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OF LAND NORTH OF NORWICH ROAD, DEREHAM, NORFOLK
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Abstract

In June 2012, an archaeological evaluation was undertaken by Northamptonshire Archaeology, on behalf of CgMs Consulting, of 10ha of land north of Norwich Road, Dereham, Norfolk. Forty-five trenches were excavated in field. Only six trenches revealed any archaeological features, an Early Bronze Age Beaker pit, and some undated pits and gullies. Post-medieval boundary ditches were also present in a number of trenches.

1 INTRODUCTION

Northamptonshire Archaeology (NA) was commissioned by CgMs Consulting to carry out a trial trench evaluation for a planning application of land north of Norwich Road, Dereham, Norfolk (NGR TG 6008 3134; Fig 1). The event number is ENF129233.

The programme of archaeological investigation comprised the excavation of 45 trenches across the development area, the results of which are presented in this report. The scope of the works was agreed by CgMs Consulting and Norfolk County Council and follows the provisions of the National Planning Policy Framework (DCLG 2012).

Works were undertaken in accordance with the specification (NA 2012) and the appropriate national standards and guidelines, as recommended by the Institute for Archaeologists (IfA 2008) and the procedural document *Management of Research Projects in the Historic Environment (MoRPHE)* (EH 2006).

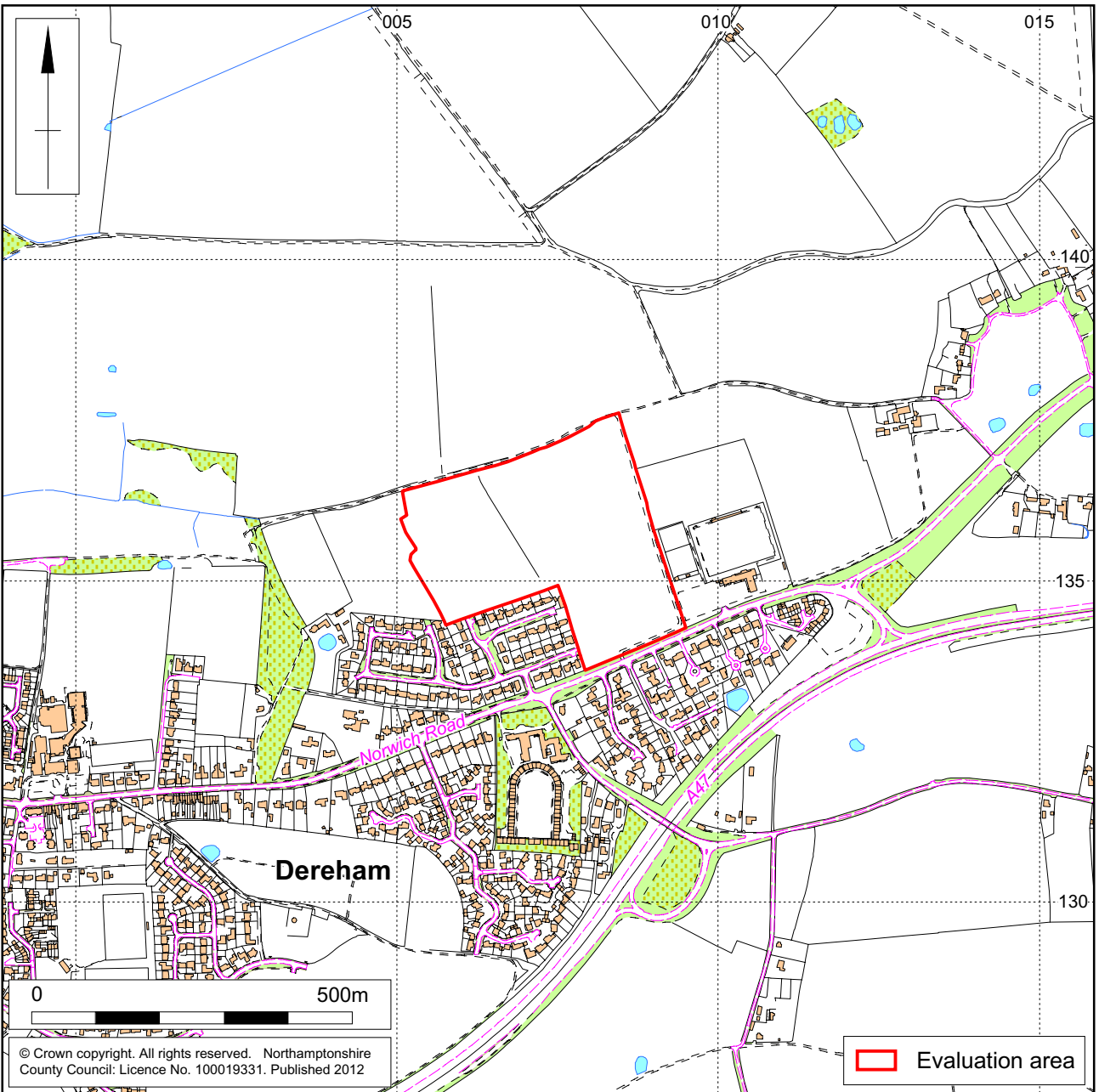
An Archaeological Desk-Based Assessment with detailed geophysical magnetometer survey of the area was undertaken by Cambridge Archaeological Unit in 2008 (Tabor 2008). The report concluded that there were no known archaeological sites within the application area although there were sites in the surrounding area.

