- = EARLY-MID SAXON LOOMWEIGHT FRAGMENT
- = EARLY-MID SAXON POTTERY X 1_SHERD
- = EARLY-MID SAXON POTTERY X 2 - 4_SHERDS
- = EARLY-MID SAXON POTTERY X > 10_SHERDS
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 1_SHERD
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 2 - 4_SHERDS
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 5 - 10_SHERDS
- = EARLY MEDIEVAL POTTERY X > 10_SHERDS
- = LATE MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 2 - 4_SHERDS
- = POST-MEDIEVAL POTTERY X 1_SHERD
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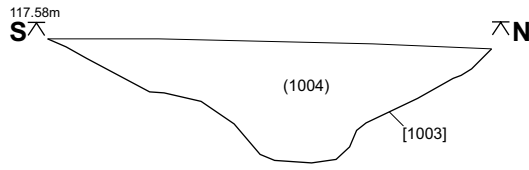
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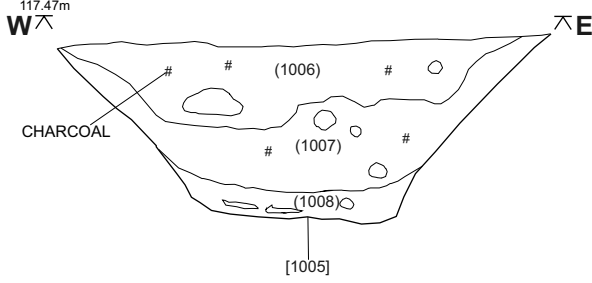
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FIGURE 18: Combined Ceramics Distribution Plan

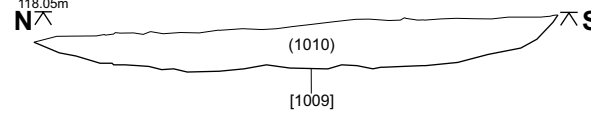
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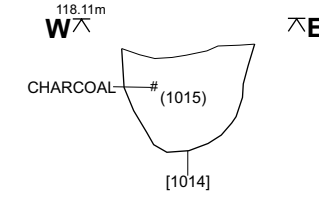
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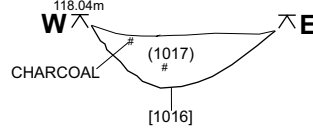
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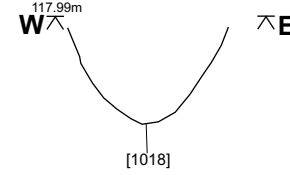
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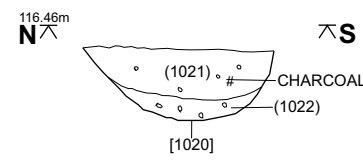
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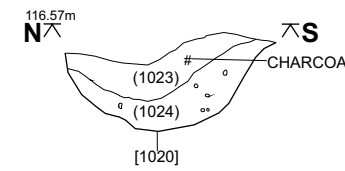
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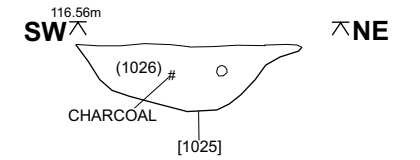
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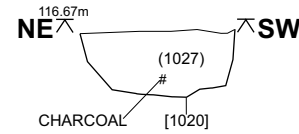
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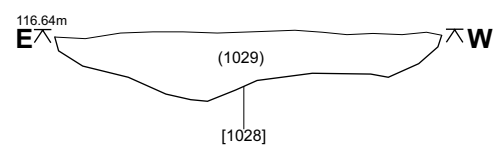
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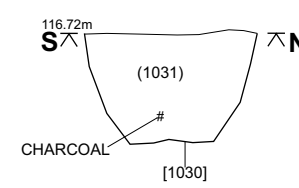
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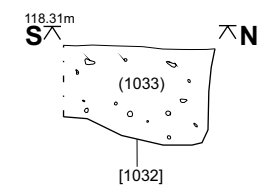
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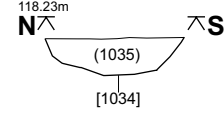
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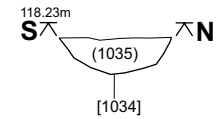
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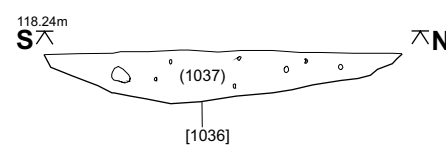
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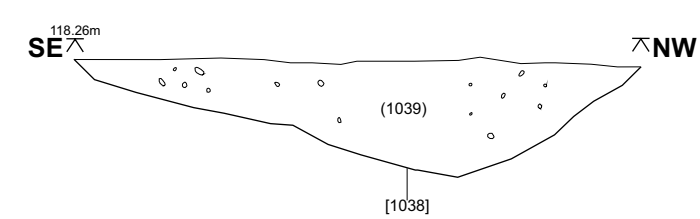
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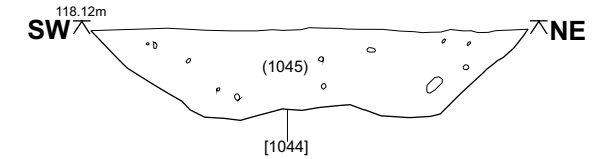
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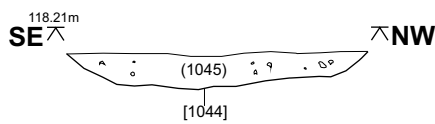
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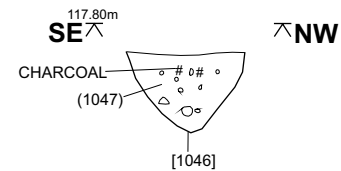
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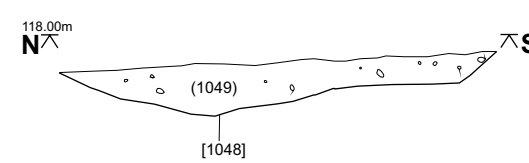
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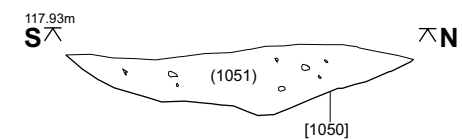
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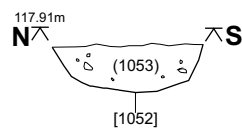
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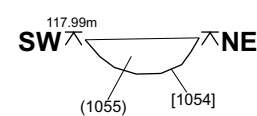
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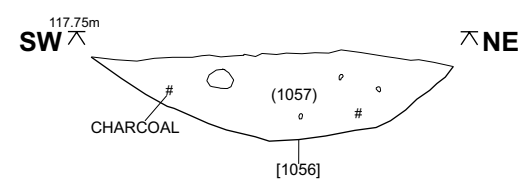
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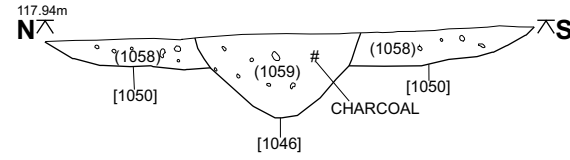


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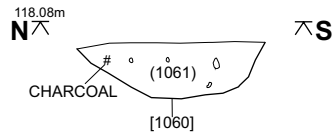


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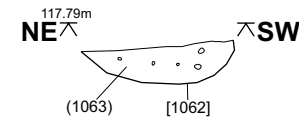
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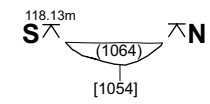
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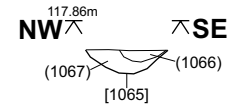
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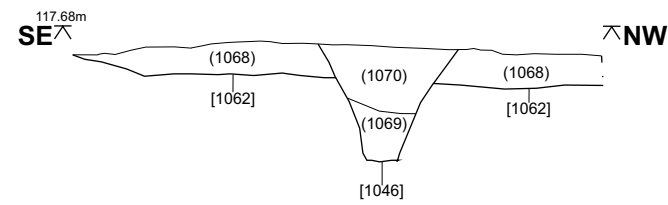
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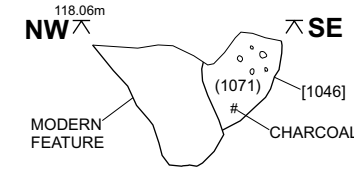
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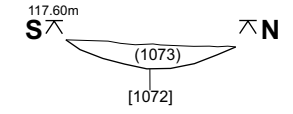
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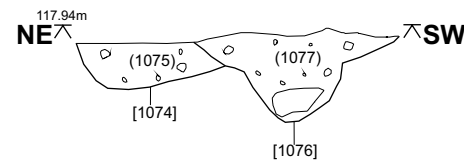
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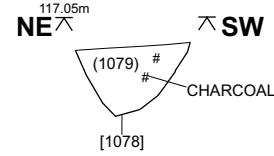
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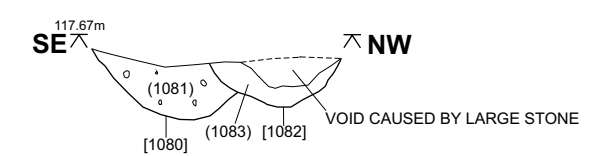
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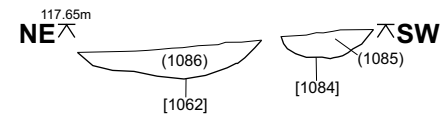
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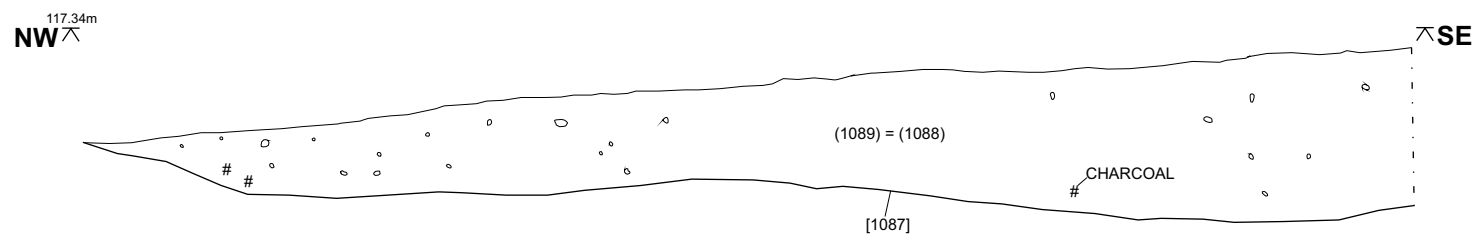
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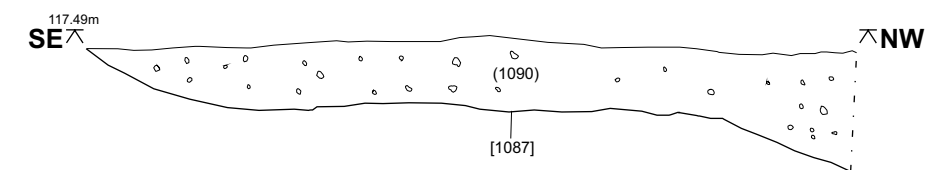
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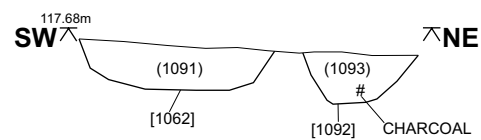
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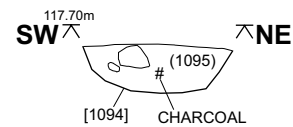
SEC 041: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1087]



