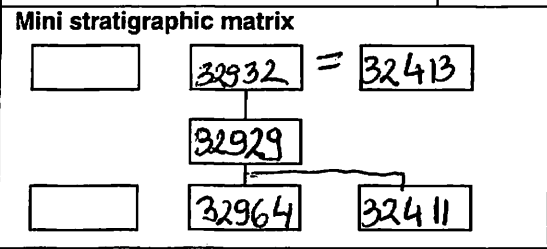


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AREA:	GRID SQUARE (S):	GRID CO-ORDINATES:	INITIALS & DATE:	FEATURE No.:
AKT-E	201.H36 201.H37	E N	KW 9/02/2011	32929

FEATURE TYPE (For example wall, staircase, bench, foundation structure, platform etc.):	Full extent visible in plan: YES / <b>(NO)</b>
WALL (RETAINING)	

1. Dimensions (in metres)	Length: <del>pos. 4.43m</del> pos. c. 4.3m	Width: 0.32m	Height: ca. 0.60m
2. Type of material(s) used	mudbricks (silt or "bubble gum")		
3. Coursing (form of construction)	system of stretchers, rather crude; about 3 courses visible		
4. Orientation	E-W		
5. Associated collapse	—		
6. Cut & fill feature #'s	—		
7. Repaired?	not observed;		
8. Associated floors	possibly <del>3299</del> 32931 (moat), 33010 (v. wash)		
9. Surface treatments? E.g. plaster, paint, mouldings	mud render 32930; possibly was lime-washed → not preserved		
10. Size of one component	0.32m x 0.15 x 0.14m (bricks vary in size), some appear broken		
11. Bonding material	—		
12. Excavated	<b>(No)</b> partially		



Abuts: ~~32915~~ 29062, 32966, 32910, 32915, 32916

Same as: —

Abutted by: 32913, 32916

Associated features: 29068, 29062

Bonded into: —

Contiguous with: ~~32951~~? 29062?

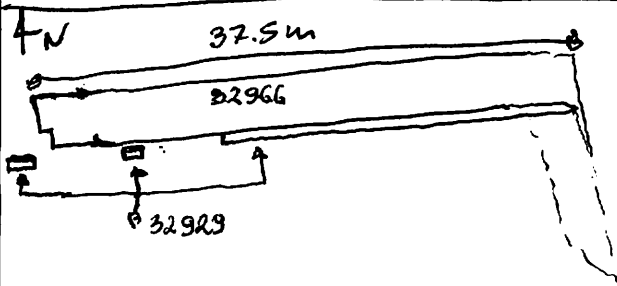
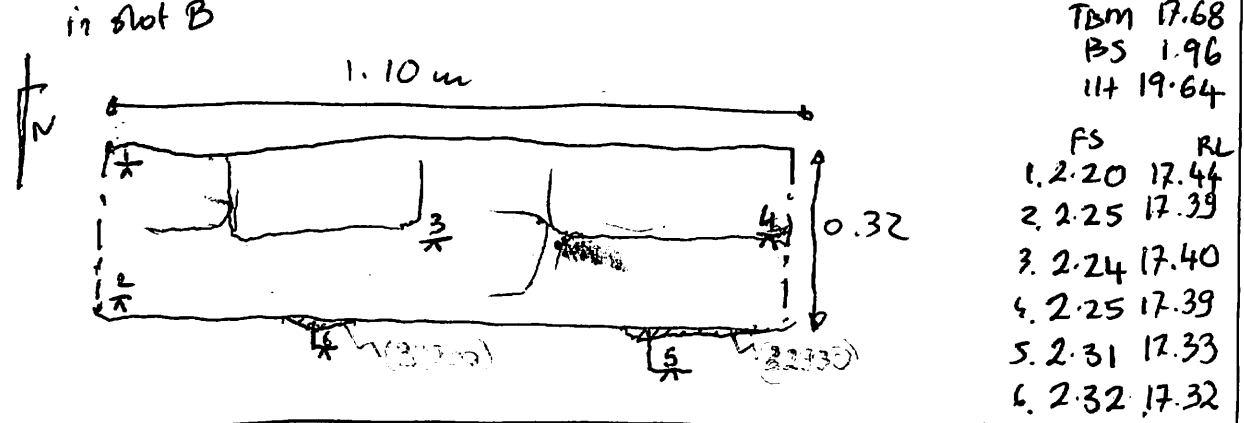
**Discussion and interpretation:** This is an early retaining wall predating (29057); it is lower than 29057 → although it is possible that it has been leveled to create a base for (29057). It is also narrower than the later retaining wall; has been badly damaged by the foundation deposits of the upper level corridor. Appears to continue further to the east → visible under collapse of 29057 in slot "A" excavated in 2009.

