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Summary

During May and June of 2008, Oxford Archaeology undertook an evaluation by trial trenching at the land at Brooklands, Milton Keynes (centred NGR: SP 907 397), which covered Phases 2-4 of the development proposals. The works were commissioned by CgMs Consulting, acting on behalf of Places for People Development Ltd and Cofton Ltd.

The evaluation works uncovered two settlement foci, as well as three other foci of activity.

The largest settlement foci was already known from the results of the geophysical survey (Area 22), however the evaluation works discovered a large peripheral zone surrounding this settlement core, and determined that it is primarily of Romano-British date.

The second, smaller, settlement focus of early Iron Age date was also confirmed, centred around geophysical survey Area 10. This focus also has a zone of peripheral activity, albeit on a much smaller scale than that found around the Romano-British focus. This peripheral zone is also less well defined as there are a number of later, intrusive features throughout it, making its extent difficult to define at this stage.

The other three foci consist of one possible, small undated settlement focus in the north-west of the site, one isolated group of features in Trench 178, of Bronze Age and Iron Age date, and a small collection of potentially late Bronze Age features to the south-east of the Romano-British focus.

The remainder of the site was covered by a sparse collection of field boundaries of various dates.



1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Location and scope of work

- 1.1.1 CgMs Consulting was commissioned by Places for People Development Ltd and Cofton Ltd to organise an archaeological evaluation of Phases 2-4 of the Brooklands, Milton Keynes development. CgMs in turn appointed Oxford Archaeology (OA) to undertake the related fieldwork (OA 2007a).
- 1.1.2 The evaluation works were originally intended to comprise the excavation of 212 trenches measuring 40 m by 2 m. During the course of the works, Nick Crank (Milton Keynes Archaeological Officer) requested the excavation of two additional trenches (340 and 341) either side of Trench 178 in response to findings within Trench 178. Five further trenches (342-346) were also requested to confirm the south-eastern extent of the archaeological remains. As a result a total 219 trenches were completed.

1.2 Geology and topography

- 1.2.1 Brooklands is located on the eastern flank of Milton Keynes and centred on grid reference SP 907 397. The area is roughly triangular in shape and measures c. 155 ha. It is bounded by the M1 to the north-east, the A5130 to the south-west and a new development known as 'Nova 1' to the south. Phases 2 to 4 roughly correspond to the southern two thirds of the entire area (see Figs 1 and 2).
- 1.2.2 The site lies between 60 and 65 m OD, sloping gently both to the north and south. The majority of the fields are essentially flat or gently undulating. The site is currently under various arable regimes and also contained a small wood known as Covert Wood, now removed. The soils and geology of the site comprise Evesham 2 overlying Jurassic and Cretaceous clays, Oxpasture overlying Jurassic and Cretaceous clay shale, Bishampton 2 overlying river terrace drift and the river terrace association of Fladbury 1 (CgMs 2008).

1.3 Archaeological and historical background

- 1.3.1 The archaeological and historical background has already been discussed in a desk based assessment by John Samuels Archaeological Consultants (JSAC), limited fieldwalking by Northamptonshire Archaeology, as well as a geophysical survey by GSB Prospection Ltd and this will not be repeated in detail here (CgMs 2008).
- 1.3.2 In summary, the desk based research indicated the presence of prehistoric and Roman potential within the wider area with a number of significant sites known such as Wavendon Gate located 3.49 km to the south west (R.J. Williams et al, 1996) and the recently excavated Broughton Gate site located only 1.15 km to the south east of the site (CgMs 2008).
- 1.3.3 The geophysical survey comprised the scanning of 120 ha, and detailed recording of 27 areas with significant anomalies recorded in Areas 1, 2, 10, 22 and 25. The results of the geophysical survey clearly indicated that mitigation by excavation would be required in Area 1 (now completed, post excavation ongoing). Across the remainder of the site it was decided that an evaluation by trial trenching was appropriate to further define the potential of the site.



1.4 Acknowledgements

- 1.4.1 OA would like to thank Rob Bourn of CgMs Consulting for facilitating the works and Nick Crank of Milton Keynes City Council for his advice. OA would also like to acknowledge Mark Dodd who ran the fieldwork and Matthew Morgan, Abigail Brown, Hannah Brown, Gemma Stewart, Nayia Markoulaki, Antonio Reis and Sergio Carvalho who worked on the site.



2 EVALUATION AIMS AND METHODOLOGY

2.1 Aims

2.1.1 The aims and objectives of the evaluation are as follows:

- (i) To determine or confirm the general nature of any remains present.
- (ii) To determine or confirm the approximate date or date range of any remains, by means of artefactual or other evidence.
- (iii) To determine or confirm the approximate extent of any remains.
- (iv) To determine the condition and state of preservation of any remains
- (v) To determine the degree of complexity of the horizontal and/or vertical stratigraphy present.
- (vi) To determine or confirm the likely range, quality and quantity of any artefactual evidence present.
- (vii) To determine the potential of the site to provide palaeo-environmental and/or economic evidence and the forms in which such evidence may be present.

2.2 Methodology

2.2.1 A targeted 2% sample was excavated within the Phases 2-4 area, which was to be undertaken with the excavation of 212 trenches measuring 40 m by 2 m. However, as was discussed above (sec 1.1.2) the scope of the trenching work was changed. As a result, a total 219 trenches were excavated and recorded (216 measuring 40 m by 2 m, one measuring 34.5 m by 2 m and one measuring 49.5 m by 2 m). In addition to this, the south-western end of Trench 178 was widened (to 6.75 m by 12.75 m) to establish any associated remains with a single late Bronze Age / early Iron Age pit revealed during the initial works.

2.2.2 The methodology outlined in the Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI) for this project (OA 2008) was closely followed on site with no modifications other than those outlined above. Excavation strategy was regularly discussed with Rob Bourn and Nick Crank, to ensure the on site aims and objectives set out in the WSI were suitably met.



3 RESULTS

3.1 Introduction and presentation of results

- 3.1.1 The results presented in the main text of this report provide a detailed overview of the findings of the evaluation works. A comprehensive listing of individual trench descriptions and related context data can also be found in Appendix A.
- 3.1.2 A decimal numbering system was employed to ensure that contexts (individual archaeological records of features and deposits) recorded during the evaluation did not coincide with those recorded during previous and any subsequent excavations, through the allocation of the same site code. Hence all context numbers were trench specific with the trench number being followed by a double zero and the specific context following a decimal point (e.g. The first context used for Trench 1 would be 100.001).
- 3.1.3 All recovered finds and samples are recorded in the specialist reports in Appendices B and C, with a summary also provided in the detailed trench descriptions (see Appendix A). The trench descriptions also contain the dimensions of both the trenches and the features within showing the depths of the deposits and, where appropriate, the relevant dating.

3.2 Soils and ground conditions

- 3.2.1 As the vast majority of the site had been under arable use prior to the evaluation works the soil matrix encountered was broadly similar across the site. This comprised a relatively uniform topsoil measuring an average of 0.3 m, overlying a subsoil averaging 0.25 m in depth.
- 3.2.2 Trenches 134 – 141, 302 and 305 were located within an area of recently cleared woodland. This revealed a well preserved area of ridge and furrow creating deep subsoil deposits within the ridges and headlands whilst the lack of modern agricultural activity prevented a deep accumulation of topsoil.
- 3.2.3 The majority of the site remained dry throughout most of the works, with the exception of trenches 128, 129, 131, 134 – 144, 146 – 150, 158, 159, 161 – 163, 224, 239, 283, 302, 304, 305, 309, 316, 320 and 330, which flooded due to heavy rainfall over several weeks. Elsewhere on site, although the trenches remained dry, most of the excavated features did encounter a high water table. In particular Trench 178 yielded preserved wood dating from the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age indicating sustained waterlogging in the area (see Appendix C).

3.3 Distribution of archaeological deposits

General

- 3.3.1 Of the 219 trenches which were excavated and recorded a total of 126 contained archaeological deposits. These deposits varied in their form and density across the area, and comprised pits, postholes and ditch features, some of which relate to known field boundaries shown on early Ordnance Survey maps within the Desk-Based Assessment carried out by JSAC, whereas others matched geophysical anomalies recorded in the earlier geophysical survey (CgMs 2008).
- 3.3.2 Two main concentrations of settlement activity were located during the evaluation, Focus A and Focus B (Fig 2), both of which were highlighted initially by the geophysical survey. In addition to these two main foci a further three smaller areas (C, D and E)



have also been recorded (Fig. 2). These foci are briefly summarised below, and discussed in more detail in sections 3.4 – 3.8.

Focus A

- 3.3.3 Focus A lies at the western edge of the development area, bisected by the E-W aligned, Broughton Road and bounded to the west by the A5130 (Figs 2, 3 and 5). The archaeology identified within this focus largely consists of a core of linear ditch features, pits and hut circles dating to the Iron Age, with a wider periphery which also included one or two late Bronze Age, Roman and early Saxon features probably relating to more dispersed activity.

Focus B

- 3.3.4 Focus B refers to a large complex of late Iron Age and Romano-British enclosures (see Figs 2, 6, and 15). This large focus of activity is centred on the core of settlement activity originally discovered in geophysical Area 22 (Fig. 15) which is surrounded by a wider peripheral zone highlighted in figures 11 – 14.
- 3.3.5 This peripheral zone can be broadly divided into two distinct groupings. The first of these is to the west of the settlement core (Figs 2, 5 and 11), where a separate Roman enclosure was identified which is contemporary in date, but appears spatially isolated from the core and the rest of the peripheral zone (although the area between these enclosures was not evaluated). The rest of the peripheral zone is located to the north and north-east of the core and consists of an area of less densely spaced and undated archaeological remains which have been associated to the core due to the presence of two droveways that are aligned broadly N-S and appear to link the two zones (see Figs 2 and 6).

Focus C

- 3.3.6 Focus C lies to the east of Focus B, and consists of a collection of features dating to the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age found primarily in Trench 289 (Figs 2, 6 and 14). The character of the archaeology in this trench is similar to that recorded within the undated peripheral zone of Focus B, with a predominance of small pits and gullies.
- 3.3.7 Of the two pits excavated one provided pottery dating to the late Iron Age and early Roman period while the other produced sherds of late Bronze Age and early Iron Age pottery. It is a result of this possible earlier activity that Focus C has been specifically noted as separate from Focus B, although it is recognised that this may simply form part of a more extensive, earlier presence, which is not apparent at this time.

Focus D

- 3.3.8 Focus D (Fig 16) lies within the central northern portion of the site focussing on an isolated cluster of pits within Trench 178. Only one of the five pits recorded provided datable evidence in the form of late Bronze Age or early Iron Age pottery. The nearest contemporary activity is approximately 0.3 km to the south-west within Focus A.

Focus E

- 3.3.9 This focus consists of a collection of features found in Trenches 147 and 320 (Fig 7). While these features remained undated their form and concentration suggest activity which is distinct from the site's background of agricultural boundary ditches.



3.4 Archaeological features in Focus A

General

- 3.4.1 The features discovered within this focus broadly support the initial characterisation carried out by the geophysical survey, in confirming that there is a core of activity (Fig. 9) which is mostly confined to geophysical survey Area 10. The trenching works have identified a zone of potential peripheral activity (Figs 8 and 10), which is discussed separately below.
- 3.4.2 The dating evidence recovered indicates that the core of the activity is Iron Age, and mainly comprises ditched enclosures. The more peripheral activity has been dated to the late Bronze Age, Roman and early Saxon periods suggesting that the Romano-British activity identified in the Broughton Manor Farm site may also continue into the potential peripheral zone for this focus as more dispersed activity.

Focus A – early Iron Age core: Trenches 154 – 157 and 217

- 3.4.3 The core of this settlement was originally identified by the geophysical survey, which indicated the presence of at least two and potentially four ring ditches within an enclosure (Fig. 9). The trenches were targeted on these locations and confirmed the presence of three ring gullies, including one in Trench 157 which was only marked as a 'trend' in the geophysical survey.
- 3.4.4 Given the results of the geophysics and the trenching it is safe to say that a modest settlement is located here, which consists of at least six roundhouses with a series of enclosures.
- 3.4.5 The best correlation between the geophysics and the trenching results was found in Trench 154, where a 12 m stretch of curvilinear ditch [15400.004] was uncovered, which directly matches a partial ring ditch in the geophysics (see Fig. 9). Another good correlation was found in Trench 217 (see Fig. 10). The ring ditches generally measured 1 m in width and 0.4 m in depth, although in some instances they were quite shallow, as can be seen in Trench 157 (see section 15700.002, Fig. 9).
- 3.4.6 No large pits were noted during the evaluation, however the geophysical survey suggests that many may be present surrounding the ring ditches.

Focus A – peripheral zone

- 3.4.7 The peripheral zone of Focus A consists of an increased density of features, whose association with the settlement core has been made primarily due to proximity. The features in this zone are typically small ditches and gullies, in a higher density to that found in the 'background' of the wider area.
- 3.4.8 An interesting feature of this peripheral zone is that while the density and location of features in relation to the core suggest an association, many of the features have been dated to the Roman and Saxon period, as opposed to the Iron Age, as exemplified in Trench 153 (Fig. 9), which contained a Roman ditch [15300.004] and Saxon pit [15300.005] as well as Trench 150 (Fig. 8) which contained the remains of a Roman feature. These features indicate that the north-western corner of this zone may have a closer association to the Roman site at Broughton Manor Farm (c. 250 m to the west) than to the early Iron Age settlement.
- 3.4.9 Other features throughout the peripheral zone are largely undated and comprise shallow gullies and pits. An exception to this was found in Trench 222 (see Fig. 10), where a line of three small postholes was discovered, one of which contained a



Neolithic flint (see Appendices A and B). While the flint may be residual, the curving line of posts hints that there may be further activity within the peripheral zone which has remained undetected by the evaluation.

3.5 Archaeological features in Focus B

General

- 3.5.1 The settlement core of Focus B (Fig. 15) was initially highlighted by the geophysical survey as Area 22, which lies within an area intended for playing fields and as such are not part of the major development. The purpose of trenching this area was to assess the impact of any enabling works with a view to allowing preservation in-situ. Therefore excavation the exposed features was very limited, with the majority of the archaeology being recorded in plan and dated through the recovery of surface finds.
- 3.5.2 It should be noted that unlike the rest of the site, where the topography gently undulates, this southern edge of the site slopes moderately downwards from around Trenches 334 and 333 southwards with the lower break of slope within Trenches 332 and 337.
- 3.5.3 The main settlement core appears to have had continuous activity from the late Iron Age into the Roman period. The western peripheral activity (Fig. 11) is largely Roman in date, but contains a single early Saxon feature, and the northern peripheral zone (Figs 12 and 13) is undated, though believed to be contemporary for reasons which will be discussed below.

Focus B – settlement core: Trenches 332-339

- 3.5.4 The settlement core of Focus B consists of at least two driveways which converge and then run parallel on a N-S alignment (Figs 6 and 15). Between these driveways are areas of denser concentrations of features, which contain small enclosures and what seem to be numerous pits. The areas of denser archaeology were targeted with Trenches 333, 335 and 336, while the other trenches targeted the driveways and the immediate vicinity.

Drovweways

- 3.5.5 The western driveway ditch leads down into the Focus through Trench 334 and is indicated on the geophysics continuing south into and beyond the eastern end of Trench 333. Features [33400.004] and [33300.017] were identified in these trenches and confirmed the location of the driveway. Ditch [33400.004] was excavated to a depth of 0.58 m and had a slightly concave base. Pottery dating from the late Iron Age and early Roman periods was recovered from its fills.
- 3.5.6 This western driveway appears to run along the eastern edge of a small enclosure that was partly identified within Trenches 333 and 334. The northern extent of this enclosure was recorded within Trench 334 as ditch [33400.013]. This section of the enclosure is of particular interest due to the high concentration of charcoal that was observed in its upper fills (33400.015) and (33400.016). This is thought to indicate an isolated area of possible industrial activity nearby, such as a corn-drying oven.
- 3.5.7 The eastern driveway leads southwards through Trenches 271, 339 and down into Trench 336. Within Trench 339 the space between the ditches measured approximately 6 m and the western ditch [33900.004] was excavated to a depth of 0.48 m and yielded Roman ceramics.



Other features

- 3.5.8 Between the driveways are a series of features which indicate the presence of a fairly small but dense settlement (Fig. 15). These areas were targeted by Trenches 333, 335 and 336, all of which contained evidence of small enclosures and areas of more complex activity. These are discussed in more detail below.
- 3.5.9 Trench 333 revealed what seems to be a small enclosure when viewed in conjunction with the geophysical results. The trench revealed one of the outer ditches ([33300.015]) and one of the inner ditches ([33300.017]) of this enclosure.
- 3.5.10 Within this enclosure is evidence of more complex features. Trench 333 was purposefully positioned to avoid the more complex area of features shown approximately 20 m to the south, however features [33300.011] and [33300.013] attest to the presence of more complex features.
- 3.5.11 It is unclear whether these two features are intercutting, or spreads of material overlying each other. The features were differentiated by the fill of [33300.011], which was a dark charcoal rich clay silt deposit with indications of in-situ burning as well as fragments of non-local limestone, while the fill of [33300.013] was siltier, with far less charcoal. Neither of these deposits were investigated by excavation due to a preference for preservation in-situ, as well as the difficulty explaining the deposits without fully exposing them. Late Iron Age and early Roman pottery sherds were recovered from the surface of both deposits.
- 3.5.12 Further to the north-east, in Trench 334, were the remains of a truncated cremation, [33400.010]. Pottery sherds recovered from the surface of the cremation vessel provided a Roman date, although the feature itself was left in-situ.
- 3.5.13 Trench 336 was positioned in the central portion of this apparent settlement focus and revealed the greatest density of archaeology. Dominated by linear ditch features, particularly at the western end, where many of them inter-cut there is obviously several phases of activity. Excavation within this area was limited but the pottery recovered suggests occupation almost continuously through the Roman period (see Appendix B). The type of activity taking place within the centre of this settlement core is difficult to define but there are numerous phases of enclosure systems and the presence of possible building materials (in the form of iron nails and limestone fragments) confirms the activity as settlement as opposed to just stock enclosures.
- 3.5.14 Further structural evidence was observed within Trench 335 where two postholes, [33500.006] and [33500.008] each measuring 0.25 m in diameter were recorded but not excavated. These were located within another small enclosure that was identified through a combination of geophysical survey and these excavations. Measuring nearly 20 m across, the eastern and western ditches were both revealed within Trench 335, with the western ditch [33500.012] being excavated. Excavation showed the ditch to measure 0.72 m in depth and confirmed a Roman date.
- 3.5.15 The remaining three trenches along the southern edge of this main settlement focus showed a relatively high concentration of archaeological remains although there was limited association with the geophysical results. The character of these remains within trenches 332, 337 and 338 generally consists of shallow ditches on varying alignments. Within Trench 338 on the eastern edge of the area there were five such ditches, the largest of which was 0.62 m in width with pottery indicating dates from the late Iron Age and Roman periods. This is almost identical to the remains recorded within Trench 332 on the western edge of the area.



- 3.5.16 Two undated E-W aligned ditches were observed within Trench 337, which appear to define the southern limit of this settlement activity. These were located in one of the lowest parts of the site at the base of a slope that leads down to a stream where there is a deep accumulation of alluvial deposits, and demonstrated the potential for preservation on the site.
- 3.5.17 During the excavation of the trench a 2 m long slot was excavated at the south-western end in order to test the natural geology. The slot was machined to a total depth of 1.9 m before natural gravels were encountered. This layer was immediately overlain by a 0.3 m deep deposit of dark clay-sand which contained a large quantity of preserved waterlogged wood and charcoal (33700.001). This deposit was beneath another layer of light grey clay containing frequent fragments of charcoal (33700.002) followed by a succession of alluvial deposits which ended with a blue grey clay (33700.005) which was itself overlain by a possible buried soil layer (33700.006)(see Appendix C).

Focus B peripheral zone: Western periphery

- 3.5.18 The trenches within the western periphery of Zone B were specifically located to test a rectangular shaped enclosure identified during the geophysical survey (see Fig 11). The enclosure appeared to measure approximately 40 m by 60 m, and the presence of the western, southern and eastern boundaries were confirmed in Trenches 235, 234 and 237.
- 3.5.19 However, the extent of the enclosure seems to be much larger than implied by the results of the geophysical survey, as ditches found in Trench 239 may form the actual northern boundary of the enclosures given their alignments and similar dimensions in plan to that found in Trenches 234, 235 and 237.
- 3.5.20 Moreover, what originally seemed to be the northern boundary of the enclosure, found in Trench 237 ([23700.012]), contained early Saxon pottery (dated to AD 410 to 550), implying a larger enclosure system during the late Roman period, which may have had continued use and subsequent divisions placed in the early Saxon period. It is worth noting, however, that the Saxon date is based on a small quantity of pottery (four sherds), and could potentially be residual due to the shallow nature of the ditch (see Fig. 11).
- 3.5.21 Overall the enclosure ditches had an average depth of 0.6 m and measured up to 2 m wide. Trench 235 displayed evidence that the enclosure had been re-cut, possibly to redirect that side of the enclosure. Trench 234 was positioned to protrude into the enclosure but found no further evidence of activity beyond a probable furrow ([23400.004]).
- 3.5.22 Although spatially isolated from the settlement core of Focus B to the east, recovered pottery dates this enclosure to the Roman period (AD 150 – 410) thereby the two areas.
- 3.5.23 The remaining features within the western periphery were undated, despite the excavation of several interventions. However, given their proximity to the Roman enclosure, it is reasonable to assume that they may form part of a related field system. In particular the ditches in Trenches 238 and 232 have similar dimensions and alignments to the more datable elements discussed above.
- 3.5.24 Beyond the ditches described, the western periphery only contained two small pits (in Trenches 255 and 254), which were located on the eastern side of the Roman enclosure (which is also the side of the settlement core)(see Fig. 11).

**Focus B peripheral zone: Northern periphery**

- 3.5.25 The geophysical survey failed to identify most of the archaeological features included within this area (Figs 12 and 13). Although more dispersed, and almost entirely undated, the level of activity is significantly higher than that seen more generally across the remainder of the site. This is strengthened by the number of discrete features such as pits and postholes suggesting more intense activity than more dispersed agricultural land use.

Linear features

- 3.5.26 There are numerous linear ditches that run through one or more trenches potentially forming field systems or settlement enclosures. For instance, in the west of this zone of activity (Fig. 12) a single ditch [26000.004] was recorded in Trench 260 which extends on a NNE-SSW alignment into Trench 267 as ditch [26700.004]. Similarly Trenches 262 (Fig. 12) and 275 (Fig. 13) have both revealed sections of a WNW-ESE aligned ditch, [26200.006] and [27500.011], again undated but presumably part of a contemporary system.
- 3.5.27 Other sections of linear ditches were also revealed in this northern periphery but it is not possible to suggest how they relate to each other due to the lack of dateable material and the short sections that have been revealed. Entering from the eastern end of Trench 277 (Fig. 13), on an ENE-WSW alignment was a broad shallow linear ditch, [27700.009], approximately 1.06 m wide and 0.16 m in depth. It is suspected that this represents the truncated remains of a drainage or boundary ditch. Although not securely dated, a single undiagnostic flint flake was recovered from the fill, which itself appeared to be quite de-mineralised indicating that the ditch is relatively early. Taken by themselves this arrangement of ditches is no more remarkable than those recorded throughout the remainder of the evaluation. It is the possible association with pit and posthole features that draws attention to this part of the site.

Posts and pits

- 3.5.28 Approximately in the central portion of Trench 275 (Fig. 13), four small pits or postholes were uncovered, [27500.005], [27500.007], [27500.013] and [27500.015], each measuring between 0.46 m and 0.58 m in diameter. Only [27500.005] and [27500.007] were excavated, and measured approximately 0.2 m in depth.
- 3.5.29 Within Trench 277 was a relatively large pit, [27700.004] which extended beyond the southern limits of the trench. Measuring at least 3 m in diameter, the depth was surprisingly shallow, bottoming out at only 0.56 m onto a flat base. No pottery or other material culture was recovered from its fills and the purpose of it is difficult to suggest although there is a Saxon presence in the area and this is not unlike some sunken feature buildings. It is worth noting also that 2 m to the west of this feature a single posthole [27700.007] was also recorded.
- 3.5.30 Further to the west within Trench 262 (Fig. 12), ditch [26200.006] was cut by a small pit [26200.004] which measured 0.7 m in diameter and 0.38 m in depth. Trench 307 contained a shallow pit, [30700.006], 1.42 m across and 0.41 m deep. As with the other features in this vicinity, no finds were recovered from this pit, but the fill was noticeably more de-mineralised than seen elsewhere and so may either represent a tree throw, or more likely, a much earlier phase of activity. A single posthole [30700.008], or ditch terminus was also recorded at the western extent of the trench, extending beyond the southern limits and seemingly not associated with any other feature.



- 3.5.31 The main settlement core of Focus B is directly to the south of this northern peripheral activity and is potentially linked by at least one and potentially both of the driveway features that lead out of the north of the core. While the spatial association is suggestive of a relationship it is recognised that it could equally be coincidental as there are no finds from the northern periphery to confirm this.

3.6 Archaeological features in Focus C

General

- 3.6.1 Focus C refers to evidence of late Bronze Age / early Iron Age activity approximately 200 m to the east of the the settlement core of Focus B (Fig. 14). It is recognised that this may represent a slightly earlier phase of activity that eventually gravitated westwards, however it has been demarcated as a separate focus due to the early dates of some of the ceramic material.

Late Bronze Age / early Iron Age activity

- 3.6.2 Focus C is almost entirely concentrated on Trench 289 (Fig 14) which revealed four discrete pit or posthole features, two of which were half-sectioned, [28900.005] and [28900.008]. Their diameters in plan range from 0.2 m to 0.61 m suggesting varying use and there is evidence for burning. One of the pits [28900.008] contained late Iron Age / early Roman pottery and the other contained possible late Bronze Age / early Iron Age pottery.
- 3.6.3 There were also three narrow gullies, two of which were excavated, [28900.010] and [28900.014]. The third of these linear gully's [28900.016] was left unexcavated. Although undated, their similarity suggests some contemporaneity and therefore a focus of activity in either the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age or the late Iron Age / early Roman periods.
- 3.6.4 Further to the north within Trench 291 a single posthole feature, [29100.004] and a shallow ditch [29100.006] were recorded. Although relatively insignificant, its proximity to the archaeology within Trench 289 suggests they may be related. The ditch feature itself is somewhat more substantial than those in Trench 289, measuring 0.8 m in width and is unlikely to be a continuation of those already identified. The posthole however, may represent dispersed settlement activity in this location.

3.7 Archaeological features in Focus D

General

- 3.7.1 Trench 178 (Fig 16) initially revealed a large pit [17800.004], a small gully [17800.010], a large modern drainage ditch [17800.014] and a furrow [17800.016]. Pit [17800.004] extended beyond the south-eastern limits of the trench and so it was only possible to excavated a single quadrant safely. In doing so, several sherds of late Bronze Age / early Iron Age pottery were recovered, along with, due to the high water table, several fragments of preserved wood. The remainder of the features within the trench were undated.
- 3.7.2 Trench 321 was the nearest excavated trench and revealed near its the eastern end, two posthole features, [32100.004] and [32100.006] which were probably related to each other but unfortunately provided no dating. Nearer the western end of the trench were two linear features, a shallow concave ditch, [32100.010] approximately 0.21 m



deep and a deeper V-shape ditch, [32100.008], which reached a depth of 0.42 m. Both of these were also undated.

- 3.7.3 Given the apparent density of archaeology which appeared to be focused upon these two trenches and the potential importance of the pit in Trench 178, Nick Crank (MKAO) requested that two further trenches be excavated on either side of Trench 178 in an attempt to determine the limits of this focus. As a result, Trenches 340 and 341 were excavated but failed to reveal any additional archaeological activity. It was therefore decided that a small area of Trench 178 be extended in order to excavate a complete half section of pit [17800.004] and identify any immediately associated features, with a view to mitigating the large pit in the process.

Late Bronze Age / early Iron Age pit cluster

- 3.7.4 The south-western end of Trench 178 was subsequently widened to expose an area measuring 6.75 m by 12.75 m, which revealed a further four pits of varying size (see Fig 16). In half-sectioning pit [17800.004] it was found to be truncating an earlier, smaller pit, [17800.027], which was previously unidentified. In the completion of pit [17800.004] no further pottery sherds were recovered but several fragments of animal bone and preserved wood were found, along with a well preserved copper alloy blade dated to the late Bronze Age (Small Find 110, see Appendix B, section B.3).
- 3.7.5 The pit was eventually recorded at 2.4 m in diameter and 1.2 m in depth. The continued presence of water within the pit indicates that it was more likely to have been used as a waterhole than a storage pit and appears to have gradually silted up over time. The presence of charcoal rich fills and artefactual material also indicated that there may have been other activity in the vicinity that has not yet been recognised.
- 3.7.6 An environmental assessment of the samples taken from this pit has been undertaken, and has revealed the presence of potentially very significant waterlogged remains (see Appendix C). Further work is recommended to fully understand the significance of these remains.
- 3.7.7 Approximately 2 m to the south of pit [17800.004], within the newly extended area, three other pits [17800.028], [17800.020] and [17800.026] were recorded but contained no dateable material. It is believed that due to their proximity, these may also be of late Bronze Age / early Iron Age date.
- 3.7.8 Truncating pits [17800.020], [17800.026] and [17800.004] was a shallow linear feature on a N-S alignment, (Group [17800.037]). This linear only measured 0.14 m deep and yielded a single sherd of Roman pottery.

