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Environmental Statement Volume 3

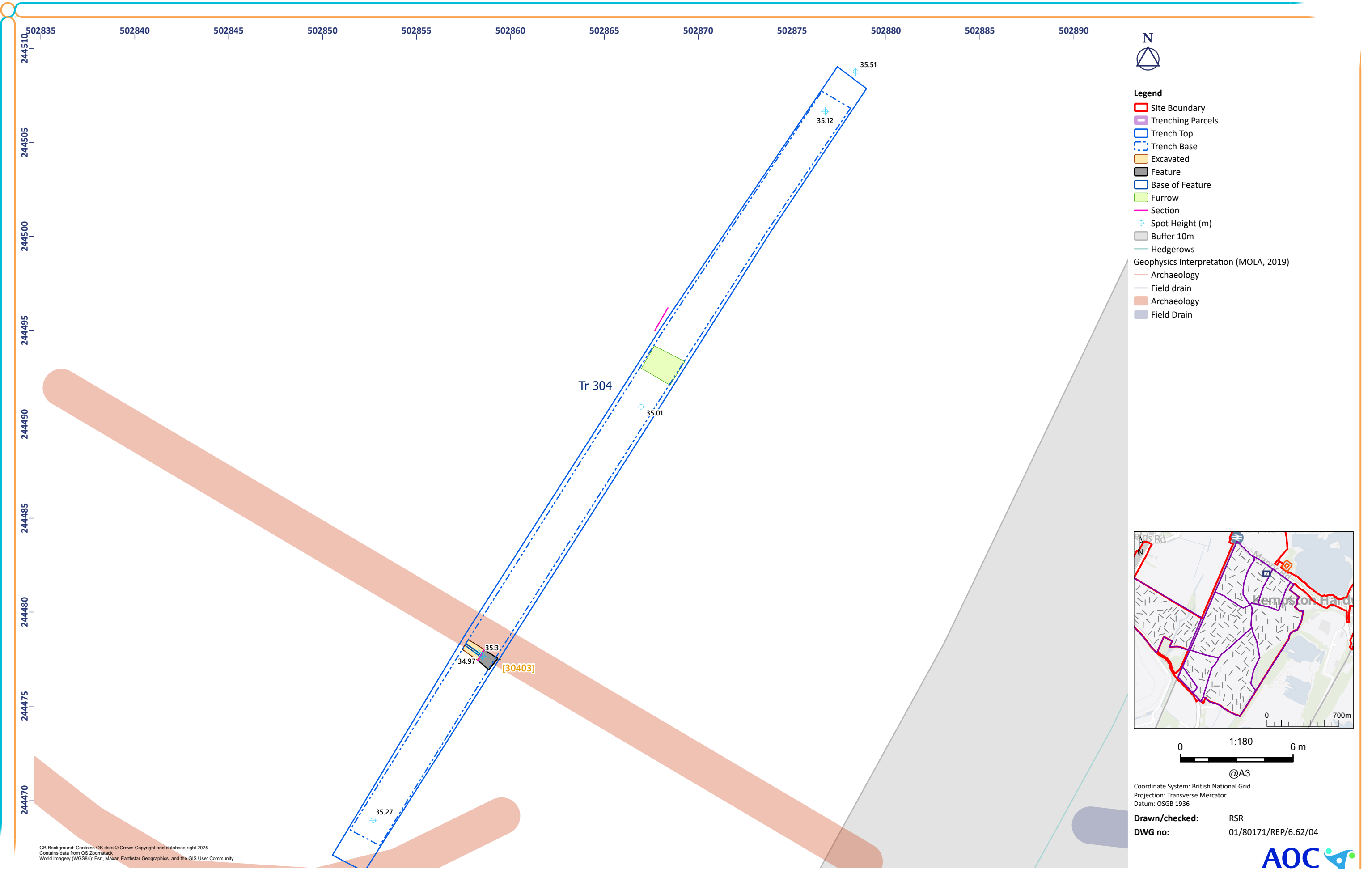
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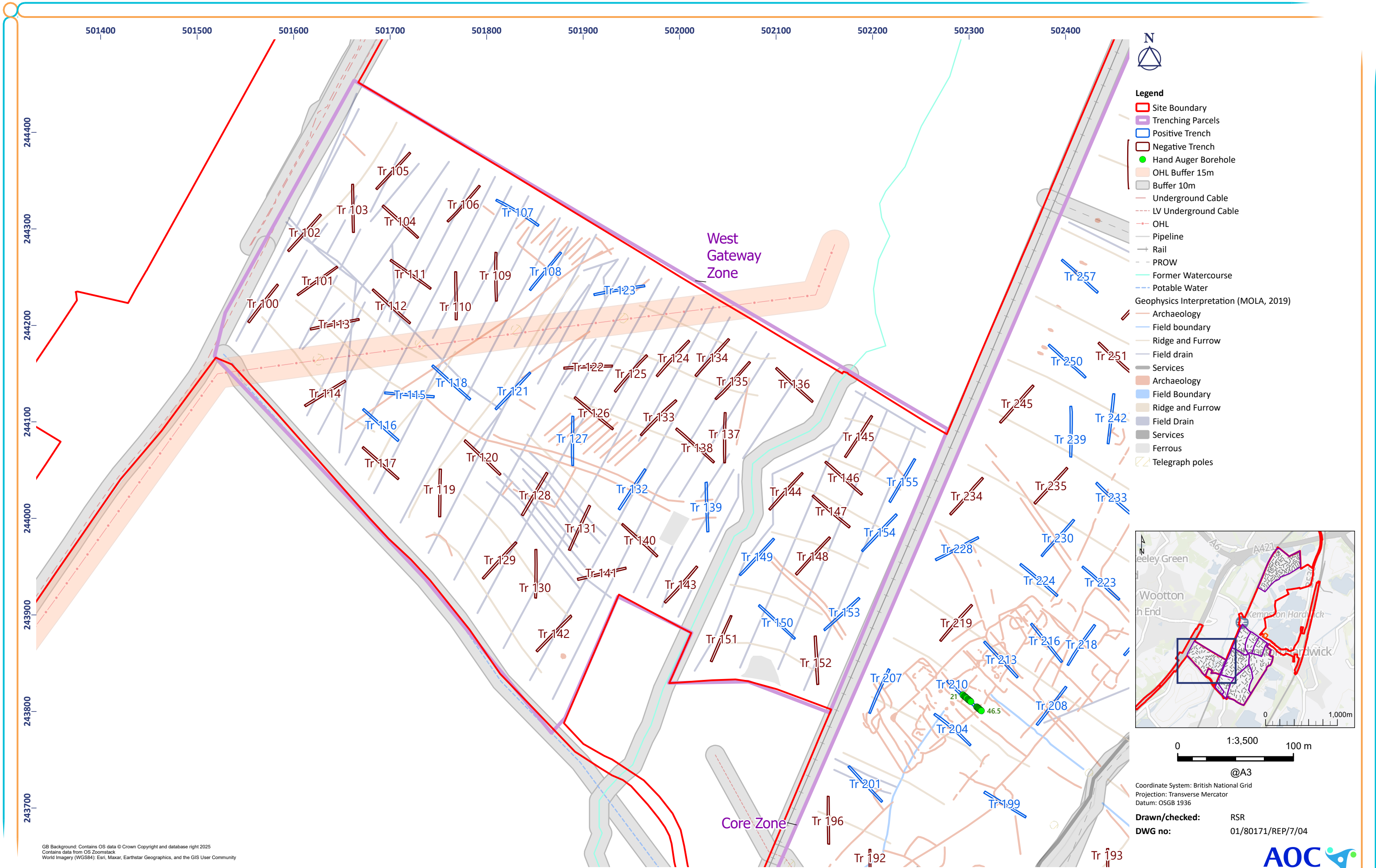
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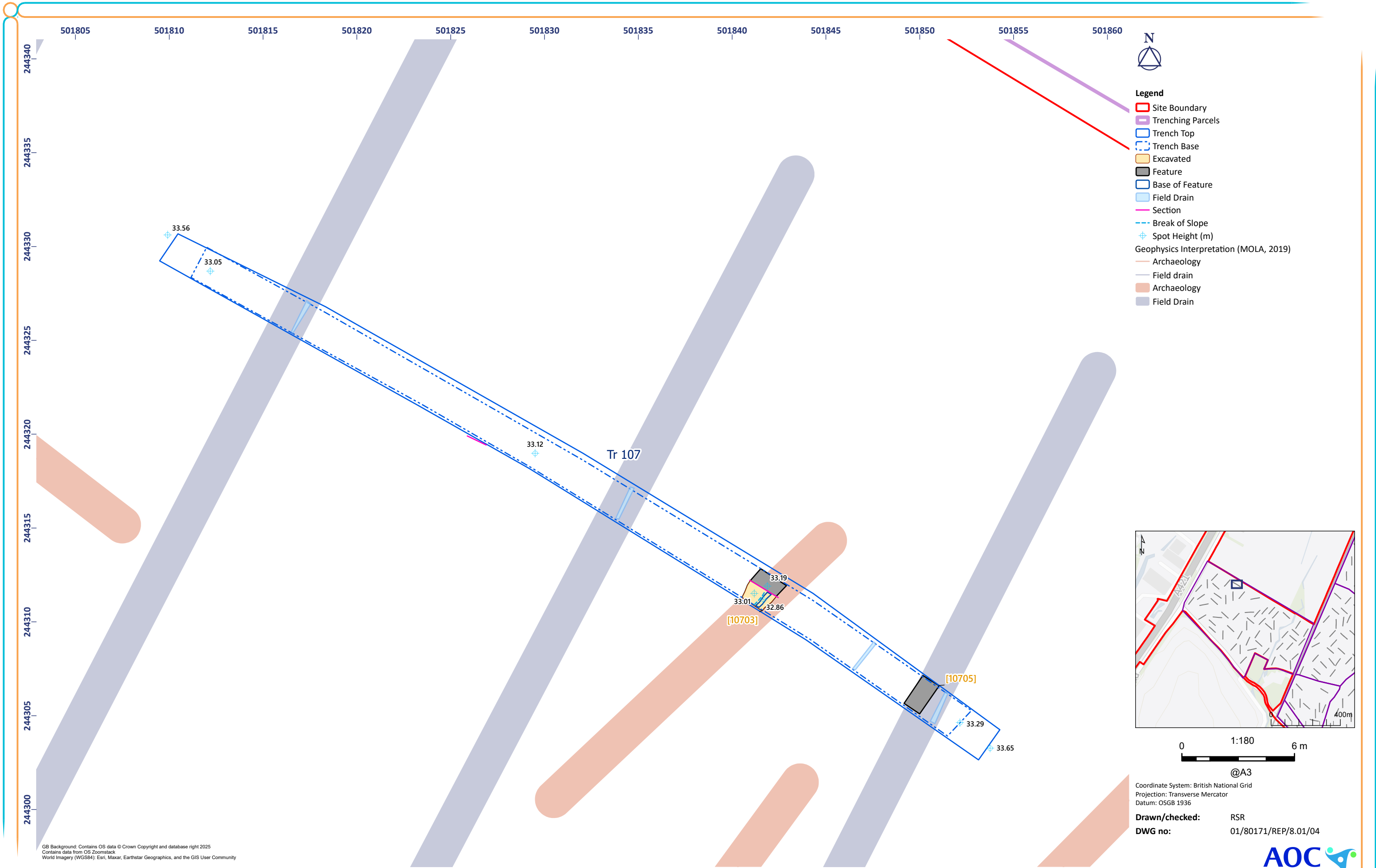
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Figure 8-1: West Gateway Zone - Detail of Trenches

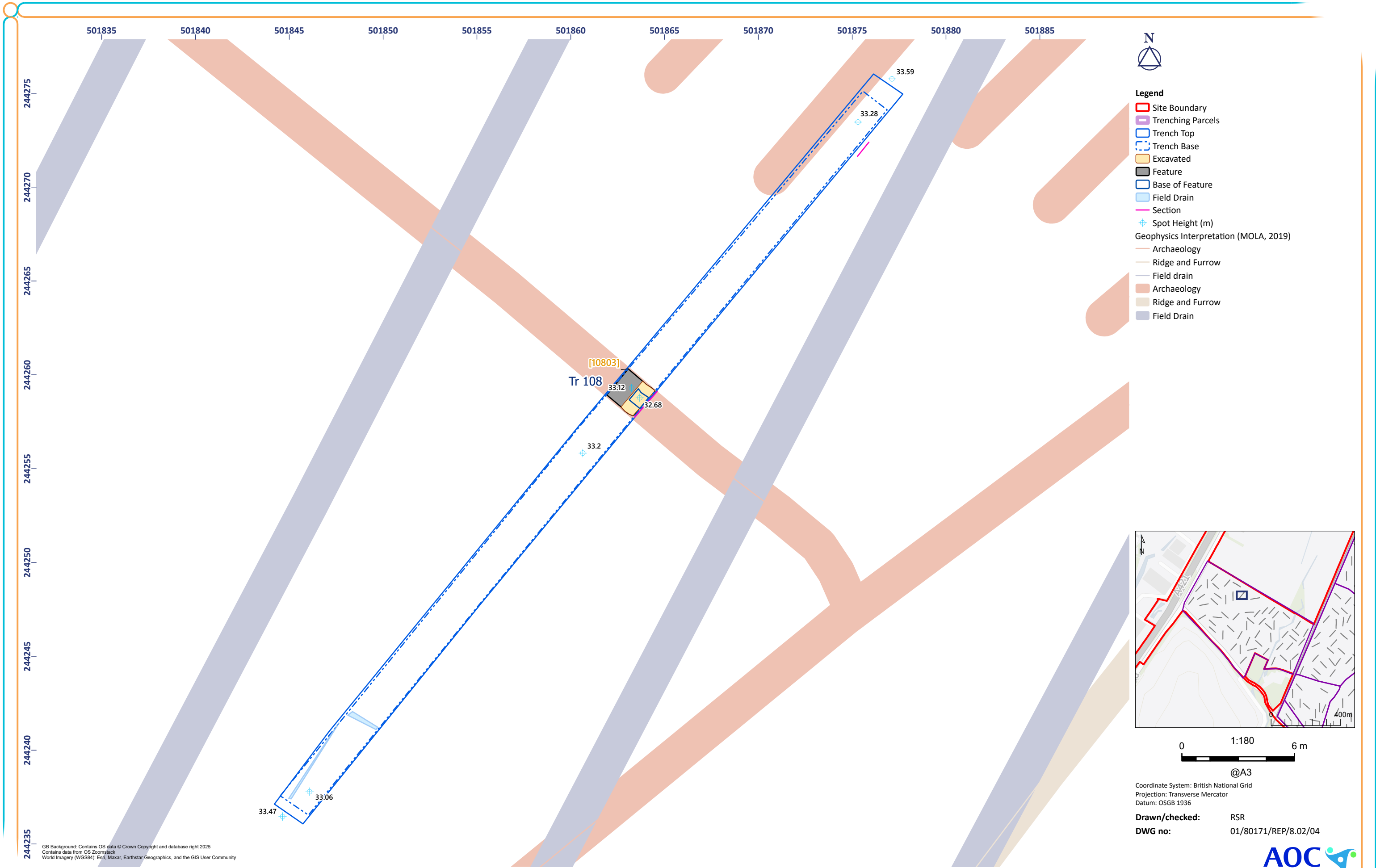
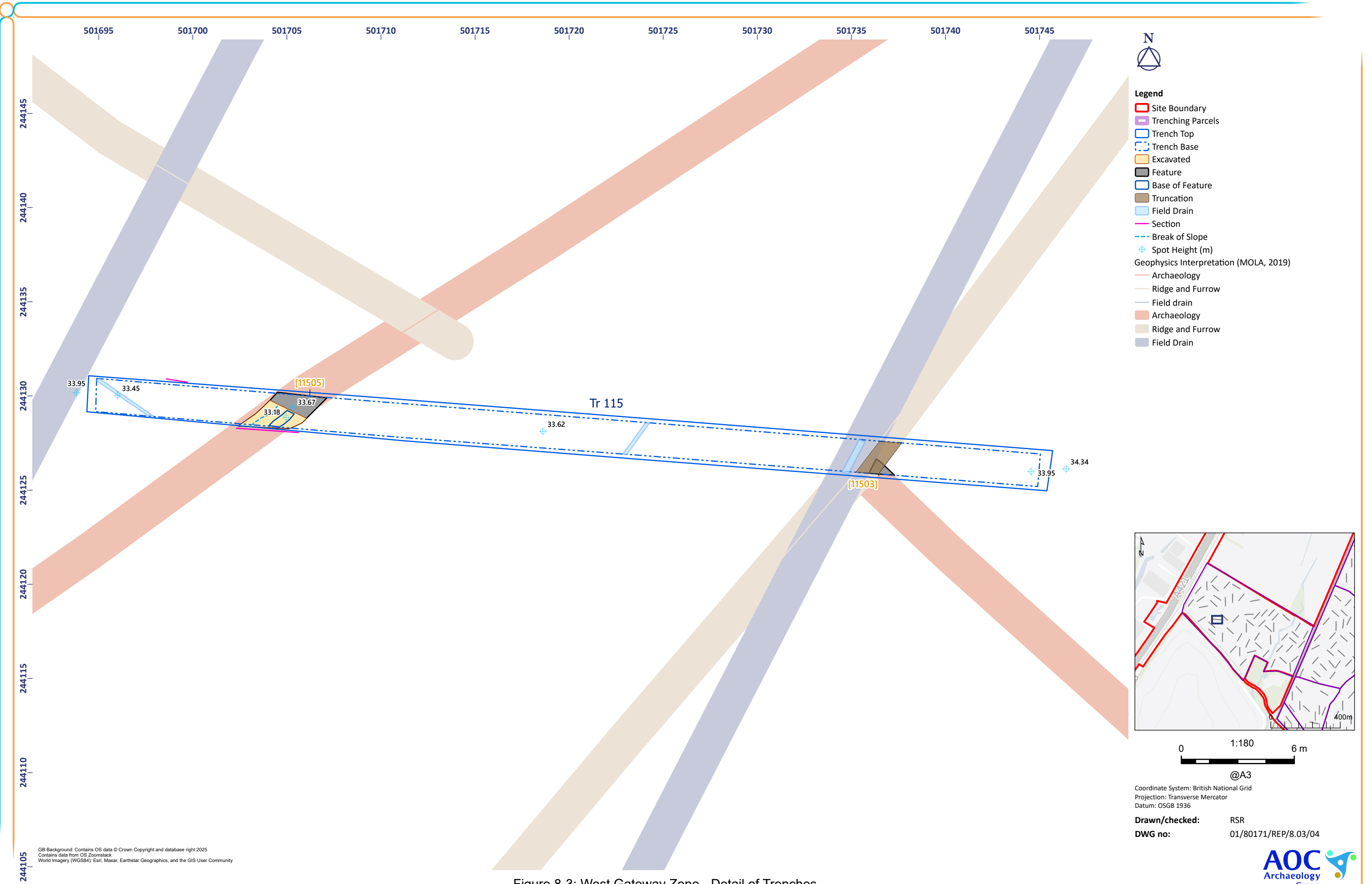


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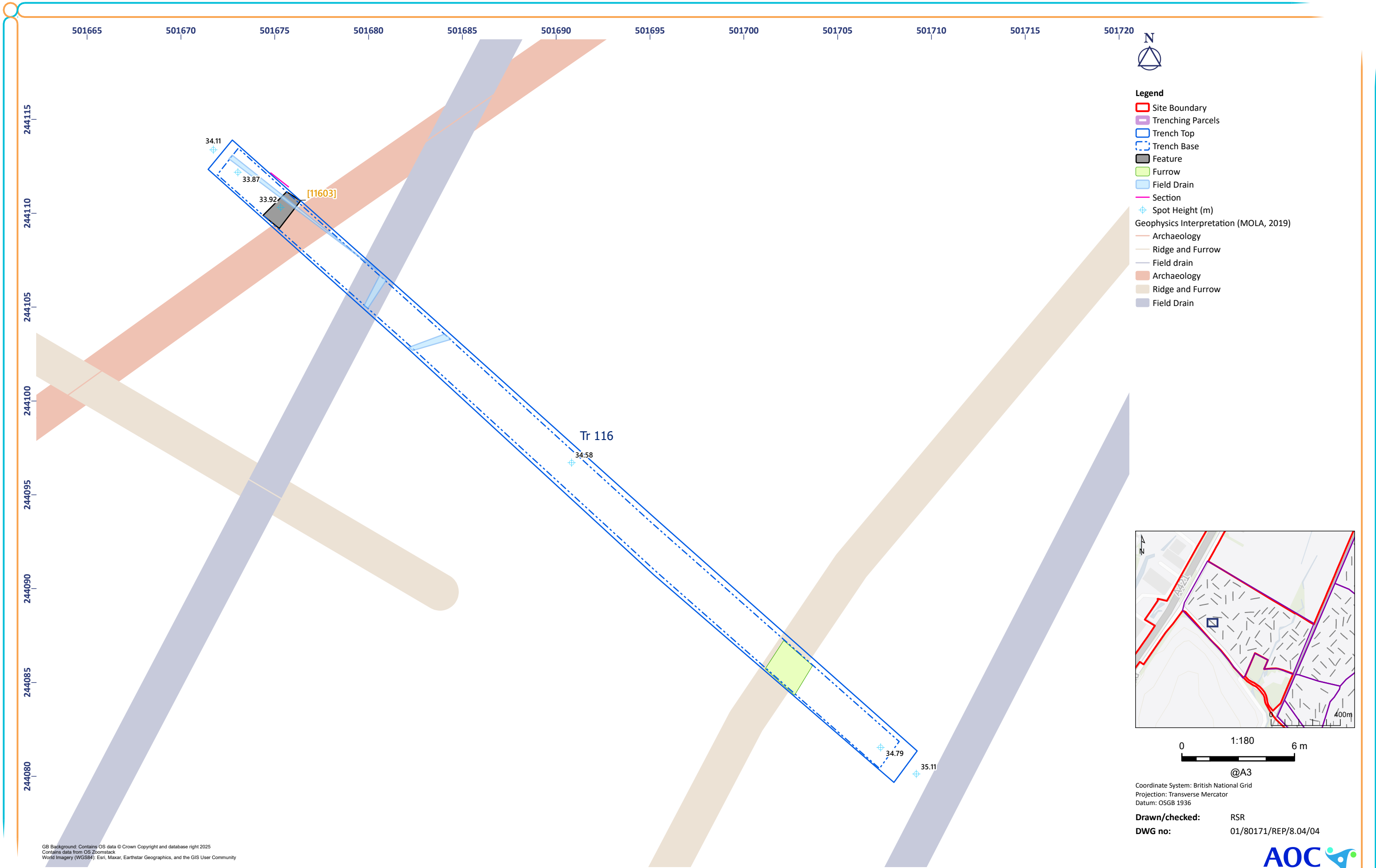
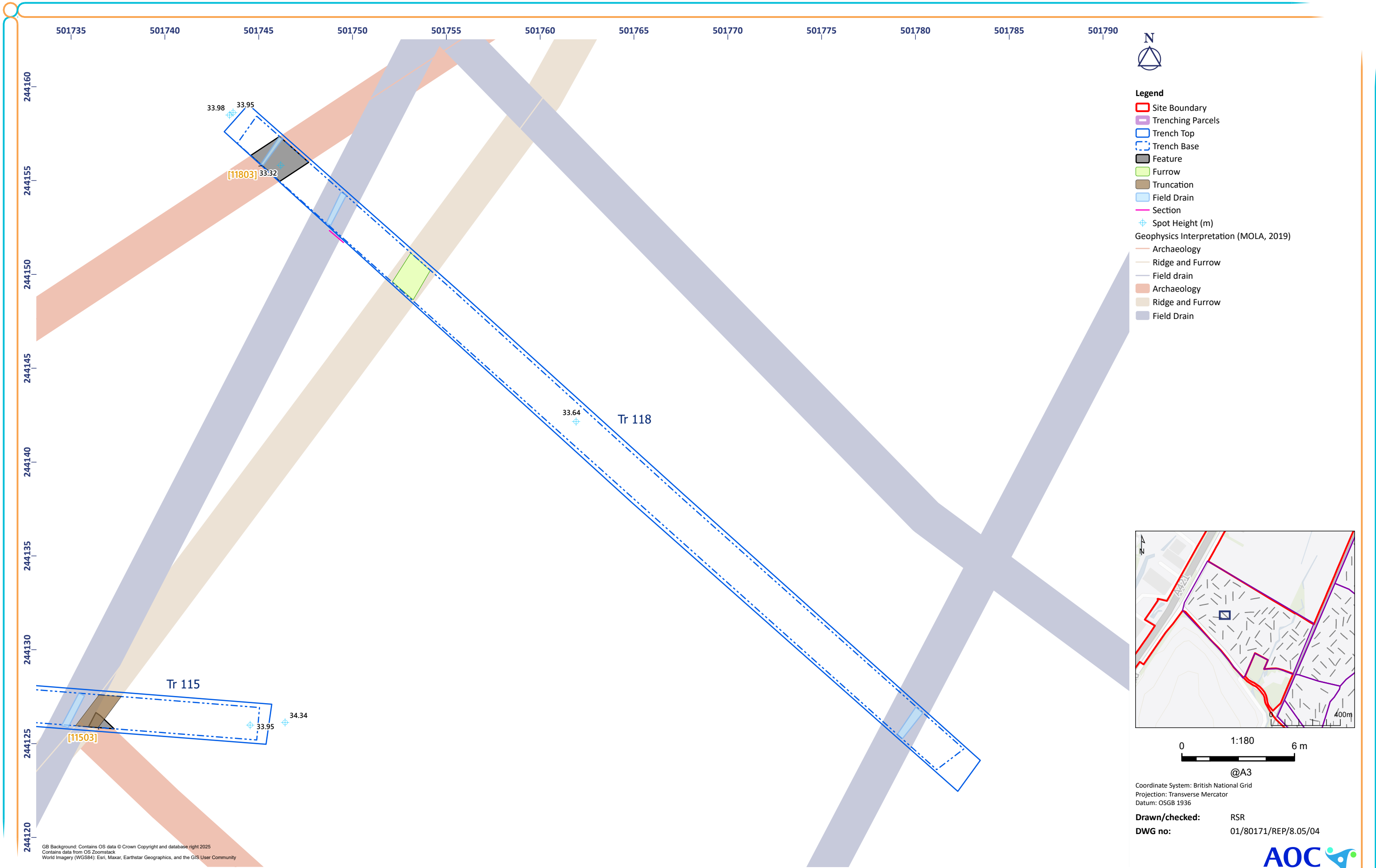
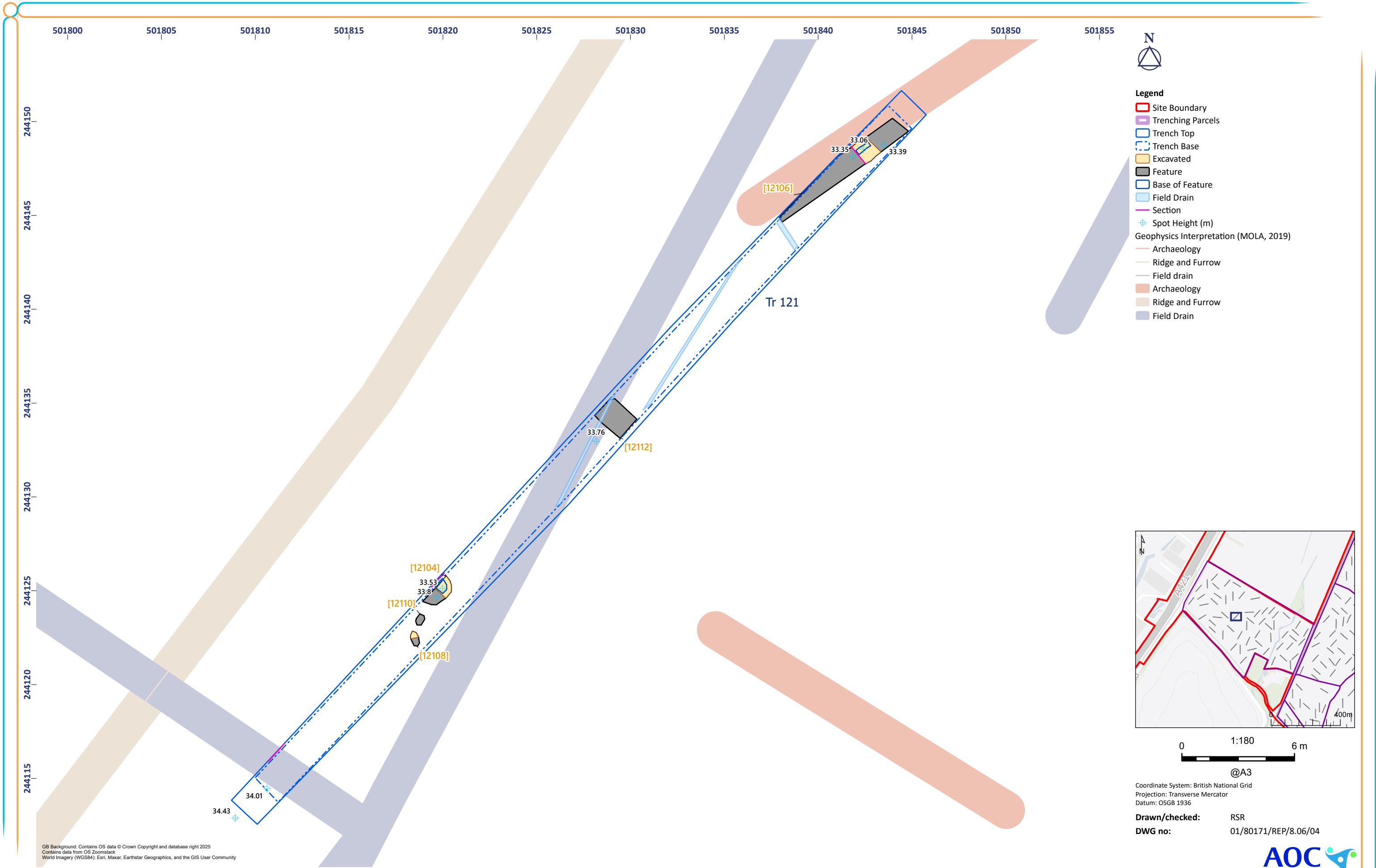


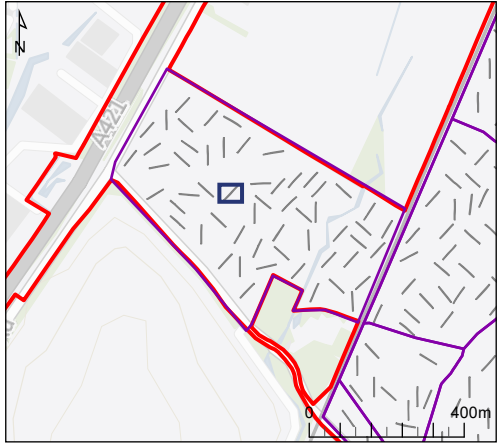
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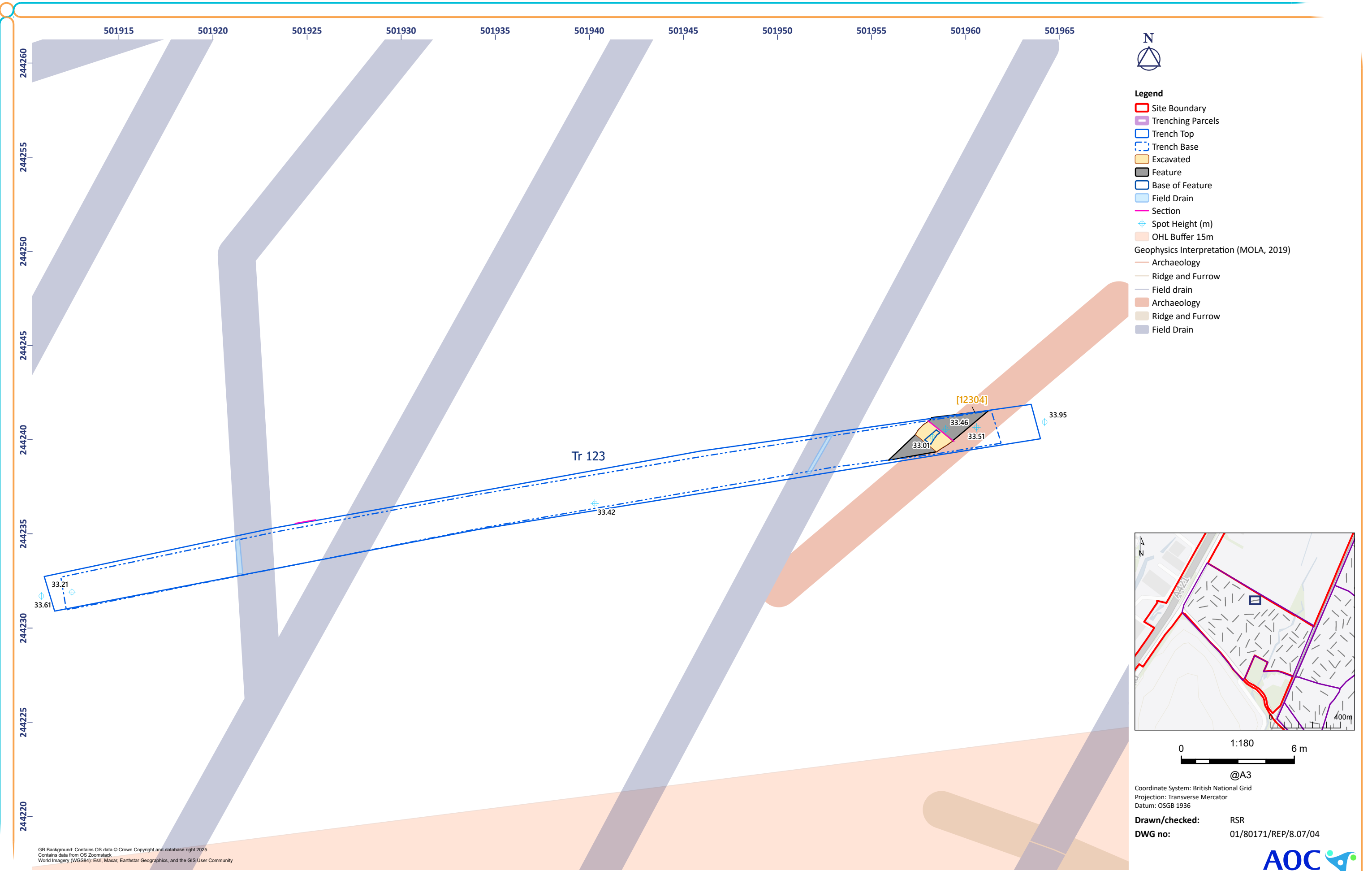


