

Trench Report: A1100

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Datum Points: Datum points used during the excavation of this trench include R1 (elevation is +370.62 masl) and R4 (elevation is +365.74 masl).

Excavation Dates: June 19th to July 4th, 2002.

Location: Trench A1100 is located to the west of Boyd's trench, between trenches A800 and A900. Its northern extent forms the southern limit of A900 (4.56 m long). Its southern border measures 5.20 m in length next to the northern section of A807; its western baulk (running along a roughly north-south axis) is 8.50 m and its eastern baulk, 7.80 m. During the excavation of locus A1108.3, northern section of A807 was subsumed into A1100. During the excavation of locus A1109, the trench-line was extended to the west of the original western baulk-line by ca. 1.0 m. During the excavation of locus A821, the southern portion of A1109 was incorporated back into Trench A800.

Purpose: Trench A1100 was excavated in order to discover the extent to which the floor surface in A900 extended southward and to investigate its relationship to the wall features already partially exposed in its surface. Additionally, it was hoped that there would be some clarification of the wall phasing relating to Trench A800.

Trench divisions: During the excavation of this area, it became clear that there were three areas of habitation delineated by walls. They will be referred to as the northern room (bounded by Wall A1102 on the east and by Wall A1104 on the south), the central room (bounded by Wall A1102 on the east, Wall A1104 on the north, Wall A1105 on the south), and the southern room (bounded by Wall A1105 on the north, Wall A808 on the east, Wall A807 on the south, and Wall A1111 on the west).

Depositional History:

Northern room: Excavation ended with locus **A1106**, the bottom of which was formed by a packed clay (floor) surface. This surface, which was the continuation of the floor surface unearthed in the southern part of **A900**, was well preserved and included a paving stone and an area of bedrock that had been worked down to, more or less, the level of the floor surface. The floor was found immediately beneath three separate pithoi scatters (collected in pails **A1106.3** and **A1106.5**) embedded in roofing clay. Based on ceramic finds, the dated assigned to the floor is Archaic, with a few sherds from the LM IIIC period. The western side of the northern room was given a separate pail number (**A1106.4**) because there was a strong probability that there was surface material that had eroded against a modern retaining wall. Indeed, there was little trace of the floor surface in this side of the room. Immediately above **A1106**, a layer of tumble, most of which was concentrated in the eastern area, was identified; this was designated as **A1103**. Pottery finds were primarily Hellenistic with some Archaic and Orientalizing but the presence of plaster from Boyd's cistern confirmed that this stratum contained some material from Boyd's dump. A stratum of chippy and fairly loose surface material, **A1101**, was located above **A1103**. The surface collection for **A1100** was included in **A900.1** (see Melissa's notebook).

Central Room: Excavation ended with locus **A1107**, the bottom of which was a surface of packed clay (floor). The ceramic evidence indicated that the floor was Archaic, which made it contemporaneous with the floor from **A1106**. The central floor area was well preserved with some pitting out of the surface in the northeast and southeast corners (as expected from

water runoff against the stones and resulting erosion). The floor surface south of the entrance was heavily damaged from tumble impact. No evidence of a floor surface as well as a western wall was found in the western strip of the room, though there was an area of worked bedrock in the northwest corner that may have served as bedding for a wall. Deeper deposits in the east dictated multiple passes in order to more finely separate and isolate the destruction and habitation levels. Passes associated with pail numbers (A1107.6 to A1107.12) should be considered a separate stratum of habitation with some destruction debris. This included material found just above the preserved surface and material just under and between *pithoi* scatters. Just above this was a definite layer of destruction that included some tumble, roofing debris and evidence of intense burning that ran through the central north-south axis of the room (pails A1107.2 to A1107.5). The burnt residue may reveal the position of a ceiling beam as it burned during the destruction of the building, a pattern of destruction like that found in B200 and A1200. Immediately atop this layer of destruction, a stratum of tumble (A1107.1), which was especially dense in the eastern section of the room, was excavated. In an attempt to determine whether Wall A1111 continued northward and formed the western wall for the central room, a western strip of the room was excavated as A1110. Aside from a few intermittent medium-sized stones, this was primarily a pebbly and chippy layer, very similar to the pre-bedrock material that seemed to characterize much of the west slope. No evidence of a western wall was found in the central room. Above both A1110 and A1107.1 there was a layer of fairly loose surface material, A1101. The surface collection for A1100 was included in A900.1 (see Melissa's notebook).

Southern Room: Excavation of this room ended with locus A1108.4 for the eastern strip along Wall A808, the bottom of which was a deposit of packed clay. There were two separate *pithoi* scatters, one of which was extracted (in pail A1108.7) while the other remains embedded in the clay along A808. The position of these sherds suggests that the floor surface may be located just below the present excavated level. The ceramic evidence associated with this level was Archaic in date. In the western half of the room, excavation ended with the passes associated with pails, A1108.5-A1108.6, the bottom of which was a scatter of medium sized stones positioned with their flat sides up (perhaps some sort of bedding for a floor?). The westernmost line of these stones, together with the large cornerstone in A807, may form a single course of the western wall (A1112) for both the central and south rooms, since it aligned comfortably with the worked bedrock (bedding for a wall) in the NW section of the central room. The eastern side of the room was not taken down to this level to preserve the *pithos* scatter and the possible floor surface. The layer associated with A1108.5-A1108.6 is comprised of loose tumble and roofing clay but little to no evidence of burning. Above the entire area (both western and eastern areas) was a stratum of destruction (A1108.3-A1108.4), with tumble, roofing clay, and a small *pithos* scatter (collected in pail A1108.7). Evidence of intense burning was found only in the eastern side of the room. Above this was another layer of dense tumble (A1108.1-A1108.2) similar in nature to that in trench A800. In an effort to confirm and define the western wall, a pass was made from the western side towards the conjectured wall (extrapolated from the worked bedrock in A1107 and the cornerstone in Wall A807). This pass was designated A1109. Preserved at the bottom of this stratum was a surface of packed clay. It was unclear whether a floor surface had been reached or if this was a deposit of roofing clay. The date of this surface, based on the associated pottery, was Hellenistic with Archaic but since the pass was relatively shallow and this area was prone erosion, it may be that the dating of the surface was not secure. Above both A1108.1-A1108.2 and A1109 was modern surface material, A1101. The surface collection for A1100 is included in A900.1 (see Melissa's notebook).

Architecture:

Northern Room: Preserved in the southern wall (**Wall A1104**) was a rather large entranceway with two worked rectilinear doorjambs. For the most part, only a single course of the wall has survived. The eastern section of **Wall A1104**, the end that abutted **Wall A1102**, was slightly better preserved with three courses. Aside from the stones used as the doorjambs, the wall was rubble constructed, using small to medium size stones. Several medium size stones and at least one large stone filled the entrance space (some of the stones were later removed). While this may merely be part of the tumble, it could also be the result of a purposeful attempt to block the door at some point. The eastern wall, **Wall A1102** (running roughly north-south), was better preserved, largely due to the massiveness of some of the stones and bedrock used. The natural outcroppings of bedrock on the west slope were incorporated by means of working their western face and filling in spaces with courses of smaller, roughly hewn stones to form a relatively smooth wall face. It continues to the south and forms the eastern wall of the central room. It may extend further south but seems to angle off slightly to the east of **Wall A808**. The lack of an eastern face, the size and nature of the stones, its location on the slope, and its possible extension southward behind **Wall A808** and Trench **A800**, suggested that **Wall A1102** functioned primarily as a retaining wall and that the northern unit was built against it. There seemed to be no evidence remaining of a western wall or a northern wall for the northern room though there were a few very large stones that lined up irregularly (east-west) in the middle of trench **A900**. This might be all that remained of the northern cross-wall.

Central Room: The southern cross-wall (**Wall A1105**) of the central room was better preserved (between three and five courses) than **Wall A1104**. Small to medium size stones ranging in quality from roughly shaped to rectangular stones were used in the wall. It seemed that the courses bonded with **Wall A1102** on the north and with **Wall A808** on the south but many of the stones from these walls have slipped westward and obscure this corner, making it difficult to confirm the nature of the join. The lower courses of **Wall A1105** extended further northward by ca. 25 cm than the upper courses. There might be the possibility that this was a small bench or shelf or another phase of wall construction but, given the extent of slippage that **Wall A808** and **Wall 807** suffered, it seemed more likely that **Wall A1105** may have been displaced similarly. There was no real indication of a door in **Wall A1105**. However, there was a rectangular stone in the western end that might have served as a threshold stone. There was nothing left of the western wall, except for an area of worked bedrock in the northwest corner, perhaps bedding for a wall that has since been eroded away. This was further supported by a single course of stones (**Wall A1112**) forming a western face in the southern room that aligns conveniently with the worked bedrock.

South Room: The eastern wall was the northern continuation of **Wall A808** and retained much of the same character - the wall seemed to have suffered under the pressure of wall collapse and erosion. There was distortion of the medium to large sized stones in the upper courses and many of the stones have slipped downslope (i.e., towards the west). Likewise, **Wall 1105** seemed to lean southward, into the room. Identification and the phasing of these walls were difficult to determine conclusively. For most of the excavation period, it was assumed that **Wall A807** formed the southern wall for this space; however, last minute excavation along the northern face of Trench **A800**, revealed courses of a cross-wall (**Wall A821**) located parallel to, north of, and at a much lower level than **Wall A807**. Both **Wall A807** and **Wall A821** may have been the south wall for different periods. Currently, **Wall A807** is dated to be Hellenistic while **Wall A821** appears to be Archaic. The question of potential western walls was similarly complicated. **Wall A1112** may be the western wall based on its position and alignment with the worked bedrock in **A1107**. However, there was

a single course wall of relatively small, unworked stones (**Wall A1111**) unearthed to the south of this wall. There was also another small poorly preserved (a single course remains) cross-wall, **Wall A1113**, of small to medium stones that abutted **Wall A1111**. Both **A1111** and **A1113** seemed to be associated with the packed clay surface of **A1109**, which has been dated to the Hellenistic period.

Conclusions: In trench **A1100**, it appears there is a modest three-room building aligned along a roughly north-south axis on this terrace. While the north room has no evidence of northern and western walls, the extension of **Wall A1102** seems to suggest that this was an interior space. The ceramic evidence for all three rooms, date the house firmly to the Archaic period. *Pithoi* sherds and other finds, such as loom weights, reflect a domestic function but do not necessarily preclude other uses for this building. **A1109**, **Wall A1111** and **Wall A1113** form another room, located just west of the southern room. This area does not appear to be part of the Archaic house and its role and function in the chronology of this area is difficult to infer since most of the room, itself, and other related rooms, if any, have not survived. **Wall A1111** may have been the western face of a retaining wall, which also incorporated the remains of the Archaic **Wall A1112**. However, the stones in **Wall A1111** seem too small for such a purpose. The assigned date of **A1109**'s surface, based on the presence of Hellenistic pottery, may be a function of surface material contamination due to the erosion, displacement, and deterioration of the west slope. Otherwise, it may have served as a surface for a much later phase.

In any case, the three-roomed house, at some point during the Archaic period, fell victim to fire and wall and roof collapse (perhaps the result of seismic activity which would explain the wall shift in **A1108**, later exacerbated by erosional displacement). Afterwards, the doorway in **A1104** may have been purposefully blocked, reflecting the lack of desire, need, or resources to restore and reuse the building. During the Hellenistic phase (if the date for the surface **A1109** is correct), an additional wall (**A1111**) might have been built to west of the remaining Archaic building to function as a retaining wall. **Wall A1113** formed its northern cross-wall. At present, there is not enough evidence to establish a relationship between the rooms in **A1100** and the surrounding trenches. It may be fruitful to excavate beneath the floor surfaces of the three-roomed house to determine if there were any earlier phases. The surface of **A1109** should be further excavated in hopes of finding either the true floor surface or another phase of floor surface (especially since there is evidence of some burning below the present level as can be seen in the southern scarp). Further excavation of **A1108** is needed to establish firmly the phasing of **A807** and **A821**.

Cut to the Chase:

North Room

1. **Archaic Floor**
2. **A1106:** roofing debris and clay mixed with habitation level
3. **A1103:** some tumble with Boyd's dump
4. **A1101:** Modern surface material with some tumble and Boyd's dump
5. **A900.1:** Surface collection includes both **A900** and **A1100** (see Melissa's notebook)

Central Room

1. **Archaic Floor**
2. **A1107.6-A1107.12:** Habitation level with some destruction debris
3. **A1107.2-A1107.5:** Destruction level with roofing clay and intense burning through the central axis running north-south.

- 4a. A1107.1: (room proper) Tumble
- 4b. A1110: (west strip) Some tumble and pre-bedrock layer
- 5. A1101: Modern surface material and some tumble
- 6. A900.1: Surface collection includes both A900 and A1100 (see Melissa's notebook)

South Room

- 1. Possible floor surface or just above it
- 2. A1108.7: Roofing debris and *pithoi* scatter
- 3a. A1108.3-A1108.4: (room proper) tumble Destruction level with roofing clay and intense burning in the NE corner
- 3b. A1108.5-A1108.6: (west strip) Loose tumble layer with roofing clay
- 4a. A1108.1-A1108.2: Tumble
- 4b. A1109: (west strip outside of room) Some tumble
- 5. A1101: Modern surface material and some tumble
- 6. A900.1: Surface collection includes both A900 and A1100 (see Melissa's notebook)

Walls

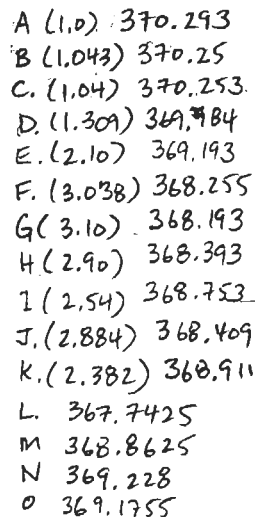
- A1102: Archaic east wall of A1106, and A1107, running north-south, acting as retaining wall
- A1104: Archaic south cross-wall of A1106 and north wall of A1107, with large doorway
- A1105: Archaic south cross-wall of A1107 and north wall of A1108, with possible doorway
- A1111: Hellenistic (?) wall, west of A1108, running north-south
- A1112: Archaic wall, east of A1111, running north-south
- A1113: Hellenistic (?) cross-wall, running east-west

Excavator. SZP

Benchmark used: R_1

Reading on
Benchmark: 370.62
H.I.: (0.673) 371.293

START ELEVATIONS FOR A1101.1
19.51.02



Today's date: 19. VI. 02

Locus above: Surface collection A900.1

Locus parameters: northern limit is the southern bank of A900 (ca. 4.50m), west bank is extension of A900's down to A800 (ca. 8.50m), east bank runs 7.80m and Verbal description: This trench is immediately south of A900 and west

Verbal description: This trench is ^{South is 5.20 m.} immediately South of A900 and West (downslope) of Boyd's trenches. The South is bordered by A800. The surface consists mostly of soil with three large outcroppings of bedrock and some rocks peeking out occasionally. The slope is consistent (running E to W) but near the western limit, it drops off more steeply - due to natural processes and excavation traffic (ie wheel barrel route for A800)

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

ges if necessary):
This is surface material (including wash from upslope and Boyd's dump material).

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OBJECTS

[illegible]

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

[illegible]

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1101 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

19.VI.02: Opening of new trench (A1101). The packed clay deposit with the paving stone inset in the SE quadrant of A900, runs into the south bank. There are a series of walls running N-S in A800. These ~~two~~ features suggest the possibility of their continuation into the area now designated A1101.