2 BACKGROUND

2.1 Topography and geology

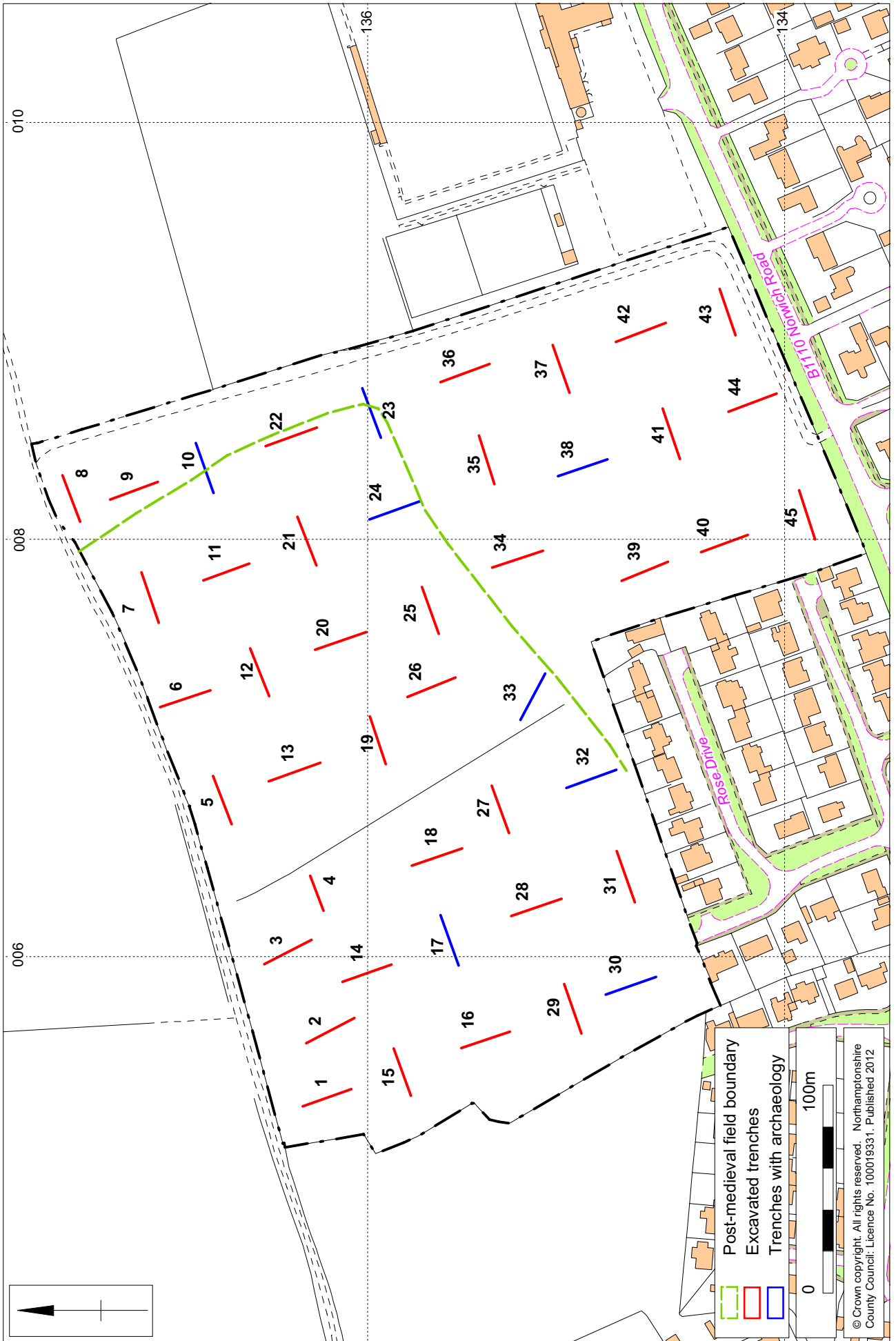
The application area lies immediately east of Dereham on the northern side of the B1110 Norwich Road. The land lies at a height of approximately 55m aOD and is generally flat (Fig 2).

The geology of the evaluation area is composed of diamicton (glacial till, formerly known as Boulder Clay) overlying chalk (BGS 2012).



Scale 1:10,000

Site location Fig 1



Scale 1:2500 (A4)

The excavated trenches Fig 2

2.2 Archaeological background

A deskbased assessment of the site was undertaken in 2008 (Tabor 2008).

Flint scatters, indicative of prehistoric activity lie to the north-west of the site. These include burnt-flint mounds (HER 2843 and 2844), finds of individual flakes and tools (HER 25485) as well as more extensive flint scatters (HER 2875). To the south of the application area further prehistoric flints were discovered during the construction of the A47 road (HER 22245 and, 10832).

The site of a medieval deer park lies to the north of the application area (HER 2546). A rectangular enclosure, formerly visible as a cropmark, which may be medieval in date and associated with the settlement of Etling Green, lies immediately to the east of the application area. A number of other medieval and post-medieval structures are recorded in the Historic Environment Record around Etling Green.

There has also been metal detecting activity in the vicinity of the site which has recovered a variety of finds dating from the Iron Age through to the post-medieval period.

A geophysical survey of the development area was undertaken in 2010 (WYAS 2010). This found no evidence of archaeological activity within the development area, with all magnetic anomalies being interpreted as representing recent agricultural activity or former field boundaries.

3 OBJECTIVES AND METHODOLOGY

3.1 Objectives

The purpose of the work was to determine and understand the nature, function and character of the archaeological site in its cultural and environmental setting.

The aim of the archaeological evaluation was:

- To inform a forthcoming planning application for the site;
- To determine and understand the nature, function, and character of the archaeological site in its cultural and environmental setting;
- To determine the location, extent, nature and date of any archaeological features or deposits that may be present;
- To ascertain the integrity and state of preservation of any archaeological features or deposits that may be present;
- To recover artefacts to assist in the development of type series within the region.

Specific research objectives will be drawn from national and regional research frameworks documents (English Heritage 1997; Glazebrook 1997; and Brown and Glazebrook 2000) as relevant depending upon the results of the evaluation.

3.2 Methodology

The works were conducted in accordance with the procedural documents *The Management of Archaeological Projects* issued by English Heritage (1991), the IfA's *Standard and Guidance for Archaeological Field Evaluation* (1999) and the *Standards for Field Archaeology in the East of England* (Gurney 2002).

Forty-five trenches were machine-excavated using a toothless ditching bucket. Forty-four of the trenches were 25m long by 1.8m wide and one trench 18.5m long by 1.8m wide. The trenches were located in the area of the proposed building footprints, landscaping and any service and access areas (Fig 2). This amounts to a 2% sample of the area.

The trenches were set out by survey grade GPS (Leica System 1200) operating to an accuracy of +/- 0.05m.

