

3. Archaeology

3.1. This section seeks to address comments made by the County Archaeologist on 2 February 2024. A trial trench evaluation was undertaken within the site in November 2023 to January 2024. The Archaeology Officer was consulted on the scope of the trial trench evaluation, comprising the excavation of 124 no. 30m x 2m trenches, targeting the anomalies of archaeological origin, geological anomalies, undetermined anomalies, as well as blank areas across the site. The Archaeology Officer attended a site meeting in order to view some of the trenches. It is noted that her recommendation was as follows:

"I therefore recommend that this application is not determined until we have received a report on the targeted evaluation work and an Archaeological Landscape report which takes account of the findings from the targeted preliminary evaluation work. This is to ensure decisions on this scheme can be appropriately evidence-based."

3.2. An email exchange between the Archaeology Officer and the Heritage Consultant at Pegasus was undertaken following receipt of this response, in order to clarify what was required as part of the Archaeological Landscape Report. Two email responses were received from the Archaeological Officer on 8 February and 13 February. These are included in Appendix 1. The Archaeological Officer concluded that *'it is difficult for me to be more precise until I review the Evaluation Report and understand the findings in more detail'*. An Interim Evaluation Report was sent to the Archaeological Officer on 4 March requesting clarity on the scope of the Archaeological Landscape Survey. No response has been received. A full evaluation report was sent to the County Archaeologist for her approval and further clarity on 8 March.

3.3. The trial trench evaluation identified three areas of archaeological deposits and feature which dated to the Late Iron Age to Romano-British period, predominantly focussed in Areas 4 and 5, correlating with the results of the geophysical survey although some additional features that had not previously been identified were also recorded. The features comprise enclosure ditches, quarry pits and small pits which most likely representing farming enclosure systems (trenches 53, 54, 124, 73), with some areas within the site indicating potential domestic occupation. The assemblage and quantity of pottery may also suggest a moderately high level of use of this area. The pits in trench 73 contained a larger assemblage of animal bones than other features on site, suggesting an intensity of activity in this area. Several undated postholes and pits in Area 10 could also indicate sparse occupation this area. A buried paleosoil was recorded in Area 1. The frequent charcoal and evidence of burning in this layer indicate that it was a buried topsoil of later prehistoric date. Further isolated undated ditches were identified in Areas 3 and 6.

3.4. It is considered that the Iron Age to Romano-British activity within Areas 4 and 5 of the site represent domestic settlement and associated field systems. It is possible that the postholes and pits identified in Area 10 may also be of this date, although no finds were recorded to corroborate this.

3.5. With regards to Historic England's Scheduling Selection Guide Settlement Sites to 1500³, this covers Iron Age period settlement including farmsteads, defended settlements, wetland

³ Historic England, 2018. *Scheduling Selection Guide: Settlement Sites to 1500*. p.5-10, 26



settlements and Oppida and Roman-period settlement including rural settlement (farmsteads and villas) and urban settlement (major towns, ports and ports).

- 3.6. In terms of prehistoric settlement types, this states that the following would be suitable for Scheduling:

“Because of their rarity most prehistoric settlement sites of Bronze Age and earlier date will be reckoned of national importance and strong candidates for scheduling. With later prehistoric settlement sites, some types, such as Iron Age farmsteads in the east midlands, are relatively common; while many are likely to be assessed as nationally significant, here there will need to be discrimination in scheduling recommendations and considerations such as condition, group value and potential will need evaluation.”

- 3.7. In terms of Romano-British settlement sites, this states that the following would be suitable for Scheduling:

“Where they retain reasonable archaeological potential, Roman settlement sites will be deemed to have national importance. However, in some areas, both upland and lowland, certain types of settlement are sufficiently common to require discrimination in terms of scheduling recommendations. Again, considerations such as condition, group value and potential will require evaluation.”

- 3.8. The activity within the site in Areas 4, 5 and 10 is suggestive of domestic settlement, although there is nothing to suggest complex, unusual or high-status activity. The Late Iron Age to Romano-British remains within the site are not considered to have a level of significance commensurate with a Scheduled Monument. Rather, these remains within the site are considered to be a significance commensurate to a non-designated heritage asset of medium significance, at most, within that spectrum.

- 3.9. Archaeological mitigation in the form of *in situ* preservation through above ground foundations and / or targeted areas of strip, map and sample excavation, so as to record archaeological remains prior to their removal will be subject to agreement by the Archaeology Officer and the consultant / client.

- 3.10. Sufficient information has been provided on the archaeological resource to satisfy paragraph 194 of the NPPF and the Archaeology Officer has confirmed there are no comments on the report. The Evaluation Report is provided at Appendix 2.

Appendix 1

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Dear Wendy,

We have then end of this week as a deadline to send across the additional information to the Case Officer and the full evaluation report will be ready by this time.

However, in order to cover off what you are requesting for the Archaeological Landscape Survey and our correspondence below I have attached the draft interim report. Are you please able to take a look over this and let me know your thoughts so that we can provide the relevant information?

Kind regards,
Rebecca

Rebecca Ward
Principal Heritage Consultant



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[REDACTED] for this query.

A setting assessment could be done but what I would like to see is interpretation of the archaeological evaluation results and whether there are archaeological landscape features, such as field boundaries, which could be associated with them. Is there correlation between linear field boundaries or field systems found in the evaluation – prehistoric or Roman etc – with current, extant landscape features. If so, how does the proposed scheme affect them?

I usually interpret “setting” as being more localised than “landscape” which includes more of the field systems and situation of prehistoric or Roman settlements, or industrial sites, etc – such as is the archaeological site located at the top of a hill, adjacent to an active water course or spring, adjacent to a trackway etc. It is difficult for me to be more precise until I review the Evaluation Report and understand the findings in more detail.

Regards

Wendy

From: Rebecca Ward [REDACTED]
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Dear Wendy,

Apologies, I just want to be completely clear here as this isn't a request that we have had previously.

When initially reading your pre-app response, we interpreted the request for the Archaeological Landscape Survey to be discussed as part of the development of the historic landscape.

Are you after a description of the setting of the features identified during the evaluation? In which case this would be a Setting Assessment rather than an Archaeological Landscape Survey?

Apologies for the additional email, but just wanted to clarify that we were on the same page and we provided the relevant information.

Please give me a call if you would like to discuss.

Kind regards,
Rebecca

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Dear Rebecca

Thank you for this query.

Yes I did register the current submission but I need updated information on the basis of the results of the evaluation. If there is an RB settlement at top of hill, what is its setting? Etc

Hope this helps

Wendy

From: Rebecca Ward <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Thursday, February 8, 2024 3:43 PM

To: Wendy Rogers - GT - ECE [REDACTED] >
Subject: SE/23/03181 - Chimmens Solar Farm

Hi Wendy,

I hope you are well.

Thank you for your most recent consultation response dated 2nd February.

I note from the response that you are requesting an Archaeological Landscape Survey. We did include a section within the Heritage Statement on the historic landscape (see paras 5.60 – 5.66). Is this what you are requesting?

PCA are currently preparing the trial trench evaluation report.

Kind regards,
Rebecca

Rebecca Ward

Principal Heritage Consultant



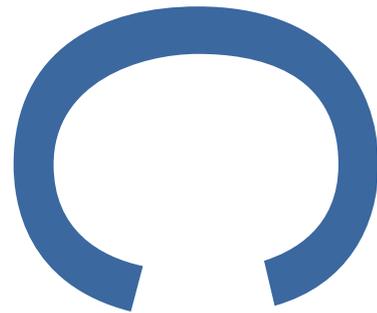
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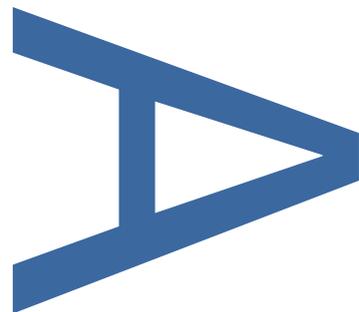
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Appendix 2

**Chimmens Solar Farm, Land at
Speedgate Farm, Mussenden Lane,
Fawkham, Kent, DA3 8NJ**



**An Archaeological Evaluation –
INTERIM REPORT**



***Planning reference* 23/03181/FUL**

***Local planning authority* Sevenoaks District Council**

***PCA report no.* R15810 *Site Code* KSFF23**

***PCA project no* K8678 *Date* February 2024**

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1 ABSTRACT

- 1.1 This **interim** report details the results of an archaeological evaluation undertaken by Pre-Construct Archaeology Limited across a site located on land at Speedgate Farm, Mussenden Lane, Fawkham, Kent, DA3 8NJ. The site comprised mainly cultivated fields which lay to the east of the M20 and to the west of Mussenden Lane. The site was centred at National Grid Reference TQ 56965 66565 within the county of Kent.
- 1.2 The archaeological investigation was undertaken by a team from Pre-Construct Archaeology Limited, supervised by Josie Ward, between 6th November 2023 and 12th January 2024. The evaluation consisted of 124 evaluation trenches excavated in advance of the site's redevelopment for a solar farm (Planning Ref. 23/03181/FUL).
- 1.3 Natural deposits were encountered in all of the trenches. The natural geology comprised chalk, and in Areas 2 (to the north) and 10 (to the southeast) a clay brickearth.
- 1.4 Archaeological features were identified in 31 of the 124 trenches. All features with dateable evidence were identified as belonging to the Late Iron Age/Early Roman period and were likely related to a farming activity. These features comprised enclosure and field boundary ditches and pits, including chalk quarry pits. A buried paleosol was also found in one of the trenches (Trench 14). Some features were isolated and spread out, but there were some areas of concentrated activity, where the finds assemblage was more significant.

2 INTRODUCTION

- 2.1 An archaeological evaluation was carried out at Chimmens Solar Farm, land at Speedgate Farm, Mussenden Lane, Fawkham, Kent, DA3 8NJ (Figure 1). The site was centred at NGR TQ 56965 66565.
- 2.2 It is proposed to construct a solar farm within the land on the site. The intended solar farm is to encompass several fields to the northwest of Fawkham (Sevenoaks District Planning Ref. 23/03181/FUL).
- 2.3 The archaeological investigation was supervised by Josie Ward and the work was project managed by Zbigniew Pozorski, of PCA. The fieldwork ran between the 6th of November 2023 and 12th January 2024. The project was monitored Wendy Rogers of Kent County Council (KCC) on behalf of Sevenoaks District Council. All arrangements, liaison and archaeological consultancy for the project was undertaken by Pegasus Group.
- 2.4 The work followed a methodology which was set out in a Written Scheme of Investigation (PCA 2023), approved in advance by the archaeology advisor to the local planning authority. The WSI proposed the investigation of 123 trial trenches, each to measure 30m by 2m, with the potential for additional trenches, by which trench 124 was added.
- 2.5 A Heritage Statement for the site was prepared by Pegasus Group (2023). Geophysical survey of the site was also carried out in 2023 (WYAS 2023) to supplement the Statement.
- 2.6 All works were undertaken in accordance with the following documents:
- *Chimmens Solar Farm, Land at Speedgate Farm, Mussenden Lane, Fawkham, Kent, DA3 8NJ: WSI for Archaeological Evaluation (PCA 2023)*
 - *Manual of Specifications, Part B: Specification for archaeological evaluation (Kent County Council)*
 - *Management of Research Projects in the Historic Environment (MoRPHE Historic England 2015)*
 - *Standard and guidance for archaeological field evaluation (Chartered Institute for Archaeologists CIfA 2020 and 2023).*
- 2.7 The PCA-generated unique site code is KSFF23. The completed archive comprising written, drawn and photographic records will, upon completion of the project, be deposited with the appropriate local repository under that code.

3 PLANNING BACKGROUND

- 3.1 It is proposed to construct a solar farm within the land on the site. No formal planning application has been submitted yet. The intended solar farm is to encompass several fields (10 Areas) to the northwest of Fawkham (Figures 1-2).
- 3.2 Consultation between Pegasus Group and Kent County Council (KCC), archaeological advisors to Sevenoaks District Council, confirmed that a pre-determination targeted archaeological trial trench evaluation should be carried out on the site. Details of the evaluation have been agreed and a relevant Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI; specification) prepared (PCA 2023) and approved by KCC.
- 3.3 If during the investigation archaeological remains were to be found which may create ongoing interest in the site, then further archaeological investigation could be needed. This would be agreed between KCC, Pegasus Group and the client (RES Ltd), and relevant new Written Scheme of Investigation will be prepared for KCC approval.

4 GEOLOGY AND TOPOGRAPHY

- 4.1 According to the British Geological Survey (BGS) of England and Wales, the local geology of the site consisted of chalk of the Lewes Nodular Chalk Formation, Seaford Chalk Formation and Newhaven Chalk Formation. No superficial deposits were recorded within most of the site but within its northwestern part it contained Head deposits: clay, silt, sand and gravel were recorded, whilst to the southeast are clay, silt, sand and gravel of Clay-with-flints Formation.
- 4.2 The soils within the site were also described as freely draining lime-rich loamy soils to the north-west, slightly acid loamy and clayey soils with impeded drainage in the centre and shallow lime-rich soils over chalk or limestone to the south-east of the site (Soilscapes LandIS).
- 4.3 The site was situated on a land at between c. 130m above Ordnance Datum (OD) to the south-east, near Speedgate Farm, and c. 60m OD to the north-west.
- 4.4 The site consisted of agricultural fields to the northwest of Speedgate Farm located on the west/south side of Mussenden Lane (Figure 1).

5 ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

5.1 The archaeological background has been taken from the Written Scheme of Investigation (PCA 2023) which is a summarised version of the archaeological desk-based assessment, as well as the results of the geophysical survey (WYAS 2023).

Prehistoric

5.2 From within the confines of the development, in an area now covered by agricultural structures belonging to Speedgate Farm, two surface finds of palaeolithic handaxes were recovered, in addition to worked flints and debitage in the wider area (TQ 56 NE 219).

