

**Landscape, Community and Colonisation:
the North Somerset Levels during the 1st to
2nd millennia AD**

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Tables and figures

Table 3.2 Soil micromorphology, Home Ground: summary descriptions of contexts in thin section

context	thickness	composite properties	mineral components	organic components	pedofeatures
242	>18cm	Vughy microstructure with 10% porosity. Horizontally bedded.	Silty clay. Few fine sand-sized grains. Grey and brown (PPL); grey, brown and orange (OIL).	Rare. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Very dark brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • gleying features • soil fauna features • slaking features
281 (upper dark horizon)	2cm	Vughy-channel microstructure with 15% porosity. No bedding.	Silty clay. Few fine sand-sized grains. Dark grey and brown (PPL); grey and brown (OIL).	Rare. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Reddish/brown and very dark brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • earthworm granules • gleying features • soil fauna features • reworked fragments of other contexts
282	5cm	Vughy-channel microstructure with 5% porosity. No bedding.	Silty clay. Few fine sand-sized grains. Greyish/brown (PPL); grey and brown (OIL). Rare fine charcoal fragments.	Rare. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Dark brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • silty clay coatings on pore walls • earthworm granules • reworked fragments of other contexts • gleying features • slaking features
283	>25cm	Vughy microstructure with 10% porosity. No bedding.	Silty clay. Few fine and rare medium sand-sized grains. Whole and fragmented shells. Rare charcoal flecks. Grey (PPL and OIL).	Rare. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Dark brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • soil fauna features • silty clay coatings on pore walls • gleying features • reworked fragments of other contexts • slaking features

**Table 3.4 Assessment of pollen from sediment samples
from the upper part of the Home Ground alluvial sequence**

	context	242	281	281	281	314
sample depth in cm from top of tin 1	15–16	17–17.5	18–18.5	19–20	67–68	
total pollen counted	30	28	45	77	10	
<i>Lycopodium</i> recovered	56	50	90	92	63	
TREES AND SHRUBS						
	<i>Pinus</i> (pine)	1	3		4	
	<i>Quercus</i> (oak)	3	1			
	<i>Alnus</i> (alder)	1		2	1	1
	<i>Corylus</i> -type (hazel)	1	2	1		
HERBACEOUS TYPES						
d	<i>Plantago lanceolata</i> (ribwort plantain)	4		1		1
d	<i>Plantago major</i> (greater plantain)	1				
d	Lactuceae (dandelion and related Asteraceae)	1	1	21	58	2
d, m	<i>Ranunculus acris</i> -type (buttercup family)				1	
d	Brassicaceae (cabbage family)	1			2	
d	<i>Cirsium</i> -type (thistles)				1	
d	Dipsacaceae (teasel family)					1
v	Poaceae (grasses)	12	14	17	5	1
v	Cyperaceae (sedges)		3	1	1	
v, c	<i>Cereal</i> -type (cereals etc)			1		
s, d	Chenopodiaceae (goosefoot family)	3	3	1	1	3
s	<i>Plantago coronopus</i> (buck's horn plantain)		1			1
v	Apiaceae (carrot family)				2	
h	Ericaceae (heaths)	1				
f	<i>Sparganium emersum</i> -type (bur reeds, lesser bulrush)	1				
Counted Outside Pollen Sum						
	Filicales undifferentiated (ferns)	4	8	9	32	4
	<i>Polypodium vulgare</i> (polypody fern)	2	3	3	12	8
	<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> (bracken)	12	15	1	8	2
	<i>Sphagnum</i> (bog moss)	1			1	
	<i>Spirogyra</i> spores			1	7	
	<i>Mougeotia</i> spores			2	5	
	Spore Type 128			10	38	
	Degraded grains (unidentified)	16	13	41	85	12
	Crumpled grains (unidentified)	3	1			
	Pollen preservation	P	P	P	VP	VP
	Pollen concentration	VP	P	P	P	P
	Relative concentration of charcoal >40 µm	8000	9000	75000	56000	10100

Habitat preferences: v, various; d, disturbed ground; m, meadows or grazed land; c, cultivated land; s, saltmarsh or other maritime habitat; h, heathland; f, freshwater ditch. Preservation and concentration categories: P = poor; VP = very poor

Table 3.5 Foraminifera from the Home Ground alluvial sequence.
Depths are below present ground surface. Numbers of forams are in 10cm³ of wet sediment

depth	context	no. of forams	species present	ecology of individual species
50cm (4.40m OD)	218 (upper dark horizon)	<10	<i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Agglutinated</i> sp.	brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat brackish, high–mid marsh
60cm (4.30m OD)	219	<100	<i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Ammonia beccarii</i> v. <i>limnetes</i>	brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat brackish, mid/low marsh brackish–marine
70cm (4.20m OD)	219	<100	<i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Brizalina</i> sp. <125u	brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat brackish, mid/low marsh estuary mouth–marine
80cm (4.10m OD)	219	>100	<i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Brizalina</i> sp. <125u	brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat brackish, mid/low marsh estuary mouth–marine
90cm (4.00m OD)	321	>200	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Nonion depressulus</i> <i>Elphidium</i> sp	brackish, mid/low marsh brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat estuary mouth–marine estuary mouth–marine
100cm (3.90m OD)	321	>200	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Nonion depressulus</i> <i>Elphidium</i> sp	brackish, mid/low marsh brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat estuary mouth–marine estuary mouth–marine
110cm (3.80m OD)	321	>200	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Nonion depressulus</i> <i>Elphidium</i> sp	brackish, mid/low marsh brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat estuary mouth–marine estuary mouth–marine
120cm (3.70m OD)	321	>200	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Nonion depressulus</i> <i>Elphidium</i> sp	brackish, mid/low marsh brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat estuary mouth–marine estuary mouth–marine
130cm (3.60m OD)	324 (?palaeochannel associated with lower dark horizon)	>100	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Ammonia beccarii</i> Agglutinated marsh sp <i>Elphidium</i> sp.	brackish, mid/low marsh brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat brackish–marine brackish, high/mid-marsh estuary mouth–marine
140cm (3.50m OD)	252	>200	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Elphidium</i> sp. <i>Ammonia beccarii</i> Agglutinated marsh sp.	brackish, mid/low marsh brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat estuary mouth–marine brackish–marine brackish, high/mid-marsh
150cm (3.40m OD)	252	c 100	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Elphidium</i> sp. <i>Ammonia beccarii</i> Agglutinated marsh sp. <i>Brizalina</i> sp. <125u	brackish, mid/low marsh brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat estuary mouth–marine brackish–marine brackish, high/mid-marsh estuary mouth–marine

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Table 3.6 Plant macrofossils from upper dark horizon (context 417) at Hardingworth

	context	417	
	size of sample	25.8kg/26 litres	
	size of residue	7g	
	size of float	25ml	
WATERLOGGED PLANT REMAINS			habitat
CHARACEAE			
<i>Chara</i> spp	Stonewort	3	A
RANUNCULACEAE			
<i>Ranunculus</i> subg. <i>Batrachium</i> (DC.)A.Gray	Water Crowfoot	2	APR
LAMIACEAE			
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> L.	Gipsywort	1	FRw
SCROPHULARIACEAE			
<i>Veronica beccabunga</i> L.	Brooklime	1	BMPR
ASTERACEAE			
<i>Eupatorium cannabinum</i> L.	Hemp-agrimony	freq frags	w-shade or open
ALISMATACEAE			
<i>Alisma</i> spp	Water Plantain	4	APR
POTAMOGETONACEAE			
<i>Potamogeton</i> spp	Pondweed	2	APR
LEMNACEAE			
<i>Lemna</i> spp	Duckweed	79	A
JUNCACEAE			
<i>Juncus</i> spp	Rush	168	GMRw
POACEAE			
Poaceae indet	Grasses	22	G
TYPHACEAE			
<i>Typha</i> spp	Bulrush	53	PR-reed swamp
	Total	335	

Key for habitats in all plant macrofossil tables

A: Aquatic
 B: Bankside
 C: Cultivated/Arable
 D: Disturbed
 E: Heath/Moor
 F: Fens/Bogs
 G: Grassland
 H: Hedgerow
 M: Marsh
 P: Ponds, ditches — stagnant/slow-flowing water
 R: Rivers, streams
 S: Scrub
 W: Woodland

a: acidic
 br: base rich
 c: calcareous
 d: dry soils
 h: heavy soils
 l: light soils
 n: nitrogen-rich soils
 o: open habitats
 p: phosphate-rich soils
 s: coastal
 w: wet/damp soils
 # cultivated plant/of economic importance

Table 4.4 Diatom remains from ditch F.365 context 375 (basal fill of upper cut).
 Numbers indicate valves or fragments and symbols '+' present, '++' abundant

diatoms and salinity group	sample depth		
	29.5–30.0cm	32.0–33.0cm	36.0–37.0cm
Polyhalobous			
<i>Podosira stelligera</i>	1	1	
Polyhalobous to Mesohalobous			
<i>Pseudopodosira westii</i>	1	3	1
Mesohalobous			
<i>Nitzschia navicularis</i>	1		1
Oligohalobous Indifferent			
<i>Pinnularia major</i>	8	11	1
Unknown Salinity Preference			
<i>Navicula</i> sp.			1
Unknown diatom fragments	27	23	1
Unknown Naviculaceae	5	1	1
Chrysophyte stomatocysts	35	31	3
centric diatom girdle band	2	2	
cf. sponge spicules	++	+	+

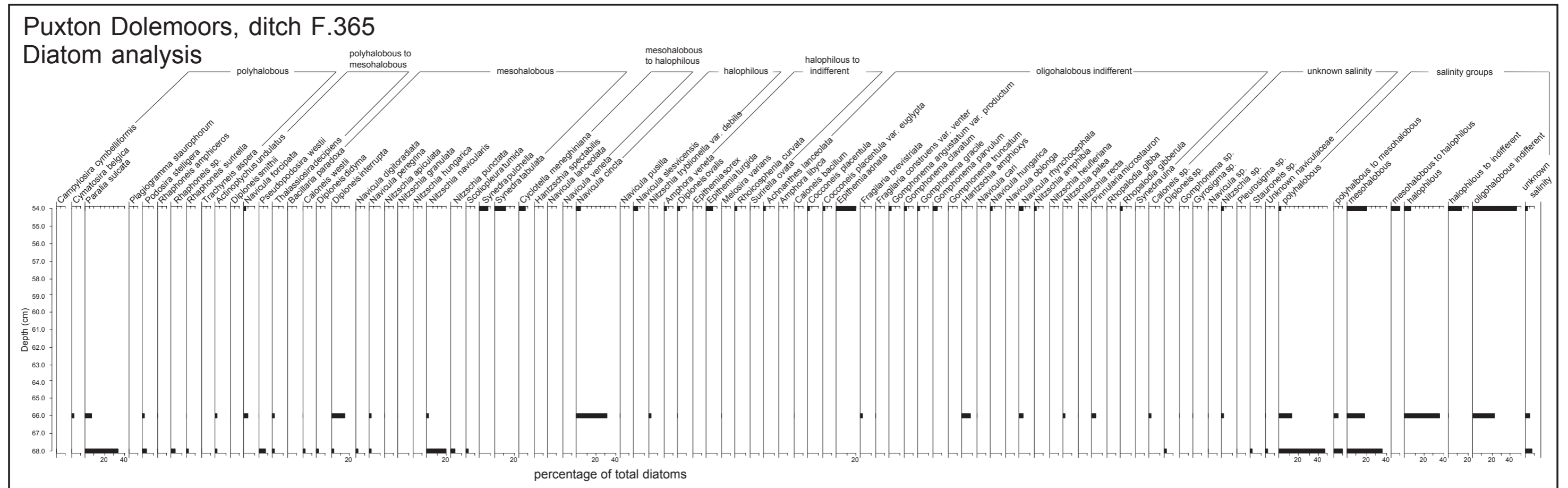


Figure 4.9 Diatom diagram for F.365 (drawing by Nigel Cameron)

Table 4.5. Foraminifera from Dolemoor ditch F.365

depth (from top of monolith tin)	context	number of tests >125µm in 10cm ³ wet sediment	species present and total	ecology of individual species	
29.5–30.5cm	375 (lower fill, upper cut)	0			
33–33.5cm	375 (lower fill, upper cut)	1	<i>Jadammina macrescens</i>	1	brackish, high–mid marsh
36–37cm	375 (lower fill, upper cut)	0			
54–55cm	381 (lower cut)	0			
66–67cm	381 (lower cut)	0			
68–68.5cm	381 (lower cut)	12	<i>Jadammina macrescens</i> <i>Haplophragmoides</i> <i>wilberti</i>	7 5	brackish, high–mid marsh brackish, high–mid marsh

Table 4.6 Plant macrofossils from features at Dolemoor

	context	pit F.301	ditch F.365				habitat	
			lower cut		upper cut			
			middle fill	upper fill	basal fill	middle fill		
		322	382	381	376	375	366	
	sample size (kg/litres)	18.4/20	23.7/20	5.7/5	21.5/20	21.6/20	23.6/20	
	size of float (ml)	60	700	300	150	400	35	
WATERLOGGED PLANT REMAINS								
CHARACEAE								
<i>Chara spp</i>	Stonewort				1			A
CERATOPHYLLACEAE								
<i>Ceratophyllum</i> c.f. <i>demersum</i> L.	Rigid Hornwort				45 + f			PR
RANUNCULACEAE								
<i>Ranunculus</i> <i>acris</i> / <i>repens</i> / <i>bulbosus</i>	Meadow/Creeping/ Bulbous Buttercup		1	1		1		DG
<i>Ranunculus lingua</i> L.	Greater Spearwort				2			M
<i>Ranunculus sardous</i> Crantz	Hairy Buttercup		25	1	4			CDW
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i> L.	Celery-leaved Buttercup		1		4			MPR
<i>Ranunculus</i> subg. <i>Batrachium</i> (DC.) A.Gray	Water Crowfoot	1	2500+	76	150	107	18	APR
CHENOPODIACEAE								
<i>Atriplex spp</i>	Orache		102	1	1	1		CDn
<i>Chenopodium album</i> L.	Fat-hen	17						CDn
<i>Chenopodium rubrum</i> / <i>glaucum</i> L.	Red/Oak-leaved Goosefoot			2	4			Ds
<i>Suaeda maritima</i> (L.)Dumort	Annual Sea-blite		1					mid/lower saltmarsh
CARYOPHYLLACEAE								
<i>Cerastium spp</i>	Chickweed		2					CDG
<i>Stellaria media</i> (L.)Villars	Common Chickweed		7					CD
POLYGONACEAE								
<i>Polygonum aviculare</i> L.	Knotgrass		3	1				CD

