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Summary

Wessex Archaeology was commissioned by SolarFive Ltd. ('the client'), to undertake the archaeological evaluation of a 556 ha parcel of land located to the west of Cassington and to the east of Church Hanborough, Oxfordshire. The evaluation area extends from NGR 443639, 213718 in the north to NGR 444711, 210331 in the south.

The evaluation comprised 351 trial trenches (each measuring 50 m by 1.8 m), equating to a 0.6% sample of the proposed development area, and was undertaken between 19 August 2024 and 21 March 2025. Fourteen trenches remain unexcavated due to poor ground conditions. Four trenches were descope. Three further trenches were proposed by the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS during the course of the fieldwork and these also remain unexcavated due to poor ground conditions.

Of the 333 excavated trial trenches, 66 trenches contained significant archaeological features and deposits, indicating archaeological remains are present across the site, with distinct concentrations in the northeast, northwest, central-western and southeast areas.

The uncovered features comprised ditches, gullies, pits, furrows, drains, postholes, robbed out wall construction cuts and burials representing several periods of activity: Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age (Beaker), Iron Age, Romano-British, early medieval and medieval/post-medieval. In addition, several features remain of uncertain date.

There is also some evidence of earlier activity in the vicinity as indicated by small quantities of Mesolithic or possibly Early Neolithic tools and flakes, along with less diagnostic worked flint, found residually in later features. The evidence of activity post-dating the Romano-British period is represented by medieval pottery from a furrow, a post-medieval drain and by finds from the topsoil.

Modern features related to the current agricultural use of the site including land drains and plough scars were also encountered.

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Archaeological Evaluation

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project and planning background

- 1.1.1 Wessex Archaeology was commissioned by SolarFive Ltd. ('the client'), to undertake the archaeological evaluation of a 556 ha parcel of land located to the west of Cassington and to the east of Church Hanborough, Oxfordshire. The evaluation area extends from NGR 443639, 213718 in the north to NGR 444711, 210331 in the south (Figure 1).
- 1.1.2 An application is being prepared for a Development Consent Order (DCO) for a renewable energy generating station comprising ground-mounted photovoltaic solar arrays together with inverter units, substation, site accesses, internal access tracks, security measures, access gates, other ancillary infrastructure and landscaping and biodiversity enhancements (the Project) on land within parts of the administrative districts of West Oxfordshire, Cherwell and Vale of White Horse, all in Oxfordshire (the Project Site).
- 1.1.3 The Project Site is located to the west and north-west of Oxford and is divided into three main areas – the Northern, Central and Southern Sites - with a total area of approximately 1,300 ha. and with the proposed area of installed panels (excluding internal roads and support areas) of approximately 889 ha. These three areas are connected by a 275 kV cable route linking the power generating assets to a new National Grid Electricity Transmission (NGET) 400 kV substation which will be located within or adjacent to the Southern Site.
- 1.1.4 Examination of the archaeological potential within the Project Site to date has comprised desk-based research, site visits, a review of aerial photographic and LiDAR data, and geophysical survey.
- 1.1.5 Following discussions between RPS Consulting Services Ltd (RPS) and the Lead Archaeologist at Oxfordshire County Archaeological Services (OCAS), it was agreed that further examination of the archaeological potential within the Project Site should be undertaken ahead of the determination of the DCO application. In response to this consultation, RPS Consulting Services produced an overarching Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI) for a programme of archaeological evaluation (RPS 2024). A subsequent WSI was produced for the Central Site (Central West), (Wessex Archaeology 2024).
- 1.1.6 This Specification pertains only to the western portion of the Central Site (Central West) (Figure 1).
- 1.1.7 All works were undertaken in accordance with a written scheme of investigation (WSI) which detailed the aims, methodologies and standards to be employed (RPS 2024, Wessex Archaeology 2024).
- 1.1.8 The evaluation, comprising the excavation, investigation and recording of 351 trial trenches (each measuring 50 m by 1.8 m), equating to a 0.6% sample of the proposed development

area (Figures 2 – 25), was undertaken between 19 August 2024 and 21 March 2025. Fourteen trenches remain unexcavated due to poor ground conditions. Four trenches were descope. Three further trenches were proposed by the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS during the course of the fieldwork and these also remain unexcavated due to poor ground conditions (these were not defined in the original WSI).

1.2 Scope of the report

- 1.2.1 The purpose of this report is to provide a detailed description of the results of the evaluation, restricted to only the western portion of the Central Site (Central West). It is intended to interpret the results within a local, regional or wider archaeological context and assess whether the aims of the evaluation have been met.
- 1.2.2 The presented results will provide further information on the archaeological resource that may be impacted by the proposed development and facilitate an informed decision with regard to the requirement for, and methods of, any further archaeological mitigation.

1.3 Location, topography and geology

- 1.3.1 The proposed development area is located to the west of Kidlington; it is encircled by the settlements of Bladon, Begbroke, Yarnton, Cassington, Freeland, Eynsham, Church Hanborough and Long Hanborough. This is mostly gently undulating land with the highest areas being at Purwell Farm and Begbroke Wood. The River Evenlode flows from north to south through the western part of the Central Site before draining into the River Thames just to the south of Cassington.
- 1.3.2 Existing ground levels rise gently from 63 m aOD at the southern site boundary to 72 m aOD at the northern site boundary.
- 1.3.3 The underlying geology within the Central Site is mainly mudstone of the Forest Marble Formation, the Kellaways Clay Member, the Oxford Clay Formation and some limestone of the Forest Marble Formation and the Cornbrash Formation. A narrow band of sandstone and siltstone of the Kellaways Sand Member crosses the northern and north-western parts of the Central Site. Superficial deposits mainly consist of alluvial clay, silt, sand and gravel on either side of the River Evenlode and pockets of sand and gravel of the Northern Drift Formation (British Geological Survey 2024).
- 1.3.4 The Central Site is described as having shallow, lime-rich soils over chalk or limestone (Soilscape 3), slowly permeable, seasonally wet, slightly acid but base-rich loamy and clayey soils (Soilscape 18), free-draining slightly acid but base-rich soils (Soilscape 7), slightly acid loamy and clayey soils with impeded drainage (Soilscape 8), free-draining lime-rich loamy soils (Soilscape 5) and loamy soils with naturally high groundwater (Soilscape 22).

2 ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

2.1 Introduction

- 2.1.1 The archaeological and historical background was assessed in a prior Historic Environment Desk-based Assessment (HEDBA), prepared and forming a technical appendix to the Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR) for the Project (RPS 2023). The HEDBA considered the recorded historic environment resource within a 1 km study area of the overall proposed development (Project Site) and also includes commentary on a review of aerial photographs and LiDAR data (Air Photo Services 2023) and similar commentary on the results of a geophysical survey that has been undertaken over a considerable part

of the Project Site (Atlas Geophysical 2023). Following the publication of the PEIR for consultation, the geophysical survey has continued and now covers almost all of the developable land within the three main parts of the Project Site (RPS 2024).

- 2.1.2 A summary of the results is presented below, with additional sources of information are referenced, as appropriate.

2.2 Archaeological and historical context

Palaeolithic (900,000 - 12,000 BC)

- 2.2.1 Material of Palaeolithic date has been found within the defined 1 km study area around the main elements of the Project Site in the form of flint tools. These are most likely to have come from secondary contexts rather than from a primary place of deposition, having been moved to their discovered locations through fluvial action. Similar artefacts may be present in gravels and sands within the Project Site, particularly within the valleys of the Rivers Thames and Evenlode, but are unlikely to be disturbed from their current positions by the proposed solar farm development.

Mesolithic (12,000 – 4,000 BC)

- 2.2.2 Mesolithic activity within the defined study area is also attested predominantly by the presence of flint tools. These are less likely to have moved far from their primary deposition location (when compared to the Palaeolithic examples) but are often found during programmes of surface artefact collection or as background finds during investigations of archaeological features dating to later periods.

Neolithic and Bronze Age (4,000 – 600 BC)

- 2.2.3 Evidence for Neolithic and Bronze Age activity is widespread within the defined 1 km study area. There is a particular focus on the gravels within the floodplain of the River Thames, but also plenty of sites and features on the gently undulating ground beyond these areas. Ring ditches representing burial monuments of Bronze Age date are widespread, with cemeteries made up of multiple examples but also small groups as well as isolated individual instances. The larger groups are most likely to occur on the river floodplains, but small groups and isolated examples are known from the more elevated land within the Project Site.

Iron Age (600 BC – AD 43)

- 2.2.4 Sites and features representing Iron Age activity are also present across much of the defined study area, with larger sites such as hillforts and substantial enclosures as well as smaller settlements including unenclosed examples. There are also sites comprising groups of pits that may represent farmsteads for which the evidence of the buildings has now been lost.

Roman (AD 43 - 410)

- 2.2.5 Key features for the Roman period include the important military road known as Akeman Street which crosses the Northern Site and adjacent to which is a villa or possible a small settlement containing several buildings including a potential temple. Other Roman villas are known or postulated in the vicinity of the Northern Site.
- 2.2.6 The potential for significant Roman remains to be present in this area is emphasised by the discovery during the Project-specific geophysical survey of a probable Romano-Celtic temple complex within the Central Site, in an elevated location overlooking the valley of the River Evenlode. This site has not been previously identified and does not appear to show up on any historical aerial photographs. Another area of archaeological interest within the

Central Site may also represent a Roman villa. Some of the settlement enclosures that have been recorded as cropmarks on aerial photographs, including examples within the Project Site, may have originated during the later prehistoric period but continued in use well into the Roman period.

Early Medieval (AD 410 - 1066)

- 2.2.7 Evidence for early medieval activity within the defined 1 km study area includes settlement, but also several inhumation cemeteries are known including examples where the mounds representing Bronze Age round barrows were reused by Anglo-Saxons. These can be found on the river floodplains but are also known from more elevated areas such as Purwell Farm.

Medieval, Post-medieval and Modern (1067 - present)

- 2.2.8 There is a reduced potential for remains of medieval, post-medieval and modern activity to be present within the Project Site given the well-documented history of settlement in the area. However, some settlements have reduced in size or even disappeared altogether and remains associated with these may be present.
- 2.2.9 The Project-specific geophysical survey has potentially identified one such former settlement within the Northern Site. Elements of the Medieval and Post-medieval landscapes have been identified through a review of available LiDAR data, and in some areas are retained in the current landscape within and around the Project Site. This can include areas of woodland as well as boundaries and other earthworks.

3 AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

3.1 General aims

- 3.1.1 The general aims of the evaluation, as set out in the overarching Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI) for a programme of archaeological evaluation (RPS 2024) and stated in the Central West WSI (Wessex Archaeology 2024), were to:

- provide information about the archaeological potential of the site; and
- inform either the scope and nature of any further archaeological work that may be required; or the formation of a mitigation strategy (to offset the impact of the development on the archaeological resource); or a management strategy.

3.2 Site-specific objectives

- 3.2.1 The site-specific objectives, as set out in the overarching WSI (RPS 2024) and stated in the Central West WSI (Wessex Archaeology 2024) were to:

- To identify the nature, character, extent and possible date of archaeological sites and/or features within the Project Site;
- To assess the survival, quality, condition and significance of archaeological sites and/or features within the Project Site;
- To record the thickness of the topsoil and any subsoils covering archaeological sites and/or features within the Project Site;
- To ensure the preservation by record of all archaeological sites and/or features examined during the course of the archaeological evaluation; and
- To prepare an appropriate archaeological archive including the treatment and preservation of any artefacts.

- 3.2.2 The Solent-Thames Research Framework for the Historic Environment was published in 2014 (Hey and Hind 2014). This sets out research agendas for each archaeological and historic period. The research agendas for the Neolithic, Bronze Age, Iron Age, Roman and Later Medieval periods are likely to be the most relevant for this programme of archaeological evaluation (RPS 2024).

4 METHODS

4.1 Introduction

- 4.1.1 All works were undertaken in accordance with the detailed methods set out within the overarching WSI (RPS 2024) and stated in the Central West WSI (Wessex Archaeology 2024) and in general compliance with ClfA standards and guidance (ClfA 2023a–b). The methods employed are summarised below.
- 4.1.2 The trenches were numbered from 601 to 949, spread across 52 fields, and were assigned to spatial Blocks (Blocks 1- 9) according to access arrangements. The works form part of a larger trench array for the scheme, carried out by other contractors.
- 4.1.3 The evaluation comprised the excavation, investigation and recording of 333 trial trenches (each measuring 50 m by 1.8 m) (Figures 2 – 25). Fourteen trenches remain unexcavated due to poor ground conditions (eight of the 37 trenches in Block 3, and the six trenches comprising Block 8) and four trenches were descope (Trenches 657, 686, 687 & 852). Three further trenches were proposed by the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS during the course of the fieldwork; however, these also remain unexcavated due to poor ground conditions (consisting of three trenches in Block 2).

4.2 Fieldwork methods

General

- 4.2.1 The trench locations were set out using a Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS), in the approximate positions proposed in the WSI, although a small number of trenches (698, 845, 851, 856, 862, 922, 948 and 949) had to be slightly moved because of obstacles such as trees and located services. Four trenches (657, 686, 687 and 852) were descope from the works due to the requirements related to game bird cover.
- 4.2.2 For Trenches 750, 882 and 917, contingency areas were additionally excavated to assist further understanding of the archaeological resource and were done so following consultation with RPS Consulting Ltd and the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS.
- 4.2.3 333 (of the total 351) trial trenches, each measuring 50 m in length and 1.8 to 2 m wide, were excavated in level spits using a 360° excavator equipped with a toothless bucket, under the constant supervision and instruction of the monitoring archaeologist. Machine excavation proceeded until either the archaeological horizon or the natural geology was exposed.
- 4.2.4 Where necessary, the base of the trench/surface of archaeological deposits were cleaned by hand.
- 4.2.5 Spoil from machine stripping and hand-excavated archaeological deposits was visually scanned for the purposes of finds retrieval. All artefacts were collected, bagged and retained by context.

- 4.2.6 A sample of the archaeological features and deposits identified was hand-excavated, sufficient to address the project aims. As a general principle, small discrete features such as post-holes were fully excavated, larger discrete features were half-sectioned, long linear features were sample excavated along their length with sections distributed along the exposed length of the feature to a minimum of 10% and to investigate terminals, junctions and relationships with other features. Slots were at least 1 m wide wherever possible.
- 4.2.7 The strategy for excavation of feature types was determined through consultation with the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS and RPS, on behalf of the client, throughout the fieldwork programme. This meant that in a number of instances features were exposed and once their character had been determined at the surface level or through minimally intrusive excavation, they were left unexcavated due to their sensitive nature. This was decided on by factors including complex archaeological stratification, suspected human remains, or fragility.
- 4.2.8 Trenches completed to the satisfaction of the client's consultant and the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS were backfilled using excavated materials in the order in which they were excavated, and left level on completion. No other reinstatement or surface treatment was undertaken.

Human remains

- 4.2.9 When suspected human remains (articulated or disarticulated, cremated or unburnt), were discovered all excavation of the deposits ceased. Wessex Archaeology obtained a Ministry of Justice licence (this included cases where remains were to be left *in situ*). OCAS were notified about the discovery of human remains.
- 4.2.10 Initially the remains were left *in situ*, covered and protected, pending discussions between the client, Wessex Archaeology's osteoarchaeologist, RPS, on behalf of the client, and the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS regarding the need for excavation/removal or sampling.
- 4.2.11 Following consultation with the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS and RPS, on behalf of the client, where probable graves were exposed and their character had been determined at the surface level or through minimally intrusive investigation, they were left unexcavated due to their sensitive nature.
- 4.2.12 Excavation and post-excavation processing of human remains was in accordance with Wessex Archaeology protocols and in-line with current guidance documents (e.g., McKinley 2013) and the standards set out in ClfA Technical Paper 13 (McKinley and Roberts 1993).
- 4.2.13 The final deposition of human remains subsequent to the appropriate level of osteological analysis and other specialist sampling/examinations will follow the requirements set out in the Ministry of Justice licence.

Recording

- 4.2.14 All exposed archaeological deposits and features were recorded using Wessex Archaeology's pro forma recording system. A complete record of excavated features and deposits was made, including plans and sections drawn to appropriate scales (generally 1:20 or 1:50 for plans and 1:10 for sections) and tied to the Ordnance Survey (OS) National Grid.
- 4.2.15 A Leica GNSS connected to Leica's SmartNet service surveyed the location of archaeological features. All survey data is recorded in OS National Grid coordinates and

heights above OD (Newlyn), as defined by OSTN15 and OSGM15, with a three-dimensional accuracy of at least 50 mm.

- 4.2.16 A full photographic record was made using digital cameras equipped with an image sensor of not less than 16 megapixels. Digital images have been subject to managed quality control and curation processes, which has embedded appropriate metadata within the image and will ensure long term accessibility of the image set.

4.3 Finds and environmental strategies

- 4.3.1 Strategies for the recovery, processing and assessment of finds and environmental samples were in line with those detailed in the overarching WSI (RPS 2024) and stated in the Central West WSI (Wessex Archaeology 2024). The treatment of artefacts and environmental remains was in general accordance with: *Standard and guidance for the collection, documentation, conservation and research of archaeological materials* (ClfA 2014a), *Environmental Archaeology. A Guide to the Theory and Practice of Methods, from Sampling and Recovery to Post-excavation* (English Heritage 2011), and ClfA's (n.d. a) *Toolkit for Specialist Reporting* (Type 2: Appraisal).

4.4 Monitoring

- 4.4.1 The Lead Archaeologist at OCAS monitored the evaluation on behalf of the LPA. Any variations to the WSI, if required to better address the project aims, were agreed in advance with RPS, on behalf of the client, and the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS.

5 STRATIGRAPHIC EVIDENCE

5.1 Introduction

- 5.1.1 Of the 333 excavated trial trenches, 66 trenches contained significant archaeological features and deposits (Figures 2 – 25), indicating archaeological remains are present across the site, with distinct concentrations in the northeast, northwest, central-western and southeast areas (Figures 26 - 25), (Tables 1 and 2).
- 5.1.2 The uncovered features comprising ditches, gullies, pits, furrows, drains, postholes, possible robbed out wall foundation cuts and burials represent several periods of activity: Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age (Beaker), Iron Age, Romano-British, potential Anglo-Saxon and medieval/post-medieval. In addition, several features remain of uncertain date.
- 5.1.3 There is also some evidence of earlier activity in the vicinity as indicated by small quantities of Mesolithic or possibly Early Neolithic tools and flakes, along with less diagnostic worked flint, found residually in later features. The evidence of activity post-dating the Romano-British period is represented by medieval pottery from a furrow and by finds from the topsoil.
- 5.1.4 Modern features related to the current agricultural use of the site including land drains and plough scars were also encountered.
- 5.1.5 The following section presents the results of the evaluation with archaeological features and deposits discussed by period. Within each period section the trenches are discussed in sequential order to aid with ease of reading.
- 5.1.6 Detailed descriptions of individual contexts are provided in the trench summary tables (Appendix 1). Figures 2 - 25 show all archaeological features recorded within the trenches, together with the preceding geophysical survey results (Atlas Geophysical 2023). Figures

26 - 35 provide detail of concentrations of features in various parts of the site, together with the preceding geophysical survey results (Atlas Geophysical 2023).

5.1.7 The results of the trenches were variable in terms of the archaeological significance and trenches were designated as below (Table 1), which demonstrates that 66 trenches contained significant archaeological features and deposits; 122 trenches contained features of low significance (furrows and land drains), and 145 trenches contained no discernible archaeology. Four trenches were descope and a further seventeen trenches were not excavated due to continual waterlogged ground conditions (Figures 44, 45 & 46).

- Archaeology Present – features or deposits of potential significance, primarily based on form, date, density or proximity to similar results
- Low level archaeology – features of archaeological origin but of either modern date consisting of land drains, other post-medieval to modern drainage features, undated probable land drains or medieval/post-medieval furrows
- No archaeology – no features or deposits identified as the result of human activity

Table 1 Summary of results

Archaeological Rating	Trenches	Total
Archaeology present	609, 611, 612, 613, 624, 630, 631, 633, 634, 646, 679, 680, 681, 682, 693, 710, 711, 712, 737, 743, 745, 747, 748, 749, 750, 773, 777, 784, 785, 816, 818, 820, 823, 825, 826, 833, 834, 840, 842, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 856, 857, 858, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 882, 885, 902, 913, 914, 917, 918, 923, 943, 952, 953	66
Low level archaeology present	625, 627, 628, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 645, 647, 648, 649, 653, 655, 658, 659, 660, 661, 663, 664, 665, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 683, 684, 688, 690, 694, 695, 697, 699, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 720, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 730, 735, 736, 738, 739, 741, 746, 753, 761, 774, 776, 779, 780, 781, 782, 787, 790, 791, 792, 794, 796, 797, 800, 805, 806, 808, 813, 819, 830, 832, 835, 836, 838, 843, 844, 853, 859, 860, 864, 865, 881, 892, 894, 895, 906, 907, 916, 919, 920, 921, 922, 924, 926, 928, 933, 934, 936, 938, 939, 941, 942, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948,	122
No archaeology / blank	610, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 626, 629, 632, 643, 644, 650, 651, 652, 654, 656, 662, 666, 685, 689, 691, 692, 696, 698, 701, 703, 705, 707, 709, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 721, 722, 729, 731, 732, 733, 734, 740, 742, 744, 751, 752, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 775, 778, 783, 786, 788, 789, 793, 795, 798, 799, 801, 802, 803, 804, 807, 809, 810, 811, 812, 814, 815, 817, 821, 822, 824, 827, 828, 829, 831, 837, 839, 841, 845, 854, 855, 861, 862, 863, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 880, 883, 884, 893, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 903, 904, 905, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 915, 925, 927, 929, 930, 931, 932, 935, 937, 940, 949	145
Unexcavated trenches	601-608, 886-891	17



Archaeological Rating	Trenches	Total
Trenches descope	657, 686, 687, 852	4
Total		352

5.1.8 The results of the trenches along with broad dating of the significant features are summarised below (Table 2):

Table 2 Trench results summarised

Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
601	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
602	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
603	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
604	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
605	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
606	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
607	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
608	2.62	Trench not excavated	3			
609	2.63	Y	3		Quarry pit 60903	undated
610	2.63	N	3			
611	2.63	Y	3		Possible small pit 61103	undated
612	2.63	Y	3		Pit 61203, ditch 61205, ditch terminus 61207	undated possibly post-medieval
613	2.63	Y	3		Possible small pit 61303	undated
614	2.63	N	3			
615	2.64	N	3			
616	2.64	N	3			
617	2.64	N	3			
618	2.64	N	3			
619	2.65	N	3			
620	2.65	N	3			
621	2.65	N	3			
622	2.65	N	3			
623	2.65	N	3			
624	2.65	Y	3		Possible small pit 62404, ditch 62406	undated possibly modern
625	2.65	N	3	1 land drain		
626	2.65	N	3			
627	2.66	N	3	2 land drains		
628	2.66	N	3	1 modern disturbance, Land drain		
629	2.66	N	3			



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
630	2.66	Y	3	3 furrows	Possible small pit 63008, 3 furrows	? prehistoric pit medieval/post-medieval furrows
631	2.66	Y	3	1 furrow	ditch 63103, culvert 63107	? prehistoric ditch medieval/post-medieval furrow
632	2.66	N	3			
633	2.66	Y	3		ditch 63304	undated
634	2.66	Y	3		?ditch 63404	undated
635	2.66	N	3	1 land drain, natural feature		
636	2.66	N	3			
637	2.66	N	3	1 furrow		
638	2.69	N	4	2 land drains		
639	2.69	N	4	2 land drains		
640	2.69	N	4	1 land drain		
641	2.69	N	4	1 land drain		
642	2.69	N	4	1 land drain		
643	2.69	N	4			
644	2.69	N	4			
645	2.69	N	4	1 land drain		
646	2.7	Y	4		ditch 64603, ditch 64607	Iron Age and undated
647	2.7	N	4	1 land drain		
648	2.7	N	4	1 land drain		
649	2.71	N	4	modern concrete foundation		
650	2.71	N	4			
651	2.71	N	4			
652	2.71	N	4			
653	2.71	N	4	natural water channel		
654	2.71	N	4			
655	2.71	N	4	plough scars		
656	2.71	N	4			
657	2.72	X	5			
658	2.74	N	5	1 land drain		
659	2.74	N	5	2 land drains		
660	2.74	N	5	1 land drain		
661	2.74	N	5	1 land drain		
662	2.74	N	5			
663	2.75	N	5	1 land drain		
664	2.75	N	5	2 land drains		
665	2.75	N	5	1 land drain		
666	2.75	N	5			
667	2.75	N	5	1 land drain		
668	2.76	N	5	1 land drain		



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
669	2.76	N	5	1 land drain		
670	2.76	N	5	1 land drain, plough scars		
671	2.76	N	5	5 land drains		
672	2.76	N	5	1 land drain		
673	2.77	N	5	1 land drain		
674	2.77	N	5	2 land drains, plough scars		
675	2.77	N	5	2 land drains		
676	2.77	N	5	1 land drain		
677	2.77	N	5	1 land drain		
678	2.77	N	5	2 land drains		
679	2.78	Y	5		pit 67904, ditch 67909, unexc 67912	Romano-British
680	2.78	Y	5		ditches 68003, 68005, unexc 68007	Romano-British
681	2.78	Y	5		ditch 68103	Romano-British
682	2.78	Y	5		ditch 68203, construction cuts 68211, 68214, 68216, robber trench 68206, 68212, 68218, 68221, 68224	Romano-British
683	2.78	N	5	1 land drain		
684	2.78	N	5	1 land drain		
685	2.78	N	5			
686	2.79	X	5			
687	2.79	X	5			
688	2.8	N	5	2 land drains		
689	2.8	N	5			
690	2.8	N	5	1 land drain		
691	2.8	N	5			
692	2.8	N	5			
693	2.8	Y	5	1 land drain	ditch 69307	? Romano-British
694	2.8	N	5	3 land drains		
695	2.8	N	5	2 land drains		
696	2.81	N	5			
697	2.81	N	5	1 land drain		
698	2.81	N	5			
699	2.81	N	5	2 land drains		
700	2.81	N	5	1 poss land drain		
701	2.81	N	5			
702	2.82	N	5	1 land drain		
703	2.82	N	5			
704	2.82	N	5	2 land drains, stone drainage 70403		



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
705	2.82	N	5			
706	2.82	N	5	1 land drain		
707	2.82	N	5			
708	2.82	N	5	11 land drains		
709	2.82	N	5			
710	2.84	Y	4		ditches 71003, 71005	undated ? prehistoric
711	2.84	Y	4		Pit/burial unexc 71104, ditches 71106, 71108	Iron Age ? pit/burial, ditches undated
712	2.84	Y	4		ditch 71203	prehistoric
713	2.84	N	4			
714	2.84	N	4			
715	2.84	N	4			
716	2.84	N	4			
717	2.84	N	4			
718	2.84	N	4			
719	2.84	N	4			
720	2.86	N	5	1 land drain		
721	2.86	N	5			
722	2.86	N	5			
723	2.86	N	5	1 land drain, 1 furrow		
724	2.86	N	5	2 land drains		
725	2.86	N	5	2 land drains		
726	2.87	N	7	2 land drains		
727	2.87	N	7	1 land drain		
728	2.88	N	7	2 land drains		
729	2.88	N	7			
730	2.78	N	5	1 land drain		
731	2.88	N	7			
732	2.88	N	7			
733	2.88	N	7			
734	2.88	N	7			
735	2.88	N	7	2 land drains		
736	2.89	N	5	1 land drain		
737	2.89	Y	5	1 land drain	ditch terminus 73704	undated
738	2.89	N	5	1 land drain		
739	2.89	N	5	1 land drain		
740	2.89	N	5			
741	2.89	N	5	1 land drain		
742	2.92	N	6			
743	2.92	Y	6		ditches 74303, 74305	post-medieval ditch undated ditch



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
744	2.92	N	6			
745	2.92	Y	6	1 natural feature	ditches 74503, 74507, 74509, 74511,	prehistoric ditch undated ditches
746	2.92	N	6	6 Land drains		
747	2.92	Y	6		ditches 74704, 74706, 74708, 74710, 74712, recut 74719	Iron Age ditch undated ditches
748	2.92	Y	6		postholes 74804, 74806, 74808	prehistoric
749	2.92	Y	6		pit 74904, posthole 74906	Iron Age feature and associated post
750	2.92	Y	6	furrow 75008	ditches 75004, 75006, pits 75010, 75012, 75014, 75016, posthole 75018	Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age - Beaker
751	2.92	N	6			
752	2.92	N	6			
753	2.92	N	6	3 land drains		
754	2.92	N	6			
755	2.92.2	N	6			
756	2.92.3	N	6			
757	2.92.3	N	6			
758	2.92.3	N	6			
759	2.92.3	N	6			
760	2.92.3	N	6			
761	2.92.3	N	6	1 land drain		
762	2.92.3	N	6			
763	2.92.3	N	6			
764	2.92.3	N	6			
765	2.92.3	N	6			
766	2.93	N	7			
767	2.94	N	7			
768	2.94	N	7			
769	2.94	N	7			
770	2.94	N	7			
771	2.94	N	7			
772	2.94	N	7			
773	2.95	Y	7	1 land drain	ditch 77303	undated
774	2.95	N	7	1 land drain		
775	2.95	N	7			
776	2.95	N	7	1 land drain		
777	2.95	Y	7		ditches 77703, 77705, 77707, 77709, 77711, postholes 77713, 77715, 77717, 77719	Iron Age
778	2.95	N	7			



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
779	2.95	N	7	1 feature ? Geology		
780	2.95	N	7	2 land drains		
781	2.95	N	7	? Stone filled land drain		
782	2.95	N	7	3 land drains		
783	2.95	N	7			
784	2.95	Y	7		pit 78403	undated
785	2.95	Y	7		pit 78503	undated
786	2.95	N	7			
787	2.95	N	7	plough scars		
788	2.95	N	7			
789	2.95	N	7			
790	2.96	N	7	5 land drains		
791	2.96	N	7	1 land drain		
792	2.96	N	7	furrow 79203		
793	2.96	N	7			
794	2.96	N	7	2 land drains		
795	2.97	N	7			
796	2.97	N	7	3 furrows, 4 land drains (not mapped)		
797	2.97	N	7	1 land drain		
798	2.97	N	7			
799	2.97	N	7			
800	2.97	N	7	3 land drains		
801	2.97	N	7			
802	2.98	N	7			
803	2.98	N	7			
804	2.98	N	7			
805	2.98	N	7	1 land drain, 1 patch burnt bioturbation		
806	2.98	N	7	1 land drain		
807	2.98	N	7			
808	2.98	N	7	1 land drain		
809	2.98	N	7			
810	2.98	N	7			
811	2.98	N	7			
812	2.99	N	7			
813	2.99	N	7	1 land drain		
814	2.99	N	7			
815	2.99	N	7			
816	2.100.0	Y?	7		linear feature 81605 ? Base of land drain	undated



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
817	2.100.0	N	7			
818	2.100.0	Y	7		pit 81805	Iron Age
819	2.100.0	N	7	2 furrows		
820	2.100.0	Y	7		ditches 82004, 82006, 82008, pit 82010	undated ? prehistoric ring ditch
821	2.100.0	N	7			
822	2.100.0	N	7			
823	2.100.0	Y	7		uncertain linear 82304	uncertain ? post-medieval
824	2.100.0	N	7			
825	2.100.0	Y	7		pit with dog burial 82504	undated
826	2.100.0	Y	7	furrow 82606	ditch 82604	undated
827	2.101	N	7			
828	2.101	N	7			
829	2.101	N	7			
830	2.101	N	7	4 land drains, 2 furrows		
831	2.101	N	7			
832	2.102	N	7	4 ridge and furrow		
833	2.102	Y	7		ditch terminus 83304, ditch 83306	undated
834	2.102	Y	7		ditch 83404, pit 83407	undated
835	2.102	N	7	1 furrow		
836	2.102	N	7	1 furrow		
837	2.102	N	7			
838	2.103	N	7	2 land drains, 2 furrows		
839	2.103	N	7			
840	2.103	Y	7		ditches 84004, 84006	undated
841	2.103	N	7			
842	2.103	Y?	7	2 land drains, 1 furrow 84203	Possible pit 84205	undated
843	2.103	N	7	2 land drains		
844	2.103	N	7	1 land drain, 5 furrows		
845	2.104	N	7			
846	2.104	Y	7		pit 84603	undated
847	2.104	Y	7		pits 84705, 84709, 84713, ditches 84703, 84707, 84711, 84718	Iron Age
848	2.104	Y	7	4 land drains	ditch 84803	undated
849	2.104	Y	7		ditch 84904, pits 84906, 84908	undated
850	2.104	Y	7		pits 85004, 85008, 85023, ditches 85006, 85016, 85028 postholes 85010, 85035, construction trench 85012, 85014, 85031,	Iron Age and undated



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
					85033, 85043 robber trench 85021, 85027, 85041, unexcavated pit/postholes 85037, 85039	
851	2.104	Y	7		ditches 85103, 85109, 85111, 85115, pit 85107, postholes 85105, 85118	Iron Age and undated
852	2.104	X	7			
853	2.104	N	7	1 land drain		
854	2.104	N	7			
855	2.104	N	7			
856	2.104	Y	7	1 furrow	cremation 85604	? prehistoric
857	2.104	Y	7		linear feature 85703, ditch 85706	Iron Age
858	2.104	Y	7	6 land drains	ditches 85804, 85808	Iron Age and post-medieval
859	2.104	N	7	4 land drains, 1 furrow 85903		
860	2.104	N	7	5 land drains. 1? Furrow		
861	2.105	N	7			
862	2.105	N	7			
863	2.105	N	7			
864	2.106	N	7	3 land drains		
865	2.106	N	7	1 land drain		
866	2.106	N	7			
867	2.106	N	7			
868	2.108	N	7			
869	2.108	N	7			
870	2.108	N	7			
871	2.110.0	N	7			
872	2.110.0	N	7			
873	2.110.0	Y	7		ditches 87305, 87309, pits 87307, 87311, 87313	undated ? Iron Age
874	2.110.0	Y	7	2 land drains	ditches 87404, 87406, 87408, 87410, 87413, pit/postholes 87415, 87423, 87425, 87427, 87429, 87431, uncertain features 87417, 87419, 87421	Iron Age 1 x modern ditch
875	2.110.0	Y	7		ditches 87504, 87506, 87510, 87514, 87518, 87520, 87524, 87526, 87530, pits 87508, 87516 pit /postholes 87512, 87522, 87532, 87534, 87536, 87539, 87541, uncertain feature 87528	Iron Age



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
876	2.110.0	Y	7		ditches 87603, 87605, 87607, 87609, 87611, 87613, 87616, 87619	Iron Age
877	2.110.0	Y	7	3 land drains	ditches 87704, 87706, 87708, 87711, 87719, 87721, 87725, pits 87713, 87715, 87717, 87723	Iron Age
878	2.110.0	Y	7		ditches 87804, 87806, 87808, pit/horse burial 87810	Romano-British + Modern
879	2.110.0	Y	7		pit/mammal burial 87904	undated ? Iron Age
880	2.110.0	N	7			
881	2.110.0	N	7	4 furrows		
882	2.110.0	Y	7		ditches 88205, 88207, pit 88209	Iron Age and undated
883	2.110.0	N	7			
884	2.110.0	N	7			
885	2.110.0	Y	7		extraction pit 88504	Romano-British
886	2.111	Trench not excavated	8			
887	2.111	Trench not excavated	8			
888	2.111	Trench not excavated	8			
889	2.112	Trench not excavated	8			
890	2.112	Trench not excavated	8			
891	2.112	Trench not excavated	8			
892	2.113	N	9	1 land drain		
893	2.113	N	9			
894	2.113	N	9	1 land drain		
895	2.113	N	9	3 land drains		
896	2.114	N	9			
897	2.114	N	9			
898	2.114	N	9			
899	2.114	N	9			
900	2.114	N	9			
901	2.114	N	9			
902	2.114	Y	9		posthole 90204	undated
903	2.114	N	9			
904	2.115	N	9			
905	2.115	N	9			
906	2.115	N	9	1 natural feature		
907	2.115	N	9	2 land drains		
908	2.115	N	9			
909	2.115	N	9			



Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
910	2.115	N	9			
911	2.115	N	9			
912	2.115	N	9			
913	2.115	Y	9	2 land drain	pit 91303	undated
914	2.115	Y	9		pit 91404	undated
915	2.115	N	9			
916	2.115	N	9	2 land drains		
917	2.115	Y	9		Ring ditch 91727, unexcavated human graves (no. 20) 91703, 91705, 91707, 91709, 91711, 91713, 91715, 91717, 91719, 91721, 91723, 91725, 91729, 91736, 91738, 91740, 91742, 91746, 91748, 91752, postholes 91731, 91733, 91744, 91750	Likely early medieval
918	2.115	Y	9		pits 91804, 91806	undated
919	2.118	N	9	2 land drains		
920	2.118	N	9	1 land drain		
921	2.118	N	9	1 land drain		
922	2.118	N	9	5 land drains		
923	2.118	Y?	9	5 furrows, 92303	5 furrows, 92303	post-medieval/modern
924	2.118	N	9	1 land drain		
925	2.118	N	9			
926	2.120.0	N	9	1 land drain		
927	2.120.0	N	9			
928	2.120.0	N	9	2 land drains		
929	2.120.0	N	9			
930	2.120.0	N	9			
931	2.120.0	N	9			
932	2.120.0	N	9			
933	2.120.0	N	9	1 land drain		
934	2.6	N	1	1 land drain		
935	2.6	N	1			
936	2.6	N	1	1 land drain, 6 furrows		
937	2.6	N	1			
938	2.6	N	1	1 land drain		
939	2.6	N	1	2 land drains		
940	2.6	N	1			
941	2.57	N	1	2 furrows		
942	2.57	N	1	1 land drain		
943	2.57	Y	1	1 land drain	linear feature 94304	undated

Trench	Field No.	Archaeology?	Block	Non-significant features	Archaeologically significant features	Dating
944	2.58	N	1	1 land drain		
945	2.58	N	1	6 land drains		
946	2.58	N	1	2 furrows		
947	2.58	N	1	1 land drain		
948	2.59	N	1	1 land drain		
949	2.59	N	1			
952	2.115	Y	9		Recorded under Trench 917	Likely early medieval
953	2.115	Y	9		Recorded under Trench 917	Likely early medieval

5.2 Soil sequence and natural deposits

- 5.2.1 In general, the trenches closer to the River Evenlode demonstrated underlying geology consistent with clayey riverine deposits, intermittently overlain by clayey subsoils and gravel patches, with evidence of gleying and waterlain material. All deposits were overlain by topsoil.
- 5.2.2 In the areas further away from the River Evenlode, the sediment sequence revealed the underlying bedrock directly overlain by the modern topsoil/plough horizon, with approximately one third of the trenches showing evidence of a subsoil or an intermediary colluvial layer.
- 5.2.3 It should be noted that unless otherwise stated all features were stratigraphically truncating the natural geology and sealed by subsoil, or topsoil if no subsoil was present.

5.3 Late Neolithic / Early Bronze Age (2850 BC–1600 BC)

- 5.3.1 A potential Beaker barrow cemetery was revealed in the central-western portion of the site, focussed on Trench 750 which targeted a circular geophysical anomaly (Figure 51). The trench, which was expanded on the advice of the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS, revealed the barrow ditch, several graves containing Beaker vessels, a posthole and medieval/post-medieval furrows.

Trench 750 (Figures 11, 12 and 29)

- 5.3.2 Trench 750 revealed a curvilinear barrow ditch 75004/75006/75002 measuring 9.5 m in diameter, three graves to the north of the barrow (75010, 75012 and 75014), and a central grave 75016 with an adjacent posthole 75018.
- 5.3.3 Two pits were observed to the east of the barrow, one of which remains unexcavated (Pit 75026). Pit 75024, immediately to the west of the barrow ditch measured 1.2 m in width, 0.25 m in depth and contained a single artefactually sterile fill 750025, similar to that observed in the adjacent barrow ditch 75022 (Figure 52). The function of the pits remains uncertain although their proximity to the barrow suggest they are in some way related to funerary activity.
- 5.3.4 Two potential medieval/post-medieval furrows were also observed within the trench on a broad northeast/southwest alignment, one of which, furrow 75008, was excavated to confirm its interpretation.

Barrow ditch 75004/75006/75022

- 5.3.5 The north, south and eastern portion of a potential barrow ditch were observed within the limited confines of the evaluation trench.
- 5.3.6 The southern portion of the barrow ditch had moderate, straight sides and a U-shaped base measuring 0.95 m in width and 0.37 m in depth and contained a light yellowish brown sandy silt loam with common rounded and sub-angular gravels. (Figure 39, section 26).
- 5.3.7 The northern portion of the barrow ditch had moderate, straight sides and a more V-shaped base. The ditch measured 0.76 m in width and 0.36 m in depth, containing a similar sandy silt loam fill (Figure 39, section 27).
- 5.3.8 The eastern portion of the barrow ditch had moderate, straight sides and a U-shaped base measuring 1.1 m in width and 0.41 m in depth and contained a light yellowish brown sandy clay with abundant pebbles and gravels.
- 5.3.9 No datable artefacts were recovered from the barrow ditch fills.

Graves 75010, 75012, 75014 & 75016

- 5.3.10 Three Beaker graves were revealed to the north of the barrow (Graves 75010, 75012 and 75014), along with a larger central grave, 75016. The central grave had an adjacent posthole, 75018, to its southwest, although its function and relationship to the grave/barrow remains uncertain although its proximity suggest it is in some way related to funerary activity.
- 5.3.11 Grave 75010 was sub-circular in shape with its long axis aligned north-south, had steep, straight sides to a flat base. The grave measured 1.20 m in length, 0.80 m in width and 0.85 m in depth and contained a single deliberate backfill of reddish-brown sandy clay with abundant gravels 5-80mm. The grave contained a complete beaker vessel, five flint arrowheads, a flint blade and an archer's wrist guard (ON's 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66 & 67).
- 5.3.12 Grave 75012 was oval in plan with vertical, straight sides to a flat base. The grave measured 0.92 m to 1.08 m in width and 0.81 m in depth, containing a deliberate backfill of stoney orange-brown sandy silt (Figure 39, section 30). The grave contained a Beaker vessel (Figure 51), a jet/shale ring (Figure 66), worked flint tools, an incised stone (Figure 65) and an archer's wrist guard (Figure 67) (ON's 54, 55, 56, 57, 58 & 59).
- 5.3.13 Grave 75014 was sub-oval in shape with its long axis aligned northeast-southwest, had vertical, straight sides and an irregular / undulating base. The grave measured 1.62 m in length, 0.86 m in width and 0.79 m in depth, containing a deliberate backfill of mid reddish brown sandy gravel (Figure 39, section 29). The grave contained two Beaker vessels, two archer's wrist guards (Figure 67), one flint scraper (Figure 64) and a flint arrowhead (Figure 62) (ON's 68, 69, 70, 71, 72 & 73).
- 5.3.14 The central grave, 75016, was sub-rectangular in shape with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. The grave was larger than those discussed above, measuring 2.6 m in length, 1.95 m in width and in excess of 0.60 m in depth (Figure 40, section 31). The full depth of the feature was not ascertained due to articulated human remains being observed at 0.6 m in depth. Hand excavation stopped at this point in order to preserve the remains *in-situ*. Three deliberate clay silt backfill episodes were noted within the grave, the lowest of these, 75017 containing the human remains, a Beaker vessel (Figure 51) (ON 53) which was left *in-situ*, was also noticeably charcoal rich.

- 5.3.15 Five environmental samples were taken from inside and around Beaker vessels (Samples 51 -55). No charred plant remains, or charcoal was present in these samples.
- 5.3.16 Posthole 75018 was sub-square in shape with vertical, straight sides and a flat base, measuring 0.58 m in width and 0.16 m in depth and contained mid red brown pebble rich gravel fill (Figure 40, section 31).

5.4 Iron Age (800 BC–AD 43)

- 5.4.1 A distinct concentration of Iron Age features was revealed in the southeast portion of the site (Figures 28-34). The features which consisted of ditches, pits and postholes are thought to represent settlement activity. Several other features in the vicinity contained only broadly datable prehistoric artefacts, however, where these can be shown to have association with or similar function to the Iron Age features, they are discussed here.

Trench 646 (Figure 4)

- 5.4.2 Trench 646 uncovered two almost parallel linear features which were slightly curvilinear in plan and corresponded to the position of a possible ring ditch revealed by the preceding geophysical survey.
- 5.4.3 Ditch 64603 was approximately east-west aligned and was located to the south of ditch, 64607. Ditch 64603 was 2.5 m wide and 0.55 m deep, with a steep profile cut into the underlying limestone natural (Figure 36, section 1). The ditch contained three fills, fill 64604, at the base was consistent with erosion and weathering from the sides and base. The overlying 0.23 m thick fill, 64605, with rare charcoal flecks, may have been a gradually accumulated fill and contained two sherds of Iron Age pottery. The uppermost 0.26 m thick fill 64606, was a fine textured sediment with rare charcoal flecks. An environmental sample (sample 150) taken from the middle ditch fill contained rare glume bases, some of which can be identified as belonging to spelt wheat and trace cereal grains, none of which can be identified beyond indeterminate cereal. A small amount of charcoal was also present.
- 5.4.4 Ditch 64607 was 1.51 m wide and 0.38 m deep, with a steep profile cut into the underlying limestone natural (Figure 36, section 2 & Figure 48). The ditch contained two artefactually sterile fills, the lower 0.13 m thick fill, 64609, was consistent with a combination of weathered material from the sides and base and larger stone inclusions that may have weathered in (from the edges or from within a bank or mound) or been discarded. The overlying 0.25 m thick fill, 64608, may have been a gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding subsoil, topsoil and any heaped-up deposits in the vicinity.

Trench 711 (Figures 8 and 27)

- 5.4.5 The trench uncovered a possible grave positioned between two ditches which were slightly curvilinear in plan and corresponded to the position of a possible circular ring ditch measuring 9.5 m in diameter revealed by the preceding geophysical survey.
- 5.4.6 The easternmost ditch, 71106, was approximately NNE-SSW aligned. The ditch was 1.4 m wide and 0.31 m deep, with a concave profile cut into the underlying natural (Figure 37, section 16). The single shallow fill, 71107, may have been a combination of weathered material from the sides and base and gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding deposits.
- 5.4.7 The western ditch, 71108, was 0.98 m wide and 0.22 m deep, with a shallow sloped sided to flat base profile. The single fill, 71109, may have been a combination of weathered

material from the sides and base and gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding deposits.

- 5.4.8 Neither slot through the ditch contained any artefacts by which to date the feature or give an indication of use, although the form of the features and the spatial association with possible grave 71104, indicated a potential Iron Age date for the ditch.
- 5.4.9 Pit 71104 was oval in plan and measured over 1.7 m in plan. The uppermost visible fill 71105 exposed part of a human ulna (suggesting the feature is probably a grave), a flint blade and a fragment of Iron Age pottery. As the feature was interpreted as a potential human burial, the remains were left *in situ*, and no further excavation was undertaken.

Trench 747 (Figures 12 and 28)

- 5.4.10 The trench uncovered five broadly east-west trending linear features, all towards the north end of the trench. Two ditches (74710 & 74712) corresponded to the position of an annular anomaly shown on the geophysical survey, with a potential inner circular ditch (74708 & 74706) and a further ditch, 74704, visible as a faint linear anomaly of uncertain function revealed by the preceding geophysical survey.
- 5.4.11 Feature 74704 was north-west to south-east aligned, measured 0.8 m wide and 0.3 m deep, with a slightly irregular concave profile, and was interpreted as a possible boundary ditch (Figure 39, section 24). The single fill, 74705, was consistent with general accumulation from a mix of sources in the surrounding area and a degree of deliberate rubbish disposal as seen by the artefacts, including seventeen sherds of Iron Age pottery and animal bone.
- 5.4.12 The fill, 74705, was truncated by a later feature on the same alignment, 74719, which was interpreted as a recut of the earlier ditch, that would indicate a longevity to the feature. The recut ditch measured 0.65 m wide and 0.32 m. The recut contained two fills, the lower 0.25 m thick fill, 74718, was derived from the weathered feature sides. The upper fill, 74717, was 0.32 m thick and was consistent with gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding deposits and incorporated a small assemblage of Iron Age pottery, animal bone and burnt flint.
- 5.4.13 Ditch 74706 was 0.96 m wide and 0.38 m deep and had a steep V-shaped profile. It was aligned WNW to ESE and contained two fills. The lower fill, 74716, was 0.1 m thick and was an artefactually sterile, fine textured, water lain clay. The upper fill, 74707, was 0.28 m thick and derived from the weathered feature sides and surrounding deposits and contained a small number of animal bone fragments.
- 5.4.14 Ditch 74708 was similar in form to ditch 74706 and is perhaps a continuation of said feature. It measured 0.83 m wide and 0.38 m deep and had a steep V-shaped profile. The ditch contained two fills, the lower fill, 74716, was 0.21 m thick and was consistent with a natural redeposition of material. The upper fill, 74709, was 0.18 m thick and derived from the weathered feature sides and surrounding deposits and contained a small number of animal bone fragments.
- 5.4.15 Ditch 74710 was aligned east to west, measured 2.18 m wide and 0.66 m deep, had uneven sides and base, containing two fills (Figure 39, section 23). The ditch corresponded with an annular anomaly shown on the geophysical survey. The lower fill, 74714, was 0.57 m thick, fine textured waterlain clay suggesting a damp period after the feature was abandoned and contained a small number of animal bone fragments. The upper fill, 74711, was 0.4 m thick deposit which had a significant amount of material derived from discarded rubbish, that included moderate quantities of Iron Age pottery, animal bone and charcoal.

- 5.4.16 Ditch 74712 was ENE-WSW aligned, corresponded with an annular anomaly shown on the geophysical survey (a continuation of ditch 74710), measured 0.57m wide and 0.32 m deep with a profile notably similar to ditches 47406 and 74708 discussed above. The single fill, 74713, was derived from a mix of sources, and although a small amount of charcoal was noted within the sediment, however, no datable artefacts were recovered.

Trench 749 (Figure 11, 12 and 29)

- 5.4.17 A possible posthole and a larger discrete feature were partially revealed in the centre of the trench. The features were not clearly identified on the geophysical survey which seemed to denote channels of an earlier river course in the area.
- 5.4.18 The posthole 74906 measured 0.28 m in diameter and 0.52 m in depth. It contained a single a single fill, 74907, from which was recovered small fragments of animal bone. No dateable artefacts were recovered.
- 5.4.19 The discrete feature 74904 was seen as rounded in plan and truncated the fill, 74907, of the posthole 74906. Feature 74904 measured 3.7 m by over 1 m and was 0.23 m deep. In profile it had slightly irregular sides and base, in the portion seen. It contained a single identified fill, 74905, which may have been derived from a number of sources; weathered edge material, gradually accumulated fill from the surrounding subsoil, topsoil and any adjacent heaped deposits, and occasional discarded rubbish which included eighteen sherds of Iron Age pottery, prehistoric worked bone, animal bone fragments and metal working waste/slag.

Trench 777 (Figures 13 and 29)

- 5.4.20 Trench 777 targeted a possible ring ditch and an adjacent, similar sized, square enclosure revealed by the preceding geophysical survey. Four ditches corresponding with the enclosure and ring ditches were revealed, along with a gully and four postholes.
- 5.4.21 Ditches 77709 and 77711 formed the northeast and southwest sides of the ring ditch, measuring 9 m in diameter. Ditch 77709 had steep, straight sides and a concave base, measured 0.64 m in width and 0.23 m in depth, containing a dark greyish brown sandy clay fill from which was recovered considerable quantities of Iron Age pottery. Ditch 77711 had steep, irregular sides and a V-shaped base, measured 0.74 m in width, 0.26 m in depth, containing a silty clay fill from which was recovered Iron Age pottery and animal bone fragments (Figure 40, section 35). An environmental sample from ditch 77709 (sample 102) contained rare cereal grains, charred amorphous material and common charcoal.
- 5.4.22 Ditch 77709 truncated a northwest-southeast aligned gully 77707, which had steep, straight sides and a flat base, measured 0.41 m in width and 0.28 m in depth, containing a mid-greyish brown sandy clay fill from which was recovered a small quantity of Iron Age pottery and animal bone. The function of the gully remains uncertain with no corresponding feature identified by the preceding geophysical survey. However, the datable finds recovered from the gully suggest it is broadly contemporary with the Iron Age activity identified within the trench.
- 5.4.23 Ditches 77703 and 77705 formed the northeast and southwest sides of a square enclosure, measuring 9.6 m in width. Ditch 77703 had steep, irregular sides and an irregular, undulating base, measured 0.67 m in width and 0.31 m in depth, containing a silty loam fill from which was recovered moderate quantities of Iron Age pottery in addition to fired clay and animal bone (Figure 40, section 32). Ditch 77705 had irregular sides and an irregular, undulating base, measured 0.65 m in width and 0.28 m in depth (Figure 40, section 33), containing a silty clay fill from which was recovered a similar finds assemblage to ditch

77703. Environmental samples taken from ditch 77703 (sample 100) contained rare quantities of wheat/barley grain and traces of hazelnut shell fragments. Sample 101 from ditch 77705 was dominated by common fragments of hazelnut shell and also includes possible barley, grasses and vetch/tare.

- 5.4.24 Postholes 77713 and 77715 were located between the ring ditch and the square enclosure, whereas 77717 and 77719 were situated central to the square enclosure. The function of the postholes remains uncertain and potentially form part of a larger structure/s extending beyond the trench limits. The postholes were broadly oval in shape, measured between 0.32 m and 0.5 m in width, up to 0.29 m in depth, contained silty sandy clay fills from which was recovered Iron Age pottery and animal bone fragments suggesting they are broadly contemporary with the ring ditch and square enclosure.

Trench 818 (Figures 18 and 30)

- 5.4.25 Trench 818 targeted a blank area on the preceding geophysical survey. A small circular pit, 81804, was revealed in the central portion of the trench.
- 5.4.26 Pit 81804 had shallow, concave sides to a concave base, measured 0.60 m in diameter and 0.12 m in depth (Figure 40, section 37). A single sherd of Iron Age pottery was recovered from the sandy clay fill.

Trench 847 (Figures 17 and 32)

- 5.4.27 Trench 847 targeted an open-ended oval enclosure (interpreted as a possible banjo enclosure) revealed by the preceding geophysical survey. The trench revealed four ditches and three pits. Ditches 84711 and 84718 corresponded with the southern side of the enclosure (and potentially indicating recutting), ditch 84703 with the northern side of the enclosure with the remaining ditch 84707 not being identified by the geophysical survey and remaining of uncertain function. Pits 84705 and 84709 were located in the southern portion of the enclosure, and pit 84713 immediately to the south of the southern enclosure ditch.
- 5.4.28 Ditch 84703 was aligned northwest-southeast with irregular sides to a U-shaped base, measured 2.80 m in width and 0.81 m in depth (Figure 40, section 38). The ditch contained two silty clay fills from which was recovered Iron Age pottery, fired clay, worked flint and animal bone.
- 5.4.29 Ditch 84711 was aligned east-west with shallow, irregular sides and a flat base. The ditch measured 1.80 m in width and 0.38 m in depth, containing an artefactually sterile clay silt fill. Ditch 84718 truncated the southern side of ditch 84711 and is potentially as recut of the same feature (Figure 41, section 39). Ditch 84718 was similarly aligned, had moderate, straight sides and a concave base, measured 2.15 m in width and 0.46 m in depth, and contained a clay silt fill from which was recovered Iron Age pottery and animal bone.
- 5.4.30 Ditch 84707 was located central to the possible banjo enclosure. The ditch was aligned east-west, had shallow, straight sides and an irregular, undulating base, measured 2.46 m in width and was noticeably shallower than the enclosure ditches at 0.20 m in depth. The ditch contained a single artefactually sterile silty clay fill. An environmental sample from ditch 84706 (Sample 2) contained occasional cereal grain and chaff and seeds of wild plants. A small amount of charcoal was also present.
- 5.4.31 Pit 84705 was oval in shape, had shallow, concave sides and a flat base, measured 1.34 m in length and 0.13 m. Pit 84709 was more circular in shape, had shallow, concave sides and a concave base, measured 1.66 m in diameter and 0.17 m in depth. Both pits contained artefactually sterile clay fills.

- 5.4.32 Pit 84713, located immediately to the south of the southern enclosure ditch, was irregular in shape, had irregular sides and an irregular, undulating base. Measuring 0.58 m in width and 0.14 m in depth, the pit contained a silty clay fill from which was recovered a single sherd of Iron Age pottery.

Trench 850 (Figures 13 and 31)

- 5.4.33 Trench 850 targeted an area of archaeological interest. The trench revealed a number of linear features on a broad NNW-SSE alignment (85012, 85014, 85016, 85028, 85031, 85033 & 85043), a number of these had been recut, and the recuts (85021, 85027 & 84041) subsequently backfilled with mortar rich fills. In addition to the linear features and recuts, the trench revealed three pits (85004, 85006 & 85008) and three postholes (85010, 85023 & 85035).

Linear features and recuts

- 5.4.34 Seven linear features on a broad NNW-SSE alignment, 85012, 85014, 85016, 85028, 85031, 85033 (Figure 55) and 85043 were revealed in Trench 850. Interpreted as probable ditches, a number of these (85014, 85031 & 850043) had been recut, the recuts (85021, 85027 & 84041) being unusually steep sided and subsequently backfilled with mortar rich fills.
- 5.4.35 The ditches measured between 0.41 m and 1.74 m in width and 0.16 m and 0.67 m in depth, had moderate to steep sloping sides to flat or concave bases. The ditches often contained several clayey silt fills from which was recovered Iron Age pottery in addition to fired clay, animal bone and occasionally mortar fragments. The recuts were invariably narrower, steep or almost vertically sided, often centrally placed and of similar depth to the original ditch. Iron Age pottery and mortar fragments were recovered from the fill of recut 85021 (Figure 41, section 41). The presence of mortar in an Iron Age context is unusual.

Pits and postholes

- 5.4.36 Trench 850 revealed three sub-oval pits 85004, 85006 and 85008 (Figure 41, section 40) and three postholes 85010, 85023 and 85035 (Figure 55).
- 5.4.37 The pits ranged in size from 0.94 m to 1.04 m in width and 0.22 m to 0.37 m in depth, contained clay silt and silty clay fills. Pits 85004 and 85006 remain artefactually undated whereas pit 85008 contained Iron Age pottery, fired clay fragments, animal bone and mortar fragments.
- 5.4.38 The three postholes remain of uncertain function, were revealed in the western half of the trench and potentially represent portions of more extensive structures continuing beyond the trench limits. All remain artefactually undated.

Trench 851 (Figure 31)

- 5.4.39 Trench 850 targeted an area of archaeological interest. The trench revealed two ditch termini (85103 & 85115) and a ditch (85111) potentially forming three sides of a small rectilinear enclosure, a medieval/post-medieval furrow, a pit and a posthole.
- 5.4.40 Ditch terminus 85103 was aligned northeast-southwest with steep, concave sides and a flat base, measuring 0.73 m in width and 0.32 m in depth. Potentially forming the northwest side of a small, ditched enclosure, the ditch contained a silty clay fill from which was recovered a small quantity of animal bone.

- 5.4.41 Ditch terminus 85115 was aligned northwest-southeast, potentially forming the southwest side of the enclosure. The ditch had steep, straight sides, the base not being observed within the limited confines of the trench and contained two silty clay/ loamy silt fills from which were recovered animal bone fragments.
- 5.4.42 Ditch 85111 potentially formed the southwestern side of the enclosure, was aligned northeast-southwest, had moderate, straight sides and a concave base, measuring 0.90 m in width and 0.35 m in depth (Figure 41, section 43). The silty clay fill of the ditch contained Iron Age pottery, animal bone and fragments of fired clay.
- 5.4.43 A sub-circular pit, 85107, was located within the enclosure, had steep, concave sides and a concave base, measured 0.65 m in diameter and 0.26 m in depth. The pit contained a single artefactually sterile sandy clay fill and its function remains uncertain.
- 5.4.44 Adjacent to ditch termini 85103 and 85115, a small circular post hole, 85118, was observed. The posthole had undercut, convex sides and a flat base, measured 0.26 m in diameter, 0.22 m in depth and contained an artefactually sterile clayey loam fill. The function of the posthole remains uncertain although its location next to an opening in the enclosure may suggest a gateway.

Trench 857 (Figures 17 and 32)

- 5.4.45 Trench 857 revealed two ditches on a similar northwest-southeast alignment. Located in a wider area of Iron Age settlement activity, the function of the ditches, however, remains uncertain. An environmental sample taken from ditch 85703 (sample 155) contained only rare amounts of cereal grain, and occasional cereal chaff, as well as trace quantities of wild plant remains.
- 5.4.46 Ditch 857 was revealed in the eastern portion of the trench, had shallow, concave sides to a flat base. The ditch measured 0.52 m in width, was very shallow at 0.09 m in depth, and contained an artefactually sterile clay silt fill.
- 5.4.47 Ditch 85706 was observed at the western end of the trench, had moderate, concave sides and a concave base. The ditch measured 0.86 m in width, 0.26 m in depth and contained a silty clay fill with moderate charcoal flecking from which was recovered moderate quantities of Iron Age pottery, animal bone and burnt flint.

Trench 858 (Figure 13)

- 5.4.48 Trench 858 revealed a north-south aligned Iron Age ditch, 85804, recut (perhaps by chance) in the medieval period.
- 5.4.49 Ditch 85804 had shallow, concave sides and a flat base, measured 0.52 m in width and 0.09 m in depth. The ditch contained a clay silt fill from which was recovered a small quantity of Iron Age pottery.
- 5.4.50 Ditch 85806 truncated the western side of ditch 85804, and contained a similar silty clay fill from which was recovered medieval pottery and animal bone (Figure 42, section 44).

Trench 874 (Figures 19 and 33)

- 5.4.51 Trench 874 targeted a dense concentration of small rectilinear and circular geophysical anomalies thought to represent enclosures and ring ditches. The trench revealed a plethora of archaeological features and deposits consisting of four ditches (87406, 87408, 87413 & 87417), two ditch termini (87404 & 87410), two spreads of occupation debris (87419 & 87421), four possible pits (87415, 87423, 87429 & 87431) and two postholes (87425 & 87426).

87427). Due to the dense concentration of features, sampling was necessarily selective and some of the features remain unexcavated.

Ditches & ditch termini

- 5.4.52 Four ditches, 87406, 87408, 87413 and 87417, and two ditch termini, 87404 and 87410, were revealed in Trench 874. The ditches and termini mostly corresponded with a number of small rectilinear and circular geophysical anomalies thought to represent enclosures and ring ditches.
- 5.4.53 The ditches were predominantly aligned northeast-southwest and northwest-southeast, measured between 0.64 m and 2.4 m in width and up to 0.52 m in depth (although most were shallower, up to 0.22 m in depth) (Figure 42, sections 47 & 48). The ditches all contained silty clay fills and where artefacts were recovered consisted of Iron Age pottery, animal bone, burnt flint and slag. An environmental sample (sample 1) taken from ditch terminus 87404 contained cereal grains including barley, wheat, free-threshing wheat, and possible emmer wheat. There are also smaller quantities of glume bases and seeds from wild plants. Ditch terminal 87410 was of note, containing a small quantity of disarticulated human bone suggesting the presence of burials in the vicinity (Figure 59).
- 5.4.54 Ditch 87414, located at the southern end of the trench contained post-medieval/modern pottery sherds, is probably unrelated to the Iron Age activity and corresponds with a broad trend of linear plough scars.

Occupation spreads

- 5.4.55 Two spreads of occupation debris, 87419 and 87421 were revealed in the northern half of the trench. The silty clay spreads measured 6 m and 4.8 m in width respectively, continued beyond the trench limits and remain unexcavated. Surface cleaning of the deposits recovered Iron Age pottery and animal bone.

Pits

- 5.4.56 Four pits, 87415, 87423, 87429 and 87431 were revealed in the trench. The pits measured between 0.56 m and 1.16 m in diameter and remain unexcavated. Iron Age pottery was recovered from the upper surface of the silty clay fill of pit 87415. Their similarity in form and fills suggest the pits are probably related and represent settlement activity within and around the Iron Age enclosures and ring ditches.

Postholes

- 5.4.57 Two postholes of uncertain function, 87425 and 87427, were revealed in the southern half of the trench and potentially represent portions of more extensive structures continuing beyond the trench limits. Both remain unexcavated and undated.

Trench 875 (Figures 19 and 34)

- 5.4.58 Trench 875 targeted a number of circular geophysical anomalies thought to represent two ring ditches measuring approximately 14 m and 12 m in diameter respectively, in addition to a curving ditch of uncertain function and a potential boundary ditch.
- 5.4.59 The trench revealed four ditches broadly corresponding with the ring ditches (87506/87510 and 87514/87530), a ditch corresponding with the boundary at the southern end of the trench (87518) and a ditch corresponding with curving ditch at the northern end of the trench (87504). In addition to the above ditches, four pits (87508, 87516, 87522 & 87532), five postholes (87512, 87534, 87536, 87539 & 87541), a spread of occupation debris (87528) and three additional ditches of uncertain function (87520, 87524 & 87526) were

encountered. Due to the dense concentration of features, sampling was necessarily selective and some of the features remain unexcavated.