- Soil is loose and pebbly like the surface soil from A900

A shallow general pass of ca. 10cm in depth with the small pick was started, digging upslope (W to E) in ca. 2m strips, moving north to south (^{towards A800}); a sea pebble was found in the NW corner; Obj. #1 pottery (mostly coarse ware) was found A1101.1; a clay loom weight was found in the north half of the trench (2.48m from N bankline and 1.62m from the W bankline) ^{elevation 368.911} - Obj. #2; a standard soil sample was taken; bone was collected - a concentration of bone was found in the NE corner next to the large bedrock mass. A rectangular worked stone - most likely a door jamb - was uncovered in the NW quadrant (ca. 2.80m from the N bankline and 1.48m from the W bankline), the length of which runs N-S; a potential match for this door jamb was also found (ca. 2.10m from N bankline and 2.95m from W bankline) - further passes may confirm this. Excavation for the day stopped just south of these "door jambs" and short of the line of bedrock which runs N-S along the E bankline.

20.VI.02: Continued excavation of A1101 - area east of the W face of bedrock running N-S along the east bank was designated as a separate locus (A1102).

* now designated as A1104 → A line of small to medium size stones were uncovered, running W-E forming a wall in line with the two door jambs; pottery was found A1101.2; bones found; plaster fragments found; one sea pebble found Obj. #1; rocks were uncovered along the West ~~face~~ ^{flush with bedrock face} of A1102 which suggest a wall face of worked bedrock and stones.

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DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

- (rectangular in shape)
20. VI. 02: A series of finely worked stones forms a cross wall (cont) that runs W-E in the south half of the trench & this is now designated as new locus A1105; Evidence of carbon found N side of West door jamb (1.2m from W baulk and 2.3m from N baulk) - no sample was taken. More carbon was found and collected on the other side of the same door jamb (ca. 1.25m from W baulk and 3.05m from the N baulk); A series of stones in the S quadrant of trench seems to form the extension of the N-S wall (A808) - forming the southern face. Excavation of S trench quadrant was left unfinished for the day.
21. VI. 02: Continued excavation of A1101 with small picks in South trench area; further definition of rocks in this area - most likely wall collapse from above (much like that found in A800); further definition of South A1102, of E-W wall (A1105); pottery collected A1101.3; definition of A808 and of area around bedrock mass in W baulk; a line of stones just E of W baulkline, running N-S in the South trench quadrant, was uncovered - this may be a wall in line with the large bedrock mass in the W baulk but further excavation is needed to confirm this. Excavation of A1101 completed; clean up and photos taken. End elevations taken.

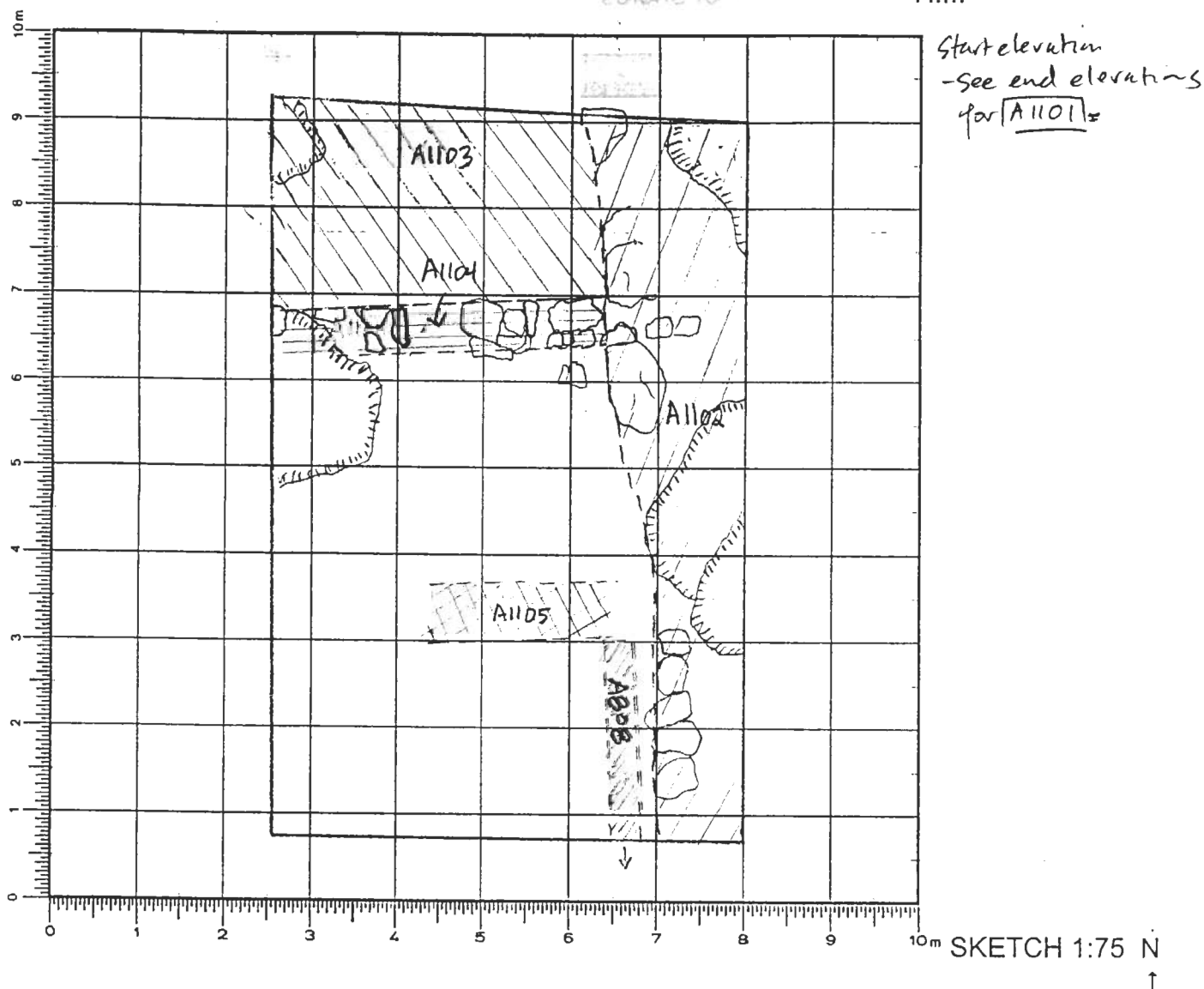
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1102.3 Excavator SZPElevations

Benchmark used:

Reading on

Benchmark:

H.I.:

DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain **why** you changed locus numbers):Today's date: 20.VI.02 Locus above: A1101

Locus parameters: Includes west face of natural line of bedrock visible in surface material, running N→S, North and south baulk lines

Verbal description:

A line of stones and worked bedrock along the east baulk line with a west face that seems to line up with stones just east of A808. This seems to form the east wall for the space designated as A1103.

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

24.VI.02 : probably a retaining wall - seems like rough fill behind (i.e. on east side of wall face), only one face apparent, location of wall against slope.

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OBJECTS

[illegible]

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

[illegible]

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1102 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

20. VI.02: Designation of new locus A1102; began shallow first pass using small pick to clear surface material; collected some pottery A1102.1; standard soil sample taken; a few seeds were found (ca. 1.5m from east bank line and 2.50m from south bank line) — this is surface material; first pass completed and rocks were defined; a stone lining up with possible ^{over} →
21. VI.02: A second pass (mainly further definition of bedrock and stones); no pottery was collected A1102.2 but a single bone fragment was collected; different soil type was found after a shallow pass → much more reddish brown. Excavation of this locus was suspended; photos taken; end elevations taken.
24. VI.02: Further definition of N part of A1102; pottery collected A1102.3 — few sherds; concentration of bones found along the NE corner of locus — probably modern. No further excavation planned as crumbly, pebbly bedrock layer was exposed.

- * perhaps some sort of retaining wall utilizing the living bedrock?
- * seems to extend in the N into A900 somewhat but deteriorates considerably as we move ~~to~~ further north

- east door jamb was revealed - further definition of area needed to confirm possibility of this extent of wall.
- most of the material from wall A1102 is probably modern wash from upslope and Boyd's area.

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Elevations

Benchmark used: RL

Reading on

Benchmark: 370.62

H.I.: (0.755) 371.375

END ELEVATIONS FOR
A1103,2 (24.VI.02)

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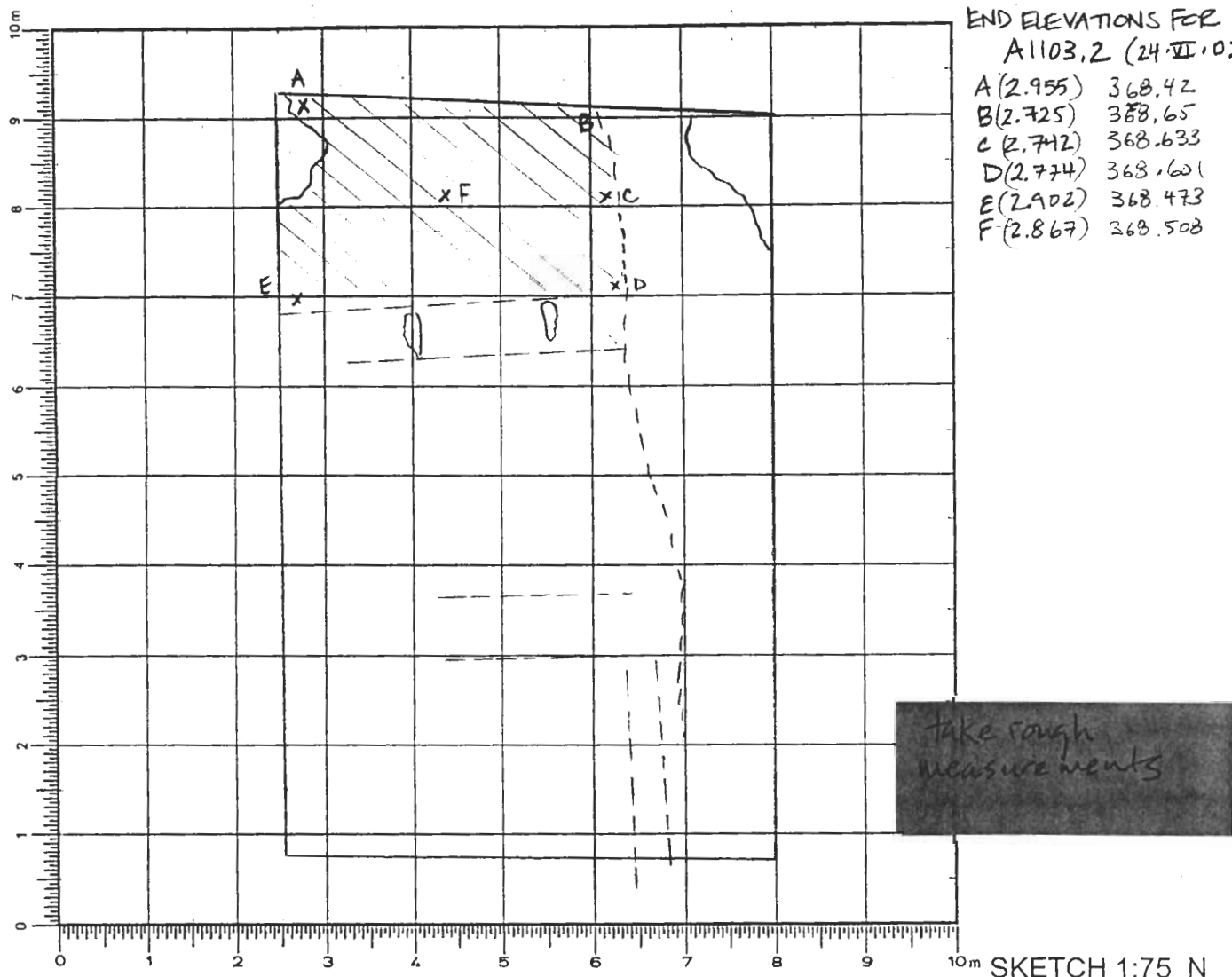
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DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 21.VI.02 Locus above: A1101

Locus parameters: area bounded by N and W baulklines, West limit of A1102 and the north face (not including entranceway space) of E-W

Verbal description: wall that incorporates the two door jamb stones - see sketch.
(A1104) ca. 3.5m x 2.0m

Aside from A1102, the larger boulder in NW corner, and a few medium to large stones in the SE corner, there is only soil (relatively loose and gravelly). The western ship is heavily eroded and thus much lower elevation.

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

26.VI.02: probably some interior space based on Wall [A1102] and the paving stones - though no evidence remains of a western or northern wall but there seemed to be no evidence of burning like that found in other rooms.

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Locus/Pottery Pail Number	Weight of Sherds	Number of Sherds	Chronology & Comments
A1103.1	1.350 kg	40	Hellenistic (Archaic)
A1103.2	1.258 kg	13	Hellenistic (Archaic)
A1103.3	2.655 kg	29	Hellenistic (Archaic + Orientalizing)
A1103.4 = A106.1			

OBJECTS

Object Number	Associated Pottery Pail	Identification (material/form)	Location	Elevation	Catalogue Number

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

Locus/Pottery Pail Number	Bones	Shell	Carbon	Pumice	Soil Sample	Other (specify)
A1103.1	1				1 (Standard)	
A1103.2	1					
A1103.3	1					1 (plaster)
A1103.4	±				(intensive)	

A1106.1

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1103 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

- 10-15cm in depth
21. VI. 02: Began excavation of A1103 (beneath surface material-A1101) with small picks from W to east; exposed N face of A1104; pottery collected A1103.1; bone collected; excavating suspended ca. 2.30m from W baulkline.
- Standard soil sample taken
24. VI. 02: completed pass from day before; defined east wing of entrance of A1104; defined north section (west face) of A1102; pottery collected A1103.2; bones collected
24. VI. 02: Began second pass of A1103 starting from the N baulkline heading to the South. Because of the deposit of packed clay in the South end of A900 continued into the South scarp, we anticipated its continuation into the N end of A1100 - the packed clay is probably a floor surface from the an exterior floor surface that extends N from A1104 (with entrance). A few deposits of large pitthoi fragments were found (point K - 1.70m from N and 1.45m from W; point J - 1.40m from N and 1.82m from W; point B - 1.0cm from N and 2.25m from W) - these deposits probably indicate a floor surface - at this point a new locus was assigned for this area → A1106.1
- pottery was collected A1103.3; bone and plaster fragments also found.
- elevations found in end elevations of A1106.1

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1104Excavator SZP**Elevations**Benchmark used: R1

Reading on

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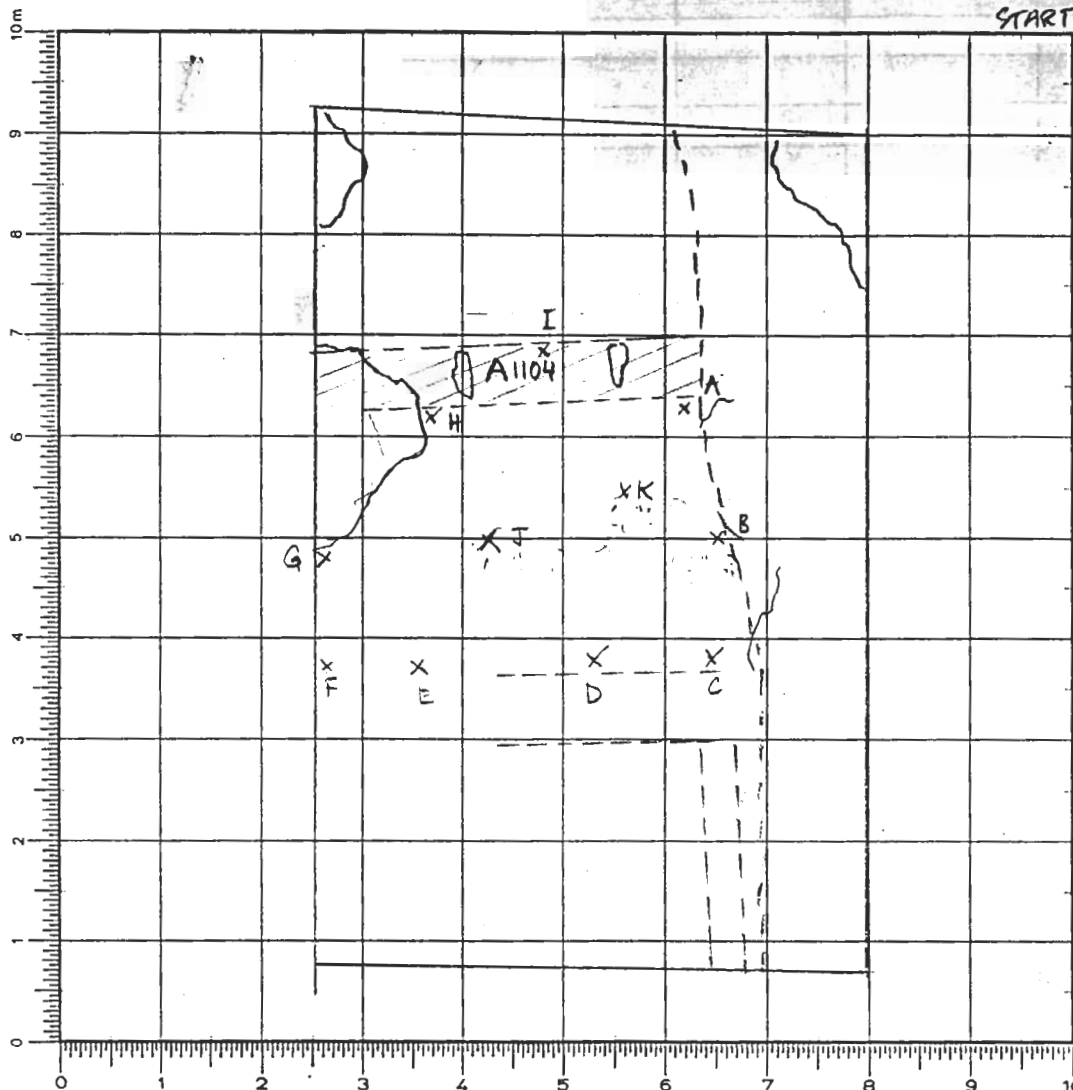
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J 2.54 368.778

K 2.354 368.964



SKETCH 1:75 N

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DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 21.VI.02 Locus above: A1101Locus parameters: ca. 2.5m long along south face from bedrock to A1102; ca 3.0m of northern wall face preserved. Wall thickness: ca. 70cm.