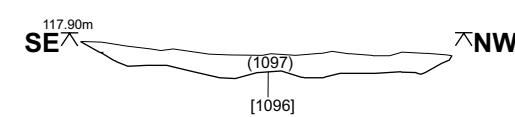
SEC 042: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1062] and [1092]



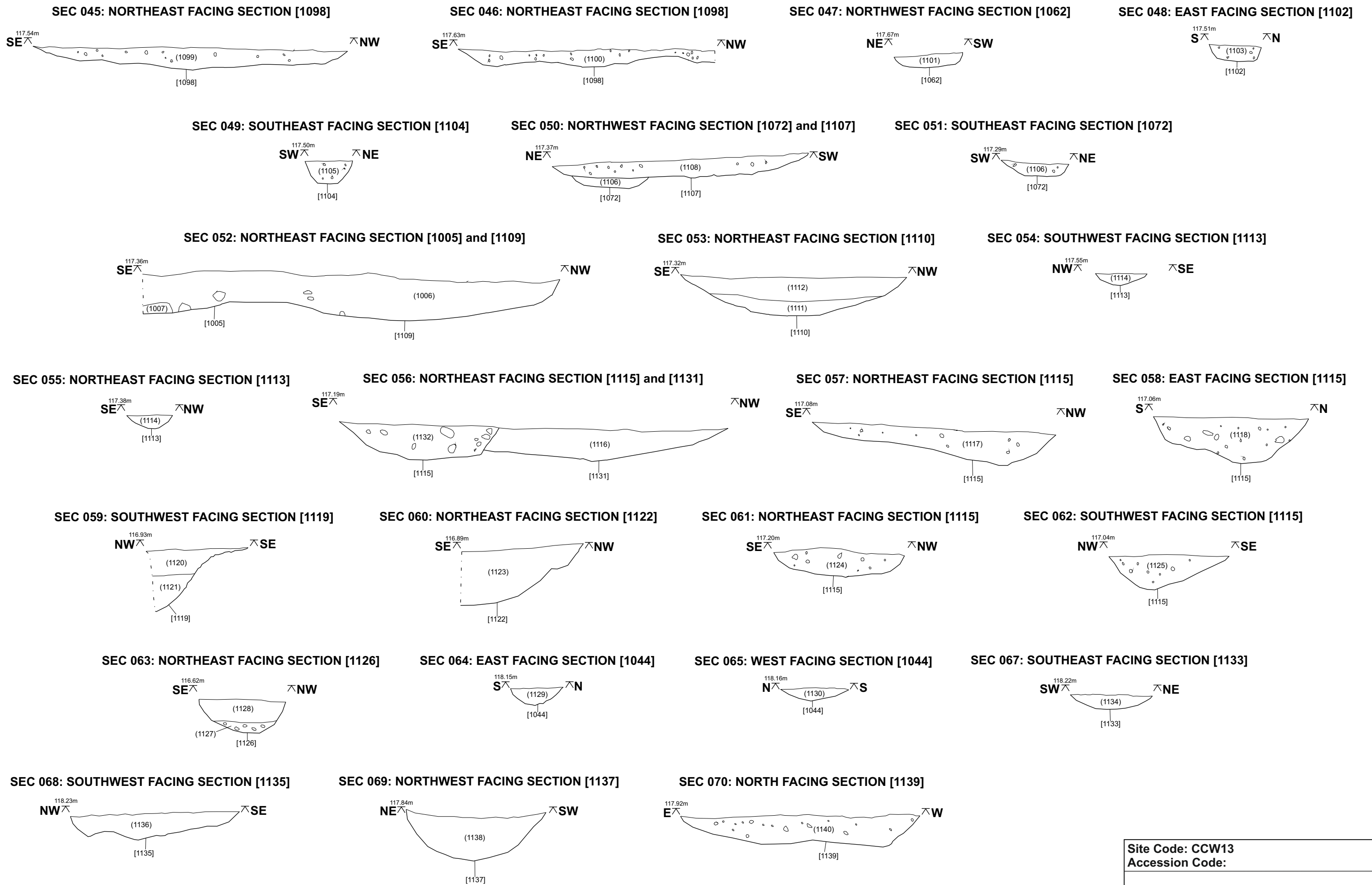
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SEC 044: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1096]

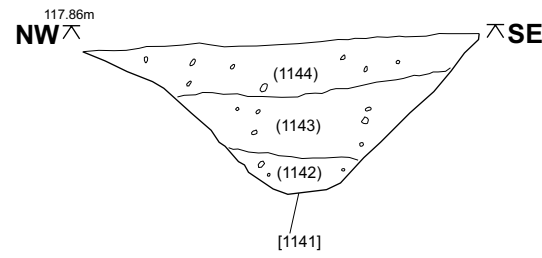


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FIGURE 20: Sections 027 to 044

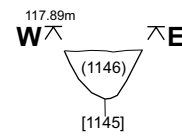


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FIGURE 21: Sections 045 to 070

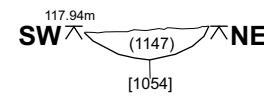
SEC 071: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1141]



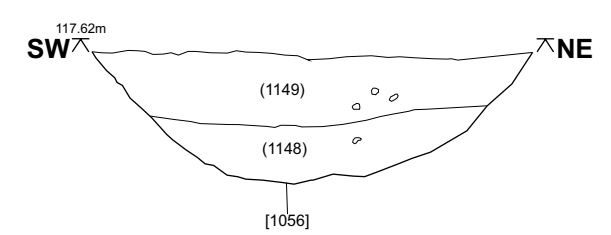
SEC 072: SOUTH FACING SECTION [1145]



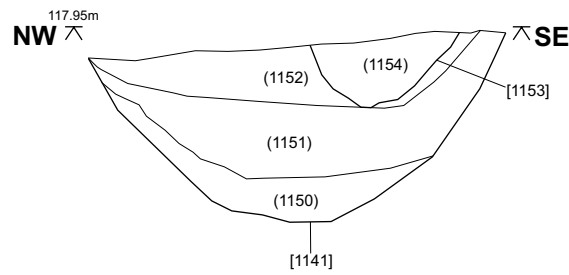
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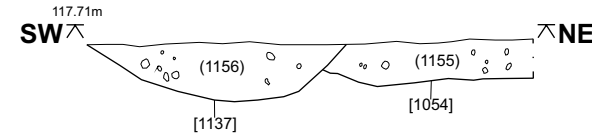
SEC 074: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1056]



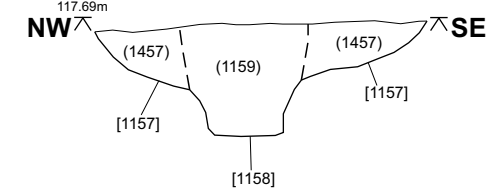
SEC 075: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1141] and [1153]



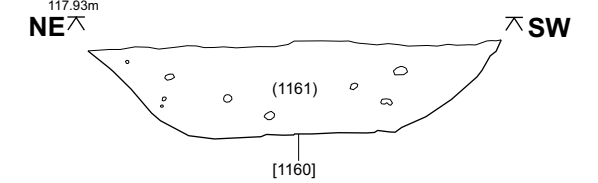
SEC 076: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1054] and [1137]



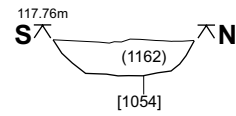
SEC 077: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1157] and [1158]



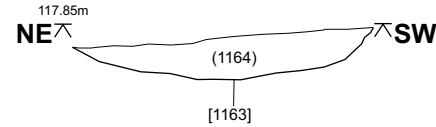
SEC 078: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1160]



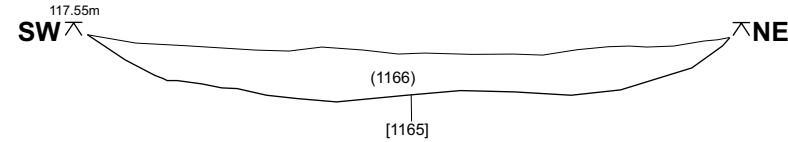
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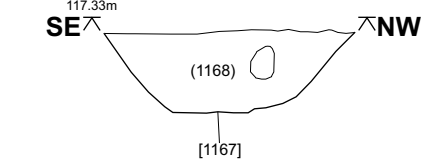
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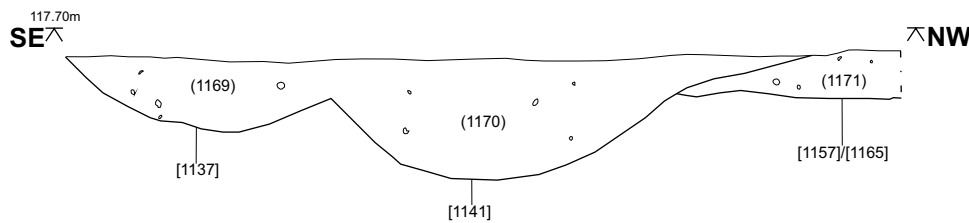
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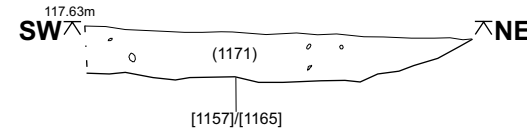
SEC 082: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1167]



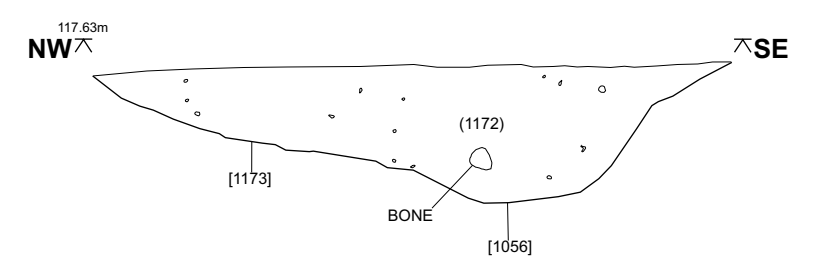
SEC 083: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1137], [1141] and [1157]/[1165]