Ditches

- 5.4.60 Four ditches were revealed broadly corresponding with the two ring ditches identified by the geophysical survey, ditches 87506/87510 and 87514/87530 respectively. The ditches measured between 0.62 m and 2.95 m in width and where excavated, up to 0.38 m in depth (Figure 42, section 49). The ditches contained silty clay fills, from which was recovered Iron Age pottery, animal bone and fired clay fragments.
- 5.4.61 Ditch 87504 corresponded with a curving ditch at the northern end of the trench identified by the geophysical survey. The ditch was aligned east-west with moderate, concave sides to a concave base, measured 0.77 m in width and 0.32 m in depth. The silty clay fill of the ditch contained moderate quantities of Iron Age pottery, animal bone and burnt flint.
- 5.4.62 Ditch 87518 corresponded with a broadly northeast-southwest aligned boundary at the southern end of the trench (Figure 42, section 50). The ditch had straight sides to a concave base, measured 1.33 m in width, 0.38 m in depth and contained a single silty clay fill from which was recovered Iron Age pottery, worked flint, animal bone and fired clay fragments.
- 5.4.63 Three additional ditches of uncertain function, 87520 (Figure 42, section 51), 87524 and 87526 were revealed in the southern half of the trench and contained similar finds assemblages consisting of Iron Age pottery, worked flint, animal bone and fired clay fragments.

Occupation spread

- 5.4.64 A spread of occupation debris, 87528, was revealed in the southern half of the trench. The silty clay spread measured 3.25 m in width, continued beyond the trench limits and remains unexcavated and undated, although its proximity to the Iron Age activity would suggest a contemporary date.

Pits

- 5.4.65 Four pits, 87508, 87516, 87522 and 87532 were revealed in the trench. The pits measured between 0.3 m and 0.76 m in diameter and a number of them remain unexcavated. Animal bone was recovered from the silty clay fill of pit 87532, however no datable artefacts were recovered. Their similarity in form and fills suggest the pits are probably related and represent settlement activity within and around the Iron Age ring ditches.

Postholes

- 5.4.66 Five postholes, 87512, 87534, 87536, 87539 and 87541, were revealed in the southern half of the trench and potentially represent portions of more extensive structures continuing beyond the trench limits. The postholes remain undated.

Trench 876 (Figures 19 and 34)

- 5.4.67 Trench 876 targeted a number of geophysical anomalies consisting potential boundary ditches and a circular anomaly thought to represent a ring ditch. The trench contained seven ditches and one probable ditch terminus, all of which corresponded to the position of geophysical anomalies shown on the survey.
- 5.4.68 Three ditches in the middle of the trench, 87605, 87609, and 87611 were situated next to each other and corresponded with a northeast-southwest aligned boundary; ditches 87605

and 87609 appear contemporaneous, while ditch 87611 appears to cut them both (Figure 43, section 52).

- 5.4.69 Ditch 87605 was aligned east to west, 0.65m wide and 0.33m deep. It had a convex profile and one fill 87606, which had formed through natural depositional processes. The fill contained small sherds of Late Iron Age pottery and a few small pieces of animal bone. It appears contemporaneous with ditch 87609 and is cut by ditch 87611. These ditches have been interpreted as ditches used for drainage or possibly a trackway.
- 5.4.70 Ditch 87609 was aligned east to west, 1.06m wide and 0.36m deep. It had a concave profile and one fill 87610, which had formed through natural depositional processes. The fill contained sherds of Iron Age pottery, one flint flake, and some pieces of animal bone. It appears contemporaneous with ditch 87605 and is cut by ditch 87611. These ditches have been interpreted as ditches used for drainage or possibly a trackway.
- 5.4.71 Ditch 87611 was aligned east to west, 0.93m wide and 0.36m deep. It had a concave profile and one fill 87612, which had formed through the natural silting processes. The fill contained eight small sherds of Iron Age pottery, one flint flake, a piece of slag, and pieces of animal bone. Ditch 87611 cuts the earlier ditches 87605 and 87609. These ditches have been interpreted as ditches used for drainage or possibly a trackway.
- 5.4.72 Two ditches in the south end of the trench, 87603 and 87619, were also situated immediately adjacent to each other, corresponded with an northeast-southwest aligned boundary visible on the preceding geophysical survey, and most likely are broadly contemporaneous as their fills appeared indistinguishable from one another (Figure XX).
- 5.4.73 Feature 87607 at the northern end of the trench corresponded with the position of a probable ring ditch identified by the geophysical survey. The feature measured 0.54m wide and 0.63m deep, was sub-circular in plan and has been interpreted as a possible pit or more likely ditch terminus of Iron Age date (Figure 43, section 53). It had a concave profile with only one fill 87608, which was consistent with general accumulation from a mix of sources in the surrounding area. The fill contained one piece of slag, Iron Age pottery and animal bone.

Trench 877 (Figures 19 and 34)

- 5.4.74 Trench 877 targeted a number of geophysical anomalies thought to represent three ring ditches and possible medieval/post-medieval furrows.
- 5.4.75 The trench revealed four ditches broadly corresponding with the three ring ditches (87704, 87706/87708 and 87721), and further ditches (87711, 87719 & 87725) corresponding broadly with possible medieval/post-medieval furrows revealed on the geophysical survey. In addition to the above ditches, four pits (87713, 87715, 87717 & 87723) were encountered. Due to the dense concentration of features, sampling was necessarily selective and some of the features remain unexcavated.

Ring ditches

- 5.4.76 Four ditches were revealed broadly corresponding with the three ring ditches identified by the geophysical survey, ditches 87704, 87706/87708 and 87721 respectively. The ditches measured between 0.9 m and 1.97 m in width and where excavated, up to 0.32 m in depth (Figure 43, section 56). The ditches contained primary and secondary silty clay fills where excavated, from which was recovered Iron Age pottery, animal bone and fired clay fragments.

Ditches/furrows

- 5.4.77 Three ditches 87711 (Figure 43, section 55), 87719 and 87725 (Figure 43, section 57) were aligned broadly northwest-southeast and corresponded with linear geophysical anomalies and have been interpreted as probable furrows.

Pits

- 5.4.78 Four pits, 87713, 87715, 87717 and 87723 were revealed in the trench. The pits measured up to 1.59 m in diameter, remain unexcavated and undated. Their proximity to the Iron Age features suggest they represent settlement activity within and around the Iron Age ring ditches.

Trench 882 (Figures 19 and 33)

- 5.4.79 Trench 882 targeted a blank area on the geophysical survey. The trench contained an undated ditch 88205 and recut 88207, in addition to an Iron Age pit, 88209.
- 5.4.80 Ditch 88205 was aligned northeast-southwest, had moderate, concave sides to a flat base. The ditch measured 0.46 m in width and 0.16 m in depth and contained an artefactually sterile compact silty sandy clay fill. Ditch 88205 had been recut on the same alignment by ditch 88207 which also remains undated. The proximity of the ditch and its recut to the Iron Age pit discussed below may suggest they are contemporary although this is purely speculation.
- 5.4.81 Sub-circular pit 88209 measured 0.81 m in width, 0.72 m in length, with a depth of 0.3 m. It had near vertical edges and contained a sequence of three fills (Figure 43, section 59). The lowest fill, 88210, was 0.09 m thick and most likely deliberate backfill. The large amount of charcoal within this fill suggests that it was waste from a fire. The middle fill, 88211, was 0.11m thick, and consistent with a deliberate disposal of compacted clay used to seal in the lower charcoal rich fill 88210. The clay fill contained a moderate amount of charcoal and a single sherd of Iron Age pottery. The uppermost fill 88212 was 0.12 m thick and consistent with a deliberate disposal of waste. It contained a small amount of charcoal, as well as a worked flint flake.

5.5 Prehistoric (pre-AD 43)

- 5.5.1 A moderate number of archaeological features were encountered across the site from which were recovered only broadly prehistoric-dated artefacts including pottery and flint. Where these can be shown to have association with, or similar function to, more closely dated features, they are discussed in conjunction with those. However, a number of features still remain only broadly dated as prehistoric and are discussed below.

Trench 630 (Figure 3)

- 5.5.2 A single small possible pit, 63008, was identified within the trench. The small pit had a single very shallow fill, 63009, that may have derived from a combination of weathered and accumulated material from the adjacent area. Two worked flints retrieved from the feature tentatively suggests a prehistoric date, although the function of this isolated discrete feature is uncertain. The feature was not discernible on the geophysical survey.

Trench 631 (Figure 3)

- 5.5.3 Trench 631 revealed an east-west aligned ditch (63103), a medieval/post-medieval furrow (63105) and a post-medieval/modern drain/culvert (63107/63108).

- 5.5.4 Ditch 63103 had shallow, irregular sides and a concave base, measured 1.41 m in width and 0.15 m in depth. A single worked flint was recovered from the silty clay fill of the ditch, tentatively suggesting a broad prehistoric date for the feature.

Trench 710 (Figures 8 and 27)

- 5.5.5 Trench 710 uncovered two parallel northwest-southeast aligned ditches (71003 & 71005) which were slightly curvilinear in plan and corresponded to the position of a possible ring ditch identified by the preceding geophysical survey. Neither feature contained any datable artefacts by which to date their origin and use, although the form of the features could indicate a broad prehistoric date.

- 5.5.6 Ditch 71003 was 1.01 m wide and 0.08 m deep, with a concave profile cut into the underlying limestone natural (Figure 37, section 15). The single shallow fill, 71004, may have been a combination of weathered material from the sides and base and gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding deposits.

- 5.5.7 Ditch 71005 was 1.44 m wide and 0.25 m deep, with a shallow profile cut into the underlying limestone natural (Figure 37, section 14). The single fill, 71006, may have been a combination of weathered material from the sides and base and gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding deposits and contained rare flecks of charcoal.

Trench 712 (Figures 8 and 27)

- 5.5.8 A single ditch, 71203, was revealed in Trench 712 and was aligned northeast-southwest. It was interpreted as a ditch that functioned as a boundary and drainage and was not identified in the geophysical survey. The ditch measured 1.36 m wide and 0.31 m deep and contained a single fill, 71204, derived from eroded and redeposited material from the edges and surrounding material (Figure 38, section 18). Fill 71204 contained a single sherd of broadly prehistoric pottery.

Trench 745 (Figures 12 and 28)

- 5.5.9 Trench 745 revealed four parallel linear features which were slightly curvilinear in plan and corresponded to the position of two potential concentric ring ditches revealed by the preceding geophysical survey.

- 5.5.10 Ditches 74503 and 74511 formed the outer oval ditch, whereas ditches 74507 and 74509 formed the inner circular ditch. In addition, two natural features were investigated within the trench, including a feature located centrally within the ring ditches, both were interpreted as the result of rooting.

- 5.5.11 Ditch 74503 was approximately east-west aligned and formed the northern side of the outer ring ditch and continued on the southern side as ditch 74511. Ditch 74503 was 2.45 m wide and 0.99 m deep, with a steep profile with a flat base (Figure 38, section 19). The ditch contained three fills, fill 74506, at the base was 0.26 m thick and consistent with erosion and weathering from the sides and base, with some discarded animal bone. The overlying 0.4 m thick fill, 74505, may have been a gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding subsoil, topsoil or bank deposits in the vicinity. The uppermost 0.64 m thick fill 74504, was a fine textured sediment with rare charcoal flecks and contained small number of sherds of broadly prehistoric pottery, worked flint and animal bone.

- 5.5.12 The southern ditch, 74511, was smaller at 1.59 m wide and 0.48 m deep and contained only two fills (Figure 38, section 22). The lower fill, 74512, was a 0.4 m thick stony fill likely to result from initial weathering and slumping of the natural. The upper fill, 74513, was a

finer textured sediment probably derived as gradually accumulated material from the surrounding subsoil, topsoil or bank deposits. No artefacts were found within the fills.

- 5.5.13 The inner northern ditch, 74507, was 1.3 m wide and 0.56 m deep, with a steep sided, flat-bottomed profile (Figure 38, section 20). The single fill, 74508, was consistent with a gradual accumulation from eroded and redeposited sediments along the sides and base and from exposed deposits in the surrounding area.
- 5.5.14 The inner southern ditch, 74509, was smaller at 0.94 m wide and 0.27 m deep and contained one fill, 74510, gradually accumulated from the deposits in the vicinity. No artefacts were found within the fill of either ditch.

Trench 748 (Figure 12 and 28)

- 5.5.15 Trench 748 targeted a circular anomaly, a possible ring ditch, shown on the geophysical survey. Ditches corresponding with the ring ditch along with a number of postholes within the central part of the trench were revealed.
- 5.5.16 Ditches 74810 and 74812 corresponded with the north and south sides of a circular anomaly measuring 24 m in diameter revealed by the preceding geophysical survey. The ditches remain unexcavated, and no datable artefacts were recovered to give an indication of date for the feature.
- 5.5.17 Posthole 74804 was located central to the ring ditch, measured 0.38 m in diameter and 0.2 m in depth. It contained a single artefactually sterile fill, 74805.
- 5.5.18 Posthole 74806 was revealed to the south and measured 0.4 m in diameter and 0.2 m in depth. It contained a single fill, 74807, consistent with accumulated material from the adjacent area and discarded material that included ten sherds of broadly dated prehistoric pottery.
- 5.5.19 The third posthole, 74808, was to the south of 74806, was oval in plan and measured 0.37 m by 0.28 m and 0.16 m in depth. It contained a single artefactually sterile fill, 74809, consistent with accumulated material from the adjacent area.
- 5.5.20 There was no evidence of postpipes or packing material in any of the postholes, suggesting it would seem likely that the posts were removed rather than rotted in situ. Although only one feature contained pottery, the others were in close proximity, and they may have been part of a larger structure that extended beyond the trench limits. The postholes were not discernible on the geophysical survey although their location, central to the ring ditch suggests they are related.

Trench 820 (Figures 18 and 30)

- 5.5.21 Trench 820 targeted a possible ring ditch and a linear agricultural feature bisecting the possible ring ditch revealed by the preceding geophysical survey. The trench revealed a ditch corresponding with the southern side of the ring ditch (82006), a ditch and gully corresponding with the agricultural feature (82004 & 82008) and a pit (82010). The northern side of the ring ditch was not observed.
- 5.5.22 Ring ditch 82006 was aligned northwest-southeast, had irregular sides to an irregular undulating base. The ditch measured 1.88 m in width and 0.58 m in depth containing a sandy gravel primary fill and sandy loam secondary fill.

- 5.5.23 Ditch 82004 and gully 82008 were aligned northeast-southwest, crossed the centre of the ring ditch and remain undated.
- 5.5.24 Pit 82010 was revealed towards the eastern end of the trench, was sub-oval in shape, with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. The pit measured 1.01 m in width and 0.18 m in depth, containing a compacted, artefactually sterile sandy clay fill. The proximity of the pit to the ring ditch may suggest a tentative prehistoric date for the feature.
- 5.5.25 Animal bone was recovered from the fills of ditches 82004 and 82006. However, no datable finds were recovered from any of the features, and therefore remain undated, although the ring ditch is almost certainly prehistoric in date based upon its form.

Trench 856 (Figure 13)

- 5.5.26 An artefactually undated cremation, 85604, was revealed in Trench 856. Although no datable artefacts were recovered from the feature it is most likely of prehistoric date. Environmental samples taken from the grave fill (samples 3-8) contained no charred plant remains other than charcoal, in rich quantities.
- 5.5.27 The sub-oval cremation grave had vertical, straight sides and a concave base. The grave measured 0.41 m in length, 0.34 m in width and 0.28 m in depth. A small quantity of cremated human bone was recovered from the feature fill along with two small fragments of fired clay.

Trench 873 (Figures 19 and 33)

- 5.5.28 Trench 873 targeted a potential ring ditch identified by the preceding geophysical survey. The trench revealed two ditches (87305 & 87309), corresponding with the north and south sides of the ring ditch and three central pits (87307, 87311 & 87313). Although no dateable finds were recovered from the features their form, function and location within a wider area of known Iron Age activity suggest a prehistoric date.
- 5.5.29 Ditches 87305 and 87309 formed the north and south sides respectively, of a ring ditch measuring approximately 16 m in diameter. Ditch 87305 had shallow, concave sides to a flat base, measured 1.20 m in width and 0.17 m in depth (Figure 42, section 46). Ditch 87309 had moderate, concave sides to an irregular, undulating base, measuring 1.28 m in width and 0.34 m in depth (Figure 42, section 47). Both contained similar artefactually sterile silty clay fills.
- 5.5.30 Central to the ring ditch, three undated pits, 87307, 87311 and 87313, were revealed. The pits measured up to 1.42 m in length, 0.26 m in depth and contained similar artefactually sterile silty clay fills.

5.6 Romano-British (AD 43 - 410)

- 5.6.1 A concentration of Romano-British features was revealed in the northeast portion of the site centred around trenches 679, 680, 681 and 682 (Figures 6 and 26). These consisted of ditches, pits and the robbed-out construction cuts of potential masonry structures. Further potential Romano-British features were revealed in Trenches 693, 878 and 885 consisting of ditches and a possible quarry pit.

Trench 679 (Figures 6 and 26)

- 5.6.2 The trench contained a number of intercutting features, consisting of a small linear feature, 67912, which had been cut by a pit, 67904, and a medium sized ditch 67909. The position

of the linear features corresponded to anomalies revealed by the preceding geophysical survey.

- 5.6.3 The smaller northwest-southeast aligned linear feature 67912 was 0.56 m wide and the single fill 67913 was not seen to contain any artefacts. It was not clear whether it returned to the south-west at either end due to truncation by pit 67904 and the linear feature 67909.
- 5.6.4 Pit, 67904, was 1.55 m wide and 0.53 m deep. It had a concave profile and contained a sequence of four fills (Figure 36, section 3). The lowest fill, 67905, was 0.21 m thick and probably derived from the weathered edges and base contained a small amount of Roman pottery in addition to animal bone. Fill, 67906, was a similar sediment but may have been derived from eroded material from the northwest side, again containing a small amount of Roman pottery. Above this was the 0.15m thick fill, 67907, which was consistent with general accumulation from a mix of sources in the surrounding area and a probably a more deliberate disposal of rubbish as seen by the higher proportion of artefacts, including pottery and ceramic building material of Roman date. The uppermost 0.19 m thick fill, 67908, fill may have been a more deliberate infilling as there were fragments of limestone which may have been disposed of and a range of artefacts consistent with discarded domestic rubbish. Environmental samples taken from the pit fills (samples 151-154) contained only trace to occasional charred plant remains.
- 5.6.5 Ditch 67909 was aligned north-east to south-west, 2.1 m wide and 0.5 m deep with a U-shaped profile. The feature contained two fills, the lower fill 67910 was a 0.27 m thick deposit likely to have been derived from a combination of weathered material from the feature edges and in the vicinity. The upper fill, 67911, was 0.23 m thick and may have resulted from general accumulation from a mix of sources and deliberate disposal of rubbish. It contained pottery of Roman date, ceramic building material, burnt flint and animal bone.

Trench 680 (Figures 6 and 26)

- 5.6.6 The trench revealed three linear features (68003, 68005 & 68007), aligned broadly north-west to south-east, correlating well with the geophysical survey anomalies.
- 5.6.7 Feature 68003 was 1.25 m wide and 0.15 m deep with sloped sides and a flat base (Figure 36, section 4). The feature was probably a ditch and contained a single fill, 68004, which was consistent with a sediment accumulated from the surrounding area. It was interpreted as an enclosure ditch and, although it contained no finds, the spatial association with other features in the vicinity indicated a probable Roman date.
- 5.6.8 Feature 68005 was a probable ditch that may have functioned as both a boundary and a drainage feature. It was 0.93 m wide and 0.2 m deep with sloped sides and a flat base, and it contained a single fill, 68006 (Figure 36, section 5). The fill was consistent with gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding deposits in the vicinity, and occasional discarded rubbish, that included Roman pottery and animal bone.
- 5.6.9 Ditch 68007 measured 0.65 m in width with moderate sloping sides and a flat base (the full depth of the feature was not ascertained due to waterlogged ground conditions). The ditch contained a single fill, 68008, which was consistent with a sediment accumulated from the surrounding area and occasional discarded rubbish, that included Roman pottery, an iron nail and animal bone.

Trench 681 (Figures 6 and 26)

- 5.6.10 Trench 681 revealed a single northeast-southwest aligned ditch (68103). The position of the feature corresponded to a linear anomaly on the geophysical survey and may be a continuation of one of the ditches revealed in Trench 680.
- 5.6.11 Feature 68103 was a probable ditch that may have functioned as both an enclosure/boundary and a drainage feature. It was 1.2 m wide and 0.23 m deep with moderately sloped sides and a concave base, and contained a single fill, 68104 (Figure 36, section 6). The fill was consistent with gradually accumulated fill derived from the surrounding deposits, and occasional discarded rubbish, which included Roman pottery, ceramic building material and animal bone.

Trench 682 (Figures 6 and 26)

- 5.6.12 This trench was L-shaped in plan and contained six linear features and there was a good correlation between the features and rectilinear geophysical survey anomalies, likely to represent a Roman structure.
- 5.6.13 Feature 68203 was aligned north-west to south-east, measured 1.36 m wide and 0.9 m deep, had a steep sided flat based profile and was interpreted as a ditch. It contained a sequence of four fills (Figure 36, section 8). The lowest fill, 68209, was a 0.2 m thick deposit consistent with weathered material from the feature edges and the surrounding area. Above this was fill 68208, a 0.47 m thick deposits either dumped or slumped in from the south-west side. Overlying this was fill 68204, which was a 0.45 m thick deliberate backfill, with discarded rubbish including Roman pottery, ceramic building material, bone and ironwork. The uppermost 0.35 m thick fill, 68205, was the result of gradual accumulation derived from the surrounding subsoil and topsoil and included discarded items of pottery and CBM. The upper fill may have been affected by later ploughing activity as well.
- 5.6.14 Feature 68206 was aligned north-east to south-west, measured 0.6 m wide and 0.29 m deep, had a steep sided flat based profile and was interpreted as a robber cut (Figure 36, section 7). It contained a single fill, 68207, consistent with redeposited disturbed and discarded material, after any larger stones had been removed for re-use. The fill contained an assemblage of Roman pottery and ceramic building material.
- 5.6.15 Feature 68210 was aligned north-west to south-east, measured over 0.13 m wide and 0.3 m deep, had a steep sided flat based profile (Figure 37, section 9). It was interpreted as a foundation cut and had been truncated away along the south-west side by feature 68212. It contained a single fill, 68211, consistent with redeposited natural either from slumping or used as backfilling.
- 5.6.16 Feature 68212, which truncated the foundation cut backfill 68211, measured 0.51 m wide and 0.37 m deep, and had vertical sides and a flat base. The single fill, 68213, was consistent with redeposited disturbed and discarded material, and included ceramic building material and animal bone. The feature was interpreted as a robber cut to removed building stones for re-use.
- 5.6.17 Feature 68214, thought to be a foundation cut, was aligned north-west to south-east, measured over 0.22 m and 0.38 m and contained a single fill 68215 that yielded a small amount of Roman pottery.
- 5.6.18 Feature 68216, may have been a continuation of the foundation cut 68214. It was aligned north-west to south-east, measured over 0.27 m and 0.44 m and contained a single fill

68217. Both features 68214 and 68216 only partially survived as they were truncated by the later probable robber cut 68218 (Figure 37, section 10).

- 5.6.19 The robber cut 68218 was 0.87 m wide and 0.68 m deep with a steep straight sided and flat based profile. It contained two fills, the lower fill 68219 was 0.28 m thick and was probably the result of redeposition of disturbed original material. The upper fill, 68220, was 0.45 m thick and consisted of redeposited disturbed and discarded material, and included Roman pottery, CBM and burnt bone and slag.
- 5.6.20 The north-east to south-west aligned, robber cut, 68221, was 0.84 m wide and 0.40 m deep with a steep straight sided and flat based profile (Figure 37, section 11). It contained two fills, the lower fill 68222 was 0.05 m thick and was the immediate weathering after robbing had occurred. The upper fill, 68223, was 0.37 m thick and consisted of redeposited disturbed and discarded material, and included Roman pottery, ceramic building material and bone.
- 5.6.21 The robber cut 68224 was aligned north-west to south-east, measured 0.7 m wide and 0.43 m deep and had a steep straight sided and flat based profile (Figure 32, section 12). It contained two fills, the lower fill 68225 was 0.43 m thick and was the result of redeposition of disturbed original material. The upper fill, 68226, was 0.28 m thick and consisted of redeposited disturbed and discarded material, and included Roman pottery, ceramic building material and bone.

Trench 693 (Figure 7)

- 5.6.22 A single ditch, 69307, was seen aligned north-east to south-west. It was interpreted as a boundary ditch and was not identified in the geophysical survey. The ditch was 2.55 m wide and 0.87 m deep and contained a sequence of three fills (Figure 37, section 13). The lowest fill, 69306, was a 0.11m thick, fine textured sediment consistent with water lain material probably weathered from the feature edges. Above this was fill 69305, which was 0.68 m thick and derived from eroded and redeposited material from the edges and surrounding material, predominantly from upslope to the south-east. Fill 69305 had occasional flecks of charcoal and contained a single worked flint fragment. The uppermost fill, 69304, was probably the result of infilling from an upslope adjacent bank / spoil heap. The deposit contained occasional charcoal, animal bone and a small amount of Roman ceramic building material in addition to residual Iron Age pottery and worked flint. An environmental sample taken from the uppermost ditch fill (sample 156), contained small quantities of charcoal.

Trench 878 (Figure 17)

- 5.6.23 Trench 878 targeted a faint oval ring ditch or enclosure revealed by the preceding geophysical survey. Although the form of the anomaly would suggest a prehistoric date, the trench revealed the feature had been heavily truncated and contained potentially intrusive material from modern ploughing. The only conclusively dated feature was a Roman ditch bisecting the centre of the trench/ring ditch and aligned broadly northwest-southeast.
- 5.6.24 Trench 878 contained three ditches, ditch 87804, ditch 87806, and ditch 87808, as well as an animal burial 87810. Ditches 87804 and 87808 corresponded with the possible ring ditch identified by the geophysical survey, ditch 87806 was not detected by the survey and there were no clear relationships between any of the ditches and the animal burial. One of the ditches (87806) is potentially of Roman date, another contained post-medieval material (87804) whilst the remaining ditch (87808) remains undated, as does the animal burial.
- 5.6.25 Animal burial 87810 was of a pregnant horse, aligned broadly northwest-southeast. The grave was 1.10m wide, 1.58m long and 0.17m deep. The burial was in mostly good

condition, only slightly truncated by ploughing, which has resulted in the top of the skull, a few lower ribs on the right side and part of the right legs being damaged or missing. Although undated, this burial could potentially be associated with the nearby Iron Age settlement or related to the ring ditch.

- 5.6.26 The northwest-southeast aligned ditch 87806 was 1.93m wide and 0.10m deep. It had a concave profile and only one fill 87807, which derived from natural depositional processes (Figure 43, section 58). The fill contained two small sherds of Romano-British pottery, two pieces of iron, and one flint flake. Ditch 87806 was possibly a field boundary or enclosure feature.
- 5.6.27 Ditch 87804 was aligned northwest-southeast, corresponded with the eastern side of the ring ditch, and measured 0.85m wide and 0.18m deep. It had a concave profile, shallow sides, and one fill 87805, which has likely eroded in from the surrounding area. The fill contained rare charcoal throughout, fired clay and a fragment of clay tobacco pipe (thought to be intrusive).
- 5.6.28 The final northwest-southeast aligned ditch 87808, corresponding with the western side of the ring ditch, was 0.95m wide and 0.05m deep. It had been heavily truncated and contained a single artefactually sterile fill 87809, which derived from natural depositional processes.

Trench 885 (Figure 19)

- 5.6.29 The trench contained only one archaeological feature that was unexcavated, a probable extraction pit 88504, which corresponded to the location of a possible extraction pit identified on the geophysical survey.
- 5.6.30 Pit 88504 was located on the west side of the trench and extended out of the limit of excavation. It was 2.1m wide and 3.7m long, with a depth greater than 0.2m. It had a single fill 88505 from the upper surface of which was recovered a sherd of Roman pottery.

5.7 Early Medieval (AD 410 - 1066)

- 5.7.1 Potential early medieval activity was revealed in Trench 917 in the northwest portion of the site (Figures 22 and 35). The trench targeted a circular geophysical anomaly, potentially representing a barrow and extending beyond the site limits to the west. On excavation of the trench the barrow ditch was clearly defined along with a number of rectangular features interpreted as potential inhumation graves. The trench was subsequently extended in order to ascertain if the graves extended to the east of the barrow ditch.

Trenches 917, 952 & 953 (Figures 22 and 35)

- 5.7.2 Trench 917 contained a concentration of archaeological features and was extended towards the northeast and east, in order to try and determine the extent of a potential cemetery (Trenches 952 and 953). Three of the graves cut through a ring ditch, most probably associated with a Barrow, which suggests the continued use of this area as a funerary landscape. Four postholes were also discovered within the trench.

Ring ditch/barrow

- 5.7.3 Ring ditch 91727 was only partially visible within trench 917 and was most probably associated with a barrow. It had steep sides, with a flat base and measured 1.70m wide and 0.85m deep (Figure 43, section 60). The ring ditch contained two distinct fill layers. The primary fill, 91735, consisted of a mid grey, brown silty loam. It was 0.54m deep and was most probably created by the natural process of erosion and weathering of the features sides. The secondary fill, 91728, was 0.40m thick and contained a small amount of animal

bone and burnt flint. The fill consisted of a mid grey, brown, silty loam and was most probably created by the natural process of erosion and weathering of the feature and the surrounding area.

Postholes

- 5.7.4 Four potential post holes were also found within trench 917. Postholes 91731 and 91733 were located at the northern end of the trench, while 91744 and 91750 were located within the northeast extension. The postholes were not excavated so it is unclear whether they are associated with the barrow ditch or the graves and their fills 91732, 91734, 91745 and 91751 consisted of a mid-brown silty loam.

Graves

- 5.7.5 Twenty potential grave cuts were visible within the trench, graves 91703, 91705, 91707, 91709, 91711, 91713, 91715, 91717, 91719, 91721, 91723, 91725, 91729, 91736, 91738, 91740, 91742, 91746, 91748, and 91752. The graves possibly date from the early medieval period and all remain unexcavated.
- 5.7.6 Graves 91746, 91748 and 91752 were observed to cut through the fill of the ring ditch, which suggests they represent a later phase of activity. The remaining graves were located towards the north and northeast of the ring ditch, and many were only partially visible within the limit of excavation, the most extant being grave 91719, that measured 1.60m long and 0.50m wide. All the graves were aligned east west. Within grave cuts 91707, 91719, and 91721, skulls were visible at the west end of the graves.
- 5.7.7 The full extent of the cemetery was not defined within the limited confines of the evaluation trenches, but the graves do appear to be clustered around and within the ring ditch, which could suggest continuing use of a prehistoric funerary monument for later funerary purposes.

5.8 Post-medieval & Modern (AD 1540-present)

- 5.8.1 A very limited number of post-medieval and modern features primarily ditches of agricultural origin were revealed across the site. Furrows of medieval/post-medieval date were revealed in twenty-four trenches although yielded little in the way of dating evidence. Field drains of post-medieval and modern date were commonplace across the site and evidence of modern plough scars were revealed in a number of trenches.

Trench 743 (Figures 12 and 28)

- 5.8.2 The trench contained two east-west parallel ditches located towards the south end of the trench. Although there were no corresponding anomalies on the geophysical survey, there was a variation in natural and an agricultural feature was interpreted on a similar alignment further east, which may be associated.
- 5.8.3 Ditch 74303 measured 1 m wide and 0.22 m deep with a concave profile, probably a drainage feature. The single fill was consistent with weathered material from the feature edges and from the surrounding deposits and contained an iron buckle, which may indicate the feature infilled during the post-medieval period.
- 5.8.4 Parallel ditch 74305, measured 0.62 m wide and 0.29 m deep with a concave profile. The single fill of the ditch was consistent with weathered material from the feature edges and from the surrounding deposits. Although the ditch remains artefactually undated, its parallel orientation with ditch 74303 may suggest they are contemporary related features.

5.9 Uncertain date

- 5.9.1 A moderate number of archaeological features were encountered across the site from which no datable artefacts were recovered. Where these can be shown to have association with or similar function to more closely dated features, they are discussed in conjunction with those. However, a number of features still remain undated and are discussed below.

Trench 609 (Figure 2)

- 5.9.2 A single circular pit, 60905, was revealed in Trench 609. The pit was 3.4 m in diameter but only 0.26 m deep and there were two fills, with fill 60904 at the base and overlain by 60905. Both fills were relatively similar, likely to derive from a combination of weathered and accumulated material from the immediate vicinity and had fragments of the underlying limestone as inclusions, although it was not possible to determine whether they were debris from quarrying or cleared or discarded items.
- 5.9.3 The pit has been interpreted as a quarry pit, for the purpose of using the limestone bedrock, however, the scale of extraction is very small, and no dateable artefacts were recovered. The feature was not discernible on the geophysical survey.

Trench 611 (Figure 2)

- 5.9.4 A single small possible pit, 61103, was identified within Trench 611. The small pit had a single fill, 61104, that contained a small amount of charcoal and may have derived from discarded burnt material. There were no artefacts to assist with a possible date for the isolated discrete feature. The feature was not discernible on the geophysical survey.

Trench 612 (Figure 2)

- 5.9.5 The trench contained a possible pit, a ditch and a ditch terminus, located towards the western end of the trench. None of the features were identified on the geophysical survey. The pit, 61203, was small, very shallow and circular in plan, with a single fill, 61204, consistent with gradually accumulated material from the adjacent area.
- 5.9.6 The ditch, 61205, was aligned north-south, 0.65 m wide and only 0.09 m deep. The single fill, 61206, was artefactually sterile and the feature remains undated.
- 5.9.7 The north-south aligned ditch terminus, 61207, was a more substantial feature being 1.4 m wide and 0.22 m deep. The terminus was rounded in plan and contained two fills. Fill, 61208, was the lower, earlier fill consistent with weathered sides and base of the open feature. The upper fill, 61209, was a darker deposit more consistent with soil rich material and contained animal bone and an iron nail.

Trench 613 (Figure 2)

- 5.9.8 A single small, very shallow possible pit 61303 was identified within Trench 613. The small pit had a single fill 61304, that may have derived from a combination of accumulated subsoil and topsoil. There were no artefacts to assist with a possible date for the isolated discrete feature. The feature was not discernible on the geophysical survey.

Trench 624 (Figure 2)

- 5.9.9 Trench 624 contained a possible pit, a ditch and a ditch terminus, all sealed beneath a possible colluvial layer, 62402. None of the features were identified on the geophysical survey.
- 5.9.10 The pit, 62404, was small, very shallow and circular in plan, with a single fill, 62405, consistent with discarded burnt material to judge from the sparse charcoal and burnt

unworked flint. However, no datable artefacts were recovered, and the feature remains undated.

- 5.9.11 Ditch, 62406, was aligned east-west, and measured 1.46 m wide and 0.21 m deep. The single fill, 62407, was consistent with gradually accumulated material from the adjacent area and contained no finds. The feature was interpreted as a possible drainage feature.

Trench 631 (Figure 3)

- 5.9.12 The trench uncovered a ditch and a probable stone culvert/drain. Ditch, 63103, was aligned east-west, 1.41 m wide and 0.15 m deep. The single fill, 63104, contained rare charcoal flecks, and was consistent with gradually accumulated material from the adjacent area. The single flint blade retrieved could suggest a prehistoric date but could equally be residual. The feature was interpreted as a possible drainage feature.
- 5.9.13 Parallel to the ditch was a culvert or drain, 63107, measuring 1.36 m wide and 0.16 m deep, with straight sides and a flat base. Within the feature cut, two rows of a single course of roughly squared mudstone blocks were set 0.3 m apart. They may have been the two 'walls' of a drain or culvert, 63108, with no surviving capping stones evident. The overlying fill, 63109, may be the result of backfill derived from the immediate area, and contained no dateable artefacts.

Trench 633 (Figure 3)

- 5.9.14 Trench 633 contained a single ditch, located towards the north end. The feature was not identified on the geophysical survey but is approximately parallel to a number of linear anomalies interpreted as agricultural in origin.
- 5.9.15 The ditch, 63304, was east-west aligned, 2.76 m wide and 0.5 m deep, containing four fills. The earliest fills, 63305 and 63306, were consistent with material weathered in along the sides of the open ditch, this was then followed by, 63307, a lower fill which was a soft grey fill that contained a small fragment of brick (not recovered). Above this was the upper fill, 63308, which formed the majority of the ditch infilling and likely to be derived from accumulated subsoil and topsoil eroded from the vicinity.

Trench 634 (Figure 3)

- 5.9.16 A single small, linear feature, 63404, was identified towards the west end of Trench 634. The possible ditch was aligned northwest-southeast and measured 0.48 m wide and 0.18 m deep. The single fill, 63405, contained a small amount of charcoal flecking and may have derived from discarded burnt material from activity in the area. There were no artefacts to assist with a possible date for the isolated discrete feature. The feature was not discernible on the geophysical survey.

Trench 737 (Figure 11)

- 5.9.17 The trench revealed a ditch terminus, 73704, aligned north-south, which measured 1.12 m wide and 0.23 m deep. The terminus was sub-squared in plan and the single fill, 73705, was consistent with weathered material from the feature edges and from the surrounding deposits and included a small amount of animal bone but no dateable artefacts. The feature continued to the south and may be a boundary and/or drainage feature. It was not identified as an anomaly on the geophysical survey.

Trench 773 (Figure 13)

- 5.9.18 Trench 773 contained a single undated ditch, 77303. The ditch was aligned northwest-southeast, had moderate, concave sides and a U-shaped base, measured 0.50 m in width,

0.24 m in depth and contained a single artefactually sterile silty clay fill. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.

Trench 784 (Figure 13)

- 5.9.19 Trench 784 contained a single undated pit in the eastern half of the trench. The oval pit, 78403, had steep, concave sides and a flat base. The pit measured 0.34 m in diameter, 0.16 m in depth and contained a single artefactually sterile silty sand fill. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.

Trench 785 (Figure 13)

- 5.9.20 Trench 785 contained a single undated pit in the central portion of the trench. The oval pit, 78403, had vertical, straight sides and a flat base. The pit measured 0.7 m in width, 0.45 m in depth and contained a single artefactually sterile sandy silt fill. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.

Trench 816 (Figure 15)

- 5.9.21 Trench 816 contained an undated northeast-southwest aligned gully in the northern portion of the trench. The gully, 81604, had shallow, concave sides and a concave base, measured 0.26 m in width, 0.07 m in depth and contained an artefactually sterile sandy clay fill. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey although faint linear agricultural features on a similar alignment can be observed to the west of the trench.

Trench 823 (Figure 14)

- 5.9.22 Trench 823 contained an undated northwest-southeast aligned ditch, 82304, at the far western end of the trench. The ditch had shallow, concave sides to a concave base, measured 0.49 m in width and 0.08 m in depth, containing an artefactually sterile sandy clay fill. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.

Trench 825 (Figure 16)

- 5.9.23 Trench 825 targeted an area of dense ferrous points revealed by the preceding geophysical survey. The trench revealed a sub-oval pit, 82504, containing a dog burial (82507), in the western half of the trench. The pit had steep, irregular sides to a concave base, measured 0.93 m in width and 0.36 m in depth. An undated shard of glass was retrieved from the pit fills, although the dog skeleton was not recovered.

Trench 826 (Figure 16)

- 5.9.24 Trench 826 contained an undated northwest-southeast aligned ditch, 82604, at the far western end of the trench. The ditch had moderate sloping, irregular sides and an irregular, undulating base, measured 0.85 m in width and 0.22 m in depth, containing an artefactually sterile sandy clay fill. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey; however, the ditch is broadly in alignment with a ditch, 82304, revealed in Trench 823 to the northwest and may represent the same feature, perhaps a land boundary.

Trench 833 (Figure 17)

- 5.9.25 Trench 833 contained two undated features, a ditch (83306) and a ditch terminus (83304) in the central portion of the trench. No corresponding anomalies were revealed in the preceding geophysical survey.
- 5.9.26 Ditch 83306 was aligned southwest-northeast, had shallow, concave sides to a concave base, measured 1.28 m in width and 0.25 m in depth. Ditch terminus 83304 was aligned northwest-southeast, shallow, concave sides to a concave base, measured 0.40 m in width

and 0.03 m in depth. Both features contained silty clay fills, the only artefact recovered being an undated stone tile from the ditch fill.

Trench 834 (Figure 17)

- 5.9.27 Trench 834 contained a ditch (83404) and a pit (83407) at the eastern end of the trench, both undated. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.
- 5.9.28 Ditch 83404 was aligned northeast-southwest, had moderate, concave sides to a concave base, measured 1.25 m in width and 0.32 m in dept. The ditch contained two artefactually sterile sandy fills.
- 5.9.29 Pit 83407 was located to the east of the ditch, had shallow, concave sides to a concave base, measured 0.52 m in width and 0.11 m in depth, containing an artefactually sterile silty clay fill.

Trench 840 (Figure 17)

- 5.9.30 Trench 840 revealed two undated ditches (84004 & 84006) at the western end of the trench. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.
- 5.9.31 Ditch 84004 was aligned northwest-southeast, had irregular sides to an irregular, undulating base, measured 0.66 m in width and 0.22 m in depth. The ditch contained a single artefactually sterile silty clay fill.
- 5.9.32 Ditch 84006 was similarly aligned northwest-southeast, had shallow, concave sides to an irregular, undulating base, measured 0.74 m in width and 0.10 m in depth. The ditch also contained a single artefactually sterile silty clay fill.
- 5.9.33 The similarity in alignment, the shallow form and their northwest-southeast alignment may suggest the ditches are perhaps medieval/post-medieval furrows.

Trench 842 (Figure 17)

- 5.9.34 Trench 842 revealed an undated pit (84205) and a medieval/post-medieval furrow. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.
- 5.9.35 Sub-oval pit 84205 had shallow, concave sides to a concave base, measured 0.61 m in diameter, 0.07 m in depth and contained a single artefactually sterile silty clay fill.

Trench 846 (Figure 31)

- 5.9.36 Trench 846 revealed an undated pit (84603). No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.
- 5.9.37 Sub-circular pit 84603 had irregular sides to an irregular, undulating base, measured 0.64 m in width, 0.17 m in depth and contained a single artefactually sterile sandy clay fill.

Trench 879 (Figure 19)

- 5.9.38 Trench 879 targeted a blank area on the geophysical survey. The trench contained only one archaeological feature, an animal grave, 87904.
- 5.9.39 Grave 87904 contained an articulated cow skeleton, aligned broadly south-east to north-west. The grave measured 1.9m wide and 0.14m deep. The burial was mostly in good condition, although slightly plough truncated. There was no dating evidence found within

the feature, although the burial could potentially be related to the Iron Age settlement to the west of the trench.

Trench 902 (Figure 20)

- 5.9.40 The trench contained one small sub circular posthole, 90204. The posthole cut the natural and was 0.26 m in diameter and 0.06m deep. The posthole contained one fill layer, 90205, the fill was 0.06m thick and charcoal rich, with occasional fired clay fragments, which suggests a deliberate backfill. No datable artefacts were recovered from the feature.

Trench 913 (Figure 22)

- 5.9.41 The trench contained one sub oval pit aligned southeast/ northwest. The pit measured 0.89m long, 0.54m wide and 0.20m deep. The pit had a clear boundary with the natural and contained one fill 91304. The fill consisted of a mid grey, brown silty clay which was 0.20m thick, and was most probably created by the natural process of erosion and weathering. No datable artefacts were recovered from the feature.

Trench 914 (Figure 21)

- 5.9.42 Trench 914 contained one small pit 91404. The pit measured 0.30m long, 0.35m wide and 0.07m deep, with concave sides and base. The pit contained one fill 91405. The fill was 0.07m thick and consisted of a dark brown to black silty clay, mixed with an abundant amount of charcoal, which suggests a deliberate backfill of domestic waste. No datable artefacts were recovered from the feature.

Trench 918 (Figure 22)

- 5.9.43 Trench 918 contained two potential pits, and both were half sectioned. Pit 91804 was only partially visible within the limit of excavation, it was 1.70m wide and 0.55m deep. It had concave sides, a flat bottom, and contained one fill layer 91805. The fill consisted of a mottled, dark orange, silty loam, that was 0.55m thick. This fill layer was most probably created by the natural process of erosion and weathering of the feature, slowly over time. No datable artefacts were recovered from the feature.
- 5.9.44 Pit 91806 was also only partially visible within the trench, it measured 0.50m wide and 0.17m deep. It was sub oval and had concave sides and a flat bottom. It contained one fill layer 91807. This fill layer consisted of a grey, brown silty loam that had most probably been created by the natural process of erosion and weathering. No datable artefacts were recovered from the feature.

Trench 943 (Figure 24)

- 5.9.45 Trench 943 revealed an undated northeast-southwest aligned gully terminus, 94304. No corresponding features were noted on the geophysical survey.
- 5.9.46 The gully had moderate, concave sides to a concave base, measured 0.50 m in width, 0.16 m in depth and contained an artefactually sterile clay silt fill.

6 FINDS EVIDENCE

6.1 Introduction

- 6.1.1 Approximately 62 kg of finds were recovered, including material collected by hand during the normal course of excavation and finds extracted from the residues of the bulk sediment samples processed for the recovery of environmental remains. With the exception of the metalwork, all the finds have been washed in water, air dried, bagged and boxed by material type within each context.

- 6.1.2 The finds have also been quantified (number of pieces and weight in grammes) by material type within each context and rapidly scanned to assess their nature, condition and broad chronological range. Using this information, Table 3 summarises the distribution of finds by trench, the quantities present indicating 'hot-spots' of past activity in the vicinity of trenches 679-682, 745, 750, 777, 825, 847-851 and 873-879.

Table 3 Finds by trench

Trench	Number of pieces	Weight (g)
101	2	48
122	2	1
123	8	5
609	3	107
610	3	23
612	3	5
630	2	4
631	1	2
646	2	12
668	1	63
679	230	1683
680	70	411
681	7	363
682	120	1280
693	9	357
711	2	18
712	1	2
737	1	1
743	1	15
745	133	1489
747	81	446
748	10	178
749	89	352
750	566	3400
752	1	9
756	1	1
777	217	2316
816	8	29
818	1	2
820	5	33



Trench	Number of pieces	Weight (g)
825	246	1151
827	2	47
828	1	2
829	3	69
830	1	14
832	5	64
833	3	293
839	3	48
840	3	135
841	1	53
845	3	10
846	3	5
847	22	209
849	33	481
850	410	24711
851	41	284
855	1	86
856	1	14
857	47	371
858	26	358
872	2	32
873	44	106
874	187	1903
875	183	2769
876	105	332
877	40	248
878	920	7792
879	659	7542
880	1	12
882	2	13
883	2	35
884	2	6
885	1	39
904	1	47
916	1	34

Trench	Number of pieces	Weight (g)
917	2	35
918	5	15
923	2	4
928	1	6
940	1	10
943	6	39
Total	4602	62079

- 6.1.3 Table 4 provides the overall quantities of finds by material type. All materials survive in good condition but are generally highly fragmented. The rapid scan has indicated that the assemblage spans the period from the Mesolithic or Early Neolithic to modern periods, with the most significant episodes of activity occurring during the Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age (focused on trench 750), the Iron Age (trenches 777, 847-851 and 873-879) and Romano-British (trenches 679-682) periods.

Table 4 Finds by material type

Material type	Number of pieces	Weight (g)
Animal bone	3020	24943
Burnt flint	16	78
Building materials:		
ceramic	45	1407
stone	2	10544
other	262	12411
Clay pipe	2	5
Fired clay	79	2239
Flint	39	259
Glass	3	22
Human disarticulated bone	119	370
Metal:		
silver	1	6
copper alloy	46	437
iron	24	168
lead	5	309
Paper	1	1
Pottery:		
Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age	260	2201
Prehistoric uncertain	19	197
Iron Age	486	4582
Romano-British	140	1081
Medieval	4	47
Post-medieval/modern	16	439
Shale	1	5
Slag	4	79
Stone objects	5	245

Worked bone	3	4
Total	4602	62079

6.2 Flint

- 6.2.1 The flint has provided evidence of the earliest activity on the site. A small assemblage of 39 pieces was recovered from 19 evaluation trenches. Although small, the assemblage has considerable quantity of information, with an unusually high percentage of tool forms (41%). It is likely that the assemblage consists of redeposited Mesolithic or possibly Early Neolithic tools and flakes, placed deposits of Beaker-associated tools and blanks, and less diagnostic material.

Table 5 Flint data

Type	Number	%
<i>Debitage</i>		
Blades (incl. broken)	1	2.56
Flakes (incl. broken)	21	53.85
Chips/microdebitage	1	2.56
<i>Debitage sub-total</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>58.97</i>
<i>Tools</i>		
Scrapers	3	7.69
Scraper / Notch	1	2.56
Truncated blade	1	2.56
Serrated Blades	1	2.56
Barbed and Tanged Arrowhead	6	15.38
Notch	1	2.56
Miscellaneous Retouched	3	7.69
<i>Tools sub-total</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>41</i>
Total	39	100

Mesolithic or Early Neolithic

- 6.2.2 This group includes a number of pieces derived from a blade technology. A medial blade segment came from ditch 63103, a blade from pit 63008, a serrated blade from pit 63008, a truncated blade from ditch 87520, and a bladelet core trimming flake from topsoil 77701. All are likely to be redeposited but indicate activity of this date in the vicinity.

Beaker

- 6.2.3 The Beaker material is dominated by six barbed-and-tanged arrowheads, five (ON 62-66) from pit 75010 and one (ON 67) from pit 75014. All are made on very similar flint and are diminutive (L – W (mm) ON 62 25 x 20, ON 63 26 x 20, ON 64 22 x 22, ON 65 22 x 22, ON 66 23 x 20 (tang missing), ON 67 20 x 16). Four are complete, while two are missing part of one barb. Their condition is very fresh, with an overall cream/white patina and slight orange staining. The assemblage contains at least three of Green's typological classes (Green 1985), suggesting that his typology is overly sub-divided, since the individual pieces clearly form a single group.

- 6.2.4 Pit 75010 also contained a flake. Pit 75012 contained a large thumbnail-type scraper worked all the way around with use at the distal end, and two retouched flakes. One was retouched on along the margins to create a graver point. Although the shape is similar, the piece is highly unlikely to be an arrowhead roughout as the retouch is too steep and marginal and the blank too large and too thick. It is possible that this was a tool made specifically for working bracers, likely in the early stages of manufacture (although not a piercer or drill related to perforation).
- 6.2.5 The second tool is a thin flake which has been extensively used on all margins except at the proximal end. The flake features a concave area on one margin, which appears to have resulted from use in a shaving activity. The resulting point on the right margin has been enhanced with minimal retouch. A flexion break on the point suggests that the piece was also used as a drill.

Other

- 6.2.6 The remaining pieces are mostly flakes, which are not distinctive. Two scrapers and a scraper/piercer were also recovered (from ditch 74502 and topsoil 88001).

Burnt flint

- 6.2.7 The 16 pieces were all from ditches. This intrinsically undatable material type is often taken to indicate prehistoric activity; in this instance it was found with Iron Age pottery sherds in ditches 74719, 85706, 87404 and 87520 and without other chronologically diagnostic finds in ditches 87719 and 91727. Whether it was generated as part of deliberate domestic (e.g. heating water for cooking) or industrial activities (for use as a tempering agent in pottery, for example) or created accidentally while setting fires on the natural ground surface remains unclear.

6.3 Pottery

- 6.3.1 **The pottery report is in preparation. The full text will be included in the final report.**
- 6.3.2 The pottery was recovered from 85 features/deposits. All the Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age sherds derive from four more or less complete Beaker vessels found in three pits in trench 750, but most of the other features/deposits contained only small numbers of sherds, with just seven ditches (67909, 77703, 77705, 77709, 85706, 87404 and 87607) and pit 67904 having more than 20 sherds.
- 6.3.3 No detailed recording has been undertaken at this stage, but the sherds from each context have been rapidly examined and assigned a broad date, with information concerning the range of fabrics, vessel forms and other diagnostic features, such as surface treatment and decoration, being noted where appropriate.

Beaker

- 6.3.4 Substantial portions of Beaker vessels were recovered from pits 75012 (ON 54) and 75016 (ON 72). Both belong to Needham's Low Carinated group (Needham 2005), decorated with Maritime-Derived zoned horizontal motifs of toothed comb impression, with three or four lines above and below a narrow zone infilled with cross-hatching, the whole pattern repeated in zones separated by narrow blank areas down the whole body of the vessel. The similarities between the two suggest that – like the bracers – they derive from a single episode of manufacture and are contemporary. Radiocarbon dates for funerary assemblages containing vessels of this type fall in the early part of the Beaker horizon, between 2400 and 2100 BC.

6.4 Stone

- 6.4.1 A remarkable group of four stone bracers came from three pits in Trench 750, one (ON 61) from pit 75010, one (ON 59) from pit 75012, and two (ONs 70 and 71) from pit 75014. All four vary in detail (tabulated below) but are very similar in terms of manufacture and raw material which, based on visual inspection only, appears to be one of the amphibiolite-bearing metasediments preferentially chosen for the manufacture of bracers in England (Woodward and Hunter 2011).

Table 6 Stone bracers data

Object No	Dimensions (mm)	Shape	Features	Perforations	Condition
61	101 x 44 x 3	Rectangle	Striations; convex face polished	Six	One corner slightly damaged
59	101 x 44 x 4	Waisted rectangle	Striations; convex face polished	Six	One corner slightly damaged
70	82 x 31 x 4	Trapezoid	Striations	Four	Possible damage to one face, but still obscured by adhering soil
71	92 x 31 x 3	Waisted rectangle	Striations	Two	Complete

- 6.4.2 The examples with six perforations both have opposed 'v' formations, expressed towards the centre. The objects have not been cleaned, pending potential future analysis; consequently, although other features (striations, polish, damage, edge shaping, etc.) are partially visible they cannot be fully identified or categorised at this point.
- 6.4.3 The similarities between the four pieces suggest that they are the work of the same hand or at least made according to a shared template. The remarkable nature of this group is emphasised by the fact that it is currently the largest group of bracers from a single site known in the UK.
- 6.4.4 An irregular fragment of a cobble from pit 75012 is visually very similar to the bracers. No petrological analysis has been undertaken, so it cannot be stated that the rock type is the same, but if so, then it may represent raw material for bracer manufacture. Rectilinear striations on one face may be natural, but if not, they could represent marking-out lines for a bracer blank.

6.5 Shale

- 6.5.1 A ring (ON55) of jet, shale or related soft black stone came from pit 75012. It is a 'v'-profiled form, 37.17 - 36.59mm in diameter and 8.57 - 8.02mm in thickness, with a perforation measuring 23.81 - 23.51mm.

6.6 Worked bone

- 6.6.1 Two bone points, both fashioned from sheep-sized long bone shafts, came from possible Iron Age pit 74904. The more complete example (ON 50) retains part of the proximal articular surface, has a polished shank that is semi-circular in cross-section and tapers to a fine, rounded point. The other example is a broken shank fragment with an oval cross-section.

- 6.6.2 A short section (32 mm in length) of connecting plate from a double-sided composite comb (ON 1), most likely made from antler, came from construction cut 85014 which formed part of a Romano-British building. Rivet holes are present at the broken ends of the plate, which has incised decoration along the outer edges.

6.7 Human bone

- 6.7.1 Human bone was recovered from two contexts situated some 1600 m apart in adjacent areas of the Site (Areas 6 and 7); in both cases, during excavation the remains were believed to comprise animal bone. That from Area 6 was recovered from Trench 750, at stripped surface level in the upper fill (75020) of the Beaker period chamber grave 75016 (Figures 17 and 29). The remains from Trench 874 in Area 7 were found amongst a small quantity of animal bone in the upper (87412) of two fills within a ditch terminal (87410); the feature forms part of a probable Romano-British field system situated to the north of the current A40 (Figures 19 and 33).
- 6.7.2 The bone was subject to an assessment level examination: age and sex estimates were based on standard methods (Buikstra and Ubelaker 1994; Scheuer and Black 2000); the degree of erosion was scored following McKinley (2004, fig. 6); and the deposit type was assessed from the combined osteological and site context data.

Results

- 6.7.3 The bone recovered from the surface level of 75020 was badly fragmented during archaeological machine stripping (some bone could have been lost via this mechanism). There is marked surface erosion (Grade 4–5) with old as well as fresh breaks to the elements recovered, none of which survived in their entirety. Elements of both upper (humerus, radius, ulna, metacarpal and phalanx) and lower limb (tibia, patella and distal femur) were recovered, amounting to approximately 10% skeletal recovery. The right side is predominantly represented. The size and robusticity of the bone – particularly the tibia and patella – indicate an adult male, the absence of enthesophytes on the anterior patella or any degenerative changes to the surviving articular surfaces, suggests the individual (there is no evidence for more than one) was probably less than 35 years of age. The marked medio-lateral narrow profile of the tibia (platycnemic) suggests a highly mobile lifestyle (Mays et al 2018).
- 6.7.4 The remains from the ditch terminal comprise joining fragments of a single skeletal element – most of a large, robust right tibia shaft probably from an adult male. The bone is slightly eroded/weathered (Grade 3); the proximal end (ending just distal to the tuberosity) shows old breaks, with crenelation around most of the circumference indicative of canid gnawing; the distal end has fresh breaks with no joins.

6.8 Animal bone

- 6.8.1 The animal bone assemblage is quantified in Table 7 and includes both hand-recovered and sieved material. Once refits and associated bone groups (hereafter ABG) are considered this is reduced to 657 fragments (Table 7). The assemblage includes material of Prehistoric to medieval date and was assessed by rapid scanning following current guidelines (Baker and Worley 2019).
- 6.8.2 Bone preservation is generally good and consistent within individual contexts. Secondary deposition into ditches is suggested by the pottery and other datable finds, and similar levels of residuality must be assumed for the animal bones. Poorly preserved bones were recorded from a few ditches and the surface of the natural. These elements are heavily mineralised and/or have concretions of iron-rich sediment adhering to their surfaces. Few

identifiable elements were retrieved from these contexts. Canid gnaw marks are present on only 15 bones. Burnt fragments were also recorded but are present in small numbers.

Table 7 Animal bone: number of identified specimens present (or NISP).
*denotes adjusted for ABG

Taxa	Prehistoric	Iron Age	Romano-British	Medieval/modern	Uncertain	Total
Cattle	1	34	24	2*	15	76
Sheep/goat	-	38	15	1	8	62
Pig	-	6	3	-	2	11
Horse	-	1	10	1	1	13
Dog	-	1	1	1*	4	7
Dog/fox	-	-	-	-	1	1
?Aurochs	2	-	-	-	-	2
Roe deer	-	-	1	-	-	1
Deer	-	1	-	-	-	1
Domestic fowl	-	-	-	-	1	1
Rodent	-	29	1	-	-	30
Frog/toad	-	2	-	-	-	2
Total identified	3	112	55	5	32	207
Total unidentifiable	8	268	107	7	60	450
Overall total	11	380	162	12	92	657

Prehistoric

- 6.8.3 Fragments from two bovine elements, a scapula and thoracic vertebra, came from ditch 74503, which formed part of the outer circuit of a possible barrow. Both bones are from a large animal, potentially an aurochs, the wild ancestor of domestic cattle. The bones are also heavily mineralised due to the effects of localised soil conditions over a prolonged period. A single cattle bone, part of the distal shaft of a humerus, came from ring ditch 91727.

Iron Age

- 6.8.4 Most of the animal bones came from ditches and pits broadly dated to this period. No particularly large or unusual groups on animal bones were recorded. The identified bones are largely from either sheep/goat or cattle, both of which are represented by a broad range of elements. However, the data for sheep/goat shows a slight bias towards body parts (e.g., heads and feet) discarded at the primary butchery stage. Additional details (i.e., age-related, butchery, see Table 8) are scarce but at least one calf bone was noted and a few butchery marks.
- 6.8.5 A few pig bones came from ditches; most are fragments of tibiae. A horse tooth and dog femur were also recovered from ditches, and a fragment of possible deer metacarpal came from pit 74904. The sieved part of the assemblage includes a few rodent and frog/toad bones.

Romano-British

- 6.8.6 Bone came from a small number of ditches, pits and construction cuts. The bone-rich fill of construction cut 85014 is notable in comparison to other features which all contained insignificant amounts of skeletal material. The Romano-British assemblage is also dominated by bones from livestock, with cattle bones slightly more in abundance than

sheep/goat. Both livestock are represented by a range of different body parts and again limited detailed information is available (see Table 2).

- 6.8.7 Horse bones outnumber those of pig. Five of the ten horse bones recovered came from pit 67904, four from construction cut 85014 and the other from ditch 69307. The bones from the pit include three elements potentially from the same forequarter, although all are in a fragmentary state. Possible filleting marks were noted on one of the horse bones. A dog humerus, roe deer radius and rodent bone were also found.

Medieval and modern

- 6.8.8 A small number of disarticulated, mostly unidentifiable fragments came from a few features and deposits of medieval and modern date. Of note are three ABGs found in purpose dug pits of recent date. These comprise two cattle burials (pits 87810 and 87904) and the partial remains of a dog, the latter from pit 82504. Each cattle burial also contains the partial remains of a peri/neonate calf. It is likely based on this evidence that these animals died as a result of complications during the birth. The dog ABG is that of a large male animal with an estimated shoulder height of 0.64 m and powerful jaws, the latter as indicated by the height of the sagittal crest.

Uncertain date

- 6.8.9 The animal bones recovered from features of uncertain date are mostly from livestock, particularly cattle, and other common domestic animals including horse, dog and domestic fowl.

7 ENVIRONMENTAL EVIDENCE

7.1 Introduction

- 7.1.1 A total of 22 bulk sediment samples (including a series of samples from a cremation grave) were taken from a range of ditches and pits and were processed for the recovery and assessment of the environmental evidence. Charred plant remains recovered from the samples have been assessed.

Table 8 Sample summary

Area/Phase/feature type	No. of samples	Volume (litres)	Feature types
Beaker	5	32.15	Pits
BA/IA	2	68	Ditches
IA	1	28	Ditch
IA/RB	3	84	Ditches
Prehistoric	6	35	Ditch, cremation grave
RB	5	127	Ditch, pits

7.2 Aims and methods

- 7.2.1 The aim of this assessment is to determine the nature and significance of the environmental remains preserved at the site (charcoal, charred plant remains/molluscs). Appropriate recommendations for further work are provided. This assessment follows recommendations from Historic England (English Heritage 2011).

- 7.2.2 The size of the bulk sediment samples varied between 0.5 and 40 litres, with an average volume of approximately 16 litres. Some of the samples were pre-soaked in a solution of water and hydrogen peroxide to help break up the clayey sediment. The bulk samples were processed by standard flotation methods on a Siraf-type flotation tank, although the cremation grave sample was processed using manual flotation. The flots from all samples were retained on a 0.25 mm mesh and the residues were retained on a 1 mm mesh. The residues were then sieved into fine (<4 - > 1 mm) and coarse (>4 mm) fractions. The coarse fractions of the residues were sorted by eye for artefactual and environmental remains and discarded. The environmental material extracted from the residues was added to the flots. The fine residue fraction from sample 150 and the flot from sample 3 were subsampled due to their size. All flots and fine residues were scanned and sorted using a stereo incident light microscopy at magnifications of up to x32. Different potential indicators of bioturbation were considered, including the percentage of roots, the abundance of modern seeds and cereal straw alongside the presence of animal remains, such as burrowing snails (*Cecilioides acicula*), earthworm eggs and insects.
- 7.2.3 The preservation and nature of the charred plant and wood charcoal remains, as well as the presence of other environmental remains such as terrestrial molluscs, and animal bone was recorded. Abundance of remains is qualitatively quantified: C = <5 ('Trace'), B = 5–10 ('Rare'), A = 10–30 ('Occasional'), A* = 30–100 ('Common'), A** = 100–500 ('Abundant'), A*** = >500 ('Very abundant/Exceptional'). This is an estimation of the minimum number of individuals (not the number of remains) per taxa.
- 7.2.4 Plant remains were identified through comparison with modern reference material held by Wessex Archaeology and relevant literature (e.g., Cappers *et al.* 2006). Nomenclature follows Stace (1997) for wild taxa and Zohary *et al.* (2012) for cereals and other cultivated crops (using traditional names).

7.3 Results

- 7.3.1 The results are presented in Appendix 3, Table 10.
- 7.3.2 The volumes of the flots are generally very small to small, with one large. Potential indicators of bioturbation are present, mostly in high quantities, indicating high possibility of contamination from later intrusive material (e.g., abundant modern roots, modern/uncharred seeds and cereal straw, *Cecilioides acicula*, modern insects, earthworm eggs).
- 7.3.3 Environmental evidence comprises plant remains preserved by carbonisation, mollusc shells and animal bone.
- 7.3.4 Charred plant material other than charcoal is poorly preserved. Wood charcoal is noted in both large and small quantities. Remains of terrestrial molluscs are present in trace to occasional numbers and small animal bones are also present in common to abundant numbers. No other environmental evidence is preserved in the bulk sediment samples.

Prehistoric

- 7.3.5 Cremation burial 86504 contains no charred plant remains other than charcoal, in rich quantities. Charred amorphous remains are also present. Ditch85703 contains only rare amounts of cereal grain, and occasional cereal chaff, as well as trace quantities of wild plant remains. Taxa include barley (*Hordeum* spp.), oats (*Avena* spp.) and wheat (*Triticum* spp.) grains and glume bases, as well as smaller quantities of hazelnut (*Corylus avellana*) shell fragments and grasses (Poaceae). Charcoal is present in low quantities.