5.3 Some 450m north-northwest of the site, three flat neolithic stone axes were recovered at New Barn, Horton Kirby (TQ 56 NE 25).

5.4 At Charton Farm, 65m west of site, several flint implements were found though they were of uncertain provenance (TQ 56 NE 13).

5.5 A recent evaluation 405m north of the site (LPA ref. 22/02599/FUL), not yet recorded on the HER, but associated with Horton Wood Solar Farm revealed Late Bronze Age and Early Iron Age occupation.

5.6 A late Iron Age farmstead was excavated by the Kent Archaeological Rescue Unit in 1975 before the construction of the M20, c. 2km west-northwest of site. Consisting of a roughly pentagonal ditched enclosure, which had four original entrance causeways, one of which was later removed and with a probable circular hut, within it which measured c. 5m in diameter and which was protected by a shallow uphill gully. Three groups of pits mostly filled the western part of the site. The mainly open eastern side of the site may have been used for storage, drying or for cattle and sheep pens. At least 165 pottery vessels were found discarded in the pits and were dated to Chimmens Solar Farm, Land at Speedgate Farm, Mussenden Lane, Fawkham, Kent, DA3 8NJ: WSI for Archaeological Evaluation ©Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd, October 2023 Page 6 of 48 between 50 BC and 50 AD (TQ 56 NW 55)

Roman

5.7 Crop marks and soil marks from a Roman settlement complex, were found within the central / south-western extent of the site (TQ 56 NE 64). Two rectilinear enclosures were visible on the surface along with linear and curvilinear features, a separate rectangular enclosure and a pit cluster.

5.8 Located within the confines of the proposed development, to the south-west, some Roman pottery sherds were recovered during the 'Operation Gaspipe East' on Eglantine Farm (TQ 56 NE 40).

5.9 The geophysical survey (WYAS 2023) has detected a number of magnetic anomalies associated with archaeological and possible archaeological origins in the forms of an

enclosure, ditches and pits. Based on form, and relevant HER data, these features could be Romano-British in date.

- 5.10 Roman activity was also found within the site of Horton Wood Solar Farm 405m to the north.
- 5.11 A metaled surface, possibly part of a Roman-British branch road was uncovered at Charlton Farm in 1970. It was recorded during the excavation of a pipeline 485m south of the site (TQ 56 NE 76).
- 5.12 Another possible Roman road was identified during aerial photography southeast of Gabriel Spring Wood, c. 740m south of site (TQ 56 NE 72).
- 5.13 It is important to note the presence of Roman villas in the area. Located c. at Franks Hall c. 970m west of the site (TQ 56 NE 4). The villa comprised two parallel ranges of rooms projecting on either side of the main entrance and an open veranda, hypocaust and opus signium floor dating from the second half of the 1st century AD to the 5th century. Boundary ditches and pits to the east of the villa contained domestic rubbish of 3rd century date. During the 1970s, rescue excavations were undertaken which revealed a large area of Roman metallurgy sealing a filled-in water channel, a series of associated postholes and the footings of a flint boundary wall. Finds comprised a large number of coins of 4th century date, pottery and a number of small finds.

Saxon and Early Medieval

- 5.14 The earliest version of the name Fawkham was “Fealcnaham”, where “Fealcna” is possibly a Saxon first name, or possibly the Saxon word for “falcon” and “-ham” denotes the “home of” Fealcna. The first time the name appears in writing is in the will, of about 964, of Byrhtic of Meopham and his wife Aelfswyth who gave “the land at Fealcnaham...to St. Andrews [at Rochester]” (Fawkham Parish Council, 2023).
- 5.15 A Saxon cemetery containing over one hundred graves and inhumations, five cremations with associated grave goods including weapons, gold ornaments and pottery, as well as 3rd century AD Roman coins, was found at Riseley c. 295m northwest of site. Excavated in 1938-39 and supplemented by chance finds during later development works, the cemetery was active between the 5th and 7th centuries AD (TQ 56 NE 8). The most interesting grave was in the southeast corner of the cemetery. Four gold pendants and a silver pendant with a centre piece of polychrome glass and four amethyst beads were found. It is possible this was a pagan site rather than a Christian one. The male burials were almost universally accompanied by their full military accoutrements. Chimmens Solar Farm, Land at Speedgate Farm, Mussenden Lane, Fawkham, Kent, DA3 8NJ: WSI for Archaeological Evaluation ©Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd, October 2023 Page 7 of 48
- 5.16 Within the wider surrounds of the site, Anglo-Saxon activity was identified in the form of an inhumation cemetery c. 765m west of the site at Charlton Manor, which was excavated in 1939 (MKE448; TQ 56 NE 11). Five warrior graves were recorded, which produced an urn,

an iron knife, a spearhead and a shield boss. Potentially associated features have been identified in the form of cropmarks, comprising ring ditches, pits and two linear features.

- 5.17 An early medieval settlement was also identified c. 975m west of the site close to Franks Roman villa during the construction of the M20 (MKE471; TQ 56 NE 34). A two-post grubenhaus and Anglo-Saxon pottery was recorded. Another grubenhaus was identified c. 965m west of the site as well as boundary ditches and pits containing 3rd-century AD artefacts (MKE510; TQ 56 NE 73).

Medieval

- 5.18 Fawkham and Fawkham Green, 350m east of the site, was a settlement noted in the Domesday Book of 1086, as being located in the hundred of Axton and the county of Kent. It had a recorded population of 21 households in 1086, putting it in the largest 40% of settlements recorded in Domesday Book (Domesday Book, 2023).
- 5.19 The first Fawkham castle/fortified manor house c. 2.9km northeast of site is believed to have been in Church Meadow, Longfield, behind the church and giving Castle Hill its name. The ruins of a building existed there until 1846-57. The main demolition occurred in the winter of 1846-7 (Fawkham Parish Council, 2023).
- 5.20 Possible medieval settlement which was identified during a watching brief on the excavation of a pipeline within the south-western extent of the site (MKE477, TQ 56 NE 40, EKE21030). Eight features were identified comprising a number of pits or small ditches, a slot or posthole and a hollow. One pit contained five small sherds of pottery, similar to other pottery identified in the wider surrounds, which was dated to the 1st century AD. Part of a medieval cooking pot, of likely 12th to 13th century date was also identified.
- 5.21 A possible medieval area of settlement, also identified during the excavation of a pipeline (TQ 56 NE 40), has been noted by the geophysical survey although its identification was obscured by a service pipe (WYAS 2023).
- 5.22 Recorded c. 610m southeast of site on the outskirts of Fawkham Green, Maurice Beresford and John G. Hurst posit that this was potentially part of an abandoned medieval village, though evidence for this is scant (TQ 56 NE 74) (Beresford & Hurst 1971).

Post-Medieval

- 5.23 A number of farmsteads and agricultural buildings from this period are recorded in the general vicinity of the site and attest to the prevalence of agrarian activities at this time. 2.2.24 Speedgate Farm itself dates to this period and the regular courtyard farmstead with buildings to three sides of the yard, incorporating an L-plan element, dates to c. 1800 AD (MKE83956).
- 5.24 The Grade II listed White House farmhouse, on Speedgate Hill, dated to between 1702 and 1832 is located 310m east of the site (TQ 56 NE 116). Chimmens Solar Farm, Land at Speedgate Farm, Mussenden Lane, Fawkham, Kent, DA3 8NJ: WSI for Archaeological Evaluation ©Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd, October 2023 Page 8 of 48 2.2.26 Also, on

Speedgate Hill, a little further east were a pair of double round oast houses which appeared on the 1st (1862-1875), 2nd (1897-1900), 3rd (1906-1923) and 4th (1929-1952) editions of the Ordnance Survey maps (TQ 56 NE 233).

- 5.25 A 19th century outfarm, with a loose courtyard plan, and buildings on two sides of the yard is recorded c. 650 south of the site in Brands Hatch (MKE83958).
- 5.26 A second, later Fawkham Manor, was built during the 19th century by and for Mr. E. B Lamb, c. 1.5km east-northeast of the site (MKE84005). It is now the site of a hospital building belonging to the Circle Health Group. Associated with the manor house is a farmstead that would once have formed part of the manorial estate (MKE84005)

Modern

- 5.27 A World War I memorial with later additions for the Second World War is to be found c. 650m east of site in Fawkham Green (TQ 56 NE 214). It is Grade II listed.

6 METHODOLOGY

- 6.1 124 trenches measuring 30m x 2m were excavated on site, at a maximum depth of 1.2m. The trenches were positioned to target anomalies detected during the geophysical survey and to provide an investigated sample of the site. The 123 trenches outlined in the original plan were all located in their original positions, with additional trench 124, located in Area 5, southeast of trench 53.
- 6.2 For purposes of the evaluation, the site has been divided into 11 Areas (Figure 2), most of them matching existing field boundaries, but also reflecting divisions necessary by presence of underground gas mains crossing the site.
- 6.3 The trenches were examined by a team of archaeologists with all possible features cleaned, investigated, and recorded. Each trench was surveyed using Geomax survey equipment, with appropriate sections drawn at a scale of 1:10 or 1:20. A photographic record of the site was maintained throughout.
- 6.4 Exposed surfaces were cleaned by trowel and hoe as appropriate, and all further excavation was undertaken manually using hand tools.
- 6.5 In this report all context numbers (cuts, layers and fills) are written in squared brackets [], small finds are denoted by SF and environmental samples are bracketed with curly brackets { }.
- A CAT scanner was used by PCA prior to the opening of the trenches, and continuous throughout excavation at intervals of 300mm until archaeological or natural deposits were encountered, to identify and avoid live services.
 - Excavation was carried out by two 20-ton mechanical excavators fitted with a toothless ditching buckets hired by PCA. All excavations were closely monitored under PCA's supervision. Spoil was mounded at least 1m from the edges of the trenches.
 - Machine excavation was carried out in spits of 100mm at a time until either significant archaeological strata was found or natural ground exposed. Each trench was fully investigated and recorded, and features were tested to ascertain their function, date and significance.
 - The trenches were designed to reach a maximum depth of approximately 1.20m below existing ground level (BGL) depending on the stability of the edges.
 - All arisings from each trench were carefully inspected to ensure that any artefacts are recovered.
 - The trenches were backfilled by PCA by the same mechanical excavator, replacing the excavated arisings in the reverse order of excavation.

7 POSITIVE EVALUATION RESULTS, BY TRENCH

7.1 The following section contains a data table for each evaluation trench which yielded archaeological results, with the relevant data derived from the site context index, including dimensions, and photographs as appropriate.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>		<i>Recorded by</i>					
Trench 8	7/12/23		5, 28		JW					
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>		<i>Depth to natural</i>					
E-W	30m by 2m		63.94-65.53m OD		1.25m					
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
282	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.33			
283	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.95			
369	Fill	Fill of [371]			-	-	0.86	2/2		
370	Fill	Fill of [371]			-	-	1.30	1/2		
371	Cut	Roman quarry pit			-	-	-			
289	Layer	Natural			30	2	1.25			

Tr 8

Plate 1:

Looking east

1m scale

Plate 2:

LIA/Early Roman
quarry pit [371]

Looking northeast

Section 181

1m scale



Trench 8 Plate 1



Trench 8 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 8 contained natural chalk deposits that were truncated by a LIA/Early Roman quarry pit [371], which can be seen on the geophysical survey. It was 7.56m long, 2m wide and 1.4m deep, although the full depth was not reached. The trench was sealed by subsoil, followed by topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 14	27/11/23		6a			IG				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NE-SW	30m by 2m		63.65 OD			1.48m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
320	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.48			
321	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.90			
309	Layer	Paleosoil			-	-	1.13			
310	Layer	Paleosoil			-	-	1.24			
311	Layer	Paleosoil			-	-	1.45			
322	Layer	Natural			30	2	1.48			

Tr 14

Plate 1:

Looking northeast

1m scale

Plate 2:

Paleosoils (309)

(310) (311)

Looking southeast

Section 134

1m scale



Trench 14 Plate 1



Trench 14 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 14 contained natural brickearth at the SW end. At the NE end natural chalk deposits were overlain by three layers of paleosoil, in which IA/Early Roman pottery was found. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 17	8/12/23	-	FC
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
E-W	30m by 2m	77.72m OD	0.22m

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
290	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.17			
291	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.21			
305	Fill	Fill of [404]			0.47	1	0.37	1/1		
304	Cut	Ditch			0.47	1	0.37			
292	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.22			

Tr 17
 Plate 1:
 Looking southeast
 1m scale
 Plate 2:
 N-S ditch [304]
 Looking north
 Section 130
 1m scale



Trench 17 Plate 1



Trench 17 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 17 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by Ditch [304], which was 2m long, 0.47m wide and 0.16m deep. The feature was not identified in the geophysical survey, and it contained no finds. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 24	8/12/23	7c, 27	IG
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
NE-SW	30m by 2m	82.8 OD	0.34m

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
290	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.27			
291	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.32			
300	Fill	Fill of [299]			1	0.85	0.14	1/1		
299	Cut	Ditch			1	0.85	0.14			
298	Fill	Fill of [297]			1	0.7	0.13	1/1		
297	Cut	Ditch			1	0.7	0.13			
292	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.33			

Tr 24
 Plate 1:
 Looking northeast
 1m scale
 Plate 2:
 NW-SE ditches [297]
 and [299]
 Looking northwest
 Section 125
 1m scale