Bottom course of mudbricks is much more carefully laid out → stretchers on their beds, x 0.16m large silty bricks (v. 0.40m long x v. 0.20m wide). Spaces in between the bricks filled with silt (contains charcoal and pottery); some brick seen reversed and were most probably on them.

This wall has been observed in plan along 32966, right to the place where it turns south; it possibly stretched from east to the bedrock in the W and would measure c. 4.5m; observed also in slot "A" in 2009.

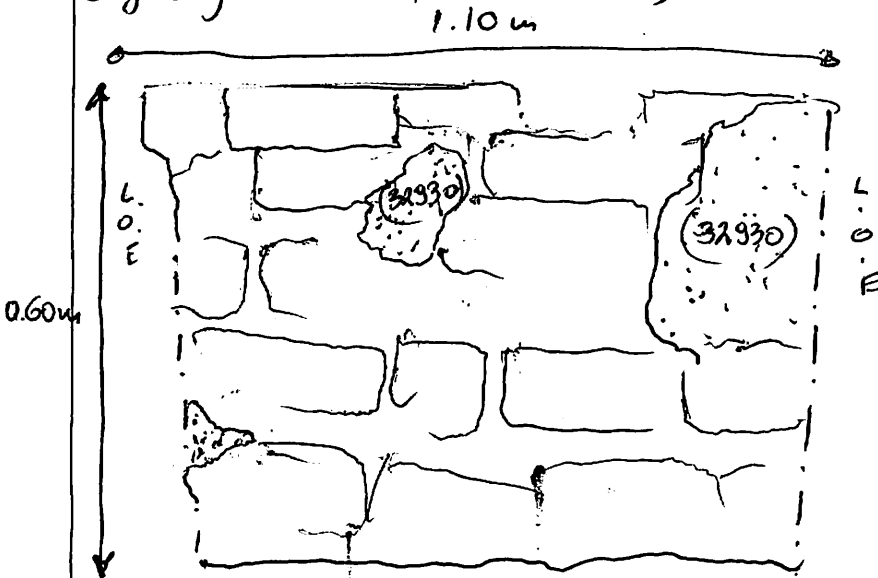
Remember: do not just draw the architectural feature in isolation. Show how it relates to surrounding features and include details of surface treatments, repairs/modifications/damage, bonding material(s), and associated cuts. Annotate all aspects of the feature or use a Drawing Key. Measurements must be included for all aspects of the feature and surrounding features.

**Sketch Plan** - Include grid co-ordinates, North arrow, and elevations.



**Profile Sketch** - State direction the elevation of the feature being drawn is facing e.g. 'West Facing Elevation of Feature .... If feature was drawn in section then include the grid co-ordinates and elevations.

5-facing elevation (Slot B)



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306788, 306789

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Space No.: 2011-140, 2011-145, 2011-149	Structure No.: <del>700-705</del> ; 306792-795
Matrix Group:	Matrix Phase:
Samples taken: brick sample: 2011-998, wet sieve 2011-999 2011-1006 - pottery, 2011-1001 - charcoal	