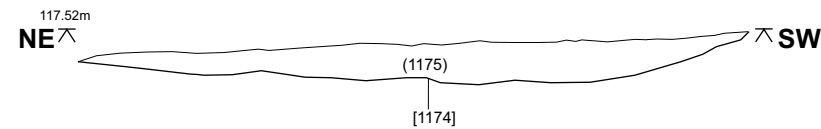
SEC 084: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1157]/[1165]



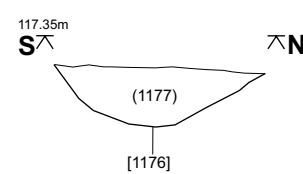
SEC 085: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1056] and [1173]



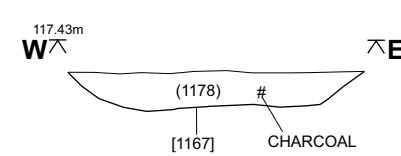
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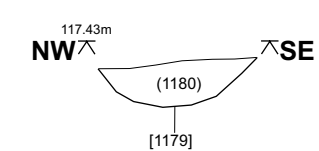
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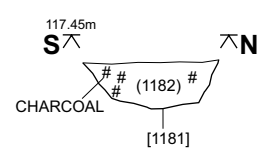
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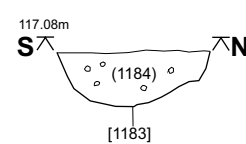
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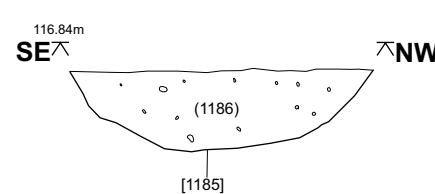
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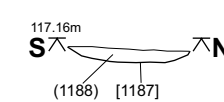
SEC 091: EAST FACING SECTION [1183]



SEC 092: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1185]

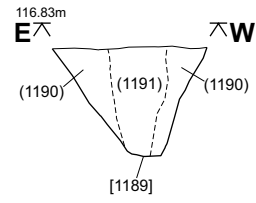


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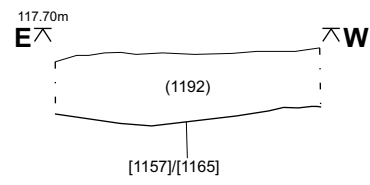


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FIGURE 22: Sections 071 to 093

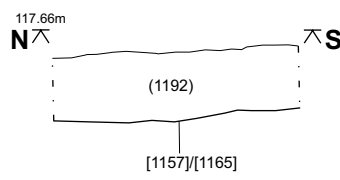
SEC 094: NORTH FACING SECTION [1189]



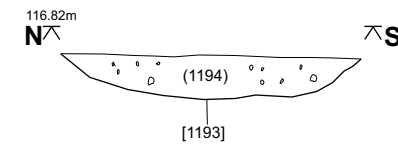
SEC 095: NORTH FACING SECTION [1157]/[1165]



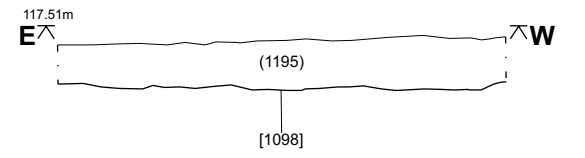
SEC 096: WEST FACING SECTION [1157]/[1165]



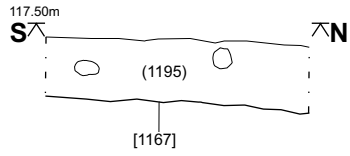
SEC 097: WEST FACING SECTION [1193]



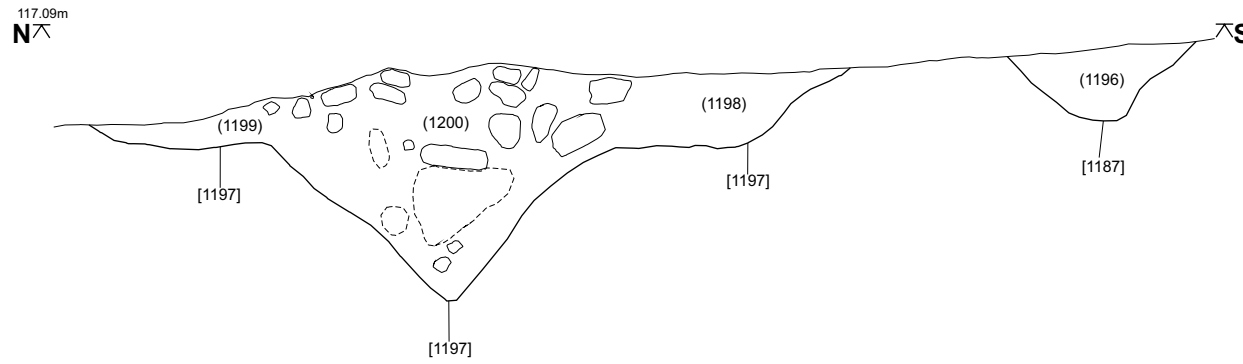
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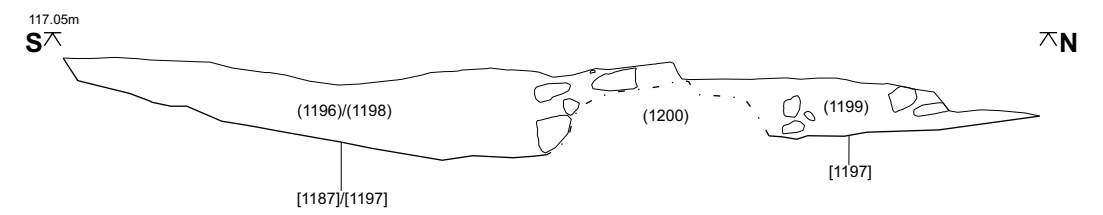
SEC 099: EAST FACING SECTION [1167]



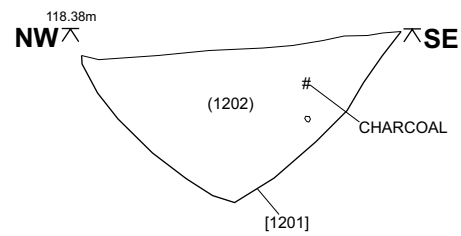
SEC 100: WEST FACING SECTION [1187] and [1197]



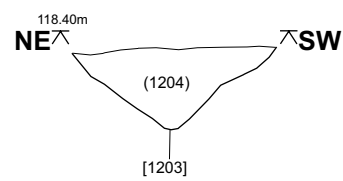
SEC 101: EAST FACING SECTION [1187]/[1197]



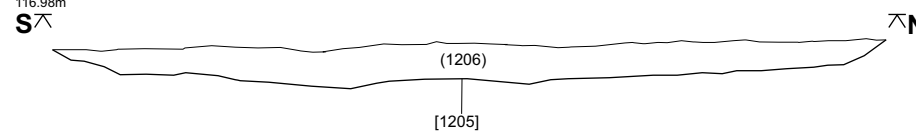
SEC 102: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1201]



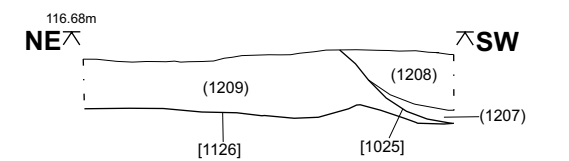
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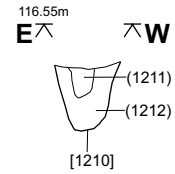
SEC 104: EAST FACING SECTION [1205]



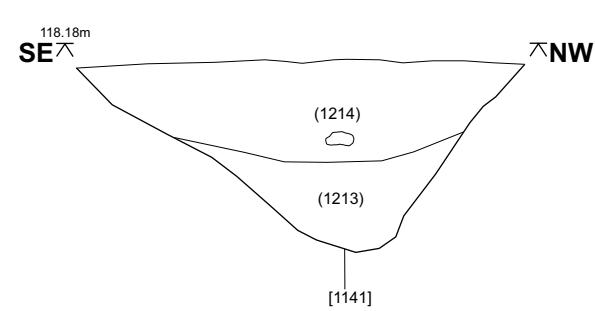
SEC 105: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1025] and [1126]



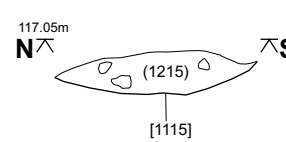
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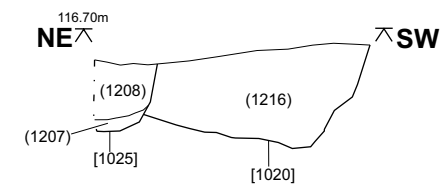
SEC 107: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1141]



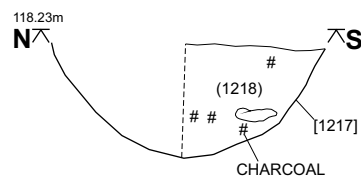
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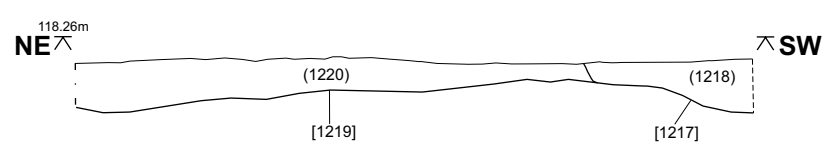
SEC 109: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1020] and [1025]



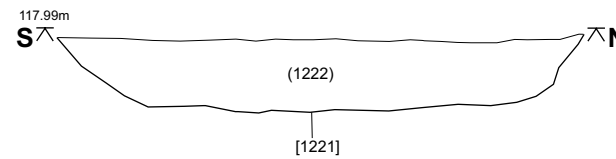
SEC 110: WEST FACING SECTION [1217]



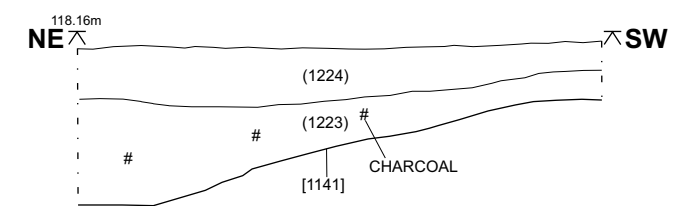
SEC 111: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1217] and [1219]



