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Estimated

~~Range~~ Average ⁿⁿ annual rainfall varies from less than 10 in (254 mm) at ~~the west~~ Kaulaikaiki point, the west end of Kaho 'olawe to slightly more than 25 in (635 mm) at ~~the summit of~~ Looe Malika. The ^{dominant} ~~major~~ vegetation in the island includes the exotic koa (Prosopis pallida) tree and various grasses, including pili ~~grass~~ (Heteropogon contortus), an indigenous species of grass that was used by the ancient Hawaiians ~~for~~ as thatching material.

~~Feature 109A~~

About one-quarter of the surface of Kaho 'olawe (7,750 acres or c. 3136 ha.) has been ~~severely eroded~~ ^{severe} subjected to ~~erode~~ erosion. ~~This portion of the island, which is~~ The eroded area, centers in the ^{southeast} ~~south east~~ quadrant of the island, with extensive

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Feature 109A, like most of the features of central Kulu is ~~an~~ ^{erroneously} ~~labeled~~ ^{physically} ~~as~~ ^{stratigraphic} ~~the~~ ^{context} ~~of~~ ^{the} ~~soil~~ ⁱⁿ ~~which~~ ^{that} once formed the context of Feature 109A has been totally ~~er~~ eroded away, leaving the ~~material~~ ~~degradable~~ ~~non~~ ^{degradable} non-perishable items on the hardpan. Most of these items are of stone, though ~~and~~ it is ~~with~~ though a few of them are ~~shell~~ mollusc shells also remain. It is likely that many of these decay and erosion have ~~undoubtedly~~ ~~long~~ ~~been~~ removed perishable items

Various processes of ~~de~~ decay have ^{archaeological} ~~been~~

Mining from the inventory of Feature 109A are those perishable items that have decayed and ~~these~~ ~~are~~ the non-perishable items that were light enough to have been removed by slope wash and ~~to a lesser extent~~ wind.

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Grid-lines were established by compass and tape. Each grid-square was assigned a letter and number designation indicating ^{its} direction and distance from ~~an~~ ~~origin~~ ~~the~~ origin point ~~for~~ ~~the~~ established arbitrarily near the center of the feature. The grid-square designations indicated ~~the first~~ ^{part} The first digit of the grid-square designation indicates whether it is north (N) or south (S) of the ~~the~~ origin point; the second indicates ~~how many~~ ^{the distance from the origin point} in ~~squares~~ ~~squares~~ 2x2 m squares; the third indicates whether it is east (E) or west (W) of the origin; and the fourth indicates the ~~the~~ distance from the origin point in 2x2 m squares. Thus, grid square N3W5 is ~~three squares~~ in the the third rank north

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of the origin point and the fifth row west of the origin point. ~~The location of~~

in ¹²³ ~~122~~ grid-squares
a total of 6813 items were recorded ~~at~~ during

the ~~was~~ investigation of Feature 107H. Of these, 1263 were fragments of metals, ^{all of} ~~all of~~ which, ^{evidently} ~~are presumed to have been~~ deposited ^{remains} ~~the~~ fragments of ordnance, deposited since 1941, when Kaho'olawe first became a target range.

The remaining 5650 were archaeological items, all of which ^{were evidently} ~~are assumed to have been~~ deposited during the

ancient Hawaiian use of the ~~site~~ feature. A total of

⁷⁵¹ ~~748~~ of these items were artifacts, that is, objects that were ^{worked} ~~used~~ ~~be shaped~~ by ~~the~~ man. The remaining 4402 items

~~are classified as "middots"~~ and include unworked

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beach stones, ^{marine} mollusc shells and ~~fragments~~ ^{shell} fragments
and ~~as well as~~ fragments of coral. All of the artifacts, as
well as the mollusc/shell and coral material and three
stones that appear to ~~have~~ be water-worn, were collected.
The remaining items were counted, ~~and~~ recorded according
to provenience and left in place. (See Table 1.)

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The flake scars may have been formed in 1472, or 1462 or any year between.

Hydration-rinds were measured on two different flake scars on ~~the~~ each of two artifacts from 109A, so that ~~is~~ a total of 56 dates-ranges ~~have~~ appear ~~in~~ table 2 and figure 1.

~~In addition~~ Five additional hydration rind measurements were attempted on ^{basaltic glass} samples from 109A. The range from one of these samples approximated 12,000 ^{B.P.} (Before Present) and may represent the original formation of the glass or an early natural fracture. No hydration rind could be

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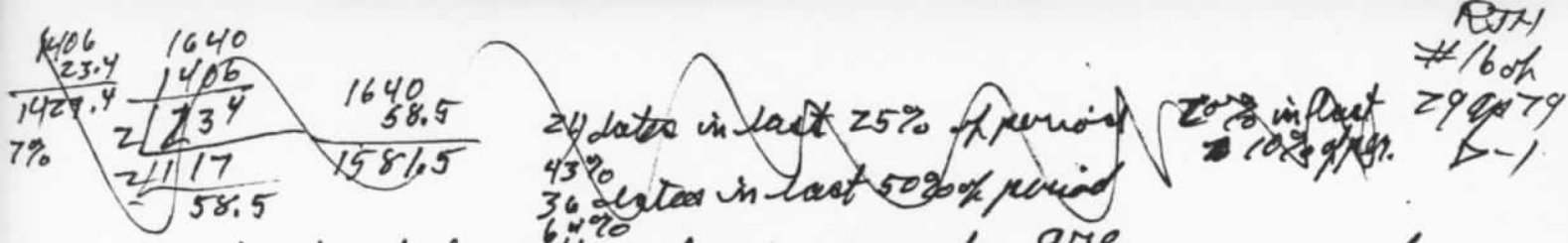
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detected on the other four samples analyzed.

The following discussion refers to the fifty-six hydration-rind ranges that ~~consistently reflect~~ provide a chronological framework for the use of Feature 109A.

The ~~56~~ basaltic glass hydration-rind dates from 109A are arranged ~~in~~ in chronological order of medians in Table 2 and in Figure 1.

The ~~figure~~ numbers along the bottom of Figure 1 correspond with ~~are~~ the sequential numbers that appear in the first ~~of~~ column of Table 2.



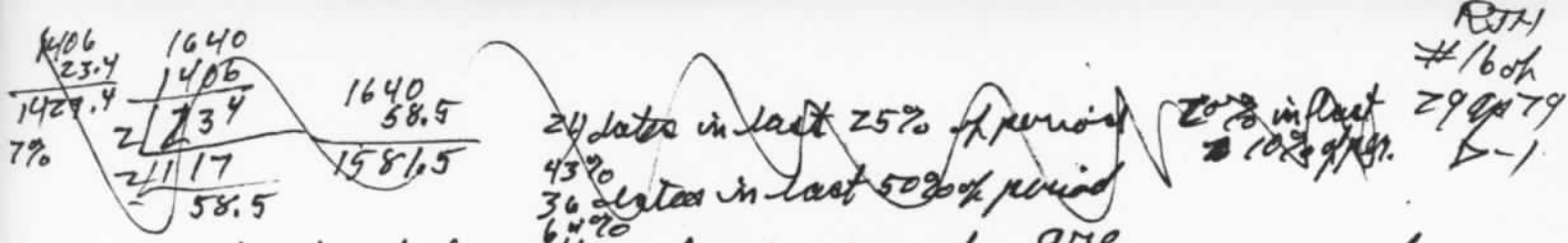
The dated Mesolithic glass samples ~~are recovered~~ are from eleven squares in the northeast quadrant of the features.