Trenches were excavated to reveal archaeological remains or, where these were absent, undisturbed natural horizons. The topsoil was stacked separately from the subsoil and other deposits.

The trenches were cleaned sufficiently to enable the identification of any features. All archaeological features were investigated. Discrete features were half sectioned and slots excavated through linear features were a minimum of 1m in width. Excavation was carried out in such a manner as to protect deposits through the application of mitigation procedures or improved excavation conditions pertaining to full investigation of a larger area.

All archaeological deposits and artefacts encountered during the course of the evaluation were given a separate context number and fully recorded. Recording followed standard Northamptonshire Archaeology procedures (NA 2011). Deposits were described on pro-forma context sheets to include details of the context, its relationships, interpretation and a checklist of associated finds.

The trenches were planned at a scale of 1:100. Archaeological features were plotted on an overall plan at a scale of 1:50. Sections of the sequence of deposits in each trench were drawn at a scale of 1:10 and related to Ordnance Datum. Archaeological artefacts were recovered from the surface and excavated deposits.

Environmental samples were collected from dated and sealed context that was considered to have the potential for further analysis for palaeoenvironmental, palaeoeconomic or industrial materials. This was 40 litres per context, collected and stored in sealable buckets.

All samples were processed, using the flotation technique to retrieve seed, charcoal and mollusc remains. All the resultant residues were hand sorted to retrieve bones and other finds before assessed by an appropriate specialist.

The excavated area and spoil heaps were scanned visually and with a metal detector to ensure maximum finds retrieval.

A full photographic record was maintained using 35mm colour slide and black and white negatives supplemented with digital images. Overall shots of the sites was taken prior to excavation and after backfilling. Overall shots of each trench were taken together with detailed shots of individual features. On completion of archaeological recording the trenches were backfilled.

Finds were collected from the individual deposits and appropriately packed and stored in stable conditions, by context.

The field data was compiled into a site archive with appropriate cross-referencing.

4 THE EXCAVATED EVIDENCE

Trenches 1–45 were excavated in the field. Natural light to mid orange-brown sand, sandy clay was overlain by locally present mid grey-brown sandy clay subsoil up to 0.18m deep and dark grey sandy clay, occasionally sandy loam topsoil averaging 0.35m deep.

Trenches 17, 30, 32, 33, 34 and 38 contained features, including one Early Bronze Age Beaker pit and undated ditches/gullies and pits. In Trenches 10, 23 and 24 were field boundary ditches.

At the north-west end of the site, there was no subsoil in Trenches 1, 2, 15, 16 and 33.

Two trenches contained land drains (16, 41).

Trench 10

The only feature present was a post-medieval boundary ditch [1005] in Trench 10 (Fig 5). This was 1.1m wide and 0.64m deep, with a U-shaped profile. The fill (1004) was friable mid orange-brown silty sand. This cut through the underlying natural and corresponded with a field boundary, shown on the map of enclosure plan of 1812 (Tabor 2008, Fig 4).

Trench 17

An undated ditch [1705], aligned south-east to north-west, was 0.92m wide and 0.38m deep with a rounded, concave profile (Fig 3, Fig 4 section 11, Fig 6). The fill comprised mid grey-brown sandy clay (1704).

Trench 23

A ditch [2304], aligned north-south, turning towards the west, was seen at the east end of the trench. The ditch was approximately 1.3m wide and was a continuation of post-medieval boundary ditch [1005] in Trench 10 and ditch [2405] in Trench 24. It was not excavated.

Trench 24

A ditch [2405], aligned east-west, was 1.2m wide and 0.5m deep with a rounded, concave profile (Fig 3, Fig 4 section 41), cut through the subsoil into the underlying natural. The fill comprised rare angular flint inclusions in mid grey-brown silty sandy clay fill (2404), which produced a small, ridged blade which may date to the late Mesolithic/Early Neolithic. This a continuation of ditch [1005] and [2304].

Trench 25

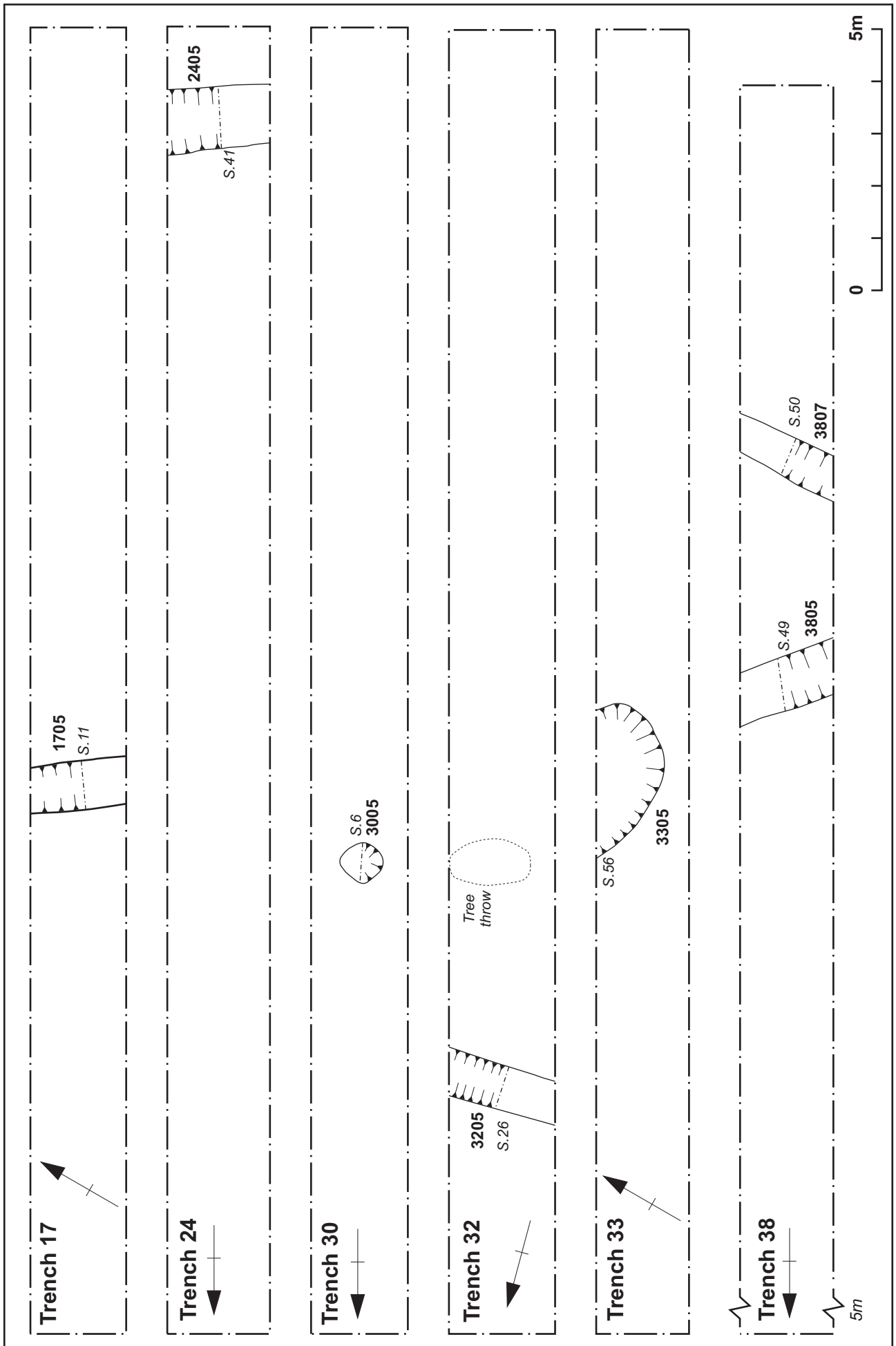
Possible ditch [2505], aligned north-west to south-east, 1.3m wide and 0.25m deep with a shallow irregular-shaped profile on investigation proved to be a natural hollow. Feature [2505] was found on further investigation to be a natural hollow.