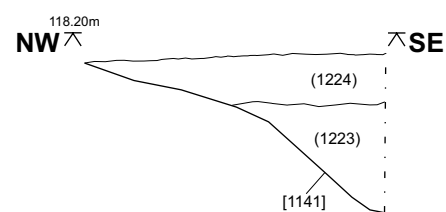
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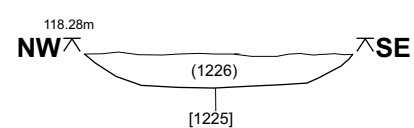
SEC 113: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1141]



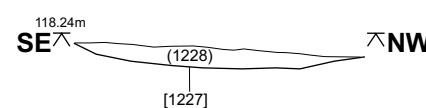
SEC 114: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1141]



SEC 115: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1225]

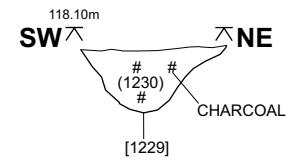


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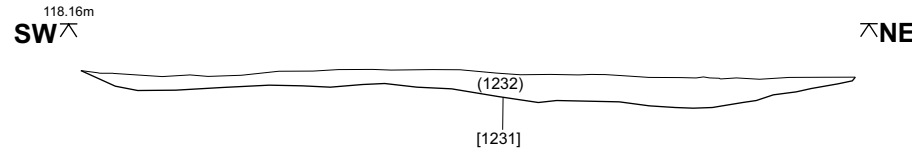


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FIGURE 23: Sections 094 to 116

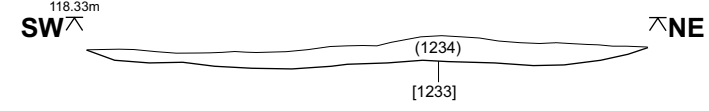
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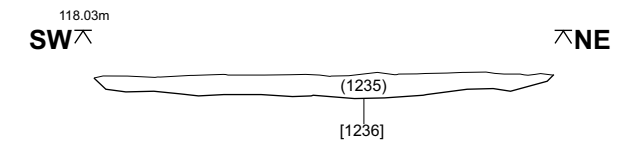
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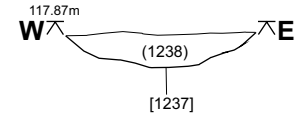
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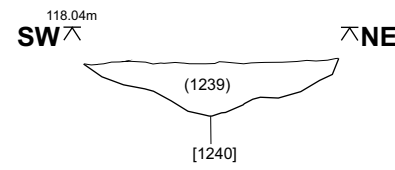
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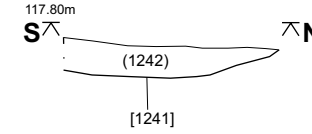
SEC 121: SOUTH FACING SECTION [1237]



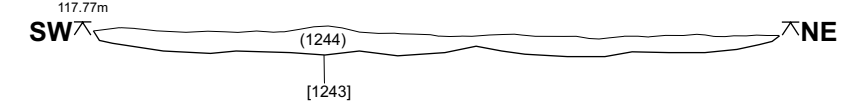
SEC 122: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1240]



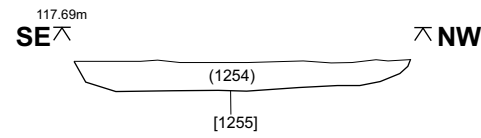
SEC 123: EAST FACING SECTION [1241]



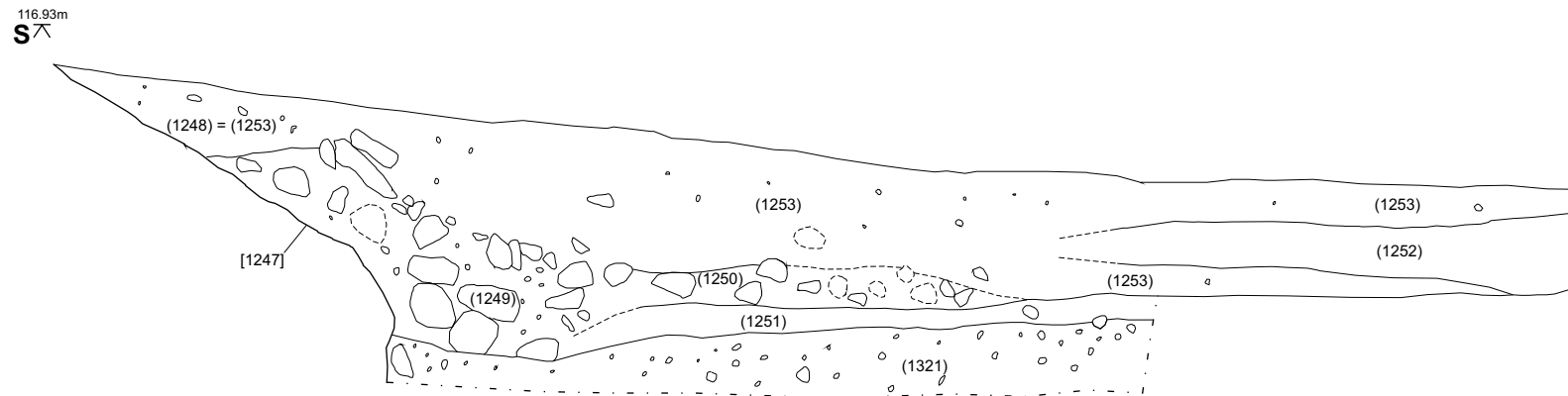
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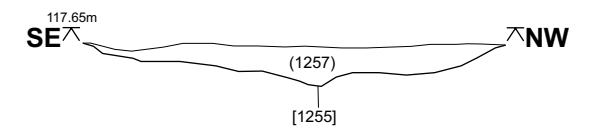
SEC 125: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1255]



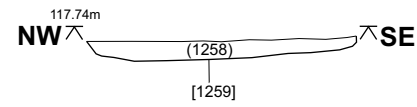
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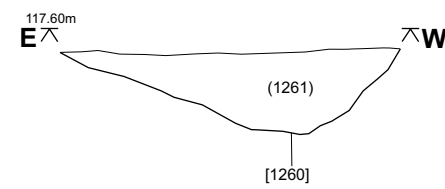
SEC 127: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1255]



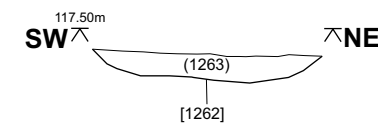
SEC 128: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1259]



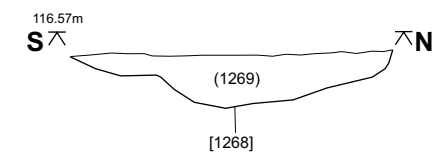
SEC 129: NORTH FACING SECTION [1260]



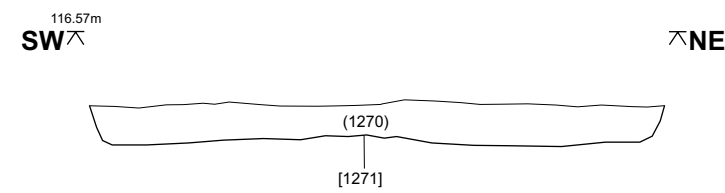
SEC 130: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1262]



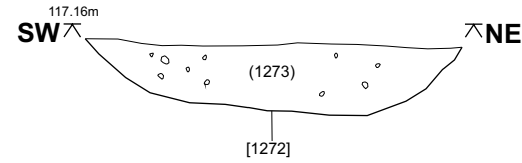
SEC 131: EAST FACING SECTION [1268]



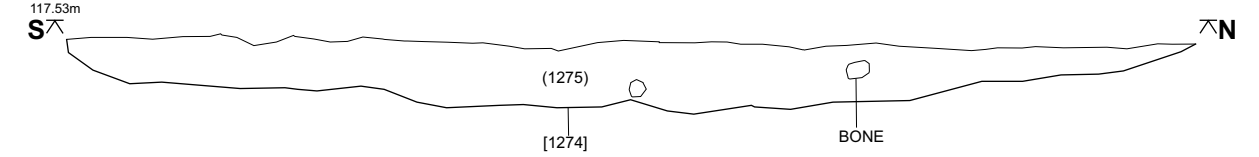
SEC 132: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1271]



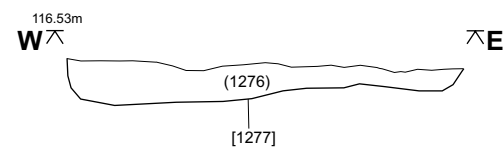
SEC 133: SOUTHEAST FACING SECTION [1272]



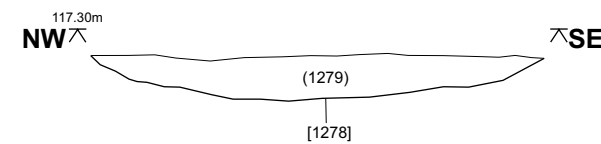
SEC 134: EAST FACING SECTION [1274]



SEC 135: SOUTH FACING SECTION [1277]



SEC 136: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1278]



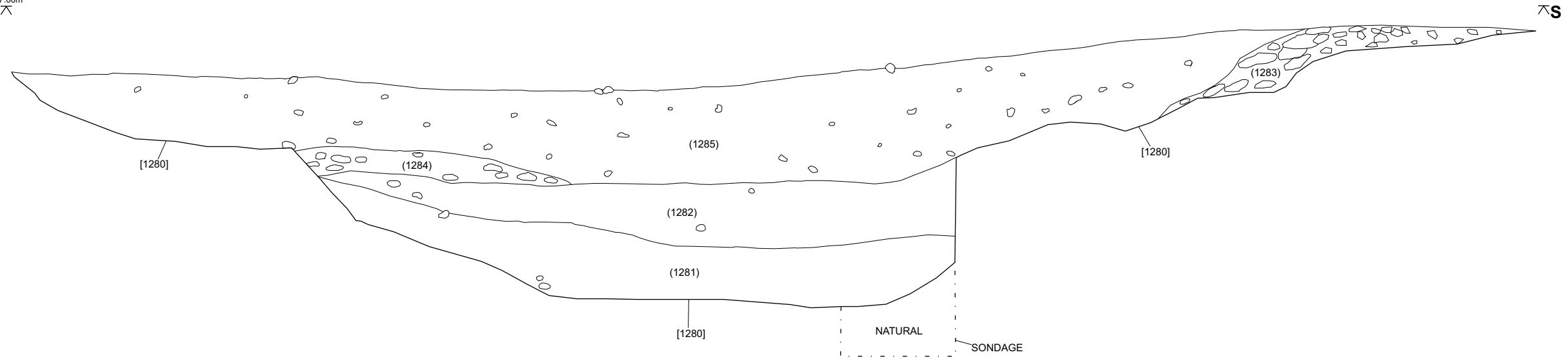
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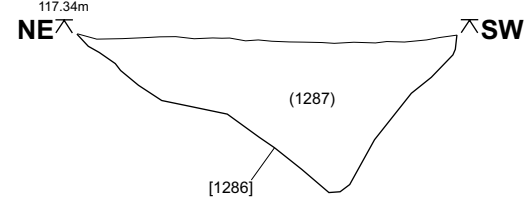
SEC 137: WEST FACING SECTION [1280]