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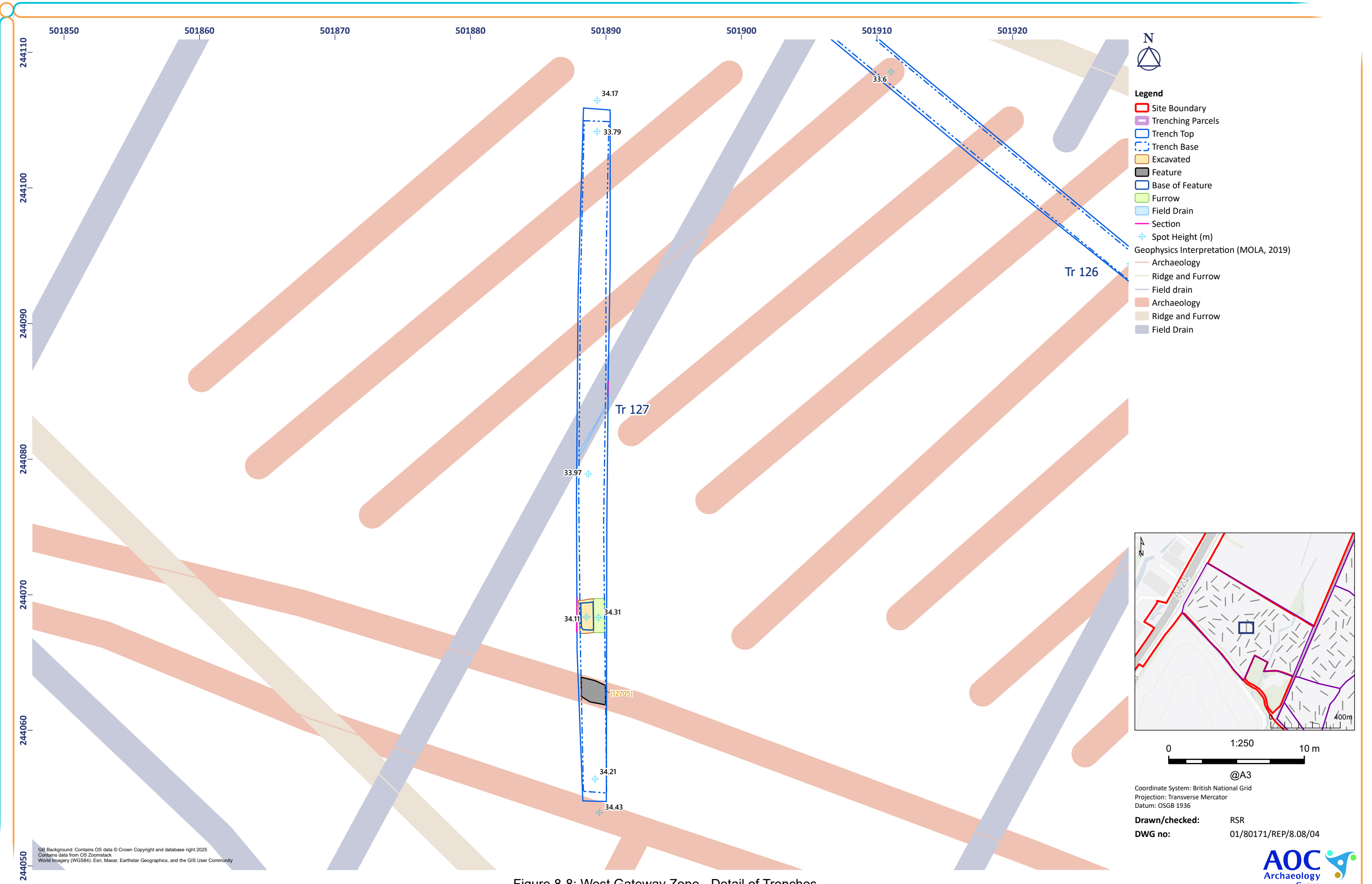
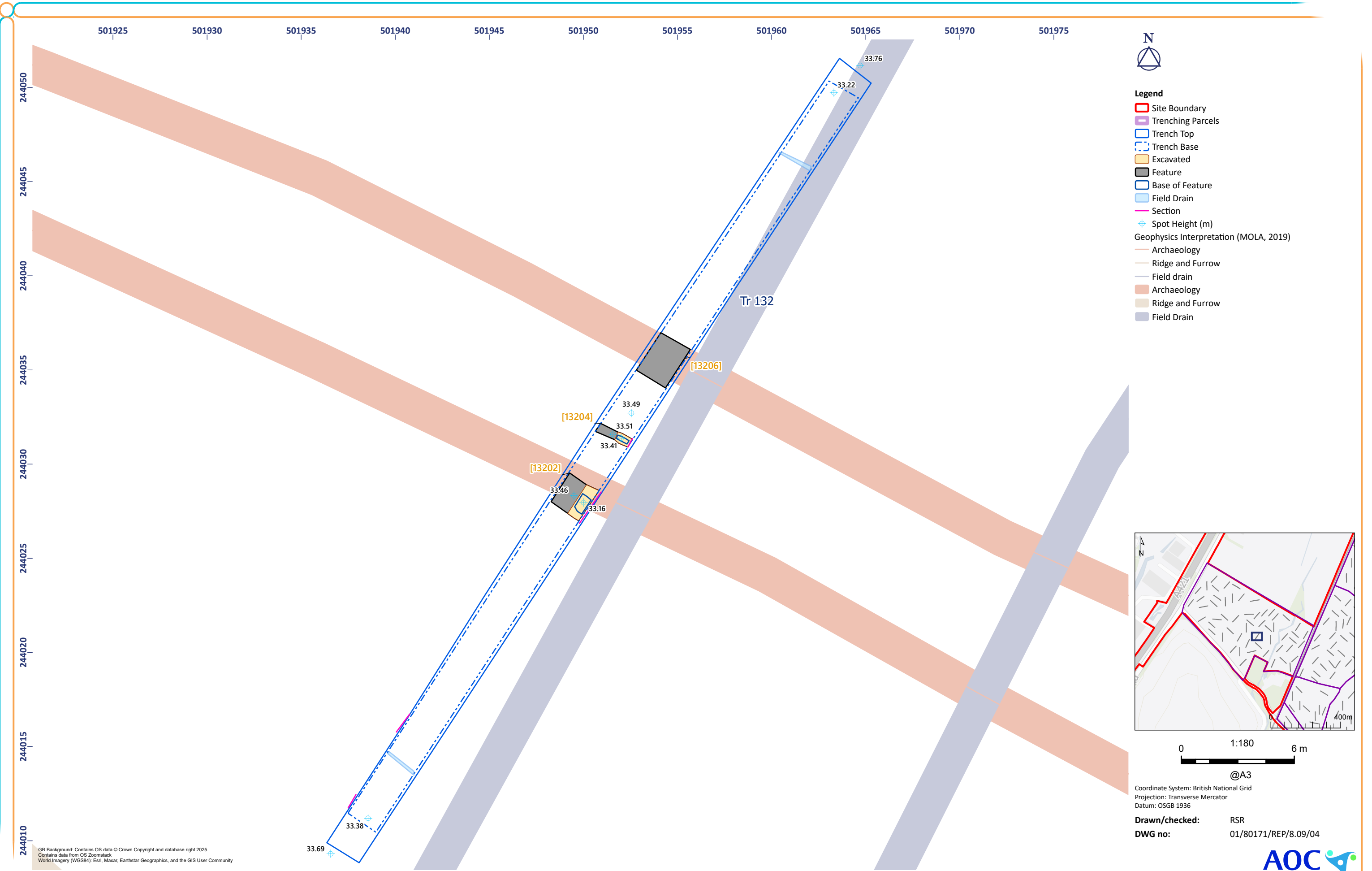
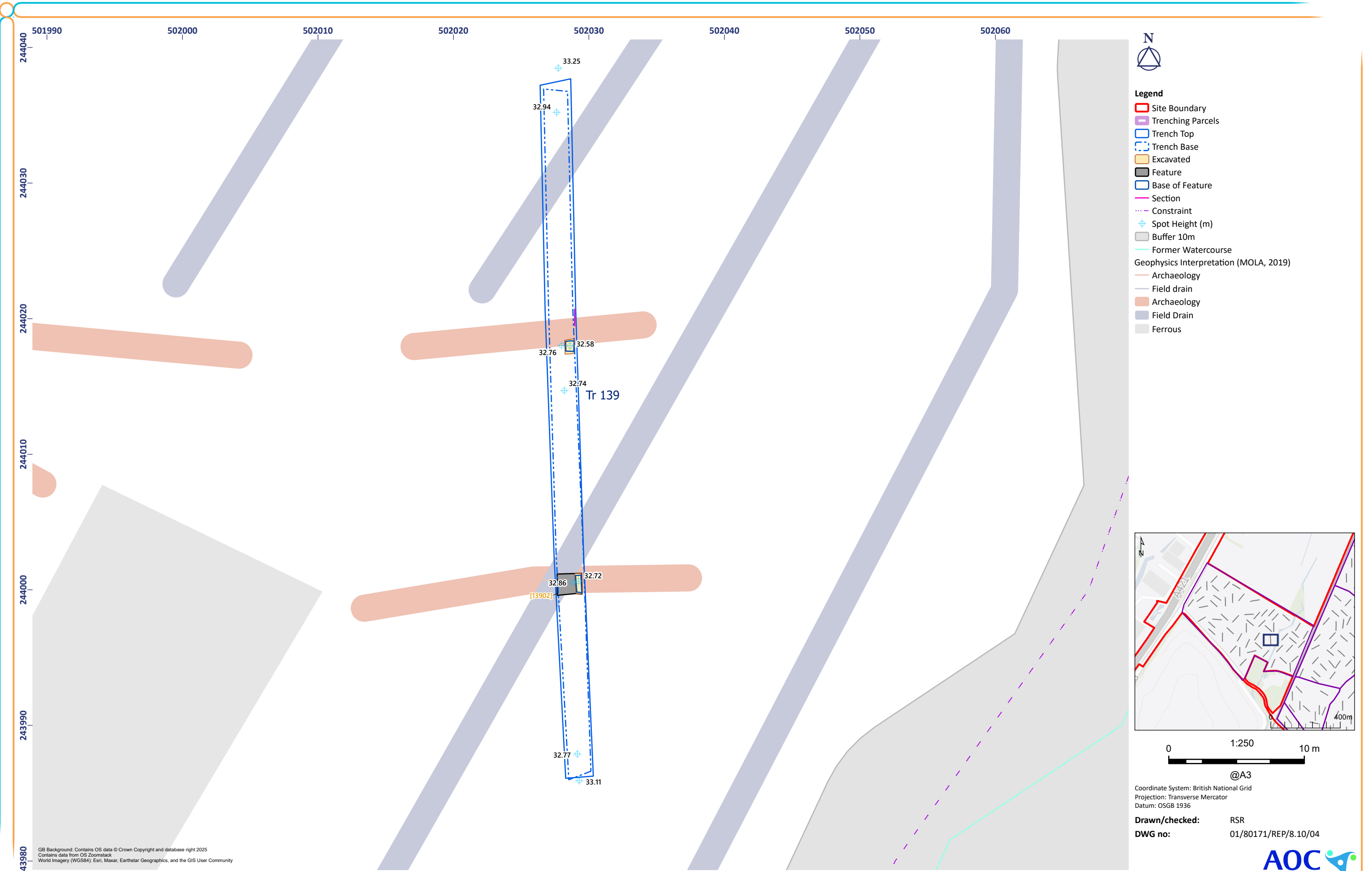


Figure 8-8: West Gateway Zone - Detail of Trenches





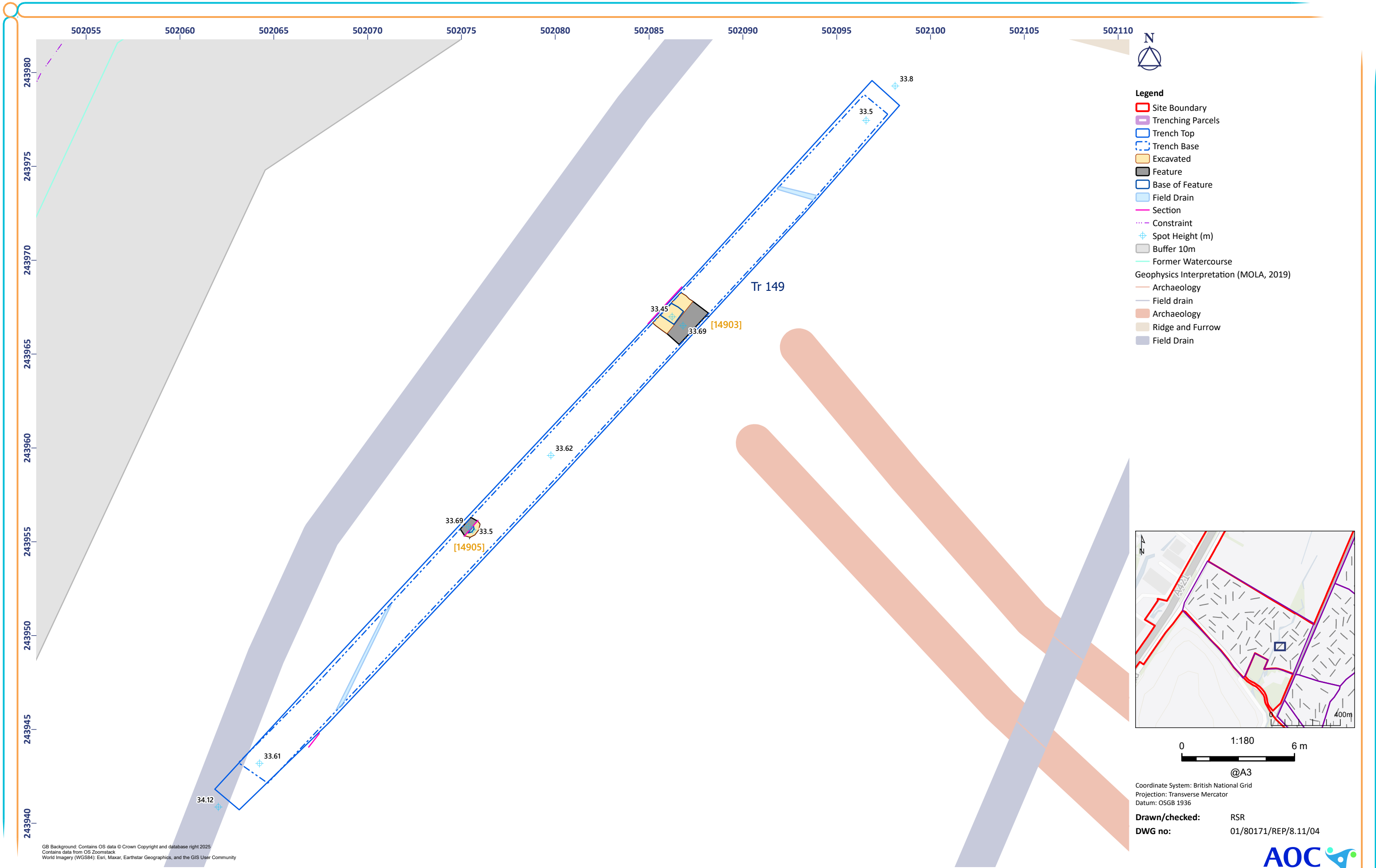
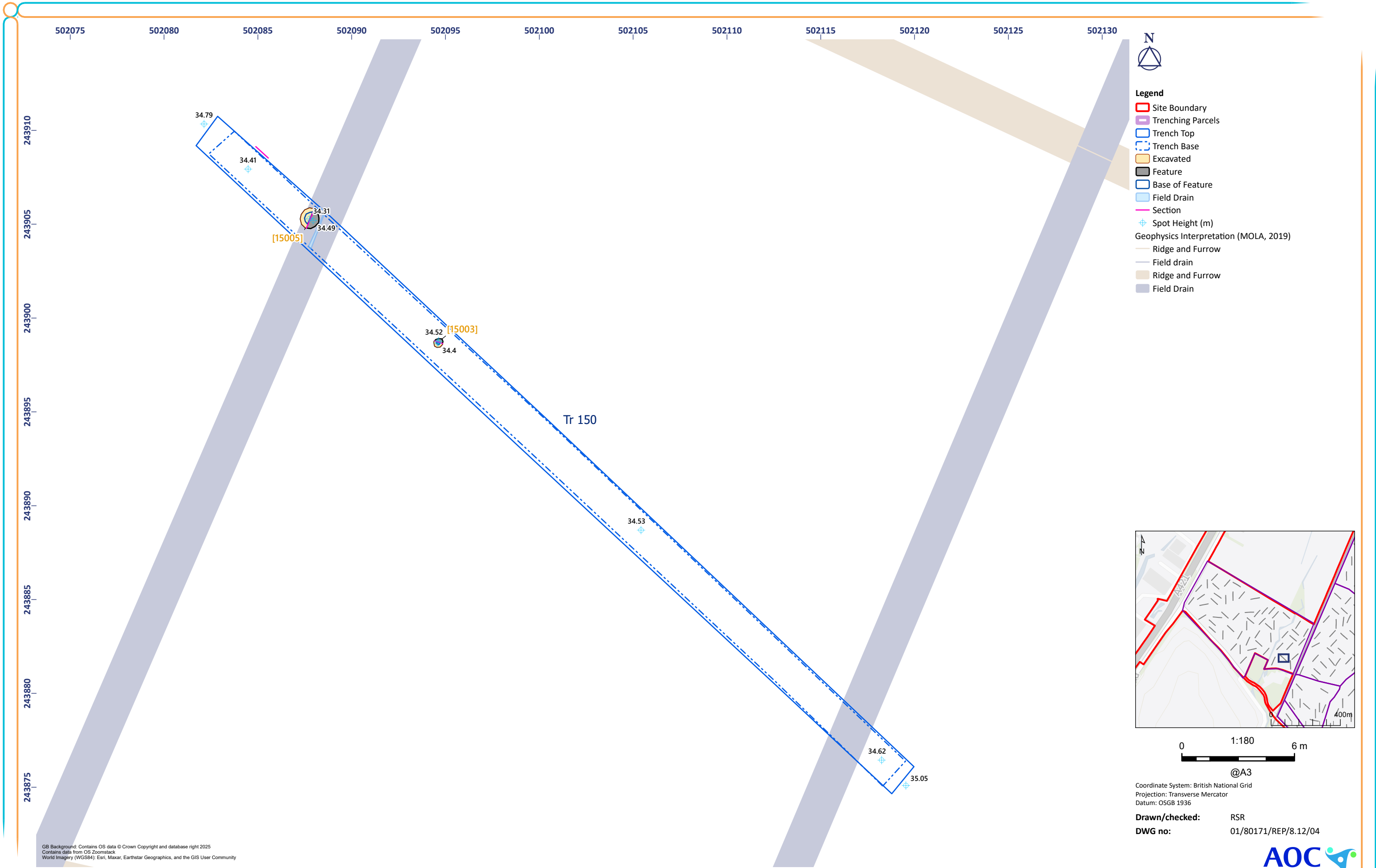


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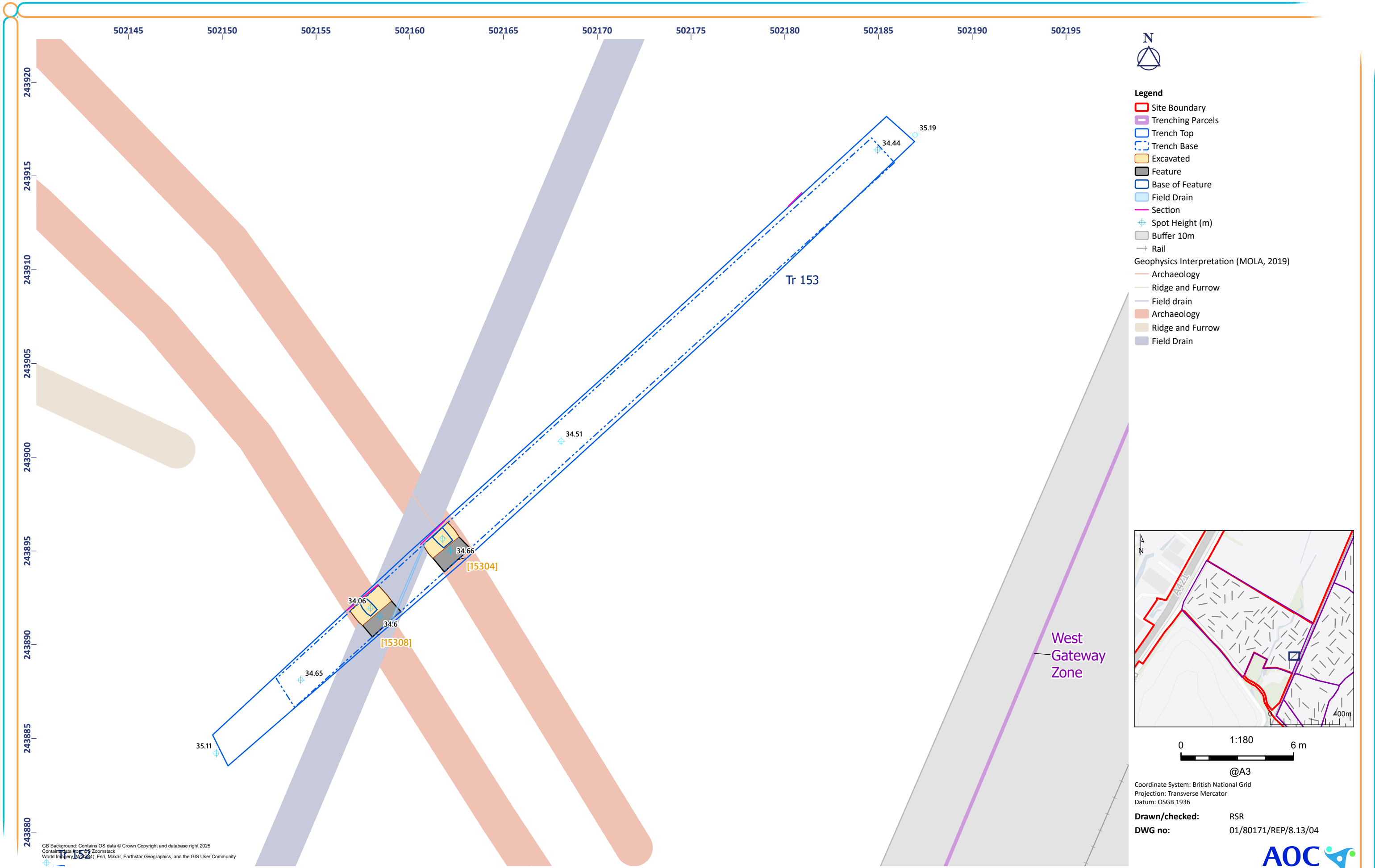


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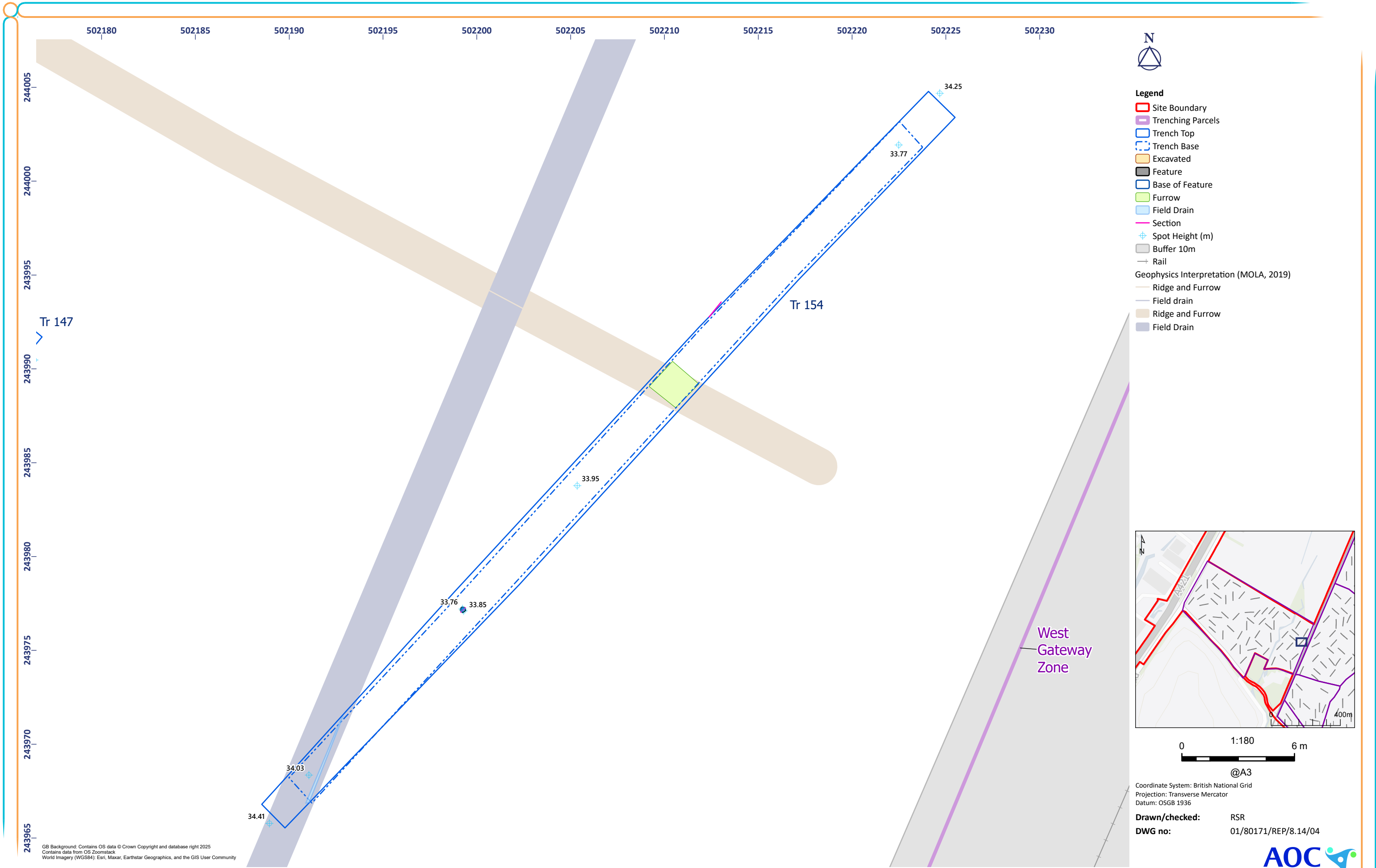
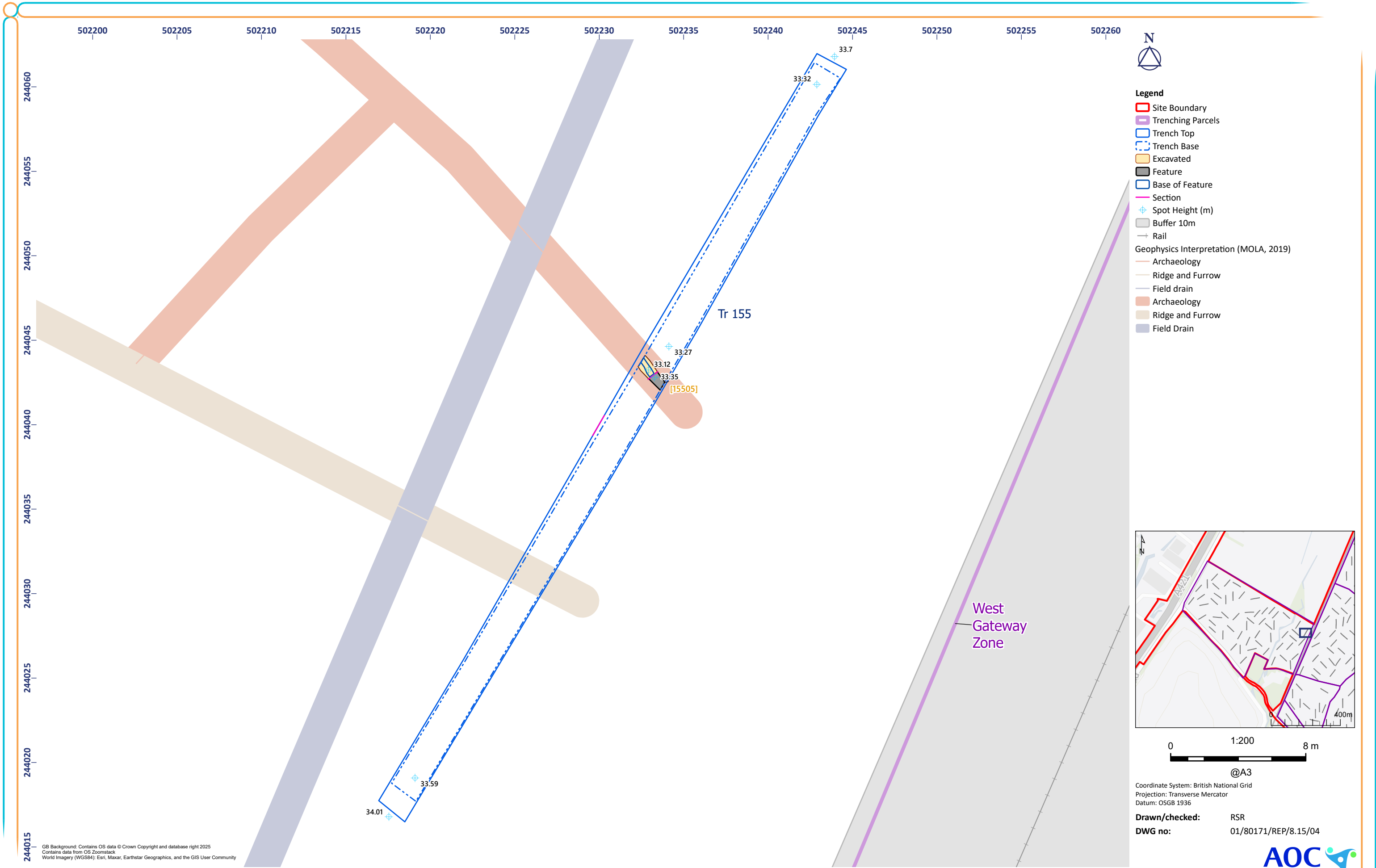


Figure 8-14: West Gateway Zone - Detail of Trenches



Annex 1: Context Inventory

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
100	10000	Light yellow grey clay with h darker patches and blue patches	0	-	-
100	10001	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
100	10002	Mid brown clay	0.26	-	-
101	10100	Mid grey brown clay with patches of blue	0	-	-
101	10101	Mid brown clay	0.25	-	-
102	10200	Mid bluey grey clay patches of yellow	0	-	-
102	10201	Mid yellow brown clay, possible subsoil	0.15	-	-
102	10202	Mid brown clay	0.25	-	-
103	10300	Mid grey brown clay	0	-	-
103	10301	Mid brown clay topsoil	0.3	-	-
104	10401	Mid grey brown clay	0.4	-	-
104	10402	Mid yellow brown clay with occasional blue clay bands	0	-	-
105	10500	Mid yellow grey clay	0	-	-
105	10501	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
106	10601	Mid grey brown clay	0.36	-	-
106	10602	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
107	10701	Mid grey brown clay	0.24	-	-
107	10702	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
107	10703	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a uneven base. Dimensions: 100cm in length; 120cm in width; 28cm in depth.	0.28	1	1.2
107	10704	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid	0.28	1	1.2

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal and one ceramic sherd.			
107	10705	Cut of non-excavated linear feature in TR107.	-	-	-
107	10706	Fill of non-excavated linear feature running NE-SW in TR107.	-	-	-
108	10800	Mid grey clay	0	-	-
108	10801	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
	10802	-	-	-	-
108	10803	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.80cm in width; 0.50cm in depth.	0.5	1.8+	1.8
108	10804	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.5	1.80+	1.8
109	10901	Mid grey brown clay	0.24	-	-
109	10902	Mid yellow brown clay	0.18	-	-
109	10903	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
110	11000	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
110	11002	Mid yellow brown clay	0.18	-	-
110	11003	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
111	11100	Mid grey clay	0	-	-
111	11101	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
113	11300	Mid grey brown clay	0	-	-
113	11301	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-
114	11400	Light blue grey clay	0	-	-
114	11401	Mid orange brown clay	0.25	-	-
114	11402	Mid grey brown topsoil clay	0.3	-	-
115	11500	Light yellow grey clay	0	-	-
115	11501	Mid yellow brown clay	0.12	-	-
115	11502	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
115	11503	Terminus of trackway. Truncated by later field drain. Not excavated.	-	1.2	0.32
115	11504	Dark grey brown clay silt.	-	1.2	0.31
115	11505	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Root affected on West edge. Dimensions:	0.73	>1.80	2.78
115	11506	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.73	>1.80	2.78
116	11600	Light yellow clay with patches of orange gravel	0	-	-
116	11601	Mid yellow brown sandy clay	0.2	-	-
116	11602	Mid grey brown clay	0.25	-	-
116	11603	Cut is linear. Enclosure ditch. Not excavated in this trench. Dimensions: 2m in length; 2m in width; 0cm in depth.	-	2	2
116	11604	Deposit is a very compact clay. Mid yellow-brown in	-	2	2

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		colour. Interface with deposit below is clear.			
117	11701	Mid grey brown clay	0.35	-	-
117	11702	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
118	11800	Light grey chalky clay	0	-	-
118	11801	Mid orange brown clay with manganese	0.3	-	-
118	11802	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-
118	11803	Cut is linear, truncated by a ceramic land drain.	-	>1.80	0.56
118	11804	Mid brown grey clay silt.	-	>1.80	0.56
119	11900	Mid yellow grey clay	0	-	-
119	11901	Mid orange brown clay	0.12	-	-
119	11902	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-
120	12000	Light yellow grey clay	0	-	-
120	12001	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
121	12101	Layer is a compact, mid greenish grey clay, containing occasional sub-angular stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.34	-	-
121	12102	Layer is a firm, light brownish yellow clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.35	-	-
121	12103	Layer is a compact, light brownish yellow clay, containing rare angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
121	12104	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 180cm in length; 72cm in width; 21cm in depth.	0.21	1.8	0.72

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
121	12105	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 6 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.21	-	-
121	12106	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: cm in length; 94cm in width; 31cm in depth.	0.31	-	0.94
121	12107	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 12 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.31	-	0.94
121	12108	Sub circular in plan. Measures 0.81m long x 0.41m wide	0.30	0.81	0.41
121	12109	Mid brown grey clay of moderate compaction. No artefacts.	0.30	-	-
121	12110	Unexcavated. Sub circular shaped pit. Measures 0.64m long by 0.45m wide	-	0.64	0.45
121	12111	Unexcavated. Dark brown grey sandy clay of moderate compaction. No artefacts	-	0.64	0.45
121	12112	Unexcavated. Linear orientated NW - SE. Measures 1.3m wide	-	-	1.3
121	12113	Unexcavated. Moderately compacted mid brownish grey sandy clay. No artefacts.	-	-	1.3
122	12201	Layer is a firm, mid brownish grey clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.18	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
122	12202	Layer is a firm, mid brownish yellow clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.12	-	-
122	12203	Layer is a firm, light brownish yellow clay, containing occasional angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
123	12301	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
123	12302	Mid orange-brown clay	0.05	-	-
123	12303	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
123	12304	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 100cm in length; 1.51cm in width; 40cm in depth.	0.4	1	1.52
123	12305	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.4	1	1.52
124	12401	Layer is a firm, mid brownish grey clay, containing occasional sub-angular stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.44	-	-
124	12402	Layer is a firm, light brownish yellow clay, containing occasional angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
125	12501	Layer is a firm, mid brownish grey clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.22	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
125	12502	Layer is a firm, mid brownish yellow clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.16	-	-
125	12503	Layer is a firm, light brownish yellow clay, containing occasional sub-angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
127	12701	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
127	12702	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
127	12703	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Dimensions: >180cm in length; 176cm in width; 19cm in depth.	0.19	>1.8	1.76
127	12704	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.19	>1.8	1.76
127	12705	Cut of north trackway (not excavated)	-	-	-
127	12706	Full of unexcavated north trackway	-	-	-
128	12800	Light yellow grey clay	0	-	-
128	12801	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-
129	12900	Light yellow orange brown clay	0	-	-
129	12901	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-
130	13000	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
130	13001	Mid yellow orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
130	13002	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
131	13100	Light yellow grey clay and mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
131	13101	Mid orange brown clay	0.12	-	-
131	13102	Mid grey brown	0.3	-	-
132	13200	Brown silty clay	0.3	-	-
132	13201	Yellow brown silty clay	0	-	-
132	13202	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Trackway ditch. Dimensions: 2m in length; 1.1m in width; 0.56m in depth.	0.56	2	1.1
132	13203	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is indistinct. Contains charcoal.	0.56	2	1.1
132	13204	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Trackway gully down middle Dimensions: 2m in length; 0.3m in width; 0.15m in depth.	0.15	2	0.3
132	13205	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.15	2	0.3
132	13206	Cut is linear. Trackway ditch Not excavated. Dimensions: 2m in length; 2m in width.	-	2	2
132	13207	Yellow brown clay with one fragment possible pottery.	-	2	2
133	13301	Layer is a firm, mid brownish grey clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.23	-	-
133	13302	Layer is a firm, mid brownish yellow clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions.	0.15	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Boundary with layer below is clear.			
133	13303	Layer is a firm, light brownish yellow clay, containing occasional angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
134	13401	Layer is a firm, mid brownish grey clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.3	-	-
134	13402	Layer is a firm, mid brownish yellow clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.25	-	-
134	13403	Layer is a compact, light brownish yellow clay, containing occasional angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
135	13501	Mid grey brown clay	0.25	-	-
135	13502	Mid yellow brown clay	0.28	-	-
135	13503	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
136	13601	Mid grey brown clay	0.25	-	-
136	13602	Mid yellow brown clay	0.34	-	-
136	13603	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
137	13701	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
137	13702	Mid yellow brown clay	0.3	-	-
137	13703	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
138	13800	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
138	13801	Mid yellow brown clay	0.14	-	-
138	13802	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
139	13900	Dark grey brown topsoil	0.3	-	-
139	13901	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
139	13902	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. South ditch flanking trackway. Very truncated. Dimensions: 2cm in length; 1.1cm in width; 0.1cm in depth.	0.1	2	1.1
139	13903	Deposit is a very compact clayey clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is indistinct. Contains charcoal.	0.1	2	1.1
139	13904	Putative cut of North trackway ditch. Evident on geophysics but too truncated to investigate in excavation. Slot dug to check presence in trench inconclusive.	0.02	-	-
	13905	Very compact yellow brown clay.	0.02	-	-
140	14000	Light grey clay	0	-	-
140	14001	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-
141	14100	Mid orange clay	0	-	-
141	14101	Mid brown clay	0.27	-	-
141	14102	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
142	14200	Mid orange clay	0	-	-
142	14201	Mid orange yellow brown clay	0.2	-	-
142	14202	Mid brown clay	0.27	-	-
143	14300	Light yellow grey clay	0	-	-
143	14301	Mud brown clay	0.3	-	-
144	14400	Mid orange brown gravelly clay	0	-	-
144	14401	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
144	14402	Mid brown clay	0.25	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
145	14501	Mid grey brown clay	0.22	-	-
145	14502	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
145	14503	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
146	14601	Mid grey brown clay	0.26	-	-
146	14602	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
146	14603	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
147	14700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
147	14701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
147	14702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
148	14801	Layer is a firm, dark brownish grey silt, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.3	-	-
148	14802	Layer is a compact, light brownish yellow clay, containing occasional angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
149	14901	Layer is a friable, dark brownish grey silt, containing rare rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is sharp.	0.19	-	-
149	14902	Layer is a firm, mid brownish yellow clay.	0	-	-
149	14903	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Continuation of trackway. Heavily truncated. Dimensions: >180cm in	0.28	>1.8	2.21

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		length; 220cm in width; 28cm in depth.			
149	14904	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is abrupt.	0.28	>1.8	2.21
149	14905	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 101cm in length; 76cm in width; 25cm in depth.	0.25	1.01	0.76
149	14906	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey silt containing rare rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.25	1.01	0.76
149	14907	Cut is linear, probably part of the trackway. Not excavated. Truncated by land drain.	-	>1.80	0.98
149	14908	Deposit is a dark brown grey clay silt.	-	>1.80	0.98
150	15001	Layer is a compact, mid greyish brown silt, containing rare sub-angular stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.42	-	-
150	15002	Layer is a compact, mid yellowish brown clay, containing rare sub-angular stone inclusions.	0	-	-
150	15003	Cut is sub-circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 44cm in length; 41cm in width; 18cm in depth.	0.18	0.44	0.41