Beaker Period

- 7.3.6 Five samples were taken from inside and around pottery vessels. No charred plant remains, or charcoal is present in these samples.

Bronze Age / Iron Age

- 7.3.7 Ditch 87406 contains occasional cereal grain and chaff and seeds of wild plants. Charred cereal grain includes wheat, barley and indeterminate cereal. The chaff is dominated by wheat glume bases. Other charred plant remains include fragments of hazelnut shell, seeds of grasses (Poaceae), vetch/tare (*Vicia/Lathyrus* spp.) and trefoil/medick/clover (Trifoliae), amongst other taxa. A small amount of charcoal is present. Ditch 77709 contains rare cereal grains and charred amorphous material. Taxa include possible emmer wheat (*Triticum* cf. *dicoccum*) and indeterminate cereal (Triticeae). Charcoal is common.

Iron Age

- 7.3.8 Ditch 64602 contains rare glume bases, some of which can be identified as belonging to spelt wheat (*Triticum spelta*) and trace cereal grains, none of which can be identified beyond indeterminate cereal (Triticeae). A small amount of charcoal is present.

Iron Age / Romano British

- 7.3.9 Ditch 87404 is dominated by cereal grains including barley, wheat, free-threshing wheat (*Triticum aestivum/compactum/turgidum*), and possible emmer wheat. There are also smaller quantities of glume bases and seeds from wild plants including clover/trefoil/medick, dock (*Rumex* spp.), and grasses amongst other species. Ditch 77703 contains rare quantities of wheat/barley grain and traces of hazelnut shell fragments. 77705 is dominated by common fragments of hazelnut shell and also includes possible barley (cf. *Hordeum* spp.), grasses and vetch/tare. Charcoal >2mm is present in moderate quantities in all three ditch fills.

Romano British

- 7.3.10 Four samples taken from the fills of pit 67904 contain only trace to occasional charred plant remains. Fragments of cereal grain are occasional finds in secondary fill 67908, accompanied by trace finds of spelt glume bases. Other taxa in trace quantities in the four samples include scentless mayweed (*Tripleurospermum inodorum*), vetch/tare, Trifoliae and grasses amongst others. Charcoal >2mm is present in small quantities. Ditch fill 69304 contains 1ml of charcoal >2mm.

7.4 Conclusions

- 7.4.1 The samples contain environmental evidence preserved by charring. The material is representative of subsistence agricultural activity typical of Bronze Age, Iron Age and Roman Britain (Greig 1991) and the use of wild resources in late prehistory (Stevens and Fuller 2012).
- 7.4.2 This assessment indicates that other features on the site have moderate potential for the preservation of charred plant remains and charcoal, particularly in filed 2.11, and blocks 5 and 7.

8 CONCLUSIONS

8.1 Summary

- 8.1.1 The evaluation identified four areas of archaeological focus within the site, with significant features revealed in 66 no. of the 333 no. excavated trenches. Where archaeological

features were encountered, they corresponded well with the results of the preceding geophysical survey (Atlas Geophysical 2023) which confirms that the results of the geophysical survey appear to be good and reflect the levels and locations of archaeology across the site. In a small number of trenches, archaeological features were identified that had not been detected by the geophysical survey, although these were mainly small and shallow in nature.

- 8.1.2 The uncovered features comprised ditches, gullies, pits, furrows, drains, postholes, possible robbed out wall foundation cuts and burials, and represented several periods of activity: Late Neolithic/Early Bronze Age (Beaker), Iron Age, Romano-British, likely early medieval and medieval/post-medieval. In addition, a number of features remained only broadly dated to the prehistoric period and several features remained of uncertain date.
- 8.1.3 The features in the central-western area centred around Trenches 745, 746-9 and 750. Features in Trench 750 consisted of a substantial circular barrow ditch and four Beaker graves, one located centrally within the barrow and three to its exterior (Figures 12 and 29). Two additional pits and a posthole of uncertain function were also identified and are likely contemporary with the funerary activity. Features in trenches 745 and 748 included substantial ring ditches of a broadly prehistoric date. Features in Trench 747 consisted of ditches, including a potential circular ditch, from which Iron Age pottery was recovered. Features in Trench 749 included postholes and a wide, shallow feature of Iron Age date containing slag.
- 8.1.4 The features in the southeast area were centred around Trenches 874-7 and 882 and consisted of ditches, ring ditches, pits, postholes, a potential inhumation burial and a small number of animal burials suggestive of an extensive settlement of broadly Iron Age date (Figures 19, 33 and 34). The artefact assemblage recovered from the excavated features suggests both domestic and agricultural activities were taking place in the vicinity during the Iron Age period.
- 8.1.5 The features in the northeastern area were centred around Trenches 679, 680, 681 and 682 and consisted of a number of potential wall foundation trenches, enclosure ditches, a gully and a pit of broadly Roman date (Figures 6 and 26). The foundation trenches in Trench 682 corresponded with a structure identified during the preceding geophysical survey and interpreted as a possible Roman Temple (Atlas Geophysical 2023).
- 8.1.6 The features in the northwest area were centred around Trench 917 and consisted of a circular barrow ditch of probable prehistoric date which had formed the focus for subsequent inhumation burials (Figures 22 and 35). Due to the sensitive nature of the features and the scope of the evaluation, none were excavated, and it was not possible to determine their date, although it is highly probable the graves were of early medieval origin.
- 8.1.7 Within the wider area of the red line boundary, additional archaeological features spanning the prehistoric through the Romano-British, medieval, post-medieval/modern periods were observed. There is also some evidence of earlier activity in the vicinity as indicated by small quantities of Mesolithic or possibly Early Neolithic tools and flakes, along with less diagnostic worked flint, found residually in later features.
- 8.1.8 Modern features related to the current agricultural use of the site including land drains and plough scars were also encountered.

8.2 Discussion

Stratigraphic potential

- 8.2.1 The evaluation has established that there is a high potential for archaeology to survive, with distinct concentrations of archaeological features in the northeast, northwest, central-western and southeast areas. It has also revealed that the archaeology correlates well with the findings of the previous geophysical survey; suggesting that it can be used as a reliable basis for developing further mitigation strategies for the site, should this be deemed necessary.
- 8.2.2 The archaeological features revealed evidence for a Beaker Barrow cemetery in the central-western area, a potential Roman Temple site in the northeast area, an extensive Iron Age settlement in the southeast area and an inhumation cemetery of probable early medieval date focussed upon a prehistoric barrow in the northwest of the site. Medieval/postmedieval and modern agricultural features consisting of furrows, drains and plough scars were also observed throughout the site.

The full pottery finds report is in preparation. This section will require updating on completion.

Potential and recommendations for the finds assemblage

- 8.2.3 While the assemblage of metalworking debris is small and its condition implies residuality, it may provide evidence for local iron working, probably broadly contemporary with the features containing it. Any future mitigation has the potential to produce more material which may clarify this.
- 8.2.4 The nature of the deposit recovered from the upper fill of the Beaker period grave 75016 is uncertain, partly due to the incomplete excavation of the feature. The presence of what are believed to comprise in situ burial remains were observed close to what appears to have been the base of the cut, including most of a Beaker vessel and a few fragments of human bone (?femoral shafts and some foot bones); however, the majority of the human bone (and potentially other grave goods) lay in the unexcavated two-thirds of the feature (Figures 29, 40 – section 31). Since the feature appears to represent the remains of a chamber grave – i.e. a wooden chamber which could be accessed for some time after burial – there are several possible options for the origin of the bone found at surface level. The chamber could have been opened, some of the bone removed and later incorporated in the upper fill (the meagre amount of *in situ* bone visible at the base of the grave seems to represent femora with no sign of the adjoining tibiae); or the remains of an earlier occupant of the grave could have been removed in their entirety with a second burial made in the grave. In either case, the presence of the bone in the upper levels of the fill suggests it was potentially deposited in overlying mound material which fell into the grave following collapse of the chamber. A third alternative is that a later grave was cut into the upper levels of the Beaker grave fill, but that the majority of the bone – the grave being so shallow – has been lost to horizontal truncation.
- 8.2.5 Evidence for revisiting and removal (or even addition) of bones from Beaker period chamber graves is relatively common, e.g. graves 1289 and 25000 at Amesbury Down, Wiltshire (Fitzpatrick 2011) and several others from the same mortuary zone (pers obs/ McKinley 2015). The insertion of later graves/burials into the upper fills of chamber graves has also been observed, including at the aforementioned Grave 25000 at Amesbury Down (Fitzpatrick 2011, fig. 5).

- 8.2.6 The location of the human tibia in upper fill of ditch terminal 87410, mixed with the animal bone (amongst which it may not have been distinguished at time of deposition), does not give a strong suggestion that this comprised a deliberately 'placed' deposit. However, the possibility cannot be fully dismissed together with that of the bone potentially having been 'curated' for some time. Excarnation is considered to represent one of the predominant mortuary rites undertaken in the Iron Age for example, with relatively common recovery of disarticulated redeposited skeletal elements or parts thereof from what are deemed non-mortuary context (Carr and Knüsel 1997; Harding 2016, 108–126; Hill 1995, 13–18; Walker 1984, 455; Whimster 1981). Failure to securely date redeposited material of this type – which cannot necessarily be presumed to match that of the feature from which it is recovered – can lead to an incorrect assumption regarding the temporal context of the bone and a corresponding misinterpretation of the reflected mortuary rite.
- 8.2.7 The assessment results show that the animal bone preservation is generally good across the proposed development area. However, residuality rates maybe an issue, as many of the animal bones were found in ditches. This aside, the assemblage provides basic information about the local livestock economy during the Iron Age and Romano-British periods, however, detailed information that could provide further insight about husbandry regimes, carcass processing and the size of livestock, is lacking and this limits the potential of the assemblage (Table 8).

Table 9 Animal bone: type and quantity of detailed information available

Type	Iron Age	Romano-British	All other periods	Total
Age – epiphyseal fusion	15	11	11	37
Age – mandible 2+ teeth	2	2	2	6
Biometric	4	8	6	18
Butchery	3	5	3	11

Finds recommendations

- 8.2.8 No further work is recommended for the metalworking debris at this stage, but a summary of this assessment should be adapted for inclusion in any proposed publication.
- 8.2.9 The likelihood of additional animal bone being recovered from future archaeological mitigation work within the proposed development area is expected to be fairly high given the assessment results and a larger, more informative assemblage has the potential to address some of these themes. The animal bones recovered from the evaluation stage form part of this picture and should be retained and reviewed in light of the above.
- 8.2.10 Little further work on the human bone is required other than a full record of the bones recovered for the archive; a limited amount of reconstruction should allow calculation of the platycnemic index (Bass 1987) which can reflect levels of mobility (see above).
- 8.2.11 It is, however, strongly recommended that radiocarbon analysis of a sample of bone from both deposits – particularly 75020 – is undertaken to assist in setting these remains in their correct temporal context and to assist in interpretation of the mortuary activity they reflect. Radiocarbon analysis also records levels of carbon and nitrogen isotopes which provide information on the individual's diet, and sulphur isotopes which can give some indication of geographic origin. These additional details can be used to adapt the current report on the human bone and aspects of the mortuary rites.

- 8.2.12 The Beaker associated material (lithics, pottery, stone bracers and ring) collectively form a remarkable group, the number of bracers being without parallel. All of this material warrants full analysis and publication.

Potential and recommendations for future environmental sampling

- 8.2.13 Further environmental sampling should continue to follow Wessex Archaeology's in-house guidance/the site-specific sampling strategy. Samples for the recovery of charred plant remains and charcoal should be taken from as wide a range of feature types as possible, covering different phases of activity. Samples should be 40 litres in size (or 100% of small contexts), and they should be taken from individual, secure contexts.
- 8.2.14 The charred plant material does not require any further analysis on the existing samples; however, this may be revised if further sampling is undertaken. There is potential to undertake analysis of the charcoal on one of the features to provide insights into the funerary and fuel exploitation practices at the site.

9 ARCHIVE STORAGE AND CURATION

9.1 Museum

- 9.1.1 The archive is currently held at the offices of Wessex Archaeology in Salisbury. Oxfordshire County Museum Service has agreed in principle to accept the archive on completion of the project, under the accession code **OXCMS: 2024.100**. Deposition of any finds with the museum will only be carried out with the full written agreement of the landowner to transfer title of all finds to the museum.

9.2 Preparation of the archive

Physical archive

- 9.2.1 The physical archive will be prepared following the standard conditions for the acceptance of excavated archaeological material by Oxfordshire County Museum Service, and in general following nationally recommended guidelines (Brown 2011; ClfA 2014b; SMA 1995).
- 9.2.2 All archive elements are marked with the site/accession code, and a full index will be prepared. The physical archive currently comprises the following:
- 23 cardboard boxes or airtight plastic boxes of artefacts and ecofacts, ordered by material type
 - 2 files/document cases of paper records and A3/A4 graphics

Digital archive

- 9.2.3 The digital archive, which comprises born-digital data (e.g., site records, survey data, databases and spreadsheets, photographs and reports), will be deposited with a Trusted Digital Repository, in this instance the Archaeology Data Service (ADS), to ensure its long-term curation. Digital data will be prepared following ADS guidelines (ADS 2013 and online guidance) and accompanied by metadata.
- 9.2.4 Full details of the collection, processing and documentation of digital data are given in the project data management plan (DMP; Appendix 4).

9.3 Selection strategy

- 9.3.1 It is widely accepted that not all the records and materials (artefacts and ecofacts) collected or created during an archaeological project require preservation in perpetuity. These records and materials will be subject to selection to establish what will be retained for long-term curation, with the aim of ensuring that all elements selected for retention are appropriate to establish the significance of the project and support future research, outreach, engagement, display and learning activities (i.e., the retained archive should fulfil the requirements of both future researchers and the receiving museum).
- 9.3.2 The selection strategy, which details the project-specific selection process, is underpinned by national guidelines on selection and retention (Brown 2011, section 4) and generic selection policies (SMA 1993; Wessex Archaeology's internal selection policy) and follows ClfA's (n.d. b) *Toolkit for Selecting Archaeological Archives*. It should be agreed by all stakeholders (e.g., Wessex Archaeology's specialists, external specialists, local authority, museum) and fully documented in the project archive.
- 9.3.3 Project-specific proposals for selection are presented below. The proposals are based on recommendations by Wessex Archaeology's specialists and will be updated in line with any further comment by other stakeholders (e.g., museum, local authority), prior to deposition of the archive. Any material not selected for retention may be used for teaching or reference collections by Wessex Archaeology.

Finds

- 9.3.4 Animal bone (3020 fragments): small assemblage, majority of Iron Age and Romano-British date, of some intrinsic local value but low research potential. However, retain and review following future archaeological mitigation within the development area.
- 9.3.5 Metalworking debris (4 pieces): small, poorly preserved assemblage with no future research potential; discard all.
- 9.3.6 Prehistoric pottery and stone: retain all.

Palaeoenvironmental material

- 9.3.7 The residues from the cremation grave samples and ditch 77709 have been retained. All other residues have been discarded.
- 9.3.8 Assessed flots with no further potential are considered to be devoid of any significant environmental evidence and will be discarded (all samples except those from cremation grave 85604 and ditch 77709), unless further fieldwork and proposals for analysis have not yet been undertaken.

Documentary records

- 9.3.9 Paper records comprise site registers (other pro-forma site records are digital), drawings and reports (written scheme of investigation, client report). All will be retained and deposited with the project archive.

Digital data

- 9.3.10 The digital data comprise site records (tablet-recorded on site) in spreadsheet format; finds records in spreadsheet format; survey data; photographs; reports. All will be deposited, although site photographs will be subject to selection to eliminate poor quality and duplicated images, and any others that are not directly relevant to the archaeology of the site.

9.4 Security copy

- 9.4.1 In line with current best practice (e.g., Brown 2011), on completion of the project, a security copy of the written records will be prepared, in the form of a digital PDF/A file.

9.5 OASIS

- 9.5.1 An OASIS (online access to the index of archaeological investigations) record (<http://oasis.ac.uk>) has been initiated, with key fields completed (Appendix 5). A .pdf version of the final report will be submitted following approval by the Lead Archaeologist at OCAS on behalf of the LPA. Subject to any contractual requirements on confidentiality, copies of the OASIS record will be integrated into the relevant local and national records and published through the Archaeology Data Service (ADS) ArchSearch catalogue.

10 COPYRIGHT

10.1 Archive and report copyright

- 10.1.1 The full copyright of the written/illustrative/digital archive relating to the project will be retained by Wessex Archaeology under the *Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988* with all rights reserved. The client will be licenced to use each report for the purposes that it was produced in relation to the project as described in the specification. The museum, however, will be granted an exclusive licence for the use of the archive for educational purposes, including academic research, providing that such use conforms to the *Copyright and Related Rights Regulations 2003*.
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APPENDICES

Appendix 1 Trench summaries

NB: depth bgl = below ground level

Trench No 609		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.23 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
60901		Topsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with poorly sorted very common medium-large gravel and cobble-sized limestone inclusions	0.00–0.23	
60902		Natural	Limestone rock, crumbly and easily fractured	0.23+	
60903	60904, 60905	Quarry pit	Circular quarry pit with steep, stepped sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >3.40 m. Width: >1.75 m. Depth: 0.57 m.	0.23-0.8	
60904	60903	Secondary fill	Reddish brown sandy gravel with frequent inclusions of large limestone slabs sized between 30-120mm. 0.26 thick		
60905	60903	Secondary fill	Reddish brown silty sand with occasional inclusions of large limestone slabs sized between 90-200mm. 0.35 thick		

Trench No 610		Length 50 m	Width 1.90 m	Depth 0.23 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
61001		Topsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with poorly sorted very common medium-large gravel and cobble-sized limestone inclusions	0.00–0.23	
61002		Natural	Limestone rock, easily fractured	0.23+	

Trench No 611		Length 50 m	Width 2.05 m	Depth 0.25 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
61101		Topsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with poorly sorted very common medium-large gravel and cobble-sized limestone inclusions	0.00–0.25	
61102		Natural	Limestone rock, crumbly and easily fractured	0.25+	
61103	61104	Pit	Sub-oval pit with irregular, straight sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.42 m. Width: 0.32 m. Depth: 0.04 m.	0.25-0.29	
61104	61103	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay loam with rare 1% small-medium size limestone inclusions	0.25-0.29	

Trench No 612		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.39 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
61201		Topsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with poorly sorted very common medium-large gravel and cobble-sized limestone inclusions	0.00–0.26	
61202		Natural	Mid orange-brown silty clay loam with poorly sorted medium-large gravel sized limestone inclusions	0.26–0.39+	
61203	61204	Pit	Circular pit with moderate, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 0.34 m. Width: 0.35 m. Depth: 0.06 m.	0.26-0.32	
61204	61203	Secondary fill	Mid grey silty clay loam with rare rounded coarse gravel	0.26-0.32	



61205	61206	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned N-S with moderate, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.65 m. Depth: 0.09 m.	0.26-0.35
61206	61205	Secondary fill	Mid grey silty clay loam with rare rounded coarse gravel and cobbles	0.26-0.35
61207	61208, 61209	Ditch terminal	Linear ditch terminus aligned N-S with moderate, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >1.12 m. Width: 1.40 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.26-0.48
61208	61207	Primary fill	Light brownish orange silty clay loam with moderate surrounded to very rounded gravel to cobbles. 0.16 thick	
61209	61207	Secondary fill	Light greyish brown silty clay loam with sparse surrounded to very rounded coarse gravel, very rare charcoal. 0.08 thick	

Trench No 613		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.37 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
61301		Topsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with poorly sorted very common medium-large gravel and cobble-sized limestone inclusions	0.00–0.28
61302		Natural	Light orange-brown silty clay loam with approximately 50% crumbly white limestone.	0.28–0.37+
61303	61304	Pit	Oval pit with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: 0.46 m. Width: 0.41 m. Depth: 0.07 m.	0.28-0.35
61304	61303	Secondary fill	Dark grey silty loam with frequent inclusions of rounded stones sized between 30-40mm	0.28-0.35

Trench No 614		Length 50 m	Width 1.85 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
61401		Topsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with poorly sorted very common medium-large gravel and cobble-sized limestone inclusions	0.00–0.42
61402		Natural	Alternates between white limestone and mid orange-brown silty clay loam.	0.42+

Trench No 615		Length 50 m	Width 1.95 m	Depth 0.69 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
61501		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with occasional medium size limestone inclusions	0.0–0.33
61502		Colluvium	Mid orange brown silty clay loam with rare small limestone inclusions	0.33–0.69
61503		Natural	White limestone brash	0.69+

Trench No 616		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.76 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
61601		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with common small-medium size limestone inclusions	0.00–0.31
61602		Colluvium	Mid orange brown silty clay loam with rare small-medium limestone inclusions	0.31–0.76
61603		Natural	Pale yellowish brown limestone gravel	0.76+

Trench No 617		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.70 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



61701		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with occasional small-medium limestone inclusions	0.00–0.30
61702		Colluvium	Colluvial. Mid orange brown silty clay loam with occasional small-medium limestone inclusions	0.30–0.70
61703		Natural	Pale yellowish brown limestone gravel	0.70+

Trench No 618		Length 50 m	Width 1.90 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
61801		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with abundant small-medium size limestone inclusions	0.00–0.35
61802		Natural	Pale orange brown limestone gravel	0.35+

Trench No 619		Length 50 m	Width 1.90 m	Depth 0.49 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
61901		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with abundant small-large size limestone inclusions	0.00–0.31
61902		Natural	Mid orange brown silty clay loam with patches of pale yellowish brown limestone and mid blueish grey clay	0.31–0.49+

Trench No 620		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.27 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62001		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with abundant small-large gravel size limestone inclusions.	0.00–0.27
62002		Natural	Pale orange brown silty loam with patches of pale yellowish brown limestone gravel and mid blueish grey clay.	0.27+

Trench No 621		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62101		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with abundant small-large gravel size limestone inclusions	0.00–0.30
62102		Natural	Pale yellowish brown limestone gravel with patches of mid reddish brown silty clay loam.	0.30–0.38+

Trench No 622		Length 50 m	Width 1.90 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62201		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with abundant small-large gravel size limestone inclusions.	0.00–0.33
62202		Natural	Pale yellowish brown limestone gravel with patches of mid orange brown silty loam and mid blueish grey clay.	0.33–0.38+

Trench No 623		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.46 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62301		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with abundant small-medium size limestone inclusions.	0.00–0.35
62302		Natural	Pale yellowish brown limestone gravel with patches of mid blueish grey clay.	0.35–0.46+

Trench No 624		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.58 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



62401		Topsoil	Mid grey brown, loose silty clay, common flint sub-rounded <140mm, frequent limestone <40mm sub-angular. This layer has been disturbed by ploughing and rooting.	0.00–0.28
62402		Colluvium	Mid orangish brown, frequent limestone <50mm sub-angular, sparse flint sub-rounded <30mm.	0.28–0.38
62403		Natural	Mid yellowish brown, abundant limestone <40mm sub-angular.	0.38–0.58+
62404	62405	Pit	Sub-circular pit with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.68 m. Width: 0.65 m. Depth: 0.08 m.	0.38-0.46
62405	62404	Deliberate backfill	Mid brown grey loose silty clay with abundant burnt flint <120mm sub-rounded	0.38-0.46
62406	62407	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with shallow, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.46 m. Depth: 0.21 m.	0.38-0.59
62407	62406	Secondary fill	Mid brown loose silty clay with frequent flint sub-rounded <90mm sparse limestone <50mm sub-angular	0.38-0.59

Trench No 625		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62501		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown clay loam. Friable. Common rounded medium gravel moderately well sorted.	0.00–0.28
62502		Natural	Mid orangey brown. Compacted. Common surrounded medium gravel inclusions poorly sorted.	0.28–0.36+
62503	62504	Land drain	Linear land drain aligned SW-NE with moderate, straight sides and a sloping base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.55 m. Depth: 0.34 m.	0.28-0.62
62504	62503	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown sandy clay with medium gravel moderately well sorted	0.28-0.62

Trench No 626		Length 50 m	Width 1.85 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62601		Topsoil	Dark reddish brown silty loam with abundant small-medium size limestone inclusions	0.00–0.30
62602		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with abundant small-medium size limestone inclusions	0.30–0.50
62603		Natural	White limestone brash	0.50+

Trench No 627		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.43 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62701		Topsoil	Mid brown grey, rare flint rounded <90mm, rare limestone <50mm sub-angular. This layer has been disturbed by ploughing and rooting.	0.00–0.33
62702		Natural	Mid orangish brown, frequent limestone <40mm sub-angular	0.33–0.43+

Trench No 628		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



62801		Topsoil	Mid brown grey, sparse flint rounded <110mm, rare limestone <40mm sub-angular. This layer has been disturbed by ploughing and rooting.	0.00–0.41
62802		Natural	Mid orangish brown, sparse limestone <50mm sub-angular	0.41–0.52+

Trench No 629		Length 50 m	Width 2.35 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
62901		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey silty clay. Loose, coarse grained. Moderate rounded pebbles / rounded stones up to 40mmx60mmx25mm in size.	0.00–0.43
62902		Natural	Light reddish brown firm clay. Heavily sunbaked by time of recording. Frequent sub-rounded to rounded pebbles inclusions alongside smaller more sub-angular small gravelly stones. Rare patches of grey clay occur mainly in S of trench, investigated and deemed natural.	0.43–0.52+

Trench No 630		Length 50 m	Width 1.84 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63001		Topsoil/plough soil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and stones, sized 10-50mm.	0.00–0.27
63002		Colluvium?	Reddish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and stones, sized 15-50mm.	0.27–0.34
63003		Natural	Yellowish brown with spots of a pale yellowish brown. Sandy gravel.	0.34–0.36+
63004	63005	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned W-E with moderate, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.56 m. Depth: 0.14 m.	
63005	63004	Secondary fill	Dark orangey brown sandy clay with common, well sorted medium gravel inclusions. moderate manganese flecking	
63006	63007	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned NW-SE with moderate, straight sides and a convex base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.74 m. Depth: 0.20 m.	
63007	63006	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty sand with rare inclusions of stones sized <30mm	
63008	63009	Pit	Oval pit with shallow, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 0.53 m. Width: 0.37 m. Depth: 0.08 m.	0.34-0.42
63009	63008	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with rare inclusions of small sub-angular stones sized 10-15mm	0.34-0.42
63010	63011	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned E-W with moderate, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.52 m. Depth: 0.15 m.	0.34-0.49
63011	63010	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with moderate medium gravel, moderately well sorted	0.34-0.49

Trench No 631		Length 50 m	Width 1.86 m	Depth 0.41 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63101		Topsoil/plough soil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of small pebbles. Sized 10-20mm	0.00–0.28
63102		Natural	Yellowish brown. Sandy gravel with spots of a bluish grey clay.	0.28–0.41+
63103	63104	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with shallow, irregular sides and a concave base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.41 m. Depth: 0.15 m.	0.28-0.43
63104	63103	Secondary fill	Grey silty clay with none	0.28-0.43
63105	63106	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and an u-shaped base. Length: >2.50 m. Width: 0.68 m. Depth: 0.25 m.	0.28-0.53
63106	63105	Secondary fill	Mid yellowish brown moderately compact silty clay with sparse flint sub-rounded <40mm frequent manganese flecks	0.28-0.53
63107	63108, 63109	Construction cut	Linear construction cut aligned E-W with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.36 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.28-0.44
63108	63107	Stone culvert	Linear stone culvert aligned E-W with straight sides and a flat base. Constructed from rough faced mudstone of varying sizes approximately 10cm - 30cm and bonded with drystone. Maximum height: 0.16 m.	0.28-0.44
63109	63107	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with common medium gravel, poorly sorted	0.28-0.44

Trench No 632		Length 50 m	Width 1.86 m	Depth 0.51 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63201		Topsoil/plough soil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of rounded pebbles sized 15-25mm.	0.00–0.35
63202		Calluvial	Reddish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of small pebbles and rounded stones sized 10-25mm.	0.35–0.45
63203		Natural	Sandy gravel. Pale yellowish brown.	0.45–0.51+

Trench No 633		Length 50 m	Width 1.86 m	Depth 0.58 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63301		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of rounded large pebbles sized 15-20mm.	0.00–0.23
63302		Colluvium	Colluvial. Reddish brown. Silty clay. Occasional inclusions of rounded stones sized 25-40mm.	0.23–0.44
63303		Natural	Yellowish brown with spots of reddish brown. Silty clay with spots of sandy gravel.	0.44–0.58+
63304	63305, 63306, 63307, 63308	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 2.76 m. Depth: 0.50 m.	0.44-0.94
63305	63304	Primary fill	Reddish brown sandy gravel with frequent bits of gravel. mix of rounded, sub-rounded, angular and sub-angular stones	
63306	63304	Primary fill	Reddish brown sandy gravel with frequent bits of gravel. mix of rounded, sub-rounded, angular and sub-angular stones	



63307	63304	Secondary fill	Grey sand with none	
63308	63304	Secondary fill	Reddish brown sandy gravel with frequent bits of gravel. mix of rounded, sub-rounded, angular and sub-angular stones	

Trench No 634		Length 50 m	Width 1.84 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63401		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Occasional inclusions of rounded stones sized 25-40mm.	0.00-0.25
63402		Colluvium	Colluvial. Reddish brown. Silty clay. Occasional rounded inclusions of rounded stones sized 30-50mm.	0.25-0.55
63403		Natural	Sandy silty clay. Yellowish brown with spots of a bluish grey clay and spots of sandy gravel.	0.55-0.60+
63404	63405	Gully	Linear gully aligned N-S with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.48 m. Depth: 0.18 m.	0.55-0.73
63405	63404	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay	0.55-0.73

Trench No 635		Length 50 m	Width 1.86 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63501		Topsoil/plough soil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of rounded and sub-rounded pebbles sized 10-30mm.	0.00-0.32
63502		Calluvial	Reddish brown. Sandy silty clay. Frequent inclusions of small pebbles sized 5-20mm.	0.32-0.41
63503		Natural	Pale yellowish brown. Sandy gravel with spots of a bluish grey clay.	0.41-0.50+

Trench No 636		Length 50 m	Width 1.88 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63601		Topsoil/plough soil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of sub-angular limestone fragments.	0.00-0.27
63602		Natural	Pale yellowish brown sandy clay mixed with a limestone brash.	0.27-0.30+

Trench No 637		Length 50 m	Width 1.86 m	Depth 0.41 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63701		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions of rounded and sub-rounded stones sized 10-25mm.	0.00-0.30
63702		Colluvium	Colluvial. Reddish brown. Sandy silty clay. Frequent inclusions of small rounded and sub-rounded pebbles. Sized 10-20mm.	0.30-0.38
63703		Natural	Pale yellowish brown. Sandy gravel.	0.38-0.41+
63704	63705	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned N-S with moderate, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.49 m. Depth: 0.18 m.	
63705	63704	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with medium gravel poorly sorted. moderate cobble inclusions	

Trench No 638		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.32 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63801		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed topsoil with occasional rounded small pebbles and sub-rounded limestones. Loose.	0.00 – 0.20
63802		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, frequent rounded pebbles, likely alluvial deposit sitting within the lower areas surrounded by the higher gradual sloping fields.	0.20–0.32+

Trench No 639		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
63901		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Rare, rounded stone inclusions up to 40mm x 30mm x 15mm however most are much smaller. Coarse grained loose crumbly material. Heavily ploughed agricultural soil with frequent rooting, little to no sub soil.	0–0.33
63902		Natural	Mid yellowish brown natural. Clay, frequent well rounded pebbles / inclusions, alluvial material.	0.33–0.38+

Trench No 640		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64001		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Rare rounded small stone inclusions. Coarse grained loose crumbly material. Heavily ploughed agricultural soil with frequent rooting, little to no sub soil.	0.00–0.36
64002		Natural	Mid yellowish brown natural. Clay, frequent well rounded pebbles / inclusions, alluvial material.	0.36–0.38+

Trench No 641		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64101		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed topsoil with occasional rounded small pebbles and sub-rounded limestones. Loose.	0.00–0.34
64102		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, rare rounded pebbles, likely alluvial deposit sitting within the lower areas surrounded by the higher gradual sloping fields.	0.34–0.45+

Trench No 642		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.43 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64201		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed topsoil with occasional rounded small pebbles and sub-rounded limestones. Loose.	0.00–0.33
64202		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, rare, rounded pebbles, likely alluvial deposit sitting within the lower areas surrounded by the higher gradual sloping fields.	0.33–0.43+

Trench No 643		Length 48.50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.43 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64301		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed topsoil with occasional rounded small pebbles and sub-rounded limestones. Loose.	0.00–0.39
64302		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, rare, rounded pebbles, likely alluvial deposit sitting within the lower areas surrounded by the higher gradual sloping fields.	0.39–0.43
64303		Natural	Natural geology located a N end of trench. Frequent large, angular limestone throughout with reddish brown coarse, firm clay between.	0.43+

Trench No 644		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64401		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed, frequent rounded - sub-angular pebbles and limestone inclusions. Loose.	0.00–0.25
64402		Natural	Natural geology located within higher areas of field. Frequent large, angular limestone throughout with reddish brown coarse, firm clay between.	0.25–0.40
64403		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, rare rounded pebbles, likely alluvial deposit sitting within the lower areas surrounded by the higher gradual sloping fields.	0.40+

Trench No 645		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64501		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed topsoil with frequent rounded small pebbles and sub-rounded limestones. Loose.	0.00–0.33
64502		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, rare rounded pebbles, likely alluvial deposit sitting within the lower areas surrounded by the higher gradual sloping fields.	0.33–0.40+

Trench No 646		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64601		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Common limestone rounded <600mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops.	0.00–0.35
64602		Natural	Natural geology located within higher areas of field. Frequent large, angular limestone throughout with reddish brown coarse, firm clay between.	0.35+
64603	64604, 64605, 64606	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, stepped sides and a u-shaped base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 2.50 m. Depth: 0.55 m.	0.35-0.90
64604	64603	Primary fill	Mid orange brown silty clay with occasional pebbles <5cm, rare charcoal sporadically throughout. 0.16 deep	
64605	64603	Deliberate backfill	Mid orange brown silty clay with occasional <5cm, rare charcoal sporadically throughout. 0.23 deep	



64606	64603	Secondary fill	Mid orange brown silty clay with occasional stones <5cm, rare charcoal sporadically throughout. 0.26 deep	
64607	64608, 64609	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned W-E with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.51 m. Depth: 0.38 m.	0.35-0.73
64608	64607	Secondary fill	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay with frequent sandstone angular <150mm uncommon flint rounded <60mm. 0.25 deep	
64609	64607	Deliberate dump	Mid orangish brown (slightly more brown than 64607) dense silty clay with common flint sub-rounded <50mm rare sandstone <100mm angular. 0.13 deep	

Trench No 647		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64701		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed topsoil with frequent rounded small pebbles and sub-rounded limestones. Loose.	0.00-0.35
64702		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, no inclusions.	0.35-0.42+

Trench No 648		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64801		Topsoil	Light brownish grey, coarse grained silty clay. Heavily ploughed topsoil with frequent rounded small pebbles and sub-rounded limestones. Loose.	0.00-0.35
64802		Natural	Reddish brown loose clay, coarse grained, no inclusions.	0.35-0.45+

Trench No 649		Length 50 m	Width 2.35 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
64901		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Common limestone sub-rounded <400mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Clear boundary with subsoil.	0.00-0.26
64902		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown. Dense silty clay. Frequent limestone sub-rounded <800mm poorly sorted. Some rooting from crops. Clear boundary with topsoil and natural.	0.26-0.34
64903		Natural	Mid yellowish brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-rounded <700mm poorly sorted. Clear boundary with subsoil.	0.34-0.60+

Trench No 650		Length 50 m	Width 2.25 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65001		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Common limestone rounded <600mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Clear boundary with subsoil. Modern pottery found.	0.00-0.29
65002		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown. Dense silty clay. Common limestone sub-rounded <800mm poorly sorted. Some rooting from crops. Clear boundary with topsoil and natural.	0.29-0.36



65003		Natural	Mid yellowish brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-rounded <700mm poorly sorted. Clear boundary with subsoil. There is a natural clay deposit towards the Western end of the trench. There is a small natural rooting bowl towards the Eastern end.	0.36–0.50+
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Trench No 651		Length 50 m	Width 2.25 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65101		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Common limestone sub-rounded <400mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Clear boundary with subsoil.	0.00–0.28
65102		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown. Dense silty clay. Frequent limestone sub-rounded <600mm poorly sorted. Some rooting from crops. Clear boundary with topsoil and natural.	0.28–0.35
65103		Natural	Mid yellowish brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-rounded <900mm poorly sorted. Clear boundary with subsoil. Some patches of very abundant limestone.	0.35–0.60+

Trench No 652		Length 50 m	Width 2.25 m	Depth 0.83 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65201		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Common limestone rounded <600mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Diffuse boundary with subsoil.	0.00–0.28
65202		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown. Dense silty clay. Common limestone sub-rounded <800mm poorly sorted. Some rooting from crops. Diffuse boundary with topsoil and clear boundary with the natural.	0.28–0.40
65203		Natural	Mid reddish brown. Dense clay. Clear boundary with the subsoil.	0.40–0.83+

Trench No 653		Length 50 m	Width 2.25 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65301		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Frequent limestone rounded <400mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Diffuse boundary with subsoil.	0.00–0.24
65302		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown. Dense silty clay. Frequent limestone sub-rounded <600mm poorly sorted. Some rooting from crops. Diffuse boundary with topsoil and clear boundary with the natural.	0.24–0.32
65303		Natural	Mid yellowish brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-rounded <700mm poorly sorted. Clear boundary with subsoil. There is a natural clay deposit towards the Western end of the trench. There are some patches of highly abundant limestone towards the centre of the trench.	0.32–0.44+
65304	65305	Palaeochannel	Curvilinear palaeochannel aligned N-S with undercut, convex sides and an unknown base. Length: >2.25 m. Width: 1.92 m. Depth: 0.40 m.	0.32–0.72+



65305	65304	Secondary fill	Mottled light grey and orange dense clay with very common manganese abundant limestone flakes common flint rounded <300mm	0.32-0.72+
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Trench No 654		Length 50 m	Width 2.55 m	Depth 0.56 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65401		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Frequent limestone rounded <500mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Diffuse boundary with subsoil.	0.00–0.21
65402		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown. Dense silty clay. Frequent limestone sub-rounded <750mm poorly sorted. Some rooting from crops. Diffuse boundary with topsoil and clear boundary with the natural.	0.21–0.33
65403		Natural	Mid yellowish brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-rounded <700mm poorly sorted. Rare flint <500mm rounded. Clear boundary with subsoil.	0.33–0.56+

Trench No 655		Length 50 m	Width 2.55 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65501		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Frequent limestone rounded <700mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Diffuse boundary with subsoil.	0.00–0.20
65502		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown. Dense silty clay. Very common limestone sub-rounded <500mm poorly sorted. Some rooting from crops. Diffuse boundary with topsoil and clear boundary with the natural.	0.20–0.27
65503		Natural	Mid yellowish brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-rounded <700mm poorly sorted. Clear boundary with subsoil	0.27–0.30+
65504	65505	Furrow	Plough Scars. Unexcavated. Length: 2.55m+ Width of all plough scars: 1.97m. These are long thin scare caused by ploughing	
65505	65504	Secondary fill	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone <800mm sub-rounded.	

Trench No 656		Length 50 m	Width 2.55 m	Depth 0.28 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65601		Topsoil	Mid brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone rounded <1200mm poorly sorted. Heavily ploughed and rooted from crops. Diffuse boundary with natural.	0.00–0.28
65602		Natural	Mid yellowish brown. Dense silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-rounded <700mm poorly sorted. Clear boundary with topsoil. Patches of very abundant limestone. Patches of mottled grey and orange dense clay colluvium	0.28+

Trench No 658		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.64 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



65801		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown clay silt with sparse rooting and sparse to rare rounded to sub-rounded flint pebbles (<0.04).	0.00–0.22
65802		Subsoil	Pale yellow brown clay with heavy light blue mottling. no coarse components. Separated from. natural by orange clay band.	0.22–0.45
65803		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay with blue mottling. No coarse components.	0.45–0.64+

Trench No 659		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
65901		Topsoil	Mid brown silty clay with rare sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.04).	0.00–0.26
65902		Subsoil	Mid orange brown clay silt with frequent to abundant manganese flecks.	0.26–0.50
65903		Natural	Mid yellow brown clay silt with rare sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.06) and occasional manganese flecks. Intermittent bands of light blue grey clay with no coarse components.	0.50–0.60+

Trench No 660		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.66 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66001		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand ~20%. Clay ~60%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <70mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.25
66002		Subsoil	Mid yellowish orange. Sandy Clay. Sand ~20%. Clay ~80%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.25 – 0.36
66003		Natural	Mid greyish yellow + some orange hue. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <70mm, <20% common, well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Compact. BOUNDARY: Clear	0.36 – 0.66+

Trench No 661		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66101		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.04)	0.00–0.22
66102		Natural	Mid yellow brown clay with blue grey mottling.	0.22–0.52+

Trench No 662		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.70 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



66201		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <70mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted. COMPACTION: Firm. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.00 – 0.26
66202		Subsoil	Mid greyish orange. Sandy Clay. Sand ~20%. Clay ~80%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.27 – 0.40
66203		Natural	Mid yellowish orange. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <70mm, <20% common, well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.41 – 0.70+

Trench No 663		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66301		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey clay silt with sparse rooting and occasional sub-angular to sub-rounded flint pebbles (<0.05).	0.00–0.22
66302		Natural	Mid yellowish brown to mid blue grey clay silt with limestone(?) flecks. Seam of mid orange brown clay silt with sand components.	0.22–0.42+

Trench No 664		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66401		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey clay silt with sparse rooting and occasional sub-angular to sub-rounded flint pebbles (<0.03).	0.00–0.29
66402		Natural	Mix of mid yellowish brown clay silt with a blue hue, to a mid bluish grey clay. Sparse to occasional limestone(?) fragments.	0.29–0.52+

Trench No 665		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.28 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66501		Topsoil	Mid to dark greyish brown clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04).	0.00–0.20
66502		Natural	Pale greyish brown clay silt with occasional to frequent sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels to pebbles (<0.05).	0.20–0.28+

Trench No 666		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66601		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles to gravels (<0.04).	0.00–0.22



66602		Natural	Pale brown clay silt with bluish patches. Contains sparse limestone (?) flecks and rare sub-angular to rounded flint gravels (<0.05).	0.22–0.40+
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Trench No 667		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66701		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown clay silt with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles to gravels.	0.00–0.15
66702		Subsoil	Pale to mid greyish brown clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04).	0.15–0.30
66703		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay silt with common to abundant sub-angular to rounded flint pebbles to gravels (<0.08).	0.30–0.45+

Trench No 668		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66801		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <30% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.23
66802		Subsoil	Light greyish brown. Sandy Clay. Sand ~20%. Clay ~80%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <60mm, ~15% moderate, moderately well sorted. sub-rounded natural gravel: <100mm, <1% rare, poorly sorted. Iron oxides : <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.24 – 0.32
66803		Natural	Mid greyish yellow. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <60mm, <20% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.33 – 0.42+

Trench No 669		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
66901		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <30% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.25
66902		Subsoil	Light greyish brown. Sandy Clay. Sand ~20%. Clay ~80%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <60mm, ~15% moderate, moderately well sorted. Iron oxides : <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.26 – 0.32
66903		Natural	Mid greyish yellow. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <60mm, <20% common, well sorted. Manganese: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.33 – 0.45+



Trench No 670		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.54 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
67001		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <30% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.26
67002		Subsoil	Light greyish brown. Sandy Clay. Sand ~20%. Clay ~80%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <60mm, ~15% moderate, moderately well sorted. Iron oxides : <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.27 – 0.38
67003		Natural	Mid greyish yellow. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <60mm, <20% common, well sorted. Manganese: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.39 – 0.54+

Trench No 671		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.58 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
67101		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <30% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.26
67102		Subsoil	Light greyish brown. Sandy Clay. Sand ~20%. Clay ~80%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <60mm, ~15% moderate, moderately well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.27 – 0.36
67103		Natural	Light greyish yellow. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <60mm, <30% common, well sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <1% occasionally and poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.37 – 0.58+

Trench No 672		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
67201		Topsoil	Mid grey clay silty with sparse sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels to pebbles (0.04).	0.00–0.19
67202		Natural	Mid yellow brown clay silt with occasional to frequent sub-angular to sub-rounded flint pebbles to gravels (<0.10). Patches of mid yellow brown sand gravels.	0.19–0.34+

Trench No 673		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



67301		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <30 & <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.25
67302		Natural	Mid greyish yellow + some orange hue. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <60mm, <20% common, well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.26 – 0.42+

Trench No 674		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
67401		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <70mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.27
67402		Natural	Mid greyish yellow + some orange hue. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <60mm, <20% common, well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.28 – 0.45+

Trench No 675		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
67501		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <30% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.27
67502		Natural	Mid greyish yellow. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <20mm & <80mm, <30% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.28 – 0.50+

Trench No 676		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
67601		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown clay silt with rare rooting and sparse to rare sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04).	0.00–0.25
67602		Subsoil	Pale yellowish brown clay silt with rare sub-rounded to rounded flint pebbles (<0.06).	0.25–0.40
67603		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay silt with occasional manganese flecks and sparse sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels (<0.03). Patches of blue grey clay. Mid brown sandy gravels located at SE end of the trench with rare outcrops further to the NW.	0.40–0.60+



Trench No 677		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.45 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
67701		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey clay silt with sparse roots and sparse sub-angular to sub-rounded flint pebbles to gravels (<0.05).	0.00–0.20	
67702		Subsoil	Mid brown clay silt with orange hue. Contains rare sub-rounded to sub-angular flint (<0.03) and occasional to frequent manganese flecks.	0.20–0.35	
67703		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay silt with rare sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.03) and rare manganese flecks. Bands of mid brown clay silt with frequent sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels to pebbles (<0.10).	0.35–0.45+	

Trench No 678		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
67801		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <30% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.25	
67802		Natural	Mid greyish yellow. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: <50mm, <30% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <3% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.26 – 0.40+	

Trench No 679		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.70 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
67901		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~20%. Clay ~60%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <70mm, <15% moderate, moderately well sorted. sub-angular natural chalk: <100mm, <1% rare & <40mm, <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.26	
67902		Subsoil	Mid greyish orange. Sandy Clay. Sand ~20%. Clay ~80%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Angular and sub-angular natural chalk: <30mm, <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <1% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.27 – 0.40	
67903		Natural	Light orangish yellow. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <3% sparse & <60mm, <30% common, well sorted. Iron oxides: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.41 – 0.55+	
67904	67905, 67906, 67907, 67908	Pit	Incomplete pit aligned NE-SW with steep, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >1.40 m. Width: 1.55 m. Depth: 0.53 m.	0.53 deep	



67905	67904	Primary fill	Light yellowish grey clay with clay ~95%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <20mm, <3% sparse, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <3% sparse, poorly sorted	0.20 thick
67906	67904	Primary fill	Light greyish yellow sandy clay with sand ~20%. clay~60%. fine gravel: <20%, common, well sorted. iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. manganese: <1% rare, poorly sorted	0.18 thick
67907	67904	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with sand ~35%. clay ~65%. sub-angular natural limestone: <70mm, <3% sparse, poorly sorted. rounded natural gravel: <20mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. manganese and iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted	0.15 thick
67908	67904	Deliberate backfill	Dark brownish grey silty clayish sand with silty ~20%. clay ~40%. sand ~40%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <60mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. sub-angular natural limestone: <110mm, <3% sparse, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted	0.19 thick
67909	67910, 67911	Ditch	Cut of ditch. NE-SW aligned. 0.50m deep and at 2.10 m wide.	0.50 deep
67910	67909	Primary fill	Mid grey silty clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular stone inclusions (<0.04).	0.27 thick
67911	67909	Secondary fill	Dark grey silty clay with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular stone inclusions (<0.06).	0.23 thick
67912	67913	Gully	Cut of gully. NW to SE aligned with both ends cut by the 67904 and 67909. 16.35 m in length and 0.56 m wide.	–
67913	67912	Secondary fill	Mid grey to yellow grey silty clay with occasional to frequent sub-rounded to sub-angular stones (<0.06).	–

Trench No 680		Length 50 m		Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.39 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
68001		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay loam sparse rounded coarse gravel	0.00–0.34	
68002		Natural	Light orange-yellow sand with rare sub-rounded gravel	0.34–0.39+	
68003	68004	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 2.10 m. Width: 1.25 m. Depth: 0.15 m.	0.15 deep	
68004	68003	Secondary fill	Pale to mid brownish grey clay silty with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels to pebbles (<0.05)	0.15 thick	
68005	68006	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned southeast to northwest with moderate, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.93 m. Depth: 0.20 m.	0.20 deep	
68006	68005	Secondary fill	Light grey clay with rare angular cobbles and sparse angular gravel	0.20 thick	
68007	68008	Ditch	Cut of ditch. NW-SE aligned measuring 0.65m wide. Excavation was started but not completed due to weather conditions and waterlogging.	–	



68008	68007	Secondary fill of 68007	Mid greyish brown silty clay with abundant rounded to sub-angular stone inclusions (<0.20).	–
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Trench No 681		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.39 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
68101		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay with occasional to moderate sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.05).	0.00–0.25
68102		Natural	Mixed. Mid orange brown clay silt with frequent patches of sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels to pebbles (<0.05) in SE half. Mid to light greyish brown clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.06) in NW.	0.25–0.39+
68103	68104	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned SW-NE with shallow, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.20 m. Depth: 0.23 m.	0.23 deep
68104	68103	Secondary fill	silty clay with occasional rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles to gravels (<0.07). sparse manganese flecks	0.23 deep

Trench No 682		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
68201		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay loam with common rounded coarse gravel and cobbles.	0.00–0.35
68202		Natural	Mid orange-brown sand with common rounded coarse gravel inclusions, rare rounded cobbles, more inclusion at eastern end.	0.35–0.44+
68203	68204, 68205, 68208, 68209	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned SE-NW with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.36 m. Depth: 0.90 m.	0.35-1.25
68204	68203	Deliberate backfill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with sand ~15%. clay ~85%. sub-angular natural limestone: <100mm, <20% common, well sorted. sub-angular natural limestone: <40mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <50mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. charcoal flecking: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.45 thick	
68205	68203	Tertiary fill	Mid greyish brown silty sandy clay with silty ~15%. sand ~15%. clay ~70%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <40mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. sub-angular natural limestone: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.35 thick	
68206	68207	robber trench cut	Linear robber trench cut aligned north northeast to south southwest with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.60 m. Depth: 0.29 m.	0.35-0.64
68207	68206	Deliberate backfill	Mid grey silty clay with common angular cobbles	0.35-0.64



68208	68203	Deliberate backfill	Mid greyish yellow sand with sand ~ 90% sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <40mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. manganese: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.47 thick	
68209	68203	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with sand ~40%. clay ~60%. sub-angular natural limestone: <60mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. sub-rounded natural gravel: <50mm, <3% sparse, poorly sorted. manganese: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.20 thick	
68210	68211	foundation ditch cut	Linear foundation ditch cut aligned west northwest to east southeast with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.13 m. Depth: 0.30 m.	0.35-0.65
68211	68210	Primary fill	Light greyish yellow sand with sparse rounded coarse gravel	0.35-0.65
68212	68213	Robber cut	Linear robber cut aligned west northwest to east southeast with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.51 m. Depth: 0.37 m.	0.35-0.72
68213	68212	Deliberate backfill	Dark grey sand with abundant angular limestone cobbles	0.35-0.72
68214	68215	Construction cut	Linear construction cut aligned WNW-ESE with steep, straight sides and an unknown base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.22 m. Depth: 0.68 m.	0.35-0.73
68215	68214	Secondary fill	Mid brownish orange sandy clay with sand~30%. clay ~70%. sub-angular limestone: <40mm, <5%, sparse, poorly sorted. rounded natural gravel:<40mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. charcoal flecking: <1% rare, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <<3% sparse, poorly sorted	0.35-0.73
68216	68217	Construction cut	Linear construction cut aligned WNW-ESE with vertical, straight sides and an unknown base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.27 m. Depth: 0.68 m.	0.35-0.79
68218	68219, 68220	Robber cut	Linear robber cut aligned NW-SE with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.87 m. Depth: 0.68 m.	0.35-1.03
68219	68218	Deliberate backfill	Mid orange brown sandy clay with sand ~30%. clay~70%. angular limestone: <320mm, <1%, rare, poorly sorted. angular limestone: <150mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. sub-rounded natural gravel: <5% sparse, rooting and bioturbation<3% sparse. 0.28 thick	
68220	68218	Deliberate backfill	Dark brownish grey sandy clay with sand ~30%. clay~70%. angular limestone: <100mm, <10%, moderate, moderately well sorted. sub-angular natural limestone: <70mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. rounded natural gravel: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.45 thick	
68221	68222, 68223	robber trench cut	Linear robber trench cut aligned NE-SW with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.84 m. Depth: 0.40 m.	0.35-0.75



68222	68221	Primary fill	Light brownish orange sand with abundant angular gravel. 0.05 thick	
68223	68221	Deliberate backfill	Dark grey silty sand with abundant angular coarse gravel, moderate angular cobbles. 0.37 thick	
68224	68225, 68226	Robber cut	Linear robber cut aligned NW-SE with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.70 m. Depth: 0.43 m.	0.35-0.78
68225	68224	Deliberate backfill	Mid brownish orange sandy clay with sand ~30%. clay ~70%. sub-angular limestone: <40mm, <5%, sparse, poorly sorted. rounded natural gravel: <40mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. charcoal flecking: <1% rare, poorly sorted. charcoal flecking: <1% rare, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <<3% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.43 thick	
68226	68224	Deliberate backfill	Dark brownish grey sandy clay with sand ~40%. clay ~60%. sub-angular natural limestone: <200mm, <1% rare & <150mm, <3% sparse, poorly sorted. sub-angular and angular limestone: <60mm, <5% sparse, poorly sorted. rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <60mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. charcoal flecking: <1% rare, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.28 thick	
68217	68216	Secondary fill	Mid brownish orange sandy clay	0.35-0.79

Trench No 683		Length 50 m		Width 2.10 m		Depth 0.38 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description			Depth BGL	
68301		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown clay silty with rare rooting and sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04).			0.00–0.20	
68302		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay silt sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04) and occasional stone flecks. Patch of Sub-angular to angular stones (<0.15).			0.20–0.38+	

Trench No 684		Length 50 m		Width 2.10 m		Depth 0.38 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description			Depth BGL	
68401		Topsoil	Dark brownish grey clay silt with occasional to moderate rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04) and spare rooting.			0.00–0.20	
68402		Natural	Mid to pale yellowish brown clay silt with blue grey bands. Also patches of mid yellow brown sand gravels.			0.20–0.38+	

Trench No 685		Length 50 m		Width 2.10 m		Depth 0.33 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description			Depth BGL	
68501		Topsoil	Dark grey clay silt with rare rooting and sparse sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels (<0.03).			0.00–0.20	
68502		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay silt to clay with blue grey patches. Contains occasional to moderate sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels (<0.05).			0.20–0.33+	



Trench No 688		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
68801		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting.	0.00–0.40
68802		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay with occasional light bluish grey lenses. Moderate small to medium angular and rounded stones.	0.40–0.48

Trench No 689		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
68901		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with sparse rooting and moderate small rounded stones.	0.00–35
68902		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional small angular and rounded stones.	0.35–0.38

Trench No 690		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69001		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting.	0.00–0.32
69002		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay with occasional light bluish grey lenses. Moderate small to medium angular and rounded stones.	0.32–0.36

Trench No 691		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69101		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.34
69102		Natural	Light reddish brown clay. Occasional pea gravel inclusions.	0.34–0.40

Trench No 692		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 3 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69201		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.28
69202		Natural	Light reddish brown clay. Moderate pea gravel inclusions. Occasional lenses of light bluish grey clay.	0.28–0.30

Trench No 693		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69301		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.26
69302		Subsoil	Mid brown silty clay. Only present at the Eastern end of the trench.	0.26–0.30
69303		Natural	Very light yellowish brown clay. No inclusions.	0.30–0.36
69304	69307	Fill	Mid grey brown gritty silty clay with common well rounded stones and gravels	



69305	69307	secondly fill	Light grey, orange brown silty gritty clay silt with common small to medium well rounded stones , occasional charcoal flecks ,	
69306	69307	Primary fill	Orange grey silty clay with occasionally well rounded stones, silty clay	
69307	69304, 69305, 69306	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned NE SW with steep, stepped sides and a convex base. Length: >2.00 m. Depth: 0.87 m.	0.3-0.17

Trench No 694		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69401		Topsoil	Mid brown silty clay.	0.00–0.28
69402		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional lenses containing pea gravel.	0.28–0.38

Trench No 695		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69501		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–32
69502		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Very occasional small rounded and angular stones.	0.32–0.42

Trench No 696		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69601		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.34
69602		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Moderate to occasional small stones	0.34–0.40

Trench No 697		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.66 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69701		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.52
69702		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Moderate to occasional small to medium rounded stones. Occasional very large light bluish grey clay lenses	0.52–0.66

Trench No 698		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69801		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.35
69802		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Moderate large mid reddish brown pea gravel lenses.	0.35–0.40

Trench No 699		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.46 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
69901		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–36
69902		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional lenses containing pea gravel.	0.36–0.46

Trench No 700		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



70001		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.40
70002		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Moderate to occasional small to medium rounded stones. Occasional light bluish grey clay lenses	0.40–0.44

Trench No 701		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.55 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70101		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.45
70102		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional lenses containing pea gravel.	0.45–0.55

Trench No 702		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70201		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.32
70202		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional light bluish grey clay lenses.	0.32–0.40

Trench No 703		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70301		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.28
70302		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional lenses containing pea gravel.	0.28–0.45

Trench No 704		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.43 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70401		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.38
70402		Natural	Light bluish grey clay. Occasional large light reddish brown lenses containing pea gravel.	0.35–0.43

Trench No 705		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70501		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.38
70502		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Moderate to occasional small to medium rounded stones. Occasional very large light bluish grey clay lenses	0.38–0.50

Trench No 706		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.39 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70601		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.28
70602		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional lenses containing pea gravel.	0.28–0.39

Trench No 707		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70701		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.33



70702		Natural	Light bluish grey clay. Occasional large light reddish brown lenses containing pea gravel.	0.33–0.40
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Trench No 708		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70801		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.32
70802		Subsoil	Mid brown silty clay with frequent pea gravel inclusions.	0.32–0.50
70803		Natural	Light yellowish brown gravel with occasional Mid greyish brown clay lenses.	0.50–0.60

Trench No 709		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
70901		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.24
70902		Natural	Light yellowish brown twilight grey clay. Occasional lenses of light brown clay containing pea gravel.	0.24–0.32

Trench No 710		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71001		Topsoil	Dark brown silty clay. Vegetated soil. Loose and thin. Common limestone cobbles.	0.00–0.27
71002		Natural	Limestone Brash.	0.27–0.32+
71003	71004	Ring ditch	Curvilinear ring ditch aligned NE-SW with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >1.80 m. Width: 1.01 m. Depth: 0.08 m.	0.27-0.35
71004	71003	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown clayey silt	0.27-0.35
71005	71006	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NNE-SSW with shallow, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >1.80 m. Width: 1.44 m. Depth: 0.25 m.	0.27-0.52
71006	71005	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with common s-r flint stones throughout	0.27-0.52

Trench No 711		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71101		Topsoil	Loose mid brown silty clay. Sparse limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular . Rare flint sub-rounded <45mm. This layer has been heavily rooted.	0.00–0.23
71102		Subsoil	Thin greyish-brown layer of silty sand with occasional rounded stones.	0.23–0.27
71103		Natural	Dense yellowish brown silty clay, patches of limestone brash, abundant limestone sub-angular <130mm. Gravel pockets common throughout.	0.27–0.38+
71104	71105	Pit	Sub-oval pit aligned / Length: 2.00 m. Width: 1.70 m.	0.27+
71105	71104	Deliberate backfill?	Mid reddish-brown sandy-clay with common rounded and sub-rounded flint stones throughout	0.27+
71106	71107	Ring ditch	Curvilinear ring ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.40 m. Depth: 0.31 m.	0.27-0.58



71107	71106	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with common large angular stones and occasional pebbles	0.27-0.58
71108	71109	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned north to south with moderate, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >1.70 m. Width: 0.98 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.27-0.49
71109	71108	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with moderate sub-angular cobbles and common angular gravel	0.27-0.49

Trench No 712		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71201		Topsoil	Mid grey brown clay silt	0-0.24
71202		Natural	Limestone brash and gravel pockets, with reddish brown silts and sands	0.24-0.36+
71203	71204	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned southeast to northwest with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.36 m. Depth: 0.31 m.	0.25-0.55
71204	71203	Secondary fill	Mid orange brown sandy silt with moderate rounded cobbles, common rounded gravel	0.25-0.55

Trench No 713		Length 50 m	Width 1.85 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71301		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey silty clay	0.00-0.30
71302		Colluvium	Colluvial. Mid reddish brown silty clay.	0.30-0.50
71303		Natural	Limestone brash.	0.50+

Trench No 714		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.63 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71401		Topsoil	Dark brown silty clay. Vegetated grassy topsoil, heavy rooting. Sparse Sub-Angular stones.	0.00-0.22
71402		Colluvium	Dark reddish-brown silty clay. Frequent sub-rounded stones 20-50mm, and limestone cobbles. Layer extends throughout most of the trench. Thins out at towards end.	0.22-0.52
71403		Natural	Mix reddish-brown clay silts to West. Limestone brash at East. Gravel and sandy pockets poking through.	0.52-0.63+

Trench No 715		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.46 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71501		Topsoil	Loose mid brown silty clay. Sparse limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular. Rare flint sub-rounded <45mm. This layer has been heavily rooted.	0.00-0.23
71502		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown, silty clay. Rare limestone <30mm sub-angular.	0.23-0.31
71503		Natural	Limestone brash with some terrace gravels.	0.31-0.46+

Trench No 716		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.28 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



71601		Topsoil	Loose mid brown silty clay. Sparse limestone <30mm sub-rounded to sub-angular . Rare flint sub-rounded <50mm. This layer has been heavily rooted.	0.00–0.20
71602		Natural	Degraded limestone brash. Mid yellowish brown silty clay. Abundant limestone sub-angular <130mm.	0.20–0.28+

Trench No 717		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71701		Topsoil	Mid brown grey silty clay.	0.00–0.22
71702		Natural	Terraced gravels.	0.22–0.34+

Trench No 718		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71801		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown silty clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.03).	0.00–0.29
71802		Natural	Mid yellow to yellow brown silty sandy with abundant rounded to sub-angular flint stones to gravel (<0.15).	0.29–0.40+

Trench No 719		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
71901		Topsoil	Loose mid brown silty clay. Sparse limestone <50mm sub-rounded to sub-angular . Rare flint sub-rounded <30mm. This layer has been heavily rooted.	0.00–0.20
71902		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown, silty clay. Rare limestone <20mm sub-angular.	0.20–0.22
71903		Natural	Terrace gravels.	0.22–0.48+

Trench No 720		Length 40 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.31 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72001		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.27
72002		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional light greyish brown lenses containing pea gravel.	0.27–0.31

Trench No 721		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 1 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72101		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.30
72102		Subsoil	Mid grey silty clay containing pea gravel.	0.30–0.54
72103		Layer	Possibly previously waterlogged or affected natural.	0.54–0.78
72104		Layer	Mid reddish brown clay, more compact than 42103. Possibly another previously affected natural.	0.78–0.92
72105		Natural	Light reddish brown clay. Moderate small to medium rounded stones.	0.92–1.00+

Trench No 722		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



72201		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.25
72202		Natural	Light yellowish brown clay. Occasional lenses containing pea gravel.	0.25–0.32

Trench No 723		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72301		Topsoil	Mid grey brown silty clay, vegetated soil, for cattle grazing.	0.00–0.19
72302		Natural	Yellowish brown clay, rare sub-angular stones.	0.19– 0.34+

Trench No 724		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72401		Topsoil	Light greyish brown silty clay. Grass topped with moderate rooting and very small rounded stones.	0.00–0.27
72402		Natural	Light yellowish brown twilight grey clay. Occasional lenses of light brown clay containing pea gravel.	0.27–0.32

Trench No 725		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72501		Topsoil	Mid grey brown silty clay, vegetated soil, for cattle grazing.	0.00–0.27
72502		Natural	Light Yellowish- brown clay, with Reddish-brown silty clay to N end of trench. Rare sub-angular flint stones, and sparse thin gravel pockets dotted throughout trench.	0.27–0.36+

Trench No 726		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.72 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72601		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey silty clay with occasional to common sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.03).	0.00–0.25
72602		Colluvium	Mid reddish brown silty clay loam with frequent sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels (<0.03).	0.25–0.35
72603		Subsoil	Mid blueish grey clay silt with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels to pebbles (<0.06).	0.35–0.55
72604		Natural	Mid bluish grey to reddish brown clay to clay silt with patches of stone flecks.	0.55–0.72+

Trench No 727		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.39 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72701		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown silty clay with occasional to moderate sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04).	0.00–0.24
72702		Natural	Primarily yellowish blue clay with stone flecks and occasional sub-rounded to round flint pebbles (<0.06). Patches of mid reddish brown sandy clay with common sub-rounded to rounded flint pebbles (<0.15).	0.24–0.39+