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<i>Rumex c.f. hydrolapathum</i> Hudson	Water Dock		2				MPR	
<i>Rumex</i> spp	Dock		94	3			DG	
BRASSICACEAE								
<i>Rorippa nasturtium-aquaticum</i> (L.)Hayek	Water-cress				8		BPR	
<i>Thlaspi arvense</i> L.	Field Penny-cress		1				CD	
ROSACEAE								
<i>Potentilla anserina</i> L.	Silverweed		6	2	1		DG, sand-dunes	
<i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> Wimmer and Grab	Bramble	1	2				DHSW	
FABACEAE								
<i>Medicago lupulina</i> L.	Black Medick			1			GR	
HALORAGACEAE								
<i>Myriophyllum c.f. spicatum</i> L.	Spiked Water-milfoil		1				PR br	
APIACEAE								
<i>Conium maculatum</i> L.	Hemlock		1				Bw	
<i>Hydrocotyle vulgaris</i> L.	Marsh Pennywort				1		FM	
<i>Oenanthe fistulosa</i> L.	Tubular Water-dropwort				3		MPw	
<i>Oenanthe pimpinelloides</i> L.	Corky-fruited Water-dropwort				2		MPw	
<i>Oenanthe</i> spp	Water-dropwort				10		MPw	
SOLANACEAE								
<i>Hyoscyamus niger</i> L.	Henbane		2				D, maritime sand and shingle	
MENYANTHACEAE								
<i>Menyanthes trifoliata</i> L.	Bogbean					3	F, shallow water	
LAMIACEAE								
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> L.	Gipsywort				7		FRw	
<i>Mentha aquatica</i> L.	Water Mint				67	10	MPw	
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i> L.	Selfheal		1				DG	
HIPPURIDACEAE								
<i>Hippuris vulgaris</i> L.	Mare's-tail				15		APR	
PLANTAGINACEAE								
<i>Plantago major</i> L.	Greater Plantain		1		3		CDG o	

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SCROPHULARIACEAE								
<i>Odontites / Euphrasia</i> sp	Bartsia/Eyebright		1					CD
<i>Rhinanthus minor</i> L.	Yellow Rattle			1				G
CAPRIFOLIACEAE								
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> L.	Elder		1		2	3		DHSWn
ASTERACEAE								
<i>Cirsium</i> c.f. <i>arvense</i> (L.) Scop	Creeping Thistle		55	16	1			CDGH
<i>Cirsium</i> spp	Thistle			31				DGMW
<i>Cirsium / Carduus</i> spp	Thistle		29	7	2	1		various
<i>Hypochaeris</i> sp	Cat's-ear		1					GW
<i>Picris hieracioides</i> L.	Hawkweed Oxtongue		2					DGoc
<i>Sonchus asper</i> (L.) Hill	Prickly Sow-thistle		15	2				CD
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i> L.	Smooth Sow-thistle			8				CDW
<i>Taraxacum</i> sect <i>Ruderalia</i>	Dandelion			1				D, G/dw
ALISMATACEAE								
<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i> L.	Water Plantain				10			APR
<i>Alisma</i> spp	Water Plantain				85	3		APR
JUNCAGINACEAE								
<i>Triglochin maritimum</i> L.	Sea Arrowgrass		4	1				saltmarshes and salt sprayed G
POTAMOGETONACEAE								
<i>Potamogeton</i> spp	Pondweed		276	516	8	5		APR
ZANICHELLIACEAE								
<i>Zanichellia palustris</i> L.	Horned Pondweed		431	7				APR—fresh and brackish
LEMNACEAE								
<i>Lemna</i> spp	Duckweed			5	398	176	4	A
JUNCACEAE								
<i>Juncus</i> spp	Rush					14	5	GMRw
CYPERACEAE								
<i>Carex</i> spp	Sedge		5	2	9	4	1	GMPRW
<i>Carex flacca</i> Schreber	Glauous Sedge				1			G, wd
<i>Carex sylvatica</i> Hudson	Wood-sedge		12					HSW damp
<i>Carex vulpina</i> L.	True Fox-sedge		3	5	22			Wh/M ditches
<i>Cladium mariscus</i> (L.) Pohl	Great Fen-sedge		4					FRw
<i>Eleocharis palustris / uniglumis</i>	Spike-rush		2	1	19			MPw

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	size of float (ml)	60	700	300	150	400	35	
<i>Schoenoplectus lacustris</i> (L.)Palla	Common Club-rush		24	11	42			BPR-shallow
<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i> (C.Gmelin) Palla	Grey Club-rush				30			BPRs
POACEAE								
<i>Poaceae</i> indet	Grass		27	8	109		3	G
TYPHACEAE								
<i>Typha</i> spp	Bulrush				9	57	4	PR-reed swamp
	Total:	19	3645+	710	1075	385	35	
CHARRED PLANT REMAINS								
Grain								
<i>Avena</i> sp	Oat	5						#
c.f. <i>Avena</i> sp	Oat	3						#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp	Barley	13						#
c.f. <i>Hordeum</i> sp	Barley	10	1					#
<i>Secale cereale</i>	Rye	2						#
<i>Triticum</i> sp	Wheat	6						#
<i>Cereal</i> indet		15						#
	Total:	54	1	0	0	0	0	
Chaff								
<i>Avena</i> sp (<i>pedicel - fatua / ludoviciana</i> type)	Wild Oat	1						#
<i>Avena</i> sp (awns)	Oat	1						#
<i>Triticum spelta</i> (glume base)	Spelt wheat	2	1					#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (hulled wheat glume base)	Hulled wheat	3	1					#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (hulled wheat spikelet fork)	Hulled wheat	1						#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (awns - silicified)	Wheat	50+						#
Cereal embryo area		3						#
	Total:	61+	2	0	0	0	0	
Weeds								
CARYOPHYLLACEAE								
<i>Stellaria media</i> (L.)Villars	Common Chickweed	1						CD
BRASSICACEAE								
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i> ssp <i>raphanistrum</i> (pod frags)	Wild Radish	7						CD

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PLANTAGINACEAE							
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SCROPHULARIACEAE							
<i>Odontites / Euphrasia</i> spp	Bartsia/Eyebright	4					CD
CYPERACEAE							
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<i>Eleocharis palustris / uniglumis</i>	Spike-rush	2					MPw
<i>Schoenoplectus lacustris</i> (L.)Palla	Common Club-rush	10					BPR–shallow
<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i> (C.Gmelin)Palla	Grey Club-rush	7					BPRs
POACEAE							
<i>Bromus</i> sp	Brome	1					CD
<i>Poa / Phleum</i> spp	Meadow-grass/Cat's-tail	7					G
<i>Poaceae</i> indet	Grasses	11					G
Total:		97	1	0	0	0	0

Key for habitats: see Table 3.6

Table 4.7 Plant habitat groups at Dolemoor

wet places: marsh, by or in ditches or stream-sides			
bankside/boggy places		aquatics	
<i>Carex vulpina</i> (CW)	True Fox-sedge	<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i> (W)	Water Plantain
<i>Carex</i> spp (CW)	Sedge	<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i> (W)	Rigid Hornwort
<i>Cladium mariscus</i> (CW)	Great Fen-sedge	<i>Chara</i> spp (W)	Stonewort
<i>Eleocharis palustris/uniglumis</i> (C)	Spike-rush	** <i>Hippuris vulgaris</i> (W)	Mare's-tail
** <i>Hippuris vulgaris</i> (W)	Mare's-tail	<i>Lemna</i> spp (W)	Duckweed
** <i>Hydrocotyle vulgaris</i> (W)	Marsh Pennywort	<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i> (W)	Spiked Water-milfoil
<i>Juncus</i> spp (W)	Rush		
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> (W)	Gipsywort	<i>Potamogeton</i> spp (W)	Pondweed
<i>Mentha aquatica</i> (W)	Water Mint	<i>Ranunculus</i> subg. <i>Batrachium</i> (W)	Water Crowfoot
<i>Menyanthes trifoliata</i> (W)	Bogbean	** <i>Zanichellia palustris</i> (W)	Horned Pondweed
<i>Oenanthe fistulosa</i> (W)	Tubular Water-dropwort		
<i>Oenanthe pimpinelloides</i> (W)	Corky-fruited Water-dropwort	brackish indicators	
<i>Ranunculus lingua</i> (W)	Greater Spearwort	** <i>Carex flacca</i> (W)	Glaucous Sedge
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i> (W)	Celery-leaved Buttercup	<i>Suaeda maritima</i> (W)	Annual Sea-blite
<i>Rorippa nasturtium aquaticum</i> (W)	Water-cress	<i>Schoenoplectus tabernaemontani</i> (C)	Grey Club-rush
		<i>Triglochin maritimum</i> (W)	Sea Arrowgrass
<i>Rumex hydrolapathum</i> (W)	Water Dock	** <i>Zanichellia palustris</i> (W)	Horned Pondweed
<i>Schoenoplectus lacustris</i> (CW)	Common Club-rush		
<i>Typha</i> spp (W)	Bulrush		
dry pasture/rough grassy places/fields		meadows/damp pasture	
<i>Bromus</i> sp (C)	Brome	** <i>Carex flacca</i> (W)	Glaucous Sedge
*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle	** <i>Conium maculatum</i> (W)	Hemlock
** <i>Hypochaeris</i> spp (W)	Cat's-ear	** <i>Hydrocotyle vulgaris</i> (W)	Marsh Pennywort
<i>Medicago lupulina</i> (W)	Black Medick	** Poaceae (CW)	Grass
** <i>Odontites/Euphrasia</i> (CW)	Bartsia/Eyebright	<i>Potentilla anserina</i> (W)	Silverweed
<i>Picris hieracioides</i> (W)	Hawkweed Oxtongue	<i>Ranunculus acris/repens/bulbosus</i> (W)	Meadow/ Creeping/ Bulbous Buttercup
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i> (C)	Ribwort Plantain		
** <i>Plantago major</i> (W)	Greater Plantain	<i>Ranunculus sardous</i> (W)	Hairy Buttercup
<i>Poa/Phleum</i> (C)	Meadow-grass/Cat's-tail		
** Poaceae (CW)	Grasses		
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i> (W)	Selfheal		
<i>Rhinanthus minor</i> (W)	Yellow Rattle		
** <i>Taraxacum</i> sect <i>Ruderalia</i> (W)	Dandelion		
waste/disturbed/arable ground		Woodland/hedgerow/scrub	
<i>Atriplex</i> spp (W)	Orache	<i>Carex sylvatica</i> (CW)	Wood-sedge
<i>Cerastium</i> sp (W)	Chickweed	*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle
<i>Chenopodium album</i> (W)	Fat-hen	** <i>Hypochaeris</i> spp (W)	Cat's-ear

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Table 4.7 (cont.) Plant habitat groups at Dolemoor

<i>Chenopodium rubrum / glaucum</i> (W)	Red/Oak-leaved Goosefoot	** <i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> (W)	Bramble
*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle	<i>Sambucus nigra</i> (W)	Elder
** <i>Conium maculatum</i> (W)	Hemlock		
<i>Hyoscyamus niger</i> (W)	Henbane		
** <i>Odontites / Euphrasia</i> (CW)	Bartsia/Eyebright	cultivated/of economic importance	
** <i>Plantago major</i> (W)	Greater Plantain	<i>Avena</i> sp (C)	Oat
<i>Polygonum aviculare</i> (W)	Knotgrass	<i>Hordeum</i> sp (C)	Barley
<i>Raphanus raphanistrum</i>		<i>Secale cereale</i> (C)	Rye
ssp <i>raphanistrum</i> (C)	Wild Radish	<i>Triticum</i> sp (C)	Wheat
** <i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> (W)	Bramble		
<i>Rumex</i> spp (W)	Dock		
<i>Sonchus asper</i> (W)	Prickly Sow-thistle		
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i> (W)	Smooth Sow-thistle		
<i>Stellaria media</i> (CW)	Common Chickweed		
** <i>Taraxacum</i> sect <i>Ruderalia</i> (W)	Dandelion		
<i>Thlaspi arvense</i> (W)	Field Penny-cress		

key

** occurring in 2 habitat groups

*** occurring in 3 habitat groups

C charred

M mineralised

W waterlogged

Table 6.3 Medieval pottery collected from farmsteads and houses shown on the Tithe Maps by the North Somerset Levels Project (in plain text) and Linda Jenkins (in italics)

settlement	tenement	Tithe No.	pottery
Wick St Lawrence	Appleton Farm	Wi 162	two sherds of 12th- to 13th-century coarseware (fabrics Px04 and U4), and one sherd of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware
	Banksea Farm and Cottages	Wi 228-30	two sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery
	Gervinia Cottage	Wi 235	one sherd of 11th- to 12th-century pottery, one sherd of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware and three sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery
	Castle Cottages	Wi 171	three sherds of 12th- to 13th-century pottery, and two sherds from the 15th–16th centuries
	Old School House	Wi 233a	two sherds of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware and five sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery
	Jenkins Orchard	Wi 238-9	one sherd of 11th- to 12th-century pottery and five sherds from the 13th–14th centuries
	The Cedars	Wi 155	two sherds of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware and 21 sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery
	Mulberry Farm	Wi 156	two sherds of 12th- to 13th-century pottery and eight sherds from the 13th–14th centuries
	Lower Wick Farm	Wi 62	no medieval pottery
	Chapel House	Wi 219	no medieval pottery
Ebdon	Quinces	Wi 84	no medieval pottery
	Barnfield Farm	Wi 203	no medieval pottery
	Barnfield Cottage	Wi 197	no medieval pottery

