
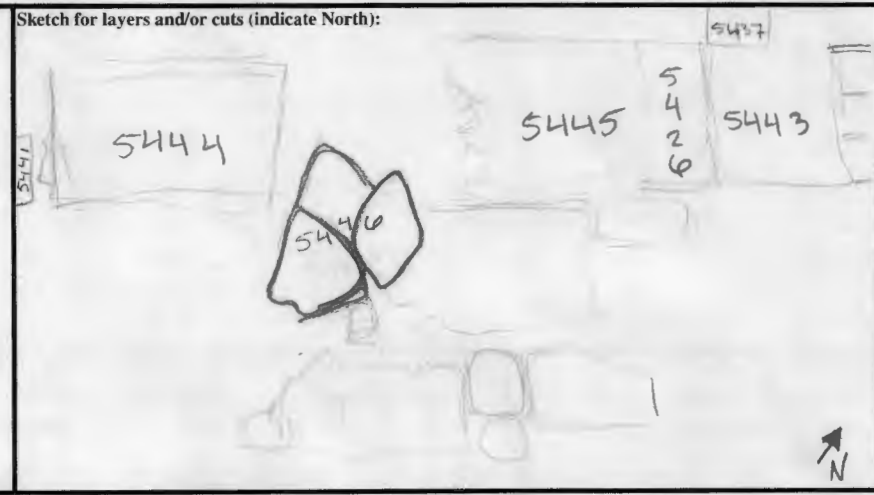


SITE GPR	YEAR 13	AREA F-South	SECTOR	ELEVATION Min: 59.27 Max: 59.79	STRATIGRAPHICAL UNIT 5446 <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anthropic	 University of Michigan Ralph H. Wilson School of Architecture Gabii Project
				In cross-section? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	In elevation drawing? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
DEFINITION Collapse south of F thresholds 5444 & 5445				Covered by <input type="checkbox"/> SU: 0	Fills <input type="checkbox"/> SU:	Filled by <input type="checkbox"/> SU:
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				
INCLUSIONS For each inclusion specify frequency: (f)requent, (m)edium, (r)are			SOIL/MATRIX NONE PRESERVED			
Anthropic NONE		Geological	Organic NONE	clay ___% silt ___% sand ___% <input type="checkbox"/> Granular <input type="checkbox"/> Layered <input type="checkbox"/> Cohesive		
<input type="checkbox"/> Pottery <input type="checkbox"/> Nails <input type="checkbox"/> Tiles <input type="checkbox"/> Marble <input type="checkbox"/> Amphorae <input type="checkbox"/> Quarried debris <input type="checkbox"/> Dolia <input type="checkbox"/> Slag <input type="checkbox"/> Brick <input type="checkbox"/> Mosaic tile(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Basalt slabs <input type="checkbox"/> Mortar <input type="checkbox"/> Opus signinum <input type="checkbox"/> Coins <input type="checkbox"/> Painted plaster <input type="checkbox"/> Metal (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt Adobe <input type="checkbox"/> Collapse debris <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Glass		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tufo (specify) Gray <input type="checkbox"/> Travertine <input type="checkbox"/> Other Limestone <input type="checkbox"/> Basalt <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 type="checkbox"/> Animal bones <input type="checkbox"/> Human bones <input type="checkbox"/> Animal teeth <input type="checkbox"/> Human teeth <input type="checkbox"/> Shells <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Compaction <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hard <input type="checkbox"/> Compact <input type="checkbox"/> Friable <input type="checkbox"/> Loose <input type="checkbox"/> Soft		
				Color <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Brown <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gray <input 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)						
Northern Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original <input type="checkbox"/> Excavation Limit			Depth: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Not Original			
Southern Limit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input 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: 0			Covers:			
Is cut by:			Cuts:			
Is filled by:			Fills:			
OBSERVATIONS Previously excavated 15 years ago by the Soprintendenza, re-exposed by Gabii Project & left in situ						
DESCRIPTION Position within sector: South-west corner of F-South Shape: irregular						
For layers complete this section: Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions): SEE DESCRIPTION ON REVERSE Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope): Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?): Nature of the interface with layer below: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> sharp <input type="checkbox"/> diffuse <input type="checkbox"/> commigled <input type="checkbox"/> 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): 			

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:

1 x 1 x 1 m

Description:

Three broken tufo blocks lying between SU 5444 and SU 5445. The two more southern blocks have broken edges as well as a side which seems to have been cut intentionally in a curve, the northern block appears to have on broken edges. Layers beneath the blocks have not been identified or recorded.

Sketch (if applicable, indicate North)

addition, the stones may have been moved during previous excavations.

INTERPRETATION

These three blocks seem to have at one time been a complete block, but are now positioned in such a way as to make determining which edges connected virtually impossible. There are two likely scenarios for the original location of these blocks. First, the blocks could have originally been the missing block between SU 5444 and SU 5445. The current position of the blocks does not allow one to see if any of the three have the lip the other thresholds have. Second, because of the curved edges of two of the blocks these could constitute a fallen column, perhaps from one of the piers (SU 5442 + SU 5443). It seems more likely that these blocks were one a column due to the curved sides, the lack of a rim, and their final position, i.e. the threshold would not likely be broken up and then left right in front of its original position. In

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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