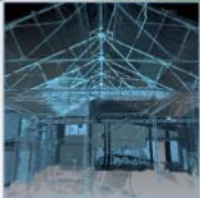


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Abstract

This report details the findings of an archaeological evaluation carried out at a residential development site to the north of Dornoch, in the Highlands. The evaluation was required because there was potential for buried archaeological remains to be present on the site.

Fieldwork was carried out between 15th April and 3rd of May where 42 trenches were excavated. Twelve archaeological features were identified, comprising several pits and linear features and a large pit or ditch.

The site of two Bronze Age cists, which had been previously excavated in 1938, were uncovered and recorded prior to their loss by the development works..

1.0 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 A 10% archaeological evaluation was required by Springfield Properties PLC in advance of the proposed residential development at Dornoch North, Phase 2 (pre-planning). The requirement arose due to the location of the development site in an area with potential for the survival of buried archaeological deposits.
- 1.2 The site lies within the administrative area of the Highland Council, which is advised on archaeological matters by Kirsty Cameron, Archaeologist, Historic Environment Team, Highland Council. A programme of trial trenching across the site was recommended in keeping with the policies outlined in *Scottish Planning Policy* (2014) and *PAN 2/2011 Planning and Archaeology* (2011) in order to record the extent and significance of any archaeological remains which may be present within the development area.
- 1.3 The fieldwork was carried out between 15th April and 3rd May 2019 where a total of 42 trenches were excavated. Twelve archaeological features were identified, comprising several pits and linear features and a large pit or ditch. . The location of two Bronze Age cists, which had been previously uncovered in 1938, was identified. As part of the fieldwork, excavation and recording of the cists was carried out.

2.0 BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The proposed development site is located to the north of Dornoch, with the phase 2 area centred on NGR NH 79712 90220 (**Figure 1**). It comprises a sloping, open field bounded by the Dornoch Burn on the west and Station Road to the east (**Plate 1**).
- 2.2 The development site is located in an area of archaeological potential. At the north end of the site, two Bronze Age short cist burials (Highland HER No. MHG11733) were uncovered. The cists contained the remains of inhumation burials and a food vessel, barbed-and-tanged flint arrowhead and fragment of a Bronze pin in one of the graves.
- 2.3 Numerous small finds have been recovered in the field during metal-detecting on the site (Highland HER Nos. MHG47830, MHG29373, MHG24754). Other small finds of prehistoric and medieval date have been discovered in the fields surrounding the development area, in particular over 250 medieval and late medieval coins found 'in the fields north of Dornoch' are held by National Museums Scotland
- 2.4 Phase 1 of the development required archaeological excavation. This was carried out in 2015 by AOC Archaeology to the north side of the phase 2 site. A number of significant archaeological features were uncovered including stone-lined storage pits, multiple hearths, a palisaded enclosure, post-holes, a shell midden and a huge circular pit. Finds from these features included worked stone tools, animal bone and ceramic fragments. Post-excavation analysis of the results is indicative of an Iron Age settlement, with evidence of post-built structures, overlying Neolithic activity. The 2015 excavations were thought to only represent a small part of a larger prehistoric settlement and thus there is high potential for further archaeological remains to be uncovered in the surrounding landscape .

- 2.5 The west side of the phase 2 development area and surrounding fields to the west have been subject to previous archaeological investigations undertaken by Stuart Farrell (2007), including a desk-based assessment, geophysical survey and partial trial trenching evaluation. Trial trenching uncovered a number of features across the site, including a post-hole, a small hearth, a deposit of shells and a wall. Geophysical survey was also carried out alongside this fieldwork by Archaeological Services WYAS (2007). A number of anomalies were identified, most of which were interpreted as geological deposits. In particular two rectilinear anomalies may indicate enclosures. Some of these features were identified adjacent to the northwestern side and partially running into the southwestern side of the phase 2 area.
- 2.6 Previous metal detector surveys have also been undertaken within the fields of the phase 2 development and surrounding area. Over 500 objects were found during metal-detecting and field-walking, which dated from the Roman period to modern day, most of them being predominantly 19th century in date.



Plate 1: The development site ahead of trenching

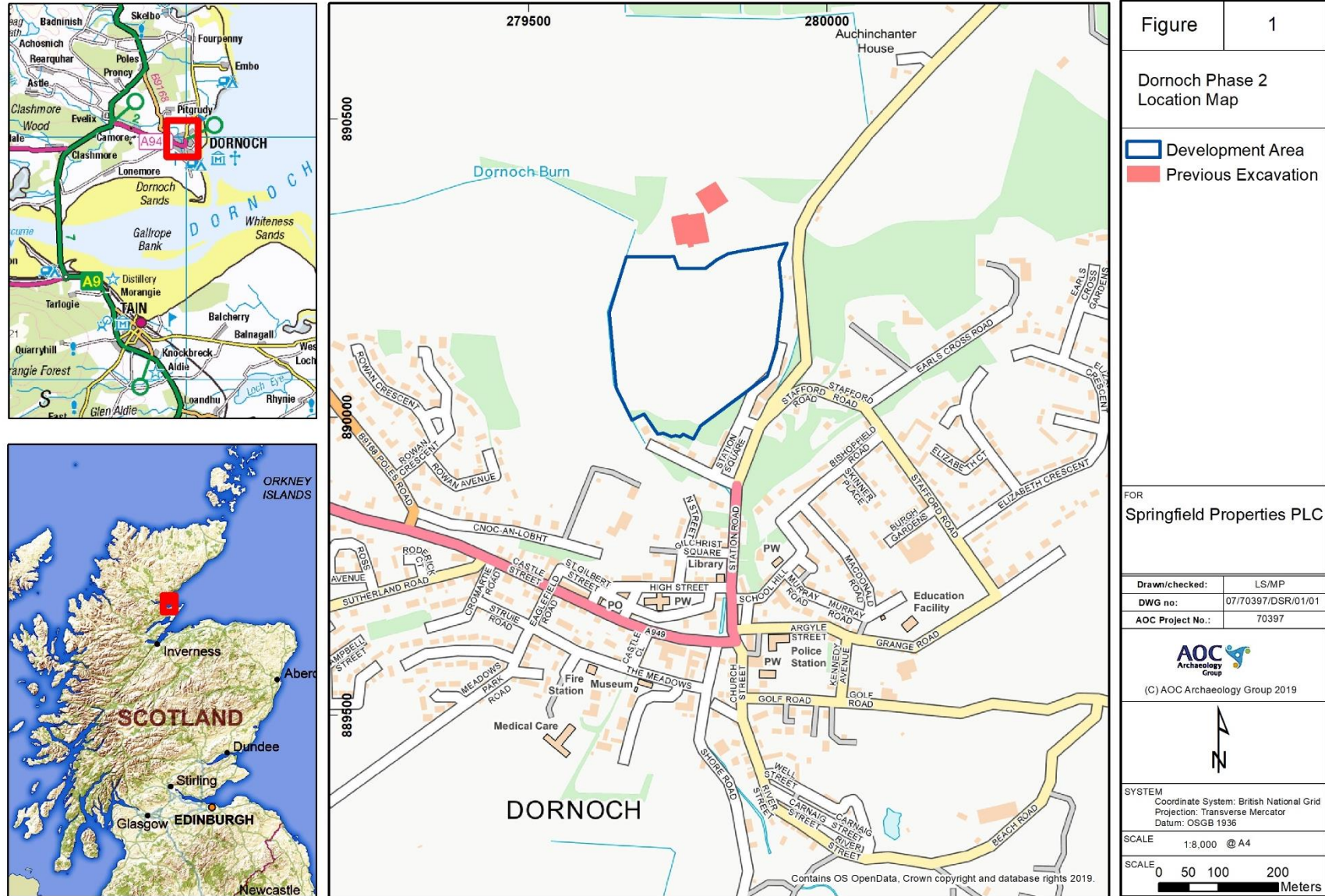


Figure 1: Site location map

3.0 OBJECTIVES

- 3.1 The *Chartered Institute for Archaeologists* (CIfA) defines an archaeological evaluation as ‘a limited programme of non-intrusive and/or intrusive fieldwork which determines the presence or absence of archaeological features, structures, deposits, artefacts or ecofacts within a specified area or site on land...field evaluation defines their character, extent, quality and preservation, and enables an assessment of their worth in a local, regional, national or international context as appropriate (2014).’
- 3.2 The aims of the archaeological works were:
- i) To establish the presence or absence of archaeological remains within the proposed development area
 - ii) To remove by hand any overburden in order to expose the archaeological deposits
 - iii) To excavate, sample and record any features or to propose arrangements for their safeguarding, where possible
 - iv) To sample deposits for post-excavation work, including environmental analysis and dating
 - v) To make recommendations for further measures necessary to mitigate the impact of the development
 - vi) To make recommendations for post-excavation work

4.0 METHODOLOGY

- 4.1 An archaeological trial trenching evaluation of 10% of the proposed development area was undertaken. The area for phase 2 comprised an open, sloping, agricultural field measuring approximately 86,225m², however buried and overhead services in western side of the field meant that not all of this area was available for trenching. Part of the phase 2 area to the north had also been previously stripped for use as a site compound for the phase 1 works. As such the original trench plan was altered and trenches 1-5 and 42-47 were unable to be excavated. Additional trenches (49-53) were added in some parts of the field in order to target geophysical anomalies or to evaluate the extent of archaeology in the area around the Bronze Age cists. A total of 42 trenches measuring approximately 5,800m² were excavated, comprising 10% of the final area of 54,000m² available for trenching (**Figure 2; Plate 2**).
- 4.2 Trenches were excavated under the supervision of an archaeologist using a mechanical excavator with 2m wide straight-edged bucket in order to establish the presence or absence of archaeological remains. Trenches were laid out as per the proposed trench plan set out in the *Written Scheme of Investigation* (Stirling 2019), with some alterations as mentioned above. Some trenches were expanded around possible archaeological features in order to establish the full extent of the feature.
- 4.3 All features of archaeological significance were excavated by hand in order to establish the date, nature, extent and state of preservation of the deposits. Archaeological features and deposits were drawn at a scale of 1:20 and section drawings were drawn at a scale of 1:10. All significant archaeological features were sampled, in the event post-excavation analysis is deemed necessary.

- 4.4 The location of the trenches and all archaeological findspots and features were plotted using a Trimble Geo-XR Rover capable of centimetre accuracy. The archaeological monitoring was recorded using high resolution digital photography in order to record the process as well as any archaeological features or finds of interest.
- 4.5 Excavation of the location of the Bronze Age cists was undertaken. The area was de-turfed by hand in order to expose the extent of the archaeological remains and the backfill material was emptied out from the interior of the two cists. Detailed section and plan drawings were drawn at a scale of 1:10 and 1:20 respectively. Each of the main stone slabs were labelled per plan drawings for use in reconstruction of the monument if necessary. The excavation was recorded using written records and high-resolution digital photography. Environmental samples were taken from the base of each cist.



Plate 2: Trenching in progress across the development site

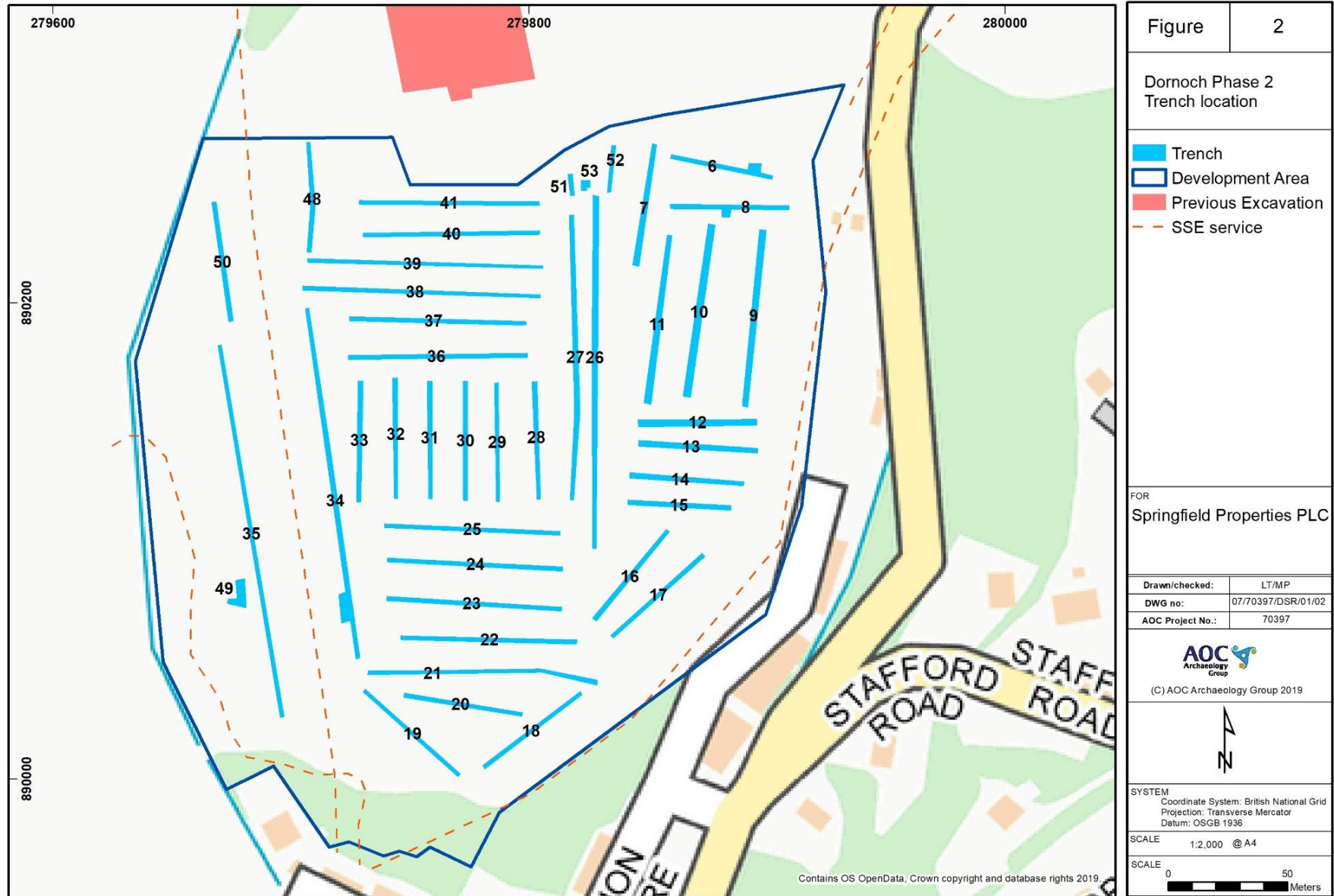


Figure 2: Location of the evaluation trenches

5.0 EVALUATION RESULTS

- 5.1 The archaeological evaluation was carried out between 15th and 24th April 2019. Weather conditions were sunny and dry and on the whole ground conditions and visibility were good. Forty-two trenches were excavated.. Topsoil across the site was loose, mid grey-brown, silty sand with frequent small stones. Topsoil depth varied across the site from 0.2m at the top of the slope and up to 1.3m deep in some places at the base of the slope. Subsoil across the site varied, but consisted predominantly of a mid-orange-brown, loose, silty sand with frequent stones (**Plates 22-25**). The details of the individual trenches can be seen in **Appendix 1**.
- 5.2 Twelve archaeological features were identified during the evaluation (**Figures 3-5**). These consisted of four pits [601], [602], [801], and [2601], a possible fire-pit [3201], a possible posthole [4801], a surface deposit (4901) containing struck flint fragments, a large sub-oval pit or ditch [3404] of unknown function, and two linear features [5001] and [5002] of probable recent origin. Two Bronze Age cist structures [003] and [004], which had been previously uncovered in 1938, were also excavated and recorded. Several other rubble drains and plough marks were also noted in trenches across the site.
- 5.3 Pits [601], [602] and [801] were found in close proximity to each other on the east side of the site (**Figures 3 & 6**). Pit [601] comprised a sub-oval pit with steep sides and a flat base, measuring 1.40m by 1.30m and up to 0.20m deep (**Plate 3**). Pit [602] comprised a sub-rectangular cut of similar size, with gently sloping sides and an undulating stony base (**Plate 4**). Both pits were filled by a mid-grey, loose sand with frequent small stone inclusions (fills (603) and (604)). The fill of pit [601] also contained some charcoal flecks and three ceramic sherds (SF10), of probable 19th/20th century date, which could be intrusive material from the ploughsoil. Feature [801] in Trench 8 consisted of a sub-oval cut measuring 1.40m by 1.1m and up to 0.35m deep, with steep sides and a flat base (**Plate 5**). It was filled by a mid-grey sand (802) of medium compaction. The date and function of these pits is unclear, however given their proximity and similarity they are probably related to each other.
- 5.4 Another sub-oval pit [2601] was identified in Trench 26 along the top of the slope, measuring 1.10m by 1.00m and up to 0.35m deep (**Figures 3 & 6; Plate 6**). The cut comprised steeply sloping sides and an undulating base and was filled by a mid-grey-brown silty sand (2602) with frequent large stone inclusions. The date and function of this pit is unclear, although some of the large stones appear to have been deposited in an upright position, which could suggest the pit formed a post-hole containing packing stones
- 5.5 Pit [3201] was uncovered in Trench 32 (**Figure 5-6; Plate 7**). It comprised a sub-oval pit with steep sides and a flat base, measuring 0.8m by 0.75m and 0.3m deep. It was filled by two distinct fills: an upper mid-grey brown silty sand with frequent inclusions of large stones (3202); and a lower black-brown silty sand with an extremely high concentration of charcoal (3203). The rich basal charcoal layer indicates that the feature comprised a fire-pit or hearth.
- 5.6 Feature [3404] in Trench 34 comprised a large sub-oval feature (either the terminus of a large linear or part of a large pit) measuring at least 5.70m north-south by 5.80m (**Figure 5 & 7; Plate 9**). The full extent of the feature could not be exposed due to the proximity of the overhead power lines. Slots were excavated across the feature revealing a series of fills. The upper fill (3407) comprised a distinct layer of loose, dark grey-brown, silty sand, which

contained fragments of charcoal, bone and shell, as well as a few small sherds of possible medieval pottery (SF3). Below this were mixed soil layers, which closely resembled the natural subsoil in the surrounding trench, making identification of the base of the feature very difficult. These layers consisted of very clean deposits of fine orange-brown sand (3409) and mixed deposits of pale orange-brown clay with stony lenses of dark grey-brown silty sand (3408). At 0.9m deep, a more consistent layer of pale clay was encountered and interpreted as the base of the feature. These mixed layers below (3407) may relate to different backfill events, either natural or purposeful, during the use of the feature. The function of this feature is unclear but the inclusions of medieval pottery are of archaeological interest.

- 5.7 A possible posthole [4801] was discovered in Trench 48 (**Figures 4 & 6; Plate 8**). This was a small sub-circular pit measuring 0.5-0.6m diameter and up to 0.27m deep with steep sides. It was filled by mid-brown silty sand (4802) containing small fragments of possible charcoal and burnt bone. The upper edge of the cut appeared to be lined by large sub-oval stones.
- 5.8 Trench 49 was excavated in order to investigate a geophysical anomaly picked up during a previous phase of work (**Figure 5; Plate 10**). No clear archaeological features were identified in this trench except a shallow hollow in the clay subsoil filled by topsoil-like dark grey sandy silt (4901). The hollow, measuring 2.5m by 1.6m, is probably natural, however it contained three flint fragments (SF12) indicative of prehistoric human activity in the area.
- 5.9 Trench 50 contained two linear features [5001] and [5002], aligned northeast-southwest and northwest-southeast respectively (**Figure 4; Plates 11-12**). Both measured 1.3-1.5m wide, 0.2-0.25m deep and were bowl-shaped in profile, with gently sloping sides and an undulating or flat base. Their fills (contexts (5003) and (5004)) comprised a loose, mid-grey, silty sand with some medium sized stones. Another piece of struck flint (SF6) was recovered from the fill of [5001], however this may represent material introduced from the ploughsoil. These two features are probably related to agricultural activities, interpreted as the remains of field drains of probable recent origin.



Plate 3: NNE-facing section of [601]



Plate 4: NW-facing section of [602]



Plate 5: SSW-facing section of [801]



Plate 6: E-facing section of [2601]



Plate 7: W-facing section of [3201]



Plate 8: SW-facing section of [4801]



Plate 9: W-facing section of slot through [3404]



Plate 10: Slot through (4901)



Plate 11: NW-facing section of [5001]



Plate 12: View of [5002]

5.10 Bronze Age Cists

- 5.10.1 Between 1st and 3rd May 2019 an excavation was carried out over two cists which had been previously excavated in 1938 by J.M. Davidson (Davidson 1940; Highland HER No. MHG11733). A hand-dug trench was excavated in order to expose the extent of the two cists before the backfill material from the previous excavation was removed (**Figure 3**).
- 5.10.2 Both cists were constructed using four large sandstone slabs set upright, each enclosing a space approximately 1.2m by 0.8m and up to 0.7m deep (**Figures 8-12**). Cist 2 [003], the southwest of the two, also had a large stone slab loosely laid flat across its base. This slab was not mentioned by Davidson in his original report and appears to have been placed there during the backfilling of his excavation. Three capstones (which may have been broken) were located over the top of the cists (**Figure 8**). These stones were probably reinstated after the 1938 excavation and are unlikely to be in their original positions. Other large slabs are visible further downslope from the cists and were likely displaced during their discovery.
- 5.10.3 The two cists were aligned northeast-southwest and set out end to end with a gap of roughly 0.4m between them. A mound of large rounded stones was piled across the gap between the two cists (**Figure 9**). Davidson interpreted these stones as the remains of a possible cairn that had once been present over the cists (Davidson 1940). The natural subsoil along the entire ridge is very stony, with stones visible on the ground surface, so it is also possible that these are natural stones that have accumulated over the cists during ploughing.

5.10.4 Opposing quadrants were excavated on the exterior of the cist slabs in order to characterise the construction of the graves (**Figure 10**). No clear construction cut was visible, but the darkening of the natural subsoil on the outside of the slabs suggested that the natural ground soil was redeposited as a packing fill to support the slabs. Some smaller slabs and rounded stones were set on the outside of the main slabs and packed into the corners for support and to fill gaps (**Figure 11**).

5.10.5 During the 1938 excavation a very degraded inhumation burial had been uncovered within Cist 1 [004]. Only a few bones were identifiable, but they were able to conclude that the burial was in a crouched position on the left side (Davidson 1940). Cist 2 [003] was more poorly preserved and the only evidence of human remains was a shadow-like stain on the base of the cist. A food vessel and a barbed-and-tanged flint arrowhead (currently held in Dunrobin Castle Museum) were recovered from Cist 2 in 1938, providing a Bronze Age date for the burials. The food vessel was interpreted as a “Yorkshire Vase” and the arrowhead, with its serrated edges, were described as a “Conygar type” by Green . Davidson suggested that the two burials were constructed at different times because of differences in construction of the two cists and the fact that they are slightly out of alignment with each other. This interpretation seemed unlikely to the recent excavators.



Plate 13: Pre-excavation of the cists



Plate 14: Cists after capstones removed



Plate 15: Cists after rubble removed



Plate 16: Cists after backfill removed



Plate 17: Cist 1



Plate 18: Cist 2



Plate 19: Corner construction of cist 1



Plate 20: Corner construction of cist 2



Plate 21: Post-excavation view of cists

6.0 CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

- 6.1 The archaeological evaluation at Dornoch revealed a number of archaeological features of varying time periods and significance. Four pits [601], [602], [801], and [2601] and two linear features [5001] and [5002] proved to be inconclusive, some of which may be related to relatively recent agricultural practices. A possible fire-pit [3201] and posthole [4801] on the west side of the site contained no diagnostic material, but have the potential to represent prehistoric activity, which is supported by the presence of Iron Age and Neolithic period archaeology to the north side of the phase 2 area and Bronze Age funerary activity within the north side of the phase 2 area. Analysis of environmental samples has the opportunity provide evidence of the function and date of some of the features.
- 6.2 The nature of the large pit or linear [3404] could not be fully determined due to the proximity of overhead power lines preventing its full extent from being exposed. Finds of shell, bone and medieval pottery indicate definite human activity, possibly of medieval date. The nearby deposit (4901), which contained flint fragments, appears to represent the remains of a prehistoric soil layer.
- 6.3 Excavation of the two cists was carried out in order to characterise the remains of the monuments. Detailed recording of the structural remains was carried out and all of the slabs were labelled in the event that removal and reconstruction is necessary. The cists should be left in situ until the development programme is confirmed and removal deemed necessary.
- 6.4 Due to the presence of archaeological remains in the area of the Phase 2 development, although targetted excavation is deemed unnecessary, archaeological monitoring is recommended during future groundworks. Given the presence of two Bronze Age burials on the site and significant archaeological remains to the north, an archaeological watching brief would enable the identification and recording any further archaeological features within the site prior to their loss by development.

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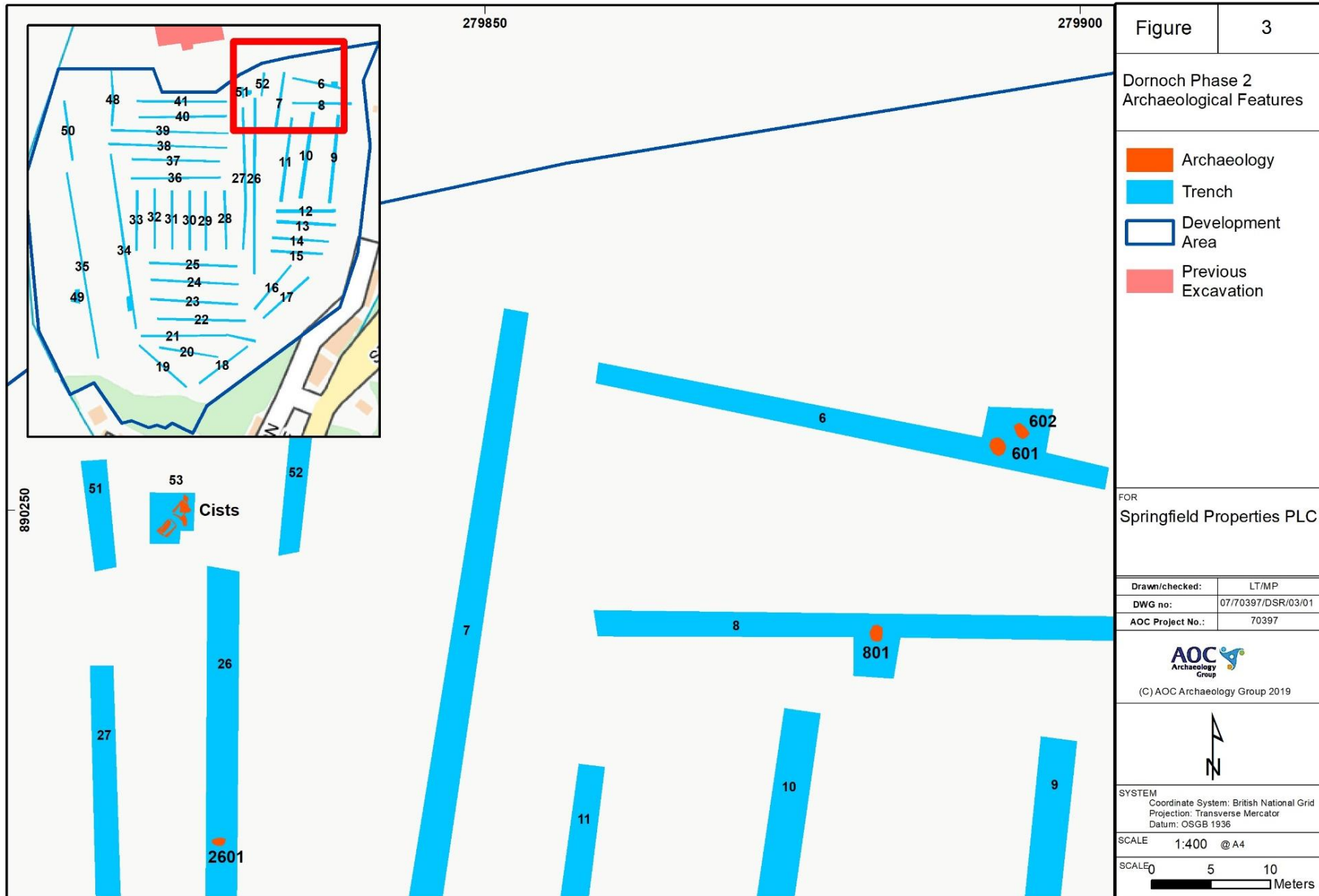


Figure 3: Location of the archaeological features

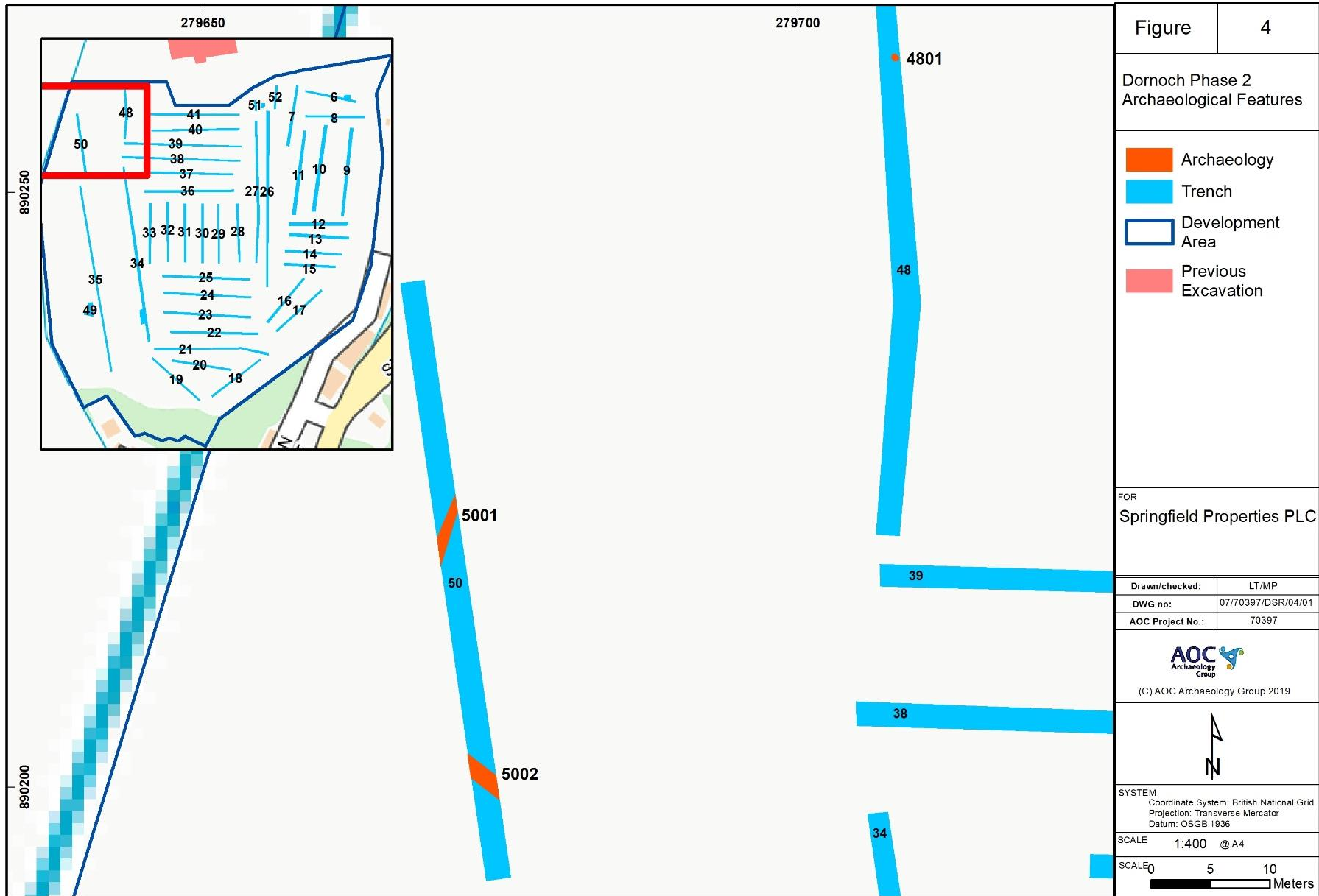


Figure 4: Location of the archaeological features



Figure 5: Location of the archaeological features

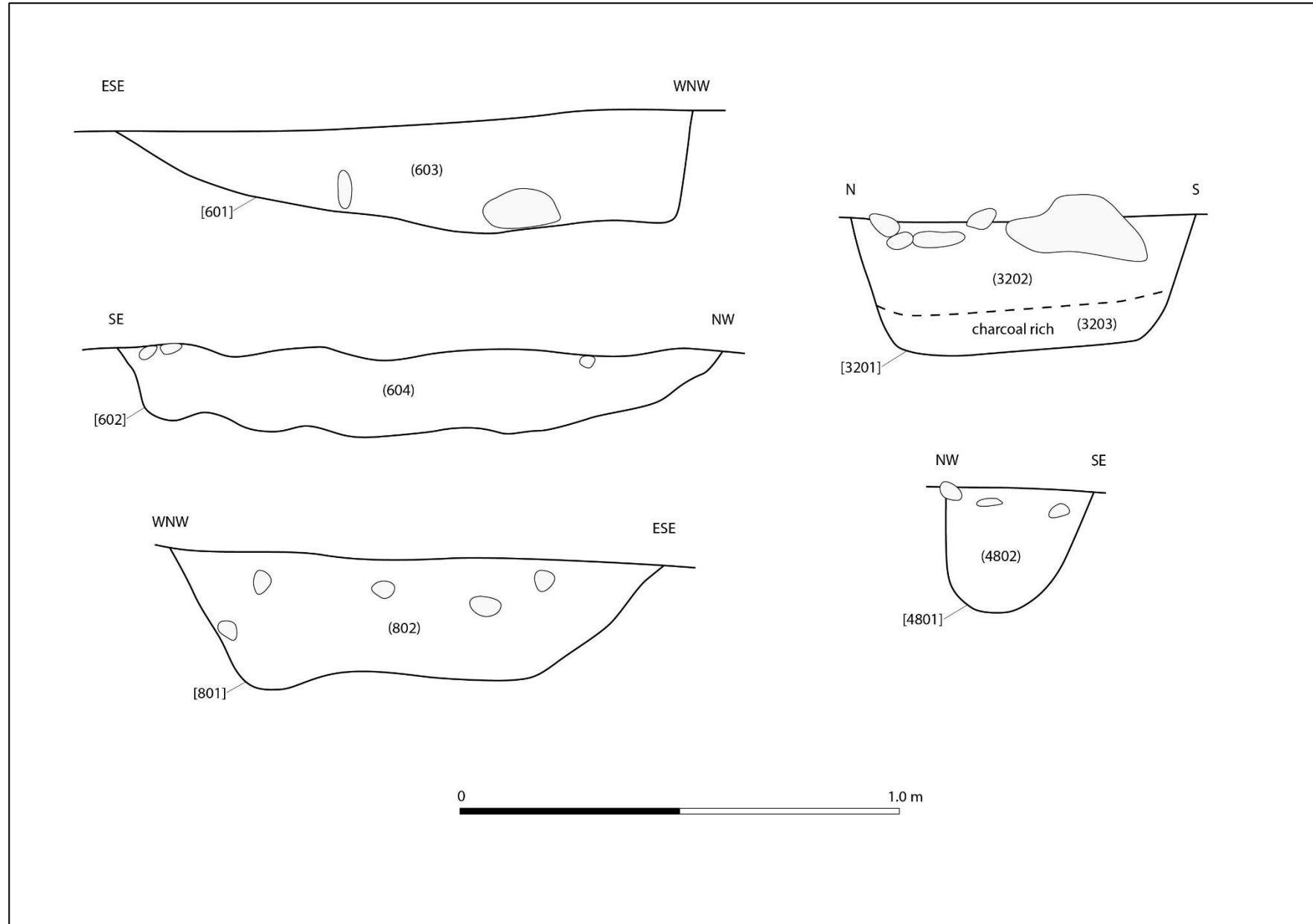


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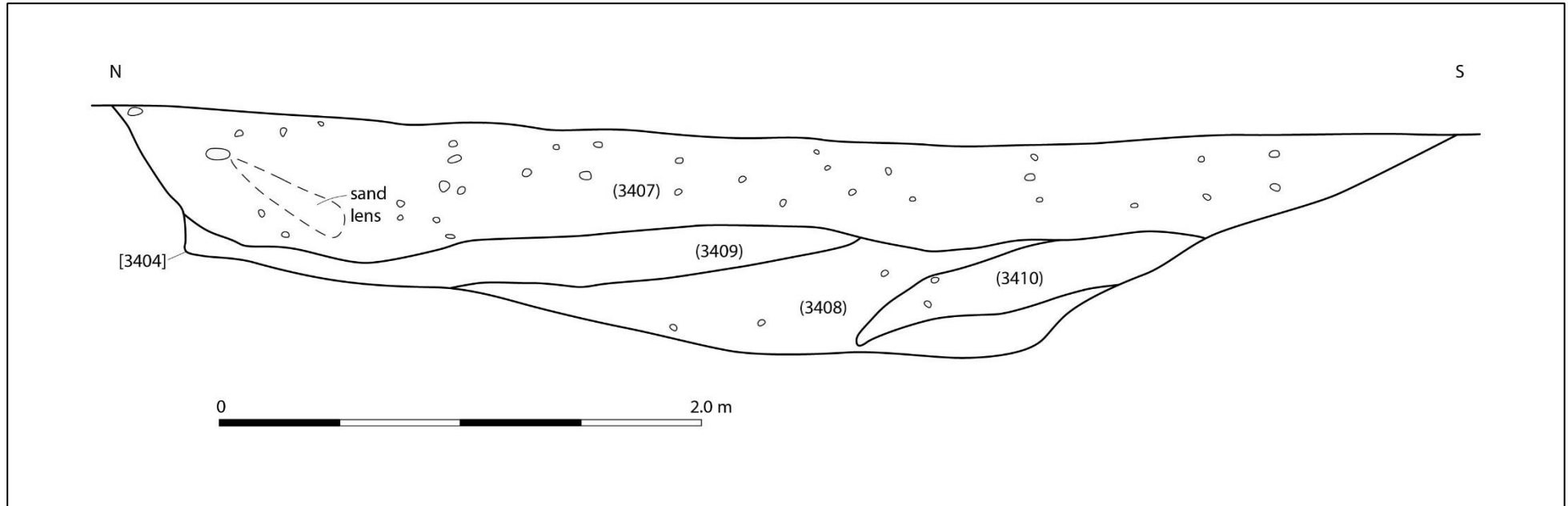


