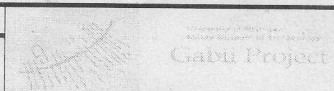


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In cross-section? Yes No In elevation drawing? Yes No Photos: Yes No #: 2146-249 Photo Model: Yes No #:

DEFINITION: LARGE LAYER CORRESPONDING TO CENTRAL AREA OF "HOUSE" WITHOUT PAVEMENT PREPARATION

Covered by SU: 2228 Fills SU: 2214-16 Filled by SU:

HOW IS LAYER DISTINGUISHED? FORMATION PROCESS

Color Composition Compaction Accumulation Construction Cutting Erosion Collapse Intentional deposition

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

Anthropic	Geological	Organic	SOIL/MATRIX														
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UNIT LIMITS (also indicate on overlay)

Northern Limit Original Not Original Excavation Limit Depth: 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: 2228 Covers: 2330, 2331, 2213, 2253, 2202, 2273, 2272

Is cut by: 2304 Covers cont.: 2345, 2338, 2371, 2374, 2351

Is filled by: Fills:

OBSERVATIONS

EXCAVATED W/ PICKAXE BETWEEN WEEK OF 4 JULY AND FRI., 18 JULY. INITIALLY A HALF-SECTION WAS MADE AND THE NORTHERN PORTION WAS EXCAVATED, BUT AFTER THE EXCAVATION AREA WAS EXTENDED TO THE SOUTH, THIS SU WAS ALSO

DESCRIPTION EXPANDED AND THEN EXCAVATED IN ITS ENTIRETY.

Position within sector: centre of southern half of Area C

Shape: Irregular

For layers complete this section:

Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions): some exposed rocks/rubble near S. edge
occasional visible stones throughout SU2246

Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope)

Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?): THICKNESS DECREASES TO THE SOUTH

Nature of the interface with layer below: sharp diffuse commigled other (specify) (SHARP W/WALLS = FLOOR; DIFFUSE W/REST OF AREA)

For cuts complete this section:

Cut edges: rounded straight

Cut sides: straight concave convex sloping

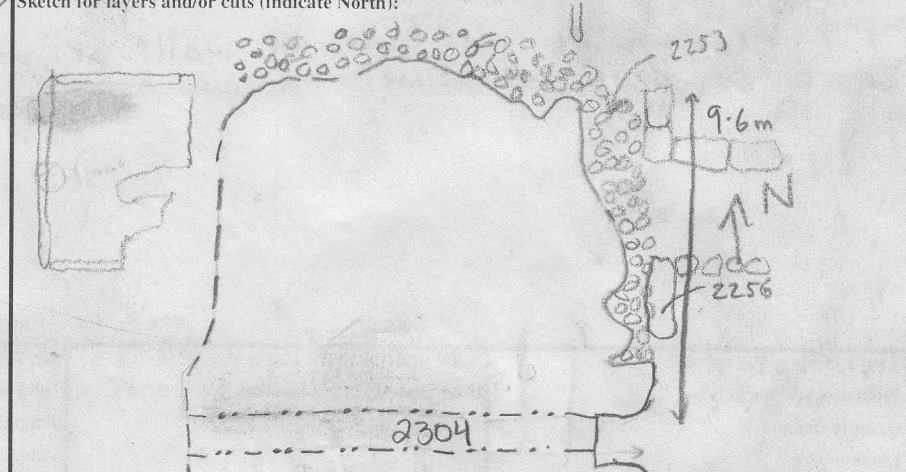
Cut bottom: flat concave irregular

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 Agents: 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

Large, mostly empty layer. Impluvium not found, Possibly a courtyard or atrium area. Very little inclusions points to it being just a large empty area with no floor or walls or other materials. CERTAINLY A LAYER OF POST-ABANDONMENT ACCUMULATION.

SOIL 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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