Trench 24 Plate 1



Trench 24 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 24 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [297] which was truncated by ditch [299]. Ditch [297] measured 2m long, 0.7m wide and 0.13m deep and ditch [299] measured 2m long, 0.85m wide and 0.14m deep. Both were not visible on the geophysical survey and didn't contain any finds. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 40	11/12/23		-			RT				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NE-SW	30m by 2m		110.71 OD			0.35m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
258	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.3			
150	Fill	Fill of [149]			0.43	0.44	0.08	1/1		
149	Cut	Posthole			0.43	0.44	0.08			
135	Fill	Fill of [134]			1	0.44	0.09	1/1		
134	Cut	Ditch			1	0.44	0.09			
167	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.35			

Tr 40

Plate 1:

Looking southwest

1m scale

Plate 2:

NW-SE ditch [134]

Section 50

0.5m scale



Trench 40 Plate 1



Trench 40 Plate 1

Brief discussion

Trench 40 contained natural chalk that was cut by ditch [134] (2m long, 0.44m wide and 0.09m deep), which was visible on the geophysics and posthole [149] (0.43m long, 0.44m wide and 0.08m deep). The trench was sealed by topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 41	22/11/23		-			IG				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NW-SE	30m by 2m		100.98 OD			0.26m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
258	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.2			
137	Fill	Fill of [136]			1	0.76	0.25	1/1		
136	Cut	Ditch			1	0.76	0.25			
167	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.26			

Tr 41
Plate 1:
Looking southeast
1m scale
Plate 2:
NE-SW ditch [136]
Looking southeast
Section 51
1m scale



Trench 41 Plate 1



Trench 41 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 41 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [136], which measured 2m long, 0.76m wide and 0.25m deep. It was picked up on the geophysical survey; however, it did not contain any finds. The trench was sealed by topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 43	1/12/23		9, 27			RT				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NE-SW	30m by 2m		110.32 OD			0.38m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
258	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.2			
257	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.16			
256	Fill	Fill of [254]			1	1.46	0.37	2/2		
255	Fill	Fill of [254]			1	0.63	0.25	1/2		
254	Cut	Ditch			1	1.46	0.67			
160	Fill	Fill of [159]			0.39	1.85	0.63	1/1		
159	Cut	Tree throw			0.39	1.85	0.63			
234	Fill	Fill of [233]			1	2.1	1	1/1		
233	Cut	Ditch			1	2.1	1			
236	Fill	Fill of [235]			1	1.3	0.87	1/1		
235	Cut	Ditch			1	1.3	0.87			
163	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.38			

Tr 43
Plate 1:
Looking northeast
1m scale



Trench 43 Plate 1

Brief discussion

Trench 43 contained natural chalk deposits, in which features were visible on the geophysical survey. The natural was cut by treethrow [159] (1.85m long, 0.39m wide and 0.63m deep), ditch [254] (2m long, 1.46m wide and 0.67m deep) and ditch [235] (2m long, 1.5m wide and 0.94m deep), which was truncated by ditch [233] (2m long, 2.33m wide and 0.95m deep). The pottery from ditches [254] and [233] was dated to the IA/Early Roman. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 45	6/12/23		10a, 27			FC				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
E-W	30m by 2m		106.87 OD			0.33m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
258	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.18			
268	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.13			
272	Fill	Fill of [270]			1.72	3.03	0.67	2/2		
271	Fill	Fill of [270]			1.72	3.03	0.67	1/2		
270	Cut	Pit			1.72	3.03	0.67			
301	Fill	Fill of [295]			1	0.42	0.32	1/1		
295	Cut	Ditch			1	0.42	0.32			
303	Fill	Fill of [296]			1	0.42	0.17	2/2		
302	Fill	Fill of [296]			1	0.42	0.12	1/2		
296	Cut	Pit			1	0.42	0.28			
263	Fill	Fill of [264]			0.67	0.65	0.21	1/1		
264	Cut	Posthole			0.67	0.65	0.21			
265	Fill	Fill of [266]			1	0.79	0.32	1/1		
266	Cut	Ditch			1	0.79	0.32			
269	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.33			

Tr 45

Plate 1:

Looking west

1m scale

Plate 2:

LIA/Early Roman
quarry pit [270]

Looking south

Section 102

0.5m scale



Trench 45 Plate 1



Trench 45 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 45 contained natural chalk that was cut by several features which were not visible on the geophysical survey. They were pit [270] (3.03m long, 1.72m wide and 0.67m deep), ditch [266] (2m long, 0.79m wide and 0.32m deep), posthole [264] (0.67m long, 0.65m wide and 0.21m deep), and pit [296] (0.85m wide and 0.29m deep) which was cut by ditch [295] (1m long, 0.42m wide and 0.32m deep). The pottery from pit [270] was identified as M/LIA and the pottery from ditch [266] and ditch [295] was identified as IA/Early Roman. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 46	30/11/23		9, 26			RD				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NW-SE	30m by 2m		112.60 OD			0.59m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
258	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.28			
169	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.32			
152	Fill	Fill of [151]			1	0.67	0.21	1/1		
151	Cut	Ditch			1	0.67	0.21			
211	Fill	Fill of [209]			1	2.4	0.23	2/2		
210	Fill	Fill of [209]			1	2.4	0.37	1/2		
209	Cut	Ditch			1	2.4	0.6			
173	Fill	Fill of [171]			1	1.06	0.53	2/2		
172	Fill	Fill of [171]			1	0.83	0.32	1/2		
171	Cut	Ditch			1	1.06	0.21			
170	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.59			

Tr 46

Plate 1:

Looking Southeast

1m scale

Plate 2:

NE-SW LIA/Early

Roman ditch [204]

Looking southwest

Section 81

1m scale



Trench 46 Plate 1



Trench 46 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 46 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditches [209] (2m long, 2.4m wide and 0.6m deep), [171] (2m long, 1.06m wide and 0.53m deep) and [151] (2m long, 0.67m wide and 0.21m deep), all of which align with the geophysical survey. Ditches [209] and [171] contained pottery that was dated to the IA/Early Roman period. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 47	6/12/23		10b, 27			RT				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
N-S	30m by 2m		116.27 OD			0.38m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
258	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.30			
281	Fill	Fill of [279]			1	1.29	0.47	2/2		
280	Fill	Fill of [279]			1	0.82	0.32	1/2		
279	Cut	Ditch			1	1.29	0.76			
288	Fill	Fill of [287]			0.49	0.47	0.09	1/1		
287	Cut	Posthole			0.49	0.47	0.09			
286	Fill	Fill of [284]			1	1.74	0.41	2/2		
285	Fill	Fill of [284]			1	1.54	0.39	1/2		
284	Cut	Ditch			1	1.74	0.81			
170	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.38			

Tr 47

Plate 1:

Looking south

1m scale

Plate 2:

N-S/E-W LIA/Early

Roman ditch corner

[284]

Looking north

Section 111

1m scale

Plate 3:

E-W LIA/Early

Roman ditch [279]

Looking west

Section 107

1m scale



Trench 47 Plate 1



Trench 47 Plate 2



Trench 47 Plate 3

Brief discussion

Trench 47 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [279] (2m long, 1.29m wide and 0.76m deep), posthole [287] (0.49m long, 0.47m wide and 0.09m deep) and ditch corner [284] (1.74m wide and 0.81m deep). Pottery dating to the IA/Early Roman period was recovered from ditch [279], which was the only feature in this trench picked up by the geophysical survey. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number		Date of Investigation	Relevant figures					Recorded by			
Trench 53		17/11/23	12, 15, 26					RD			
Orientation		Dimensions (L x W)	GL OD height					Depth to natural			
NE-SW		30m by 2m	83.41 OD					0.30m			
<i>Contexts within trench</i>											
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds	
59	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.25				
96	Fill	Fill of [83]			0.38	0.5	0.58	2/2			
82	Fill	Fill of [83]			0.38	0.5	0.29	1/2			
83	Cut	Posthole			0.38	0.5	0.29				
77	Fill	Fill of [79]			2.3	1.6	0.35	2/2			
78	Fill	Fill of [79]			2.3	0.92	0.42	1/2			
79	Cut	Ditch			2.3	1.6	0.76				
114	Fill	Fill of [115]			0.5	0.56	0.2	1/1			
115	Cut	Posthole			0.5	0.56	0.2				
116	Fill	Fill of [117]			0.62	0.44	0.1	1/1			
117	Cut	Posthole			0.62	0.44	0.1				
118	Fill	Fill of [119]			0.5	0.41	0.21	1/1			
119	Cut	Posthole			0.5	0.41	0.21				
120	Fill	Fill of [121]			0.61	0.6	0.12	1/1			
121	Cut	Posthole			0.61	0.6	0.12				
122	Fill	Fill of [123]			0.14	0.25	0.14	1/1			
123	Cut	Posthole			0.14	0.25	0.14				
124	Fill	Fill of [125]			0.58	0.32	0.21	1/1			
125	Cut	Posthole			0.58	0.32	0.21				
183	Fill	Fill of [184]			0.08	0.09	0.05	1/1			
184	Cut	Posthole			0.08	0.09	0.05				
185	Fill	Fill of [186]			0.45	0.38	0.07	1/1			
186	Cut	Posthole			0.45	0.38	0.07				
187	Fill	Fill of [188]			1.3	0.55	0.07	1/1			
188	Cut	Pit			1.3	0.55	0.07				
189	Fill	Fill of [190]			0.05	0.09	0.04	1/1			
190	Cut	Posthole			0.05	0.09	0.04				
191	Fill	Fill of [192]			0.06	0.12	0.04	1/1			
192	Cut	Posthole			0.06	0.12	0.04				
193	Fill	Fill of [194]			0.06	0.07	0.04	1/1			
194	Cut	Posthole			0.06	0.07	0.04				
195	Fill	Fill of [196]			0.18	0.28	0.03	1/1			
196	Cut	Posthole			0.18	0.28	0.03				
197	Fill	Fill of [198]			0.13	0.12	0.04	1/1			
198	Cut	Posthole			0.13	0.12	0.04				
199	Fill	Fill of [200]			0.13	0.11	0.05	1/1			
200	Cut	Posthole			0.13	0.11	0.05				

201	Fill	Fill of [202]			0.07	0.11	0.05	1/1		
202	Cut	Posthole			0.07	0.11	0.05			
203	Fill	Fill of [204]			0.09	0.08	0.05	1/1		
204	Cut	Posthole			0.09	0.08	0.05			
205	Fill	Fill of [206]			0.14	0.06	0.09	1/1		
206	Cut	Posthole			0.14	0.06	0.09			
207	Fill	Fill of [208]			0.08	0.14	0.04	1/1		
208	Cut	Posthole			0.08	0.14	0.04			
60	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.30			

Tr 53

Plate1:

Looking southwest

1m scale

Plate 2:

NW-SE LIA/Early

Roman ditch [79]

Looking southeast

Section 34

1m scale

Plate 3:

NW-SE line of

intercutting postholes

[115] [117] [119]

[121] [123] [125]

Looking southeast

Section 46

1m scale



Trench 53 Plate 1



Trench 53 Plate 2



Trench 53 Plate 3

Brief discussion

Trench 53 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by NW-SE LIA/Early Roman enclosure ditch [79] (2m long, 1.6m wide and 0.76m deep) which was truncated by posthole [83] (0.38m long, 0.50m wide and 0.29m deep). Postholes [115] to [125] (averaging 0.50m long, 0.48m wide and 0.15m deep) ran parallel to ditch [79] and continued into trench 124 to the SE. Ditch [79] and posthole [121] contained pottery dating to the LIA/Early Roman period. Also truncating the natural were stake holes [184] to [208], excluding pit [188], (averaging 0.15m long, 0.13m wide and 0.05-0.10m deep). Enclosure ditch [79] and its continuation in trenches 124 and 57 was visible on the geophysical survey. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 57	21/11/23		-			RT FC				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NE-SW	30m by 2m		88.00 OD			0.35m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
67	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.34			
131	Fill	Fill of [130]			1	2.29	0.84	1/1		
130	Cut	Ditch			1	2.29	0.84			
68	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.35			

Tr 57

Plate 1:

Looking southwest

1m scale

Plate 2:

NW-SE Roman ditch

[130]

Looking Northwest

Section 48

1m scale



Trench 57 Plate 1



Trench 57 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 57 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [130], which measured 2m long, 2.29m wide and 0.45m deep. No pottery was recovered, but this feature is likely related to the same LIA/Early Roman enclosure as ditch [79] as visible on the geophysical survey. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 58	21/11/23	13, 26	IG
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
NE-SW	30m by 2m	92.47 OD	0.35

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
69	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.25			
127	Fill	Fill of [126]			1	0.45	0.24	1/1		
126	Cut	Pit			1	0.45	0.24			
129	Fill	Fill of [128]			1	0.42	0.22	1/1	133	
128	Cut	Ditch			1	0.42	0.22		[132]	
133	Fill	Fill of [132]			1	0.64	0.19	1/1	129	
132	Cut	Ditch			1	0.64	0.19		[128]	
70	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.35			

Tr 58

Looking southwest

1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 58 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [128]/[132] (1m long, 0.42m wide and 0.22m deep), which was truncated by pit [126] (1m long, 0.45m wide and 0.24m deep) which were visible on the geophys survey. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 59	22/11/23		-			FC				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NW-SE	30m by 2m		91.52 OD			0.36				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
71	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.24			
139	Fill	Fill of [139]			1	0.61	0.39	1/1		
138	Cut	Ditch			1	0.61	0.39			
72	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.36			

Tr 59

Plate 1:

Looking Southeast

1m scale

Plate 2:

N-S LIA/Early Roman
ditch [138]

Looking north

Section 31

0.5m scale



Trench 59 Plate 1



Trench 59 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 59 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [138], measuring 2m long, 0.61m wide and 0.39m deep. The geophys survey suggested a linear feature in this trench, however ditch [138] was located more southeasterly. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 65	16/11/23		14, 26			KC				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
N-S	30m by 2m		99.62 OD			0.28m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
73	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.22			
102	Fill	Fill of [103]			2.4	1	0.5	1/1		
103	Cut	Ditch			2.4	1	0.5			
74	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.28			