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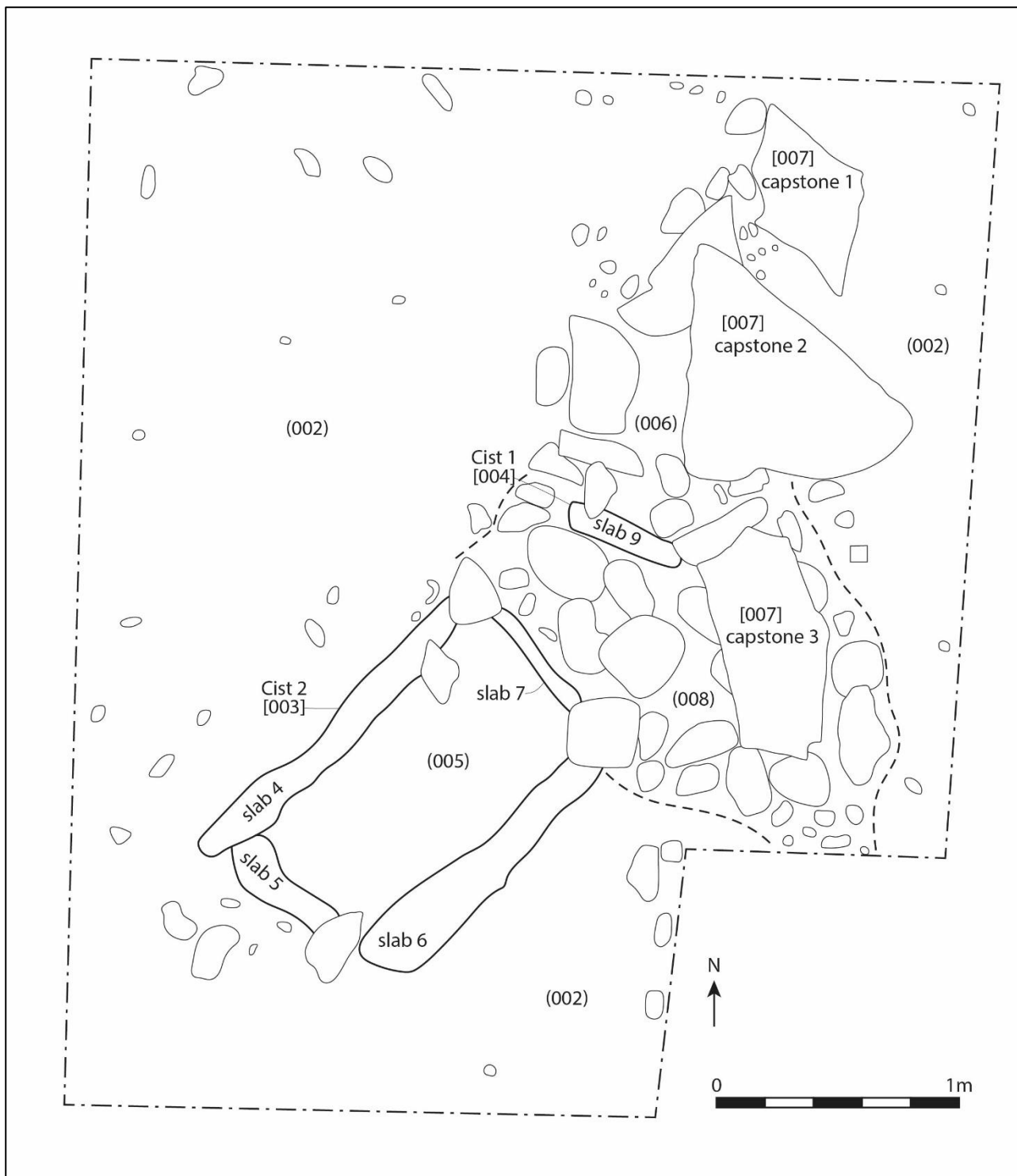


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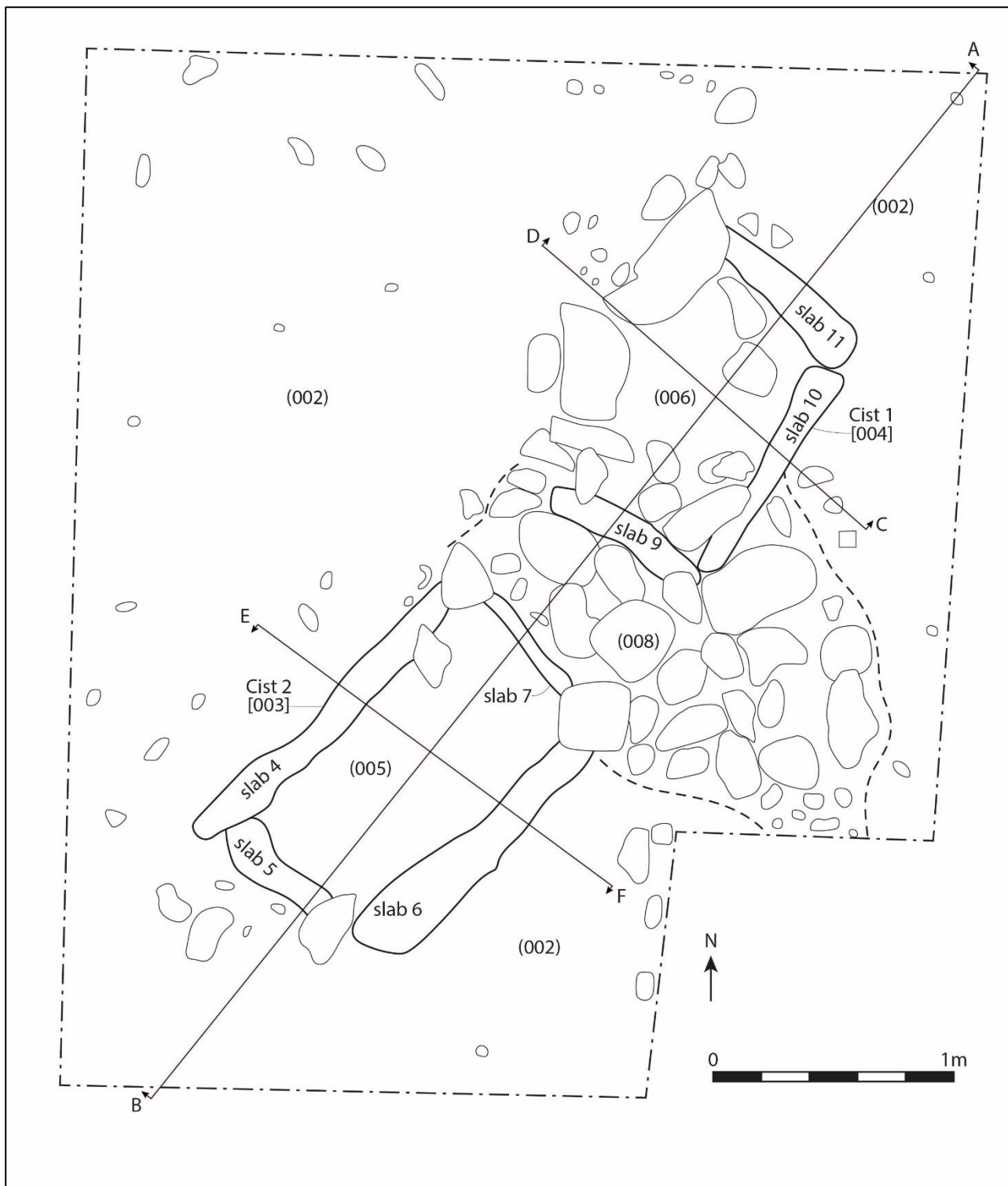


Figure 9: Pre-excitation plan of the cists after removal of capstones

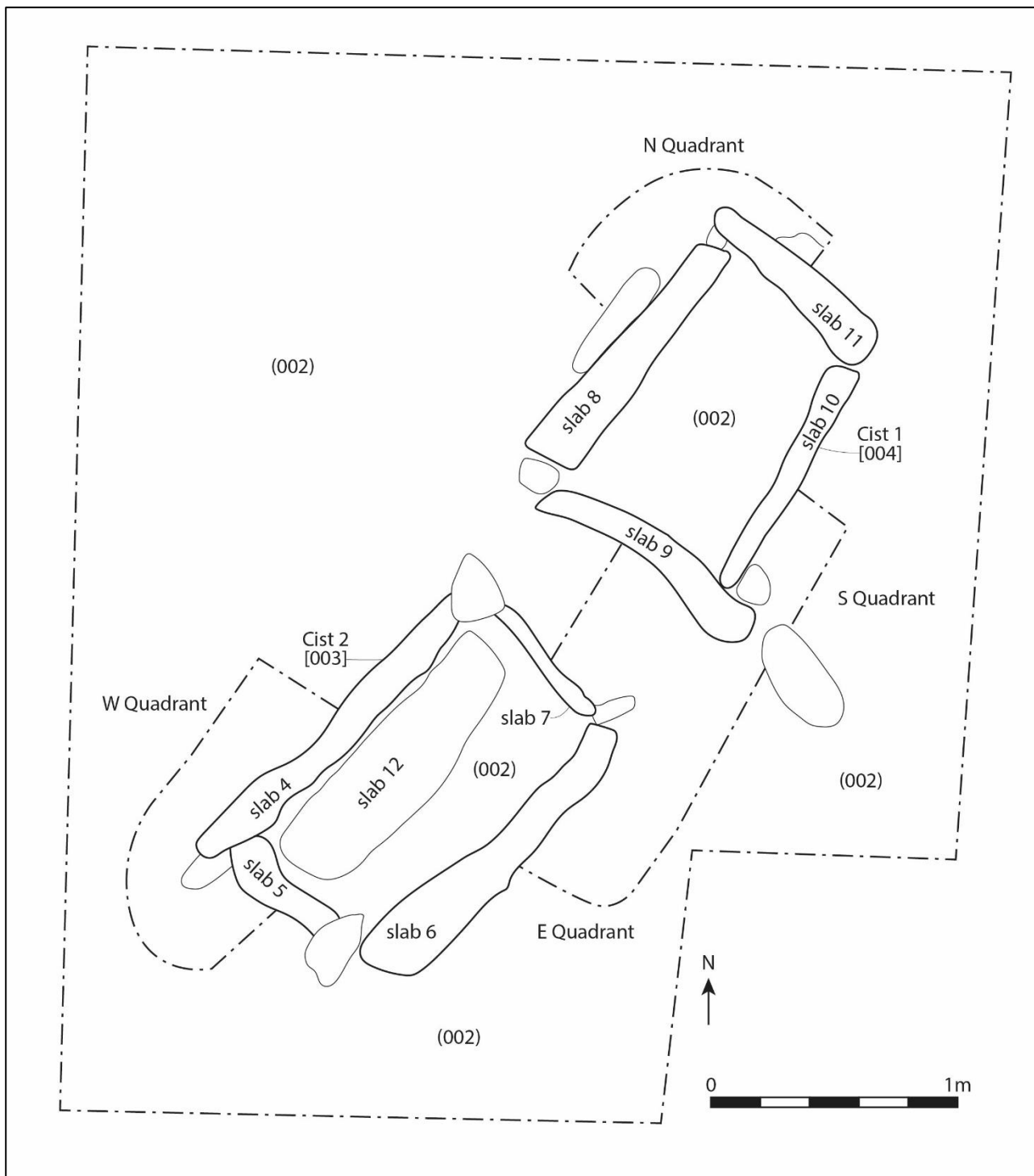


Figure 10: Post-excavation plan of the cists

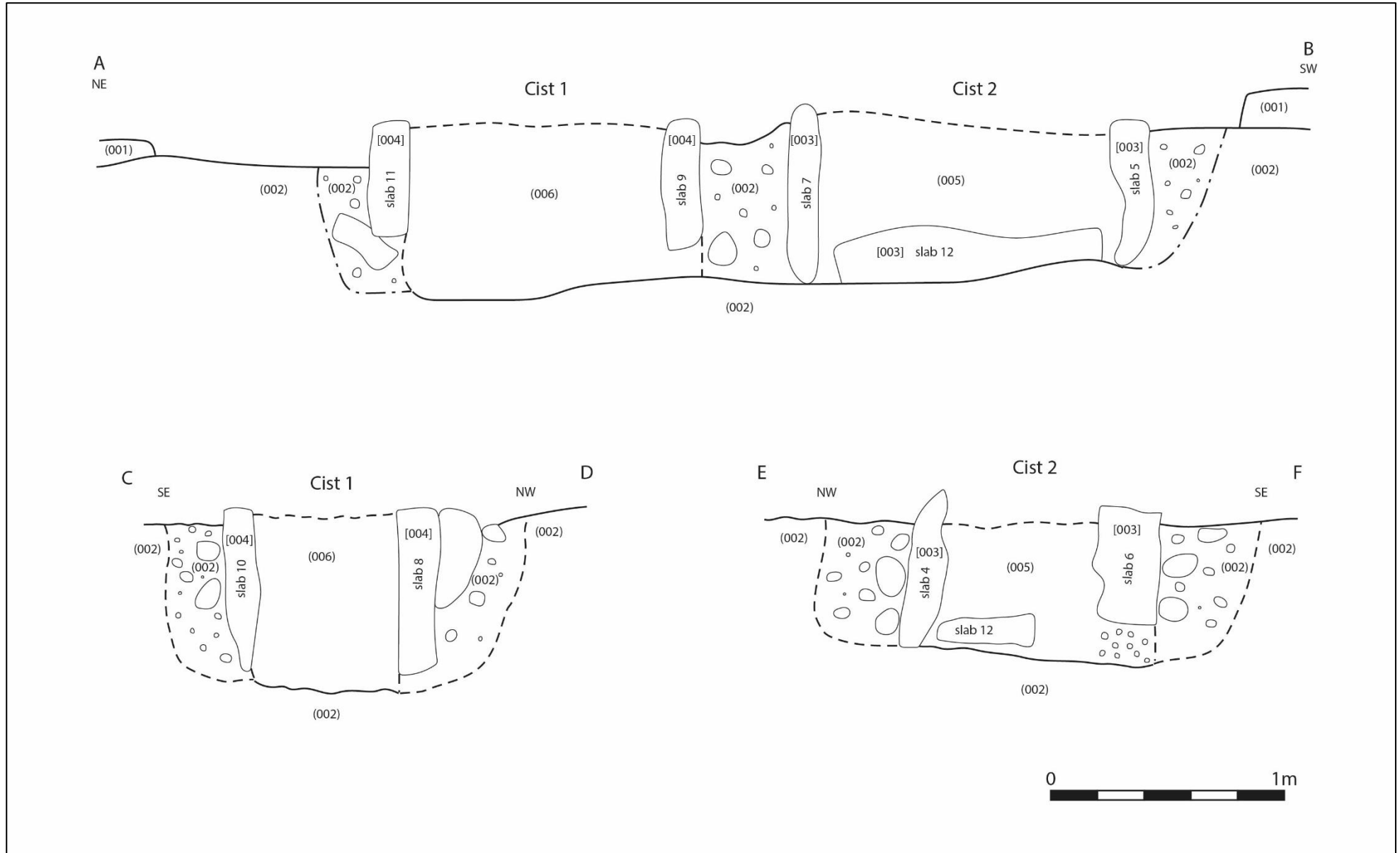


Figure 11: Section drawings of the cists



Figure 12: Image of a photogrammetry model of the Bronze Age cists



Plate 22: Trench 10, facing N



Plate 23: Trench 26, facing N



Plate 24: Trench 32, facing S



Plate 25: Trench 35 (mid), facing SSE

Appendix 1 List of Trenches

Trench No.	Dimensions (m)	Depths (m)	Comments	Archaeology
6	50 x 2	0.70m (ENE), 0.65m (20m), 0.60m (40m), 0.45m (WSW).	Light orange brown silty sand with small stones throughout.	Large pit [601]; Large pit [602].
7	50 x 2	0.40m (SSW), 0.30m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.40 (NNE).	Mid orange brown, coarse gravelly sand with lots of stones of varying sizes.	None
8	50 x 2	1.00m (ENE), 0.80m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.30m (WSW).	Light-mid grey brown silty sand with some stones throughout and some waterlogging at deepest point. Becomes more stony and mid orange colour further uphill.	Large pit [801].
9	75 x 2	1.10m (N), 1.00m (37m), 0.45 (75m).	Mid-orange brown silty sand with some small stone inclusions. More greyish brown in some places.	Gravel drain.
10	75 x 2	0.55m (N), 1.20m (37m), 0.40m (75m).	Light brownish orange silty sand with frequent medium stone inclusions.	Gravel drain.
11	75 x 2	0.60m (N), 0.90m (38m), 0.35m (75m).	Orange brown sandy silt with frequent medium stone inclusions.	Gravel drain.
12	50 x 2	0.35m (ENE), 0.40m (20m), 0.40m (40m), 0.40m (WSW).	Mid orange brown, loose, coarse gravelly sand with frequent stones.	None.
13	50 x 2	0.40m (E), 0.30m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.30m (W).	Mid orange brown coarse sand with frequent stones on steep hillside.	None.
14	50 x 2	0.20m (E), 0.40m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.30m (W).	Mid orange brown coarse sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.
15	50 x 2	0.30m (E), 0.40m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.20m (W).	Mid orange brown coarse sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.

Trench No.	Dimensions (m)	Depths (m)	Comments	Archaeology
16	50 x 2	0.50m (NE), 0.30m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.30m (SW).	Mid orange brown coarse silty sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.
17	50 x 2	0.85m (NE), 0.75m (25m), 0.40m (SW).	Mid orange brown silty sand with frequent medium stone inclusions.	None.
18	50 x 2	0.30m (NE), 0.30m (25m), 0.25m (SW).	Mid orange brown sandy coarse sand with some silt inclusions.	None.
19	50 x 2	0.25m (SE), 0.65m (25m), 0.30 (50m).	Mid orange brown sandy coarse sand with some silt inclusions.	None.
20	50 x 2	0.35m (WNW), 0.75 (25m), 0.25m (ESE).	Mid orange brown sandy coarse sand with some silt inclusions.	Plough marks.
21	100 x 2	0.40m (E), 0.55m (50m), 0.40m (W).	Mid orange brown sandy coarse sand with some silt inclusions.	Plough marks.
22	75 x 2	0.35m (W), 0.65m (40m), 0.35m (E).	Mid orange brown sandy coarse sand with some silt inclusions.	Plough marks.
23	75 x 2	0.70m (W), 0.30m (20m), 0.50m (40m), 0.50m (50m), 0.60m (60m), 0.40m (E).	Mid orange brown loose silty sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.
24	75 x 2	0.70m (W), 1.10m (20m), 0.40m (40m), 0.50m (50m), 0.60m (60m), 0.30m (E).	Mid orange brown silty sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.
25	75 x 2	0.60m (W), 1.25m (20m), 0.65m (40m), 0.45m (50m), 0.80m (60m), 0.30m (E).	Mid orange brown coarse silty sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.
26	150 x 2	0.25 (N), 0.25m (60m), 0.20m (S).	Light orange yellow sandy silt.	Plough marks; Large pit [2601].
27	120 x 2	0.25m (N), 0.25m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.25m (50m), 0.35m (60m), 0.30m (80m), 0.20m (100m), 0.30m (120m).	Mid orange brown, loose, gravelly sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.
28	50 x 2	0.40m (N), 0.50m (25m), 0.60m (S).	Mid orange brown sandy gravel with frequent stone inclusions.	None.

Trench No.	Dimensions (m)	Depths (m)	Comments	Archaeology
29	50 x 2	0.35m (N), 0.35m (25m), 0.35m (S).	Mid orange brown sandy gravel with frequent stone inclusions.	Trial trench from Phase 1 investigations.
30	50 x 2	0.50m (N), 0.70m (25m), 0.90m (S).	Mid orange brown silty sand with frequent stone inclusions.	Gravel drain.
31	50 x 2	0.60m (N), 0.60m (25m), 0.85m (S).	Mid orange brown silty sand with frequent stone inclusions.	Plough marks.
32	50 x 2	0.85m (N), 0.90m (25m), 0.50m (S).	Mid orange brown with some stone and yellow sandy silt inclusions.	Medium pit [3201].
33	50 x 2	0.75m (N), 0.80m (25m), 1.00m (S).	Mid orange brown silty sand with frequent stone inclusions.	None.
34	150 x 2	0.75m (NNW), 0.85m (75m), 0.40m (150m).	Natural light orange grey silty sand with occasional small stone inclusions.	Large pit [3404]; Gravel drain.
35	150 x 2	1.20m (SSE), 0.35m (75m), 0.30m (150m).	Mid brown orange sandy gravel with some inclusions of yellow orange silty sand.	Plough marks; Gravel drains.
36	75 x 2	0.70m (W), 0.65m (20m), 0.75m (40m), 0.50m (50m), 0.25m (60m), 0.30m (E).	Mid orange brown silty sand with occasional stone inclusions. Stonier and darker further uphill.	None.
37	75 x 2	0.70m (W), 0.65m (20m), 0.50m (40m), 0.40m (50m), 0.35m (60m), 0.45m (E).	Light orange brown silty sand with occasional stone inclusions. Stonier and darker further uphill.	None.
38	100 x 2	0.70m (W), 0.70m (20m), 0.80m (40m), 0.75m (50m), 0.65m (60m), 0.50m (80m), 0.60m (E).	Pale white/orange brown silty sand with occasional stone inclusions. Stonier and more orange further uphill.	Plough marks.
39	100 x 2	0.50m (W), 0.80m (20m), 0.70m (40m), 0.60m (50m), 0.50m (60m), 0.40m (80m), 0.60m (E).	Pale orange brown silty sand with very occasional stone inclusions.	Plough marks.
40	75 x 2	0.60m (W), 0.65m (20m), 0.40m (40m), 0.30m (50m), 0.40m (60m), 0.50m (E).	Mid orange brown silty sand with occasional stone inclusions. Stonier and more compact further uphill.	Plough marks.

Trench No.	Dimensions (m)	Depths (m)	Comments	Archaeology
41	75 x 2	0.50m (E), 0.80m (20m), 0.35m (40m), 0.30m (50m), 0.30m (60m), 0.40m (W).	Mid orange brown silty sand with occasional stone inclusions and some black/manganese staining.	Plough marks.
48	50 x 2	0.50m (S), 0.50m (20m), 0.40m (40m), 0.40m (N).	Mid light orange brown silty sand with very occasional stone inclusions.	Posthole [4801].
49	10 x 14	0.65m (throughout).	Dark blackish brown silty sand with some stone inclusions.	Deposit [4901] containing flint fragments.
50	50 x 2	0.90m (NNW), 0.50m (20m), 0.30m (40m), 0.40m (SSE).	Greyish orange brown loose silty sand.	Possible gravel drains/furrows [5001] and [5002].
51	10 x 2	0.20m (N), 0.30m (S).	Mid orange brown, loose, stony silty sand.	None.
52	20 x 2	0.20m (N), 0.30m (S).	Mid orange brown, loose, stony silty sand.	None.
53	4 x 3.7	0.2-0.4m	Mid orange brown, loose, stony silty sand.	Cists [003] and [004], previously excavated in the 1930/40s.

Appendix 2 List of Contexts

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Same As	Interpretation
001	Deposit	Mid grey brown silty sand of a very loose compaction with frequent small stone inclusions. Depth: up to 0.40m.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Topsoil.
002	Deposit	Mid orange brown silty sand of a very loose compaction with frequent small and medium size stones.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Natural subsoil.
003	Structure	Cist formed by four upright slabs creating a rectangular shape in plan. Measures 1.20m NE-SW x 0.60m internally x 0.64m deep. The corners, where slabs meet have been packed with smaller stones/slabs to fill gaps. A large flat slab (slab 12) has been laid over the base of the cist. Medium sized (~0.20m) natural stones appear to have been packed around the exterior of the cist slabs during construction. Slab 4 measures 1.50m long x 0.18m wide x 0.72m dep. Slab 5 measures 0.45m long x 0.16m wide x 0.65m deep. Slab 6 measures 1.30m long x 0.24m wide x 0.44m deep. Slab 7 measures 0.65m long x 0.10m wide x 0.65m deep. Slab 12 measures 1.10m long x 0.40m wide x 0.12 thick.	002	001, 007, 008	-	005	002	-	-	Cist 2 stone structure.

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Same As	Interpretation
004	Structure	Cist formed by four upright slabs creating a sub-rectangular shape in plan. Measures 1.20m NE-SW x 0.77m internally x 0.70m deep. The corners, where slabs meet, are packed with smaller stones/slabs to fill gaps and for structural support. There are also smaller stones/slabs positioned underneath the main four slabs for structural support. Medium sized (~0.20m) natural stones appear to have been packed around the exterior of the four cist slabs during construction. Slab 8 measures 1.05m long x 0.20m wide x 0.55m deep. Slab 9 measures 0.86m long x 0.18m wide x 0.60m deep. Slab 10 measures 1.00m long x 0.15m wide x 0.60m deep. Slab 11 measures 0.76m long x 0.16m wide x 0.40m deep. Slab 11 has a cup mark on the interior face, though it is unclear whether this is carved or natural.	002	001, 007, 008	-	006	002	-	-	Cist 1 stone structure.
005	Fill	Fill of cist [003]: Dark grey brown silty sand of a very loose compaction with some large (~0.50m) and small stone inclusions. Some small roots. SF # 013; Bone fragment. Also some recent pot and metal fragments.	003	001	003	-	-	-	-	Fill of Cist 2: backfill from the 1938 excavation.
006	Fill	Fill of cist [004]: Dark grey brown silty sand of a very loose compaction with some large (~0.50m) and small stone inclusions. Some small roots. SF # 015; 2 x Puff Balls from basal fill. SF # 014; 2 x metal fragments. Also some recent pot and metal fragments.	004	001	004	-	-	-	-	Fill of Cist 1: backfill from the 1938 excavation.

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Same As	Interpretation
007	Structure	Three large flat slabs laid over the top of cist structures [003] and [004]. Slab 1 is sub-rectangular and possibly broken; it measures 0.70m x 0.45m x 0.10m. Slab 2 is sub-triangular; it measures 1.10m x 0.85m x 0.20m. Slab 3 is sub-rectangular; it measures 1.00m x 0.45m x 0.15m.	003, 004, 008	001	-	-	-	-	-	Capstones from Cist 1 and Cist 2, which have probably been displaced from their original positions by ploughing. Other flat slabs are visible downslope and may have been part of the cists.
008	Deposit	Deposit of large stones in topsoil partially covering and between the two cists. Stones are naturally rounded up to 0.5m long.	002, 003, 004	001, 007	-	-	-	-	-	Interpreted in 1938 as the remains of a cairn over the cists, but may be natural.
601	Cut	Oval-shaped pit with steep sloping sides which break to form a flat base. U-shaped in profile. 1.40m long x 1.30m wide x 0.20m deep.	-	-	-	603	-	-	-	Pit of unknown function. Probably associated with [602] and [801] given proximity and similarity.
602	Cut	Shallow, sub-rectangular pit with gently sloping sides which break imperceptibly to form an undulating, stony base. Measures 1.40m long x 1.20m wide x 0.16m deep.	-	-	-	604	-	-	-	Pit of unknown function. Probably associated with [601] and [801] given proximity and similarity.
603	Fill	Fill of pit [601]. Mid-blackish grey loose silty sand with frequent stone and occasional charcoal inclusions. SF # 010. 3 x pot sherds.	-	-	601	-	-	-	-	Fill of pit [601].
604	Fill	Fill of pit [602]. Mid grey loose sand of friable composition with frequent inclusions of medium sized stones. Some small roots.	-	-	602	-	-	-	-	Fill of pit [602].
801	Cut	Sub-oval pit with steep sides which break gradually to form a flat base. Measures 1.40m long x 1.10m wide x 0.35m deep.	-	-	-	802	-	-	-	Pit of unknown function. May be associated with similar pits [601] and [602] which are positioned ~10m to the NNE.

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Same As	Interpretation
802	Fill	Mid grey sand of friable composition and medium compaction with frequent medium size stone inclusions. Some small roots. Darker lens in southeast corner.	-	-	801	-	-	-	-	Fill of pit [801].
2601	Cut	Oval-shaped pit with steep sloping sides which break to form an undulating base. Measures 1.10m long x 1.00m wide x 0.35m deep.	-	-		2602	-	-	-	Stone-filled pit.
2602	Fill	Mid greyish brown silty sand with frequent large stones inclusions. Some of the stones appear to be set upright but do not form anything structural.	-	-	2601	-	-	-	-	Fill of pit [2601].
3201	Cut	Oval-shaped pit with steep sides which break sharply to form a flat base. U-shape in profile. 0.80m long x 0.75m wide x 0.30m deep.	-	-		3202	-	-	-	Possible fire pit.
3202	Fill	Mid greyish brown silty sand with frequent large stone and charcoal inclusions.	-	-	3201	-	-	-	-	Upper fill of possible fire pit [3201].
3203	Fill	Dark blackish brown sandy silt. Extremely high concentration of charcoal. No stone present.	-	-	3201	-	-	-	-	Basal fill of possible fire pit [3201].

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Same As	Interpretation
3404	Cut	Large suboval pit/linear measuring 5.7m N-S x 5.8m E-W and extending out with the W edge of the trench. Sides are gently/steeply sloping (steeper on the E edge), curving onto an undulating, possibly clay lined base. Up to 0.9m deep, but base was unclear due to the similarities of the lower fills to the natural subsoil. Some animal burrowing present at the edges and base. Slot 1 was dug at the terminus (E edge) and measured 1.20m E-W x 1.40m N-S x 0.40m deep. Slots 2/3 were dug across the centre and eventually combined into one slot measuring 1.4m wide.	002	-	-	3407, 3408, 3409, 3410	002	-	-	Possible terminus of a linear feature or possible large pit.
3407	Fill	Upper fill of [3404]: Dark grey brown, loose/friable silty sand with frequent small stone inclusions and very occasional charcoal inclusions. Contains fragments of bone, shell and Medieval pottery. SF # 003. Fragments of pottery, possibly Medieval.	3408	-	3404	-	-	-	-	Upper fill of large pit/linear [3404].
3408	Fill	Lower fill of [3404] consisting of thin lenses or layers of pale orange brown compact sandy clay and dark grey brown silty sand with frequent inclusions of medium stones. Very mixed with possible animal disturbance in parts. No clear edge/base.	-	3407	3404	-	-	-	-	Basal fill of pit/linear [3404]. Lenses/layers may be natural banding.
3409	Fill	Mid orange-brown fine sand with very few inclusions which forms a layer between upper fill (3407) and lower clay like deposit (3408). This fill is only present on the north side of the feature.	3408, 002	3407	3404	-	-	-	-	Middle fill of large pit/linear [3404].

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Same As	Interpretation
3410	Fill	Dark grey-brown coarse silty sand with frequent small stone inclusions. Similar to the lens seen within (3407).	3408	3407, 3408	3404	-	-	-	-	Middle fill of large pit/linear [3404]. May be a natural banding/lens.
4801	Cut	Sub-oval pit with steep sides which break to form a gently sloping wet clayish base. Lined with large suboval stones. Measures 0.52m x 0.57m x 0.27m deep.	-	-	-	4802	-	-	-	Stone lined posthole.
4802	Fill	Fill of possible posthole [4801]. Mid brown silty sand with occasional charcoal and possible burnt bone inclusions. Medium stones have possibly been packed around the upper edges of the cut.	-	-	4801	-	-	-	-	Fill of stone lined posthole [4801].
4901	Deposit	Dark grey sandy silt with occasional small stones and charcoal inclusions. Measures 2.50m long x 1.6m wide x 0.16m deep. Contains fragments of possible worked flint. SF # 012. 3 x Flint flakes.	002	001	-	-	-	-	-	Fill of natural hollow.
5001	Cut	Linear feature aligned NE-SW which extends beyond trench boundary on both sides. Gently sloping sides break to form an undulating base. Bowl-shaped in profile. 1.30m wide x 2.50m exposed x 0.25m deep.	-	-	-	5003	-	-	-	Cut of possible furrow/gravel drain. Possible relationship with [5002]
5002	Cut	Linear feature aligned NW-SE. Which extends beyond trench boundary on both sides. Gently sloping sides break to form a flat base. Bowl-shaped in profile. Measures 1.50m wide x 2.50m exposed x 0.20m deep.	-	-	-	5004	-	-	-	Cut of possible furrow/gravel drain. Possible relationship with [5001].

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Same As	Interpretation
5003	Fill	Fill of linear [5001]. Mid grey loose silty sand with some stone inclusions. SF # 006. 1 x Flint debitage.	-	-	5001	-	-	-	-	Fill of possible furrow/gravel drain [5001].
5004	Fill	Fill of linear [5002]. Mid grey brown silty sand with some medium stone inclusions.	-	-	5002	-	-	-	-	Fill of possible furrow/gravel drain [5002].

