

Locus L 18058	Dor 1994	Fld 51	Sq A132	Loc. type Destruction layer to floor
Open Date 25/7/94	High at 13.50 C1	Low at 13.35 SE	Seals: _____	
Close 05/8/94	12.70 N1	12.56 C1	Sealed by: 18049 18050 9978	
Floor: type CR	12.70 N1	12.56 C1	Loci 18049 18050 9978	
Length 2.7	Width 2.5	Vol _____	above _____	
Value S1	Remove NP/1/1	Drawn? No	below _____	
Photo #(1) _____	Photo #(2) _____	Loci none yet	below _____	
Written by: CAB	Checked by: JRZ			

Unit _____	Phase _____	Stage _____	Stratum _____	PoM _____
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Summary

Opened: Opened L18058 when the floor makeup and fill below (non-destruction) of L18049 and L18050 were collapsed because their matrices reached destruction below - assigned L18058.

Limits (N) L18075, unexcavated material below N 1/2 of L18049, L9981
 (S) L9978, L9779, L9795
 (E) L9981, bank of AH32
 (W) L9982, L18060, L18069, L18072, L18073.

Closed: Refined floor, end of season

Matrix: Destruction debris - powdery bright reds, oranges, ^{olive} greens, and white with fist sized chunks to complete burnt mudbrick debris. Towards the floor, there were superimposed layers of plaster - white "ceiling" and black charcoal - whose beams (from the roof) ran generally N to S, E to W. Floor ^{of 18058} a white-grey plaster, very thin, and had 3 resurfacings superimposed approx 1 cm apart.

Relations: the ceiling's uppermost level to floor was approx. 5 cm. (due to collapse). *

Relations: L18058 is covered and sealed by L18049, L18050 which are floor makeup and fill below to L18058. L18058 is also partially covered in the NW region, by L9978, which was floor makeup and fill, to destruction below - however a season's exposure to this area makes this area unsealed - in the main - L18058 is sealed.

To the north, F/L18058 continues into F/L18075, however the matrices are different. As this northern portion of the "destruction" room ^(L18075) seems to have not been burned as badly.

F/L18058 also continues into unexcavated bank below F18042, and continues into F/L9981

To the south, L18058 continues into "Robyn's destruction" L9737/L9779/L9795. And F18058 continues into

To the east, F/L18058 continues into F/L9981, and the bank of AH32. [F9995]

To the west, L18058 continues into L18060, ^{into} L18069, L18072 and L18073 (destruction debris within, not cutting the bin) (↑ destruction debris on top, not cutting southern half of installation L9982)

L18058 reaches the installation L9978 and bin L18073, and the floor F18058 underlies L18072 and L9978.

* Three stones were found in the southeast corner of L18058 in a triangular configuration suggesting a table support whose surface had been destroyed. F18058 probably reached these rocks, but excavation around them did not find evidence. (see diagram).

Approximately 7-10 vessels were observed crushed together in situ on F18058, along with a large grinding vessel, a long pestle and a hand pestle, all of basalt. (see diagram.)

Additional Observations/Value:

End of season, did not excavate below F18058. * * * And F18058 continues into L18072.

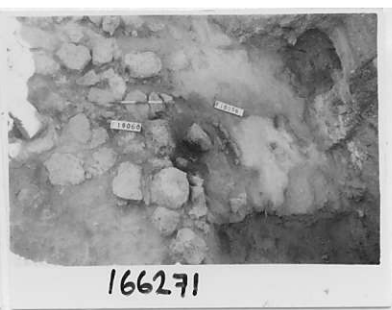
Addit. obs/VALUE: High value elucidated relation between the various destruction loci who continue into one another, and their relation to the installation (L9978) and bin (L18073), which the destruction loci reach. And both the fill and the construction's relation to the floor. Leave open the question of whether the floor reaches L9982.