Tr 65

Plate 1:

Looking South

1m scale

Plate 2:

NW-SE LIA/Early

Roman ditch [103]

Looking Northeast

Section 41

1m scale



Trench 65 Plate 1



Trench 65 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 65 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [103], measuring 2m long, 1m wide and 0.5m deep, although was not visible on the geophys survey. A large assemblage of animal bone and pottery was recovered, dating to the LIA/Early Roman period. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 66	17/11/23		14, 26			JB				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
E-W	30m by 2m		102.88			0.28				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
45	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.24			
112	Fill	Fill of [113]			1.04	1	0.78	1/1		
113	Cut	Ditch			1.04	1	0.78			
106	Fill	Fill of [107]			0.55	0.69	0.34	1/1		
107	Cut	Ditch			0.55	0.69	0.34			
108	Fill	Fill of [109]			0.43	0.3	0.07	1/1		
109	Cut	Ditch			0.43	0.3	0.07			
104	Fill	Fill of [105]			0.63	0.73	0.19	1/1		
105	Cut	Pit			0.63	0.73	0.19			
46	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.28			

Tr 66

Plate 1:

Looking east

1m scale

Plate 2:

NE-SW LIA/Early

Roman ditch [113]

Looking Northeast

Section 45

1m scale



Trench 66 Plate 1



Trench 66 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 66 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditches [113] (2m long, 1.04m wide and 0.78m deep), [107] (0.69m long, 0.55m wide and 0.34m deep), [109] (0.3m long, 0.43m wide and 0.07m deep) and pit [105] (0.73m long, 0.63m wide and 0.19m deep). These features were not visible on the geophys survey. A large finds assemblage was found in ditch [113] which was dated to the LIA/Early Roman period. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 72	15/11/23		14, 26			JM				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NW-SE	30m by 2m		104.41 OD			0.38				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
54	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.33			
94	Fill	Fill of [95]			1	1.31	0.23	2/2		
93	Fill	Fill of [95]			1	0.91	0.34	1/2		
95	Cut	Ditch			1	1.31	0.57			
55	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.38			

Tr 72

Plate 1:

Looking Northwest

1m scale

Plate 2:

NE-SW LIA/Early

Roman ditch [95]

Looking Northwest

Section 38

1m scale



Trench 72 Plate 1



Trench 72 Plate 1

Brief discussion

Trench 72 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [95], measuring 2m long, 1.31m wide and 0.57m deep. The ditch was no visible on the geophys survey. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 73	24/11/23		15, 26			JM				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
N-S	30m by 2m		107.07 OD			0.38				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
61	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.25			
141	Fill	Fill of [140]			0.59	1.43	0.84	1/1		
140	Cut	Pit			0.59	1.43	0.84			
164	Fill	Fill of [165]			0.21	0.6	0.15	1/1		
165	Cut	Pit			0.21	0.6	0.15			
155	Fill	Fill of [156]			0.35	0.42	0.27	1/1		
156	Cut	Pit			0.35	0.42	0.27			
153	Fill	Fill of [154]			0.51	0.63	0.19	1/1		
154	Cut	Pit			0.51	0.63	0.19			
157	Fill	Fill of [157]			-	0.63	0.29	1/1		
158	Cut	Pit			-	0.63	0.29			
143	Fill	Fill of [142]			0.46	0.4	0.42	1/1		
142	Cut	Posthole			0.46	0.4	0.42			
148	Fill	Fill of [146]			0.47	1.17	0.16	2/2		
147	Fill	Fill of [146]			0.47	1.17	0.28	1/2		
146	Cut	Pit			0.47	1.17	0.44			
145	Fill	Fill of [144]			0.26	0.27	0.25	1/1		
144	Cut	Posthole			0.26	0.27	0.25			
62	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.38			

Tr 73

Looking North

1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 73 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by pits [140], [165], [156], [154], [157], [142], [146], [144]. They ranged in size from 0.27-1.43m long, 0.26-0.60m wide and 0.25-0.84m deep and were visible on the geophysical survey. The pottery assemblage from these pits was dated from MIA to Early Roman. Pit [140] contained three iron objects which were likely Roman. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 76	16/11/23		-			JM				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NE-SW	30m by 2m		109.10 OD			0.40m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
63	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.25			
100	Fill	Fill of [101]			1	0.75	0.17	1/1		
101	Cut	Ditch			1	0.75	0.17			
97	Fill	Fill of [98]			1	0.54	0.26	1/1		
98	Cut	Ditch			1	0.54	0.26			
64	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.40			

Tr 76

Plate 1:

Looking SW

1m scale

Plate 2:

NW-SE ditch [101]

Looking Southeast

Section 40

1m scale



Trench 76 Plate 1



Trench 76 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 76 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditches [101] (2m long, 0.75m wide and 0.26m deep) and [98] (2m long, 0.5m wide and 0.26m deep). They were not visible on the geophysics survey. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 85	18/12/23		-			RD				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
E-W	30m by 2m		87.57 OD			0.60m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
317	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.26			
348	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.55			
349	Fill	Fill of [350]			3.1	0.8	0.4	1/1		
350	Cut	Ditch			3.1	0.8	0.4			
351	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.60			

Tr 85

Plate 1:

Looking east

1m scale

Plate 2:

NE-SW Roman ditch

[350]

Looking southwest

Section 170

0.5m scale



Trench 85 Plate 1



Trench 85 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 85 contained a natural chalk deposit that was truncated by ditch [350], measuring 2m long, 0.8m wide and 0.4m deep. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 93	2/1/24	-	HG
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
E-W	30m by 2m	102.71 OD	0.30m

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
317	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.12			
407	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.2			
408	Fill	Fill of [409]			1	1.04	0.2	1/1		
409	Cut	Ditch			1	1.04	0.2			
416	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.3			

Tr 93

Looking east

Scale 1m



Brief discussion

Trench 93 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch terminus [409], measuring 1.45m long, 1.11m wide and 0.2m deep. The feature was not present on the geophysical survey. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 95	22/12/23	-	LW
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
E-W	30m by 2m	111.99 OD	0.60m

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
317	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.23			
403	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.58			
404	Fill	Fill of [405]			3	0.54	0.2	1/1		
405	Cut	Ditch			3	0.54	0.2			
336	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.60			

Tr 95

Looking east

1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 95 contained a natural chalk deposit that was truncated by ditch [405], measuring 3m long, 0.54m wide and 0.2m deep. Some IA pottery was recovered. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 98	2/1/24		20, 28			HG				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NW-SE	30m by 2m		117.72 OD			0.20				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
317	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.2			
366	Fill	Fill [367]			2.3	1.55	0.37	2/2		
421	Fill	Fill [367]			2.4	1.55	0.21	1/2		
367	Cut	Ditch			2.3	1.55	0.58			
368	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.2			

Tr 98

Plate 1:

Looking northwest

1m scale

Plate 2:

N-S LIA/Early Roman
ditch ditch [367]

Looking north

Section 208

1m scale



Trench 98 Plate 1



Trench 98 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 98 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by Roman ditch [367], which was picked up on the geophysical survey. The ditch was 2.4m long, 1.55m wide and 0.95m deep. It contained some animal bone and is likely associated with the LIA/Early Roman period. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 103	21/12/23		21, 28			JW				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
N-S	30m by 2m		122.51 OD			0.42				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
390	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.25			
391	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.17			
392	Fill	Fill of [394]			-	-	0.6	2/2		
393	Fill	Fill of [394]			-	-	1.76	1/2		
394	Cut	Quarry pit			-	-	2.34			
372	Fill	Fill of [374]			-	-	0.64	2/2		
373	Fill	Fill of [374]			-	-	0.61	1/1		
374	Cut	Quarry pit			-	-	1.25			
402	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.42			

Tr 103

Plate 1:

Looking south

1m scale

Plate 2:

Quarry pit [374]

Looking southwest

Section 190

1m scale

Plate 3:

Quarry pit [394]

Looking northeast

Section 191

1m scale



Trench 103 Plate 1



Trench 103 Plate 2



Trench 103 Plate 3

Brief discussion

Trench 103 contained a natural chalk deposit with brickearth. It was truncated by quarry pit [374] which was 1.25m deep and quarry pit [394] which was 2.34m deep. Both features were identified on the geophysical survey. They were both sterile of finds, though were likely LIA/Early Roman. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 104	4/1/24	-	JW
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
E-W	30m by 2m	125.38 OD	0.25

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
390	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.25			
433	Fill	Fill of [434]			1.15	0.75	0.65	1/1		
434	Cut	Ditch			1.15	0.75	0.65			
435	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.25			

Tr 104
Looking east
1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 104 contained natural brickearth that was truncated by ditch [434], measuring 1.15m long, 0.75m wide and 0.65m deep. The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 105	5/1/24	22, 28	HG
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
NE-SW	30m by 2m	116.60 OD	0.28

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
422	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.26			
425	Fill	Fill of [426]			2.3	1.25	0.87	1/1		
426	Cut	Ditch			2.3	1.25	0.87			
436	Fill	Fill of [437]			1.5	1.8	0.67	1/1		
437	Cut	Pit			1.5	1.8	0.67			
438	Fill	Fill of [439]			1.3	0.49	0.47	1/1		
439	Cut	Pit			1.3	0.49	0.47			
440	Fill	Fill of [441]			1	0.7	0.35	1/1		
441	Cut	Pit			1	0.7	0.35			
427	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.28			

Tr 105
 Plate 1:
 Looking southwest
 1m scale
 Plate 2:
 LIA/Early Roman
 Quarry pit [437]
 Looking northwest
 Section 215
 1m scale



Trench 105 Plate 1



Trench 105 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 105 contained a natural chalk deposit that was truncated by curving ditch [426] (2.3m long, 1.25m wide and 0.87m deep). The natural was also cut by pits [439] (1.3m long, 0.47m wide and 0.49m deep) and [441] (1m long, 0.7m wide and 0.35m deep) which were truncated by quarry pit [437] (1.5m long, 1.8m wide and 0.67m deep). The trench was sealed by modern topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 114	19/12/23	-	SM
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
NW-SE	30m by 2m	122.34 OD	0.20m

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
337	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.15			
359	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.19			
352	Fill	Fill of [353]			0.45	0.45	0.11	1/1		
353	Cut	Posthole			0.45	0.45	0.11			
380	Fill	Fill of [381]			0.6	0.6	0.14	1/1		
381	Cut	Posthole			0.6	0.6	0.14			
354	Fill	Fill of [355]			0.95	0.56	0.16	1/1		
355	Cut	Treethrow			0.95	0.56	0.16			
360	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.20			

Tr 114

Looking southeast

1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 114 contained natural brickearth that was truncated by postholes [353] (0.45m long, 0.45m wide and 0.11m deep) and [381] (0.6m long, 0.6m wide and 0.14m deep) and threethrow [355] (0.95m long, 0.56m wide and 0.16m deep). These features were identified by the geophys survey. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 117	18/12/23		-			HG JW				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NW-SE	30m by 2m		122.87 OD			0.30m				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
337	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.16			
442	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.14			
326	Fill	Fill of [325]			1.11	0.98	0.21	1/1		
325	Cut	Pit			1.11	0.98	0.21			
338	Fill	Fill of [339]			0.6	0.38	0.25	1/1		
339	Cut	Posthole			0.6	0.38	0.25			
340	Fill	Fill of [341]			1.25	0.4	0.23	1/1		
341	Cut	Pit			1.25	0.4	0.23			
356	Fill	Fill of [357]			0.37	0.39	0.15	1/1		
357	Cut	Posthole			0.37	0.39	0.15			
342	Fill	Fill of [343]			0.4	0.4	0.15	1/1		
343	Cut	Posthole			0.4	0.4	0.15			
368	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.30			

Tr 117

Looking northeast

1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 117 contained natural brickearth that was truncated by postholes [339], [357] and [343] (averaging 0.5m long, 0.39m wide and 0.2m deep). Also cutting the natural were pits [325] (1.11m long, 0.98m wide and 0.21m deep) and [341] (1.05m long, 0.4m wide and 0.23m deep). The geophysical survey suggested a linear feature, however only postholes were encountered. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 118	21/12/23		23			LW				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
N-S	30m by 2m		123.41 OD			0.28				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
337	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.12			
442	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.27			
388	Fill	Fill of [389]			1.6	1.14	0.22	1/1		
389	Cut	Pit			1.6	1.14	0.22			
345	Fill	Fill of [346]			2.3	1	0.17	1/1		
346	Cut	Ditch			2.3	1	0.17			
365	Fill	Fill of [375]			1.4	0.76	0.4	1/1		
375	Cut	Pit			1.4	0.76	0.4			
329	Fill	Fill of [328]			2.3	1.8	0.18	1/1		
328	Cut	Pit			2.3	1.8	0.18			
331	Fill	Fill of [330]			1.1	0.6	0.18	1/1		
330	Cut	Posthole			1.1	0.6	0.18			
333	Fill	Fill of [332]			0.4	0.46	0.12	1/1		
332	Cut	Posthole			0.4	0.46	0.12			
368	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.28			

Tr 118
Looking south
1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 118 contained natural brick earth and was truncated by multiple features as the geophysics suggested. The natural was truncated by ditch [346] (2.3m long, 1m wide and 0.17m deep), pits [389] (1.6m long, 1.14m wide and 0.22m deep), [375] (1.4m long, 0.76m wide and 0.4m deep) and [330] (1.1m long, 0.6m wide and 0.18m deep) and posthole [332] (0.4m long, 0.46m wide and 0.12m deep) which were truncated by pit [328]. Pit [330] contained IA pottery and pits [375] and [389] contained IA/Early Roman pottery. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>	<i>Relevant figures</i>	<i>Recorded by</i>
Trench 120	21/12/23	-	HG
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>	<i>GL OD height</i>	<i>Depth to natural</i>
NW-SE	30m by 2m	122.68 OD	0.32m