Appendix 3 List of Site Photographs

Photo No.	Trench/ Feature No.	Description	Direction Facing	Date
1	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
2	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
3	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
4	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
5	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
6	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
7	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
8	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
9	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
10	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
11	-	General view of site pre-works.	-	15/04/2019
12	Trench 7	Post-excavation image of Trench 7.	SSW	15/04/2019
13	Trench 6	Post-excavation image of Trench 6.	ENE	15/04/2019
14	Trench 8	Post-excavation image of Trench 8.	ENE	15/04/2019
15	-	General working shot.	SE	15/04/2019
16	Cist area	Pre-excavation image of cist area.	NW	15/04/2019
17	Trench 12	Post-excavation image of Trench 12.	ENE	15/04/2019
18	Trench 13	Post-excavation image of Trench 13.	E	15/04/2019
19	-	General working shot.	NE	15/04/2019
20	Trench 14	Post-excavation image of Trench 14.	E	15/04/2019
21	Trench 13	Post-excavation image of Trench 13.	W	15/04/2019
22	Trench 12	Post-excavation image of Trench 12.	WSW	15/04/2019
23	Trench 15	Post-excavation image of Trench 15.	E	15/04/2019
24	Trench 16	Post-excavation image of Trench 16.	NE	15/04/2019
25	Trench 9	Post-excavation image of Trench 9.	N	15/04/2019
26	Trench 9	Post-excavation image of Trench 9.	S	15/04/2019
27	Trench 10	Post-excavation image of Trench 10.	S	15/04/2019
28	Trench 10	Post-excavation image of Trench 10.	N	15/04/2019
29	Trench 11	Post-excavation image of Trench 11.	N	15/04/2019
30	Trench 11	Post-excavation image of Trench 11.	S	15/04/2019
31	Trench 26	Post-excavation image of Trench 26.	N	15/04/2019
32	Trench 26	Post-excavation image of Trench 26.	S	15/04/2019
33	Trench 26	Post-excavation image of Trench 26.	N	15/04/2019
34	Trench 26	Post-excavation image of Trench 26.	S	15/04/2019
35	Trench 17	Post-excavation image of Trench 17.	SW	15/04/2019
36	Trench 17	Post-excavation image of Trench 17.	NE	15/04/2019
37	Trench 32	Post-excavation image of Trench 32.	S	15/04/2019
38	Trench 32	Post-excavation image of Trench 32.	N	15/04/2019
39	Trench 31	Post-excavation image of Trench 31.	N	15/04/2019
40	Trench 31	Post-excavation image of Trench 31.	S	15/04/2019
41	Trench 30	Post-excavation image of Trench 30.	N	15/04/2019
42	Trench 30	Post-excavation image of Trench 30.	S	15/04/2019

Photo No.	Trench/ Feature No.	Description	Direction Facing	Date
43	Trench 33	Post-excavation image of Trench 33.	S	15/04/2019
44	Trench 33	Post-excavation image of Trench 33.	N	15/04/2019
45	Trench 41	Post-excavation image of Trench 41.	W	16/04/2019
46	Trench 40	Post-excavation image of Trench 40.	W	16/04/2019
47	Trench 48	Post-excavation image of Trench 48.	SSW	16/04/2019
48	Trench 39	Post-excavation image of Trench 39.	W	16/04/2019
49	Trench 38	Post-excavation image of Trench 38.	W	16/04/2019
50		General working shot/site overview.	NNW	16/04/2019
51	Trench 35	Post-excavation image of Trench 35.	NNW	16/04/2019
52	Trench 35	Post-excavation, mid-trench image of Trench 35.	SSE	16/04/2019
53	Trench 35	Post-excavation, mid-trench image of Trench 35.	NNW	16/04/2019
54	Trench 35	Post-excavation image of Trench 35.	SSE	16/04/2019
55	Trench 37	Post-excavation image of Trench 37.	W	17/04/2019
56	Trench 36	Post-excavation image of Trench 36.	W	17/04/2019
57	Trench 27	Post-excavation image of Trench 27.	S	17/04/2019
58	Trench 25	Post-excavation image of Trench 25.	W	17/04/2019
59	Trench 24	Post-excavation image of Trench 24.	W	17/04/2019
60	Trench 29	Post-excavation image of Trench 29.	S	17/04/2019
61	Trench 29	Post-excavation image of Trench 29.	N	17/04/2019
62	Trench 28	Post-excavation image of Trench 28.	S	17/04/2019
63	Trench 28	Post-excavation image of Trench 28.	S	17/04/2019
64	Trench 34	Post-excavation image of Trench 34.	NNW	17/04/2019
65	Trench 34	Post-excavation image of Trench 34.	SSE	17/04/2019
66	Trench 34	Post-excavation image of Trench 34.	NNW	17/04/2019
67	Trench 34	Post-excavation image of Trench 34.	SSE	17/04/2019
68	Trench 34	Post-excavation image of Trench 34.	SSE	17/04/2019
69	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 19.	NW	17/04/2019
70	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 19.	SE	17/04/2019
71	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 20.	ESE	17/04/2019
72	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 20.	WNW	17/04/2019
73	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 18.	NE	17/04/2019
74	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 18.	SW	17/04/2019
75	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 21.	E	17/04/2019
76	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 21.	W	17/04/2019
77	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 22.	W	17/04/2019
78	Trench	Post-excavation, mid-trench image of Trench 22.	W	17/04/2019
79	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 22.	E	17/04/2019
80	[3201]	Pre-excavation image of pit [3201] (3202).	S	18/04/2019
81	[3201]	Post-excavation image of pit [3201] (3202).	E	18/04/2019

Photo No.	Trench/ Feature No.	Description	Direction Facing	Date
82	[3201]	West-facing section of pit [3201] (3202).	E	18/04/2019
83	[3201]	West-facing section of pit [3201] (3202).	E	18/04/2019
84	[3201]	West-facing section of pit [3201] (3202).	E	18/04/2019
85	[4801]	Southwest-facing section of stone-lined possible posthole [4801] (4802).	NE	18/04/2019
86	[4801]	Southwest-facing section of stone-lined possible posthole [4801] (4802).	NE	18/04/2019
87	[4801]	Southwest-facing section of stone-lined possible posthole [4801] (4802).	NE	18/04/2019
88	[3404]	Pre-excavation image of large possible linear/pit [3404] (3407).	N	18/04/2019
89	[3404]	Pre-excavation image of large possible linear/pit [3404] (3407).	N	18/04/2019
90	(4901)	East-southeast-facing section of spread (4901).	WSW	18/04/2019
91	(4901)	East-southeast-facing section of spread (4901).	WSW	18/04/2019
92	[5002]	Post-excavation image of possible field drain [5002] (5004).	NE	18/04/2019
93	[5002]	West-southwest-facing section of slot through possible field drain [5002] (5004).	ESE	18/04/2019
94	[5002]	Post-excavation plan image of possible field drain [5002] (5004).	ESE	18/04/2019
95	[5001]	Northwest-facing section of slot through possible field drain [5001] (5003).	SW	18/04/2019
96	[5001]	Post-excavation plan image of possible field drain [5001] (5003).	S	18/04/2019
97	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 23.	W	18/04/2019
98	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 50.	NNW	18/04/2019
99	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 51.	N	18/04/2019
100	Trench	Post-excavation image of Trench 52.	S	18/04/2019
101	[801]	Pre-excavation image of pit [801] (802). Note darker lens top right.	SE	19/04/2019
102	[801]	Pre-excavation image of pit [801] (802). Note darker lens bottom left.	NW	19/04/2019
103	[601], [602]	Pre-excavation image of (left to right) pits [601] and [602].	WNW	19/04/2019
104	[601], [602]	Pre-excavation image of (left to right) pits [601] and [602].	WNW	19/04/2019
105	[601]	Pre-excavation image of pit [601].	NNE	19/04/2019

Photo No.	Trench/ Feature No.	Description	Direction Facing	Date
106	[602]	Pre-excavation image of pit [602].	SSW	19/04/2019
107	[601]	North-northeast-facing section of pit [601].	SSE	19/04/2019
108	[601]	North-northeast-facing section of pit [601].	SSE	19/04/2019
109	[601]	Post-excavation plan image of pit [601].	NNE	19/04/2019
110	[801]	South-southwest-facing section of pit [801].	NNE	19/04/2019
111	[801]	Post-excavation image of pit [801].	W	19/04/2019
112	[602]	Northwest-facing section of pit [602] (604).	SW	19/04/2019
113	[602], [601]	Post-excavation image of pits [601] and [602].	SW	19/04/2019
114	[602], [601]	Post-excavation image of pits [601] and [602].	E	19/04/2019
115	[602], [601]	Post-excavation image of pits [601] and [602].	E	19/04/2019
116	[602]	Post-excavation image of pit [602].	SW	19/04/2019
117	[2601]	Mid-excavation image of stone-filled pit [2601] (2602).	W	19/04/2019
118	[2601]	Post-excavation image of stone-filled pit [2601] (2602).	W	19/04/2019
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120	[3404]	General shot of large linear/pit [3404].	NE	19/04/2019
121	[3404]	General shot of large linear/pit [3404].	E	19/04/2019
122	[3404]	General shot of large linear/pit [3404].	N	19/04/2019
123	[3404]	General shot of large linear/pit [3404].	W	19/04/2019
124	[3404]	General shot of large linear/pit [3404].	SSE	19/04/2019
125	[3404]	Mid-excavation image of Slot 3 through large linear/pit [3404].	E	19/04/2019
126	[3404]	Mid-excavation image of Slot 2 through large linear/pit [3404].	SW	19/04/2019
127	[3404]	Mid-excavation image of Slots 2 and 3 through large linear/pit [3404].	SSE	19/04/2019
128	[3404]	Mid-excavation image of Slots 2 and 3 through large linear/pit [3404].	NNW	19/04/2019
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130	[3404]	Mid-excavation image of Slot 1 through large linear/pit [3404].	SE	19/04/2019
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132	[3404]	North-facing section of Slot 1 through [3404].	S	22/04/2019

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136	[3404]	General image of Slot 2 through [3404].	N	22/04/2019
137	[3404]	West-facing section of Slot 2 through [3404].	SE	22/04/2019
138	[3404]	West-facing section of Slot 2 through [3404].	E	22/04/2019
139	[3404]	West-facing section of Slot 2 through [3404].	E	22/04/2019
140	[3404]	General image of Slot 2 through [3404].	N	22/04/2019
141	[3404]	General image of [3404]. Slot 2 front, Slot 3 back.	N	22/04/2019
142	[3404]	East-facing section of Slot 2 through [3404].	W	22/04/2019
143	[3404]	East-facing section of Slot 2 through [3404].	W	22/04/2019
144	[3404]	General image of Slot 2 through [3404].	SW	22/04/2019
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146	[3201]	Post-excavation image of firepit [3201].	E	22/04/2019
147	[3201]	Post-excavation image of firepit [3201].	E	22/04/2019
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149	[3201]	Post-excavation image of firepit [3201].	N	22/04/2019
150	[3201]	Post-excavation image of firepit [3201].	N	22/04/2019
151	[3201]	Post-excavation image of firepit [3201].	N	22/04/2019
152	[3201]	Post-excavation image of firepit [3201].	SW	22/04/2019
153	[801]	Post-excavation image of pit [801].	NWW	22/04/2019
154	[801]	Post-excavation image of pit [801].	SEE	22/04/2019
155	[602]	Post-excavation image of pit [602].	W	22/04/2019
156	[602]	Post-excavation image of pit [602].	NW	22/04/2019

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158	[601]	Post-excavation image of pit [601].	E	22/04/2019
159	[601], [602]	Post-excavation image of pits [601] and [602].	E	22/04/2019
160	[3404]	Extension of Slots 2 and 3 through (3403).	E	22/04/2019
161	[3404]	Extension of Slots 2 and 3 through (3403).	N	22/04/2019
162	[3404]	Extension of Slots 2 and 3 through (3403).	S	22/04/2019
163	[3404]	Extension of Slots 2 and 3 through (3403).	W	22/04/2019
164	[3404]	W-Facing section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	E	23/04/2019
165	[3404]	W-Facing section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	E	23/04/2019
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170	[3404]	General image of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	S	23/04/2019
171	[3404]	General image of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	N	23/04/2019
172	[3404]	East-facing, close-up section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	W	23/04/2019
173	[3404]	East-facing, close-up section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	W	23/04/2019
174	[3404]	East-facing, close-up section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	W	23/04/2019
175	[3404]	West-facing, close-up section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	E	23/04/2019
176	[3404]	West-facing, close-up section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	E	23/04/2019
177	[3404]	West-facing, close-up section of Extended Slot 2/3 through [3404].	E	23/04/2019
178	Cist area	General image of cists after deturfing of area.	W	24/04/2019
179	Cist area	General image of cists after deturfing of area.	S	24/04/2019
180	Cist area	General image of cists after deturfing of area.	NE	24/04/2019

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183	-	General view of site post-works.	-	24/04/2019
184	-	General view of site post-works.	S	24/04/2019
185	-	General view of site post-works.	S	24/04/2019
186	-	General view of site post-works.	S	24/04/2019
187	-	General view of site post-works.	S	24/04/2019
188	-	General view of site post-works.	S	24/04/2019
189	-	General view of site post-works.	S	24/04/2019
190	Cist area	Close-up image of cist slabs.	NE	24/04/2019
191	Cist area	Close-up image of cist slabs.	S	24/04/2019
192	Cist area	Close-up image of cist slabs.	E	24/04/2019
193	Cist area	Close-up image of cist slabs.	S	24/04/2019
194	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	S	01/05/2019
195	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	SE	01/05/2019
196	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	E	01/05/2019
197	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	NE	01/05/2019
198	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	NE	01/05/2019
199	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	NE	01/05/2019
200	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	N	01/05/2019
201	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	N	01/05/2019
202	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	NW	01/05/2019
203	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	W	01/05/2019
204	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	W	01/05/2019
205	003, 004, 007, 008	Pre-excavation image of cists.	SW	01/05/2019
206	003	Pre-excavation image of Cist 2.	NW	01/05/2019
207	004	Pre-excavation image of Cist 1	SE	01/05/2019
208	007	Capstone 1.	SW	01/05/2019
209	007	Capstone 2.	NNE	01/05/2019
210	007	Capstone 3.	WSW	01/05/2019
211	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones removed.	S	01/05/2019

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212	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones removed.	SE	01/05/2019
213	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones removed.	E	01/05/2019
214	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones removed.	N	01/05/2019
215	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones removed.	NW	01/05/2019
216	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones removed.	W	01/05/2019
217	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones removed.	SW	01/05/2019
218	004	Close-up pre-excavation image of Cist 1. Capstones removed.	SE	01/05/2019
219	004	Close-up pre-excavation image of Cist 1. Capstones removed.	SW	01/05/2019
220	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	S	02/05/2019
221	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	SE	02/05/2019
222	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	E	02/05/2019
223	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	NE	02/05/2019
224	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	N	02/05/2019
225	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	NW	02/05/2019
226	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	W	02/05/2019
227	003, 004	Pre-excavation image of cists. Capstones and rubble removed.	SW	02/05/2019
228	-	Working shots, excavating cists.	-	02/05/2019
229	-	Working shots, excavating cists.	-	02/05/2019
230	-	Working shots, excavating cists.	-	02/05/2019
231	-	Working shots, excavating cists.	-	02/05/2019
232	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	NNW	02/05/2019
233	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	NW	02/05/2019
234	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	W	02/05/2019
235	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	SW	02/05/2019

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236	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	SSE	02/05/2019
237	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	SE	02/05/2019
238	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	SE	02/05/2019
239	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	NE	02/05/2019
240	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	N	02/05/2019
241	003, 004	Post-excavation overall view image of cists.	N	02/05/2019
242	003	Post excavation plan view image of Cist 2.	NW	02/05/2019
243	003	Post-excavation image of Cist 2, interior Southeast-facing slab.	NW	02/05/2019
244	003	Post-excavation image of Cist 2, interior Southeast-facing slab.	NW	02/05/2019
245	003	Post-excavation image of Cist 2, interior Southwest-facing slab.	NE	02/05/2019
246	003	Post-excavation image of Cist 2, interior Northwest-facing slab.	SE	02/05/2019
247	003	Post-excavation image of Cist 2, interior Northeast-facing slab.	SW	02/05/2019
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249	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, interior Northwest-facing slab.	SE	02/05/2019
250	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, interior Northeast-facing slab.	SW	02/05/2019
251	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, interior Southeast-facing slab.	NW	02/05/2019
252	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, interior Southwest-facing slab.	NE	02/05/2019
253	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, North quadrant.	SE	03/05/2019
254	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, North quadrant.	SW	03/05/2019
255	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, North quadrant.	S	03/05/2019
256	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, South quadrant.	NW	03/05/2019
257	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, South quadrant.	N	03/05/2019

Photo No.	Trench/ Feature No.	Description	Direction Facing	Date
258	003	Post-excavation image of Cist 2, East quadrant.	W	03/05/2019
259	003, 004	Post-excavation image of cists 1 and 2.	NW	03/05/2019
260	003	Post-excavation of Cist 2, West quadrant.	SE	03/05/2019
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262	003, 004	Post-excavation overall image of cists 1 and 2.	NE	03/05/2019
263	003, 004	Post-excavation overall image of cists 1 and 2.	S	03/05/2019
264	003, 004	Post-excavation overall image of cists 1 and 2.	SW	03/05/2019
265	003, 004	Post-excavation overall image of cists 1 and 2.	W	03/05/2019
266	003, 004	Post-excavation overall image of cists 1 and 2.	NW	03/05/2019
267	003, 004	Post-excavation overall image of cists 1 and 2.	N	03/05/2019
268	003, 004	Post-excavation image of Cist 2, East quadrant and Cist 1, South quadrant	NW	03/05/2019
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270	004	Post-excavation image of Cist 1, South quadrant.	N	03/05/2019

Appendix 4 List of Samples

Context no.	Size	Comments
005	10L	1 tub; base of cist 2 under large slab. This could be in situ deposit if the large slab was not moved during 1930s excavation
006	10L	1 tub; base of cist 1.
603	20L	2 tubs
604	20L	2 tubs
802	20L	2 tubs
2602	10L	1 tub
3202	20L	2 tubs
3203	10L	1 tub
3407	60L	6 tubs; shell fragments
4802	10L	1 tub
4901	20L	2 tubs

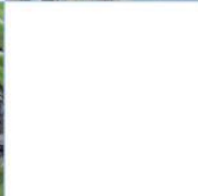
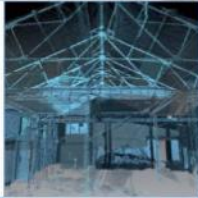
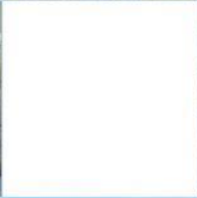
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001	1	West-facing section of pit [3201] (3202).	1:10	18/04/2019
002	1	Post-excavation plan of pit [3201] (3202).	1:20	18/04/2019
003	1	Southwest-facing section of pit [4801] (4802).	1:10	18/04/2019
004	1	Post-excavation plan of pit [4801] (4802).	1:20	18/04/2019
005	1	Northeast-facing section of slot through possible field drain [5001] (5003).	1:20	18/04/2019
006	1	West-southwest-facing section of slot through possible field drain [5002] (5004).	1:20	18/04/2019
007	1	North-northeast-facing section of pit [601] (603).	1:10	19/04/2019
008	1	Post-excavation plan of pit [601] (603).	1:20	19/04/2019
009	1	South-southwest-facing section of pit [801] (802).	1:20	19/04/2019
010	1	Post-excavation plan of pit [801] (802).	1:10	19/04/2019
011	1	Northeast-facing section of pit [602] (604).	1:10	19/04/2019
012	1	Post-excavation plan of pit [602] (604).	1:20	19/04/2019
013	2	North- and West-facing section of Slot 1 through [3404] (3407).	1:10	22/04/2019
014	2	West-facing section of Slot 3 through [3404].	1:10	22/04/2019
015 Part A	3	West-facing section of extended slot through [3404] (3407) (3408) (3409) (3410).	1:10	23/04/2019
015 Part B	2	West-facing section of extended slot through [3404] (3407) (3410) (3408).	1:10	23/04/2019
016	3	West-facing section of Slot 1 through [3404] (3407) (3408).	1:10	22/04/2019
017	4	Pre-excavation plan of cist 1 [003] and cist 2 [004].	1:20	01/05/2019

Drawing No.	Sheet No.	Description	Scale	Date
018	5	Pre-excavation plan of cists with capstones [007] removed.	1:20	01/05/2019
019	6	Post-excavation plan of cist 1 [003] and cist 2 [004].	1:20	02/05/2019
020	7	Northwest-facing section of cist 1 [003] and cist 2 [004].	1:20	02/05/2019
021	7	Northeast-facing section of cist 1 [004].	1:10	03/05/2019
022	7	Southwest-facing section of cist 2 [003].	1:10	03/05/2019

Appendix 6 List of Small Finds

Find No.	Context No.	Material	Description
001	(3407)	Animal bone	Multiple fragments of animal bone.
002	(3407)	Shell	Multiple shell fragments.
003	(3407)	Pot	5 x Pot sherds.
006	(5003)	Lithic	1 x piece of flint debitage.
008	(3404)	Animal bone	4 x Fragments of animal bone/teeth
009	(001) T35	Pot	1 x Glazed pot sherd
010	(603)	Pot	3 x Pot sherds; 2 white; 1 red.
011	(604)	Slate	1 x Fragment of slate with nail hole at edge.
012	(4901)	Lithic	3 x flint flakes.
013	(005)	Bone	1 x fragment of socket bone from basal fill of cist 2.
014	(006)	Metal	2 x Metal fragments from upper fill of cist 1.
015	(006)	Plant	2 x Puff Balls (Fungal plant) from basal fill of cist 1.



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Abstract

This report details the finding of an archaeological watching brief and associated excavation carried out at Dornoch North, Phase 2, Sutherland (NH 7971 9022), ahead of a second phase of housing development. The watching brief was required as an evaluation carried out in May 2019 (Stirling & Gallacher) identified twelve archaeological features comprising several pits and linear features and a large pit or ditch. The site of two Bronze Age cists, which had previously been excavated in 1938, were also re-excavated and recorded during the evaluation

The watching brief uncovered a further 101 features consisting of a ditched enclosure, the remnants of a roundhouse, seven pit groups, three possible fire-pits, a stone filled ditch with upright stone and isolated pits and postholes. In one are, a large circular ditch enclosed multiple internal pit features and a secondary D-shaped enclosure contained an internal post structure with associated internal and external fire-pits. A probable roundhouse and a dense cluster of pits/post-holes was also located near the enclosure.

The remaining features consisted of three groups of curvilinear features, a group of pits containing possible stone sockets within a stone filled ditch and a line of pits located between the roundhouse and enclosures. Isolated pit features across the site did not form meaningful arrangements.

The results from the archaeological work have shown further extensive evidence for considerable prehistoric activity and later, probably medieval, landscape use. Post-excavation analyses will be required to interpret the chronology and the activities undertaken on the site.

1.0 Introduction

- 1.1 An archaeological watching brief was required by Springfield Properties PLC in advance of the construction of a residential development at Dornoch North, Phase 2 (Highland Council Planning Ref: 19/03160/FUL). The requirement for an archaeological watching brief arose as a previous trench evaluation undertaken by AOC in May 2019 had uncovered significant archaeological remains (**Figure 2**).
- 1.2 The site lies within the administrative of Highland Council, which is advised on archaeological matters by Kirsty Cameron, Archaeologist, Historic Environment Team, Highland Council. The archaeological works were conducted in accordance with the policies and principles set out in *Scottish Planning Policy (2014)* & *Planning and Archaeology 2/2011 (2011)*, and protocols set out in the Highland Council *Standards for Archaeological Work (2012)* and the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA) standards and guidance.
- 1.3 The watching brief was carried out over seven weeks between 24th May and 9th July 2021. A controlled topsoil strip across the development site revealed significant concentrations of archaeological features including a large D-shaped enclosure (Plate 1), a possible roundhouse, seven feature groups, three possible fire-pits and various other isolated pits and postholes. The archaeological results have shown that this area of Dornoch contained significant prehistoric activity, with evidence for later, potentially medieval, landscape use. A programme of post-excavation analysis has been recommended in order to fully interpret the fieldwork results.



Plate 1: Overview of enclosure, looking SE

2.0 Site location

- 2.1 The site is located to the north of Dornoch, with the phase 2 area centred on NGR NH 7971 9022 (**Figure 1**). It comprised an open field bounded by the Dornoch Burn on the west and Station Road to the east.
- 2.2 The site is approximately 7-21.5m AOD with a central ridge running N-S with an area of flat ground seen towards the west adjacent to the Dornoch Burn.
- 2.3 The development area is located within an area of sedimentary bedrock composed of Raddery Sandstone Formation. Formed between 383 to 393 million years ago in the Devonian Period it is associated with an environment previously dominated by rivers. The superficial geology consists primarily of Raised Marine Deposits – gravel, sand and silt formed up to 2 million years ago in the Quaternary Period. With areas of Alluvium – clay, silt, sand, and gravel seen towards the west and Raised Marine Deposits of Holocene age - gravel, sand and silt seen towards the southwest (British Geological Survey).

3.0 Archaeological background

- 3.1 The development site was located in an area of archaeological potential. Within the north end of the site, two Bronze Age short cist burials (Highland HER No. MHG11733) were uncovered in 1938. The cists contained the remains of inhumation burials and a food vessel, barbed-and-tanged flint arrowhead and fragment of a bronze pin in one of the graves.
- 3.2 Located to the north side of the Phase 2 site, Phase 1 was excavated in 2015 by AOC Archaeology. A number of significant archaeological features were uncovered including stone-lined storage pits, multiple hearths, a palisaded enclosure, post-holes, a shell midden, and a huge circular pit. Finds from these features included worked stone tools, animal bone and ceramic fragments. Post-excavation analysis of the results is indicative of an Iron Age settlement, with evidence of post-built structures, overlying Neolithic activity (Johnstone 2015; Johnstone 2021).
- 3.4 The west side of the phase 2 development area and surrounding fields to the west had been subject to previous archaeological investigations undertaken by Stuart Farrell (2007), including a desk-based assessment, geophysical survey, and partial trial trenching evaluation. Trial trenching uncovered a number of features across the site, including a post-hole, a small hearth, a deposit of shells and a wall. Geophysical survey was also carried out alongside this fieldwork by Archaeological Services WYAS (2007). A number of anomalies were identified, most of which were interpreted as geological deposits. In particular two rectilinear anomalies may indicate enclosures. Some of these features were identified adjacent to the north-western side and partially running into the southwestern side of the phase 2 area.
- 3.5 Numerous small finds have been recovered in the field during metal-detecting on the site (Highland HER Nos. MHG47830, MHG29373, MHG24754). Over 500 objects were found during metal-

detecting and field-walking, which dated from the Roman period to modern day, although most of them being predominantly 19th century in date. Other small finds of prehistoric and medieval date have been discovered in the fields surrounding the development area, in particular over 250 medieval and late medieval coins found 'in the fields north of Dornoch' are held by National Museums Scotland.

- 3.6 During the trench evaluation carried out between April and May 2019 42 trenches were excavated across the proposed development site (**Figure 2**). Trench 6 contained two large pits found in close proximity to a similar pit found in Trench 8. Trench 50 contained two linear features which were interpreted as the remains of field drains. A further hand dug trench was positioned over two cists that had previously been excavated in 1938. The cists were then fully exposed in order to record them fully prior to the development works. A range of isolated pits and postholes were also identified in Trenches 26, 32, 34, 48 and 49 (Stirling and Gallacher 2019).



Plate 2: Overview of watching brief area, looking W

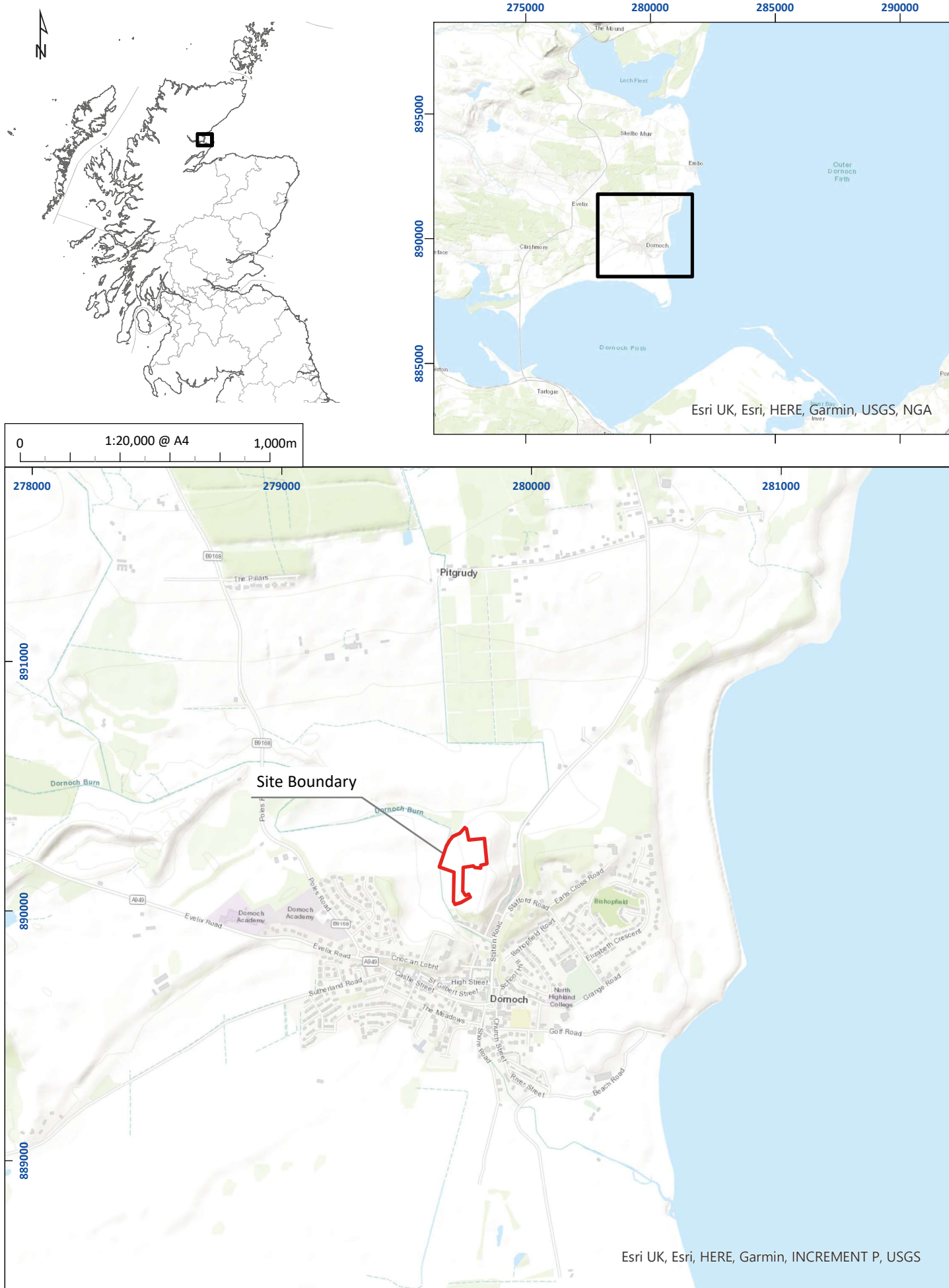
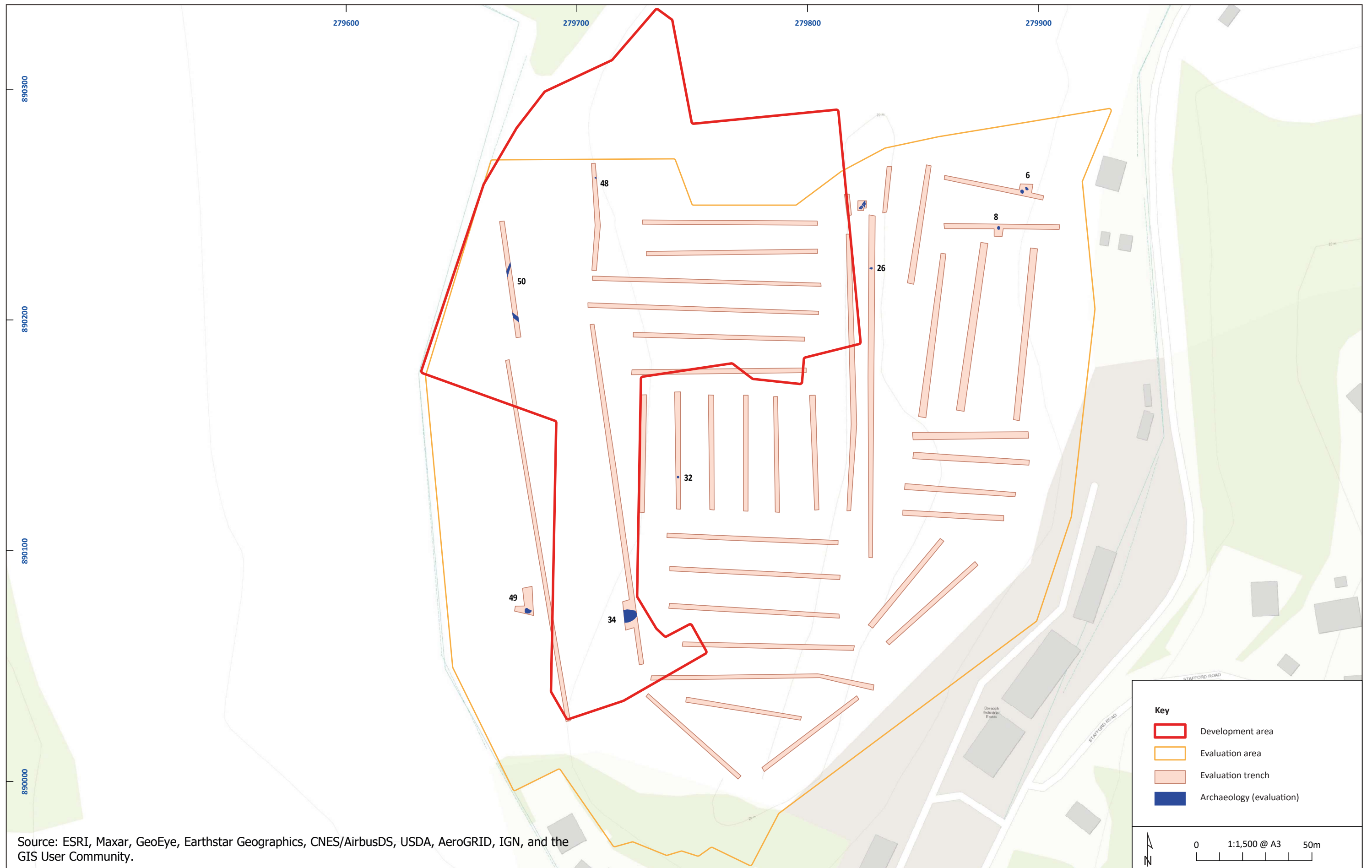


Figure 1: Site location plan

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Source: ESRI, Maxar, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/AirbusDS, USDA, AeroGRID, IGN, and the GIS User Community.

Figure 2: Evaluation trenches and archaeological features

4.0 Objectives

4.1 The aims of the archaeological works were:

- i. To establish the presence or absence of archaeological remains within the proposed development area
- ii. To remove by hand any overburden in order to expose the archaeological deposits
- iii. To excavate, sample and record any features or to propose arrangements for their safeguarding, where possible
- iv. To sample deposits for post-excavation work, including environmental analysis and dating
- v. To make recommendations for further measures necessary to mitigate the impact of the development
- vi. To make recommendations for post-excavation work

5.0 Methodology

5.1 All groundworks were monitored by an archaeologist by way of a controlled topsoil strip. The archaeologist directed digging by a mechanical excavator fitted with a straight-edged bucket in order to establish the presence or absence of archaeological remains with the development area. All work was carried out in accordance with the ClfA *Code of Conduct* (2014).

5.2 All features of archaeological significance were cleaned and excavated by hand to establish the date, nature, extent, and state of preservation of the deposits. Archaeological features and deposits were drawn at a scale of 1:20 and section drawings were drawn at a scale of 1:10. All significant archaeological features were sampled, in the event post-excavation analysis is deemed necessary.

5.3 The location of all archaeological findspots and features and the area covered by the watching brief, were plotted using a Trimble R8s capable of centimetre accuracy. The archaeological fieldwork was recorded using high resolution digital photography to record the process as well as archaeological features and finds of interest.

6.0 Results

6.1 Summary

6.1.1 The archaeological watching brief uncovered 101 archaeological features comprising several discrete Feature Groups of archaeological features, ditches, and other isolated pits (**Figures 3 - 10**). Within Groups 1-2 the remains of a curvilinear ditched enclosure with attached D-shaped enclosure are represented. Group 3 consists of a cluster of pits and postholes representing the remains of a potential roundhouse. The previous evaluation had uncovered an additional four pits, a possible fire-pit, a possible posthole, a surface deposit containing struck flint fragments, a large sub-oval pit or ditch, and two linear features (Stirling and Gallacher 2019).

6.2 Feature Group 1

6.2.1 Feature Group 1 was located towards the north end of the watching brief area and comprised a large curvilinear feature [003] (Structure 1), and six internal pit features [005], [007], [034], [036], [038] and

[044] (**Figures 4 and 11; Plates 3 and 4**). Structure 1 consisted of the partial remains of a ring ditch enclosure. The ditch measured 31m in length by 0.6-1.6m wide, 0.08-0.25m deep with a bowl-shaped profile with gently sloping sides onto a flat occasionally uneven base. A 1.7m gap was visible to the south adjacent to the intersection with ditch [032] and represented a southwest entrance to the enclosure. The fill (004) comprised a loose, dark grey brown, sandy silt with occasional silt lensing and small subrounded stones, with larger stones seen towards the north terminus. A slate spindle whorl (SF06) was found within slot 3 (**Plate 21**).

6.2.2 Six internal pit features were observed within the internal area of the enclosure ditch [003]: [005], [007], [034], [036], [038] and [044]. The pits were subcircular/oval in plan and measured between 0.8m to 1.6m by 0.6m by 1m in diameter with a depth of between 0.1m and 0.85m deep. The pit fills consisted generally of a mid to dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. Pits [038] and [044] contained rare/occasional charcoal flecks and frequent sub-angular and sub rounded stones with moderate sorting. Pits [005], [007] and [036] contained occasional sub angular stones. Pit [035] contained no inclusions, although frequent iron pan lenses were present. During excavation, pits [005], [007] and [044] became waterlogged, with [044] becoming completely submerged before excavation was complete. Pit [034] was interpreted as a natural hollow due to the presence of frequent iron pan and its shallow nature. The functions of pits [005], [007], [036], [038] and [044] were unclear.

6.3 Feature Group 2

6.3.1 Feature Group 2 was located to the southwest of Structure 1 and comprised a curvilinear ditch [032] (Structure 2) attached to Structure 1. Within this an internal posthole [198], four pit or posthole features [028], [191], [193], [195] (Structure 3), a fire-pit [030] with associated smaller pit [204], two linear features [200] and [206], and an external pit feature [026] were located (**Figures 4 and 11; Plates 3 and 4**).

6.3.2 Structure 2 consisted of a D-shape ditch that cut through the southwest edge of enclosure ditch [003] (Structure 1), with posthole [198] cut into the ditch within Slot 2. The ditch [032] measured c. 16m NW-SE and 8.4m NE-SW by 0.6-1.88m wide, 0.17-0.47m deep and was bowl-shaped in profile, with moderately steep slightly concave sloping sides onto a flat base. The fill (033) comprised a loose, dark grey brown, sandy silt with occasional charcoal flecks and occasional medium to large sub rounded stones. The stones became more frequent towards the north and south terminus where it cut ditch [003]. A posthole [198] was identified within Slot 2 of the ditch measuring 0.21m in diameter, 0.16m deep with a U-shaped profile, and steeply sloping sides onto a relatively flat base. The fill (199) comprised a loose, mid brown grey, silty sand containing occasional charcoal chunks and medium stone inclusions, with a large flat stone lining the southwest edge of the posthole. Ditch [032] also cut linear feature [206] and enclosure ditch [003]. The remnants of a possible posthole were identified during the excavation of the north terminus slot in the form of a slight circular hollow, the fill of which was indistinguishable from the ditch fill. The ditch was wider at the south terminus and appeared to show a double ditch, possibly mirroring the presence of ditch [200] adjacent to the north terminus. It had been truncated by modern test pits to the south. While ditch [032] is of

unknown date, it was interpreted as a stock enclosure attached to the main enclosure [003] at a later date.