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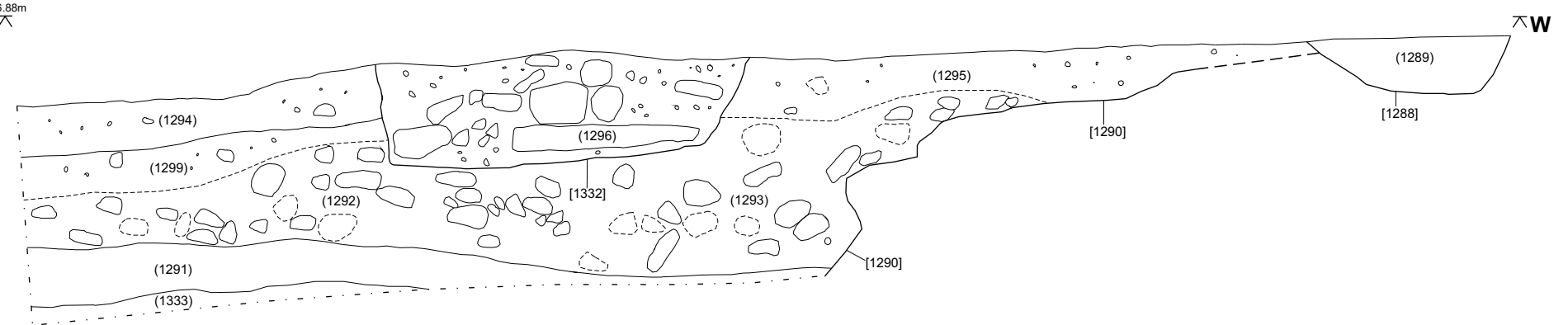
SEC 138: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1286]

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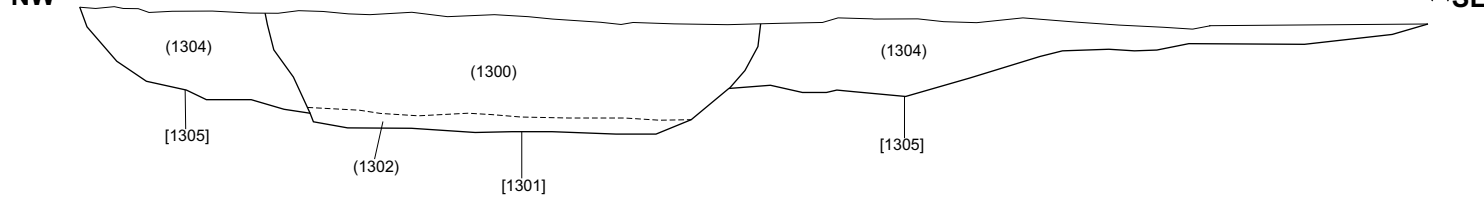
SEC 139: NORTH FACING SECTION [1288], [1290] and [1332]

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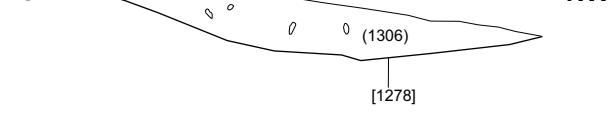
SEC 140: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1301] and [1305]

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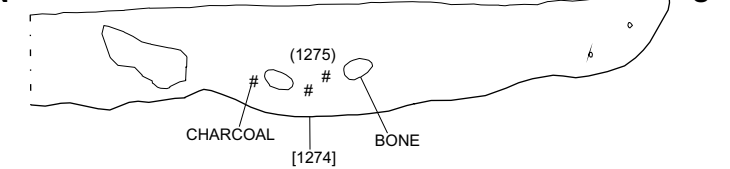
SEC 141: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1278]

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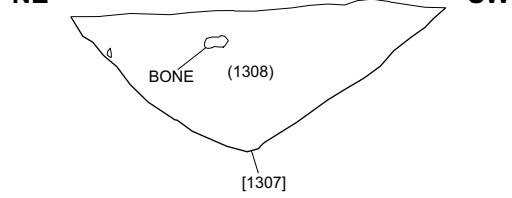
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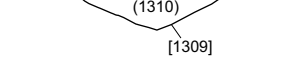
SEC 143: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1307]

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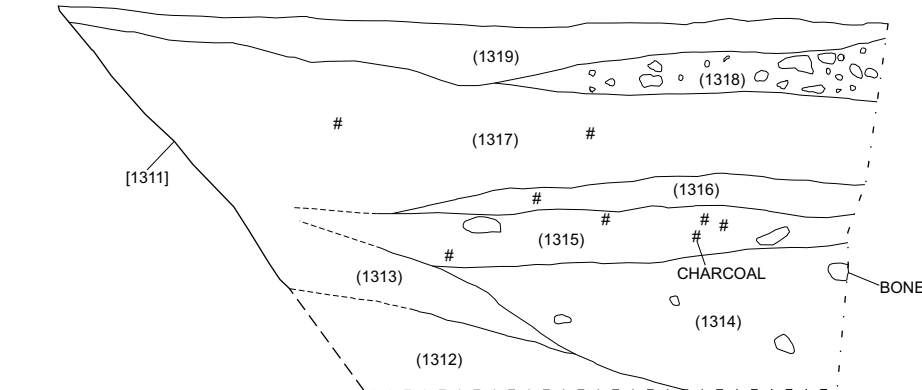
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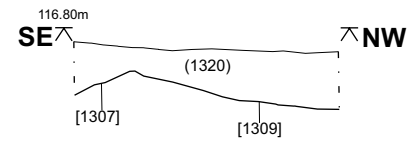


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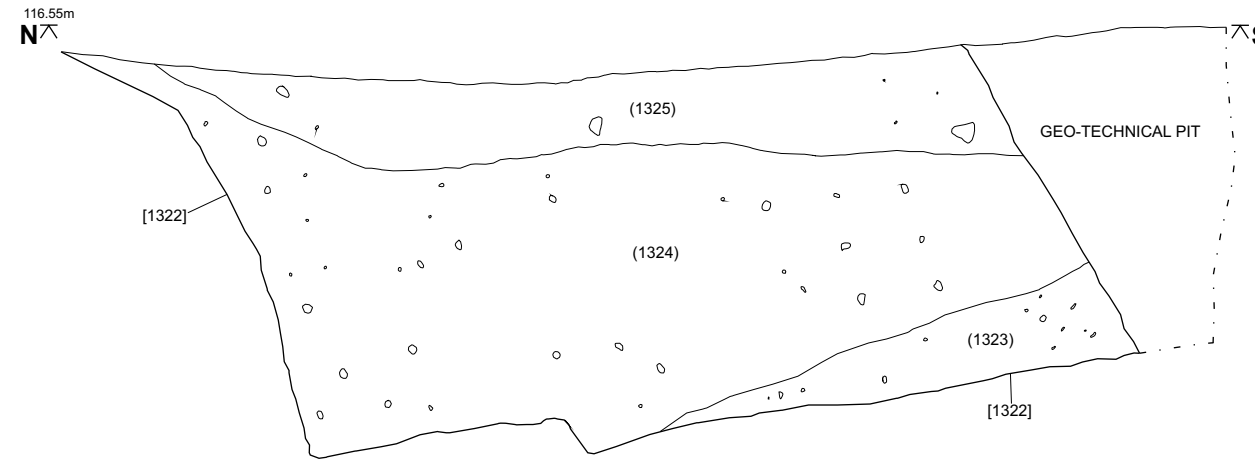


FIGURE 25: Sections 137 to 145

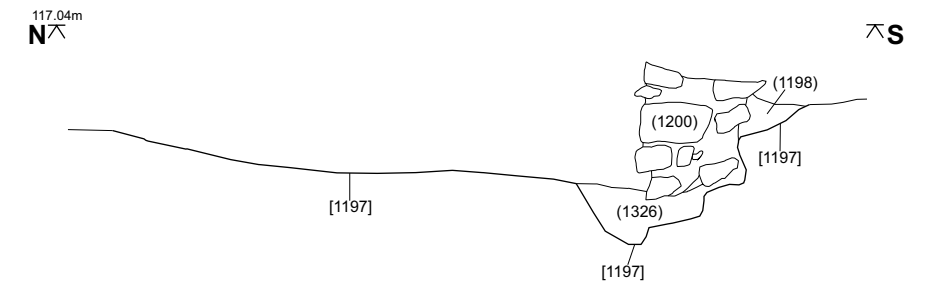
SEC 146: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1307] and [1309]



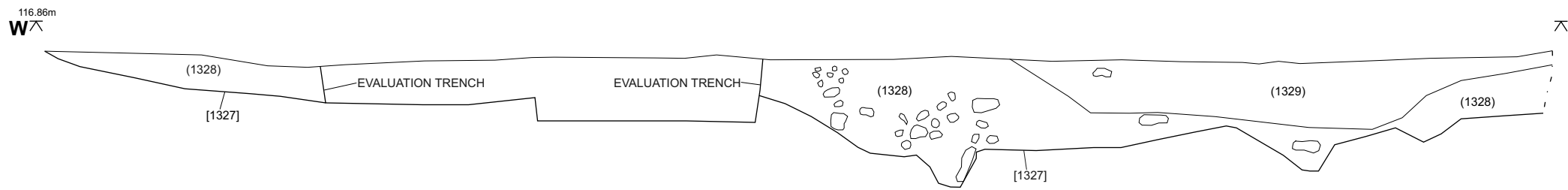
SEC 147: WEST FACING SECTION [1322]