3.8 Archaeological features in Focus E

General

- 3.8.1 Focus E (Fig. 7) is located approximately 150 m to the north-west of Focus A, and has been highlighted because the density of features within these trenches is only marginally lower than some of the trenches noted within Focus A. This isolated, undated activity may be indicative of a small scale settlement.

Undated evidence

- 3.8.2 Within Trench 320 a total of eleven discrete posthole or pit features were identified, three of which, were excavated ([32000.006], [32000.008] and [32000.010]). These



appeared to be the truncated remains of postholes, measuring between 0.3 m and 0.5 m in diameter and 0.05 m and 0.12 m in depth.

- 3.8.3 In addition to the pit features, three ditches were also identified, including one ([32000.014]) which makes a 90° turn, but as no finds were recovered from any of the features excavated within Trench 320 very little interpretation is possible.
- 3.8.4 Trench 147 revealed a slightly more intensive system of intercutting ditches signifying prolonged activity within this focus but again failed to produce any artefactual evidence.

3.9 The wider evaluation area

Medieval and Post-Medieval field boundaries

- 3.9.1 As would be expected of an evaluation of this nature, a number of trenches revealed evidence for later, medieval and post-medieval field boundaries. Numerous features were identified that might fit into this category but were undated and little evidence could be found to support these suspicions. Meanwhile, correlations with the map regression carried out in the Desk-Based Assessment (CgMs 2008) was able to confirm the locations of some known field boundaries.
- 3.9.2 At the northern edge of the site, trenches 146, 145, 144 and 143 all contained a WNW-ESE boundary ditch as shown on the 1886 OS map (Fig. 3). In the central northern field, two boundary ditches were identified, one running N-S through trenches 180, 321, 178, 341 and 177, also shown on the 1886 OS map. The other (running E-W through trenches 256, 286 and 200; Fig. 4) E-W ditch does not appear on any of the maps, however, Post-Medieval pottery was found during excavation of it within Trench 256.
- 3.9.3 Within the southern portion of the evaluation area a third boundary ditch was recorded that appears on the 1886 OS map. Initially identified in Trench 250 on a N-S orientation, it continued south into Trench 310 where it made a turn to the west, and was subsequently recorded in Trenches 251 and 238 on an E-W alignment (Fig. 5).
- 3.9.4 In the south-eastern field of the site (Fig. 6) two field boundaries were recorded that appear on the later, 1900 OS map, both on broadly N-S orientations. The first of these appeared within trenches 280, 281 and 343. The second running through trenches 292 and 293.

Undated and Isolated features

- 3.9.5 Away from the specific foci of activity outlined above there were also numerous trenches containing undated features that are seemingly isolated (see Figs 3, 4, 5 and 6). Typically, this would consist of a single shallow ditch identified within a trench with no obvious continuation recorded or one or two pits or postholes positioned a significant distance from recognised foci without artefactual evidence to support any possible connection.
- 3.9.6 Specific examples include the trenches within the periphery of geophysical survey Area 13. To the west of this area, trenches, 166 – 168, 174, 325 and 322 contained either one or two undated linear ditch features with little indication of their relationship to each other. Within this area, trenches 179, 311, 331, and 325 all contained isolated pit or possible tree-throws that produced no artefactual evidence to suggest their purpose or any intensity of activity.
- 3.9.7 Within and to the north of Area 13 a similar pattern of activity was observed within trenches 176, 186 – 188, 192 and 328, the exception here being that of the three



linears recorded within Trench 187, one was found to contain a sherd of Roman pottery. Unfortunately, the nearest recorded activity that is potentially contemporary is approximately 0.5 km away and so this has little meaning in this context.

- 3.9.8 Beyond that already identified, very little of any archaeological significance was identified elsewhere within the site as the archaeological features followed a pattern that indicated prolonged agricultural activity leaving only the traces of field systems on a variety of alignments and possible dispersed settlement activity. More specific details are outlined in Appendix A.

3.10 Finds summary

- 3.10.1 There was generally a small amount of finds recovered given the scale of the evaluation and the amount of archaeological features recorded, many of the features away from the main foci identified yielding no artefactual evidence at all. However, it should be noted that particularly within the settlement core of Focus B, many of the deposits were left unexcavated with finds simply being retrieved from the surface of features.
- 3.10.2 From what was recovered there is clearly evidence from the pottery for three distinct phases of activity including later prehistoric, Roman and early Saxon. During these periods it is indicated by the animal bone that cattle and sheep were being farmed and butchered during the late Iron Age and Roman periods whilst the earlier faunal remains show that wild game such as red deer were being hunted within the Brooklands area.
- 3.10.3 Only six pieces of worked flint were recovered during this phase of works suggesting probable Neolithic activity using a variety of raw materials. Although a very small assemblage it does add to the emerging picture of earlier prehistoric activity.
- 3.10.4 The metalwork also forms a small and largely unremarkable assemblage with the exception of a late Bronze Age blade recovered from a possible waterhole in Trench 178 (see section 3.7 above, and Appendix B).



4 DISCUSSION

4.1 Reliability of field investigation

- 4.1.1 Overall, the results of the evaluation were reliable, particularly in demonstrating the broader layout of the archaeological remains. However, there is a possibility that isolated features may survive between the trenches (Hey & Lacey, 2001). This was particularly well demonstrated with the extension of Trench 178 when a seemingly isolated pit was proven to be part of more densely focussed area of activity.
- 4.1.2 This concern particularly applies to the area within east of the development (Fig 4). It was here that the fieldwalking exercise carried out by Northamptonshire Archaeology identified a scatter of worked flint, indicating an area of “domestic activity dating to the later Neolithic or early Bronze Age” (CgMs 2008). The amount of flint recovered from the evaluation was very low but there were a number of undated archaeological features that were recorded in this area. For example, Trenches 212, 216, 270, 272, 291, and 294 – 296 contained undated ditches and relatively substantial pits, and occasional postholes were recorded within Trenches 275, 277, 280 and 287.
- 4.1.3 There is also a degree of truncation across the evaluation area. The trend across the whole area was for markedly shallow features, which suggests a high level of truncation resulting from continued ploughing. This will have had an affect on the presence and recovery of artefactual evidence.
- 4.1.4 Modern disturbance will have had a detrimental effect upon the archaeological deposits in a few isolated areas although these were located away from any focus of archaeological activity. Trenches 212 and 283 contained a limited amount of isolated but substantial modern truncation. The most easterly located trenches, 299 and 300 where almost completely within a deeply truncated area that is believed to be associated with the construction of the M1, slightly further to the east.
- 4.1.5 Beyond these two areas the only modern interference observed was in the form of drainage pipes, which rarely impacted upon the archaeological deposits.
- 4.1.6 Waterlogging of archaeological features made some of the excavation difficult and following periods of heavy rainfall a large number of trenches did become flooded. The length of the works however, allowed most of these trenches to be investigated as the water subsided, with the exception of Trench 239 which remained flooded throughout the evaluation and was only ever recorded in plan. On the whole, the effect of waterlogging and flooding on the reliability of the results was negligible.

4.2 Evaluation objectives and results

- 4.2.1 The results of the evaluation are summarised below in relation to the objectives set out in the Written Scheme of Investigation.
- 4.2.2 *To determine or confirm the general nature of any remains present:* The evaluation found five main foci of activity. Elsewhere within the evaluated area the evidence was largely confined to dispersed field systems.
- 4.2.3 *To determine or confirm the approximate date or date range of any remains, by means of artefactual or other evidence:* The main foci of activity are largely dated to between the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age up to and including the late Roman period, with an isolated example of early Saxon activity from a single feature. Approximately one third of the remains were undated.



- 4.2.4 *To determine or confirm the approximate extent of any remains:* On the whole the foci of activity appear to be moderately well defined where dateable material was retrieved.
- 4.2.5 *To determine the condition and state of preservation of any remains:* There is evidence that previous ploughing activity has impacted upon the archaeological remains. Focus B in particular showed that in some instances the features were little more than 0.2 m below the current ground level. Despite this, preservation does appear to be fair.
- 4.2.6 *To determine the degree of complexity of the horizontal and/or vertical stratigraphy present:* There was little evidence for any vertical stratigraphy of significance beyond accumulation of colluvial and alluvial deposits in isolated areas. The majority of archaeological features encountered appeared to be relatively low density with the exception of Focus B where there was a significant concentration of archaeology.
- 4.2.7 *To determine or confirm the likely range, quality and quantity of any artefactual evidence present:* Within the established foci of activity there was moderate quantity of well preserved artefactual material ranging from the late prehistoric through to the early Saxon period with particularly well preserved organic material from Trench 178. Away from these foci artefactual evidence was scarce.
- 4.2.8 *To determine the potential of the site to provide palaeo-environmental and/or economic evidence and the forms in which such evidence may be present:* Charred plant remains were on the whole scarce but waterlogged deposits did provide extremely well preserved plant and insect remains, particularly in Trench 178.

4.3 Interpretation

- 4.3.1 As outlined above, there were five main concentrations of settlement activity that were located during the evaluation. These ranged in date from the late Bronze Age through to the early Saxon period. The main concentration of activity dated to the late Iron Age and Roman period, which is further proof of a heavily settled zone during this period on the gravel terrace of the tributary of the Ouzel which runs to the west of the site.

Focus A

- 4.3.2 The central core of this zone is dated to the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age and is characterised by enclosure ditches that probably indicate a farmstead or small settlement. Later evidence within this zone consisted of late Iron Age and Roman ditches as well as a possible roundhouse. When considered in the context of the Broughton Manor farm excavations this is likely to represent a more peripheral zone to that main settlement. The presence of a single, early Saxon pit indicates dispersed activity through this period.

Focus B

- 4.3.3 The settlement core of Focus B contained the highest concentration of archaeology uncovered anywhere throughout the site. The combination of geophysics and evaluation work implies multiple phases of enclosure systems and droveways, from the late Iron Age through to the late Roman period. The purpose of the enclosures is unclear but the occurrence of non-local building stone implies permanent settlement, potentially of some significance. This is supported by the evidence for industrial activity within Trenches 334 and 333 along with a potential cremation cemetery positioned to the north-west as indicated in Trench 334. This core of activity is suspected to have more peripheral zones of activity that are also related, to both the north and west,



although the area to the north is undated and the association is based on the position and alignment of the driveways in relation to the features (see Figs 6, 13 and 15).

- 4.3.4 Within the western periphery of Focus B there is a Roman enclosure, it is again unclear how this activity relates to that in the core of Focus B because the area between the two has not been investigated, but it is known to be broadly contemporary. The presence of a single early Saxon feature may indicate continuity of settlement or it is simply coincidental, given the dispersed nature of the Saxon activity that has been recognised in the Brooklands area.
- 4.3.5 It may be that this is a larger version of the satellite settlement found at Area 1 to the north-west of the current site, in the north-western corner of the Phase 1 development site (CgMs 2008). Both Focus B and Area 1 are located approximately 1 km either side of the Broughton Manor Farm site, which seems to point to a pattern of dispersed settlement at regular intervals, centred on Broughton Manor Farm.

Focus C

- 4.3.6 The character of the archaeology within this part of the site is similar to that observed within the northern periphery of Focus B. The exception here is that pottery has dated some of the features to the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age periods. This suggests a separate zone of activity to that within Focus B albeit to a limited extent.

Focus D

- 4.3.7 Pit [17800.004] is a waterhole of Bronze Age / early Iron Age date. While it is difficult to ascertain which settlement focus this feature is associated with at this stage, it is not unusual to encounter waterholes in relatively isolated locations among prehistoric field systems (Framework Archaeology 2006). The environmental samples taken from this feature may allow a correlation to be established when further works are carried out in the rest of the site.

Focus E

- 4.3.8 This area was undated and is likely to represent either an isolated area of activity or part of the peripheral zone of activity that seems to surround the Broughton Manor Farm site.

4.4 Significance

- 4.4.1 The main archaeological evidence is of late Iron Age and Roman settlement and agricultural activity. Given the work that has already taken place within the wider Brooklands area it has been shown that there is considerable activity along this gravel plateau associated with the Ouzel. It is therefore unsurprising that such evidence should continue to be uncovered. The significance of the sites discovered during this phase of works lies in the potential to add further knowledge to the economic infrastructure and settlement distribution of this period.
- 4.4.2 In addition to this, the scattered evidence for early Saxon activity, often in association with the Roman evidence allows for further study of the continuity between these periods. This may prove to be particularly significant, if further works demonstrate continuity of settlement from the late Roman to the early Saxon in the western periphery of Focus B.
- 4.4.3 Perhaps the most significant result of this evaluation is the discovery of late Bronze Age / early Iron Age activity albeit on a rather scattered distribution (within Foci A, C and D).



There has previously been little evidence of this early activity within the Brooklands environs. In particular, the level of preservation and the quality of the finds retrieved from the pit in Focus D should add to the understanding of the subsequent intensification of land use into the late Iron Age and onwards.



APPENDIX A. TRENCH DESCRIPTIONS AND CONTEXT INVENTORY

Trench 128						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
12800.000	Layer	-	0.12	Topsoil	-	-
12800.001	Layer	-	0.28	Subsoil	-	-
12800.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 129						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained three ditches (one orientated N-S and two orientated SSE-NNW). Ditches [12900.004] and [12900.006] were excavated. Natural was an orange silty clay with blue yellow clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
12900.001	Layer	-	0.4	Topsoil	-	-
12900.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
12900.003	Fill	0.6	0.18	Single fill of ditch	-	-
12900.004	Cut	0.6	0.18	Cut of ditch	-	-
12900.005	Fill	0.54	0.2	Single fill of ditch	-	-
12900.006	Cut	0.54	0.2	Cut of ditch	-	-
12900.007	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
12900.008	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
12900.008	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 130						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown-orange clayey sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.59
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13000.001	Layer	-	0.40	Topsoil	-	-
13000.002	Layer	-	0.38	Subsoil	-	-



13000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 131						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench contained two gullies [13100.004] orientated E-W and [13100.006] orientated N-S. Ditch [13100.006] truncates ditch 13100.004]. Natural was a dark brown orange sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.52
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13100.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
13100.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
13100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
13100.004	Cut	0.75	0.26	Cut of gully	-	-
13100.005	Fill	0.75	0.26	Single fill of gully	-	-
13100.006	Cut	0.95	0.28	Cut of gully	-	-
13100.007	Fill	0.95	0.28	Single fill of gully	-	-
Trench 132						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained three ditches, two were orientated E-W and one NE-SW which contained one pottery sherd. Natural was a dark orange-brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13200.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
13200.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
13200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
13200.004	Cut	0.56	0.3	Cut of ditch	-	-
13200.005	Fill	0.56	0.3	Single fill of ditch	-	-
13200.006	Cut	1.24	0.13	Cut of ditch	-	-
13200.007	Fill	1.24	0.13	Single fill of ditch	Pot	Post-Med
13200.008	Cut	0.5	0.3	Cut of ditch	-	-
13200.009	Fill	0.5	0.3	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 133						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown-orange clayey sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.50
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13300.001	Layer	-	0.33	Topsoil	-	-
13300.002	Layer	-	>0.10	Subsoil	-	-
13300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 134						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [13400.004] orientated E-W. Natural was a light orange brown clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13400.001	Layer	-	0.18	Topsoil	-	-
13400.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
13400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
13400.004	Cut	0.5	0.34	Cut of ditch	-	-
13400.005	Fill	0.5	0.34	Single fill of ditch	Pot	
Trench 135						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single post hole [13500.004] which had a concave base and steep sides. Natural was an orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.58
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13500.001	Layer	-	0.18	Topsoil	-	-
13500.002	Layer	-	0.39	Subsoil	-	-
13500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
13500.004	Cut	0.4	0.18	Cut of post hole	-	-
13500.005	Fill	0.4	0.18	Single fill of post hole	Pot	Roman
Trench 136						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange brown clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13600.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-



13600.002	Layer	-	0.23	Subsoil	-	-
13600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 137						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange silty clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.76
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13700.001	Layer	-	0.12	Topsoil	-	-
13700.002	Layer	-	0.64	Subsoil	-	-
13700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 138						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown silty clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.49
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13800.001	Layer	-	0.1	Topsoil	-	-
13800.002	Layer	-	0.35	Subsoil	-	-
13800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 139						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of light yellow orange sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
13900.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
13900.002	Layer	-	0.29	Subsoil	-	-
13900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 140						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange gravel silt with light blue yellow clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14000.001	Layer	-	0.27	Topsoil	-	-
14000.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
14000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 141						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14100.001	Layer	-	0.07	Topsoil	-	-
14100.002	Layer	-	0.4	Subsoil	-	-
14100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 142						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained three post holes [14200.004], [14200.006] and [14200.009] which formed a line. Natural was a dark orange brown gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14200.001	Layer	-	0.31	Topsoil	-	-
14200.002	Layer	-	0.17	Subsoil	-	-
14200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
14200.004	Cut	0.3	0.1	Cut of post hole	-	-
14200.005	Fill	0.3	0.1	Single fill of post hole	-	-
14200.006	Cut	0.5	0.21	Cut of post hole	-	-
14200.007	Fill	0.38	0.11	Primary fill of post hole	-	-
14200.008	Fill	0.5	0.1	Secondary fill of post hole	-	-
14200.009	Cut	0.4	0.13	Cut of post hole	-	-
14200.010	Fill	0.4	0.13	Single fill of post hole	-	-
Trench 143						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a ditch [14300.004] orientated WSW-ENE and a post hole [14300.006] which was truncated by the ditch. Natural was an orange gravel silt.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14300.001	Layer	-	0.5	Topsoil	-	-
14300.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
14300.003	Fill	1.24	0.32	Single fill of ditch	-	-
14300.004	Cut	1.24	0.32	Cut of ditch	-	-
14300.005	Fill	0.26	0.21	Single fill of post hole	-	-
14300.006	Cut	0.26	0.21	Cut of post hole	-	-
14300.010	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 144						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two ditches, [14400.004] orientated NE-SW and [14400.009] orientated NW-SE, and one post hole [14400.007]. Ditch [14400.004] and the post hole [14400.007] were excavated in this trench. Natural was a mid yellow orange sandy gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14400.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
14400.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
14400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
14400.004	Cut	1.65	0.52	Cut of ditch	-	-
14400.005	Fill	1.05	0.31	Primary fill of ditch	Bone	-
14400.006	Fill	1.65	0.26	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
14400.007	Cut	0.8	0.13	Cut of post hole	-	-
14400.008	Fill	0.8	0.13	Single fill of post hole	-	-
14400.009	Cut	1.6	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
14400.010	Fill	1.6	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 145						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two ditches (both orientated E-W). Ditch [14500.004] was excavated and most likely represented a boundary ditch. Natural was a light orange grey clayey sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.53
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14500.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
14500.002	Layer	-	0.21	Subsoil	-	-
14500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
14500.004	Cut	1.8	0.68	Cut of ditch	-	-



14500.005	Fill	0.56	0.18	Primary fill of ditch	CBM	
14500.006	Fill	1.7	0.26	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
14500.007	Fill	1.8	0.26	Tertiary fill of ditch	-	-
14500.008	Cut	1.05	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
14500.009	Fill	1.05	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 146						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [14600.004] orientated NW-SE which had a concave base and steep sides. Natural was a dark orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.47
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14600.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
14600.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
14600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
14600.004	Cut	1.3	0.48	Cut of ditch	-	-
14600.005	Fill	1.02	0.48	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
14600.006	Fill	0.62	0.36	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 147						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained seven ditches (one orientated E-W, three orientated N-S, one orientated ENE-WSW, one NNE-SSW and one curvi-linear) and one pit [14700.007]. Two ditches [14700.004] and [14700.009] were excavated. Natural was a light green grey with orange patches sandy clay and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14700.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
14700.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
14700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
14700.004	Cut	0.52	0.37	Cut of ditch	-	-
14700.005	Fill	0.42	0.08	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
14700.006	Fill	0.52	0.28	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
14700.007	Cut	0.42	0.21	Cut of pit	-	-
14700.008	Fill	0.42	0.21	Single fill of pit	-	-
14700.009	Cut	0.5	0.36	Cut of ditch	-	-
14700.010	Fill	0.5	0.36	Single fill of ditch	-	-
14700.011	Cut	0.68	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
14700.012	Fill	0.68	-	Fill of ditch	-	-



14700.013	Cut	0.7	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
14700.014	Fill	0.7	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
14700.015	Cut	0.81	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
14700.016	Fill	0.81	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
14700.017	Cut	0.69	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
14700.018	Fill	0.69	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
14700.019	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
14700.020	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 148

General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two ditches [14800.004] and [14800.006] both orientated NE-SW and a tree throw [14800.008]. Natural was an orange brown clay.	Avg. depth (m)	0.52
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14800.001	Layer	-	0.2	Topsoil	-	-
14800.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
14800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
14800.004	Cut	0.35	0.24	Cut of ditch	-	-
14800.005	Fill	0.35	0.24	Single fill of ditch	-	-
14800.006	Cut	0.37	0.25	Cut of ditch	-	-
14800.007	Fill	0.37	0.25	Single fill of ditch	-	-
14800.008	Cut	0.5	-	Cut of tree throw	-	-
14800.009	Fill	0.5	-	Fill of tree throe	-	-

Trench 149

General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one ditch [14900.004] orientated E-W and one post hole [14900.006]. Natural was an orange gravel silt.	Avg. depth (m)	0.5
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
14900.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
14900.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
14900.003	Fill	0.54	0.2	Single fill of ditch	-	-
14900.004	Cut	0.54	0.2	Cut of ditch	-	-
14900.005	Fill	0.54	0.1	Single fill of post hole	-	-
14900.006	Cut	0.54	0.1	Cut of post hole	-	-



14900.007	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 150						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one ditch [15000.004] on an E-W orientation, one ditch terminus [15000.006] and a shallow pit [15000.008]. There was also a shallow spread towards the southern extent of the trench which may represent the remains of a truncated feature.					Avg. depth (m)	0.7
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15000.001	Layer	-	0.48	Topsoil	-	-
15000.002	Layer	-	0.20	Subsoil	-	-
15000.003	Fill	0.66	0.34	Single fill of ditch	Bone	-
15000.004	Cut	0.66	0.34	Cut of ditch	-	-
15000.005	Fill	0.52	0.08	Single fill of ditch terminus	-	-
15000.006	Cut	0.52	0.08	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
15000.007	Fill	0.94	0.3	Single fill of pit	-	-
15000.008	Cut	0.94	0.3	Cut of pit	-	-
15000.009	Layer	-	-	Spread	Pot	Roman
15000.010	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 151						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench contained two ploughing furrows orientated NE-SW. The furrows were not excavated. Natural was a dark orange-brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15100.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
15100.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
15100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 152						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of brown-orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.46
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15200.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
15200.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-



15200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 153						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained one ditch orientated N-S and one pit. Ditch [15300.004] contained one pottery sherd and most probably represents a drainage ditch. Pit [15300.005] was shallow and contained a pottery sherd. Natural was a mid orange sandy silt.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15300.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
15300.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
15300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
15300.004	Cut	0.5	0.58	Cut of ditch	-	-
15300.005	Cut	0.9	0.2	Cut of pit	-	-
15300.006	Fill	0.5	0.58	Single fill of ditch	Pot	LIA / E. Roman
15300.007	Fill	0.9	0.2	Single fill of pit	Pot	E. Saxon
Trench 154						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench contained two ditches, one linear ditch [15400.006] orientated NNW-SSE and a curvi-linear ditch [15400.004]. The linear ditch [15400.006] had a possible bank along its west side and most probably represents a boundary ditch. The curvi-linear ditch [15400.004] contained two fills and most probably represents an enclosure ditch. Natural was a mid orange sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	39
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15400.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
15400.002	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-
15400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
15400.004	Cut	1.04	0.28	Cut of ditch	-	-
15400.005	Fill	1.04	0.28	Single fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	LBA/EIA
15400.006	Cut	1.55	0.3	Cut of ditch	-	-
15400.007	Fill	1.55	0.2	Fill of ditch	-	-
15400.008	Fill	1.42	0.15	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 155						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained four ditches, two pits and a ploughing furrow. Ditches [15500.006], [15500.009], [15500.010], pit [15500.012] and ploughing furrow [15500.004] were excavated. Natural was a dark orange-brown gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.64
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15500.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
15500.002	Layer	-	0.35	Subsoil	-	-
15500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
15500.004	Cut	3.5	0.66	Cut of furrow	-	-
15500.005	Fill	3.5	0.66	Fill of furrow	Pot/Clay pipe	Roman
15500.006	Cut	0.7	0.22	Cut of ditch	-	-
15500.007	Fill	0.7	0.22	Single fill of ditch	Pot	LBA/EIA
15500.008	Fill	0.78	0.36	Single fill of ditch	-	-
15500.009	Cut	0.78	0.36	Cut of ditch	-	-
15500.010	Cut	1.40	0.54	Cut of ditch	-	-
15500.011	Fill	1.40	0.54	Single fill of ditch	-	-
15500.012	Cut	0.82	0.56	Cut of pit	-	-
15500.013	Fill	0.82	0.56	Single fill of pit	Bone	-
15500.014	Fill	0.4	-	Single fill of ditch	-	-
15500.015	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
15500.016	Fill	0.45	-	Single fill of pit	-	-
15500.017	Cut	0.45	-	Cut of pit	-	-

Trench 156

General description	Orientation	NE-SW
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown sandy-clay.	Avg. depth (m)	0.49
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15600.001	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-
15600.002	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-
15600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 157

General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench contained four curvi-linear ditches with [15700.005] and [15700.007], which contained pot and animal bone, are possibly related. [15700.009] and 15700.011], both contained pot sherds and are possibly related. It is likely the curvi-linear ditches are prehistoric structures. Natural was a light orange-brown sandy gravel.	Avg. depth (m)	0.40
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
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15700.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
15700.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	Pot	E. Roman
15700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
15700.004	Fill	0.14	0.08	Single fill of ditch	-	-
15700.005	Cut	0.14	0.08	Cut of ditch	-	-
15700.006	Fill	0.54	0.14	Single fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	LIA/E. Roman
15700.007	Cut	0.54	0.14	Cut of ditch	-	-
15700.008	Fill	0.35	-	Single fill of ditch	Pot	LIA/E. Roman
15700.009	Cut	0.35	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
15700.010	Fill	0.35	-	Single fill of ditch	Pot	LIA/E. Roman
15700.011	Cut	0.35	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
Trench 158						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown sandy-clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
15800.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
15800.002	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-
15800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 159						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark orange brown sandy-clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.42
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16600.001	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
16600.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
16600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 160						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one ditch [16000.006] orientated E-W and a single pit [16000.004]. Both features were undated. The natural was a mid orange yellow clay with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.65
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16000.001	Layer	-	0.20	Topsoil	-	-
16000.002	Layer	-	0.45	Subsoil	-	-
16000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16000.004	Cut	0.9	0.30	Cut of pit	-	-
16000.005	Fill	0.9	0.30	Single fill of pit	-	-
16000.006	Cut	1.15	0.45	Cut of ditch	-	-
16000.007	Fill	1.15	0.45	Single fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 161

General description	Orientation	ENE-WSW
Trench contained multiple features. One pit [16100.015] and two ditches [16100.011] and [16100.013] were all recorded in plan but not excavated. There was also a possible square shaped pit [16100.008] that extended beyond the limits of the trench and two shallow ditches [16100.004] and [16100.006] which were all excavated but failed to provide any dating evidence. Natural was a light orange clay-sand.	Avg. depth (m)	0.56
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16100.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
16100.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
16100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16100.004	Cut	0.54	0.12	Cut of gully	-	-
16100.005	Fill	0.54	0.12	Single fill of gully	-	-
16100.006	Cut	0.52	0.24	Cut of ditch	-	-
16100.007	Fill	0.52	0.24	Single fill of ditch	-	-
16100.008	Cut	4.35	0.46	Cut of square? pit	-	-
16100.009	Fill	2.50	0.26	Fill of square? pit	Bone	-
16100.010	Fill	4.35	0.28	Fill of square? pit	-	-
16100.011	Cut	0.45	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
16100.012	Fill	0.45	-	Single fill of ditch	-	-
16100.013	Cut	0.35	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
16100.014	Fill	0.35	-	Single fill of ditch	-	-
16100.015	Cut	0.5	-	Cut of pit	-	-
16100.016	Fill	0.5	-	Single fill of pit	-	-