- 6.3.3 Structure 3 comprised a roughly rectangular alignment of four pits or post-holes [028], [191], [193], [195] and was located within the northwest area of c. 5m east from ditch [032] (**Plate 5**). These were subcircular in plan and measured between 0.21-0.26m in diameter and 0.6-0.12m deep. The pit fills consisted generally of mid-dark brown, firm, sandy silt containing occasional pebbles, although [191] contained larger cobbles. A possible shale loom weight SF02 was located within the fill of [191] (**Plate 20**). The pits were spaced roughly 1.6m by 0.95m apart and appeared to form a four-post structure within the stock enclosure.
- 6.3.4 Pits [030] and [204] were located c. 2m to the east of Structure 3. These were subcircular in plan with pit [032] measuring 1.1m by 1.2m and 0.21m deep and pit [204] measuring 0.3m by 0.25m and 0.17m deep. Pit [030] contained two fills, an upper mid brown, firm, silty sand (031) with occasional pebble inclusions and a basal dark black brown firm silty layer (203) containing frequent large fragments of charcoal. Pit [204] contained a single fill of mid brown, firm, silty sand with occasional charcoal flecks and pebbles. The presence of frequent amounts of charcoal within pit [032] suggested that it may have been used as a fire-pit/hearth or for intentional deposition of material. Pit [204] lay immediately to the southwest of [030] and was likely related, possibly a small post-hole (**Plate 6**).
- 6.3.5 Curvilinear features [200] and [206] were located adjacent to the north terminus of ditch [032]. [200] was located 0.6m to the south of [032] and measured 3.3m by 0.17-0.58m wide and 0.14-0.21m deep, running roughly NE-SW. It comprised a bowl-shaped profile with steeply concaved sides onto a concave base. The fill was a mid-grey brown, loose, sandy silt (201) with occasional charcoal flecks and degraded sandstone. It was thought to be contemporary with ditch [032] as both features cut enclosure ditch [003] and linear feature [206]. Linear feature [206] ran roughly N-S across 1.5m to the west of the north terminus of [032]. It comprised a roughly bowl-shaped profile with predominantly gradual concave sloping sides onto an uneven concave base. The fill consisted of a mid-grey brown, loose, sandy silt (207) with occasional charcoal flecks. The function of linear features [200] and [206] was unclear.
- 6.3.6 Outwith Structure 2, approximately 1.8m southwest from ditch [032] a single pit [026] was observed. Pit [026] was sub circular in plan and measured 0.46m by 0.5m and 0.18m deep, with a bowl-shaped profile with gradual concave sides onto an even concave base. The pit contained two fills, an upper dark grey, loose, sandy silt (027) containing frequent charcoal chunks and burnt bone and a basal mid to light brown orange mottled, loose, sandy silt (208) containing occasional charcoal flecks and burnt bone fragments. The two fills may not represent distinct layers – it is possible that the lower fill may represent natural compaction/leaching from the upper fill. The pit was interpreted as a small fire-pit.

6.4 Feature Group 3

- 6.4.1 Feature Group 3 was located c. 12m west of Structure 2 and comprised a cluster of nine pits [078], [080], [141], [142], [147], [165], [180], [185] and [189], sixteen postholes [075], [076], [077], [138], [143], [144], [145], [146], [152], [154], [161], [163], [167], [169], [178] and [182], and one deposit (079) (**Figures 4 and 8; Plates 7 and 8**). Although, in plan, those features defined as post-holes do not depict an obvious roundhouse, the site almost certainly represents a roundhouse with various internal post structures or post reinsertions. Further analysis of the fieldwork results and site chronology will assist in understanding the layout of the structure.
- 6.4.2 The pits were generally subcircular/oval in plan and measured between 0.3-1.6m by 0.3-0.9m in diameter with a depth of between 0.1-0.3m deep. The pit fills consisted generally of a single mid to dark grey brown, compact, silty sand, with the exception of pit [078] which contained two fills, an upper dark brown, loose, silty sand (133) and a basal mid yellow orange, loose, silty sand (134) mixed with dark brown, loose, sandy silt. Pits [165] and [189] contained rare charcoal flecks throughout and all pits contained several sub-angular and sub-rounded stones, with a larger stone identified in pit [165]. Pits [078] and [080] contained fragments of animal bone. A possible worked stone (SF15) was identified in the upper fill of pit [078] and a worked flint SF07 was identified in pit [165].
- 6.4.3 The postholes were generally subcircular/oval in plan and measured between 0.48-1.5m by 0.36-1m in diameter with a depth of between 0.13-0.4m deep. The fills were generally a mid to dark grey brown, loose, sandy silt containing rare charcoal flecks and frequent medium to large sub-angular and sub-rounded stones. Postholes [075], [076], [145], [163], [169] and [178] show evidence of packing stones seen around the edge of the features and a circular setting of stones was identified within posthole [154]. Posthole [146] contained frequent charcoal flecks and a large flat stone was seen near the base which was possibly used as a post pad. A sherd of burnt pottery (SF13), approximately 1cm thick with a ribbed, grooved face, was identified in the basal fill of posthole [144].
- 6.4.4 The deposit (079) formed an irregular shape measuring 2.25m by 1.1m and between 0.03-0.18m deep. It formed a shallow depression overlying posthole [178]. It consisted of a mottled dark grey brown, loose, silty sand containing rare charcoal flecks and infrequent small sub-rounded stones. It may represent an area of use-wear within the structure or later animal burrowing.
- 6.4.5 It is worth noting that features [076], [077], [080], [142], [143], [144], [145], [146], [147], [152] and [161] were found to be within the limits of Trench 48 from the evaluation. Of these, features [077], [144], [152] and [161] show evidence of disturbance within the upper fill which is likely to be the result the evaluation work. When initially uncovered only [077], [080] and [152] were clearly visible, thus it is probable that the features were mostly degraded by the time the area was re-opened. Posthole [152] was the only previously excavated feature identified within the trench, previously recorded as posthole [4801].

6.5 Feature Group 4

6.5.1 Feature Group 4 was located c.6m northeast of Feature Group 3 and comprised a cluster of five pits [009], [011], [013], [017] and [019] (**Figures 4 and 13**). The pits were subcircular in plan and predominantly U-shaped in profile, with the exception of pits [013] and [017] which were V-shaped and measured between 0.65-1.45m by 0.55-0.8m in diameter with a depth of between 0.25-0.45m. The pit fills consisted generally of a mid-grey black, loose, silty sand with occasional subangular medium to large stone inclusions. Pits [009], [011] and [013] contained occasional charcoal flecks and pits [017] and [019] contained frequent orange/red sandy lenses. The function and date of these pits was unclear and there were no artefacts identified to suggest a date.

6.6 Feature Group 5

6.6.1 Feature Group 5 was located c. 12m southwest of Feature Group 3 and comprised two curvilinear ditches [130] and [229] (Structure 4) (**Figures 4 and 13; Plate 9**). Structure 4 consisted of the partial remains of a possible ring ditch feature. The ditch [130] measured c. 19m in length by 0.7m wide with a depth of between 0.14-0.31m and was generally bowl-shaped in profile, with gently sloping sides onto an uneven base, with the exception of the southeast edge of slot 2 which was slightly stepped. The ditch had a projected diameter of 10.7m. The fill (131) comprised a friable, mixed light/dark brown grey, silty sand and contained occasional small to medium angular and rounded stones, and rare charcoal flecks. Patches of mid yellow orange silt were seen in the terminus Slot 1. A large flat stone measuring 1.15m by 0.5m was identified adjacent to the ditch, it is unclear whether this was associated with the feature as it may have been dragged by the excavator during topsoil strip.

Feature [229] was located to the northeast side of the ring ditch. It was an irregular curvilinear ditch and measured 7.5m by between 0.3-0.42m and between 0.02-0.16m deep. It ran roughly N-S and had been heavily truncated by machine work. It initially appeared to intersect [130], however, the south terminus was extremely shallow therefore making it impossible to identify any relationship. It had gradually sloped concave sides with an uneven base. The fill (230) comprised a very loose, dark grey brown, silty sand, containing rare charcoal flecks and occasional medium unsorted angular stones.

6.7 Feature Group 6

6.7.1 Feature Group 6 was located to the west of Feature Group 5 and comprised of four linear features [101], [103], [104] and [151] (**Figures 4 and 13**). The features were possibly part of earlier field management, such as a drainage system. Ditches [103] and [151] connected into the north edge of [101] and [104] appeared to run on a similar alignment, although with no clear evidence of it abutting feature [101]. Ditch [101] was a relatively straight in plan, aligned roughly E-W, and measured 13.2m by 0.8-1.25m wide and between 0.2-0.25m deep. It was bowl-shaped in profile and had moderately shallow sides to the south and steeper sides to the north with an uneven slightly concave base. The fill (227) consisted of a loose, dark brown grey, silty sand containing occasional medium sized sub angular stones, infrequent sand lenses and disturbance due to bioturbation. Ditch [151] was located towards the west end of [101], which cut the southern terminus of the feature., It was curvilinear in

plan running roughly N-S and measured 4.5m by 0.5-0.6m wide and between 0.1-0.2m deep with a bowl-shaped profile with moderately sloping concave sides and a concave base. The fill (219) was a dark brown grey, loose, silty sand containing occasional small stones and rare charcoal flecks. Ditch [103] was located c. 3m to east of [151] and was cut to the south by [101]. It was an irregular curvilinear cut running roughly NE-SW and measured 7.8m by 0.7m wide and 0.3m deep. It was predominantly bowl shaped in profile with moderately steep concave sides and an uneven concave base. The feature was filled throughout with a mid-brown grey, loose, silty sand (216) containing infrequent large sub angular stones and occasional charcoal flecks. Ditch [104] was located 0.8m to the east of the north terminus of [151]. It was curvilinear in plan, running roughly NE-SW, measuring 21m by 0.3-0.7m wide and between 0.05-0.18m deep. It was bowl-shaped in profile with moderately shallow sides onto an uneven concave base and filled by a dark black grey, loose, silty sand (218) containing occasional medium sub angular stones and charcoal flecks. Within slot 2 two additional fills were identified, an upper fill (221) of a mid-grey, loose, silty sand containing occasional charcoal flecks and a middle fill (220) of light grey brown, loose, sand, which is possibly redeposited natural.

6.8 Feature Group 7

6.8.1 Feature Group 7 was located c. 15m to the south of Feature Group 2 and comprised of two field drains [021] and (023), along with a slightly curvilinear feature [024] (**Figures 4 and 13**). Feature [021] comprised a stone filled field drain that runs roughly NNE-SSW measuring 17.8m by 0.5m and 0.45m deep. Feature (023) was the possible linear remnants of a field drain running at right angles to [021], measuring 27m by 0.7m and 0.05m deep. Feature [024] was a slightly curved feature that is assumed to be associated with the field drains running roughly E-W. During the initial topsoil strip a faint line could be seen running towards [021], however subsequent cleaning of the area rendered this imperceptible. Both [023] and [024] had a similar fill of mid grey brown, loose sandy silt with [023] containing occasional sandstone and charcoal flecks.

6.9 Feature Group 8

6.9.1 Feature Group 8 was located towards the southwest end of the linear watching brief area and consisted of a slightly curvilinear feature [092] which had previously been identified in Trench 50 of the evaluation as two linear features, [5001] to the north and [5002] to the south (**Figures 5 and 14**). Ditch [092] measured 32m by 0.9-1.4m and was between 0.21-0.32m deep, running roughly N-S. It was U-shaped in profile with slightly concave sides and a wide even base. The fill (228) consisted of a mid-grey brown, loose, sandy silt containing frequent sub rounded stones particularly within the central area, frequent root disturbance and occasional charcoal flecks with pea gravel at the base. Two possible worked stones (SF16) were identified within the fill, one flint and one quartz, both were triangular in shape with possible notches on the edges. It is probable that the feature represented a possible drainage ditch, although the frequent stones showed no identifiable structure to it.

6.10 Feature Group 9

6.10.1 Feature Group 9 was located c. 52m to the east of Feature Group 8 and consisted of possible stakehole [040], pit [062] and deposit (064) (**Figures 5 and 14**). Stakehole [040] was sub-circular in

plan and measured 0.22m in diameter with a depth of 0.16m. It was U-shaped in profile with steep near vertical sides and a concave base. The fill (041) was a mid-grey brown, loose, sandy silt with rare sub-rounded stones. Pit [062] was oval in plan and measured 1.1m by 0.6m with a depth of 0.2m, it was bowl-shaped in profile with moderately shallow sides and a relatively flat base. The fill (063) was a light grey brown, loose sand containing occasional large sub angular stones through the centre of the fill. Deposit (064) was sub oval in plan measuring 4m by 1.4m, with a depth of 0.16m, it was located within a very shallow depression with an uneven base, it consisted of a mid-grey brown, loose silty sand containing frequent large sub angular stones, particularly to the southwest side of the spread. The function and date of these features was unclear.

6.11 Feature Group 10

6.11.1 Feature Group 10 was located c. 97m south southwest of Feature Group 9 and comprised a linear stone filled feature [055] which had been cut by three stone filled pits [234], [235] and [236] (**Figures 8, 9, 14 and 16; Plates 10 - 16**).

6.11.2 Linear feature [055] was 6m long and between 0.7-1m wide and 0.44m deep; it was U-shaped in profile with near vertical slightly concave sides gradually sloping onto an uneven base (Figures 8, 9, 14 and 16; Plates 10 – 20). Feature [055] was a well-constructed short ditch which was cut by three pits, [234] to the south which contained an in situ upright stone (125), [235] located towards the centre which contained a stone socket/setting [119] and pit [234] to the north which contained two stone sockets/settings [217] and [119]. The ditch contained six associated fills (121), (126), (127), (224), (225) and (226). The earliest fills (224) and (226) were present along the length of the ditch between pits [234] and [236]. (224) appeared as a mid-orange loose sand whilst (226) was a dark grey, loose clay-sand mix containing occasional charcoal flecks and degraded sandstone fragments. Both are likely to be redeposited natural with (226) representing a relatively even natural infilling of the ditch cut. Fills (127) and (225) were located at the south and north terminuses respectively, both were compacted with (127) being a mottled mid and light grey brown silty sand, whilst (225) was a mid-orange brown sandy clay with occasional grey mottling both contained frequent small to medium sub angular stones. It is likely that (225) is redeposited natural. (121) was the middle fill of [055] and was located between pits [234] and [235], it consisted of a dark brown, loose silty sand containing occasional charcoal flecks and frequent sub angular stones. (126) was the upper fill of [055] and was located between pits [234] and [236], it consisted of a mottled mid orange and mid brown, medium compacted sand containing occasional charcoal flecks with occasional pebbles and sub rounded cobbles. Both fills (121) and (126) were interpreted as being the result of natural silting. The overall slot appeared to represent a pit containing upright marker stones.

6.11.3 Pit [234] was sub oval in plan and measured 1.46m by 0.92m and 0.37m deep; the sides were stepped N-S, and near vertical E-W onto a wide fairly uneven base (Figures 14 and 16; Plate 11). The fill (056) consisted of a mottled mid to dark brown, loose silty sand containing occasional charcoal flecks and densely packed sub angular cobbles at the base with a large flat stone positioned over the cobbles. A large upright stone (125) was located along the east edge of the pit, it was an irregular hexagon in shape and measured 0.74m in height, 0.6m wide and 0.19m thick

(Figures 14 and 16; Plate 15). The stone sat 0.04m above the base of [234] and protruded 0.39m above the top of the cut. The cobbles located towards the base of [234] were interpreted to have been used as packing stones for (125), with the large flat stone seen above the cobbles providing additional support. There is no evidence of packing along the east edge where (125) abutted the edge of pit [234]. Scarring was seen on the west face which was due to being struck by a dislodged stone during topsoil strip (Plate 16). A small fragment of worked flint (SF10) was recovered from the fill. It is likely that pit [234] was used to provide support for upright stone (125) which was interpreted as a marker stone of unknown significance.

- 6.11.4 Pit [235] was seen only in section and measured 0.42m by 0.65m and 0.42m deep. It appeared U-shaped in profile with near vertical slightly concave sides onto a relatively flat base (**Figures 14 and 16; Plates 17 and 18**). The fill (223) was a dark grey, loose sandy silt containing frequent medium to large poorly sorted sub rounded stones and rare charcoal flecks. Above [235] a possible stone setting/socket was visible [118], it was rectangular in plan measuring 0.5m by 0.2m and was 0.11m deep. It was constructed of sub rectangular stones with gently sloping internal sides. It was interpreted that pit [235] also contained a removed marker stone or post.
- 6.11.5 Pit [236] was seen only in section and measured 1.45m by 0.42m and 0.33m deep (**Figures 14 and 16; Plate 20**). The sides were stepped to the south and near vertical to the north onto a slightly stepped concave base. It was constructed similarly to pit [234]. The fill (222) was predominantly a dark grey brown, loose, friable silty sand containing rare charcoal flecks and frequent large poorly sorted sub rounded and sub angular stones with frequent fragments of degraded sandstone and granite. A small patch of mid orange, loose sand (237) was seen on the north edge and is likely to be redeposited natural similar to (224). Two stone settings/sockets were seen within the top of [236]. Stone setting/socket [119] was located centrally within the pit and was rectangular in plan, measuring 0.45m by 0.35m and 0.1m deep. It was constructed of sub rectangular stones creating a rectangular socket with gently sloping internal edges. Stone setting/socket [217] was located to the southeast corner of [119] and measured 0.25m by 0.2m and 0.11m deep (**Plate 19**). A large flat stone was seen to the south with sub rectangular stones of varying sizes creating a rectangle to the north. Several of the stones were sloping into the socket and the internal cut sloped gently towards the southern stone. It was interpreted that pit [236] also contained a removed marker stone or post.

6.12 Feature Group 11

- 6.12.1 Feature Group 11 was located c. 70m to the south of Feature Group 10 and comprised two pits [086] and [096], and possible posthole [094] (**Figures 10 and 14**). The pits were sub oval in plan and measured between 0.7-1.28m by 0.6-0.7m with depths of between 0.14-0.3m. They were bowl-shaped in profile with predominantly moderately sloping concave sides onto a concave base. The fills were a mid-dark grey brown, loose, sandy silt with [086] containing occasional charcoal flecks and frequent medium sub angular stones, whilst [096] contained occasional small stones and gravel inclusions. Posthole [094] was subcircular in plan and had a U-shaped profile with sharp near vertical sides to the south and gradual slightly concave sides to the north, onto a concave base. The

fill was a mid-dark grey brown, loose, silty sand containing rare charcoal flecks and frequent small sub rounded stones. The function and date of these features was unclear.

6.13 Isolated Features

6.13.1 Approximately 7m to the north of Feature Group 6 pit [149] and linear feature [213] were located (**Figures 4 and 15**). Pit [149] was circular in plan and truncated by [213] to the northeast, it measured 1.1m by 1.4m and 0.3m deep and was bowl-shaped in profile. It contained three fills, basal fill (212) was a dark grey brown, loose silty sand with no inclusions, middle fill (211) was a dark grey black, loose silty sand containing charcoal inclusions throughout, and upper fill (209) was a mid-brown grey, loose silty sand containing small stone inclusions. Linear feature [213] was sub circular in plan and extended beyond the limits of the excavation; it measured 1.4m in diameter and 0.25m deep with moderately steep slightly concave sides onto a relatively flat base. It contained two fills, basal fill (215) was a dark grey brown, loose silty sand whilst upper fill (214) was a mid-brown grey, loose silty sand containing small stone inclusions. Pit [150] was located 2m to the southwest of [149], it was sub circular in plan and measured 0.5m by 0.38m and 0.07m deep with a bowl-shaped profile. The fill (210) was a dark black grey, loose silt rich in charcoal. It is possible that this represented an area of heat affected sand. Pit [106] is located c. 7.5m to the southwest of pit [150], it was oval in plan measuring 0.9m by 1m and 0.5m deep, with steep sides and a relatively flat base. The (231) fill was a mid-grey brown, loose silty sand containing frequent small to large sub angular stones. Pit [128] was located 0.5m to the west of linear [151], it is unclear whether they had any relationship. It was sub circular in plan measuring 1.4m by 0.9m and 0.17m deep and had a bowl-shaped profile with slightly convex base. The fill (128) was a dark brown grey, loose sandy silt containing frequent medium sub rounded pebbles. Pit [102] was located 0.25m to the east of linear [003], it was sub circular in plan with a bowl-shaped profile and measured 0.6m by 0.47m and 0.11m deep. It contained two fills, basal fill (123) was a very dark grey black, loose silty sand located on the east edge of the pit containing frequent charcoal fragments whilst upper fill (122) was a dark grey, loose silty sand with no inclusions. It is possible that this represented an area of heat affected sand. Pits [073] and [074] were located 4m to the southwest of the possible roundhouse although it was unclear whether they are associated with the roundhouse. They were circular in plan and measured between 0.4-0.55m by 0.4-0.5m with a depth of 0.25m and were 1.5m apart. Pit [073] had a V-shaped profile with concave base whilst pit [074] had a bowl-shaped profile. The fill of pit [073] was a light grey brown, loose silty sand (188) with frequent small sub angular stones and was badly disturbed by bioturbation. The fill of pit [074] was a mid-grey brown, loose silty sand (187) with frequent small sub angular stones. Pit [083] was located 4m to the north the possible roundhouse, it is unclear whether it was associated with the roundhouse. It was sub oval in plan measuring 0.9m by 0.5m and 0.36m deep with a U-shaped profile and relatively flat base. The fill (184) was a mottled dark grey brown, loose sandy silt containing rare charcoal flecks and infrequent sub-rounded stones throughout. It is possible that the pit represents a truncated posthole. The function and date of these features was unclear.

6.13.2 Pit [111] was located c. 16m to the south of linear [101]; it was sub oval in plan with a bowl shaped profile, measuring 1.37m by 1.4m and 0.34m deep (**Figures 4 and 15; Plates 18 and 19**). It had

concave sloping sides to the north and slightly convex sides to the south onto an uneven base. The pit had three fills, basal fill (124) was a mottled mid grey orange loose sandy silt containing occasional charcoal lenses and occasional sub rounded stones found towards the south of the feature, middle fill (113) was a dark grey black, loose sandy silt containing frequent charcoal flecks, occasional small sub rounded stones. A large fragment of decorated prehistoric pottery (SF01) (**Plate 19**) was identified within the fill along with a possible quartz scraper (SF04). The upper fill (112) was a mid-grey brown, loose sandy silt containing frequent charcoal flecks and occasional medium sub angular stones with a large sub rounded stone located centrally at the base of the layer. Several sherds of prehistoric pottery (SF12) were identified at the intersection with (113), along with 7 possible worked lithic fragments (SF05). It is likely that the pit represented the remains of a prehistoric firepit.

- 6.13.3 Pit [090] was located c. 3m to the east of linear [092]; it was subcircular in plan with a bowl-shaped profile, measuring 0.44m by 0.8m and 0.18m deep with an undulating base (**Figures 5 and 15**). The fill (108) was a dark grey, loose sandy silt containing occasional small sub angular stones and occasional degraded sandstone inclusions. Pit [089] was located c. 17m to the southeast of pit [090], it was sub circular in plan with a bowl-shaped profile, measuring 0.36m by 0.26m and 0.13m deep. The fill (107) was a dark grey brown, loose sandy silt containing rare sub angular stones and occasional charcoal flecks. The function and date of these features was unclear.
- 6.13.4 Pit [065] was located c.36m to the west of Feature Group 7; it was circular in plan and bowl-shaped in profile with an uneven base, measuring 0.75m in diameter and 0.22m deep (**Figures 6 and 15**). The fill (066) was a dark brown grey, friable silty sand containing frequent small to medium angular and rounded stones with rare charcoal flakes. Pit [015] was located c. 28m southeast of pit [065]; it was sub-circular in plan and V-shaped in profile with a sloped concave base. The fill (016) was a dark brown black, loose silty sand containing occasional charcoal flecks and gravel inclusions. Pit [042] was located c. 33m to the southwest of pit [015]; it was circular in plan and V-shaped in profile, measuring 0.6m in diameter and 0.3m deep. The fill (043) was a dark grey brown, slightly compacted silty gravel containing occasional sub rounded stones. The function and date of these features was unclear.
- 6.13.5 Pit [047] was located c. 47m to the south southwest of pit [042]; it was sub-circular in plan and bowl-shaped in profile with a flat broad flat base, measuring 1.2m by 1.1m and 0.2m deep (**Figures 9 and 15**). The fill (048) was a mid-grey brown medium compacted silty sand containing occasional sub rounded stones and small chunks of coal. Pit [051] was located c.22.5m west of pit [047], it was oval in plan and bowl-shaped in profile with an uneven sloping base, measuring 2.1m by 1.53m and 0.89m deep (**Plate 17**). The pit had three fills, basal fill (110) was a dark brown, loose silty sand containing frequent small to large sub rounded and sub angular stones. Intentionally deposited large flat red sandstone slabs were identified lining the base of the pit. The middle fill (109) was a mid-brown yellow, loose silty sand containing frequent small to medium sub rounded stones and was partially covered by upper fill (052). Upper fill (052) was a dark brown grey, loose silty sand containing frequent small sub rounded pebbles, occasional sub angular stones, large sub rounded

stones and rare charcoal flecks. Two small sherds of prehistoric pottery (SF14) were identified within the fill, suggesting a prehistoric date for the feature. It is likely that pit [051] represented the remains of a storage pit. The composition of [051] is very similar to pits [034] and [080] identified during the previous phase 1 excavations (Johnstone 2021).

- 6.13.6 Pit [116] was located c. 18m to the southeast of pit [089], it was an irregular oval in plan and a shallow V-shape in profile, measuring 1.4m by 0.4m and 0.15m deep (**Figures 7 and 15**). The fill (117) was a light brown grey, loose sand with occasional clay lenses. It is likely that the feature was a natural hollow filled in over time. Pit [114] was located 4m to the south of pit [116], it was oval in plan and V-shaped in profile with an elongated stepped side to the south, measuring 0.95m by 0.4m and 0.2m deep. The fill (115) was a light brown grey, loose sand with a darker almost burnt area at the base containing charcoal. It may be a pit associated with short term burning. The southern edge may be part of a later spread whilst the northern area may be the original pit.
- 6.13.7 Deposit (160) was located c. 30m north of the southwest extents of the site (**Figures 10 and 15**). It was previously identified during the evaluation as a large sub-oval feature [3404] located on the western edge of Trench 34. During the topsoil strip it was noted that this area contained a natural hollow and as such the deposit/previous feature seen may represent natural infilling of the hollow as a result of hill wash or levelling off the ground with farm topsoil. The hollow measured 24m by 36m and continued beyond the limit of excavation. Topsoil was as deep as 1.45m in the area, and once stripped revealed a mid-brown grey, loose sandy silt containing frequent cobble stone inclusions and larger stones, rare bone fragments, glass, and plastic. The presence of ironpan suggests that the area was waterlogged during wet weather.

7.0 Discussion

- 7.1 The archaeological work at Dornoch North Phase 2, uncovered a range of different archaeological features including one probable roundhouse and two ring ditch enclosures, one with an attached D-shaped stock enclosure and possible four-post structure. An area of curvilinear ditches may have represented earlier field management, potentially medieval; while other curvilinear ditches and fire-pit features may represent the truncated remains of other prehistoric activity.
- 7.2 One of the more intriguing features from the site was the well-constructed short ditch that contained an upright slab and evidence for other post or slab features. If it represented a prehistoric marker stone, it is difficult to ascertain the purpose for it. As with all of the features, post-excavation analysis of the environmental samples will be crucial in establishing chronology and function of the activity on the site.
- 7.3 A small assemblage of finds were recovered during the works, comprising prehistoric ceramics from three separate pits, two spindle whorls and several worked stones. This report only provides a provisional report on the finds and further specialist analysis will be required in order to identify the function and date of the objects. This analysis will also feed into a wider interpretation of the site and its chronology.

8.0 Conclusions and recommendations

- 8.1 During the Phase 2 archaeological work at Dornoch, a range of archaeological features were excavated. The presence of multiple prehistoric pits groups, some containing pottery, along with the remnants of a probable roundhouse and two ring ditch enclosures within the development landscape suggests that it was once an area of significant multiperiod prehistoric activity. While some areas may represent Neolithic activity, the roundhouse has the potential to date to the Bronze Age or later and a small element of medieval ceramics suggests activity was also present during this period
- 8.2 Post-excavation analyses of the finds and samples and further research will be required to understand the chronology of the sites and the various activities taking place on the site. Environmental analysis of the features will enable a better understanding of the resources exploited on the site and to retrieve material for radiocarbon dating. Specialist analysis will be required to understand the finds and put them in their wider context. A programme of radiocarbon dating will be required to enhance our understanding of the chronology and phasing of the features on the site. The post excavation analyses will be able to inform the interpretation of the site and situate it in its wider context.

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Figure 3: Archaeological Watching Brief results

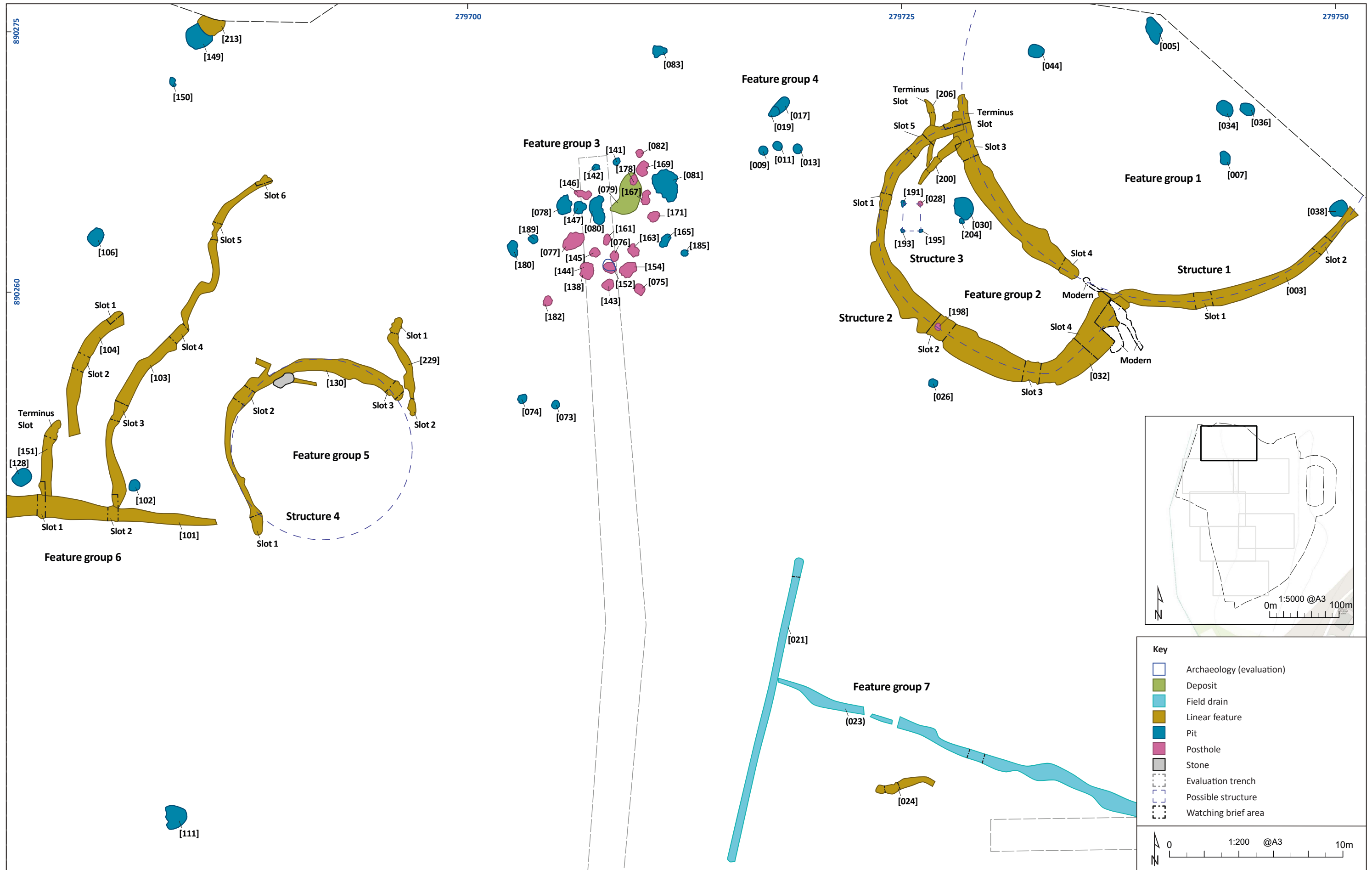


Figure 4: Inset 1 Archaeological features

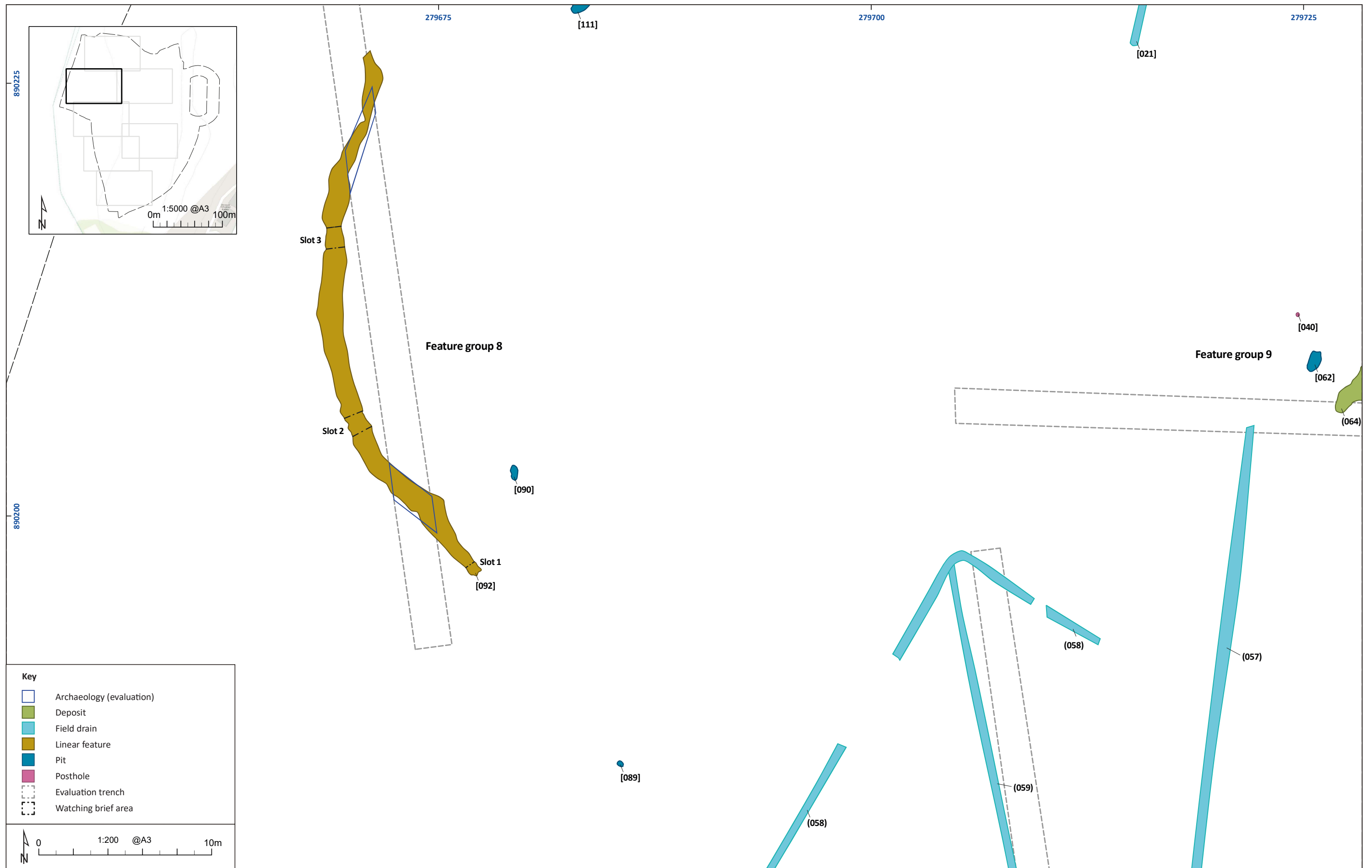


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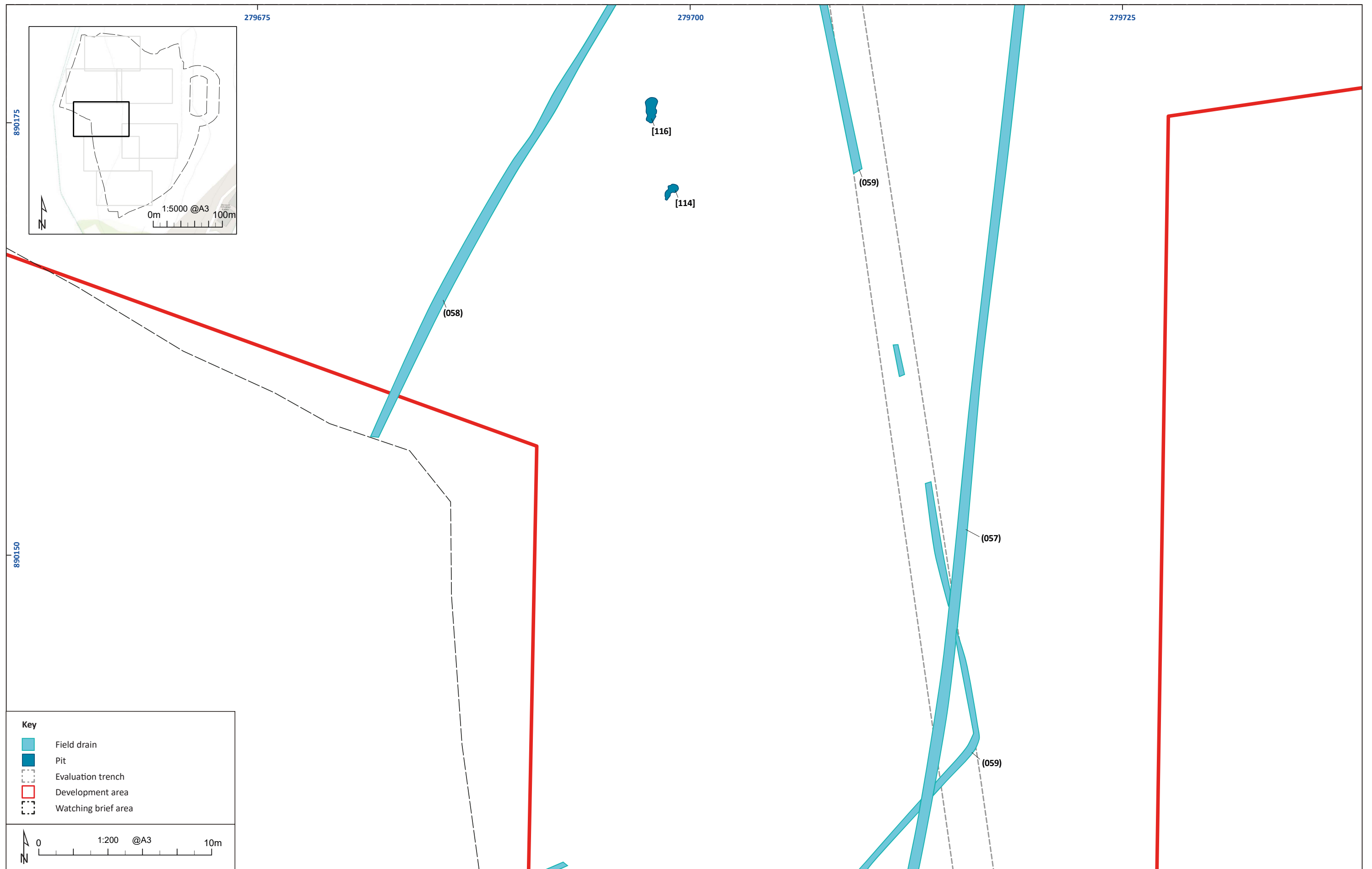