Trench No 728		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.62 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72801		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~30%. Clay ~50%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <25% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.00 – 0.25
72802		Subsoil	Mid greyish yellow. Clayey sandy gravel. Clay ~30%. Sand ~70%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate to firm. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.27 – 0.40
72803		Natural	Mid orangish red. Sandy clay gravel Sand ~35%. Clay ~30% Gravel ~45%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <90mm, <20% common & <60mm, <25% abundant, well sorted. Iron oxides: <10% moderate, well sorted. Manganese: <15% moderate, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse to Clear.	0.40 – 0.62+

Trench No 729		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
72901		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~30%. Clay ~50%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <25% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.00 – 0.30
72902		Subsoil	Mid greyish yellow. Clayey sandy gravel. Clay ~30%. Sand ~70%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate to firm. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.31 – 0.40
72903		Natural	Mid orangish red. Sandy clay gravel Sand ~35%. Clay ~30% Gravel ~45%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <90mm, <20% common & <60mm, <25% abundant, well sorted. Iron oxides: <10% moderate, well sorted. Manganese: <15% moderate, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse to Clear.	0.41 – 0.60+

Trench No 730		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.49 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73001		Topsoil	Dark to mid greyish brown clay silt with sparse rooting and occasional to frequent sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels to pebbles (<0.06).	0.00–0.30
73002		Natural	Mix of mid blue grey and mid yellow brown clay silt with frequent limestone(?) flecks and occasional sub-rounded flint gravels (<0.05). Also patches of mid orange sandy gravels.	0.30–0.49+

Trench No 731		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.66 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73101		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~30%. Clay ~50%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <25% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.00 – 0.37
73102		Subsoil	Mid greyish yellow. Clayey sandy gravel. Clay ~30%. Sand ~70%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate to firm. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.38 – 0.50
73103		Natural	Mid orangish red. Sandy gravel Sand ~55%. Gravel ~45%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <90mm, <20% sparse & <60mm, <25% abundant, well sorted. Iron oxides: <10% moderate, well sorted. Manganese: <15% moderate, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.51 – 0.66+

Trench No 732		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73201		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~30%. Clay ~50%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <25% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.25
73202		Subsoil	Mid greyish yellow. Clayey sandy gravel. Clay ~30%. Sand ~70%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted.	0.26 – 0.36



73203		Natural	Mid orangish red. Sandy clay gravel Sand ~55%. Clay ~20% Gravel ~30%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <90mm, <10% moderate & <60mm, <20% abundant, well sorted. Iron oxides: <10% moderate, well sorted. Manganese: <15% moderate, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse to Clear.	0.37 – 0.48+
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Trench No 733		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73301		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~30%. Clay ~50%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <25% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.00 – 0.26
73302		Subsoil	Mid greyish yellow. Clayey sandy gravel. Clay ~30%. Sand ~70%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate to firm. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.27 – 0.36
73303		Natural	Mid orangish red. Sandy gravel Sand ~55%. Gravel ~45%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <90mm, <20% sparse & <60mm, <25% abundant, well sorted. Iron oxides: <10% moderate, well sorted. Manganese: <15% moderate, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse to Clear.	0.37 – 0.48+

Trench No 734		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.58 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73401		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~30%. Clay ~50%. sub-rounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <25% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <20% common, well sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.00– 0.27
73402		Subsoil	Mid greyish yellow. Clayey sandy gravel. Clay ~30%. Sand ~70%. sub-rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, poorly sorted. Iron oxides: <3% sparse, poorly sorted. Manganese: <3% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate to firm. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse.	0.28 – 0.38



73403		Natural	Mid orangish red. Sandy clay gravel Sand ~55%. Clay ~20% Gravel ~30%. Rounded and sub-rounded natural gravel: <90mm, <10% moderate & <60mm, <20% abundant, well sorted. Iron oxides: <10% moderate, well sorted. Manganese: <15% moderate, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted. COMPACTION: Moderate. BOUNDARY: Somewhat diffuse to Clear.	0.39 – 0.58+
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Trench No 735		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73501		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown silty clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles to gravels (<0.05).	0.00–0.28
73502		Natural	Mix of mid reddish brown sandy clay with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04) and occasional manganese flecks, and mid blue grey clay with no coarse components.	0.28–0.44+

Trench No 736		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73601		Topsoil	Mid Brownish-Grey Silty clay. Vegetated with grass. Common sub-rounded flint stones	0.00–0.20
73602		Subsoil	Light Brownish-grey Silty Clay, with sparse rounded stones and pea gravel.	0.20–0.43
73603		Natural	Yellow clay with gravel and sandy pockets.	0.43–0.52

Trench No 737		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73701		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay loam, contains rare rounded coarse gravel	0.00–0.19
73702		Subsoil	Light grey clay	0.19–0.24
73703		Natural	Light greyish yellow clay, contains common rounded gravel	0.24–0.40+
73704	73705	Pit	Sub-rectangular pit aligned N-S with moderate, concave sides and a flat base. Length: 1.10 m. Width: 1.12 m. Depth: 0.23 m.	0.24-0.47
73705	73704	Secondary fill	Dark greyish-blue silty clay with manganese very common, likely from sitting water	0.24-0.47

Trench No 738		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73801		Topsoil	Mid Brownish-Grey Silty clay. Vegetated with grass. Common sub-rounded flint stones	0.00–0.23
73802		Subsoil	Light Brownish-grey Silty Clay, with sparse rounded stones and pea gravel.	0.23–0.40
73803		Natural	Yellow clay with gravel and sandy pockets.	0.40–0.44+

Trench No 739		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
73901		Topsoil	Dark brown silty clay loam with rare rounded coarse gravel.	0.00–0.30



73902		Natural	Light greyish yellow clay with common. rounded coarse gravel	0.30–0.42+
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Trench No 740		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74001		Topsoil	Dark grey silty clay with rare rounded coarse gravel	0.00–0.26
74002		Natural	Light greyish yellow clay	0.26–0.33+

Trench No 741		Length 30 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74101		Topsoil	Mid Brownish-Grey Silty clay. Vegetated with grass. Common sub-rounded flint stones	0.00–0.21
74102		Subsoil	Light Brownish-grey Silty Clay, with sparse rounded stones and pea gravel	0.21–0.32
74103		Natural	Dark yellow - orange clay with gravel pockets.	0.32–0.42+

Trench No 742		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74201		Topsoil	Mid brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.22
74202		Subsoil	Mid red brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.22–0.33
74203		Natural	Yellow brown. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted abundant, with some cobbles and boulders	0.33–0.42+

Trench No 743		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.43 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74301		Topsoil	Mid brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.22
74302		Natural	Light yellow brown. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted abundant and sparse cobbles.	0.22–0.43+
74303	74304	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned ESE-WSW with moderate, convex sides and a convex base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.00 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.22-0.44
74304	74303	Secondary fill	Mid orangey brown sandy clay with abundant fine rounded gravel	0.22-0.44
74305	74306	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and a u-shaped base. Length: >2.13 m. Width: 0.62 m. Depth: 0.29 m.	0.22-0.51
74306	74305	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown sandy clay with common fine rounded stones	0.22-0.51

Trench No 744		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.58 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74401		Topsoil	Mid brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.22



74402		Colluvium	Red brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted sparse.	0.22–0.58+
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Trench No 745		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74501		Topsoil	Light mid brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate. Coarse gravel angular limestone sparse.	0.00–0.26
74502		Natural	Light yellow brown. Fine to coarse water washed gravel, rounded and angular unsorted abundant.	0.26–0.33+
74503	74504, 74505, 74506	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with steep, convex sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 2.45 m. Depth: 0.99 m.	0.26-1.25
74504	74503	Tertiary fill	Mid brown clay silt with rounded limestone medium to coarse gravel 3% sparse. 0.64 thick	
74505	74503	Secondary fill	Light yellow brown clay silt with fine to medium limestone gravel, rounded moderately well sorted 50% abundant. 0.40 thick	
74506	74503	Primary fill	Dark brown clay silt with fine to medium limestone gravel, rounded moderately well sorted 50% abundant. 0.26 thick	
74507	74508	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned E-W with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.30 m. Depth: 0.56 m.	0.26-0.82
74508	74507	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy gravel with sand ~40%. sub-rounded and rounded gravel: >10-90mm, very common ~60%. iron oxides : <5% sparse, poorly sorted. rooting and bioturbation <5% sparse, poorly sorted	0.26-0.82
74509	74510	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.94 m. Depth: 0.27 m.	0.26-0.53
74510	74509	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with abundant 90% rounded and sub-rounded gravel 5 to 30mm diameter	0.26-0.53
74511	74512, 74513	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and a U-shaped base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.59 m. Depth: 0.48 m.	0.26-0.74
74512	74511	Secondary fill	Light / mid orange brown sandy silt with abundant stone. 0.40 thick	
74513	74511	Secondary fill	Mid orange brown clayey silt with rare stones. 0.18 thick	
74514	74515	Tree Throw	Incomplete tree throw aligned W-E with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >0.66 m. Width: 0.67 m. Depth: 0.21 m.	0.26-0.47
74515	74514	Bioturbation	Mid yellowish brown sandy gravel with sand ~70%. rounded and surrounded natural gravel: ≤30mm, ~30% common, well sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted	0.26-0.47

Trench No 746	Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.85 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74601		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown, clay loam, loose to friable, common well rounded stone cobbles	0.00–0.52
74602		Subsoil	Mid orangey brown, silt clay, friable to compact, rare rounded coarse gravel.	0.52–0.72
74603		Natural	Light whitish yellow, poorly sorted coarse sand to fine gravel with moderate sub-rounded coarse gravel, loose compaction.	0.72–0.85+

Trench No 747		Length 48.50 m		Width 2.14 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
74701		Topsoil	Plough soil, loose medium brown sandy loam, rare small-medium rounded stones	0.00–0.43	
74702		Void	Void		
74703		Natural	Mixture of sandy clay with patches of river gravel	0.43–0.48+	
74704	74705	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned ENE- WNW with moderate, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.80 m. Depth: 0.30 m.	0.43-0.73	
74705	74704	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown with iron staining silty clay with rare coarse flint	0.43-0.73	
74706	74707, 74716	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with steep, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.14 m. Width: 0.96 m. Depth: 0.38 m.	0.43-0.81	
74707	74706	Secondary fill	Mid orange brown medium compact sandy clay with rare small stones. 0.28 thick		
74708	74709, 74715	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with steep, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.14 m. Width: 0.83 m. Depth: 0.38 m.	0.43-0.81	
74709	74708	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown medium compact sandy clay with uncommon small rounded stones. 0.18 thick		
74710	74711, 74714	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.14 m. Width: 2.18 m. Depth: 0.66 m.	0.43-1.09	
74711	74710	Secondary fill	Dark grey brown loose sandy clay with uncommon small sub-angular stones. 0.40 deep		
74712	74713	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with steep, straight sides and a convex base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.57 m. Depth: 0.32 m.	0.43-0.75	
74713	74712	Secondary fill	Medium grey brown loose sandy clay	0.43-0.75	
74714	74710	Secondary fill	Medium orange brown compact clay, waterlogged towards the bottom with very rare small rounded stones. 0.57 deep		
74715	74708	Primary fill	Medium orange brown with grey streaks waterlogged compact clay with uncommon small rounded stones. 0.21 thick		
74716	74706	Primary fill	Dark brown grey waterlogged clay with rare small-medium sub-rounded stones. 0.10 thick		
74717	74719	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with red iron staining with rare fine stone. 0.32 thick		
74718	74719	Primary fill	Light greyish brown silty clay with rare medium stone. 0.25 thick		



74719	74717, 74718	Recut	Linear recut aligned ENE-WNW with steep, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.65 m. Depth: 0.32 m.	0.43-0.75
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Trench No 748		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74801		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown clay loam. loose to friable. common well rounded stone cobbles.	0.00–0.29
74802		Subsoil	Mid orangey brown silt clay friable to compact. rare rounded coarse gravel.	0.29–0.42
74803		Natural	Pale flaky sandstone with bands of yellowish brown clay and fine gravel.	0.42+
74804	74805	Posthole	Sub-circular posthole with steep, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.37 m. Width: 0.38 m. Depth: 0.20 m.	0.42-0.62
74805	74804	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with rare fine gravel	0.42-0.62
74806	74807	Posthole	Sub-circular posthole with steep, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.36 m. Width: 0.40 m. Depth: 0.20 m.	0.42-0.62
74807	74806	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with sparse small in size well rounded gravel	0.42-0.62
74808	74809	Posthole	Sub-oval posthole with moderate, convex sides and a flat base. Length: 0.37 m. Width: 0.28 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.42-0.58
74809	74808	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with rare small, rounded pebbles	0.42-0.58
74810	74811	Ditch	Ring ditch. Unexcavated	0.42+
74811	74810	Secondary fill	Light yellowish brown sandy silt loam	0.42+
74812	74813	Ditch	Ring ditch. Unexcavated	0.42+
74813	74812	Secondary fill	Light yellowish brown sandy silt loam	0.42+

Trench No 749		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.51 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
74901		Topsoil	Mid light brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.25
74902		Subsoil	Mid yellow brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 10% moderate.	0.25–0.43
74903		Natural	Light yellow white. Brash on top of limestone sediment bedrock.	0.43–0.51+
74904	74905	Sunken feature building or pit	Discrete feature with irregular sides and a flat base. Length: 3.70 m. Width: >1.02 m. Depth: 0.23 m.	0.43-0.66
74905	74904	Secondary fill	Dark reddish brown sandy clay with rare charcoal as well as stone of varying sizes	0.43-0.66
74906	74907	Posthole	Sub-circular posthole with steep, irregular sides and a flat base. Length: 0.54 m. Width: >0.28 m. Depth: 0.52 m.	0.43-0.95
74907	74906	Deliberate backfill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with common coarse stone	0.43-0.95

Trench No 750		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.46 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



75001		Topsoil	Light mid brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.24
75002		Subsoil	Light mid red brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded sorted along base of plough line 15% moderate.	0.24–0.34
75003		Natural	Light yellow brown. Sandy rounded fine to medium gravel unsorted abundant with sandy patches and some clay silty patches at the northern end.	0.34–0.46+
75004	75005	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, straight sides and a u-shaped base. Length: >2.50 m. Width: 0.95 m. Depth: 0.37 m.	0.24-0.61
75005	75004	Secondary fill	Light yellowish brown sandy silt loam with common 70% rounded and sub-angular gravel 5 to 50mm diameter	0.24-0.61
75006	75007	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, straight sides and a V-shaped base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.76 m. Depth: 0.36 m.	0.24-0.60
75007	75006	Secondary fill	Light yellowish brown sandy silt loam with common 70% rounded and sub-angular gravel 5 to 50mm diameter	0.24-0.60
75008	75009	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned E-W with irregular, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.44 m. Depth: 0.21 m.	
75009	75008	Tertiary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy gravel with sand ~40%. gravel ~ 60%. various sizes >10mm - 80mm, rounded and sub-rounded gravel, well sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted. 0.21 thick	
75010	75011	Grave	Sub-circular pit aligned N-S with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 1.20 m. Width: 0.80 m. Depth: 0.85 m.	0.24-1.09
75011	75010	Deliberate backfill	Reddish-brown sandy clay with abundant 90% fine and coarse, sub-rounded gravels 5-80mm diameter	0.24-1.09
75012	75013	Grave	Oval pit with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 0.92 m. Width: 1.08 m. Depth: 0.81 m.	0.24-1.05
75013	75012	Deliberate backfill	Mid orange brown sandy silt with common stone, occasional rooting	0.24-1.05
75014	75015	Grave	Sub-oval pit with vertical, straight sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 1.62 m. Width: 0.86 m. Depth: 0.79 m.	0.24-1.03
75015	75014	Deliberate backfill	Mid reddish brown sandy gravel with sand ~40%. gravel ~ 60%. various sizes >10mm - 80mm, rounded and sub-rounded gravel, well sorted. rooting and bioturbation: <5% sparse, poorly sorted	0.24-1.03
75016	75017, 75020, 75021	Grave	Sub-rectangular pit with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 1.95 m. Width: >2.36 m. Depth: 0.60 m.	0.24-0.84+
75017	75016	Deliberate backfill	Brown black clay silt with fine to medium water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 3%	0.24+
75018	75019	Posthole	Sub-square posthole with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 0.53 m. Width: 0.58 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.24-0.4



75019	75018	Secondary fill	Mid red brown with medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded and sub-angular limestone unsorted 10% moderate	0.24-0.4
75020	75016	Deliberate backfill	Red brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded and sub-angular limestone unsorted 15% moderate. 0.54 thick	
75021	75016	Deliberate backfill	Light red brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded and sub and limestone unsorted 15% moderate. 0.44 deep	
75022	75023	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned N-S with moderate, straight sides and a V-shaped base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.76 m. Depth: 0.36 m.	0.24-0.6
75023	75022	Secondary fill	Light yellowish brown sandy silt loam with common 70% rounded and sub-angular gravel 5 to 50mm diameter	0.24-0.6
75024	75025	Pit	Subcircular Pit. 1.1 m diameter. Not excavated.	0.24+
75025	75024	Deliberate backfill	Fill of pit.	0.24+
75026	75027	Pit	Subcircular Pit. 0.85 m diameter. Not excavated.	0.24+
75027	75026	Deliberate backfill	Fill of unexcavated pit.	0.24+

Trench No 751		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.82 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75101		Topsoil	Mid light brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.31
75102		Subsoil	Mid red brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.31–0.37
75103		Natural	Light yellow brown. Limestone brash and limestone rounded fine to medium gravel, with patches of red brown clay silt that are more likely to be geological than archaeology.	0.37–0.82+

Trench No 752		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.47 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75201		Topsoil	Light mid brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.36
75202		Natural	Gravel brash with Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, and cobble, rounded unsorted 15% moderate. Also with patches of green, grey clay.	0.36–0.47+

Trench No 753		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.72 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75301		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown, clay loam, loose to friable, common rounded cobble stones.	0.00–0.35
75302		Subsoil	Sub soil. Light yellowish brown, silty clay, with rare fine gravel inclusions, compact.	0.35–0.56
75303		Natural	Light brownish yellow, clayey sand, loose, with poorly sorted abundant sub-angular fine gravel, and poorly sorted very common sub-angular coarse gravel.	0.56–0.72+



Trench No 754		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.53 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75401		Topsoil	Mid brown clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse.	0.00–0.22
75402		Subsoil	Green brown clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1 sparse.	0.22–0.42
75403		Natural	Yellow brown. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted abundant. With a patch of blue grey clay and light yellow brown clay.	0.42–0.53+

Trench No 755		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75501		Topsoil	Mid to dark greyish brown loose sandy clayey silt	0.00–0.24
75502		Natural	Light greyish yellowish brown well sorted clay	0.24–0.52+

Trench No 756		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75601		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown, clay loam, loose to friable, moderate to common sub-angular medium gravel limestone, very common rooting.	0.00–0.09m
75602		Subsoil	Mid greyish brown, clay loam, loose to friable, sub-angular coarse gravel lime stone, sparse rooting	0.09–0.24
75603		Natural	Mid yellow brown, clay loam, loose to friable, very common to abundant angular limestone cobbles. Possibly back fill of a very large extraction pit according to geophysical survey	0.24–0.36+

Trench No 757		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75701		Topsoil	Mid to dark greyish brown loose sandy silt	0.00–0.15
75702		Subsoil	Loose light to mid orangey brown silty gravelly sand	0.15–0.42
75703		Natural	Mottled light yellowish orangey in places creamy brown sandy gravel with patches of dark greyish brown silty sand	0.42+

Trench No 758		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.26 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75801		Topsoil	Mid brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.21
75802		Natural	Light yellow brown brash, with patch of green clay at the north end and a sub oval possible pit at the south end.	0.21–0.26+

Trench No 759		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.83 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
75901		Topsoil	Mid light brown, clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.23
75902		Colluvium	Mid yellow brown, clay silt. No coarse components. This layer starts at the west end and gets deeper about a third of the way along the trench before getting shallow in steps to about halfway way a long where it peters out.	0.23–0.51
75903		Natural	Light buff yellow, limestone brash. With a possible linear near the east end running north south. and a slightly curving linear from the north and terminating towards the west.	0.51–0.83+

Trench No 760		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.27 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76001		Topsoil	Mid brown, Clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 5% sparse. Angular and sub-angular medium to coarse gravel limestone.	0.00–0.23
76002		Natural	Sediment layered limestone bed.	0.23–0.27+

Trench No 761		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76101		Topsoil	Light mid brown. Clay silt, Medium to coarse flint gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate. Base of topsoil diffused with the top of the natural by ploughing.	0.00–0.29
76102		Natural	Mid red brown, clay silt on brash with pockets of green brown clay. Medium to coarse water washed gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.29–0.40+

Trench No 762		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76201		Topsoil	Mid to dark greyish brown loose sandy silt	0.00–0.15
76202		Natural	Mottled dark greyish brown silty sand with patches of light yellowish orangey in places creamy brown sandy gravel	0.15–0.35+

Trench No 763		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76301		Topsoil	Light mid brown. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.23
76302		Natural	Light yellow brown, west end limestone brash the East end is colluvium deposit with water washed pebbles similar to trench 764. but with a red brown soil strip running north south along the edge of the brash.	0.23–0.33+

Trench No 764		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.76 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



76401		Topsoil	Light mid brown. Clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbles gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate. With a diffused horizon with the natural at its base.	0.00–0.28
76402		Colluvium	Light yellow brown. Compact clay silt, no coarse components	0.28–0.69
76403		Natural	A water washed pebbly limestone gravel.	0.69–0.76+

Trench No 765		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.43 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76501		Topsoil	Light orange brown. Clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed gravel. Topsoil gets deeper at far end of trench to 0.40	0.00–0.34
76502		Natural	Light orange brown patches in limestone brash with medium to coarse gravel and cobble water washed pebbles.	0.34–0.43+

Trench No 766		Length 45 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76601		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey clay silt with no coarse components.	0.00–0.20
76602		Natural	Mid yellow brown clay with no coarse components.	0.20–0.38+

Trench No 767		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76701		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed, medium gravel evenly distributed	0.00–0.10
76702		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, no visible inclusions,	0.10–0.40+

Trench No 768		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76801		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions very sparse dispersion	0.00–0.20
76802		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, small gravel inclusions very sparsely dispersed	0.20–0.30+

Trench No 769		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
76901		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed, medium gravel sparse	0.00–0.30
76902		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, no visible inclusions, substantially deeper natural at eastern end of trench due to incline of hill	0.30–0.50+

Trench No 770		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77001		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed, medium gravel evenly distributed	0.00–0.20



77002		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, no visible inclusions, substantially deeper natural at centre of trench due to incline of hill	0.20–0.35+
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Trench No 771		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.55 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77101		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions very sparse dispersion	0.00–0.40
77102		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, small gravel inclusions very sparsely dispersed	0.40–0.55+

Trench No 772		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77201		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed, medium gravel evenly distributed	0.00–0.30
77202		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, mixture of small and medium gravels evenly dispersed	0.30–0.40+

Trench No 773		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.47 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77301		Topsoil	Mid grey brown loose silty clay. Frequent flint <160mm sub-rounded. Sparse limestone sub-angular <50mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed with rooting throughout.	0.00–0.27
77302		Natural	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay. Common limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular.	0.27–0.47+
77303	77304	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with moderate, concave sides and a u-shaped base. Length: >2.18 m. Width: 0.50 m. Depth: 0.24 m.	0.27–0.51
77304	77303	Secondary fill	Mid green brown silty clay with common gravel, occasional pebbles	0.27–0.51

Trench No 774		Length 50 m	Width 1.85 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77401		Topsoil	Mid grey brown silty clay. Occasional sub-angular to sub-rounded stone inclusions (<0.05)	0.00–0.26
77402		Natural	mid orange brown clay	0.26–0.35+

Trench No 775		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.28 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77501		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown, friable, poorly sorted fine gravel found throughout.	0.00–0.23
77502		Natural	Mid yellowish brown, dense silty clay, rounded and sub-angular pebbles seen throughout approximately 2-3cm.	0.23–0.28+

Trench No 776		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77601		Topsoil	Mid grey brown, loose silty clay. Common flint sub-rounded <110mm, sparse limestone <80mm sub-rounded to sub-angular. This fill has been heavily ploughed and rooted.	0.00–0.30



77602		Natural	Mid orangish brown slightly dense silty clay. Common flint <70mm sub-rounded, sparse limestone <80mm sub-angular to sub-rounded.	0.30–0.44+
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Trench No 777		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
77701		Topsoil	Mid grey brown loose silty clay. Sparse flint <60mm sub-rounded. Rare limestone sub-angular <40mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed with rooting throughout.	0.00–0.27
77702		Natural	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay. Abundant limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular.	0.27–0.35+
77703	77704	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with steep, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.67 m. Depth: 0.31 m.	0.27-0.58
77704	77703	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty loam with 20% small-medium size rounded & sub-rounded gravel	0.27-0.58
77705	77706	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned N-S with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.30 m. Width: 0.65 m. Depth: 0.28 m.	0.27-0.55
77706	77705	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown slightly dense silty clay with sparse flint <60mm sub-rounded, sparse limestone <20mm sub-rounded to sub-angular	0.27-0.55
77707	77708	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >0.60 m. Width: 0.41 m. Depth: 0.28 m.	0.27-0.55
77708	77707	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown sandy clay with rare inclusions (approximately 2%) of small pebbles sized between 10-20mm	0.27-0.55
77709	77710	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned N-S with steep, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.64 m. Depth: 0.23 m.	0.27-0.50
77710	77709	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown sandy clay with rare inclusions of small rounded stones sized 10-25mm. one larger angular stone close to the base	0.27-0.50
77711	77712	Gully	Linear gully aligned E-W with steep, irregular sides and a V-shaped base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.74 m. Depth: 0.26 m.	0.27-0.53
77712	77711	Secondary fill	Mid grey silty clay with sparse to occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular stone gravels (<0.04)	0.27-0.53
77713	77714	Posthole	Circular posthole with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 0.31 m. Width: 0.32 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.27-0.43
77714	77713	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty sandy clay with rare inclusions of small rounded pebbles sized 10-20mm	0.27-0.43
77715	77716	Posthole	Oval posthole with shallow, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >0.42 m. Width: 0.35 m. Depth: 0.06 m.	0.27-0.33
77716	77715	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty sandy clay with occasional inclusions of small rounded stones sized 10-20mm	0.27-0.33



77717	77718	Posthole	Sub-oval posthole with steep, straight sides and a concave base. Length: 0.34 m. Width: 0.51 m. Depth: 0.29 m.	0.27-0.56
77718	77717	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty sandy clay with occasional inclusions of rounded stones sized 10-30mm	0.27-0.56
77719	77720	Posthole	Oval posthole with steep, straight sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.34 m. Width: 0.45 m. Depth: 0.27 m.	0.27-0.54
77720	77719	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty sandy clay with occasional inclusions of small rounded stones sized 10-25mm	0.27-0.54

Trench No 778		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.27 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description		Depth BGL
77801		Topsoil	Mid grey brown loose silty clay. Frequent flint <80mm sub-rounded. Sparse limestone sub-angular <50mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed with rooting throughout.		0.00–0.27
77802		Natural	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay. Abundant limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular .		0.27+

Trench No 779		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.45 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description		Depth BGL
77901		Topsoil	Mid brown silty clay with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint graves to pebbles (<0.05).		0–0.30
77902		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with occasional to frequent sub-angular to sub-rounded flint gravels to pebbles (<0.06).		0.30–0.45
77903		Natural	Mid orange brown dense silty clay. Abundant limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular .		0.45+

Trench No 780		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.34 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description		Depth BGL
78001		Topsoil	Mid grey brown loose silty clay. Rare flint <60mm sub-rounded. Rare limestone sub-angular <40mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed with rooting throughout.		0.00–0.28
78002		Natural	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay. Common flint sub-rounded to rounded <170mm Rare limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular . There are some patches of dense grey clay.		0.28–0.34+

Trench No 781		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.43 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description		Depth BGL
78101		Topsoil	Mid grey brown, loose silty clay. Common flint sub-rounded <90mm, sparse limestone <70mm sub-rounded to sub-angular . This fill has been heavily ploughed and rooted.		0.00–0.27
78102		Natural	Mid orangish brown slightly dense silty clay. Common flint <60mm sub-rounded, sparse limestone <60mm sub-angular to sub-rounded.		0.27–0.43+



Trench No 782		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.32 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
78201		Topsoil	Mid grey brown, loose silty clay. Common flint sub-rounded <140mm, sparse limestone <60mm sub-rounded to sub-angular. This fill has been heavily ploughed and rooted.	0.00–0.22	
78202		Natural	Mid orangish brown slightly dense silty clay. Common flint <80mm sub-rounded, sparse limestone <50mm sub-angular to sub-rounded.	0.22–0.32+	

Trench No 783		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 1.03 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
78301		Topsoil	Loose mid brown silty clay. Rare flint sub-rounded <90mm, Rare limestone sub-rounded <40mm.	0.00–0.22	
78302		Quarry Fill	This is modern backfill of quarrying, including modern pottery and tarmac. Loose brown silty clay, frequent limestone <40mm.	0.22–0.52+	
78303		Natural	Light brown, silty clay, abundant limestone sub-rounded <60mm.	0.22–1.03+	

Trench No 784		Length 50 m	Width 1.97 m	Depth 0.25 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
78401		Topsoil	Mid grey brown loose silty clay. Sparse flint <60mm sub-rounded. Rare limestone sub-angular <40mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed with rooting throughout.	0.00–0.19	
78402		Natural	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay. Abundant limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular.	0.19–0.25+	
78403	78404	Pit	Oval pit aligned NE-SW with steep, concave sides and a flat base. Length: 0.30 m. Width: 0.34 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.19-0.35	
78404	78403	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown silty sand with abundant small stones	0.19-0.35	

Trench No 785		Length 50 m	Width 1.97 m	Depth 0.35 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
78501		Topsoil	Topsoil- dark brown grey clay silt	0.00–0.24	
78502		Natural	light grey yellow silty sand with abundant pebbles	0.24–0.35+	
78503	78504	Pit	Oval pit aligned NE-SW with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: 0.58 m. Width: 0.70 m. Depth: 0.45 m.	0.24-0.69	
78504	78503	Deliberate backfill	Dark grey brown sandy silt with 50% abundant stone small and large stones	0.24-0.69	

Trench No 786		Length 50 m	Width 1.82 m	Depth 0.34 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
78601		Topsoil/plough soil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. No finds. Frequent inclusions of small pebbles sized between 10-20mm. Some as large as 30mm.	0.00–0.23	
78602		Natural	Sandy gravel. Mid orange brown with spots of a light yellowish brown sandy gravel.	0.23–0.34+	



Trench No 787		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
78701		Topsoil	Mid grey brown loose silty clay. Rare flint <60mm sub-rounded. Rare limestone sub-angular <40mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed with rooting throughout.	0.00–0.28
78702		Natural	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay. Common flint sub-rounded to rounded <170mm Rare limestone <40mm sub-rounded to sub-angular. There are some patches of dense grey clay.	0.28–0.33+

Trench No 788		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
78801		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown with fine gravel and sparse rounded pebbles approximately 3cm.	0.00–0.20
78802		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay, sparse rounded pebbles found throughout approximately 3cm.	0.20–0.33+

Trench No 789		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
78901		Topsoil	Mid grey brown, loose silty clay. Sparse flint sub-rounded <80mm, sparse limestone <80mm sub-rounded to sub-angular. This fill has been heavily ploughed and rooted.	0.00–0.24
78902		Natural	Mid orangish brown slightly dense silty clay. Sparse flint <50mm sub-rounded, rare limestone <90mm sub-angular to sub-rounded.	0.24–0.32+

Trench No 790		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79001		Topsoil	Mid black brown, Clay silt. Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.19
79002		Natural	Light yellow brown Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted, and fine gravel angular limestone.	0.19–0.30+

Trench No 791		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79101		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed.	0.00–0.25
79102		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, no visible inclusions, substantially deeper natural at western end of trench due to incline of hill	0.25–0.35+

Trench No 792		Length 30 m	Width 2.40 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79201		Topsoil	Loose mid greyish brown silty clay loam with sparse 34% 10-100 mm sub-rounded flint. Poorly sorted and moderately loose. Well-defined horizon onto the below natural.	0 – 0.22



79202		Natural	Yellowish brown silty-clay with patches of grey clay mottling. Contains common 40% 10-100mm sub-rounded flint. Poorly sorted and moderately compacted.	0.22 – 0.32+
79203	79204	Furrow	Furrow (Cut given for find allocation)	0.22-0.38
79204	79203	Fill	Contained FE horseshoe.	0.22-0.38

Trench No 793		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.43 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79301		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown, slightly loose silty clay loam ploughsoil. Frequent flint sub-rounded to rounded <= 110 mm, rare limestone sub-angular to sub-rounded <= 70 mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed and rooted. Well-defined horizon onto the below natural.	0.00 – 0.28
79302		Natural	Mid yellowish brown, slightly dense silty clay. Rare flint sub-rounded <= 80 mm, sparse limestone sub-angular to sub-rounded <= 40 mm.	0.28 – 0.43+

Trench No 794		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79401		Topsoil	Mid black brown, Clay silt. Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.20
79402		Natural	Light red brown clay with gravel	0.20–0.30+

Trench No 795		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.41 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79501		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with sparse sub-rounded pebbles approximately 4-14cm, loosely compacted.	0.00–0.31
79502		Natural	Light yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with moderate rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, rare plough scars / bioturbation, densely compacted.	0.31–0.41+

Trench No 796		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.25 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79601		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions. Clear boundary with the natural.	0.00 – 0.22 m
79602		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow clay with light grey mottling and rare coarse gravel inclusions.	0.22 – 0.25 m+

Trench No 797		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79701		Topsoil	Loose mid greyish brown ploughsoil, slightly loose silty clay. Sparse flint sub-rounded to rounded <= 90mm, rare limestone sub-angular to sub-rounded <= 40mm. This layer has been heavily ploughed and rooted. Well-defined ploughsoil horizon onto below natural.	0.00 – 0.26



79702		Natural	Mid yellowish brown, slightly dense silty clay. Rare flint sub-rounded <= 60 mm, sparse limestone sub-angular to sub-rounded <= 30 mm.	0.26 – 0.32+
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Trench No 798		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79801		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with sparse sub-rounded pebbles approximately 4-14cm, loosely compacted.	0.00–0.21
79802		Natural	Light yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with moderate rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, rare plough scars / bioturbation, densely compacted.	0.21–0.32+

Trench No 799		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
79901		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with sparse sub-rounded pebbles approximately 4-14cm, loosely compacted.	0.00–0.20
79902		Natural	Light yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with moderate rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, rare plough scars / bioturbation, densely compacted.	0.20–0.36+

Trench No 800		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80001		Topsoil	Mid black brown, Clay silt. Medium to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 20% moderate.	0.00–0.24
80002		Natural	Light orange brown with bands of green grey clay. The light orange brown natural is a sandy clay with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 45% common.	0.24–0.33+

Trench No 801		Length 50 m	Width 1.80 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80101		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with sparse sub-rounded pebbles approximately 4-14cm, loosely compacted.	0.00–0.22
80102		Natural	Light yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with moderate rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, rare plough scars / bioturbation, densely compacted.	0.22+

Trench No 802		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80201		Topsoil	Mid grey clay silt with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.05)	0.00–0.34
80202		Natural	Pale to mid yellow brown clay with patches of blue.	0.34–0.45+

Trench No 803		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.27 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80301		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with sparse sub-rounded pebbles approximately 2-8cm, loosely compacted.	0.00–0.22
80302		Natural	Mid yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with rare rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, rare plough scars / bioturbation / geology presenting as orangey brown irregular shapes, densely compacted.	0.22–0.27+

Trench No 804		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80401		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with moderate sub-rounded pebbles approximately 4-14cm, loosely compacted.	0.00–0.20
80402		Natural	Light yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with moderate rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, sparse bioturbation / geology, densely compacted.	0.20–0.38+

Trench No 805		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.39 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80501		Topsoil	Mid grey clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04).	0.00–0.24
80502		Natural	Oxford Clay. Pale to mid yellow brown clay with blue hues. Occasional sub-rounded to rounded flint gravels to pebbles (<0.07).	0.24–0.39+

Trench No 806		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.27 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80601		Topsoil	Mid grey clay silt with occasional to sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.05)	0.00–0.20
80602		Natural	Mix of mid yellow brown clay and mid orange brown sandy clay with abundant sub-rounded to round flint pebbles (<0.10).	0.20–0.27+

Trench No 807		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80701		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with moderate sub-rounded pebbles approximately 4-8cm, loosely compacted	0.00–0.24
80702		Natural	Mid yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with common rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, rare bioturbation / geology, densely compacted.	0.24–0.35+

Trench No 808		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.24 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80801		Topsoil	Mid-grey brown, silty clay, with sparse sub-rounded pebbles approximately 4-14cm, loosely compacted.	0.00–0.20



80802		Natural	Mid yellowy grey with rare patches of mottled blue grey, oxford clay, with moderate rounded gravel approximately 3-10cm, rare plough scars / bioturbation / geology presenting as orange irregular shapes with pebble concentrations, densely compacted.	0.20–0.24+
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Trench No 809		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
80901		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04) .	0.00–0.29
80902		Natural	Oxford Clay. Mid yellowish brown clay silt with occasional to moderate sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels to pebbles (<0.06).	0.29–0.40+

Trench No 810		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81001		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.06)	0.00–0.26
81002		Natural	Mid yellow to yellow brown clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels to pebbles (<0.07).	0.26–0.38+

Trench No 811		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81101		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay with sparse to occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04).	0.00–0.26
81102		Natural	Mid yellow brown to brown clay silt to clay with occasional rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.15).	0.26–0.40+

Trench No 812		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81201		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.07).	0.00–0.23
81202		Natural	Oxford Clay. Mid yellow brown clay silt to clay with occasional to moderate sub-angular to rounded flint pebbles (<0.10).	0.23–0.33+

Trench No 813		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81301		Topsoil	Mid brownish grey silty clay with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.07).	0.00–0.24
81302		Natural	Oxford Clay. Mid yellow brown clay silt to clay with occasional to moderate sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.15).	0.24–0.38+

Trench No 814		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81401		Topsoil	Mid grey silty clay with occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels to pebbles (<0.07).	0.00–0.23



81402		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay silt with patches of light blue clay. Occasional sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.07).	0.23–0.30+
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Trench No 815		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81501		Topsoil	Dark brownish grey silty clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.05).	0.00–0.22
81502		Natural	Mid yellow brown clay silt with occasional to frequent sub-angular to rounded flint pebbles (<0.20).	0.22–0.33+

Trench No 816		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81601		Topsoil	Compact, mid greyish brown plough soil with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebble and gravel inclusions <= 30 mm. Well-defined generally level horizon with the below natural. x1 flint flake, surface find.	0.00 – 0.24
81602		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish brown sandy clay with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebble and gravel inclusions <= 30 mm. Generally well-defined and level horizon onto the below lighter natural.	0.24 – 0.46
81603		Natural	Compact light to mid yellowish brown, sandy gravel. Darker and more clayey in places. Frequent rounded, sub-rounded and sub-angular pebbles and gravels <= 80 mm.	0.46 – 0.52+
81604	81605	Gully	Linear gully aligned NE-SW with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.50 m. Width: 0.26 m. Depth: 0.07 m.	0.46-0.53
81605	81604	Secondary fill	Medium reddish brown compact sandy clay	0.46-0.53

Trench No 817		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.72 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
81701		Topsoil	Compact greyish brown ploughsoil with sparse 4% rounded, sub-rounded sub-angular pebble and gravel inclusions <= 60 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.31
81702		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish brown sandy clay, with rare 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebble and gravel inclusions <= 30 mm. Well-defined level horizon onto the below lighter	0.31 – 0.72
81703		Natural	Light to mid yellowish brown, sandy gravel, common 15% rounded, sub-rounded and sub-angular pebbles and gravels. Occasional, patches of more reddish brown sandy gravel, and others of darker brown more clayey composition.	0.72+

Trench No 818		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.47 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



81801		Topsoil	Compact, medium brown sandy lay loam and with sparse 5% rounded and sub-rounded pebble and gravel inclusions <= 50 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0 – 0.34
81802		Subsoil	Compact, light to mid yellowish brown sandy gravel with common 15% rounded and sub-rounded pebble and gravel inclusions <= 50 m. Occasional patches of darker brown clay in the north half, south end predominantly same clay with fewer inclusions. Well-defined generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.34 – 0.42
81803		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow sandy gravel, common rounded, sub-rounded and sub-angular pebbles and gravels <= 60 mm, with areas of natural sandy clay	0.42 – 0.47+
81804	81805	Pit	Circular pit with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 0.61 m. Width: 0.60 m. Depth: 0.12 m.	0.42-0.54
81805	81804	Deliberate backfill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with common small pebbles	0.42-0.54

Trench No 819		Length 50 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
81901		Topsoil	Moderately compact ploughsoil, medium greyish brown sandy loam with sparse 5% sub-rounded and sub-angular gravel and pebble inclusions <= 40 mm. Well-defined ploughsoil horizon onto the below natural.	0 – 0.26	
81902		Natural	Variable loose to compact, light yellowish brown sandy river / flood plain gravel with patches of more natural brownish sandy clay. Abundant 60% sub-rounded and rounded gravel and pebbles <= 50 mm.	0.26 – 0.35+	
81903	81904	Furrow	Cut of furrow.	0.26+	
81904	81903	Secondary fill	Fill of furrow	0.26+	

Trench No 820		Length 50 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
82001		Topsoil	Loose light brown loamy sand with common small-medium sub-angular and sub-rounded stones	0 – 0.34	
82002		Natural	Compact light brown orange sandy gravel.	0.34 – 0.40+	
82003		Made ground	Layer of modern made ground extending c.15m from the North end, included in a sondage, which reached a depth of 0.77	0.34 – 0.70	
82004	82005, 82013	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.08 m. Depth: 0.34 m.	0.34-0.68	
82005	82004	Secondary fill	Medium brown yellow compact silty sand with common gravel	0.34-0.68	
82006	82007, 82012	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned SE-NW with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.88 m. Depth: 0.58 m.	0.34-0.92	
82007	82006	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown sandy loam with abundant fine gravel	0.34-0.92	



82008	82009	Gully	Linear gully aligned NW-SE with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.26 m. Depth: 0.12 m.	0.34-0.46
82009	82008	Secondary fill	Medium yellow brown compact silty sand with common gravel	0.34-0.46
82010	82011	Pit	Sub-oval pit with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 1.22 m. Width: 1.01 m. Depth: 0.18 m.	0.34-0.52
82011	82010	Secondary fill	Medium brown yellow compact sandy clay with uncommon small stones. 0.18 thick	
82012	82006	Primary fill	Light yellowish brown sandy gravel with this was probably 80% redeposited fine natural gravel. 0.28 deep	
82013	82004	Primary fill	Medium brown yellow compact gravelly sand with abundant small gravels. 0.12 deep	

Trench No 821		Length 45 m		Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.90 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
82101		Topsoil	Moderately compact plough soil, mid greyish brown with sparse 5% rounded pebbles, sub-rounded and sub-angular gravels <= 50 mm.	0 – 0.25	
82102		Subsoil	Compact mid to dark yellowish brown silty clay, rare 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 50 mm. Diffuse horizon with below natural.	0.25 – 0.76	
82103		Natural	Sandy river / flood plain gravel with occasional more sandy, mid yellowish brown, inclusions rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 70 mm.	0.76 – 0.90+	

Trench No 822		Length 50 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.24 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
82201		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown plough soil with common pebble inclusions.	0.00 – 0.24	
82202		Natural	Orange clayey gravel river deposits.	0.24+	

Trench No 823		Length 50 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.46 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
82301		Topsoil	Moderately compact ploughsoil, medium greyish brown sandy loam with rare 3% sub-rounded and sub-rounded inclusions <= 50 mm. Well defined ploughsoil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0 – 0.35	
82302		Subsoil	Moderately compact, light yellowish brown sandy clay subsoil. Sparse 5% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 50 mm. Well-defined level horizon onto below natural.	0.35 – 0.40	
82303		Natural	Loose in places, moderately compact, light yellow sandy river gravels, frequent 30 % rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 100 mm, with areas of more natural sandy clay.	0.40 – 0.46+	
82304	82305	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.49 m. Depth: 0.08 m.	0.40-0.48	



82305	82304	Secondary fill	Medium brown compact sandy clay with common small-medium rounded pebbles	0.40-0.48
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Trench No 824		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
82401		Topsoil	Medium brown loamy sand with common gravel	0.00 – 0.35
82402		Subsoil	Light brown yellow sandy gravel subsoil	0.35 – 0.39
82403		Natural	Light yellow sandy gravel with areas of natural sandy clay	0.39 – 0.45+

Trench No 825		Length 50 m	Width 2.10 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
82501		Topsoil	Compact, medium greyish brown sandy clay loam with common gravel. Well-defined ploughsoil horizon with the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.20
82502		Subsoil	Medium brown yellow sandy clay with abundant gravel	0.20 – 0.28
82503		Natural	Light yellow sandy gravel with areas of natural sandy clay	0.28 – 0.34+
82504	82505, 82506, 82507	Pit	Sub-oval pit with steep, irregular sides and a concave base. Length: 1.05 m. Width: 0.93 m. Depth: 0.36 m.	0.28-0.64
82505	82504	Deliberate backfill	Mid slightly brownish yellow sandy gravel fill consisted mainly of natural fine gravel and pea shingle. 0.22 thick	
82506	82504	Deliberate backfill	Mid reddish brown sandy clay with abundant fine natural gravel and pea shingle. 0.29 thick	
82507	82504	Animal bone deposit	Animal bone group aligned N-S. laying on right side slightly curled up. good condition. 100% complete.	

Trench No 826		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
82601		Topsoil	Moderately compact ploughsoil, medium greyish brown sandy loam with sparse 5% sub-rounded and sub-angular gravel and pebble inclusions <= 40 mm. Well-defined ploughsoil horizon onto the below natural.	0 – 0.26
82602		Subsoil	Compact light yellowish brown silty sandy clay. Rare 3% inclusions mainly rounded pebbles, but also sub-rounded gravels and pebbles <= 80 mm. Mostly below 30 mm in size. Well-defined level horizon onto the below natural.	0.26 – 0.42
82603		Natural	Compact Light yellowish brown sandy gravel with occasional areas of natural sandy clay. Frequent 30% inclusions mainly rounder and sub-rounded river / floodplain gravels and pebbles mixed variable sizes <= 60 mm.	0.42 – 0.48+
82604	82605	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with moderate, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.50 m. Width: 0.85 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.42-0.66
82605	82604	Secondary fill	Light yellowish brown sandy clay with occasional 10% pebbles	0.42-0.66
82606		Furrow	Medieval/post med furrow. Not excavated	0.54+



Trench No 827		Length 49.75 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.29 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
82701		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty clay loam, ploughsoil with sparse 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon onto the below natural.	0.00 – 0.27
82702		Natural	Compact light to mid yellowish brown silty sandy clay. Frequent 20% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 120 mm. Natural is broken up by patches of more predominantly gravel.	0.27 – 0.29+

Trench No 828		Length 51 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.49 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
82801		Topsoil	Moderately compact plough soil, mid greyish brown with sparse 5% rounded pebbles, sub-rounded and sub-angular gravels <= 50 mm. Well-defined ploughsoil horizon onto below natural.	0.00 – 0.25
82802		Subsoil	Compact sandy clay, mid yellowish brown with sparse 4% small rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and small gravels <= 60 mm. Well-defined level horizon with the below natural.	0.25 – 0.42
82803		Natural	Moderate compaction, mid yellowish brown, sandy clay gravels with common small to large rounded and sub-rounded gravels and pebbles <= 60 mm, occasional patches of sandy clay with few inclusions.	0.42 – 0.49+

Trench No 829		Length 48.20 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
82901		Topsoil	Moderately compact plough soil, mid greyish brown with sparse 5% rounded pebbles, sub-rounded and sub-angular gravels <= 50 mm. Well-defined ploughsoil horizon with the below natural.	0.00 – 0.30
82902		Natural	Sandy river / flood plain gravel with occasional more sandy, mid yellowish brown, inclusions rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 70 mm.	0.30 – 0.34+

Trench No 830		Length 49.80 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.33 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
83001		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty clay loam, ploughsoil with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon onto the below natural.	0.00 – 0.28
83002		Natural	Compact light yellow clay with light grey mottling. Very rare <1% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm.	0.28 – 0.33+

Trench No 831		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.39 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



83101		Topsoil	Moderately compact plough soil, mid greyish brown with sparse 5% rounded pebbles, sub-rounded and sub-angular gravels <= 50 mm. Well-defined ploughsoil horizon with the below	0.00 – 0.28
83102		Subsoil	Compact sandy clay, mid yellowish brown with rare 2% small rounded pebbles and small gravels <= 60 mm. Diffuse but visible horizon with the lighter below natural.	0.28 – 0.36
83103		Natural	Moderate compaction, Light to mid brownish yellow, sandy clay gravels with common 15 % small to large rounded river / flood plain gravels and pebbles. Occasional patches of more clay than sand and fewer inclusions.	0.36 – 0.39+

Trench No 832		Length 49 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
83201		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty clay loam, ploughsoil with rare 1% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon onto the below natural.	0.00 – 0.22	
83202		Natural	Compact light yellow clay, with areas of light to mid yellowish brown sandy clay. Frequent 20% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 120 mm. More gravelly towards the south end.	0.22 – 0.35+	
83203	83204	furrow	Not excavated. Post-medieval (?). Number taken for surface find allocation only.	0.22+	
83204	83203	Fill	Fill of ridge and furrow. Pottery surface finds.	0.22+	

Trench No 833		Length 52 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.78 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
83301		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions. Clear boundary with subsoil.	0.00 – 0.19	
83302		Subsoil	Compact, mid-greyish brown silty clay with rare coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions. Somewhat diffuse boundary with natural.	0.19 – 0.65	
83303		Natural	Compact, mid-yellowish brown silty, slightly sandy clay with rare coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions.	0.65 – 0.75+	
83304	83305	Ditch terminal	Linear ditch terminus aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.60 m. Width: 0.40 m. Depth: 0.03 m.	0.65-0.68	
83305	83304	Secondary fill	Light to mid yellowish grey silty clay with rare 1% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and flinty gravels <= 30 mm	0.65-0.68	
83306	83307	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned SW-NE with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.00 m. Width: 1.28 m. Depth: 0.25 m.	0.65-0.90	
83307	83306	Secondary fill	Mid greyish blue silty clay with rare rounded stone pebbles approximately 2cm in size	0.65-0.90	

Trench No 834		Length 51 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	



83401		Topsoil	Loose plough soil, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam, sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0 – 0.24 m
83402		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish-brown silty-clay, sparse 6% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. Clear generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.24 – 0.44 m
83403		Natural	Compact dark-brown silty-clay with frequent 40% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 100 mm.	0.44 – 0.50 m+
83404	83405, 83406	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.25 m. Depth: 0.32 m.	0.44-0.76
83405	83404	Secondary fill	Medium brown compact sandy clay with uncommon small-medium sub-angular and sub-rounded stones. 0.32 thick	
83406	83404	Secondary fill	Light orange yellow loose silty sand with rare medium rounded stones. 0.15 thick	
83407	83408	Pit	Sub-oval pit aligned N / A with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 0.80 m. Width: 0.52 m. Depth: 0.11 m.	0.44-0.55
83408	83407	Secondary fill	Medium grey brown silty clay	0.44-0.55

Trench No 835		Length 50.05 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.58 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
83501		Topsoil	Loose plough soil, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam, sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.25	
83502		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish-brown silty-clay, sparse 5% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Clear generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.25 – 0.45	
83503		Natural	Compact sandy silty-clay with frequent 30% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 80 mm.	0.45 – 0.58+	

Trench No 836		Length 50 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.47 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
83601		Topsoil	Loose plough soil, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam, sparse 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.26	
83602		Subsoil	Compact dark to mid yellowish-brown silty-clay, sparse 7% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Clear generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.26 – 0.34	
83603		Natural	Compact mid reddish brown silty-clay, with occasional lighter light yellowish patches, frequent 40% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 80 mm.	0.34 – 0.47+	

Trench No 837		Length 49 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.60 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
83701		Topsoil	Loose plough soil, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam, sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.26
83702		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish-brown silty-clay, sparse 5% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Clear generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.26 – 0.46
83703		Natural	Compact sandy silty-clay with frequent 30% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 80 mm.	0.46 – 0.60+

Trench No 838		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
83801		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions. Clear boundary with the natural.	0.00 – 0.28
83802		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow clay with light grey mottling and rare coarse gravel inclusions.	0.28 – 0.35+

Trench No 839		Length 50.08 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
83901		Topsoil	Loose plough soil, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam, rare 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.23
83902		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish-brown silty-clay, sparse 5% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. Clear generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.23 – 0.40
83903		Natural	Compact mid-reddish brown silty sandy-clay with sparse 6% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 80 mm. More gravelly patches, river / floodplain gravels to the north end. Occasional patches of clay towards the south end. Occasional deeper plough scarring.	0.40 – 0.48+

Trench No 840		Length 49.50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84001		Topsoil	Loose plough soil, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam, sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil. x2 pottery fragments, x2 metal objects.	0.00 – 0.28
84002		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish-brown silty-clay, sparse 5% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Clear generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.28 – 0.50



84003		Natural	Compact sandy silty-clay with frequent 30% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 80 mm. Frequent loose large patches of predominantly river / floodplain gravels. Frequent deeper plough scarring.	0.50+
84004	84005	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.66 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.5-0.72
84005	84004	Secondary fill	Mid orangey brown silty clay with rare fine rounded gravel	0.5-0.72
84006	84007	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.74 m. Depth: 0.10 m.	0.5-0.6
84007	84006	Secondary fill	Mid orange brown silty clay with rare fine gravel	0.5-0.6

Trench No 841		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84101		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions.	0.00 – 0.23
84102		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow clay with light grey mottling and rare coarse gravel inclusions.	0.23 – 0.34+
84103	84104	Furrow	Cut of ridge and furrow. Not excavated. Numbers allocated to assign fill number to surface find.	0.23+
84104	84103	Fill	Fill of ridge and furrow. Single surface pottery find.	0.23+

Trench No 842		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.27 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84201		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions. Clear boundary with the natural.	0.00 – 0.20
84202		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow clay with light grey mottling and rare coarse gravel inclusions.	0.20 – 0.27+

Trench No 843		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.28 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84301		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions. Clear boundary with natural.	0.00 – 0.18
84302		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow clay with light grey mottling and rare coarse gravel inclusions.	0.18 – 0.28+

Trench No 844		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.29 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84401		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions.	0.00 – 0.22



84402		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow clay with light grey mottling and rare coarse gravel inclusions.	0.22 – 0.29+
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Trench No 845		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with subsoil, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.24
84502		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel moderate to well compacted, sparse bioturbation	0.24–0.36
84503		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, and areas of less abundant gravel, sparse bioturbation	0.36+

Trench No 846		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.26
84602		Natural	Mid yellowish brown well compacted silty clay with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm	0.26+
84603	84604	Pit	Sub-circular pit with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.56 m. Width: 0.64 m. Depth: 0.17 m.	0.26-0.43
84604	84603	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown loose sandy clay with sparse flint sub-rounded <80mm	0.26-0.43

Trench No 847		Length 50 m	Width 2.50 m	Depth 0.26 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84701		Topsoil/plough soil	Dark greyish brown. Sandy silt clay. Frequent inclusions (about 15%) of rounded stones sized 20-70mm.	0.00–0.22
84702		Natural	Yellowish brown sandy clay. Spots of sandy gravel.	0.22–0.26+
84703	84704, 84717	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned SE-NW with irregular, irregular sides and an u-shaped base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 2.80 m. Depth: 0.81 m.	0.22-1.03
84704	84703	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay with common rounded gravel and sparse charcoal. 0.47 thick	
84705	84706	Pit	Oval pit aligned E-W with shallow, concave sides and a flat base. Length: 0.89 m. Width: 1.34 m. Depth: 0.13 m.	0.22-0.35
84706	84705	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown clay with moderate rounded pebbles approximately 3cm	0.22-0.35



84707	84708	Ditch	Irregular ditch aligned E-W with shallow, straight sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 2.46 m. Depth: 0.20 m.	0.22-0.42
84708	84707	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with rare 10% rounded and sub-rounded stones 20 to 50mm diameter	0.22-0.42
84709	87410	Pit	Circular pit aligned E-W with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >0.77 m. Width: 1.66 m. Depth: 0.17 m.	0.22-0.39
84710	84709	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown clay with moderate rounded pebble inclusions approximately 1-3cm	0.22-0.39
84711	84713	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with shallow, irregular sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.80 m. Depth: 0.38 m.	0.22-0.60
84712	84711	Secondary fill	Dark grey with yellow brown patches clay silt to clay with sparse sub-angular to rounded flint pebbles (<0.06)	0.22-0.60
84713	84714	Pit	Irregular pit aligned N-S with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >1.10 m. Width: 0.58 m. Depth: 0.14 m.	0.22-0.36
84714	84713	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with rare 10% rounded stone inclusions 10 - 20mm diameter	0.22-0.36
84715	84716	Number not used	VOID	
84716	84715	Number not used	VOID	
84717	84703	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with rare small pebbles. 0.38 thick	
84718	84719	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 2.15 m. Depth: 0.46 m.	0.22-0.68
84719	84718	Secondary fill	Dark grey clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.05)	0.22-0.68

Trench No 848		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84801		Topsoil	Loose, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse 3% coarse stone pebble and gravel inclusions. Clear boundary with natural.	0.00 – 0.24m
84802		Natural	Compact, light brownish yellow clay with light grey mottling and rare coarse stone pebble inclusions.	0.24 – 0.36m+
84803	84804	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.97 m. Depth: 0.44 m.	0.24-0.68
84804	84803	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with rare stone pebbles, approximately 2-4cm	0.24-0.68

Trench No 849		Length 50 m	Width 5 m	Depth 0.56 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
84901		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay loose compaction, rooting in top 10cm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.20



84902		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.20–0.56
84903		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.56+
84904	84905	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with steep, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.27 m. Depth: 0.19 m.	0.56-0.75
84905	84904	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty sandy clay with frequent sub-angular to rounded flint gravels to pebbles (<0.07)	0.56-0.75
84906	84907	Pit	Pit Length: 1.34 m. Width: >1.04 m. Depth: 0.23 m.	0.56-0.79
84907	84906	Deliberate backfill	Light greyish brown sandy silt loam with common 50% gravel and sand 1 to 30 mm diameter	0.56-0.79
84908	84909	Pit	Sub-oval pit with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >0.86 m. Width: 1.90 m. Depth: 0.35 m.	0.56-0.91
84909	84908	Deliberate backfill	Mid greyish brown sandy silt with very common rounded pebbles approximately 1-4cm, moderately well sorted	0.56-0.91

Trench No 850		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
85001		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with subsoil, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.20
85002		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel moderate to well compacted, sparse bioturbation	0.20–0.34
85003		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, and areas of less abundant gravel, sparse bioturbation	0.34–0.44+
85004	85005	Pit	Oval pit with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 0.60 m. Width: 0.60 m. Depth: 0.10 m.	0.34-0.44
85005	85004	Secondary fill	Mid-greyish brown silty clay with rare coarse stone pebbles	0.34-0.44
85006	85007	Ditch or pit	Sub-oval ditch or pit aligned N-S with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >0.80 m. Width: 0.92 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.34-0.56
85007	85006	Secondary fill	Mid greyish. brown silty clay with sparse well rounded pebbles of varying coarseness	0.34-0.56
85008	85009	Pit	Sub-oval pit with steep, straight sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.76 m. Width: 1.04 m. Depth: 0.37 m.	0.34-0.71
85009	85008	Deliberate backfill	Light red brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 5% sparse	0.34-0.71
85010	85011	Posthole	Sub-circular posthole with steep, irregular sides and a concave base. Length: 0.53 m. Width: 0.42 m. Depth: 0.20 m.	0.34-0.54



85011	85010	Deliberate backfill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-80mm	0.34-0.54
85012	85013, 85025	Ditch	Linear cut aligned N-S with steep, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.50 m. Depth: 0.60 m.	0.34-0.94
85013	85012	Deliberate backfill	Mid orangish-brown silty clay with small gravel, medium gravel	0.34-0.94
85014	85015, 85019, 85020	Ditch	Linear cut aligned N-S with steep, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.55 m. Depth: 0.62 m.	0.34-0.96
85015	85014	Deliberate backfill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with sparse well rounded stone and a few large pieces of foundation stones	0.34-0.96
85016	85017	Ditch	Linear cut aligned North South. with moderate, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.41 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.34-0.50
85017	85016	Deliberate backfill	Light brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse	0.34-0.50
85018	85042	Deliberate backfill	Dark brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse. 0.72 thick	
85019	85014	Deliberate backfill	Dark greyish brown silty clay with rare well rounded stone. 0.48 thick	
85020	85014	Deliberate backfill	Mid orangey brown silty clay with common well rounded pebbles. 0.18 thick	
85021	85022	Recut	Linear recut aligned N-S with steep, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.56 m. Depth: 0.60 m.	0.34-0.94
85022	85021	Deliberate backfill	Dark greyish brown silty clay with abundant shaped wall plaster of varying sizes and scarce large stones used for foundations. common charcoal of varying coarseness and sparse well rounded pebbles	0.34-0.94
85023	85024	Posthole	Circular posthole with moderate, concave sides and a flat base. Length: 0.43 m. Width: 0.44 m. Depth: 0.12 m.	0.34-0.46
85024	85023	Secondary fill	Light brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1 sparse	0.34-0.46
85025	85012	Deliberate backfill	Mid orangish-brown silty clay with small gravel. 0.52 thick	
85026	85027	Deliberate backfill	Mid brown silty clay with small gravel. 0.25 thick	0.34-0.59
85027	85026	Recut	Linear recut aligned N-S with shallow, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.15 m. Depth: 0.25 m.	0.34-0.59
85028	85029, 85030	Ditch	Irregular ditch aligned N-S with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.53 m. Depth: 0.39 m.	0.34-0.73
85029	85028	Secondary fill	Mid orangish-brown silty clay with small gravel. 0.30 thick	
85030	85028	Tertiary fill	Mid brown silty clay with small gravel. 0.17 thick	



85031	85032	Ditch	Sub-rectangular linear cut aligned N-S with steep, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.57 m. Depth: 0.54 m.	0.34-0.88
85032	85031	Deliberate backfill	Mid orangish-brown silty clay with small gravel	0.34-0.88
85033	85034	Ditch	Linear cut with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.74 m. Depth: 0.67 m.	0.34-1.01
85034	85033, 85035	Deliberate backfill	Mid brown silty loam with common rounded stone pebbles varying between approximately 2-4cm in size	0.34-1.01
85035	85034	Posthole	Sub-circular posthole with steep, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >0.36 m. Width: 0.90 m. Depth: 0.61 m.	0.34-0.95
85036	85035	Deliberate dump	Light greyish brown silty sand with common stone pebbles <2cm. 0.28 thick	
85037	85038	Post pit/posthole	PH / Post pit. Not excavated. Diameter 0.50 m	0.34+
85038	85037	Deliberate backfill	Slightly yellowish, grey brown, silty clay. Rare 1% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm.	0.34+
85039	85040	Posthole	Cut of PH. Not excavated. Width 0.18 m, Length 0.24 m	0.34+
85040	85039	Deliberate backfill?	Deliberate backfill (?). Slightly yellowish, grey brown, silty clay. x2 small rounded pebbles visible on surface of fill <= 10 mm.	0.34+
85041	85018, 85042	Recut.	Linear recut. aligned North-south. with vertical, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.53 m. Depth: 0.75 m.	0.34-1.09
85042	85041	Deliberate backfill	Mid yellow brown sandy silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse	0.34-1.09
85043	85044, 85045	Ditch	Linear cut aligned North-south. with vertical, stepped sides and a flat base. Length: >1.28 m. Width: 0.73 m. Depth: 0.45 m.	0.34-0.79
85044	85043	Deliberate backfill	Mid brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse. 0.31 thick	
85045	85043	Deliberate backfill.	Mid brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse. 0.45 thick	

Trench No 851		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
85101		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00-0.29
85102		Natural	Mid yellowish brown well compacted silty clay with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, with patches of reddish brown silty clay	0.29-0.34+
85103	85104, 85114	Ditch terminal	Linear ditch terminus aligned NE-SW with steep, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >1.40 m. Width: 0.73 m. Depth: 0.32 m.	0.29-0.61