Verbal description: This is the wall that runs W-E including the two door jamb stones in the N trench quadrant. For the most part a single course remains though slightly better preserved at east end. Aside from doorjamb, seems to be rubble constructed. - possible extension eastward into A1102

- stones are small to medium in size;

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1104 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

03.VII.02 : clean up of entrance area (ie. area between doorway jambs);
A1104.1 three stones removed to clarify/deline entrance; deep
pitting left from removal of largest stone; pottery
pail A1104.1 = A1107.11

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1105 Excavator SZP

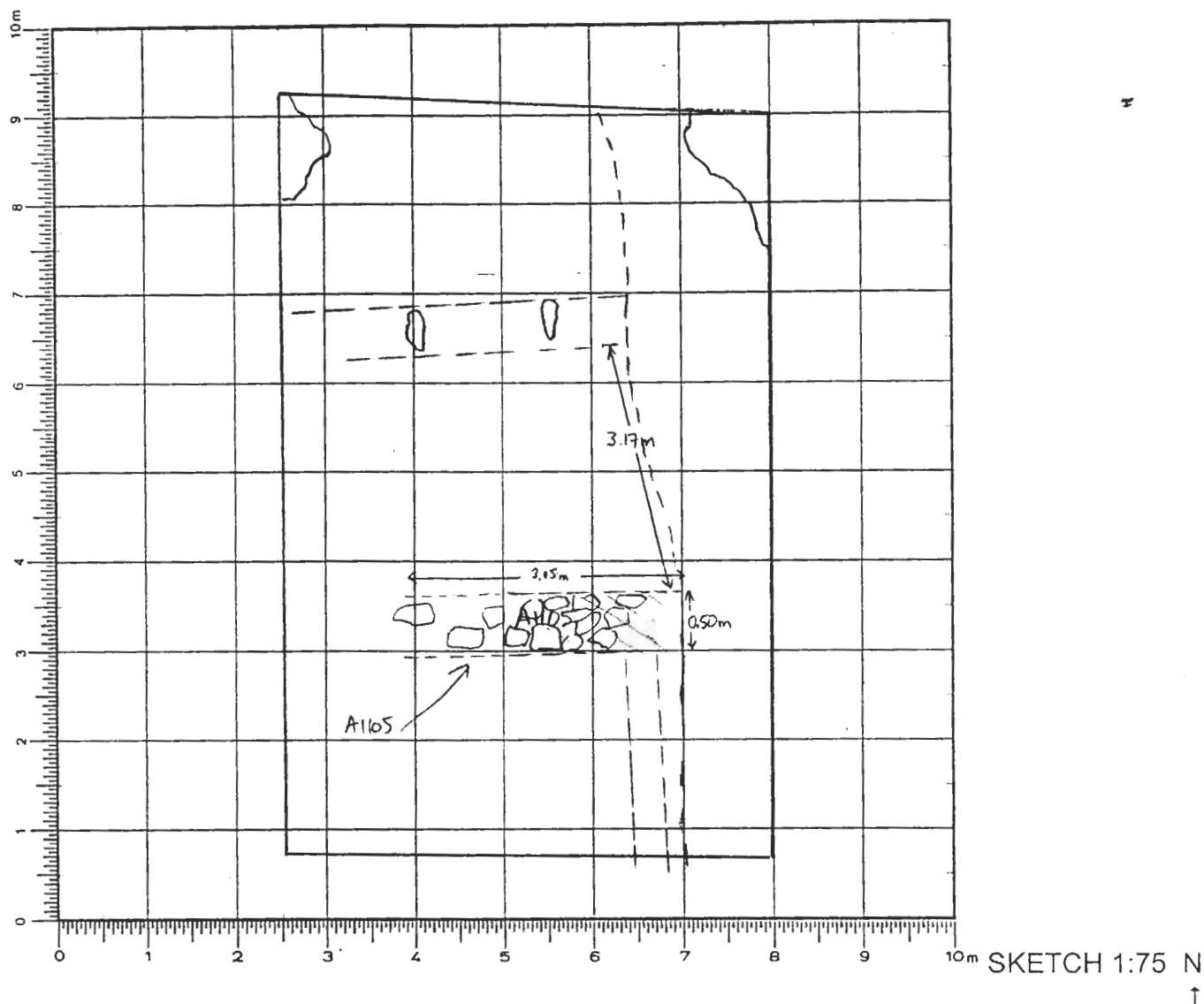
Elevations

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DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 21.VI.02Locus above: A1101

Locus parameters: North face preserved ca. 2m ; south face preserved ca. 1.5m ; wall length probably ca. 2.70m ; wall thickness

Verbal description:

This is the cross wall that runs E-W in the S trench quadrant - made up of rectangular stones, mixed with more roughly shaped stones - (small to medium sized) - nature of join to with A808 uncertain due to ~~wall~~ displacement of stones in A808 ca. 65cm

* lower courses extend north by 25cm more.

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

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OBJECTS

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

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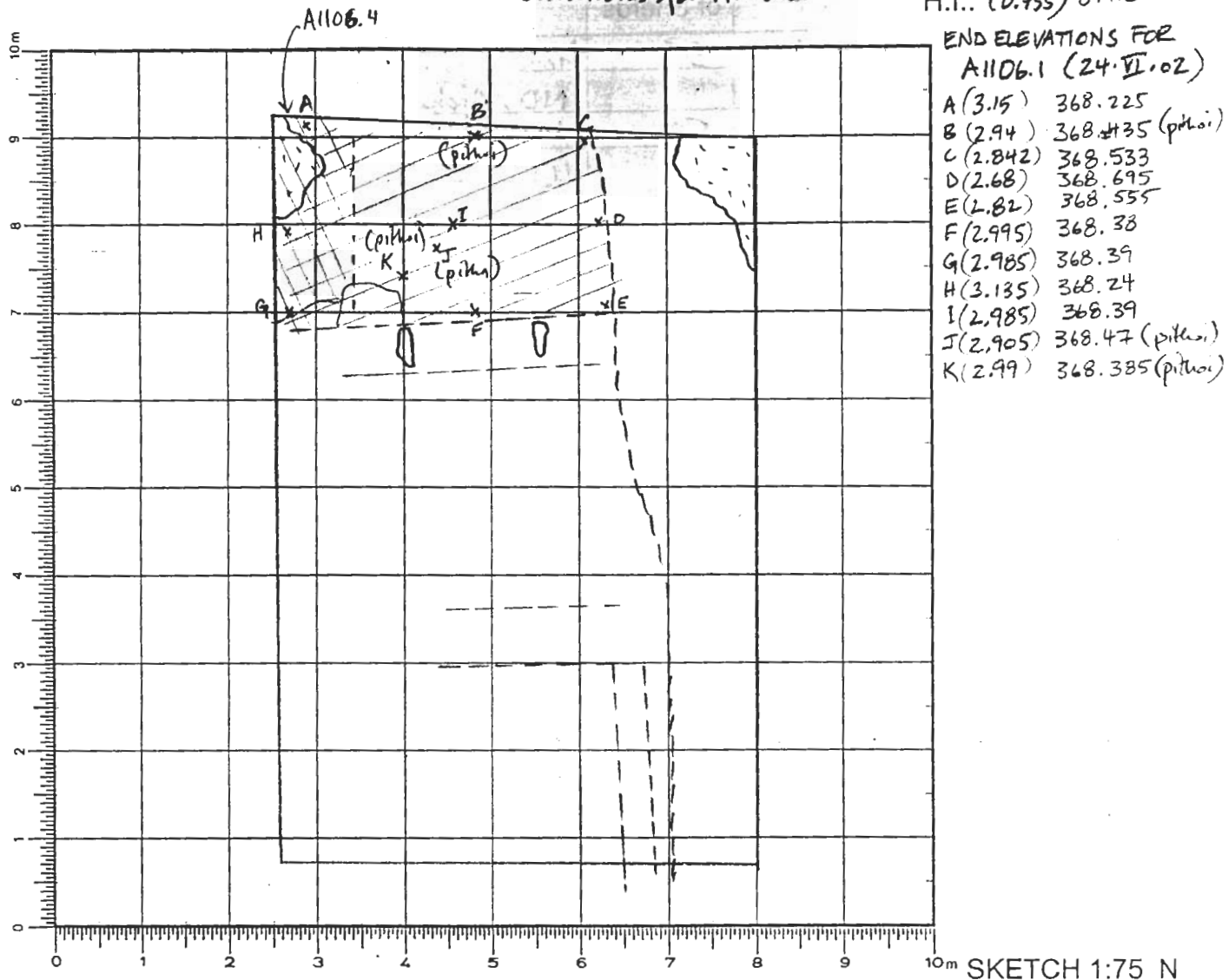
DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pair(s)]:

02. VII. 02: definition of wall A1105 running W-E. Pottery pair is A1105.1

27. VI. 02: Lower courses exposed during excavation of A1107.3 extend further north ca. 25cm. - due to wall shift or different phasing - probably too small to be a bench.

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1106 Excavator SZP* Start elevations for A1106 - See
end elevations for A1103.2

Elevations

Benchmark used: RL
Reading on
Benchmark: 370.62
H.I.: (0.755) 371.375DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain **why** you changed locus numbers):Today's date: 24.VI.02 Locus above: A1103Locus parameters: Area bound in north by northern bank, in east by A1102,
in west by western bank, and in south by A1104

Verbal description:

The area is mostly clay with a few small to medium sized stones. There are 3 deposits of pithoi. The western side is heavily eroded (and thus given a separate pit). The eastern side is ~~bound~~ bounded by a wall face of bedrock and coursed small stones. There are a couple of larger stones on the north side of the west door end.

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

This seems to be a level of roofing ^{3 m}clay (and probably a habitation layer) - the pithoi scatters seem to imply a floor surface just beneath them. - but no evidence of burning

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OBJECTS

Object Number	Associated Pottery Pail	Identification (material/form)	Location	Elevation	Catalogue Number
# 1	A1106.1	sea pebble			
# 1	A1106.3	loom weight	SW corner	2.30m from N bankline point I on end of trench is Gr	
# 2	A1106.3	pebble	and 3.85 from E bankline	A1106.3/H 25.V.02	
# 2	A1106.3	sea pebble	W side		
# 1	A1106.5	stone tool			

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

[illegible]

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1106 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

24. VI.02: A new locus was created upon finding three deposits of pitthoi fragments during second pass of A1103 - it is expected that the floor surface outside of A1104 (W-E wall with entrance) would be just under these deposits. A standard soil sample was collected as well as an intensive soil sample, taken from the SE corner of A1106; pottery was collected A1106.1; a sea pebble was collected obj. #1; this soil was now being sieved; bone was collected (normal collection and 1/4 inch collection); first pass of A1106.1 was completed and cleaned; photos taken; end elevations recorded.

24. VI.02: Began shallow pass of A1106.2 in order to find exterior floor surface - starting from N baulk heading S using the packed clay deposit from A900 as a gauge; one pottery deposit (point B) was removed and collected in A1106.2; this pass was only just begun before day's end.

25. VI.02: Continued previous day's pass to find floor surface; pottery was collected A1106.3; a standard soil sample was collected; pumice was found just south of the W door wing of A1104; a sea pebble was found in the SW corner obj. #2; a clay loomweight was found just N of the West door wing of A1104.

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1106 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

25.VI.02: Continued pass of A1106; collected pottery and removed pottery deposits ^(points K & T) from earlier pass A1106.3; loom weight (2.30m from N baulk and 3.85 from E baulk) obj. #1; pumice found in SW quadrant A1106.3; lamp fragment found - no object number - in with pottery - found in SW quadrant; excavated down to clay floor - exposed couple of paving stones inset; sea pebble found obj. #2 in West Quadrant; Separate pail will be assigned to west section (area 1.20m from W baulk) and A1106.4 - since this is most likely contaminated by surface material from upper slope and modern retaining wall. The purpose of this pass is to uncover the exterior floor surface as implied from the southeast section and scarp of A900. ~~An area of packed clay was found just below the clay~~ A level area of packed clay was uncovered ~~beneath~~ (the floor surface) beneath an uneven deposit of clay and stones (probably roofing clay and debris). The deposit of clay loses its integrity towards the West side of A1106.3; just in front of the entranceway, the floor surface ~~was~~ is pocked with large stones - probably wall collapse from above - hence the unevenness of the floor surface. Clean up and photographs were taken; elevations recorded.