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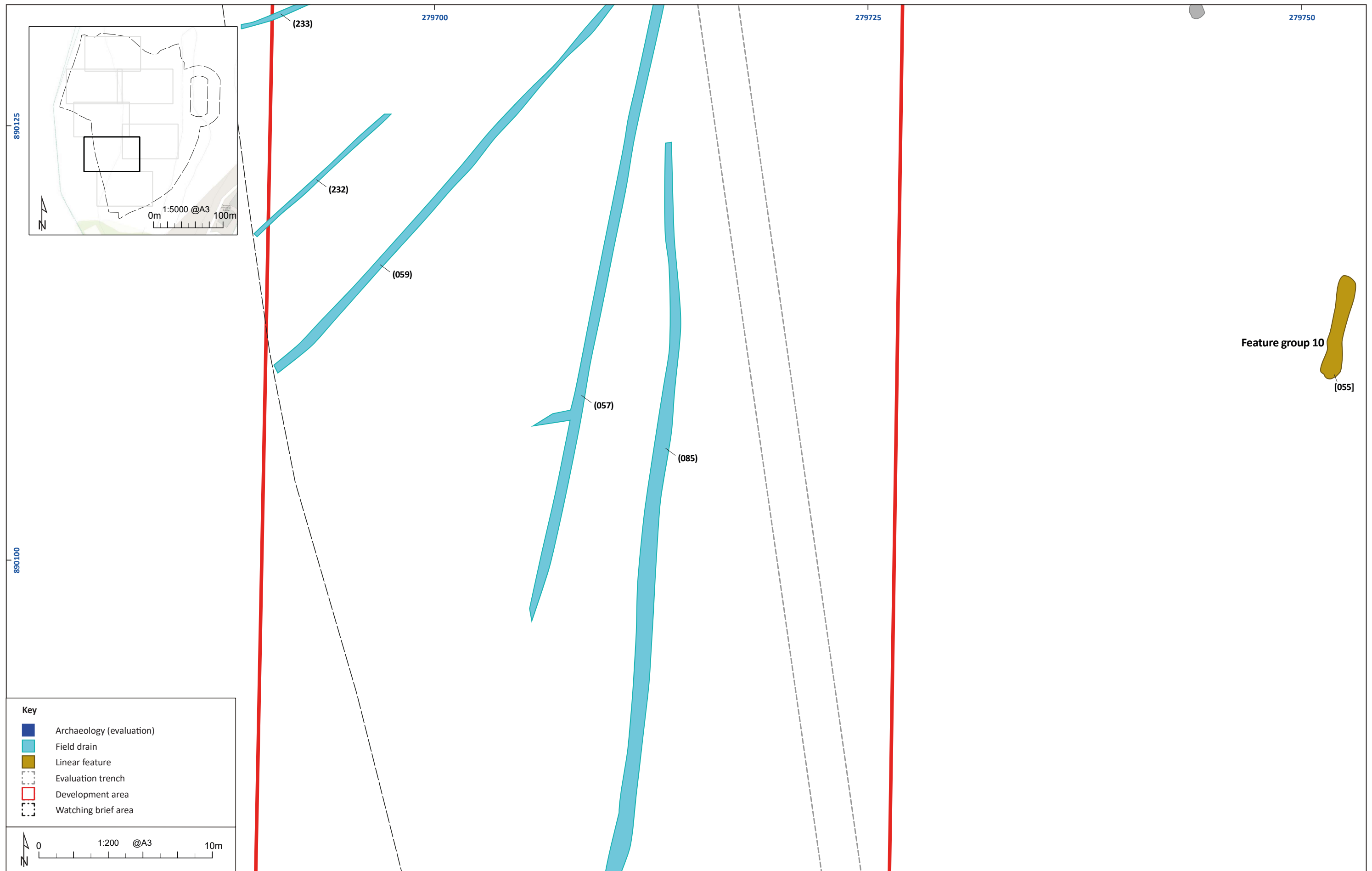


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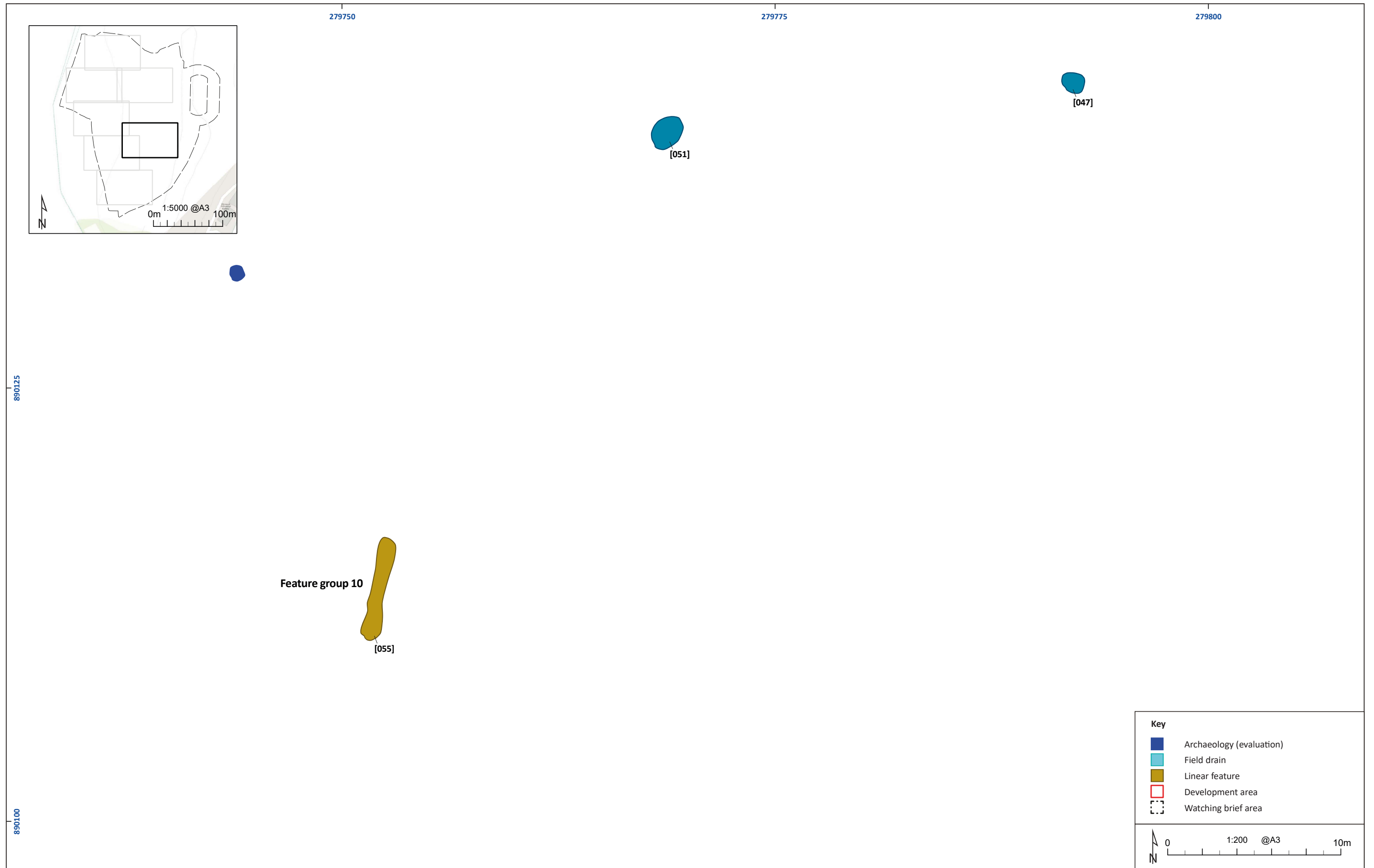


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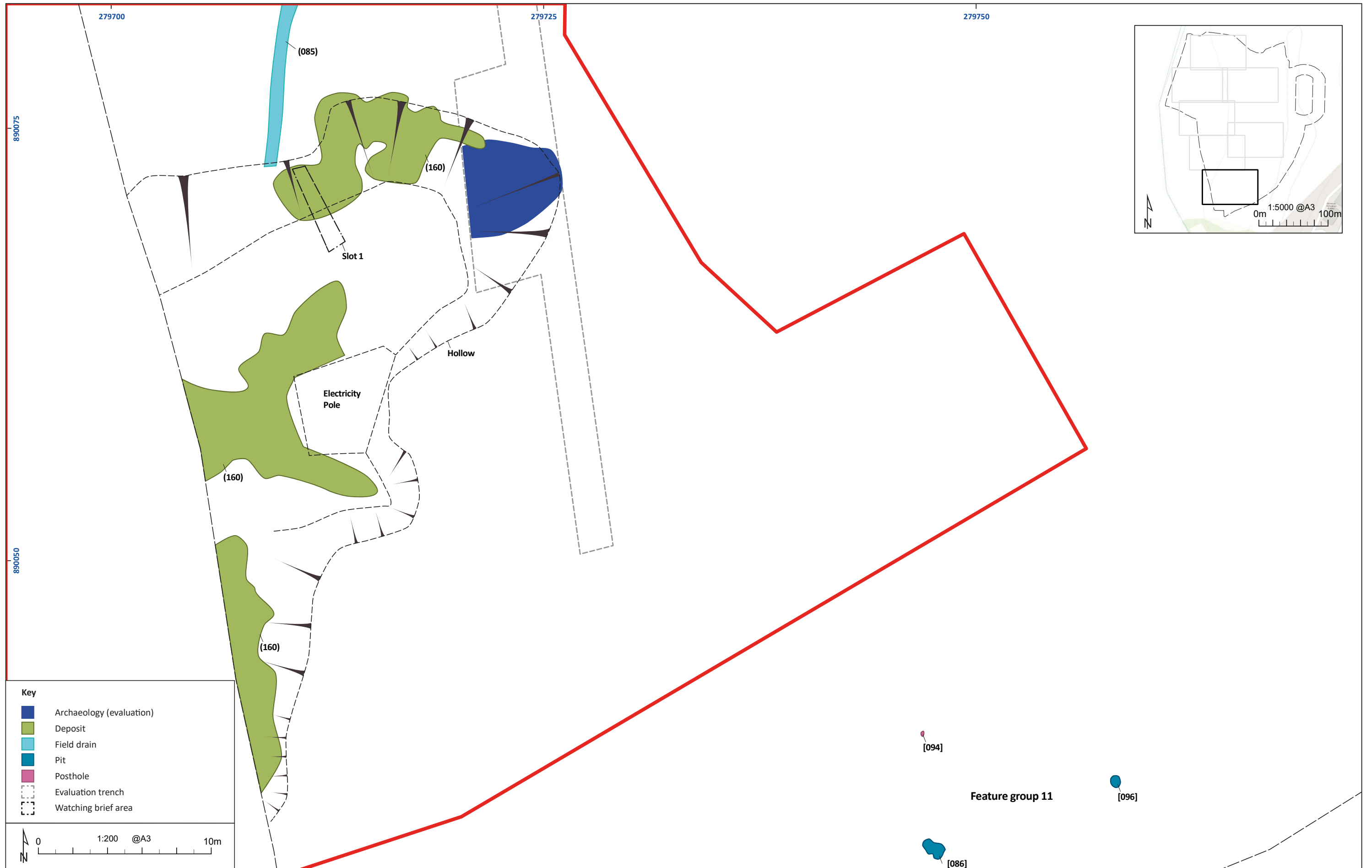


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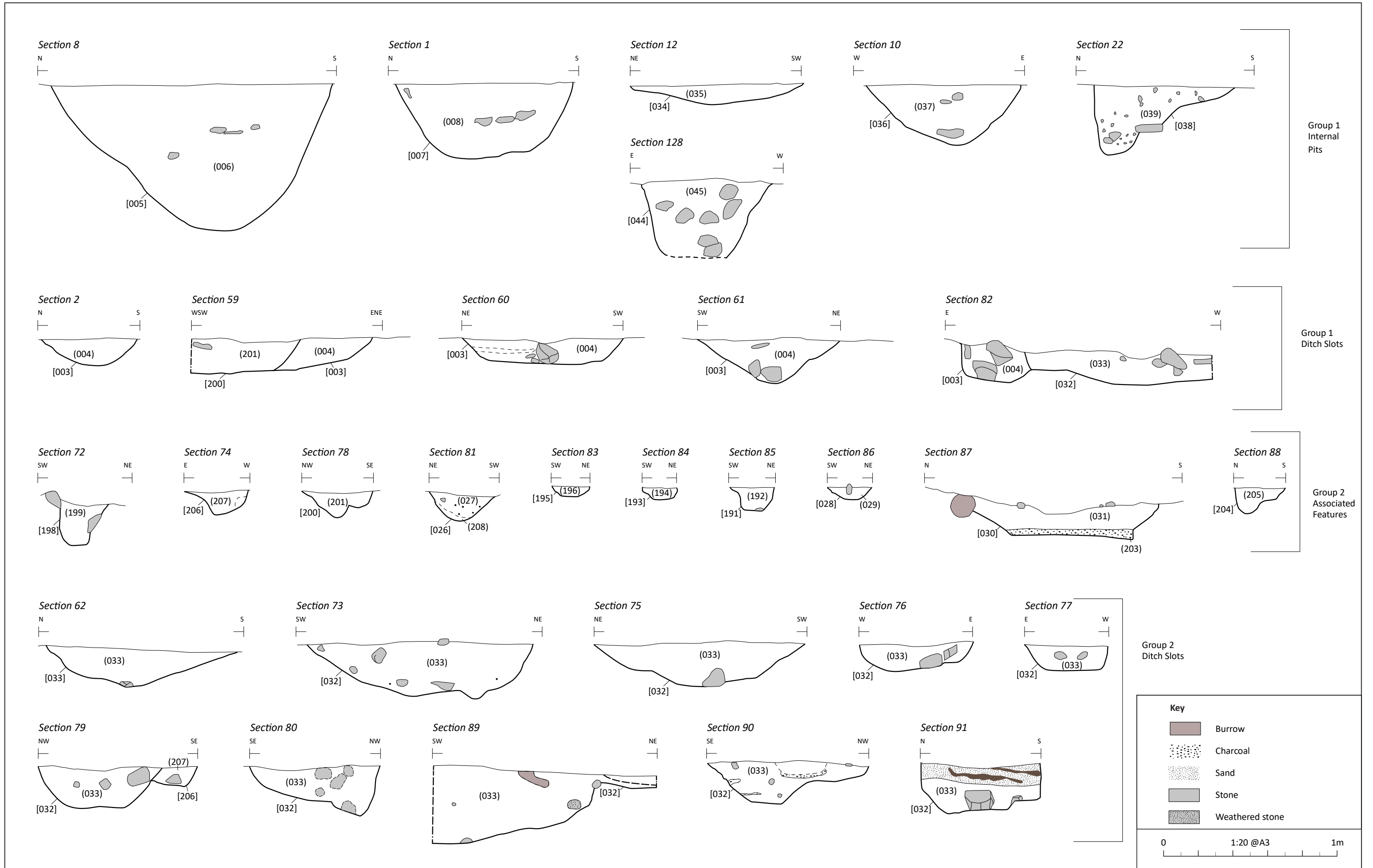


Figure 11: Section drawings of Enclosure Groups 1 and 2



Figure 12: Section drawings of Roundhouse Group 3

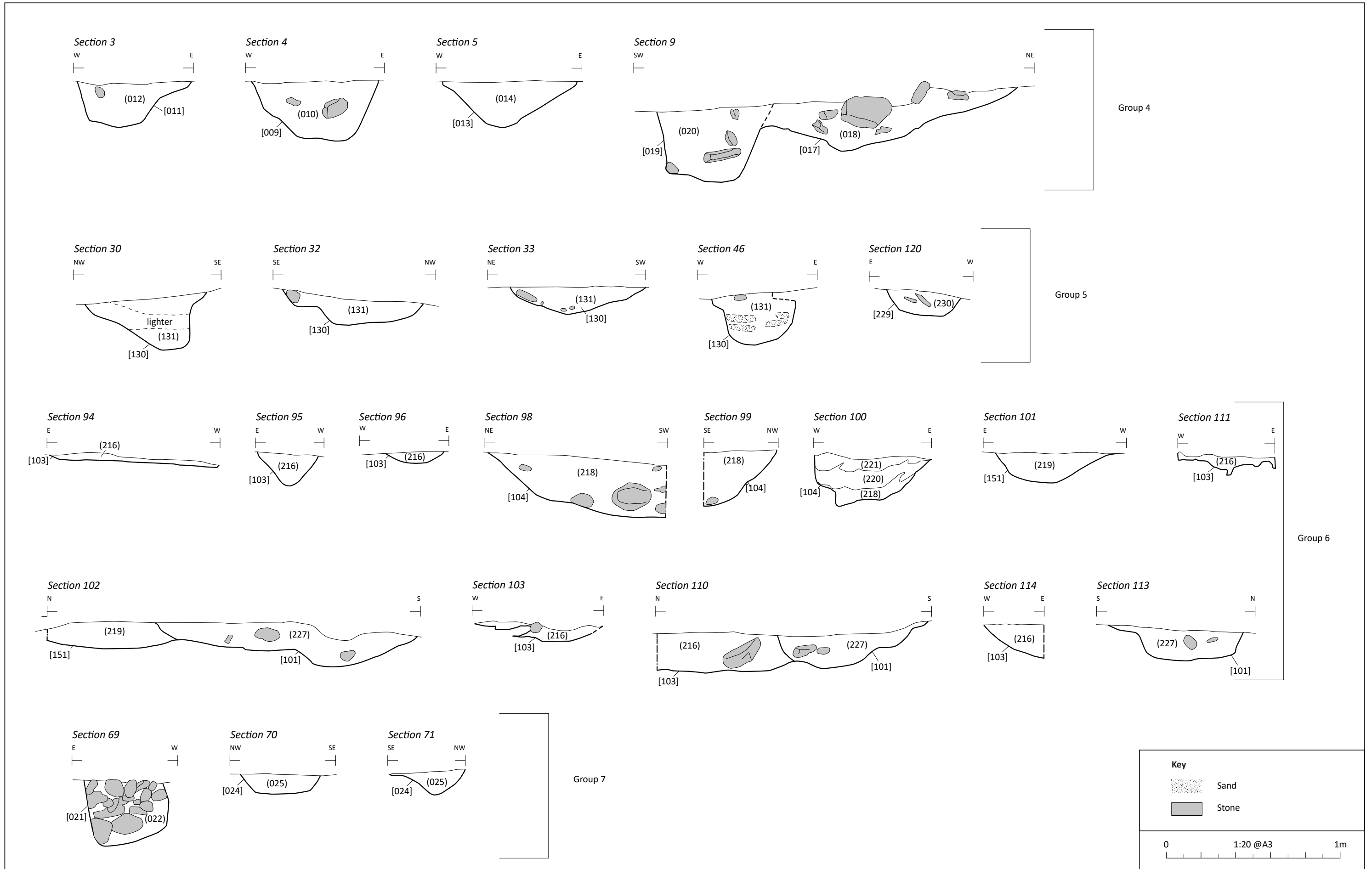


Figure 13: Section drawings of Groups 4, 5, 6 and 7



Figure 14: Section drawings of Groups 8, 9, 10 and 11

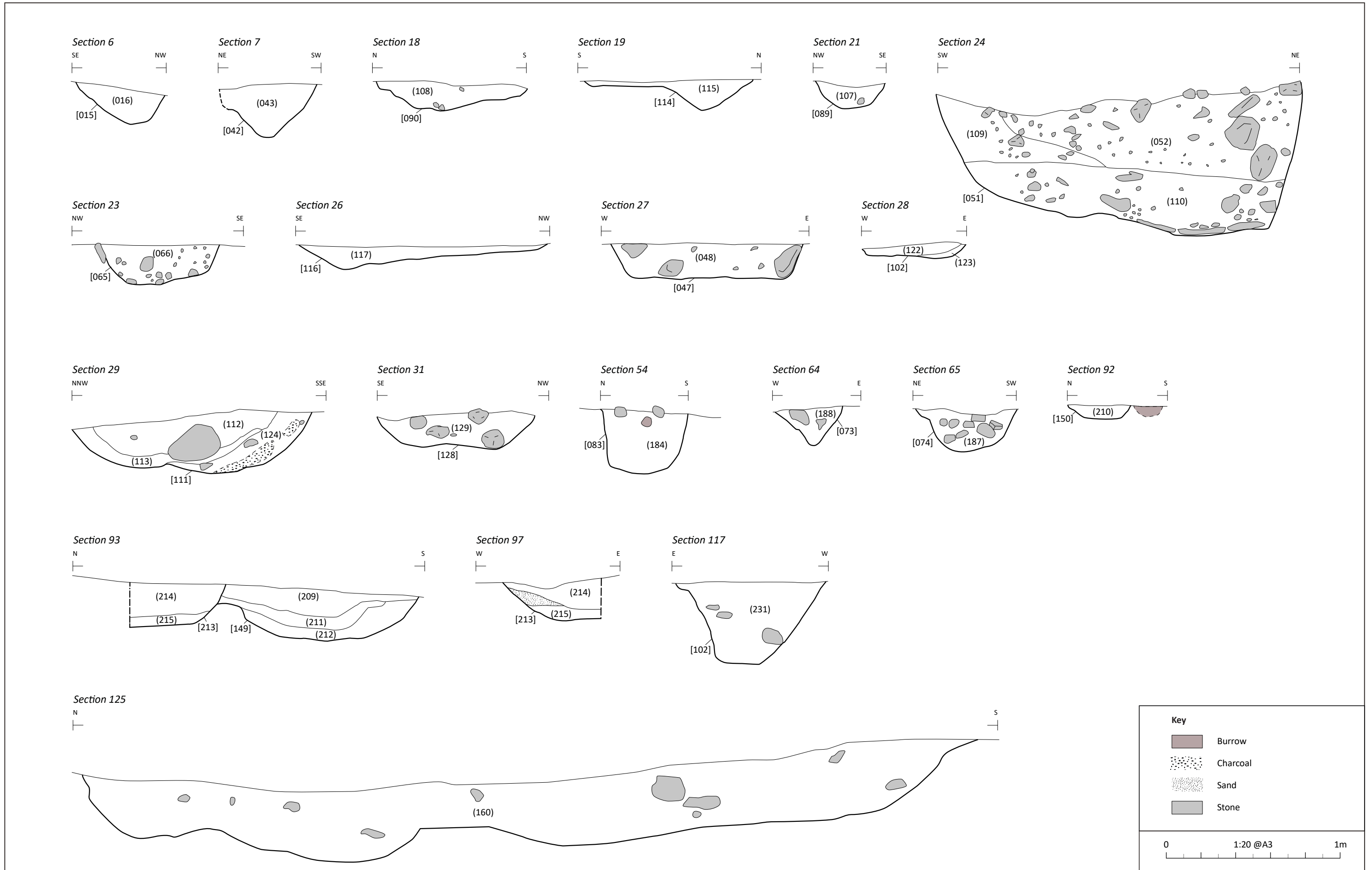


Figure 15: Section drawings of Ungrouped features

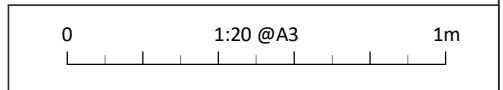
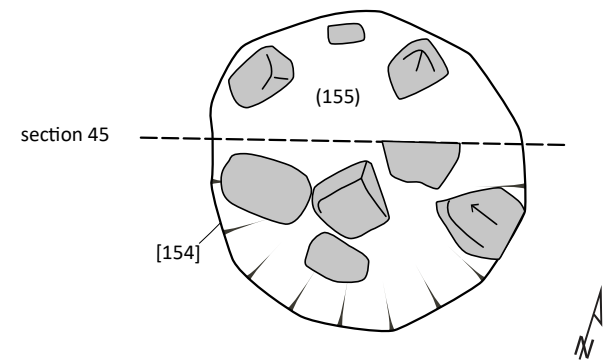
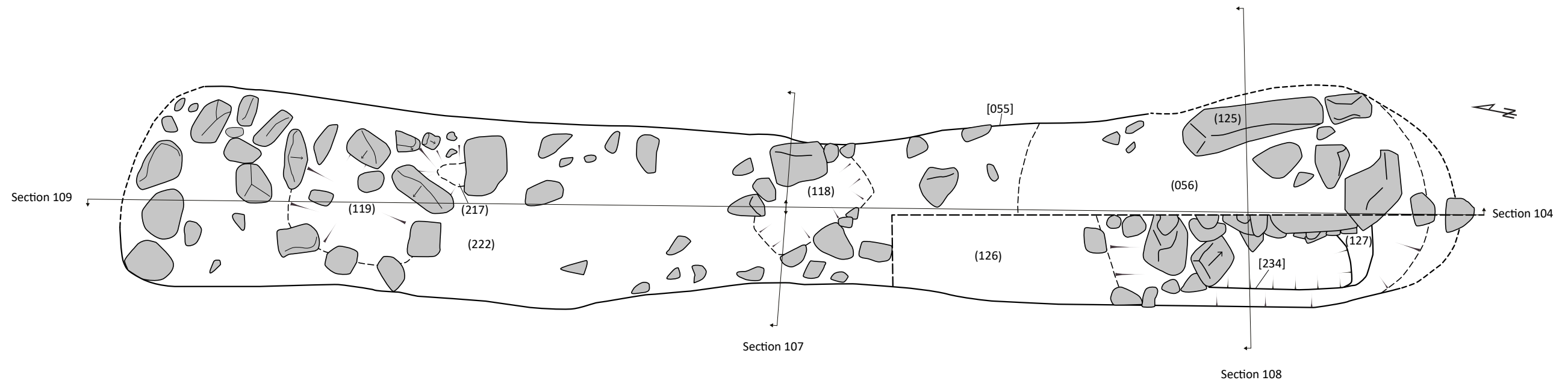


Figure 16: Mid excavation plans of features [055] and [154]



Plate 3: Overhead image of enclosure complex/structures 1 and 2 - SE end, looking SW



Plate 4: Overhead image of enclosure complex/structures 1, 2 and 3 - NW end, looking SW

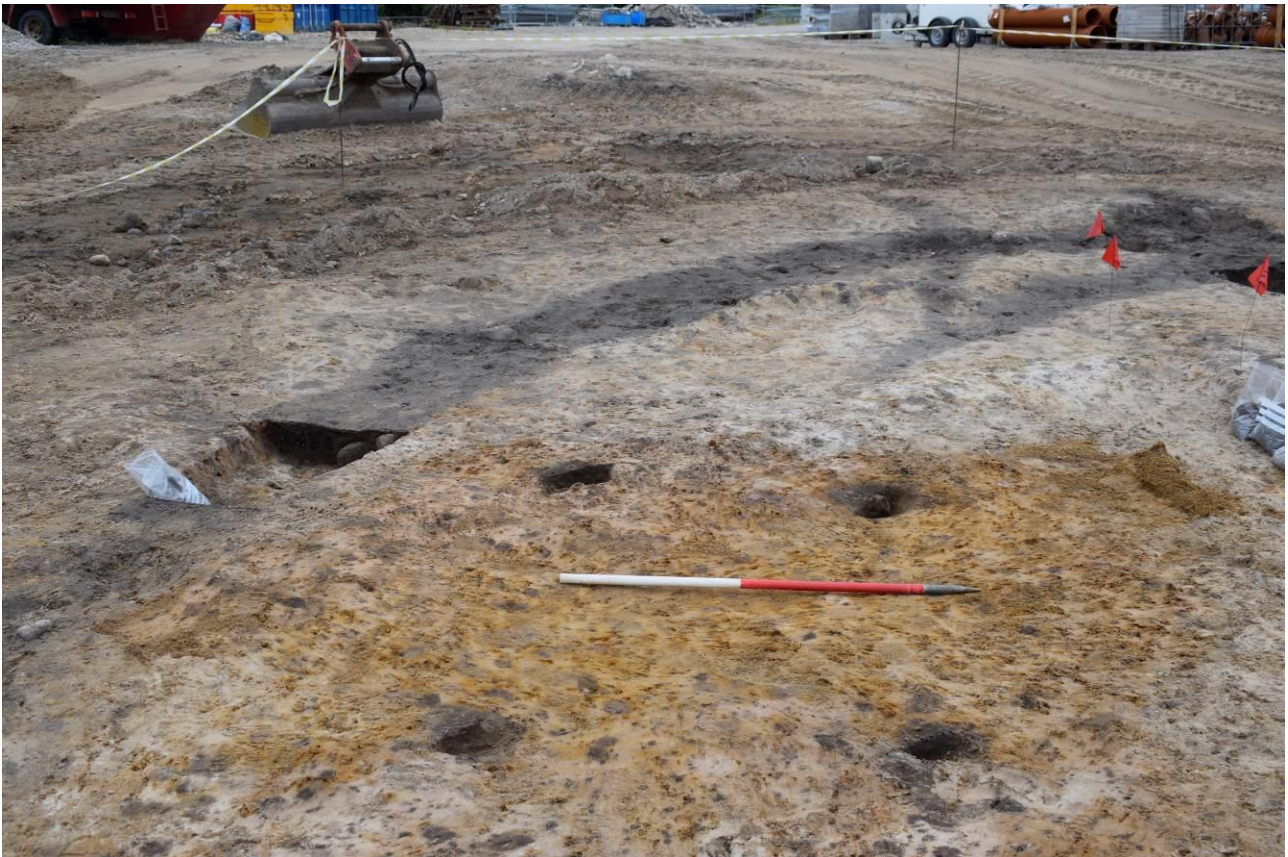


Plate 5: Post-excavation plan view of Structure 3 postholes [028], [191], [193] and [195], looking N



Plate 6: W-facing section of Hearth [030]



Plate 7: Overview photo of pre-excavation roundhouse complex, looking S



Plate 8: Overview photo of post-excavation roundhouse complex, looking S



Plate 9: Pre excavation shot of linear feature [130], looking W



Plate 10: Pre excavation shot of linear stone feature [055], looking N



Plate 11: Southern end of linear stone feature [055] W-facing section (south detail)



Plate 12: Northern end of linear stone feature [055] E-facing section (north detail)



Plate 13: Plan view of linear stone feature [055], looking S



Plate 14: Plan view of fully excavated linear stone feature [055], looking S



Plate 15: Orthostat (125) cleaned W face detail



Plate 16: Stone slab dislodged from [055] during topsoil strip



Plate 17: Linear stone feature [055] W facing section showing Pit [235] and Stone socket [118]



Plate 18: Linear stone feature [055] S facing section through Pit [235]



Plate 19: Stone socket [217] located within linear stone feature [055]



Plate 20: Linear stone feature [055] E facing section showing Pit [237] and Stone socket [119]



Plate 21: SE-facing section of pit [051]



Plate 22: WSW-facing section of pit [111]



Plate 23: Pit [111] pottery detail – SF01



Plate 24: Pit [191] possible loom weight detail – SF02



Plate 25: Ditch [003] slate spindle whorl detail - SF06



Plate 26: Overview of watching brief area, looking E

APPENDIX 1: Context Register

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Interpretation	Feature Group
001	Topsoil	Mid brown grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional charcoal flecks, frequent medium stones (up to 0.12m, 30%). Depth ranges from 0.15m along the north-south apex of the site to 0.63m to the west and 1.2m to the east	All	-	-	-	-	-	Modern plough/topsoil	-
002	Natural	Varied sand and gravel mix. Light sand with few stoney inclusions found within the lower site levels, varies from tan to pale grey to orange. Further up the slope the natural becomes a gravel/stone mix predominantly mid orange brown in colour with patches of yellow and red brown iron pan	-	All	-	-	-	-	Natural subsoil	-
003	Cut	Cut of Ditch: Curvilinear feature arc in plan measuring between 0.6m and 1.6m wide, c. 31m in length, with an approximate diameter of 25m and between 0.08m - 0.25m deep. c1.7m gap seen to the northwest of the intersection with ditch [032]. Top break of slope is generally gradual with a sharper break seen towards the north terminus. Sides are gradually sloping and slightly convex. Base break of slope is gradual onto a flat, occasionally uneven base	-	-	-	004	002	032, 200	Partial ring ditch of enclosure	G1/Structure 1
004	Fill	Fill of Ditch [003]: Dark grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional small sub-rounded stones (c. 0.05m, 10%), occasional silty lensing, medium unsorted sub-rounded stones seen towards north terminus (0.07m - 0.15m, 35%). Spindle whorl/slate found in slot 3.	-	001, 032, 200	003	-	-	-	Fill of ditch [003]	G1/Structure 1
005	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 1.6m by 1m and 0.85m deep. Sharp top break of slope, moderately steep slightly convex side to north, very steep to south with rounded base.	-	-	-	006	002	-	Pit of unknown function and date. Shape suggests it could be a large posthole where the post has been removed but little evidence	G1

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Interpretation	Feature Group
006	Fill	Fill of pit [005]: Mid brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains very occasional small stones (<0.1m). Waterlogged conditions in the lower 30% of the feature	-	001	005	-	-	-	Fill of pit [005]	G1
007	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 1m by 0.7m and 0.45m deep. Sharp top break of slope, moderately steep sides with a gradual break of slope onto a flat base.	-	-	-	008	002	-	Pit of unknown function and date	G1
008	Fill	Fill of Pit [007]: Mid grey brown, very loose, silty sand. Contains occasional medium sub angular stones (up to 0.15m, <10%). Slightly waterlogged conditions	-	001	007	-	-	-	Fill of pit [007]	G1
009	Cut	Cut of Pit: Slightly oval in plan measuring 0.7m by 0.6m and 0.35m deep. Sharp top break of slope, relatively steep sides, slightly stepped to west with a gradual break of slope onto a flat, slightly uneven base	-	-	-	010	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Associated with pits [011] and [013]	G4
010	Fill	Fill of Pit [009]: Mid grey black, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks, subangular stones (up to 0.15m, <10%), frequent sandy lenses and bioturbation	-	001	009	-	-	-	Fill of pit [009]	G4
011	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 0.65m by 0.55m and 0.3m deep. Sharp top break of slope with steeply sloping, almost vertical, sides to west. Gradual top break of slope with slightly stepped sides to east. With gradual break of slope onto a flat, slightly uneven base	-	-	-	012	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Associated with pits [009] and [013]	G4
012	Fill	Fill of Pit [011]: Mid grey black, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks, subangular stones (up to 0.15m, <10%), frequent sandy lenses and bioturbation	-	001	011	-	-	-	Fill of pit [011]	G4
013	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 0.75m by 0.6m and 0.25m deep. Gradual top break of slope, shallow slightly concave sides with an imperceptible break of slope onto a concave base	-	-	-	014	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Associated with pits [009] and [011]	G4

