

Date (dd/mm/yy): 12/6/09

EU: 13

SU: 7124

Area: KP

Supervisor: DJD

Recorder: DJD

Summary: Continue under # 7123, & incorporate spaces of 7122 + 7121. More fill

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

Harris matrix

	7124	

Coordinates

N 171.15

W 409.00

E 410.40

Soil description

Munsell (wet): 10YR 4/4 dark yellowish brown

Soil type: silty clay

Consolidation: loose

Stoniness: <5 %

Dominant clast size: gravel

S 168.70

Maximum top elevation: 6.22

Minimum bottom elevation: 6.05

(*Indicate elevations on SU plan)

Slope: level

Features

f1.

f2.

f3.

f4.

f5.

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

p1, p2 (bottom SU)

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

d1 (bottom SU)

Procedure

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

Finds (# of bags)

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

2 FS
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Description: SU 7124 continues into the floor till dis under 7121, 7122, & 7123. The soil remain same (loose, sandy clay, dark yellowish brown) & so does context material, though we came into a concentration of kitchen wares in this SU.

This SU recovers a middle Byz. pot sherd in our floor till (sealed deposit). Thus, 712f1 ^{is} must post-date this sherd & we now have evidence for middle Byz use of this area in some capacity (a functional analysis is not possible now). Moreover, the major collapse debris sits atop this floor & so must post-date the floor & well as well - it now is clear that the annex building was standing beyond the 13th century (Scott's prelim analysis) & was presumably maintained in some sense from c. 500 on. Obviously Arab residents must go now, too.

FS 7124-1002; Middle Byzantine pottery; green vitreous glaze; N 169.60 E 409.70; EL 6.08; ceramic

FS 7124-1001; stone mortar - from mortar & pestle; E 410.0 N 170.0; el 6.16 m

SU closed arbitrarily, same soil & context.

Bottom EIs

SE 6.08 NE 6.08
SW 6.06 NW 6.05