85104	85103	Secondary fill	Mid orangish brown loose silty clay with common limestone sub-rounded <60mm rare flint sub-rounded <80mm. 0.18 thick	
85105	85106	Posthole	Sub-circular posthole with steep, concave sides and a U-shaped base. Length: 0.34 m. Width: 0.19 m. Depth: 0.12 m.	0.29-0.41
85106	85105	Secondary fill	Mid orangish brown loose silty clay with common limestone <50mm sub-rounded. sparse flint <40mm sub-rounded	0.29-0.41
85107	85108	Pit	Sub-circular pit with steep, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 0.62 m. Width: 0.65 m. Depth: 0.26 m.	0.29-0.55
85108	85107	Secondary fill	Mid yellowish grey loose sandy clay with common limestone sub-rounded <70mm rare flint sub-rounded <30mm	0.29-0.55
85109	85110	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned NE to SW with shallow, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.31 m. Depth: 0.15 m.	0.29-0.44
85110	85109	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown loamy clay with moderate pebbles between 2-6cm	0.29-0.44
85111	85112, 85113	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.90 m. Depth: 0.35 m.	0.29-0.64
85112	85111	Deliberate dump	Light grey slightly silty clay with sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-60mm, bioturbation. 0.18 thick	
85113	85111	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-50mm, bioturbation. 0.18 thick	
85114	85103	Deliberate dump	Mid orangish grey with patches of light blueish grey loose silty clay with patches of very dense clay with frequent limestone <40mm sub-rounded. rare flint sub-rounded <50mm. 0.25 thick	
85115	85116, 85117	Ditch terminal	Incomplete ditch terminus aligned SE-NW with steep, straight sides and an unknown base. Length: 1.66 m. Width: >0.22 m. Depth: 0.24 m.	0.29-0.53
85116	85115	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown loamy silt with common pebbles 2-6cms. 0.20 thick	
85117	85115	Deliberate backfill	Greenish grey / mid grey brown clay / silty clay. 0.14 thick	
85118	85119	Posthole	Posthole with undercut, convex sides and a flat base. Width: 0.26 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.29-0.51
85119	85118	Deliberate backfill	Dark grey brown clayey loam	0.29-0.51

Trench No 853		Length 50 m		Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description		Depth BGL
85301		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty loam with sparse medium-large rounded to sub-rounded gravel		0.00-0.22
85302		Natural	Mid yellowish brown clay with rare medium rounded to sub-rounded gravel		0.22-0.32+

Trench No 854		Length 50 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description		Depth BGL



85401		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown plough soil. common rooting and abundant semi rounded gravel of varying coarseness	0.00–0.24
85402		Natural	Yellow clay with patches of light grey mottling. occasional gravel patches.	0.24–0.35+

Trench No 855		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
85501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. dark greyish brown silty clay loose compaction, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.24
85502		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, and areas of less abundant gravel, sparse bioturbation	0.24+

Trench No 856		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
85601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with subsoil at SW end and natural at NE end, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.00–0.26
85602		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel moderate to well compacted, sparse bioturbation	0.26–0.51
85603		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, and areas of less abundant gravel, sparse bioturbation	0.51+
85604	85605, 85606	Cremation grave	Sub-oval cremation grave aligned E-W with vertical, straight sides and a concave base. Length: 0.41 m. Width: 0.34 m. Depth: 0.28 m.	0.51-0.79
85605	85604	Deliberate backfill	Black silty clay loam with sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 20-50mm	
85606	85604	Deliberate backfill	Mid orange brown silty clay with common small-medium rounded / sub-rounded unsorted gravel	

Trench No 857		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.46 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
85701		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, moderate to loose compaction	0.00–0.26
85702		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, well compacted	0.44–0.46+
85703	85704	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and a flat base. Length: 2.10 m. Width: 0.52 m. Depth: 0.09 m.	0.44-0.53



85704	85703	Secondary fill	Mid -pale greyish brown clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels (<0.04),	0.44-0.53
85705		Subsoil	Mid greyish brown, friable-tacky silty clay, occasional small sub-rounded flint stones / pebbles.	0.26-0.44
85706	85707	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.00 m. Width: 0.76 m. Depth: 0.26 m.	0.44-0.70
85707	85706	Fill	with moderate charcoal flecking	0.44-0.70

Trench No 858		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
85801		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.00-0.24
85802		Subsoil	Mid brown silty clay with very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, and areas of less abundant gravel, sparse bioturbation	0.24-0.34
85803		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, and areas of less abundant gravel, sparse bioturbation	0.34+
85804	85805, 85806, 85807	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned N-S with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.76 m. Depth: 0.55 m.	0.34-0.89
85805	85804	Primary fill	Reddish brown sand. 0.15 thick	
85806	85804	Secondary fill	Dark yellowish brown sandy gravel with frequent inclusions of small rounded pebbles sized between 30-60mm. 0.20 thick	
85807	85804	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty sandy clay gravel with occasional inclusions of rounded stones sized between 20-40mm. 0.34 thick	
85808	85809	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned N-S with shallow, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 2.52 m. Depth: 0.52 m.	0.34-0.86
85809	85808	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty sandy clay with occasional inclusions of rounded stones sized 25-60mm	0.34-0.86

Trench No 859		Length 50.50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.36 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
85901		Topsoil	Loose mid greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil. Sparse 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and smaller flinty gravels <= 60 mm. Well defined ploughsoil horizon onto the below natural.	0.00 – 0.24
85902		Natural	Compact light to mid yellowish brown clay with sparse 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and flinty gravels <= 60 mm. Occasional larger pebbles <= 80 mm.	0.24 – 0.36+
85903	85904	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned NNE- SSW with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.39 m. Depth: 0.06 m.	0.24-0.30



85904	85905	Secondary fill	Mid grey brown loamy clay with rare 3-5cm pebbles	0.24-0.30
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Trench No 860		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.28 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
86001		Topsoil	Mid grey brown slightly dense silty clay. Sparse flint sub-rounded <80mm, rare limestone sub-angular to sub-rounded<50mm. This fill has been heavily ploughed and rooted.	0.00–0.22
86002		Natural	Light brownish yellow dense clay with light grey mottling. Rare flint sub-rounded to sub-angular <50mm, rare limestone <30mm sub-rounded.	0.22–0.28+

Trench No 861		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
86101		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed, medium gravel evenly distributed	0.00–0.30
86102		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, mixture of small and medium gravels evenly dispersed	0.30–0.50+

Trench No 862		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.60 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
86201		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed	0.00–0.40
86202		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, small gravel inclusions very sparsely dispersed	0.40–0.60+

Trench No 863		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
86301		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, very small gravel inclusions evenly dispersed	0.00–0.30
86302		Natural	Medium greyish brown silty clay, small gravel inclusions very sparsely dispersed	0.30–0.50+

Trench No 864		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
86401		Topsoil	Loose mid-greyish brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse coarse stone pebbles <60mm. Somewhat diffuse boundary with the natural.	0.00 – 0.25
86402		Natural	Compact mid-yellowish brown silty clay with patches of blueish grey clay and sparse to frequent gravels<30mm.	0.25 – 0.30+

Trench No 865		Length 50 m	Width 2.30 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
86501		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown silty clay with 10% small-medium rounded / sub-rounded gravel.	0.00–0.25
86502		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with sparse small-medium rounded / sub-rounded gravel. Occasional mid bluish grey clay patches.	0.25–0.32+



Trench No 866		Length 50 m	Width 2.30 m	Depth 0.28 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
86601		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty clay with 10% small-medium rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 50 mm.	0.00 – 0.20	
86602		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay with sparse small-medium rounded / sub-rounded gravel. Occasional light yellow clay patches.	0.20 – 0.28+	

Trench No 867		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.26 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
86701		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.16	
86702		Natural	Greyish brown silty clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.16–0.26+	

Trench No 868		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.53 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
86801		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.32	
86802		Natural	Blueish grey silty clay and mid brown silty Oxford clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.32–0.53+	

Trench No 869		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
86901		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.28	
86902		Natural	Blueish grey silty clay and mid brown silty Oxford clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.28–0.38+	

Trench No 870		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
87001		Topsoil	Dark greyish brown silty clay, rooting in top 10cm, clear boundary with natural, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.20	
87002		Natural	Blueish grey silty clay and yellowish grey silty Oxford clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.20–0.32+	

Trench No 871		Length 48 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.85 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	



87101		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown, silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon on to the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.30
87102		Subsoil	Compact, mid greyish brown (slightly greenish) silty clay with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Diffuse horizon onto the below natural.	0.30 – 0.54
87103		Natural	Compact mid yellowish brown slightly clayey fine silty sand with rare <2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 10 mm.	0.54 – 0.85+

Trench No 872		Length 49 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.73 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
87201		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown, silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon on to the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.28
87202		Subsoil	Compact, mid greyish brown (slightly greenish) silty clay with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Diffuse horizon onto the below natural.	0.28 – 0.50
87203		Natural	Compact mid yellowish brown slightly clayey fine silty sand with rare <2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 10 mm.	0.50 – 0.73+

Trench No 873		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 1.05 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
87301		Topsoil	Loose medium brown sandy loam with rare small sub-rounded and sub gravels	0.00 – 0.22
87302		Colluvium	Compact sandy clay, medium orange brown with very rare small gravels	0.22 – 0.47
87303		Subsoil	Medium red brown loose sandy clay, common small gravels	0.47 – 0.90
87304		Natural	Light brownish yellow sandy gravels with occasional patches of medium red brown clay	0.90 – 1.05+
87305	87306, 87315	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with shallow, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.20 m. Depth: 0.17 m.	0.90-1.07
87306	87305	Secondary fill	Mid to light orange brown silty clay with rare sub-rounded to sub-angular flint gravels, occasional stone flecks. 0.08 thick	
87307	87308	Pit	Sub-circular pit with shallow, convex sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.80 m. Width: 0.65 m. Depth: 0.10 m.	0.90-1.00
87308	87307	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with rare fine gravel and pea shingle	0.90-1.00
87309	87310	Ditch	Curvilinear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.28 m. Depth: 0.34 m.	0.90-1.24
87310	87309	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with abundant fine well rounded gravel	0.90-1.24
87311	87312	Pit	Sub-oval pit aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 1.42 m. Width: 0.73 m. Depth: 0.26 m.	0.90-1.16



87312	87311	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with common fine gravel well rounded	0.90-1.16
87313	87314	Pit	Sub-circular pit with shallow, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 1.05 m. Width: 1.18 m. Depth: 0.08 m.	0.90-0.98
87314	87313	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with rare fine gravel	0.90-0.98
87315	87305	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular flint pebbles (<0.04). 0.11 thick	

Trench No 874		Length 51 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.93 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
87401		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown, silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon on to the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.30
87402		Subsoil	Compact, mid greyish brown (slightly greenish) silty clay with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Diffuse horizon onto the below natural.	0.30 – 0.62
87403		Natural	Compact mid yellowish brown slightly clayey fine silty sand with rare <2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 10 mm.	0.62 – 0.93+
87404	87405	Ditch terminal	Linear ditch terminus with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.50 m. Width: 1.28 m. Depth: 0.21 m.	0.21 deep
87405	87404	Deliberate backfill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with sparse 3% rounded and sub-rounded large pebbles <= 90 mm, occasional sandstone, x1 large sandstone on base 100 x 80 mm in size	0.21 thick
87406	87407	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: >0.64 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.22 deep
87407	87406	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with rare coarse stone pebbles, abundant coarse gravels	0.22 thick
87408	87409	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.58 m. Depth: 0.17 m.	0.17 deep
87409	87408	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with rare coarse stone pebbles	0.17 thick
87410	87411, 87412	Ditch terminal	Linear ditch terminus aligned E-W with steep, concave sides and a V-shaped base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.76 m. Depth: 0.52 m.	0.52 deep
87411	87410	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with rare coarse stone pebbles	0.23 thick
87412	87410	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with common coarse gravels	0.29 thick
87413	87414	Ditch	Cut of ditch. Prehistoric / Medieval (?). Not excavated. Width 1.10 m, Length 2.30 m+.	–
87414	87413	Secondary fill	Mid slightly yellowish brown, silty clay. Frequent rounded, sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 60 mm. No surface finds.	–
87415	87416	Pit	Cut of pit. BA / IA (?). Not excavated. Width 0.62 m, Length 0.83 m.	–



87416	87415	Deliberate backfill?	Deliberate backfill (?). Mid greyish brown, silty clay. Rare 2% rounded, sub-rounded and sub-angular pebbles and gravels <= 80 mm. occasional sandstone. Pottery surface finds only.	—
87417	87418	Cut of ditch / spread (?)). BA / IA (?). Not excavated. Width 2.40 m, length 2.30 m+.	—
87418	87417	Fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay. Sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 100 mm. Rare 1% angular and sub-angular sandstone (?) , <= 120 mm. Pottery and animal bone surface finds only. Rare charcoal.	—
87419	87420	Cut of spread (?)). BA / IA (?). Not excavated. Width 6 m, length 2.30 m+	—
87420	87419	Fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay. Rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 60 mm. Rare 1% sub-angular and angular sandstone (?) <= 120 mm. Pottery and animal bone surface finds only. Rare charcoal.	—
87421	87422	Spread	IA / BA (?). Not excavated. Width 4.70 m, length 2.20 m+.	—
87422	87421	Fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay. Rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 60 mm. Rare charcoal flecks. Pottery and animal bone surface finds only.	—
87423	87424	Cut of pit / PH	IA / BA (?). Not Excavated. Circular, diameter 0.45 m.	—
87424	87423	Deliberate backfill?	Deliberate backfill (?). Mid greyish brown silty clay. x3 rounded pebbles visible <= 80 mm, x3 angular larger sandstones (?) <= 150 mm. No surface finds.	—
87425	87426	Cut of post pit	BA / IA (?). Not excavated. Width 0.48 m, length 0.64 m.	—
87426	87425	Fill	No surface finds.	—
87427	87428	Posthole	Cut of PH. IA / BA (?). Not excavated Width 0.30 mm, Length 0.34 m.	—
87428	87427	Fill	No surface finds.	—
87429	87430	Pit?	Cut of pit (?). BA / IA (?). Not excavated. Continues beyond west side of trench. Width 1.16 m, length 0.42 m+.	—
87430	87429	Fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay.	—
87431	87432	Pit?	Cut of pit (?). BA / IA (?). Not excavated. Continues beyond west side of trench. Width 0.56 m, length 0.35 m+.	—
87432	87431	Fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay.	—

Trench No 875		Length 50 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.58 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description		Depth BGL
87501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Loose medium brown sandy loam with rare small-medium rounded pebbles and uncommon small gravels, clear horizon between plough and subsoil		0.00–0.29
87502		Subsoil	Compact light orange brown sandy clay with rare pebbles and gravel, murky horizon between this and the natural.		0.29–0.49
87503		Natural	Light yellow sandy gravel with areas of natural sandy clay		0.49–0.58+



87504	87505	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.77 m. Depth: 0.32 m.	0.32 deep
87505	87504	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with common coarse stone pebbles and gravels	0.32 thick
87506	87507	Ditch	1.35m wide	—
87507	87506	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay, somewhat compact with abundant coarse pebbles / gravel	—
87508	87509	Pit ?	Cut. Pit 0.3m diameter.	—
87509	87508	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay, somewhat compact with abundant coarse pebbles / gravel	—
87510	87511	Ditch	2.95m wide	—
87511	87510	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay, somewhat compact with abundant coarse pebbles / gravel	—
87512	87513	Posthole	Post hole. 0.2m diameter.	—
87513	87512	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay, somewhat compact with abundant coarse pebbles / gravel	—
87514	87515, 87538	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.00 m. Width: 0.62 m. Depth: 0.38 m.	0.38 deep
87515	87514	Deliberate backfill	Mid grey loose silty clay with rare flint sub-rounded <60mm	0.38 thick
87516	87517	Pit	Circular clay lined pit. 0.68m diameter	—
87517	87516	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with frequent small pebbles.	—
87518	87519	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.33 m. Depth: 0.38 m.	0.38 deep
87519	87518	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with rare small-medium gravel, rare large flint	0.38 thick
87520	87521	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned SW-NE with moderate, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >1.80 m. Width: 1.34 m. Depth: 0.24 m.	0.24 deep
87521	87520	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay with common large stone and fine charcoal inclusions. rare fine well rounded gravel	0.24 thick
87522	87523	Cut of Pit / PH	Width 0.54 m, Length 0.76 m.	—
87523	87522	Fill		—
87524	87525	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with moderate, concave sides and an unknown base. Length: >3.54 m. Width: 0.84 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.22 deep
87525	87524	Secondary fill	Mid orangey brown with grey tinge sandy clay with common well rounded gravels of varying sizes but mainly medium to small	0.22 thick
87526	87527	Ditch	Cut of ditch. Connecting linear. Relationship unknown. IA / RB (?). Not excavated. Width	—
87527	87526	Fill		—
87528	87529	Spread	Not excavated. IA / RB (?). Width	—
87529	87528	Fill		—
87530	87531	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, straight sides and an unknown base. Length: >0.66 m. Width: >0.32 m. Depth: 0.23 m.	0.22 deep
87531	87530	Secondary fill	Mid orange brown silty clay with rare small gravel	0.22 thick



87532	87533	Post hole / pit.	Sub-circular post hole / pit. with moderate, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.27 m. Width: 0.24 m. Depth: 0.04 m.	0.04 deep
87533	87532	Secondary fill	Mid black brown clay silt with sparse 1% sub-angular gravel unsorted	0.04 thick
87534	87535	Posthole/ pit.	Sub-circular posthole / pit. with moderate, irregular sides and a concave base. Length: 0.19 m. Width: 0.26 m. Depth: 0.08 m.	0.08 deep
87535	87534	Secondary fill	Mid black brown clay silt with sparse 1% sub-angular gravel unsorted	0.08 thick
87536	87537	Pit or posthole	Sub-circular pit or posthole aligned North-south with steep, irregular sides and a sloping base. Length: 0.26 m. Width: 0.20 m. Depth: 0.07 m.	0.07 deep
87537	87536	Secondary fill	Mid black brown clay silt with sparse 1% sub-angular gravel unsorted	0.07 thick
87538	87514	Secondary fill	Mid orangish brown dense silty clay with rare flint <50mm sub-rounded	0.30 thick
87539	87540	Posthole	Post hole. 0.3-0.38m in width	—
87540	87539	Fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay. no finds.	—
87541	87542	Posthole	0.2-0.22m in width. dark greyish brown silty clay. no finds	—
87542	87541	Fill	Fill	—

Trench No 876		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.49 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
87601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. loose medium brown sandy loam with rare small sub-rounded and sub gravels, clear horizon between this and the layer below	0.00 – 0.30
87602		Subsoil	Light yellow brown compact clay, rare small sub-angular gravels, archaeology present at this level so not dug down to gravel natural	0.30 – 0.47
87603	87604	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.45 m. Depth: 0.08 m.	0.08 deep
87604	87603	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with 1% small-medium size rounded & sub-rounded gravel	0.08 thick
87605	87606	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, convex sides and a concave base. Length: >2.00 m. Width: 0.65 m. Depth: 0.33 m.	0.33 deep
87606	87605	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with rare rounded gravel of varying coarseness	0.33 thick
87607	87608	Ditch terminal	Sub-circular ditch terminus with steep, concave sides and a sloping base. Length: 1.32 m. Width: >0.54 m. Depth: 0.63 m.	0.63 deep
87608	87607	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay with rare fine stone	0.63 thick
87609	87610	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 2.00 m. Width: 1.06 m. Depth: 0.36 m.	0.36 deep
87610	87609	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with common fine well rounded gravel	0.36 thick
87611	87612	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned E-W with moderate, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.93 m. Depth: 0.36 m.	0.36 deep
87612	87611	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with common fine gravel and rare coarse gravel	0.36 thick



87613	87615	Ditch	Cut of ditch. Not excavated. Width 1.27 m, Length 2.20 m+.	–
87615	87613	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay. Sparse 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 60 mm. No surface finds. Possibly related / earlier or later recut of ditches 87603 / 87616 one metre to south (?).	–
87616	87617, 87618	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned East-west with moderate, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.13 m. Depth: 0.38 m.	0.38 deep
87617	87616	Secondary fill	Dark black brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse	0.26 thick
87618	87616	Primary fill	Mid orange brown clay silt with fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 1% sparse	0.13 thick
87619	87620	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.40 m. Depth: 0.13 m.	0.13 deep
87620	87619	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with 1% small-medium size rounded & sub-rounded gravel	0.13 thick
87621		Natural	Light yellowish brown sandy gravel	0.47–0.49+

Trench No 877		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
87701		Topsoil	Loose dark brown silty clay loam ploughsoil with rare coarse gravels and pebble inclusions.	0.00 – 0.33
87702		Subsoil	Loose mid brown sandy clay with common coarse gravel inclusions.	0.33 – 0.50
87703		Natural	Pale yellowish brown silty clay with rare coarse gravel inclusions.	0.50+
87704	87705	Ditch	Unexcav.	–
87705	87704	Secondary fill	Unexcav.	–
87706	87707	Ditch	Unexcav.	–
87707	87706	Secondary fill	Unexcav.	–
87708	87709, 87710	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, irregular sides and a sloping base. Length: 2.20 m. Width: 0.90 m. Depth: 0.32 m.	0.32 deep
87709	87708	Primary fill	Yellowish brown silty clay with sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 20-80mm common sorted sandstone 50-100mm, common manganese	0.15 thick
87710	87708	Secondary fill	Dark greyish brown silty clay with sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 20-80mm, rare sorted sandstone 50-100mm, rare fossils	0.27 thick
87711	87712	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, straight sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.68 m. Depth: 0.17 m.	0.17 deep
87712	87711	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with rare 5% small-medium size gravel	0.17 thick
87713	87714	Pit	Unexcav.	–
87714	87713	Secondary fill	Unexcav.	–
87715	87716	Pit	Unexcav.	–
87716	87715	Secondary fill	Unexcav.	–
87717	87718	Pit	Unexcav.	–
87718	87717	Secondary fill	Unexcav.	–



87719	87720	Ditch	Rectangular ditch aligned NW-SE with vertical, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >0.60 m. Width: 0.40 m. Depth: 0.23 m.	0.23 deep
87720	87719	Secondary fill	Light brown silty clay with stone inclusions	0.23 thick
87721	87722	Ditch	Unexcav.	—
87722	87721	Secondary fill	Unexcav.	—
87723	87724	Pit	Unexcav.	—
87724	87723	Secondary fill	Unexcav.	—
87725	87726	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.54 m. Depth: 0.07 m.	0.07 deep
87726	87725	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with common coarse stone pebbles	0.07 thick

Trench No 878		Length 49.03 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.47 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
87801		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty-clay loam with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Visible but diffuse level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil	0.00–0.26	
87802		Subsoil	Moderately compact mid yellowish brown slightly silty clay with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. A well-defined level horizon onto the below natural.	0.26–0.43	
87803		Natural	Moderately compact light to mid reddish brown patchy silty sandy gravels, abundant 30% small rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and pea-grit gravels <= 30 mm. Occasional patches of mid brown clay.	0.43–0.47+	
87804	87805	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 0.85 m. Depth: 0.18 m.	0.18 deep	
87805	87804	Secondary fill	Light brown compact sand with gravels with common gravel with rare, small rounded pebbles	0.18 thick	
87806	87807	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned SE-NW with shallow, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.10 m. Width: 1.93 m. Depth: 0.10 m.	0.10 deep	
87807	87806	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with rare fine gravel	0.10 thick	
87808	87809	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NW-SE with shallow, concave sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.95 m. Depth: 0.05 m.	0.05 deep	
87809	87808	Secondary fill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with rare fine gravel	0.05 thick	
87810	87811, 87812	cut of horse burial	Sub-oval cut of horse burial aligned NW-SE with moderate, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: >1.58 m. Width: 1.10 m. Depth: 0.17 m.	0.17 deep	
87811	87810	Animal bone deposit	Animal bone group aligned NW-SE. slightly truncated. 95% complete.	—	
87812	87810	Deliberate backfill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with common fine pebbles and pea shingle	0.17 thick	

Trench No 879		Length 50.05 m		Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.58 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
87901		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty-clay loam with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Visible but diffuse level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil	0.00 – 0.28
87902		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish brown slightly clayey silty sand with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. A well-defined level horizon onto the below natural.	0.28 – 0.52
87903		Natural	Moderately compact light to mid yellowish brown patchy silty sandy gravels, abundant 30% small rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and pea-grit gravels <= 12 mm. Occasional patches of mid brown clay.	0.52 – 0.58+
87904	87905, 87906	Grave	Irregular grave aligned NW-SE with irregular, irregular sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 1.90 m. Width: 1.90 m. Depth: 0.14 m.	0.14 deep
87905	87904	Animal bone deposit	Animal bone group aligned SE-NW. laying on right hand side. slightly truncated. 85% complete.	–
87906	87904	Deliberate backfill	Mid reddish brown silty clay with common fine gravel	0.14 thick

Trench No 880		Length 49 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.62 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
88001		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty-clay loam with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.27
88002		Subsoil	Compact light to mid yellowish brown fine slightly clayey silty sand with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. A diffuse faded horizon onto the below natural.	0.27 – 0.60
88003		Natural	Compact light to mid yellowish brown slightly sandy silt, frequent 20% small rounded and sub-rounded pebbles <= 20 mm.	0.60 – 0.62+

Trench No 881		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.43 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
88101		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown, silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level ploughsoil horizon on to the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.25
88102		Subsoil	Compact, mid greyish brown (slightly greenish) silty clay with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Diffuse horizon onto the below natural.	0.25 – 0.40
88103		Natural	Compact mid brown slightly clayey fine silty sand with uncommon rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 10 mm.	0.40 – 0.43+

Trench No 882		Length 58 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.63 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
88201		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown, silty clay loam ploughsoil with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Well-defined horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.23
88202		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish brown silty clay with rare 2% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm, with a clear level horizon onto the below layer.	0.23 – 0.43
88203		Colluvium?	Colluvium (?). Compact, colluvial or possibly alluvial deposit, light to mid yellowish brown. Lighter than above subsoil. Very fine silty sand. Very rare <1% small rounded and sub-rounded gravels (mostly pea grit) <= 5 mm.	0.43 – 0.63
88204		Natural	Compact light yellowish brown, occasionally reddish brown, silty sandy gravel, with frequent patches of mid reddish brown clay. Frequent 20% sub-rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 10 mm. Mostly pea grit <= 5 mm. Occasional patches comprised of mostly gravel.	0.63+
88205	88206	Ditch	Linear ditch aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.46 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.16 deep
88206	88205	Secondary fill	Mid brown compact silty sandy clay with uncommon small gravels	0.16 thick
88207	88208	Truncated ditch/gully	Linear truncated ditch / gully aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.42 m. Depth: 0.22 m.	0.22 deep
88208	88207	Secondary fill	Mid brown compact silty sandy clay with uncommon gravels	0.22 thick
88209	88210, 88211, 88212	Pit	Sub-circular pit with steep, straight sides and an irregular / undulating base. Length: 0.81 m. Width: 0.72 m. Depth: 0.30 m.	0.30 deep
88210	88209	Deliberate backfill	Dark grey brown grey compact sand	0.09 thick
88211	88209	Deliberate backfill	Medium yellow brown heavily compacted clay with rare small rounded gravel	0.10 thick
88212	88209	Deliberate backfill	Medium yellow brown medium compact sandy clay	0.12 thick

Trench No 883		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
88301		Topsoil	Loose plough soil, mid-greyish brown silty clay loam, rare 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 30 mm. Well-defined level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.24
88302		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish-brown slightly clayey silty-sand rare 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Clear generally level horizon onto the below natural.	0.24 – 0.45
88303		Natural		0.45 – 0.50+

Trench No 884		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



88401		Topsoil	Loose, mid greyish brown silty-clay loam with sparse 3% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 20 mm. Visible but diffuse level plough soil horizon onto the below subsoil.	0.00 – 0.23
88402		Subsoil	Compact mid yellowish brown slightly clayey silty sand with sparse 4% rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and gravels <= 40 mm. A well-defined level horizon onto the below natural.	0.23 – 0.42
88403		Natural	Moderately compact light to mid yellowish brown patchy silty sandy gravels, abundant 30% small rounded and sub-rounded pebbles and pea-grit gravels <= 12 mm. Occasional patches of mid brown clay.	0.42 – 0.50+

Trench No 885		Length 50 m	Width 2.20 m	Depth 0.59 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
88501		Topsoil	Loose dark brown sandy loam with uncommon small rounded pebbles	0.00 – 0.30
88502		Subsoil	Compact mid orange brown sandy clay with rare small gravels	0.30 – 0.38
88503		Natural	Compact light yellow brown sandy gravel	0.38 – 0.59+
88504	88505	Extraction pit	2.1x3.7m, 0.20m+ deep. Not excavated.	–
88505	88504	Secondary fill	Mid orange brown clay silt with sparse sub-rounded flint gravels.	–

Trench No 892		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.55 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89201		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.25
89202		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty loam, mid compaction, moderate unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused but clear boundary with natural, shallows out towards the eastern end of trench	0.25–0.45
89203		Natural	Light yellowish brown silty loam with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, patchy with slightly darker reddish brown areas, and areas of greyish brown clay	0.45+

Trench No 893		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89301		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown loo compaction silty loam, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.20
89302		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty loam, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel, clear boundary with natural	0.20–0.40



89303		Natural	Patchy blue yellow clay with areas of abundant yellow unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm towards south end	0.40–0.45+
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Trench No 894		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89401		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown loo compaction silty loam, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.30
89402		Natural	Patchy yellow gravel with areas of blue yellow oxford clay, abundant yellow unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.30–0.50+

Trench No 895		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89501		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown loo compaction silty loam, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.30+
89502		Natural	Mid greyish yellow Oxford clay, highly compacted, covered in tall vegetation flattened by machine, rooting in top 10cm, some patches of orangish gravel patches	0.30+

Trench No 896		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.59 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown loo compaction silty loam, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.30
89602		Subsoil	Mid orangish silty loam mid compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm,	0.30–0.56
89603		Natural	Patchy yellowish silty loam with abundant yellow unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, and areas of subsoil due to undulating surface	0.56–0.59+

Trench No 897		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89701		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam loose to mid compaction, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, impacted by recent torrential rain, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.25
89702		Natural	Yellowish silty sand with abundant gravel between 1cm-4cm, loose compaction.	0.25–0.35+

Trench No 898		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.55 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89801		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam loose to mid compaction, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, impacted by recent torrential rain, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.32
89802		Natural	Mid reddish brown silty loam, moderate to high compaction, areas of natural clay and patches of moderate unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	0.32+

Trench No 899		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.54 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
89901		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.32
89902		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty loam, mid compaction, moderate unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused but clear boundary with natural	0.32–0.42
89903		Natural	Light yellowish brown silty loam with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, patchy with slightly darker reddish brown areas and rare patches of white limestone	0.42–0.54+

Trench No 900		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90001		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.28
90002		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty loam, mid compaction, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused but clear boundary with natural	0.28–0.38
90003		Natural	Light yellowish brown silty loam with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, patchy with slightly darker reddish brown areas	0.38–0.48+

Trench No 901		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90101		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam loose to mid compaction, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, impacted by recent torrential rain, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.32



90102		Natural	Mid reddish brown silty loam at western end, then yellowish brown gravel with occasional patches of silty loam throughout rest of trench	0.32–0.52+
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Trench No 902		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.51 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90201		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.25
90202		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty loam, mid compaction, moderate unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused but clear boundary with natural, shallows out towards the eastern end of trench	0.25–0.45
90203		Natural	Light yellowish brown silty loam with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, patchy with slightly darker reddish brown areas, rare patches of white limestone, and areas of greyish brown clay	0.45–0.51+
90204	90205	Posthole	Sub-circular posthole with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 0.26 m. Width: 0.26 m. Depth: 0.06 m.	0.06 deep
90205	90204	Deliberate backfill	Dark blackish brown silty loam with rare unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.06 thick

Trench No 903		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.53 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90301		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam loose to mid compaction, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, impacted by recent torrential rain, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.33
90302		Natural	Light yellowish brown silty sand with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-200mm and areas of mid orangish silty loam from northern end, with mid orangish brown silty loam at southern end with common gravel	0.33–0.53+

Trench No 904		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 1.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90401		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and freshly ploughed, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused boundary with subsoil but overall clear	0.00–0.23
90402		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm	0.23–0.48



90403		Colluvium	Colluvial. mid reddish brown silty clay, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel, covers majority of base of trench with some larger 50-150mm gravels showing through	0.48–1.35+
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Trench No 905		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and freshly ploughed, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with natural	0.00–0.23
90502		Natural	Mid reddish brown silty clay, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel, covers majority of base of trench with some larger 50-100mm gravels showing through and stripes of light yellowish grey clay	0.23–0.48+

Trench No 906		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 1.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown, sandy clay, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 20-70mm, rooting in the top 10cm from arable farming, recently ploughed, diffuse boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.36
90602		Subsoil	Yellowish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, diffuse boundary with ploughsoil, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-60mm	0.36–0.61
90603		Colluvium	Light reddish brown silty clay, compact, sparse manganese, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-40mm	0.61–1.06
90604		Natural	Mostly reddish brown silty clay with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel and sparse manganese, with patches of lighter yellowish brown silty clay with very abundant gravel, very compact	1.06–1.50+

Trench No 907		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90701		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty clay loose compaction, rooting in top 10cm, used for arable farming and recently ploughed, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-60mm	0.00–0.23
90702		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown sandy clay, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm	0.23–0.45
90703		Natural	Mid reddish brown silty clay with patches of gravel, sand, and clay, abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	0.45–0.50+

Trench No 908		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.45 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90801		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and freshly ploughed, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm	0.00–0.25
90802		Natural	Patchy yellowish brown silty clay with areas of unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm and areas of chalk / limestone 30-200mmpp	0.25–0.45+

Trench No 909		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.85 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
90901		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and recently ploughed, top 10cm disturbed by rooting, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with subsoil	0.0–0.25
90902		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-30mm, sparse manganese, diffuse edge with colluvium	0.25–0.40
90903		Colluvium	Yellowish brown silty clay, well compacted, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-20mm	0.20+
90904		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, well compacted, abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, only seen at southern end of trench	0.40–0.85+

Trench No 910		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.85 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
91001		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and recently ploughed, top 10cm disturbed by rooting, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with colluvial	0.00–0.36
91002		Colluvium	Mid reddish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel, sandy patches, sparse manganese, deeper at western end of trench	0.36–0.54
91003		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, well compacted, abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, patchy with areas of darker soil due to natural processes	0.54–0.85+

Trench No 911		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.68 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



91101		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and recently ploughed, top 10cm disturbed by rooting, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.32
91102		Subsoil	Mid reddish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel, sandy patches, sparse manganese	0.32–0.64
91103		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, well compacted, abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, patchy with areas of subsoil due to natural processes	0.64–0.68+

Trench No 912		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 1.39 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
91201		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction, moderate unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with subsoil, rooting in top 10cm from arable farming, recently ploughed	0.00–0.24
91202		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-30mm	0.24–0.39
91203		Colluvium	Mid reddish brown silty clay, well compacted, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-30mm, common manganese, covers trench base at this depth	0.39–1.39+

Trench No 913		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.37 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
91301		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and freshly ploughed, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with natural	0.00–0.24
91302		Natural	Patchy reddish brown silty clay with areas of abundant, unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm and patches of yellowish grey clay	0.24–0.37+
91303	91304	Pit	Sub-oval pit aligned Se-NW with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 0.89 m. Width: 0.54 m. Depth: 0.20 m.	0.20 deep
91304	91303	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty clay with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	0.20 thick

Trench No 914		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.56 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



91401		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as used for arable farming and recently ploughed, top 10cm disturbed by rooting, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with colluvial	0.00–0.33
91402		Colluvium	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel, sandy patches, sparse manganese, present throughout SE base of trench	0.30–0.35
91403		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, well compacted, abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, present at NW end of trench	0.35–0.56+
91404	91405	Pit	Sub-oval pit with steep, concave sides and a concave base. Length: 0.30 m. Width: 0.35 m. Depth: 0.07 m.	0.07 deep
91405	91404	Deliberate backfill	Mid black brown silty clay with rare water washed rounded gravel 10-30mm, single unworked flint flake 20mm	0.07 thick

Trench No 915		Length 50 m		Width 2 m	Depth 0.48 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
91501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown, sandy clay, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 20-70mm, rooting in the top 10cm from arable farming, recently ploughed, clear boundary with natural, moderately loose compaction	0.00–0.28	
91502		Natural	Mid reddish brown silty clay, abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-60mm, sparse manganese, well compacted, some colour variation from natural processes with a range from light yellowish brown to mid orangey brown	0.28–0.48+	

Trench No 916		Length 50 m		Width 2 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
91601		Topsoil	Mid greyish brown. Silty sandy clay. Silty ~20%. Sand~30%. Clay ~50%. Surrounded and rounded natural gravel: <80mm, <10% moderate, moderately well sorted. CBM: <1% rare, poorly sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <30% common, well sorted.	0.00 – 0.28	
91602		Natural	Light orangish grey. Sandy Clay. Sand ~10%. Clay ~90%. Rounded and surrounded natural gravel: >20mm - <100mm, <20% common, well sorted. Rooting and bioturbation: <1% occasionally, poorly sorted.	0.29 – 0.42+	

Trench No 917/952/953		Length 50 m		Width 2 m	Depth 0.47 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
91701		Topsoil	Black brown, clack silt. Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.22	



91702		Natural	Light yellow brown Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate. cut by a ring ditch and some pits and ten graves two of three pit could all so be graves.	0.22–0.47+
91703	91704	Unexcavated grave	No bone observed, dimensions approximately 80cmx50cm+	–
91704	91703	Fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91705	91706	Unexcavated grave	No bone observed, dimensions approximately 55cmx90cm+	–
91706	91705	Fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91707	91708	unexcavated grave	Skull observed in situ at western end suggesting W-E alignment, dimensions approximately 55cmx35cm+	–
91708	91707	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91709	91710	unexcavated grave	No bone observed, dimensions approximately 55cmx50cm+	–
91710	91709	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91711	91712	unexcavated grave	Bone fragments in situ, dimensions approximately 60cmx150+	–
91712	91711	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91713	91714	unexcavated grave	No bone observed, clear boundary with natural, dimensions approximately 55cmx59cm+	–
91714	91713	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91715	91716	unexcavated grave	Intercuts with ring ditch, length approximately 120cm+, no bone observed	–
91716	91715	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91717	91718	unexcavated grave	Truncated by machine, tibia observed in situ suggests W-E alignment, dimensions approximately 45cmx60cm+	–
91718	91717	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91719	91720	unexcavated grave	Skull present at western end, W-E alignment, disturbed by machine, dimensions approximately 50cmx160cm+	–
91720	91719	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–
91721	91722	unexcavated grave	Skull present in situ at western end, W-E alignment, dimensions approximately 60cmx195cm+	–
91722	91721	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	–



91723	91724	unexcavated grave	Heavily truncated by machine, 35cmx80cm+, bone present within section of trench	—
91724	91723	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91725	91726	unexcavated grave	Heavily truncated by machine, hand and right femur observed in situ suggesting head at western end and W-E alignment, dimensions approximately 50cmx90cm+	—
91726	91725	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91727	91728, 91735	Ring ditch	Curvilinear ring ditch aligned NW-SE with steep, straight sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 1.70 m. Depth: 0.85 m.	0.85 deep
91728	91727	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty loam with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-60mm	0.40 thick
91729	91730	unexcavated grave	No bone observed, dimensions approximately 80cmx50cm+	—
91730	91729	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91731	91732	Posthole?	Possible posthole. unexcavated	—
91732	91731	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91733	91734	Posthole?	Possible posthole. unexcavated	—
91734	91733	Secondary fill	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91735	91727	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty loam with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 3-50mm	0.54 thick
91736	91737	unexcavated grave	In extension TR952, intercuts ring ditch, dimensions approximately 120cmx50cm+	—
91737	91736	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91738	91739	unexcavated grave	In extension TR952, dimensions approximately 65cmx140cm+	—
91739	91738	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91740	91741	unexcavated grave	In extension TR952, dimensions approximately 40cm+x50cm+	—
91741	91740	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91742	91743	unexcavated grave	In extension TR952, dimensions approximately 50cmx150cm+	—
91743	91742	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91744	91745	Posthole?	Possible posthole. unexcavated, TR952	—
91745	91744	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty loam with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—



91746	91747	unexcavated grave	In extension TR952, dimensions approximately 55cmx115cm, likely an infant burial	—
91747	91746	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91748	91749	unexcavated grave	In extension TR952, dimensions approximately 50cmx70cm+	—
91749	91748	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91750	91751	Posthole	Unexcavated, TR952	—
91751	91750	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty loam with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—
91752	91753	unexcavated grave	In extension TR953, dimensions approximately 40cm+x100cm+, intercuts ring ditch	—
91753	91752	fill of unexcavated grave	Deliberate backfill mid brown silty loam, well compacted, with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	—

Trench No 918		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.78 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
91801		Topsoil	Mid black brown, clay silt. Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.00–0.26
91802		Subsoil	Mid brown, clay silt. Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate.	0.26–0.49
91803		Natural	Light yellow white. Fine to coarse water washed pebbly gravel, rounded unsorted 15% moderate. With bands of sand at the north end.	0.49–0.78+
91804	91805	Pit?	Possible sub-circular pit with steep, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >0.60 m. Width: 1.70 m. Depth: 0.55 m.	0.55 deep
91805	91804	Secondary fill	Mottled dark orange silty loam with high concentration of natural gravel present throughout the fill	0.55 thick
91806	91807	Pit	Sub-oval pit aligned N-S with moderate, concave sides and a flat base. Length: 1.30 m. Width: >0.50 m. Depth: 0.17 m.	0.17 deep
91807	91806	Secondary fill	Mid greyish brown silty loam with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-70mm, single slab of rock 15 by 25cm	0.17 thick

Trench No 919		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.51 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
91901		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused boundary with natural likely due to ploughing and bioturbation	0.00–0.31



91902		Natural	Mid greyish brown clay, very compact, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel	0.31–0.51+
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Trench No 920		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.55 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92001		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, diffuse boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.25
92002		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty loam, mid compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm, slightly diffused but clear boundary with natural	0.25–0.40
92003		Natural	Light orangish brown silty loam with abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm with some patches of light orange sand, overall well compacted	0.40–0.55+

Trench No 921		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92101		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with natural, single piece of copper potentially modern	0.00–0.22
92102		Natural	Mid yellowish grey clay, very compact, rare unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm	0.22–0.30+

Trench No 922		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92201		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay loose compaction, sparse unsorted rounded, sub-rounded, and sub-angular water washed gravel 20-100mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.25
92202		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, average compaction, clear boundary with natural, rare unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-50mm	0.25–0.30
92203		Natural	Mid yellowish grey clay, very compact, colour changes from more yellow to more grey as gets deeper	0.30–0.40+

Trench No 923		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL



92301		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.34
92302		Natural	Mid yellowish grey clay, very compact, rare unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm, parallel linear patches of common water washed gravel, moderately darker in colour than the rest of the natural	0.34–0.52+
92303	92304	Furrow	Linear furrow aligned N-S with moderate, concave sides and a flat base. Length: >2.20 m. Width: 0.80 m. Depth: 0.15 m.	0.15 deep
92304	92303	Secondary fill	Mid brown silty clay with sparse sub-angular to sub-rounded flints (<0.06)	0.15 thick

Trench No 924		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92401		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty clay, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused boundary with natural likely due to ploughing and bioturbation	0.00–0.25
92402		Natural	Mid yellowish grey clay, very compact, rare unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm	0.25–0.45+

Trench No 925		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, slightly diffused boundary with natural likely due to ploughing and bioturbation, varies in depth from 0.18-0.24m	0.00–0.18
92502		Natural	Mid yellowish grey clay, very compact, rare unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm	0.18–0.32+

Trench No 926		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.55 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear but slightly diffused boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.25
92602		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty loam, mid compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm, slightly diffused but clear boundary with natural	0.25–0.50



92603		Natural	Mid reddish clay natural with patches of common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.50–0.55+
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Trench No 927		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.44 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92701		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid-greyish brown, silty loam, fairly loose, recently ploughed, used for arable farming, top 10cm has rooting, sparse gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with natural,	0.00–0.32
92702		Natural	Light orangish-brown, well compacted, moderate gravel 50-150mm evenly dispersion, sparse charcoal	0.32–0.44+

Trench No 928		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.63 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92801		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, diffuse boundary with subsoil at northern end and with natural at southern end	0.00–0.28
92802		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty loam, mid compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-50mm, slightly diffused but clear boundary with natural, rare medieval pottery fragment, deeper at northern end of trench	0.28–0.43
92803		Natural	Light orangish brown silty loam with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-200mm with some patches of light orange sand, overall well compacted	0.43–0.63+

Trench No 929		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
92901		Topsoil	Dark brown, silty loam, very loose ploughsoil, used for arable farming, top 10cm has rooting, sparse gravel 5-80mm even dispersion, clear boundary with subsoil	0.00–0.20
92902		Subsoil	Patchy dark red brown silty loam, fairly loose, very sparse gravel 50-100mm fairly even dispersion, fairly clear boundary with natural, subsoil layer begins roughly halfway through trench	0.20–0.40
92903		Natural	Light orangish-brown, well compacted, moderate gravel 50-150mm evenly dispersion, mixed gravel (E end) changing to yellow clay (W end)	0.40+

Trench No 930		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.62 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
93001		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid-greyish brown, silty loam, fairly loose, recently ploughed, used for arable farming, top 10cm has rooting, sparse gravel 5-80mm even dispersion, clear boundary with subsoil,	0.00–0.30



93002		Subsoil	Light brownish orange, silty clay, fairly loose, very sparse gravel 50-100mm fairly even dispersion, fairly clear boundary with natural, subsoil layer disappears from section halfway through trench due to gradient	0.30–0.40
93003		Natural	Light orangish-brown, silty clay loam, well compacted, no grave present, the southern end of trench has a more densely pack gravel in the natural 50-100mm	0.40–0.62+

Trench No 931		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
93101		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.20	
93102		Natural	Range of greyish yellow to orange brown Oxford clay, well compacted, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm	0.20–0.32+	

Trench No 932		Length Unknown	Width Unknown	Depth 0.40 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
93201		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. mid greyish brown silty loam, loose compaction as recently ploughed, used for arable farming, rooting in top 10cm, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.30	
93202		Natural	Orange brown silty loam with common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm and patches of greyish clay	0.30–0.40+	

Trench No 933		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.36 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
93301		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark brown, silty loam, very loose, recently ploughed, used for arable farming, top 10cm has rooting, sparse gravel 5-80mm even dispersion, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.30	
93302		Natural	Light orangish-brown, well compacted, moderate gravel 50-150mm evenly dispersion, southern 3rd of trench has distinctly different natural with more gravel present, packed more densely	0.30–0.36+	

Trench No 934		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.30 m	
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL	
93401		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, rooting in top 10cm as used for arable farming, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.20	



93402		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate to well compacted, patches of abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm, some areas of mid orangish brown silty clay natural	0.20–0.30+
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Trench No 935		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.50 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
93501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, rooting in top 10cm as used for arable farming, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.30
93502		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate to well compacted, very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm	0.30+

Trench No 936		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.42 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
93601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, rooting in top 10cm as used for arable farming, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.30
93602		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate to well compacted, very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm, evidence of furrowing in the form of lighter yellowish brown silty clay with sparse gravels apparent in parallel intervals	0.30+

Trench No 937		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.45 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
93701		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, rooting in top 10cm as used for arable farming, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.35
93702		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate to well compacted, very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm	0.35+

Trench No 938		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.32 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
93801		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, rooting in top 10cm as used for arable farming, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.22



93802		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate to well compacted, very abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm, some areas of mid orangish brown silty clay natural	0.22–0.32+
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Trench No 939		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
93901		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, rooting in top 10cm as used for arable farming, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.28
93902		Natural	Mid yellowish brown Oxford clay, well compacted, patches of abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm, but mostly sparse gravel	0.28–0.30+

Trench No 940		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94001		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, rooting in top 10cm as used for arable farming, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.00–0.28
94002		Natural	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, well compacted, patches of abundant unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-150mm, some areas of mid orangish brown silty clay natural	0.28–0.38+

Trench No 941		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94101		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose to moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with natural, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.24
94102		Natural	Yellowish brown sandy silt clay, patches of sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, sparse manganese	0.24–0.34+

Trench No 942		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.35 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94201		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose to moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with natural, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.25
94202		Natural	Yellowish to orange brown sandy silt clay, patches of sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, sparse manganese	0.25–0.35+

Trench No 943		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.40 m
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Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94301		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose to moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with natural, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.30
94302		Natural	Yellowish brown sandy silt clay, patches of sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, sparse manganese, well compacted	0.30–0.40+
94303		Colluvium	Colluvial. Light yellowish brown silty sand clay, containing animal bone fragments and pottery fragments. Only at northern end of the trench.	0.30–0.52+
94304	94305	Gully terminal	Linear gully terminus aligned NE-SW with moderate, concave sides and a concave base. Length: >1.10 m. Width: 0.50 m. Depth: 0.16 m.	0.16 deep
94305	94304	Secondary fill	Pale brownish grey clay silt with sparse sub-rounded to sub-angular stone pebbles (<0.06)	0.16 thick

Trench No 944		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.34 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94401		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose to moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with natural, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.28
94402		Natural	Light to mid yellowish brown silty clay, well compacted, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, rare areas of limestone	0.28–0.34+

Trench No 945		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.52 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94501		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose to moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with subsoil, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.28
94502		Subsoil	Mid yellowish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 20-100mm, clear boundary with natural	0.28–0.46
94503		Natural	Mid orangish brown sandy silt clay, well compacted, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 20-100mm	0.46–0.52+

Trench No 946		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94601		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose to moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with natural, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.20



94602		Natural	Light to mid yellowish brown silty clay, some patches more orangish due to manganese, well compacted, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, rare areas of bioturbation and signs of furrowing	0.20–0.38+
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Trench No 947		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.30 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94701		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with natural, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.26
94702		Natural	Yellowish brown sandy silt clay, well compacted, patches of sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, sparse manganese	0.26–0.30+

Trench No 948		Length 50 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.28 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94801		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Dark greyish brown silty clay, used for arable farming, rooting of crop in top 10cm, moderate to well compacted, clear boundary with natural, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm	0.00–0.24
94802		Natural	Light yellowish brown silty clay with sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 3-80mm, well compacted	0.24–0.28+

Trench No 949		Length 35 m	Width 2 m	Depth 0.38 m
Context Number	Fill Of/Filled With	Interpretative Category	Description	Depth BGL
94901		Topsoil	Ploughsoil. Mid greyish brown silty clay, loose to moderate compaction, sparse unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 10-100mm, clear boundary with natural, rare bluish white plastic, rooting in top 10cm	0.00–0.28
94902		Natural	Light to mid yellowish brown silty clay, some patches more orangish due to manganese whilst others slightly bluish as typical of Oxford clay, well compacted, common unsorted rounded and sub-rounded water washed gravel 5-80mm, rare areas of bioturbation	0.28–0.38+

Appendix 2 Summary of Geophysical Survey Results

Trench Number	Field Number	Summary of geophysical survey results
601	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
602	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
603	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
604	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
605	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
606	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
607	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
608	2.62	Field 2.62 is characterised by a probable large penannular enclosure with an internal rectangular enclosure, a possible enclosure, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
609	2.63	Field 2.63 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
610	2.63	Field 2.63 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
611	2.63	Field 2.63 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
612	2.63	Field 2.63 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
613	2.63	Field 2.63 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
614	2.63	Field 2.63 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
615	2.64	Field 2.64 is characterised by several possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
616	2.64	Field 2.64 is characterised by several possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
617	2.64	Field 2.64 is characterised by several possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
618	2.64	Field 2.64 is characterised by several possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology
619	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology



Trench Number	Field Number	Summary of geophysical survey results
620	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
621	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
622	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
623	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
624	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
625	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
626	2.65	Field 2.65 is characterised by a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology
627	2.66	Field 2.66 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features in the western half of the field and ferrous points
628	2.66	Field 2.66 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features in the western half of the field and ferrous points
629	2.66	Field 2.66 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features in the western half of the field and ferrous points
630	2.66	Field 2.66 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features in the western half of the field and ferrous points
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637	2.66	Field 2.66 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features in the western half of the field and ferrous points
638	2.69	Field 2.69 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
639	2.69	Field 2.69 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
640	2.69	Field 2.69 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
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644	2.69	Field 2.69 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
645	2.69	Field 2.69 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
646	2.70	Field 2.70 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.



Trench Number	Field Number	Summary of geophysical survey results
647	2.70	Field 2.70 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
648	2.70	Field 2.70 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible quarrying, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
649	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
650	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
651	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
652	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
653	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
654	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
655	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
656	2.71	Field 2.71 is characterised by a possible ring ditch, possible enclosure/boundary ditches, other possible archaeological features, possible quarrying, modern activity, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
657	2.72	Field 2.72 is characterised by a weak linear agricultural feature, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous spreads, ferrous points and natural geology.
658	2.74	Field 2.74 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.
659	2.74	Field 2.74 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.
660	2.74	Field 2.74 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.
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665	2.75	Field 2.75 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.



Trench Number	Field Number	Summary of geophysical survey results
666	2.75	Field 2.75 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.
667	2.75	Field 2.75 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.
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669	2.76	Field 2.76 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.
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672	2.76	Field 2.76 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and ferrous points.
673	2.77	Field 2.76 is characterised by a series of possible land drains and ferrous points.
674	2.77	Field 2.76 is characterised by a series of possible land drains and ferrous points.
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678	2.77	Field 2.76 is characterised by a series of possible land drains and ferrous points.
679	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.
680	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.
681	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.
682	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.
683	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.
684	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.
685	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.
686	2.79	Field 2.79 is characterised by possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.

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687	2.79	Field 2.79 is characterised by possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.
688	2.80	Field 2.80 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
689	2.80	Field 2.80 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
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695	2.80	Field 2.80 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
696	2.81	Field 2.81 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and possible quarrying.
697	2.81	Field 2.81 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and possible quarrying.
698	2.81	Field 2.81 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and possible quarrying.
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701	2.81	Field 2.81 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and possible quarrying.
702	2.82	Field 2.82 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
703	2.82	Field 2.82 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
704	2.82	Field 2.82 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
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707	2.82	Field 2.82 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
708	2.82	Field 2.82 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
709	2.82	Field 2.82 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
710	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
711	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.



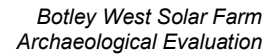
Trench Number	Field Number	Summary of geophysical survey results
712	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
713	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
714	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
715	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
716	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
717	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
718	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
719	2.84	Field 2.84 is characterised by 3 no. possible ring ditches, other possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible quarrying, a strong linear agricultural feature, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
720	2.86	Field 2.86 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
721	2.86	Field 2.86 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
722	2.86	Field 2.86 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
723	2.86	Field 2.86 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
724	2.86	Field 2.86 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
725	2.86	Field 2.86 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
726	2.87	Field 2.87 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
727	2.87	Field 2.87 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
728	2.88	Field 2.88 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
729	2.88	Field 2.88 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
730	2.78	Field 2.78 is characterised by a possible rectangular structure (2.78a), a possible ditched enclosure (2.78b), a possible ring ditch (2.78c), a possible ditch like feature, a series of linear agricultural features and natural geology.



Trench Number	Field Number	Summary of geophysical survey results
731	2.88	Field 2.88 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
732	2.88	Field 2.88 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
733	2.88	Field 2.88 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
734	2.88	Field 2.88 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
735	2.88	Field 2.88 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and extensive possible quarrying.
736	2.89	Field 2.89 is characterised by a series of ferrous points, an uncertain feature and natural geology.
737	2.89	Field 2.89 is characterised by a series of ferrous points, an uncertain feature and natural geology.
738	2.89	Field 2.89 is characterised by a series of ferrous points, an uncertain feature and natural geology.
739	2.89	Field 2.89 is characterised by a series of ferrous points, an uncertain feature and natural geology.
740	2.89	Field 2.89 is characterised by a series of ferrous points, an uncertain feature and natural geology.
741	2.89	Field 2.89 is characterised by a series of ferrous points, an uncertain feature and natural geology.
742	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
743	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
744	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
745	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
746	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
747	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
748	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
749	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
750	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
751	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
752	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.



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753	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
754	2.92	Field 2.92 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.92a-d), a possible ditched enclosure, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.
755	2.92.2	Field 2.92.2 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and ferrous spreads.
756	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
757	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
758	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
759	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
760	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
761	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
762	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
763	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
764	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
765	2.92.3	Field 2.92.3 is characterised by probable linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and extensive possible quarrying.
766	2.93	Field 2.93 is characterised by a series of ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.
767	2.94	Field 2.94 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.
768	2.94	Field 2.94 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.
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770	2.94	Field 2.94 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.
771	2.94	Field 2.94 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.
772	2.94	Field 2.94 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads and natural geology.
773	2.95	Field 2.95 is characterised by a series of possible ring ditches in the north, a series of both strong and weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, possible quarrying and natural geology.

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794	2.96	Field 2.96 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads, and a possible buried utility.
795	2.97	Field 2.97 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads.
796	2.97	Field 2.97 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads.
797	2.97	Field 2.97 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads.
798	2.97	Field 2.97 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads.
799	2.97	Field 2.97 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads.
800	2.97	Field 2.97 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads.
801	2.97	Field 2.97 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, ferrous spreads.
802	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
803	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
804	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
805	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
806	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
807	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
808	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
809	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
810	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
811	2.98	Field 2.98 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
812	2.99	Field 2.99 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and possible buried utilities.
813	2.99	Field 2.99 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and possible buried utilities.
814	2.99	Field 2.99 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and possible buried utilities.
815	2.99	Field 2.99 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and possible buried utilities.
816	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
817	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
818	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.



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819	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
820	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
821	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
822	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
823	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
824	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
825	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
826	2.100	Field 2.100 is characterised by a possible ring ditch in the south, a series of weak linear agricultural features, two strong agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
827	2.101	Field 2.101 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
828	2.101	Field 2.101 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
829	2.101	Field 2.101 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
830	2.101	Field 2.101 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
831	2.101	Field 2.101 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
832	2.102	Field 2.102 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
833	2.102	Field 2.102 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
834	2.102	Field 2.102 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
835	2.102	Field 2.102 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
836	2.102	Field 2.102 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
837	2.102	Field 2.102 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
838	2.103	Field 2.103 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
839	2.103	Field 2.103 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
840	2.103	Field 2.103 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
841	2.103	Field 2.103 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
842	2.103	Field 2.103 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.



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843	2.103	Field 2.103 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
844	2.103	Field 2.103 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points, natural geology and a possible buried utility.
845	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
846	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
847	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
848	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
849	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
850	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
851	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
852	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
853	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
854	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
855	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
856	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
857	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
858	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear



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		enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
859	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
860	2.104	Field 2.104 is characterised by a probable large sub-circular enclosure, a possible banjo enclosure, probable ring ditches, a probable rectilinear enclosure, other possible linear archaeological features, a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
861	2.105	Field 2.105 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and natural geology.
862	2.105	Field 2.105 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and natural geology.
863	2.105	Field 2.105 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and natural geology.
864	2.106	Field 2.106 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and natural geology.
865	2.106	Field 2.106 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and natural geology.
866	2.106	Field 2.106 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and natural geology.
867	2.106	Field 2.106 is characterised by a series of ferrous points and natural geology.
868	2.108	Field 2.108 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
869	2.108	Field 2.108 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
870	2.108	Field 2.108 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
871	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
872	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
873	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
874	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
875	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
876	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and



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		east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
877	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
878	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
879	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
880	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
881	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
882	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
883	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
884	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
885	2.110	Field 2.110 is characterised by a plethora of probable ring ditches in the southwestern part of the field, additional ring ditches to the northeast and east, possible enclosure or boundary ditches, a series of weak linear agricultural features, a strong linear agricultural feature, ferrous points and natural geology.
886	2.111	Field 2.111 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.111a), a series of weak linear agricultural features, intermittent strong linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
887	2.111	Field 2.111 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.111a), a series of weak linear agricultural features, intermittent strong linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
888	2.111	Field 2.111 is characterised by 4 no. possible ring ditches (2.111a), a series of weak linear agricultural features, intermittent strong linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.



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889	2.112	Field 2.112 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, strong linear agricultural features, ferrous points, a ferrous spread and natural geology.
890	2.112	Field 2.112 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, strong linear agricultural features, ferrous points, a ferrous spread and natural geology.
891	2.112	Field 2.112 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, strong linear agricultural features, ferrous points, a ferrous spread and natural geology.
892	2.113	Field 2.113 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
893	2.113	Field 2.113 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
894	2.113	Field 2.113 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
895	2.113	Field 2.113 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and ferrous points.
896	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
897	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
898	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
899	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
900	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
901	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
902	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
903	2.114	Field 2.114 is characterised by strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
904	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
905	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
906	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
907	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
908	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
909	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.



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910	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
911	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
912	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
913	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
914	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
915	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
916	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
917	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
918	2.115	Field 2.115 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, possible curvilinear archaeological features, possible linear archaeological features, strong linear agricultural features, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous points and natural geology.
919	2.118	Field 2.118 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains, ferrous points and natural geology.
920	2.118	Field 2.118 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains, ferrous points and natural geology.
921	2.118	Field 2.118 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains, ferrous points and natural geology.
922	2.118	Field 2.118 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains, ferrous points and natural geology.
923	2.118	Field 2.118 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains, ferrous points and natural geology.
924	2.118	Field 2.118 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains, ferrous points and natural geology.
925	2.118	Field 2.118 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains, ferrous points and natural geology.
926	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
927	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.



Trench Number	Field Number	Summary of geophysical survey results
928	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
929	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
930	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
931	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
932	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
933	2.120	Field 2.120 is characterised by a possible linear archaeological feature, a strong agricultural linear, a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
934	2.60	Field 2.60 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
935	2.60	Field 2.60 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
936	2.60	Field 2.60 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
937	2.60	Field 2.60 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
938	2.60	Field 2.60 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
939	2.60	Field 2.60 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
940	2.60	Field 2.60 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, ferrous point and natural geology.
941	2.57	Field 2.57 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
942	2.57	Field 2.57 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
943	2.57	Field 2.57 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features and natural geology.
944	2.58	Field 2.58 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and natural geology.
945	2.58	Field 2.58 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and natural geology.
946	2.58	Field 2.58 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and natural geology.
947	2.58	Field 2.58 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and natural geology.
948	2.58	Field 2.58 is characterised by a series of weak linear agricultural features, possible land drains and natural geology.
949	2.59	Field 2.59 is characterised by a possible ditched enclosure, a possible archaeological linear, other possible archaeological features and a series of weak linear agricultural features.