- A1106.3
soil is being sieved
- bone collected
- standard soil sample taken for A1106.3

- no soil sample taken for A1106.4
- no sieving of soil from A1106.4

9.VII.02: A1106.5 - recovery of ^{various} pitthoi fragments left on surface and of stone tool obj. #1

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1106 (end) Excavator SZPElevationsBenchmark used: R4

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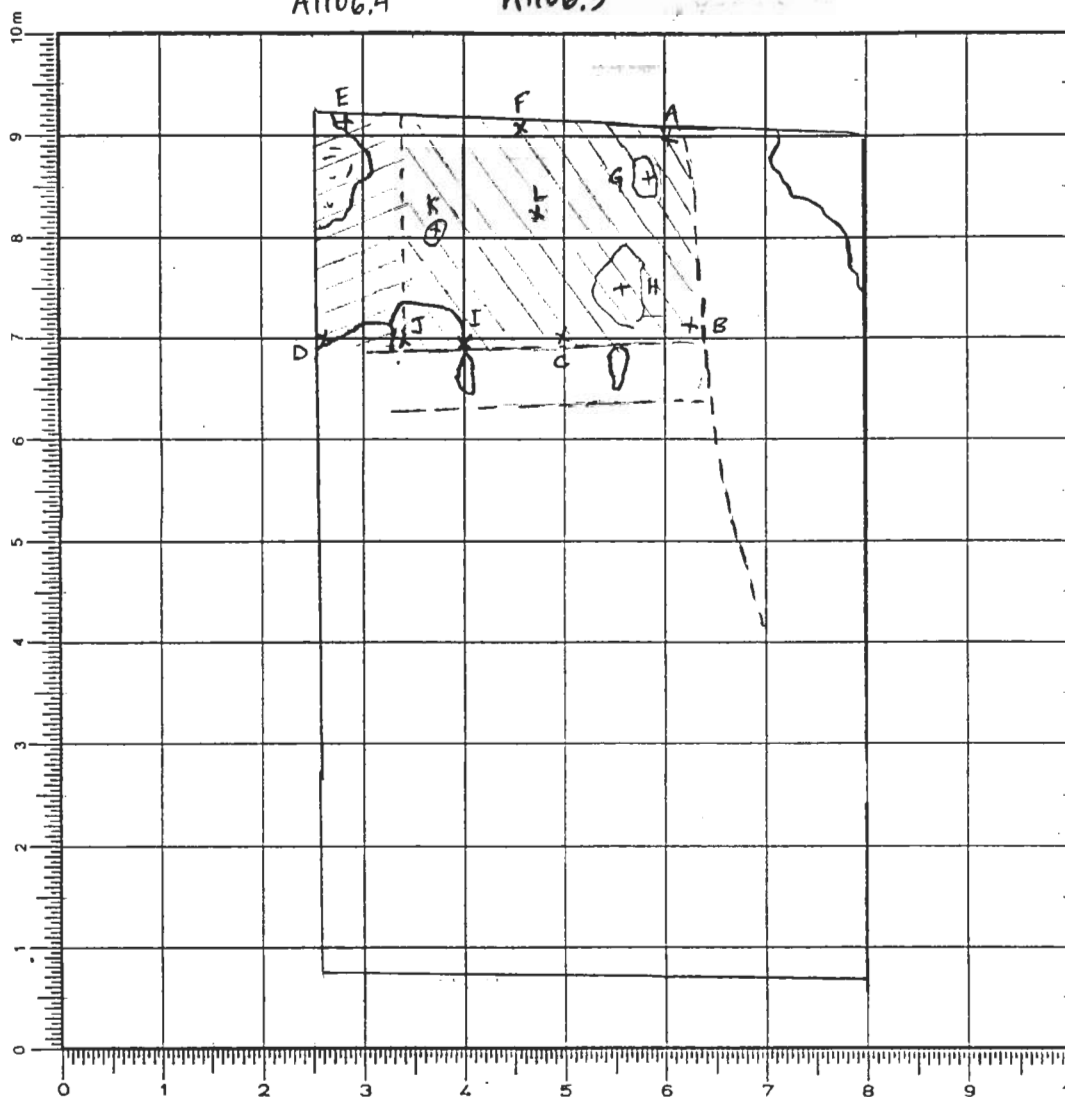
Benchmark: 365.74H.I.: (4,409) 370.149END ELEVATIONS

A1106.4

A1106.3

END ELEVATIONS FOR
A1106.3/.4 25.VI.02

A (1.724)	368.425
B (1.65)	368.499
C (1.783)	368.366
D (2.105)	368.044
E (2.24)	367.909
F (1.84)	368.309
G (1.73)	368.419
(paving stone)	
H (1.665)	368.484
(paving stone)	
I (1.838)	368.311
(loomweight - A1106.3)	
J (1.745)	368.404
K (1.91)	368.239
(stone tool A1106.5)	
L (1.775)	368.374
(pitthoi frag. deposit)	



SKETCH 1:75 N

DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):Today's date: 25.VI.02 Locus above: 1103

Locus parameters:

Verbal description:

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

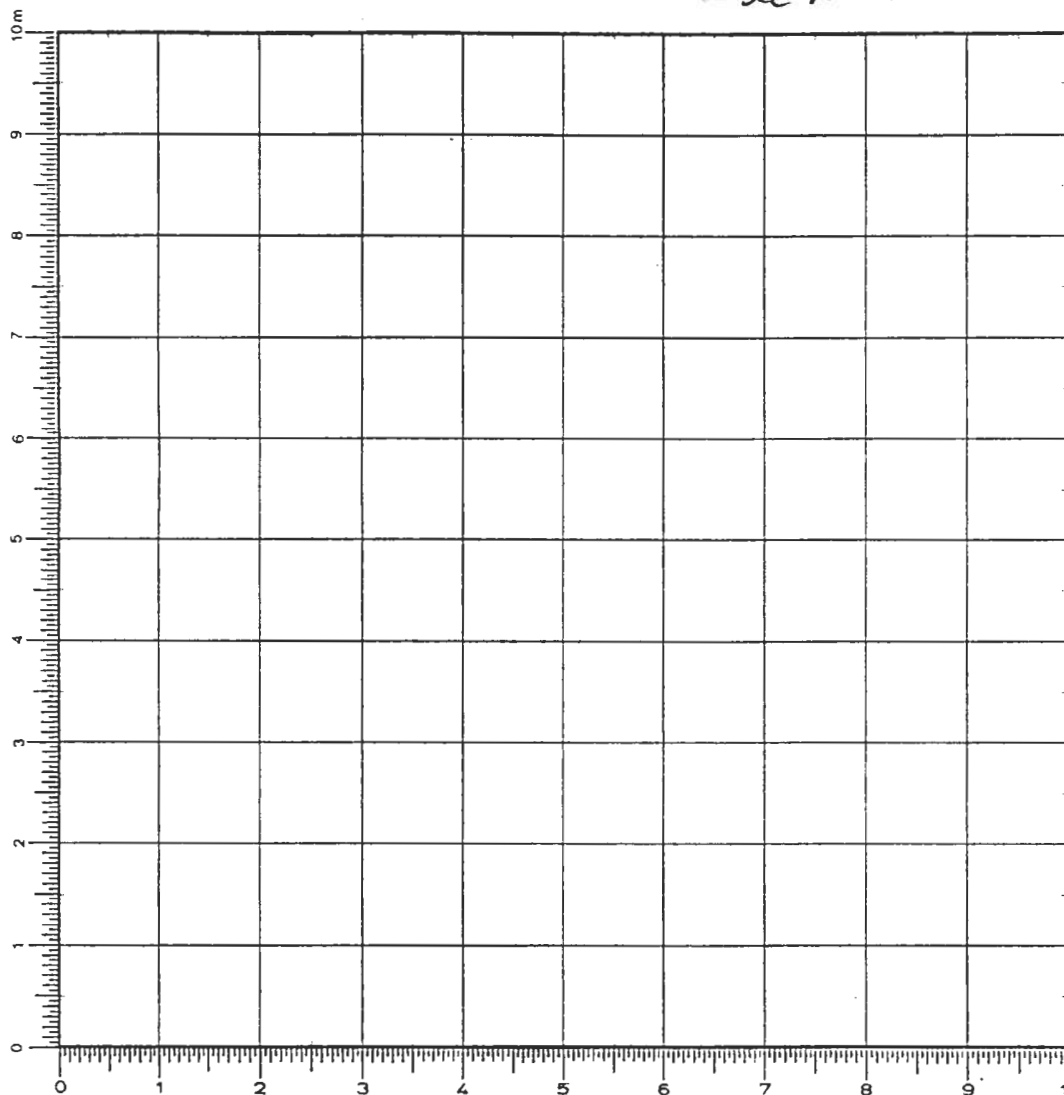
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107 Excavator SZP**Elevations**

Benchmark used:

Reading on

Benchmark:

H.I.:

START, ELEVATIONS
-See A1104

SKETCH 1:75 N

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DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 25.VI.02 Locus above: A1101Locus parameters: area bounded by A1104 in the north, A1102 in the east,
Verbal description: the west bank line and A1105 (extrapolated down to west bank) in the south.

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

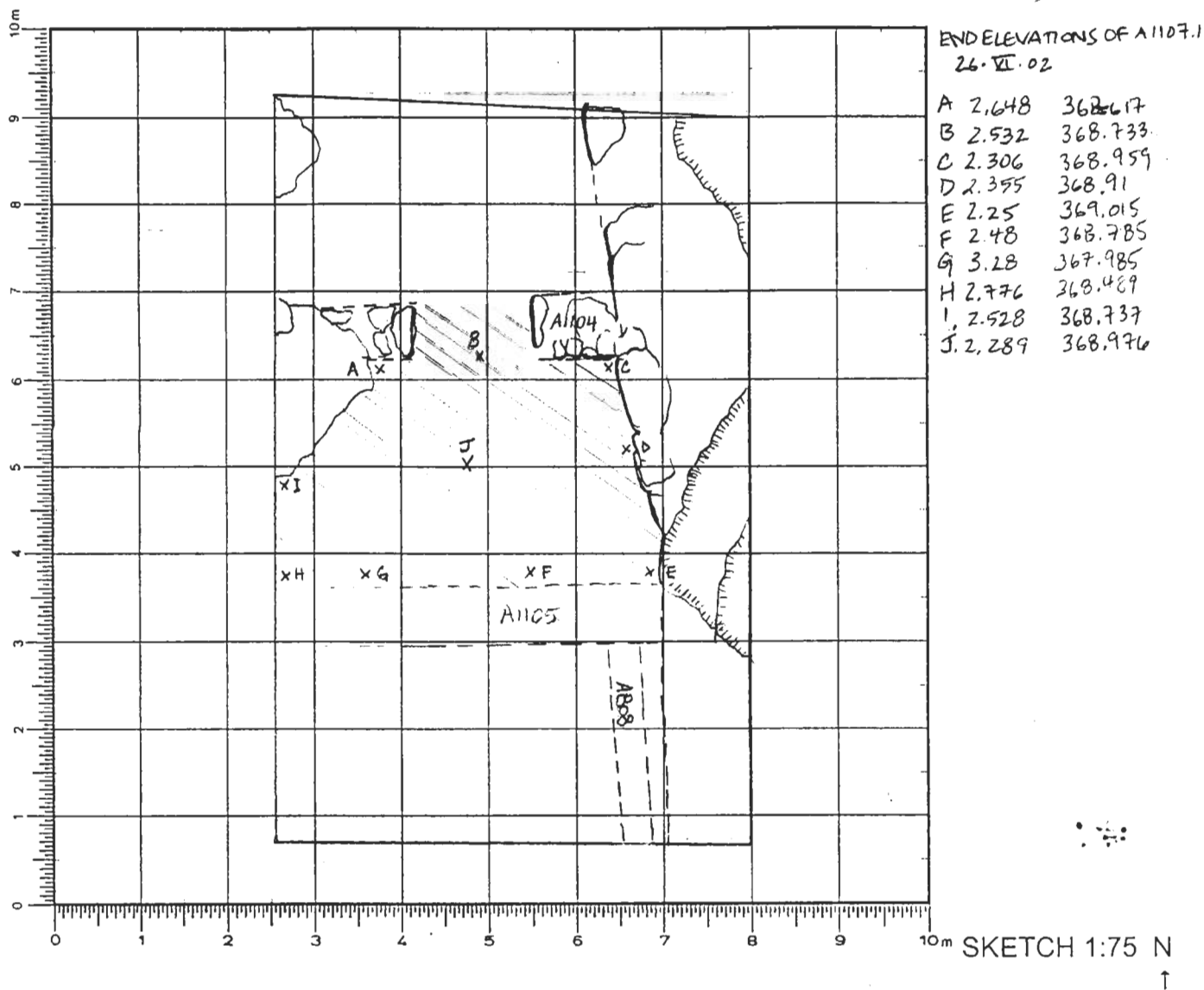
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107 Excavator SZP**Elevations**

Benchmark used: R1

Reading on

Benchmark: 370.62

H.I.: (0645) 371.265



DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 25.VI.02 Locus above: A1101

Locus parameters: area bounded by A1104 in the north, A1102 in the east, the west bank line and A1105 (extrapolated down to west bank)

Verbal description: in the south - ca. 2.6m along north, ca. 3.0m along east, ca. 3.0m along south, ca. 2.6m along west.

- Area contains tumble - especially dense in eastern section; western section appears heavily eroded.
- there is a very large outcropping of bedrock in the NW corner which is partially incorporated into northern wall.

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

A1107.1

- this appears to be a layer of tumble with medium to large sized stones.

A1107.2

- should have been given a new locus since this appears to be a level of roofing clay (destructive level) just above the room's floor.

Locus/Pottery Pail Number	Weight of Sherds	Number of Sherds	Chronology & Comments
A1107.1	2.02 kg	26	Archaic
A1107.2	4.655 kg	141	Archaic (LG)
A1107.3	3.665 kg	88	Archaic (LM III c)
A1107.4	0.560 kg	11	Archaic?
A1107.5	1.005 kg	17	Archaic
A1107.6	6.1 kg	85	Archaic (EIA)
A1107.7	0.960 kg	12	Archaic
A1107.8	0.003 kg	7	Archaic
A1107.9	9.95 kg	88	Archaic (+0?)

check in sheets for A1107.3 check A1107.4 check A1107.5

Object Number	Associated Pottery Pail	Identification (material/form)	Elevation	Catalogue Number
#1	A1107.2	iron frags	25cm S of W door jamb and 30cm W of jamb's eastern face (2.69) R1 (C.645)	
#2	A1107.2	Sea pebble	South side of east door jamb	
#3	A1107.2	sea pebble	SE corner	
#1	A1107.3	Sea pebble	SE corner	
#1	A1107.6	Sea ^{murky} shell	Seive (oops!)	
#2	A1107.6	loom weight	W face of A1102, 38cm S of A1104	
#3	A1107.6	loom weight	W face of A1102, 20cm S of A1104	
#4	A1107.6	stone object?	- Seive	
#1	A1107.8	worked stone	end of A1107.7	

#1 A1107.9 slag/iron frags
#2 A1107.9 loom weight

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

Locus/Pottery Pail Number	Bones	Shell	Carbon	Pumice	Soil Sample	Other (specify)
A1107.1					1 standard	
A1107.2	# 21	1 (w/bone)	1	1	1 standard	Bag 4 Sea pebble
A1107.2					1 intensive NW corner	Bag 1
A1107.2					1 intensive centre room	Bag 2
A1107.2					1 intensive SE corner	Bag 3
A1107.2					1 intensive NE corner	Bag 5
A1107.3	2 (1 = 1/4)		1		5 (1 standard, 4 intensive)	1 sea pebble
A1107.4	2 (1 = 1/4)		1		1 intensive SE corner of room	
A1107.5	1				2 intensive	
A1107.6	1	1 (w/bone)		1	2 intensive	
A1107.7	3		1		1 intensive	
A1107.7	1					
A1107.9	1				1 intensive 1 standard	