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
150	15004	Deposit is a very compact clayey silt. Mid grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.18	0.44	0.41
150	15005	Cut is sub-circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 90cm in length; 101cm in width; 15cm in depth	0.15	0.9	1.01
150	15006	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare angular stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.15	0.9	1.01
151	15100	Mixed orange brown gravelly clay	0	-	-
151	15101	Mid orange grey brown clay	0.23	-	-
151	15102	Mix brown clay	0.19	-	-
152	15200	Light grey and orange clay	0	-	-
152	15201	Mid grey brown clay	0.25	-	-
153	15300	Orange gravelly clay	0	-	-
153	15301	Dark orange brown clay	0.1	-	-
153	15302	Mid orange brown clay	0.25	-	-
153	15303	Mid brown clay	0.3	-	-
153	15304	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Disturbed on the West edge by a land drain. Possible trackway with another similar sized ditch to the West. Dimensions: >180cm in length; 179cm in width; 60cm in depth.	0.6	>1.8	1.79
153	15305	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear.	0.34	>1.8	0.91

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Interface with deposit above is clear.			
153	15306	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear.	0.43	>1.8	1.19
153	15307	Layer is an indurated, mid pinkish pink clay.	0.6	-	-
153	15308	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. South ditch flanking trackway. Dimensions: 2m in length; 2.2m in width; 1.2m in depth.	1.2	2	2.2
153	15309	Deposit is a moderately compact gravelly clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.98	2	2.1
154	15401	Mid grey brown clay	0.26	-	-
154	15402	Mid orange brown clay	0.12	-	-
154	15403	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
154	15404	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 25cm in length; 25cm in width; 13cm in depth.	0.13	0.25	0.25
154	15405	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.13	0.25	0.25
155	15501	Mid grey brown clay	0.26	-	-
155	15502	Mid yellow brown clay	0.17	-	-
155	15503	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
155	15504	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-green in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.21	-	0.6
155	15505	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: cm in length; 60cm in width; 21cm in depth.	0.21	-	0.6
156	15600	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.2	-	-
156	15601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
156	15602	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0	-	-
156	15603	Linear cut of ditch, not excavated. Continuation in trench 158, 159 160, 164 and 169. Only half in trench. Orientated northeast to southwest.	-	1+	0.3+
156	15604	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1+	0.3+
157	15700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.1	-	-
157	15701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
157	15702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
157	15702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.22	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
158	15800	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
158	15801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
158	15802	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3.05m in width; 0.55m in depth. Orientated northwest to southeast. Continuation in trench 156, 159, 160, 164 and 169.	0.55	1.8+	3.05
158	15803	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contained some cbm fragments.	0.55	1.8+	3.05
159	15900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay, contained occasional stones. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
159	15901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
159	15902	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
159	15903	Cut is linear in plan. Not excavated. Dimensions: 2m wide. Orientated northeast to southwest. Continuation in trench 156, 158, 160, 164 and 169.	-	1.8+	2
159	15904	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 20mm across. Mid orange-grey in colour. Contains CBM and fragment of brick.	-	1.8+	2

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
159	15905	Linear cut of enclosure ditch. Not excavated. Dimensions: 0.9m wide. Orientated northwest to southeast.	-	2+	0.9
159	15906	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid orange-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	2+	0.9
160	16000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.1	-	-
160	16001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.26	-	-
160	16002	Linear cut of enclosure ditch. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated. Continuation in trench 156, 158, 159, 164 and 169.	-	2+	1.1
160	16003	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	2+	1.1
161	16100	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
161	16101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
161	16102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.35	-	-
162	16200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
162	16201	Cut is linear in plan with gentle sloping sides and a tapered base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3.68m in width; 0.52m	0.52	1.8+	3.68

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		in depth. Orientated northeast to southwest.			
162	16202	Deposit is a compact silty clay containing organic decayed material. Dark black-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.36	1.8+	3.68
162	16203	Deposit is a loose sandy clay containing abundant rubble/brick inclusions. Mid brown-orange in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear.	0.22	1.8+	1.88
162	16204	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
162	16205	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
162	16206	Cut is oval in plan, orientated north to south, with gradually sloping sides and flat base. Dimensions: 0.42m in length; 0.39m in width ; 0.05m in depth.	0.05	0.42	0.39
162	16207	Deposit is a compact silty clay containing occasional sub-angular stones 20mm across. Dark grey-yellow in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contained two fragments of possible Romano-British pottery.	0.05	0.39	0.42
163	16300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.1	-	-
163	16301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
164	16400	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
164	16401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
164	16402	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1m in width; 0.3m in depth. Orientated northeast to southwest. Continuation in trench 156, 158, 159, 160 and 169.	0.3	1.8+	1
164	16403	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.3	1.8+	1
165	16500	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
165	16501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
165	16502	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
166	16601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	23	-	-
166	16602	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
166	16603	Deposit is a very compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 20mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal,	0.08	3.5	1.8+

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		ceramic sherds. Animal bone present. Field drain runs ne/sw through middle of deposit			
166	16604	Cut is linear with gently sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.62m in width; 0.22m in depth.	0.22	1.8+	0.62
166	16605	Deposit is very compact silty clay containing rare sub-angular stone 20mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contained charcoal, bone and pottery.	0.22	1.8+	0.62
166	16606	Cut is oval in plan orientated north to south not fully exposed. Not excavated. Dimensions: 0.2+m in length; 0.7m in width.	-	0.2+	0.7
166	16607	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	-	0.2+	0.7
166	16608	Cut is circular in plan not fully exposed. Not excavated. Dimensions: 0.7+m in length; 1m in width.	-	0.7+	1
166	16609	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	-	0.7+	1
166	16610	Cut is linear in shape with a rounded terminal, not fully exposed. Not excavated. Orientated northeast to southwest. Dimensions: 0.8+ in length; 0.3m in width.	-	0.8+	0.3
166	16611	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Contains charcoal and pottery likely Romano-British.	-	0.8+	0.3

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
166	16612	Cut is linear in shape with rounded terminal not fully exposed. Not excavated. Orientated east to west. Dimensions: 0.75m+ in length; 0.25m in width.	-	0.75+	0.25
166	16613	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains charcoal.	-	0.75+	0.25
167	16700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
167	16701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
167	16702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.12	-	-
168	16800	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
168	16801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
169	16900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
169	16901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
169	16902	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.24	-	-
169	16903	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.24	-	-
169	16904	Linear cut of ditch, orientated NE to SW not excavated.	-	1.8+	1.45

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Dimensions; 1.8m+ in length; 1.45m wide. Continuation in trench 156, 158, 159, 160 and 164.			
169	16905	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	1.45
170	17000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
170	17001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
170	17002	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
171	17100	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
171	17101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.24	-	-
171	17102	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
172	17200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
172	17201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
172	17202	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.14	-	-
172	17203	Cut is circular in plan with step sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.33m in length; 0.29m in width; 0.21m in depth.	0.21	0.33	0.29

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
172	17204	Deposit is a compact silty clay with contained occasional sub-angular stones. Dark yellowish grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.21	0.33	0.29
173	17300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
173	17301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
173	17302	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.23	-	-
174	17400	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
174	17401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
174	17402	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
174	17403	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.15	-	-
174	17404	Cut is linear in plan with V shaped profile. Ditch becomes more shallow on the West side of the of ditch. Orientated northwest to southeast. Dimensions: 1m in length; 0.55m in width; 0.26m in depth.	0.26	1	0.55
174	17405	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour with mottling of orange throughout. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.26	1	0.55

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
175	17500	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.14	-	-
175	17501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.32	-	-
177	17700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
177	17701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
177	17702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
178	17800	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.2	-	-
178	17801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
178	17802	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.15	-	-
179	17900	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
179	17901	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
179	17902	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Not excavated.	-	0.75	0.4+
179	17903	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Continues south into baulk. Dimensions: 0.75m in length; 0.4m+ in width.	-	0.75	0.4+
179	17904	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping side and flat	0.5	1+	1.6

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		base. It is not fully exposed. Dimensions: 1m+ in length; 1.6m wide; 0.5m in depth.			
179	17905	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-blue in colour. Contains charcoal.	0.23	1+	1.6
179	17906	Mid yellow grey silty clay with rare stone and rare charcoal including black fine pottery possibly roman, some cbm and animal bone.	0.27	1+	1.6
179	17907	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated northeast to southwest. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2m in width. Not excavated	-	1.8+	2
179	17908	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Dark black-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	2
180	18000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
180	18001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
180	18002	Cut is circular in plan with gradually sloping sides and a irregular but somewhat concave base. Dimensions: 0.88m in length; 0.3m in width; 0.14m in depth.	0.14	0.88	0.3
180	18003	Deposit is a moderately compacted silty clay. Dark grey-black in colour. Contains charcoal.	0.14	0.88	0.3
180	18004	Cut is linear, orientated northwest to southeast. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m in length; 1m in width.	-	1.8+	1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
180	18005	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Dark black-grey in colour. Feature not excavated, recorded insitu.	-	1.8+	1
181	18100	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
181	18101	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
182	18200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
182	18201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
183	18300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
183	18301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
183	18302	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	1+
183	18303	Cut is linear oriented NE-SW. Feature not fully in trench. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1m+ in width.	-	1.8+	1+
183	18304	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	1
183	18305	Cut is linear in plan. Oriented WNW-ESE. Dimensions:	-	1.8+	1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		1.8m+ in length; 1m in width. Not excavated.			
183	18306	Cut is linear in plan with gradually sloping side and flat base. Ditch [18308] runs parallel alongside. Orientated WNW-ESE. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.55m in width; 0.12m in depth.	0.12	1.8+	0.55
183	18307	Deposit is a moderately compacted silty clay contained rare rounded stones 20mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contained ceramic sherds.	0.12	1.8+	0.55
183	18308	Cut is linear in plan with gradually sloping sides and a flat base. Orientated WNW-ESE. Running parallel to cut [18306]. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.62m in width; 0.09m in depth.	0.09	1.8+	0.62
183	18309	Deposit is a moderately compacted silty clay contained rare rounded stones 20mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contained ceramic sherds, animal bone, ceramic tile and metal piece, possible nail identified.	0.09	1.8+	0.62
183	18310	Cut is linear in plan with gradually sloping sides and concave base. It is orientated northwest to southeast. Dimensions; 1.8m+ in length; 0.86m in width; 0.22m in depth.	0.22	1.8+	0.86
183	18311	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid blue-grey in colour.	0.22	1.8+	0.86
183	18312	Cut is linear in plan with north side steeply sloping and south side gradually sloping with a	0.2	1.8+	1.21

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		flat base. It was orientated NW-SE. Dimensions; 1.8m+ in length; 1.21m in width; 0.22m in depth.			
183	18313	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Light grey-brown in colour. Contains some CBM.	0.2	1.8+	1.21
183	18314	Cut is linear in plan with shallow sloping side and a flat base. It was Orientated NW-SE. Dimensions; 1.8m+ in length; 1.23m in width; 0.17m in depth.	0.17	1.8+	1.23
183	18315	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contains some CBM and manganese inclusions.	0.17	1.8+	1.23
184	18400	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.4	-	-
184	18401	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
184	18402	Void	-	-	-
184	18403	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 20mm across. Light grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contains ceramic sherds. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.3m in width; and 0.08m in depth.	0.08	1.8+	2.3
184	18404	Cut is linear in shape. Orientated northwest to southeast. Not excavated. Dimensions; 1.8m+ in length; 0.5m in width.	-	1.8+	0.5

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
184	18405	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid green-brown in colour.	-	1.8+	0.5
185	18500	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
185	18501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
185	18502	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
185	18503	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.86m in width; 0.32m in depth. Continues in 197 and 208.	0.32	1.8+	0.86
185	18504	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Light grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.32	1.8+	0.86
185	18505	Cut is linear. Orientated NW to SE. Feature not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m in length; 2.15m in width. Continues in 180.	-	1.8+	2.15
185	18506	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Contains charcoal.	-	1.8+	2.15
185	18507	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated northwest to southeast. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.5m in width.	-	1.8+	0.5
185	18508	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	-	1.8+	0.5

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
186	18601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.37	-	-
186	18602	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
187	18700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
187	18701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
187	18702	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.93m in length; 0.88m in width; 0.24m in depth.	0.28	0.93	0.88
187	18703	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.28	0.93	0.88
187	18704	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.86m in length; 0.84m in width; 0.22m in depth.	0.22	0.88	0.84
187	18705	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 20mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.22	0.88	0.84
187	18706	Cut if circular in shape with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Continues outwith trench. Dimensions: 0.43m+ in length; 0.56m in width; 0.15m in depth.	0.15	0.43+	0.56

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
187	18707	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Dark grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.15	0.43+	0.56
187	18708	Deposit is a very compact silty gravel containing rare rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Dark grey-black in colour.	-	1.8+	0.75
187	18709	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated WNW-ESE. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.75m in width.	-	1.8+	0.75
187	18710	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	0.75
187	18711	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Feature not excavated. Dimensions: 0.35m+ in length; 1m in width. Not excavated	-	0.35+	1
187	18712	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	-	0.35+	1
187	18713	Cut is semi circular in plan. Not fully exposed. Not excavated.	-	0.5+	1
187	18714	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	-	0.5+	1
187	18715	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated northwest to southeast. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2m in width.	-	1.8+	2
187	18716	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-	-	1.8+	2

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.			
188	18800	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
188	18801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
188	18802	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 15 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains charcoal, small amounts of shell (snail), and some fragments of probable CBM.	0.5	1.8+	0.5
188	18803	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Oriented NW-SE. Truncated by field drain beyond excavated slot. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.5m in width; 0.5m in depth.	0.5	1.8+	0.5
188	18804	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Not excavated.	-	0.2+	0.3
188	18805	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Not fully exposed. Dimensions: 0.2m+ in length; 0.3m in width. Not excavated.	-	0.2+	0.3
188	18806	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Contains charcoal. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	8+
188	18807	Cut is linear in plan. Oriented NW-SE. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 8m+ in width. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	8+

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
188	18808	Void	-	-	-
188	18809	Void	-	-	-
188	18810	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Not excavated.	-	0.3	0.2
188	18811	Cut is oval in plan. Dimensions: 0.3m in length; 0.2m in width. Not excavated.	-	0.3	0.2
189	18900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
189	18901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.46	-	-
189	18903	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.2	1.56	1+
189	18904	Cut is sub over in shape with gradual sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated northeast to southwest. Continues outwith the trench at the southwest. Dimensions: 1.56m in length, 1m in width, 0.2m in depth.	0.2	1.56	1+
189	18905	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	-	1.8+	0.7
189	18906	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated northeast to southwest. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	0.7
189	18907	Void	-	-	-
190	19000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
190	19001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
190	19002	Cut is linear in plan. Feature not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1m in width.	-	1.8+	1
190	19003	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	-	1.8+	1
190	19004	Cut is linear in plan with rounded terminal. Orientated N to S. Feature not excavated. Dimensions: 1.5m+ in length; 0.75m in width.	-	1.5+	0.75
190	19005	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	1.5+	0.75
191	19101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
191	19102	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.18	-	-
191	19103	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
191	19104	Cut is circular in plan with vertical sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.15m in length; 0.15m in width; 0.1m in depth.	0.1	0.15	0.15
191	19105	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt. Dark black-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains charcoal.	0.1	0.15	0.15
192	19200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
192	19201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.43	-	-
193	19300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
193	19301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
193	19302	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
194	19401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
194	19402	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
194	19403	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
194	19404	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimentions: 0.67m in leght; 0.65m in widtdh; 0.4m in depth.	0.43	0.67	0.65
194	19405	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing rare angular stones, averaging 05 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contains charcoal.	0.28	0.67	0.65
194	19406	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Light yellow-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Interface with deposit above is gradual. Contains charcoal.	0.15	0.67	0.65

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
195	19501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
195	19502	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
195	19503	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.12	-	-
195	19504	Dark blue grey sandy clay buried deposit, possible buried topsoil	0.2	-	-
195	19505	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated northeast to southwest. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.02m in width; 0.33m in depth.	0.33	1.8+	1.02
195	19506	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-orange in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Primary fill. Possible wash in formation process. Occasional iron pan inclusion and manganese.	0.1	1.8+	1.02
195	19507	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Topmost fill of gully [19505]. Possible silting up formation process with gully left open.	0.23	1.8+	1.02
195	19508	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated NE to SW. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.72m in width; 0.28m in depth.	0.28	1.8+	0.75
195	19509	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid orange-brown in colour.	0.11	1.8+	0.75

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Interface with natural is abrupt. Primary fill of gully [19508]. Likely formed through washing in processes.			
195	19510	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Topmost fill of gully [19508]. Likely formed through silting up.	0.18	1.8+	0.75
195	19511	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated NE to SW. Feature not excavated, left in situ Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1m in width.	-	1.8	1
195	19512	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1.8	1
196	19600	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
196	19601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.37	-	-
197	19701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.29	-	-
197	19702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
197	19703	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
197	19704	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Continuation in 185 and 208. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1m in width; 0.35m in depth.	0.35	1.8	1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
197	19705	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing occasional angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	0.35	1.8	1
197	19706	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Exact width assumed; not visible in plan due to relationship with adjacent ditch [19704]. Cuts [19705]. Dimensions: 0.67m in length; 0.67m in width; 0.21m in depth.	0.21	0.67	0.67
197	19707	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing occasional angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	0.21	0.67	0.67
197	19708	Linear cut of ditch, not excavated. Continuation in trench 185 and 208. Measured 1.3m wide, full length not known.	-	1.8+	1.3
197	19709	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	1.3
198	19801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.29	-	-
198	19802	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
198	19803	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
199	19900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
199	19901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.5	-	-
199	19902	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated northwest to southeast. Dimensions: 5m in length; 0.67m in width; 0.07m in depth.	0.07	5	0.67
199	19903	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.07	5	0.67
199	19904	Cut is curvilinear in plan with steep sloping sides, rounded concave base. Southern edge truncated by ditch [19906]. Dimensions: 1m+ in length; 0.34m in width; 0.16m in depth.	0.16	1+	0.34
199	19905	Deposit is a loosely compact sandy clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains charcoal. High percentage of charcoal.	0.16	1+	0.61
199	19906	Cut is curvilinear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Curvilinear ditch, cuts gully to the north [19904]. Dimensions: >100cm in length; 82cm in width; 51cm in depth.	0.51	5+	0.82
199	19907	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains ceramic sherds and animal bone. Flint and chalk stones observed rarely throughout fill.	0.36	1+	0.82

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
199	19908	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.16	1+	0.34
199	19909	Cut is curvilinear in plan. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3.76m in width.	-	1.8+	3.76
199	19910	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid black-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	3.76
200	20001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
200	20002	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
201	20100	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
201	20101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.38	-	-
201	20102	Cut is oval in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.93m in length; 0.56m in width; 0.10m in depth.	0.1	0.93	0.56
201	20103	Deposit is a very compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual.	0.1	0.93	0.56
202	20201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
202	20202	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
202	20203	Cut is irregular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Dimensions: 1.13m in length; 0.71m in width; 0.13m in depth.	0.13	1.13	0.71
202	20204	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy silt containing occasional angular stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is abrupt. Contains charcoal.	0.13	1.13	0.71
202	20205	Cut is irregular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Half of feature covered by east trench bulk. Unable to determine length. Dimensions: 0.59m in length; 1.20m in width; 0.18m in depth.	0.18	0.59+	1.2
202	20206	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy silt containing occasional angular stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is abrupt. Flecks of natural iron rich deposits presents.	0.18	0.59+	1.2
202	20207	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.60m in width; 0.23m in depth.	0.23	1.8+	2.6
202	20208	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy silt. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit	0.23	1.8+	2.6

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		above is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds; green glaze, coarse pot, and cbm.			
202	20209	Cut is linear in plan. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2m width.	-	>1.8	2
202	20210	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	-	-
203	20301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
203	20302	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
204	20400	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
204	20402	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.31	-	-
204	20403	Cut is linear in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated northwest to southeast. Continues into 210. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.05m in width; 0.27m in depth.	0.27	1.8+	1.05
204	20404	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 50 mm across. Light brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.27	1.8+	1.05
204	20405	Cut is linear in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 5.5m in width; 0.24m in depth.	0.24	1.8+	5.5

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
204	20406	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 40 mm across. Light brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains ceramic sherds and bone fragments	0.24	1.8+	5.5
204	20407	Void	-	-	-
204	20408	Cut is linear orientated NE to SW. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.56m in width.	-	1.8+	1.56
204	20409	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	-	1.8+	1.56
205	20501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
205	20502	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
206	20601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.32	-	-
206	20602	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.12	-	-
206	20603	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
207	20700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
207	20701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-

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207	20702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.12	-	-
207	20703	Cut is curvilinear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated E-W then turning to the South. Dimensions: 1.54m+ in length; 0.22m in width; 0.26m in depth.	0.26	1.54	0.22
207	20704	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.26	1.54	0.22
207	20705	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.54m in length; 0.52m in width; 0.11m in depth.	0.11	0.54	0.52
207	20706	Deposit is a loosely compact gravelly clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 40 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.11	0.54	0.52
207	20707	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 100cm in length; 143cm in width; 37cm in depth.	0.37	1.8+	1.43
207	20708	Deposit is a moderately compact gravelly clay containing frequent rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Several fragments of Roman	0.37	1.8+	1.43

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		pottery recovered from near the base			
207	20709	Deposit is a loosely compact sandy clay. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual.	0.03	1.8+	0.57
207	20710	Cut is linear. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.03m in width.	-	1.8+	2.03
207	20711	Deposit is a moderately compact gravelly clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-black in colour.	-	1.8+	2.03
208	20801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
208	20802	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
208	20803	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
208	20804	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated northwest to southeast. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3.8m in width.	-	1.8+	3.8
208	20805	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid black-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	3.8
208	20806	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Not fully exposed. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.3m+ in length, 1.74m in width.	-	1.3	1.74

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208	20807	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated.	-	1.3	1.74
208	20808	Cut is linear in shape. Orientated northwest to southeast. Not excavated. Continuation from 197 and 185. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3.98 in width.	-	1.8+	3.98
208	20809	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	-	4.79	0.6
208	20810	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 4.79m in length; 0.60m in width.	-	4.79	0.6
208	20811	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	4.79	0.6
208	20812	Cut is circular in plan. Dimensions: 0.40m in length; 0.45m in width.	0.3	0.4	0.45
208	20813	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-black in colour.	0.3	0.4	0.45
208	20814	Cut is oval in plan with moderately sloping sides and concave base. Dimensions: 1.33m in length; 1.06m in width; 0.15m in depth.	0.15	1.33	1.06
208	20815	Mid brownish grey firm silty clay fill. Frequent sub angular stones (c.0.02m) and occasional sub angular iron rich stone fragments (c.0.02m)	0.15	1.33	1.1
208	20816	Cut is linear with southwestern edge very steeply sloping and northeast steeply sloping and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.8m in length; 0.7m in width; 0.23m in depth. Base undulates in	0.23	1.8	0.7

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		depth slightly across length (c.0.04m)			
208	20817	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 3 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual. Contains charcoal.	0.23	1.8	0.7
209	20901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.32	-	-
209	20902	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
209	20903	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.39m in length; 0.35m in width; 0.19m in depth.	0.19	0.39	0.35
209	20904	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid orange-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains charcoal. Also what looks to be fired clay present.	0.19	0.39	0.35
210	21000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
210	21001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.14	-	-
210	21002	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
210	21003	Cut is linear in plan with a rounded terminal and with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions:	0.3	0.8	2.1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		0.80m in length; 2.10m in width; 0.31m in depth.			
210	21004	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt. Dark black-green in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.3	0.8	2.1
210	21005	Cut is elongated oval in plan with shallow sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 0.66m+ in length; 1m in width; 0.06m in depth.	0.06	1	0.66+
210	21006	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 2 mm across. Light grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains bone.	0.06	1	0.66+
210	21007	Cut is circular in plan. Shallow side on the S side and steeper on the N side. Base slightly concave. Dimensions: 0.75m in length; 0.77m in width; 0.09m depth.	0.09	0.75	0.77+
210	21008	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains burnt bone.	0.09	0.75	0.77+
210	21009	Deposit is a moderately compact clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 2 mm across. Mid grey-grey in colour. Not excavated. Auger depth to 0.89m	0.89	1.8 +	3+
210	21010	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing rare angular stones, averaging 100mm across. Dark grey-black in colour. Not excavated	0.15	1.8+	4

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		found to 0.15m through augering.			
210	21011	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid grey in colour. Not excavated found through augering.	0.45	1.8+	3
210	21012	Cut is linear in shape likely orientated northeast to southwest. Not excavated found 28m to 31m from northwest end of trench 210.	0.45	1.8 +	3
210	21013	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour.	0.15	1.8+	3
210	21014	Cut is linear orientated NE to SW. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 5.5m in width 0.8m deep found through auger ingenuity. Not excavated.	0.8	1.8+	5.5
210	21015	Cut is linear oriented NE to SW. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3m in width; 0.89m in depth.	0.89	1.8 +	3
211	21101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.34	-	-
211	21102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
211	21103	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Orientated NW-SE. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 2.60m in width; 0.27m in depth.	0.27	1.8+	2.6
211	21104	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing rare angular stones, averaging 15 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with	0.27	1.8+	2.6

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		natural is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds.			
212	21200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
212	21201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
212	21202	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
212	21203	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.56m in width.	-	1.8+	0.56
212	21204	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing abundant rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	0.56
212	21205	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.62m in width.	-	1.8+	0.62
212	21206	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	0.62
212	21207	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Truncated by later recut [21209]. Orientated northwest to southeast. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.3m in width; 0.65m in depth.	0.65	1.8+	1.3
212	21208	Deposit is a very compact clay containing rare sub-	0.65	1.8+	1.3

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Dark grey-orange in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is gradual. Contains charcoal. Abundant animal bone present including an articulated cow? leg along se edge and horse mandible.			
212	21209	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Orientated northwest to southeast. Cuts (21208). Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2m in width; 0.28m in depth.	0.28	1.8+	2
212	21210	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 3 mm across. Light brown-yellow in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Interface with deposit above is abrupt. Contains charcoal. Deposit is mottled with grey clay and white chalky substance throughout. One oyster shell collected and trace animal bone.	0.28	1.8+	2
213	21300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
213	21301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.32	-	-
213	21302	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 0.7m in width; 0.33m in depth. Excavated dimensions: 0.75m in length. Orientated NE to SW. Truncated ditch [21303].	0.33	>1.8	0.7

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213	21303	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1m+ in length; 1.81m+ in width; 0.45m in depth. Full width and length not seen as truncated on both edges by ditches [21302] and [21304]. Orientated NW to SE.	0.45	18m	>1.81
213	21304	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.22m in length; 0.83m in width; 0.32m in depth. Truncates ditch [21303]. Orientated NE to SW.	0.32	>1.22	0.83
213	21305	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains ceramic sherds. Colour is more bluey grey but blue not option.	0.16	>1	1.81
213	21306	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.34	>1	1.61
213	21307	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Mid grey-yellow in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Mixed fill, possibly suggestive of water action in formation - wash in etc	0.24	>0.45	0.83
213	21308	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.27	0.67	0.63

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
213	21309	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 40 mm across. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.23	0.75	0.25
213	21310	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-orange in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Mixed. Orange mixed in is similar to natural in trench - possible washed in.	0.09	0.35	0.25
213	21311	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear.	0.15	0.75	0.49
213	21312	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Ditch crosses Tr 213 in a N- S alignment. It is the earliest feature in the relationship slot, and is cut at a later date by ditch [21313]. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 30m+ in width; 28m+ in depth.	0.28	>1	>0.30
213	21313	Cut is curvi- linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. The slope on the North side is irregular in shape. Its cuts fairly steeply before becoming flat and even for around 35cm, before cutting down steeply again before going into the base in an angular manner. Unable to tell width due to recut of pit [21314]. Dimensions: 0.46m in depth.	0.46	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
213	21314	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.80m in length; 0.20m in depth.	0.2	1.8	-
213	21315	Deposit is a very compact slightly sandy silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 3 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains occasional chalk flecks. Clay is malleable in nature.	0.28	>1	-
213	21316	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 2 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is clear. Fill is sticky and squishy. It doesn't roll into a firm ball. Occasional flint present	0.2	>1	-
213	21317	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is clear. Fill is orangey-brown white. It is sticky but malleable. There are chalk inclusions.	0.3	>1	-
213	21318	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 2 mm across. Dark black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal. Fill is friable.	0.2	>1.8	>1.1
213	21319	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length;	-	1.8+	2.1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		2.10m in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.			
213	21320	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-black in colour.	-	1.8+	2.1
213	21321	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.47m in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	0.47
213	21322	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-black in colour.	-	1.8+	0.47
213	21323	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated NE to SW. Dimensions: 0.67m+ in length; 0.34m+ in width. Not excavated.	-	0.67	0.34
213	21324	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-black in colour.	-	0.67	0.34
213	21325	Cut is curvilinear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.4m in width. Not excavated	-	1.8+	0.4
213	21326	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 10mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1.8 +	0.4
214	21401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.37	-	-
214	21402	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

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215	21500	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
215	21501	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
216	21600	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
216	21601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.19	-	-
216	21602	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
216	21603	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.80m in width; 0.46m in depth not fully excavated but augered for depth.	0.45	1.8+	2.7
216	21604	Deposit is a very compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 100 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains ceramic sherds, burnt bone.	0.45	1.8+	2.7
216	21606	Cut is sub-circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.72m in length; 0.50m in width; 0.08m in depth.	0.11	0.75	0.56
216	21607	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.11	0.75	0.56
216	21608	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.63m in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	0.63

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
216	21609	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	0.63
216	21610	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3.00+m in width. Orientated E to W. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	3+
216	21611	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	-	1.8+	3+
216	21612	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.89m in width.	-	1.8+	1.89
216	21613	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	-	1.8+	1.89
216	21614	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.40m in width.	-	1.8+	2.4
216	21615	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour.	-	1.8+	2.4
216	21616	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 2.00m in width; 0.45m in depth.	0.45	1.8+	2

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
216	21617	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds, burnt bone.	0.45	1.8+	2
217	21701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	37	-	-
217	21702	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
217	21703	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.69m in width.	-	1.8+	0.69
217	21704	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-black in colour.	-	1.8+	0.69
217	21705	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Truncates pit [21707] and truncated by furrow [21710]. Orientated NW to SE. Dimensions: 1.80m in length; 1.10m in width; 0.37m in depth.	0.37	>1.8	1.1
217	21706	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.25	1.8+	1.1
217	21707	Cut is sub-circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Truncated by linear [21705] Dimensions:	0.2	0.47	0.62

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		0.47m in length; 0.62m in width; 0.20m in depth.			
217	21708	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 25 mm across. Mid grey-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.2	0.47	0.62
217	21709	Deposit is a very compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 32 mm across. Mid grey-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Colour is mid blue Grey with some orange mottling	0.1	1.8+	0.7
217	21710	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Orientated NW to SE. Truncates linear [21705]. Dimensions: 1.80m in length; 0.35m in width; 0.13m in depth.	0.13	1.8+	0.35+
217	21711	Deposit is a firm silty clay. Mid grey in colour with patches of pale yellow clay.	0.13	1.8+	0.35+
217	21712	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated NW to SE. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 1.15m in width. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	1.15
217	21713	Deposit is a firm silty clay. Mid grey brown in colour.	-	1.8+	1.15
218	21801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.4	-	-
218	21802	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.12	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
218	21803	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
218	21804	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides. Sides steeply sloping on the southern edge, slightly more gradually on the north. Base not reached. Augered for depth. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.5m in width; 0.64m+ in depth.	-	1.8	2.5
218	21805	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Light orange-yellow in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal. Contains manganese.	0.15	1.8	2.5
218	21806	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Mid orange-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal. Contains manganese, deposit is more blue grey than the deposit below. Excavated to within this deposit during evaluation	0.2	1.8	1.1
218	21807	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Mid grey-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Less minerals present in this upper fill.	0.27	1.8	2.5
218	21808	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. In relationship slot. Dimensions: 1.0m in length; 0.4m in width; 0.1m in depth.	0.1	1	0.4
218	21809	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Light grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual.	0.1	1	0.4

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Contained patches of purple burned material.			
219	21900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
219	21901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.17	-	-
219	21902	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.33	-	-
220	22000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
220	22001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.21	-	-
220	22002	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.24	-	-
220	22003	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.60m in length; 0.55m in width; 0.14m in depth.	0.14	0.6	0.55
220	22004	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Interface with deposit above is gradual.	0.14	0.6	0.55
221	22101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.38	-	-
221	22102	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
221	22103	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
222	22200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
222	22201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.38	-	-
222	22202	Cut is sub-circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Disturbed by rooting Dimensions: 0.68m in length; 0.79m in width; 0.12m in depth.	0.12	0.68	0.79
222	22203	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey sand containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	0.12	0.68	0.79
223	22301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	38	-	-
223	22302	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
223	22303	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.78cm in width. Orientated NW to SE.	-	1.8+	0.78
223	22304	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	-	1.8+	0.78
224	22400		0	-	-
224	22401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.32	-	-
224	22402	Cut is linear with fairly steep sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated Ne to SW. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length;	0.48	1.8+	1.5

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		1.50m in width; 0.48m in depth.			
224	22403	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.48	1.8+	1.5
225	22501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
225	22502	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
225	22503	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
226	22600	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
226	22601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.26	-	-
227	22700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
227	22701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.32	-	-
227	22702	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. E side is less steep than the W side of the pit. Dimensions: 0.72m in length; 0.55m+ in width as it goes into trench edge; 0.12m in depth.	0.12	0.72	0.55
227	22703	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 2 mm	0.12	0.72	0.55

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		across. Mid orange/grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains charcoal.			
228	22801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	30	-	-
228	22802	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
228	22803	Cut is linear with rounded terminal and steeply sloping sides and a v shaped base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.97m in width; 0.56m in depth. Orientated NW to SE.	0.56	1.1	0.97
228	22804	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual.	0.52	1.1	0.97
228	22805	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid blueish-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual.	0.06	1.1	0.55
229	22900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
229	22901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.24	-	-
230	23001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	25	-	-
230	23002	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
230	23003	Cut is linear in plan with gradually sloping side and	0.2	0.8	0.75

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.75m in width; 0.2m in depth. Orientated NW to SE.			
230	23004	Deposit is a friable silty clay containing occasional sub-angular stones, averaging 20mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.2	0.8	0.75
230	23005	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.86m in width. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	0.86
230	23006	Deposit is a loose silty clay. Mid brown-orange in colour.	-	1.8+	0.86
231	23100	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
231	23101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
232	23200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
232	23201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
233	23300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
233	23301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
233	23302	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
233	23303	Cut is linear with gently sloping sides and concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in	0.26	1	0.62

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		length; 0.62m in width; 0.26m in depth. Orientated NE to SW.			
233	23304	Deposit is a friable silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 20mm. Light grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.26	1	0.62
233	23305	Cut is circular in plan. Dimensions: 0.48m in diameter. Not excavated.	-	0.48	0.48
233	23306	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-black in colour.	-	0.48	0.48
234	23401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
234	23402	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
235	23501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	58	-	-
235	23502	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
236	23600	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
236	23601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
236	23602	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
237	23700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
237	23701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
238	23800	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
238	23801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
239	23900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
239	23901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
239	23902	Cut is oval in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.58m in length; 0.61m in width; 0.17m in depth.	0.17	0.58	0.61
239	23903	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 12 mm across. Dark yellow-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains charcoal.	0.17	0.58	0.61
239	23904	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.29m in length; 0.25m in width; 0.12m in depth. Truncated by field drain to the west.	0.12	0.29	0.25
239	23905	Deposit is a loosely compact sandy clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains charcoal.	0.12	0.29	0.25

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
239	23906	Cut is oval in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 0.48m in length; 0.52m in width; 0.7m in depth.	0.07	0.58	0.61
239	23907	Deposit is a loosely compact sandy clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contains charcoal.	0.52	0.58	0.61
240	24000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
240	24001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.26	-	-
241	24100	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
241	24101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
241	24102	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
242	24201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
242	24202	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
242	24203	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Sides become shallower as linear reaches terminus towards SW. Dimensions: 2.1m in length; 0.35m in width; 0.25m in depth. Orientated N to S.	0.25	2.1	0.35
242	24204	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones,	0.25	2.1	0.35

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		averaging 40 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.			
242	24205	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 0.50m in length; 0.45m in width; 0.09m in depth. Feature is truncated by trench edge	0.09	0.5	0.45
242	24206	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Interface with deposit above is gradual.	0.09	0.5	0.45
243	24300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
243	24301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
243	24302	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
243	24303	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.60m in width; 0.20m in depth. Orientated NW to SE.	0.2	1.8+	0.6
243	24304	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Dark brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.2	1.8+	0.6
243	24305	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Cut of pit	0.24	1.1+	1.54

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Dimensions: 1.10m in length; 1.54m in width; 0.24m in depth.			
243	24306	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey silt containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Dark grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Deposit contains streaks of light orange-brown sandy silt. Natural consists of sandy angular gravels.	0.24	1.1+	1.54
243	24307	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.51m in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	1.51
243	24308	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-black in colour.	-	1.8+	1.51
244	24401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
244	24402	Light grey brown silty clay, natural	0	-	-
244	24403	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80+m in length; 0.96m in width; 0.47m in depth.	0.47	1.8 +	0.96
244	24404	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Interface with deposit above is gradual.	0.3	1.8 +	0.96
244	24405	Deposit is a very compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Light grey-brown in colour.	0.17	1.8 +	0.95