Trench 27

A possible sub-oval shaped pit [2705] was seen at the north-east end of the trench. This was 1.1m wide and 0.4m deep with an irregular shaped profile. The fill (2704) was friable mid orange-brown silty sand. This is almost certainly a tree throw (Fig 7).

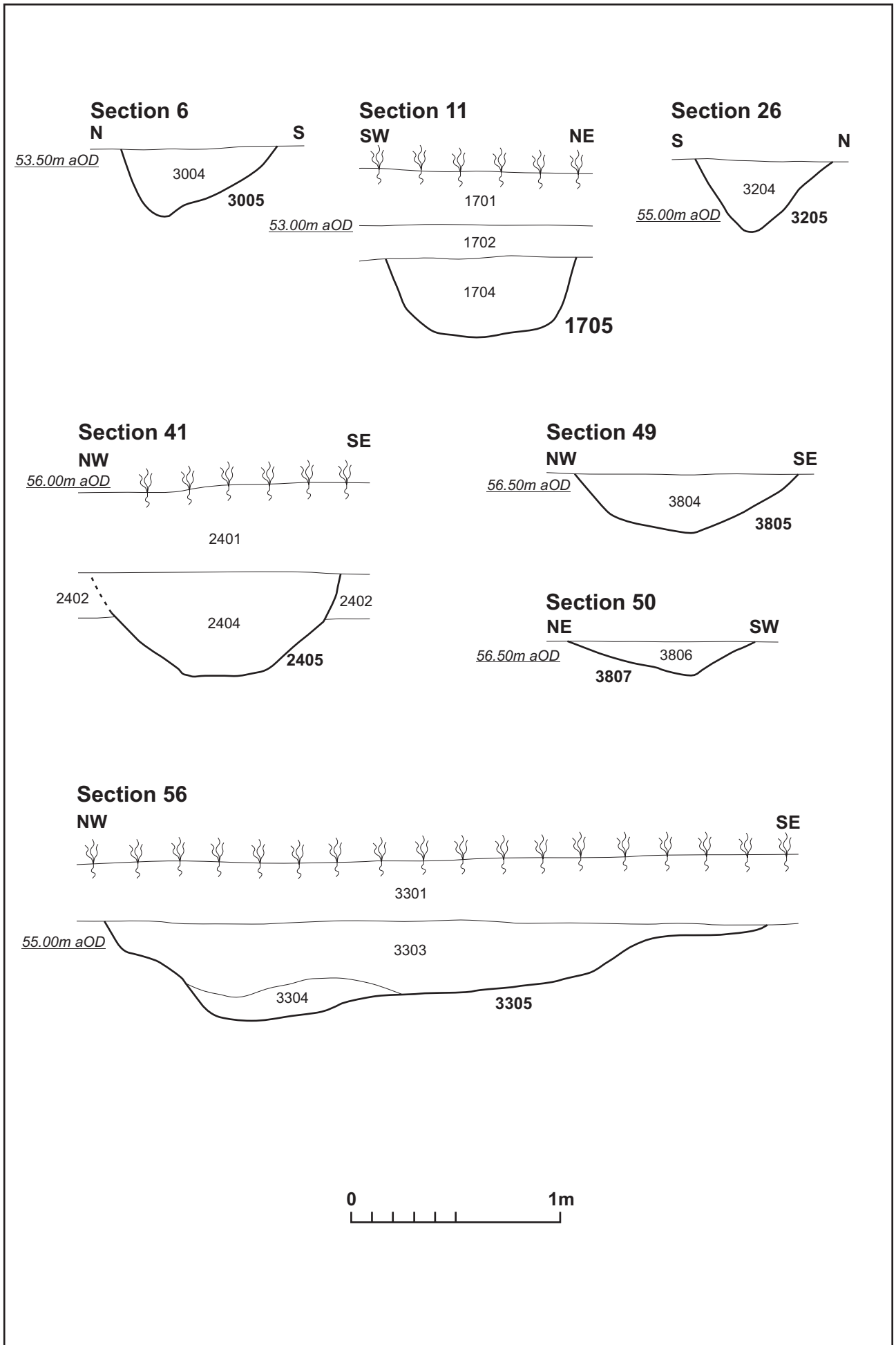
Trench 30

Trench 30 contained a single oval pit [3005], 0.75m wide by 0.38m deep, with a fill of mid orange-brown sandy clay (3004) with flint and sand stone fragments (Fig 3, Fig 4 section 6). This isolated pit is undated.