The dates range from A.D. 1406 ± 16 to 1640 ± 18 .

Twenty-one of the dated samples, including those with the earliest and latest dates, were recovered from square N1E2. The dated samples indicate a tendency toward more intensive occupation (or at least more

N1E2. The dated samples tend to ~~cluster~~ cluster increasingly toward the ~~late~~ late end of occupation at feature 109A, as is indicated in fig 1. For example, the last 10% of the indicated period of occupation of 109A yielded 20% of the dates

$\rightarrow$ 43% of the samples, ^{median date} date from the last 25% of the ~~total~~ total occupation span as indicated by the



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~~twenty per~~ $\rightarrow$ $\frac{43}{25}\%$ of the samples, ^{median date} date from the last $\frac{25}{10}\%$ of the ~~near~~ total occupation span as indicated by the

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sample medians; and fully 20% of the medians are found to date from the final 10% of the indicated ~~time~~ occupation span, as compared with only 7% during the first 10% of the span. The data in hand seems to indicate that the ~~amount of~~ intensity of working of bracteate glass increased with time at 109A, ~~until the~~ ~~This may not~~ and that this activity then ceased in the early 1600s. A possible ~~some~~ interpretation of these data is that use of 109A increased ~~gradually~~ ~~grew more intensive~~ intensified through two centuries and then, ~~the~~ the site was abandoned in the early 17th century. ~~Interpre~~ The significance of these data will be discussed in the Interpretations section at the end of this report.

Spatial Distribution of Cultural Items

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Analysis of the spatial distribution of cultural items in 1094 provides ^{valuable} information concerning the ancient use of this feature as well as the effects of ~~erosion on the~~ patterns of objects that ~~once~~ ^{were} ~~existed~~ ~~have been removed~~ ~~over the removal of the objects from their soil context~~ ~~by erosion~~ → the removal of these items from stratigraphic context and ^{their} subsequent movement by erosion, ~~as with these~~ These factors are, of course, essential for an understanding of ~~the all of the sites eroded and partly eroded sites~~ ~~the prehistory~~ → the nature ~~and history~~ of all of the eroded ~~and~~ ~~partly~~ sites ~~is~~ in the interior upland of Kaho'olawe, and to the prehistory of Kaho'olawe as a whole.

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The ~~distribution data~~ general patterns of distribution
~~concentrations~~
of unworked basalt, basaltic glass artifacts, basalt
artifacts and mollusk shells ~~are shown in~~ are summarized
in fig 2. The indicated hatching symbol appears in each
square that contains a number of items equal to or
greater than the mean per square for the whole feature.
Fifty squares (c. 41% of the total) contain one or more
symbols,

The hatched squares represent the following
data: 1) ~~39 37 or 72.2% of the 72.2%~~ 72.2% of
the unworked stones were secured in 39 of the 120

~~Figure may be summed~~

The general distribution

The concentrations of items shown in fig — may
be ~~summarized~~ summarized as follows:

- 1) ⁴⁷⁵⁹ Unworked basalt ^{stones} ^{were} distributed throughout 120 squares, and 3437 of these (72.2%) ^{occur} ~~were found~~ in the 39 ^{marked} ~~hatched~~ squares.
- 2) 626 basaltic glass artifacts ^{were} ~~occur~~ distributed throughout 63 squares, and 496 (79.2%) ~~occur~~ in the 18 ~~appropriately~~ ^{marked} ~~hatched~~ squares.
- 3) 125 basalt artifacts ^{are distributed throughout} ~~occur~~ in 56 squares, and 72 (57.6%) of these ^{occur} in the 15 ^{marked} ~~hatched~~ squares.
- 4) 131 mollusc shells and ^{shell} fragments ~~thereof~~ were distributed throughout 55 squares, and 82 (63%) of them occur in the 16 ^{marked} ~~appropriately hatched~~ squares.

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Two general patterns of concentration are readily
apparent in fig —. First, there is a ~~tendency for all items~~
four types of items, ^{tend} to concentrate in the northeast quadrant
of 109A₂. ~~extending along~~ ~~Second~~ ~~to unworked basalt~~ Second,
unworked basalt tends to be concentrated as well in ^{an area} ~~the~~
that extends from the
northwestern quadrant ~~and~~ into the southeast quadrant, in
a pattern ~~where~~ ^{where} in an area of the feature ~~with~~ few other
concentrations, ^{are found.} ~~on each of these areas patterns are~~
~~in a small area is a~~

Within each of these areas is a nucleus of unworked
Most of these stones are angular and are presumed to have been cracked by
basalt stones. ~~that probably represent~~ ^{exposure to heat. they are} ~~the~~ ^{remnant}
of large fireplaces or imms (underground ovens). Together,
in only 10 square (32%)
they contain nearly 1/3 of ~~the~~ all the unworked basalt
in the feature. Their ~~locations are indicated~~ and

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number of stones are ~~listed below~~: as follows:

Northwest nucleus:

square	N3W3:	296	stones
"	N2W4:	134	"
"	N2W3:	175	"
"	N1W3:	154	"
"	N1W2:	100	"
		859	" (18% of the total)

Northeast nucleus:

square	N3E2:	238	stones
"	N3E1:	100	"
"	N4E2:	117	"
"	N4E3:	113	"
"	N5E2:	100	"
		668	" (14% of the total)

~~None of the~~

~~Within the area of the northwest nucleus are no con-~~
~~centrations, neither~~
Square N3W3, which contains the greatest number
nor the other squares of the northwest nucleus
of unworked basalt stones in the feature, includes ~~any~~ other

items in greater than ~~average~~ ^{mean} quantity. Square N3E2
and the other four squares of the northeast nucleus,
on the other hand, contains greater than mean quantities of
both basaltic glass and basalt artifacts.



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Interpretations and Conclusions

On the basis of the mapping, dating and preliminary analyses certain tentative conclusions are possible regarding the nature of ~~site~~ feature 109A, its ~~an~~ archaeological context and its significance to an understanding of the archaeological pattern of the island.

History of the Feature.

~~Feature 109A~~ On the basis of presently available information, ~~feature 109A~~ ^{evidently is representative of} ~~it was occupied during~~ ~~feature 109A seems to represent~~ a major expansion ~~of~~ ^{into} ~~settlement~~ ^{inland} ~~out~~ of population, and greatly increased utilization of the ~~inland~~ ^{inland} ~~area~~ zone of Kaho'olawe. This expansion appears to have begun ~~around~~ around A.D. 1400 and the large scale use of interior sections appears to have been curtailed by ~~the~~ ^{the} mid 17th century (Hommon ms., ~~Statement~~ Statement of Significance, pp 22-23) around ~~1650~~. As noted previously, the occupation of

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feature 1094 neatly brackets this time period. The most
(NIEZ)
thoroughly dated square yielded both the earliest and latest
date ranges, as well as 19 dates distributed between them.
Neither these nor other data suggest ~~the~~ are sufficient
to suggest ~~shifting use of the~~ differential use of various
sections of the feature through time.