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Interface with deposit below is gradual. Interface with deposit above is gradual.			
244	24406	Void	-	-	-
244	24407	Void	-	-	-
244	24408	Void	-	-	-
244	24409	Void	-	-	-
244	24410	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.78m in width. Not excavated. Orientated NW to SE.	-	1.8+	0.78
244	24411	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour.	-	1.8+	0.78
245	24501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.4	-	-
245	24502	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
245	24503	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
246	24600	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
246	24601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
246	24602	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Cut of pit Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.1m in width; 0.28m in depth. Oriented NE-SW.	0.28	1.8 +	1.1
246	24603	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing	0.28	1.8 +	1.1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 5 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Disturbed by bioturbation.			
247	24700	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
247	24701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
247	24702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
247	24703	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 2.00m in length; 1.80m+ in width; 0.38m in depth. Truncated by field drain.	0.38	2	1.8+
247	24704	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual.	0.38	2	1.8+
248	24800	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
248	24801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
249	24900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
249	24901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
249	24902	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.26	-	-
250	25001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
250	25002	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
250	25003	Cut is sub-circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 0.80m in width; 0.10m in depth.	0.1	1	0.8
250	25004	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Dark black-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.1	1	0.8
251	25101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.34	-	-
251	25102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
252	25200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
252	25201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
253	25300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0.3	-	-
253	25301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
253	25302	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.12	-	-
254	25400	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
254	25401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
254	25402	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
254	25403	Cut of linear in plan with gently sloping sides and flat base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.71m in width; 0.18m in depth. Orientated NE to SW.	0.18	1.8+	0.71
254	25404	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Light brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Interface with deposit above is abrupt. Associated finds include a large stone overlaying the natural in the middle of the ditch. One further piece of possibly worked stone and one piece of CBM.	0.18	1.8+	0.71
254	25405	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.9 in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.	-	1.8 +	0.9
254	25406	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.	-	1.8 +	0.9
254	25407	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length;	-	1.8 +	0.97

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		0.97m in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.			
254	25408	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	-	1.8 +	0.97
255	25501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.29	-	-
255	25502	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
256	25600	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	-	-	-
256	25601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
256	25602	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
257	25701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
257	25702	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
257	25703	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Partially excavated. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 2.54m+ in width; 0.42m in depth.	0.42+	1.8+	2.54+
257	25704	Deposit is a very compact sandy clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Interface with deposit	0.42+	1.8+	2.54+

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		above is abrupt. Contains modern ceramic sherds.			
258	25800	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
258	25801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
258	25802	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
258	25803	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides. Base not reached, terminated at 1.2m in depth due to flooding. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.54m in width; terminated at 1.20m in depth. Orientated NE to SW.	1.2	1.8+	2.53
258	25804	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent rounded stones, averaging 40 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	1.2	1.8+	2.54
259	25900	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
259	25901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
259	25902	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
259	25903	Cut is curvilinear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated NE-SW and then turning to the North. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length;	0.72	1	1.28

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		1.28m in width; 0.72m in depth.			
259	25904	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.72	1	1.28
259	25905	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.48+m in length; 0.52m in width; 0.27m in depth.	0.27	0.48+	0.52
259	25906	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.27	0.48 +	0.52
259	25907	Cut is linear in plan with gently sloping sides, base not reached. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length, 1.18m+ in width; terminated at 0.2m+, augered to depth of 1m and base not reached. Orientated E to W.	0.2 +	1.8 +	1.18 +
259	25908	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Base of fill not reached. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.2 +	1.8 +	1.18 +
259	25909	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides, base not reached. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 2.10m in width; 0.54m in depth (dug to 38 cm auger used to achieve full depth).	0.38	1.8+	2.1
259	25910	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm	0.54	1.8+	2.1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		across. Mid grey-brown in colour mottled with patches of greyish yellow and reddish brown natural . Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.			
260	26000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
260	26001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
260	26002	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.15	-	-
261	26101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.36	-	-
261	26102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
262	26200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
262	26201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
262	26202	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
263	26300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
263	26301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
263	26302	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
264	26401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
264	26402	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
264	26403	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
265	26501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.38	-	-
265	26502	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
266	26601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.4	-	-
266	26602	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
266	26603	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 0.57m in width; 0.15m in depth. Orientated NW to SE.	0.15	1.8+	0.57
266	26604	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal.	0.15	1.8+	0.57
266	26605	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 40 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds, burnt bone,	0.26	0.5	1.56

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		lithics. Large concentration of pottery and charcoal			
266	26606	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.92m in width; 0.84m in depth.	0.84	1.8+	1.92
266	26607	Deposit is a very compact sandy clay. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is indistinct. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Large quantities of loose pottery sherds recovered throughout fill	0.61	1.8+	1.92
266	26608	Moderately compact dark grey brown clay deposit from Insite shattered pot vessel: SF. 5. Frequent charcoal.	-	-	-
267	26701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.34	-	-
267	26702	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
268	26801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.38	-	-
268	26802	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
269	26901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.31	-	-
269	26902	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
270	27001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
270	27002	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
271	27101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
271	27102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
272	27201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
272	27202	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.4	-	-
272	27203	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
273	27301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	30	-	-
273	27302	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
274	27401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	22	-	-
274	27402	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
274	27403	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
275	27501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	42	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
275	27502	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
275	27503	Cut is pear shaped in plan with narrow point to the SW of feature. Shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.6m in length; 1.4m in width; 0.19m in depth.	0.19	1.6	1.4
275	27504	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.19	1.6	1.4
276	27601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
276	27602	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.13	-	-
276	27603	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
277	27701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0	-	-
277	27702	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
277	27703	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
278	27801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
278	27802	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.33	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
278	27803	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
279	27901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
279	27902	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
279	27903	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
280	28001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.25	-	-
280	28002	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.1	-	-
280	28003	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
281	28100	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
281	28101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
281	28102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
282	28201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
282	28202	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.13	-	-
282	28203	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
282	28204	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Orientated northwest to southeast. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.8m in width; 0.18m in depth.	0.18	1.8+	0.8
282	28205	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Light brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Manganese present at interface with natural. Minimal stone inclusions.	0.18	1.8+	0.8
283	28300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
283	28301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.27	-	-
283	28302	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
284	28400	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
284	28401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
285	28500	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
285	28501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
286	28601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.36	-	-
286	28602	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
287	28701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
287	28702	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
288	28801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.24	-	-
288	28802	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid yellow-brown in colour.	0.22	-	-
288	28803	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
289	28901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	35	-	-
289	28902	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
290	29000	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
290	29001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
291	29101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
291	29102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
292	29200	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
292	29201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.26	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
293	29300	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
293	29301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
294	29400	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
294	29401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
295	29500	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
295	29501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
295	29502	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Orientated E to W. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.80m in width; 0.17m in depth.	0.17	1.8 +	0.8
295	29503	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.17	1.8 +	0.8
295	29504	Cut is linear in plan. Orientated east to west. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.66m in width; 0.3m in depth (found using Auger).	0.3	1.8+	0.66
295	29505	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.3	1.8+	0.66
296	29601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.34	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
296	29602	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
296	29603	Cut is linear in plan with steep sloping sides with uneven base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ length; 0.83m in width; 0.29m in depth. Orientated E-W. Overcut in excavation due to variation in natural. Truncated by likely furrow [29605].	0.29	1.8+	0.83
296	29604	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Light brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.29	1.8+	0.83
296	29605	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2.82m in width; 0.12m in depth.	0.12	1.8+	2.82
296	29606	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.12	1.8+	2.82
296	29607	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 1.35m in width; 0.09m in depth.	0.09	1	1.35
296	29608	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.09	1	1.35

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
297	29701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.4	-	-
297	29702	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
297	29703	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.9m in width; 0.21m in depth. Ditch is running NNE to SSW. Disturbed by narrow field drain.	0.21	1.8+	1.9
297	29704	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is indistinct. Contains ceramic sherds and well preserved animal bone.	0.21	1.8+	1.9
298	29801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.36	-	-
298	29802	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
298	29803	Deposit is a very compact silty clay containing rare angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.17	0.73	0.95
298	29804	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Light grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains burnt bone and charcoal.	0.13	0.73	0.95

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
298	29805	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a uneven base. Dimensions: 0.73m in length; 0.95m in width; 0.30m in depth.	0.3	0.73	0.95
298	29806	Deposit is a very compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds, burnt bone.	0.11	0.7	1.6
298	29807	Cut is sub-circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Disturbed by ploughing. Dimensions: 0.70m in length; 1.60m in width; 0.11m in depth.	0.11	0.7	1.6
298	29808	Cut is linear in plan. Oriented NE to SW. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 3.47m in width; 0.55m in depth (Found through Augering). Not excavated.	0.55	1.8+	3.47
298	29809	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.55	1.8+	3.47
299	29901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.2	-	-
299	29902	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
300	30001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.41	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
300	30002	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
301	30101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.36	-	-
301	30102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
301	30103	Cut is sub-circular in plan with a v shaped profile. Dimensions: 0.4m in length; 0.4m in width; 0.14m in depth.	0.14	0.4 +	0.4
301	30104	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 100 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal.	0.14	0.4+	0.4
301	30105	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base, orientated SW to NE. Dimensions: 0.70m in length; 0.64m in width; 0.18m in depth. Truncated deposit 30109.	0.18	0.7	0.64
301	30106	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 100 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal and one small fragment of possible roman pottery.	0.18	0.7	0.64
301	30107	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Truncated deposited (30109). Dimensions: 0.28m in length;	0.12	0.28	0.26

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		0.26m in width; 0.12m in depth.			
301	30108	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 100 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.12	0.28	0.26
301	30109	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 100 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.7	0.4	0.35
301	30110	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.4m+ in length; 0.82m in width; 0.2m in depth.	0.2	0.4+	0.82
301	30111	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Rare charcoal inclusions.	0.2	0.4+	0.82
302	30201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.38	-	-
302	30202	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
302	30203	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 0.77m in width; 0.19m in depth. Orientated SW-NE.	0.19	1.8+	0.77
302	30204	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid yellow-grey in colour. Interface	0.19	1.8+	0.77

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is indistinct. Contains ceramic sherds.			
302	30205	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.49m in width. Orientated NE to SW.	-	1.8+	0.49
302	30206	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	0.49
303	30301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.38	-	-
303	30302	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
303	30303	Cut is curvilinear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.43m in width; 0.09m in depth.	0.09	1.8+	0.43
303	30304	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey silt containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.09	1.8+	0.43
303	30305	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Heavily truncated. NE to SW orientated. With rounded terminal. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.27m in width; 0.07m in depth.	0.07	1.8+	0.27
303	30306	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey silt containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in	0.07	1.8+	0.27

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		colour. Interface with natural is indistinct. Heavily truncated.			
303	30307	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.75m in width. Orientated NW to SW. Not excavated.	-	1.8+	1.75
303	30308	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey silt containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour.	-	1.8+	1.75
303	30309	Cut is oval in plan. Dimensions: 1.35m+ in length; 0.87m in width. Not excavated.	-	1.35+	0.87
303	30310	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey silt containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour.	-	1.35+	0.87
303	30311	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.68m in width. Orientated NE to SW.	-	1.8+	1.68
303	30312	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.	-	1.8+	1.68
303	30313	Cut is sub-oval in plan. Dimensions: 2.56m in length; 0.43m in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.	-	2.56	0.43
303	30314	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	2.56	0.43
303	30315	Cut is circular in plan. Dimensions: 0.48m+ in length; 0.46m in width.	-	0.48+	0.46
303	30316	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing	-	0.48+	0.46

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.			
303	30317	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.54m in width. Orientated NW to SE.	-	1.8+	1.54
303	30318	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	-	1.8+	1.54
303	30319	Cut is irregular in plan. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.17m in width. Orientated NE to SW.	-	1.8+	1.17
303	30320	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour.	-	1.8+	1.17
303	30321	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.92m+ in width; 0.3m in depth.	0.3	1.8 +	0.92 +
303	30322	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.3	1.8 +	0.92 +
303	30323	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.03m in width; 0.27m in depth.	0.27	1.8 +	1.03

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
303	30324	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Light brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.27	1.8 +	1.03
304	30401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.37	-	-
304	30402	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
304	30403	Cut is linear with steeply sloping, regular sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 0.63m in width; 0.32m in depth. Orientated NW to SE.	0.32	1.8 +	0.63
304	30404	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.32	1.8 +	0.63
305	30501	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
305	30502	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
306	30601	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-
306	30602	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
307	30701	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.3	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
307	30702	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
308	30801	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.31	-	-
308	30802	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
309	30901	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.52	-	-
309	30902	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
310	31001	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
310	31002	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
311	31101	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.28	-	-
311	31102	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
312	31201	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
312	31202	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
313	31301	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.35	-	-
313	31302	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
314	31401	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.	0.34	-	-
314	31402	Deposit is a moderately compact clay. Mid yellow-grey in colour.	0	-	-
315	31501	Mid grey brown clay	0.24	-	-
315	31502	Mid orange brown clay	0.24	-	-
315	31503	Mid yellow orange clay with bands of blue clay	0	-	-
316	31600	Mid blue grey clay, lower natural in sondage	0.3	-	-
316	31601	Mid yellow grey clay, natural and trench level	0.2	-	-
316	31602	Mid reddish brown clay, friable	0.23	-	-
316	31603	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
317	31700	Layer is a hard, mid brownish grey clay.	0.39	-	-
317	31701	Layer is a loose, mid brown clay, containing rare sub-rounded stone inclusions.	0.33	-	-
317	31702	Layer is a firm, light yellowish blue clay.	0	-	-
318	31801	Mid grey brown clay	0.32	-	-
318	31802	Mid orange brown clay	0.3	-	-
318	31803	Light orange brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
319	31901	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
319	31902	Mid orange brown clay	0.34	-	-
319	31903	Light orange brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
320	32000	Mid blue grey clay	0	-	-
320	32001	Mid reddish orange clay	0.2	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
320	32002	Mid grey clay	0.27	-	-
321	32101	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
321	32102	Mid orange brown clay	0.14	-	-
321	32103	Mid orange brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
321	32104	Cut is irregular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Pit was initially suspected to be a layer deposit, but shallow sloping towards the wall suggests it's likely a pit that extends past trench. Significant finds recovered: decorated bone pin, decoration pottery sherds, some animal bone, and a broken nearly complete vessel. Dimensions: +1.50cm in length; +3.0cm in width; 0.30cm in depth. SF bone pin #20 SF vessel #21	0.3	0.15	0.3
321	32105	Fill is dark brownish black, with frequent angular flint, pottery, and some charcoal. Sandy clay, firm/friable. Significant finds of pottery, decorated bone pin, some animal bone, and decorated pottery. SF bone pin #20 SF vessel #21	0.3	0.15	0.3
321	32106	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		1.7	1.4
321	32107	Cut is irregular in plan. At north end trench. Not excavated. Dimensions:		1.7	1.4

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		1.40m in length; 1.70m in width.			
321	32108	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Dark grey-black in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Not excavated		0.4	0.4
321	32109	Cut is circular in plan. Not excavated. Dimensions: c 0.40m in length; 0.40m in width.		0.4	0.4
321	32110	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing abundant angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		5+	1.8
321	32111	Cut is linear/broad deposit in middle of trench to the south of [32104]. Not excavated. Orientation SW NE Dimensions: 5m+ in length; 1.80m in width.		5+	1.8
321	32112	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing abundant angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		1.8	1.7
321	32113	Cut is linear forming southern edge enclosure. Not excavated. Orientation NW SE. Dimensions: 1.80m in length; 1.70m in width.		1.8	1.7
322	32201	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
322	32202	Mid orange brown clay	0.28	-	-
322	32203	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
322	32204	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base, located at north end of trench forming western edge of enclosure. Oriented N-S. Not excavated. Depth obtained by augering. Dimensions: 3m+ in length; 2m in width; 0.46m in depth.	0.46	3+	2
322	32205	Deposit is a very compact clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid grey brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.46	3+	2
322	32206	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		1.9	3+
322	32207	Cut is linear, located in middle of trench forming southern edge of enclosure. Not excavated. Orientation SE NW. Dimensions: 1.90m in length; 3m+ in width.		1.9	3+
322	32208	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear.		1.9	1.7
322	32209	Cut is linear, located at south forming edge or continuation of trackway. Not excavated. Orientation NW SE. Dimensions: 1.90cm in length; 1.70m in width.		1.9	-
323	32300	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
323	32301	Mid orange brown clay	0.12	-	-
324	32400	Layer is a hard, mid brownish grey clay.	0.34	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
324	32401	Layer is a loose, mid greyish brown clay, containing rare rounded stone inclusions.	0.31	-	-
324	32402	Layer is a compact, light bluish yellow clay.	0	-	-
325	32501	Topsoil	0.3	-	-
325	32502		0	-	-
325	32503	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides, base not reached. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.8m+ in width; 0.2m+ in depth. Not fully excavated. Augered to 0.58m in depth.	0.58	1.8+	0.8+
325	32504	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds. Not fully excavated depth augered to 0.58m.	0.58	1.8+	0.8+
326	32601	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
326	32602	Mid orange brown clay	0.12	-	-
326	32603	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
326	32604	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.00cm in length; cm in width; cm in depth.	0.5	1	1.05
326	32605	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.5	1	1.05
326	32606	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Oriented NW-SE. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 0.8m in width; 0.25m in depth.	0.25	1.8+	0.8

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326	32607	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.25	1.8+	0.8
326	32608	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a uneven base. Not fully excavated full profile not seen. Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 3.00m in width; 0.79m in depth. Depth determined by augering.	0.79	1	3
326	32609	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 50-100 mm across. Mid brown-green in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.31+	1	2.9
326	32610	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a uneven base. Not fully excavated full profile not seen. Dimensions: cm in length; cm in width; cm in depth.	0.16+	1	0.90+
326	32611	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Light yellow-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual. Not fully excavated	0.15+	1.09	0.77
326	32612	Deposit is a loosely compact clay. Light brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear.		1.9	0.8
326	32613	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Not excavated. Orientation NW SE.		1.9	0.8

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Dimensions: 1.90m in length; 0.80m in width.			
327	32701	Mid grey brown clay	0.33	-	-
327	32702	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
327	32703	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
327	32704	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		1.3	0.3
327	32705	Cut is linear. Located at north of trench forming continuation of trackway ditch. Not excavated. Orientation W-E. Dimensions: 1.30m in length; 0.30m in width.		1.3	0.3
327	32706	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		1.9	3
327	32707	Cut is linear. Located in middle of trench, forming northern edge of large rectilinear enclosure. Not excavated. Orientation W-E. Dimensions: 1.90m in length; 3.00m in width.		1.9	3
327	32708	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		1.9	1
327	32709	Cut is linear. Located at south of trench. Not excavated. Orientation NW SE. Dimensions: 1.90m in length; 1.00m in width.		1.9	1
328	32801	Mid grey brown clay	0.29	-	-
328	32802	Mid orange brown clay	0.43	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
328	32803	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
329	32900	Light grey brown clay	0	-	-
329	32901	Mid orange grey clay	0.16	-	-
329	32902	Mid grey brown clay	0.27	-	-
330	33001	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
330	33002	Mid yellow brown clay	0.39	-	-
330	33003	Light yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
331	33101	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
331	33102	Mid orange brown clay	0.3	-	-
331	33103	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
332	33200	Layer is a compact, mid brownish grey clay.	0.3	-	-
332	33201	Layer is a firm, mid greyish brown clay, containing rare rounded stone inclusions.	0.06	-	-
332	33202	Layer is a compact, light bluish yellow clay.	0	-	-
333	33300	Mid orange brown with occasional manganese, silty clay, firm	0	-	-
333	33301	Dark grayish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
333	33302	Mid grey ish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
334	33401	Mid grey brown clay	0.24	-	-
334	33402	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
334	33403	Solid Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
335	33500	Mid orange brown clayey sand	0	-	-
335	33501	Mid yellow grey brown sandy clay	0.2	-	-
335	33502	Mid grey brown silty clay	0.3	-	-

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335	33503	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Located at north of trench, Dimensions: 1.8+m in length; 2+m.		0.18	0.02
335	33504	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		0.18	0.02
336	33601	Soft mid brown grey silty clay	0.25	-	-
336	33602	Soft waterlogged mid grey brown silty clay	0.2	-	-
336	33603	Soft waterlogged mid yellow brown sandy silty clay, with patches of small sub-rounded/rounded gravel.	0.05	-	-
337	33701	Soft mid brown grey clay	0.25	-	-
337	33702	Soft mid grey brown silty clay	0.3	-	-
337	33703	Soft friable mid yellow brown silty sand, w/ frequent patches of small rounded/sub rounded stone gravel	0.2	-	-
338	33800	Mid orange brown sandy clay	0	-	-
338	33801	Mid yellow brown sandy clay	0.3	-	-
338	33802	Dark brown loose topsoil	0.3	-	-
339	33901	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
339	33902	Mid yellow brown clay	0.22	-	-
339	33903	Mid blueish yellow brown clay	0	-	-
340	34000	Light yellow brown clayey sand with gravel patches	0	-	-
340	34001	Mid grey brown clay	0.27	-	-
340	34002	Mid yellow brown silty clay	0.2	-	-

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340	34003	Linear Ditch. Orientated NE-SW. Concave, moderate sloping sides.	0.52	1.8	1.5
340	34004	Linear Ditch. Mid greyish brown, sandy clay, soft-firm compaction.	0.52	1.8	1.5
341	34100	Mid yellow brown clay with blueish brown clay patches	0	-	-
341	34101	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
341	34102	Mid yellow brown clay	0.28	-	-
342	34201	Soft dark grey brown clay	0.25	-	-
342	34202	Soft waterlogged mid grey brown silty clay	0.25	-	-
342	34203	Firm waterlogged mottled brown and blue grey clay.	0.5	-	-
343	34300	Mid blue grey clay, friable	0	-	-
343	34301	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
343	34302	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
344	34401	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
344	34402	Mid yellow brown clay	0.28	-	-
344	34403	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
345	34501	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
345	34502	Mid orange brown clay	0	-	-
345	34503	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 3.16m in length; 1.8m in width; excavated to 0.42m in depth, stopped due to water table augered an additional 0.07m. Total depth 0.49m.	0.49	3.16	1.8
345	34504	Light brownish grey moderately compact sandy clay. Frequent chalk inclusions	0.42	3.16	1.8

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		throughout (c.0.01m) as well as frequent bone and pottery.			
345	34505	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains ceramic sherds, animal bone, and CBM material.	0.22	1.9	1.8
345	34506	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent sub-rounded chalk inclusions, averaging 20 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. 0.09m excavated in depth, 0.07m additional in Auger.	0.09	0.52	1.8
345	34507	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 1.80+mcm in length; 1.10mcm in width; cm in depth. Orientated NE to SW. not excavated		1.80+	1.1
345	34508	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 25 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Not excavated		1.80+	1.1
345	34512	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains ceramic sherds. Not excavated.		1.3	0.9
345	34513	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.30m in length; 0.90m in width.		1.3	0.9
346	34601	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
346	34602	Mid greyish yellow clay	0	-	-

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347	34700	Dark greyish brown	0	-	-
347	34701	Light grey brown	0.25	-	-
347	34702	Mid brown clay topsoil	0.3	-	-
347	34703	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Not excavated.		1.9	0.38
347	34704	Cut of linear, oriented NW SE. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.90m in length; 0.38m in width.		1.9	0.38
348	34801	Mid grey brown clay	0.38	-	-
348	34802	Mid blueish yellow clay	0	-	-
349	34900		0.28	-	-
349	34901	Layer is a firm, mid greyish brown clay, containing rare rounded stone inclusions.	0.1	-	-
349	34902	Layer is a compact, light brownish yellow clay.	0	-	-
349	34903	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Lots of bioturbation. Dimensions: 0.56cm in length; 0.70cm in width; 0.26cm in depth.	0.26	0.56	0.7
349	34904	Deposit is a very compact clayey sand containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Lots of bioturbation.	0.26	0.56	0.7
349	34905	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Interface with subsoil above is clear.	0.23	1	1.32

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		Contains ceramic sherds, burnt bone.			
349	34906	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 1.32m in width; 0.23m in depth.	0.23	1	1.32
349	34907	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80+m in length; 0.76m in width. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated.		1.80+	0.76
349	34908	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 25 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Not excavated.		1.80+	0.76
349	34909	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 1.80+m in length; 0.46m in width. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated		1.80+	0.46
349	34910	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 25 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated		1.80+	0.46
349	34911	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base. Located at south of trench. Oriented E-W. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+cm in length; 0.5m+cm in width; unknown in depth.		1.8+	0.5+
349	34912	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated.		1.8+	0.5+
350	35000	Mid brown grey, silty clay, compact	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
350	35001	Dark brownish grey, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
351	35100	Dark blue grey clay	0	-	-
351	35101	Dark grey brown	0.32	-	-
351	35102	Possible subsoil in places , mid reddish brown	0.15	-	-
351	35103	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.40m in length; 0.39m in width; 0.07m in depth.	0.07	0.4	0.39
351	35104	Deposit is a soft silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural below is clear. Contains cremated bone at most 15% with fragment mostly 25mm in size with only 2 fragments 40mm as well as charcoal, small metal ball SF10. Dug in three spots see cremation recording sheet.	0.07	0.4	0.39
351	35105	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Eastern edge of small enclosure. Dimensions: 1.8m+in length; 0.79m in width; 0.22m in depth.	0.22	1.8+	0.79
351	35106	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.1	1.8+	0.5
351	35107	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contained ceramic and charcoal.	0.12	1.8+	0.73

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
351	35108	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.36m in length; 0.58m in width; cm in depth.		0.36	0.58
351	35109	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Dark grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		0.36	0.58
351	35110	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.81+cm in length; 0.87cm in width; cm in depth.		1.81	0.87
351	35111	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Light grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.81	0.87
351	35112	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.38m in length; 0.54m in width; cm in depth.		0.38	0.54
351	35113	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Dark grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		0.38	0.54
351	35114	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.92cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	1.92
351	35115	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid		1.8	1.92

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.			
351	35116	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 2.32cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	2.32
351	35117	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.8	2.32
352	35200	Light yellow brown clay	0	-	-
352	35201	Mid orange brown clay	0.2	-	-
352	35202	Mid grey brown sandy clay	0.27	-	-
352	35203	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 0.76cm in length; 0.71cm in width; 0.12cm in depth.		0.76	0.71
352	35204	Deposit is a moderately compact gravelly clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is indistinct. Enter free text...		0.76	0.71
352	35205	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 2m+ in length; 115cm in width; 18cm in depth.		2	1.15
352	35206	Deposit is a moderately compact gravelly clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	0.18	2 + nfe	1.15
352	35207	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 200 + in	0.3	2 +	0.28

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		length; 208cm in width; 30cm in depth.			
352	35208	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt.	0.3	2 +	0.28
353	35301	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
353	35302	Solid mid yellow brown clay	0.24	-	-
353	35303	Mid yellow brown gravelly clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
354	35400	Mid orange brown clayey sand	0	-	-
354	35401	Varies in depth deeper at the Southern end. Mid yellow brown clay	0.35	-	-
354	35402	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
354	35403	Linear, aligned north-west/south-east.	-	2	2.23
354	35404	Mid grey brown clay.	-	2	2.23
355	35501	Mid grey brown clay	0.26	-	-
355	35502	Mid yellow brown clay	0.28	-	-
355	35503	Mid orange brown clay with blueish brown patches	0	-	-
356	35601	Mid grey brown clay	0.2	-	-
356	35602	Solid mid yellow brown clay	0.32	-	-
356	35603	Mid yellow brown clay with blue clay patches	0	-	-
357	35700	Mid orange brown gravelly clay	0	-	-
357	35701	Mid yellow brown clay with manganese	0.23	-	-
357	35702	Mid grey brown clay	0.27	-	-
357	35703	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave	0.4	1.8+	1.22

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		base. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.22m in width; 0.4m in depth. Water table ensured Excavation could not be completed to base - depth obtained through augering. Overcut in excavation.			
357	35704	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub angular and rounded stones, averaging 15 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contained one ceramic sherd and animal bone.	0.4	1.8+	1.22
358	35801	Mid grey brown clay	0.32	-	-
358	35802	Mid blueish yellow clay	0	-	-
358	35803	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base. Oriented N-S although may be a large spread of material or something else entirely. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 8m in width; 0.27m in depth at eastern auger, 0.18m at western auger.	0.27	1.8+	8
358	35804	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Possible series of fills of multiple features or large deposit extending over big area.	0.27	1.8+	8
359	35901	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
359	35902	Mid yellow brown clay	0.3	-	-
359	35903	Mid yellow brown clay with bands of blueish brown clay	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
359	35904	Cut is linear aligned NW-SE with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1mcm in length; 1.08mcm in width; 0.37cm in depth.	0.37	1	1.08
359	35905	Deposit is a moderately compact gravelly clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 25 mm across. Mid orange-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.27	1	0.86
359	35906	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay. Dark black-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.14	1	1.08
359	35907	Cut is linear with moderate steeply sloping sides and an unknown base. Dimensions: 1.10m in length; 1.39m in width; 0.58m in depth. Depth determined via auger. Possible V-cut ditch or ankle breaker at base of cut.	0.58+	1.1	1.39
359	35908	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 5 mm across. Light brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contains ceramic sherds and animal bone.	0.23+	1.1	1.39
359	35909	Cut is linear in plan, NE-SW aligned. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 4.69cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	4.69
359	35910	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.		1.8	4.69

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
360	36001	Mid grey brown clay	0.26	-	-
360	36002	Mid yellow brown clay	0.16	-	-
360	36003	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
361	36100	Mottled yellow brown clay with blueish yellow clay	0	-	-
361	36101	Layer is a compact, mid greyish brown clay. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.35	-	-
361	36102	Mid yellow brown clay	0.2	-	-
	36103	VOID			
361	36104	Cut is linear with probable steeply sloping sides. A base was not reached. Oriented N-S Small shovel test confirmed edge of feature but extremely wet and waterlogged so could not be investigated further. Dimensions: >2m in length; 3m in width; Unknown in depth.	Unknown	>2	3
361	36105	SHOULD BE (36104). Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Not excavated due to extreme water ingress.	Unknown	>2	0.5
361	36106	SHOULD BE (36105). Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds, and animal bone. Not excavated to any great extent due to extreme water ingress.	Unknown	>2	2.5

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Small shovel test placed to confirm edge of feature.			
361	36107	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and an unknown base. Oriented NW-SE. Dimensions: >1.8m in length; c.2.5m in width; 0.7m in depth.	0.7	>1.8	C.2.5
361	36108	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing abundant angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Also contained animal bone.	0.35	>1.8	C.2.5
361	36109	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Also contained animal bone.	0.35	>1.8	1.5
362	36200	Mottled mid greyish brown and blue, clay, compact	0	-	-
362	36201	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.28	-	-
362	36202	Mid greyish brown, clay, compact	0.1	-	-
363	36300	Mid yellow orange brown gravelly clay	0	-	-
363	36301	Mid orange brown clay with manganese	0.2	-	-
363	36302	Mid grey brown clay	0.27	-	-
364	36400	Mid greyish brown with mottled blue and orange, clay, compact	0	-	-
364	36401	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.25	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
364	36402	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.13	-	-
365	36500	Mid mottled grayish brown and blue, clay, compact	0	-	-
365	36501	Dark grayish brown, silty clay, compact	0.3	-	-
366	36600	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay, firm	0	-	-
366	36601	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
366	36602	Mid greyish brown, sandy clay, firm	0.15	-	-
366	36603	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 26cm in length; 23cm in width; 8cm in depth.	0.08	0.26	0.23
366	36604	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains industrial debris.	0.08	0.26	0.23
366	36605	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 135cm in length; 60cm in width; 25cm in depth.	0.25	1.35	0.6
366	36606	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is gradual. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.25	1.35	0.6
366	36607	Cut is linear, located in south of trench. Dimensions: 1.80+m in length; 0.32m in width. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated		1.80+	0.32
366	36608	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional angular stones,		1.80+	0.32

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		averaging 30 mm across. Dark black-grey in colour. Not excavated			
366	36609	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 1.43m in width. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated. Augered to depth of 0.28m. Part of a junction of 3 ditches.	0.28	1.80+	1.43
366	36610	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing occasional angular stones, averaging 40 mm across. Dark grey-black in colour. Not excavated	0.28	1.80+	1.43
366	36611	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 1.80m+ in length; 0.76m in width. Orientated SW to NE. Not excavated. Auger to depth of 0.3m. Part of a junction of 3 ditches.	0.3	1.80+	0.76
366	36612	Moderately compact sandy clay. Dark grey black in colour. Occasional angular stone inclusions approx 30mm. Not excavated.	0.3	1.80+	0.76
366	36613	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base. Oriented NW-SE. Not excavated. Dimensions: 4m in length; 0.5m in width; unknown in depth. Part of a junction of 3 ditches.		4	0.5
366	36614	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated.		4	0.5
366	36615	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base. Oriented NW-SE. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length;		1.8+	1

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		1m in width; unknown in depth.			
366	36616	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Dark brown-grey in colour. Mottled on surface, may be multiple features. Not excavated.		1.8+	1
366	36617	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base. Oriented NW-SE, located at north of trench. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1m+ in length; 1m+ in width; unknown depth.		1+	1+
366	36618	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated.		1+	1+
367	36701	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
367	36702	Mid blueish brown clay	0	-	-
368	36800	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay, firm	0	-	-
368	36801	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
368	36802	Mid greyish-brown, silty clay, compact	0.12	-	-
368	36803	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a uneven base. Excavation could not be completed to base due to waterlogging. Dimensions: 100cm in length; 152cm in width; 38cm in depth. Depth of 38cm confirmed by auger (3cm deeper than excavated before waterlogging).	0.38	1	1.52
368	36804	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic	0.38	1	1.52

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		sherds and CBM. Depth of 38cm confirmed by auger (3cm deeper than excavated before waterlogging).			
368	36805	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 75cm in length; 75cm in width; 17cm+ in depth. Feature was not identified as a pit until excavation and so the section I'd taken from the trench wall, leaving the depth of the feature likely beyond the 17cm in section.	0.17+	0.75	0.75
368	36806	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.17+	0.75	0.75
368	36807	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 2.30cm in width; 0.6m+ in depth. Orientated NE to SW. not excavated but augered.	0.6+	1.8+	2.3
368	36808	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Not excavated but Augered.	0.6+	1.8+	2.3
368	36809	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8cm in length; 2.5cm in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.		1.8+	2.5
369	36901	Mid grey brown clay	0.34	-	-
369	36902	Mid orange brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
369	36903	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing	0.27	1	0.78

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		abundant sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains ceramic sherds. Contains bone.			
369	36904	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Terminus of ditch, disturbed by rooting. Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 0.78m in width; 0.27m in depth.	0.27	1	0.78
370	37001	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
370	37002	Mid yellow brown clay	0.24	-	-
370	37003	Mid yellow brown clay with blueish clay tints	0	-	-
371	37100	Mid greyish brown with blue clay mix, clay, compact	0	-	-
371	37101	Dark greyish brown, clay, compact	0.28	-	-
371	37102	Mid greyish brown, clay, compact	0.1	-	-
372	37201	Mid grey brown clay	0.26	-	-
372	37202	Mid yellow brown clay	0.29	-	-
372	37203	Mid blueish yellow clay	0	-	-
373	37300	Mid mottled brownish grey and blue, with occasional yellow, silty clay, firm	0	-	-
373	37301	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.29	-	-
373	37302	Mid greyish brown with occasional blue grey and yellow mottling, clay, compact	0.2	-	-
374	37400	Mid orange brown, silty clay, compact	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
374	37401	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.3	-	-
374	37402	Light grayish brown, clay, very compact	0.4	-	-
375	37500			-	-
375	37501			-	-
375	37502	Light yellow grey clay sand with patches of clay gravel. Auger taken between two gully's [37508] and [37507] to prove natural.	0.2+	-	-
375	37503	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 35 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds, burnt bone, and CBM. Pottery of Roman dating. Augered to a depth of 0.72m.	0.72	0.7	2.23
375	37504	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. NFE due to hitting water table, augered for depth. Dimensions: 0.70m in length; 2.23m in width; 0.54m excavated, stopped due to water ingress, additional 0.18m through augering in depth.	0.72	0.7	2.23
375	37505	Deposit is a loosely compact clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains burnt bone.	0.14	1	0.76
375	37506	Deposit is a loosely compact silty sand containing	0.24	1	0.84

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Light orange-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains ceramic sherds.			
375	37507	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 0.86m in width; 0.28m in depth.	0.28	1	0.86
375	37508	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8+m in length; 0.87 in width; 0.12m in depth (found in auger). Oriented NW to SE. not excavated just augered.	0.12	1.8+	0.87
375	37509	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated but augered to a depth of 0.12m.	0.12	1.8+	0.87
375	37509	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Not excavated but augered to a depth of 0.12m.	0.12	1.8+	0.87
375	37510	Cut is linear in plan. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.5cm in width; 0.33m in depth. Truncated at SW end by field drain. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated but augered.	0.33	1.8+	1.5
375	37511	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Not excavated but augered.	0.33	1.8+	1.5
376	37601	Layer is a friable, dark greyish brown silt, containing rare	0.18	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.			
376	37602	Layer is a firm, mid brownish grey clay, containing rare sub-angular stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is diffuse.	0.45	-	-
376	37603	Layer is a firm, mid yellowish brown clay.	0	-	-
377	37701	Mid grey brown clay	0.49	-	-
377	37702	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
377	37703	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Linear runs parallel to ditch [33705] before turning sharply (c. 90 degrees) to the SE at the SW end. Dimensions: 5.6m in length; 1.05m in width; 0.51m in depth.	0.51	5.6	1.05
377	37704	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Light brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual.	0.51	5.6	1.05
377	37705	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Runs parallel to ditch [37703] before [37703] turns to the SE at SW end. Dimensions: 8.3m in length; 0.74m in width; 0.45m in depth.	0.45	8.3	0.74
377	37706	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across.	0.45	8.3	0.74