Scale 1:100 (A4)

Plans of the excavated trenches Fig 3



Scale 1:25 (A4)

Excavated sections Fig 4

Trench 31

In this trench were a number of shallow hollows and gullies which, on investigation, proved to be of natural origin.

Trench 32

Trench 32 contained a ditch [3205], aligned east-west, and a small pit or gully terminal which was found on further investigation to be a tree throw. Undated ditch [3205] was V-shaped and 0.80m wide by 0.33m deep (Fig 3, Fig 4 section 26). The fill comprised mid orange-brown sandy clay (3204).

Trench 33

Trench 33 contained a single pit [3305]. The pit was mostly contained within the trench, so it could not be fully excavated. It was 3.2m wide by 0.42m deep, with a flattened, undulating base (Fig 3, Fig 4 section 56, Fig 8). Both fills (3303-3304) comprised dark grey-brown sandy clay. The lower fill (3304) had dark mottles and charcoal fragments. The upper fill (3303) was mottled orange. Significant quantities of all-over-cord decorated Beaker pottery of the Early Bronze Age were recovered mostly from the lower fill. This a date of indicates c 2500-2200 BC.

Towards the south-east end of the trench the topsoil contained more recent dumping, which included brick and tile fragments.

Trench 34

Trench 34 contained a single undated pit [3407], 0.76m wide by 0.11m deep. Feature [3405] was found on further investigation to be a tree throw.

Trench 38

Trench 38 contained two ditches. Ditch [3805], aligned north-east to south-west, was 1.02m wide and 0.28m deep, uneven base in profile with fill (3804) of mid orange-brown sandy clay (Fig 3, Fig 4 section 49), which produced a large flake (SF3). Ditch [3807], aligned south-east to north-west, was 0.77m wide and 0.16m deep, with a shallow V-shaped profile, and a fill of friable orange-brown sandy clay (Fig 3, Fig 4 section 50).

Trench 39

A thumbnail end scraper (SF2) was recovered from the topsoil (3901) at the north end of the trench, probably Early Bronze Age in date.



Post-medieval boundary ditch [1005], looking north Fig 5



Undated ditch [1705] section 11, looking north Fig 6



Sub-oval shaped tree throw in trench 27, looking north-west Fig 7



Early Bronze Age pit in trench 33, section 56, looking north-east Fig 8



Undated pit in trench 30, section 6, looking north-east Fig 9

5 THE FINDS

5.1 The flint by Andy Chapman

Five flints were recovered. They are all in grey vitreous flint and two have areas of pale cream cortex.

From the topsoil in trench 39 (3901), there is a thumbnail end scraper (SF2), 26mm long by 25mm wide, worked on a thick flake struck from a small pebble core. An Early Bronze Age date would be appropriate for this scraper.

From the fill (3304) of pit [3305], which produced Beaker pottery, there are two flint flakes (SF 4 & 5), one with a cortical surface. From the fill (2404) of cut [2405], there is a small, ridged blade, 25mm long by 8mm wide, which may date to the late Mesolithic/Early Neolithic. From the fill (3804) of ditch [3805], there is a large flake, 53mm long by 44mm wide, with the surfaces well worn by rolling, and with much edge damage.

5.2 The prehistoric pottery by Andy Chapman

From the primary fill (3304) of pit [3305] there are 30 sherds and some uncounted crumbs, weighing 135g, from at least two vessels, and a single sherd, weighing 22g, from a further vessel came from the upper fill (3303) of the same pit.

The majority of the assemblage from fill (3304) is from a single vessel, an all-over-cord Beaker of the Early Bronze Age (Fig 10). The fabric is sandy, containing small rounded quartz grains, along with sparse angular flint inclusions, 0.5-4mm diameter, often protruding through the surfaces. The vessel is thin-walled, 6-7mm thick; the

core is grey, the inner surface is medium yellow-brown and the outer surface varies from yellow-brown to orange-brown. The simple rounded rim is everted, and all sherds from the rim down are decorated with closely-spaced horizontal lines, at intervals of 3.5-4.5mm. Slightly irregularities in the edges of these lines indicate that they have been cord impressed, but the sherds are poorly preserved, with worn surfaces and rounded edges. Despite the number of sherds recovered, no joins have been recognised.



Rim and body sherds from an all-over-cord Beaker (Scale 20mm) Fig 10

From fill (3304) there are also two body sherds, 8mm thick, from a separate Beaker vessel (Fig 11). This is in a slightly harder sandy fabric, containing rounded quartz grains, up to 1.5mm diameter, and sparse angular flint inclusions. The core is orange-brown and the surfaces are red-brown and smoothed, perhaps burnished originally. The sherds have cord impressed decoration in lines set 10mm apart, but too little survives to be certain of the entire original decorative scheme.



Body sherd from a cord-decorated Beaker (Scale 20mm) Fig 11

From the upper fill (3303) of pit [3305] there is a single plain body sherd, 8mm thick, in a sandy fabric containing rounded quartz grains and sparse angular flint, 1-4m diameter. The core is brown and the surviving surfaces are yellow-brown. However, part of the inner surface retains an original smoothed surface that is red-brown in

colour, similar to the two sherds of the second Beaker from the primary fill, and may be from the same vessel.

All-over-cord decorated Beakers form the earliest of the sequence of Beaker styles in both Clark's and also Lanting and van der Waal's schemes of British Beaker typologies (Gibson and Woods 1997, 96-100). This assemblage can therefore be placed between c 2500-2200 BC.

6 ENVIRONMENTAL EVIDENCE by Val Fryer

One bulk soil sample was collected from the fill (3304) of the Early Bronze Age pit [3305].

This sample was bulk floated by Northamptonshire Archaeology and the flots were collected in a 300 micron mesh sieve. The dried flot was scanned under a binocular microscope at magnifications up to x16 and the plant macrofossils and other remains noted are listed below in Table 2. Nomenclature within the table follows Stace (1997). All plant remains were charred. Modern seeds and fibrous roots were also recorded.