Contexts within trench

Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
337	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.14			
384	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.3			
395	Fill	Fill of [396]			2.1	0.75	0.3	1/1		
396	Cut	Ditch			2.1	0.75	0.3			
385	Fill	Fill of [386]			1.85	0.45	0.4	1/1		
386	Cut	Pit			1.85	0.45	0.4			
387	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.32			

Tr 120
Looking southeast
1m scale



Brief discussion

Trench 120 contained natural brick earth that was truncated by ditch [396] (2.1m long, 0.75m wide and 0.3m deep), which contained IA pottery, and pit [386] (0.8m long, 0.47m wide and 0.21m deep). The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 122	22/12/23		-			SM				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NW-SE	30m by 2m		124.18 OD			0.25				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
337	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.15			
344	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.24			
382	Fill	Fill of [383]			-	0.74	0.13	1/1		
383	Cut	Posthole			-	0.74	0.13			
411	Fill	Fill of [412]			-	5.95	0.28	1/1		
412	Cut	Ditch			-	5.95	0.28			
378	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.25			

Tr 122

Plate 1:

Looking southeast

1m scale

Plate 2:

NE-SW ditch [412]

Looking southwest

Section 203

1m scale



Trench 122 Plate 1



Trench 122 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 122 contained natural brick earth that was truncated by ditch [412] (5.95m wide and 0.26m deep) and posthole [383] (0.74m wide and 0.13m deep). The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

Trench Number	<i>Date of Investigation</i>		<i>Relevant figures</i>			<i>Recorded by</i>				
Trench 124	13/12/23		27			RT				
<i>Orientation</i>	<i>Dimensions (L x W)</i>		<i>GL OD height</i>			<i>Depth to natural</i>				
NE-SW	30m by 2m		83.52 OD			0.25				
<i>Contexts within trench</i>										
Con.	Type	Interpretation	Category 1	Category 2	L	W	D	Fill of	= to	Finds
251	Layer	Topsoil			30	2	0.15			
252	Layer	Subsoil			30	2	0.24			
316	Fill	Fill of [312]			1	1.94	0.24	2/2		
313	Fill	Fill of [312]			1	1.55	0.55	1/2		
312	Cut	Ditch			1	1.94	0.81			
323	Fill	Fill of [324]			0.55	0.54	0.10	1/1		
324	Cut	Posthole			0.55	0.54	0.10			
248	Fill	Fill of [250]			0.37	0.49	0.21	2/2		
249	Fill	Fill of [250]			0.37	0.49	0.08	1/2		
250	Cut	Posthole			0.37	0.49	0.29			
246	Fill	Fill of [247]			0.48	0.72	0.2	1/1		
247	Cut	Posthole			0.48	0.72	0.2			
253	Layer	Natural			30	2	0.25			

Tr 124

Plate 1:

Looking Northeast

1m scale

Plate 2:

NW-SE LIA/Early

Roman ditch [312]

Looking southeast

Section 135

1m scale



Trench 124 Plate 1



Trench 124 Plate 2

Brief discussion

Trench 124 contained a natural chalk deposit that was cut by ditch [312] (2m long, 1.94m wide and 0.81m deep) which was a continuation of ditch [79] in trench 53 and ditch [130] in trench 57 as shown on the geophysical survey. Postholes [324], [250] and [247] (averaging 0.48m long, 0.72m wide and 0.2m deep) were a continuation of a line of postholes found in trench 53. The trench was sealed by modern subsoil and topsoil.

8 NEGATIVE EVALUATION TRENCHES

8.1 The table below shows each of the trenches which produced no archaeological results:

Trench	Length	Width	Depth	Depth to Natural	Ground Level (OD Height)	Context Nos			Natural type
						Topsoil	Subsoil	Natural	
1	30	2	0.42	0.26	62.48m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
2	30	2	0.95	0.62	59.57m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
3	30	2	0.40	0.34	62.67m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
4	30	2	0.40	0.26	66.05m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
5	30	2	1.10	-	60.86m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
6	30	2	0.31	0.26	71.09m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
7	30	2	1.15	0.92	66.28m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
9	30	2	0.45	-	71.05m OD	282	283	289	Chalk
10	30	2	0.30	0.30	66.77m OD	320	-	322	Brickearth
11	30	2	0.40	0.40	71.39m OD	320	-	322	Brickearth
12	30	2	0.40	0.40	65.80m OD	320	-	322	Brickearth
13	30	2	0.30	0.30	71.27m OD	320	-	322	Brickearth
15	30	2	0.90	0.90	69.31m OD	320	321	322	Brickearth
16	30	2	0.35	0.27	71.03m OD	290	291	292	Chalk
18	30	2	0.40	0.25	72.81m OD	290	291	292	Chalk
19	30	2	0.28	0.28	80.43m OD	290	291	292	Chalk
20	30	2	0.35	0.25	74.75m OD	290	291	292	Chalk
21	30	2	0.28	0.23	81.33m OD	290	291	292	Chalk
22	30	2	0.37	0.37	76.11m OD	290	291	292	Chalk
23	30	2	0.30	0.28	78.74m OD	290	291	292	Chalk
25	30	2	1.18	1.10	68.10m OD	258	238	240	Chalk
26	30	2	0.30	0.28	78.74m OD	258	-	242	Chalk
27	30	2	0.60	0.55	72.41m OD	258	244	245	Chalk
28	30	2	0.40	0.29	71.10m OD	258	-	274	Chalk
29	30	2	0.35	0.27	82.34m OD	258	-	213	Chalk
30	30	2	0.40	0.25	78.24m OD	258	-	215	Chalk
31	30	2	1.38	1.23	73.75m OD	258	217	219	Chalk
32	30	2	0.30	0.20	86.41m OD	258	-	223	Chalk
33	30	2	0.40	0.28	82.24m OD	258	-	221	Chalk
34	30	2	1.20	0.74	77.06m OD	258	225	-	Chalk
35	30	2	0.38	0.33	84.69m OD	258	-	228	Chalk
36	30	2	0.42	0.22	87.89m OD	258	230	232	Chalk

Trench	Length	Width	Depth	Depth to Natural	Ground Level (OD Height)	Context Nos			Natural type
						Topsoil	Subsoil	Natural	
37	30	2	0.30	0.20	90.25m OD	258	-	182	Chalk
38	30	2	0.35	0.30	94.86m OD	258	178	182	Chalk
39	30	2	0.52	0.52	91.75m OD	258	175	176	Chalk
42	30	2	0.30	0.25	105.50m OD	258	-	277	Chalk
44	30	2	0.30	0.25	98.98m OD	258	260	262	Chalk
48	30	2	0.27	0.20	84.81m OD	33	-	34	Chalk
49	30	2	0.30	0.25	82.43m OD	39	-	36	Chalk
50	30	2	1.30	-	76.80m OD	75	-	-	Chalk
51	30	2	0.45	0.30	93.28m OD	23	24	25	Chalk
52	30	2	0.24	0.15	87.06m OD	37	-	38	Chalk
54	30	2	0.30	0.25	86.58m OD	65	-	66	Chalk
55	30	2	1.15	-	79.98m OD	39	-	-	Chalk
56	30	2	0.45	0.35	97.10m OD	26	27	28	Chalk
60	30	2	1.25	-	84.24m OD	42	43	44	Chalk
61	30	2	0.55	0.45	93.41m OD	90	91	92	Chalk
62	30	2	0.50	0.40	94.26m OD	17	18	19	Chalk
63	30	2	0.45	0.25	101.25m OD	29	-	30	Chalk
64	30	2	0.35	0.24	102.48m OD	31	-	42	Chalk
67	30	2	0.34	0.21	94.36m OD	47	-	48	Chalk
68	30	2	1.43	-	88.24m OD	49	50	-	Chalk
69	30	2	0.40	0.30	97.75m OD	15	-	16	Chalk
70	30	2	0.35	0.27	104.97m OD	12	13	-	Chalk
71	30	2	0.40	0.30	101.48m OD	52	-	53	Chalk
74	30	2	1.30	-	90.42m OD	56	57	-	Chalk
75	30	2	0.30	0.27	104.83m OD	10	-	11	Chalk
77	30	2	0.77	0.46	101.68m OD	20	21	22	Chalk
78	30	2	1.01	0.33	98.72-99.91m OD	4	5	7	Chalk
79	30	2	1.30	0.43	101.85m OD	1	2	3	Chalk
80	30	2	0.38	0.24	110.07m OD	8	-	9	Chalk
81	30	2	0.39	0.31	77.36m OD	317	-	319	Chalk
82	30	2	1.27	1.27	75.36m OD	317	318	319	Chalk
83	30	2	0.37	0.20	84.91m OD	317	-	319	Chalk
84	30	2	1.30	1.30	82.75m OD	317	-	319	Chalk
86	30	2	0.27	0.27	91.14m OD	317	-	351	Chalk
87	30	2	0.55	0.50	-	317	419	420	Chalk
88	30	2	0.62	0.55	97.21m OD	317	-	420	Chalk

Trench	Length	Width	Depth	Depth to Natural	Ground Level (OD Height)	Context Nos			Natural type
						Topsoil	Subsoil	Natural	
89	30	2	0.45	0.40	-	317	417	418	Chalk
90	30	2	0.32	0.30	-	317	415	418	Chalk
91	30	2	0.45	0.27	101.62m OD	317	-	418	Chalk
92	30	2	0.95	0.50	106.68m OD	317	-	416	Chalk
94	30	2	0.67	0.57	110.46m OD	317	-	416	Chalk
96	30	2	1.15	1.15	116.64m OD	317	334	336	Chalk
97	30	2	0.40	0.24	118.76m OD	317	-	336	Chalk
99	30	2	0.33	0.33	116.90m OD	317	-	368	Chalk
100	30	2	0.34	0.25	119.75m OD	422	-	428	Chalk
101	30	2	0.45	0.40	120.76m OD	422	429	430	Chalk
102	30	2	0.45	0.40	123.61m OD	390	431	432	Chalk
106	30	2	0.40	0.40	111.80m OD	422	-	423	Chalk
107	30	2	0.40	0.35	116.56m OD	422	-	424	Chalk
108	30	2	0.35	0.35	120.19m OD	337	-	401	Brickearth
109	30	2	0.35	0.35	118.52m OD	337	-	401	Brickearth
110	30	2	0.25	0.25	121.75m OD	337	-	401	Brickearth
111	30	2	0.45	0.20	121.36m OD	337	-	401	Brickearth
112	30	2	0.50	0.46	120.21m OD	337	398	399	Brickearth
113	30	2	0.70	0.70	118.54m OD	337	398	399	Brickearth
115	30	2	0.50	0.45	123.12m OD	337	359	360	Brickearth
116	30	2	0.55	0.45	120.23m OD	337	363	364	Brickearth
119	30	2	0.35	0.30	122.47m OD	337	376	379	Brickearth
123	30	2	0.60	0.53	125.88m OD	294	-	293	Chalk

8.2 Negative Trench Photos



Plate 1, Trench 1, East view



Plate 2, Trench 2, Southwest view



Plate 3, Trench 3, East view



Plate 4, Trench 4, Southwest view



Plate 5, Trench 5, East facing



Plate 6, Trench 6, Southwest facing



Plate 7, Trench 7, Northwest view



Plate 8, Trench 9, Northeast view



Plate 9, Trench 10, Northeast view



Plate 10, Trench 11, West view



Plate 11, Trench 12, Southeast view



Plate 12, Trench 13, North facing



Plate 13, Trench 15, Northwest view



Plate 14, Trench 16, North view



Plate 15, Trench 18, West view



Plate 16, Trench 19, Southeast view



Plate 17, Trench 20, North view



Plate 18, Trench 21, West view



Plate 19, Trench 22, Southeast view



Plate 20, Trench 23, West view



Plate 21, Trench 25, East view



Plate 22, Trench 26, Southeast view



Plate 23, Trench 27, North view



Plate 24, Trench 28, Southeast view



Plate 26, Trench 29, Northwest view



Plate 27, Trench 30, North view



Plate 28, Trench 31, South view



Plate 29, Trench 32, West view



Plate 30, Trench 33, West view



Plate 31, Trench 34, South view



Plate 32, Trench 35, North view



Plate 33, Trench 36, South view



Plate 34, Trench 37, South view



Plate 35, Trench 39, North view



Plate 36, Trench 42, West view



Plate 37, Trench 44, Southeast view



Plate 38, Trench 48, North view



Plate 39, Trench 49, West view



Plate 40, Trench 50, Northeast view



Plate 41, Trench 51, Northwest view



Plate 42, Trench 52, West view



Plate 43, Trench 54, West view



Plate 44, Trench 55, West view



Plate 45, Trench 56, Southeast view



Plate 46, Trench 60, Southwest view



Plate 47, Trench 61, South view



Plate 48, Trench 62, Southwest view



Plate 49, Trench 63, East view



Plate 50, Trench 64, Northwest view



Plate 51, Trench 67, Southwest view



Plate 52, Trench 68, West view



Plate 53, Trench 69, South view



Plate 54, Trench 70, Southwest view



Plate 55, Trench 74, East view



Plate 56, Trench 75, North view



Plate 57, Trench 77, North view



Plate 58, Trench 78, West view



Plate 59, Trench 79, Southeast view



Plate 60, Trench 80, Southwest view



Plate 61, Trench 81, South view



Plate 62, Trench 82, West view



Plate 63, Trench 83, North view



Plate 64, Trench 84, Southwest view



Plate 65, Trench 86, Northeast view



Plate 66, Trench 87, South view



Plate 67, Trench 88, Northwest view



Plate 68, Trench 89, Southwest view



Plate 69, Trench 90, West view



Plate 70, Trench 91, West view



Plate 71, Trench 92, South view



Plate 72, Trench 94, East view



Plate 73, Trench 96, Southeast view



Plate 74, Trench 97, North view



Plate 75, Trench 99, North view



Plate 76, Trench 100, East view



Plate 77, Trench 101, South view



Plate 78, Trench 102, East view



Plate 79, Trench 106, South view



Plate 80, Trench 107, North view



Plate 81, Trench 108, Southeast view



Plate 82, Trench 109, Southeast view



Plate 83, Trench 110, Southwest view



Plate 84, Trench 111, Southeast view



Plate 85, Trench 112, East view



Plate 86, Trench 113, Northeast view



Plate 87, Trench 115, Southwest view



Plate 88, Trench 116, West view



Plate 89, Trench 119, West view



Plate 90, Trench 121, Northeast view



Plate 91, Trench 123, West view

9 ARCHAEOLOGICAL PHASED DISCUSSION

Phase 1: Natural

- 9.1 Natural deposits were encountered in all the trenches, with chalk or brickearth natural found in 118 of the 124 trenches. The earliest deposit, which was chalk, was noted in Trenches 1-9, 16-107 and Trench 123 with a high point of 125.88m OD and a low of 58.95m OD.
- 9.2 Natural brickearth was seen in Areas 2 and 10. In Area 10 the natural contained frequent flint inclusions. A high point of 122.14m OD and low point of 62.15m OD were noted.
- 9.3 Two other types of natural deposits were identified. The trenches located in the lower part of area 5 contained a layer of very compact clay which had very frequent flint inclusions. This was identified in Trenches 55, 60, 68 and 74. A high point of 90.24m OD and low of 79.78m OD were noted. Colluvial deposits were also present in Areas 1, 4, 5 and 10 at differing thickness. The highest recorded level of the colluvium deposit was recorded at 122.17m OD and the lowest at 62.20m OD.

