SITE	YEAR	AREA	SECTOR	ELEVATION	STRATIGRAPHICAL UNIT	
GPR	2010	B		Min: 63.4733 Max: 64.0447	1208 □ Natural ☑ Anthropic	Gabii Project

In cross-section?	In elevation drawing?	Photos:	Photo Model:
□ Yes ☒ No	□ Yes ☒ No	☑ Yes □ No #: 729,728	□ Yes ☒ No #:

DEFINITION	Covered by	Fills	Filled by
Layer of gravel within cut 1113	☒ SU: 1016	☒ SU: 1113	□ SU:

HOW IS LAYER DISTINGUISHED?
□ Color □ Composition □ Compaction

FORMATION PROCESS
☒ Accumulation □ Construction □ Cutting □ Erosion □ Collapse □ Intentional deposition

INCLUSIONS For each inclusion specify frequency: (f)requent, (m)edium, (r)are

Anthropic		*Geological*	*Organic*
☑ Pottery m	☑ Nails r	☑ Tufo (specify) f	☑ Charcoal r
☑ Tiles m	□ Marble	□ Travertine	□ Ash
□ Amphorae	□ Quarried debris	□ Other Limestone	☑ Animal bones m
□ Dolia	□ Slag □ Brick	□ Basalt	□ Human bones
□ Mosaic tile(s)	□ Basalt slabs	□ Clay	☑ Animal teeth m
□ Mortar	□ Opus signinum	□ Sand	□ Human teeth
□ Coins	☑ Painted plaster r	□ Silt	□ Shells
☑ Metal (specify) r	□ Burnt Adobe	□ Pebbles (range)	□ Other (specify)
□ Collapse debris	□ Other (specify)	☑ Gravel (range) f fist-sized	
□ Glass			

SOIL/MATRIX
clay 20 % silt 80 % sand ____ %
□ Granular □ Layered ☑ Cohesive

Compaction	*Color*	
□ Hard	□ Black	□ Brown
☑ Compact	☑ Gray	□ Light Brown
□ Friable	□ Light Gray	□ White
□ Loose	□ Yellow	□ Red
□ Soft	□ Light Yellow	
	□ Other (specify)	

UNIT LIMITS (also indicate on overlay)

				Depth:
Northern Limit	☑ Original	□ Not Original	□ Excavation Limit	☑ Original □ Not Original
Southern Limit	☑ Original	□ Not Original	□ Excavation Limit	
Western Limit	☑ Original	□ Not Original	□ Excavation Limit	
Eastern Limit	☑ Original	□ Not Original	□ Excavation Limit	

STRATIGRAPHICAL SEQUENCE

Is equal to:	**Is bound to (only for masonry):**
Is abutted by:	**Abuts:**
Is covered by: 1016	**Covers:**
Is cut by:	**Cuts:**
Is filled by:	**Fills:** 1113

OBSERVATIONS
Gravelly layer; bedrock underneath
May cover east-west ashlar block wall

DESCRIPTION
Position within sector: NW area

Shape: irregular rectangle, oriented NW.

For layers complete this section:

Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions):
Slopes to the south; visible inclusions of tufo

Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope): Even assortment of pottery; scattered inclusions of bone
slopes down to southwest

Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?): decreased in thickness towards west

Nature of the interface with layer below: □ sharp ☑ diffuse □ commigled □ other (specify)

For cuts complete this section:

Cut edges: □ rounded □ straight

Cut sides □ straight □ concave □ convex □ sloping

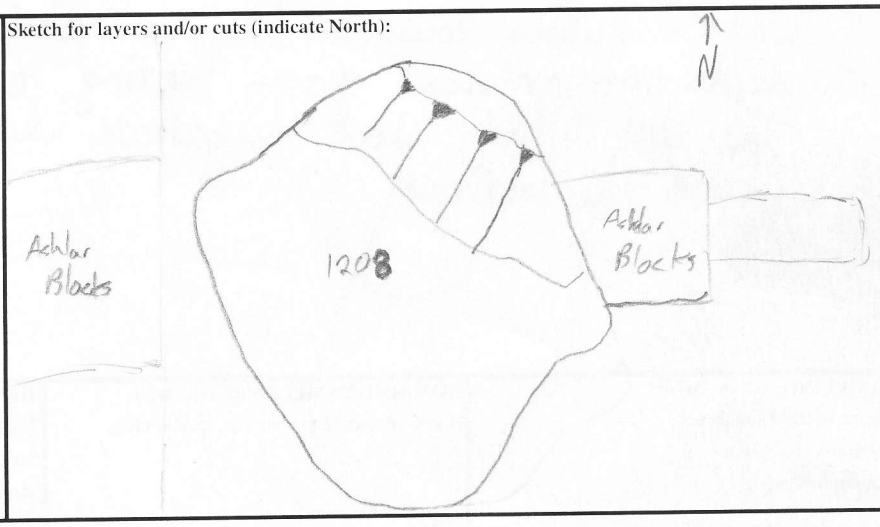
Cut bottom: □ flat □ concave □ irregular

How is cut top edge? □ sharp □ rounded

How is cut bottom edge? □ sharp □ rounded

Observations:

Sketch for layers and/or cuts (indicate North):



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

Rubble layer, a possible destruction layer, covering a retaining wall. Rubble could be from collapsed wall, or it could be deposition material from looting (see su 1207).
The soil directly above the bedrock was difficult to distinguish above the bedrock.

SOIL SAMPLING: □ Yes ☑ No	**NON SOIL SAMPLES:** □ Yes ☑ No	**SIEVING:** □ Yes ☑ No
Total volume of layer (buckets):	If yes, specify (e.g. charcoal, mortar etc.):	Total volume of layer (buckets):
Sample quantity (buckets):		Sample quantity (buckets):
Sample fraction (%):	Size:	Sample fraction (%):

STRATIGRAPHICAL RELIABILITY		
□ Good □ Fair □ Poor	Filled-out by J. Pearce, J. Garner, J. Vahl	on July 21, 2010
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