Trench 162

General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two irregularly shaped pits [16200.004] and [16200.007] which probably represent the remains of tree-throws. A further pit [16200.011] and possible ditch terminus [16200.009] were	Avg. depth (m)	0.45
	Width (m)	2



also recorded in plan but not excavated, although in reality these were likely to be tree-throws too. Natural was a brown orange sand with mid blue-grey clay patches.	Length (m)	40
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Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16200.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
16200.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
16200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16200.004	Cut	1.05	0.36	Cut of pit	-	-
16200.005	Fill	0.55	0.26	Fill of pit	-	-
16200.006	Fill	1.05	0.10	Fill of pit	-	-
16200.007	Cut	0.44	0.19	Cut of pit	-	-
16200.008	Fill	0.44	0.19	Single fill of pit	-	-
16200.009	Cut	1.00	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
16200.010	Fill	1.00	-	Single fill of ditch	-	-
16200.011	Cut	0.30	-	Cut of pit	-	-
16200.012	Fill	0.30	-	Single fill of pit	-	-

Trench 163

General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one ditch [16600.004] orientated NE-SW. Natural was a light grey-brown clay with mid orange-brown clayey sand patches.	Avg. depth (m)	0.46
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16600.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
16600.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
16600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16600.004	Cut	0.9	0.17	Cut of ditch	-	-
16600.005	Fill	0.9	0.17	Single fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 164

General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark orange-brown clayey silt with light grey clay patches.	Avg. depth (m)	0.44
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16400.01	Layer	-	0.30	Topsoil	-	-



16400.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
16400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 165						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology but contained one tree bole [16500.004] which was excavated. Natural was a dark orange-brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.58
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16500.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
16500.002	Layer	-	0.28	Subsoil	-	-
16500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16500.004	Cut	1.3	0.45	Cut of tree bole	-	-
16500.005	Fill	1.3	0.45	Single fill of tree bole	-	-
Trench 166						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one ditch [16600.004] orientated NE-SW. Natural was a light grey-brown clay with mid orange-brown clayey sand patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.46
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16600.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
16600.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
16600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16600.004	Cut	0.9	0.17	Cut of ditch	-	-
16600.005	Fill	0.9	0.17	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 167						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [16700.005] orientated NNE-SSW. Natural was a mid brown-orange silty sand with light blue-grey clay and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.40
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16700.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
16700.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
16700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16700.004	Fill	0.95	0.32	Single fill of ditch	-	-



16700.005	Cut	0.95	0.32	Cut of ditch	-	-
Trench 168						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained one ditch [16800.004] orientated NW-SE and a tree throw [16800.007]. Natural was a mid orange sandy clay with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.58
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16800.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
16800.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
16800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
16800.004	Cut	0.63	0.3	Cut of ditch	-	-
16800.005	Fill	0.63	0.21	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
16800.006	Fill	0.68	0.11	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
16800.007	Cut	1.20	0.27	Cut of tree throw	-	-
16800.008	Fill	1.20	0.27	Single fill of tree throw	-	-
Trench 169						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark orange-brown sandy silt with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.33
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
16900.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
16900.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
16900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 170						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown-orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.62
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17000.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
17000.002	Layer	-	0.38	Subsoil	-	-
17000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



Trench 171						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown-orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)	0.6	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17100.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
17100.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
17100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 172						
General description				Orientation	NE-SW	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange-brown sandy clay.				Avg. depth (m)	0.57	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17200.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
17200.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
17200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 173						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown-orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)	0.6	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17300.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
17300.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
17300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 174						
General description				Orientation	N-S	
Trench contained a single ditch [17400.004] orientated ENE-WSW, which contained four fills. Natural was a mid orange- brown clayey sand with light grey clay patches.				Avg. depth (m)	0.48	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context	type	Width	Depth	comment	finds	date



no		(m)	(m)			
17400.001	Layer	-	0.29	Topsoil	-	-
17400.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
17400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
17400.004	Cut	1.6	0.6	Cut of ditch	-	-
17400.005	Fill	0.97	0.4	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
17400.006	Fill	1.12	0.3	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
17400.007	Fill	0.76	0.3	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
17400.008	Fill	0.76	0.1	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 175						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown-orange silty sand with light grey-yellow clay patches and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2.10
					Length (m)	37.70
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17500.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
17500.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
17500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 176						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [17600.004] orientated E-W and two tree throws [17600.006] and [17600.008]. The tree throws were excavated. Natural was an orange-brown silty clay with light grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17600.001	Layer	-	0.2	Topsoil	-	-
17600.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
17600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
17600.004	Cut	0.22	0.28	Cut of ditch	-	-
17600.005	Fill	0.22	0.28	Single fill of ditch	-	-
17600.006	Cut	0.6	0.22	Cut of tree throw	-	-
17600.007	Fill	0.6	0.22	Single fill of tree throw	-	-
17600.008	Cut	0.23	0.45	Cut of tree throw	-	-
17600.009	Fill	0.23	0.45	Single fill of tree throw	-	-
Trench 177						
General description					Orientation	E-W



Trench contained two ditches [17700.004] and [17700.006] both orientated N-S. Ditch [17700.006] was a modern feature cutting through the subsoil. Natural was a mid orange clayey sand with gravel inclusions.	Avg. depth (m)	0.52
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17700.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
17700.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
17700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
17700.004	Cut	0.73	0.11	Cut of ditch	-	-
17700.005	Fill	0.73	0.11	Single fill of ditch	-	-
17700.006	Cut	0.79	0.81	Cut of ditch	-	-
17700.007	Fill	0.79	0.81	Single fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 178

General description	Orientation	NE-SW
Trench five pits [17800.004], [17800.020], [17800.027], [17800.029] and [17800.026]. Pit [17800.004] provided waterlogged material and possible middle iron age pottery and pit [17800.029] yielded some fragments of cremated bone. single ditch [17800.010], and two possible ditches/ploughing furrows [17800.016] and [17800.004/018/024] and a modern drainage ditch [17800.014]. Natural was a dark orange brown silty clay.	Avg. depth (m)	0.56
	Width (m)	2-6.75
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17800.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
17800.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
17800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
17800.004	Cut	2.40	1.22	Cut of pit	-	-
17800.005	Fill	1.28	0.46	Fill of pit	Pot/Bone	LBA/EIA
17800.006	Fill	0.79	0.53	Fill of pit	Pot/Bone/ Wood/SF 110	LBA/EIA
17800.007	Fill	0.53	0.15	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.008	Fill	1.20	0.26	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.009	Fill	0.25	0.22	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.010	Cut	0.65	0.35	Cut of ditch	-	-
17800.011	Fill	0.65	0.35	Single fill of ditch	-	-
17800.012	Cut	0.14	0.33	Cut of tree throw	-	-
17800.013	Fill	0.14	0.33	Single fill of tree throw	-	-
17800.014	Cut	0.72	1.74	Cut of ditch	-	-
17800.015	Fill	0.72	1.74	Single fill of ditch	-	-



17800.016	Cut	0.27	1.48	Cut of ditch/furrow	-	-
17800.017	Fill	0.27	1.48	Single fill of ditch/furrow	-	-
17800.018	Cut	0.70	0.12	Cut of ditch	-	-
17800.019	Fill	0.70	0.12	Single fill of ditch	-	-
17800.020	Cut	1.25	0.65	Cut of pit	-	-
17800.021	Fill	1.25	0.25	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.022	Fill	1.25	0.28	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.023	Fill	1.10	0.14	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
17800.024	Cut	1.10	0.14	Cut of ditch	-	-
17800.025	Fill	0.45	0.12	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.026	Cut	0.45	0.12	Cut of pit	-	-
17800.027	Cut	0.78	0.28	Cut of pit	-	-
17800.028	Fill	0.52	0.25	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.029	Cut	0.52	0.25	Cut of pit	-	-
17800.030	Fill	0.78	0.28	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.031	Fill	1.40	0.20	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.032	Fill	2.40	0.45	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.033	Fill	1.40	0.24	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.034	Fill	1.00	0.14	Fill of pit	-	-
17800.035	Cut	0.60	0.08	Cut of ditch	-	-
17800.036	Fill	0.60	0.08	Fill of ditch	-	-
17800.037	Group	-	-	Group no. including [17800.018/024/035]		

Trench 179

General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single pit [17900.005]. Natural was a dark brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.	Avg. depth (m)	0.54
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
17900.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
17900.002	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-
17900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
17900.004	Cut	0.38	0.28	Cut of pit		
17900.004	Fill	0.38	0.28	Single fill of pit		

Trench 180

General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a modern drainage ditch [1800.004] orientated N-S. Natural was a mid orange sandy clay with gravel inclusions.	Avg. depth (m)	0.65



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18000.001	Layer	-	0.50	Topsoil	-	-
18000.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
18000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
18000.004	Cut	1.75	0.77	Cut of ditch	-	-
18000.005	Fill	1.75	0.77	Fill of ditch	-	-
18000.006	Fill	0.20	0.20	Ceramic pipe of ditch	-	-
Trench 181						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18100.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
18100.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
18100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 182						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid sandy clay with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.7
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18200.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
18200.002	Layer	-	0.28	Subsoil	-	-
18200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 183						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.49
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18300.001	Layer	-	0.40	Topsoil	-	-



18300.002	Layer	-	0.09	Subsoil	-	-
18300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 184						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18400.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
18400.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
18400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 185						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with light brown grey clay patches and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.52
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18500.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
18500.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
18500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 186						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single post hole [18600.004]. Natural was a dark orange brown sandy clay with light green grey silty clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.54
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18600.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
18600.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
18600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
18600.004	Cut	0.56	0.11	Cut of post hole	-	-
18600.005	Fill	0.56	0.11	Single fill of post hole	-	-



Trench 187						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained three ditches [18700.004] orientated NE-SW, [18700.006] orientated E-W and [18700.014] orientated NNE-SSW, and a tree throw [18700.012]. Ditch [18700.004] contained pot which dated from the Roman period. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand with light grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18700.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
18700.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
18700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
18700.004	Cut	0.58	0.10	Cut of ditch	-	-
18700.005	Fill	0.58	0.10	Single fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
18700.006	Cut	0.54	0.32	Cut of ditch	-	-
18700.007	Fill	0.54	0.32	Single fill of ditch	-	-
18700.008	Cut	0.68	0.17	Cut of ditch	-	-
18700.009	Fill	0.68	0.17	Single fill of ditch	-	-
18700.010	Cut	0.58	0.10	Cut of ditch	-	-
18700.011	Fill	0.58	0.10	Single fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
18700.012	Cut	0.70	0.34	Cut of tree throw	-	-
18700.013	Fill	0.70	0.34	Single fill of tree throw	-	-
18700.014	Cut	0.24	0.06	Cut of ditch	-	-
18700.015	Fill	0.24	0.06	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 188						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [18800.004] and a single ploughing furrow [18800.006] both orientated N-S. Natural was a dark brown orange silty sand with light grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18800.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
18800.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
18800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
18800.004	Cut	0.80	0.18	Cut of ditch	-	-
18800.005	Fill	0.80	0.18	Single fill of ditch	-	-
18800.006	Cut	0.70	0.14	Cut of ploughing furrow	-	-
18800.007	Fill	0.70	0.14	Single fill of ploughing furrow	-	-



Trench 189						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid yellow brown clay sand with band gravels over light brown/blue grey clay.				Avg. depth (m)	0.5	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
18900.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
18900.002	Layer	-	0.25	Subsoil	-	-
18900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 190						
General description				Orientation	N-S	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark orange brown sandy clay with light green grey silty clay patches.				Avg. depth (m)	0.5	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19000.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
19000.002	Layer	-	0.21	Subsoil	-	-
19000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 191						
General description				Orientation	NE-SW	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange sandy clay with gravel clay over light grey clay.				Avg. depth (m)	0.47	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19100.001	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
19100.002	Layer	-	0.28	Subsoil	-	-
19100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 192						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench contained a single pit [19200.004]. It had a flat base with gradual to steep sides. Natural was a light yellow brown silty clay.				Avg. depth (m)	0.41	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context	type	Width	Depth	comment	finds	date



no		(m)	(m)			
19200.001	Layer	-	0.31	Topsoil	-	-
19200.002	Layer	-	0.10	Subsoil	-	-
19200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
19200.004	Cut	1.12	0.26	Cut of pit	-	-
19200.005	Fill	1.12	0.26	Single fill of pit	-	-
Trench 193						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single pit [19300.004] and a single ditch [19300.006] orientated NW-SE. Natural was an orange clayey sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19300.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
19300.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
19300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
19300.004	Cut	0.49	0.17	Cut of ditch	-	-
19300.005	Fill	0.49	0.17	Single fill of ditch	-	-
19300.006	Cut	0.9	0.64	Cut of pit	-	-
19300.007	Fill	0.9	0.55	Upper fill of pit	Bone/Flint	-
19300.007	Fill	0.9	0.15	Lower fill of pit	-	-
Trench 194						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19400.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
19400.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
19400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 195						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained two ditches [19500.005] orientated N-S and [19500.007] orientated NW-SE. Natural was a mid brown orange silty sand with light brown yellow clay patches and gravels inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.40
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19500.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
19500.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
19500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
19500.004	Fill	0.7	0.46	Cut of ditch	-	-
19500.005	Cut	0.7	0.46	Single fill of ditch	-	-
19500.006	Fill	0.42	0.22	Cut of ditch	-	-
19500.007	Cut	0.42	0.22	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 196						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single post hole [19600.004]. Natural was a mid orange brown sandy gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19600.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
19600.002	Layer	-	0.23	Subsoil	-	-
19600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
19600.004	Cut	0.48	0.42	Cut of post hole	-	-
19600.005	Fill	0.48	0.42	Single fill of post hole	-	-
Trench 197						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19700.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
19700.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
19700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 198						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two post holes [19800.004] and [19800.010] and two ditches. Ditch [19800.008] was modern and orientated NW-SE and ditch [19800.012] was orientated E-W . Natural was dark orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.40
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context	type	Width	Depth	comment	finds	date



no		(m)	(m)			
19800.001	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
19800.002	Layer	-	0.17	Subsoil	-	-
19800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
19800.004	Cut	0.35	0.3	Cut of post hole	-	-
19800.005	Fill	0.35	0.21	Fill of post hole	-	-
19800.006	Fill	0.35	0.06	Fill of post hole	-	-
19800.007	Fill	0.22	0.10	Fill of post hole	-	-
19800.008	Cut	0.55	0.4	Cut of ditch	-	-
19800.009	Fill	0.55	0.4	Single fill of ditch	-	-
19800.010	Cut	0.45	0.13	Cut of post hole	-	-
19800.011	Fill	0.45	0.13	Single of post hole	-	-
19800.012	Cut	0.76	0.12	Cut of ditch	-	-
19800.013	Fill	0.76	0.12	Single fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 199

General description

Trench contained a single post hole [19900.004] and a single ditch [19900.006] orientated NNW-SSE. Natural was a dark orange brown sandy clay.

Orientation	E-W
Avg. depth (m)	0.58
Width (m)	2
Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
19900.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
19900.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
19900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
19900.004	Cut	0.47	0.22	Cut of post hole	-	-
19900.005	Fill	0.47	0.22	Single fill of post hole	-	-
19900.006	Cut	0.43	0.27	Cut of ditch	-	-
19900.007	Fill	0.43	0.27	Single fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 200

General description

Trench contained three ditches [20000.004], [20000.006] and [20000.008] all orientated E-W. Only ditches [20000.004] and [20000.006] were excavated. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand with gravel inclusions.

Orientation	N-S
Avg. depth (m)	0.49
Width (m)	2
Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20000.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
20000.002	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-



20000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
20000.004	Cut	1.05	0.20	Cut of ditch	-	-
20000.005	Fill	1.05	0.20	Single fill of ditch	-	-
20000.006	Cut	1.20	0.08	Cut of ditch	-	-
20000.007	Fill	1.20	0.08	Single fill of ditch	-	-
20000.008	Cut	1	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
20000.009	Fill	1	-	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 201						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.3
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20100.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
20100.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
20100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 202						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch terminus [20200.004] orientated N-S and a single pit [20200.006]. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand overlying light grey clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20200.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
20200.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
20200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
20200.004	Cut	0.61	0.10	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
20200.005	Fill	0.61	0.10	Single fill of ditch terminus	-	-
20200.006	Cut	0.40	0.12	Cut of pit	-	-
20200.007	Fill	0.40	0.12	Single fill of pit	-	-
20200.008	Cut	0.28	0.22	Cut of land drain?	-	-
20200.009	Fill	0.28	0.22	Single fill of land drain?	-	-
Trench 203						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with light brown yellow clay and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20300.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
20300.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
20300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 204						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. A single tree throw [20400.004] was excavated. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand with light grey patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20400.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
20400.002	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-
20400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
20400.004	Cut	0.6	0.18	Cut of tree throw	-	-
20400.005	Fill	0.6	0.18	Single fill of tree throw	-	-
Trench 205						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Natural was a mid brown orange silty sand with light brown yellow clay patches and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.3
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20500.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
20500.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 206						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.52
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20600.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
20600.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
20600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



Trench 207						
General description				Orientation		E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)		0.56
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20700.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
20700.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
20700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 208						
General description				Orientation		N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown and light grey sandy gravels.				Avg. depth (m)		0.4
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20800.001	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-
20800.002	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-
20800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 209						
General description				Orientation		E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange sand with mid grey sandy silt patches.				Avg. depth (m)		0.42
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
20900.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
20900.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
20900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 210						
General description				Orientation		N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with brown grey sandy silt patches with gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)		0.44
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context	type	Width	Depth	comment	finds	date



no		(m)	(m)			
21000.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
21000.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
21000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 211						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid to light yellow brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21100.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
21100.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
21100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 212						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a large, modern intrusion [21200.004] and an irregular linear [21200.008] which was probably a hedgerow. Natural was a mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21200.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
21200.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
21200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
21200.004	Cut	7.55	<1.55	Cut of ditch	-	-
21200.005	Fill	7.55	0.6	Fill of ditch	-	-
21200.006	Fill	4.45	0.55	Fill of ditch	-	-
21200.007	Fill	3.4	0.8	Fill of ditch	-	-
21200.008	Cut	0.9	0.28	Cut of ditch	-	-
21200.009	Fill	0.9	0.28	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 213						
General description					Orientation	N-s
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with light brown yellow clay patches with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.3
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date



21300.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
21300.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 214						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of light grey brown clay with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.23
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21400.001	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-
21400.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 215						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of light green to mid orange brown silty clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.46
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21500.000	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
21500.001	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-
21500.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 216						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two ditches [21600.004] orientated E-W and 21600.006] orientated NE-SW. Ditch [21600.004] truncates ditch [21600.006]. Natural was light orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21600.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
21600.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
21600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
21600.004	Cut	0.55	0.16	Cut of ditch	-	-
21600.005	Fill	0.55	0.15	Single fill of ditch	-	-
21600.006	Cut	0.5	0.18	Cut of ditch	-	-
21600.007	Fill	0.5	0.18	Single fill of ditch	-	-
21600.008	Cut	0.55	0.27	Cut of ditch	-	-
21600.009	Fill	0.55	0.25	Single fill of ditch	-	-



21600.010	Cut	0.5	0.24	Cut of ditch	-	-
21600.011	Fill	0.5	0.24	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 217						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a ditch terminus [21700.004] orientated N-S, two pits [21700.009] and [21700.012] and a ditch [21700.014] orientated N-S. Natural was a mid orange brown sandy gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21700.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
21700.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
21700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
21700.004	Cut	0.7	0.27	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
21700.005	Fill	0.7	0.10	Fill of ditch	Pot	LBA/EIA
21700.006	Fill	0.7	0.14	Fill of ditch	-	-
21700.007	Fill	0.7	0.08	Fill of ditch	-	-
21700.008	Fill	0.7	0.3	Fill of ditch	Bone	-
21700.009	Cut	0.86	0.3	Cut of pit	-	-
21700.010	Fill	0.16	0.18	Fill of pit	-	-
21700.011	Fill	0.48	-	Fill of pit	-	-
21700.012	Cut	0.48	-	Cut of pit	-	-
21700.013	Fill	1.32	0.34	Single fill of ditch	-	-
21700.014	Cut	1.32	0.34	Cut of ditch	-	-
Trench 218						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench contained a single ditch [21800.004] orientated NNE-SSW. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21800.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
21800.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
21800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
21800.004	Cut	1.1	0.52	Cut of ditch	-	-
21800.005	Fill	0.32	0.02	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
21800.006	Fill	1.1	0.5	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 219						



General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange sandy gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.46
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
21900.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
21900.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
21900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 220						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [22000.004] orientated N-S. Natural was a light brown orange clayey sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22000.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
22000.002	Layer	-	0.11	Subsoil	-	-
22000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
22000.004	Cut	1.5	0.5	Cut of ditch	-	-
22000.005	Fill	0.94	0.14	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
22000.006	Fill	1.5	0.5	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 221						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two possible post holes [22100.004] and [21100.006], although these are more likely to be of natural origins. Natural was a mid orange sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22100.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
22100.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
22100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
22100.004	Cut	0.63	0.14	Cut of post hole	-	-
22100.005	Fill	0.63	0.14	Single fill of post hole	-	-
22100.006	Cut	0.35	0.26	Cut of post hole	-	-
22100.007	Fill	0.35	0.21	Secondary fill of post hole	-	-
22100.008	Fill	0.22	0.07	Primary fill of post hole	-	-



Trench 222						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained three post holes [22200.004], [22200.006] and [22200.008]. The post holes formed an arc and were probably part of a prehistoric structure. Natural was a dark brown orange sandy gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.6
					Width (m)	2.25
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22200.001	Layer	-	0.35	Topsoil	-	-
22200.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
22200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
22200.004	Cut	0.22	0.3	Cut of post hole	-	-
22200.005	Fill	0.22	0.3	Single fill of post hole	Pot/Flint/Burnt Stone	Neolithic?
22200.006	Cut	0.31	0.24	Cut of post hole	-	-
22200.007	Fill	0.31	0.24	Single fill of post hole	-	-
22200.008	Cut	0.2	0.22	Cut of post hole	-	-
22200.009	Fill	0.2	0.22	Single fill post hole	-	-
Trench 223						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a ditch [22300.004] orientated NE-SW, a gully [22300.008] orientated N-S and a ploughing furrow [22300.006] orientated N-S. Natural was a dark brown sandy gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22300.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
22300.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
22300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
22300.004	Cut	0.6	0.32	Cut of ditch	-	-
22300.005	Fill	0.6	0.32	Single fill of ditch	-	-
22300.006	Cut	0.95	0.13	Cut of ploughing furrow	-	-
22300.007	Fill	0.95	0.13	Single fill of ploughing furrow	-	-
22300.008	Cut	0.4	0.08	Cut of gully	-	-
22300.009	Fill	0.4	0.08	Single fill of gully	-	-
Trench 224						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained three ditches, two orientated E-W [22400.004] and [22400.007] and one orientated NW-SE [22400.009]. Ditch [22400.009] was not excavated. Sealing ditch [22400.004] was a					Avg. depth (m)	0.75
					Width (m)	2



layer [22400.006] which could be buried soil but is more likely to represent an accumulation of minerals leaching from the topsoil and subsoil. Natural was a mid brown orange sandy gravel.	Length (m)	40
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Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22400.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
22400.002	Layer	-	0.21	Subsoil	-	-
22400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
22400.004	Cut	0.9	0.38	Cut of ditch	-	-
22400.005	Fill	0.9	0.38	Single fill of ditch	-	-
22400.006	Layer	<2.20	0.28	Layer	-	-
22400.007	Cut	0.94	0.16	Cut of ditch	-	-
22400.008	Fill	0.94	0.16	Single fill of ditch	-	-
22400.009	Cut	<1	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
22400.010	Fill	<1	-	Fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 225		
General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with light orange brown clay patches and gravel inclusions.	Avg. depth (m)	0.56
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22500.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
22500.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
22500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 226		
General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [22600.004] orientated NNW-SSE which had gradual sides and a concave base. Natural was a orange brown silty sand.	Avg. depth (m)	0.62
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22600.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
22600.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
22600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
22600.004	Cut	0.72	0.33	Cut of ditch	-	-
22600.005	Fill	0.72	0.33	Single fill of ditch	-	-



Trench 227						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one post hole [22700.005] and one ditch [22700.006] orientated NW-SE. Natural was a light brown orange clayey silt with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22700.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
22700.002	Layer	-	0.13	Subsoil	-	-
22700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
22700.004	Fill	0.24	0.08	Single fill of post hole	-	-
22700.005	Cut	0.24	0.08	Cut of post hole	-	-
22700.006	Cut	1.26	0.56	Cut of ditch	-	-
22700.007	Fill	1.26	0.56	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 228						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark yellow brown silty clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22800.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
22800.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
22800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 229						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
22900.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
22900.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
22900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 230						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a ploughing furrow [23000.004] orientated N-S.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5



Natural was a mid orange sandy clay with gravels patches.					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23000.001	Layer	-	0.37	Topsoil	-	-
23000.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
23000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
23000.004	Cut	1.65	0.24	Cut of ploughing furrow	-	-
23000.005	Fill	1.65	0.24	Single fill of ploughing furrow	-	-
Trench 231						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.42
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23100.001	Layer	-	0.33	Topsoil	-	-
23100.002	Layer	-	0.10	Subsoil	-	-
23100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 232						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two ditches, [23200.004] orientated ENE-WSW and [23200.006] orientated E-W. Natural was a mid brown orange silty sand with light brown clay patches and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.46
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23200.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
23200.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
23200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
23200.004	Cut	1.2	0.54	Cut of ditch	-	-
23200.005	Fill	1.2	0.54	Single fill of ditch	-	-
23200.006	Cut	1.02	0.42	Cut of ditch	-	-
23200.007	Fill	0.9	0.26	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
23200.008	Fill	1.1	0.32	Primary fill of ditch	-	-



Trench 233						
General description				Orientation		N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with light brown yellow clay patches with gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)		0.42
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23300.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
23300.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
23300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 234						
General description				Orientation		NE-SW
Trench contained a ploughing furrow [23400.004] and one ditch [23400.006] both orientated E-W. Natural was a mid orange brown silty clay.				Avg. depth (m)		0.7
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23400.001	Layer	-	0.4	Topsoil	-	-
23400.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
23400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
23400.004	Cut	1.23	0.05	Cut of ploughing furrow	-	-
23400.005	Fill	1.23	0.05	Single fill of ploughing furrow	Fe Object	
23400.006	Cut	1.96	0.66	Cut of ditch	-	-
23400.007	Fill	1.96	0.66	Single fill of ditch	Bone	
Trench 235						
General description				Orientation		NE-SW
Trench contained three ditches, two [23500.004] and [23500.007] were parallel, intercutting and orientated E-W. Ditch [23500.011] orientated N-S was not excavated. Natural was an orange brown sandy clay with gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)		0.55
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23500.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
23500.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
23500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
23500.004	Cut	1.06	0.54	Cut of ditch	-	-
23500.005	Fill	1.06	0.08	Primary fill of ditch	-	-



23500.006	Fill	1.06	0.36	Secondary fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
23500.007	Cut	1.2	0.68	Cut of ditch	-	-
23500.008	Fill	1.2	0.4	Primary fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
23500.009	Fill	1.2	0.14	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
23500.010	Fill	1.2	0.2	Tertiary fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	Roman
23500.011	Cut	<4	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
23500.012	Fill	<4	-	Fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 236

General description Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown silty clay with gravel inclusions.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.32
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23600.001	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-
23600.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
23600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 237

General description Trench contained a single post hole [23700.004], a ditch [23700.010] orientated E-W and a ditch terminus [23700.012] orientated N-S. Post hole [23700.004] and ditch [23700.010] were not excavated. Natural was a dark orange brown silty clay.	Orientation	NE-SW
	Avg. depth (m)	0.31
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23700.001	Layer	-	0.31	Topsoil	-	-
23700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
23700.004	Cut	0.2	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
23700.005	Fill	0.2	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
23700.010	Cut	1.8	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
23700.011	Fill	1.8	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
23700.012	Cut	0.68	0.36	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
23700.013	Fill	0.68	0.36	Single fill of ditch terminus	Pot/Bone	E. Saxon

Trench 238

General description Trench contained a ditch terminus [23800.004] orientated N-S, a tree throw [23800.006] and a ditch [23800.008] orientated ESE-WNW. Natural was a dark orange brown sandy clay.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.43
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23800.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
23800.002	Layer	-	0.11	Subsoil	-	-
23800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
23800.004	Cut	0.7	0.31	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
23800.005	Fill	0.7	0.31	Single fill of ditch terminus	-	-
23800.006	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of tree throw	-	-
23800.007	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of tree throw	-	-
23800.008	Cut	2	0.4	Cut of ditch	-	-
23800.009	Fill	0.45	0.3	Primary fill of ditch	Bone	-
23800.010	Fill	1.5	0.28	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 239						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two ditches [23900.004] orientated NNW-SSE and returns ENE-WSW, and [23900.007] orientated ENE-WSW. The ditches were not excavated but most probably represent an enclosure ditch. Natural was a mid brown orange silty clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.6
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
23900.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
23900.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
23900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
23900.004	Cut	2.5	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
23900.005	Fill	2.5	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
23900.006	Cut	2.5	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
23900.007	Fill	2.5	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 240						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.46
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24000.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
24000.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
24000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