Results

Although small (<0.1 litres in volume), the flot does contain a moderate density of charcoal/charred wood, some pieces of which are relatively large. However, most fragments are rounded and abraded, possibly indicating that the material was exposed for a time prior to deposition. Other plant macrofossils include fragments of hazelnut (*Corylus avellana*) shell, a possible fragmentary barley (*Hordeum* sp.) grain and a dock (*Rumex* sp.) fruit. Small pieces of black porous and tarry material are also present within the assemblage, but it is considered most likely that these are later contaminants introduced via roots channels, insect burrows or other forms of bioturbation.

Conclusions

In summary, this material is essentially similar to other charred assemblages of Early Bronze Age date recorded from eastern England, most notably from West Row Fen, Suffolk (Martin and Murphy 1988) and from cremation deposits at Bixley and Caistor St. Edmund, Norwich (Murphy 2000). In most of these instances, the density of material is low, although cereal grains are recorded along with the remains of gathered wild food plants. As the density of material within the current assemblage is so low, it is not possible to identify a precise source or sources for the plant remains. However, it is, perhaps, most likely that the few macrofossils which are recorded are derived from scattered refuse, which was inadvertently incorporated within the pit fill.

As the assemblage does not contain a sufficient density of material for quantification (i.e. 100+ specimens), no further analysis is recommended.

Table 2. Charred plant macrofossils and other remains
 Key x=1-10; xx=11-50; xxx=50-100 specimens; cf=compare

Sample No.	1
Context No.	3304/3305
Plant macrofossils	
<i>Hordeum</i> sp. (grain)	xcf
<i>Rumex</i> sp.	x
<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.	x
Charcoal <2mm	xx
Charcoal >2mm	xxx
Charcoal >5mm	xx
Indet.seed	x
Other remains	
Black porous and tarry residues	x
Sample volume (litres)	
Volume of flot (litres)	<0.1
% flot sorted	100%

7 DISCUSSION

Early activity on the site is represented by a small quantity of flint of Late Mesolithic/Early Neolithic date, recovered from later contexts, and probably reflects a general low level of background activity.

The only archaeological features comprised a pit from the Early Bronze Age period, this produced quantities of Beaker pottery and some flints. The assemblage comprising small numbers of all-over-cord decorated sherds from numerous vessels, which is the earliest British Beaker style (c 2500-2200 BC). A sample from this pit produced a low quantity of charred grains and fragments of hazelnut shell.

There was no evidence of later archaeological activity on the site. The only other features present related to post-medieval boundary boundaries and recent disturbance, which corresponded with the results of the geophysical survey.

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APPENDIX 1: CONTEXT INVENTORY

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
1	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	aOD	m, aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint flecks	0.35m deep	–
102	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint fragments		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
2	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint	0.30m deep	–
202	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
3	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional stone and flint nodules	0.25m deep	–
302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.11m deep	–
303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
4	18.5m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/Samples
401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.27m deep	–
402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.13m deep	–
403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
5	25m x 1.8m ESE-WNW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/Samples
501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.31m deep	–
502	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
503	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flints inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
6	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/Samples
601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.31m deep	–
602	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint nodules	0.16m deep	–
603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
7	25m x 1.8m W-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
701	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.33m deep	–
702	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
703	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
8	25m x 1.8m W-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
801	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.32m deep	–
802	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
803	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
9	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
901	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional rare flint inclusions	0.40m deep	–
902	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional rare flint inclusions	0.19m deep	–
903	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
10	25m x 1.8m SW-NE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
1001	Topsoil	Dark grey-brown sandy loam with flint	0.24m deep	–
1002	Subsoil	orange-brown sandy loam	0.16m deep	–
1003	Natural	Light to mid orange sand with frequent pieces of flint		
1004	Fill of 1005	Mid dark orange-brown silty sand	0.64m	–
1005	Cut	Linear, fairly regular sides	1.1m wide 0.64m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
11	25m x 1.8m S-N	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
1101	Topsoil	Dark grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint	0.41m deep	–
1102	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional rare flint inclusions	0.12m deep	–
1103	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
12	25m x 1.8m W-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
1201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.45m deep	–
1202	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.25m deep	–
1203	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
13	25m x 1.8m N-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1301	Topsoil	Dark brown loam with stone and flint	0.32m deep	–
1302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
1303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
14	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.34m deep	–
1402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone nodules	0.16m deep	–
1403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
15	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.30m deep	–
1502	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
16	25m x 1.8m S-N	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.45m deep	–
1603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
17	25m x 1.8m SW-NE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1701	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.37m deep	–
1702	Subsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.15m deep	–
1703	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		
1704	Fill of 1705	Mid grey-brown sandy clay	0.38m deep	–
1705	Cut	Linear with rounded base	0.92 wide 0.38m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
18	25m x 1.8m SE-NW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1801	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.30m deep	–
1802	Subsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.14m deep	–
1803	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
19	25m x 1.8m	/	m aOD	m, m aOD