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Table 6.3 (cont.) Medieval pottery collected from farmsteads and houses shown on the Tithe Maps by the North Somerset Levels Project (in plain text) and Linda Jenkins (in italics)

settlement	tenement	Tithe No.	pottery
Icleton	Icelton Farm	Wi 98	<i>one sherd of 13th- to 14th-century pottery</i>
	Baytree Farm	Wi 141	<i>two sherds of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware and two sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery</i>
	Rose Court Farm	Wi 125	<i>one sherd of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware and three sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery</i>
south east Wick	Hippisleys Farm	Wi 279	<i>four sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery</i>
	Hodders Farm	Wi 294	<i>one sherd of 15th- to 16th-century pottery</i>
		Wi 298	<i>two sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery were also recovered from the plot opposite Hodders Farm, now occupied by Mendip View Cottage</i>
	Sluice Farm	Wi 308	one sherd possibly of fabric AA2 (?late 10th–11th centuries), one sherd of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware, and five sherds of 16th century pottery (Malvern ware, Frenchen Stoneware and South Somerset ware). <i>One sherd of 11th-12th century, two sherds of 12th-13th century Ham Green ware, and four sherds of 13th- to 14th-century date</i>
Bourton Green	Old House	Wi 289	<i>no medieval pottery</i>
	Bourton Cottage	Wi 406	<i>no medieval pottery</i>
	Bourton Mill	Wi 338	<i>no medieval pottery</i>
Bourton	Jasmine Cottage	Wi 341	<i>no medieval pottery</i>
	Court Farm		one sherd of ?12th- to 13th-century coarseware
	Manor Farm	Wi 396	one sherd of a mid-12th-century Ham Green jug; <i>and two other sherds of 12th- to 14th-century pottery</i>
	Willow Farm	Wi 438	<i>one sherd of 11th- to 12th-century pottery and one sherd of the 13th–14th centuries</i>
	Lilac Cottage	Wi 452	<i>two sherds of 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware and ten sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery</i>
	north of Lilac Cottage	Wi 453	ten sherds of medieval pottery from fieldwalking including 12th- to 13th-century fabrics U4 and PX03
Hewish	Palmers Elm Farm	Co 34	possible sherd of 16th century South Somerset ware
Congresbury Marsh	Chestnut Farm	Co 135	eight sherds of 12th- to 13th-century pottery (fabrics PX03, PX04, U4, Ham Green), two sherds of 13th- to 14th-century pottery (fabrics AAA and Minety ware)
	Bindings	Co 107	over 50 sherds of medieval pottery collected from test pits and rhyne cleaning, including 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green wares
East Rolstone	Land House	Ba 719	two sherds of medieval coarseware. 59 sherds of medieval pottery, including green glazed ware, and a coin of Edward II (1307–27) previously recorded (SMR 217 and 2483)
	opposite Box Bush Farm	Ba 770	29 sherds of medieval pottery from fieldwalking
	Gout House Farm	Ba 828	two sherds of medieval coarseware, including 12th- to 13th-century fabric PX03; 37 sherds of 12th- to 13th-century pottery previously recorded from the site (SMR 368)
Puxton	Old Chestnut Farm	Px 17	sixteen sherds of medieval pottery including 12th- to 13th-century Ham Green ware and fabrics PX03 and PX08
	cottage west of Myrtle Farm	Px 17	three sherds of 13th- to 15th-century pottery (fabric AAA)
	Puxton Court	Px 148	one sherd of 13th- to 15th-century pottery (fabric AAA) and a fragment of possible 13th- to 14th-century roof tile
St Georges	Grove Farm	Ba 28	medieval pottery from archaeological evaluation (CAT 2002a, 2002c)
	Poplar Farm	Ba 36	13th century pottery from archaeological evaluation (CAT 2002b)
	St Georges Farm	Ba 79	two medieval pits with 11th- to 13th-century pottery from archaeological evaluation and excavation (Lankstead 2003)

Table 8.2 The tenements in Puxton in the 16th-century court rolls, pre-1642 rental and c 1770 survey, placed in order of their acreages

Modern name *		1770 survey		<1642 Rental		15th- to 16th-century court rolls	
tenement	occupier	house (H) and cust. acres	statut. acres	tenant	cust. acres	annual rent	
Appletree Cottage	HAYNE, Mary	H 2a	1a 3r 0p	Thomas Hamon for Northhouse	2	2s 0d	
(Sharps, TM 93)	ptS pt of Hammond's holding of 20a	[5a]		Thos Moors for Sharps	5	5s 0d	1491 Thos Urche 4 acres 'Sharps'
(Cheekes, TM 12)	MAY, Mark (late Cheekes)	H 5a	4a 2r 35p	Pither, Richard	5.5	4s 10d	
(Northwall, CoTM 793-4)	HARRIS, Thomas (Northwall)	8a	7a 3r 32p	William Norvall part of Northhouse	8	8s 0d	
(Dovers, TM 158-9)	GAGE, Wm (Dovers) lt Mary Helliers	15a	15a 3r 36p	John Irish jun. for Dovers	8	8s 0d	1548: John and Agnes Irish hold two closes called Dovers, 8 acres, 8s 1d
Old Chestnut Farm	HURDITCH, John (Mays)	H 11a	10a 0r 29p	COOKE, Judith KNIGHT, Marg. (2 tenements)	8 10	8s 0d 11s 0d	1547: Lewis Marks surrendered to Rich. Spryng alias Whatley tenement and 10 acres for 10s
(Butts, TM 38)	CREASE, Thomas (Taylors)	11a	10a 1r 8p	BURGS, John	11	10s 6½d	[part of:] 1567: lease to John Comer of 2 tenements (1 ruinous), 22.5 acres, 21s 6d (in 1547 the Court Roll records that Wm Chalcrofte and Wm Clercke were to dig their ditch in Collishey [Coles Hay, TM 31] and Burts [Butts, TM 38] on pain of 3s 4d
(Coxes, TM 113)	ptS pt of Hammond's holding of 20a	[15a]		PITHER, Richard	11	10s 6d	
(Weeks)	JONES, Thomas (Week's)	H 16a	15a 1r 35p	IRISH, wid	13	14s 0d	1557: lease to Richard Coke of a tenement and 13 acres
Myrtle Farm	ATHAY, lt Samuels Extors (Taylors)	H 28a	23a 0r 15p	COOKE, Joseph HASKINS, Elizabeth	15 15	14s 8d 15s 1d	1569: Joan Down inherits a tenement and 15 acres from parents Wm and Joan
Mayfield	CREASE, Thomas (Dowlings)	H 18a	16a 0r 32p	INMAN, Thomas	16	14s 9d	1566: Wm and Isabel Hayne holds tenement (once Seyleys), 15 acres, 14s 9d
(part of Shalvers)	BAILEY, John (Shalvers)	19a	16a 1r 4p	Longes (2 tenements)	17.5	11s 1½d	1570: John Lange holds 2 tenements (1 roofless), 17.5 acres, 11s 0½d
Heathgate Farm	COUNSELL, William	27a 2r 14p		SHALMER, William INMAN, John (2 tenements)	19 24	18s 2½d £1 3s 2d	
The Bungalow	SYMON, William	H 24a	20a 3r 13p	AVERY, Thomas	25	£1 5s 4d	

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Table 8.2 (cont.) The tenements in Puxton in the 16th-century court rolls, pre-1642 rental and c 1770 survey, placed in order of their acreages

Modern name *		1770 survey			<1642 Rental		15th- to 16th-century court rolls	
tenement	occupier	house (H) and cust. acres	statut. acres	tenant	cust. acres	annual rent		
Goose Acre Farm	R MILLARD, widow (Nichols)	H 24a	23a 2r 15p	HOSKINS, Henry	25	£1 4s 0d		
(Days)	G BAILEY, John (late Ruth Days)	26a	23a 3r 25p	HARRIS, Thos (2 roofless tenements)	26.5	£1 4s 4d	1567: Emota and Alice Webbe hold 2 tenements (1 ruinous), 26.5 acres, £1 4s 6d	
Blackhouse	B HARDWICK, Sarah (Upholds)	28a	25a 2r 10p	COOKE, John IRISH, Mathew for Blackhouse	27 28	£1 7s 0d £1 6s 8d		
South Farm	U BROOKMAN, widow (Warnell's)	H 29a	27a 0r 0p	IRISH, Agnes for Wornells	30.25	£1 8s 0d		
Puxton Court	D KNUTCHBALL, Norton (late Long's)	H 48.5a	47a 1r 27p	WHIPPEY, George (Keen's 13 Eliz)	40.5	£2 3s 4d	1552: Philip Geve held two tenements (one roofless called Blackstones), 40.5 acres; passed to Richard Kene	
Church View	J HEWLETT, Samuel (Horts)	H 42a	36a 0r 6p	INMAN, Thomas (4 tenements)	51	£1 19s 1d	1570: John and Agnes Atwill, 3 tenements (2 ruinous), 40.5 acres, £1 19s 1d; 1571: Agnes Atwill holds 4 tenements	
Puxton Moor Farm	(outside manor: George Hardwick)			? pt INMAN, John (demeans)	? pt 59	not given		
(Sheephouse, TM 109)	T Hardwick, George (Cooks)	21a	19a 0r 9p	? pt INMAN, John (demeans)	? pt 59	not given		
FREEHOLDS			1755 rental		1642 rental			
tenement	occupier		rent	occupier		rent		
Balls Barn	PAULETT, Earl		0s 9d	PAULETT, Lord John		9s 0d	1496: PAYNE, Thomas, 1 acre freehold called Tredgoldshay; 1547: PAYNE, Thomas, a barn called Paynes Barn	
Rushworthys Easthays	MERTON COLLEGE MAY, Mark		0s 6d 3s 6d	MERTON COLLEGE MASON, Thomas		6s 0d £3 6s 0d	1547: Merton College 1547: BURGESS, John and GEVE, Flora; 1567: 15.5 acres	
Full Quart (TM 214-15)	COUNSELL, William (late Brooks)		3s 6d	KNIGHT, William		£3 6s 0d	1547: BUSTELL, John	
Purbecks	HARDWICK, Samuel (late Knights)		5s 0d	HAWKINS COOKE, Joseph		an acus £5 0s 0d	1547: PURBECKS, John 1552: COOKE, John; 1569: half virgate and 15a 1r	

* modern name is given where tenement is occupied by a farmstead/cottage; where the tenement now comprises an area of fields the customary name is given in brackets with the tithe map number)

Table 8.3 The tenements in Rolstone in the 1651 rental (West Rolstone: WRO 2667/23/38) and c 1770 survey, placed in order of their acreages (excludes tenements located in Kewstoke, Woolvershill and Worle)

modern name	c 1770			1651 rental of West Rolstone		
	tenement	occupier	cust. acres	stat. acres	cust. acres	annual rent
WEST ROLSTONE						
Upper Gout House	P	Brookman, widow	4	1a 3r 18p	Branch, John	4a 3s 4d
north of Box Bush Fm	B	Miller, Jas lt Thos Urch (Crookers)	5	5a 1r 38p	Stock, Hen., Wm. and Ann	5a 6s 0d
Bosse Close and Blackstones	C	Athays, Sam. Extors [executors?] lt Berekleys	8	7a 2r 12p	Raynes, Joanne and Thomas	7a 7s 0d
Stuntree Farm (pt): 'Yards'	v	Beard, Wm, pt of Jolliefs (Yards)	8	5a 3r 21p	Conway, Thomas	* £2 13s 3d
Stuntree Farm (pt)	t	Gage, Wm pt of Jolliefs	9	7a 3r 38p	Conway, Thomas	* £2 13s 3d
Little Knights	x	Urch, Jn (Moors)	10	10a 3r 29p	Inman, Prudence	9a £1 0s 0d
Stuntree Farm (pt): Castle Moor	S	Jones, Thos pt of Jolliefs	14	12a 1r 5p	Conway, Thomas	* £2 13s 3d
Stuntree Farm	R	Keene, Jn pt of Jolliefs	24	18a 2r 4p	Conway, Thomas	* £2 13s 3d
Swaynes	O	lt Athays, Sam extors (Swains als Sandford)	25.25	20a 3r 28p	Swaine, Robert	23a 13s 8d
Rockers	A	lt Hurditches extors	26	23a 3r 35p	Cox, John	26a 11s 0d
Wolvershill	N	Keene, wid. Lt Giles Hemen	34	25a 3r 27p	Bradford, Christian	34a 7s 10d
west of Box Bush Fm	I	lt Urch, Jn, Parkers	37	32a 2r 6p	Parker, Mary, Jn and Thos	34a £1 12s 0d
Fryplace	C	lt Walker, George [at Woolvershill]	40.25	38a 0r 32p	Andrews, Alice for Fryplace	40a 19s 4d
Kencutt's and Old House	y	Jones, Thos, Court Grove late Moors	46.5	41a 2r 22p	Kencott, Robert	40a £1 15s 2d
Rolstone Court	W	Counsell, Rich (Latches and Hatchhouse)	66	56a 3r 29p	[absent but Sayer, Thos in 1648]	63a £3 9s 10d
EAST ROLSTONE						
Day Paddock	H	Cook, Jn lt Ambrose Wall	6	6a 1r 32p	Sayer, Edmund	6a 7s 0d
Bosse Close and Blackstones	C	Athays, Sam. Extors lt Berekleys	8	7a 2r 12p	Raynes, William	2a 3r 2s 4d
Swaynes tenement	J	Beard, Wm lt Jn Lane	13.25	12a 1r 19p	Wilmott, Edith	13a 1r 13s 8d
Upper Gout House	P	lt Mary now Dinah Payne, Gouthouse	16	15a 0r 4p	Stock, Thos and Mary	16a 16s 0d
Balls Barn	O	Gage, Wm lt Hosiers	19.5	15a 2r 34p	Arundell, Hen. + Hosier, Eliz.	18a £1 1s 6d
[down Havadge Drove]	q	Hunt, Joseph and Bishop, Jas (lt Wid. Urch)	23	22a 1r 16p	Lam. ... + Sprudd, Edmund	22a £1 5s 4d
New Ditch	L251	Beaks, Robert	30	30a 1r 19p	Tuckey, John	31a £2 8s 8d
Land Farm	N	Jones, Thos (Court Place) lt Blackburrows	31.25	31a 2r 24p	Inman, Thos, Wm and Marg.	41a 3r £1 16s 2d
Laurel Farm	M	Gilling, Samuel (Malpasses)	44	36a 0r 33p	Inman, Wm	42a £ 1 15s 8d

* In 1651 Thomas Conway held a 50-acre tenement that by c 1770 had been divided in four (the four parts were later reunited as Stuntree Farm)