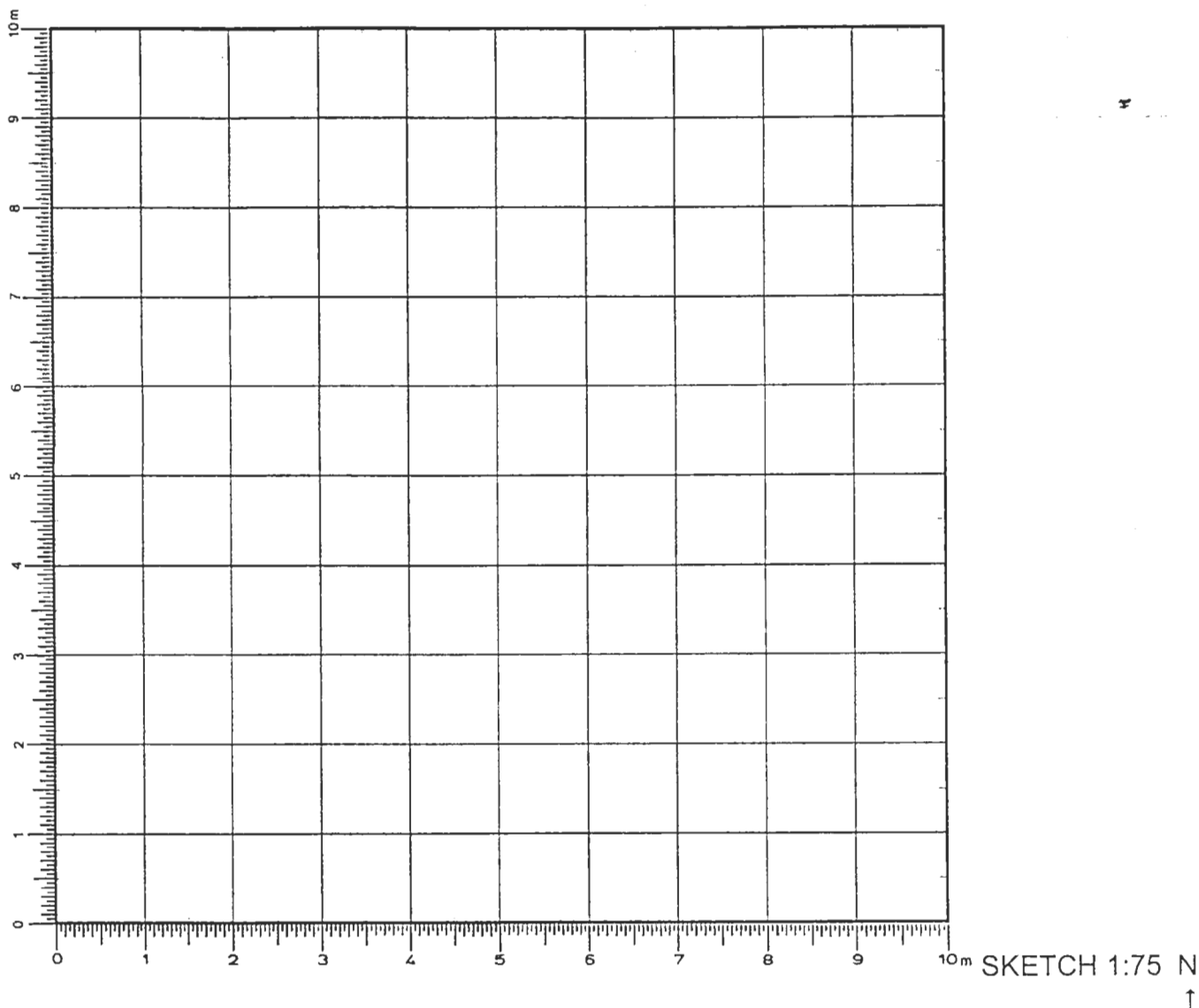
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107 Excavator SZP**Elevations**

Benchmark used:

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Benchmark:

H.I.:



DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 3. VII. 02 Locus above:

Locus parameters:

Verbal description:

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

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OBJECTS

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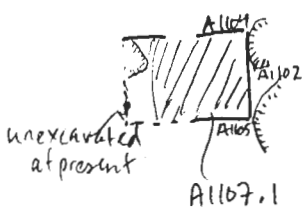
ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

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Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

25. VI. 02: Start of new locus A1107, the interior space bounded in the north by A1104, in the east by A1102 and in the south by A1105. The western perimeter of A1107 extends to the W bank - there is a possible N-S wall here but further excavation is needed to confirm this. The eastern half of A1107 contains large stones - probably wall collapse from above. Thus, the first pass of A1107 was primarily to remove these stones to facilitate easier excavation and to further delineate the room space. Because the western half (not including the large bedrock outcrop) was more shallow, it was not excavated during this first pass. Pottery was collected A1107.1 and a standard soil sample was bagged. The stones removed were collected in the area below A600. Clean up and photos were taken; elevations were recorded.



* spoil tip is at NW side of hill

26. VI. 02: A shallow pass (10-15cm) was begun from the entrance and then down the Western side. The purpose was to find the floor surface, using the uncovered exterior space surface from A1106, - this will most likely take two passes. Once the surface was found, it would be followed out from West to east half of A1107; pottery was collected A1107.2;

Two iron fragments were uncovered (25cm south of the West door jamb and 30cm west from the jamb's eastern face) - a fresh break in the iron fragments - they belong together - Obj. # 1

Its elevation is 368.575 masl $R1 (0.645) (2.69) = 368.575$

As we are approaching the floor surface, intensive soil samples were taken.

Bag 1 - intensive from the NW corner of the room and seems to be atop a floor surface

Bag 2 - intensive from the center of the room, near a carbon sample spot and just above the floor surface.

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DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

Bag 3 - intensive from the SE corner of the room and just above the floor surface.Bag 4 - standard from every part of A1107.2Bag 5 - intensive from the NE corner of the room and just above the floor surface.

The ~~new~~ entranceway was cleared to an even surface of hard packed clay (most likely surface). This ~~floor~~ surface was followed to the West side of locus. Because the deposition was higher in the East section, it was decided to take the E. side down to floor surface in two passes ~~to~~ in order to more finely isolated possible habitation material.

A concentration of carbon was found in the centre of the room (1.10m ~~from~~ S of east door jamb and 1.10m W of A1102) - a sample was taken - elevation is 368.66m asl.

Pumice was found just on the south side of east door jamb; nearby a sea pebble was found Obj. #2.

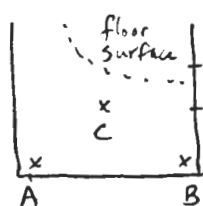
Concentration of carbon found in SE corner - an intensive soil sample was taken (Bag 3) as well as some carbon samples. (1m ~~N~~ of A1105) and (1.10W of A1102)

Another sea pebble was found in SE corner - Obj. #3

One shell was found (w/ bone bag) in SE corner.

Sweeping and clean-up; photos?

End elevations for A1107.2



R1

HI (0.63) 371.25

A (2.403) 368.847

B (2.40) 368.85

C (2.59) 368.66 (carbon source/burnt level)

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

27.VI.02 : Began another ^{shallow} pass of A1107; pottery pail is A1107.3; this pass seeks to uncover the rest of the floor surface already exposed in the NW section of the room. Large concentration of blackened soil and carbon found in the centre of the room (1.25m W. of A1102 and 1.10m S of east door jamb). Large scatter of pithoi fragments was exposed just south of this blackened soil concentration (1.90m S of A1104 and 2.10m W of A1102) - ca. area 80cm x 75cm; elevations taken (see photocopy of drawing). In the southern end of locus, there is another concentration of this blackened soil mixed with dark reddish soil - this is most likely destruction level mixed with habitation debris \Rightarrow new strategy; because of the material, in the hopes of better isolating the habitation level, the eastern half of locus (which has a deeper deposit anyways) will be excavated in two passes - the second pass will be assigned a separate pottery pail.

* NOTE: northern face of A1105 - lower courses, now exposed, extend further north (ca. 25cm) than the upper courses - possible bench or shelf or evidence of different phasing. \rightarrow probably not bench - seems too small

Another concentration of blackened soil and charcoal in SE corner of the room - carbon was collected

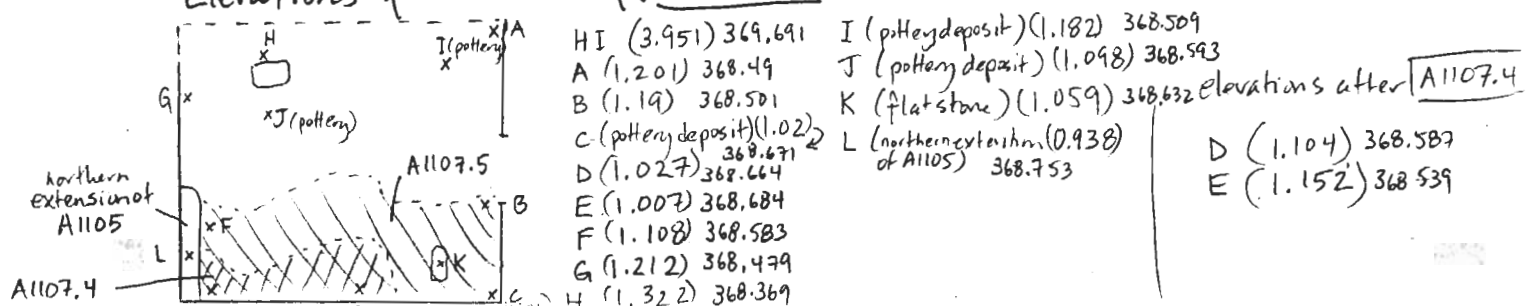
Sea pebble found Obj. #1 in SE corner of room

Soil samples collected:

- Bag 1: intensive from centre of room (near carbon source) including:
- Bag 2: intensive from SW corner
- Bag 3: intensive from SE corner
- Bag 4: intensive from NE corner
- Bag 5: (standard)

Excavation of A1107.3 completed - eastern area of locus will need another pass (or two?) before the surface level is reached due to deeper deposition.

Elevations for the end of A1107.3: Benchmark R4: 365.74



Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

27.VI.02: Elevation points C, I, and J are pitthoi deposits - Point I is part of the floor surface; Point J contains deeper levels of what is probably roofing clay rather than floor material (it is slightly pedestalled). A flat stone (ca. 50cm x 30cm) was uncovered embedded into a packed clay deposit in the NE corner of the room → the packed clay is probably roofing clay but there may be the possibility of another floor surface (cont)

27.VI.02: Another pass of the ^E section of A1107; because deposit here was deeper, multiple shallow passes were necessary - also prompted by desire to isolate more clearly the habitation and destruction layers. Pottery pail is A1107.4; bone is collected.

* Soil is being sieved

Soil sample (intensive) was collected from the SE corner of room.

Pass was completed - 2 quick elevations; photos

* NOTE: Burnt debris in the central section (running N-S) - mixture of charcoal, blackened soil, burnt clay - perhaps the central roof beam of room fell and burned while roofing clay fell atop it?

27.VI.02: Began pass from south section towards A1102; another large concentration of charcoal and burnt soil in southern area in centre of room - an intensive soil sample was taken from here (Bag 1). It seems that A1107.5 is primarily roofing clay (with various degrees of burning).

* Soil is being sieved

There appears to be a clear floor surface beneath the southern portion of A1107.5.

In the SE corner, there is a markedly different soil type - a much more orange-red soil colour (Munsell: 10YR 7/4 - 6/4) than the rest of the soil collected thus far in A1107.5 - an intensive soil sample was collected of this (Bag 2)

* it seems that the floor surfaces pit's out in this corner - perhaps due to erosional water running down the west face of A1102 into A1107.

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DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

28.VI.02: Continued pass of destruction/habitation level, starting from the Southern end to the north.

R4 365.74
HI (4.409) 370.149

A1104
x B 38cm
x A 20cm
A1102

A(1.58) 368.569
B(1.615) 368.534

Pottery pail is A1107.6; Intensive soil sample from centre of the room (Bag 1) collected; as pass moved along W side of A1102, there seemed to be some pitting in the floor surface mid way along N-S axis.

At this point, the deposition in the NE corner was once again deeper and we began decided to take this section down to the floor in two passes.

An intensive soil sample was taken from the NE corner (Bag 2).

A loomweight was found beside the W face of A1102, 38cm South of A1104 (elevation: 368.569 masl). obj. # 2

Another loomweight was found beside the W face of A1102, 20cm South of A1104 (elevation: 367.578 masl) obj. # 3

A murex shell was found in the sieving obj. # 1

Carbon found in sieving; Bone was found

Stone object found sieving obj. # 4.

28.VI.02: New pottery pail started A1107.7 for small pass in NE corner of room (initial pass broken up into multiple passes due to deeper deposition in this area).

Soil sample (intensive) was taken from NE corner (Bag 1)

The NE corner: possible stand or bench - flat stone (ca. 45cm x 30cm) atop chippy bedrock

Clean up and sweeping; photos; drawing

01.VII.02: Found worked shell obj. # 1 A1107.8 on surface due to wear from traffic on surface (50cm West of A1102 and 1m North of A1105) Elevation: same as locus

Pottery found on surface uncovered due to traffic. A1107.8

no longer an object (2.VII.02)

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107.9 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

02.VII.02: Began another shallow pass to remove pitthoi deposits and reveal floor surface in W section; Soil is being sieved. pottery pail is A1107.9Elevations of pottery deposits R4 365.74
HI (4.499) 370.239

NW corner

largest sherd: (1.74) 368.499

banded frag: (1.752) 368.487

(just south)

frag just east: (1.705) 368.534

In NW corner, iron fragment and slag found obj. #1

elevation: 1.775 368.464

Coordinates: 20cm from S face of W door jamb

2.60m from W face of A1102

(Bag 1)
Intensive soil sample from NW corner (location of slag). Standard (Bag 2)
Soil Sample; Bone collected.Loomweight uncovered (elevation: 368.459 masl) obj. #2Loom
weight
x 10cm

elevation: (1.780)

Elevations of pitthoi from Donald's "hearth"



A (1.650) 368.589

B 1.695 368.464

C 1.775 368.464

D 1.645 368.594

E 1.699 368.541

Bag 3 - intensive soil sample from under
pottery scatter (hearth?).

By Doug Park

Received 15.VII.02

A1104

▷ A1107.9



PITHOI SCATTER FROM A1107.9
02.VII.02

- A. 368.589 masl
- B. 368.464 masl
- C. 368.464 masl
- D. 368.594 masl
- E. 368.541 masl

A1102



DF

7-15-02

A1105

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1107 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

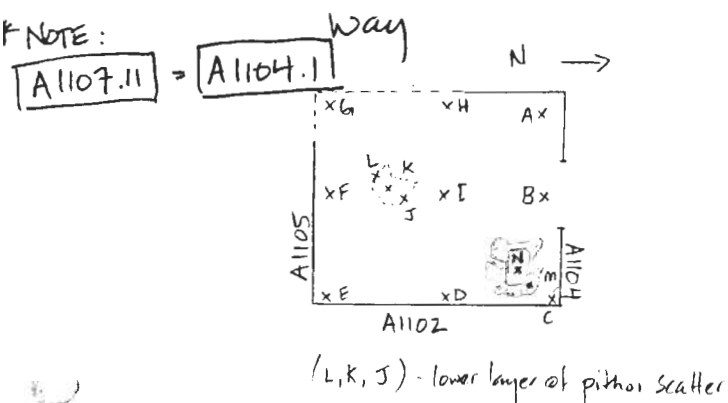
03.VII.02: Continuation of yesterday's pass to reveal floor surface and further define pithoi scatter found beneath pithoi scatter collected in A1107.9; this lower layer of large pithoi fragments appear to make up the other side of the upper deposit of fragments (i.e. the pithos broke sideways); the pottery pail for this pass was A1107.10; defined fragments, cleanup and photos.

* Soil was sieved

03.VII.02: Work to further define/clarify the area between the two door jambs in A1104; deep pitting left from the removal of the largest stone; pottery pail is A1107.11; the surface does not appear to be preserved in the eastern area of entrance

* Soil was sieved

NOTE:



(R4)

HI (4.825)	370.565
A. 2.050	368.515
B. 2.060	368.505
C. 1.771	368.795
D. 2.051	368.514
E. 2.046	368.519
F. 2.037	368.528
G. 2.229	368.336
H. 2.069	368.496
I. 2.021	368.544
J. 1.954	368.611
K. 2.051	368.611
L. 1.955	368.61
m. 1.938	368.627
(bedrock)	
N. 1.860	368.705
(platform?)	

elevation S
for A1107.10

03.VII.02: pithoi scatter was removed → A1107.12 and an intensive soil sample was collected (soil beneath scatter); it seems likely that the floor surface has been exposed (or very nearly exposed since there are a few pottery fragments still embedded into surface).

