


SITE GPR	YEAR 2011	AREA B	SECTOR	ELEVATION Min: 62.638 Max: 63.012	STRATIGRAPHICAL UNIT 1055 <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anthropogenic	 University of Birmingham British Museum of Archaeology <b>Gabii Project</b>
	In cross-section? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			In elevation drawing? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		

DEFINITION Tumble Layer SE of site.	Covered by <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SU: 1032	Fills <input type="checkbox"/> SU:	Filled by <input type="checkbox"/> SU:
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HOW IS LAYER DISTINGUISHED? <input type="checkbox"/> Color <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Composition <input type="checkbox"/> Compaction	FORMATION PROCESS <input type="checkbox"/> Accumulation <input type="checkbox"/> Construction <input type="checkbox"/> Cutting <input type="checkbox"/> Erosion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Collapse <input type="checkbox"/> Intentional deposition
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INCLUSIONS For each inclusion specify frequency: (f)requent, (m)edium, (r)are			SOIL/MATRIX clay 5% silt 75% sand 20% <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Granular <input type="checkbox"/> Layered <input type="checkbox"/> Cohesive
<b>Anthropic</b>	<b>Geological</b>	<b>Organic</b>	<b>Compaction</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pottery F <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tiles M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amphorae R <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dolia R <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mosaic tile(s) M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mortar F <input type="checkbox"/> Coins <input type="checkbox"/> Metal (specify) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Collapse debris F <input type="checkbox"/> Glass <input type="checkbox"/> Nails <input type="checkbox"/> Marble <input type="checkbox"/> Quarried debris <input type="checkbox"/> Slag <input type="checkbox"/> Brick <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basalt slabs F <input type="checkbox"/> Opus signinum <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Painted plaster R <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt Adobe <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tufo (specify) F <input type="checkbox"/> Travertine <input type="checkbox"/> Other Limestone <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basalt F <input type="checkbox"/> Clay <input type="checkbox"/> Sand <input type="checkbox"/> Silt <input type="checkbox"/> Pebbles (range) <input type="checkbox"/> Gravel (range)	<input type="checkbox"/> Charcoal <input type="checkbox"/> Ash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Animal bones M <input type="checkbox"/> Human bones <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Animal teeth M <input type="checkbox"/> Human teeth <input type="checkbox"/> Shells <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hard <input type="checkbox"/> Compact <input type="checkbox"/> Friable <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Loose <input type="checkbox"/> Soft <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Brown <input type="checkbox"/> Gray <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Light Brown <input type="checkbox"/> Light Gray <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow <input type="checkbox"/> Red <input type="checkbox"/> Light Yellow <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)

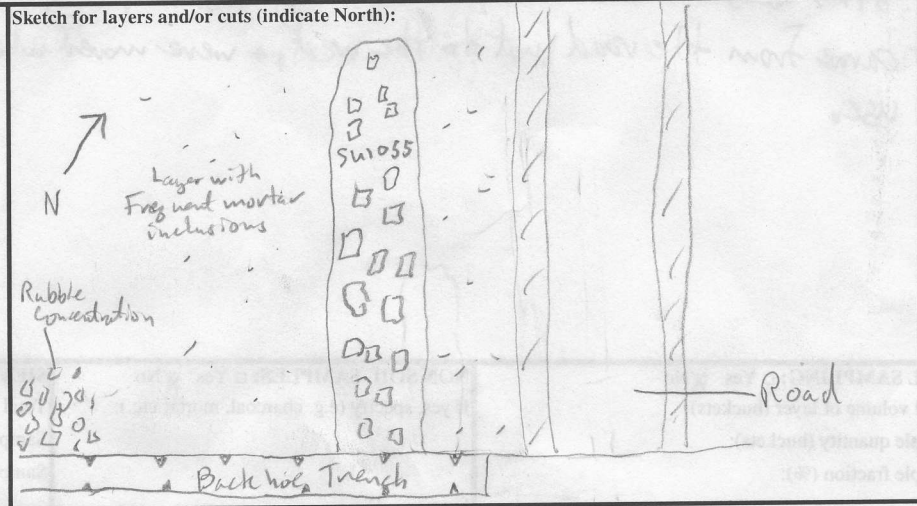
UNIT LIMITS (also indicate on overlay)	Depth: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original
Northern Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit	
Southern Limit <input type="checkbox"/> Original <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit	
Western Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit	
Eastern Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit	

STRATIGRAPHICAL SEQUENCE	
Is equal to:	Is bound to (only for masonry):
Is abutted by:	Abuts:
Is covered by: 1032	Covers:  1368
Is cut by:	Cuts:
Is filled by:	Fills:

OBSERVATIONS  
 SU 1055 was identified in 2004 but left unexcavated; fully excavated in 2011.  
 SEE SU shed + Transparency from 2004

DESCRIPTION  
 Position within sector: SE area B 2011, just west of road  
 Shape: Linear spread

For layers complete this section:  
 Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions): slopes down to south; ceramics visible between basalt + tufo stones  
 Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope):  
 Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?): thickness increases to the south  
 Nature of the interface with layer below:  sharp  diffuse  commingled  other (specify)

For cuts complete this section: Cut edges: <input type="checkbox"/> rounded <input type="checkbox"/> straight Cut sides: <input type="checkbox"/> straight <input type="checkbox"/> concave <input type="checkbox"/> convex <input type="checkbox"/> sloping Cut bottom: <input type="checkbox"/> flat <input type="checkbox"/> concave <input type="checkbox"/> irregular How is cut top edge? <input type="checkbox"/> sharp <input type="checkbox"/> rounded How is cut bottom edge? <input type="checkbox"/> sharp <input type="checkbox"/> rounded Observations:	Sketch for layers and/or cuts (indicate North): 
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**For structural remains complete this section**

Alignment:

Building Technique:  Adobe/Mud-brick  Ashlar (blocks)  irregular (unworked) stone  Concrete  Other (specify)

Binding Agent:  None  Clay  Mortar (if so, specify composition, color, compaction)

Concrete inclusions:

Material  Tufo  Basalt  Travertine  Tiles  Other (specify)

Size  Small (range) \_\_\_\_\_  Medium (range) \_\_\_\_\_  Large (range) \_\_\_\_\_ Representative size: e.g. 2 x 1 x 2 cmz

Wall Facing:

Opus quadratum  Opus incertum  Opus reticulatum  Petit appareil  Opus testaceum  Opus mixtum  Opus vittatum  Other (specify)

Complete this section for foundations  Faced foundation  Wooden shuttering  No shuttering

floor/revetment type

Floor type:  Beaten Earth  Opus signinum  Opus scutulatum  Opus Sectile  Mosaic  Opus spicatum  Other (specify)

Wall finishing  Stucco  Opus signinum  Plaster  Painted Plaster  Other (specify)

Approx. length, width, height of structural remains:

Description:

Sketch (if applicable, indicate North)

**INTERPRETATION**

Linear spread of rubble, possibly representing the collapse of a wall; however, no other walls are visible in the area. Many basalt paving stones were found, which probably came from the road just to the west, + were moved when the road was no longer in use.

**OIL SAMPLING:**  Yes  No

Total volume of layer (buckets):

Sample quantity (buckets):

Sample fraction (%):

**NON SOIL SAMPLES:**  Yes  No

If yes, specify (e.g. charcoal, mortar etc.):

Size:

**SIEVING:**  Yes  No

Total volume of layer (buckets):

Sample quantity (buckets):

Sample fraction (%):

**STRATIGRAPHICAL RELIABILITY**

Good  Fair  Poor

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