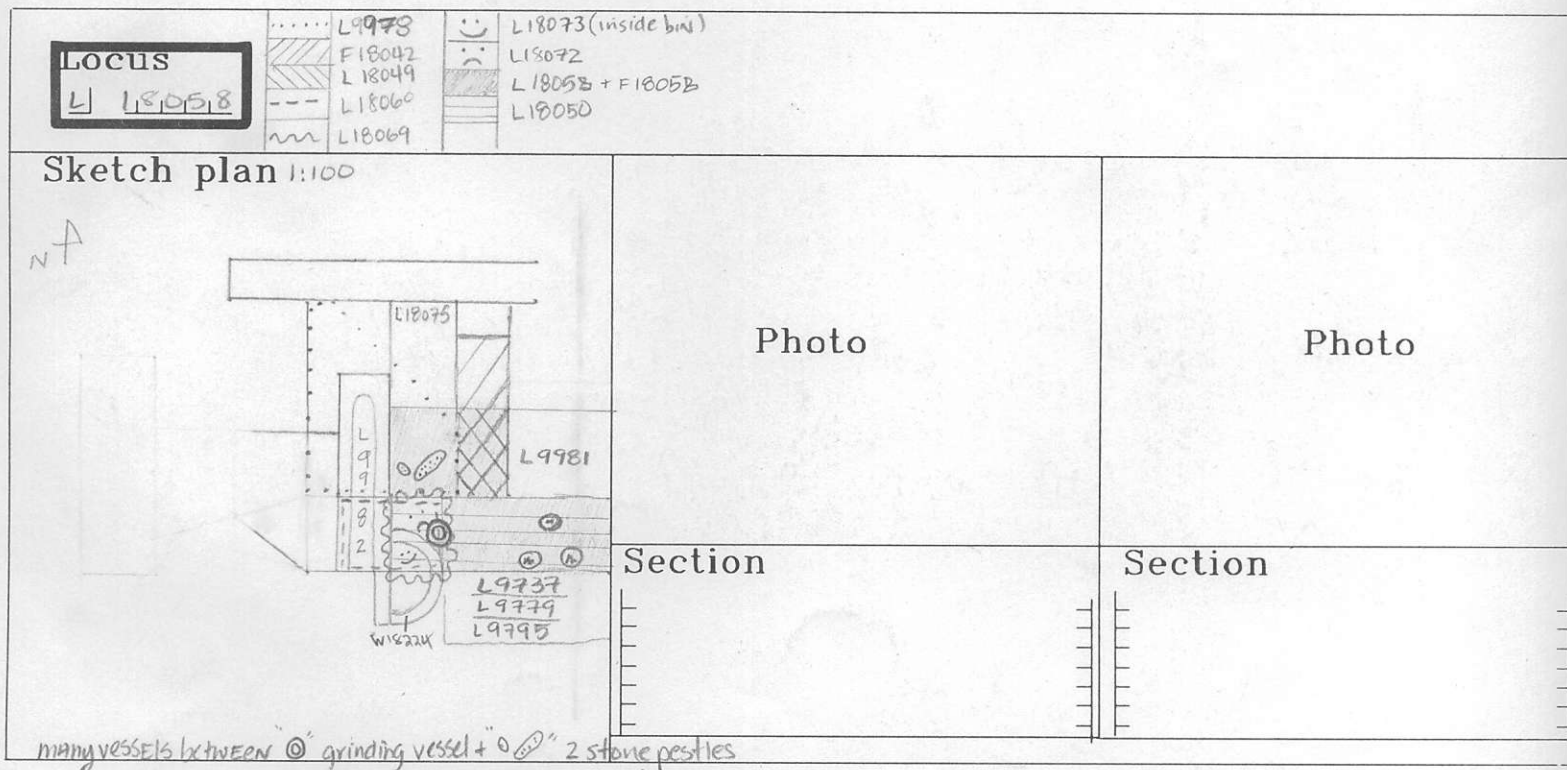
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many vessels between "⊙" grinding vessel + "⊙" 2 stone pestles
 "⊙" three rock configurations.