Table 9.2 Soil micromorphology, Church Field: summary descriptions of contexts in thin section

context	thickness	composite properties	mineral components	organic components	pedofeatures
502	>14cm	Spongy micro-structure with 20% porosity. Vughs and channels. No bedding.	Silty clay loam. Dark brown (PPL); brown (OIL).	Few. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Reddish/brown or very dark brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • earthworm granules • soil fauna excrements • gleying features
503	12cm	Spongy micro-structure with 10% porosity. Vughs and channels. No bedding.	Silty clay loam. Brown (PPL and OIL).	Rare. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Reddish/brown or very dark brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • earthworm granules • soil fauna excrements • gleying features • silty clay coatings on pore walls • reworked fragments of other contexts
523 (?buried ground surface)	14cm	Vughy microstructure with 10% porosity. Lower 4cm show weak horizontal bedding.	Silty clay loam (upper); silty clay (lower). Brown (PPL); mixed brown and orange (OIL).	Rare. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • earthworm granules • soil fauna excrements • gleying features • silty clay coatings on pore walls • reworked fragments of other contexts
524	>10cm	Vughy micro-structure with 5% porosity. Horizontally bedded structure.	Clay silt. Brown (PPL); mixed brown and orange (OIL).	Rare. Highly fragmented and strongly decomposed. Dark brown cell contents.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • gleying features • silty clay coatings on pore walls • reworked fragments of other contexts

Table 9.3 Quantification of pottery from Church Field (Trenches 1, 2, 3, 11, and 12)

fabric	phase 5		phase 6		phase 7		phase 8		phase 9		phase 10	
	nos	g	nos.	g	nos	g	nos	g	nos	g	nos	g
AA1	3	26	49	852							31	366
PX01			2	30								
Bristol A-B	5	38	13	240					3	43		
PX03	3	11	129	568					15	84	70	306
PX04	35	273	621	5648					14	85	143	918
PX08	1	10	58	544					11	79	36	260
U1	3	33	27	236					2	40	13	90
U4	8	34	91	527					9	40	37	171
SE Wilts	1	20	1	4							1	3
Y			1	15								
XX			2	17							1	10
AA2			3	30								
Proto Ham Green			26	278					3	11	6	21
PX09			18	98					1	4	7	144
SS			2	6					1	1	8	65
AAA	1	3	11	46					4	28	5	25
Q			2	3					1	3		
Stamford ware											1	7
OO											4	43
C27											1	1
Malvern Chase											2	50
C7									4	25	9	102
Delftware											1	1
M/KK											5	20
plain or blue decorated pearlware			1	5					1	1	2	2
press-moulded salt-glazed white stoneware											1	12
Nottingham stoneware											1	1
modern English stoneware									1	10		
unidentified	1	1	18	16							9	13
total	61	449	1075	9163					70	454	394	2631

Table 9.4 Pottery from fieldwalking in Church Field

	sherds	%
PX08	21	8.9
U4	17	7.2
PX04	16	6.8
AA1	14	5.9
U1	11	4.6
PX03	6	2.5
Malvern Chase	5	2.1
Bristol ware jugs	5	2.1
Y	4	1.7
PX09	4	1.7
Q	3	1.3
Proto Ham Green coarsewares	2	0.8
Ham Green jugs	1	0.4
unidentified	1	0.4
Ham Green cw	1	0.4
Frechen	1	0.4
C8	1	0.4
modern stoneware	1	0.4
C2	1	0.4
C3	2	0.8
C7	50	21.1
A1	4	1.7
M/KK	5	2.1
Westerwald stoneware	1	0.4
North Devon gravel-tempered	3	1.3
sponged ware	2	0.8
pearlware	33	13.9
creamware	5	2.1
Industrially made red wares	12	5.1
porcelain	1	0.4
bone china	1	0.4
factory slipwares	1	0.4
yellow ware	2	0.8

Table 9.5 Comparison of pottery assemblages from shovel test pits

fabric	Flemans		Butts		Coles		Haynes		Totals		Bindings	
	sherds	g	sherds	g	sherds	g	sherds	g	sherds	g	sherds	g
post-medieval	3	35	19	173	17	59	13	57	52	324	61	273
% of total pottery	4.2	10.3	9.5	17.0	39.5	41.8	43.3	51.4	15.1	20.2	59.2	46.5
late medieval	14	56	21	99	3	17	9	25	47	197	13	118
% of total pottery	19.4	16.5	10.6	9.8	7.0	12.1	30.0	22.5	13.7	12.3	12.6	20.1
11th to 13th centuries	55	248	159	743	23	65	8	29	245	1085	29	196
% of total pottery	76.4	73.2	79.9	73.2	53.5	46.1	26.7	26.1	71.2	67.6	28.2	33.4
11th-13th C as % of medieval	79.7	81.6	88.3	88.2	88.5	79.3	47.1	53.7	83.9	84.6	69.0	62.4
Total	72	339	199	1015	43	141	30	111	344	1606	103	587

**Table 10.1 Assessment of pollen from Church Field, buried ground surface beneath enclosure bank.
Sample depths are from the top of the monolith tin, which was 0.28m below the present ground surface**

	sample depth in cm	14–15cm	21–22cm	26.5–27.5cm
	total pollen counted	17	19	9
	Lycopodium recovered	62	50	79
TREES AND SHRUBS				
	<i>Pinus</i> (pine)	1		1
	<i>Corylus</i> -type (hazel)	1		
HERBACEOUS TYPES				
v	Poaceae (grasses)	7	8	2
m	<i>Centaurea nigra</i> (knapweed)			1
d	Lactuceae (dandelion and related Asteraceae)	4	9	3
d	Brassicaceae (cabbage family)	1		
d, s	<i>Solidago virgaurea</i> -type (daisy, sea aster and related Asteraceae)	2	2	2
s, d	Chenopodiaceae (goosefoot family)	1		
Counted Outside Pollen Sum				
	Filicales undifferentiated (ferns)	9	6	4
	<i>Polypodium vulgare</i> (polypody fern)	2	2	5
	<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> (bracken)	1	5	2
	<i>Ascaris</i> egg (round worm)	1		
	Degraded grains (unidentified)	23	7	10
	Pollen preservation	VP	VP	VP
	Pollen concentration	P	P	P
	Relative concentration of charcoal >40µm	102000	56000	37000

Habitat preferences: v, various; d, disturbed ground; m, meadows or grazed land; s, saltmarsh or other maritime habitat.
Preservation and concentration categories: P = poor; VP = very poor

Table 10.3 Assessment of pollen from sediment samples from Church Field, ditch F.103

context	107	134	163	163
sample depth from top of tin	8–9cm	28–29cm	32–33cm	38–39cm
total pollen counted	60	157	130	160
<i>Lycopodium</i> recovered	89	46	36	32
TREES AND SHRUBS				
	<i>Pinus</i> (pine)	1	1	1
	<i>Betula</i> (birch)		1	4
	<i>Quercus</i> (oak)		1	2
	<i>Alnus</i> (alder)	1	1	
	<i>Corylus</i> -type (hazel)	1		1
	<i>Fagus</i> (beech)		1	4
	<i>Fraxinus</i> (ash)			1
	<i>Salix</i> (willow)	1	9	14
				25
HERBACEOUS TYPES				
c	<i>Centaurea cyanus</i> (cornflower)		1	
d	<i>Rumex</i> spp. (docks)			1
d	<i>Plantago lanceolata</i> (ribwort plantain)		3	
d	Lactuceae (dandelion and related Asteraceae)	10	4	3
d, m	Ranunculus acris-type (buttercup)		1	1
d	Brassicaceae (cabbage family)	25	24	23
d, m	<i>Cirsium</i> -type (thistles)		1	
d, s	<i>Solidago virgaurea</i> -type (daisy, sea aster and related Asteraceae)	5	3	5
d	<i>Artemisia</i> -type (mugwort)			2
d, c, m	<i>Achillea</i> -type (yarrows, chamomiles)		1	2
s, d	Chenopodiaceae (goosefoot family)		15	8
v	Poaceae (grasses)	5	51	45
v	Cyperaceae (sedges)	1	3	1
v, c	Cereal-type (cereals etc)	4	10	9
v	Apiaceae (carrot family)		12	2
v	<i>Polygonum</i> (knotgrasses)	5	8	5
v	Fabaceae (pea family)			2
v	Caryophyllaceae (pink family)		1	
v	Rosaceae (rose family)		1	1
f	Potamogeton (pondweeds)	1		
f	<i>Menyanthes</i> (bogbean)		2	3
f	Lemnaceae (duckweed)		2	
counted outside pollen sum				
	Filicales undifferentiated (ferns)	8	3	10
	<i>Polypodium vulgare</i> (polypody fern)	9	3	3
	<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> (bracken)	2		4
	<i>Sphagnum</i> (bog moss)			1
	degraded grains (unidentified)	25	40	34
	pollen preservation	P	P	P
	pollen concentration	P	G	G
	relative concentration of charcoal >40µm	106000	82000	24000
				268000

Habitat preferences: v, various; d, disturbed ground; c, cultivated land; m, meadows or grazed land; s, saltmarsh or other maritime habitat; f, freshwater ditch.

Preservation and concentration categories: P = poor; M = moderate; G = good

Table 10.5 Assessment of pollen from sediment samples from Church Field, ditch F.128

context	144	150	152	152
sample depth from top of tin	17.5–18.5cm	28.5–29.5cm	36–37cm	47–48cm
total pollen counted	119	52	89	103
<i>Lycopodium</i> recovered	84	78	60	37
TREES AND SHRUBS				
<i>Pinus</i> (pine)	1	1	1	1
<i>Betula</i> (birch)	1	1		3
<i>Quercus</i> (oak)	4	4	3	1
<i>Alnus</i> (alder)	5	2		1
<i>Corylus</i> -type (hazel)	1	2	2	3
<i>Ulmus</i> (elm)			2	
<i>Fraxinus</i> (ash)				1
<i>Salix</i> (willow)	1			1
HERBACEOUS TYPES				
d <i>Rumex</i> spp. (docks)				1
d Lactuceae (dandelion and related Asteraceae)	10	5	6	11
d, m <i>Ranunculus acris</i> -type (buttercup family)				1
d Brassicaceae (cabbage family)	27	13	22	11
d, m <i>Cirsium</i> -type (thistles)			1	
d, s <i>Solidago virgaurea</i> -type (daisy and related Asteraceae)	6	1	4	10
d <i>Artemisia</i> -type (mugwort)		1		
d, c, m <i>Achillea</i> -type (yarrows)			2	
s, d Chenopodiaceae (goosefoot family)	12	3	6	
v Poaceae (grasses)	42	15	25	48
v Cyperaceae (sedges)	5		1	1
v, c Cereal-type (cereals etc)	3	3	9	8
v Apiaceae (carrot family)		1		
v Dipsacaceae (teasel family)			1?	
v Fabaceae (pea family)	1		2	
h Ericaceae (heaths)			1	
v Rosaceae (rose family)			1?	
f, v <i>Veronica</i> (speedwells)				1?
counted outside pollen sum				
Filicales undifferentiated (ferns)	13	12	8	6
<i>Polypodium vulgare</i> (polypody fern)	9	2	6	1
<i>Pteridium aquilinum</i> (bracken)	7	7	7	
<i>Sphagnum</i> (bog moss)	2			
degraded grains (unidentified)	43	12	43	36
pollen preservation	P	P	P	P
pollen concentration	M	P	P	M
relative concentration of charcoal >40µm	64000	53000	153000	331000

Habitat preferences: v, various; c, cultivated ground; d, disturbed ground; s, saltmarsh or other maritime habitat; h, heathland; f, fresh-water ditch. Identifications marked ? are uncertain because of poor preservation. Preservation and concentration categories P = poor, M = moderate.

Table 10.6a Waterlogged plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	buried soil	enclosure ditch	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/lower fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch mid-fill	habitat
context	503	134	116	152	141	525	131	528	527	A
size of sample (kg/litres)	42.2/40	30.3/18.5	19/12	25.5/15	7.2/4.5	46.3/38	14.1/9	47.5/44	49.2/45	
size of float (ml)	35	120	200	15	50	15	40	25	25	
CHARACEAE										
<i>Chara</i> sp								1		A
RANUNCULACEAE										
<i>Ranunculus acris</i> / <i>repens</i> / <i>bulbosus</i>			2	115	17	14				DG
<i>Ranunculus flammula</i> L.				1	1					MPRw
<i>Ranunculus lingua</i> L.				2						M
<i>Ranunculus sardous</i> Crantz				2	4					CDW
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i> L.				10	4	13				MPR
<i>R.</i> subg. <i>Batrachium</i> (DC.)A. Gray				20	140	123		1		APR
MORACEAE										
<i>Ficus carica</i> L.					3					#
URTICACEAE										
<i>Urtica dioica</i> L.		8		333	797	115		5	2	DGHWp
BETULACEAE										
<i>Betula</i> sp					1					WE]aw
<i>Corylus avellana</i> L. (nut frags)				45	3					HSW
CHENOPODIACEAE										
<i>Atriplex</i> spp		12		104	21	1	4	3	1	CDn
<i>Chenopodium album</i> L.	1	2		8			7	2	2	CDn
<i>Chenopodium ficifolium</i> Smith	1	7		79	10		43	21	7	CD
<i>Chenopodium polyspermum</i> L.									1	CD

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Table 10.6a (cont.) Waterlogged plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	buried soil	enclo-sure ditch	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/lower fill	ditch upper fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch basal fill	ditch mid-fill	habitat
<i>Chenopodium rubrum /glaucum</i>	1			1	3	1				CDs
Goosefoot										
Goosefoot family	2			22	15	2				various
CARYOPHYLLACEAE										
<i>Cerastium</i> spp	3	4		3	2	1				CDG
<i>Stellaria media</i> (L.)Villars	3			5	1	2	2	3	12	CD
POLYGONACEAE										
<i>Persicaria lapathifolia</i> (L.)Gray			1					7		Cdow
<i>Persicaria maculosa</i> Gray			1	9			2			Cdo
<i>Polygonum aviculare</i> L.				1						CD
<i>Rumex</i> spp	1			3	8	10				DG
BRASSICACEAE										
<i>Brassica /Sinapis /Raphanus</i> sp				1						CD#
<i>Coronopus squamatus</i> (Forskkaol)Asch				5		1				Do
<i>Rorippa nasturtium-aquaticum</i> (L.)Hayek					3	62				BPR
RESEDACEAE										
<i>Reseda luteola</i> L.				1						CDGo
ROSACEAE										
<i>Crataegus monogyna</i> Jacq					1 + f	2f				HSW
<i>Potentilla anserina</i> L.				1						DG, sand-dunes
Rosaceae indet (thorn)				1						HSW
<i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> Wimmer and Grab				8	2	23				DHSW