~~A major research question in Hawaiian archaeology
has been the degree of permanence~~

The degree of residential permanence in habitation

sites is a major question in Hawaiian archaeology &
~~This is a vital research topic first.~~
~~features since that because a large many habitation sites~~
appear to be too small and unsubstantial to have been
permanently occupied

This is a vital research topic ~~for~~ first because of the apparent

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discrepancy between the highly developed socioeconomic development
on the one hand and, on the other, the settlement pattern, which seems to ~~include~~
consist largely of small, insubstantial, and apparently temporary
habitation structures. ~~Secondly, the poor residential permanence~~
is essential to an understanding of ^{an accurate assessment of the degree of ancient} ~~the poor~~ residential permanence
^{a wide variety of variables} ~~of factors~~ such as economic
~~pattern~~ productivity, population density, and social ranking.

~~Given the range of more than a period of occupation~~
utilized over a span of
Given that feature 1094 was occupied for at least
200 years, the ~~duration~~ ^{utilization} of residential permanence
~~it seems~~ and that it gives the appearance of a

The present appearance of feature 1094, together with the
evidence ~~that it was~~ of utilization over a span of at
least 200 years ~~suggest that it may~~ ^{this evidence} provide data for
a consideration of residential permanence on ancient Kaho'olawe.

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Feature 109A, like nearly all other inland Kaho'olawe features, appears to be the remnant of ^a campsite or series of campsites, since it is relatively small ^{and} contains relatively little cultural material, ^(considering the 2 century span) and includes no evidence of stone structures. ~~It should be noted~~ Intermittent, rather than permanent occupation, then, seems ~~likely~~ the probable pattern at 109A.

~~Within~~ In the absence of chronological data

→ If no chronological information were available, ^{two or three} ~~a few~~ relatively short term ~~uses~~ uses of the feature ~~may~~ during a few decades. Distribution of ^{contents, ~~in~~ the feature} ~~and distribution~~ ^{contents, ~~in~~ the feature} ~~ex.~~ However, the overall ^{span} ~~range~~ of the basaltic glass chronological data, as well as the distribution of ^{sample} ~~data~~ ranges throughout ^{this} ~~the~~ overall

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^{span}
~~range~~ indicate numerous ^{occupations} ~~managers~~ of the site ~~each of~~
~~which may have been~~ separated from each other by
a considerable period of time. ~~Since~~ If the hypothesis
of intermittent use is accurate, then it is apparent that
the dated samples would represent ~~at least a minimum~~ ^{at least}
of six distinct ~~so~~ occupations of the ^{feature,} ~~site~~. ~~There may~~
~~These six uses of the site. The dates of these six site usages~~
~~can be determined by con~~

This minimum figure ~~is now~~ ^{is} arrived at by determining the
smallest number of ^{dates} ~~years~~ that would include some part
of the ranges of all dated samples. ~~These year dates~~
~~are 1422, 1448, 1500, 1539, and 1591 and 1625~~



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These year dates and the number of samples each may
be represented by ~~as~~ are as follows (See Fig 1):

(6)

I. A.D. 1422:	sample numbers 1-5, 7	(5 or 6 samples)
II. A.D. 1448:	" " 5, 6-11	(6 or 7 samples)
III. A.D. 1500:	" " 12-19	(7 or 8 ")
IV A.D. 1539:	" " 19-31	(12 or 13 ")
V A.D. 1591:	" " 32-42, 46, 50	(11 or 12 or 13 samples)
VI. A.D. 1625:	" " 39, 43-56	(12 or 13 or 14 samples).

If such a pattern ~~representations~~ were accurate, then use of the for

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Introduction

This is a preliminary report on Project 109A, the collection of cultural data from Feature A of archaeological site 20-97-109, on the island of Kaho'olawe, Hawaii. This project was conducted by the State of Hawaii under contract with the U.S. Navy during the first phase of the Kaho'olawe Cultural Resources Survey, an ongoing project sponsored by the U.S. Navy, which uses the island for training purposes. The survey is being conducted to identify and evaluate the cultural resources of Kaho'olawe, nearly all of which are ancient Hawaiian archaeological sites. In sponsoring the survey, the Navy is fulfilling its responsibilities under Federal Executive Order 11593 and the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966.

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Project 109A fieldwork was conducted from the 19th through the 23rd of November 1976 by a research team consisting of ^{principal investigator} Robert J. Hommon, Archaeologist ~~on the~~ of ~~staff~~ the Historic Sites Section, State Parks Division of the ~~the~~ State Department of Land and Natural Resources; Farley Watanabe, Historic Sites Specialist of the same office; Mawry Morgenstein, geologist and president of Hawaii Marine Research, Inc. (a private research firm); and Patrick McCoy, Archaeologist on the staff of the B. P. Bishop Museum.

The purpose of Project 109A was to record and preserve the cultural information available in Feature 109A through controlled recording, collection and

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analysis to provide a context within which to assess the nature and significance of the hundreds of similar features situated in the central uplands of Kaho'olawe.

Environmental Setting

Kaho'olawe is the smallest of the eight major Hawaiian Islands, being 45 ~~square miles~~ ^{km.} (c. 116 ~~square kilometers~~) in size. Its summit, Lua Makaika crater, is 1477 ~~ft~~ ^{ft} (c. 450 ~~meters~~) high. It is the most arid island both because ~~of~~ its low relief ~~reduces~~ limits orographic rainfall and because it is situated in the rain-shadow of 10,023 ~~ft~~ ^{ft.} (c. 3055 ~~meters~~ ^{m.}) Haleakala, the mountain that forms east Maui, 7 ~~miles~~ ^{km} (c. 11.3 ~~kilometers~~) to the north.

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to the north and west, is saprolitic hardpan, almost totally devoid of vegetation. Most of the eroded area is gently sloping land along the 750-ft. (c. 229m) contour that may be loosely ^{termed} the central plateau of the island.

Feature 109A

Feature 109A is situated on gently-sloping ~~the~~ (c. 7% grade) eroded land ~~at~~ ~~the~~ 6000 ft. (c. 1.83km) northeast of Kamohio Bay and 2100 ft. (600m) east of Kaneloa Gulch at about 1060 ft (c. 323m) elevation. Though liane trees and grasses can be found on nearby remnant hummocks of soil and in the gulches, no vegetation grows on the feature itself.

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The boundaries of Feature 109A were determined by the
~~Feature 109A~~
concentration of archaeological items lying on the surface
of the hardpan. These items include ~~stone~~ artifacts of basalt
and basaltic glass, ~~unworked~~ ~~pieces~~ pieces of unworked
and coral, and
basalt, mollusc shells; ~~and~~ A sparse scatter of ~~such~~
archaeological ~~items~~
items could be found downlope (southeast)

from the feature. for a distance of more than 100
meters. Most of these items ~~have~~ probably have been
transported by slope wash. The Feature itself measures
(northwest-southeast)
approximately 22 m, ~~(NE-SW)~~ by 31 m ~~(NW-SE)~~

(northwest-southeast). ~~Although~~ The northwest-
southeast dimension ~~has been~~ of the Feature ~~has been~~
~~is undoubtedly~~ apparently has been elongated by

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movement of archaeological material by slopewash
The clearly discernible concentration of ~~them~~ cultural
archaeological items that forms the and hundreds of
similar features, as well as the differential distribution
of items within the features support the conclusion that
spatial patterns within the features have not been
destroyed by the removal of their soil ~~cover~~ matrix,
but rather ~~distorted~~ horizontally distorted.