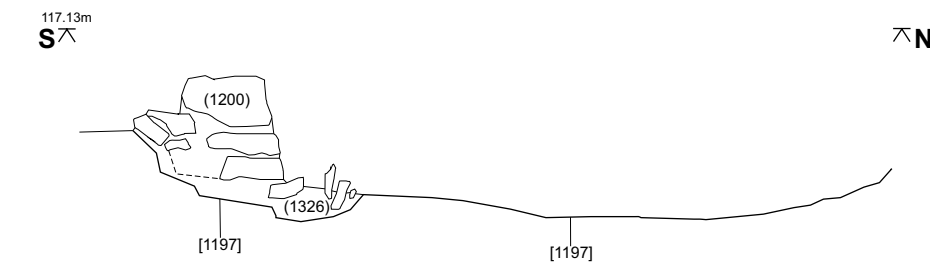
SEC 148: WEST FACING SECTION [1197]



SEC 149: SOUTH FACING SECTION [1327]



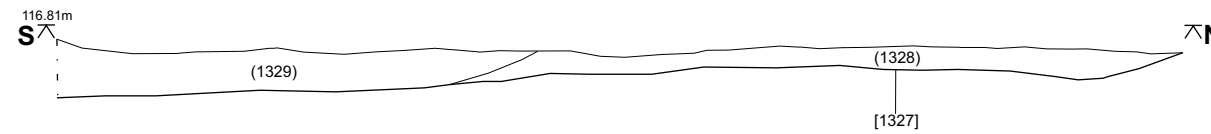
SEC 150: EAST FACING SECTION [1197]



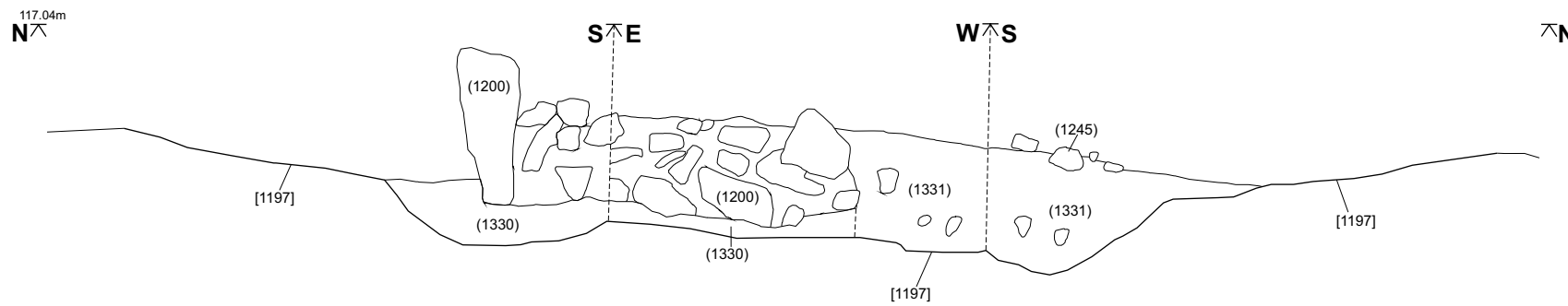
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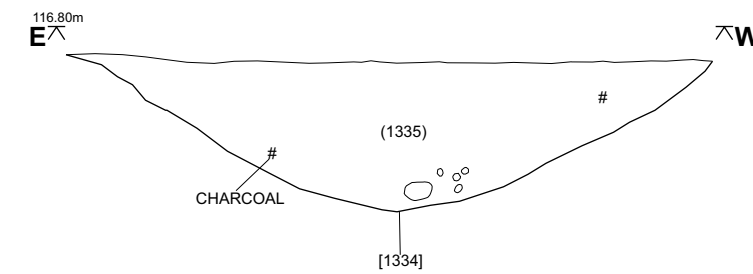
SEC 152: EAST FACING SECTION [1327]



SEC 153: WEST, NORTH and EAST FACING SECTIONS [1197]

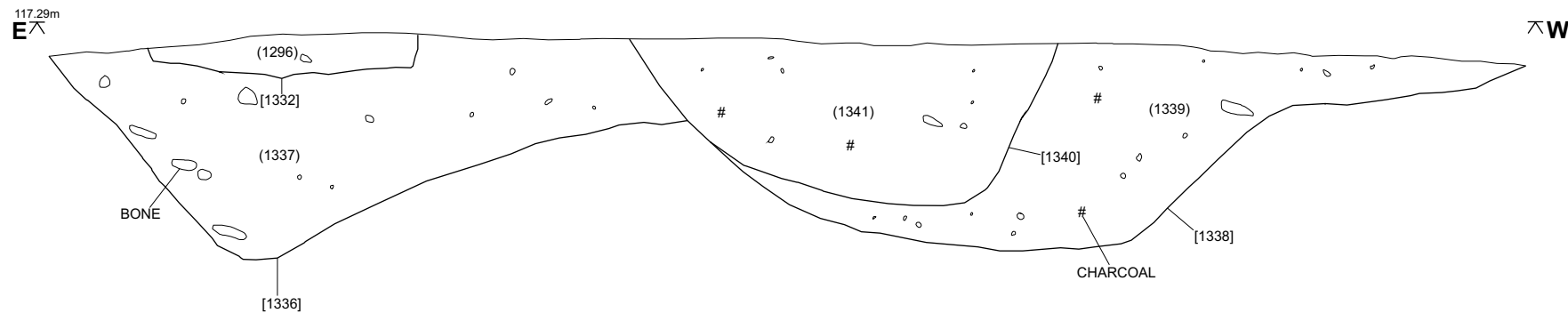


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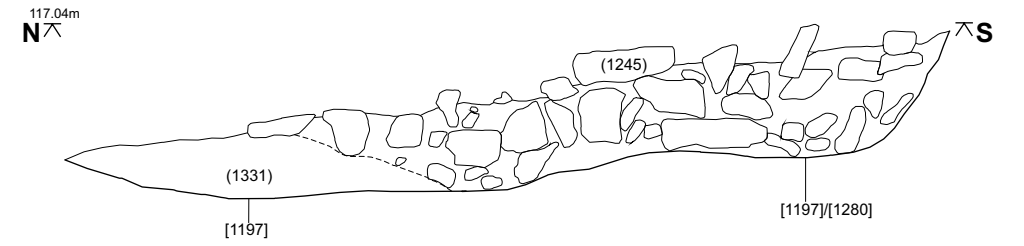


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<p>FIGURE 26: Sections 146 to 154</p>

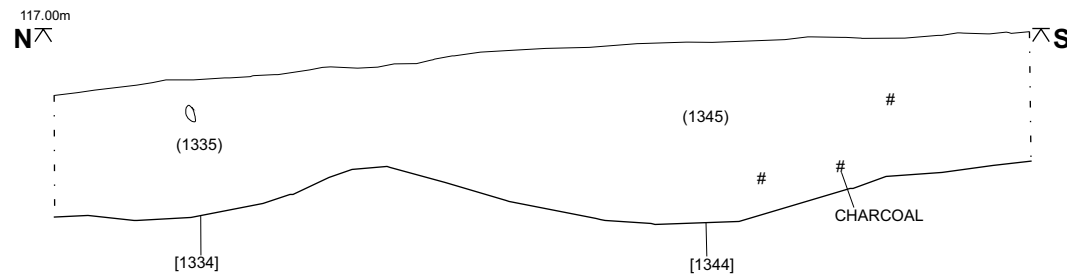
SEC 155: NORTH FACING SECTION [1332], [1336], [1338] and [1340]



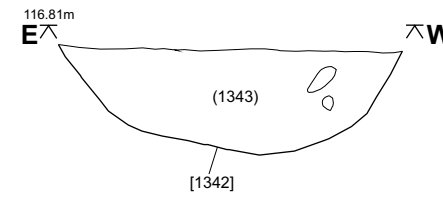
SEC 156: WEST FACING SECTION [1197] and [1280]



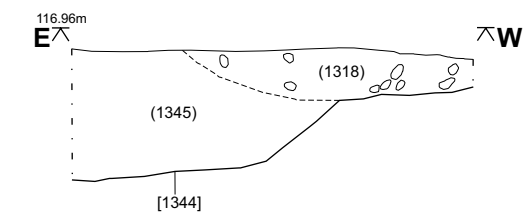
SEC 157: WEST FACING SECTION [1334] and [1344]



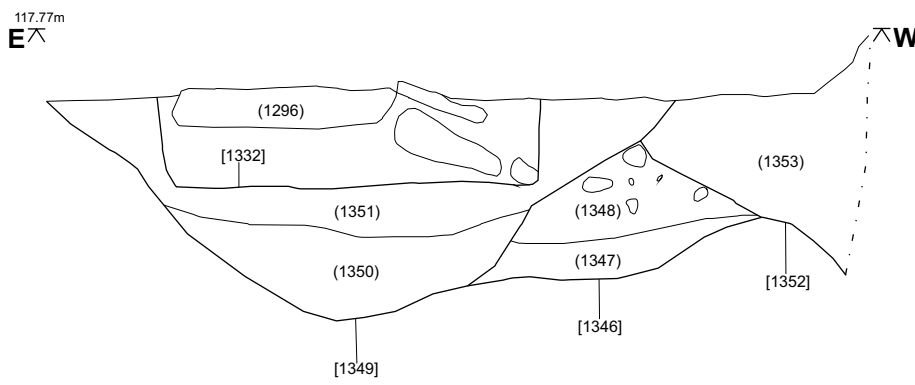
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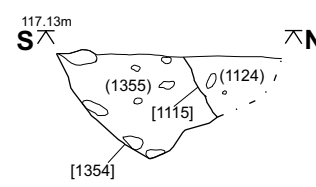
SEC 159: NORTH FACING SECTION [1344]



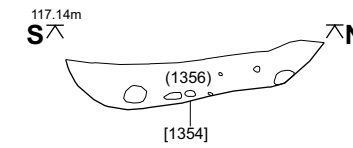
SEC 160: NORTH FACING SECTION [1332], [1346], [1349] and [1352]



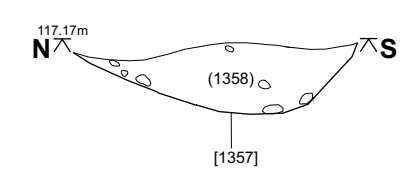
SEC 161: EAST FACING SECTION [1354] and [1115]



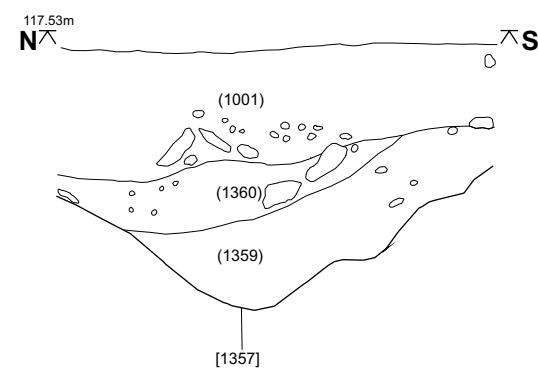
SEC 162: EAST FACING SECTION [1354]



