SITE	YEAR	AREA		SECTOR	ELEVATION	STRATIGRAPHICAL UNIT	
GPR	2010	A			Min: 64.1353 Max: 64.2077	517 □ Natural □ Anthropic	Gabii Project

In cross-section? □ Yes ☑No	In elevation drawing? □ Yes ☑No	Photos: ☑Yes □ No #: 1210 - 12	Photo Model: □ Yes ☑ No #:

DEFINITION
Fill of oblong posthole to the W of 128

Covered by ☑SU: 334	Fills ☑SU: 518	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
□ Pottery	□ Nails	☑Tufo (specify) grey(f)	□ Charcoal	clay 5 % silt 90 % sand 5 %
□ Tiles	□ Marble	□ Travertine	□ Ash	□ Granular □ Layered □ Cohesive
□ Amphorae	□ Quarried debris	□ Other Limestone	□ Animal bones	
□ Dolia	□ Slag □ Brick	□ Basalt	□ Human bones	

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

Anthropic (cont.)		Geological (cont.)	Organic (cont.)
□ Mosaic tile(s)	□ Basalt slabs	□ Clay	□ Animal teeth
□ Mortar	□ Opus signinum	□ Sand	□ Human teeth
□ Coins	□ Painted plaster	□ Silt	□ Shells
□ Metal (specify)	□ Burnt Adobe	□ Pebbles (range)	□ Other (specify)
□ Collapse debris	□ Other (specify)	□ Gravel (range)	
□ Glass			

UNIT LIMITS (also indicate on overlay)

				Depth: ☑Original □ Not Original
Northern Limit	☑Original □ Not Original □ Excavation Limit			
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: 334	Covers:
Is cut by:	Cuts:
Is filled by:	Fills: 518

OBSERVATIONS
An oblong fill of a cut that lies on the higher part of the bedrock to the W of 128

DESCRIPTION
Position within sector:
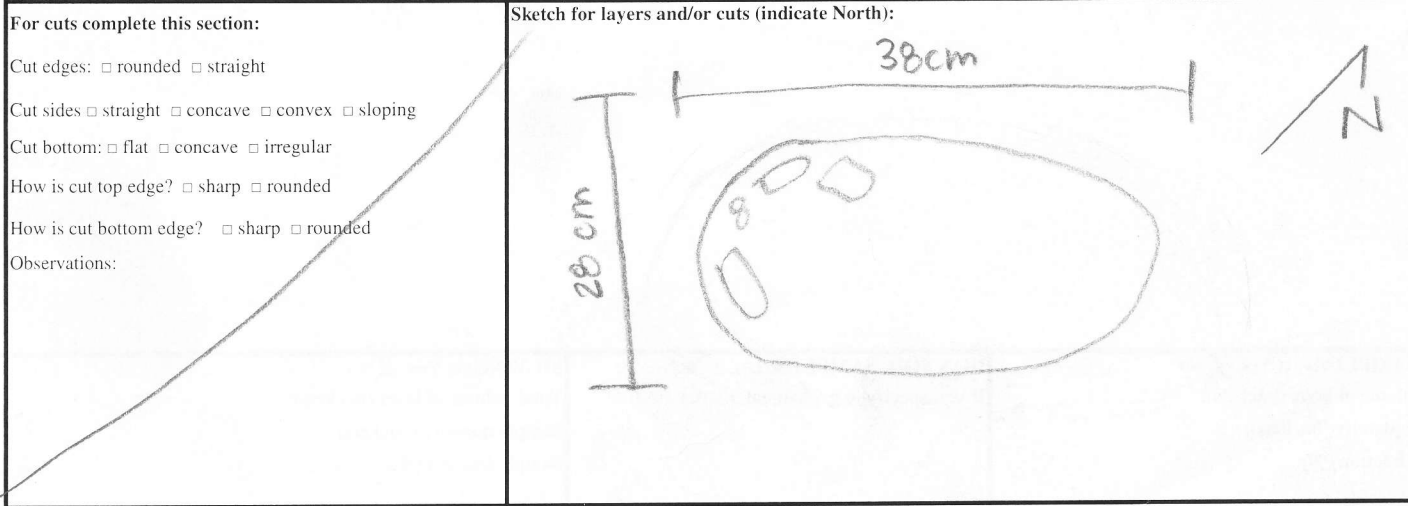In the SE corner of Area A, west of 128
Shape:
oblong

For layers complete this section:

Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions): Slopes towards the N down the bedrock. Few visible inclusions (a piece of tufo in the SW corner)

Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope) A small cluster of tufo in the SW corner of SU

Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?): about 15 cm thick and the thickness is constant throughout the SU

Nature of the interface with layer below: ☑sharp □ diffuse □ commingled □ 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):

38cm

28 cm

N

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

Appears to be a posthole fill

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 (%):		Sample fraction (%):
	Size:	

STRATIGRAPHICAL RELIABILITY		
☒ Good □ Fair □ Poor	Filled-out by Allison	on 28-29 July 2010
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	PDFd by	on
	Entered by	on