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Interpretation	Feature Group
014	Fill	Fill of Pit [013]: Mid grey black, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks, subangular stones (up to 0.15m, <10%), frequent sandy lenses and bioturbation	-	001	013	-	-	-	Fill of pit [013]	G4
015	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub-circular in plan measuring 0.45m in diameter and 0.15m deep. Sharp top break of slope with steeply sloping side to northwest. Gradual top break of slope with shallow sloped side to southeast. With imperceptible break of slope onto a concave base	-	-	-	016	002	-	Small pit of unknown date and function	-
016	Fill	Fill of Pit [015]: Dark brown black, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and gravel inclusions	-	001	015	-	-	-	Fill of pit [015]	-
017	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 1.4m by 0.8m and 0.25m deep. Gradual top break of slope, shallow slightly concave sides with imperceptible break of slope onto an undulating concave base	-	-	-	018	002	019	Pit of unknown date and function. Located 2m to the north of Group 2	G4
018	Fill	Fill of Pit [017]: Mid black grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional stone inclusions (up to 0.2m) and frequent orange/red sandy lenses	-	001	017	-	-	-	Fill of pit [017]	G4
019	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 0.7m by 0.6m and 0.45m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides with gradual break of slope onto an uneven concave base	-	-	-	020	002, 017	-	Posthole that possibly cuts the southwest edge of Pit [017]	G4
020	Fill	Fill of Pit [019]: Mid black grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional stone inclusions (up to 0.2m) and frequent orange/red sandy lenses	-	001	019	-	-	-	Fill of pit [019]	G4
021	Cut	Cut of Field Drain: Linear in plan running NNE-SSW, measuring 17.8m by 0.5m and 0.45m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides, near vertical, with curved break of slope onto an even base. North northeast terminus has gradual slightly convex sloping side	-	-	-	022	002	-	Stone filled Field Drain, possibly medieval in date	G7

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Interpretation	Feature Group
022	Fill	Fill of Field Drain [021]: Mid brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent sub-rounded/angular stones (0.06m to 0.2m, 90%)	-	001	021	-	-	-	Fill of field drain [021]	G7
023	Deposit	Possible Field Drain remnants: Irregular linear in plan running ESE-WNW, measuring 27m by 0.7m and 0.05m deep. Very shallow, possibly badly truncated. Runs into Field Drain [021] at roughly 45° angle. Mid brown, loose, sandy silt	-	001	-	-	002	-	Possible basal remnants of field drain associated with [021]	G7
024	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Slightly curvilinear in plan running roughly E-W, measuring 3.5m by 0.45m and 0.12m deep. Sharp top break of slope, concave sides, with gradual break of slope onto an even base. East terminus destroyed by contractor prior to excavation	-	-	-	025	002	-	Linear feature, possibly part of field drain system in the area - [021] and (023)	G7
025	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [024]: Mid grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional sandstone flecks and occasional charcoal flecks	-	001	024	-	-	-	Fill of linear feature [024]	G7
026	Cut	Cut of Small Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.46m by 0.5m and 0.18m deep. Sharp top break of slope to north, east, and south, gradual to west, concave sides to north, east, and west, stepped concave side to south, with gradual break of slope onto an even concave base	-	-	-	027, 208	002	-	Small pit found 2m to the south of structure 2. Possibly small fire-pit	G2
027	Fill	Upper fill of Small Pit [026]: Dark grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent charcoal flecks and chunks (60%) and frequent burnt bone fragments - better preserved on south stepped ledge. 0.14m deep fills entire pit	208	001	026	-	-	-	Upper burnt layer of small pit [026]	G2
028	Cut	Cut of possible Posthole: Circular in plan measuring 0.26m in diameter and 0.07m deep. Moderate top break of slope, gently sloping sides with a gradual break of slope onto a shallow concave base	-	-	-	029	002	-	Cut of possible posthole/small pit, very truncated. Possibly forms part of a rectangular shelter with features [191], [193] and [195]	G2/S3

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Interpretation	Feature Group
029	Fill	Fill of possible Posthole [028]: Mid brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains rare small rounded stone (<1%)	-	001	028	-	-	-	Fill of possible posthole [028]	G2/S3
030	Cut	Cut of Pit/Hearth: Sub circular in plan measuring 1.1m by 1.2m and 0.21m deep. Sharp top break of slope, moderately steep sides, with gradual break of slope onto wide flat base. Slightly stepped slope to north	-	-	-	031, 203	002	-	Possible firepit/hearth. Rich basal charcoal layer suggests active burning during use and not part of abandonment	G2
031	Fill	Upper fill of Firepit/Hearth [030]: Mid brown, firm, silty sand. Contains occasional pebble inclusions and some cobble sized stones	203	001	030	-	203	-	Upper fill of Firepit/Hearth [030]	G2
032	Cut	Cut of Ditch: Reverse D shape plan cutting through the southwest edge of [003] measuring c. 16m NW-SE, 8.4m NE-SW with a ditch width of between 0.6m and 1.88m and between 0.15m - 0.47m deep. Top break of slope is generally sharp, sides are moderately steep slightly concave in places with a gradual concave break of slope onto an even base. Cut by posthole [198] in slot 2. Possible posthole cut seen in slot 5 - same fill as [032]. Ditch appears to show a double ditch in slot 4 - possibly mirroring ditch presence of ditch [200] at north terminus. Truncated by modern test pit at the south terminus	-	-	-	033	002, 003, 206	198	Curvilinear ditch. Possible stock enclosure added to ring ditch enclosure [003] at a later date	G2/S2
033	Fill	Fill of Ditch [032]: Dark grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional charcoal flecks (20%) and occasional medium to large small sub-rounded stones (c. 0.05m - 0.2m, 30%). Stones become more frequent towards north and south terminus where it cuts [003]	-	001	032	-	-	-	Fill of ditch [032]	G2/S2
034	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 1m by 0.6m and 0.1m deep. Imperceptible top break of slope, very shallow sides with a gradual break of slope onto a flat base	-	-	-	035	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Possible natural hollow	G1

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035	Fill	Fill of Pit [034]: Mid brown grey, loose, silty sand. No inclusions, frequent iron-pan lensing throughout	-	001	034	-	-	-	Fill of pit [034]	G1
036	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 0.9m by 0.65m and 0.3m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately steep sides with a gradual concave break of slope onto a concaved base	-	-	-	037	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	G1
037	Fill	Fill of Pit [036]: Dark brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional medium stones (<0.1m). Slight disturbance from bioturbation	-	001	036	-	-	-	Fill of pit [036]	G1
038	Cut	Cut of Small Pit: Irregular sub circular shape in plan measuring 0.8m in diameter and 0.39m deep. Gradual top break of slope, steep straight sides, more gradual and slightly stepped to the south with gradual break of slope onto a concave base	-	-	-	039	002	-	Small pit of unknown date and function. Possible area of vegetation burning. Situated immediately to north of ditch [003] and 6m south of pits [034] and [036]	G1
039	Fill	Fill of Pit [038]: Mid brown grey, friable silty sand. Contains frequent small angular and rounded stones (0.01m - 0.08m, <50%) and rare charcoal flecks (1%)	-	001	038	-	-	-	Fill of pit [038]	G1
040	Cut	Cut of Stakehole: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.22m in diameter and 0.16m deep. Sharp top break of slope, slightly curved sides with a gradual base of slope onto a concave base	-	-	-	041	002	-	Small stakehole of unknown date and function	G9
041	Fill	Fill of Stakehole [040]: Mid grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains rare sub-rounded stones (0.02m - 0.04m, <1%)	-	001	040	-	-	-	Fill of stakehole [040]	G9
042	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.6m in diameter and 0.3m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides with gradual break of slope onto concaved base. Truncated by machine to northeast	-	-	-	043	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	-
043	Fill	Fill of Pit [042]: Dark grey brown, slightly compacted, silty gravel. Contains no further inclusions, stones sub-rounded (<0.1m)	-	001	042	-	-	-	Fill of pit [042]	-

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044	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub-circular in plan measuring 0.85m by 0.75m and c. 0.45m deep. Sharp top break of slope, slightly concave sides. Excavated to a depth of 0.45m before filled with water. Destroyed by sub-contractor before fully excavated	-	-	-	045	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Found within ditch feature [003] and close to pits [005] and [007]	G1
045	Fill	Fill of Pit [044]: Mid grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional flecks of charcoal (5%) and dense area of sub/well rounded stones found c. 0.1m down, moderately sorted (0.07m - 0.12m, 40%)	-	001	044	-	-	-	Fill of pit [044]	G1
046	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
047	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 1.2m by 1.1m and 0.2m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately sloped sides with a gradual break of slope onto a broadly flat base	-	-	-	048	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	-
048	Fill	Fill of Pit [047]: Mid grey brown, medium compaction, silty sand. Occasional sub-rounded stones (up to 0.2m) and occasional small chunks of coal	-	001	047	-	-	-	Fill of pit [047]	-
049	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
050	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
051	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 2.1m by 1.53m and 0.89m deep. Sharp top break of slope, moderately steep sides, slightly convex to northeast with gradual concave break of slope onto a relatively flat base	-	-	-	052, 109, 110	002	-	Pit of unknown function. Possibly Iron Age in date	-
052	Fill	Upper fill of Pit [051]: Dark brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains frequent small sub-rounded pebbles, occasional sub angular stones, occasional large sub-rounded stones, and rare charcoal flecks (<2%). Partially covers fill (109) and seals fill (110), c. 0.62m deep. Two small sherds of pottery recovered from the fill	109, 110	001	051	-	-	-	Upper fill of pit [051]	-
053	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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054	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
055	Cut	Cut of Stone Filled Linear feature: Linear in plan measuring c. 6m by 0.7m (north), 1m (south) and 0.44m deep. Sharp top break of slope, sides near vertical slightly concave with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven base. Cut by three pits [234] to the south - with in situ standing stone, [235] a smaller pit found centrally with stone socket/setting and [236] to north which is similar to [234] and contains two stone sockets/settings	-	-	-	121, 126, 127, 224, 225, 226	002	234, 235, 236	Stone filled linear feature. Possibly used as trench/ditch for marker stones and associated pits	G10
056	Fill	Fill of Pit [234]: Mottled mid and dark brown, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and frequent dense sub angular cobbles at base (0.05m - 0.15m, 60%). Large upright stone (125) found along the east edge centrally within the feature. A single worked flint found within the fill	-	001	234	-	-	-	Fill of pit [234]	G10
057	Deposit	Field drain: Linear in plan running NNE-SSW and measuring 110m by c. 0.6m. A short spur can be seen running roughly E-W towards the southern end of the field drain. Dark grey brown, soft, sandy clay. Contains a broken orange ceramic pipe along centre. Waterlogged	-	001	-	-	002	059	Ceramic field drain of unknown date	-
058	Deposit	Field Drain: Linear in plan with rough right angle at south end. Runs 59m by 0.7m NNW-SSE and 38.5m by 0.7m SSW-NNE. Mid brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent sub-rounded/angular stones (0.06m to 0.2m, 90%)	-	001	-	-	059, 002	-	Stone filled field drain of unknown date	-
059	Deposit	Field Drain: Linear in plan with rough right angle at north end. Runs 47.5m by 0.7m NE-SW and 9.5m by 0.7m NW-SE. Mid brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent sub-rounded/angular stones (0.06m to 0.2m, 90%)	-	001	-	-	002	-	Stone filled field drain of unknown date	-
060	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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061	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
062	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 1.1m by 0.6m and 0.2m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately shallow side to southwest and steep to northeast with gradual break of slope onto relatively flat base	-	-	-	063	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	G9
063	Fill	Fill of Pit [062]: Light grey brown, loose, sand. Contains occasional large sub angular stones through the centre of the fill (up to 0.3m, 20%)	-	001	062	-	-	-	Fill of Pit [062]	G9
064	Deposit	Sub oval in plan measuring 4m by 1.4m and 0.16m deep. Shallow depression of mid grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains frequent large sub angular stones (up to 0.25m) which made up most of the southwest side of the spread	002	001	-	-	-	-	Spread/deposit of unknown date and function	G9
065	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.75m in diameter and 0.22m deep. Gradual top break of slope, steep irregular sides with gradual break of slope onto uneven base	-	-	-	066	002	-	Small pit of unknown date and function. Possibly formed by natural infilling	-
066	Fill	Fill of Pit [065]: Dark brown grey, friable, silty sand. Contains frequent small to medium angular/rounded stones (0.01m - 0.15m, 50%) and rare charcoal flecks (1%)	-	001	065	-	-	-	Fill of pit [065]	-
067	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
068	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
069	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
070	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
071	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
072	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
073	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.4m in diameter and 0.25m deep. Slightly sharp top break of slope, sloping slightly concave sides, gradual break of slope onto concave base	-	-	-	188	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Possibly associated with the possible roundhouse	-

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074	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.55m by 0.5m and 0.25m deep. Gradual top break of slope, concave sloping sides with gradual break of slope onto uneven concave base	-	-	-	187	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Possibly associated with the possible roundhouse	-
075	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Circular in plan measuring 0.6m in diameter and 0.4m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sloping sides with gradual break of slope onto concaved base	-	-	-	135	002	-	Posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse	G3
076	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.6m in diameter and 0.21m deep. Sharp top break of slope, concave relatively steep sloping sides with gradual break of slope onto flat base	-	-	-	156	002	-	Posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse	G3
077	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Oval in plan measuring 1.5m by 1m and 0.3m deep. Gradual top break of slope to the southwest and sharper to the northeast, steep slightly stepped sides with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven concaved base. Truncated by machine towards the southwest edge	-	-	-	159	002	-	Posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse	G3
078	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 1.08m by 0.7m and 0.3m deep. Gradual top break of slope, stepped sloping sides, gradual concave break of slope onto slightly concave base.	-	-	-	133, 134	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Associated with the possible roundhouse	G3
079	Deposit	Irregular in plan measuring 2.25m by 1.1m and 0.03 - 0.18m deep. Shallow depression of varying profile. Heavily impacted by small burrows. Mottled dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains infrequent small sub-rounded stones (<0.15m) and rare charcoal flecks	002	001	-	-	-	-	Spread/deposit of unknown date and function. Possibly a large, well-used animal burrow or degraded prehistoric feature impacted by burrowing. Associated with the possible roundhouse	G3
080	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub oval in plan measuring 1.6m by 0.9m and 0.17m deep. Sharp top break of slope, moderately steep sides, moderate to sharp break of slope onto an irregular slightly concave base. Located to the centre of the roundhouse	-	-	-	157	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. The presence of animal bone within the fill and location near the centre of the roundhouse suggests that it may be associated with food processing.	G3

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081	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 1.8m by 1.3m and 0.3m deep. Gradual top break of slope, steep slightly stepped sides with a gradual concave break of slope onto a mostly flat base	-	-	-	197	002	-	Posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse	-
082	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Circular in plan measuring 0.43m in diameter and 0.12m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep slightly concave regular sides with a gradual break of slope onto a flat base. Root disturbance at base of feature and on south side	-	-	-	132	002	-	Posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse. Fill likely the result of natural infilling. Stones within fill are possibly collapsed packing stones	-
083	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub oval/amorphous in plan measuring 0.9m by 0.5m and 0.36m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides, moderate to sharp break of slope onto a relatively flat base	-	-	-	184	002	-	Posthole of unknown date and function - possibly prehistoric pit. May be a degraded posthole, not much evidence of packing stones. Associated with possible roundhouse	-
084	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
085	Deposit	Possible Field Drain remnants: Irregular linear in plan running roughly N-S, measuring 51.5m by 0.35m - 1m. Very shallow, brown, loose, sandy silt, containing frequent sub-rounded stones (30%), badly truncated. Runs into natural hollow containing (160)	-	001	-	-	002	-	Possible basal remnants of field drain of unknown date	-
086	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub oval in plan measuring 1.28m by 0.7m and 0.14m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately sloped concave sides, gradual break of slope onto an uneven slightly concave base	-	-	-	093	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function. Associated with posthole [094] and pit [096]	G11
087	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
088	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
089	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.36m by 0.26m and 0.13m deep. Gradual top break of slope, slightly concaved sloping sides with imperceptible break of slope onto rounded base	-	-	-	107	002	-	Small pit of unknown date and function	-

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090	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub oval in plan measuring 0.44m by 0.8m and 0.18m deep. Sharp top break of slope, slightly concave stepped sides with a gradual curved break of slope onto an undulating base	-	-	-	108	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	-
091	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
092	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Slightly curvilinear in plan running roughly N-S, measuring c. 32m by between 0.9m to 1.4m and between 0.21m to 0.32m deep. Gradual top break of slope, slightly concave sides - steeper to north, with a gradual break of slope onto an even base. South terminus has shallow sloped side	-	-	-	228	002	-	Linear feature of unknown date and function. Possible drainage ditch, frequent stones in the fill with no identifiable structuring	G8
093	Fill	Fill of Pit [086]: Mid grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional charcoal flecks (10%) and frequent medium sub angular stones (0.04m - 0.1m, 40%)	-	001	086	-	-	-	Fill of pit [086]	G11
094	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.25m by 0.2m and 0.13m deep. Sharp top break of slope and near vertical sides to southeast edge, gradual top break of slope and concave sides to northwest, southwest and northeast, with gradual break of slope onto rounded base	-	-	-	095	002	-	Possible posthole associated with pits [086] and [096]	G11
095	Fill	Fill of Posthole [094]: Mid to Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains rare charcoal flecks (<1%), frequent small sub-rounded stones (0.02m - 0.04m, 40%) and frequent small roots	-	001	094	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [094]	G11
096	Cut	Cut of Pit: Slightly oval in plan measuring 0.7m by 0.6m and 0.3m deep. Gradual top break of slope to north and sharp to south, north side is convex gradually sloping and slightly convex, south side is steep with a gradual break of slope throughout onto a concave base	-	-	-	097	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	G11

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097	Fill	Fill of Pit [096]: Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional small stones (<0.05m) and gravel inclusions	-	001	096	-	-	-	Fill of pit [096]	G11
098	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
099	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
101	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Relatively straight in plan running roughly E-W measuring 13.2m by 0.8m - 1.25m and between 0.2m and 0.25m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately shallow sides on the south edge and steeper sides seen to the north with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven base	-	-	-	227	103, 151, 002	-	Possible drainage ditch of unknown date	G6
102	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan and measuring 0.6m by 0.47m and 0.11m deep. Gradual top of slope, moderately shallow concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto a relatively flat base	-	-	-	122, 123	002	-	Shallow pit of unknown date and function. Charcoal heavy fill located to east edge	-
103	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Irregular linear in plan running roughly NE-SW measuring c. 7.8m by 0.7m and c. 0.30m deep. Gradual to sharp top break of slope, moderately steep concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven concave base	-	-	-	216	002	-	Possible drainage ditch of unknown date	G6
104	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Curvilinear in plan running roughly NE-SW measuring c. 21m by 0.3m - 0.7m and between 0.05m and 0.18m deep. Gradual to imperceptible top break of slope, moderately shallow sides with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven concave base. Cut becomes extremely shallow in slot 3	-	-	-	218, 220, 221	002	101	Possible drainage ditch of unknown date	G6
105	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
106	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 0.9m by 1m and 0.5m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides, almost vertical, with a gradual concave break of slope onto a relatively flat base	-	-	-	231	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	-

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107	Fill	Fill of Pit [089]: Dark grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains rare sub angular stones (0.02m - 0.05m, 5%) and occasional charcoal flecks (10%)	-	001	089	-	-	-	Fill of pit [089]	-
108	Fill	Fill of Pit [090]: Dark grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional small sub angular stones (0.02m - 0.04m, 5%) and occasional degraded sandstone inclusions (5%)	-	001	090	-	-	-	Fill of pit [090]	-
109	Fill	Middle fill of Pit [051]: Mid brown yellow, loose, silty sand. Contains frequent small to medium sub-rounded stones. Partially covered by fill (052) and seals fill (110), c. 0.37m deep	110	052	051	-	-	-	Middle fill of pit [051]	-
110	Fill	Basal fill of Pit [051]: Dark brown, loose, silty sand. Contains frequent small to large sub-rounded/angular stones. Covered by fills (052) and (109), c. 0.36m deep. Large flat red sandstone slabs found at base of layer, appear to have been intentionally deposited	-	052, 109	051	-	-	-	Basal fill of pit [051]	-
111	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub oval in plan measuring 1.37m by 1.4m and 0.34m deep. Sharp top break of slope at the NNW edge, gradual along the remaining edges, concave sloping sides to north and northwest, slightly convex to south and southwest with a gradual break of slope onto a stepped uneven base. Feature fully excavated to recover all pottery	-	--		112, 113, 124	002	-	Prehistoric pit possibly used for burning - firepit	-
112	Fill	Upper fill of Pit [111]: Mid grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent charcoal flecks (30%), occasional medium sub angular stones (0.02m - 0.05m, 10%), Rare large sub-rounded stones (up to 0.31m), possible worked stone and prehistoric pottery fragments at the intersection with (113). C. 1m in diameter and 0.18m deep	113, 124	001	111	-	-	-	Upper fill of pit [111]	-

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113	Fill	Middle fill of Pit [111]: Dark grey black, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent charcoal flecks (60%), occasional small sub-rounded stones (0.01m - 0.02m, 15%) and a large fragment of decorated prehistoric pottery. C. 0.08m deep running along the base of the pit to the north and thinning out towards the south. Possible evidence of in situ burning	124	112	111	-	-	-	Middle fill of pit [111]	-
114	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 0.95m by 0.4m and 0.2m deep. Gradual north top break of slope, not perceptible to the south edge, south side almost flat shallow slope for c.0.45m then gradual step into a steeper slightly concave slope, north edge has steep concave slope with a gradual break of slope onto a concave base, almost V-shaped	-	-	-	115	002	-	Possible pit of unknown date and function associated with short term burning. North side may be original pit whilst the south side may be part of a later spread	-
115	Fill	Fill of Pit [114]: Light brown grey, loose, sand. Base of layer darker and looked to contain burnt material, charcoal	-	001	114	-	-	-	Fill of pit [114]	-
116	Cut	Irregular oval in plan measuring 1.4m by 0.4m and 0.15m deep. Gradual top break of slope on southeast side, not perceptible on northwest side, southeast moderately steep sided, northwest extremely shallow with a gradual break of slope onto a slightly concaved base	-	-	-	117	002	-	Possible pit of unknown date and function. May be natural hollow filled over time	-
117	Fill	Fill of Pit [116]: Light brown grey, loose, sand. Contains occasional clay lenses.	-	001	116	-	-	-	Fill of pit [116]	-
118	Cut	Cut for possible Stone Setting/Socket: Rectangular in plan measuring c. 0.5m by 0.2m and 0.11m deep. Constructed of sub rectangular stones of varying sizes creating rectangular socket with gently sloping internal edges	223	001	-	-	235	-	Stone setting/socket for removed stone or post found within stone pit [235]	G10

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119	Cut	Cut for possible Stone Setting/Socket: Rectangular in plan measuring c. 0.45m by 0.35m and 0.1m deep. Constructed of sub rectangular stones of varying sizes creating rectangular socket with gently sloping internal edges	222	001	-	-	236	-	Stone setting/socket for removed stone or post found within stone pit [236]	G10
120	void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
121	Fill	Middle fill of Stone Filled Linear feature [055]: Dark brown, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and frequent sub angular stones (0.06m - 0.2m, 45%). Seen in the southern end of the feature measuring c. 1.1m in length and 0.19m deep.	226	126	055	-	-	-	Middle fill of stone filled linear feature [055]	G10
122	Fill	Upper fill of Pit [102]: Dark grey, loose, silty sand. No inclusions	123	001	102	-	-	-	Upper fill of pit [102]	-
123	Fill	Basal fill of Pit [102]: Very dark grey black, loose, silty sand located on the east edge of the pit. Contains frequent charcoal fragments (>80%)	-	123	102	--	-	-	Basal fill of pit [102]	-
124	Fill	Basal fill of Pit [111]: Mottled mid grey and orange, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional charcoal lenses and occasional small sub-rounded stones found towards the south of the feature (0.02m, 20%)	-	113	111	-	-	-	Basal fill of pit [111]	-
125	Stone	Upright stone found within Pit [234]: Sub rectangular in shape, located centrally along the East edge of pit [234]. Measures 0.74m in height, c. 0.6m wide, 0.19m thick. Sits 0.04m above base of pit and sits 0.35m below top of cut. Scarring seen on west face due to being struck by dislodged stone during topsoil strip (photo SC340)	-	001	234	-	-	-	Possible marker stone found within pit [234]	G10

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126	Fill	Upper fill of Stone Filled Linear feature [055]: Mottled mid orange and mid brown, medium compacted, sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and occasional pebbles and sub-rounded cobbles (0.05m - 0.1m, 25%). Seen in the centre of the feature measuring c. 2.7m in length and 0.3m deep.	121, 224, 226	001	055	-	-	233, 234, 237	Upper fill of stone linear feature [055]	G10
127	Fill	Basal fill of Stone Filled Linear feature [055]: Mottled mid grey brown with lighter patches, compact, silty sand. Located at the southern edge of [055] measuring 0.6m in length and 0.12m deep	-	002	055	-	-	234	Basal fill of stone filled linear feature [055]	G10
128	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 1.4m by 0.9m and 0.17m deep. Gradual top of slope, slightly concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto a relatively flat base	-	-	-	129	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function	-
129	Fill	Fill of pit [128]: Dark brown grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent medium sub-rounded pebbles	-	001	128	-	-	-	Fill of pit [128]	-
130	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Curvilinear feature arc in plan measuring c. 0.7m wide, c. 19m in length, with an approximate diameter of 10.7m and between 0.14m - 0.31m deep. c. 11m gap seen between south terminus and possible intersection with linear feature [229] to the east. Gradual top breaks of slope, sides predominantly moderately steep and irregular with gradual break of slope onto a rounded base	-	-	-	131	002	-	Curvilinear feature of unknown date and function. Possibly forms a c shaped enclosure. Fill 131 likely to have formed as the result of natural infilling	G5
131	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [130]: Mixed light/dark brown grey, friable, silty sand. Contains occasional small to medium angular and rounded stones (0.01m - 0.08m, 30%) and rare charcoal flecks. Patches of mid yellow orange silt seen in terminus slot 1	-	001	130	-	-	-	Fill of linear [130]	G5

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132	Fill	Fill of Posthole [082]: Dark brown grey, friable, silty sand. Contains occasional small to medium sized angular and rounded stones (0.04m - 0.12m, 40%) and rare charcoal flecks (1%)	-	001	082	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [082]	-
133	Fill	Upper fill of pit [078]: Dark brown, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional small sub-rounded pebbles and medium sub angular stones. Small fragment of animal bone recovered	134	001	078	-	-	-	Upper fill of pit [078]	G3
134	Fill	Basal fill of Pit [078]: Mid yellow orange, loose, silty sand. Mixed with dark brown, loose, sandy silt. Possibly result of root activity and not deposition	-	133	078	-	-	-	Basal fill of pit [078]	G3
135	Fill	Fill of Posthole [075]: Mid black brown, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional small pebbles to large rounded stones (up to 0.25m). Possible evidence of packing stones	-	001	075	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [075]	G3
136	Fill	Fill of Posthole [143]: Mid grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contained several medium sub angular stones (up to 0.2m)	-	001	143	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [143]	G3
137	Fill	Basal fill of Posthole [144]: Dark black brown, loose, silty sand. Contains 1 fragment of pottery. Fill c. 0.15m thick and covers base of feature. A lens of redeposited sand separates (137) from (140)	-	140	144	-	-	138	Basal fill of posthole [144]	G3
138	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Oval in plan measuring 0.7m by 0.8m and 0.3m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately steep concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto a concave base. Cuts Posthole [144] to southwest	140, 137	-	-	139	144, 002	-	Possible posthole of unknown date and function. Possible stone packing present. May be reset into earlier pit/posthole [144]. Associated with the possible roundhouse	G3
139	Fill	Fill of Posthole [138]: Mid brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains several large sub angular stones (up to 0.3m)	-	001	138	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [138]	G3
140	Fill	Upper fill of Posthole [144]: Mid grey brown, loose, silty sand. Possibly upper backfill of (137) or spread from (139)	137	-	144	-	-	138	Upper fill of posthole [144]	G3

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141	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.35m in diameter and 0.1m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately shallow sides with gradual break of slope onto a slightly concaved base	-	-	-	173	002	-	Possible pit or truncated posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with the possible roundhouse	G3
142	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.3m in diameter and 0.1m deep. Gradual top break of slope, shallow sides to the west whilst steeper to the east with a gradual break of slope onto a slightly concave base	-	-	-	174	002	-	Possible pit or truncated posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with the possible roundhouse	G3
143	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Circular in plan measuring 0.7m in diameter and 0.25m deep. Gradual top break of slope on north edge and sharp to south, sides are moderately shallow and stepped to the north and steep to south with steep irregular sides with a gradual break of slope onto a slightly concave base	-	-	-	136	002	-	Possible truncated posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with the possible roundhouse	G3
144	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Oval in plan measuring 0.8m by 1m and 0.4m deep. Cut by posthole [138]. Sharp top break of slope, steep slightly convex sides, with a sharp break of slope onto a flat base	-	-	-	137, 140	002	139	Possible posthole of unknown date and function. May have been redug and reused as [138]. Associated with the possible roundhouse	G3
145	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Circular in plan measuring 0.6m in diameter and 0.3m deep. Relatively sharp top break of slope, steep sloping sides with gradual break of slope onto a slightly concaved base	-	-	-	158	002	-	Possible posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse	G3
146	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Sub oval in plan measuring 0.84m by 0.54m and 0.13m deep. Gradual top break of slope with slightly concave sloping side to east and imperceptible top break of slope with gradual concave slope to west. Base break of slope is imperceptible onto a concave base	-	-	-	202	002	-	Possible posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse	G3
147	Cut	Cut of Pit: Slightly oval in plan measuring 0.7m by 0.8m and 0.15m deep. Gradual top break of slope, almost imperceptible, sides are shallow with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven concaved base	-	-	-	175	002	-	Possible pit or truncated posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse	G3

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148	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
149	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 1.1m by 1.4m and 0.3m deep. Sharp top break of slope, relatively steep slightly concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto a flat base. Truncated to the north by Linear [213]. Feature extents not identified as it is located beyond limits of excavation	-	-	-	209, 211, 212	002	213	Possible pit or linear feature of unknown date and function	-
150	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.5m by 0.38m and 0.07m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately sloping sides with a gradual break of slope onto a flat base	-	-	-	210	002	-	Small shallow pit of unknown date and function. Possibly heat affected sand, fill has high charcoal content but no other signs of burning	-
151	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Curvilinear in plan running roughly N-S measuring c. 4.5m by 0.5m - 0.6m and between 0.1m and 0.2m deep. Top of slope varies from gradual to sharp, moderately shallow uneven sides with a gradual break of slope onto a relatively flat base. Truncated to the south by Linear feature [101]	-	--	-	219	002	101	Linear feature of unknown date. Possibly part of drainage system connected to [101]	G6
152	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Amorphous in plan and measuring 0.6m by 0.48m and 0.16m deep. Gradual top break of slope, moderately concave sloping side to south, slightly stepped to north with a gradual break of slope onto a slightly concave base	-	-	-	153	002	-	Posthole of unknown date and function. Associated with possible roundhouse. Very degraded/disturbed. Possible packing stones present which may have been pulled out of situ	G3
153	Fill	Fill of Posthole [152]: Mottled dark brown and black, compacted, sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks and several sub-rounded stones (0.15m - 0.2m)	-	001	152	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [152]	G3
154	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Oval in plan measuring 0.9m by 0.7m and 0.33m deep. Sharp top of slope, steeply angled sides, obscured to SSW by stone with a gradual break of slope onto a flat base	-	-	-	155	002	-	Prehistoric posthole associated with possible roundhouse. Degraded/dismantled remains of stone packed posthole.	G3

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155	Fill	Fill of Posthole [154]: Dark brown, fairly compact, sandy silt. Mottled towards base. Contains rare charcoal flecks and a circular setting of sub-rounded stones (0.12m - 0.25m)	-	001	154	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [154]	G3
156	Fill	Fill of Posthole [076]: Dark brown, moderately compact, sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks and occasional sub-rounded stones (0.15m - 0.25m) set into the edge of the cut - packing stones	-	001	076	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [076]	G3
157	Fill	Fill of Pit [080]: Dark brown, firm, sandy silt. Occasional small to medium sub-rounded stones and large fragments of animal bone. No obvious signs of cut marks or working on the bones. Appears to be long bones and scapula	-	001	080	-	-	-	Fill of pit [080]	G3
158	Fill	Fill of Posthole [145]: Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contained several medium sub angular stones (up to 0.2m) and a large boulder (0.35m) located to the west edge of the posthole	-	001	145	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [145]	G3
159	Fill	Fill of Posthole [077]: Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional medium sub angular stone inclusions (up to 0.2m) - more rounded towards northeast side of fill. Mottled throughout with frequent disturbance due to bioturbation	-	001	077	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [077]	G3

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160	Deposit	Irregular patches in plan found within a natural hollow measuring 24m by 36m that continues beyond limit of excavation. A slot was excavated through the deposit running N-S measuring 1m by 5.3m and 0.04m deep. Sharp break of slope with moderately steep sides with a gradual break of slope onto a slightly concave irregular base. Mid brown grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent cobble stone inclusions and larger stones (0.05m - 0.3m), rare bone fragments, glass, and plastic. Presence of iron pan suggests waterlogged during wet weather. Associated with possible pit identified during the evaluation. Topsoil as deep as 1.45m in this area	002	001	-	-	-	-	Possibly natural infilling of hollow with farm topsoil used for levelling or the result of natural hill wash	-
161	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Sub oval in plan measuring 0.52m by 0.36m and 0.3m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides with curved break of slope onto a sloped but even base, deeper to south side	-	-	-	162	002	-	Prehistoric posthole associated with possible roundhouse. Dismantled remnants of posthole	G3
162	Fill	Fill of Posthole [161]: Mottled dark brown and black, compact, sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks and concentration of sub-rounded stones (0.15m - 0.25m) at the centre, towards the top of the cut. Some disturbance from bioturbation and burrowing	-	001	161	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [161]	G3
163	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.7m by 0.5m and 0.32m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep vertical sides, slightly stepped to north with a gradual break of slope onto a flat base	-	-	-	164	002	-	Prehistoric posthole associated with possible roundhouse. Degraded remnants of posthole, disturbed by mechanical excavator	G3
164	Fill	Fill of Posthole [163]: Mottled dark brown and black, loose, sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks, several subrounded stones (0.2m - 0.4m) set around the edge of the cut, the largest of which is slumping in possibly due to being hit by the machine. Some burrowing also evident	-	001	163	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [163]	G3

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165	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub oval in plan measuring 0.8m by 0.45m and 0.28m deep. Sharp top of slope, sides are very steep and taper to form a V-shape with a slightly concave base	-	-	-	166	002	-	Stone filled pit, possibly prehistoric, associated with the possible roundhouse. Dimensions and some stone positions are inconsistent with probability of being a posthole, but may be the result of disturbance/dismantling during use	G3
166	Fill	Fill of Pit [165]: Dark brown, loose, mottled sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks and several sub-rounded stones (0.1m - 0.25m) throughout, along with one larger stone (0.3m)	-	001	165	-	-	-	Fill of pit [165]	G3
167	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Oval in plan measuring 0.6m by 0.37m and 0.14m deep. Cut very irregular in plan and not greatly discernible in profile. Steep sides with gradual break of slope onto a flat slightly concave base	-	-	-	168	002	-	Possible stone packed posthole associated with possible roundhouse. May be the result of stones and overburden being compressed into the natural sand by machine tracking	G3
168	Fill	Fill of Posthole [167]: Dark brown with orange mottling, loose, sandy silt. Contains several sub-rounded stones (up to 0.2m) with no apparent structure	-	001	167	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [167]	G3
169	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Oval in plan measuring 0.87m by 0.55m and 0.26m deep - section located at higher point within the feature. Sharp top break of slope, near vertical sides with an undulating base	-	-	-	170	002	-	Possible stone packed posthole associated with possible roundhouse	G3
170	Fill	Fill of Posthole [169]: Dark grey brown, compact, sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks (<1%) and several sub-rounded stones (up to 0.2m) focussed at the edge and base of the cut	-	001	169	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [169]	G3
171	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Sub oval in plan measuring 0.6m in diameter and 0.2m deep. Sharp top break of slope, slightly concave steep sides with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven slightly concave base	-	-	-	172	002	-	Prehistoric posthole with packing stones associated with possible roundhouse	G2