Method

Within the boundaries of the Feature, a 2 by 2
oriented with magnetic compass directions
meter grid was established to provide horizontal
control for recording and collection.

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Chronological Data

A total of 54 basaltic glass items ~~was~~ collected from Feature 109A (8.63% of the total) were subjected to hydration rind analysis to obtain chronological information concerning the occupation and use of the features. A hydration rind is a chemically altered zone of the basaltic glass that begins to form when a fresh surface is exposed to the atmosphere. ^{→ the thickness of the hydration rind,} ~~For ex. For. The hydration process~~ which expands ~~&~~ inward from the surface of the basaltic ~~is initiated, for example, when~~ ~~Most basaltic glass~~ glass, is related in a known way to the length of time ~~artifacts and debris. The approximate date of manufacture~~ that has passed since the ~~fresh~~ ~~surface~~ ~~fracture of each basaltic glass artifact~~ was exposed.

Because fresh surfaces are almost ~~&~~ always exposed

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1422 to 1462, during which the hydrator rind
being measured began to form. The flake scar
may have been formed in 1422, or 1462, or in
any years between these two dates. (cf. Morgenstein
and Riley 197⁴).

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~~The chro~~

It is apparent that ~~understood~~ feature 109~~t~~
was ~~used~~ ^{occupied} by individuals or small groups
of individuals at intervals of ~~as many as~~ 52
~~years~~ ranging up to as ^{long} ~~many~~ as 52 years.

The postulated six occupations listed above
are separated by an average of 40.6 years.

Today, the ^{feature} ~~site~~ and its environment
~~seem to~~ offer little evidence that would
explain its repeated re-use. No ~~stone~~
~~structure~~ evidence of stone structures, other
than probable fireplaces, were found.

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The feature appears never to have been situated on a prominent physiographic point. It is unlikely that a ~~stream~~ source of fresh water was nearby. ~~The hardpan rises slightly to the north and it is possible that the feature~~
The slight rise in the hardpan to the north probably ~~represents a similar~~ is the remnant of a ~~a~~ similar rise when ^{postulated} the soil mantle was intact in the 15th ~~century~~ and 16th centuries. This rise may have afforded some protection from

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the trade wind. ~~Trees or shrubs may~~
It might be speculated that trees or brush
provided more protection, yet there is ~~no reason~~
seems no reason why such vegetation would
grow here and not in the surrounding
area.

~~At present,~~

On the basis of presently available
concrete
evidence, ~~the~~ it ~~is~~ is reasonable to suggest
that a reason for the repeated use
of feature 109A was the presence there
of raw materials for the various

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activities that took place there. ~~For~~ For example, unworked basalt stones, used for lining and filling fireplaces and imur (underground ovens) ^{occur rarely} ~~are rarely seen~~ today on the landscape except ~~for~~ in archaeological features. It would be more convenient to ~~use the stones~~ ~~build a fireplace~~ → re-use the stones at 109A than to carry stones from ~~the~~ Kaneloa Gulch, ~~several hundred~~ the nearest source of naturally occurring stones. In a similar way cores and flakes of basalt and basaltic glass at 109A left by earlier uses of 109A ~~would~~

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may have been worked and utilized by
later inhabitants of the feature ← only if it was
if so, later?

~~The evidence~~

The following activities are evidenced
at Feature 109A:

- 1) the construction of fireplaces and/or
imms;
- 2) the consumption of the meat of
marine molluscs;
- 3) the working of basaltic glass; and
- 4) the working of basalt.

~~The probable functions of the fireplaces~~
~~include the production of heat and light and~~

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~~It is probable that the fires were for cooking
as well as the production of heat and light. ~~for~~~~

Most of the pieces of unworked basalt, both
vesicular and non-vesicular, are angular,
rather than rounded by erosion. Evidence
from a number of ~~other~~ Kaho'olawe features
demonstrate that the angular fractures were
caused by exposure to heat in fireplaces and
imu. The 109A fireplaces ~~and/or~~ ~~are~~ probably
served for cooking and the production of
light and heat. If imu were present, they were
used in baking.

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Neither the basaltic glass nor the basalt
samples have yet been analyzed for evidence
of use, but it is probable that at least some
of the flakes of both materials were used
as ^{implements}
~~for~~ at 109A, ~~for cutting and for scraping.~~
^{presence of}
The two basalt adz preforms from 109A
~~do~~ suggest that part of the adz-manufacturing
process may have taken place ^{here.} at 109A.
These ~~do~~ adz preforms were probably
carried from one ~~or more~~ of the
adz quarries in the vicinity of
Moaula, 1.3 to 2 m^{iles} northwest of 109A.

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It is of interest to note that 462 or about 74% of the basaltic glass items were identified in the field as cores rather than flakes. These data suggest that relatively few of the cores were ~~not~~ were worked at feature 1094, or that ~~many of~~ the majority of the flakes that were produced, ^{at 1094} were carried elsewhere for use. It is also possible that more flakes than cores have been ~~removed~~ ^{completely} ~~from~~ transported away from the site by overland sheetwash. In this regard, it should be noted that 70% of the cores occur

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in the northern ^{squares} ~~portion~~ of the feature,
while only ~~43~~ ⁴³ ~~of~~ ^{of} the flakes occur in
the same ~~portion~~ squares.

~~In conclusion, While a ~~var~~ variety of
activities ~~can be~~ ^{or strongly indicated} are demonstrated by the
materials from feature 1094, no direct evi-
dence for agricultural activities ~~are available~~
is available. Large scale agriculture ~~is~~
~~major hypothesis hypothesis at the base~~
A major hypothesis of the research design
of the Kaho Olanu survey is that the complex
and extensive
inland settlement pattern ~~was developed~~~~

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was based on the ~~utilization~~ agricultural use of this area. Sweet potato is ~~believed~~ ~~to be~~ postulated as the staple crop, and land ~~preparation~~ is believed to have been prepared by slash and burn techniques. (Tommon ms [1978] Statement of Significance, pp. 22-23, 31-32, ff.). While a variety of activities are demonstrated or strongly indicated by the materials from feature 109A, no direct evidence for agricultural activities is available at 109A.