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Light brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is gradual. Contains bone			
378	37800	Mid brownish orange, silty clay, compact	0	-	-
378	37801	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.3	-	-
379	37901	Layer is a friable, dark greyish brown silt, containing rare rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.27	-	-
379	37902	Layer is a firm, mid brownish grey clay. Boundary with layer below is diffuse.	0.19	-	-
379	37903	Layer is a firm, mid greyish yellow clay.	0	-	-
380	38000	Soft dark grey brown clay silty	0.3	-	-
380	38001	Mid grey yellow silty clay.	0.2	-	-
380	38002	Mid brown yellow clay with patches of sandy clay or gravel clay.	0	-	-
380	38003	VOID	-	-	-
380	38004	Cut is linear. Orientated NE to SW. Dimensions: 1.8m in length; 0.6m in width; 0.16m in depth. Not excavated, depth Augered.	0.16	1.8+	0.6
380	38005	Fill is comprised of a mid grey brown, firm sand clay with frequent shell (predominantly snail) and small stone (including flint) inclusions. Occasional charcoal present. Very frequent abundance of Romano-British ceramic sherds (both large and small) including SF013 as well as animal bone and occasional	0.6	>1.8	2

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		CBM. Measures >1.8m in length by 2m wide and 0.6m deep.			
380	38006	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Not excavated but Augered.	0.16	1.8+	0.6
380	38007	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 21m in length; 0.5+m in width; 0.57m in depth. Orientated NW to SE. Not excavated. Depth Augered.	0.57	21	0.5+
380	38008	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Not excavated Augered for depth.	0.57	21	0.5+
380	38009	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 1+m in length; 1.25m in width. Orientated NE to SW. not excavated.		1+	1.25
380	38010	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contains charcoal.		1+	1.25
380	38011	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 2+m in length; 0.6m in width; 0.16m in depth (augered). Orientated E to W. Not excavated.	0.16	2+	0.6
380	38012	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contains charcoal. Not excavated.	0.16	2+	0.6
380	38013	Cut is sub-circular, located to east end of trench.		0.8+	0.8

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		Dimensions: 0.8+m in length; 0.8m in width. Not excavated.			
380	38014	Deposit is a dark grey brown firm sand silt containing occasional small stone and charcoal inclusions. Frequent Romano-British ceramic and occasional animal bone and CBM. Measures >1m in length, 2.5m wide and is 0.05m in depth. Continues outside of trench to southwest.	0.05	>1	2.5
380	38015	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1+m in length; 1.05m in width. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.		1+	1.05
380	38016	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.		1+	1.05
380	38017	Cut is linear. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 2.3cm in width.		1.8+	2.3
380	38018	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds, bone and fragment of metal:		1.8+	2.3
380	38019	Cut is sub-oval in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.4+m in length; 1.3m in width. Not excavated.		1.4+	1.3

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
380	38020	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Not excavated.		1.4+	1.3
380	38021	SHOULD BE 38004. Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Oriented NE-SW. Western edge is a steeper slope than at its eastern extent. Dimensions: >1.8m in length; 2m in width; 0.6m in depth. Water table begins c.0.4m from base of trench but believed to have reached true base of feature.	0.6	>1.8	2
381	38100	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay with occasional gravel, firm	0	-	-
381	38101	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.3	-	-
381	38102	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.16	-	-
381	38103	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Cut of small linear, from geophysics a possible curvilinear. This feature is completely truncated by possible ditch terminating/turning. Dimensions: 0.32m in length; 0.35m in width; 0.26m in depth.	0.26	0.43	0.53
381	38104	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey gravel containing abundant angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid brown-yellow in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Interface with deposit	0.14	0.36	0.28

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		above is clear. Contains charcoal.			
381	38105	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.11	0.32	0.32
381	38106	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Cut by terminating/turning potential curvilinear Dimensions: 0.21m in length; 0.42m in width; 0.36cm in depth.	0.36	0.21	0.42
381	38107	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey gravel containing abundant sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.36	0.21	0.42
381	38108	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Cuts two other liners and is cut itself by a re-cut into the top of the feature Dimensions: 0.96cm in length; 0.65cm in width; 0.51cm in depth.	0.51	0.96	0.65
381	38109	Deposit is a moderately compact silty gravel containing abundant sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.51	0.96	0.65
381	38110	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave	0.47	0.96	0.65

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		base. This may not exist if the linear does turn. It is unclear in plan but potentially suggested at in the geophysics Dimensions: 0.96m in length; 0.65m in width; 0.47m in depth.			
381	38111	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey gravel containing abundant sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.47	0.96	0.65
381	38112	Cut is irregular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.26cm in length; 0.41cm in width; cm in depth.		1.26	0.41
381	38113	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.26	0.41
381	38114	Cut is irregular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80+cm in length; 0.93cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	0.93
381	38115	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.8	0.93
381	38116	Cut is irregular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Located in middle of trench. Dimensions:		1.8	2.05

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		1.81+cm in length; 2.05cm in width; cm in depth.			
381	38117	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.8	2.05
381	38118	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80+cm in length; 0.34cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	0.34
381	38119	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.8	0.34
381	38120	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Broad deposit, could represent two different linears. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 4.89cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	4.89
381	38121	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.8	4.89
381	38122	Cut is oval in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base, located near south of trench. Dimensions: 1.76cm in length; 0.36cm in width; cm in depth.		1.76	0.36
381	38123	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid		1.76	0.36

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.			
381	38124	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Located at south of trench. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.26cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	1.26
381	38125	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.8	1.26
381	38126	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Heavily truncated by possible FURROW 38128 Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 1.14m in width; 0.23m in depth.	0.23	1	1.14
381	38127	Deposit is a loosely compact clayey gravel containing abundant rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid yellow-brown in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.22	1	1.14
381	38128	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1.00m in length; 2.35m in width; 0.36m in depth.	0.36	1	2.35
381	38129	Deposit is a moderately compact clayey silt containing frequent rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.36	1	2.35

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
382	38200	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay, compact	0	-	-
382	38201	Dark grayish brown, silty clay, compact	0.3	-	-
382	38202	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.1	-	-
383	38300	Mid orange brown clay with gravelly inclusions	0	-	-
383	38301	Mid yellow brown clay	0.18	-	-
383	38302	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
383	38303	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a uneven base. Not based due to high water table Dimensions: 1min length; 2.10m in width; 0.47m in depth excavated, base not reached augered for another 0.35m deeper.	0.82	1	2.1
383	38304	Deposit is a moderately compact gravelly clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 25 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.47	1	2.1
383	38305	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Not based due to high water table Dimensions: 1m in length; 1.1m in width; 0.55 in depth.	0.55	1	1.1
383	38306	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay. Dark orange-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with deposit above is clear. Contains charcoal.	0.18	1	0.45
383	38307	Deposit is a loosely compact sandy gravel containing	0.29	1	0.56

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		abundant sub-rounded stones, averaging 25 mm across. Mid yellow-orange in colour. Interface with deposit below is gradual. Interface with deposit above is abrupt.			
383	38308	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay. Dark grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Contains animal bone	0.29	1	0.56
383	38309	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Located in middle of trench. Dimensions: cm in length; cm in width; cm in depth.		2	0.48
383	38310			2	0.48
383	38311	Cut is linear. Located at south end trench. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.45+cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	1.45
383	38312	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.		1.8	1.45
383	38313	Cut is linear. Located to south of trench. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.18cm in width.		1.8	1.18
383	38314	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.		1.8	1.18
383	38315	Cut is oval in plan. Dimensions: 0.73cm in length; 0.29cm in width.		0.73	0.29
383	38316	Deposit is a moderately compact sandy clay containing rare sub-rounded stones,		0.73	0.29

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.			
383	38317	Cut is linear. Located at north of trench. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.73cm in width.		1.8	1.73
383	38318	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.		1.8	1.73
384	38400	Light brownish orange, silty clay with occasional gravel patches, firm	0	-	-
384	38401	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.3	-	-
384	38402	Mid greyish brown, clay, very compact	0.3	-	-
385	38500	Mid mottled greyish brown and blue, silty clay, firm	0	-	-
385	38501	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
385	38502	Mid yellowish brown with some blue mottling, silty clay, firm	0.1	-	-
386	38600	Light brownish orange, sandy clay, firm	0	-	-
386	38601	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
386	38602	Mid greyish brown, sandy clay, firm	0.15	-	-
387	38700	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay, firm	0	-	-
387	38701	Dark greyish brown silty clay, compact	0.33	-	-
387	38702	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.13	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
387	38703	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 130cm in length; 85cm in width; 16cm in depth.	0.16	1.3	0.85
387	38704	Deposit is a very compact silty clay. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds.	0.16	1.3	0.85
387	38705	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 2m+ nfe cm in length; cm in width; cm in depth.	0.13	2+	0.48
387	38706	Dark brown mid grey silty clay deposit. Slightly compact. No finds.	0.13	2+	0.48
387	38707	Cut is thin linear in plan located to east end trench. Dimensions: 1.8+m in length; 0.32m in width. Not excavated.		1.8+	0.32
387	38708	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.		1.8+	0.32
387	38709	Cut is linear, located near east end of trench. Dimensions: 1.8+m in length; 1.97 in width; 0.87 in depth (found through augering). Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.	0.87	1.8+	1.97
387	38710	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Depth Augered. Not excavated.	0.78	1.8+	1.97
387	38711	Cut is linear in plan. Forms western edge of large	0.57	1.8+	2.32

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		enclosure system. Dimensions: 1.80+m in length; 2.32 in width; 0.57m in depth. Orientated NE to SW. Not excavated.			
387	38712	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing abundant angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Augered to a depth of 0.57m. Not excavated.	0.57	1.8+	2.35
387	38713	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Dimensions: 0.89m in length; 0.34m in width. Not excavated.		0.89	0.34
387	38714	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.		0.87	0.35
387	38715	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Located towards west end trench. Dimensions: 1.67m in length; 2.05 in width. Not excavated.		2.05	1.67
387	38716	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour.		2.05	0.34
388	38801	Layer is a friable, dark greyish brown silt, containing rare rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is irregular.	0.39	-	-
388	38802	Layer is a firm, mid yellowish grey clay.	0.11	-	-
389	38901	Mid grey brown clay	0.32	-	-
389	38902	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
390	39000	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay, firm	0	-	-

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390	39001	Dark greyish brown, sandy clay, firm	0.33	-	-
390	39002	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.16	-	-
391	39100	Light brownish orange, silty clay with occasional gravel, firm	0	-	-
391	39101	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
391	39102	Light greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.1	-	-
392	39201	Layer is a friable, dark greyish brown silt, containing rare rounded stone inclusions. Boundary with layer below is clear.	0.21	-	-
392	39202	Layer is a firm, mid bluish grey clay. Boundary with layer below is diffuse.	0.32	-	-
392	39203	Layer is a firm, mid yellowish brown clay.	0	-	-
393	39300	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay, firm	0	-	-
393	39301	Dark greyish brown, sandy clay, firm	0.3	-	-
393	39302	Mid grey brown silty clay, firm	0.12	-	-
394	39401	Mid grey brown clay	0.28	-	-
394	39402	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
395	39500	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay, compact	0	-	-
395	39501	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
395	39502	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides, base not reached. Dimensions: 1.8m+	0.5+	1.8+	2

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		in length; 2m in width; 0.5m+ in depth.			
395	39503	Deposit is a moderately compact silty gravel. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds and bone.	0.5+	1.8+	2
396	39600		0.27	-	-
396	39601		0.1	-	-
396	39602			-	-
396	39603	Cut is circular in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 0.45cm in length; 0.53cm in width; 0.09cm in depth.	0.09	0.45	0.53
396	39604	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 50 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Contains charcoal. Possible burnt material.	0.09	0.45	0.53
396	39605	Cut is circular in plan. Dimensions: 0.56cm in length; 0.49cm in width.		0.56	0.49
396	39606	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		0.56	0.49
396	39607	Cut is irregular in plan. Dimensions: 1.52cm in length; 0.78cm in width. Terminus of a linear.		1.52	0.78
396	39608	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.52	0.78

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
396	39609	Cut is sub-circular in plan. Dimensions: 0.48cm in length; 0.32cm in width.		0.48	0.32
396	39610	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour.		0.48	0.32
397	39700	Mid grey brown clay	0.29	-	-
397	39701	Mid yellow brown clay	0	-	-
398	39800	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, firm/friable	0	-	-
398	39801	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
398	39802	Light greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.15	-	-
398	39803	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides, base not reached. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 1.12m in width; 0.41m in depth. Depth determined by augering.	0.41	1.8+	1.12
398	39804	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Mid brown-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains ceramic sherds and bone.	0.41	1.8+	1.12
398	39805	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.8+cm in length; 1.57cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	1.57
398	39806	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid		1.8	1.57

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.			
399	39901	Mid grey brown clay	0.29	-	-
399	39902	Mid orange brown clay	0.1	-	-
399	39903	Mixed orange brown silty clay and blueish orange clay	0	-	-
400	40000	Mid orange brown with grey blue mottling, silty clay and gravel, friable	0	-	-
400	40001	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.35	-	-
400	40002	Mid greyish brown, clay, compact	0.3	-	-
401	40100	Mid brownish orange with occasional gravel, sandy gravel clay, firm	0	-	-
401	40101	Dark greyish brown, sandy clay, firm	0.35	-	-
401	40102	Light greyish brown, clay, compact	0.17	-	-
402	40200	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, firm/friable	0	-	-
402	40201	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.28	-	-
402	40202	Light greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.2	-	-
403	40300	Mottled orange-brown and grey-blue in patches throughout, gravel clay, friable	0	-	-
403	40301	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.35	-	-
403	40302	Mid greyish brown, clay, compact	0.4	-	-
404	40400	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, firm	0	-	-

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404	40401	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
404	40402	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, occasional gravel, firm	0.11	-	-
405	40500	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, firm	0	-	-
405	40501	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
405	40502	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, occasional gravel, firm	0.11	-	-
406	40600	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, firm	0	-	-
406	40601	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
406	40602	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, occasional gravel, firm	0.11	-	-
407	40700	Mid brownish orange silty clay and gravel, with mottled brown and blue patches, friable	0	-	-
407	40701	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
407	40702	Mid greyish brown with mottled blue and yellow, clay, compact	0.25	-	-
408	40800	Mid mottled blue grey and brownish yellow, silty clay, firm	0	-	-
408	40801	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
408	40802	Mid mottled greyish brown and blue, silty clay, firm	0.22	-	-
408	40803	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 1.65cm in length; 0.78cm in width.		1.65	0.78
408	40804	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.		1.65	0.78

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408	40805	Cut is linear. Dimensions: 0.56cm in length; 1.26cm in width.		0.56	1.26
408	40806	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.		0.56	1.26
409	40900	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, friable	0	-	-
409	40901	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.32	-	-
409	40902	Light greyish brown, silty clay, compact	0.12	-	-
410	41000	Mid brownish orange with occasional blue grey mottling, silty clay, firm	0	-	-
410	41001	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.32	-	-
410	41002	Light greyish brown with blue mottling, clay, compact	0.13	-	-
411	41101	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
411	41102	Mid yellow brown clay	0.2	-	-
411	41103	Mid yellow brown clay with chalk inclusions	0	-	-
411	41104	Cut is oval in plan with shallow sloping sides and a uneven base. Dimensions: 0.62m in length; 0.4m in width; 0.14m in depth.	0.14	0.62	0.4
411	41105	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.	0.14	0.62	0.4
411	41106	Cut is irregular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.24cm in length; 0.73cm in width; cm in depth.		1.24	0.73

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411	41107	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.24	0.73
412	41201	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
412	41202	Mid yellow brown gravelly clay	0	-	-
413	41301	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
413	41302	Mid yellow brown gravelly clay	0	-	-
414	41400	Mid grey brown clay	0.3	-	-
414	41401	Mid yellow brown gravelly clay	0	-	-
415	41500	Mid mottled blue grey and orange brown, silty clay, firm	0	-	-
415	41501	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
415	41502	Mid greyish brown with yellow and blue mottling, clay, compact	0.35	-	-
415	41503	Cut is irregular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 1.80+cm in length; 0.76cm in width; cm in depth.		1.8	0.76
415	41504	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		1.8	0.76
415	41505	Cut is circular in plan. Dimensions: 0.89cm in length; 0.78cm in width.		0.89	0.78
415	41506	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour.		0.89	0.78
415	41507	Cut is curvilinear arcing across trench. Not excavated as under water table.		3+	0.8

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415	41508	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		3+	0.8
416	41600	Mid mottled orange-brown and blue-grey, silty clay, compact	0	-	-
416	41601	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
416	41602	Mid greyish brown with mottled blue and yellow, silty clay, firm	0.35	-	-
417	41700	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, firm/friable	0	-	-
417	41701	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.25	-	-
417	41702	Light greyish brown, silty clay, compact, occasional angular flint	0.1	-	-
417	41703	Cut is oval in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 64cm in length; 38cm in width; 8cm in depth.	0.08	0.64	0.38
417	41704	Deposit is a loosely compact sandy clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 025 mm across. Mid grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal. Contains large amounts of fired clay throughout	0.08	0.64	0.38
417	41705	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.31cm in length; 0.27cm in width; cm in depth.		0.31	0.27
417	41706	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Dark		0.31	0.27

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.			
417	41707	Cut is circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.35cm in length; 0.26cm in width; cm in depth.		0.35	0.26
417	41708	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Dark grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		0.35	0.26
418	41800	Mid brownish orange, silty clay and gravel, firm/friable	0	-	-
418	41801	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.32	-	-
418	41802	Light greyish brown, silty clay with occasional angular flint, firm	0.16	-	-
418	41803	Cut is oval in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 188cm in length; 72cm in width; 29cm in depth.	0.29	1.88	0.72
418	41804	Deposit is a loosely compact sandy clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 20 mm across. Mid black-grey in colour. Interface with deposit below is clear. Sterile fill. Frequent manganese inclusions	0.29	1.88	0.72
418	41805	Cut is linear with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 71cm in length; 66cm in width; 0.19cm in depth.	0.19	0.71	0.66
418	41806	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 30 mm across. Dark grey-brown in colour. Interface	0.19	0.71	0.66

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		with natural is gradual. Contains charcoal.			
418	41807	Cut is oval in plan with shallow sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 38cm in length; 31cm in width; 11cm in depth.	0.11	0.38	0.31
418	41808	Deposit is a loosely compact silty clay. Mid green-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear.	0.11	0.38	0.31
418	41809	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.78cm in length; 0.32cm in width; cm in depth.		0.78	0.32
418	41810	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay. Mid grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		0.78	0.32
418	41811	Cut is sub-circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.76cm in length; 0.56cm in width; cm in depth.		0.76	0.56
418	41812	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing rare angular stones, averaging 30 mm across. Mid grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt.		0.76	0.56
419	41900	Mid orange brown, sandy clay with occasional gravel, firm	0	-	-
419	41901	Dark greyish-brown, silty clay, firm	0.2	-	-
419	41902	Mid greyish brown with occasional yellow mottling, silty clay, firm	0.16	-	-
420	42000	Mid orange brown with some dark orange, silty clay with frequent gravel, friable/firm	0	-	-

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
420	42001	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.28	-	-
420	42002	Mid greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.14	-	-
420	42003	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base. Oriented NW-SE. Dimensions: 1.8m+ in length; 2m in width; 0.72m in depth. Depth determined by augering.	0.72	1.8+	2
420	42004	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds.	0.72	1.8+	2
420	42005	Cut is linear with unknown sides and base. Oriented N-S. Dimensions: 2m+ in length; 2m in width; 0.48m in depth. Augered for depth.	0.48	2+	2
420	42006	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing frequent angular stones, averaging 10 mm across. Dark brown-grey in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Contains charcoal, ceramic sherds. Augered for depth.	0.48	2+	2
421	42100	Mid brownish orange, sandy clay with gravel, firm/friable, occasional mottled blue grey throughout	0	-	-
421	42101	Dark greyish brown, silty clay, firm	0.3	-	-
421	42102	Mid brownish brown with occasional blue mottling, silty clay, firm	0.5	-	-
421	42103	Cut is oval in plan with shallow sloping sides and a concave base. Dimensions: 0.52cm in		0.52	0.28

Trench	Context	Context Description	Depth (m)	Length (m)	Width (m)
		length; 0.28cm in width; cm in depth.			
421	42104	Deposit is a loosely compact clay. Dark grey-black in colour. Interface with deposit below is abrupt. Contains charcoal, burnt bone.		0.52	0.28
421	42105	Cut is linear with steeply sloping sides and a flat base. Dimensions: 1m in length; 2m in width; 0.5m in depth.	0.5	1	2
421	42106	Deposit is a moderately compact silty clay containing occasional sub-rounded stones, averaging 10 mm across. Light grey-brown in colour. Interface with natural is clear. Interface with subsoil above is clear.	0.5	1	2

Annex 2: Specialist Reports

The Ceramic Assemblage

The Late Iron Age and Roman Pottery

Fabric	Description	Sherds	Weight (g)	ENV
F01A	Coarse flint (LBA/EIA)	1	3	1
F05	Grog/shell	1	2	1
F06A	Grog fine	10	25	4
F06B	Grog medium	199	2452	94
F06C	Grog coarse	31	1239	12
F07	Shelly	45	297	40
F08	Shell/grog	33	247	14
F09	Sand/grog	19	311	13
F34	Belgic sandy	7	54	4
R01A	Samian central Gaul	10	263	9
R01C	Samian east Gaul	4	37	4
R03	Unsourced buff	1	3	1
R03A	Fine white ware (VRW)	5	28	2
R03B	Gritty white ware (VRW)	18	136	12
R03C	Smooth white ware	1	15	1
R04	Gallo-Belgic white ware	1	16	1
R05A	Orange sandy	26	162	17
R05B	Fine orange	6	37	6
R05D	Orange sandy, white-slipped	13	33	5
R06A	Grey ware, Nene Valley	3	15	3
R06B	Grey ware, coarse	144	2064	87
R06C	Grey ware, fine	13	133	13
R06E	Grey ware, calc	2	36	2
R06G	Grey ware, silty	53	503	30
R06H	Grey ware, white-slipped	2	16	2
R07A	BB1	2	12	2
R07B	Black ware, sandy	136	1141	76
R07F	Black ware, silty	15	148	13
R07G	BB2	8	114	7
R09	Pink groggy	2	29	2
R10B	Fine buff	3	11	3
R11A	Oxfordshire white ware	2	56	2
R11D	Oxford colour-coat	5	118	5
R12B	Nene Valley colour-coat	13	119	13

Fabric	Description	Sherds	Weight (g)	ENV
R13	Shelly	408	7120	249
R18A	Pink gritty (VRW)	2	22	2
R19A	Baetican amphora	2	38	2
R22A	Hadham oxidised	20	145	14
Total		1266	17200	768

Table B-1: Quantification of Late Iron Age and Roman pottery by fabric

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A moderate assemblage of Late Iron Age and Roman pottery, totaling 1266 sherds, weighing 17.2 kg, was recovered during the evaluation. The assemblage spans the Late Iron Age/early Roman to the later Roman period and was predominantly distributed in the Core Zone and the Lake Zone. The pottery is quantified by fabric type in **Table B-1**.

Method

The pottery was recorded and reported on following guidance in the *standard for pottery studies in archaeology* (PCRG et al 2016) and ClfA (2020) *checklist for specialist reporting*. It was examined using a x20 binocular microscope and quantified by sherd count, weight, estimated number of vessels (ENV) and estimated vessel equivalent (EVE) on *pro forma* records and in an Excel spreadsheet. Late Iron Age and Roman fabrics were recorded using codes from the Bedfordshire regional type-series, held by Albion Archaeology and described in various publications (e.g. Parminter & Slowikowski 2004; Wells 2008, 2011a). At present, forms have been described by simple name and sketched on *pro forma* records in order to aid possible fuller typological classification in any future work.

Possible pre-Late Iron Age pottery

A few sherds of poorly stratified pottery potentially pre-date the Late Iron Age/early Roman period. A single grog-tempered sherd from fill [30106] of pit [30105] appears low-fired to a slightly oxidised hue and contains some rare flint. While this may be a Late Iron Age/early Roman fabric, it is possible that it could represent an earlier prehistoric grog-tempered ware, dating to the Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age. In addition, a single sherd in flint-tempered ware (F01A) with common flint of 0.2-3mm and moderate coarse quartz sand of up to 0.5mm, was found in fill [29606] of furrow [29605] with some coarse hand-made sandy wares (F34). These fabrics might be of Early to Middle Iron Age date but, again, they were stratified with Late Iron Age and Roman fabrics. Similarly, single sherds in possible pre-Late iron Age hand-made sandy fabrics (F34) were noted with more typical Late Iron Age/early Roman shelly and grog-tempered wares in fill [34905] of ditch [34906] and fill [34512] of ditch [34513].

Chronology and distribution of the Late Iron Age and Roman pottery

Similarly sized assemblages of just over 600 sherds each were noted in the Core Zone and the Lake Zone, with only few sherds recovered from the West Gateway Zone. The distribution of dating evidence is similar in both areas. The assemblage spans the Late Iron Age/early Roman to the later Roman period. In general, Late Iron Age/early Roman groups are small and undiagnostic so evidence for pre-Conquest activity is unclear. Overall, roughly equal proportions of the assemblage were assigned to broad earlier, mid and later Roman date ranges. However, the later material tends to lack indicators of very late dating, such as higher proportions of colour-coated or red-slipped wares. Activity therefore seems more likely to have come to an end in the early to mid-4th century AD.

Late Iron Age/early Roman pottery

Although a reasonable proportion of the assemblage comes from contexts spot-dated as Late Iron Age/early Roman (150 sherds, weighing 1.83 kg), these are predominantly from very small groups of fewer than five sherds each. Since similar tempered wares occur commonly in deposits containing early Roman fabrics, these provide limited evidence for pre-Conquest activity. The most substantial group in this category comprises 25 sherds, weighing 0.6 kg, from fill [34505] of trackway ditch [34503].

About half of sherds in Late Iron Age/early Roman groups are in purely grog-tempered fabrics (F06A, F06B, F06C) with about 18% in shelly wares (F07/R13), and a similar quantity in mixed grog-and-shell fabrics (F05/F08). A few sandy wares were noted in these groups but it was sometimes uncertain whether they represent pre- or post-Conquest types (F34/R07A). This material is mostly lacking in diagnostic feature sherds. Two partial examples of uncertain lids/platters in grog-tempered fabrics were noted in fill [21104] of furrow [21103] and fill [32504] of linear feature [32503], a very fragmentary storage jar rim was recorded in fill [25804] of ditch [25803], while a lid-seated jar in a shelly fabric was recovered from fill [21011] of ditch [21012].

Earlier Roman pottery (c. mid-1st -early/mid-2nd century AD)

Broadly earlier Roman pottery accounts for a slightly larger proportion of the assemblage (394 sherds, weighing 5.23 kg). This material was notably concentrated in two large groups of over a hundred sherds each, in fill [32105] of pit [32104] (Lake Zone) and fill [26606] of ditch [26605] (Core Zone). One other moderate group of over 30 sherds was noted in fill [21314] of pit [21318] in the Core Zone. The pottery from fill [26605] was assigned three registered finds numbers on site, and within these, each sherd was individually numbered and plotted. Find <5> mostly comprises base and lower wall sherds from a grey ware (R06B) strainer/jar with post-firing perforations in the base. Sherds of at least 10 other vessels were also labeled as part of find <5>, including small fragments of two further vessels with post-firing perforations in the base, including one in a grog-tempered fabric (F06B) and one in a coarse black-surfaced

ware (R07B). Find <8> is a large rim sherd from a lid-seated jar in a shelly ware. Find <9> comprises mixed sherds, mainly from vessels also represented in the group labelled Find <5>. The concentration of fragmented sherds of a few vessels was considered suggestive of deliberate breakage *in situ*. It may be significant that perforated vessels were found in this context since it has been noted that they are disproportionately represented in structured deposits (e.g. Fulford & Timby 2001).

Overall, Late Iron Age/early Roman grog-tempered and shelly wares make up about 27% of sherds in contexts spot-dated as earlier Roman. However, quite a broad chronological range is encompassed under this heading. It includes some context groups that are essentially of similar character to those described below as Late Iron Age/early Roman, being largely made up by Late Iron Age/early Roman tempered wares with one or two more certain post-Conquest sherds. Conversely, some much more developed late 1st to early/mid-2nd century groups, largely lack such fabrics, like that from context [32105]. Roman sandy fabrics account for about 44% of sherds overall in earlier Roman groups. They are mostly unsourced sandy coarse wares including grey, black and orange variants (R05, R06, R07). The only regionally traded wares noted in this period are a few sherds of Verulamium region white ware (R03B). Another large component of earlier Roman groups are more Romanised shelly wares (R13), making up 29% of sherds.

A limited range of forms is represented, predominantly made up by necked jars, including one example with a neck cordon. Lid-seated jars in shelly fabrics are well-represented and there are two examples of storage jars. The only non-jar forms comprise a few examples of coarse ware flat rim bowls and plain lids.

Mid Roman pottery (c. mid-2nd-mid-3rd century AD)

Well-dated mid Roman groups are slightly less well represented than those of earlier or later Roman date but material broadly spot-dated to this period makes up 180 sherds, weighing 2.96 kg. This includes one substantial group of more than 100 sherds from fill [38005] of ditch [38004] (Lake Zone).

Apart from one or two presumably residual sherds, grog-tempered fabrics are absent in mid Roman groups. Shelly wares (R13) remain common, accounting for 39% of sherds in contexts spot-dated to this period. Sandy coarse wares make up just over half of sherds and these are still predominantly unsourced grey, black-surfaced or oxidised wares (R05, R06, R07), although one or two sherds in regionally traded coarse wares were also noted, including Verulamium region white ware (R03B), Nene Valley grey ware (R06A) and BB2 (R07G). Non-local fine wares include sherds of central and east Gaulish samian ware (R01A, R01C), and a single fragment of Nene Valley colour-coated ware (R12B).

A similar range of jars is represented in this period, especially necked and lid-seated jars (the latter predominantly in shelly fabrics); however, coarse ware bowls and dishes make up a much greater share of the assemblage, particularly plain, rounded, triangular or flat rim examples, influenced by the black-burnished tradition. A single, slightly cupped ring-neck flagon was recorded in this period and several samian cup and bowl forms, including Dragendorff 27, 31 and 38.

Later Roman pottery (c. mid-3rd to mid-4th century AD)

Material from contexts broadly assigned to the later Roman period amounts to 268 sherds, weighing 3.49 kg. These are predominantly small context groups, although moderate assemblages of c. 40 sherds each were noted in fill [20406] of ditch [20405] and fill [21706] of linear feature [21705], both in the Core Zone.

This period is even more dominated by shelly fabrics, which account for c. 47% of sherds. Coarse sandy wares account for just under a quarter of the assemblage and, as in earlier periods, these are largely unsourced grey and black sandy wares (R06, R07) with occasional oxidised sandy wares (R05). Some presumably residual Late Iron Age/early Roman grog-tempered or grog-and-shell wares (F05, F08) are present, although one example of a pink grog-tempered ware (R09) is more likely contemporary. A similarly limited range of regionally traded coarse wares is represented as in earlier periods including Nene Valley grey ware (R06A), residual Verulamium region white ware (R03B) and BB2 (R07G).

This period is distinguished from earlier ones by a range of regionally traded fine wares including colour-coated, red-slipped or fine red finished wares from the Nene Valley (R12B), Oxfordshire (R11D) and Hadham (R22A). A single example of Oxfordshire white ware was noted and curated or residual samian from central and east Gaul (Modern France) (R01A, R01C) continues to be represented.

Although a few examples of lid-seated jars in shelly wares are still present in later Roman groups, these are notably superseded by necked jars with hooked rim profiles, and sometimes with rilled surface treatments. Coarse plain lids and dishes and bowls of the black-burnished tradition contribute to be represented but bead-and-flange bowls are present for the first time, out-numbering those with rounded rim profiles. One distinctive bead-and-flange bowl in a shelly fabric has stabbed decoration alongside the bead, paralleled in an earlier 4th century phase at the Harrold production site (Brown 1994, Fig 35, no 254, 262, 264). A single Oxfordshire white ware mortarium of Young (1977) type M20, dating to c. AD 250-300 was recorded in fill [37503] of ditch [37504]. Fine ware forms from the Nene Valley appear to be of c. 3rd century date and include a funnel neck beaker and castor box lid. A rouletted bowl of Young (1977) form 81, in Oxfordshire colour-coated ware, dating c. AD 300-400, was recorded in fill [36612] of ditch [36611]. Flange fragments from Dragendorff 38 style bowls were also

recorded in Oxfordshire red-slipped and Hadham red ware, in fill [21706] of linear feature [21705] and fill [38111] of linear feature [38110]. Residual or curated later 2nd to earlier 3rd century samian ware from this phase includes fragmentary possible examples of Dragendorff 31 and Walters 79 dishes. A single samian stamp on the base of a central Gaulish Dragendorff 33 cup, was found with slightly later Roman pottery in fill [38304] of ditch [38305]. It reads MICCIONI[.], likely representing die 2a of Miccio III, dating to c. AD150-180 (RGZM 2024).

Poorly dated Roman pottery

A significant proportion of the assemblage comes from contexts that are clearly unstratified or that cannot be closely dated within the Roman period (257 sherds, weighing 3.57 kg). These are largely very small context groups made up by undiagnostic sherds in Roman sandy and/or shelly fabrics. They include occasional examples of necked jar forms which are not, in themselves, very diagnostic of date. Of note is the base and lower wall (and single neck sherd) from a flask or narrow neck jar in a finer grey ware (R06G) in fill [39804] of ditch [39803]. The partially-complete state of this vessel in a deposit containing little other pottery could be indicative of structured deposition.

The Ceramic Building Material

Rae Regensberg (external specialist)

A moderate assemblage of ceramic building material (CBM) consisting of 40 fragments, collectively weighing 1.219kg, was hand collected during the excavations, with a further 370 fragments, weighing 320g, collected from environmental samples. The assemblage is in poor condition, mostly consisting of small, abraded fragments. No complete, or near complete, items were recovered. A small quantity of Roman material was recorded, although the state suggests that much of this is residual, even where found in Roman contexts. The bulk of the assemblage is composed of flat roof tile of broadly medieval to post-medieval date.

All the material was recorded by form, weight, complete dimensions (when present) and fabric, and entered into an Excel spreadsheet. Fabrics were identified with the aid of a x20 binocular microscope, and site specific fabric codes have been applied using the following conventions: frequency of inclusions (sparse, moderate, common, abundant); the size of inclusions, fine (up to 0.25mm), medium (0.25-0.5mm), coarse (0.5-1.0mm) and very coarse (larger than 1.0mm). Fabric descriptions are provided in **Table B-2**. Fragments from the environmental samples that were smaller than 10mm were weighed and counted but their fabrics were not analysed due to their small size. Some are possibly fired clay, but as most are tiny crumbs, identification is uncertain.

Fabric	Description
R1	Orange fabric with moderate fine quartz, sparse fine dark red oxidised material, some light streaking.
R2	Orange to brown micaceous fabric with sparse inclusions.
R3	Fine tan to orange fabric with sparse but consistent fine calcareous speckle. Might be pot.
T1	Orange fabric with moderate to common fine to coarse voids - presumably from organic temper, sparse fine quartz, sparse fine black oxidised material and sparse fine calcareous material.
T1A	Incl. moderate quartz.
T2	Fine orange fabric with moderate fine to medium calcareous material and sparse fine quartz.
T2A	Includes streaks of calcareous material and slightly more quartz.
T2B	Coarse calcareous material.
T3	Orange fabric with moderate to common dark red to black, medium oxidised material - gives it a hackly appearance, and sparse fine quartz. Might have some streaking, difficult to tell due to reduction.
T4	Orange fabric with abundant fine quartz.
T5	Reddish orange fabric with sparse quartz and mica.
B1	Reddish orange fabric with abundant fine quartz and sparse to moderate fine calcareous material.

Table B-2: Ceramic building material fabric descriptions

The Roman CBM consists of three fragments of Roman tile. These include one flat piece in the R1 fabric. This piece is 30mm thick, with a reduced core. This is most likely a tegula body sherd as most are between 20mm and 30mm thick. It could also be a thin brick. Tegula are usually closer to 20mm (McComish 2015, 20). The second fragment has an R2 fabric, is fully abraded and generally reduced. Both of these were retrieved from context [37503] along with some Roman pot sherds. The third has no complete dimensions available and has lime mortar on broken surfaces, indicating reuse. It was collected from context [18708].

Thirty-two pieces of flat roof tile were recovered. Five fabric groups were identified, although these contain less than five individual fragments each, apart from the T2 fabrics, which comprise nine pieces. No distinctly medieval or post-medieval fabrics were identified, and the fragments have no diagnostic features with which to narrow the date range. Flat roof tile is notoriously difficult to date as it remains largely the same from the medieval period up to the beginning of the 19th century. Only one fragment in the T5 fabric is clearly later post-medieval. It has a black glaze and may be partially machine manufactured, which would indicate a 19th century date. This fragment was collected from context [38007]. The remaining pieces are generally in poor condition, with reduced cores, abraded surfaces and frequent spalling. The tiles are between 10mm and 14mm thick, except for those in a fabric identical to the Roman R1 fabric, which are between 14mm and 16mm thick. These also have rose quartz in the

mould sand. The tile fragments were distributed over twelve contexts, including the plough zone, none of which contained more than eight individual fragments (Table B-3).