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Appendix 3 Environmental Data

Table 10 Assessment of the environmental evidence

Scale of abundance: C = <5, B = 5–10, A = 10–30, A* = 30–100, A** = 100–500, A*** = >500; Bioturbation proxies: Roots (%), Uncharred seeds (scale of abundance), E = earthworm eggs, I = insects; Sab/f = small animal/fish bones, CAM = charred amorphous remains, Moll-t = terrestrial molluscs,

Phase	Feature Type	Feature	Context	Sample Code	Sample vol. (l)	Flot vol. (ml)	Bioturbation proxies	Grain	Chaff	Cereal Notes	Charred Other	Charred Other Notes	Charcoal >2mm (ml)	Other
BA/ IA	Ditch	87406	87407	297670_2	40	50	modern roots, modern cereal straw A*, millipedes C, <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> B, modern seeds C, modern beetle wing C	A	A	Triticeae, <i>Hordeum</i> sp., Triticum, grain fragments, glume bases, <i>T. spelta</i> glume base	B	<i>Corylus avellana</i> shell fragments, Poaceae, <i>Carex</i> sp., <i>Vicia/Lathyrus</i> sp., <i>Montia fontana</i> <i>Poa/Phleum</i> sp., Trifolieae	3	uncharred bone fragments A*, burnt bone fragments A*, sab A
BA/ IA	Ditch	77709	77710	297670_102	28	100	modern roots, E C, modern seeds A, <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A**, modern beetle A, puparia A,	B	-	Triticeae, <i>Triticum</i> cf. <i>dicoccum</i>	C	CAM	32	bone fragments A**, sab A, moll-t A
Beaker	Pit	75012	75013	297670_51	0.65	1	modern roots (80%), <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A, I B, insect eggs B	-	-		-	-	-	-
Beaker	Pit	75010	75011	297670_52	0.5	1	modern roots (50%), <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A*, I B,	-	-		-	-	-	moll-t C



Phase	Feature Type	Feature	Context	Sample Code	Sample vol. (l)	Flot vol. (ml)	Bioturbation proxies	Grain	Chaff	Cereal Notes	Charred Other	Charred Other Notes	Charcoal >2mm (ml)	Other
Beaker	Pit	75014	75015	297670_53	1	1	modern roots (70%), <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A	-	-		-	-	-	moll-t C
Beaker	Pit	75014	75015	297670_54	1	2	modern roots (50%), <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> B	-	-		-	-	-	-
Beaker	Pit	75010	75011	297670_55	1	3	modern roots (95%), <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> B	-	-		-	-	-	moll-t C
IA	Curvilinear	64602	64603	297670_150	28	8	modern roots, modern cereal straw A, possibly modern beetle fragments B, modern seeds C, <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A*, E C, insect eggs A*, mites C	C	B	Triticeae, and fragments of grain, glume bases and <i>T. spelta</i> glume bases	-	-	1	moll-t A
IA/RB	Ditch	87404	87405	297670_1	40	70	<i>Cecilioides acicula</i> C, modern rooting (15%), modern cereal straw A, millipedes C, insect eggs A*, beetle C, modern seeds C	A	A	<i>Triticum/Hordeum</i> sp., Triticeae, cereal frags, <i>Triticum aestivum</i> / <i>turgidum</i> , <i>Triticum</i> sp., <i>Hordeum</i> sp., <i>Triticum</i> cf. <i>dicoccum</i> , glume bases	B	<i>Lathyrus/Vicia</i> sp, Poaceae indet. <i>Rumex</i> sp, Trifoliae, <i>Silene</i> sp.	12	bone fragments C, sab B, moll-t C
IA/RB	Ditch	77703	77704	297670_100	28	75	modern straw A*, modern roots 30%, modern seeds A, <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A*	B	-	<i>Triticum/Hordeum</i> sp.	C	<i>Corylus avellana</i> shell fragment	12	burnt bone fragments C, bone frags A*, sab A*, slag A, moll-t A*
IA/RB	Ditch	77705	77706	297670_101	16	70	modern roots A**, modern straw B, <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A**, modern millipede	C	-	Triticeae, cereal frags, cf <i>Hordeum</i> sp.,	A*	<i>Corylus avellana</i> shell fragments A*, Poaceae indet.,	16	burnt bone fragments C, bone fragments A*, slag C



Phase	Feature Type	Feature	Context	Sample Code	Sample vol. (l)	Flot vol. (ml)	Bioturbation proxies	Grain	Chaff	Cereal Notes	Charred Other	Charred Other Notes	Charcoal >2mm (ml)	Other
							C, insect eggs C, modern seeds C					<i>Lathyrus/Vicia</i> spp.,		
Prehistoric	Cremation grave	85604	85605	297670_3		375	modern straw A*, modern roots 1%, E B, modern seeds B, <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A*	-	-		B	CAM	100	calcined bone A**,
Prehistoric	Cremation	85604	85605	297670_4,5,6,8	10.8									
Prehistoric	Cremation	85604	85605	297670_7	3.6	150	E C, <i>Cecilioides acicula</i> A*	-	-				35	moll-t C
Prehistoric	Cremation	85604	85605	297670_8	4									
Prehistoric	Ditch	85703	85704	297670_155	12	20	modern roots (30%), modern cereal straw,	B	A	<i>Hordeum</i> sp., <i>Avena</i> sp., <i>Triticum</i> sp. <i>Triticum/Hordeum</i> sp., Triticeae, glume bases	C	<i>Corylus avellana</i> shell frag C, Poaceae C	2	bone fragments A*, moll-t C
RB	Pit	67904	67905	297670_151	15	3	modern roots (95%)	-	-		C	Poaceae, <i>Vicia/Lathyrus</i> sp., Trifolieae, <i>Phleum</i> sp, <i>Tripleurospermum inodorum</i>	-	moll-t B



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RB	Pit	67904	67906	297670_152	16	4	modern roots (75%), modern cereal straw B, modern seeds C	-	-		-	-	-	moll-t B
RB	Pit	67904	67907	297670_153	29	20	modern roots (90%)	-	-		C	Poaceae C	<1	moll-t A*
RB	Pit	67904	67908	297670_154	34	40	modern roots (70%), modern straw A, modern seeds A, modern millipedes C	A	C	cereal fragments, <i>T. spelta</i> glume base	B	<i>Lathyrus/Vicia</i> sp. C, small Poaceae C, Trifolieae C, <i>Rumex</i> sp. C,	5	moll-t B
RB	Ditch	69307	69304	297670_156	33	75	Modern seeds C, modern leaves C, Modern roots (<1%), modern cereal straw A	-	-		-		1	moll-t C

Appendix 4 Data management plan

Section 1: Project administration/details

Project name
Botley West Solar Farm
Wessex Archaeology project number(s)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">297670
External references
<ul style="list-style-type: none">OASIS ID(s): wessexar1-527314Local Planning Authority and planning reference(s): Oxfordshire County Council - Development Consent Order (DCO) in preparationMuseum and accession number: Oxfordshire County Museum Service – accession number OXCMS: 2024.100
Project description
<p>Wessex Archaeology has been commissioned by SolarFive Ltd. ('the client'), to undertake an archaeological evaluation of a 556 ha parcel of land located to the west of Cassington and to the east of Church Hanborough, Oxfordshire. The evaluation area extends from NGR 443639, 213718 in the north to NGR 444711, 210331 in the south.</p> <p>An application is being prepared for a Development Consent Order (DCO) for a renewable energy generating station comprising ground-mounted photovoltaic solar arrays together with inverter units, substation, site accesses, internal access tracks, security measures, access gates, other ancillary infrastructure and landscaping and biodiversity enhancements (the Project) on land within parts of the administrative districts of West Oxfordshire, Cherwell and Vale of White Horse, all in Oxfordshire (the Project Site).</p> <p>The Project Site is located to the west and north-west of Oxford and is divided into three main areas – the Northern, Central and Southern Sites - with a total area of approximately 1,300 ha. and with the proposed area of installed panels (excluding internal roads and support areas) of approximately 889 ha. These three areas are connected by a 275 kV cable route linking the power generating assets to a new National Grid Electricity Transmission (NGET) 400 kV substation which will be located within or adjacent to the Southern Site.</p> <p>This evaluation pertains only to the western portion of the Central Site (Central West). The evaluation will comprise the excavation, investigation and recording of 349 trial trenches (each measuring 50 m by 1.8 m), equating to a 0.6% sample of the proposed development area.</p>
Client
SolarFive Ltd 2 West Street Henley on Thames RG9 2DU
Project manager
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Fieldwork: Bruce Eaton, senior project manager, Wessex ArchaeologyPost-excavation: Bruce Eaton, senior project manager, Wessex Archaeology
Principal investigator/researcher
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Site director: Matt Kendall, project officer, Wessex Archaeology & Vix Hughes, senior project officer, Wessex ArchaeologyPrincipal report writer: Vix Hughes, senior project officer, Wessex Archaeology & Ray Holt, senior regional support officer, Wessex Archaeology

Data contact person		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jess Irwin, Senior Archives Officer, Wessex Archaeology 		
Version control		
Issue	Date	Description/summary of revisions
1	08/08/2024	DMP created
2	16/10/2025	Revised at project reporting stage
3	tbc	Revised at archiving stage
Related documents, data management policies and guidance		
<p>Project design/project-specific documentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wessex Archaeology 2024. Botley West Solar Farm, Central West. Oxfordshire. <i>Specification for Archaeological Evaluation</i>. Unpublished report ref. 297670.01. RPS, 2024. Botley West Solar Farm, Oxfordshire: Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI) for a programme of archaeological evaluation, June 2024. 		
<p>Wessex Archaeology guidance, standards, policy and procedures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fieldwork/recording manuals Survey guide Photography guide Context/finds/environmental database and software user guides Style guide for reporting Archive preparation manual Project Management System end user manual Project Management System project management and accounting manual Quality Management System (QMS) policy, manual and process procedures Data protection and security policy and procedures (https://www.wessexarch.co.uk/our-privacy-policy) Data policies and procedures Copyright and Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) policy/procedures 		
<p>External/national standards and guidance</p> <p>This DMP has been compiled with reference to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Archaeology Data Service [ADS] 2013. <i>Caring for Digital Data in Archaeology: a guide to good practice</i>. Archaeology Data Service & Digital Antiquity Guides to Good Practice. Oxford: Oxbow Books. Archaeology Data Service [ADS] 2023. <i>Selection and appraisal of data</i>, https://archaeologydataservice.ac.uk/help-guidance/how-to-prepare-data/selection-guidance/ (accessed 10/12/2023). Brown, D. H. 2011. <i>Archaeological Archives: A guide to best practice in creation, compilation, transfer, and curation</i> (2nd edition). Reading: Institute of Field Archaeologists/Archaeological Archives Forum. 		

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Section 2: Data collection/creation

Data to be collected/created		
Data types that may be collected/created as part of this project are tabulated below. Detail on data types/formats/quantities intended for deposition will be added to this DMP as the project progresses; archive quantities will be specified prior to deposition.		
Type	Format	Archive quantity
Digital pro forma site records (context sheets, environmental sample records, trench sheets etc)	PDF (deposited in .pdf and converted to .pdf/a by ADS)	1–5 objects (average size <100 MB; compiled as digital security copies)
Spreadsheets (stratigraphic/contextual data, specialist data tables, metadata tables etc)	MS Excel (.xlsx, deposited in .xlsx and converted to .csv by ADS) and/or .csv	1–5 objects (<50 MB total)
Spatial/survey data	ESRI shapefile (.shp, .shx and .dbf, plus associated files)	1–3 files (<100 MB total)
Site photographs (record, working and condition monitoring)	Raster image file (.jpeg)	1016 objects (average size 1 MB)

Digital security copy scans of site permatrace drawings (plan and section drawings)	Raster image file (.tiff or .jpeg)	167 objects (average size <60 MB)
Digital security copy scans of paper site registers/records (context index, finds and samples registers, photo register, drawing register etc)	PDF (deposited in .pdf and converted to .pdf/a by ADS)	5 objects (average size <1 MB)
Grey literature/client reports (e.g., Project Design/Written Scheme of Investigation, Post-excavation assessment and Updated Project Design) and individual specialist reports	MS Word (.docx, compiled and converted to .pdf at each issue, final versions deposited in .pdf and converted to .pdf/a by ADS)	1-3 objects (average size <100 MB)
Other specialist data (e.g., x-ray images, radiocarbon dating data and certificates, finds photographs)	Varies (typically doc.x, .xlsx, .csv, .pdf, .svg, .png, .jpeg, etc)	tbc prior to deposition

How data will be collected/created

Data standards, collection/creation methods, storage and file naming

Data will be collected/created in accordance with the Project Design and Wessex Archaeology's internal guidance, standards, policies and procedures, as informed by relevant best practice guidance and standards (see Section 1).

Wessex Archaeology uses standardised procedures for:

- data capture through site recording, survey and photography
- data processing and management
- post-excavation (e.g., specialist finds and environmental) data recording
- digital archive preparation (including metadata creation)

Data collected/created during the project will preferentially employ standardised file formats and be version controlled in accordance with Wessex Archaeology's standard procedures.

Standardised project folder structures are used to organise and compartmentalise project-specific data held on Wessex Archaeology's servers.

Standardised file naming conventions, which include unique identifiers, are used for site records and photographs, geospatial/survey data and project/client reports. For example:

- Context record: *WA_ProjectNumber_ContextNumber_Context_Record.pdf*
- Site photographs: *ProjectNumber_CameraNumber_Timestamp_ImageNumber.jpeg*
- Post-excavation assessment report: *ProjectNumber_SiteName_PXA.docx/.pdf*

To facilitate data sharing and promote long-term future re-use, deposition file formats will be of archival standard, open-source and accessible in nature (e.g., standardised, openly documented and, where possible, non-proprietary), following national guidance (see Section 1) and the requirements of the Trusted Digital Repository (see Section 6).

Quality Assurance

Wessex Archaeology is registered as an archaeological organisation with the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA) and fully endorses its *Code of Conduct* and *Regulations for Professional Conduct*.

Wessex Archaeology is an ISO 9001 accredited organisation (certificate number FS 606559), independently audited by the British Standard Institution (BSI), confirming the operation of a Quality Management System that complies with the requirements of ISO 9001:2015 – covering professional archaeological and heritage advice and services.

Project data is subject to quality control/checking at multiple stages, from collection/creation through to preparation of the archive for deposition, in accordance with Wessex Archaeology's Quality Management System (see Section 1).

Devices used in data collection are regularly maintained, calibrated and checked to ensure they are in full working order.

Section 3: Documentation and metadata

Documentation and metadata

Data collected/created as part of the project will preferentially employ standard formats that maximise opportunities for use and re-use (see Section 2).

Archived data will be accompanied by metadata in line with Archaeology Data Service (ADS) guidance. The metadata will be created automatically and/or manually during data collection/creation and preparation of the archive for deposition.

Where archives are suitable for ADS 'easy' deposition, Collection Level Metadata will be automatically applied on deposition from the associated OASIS record. A Collection Level Metadata Summary will be completed prior to deposition for projects requiring 'bespoke' ADS deposition; this will combine the overarching project details and a register of data types and number of objects included in the archive, along with all other archive components.

Metadata tables will be populated using the standard format for each data type as recommended by the ADS.

A catalogue documenting the contents of the physical and digital archive will be deposited with the Museum and Trusted Digital Repository (see Section 6).

Data documentation will meet the requirements of the Museum and Trusted Digital Repository.

Section 4: Ethics and legal compliance

Management of ethical, copyright and Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) issues

Wessex Archaeology has policies and procedures for dealing with personal information that meet the requirements of the *Data Protection Act 2018* (see Section 1). These detail what information Wessex Archaeology collects, the purpose of collecting this data, how it will be processed, stored, transferred and disposed of. Any sensitive data will be handled according to Wessex Archaeology data policy to ensure it is stored and transferred securely. The identity of individuals will be protected in line with the *General Data Protection Regulation* (GDPR). If required, data will be anonymised and redacted. Selection and retention of sensitive data for archival purposes will occur in consultation with the client and other relevant stakeholders. Confidential data will not be selected for archiving and will be handled as per contractual obligations.

The full copyright of the project archive will be retained by Wessex Archaeology under the *Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988* with all rights reserved. Formal agreement to include data from external specialists and contractors is secured on the engagement of the specialist or contractor. The project archive (including project reports) may contain material that is non-Wessex Archaeology copyright (e.g., Ordnance Survey, British Geological Survey, Crown Copyright), or the intellectual property of third parties, which Wessex Archaeology are able to provide for limited reproduction under the terms of our own copyright licences, but for which copyright itself is non-transferable by Wessex Archaeology. Users remain bound by the conditions of the *Copyright, Designs and Patents Act 1988* with regard to multiple copying and electronic dissemination of such material.

Deposit licences will be agreed with the Museum and Trusted Digital Repository (see Section 6) before data is deposited.

Permissions and/or licence agreements linked with data sharing (see Section 7) will form part of the project archive.

Section 5: Storage and backup

Data access, storage and backup

Risks to data security are managed in accordance with Wessex Archaeology's data policies and procedures (see Section 1).

Wessex Archaeology office networks are secured behind managed firewalls that are upgraded, updated, and reviewed on a regular basis. Access to data is strictly controlled through security rights, authentication complexity protocols and controlled access requests.

Collaboration with external parties, where required, will be enabled via data access and sharing protocols that do not jeopardise data security. External specialists and contractors will be provided only with necessary files/data, using permissions-based access.

Data storage and backup procedures used by Wessex Archaeology to manage and secure working project archives are integral to standard project data collection/creation methods; see details in Section 2.

Wessex Archaeology also implement various levels of backup and disaster recovery. Daily, weekly, monthly and annual backups and data replication are carried out. Wessex Archaeology is Cyber Essentials certificated.

Section 6: Selection and preservation

Data to be retained, shared and/or preserved

Not all digital data will be archived. In order to create a high quality, sustainable, concise and easily intelligible archive, all data will undergo a process of selection prior to deposition, as detailed in the project-specific Selection Strategy (see Section 1).

The Selection Strategy and DMP will be updated at project review points (e.g., at each stage of reporting and before deposition). Each iteration of the Selection Strategy and DMP will be finalised in agreement with the client and other project stakeholders. Where relevant, copies of the Selection Strategy and DMP will be included in project reports as appendices. The final versions of the Selection Strategy and DMP will be included in the deposited archive.

Selection will be informed by the Project Design (see Section 1), defined against the project research aims, regional and national research frameworks, specialist advice and the significance of the project results. The selected contents of the archive will be commensurate with their potential for re-use, future research and public benefit, and subject to any restrictions on data sharing (see Section 7) and considerations of financial and environmental sustainability.

Data selected for archiving will be converted to deposition file formats as required (see Section 2).

The data archive will be ordered, with files named and structured in a logical manner, and accompanied by relevant documentation and metadata, as outlined in Sections 2 and 3.

The project is expected to provide information suitable for inclusion in the Historic Environment Record (HER) (e.g., for the purposes of archaeological research or development control within the planning process).

With the agreement of project stakeholders, the data archive for projects with negative archaeological results will consist of the approved report(s) and a limited selection of images, deposited with ADS via OASIS.

Long-term preservation plan for the dataset

The digital archive will be deposited with the Archaeology Data Service (ADS), which is a Trusted Digital Repository with Core Trust Seal.

The physical archive will be transferred to the Oxfordshire County Museum Service. Copies of files forming part of the digital archive will also be transferred to the Museum on request.

Approved client/grey literature reports will be made available via OASIS and supplied directly, on request, to the Historic Environment Record (HER).

Contact with intended data repository

The ADS will be contacted prior to deposition of the digital archive where necessary (e.g., for projects requiring 'bespoke' deposition).

The Oxfordshire County Museum Service will be contacted to ascertain their requirements for the content and delivery of the archive.

Archiving costs

Archiving costs will be reviewed at appropriate stages during the creation and implementation of the (iterative) Project Design (see Section 1), and quotes obtained from the intended data repository where relevant.

The resources required to implement the archiving strategy agreed with project stakeholders will be subject to contractual arrangements.

Section 7: Data sharing and accessibility

Data sharing plan

The project results will be disseminated through grey literature/client reports and, where appropriate, publication – the format and scope of which will be agreed with the client and other project stakeholders as detailed in the relevant iteration of the Project Design (see Section 1). The location of the project archive will be included in grey literature/client reports and publications.

Subject to stakeholder agreement, the project results may also be shared via a range of accessible media and portals.

The ADS will disseminate the deposited digital archive under its Terms of Use and Access, data sharing guidelines and deposition licence, and the dataset will receive a unique identifier Digital Object Identifier (DOI).

An OASIS form will be completed for each phase of work associated with the project. Alternatively, details relating to individual phases of work will be collated under a single OASIS entry. The location(s) of the archive will be added to OASIS on deposition. Approved versions of client/grey literature reports will be uploaded to the associated OASIS record(s).

Digital copies of approved client/grey literature reports will be made available to the Historic Environment Record (HER) through OASIS. Geospatial/survey data forming part of the digital archive will be supplied, on request, to the HER.

Copies of files forming part of the digital archive will also be transferred to the Museum on request.

Data sharing restrictions

Data sharing will be subject to any restrictions identified in consultation with the client and other project stakeholders, e.g., those linked with client confidentiality, contractual obligations, commercial sensitivities, copyright/Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), legal compliance, ethical issues, security concerns and any other restrictions or sensitivities (see Section 4).

Exclusive use of the data may be required for limited periods where client approval is required, or longer term, dependent on the nature of sensitivities or restrictions identified with project stakeholders. A data sharing agreement (or equivalent) will be adhered to via a deposition licence. Agreed restrictions on data sharing will be documented through updates to the DMP and within the project archive.

Section 8: Responsibilities

Responsibilities

Project team

- Project manager(s): responsible for overseeing all aspects of the project from initiation to completion, including the implementation of the DMP and ensuring it is revised at relevant stages
- Project team members: responsible for data collection/creation, uploading/transfer and quality control (assured by the Project Manager)
- Core members of the project team are detailed in the Project Design (see Section 1)

Organisational-level responsibilities

- Archives team: responsible for preparation (including metadata production) and deposition of the project archive (including implementation of the approved Selection Strategy and DMP)

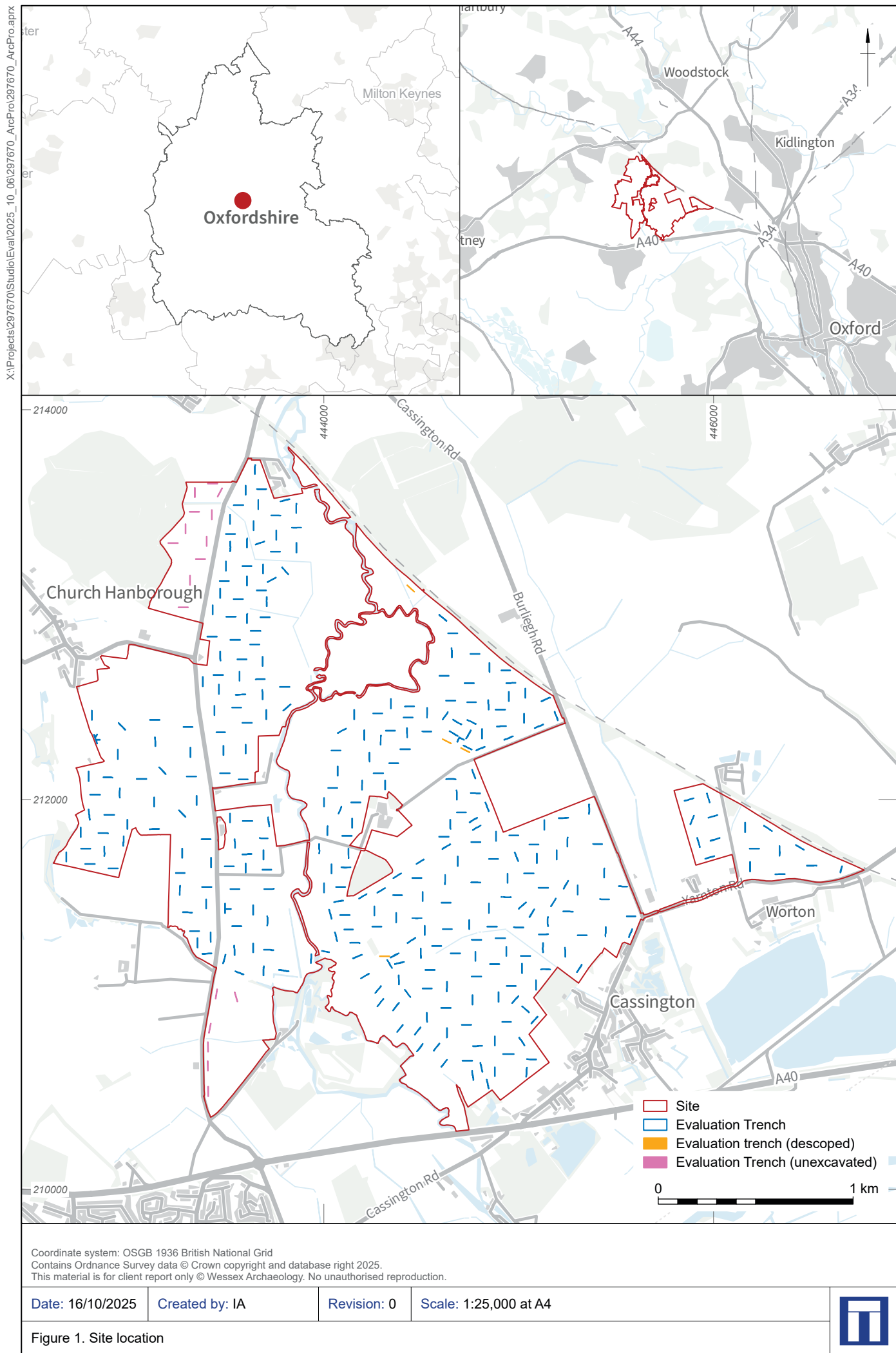


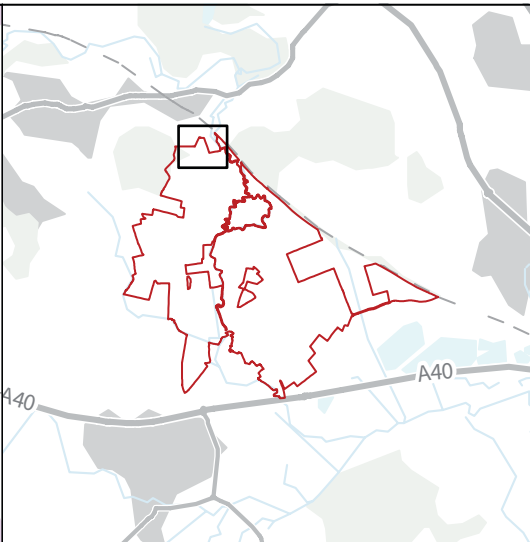
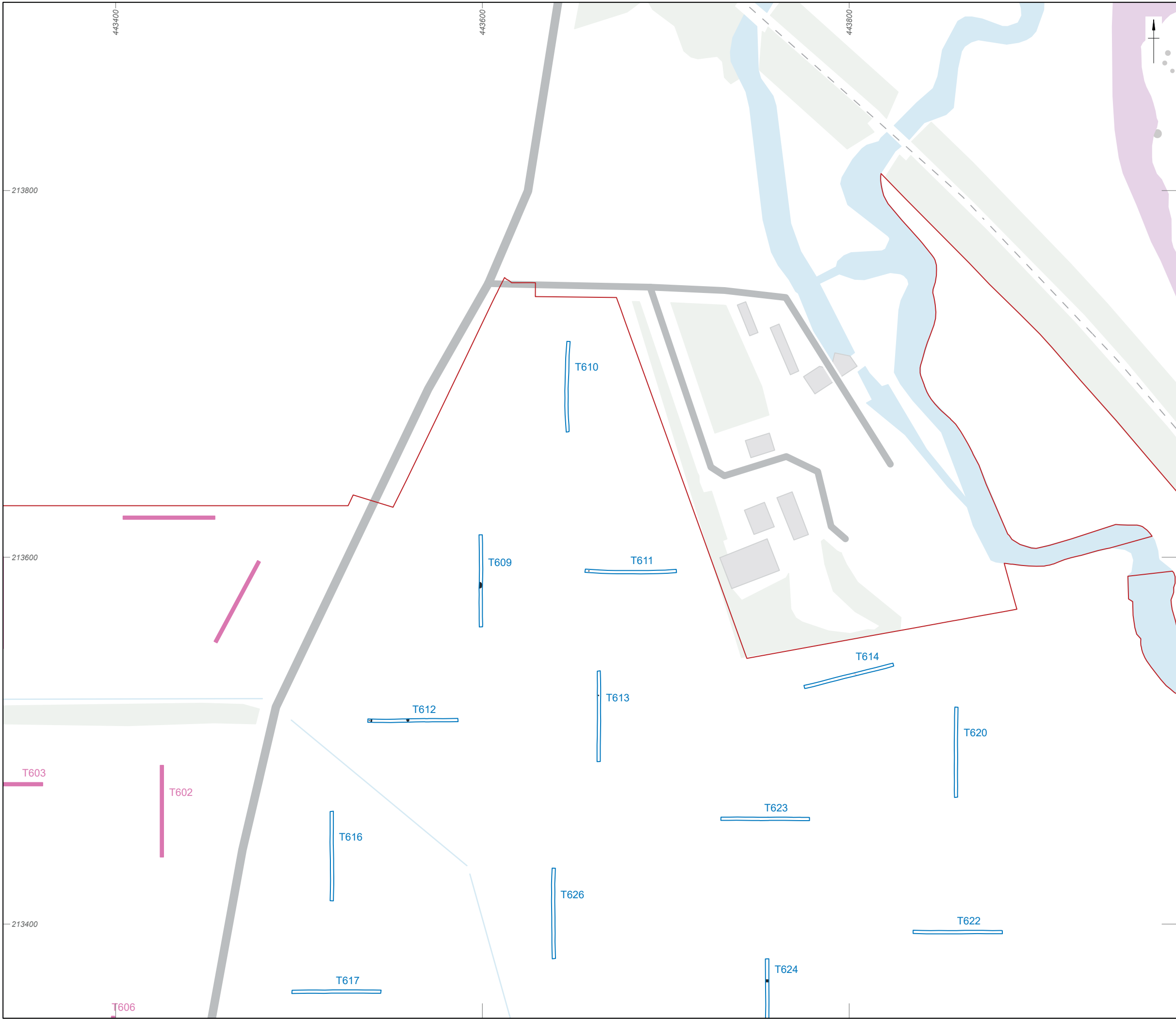
- Geomatics team: responsible for processing and quality control of geospatial (e.g., survey) and photogrammetric data, and maintenance of data collection equipment (e.g., cameras and survey instruments)
- IT team: responsible for development, maintenance/operation and support of the company's IT infrastructure (including data storage and backup facilities)



Appendix 5 OASIS summary

Oasis summary will be included in the final report on completion of the Finds report.





- Site
- Evaluation Trench
- Evaluation Trench (unexcavated)
- Archaeology
- Geology
- Geophysics
 - Ferrous
 - Natural

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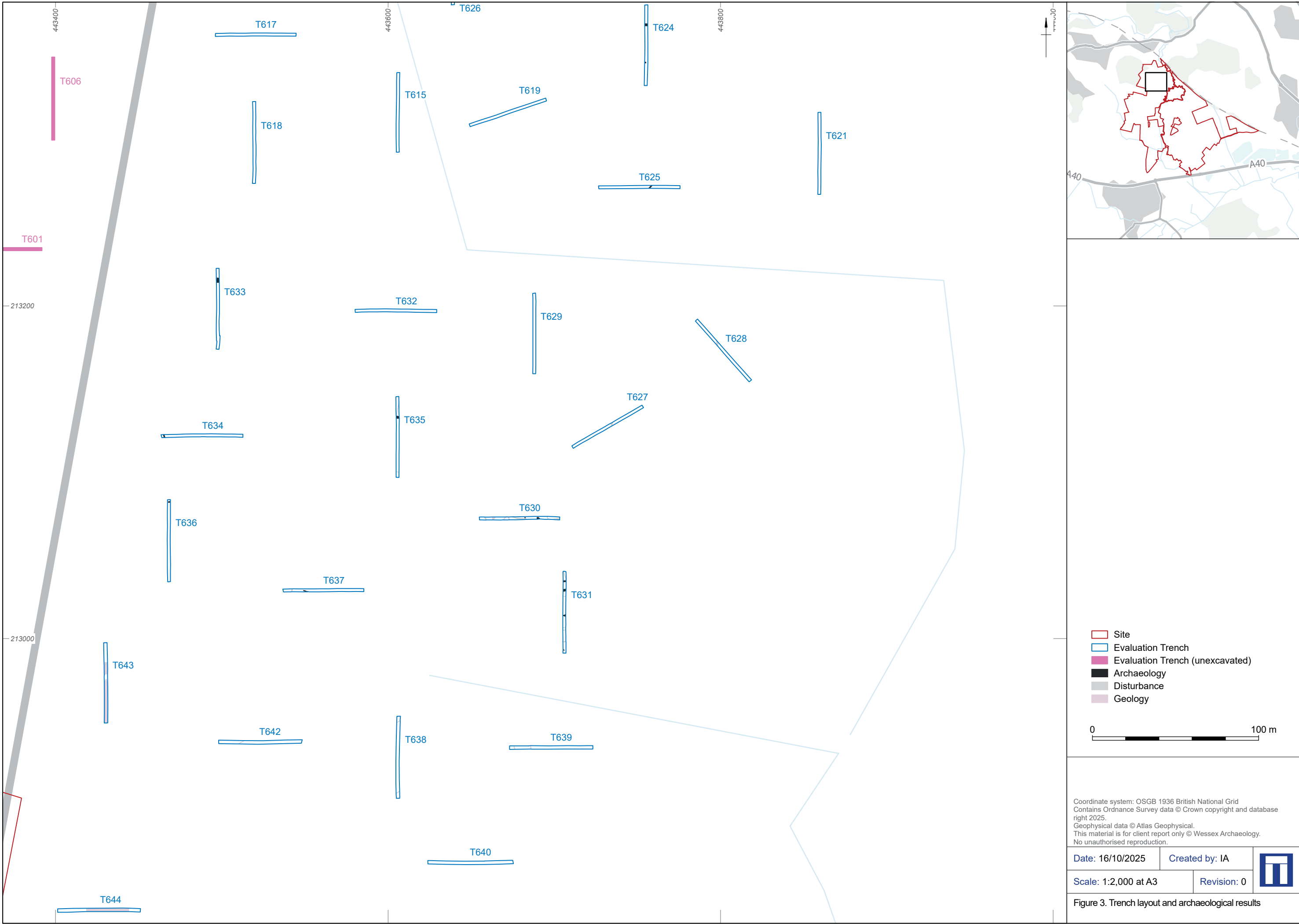
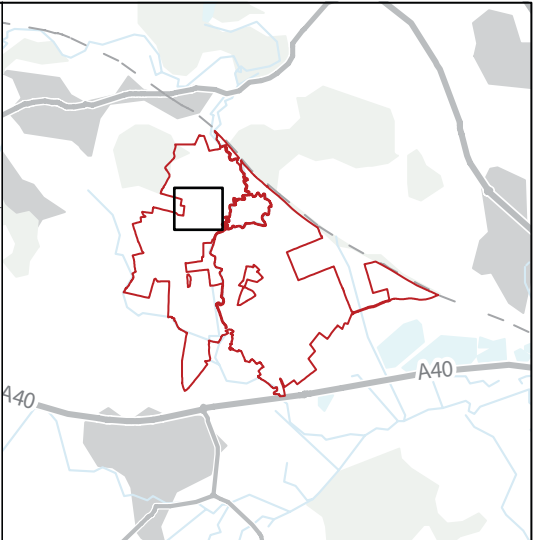
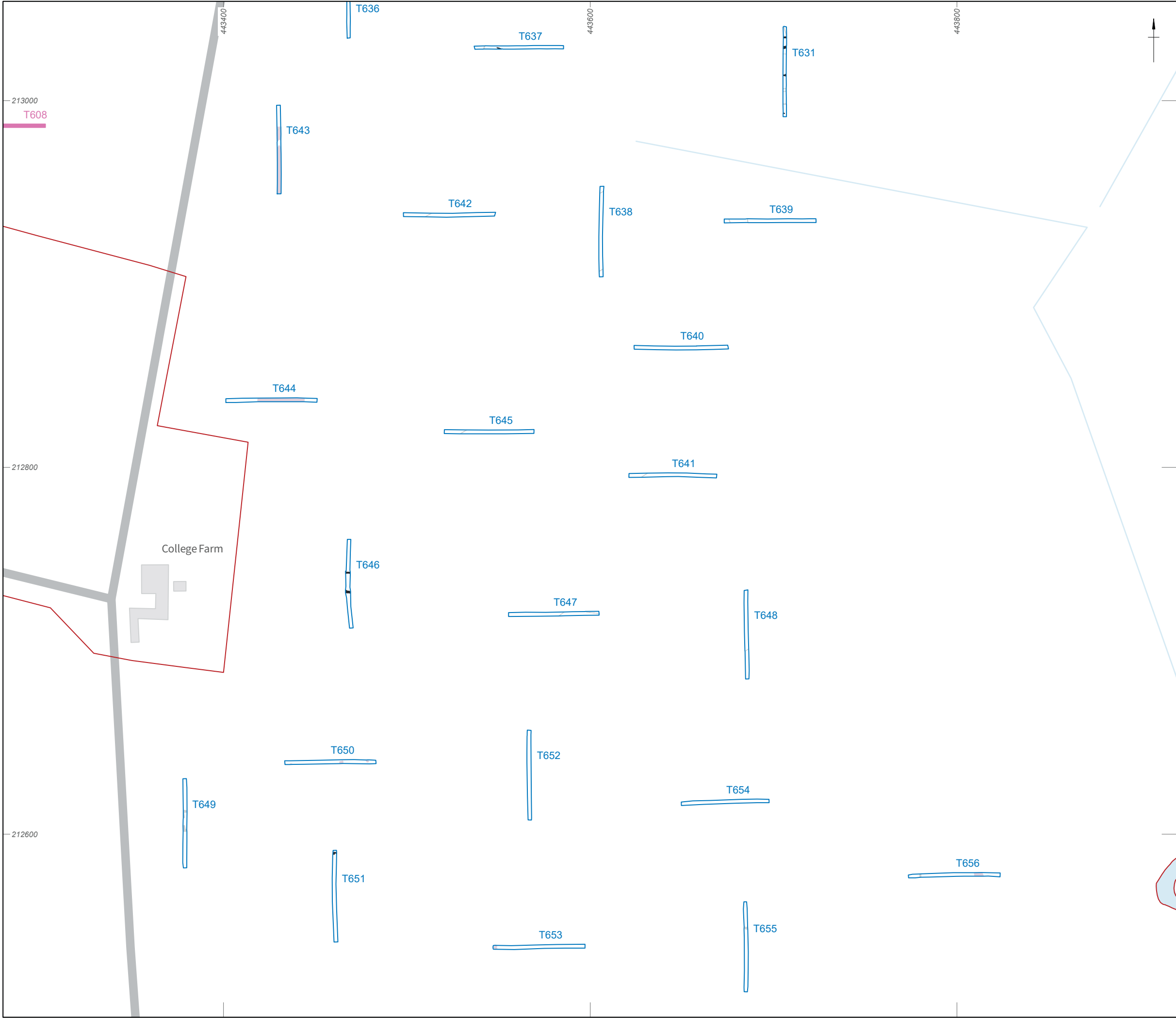
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Figure 2. Trench layout and archaeological results

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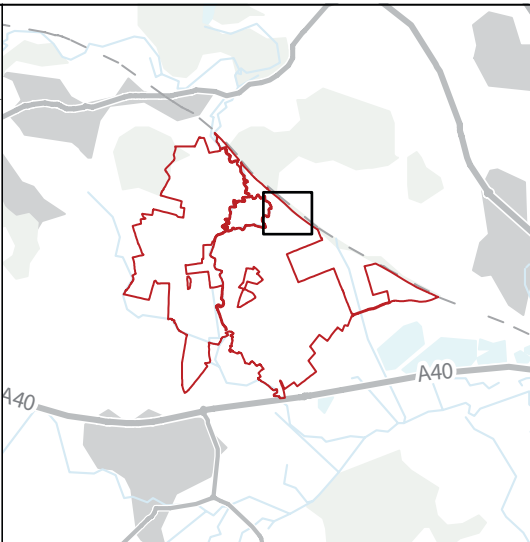
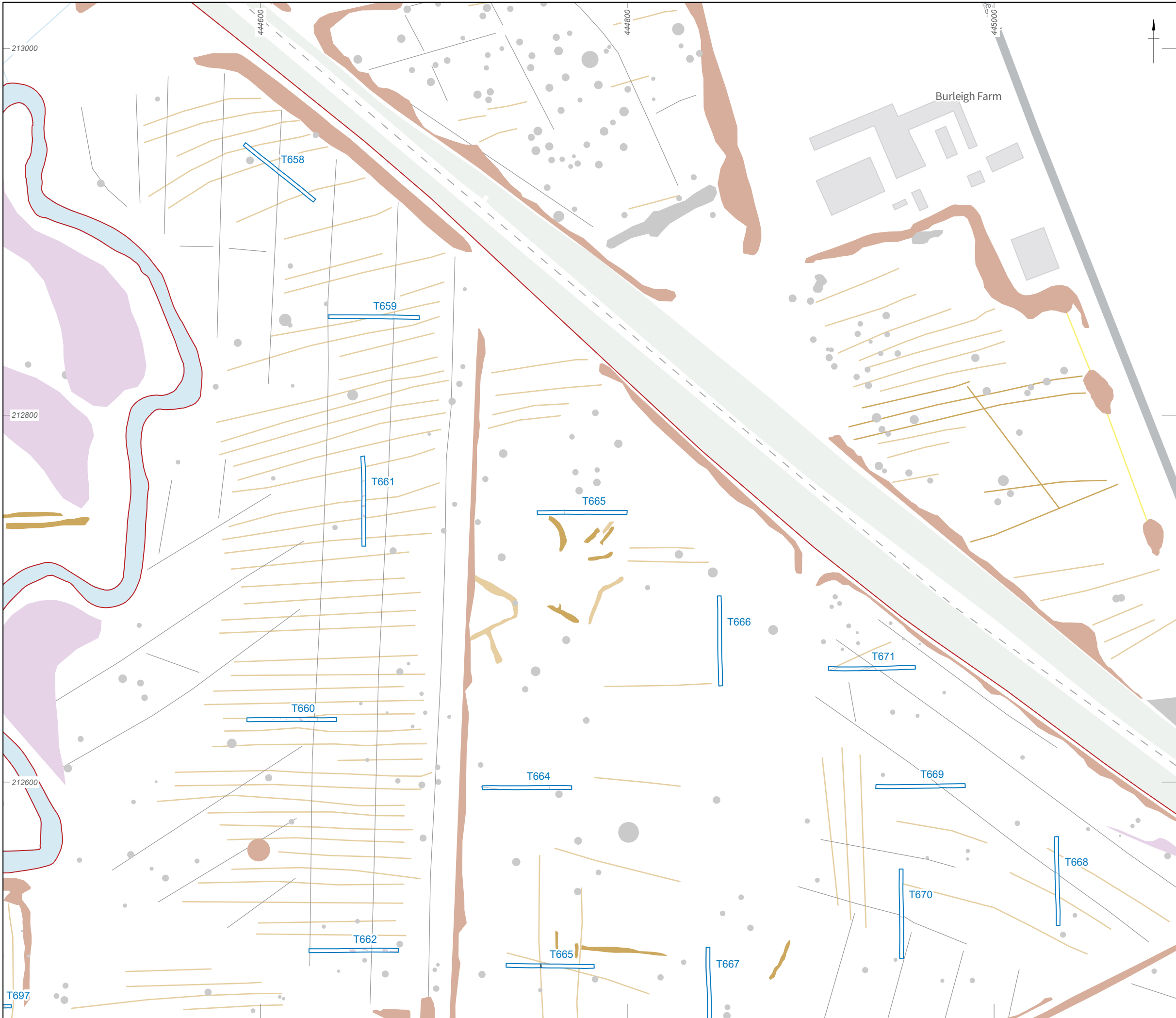
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Figure 4. Trench layout and archaeological results



- Site
- Evaluation Trench
- Archaeology
- Disturbance
- Geology
- Geophysics
 - Agricultural (Stong)
 - Agricultural (Weak)
 - Magnetic Interference
 - Ferrous
 - Natural
 - Agricultural (Stong)
 - Agricultural (Weak)
 - Possible Buried Utility
 - Land drain

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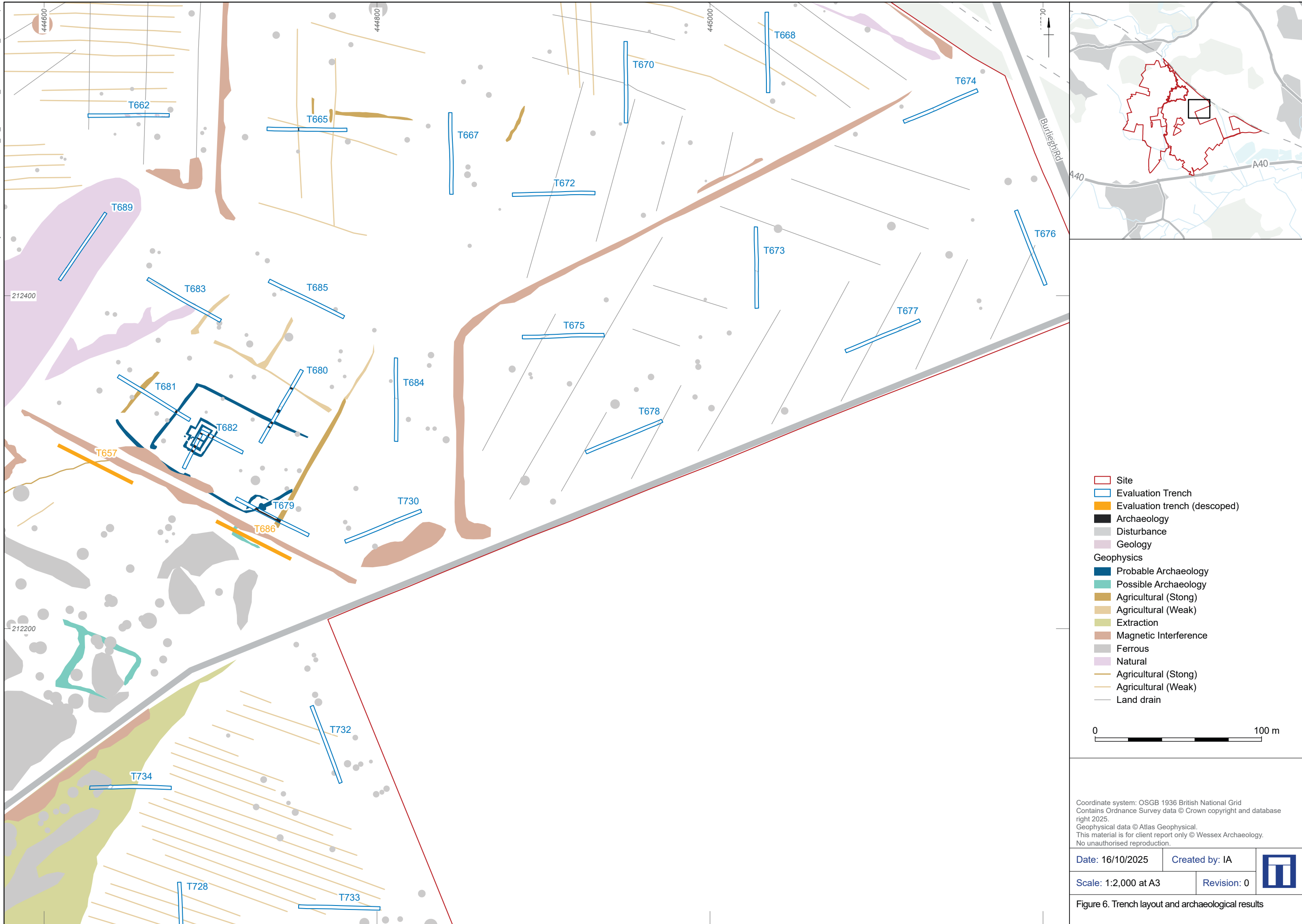
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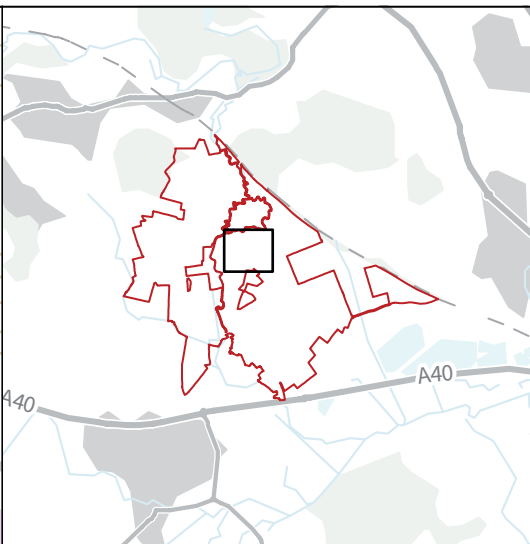
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- Site
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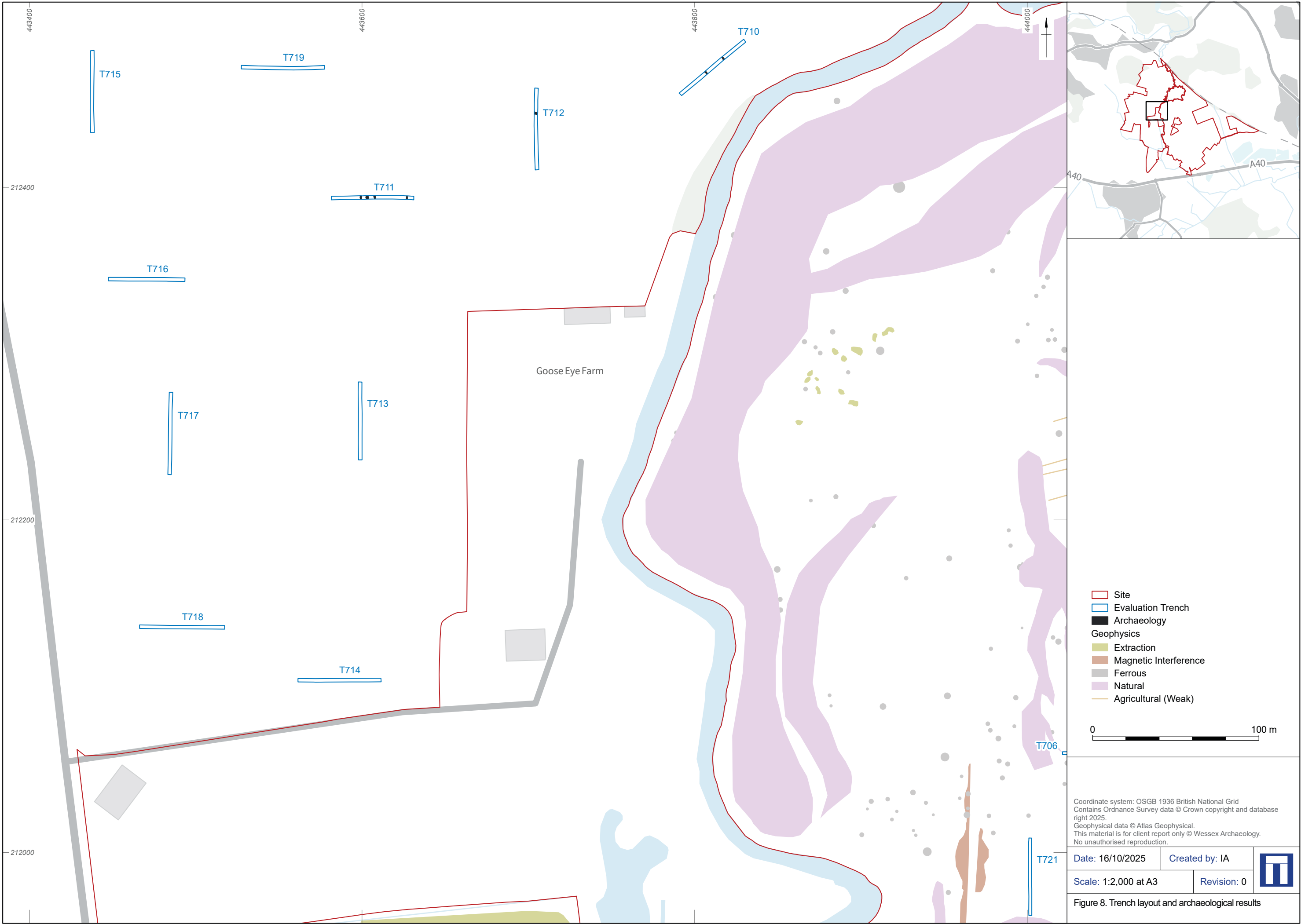
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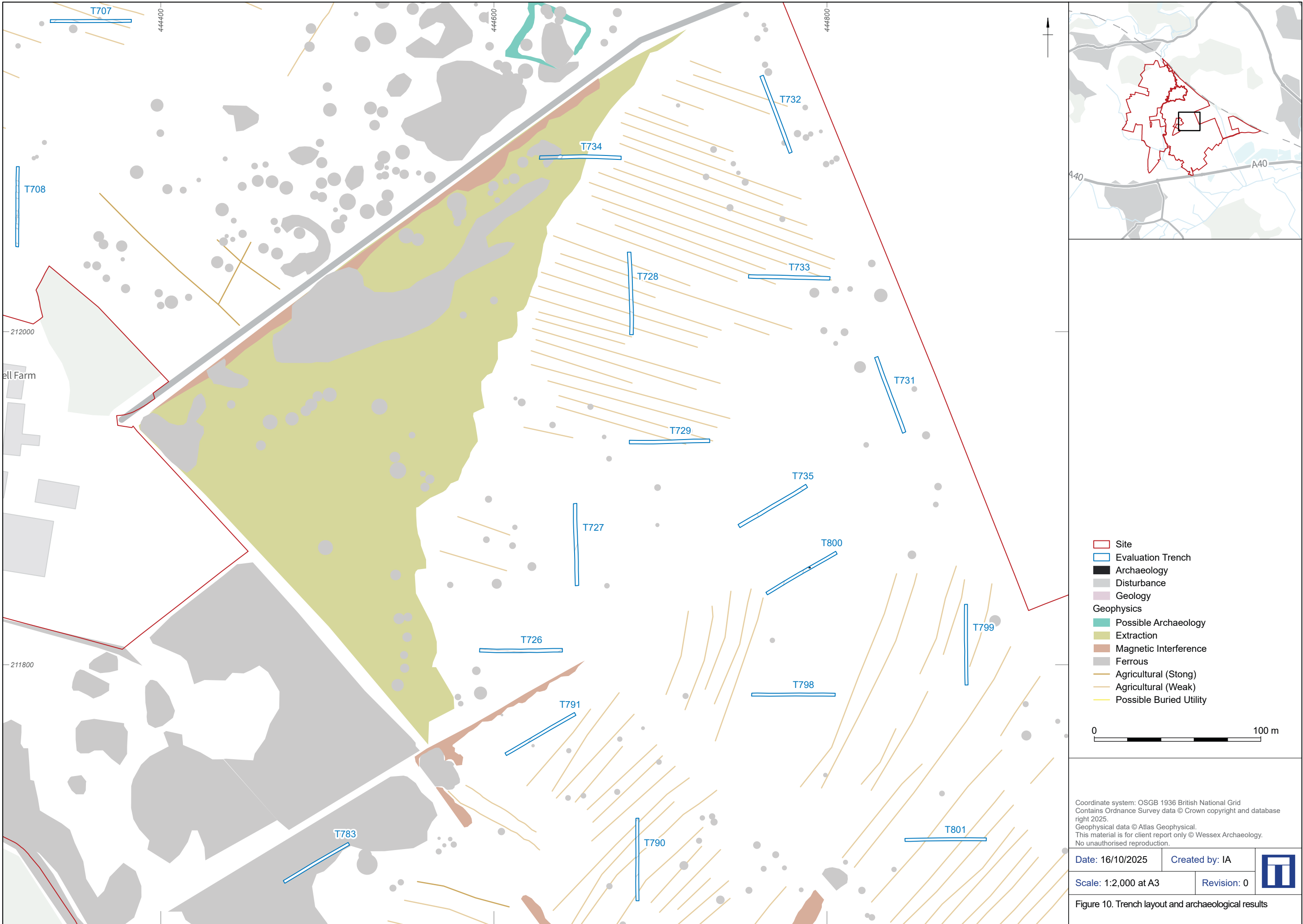
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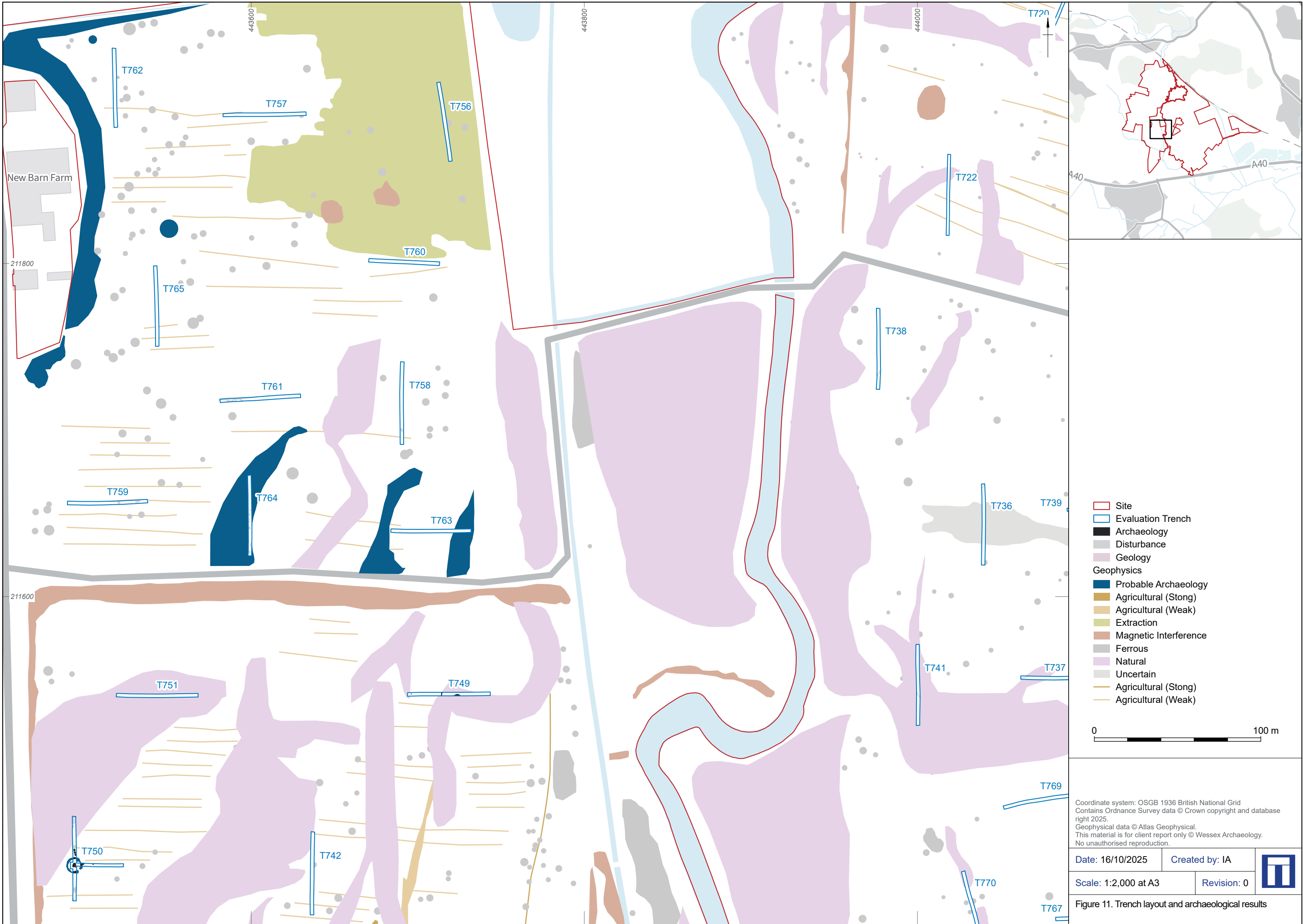






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- Evaluation Trench
- Archaeology
- Disturbance
- Geology
- Geophysics
 - Probable Archaeology
 - Agricultural (Stong)
 - Agricultural (Weak)
 - Extraction
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 - Ferrous
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 - Uncertain
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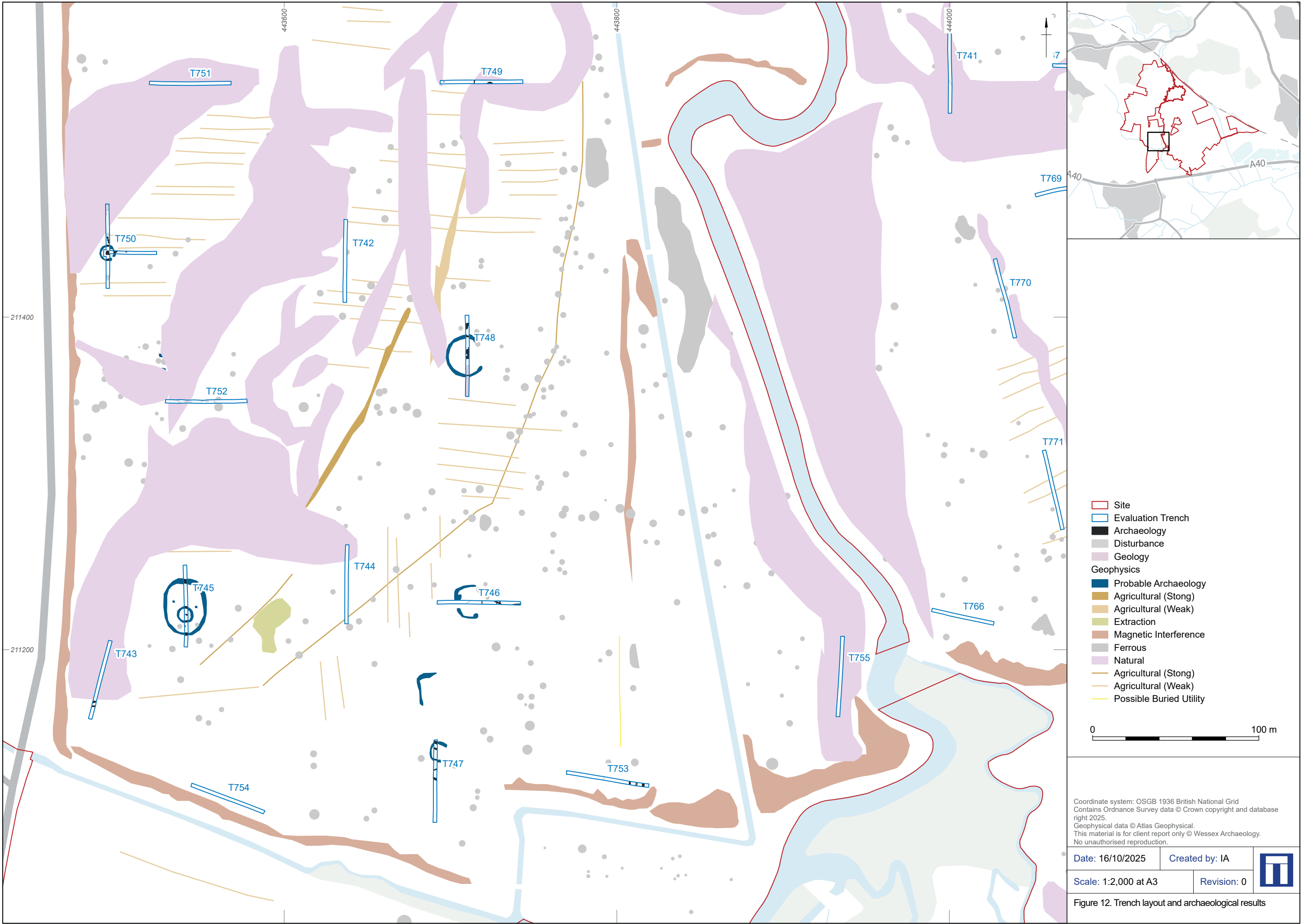
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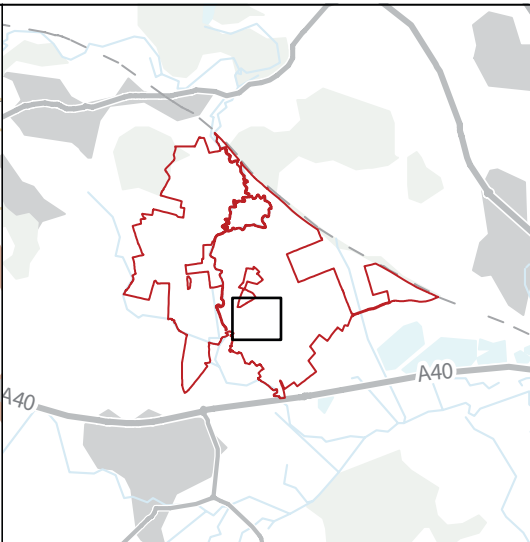
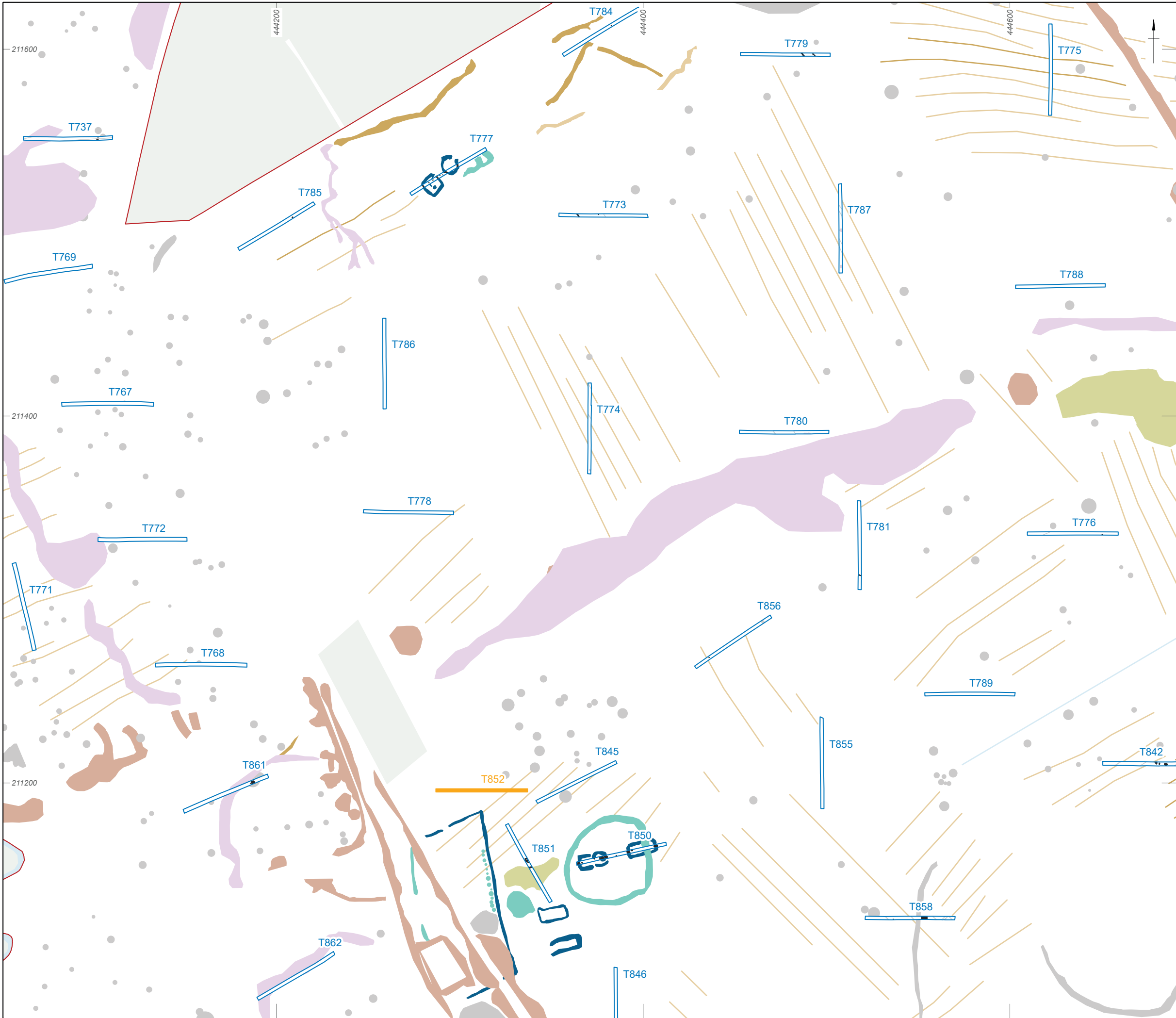
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Figure 11. Trench layout and archaeological results