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Table 10.6a (cont.) Waterlogged plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	context	size of sample (kg/litres)	size of float (ml)	buried soil	enclo- sure ditch	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/ lower fill	ditch upper fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch mid-fill	habitat
FABACEAE												
<i>Ulex</i> sp (spine)												EGWo
LINACEAE												
<i>Linum usitatissimum</i> L. (seeds)												#
<i>Linum usitatissimum</i> L. (capsule frags)												#
<i>Linum</i> spp (stem frags)												#
APIACEAE												
<i>Aethusa cynapium</i> L.												C
<i>Conium maculatum</i> L.												Bw
<i>Heracleum sphondylium</i> L.												DG
<i>Torilis</i> spp												CGHW
SOLANACEAE												
<i>Solanum dulcamara</i> L.												DHS
LAMIACEAE												
<i>Ballota nigra</i> L.												HW
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> L.												FRw
<i>Mentha aquatica</i> L.												MPw
<i>Stachys sylvatica</i> L.												HSW
PLANTAGINACEAE												
<i>Plantago major</i> L.												CDG-o
SCROPHULARIACEAE												
<i>Odonites/Euphrasia</i> spp												CD

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Table 10.6a (cont.) Waterlogged plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	buried soil	enclosure ditch	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/lower fill	ditch upper fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch mid-fill	habitat
context	503	F.103	F.115	F.128	F.128/140	F.135	F.510	F.526	
size of sample (kg/litres)	42.2/40	30.3/18.5	19/12	25.5/15	16.2/10	7.2/4.5	46.3/38	47.5/44	49.2/45
size of float (ml)	35	120	200	15	50	15	40	25	
Elder	14 + f	20	33	131	26 + f	54	11	53	473
DHSWn									
CAPRIFOLIACEAE									
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> L.									
ASTERACEAE									
<i>Anthemis cotula</i> L.			10	9					CDh
<i>Arctium minus</i> (Hill) Bernh.			1	1					DW
<i>Cirsium</i> c.f. <i>arvense</i> (L.) Scop.			11	12	1				CDGH
<i>Cirsium</i> c.f. <i>palustre</i> (L.) Scop.					7				MGP(w) W(o)
<i>Cirsium</i> c.f. <i>vulgare</i> (Savi) Ten.			17	4					CDW
Spear Thistle									DGMW
Thistle			5	2					w-shade or open
<i>Eupatorium cannabinum</i> L.			1						DH
Hemp-agrimony									DHWc
Nipplewort					4				CD
<i>Lapsana communis</i> L.									CDW
<i>Picris echioides</i> L.				1	1				APR
Bristly Oxtongue									APR
<i>Sonchus asper</i> (L.) Hill			2	3	1		1		
Prickly Sow-thistle									
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i> L.				1					
Smooth Sow-thistle									
ALISMATACEAE									
<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i> L.				1	16				APR
Water Plantain									APR
<i>Alisma</i> spp			4	5	117				
Water Plantain									
LEMNACEAE									
<i>Lemna</i> spp		254	267	40	742	2	20	29	A
Duckweed									
JUNCACEAE									
<i>Juncus</i> spp	1	35	12		6			73	GMRw
Rush									
CYPERACEAE									
<i>Carex</i> spp			5	3	4			3	GMPRW
Sedge									(table continued)

Table 10.6b Carbonised plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	context	buried soil	enclosure ditch	F.103	F.115	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/lower fill	F.128	F.128/140	ditch upper fill	F.135	ditch basal fill	F.510	ditch middle fill	F.525	ditch basal fill	F.528	ditch mid-fill	F.526	habitat
Grain		503																		
<i>Avena</i> sp	Oat	25	2	148	16					6	5	7	9							#
c.f. <i>Avena</i> sp	Oat										1	3								#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp	Barley	6	5	42	6					24	21	38	4							#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (hulled)	Barley	1	1	9	1															#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (straight)	Barley																			#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (hulled/straight)	Barley																			#
c.f. <i>Hordeum</i> sp	Barley	1	5							1	6	4								#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (hulled/tail grain)	Barley			2																#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (tail grain)	Barley			3	4					1			7							#
<i>Secale cereale</i>	Rye			33																#
<i>Triticum</i> sp	Wheat	39	22	843	68				1	185	31	42	25							#
c.f. <i>Triticum</i> sp	Wheat	21	6	174	17					56	35	30	11							#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (tail grain)	Wheat				13					5			1							#
Cereal indet		1	18	121	23				1	119	52	48	22							#
Total:		3	111	1375	148				2	397	151	172	75							
Chaff																				
<i>Avena</i> sp (pedicel)	Oat			1																#
<i>Avena</i> sp (pedicel – <i>fatua/ludoviciana</i> type)	Wild Oat			2																#
<i>Avena</i> sp (awns)	Oat	61		7						16										#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (rachis internode)	Barley	1		10	1								2							#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (tough rachis internode)	Free-threshing wheat	7	1	523	17				1	39	2	13	2							#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (rachis internode base)	Wheat	4		20	2					5	4									#

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Table 10.6b (cont.) Carbonised plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	context	buried soil	enclo- sure ditch	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/ lower fill	ditch upper fill	ditch upper fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch middle fill	ditch basal fill	ditch mid-fill	habitat
<i>Triticum</i> sp (basal rachis internode)		503	134	116	152	150	141	131	525	517	528	527	#
Wheat					8							1	#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (tetraploid rachis frag)	Free-threshing wheat				15								#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (c.f. tetraploid rachis frag)	Free-threshing wheat				16								#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (free-threshing rachis frag)	Free-threshing wheat				3		1						#
<i>Triticum spelta</i> (spikelet fork)	Spelt wheat				2								#
<i>Triticum spelta</i> (glume base)	Spelt wheat					1							#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (hulled wheat glume base)	Hulled wheat				25	1							#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (hulled wheat spikelet fork)	Hulled wheat				11								#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (awns)	Wheat				27	1							#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (awns - silicified)	Wheat				1			freq					#
Cereal embryo area			1	1	4			3		2	1	3	#
Poaceae culm node	Grass				10								
Poaceae culm node (silicified)	Grass				14								
Poaceae culm base	Grass				2								
Total:		0	74	2	701	23	0	64	6	14	15	6	
Weeds													
RANUNCULACEAE													
<i>Ranunculus</i> <i>acris / repens / bulbosus</i>	Meadow/ Creeping/ Bulbous Buttercup			1	5								DG
<i>Ranunculus flammula</i> L.	Lesser Spearwort				1								MPRw (table continued)

Table 10.6b (cont.) Carbonised plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	context	buried soil	enclosure ditch	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/lower fill	ditch upper fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch middle fill	ditch basal fill	ditch mid-fill	habitat
			F.103	F.115	F.128	F.128/140	F.135	F.510	F.510	F.526		
			134	116	152	141	131	525	517	528	527	
<i>Ranunculus</i> spp	Buttercup	503						1f			1f	DMPR
BETULACEAE												
<i>Corylus avellana</i> L. (nut frags)	Hazel		6		5f			2	4f	7		HSW
CHENOPODIACEAE												
<i>Atriplex</i> spp	Orache	8		107							2	CDn
<i>Chenopodium ficifolium</i> Smith	Fig-leaved Goosefoot	3		10								CD
Chenopodiaceae indet	Goosefoot family	3			2			1				various
CARYOPHYLLACEAE												
<i>Agrostemma githago</i> L.	Corncockle			1								C
<i>Cerastium</i> sp	Chickweed	1		1								CDG
<i>Stellaria media</i> (L.) Villars	Common Chickweed			1								CD
POLYGONACEAE												
<i>Persicaria lapathifolia</i> (L.) Gray	Pale Persicaria			1	8							Cdow
<i>Persicaria maculosa</i> Gray	Redshank			1	7							Cdo
<i>Rumex acetosella</i> L.	Sheep's Sorrel			1								Ho, CG, a,sandy
<i>Rumex</i> spp	Dock	12		1	31	3	6	4	2	10	13	DG
BRASSICACEAE												
<i>Brassica</i> c.f. <i>nigra</i> (L.) Koch	Black Mustard	7				2	3					DRWs
<i>Brassica</i> /Sinapis/ <i>Raphanus</i> spp	Mustard/Rape/Cole etc	4		9								CD#
FABACEAE												
<i>Lathyrus</i> c.f. <i>nissolia</i> L.	Grass Vetchling								2f			G
<i>Lathyrus</i> / <i>Vicia</i> spp	Pea/Vetch	2						1	3f	1 + f	1	DG

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Table 10.6b (cont.) Carbonised plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	context	buried soil	encl- sure ditch	F.103	F.115	ditch basal fill	F.128	ditch earliest cut/ lower fill	F.128	150	3	ditch upper fill	F.128/ 140	F.135	ditch basal fill	F.510	517	525	1 + f	528	527	CDG#	habitat
<i>Lathyrus / Vicia / Pisum</i> spp		503	134	116	152	150	3	6f	3														
Pea	Vetch/Garden		4																				
<i>Medicago lupulina</i> L.	Black Medick		1																				GR
<i>Pisum sativum</i> L.	Garden Pea					3																	#CD
c.f. <i>Pisum sativum</i> L.	Garden Pea					1																	#CD
<i>Trifolium / Medicago</i> spp	Clover/Medick		1			5	1																DGR
<i>Vicia faba</i> L.	Celtic/Horse Bean					2 + f	7 + 17f	1 + f															#
<i>Vicia hirsuta</i> (L.) Gray	Hairy Tare		1																				DG
<i>Vicia tetrasperma</i> (L.) Schreber	Smooth Tare																						G
APIACEAE																							
<i>Bupleurum rotundifolium</i> L.	Thorow-wax																						C
SOLANACEAE																							
<i>Solanum nigrum</i> L.	Black Nightshade		1																				CD
PLANTAGINACEAE																							
<i>Plantago major</i> L.	Greater Plantain		5																				CDG-o
SCROPHULARIACEAE																							
<i>Odonites / Euphrasia</i> spp	Bartsia/ Eyebright		3																				CD
RUBIACEAE																							
<i>Galium aparine</i> L.	Cleavers																						CHSo
CAPRIFOLIACEAE																							
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> L.	Elder																						DHSWn
ASTERACEAE																							
<i>Anthemis cotula</i> L.	Stinking Chamomile		85																				CDh
<i>Chrysanthemum segetum</i> L.	Corn Marigold																						Ca

(table continued)

Table 10.6b (cont.) Carbonised plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature	context	buried soil	encl- sure ditch	ditch basal fill	ditch earliest cut/ lower fill	ditch upper fill	ditch upper fill	ditch basal fill	ditch middle fill	ditch basal fill	ditch mid-fill	habitat	F.526	
													F.128/ 140	F.135
<i>Lapsana communis</i> L.	Nipplewort	503	134	116	152	150	141	131	525	517	528	DH		
JUNCACEAE					1									
<i>Juncus</i> spp	Rush										3	GMRw		
CYPERACEAE														
<i>Carex</i> spp	Sedge				3						1	GMPRW		
<i>Carex vulpina</i> L.	True Fox-sedge				1							Wh/M ditches		
<i>Eleocharis palustris/uniglumis</i>	Spike-rush		1		15							MPw		
POACEAE														
<i>Bromopsis</i> c.f. <i>erecta</i> (Hudson) Fourr.	Upright Brome				1							Gdc		
<i>Bromus racemosus/hordaceus/secalinus</i>	Smooth/Soft/Rye Brome		7		9	1						DG/DG/CD		
<i>Bromus</i> sp	Brome			1				1	1	1	1	CD		
c.f. <i>Bromus</i> spp	Brome							2				CD		
<i>Cynosurus cristatus</i> L.	Crested Dog's -tail				6	1						G		
<i>Poa/Phleum</i> spp	Meadow-grass/Cat's-tail		20		43						5	G		
Poaceae indet	Grasses		6		52	3		14	2	2	2	G		
Total:		0	175	14	490	25	0	43	12	6	43	31		
Charcoal fragments			abund	abund	abund	freq	few	freq	freq	freq	freq	freq		
Charcoal frags >2mm			<200	400+	<400	<50	100+	100+	50+	50+	<100	<100		

Key for habitats: see Table 3.6

Table 10.6c Mineralised plant macrofossils from features at Church Field

feature context	ditch basal fill	ditch basal fill	ditch middle fill	habitat	
	F.510 525	F.526 528	527		
RANUNCULACEAE					
<i>Ranunculus</i> spp	Buttercup		1	38	DMPR
URTICACEAE					
<i>Urtica dioica</i> L.	Common nettle	15		11	DGHWp
<i>Urtica urens</i> L.	Small nettle			2	CDI
CHENOPODIACEAE					
<i>Atriplex</i> spp	Orache			40	CDn
Chenopodiaceae indet	Goosefoot family	7		104	various
POLYGONACEAE					
<i>Persicaria lapathifolia</i> (L.) Gray	Pale Persicaria			42	Cdow
<i>Polygonum</i> c.f. <i>aviculare</i> L.	Knotgrass			8	CD
<i>Polygonum</i> spp	Knotgrasses			6	various
<i>Rumex</i> spp	Dock	44		164	DG
MALVACEAE					
<i>Malva</i> spp	Mallow	16			DW
BRASSICACEAE					
<i>Brassica</i> / <i>Sinapis</i> / <i>Raphanus</i> spp	Mustard/Rape/Cole etc	15		105	CD#
VITACEAE					
<i>Vitis vinifera</i> L.	Grape	17			#
APIACEAE					
<i>Bupleurum rotundifolium</i> L.	Thorow-wax	37		11	C
LAMIACEAE					
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i> L.	Selfheal			12	DG
PLANTAGINACEAE					
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i> L.	Ribwort Plantain			1	G
<i>Plantago major</i> L.	Greater Plantain	1		5	CDG-o
SCROPHULARIACEAE					
<i>Odontites</i> / <i>Euphrasia</i> spp	Bartsia/Eyebright	1		6	CD
CAPRIFOLIACEAE					
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> L.	Elder	2		19	DHSWn
ASTERACEAE					
<i>Anthemis</i> spp	Chamomile			14	Cd
CYPERACEAE					
<i>Carex</i> spp	Sedge	2		10	GMPRW
POACEAE					
Poaceae indet	Grasses	10		48	G
CEREALS					
<i>Avena</i> sp (grain)	Oat			1	#
<i>Avena</i> sp (grain with partial floret)	Oat			1	#
c.f. <i>Hordeum</i> sp (grain)	Barley			1	#
<i>Secale cereale</i> (grain)	Rye			2	#
	Total:	167	1	651	