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Table 1 PRELIMINARY INVENTORY OF MATERIALS FROM KHEWE 109 - Kaho'olawe Feature 109A

SQUARE	ARTIFACTS			OTHER ITEMS					METAL	Comments								
	Basaltic Glass		Worked Basalt	UNWORKED BASALT														
	Cores	Flakes		Total	Adz Fragments	Other	Total Artifacts	UN			WORKED	BASALT	Total	Mollusc Shells	Batteries	Photos (BW & Color)		
N1W1																		
N1W2																		
N1W3																		
N1W4																		
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N4W4																		
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N5W1																		
N5W2																		
N5W3																		
N5W4																		
N5W5																		

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Photos (BW & Color)

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Angular plates & metal in plastic bag

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PRELIMINARY INVENTORY OF MATERIALS FROM KHLWE 109

ARTIFACTS				UNWORKED BASALT										
Basaltic Glass			Worked Basalt	Total Artifacts	Non-Vesicular	Vesicular	Rounded	Water-Worn	Total	Mollusc Shells	Ratios	Metal	Photos (BW/C)	Comments
Cores	Flakes	Total												
N6W1			4	4	27				27	1		10	32 19	
N6W2			1	1	24				24			9	34 20	
N6W3					2				2			7	35 21	
N6W4												35+6	36 22	(6 buried under 2 m. vent)
N6W5												10+19	37 23	
N7W1					11		1		12			6	1 24	BW Red 3 / Beach Pebble
N7W2					7				7			9	2 25	
S1W1	4	4			136	8			144			11	3 26	
S1W2					67				67	1		8	4 27	
S1W3				1	64	3			67	2		17	5 28	2 buried under 2 m. vent
S1W4					38	11			49			11	5 29	BW # 2 / one of each wing, buried
S1W5				1	22	1			23			7	6 30	Subur / 3 and only 1 2 metal
S2W1					83	3			86			13	13 42	" / 1 wing, metal
S2W2				1	34	4			38	2		18	14 3	
S2W3					35	2			37	3		17	15 4	
S2W4					21	1			22	1		18	16 5	2 wing, metal
S2W5					11	2			13			14	17 6	
S2W6												1	1 7	
S3W1					26	2			28	1		11	18 7	1 wing, metal
S3W2					23				23	1		9	19 8	(complete thin) 13 wing, buried
S3W3				1	16	3			19	1		14	20 9	
S3W4					9	1			10	1		7	21	1 wing, complete thin
S3W5					6				6	1		7	22	
S4W1					22	4			26	1		11	21 10	

PRELIMINARY INVENTORY OF MATERIALS FROM KHLWE 109

SQUARE	ARTIFACTS				UNWORKED BASALT							Mollusc Shells	Ratios	Metal	Photos	Comments
	Basaltic Glass			Worked Basalt	Total Artifacts	Non-Vesicular	Vesicular	Rounded	Water Worn	Total						
	Cores	Flakes	Total													
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N1E2	35	10	45			62	1			63	7	1	10	23	12	
N1E3	25	5	30			36	1			37	2		10	24	13	
N1E4	6	2	8			10				10			11	25	14	
N1E5	5		5			12				12	2		17	26	15	
N1E6						8				8						
N2E1	25	5	30			67		4		67	7	1	11	27	16	also pre-mixular glassy scoria 10 BF detached 13 W.P. 4
N2E2	28	2	30			88				72	4	1	6	28	17	
N2E3	19	3	22			39				39	4		19	33	21	
N2E4	17		17			23	2			25	4		18	34	22	
N2E5						13				13			8+5	35	23	
N3E1	19	2	21			100				100		1	12	2	24	
N3E2	25	12	37			231	7			238			18	3	25	
N3E3	37	4	41			37	1			38	3	1	17	4	26	
N3E4	6		6			12				12			7	5	27	
N3E5	1		1			4	2			6	1		13+3	6	28	
N4E1	1		1			23				44			1	7	29	
N4E2	6	2	8			117				118	1		14	8	30	
N4E3	11	2	13			112				113		1	12	9	31	
N4E4						16				18						
N4E5						6				6			6	11	32	
N4E6						13				18			12	12	33	
N4E7	13	1	14			156				160			12	1		
N4E8	3	1	4			51				166			14	1		
N4E9																