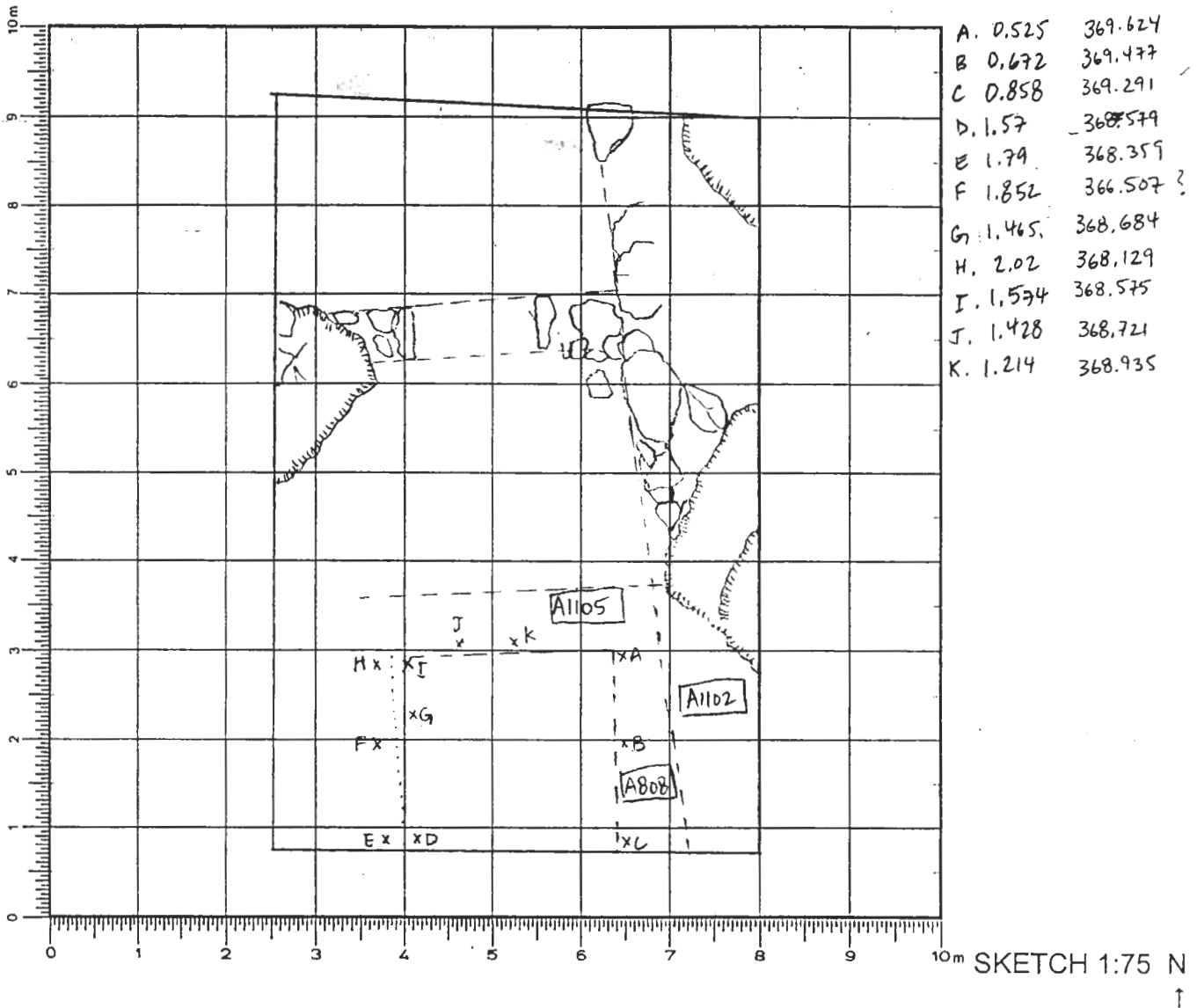
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1108Excavator SZPElevations

Benchmark used: R4

Reading on

Benchmark: 365.74

H.I.: (4.409) 370.149

START ELEVATIONS
FOR A1108.1
28.VI.02

DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 28.VI.02

Locus above:

Locus parameters: space bounded by southern face of A1105, western face of A808, southern trench bankline, and ca. 2.85m west from west face of A1102 (where we extrapolated potential location of N-S running wall based on A)

A1108 - dense rubble (w/ medium to very large stones) primarily in mid to east area of locus. The west section is heavily eroded and slopes steeply down.

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1108 Excavator SZP

Locus/Pottery Pail Number	Weight of Sherds	Number of Sherds	Chronology & Comments
A1108.1	0.418kg	10	Hellenistic + ?
A1108.2	0.055kg	11	Hellenistic (Archaic)
A1108.3	2.535kg	35	Hellenistic & Archaic
A1108.4	2.045kg	36	Archaic
A1108.5	0.440kg	4	Archaic
A1108.6	0.600kg	8	ND (Archaic)
A1108.7 (pithe)	4.7kg	30	Archaic
A1108.8	0.560kg	13	Hellenistic (Archaic, ND)

OBJECTS

Object Number	Associated Pottery Pail	Identification (material/form)	Location	Elevation	Catalogue Number
#1	A1108.2				
#7	A1108.6	Sea pebble			

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

Locus/Pottery Pail Number	Bones	Shell	Carbon	Pumice	Soil Sample	Other (specify)
A1108.1					Intensive	
A1108.2					1 standard	
A1108.3	1		1		1 intensive	(NE corner)
A1108.4	1		1		1 intensive	mid east side
					1 standard	
A1108.5						
A1108.6	1					
A1108.7	1					

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Benchmark used: R4

Reading on

Benchmark: 365.74

H.I.: (4.409) 370.149

END ELEVATIONS FOR

A1108.1 28.VI.02

A 1.075 369.774

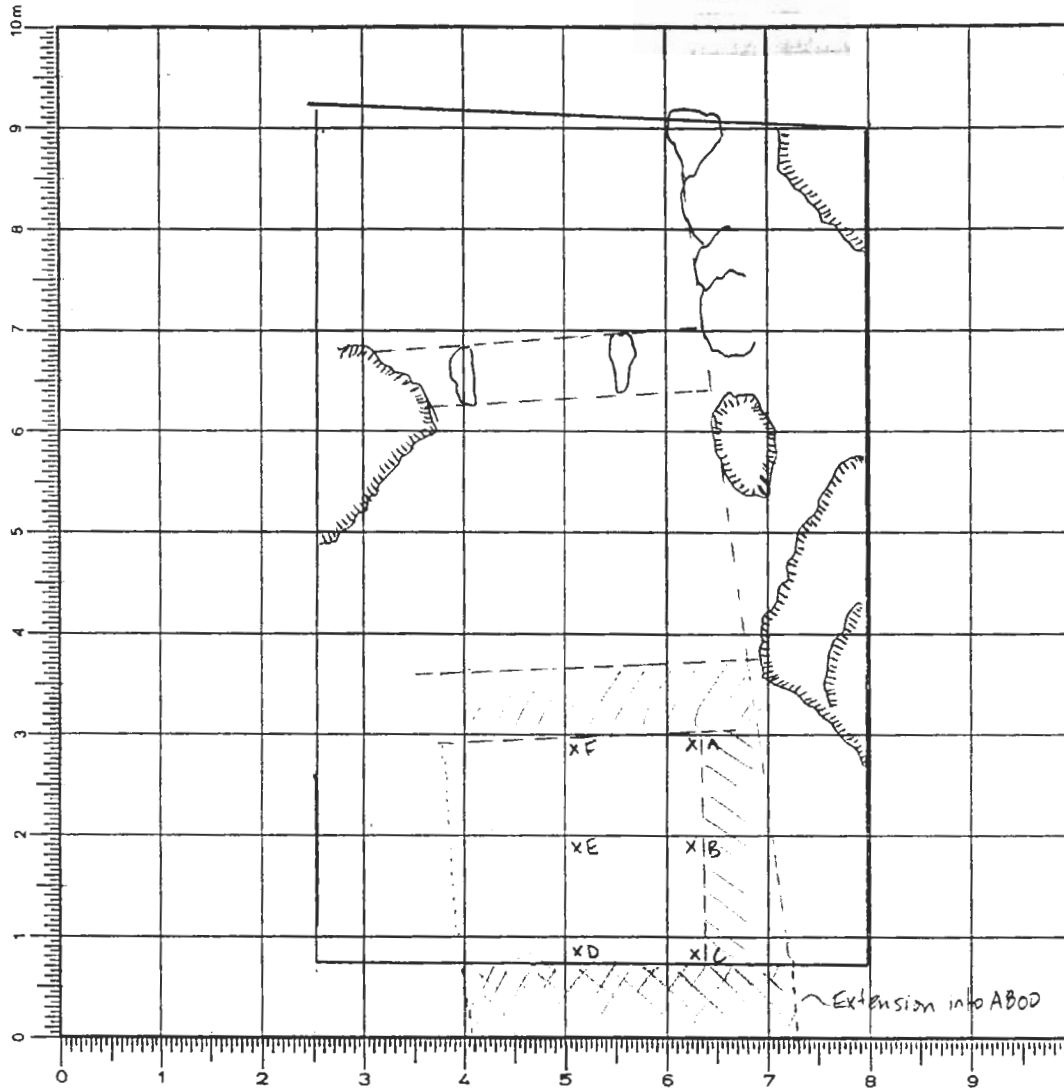
B 1.06 369.089

C 1.0 369.149

D 1.248 368.901

E 1.325 368.824

F 1.382 368.767



SKETCH 1:75 N

DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date:

Locus above:

Locus parameters:

Verbal description:

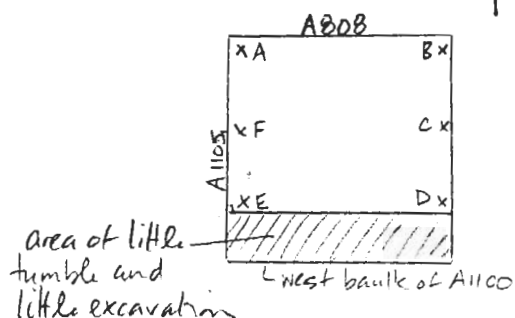
Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

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DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pile(s)]:

28.VI.02: New locus (interior space) bounded by west face of A808, south face of A1107, south bankline and west bankline \Rightarrow this is south of A1107.
Pottery pile for initial removal of large stones (wall tumble) is A1108.1; concentration of tumble in eastern area of locus. \therefore southern area was not yet excavated (see shaded area below).

1.VII.02: End elevations for A1108.1

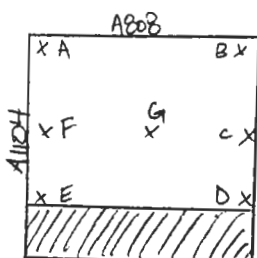


Benchmark	365.74
HI (4.48)	370.22
A (1.20)	369.02
B (1.075)	369.145
C (1.318)	368.902
D (1.543)	368.677
E (1.65)	368.57
F (1.375)	368.847

1.VII.02: Began removal of second layer of wall collapse, moving from west to east (upslope); new pile is A1108.2; very little pottery found; standard soil sample taken; reveals another layer of tumble

* NOTE: appears very similar to character of A800's initial passes of multiple tumble layers; Western face of A808 is further defined and looks to have suffered under the pressure of wall tumble and erosion - distortion of stones in higher courses, slippage of stones towards the west.

- end elevations for A1108.2



R4 Benchmark	365.74
HI (4.478)	370.218
A (1.275)	368.943
B (1.282)	368.936
C (1.462)	368.756
D (1.50)	368.718
E (1.648)	368.57
F (1.514)	368.704
G (1.44)	368.778

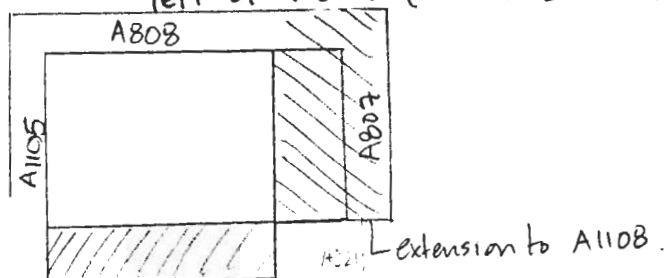
elevation of marked shell from A1107.7
obj # 1 (1.716)
No longer an object

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DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pair(s)]:

1. VII.02: Began removal of third layer of wall tumble; new pottery pair is A1108.3

* NOTE: A1108.3 will now extend south into A800, including what is left of A807 (what is the bottom of A801).



The pass will come down to the same level as the bottom of A801.

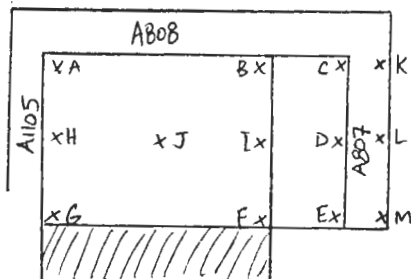
Burnt soil and carbon (sample taken) were found in the NE corner of A1108 — elevation: (1.615) 368.603 masl ;

An intensive soil sample was collected from the area of the carbon source in NE corner of A1108.

Continued pass and found a surface of packed clay — probably a deposit of roofing clay;

Further defined southern face of A1105, western face of A808 and Northern A807. The wall A807 exhibits clear signs of wall slide → large stones have shifted or are displaced and the wall face has a "tumbly" look — not as uniform or orderly as one would expect.

02. VII.02: End elevations of A1108.3 recorded.



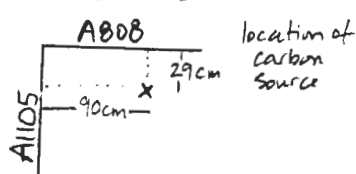
R4 365.74
 HT (4.499) 370.239
 A (1.685) 368.554
 B (1.661) 368.578
 C (1.689) 368.55
 D (1.999) 368.24
 E (2.210) 368.029
 F (1.996) 368.293
 G (2.230) 368.009
 H (1.705) 368.534
 I (1.710) 368.529
 J (1.682) 368.557
 K (0.885) 369.354
 L (1.491) 368.748
 M (1.950) 368.289

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DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pile(s)]:

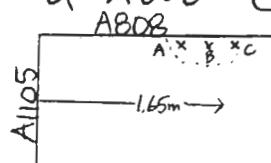
02.VII.02: Began another pass to remove layer of rock tumble; pottery pile is A1108.4; this pass moves west to east (upslope).

A large concentration of carbon and burnt soil found along the west face of A808, midway between A1104 and A807; a carbon sample was collected; an intensive soil sample from this area was collected; a standard soil sample was also collected.



Elevations
 R4 HI (4.499) 370.239
 A (1.749) 368.49
 B (1.77) 368.469

A deposit of pithoi fragments was uncovered along the west face of A808 (ca. 1.65m south of A1105)



A. 368.474 masl
 B. 368.383 masl
 C. 368.449 masl

02.VII.02: Another pass to remove another layer of tumble (now not nearly as dense as the upper layers of tumble); this pass started on the west side (from the conjectured location of the west wall based on the "corner stone" in A807) - it is hoped that a western wall would be preserved and defined. The pottery pile is A1108.5. This pass was not completed by day's end.

