

Date (dd/mm/yy): 06/06/08

EU: 2

SU: 5211

Area: Vigla

Supervisor: KP

Recorder: KP

Summary: Continuing in NW corner of trench with loose soil and lots of rocks. Disturbance layer for inlaying of concrete surveyor post
Chronology: _____ (to be filled out by RSM or MH)

Harris matrix

	5210	
	5211	
	5217	

Coordinates

N 1449

W 4449

E 4449.93

S 1448.20

Soil description

Munsell (wet): 10YR 5/4

Soil type: sandy clay

Consolidation: loose, soft

Stoniness: 20 %

Dominant clast size: gravel

Maximum top elevation: 55.55

Minimum bottom elevation: 55.34

(*Indicate elevations on SU plan)

Slope: Flat

Features

f1. 5211 - f1 - wall - N-S

f2. 5211 - f2 - cement surveyor post

f3. _____

f4. _____

f5. _____

List all photographs of this SU (p1, p2, etc.):

5210 - p1, p2

5211 - p1, p2, p3, p4

List all drawings of this SU (d1, d2, etc.):

5210 - d1 (top of 5211)

5211 - d1 (bottom)

Procedure

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

Finds (# of bags)

Ceramic 1 Stone _____ Bone _____ Metal _____ Organic _____ Plaster _____ Other _____

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Description: W 55.48 C 55.53
E 55.55] Top

Continued excavation through loose soil in NW corner of trench. ~~SW corner~~ SW corner of unit had extremely loose soil. Removed lots of stones & small loose rocks.

Uncovered what appeared to be floor underneath very loose soil - turned out to be a concrete circular foundation with modern screw and marking $\frac{19}{4}$. Surveyors point. Modern. This disturbance was the cause for all the loose soil above which we noted in SD 5203 - the soft soil - fill - was, in fact, one of the reasons (in addition to the amount of fumble) that we ~~did not~~ did not continue our excavations west of the wall immediately. We excavated down to the top of the surveyor point & have removed all the soft soil created by this modern disturbance. There is so little room

Bottom Bl. To note that we may stop excavating E-55.34 in NW corner for a while - and W-55.39 continue to excavate rest of EU.

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Description:

5211-f1: The last two SUs (5210 + 5211) have better articulated the N-S wall which intersects 5203-f1 at a right angle. We have only exposed 30 cm of the wall at this point - so we will have a better feel for its dimensions as we go down. Currently, we can say that the wall runs N-S across the entire W. part of EU 2, but is best preserved in the N. part. It is a substantial wall of 70 cm, and is constructed with stones (sandstone & limestone) of ca. 10-30 cm; some larger cut slabs (as in SW extension) of ~~ca. 70 cm~~ as long as 70 cm. I cannot see any mortar bits. We will describe wall as we go down.

5211-f2: The surveyor post is at an elevation of 5539 m, 35 cm below surface. The hole cut for the surveyor post respects the E-W wall (5203-f1) which runs immediately to the south of hole. The bore is 30 cm in diameter. It cuts through smaller gravel to the North. There