

Date (dd/mm/yy): 30 / 5 / 09

EU: 9

SU: 5804

Area: Vigla

Supervisor: DN

Recorder: SC

Summary: Digging upslope from wall - arbitrary change from 5803.

Chronology: _____ (to be filled out by RSM or MH)

Harris matrix

Coordinates

5803	
11	
5804	
5805	

N 1510.50

W 4410.40

E 4413.63

S 1507.50

Soil description

Munsell (wet): 10YR 4/4

Soil type: Sandy clay loam

Consolidation: firm

Stoniness: 10 %

Dominant clast size: pebble

Maximum top elevation: 55.42

Minimum bottom elevation: 54.91

(*Indicate elevations on SU plan)

Slope: steep slope from E to W

Features

- f1.
- f2.
- f3.
- f4.
- f5.

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

5804-p1, p2, ^{p3} ~~both~~ all bottom, from S)

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

5804-d1

Procedure

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

Finds (# of bags)

Ceramic 2 Stone _____ Bone _____ Metal _____ Organic _____ Plaster _____ Other 5

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1 (glass), 1 shell,
1 mortar,
1 floor
1 mortar

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Description: A. Lovelace & S. Caranver are beginning to dig with picks & trowels from the NE/SE side of the trench towards the West (down slope). Initially, we are anticipating a 10cm - 20cm depth.

So far, this SU resembles the last. The soil is the same, very few artifacts. Some roots continue to penetrate the soil. No appear to be in slope wash.

2 June 2009 Tuesday: Alex and DN continue to excavate - and SC. The soil is still loose in places where penetrated by roots but the color & shininess, etc. are consistent. Most of the sherds in the sieve are small, which is consistent with slope wash.

In the SW, Alex found a patch of reddish soil that is very fine and loose. More of it is being exposed across the ^{EU} trench. We'll go down, looking for it across the EU. The change appears to be extending across the entire EU. We're sampling it down & cleaning it up for a photo. SU 5805 will be the reddish soil below SU 5804. The finds seem more numerous & larger, perhaps indicating the end of the slope wash.

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Description: Bottom elev. from: NE(-45cm) - 90cm^{South} = 55.01

55.91 masl SE Corner - 85cm = 55.06

SW Corner - 150cm = 54.41

NW corner - 157cm = 54.43

Center point - 120cm = 54.71

We have done a plan view drawing of the bottom of this SU 5804.

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