

Locus 3973	Dor 19 93	Fld G1	Sq A433	Loc. type STRATIFIED ACCUMULATION
Open 3.0/07/93	Date	High at 1.4.62 E1	Low at 1.9.518 N1	Seals: N/A
Close 02/08/93		1.4.4.1 E1	1.4.318 Cornier	Sealed by: N/A
Floor: type 7.0		1.4.3.9 E1	1.4.3.8 W1	Locl 3973, 9962
Length 1.5M	Width 1.4M	Vol	Drawn? YES	above
Value 1	Remove			below
Photo #(1) N/A	Photo #(2)			
Written by: GJC	Checked by: JRZ			

Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM
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Summary

Opened: TO DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN THE AREA ABOVE AND BELOW THE LEVEL OF F9962 TO THE NORTH.

Limits (N) UN-NUMBERED LOCI BELOW L9972 IN THE NW CORNER, W9957 AND UN-NUMBERED LOCI BELOW L9962.
(S) L9976
(E) UN-NUMBERED LOCI BELOW L9932
(W) WEST BULK.

Closed: CAME DOWN ON A QUESTIONABLE PATCH OF FLOOR IN THE SOUTH.

Matrix: MODERATELY COMPACT, MEDIUM BROWN IN COLOR MIXED WITH CLAY MUD. DIFFERS FROM RED-BROWN SOIL ABOVE, AND FROM GREY BROWN SANDY SOIL IN L9976 TO THE SOUTH.

Relations: L9972 COVERS, BUT DOES NOT SEAL, [L9973]. [L9973] COVERS, BUT DOES NOT SEAL, L9986.
 • TO THE N, [L9973] PROBABLY CONTINUES INTO THE UN-NUMBERED AREA BELOW L9972, ALTHOUGH THE AREA MUST BE EXCAVATED TO DETERMINE THIS. [L9973] REACHES W9957 BECAUSE A FEW ADDITIONAL SOUTHERN COBBLES ARE LAIN WITH THE MATRIX OF [L9973].* ALSO, WE SEPARATED BASKETS IN THIS LOCKS TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT A POSSIBLE ROBBED TRENCH EXTENDING FROM THE S FACE OF W9957. WE FOUND THE MATRICES FROM EITHER OBJECT AREA TO BE THE SAME, THE POTTERY SHARD DATES WERE THE SAME, AND NO TRENCH LINE WAS VISIBLE. FINALLY, THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN [L9973] AND THE AREA BELOW F9962 IS UNCERTAIN AS THIS AREA WOULD PROBABLY BE SEALED AND MIGHT OR MIGHT NOT BE DIFFERENT FROM [L9973].
 • TO THE E, [L9973] PROBABLY CONTINUES INTO THE UN-NUMBERED AREA BELOW L9932.
 • TO THE S, [L9973]'S RELATIONSHIP TO L9976 IS UNCERTAIN. THEIR MATRICES ARE DIFFERENT AND NEITHER SEEMED TO SLOPE ABOVE THE OTHER.
 • TO THE W, [L9973] CONT INTO THE W BULK.
 * It is not yet clear at what point below the unnumbered and unexcavated floor below F9962 W9957 becomes a foundation. W9957 may cut [L9973]. Since much of it is below the floor below F9962.
 # L9973 may continue into the unnumbered and unexcavated material below the floor below F9962.

Additional Observations/Value: MODERATE VALUE - APPROX. 10-20 CM FROM THE LEVEL OF F9957 IN A433. YIELDED SHARDS FROM IR1/IR2a PERIOD W/ A FEW RICHMOND, Icd AND