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SQUARE	ARTIFACTS				UNWORKED BASALT							Mollusc Shells	Ratios	Metal	Photos	Comments
	Basaltic Glass		Unworked Basalt	Total Artifacts	Non-Vesicular	Vesicular	Rounded	W/ser-worm	Total							
	Cores	Flakes								Flakes	Cores					
N6E1	4	4	2	2	80					80	1		16	15		
N6E2	5	5			83					83	1		13	16		last two in pocket
N6E3					2					2			5			
N7E1					12					12						
N7E2					3					3			2			
N7E3					2					2			3			
N1W6			1	1	15					15			4			
N2W6					29					29			8			
N3W6			1	1	8					8			3			
N5W6					7					7			5			
N2W6					3					3			11			
N1W7					5					5			4			
N2W7					4					4			6			
S1E1	1	2	3	3	43	2				45	1		14	19		
S1E2	21	17	38	3	29	3				32	7		9	20		
S1E3	29	18	47	6	21	1				22	11		19	21		
S1E4	10	2	12		16					16	1		8	22		
S1E5	4	1	5		8					8			11	23		
S1E6	3	3	3	1	32					32			5	24		
S1E7					7					7			5			
S2E1					117					117	1		5			
S2E2				1	39	1				40	3		13	25		Basalt core removed (see 20-2)
S2E3	20	23	43	4	23	1				25	11		12	28		Basalt core removed (see 20-2)
S2E4	7	2	9	1	3					3	2		21	29		
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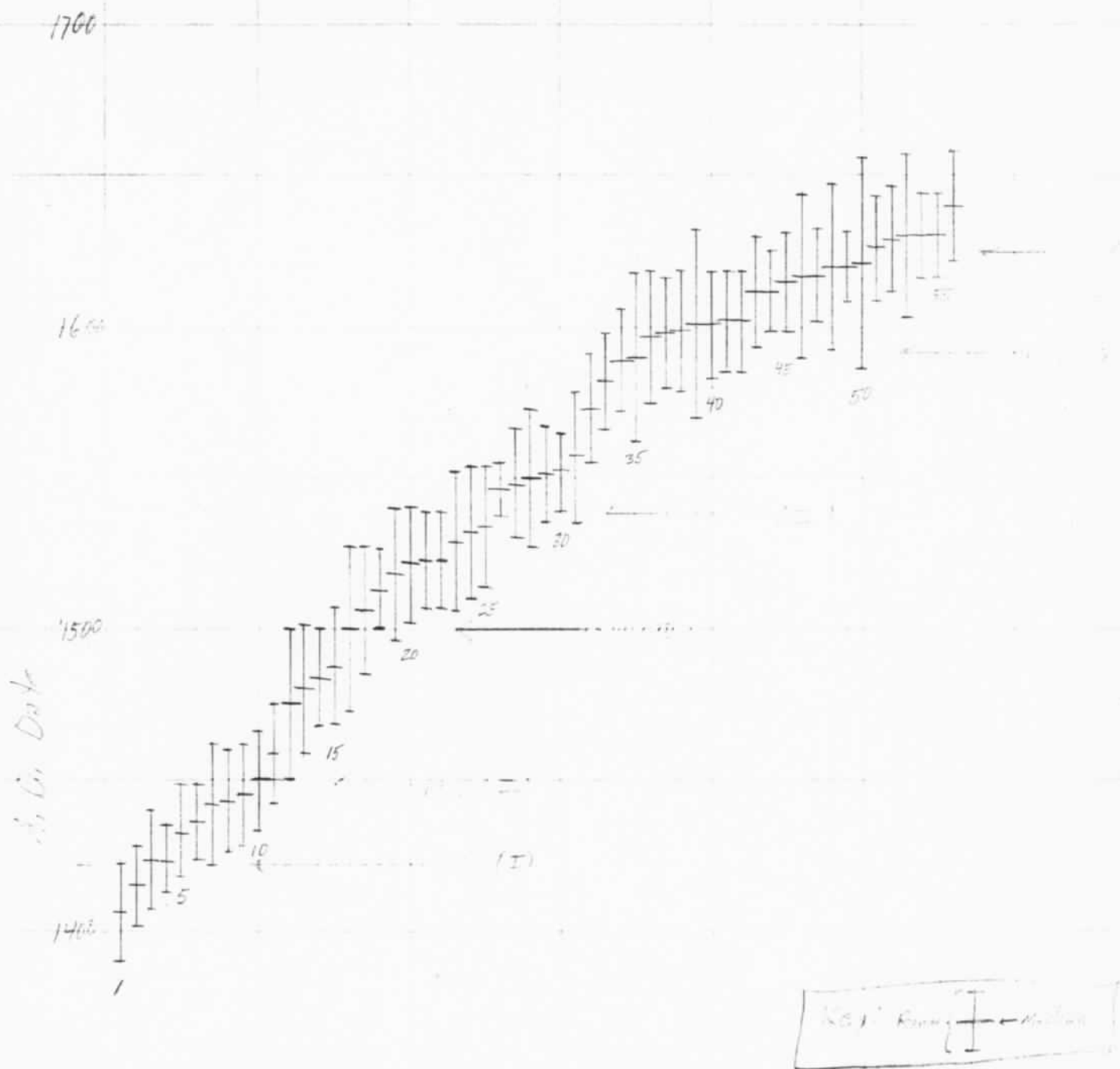
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SQUARE	ARTIFACTS				UNWORKED BASALT							Mollusc Shells	Ratios	Metal	Photos	Comments
	Basaltic Glass		Unworked Basalt	Total	Non-Vesicular	Vesicular	Rounded	Water-Worn	Total							
	Cores	Flakes								Flakes	Cores					
S2E5	3	2	5	1	1	11				11			25	30 21		
S2E6	1		1	1	1	26				26			7	31 22		
S2E7	2		2		1	17				17			15+3	—		Both cores large
S3E1	3	1	4		1	42	4			52	1		5	32 23		
S3E2	2		2		1	61	2			63			6	33 24		
S3E3	3	5	8	1	1	31	1			40	1	1	13	34 25		
S3E4	9	18	27	1	1	8	1			9	4		17	35 26		
S3E5						6				6			11	36 27		
S3E6	1		1			6				6			15+2	37 28	RW 10/15	
S4E1					1	24	2			26	1		12	2 29		1 side blank frag.
S4E2	3	1	4	2	2	47	1			48			10	3 30		
S4E3	1		1	3	3	70	1			71			7	4 31		
S4E4	2	4	6	1	1	6				6			0.7	5 32		
S5E1		1	1	3	3	29	3			32	1		12	6 33		
S5E2		1	1			22	1			23	2		9	7 34		
S5E3					1	28	3			31			10	—		
S5E4	1		1	1		16				16			5	—		
X56E1						8				8			9	—		
X56E2						10				10			6	—		
X56E3						21				21			8+1	—		
S57E3				2	2	10				10			7			
X58E1						15				15			11			
X58E4													6			
	3	34	37	X	X	17	11				1					

Temporary Sediment Basin

Figure 1
 Basaltic Glass Hydration Ring Medians
 Ranges from Kaho'olawe Feature 109A



Dated Basaltic-Glass Samples
 in chronological order

Basaltic Glass Hydration - Kind Dates
from Kaho'olawe Feature 109A

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Number	Median A.D. Date and $\pm$ Factor	Total A.D. Range	Grid Square	HMR No.	Comment
1	1406 $\pm$ 16	1390-1422	N1E2	999	
2	1415 $\pm$ 14	1401-1429	N3E2 (SW)	1040	
3	1424 $\pm$ 16	1408-1440	N1E4 (SE)	1042	
4	1424 $\pm$ 11	1413-1435	N1E2	996	
5	1433 $\pm$ 15	1418-1448	N1E3 (NW)	1007	
6	1436 $\pm$ 12	1424-1448	N1E2	995	
7	1442 $\pm$ 20	1422-1462	N3E2 (SW)	1043	
8	1443 $\pm$ 17	1426-1460	N2E2 (SW)	1029	
9	1445 $\pm$ 17	1428-1462	N3E4 (SW)	1031	
10	1450 $\pm$ 16	1434-1466	N2E2 (NE)	1035	
11	1459 $\pm$ 16	1443-1475	N1E3 (SW)	1009	
12	1475 $\pm$ 25	1450-1500	N1E2	991	
13	1480 $\pm$ 21	1459-1501	N1E1	987	
14	1484 $\pm$ 16	1468-1500	N1E2	974	
15	1488 $\pm$ 19	1469-1507	N3E3 (NE)	1032	
16	1500 $\pm$ 27	1473-1527	N1E3 (SE)	983	
17	1506 $\pm$ 21	1485-1527	N1E1	988	
18	1513 $\pm$ 13	1500-1526	N1E2	1000	
19	1518 $\pm$ 22	1496 1496-1540	N1E2	973	
20	1521 $\pm$ 19	1502-1540	N1E3 (NE)	1005	
21	1523 $\pm$ 16	1507-1539	N1E2 (NW)	980	
22	1523 $\pm$ 16	1507-1539	N2E2 (SW)	1025	