Trench 241						
General description				Orientation	N-S	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange sandy gravel.				Avg. depth (m)	0.46	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24100.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
24100.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
24100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 242						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange sandy clay.				Avg. depth (m)	0.42	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24200.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
24200.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
24200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 243						
General description				Orientation	N-S	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown clayey sand with gravel patches.				Avg. depth (m)	0.46	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24300.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
24300.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
24300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 244						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange brown silty clay with gravel patches.				Avg. depth (m)	0.5	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context	type	Width	Depth	comment	finds	date



no		(m)	(m)			
24400.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
24400.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
24400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 245						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24500.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
24500.002	Layer	-	0.08	Subsoil	-	-
24500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 246						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.34
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24600.001	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-
24600.002	Layer	-	0.11	Subsoil	-	-
24600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 247						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patch.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24700.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
24700.002	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-
24700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 248						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying					Avg. depth (m)	0.46



a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.		Width (m)	2			
		Length (m)	40			
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24700.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
24700.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
24700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 249						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a ditch terminus [24900.004] orientated NW-SE. Natural was a mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
24900.001	Layer	-	0.4	Topsoil	-	-
24900.002	Layer	-	0.08	Subsoil	-	-
24900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
24900.004	Cut	0.5	0.13	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
24900.005	Fill	0.5	0.13	Single fill of ditch terminus	-	-
Trench 250						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [25000.004] orientated N-S which was not excavated. Natural was a orange brown gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
35000.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
25000.002	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-
25000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
25000.004	Cut	1	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
25000.005	Fill	1	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 251						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained three ditches . Natural was a mid brown orange clayey sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.73
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
25100.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
25100.002	Layer	-	0.41	Subsoil	-	-
25100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
25100.004	Cut	0.66	0.32	Cut of ditch	-	-
25000.005	Fill	0.66	0.32	Single fill of ditch	-	-
25000.006	Cut	0.8	0.44	Cut of ditch	-	-
25000.007	Fill	0.8	0.44	Single fill of ditch	-	-
25000.008	Cut	2.94	0.46	Cut of ditch	-	-
25000.009	Fill	2.94	0.22	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
25000.010	Fill	1.78	0.24	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
25000.011	Fill	1.1	0.18	Upper fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 252						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained two ditches [25200.004] orientated E-W and [25200.007] orientated ESE-WNW. Natural was a dark yellow brown sandy clay with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
25200.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
25200.002	Layer	-	0.21	Subsoil	-	-
25200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
25200.004	Cut	1.16	0.36	Cut of ditch	-	-
25200.005	Fill	0.32	0.06	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
25200.006	Fill	0.89	0.28	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
25200.007	Cut	0.71	0.19	Cut of ditch	-	-
25200.008	Fill	0.71	0.19	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 253						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with light grey brown clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
25300.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
25300.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
25300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



Trench 254							
General description				Orientation		NE-SW	
Trench contained a single ditch [25400.004] orientated N-S. Natural was an orange brown clayey sand with yellow clay patches.				Avg. depth (m)		0.42	
				Width (m)		2	
				Length (m)		40	
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
25400.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-	
25400.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-	
25400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
25400.004	Cut	0.88	0.24	Cut of ditch	-	-	
25400.005	Fill	0.88	0.08	Primary fill of ditch	-	-	
25400.006	Fill	0.88	0.24	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-	
Trench 255							
General description				Orientation		N-S	
Trench contained a ditch [25500.004] orientated NW-SE and a shallow pit [25500.006]. Natural was a dark orange brown with light green brown patches of silty clay.				Avg. depth (m)		0.43	
				Width (m)		2	
				Length (m)		40	
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
25500.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-	
25500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
25500.004	Cut	0.6	0.2	Cut of ditch	-	-	
25500.005	Fill	0.6	0.2	Single fill of ditch	-	-	
25500.006	Cut	0.78	0.14	Cut of pit	-	-	
25500.007	Fill	0.78	0.14	Single fill of pit	-	-	
Trench 256							
General description				Orientation		N-S	
Trench contained a single ditch [25600.005] orientated E-W. Natural was a mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.				Avg. depth (m)		0.64	
				Width (m)		2	
				Length (m)		40	
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
25600.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-	
25600.002	Layer	-	0.34	Subsoil	-	-	
25600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
25600.004	Fill	0.9	0.8	Single fill of ditch	Pot	Post-Med	



25600.005	Cut	0.9	0.8	Cut of ditch	-	-
Trench 257						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.65
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
25700.001	Layer	-	0.27	Topsoil	-	-
25700.002	Layer	-	0.39	Subsoil	-	-
25700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 258						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.36
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
25800.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
25800.002	Layer	-	0.08	Subsoil	-	-
25800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 259						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
25900.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
25900.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
25900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 260						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two ditches [26000.004] orientated SW-NE and [26000.006] orientated WNW-ESE. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26000.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
26000.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
26000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
26000.004	Cut	0.64	0.28	Cut of ditch	-	-
26000.005	Fill	0.64	0.28	Single fill of ditch	-	-
26000.006	Cut	0.32	0.2	Cut of ditch	Pot	Post-Med
26000.007	Fill	0.32	0.2	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 261						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [26100.004] orientated N-S. Natural was an orange gravel silt.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26100.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
26100.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
26100.003	Fill	0.94	0.32	Single fill of ditch	-	-
26100.004	Cut	0.94	0.32	Cut of ditch	-	-
26100.005	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 262						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two ditches [26200.006] orientated NW-SE and [26200.013] orientated N-S, two pits [26200.004] and [26200.009] and two post holes [26200.012] and [26200.016]. Post hole 26200.016 was not excavated. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.49
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26200.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
26200.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
26200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
26200.004	Cut	0.7	0.38	Cut of pit	-	-
26200.005	Fill	0.7	0.38	Single fill of pit	-	-
26200.006	Cut	0.6	0.2	Cut of ditch	-	-
26200.007	Fill	0.6	0.2	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
26200.008	Fill	0.04	0.02	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
26200.009	Cut	0.6	0.2	Cut of ditch	-	-



26200.010	Fill	0.6	0.2	Fill of ditch	-	-
26200.011	Fill	0.3	0.21	Single fill of post hole	-	-
26200.012	Cut	0.3	0.21	Cut of post hole	-	-
26200.013	Cut	0.3	0.24	Cut of ditch	-	-
26200.014	Fill	0.3	0.24	Single fill of ditch	-	-
26200.015	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
26200.016	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of post hole	-	-

Trench 263

General description Trench contained a single gully [26300.002] orientated ESE-WNW. Natural was a orange sand with light grey clay and gravel patches.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.22
	Width (m)	2.1
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26300.000	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
26300.001	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
26300.002	Cut	0.44	0.16	Cut of gully	-	-
26300.003	Fill	0.44	0.16	Single fill of gully	-	-

Trench 264

General description Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of a dark brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.6
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26400.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
26400.002	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-
26400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 265

General description Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.	Orientation	E-W
	Avg. depth (m)	0.5
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26500.001	Layer	-	0.4	Topsoil	-	-
26500.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-



26500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 266						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.36
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26600.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
26600.002	Layer	-	0.06	Subsoil	-	-
26600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 267						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained one ditch [26700.004] orientated N-S and two pits [26700.006] and [26700.008]. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.6
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26700.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
26700.002	Layer	-	0.34	Subsoil	-	-
26700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
26700.004	Cut	1	0.33	Cut of ditch	-	-
26700.005	Fill	1	0.33	Single fill of ditch	-	-
26700.006	Cut	0.42	0.18	Cut of pit	-	-
26700.007	Fill	0.42	0.18	Single fill of pit	-	-
26700.008	Cut	0.35	0.09	Cut of pit	-	-
26700.009	Fill	0.35	0.09	Single fill of pit	-	-
Trench 268						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a gully [26800.004] orientated NE-SW and a ditch [26800.006] orientated N-S which most probably represents a boundary ditch. Natural was a light brown orange sandy clay with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.46
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26800.001	Layer	-	0.35	Topsoil	-	-
26800.002	Layer	-	0.25	Subsoil	-	-
26800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



26800.004	Cut	0.58	0.06	Cut of gully	-	-
26800.005	Fill	0.58	0.06	Single fill of gully	-	-
26800.006	Cut	1.2	0.36	Cut of ditch	-	-
26800.007	Fill	1.2	0.26	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
26800.008	Fill	0.36	0.1	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 269						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.64
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
26900.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
26900.002	Layer	-	0.34	Subsoil	-	-
26900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 270						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained a single ditch [27000.005] orientated E-W which most probably represents a drainage ditch. Natural was a light orange brown sandy silt with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27000.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
27000.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
27000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
27000.004	Fill	0.6	0.23	Single fill of ditch	-	-
27000.005	Cut	0.6	0.23	Cut of ditch	-	-
Trench 271						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two ditches, one [27100.004] orientated NW-SE and [27100.010] orientated N-S. Ditch [27100.010] was truncated by a tree throw [27100.007]. Natural was a mid brown orange clayey sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.42
					Width (m)	2.1
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27100.001	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-
27100.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
27100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



27100.004	Cut	1.45	0.44	Cut of ditch	-	-
27100.005	Fill	1.45	0.22	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
27100.006	Fill	1.45	0.21	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
27100.007	Cut	0.65	0.2	Cut of tree throw	-	-
27100.008	Fill	0.65	0.2	Primary fill of tree throw	-	-
27100.009	Fill	0.59	0.14	Secondary fill of tree throw	-	-
27100.010	Cut	0.9	0.37	Cut of ditch	-	-
27100.011	Fill	0.9	0.1	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
27100.012	Fill	>0.86	0.25	Secondary fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
27100.013	Fill	>0.51	0.12	Tertiary fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 272

General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench contained three ditches [27200.005] orientated E-W, [27200.008] orientated NNW-SSE and [27200.010] orientated ENE-WSW. Ditch [27200.010] was not excavated. Natural was a yellow orange silty clay with gravel inclusions.	Avg. depth (m)	0.5
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27200.001	Layer	-	0.2	Topsoil	-	-
27200.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
27200.004	Layer	-	0.28	Subsoil	-	-
27200.005	Cut	1.3	0.4	Cut of ditch	-	-
27200.006	Fill	1.3	0.4	Primary fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
27200.007	Fill	0.5	0.3	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
27200.008	Cut	>0.5	0.3	Cut of ditch	-	-
27200.009	Fill	>0.5	0.3	Single fill of ditch	-	-
27200.010	Cut	<0.4	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
27200.011	Fill	<0.4	-	Fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 273

General description	Orientation	NE-SW
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange brown silty sand.	Avg. depth (m)	0.48
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27300.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
27300.002	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-
27300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



Trench 274						
General description				Orientation		N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [27400.004] orientated E-W. Natural was an orange brown silty sand.				Avg. depth (m)		0.48
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27400.001	Layer	-	0.35	Topsoil	-	-
27400.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
27400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
27400.004	Cut	1	0.21	Cut of ditch	-	-
27400.005	Fill	1	0.21	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 275						
General description				Orientation		N-S
Trench contained four post holes, two parallel gullies ([27500.017] and [27500.019] orientated NE-SW) and one ditch ([27500.011] orientated NW-SE). Two post holes were excavated [27500.005] and [27500.007]. Natural was a dark brown orange sand with light grey clay patches and gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)		0.4
				Width (m)		2
				Length (m)		40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27500.001	Layer	-	0.29	Topsoil	-	-
27500.002	Layer	-	0.11	Subsoil	-	-
27500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
27500.004	Fill	0.46	0.22	Single fill of post hole	-	-
27500.005	Cut	0.46	0.22	Cut of post hole	-	-
27500.006	Fill	0.58	0.2	Single fill of post hole	-	-
27500.007	Cut	0.58	0.2	Cut of post hole	-	-
27500.008	Fill	1.02	0.1	Fill of ditch	-	-
27500.009	Fill	1	0.24	Fill of ditch	-	-
27500.010	Fill	0.58	0.08	Fill of ditch	-	-
27500.011	Cut	1.02	0.34	Cut of ditch	-	-
27500.012	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
27500.013	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
27500.014	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
27500.015	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
27500.016	Fill	0.52	0.12	Single fill of gully	-	-
27500.017	Cut	0.52	0.12	Cut of gully	-	-
27500.018	Fill	0.38	0.1	Single fill of gully	-	-



27500.019	Cut	0.38	0.1	Cut of gully	-	-
Trench 276						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single gully [27600.005] orientated NW-SE. Natural was a light orange sandy gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.53
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27600.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
27600.002	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-
27600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
27600.004	Fill	1.04	0.14	Single fill of gully	Glass	C19th
27600.005	Cut	1.04	0.14	Cut of gully	-	-
Trench 277						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a pit [27700.004], a post hole [27700.007] and two ditches (one orientated NW-SE and one orientated NE-SW). One ditch [27700.009] was excavated. Natural was an orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27700.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
27700.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
27700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
27700.004	Cut	2.9	0.56	Cut of pit	-	-
27700.005	Fill	0.5	0.23	Primary fill of pit	-	-
27700.006	Fill	2.4	0.56	Secondary fill of pit	-	-
27700.007	Cut	0.24	0.2	Cut of post hole	-	-
27700.008	Fill	0.24	0.2	Single fill of post hole	-	-
27700.009	Cut	1.06	0.16	Cut of ditch	-	-
27700.010	Fill	1.06	0.16	Single fill of ditch	Flint	Undated
27700.011	Cut	1.2	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
27700.012	Fill	1.2	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
27700.013	Cut	0.1	-	Cut of modern land drain	-	-
27700.014	Fill	0.1	-	Fill of modern land drain	-	-
Trench 278						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.54



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27800.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
27800.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
27800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 279						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a ploughing furrow [27900.004] orientated E-W. Natural was an orange red silt clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
27900.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
27900.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
27900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
27900.004	Cut	2.13	0.12	Cut of ploughing furrow	-	-
27900.005	Fill	2.13	0.12	Fill of ploughing furrow	Flint	-
27900.006	Layer	0.60	0.08		-	-
27900.007	Layer	0.32	0.18		-	-
Trench 280						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained one ditch [28000.004] orientated N-S and one pit [280000.010]. Natural was a mid brown yellow silty sand with light blue yellow clay silt patches and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.43
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28000.001	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
28000.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
28000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
28000.004	Cut	1.55	0.65	Cut of ditch	-	-
28000.005	Fill	0.65	0.14	Fill of ditch	-	-
28000.006	Fill	0.3	0.3	Fill of ditch	-	-
28000.007	Fill	0.22	0.22	Fill of ditch	-	-
28000.008	Fill	0.15	0.3	Fill of ditch	-	-
28000.009	Fill	0.65	0.38	Fill of ditch	-	-
28000.010	Cut	0<.56	0.7	Cut of pit	-	-
28000.011	Fill	0.5	0.33	Fill Of pit	-	-



28000.012	Fill	<0.45	0.4	Fill of pit	-	-
28000.013	Fill	0.5	0.3	Fill of pit	-	-
Trench 281						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [28100.004] orientated NE-SW which was not excavated. Natural was a yellow orange silty clay with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.48
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28100.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
28100.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
28100.003	Layer	-	0.38	Subsoil	-	-
28100.004	Cut	1.7	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
28100.005	Fill	1.7	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 282						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of a mid brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28200.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
28200.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
28200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 283						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [28300.004] orientated NW-SE which was not excavated. Natural was an orange brown sandy clay with light yellow brown silty clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.61
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28300.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
28300.002	Layer	-	0.25	Subsoil	-	-
28300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
28300.004	Cut	8.8	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
28300.005	Fill	8.8	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 284						



General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil overlying a natural of orange sand and light grey clay with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.32
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28400.000	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
28400.001	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 285						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of a dark orange brown sand gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.42
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28500.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
28500.002	Layer	-	0.08	Subsoil	-	-
28500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 286						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [28600.004] orientated E-W which was not excavated. The same ditch was observed in Trench 256. Natural was mid orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.63
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28600.001	Layer	-	0.29	Topsoil	-	-
28600.002	Layer	-	0.32	Subsoil	-	-
28600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
28600.004	Cut	0.9	0.8	Cut of ditch	-	-
28600.004	Fill	0.9	0.8	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 287						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one pit [28700.005] and one ditch [28700.007] orientated E-W. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context	type	Width	Depth	comment	finds	date



no		(m)	(m)			
28700.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
28700.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
28700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
28700.004	Fill	0.7	0.5	Single fill of pit	-	-
28700.005	Cut	0.7	0.5	Cut of pit	-	-
28700.006	Fill	0.9	0.11	Single fill of ditch	-	-
28700.007	Cut	0.9	0.11	Cut of ditch	-	-
Trench 288						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [28800.004] orientated N-S. Natural was dark orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28800.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
28800.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
28800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
28800.004	Cut	1.26	0.72	Cut of ditch	-	-
28800.005	Fill	1.26	0.72	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 289						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained four post holes (two of which were excavated [28900.005] and [28900.008]) and three ditches (two orientated N-S and one orientated E-W). Two ditches [28900.010] and [28900.014] were excavated. Natural was a dark orange gravel silt.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
28900.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
28900.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
28900.003	Fill	0.61	0.2	Secondary fill of post hole	Pot	LIA/E. Roman
28900.004	Fill	0.6	0.1	Primary fill of post hole	-	-
28900.005	Cut	0.61	0.25	Cut of post hole	-	-
28900.006	Fill	0.16	0.11	Secondary fill of post hole	Pot	LBA/EIA
28900.007	Fill	0.36	0.13	Primary fill of post hole	-	-
28900.008	Cut	0.36	0.18	Cut of post hole	-	-
28900.009	Fill	0.38	0.13	Single fill of ditch	-	-
28900.010	Cut	0.38	0.13	Cut of ditch	-	-



28900.011	Fill	0.2	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
28900.012	Cut	0.2	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
28900.013	Fill	0.3	0.14	Single fill of ditch	-	-
28900.014	Cut	0.3	0.14	Cut of ditch	-	-
28900.015	Fill	0.5	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
28900.016	Cut	0.5	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
28900.017	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
28900.018	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
28900.019	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 290

General description Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange brown silty sand.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.42
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29000.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
29000.002	Layer	-	0.42	Subsoil	-	-
29000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 291

General description Trench contained one post hole [29100.004] and one ditch [29100.006] orientated N-S. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of silty sand.	Orientation	E-W
	Avg. depth (m)	0.46
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29100.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
29100.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
29100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29100.004	Cut	0.36	0.24	Cut of post hole	-	-
29100.005	Fill	0.36	0.24	Single fill of post hole	-	-
29100.006	Cut	0.8	0.24	Cut of ditch	-	-
29100.007	Fill	0.8	0.24	Single fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 292

General description Trench devoid of archaeology. A modern linear [29200.004] was recorded in plan orientated NE-SW. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of orange brown clay sand.	Orientation	E-W
	Avg. depth (m)	0.52
	Width (m)	2



					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29200.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
29200.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
29200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29200.004	Cut	1.5	-	Cut of modern hedge	-	-
29200.005	Fill	1.5	-	Fill of modern hedge	-	-
Trench 293						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained four ditches (two orientated N-S and two orientated E-W) and a tree throw [29300.006]. One ditch was excavated [29300.004] and had a concave base with gradual sides. Natural was a orange brown silty sand with grey orange clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.42
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29300.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
29300.002	Layer	-	0.04	Subsoil	-	-
29300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29300.004	Cut	0.68	0.07	Cut of ditch	-	-
29300.005	Fill	0.68	0.07	Single fill of ditch	-	-
29300.006	Cut	2	0.2	Cut of tree throw	-	-
29300.007	Fill	2	0.2	Single fill of tree throw	-	-
29300.008	Cut	0.7	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
29300.009	Fill	0.7	-	Fill of ditch	Daub	-
29300.010	Cut	0.6	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
29300.011	Fill	0.6	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
29300.012	Cut	5.15	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
29300.013	Fill	5.15	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 294						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one post hole [29400.004] and one ditch [29400.006] orientated E-W. Natural was an orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.32
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29400.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
29400.002	Layer	-	0.07	Subsoil	-	-



29400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29400.004	Cut	0.37	0.13	Cut of post hole	-	-
29400.005	Fill	0.37	0.13	Single fill of post hole	-	-
29400.006	Cut	0.6	0.44	Cut of ditch	-	-
29400.007	Fill	0.6	0.44	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 295						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [29500.004] orientated E-W which had a concave base with gradual sides. Natural was an orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.53
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29500.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
29500.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
29500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29500.004	Cut	0.45	0.19	Cut of ditch	-	-
29500.005	Fill	0.45	0.19	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 296						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two ditches [29600.004] orientated NE-SW and [29600.006] orientated NW-SE. Natural was an orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.42
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29600.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
29600.002	Layer	-	0.06	Subsoil	-	-
29600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29600.004	Cut	0.67	0.33	Cut of ditch	-	-
29600.005	Fill	0.67	0.33	Single fill of ditch	-	-
29600.006	Cut	0.93	0.46	Cut of ditch	-	-
29600.007	Fill	0.93	0.3	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
29600.008	Fill	0.56	0.1	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 297						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single ditch [29700.005] orientated E-W which had gradual sides with a concave base. Most likely represents a drainage ditch. Natural was a dark orange gravel silt.					Avg. depth (m)	0.6
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29700.001	Layer	-	0.38	Topsoil	-	-
29700.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
29700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29700.004	Fill	0.3	0.5	Single fill of ditch	-	-
29700.005	Cut	0.3	0.5	Cut of ditch	-	-
Trench 298						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of light orange sand with dark brown silty sand and gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.49
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29800.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
29800.002	Layer	-	0.13	Subsoil	-	-
29800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 299						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.77
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
29900.001	Layer	-	0.2	Topsoil	-	-
29900.002	Cut	-		Cut of modern feature	-	-
29900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
29900.004						
29900.005						
Trench 300						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. The trench contained a single layer [30000.002] of modern material which was also observed in Trench 299. Natural was an orange silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	1.32
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date



30000.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
30000.002	Layer	-	<0.50	Layer of modern material	-	-
30000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 301						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench was located in an area of extant ridge and furrow but there were no archaeological features. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.59
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30100.001	Layer	-	0.10	Topsoil	-	-
30100.002	Layer	-	0.55	Subsoil	-	-
30100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 302						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two small ditches [30200.004]and [30200.006], both were undated. Natural was a mid orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30200.001	Layer	-	0.06	Topsoil	-	-
30200.002	Layer	-	0.50	Subsoil	-	-
30200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
30200.004	Cut	0.60	0.19	Cut of ditch	-	-
30200.005	Fill	0.60	0.19	Single fill of ditch	-	-
30200.006	Cut	0.70	0.22	Cut of ditch	-	-
30200.007	Fill	0.70	0.22	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 303						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one ditch [30300.004] orientated E-W and one tree throw [30300.006] which was not excavated. Natural was an orange brown silty sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30300.001	Layer	-	0.42	Topsoil	-	-
30300.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
30300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-



30300.004	Cut	0.6	0.19	Cut of ditch	-	-
30300.005	Fill	0.6	0.19	Single fill of ditch	-	-
30300.006	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of tree throw	-	-
30300.007	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of tree throw	-	-
Trench 304						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of light orange gravel.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30400.001	Layer	-	0.4	Topsoil	-	-
30400.002	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
30400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 305						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single ditch [30500.004]. Natural was a dark orange brown sand clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.44
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30500.001	Layer	-	0.18	Topsoil	-	-
30500.002	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-
30500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
30500.004	Cut	1.00	0.25	Cut of ditch	-	-
30500.005	Fill	1.00	0.25	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 306						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a single pit [30600.004]. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand with grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.42
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30600.001	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
30600.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
30600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
30600.004	Cut	0.3	0.1	Cut of pit	-	-



30600.005	Fill	0.13	0.1	Primary fill of pit	-	-
30600.006	Fill	0.24	0.08	Secondary fill of pit	-	-
Trench 307						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench contained one ditch [30700.004] orientated N-S and two pits [30700.006] and [30700.008]. Natural was a dark brown orange silty sand with gravel inclusions.				Avg. depth (m)	0.4	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30700.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
30700.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
30700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
30700.004	Cut	0.6	0.42	Cut of ditch	-	-
30700.005	Fill	0.6	0.42	Single fill of ditch	-	-
30700.006	Cut	1.42	0.41	Cut of pit	-	-
30700.007	Fill	1.42	0.41	Single fill of pit	-	-
30700.008	Cut	0.6	0.24	Cut of pit	-	-
30700.009	Fill	0.6	0.24	Single fill of pit	-	-
Trench 308						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.				Avg. depth (m)	0.44	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30800.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
30800.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
30800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 309						
General description				Orientation	E-W	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange clay sand.				Avg. depth (m)	0.50	
				Width (m)	2	
				Length (m)	40	
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
30900.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
30900.002	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-



30900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 310						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained two ditches [31000.004] orientated E-W and [31000.009] orientated N-S. Ditch 31000.009 truncates land drain [31000.006]. Natural was an orange brown clayey sand.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31000.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
31000.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
31000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
31000.004	Cut	0.64	0.27	Cut of ditch	-	-
31000.005	Fill	0.64	0.27	Single fill of ditch	-	-
31000.006	Cut	0.3	0.12	Cut of land drain	-	-
31000.007	Fill	0.3	0.12	Single fill of land drain	-	-
31000.008	Cut	1.26	0.46	Cut of ditch	-	-
31000.009	Fill	1.26	0.08	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
31000.010	Fill	1.26	0.06	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
31000/011	Fill	1.26	0.43	Tertiary fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 311						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench Contained a single pit [31100.004] which had gradual sides and a concave base. Natural was a dark orange brown sandy clay with light blue grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.6
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31100.001	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
31100.002	Layer	-	0.38	Subsoil	-	-
31100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
31100.004	Cut	0.45	0.17	Cut of pit	-	-
31100.005	Fill	0.45	0.17	Single fill of pit	-	-
Trench 312						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of brown orange sand with dark grey sandy gravel and light grey clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.47
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31200.001	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
31200.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
31200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 313						
General description					Orientation	ENE--WSW
Trench contained one pit [31300.004] and two ditch termini [31300.007] and [31300.009] both orientated N-S. Natural was a mid orange brown sandy clay with light blue green silty clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31300.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
31300.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
31300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
31300.004	Cut	0.5	0.2	Cut of pit	-	-
31300.005	Fill	0.33	0.06	Primary fill of pit	-	-
31300.006	Fill	0.5	0.17	Secondary fill of pit	-	-
31300.007	Cut	1.6	0.45	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
31300.008	Fill	1.6	0.45	Single fill of ditch terminus	-	-
31300.009	Cut	1	0.32	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
31300.010	Fill	1	0.32	Single fill of ditch terminus	Flint	-
Trench 314						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31400.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
31400.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
31400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 315						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange clayey sand overlying light grey clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.5
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31500.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
31500.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
31500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 316						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark orange brown clay silt with light grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.38
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31600.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
31600.002	Layer	-	0.10	Subsoil	-	-
31600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 317						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark orange brown clay silt with light grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.59
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31700.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
31700.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
31700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 318						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.4
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31800.001	Layer	-	0.18	Topsoil	-	-
31800.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
31800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 319						



General description Trench contained two ditches [31900.004] and [31900.011] both orientated E-W and one pit [31900.007]. Ditch [31900.011] was not fully excavated and contained pot. Natural was a dark orange brown sandy clay with gravel inclusions.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.52
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
31900.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
31900.002	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
31900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
31900.004	Cut	0.96	0.66	Cut of ditch	-	-
31900.005	Fill	0.5	0.12	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
31900.006	Fill	0.96	0.56	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
31900.007	Cut	2.45	0.96	Cut of pit	-	-
31900.008	Fill	2.45	0.96	Single fill of pit	-	-
31900.009	Void	-	-	Void	-	-
31900.010	Void	-	-	Void	-	-
31900.011	Cut	8.5	1	Cut of ditch	-	-
31900.012	Fill	0.8	0.5	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
31900.013	Fill	3.6	0.15	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-
31900.014	Fill	0.7	0.1	Fill of ditch	-	-
31900.015	Fill	1.1	0.45	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman?
31900.016	Fill	2.7	0.05	Fill of ditch	Bone	
31900.017	Fill	8.5	0.55	Fill of ditch	Bone	