Table 10.7 Plant habitat groups at Church Field

wet places: marsh, by or in ditches or streamsides			
bankside/boggy places		aquatics	
<i>Carex riparia</i> (W)	Greater Pond-sedge	<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i> (W)	Water Plantain
<i>Carex vulpina</i> (CW)	True Fox-sedge	<i>Chara</i> spp (W)	Stonewort
<i>Carex</i> spp (CMW)	Sedge	<i>Lemna</i> spp (W)	Duckweed
** <i>Cirsium palustre</i> (W)	Marsh Thistle	<i>Ranunculus</i> subg. <i>Batrachium</i> (W)	Water Crowfoot
<i>Eleocharis palustris / uniglumis</i> (CW)	Spike-rush		
** <i>Eupatorium cannabinum</i> (W)	Hemp Agrimony		
** <i>Filipendula ulmaria</i> (W)	Meadowsweet	brackish indicators	
<i>Juncus</i> sp (CW)	Rush	** <i>Carex flacca</i> (W)	Glauous Sedge
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> (W)	Gipsywort		
<i>Mentha aquatica</i> (W)	Water Mint		
<i>Ranunculus lingua</i> (W)	Greater Spearwort		
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i> (W)	Celery-leaved Buttercup		
** <i>Ranunculus flammula</i> (CW)	Lesser Spearwort		
<i>Rorippa nasturtium-aquaticum</i> (W)	Water-cress		
<i>Typha</i> spp (W)	Bulrush		
dry pasture/rough grassy places/fields		meadows/damp pasture	
<i>Bromopsis erecta</i> (C)	Upright Brome	** <i>Carex flacca</i> (W)	Glauous Sedge
** <i>Bromus racemosus /</i>	Smooth/Soft/	<i>Carex hirta</i> (W)	Hairy Sedge
<i>hordaceus / secalinus</i> (C)	Rye Brome	** <i>Cirsium palustre</i> (W)	Marsh Thistle
*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle	** <i>Conium maculatum</i> (W)	Hemlock
** <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> (W)	Spear Thistle	** <i>Filipendula ulmaria</i> (W)	Meadowsweet
<i>Cynosurus cristatus</i> (C)	Crested Dog's-tail	**Poaceae indet (CMW)	Grass
** <i>Eupatorium cannabinum</i> (W)	Hemp Agrimony	<i>Potentilla anserina</i> (W)	Silverweed
** <i>Heracleum sphondylium</i> (W)	Hogweed	<i>Ranunculus acris / repens / bulbosus</i> (W)	Meadow/ Creeping/Bulbous Buttercup
<i>Lathyrus nissolia</i> (C)	Grass Vetchling		
<i>Lathyrus / Vicia</i> spp (C)	Pea/Vetch	** <i>Ranunculus flammula</i> (CW)	Lesser Spearwort
** <i>Malva</i> spp (CM)	Common Mallow	<i>Ranunculus sardous</i> (W)	Hairy Buttercup
<i>Medicago lupulina</i> (C)	Black Medick	<i>Ranunculus</i> sp (CM)	Buttercup
** <i>Odontites / Euphrasia</i> (CMW)	Bartsia/Eyebright		
<i>Plantago lanceolata</i> (M)	Ribwort Plantain		
** <i>Plantago major</i> (CM)	Greater Plantain		
<i>Poa / Phleum</i> spp (C)	Meadow-grass/Cat's-tail	cornfields	
**Poaceae (CM)	Grass	<i>Agrostemma githago</i> (C)	Corncockle
<i>Prunella vulgaris</i> (M)	Selfheal	<i>Anthemis cotula</i> (CW)	Stinking Chamomile
<i>Rumex acetosella</i> (C)	Sheep's Sorrel	<i>Anthemis</i> spp (M)	Chamomile
<i>Torilis</i> spp (W)	Hedge-parsley	<i>Bupleurum rotundifolium</i> (CM)	Thorow-wax
<i>Trifolium / Medicago</i> spp (C)	Clover/Medick	<i>Chrysanthemum segetum</i> (C)	Corn marigold
<i>Vicia hirsuta</i> (C)	Hairy Tare		
<i>Vicia tetrasperma</i> (C)	Smooth Tare		
waste/disturbed/arable ground		heath/downland/common	
<i>Aethusa cynapium</i> (W)	Fool's Parsley	<i>Ulex</i> sp (W)	Gorse
** <i>Arctium minus</i> (W)	Lesser Burdock		
<i>Atriplex</i> spp (CMW)	Orache		

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Table 10.7 (cont.) Plant habitat groups at Church Field

<i>Brassica c.f. nigra</i> (C)	Black Mustard	cultivated/of economic importance	
<i>Brassica / Sinapis / Raphanus</i> spp (CMW) Mustard/Rape/Cole etc	<i>Avena</i> sp (CM)	Oat	
** <i>Bromus racemosus / hordaceus / secalinus</i> (C)	Smooth/Soft/ Rye Brome	<i>Ficus carica</i> (W)	Fig
<i>Cerastium</i> sp (CW)	<i>Hordeum</i> sp (CM)	Barley	
<i>Chenopodium album</i> (W)	Chickweed	<i>Linum usitatissimum</i> (W)	Flax
<i>Chenopodium ficifolium</i> (CW)	Fat-hen	<i>Pisum sativum</i> (C)	Garden Pea
<i>Chenopodium polyspermum</i> (W)	Fig-leaved Goosefoot	<i>Secale cereale</i> (CM)	Rye
<i>Chenopodium rubrum / glaucum</i> (W)	Many-seeded Goosefoot	<i>Triticum</i> sp (C)	Wheat
Chenopodiaceae indet (CMW)	Red/Oak-leaved Goosefoot	<i>Vicia faba</i> (C)	Celtic/Horse Bean
*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Goosefoot	<i>Vitis vinifera</i> (M)	Grape-vine
** <i>Cirsium vulgare</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle		
** <i>Conium maculatum</i> (W)	Spear Thistle		
<i>Coronopus squamatus</i> (W)	Hemlock		
** <i>Galium aparine</i> (C)	Swine Cress		
** <i>Lapsana communis</i> (CW)	Cleavers		
	Nipplewort		
waste/disturbed/arable ground		woodland/hedgerow/scrub	
** <i>Malva</i> spp (M)	Mallow	** <i>Arctium minus</i> (W)	Lesser Burdock
** <i>Odontites / Euphrasia</i> (CMW)	Bartsia/Eyebright	<i>Ballota nigra</i> (W)	Black Horehound
<i>Persicaria lapathifolia</i> (CMW)	Pale Persicaria	<i>Betula</i> spp (W)	Birch
<i>Persicaria maculosa</i> (CW)	Redshank	<i>Carex sylvatica</i> (W)	Wood-sedge
<i>Picris echioides</i> (W)	Bristly Oxtongue	*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle
** <i>Plantago major</i> (CMW)	Greater Plantain	<i>Corylus avellana</i> (CW)	Hazel
<i>Polygonum aviculare</i> (MW)	Knotgrass	<i>Crataegus monogyna</i> (W)	Hawthorn
<i>Reseda luteola</i> (W)	Weld	** <i>Galium aparine</i> (C)	Cleavers
** <i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> (W)	Bramble	** <i>Heracleum sphondylium</i> (W)	Hogweed
<i>Rumex</i> sp (CMW)	Dock	** <i>Lapsana communis</i> (W)	Nipplewort
<i>Solanum nigrum</i> (C)	Black Nightshade	Rosaceae (W)	Rose Family
<i>Sonchus asper</i> (W)	Prickly Sow-thistle	** <i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> (W)	Bramble
<i>Sonchus oleraceus</i> (W)	Smooth Sow-thistle	<i>Sambucus nigra</i> (CMW)	Elder
<i>Stellaria media</i> (CW)	Common Chickweed	<i>Solanum dulcamara</i> (W)	Bittersweet
<i>Urtica dioica</i> (MW)	Common nettle	<i>Stachys sylvatica</i> (W)	Hedge Woundwort
<i>Urtica urens</i> (M)	Small nettle		

Key

** occurring in 2 habitat groups
C charred M mineralised

*** occurring in 3 habitat groups
W waterlogged

Table 10.8a (cont.) Waterlogged plant macrofossils from features at Home Ground

feature	buried soil	between buried soils	ditch		lower pit fill	upper pit fill	gully	ditch	habitat
			F.267	F.308					
APIACEAE									
<i>Aethusa cynapium</i> L.	281	321	285	323	280	266	F.243	F.209	C
<i>Anethum graveolens</i> L.							244	230	CD#
<i>Conium maculatum</i> L.	145	146/147	139/140	152/153	137/138	135/136	131/132	127/128	Bw
<i>Heracleum sphondylium</i> L.	3.7/4	54.6/46	29.9/33	36.3/42	29.1/34	27.7/30	24.2/28	45.9/42	DG
<i>Torilis</i> spp	<1	none	100	4	25	16	8	170	GHWo
SOLANACEAE									
<i>Solanum dulcamara</i> L.								12	DHS
LAMIACEAE									
<i>Ballota nigra</i> L.								2	HW
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> L.								2	FRw
<i>Mentha</i> sp								1	CDPW
<i>Stachys sylvatica</i> L.								21	HSW
PLANTAGINACEAE									
<i>Plantago major</i> L.								1	CDG-o
CAPRIFOLIACEAE									
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> L.				2			3	16	DHSWn
ASTERACEAE									
<i>Chrysanthemum segetum</i> L.			2						Ca
<i>Cirsium arvense</i> (L.) Scop								9	CDGH
<i>Cirsium / Carduus</i> sp			1			1		12	DGMW
<i>Leontodon</i> spp								1	G
<i>Picris echioides</i> L.								2	DHWc
<i>Sonchus asper</i> (L.) Hill								2	CD

(table continued)

Table 10.8a (cont.) Waterlogged plant macrofossils from features at Home Ground

	feature	buried soil	between buried soils	ditch		lower pit fill	upper pit fill	gully	ditch	habitat
				F.267	F.308					
ALISMATACEAE										
<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i> L.	Water Plantain								5	APR
<i>Alisma</i> spp	Water Plantain								15	APR
POTAMOGETONACEAE										
<i>Potamogeton</i> sp	Pondweed				1					APR
LEMNACEAE										
<i>Lemna</i> spp	Duckweed	2	38	335	57	1	1	1	21	A
JUNCACEAE										
<i>Juncus</i> spp	Rush	20	20	12	10	32	3	16		GMRw
CYPERACEAE										
<i>Carex</i> spp	Sedge								3	GMPRW
<i>Carex flacca</i> Schreber	Glaucous Sedge								71	G, wd
<i>Carex hirta</i> L.	Hairy Sedge								1	G (damp)
<i>Carex sylvatica</i> Hudson	Wood-sedge								1	HSW damp
<i>Carex vulpina</i> L.	True Fox-sedge								7	Wh/M ditches
<i>Eleocharis palustris/uni-glumis</i>	Spike-rush								1	MPw
POACEAE										
Poaceae indet	Grass								1	G
TYPHACEAE										
<i>Typha</i> spp	Bulrush								2	PR
	Total:	22	0	67	81	42	7	27	787	

Table 10.8b Charred plant macrofossils from features at Home Ground

	feature	buried soil		ditch	ditch	ditch	lower pit fill	upper pit fill	gully	habitat
		context	sample							
		F.267	F.308							
Grain										
<i>Avena</i> sp	Oat	8	2	9			2		5	#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp	Barley	2	8	7	1		2		7	#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (hulled)	Barley			1						#
c.f. <i>Hordeum</i> sp	Barley		3	2						#
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (tail grain)	Barley	5	1						1	#
<i>Triticum</i> sp	Wheat	9	11	32	1		3		9	#
c.f. <i>Triticum</i> sp	Wheat	1	3	24			7		8	#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (tail grain)	Wheat			3					4	#
Cereal indet		7	18	41	1		9		12	#
Total:		32	46	119	3		23		46	
Chaff										
<i>Avena</i> sp (awns)	Oat	23	20		1		1		12	
<i>Hordeum</i> sp (rachis internode)	Barley			1					3	#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (tough rachis internode)	Free-threshing wheat		1	1			6		46	#
<i>Triticum</i> sp (basal rachis internode)	Wheat								8	#
<i>Triticum</i> / <i>Hordeum</i> sp (awns)	Wheat/barley		5		1				1	#
<i>Triticum</i> / <i>Hordeum</i> sp (awns - silicified)	Wheat/barley	5	10	50	4					#
Cereal embryo area									2	#
Poaceae culm node (silicified)	Grass		1							
Total:		1	28	52	6		7		72	
Weeds										
CHARACEAE										
<i>Chara</i> sp	Stonewort								1	A
BETULACEAE										
<i>Corylus avellana</i> L. (nut frags)	Hazel								1f	HSW
CHENOPODIACEAE										
(table continued)										

Table 10.8b (cont.) Charred plant macrofossils from features at Home Ground

	feature	buried soil	ditch	ditch	ditch	lower pit fill	upper pit fill	gully	habitat
<i>Atriplex</i> sp			F.267	F.308	F.265	F.243			
POLYGONACEAE									
<i>Rumex</i> spp		281	285	323	280	266	244		DG
BRASSICACEAE									
<i>Brassica / Sinapis / Raphanus</i> sp		145	139/140	141/142	152/153	137/138	135/136	131/132	CD#
FABACEAE									
<i>Lathyrus / Vicia</i> sp			1	1	1	1			DG
<i>Trifolium / Medicago</i> sp			1	1	1	1	1	1	DGR
<i>Vicia faba</i> L.			1	1 + f	2 + f				#
PLANTAGINACEAE									
<i>Plantago major</i> L.								1	CDG-o
SCROPHULARIACEAE									
<i>Odontites / Euphrasia</i> spp						2		2	CD
ASTERACEAE									
<i>Anthemis cotula</i> L.			6	1		3		5	CDh
JUNCACEAE									
<i>Juncus</i> sp								1	GMRw
POACEAE									
<i>Poa / Phleum</i> sp				1					G
Poaceae indet	1					2		8	G
Total:	1	9	3	6	0	10	24		

