

PKAP Stratigraphic Unit Form 2012

Area: Vigla Excavation Unit 14 Stratigraphic Unit S106

Date (dd/mm/yy): 26/15/22 Recorder: Bo Supervisor: Bo

Summary: Mudbrick debris/destruction

Elevation Min: <u>54.99</u> Max: <u>55.15</u>		Coordinates N <u>74.46</u> W <u>67.02</u> E <u>69.07</u> S <u>71.90</u>	
Harris matrix			
	<u>S104</u>		
	<u>S106</u>	<u>S105</u>	

Soil description

Munsell (wet): 5YR 5/8 yellowish red Stoniness (%): 30%
 Soil type: clay loam Dominant clast size: cobble
 Consolidation: firm fined grained

Features

1. S104-f1
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Photographs and drawings

1. S104-pl-p9 (top)
2. S105-pl-p4 (wall)
3. Agisoft Model (bottom of SU)
- 4.
- 5.

Procedure

Dry sieve _____ Water sieve _____ If water sieve, # of bags: _____

Finds (# of bags)

Ceramic 1111 Stone 11 Bone _____ Metal 2 Organic _____ Plaster _____ Other 1111
 (4) (2) (shell) (bed F S106-3002)
 (3) (bed F S106-3002)
 (60 for coin) (S106-3002)

Description:

S105 = S100

In anticipation of possibly coming down on an E/W oriented wall ~.50 meters south of the northern bank, two SUs were opened after closing at SU S104. The presence of 6 large cobbles in a rough E/W orientation led us to believe that we were coming down on a wall. Within 1.2 m down however, we encountered LOTS of mudbrick and the SU S105/S106 differentiation turned out to be arbitrary. ^{the large cobbles in the E/W orientation were distinct} Both units were still being separately. On the SU S104 description I noted that the closing of the unit was arbitrary but was NOT the case given that large pockets of mudbrick were immediately found upon opening S105 + S106. SU S106, like S105 included lots of cobbles. A layer of cobbles, chalk and dirt (approx 10 cm thick) was sitting on top of S104-11 (curtain wall). Once this material was removed the highest preserved course of the

* FS S106-1001 (bronze coin)	* FS S106-1002 (bead)
N = 3871473.267	N = 3871473.17
E = 564468.445	E = 564468.99
Z = 55.021	Z = 55.02

stone wall was revealed (see wall description below). Special finds in S106 (listed above) included a coin and bead. Still lots of pottery and when mudbrick began to decrease

NW 53 = 55.07 NE 51 = 54.99 E 60 = 55.00 SW 57 = 55.03 SE 61.5 = 54.98

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EU: 14

SU: 5106

Description:

and the clear upper course of S104-F1 were revealed, both S105 + S106 were closed

Description of S104-F1:

The wall is oriented roughly N/S. Its width is not entirely known because it runs slightly diagonal and pinches out in the SW corner of the trench (see schematic). A large

number of loose cobbles, dirt and chalk (not mortar) sat on top of the wall.

All stones are cobbles sized and are roughly cut house field stones. The wall is at least 5 stones wide. As excavation continues and the no. of

courses is identified the wall description will be added to the wall is nearly identical in construction and nature to the N/S wall discovered in EU 2. The only real difference being depth EU 2's wall was 615 cm below the surface.

SU S106 + S105 are clearly mud brick destruction layers.

Elevations: NW = 55.87, NE = 54.99, Centre = 55.00, SW = 55.83, SE = 54.98.

