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Locus L 9785	Dor 1992	Fld G	Sq AI34	Loc. type PIT
Open Date 23/07/92	High 15.22	at C	Low 15.03	at E
Close Date 23/07/92	Width 0.7	Remove 23/07/92	Vol	Drawn? NO
Floor: type	Length	Remove	Vol	Drawn?
Photo # (1)	Photo # (2)	Locl 9751	above	
Written by: SEB	Checked by: JRZ	Locl 9833	below	

Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM
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Summary

Opened: L9785 WAS OPENED WHEN LOCUS L9767, THE S. LIMIT OF L9751 ABOVE, CAME DOWN UPON A SMALL FLOOR DEPOSIT (L9768).

Limits (N) N. BAULK OF SQUARE \ L9751 then renumbered as 9785 - Technical change

(S) L9793

(E) L9695

(W) L9798

Closed: L9785 WAS CLOSED AT THE CLOSING LEVEL OF PREVIOUSLY EXCAVATED L9695 WHERE IT EXPANDED EAST BENEATH AREA OF THAT LOCUS

Matrix: MATRIX CONSISTS OF GRAY-BROWN MED FIRM MATERIAL WITH NUMEROUS SMALL STONES & HIGH DENSITY OF SHERDS. DISTINCT FROM CLEANER BROWN FILLS OF L9793 TO SOUTH AND L9798 TO WEST. ALSO ASSUMED DISTINCT FROM "ROBBER TRENCH" MATERIAL OF L9695

Relations: L9785 CONTINUES MATRIX OF L9751 ABOVE, THOUGH IT IS SOFTER IN MUCH OF ITS AREA WHERE STONES ARE NOT AS NUMEROUS. BELOW, MATRIX OF L9785 CONTINUES INTO L9833. NORTH: MATRIX CONTINUES INTO N. BAULK. WEST: L9785 CUTS IRON AGE FILL OF L9798. SOUTH: L9785 CUTS FLOOR DEPOSIT L9793. EAST: MATRIX OF L9785 PROBABLY EXTENDED A SHORT WAY INTO LOWER N.W. PART OF L9695 DUG IN 1991. ITS MATRIX WAS CUT BY THE MATRIX OF THE MAJORITY ("ROBBER TRENCH") OF THAT LOCUS (L9695)

L9785 IS PART OF WHAT SEEMS TO BE A LATE IRON AGE CUTTING ACTION OF THE SERIES OF FLOORS REPRESENTED BY L9768 DOWN TO FLOOR L9754 AND POSSIBLY BELOW. ITS MATRIX IS NOT UNIFORM, BEING STONIER & HARDER ALONG ITS W. & S. BORDERS, SOFTER AND "ASHIER" IN ITS INTERIOR. F9768 (almost directly above 9793 on plan) and F9793 may be fragments of resurfacings of F9754. L9751 + L9785 + L9833 cut these floors on the N; L9767 + L9786 + L9809 cut them on the E.

TO FORM L9833

Additional Observations/Value: THIS PIT SEEMS TO CONTAIN THE LATEST UNMIXED IRON AGE MATERIAL IN THIS AREA.

L 9785

St Lc

Df St Ob Ma R C P1

P2

P3

pt

sh cr 2 d ir2c

pt

ma bn 2 d

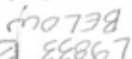
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L9751 ABOVE  
L9833 BELOW



Sketch plan

BAULK L9798

L9785

L9793

L9786

W9085

SCALE = 1:50

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