	E-W			
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
1901	Topsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.35m deep	–
1902	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.20m deep	–
1903	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
20	50m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
2001	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.36m deep	–
2002	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.14m deep	–
2003	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
21	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
2101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.42m deep	–
2102	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
2103	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
22	25m x 1.8m S-N	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.39m deep	–
2202	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.14m deep	–
2203	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
23	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.37m deep	–
2302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.16m deep	–
2303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		
2304	Ditch	Post-medieval, not excavated		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
24	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.39m deep	–
2402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
2403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		
2404	Fill of 2405	Mid grey-brown silty sandy clay	0.51m deep	Flint
2405	cut	Linear, rounded base	1.2m wide 0.51m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
25	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.42m deep	–
2502	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.20m deep	–
2503	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		
2504	Fill of 2505	Mid grey-brown sandy clay	0.25m deep	–
2505	Cut	Natural hollow	0.25m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
26	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.42m deep	–
2602	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
2603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
27	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2701	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.29m deep	–
2702	Subsoil	Orange-brown sandy loam	0.11m deep	–
2703	Natural	Light-mid yellowish-orange sandy clay with flint		
2704	Fill of 2705	Tree throw	0.4m deep	–
2705	Cut	Tree throw	0.4m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
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28	25m x 1.8m SE-NW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
2801	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.34m deep	–
2802	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.16m deep	–
2803	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
29	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
2901	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint and stone inclusions	0.40m deep	–
2902	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.10m deep	–
2903	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
30	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3001	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint and stone inclusions	0.44m deep	–
3002	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.09m deep	–
3003	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		
3004	Fill of 3005	Mid orange-brown sandy clay	0.38m deep	–
3005	Cut	Oval with rounded base	0.75m wide 0.38m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
31	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.39m deep	–
3102	Subsoil	Light orange-brown sandy clay with occasional stone and flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
3103	Natural	Light orange-brown sandy clay with frequent stone and flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
32	25m x 1.8m SE-NW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3201	Topsoil	Medium grey-brown sandy loam with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.30m deep	–
3202	Subsoil	Light orange-brown sandy loamy clay with occasional flint nodule	0.16m deep	–
3203	Natural	Light brown-orange sandy clay with occasional flint nodule		
3204	Fill of ditch 3205	Medium orange-brown sandy clay	0.33m deep	–
3205	Cut of ditch	Linear with V-shaped base	0.80m wide 0.33m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
33	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.32m deep	–
3302	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		–
3303	Fill of 3305	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with orange mottles	0.42m deep	Bronze Age Beaker Pottery
3304	Fill of 3305	Dark grey-brown sandy clay with black mottles	0.27m deep	Bronze Age Beaker Pottery Sample 1.
3305	Cut of pit	Shallow oval pit	3.2m wide 0.42m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
34	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3401	Topsoil	Dark grey-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.28m deep	–
3402	Subsoil	Grey-brown sandy loam	0.11m deep	–
3403	Natural	Mid brownish-orange silty clay with frequent flint inclusions		
3404	Fill of 3405	Tree throw		
3405	Cut	Tree throw		
3406	Fill of 3407	Mid grey-brown sandy clay	0.20m deep	–
3407	Cut of pit	Cut of oval pit with rounded base	0.76m wide 0.20m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
35	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/Samples
3501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.41m deep	–
3502	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.21m deep	–
3503	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
36	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/Samples
3601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.40m deep	–
3602	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.19m deep	–
3603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
37	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/Samples
3701	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.39m deep	–
3702	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.16m deep	–
3703	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
38	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3801	Topsoil	Dark brown sandy loam with occasional flint inclusions	0.40m deep	–
3802	Subsoil	Medium brown sandy clay loam with occasional flint nodules	0.12m deep	–
3803	Natural	Light brown-orange sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		
3804	Fill of 3805	Medium, slightly orange-brown clay sand	1.02 wide 0.28m deep	Flint
3805	Cut of ditch	Linear with irregular base	1.02 wide 0.28m deep	–
3806	Fill of 3807	Medium brown sand mixed with clayey sand	0.77m wide 0.16m deep	–
3807	Cut of ditch	Cut of shallow ditch	0.77m wide 0.16m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
39	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3901	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.29m deep	Flint
3902	Subsoil	Mid dark orange-brown clayey loam with flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
3903	Natural	Mid brownish-orange sandy clay		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
40	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
4001	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.33m deep	–
4002	Subsoil	Mid dark orange-brown clayey loam with flint inclusions	0.13m deep	–
4003	Natural	Mid brownish-orange sandy clay		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
41	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
4101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.41m deep	–
4102	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
4103	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
42	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
4201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.50m deep	–
4202	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.19m deep	–
4203	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
43	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
4301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.35m deep	–
4302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.19m deep	–
4303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
44	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
4401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.40m deep	–
4402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.19m deep	–
4403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
45	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
4501	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.26m deep	–
4502	Subsoil	Mid dark orange-brown clayey loam with flint inclusions	0.24m deep	–
4503	Natural	Mid brownish-orange sandy clay with flint nodules		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
1	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	aOD	m, aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint flecks	0.35m deep	–
102	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint fragments		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
2	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint	0.30m deep	–
202	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
3	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional stone and flint nodules	0.25m deep	–
302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.11m deep	–
303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
4	18.5m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.27m deep	–
402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.13m deep	–
403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
5	25m x 1.8m ESE-WNW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.31m deep	–
502	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
503	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flints inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
6	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.31m deep	–
602	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint nodules	0.16m deep	–
603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
7	25m x 1.8m W-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
701	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.33m deep	–
702	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
703	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
8	25m x 1.8m W-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
801	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.32m deep	–
802	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
803	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
9	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
901	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional rare flint inclusions	0.40m deep	–
902	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional rare flint inclusions	0.19m deep	–
903	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
10	25m x 1.8m SW-NE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
1001	Topsoil	Dark grey-brown sandy loam with flint	0.24m deep	–
1002	Subsoil	orange-brown sandy loam	0.16m deep	–
1003	Natural	Light to mid orange sand with frequent pieces of flint		
1004	Fill of 1005	Mid dark orange-brown silty sand	0.64m	–
1005	Cut	Linear, fairly regular sides	1.1m wide 0.64m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
11	25m x 1.8m S-N	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
1101	Topsoil	Dark grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint	0.41m deep	–
1102	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional rare flint inclusions	0.12m deep	–
1103	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
12	25m x 1.8m W-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
1201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.45m deep	–
1202	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.25m deep	–
1203	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
13	25m x 1.8m N-E	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1301	Topsoil	Dark brown loam with stone and flint	0.32m deep	–
1302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
1303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
14	25m x 1.8m NNW-SSE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.34m deep	–
1402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone nodules	0.16m deep	–
1403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
15	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.30m deep	–
1502	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		–

