

27.7.18

CONTEXT SHEET

Date 15.7.18	Excavator PP/SM	Excavation Area D	Context: 5001
Context Type: ☐ Cut ☐ Fill ☐ Layer ☐ Wall ☒ Other: Deposit			Complete? ☒

	Description
Deposit: Compaction, colour, composition, particle size, inclusions, thickness and extent, comments, method & conditions	15.7.18: Fine - Very Firm, medium yellowish clay, few (2%) sub-angular pebbles/cobbles of silt stone, located in the NE corner of Area D, curving from N section into E section
Cut: Shape in plan, corners, dimensions/ depth, break of slope at top, sides, break of slope at base, base, orientation, inclination of axis, truncated (if known), fill #'s, comments	- 2 m N-S (Long), 2.2m W-E (width), but continuing into the N + E sections. - could be collapse etc of clay/pise architecture
Layers: Compaction, colour, composition, particle size, inclusions, thickness and extent, comments, method and conditions	Added on 27.7.18: Friable - like pise. Compact-med compact length: 2.53m - 18cm width: 1m Height: 59 - 30cm
Walls: Shape in plan, dimensions, orientation, construction method, construction material further description	Compacted deposit → possibly degraded chunnel Directly below topsoil

Stratigraphic Matrix		Boundary to context above is:	
Is cut/ filled by	5000	☐ Sharp ☒ Clear	
This context is	5001	☐ Diffuse/gradual	
Cuts/ fills	5032 5030	☐ Unclear	
		Boundary to context below is:	
		☐ Sharp ☒ Clear	
		☐ Diffuse/gradual	
		☐ Unclear	

Interpretation	seemingly a pise structure in the north east corner which was cut by as the result of previous excavations and filled by context 5000.
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Finds frequency	☐ Very frequent ☐ Frequent (every trowel/brush) ☒ Average (every 2nd trowel/ brush) ☐ rare (ca. every 5th trowel/ brush) ☐ Sterile
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Finds	☐ Ceramics ☒ Chipped stone ☐ Ground stone ☒ Bone ☐ Worked bone ☐ Human bone ☐ Other: _____
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Finds association	☒ Undisturbed since deposition (in situ) ☐ Recently disturbed ☐ other: _____
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Photo #'s	GDT 8467 - GDT 8475 - GDT 8476 - GDT 8613
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Grid Squares & Spits (list all grids excavated within this context and tick the appropriate spits)

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