Table 10.8c Mineralised plant macrofossils from features at Home Ground

		ditch lower fill	ditch	habitat
		F.267	F.308	
	context	285	323	
CHENOPODIACEAE				
<i>Chenopodium</i> sp	Goosefoots	1		various
POLYGONACEAE				
<i>Rumex acetosella</i> L.	Sheep's Sorrel		1	Ho, CG, a sandy
BRASSICACEAE				
<i>Brassica / Sinapis / Raphanus</i> sp	Mustard/Rape/Cole etc		1	CD#
FABACEAE				
<i>Trifolium / Medicago</i> spp	Clover/Medick		1	DGR
	Total:	1	3	

Key for habitats: see Table 3.6

Table 10.9 Plant habitat groups at Home Ground

wet places: marsh, by or in ditches or streamsides			
bankside/boggy places		aquatics	
<i>Carex vulpina</i> (W)	True Fox-sedge	<i>Alisma plantago-aquatica</i> (W)	Water Plantain
<i>Carex</i> spp (W)	Sedge	<i>Chara</i> spp (C)	Stonewort
<i>Eleocharis palustris / uniglumis</i> (W)	Spike-rush	<i>Lemna</i> spp (W)	Duckweed
<i>Juncus</i> spp (CW)	Rush	<i>Potamogeton</i> spp (W)	Pondweed
<i>Lycopus europaeus</i> (W)	Gipsywort	<i>Ranunculus</i> subg. <i>Batrachium</i> (W)	Water Crowfoot
<i>Mentha</i> spp (W)	Water Mint		
<i>Ranunculus lingua</i> (W)	Greater Spearwort		
<i>Ranunculus sceleratus</i> (W)	Celery-leaved Buttercup	brackish indicators	
<i>Rorippa nasturtium-aquaticum</i> (W)	Water-cress	** <i>Carex flacca</i> (W)	Glaucous Sedge
<i>Typha</i> spp (W)	Bulrush		
dry pasture/rough grassy places/fields		meadows/damp pasture	
*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle	** <i>Carex flacca</i> (W)	Glaucous Sedge
** <i>Heracleum sphondylium</i> (W)	Hogweed	<i>Carex hirta</i> (W)	Hairy Sedge
<i>Lathyrus / Vicia</i> spp (C)	Vetch	** <i>Conium maculatum</i> (W)	Hemlock
<i>Leontodon</i> spp (W)	Hawkbit	** Poaceae indet (CW)	Grass
** <i>Odontites / Euphrasia</i> (C)	Bartsia/Eyebright	<i>Potentilla anserina</i> (W)	Silverweed
<i>Poa / Phleum</i> spp (C)	Meadow-grass/Cat's-tail	<i>Ranunculus acris / repens / bulbosus</i> (W)	Meadow/ Creeping/ Bulbous Buttercup
** <i>Plantago major</i> (CW)	Greater Plantain		
Poaceae (CW)	Grasses		
<i>Rumex acetosella</i> (M)	Sheep's Sorrel		
<i>Torilis</i> spp (W)	Hedge-parsley		
<i>Trifolium / Medicago</i> (CM)	Clover/Medick		

(table continued)

Table 10.9 (cont.) Plant habitat groups at Home Ground

waste/disturbed/arable ground		cornfields	
<i>Aethusa cynapium</i> (W)	Fool's Parsley	<i>Anthemis cotula</i> (C)	Stinking Chamomile
<i>Atriplex</i> spp (CW)	Orache	<i>Chrysanthemum segetum</i> (W)	Corn Marigold
<i>Brassica</i> / <i>Sinapis</i> / <i>Raphanus</i> spp (CM)	Mustard/Rape/Cole etc		
<i>Cerastium</i> spp (W)	Chickweed		
<i>Chenopodium ficifolium</i> (W)	Fig-leaved Goosefoot	cultivated/of economic importance	
<i>Chenopodium</i> spp (M)	Goosefoot	<i>Anethum graveolens</i> (W)	Dill
*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle	<i>Avena</i> sp (C)	Oat
** <i>Conium maculatum</i> (W)	Hemlock	<i>Hordeum</i> sp (C)	Barley
** <i>Odontites</i> / <i>Euphrasia</i> (C)	Bartsia/Eyebright	<i>Secale cereale</i> (C)	Rye
<i>Picris echioides</i> (W)	Bristly Oxtongue	<i>Triticum</i> sp (C)	Wheat
** <i>Plantago major</i> (CW)	Greater Plantain	<i>Vicia faba</i> (C)	Celtic/Horse Bean
** <i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> (W)	Bramble		
<i>Rumex</i> spp (CW)	Dock		
<i>Sonchus asper</i> (W)	Prickly Sow-thistle		
<i>Urtica dioica</i> (W)	Common nettle		
woodland/hedgerow/scrub			
<i>Ballota nigra</i> (W)	Black Horehound		
<i>Carex sylvatica</i> (W)	Wood-sedge		
*** <i>Cirsium arvense</i> (W)	Creeping Thistle		
<i>Corylus avellana</i> (C)	Hazel		
<i>Crataegus monogyna</i> (W)	Hawthorn		
** <i>Heracleum sphondylium</i> (W)	Hogweed		
Rosaceae (W)	Rose family		
** <i>Rubus</i> sect. <i>Glandulosus</i> (W)	Bramble		
<i>Sambucus nigra</i> (W)	Elder		
<i>Solanum dulcamara</i> (W)	Bittersweet		
<i>Stachys sylvatica</i> (W)	Hedge Woundwort		
Key			
** occurring in two habitat groups		*** occurring in three habitat groups	
C charred	M mineralised	W waterlogged	

Table 10.10 Charcoal from medieval contexts at Church Field and Home Ground (numbers of fragments identified)

context	<i>Alnus</i>	<i>Corylus</i>	<i>Fraxinus</i>	<i>Ilex</i>	Pomoideae	<i>Prunus</i>	<i>Quercus</i>	<i>Tilia</i>	bark (unidentified)
266	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–
297	2	2r	4h	1	6	–	10h, 1r	–	–
504	–	–	–	–	–	–	1h	–	1 (10mm thick)
505	–	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	–
519	–	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
521	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	–

Key: h = heartwood; r = roundwood (diameter <20mm)

Diatom Assessment for F.103 and F.128 (Puxton Church Field)

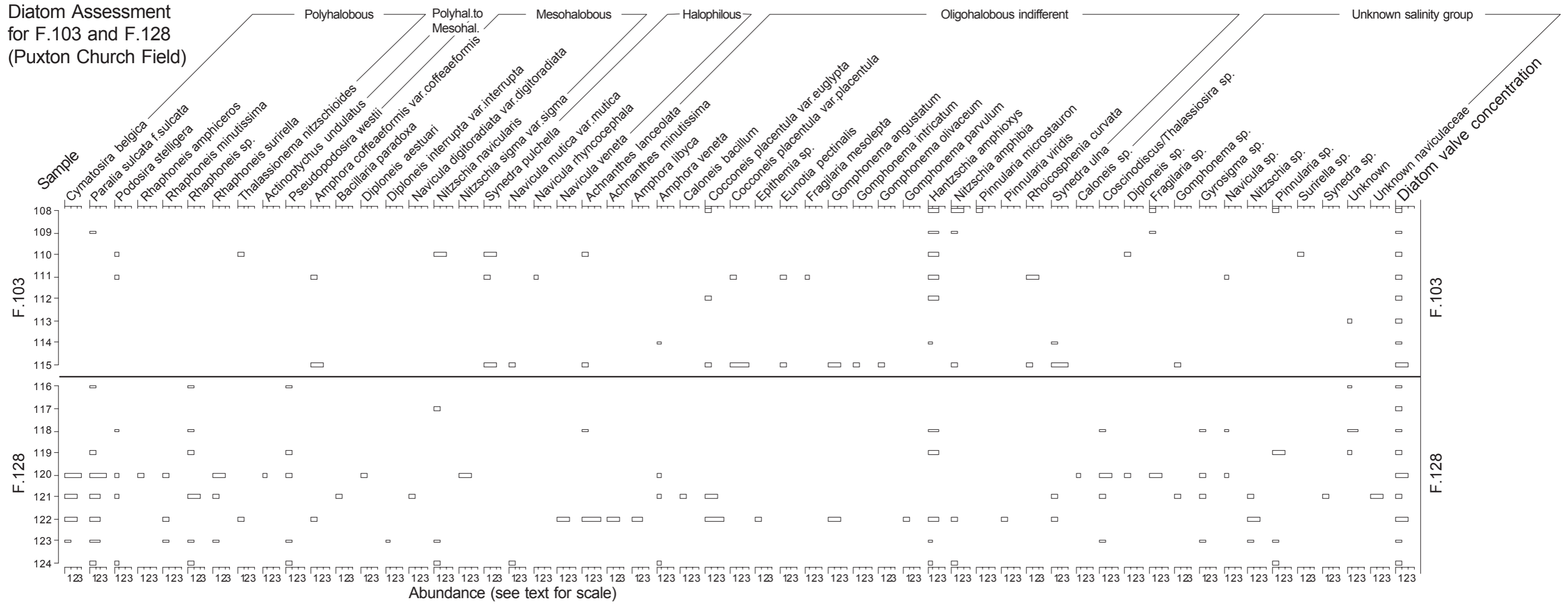


Figure 10.1 Diatoms from Church Field F.103 and F.128/F.140 (drawing by Nigel Cameron)

Table 10.11 Foraminifera from Church Field enclosure ditch F.103

depth from top of monolith tin)	context	number of tests >125µm in 10cm ³ wet sediment	species present and total	ecology of individual species
1–2cm	107	4	<i>Ammonia beccarii</i>	1 brackish–marine
			<i>Haynesina germanica</i>	3 brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat
			<i>Haynesina germanica</i>	5 brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat
8–9cm	107	8	<i>Ammonia beccarii v. limnetes</i>	2 brackish–marine
			<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i>	1 brackish, mid/low marsh
			<i>Haynesina germanica</i>	9 brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat
13–14cm	134	18	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i>	6 brackish, mid/low marsh
28–9cm	134	1	<i>Ammonia beccarii</i>	3 brackish–marine
32–3cm	163	0		
38–9cm	163	29	<i>Ammonia beccarii v. limnetes</i>	13 brackish–marine
			<i>Haynesina germanica</i>	7 brackish, mid/low marsh–mudflat
			<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i>	9 brackish, mid/low marsh

Table 10.12 Foraminifera from Church Field boundary ditch F.128

depth (from top of monolith tin)	context	number of tests >125µm in 10cm ³ wet sediment	species present and total	ecology of individual species present
7.5–8.5cm	144	0		
17.5–18.5cm	144	2	<i>Ammonia beccarii v. limnetes</i>	1 brackish–marine
			<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i>	1 brackish, mid/low marsh
28.5–29.5cm	150	3	<i>Ammonia beccarii v. limnetes</i>	2 brackish–marine
			<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i>	1 brackish, mid/low marsh
36–7cm	152	1	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i>	1 brackish, mid/low marsh
47–8cm	152	0		

Table 10.13 Foraminifera from Home Ground boundary ditch F.267.
Depth are below present ground surface

depth	context	number of forams in 10cm ³ wet sediment	species present	ecology of species present
100cm (4.18m OD)	268	<10	<i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Ammonia beccarii</i>	brackish, intertidal flats brackish, intertidal flats brackish–marine
110cm (4.08m OD)	285	<10	<i>Elphidium williamsoni</i>	brackish, intertidal flats
120cm (3.98m OD)	285	<10	<i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Elphidium williamsoni</i> <i>Brizalina sp.</i> <125u	brackish, intertidal flats brackish, intertidal flats marine inner shelf
130cm (3.88m OD)	285	<10	<i>Haynesina germanica</i> <i>Ammonia beccarii</i> Agglutinated sp.	brackish, intertidal flats brackish–marine high marsh

Table 10.14 Mollusca from Puxton Dolemoor, Church Field and Home Ground, nomenclature following Kerney (1999)

Feature (context)	Dolemoor		Church Field					Home Ground				321
	(361)	F.311 (373)	F.156 (157)	F. 128 (152)	F.135 (131)	F. 140 (141)	F.103 (134)	F.308 (323)	F.267 (285)	F.265 (280)	F.209 (230)	
<i>Valvata cristata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
<i>Valvata macrostoma</i>	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Valvata piscinalis</i>	1	-	-	5	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-
<i>Hydrobia ventrosa</i>	48	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	13	2	300+
<i>Hydrobia ulvae</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	50
<i>Ovatella myosotis</i>	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Aplexa hypnorum</i>	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Bithynia tentaculata</i>	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
<i>Lymnaea palustris</i>	-	5	-	1	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	-
<i>Lymnaea truncatula</i>	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	8	-
<i>Lymnaea peregra</i>	-	24	-	32	-	15	33	3	13	-	9	-
<i>Anisus leucostoma</i>	6	56	-	63	-	200+	90	2	200+	-	82	-
<i>Bathyomphalus contortus</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
<i>Gyraulus albus</i>	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Gyraulus crista</i>	1	32	-	6	-	500+	41	-	-	-	4	-
<i>Planorbis planorbis</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-
Succineidae	-	3	59	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	3	-
<i>Carychium minimum</i>	-	-	-	20	-	10	11	1	-	-	4	-
<i>Carychium tridentatum</i>	-	-	-	7	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-
<i>Cochlicopa lubrica</i>	-	-	-	17	-	4	45	-	23	-	8	-
<i>Vertigo pygmaea</i>	-	-	-	3	-	-	4	1	2	-	1	-
<i>Pupilla muscorum</i>	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
<i>Vallonia costata</i>	-	-	-	7	1	5	24	6	3	-	16	-
<i>Vallonia excentrica</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-
<i>Vallonia</i> sp.	15	-	-	-	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Discus rotundatus</i>	-	-	-	37	4	1	-	-	-	-	17	-
<i>Vitrea</i> spp.	-	-	-	22	-	-	25	-	5	-	3	-
<i>Nesovitrea hammonis</i>	-	-	-	3	-	4	-	2	2	2	2	-
<i>Aegopinella nitidula</i>	-	-	-	6	-	-	49	-	22	-	39	-
<i>Oxychilus cellarius</i>	-	-	-	11	-	9	10	-	2	-	4	-
<i>Cecilioides acicula</i>	-	-	-	34	-	-	2	-	4	1	-	-
<i>Clausilia bidentata</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
<i>Trichia hispida</i>	-	-	-	7	1	39	41	2	72	1	117	-
<i>Helix aspersa</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	7	-