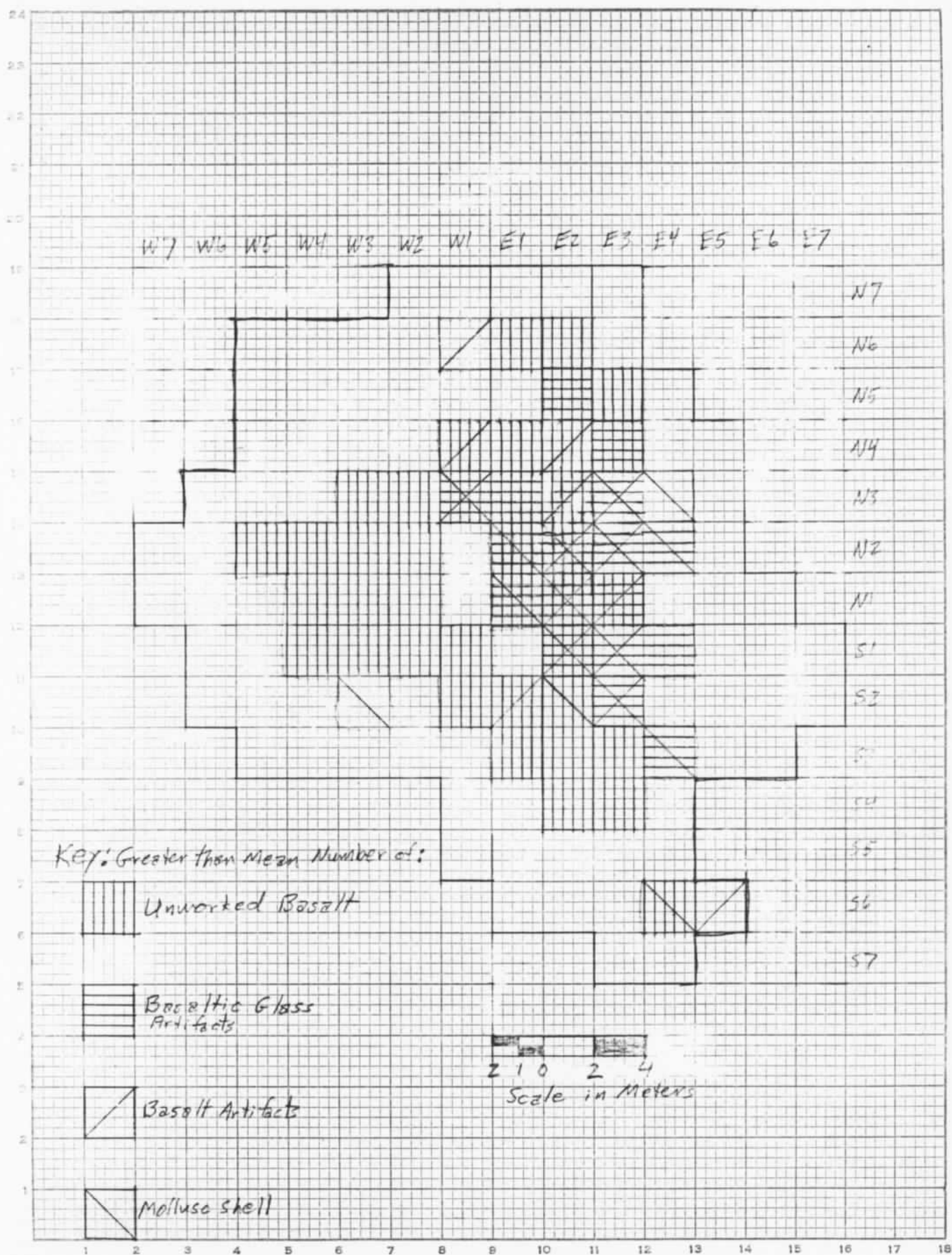
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Number	Median A.D. Date and ± Factor	Total A.D. Range	Grid Square	HMR No.	Comment
23	1529 ± 23	1506-1552	N2E1 (SW)	1038	
24	1532 ± 22	1510-1554	N1E1	985	
25	1534 ± 20	1514-1554	N1E3 (NE)	1004	
26	1546 ± 9	1537-1555	N1E2	997	
27	1548 ± 18	1530-1566	N1E2	979	
28	1550 ± 23	1527-1573	N4E3 (NW)	1028	
29	1551 ± 16	1535-1567	N1E2	994	
30	1552 ± 13	1539-1565	N1E2	1002	
31	1557 ± 22	1535-1579	N1E1	971	
32	1573 ± 18	1555-1591	N1E1	986	
33	1582 ± 16	1566-1598	N2E2 (SW)	1026	
34	1589 ± 17	1572-1606	N1E2	990	
35	1590 ± 28	1562-1618	N2E1 (SW)	1041	
36	1597 ± 22	1575-1619	N1E3 (SW)	981/2	One of two readings on sample
37	1598 ± 18	1580-1616	N1E2	976	
38	1599 ± 20	1579-1619	N1E3 (NW)	982/6	One of two readings on sample
39	1601 ± 31	1570-1632	N1E3 (NW)	982/2	One of two readings on sample
40	1601 ± 18	1583-1619	N1E2	1001	
41	1602 ± 17	1585-1619	N1E2	972	
42	1602 ± 17	1585-1619	N1E3 (SW)	981/6	One of two readings on sample
43	1612 ± 18	1594-1630	N1E1	989	
44	1612 ± 13	1599-1625	N5E2 (NE)	1027	

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Number	Median A.D. Date and ± Factor	Total A.D. Range	Grid Square	HMR. No.	Comment
45	1615 ± 16	1599-1631	NZE1 (NE)	1037	
46	1617 ± 27	1590-1644	N1E3 (SW)	1010	
47	1617 ± 15	1602-1632	NZE2 (NW)	1034	
48	1620 ± 27	1593-1647	N1E2	977	
49	1620 ± 11	1609-1631	N1E2	998	
50	1621 ± 35	1586-1656	N1E3 (NE)	1003	
51	1626 ± 17	1609-1643	N3E2 (SW)	1039	
52	1629 ± 17	1612-1646	N1E2	975	
53	1630 ± 27	1603-1657	N1E2	993	
54	1630 ± 14	1616-1644	NZE2 (SE)	1033	
55	1630 ± 14	1616-1644	N5E2	1030	
56	1640 ± 18	1622-1658	N1E2	978	
—	—	—	N1E3 (SW)	984	No Hydration Rind
—	—	—	N1E2	992	Hydration Rind Not Visible
—	—	—	N1E3 (NW)	1006	" " " "
—	—	—	N1E3 (SW)	1008	" " " "
			NZE2 (NE)	1036	12,000 B.P.: Geological Date.

Figure 2 Concentrations of Artifacts and Other Items in Kahaloa Trench 109A



Kāho'olawe Feature 109A
~~Scrap~~ Inventory
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- Basaltic Glass Cores	462	
Basaltic Glass Flakes	164	
Total Basaltic Glass Items Artifacts		626
Basalt Cores	2	
Basalt Flakes	120	
Adj Fragments	3	
Total Basalt Items Artifacts		125
* Total Artifacts		751

Non-Vesicular Angular Unworked Basalt	4551	
Vesicular Angular Unworked Basalt	192	
Rounded Basalt	13	
* Water-Worn Basalt	3	
Total Unworked Basalt		4759
* Total Mollusc Shells & Fragments		131
* Total Coral Fragments		9
Total Midden		4899
Total Archaeological Items		5650

Total Metal Fragments		
Total Metal Fragments		1263

* = collected = 894 items

Total Items 6913

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I. Archaeological Items

5650

A. Artifacts

751
748

1. Basaltic Glass

626

a. Cores

462

b. Flakes

164

2. Basalt

122

a. Cores

2

b. Flakes

120

c. Adj. Fragments

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B. Middlen

4402
4899

1. Unworked Basalt

4756

a. Non-Vesicular Angular

4551

b. Vesicular Angular

192

c. Rounded

13

4743

2. Mollusc Shells

131

3. Other

Coral
Water worn

15

II Metal Fragments

1263

Total Items

6913

~~A.D. 1422: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10~~

I A.D. 1422: 1-5, 7 5 or 6

26 yrs

II 1448: 5, 6-11 6 or 7

52 yrs

III 1500: 12-19 7 or 8

37 yrs

IV 1539: 19-31 12 or 13

52 yrs

V ~~1555~~ 1591: 32-42, 46, 50 11, 12 or 13

34 yrs

VI 1625: 39, 43-56 ~~13, 14, 15~~ 12, 13 or 14

203 yrs. total

40.6 yrs. average interval

~ = data ranges that could refer to the same use

N5E2	NE 44, 55	2
N4E3	NW 28, I	1
N3E2	SW SW SW 2, 7, 51	3
N3E3	NE III 15	1
N3E4	SW II 9	1
N2E1	SW SW SW NE 22, 23, 35, 45	4
N2E2	SW NE SW NW SE 8, 10, 33, 47, 54	5
N1E1	III IV 13, 17, 24, 31, 32, 43	6
N1E2	I NW IV V VI 1, 4, 6, 12, 14, 18, 19, 21, 26, 27, 29, 30, 34, 37, 40, 41, 48, 49, 52, 53, 56	21
N1E3	I SW SE NE IV NE SW NW NW SW SW NE 5, 11, 16, 20, 25, 36, 38, 39, 42, 46, 50	11
N1E4	SE I 3	1