Trench 320

General description Trench contained six linear features [32000.004], [32000.012], [32000.014], [32000.022], [32000.026] and [32000.030]. Of these six, only three were investigated and only one, [32000.004] appeared to be of genuine archaeological origin. There were also 3 post holes [32000.006], [32000.008] and [32000.010] and some unexcavated features that were believed to be the remains of tree throws. Natural was a dark orange brown sandy gravel with blue grey clay patches.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.46
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32000.001	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-
32000.002	Layer	-	0.28	Subsoil	-	-
32000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
32000.004	Cut	0.80	0.09	Cut of ditch	-	-
32000.005	Fill	0.80	0.09	Primary fill of ditch	-	-



32000.006	Cut	0.50	0.09	Cut of post hole	-	-
32000.007	Fill	0.50	0.09	Fill of post hole	-	-
32000.008	Cut	0.32	0.05	Cut of post hole	-	-
32000.009	Fill	0.32	0.05	Fill of post hole	-	-
32000.010	Cut	0.31	0.12	Cut of post hole	-	-
32000.011	Fill	0.31	0.12	Fill of post hole	-	-
32000.012	Cut	0.46	0.09	Cut of ditch	-	-
32000.013	Fill	0.46	0.09	Fill of ditch	-	-
32000.014	Cut	0.86	0.27	Cut of ditch	-	-
32000.015	Fill	0.86	0.27	Fill of ditch	-	-
32000.016	Cut	0.35	-	Fill of pit	-	-
32000.017	Fill	0.35	-	Fill of pit	-	-
32000.018	Cut	0.50	-	Cut of pit	-	-
32000.019	Fill	0.50	-	Fill of pit	-	-
32000.020	Cut	0.55	-	Cut of pit/tree throw?	-	-
32000.021	Fill	0.55	-	Fill of pit/tree throw?	-	-
32000.022	Cut	0.60	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
32000.023	Fill	0.60	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
32000.024	Cut	0.78	-	Cut of pit/tree throw?	-	-
32000.025	Fill	0.78	-	Fill of pit/tree throw?	-	-
32000.026	Cut	0.60	-	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
32000.027	Fill	0.60	-	Fill of ditch terminus	-	-
32000.028	Cut	0.65	-	Cut of pit/tree throw?	-	-
32000.029	Fill	0.65	-	Fill of pit/tree throw?	-	-
32000.030	Cut	0.40	-	Cut of ditch terminus	-	-
32000.031	Fill	0.40	-	Fill of ditch terminus	-	-

Trench 321

General description Trench contained two ditches [32100.008] and [32100.0010] both orientated N-S and two pits [32100.004] and [32100.006]. Natural was a dark orange brown silty sand with dark orange gravel patches.	Orientation	E-W
	Avg. depth (m)	0.6
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32100.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
32100.002	Layer	-	0.32	Subsoil	-	-
32100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
32100.004	Cut	0.5	0.3	Cut of pit	-	-
32100.005	Fill	0.5	0.3	Single fill of pit	-	-



32100.006	Cut	0.55	0.2	Cut of pit	-	-
32100.007	Fill	0.55	0.2	Single fill of pit	-	-
32100.008	Cut	0.8	0.42	Cut of ditch	-	-
32100.009	Fill	0.8	0.42	Single fill of ditch	-	-
32100.010	Cut	0.6	0.21	Cut of ditch	-	-
32100.011	Fill	0.6	0.21	Single fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 322

General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two ditches [32200.004] orientated NNW-SSE and [32200.006] orientated N-S. Natural was amid orange brown sandy clay with gravel patches.	Avg. depth (m)	0.6
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32200.001	Layer	-	0.4	Topsoil	-	-
32200.002	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-
32200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
32200.004	Cut	0.9	0.25	Cut of ditch	-	-
32200.005	Fill	0.9	0.25	Single fill of ditch	-	-
32200.006	Cut	0.8	0.34	Cut of ditch	-	-
32200.007	Fill	0.4	0.1	Primary fill of ditch	-	-
32200.008	Fill	0.68	0.22	Secondary fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 323

General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid orange clayey sand with gravel patches.	Avg. depth (m)	0.55
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32300.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
32300.002	Layer	-	0.25	Subsoil	-	-
32300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 324

General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a small pit [32400.004] and ditch terminus [32400.006]. Natural was a dark orangey brown silty sand.	Avg. depth (m)	0.44
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32400.001	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-
32400.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
32400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
32400.004	Cut	0.35	0.14	Cut of pit	-	-
32400.005	Fill	0.35	0.14	Single fill of pit	-	-
32400.006	Cut	0.34	0.12	Cut of ditch	-	-
32400.007	Fill	0.34	0.12	Single fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 325						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained two possible ploughing furrows [32500.004] [32500.006]. Natural dark orange clay sand with blue grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.72
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32500.001	Layer	-	0.32	Topsoil	-	-
32500.002	Layer	-	0.28	Subsoil	-	-
32500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
32500.004	Cut	0.9	0.17	Cut of ditch/furrow	-	-
32500.005	Fill	0.9	0.17	Fill of ditch/furrow	-	-
32500.006	Cut	0.6	0.20	Cut of ditch/furrow	Clay pipe	-
32500.007	Fill	0.6	0.20	Fill of ditch/furrow	-	-
32500.008	Cut	-	-	Cut of land drain	-	-
32500.009	Fill	-	-	Fill of land drain	-	-
32500.010	Cut	-	-	Cut of land drain	-	-
32500.011	Fill	-	-	Fill of land drain	-	-
Trench 326						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.50
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32600.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
32600.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
32600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 327						



General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with gravel patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.45
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32700.001	Layer	-	0.20	Topsoil	-	-
32700.002	Layer	-	0.25	Subsoil	-	-
32700.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 328						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained one ditch [32800.004] and one probable tree-throw [32800.006]. Natural consists of mid orange clay sand and light grey clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32800.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
32800.002	Layer	-	0.31	Subsoil	-	-
32800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
32800.004	Cut	0.47	0.10	Cut of ditch	-	-
32800.005	Fill	0.47	0.10	Fill of ditch	-	-
32800.006	Cut	1.00	0.24	Tree-throw	-	-
32800.007	Fill	1.00	0.24	Fill of tree-throw	-	-
Trench 329						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with blue grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.54
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
32900.001	Layer	-	0.36	Topsoil	-	-
32900.002	Layer	-	0.20	Subsoil	-	-
32900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 330						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown orange silty sand with blue grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.40
					Width (m)	2



					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33000.001	Layer	-	0.35	Topsoil	-	-
33000.002	Layer	-	0.10	Subsoil	-	-
33000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 331						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained one possible pit/tree throw [33100.004]. Natural consisted of dark orange brown sandy clay with blue grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.50
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33100.001	Layer	-	0.30	Topsoil	-	-
33100.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
33100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33100.004	Cut	0.76	0.20	Cut of pit/tree throw	-	-
33100.005	Fill	0.76	0.20	Fill of pit/tree throw	-	-
Trench 332						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench contained five ditch features [33200.006], [33200.008], [33200.010], [33200.012] and [33200.016]. In addition, a pit [33200.006], two possible pit/tree throws [33200.014] and [33200.018] and a palaeochannel were also identified. Natural consisted of dark orange brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.34
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33200.001	Layer	-	0.21	Topsoil	-	-
33200.002	Layer	-	0.11	Subsoil	-	-
33200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33200.004	Cut	0.60	0.40	Cut of pit	-	-
33200.005	Fill	0.60	0.40	Fill of pit	Pot	Roman
33200.006	Cut	0.60	0.34	Cut of ditch	-	-
33200.007	Fill	0.60	0.34	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
33200.008	Cut	0.64	0.23	Cut of ditch	-	-
33200.009	Fill	0.64	0.23	Fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	LIA/E. Roman
33200.010	Cut	0.50	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33200.011	Fill	0.50	-	Fill of ditch	-	-



33200.012	Cut	0.60	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33200.013	Fill	0.60	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33200.014	Cut	0.70	-	Cut of pit/tree throw	-	-
33200.015	Fill	0.70	-	Fill of pit/tree throw	-	-
33200.016	Cut	1.50	-	Cut of linear	-	-
33200.017	Fill	1.50	-	Fill of linear	-	-
33200.018	Cut	0.85	-	Cut of pit/tree throw	-	-
33200.019	Fill	0.85	-	Fill of pit/tree throw	-	-
33200.020	Cut	-	-	Palaeochannel	-	-
33200.021	Fill	-	-	Fill of palaeochannel	-	-

Trench 333

General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench contained four ditch features [33300.007], [33300.013], [33300.015], [33300.017] and a pit [33300.011]. Natural consisted of dark orange brown sandy clay.	Avg. depth (m)	0.32
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33300.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
33300.002	Layer	-	0.08	Subsoil	-	-
33300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33300.004	Fill	0.65	0.28	Fill of land drain	-	-
33300.005	Fill	0.10	0.10	Pipe in land drain	-	-
33300.006	Cut	0.65	0.28	Cut of land drain	-	-
33300.007	Fill	1.1	0.30	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
33300.008	Cut	1.1	0.30	Cut of ditch	-	-
33300.009	Fill	0.60	-	Fill of pit	-	-
33300.010	Fill	2.40	-	Fill of pit	Pot	Roman
33300.011	Cut	2.40	-	Cut of square pit	-	-
33300.012	Fill	0.70	-	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
33300.013	Cut	0.70	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33300.014	Fill	1.80	-	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
33300.015	Cut	1.80	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33300.016	Fill	1.80	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33300.017	Cut	1.80	-	Cut of ditch	-	-

Trench 334

General description	Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained three ditches [33400.004], [33400.007], [33400.013] a possible pit/tree throw [33400.011] and an unexcavated cremation[33400.009]. Natural consisted of mid to dark	Avg. depth (m)	0.46
	Width (m)	2



orange brown sandy clay with gravel patches.	Length (m)	40
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Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33400.001	Layer	-	0.30	Topsoil	-	-
33400.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	Pot	Roman
33400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33400.004	Cut	1.75	0.58	Cut of ditch	-	-
33400.005	Fill	1.75	0.24	Fill of ditch	-	-
33400.006	Fill	1.22	0.26	Fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	LIA/E. Roman
33400.007	Cut	0.65	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33400.008	Fill	0.65	-	Fill of ditch	Pot	LIA/E. Roman
33400.009	Cut	0.40	-	Cut of cremation	-	-
33400.010	Fill	0.40	-	Fill of cremation	Pot/Bone	LIA/E. Roman
33400.011	Cut	0.85	-	Cut of pit/tree throw	-	-
33400.012	Fill	0.85	-	Fill of pit/tree throw	-	-
33400.013	Cut	3.20	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33400.014	Fill	0.50	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33400.015	Fill	0.45	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33400.016	Fill	2.55	-	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman

Trench 335

General description	Orientation	E-W
Trench contained three ditch features [33500.004], [33500.010], [33500.012], and two post holes [33500.006] and [33500.008]. . Natural consisted of mid orange clayey sand and gravel.	Avg. depth (m)	0.32
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33500.001	Layer	-	0.18	Topsoil	-	-
33500.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
33500.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33500.004	Cut	2.05	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33500.005	Fill	2.05	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33500.006	Cut	0.20	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
33500.007	Fill	0.20	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
33500.008	Cut	0.25	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
33500.009	Fill	0.25	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
33500.010	Cut	0.60	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33500.011	Fill	0.60	-	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman



33500.012	Cut	2.66	0.72	Cut of ditch	-	-
33500.013	Fill	0.56	0.08	Fill of ditch	-	-
33500.014	Fill	0.30	0.12	Fill of ditch	-	-
33500.015	Fill	2.36	0.64	Fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	Roman
Trench 336						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a complex of intercutting ditches, [33600.013], [33600.014], [33600.015], [33600.016], [33600.017] and [33600.018]. A further six separate ditches [33600.004], [33600.006], [33600.009], [33600.011], [33600.020], [33600.024] and a pit [33600.022]. Natural consisted of mid yellow brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.56
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33600.001	Layer	-	0.4	Topsoil	-	-
33600.002	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-
33600.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33600.004	Cut	0.74	0.26	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.005	Fill	0.74	0.26	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
33600.006	Cut	1.46	0.34	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.007	Fill	0.94	0.12	Fill of ditch	-	-
33600.008	Fill	1.46	0.21	Fill of ditch	-	-
33600.009	Cut	1.60	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.010	Fill	1.60	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33600.011	Cut	1.40	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.012	Fill	1.40	-	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
33600.013	Cut	4.40	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.014	Cut	0.75	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.015	Cut	1.60	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.016	Cut	1.00	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.017	Cut	2.20	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.018	Cut	0.60	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.019	Fill	2.00	-	Fill of ditches	Pot/Bone SF 103/ 104/105/ 107/ 108	Roman
33600.020	Cut	2.00	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33600.021	Fill	2.00	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33600.022	Cut	0.70	-	Cut of pit	-	-
33600.023	Fill	0.70	-	Fill of pit	Pot/SF 109	Roman
33600.024	Cut	1.85	-	Cut of ditch terminus		



33600.025	Fill	1.85	-	Fill of ditch terminus		
Trench 337						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench contained two ditch features [33700.010], [33700.012] and a deep sequence of alluvial deposits sealing a layer of preserved waterlogged wood. Natural consisted of orange brown, sandy gravels.					Avg. depth (m)	0.82
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33700.001	Layer	-	0.30	Alluvial deposit	-	-
33700.002	Layer	-	0.14	Alluvial deposit	-	-
33700.003	Layer	-	0.25	Alluvial deposit	-	-
33700.004	Layer	-	0.20	Alluvial deposit	-	-
33700.005	Layer	-	0.30	Alluvial deposit	-	-
33700.006	Layer	-	0.30	Alluvial deposit	-	-
33700.007	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-
33700.008	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
33700.009	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33700.010	Cut	0.36	0.18	Cut of ditch	-	-
33700.011	Fill	0.36	0.18	Fill of ditch	-	-
33700.012	Cut	0.95	0.80	Cut of ditch	-	-
33700.013	Fill	0.95	0.80	Fill of ditch	-	-
33700.014	Layer	-	0.36	Buried soil	-	-
Trench 338						
General description					Orientation	NW-SE
Trench contained five ditch features [33800.004], [33800.007], [33800.011], [33800.013], [33800.015] and a modern pit [33800.009]. Natural consisted of mid orange brown clay sand with patches of blue grey clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.27
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33800.001	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-
33800.002	Layer	-	0.05	Subsoil	-	-
33800.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33800.004	Cut	0.60	0.28	Cut of ditch	-	-
33800.005	Fill	0.32	0.08	Fill of ditch	-	-
33800.006	Fill	0.60	0.20	Fill of ditch	-	-
33800.007	Cut	0.62	0.22	Cut of ditch	-	-
33800.008	Fill	0.62	0.22	Fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	LIA-E. Roman



33800.009	Cut	0.30	-	Cut of pit	-	-
33800.010	Fill	0.30	-	Fill of pit	-	-
33800.011	Cut	0.55	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33800.012	Fill	0.55	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33800.013	Cut	0.25	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33800.014	Fill	0.25	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33800.015	Cut	0.30	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33800.016	Fill	0.30	-	Fill of ditch	-	-

Trench 339

General description Trench contained four ditch features [33900.004], [33900.007], [33900.009], [33900.011], and two post holes [33900.015] and [33900.017] and a pit [33900.013]. Natural consisted of light orange clay sand with gravel inclusions.	Orientation	NW-SE
	Avg. depth (m)	0.36
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	40

Contexts

context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
33900.001	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-
33900.002	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
33900.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
33900.004	Cut	1.44	0.48	Cut of ditch	-	-
33900.005	Fill	1.00	0.06	Fill of ditch	-	-
33900.006	Fill	1.44	0.42	Fill of ditch	Pot/Bone	Roman
33900.007	Cut	1.30	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33900.008	Fill	1.30	-	Fill of ditch	Pot	Roman
33900.009	Cut	2.20	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33900.010	Fill	2.20	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33900.011	Cut	1.80	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
33900.012	Fill	1.80	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
33900.013	Cut	0.50	-	Cut of pit	-	-
33900.014	Fill	0.50	-	Fill of pit	-	-
33900.015	Cut	0.40	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
33900.016	Fill	0.40	-	Fill of post hole	-	-
33900.017	Cut	0.40	-	Cut of post hole	-	-
33900.018	Fill	0.40	-	Fill of post hole	-	-

Trench 340

General description Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange clay sand with gravel inclusions.	Orientation	N-S
	Avg. depth (m)	0.57
	Width (m)	2
	Length (m)	49.50



Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
34000.001	Layer	-	0.33	Topsoil	-	-
34000.002	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-
34000.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 341						
General description					Orientation	SW-NE
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark brown orange clay sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.60
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	34.50
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
34100.001	Layer	-	0.26	Topsoil	-	-
34100.002	Layer	-	0.36	Subsoil	-	-
34100.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
Trench 342						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single post hole [34200.004] and a single pit [34200.006]. Natural consisted of dark brown orange clay sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.43
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
34200.001	Layer	-	0.21	Topsoil	-	-
34200.002	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-
34200.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
34200.004	Cut	0.54	0.08	Cut of post hole	-	-
34200.005	Fill	0.54	0.08	Fill of post hole	-	-
34200.006	Cut	0.40	-	Cut of pit	-	-
34200.007	Fill	0.40	-	Fill of pit	-	-
Trench 343						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench contained a field boundary ditch [34300.004]. Natural consisted of dark brown orange clay sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.31
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date



34300.001	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-
34300.002	Layer	-	0.08	Subsoil	-	-
34300.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
34300.004	Cut	2.00	-	Cut of ditch	-	-
34300.005	Fill	2.00	-	Fill of ditch	-	-
Trench 344						
General description					Orientation	E-W
Trench contained a single post hole [34400.004]. Natural consisted of mid orange brown clay sand with gravel inclusions.					Avg. depth (m)	0.55
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
34400.001	Layer	-	0.40	Topsoil	-	-
34400.002	Layer	-	0.14	Subsoil	-	-
34400.003	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
34400.004	Cut	0.48	0.07	Cut of post hole	-	-
34400.005	Fill	0.48	0.07	Fill of post hole	-	-
Trench 345						
General description					Orientation	NE-SW
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid to light grey brown sandy clay.					Avg. depth (m)	0.50
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
34500.001	Layer	-	0.30	Topsoil	-	-
34500.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
34500.003	Layer	-	0.20	Subsoil	-	-
Trench 346						
General description					Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of soil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid to light grey brown sandy clay with blue grey clay patches.					Avg. depth (m)	0.30
					Width (m)	2
					Length (m)	40
Contexts						
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
34600.001	Layer	-	0.30	Topsoil	-	-
34600.002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-





APPENDIX B. FINDS REPORTS

B.1 Brooklands Phases 2 – 4 Evaluation – Pottery

By Edward Biddulph

B.1.1 A total of 348 sherds weighing 3,255 g were recovered during the third phase of the evaluation. This material was rapidly scanned to assess the character of the pottery and identify diagnostic pottery in order to determine context-group dates. Where necessary the pottery was examined under a binocular microscope at x20 magnification to aid in identification of the fabric. Fabrics were given codes from Oxford Archaeology's standard pottery recording system (Booth, nd). See Table B.1 for a summary of context groups.

Condition

B.1.2 The pottery was generally in poor condition. Sherds were small and abraded, which is reflected in the mean sherd weight of 9 g. That said, some larger pieces were recorded, and pottery of Roman and medieval date was generally better preserved than that of the prehistoric and Saxon periods.

Description

B.1.3 Two per cent of the assemblage by weight was assigned to groups dated to the prehistoric period. Two fabrics – sandy and shelly – were recognised. Slack-profiled or shouldered jars were identified in both fabrics; the vessels were decorated on the rim with finger-impressions and incising. Overall, the pottery is consistent with a late Bronze Age or early Iron Age date. Late Iron Age and Roman pottery accounted for 70% of the assemblage. Apart from context groups that contained undiagnostic pottery – usually body sherds in long-lived grey ware and shelly ware – which were dated broadly as Roman, and three main ceramic phases emerged for this period.

B.1.4 A total of 14 groups containing grog-tempered wares were dated to the late Iron Age or early Roman period. Occasionally these were found alongside shelly and post-conquest sandy wares. Few forms were seen; a pedestal bowl and a bead-rimmed jar were available in grog-tempered ware. Three groups were given a date spanning the mid 2nd to mid 3rd century. Fabrics included pink-grogged ware (which was made relatively close-by in the vicinity of Stowe), sandy grey and oxidised wares (also probably locally-produced), Midlands-made shelly ware, and Central Gaulish samian ware. Dishes and necked and ledge-rimmed jars recorded in these fabrics were characteristic of the period. A more diverse range of pottery was seen in the late Roman period, to which six groups were dated. Shelly ware bowls and necked jars probably arrived from the Harrod kilns in Bedfordshire; mortaria in white ware and white-slipped oxidised fabrics reached the site from Oxford. Local potters were responsible for sandy grey ware wide-mouthed jars and necked jars. A Central Gaulish decorated bowl (Drag. 37) was recovered from a late Roman group, but this must be residual.

B.1.5 A small amount of pottery (3% by weight) belonged to groups dated to the early/middle Saxon period. A handmade sandy and organic-tempered fabric was identified and available in the form of an S-profiled jar and plain-rimmed dish. The latter was unusual in the repertoire of Saxon potters and appears to be based on a Roman-period prototype. A similar vessel was found at Pennyland, Milton Keynes (Blinkhorn 1993, fig.



101.8). No medieval pottery was recorded, and a small amount of post-medieval pottery (1% of the assemblage by weight) was encountered.

B.1.6 Some degree of patterning can be detected in the distribution of the pottery. The prehistoric pottery was recovered from trenches in geophysics areas 10 and 27 along the western edge of the evaluation area (Fig. 2). Roman pottery was also seen here, but was concentrated in the southern part of the site in areas 19, 21, 22 and 25; early, mid and late Roman periods were represented. Saxon pottery was more dispersed, being recorded in areas 10 and 25, although this hints at a western focus. The post-medieval pottery was recovered from the central and north-western parts of the site.

Potential

B.1.7 The assemblage points to prehistoric, Roman and Saxon areas of activity within the evaluation area or close to it. The southern part of the site offers the greatest potential for Roman-period settlement evidence, while the western edge has a stronger prehistoric and Saxon emphasis. The pottery requires no further recording unless incorporated within an assemblage derived from previous or future interventions in the area. Given its size, the assemblage from the current evaluation included a relatively wide range of Roman forms and fabrics that hints at a medium to large (or high-status) settlement with good trade links and inhabitants comfortable with continental-style pottery use. A larger sample would be useful to test this impression. The prehistoric and Saxon pottery has parallels at the settlement sites at Pennyland, and there is good potential with a larger dataset to compare communication, trade, and cultural links of sites in the region through the ceramics.

Table B.1 – Summary of pottery by context

Context	Count	Weight (g)	Comments	Group Date
13200.007	1	26	Z30 black-glazed earthenware	1650-1850
13500.005	1	4	O20 sandy oxidised ware	AD 43-410
15000.009	1	11	R20 coarse sandy grey ware	AD 43-410
15300.006	1	9	E80 grog-tempered ware	50 BC-AD 70
15300.007	12	48	Z10 handmade sandy/organic fabric (jar)	AD 410-750
15400.005	4	16	P shelly fabric (jar with finger-impressed rim)	LBA/EIA
15500.005	2	72	O20 sandy oxidised ware (?graffito on base), tile	AD 43-410
15500.007	1	7	P Shelly fabric (jar)	?LBA/IA
15700.002	18	37	C10 shelly ware, ?E80 grog-tempered ware	?AD 43-70
15700.006	68	199	E80 grog-tempered ware	50 BC-AD 70
15700.008	4	21	E80 grog-tempered ware (bead-rimmed jar)	50 BC-AD 70
15700.010	12	68	E80 grog-tempered ware	50 BC-AD 70
17800.005	17	118	Shelly fabric not entirely like typical Roman-period ware. Possibly LBA/IA	Undated
17800.006	2	12	Shelly fabric, ?prehistoric [sample 36]	Undated
17800.023	2	30	O20 sandy oxidised ware	AD 43-410
18700.005	4	10	C10 shelly ware	AD 43-410



Context	Count	Weight (g)	Comments	Group Date
21700.005	6	22	P sandy fabric (slack-profiled jar with incised rim)	LBA/EIA
23500.006	19	180	O81 pink-grogged ware, R20 coarse sandy grey ware, O20 sandy oxidised ware (bead-rimmed dish, flask)	AD 150-250
23500.008	3	143	R30 medium sandy grey ware (necked wide-mouthed jar)	AD 270-410
23500.010	53	849	C10 shelly ware (oval-bodied necked jar, ledge-rimmed jar), R30 medium sandy grey ware (oval-bodied necked jar, bifid rim jar), M22 Oxford white ware mortarium, S30 Central Gaulish samian ware (Drag. 37 decorated bowl)	AD 270-410
23700.013	4	58	Z10 handmade sandy/organic fabric (plain-rimmed dish)	AD 410-550
25600.004	1	2	Z30 glazed white ware	1800-1900
26000.006	1	4	Z30 earthenware	1650-1900
27100.012	1	19	S30 Central Gaulish samian ware (dish base)	AD 120-200
27200.006	1	12	O20 sandy oxidised ware	AD 43-410
28900.003	9	50	E30 sand-tempered ware	?50 BC-AD 70
28900.006	3	5	?P sandy fabric	?LBA/IA
31900.015	1	11	Shelly fabric, possibly Roman	Undated
33200.005	1	7	C10 shelly ware	AD 43-410
33200.007	14	113	C10 shelly ware (oval-bodied necked jar)	AD 270-410
33200.009	1	3	E80 red-surfaced grog-tempered ware	50 BC-AD 70
33300.007	4	13	R30 medium sandy grey ware, O20 sandy oxidised ware	AD 43-410
33300.010	8	104	E80 red-surfaced grog-tempered ware, E80 coarse grog-tempered ware (decorated storage jar body sherd), R20 coarse sandy grey ware	AD 43-70
33300.012	5	42	E80 grog-tempered ware, R20 coarse sandy grey ware	AD 43-70
33300.014	3	46	E80 grog-tempered ware, R30 medium sandy grey ware	AD 43-70
33400.002	1	27	M30 Oxford white-slipped oxidised mortarium	AD 240-410
33400.006	1	17	E80 red-surfaced grog-tempered ware	50 BC-AD 70
33400.008	1	16	E80 red-surfaced grog-tempered ware (pedestal bowl)	50 BC-AD 70
33400.010	2	3	E80 grog-tempered ware	50 BC-AD 70
33400.016	9	94	C10 shelly ware (ledge-rimmed jar), O81 pink-	AD 150-200



Context	Count	Weight (g)	Comments	Group Date
			grogged ware (cordoned necked jar), O20 sandy oxidised ware, R50 black-surfaced ware	
33500.011	2	46	R50 black-surfaced ware (plain-rimmed dish)	AD 120-410
33500.015	19	49	R30 medium sandy grey ware, C10 shelly ware	AD 43-410
33600.005	1	37	C10 shelly ware (bowl or wide-mouthed jar)	AD 270-410
33600.012	1	8	O20 sandy oxidised ware	AD 43-410
33600.019	10	192	C10 shelly ware (flange-rimmed bowl), P shelly/sandy fabric (?slack-profiled jar)	?AD 270-410
33600.023	6	54	C10 shelly ware, R30 medium sandy grey ware	AD 43-410
33800.008	1	10	E80 grog-tempered ware	50 BC-AD 70
33900.006	4	168	C10 shelly ware, R30 medium sandy grey ware	AD 43-410
33900.008	1	160	O81 pink-grogged ware	AD 150-350
33500.015	1	3	R10 fine grey ware	AD 43-410
Totals	348	3255		



B.2 Brooklands Phases 2 – 4 Evaluation – Lithics

by David Mullin

B.2.1 A total of 6 worked flints were recovered from excavations at Brooklands.

Table B.2 – Summary of flint by context

Context	Flint
17800.006	End scraper, dark brown flint. Very steep retouch at distal end.
20100.001	Blade shatter, light brown flint.
22200.005	End scraper, gravel flint. Neolithic.
22400.016	Tertiary flake, light grey flint. Utilisation on one lateral margin.
27700.010	Broken ?retouched point/knife, gravel flint.
33400.010	Tertiary flake, gravel flint.

- B.2.2 In addition five small pieces of burnt flint were recovered from (17800.005) and 10 small pieces of burnt flint recovered from (23500.006). A large burnt stone and a small number of other burnt stones and flint were recovered from (15400.005).
- B.2.3 Although relatively little flint was recovered, it is generally of Neolithic character and in good condition, showing little post-depositional rolling or breakage.
- B.2.4 A variety of raw materials were exploited at the site, including probably locally occurring gravel flint, as well as better quality, imported flint. This was also the case with the flint from excavations at Brooklands, to the north-west of the site considered here.
- B.2.5 Although small in number, the flint recovered from the evaluation at Brooklands adds to the emerging picture of earlier prehistoric activity in the environs of Brooklands and the Ouzel valley (Williams 1993, Williams & Zeepvat 1994, Webster 2005).