Table 10.15 Marine shellfish from Church Field and Home Ground

feature	context	date	<i>Littorina littorea</i>	<i>Patella vulgata</i>	<i>Ostrea edulis</i>	<i>Cardium edule</i>	<i>Mytilus edulis</i>	<i>Venus striatula</i>
CHURCH FIELD								
F.518	519	C11th–12th			1			
F.526	527	C11th–12th			3			
	528	C11th–12th			12			
F.531	522	C11th–12th			2			
F.103	108	C12th–13th	1					
F.115	116	C12th–13th	12		2			
F.119	120	C12th–13th			5			
F.128	130	C12th–13th			5			
	132	C12th–13th	1		1			
	144	C12th–13th			1			
F.135	131	C12th–13th	27	1	4			
	149	C12th–13th	10		2			
F.154	155	? C12th–13th	1	1				
F.510	517	C12th–13th	2	1	2			
	525	C12th–13th	2					
occupation layers	106/118	C12th–13th	19		7			
	121	C12th–13th	1					
	133	C12th–13th	2		1			
	151	C12th–13th	6		2			
	504	C12th–13th	2	1	2			
	505	C13	3		1			
F.140	109	C17th–18th	2	2	1			
	141	C17th–18th	2					
HOME GROUND								
F.203	279	C12th–13th			1			
'garden soil'	213	C14 th –15th			1			
	245	C14 th –15th			1			
Occupation layer	353	C16 th			1		1	
F.207	208	C16 th –18 th					1	
F.203	233	C17 th –18 th			1			
F.209	230	C17 th –18 th			1			
F.308	309	C17 th –18th	2		21	2	20	
	323	C17 th –18th			2		34	
occupation layer	211	C17 th –18 th		1				
	222	C17 th –18 th		1	2			
topsoil	350	–		2 (s)	12	1	1	1

Table 10.16 Identifications of large mammal bone by species and element for Church Field (all contexts) given as NISPs with species totals also given in form of MNEs and MAUs

element	<i>Bos</i>	<i>Ovicaprid</i>	<i>Sus</i>	<i>Equus</i>	<i>Capreolus</i>	<i>Canis</i>	<i>Felis</i>	<i>Lepus</i>
Horn Core/Antler	6	0	–	–	1	–	–	–
Maxilla	5	7	30	0	0	1	0	0
Mandible	27	21	31	0	1	0	2	1
Occipitus	4	0	0	2	0	1	0	0
Atlas	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Axis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scapula	9	6	13	1	0	0	0	0
P. Humerus	12	3	5	1	0	0	2	2
D. Humerus	25	9	19	1	0	1	4	1
P. Radius	11	16	6	1	3	0	1	0
D. Radius	7	12	3	1	1	0	1	0
Ulna	10	0	9	0	1	1	0	1
P. Metacarpal	7	11	10	1	0	0	0	0
D. Metacarpal	7	6	6	1	0	0	0	0
Pelvis	16	7	4	0	0	0	3	0
P. Femur	13	8	6	0	0	1	0	0
D. Femur	14	5	4	0	0	1	0	1
P. Tibia	11	13	9	0	1	0	0	2
D. Tibia	12	21	5	0	1	1	0	2
Astragalus	8	3	5	2	0	0	0	0
Calcaneum	9	1	6	0	0	0	0	3
P. Metatarsal	0	6	10	0	0	0	0	1
D. Metatarsal	5	7	7	0	0	1	0	0
1st Phalange	15	3	11	0	0	0	0	1
2nd Phalange	9	0	4	1	0	0	0	0
3rd Phalange	5	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NISP	248	167	209	12	9	8	13	15
TOTAL MNE	232	159	197	12	9	8	13	15
TOTAL MAU	215.25	157	166.5	13.5	9	8.25	13	13.375

Table 10.17 Identifications of large mammal bone by species and element for Church Field (medieval contexts) given as NISPs with species totals also given in form of MNEs and MAUs

element	<i>Bos</i>	<i>Ovicaprid</i>	<i>Sus</i>	<i>Equus</i>	<i>Capreolus</i>	<i>Canis</i>	<i>Felis</i>	<i>Lepus</i>
Horn Core/Antler	6	0	–	–	1	–	–	–
Maxilla	4	6	23	0	0	0	0	0
Mandible	25	18	24	0	1	0	1	0
Occipitus	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
Atlas	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Axis	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scapula	9	6	11	0	0	0	0	0
P. Humerus	9	3	3	0	0	0	2	1
D. Humerus	16	9	14	0	0	0	4	1
P. Radius	9	12	4	1	3	0	1	0
D. Radius	6	8	2	1	1	0	1	0
Ulna	10	0	8	0	1	1	0	1
P. Metacarpal	6	7	10	1	0	0	0	0
D. Metacarpal	5	5	5	1	0	0	0	0
Pelvis	13	5	3	0	0	0	3	0
P. Femur	11	7	5	0	0	1	0	0
D. Femur	11	4	3	0	0	1	0	1
P. Tibia	8	12	5	0	1	0	0	1
D. Tibia	10	16	2	0	1	0	0	1
Astragalus	7	3	3	2	0	0	0	0
Calcaneum	8	1	4	0	0	0	0	2
P. Metatarsal	0	3	9	0	0	0	0	0
D. Metatarsal	3	5	7	0	0	1	0	0
1st Phalange	15	2	10	0	0	0	0	0
2nd Phalange	7	0	3	1	0	0	0	0
3rd Phalange	5	1	5	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NISP	207	134	164	8	9	5	12	8
TOTAL MNE	197	130	157	6	9	5	12	8
TOTAL MAU	177.75	128.75	129	6.5	9	5.25	12	8

Table 10.18 Identifications of large mammal bone by species and element for Home Ground (medieval contexts) given as NISPs with species totals also given in form of MNEs and MAUs

element	<i>Bos</i>	<i>Ovicaprid</i>	<i>Sus</i>	<i>Equus</i>	<i>Dama</i>	<i>Canis</i>	<i>Felis</i>
Horn Core/Antler	0	0	0	–	0	–	–
Maxilla	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mandible	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Occipitus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Atlas	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Axis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scapula	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
P. Humerus	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
D. Humerus	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
P. Radius	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Radius	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ulna	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
P. Metacarpal	1	2	2	0	0	0	0
D. Metacarpal	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pelvis	2	2	4	0	0	0	0
P. Femur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Femur	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
P. Tibia	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
D. Tibia	1	2	3	0	0	0	0
Astragalus	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Calcaneum	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
P. Metatarsal	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
D. Metatarsal	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
1st Phalange	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2nd Phalange	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
3rd Phalange	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NISP	20	16	17	0	0	0	0
TOTAL MNE	20	16	17	0	0	0	0
TOTAL MAU	19.5	16	14.5	0	0	0	0

Table 10.19 Identifications of large mammal bone by species and element for Home Ground (post-medieval contexts) given as NISPs with species totals also given in form of MNEs and MAUs

element	<i>Bos</i>	<i>Ovicaprid</i>	<i>Sus</i>	<i>Equus</i>	<i>Dama</i>	<i>Canis</i>	<i>Felis</i>
Horn Core/Antler	0	0	0	–	0	–	–
Maxilla	0	1	3	0	0	0	0
Mandible	2	0	2	0	0	0	2
Occipitus	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Atlas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Axis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scapula	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
P. Humerus	2	3	5	0	0	0	0
D. Humerus	4	7	7	0	0	0	0
P. Radius	3	3	4	0	0	0	0
D. Radius	3	0	2	0	0	0	0
Ulna	0	0	7	0	0	0	1
P. Metacarpal	2	2	1	0	0	0	0
D. Metacarpal	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pelvis	5	3	0	0	0	0	0
P. Femur	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. Femur	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
P. Tibia	2	2	2	1	0	0	0
D. Tibia	2	7	5	0	0	0	0
Astragalus	2	2	1	0	0	0	0
Calcaneum	3	0	3	0	0	0	0
P. Metatarsal	2	2	1	0	0	1	0
D. Metatarsal	5	2	1	0	0	1	0
1st Phalange	5	1	1	0	1	0	0
2nd Phalange	8	0	2	1	0	0	0
3rd Phalange	2	1	2	0	0	0	0
TOTAL NISP	64	39	50	2	1	2	3
TOTAL MNE	63	38	48	2	1	2	3
TOTAL MAU	53.5	36.5	42.75	1.5	0.25	0.5	3

Table 10.20 Bird bone from Church Field

feature	context	stork	goose	mallard/ domestic duck	other ducks	fowl	crane	heron	waders	raptors	pigeons	raven	other corvid	passerine	unident.	totals
topsoil	100	-	1	-	2	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	6	14
"	101	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	3	6
17th/18th century																
F.128	109	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	10
"	129	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
F.140	141	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
12th/13th century																
F.115	116	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8
F.119	120	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.122	123	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	4
F.128	150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
F.135	131	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	1	10	1	-	-	-	1	17
"	136	-	-	-	-	5	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	12
"	145	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.135	149	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
F.510	511	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	6
"	517	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4
F.512	513	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
F.518	519	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.520	521	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
"	533	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4
F.526	527	-	2	2	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	12
"	528	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
occupa- tion layer	106	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	7
"	118	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	5
"	133	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	4
"	151	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	5
"	504	-	1	4	2	7	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	20
"	505	-	-	5	2	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	11
	Total	1	11	15	11	42	2	1	6	37	1	4	4	2	28	165
	%	0.6	6.7	9.1	6.7		1.2	0.6	3.6		0.6	2.4	2.4	1.2	17	
% goose, duck and fowl																68

stork	cf. white, <i>Ciconia ciconia</i>
goose	domestic goose or greylag, <i>Anser anser</i>
domestic duck or mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>
other duck	cf. wigeon, <i>Anas penelope</i> , and teal, <i>Anas crecca</i>
fowl	domestic fowl
crane	<i>Grus grus</i>
heron	grey heron, <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
waders	cf. woodcock, <i>Scolopax rusticola</i> , and smaller waders
raptors	cf. buzzard, <i>Buteo buteo</i> , goshawk, <i>Accipiter gentilis</i> , and marsh harrier, <i>Circus aeruginosus</i>
raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>
corvid	cf. rook/crow, <i>Corvus corone / frugilegus</i> , and jay, <i>Garrulus glandarius</i>
passerine	songbirds of thrush and sparrow size

Table 10.21 Bird bone from Home Ground

feature	context	goose	m/dom. duck	fowl	turkey	raptors	owl	corvid	passerine	unident.	Totals
topsoil	201	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
17th/18th century											
F.203	204	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.205	206	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
	227	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2
F.209	210	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.207	215	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
F.308	309	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	5
-	221	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
14th-16th century											
F.203	264	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
F.312	313	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
353	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
12th/13th century											
F.243	244	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.265	266	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.267	268	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
F.304	305	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
	Total	3	1	7	1	1	3	1	1	3	21
	%	14.3	4.8	33.3	4.8	4.8	14.3	4.8	4.8	14.3	
% goose, duck and fowl		27.3	9.1	63.6							11

Table 10.22 Minimum Number of Individuals of small mammals by phase at Church Field and Puxton

species	common Name	Church Field			Home Ground	
		C12-C13	C17-C18	topsoil	C12-C13	C17-C18
<i>Mus musculus</i>	House mouse	2	-	-	-	-
<i>Apodemus</i> sp.	Wood mouse	2	-	-	1	-
<i>Microtus agrestis</i>	Field vole	2	1	-	-	4
<i>Arvicola terrestris</i>	Water vole	1	-	-	-	2
<i>Sorex araneus</i>	Common shrew	2	-	-	2	1
<i>Talpa europaea</i>	Mole	-	-	1	-	-
<i>Erinaceus europaeus</i>	Hedgehog	-	-	1	-	-

Table 10.23 Taxonomy of the small mammal species identified from the upper fill of ditch F.205 (context 227)

class	order	family	species	common names	
Mammalia	Rodentia	Cricetidae	<i>Microtus agrestis</i>	Field vole, Short-tailed vole	
			<i>Clethrionomys glareolus</i>	Bank vole	
			<i>Arvicola terrestris</i>	Water vole	
		Muridae	<i>Micromys minutus</i>	Harvest mouse, Red mouse	
			<i>Mus musculus</i>	House mouse	
			<i>Apodemus</i> sp.	Wood mouse and/or yellow-necked mouse	
			<i>Rattus</i> sp.	Rat	
		Insectivora	Soricidae	<i>Sorex araneus</i>	Common shrew
				<i>Sorex minutus</i>	Pygmy shrew
			Talpidae	<i>Talpa europaea</i>	Mole
Amphibia	Anura	Ranidae	<i>Rana temporaria</i>	Common frog	
			<i>Rana</i> sp.		

Table 10.24 MNI of mammal species identified from the small mammal cranial material from the upper fill of ditch F.205 (context 227)

species	skull			mandible		MNI
	'whole'*	right side	left side	right	left	
Field vole (<i>Microtus agrestis</i>)	5	1	1	13	13	13
Bank vole (<i>Clethrionomys glareolus</i>)	1	–	1	3	3	3
Water vole (<i>Arvicola terrestris</i>)	1	–	–	–	1	1
Unidentified voles	68	–	3	56	58	71
Harvest mouse (<i>Micromys minutus</i>)	–	–	1	–	–	1
House mouse (<i>Mus musculus</i>)	–	1	2	2	2	2
Wood mouse (<i>Apodemus</i> sp.)	–	10	10	2	9	10
Rat (<i>Rattus</i> sp.)	–	–	–	1	–	1
Unidentified Murinae	–	–	–	1	2	2
Common shrew (<i>Sorex araneus</i>)	7 + 29	7	14	62	57	62
Pygmy Shrew (<i>Sorex minutus</i>)	5	–	–	3 + 2	2 + 5	8
Mole (<i>Talpa europaea</i>)	–	–	–	1	–	1
Unknown ?insectivore	–	–	–	1	–	1
Total small mammal Fauna						176

* 'Whole' skulls refers to specimens where the snout and palate region was in one piece, even if the cranium was broken or missing. Where two figures are given, the first represents larger ('adult') specimens and the second is smaller ('juvenile') specimens.