

SITE GIR	YEAR 13	AREA F	SECTOR SUSH	ELEVATION Min: 59.0677 Max: 59.2531	STRATIGRAPHICAL UNIT 5333 <input type="checkbox"/> Natural <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anthropic	University of Michigan Laboratory of Archaeology Gabii Project
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In cross-section? Yes No
 In elevation drawing? Yes No
 Photos: Yes No #: 3071
 Photo Model: Yes No #:

DEFINITION
Cut in tufo slabs 5436
 Covered by: SU: 0
 Fills: SU: SU: PREVIOUSLY EXCAVATED

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	SOIL/MATRIX
<input type="checkbox"/> Pottery <input type="checkbox"/> Tiles <input type="checkbox"/> Amphorae <input type="checkbox"/> Dolia <input type="checkbox"/> Mosaic tile(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Mortar <input type="checkbox"/> Coins <input type="checkbox"/> Metal (specify) <input type="checkbox"/> Collapse debris <input type="checkbox"/> Glass	<input type="checkbox"/> Nails <input type="checkbox"/> Marble <input type="checkbox"/> Quarried debris <input type="checkbox"/> Slag <input type="checkbox"/> Brick <input type="checkbox"/> Basalt slabs <input type="checkbox"/> Opus signinum <input type="checkbox"/> Painted plaster <input type="checkbox"/> Burnt Adobe <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> Tufo (specify) <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)	clay ___% silt ___% sand ___% <input type="checkbox"/> Granular <input type="checkbox"/> Layered <input type="checkbox"/> Cohesive Compaction <input 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 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 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

Depth: Original Not Original

STRATIGRAPHICAL SEQUENCE

Is equal to: _____ Is bound to (only for masonry): _____
 Is abutted by: _____ Abuts: _____
 Is covered by: Covers: _____
 Is cut by: _____ Cuts: 5436
 Is filled by: PREVIOUSLY EXCAVATED Fills: _____

OBSERVATIONS

DESCRIPTION
 Position within sector: CENTRAL-EAST F. SUSH "Room" 15
 Shape: CIRCULAR

For layers complete this section:

Surface (slope direction; visible inclusions): _____
 Observations about inclusions (Clusters? Deposition slope): _____
 Observations about thickness (Increases? Decreases?): _____
 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:
 FILL PREVIOUSLY EXCAVATED BY SPAINISH SOLDIER, CUT DEGRADED + SHALLOW; IRREGULAR BOTTOM

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

SO 5033 cuts TUFO SLABS 5436 AND STCS ADJACENT (TO THE WEST) OF LATE CEMENT WALL 5417A AND TO THE WEST OF RWHN FEATURE (LOWERED WITH A MEDIUM GRAPE + CEMENT). THE FILL WAS PREVIOUSLY EXCAVATED BY THE SUPERINTENDENZA LEAVING LITTLE INFORMATION EXCEPT ABOUT STRATIGRAPHIC RELATIONSHIPS OR PURPOSE. It possibly contains some sort of post hole associated with later phases.

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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