

SITE CODE: MZ	DATE OPENED: 17 JULY	SU No: 17091	MARZUOLO ARCHAEOLOGICAL PROJECT <small>MANAT</small>
	DATE CLOSED: 19 JULY	AREA No: 17000 NE	
INITIAL: TK (BM)			

FORMATION PROCESS: ANTHROPIC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NATURAL <input type="checkbox"/>	DEFINITION: BROWN DENSE CLAY-LIKE DEPOSIT
	SU TYPE: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEPOSIT <input type="checkbox"/> CUT <input type="checkbox"/> STRUCTURAL
	DISTINGUISHED BY: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COLOR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMPACTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COMPOSITION

DEPOSIT: 1. Colour 2. Compaction 3. Composition 4. Inclusions (freq/med/rare) 5. Dimensions/Shape 6. Clarity of Limits (clear/not clear) 7. Fill of 8. Method & Conditions	STRUCTURAL: 1. Type (wall, cistern, etc.) 2. Technique (pisé, ashlar, etc.) 3. # of Coursings 4. Bonding Material 5. Facing/Finish (plaster, etc.) 6. Orientation 7. Dimensions 8. Abuts/butted by 9. Related architectural features	DESCRIPTION: 1. BROWN 2. COMPACT - Mod compact 3. SILTY-CLAY 4. FREQ: CERAMIC, SLAG, MED: BONE, CHARCOAL, RARE: TILE, ROLLUM, STONE, DAUB, GLASS, MORTAR 5. FULL EXTENT OF SONDADE 1.5 x 2m 6. Clear N-S; trench limit S-E 7. N/A 8. DRY/CLEAR, PECKAXE, TROWEL, SHOVEL
CUT: 1. Shape in Plan 2. Top - BOS 3. Base - BOS 4. Sides 5. Orientation 6. Dimensions 7. Fill N's		

INTERPRETATION/DISCUSSION: AND SLIGHTLY MORE REDDISH-BROWN (LIKE BROWN) (UMBER)

CONTEXT CONTAINS SIMILAR INCLUSIONS TO PRIOR CONTEXT (17078) BUT IN A NEW SOIL MATRIX THAT IS BROWN & COMPACT. THE LAYER BECAME MORE DENSE TOWARD THE SE & CENTER, WHILE BECOMING MORE OPEN. A DECORATIVE BEAD WAS FOUND, ALONG WITH MANY NAILS AND METALLIC ITEMS. ALSO FREQUENT INCLUSIONS OF CERAMIC IN SE CORNER. THE WALLS CONTINUE BELOW THIS LAYER - MOST OF MORTAR, CHARCOAL, CERAMIC & SLAG FOUND IN SOUTH

MATRIX:

	17078		
	17091	This context	
	17098	17099	

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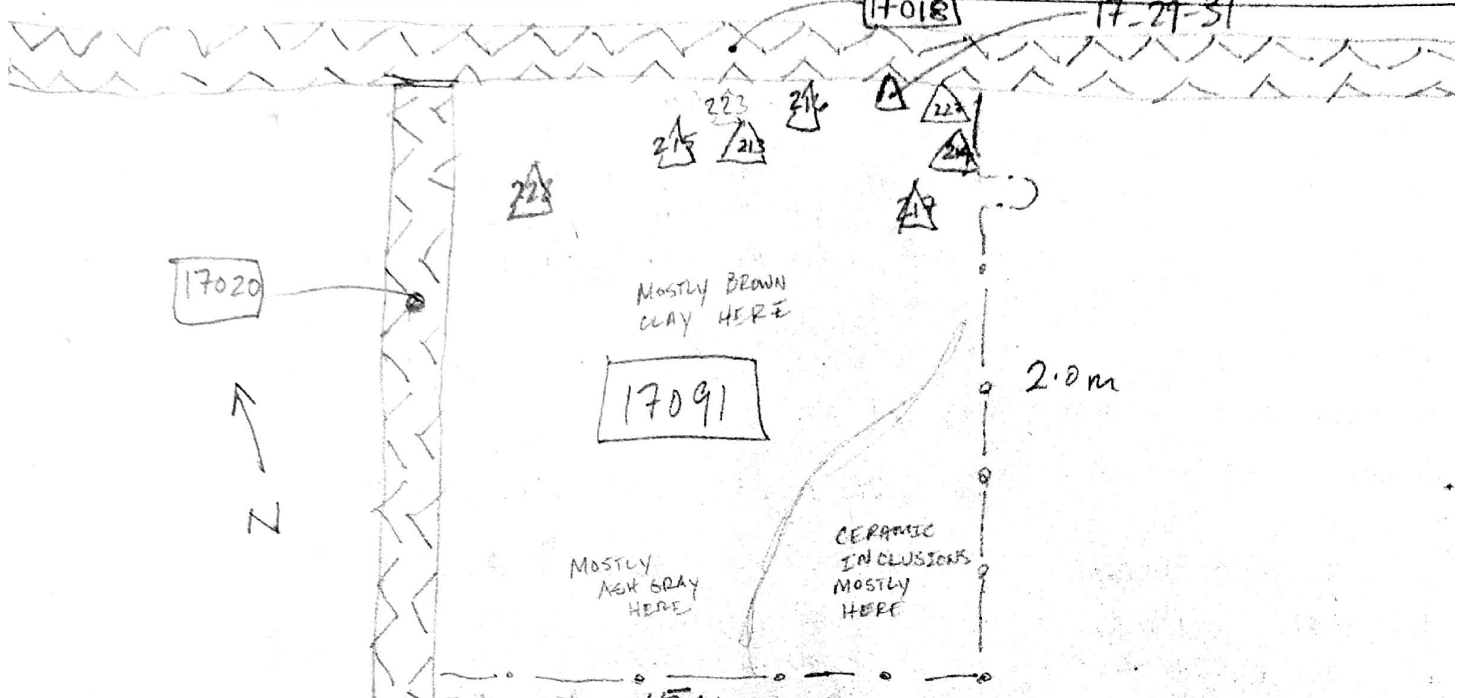
ST) STRATIGRAPHIC RELATIONSHIPS:	FILLS:
CUT CUT:	BUTTED BY:
CUT CUT BY:	COVERS: 17098, 17099
ABT ABUTS: 17020, 17018	COVERED BY: 17078
	EQUAL TO:
	BINDS TO:

ENVIRONMENTAL SAMPLES: POLLEN SOIL CHARCOAL OTHER (specify):

SPECIAL FINDS N ^o s:		17-219 - nail head	17-227 - Metal Plate	FINDS TYPE:	SLAG <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DAUB <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
17-229	17-213 - nail	17-216 - Nail	17-217 - Nail	NONE <input type="checkbox"/>	GLASS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WRKD WOOD <input type="checkbox"/>
230	17-214 - Nail	17-215 - Bead	17-228 - nail head	POTTERY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BONE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WRKD STONE <input type="checkbox"/>
281				BRICK/TILE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	LEATHER <input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER (specify):
17-232				METAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MORTAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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SKETCH OF PLAN INCLUDE: 1. North Arrow; 2. Dimensions; 3. Sample Locations (if relevant); 4. Levels; 5. Grid Pts (if relevant); 6. Rise/Drop in Surface Level; 7. Abutting Architecture/Adjacent or Relevant Nearby Features for Reference; 8. All SU N^os



FIELD NOTEBOOK DRAWINGS - PAGE N ^o s		PROFILE DRAWING N ^o s	
STRATIGRAPHIC RELIABILITY	LOW	HIGH	APROX. DATE OF LAYER
	1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	
CONFIDENCE IN INTERPRETATION	1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	DATABLE MATERIALS
CONTAMINATION RISK	1 2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	

COMMENTS/OBSERVATIONS:
 • Probable occupation level under collapse (1707a) may be similar to 17018 m SE
 • THE CONTEXT LEVELED OUT THE SLOPE OF THE SANDAGE THAT WAS OCCURRING IN PRIOR CONTEXTS. WE REACHED THE 5TH COURSING OF 17020 AND THE 3RD COURSING OF 17018. CERAMICS FOUND IN THIS CONTEXT WERE STRONG FOR DATING, INCLUDING A COMPLETE SIGILLATA BASE, AND COMMON TABLEWEAR. THE SOIL ALSO CONTINUES TO BE BRIGHT RED IN SE

ENTERED INTO DATABASE	INITIALS: AK	DATE: 22 JULY
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