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- Disturbance
- Geology
- Geophysics
 - Probable Archaeology
 - Possible Archaeology
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 - Agricultural (Weak)
 - Extraction
 - Magnetic Interference
 - Ferrous
 - Natural
 - Agricultural (Stong)
 - Agricultural (Weak)
 - Possible Buried Utility

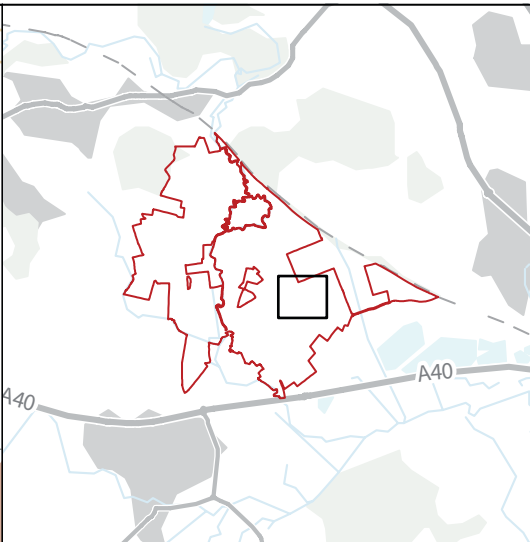
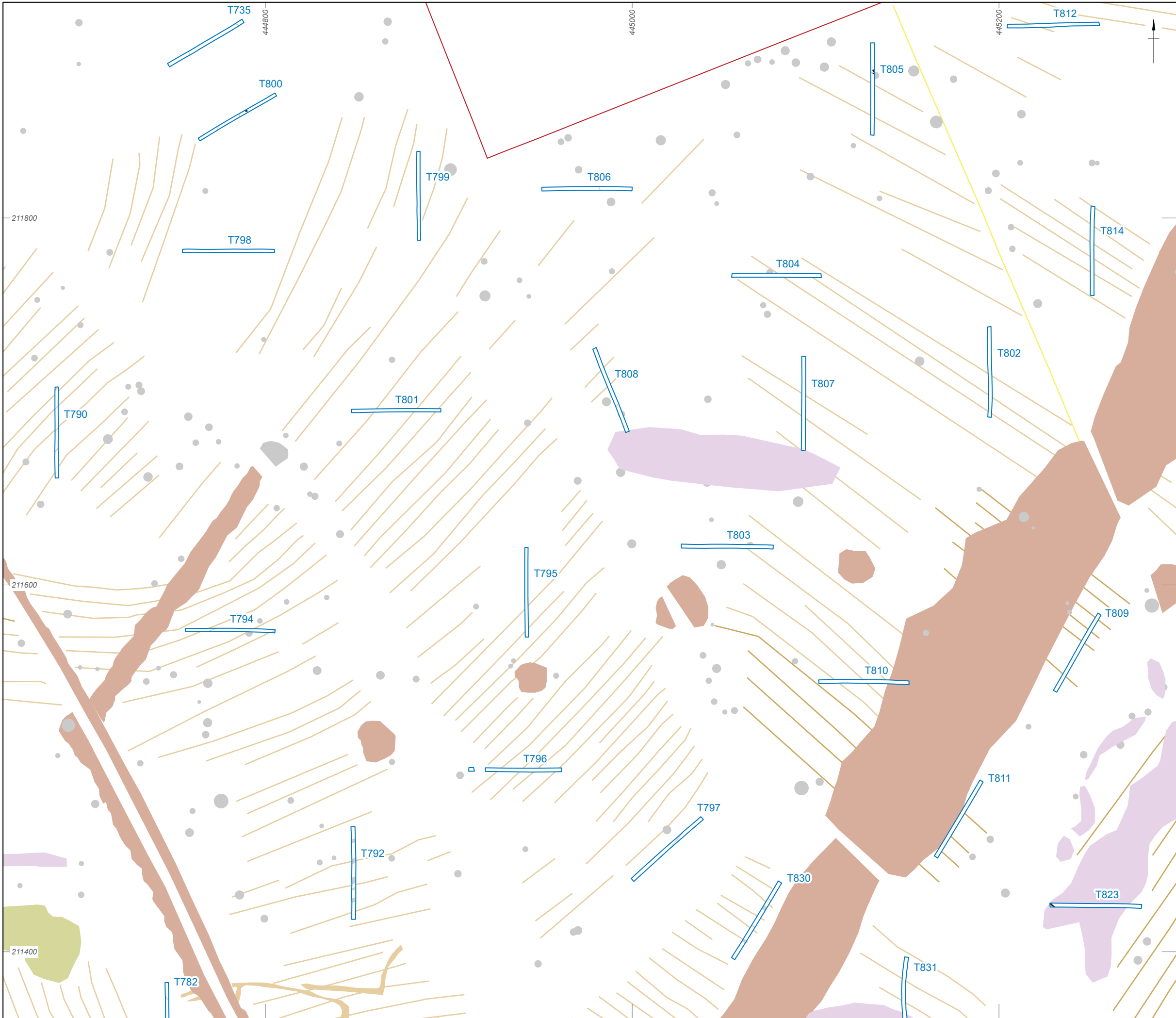


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Figure 13. Trench layout and archaeological results

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- Evaluation Trench
- Archaeology
- Disturbance
- Geology
- Geophysics
 - Agricultural (Weak)
 - Extraction
 - Magnetic Interference
 - Ferrous
 - Natural
 - Agricultural (Strong)
 - Agricultural (Weak)
 - Possible Buried Utility

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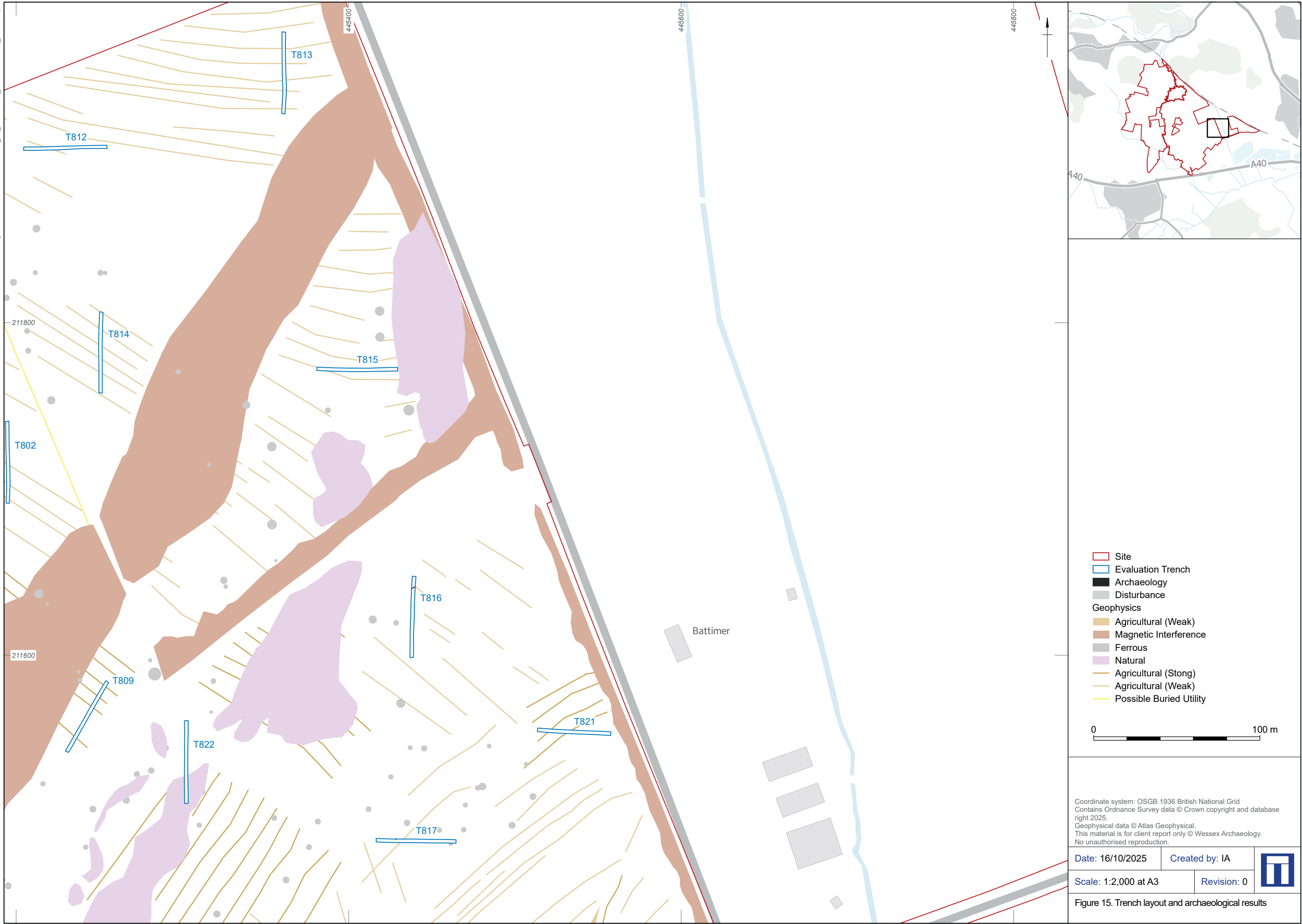
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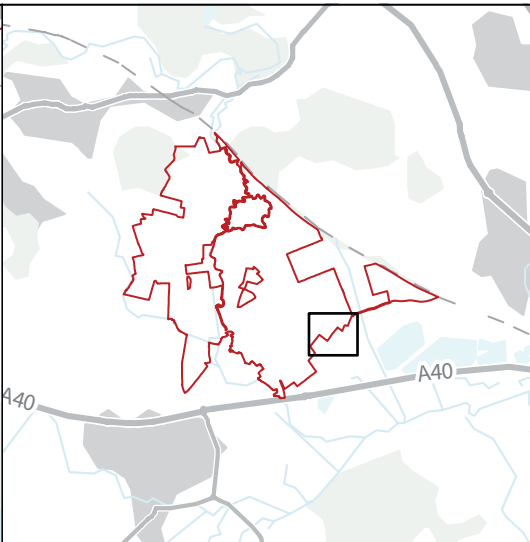
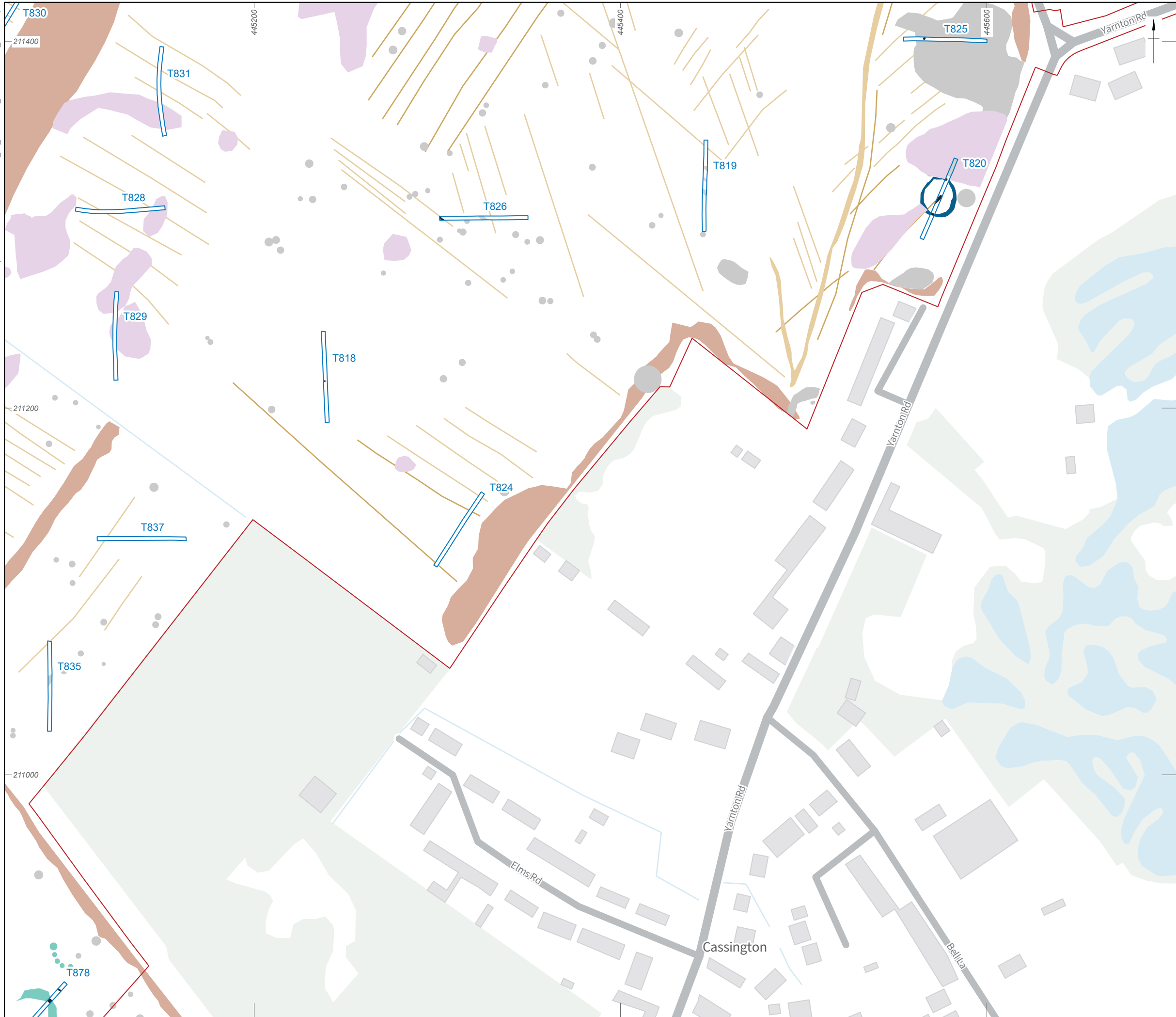


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- Archaeology
- Disturbance
- Geology
- Geophysics
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 - Possible Buried Utility



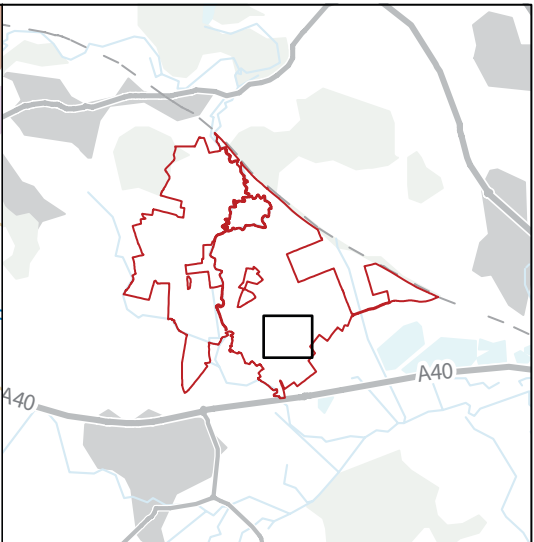
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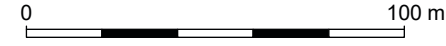
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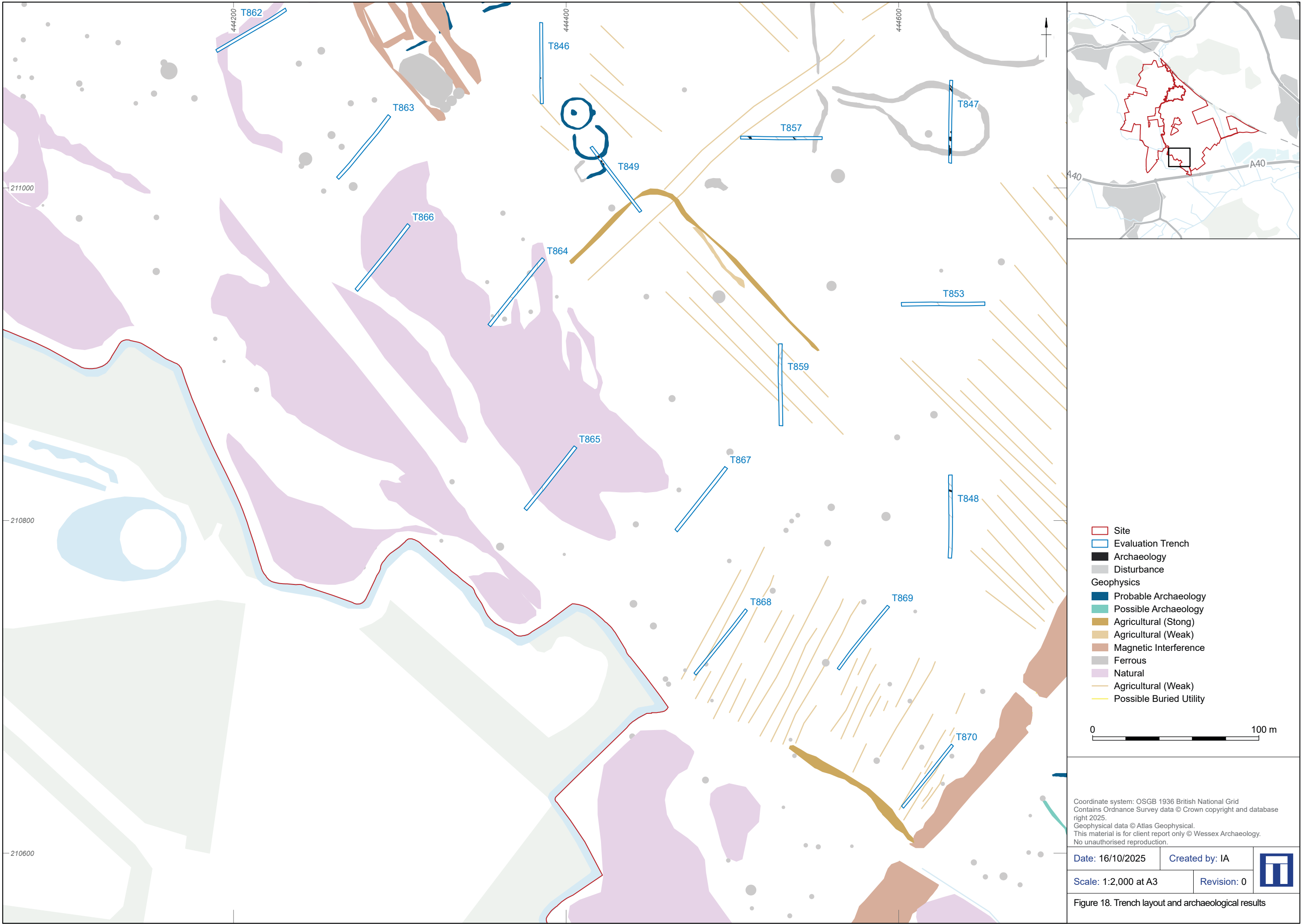
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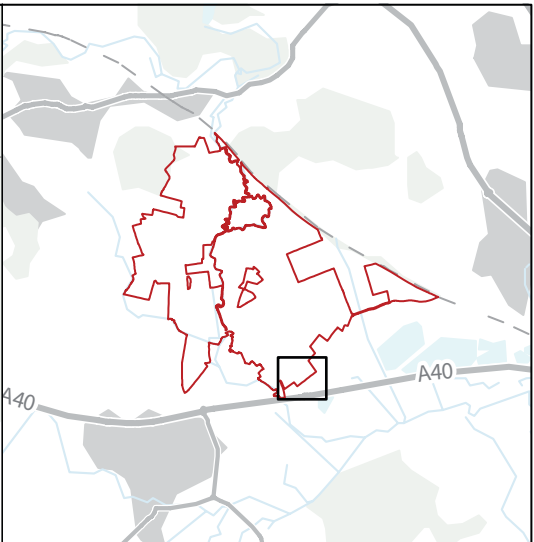
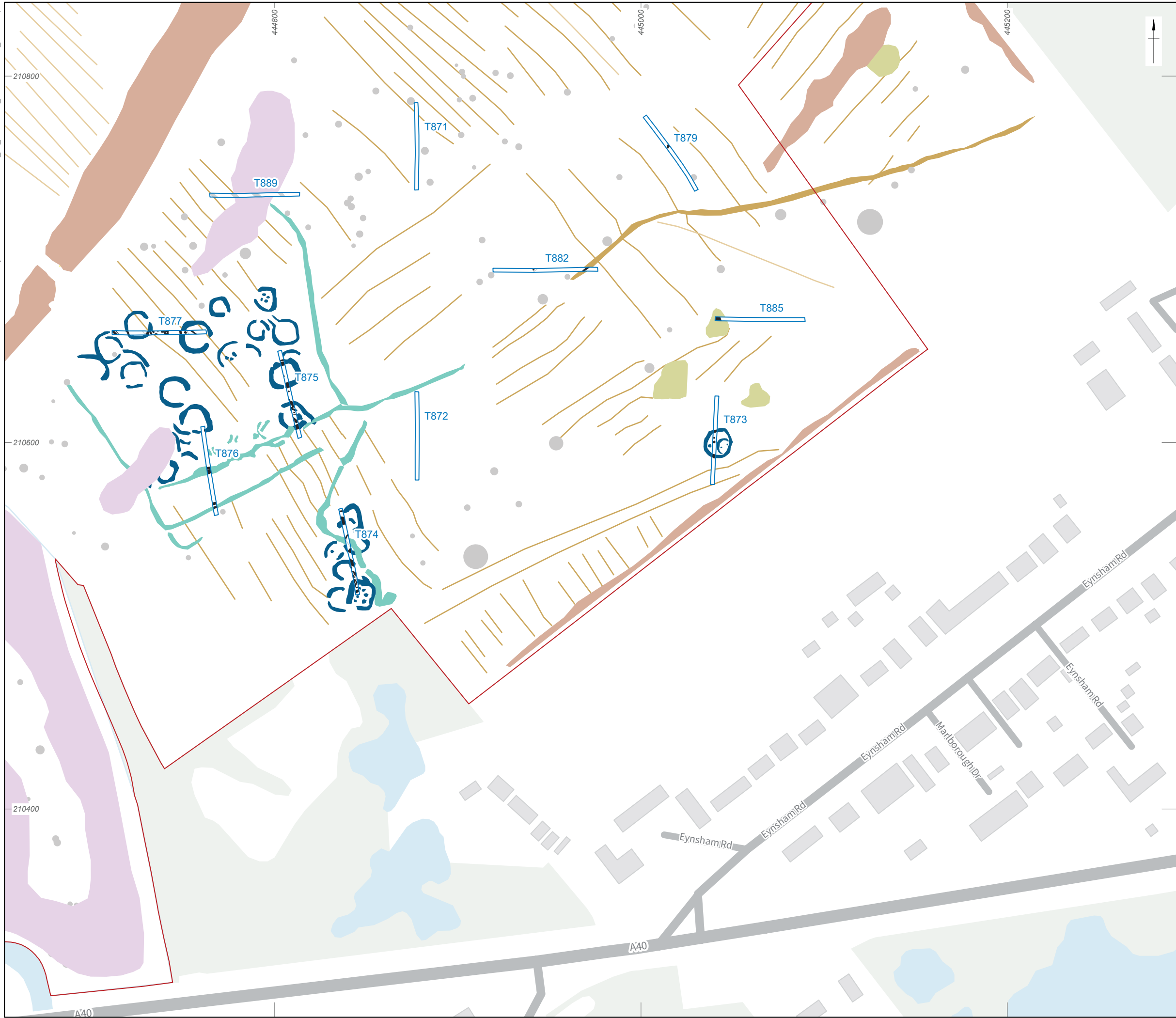
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Figure 17. Trench layout and archaeological results



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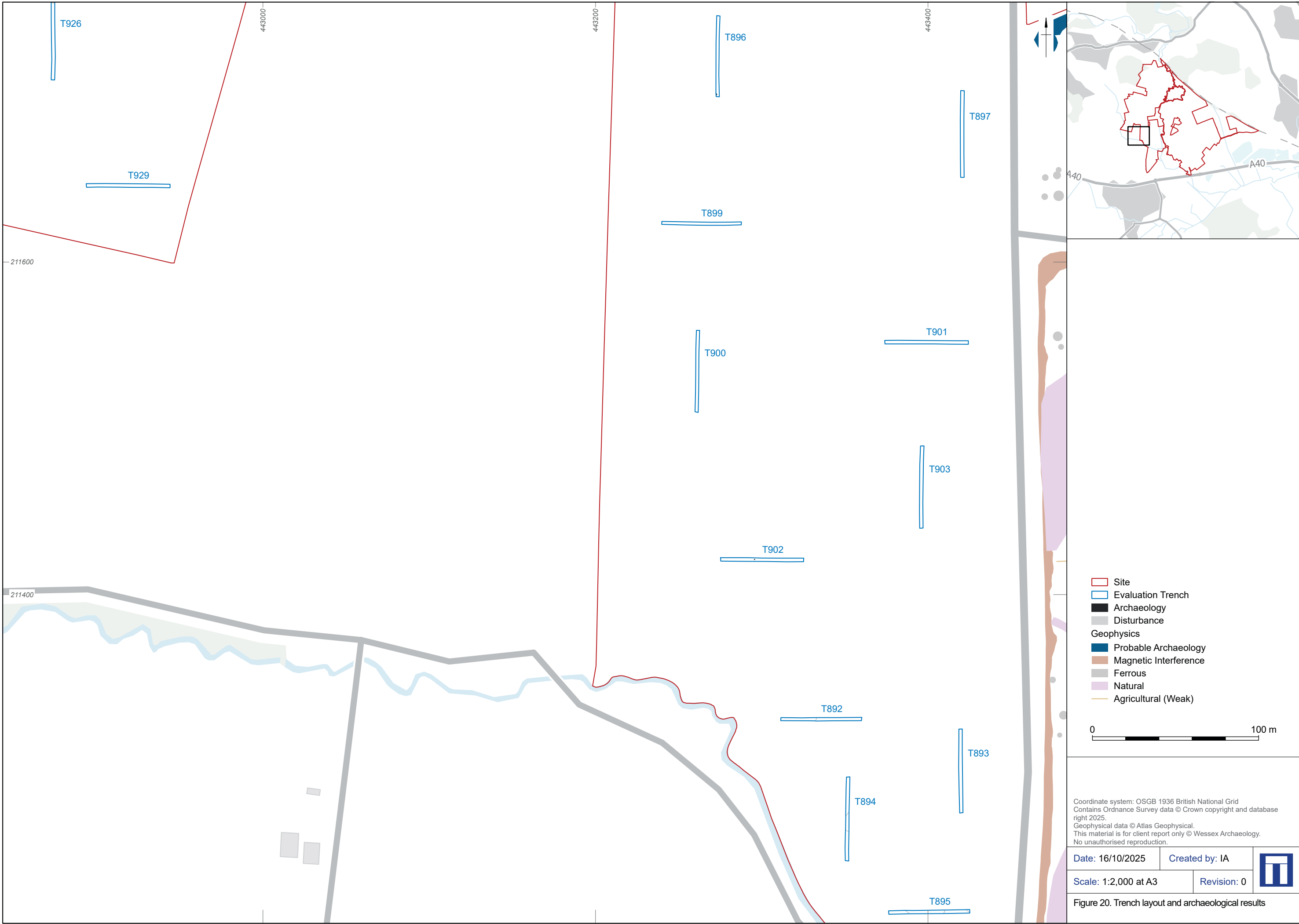
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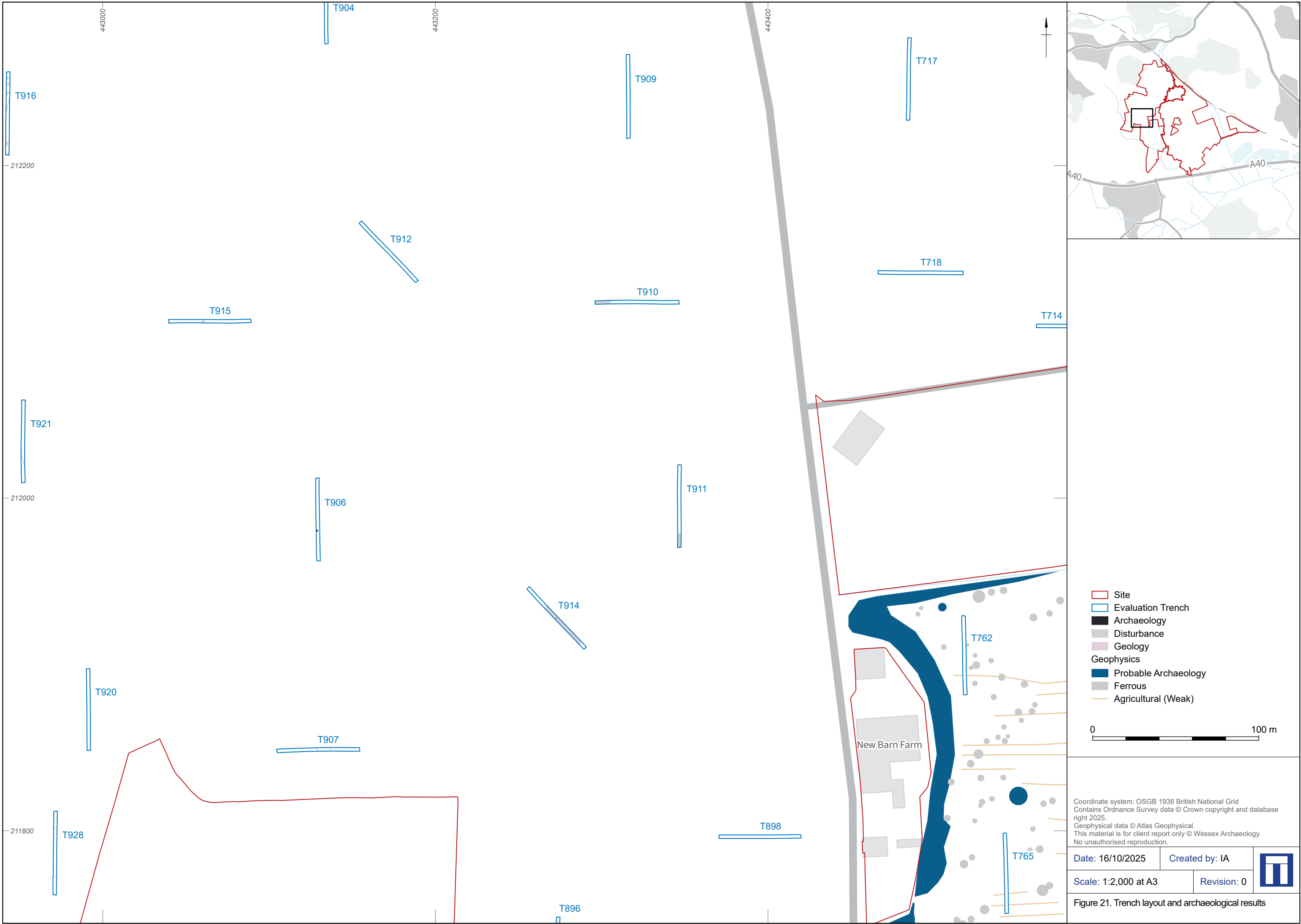
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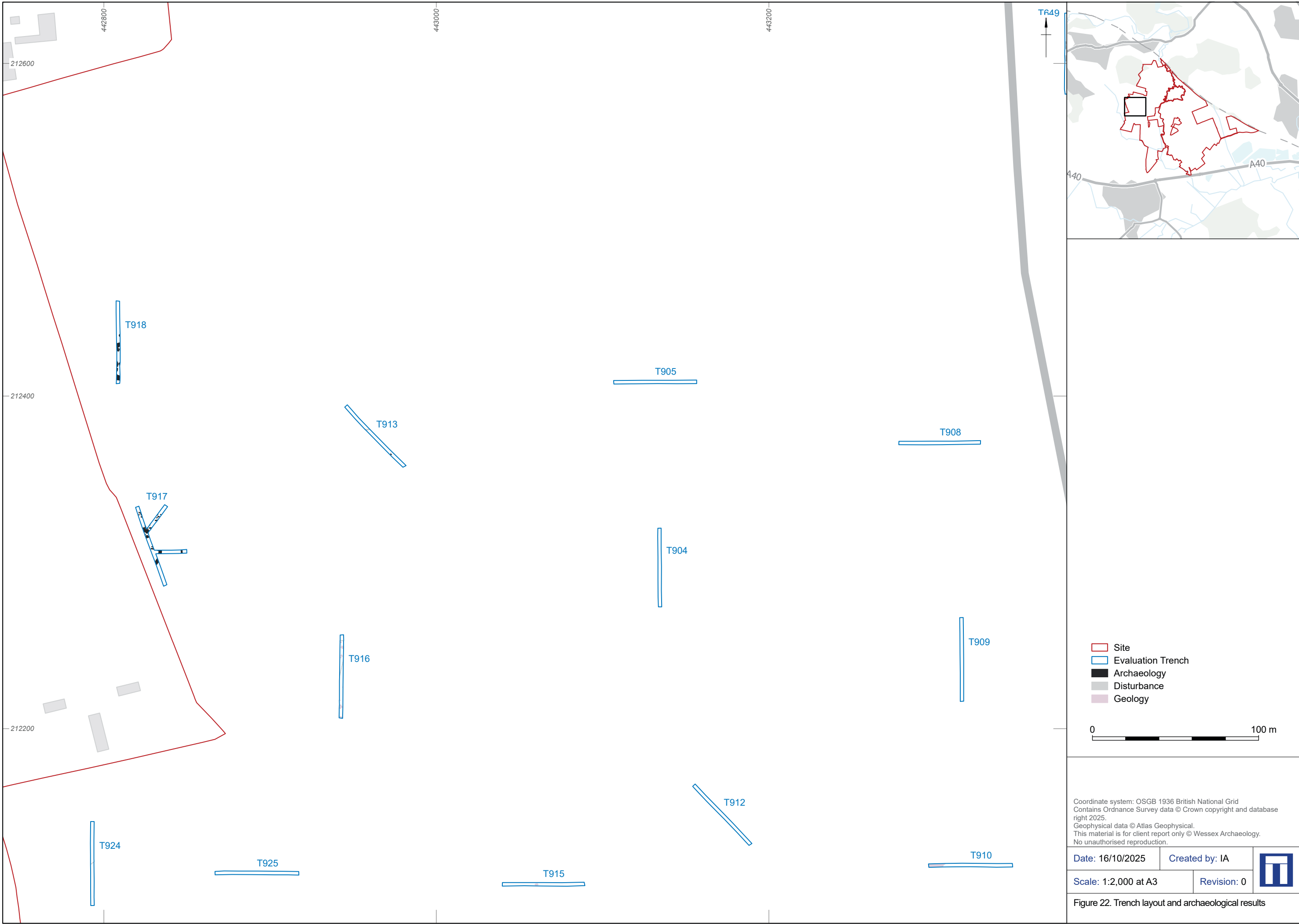
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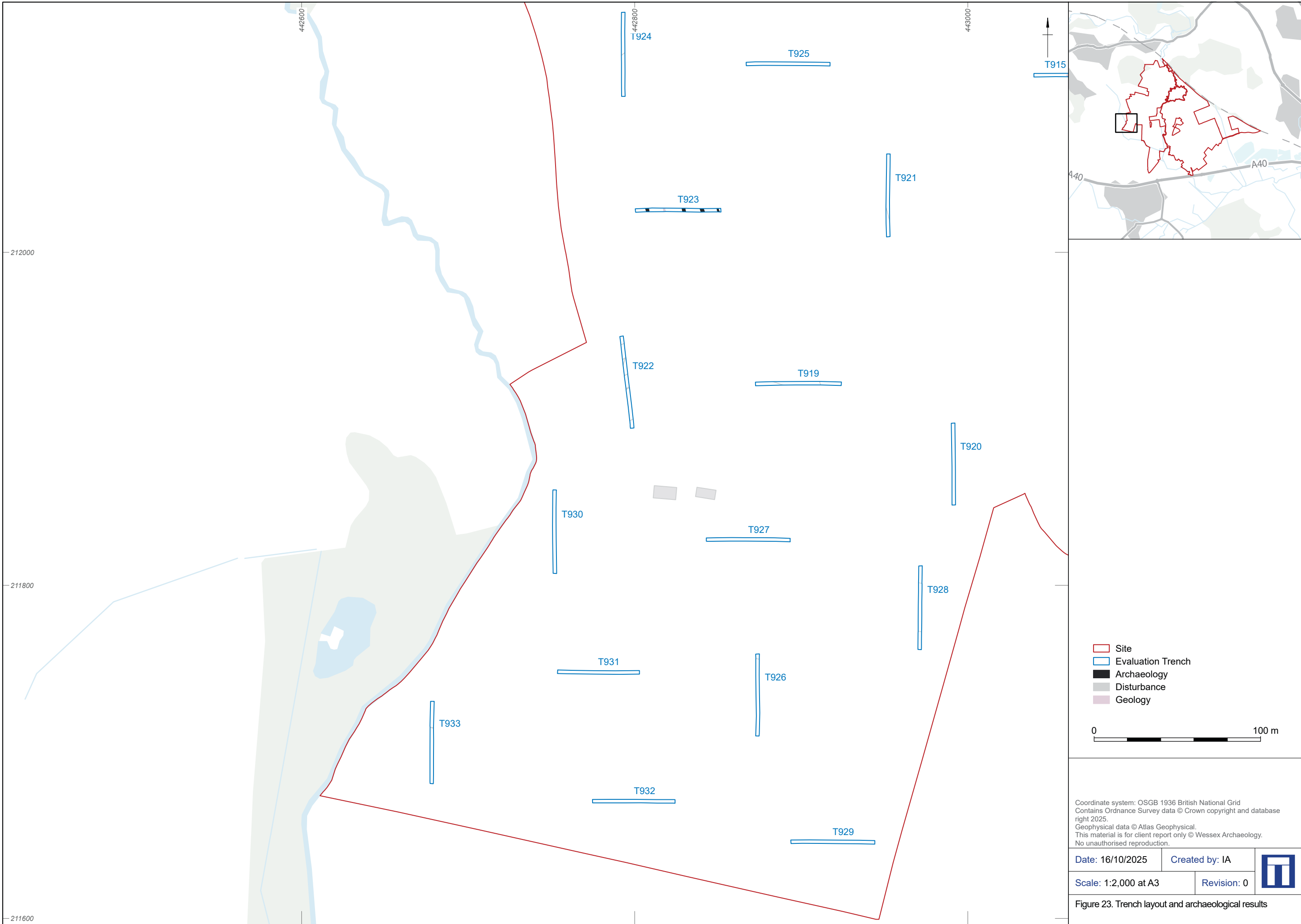


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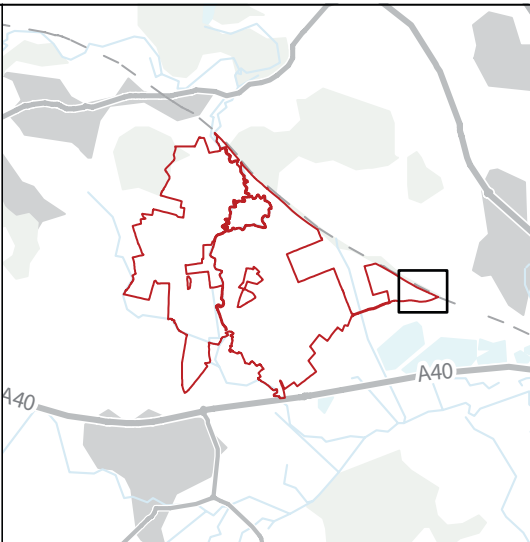
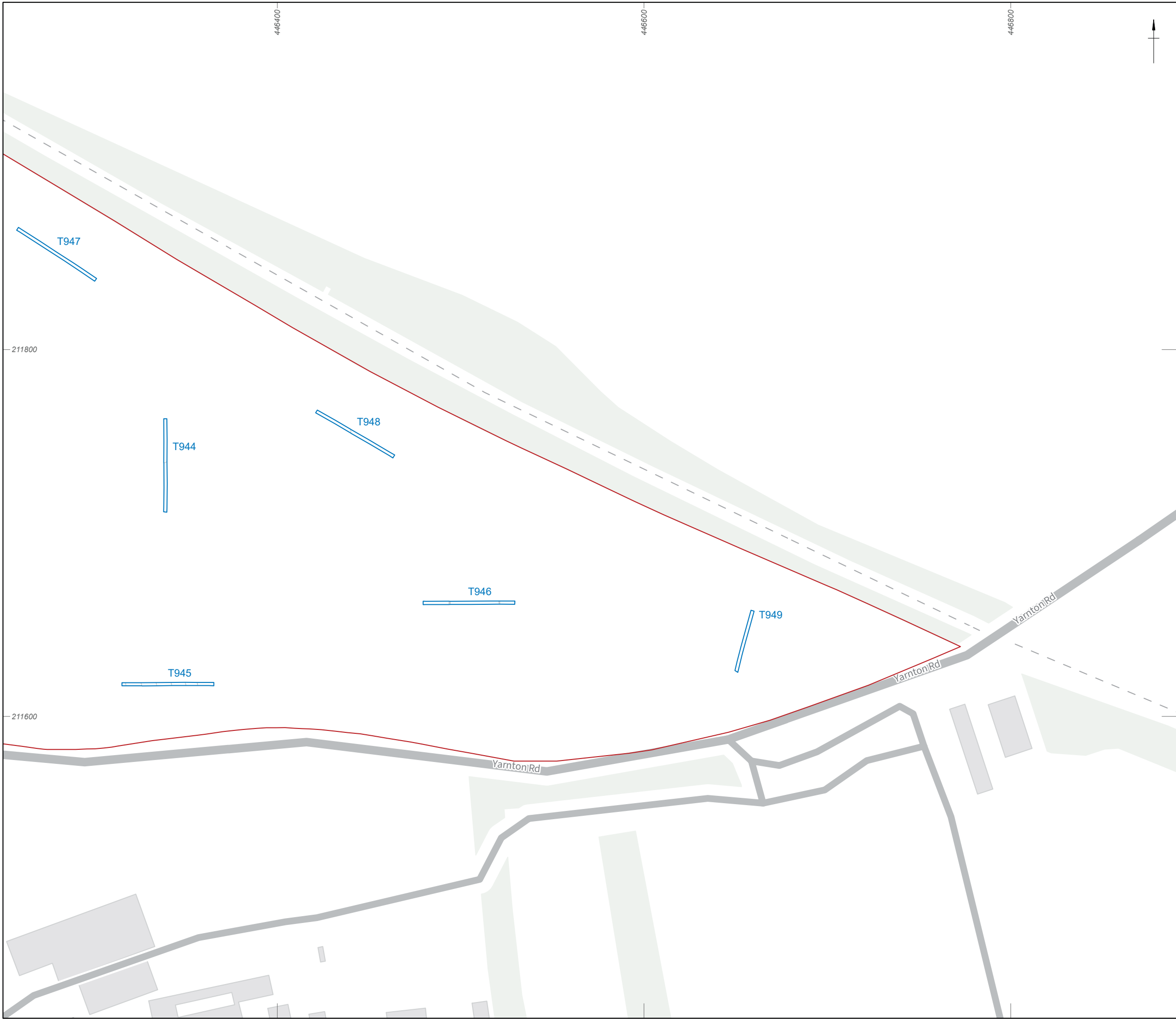
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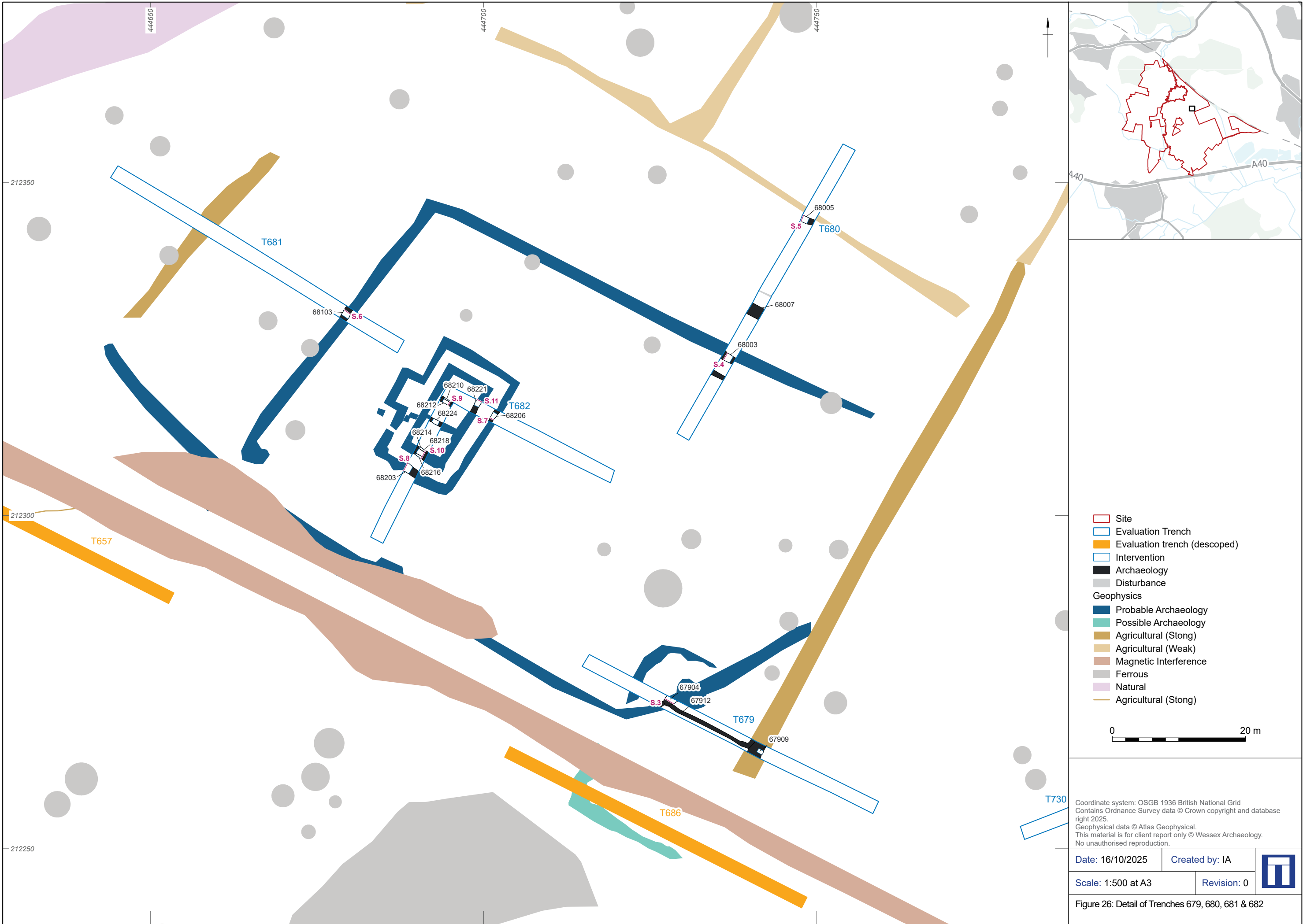
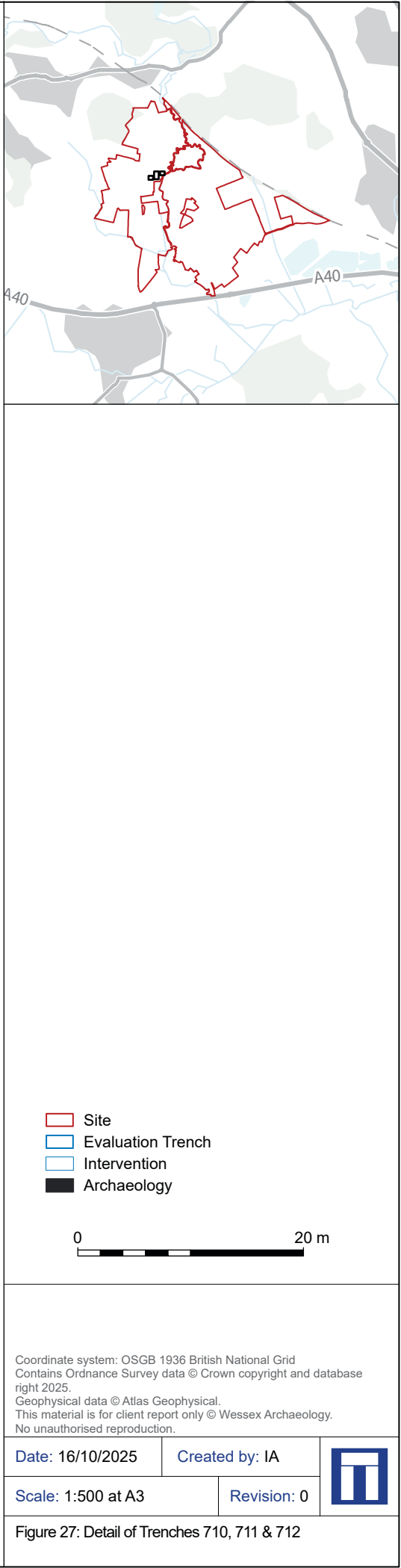
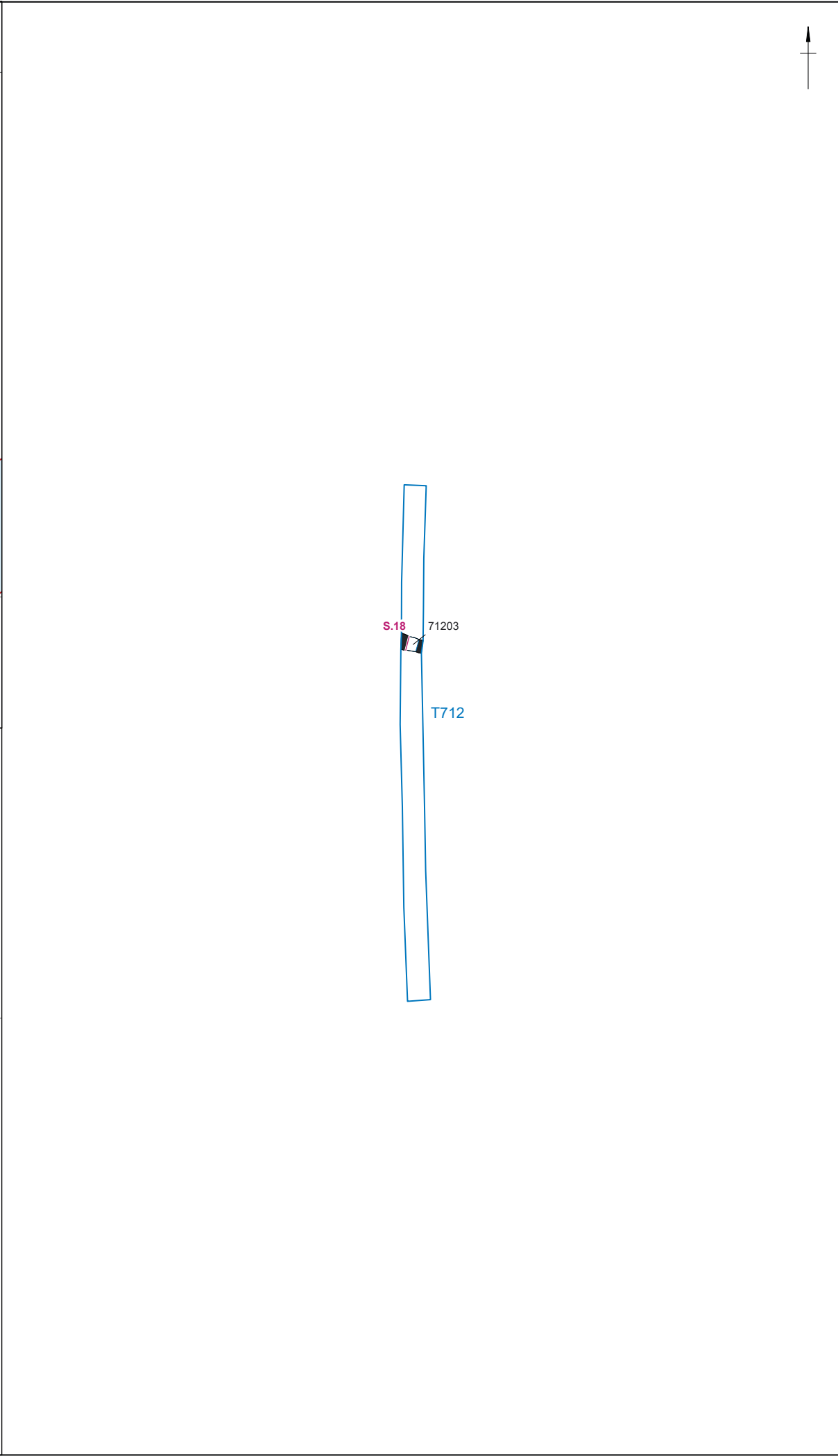
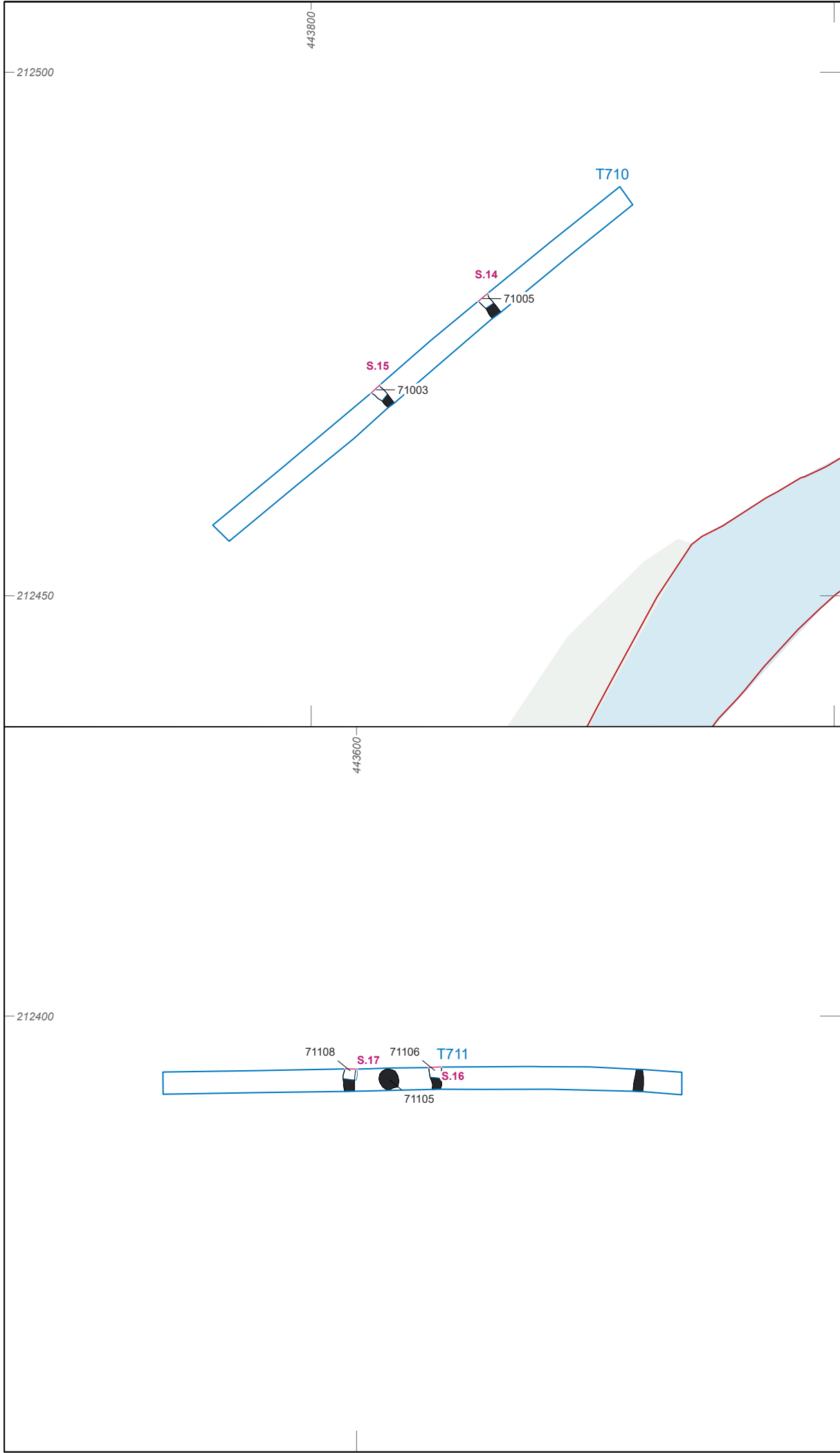
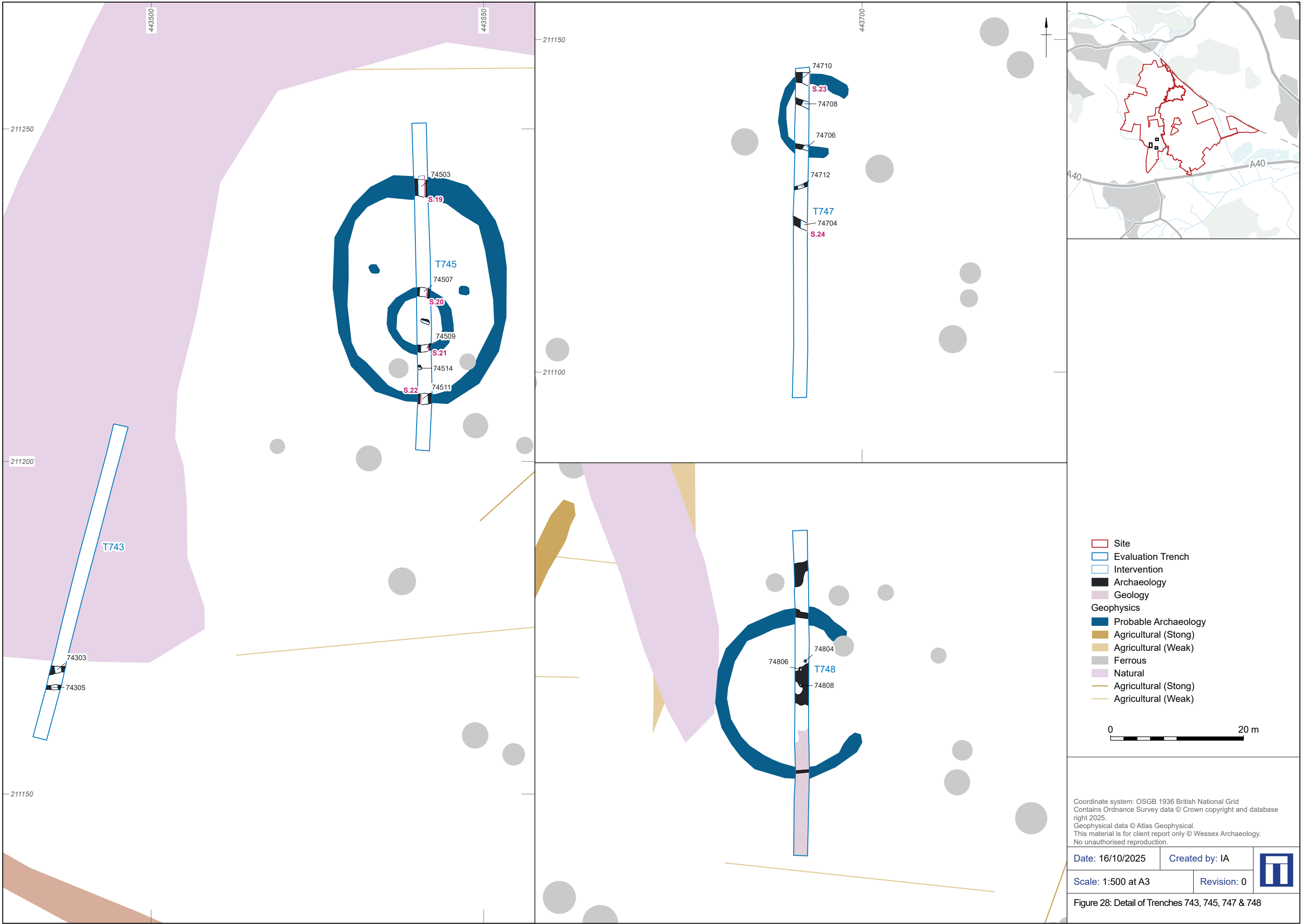
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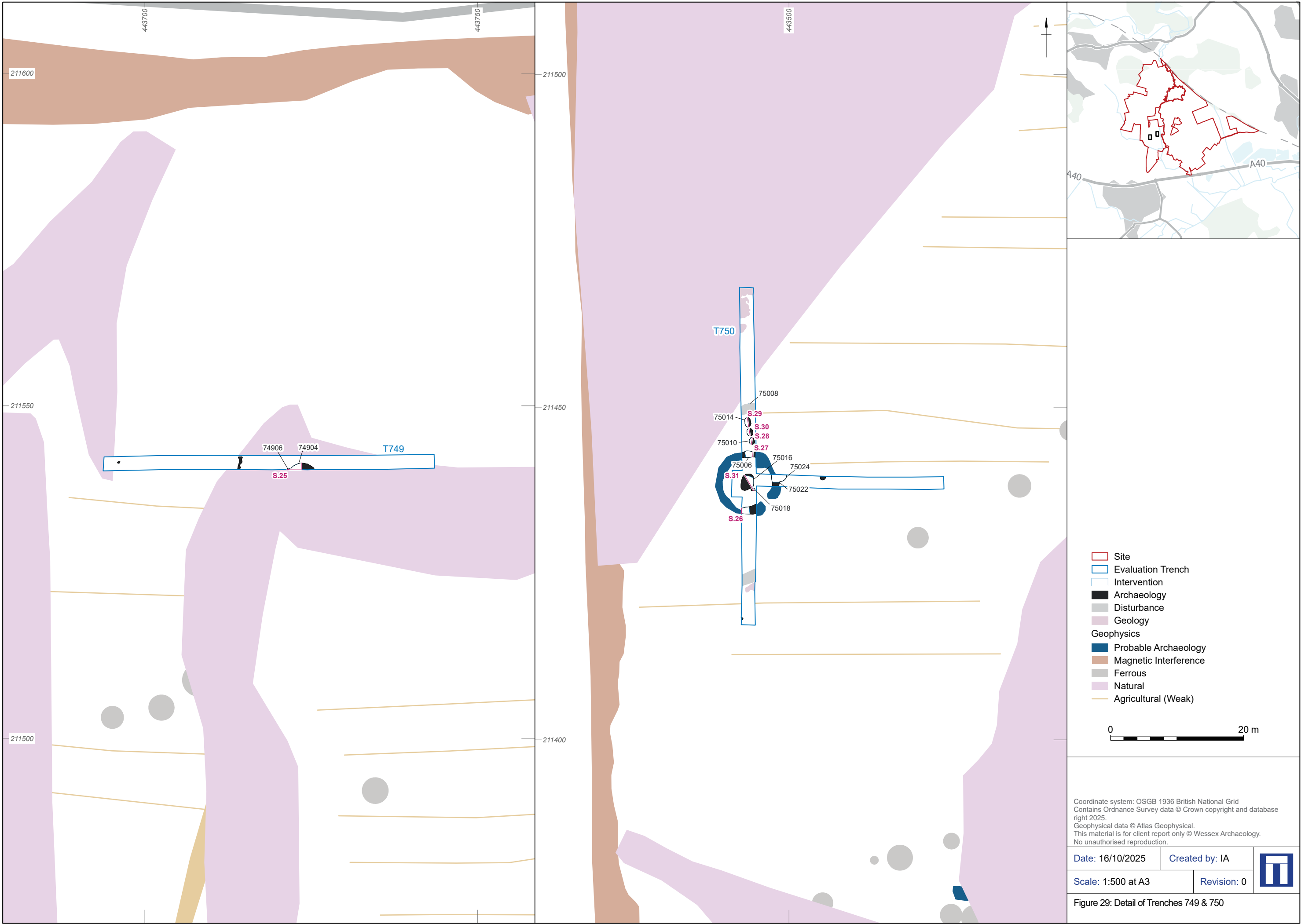
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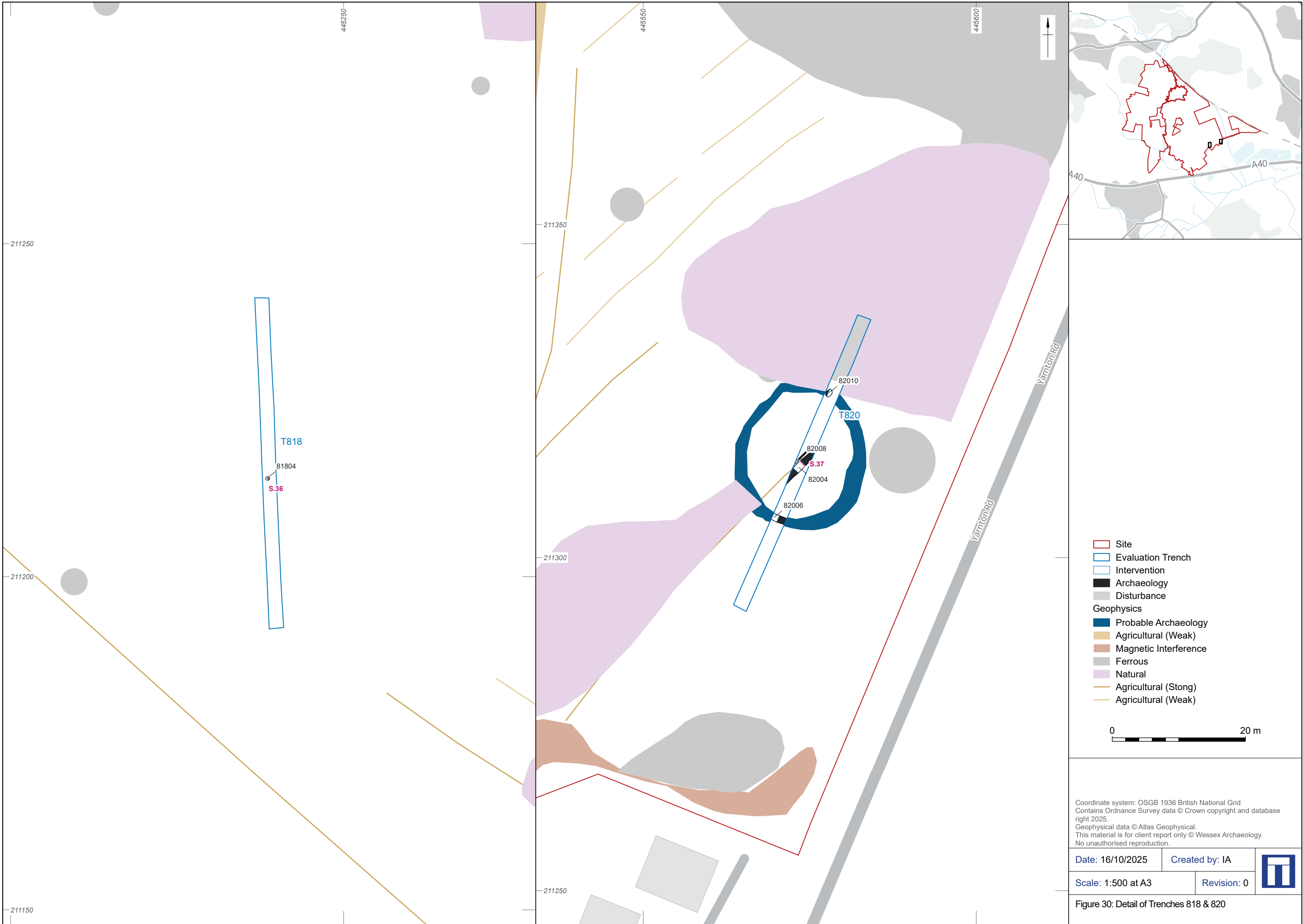