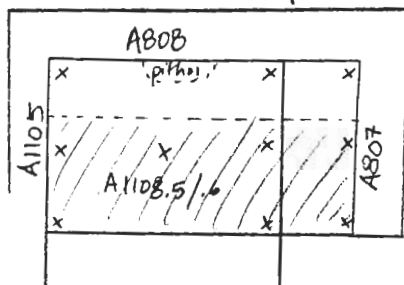
03.VII.02: Continued pass from yesterday; new pottery pile is A1108.6; bone was collected; there is a scatter of stones (with flat sides up - in general) in the western section of A1108. - perhaps bedding for a surface or wall; (*refer also to A1109 and A1111) pottery deposit and destruction layer in east bank were cleaned and photographed. - stopped before reaching face of A808

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DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

03. VII. 02: Elevations for end of A1108.6

(Cont)

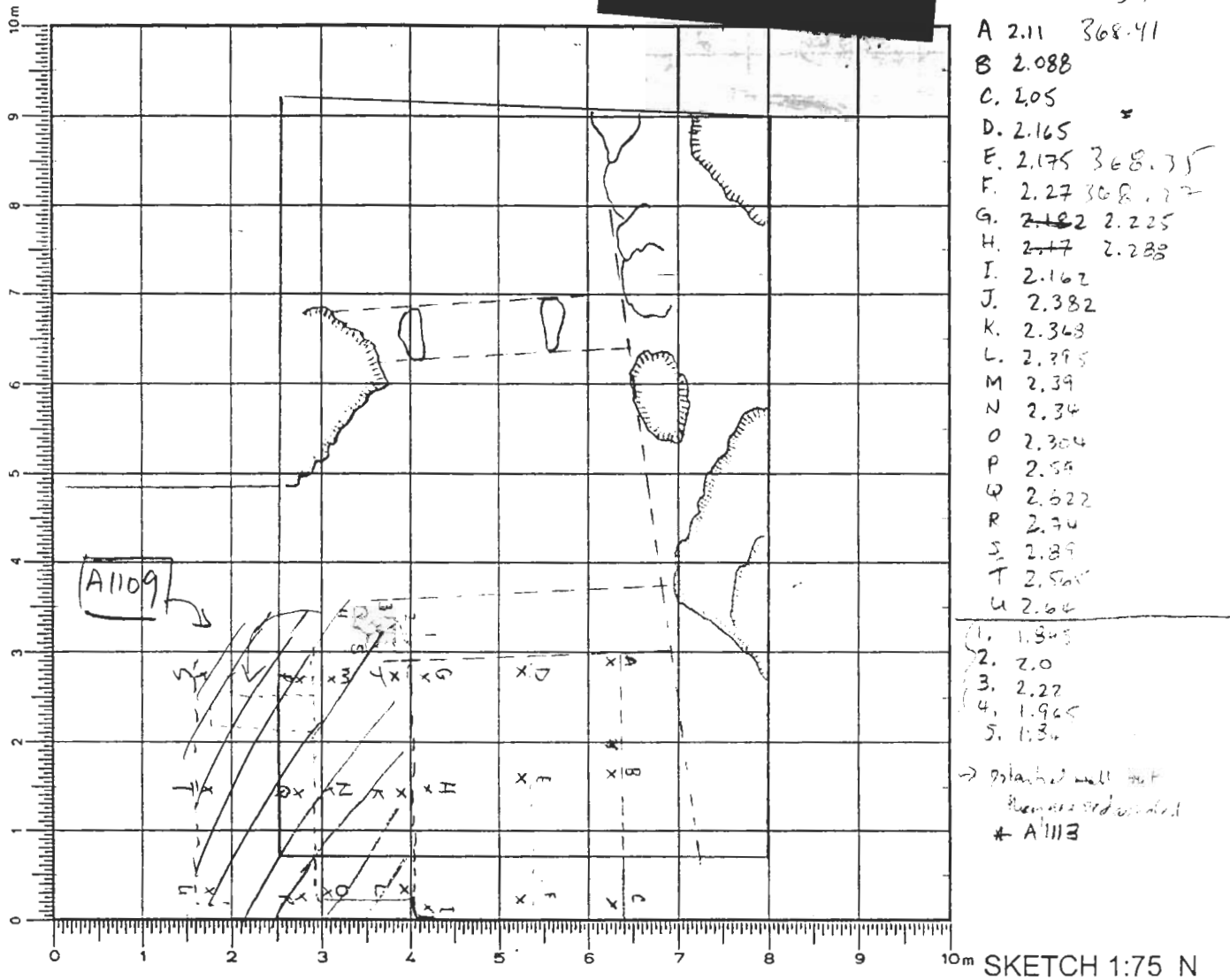


03. VII. 02: Pithoi scatter collected in pottery pail A1108.7

04. VII. 02: Clean up work → definition of rock scatter, of ^{northern} ~~western~~ face of AB07; light clean up into southern corner. Pottery pail is A1108.8. (the extension into AB07)
Because the clean up included upper courses of wall face, this pail's pottery may not represent any one level.

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1109Excavator S2P

Elevations

 Benchmark used: R4
 Reading on [redacted]
 Benchmark: 365.74
 H.I.: (4.775) 370.52


DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 3. VII. 02 Locus above: A1101Locus parameters: ca. 3.5m along east, ca. 1.5m along north and south, ca. 3.5m along west.
just west of A1108.

Verbal description:

Area west of A1108,

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

[illegible]

OBJECTS

[illegible]

ADDITIONAL COLLECTED MATERIAL

[illegible]

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1109 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

03.VII.02: The purpose of this pass is to further establish and define the western boundary of the space A1108. - also to remove some ^{remaining} rubble. Pottery pail is A1109.1; a sea pebble was found obj. #1; a standard soil sample collected.

A collection of stones in the NE corner of this locus might be a potential crosswall (running W-E) - elevations at these stones were taken. = A1113

There appears to be a linear arrangement of rough stones running N-S in the west side of locus - it has only one course and seems to be approximately in line with the worked bedrock of A1107. - perhaps a wall = A1111

ASIDE: * Just east of this appears to be another line of flat, orthogonal stones running N-S, uncovered in A1108 - what is the relationship between these "walls"? - different phasing? = A1112

- An area of packed clay (ca. 80cm x 1m) west side of line of rough stones ^(A1111) - perhaps a deposit of roofing clay or a floor surface though there is some evidence of burning ~~in the~~ just below the surface level (seen in south scarp).

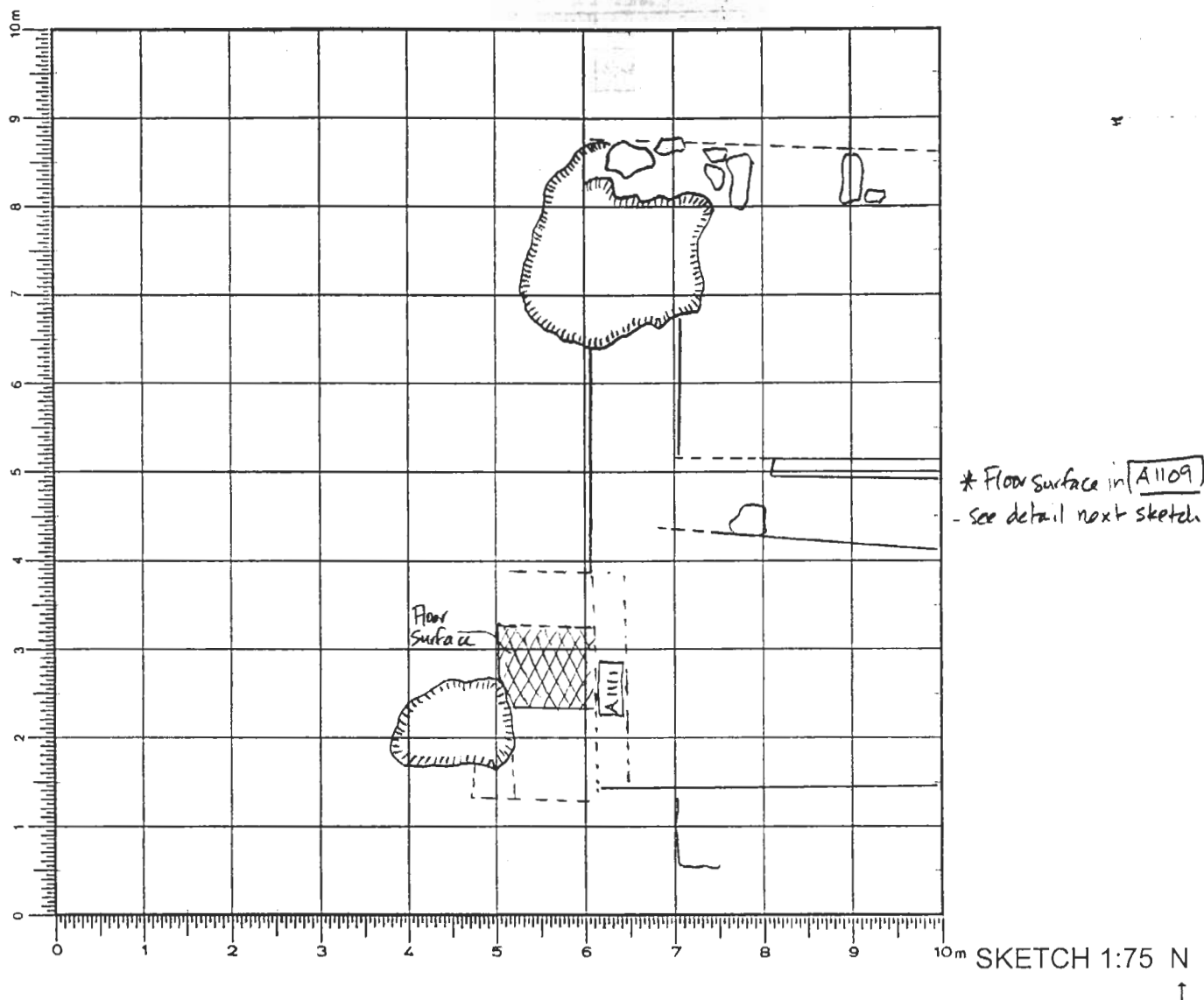
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1109Excavator S2P**Elevations**

Benchmark used:

Reading on

Benchmark:

H.I.:



DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 8 VII 02

Locus above:

Locus parameters:

Verbal description:

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

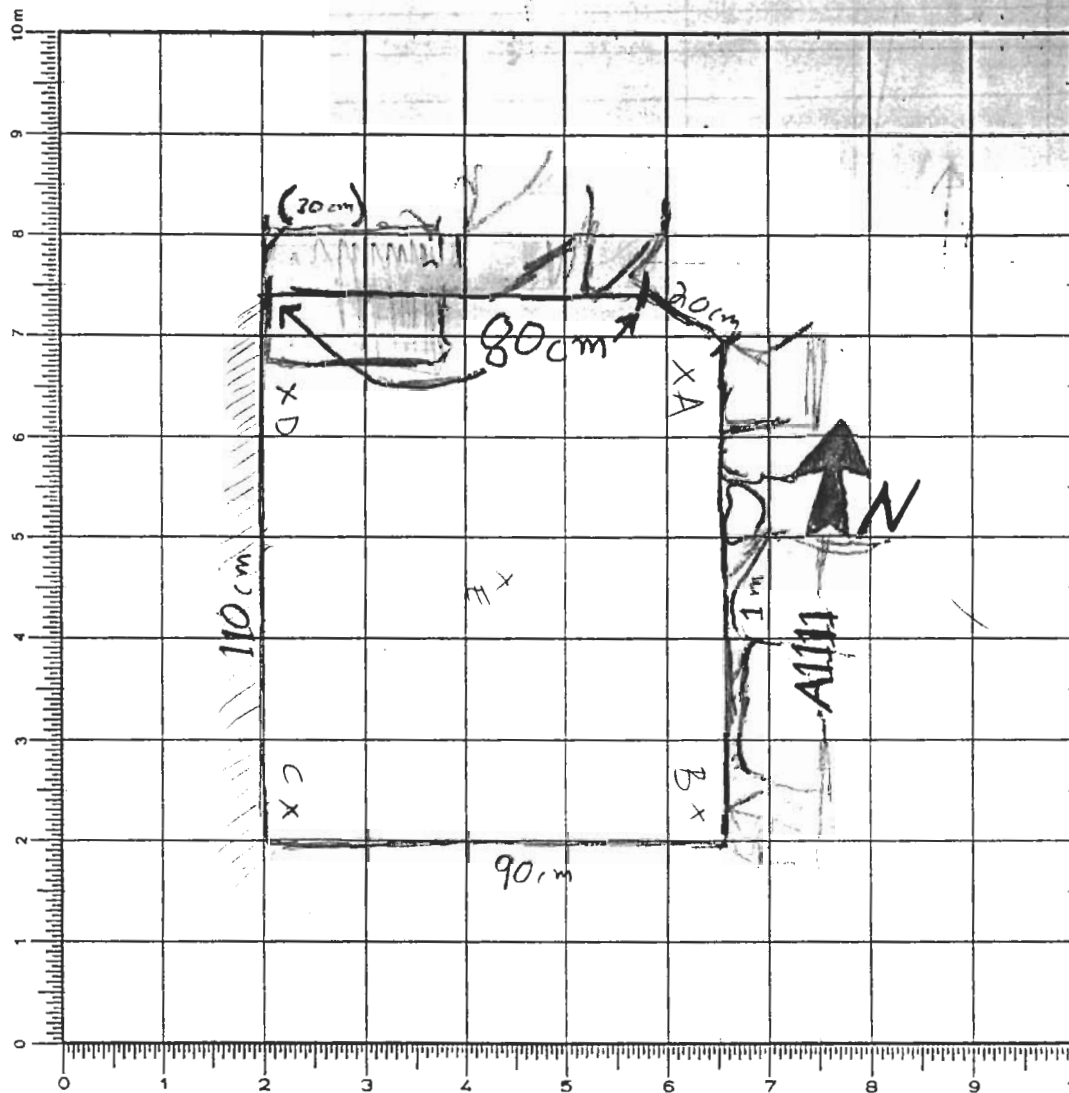
Year 02 Trench/Locus A1109 Excavator S2P**Elevations**Benchmark used: R4

Reading on

Benchmark:

H.I.: (4542)

Elevations of surface level

A. 24.25B. 23.83C. 24.38D. 25.34E. 24.50

39.75

not to scale

SKETCH 1.75 N

DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain **why** you changed locus numbers):

Today's date:

Locus above:

Locus parameters:

Verbal description:

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

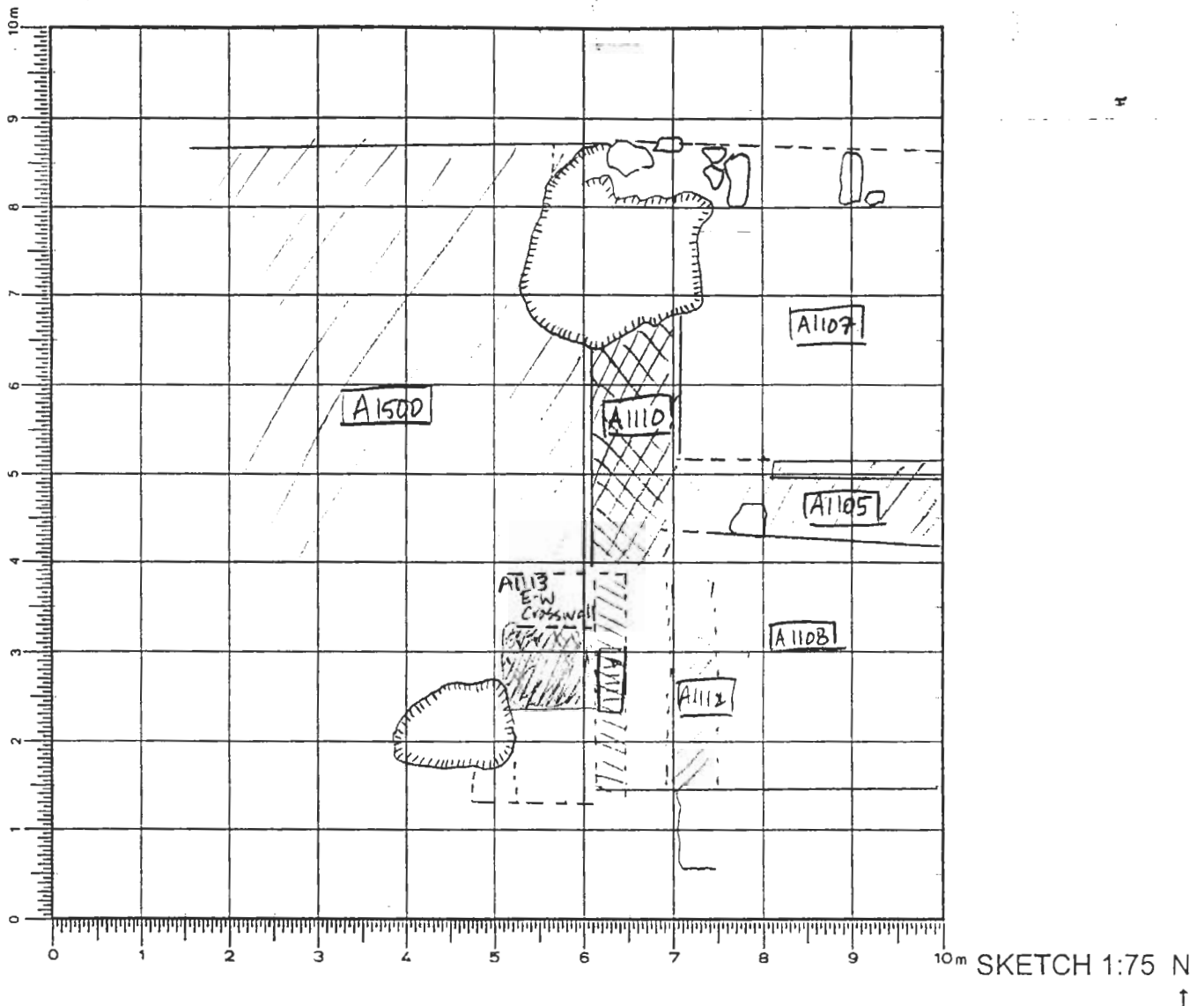
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1110 Excavator SZP**Elevations**

Benchmark used:

Reading on

Benchmark:

H.I.:



DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain why you changed locus numbers):

Today's date: 4.VII.02Locus above: A1101

Locus parameters: Area west of A1107, north of potential ^{E-W} crosswall in A1109, bounded in North by bedrock and western baulkline - ca. 3.0m along east, 1.7m along south, 2.5 along west, ca. 1.0m along north.