One piece of brick in a sandy fabric (B1) was collected. Although the arrises are rounded, this is most likely due to abrasion of the sandy fabric rather than poor manufacturing techniques seen in medieval and early post-medieval brick. In general, it is neat with a consistent form and little creasing on the stretchers. It is 60mm thick and most probably post-dates the 17th century.

Several fragments of hand collected CBM are too small to identify to a fabric or form, and therefore have a Roman to post-medieval date range. This is also the case for the majority of the material recovered from environmental samples. A list of the material recorded in the environmental samples is presented in **Table B-4**.

Context	Quant	%	Weight (g)	%
12704	1	2.50%	19	1.56%
Tile	1	2.50%	19	1.56%
15904	7	17.50%	562	46.10%
Brick	1	2.50%	387	31.75%
Tile	6	15.00%	175	14.36%
180309	1	2.50%	144	11.81%
Tile	1	2.50%	144	11.81%
18311	1	2.50%	23	1.89%
Tile	1	2.50%	23	1.89%
18705	1	2.50%	4	0.33%
CBM	1	2.50%	4	0.33%
18708	3	7.50%	34	2.79%
Roman tile	1	2.50%	30	2.46%
Tile	2	5.00%	4	0.33%
20208	5	12.50%	121	9.93%
Tile	5	12.50%	121	9.93%
21013	1	2.50%	33	2.71%
Tile	1	2.50%	33	2.71%
21104	3	7.50%	15	1.23%
CBM	1	2.50%	1	0.08%
Tile	2	5.00%	14	1.15%
21306	3	7.50%	5	0.41%
?Tile	3	7.50%	5	0.41%
25704	8	20.00%	83	6.81%
Tile	8	20.00%	83	6.81%
25904	1	2.50%	28	2.30%

Context	Quant	%	Weight (g)	%
Tile	1	2.50%	28	2.30%
36804	1	2.50%	12	0.98%
Tile	1	2.50%	12	0.98%
37503	2	5.00%	77	6.32%
Roman tile	1	2.50%	13	1.07%
Roman tile - teg/brick	1	2.50%	64	5.25%
38007	1	2.50%	13	1.07%
Tile	1	2.50%	13	1.07%
Plough zone	1	2.50%	46	3.77%
Tile	1	2.50%	46	3.77%
Total	40	100.00%	1219	100.00%

Table B-3: Hand collected CBM by context

Sample	Count	Weight (g)
105	3	1
11	2	0.1
16	1	0.1
17	13	3.1
19	1	0.1
2	1	34
23	3	8.1
24	21	12
3	3	1
35	1	6
39	1	0.1
4	140	29
47	1	0.1
48	28	22
70	9	17
71	9	8
77	113	131
78	1	3
85	8	9
90	1	0.1
91	10	35
Total	370	319.8

Table B-4: CBM from the environmental samples

The material has been retained in full at present. When archaeological work on the Site is completed, fabric and form samples should be retained, but the bulk of the assemblage can be discarded.

The Fired Clay

Trista Clifford (external specialist)

A small assemblage of c. 319 fired clay pieces, weighing a total of 1.167 kg, was recovered from twenty-eight separate contexts (Table B-5). This includes a large amount of material recovered from environmental bulk samples. The mean fragment weight (MFW) for this material is 1.66g, compared to 6.65g for the hand collected fired clay and therefore this material has not been assessed fully. Additionally, there are several contexts which contain possible pottery or CBM fragments and these are noted in the table.

The fragments were examined with the naked eye for diagnostic characteristics, indicating form and/or function and recorded by count and weight in an Excel spreadsheet. Fabrics were identified and described using a x40 magnification hand lens. Four fabric groups were encountered (Table B-5).

No objects, such as spindle whorls or loom weights, or fragments thereof, were identified. Similarly, there was no indication of function evident in the assemblage beyond a smoothed, flattened surface on a small number of fragments from contexts [15804], [17905], [32105], [34505], [38005], [38014] and [39503]. Those from [26605], [26607] and [34505] exhibit grassy/chaff and grain impressions on the surface.

Context/sample	Count	Wt (g)	Fabric	Fabric description	Form	Comments
12105 <103>	2	0.2			Amorphous	poss pottery?
15803 <4>	1	2.2	1	Sparse to moderate quartz to 2mm	One flat surface	Reduced core
15803	7	70	1	Sparse to moderate quartz to 2mm	Amorphous	
15804 <47>	9	8			Amorphous	Reduced, spall

Context/sample	Count	Wt (g)	Fabric	Fabric description	Form	Comments
15804	65	66.8	1	Silty fabric with pockets of rounded quartz grains 0.5-1mm; surface has moderate to frequent rounded quartz to 1mm diam.	One flat surface x2	Reduced core, sanded surface. Probable CBM.
17204 <23>	1	0.1			Crumb	Too small to assess
17906 <1>	Oct-30	28.6			Crumbs	Too small to assess
17905	1	36.9	3	Marled cream to dark red clays, sparse quartz to 1mm, very sparse calcareous inclusions, some fine iron oxides	Smoothed outer surface	Marled, possible CBM
18403 <15>	2	1			Crumb	Too small to assess
18703 <16>	6	5.6			Crumb	Too small to assess
18802 <3>	1	0.3			Crumb	Too small to assess
19905 <19>	1	1			Crumb	Too small to assess
20404 <26>	3	5.7			Crumb	Too small to assess
20406 <27>	2	1.5			Crumb	Too small to assess
21004 <25>	30-100	71.7			Crumb	Too small to assess

Context/sample	Count	Wt (g)	Fabric	Fabric description	Form	Comments
21006 <33>	1	5.3			Crumb	Too small to assess
21609	5	56	3	Marled cream to dark red clays, sparse quartz to 1mm, very sparse calcareous inclusions, some fine iron oxides		
21706 <35>	10	5.2			Crumb	Too small to assess
22203 <38>	3	1.6			Crumb	Too small to assess
24603	2	2.4			Crumb	Too small to assess
24603 <41>	2	1.1			Crumb	Too small to assess
26605	1	24	2	Silty fabric with moderate voids, sparse calc carbonate up to 2mm, sparse ?iron oxides <0.5mm		Grassy/grain impressions on outer surface
26607	1	18	2	Silty fabric with moderate voids, sparse calc carbonate up to 2mm, sparse ?iron oxides <0.5mm	Knife trimmed edge and flat outer surface	?CBM

Context/sample	Count	Wt (g)	Fabric	Fabric description	Form	Comments
29806 <57>	114	88.8			Crumb	Too small to assess; largest fragment is CBM
32105	13	112	4	Laminar, poorly mixed with pockets of quartz grains, large voids, sparse FCF and moderate chalk/shelly inclusions in pockets	One flat surface	Surfaces have long grassy voids
34004 <81>	1	13.7			Featureless	?CBM
34505	26	338	4a	Silty, laminar fabric with frequent grassy voids	One flat surface	Surfaces have long grassy voids
34505 <89>	1	30	4b	Laminar, fine to coarse voids, sparse fine quartz, sparse fine black oxidised material and moderate calcareous material; poorly mixed		
34505 <89>	40	62	4a	Silty, laminar fabric with frequent grassy voids	One flat surface	
35905 <87>	1	0.8			Crumb	Too small to assess

Context/sample	Count	Wt (g)	Fabric	Fabric description	Form	Comments
38005	1	36	3	Marled cream to dark red clays, sparse quartz to 1mm, very sparse calcareous inclusions, some fine iron oxides	One flat surface	?CBM
38014	3	27.1	3	Marled cream to dark red clays, sparse quartz to 1mm, very sparse calcareous inclusions, some fine iron oxides	One flat surface	
39503	1	45	4b	Laminar, fine to coarse voids, sparse fine quartz, sparse fine black oxidised material and moderate calcareous material; poorly mixed	One flat surface	Well fired, poss CBM
Total	319	1167				

Table B-5: The fired clay

Significance and Potential

The Late Iron Age and Roman Pottery

The assemblage is probably indicative of Roman settlement activity in the Core Zone and the Lake Zone and there are a few possible hints of structured deposition involving pottery vessels. It clearly has the potential to form part of a locally or regionally significant assemblage,

should further archaeological mitigation take place. This could provide comparative data which would help in understanding the Site's relationships and with other settlements in the wider Bedford area (e.g. Parminter & Slowikowski 2004; Wells 2008; 2011b; Slowikowski 2016).

The CBM

Due to the small quantity of Roman material, the Roman assemblage has little archaeological significance and potential beyond indicating the presence of a Roman building in the wider locality.

The post Roman CBM is in poor condition with little closely datable material. The large quantity of tile fabrics for the size of the assemblage and the lack of any significant clusters of material suggests that this assemblage is largely residual, or the result of manuring practices. As such, it has little archaeological significance and potential.

The Fired Clay

Although the fired clay mostly derives from contexts of Late Iron Age or Roman date, the vast majority is undiagnostic of form and function. It is therefore of minimal significance to the Site narrative.

Recommended Further Work

The Late Iron Age and Roman Pottery

No further work is recommended on the assemblage as it stands but it should be retained and fully integrated into any future assessment or analysis programme, in the event further archaeological mitigation at the Site.

The Ceramic Building Material

No further work is recommended.

The Fired Clay

No further work is recommended. Samples of each fabric are recommended for retention in line with the final archive repository guidelines.

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The Post-Roman Pottery

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Introduction

A total of 96 sherds of post-Roman pottery was recovered during the Phase 1 evaluation, representing a minimum number of 79 vessels (ENV) and weighing 855g. The post-Roman assemblage includes pottery of Anglo-Saxon, medieval and post-medieval date, although ceramic continuity cannot be demonstrated. The majority of the pottery recovered dates to the 11th to 13th century.

In accordance with the guidelines outlined in Barclay *et al* (2016), the assemblage was recorded and quantified for each context by fabric, vessel form and decoration using sherd count, weight, estimated/minimum number of vessels (ENV) and estimated vessel equivalent by percentage rim present (REVE). The fabrics were examined under x20 magnification and recorded using a system of alphanumeric fabric codes that conform to the Bedfordshire Ceramic Type Series (held by Albion Archaeology, St Mary's Church, St Mary's Street, Bedford) and the forms were identified in accordance with the Medieval Pottery Research Group's guide to the classification of forms (MPRG 1998). An ACCESS database recording these attributes can be found with the Site archive. A summary of the pottery types appears below in **Table B-6** and a catalogue of the pottery by context in **Table B-7**.

Assemblage Characterisation

The pottery has an average sherd weight of just under 9g, fairly typical of rural assemblages, although condition is somewhat variable. The pottery of Late Saxon and medieval date is generally in better condition than the smaller quantities of Anglo-Saxon and post-medieval material.

Two probable sherds of Early to Middle Anglo-Saxon pottery were recovered, both from the fill of ditch [34003]. Both sherds are small and featureless but occur in mineral rich and sand and organic fabrics typical of handmade pottery of 5th to 9th century date in the region (Baker and Hassall 1979; Wells forthcoming; Blinkhorn 2005).

A larger group of Late Saxon/Saxo Norman pottery was recovered, comprising 34 sherds, weighing 274g (Table B-6). All of this occurs as products of the local St Neots-type tradition, a ubiquitous find on contemporary sites in the local vicinity and broader region (Baker and Hassall 1979; Blinkhorn 2005, 2019; Wells forthcoming). St Neots-type ware is likely to have been made at numerous dispersed locations broadly corresponding with the Jurassic limestone belt and the associated fossiliferous shelly clays extending from Oxfordshire through north Buckinghamshire, Bedfordshire and Northamptonshire into Cambridgeshire (Hunter 1979, 230-240). The St Neots-type ware from Site is likely to have been made from

the Cornbrash/lower Oxford Clay, sourced locally in the Great Ouse Valley. There are a number of sub-divisions in the Bedfordshire type series for St Neots'-type ware, some of which have a chronological significance. A handful of these were identified in the assemblage from site, including the mixed inclusion type (B01C), the coarse B04 type and oxidised B01A type, the latter representing the latest sub-group of the ware (Wells, forthcoming).

Although potentially dated from as early as the late 9th century, St Neots-type ware is relatively rare prior to c.AD 900, becoming most significant during the 10th and into the 11th century, before merging into early medieval Developed St Neots-type (B07) during the 12th century. Relatively few diagnostic sherds are present, but these include jars with everted, hollowed and upright thickened rims and bowls with inturned and everted thickened rims. A single small body sherd has the remnants of an applied thumbled strip.

Fabric Code	Common name	Date range	SC	ENV	Wg	MSW	REVE
Early/Middle Anglo-Saxon							
A26	Mica, sand and organic	400 – 850	1	1	1		-
A	Non-specific Saxon	400 – 850	1	1	7		-
			2	2	8	4	-
Late Saxon/Saxo-Norman							
B01	St Neots-type ware	875 – 1150	27	17	189		0.14
B01A	St Neots-type ware (orange)	875 – 1150	2	2	57		-
B01C	St Neots-type ware (mixed)	875 – 1150	3	3	8		-
B04	St Neots-type ware (coarse)	875 – 1150	2	2	20		-
			34	24	274	8	
Medieval							
B07	Developed St Neots-type ware	1100 - 1300	7	6	102		0.07
B	Unsourced medieval shelly/calcareous ware	1000 - 1300	3	3	3		-
C01	Sandy ware	1000 - 1300	4	4	22		-
C03	Fine sandy reduced ware	1100 - 1300	23	20	181		0.19
C05	Sandy reduced ware (red margins)	1100 - 1400	1	1	4		-
C31	Saintonge ware	1280 – 1350	1	1	2		-
C71	Buff-grey cored oxidised ware	1100 – 1400	9	6	186		-
C	Miscellaneous/unsourced medieval sandy ware	1000 – 1400	7	7	4		-
			55	48	504	9	
Late medieval							
E01D	Late medieval reduced ware (buff-red margins)	1375 - 1550	1	1	19		-
			1	1	19	19	
Post-medieval							
P01	Fine glazed red earthenware	1550 – 1900	1	1	12		-
P01	Coarse/sandy glazed red earthenware	1550 - 1900	2	2	38		-

P30	Staffordshire slipware	1660 – 1870	1	1	1		-
			4	4	51	13	

Table B-6: Ware types present. SC = Sherd count; ENV = Estimated/minimum number of vessels; Wgt = Weight in grams. MSW: Mean sherd weight. REVE: Estimated vessel equivalent by percentage rim present.

Pottery of medieval date is slightly more numerous again, represented as 55 sherds, weighing 504g. The majority of this is comprised of local sandy wares dated from the 11th or 12th to 13th or 14th century (C01; C03; C05; C71) with smaller quantities of shell-tempered wares, principally Developed St Neots-type ware (B07). The sandy ware forms identified comprise jars, including two C03 jars with everted necks and simple, or slightly thickened rims, flattened to the top and a C71 storage jar with an applied thumbled strip to base of neck and running vertically down the body and an incised wavy line to the shoulder. A further C71 jar is decorated with a row of horizontal dimples above spaced horizontal incised lines to the shoulder. Fabric C71 has been identified at a number of sites across the county, including further south, but petrographic analysis of examples from Stratton, c.15km to the east of site, suggest the examples there are likely to have made locally (Wells forthcoming). The examples from Stratton were noted to be visually and petrographically similar to Late medieval reduced wares produced at Everton. Interestingly similar decoration to that recorded on the C71 shoulder sherd from Site is also present on Late medieval reduced wares, although the sherds from Site are closer to the description of Late medieval reduced wares produced at Flitwick (Slowikowski 2011, 15). The Developed St Neots-type ware includes a jar with an everted neck and simple thickened rim and a strap handle from a jug with stabbed decoration.

A single small, abraded sherd of green glazed Saintonge ware (C31) from western France was also recovered from furrow [20207], dating to the late 13th to mid-14th century, and one sherd of Late medieval reduced ware (E01D) from feature [36104]. Just four sherds of post-medieval pottery were retrieved, represented by three abraded sherds of local Glazed red earthenware (P01; P02) and a single sherd of Staffordshire-type slipware, all of which are featureless.

Distribution, dating and function

Post-Roman pottery was collected from 22 individual contexts, comprising two layers and the fills of 19 landscape features (Table B-7). The majority of these were ditch features, with a smaller quantity from pits and a handful of sherds recovered from a trackway and the moat. All of the feature assemblages are small, containing less than 20 sherds, with the majority producing less than 5 sherds. Re-fitting sherds were identified in a small number of deposits, but no cross-joins were recorded between deposits or features.

The two small Early to Middle Anglo-Saxon sherds attest to little more than the presence of contemporary activity in the vicinity of site. Most of the pottery recovered ranges in date from the late 9th century to 14th century, although the majority of this material is probably dated to the 11th to 13th century. A couple of features, including ditch [18709], contained only Late Saxon pottery. These features could pre-date the 11th, but the most contained both Late Saxon type sandy wares or medieval shell-tempered wares potentially indicating that the first significant post-Roman exploitation of the Site dates to the 11th or 12th century. The small size of the feature assemblages and relatively small number of diagnostic forms provide only broad 11th or 12th to 13th century date ranges, although the combination of fabric and rim form in a few features, including ditches [18308] and [18803] is more suggestive of a 12th century date. Pottery types dated to the later 13th or 14th century and late medieval and post-medieval period is poorly represented, possibly indicative of a decline in the level or nature of activity on Site but the assemblage is small and not necessarily representative.

The majority of the pottery was collected from the Core Zone including all of the medieval material, with particular concentrations in Trenches 179 and 183. Small quantities were retrieved from the two other areas, with the two sherds of Anglo-Saxon pottery and the single sherd of late medieval pot from the Lake Zone and post-medieval pottery from the Lake Zone and the West Gateway Zone. The small and fragmentary nature of most of the feature assemblages is suggestive of secondary deposition, although some of the medieval groups may have been disposed of more directly from occupation in close proximity. The post-medieval pottery is particularly dispersed and abraded, with this material probably representing household waste brought onto Site as part of the agricultural manuring process and becoming worked into the top of earlier features.

The small size of the group may again be unreliable, but the form ratio appears typical of rural sites, comprised predominantly of jars, with a smaller number of bowls or dishes and jugs. There is no evident functional bias that could indicate specialised activities with the range and composition of the medieval assemblage, and occurrence of wear, residues and sooting, being consistent with rural domestic settlement activity. There is a general absence of glazed wares, although this is probably a reflection of the early date of the pottery recovered. The composition of the assemblage is also generally comparable to contemporary groups in the immediate and broader region (Blinkhorn 2005, 2019; Baker and Hassall 1979; Wells 1999 and forthcoming). The presence of a sherd of imported Saintonge ware is of some note on an inland rural Site and suggest at least some of local inhabitants had access to more desirable and expensive tableware.

Significance

The assemblage is of local significance in providing evidence for the date and nature of activity on Site and has the potential to add further to an understanding of the ceramic profile of the local area during the medieval period in particular.

Cut	Cxt	Fabric Code	Form	Comments	SC	ENV	Wgt	Date range		Context considered date
-	16603	P30		Small body sherd. Hollow form. Cup/posset?	1	1	1	1660	1870	1660 - 1870
-	18403	B		Very small body sherd tempered with moderate coarse shell. Medieval shelly? Too small to identify.	1	1	1	1000	1300	1000 - 1150
-	18403	B01		Very small body sherd.	1	1	1	875	1150	
-	18403	B01		Thick-walled fine shelly ware with abraded, discoloured surfaces. From the body or possibly base of a large vessel. Abraded. Atypical appearance for NEOT. Possibly Roman?	1	1	53	875	1150	
-	18403	B01A		Body sherd. Grey core, oxidised margins and surfaces.	1	1	9	875	1150	
-	18403	C		Very small crumbs of sandy wares. Too small to identify. X1 possibly C03 and post 1100.	2	2	1	1000	1400	
-	18403	C01		Very small body sherd.	1	1	1	1000	1300	
-	18403	C01		Coarse/gritty. Grey core and dark/dull orange margins and surfaces.	1	1	6	1000	1300	
12703	12704	P02		Base sherd, centre. Internal dark green glaze. Heavily abraded.	1	1	33	1550	1900	1550 - 1800
16201	16202	B		Very small sherd. Moderate fine to moderate sized shell. Less than 1g. Too small to identify.	1	1	1	1000	1300	1000 - 1300
16201	16202	C01		Body sherd. Grey core and brown margins and surfaces.	1	1	7	1000	1300	
16206	16207	B01A		Sagging base sherd. External and internal wear. Grey core, oxidised orange-buff margins and surfaces.	1	1	48	875	1150	1100 - 1200

Cut	Cxt	Fabric Code	Form	Comments	SC	ENV	Wgt	Date range		Context considered date
16206	16207	C71		Base sherd. Fine quartz sand-tempered ware (quartz up to 0.5mm, occasionally slightly larger). Oxidised orange to dark-orange-brown surfaces. Micaceous with sparse-moderate iron ore.	1	1	12	1000	1400	
16604	16605	C03	Jar	Everted neck and simple rim, flattened to top. Dark grey core and dark grey/brown surfaces. REVE: 0.07	1	1	23	1100	1300	1100 - 1200
17904	17906	B01		Very small crumbs. Weighing less than 1g.	3	1	1	875	1150	1100 - 1200
17904	17906	B01	Bowl	Rim and body sherds from the same bowl. Everted, thickened rim, slightly flattened to top. Reduced grey throughout. REVE: 0.07	4	1	28	875	1150	
17904	17906	C		Very small crumbs weighing less than 1g. X1 C71? X1 medieval greyware?	3	3	1	1000	1400	
17904	17906	C03		Very small sherds from two/three vessels. Nr C01.	7	8	8	1100	1300	
17904	17906	C03		Body sherds.	2	2	11	1100	1300	
18306	18307	B01C		Body sherds. Dark grey/black cores. Orange, dark buff, brown to dark brown surfaces.	2	2	7	875	1150	1100 - 1300
18306	18307	B07	Jar	Everted neck and simple thickened rim. 12th century? Possibly late high-fired B01. Grey core, pale orange/buff surfaces. REVE: 0.07	1	1	7	1100	1300	
18306	18307	B07		Body sherds. Grey core and oxidised margins and surfaces. Borderline B01A.	2	2	8	1100	1300	

Cut	Cxt	Fabric Code	Form	Comments	SC	ENV	Wgt	Date range		Context considered date
18306	18307	C01		Thickened (clubbed) rim. Too small to measure rim. Coarse sandy ware with moderate to abundant grog. Grey core and brown surfaces. Grog abundant C01 or possibly Roman.	1	1	8	1000	1300	
18306	18307	C03		Small body and base sherds. Thin-walled, well-made. Predominantly reduced dark grey or dark grey/black. Patches of lighter grey or buff to outer surfaces.	3	2	8	1100	1300	
18308	18309	B01		Body sherds.	3	3	11	875	1150	1100 - 1200
18308	18309	B01	Jar	Upright neck and thickened, slightly undercut rim. REVE: 0.07	1	1	19	875	1150	
18308	18309	B01C		Small body sherd.	1	1	1	875	1150	
18308	18309	B07		Body sherds. ?High-fired B04?	2	1	7	1100	1300	
18308	18309	C03		Small body sherds. Reduced dark grey/black with some dark buff margins.	5	4	13	1100	1300	
18308	18309	C03	Jar	Everted neck and simple slightly thickened, flat-topped jar rim. Grey core and dull brownish-orange surfaces. REVE: 0.12	3	1	71	1100	1300	
18308	18309	C71		Body sherd. C01?	1	1	7	1100	1400	
18310	18311	B01	Jar	Everted, hollowed neck and slightly thickened rim. Lightly abraded. Too small to measure rim accurately.	1	1	14	875	1150	1100 - 1300
18310	18311	B01		Body or base sherd.	1	1	4	875	1150	
18310	18311	B01		Small body sherd. Internal surface missing. Applied thumbed decoration externally, part of a strip?	1	1	4	875	1150	

Cut	Cxt	Fabric Code	Form	Comments	SC	ENV	Wgt	Date range		Context considered date
18310	18311	C03		Body sherd. Thin-walled. External groups of incised/combed horizontal lines. External sooting.	1	1	28	1100	1300	
18310	18311	C71	Jar	Fresh breaks (3 sherds). Shoulder sherds. Grey core and dark buff margins and surfaces. Fourth sherd possibly from a different part of the same vessel. Row of horizontal dimples above spaced horizontal incised lines. Lightly abraded. Not dissimilar to Flitwick Late Med Reduced ware – but more iron ore.	4	1	31	1100	1400	
18312	18313	B01		Sagging base sherd. Thin-walled vessel. Heavy internal burnt residue.	1	1	22	875	1150	1100 - 1200
18312	18313	B01		Base sherds.	8	3	29	875	1150	
18312	18313	B07		Body sherd. High-fired. Internal and external surface laminated/abraded. Transitional B01/7.	1	1	23	1100	1300	
18312	18313	C03		Base sherd. Reduced dark grey, some greyish-brown external patches.	1	1	19	1100	1300	
18312	18313	C05		Grey core, orangish-brown margins and brown to brownish-grey surfaces. Possibly C01?	1	1	4	1100	1400	
18314	18315	C71		Body sherd. Internal surface abraded/worn. Applied thumbled strip externally. Grey core, orange-buff to grey external surface.	1	1	10	1100	1400	1100 - 1400
18503	18504	B		Small body sherd. Vesiculated/leached fine shell and sparse quartz.	1	1	1	1000	1300	1000 - 1300

Cut	Cxt	Fabric Code	Form	Comments	SC	ENV	Wgt	Date range		Context considered date
18702	18703	B07	Jug	Strap handle and lower attachment from a jug. Grey core and oxidised mid to dark orange margins and surfaces. Stabbed decoration, one central and two above to the side.	1	1	57	1100	1300	1100 - 1300
18702	18703	C		Very small body sherd. Nr C71 but sparse/moderate fine quartz rather than abundant. Weighs less than 1g.	1	1	1	1000	1400	
18704	18705	C71		Body sherd. C71. Sparse calc inclusions to outer surface only. Grey core and inner surface. Oxidised outer surface. Possibly handmade and early?	1	1	21	1100	1400	1100 - 1300
18709	18708	B01		Small body sherd.	1	1	2	875	1150	875 - 1150
18709	18708	B04		Small body sherd. Oxidised throughout. Borderline B07.	1	1	1	875	1150	
18803	18802	B01		Very small body sherd weighing less than 1g.	1	1	1	875	1150	1100 - 1200
18803	18802	B04	Bowl	Bowl or dish with an externally thickened, slightly inturned rim. Top of body carination present. Dark grey body and dark grey to brown surfaces. Nr Hurst 1956 Fig.3.18 dish from Tempsford but slightly more inturned. Rim too small to measure accurately.	1	1	19	875	1150	
18803	18802	C		Very small body sherd weighing less than 1g. Fine sandy micaceous fabric. Similar to C03 but could be Roman greyware or even Thetford-type ware.	1	1	1	1000	1300	

Cut	Cxt	Fabric Code	Form	Comments	SC	ENV	Wgt	Date range		Context considered date
18803	18802	C71	Jar	Neck and shoulder sherd from a large jar/storage jar. Fine, slightly micaceous quartz sand-tempered ware (abundant quartz up to 0.5mm, occasionally slightly larger) and sparse to moderate iron ore. Grey core and orange/buff margins and surfaces. Applied thumbled strip to base of neck and top of one extending vertically down the body. Incised wavy line to top of shoulder (running under the thumbled vertical strip).	1	1	105	1100	1400	
20207	20208	C31		Small body sherd. Internal even(?) green glaze. Spots of external glaze. Abraded.	1	1	2	1280	1350	1280 - 1350
25703	25704	P02		Small base sherd. External surface missing. Internal clear glaze. Abraded.	1	1	5	1550	1900	1550 - 1900
34003	34004	A		Mixed quartz, quartzite and sandstone inclusions. Sparse calc and possible feldspar. Dark-grey throughout. Fairly thin-walled but atypical medieval sandy ware fabric.	1	1	6	400	850	400 - 850
34003	34004	A26		Very small body sherd. Fine quartz sand and sparse organic inclusions. Dark grey/black throughout.	1	1	1	400	850	
36104	36105	E01D		Thin-walled shoulder sherd. Dark grey core, buff/brown margins and dark grey surfaces. Faint, spaced external incised horizontal lines.	1	1	19	1375	1550	1375 - 1550

Cut	Cxt	Fabric Code	Form	Comments	SC	ENV	Wgt	Date range		Context considered date
42003	42004	P01		Body sherd. Internal and external clear glaze. Moderately abraded.	1	1	12	1550	1900	1550 - 1900

Table B-7: Pottery by feature and context. Cxt; Context; SC = Sherd count; ENV; Estimated number of vessels; Wgt; Weight in grams.

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The Clay Tobacco Pipe

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A single clay tobacco pipe stem fragment (Mass: 4g) was recovered from the fill (21104) of furrow [21103] within Trench 211 during the evaluation works within the Core Zone. The pipe fragment was recovered from the field as a bulk find alongside two ceramic sherds and ceramic building material.

The object's weight was registered using a Sartorius digital scale accurate to 0.1g and has been identified and recorded according to the National Standards laid out in *Guidelines for the Recovery and Processing of Clay Tobacco Pipes from Archaeological Projects* (Higgins 2017).

The clay tobacco pipe stem fragment does not show any indication of a stamp, mould or decoration that would indicate a maker, specific place of origin or a date range narrower than 1580 to 1910. Although two sherds of ceramic were recovered from the same context as the pipe (21104) that were later dated to the Late Iron Age/Early Roman period, this has no bearing on the date of the pipe as it is likely that these were all residual within the furrow fill.

The presence of the pipe supports the post-medieval to modern date of the furrow from which it was recovered, but adds little further to the Site narrative with regards to earlier periods of occupation. The stem fragment is not significant to our understanding of the Site but should still be considered during formal assessment alongside any assemblage recovered during future works.

References

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The Glass

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Introduction and Methodology

A small glass assemblage (Mass: 9.1g) was examined in June 2024 following the Project 320 Phase 1 archaeological evaluation, in Bedfordshire.

The finds were examined macroscopically with the aim of identifying object type, function, and date.

The finds were hand-retrieved in the field as bulk finds (identified by 'Bulk' followed by their context of discovery (e.g., Bulk 35204)), as well as during the post-excavation processing of soil sample retent (identified by their sample number (e.g., <63>)). Unstratified finds are identified by 'U/S'. Finds were weighed using a Sartorius digital scale accurate to 0.1g. A summary table of the finds by context has been included (Table B-8), with an expanded inventory presented as a separate Microsoft Excel spreadsheet.

The Assemblage

The glass assemblage comprises seven shards, including four shards from three contexts, along with an unstratified find from the Core Zone, and three shards from three contexts within the Lake Zone. The glass from the Lake Zone is representative of Romano-British settlement activity, identified within Trenches 351, 352, and 380, with a light blue aqua flat-panel vessel body shard (Bulk 35204) recovered from the fill (35204) of a small pit, and a yellow tinged vessel shard with a ground lip (<71>) that was retrieved from an occupation deposit (38014).

The most significant find is that of a heavily heat-affected and runned fragment (<63>) of greyish green-blue fabric with an opaque white twist that was recovered from the fill (35104) of the cremation burial [35103] and represents a possible bead or other object that was present on the pyre with the deceased at the time of cremation and was included with the remains as part of the burial.

A fragment of light greyish blue-green Romano-British curved vessel glass with a ribbed decoration (U/S) was recovered as an unstratified find from Trench 210, representing Romano-British activity within the Core Zone. The remaining Core Zone glass is represented by small, non-classifiable shatter sherds and vessel sherds dating from the medieval, post-medieval and modern periods, with a tiny fleck of medieval glass (<4>) recovered from a medieval ditch in Trench 158, a fragment of 16th century or later bottle glass (Bulk 16603) from a deposit related to post-medieval activity in Trench 166, and a cobalt blue fragment of likely modern glass (<11>) from the medieval moat feature within Trench 162, that may be intrusive to the fill.

Significance and Potential

The small glass assemblage is considered to be of local significance, with Romano-British fragments representing the residual remains of settlement activity within both the Lake and Core Zones. The most significant find is that of the heat-affected glass associated with the cremation burial, which represents a likely personal item present with the deceased on the pyre. Limited medieval and post-medieval activity was identified, particularly within the Core Zone, which reflects continued habitation and land use within this area.

Recommendations

Further specialist analysis and reporting on the glass from the evaluation discussed in this report is merited and should be considered alongside assessment of any glass from subsequent mitigation excavations. The accompanying excel spreadsheet inventory details the further work recommended, including further examination, analysis and reporting, illustration, and retention/discard.

Area	Trench	Context #	Context description	Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
Core Zone	158	15803	Single fill of ditch slot [15802], part of a large, possibly medieval ditch. SW Field.	<4>	Glass	Non-classifiable	Shatter shard	Non-diagnostic, possible vessel shard. Thin-walled and slightly curved. Reddish brown oxidised.	N	1	<0.1	Medieval
Core Zone	162	16202	Primary fill of possibly medieval moat feature [16201].	<11>	Glass	Non-classifiable	Vessel shard	Cobalt blue vessel shard with a narrow curve. Possibly a neck shard from a vial.	N	1	<0.1	Likely post-medieval/modern.
Core Zone	166	16603	Deposit relating to an area of activity, or a very shallow truncated ditch. Possibly Post-medieval.	Bulk 16603	Glass	Non-classifiable	Vessel shard	Light olive green rounded body shard.	N	1	2.1	Likely 16th C or later

Area	Trench	Context #	Context description	Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
Core Zone	210	U/S	Unstratified.	U/S	Glass	Non-classifiable	Vessel shard	Light greyish blue green rounded vessel shard. Slightly angled interior and ribbed exterior.	N	1	2	Likely Romano-British

Area	Trench	Context #	Context description	Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
Lake Zone	351	35104	Spit 2, fill of cremation burial pit [35103].	<63>	Glass	Non-classifiable	Heat-affected object	Small molten flow. Greyish green-blue with an opaque white twist. Flattened rectangular section-possibly pooling, with an elongated arm to one side. Possible bead or similar within the cremation burial	N	1	0.9	Possible Iron Age/Romano-British

Area	Trench	Context #	Context description	Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
Lake Zone	352	35204	Naturally deposited infill of small, shallow circular pit [35203].	Bulk 35204	Glass	Non-classifiable	Square/rectangular vessel shard	Light blue aqua base with 90-degree flat panel body. Wear along base with impurities in the fabric.	N	1	4	Likely Romano-British
Lake Zone	380	38014	Occupation deposit associated with Romano-British agricultural settlement activity. Possible activity hollow or natural hollow fill.	<71>	Glass	Non-classifiable	Circular/cylindrical vessel shard	Likely vessel shard. Clear and colourless/light yellowish tinge. Ground flat lip and bevelled/concave edge.	N	1	0.1	Likely Romano-British

Table B-8 : The glass assemblage from Project 320 (Phase 1 Evaluation) by context

The Industrial Materials

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This report considers 59 fragments of industrial material (Mass: 228.4g) recovered from five separate contexts comprising fragments of magnetic and non-magnetic vitrified residues and coal from the fill (18708) of ditch (18709) in Trench 187 in the Core Zone, and fragments of non-magnetic vitrified residues (NMVR) from the deposit associated with Romano-British agricultural settlement (38014) in Trench 380 in the Lake Zone, fills (20406), (42004), (20817) of linears [20405], [42004] and ditch [20816] within Trench 204 in the Core Zone and Trenches 380 and 420 in the Lake Zone.

The finds were examined macroscopically with the aid of a binocular microscope and weighed using a Sartorius digital scale accurate to 0.1g. The finds were recovered both as bulk finds on Site and through the post-excavation processing of soil sample retent. For identification purposes, those finds that were recovered as bulk finds have been listed with the word 'Bulk' followed by the associated context number (i.e., Bulk 20406) and those recovered during soil processing are identified by the associated sample number (i.e., <024>). For differentiation purposes, any finds recovered from processing of soil samples of different types of material have been indicated with another number following the designated sample number (i.e., <024.1>, <024.2>).

The fragments of MVR and NMVR (<024.1>, Bulk 20406, <032>, <071>, Bulk 42004) are likely the result of some form of high-temperature event, possibly taking place within a hearth setting, although they are not diagnostic of a particular industrial or domestic process. Although none of the fragments of NMVR are considered closely datable, the fragments recovered from the deposit associated with Romano-British agricultural settlement activity (<071>) and those recovered within contexts that contain ceramics that have been identified as Romano-British (<024.1>, Bulk 20406, Bulk 42004), are worth noting as their presence could indicate processes associated with that time period.

The five fragments of coal (<024.2>) could also represent fuel remains possibly relating to Romano-British activity due to the presence of Romano-British ceramics within the same context.