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172	Fill	Fill of Posthole [171]: Dark brown with black and orange mottling, compact, silty sand. Contains rare charcoal flecks (<1%) and a few sub-rounded stones (up to 0.2m) set around the edge of the cut	-	001	171	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [171]	G2
173	Fill	Fill of Pit [141]: Mid grey brown, loose, silty sand. No inclusions. Disturbed by bioturbation with sandy lenses	-	001	141	-	-	-	Fill of pit [141]	G3
174	Fill	Fill of Pit [142]: Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. No inclusions.	-	001	142	-	-	-	Fill of pit [142]	G3
175	Fill	Fill of Pit [147]: Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains several medium sized sub angular stones (up to 0.2m)	-	001	147	-	-	-	Fill of pit [147]	G3
176	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
177	Void	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
178	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.53m by 0.43m and 0.32m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sided with gradual break of slope onto a gently concave base. Badly affected by burrowing	-	-	-	179	002	-	Prehistoric posthole with packing stones associated with possible roundhouse	G3
179	Fill	Fill of Posthole [178]: Dark brown, compact, sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks and several sub-rounded stones (up to 0.25m) set into the edge of the cut. Heavily bioturbated throughout	-	001	178	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [178]	G3
180	Cut	Cut of Pit: Oval in plan measuring 0.9m by 0.6m and 0.25m deep. Sharp top break of slope, very steep sides, slightly stepped to south with gradual break of slope onto predominantly flat base. Has been truncated/disturbed by machine	-	-	-	181	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function associated with possible roundhouse	G3
181	Fill	Fill of Pit [180]: Dark grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains several large round and angular stones (up to 0.3m) throughout	-	001	180	--	-	-	Fill of pit [180]	G3

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182	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Oval in plan measuring 0.6m by 0.45m and 0.27m deep. Sharp top of slope, steep slightly concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto a concave base. Impacted by excavator	-	-	-	183	002	-	Prehistoric posthole with packing stones associated with possible roundhouse	G3
183	Fill	Fill of Posthole [182]: Dark brown mottled with arrange and yellow sand, loose, sandy silt. Contains several subrounded stones (0.1m - 0.25m), two of which very disturbed on the top of the fill - possibly due to being struck by machine, likely cause of mottling	-	001	182	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [182]	G3
184	Fill	Fill of Pit [083]: Mottled dark grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains rare charcoal flecks and infrequent sub-rounded stones throughout fill and impacted on the southwest side	-	001	083	-	-	-	Fill of pit [083]	-
185	Cut	Cut of Pit: Cub circular in plan measuring 0.4m in diameter and 0.22m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep side to the northeast and slightly concave to the southwest with a gradual break of slope onto a slightly concave base	-	--	-	186	002	-	Prehistoric pit of unknown function associated with possible roundhouse. Possibly a small posthole	G3
186	Fill	Fill of Pit [185]: Dark grey brown, compact, silty sand. Contains occasional randomly placed small sub-rounded stones. Disturbed by burrowing	-	001	185	-	-	-	Fill of pit [185]	G3
187	Fill	Fill of Pit [074]: Mid grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains frequent small sub angular stones (up to 0.1m)	-	001	074	-	-	--	Fill of pit [074]	-
188	Fill	Fill of Pit [073]: Light grey brown, loose, silty sand. Contains frequent small sub angular stones (up to 0.1m, 40%). Badly disturbed by bioturbation	-	001	073	-	-	-	Fill of pit [073]	-
189	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.45m in diameter and 0.28m deep. Sharp top of slope, steep sides, slightly stepped to southwest with a gradual break of slope onto a concave base	-	-	-	190	002	-	Prehistoric pit of unknown function associated with possible roundhouse. Possibly a posthole, stone dispersal may indicate dismantling	G3

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190	Fill	Fill of Pit [189]: Mid brown grey, compact, sandy silt. Contains frequent small to medium stones (0.05m - 0.2m, 50%) throughout fill - some fire cracked, and rare charcoal flecks	-	001	189	-	-	-	Fill of pit [189]	G3
191	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.26m in diameter and 0.12m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides, slightly stepped to southwest with a moderate break of slope onto a round slightly concave base	-	-	-	192	002	-	Posthole located within enclosure structure 3. Possibly forms part of a rectangular shelter with features [028], [193] and [195]	G2/S3
192	Fill	Fill of Pit [191]: Dark brown, firm, silty sand. Contains occasional large cobbles and one shale ring	-	001	191	-	-	-	Fill of pit [191]	G2/S3
193	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.21m in diameter and 0.06m deep. Sharp top break of slope, gentle slightly concave sides, slightly stepped to southwest with an imperceptible break of slope onto a narrow concave base	-	-	-	194	002	-	Pit located within enclosure structure 3. Possible posthole. Possibly forms part of a rectangular shelter with features [028], [191] and [195]	G2/S3
194	Fill	Fill of Pit [193]: Mid brown, firm, silty sand. Contains occasional pebble inclusions. Evidence of bioturbation	-	001	193	-	-	-	Fill of Pit [193]	G2/S3
195	Cut	Cut of Pit: Circular in plan measuring 0.21m in diameter and 0.06m deep. Sharp top break of slope, gentle slightly concave sides, slightly stepped to southwest with a gradual break of slope onto a wide flat base	-	-	-	196	002	-	Pit located within enclosure structure 3. Possible posthole. Possibly forms part of a rectangular shelter with features [028], [191] and [195]	G2/S3
196	Fill	Fill of Pit [195]: Dark brown, firm, silty sand. Contains occasional pebble inclusions	-	001	195	-	-	-	Fill of Pit [195]	G2/S3
197	Fill	Fill of Pit [081]: Dark brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains frequent cobble stones and small boulders	-	001	081	-	-	-	Fill of pit [081]	-
198	Cut	Cut of Posthole: Circular in plan measuring 0.35m in diameter and 0.25m deep. Cut into the base of Ditch [032]. Sharp top break of slope, very steep sides, almost vertical, with moderate break of slope onto relatively flat base	-	-	-	199	002	032	Posthole with unknown date and function. Located at the base of ditch [032] within enclosure structure 2. Possibly part of fence structure found within the ditch. Similar found in slot 5 of ditch [032]	G2/S2

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199	Fill	Fill of Posthole [198]: Mid brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal chunks, several small - medium stone inclusions (up to 0.15m) - large flat stone seen on southwest edge, and occasional lighter sand lenses	-	033, 032	198	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [198]	G2/S2
200	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Curvilinear in plan and measuring c.3.3m by 0.58m wide to the north, 0.17m wide to the south and between 0.21m to 0.14m deep. Running roughly NE - SW. Cuts Ditch [003] to the west adjacent to the north terminus and Linear [206] to the north. Gradual top break of slope, steep concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto a slightly concave base	-	-	-	201	003, 206, 002	-	Ditch of unknown date and function. Similar shape seen in opposite location at southeast terminus of Ditch [032]. Associated with enclosure structure 2	G2
201	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [200]: Mid grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and degraded sandstone	-	001	200	-	-	-	Fill of linear feature [200]	G2
202	Fill	Fill of Posthole [146]: Mottled tan and mid grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent sandstone flecks (50%), occasional small sub angular stones (0.04m - 0.07m, 5%), frequent charcoal flecks (40%) and a large flat stone seen near the base - possibly used as a post pad	-	001	146	-	-	-	Fill of posthole [146]	G3
203	Fill	Basal fill of Firepit/Hearth [030]: Dark black brown, firm, silt. Charcoal rich containing frequent large fragments of charcoal	-	031	030	-	-	-	Basal fill of firepit/hearth [030]	G2
204	Cut	Cut of Pit: Sub circular in plan measuring 0.3m by 0.25m and 0.17m deep. Sharp top break of slope, steep sides with a gradual break of slope onto an irregular uneven base. Base slopes down from south to north	-	-	-	205	002	-	Pit of unknown date and function associated with enclosure structure 2. Pit lies immediately to the southwest of hearth [030] and is likely related. Possibly a stakehole	G2
205	Fill	Fill of Pit [204]: Mid Brown, firm, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and pebbles	-	001	204	-	-	-	Fill of pit [204]	G2

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206	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: curvilinear in plan running roughly NE - SW measuring 4m by 0.34m wide towards the northeast to 0.26m wide towards the southwest and 0.13m deep. Sharp top break of slope, gradual concave sloping sides with a gradual break of slope onto an uneven concave base. North has steeper sides with a long shallow slope at the terminus. Feature is cut by both Ditch [032] and Linear [200]	-	-	-	207	002	032, 200	Ditch of unknown date and function cut by features [032] and [200]. Associated with enclosure structure 2	G2
207	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [206]: Mid brown grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and light sand mottling	-	001, 032, 200	206	-	-	-	Fill of Linear feature [206]	G2
208	Fill	Basal fill of Small Pit [026]: Mid to Light brown orange mottled, loose, sandy silt. Contains occasional charcoal flecks (5%) and occasional burnt bone fragments. 0.04m deep and primarily seen to the north, east and west of the pit. Possibly natural compaction/leaching from upper fill	-	027	026	-	-	-	Basal layer of small pit [026]	G2
209	Fill	Upper fill of Pit [149]: Mid brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional small stone inclusions (<0.05m). Fill covers extent of pit and is c. 0.15m thick	211, 212	001	149	-	-	213	Upper fill of pit [149]	-
210	Fill	Fill of Pit [150]: Dark black grey, loose, silt. Charcoal rich.	-	001	150	-	-	-	Fill of pit [150]	-
211	Fill	Middle fill of Pit [149]: Dark grey black, loose, silty sand. Contains charcoal inclusions throughout. C. 0.08m thick	212	209	149	-	-	213	Middle fill of pit [149]	-
212	Fill	Basal fill of Pit [149]: Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. No inclusions, c. 0.15m thick	-	211	149	-	-	-	Basal fill of pit [149]	-
213	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Exposed area is sub circular in plan and extends beyond limits of excavation measures c. 1.4m in diameter and 0.25m deep. Sharp to gradual top break of slope, moderately steep slightly concave sides with a gradual break of slope onto a relatively flat base	-	-	-	214, 215	149, 002	-	Linear feature of unknown date and function. Possible recut of existing feature [149]. Fill (215) may be a continuation from (211) that was disturbed and became lower deposit (214). (209) may represent the same natural silting over time.	-

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214	Fill	Upper fill of Linear feature [213]: Mid brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional small stone inclusions (<0.05m). C. 0.2m thick	215	001	213	-	-	-	Upper fill of linear feature [213]. Very similar in appearance to fill (209) of [149]	-
215	Fill	Basal fill of Linear feature [213]: Dark grey brown, loose, silty sand. C. 0.07m thick	-	214	213	-	-	-	Basal fill of linear feature [213]. Very similar in appearance to fill (211) of [149]	-
216	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [103]: Mid brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains rare sub angular large stone inclusions (0.3m, <1%), frequent light sand lenses and rare charcoal flecks	-	001	103	-	-	-	Fill of linear feature [103]	G6
217	Cut	Cut for possible Stone Setting/Socket: Rectangular in plan measuring c. 0.25m by 0.20m and 0.11m deep. Large flat stone seen to the south with sub rectangular stones of varying sizes creating rectangle to north. Several stones sloping into socket. Ground gently slopes towards southern stone	222	001	-	-	236	-	Stone setting/socket for removed stone or post found within stone pit [236]	G10
218	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [104]: Dark black grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional medium sub angular stones (up to 0.25m) and occasional charcoal flecks	-	220 - slot 2, 001	104	-	-	-	Fill of linear feature [104]	G6
219	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [151]: Dark brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional small stones and rare charcoal flecks. North terminus slot slightly more disturbed by bioturbation	-	001	151	-	--	-	Fill of linear feature [151]	G6
220	Fill	Middle fill of Linear feature [104] - Slot 2: Light grey brown, loose, sand. Sandy lens seen within slot 2. Possible redeposited natural	218	221	104	-	-	-	Middle fill of linear feature [104]. Only visible in slot 2	G6
221	Fill	Upper fill of Linear feature [104] - Slot 2: Mid grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional charcoal flecks	220	001	104	-	-	-	Upper fill of linear feature [104]. Only visible in slot 2	G6

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222	Fill	Fill of Stone Filled Pit feature [236]: Dark grey brown, loose, friable, silty sand. Contains rare charcoal flecks and frequent large sub-rounded and sub angular stones - no sorting (0.05m -0.18m, 70%). Frequent degraded sandstone and granite fragments	237	001, 119, 217	236	-	-	-	Fill of stone filled pit feature [236]	G10
223	Fill	Fill of Stone Filled Pit [235]: Dark grey, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent medium to large sub-rounded stones - poorly sorted (0.1m - 0.2m, 60%) and rare charcoal flecks. Lots of root disturbance	121, 126, 224, 226	001, 118	235	-	-	-	Fill of stone filled pit [235]	G10
224	Fill	Basal fill of Stone Filled Linear feature [055]: Mid orange, loose sand. Seen in north section of [055]. Possibly redeposited natural. Same as (237)	226	126	055	-	-	235, 237	Basal fill of stone filled linear feature [055]	G10
225	Fill	Fill of Stone Filled Linear feature [055]: Mid orange brown, firm sandy clay with occasional grey mottling. Contains frequent small to medium sub angular stones (0.02m - 0.07m, 25%). Located at north terminus of [055]. Possibly redeposited natural	-	001	055	-	-	236	Fill of stone filled linear feature [055]	G10
226	Fill	Basal fill of Stone Filled Linear feature [055]: Dark grey, loose, clay sand mix. Contains occasional charcoal flecks and degraded sandstone fragments. May be redeposited natural, c. 0.04m thick	-	121, 126, 224	055	-	-	235	Basal fill of stone filled linear feature [055]	G10
227	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [101]: Dark brown grey, loose, silty sand. Contains occasional medium sized sub angular stones (up to 0.15), infrequent sand lenses and some disturbance due to bioturbation	-	001	101	-	--	-	Fill of linear feature [101]	G6
228	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [092]: Mid grey brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent sub-rounded stones (0.03m - 0.17m, 60%), particularly within the central area - random, pea gravel at the base, occasional charcoal flecks and frequent root disturbance	-	001	092	-	-	-	Fill of linear feature [092]	G8

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229	Cut	Cut of Linear feature: Irregular curvilinear in plan measuring c.7.5m by between 0.3m to 0.42m and between 0.16m to 0.02m deep. Runs roughly N - S to the east of Ditch [130]. Heavily truncated by machine. Initially appeared to intersect [130] but south terminus extremely shallow therefore unable to identify any possible relationship. Predominantly gradual top break of slope, sharp to east, sides are gradually sloping and slightly concave with an uneven base	-	-	-	230	002	-	Ditch of unknown date and function. Subject to heavy truncation from machining	G5
230	Fill	Fill of Linear feature [229]: Dark grey brown, very loose, silty sand. Contains rare charcoal flecks and occasional medium sub angular stones with no sorting (0.05m - 0.12m, 5%)	-	001	229	--	-	-	Fill of linear feature 229	G5
231	Fill	Fill of Pit [106]: Mid grey brown, loose, silty sand. Mottled with yellow brown sandy lenses. Contains frequent small to large sub angular stones (up to 0.3m, 40%)	-	001	106	-	-	-	Fill of pit [106]	-
232	Deposit	Field drain: Linear in plan running NE-SW and measuring 10.5m by 0.4m. Dark grey brown, soft, sandy clay. Contains a broken orange ceramic pipe along centre	-	001	-	-	002	-	Ceramic field drain of unknown date	-
233	Deposit	Field Drain: Linear in plan NE-SW and measuring 4.5m by 0.4m. Mid brown, loose, sandy silt. Contains frequent sub-rounded/angular stones (0.06m to 0.2m, 90%)	-	001	-	-	002	-	Stone filled field drain of unknown date	-
234	Cut	Cut of Stone Filled Pit: Sub oval in plan measuring 1.46m by 0.92m and measuring 0.37m deep. Top break of slope is gradual to north and sharp to south and sides are stepped. Break of slope is gradual onto a flat fairly even base. Only observed in section. Well defined to south, becomes ill defined to north where disturbed	-	-	-	056, 125	055, 126, 127	-	Possible pit containing marker stone. Packing stones seen at base. Set within linear feature [055]	G10

Context No.	Context Type	Description	Over	Under	Fill of	Filled By	Cuts	Cut By	Interpretation	Feature Group
235	Cut	Cut of Stone Filled Pit: Seen in section measuring 0.42m by c. 0.65m and measuring 0.42m deep. Top break of slope is sharp to north and south but gradual to east and west, near vertical slightly concave sides to north and south, gradual concave to east and west. Break of slope is slightly stepped onto relatively flat base. Located centrally within linear feature [055]. Only observed in section	-	118	-	223	002, 055	-	Pit for stone socket. Contains frequent packing stones at base with socket setting above	G10
236	Cut	Cut of Ditch: Linear in plan (only distinguishable in section) measuring 1.45m by 0.42m with a depth of 0.33m. Top break of slope is sharp to north and imperceptible to south, sides are near vertical to north and stepped to south. Base break of slope is gradual onto a slightly stepped concave base	002	-	-	222, 237	055, 126, 224, 225	119, 217	Stone filled pit similar to [234] to south. Contains two possible stone settings (217) and (119). Located in the north end of stone filled linear feature [055]	G10
237	Fill	Fill of Stone Filled Pit feature [236]: Mid orange, loose sand. Small section seen on north edge of [236]. Possibly redeposited natural. Same as (224)	-	222	236	-	-	-	Fill of stone filled pit feature [236]	G10

APPENDIX 2: Photographic Register

Photo No.	Context No.	Description	Direction Facing	Date
FJ1	[044]	Pre excavation of Pit [044]	S	24/05/2021
FJ2	[005]	Pre excavation of Pit [005]	S	24/05/2021
FJ3	[044]	Mid excavation photo of stones within Pit [044]	S	24/05/2021
FJ4	[044]	Mid excavation photo of Pit [044] north facing section prior to flooding	S	24/05/2021
FJ5	[044]	Mid excavation photo of Pit [044] north facing section prior to flooding	S	24/05/2021
FJ6		General shot looking south, [005] and [044] in foreground	S	24/05/2021
FJ7		General shot looking south, [005] and [044] in foreground	S	24/05/2021
FJ8		General shot looking south southeast	SSE	24/05/2021
FJ9		General shot looking south southeast, c.75m south along haul road area strip	SSE	24/05/2021
FJ10		General shot looking north	N	24/05/2021
FJ11		General shot from top of site apex looking north	N	24/05/2021
FJ12		General shot from top of site apex looking north	N	24/05/2021
FJ13		General shot from top of site apex looking west	W	24/05/2021
FJ14		General shot of haul road loop looking northeast showing evaluation trench impression	NE	25/05/2021
FJ15		General shot of haul road loop from top of site apex looking towards Cist	N	25/05/2021
FJ16		General shot of southeast end of haul road loop looking west	W	25/05/2021
FJ17		General shot of southeast end of haul road loop looking north	N	25/05/2021
FJ18		Partial south facing section of southern loop of haul road	S	25/05/2021
FJ19		Partial north facing section of southern loop of haul road	N	25/05/2021
FJ20		General shot of southeast end of haul road loop slope looking north towards Cist	N	25/05/2021
FJ21		General shot of southeast end of haul road loop slope looking south from Cist	S	25/05/2021
FJ22		General shot from top of site apex looking west	W	25/05/2021
FJ23		General shot from top of site apex looking west	W	25/05/2021
FJ24	[003]	Plan view of Ditch [003] slot 1	N	25/05/2021
FJ25	[003]	West facing section of Ditch [003] slot 1	E	25/05/2021
FJ26	[003]	General shot of Ditch [003]	S	25/05/2021
FJ27	[003]	General shot of Ditch [003]	W	25/05/2021
FJ28		General working shot of new strip area adjacent to haul road	S	26/05/2021
FJ29	[009], [011], [013]	Pre excavation shot of Pit features [009], [011] and [013]	W	26/05/2021
FJ30	[017], [019]	Pre excavation shot of Pit [017] and Posthole [019]	W	26/05/2021
FJ31	[003], [032]	General shot of Ditches [003] and [032] - partially revealed	N	26/05/2021
FJ32		General location shot of features from portacabin area	NW	26/05/2021
FJ33		General location shot of features from portacabin area	NW	26/05/2021
FJ34		General shot of haul road	S	26/05/2021

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FJ35		General location shot of features looking towards houses	E	26/05/2021
FJ36		General location shot of features from housing boundary fence corner	W	26/05/2021
FJ37		General location shot of features from housing boundary fence corner	NW	26/05/2021
FJ38	[003], [032]	General shot of Ditches [003] and [032] - from digger	N	26/05/2021
FJ39	[003], [032]	General shot of Ditches [003] and [032] - from digger	N	26/05/2021
FJ40		General end of day shot of stripped area	N	26/05/2021
FJ41	[046]	Pre excavation shot of possible stone feature [046]	SE	28/05/2021
FJ42	[042]	Northwest facing section of Stakehole [042] - overview	SE	01/06/2021
FJ43	[042]	Northwest facing section of Stakehole [042]	SE	01/06/2021
FJ44	[042]	Location shot of Stakehole [042]	SE	01/06/2021
FJ45		General end of day shot of stripped area from southeast extents	W	01/06/2021
FJ46		General end of day shot of stripped area from southeast extents	NW	01/06/2021
FJ47		General end of day shot of stripped area from southeast extents	NE	01/06/2021
FJ48		General shot of stripped area from middle of field	W	02/06/2021
FJ49		General shot of stripped area from middle of field	N	02/06/2021
FJ50		General shot of stripped area from middle of field	NE	02/06/2021
FJ51		General shot of stripped area from southeast extents	W	03/06/2021
FJ52		General shot of stripped area from southeast extents	NW	03/06/2021
FJ53		General shot of stripped area from southeast extents	N	03/06/2021
FJ54	[055]	Pre excavation of Stone feature [055] - initial uncover	E	04/06/2021
FJ55	[055]	Pre excavation of Stone feature [055] - initial uncover	E	04/06/2021
FJ56	[055]	Stone slab dislodged from [055] during topsoil strip		04/06/2021
FJ57	[055]	Stone slab dislodged from [055] during topsoil strip		04/06/2021
FJ58	[055]	Stone slab found within spoil from [055] area during topsoil strip		04/06/2021
FJ59	[055]	Stone slab found within spoil from [055] area during topsoil strip		04/06/2021
FJ60		General shot of stripped area from southeast extents	W	08/06/2021
FJ61		General shot of stripped area from southeast extents	N	10/06/2021
FJ62		General shot of stripped area from southeast extents	NE	10/06/2021
FJ63	[094]	Plan view of Stakehole [094]	SE	10/06/2021
FJ64	[094]	Location shot of Stakehole [094]	SE	10/06/2021
FJ65		General shot of stripped area from southwest extents	N	11/06/2021
FJ66		General shot of stripped area from southwest extents	NE	11/06/2021
FJ67		General shot of stripped area from southwest extents	E	11/06/2021
FJ68		General shot of stripped area from southwest extents	SE	11/06/2021
FJ69		General shot of stripped area from southwest extents	S	11/06/2021
SW1	[007]	West facing section of Pit [007] - Plan view	E	27/05/2021
SW2	[007]	West facing section of Pit [007]	E	27/05/2021
SW3	[005]	Mid excavation west facing section of Pit [005]	E	27/05/2021
SW4	[005]	Mid excavation west facing section of Pit [005] - Plan view	E	27/05/2021
SW5	[005]	West facing section of Pit [005]	E	27/05/2021

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SW6	[005]	West facing section of Pit [005] - Plan view	E	27/05/2021
SW7	[003]	West facing section of Ditch [003] slot 2	E	27/05/2021
SW8	[009]	South facing section of Pit [009]	N	27/05/2021
SW9	[009]	South facing section of Pit [009] - Plan view	N	27/05/2021
SW10	[011]	South facing section of Pit [011]	N	27/05/2021
SW11	[011]	South facing section of Pit [011] - Plan view	N	27/05/2021
SW12	[013]	South facing section of Pit [013]	N	27/05/2021
SW13	[013]	South facing section of Pit [013] - Plan view	N	27/05/2021
SW14	[015]	Northeast facing section of Pit [015]	SW	28/05/2021
SW15	[015]	Northeast facing section of Pit [015] - Plan view	SW	28/05/2021
SW16	[017], [019]	East facing section of Pit [017] and Posthole [019]	W	28/05/2021
SW17	[019]	East facing section of Posthole [019]	W	28/05/2021
SW18	[019]	East facing section of Posthole [019] - Plan view	W	28/05/2021
SW19	[017], [019]	East facing section of Pit [017] and Posthole [019] - Plan view	W	28/05/2021
SW20	[017], [019]	East facing section of Pit [017] and Posthole [019] - Plan view	W	28/05/2021
SW21	[017]	East facing section of Pit [017]	W	28/05/2021
SW22	[017], [019]	East facing section of Pit [017] - Plan view	W	28/05/2021
FSC1	[042]	Northwest facing section of Pit [042]	SE	01/06/2021
FSC2	[042]	Northwest facing section of Pit [042] - Plan view showing truncation	SE	01/06/2021
FSC3	[069]	North facing section of Deposit [069]	S	01/06/2021
FSC4	[069]	North facing section of Deposit [069]	S	01/06/2021
FSC5	[065]	Southeast facing section of Deposit [065]	NW	01/06/2021
FSC6	[065]	Southeast facing section of Deposit [065] - Plan view	NW	01/06/2021
FSC7	[065]	Plan view of Deposit [065] from Southwest	NE	01/06/2021
FSC8	[065]	Northwest facing section of Deposit [065]	SE	01/06/2021
FSC9	[065]	Northwest facing section of Deposit [065] - Plan view	SE	01/06/2021
FSC10	[062]	Northwest facing section of Pit [062]	SE	01/06/2021
FSC11	[062]	Northwest facing section of Pit [062]	SE	01/06/2021
FSC12	[021]	North facing section of Drainage Channel [021]	S	02/06/2021
FSC13	[021]	North facing section of Drainage Channel [021] - Plan view	S	02/06/2021
FSC14	[059], [057]	South intersection between Drainage Channels [059] and [057]	W	07/06/2021
FSC15	[059], [057]	Location shot of south intersection between Drainage Channels [059] and [057]. Showing Skylark nest	W	07/06/2021
FSC16	[057]	Location shot of [057] from OHL buffer	N	07/06/2021
FSC17		Skylark nest	W	07/06/2021
FSC18		Skylark nest	W	07/06/2021
FSC19	[036]	South facing section of Pit [036]	N	09/06/2021
FSC20	[036]	South facing section of Pit [036] - Plan view	N	09/06/2021
FSC21	[034]	Northwest facing section of Pit [034]	SE	09/06/2021
FSC22	[034]	Northwest facing section of Pit [034] - Plan view	SE	09/06/2021
FSC23	[086]	Northwest facing section of Pit [086]	SE	10/06/2021
FSC24	[086]	Northwest facing section of Pit [086] - Plan view	SE	10/06/2021

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FSC25	[086]	Location shot of Pit [086] with Cist in top left corner	SE	10/06/2021
SSC1	[065]	Northwest facing section of Pit [065]	SE	11/06/2021
SSC2	[065]	Location shot of Pit [065]	SE	11/06/2021
SSC3	[038]	West facing section of Pit [038]	E	11/06/2021
SSC4	[038]	West facing section of Pit [038]	E	11/06/2021
SSC5	[096]	West facing section of Pit [096]	E	11/06/2021
SSC6	[096]	West facing section of Pit [096] - Plan view	E	11/06/2021
SSC7	[055]	Pre excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	14/06/2021
SSC8	[055]	Pre excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	14/06/2021
SSC9	[055]	Pre excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055]	N	14/06/2021
SSC10	[055]	Pre excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055]	S	14/06/2021
SSC11	[085]	Slot through Field Drain [085]	W	14/06/2021
SSC12	[085]	Slot through Field Drain [085]	W	14/06/2021
SSC13	[084]	South facing section of Deposit [084]	N	14/06/2021
SSC14	[055]	Mid excavation shot of stones in Southeast of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	14/06/2021
SSC15	[055]	Mid excavation shot of stones in Southeast of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	14/06/2021
SSC16	[055]	Mid excavation shot of stones in Southeast of Linear Stone feature [055]	N	14/06/2021
SSC17	[055]	Mid excavation shot of stones in Southeast of Linear Stone feature [055]	N	14/06/2021
SSC18		Void		
SSC19	[047]	South facing section of Pit [047]	N	15/06/2021
SSC20	[051]	Southeast facing section of Pit [051]	NW	15/06/2021
SSC21	[051]	Southeast facing section of Pit [051]	NW	15/06/2021
SSC22	[051]	Southeast facing section of Pit [051]	NW	15/06/2021
SSC23	[051]	Southeast facing section of Pit [051]	NW	15/06/2021
SSC24	[051]	Southeast facing section of Pit [051]	NW	15/06/2021
SSC25	[090]	West facing section of Pit [090]	E	15/06/2021
SSC26	[090]	West facing section of Pit [090] - Plan view	E	15/06/2021
SSC27	[090]	West facing section of Pit [090] - Location shot	E	15/06/2021
SSC28	[089]	Southwest facing section of Pit [089] - Plan view	NE	15/06/2021
SSC29	[089]	Southwest facing section of Pit [089]	NE	15/06/2021
SSC30	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing west facing section of (056) - Possible fill of later cut/pit and stones within	E	15/06/2021
SSC31	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing west facing section of (056) - Possible fill of later cut/pit and stones within	E	15/06/2021
SSC32	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing west facing section of (056) - Possible fill of later cut/pit and stones within	E	15/06/2021
SSC33	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing west facing section of (056) - Possible fill of later cut/pit and stones within	N	15/06/2021
SSC34	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing reverse of in situ orthostat (125)	W	15/06/2021
SSC35	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing possible sockets/packing stones in foreground	SE	15/06/2021

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SSC36	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing possible sockets/packing stones in foreground	S	15/06/2021
SSC37	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] showing orthostat (127) and pit in foreground	N	15/06/2021
SSC38	[055]	Mid excavation shot of Linear Stone feature [055] North extent showing possible sockets/packing stones	E	15/06/2021
SSC39	[055]	Mid excavation shot showing possible socket/packing stones [118] in the centre of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	15/06/2021
SSC40	[055]	Mid excavation shot showing possible socket/packing stones [118] in the centre of Linear Stone feature [055]	SE	15/06/2021
SSC41	[055]	Mid excavation shot showing possible socket/packing stones [119] at the north extent of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	15/06/2021
SSC42	[055]	Mid excavation shot showing possible socket/packing stones [119] at the north extent of Linear Stone feature [055]	NE	15/06/2021
SSC43	[114]	East facing section of Pit [114]	W	15/06/2021
SSC44	[114]	East facing section of Pit [114] - Plan view	W	15/06/2021
SSC45	[116]	Northeast facing section of Pit [116]	SW	15/06/2021
SSC46	[116]	Northeast facing section of Pit [116] - Plan view	SW	15/06/2021
SSC47	[111]	Mid excavation shot of Pit [111] showing prehistoric Pottery in situ - Plan view	ENE	16/06/2021
SSC48	[111]	Mid excavation shot of Pit [111] showing prehistoric Pottery in situ - Detail	ENE	16/06/2021
SSC49	[111]	Pit [111] Pottery post excavation - SF1		16/06/2021
SSC50	[111]	Mid excavation shot of Pit [111] showing stones - Plan view	ENE	16/06/2021
SSC51	[102]	South facing section of Pit [102]	N	16/06/2021
SSC52	[102]	South facing section of Pit [102] - Plan view	N	16/06/2021
SSC53	[055]	Southern extent of Linear Stone feature [055] post removal of (056) and (121) showing socket cut [120] and slumped packing stones	E	16/06/2021
SSC54	[055]	Southern extent of Linear Stone feature [055] post removal of (056) and (121) showing socket cut [120] and slumped packing stones	E	16/06/2021
SSC55	[055]	Southern extent of Linear Stone feature [055] post removal of (056) and (121) showing socket cut [120] and slumped packing stones	N	16/06/2021
SSC56	[055]	Detail of socket/cut [120] and slumped packing stone	N	16/06/2021
SSC57	[055]	Detail of socket/cut [120] and slumped packing stone	E	16/06/2021
SSC58		Void		16/06/2021
SSC59		Void		16/06/2021
SSC60	[055]	Southern extent of Linear Stone feature [055] post removal of (056) and (121) showing socket cut [120] and slumped packing stones	E	16/06/2021
SSC61	[055]	Detail of socket/cut [120] and slumped packing stone	N	16/06/2021
SSC62	[111]	West southwest facing section of Pit [111]	ENE	16/06/2021
SSC63	[111]	West southwest facing section of Pit [111] - Plan view	ENE	16/06/2021
SSC64	[111]	West southwest facing section of Pit [111] - Plan view	ENE	16/06/2021
SSC65	[111]	Location shot of Pit [111]	ENE	16/06/2021
SSC66	[128]	Northeast facing section of Pit [128]	NE	17/06/2021
SSC67	[128]	Northeast facing section of Pit [128]	NE	17/06/2021

Photo No.	Context No.	Description	Direction Facing	Date
SSC68		Structures 1 and 2 enclosure complex west side	NE	17/06/2021
SSC69		Structures 1 and 2 enclosure complex east side	NE	17/06/2021
SSC70		Group 3 roundhouse complex	S	17/06/2021
SSC71		Group 3 roundhouse complex	S	17/06/2021
SSC72		Structures 1 and 2 enclosure complex	SE	17/06/2021
SSC73		Structures 1 and 2 enclosure complex	SE	17/06/2021
SSC74		Structures 1 and 2 enclosure complex	SE	17/06/2021
SSC75	[111]	Pit [111] Pottery detail - SF1		17/06/2021
SSC76	[111]	Pit [111] Pottery detail - SF1		17/06/2021
SSC77	[130]	Pre excavation shot of Linear feature [130]	W	17/06/2021
SSC78	[130]	Pre excavation shot of Linear feature [130]	W	17/06/2021
SSC79	[130]	Pre excavation shot of Linear feature [130]	E	17/06/2021
SSC80	[130]	Southwest facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	NE	17/06/2021
SSC81	[130]	Southwest facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	NE	17/06/2021
SSC82	[130]	Location shot of Linear feature [130] slot 2	ESE	17/06/2021
SSC83	[130]	Northeast facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	SW	17/06/2021
SSC84	[130]	South facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	N	17/06/2021
SSC85	[130]	Location shot of Linear feature [130] slot 3 north terminus	NW	17/06/2021
SSC86	[130]	Southwest facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	NE	17/06/2021
SSC87	[130]	Southwest facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	NE	17/06/2021
SSC88	[130]	Southwest facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	NE	17/06/2021
SSC89	[130]	Northeast facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	SW	17/06/2021
SSC90	[130]	Northeast facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 2	SW	17/06/2021
SSC91	[130]	Location shot of Linear feature [130] slot 2	SE	17/06/2021
SSC92	[130]	South facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 1	N	17/06/2021
SSC93	[130]	Location shot of Linear feature [130] slot 1	N	17/06/2021
SSC94	[130]	South facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 1	N	17/06/2021
SSC95	[130]	Southeast facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 3	NW	17/06/2021
SSC96	[130]	Northwest facing section of Linear feature [130] slot 3	SE	17/06/2021
SSC97	[082]	West facing section of possible posthole [082]	E	17/06/2021
SSC98	[075]	West facing section of Posthole [075]	E	18/06/2021
SSC99	[075]	West facing section of Posthole [075] - Plan view	E	18/06/2021
SSC100	[075]	West facing section of Posthole [075] - Plan view	E	18/06/2021
SSC101	[078]	West facing section of Pit [078]	E	18/06/2021
SSC102	[078]	West facing section of Pit [078]	E	18/06/2021
SSC103	[078]	Location shot of Pit [078]	E	18/06/2021
SSC104	[143]	West facing section of Posthole [143]	E	18/06/2021
SSC105	[143]	West facing section of Posthole [143]	E	18/06/2021
SSC106	[143]	West facing section of Posthole [143] - Plan view	E	18/06/2021
SSC107	[076]	Mid excavation shot of Posthole [076] showing packing stones	W	21/06/2021
SSC108	[076]	Mid excavation shot of Posthole [076] showing east facing section	W	21/06/2021
SSC109	[076]	East facing section of Posthole [076] showing	W	21/06/2021
SSC110	[144]	Northwest facing section of Pit/Posthole [144]	SE	21/06/2021