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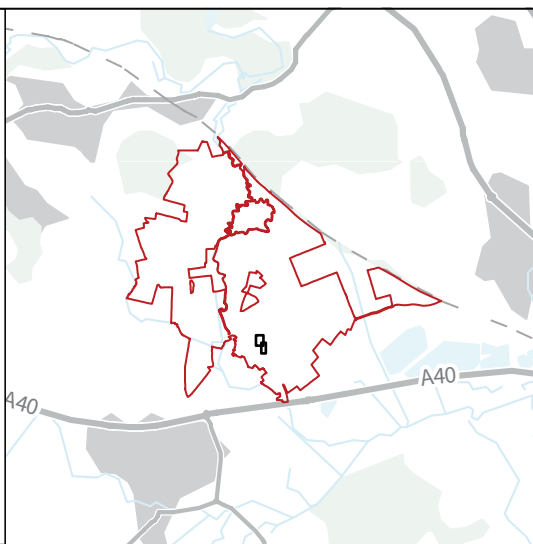
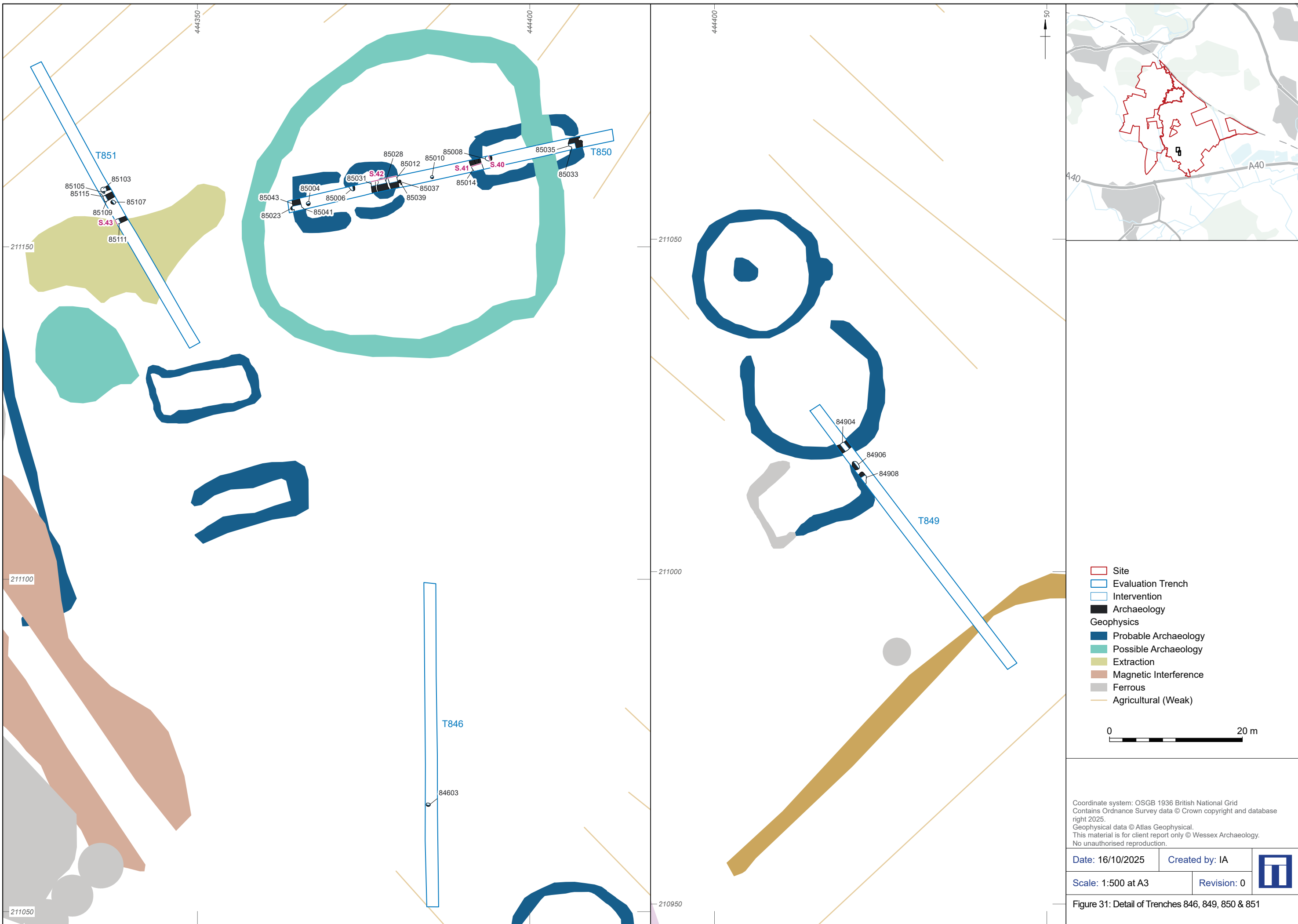








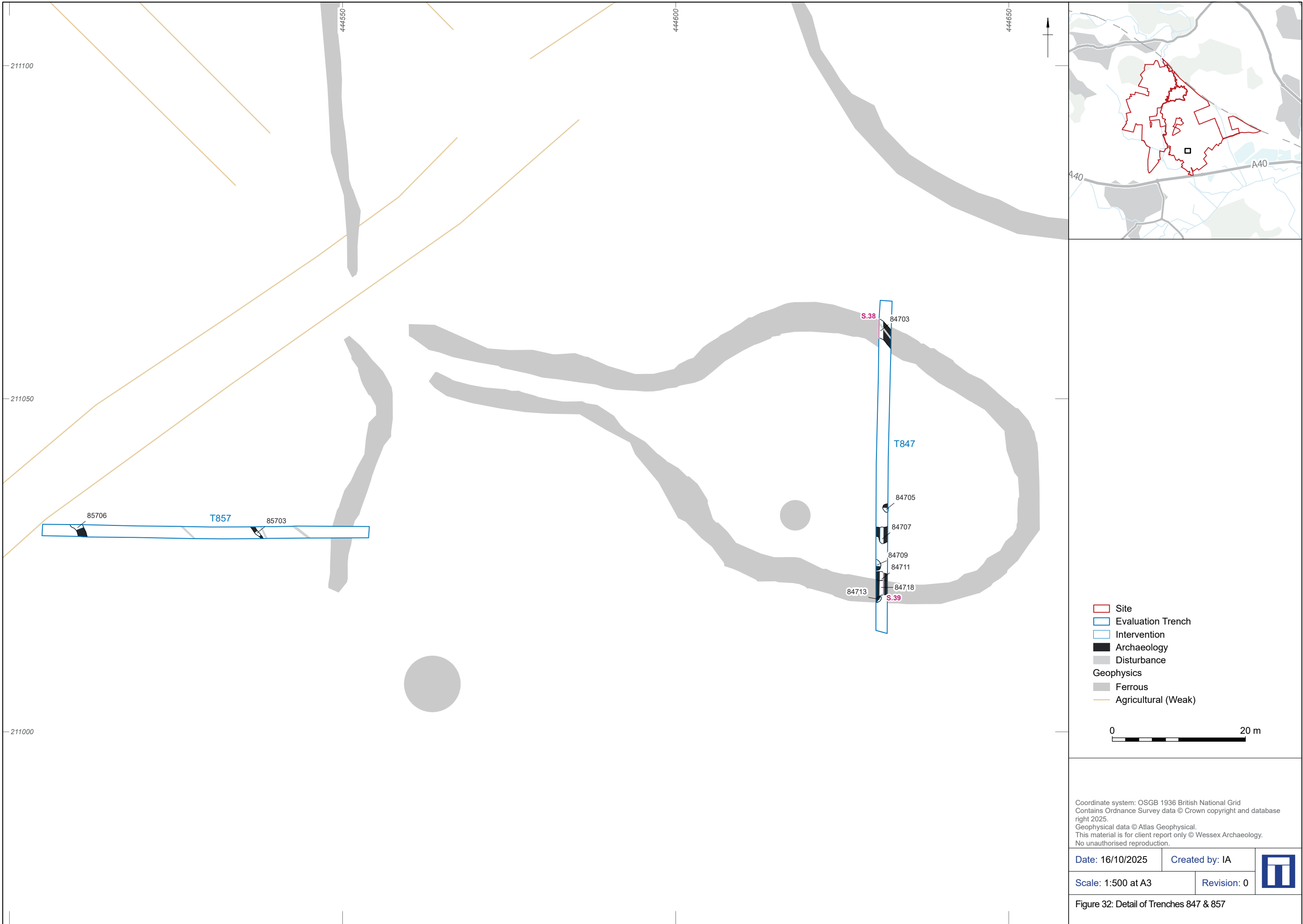
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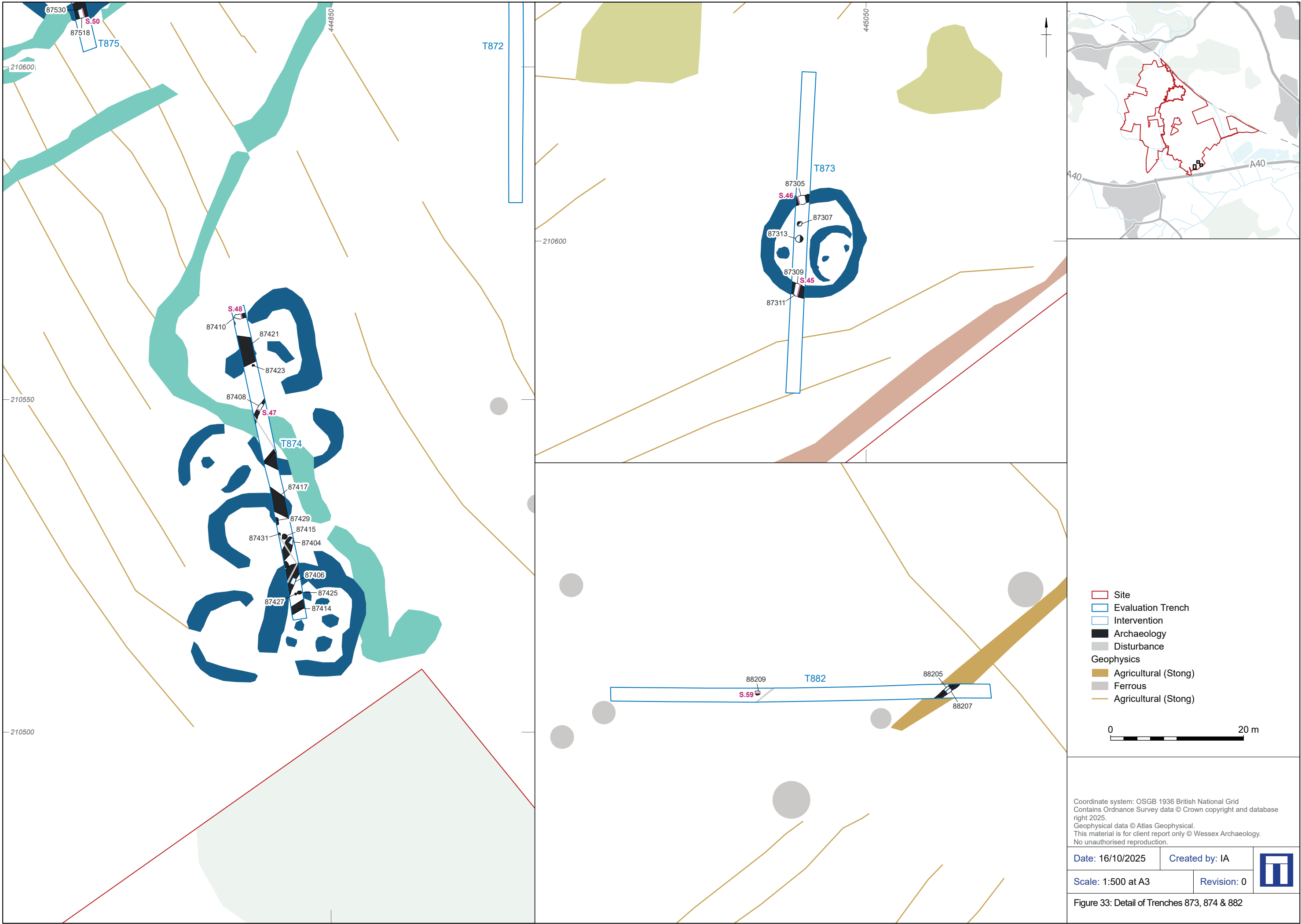
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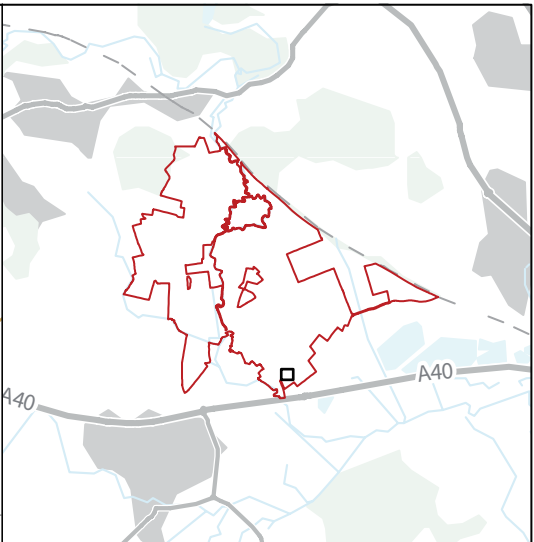
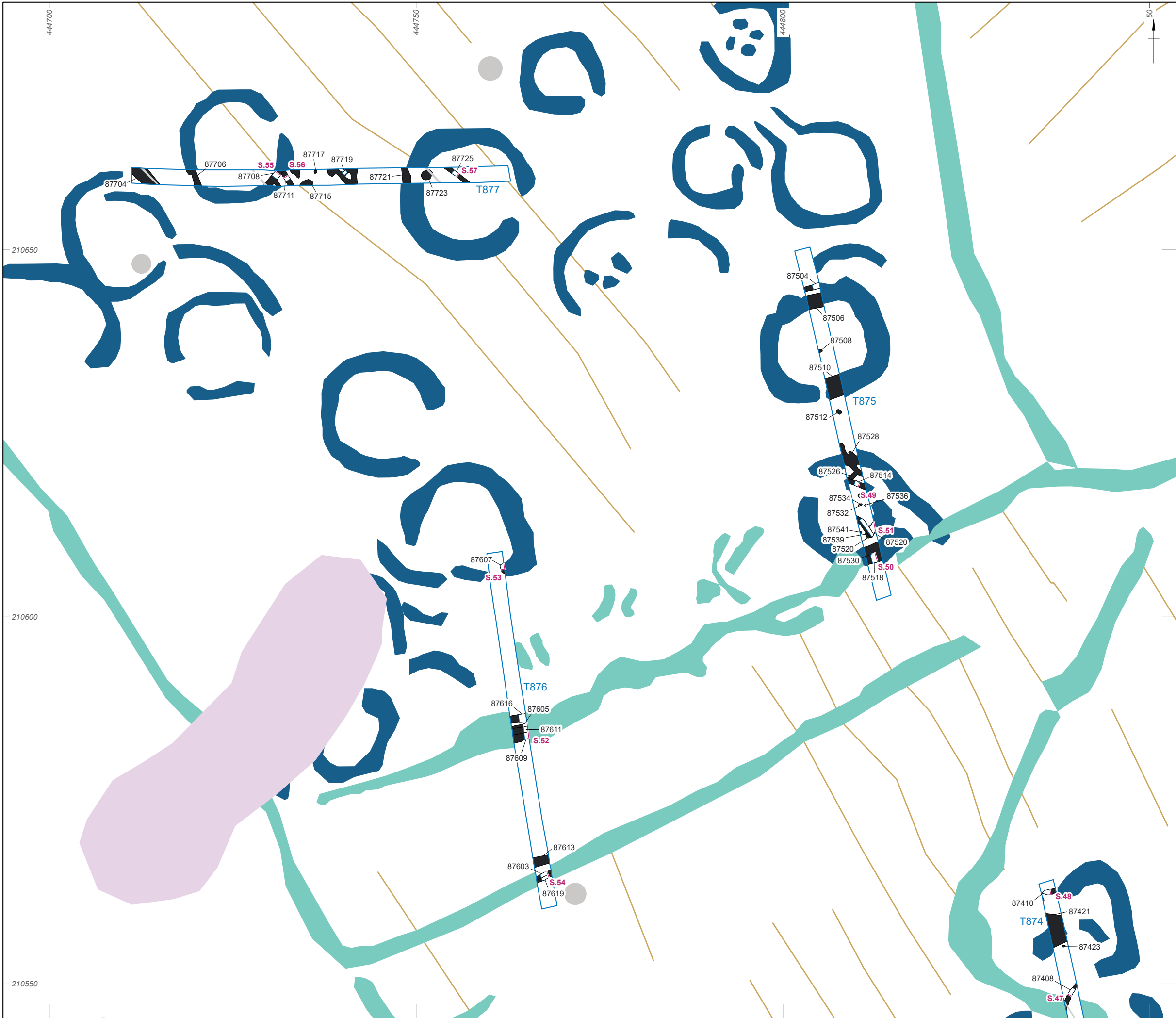
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Figure 31: Detail of Trenches 846, 849, 850 & 851



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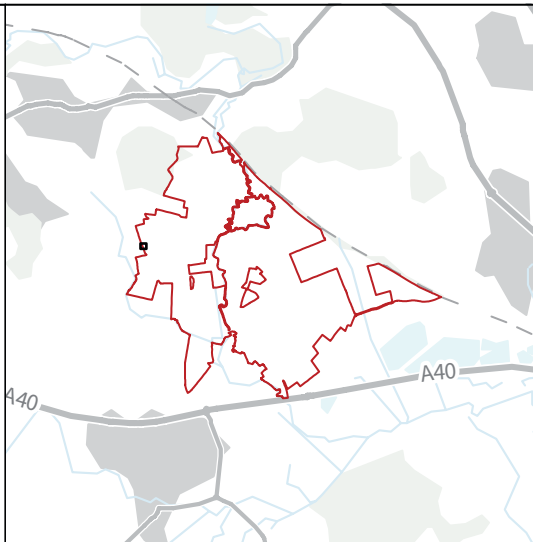
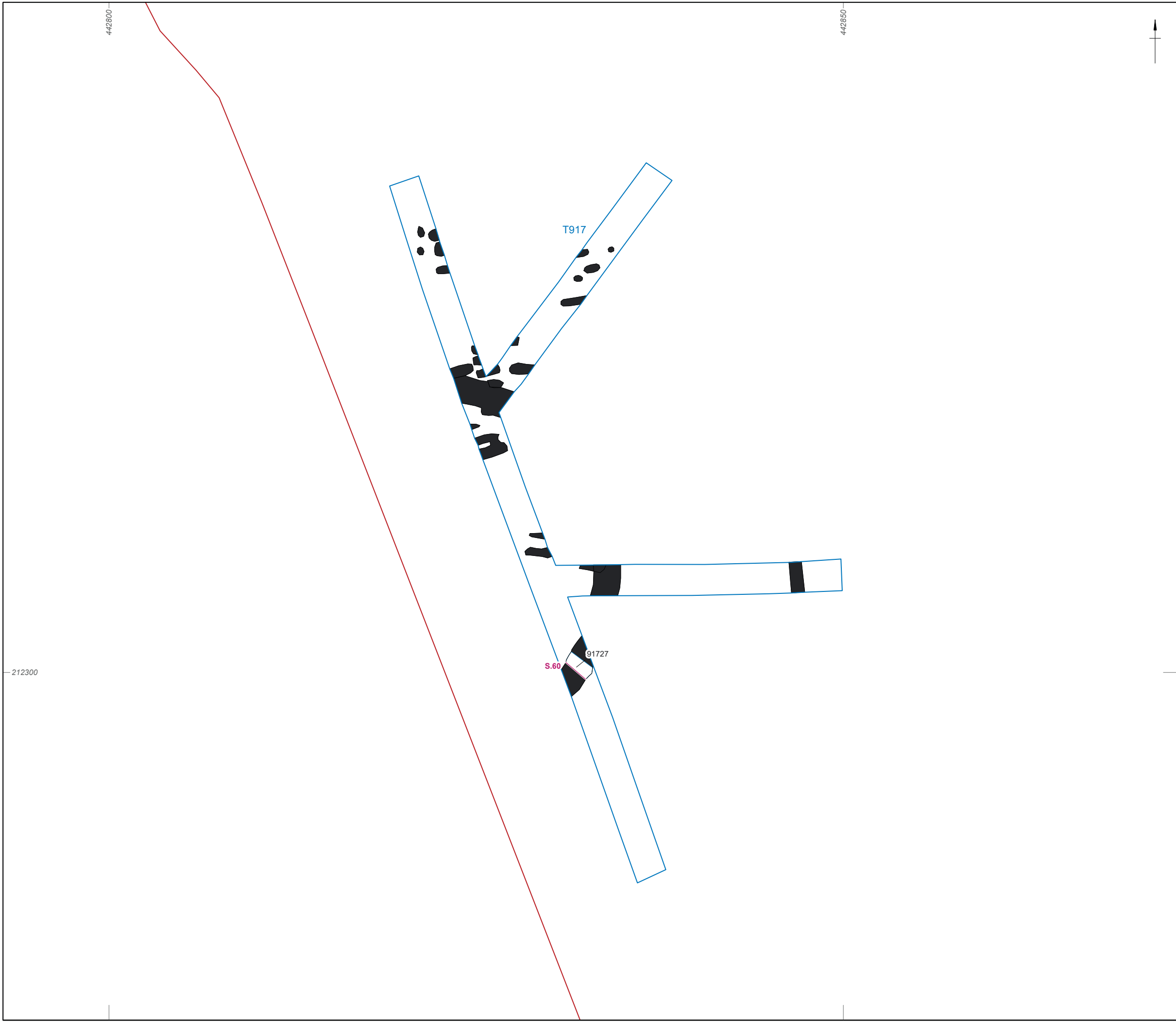
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 - Agricultural (Stong)



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Figure 34: Detail of Trenches 875, 876 & 877



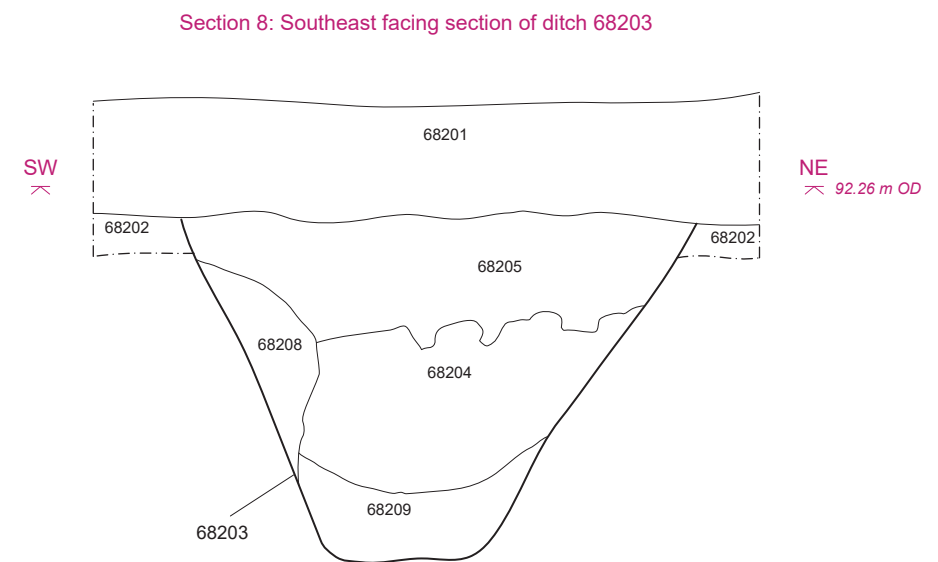
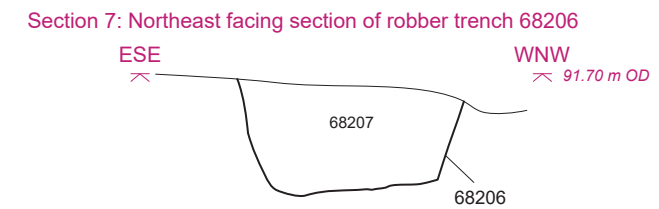
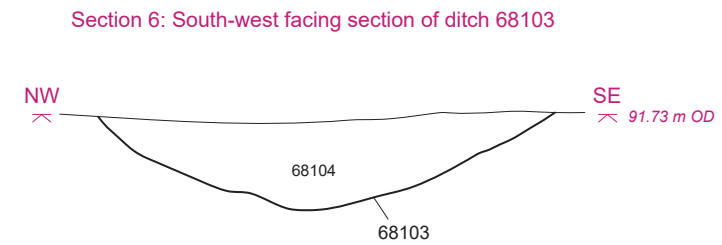
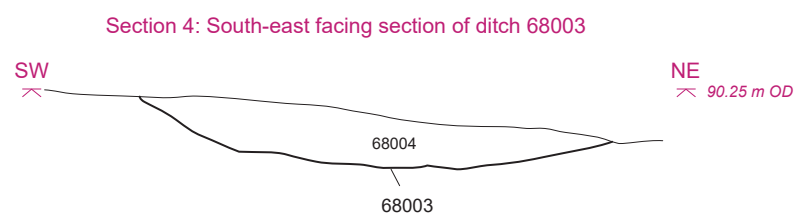
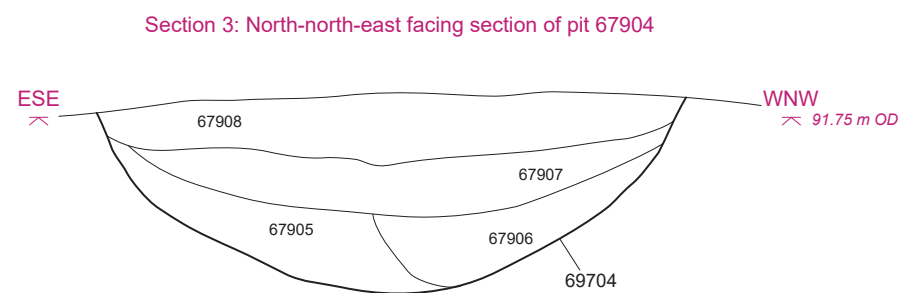
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Figure 35: Detail of Trench 917



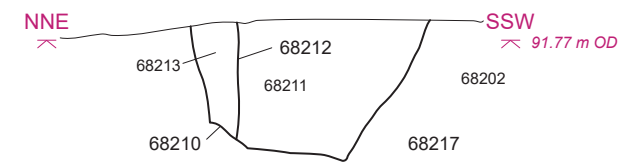
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Figure 36. Sections 1-8



Section 9: North-west facing section of ditches 68210 and 68212



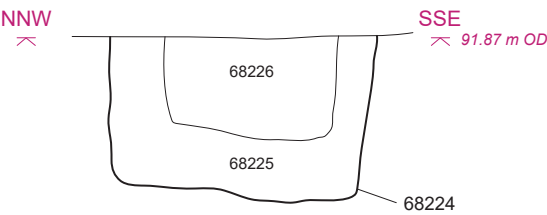
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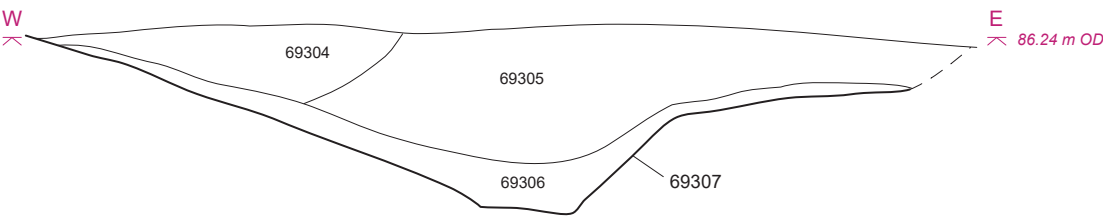
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Section 12: West-northwest facing section of robber trench 68224



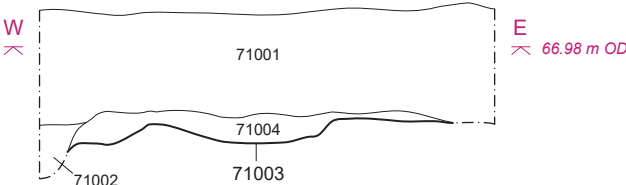
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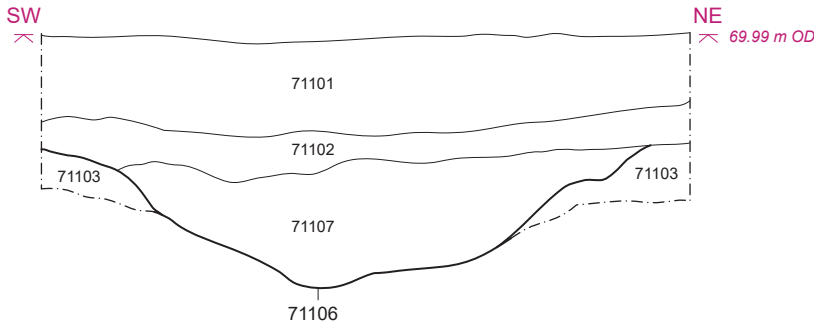
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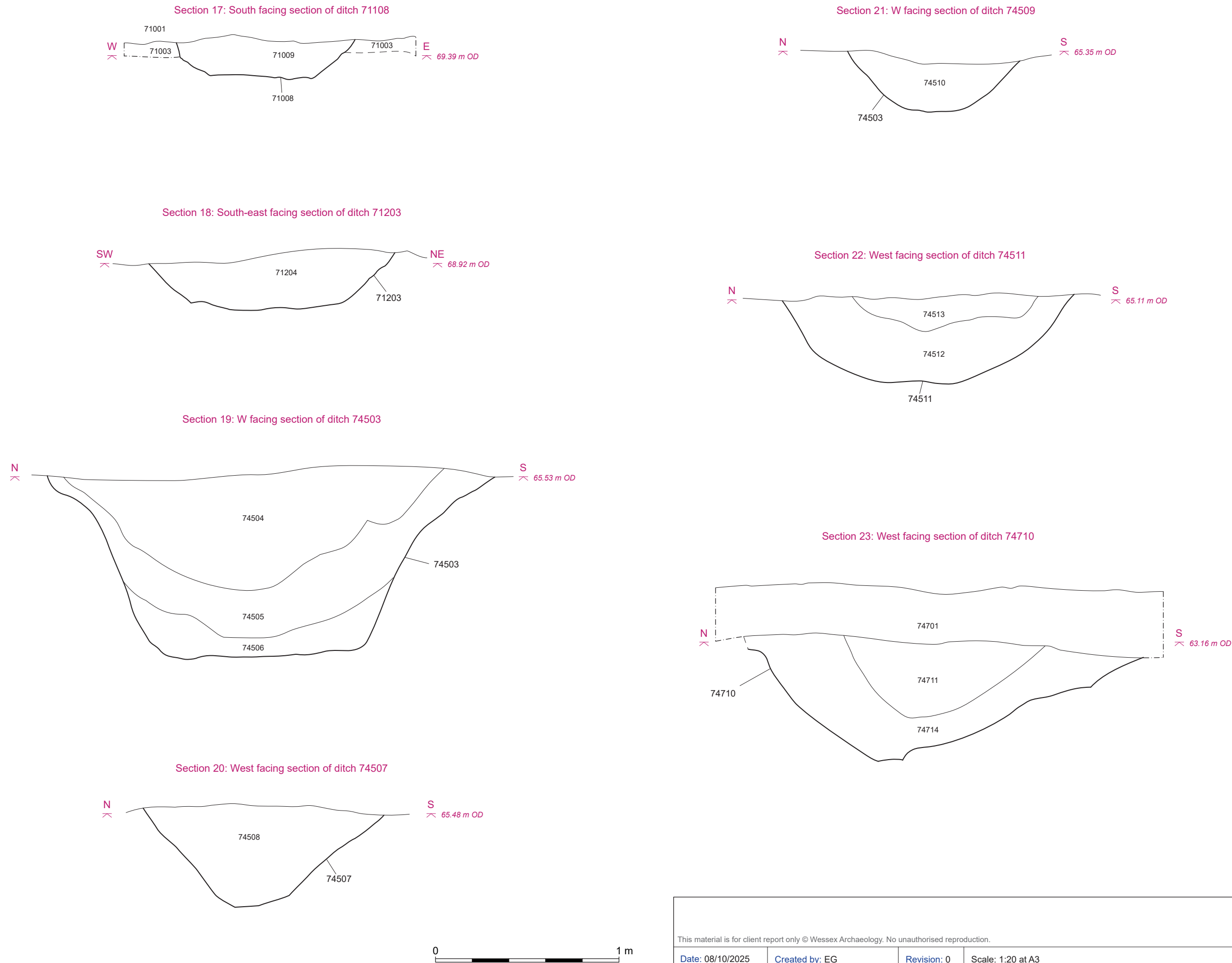


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Figure 37. Sections



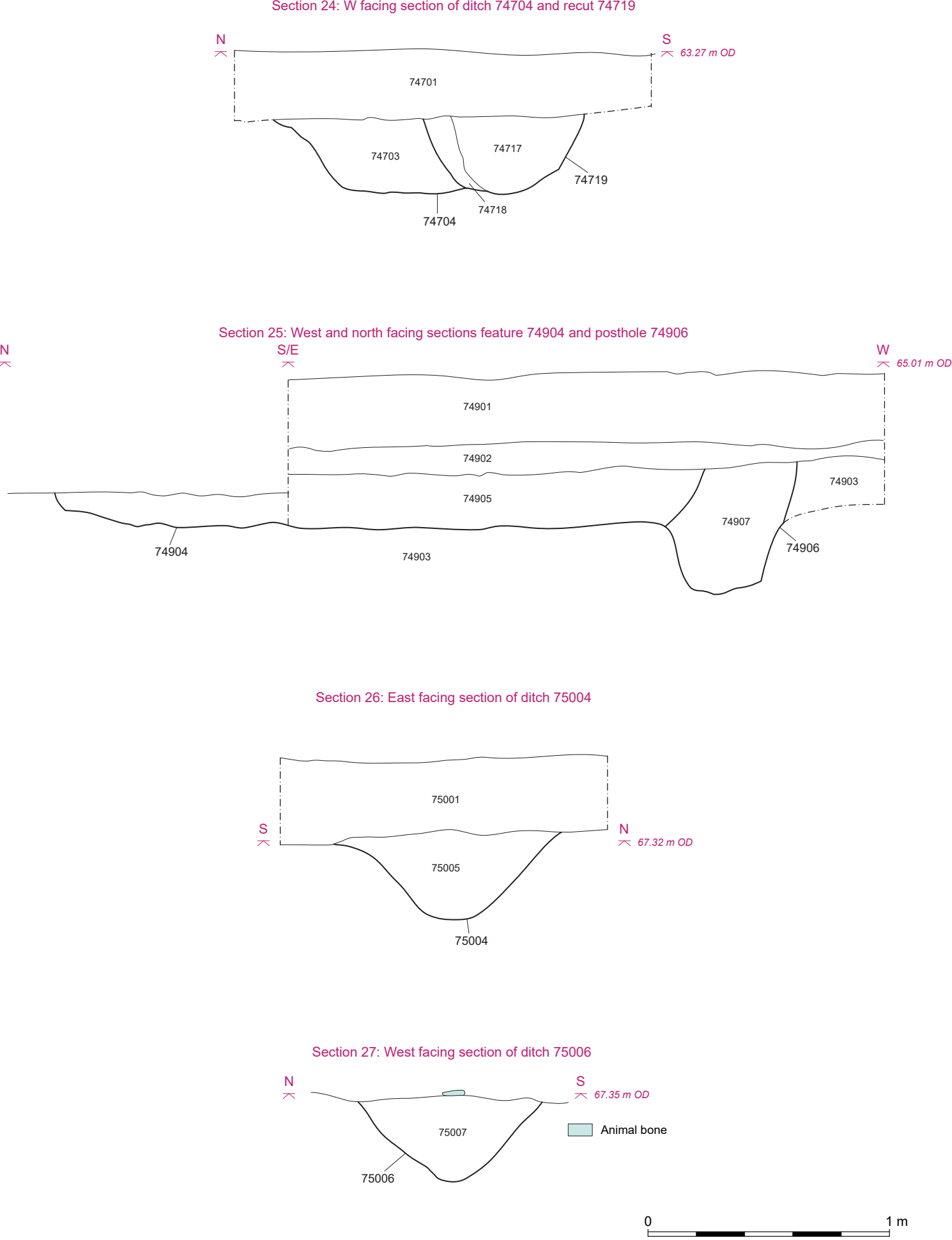


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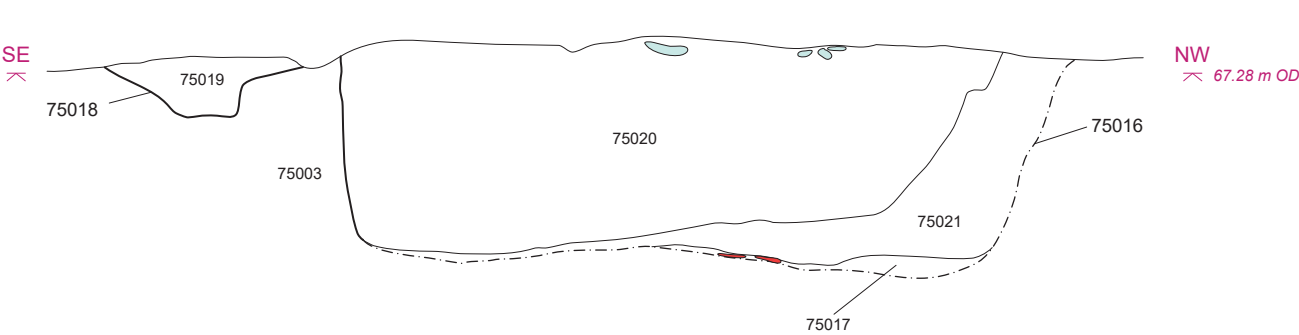
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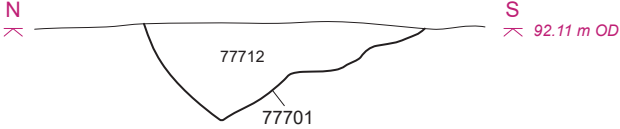
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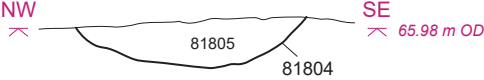
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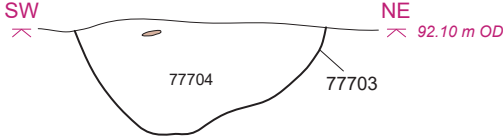
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Section 36: South-west facing section of pit 81804



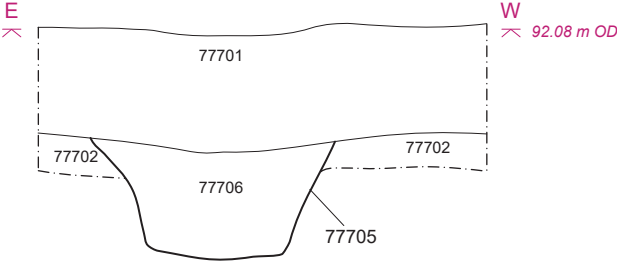
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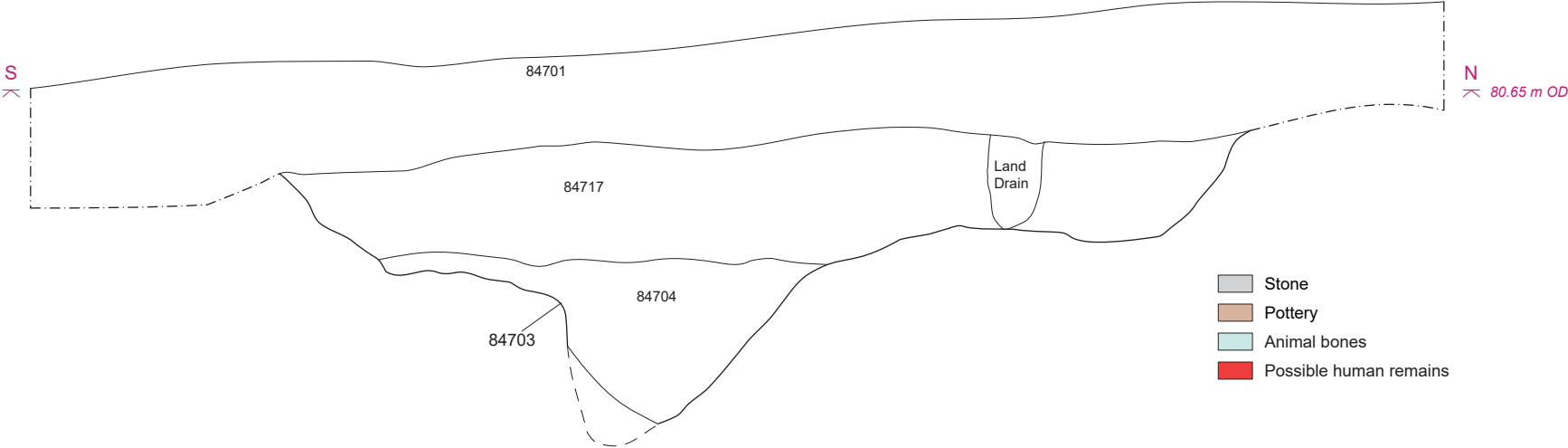
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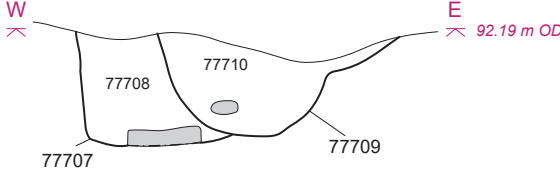
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Section 34: South facing section of ditches 77707 + 77709



- Stone
- Pottery
- Animal bones
- Possible human remains

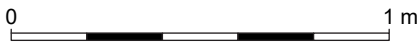
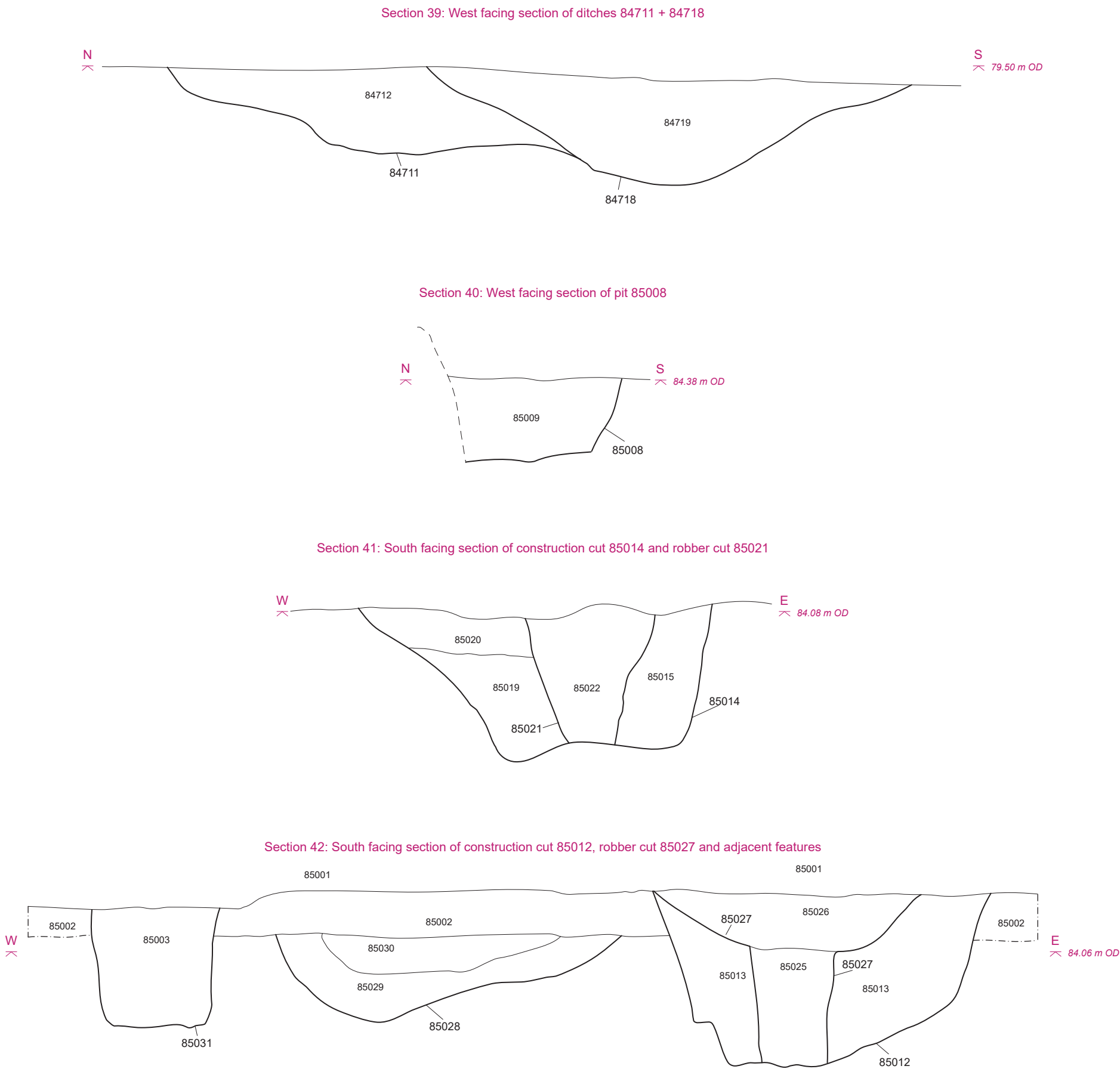


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Figure 40. Sections 31-38





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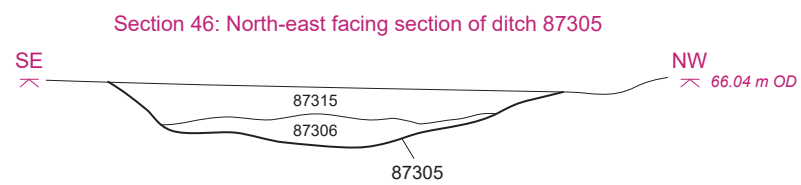
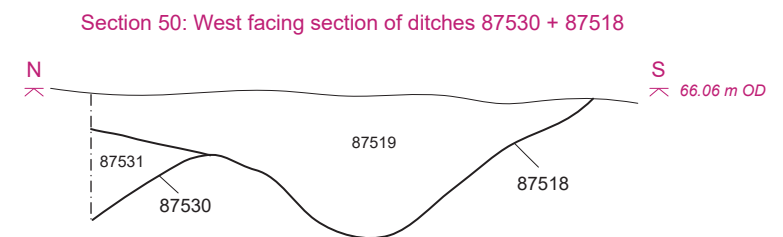
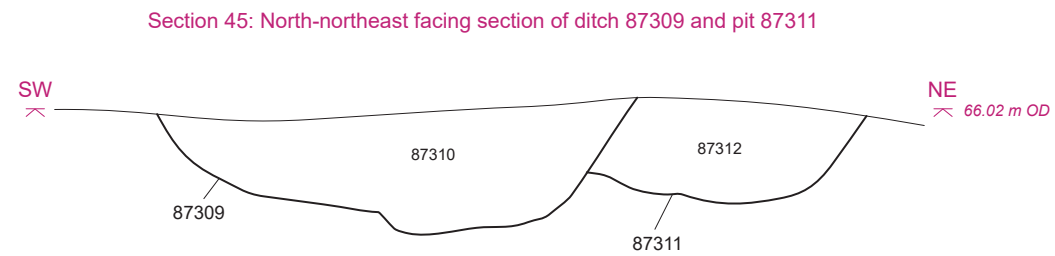
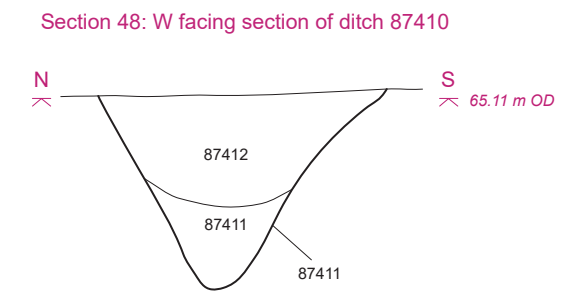
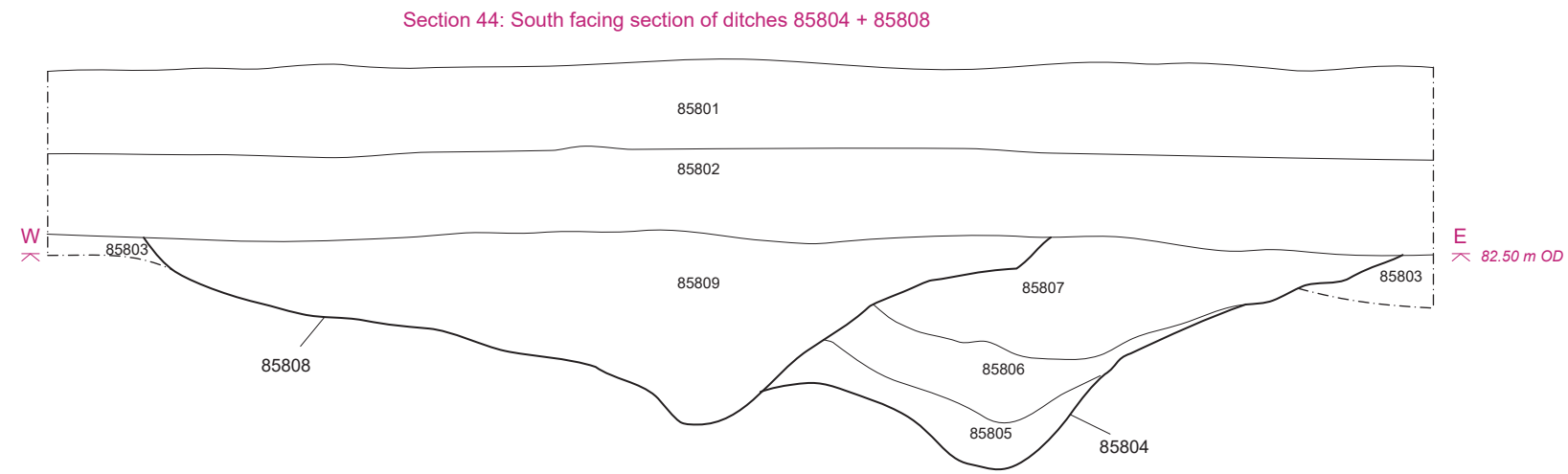
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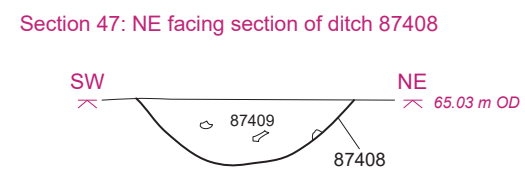
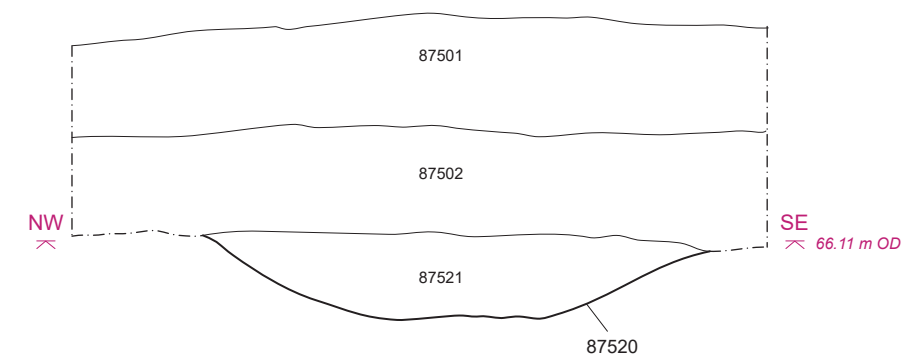
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Figure 41. Sections 39-43





Section 51: South-west facing section of ditch 87520



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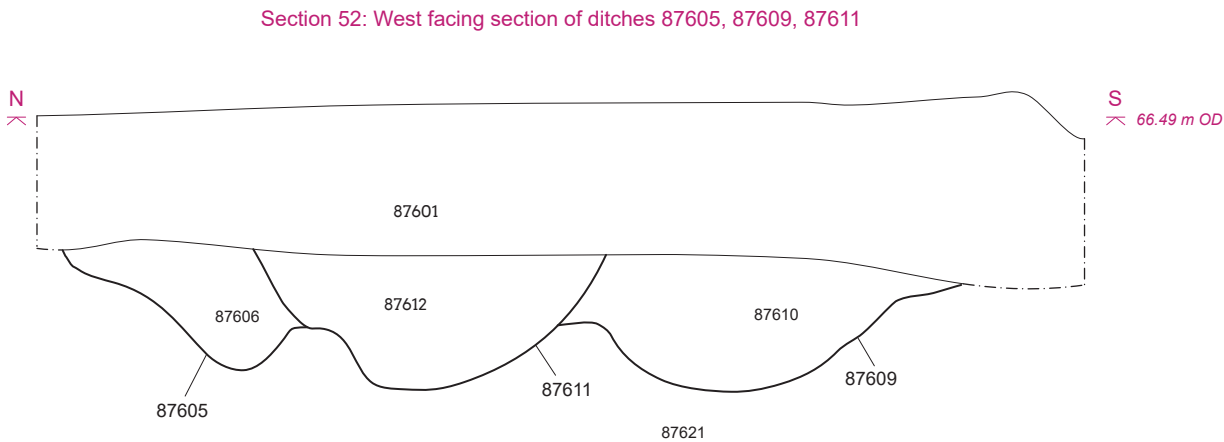
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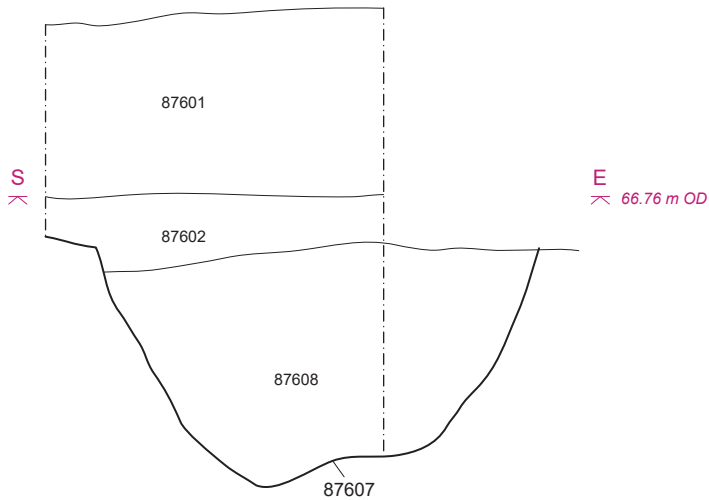
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Figure 42. Sections 44-51

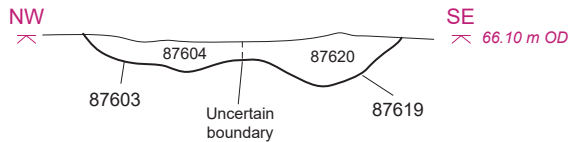




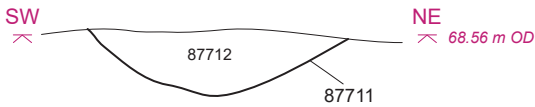
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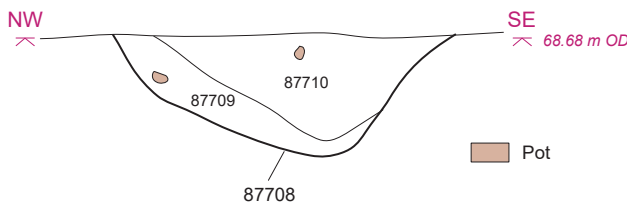
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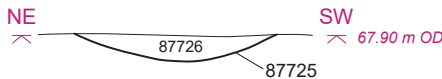
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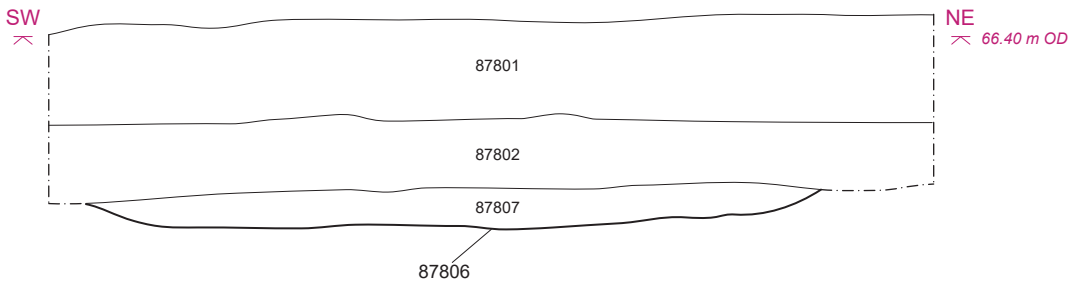
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Section 57: North-west facing section of ditch 87725



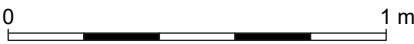
Section 58: South-east facing section of ditch 87806



Section 59: North facing section of pit 88209



Section 60: South-west facing section of ditch 91727



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Figure 43. Sections 52-60





Figure 44. Block 2 waterlogged conditions



Figure 45. Block 5 waterlogged conditions



Figure 46. Block 9 waterlogged conditions



Figure 47. Trench 631, post-medieval drain 63107

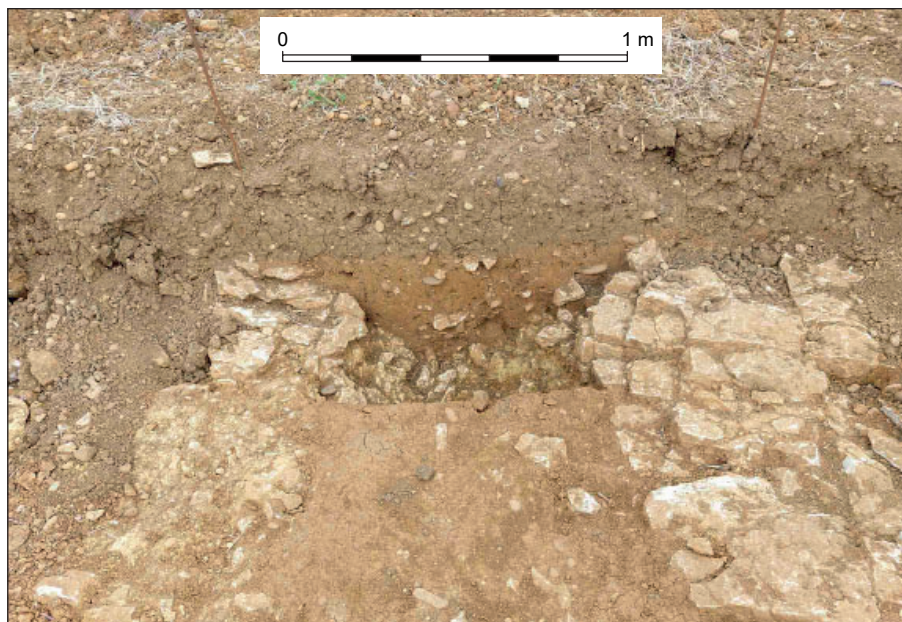


Figure 48. Trench 646, ring ditch 64607, looking north, 1 m scale



Figure 49. Trench 679, Pit 67904, looking northwest, 1 m scale



Figure 50. Trench 682, foundation cut 68210 and robber cut 68212, looking northwest, 0.5 m scale



Figure 51. Trench 750 Grave 75012, Beaker ON54 *in-situ*



Figure 52. Trench 750, Barrow ditch 75022 and pit 75024, looking northwest, 1 m scale



Figure 53. Trench 750, Grave 75014, looking northwest, 1 m scale



Figure 54. Trench 750, Beaker graves, looking south, 1 m scale



Figure 55. Trench 850, Ditch 85033 and posthole 85035



Figure 56. Trench 856, Cremation grave 85604, 0.2 m scale



Figure 57. Trench 857, Ditch 85706, looking northwest, 1 m and 0.5 m scales



Figure 58. Trench 873, Post-medieval uninscribed seal matrix with the design of a swan from topsoil



Figure 59. Trench 874, Ditch terminus 87410, looking northwest, 0.5 m scale



Figure 60. Trench 878, Horse burial 87810, 1 m scale



Figure 61. Trench 879, undated animal burial 87904



Figure 62. Trench 750 Flint Arrowheads ON's 62, 63, 64, 65, 66 + 68

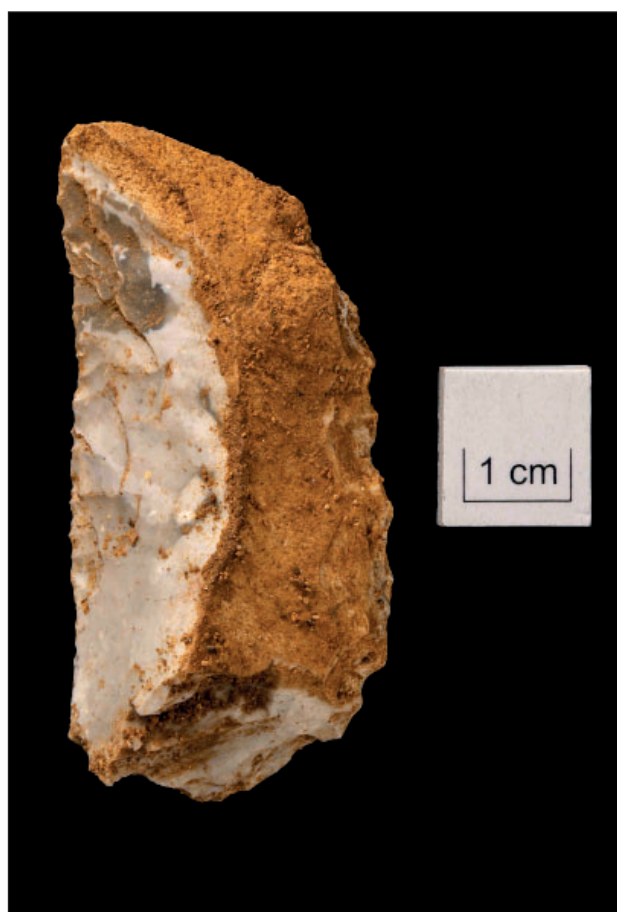


Figure 63. Trench 750 Flint knife ON 67



Figure 64. Trench 750 Flint scraper ON 69



Figure 65. Trench 750 incised stone ON 58



Figure 66. Trench 750 Shale ring ON 55



Figure 67. Trench 750 Wristguards ON's 59, 61, 71 + 76



Figure 68. Trench 827, Modern copper alloy compass, ON 151, from topsoil



Figure 69. Trench 827, Folded paper ticket found inside ON 151



Figure 70. Trench 827, Paper ticket, printed with 55, found inside ON 151



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