Area drops westward steeply - indications of much erosion - some tumble

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

This area (the eastern section) should have yielded evidence of the western walls for the central and southern rooms of A1102. But there was none: - probably subject to erosion - wall courses of for A1111 and A1113 - suggest walls were constructed at a higher elevation.

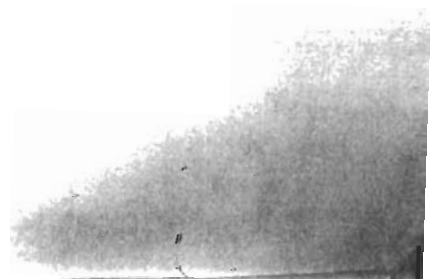
Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1110 Excavator SZP

DESCRIPTION of PROGRESS of EXCAVATION [date each entry and identify associated pottery pail(s)]:

4.VII.02 : A pass to determine whether wall A1111 continues further North to form west boundary for A1107. The pass uncovered only pebbly, chippy layer - the pass did not continue into the east as to protect the floor surface of A1107.

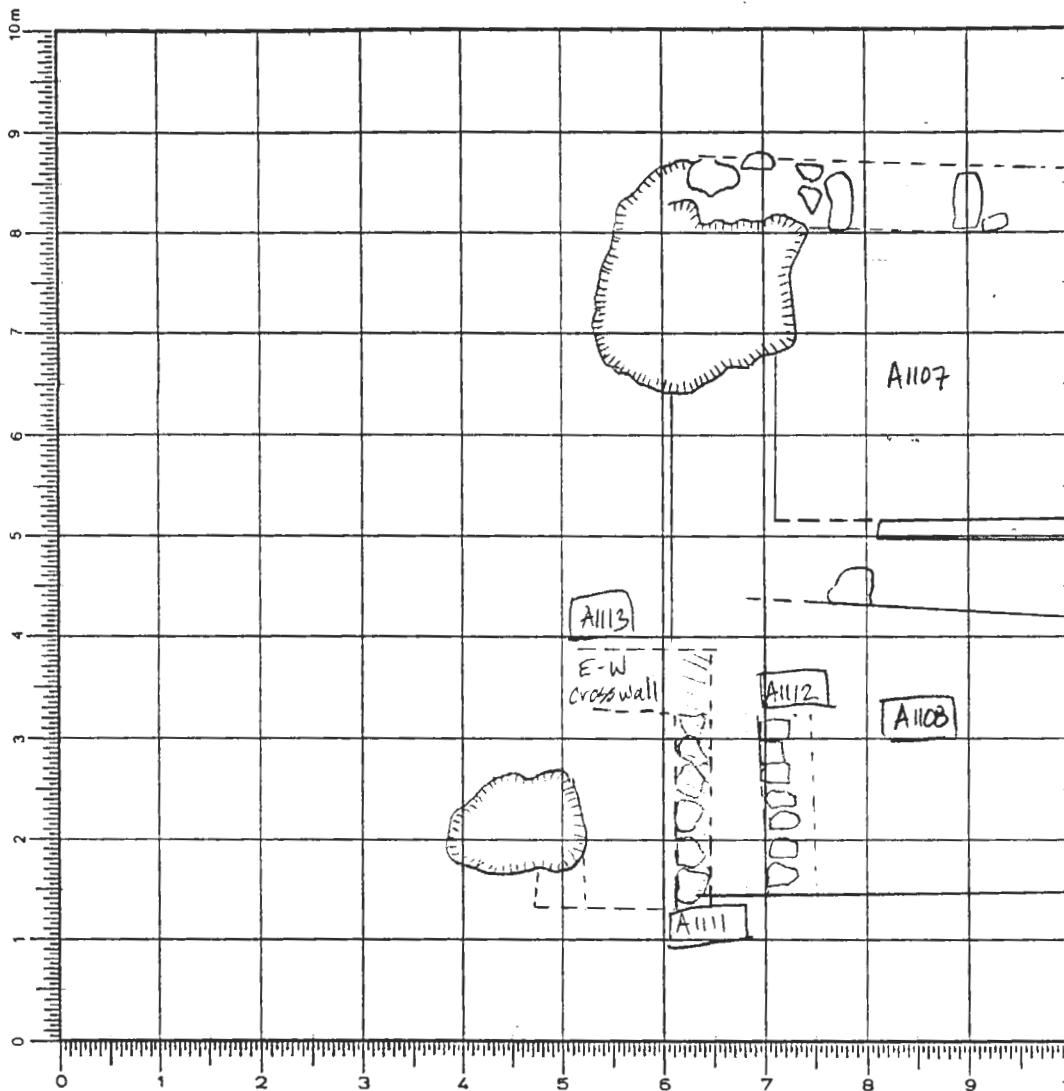
Pottery pail
is A1110.1

- if there was a wall here it must have been subject to erosional processes for no evidence of it survives in this area.



Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1111Excavator SZP**Elevations**Benchmark used: R4

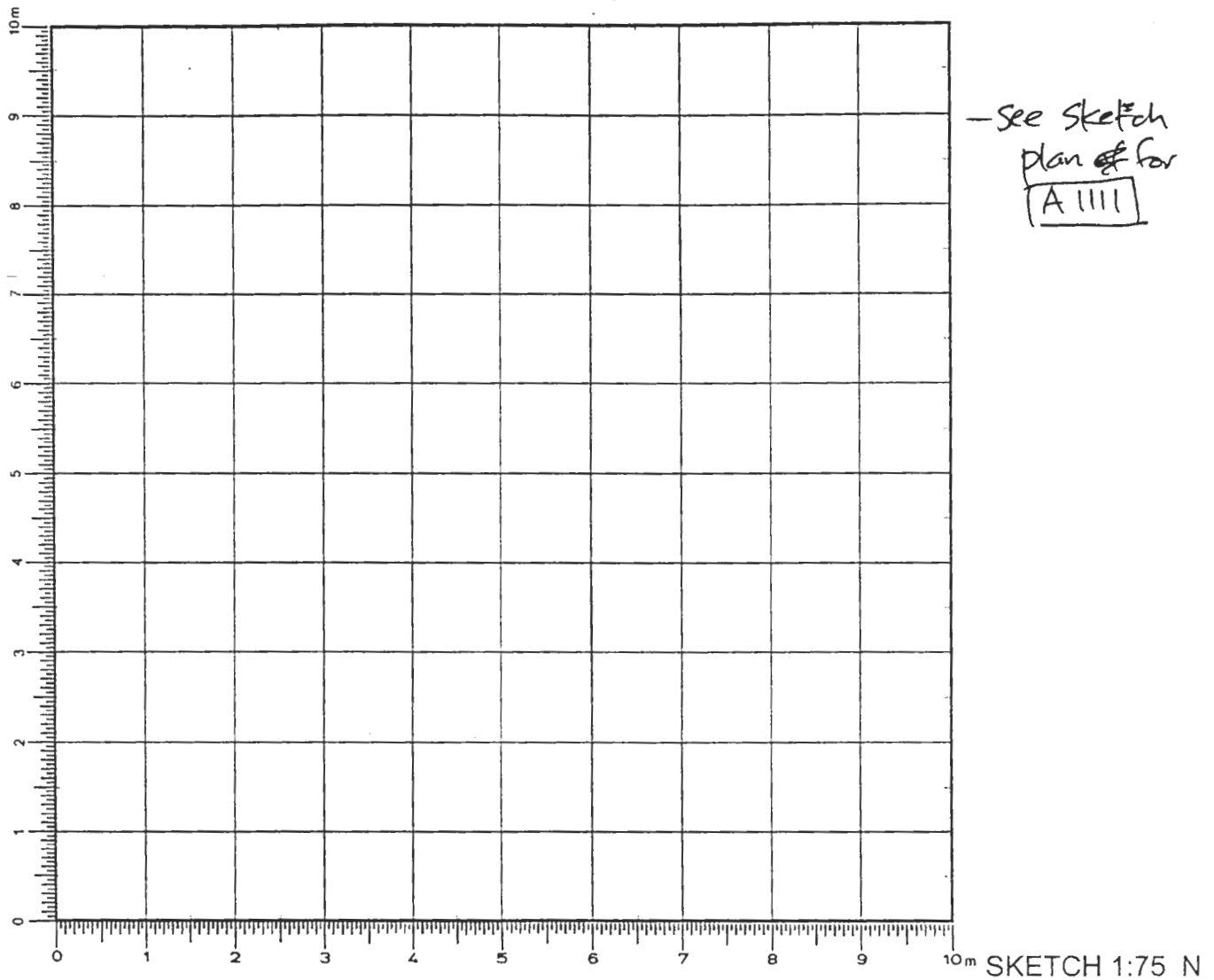
Reading on

Benchmark: 365.74H.I.: (4.623)Wall elevations - correspond
with top plan

1. 2.145
2. 2.280
3. 2.215
4. 2.295
5. 2.23
6. 2.318
7. 2.585
8. 2.325
9. 2.54
10. 2.755
11. 2.485

SKETCH 1:75 N
↑DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain **why** you changed locus numbers):Today's date: 4.VII.02Locus above: A1109Locus parameters: Wall length preserved: 2.20m running north-south; Wall thickness: 0.4m ^{ca.}Verbal description: a single course of small to medium stones

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1112 Excavator SZPElevationsBenchmark used:
Reading on
Benchmark:
H.I.:DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain **why** you changed locus numbers):Today's date: 4. VII. 02 Locus above: A1109

Locus parameters:

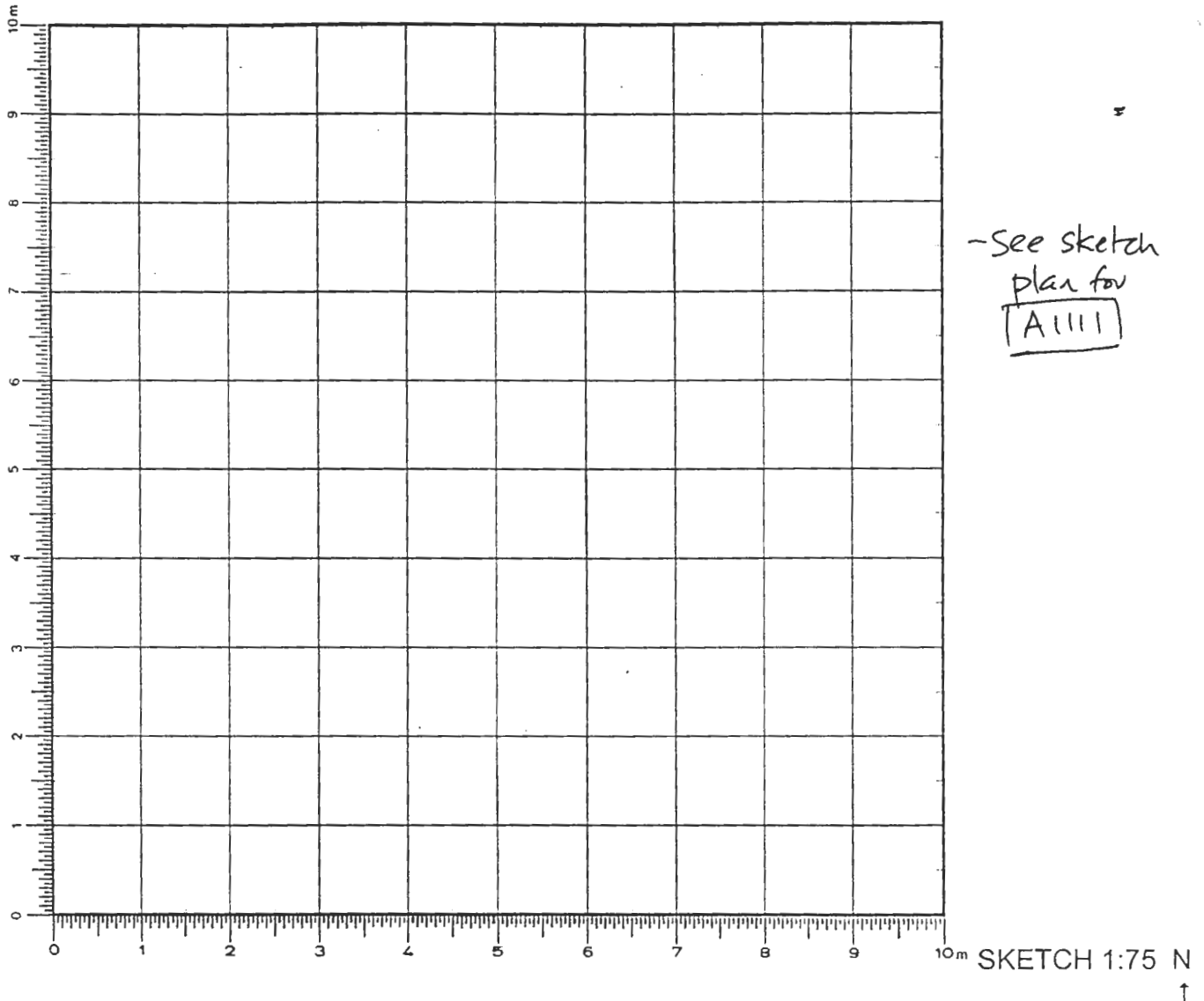
Verbal description: A new wall ~~was~~ unearthed during excavation of A1109 -

This is the north-south running wall that lines up with the worked bedrock in A1107, the western wall for ~~the~~ A1108 and A1107. A single course of flat, orthogonal stones with a western face (ca. 1.50 m long).

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):

Year 2002 Trench/Locus A1113 Excavator SZP**Elevations**

Benchmark used:
 Reading on
 Benchmark:
 H.I.:

DEFINITION/DESCRIPTION of LOCUS (explain **why** you changed locus numbers):Today's date: 4.VII.02Locus above: A1109

Locus parameters:

Verbal description: A new wall was uncovered during excavation of A1109.
 This is a small section of a cross wall (east-west) that abuts the west face of A1111 at A1111's northern end.
 Elevations for this wall found on locus sheet for A1109

Locus Interpretative Comments (What do you think this is? DATE your comments, continue on additional pages if necessary):