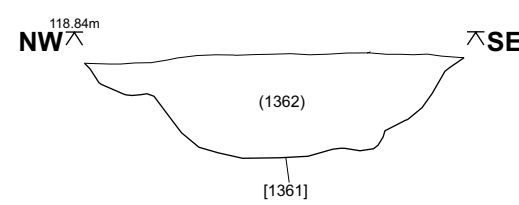
SEC 163: WEST FACING SECTION [1357]



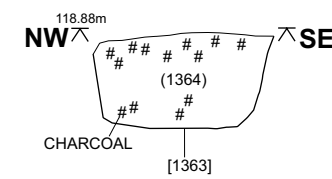
SEC 164: WEST FACING SECTION [1357]



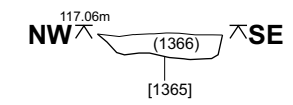
SEC 165: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1361]



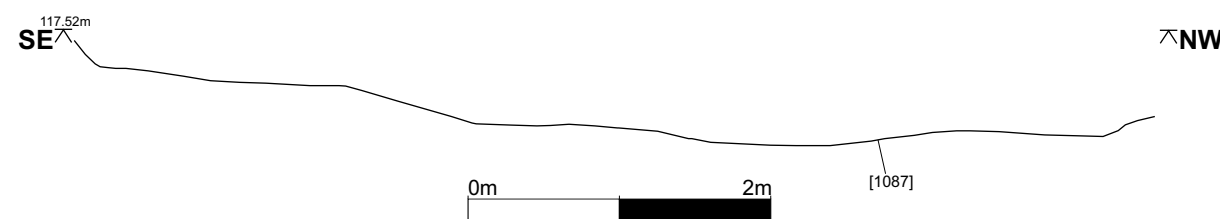
SEC 166: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1363]



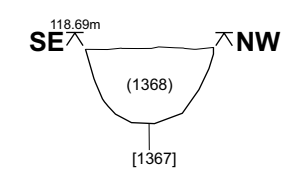
SEC 167: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1365]



SEC 168: PROFILE OF [1087]

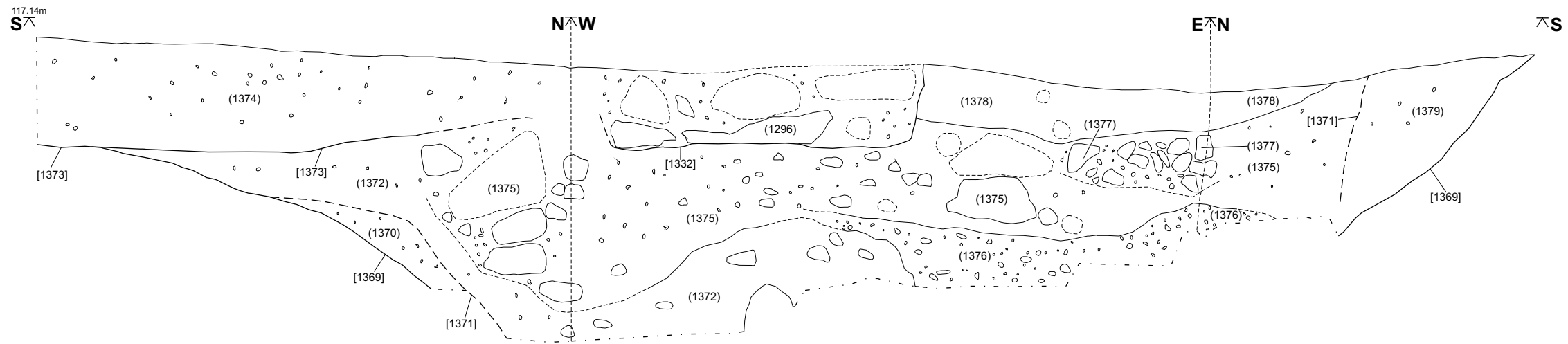


SEC 169: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1367]

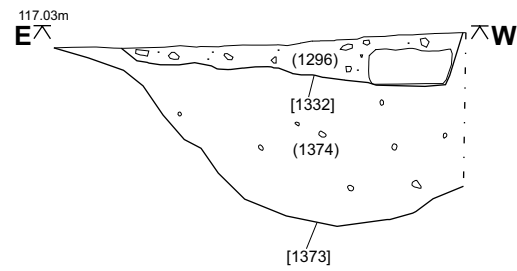


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FIGURE 27: Sections 155 to 169

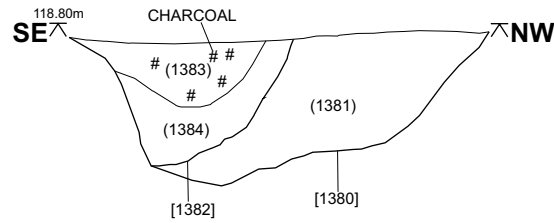
SEC 170, 171 and 172: EAST, SOUTH and WEST FACING SECTIONS [1332], [1369], [1371] and [1373]



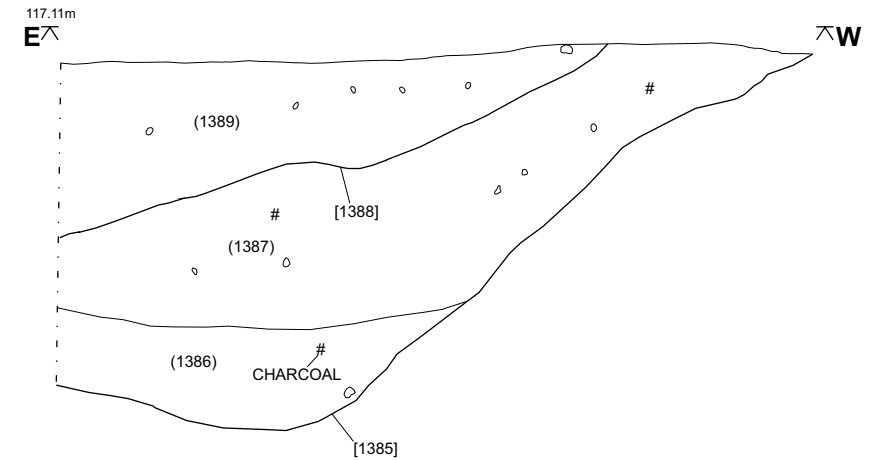
SEC 173: NORTH FACING SECTION [1332] and [1373]



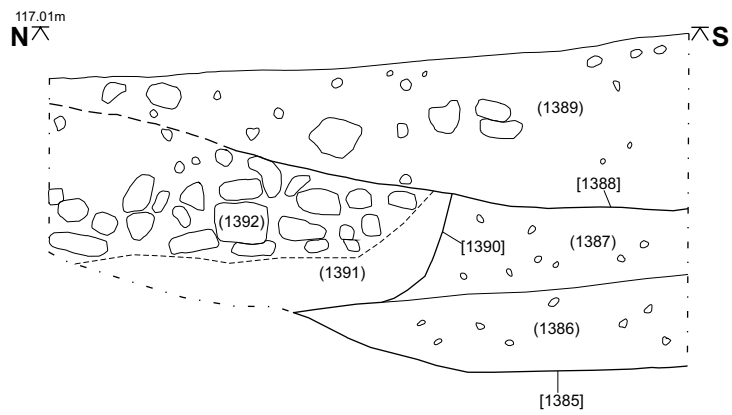
SEC 174: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1380] and [1382]



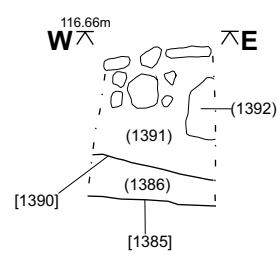
SEC 175: NORTH FACING SECTION [1385] and [1388]



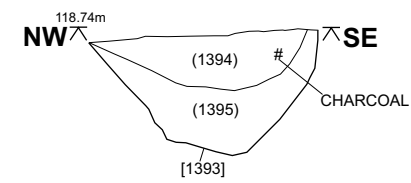
SEC 176: WEST FACING SECTION [1385], [1388] and [1390]



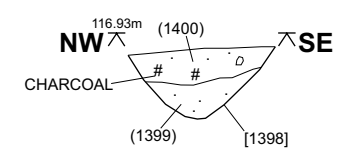
SEC 177: SOUTH FACING SECTION [1385] and [1390]



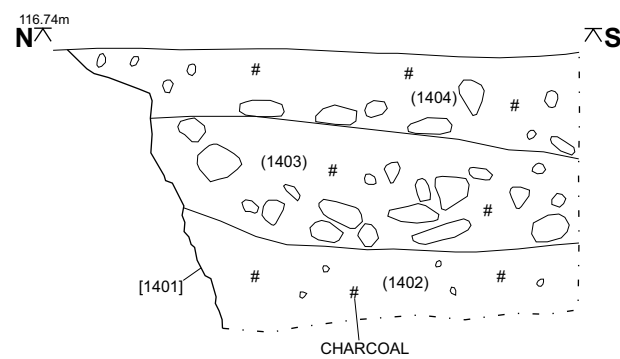
SEC 178: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1393]



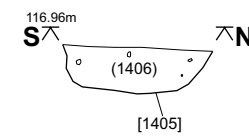
SEC 179: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1398]



SEC 180: WEST FACING SECTION [1401]



SEC 181: EAST FACING SECTION [1405]

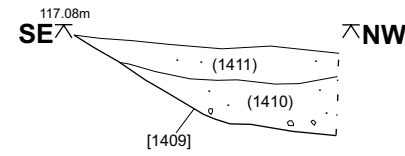


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FIGURE 28: Sections 170 to 181

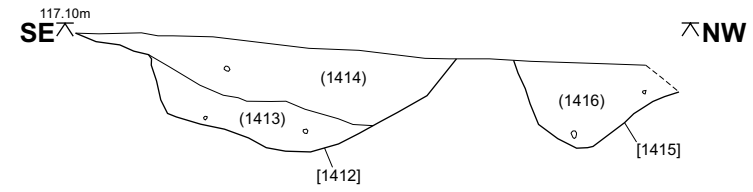
SEC 182: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1407]



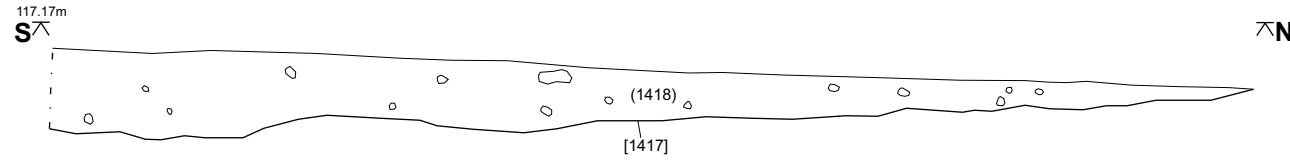
SEC 183: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1409]