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SSC111	[144]	Northwest facing section of Pit/Posthole [144]	SE	21/06/2021
SSC112	[144]	Northwest facing section of Pit/Posthole [144] - Plan view	SE	21/06/2021
SSC113	[154]	Mid excavation plan view of Posthole [154]	NNW	21/06/2021
SSC114	[154]	South southeast facing section of Posthole [154]	NNW	21/06/2021
SSC115	[152]	Mid excavation plan view of Posthole [152]	W	21/06/2021
SSC116	[152]	East facing section of Posthole [152]	W	21/06/2021
SSC117	[080]	East facing section of Pit [080]	W	21/06/2021
SSC118	[080]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [080] showing animal bone	W	21/06/2021
SSC119	[080]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [080] showing animal bone	W	21/06/2021
SSC120	[145]	South facing section of Posthole [145]	N	21/06/2021
SSC121	[145]	Mid excavation plan view of Posthole [145]	N	21/06/2021
SSC122	[080]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [080] showing animal bone	N	22/06/2021
SSC123	[080]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [080] showing animal bone	NE	22/06/2021
SSC124	[080]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [080] showing animal bone	E	22/06/2021
SSC125	[080]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [080] showing animal bone	E	22/06/2021
SSC126	[080]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [080] showing animal bone	S	22/06/2021
SSC127	[077]	Southeast facing section of Posthole [077]	NW	22/06/2021
SSC128	[077]	Southeast facing section of Posthole [077] - Plan view	NW	22/06/2021
SSC129	[080]	Post excavation shot of Pit [080]	N	22/06/2021
SSC130	[080]	Post excavation shot of Pit [080]	N	22/06/2021
SSC131	[080]	Post excavation shot of Pit [080]	S	22/06/2021
SSC132	(160)	Pre excavation shot of deposit (160) - panoramic series	NNW	22/06/2021
SSC133	(160)	Pre excavation shot of deposit (160) - panoramic series	NNW	22/06/2021
SSC134	(160)	Pre excavation shot of deposit (160) - panoramic series	NNW	22/06/2021
SSC135	(160)	Pre excavation shot of deposit (160) - slot location	NNW	22/06/2021
SSC136	[161]	Mid excavation plan view of Pit [161]	E	22/06/2021
SSC137	[161]	West facing section of Pit [161]	E	22/06/2021
SSC138	[154]	South southeast facing section of Posthole [154]	NNW	22/06/2021
SSC139	(160)	West facing section of natural deposit (160)	E	23/06/2021
SSC140	(160)	West facing section of natural deposit (160) - south end of slot	E	23/06/2021
SSC141	(160)	West facing section of natural deposit (160) - north end of slot	E	23/06/2021
SSC142	(160)	Plan view of natural deposit (160) slot	N	23/06/2021
SSC143	[163]	Post excavation shot of Posthole [163]	E	23/06/2021
SSC144	[165]	Southwest facing section of Posthole [165]	NE	23/06/2021
SSC145	[142]	South facing section of Pit [142]	N	23/06/2021
SSC146	[142]	South facing section of Pit [142] - Plan view	N	23/06/2021
SSC147	[171]	Southwest facing section of Posthole [171]	NE	23/06/2021
SSC148	[171]	Southwest facing section of Posthole [171] - Plan view	NE	23/06/2021

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SSC149	[141]	South facing section of Pit [141]	N	23/06/2021
SSC150	[141]	South facing section of Pit [141] - Plan view	N	23/06/2021
SSC151		Pre excavation shot of possible feature cluster around deposit (079)	SE	23/06/2021
SSC152	[147]	South facing section of Pit [147]	N	23/06/2021
SSC153	[147]	South facing section of Pit [147] - Plan view	N	23/06/2021
SSC154	[167]	Northeast facing section of possible Posthole [167]	SW	23/06/2021
SSC155	[176]	Pre excavation shot of Pit [176]	NE	23/06/2021
SSC156	[176]	Pre excavation shot of Pit [176]	NE	23/06/2021
SSC157	[178]	Northwest facing section of Posthole [178]	SE	23/06/2021
SSC158	[180]	West facing section of Pit [180]	E	23/06/2021
SSC159	[180]	West facing section of Pit [180] - Plan view	E	23/06/2021
SSC160	(079)	West facing section of Deposit/Spread (079)	E	23/06/2021
SSC161	[169]	West southwest facing section of Posthole [169]	ENE	23/06/2021
SSC162	[074]	Northwest facing section of Pit [074]	SE	24/06/2021
SSC163	[074]	Northwest facing section of Pit [074] - Plan view	SE	24/06/2021
SSC164	[182]	Post excavation shot of Posthole [182]	NW	24/06/2021
SSC165	[073]	South facing section of Pit [073]	N	24/06/2021
SSC166	[073]	South facing section of Pit [073] - Plan view	N	24/06/2021
SSC167	[083]	West facing section of Pit [083]	E	24/06/2021
SSC168	[185]	Northwest facing section of Pit [185]	SE	24/06/2021
SSC169	[189]	Northwest facing section of Posthole [189]	SE	24/06/2021
SSC170		Pre excavation shot of possible Postholes [028] - fore left, [191] - fore right, [193] - back right and [195] - back left	S	24/06/2021
SSC171		Pre excavation shot of structures 1 and 2 - enclosure complex	W	24/06/2021
SSC172		Pre excavation shot of structures 1 and 2 - enclosure complex	W	24/06/2021
SSC173		Pre excavation shot of structures 1 and 2 - enclosure complex. Panorama series	NW	24/06/2021
SSC174		Pre excavation shot of structures 1 and 2 - enclosure complex. Panorama series	NW	24/06/2021
SSC175	[081]	West facing section of Pit [081]	E	24/06/2021
SSC176	[081]	West facing section of Pit [081]	E	24/06/2021
SSC177		Mid excavation overview shot of group 3 - roundhouse complex	S	24/06/2021
SSC178		Mid excavation overview shot of group 3 - roundhouse complex - location shot	S	24/06/2021
SSC179		Mid excavation overview shot of group 3 - roundhouse complex	S	24/06/2021
SSC180		Panoramic overview series of Structures 1 & 2		24/06/2021
SSC181		Panoramic overview series of Structures 1 & 2		24/06/2021
SSC182		Panoramic overview series of Structures 1 & 2		24/06/2021
SSC183		Panoramic overview series of Structures 1 & 2		24/06/2021
SSC184		Panoramic overview series of Structures 1 & 2		24/06/2021
SSC185	[032]	South facing section of Ditch [032] slot 3	N	25/06/2021
SSC186	[032]	North facing section of Ditch [032] slot 3	S	25/06/2021
SSC187	[003]	Northwest facing section of Ditch [003] slot 3	SE	25/06/2021

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SSC188	[003]	Southeast facing section of Ditch [003] slot 3	NW	25/06/2021
SSC189	[003]	Post excavation plan view of Ditch [003] slot 3	NE	25/06/2021
SSC190	[032]	Southeast facing section of Ditch [003] slot 2	NW	25/06/2021
SSC191	[032]	Post excavation plan view of Ditch [003] slot 2. Showing Posthole [198]	NW	25/06/2021
SSC192	[032]	Northwest facing section of Ditch [003] slot 2	SE	25/06/2021
SSC193	[198]	Southeast facing section of Posthole [198] found within Ditch [032] slot 2	NW	25/06/2021
SSC194	[198]	Plan view of Posthole [198] found within Ditch [032] slot 2	NW	25/06/2021
SSC195	[003]	Southeast facing section of Ditch [003] slot 4	NW	25/06/2021
SSC196	[003]	Plan view of Ditch [003] slot 4	SW	25/06/2021
SSC197	[032]	West facing section of Ditch [032] slot 3	E	28/06/2021
SSC198	[032]	West facing section of Ditch [032] slot 3	E	28/06/2021
SSC199	[032]	Post excavation plan view of Ditch [032] slot 3	NE	28/06/2021
SSC200	[032]	Post excavation plan view of Ditch [032] slot 3	NE	28/06/2021
SSC201	[032]	Post excavation plan view of Ditch [032] slot 3	NW	28/06/2021
SSC202		Post excavation plan view of Postholes [028], [191], [193] and [195]	NW	29/06/2021
SSC203		Post excavation plan view of Postholes [028], [191], [193] and [195]	N	29/06/2021
SSC204		Post excavation plan view of Postholes [028], [191], [193] and [195]	N	29/06/2021
SSC205	[195]	Southeast facing section of Posthole [195]	NW	29/06/2021
SSC206	[195]	Plan view of Posthole [195]	NW	29/06/2021
SSC207	[193]	Southwest facing section of Posthole [193]	NE	29/06/2021
SSC208	[193]	Plan view of Posthole [193]	NE	29/06/2021
SSC209	[191]	Southwest facing section of Posthole [191]	NE	29/06/2021
SSC210	[191]	Plan view of Posthole [191]	NE	29/06/2021
SSC211	[028]	Southwest facing section of Posthole [028]	NE	29/06/2021
SSC212	[028]	Plan view of Posthole [028]	NE	29/06/2021
SSC213	[180]	West facing section of Pit [180]	E	29/06/2021
SSC214	[180]	Plan view of Pit [180]	E	29/06/2021
SSC215	[180]	Location shot of Pit [180]	E	29/06/2021
SSC216	[146]	North northeast facing section of Posthole [146]	SSW	29/06/2021
SSC217	[146]	Plan view of Posthole [146]	SSW	29/06/2021
SSC218	[147]	South southeast facing section of Posthole [147]	NNW	29/06/2021
SSC219	[147]	Plan view of Posthole [147]	NNW	29/06/2021
SSC220	[146], [147]	Location shot of Postholes [146] - Foreground and [146]	S	29/06/2021
SSC221	[146], [147]	Location shot of Postholes [146] - Foreground and [146]	SSE	29/06/2021
SSC222	[030]	West facing section of Hearth [030]	E	29/06/2021
SSC223	[030]	West facing section of Hearth [030]	E	29/06/2021
SSC224	[030], [204]	General shot of Hearth [030] and Pit [204]	E	29/06/2021
SSC225	[030], [204]	General shot of Hearth [030] and Pit [204]	E	29/06/2021
SSC226	[021]	North facing section of Field Drain [021] slot 1	S	29/06/2021
SSC227	[021]	Location shot of Field Drain [021] slot 1	S	29/06/2021

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SSC228	[021]	Plan view of Field Drain [021] slot 1	W	29/06/2021
SSC229	[024]	Southwest facing section of Linear feature [024] slot 1	NE	29/06/2021
SSC230	[024]	Plan view of Linear feature [024] slot 1	SE	30/06/2021
SSC231	[024]	Location shot of Linear feature [024] slot 1 - contractor destroyed to northeast	NE	30/06/2021
SSC232	[024]	Northeast facing section of Linear feature [024] slot 1	SW	30/06/2021
SSC233		Overhead shot of Roundhouse complex - group 3	N	30/06/2021
SSC234		Overhead shot of Roundhouse complex - group 3	N	30/06/2021
SSC235		Overhead shot of Roundhouse complex - group 3	S	30/06/2021
SSC236		Overhead shot of Roundhouse complex - group 3	N	30/06/2021
SSC237		Location shot of Roundhouse complex - group 3	N	30/06/2021
SSC238		Location shot of Roundhouse complex – group 3	S	30/06/2021
SSC239	[032]	Southeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	NW	30/06/2021
SSC240	[032]	Southeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	NW	30/06/2021
SSC241	[032]	Northeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	SW	30/06/2021
SSC242	[032]	Southwest facing section of Ditch [032] slot 5	NE	30/06/2021
SSC243	[032]	Northeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 5	SW	30/06/2021
SSC244	[032]	Northeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 5	SW	30/06/2021
SSC245	[032]	Northeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	SW	30/06/2021
SSC246	[032]	Northeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	SW	30/06/2021
SSC247	[032], [200], [206]	Plan view of intersection between Ditch [032] and Linear features [200] and [206]	SE	01/07/2021
SSC248	[032], [200], [206]	Plan view of intersection between Ditch [032] and Linear features [200] and [206]	SW	01/07/2021
SSC249	[032], [206]	Southwest facing section through Ditch [032] slot 5 and Linear feature [206]	NE	01/07/2021
SSC250	[032], [206]	Southwest facing section through Ditch [032] slot 5 and Linear feature [206] - [032] detail	NE	01/07/2021
SSC251	[032], [206]	Southwest facing section through Ditch [032] slot 5 and Linear feature [206] - [206] detail	NE	01/07/2021
SSC252	[200]	Southwest facing slot of Linear feature [200] slot 5	NE	01/07/2021
SSC253	[200]	Southwest facing slot of Linear feature [200] slot 5	NE	01/07/2021
SSC254	[200]	Northeast facing slot of Linear feature [200] slot 5	SW	01/07/2021
SSC255	[206]	Plan view of Linear feature [206] north terminus	E	01/07/2021
SSC256	[206]	North facing section of Linear feature [206] north terminus	S	01/07/2021
SSC257	[026]	Northwest facing section of Small Pit [026]	SE	01/07/2021
SSC258	[026]	Northwest facing section of Small Pit [026] - shaded	SE	01/07/2021
SSC259	[026]	Plan view of Small Pit [026] - shaded	NE	01/07/2021
SSC260	[026]	Plan view of Small Pit [026]	NE	01/07/2021
SSC261	[032]	General shots of Ditch [032] slot 4	E	01/07/2021
SSC262	[032]	General shots of Ditch [032] slot 4	E	01/07/2021
SSC263	[032]	Southwest facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	NE	01/07/2021
SSC264	[032]	General shots of Ditch [032] slot 4	SE	01/07/2021
SSC265	[032]	General shots of Ditch [032] slot 4	NE	01/07/2021
SSC266	[003], [032]	Plan view of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus	W	01/07/2021
SSC267	[003], [032]	Plan view of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus	S	01/07/2021
SSC268	[003], [032]	Location shot of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus	S	01/07/2021

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SSC269	[003], [032]	North facing section of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus	S	01/07/2021
SSC270	[003], [032]	North facing section of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus	S	01/07/2021
SSC271	[003], [032]	North facing section of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus - East End	S	01/07/2021
SSC272	[003], [032]	North facing section of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus - East End	S	01/07/2021
SSC273	[003], [032]	North facing section of Ditches [003] and [032] north terminus - West End	S	01/07/2021
SSC274		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/structures 1 and 2 - Southeast end	SW	02/07/2021
SSC275		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/ structures 1 and 2 - Southeast end	SW	02/07/2021
SSC276		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/ structures 1 and 2 - Northwest end	SW	02/07/2021
SSC277		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/ structures 1 and 2 - Northwest end	SW	02/07/2021
SSC278		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/ structures 1 and 2 - Northwest end with S. White	SW	02/07/2021
SSC279		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/ structures 1 and 2 - Northwest end with S. White	SW	02/07/2021
SSC280		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/ structures 1 and 2 - Northwest end	SW	02/07/2021
SSC281		Overhead shot of Enclosure complex/ structures 1 and 2 - Northwest end	SW	02/07/2021
SSC282	[150]	West facing section of Shallow Pit [150]	E	02/07/2021
SSC283	[150]	West facing section of Shallow Pit [150]	E	02/07/2021
SSC284	[150]	Plan view of Shallow Pit [150]	E	02/07/2021
SSC285	[149], [213]	West facing section of Pit [149] and Linear feature [213]	E	02/07/2021
SSC286	[149], [213]	West facing section of Pit [149] and Linear feature [213]	E	02/07/2021
SSC287	[149], [213]	Plan view of Pit [149] and Pit/Linear feature [213]	E	02/07/2021
SSC288	[213]	South facing section of Pit/Linear feature [213]	N	02/07/2021
SSC289	[149], [213]	Plan view of Pit [149] and Pit/Linear feature [213]	N	02/07/2021
SSC290	[103]	North facing section of Ditch [103] slot 2	S	05/07/2021
SSC291	[103]	South facing section of Ditch [103] slot 2	N	05/07/2021
SSC292	[103]	North facing section of Ditch [103] slot 1 - Terminus	S	05/07/2021
SSC293	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC294	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC295	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (north detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC296	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (south detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC297	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] plan view of stone detail below [127] (south detail) - quad 1	N	06/07/2021
SSC298	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section stone detail below [127] (south detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC299	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (south detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC300	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (north detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021

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SSC301	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (south detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC302	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (north detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC303	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (north detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC304		void		06/07/2021
SSC305		General shot of area adjacent to OHL - Linear features [104], [103], and [130] visible	E	06/07/2021
SSC306		General shot of area adjacent to OHL - Linear features [104], [103], [101], [130] and Pit [102] visible	E	06/07/2021
SSC307	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (north detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC308	[055]	Southern end of Linear Stone feature [055] west facing section (south detail) - quad 1	E	06/07/2021
SSC309	[055]	Plan view of Linear Stone feature [055] quad 1	S	06/07/2021
SSC310	[104]	Northwest facing section of Linear feature [104] slot 1	SE	07/07/2021
SSC311	[104]	Northeast facing section of Linear feature [104] slot 1	SW	07/07/2021
SSC312	[055]	Possible stone socket [217] located within Linear Stone feature [055]	W	07/07/2021
SSC313	[151]	North facing section of Linear feature [151] - Terminus slot	S	07/07/2021
SSC314	[151]	North facing section of Linear feature [151] - Terminus slot plan view	S	07/07/2021
SSC315	[104]	South facing section of Linear feature [104] slot 2	N	07/07/2021
SSC316	[104]	South facing section of Linear feature [104] slot 2	N	07/07/2021
SSC317	[104]	North facing section of Linear feature [104] slot 2	S	07/07/2021
SSC318	[104]	North facing section of Linear feature [104] slot 2	S	07/07/2021
SSC319	[055]	East facing section of Linear Stone feature [055] - Quad 2 north end	W	07/07/2021
SSC320	[055]	East facing section of Linear Stone feature [055] - Quad 2 south end	W	07/07/2021
SSC321	[055]	East facing section of Linear Stone feature [055] - Quad 2	W	07/07/2021
SSC322	[055]	East facing section of Linear Stone feature [055] - Quad 2 north end stone detail	W	07/07/2021
SSC323	[055]	Plan view of Linear Stone feature [055]	S	07/07/2021
SSC324	[055]	North facing section of Linear Stone feature [055] - Quad 2	S	07/07/2021
SSC325	[055]	South facing section of Linear Stone feature [055] - Quad 1	N	07/07/2021
SSC326	[055]	South facing section through Orthostat [127] in Linear Stone feature [055] - Quad 1	N	07/07/2021
SSC327	[101], [151]	West facing section of Linear features [101] and [151] - slot 1	E	07/07/2021
SSC328	[151]	West facing section of Linear feature [151] - slot 1	E	07/07/2021
SSC329	[101]	West facing section of Linear feature [101] - slot 1	E	07/07/2021
SSC330	[103]	South facing section of Linear feature [103] slot 3	N	08/07/2021
SSC331	[103]	North facing section of Linear feature [103] slot 3	S	08/07/2021
SSC332	[055]	Overhead view of fully excavated north end of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	08/07/2021
SSC333	[055]	Overhead view of fully excavated north end of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	08/07/2021
SSC334	[055]	Overhead view of fully excavated south end of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	08/07/2021

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SSC335	[055]	Overhead view of fully excavated south end of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	08/07/2021
SSC336	[055]	Overhead view of fully excavated Linear Stone feature [055]	S	08/07/2021
SSC337	[055]	Overhead view of fully excavated Linear Stone feature [055]	N	08/07/2021
SSC338	[055]	Plan view of fully excavated south end of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	08/07/2021
SSC339	[055]	Plan view of fully excavated north end of Linear Stone feature [055]	E	08/07/2021
SSC340	[055]	Stone slab dislodged from [055] during topsoil strip - cleaned top		08/07/2021
SSC341	[055]	Stone slab dislodged from [055] during topsoil strip - cleaned side		08/07/2021
SSC342	[055]	Stone slab found within spoil from [055] area during topsoil strip - cleaned top		08/07/2021
SSC343	[055]	Orthostat (125) cleaned west face detail	E	08/07/2021
SSC344	[055]	Orthostat (125) cleaned east face detail		08/07/2021
SSC345	[055]	Stone slab dislodged from [055] during topsoil strip - cleaned base		08/07/2021
SSC346	[055]	Stone slab found within spoil from [055] area during topsoil strip - cleaned base		08/07/2021
SSC347	[101], [103]	West facing section of Linear features [101] and [103] - slot 2	E	08/07/2021
SSC348	[101]	East facing section of Linear feature [101] slot 2	W	08/07/2021
SSC349	[103]	Southwest facing section of Linear feature [103] slot 4	NE	08/07/2021
SSC350	[103]	Northeast facing section of Linear feature [103] slot 4	SW	08/07/2021
SSC351	[092]	Southeast facing section of Linear feature [092] slot 1	NW	08/07/2021
SSC352	[092]	Plan view of Linear feature [092] slot 2	W	09/07/2021
SSC353	[092]	Southeast facing section of Linear feature [092] slot 2	NW	09/07/2021
SSC354	[092]	Northwest facing section of Linear feature [092] slot 2	SE	09/07/2021
SSC355	[092]	Location shot of Linear feature [092] slot 2	SE	09/07/2021
SSC356	[092]	Location shot of Linear feature [092] slot 2	N	09/07/2021
SSC357	[092]	Mid excavation plan view of Linear feature [092] slot 3 stones	W	09/07/2021
SSC358	[092]	Mid excavation plan view of Linear feature [092] slot 3 stones	W	09/07/2021
SSC359	[092]	Mid excavation plan view of Linear feature [092] slot 3 stones	W	09/07/2021
SSC360	[092]	Mid excavation plan view of Linear feature [092] slot 3 stones	W	09/07/2021
SSC361	[229]	Plan view of Linear feature [229] north terminus slot	SE	09/07/2021
SSC362	[229]	Northeast facing section of Linear feature [229] north terminus slot	SW	09/07/2021
SSC363	[092]	South facing section of Linear feature [092] slot 3	N	09/07/2021
SSC364	[092]	North facing section of Linear feature [092] slot 2	S	09/07/2021
SSC365	[092]	Plan view of Linear feature [092] slot 3	W	09/07/2021
SSC366	[106]	North facing section of Pit [106]	S	09/07/2021
SSC367	[106]	Plan view of Pit [106]	S	09/07/2021
SSC368	[229]	Plan view of Linear feature [229] South terminus	E	09/07/2021

APPENDIX 3: Drawing Register

Drawing No.	Sheet No.	Description	Scale	Date
1	1	West facing section of Pit [007]	1:10	27/05/2021
2	1	West facing section of Ditch [003] slot 2	1:10	27/05/2021
3	1	South facing section of Pit [011]	1:10	27/01/1900
4	1	South facing section of Pit [009]	1:10	27/01/1900
5	1	South facing section of Pit [013]	1:10	27/01/1900
6	1	Northeast facing section of Pit [015]	1:10	28/05/2021
7	1	Northwest facing section of Pit [042]	1:10	01/06/2021
8	1	West facing section of Pit [005]	1:10	27/05/2021
9	1	Southeast facing section of Pit [017] and Posthole [019]	1:10	28/05/2021
10	1	South facing section of Pit [036]	1:10	09/06/2021
11	1	Southeast facing section of Pit [062]	1:10	09/06/2021
12	1	Northwest facing section of Pit [034]	1:10	09/06/2021
13	1	Southeast and Northwest facing sections of Spread [064]	1:10	01/06/2021
14	1	Southwest and Northeast facing sections of Spread [064]	1:10	01/06/2021
15	2	Mid ex west facing section of Linear [055]	1:10	15/06/2021
16	2	Mid-ex plan showing (056) onto partially excavated cobbles and Stone Sockets [118] and [119]	1:20	15/06/2021
17	3	Northeast facing section of Posthole [094]	1:10	15/06/2021
18	3	West facing section of Pit [090]	1:10	10/06/2021
19	3	East facing section of Pit [114]	1:10	15/06/2021
20	3	Southwest facing section of Pit [086]	1:10	10/06/2021
21	3	Southwest facing section of Pit [089]	1:10	15/06/2021
22	3	West facing section of Pit [038]	1:10	11/06/2021
23	3	Northeast facing section of Pit [065]	1:10	11/06/2021
24	3	Southeast facing section of Pit [051]	1:10	15/06/2021
25	3	West facing section of Pit [096]	1:10	11/06/2021
26	3	Northeast facing section of Pit [116]	1:10	15/06/2021
27	3	South facing section of Pit [047]	1:10	15/06/2021
28	3	South facing section of Pit [102]	1:10	16/06/2021
29	4	West northwest facing section of Pit [111]	1:10	16/06/2021
30	4	Southwest facing section of Ditch [130] slot 2	1:10	16/06/2021
31	4	Northeast facing section of Pit [128]	1:10	16/06/2021
32	4	Northeast facing section of Ditch [130] slot 2	1:10	16/06/2021
33	4	Northwest facing section of Ditch [130] slot 3	1:10	16/06/2021
34	4	West facing section of Pit [078]	1:10	16/06/2021
35	4	West facing section of Pit [080]	1:10	16/06/2021
36	6	East facing section of Pit [080]	1:10	16/06/2021
37	6	West facing section of Pit [161]	1:10	16/06/2021
38	6	East facing section of Posthole [076]	1:10	16/06/2021
39	6	Mid ex plan overlay of southern extent of Linear [055] post removal of (056) and (121) onto [120]	1:20	16/06/2021
40	6	West facing section of Posthole [075]	1:10	16/06/2021
41	6	West facing section of Posthole [143]	1:10	16/06/2021
42	6	Northwest facing section of Pit [144] and Posthole [138]	1:10	16/06/2021

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43	6	East facing section of Posthole [152]	1:10	16/06/2021
44	6	Mid ex plan of Posthole [154]	1:20	22/06/2021
45	6	South southeast facing section of Posthole [154]	1:10	22/06/2021
46	6	South facing section of Ditch [130] slot 1	1:10	17/06/2021
47	7	West facing section of Posthole [163]	1:10	23/06/2021
48	7	Southwest facing section of Posthole [165]	1:10	23/06/2021
49	7	Southwest facing section of Posthole [171]	1:10	23/06/2021
50	7	Northeast facing section of Posthole [167]	1:10	23/06/2021
51	7	Northwest facing section of Posthole [178]	1:10	23/06/2021
52	7	West facing section of Spread (079)	1:10	23/06/2021
53	7	West southwest facing section of Posthole [169]	1:10	23/06/2021
54	7	West facing section of Pit [083]	1:10	24/06/2021
55	7	Southeast facing section of Posthole [182]	1:10	24/06/2021
56	7	Northwest facing section of Posthole [189]	1:10	24/06/2021
57	7	Southeast facing section of Pit [185]	1:10	24/06/2021
58	7	West facing section of Pit [081]	1:20	25/06/2021
59	7	South southeast facing section of Ditch [003] through Linear [200]	1:10	25/06/2021
60	7	North northwest facing section of Ditch [003] slot 3	1:10	25/06/2021
61	7	Southeast facing section of Ditch [003] slot 4	1:10	25/06/2021
62	7	West facing section of Ditch [032] slot 3	1:10	28/06/2021
63	8	South facing section of Ditch [130] slot 1	1:10	28/06/2021
64	8	South facing section of Posthole [073]	1:10	28/06/2021
65	8	Northwest facing section of Posthole [074]	1:10	28/06/2021
66	8	West facing section of Pit [180]	1:10	29/06/2021
67	8	North northeast facing section of Posthole [146]	1:10	29/06/2021
68	8	South southeast facing section of Posthole [147]	1:10	29/06/2021
69	8	North facing section of Field Drain [021]	1:10	29/06/2021
70	8	Northeast facing section of Linear [024]	1:10	30/06/2021
71	8	Southwest facing section of Linear [024]	1:10	30/06/2021
72	8	Southeast facing section of Posthole [198]	1:10	30/06/2021
73	8	Southeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 2	1:10	30/06/2021
74	8	North facing section of Linear [206] terminus slot	1:10	01/07/2021
75	8	Northwest facing section of Ditch [032] slot 2	1:10	30/06/2021
76	8	South facing section of Ditch [032] slot 1	1:10	30/06/2021
77	8	North facing section of [032] slot 1	1:10	30/06/2021
78	8	Southwest facing section of Linear [200] mid slot	1:10	01/07/2021
79	8	Southwest facing section of Ditch [032] and Linear [206] slot 5	1:10	01/07/2021
80	8	Northeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 5	1:10	01/07/2021
81	8	Northwest facing section of Posthole [026]	1:10	01/07/2021
82	8	North facing section of Ditch [032] and Ditch [003] north terminus intersection	1:10	01/07/2021
83	9	Southeast facing section of Posthole [195]	1:10	29/06/2021
84	9	Southeast facing section of Posthole [193]	1:10	29/06/2021
85	9	Southeast facing section of Posthole [191]	1:10	29/06/2021

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86	9	Southeast facing section of Posthole [028]	1:10	29/06/2021
87	9	West facing section of Pit [030]	1:10	29/06/2021
88	9	West facing section of Pit [204]	1:10	29/06/2021
89	9	Southeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	1:10	30/06/2021
90	9	Northeast facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4	1:10	30/06/2021
91	9	West facing section of Ditch [032] slot 4 terminus	1:10	01/07/2021
92	9	West facing section of Posthole [150]	1:10	02/07/2021
93	9	West facing section of Pit [149] and Pit [213]	1:10	02/07/2021
94	9	North facing section of Linear [103] slot 1	1:10	05/07/2021
95	9	North facing section of Linear [103] slot 2	1:10	05/07/2021
96	9	South facing section of Linear [103] slot 2	1:10	05/07/2021
97	9	South facing section of Pit [213]	1:10	02/07/2021
98	9	Northwest facing section of Linear [104] slot 1	1:10	07/07/2021
99	9	Northeast facing section of Linear [104] slot 1	1:10	07/07/2021
100	9	South facing section of Linear [104] slot 2	1:10	07/07/2021
101	9	North facing section of Linear [151] terminus slot	1:10	07/07/2021
102	9	West facing section of Linear [151] and [101] slot 1	1:10	07/07/2021
103	9	South facing section of Linear [103] slot 3	1:10	08/07/2021
104	10	West facing section of Linear [055] quad 1 A-B	1:10	06/07/2021
105	10	West facing section of Linear [055] quad 1 C-B	1:10	07/07/2021
106	10	Pre ex plan of Stone Setting [217]	1:10	07/07/2021
107	10	North and South facing section of Linear [055] quad 1 and 2 intersection	1:10	07/07/2021
108	10	South facing section through Stone (125) and Linear [055]	1:10	07/07/2021
109	10	East facing section of Linear [055] quad 2 B-C	1:10	07/07/2021
110	11	West facing section of Linear [103] and Linear [101] slot 2	1:10	08/07/2021
111	11	Southwest facing section of Linear [103] slot 4	1:10	08/07/2021
112	11	Southeast facing section of Linear [092] slot 1	1:10	08/07/2021
113	11	East facing section of Linear [101] slot 2	1:10	08/07/2021
114	11	South facing section of Linear [114] slot 2	1:10	09/07/2021
115	11	South facing section of Linear [151] slot 1	1:10	09/07/2021
116	11	North facing section of Linear [092] slot 3	1:10	09/07/2021
117	11	North facing section of Pit [106]	1:10	09/07/2021
118	12	Southeast facing section of Linear [092] slot 2	1:10	09/07/2021
119	12	Northwest facing section of Linear [092] slot 2	1:10	09/07/2021
120	12	North facing section of Linear [229] slot 2	1:10	09/07/2021
121	5	South facing section of Posthole [145]	1:10	21/06/2021
122	5	Southeast facing section of Pit [077]	1:10	22/06/2021
123	5	South facing section of Posthole [142]	1:10	23/06/2021
124	5	South facing section of Posthole [141]	1:10	23/06/2021
125	5	West facing section of Deposit (160)	1:10	23/06/2021
126	12	West facing section of Linear [003] slot 1	1:10	25/05/2021
127	12	Southwest facing section of Stakehole [040]	1:10	01/06/2021
128	12	North facing section of Pit [044] partially excavated	1:20	24/05/2021

APPENDIX 4: Sample Register

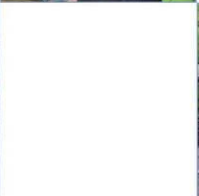
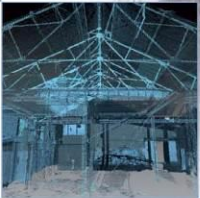
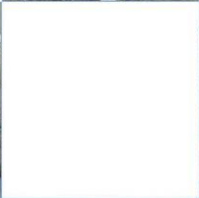
Context no.	Description	Volume (L)	No. of Tubs/Bags	Comments
004 slot 1	Soil sample	5 l	1 bag	Sterile
004 slot 2	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Sterile
006	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Sterile
010	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Sterile
012	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Sterile
014	Soil sample	8l	1 bag	Sterile
016	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Sterile
018	Soil sample	6l	1 bag	Sterile
025	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Charcoal
027	Soil sample	8l	3 bags	Charcoal, Burnt Bone
029	Soil sample	1l	1 bag	Sterile
031	Soil sample	5l	2 bags	Charcoal, Upper hearth
033 slot 1	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Sterile
033 slot 2	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Sterile
033 slot 3	Soil sample	7l	1 bag	Sterile
033 slot 4	Soil sample	9l	4 bags	Sterile
033 slot 5	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
035	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
037	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
039	Soil sample	8l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
041	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Sterile
043	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Sterile
045	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
048	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
052	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Charcoal, Pottery
056	Soil sample	6l	2 bags	Occasional Charcoal
063	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Sterile
064	Soil sample	5l	2 bags	Sterile
066	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
093	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Charcoal
095	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
098	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
107	Soil sample	1.5l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
108	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
112	Soil sample	8l	2 bags	Occasional Charcoal, Upper fire pit Layer, Pottery
113	Soil sample	8l	1 bag	Frequent Charcoal, Lower fire pit layer, Pottery
115	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Charcoal
117	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Sterile
121	Soil sample	7l	2 bags	Occasional Charcoal
122	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
123	Soil sample	1.5l	1 bag	Charcoal rich
124	Soil sample	10l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal, Lower fill of Fire pit

Context no.	Description	Volume (L)	No. of Tubs/Bags	Comments
126	Soil sample	8l	3 bags	Occasional Charcoal
129	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
131 slot 1	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
131 slot 2	Soil sample	10l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
131 slot 3	Soil sample	10l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
132	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
133	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Animal Bone
135	Soil sample	8l	1 bag	Sterile
136	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Sterile
137	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Pottery
139	Soil sample	10l	1 bag	Sterile
155	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
156	Soil sample	1.5l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
157	Soil sample	4l	2 bags	Occasional Charcoal, Animal Bone
157	Bone sample	1l	1 bag	Bone only
158	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
159	Soil sample	8l	1 bag	Sterile
160	Soil sample	10l	1 bag	Glass - Modern?
162	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
166	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Charcoal
170	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
172	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
174	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Sterile
175	Soil sample	6l	1 bag	Sterile
181	Soil sample	6l	1 bag	Sterile
187	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
192	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Shale Ring in feature
194	Soil sample	1l	1 bag	Sterile
196	Soil sample	1l	1 bag	Sterile
197	Soil sample	9l	2 bags	Sterile
199	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Sterile
201	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Charcoal
202	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Frequent Charcoal
203	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Charcoal
205	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Charcoal
207	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Charcoal
208	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Charcoal
209	Soil sample	8l	1 bag	Sterile
210	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Charcoal rich
211	Soil sample	8l	1 bag	Frequent Charcoal
212	Soil sample	6l	1 bag	Sterile
214	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
215	Soil sample	5l	1 bag	Sterile
216 slot 2	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Sterile

Context no.	Description	Volume (L)	No. of Tubs/Bags	Comments
216 slot 3	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
216 slot 4	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Sterile
216 slot 5	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Sterile
216 slot 6	Soil sample	2.5l	1 bag	Sterile
218 slot 2	Soil sample	6l	2 bags	Charcoal
219	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
222	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
223	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
224	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Sterile
225	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Sterile
226	Soil sample	2l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
227 slot 1	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Sterile
228 slot 1	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
228 slot 2	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
230 slot 1	Soil sample	3l	1 bag	Occasional Charcoal
231	Soil sample	4l	1 bag	Sterile

APPENDIX 5: Small Finds Register

Find No.	Context No.	Material	Description	Date
01	113	Ceramic	1 linear decorated, rough, and coarse pottery fragment	-
02	192	Stone	Stone ring which could be a possible loom weight. Possibly shale or slate	-
03	001	Bone	2 Pieces of bone in poor condition	-
04	113	Lithic	Quartz point approximately 3cm in length and possibly used at scraper	-
05	112	Lithic	7 Lithic fragments of varying material type including flint and quartz	-
06	004	Stone	Slate spindle. Large, thin stone disk, partial and with a bevelled central hole	-
07	166	Lithic	Flint point. 3 sided with 1 face larger and other 2 meet to make a ridge	-
08	133	Bone	Fragment of bone approximately 6cm in length. Possibly Bird although considerably degraded	-
09	Unstratified	Ceramic	Glazed pottery sherd of an orange/ red ceramic. Possibly medieval	-
10	056	Lithic	Small fragment of Flint with a curved facing	-
11	001	Ceramic	Glazed pottery sherd with a circular glaze decoration. Possibly medieval	-
12	112	Ceramic	6 sherds of light orange/ brown ceramic where the largest piece is curved and the next largest has two grooves	-
13	137	Ceramic	Sherd of Burnt pottery approximately 1 cm thick and slightly curved. Ribbed on smaller face with 2 bumps and 2 grooves	-
14	052	Ceramic	2 Large ceramic fragments the largest of which is 6x3.5cm at largest point and the smallest is 4x4.5cm. The smaller example is smooth faced and has a slightly grooved edge	-
15	133	Stone	1 flat stone with a possible worked edge	-
16	228	Stone	2 possible worked stones, one of flint and the other of quartz. Both are triangular in shape with possible notches on the edges	-



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