The fragments of industrial material within the assemblage are considered to be of limited archaeological significance, however, it is recommended that these are considered during the formal assessment alongside any assemblage recovered during future works with emphasis on the fragments that were recovered within the context associated with the use of Romano-British agricultural settlement (<071>) and those with associated Romano-British ceramics (<024.1>, <024.2>, Bulk 20406, Bulk 42004) as this could provide insights into the understanding of settlement during this period

Context no	Context Description	Quantity	Material	Object name	Period or century	Bulk/Sample no	Description/comments	Mass (g)	Retain
Trench 187, Core Zone									
18708	Fill of Ditch [18109]	50	Industrial Material	Non-Magnetic and Magnetic Vitrified Residue	Not Closely Datable	<024.1>	Mostly non-magnetic vitrified amorphous residue fragments with shale fragments adhered to come surfaces.	163.8	N
18708	Fill of Ditch [18109]	5	Industrial Material	Coal	Not Closely Datable	<024.2>	Small fragments of coal.	0.3	N
Trench 204, Core Zone									
20406	Fill of Linear Ditch [20405]	1	Industrial Material	Non-Magnetic Vitrified Residues	Not Closely Datable	Bulk 20406	Non-magnetic vitrified amorphous residue fragment charcoal visible on surface.	60.4	N
Trench 208, Core Zone									
20817	Fill of Ditch [20816]	1	Industrial Material	NMVR	Not Closely Datable	<032>	Small non-magnetic amorphous porous fragment of vitrified material.	0.2	N
Trench 380, Lake Zone									

Context no	Context Description	Quantity	Material	Object name	Period or century	Bulk/Sample no	Description/comments	Mass (g)	Retain
38014	Deposit associated with use of Romano-British agricultural settlement activity. Possibly the result of activity forming a shallow wear hollow or potentially infill of a natural hollow over time	1	Industrial Material	NMVR	Not Closely Datable	<071>	Small non-magnetic amorphous porous fragment of vitrified material.	<0.1	N
Trench 420, Lake Zone									
42004	Fill of Linear [42003]	1	Industrial Material	NMVR	Not Closely Datable	Bulk 42004	Angular porous fragment of non-magnetic vitrified material.	3.6	N

Table B-9: Industrial Material by context

The Worked and Burnt Flint

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Introduction

Small assemblages of struck and burnt unworked flint were presented for assessment by AOC Archaeology Group. These had been recovered during an archaeological evaluation carried out ahead of undefined development at Bedford in 2023.

The Struck Flint

A combined total of 13 pieces of struck flint were recovered from nine separate contexts across the Lake Zone, Core Zone and West Gateway Zone (the majority coming from the Core Zone). The material is set out in **Table B-10**. No single context produced more than two pieces.

The raw material comprised semi-translucent and opaque grey/yellow/brown flint, likely to have been locally sourced. A majority of the pieces were in fresh condition, though several had been burnt and one – an improvised awl/piercer from context 29606 – had been partly re-corticated a milky-blue colour.

The small assemblage was dominated by unmodified debitage of one sort or another, mostly flake blanks of small size. Two flakes, one each from contexts 26607 and 30304, featured marginal retouch/use.

Of most interest, though unfortunately unstratified, was a bifacially retouched barbed and tanged arrowhead of Conygar Hill type (Green 1980, 123, fig 46 and 127, fig 50). This had been worked on a flake of banded dark grey/brown flint (L: 31 mm; W: 23 mm; Th: 4 mm; Wt: 3 g) and was complete save for a missing barb and impact damage at its tip.

Area/ Trench	Cxt No	Cxt type	Flake (frag)	Blade (frag)	Spall	Chunk	Other	Total
-	+	Unstratified					1 barbed and tanged arrowhead	1
SE 'D' T132	13203 <102>	Fill of trackway ditch 13202		-1				1
SW 'B' T209	20904 <14>	Fill of post hole 20903	1					1
'B' T210	21004 <25>	Fill of RB ditch 21003	(1*)					1
	21005 <25>	LIA/RB pit	1			1		2

Area/ Trench	Cxt No	Cxt type	Flake (frag)	Blade (frag)	Spall	Chunk	Other	Total
'B' T266	26607	Fill of RB ditch 26606	2					2
'B' T296	29606	Fill of furrow 29605					1 awl/ piercer	1
'B' T298	29806 <57>	Fill of pit 29807			1*			1
'B' T303	30304	Fill of LIA/RB ring gully	1					1
'A' T383	38304 <77>	Fill of enclosure ditch 38305		1	1			2
TOTALS			5 (1)	1 (1)	2	1	2	13

Table B-10: All struck flint from all contexts (*=burnt piece)

The Burnt Unworked Flint

A very small quantity of burnt unworked flint was present in 10 separate contexts across the Core Zone and comprised 28 very small-small clasts weighing less than 21 g in total. This is set out in **Table B-11**.

The negligible quantities involved are uninterpretable.

Area/ Trench	Cxt No	Cxt type	Nos clasts	Wt (g)	Size comment
SW 'B' T162	16202 <11>	Fill of Med moat 16201	1	<1	V small
'B' T179	17906 <1>	Fill of pit 17904	1	<1	V small
'B' T188	18802 <3>	Fill of ditch 18803	3	<1	V small
-	20104 <22>	-	1	<1	V small
'B' T204	20404 <26>	Fill of RB ditch 20403	1	2	Small
	20406 <27>	Fill of ditch 20405	5	4	V small-small
'B' 210	21004 <25>	Fill of RB ditch 21003	10	6	V small-small

Area/ Trench	Cxt No	Cxt type	Nos clasts	Wt (g)	Size comment
'B' T217	21706 <35>	Fill of RB trackway ditch 21705	4	3	Small
'B' T250	25004 <42>	Fill of pit 25003	1	<1	V small
'B' T298	29806 <57>	Fill of pit 29807	1	<1	V small
TOTALS			28	<21	

Table B-11: All burnt unworked flint from all contexts

Dating and Affinities

With the exception of the unstratified barbed and tanged arrowhead, the small quantity of struck material is not particularly diagnostic as to date. Much of it appears to come from features ascribed to the Late Iron Age and Roman periods and is therefore likely to be residual. It is possible that the partially re-corticated improvised awl/piercer from furrow 29606 is early (i.e. possibly Mesolithic/Neolithic).

The barbed and tanged arrowhead itself is of late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age date. Such pieces are often assumed to have Beaker affinities on the basis of funerary associations.

Significance of the Lithic Assemblage

As it stands the lithic assemblage from the evaluation phase is of no more than local significance and indicative of little more than a low level human presence. The barbed and tanged arrowhead may represent a casual hunting loss, though it could have been collected as a curio at any time during the later occupancy of the Site.

Potential for Further Analysis

No further analysis is warranted at this stage, although a short illustrated note on the arrowhead is worth incorporating in any written account.

Recommendations

No further work is warranted on the lithic component, but any future strip, map and sample exercise carried out on the Site is likely to produce a larger and more usable assemblage.

Reference

Green, H S, 1980 *The Flint Arrowheads of the British Isles*, BAR (British Series), 75

The Metal Finds

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Introduction

A small metal finds assemblage comprising 49 objects and fragments (Mass: 565.4g) was recovered during the archaeological Phase 1 evaluation undertaken as part of Project 320, in Bedfordshire.

Methodology

The assemblage was examined macroscopically and with the aid of x-radiography with the aim of identifying object type, function, and date, and to compile an inventory for assessment purposes (separate Microsoft Excel spreadsheet). No conservation treatment had been undertaken prior to assessment.

The finds were hand-retrieved in the field as registered finds (identified by 'RF' followed by their finds number (e.g., RF 1)) and as bulk finds (identified by 'Bulk' followed by their context of discovery (e.g., Bulk 25704)), as well as during the post-excavation processing of soil sample retent (identified by their sample number (e.g., <63>)). Where more than one object type was identified within the same bulk finds or retent bag, these have been differentiated with the addition of a sub-letter for ease of reference (e.g., Bulk 25704a, Bulk 25704b; <63>a, <63>b). Unstratified finds are identified by 'U/S'.

Finds were weighed using a Sartorius digital scale accurate to 0.1g. A summary table of the finds by context has been included as **Table B-12**, with an expanded inventory presented as a separate Microsoft Excel spreadsheet.

The assemblage

The metal finds assemblage comprises a total of 49 objects and fragments (565.4g), including 46 in ferrous metal (518.3g), two copper alloy (1.1g), and one in lead (46.0g). One object (Bulk 18403), identified in the field as metal from a probable medieval occupation deposit (18403) within the Core Zone has been identified as a fragment of natural ironstone. The finds survive in a range of conditions, although the vast majority survive in a heavily corroded and fragmented state. Many of the finds recovered are not considered to be closely dateable due to their fragmented state, or to their long-lived functional forms which were subject to very little change over a broad period of time.

The most significant finds within the assemblage are likely to be those recovered from the fill (35104) of the cremation burial [35103] from Trench 351 in the Lake Zone, which comprise a number of small fragments possibly representing fine craftworking tools including fragments of a possible awl or awls (<62>), two possible tool bits with flattened tapering terminals (<62>b-

c); two likely nail tips, one with copper alloy adhered (<63>a, d), and a second degraded lump of copper alloy (RF 10) displaying possible evidence of having been heat-affected.

Finds associated with Romano-British settlement and agricultural activity comprise, from the Lake Zone: a small quantity of dress accessories, including a likely square or rectangular buckle frame fragment (RF 15) possibly related to horse equipment, and two Romano-British hobnails (RF 18c, <71>a), all recovered from ditch and occupation deposits within Trenches 380 and 383, and a possible tool in the form of an awl or punch (RF 18a) from a ditch fill in Trench 380.

A total of nine nails and nail fragments associated with Romano-British features were identified, all of which are fragmentary, with some displaying clenched tips, indicating that they were deposited while still *in situ* within their likely wooden fixtures. The majority of the classifiable nails represent Manning Type 1b examples, which are considered to be general purpose nails (Manning 1985, 134), while one Manning Type 3 nail with a possible T-shaped head is also present.

Other likely Romano-British finds are largely non-classifiable at this stage and will require further analysis to identify; these comprise, from the Lake Zone, a possible J-shaped hook (RF 18b) and a rectangular fragment (RF 17) from Trench 380, and a rod fragment (RF 11), tapering ovoid fragment (RF 12), and unidentifiable linear fragment (Bulk 38304) from Trench 383, and from the Core Zone, a ferrous metal bar with opposing flattened terminals (RF 3) from Trench 217, a perforated, tapering object (U/S 2) and a fragment of possible binding strip (U/S 1) recovered as unstratified finds from Trench 210, and a curved section of ovoid copper alloy wire (RF 6) associated with a trackway in Trench 216, which may relate to domestic, transport, or agricultural activity.

Finds associated with a medieval moated settlement and ditch and gully systems were recovered from Trenches 162 (16202) and 183 (18309, 18311), and comprise a largely intact Manning Type 1b nail (Bulk 18311), a possible hinge fragment or hook (RF 1) from gully fill (18309), and a number of small wire fragments (<11>) from the moat fill (16202), all likely representing residual fixtures and fittings.

Post-medieval and later finds were identified in both the Core and Lake Zones, with a possible Manning Type 3 T-shaped nail fragment (Bulk 25704a), and a small strip fragment with a curled terminal (Bulk 25704b) recovered from the fill (25704) of a large, late post-medieval to early modern field boundary, which was identified in Trench 257 in the Core Zone, and a lead pipe fragment (Bulk 36604a), two fragments of likely iron scrap (Bulk 36604d-e), a threaded, machined rod fragment (Bulk 36604c), and a Manning Type 1b nail fragment (Bulk 36604b) recovered from the fill (36604) of a small posthole or pit within Trench 366 in the Lake Zone.

Significance and potential

The metal assemblage is considered to be of site-specific and local archaeological significance, with the recovered finds representing periods of settlement and agricultural activity focused around the Romano-British and medieval periods.

The most significant finds are likely to be the possible fine craftworking tool fragments and degraded copper alloy fragments recovered in association with the cremation burial in the Lake Zone, though it is not clear at this stage if the finds recovered from the cremation were present on the pyre or were incorporated within the backfilled soils, however there is possible evidence for burning in a heavily degraded lump of copper alloy (RF 10) with further research required to further establish the relationship between the finds within the burial fill and the cremation.

Romano-British settlement and agricultural activity, likely associated with ladder-type field systems, was identified in two zones, with a focus of activity centered around Trenches 204, 210, 216, and 217 in the Core Zone, and Trenches 369, 380, 383, and 395 in the Lake Zone. Medieval settlement and agricultural activity was also identified in the Core Zone, with particular association with the moated site identified in the vicinity of Trenches 162 and 183.

As a whole, these finds represent the fragmented residual remains of settlement and agricultural activity spanning over a broad period, with the majority of the material relating to Romano-British land use and occupation, followed by limited evidence for medieval activity, as well as a small number of features marking a continuation into the post-medieval and modern periods.

Recommendations

Further specialist analysis and reporting on the metal finds discussed in this report is recommended and should be considered alongside assessment of any metal finds from subsequent mitigation excavations with particular focus on the Romano-British material, which will need further identification and classification aid in the categorisation and dating of the activity taking place in both the Core Zone and Lake Zone. Particular emphasis should be on establishing the relationship between the cremation burial and fine craftworking tool fragments to determine if they represent burial goods or residual fragments within the grave fill. The accompanying excel spreadsheet inventory details the further work recommended, including conservation, further examination and analysis and reporting, illustration, and retention/discard.

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Table B-12: The metal finds from Project 320 (Phase 1 Evaluation) by zone, trench, and context

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
Core Zone											
162	16202	Primary fill of medieval moat feature [16201].	<11>	Fe	Non-classifiable	Wire fragments	Sections of circular cross-sectioned wire, with one flattened section present.	N	7	2.9	Not closely dateable.
183	18309	Fill of linear gully [18308]. Possibly medieval.	RF 1	Fe	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Possible hinge fragment or hook. Also potential tool bit? Flattened, possibly slightly curved head tapering to a slightly curved shank	N	1	2.8	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
183	18311	Silted-up fill of linear ditch [18310]. Possibly medieval.	Bulk 18311	Fe	Nails	Nail	Manning Type 1b. More likely medieval than Roman. Flat ovoid head and a tapering rectangular cross-sectioned shank. Slightly distorted.	Y	1	3.4	Not closely dateable.
184	18403	Probable occupation deposit, possibly mixed and disturbed. Likely medieval.	Bulk 18403	ST	Stone	Stone	Fragment of ironstone.	N	1	32.3	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
204	20406	Fill of linear ditch [20405]. Internal ditch within Roman ladder field system.	Bulk 20406	Fe	Nails	Nail	Robust Manning Type 1b. Flat circular to ovoid head and straight square cross-sectioned shank with broken tip	N	1	22.5	Not closely dateable.
210	U/S	Unstratified.	U/S 1	Fe	Fixtures and fittings	Binding strip	Slightly curved flat strap broken across a perforation at each end.	N	1	13.2	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
210	U/S	Unstratified.	U/S 2	Fe	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Tapering, roughly triangular, flat object. Parallel linear channels with remnants of rectangular perforations. Central and outer raised ridges.	N	1	68.5	Not closely dateable.
216	21617	Fill of linear ditch or possible trackway [21616]. Potentially Roman.	RF 6	CuA	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Curved section of ovoid cross-sectioned wire. Ends possibly intact.	N	1	0.8	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
217	21706	Top fill of linear [21705] making up part of a NW-SE running Roman trackway.	RF 3	Fe	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Length of possibly square cross-sectioned bar. Flattened terminals are orientated in opposition, vertical versus horizontal, with one side offset.	N	1	19.5	Not closely dateable.
217	21706	Top fill of linear [21705] making up part of a NW-SE running Roman trackway.	RF 2	Fe	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Unidentifiable lump. Small rectangular fragment.	N	1	1.1	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
257	25704	Fill of a large, late post medieval or early modern field boundary [25703].	Bulk 25704a	Fe	Nails	Nail	Manning Type 3. Possible T-shaped head and Broken square cross-sectioned shank. Two joining fragments.	N	1	3.1	Not closely dateable.
257	25704	Fill of a large, late post medieval or early modern field boundary [25703].	Bulk 25704b	Fe	Non-classifiable	Strip	Thin, flat rectangular strip with one curled terminal	N	1	1	Not closely dateable.
Lake Zone											

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
351	35104	Fill of cremation burial within pit [35103]. Spit 2.	RF 10	CuA	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Small degraded fragment of copper alloy possible banding though unclear. Appears heat-affected.	N	1	0.3	Not closely dateable.
351	35104	Fill of cremation burial within pit [35103].	<62>	Fe	Non-classifiable	Possible tool	Fragments of a possible awl. Diamond-shaped cross-section and pointed tips. One flattened fragment with a possible curled edge.	N	4	2.8	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
351	35104	Fill of cremation burial within pit [35103].	<63>a	Fe	Nails	Nail	Clenched nail tip.	N	1	0.3	Not closely dateable.
351	35104	Fill of cremation burial within pit [35103].	<63>b	Fe	Non-classifiable	Possible tool	Possible tool bit. Partial shank with a flattened triangular terminal.	N	1	0.8	Not closely dateable.
351	35104	Fill of cremation burial within pit [35103].	<63>c	Fe	Non-classifiable	Possible tool	Possible tool bit or nail with flattened vertical head. Slightly bent shank	N	1	1.8	Not closely dateable.
351	35104	Fill of cremation burial within pit [35103].	<63>d	Fe/CuA	Non-classifiable	Possible nail tip	Possible nail tip with a lump of degraded copper alloy adhered.	N	1	0.3	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
366	36604	Fill of small, circular posthole or pit [36603].	Bulk 36604b	Fe	Nails	Nail	Manning Type 1b. Post med rather than Roman. Flat rectangular head and a partial, straight shank	N	1	13.8	Not closely dateable.
366	36604	Fill of small, circular posthole or pit [36603].	Bulk 36604c	Fe	Fixtures and fittings	Threaded rod	Length of machined, circular rod threaded across the full length	N	1	2.5	Modern
366	36604	Fill of small, circular posthole or pit [36603].	Bulk 36604d	Fe	Non-classifiable	Scrap	Section of ovoid cross-sectioned scrap	N	1	74.7	Likely post-medieval
366	36604	Fill of small, circular posthole or pit [36603].	Bulk 36604e	Fe	Non-classifiable	Scrap	Fragment of thin iron, possible pipe fragment.	N	1	19.1	Modern

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
366	36604	Fill of small, circular posthole or pit [36603].	Bulk 36604a	Pb	Fixtures and fittings	Pipe	Section of distorted circular pipe. Ends possibly clipped.	N	1	46	Not closely dateable.
369	36903	Natural infill of Roman linear ditch terminus [36904].	<68>	Fe	Nails	Nail	Clenched shank and tip. Square cross-section. And a 90-degree clench to a pointed tip. In to joining fragments.	N	1	6.2	Not closely dateable.
380	38008	Fill of ditch [38007]. Augered.	RF 18a	Fe	Non-classifiable	Possible tool	Tapering, thin possibly ovoid cross-section to a pointed tip. Possible awl?	N	1	7.1	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
380	38008	Fill of ditch [38007]. Augered.	RF 18b	Fe	Non-classifiable	Hook	Likely hook. J-shaped curve and possible broken terminal.	N	1	4.7	Not closely dateable.
380	38008	Fill of ditch [38007]. Augered.	RF 18c	Fe	Nails	Hobnail	Manning Type 10. Intact hobnail. No leather noted, but possible.	Y	1	1.9	Roman
380	38014	Deposit associated with the use of Romano-British agricultural settlement activity. Wear hollow or natural infill.	<71>a	Fe	Nails	Hobnail	Manning Type 10. Intact hobnail. Peaked head and curved shank.	Y	2	1.9	Roman

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
380	38014	Deposit associated with the use of Romano-British agricultural settlement activity. Wear hollow or natural infill.	<71>b	Fe	Nails	Shank	Likely nail shank. Square cross-section tapering and slightly curving to a spoon-shaped tip.	N	2	4.5	Not closely dateable.
380	38018	Fill of linear Roman ditch [38017].	RF 17	Fe	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Rectangular fragment. Possibly layered.	N	1	83.3	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
383	38304	Finds-rich fill of linear ditch recut [38303], part of the rectangular enclosure in the NW part of Lake Zone, part of a Roman ladder field system.	RF 11	Fe	Non-classifiable	Rod	Length of slightly bent circular cross-sectioned rod. One end possibly intact.	N	1	17.9	Not closely dateable.
383	38304	Finds-rich fill of linear ditch recut [38303], part of the rectangular enclosure in the NW part of the Lake Zone, part of a Roman ladder field system.	RF 12	Fe	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Unidentified object. Likely ovoid cross-section, tapering to a broken point.	N	1	27.8	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
383	38304	Finds-rich fill of linear ditch recut [38303], part of the rectangular enclosure in the NW part of the Lake Zone, part of a Roman ladder field system.	RF 15	Fe	Dress accessories	Buckle	Likely square to rectangular framed buckle fragment. One complete and two partial sides. Potential horse equipment.	N	1	16.7	Not closely dateable.
383	38304	Finds-rich fill of linear ditch recut [38303], part of the rectangular enclosure in the NW part of the Lake Zone, part of a Roman ladder field system.	RF 19	Fe	Nails	Nail	Manning Type 1b. Flat circular head and a clenched, broken tip.	N	1	17.1	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
383	38304	Finds-rich fill of linear ditch recut [38303], part of the rectangular enclosure in the NW part of the Lake Zone, part of a Roman ladder field system.	RF 16	Fe	Nails	Nail	Manning Type 1b. Flat square head and a straight narrow shank with broken tip	N	1	27.5	Not closely dateable.
383	38304	Finds-rich fill of linear ditch recut [38303], part of the rectangular enclosure in the NW part of the Lake Zone, part of a Roman ladder field system.	Bulk 38304	Fe	Non-classifiable	Unidentified	Unidentifiable. Linear, possibly tapering to a pointed tip. Circular to possibly square cross-section.	N	1	27.6	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
383	38308	Charcoal-rich fill of Roman enclosure ditch [38305], part of the ladder field system. Recut by [38305].	Bulk 38308	Fe	Nails	Nail	Manning Type 1b. Possible slightly peaked ovoid head and a straight shank.	N	1	14.3	Not closely dateable.
395	39503	Fill of linear Roman enclosure ditch [39502].	<69>a	Fe	Nails	Nail	Manning Type 1b. Flat circular head and a straight, broken rectangular shank.	N	1	2.9	Not closely dateable.

Trench	Context #	Context description	RF/Bulk/Sample #	Material:	Classification:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:
395	39503	Fill of linear Roman enclosure ditch [39502].	<69>b	Fe	Nails	Nail	Possible Manning Type 3. Potential rectangular head though unclear. Broken rectangular shank.	N	1	2.8	Not closely dateable.

The Worked Bone

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Two objects of worked bone (RF 20 and RF 23) were recovered during evaluation works. Both finds were hand-retrieved in the field and assigned Registered Find numbers (abbreviated here to 'RF'). The finds were assessed in a clean and dry condition prior to conservation assessment. The assessment was conducted by visual examination only, aided by a low-powered binocular microscope. A summary of the finds, their identification, date and possible significance are presented in this report. An inventory of the finds is presented in **Table B-13**.

RF 20 consists of a complete hair pin, surviving in two fragments, having broken transversely across the shank. The pin has a small faceted spherical head (Diam. 3.5 mm) set atop a slender, strongly tapering, cylindrical shank (max Diam 3.7 mm) and is 107 mm in length. The junction between the spherical head and the shank is marked by two transverse grooves (Diam 3.7 mm, Height 1 mm), varying in depth and width. The surfaces of the pin shank are eroded but patches of light polish survive towards the tip and on the head. This type of pin is a derivative of Crummy's (1983, 231, fig.18) Type 2 bone hair pin of Romano-British date, defined as a pin with transverse grooves beneath a conical head. In this instance, instead of the head being conical, it is spherical although knife cut facets remaining from production make this feature look a little uneven in patches. Pins of Type 2 form have been found at Colchester in contexts dating from c.50 AD to c.200 AD (ibid, 21), however, as this is example, just described, a variation on the Colchester Type 2 form, further investigation into more pertinent parallels would be prudent. The hair pin was recovered from the fill (32105) of pit [32104] in the Lake Zone associated with Roman pottery which has been spot dated to the 1st to early 2nd century AD, a consistent date for the provisional dating of the pin provided here.

SF 23 consists of a thin sub-rectangular fragment of worked bone in a burnt and distorted condition. The original form of the object is unclear but the curvature of one edge suggest it may have had a circular aperture at the centre which is surrounded on the upper surface by two pairs of incised concentric lines. The bone appears to have broken across an angular slot or notch on one side and a circular perforation on the other, the latter is stained red-brown suggesting the former presence of an iron rivet or peg. The opposite side is plain but has patches of blue-green staining that suggest contact either with vivianite or with a corroding copper-alloy object post-deposition. The identification of this object is currently unknown and research will be required to classify it closely, but it is possible that this is a fragment of furniture or box inlay or similar. Alternatively, it may be part of a burnt and distorted perforated disc-shaped gaming piece of Roman or Medieval date similar to examples found in London (e.g. Paites 2013). The form of the decoration on the current example – the partially surviving incised concentric lines – is a feature common on Romano-British decorative items or

ornaments but this type of decoration is not exclusive to this particular period and could be later in date. A Romano-British date is offered here on style alone, however, spot dating of associated pottery is Medieval. The find was recovered from the upper fill (17906) of pit [17904] in the Core Zone.

The finds recovered from the evaluation are sufficiently significant to our understanding of the Site that they should be retained and will require consideration during formal assessment alongside any assemblage recovered during future works. This may include further analysis and recording, conservation and illustration of selected objects. Please see accompanying inventory for details

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RF no.	Context no.	Context description	Sample #	Material:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:	Recommendations
20	17906	Upper fill of pit [17904]; Lake Zone		Worked Bone	Unidentified	Thin sub-rectangular fragment of worked bone. Probably originally flat but now distorted by heat and broken on both sides, one across a possible angular slot/notch and the other across a circular perforation (stained red-brown suggesting perf. originally housed an iron peg or rivet). One surviving short edge (outer edge) is straight whilst the opposing edge (inner edge) is curved suggesting this derives from an object with a central aperture, but this is not certain. The outer surface has been decorated with two pairs of incised lines concentric to the curving edge, one pair immediately adjacent the curving edge and the other adjacent to the opposite surviving edge. Under magnification there are scratches on the surface. The opposite surface is plain but has	Y – in two fragments	1	0.6	Romano-British	Further research to identify; hand-drawn illustration; retain

RF no.	Context no.	Context description	Sample #	Material:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:	Recommendations
						patches of blue-green staining (poss. From contact with vivianite or corroding copper alloy). Surviving L 34.5, W 12, T 1.5 mm					
23	32105	Fill of Pit 32104; Core Zone	1	Worked bone	Hair Pin	Complete bone pin surviving in two joining fragments. Facetted spherical head (Diam. 3.5 mm) set atop a slender, strongly tapering, cylindrical shank (max Diam 3.7 mm). The junction between the spherical head and the shank is marked by two transverse grooves (Diam 3.7 mm, Height 1 mm), varying in depth and width. The surfaces of the pin shank are eroded but patches of light polish survive towards the tip	N	1	1.8	Romano-British	Conservation to rejoin; further research to identify closer parallels; illustration and/or photography; retain

RF no.	Context no.	Context description	Sample #	Material:	Object:	Description:	Intact Y/N	Quantity:	Mass: (g)	Period/century:	Recommendations
						and on the head. L 107 mm.					

Table B-13: Inventory of the Worked Bone

The Animal Bone

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Introduction

450 refitted, hand-collected animal bones and teeth were recovered from numerous features of which 176 could be identified to taxon. The environmental samples produced further mammal, bird, fish, amphibian, terrestrial and marine shell fragments. In line with the project objectives, this report aims to characterise the zooarchaeology and assess the significance to inform an appropriate mitigation strategy based on the archaeological research aims.

Method

All hand-recovered bones and teeth were scanned and recorded by context including those that could not be identified to taxon, and potential biometrical and mortality data (tooth wear and bone fusion) were quantified for the major domesticates. Other information noted included condition, the incidence of burning, gnawing, butchery and refitted fragments. For some elements a restricted count was employed to reduce fragmentation bias: vertebrae were recorded when the vertebral body was present, and maxilla, zygomatic arch and occipital areas of the skull were identified from skull fragments. A number of sieved samples were made available but because of high fragmentation a selective process was undertaken, whereby fragments were recorded only if they could be identified to species or showed signs of taphonomic processes. Recording methods and analysis are based on guidelines from Baker and Worley (2014).

Phasing was provided by spot dates.

Summary of Findings

Bones were in varied states of preservation (Table B-14), though most were in fair condition. Over half the contexts contained refitted fragments, suggesting they were friable upon excavation, and the presence of gnawing in many contexts implies that there was some delay in burial. Butchery and burning were rare, although a large quantity of calcined and burnt fragments were produced from Roman linear 21003, most were indeterminate to taxon but a sheep/goat ulna and two lumber vertebrae were identified.

	Preservation			Total N	Bone Modification			
Period	Good	Fair	Poor	Contexts	Gnawed	Butchered	Burnt	Refit
LIA/early Roman		5	2	7				4
Roman	6	21	9	36	11	4	6	21
Medieval	1	4		5	3			1
Post-medieval		1		1				
Unphased		8	6	14	3			12

Table B-14: Preservation and bone modifications observed for each context

There were no specific deposits of primary butchery, craft-working or skin-processing waste, and no associated bone groups to indicate undisturbed deposits. Roman linear 21003 produced the remains of at least three sheep/goat leg joints that represent the consumption or processing of a large quantity of meat.

The majority of the zooarchaeology was produced from the Lake Zone and Core Zone, and very little from the West Gateway Zone. A summary of findings by provisional phase, area and feature is provided in Tables B15 and B16 for hand-collected and sieved assemblages, respectively. Small deposits were produced from features dated to the late Iron Age/Roman and medieval periods, and a larger quantity to the Roman period. Mortality data were present in the form of bone fusion and tooth wear and eruption, and the potential availability of a limited suite of metrical and sex data was also noted.

The main domesticates (cattle, sheep/goat, pig and horse/donkey) dominated the zooarchaeology with occasional finds of roe deer, birds (including domestic fowl) and fish that would most likely have contributed to the meat diet. Environmental indicator species were also recorded, in the form of micro-mammals (including field voles, shrews and mice) and terrestrial snails.

Phase	Feature	Unidentified	Cattle	Sheep / goat	Pig	Horse / donkey	Roe deer	Bird	Total identified
LIA/early Roman	D 34503	1	3	2					5
LIA/early Roman	D 36107	3			1				1
LIA/early Roman	Fi 36104		2						2
LIA/early Roman	L 34906	2		1					1
LIA/early Roman	P 21005	2		1					1
LIA/early Roman	P 21707	1		1	1				2
	Total	9	5	5	2				12
Roman	D 35703	1	1						1
Roman	D 35907		6	2					8
Roman	D 36107	3	3	1					4

Phase	Feature	Unidentified	Cattle	Sheep / goat	Pig	Horse / donkey	Roe deer	Bird	Total identified
Roman	D 36904			1	1				2
Roman	D 37504	6	1						1
Roman	D 38004	15	2	11		3			16
Roman	D 38017	4	1	1					2
Roman	D 38305	15	4	5		1			10
Roman	D 39502		1						1
Roman	D 39803			1					1
Roman	Fu 38128					1			1
Roman	Hw 38014	6	1	1					2
Roman	L 32604						1		1
Roman	L 32608	2	1						1
Roman	L 35803	2	1						1
Roman	L 38110	1							
Roman	P 32104	2	1	2	1				4
Roman	D 20405	5	2	5		1			8
Roman	D 20707	4	1						1
Roman	D 21012	1							
Roman	D 21302	1		1					1
Roman	D 21303	5							
Roman	D 21304	1							
Roman	D 21603	1	1						1
Roman	D 21608		1						1
Roman	D 21616		1						1
Roman	D 21804	4	1	2	1				4
Roman	D 26606	12	1	4				1	6
Roman	Fu 29605	4	1			1			2
Roman	L 21003	16	2	7	1				10
Roman	L 21705	18	1	5					6
Roman	L 30321	1		1					1
Roman	P 21314	13	1	1	1				3
Roman	P 29807	1							
	Total	144	36	51	5	7	1	1	101
Medieval	D 18308	1	1						1
Medieval	D 18312	1			1				1
Medieval	D 18314	1							
Medieval	D 18403	1	1						1

Phase	Feature	Unidentified	Cattle	Sheep / goat	Pig	Horse / donkey	Roe deer	Bird	Total identified
Medieval	P 17904	1		1		1		1	3
	Total	5	2	1	1	1		1	6
Post medieval	D 16603	3	1	1					2
Unphased	D 33503		1						1
Unphased	D 37705		1						1
Unphased	D 38007	1		1	1				2
Unphased	G 37507	8	3						3
Unphased	D 15802	14	2	1					3
Unphased	D 21207	77	27	3					30
Unphased	D 25803	1	3						3
Unphased	D 29703	9	2			1			3
Unphased	G 19906	3	1						1
Unphased	P 19404		1						1
Unphased	P 21007		1						1
Unphased	P 29805		2						2
Unphased	D 10803		2						2
Unphased	L 12106		2						2

Table B-15: Number of fragments recorded from the hand-collected assemblage. D= ditch; Dp= deposit; Fi= fill; Fu= furrow; G= gully; Hw= hollow; L= linear; Mt= moat; P= pit

Phase	Feature	Cattle	Sheep/g oat	Pig	Horse/d onkey	Micro- mammal	Bird	Fish	Frog/toad	Oyster	T. snail Discoidal	T. snail Concoidal	Cornu aspersum	Cepaea sp.
LIA/early Roman	D 34503										3	1		
LIA/early Roman	D 36107					30			5		9			
LIA/early Roman	L 32503					1								
LIA/early Roman	D 29603								2					
LIA/early Roman	G 30303		1											
LIA/early Roman	P 21005		1			4					1			
LIA/Roman	D 19906					1					30	3		
	Total		2			36			7		43	4		
Roman	D 36904					3			3					
Roman	D 37504					3			3		16	3		

Phase	Feature	Cattle	Sheep/g oat	Pig	Horse/d onkey	Micro- mammal	Bird	Fish	Frog/toad	Oyster	T. snail Discoidal	T. snail Concoidal	Cornu aspersum	Cepaea sp.
Roman	D 38004	1	4			4	1		5	1				
Roman	D 38305				1	2								
Roman	D 39502					4					2			
Roman	D 39803										6	2		
Roman	Hw 38014					2				1				
Roman	L 32608					1								
Roman	L 36803	1												
Roman	D 20403			1				1		1	3			
Roman	D 20405								1	1				
Roman	D 21804	1	1	1					50		50	50		
Roman	D 26606	1				3	1		5					
Roman	L 21003	2	5	1										
Roman	L 21705		2											
Roman	L 30321									1				
Roman	P 29807					3								
Roman	D 11505					1								
	Total	6	12	3	1	26	2	1	67	5	77	55		
Medieval	D 18803					3		1	1		3	5	1	1
Medieval	Dp 18403		1			1					20			
Medieval	Mt 16201					3			1		19	2		
Medieval	P 17904		1			3		1			4			
Medieval	P 18702										2			
Medieval	P 18704		1											
	Total		3			10		2	2		48	7	1	1
Unphased	D 35904		1			2				3				
Unphased	D 38007									5				
Unphased	L 38127		1			1			1		2			1
Unphased	D 15802		1			2								

Phase	Feature	Cattle	Sheep/g oat	Pig	Horse/d onkey	Micro- mammal	Bird	Fish	Frog/toad	Oyster	T. snail Discoidal	T. snail Concoidal	Cornu aspersum	Cepaea sp.
Unphased	D 20816										3			
Unphased	D 21207		1							1	3	20		
Unphased	D 24203					1								
Unphased	D 29703										3			
Unphased	G 19902										1			
Unphased	G 19906										26			
Unphased	D 10803								1		2	1		
Unphased	D 13202										50			2
Unphased	L 12106					11			1					
Unphased	P 12104										3			

Table B-16: Number of fragments recorded from environmental samples. D= ditch; Dp= deposit; G= gully; Hw= hollow; L= linear; Mt= moat; P= pit; T. snail= terrestrial snail

Potential and Significance

The zooarchaeology was in fair condition, recovered largely from the Lake Zone and Core Zone in association with the Late Iron Age and Roman settlements, with a few additional remains from the medieval moat. A basic analysis of the local diet and economy is possible for the Roman period but small sample sizes mean there is limited potential to provide an understanding of the transition from Iron Age to Roman farming, or for a detailed investigation of status, foodways or the animal economy in any period.

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The Human Skeletal Remains

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Introduction

This document has been submitted as a specialist evaluation report on the human skeletal remains from Land West of Kempston Hardwick, Bedford Borough, Bedfordshire (BEDFM:2023.270). Archaeological trial trenching was undertaken in three zones (the Lake Zone, Core Zone and West Gateway Zone), in advance of development of an entertainment resort complex and mixed-use development (WSP and AOC 2024). The development area comprises agricultural land, bounded by the A421 road to the southwest and north, and to the west by the Marston Vale Railway Line.

Trial trenching comprised the excavation of 322 trenches, each measuring 50m long by 1.8m wide, per the WSI (ibid.). A total of 107 trenches were excavated in the Lake Zone (land north of Manor Road), two of which (351 and 421) contained what appeared to be the remains of three discrete cremation deposits in earthen pits. Only one of these, [35103], was excavated in the field, in three 2cm spits. The remains were cleaned in the lab and sent to the specialist for assessment. Within the deposit was a copper alloy object (SF10) (within Spit 2), fragments of an iron possible awl or tool (Spit 1), a clenched nail tip (Spit 2), two possible tool bits (Spit 2), a possible nail tip with a lump of degraded copper alloy adhering (Spit 2), and a small molten flow, possibly a heat-affected greyish green-blue bead (Morrison 2024a; 2024b). The metal objects have been tentatively interpreted as the remains of fine craftworking tools (Morrison 2024b). The molten glass and SF10 appeared to be heat-affected so were likely pyre goods, accompanying the body during the cremation process, while the other objects were possibly incorporated into the burial afterwards.

