SITE	YEAR	AREA	SECTOR	ELEVATION	STRATIGRAPHICAL UNIT
GPR		D		Min: 61.46 36 Max: 61.55 61	3213 ☐ Natural ☐ Anthropic

Gabii Project

In cross-section? ☐ Yes ☒ No | In elevation drawing? ☐ Yes ☐ No | Photos: ☒ Yes ☐ No #: 548-550 | Photo Model: ☐ Yes ☐ No #: 396

DEFINITION: Red burned semi-circular deposit in NE corner of room 1

Covered by	Fills	Filled by
☒ SU: 3171, 3143	☐ SU:	☐ 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 R	☐ Nails	☒ Tufo (specify) R	☒ Charcoal R
☐ Tiles	☐ Marble	☐ Travertine	☒ Ash M
☐ Amphorae	☐ Quarried debris	☐ Other Limestone	☒ Animal bones R
☐ Dolia	☐ Slag ☐ Brick	☐ Basalt	☐ Human bones
☐ Mosaic tile(s)	☐ Basalt slabs	☐ Clay	☐ Animal teeth
☐ Mortar	☐ Opus signinum	☐ Sand	☐ Human teeth
☐ Coins	☒ Painted plaster M	☐ Silt	☐ Shells
☐ Metal (specify)	☐ Burnt Adobe	☐ Pebbles (range)	☐ Other (specify)
☐ Collapse debris	☐ Other (specify)	☐ Gravel (range)	
☐ Glass			

SOIL/MATRIX
clay 0% silt 80% sand 20%
☐ 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)

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: 3171, 3143	**Covers:**
Is cut by:	**Cuts:**
Is filled by:	**Fills:**

OBSERVATIONS
Excavated by trowel and pickaxe on a cloudy day (23-7-12)

DESCRIPTION
Position within sector: central part of area; NE part of room 1

Shape: Irregular

For layers complete this section:

Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions):
slight E → W slope; few rocky inclusions

Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope)
Few rocky inclusions; no visible slope

Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?):
Decreases W → E

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

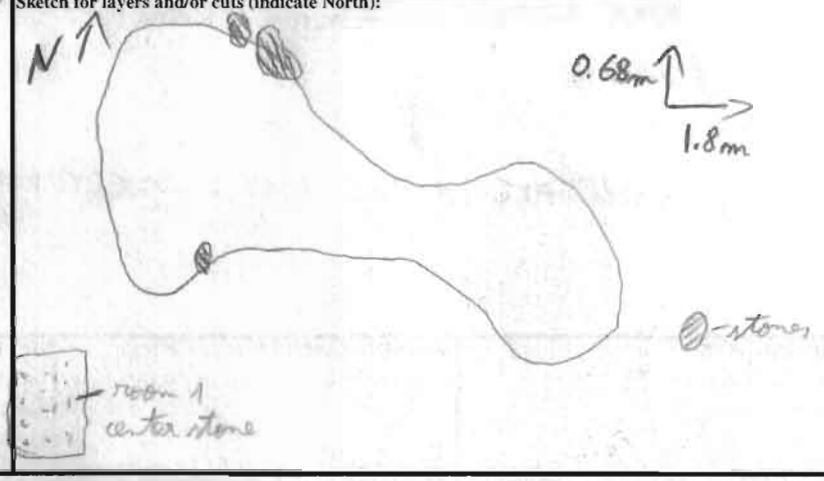
Cut bottom: ☐ flat ☐ concave ☐ irregular

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

RED BURNED LAYER POSSIBLY RELATED TO THE HEARTH. COULD HAVE BEEN AN INTENTIONAL DEPOSITION. MAY HAVE BEEN A DESTROYED FEATURE. REPRESENTATIVE OF BURNING ACTIVITY IN ROOM 1

* ALL FINDS ARE IN SOIL SAMPLE EXCEPT FOR PLASTER SAMPLE

SOIL SAMPLING: ☒ Yes □ No Total volume of layer (buckets): 3 Sample quantity (buckets): 2 Sample fraction (%): 66.7 %	**NON SOIL SAMPLES:** □ Yes ☒ No If yes, specify (e.g. charcoal, mortar etc.): Size:	**SIEVING:** ☒ Yes □ No Total volume of layer (buckets): 3 Sample quantity (buckets): 1 Sample fraction (%): 33.3 %

STRATIGRAPHICAL RELIABILITY □ Good ☒ Fair □ Poor	Filled-out by Sabina H.	on 23-7-12
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