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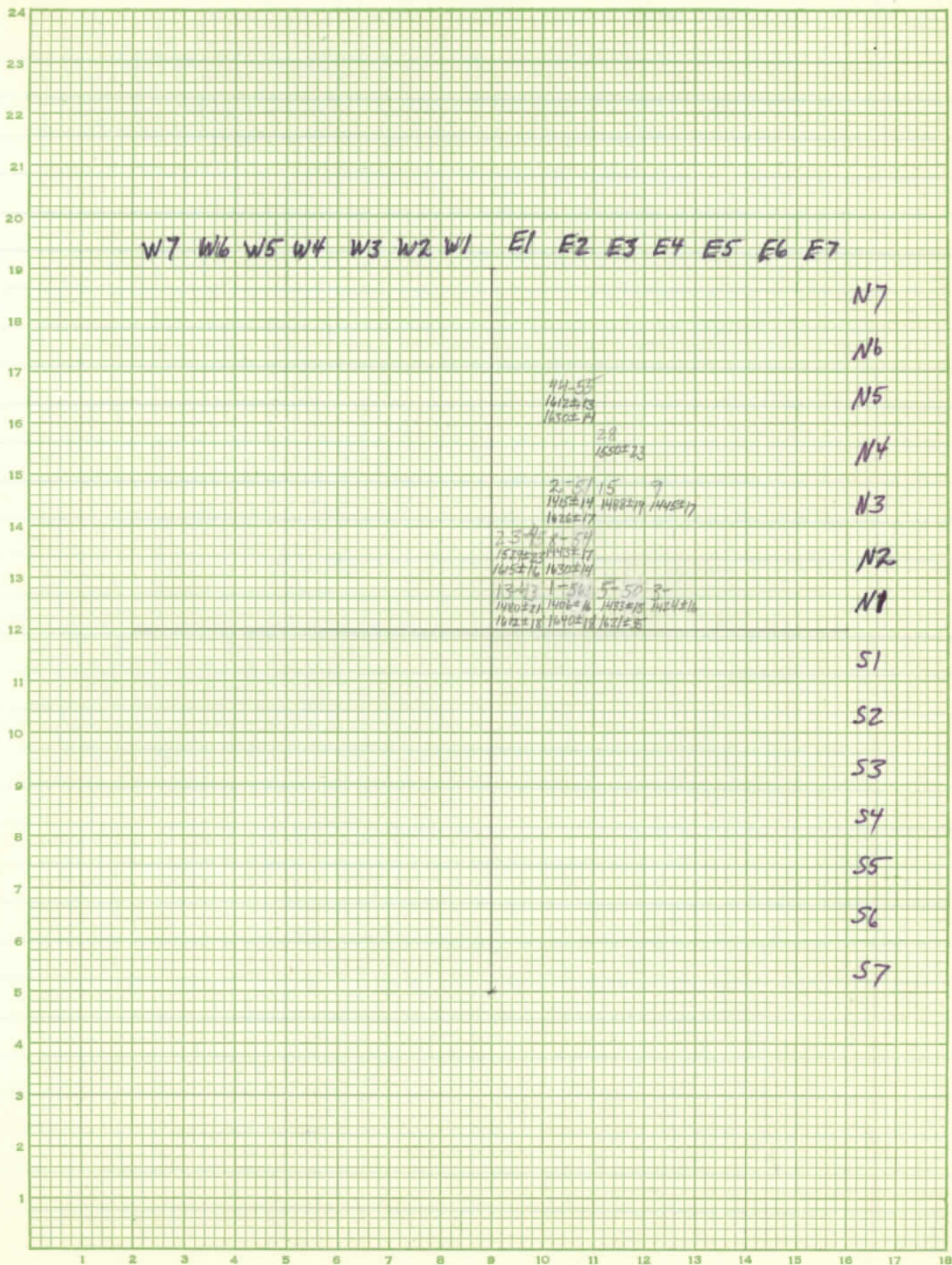
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Date Range HMR Comment

Dated Glass Samples



Cores in
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324 of 462 = 70%

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70 of 164 = 43%

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~~a tool by flaking.~~

Thus a range of A.D. dates within which a flake
was formed can be ~~determined by~~ derived from an
analysis of the range of thicknesses of the hydration
rind as observed in a thin-section of the artifact; ~~along~~
For convenience, basaltic glass hydration ^{date ranges} ~~rates~~
are usually presented ~~as the~~ in the form of the
median date with a plus-or-minus factor of
in years. Thus, for example, A.D. 1442 ± 20 repre-
sents a range of 1422 to 1462 during which the
hydration-rind being measured ~~is~~ began to
form on a fresh flake-scar ^{dated} of the artifact.

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Chronological Data

~~(8.63%)~~

A total of 54 ~~samples of~~ basaltic glass artifacts
(8.63% of the total)

collected from Feature 109A, were subjected to hydration-

ring analysis to obtain chronological ~~info~~ data about

the occupation and use of the feature. ~~A total of~~
~~The~~ hydration ring is a chemically altered zone of the
fifty-six ~~date~~ ~~date~~ date ranges have been obtained
basaltic glass that begins to form when ~~off an unaltered~~
from the 54 samples. In this process the range in
~~the~~ fresh glass surface is exposed to the atmosphere as by
the removal of a flake in the preparation of a tool of this material.
The thickness of the hydration ring on a ~~man produced~~

flake scar of a basaltic glass artifact is

~~indicative~~ ^{in a known way} directly related to the length of time that

~~it~~ has passed since the flake scar ~~was formed~~

~~by human agency. in the process of producing~~
was formed in the tool-making process.

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of fire-cracked rocks and artifacts, ~~spectively~~ re-
spectively. This will be discussed later in the report.

A total of 7539 archaeological items were re-
corded ~~along with~~ within the boundaries of Feature 109A.

Salvage of Feature 109A

Method

~~Here~~ After the approximate boundaries of the feature
had been determined, ~~a metric horizontal control was a~~
~~metric~~ ^{2x2 meter} grid ~~was~~ imposed on the feature to provide horizontal
control for recording, ~~and the~~ collection ~~and~~ of items. All artifacts
~~were recor~~ The location of each artifact was recorded according
to the ~~square meter~~ ^{from} in which it was recovered.