B.3 Brooklands Phases 2 – 4 Evaluation – Metalwork

By Ian Scott

- 4.4.1 The metalwork assemblage is small (n = 14). The assemblage includes 1 clipped silver coin of Elizabeth I, dated 1575 (SF 100), and Roman coin, probably early 2nd century AD, possibly of Hadrian (SF 107) (identification by P Booth). The most interesting object is a small slim blade (SF 110) from context (17800.006). This appears to be iron, with characteristic orangey brown corrosion, but is in fact not magnetic. It is almost certainly copper alloy. Given its provenance it is almost certainly of Bronze Age date. Its affinities are difficult to ascertain. The blade is of a diamond section although with a slight flattened midrib. Probably later Bronze Age.
- 4.4.2 Otherwise the assemblage is unremarkable, with fragments of bar, nails, pieces of strip, and other largely undatable and undiagnostic pieces. The only other identifiable object is the possible hammer or socketed tool from context (23400.005).

Table B.3 - Summary quantification of metalwork by context and function

Context	Function						Total
	Coins	Tool	Personal	Misc	Nail	Unknown	
15700.006						1	1
20100.001	1*						1
23400.005		1					1
23500.010				2			2
33300.010					1		1
33600.019	1**			2	2		5
33600.021					1		1
33600.023						1	1
17800.006			1***				1
Total	2	1	1	4	4	2	14

* Coin of Elizabeth I, dated 1575; ** Romano-British coin; *** copper alloy blade

B.4 Brooklands Phases 2 – 4 Evaluation – Animal bones

by Rachel Scales

Methods

- B.4.1 The animal bone was recorded following the protocol outlined in Serjeantson (1996). Where possible fragments were identified to species using the Oxford Archaeology Zooarchaeology reference collection. Fragments that could not be identified to species were put into categories: large mammal sized (e.g. cattle, horse or large deer), medium mammal sized (e.g. sheep/goat or pig) and micro-mammal sized (e.g. shrew, vole, amphibian).

Results

- B.4.2 A total of 929 bones were recovered from the site, of which 117 (13%) were identifiable to species level; of the 117 bones, 46 (39%) were recovered from environmental bulk samples. Of the material not identifiable to species level 643 (69%) bones were recorded as indeterminate, 87 (9%) were noted as being from large sized mammals, 51 (5%) from medium sized mammals and 31 (3%) from micro-mammals.
- B.4.3 Cattle (*Bos taurus*) was the most frequent species present making up 44% of the identifiable fragments in the assemblage (Table B.4). Sheep/ goat (*Ovis aries/ Capra hircus*) was the second most frequent mammal (21%) present. Other domestic species recorded in small numbers were horse (*Equus caballus*) (8%) and pig (*Sus scrofra*) (2%) and wild fauna was represented by the presence of red deer (*Cervus elaphus*) (2%), amphibians (17%), and rodents (6%).
- B.4.4 The condition of the bone was on the whole very good. However, the assemblage was highly fragmented with only 13% of the material being complete enough to produce accurate identifications. This does not appear to have been caused by poor preservation conditions. The fragmentation is likely to have been caused by a combination of carnivore gnawing in antiquity (as discussed below) and more modern taphonomic factors such as the use of the land for arable agriculture and removal of the woodland overlying areas of the site prior to excavation.
- B.4.5 Contexts associated with the animal bone range from the late Bronze Age to the Roman periods.

Table B.4 – Number and percentage of identifiable bones.

Taxon	NISP (countable only)	%
Cattle	51	44
Sheep/goat	24	21
Amphibian	20	17
Horse	9	8
Rodent	7	6
Red deer	3	2
Pig	3	2
Total	117	100

Late Bronze Age / Early Iron Age Bone

- B.4.6 Of the 553 bones from late Bronze Age / early Iron Age deposits at Brooklands, 163 (28%) bones, from 3 different contexts were identifiable to species or mammal size.



Table B.4 shows the contexts, species and elements of the bones recovered from the Brooklands late Bronze Age and early Iron Age features. Cattle was the most frequent domestic species followed by sheep/ goat. Horse and pig were also present in small numbers. One late Bronze Age / early Iron Age pit fill (17800.006) contained a red deer tibia.

- B.4.7 Six cattle bones were noted as being unfused and three unerupted cattle teeth suggest young animals were present on site. One unfused pig femur and a heavily worn pig molar were also identified, suggesting that pigs of varying ages were being utilised.
- B.4.8 No burnt bone was identified from the Iron Age contexts. 26 (5%) bones showed evidence of carnivore gnawing and a further 18 (3%) of butchery marks. Cut marks indicative of filleting were present along with both cut and chop marks associated with the dismembering process. The presence of both meat bearing and non meat bearing cattle and sheep/ goat elements and the butchery marks recorded appear to reflect domestic activity suggesting that these deposits are made up of both domestic cooking and butchery waste.

Late Iron Age / Roman Bone

- B.4.9 There were 90 bones recovered from eight different late Iron Age / Roman contexts, which produced 61 (68%) bones identifiable to species or mammal size. Table B.5 shows the contexts, species and elements of the bones recovered. Only four sheep/goat bones and two cattle bones were identified. The majority of identifiable bones (77%) belong to rodents and amphibians. Two fragments of red deer antler were recorded (23500.006) and both showed evidence of working with the surfaces having been flattened where possible with a saw.
- B.4.10 No burnt bone was identified from these deposits. One cattle phalange had cut marks reflective of the skinning process. Very few meat bearing bones are represented in this small Roman assemblage. It appears to reflect domestic activity, largely associated with butchery waste and perhaps craft working.

Comments

- B.4.11 The site lies close to the river Ouzel and a dry brook feeding into the Ouzel runs along the southern boundary of the excavation area. The land around and including Trench 178 is believed to have been permanently waterlogged since antiquity. The presence of micro-fauna such as rodents, and amphibians in the Brooklands assemblage suggests a close proximity to field and wetland habitats and probably reflects the immediate hinterland at the time. Two of the environmental samples taken during the excavations also contained waterlogged plant material and insect remains indicative of a damp pastoral land.
- B.4.12 The Ouzel and associated brook systems would have provided a rich grassland environment for domestic animals, such as cattle to graze. The late Bronze Age, Iron Age and Roman bone assemblage suggests that cattle and sheep/goat were the main domestic species exploited. Wild game such as red deer may also have grazed on the margins of this environment at the grassland/ woodland interface, providing a useful wild resource for any nearby settlements.

Recommendations

- B.4.13 The animal bone assemblages from Brooklands were fragmented, but those elements that were identifiable were in good condition and showed clear evidence of butchery



marks and carnivore gnawing. They give some evidence for local economy during the late Bronze Age, Iron Age and Roman periods; The late Bronze Age / early Iron Age assemblage in particular offers evidence for domestic activity with a range of species being present representing both cooking and butchery waste. The smaller late Iron Age / Roman assemblage may reflect a more pastoral utilisation of the land during this period, as one would expect more scant evidence from field systems, in contrast to a settlement where evidence for domestic activity and refuse is likely to be higher.

- B.4.14 Further work on this material is not recommended at this time, but should further excavations be carried out at the site it should be included in future analysis.

Table B.5 – Animal bones by context

Context	Phase	Feature Type	Species	Element																		
				Skull	Antler	Mandible	Teeth	Vertebra	Rib	Scapula	Humerus	Radius	Ulna	Metacarpal	Pelvis	Femur	Tibia	Metatarsal	Phalanges	Long bone	TOTAL	
15400.005	LBA/EIA	Ditch fill	Cattle												3					3		
			Medium Mammal																4		4	
			Rodent				1															1
17800.005	LBA/EIA	Ditch fill	Cattle				1			1	1					1		2		6		
			Horse												1						1	
			Large mammal	7		7	2		13	1					1					3	34	
			Sheep/ goat				10					2			1							13
			Pig				1					1										2
			Medium mammal			1		2	13	3						1					7	27
17800.006	LBA/EIA	Pit fill	Cattle	4		3	2	1		1			2	2	1	2	4	2	1	1	26	
			Red deer															1				1
			Large mammal	4		2		8	3						3						2	22
			Sheep/ goat			1					1	1				1						4
			Pig													1						1
			Medium mammal					1	6	4								1				16
			Rodent				2															
15700.006	LIA/ER	Ditch fill	Medium mammal			1														2		
33200.009	LIA-ER (LIA-AD70)	Ditch fill	Cattle															1		1		
33400.006	LIA-ER	Ditch fill	Large mammal												1					1		
33800.008	LIA-ER	Ditch fill	Medium mammal																1	1		
23500.006	MR-AD(120-200)	Ditch fill	Red deer		2															2		

Context	Phase	Feature Type	Species	Element																				
				Skull	Antler	Mandible	Teeth	Vertebra	Rib	Scapula	Humerus	Radius	Ulna	Metacarpal	Pelvis	Femur	Tibia	Metatarsal	Phalanges	Long bone	TOTAL			
33600.019	MR (AD 120-200)	Ditch fill	Sheep/ goat			1															1			
33400.016	Roman	Ditch fill	Sheep/ goat				2															2		
33500.015	Roman	Ditch fill	Cattle																1			1		
			Micro-mammal				2															21	23	
			Sheep/ goat				1																	1
			Rodent			1	2									1								4
			Amphibian																				20	20
33900.006	Roman	Ditch fill	Large mammal																		1		2	



APPENDIX C. BROOKLANDS PHASES 2 – 4 EVALUATION – ENVIRONMENTAL SAMPLES

By Wendy Smith and Rachel Scales

C.1 Introduction

Methodology – Processing method

C.1.1 Samples were processed at Oxford Archaeology by flotation using a modified Siraf-style flotation machine. The resulting flot (the material which floats) was sieved to 250µm and the heavy residue (the material which does not float) was sieved to 500µm. Between 19L— 40 L of sediment was processed for charred plant remains. In two cases, where waterlogged plant remains were observed during processing a 1L sub-sample was processed for waterlogged plant remains, and 9L —13L of unprocessed sediment was retained for possible future insect analysis. The flots and heavy residues for waterlogged plant remains were retained in a 10% ethanol/ 90% water mixture and stored in the Oxford Archaeology Cold store at 8°C. The flots and heavy residues for charred plant remains were dried in a heated room at approximately 30°C. The dried heavy residue fractions were sorted by eye for charred plant remains, along with other ecofacts (e.g. animal bone, charcoal, dried waterlogged plants/ wood, molluscs, etc.) and artefacts (e.g. pottery, flint, etc.).

Methodology – Laboratory method

C.1.2 Plant macrofossils and insect remains within the flots were rapidly scanned using a low-power binocular microscope at magnifications between x10 and x20. Insect identifications were made by Dr. David Smith (Institute of Archaeology and Antiquity, University of Birmingham). Identification of plant and insect remains was made without comparison to modern references and, therefore, all identifications presented here should be seen as provisional. Quantification of taxa is subjective and likely to be biased against smaller-sized seeds/ insect remains which are less likely to be observed in rapid scanning of the flots and/or residues. Nomenclature follows Zohary and Hopf (2000) for economic plants and Stace (1997) for indigenous plant taxa.

C.2 Results

Sediment

C.2.1 The samples were made up of moist to wet clay loams and sandy clay loams. Six of the samples (samples 35, 37-39, 40 and 44) included approximately 10% sub-angular stones/ flint/ burnt flint within the matrix. The remainder had no inclusions, other than organic remains (e.g. waterlogged wood and charcoal).

Charred Plant Remains

C.2.2 Table C.2 summarises the assessment results for the flots recovered. Charred seeds were only recovered in small quantities. Charcoal was more abundant, but frequently quite small-sized. Cereal grains were most frequently recovered, but always in small quantities. This suggests that these features are somewhat removed from settlement/ agricultural processing activities (e.g. malting, parching, etc...).



Waterlogged Plant and Insect Remains

- C.2.3 The results for the waterlogged flots are presented in Table C.1. A limited waterlogged plant macrofossil deposit was recovered from samples 36 and 39. Both flots and heavy residues from these samples were dominated by waterlogged wood and charcoal. Insect remains, especially beetles (Coleoptera) were also observed in both flots.
- C.2.4 The preservation of waterlogged seeds and beetle fragments was remarkably good, so good in fact, there was some concern about the antiquity of these deposits. However, both features were located at more than 1.5 m below modern ground surface and appear to be secure (pers. comm. Mark Dodd).
- C.2.5 Sample 36 (Table C.1) contains a flora which is typical of grassland/ woodland habitats. The presence of beetle wing cases and heads indicate pasture in the vicinity of the site.
- C.2.6 Sample 39 (Table C.1) contains a flora which is more typical of damp to wet environments and certainly the recovery of an indeterminate arrowhead/ water plantain (*Sagittaria* spp./ *Alisma* spp.) seed suggests standing water.

Molluscs

- C.2.7 A small quantity of land snails were recovered from sample 35.

Bones and Artefacts

- C.2.8 Table C.3 presents a summary of the artefacts and ecofacts recovered from the heavy residue fractions of the ten bulk samples. Most samples produced large mammal bone. A few samples also produced small mammal bones (samples 37 and 41), bird bones (sample 41) and fish bones (sample 35).
- C.2.9 Burnt clay was recovered from the heavy residue fraction of samples 35, 41 and 42. Samples 35, 37 and 40 produced burnt flint/ stone. Pottery was recovered from samples 35-38 and 40-42. One unidentified iron (Fe) object was recovered from the 10-4mm heavy residue fraction of sample 40. Most samples produced unidentified magnetic material, which seems likely to be naturally magnetic, pebble-sized iron stone.

C.3 Discussion

The Site and Its Hinterland

- C.3.1 The waterlogged plant and insect remains offer an excellent opportunity to reconstruct the prehistoric environment surrounding the Brooklands excavation area. The pit sampled from Trench 178 (sample 36) is isolated in an area of no habitation. However, the location of this pit within a field system does provide the opportunity to characterise the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age landscape and to establish how agrarian/ pastoral that landscape might be. Animal bone remains were in Appendix B include a range of large herbivores, which supports the evidence from the plant and insect assemblages discussed above in indicating a grassland / pastoral environment.
- C.3.2 At present the alluvial deposit from Trench 337 (sample 39) is undated, although it is certainly prehistoric. The recovery of a range of amphibian bones (see Appendix B) provides additional independent environmental evidence for seasonally flooded areas or permanent wetland in the vicinity.



Wider context

- C.3.3 Sample 36 (17800.006) is believed to date to the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age and sample 39 (33700.001) is also thought to be prehistoric in origin (due to its depth). Waterlogged environmental remains have been recovered from nearby Broughton Manor Farm dating to the middle-late Iron Age – Roman periods (Fryer 2008a) and at Mill Close, Caldecotte Village, Milton Keynes (Robinson 1994) dated to the late Iron Age.
- C.3.4 The results from the deposits encountered at Brooklands appear to pre-date existing environmental evidence. In addition, no waterlogged plant macrofossil and insect remains are reported on the English Heritage Environmental Bibliography (http://ads.ahds.ac.uk/catalogue/specColl/eab_eh_2004). The waterlogged deposits from Brooklands therefore have the potential to provide data on Iron Age and potentially earlier landscape vegetation and possible use, which currently does not exist for the Milton Keynes area or, indeed, Buckinghamshire.

C.4 Recommendations

CPR, Bones and Artefacts

- C.4.1 Although the charred plant remains from these particular samples are limited, they do indicate that charred plant remains are preserved on site and could be more abundant in other features. If further excavations are undertaken, CPR should be sampled for, using standard 40L bulk samples.
- C.4.2 Future evaluations and excavations should sample in accordance with the most recent Oxford Archaeology Sampling Guidelines (OA 2005) and English Heritage Sampling Guidelines (EH 2002). At present, it is not recommended that any further analysis should be carried out on the charred plant material generated from this evaluation excavation.

Waterlogged Remains

- C.4.3 As discussed above the waterlogged prehistoric remains from Trench 178 are of significant regional importance and it is recommended that they are considered in any future excavations and post-excavation programme for the site.
- C.4.4 All waterlogged samples should be processed within 3 months of collection and stored in 10% ethanol/ water mixture in the Oxford Archaeology Cold Store (at 8°C) to prevent further decay and inhibit mould/ bacterial activity.
- C.4.5 Should no further work be carried out at the site, the late Bronze Age / early Iron Age waterlogged sample <36> should be considered for mitigation and full analysis. This work should include:
- A more detailed analysis of the waterlogged wood. Allowing for at least one day of a relevant specialist's time for the analysis of the waterlogged wood and a further day for the preparation of the written report.
 - A more detailed analysis of the plant remains. Allowing three days for the sorting of the waterlogged flot, identification and quantification of the plant remains and preparation of the report by an appropriate specialist.
 - Further processing and detailed analysis of the waterlogged insect remains. Allowing three days for the parafin flotation of a further 9 litres of sediment, the



sorting and laying out of insect remains and the identification and quantification and report preparation by an appropriate specialist.

- Results should be analysed in tandem with pollen remains from monoliths that have been taken through these features .



Table C.1 – Results for waterlogged flots

Sample Number	36	39	
Trench Number	178	337	
Context Number	17800.00 6	33700.001	
Context Description	bottom fill of pit	alluvial deposit	
Phase	?MIA	unphased/ ? prehistoric	
Sample Vol (L.)	1	1	
Proportion of flot scanned	ca. 15%	ca. 20%	
Latin Binomial			English Common Name
<i>Ranunculus acris</i> L./ <i>repens</i> L./ <i>bulbosus</i> L.	+		Meadow/ Creeping/ Bulbous buttercup
<i>Urtica dioica</i> L.		++	Common nettle
<i>Silene</i> sp.	++		Campion
<i>Persicaria</i> spp.	+		Knotweed
<i>Polygonum</i> cf. <i>aviculare</i> L.	+		Knotgrass
<i>Rumex</i> sp.	+		Dock
<i>Solanum nigrum</i> L.	++		Black nightshade
<i>Mentha</i> spp. - type, smooth coated	+		Mint-type
<i>Sagittaria</i> spp./ <i>Alisma</i> spp. - internal structure		+	Arrowhead/ Water plantain
<i>Juncus</i> spp.		++	Rush
<i>Glyceria</i> cf. <i>maxima</i> (Hartm.) Holmb.		+	Reed sweet-grass
Unidentified bud	+		-
Unidentified bud-scar	+	+	-
Waterlogged wood fragments	++++	++++	-
Charred wood fragments	++	+	-
Other Environmental Remains			
Coleoptera	++	++	Beetles
Acarina	+	++	Mites
Scores: + = 0-5 items, ++ = 5-25 items, +++ = 25 - 100 items, ++++ = >100 items			

Table C.2 – Flot results for charred plant remains from Brooklands (Evaluation Phase 3), Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire

Trench	Context	Phase	Feature Type	Sample No	Floated Volume (L)	Flot Vol. (ml)	Grain	Chaff	Weeds	Other Charred	MPR	Dried-out WPR	Bone	Charcoal	Dried-out insects	Mollusc	Comments on CPR	CPR Potential	Full Analysis CPR	Charcoal Potential	Charcoal Full Analysis	Other Comment
178	17800.005	MIA	Top fill of pit -Middle Iron Age [17800.004]	35	38	335							+	++ ++		+	ca. 50% of flot scanned. Abundant charcoal recovered from heavy residue fractions and flot. Oak (<i>Quercus</i> sp.), hawthorn group (MALOIDEAE) and an unidentified diffuse porous taxon (?willow type) observed. No CPR noted. A few molluscs - including <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> L. - noted in flot. CPR assessed as POOR/ Charcoal assessed as RICH.	C	N	A	?	Charcoal is rich, but this is a secondary context.
178	17800.006	?MIA	Bottom fill of pit -Middle Iron Age [17800.004]	36	26	1925						++ ++			++ +		ca. 10% of flot scanned. Abundant dried-out waterlogged wood and plant remains. Buttercup (<i>Ranunculus acris</i> L./ <i>repens</i> L./ <i>bulbosus</i> L.), campion (<i>Silene</i> sp.), chickweed (<i>Stellaria media</i> L.), common nettle (<i>Urtica dioica</i> L.), dock (<i>Rumex</i> spp.), goosefoot (<i>Chenopodium</i> sp.), Knotgrass (<i>Polygonum</i> cf. <i>aviculare</i> L.) and rush (<i>Juncus</i> spp.) all observed. Dried out insect remains noted. One half of a hazel (<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.) nutshell recovered from >10mm	C	N	C	N	Abundant dried-out plant macrofossils (including wood). David Smith quickly scanned a few insects selected out for him and

Trench	Context	Phase	Feature Type	Sample No	Floated Volume (L)	Flot Vol. (ml)	Grain	Chaff	Weeds	Other Charred	MPR	Dried-out WPR	Bone	Charcoal	Dried-out insects	Mollusc	Comments on CPR	CPR Potential	Full Analysis CPR	Charcoal Potential	Charcoal Full Analysis	Other Comment
																	heavy residue fraction - this would be ideal for submitting for AMS 14C. No CPR noted. Some charcoal noted. CPR assessed as POOR. Dried out waterlogged plant macrofossils assessed as GOOD. Charcoal assessed as POOR. Abundant dried-out waterlogged wood - but possibly best to use waterlogged wood in first instance.					confirmed that dung beetles (SCARABI DAE) were present.
154	15400.005	M-LIA	fill of ditch [15400.004]	37	39	45 ml +								++ +			100% of flot scanned. Some modern root and seeds present. A few charred barley (<i>Hordeum</i> sp.) and indeterminate cereal grains observed. A small quantity of charcoal recovered in flot and heavy residue fractions (<50 items) but most fragments are < 2mm in one or more planes of view. CPR/ Charcoal assessed as POOR.	C	N	C	N	
153	15300.007	M-LIA	fill of pit [15300.005]	38	19	35 ml +								++ ++			75% of flot scanned. One charred wheat (<i>Triticum</i> sp.) grain observed. Charcoal is present in both flot and heavy residue fractions but most fragments are < 2mm. CPR/	C	N	C	N	



Trench	Context	Phase	Feature Type	Sample No	Floated Volume (L)	Flot Vol. (ml)	Grain	Chaff	Weeds	Other Charred	MPR	Dried-out WPR	Bone	Charcoal	Dried-out insects	Mollusc	Comments on CPR	CPR Potential	Full Analysis CPR	Charcoal Potential	Charcoal Full Analysis	Other Comment
																	Charcoal assessed as POOR.					
337	33700.001	Undated	alluvial deposit	39	30	1000 ml						++ ++	++ ++				ca. 10% of flot scanned. Abundant dried-out waterlogged wood in flot and heavy residue fractions. Charcoal also frequently present - oak (<i>Quercus</i> sp.), possible alder/ birch/ hazel type (<i>Alnus glutinosa</i> (L.) Gaertn./ <i>Betula</i> spp./ <i>Corylus avellana</i> L.) and hawthorn group (MALOIDEAE) charcoal noted. No CPR observed. One sedge (<i>Carex</i> spp.) seed noted. CPR assessed as POOR/ charcoal assessed as GOOD.	C	N	B	?	Although charcoal is relatively abundant this is a secondary context. May be worthwhile submitting roundwood for radiocarbon determination. Also noted mineralised concretions - most likely iron panned root casts.



Trench	Context	Phase	Feature Type	Sample No	Floated Volume (L)	Flot Vol. (ml)	Grain	Chaff	Weeds	Other Charred	MPR	Dried-out WPR	Bone	Charcoal	Dried-out insects	Mollusc	Comments on CPR	CPR Potential	Full Analysis CPR	Charcoal Potential	Charcoal Full Analysis	Other Comment
235	23500.006	MR (AD 120-200)	fill of ditch [23500.004]	40	40	45 ml	+							++ +			100% of flot scanned. Some modern root and seeds present. A few charred wheat (<i>Triticum</i> sp. - ?free-threshing type) and indeterminate cereal grains observed. A small quantity of charcoal recovered in flot and heavy residue fractions (<50 items) but most fragments are < 2mm. CPR/ Charcoal assessed as POOR.	C	N	C	N	
335	33500.015	ROM	fill of ditch [33500.012]	41	39	100 ml		+						++			ca. 25% of flot scanned. Extremely sandy flot (quartzite sands). One charred wheat (<i>Triticum</i> sp.) rachis node observed. Small flecks of charcoal present in flot and heavy residue fraction. CPR/ Charcoal assessed as POOR.	C	N	C	N	
289	28900.003	IA	upper fill of post hole [28900.005]	42	38	95 ml	+			+				++ +			ca. 75% of flot scanned. Abundant modern root and cereal straw present in flot. One indeterminate charred cereal grain and one hazel (<i>Corylus avellana</i> L.) nutshell fragment. Charcoal present in flot and heavy residue, but primarily < 2mm. CPR/ Charcoal assessed as POOR.	C	N	C	N	



Trench	Context	Phase	Feature Type	Sample No	Floated Volume (L)	Flot Vol. (ml)	Grain	Chaff	Weeds	Other Charred	MPR	Dried-out WPR	Bone	Charcoal	Dried-out insects	Mollusc	Comments on CPR	CPR Potential	Full Analysis CPR	Charcoal Potential	Charcoal Full Analysis	Other Comment
178	17800.022	?MIA	fill of pit [17800.020]	43	33	35 ml								++ +			ca. 60% of flot scanned. Extremely sandy flot (quartzite sands). Modern root and insect present. No CPR noted. Small flecks of charcoal present in flot and some charcoal recovered in heavy residue (est 12 frags). CPR/ charcoal assessed as POOR.	C	N	C	N	
178	17800.027	?MIA	fill of pit [17800.027]	44	40	75 ml	+							++ +			ca. 50% of flot scanned. Extremely sandy flot (quartzite sands). Modern root present. One charred barley (<i>Hordeum</i> sp.) grain observed. Small flecks of charcoal present in flot and charcoal also recovered from heavy residue fraction. Estimate <50 items available that are >2mm. CPR/ Charcoal assessed as POOR.	C	N	C	N	

WPR = Waterlogged plant remains and MPR = mineralised plant remains. Scale: + = <10 items, ++ = 10 -50 items, +++ = 50-100 items, ++++ = > 100 items. Potential: A = rich assemblage, >300 identifiable items; B = good assemblage, between 100-300 items; C = poor assemblage, <100 identifiable items

Table C.3 – Residue Results for samples from Brooklands (Evaluation Phase 3), Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire

Sample	Context	Residue Fraction	ARTEFACTS					ECOFACTS						Discarded/ Retained for	
			Burnt Clay	Burnt Flint/ Stone	Iron (Fe)	Pottery	Unident Magnetic material	Mammal Bone	Small mammal bone	Bird Bone	Fish Bone	Charred Plant Remains (mainly charcoal)	Other Plant remains (dried-out WPR)		
35	17800.005	>10 mm	++	+		+	++++	++					++		discarded
		10 – 4 mm						+++					++++		retained for CPR
		4 – 2 mm						+++				+	++++		retained for CPR/ Bone
		2 – 0.5 mm													discarded
36	17800.006	> 10 mm				+		++						++++	discarded
		10 – 4 mm				++		+++					++++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm					+++	++					+++		discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					+++								discarded
37	15400.005	> 10 mm		+		+									discarded
		10 – 4 mm				+		+++					++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm							+				++		discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					+++								discarded
38	15300.007	> 10 mm													n/a
		10 – 4 mm				++							+++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm											+++		discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					+++								discarded
39	33700.001	> 10 mm												++++	discarded
		10 – 4 mm											+++	++	discarded
		4 – 2 mm											++		discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm													Discarded
40	23500.006	>10 mm		+		++		+							discarded
		10 – 4 mm		+	+	++	+++	+++					+++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm					++++	++							discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					+++								discarded
41	33500.015	> 10 mm	+			+		+	+					discarded	



Sample	Context	Residue Fraction	ARTEFACTS					ECOFACTS					Discarded/ Retained for		
			Burnt Clay	Burnt Flint/ Stone	Iron (Fe)	Pottery	Unident Magnetic material	Mammal Bone	Small mammal bone	Bird Bone	Fish Bone	Charred Plant Remains (mainly charcoal)		Other Plant remains (dried-out WPR)	
		10 – 4 mm						++		+			++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm					+++								discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					+++								discarded
42	28900.003	> 10 mm	+				+								discarded
		10 – 4 mm	+				+						++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm					+++	+							discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					++++								discarded
43	17800.022	> 10 mm													discarded
		10 – 4 mm											++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm													discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					++								discarded
44	17800.027	> 10 mm													discarded
		10 – 4 mm						+					+++		discarded
		4 – 2 mm					+++	+					++*		discarded
		2 – 0.5 mm					+++								discarded



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APPENDIX E. SUMMARY OF SITE DETAILS

Site name: Land at Brooklands, Phases 2 – 4 evaluation

Site code: BRBR08

Grid reference: NGR: SP 907 397

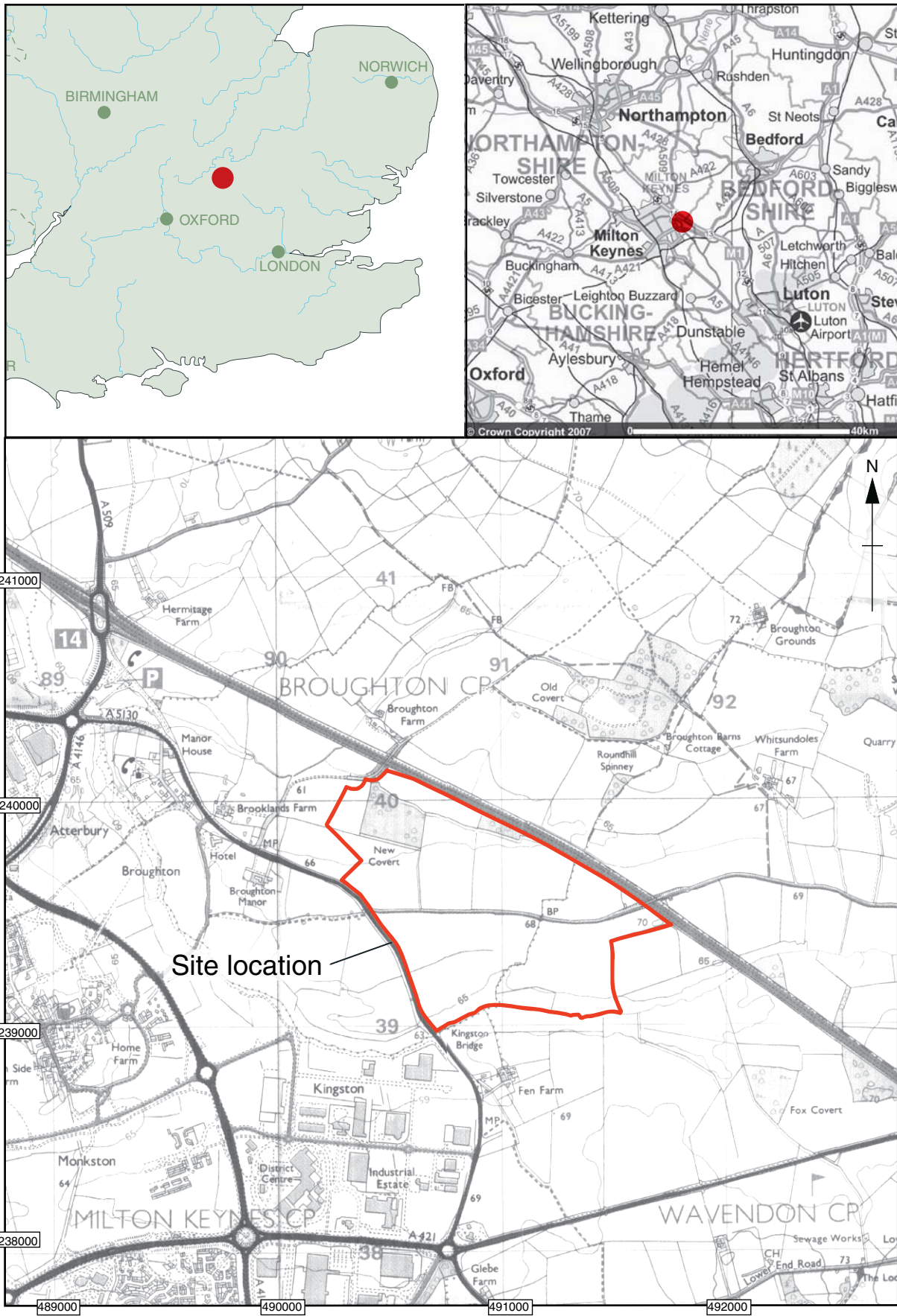
Type: Evaluation

Date and duration: May – June 2008

Area of site: c. 100 ha

Summary of results: Excavation and recording of 219 trenches measuring 40 m by 2 m. The works uncovered five foci of archaeological activity, two of which were definite settlement foci. One of these was a large Romano-British settlement, which adds to the evidence of a heavily settled zone (from Area 1 and the Broughton Manor Farm site to the site under discussion) related to the gravel terrace during the Roman period.

