

CONTEXT SHEET

Date 1/8 18	Excavator SFP	Excavation Area D	Context: 5042
Context Type: ☐ Cut ☐ Fill ☐ Layer ☐ Wall ☒ Other: arb. spit			Complete? ☒

Description Arb. spit of 5 cm ^{each} → total apx. 50 cm

Deposit / fill / layer (circle or fill in) 2 unit layers

Compaction: compact ⁽¹⁾ medium compact friable ⁽²⁾ crumbly loose

Colour: (1) pinkish grey (5YR/6/2) (2) Grey (Gley 1/5)

Composition: sand silty sand clayey sand silt ⁽¹⁾ sandy silt ⁽²⁾ clayey silt clay sandy clay silty clay

Inclusions: grit gravel ⁽²⁾ stones ⁽¹⁾ charcoal ^{2%} shell ash mud bricks plaster other:

Length: 260 cm ^{10%} Width: 150 cm Thickness: ~~20 cm~~ 50 cm

Cut (circle or fill in)

Shape in plan: circular semi-circular oval square rectangular sub-rectangular linear

Corners: Dimensions: Depth:

Break of slope top: sharp gradual Sides: vertical convex concave stepped

Break of slope base: sharp gradual Base: flat concave uneven pointed tapered

Walls / floors / other structural elements (circle or fill in) If made of mud brick, pisé, etc. describe deposit above

Shape in plan: Orientation:

Length: Width: Height:

Construction material: mud brick pisé stone mud plaster other:

Construction method/ other comments:

Stratigraphic Matrix		Boundary to context above is:	
Is cut by	5020-26 5033	☐ Sharp ☒ Clear	
This context is	5042	☐ Diffuse/gradual	
Abuts / same as:		☐ Unclear	
fills	5049	Boundary to context below is:	
		☐ Sharp ☒ Clear	
		☐ Diffuse/gradual	
		☐ Unclear	

Interpretation Back fill layers → to hasten the excavation an arb. spit method was chosen. The layers did not change much from plan #5002 with 2 unit layers

Finds frequency ☐ Very frequent ☐ Frequent (every trowel/brush) ☒ Average (every 2nd trowel/ brush) ☐ rare (ca. every 5th trowel/ brush) ☐ Sterile

Finds ☐ Ceramics ☒ Chipped stone ☐ Ground stone ☒ Bone ☐ Worked bone ☐ Human bone ☒ Other: 2 pcs. of plastic at bottom

Finds association ☐ Undisturbed since deposition (in situ) ☒ Recently disturbed ☐ other:

Photo #'s GDT 0114 + 0116 + 0117 + 0118 + 0394 + 0395 + 0396 + 0397

Grid Squares & Spits (list all grids excavated within this context and tick the appropriate spits)

Sketch