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
16	25m x 1.8m S-N	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.45m deep	–
1603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
17	25m x 1.8m SW-NE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1701	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.37m deep	–
1702	Subsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.15m deep	–
1703	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		
1704	Fill of 1705	Mid grey-brown sandy clay	0.38m deep	–
1705	Cut	Linear with rounded base	0.92 wide 0.38m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
18	25m x 1.8m SE-NW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1801	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.30m deep	–
1802	Subsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.14m deep	–
1803	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
19	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
1901	Topsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.35m deep	–
1902	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.20m deep	–
1903	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
20	50m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
2001	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.36m deep	–
2002	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.14m deep	–
2003	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
21	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
2101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.42m deep	–
2102	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
2103	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
22	25m x 1.8m S-N	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.39m deep	–
2202	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.14m deep	–
2203	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
23	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.37m deep	–
2302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.16m deep	–
2303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		
2304	Ditch	Post-medieval, not excavated		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
24	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.39m deep	–
2402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
2403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		
2404	Fill of 2405	Mid grey-brown silty sandy clay	0.51m deep	Flint
2405	cut	Linear, rounded base	1.2m wide 0.51m deep	–

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
25	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
2501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.42m deep	–
2502	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.20m deep	–
2503	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		
2504	Fill of 2505	Mid grey-brown sandy clay	0.25m deep	–
2505	Cut	Natural hollow	0.25m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
26	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
2601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.42m deep	–
2602	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
2603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
27	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
2701	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.29m deep	–
2702	Subsoil	Orange-brown sandy loam	0.11m deep	–
2703	Natural	Light-mid yellowish-orange sandy clay with flint		
2704	Fill of 2705	Tree throw	0.4m deep	–
2705	Cut	Tree throw	0.4m deep	–

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
28	25m x 1.8m SE-NW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2801	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.34m deep	–
2802	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.16m deep	–
2803	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
29	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
2901	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint and stone inclusions	0.40m deep	–
2902	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.10m deep	–
2903	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
30	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/Samples</i>
3001	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with rare flint and stone inclusions	0.44m deep	–
3002	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.09m deep	–
3003	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		
3004	Fill of 3005	Mid orange-brown sandy clay	0.38m deep	–
3005	Cut	Oval with rounded base	0.75m wide 0.38m deep	–

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
31	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
3101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.39m deep	–
3102	Subsoil	Light orange-brown sandy clay with occasional stone and flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
3103	Natural	Light orange-brown sandy clay with frequent stone and flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
32	25m x 1.8m SE-NW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
3201	Topsoil	Medium grey-brown sandy loam with occasional flint and stone inclusions	0.30m deep	–
3202	Subsoil	Light orange-brown sandy loamy clay with occasional flint nodule	0.16m deep	–
3203	Natural	Light brown-orange sandy clay with occasional flint nodule		
3204	Fill of ditch 3205	Medium orange-brown sandy clay	0.33m deep	–
3205	Cut of ditch	Linear with V-shaped base	0.80m wide 0.33m deep	–

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
33	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
3301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.32m deep	–
3302	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules		–
3303	Fill of 3305	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with orange mottles	0.42m deep	Bronze Age Beaker Pottery
3304	Fill of 3305	Dark grey-brown sandy clay with black mottles	0.27m deep	Bronze Age Beaker Pottery Sample 1.
3305	Cut of pit	Shallow oval pit	3.2m wide 0.42m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
34	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
3401	Topsoil	Dark grey-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.28m deep	–
3402	Subsoil	Grey-brown sandy loam	0.11m deep	–
3403	Natural	Mid brownish-orange silty clay with frequent flint inclusions		
3404	Fill of 3405	Tree throw		
3405	Cut	Tree throw		
3406	Fill of 3407	Mid grey-brown sandy clay	0.20m deep	–
3407	Cut of pit	Cut of oval pit with rounded base	0.76m wide 0.20m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
35	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3501	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.41m deep	–
3502	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.21m deep	–
3503	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
36	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3601	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.40m deep	–
3602	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.19m deep	–
3603	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
37	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3701	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.39m deep	–
3702	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.16m deep	–
3703	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
38	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3801	Topsoil	Dark brown sandy loam with occasional flint inclusions	0.40m deep	–
3802	Subsoil	Medium brown sandy clay loam with occasional flint nodules	0.12m deep	–
3803	Natural	Light brown-orange sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		
3804	Fill of 3805	Medium, slightly orange-brown clay sand	1.02 wide 0.28m deep	Flint
3805	Cut of ditch	Linear with irregular base	1.02 wide 0.28m deep	–
3806	Fill of 3807	Medium brown sand mixed with clayey sand	0.77m wide 0.16m deep	–
3807	Cut of ditch	Cut of shallow ditch	0.77m wide 0.16m deep	–

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
39	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
3901	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.29m deep	Flint
3902	Subsoil	Mid dark orange-brown clayey loam with flint inclusions	0.15m deep	–
3903	Natural	Mid brownish-orange sandy clay		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
40	25m x 1.8m NW-SE	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
4001	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.33m deep	–
4002	Subsoil	Mid dark orange-brown clayey loam with flint inclusions	0.13m deep	–
4003	Natural	Mid brownish-orange sandy clay		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
41	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
4101	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.41m deep	–
4102	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.17m deep	–
4103	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
42	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
Context	Context type	Description	Dimensions	Artefacts/ Samples
4201	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.50m deep	–
4202	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.19m deep	–
4203	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

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Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
43	25m x 1.8m E-W	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
4301	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint inclusions	0.35m deep	–
4302	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with rare flint inclusions	0.19m deep	–
4303	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint inclusions		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
44	25m x 1.8m N-S	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
4401	Topsoil	Mid grey-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.40m deep	–
4402	Subsoil	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with occasional flint nodules	0.19m deep	–
4403	Natural	Mid orange-brown sandy clay with frequent flint nodules		

Trench No	Length, width & alignment	NGR	Surface height	Depth & height of natural
45	25m x 1.8m NE-SW	/	m aOD	m, m aOD
<i>Context</i>	<i>Context type</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>Dimensions</i>	<i>Artefacts/ Samples</i>
4501	Topsoil	Dark orange-brown sandy loam with flint inclusions	0.26m deep	–
4502	Subsoil	Mid dark orange-brown clayey loam with flint inclusions	0.24m deep	–
4503	Natural	Mid brownish-orange sandy clay with flint nodules		



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