Phase 2: Prehistoric

- 9.4 The only archaeology dating to the prehistoric period was encountered in Trench 14 in the form of buried Paleosoils. The earliest paleosoil deposit (311), 62.4m OD, was a compact orange clay which was overlain by (310), 62.55m OD, a firm yellowish brown silty clay and likely a buried subsoil. Charcoal was present in this deposit as well as very degraded pottery and worked flint. This was overlain by (309), 62.75m OD, which was a firm dark brown clayey silt. The frequent charcoal and evidence of burning in this layer suggests it was a buried topsoil. The layers likely date to Bronze Age/Early Iron Age (tbc).

Phase 3: Undated

- 9.5 This phase represents the features where no dating material was recovered.
- 9.6 Two undated quarry pits were recorded in Trench 103, in area 8. Quarry pit [374] was 2m wide and 1.16m from the base of the trench. Quarry pit [394] was 2m wide and 2.72m deep.
- 9.7 Area 3 contained three undated features. Trench 17 contained ditch [304] which was 1m wide and 0.16m deep. Trench 24 contained ditch [297] which was 0.7m wide and 0.13m deep. This ditch was cut by [299] which was 0.85m wide and 0.14m deep. The features were not recorded on geophysical survey.
- 9.8 Area 6 contained four undated features. Trench 85 contained ditch [350], which was 0.8m wide and 0.4m deep. Trench 93 contained pit [409]. Trench 95 contained ditch [405] which was 0.54m wide and 0.2m deep. Trench 98 contained ditch [367] which was 1.55m wide and 0.37m deep.

A group of undated stake holes and postholes were recorded in trench 53, area 5 [184] [186] [188] [190] [192] [194] [196] [198] [200] [202] [204] [206] [208]. They may be associated with

the roman activity on site due to their proximity to Roman features, however, were too shallow for finds retrieval.

Phase 4: Late Iron Age/Early Roman

- 9.9 Most features were identified as belonging to the Roman period. This consisted of ditches, postholes, and pits. Several of the features were previously noted by the geophysical survey but most of currently recorded features were not.
- 9.10 Higher activity across the site was mainly concentrated in two areas, one being in the western side of Area 5 and the southern end of Area 4, and the other being around the southern side of Area 10.
- 9.11 There was a high concentration of Late Iron Age/Early Roman features in trenches within the above locations. The layout of the ditches observed in these areas suggests an enclosure system, and the likely enclosure recorded in Area 5 (Trenches 53, 54 and 124) was noted earlier by the geophysical survey. The assemblage and quantity of pottery may also suggest a moderately high level of use of this area. The ditches were generally orientated NE-SW and NW-SE. Ditch [209] was significant in its size and its finds assemblage. It was 2.4m wide and 0.6m deep. Ditch [284] was also noted to be the corner of an enclosure and was 1.74m wide and 0.81m deep.
- 9.12 Trench 73 contained a series of pits. These features also contained a larger assemblage of animal bones than other features on site, suggesting an intensity of activity in this area. Pit [140] (1.43m x 0.60m x 0.84m) was significant as it contained three small iron finds of likely Iron Age/Early Roman date.
- 9.13 A large ditch [79] which contained LIA/ER pottery was associated with a line of intercutting postholes [115] [117] [119] [121] [123] and [125], which run parallel to the ditch. Additional Trench 124 revealed the continuation of the ditch [312], and the line of postholes [324] [247] and [250]. They were likely associated with the same use and could form an outer boundary and protective fence line to the activity that was taking place here. The ditch was 1.6-1.94m wide and 0.76-0.81m deep.
- 9.14 The southern end of Area 10 contained some clusters of postholes which may be evidence of structures. Trench 117 contained three postholes [339] [343] and [357] and Trench 114 also contained three postholes [353] [355] and [381]. Trench 118 contained a ditch [346] (2.3m long, 1m wide and 0.17m deep), three pits [389] [375] and [328] (between 1.60m-1.10m long, 1.14m-0.60m wide and 0.40m – 0.18m deep), two postholes [332] and [330] which were cut by pit [328]. Trench 120 contained ditch [396] (2.1m x 0.75m x 0.30m) and pit [386] (0.80m x 0.47m x 0.21m).
- 9.15 Trench 122 contained a very shallow, wide ditch. It was 5.95m wide and 0.28m deep. Pit [383] was 0.74m wide and 0.13m deep.

- 9.16 In Trench 8, a quarry pit [371], containing a curved Roman tile, was recorded. It was likely a quarry for chalk extraction as it was significant in size 7.56m long, 2m wide, and at 1.3m in depth from the base of the trench. The feature was not bottomed due to depth limitations.

10 CONCLUSIONS

- 10.1 Archaeological deposits and features dating from the prehistoric to Late Iron Age/Early Roman period were uncovered in 31 of the evaluation trenches. The features were mainly concentrated on the western side of site and mostly in Area 5. There were isolated undated ditches in Areas 3 and 6 and clusters of undated postholes and pits in Area 10.
- 10.2 The majority of dateable features excavated date to the Late Iron Age/Early Roman period. These consisted of enclosure ditches, quarry pits and small pits. The character of use of the area in this period appears to have been solely agricultural with some locations within the site where periodic occupation may have taken place. Several postholes found in Area 10 may suggest this slightly different character of use of that area, possibly a sparse occupation whilst the quantity of pottery, animal bones and small finds on the western side of Area 5 and southern side of Area 4 also may suggest the occupation.
- 10.3 The findings of the evaluation indicates that some areas of the site were in use during the Late Iron Age/Early Roman period. Locations of possible occupation of some areas, with the isolated ditches and pits in other areas representing farming enclosure systems point to the site being a part of agricultural landscape in the said period.

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APPENDIX 1: CONTEXT INDEX

Site Code	Context	CTX Type	CTX Equalto	Area	Trench	Fill Of	CTX Interpretation	CTX Category
KSFF23	1	Natural		5	79		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	2	Natural		5	79		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	3	Natural		5	79		NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	4	Natural		5	78		TOPSOIL SOFT DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	5	Natural		5	78		SUBSOIL SOFT REDDISH BROW SILT	Natural
KSFF23	6	Layer		5	78		COLLUVIUM MID BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Alluvial
KSFF23	7	Natural		5	78		NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	8	Natural		5	80		TOPSOIL SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	9	Natural		5	80		NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	10	Natural		5	75		TOPSOIL SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN SILK	Natural
KSFF23	11	Natural		5	75		NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	12	Natural		5	70		TOPSOIL SOFT MID BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	13	Natural		5	70		SUBSOIL FRIABLE MID REDDISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	14	Natural		5	70		NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	15	Natural		5	69		TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural

KSFF23	16	Natural		5	69	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	17	Natural		5	62	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	18	Natural		5	62	SUBSOIL FRIABLE REDDISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	19	Natural		5	62	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	20	Natural		5	77	TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	21	Natural		5	77	SUBSOIL SOFT REDDISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	22	Natural		5	77	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	23	Natural		5	51	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	24	Natural		5	51	SUBSOIL FRIABLE MID BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	25	Natural		5	51	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	26	Natural		5	56	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	27	Natural		5	56	SUBSOIL FRIABLE MID BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	28	Natural		5	56	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	29	Natural		5	63	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	30	Natural		5	63	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	31	Natural		5	64	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural

KSFF23	32	Natural		5	64	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	33	Natural		5	48	TOPSOIL COMPACT MEDIUM GREYISH BROWN	Natural
KSFF23	34	Natural		5	48	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	35	Natural		5	49	TOPSOIL COMPACT GREYISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	36	Natural		5	49	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	37	Natural		5	52	TOPSOIL SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	38	Natural		5	52	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	39	Natural		5	55	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	40	Natural		5	55	SUBSOIL FRIABLE REDDISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	41	Natural	51	5	55	COMPACT LAYER OF CLAY WITH VERY FREQUENT FLINT INCLUSIONS	Natural
KSFF23	42	Natural		5	60	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	43	Natural		5	60	COMPACT LAYER OF CLAY WITH FREQUENT FLINT INCLUSIONS FRIABLE REDDISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	44	Natural		5	60	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	45	Natural		5	66	TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	46	Natural		5	66	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	47	Natural		5	67	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural

KSFF23	48	Natural		5	67	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	49	Natural		5	68	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	50	Natural		5	68	SUBSOIL FRIABLE REDDISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	51	Natural	41	5	68	COMPACT LAYER OF CLAY WITH FREQUENT FLINT INCLUSIONS	Natural
KSFF23	52	Natural		5	71	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	53	Natural		5	71	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	54	Natural		5	72	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	55	Natural		5	72	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	56	Natural		5	74	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	57	Natural		5	74	SUBSOIL FRIABLE REDDISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	58	Natural	41 51	5	74	COMPACT LAYER OF CLAY WITH FREQUENT FLINT INCLUSIONS	Natural
KSFF23	59	Natural		5	53	TOPSOIL SOFT MEDIUM GREYISH BROWN	Natural
KSFF23	60	Natural		5	53	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	61	Natural		5	73	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	62	Natural		5	73	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	63	Natural		5	76	TOPSOIL FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	64	Natural		5	76	NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural

KSFF23	65	Natural		5	54		TOPSOIL SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	66	Natural		5	54		NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	67	Natural		5	57		TOPSOIL SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	68	Natural		5	57		NATURAL COMPACT WHITE CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	69	Natural		5	58		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	70	Natural		5	58		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	71	Natural		5	59		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	72	Natural		5	59		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	73	Natural		5	65		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	74	Natural		5	65		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	75	Natural		5	50		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	76	Layer		5	50		COLLUVIUM	Alluvial
KSFF23	77	Fill		5	53	79	TOP FILL OF DITCH COMPACT MID RED BROWN CLAYISH SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	78	Fill		5	53	79	LOWER FILL OF DITCH COMPACT LIGHT GREY SILT OCC CHALK	Infilling
KSFF23	79	Cut		5	53		CUT OF DITCH V-SHAPED, STEEP SIDED, CONCAVE BASE, NW-SE	Ditch
KSFF23	80	Void						
KSFF23	81	Void						
KSFF23	82	Fill		5	53	83	FILL OF POSTHOLE COMPACT WHITEISH BROWN SILTY CLAY	Infilling

KSFF23	83	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE STEEP SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	84	Void						
KSFF23	85	Void						
KSFF23	86	Void						
KSFF23	87	Void						
KSFF23	88	Void						
KSFF23	89	Void						
KSFF23	90	Natural		5	61		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	91	Natural		5	61		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	92	Natural		5	61		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	93	Fill		5	72	95	LOWER FILL OF DITCH LOOSE DARK ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	94	Fill		5	72	95	TOP FILL OF DITCH LOOST DARK ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	95	Cut		5	72		CUT OF DITCH CONCAVE NE-SW	Ditch
KSFF23	96	Fill		5	53	83	TOP FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM MID REDDISH BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Natural Silting
KSFF23	97	Fill		5	76	98	FILL OF DITCH LOOSE DARK ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	98	Cut		5	76		CUT OF DITCH GRADUALLY SLOPING, FLAT BASE, NW-SE	Ditch
KSFF23	99	Fill		5	76	101	TOP FILL OF DITCH LOOSE DARK ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	100	Fill		5	76	101	LOWER FILL OF DITCH FIRST LIGHT WHITEISH GREY CHALKY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	101	Cut		5	76		CUT OF DITCH GRADUAL SLOPE, FLAT BASS, NW-SE	Ditch