A preliminary assessment of the date of the pottery found throughout the area suggests the remains date to between the Late Iron Age and the Romano-British period. The remains from [35103] were confirmed to comprise at least one individual, at least 9-10 years old of unknown biological sex. Full osteological analysis and radiocarbon dating is recommended.

Methodology

Human bone collected from the Site (including fragments collected during dry sieving and sample processing) were cleaned, weighed, and sent to a specialist for analysis. Any identified animal bone, charcoal or artefactual finds were separated and sent to the appropriate specialist. The remains were then assessed and recorded following the codes of ethics and practice laid out by ClfA and British Association for Biological Anthropology and Osteoarchaeology (BABAO) (Brickley & McKinley, 2004; Mitchell & Brickley 2018). Evaluation of the cremated remains included recording the overall weight and colour, as well as anatomical region, and recording fragments identifiable to specific bone, where possible.

Osteological Assessment

The cremation deposit (labelled environmental samples 62-64) from context (35104) was excavated from cut [35103], which was circular in plan with steeply sloping sides and a concave base, measuring 0.4m in length, 0.39m in width and 0.07m deep. The remains were excavated in three 2cm spits and collected for evaluation. In total, the deposit weighed 341.64g, after 61.82g of stones were subtracted. The bone fragments were highly fragmented and uniformly white in colour (Plate 1) throughout the spits, except for several small fragments that appeared charred or dark grey within Spit 3. The white colour suggests the remains were exposed to heat of at least 900°C, over a long period of time, while the darker pieces represent bone portions exposed to a lower temperature of at least 500°C (Walker & Miller 2008).

The largest bone fragment was a portion of long bone measuring 34.4mm in length, recovered from Spit 2. Identifiable fragments included upper and lower limb long bones, as well as cranial vault fragments (likely frontal or parietal, and temporal). The distal end of a medial phalanx, several rib body fragments, and the mesial portion of a mandible was also identified. Tooth fragments included multiple crown portions and root portions from a fully formed (likely) permanent single-rooted tooth, likely a canine or maxillary incisor, at least three root fragments from multiple-rooted teeth and a number of unidentifiable teeth fragments. Based on formation of the teeth, the individual was likely at least 9-10 years old at the time of death. The thin and fragile nature of the cranial bones suggests the individual may have been a non-adult, however, full analysis is recommended to confirm the age-at-death. No indicators of pathology or trauma were observed.



Plate B1. Cremated remains from (35104), spit 2.

Recommendations

The cremated remains recovered from Land West of Kempston Hardwick, Bedfordshire comprised approximately 341.64g of fully calcined human bone. The remains had been deposited in an earthen pit, accompanied by glass and metal objects, at least some of which appeared to be heat-affected (pyre goods). While the remains are highly fragmented, full analysis is recommended in order to confirm the age-at-death and, if possible, the biological sex of the individual. Additionally, a single radiocarbon date is recommended to confirm the historical and archaeological context of the deposit.

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Context	Sample	Spit	Cut	Urn	>10mm	5-10mm	2-5mm	<2mm	Total Weight (g)	Colour	Age	Sex	MNI	Max Frag. Length (mm)	Comments
35104	62	1	35103	None	11.71	26.45	15.07	0.01	53.24	white	9-10 years old assuming teeth are permanent	Unknown	1	30.35	Fragments of upper and lower limb long bone shafts, cranial vault, four tooth root fragments including a likely fully formed single rooted permanent tooth like canine or max incisor and at least two root frags from a molar, likely permanent but unsure, rib fragments and small cranial vault frags, central mandible fragment with crypts for lower incisors
35104	63	2	35103	None	13.62	45.91	33.91	1.86	95.3	White	Unknown	Unknown	1	34.4	Cranial vault fragments including likely frontal and temporal, parietal, and likely sphenoid or maxillary/nasal bones, tooth root and crown frags from permanent fully formed teeth including a possible premolar or molar; rib body fragments and upper and lower long bone limbs, at least one vert arch fragment; thin, frail fragments of cranial vault suggest the individual may have been a non-adult, though this cannot be confirmed at this stage
35104	64	3	35103	None	0	1.08	0.88	0	1.96	White	Non-adult?	Unknown	1	12.78	Small cranial vault fragments (frontal or parietal) thin and frail, suggest non-adult, rib body fragments
35104	62	1 RT	35103	None	0	0	31.77	25	56.77	White	Unknown	Unknown	1	15.65	29.19g of rocks removed from 10 and 5mm sieves, smaller ones still prevalent throughout; uniformly white throughout, only tiny fragments including several tooth root fragments and crown chunks

Context	Sample	Spit	Cut	Urn	>10mm	5-10mm	2-5mm	<2mm	Total Weight (g)	Colour	Age	Sex	MNI	Max Frag. Length (mm)	Comments
35104	63	2 RT	35103	None	0	0	44.93	62.39	107.32	white with some darker charred frags	Unknown	Unknown	1	15.31	32.63g of rocks removed from >10mm and 5-10mm sieves, smaller rocks prevalent in other sieves; mostly tiny fragments including chunks of charcoal, cranial vault fragments, rib body fragments and one unidentified fully formed tooth root, and at least 2 crown frags, distal end of medial phalanx?
35104	64	3 RT	35103	None	0	0	9.84	17.21	27.05	White	Unknown	Unknown	1	8.26	Mostly rocks, tiny bits of rib body frags, possible tooth frags and cranial vault

Table B-17: Cremated Bone

The Macroplant and Charcoal

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Introduction

A total of 102 bulk samples were submitted for environmental assessment in June 2024 from the evaluation undertaken at project 320, Bedfordshire. The bulk samples were collected from a series of deposits, ditches, linears, moat fills, pits, postholes and trackways dated to the Late Iron Age, Roman and Medieval periods. The ecofacts recovered from this Site were carbonised macroplant and charcoal fragments. The aim of this report was to identify the two assemblages to species, assess their suitability for radiocarbon dating and their potential for further study.

Methodology

The bulk samples were processed at AOC archaeology Group using a floatation method designed to retrieve both ecofacts and artefacts (Kenward *et al.* 1980). The flots were examined using a binocular microscope at x10-x40 magnification. The residues were separated using a stack system of 4mm, 2mm and 1mm sieves and each fraction was scanned by eye and with a magnet.

The plant macrofossils were identified to species using modern reference material and seed atlases (Cappers *et al.* 2006; Jacomet 2006, Zohary & Hopf 2000). Taxonomy and nomenclature for plants follows Stace (2010).

Charcoal fragments larger than 4mm were selected for assessment. Species identifications were confirmed by analysing the transverse, tangential and radial sections at x0.7-x45 magnification and using keys and texts (Hather 2000; Schweingruber 1990).

The Assemblage

The Macroplant

A total of 2273 carbonised macroplant were recovered from 41 samples in The Lake Zone, Core Zone and West Gateway Zone. The assemblage was composed of crops, vegetables, nuts, fruits and weeds. Preservation of the plant taxa ranged from mostly poor to adequate.

The crops were formed of 2062 caryopses and 122 chaff fragments present in 40 samples. The species were oat (*Avena* sp.), hulled barley (*Hordeum vulgare* L.), barley (*Hordeum* sp.), rye/wheat (*Secale/Triticum* sp.), bread/club wheat (*Triticum aestivum/compactum* L.), emmer/spelt (*Triticum dicoccum/spelta* L.) and wheat (*Triticum* sp.).

The 41 vegetables were present in one context in the Lake Zone and eight in The Core Zone. There were 27 peas (*Lathyrus/Pisum* sp.), four common vetch (*Vicia sativa* L.) and ten vetch (*Vicia* sp.). Other edible food items included four hazelnut (*Corylus avellana* L.) shell fragments, two blackthorn (*Prunus spinosa* L.) and one cherry stone (*Prunus* sp.). The nut fragments were recovered from three features and the fruit from one sample all found in the Core Zone.

The 41 weeds were scattered among 15 samples in the Lake and Core Zones. The species were a mix of Stinking chamomile (*Anthemis cotula* L.), cabbage/mustard (*Brassica/Sinapis* sp.), thistle (*Carduus/Cirsium* sp.), sedge (*Carex* sp.), fat hen (*Chenopodium album* L.), black bindweed (*Fallopia convolvulus* L.), bedstraw (*Galium* sp.), rush (cf. *Juncus* sp.), wild radish (*Raphanus raphanistrum* L.), clustered dock (*Rumex conglomeratus* Murray), dock (*Rumex* sp.) and ivy-leaved speedwell (*Veronica hederifolia* L.).

The Charcoal

Charcoal (20.4g) was recovered from 22 contexts and 100 fragments were identified from the Lake and Core Zones. The species were apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan (*Amygdalaceae* sp.), hazel (*Corylus avellana* L.), ash (*Fraxinus* sp.), blackthorn (*Prunus spinosa* L.), cherry (*Prunus* sp.) and oak (*Quercus* sp.). The charcoal was scattered throughout the Site in small quantities with no evidence of selective or deliberate disposal. Preservation of the charcoal was mostly poor with only a smaller number recorded as adequate. Those fragments described as poor were mostly oak which were noticeably vitrified with evidence of oxidisation.

Modern Contamination

Modern contamination was observed in all 102 bulk samples that included roots, weeds, cereal, chaff and insect remains. There is however no evidence to suggest the archaeological security of the features has been noticeably undermined by the presence of modern material or activities.

Results

Lake Zone

Macrophant: A total of 944 macroplants were recovered from 11 features described as one cremation pit, one deposit, three ditches, one pit, four linears and one trackway. The assemblage was dominated by 923 cereal with smaller inclusions of one vetch seed and 20

weeds. The macroplants were concentrated within ditch [35106] which had 892 finds compared to 52 that were scattered among the other ten features.

The crops were formed of 921 caryopses and two chaff fragments. The species were wheat (21%), hulled barley (13%), emmer/spelt (7%), barley (2.4%), oat (2%), bread/club wheat (1.5%), spelt (0.1%) and cereal (53%). A total of 875 cereal remains were concentrated within ditch [35106] with the other 48 caryopses dispersed among the remaining 10 features.

One vetch seed was noted in ditch [38305]. The 20 weeds were a mix of fat hen (60%), stinking chamomile (10%), thistle (5%) and black bindweed (5%). The other weeds (20%) could not be identified. The weeds numbering 17 were concentrated within ditch [35106] with three scattered among cremation pit [35103] and linear [36803].

Charcoal: The charcoal (1.9g) was scattered among one cremation pit, one deposit, one ditch and one linear feature. The fragments were randomly dispersed among these features with no evidence of selective or deliberate disposal. The species were oak (55%), apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan (27%), ash (9%) and cherry (9%). Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan (18%) roundwood was noted.

Synthesis: The ecofacts from ditch [35106] represent the deliberate disposal of domestic refuse including food remains. The macroplant and charcoal in the other features are redeposited food and fuel debris. The two macroplants in cremation pit [35103] were not identified, but these finds are either deliberate inclusions within the cremation as part of a ritual grave good or represent accidental inclusions.

Core Zone

Macroplant: From the Core Zone, a total of 892 macroplant were recovered from 28 features recorded as a mix of one deposit, 11 ditches, one fire pit, three gullies, two linears, one moat deposit, eight pits and one trackway. The assemblage was formed of 824 cereal, 40 vegetables, four hazelnut shells, three fruits and 21 weeds.

The cereal assemblage was formed of 705 caryopses and 119 chaff fragments noted in 27 features. The species were bread/club wheat (28%), wheat (27%), spelt (8%), oat (5%), emmer/spelt (2%), barley (0.7%), rye/wheat (0.2%), hulled barley (0.1%) and cereal (29%). In ditch [19906] crop processing waste was disposed of alongside an emmer/spelt caryopsis that had germinated prior to being carbonised.

The 27 peas, four common vetch and nine vetch were scattered among eight contexts. Other edible food resources included four fragments of hazelnut shell in two pits and one linear along with two blackthorn and one cherry fragment in pit [17904].

The 21 weeds were a mix of stinking chamomile (8%), cabbage/mustard (5%), sedge (5%), black bindweed (5%), bedstraw (5%), rush (5%), wild radish (5%), clustered dock (5%), dock (5%), ivy-leaved speedwell (5%). The remaining weeds (47%) could not be identified. These finds were scattered throughout the Zone with no evidence of selective or deliberate disposal.

Charcoal: Charcoal (18.5g) was scattered among 18 samples recorded as one deposit, six ditches, one gully, two linears, seven pits and one posthole. The species were oak (48%), cherry (26%), apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan (17%), blackthorn (5%), hazel (3%) and ash (1%). The roundwood was formed of apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan (7%), cherry (4%), blackthorn (1%) and oak (1%). The charcoal was scattered among the samples with no evidence of selective or deliberate disposal.

Synthesis: The cereal, vegetables, nuts and fruits in this Zone have accrued from the disposal and reworking of food debris alongside smaller inclusions of crop processing waste. The charcoal is redeposited fuel debris.

West Gateway Zone

Ditch [10803]

Macroplant: From The West Gateway Zone, the 437 macroplants were recovered from two features. In ditch [10803] there was one fragment of wheat chaff. From pit [12108] there were 436 cereal caryopses identified as wheat (14%), emmer/spelt (5%), bread/club wheat (1%) and cereal (80%).

Charcoal: There was no charcoal recovered from any of the features excavated in this Zone.

Synthesis: The cereal chaff in ditch [10803] is redeposited debris of little archaeological interest while the cereal in pit [12108] is food refuse deliberately disposed of within this feature.

Discussion and statement of significance

The crops

The crops were a mix of oat, hulled barley, barley, rye/wheat, bread/club wheat, spelt, emmer/spelt and wheat which have been cultivated in England from the prehistoric period onwards. The cereal has derived from the haphazard disposal and reworking of both crop processing waste and domestic food refuse within the excavated features. Once the chronology of this Site has been established it may be possible to gather further information concerning which species were more economically important at this Site and if this changed over time.

The vegetables

The vegetables were a mix of peas, common vetch and vetch. The recovery of vegetables within carbonised assemblages is rare because these species are very fragile and it is rare for the seeds to be exposed to heat in the same numbers as other plant groups such as cereals (Zohary & Hopf, 2000, 181). The identification of vegetables is further complicated because the seeds of the cultivated and wild varieties are sometimes difficult to distinguish. It is possible the vetch may belong to a wild species but the presence of peas and common vetch demonstrates that the population during a period of occupation had access to green vegetables. These remains were concentrated within the Core Zone so once the chronology of the Site is established, it may be possible to gather more information about the dietary role of this food resource.

The wild food resources

Both hazelnut and blackthorn have been collected from prehistory onwards to be used as a food resource. As shown by the charcoal assemblage both hazel and blackthorn grew nearby making the nuts and fruits available to this community when in season. Evidence for the collection of the nuts and fruits was limited but once the chronology of this Site is available it may be possible to establish which period of occupation these resources were exploited.

The weeds

The weeds tend to grow in a range of landscapes including arable fields, waste ground and damp habitats. Many of these species such as fat hen, black bindweed, dock, wild radish and sedge have been collected for food and building materials but as the assemblage is so small it is difficult to draw any further conclusions about what role these species may have had. Nor can the weeds provide further information in understanding the development of the surrounding landscape or how this may have developed over time.

The charcoal

The tree species are all native to Britain and probably grew in the surrounding landscape. Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan, hazel, ash, blackthorn and cherry are usually found in hedgerows, scrub or more open woods, while oak is adaptable to a variety of growing conditions (Stace 2010, Linford 2009). The charcoal assemblage derived from the reworking and redeposition of fuel debris. There was no evidence that any structural elements or wooden artefacts were burnt or disposed of in the Lake and Core Zones. Given the small size of the

assemblage its potential for answering further research questions concerning the role of wood at this Site or if this changed over time is negligible.

Recommended further work

Both the macroplant and charcoal assemblages were fully assessed, and further identification work is not needed. If material is required for radiocarbon dating, then the cereal caryopses, hazelnut shell and charcoal are all suitable except for the oak. Where possible oak should be avoided for dating as it is a slow growing species which can prove unreliable.

Once the chronology of this Site has been established further work is recommended in the form of an analysis report with reference to the Bedfordshire archaeological framework (Oake *et al* 2007). This report should focus on answering specific research questions concerning crop husbandry practises, diet, exploitation of plant resources, how these results compare to sites of a similar date and if this changed over time from the Late Iron Age, Roman to the Medieval periods. To complete this work the following recommendations are outlined below.

- Once all excavation work is completed at this Site and the chronology is known the existing ecofact tables and assessment report should be updated.
- Completion of this work will take two days.

The ecofacts are stored in a stable and dry condition at AOC Archaeology Group. The finds are suitable for long term storage within the Site archive.

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Annex 1:

Table B-18: The carbonised macroplant

Key: CP=cremation pit, D=ditch, G=gully, L=Linear, P=pit, PH=posthole

Sample			85	92	89	86	62	65	94	73	71	78	66	4	11	28	2	1
Feature			L 32503	D 32606	T 34503	P 34903	CP 35103	D 35106	L 32608	L 36803	Deposit	D 38305	L 41805	D 15802	M 16201	D 16604	P 17904	P 17904
Context			32504	32607	34505	34904	35104	35107	32609	36804	38014	38308	41806	15803	16202	16605	17905	17906
Sample Vol. (L)			40	40	20	10	3	40	40	20	20	10	10	40	40	20	10	20
% Analysed			100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Species	Name	Part																
Crops																		
<i>Avena</i> sp.	Oat	Caryopsis/es						17				2	1	1	3	1		5
<i>Hordeum vulgare</i> L.	Hulled barley	Caryopsis/es						118							1			
<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	Barley	Caryopsis/es				1		22							1			
<i>Secale/Triticum</i> sp.	Rye/wheat	Caryopsis/es																
<i>T. aestivum/compactum</i> L.	Bread/Club wheat	Caryopsis/es			8			7							1	3	2	28
<i>T. spelta</i> L.	Spelt	Fork(s)																
<i>T. spelta</i> L.	Spelt	Glume(s)						1										
<i>T. dicoccum/spelta</i> L.	Emmer/spelt	Caryopsis/es						63										
<i>Triticum</i> sp.	Wheat	Caryopsis/es			4			185				2						3
<i>Triticum</i> sp.	Wheat	Glume(s)																
<i>Cerealia</i> sp.	Cereal	Caryopsis/es	3	1	5		1	461	1	1	6	12				2	2	16
<i>Cerealia</i> sp.	Cereal	Culm node(s)						1										
Vegetables																		
<i>Lathyrus/Pisum</i> sp.	Pea	Seed(s)																16
<i>Vicia sativa</i> L.	Common vetch	Seed(s)																
<i>Vicia</i> sp.	Vetch	Seed(s)										1						
Nuts																		
<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.	Hazel	Shell frag(s)																2
Fruits																		
<i>Prunus spinosa</i> L.	Blackthorn	Stone(s)																2
<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	Stone(s)																1
Weeds																		
<i>Anthemis cotula</i> L.	Stinking chamomile	Achene(s)						2										
<i>Brassica/Sinapis</i> sp.	Cabbage/mustard	Seed(s)																
<i>Carduus/Cirsium</i> sp.	Thistle	Achene(s)						1										
<i>Carex</i> sp.	Sedge	Nutlet(s)																
<i>Chenopodium album</i> L.	Fat hen	Seed(s)						12										
<i>Fallopia convolvulus</i> L.	Black bindweed	Achene(s)						1										
<i>Galium</i> sp.	Bedstraw	Nutlet(s)													1			
cf. <i>Juncus</i> sp.	Rush	Seed(s)																
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i> L.	Wild radish	Pod frag(s)													1			
<i>Rumex conglomeratus</i> Murray	Clustered dock	Achene(s)																

Sample			85	92	89	86	62	65	94	73	71	78	66	4	11	28	2	1
Feature			L 32503	D 32606	T 34503	P 34903	CP 35103	D 35106	L 32608	L 36803	Deposit	D 38305	L 41805	D 15802	M 16201	D 16604	P 17904	P 17904
Context			32504	32607	34505	34904	35104	35107	32609	36804	38014	38308	41806	15803	16202	16605	17905	17906
Sample Vol. (L)			40	40	20	10	3	40	40	20	20	10	10	40	40	20	10	20
% Analysed			100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Rumex sp.	Dock	Achene(s)																
Veronica hederifolia L.	Ivy-leaved speedwell	Fruits(s)																1
Unknown	Indet	Achene/fruits/seeds					2	1		1				1				

Sample			15	16	17	24	3	9	12	18	19	20	26	27	30	32	25	33
Feature			Deposit	P 18702	P 18704	D 18709	D 18803	P 19404	G 19505	G 19902	D 19906	D 19906	D 20403	D 20405	G 20705	D 20816	L 21003	P 21005
Context			18403	18703	18705	18708	18802	19405	19507	19903	19905	19907	20404	20406	20706	20817	21004	21006
Sample Vol. (L)			40	20	20	10	40	10	40	20	20	20	20	20	10	20	40	20
% Analysed			100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Species	Name	Part																
Crops																		
Avena sp.	Oat	Caryopsis/es	2	1					1		3				1	1	26	
Hordeum vulgare L.	Hulled barley	Caryopsis/es																
Hordeum sp.	Barley	Caryopsis/es	1	1		1												
Secale/ Triticum sp.	Rye/wheat	Caryopsis/es															4	
T. aestivum/compactum L.	Bread/Club wheat	Caryopsis/es	69	41	15	1	27				11						27	
T. spelta L.	Spelt	Fork(s)									3							
T. spelta L.	Spelt	Glume(s)									50					5	6	
T. dicoccum/spelta L.	Emmer/spelt	Caryopsis/es									1					2	11	
Triticum sp.	Wheat	Caryopsis/es	7		9	7	3	1			16			1		10	104	
Triticum sp.	Wheat	Glume(s)									50					3		
Cerealia sp.	Cereal	Caryopsis/es	29	28	12	19	25			1	28	1	2			7	35	4
Cerealia sp.	Cereal	Culm node(s)																
Vegetables																		
Lathyrus/Pisum sp.	Pea	Seed(s)	5	1	1		4											
Vicia sativa L.	Common vetch	Seed(s)			2		1											1
Vicia sp.	Vetch	Seed(s)				1											8	
Nuts																		
Corylus avellana L.	Hazel	Shell frag(s)			1												1	
Fruits																		
Prunus spinosa L.	Blackthorn	Stone(s)																
Prunus sp.	Cherry	Stone(s)																
Weeds																		
Anthemis cotula L.	Stinking chamomile	Achene(s)					1											
Brassica/ Sinapis sp.	Cabbage/mustard	Seed(s)	1															

Sample			15	16	17	24	3	9	12	18	19	20	26	27	30	32	25	33
Feature			Deposit	P 18702	P 18704	D 18709	D 18803	P 19404	G 19505	G 19902	D 19906	D 19906	D 20403	D 20405	G 20705	D 20816	L 21003	P 21005
Context			18403	18703	18705	18708	18802	19405	19507	19903	19905	19907	20404	20406	20706	20817	21004	21006
Sample Vol. (L)			40	20	20	10	40	10	40	20	20	20	20	20	10	20	40	20
% Analysed			100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
<i>Carduus/Cirsium</i> sp.	Thistle	Achene(s)																
<i>Carex</i> sp.	Sedge	Nutlet(s)															1	
<i>Chenopodium album</i> L.	Fat hen	Seed(s)																
<i>Fallopia convolvulus</i> L.	Black bindweed	Achene(s)									1							
<i>Galium</i> sp.	Bedstraw	Nutlet(s)																
cf. <i>Juncus</i> sp.	Rush	Seed(s)				1												
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i> L.	Wild radish	Pod frag(s)																
<i>Rumex conglomeratus</i> Murray	Clustered dock	Achene(s)				1												
<i>Rumex</i> sp.	Dock	Achene(s)																
<i>Veronica hederifolia</i> L.	Ivy-leaved speedwell	Fruits(s)																
Unknown	Indet	Achene/fruits/seeds															3	

Sample			35	39	38	50	55	57	52	107	103
Feature			L 21705	D 21804	P 22202	D 25903	T 29603	FP 29807	P 30110	D 10803	P 12108
Context			21706	21806	22203	25904	29604	29806	30111	10804	12108
Sample Vol. (L)			40	40	10	40	40	20	10	20	20
% Analysed			100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
Species	Name	Part									
Crops											
<i>Avena</i> sp.	Oat	Caryopsis/es		1	1						
<i>Hordeum vulgare</i> L.	Hulled barley	Caryopsis/es									
<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	Barley	Caryopsis/es	3								
<i>Secale/Triticum</i> sp.	Rye/wheat	Caryopsis/es									
<i>T. aestivum/compactum</i> L.	Bread/Club wheat	Caryopsis/es	4								2
<i>T. spelta</i> L.	Spelt	Fork(s)									
<i>T. spelta</i> L.	Spelt	Glume(s)									
<i>T. dicoccum/spelta</i> L.	Emmer/spelt	Caryopsis/es					1				22
<i>Triticum</i> sp.	Wheat	Caryopsis/es	4	1							62
<i>Triticum</i> sp.	Wheat	Glume(s)		1			1			1	
<i>Cerealia</i> sp.	Cereal	Caryopsis/es	14	5		3	1	2			350
<i>Cerealia</i> sp.	Cereal	Culm node(s)									
Vegetables											
<i>Lathyrus/Pisum</i> sp.	Pea	Seed(s)									
<i>Vicia sativa</i> L.	Common vetch	Seed(s)									
<i>Vicia</i> sp.	Vetch	Seed(s)									
Nuts											
<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.	Hazel	Shell frag(s)									
Fruits											
<i>Prunus spinosa</i> L.	Blackthorn	Stone(s)									
<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	Stone(s)									
Weeds											
<i>Anthemis cotula</i> L.	Stinking chamomile	Achene(s)							1		
<i>Brassica/Sinapis</i> sp.	Cabbage/mustard	Seed(s)									
<i>Carduus/Cirsium</i> sp.	Thistle	Achene(s)									
<i>Carex</i> sp.	Sedge	Nutlet(s)									
<i>Chenopodium album</i> L.	Fat hen	Seed(s)									
<i>Fallopia convolvulus</i> L.	Black bindweed	Achene(s)									
<i>Galium</i> sp.	Bedstraw	Nutlet(s)									
cf. <i>Juncus</i> sp.	Rush	Seed(s)									
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i> L.	Wild radish	Pod frag(s)									
<i>Rumex conglomeratus</i> Murray	Clustered dock	Achene(s)									
<i>Rumex</i> sp.	Dock	Achene(s)	1								
<i>Veronica hederifolia</i> L.	Ivy-leaved speedwell	Fruits(s)									
Unknown	Indet	Achene/fruits/seeds	2		3	1					

Table B-19 : The charcoal species

Key: CP=cremation pit, D=ditch, G=gully, L=linear, P=pit, PH=posthole, Frag=fragment, RW=roundwood, weight recorded in grams

Sample	Feature	Context	Species	Name	Frag	RW	Weight
85	L 32503	32504	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	2		0.4
62	CP 35103	35104	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	2		0.1
65	D 35106	35107	<i>Amygdalaceae</i> sp.	Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan	1	2	
65	D 35106	35107	<i>Fraxinus</i> sp.	Ash	1		
65	D 35106	35107	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	1		1.2
71	Deposit	38014	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	1		
71	Deposit	38014	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	1		0.2
4	D 15802	15803	<i>Amygdalaceae</i> sp.	Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan	2		
4	D 15802	15803	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	3		0.8
28	D 16604	16605	<i>Amygdalaceae</i> /sp.	Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan	4		
28	D 16604	16605	<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.	Hazel	3		
28	D 16604	16605	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	3		1.2
2	P 17904	17905	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	1		0.06
1	P 17904	17906	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	1	1	
1	P 17904	17906	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	7	1	2.4
15	Deposit	18403	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	5		
15	Deposit	18403	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	1		1
16	P 18702	18703	<i>Amygdalaceae</i> sp.	Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan	3		
16	P 18702	18703	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	2		0.5
17	P 18704	18705	<i>Amygdalaceae</i> sp.	Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan	1		
17	P 18704	18705	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	1		
17	P 18704	18705	<i>Prunus spinosa</i> L.	Blackthorn	2		
17	P 18704	18705	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	1		1
3	D 18803	18802	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	3		
3	D 18803	18802	<i>Prunus spinosa</i> L.	Blackthorn	1	1	1.1
9	P 19404	19405	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	2		0.08
22	P dep	20104	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	5		0.4
27	D 20405	20406	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	3		0.3
14	PH 20903	20904	<i>Fraxinus</i> sp.	Ash	1		
14	PH 20903	20904	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	1	1	
14	PH 20903	20904	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	7		2
25	L 21003	21004	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	1	1	
25	L 21003	21004	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	8		6.4
35	L 21705	21706	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	2	1	0.1
38	P 22202	22203	<i>Amygdalaceae</i> sp.	Apple/pear/hawthorn/rowan		5	0.9
40	D 24203	24204	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	Oak	2		0.2
47	D 25803	25804	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	1		0.08
60	G 30303	30304	<i>Prunus</i> sp.	Cherry	1		0.06

Conservation

Summary

AOC Archaeology conducted an archaeological Phase 1 evaluation as part of Universal Destinations & Experiences UK Project (BDFM.2024.270), yielding a small assemblage of finds. Following X-radiography and finds specialists' work, the assemblage was submitted for conservation assessment.

Work Requested

A conservation assessment of the assemblage has been completed, including:

- X-radiography of the assemblage to aid identification and for archive
- Assessment of the condition of the artefacts/objects
- Recommended conservation treatment.

Description

The assemblage submitted for assessment and stabilisation consists of: worked bone – a pin with spherical head and a decorated fragment; and metallic finds, which included both copper alloy and iron (mainly nails with some fixtures and fittings). Some small glass sherds were also retrieved, and a stone item.

Only finds marked for retention were assessed for conservation requirements. Other categories, including clay tobacco pipe, industrial waste, and lead, were all recommended for disposal and are therefore not discussed here.

Condition

The condition of the finds was typical of recently excavated objects.

The bone finds are both in good condition though the pin has a well-fitting break, and the decorated piece is soiled.

The cupreous objects have pale green powdery corrosion on the surfaces though currently appear stable.

All iron finds have some surface soiling/encrusted earth and variable corrosion, obscuring any potential detail. The density across the assemblage is good though some have a hollow core. All ferrous finds appear physically stable with no visible active corrosion.

The glass sherds are stable with no visible degradation, only small amounts of fine earth in some interstices.

The stone object is physically stable.

Recommended Treatment

The following recommendations incorporate the finds specialists' recommendations to aid identification and research. These recommendations are listed summarily by material below. For full details of specific treatments for individual finds, please refer to the conservation assessment spreadsheet associated with this report. Where passive stabilisation is deemed sufficient, objects have not been recommended for the treatments listed below.

Bone

- Surface clean using hand tools or swabs moistened with 50% industrial methylated spirits (IMS) in water.
- Re-adhere if necessary, using 50% Paraloid B72 in acetone.

Copper alloy

- Surface clean using hand tools and cotton swabs of IMS.
- Stabilise by immersion in 3% benzotriazole (BTA) in IMS under vacuum,
- Rinse away excess BTA with IMS, twice.
- Lacquer with 15% Incralac in toluene by brush.
- Ensure packing supports long-term stability.

Iron

- Removal of earth and corrosion products to reveal representative surface using air abrasion with 53-micron aluminium oxide powder.
- Re-adhere surfaces where necessary with appropriate strength Paraloid B72 in acetone.
- Ensure packing supports long-term stability.

No conservation is recommended for the glass or stone finds.

Appendix 1-B: X-Radiography Catalogue

AOC 80171; Project 320, BEDFM.2023.270; X-radiograph Catalogue								
X-ray plate	KeV	Mins	Find Δ	Sample \diamond	Context ()	Trench	Material	Description
1	50	3	1		18309		Fe	possible hinge fragment or hook
1	50	3	2		21706		Fe	object
1	50	3	11		38304		Fe	rod with circular cross-section
1	50	3	18		38008		Fe	awl, hook, and hobnail
1	50	3	19		38304		Fe	clenched nail
1	50	3		11	16202		Fe	wire with flattened section
1	50	3		62	35104		Fe	object
1	50	3		63	35104		Fe	nail tip, 2 x tool bit, and nail tip
1	50	3		68	36903		Fe	Clenched shank and tip
1	50	3		69	39503		Fe	2 x nail
1	50	3		71	38014		Fe	hobnail, and nail shank
1	50	3			25704		Fe	object
1	50	3			38304		Fe	object
1	50	3			38308		Fe	nail
2	70	3	12		38304		Fe	object
2	70	3	16		38304		Fe	nail
2	70	3			18403		Fe	nail
2	70	3			36604		Fe	object
3A	80	3	17		38018		Fe	object
3A	80	3				210 U/S (1/2)	Fe	flat strap
3B	100	3	17		38018		Fe	object
3B	100	3				210 U/S (1/2)	Fe	flat strap
4	60	3	3		21706		Fe	object with flattened terminals
4	60	3	15		38304		Fe	likely buckle frag
4	60	3			18311		Fe	nail
4	60	3			20406		Fe	object
4	60	3				210 U/S (2/2)	Fe	flat object
5	50	3	6		21617		Cu alloy	curved wire
5	50	3	10		35104		Cu alloy	object

Appendix II-B: List of Finds for Assessment

Reg find △	Enviro Sample ◇	Context	Material	X-ray plate no	Count	Description/comments
1		18309	iron	1	1	possible hinge fragment or hook
2		21706	iron	1	1	object
3		21706	iron	4	1	object with flattened terminals
6		21617	cu alloy	5	1	curved wire
10		35104	cu alloy	5	1	object
11		38304	iron	1	1	rod with circular cross-section
12		38304	iron	2	1	object
15		38304	iron	4	1	likely buckle frag
16		38304	iron	2	1	nail
17		38018	iron	3	1	object
18a		38008	iron	1	1	Possible awl
18b		38008	iron	1	1	Likely hook
18c		38008	iron	1	1	hobnail
19		38304	iron	1	1	clenched nail
	11	16202	iron	1	7	wire with flattened section
	62	35104	iron	1	4	object
	63a	35104	iron	1	1	clenched nail tip
	63b	35104	iron	1	1	possible tool bit
	63c	35104	iron	1	1	possible tool bit or nail
	63d	35104	iron	1	1	possible nail tip with concreted CuA corrosion
	68	36903	iron	1	1	Clenched shank and tip
	69a	39503	iron	1	1	nail
	69b	39503	iron	1	1	nail
	71a	38014	iron	1	1	hobnail

Reg find △	Enviro Sample ◇	Context	Material	X-ray plate no	Count	Description/comments
	71b	38014	iron	1	1	likely nail shank
		18311	iron	4	1	nail
		20406	iron	4	2	nail
		38304	iron	1	1	object
		38308	iron	1	1	nail
		u/s, Tr.210 1 of 2	iron	3, 4	2	flat strap
		u/s, Tr.210 2 of 2				tapering flat part object
		18403	stone	2	1	Unidentified (awaiting further analysis)
	4	15803	glass		1	Possible vessel shard
		35204	glass		1	Probable vessel frag
	71	38014	glass		1	vessel shard
		u/s	glass		1	trench 210
20		17906	bone		1	sub-rectangular object in 2 frags
23		32105	bone		1	spherical-headed hair pin

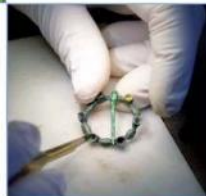
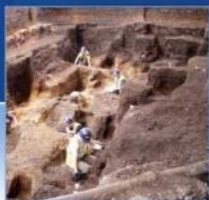
Annex 3: OASIS

OASIS Summary for aocarcha1-526819

OASIS ID (UID)	aocarcha1-526819
Project Name	Evaluation at Project 320
Sitename	Project 320
Sitecode	BEDFM.2023.270
Project Identifier(s)	P320 Evaluation
Activity type	Evaluation
Planning Id	
Reason For Investigation	Heritage management
Organisation Responsible for work	AOC Archaeology Group
Project Dates	02-Apr-2024 - 10-May-2024
Location	Project 320 NGR : TL 02500 44000 LL : 52.08487311772639, -0.50551668647897 12 Fig : 502500,244000
Administrative Areas	Country : England County/Local Authority : Bedford Local Authority District : Bedford Parish : Stewartby
Project Methodology	The evaluation comprised 321 trenches out of a proposed 322 trenches located across three land parcels: •Lake Zone: a 3% sample of the total area, excluding former brickworks and clay extraction areas. This area was subject to geophysical survey in 2019 but no trenching. •Core Zone: This parcel was subject to trenching in 2019, comprising a 0.5% sample by area, with the understanding that further evaluation would be required. As part of this current phase of work, an additional 2.5% sample was undertaken where the previous work revealed significant remains, with a 1.5% sample for the remaining areas where there were few or no features. •West Gateway Zone; a 2% sample. This parcel was subject to trenching in 2019, comprising a 0.5% sample, which revealed peripheral activity.
Project Results	Archaeological remains were present in all three land parcels, and largely matched the geophysical survey results, with activity focussed within defined areas; Late Iron Age to Romano-British (100 BC – AD 410) settlement in the Lake Zone; Late Iron Age – Romano-British farmstead, Romano-British trackway and settlement, and medieval (AD 1066 – AD 1485) moated enclosure in the Core Zone; and further Romano-British trackway and peripheral agricultural activity within the West Gateway Zone. Geoarchaeological investigation in the Lake Zone found that in situ alluvium survives within the base of the Elstow Brook, although only c. 0.25m in thickness. Alluvial infilling of a palaeochannel to the northeast is more substantial, reaching up to 1.10m in thickness. These deposits present potential for preservation of palaeoenvironmental remains which could be utilised for the reconstruction of environmental conditions throughout the Holocene and provide context for the archaeological remains identified across the Site.
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