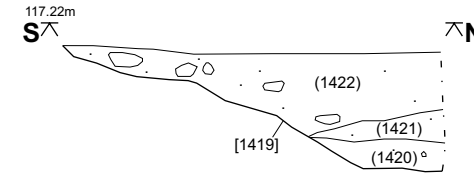
SEC 184: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1412] and [1415]



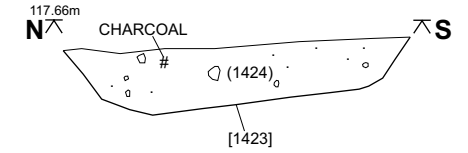
SEC 185: EAST FACING SECTION [1417]



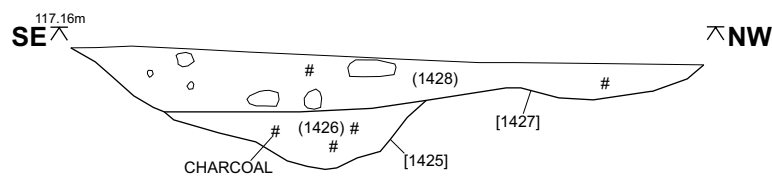
SEC 186: EAST FACING SECTION [1419]



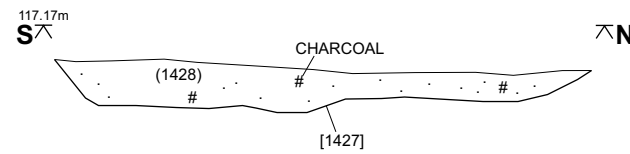
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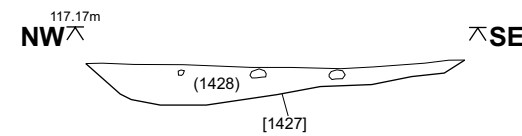
SEC 188: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1425] and [1427]



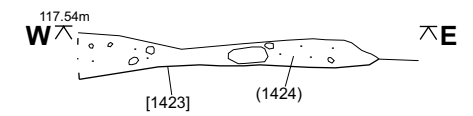
SEC 189: EAST FACING SECTION [1427]



SEC 190: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1427]



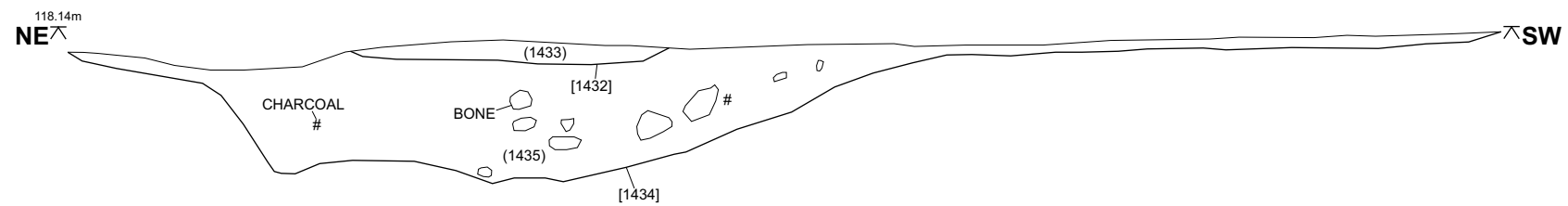
SEC 191: SOUTH FACING SECTION [1423]



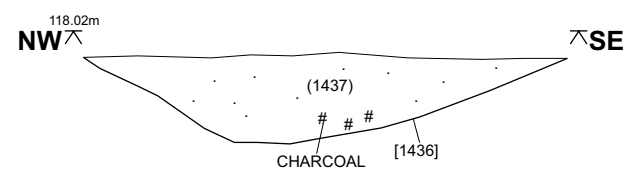
SEC 192: WEST FACING SECTION [1429]



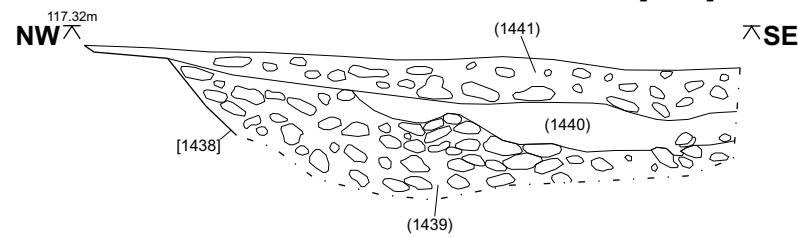
SEC 193: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1432] and [1434]



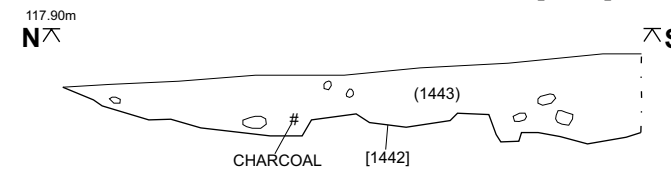
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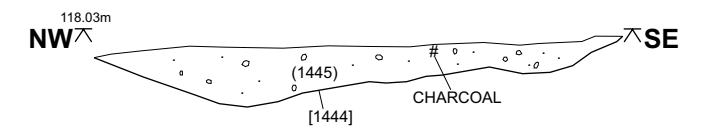
SEC 195: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1438]



SEC 196: WEST FACING SECTION [1442]



SEC 197: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1444]

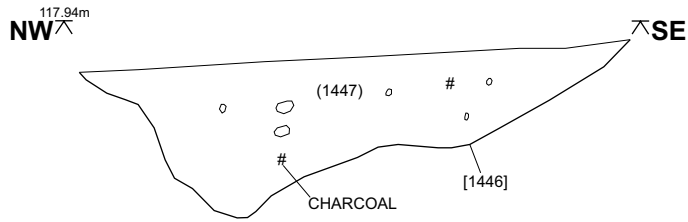


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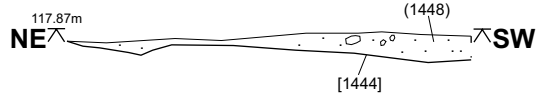


FIGURE 29: Sections 182 to 197

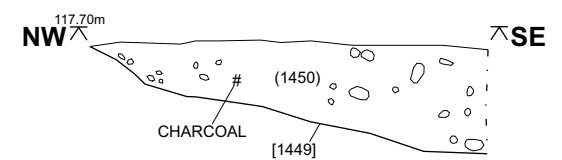
SEC 198: SOUTHWEST FACING SECTION [1446]



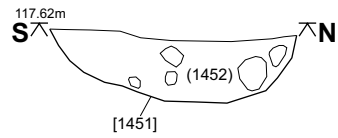
SEC 199: NORTHWEST FACING SECTION [1444]



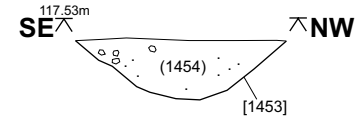
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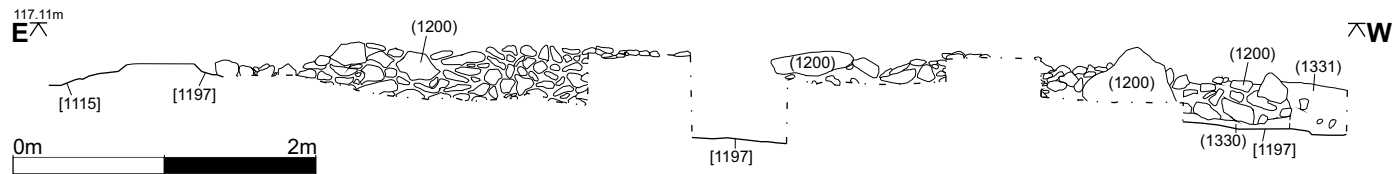
SEC 201: EAST FACING SECTION [1451]



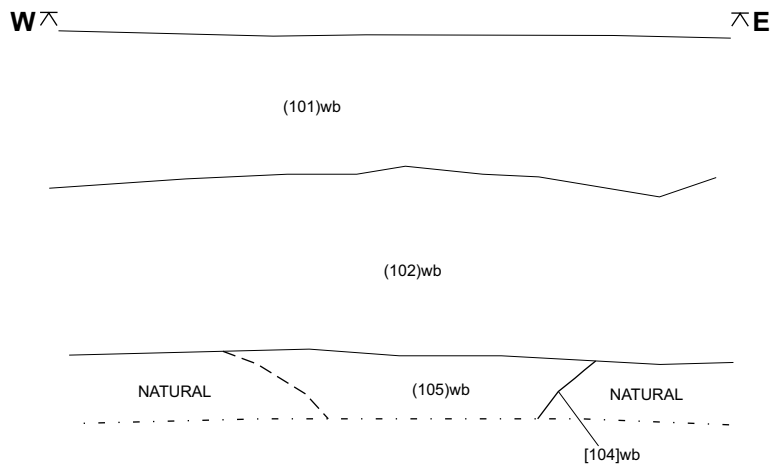
SEC 202: NORTHEAST FACING SECTION [1453]



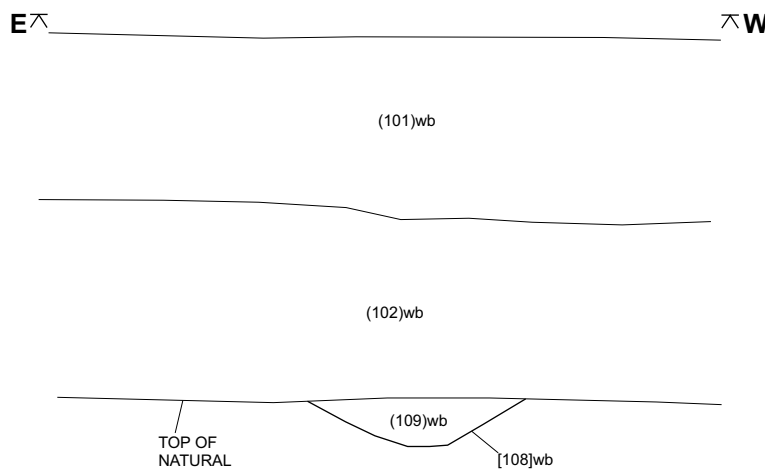
SEC 203: NORTH FACING ELEVATION WALL (1200)



SEC 204: SOUTH FACING SECTION [104]wb



SEC 205: NORTH FACING SECTION [108]wb



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<p>FIGURE 30: Sections 198 to 205</p>