KSFF23	102	Fill		5	65	103	FILL OF DITCH DARK REDDISH BROWN SILTY CLAY	Infilling
KSFF23	103	Cut		5	65		CUT OF DITCH STEEP SIDES, FLAT BASE, NW-SE ORIENTED	Ditch
KSFF23	104	Fill		5	66	105	FILL OF PIT FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	105	Cut		5	66		CUT OF PIT GENTLE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Pit
KSFF23	106	Fill		5	66	107	FILL OF DITCH TERM FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	107	Cut		5	66		CUT OF DITCH TERM STEEP SIDES, CONCAVE BASE, NE-SW	Ditch
KSFF23	108	Fill		5	66	109	FILL OF DITCH TERM FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	109	Cut		5	66		CUT OF DITCH TERMINUS GENTLE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Ditch
KSFF23	110	Fill		5	66	111	FILL OF PIT FRIABLE MID BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	111	Cut		5	66		CUT OF PIT GENTLE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE, VERY SHALLOW	Pit
KSFF23	112	Fill		5	66	113	FILL OF DITCH FRIABLE DARK BROWN SILT, LARGE FLINTS THROUGHOUT	Infilling
KSFF23	113	Cut		5	66		CUT OF DITCH STEEP SIDES, CONCAVE BASE, NE-SW	Ditch
KSFF23	114	Fill		5	53	115	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM MID REDDISH BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	115	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE STEEP SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	116	Fill		5	53	117	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM MID WHITISH GREY CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	117	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole

KSFF23	118	Fill		5	53	119	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM MID GREY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	119	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole
KSFF23	120	Fill		5	53	121	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM MID GREYISH BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	121	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE STEEP SIDES, FLAT BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	122	Fill		5	53	123	FILL OF POSTHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	123	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE STEEP SIDES, FLAT BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	124	Fill		5	53	125	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM LIGHT GREY BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	125	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE STEEP SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	126	Cut		5	58		CUT OF PIT STEEP SIDES, FLAT BASE	Pit
KSFF23	127	Fill		5	58	126	FILL OF PIT SOFT DARK GREYISH BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	128	Cut		5	58		CUT OF DITCH GENTLE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Pit
KSFF23	129	Fill		5	58	128	FILL OF DITCH SOFT LIGHT GREYISH BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	130	Cut		5	57		CUT OF DITCH NW-SE	Ditch
KSFF23	131	Fill		5	57	130	FILL OF DITCH	Infilling
KSFF23	132	Cut		5	58		CUT OF DITCH SLOPED SIDES, CONCAVE BASE, N-S	Ditch
KSFF23	133	Fill		5	58	132	FILL OF DITCH LIGHT GREYISH BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	134	Cut		4	40		CUT OF DITCH MODERATE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE, E-W	Ditch

KSFF23	135	Fill		4	40	134	FILL OF DITCH SOFT MID BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	136	Cut		4	41		CUT OF DITCH SLOPED SIDES, CONCAVE BASE, NE-SW	Ditch
KSFF23	137	Fill		4	41	136	FILL OF DITCH MID ORANGEY BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	138	Cut		5	59		CUT OF DITCH VERTICAL SIDES, IRREGULAR BASE, N-S	Ditch
KSFF23	139	Fill		5	59		FILL OF DTICH ROMAN	Infilling
KSFF23	140	Cut		5	73		CUT OF PIT LARGE, VERTICLE SIDES, BASE NOT REACHED. STORAGE PIT?	Pit
KSFF23	141	Fill		5	73	140	FILL OF LARGE PIT FIRM DARK GREYISH BROWN SILT 3 METAL OBJECTS, ROMAN POT	Infilling
KSFF23	142	Cut		5	73		CUT OF POSTHOLE VERTICLE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	143	Fill		5	73	142	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM LIGHT GREYISH BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	144	Cut		5	73		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole
KSFF23	145	Fill		5	73	144	FILL OF PIT FIRM MID GREYISH BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	146	Cut		5	73		CUT OF LARGE PIT STEEP SIDES, FLAT BASE	Pit
KSFF23	147	Fill		5	73	146	FILL OF PIT FIRM MID BLUEISH GREY CHALKY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	148	Fill		5	73	146	FILL OF PIT FIRM DARK ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	
KSFF23	149	Cut		4	40		CUT OF POSTHOLE MODERATE SIDES, FLAT BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	150	Fill		4	40	149	FILL OF POSTHOLE SOFT MID BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling

KSFF23	151	Cut		4	46		CUT OF DITCH V-SHAPED SW-NE	Ditch
KSFF23	152	Fill		4	46	151	FILL OF DITCH SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	153	Fill		5	73	154	FILL OF PIT SOFT LIGHT BROWNISH GREY CHALKY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	154	Cut		5	73		CUT OF PIT SLOPED SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Pit
KSFF23	155	Fill		5	73	156	FILL OF PIT LOOSE DARK ORANGE BROWN CLAYEY SILT. FREQUENT CHARCOAL	Infilling
KSFF23	156	Cut		5	73		CUT OF PIT VERTICLE SIDES, FLAT BASE	Pit
KSFF23	157	Fill		5	73	158	FILL OF PIT FIRM LIGHT BLUEISH GREY	Infilling
KSFF23	158	Cut		5	73		CUT OF PIT STEEP SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Pit
KSFF23	159	Cut		4	43		CUT OF TREETHROW VERTICLE SIDES, IRREGULAR BASE	Natural
KSFF23	160	Fill		4	43	159	FILL OF TREETHROW FIRM MID GREYISH BROWN SILT	Natural Silting
KSFF23	161	Void						
KSFF23	162	Void						
KSFF23	163	Natural		4	43		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	164	Fill		5	73	165	FILL OF PIT LARGE AMOUNTS OF ANIMAL BONE	Infilling
KSFF23	165	Cut		5	73		CUT OF PIT POSSIBLE RUBBISH PIT?	Pit
KSFF23	166	Natural		4	40		TOPSOIL SOFT DARK BROWN SILT	Natural
KSFF23	167	Natural		4	40		NATURAL CHALK	Natural

KSFF23	168	Natural		4	46		TOPSOIL SOFT DARK GREYISH BROWN	Natural
KSFF23	169	Natural		4	46		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	170	Natural		4	46		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	171	Cut		4	46		CUT OF DITCH TERMINUS STEEP SIDES, CONCAVE BASE, N-S	Ditch
KSFF23	172	Fill		4	46	171	FILL OF DITCH TERMINUS ANIMAL BONE AND OYSTER SHELL	Infilling
KSFF23	173	Fill		4	46	171	FILL OF DITCH TERMINUS SOFT MID BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	174	Natural		4	39		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	175	Natural		4	39		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	176	Natural		4	39		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	177	Natural		4	38		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	178	Natural		4	38		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	179	Layer		4	38		COLLUVIUM FIRM DARK ORANGE BROWN	Alluvial
KSFF23	180	Natural		4	38		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	181	Natural		4	37		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	182	Natural		4	37		NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	183	Fill		5	53	184	FILL OF STAKEHOLE FIRM MID REDDISH BROWN	Natural Silting
KSFF23	184	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	185	Fill		5	53	186	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM LIGHT WHITEISH BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	186	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole

KSFF23	187	Fill		5	53	188	FILL OF PIT FIRM LIGHT WHITEISH BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	188	Cut		5	53		CUT OF PIT	Pit
KSFF23	189	Fill		5	53	190	FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	190	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	191	Fill		5	53	192	FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	192	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	193	Fill		5	53	194	FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	194	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	195	Fill		5	53	196	FILL OF POSTHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	196	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole
KSFF23	197	Fill		5	53	198	FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	198	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	199	Fill		5	53	200	FILL OF POSTHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	200	Cut		5	53		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole
KSFF23	201	Fill		5	53	202	FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	202	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	203	Fill		5	53	204	FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	204	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	205	Fill		5	53	206	FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	206	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	207	Fill		5	53		FILL OF STAKEHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	208	Cut		5	53		CUT OF STAKEHOLE	Stake-hole
KSFF23	209	Cut		4	46		CUT OF DITCH MODERATE SIDES, BASE NOT REACHED, POSSIBLE POST-MED TILE FOUND NE-SW	Ditch
KSFF23	210	Fill		4	46	209	FILL OF DITCH SOFT MID BROWN SILT	Infilling

KSFF23	211	Fill		4	46	209	FILL OF DITCH SOFT DARK BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	212	Natural		4	29		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	213	Natural		4	29		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	214	Void						
KSFF23	215	Natural		4	30		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	216	Void						
KSFF23	217	Natural		4	31		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	218	Layer		4	31		COLLUVIUM	Alluvial
KSFF23	219	Natural		4	31		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	220	Natural		4	33		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	221	Natural		4	33		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	222	Void						
KSFF23	223	Natural		4	32		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	224	Void						
KSFF23	225	Natural		4	34		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	226	Natural		4	34		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	227	Void						
KSFF23	228	Natural		4	35		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	229	Void						
KSFF23	230	Natural		4	36		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	231	Layer		4	36		COLLUVIUM	Alluvial
KSFF23	232	Natural		4	36		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	233	Cut		4	43		CUT OF DITCH VERTICLE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE SE-NW	Ditch
KSFF23	234	Fill		4	43	233	FILL OF DITCH LOOSE MID ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	235	Cut		4	43		CUT OF DITCH STEEP SIDES SE-NW	Ditch

KSFF23	236	Fill		4	43	235	FILL OF DITCH LOOSE MID ORANGEY BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	237	Void						
KSFF23	238	Natural		4	25		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	239	Layer		4	25		COLLUVIUM	Alluvial
KSFF23	240	Natural		4	25		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	241	Void						
KSFF23	242	Natural		4	26		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	243	Void						
KSFF23	244	Natural		4	27		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	245	Natural		4	27		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	246	Fill		5	124	247	FILL OF POSTHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	247	Cut		5	124		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole
KSFF23	248	Fill		5	124	250	FILL OF POSTHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	249	Fill		5	124	250	FILL OF POSTHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	250	Cut		5	124		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole
KSFF23	251	Natural		5	124		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	252	Natural		5	124		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	253	Natural		5	124		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	254	Cut		4	43		CUT OF DITCH V-SHAPED	Ditch
KSFF23	255	Fill		4	43	254	FILL OF DITCH	Infilling
KSFF23	256	Fill		4	43	254	FILL OF DITCH	Infilling
KSFF23	257	Natural		4	43		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	258	Natural		4	43		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	259	Natural		4	44		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	260	Natural		4	44		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	261	Layer		4	44		COLLUVIUM	Alluvial
KSFF23	262	Natural		4	44		NATURAL	Natural

KSFF23	263	Fill		4	45	264	FILL OF PIT	Infilling
KSFF23	264	Cut		4	45		CUT OF PIT	Pit
KSFF23	265	Fill		4	45	266	FILL OF DITCH	Infilling
KSFF23	266	Cut		4	46		CUT OF DITCH	Ditch
KSFF23	267	Natural		4	45		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	268	Natural		4	45		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	269	Natural		4	45		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	270	Cut		4	45		CUT OF LARGE PIT	Pit
KSFF23	271	Fill		4	45	270	FILL OF PIT FRIABLE LIGHT GREYISH WHITE	Infilling
KSFF23	272	Fill		4	45	270	FILL OF PIT SOFT DARK REDDISH BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	273	Void						
KSFF23	274	Natural		4	28		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	275	Natural		4	42		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	276	Natural		4	42		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	277	Natural		4	47		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	278	Natural		4	47		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	279	Cut		4	47		CUT OF DITCH V-SHAPED	Ditch
KSFF23	280	Fill		4	47	279	FILL OF DITCH SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	281	Fill		4	47	279	FILL OF DITCH	Infilling
KSFF23	282	Natural		1	9		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	283	Natural		1	9		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	284	Cut		4	47		CUT OF DITCH CORNER STEEP SIDES	Ditch
KSFF23	285	Fill		4	47	284	FILL OF DITCH CORNER	Infilling
KSFF23	286	Fill		4	47		FILL OF DITCH HARD MID BROWNISH WHITE	Infilling

KSFF23	287	Cut		4	47		CUT OF POSTHOLE	Post-hole
KSFF23	288	Fill		4	47	287	FILL OF POSTHOLE	Infilling
KSFF23	289	Natural		1			NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	290	Natural		3			TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	291	Natural		3			SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	292	Natural		3			NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	293	Natural		11	123		NATURAL	Natural
KSFF23	294	Natural		11	123		TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	295	Cut		4	45		CUT OF DITCH SE-NW	Ditch
KSFF23	296	Cut		4	45		CUT OF PIT	Pit
KSFF23	297	Cut		3	24		CUT OF SHALLOW AND NARROW DITCH NW-SE	Ditch
KSFF23	298	Fill		3	24		FILL OF DITCH LOOSE MID ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	299	Cut		3	24		CUT OF SHALLOW AND NARROW DITCH NW-SE	Ditch
KSFF23	300	Fill		3	24	299	FILL OF DITCH LOOSE MID ORANGEY BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	301	Fill		4	45	295	FILL OF DITCH FIRM MID BROWNISH GREY CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	302	Fill		4	45		FILL OF PIT FIRM LIGHT BROWNISH GREY CHALKY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	303	Fill		4	45	296	FILL OF PIT FIRM MID GREYISH BROWN CLAYEY SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	304	Cut		3	17		CUT OF SHALLOW DITCH MODERATE SIDES, FLAT BASE N-S	Ditch
KSFF23	305	Fill		3	17	304	FILL OF DITCH	Infilling
KSFF23	306	Void						
KSFF23	307	Void						
KSFF23	308	Void						