Location of archive: The archive is currently held at OA, Janus House, Osney Mead, Oxford, OX2 0ES, and will be deposited with the Buckinghamshire County Museum in due course, under the following accession number: AYBCM:2007.113.



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Figure 1: Site location map

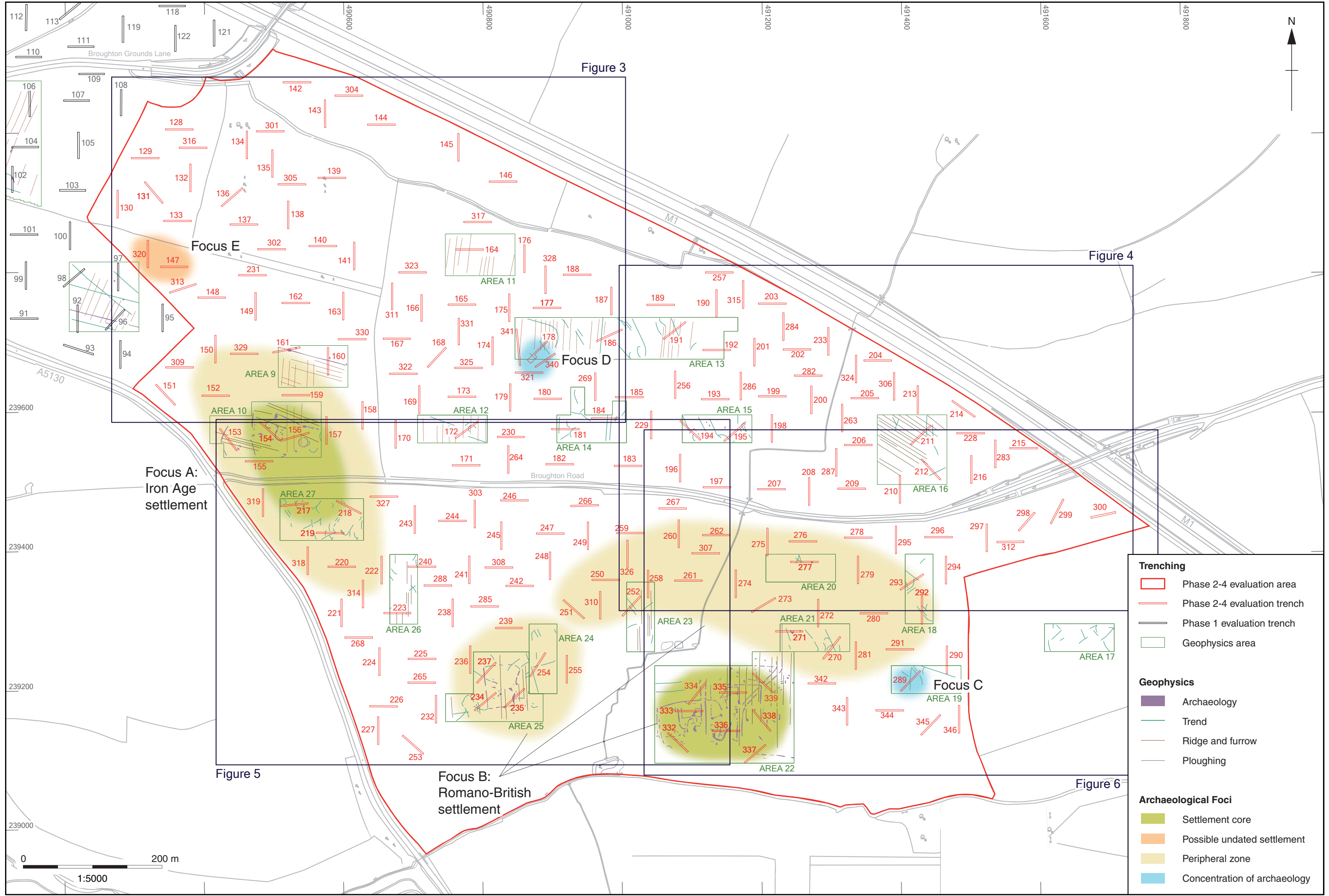


Figure 2: Plan of trenches showing geophysics

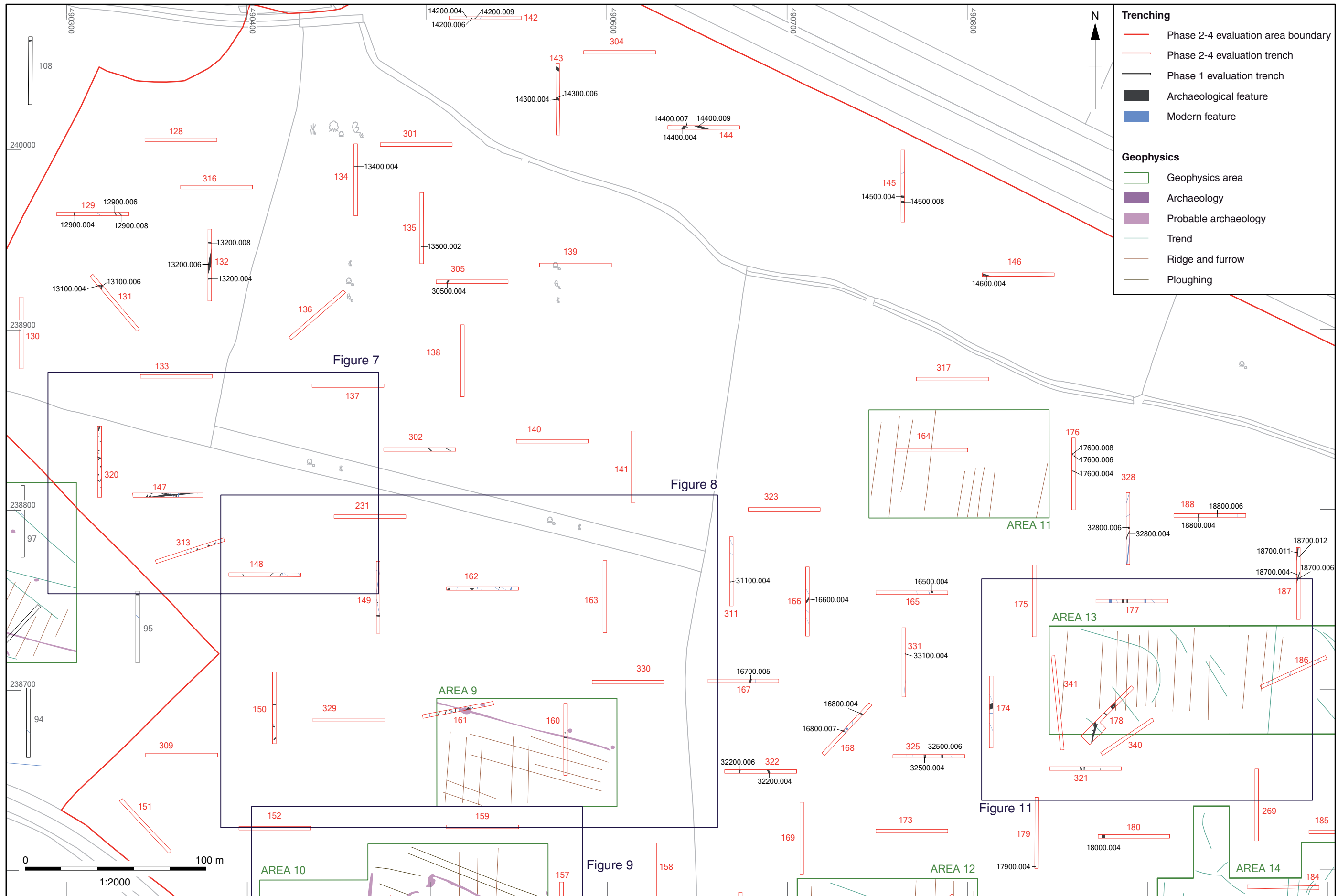


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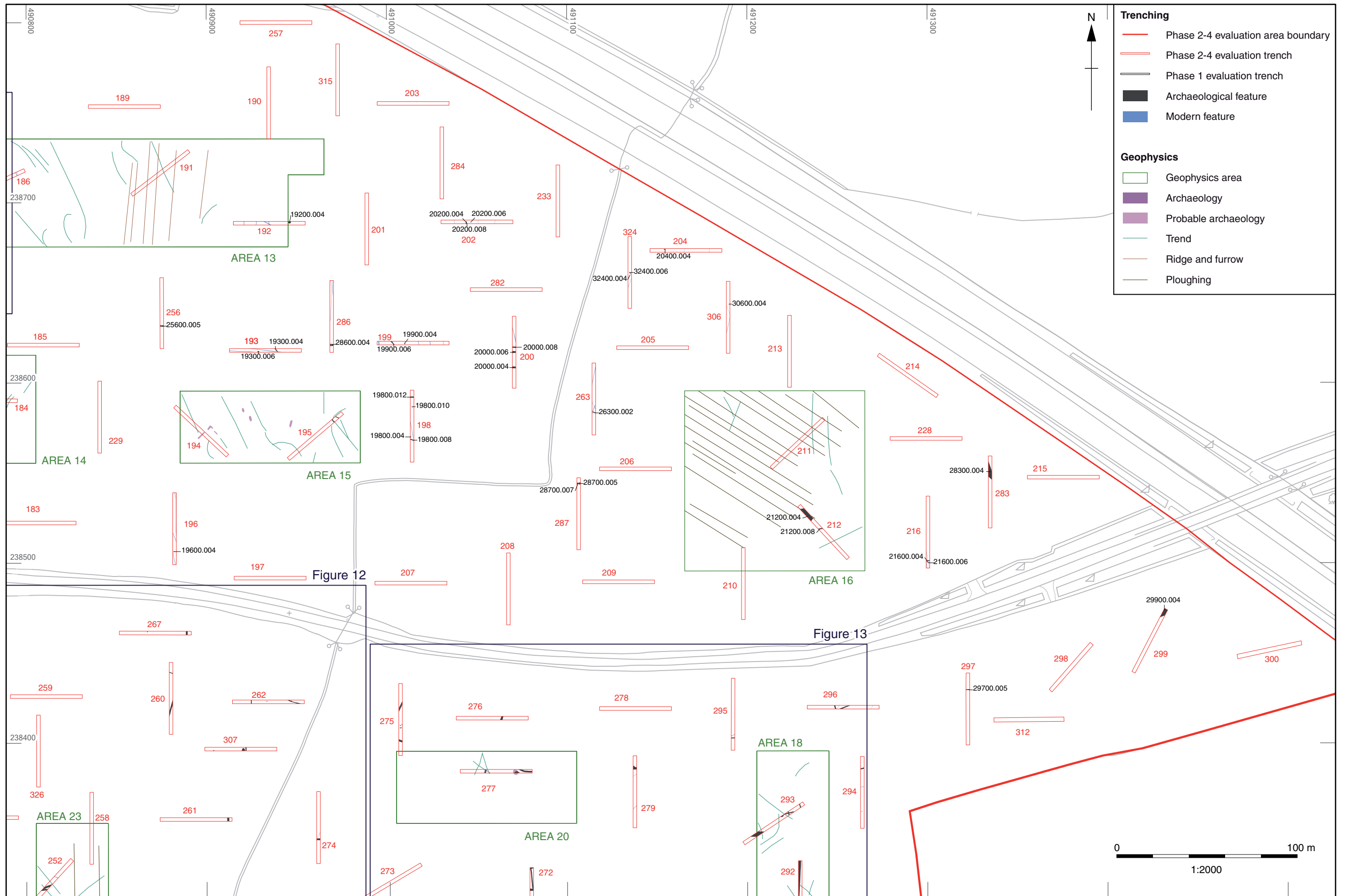


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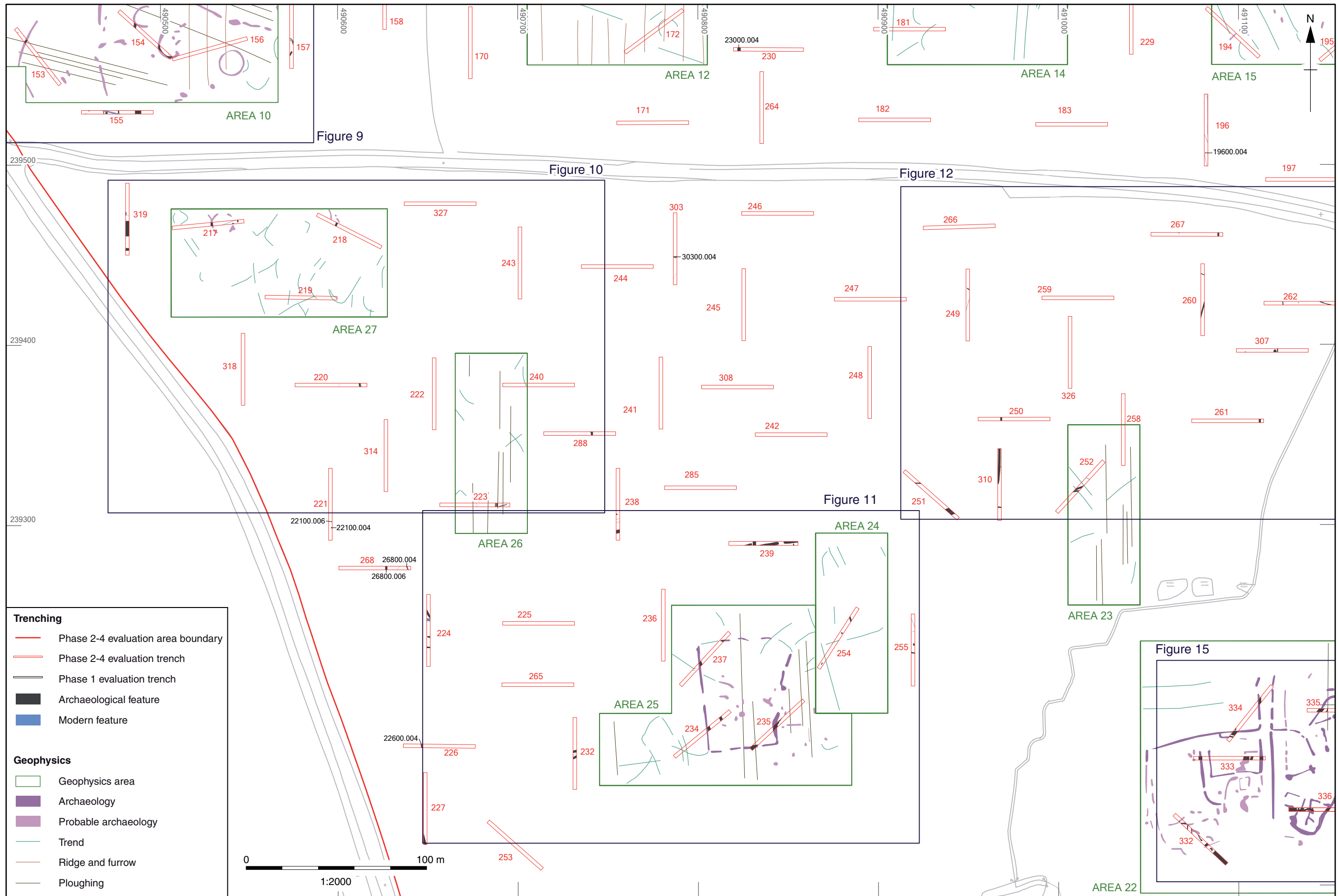


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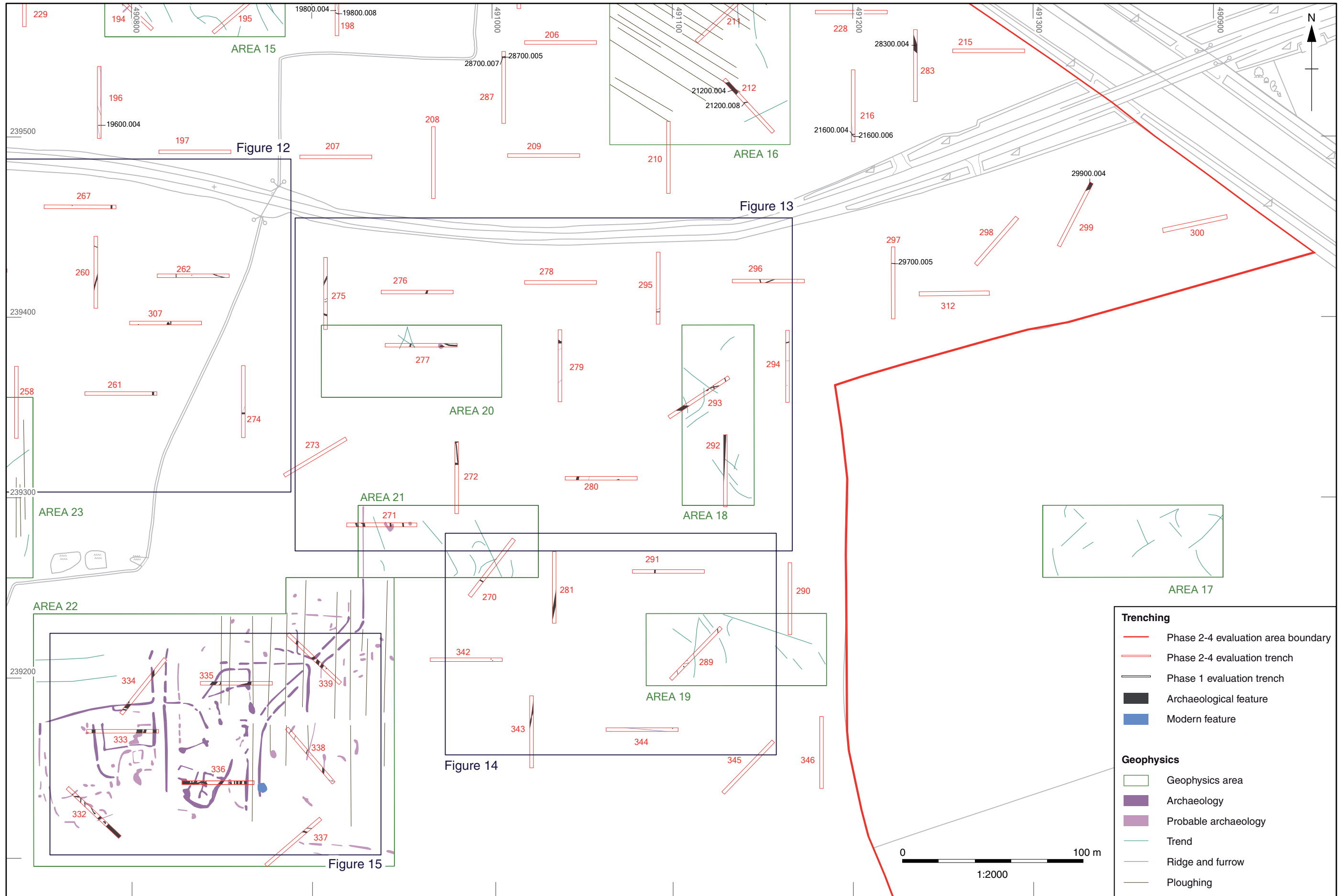
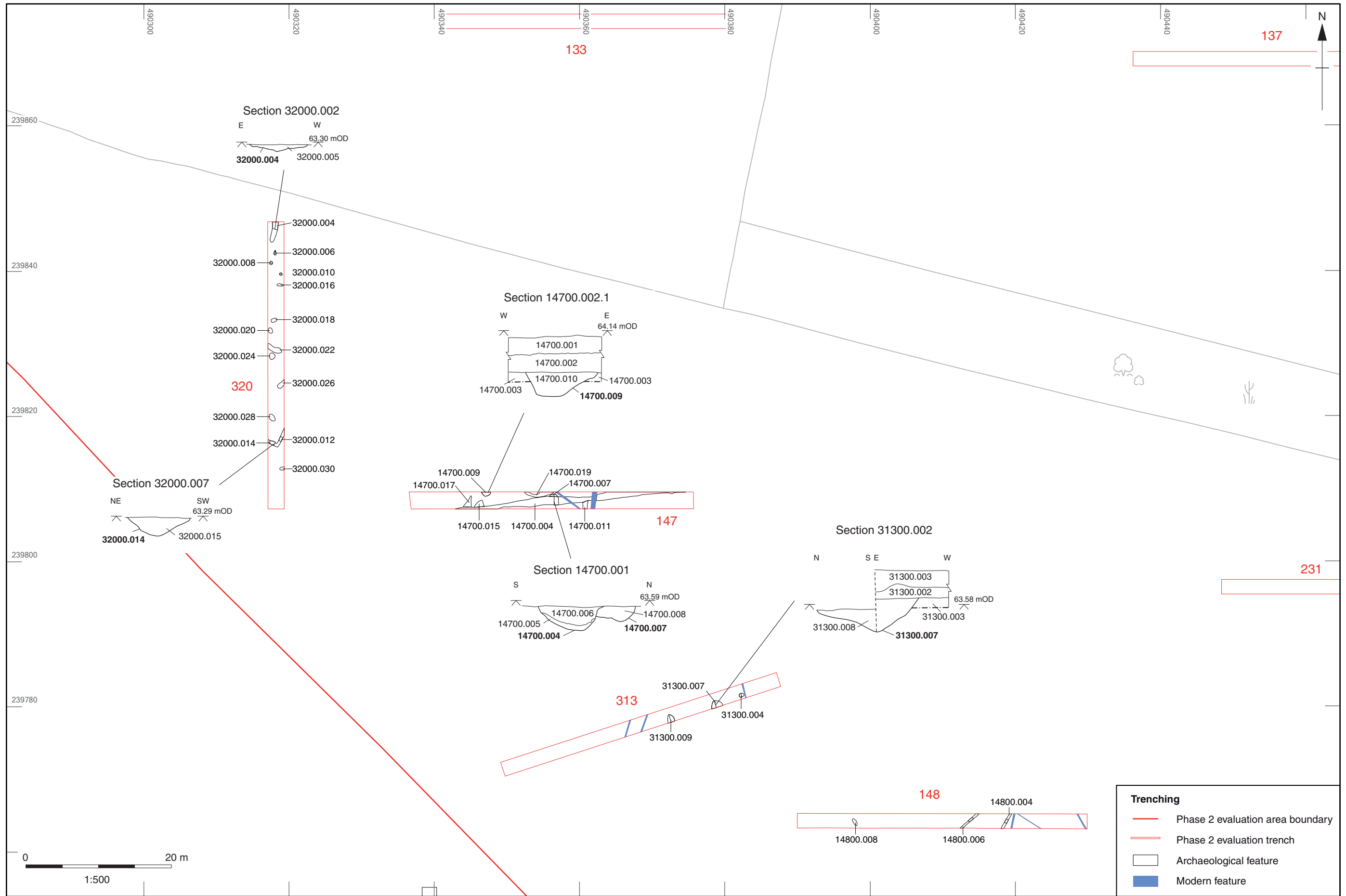
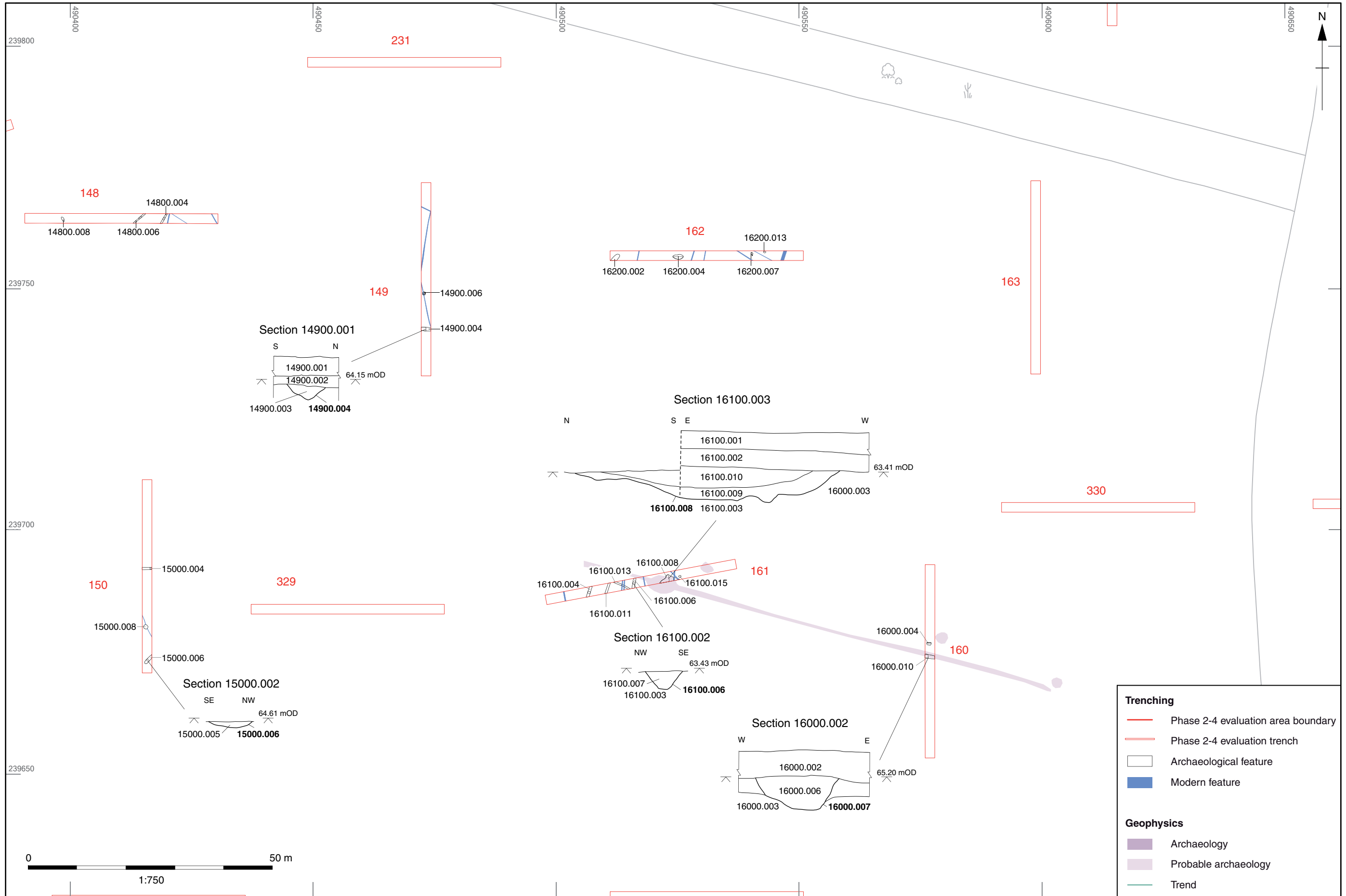


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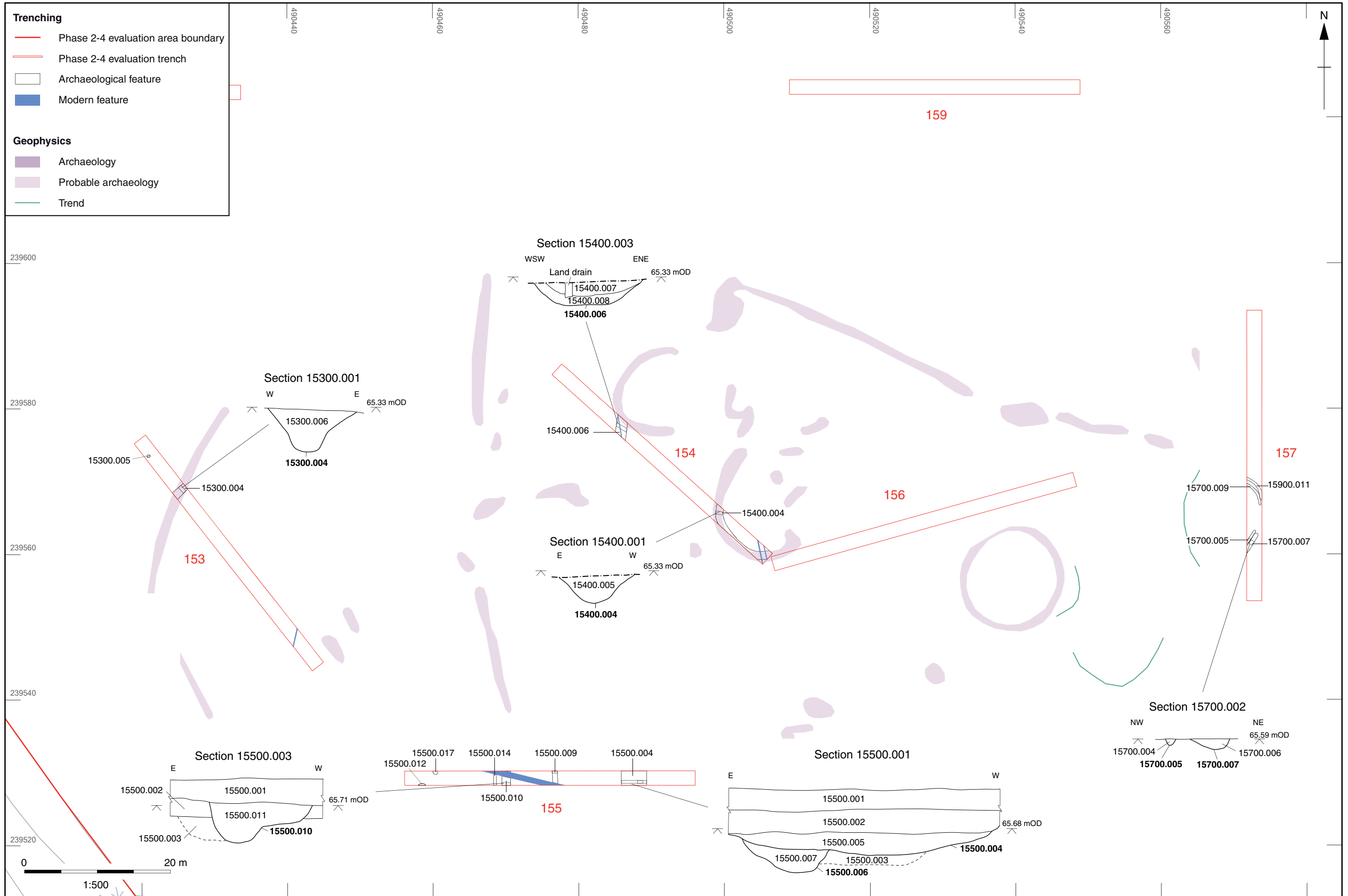
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Figure 7: Close up of Focus E, with environs



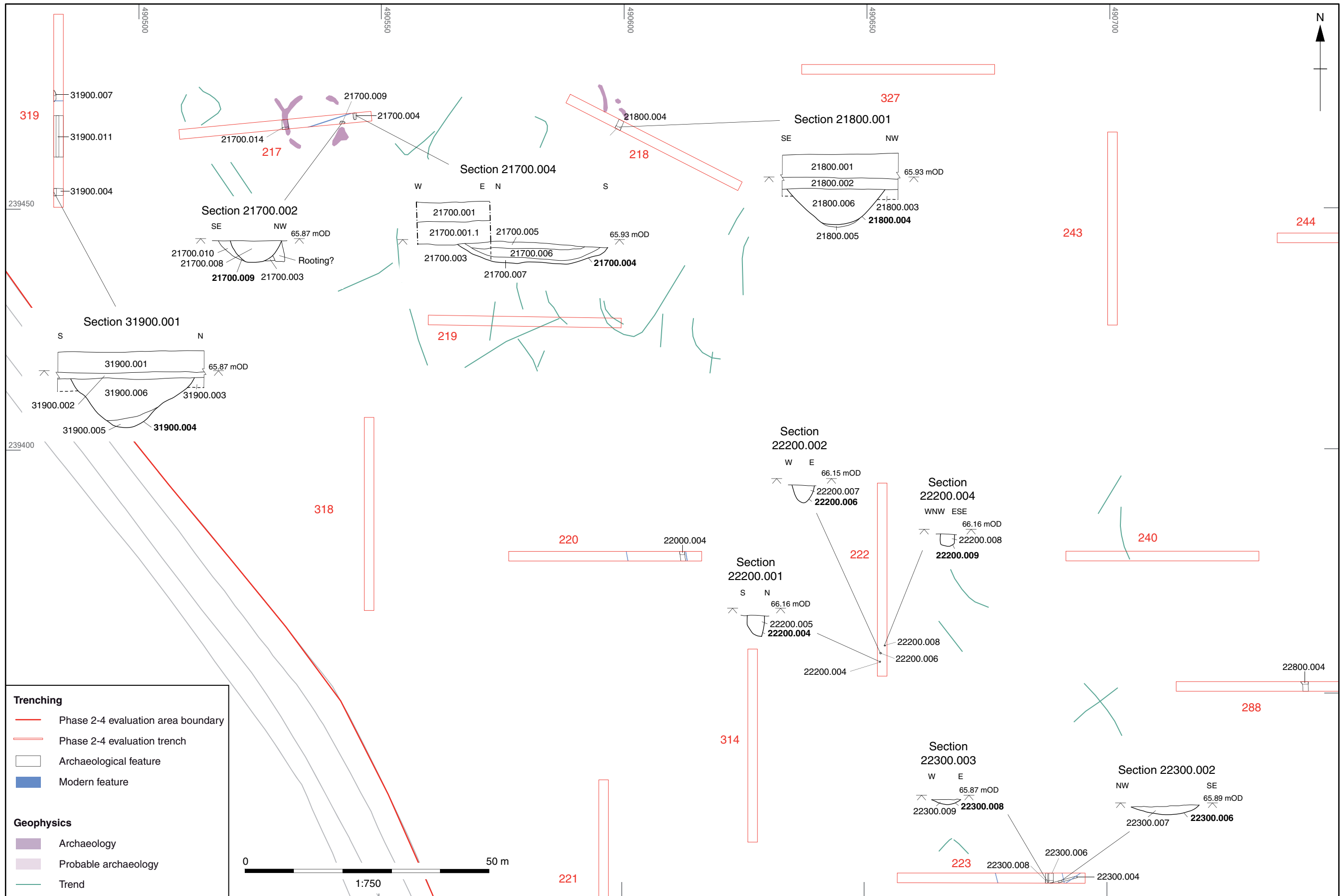
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Figure 8: Close up of Focus A, northern periphery



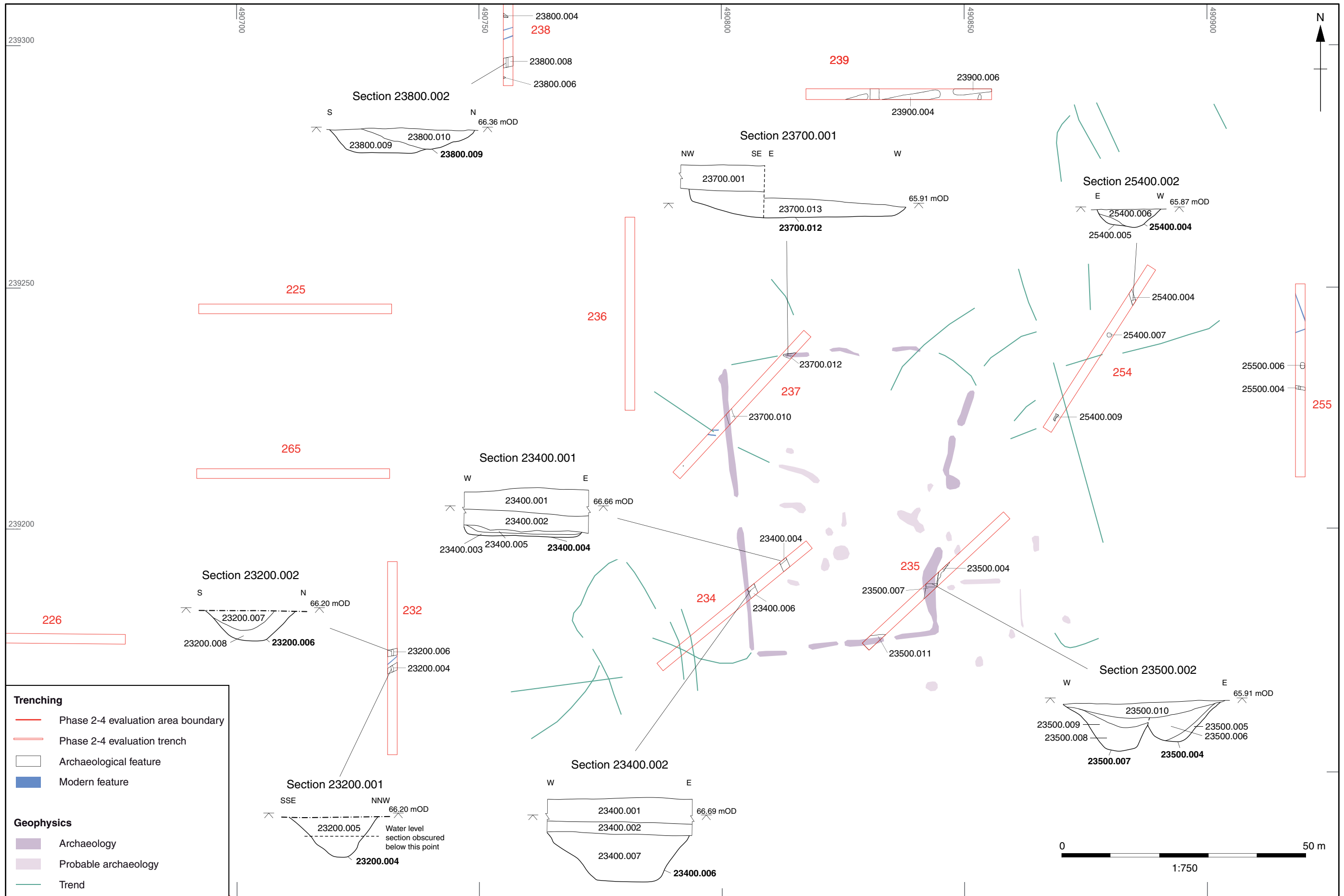
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Figure 9: Close up of Focus A, settlement core



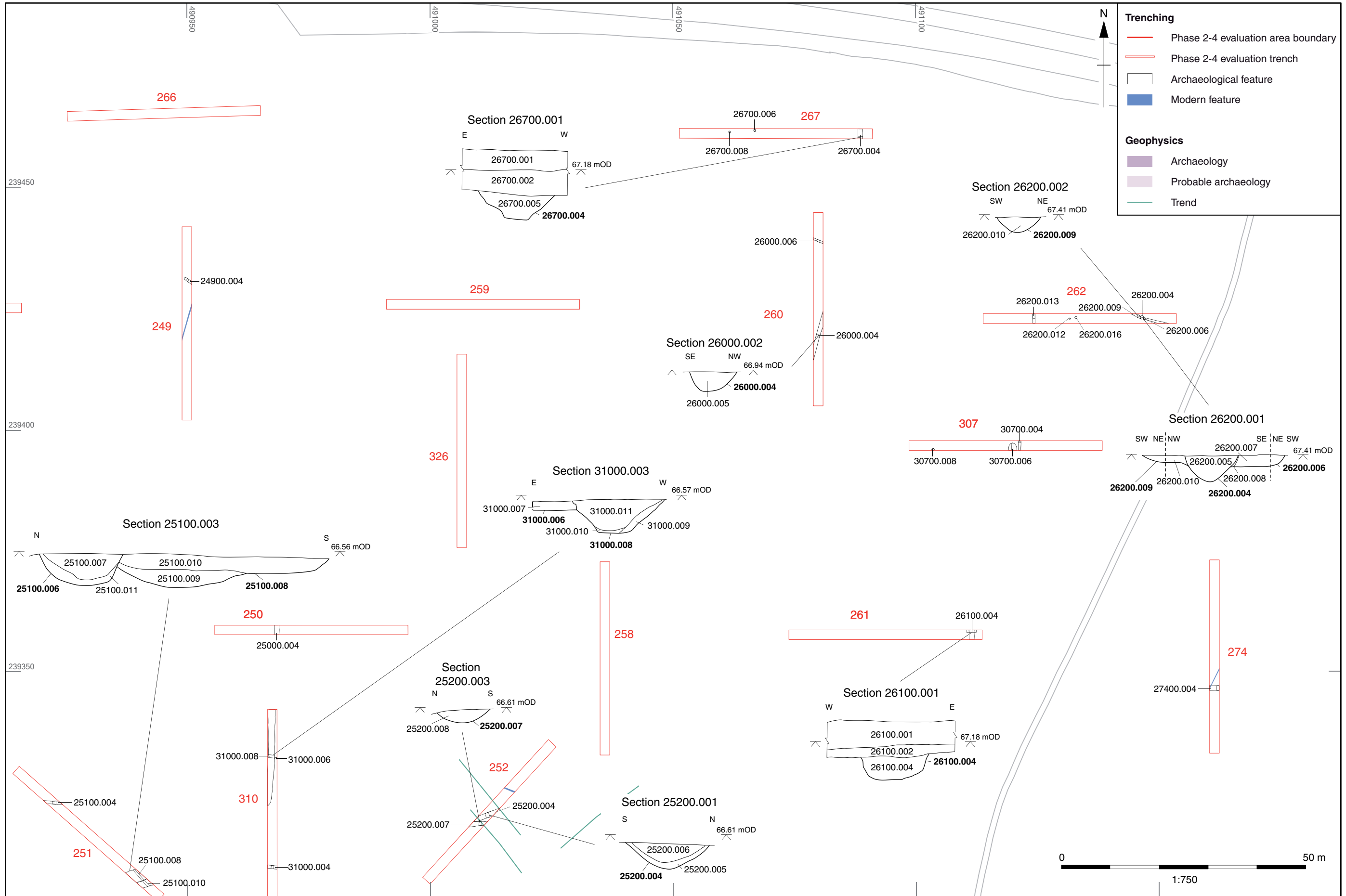
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Figure 10: Close up of Focus A, southern periphery



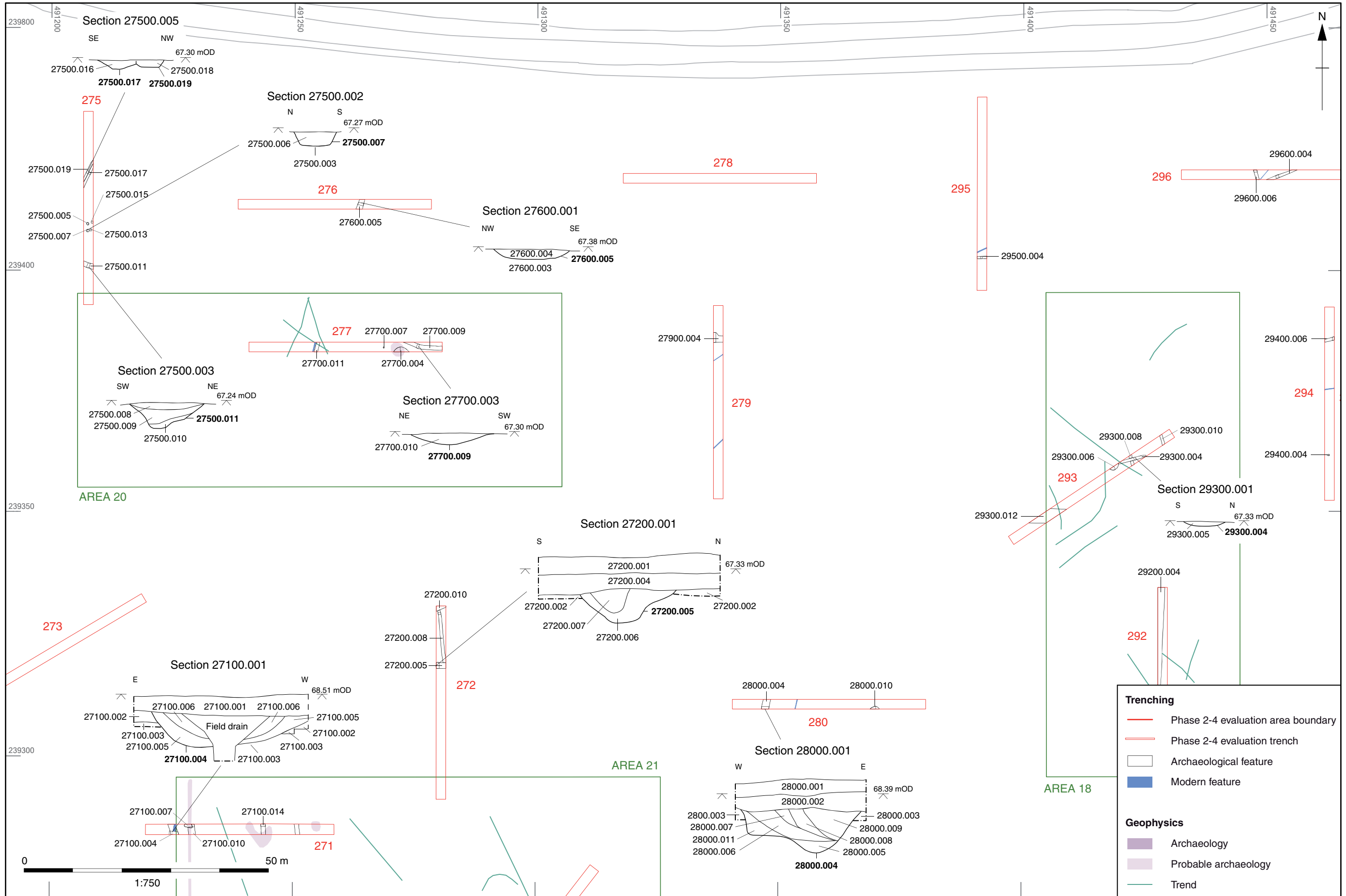
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Figure 11: Close up of Focus B, western periphery



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Figure 12: Close up of Focus B, western half of northern periphery

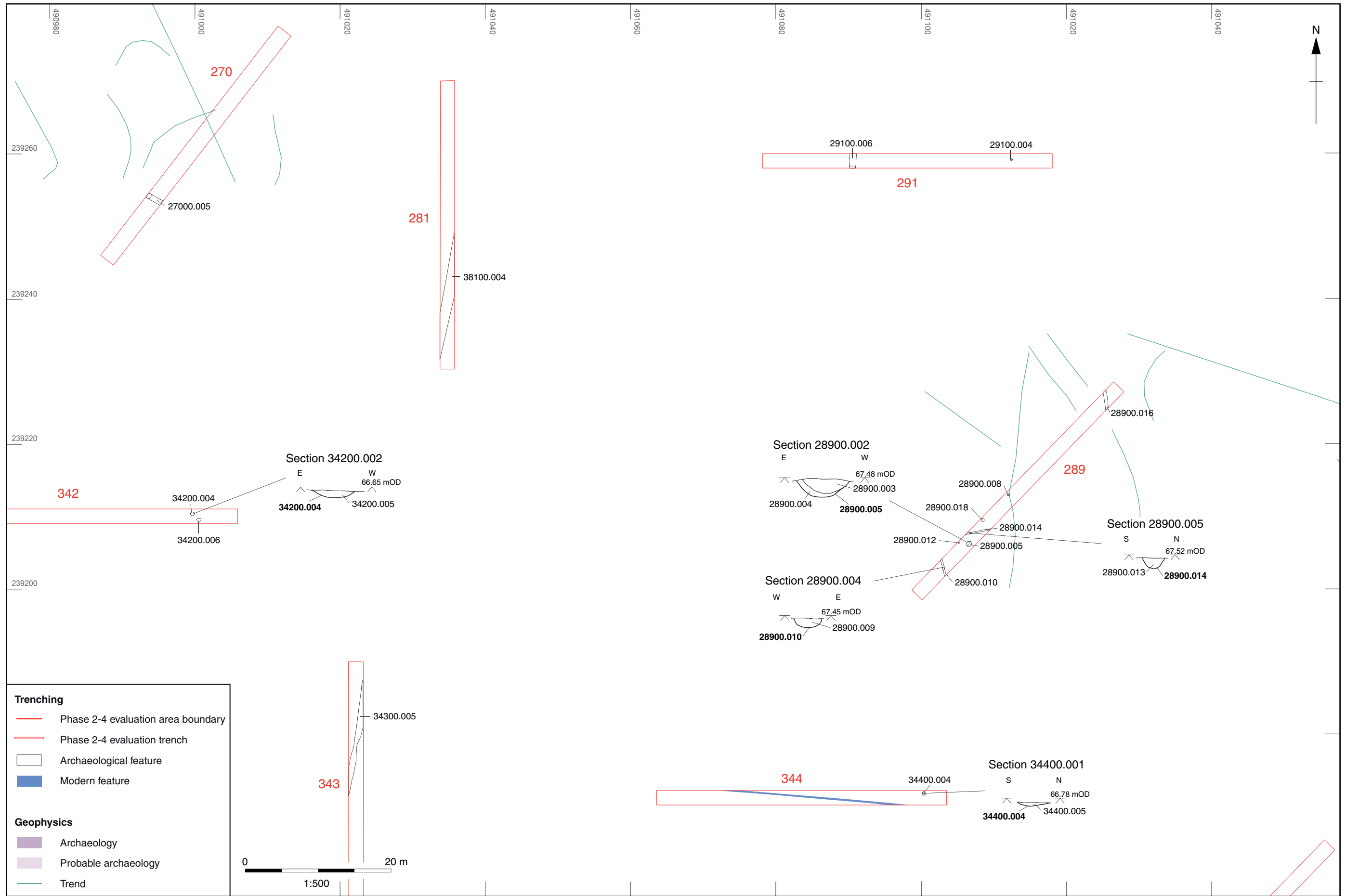


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	Archaeological feature
	Modern feature

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	Archaeology
	Probable archaeology
—	Trend

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Figure 13: Close up of Focus B, eastern half of northern periphery



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Figure 14: Close up of Focus C, with environs



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Figure 15: Close up of Focus B, settlement core

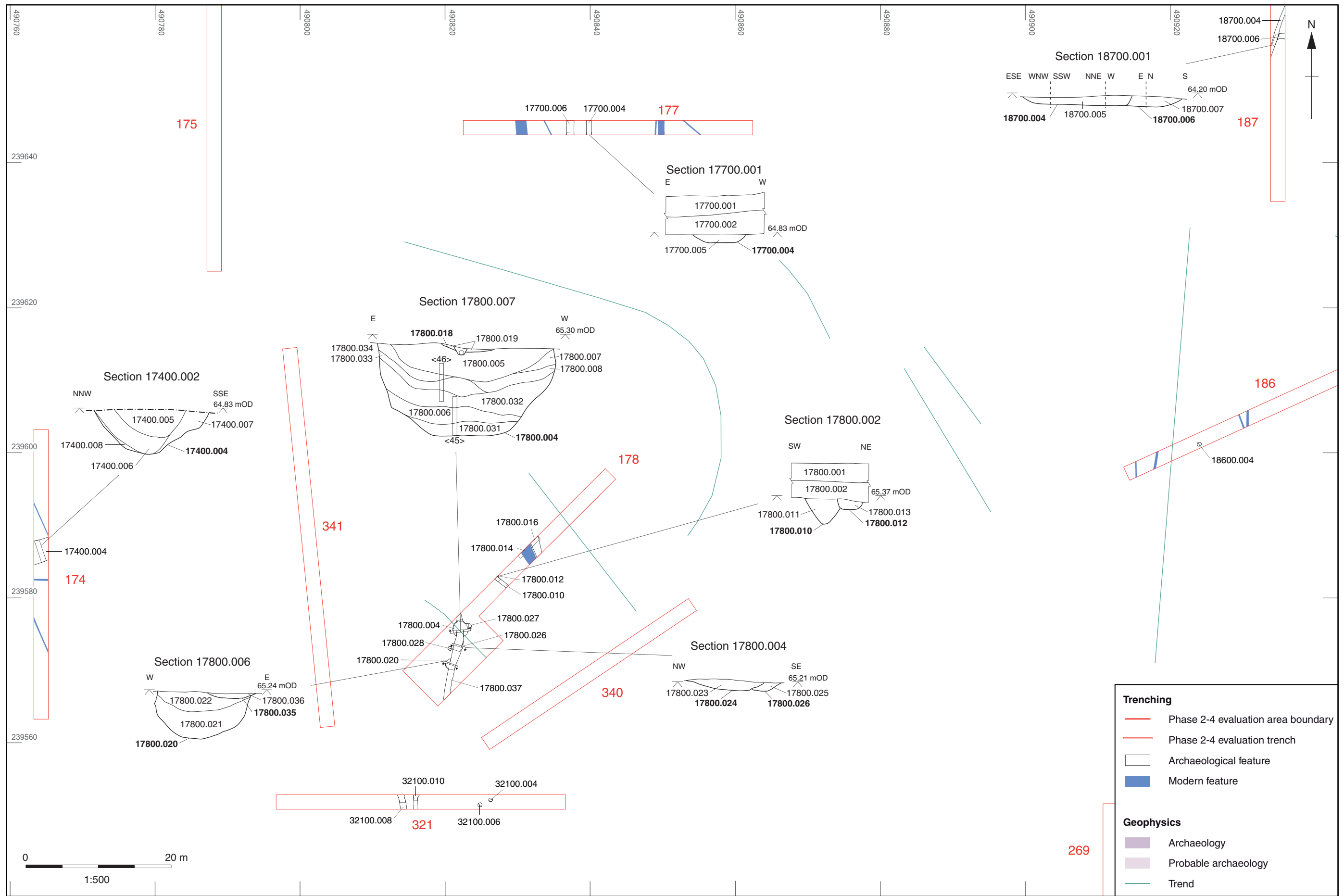


Figure 16: Close up of Focus D, with environs



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