KSFF23	309	Layer		3	14		PALEOSOIL. PREHISTORIC TOPSOIL FIRM DARK GREYISH BROWN CLAYEY SILT MODERATE CHARCOAL/EVIDENCE OF BURNING	Other
KSFF23	310	Layer		3	14		PALEOSOIL. PREHISTORIC SUBSOIL FIRM MID YELLOWISH BROWN SILTY CLAY FREQUENT CHARCOAL, WORKED FLINT AND VERY DEGRADED POTTERY. IRON AGE?	Other
KSFF23	311	Layer		3	14		COMPACT MID BROWNISH ORANGE CLAY LAYER UNERLAYING PALEOSUBSOIL, OVERLAYING NATURAL CHALK. OCCASIONAL CHARCOAL	Other
KSFF23	312	Cut		5	124		CUT OF DITCH, MODERATE SIDES. STAKEHOLES RUNNING PARALLEL ON NE SIDE NW-SE	Ditch
KSFF23	313	Fill		5	124	312	FILL OF DITCH SOFT MID REDDISH BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	314	Void						
KSFF23	315	Void						
KSFF23	316	Fill		5	124	312	FILL OF DITCH SOFT MID GREYISH BROWN	Infilling
KSFF23	317	Void						
KSFF23	318	Void						
KSFF23	319	Void						
KSFF23	320	Natural		2			TOPSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	321	Natural		2			SUBSOIL FIRM MID ORANGEY BROWN	Natural
KSFF23	322	Natural		2			NATURAL MID BROWNISH ORANGE BRICK CLAY	Natural
KSFF23	323	Fill		5	124	324	FILL OF PIT FRIABLE MID BROWN SILTY CLAY	Infilling
KSFF23	324	Cut		5	124		CUT OF PIT	Pit

KSFF23	325	Cut		10	117		CUT OF PIT MODERATE SIDES, FLAT BASE	Pit
KSFF23	326	Fill		10	117	325	FILL OF SHALLOW PIT SOFT DARK GREYISH BROWN SILT	Infilling
KSFF23	327	Natural		2			NATURAL CHALK	Natural
KSFF23	328	Cut		10	118		CUT OF LARGE PIT GENTLE SIDES	Pit
KSFF23	329	Fill		10	118	328	FILL OF PIT FIRM MID BROWNISH GREY SILTY CLAY	Infilling
KSFF23	330	Cut		10	118		CUT OF PIT POSSIBLE IRON AGE?	Pit
KSFF23	331	Fill		10	118	330	FILL OF PIT IA POTTERY	Infilling
KSFF23	332	Cut		10	118		CUT OF POSTHOLE GENTLE SIDES, CONCAVE BASE	Post-hole
KSFF23	333	Fill		10	118	332	FILL OF POSTHOLE FIRM MID BROWNISH GREY	Infilling
KSFF23	334	Natural		6	96		SUBSOIL	Natural
KSFF23	335	Natural		6	96		SANDY COLLUVIUM	Natural
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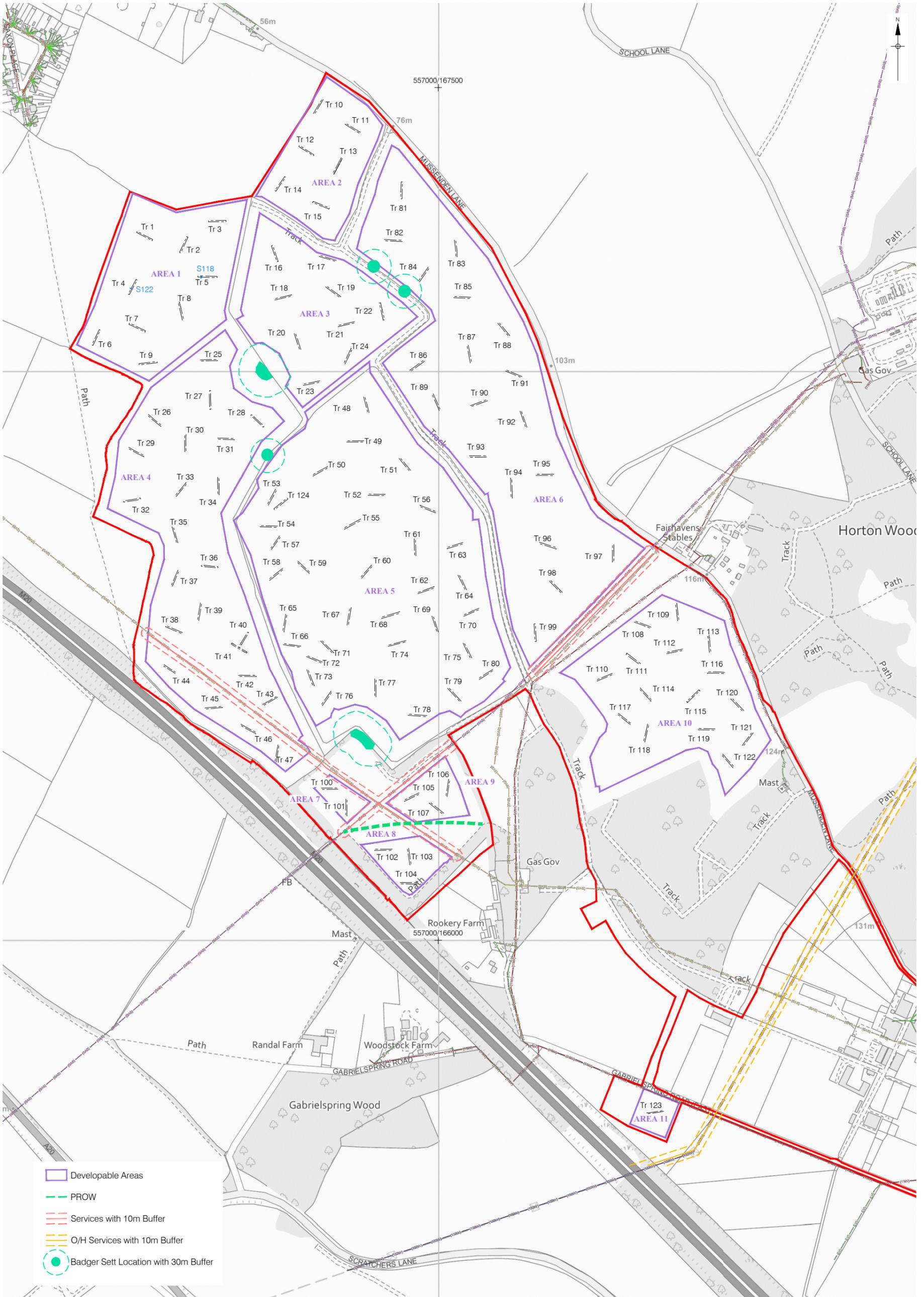
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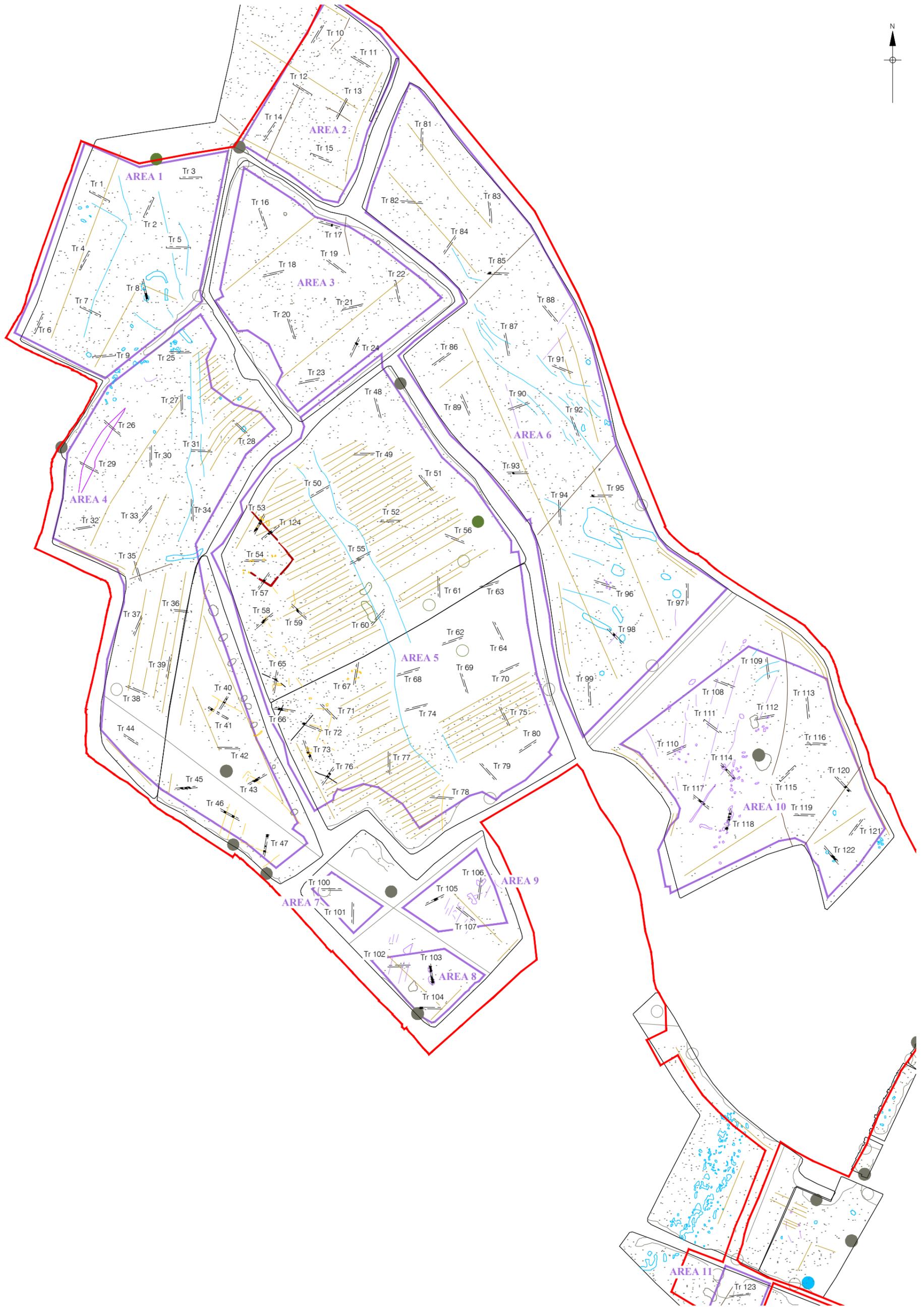
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KSFF23	383	Cut		10	122		CUT OF PIT	Pit
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KSFF23	386	Cut		10	120		CUT OF PIT	Pit
KSFF23	387	Natural		10	120		NATURAL	Natural
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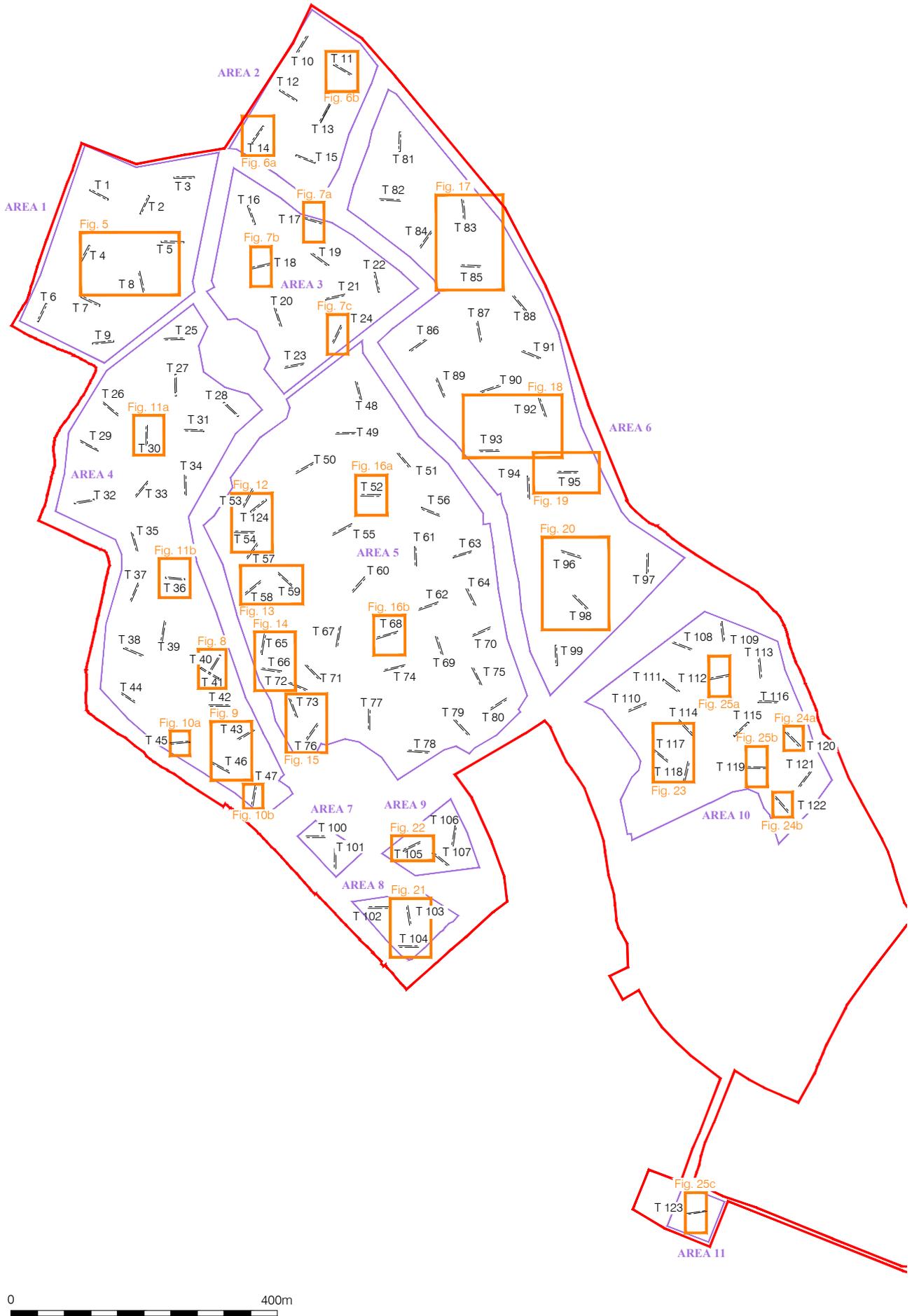
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