

Locus L18022	Dor 1994	Fld 61	Sq A6.33	Loc. type Pit
Date Open 01/07/94	High at 1.9 - 7.3 E	Low at 1.4 - 7.0 W	Vol.	Seals:
Close 20/07/94	1.4 - 3.9 W	1.4 - 3.7 E		Sealed by:
Floor: type	+	+	+	Loci 9932
Length 1.3m	Width 1.2m	Vol.		above
Value 1d	Remove 20/07/94	Drawn? Yes		
Photo #(1)	Photo #(2)			Loci 18044 18045
Written by: RJC	Checked by: JIRZ			below

Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM
Summary				

Opened: Pit L18022 was opened when it was determined to be full of IA2b material. The soil was also in drastic contrast to the rest of L18006 around it.

Limits (N) L18006 and L18030

(S) debris below W9278

(E) L18006 and L18030

(W) L18006 and L18030

Closed: L18022 was closed due to a lack of pottery and bone; its matrix became similar to that of L18030. Part of L18030 was combined with L18022 to make L18044. Mudbrick area below L18022 + L18030 became L18045.

Matrix: Lightly packed grey to reddish brown sandy soil. A large quantity of pottery and bone was present. Large animal bone was in evidence towards the bottom of the pit. Pottery shards too grew in size until disappearing at the bottom of the pit.

Relations: L18022 is a pit which became visible under floor F9932 and went through L18006 and L18030.

To the North L18022 cuts L18006 and L18030

To the South L18022 reaches to the debris below W9278

To the East L18022 cuts L18006 and L18030

To the West L18022 cuts L18006 and L18030

Pit L18022 began under F9932 and continues through L18006 and L18030. A large collection of pottery was excavated and was dated from IA2b.

Pit L18022 cuts the floors/resurfacings of F18000/18006 and would have cut F18030.

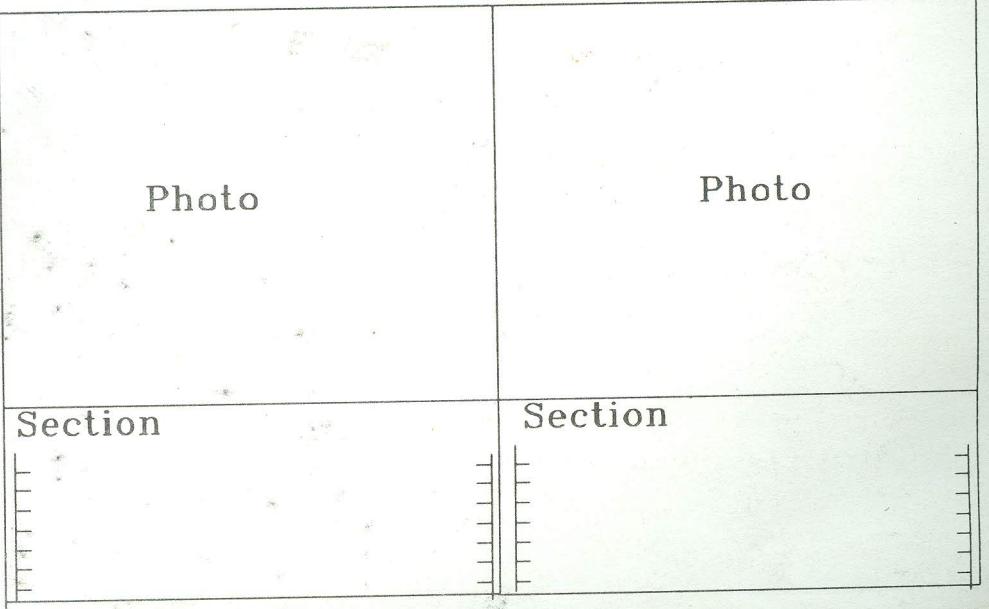
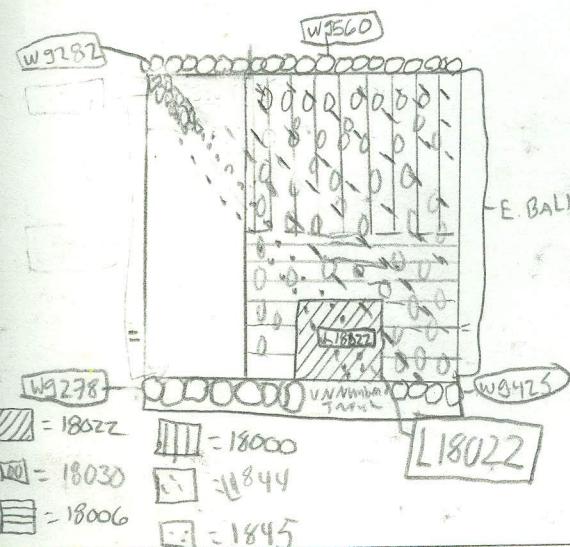
If F18030 had been preserved in the area of L18022

Pit L18022 may be a continuation of Pit L9929 which was essentially in the same area and was difficult to define.

Additional Observations/Value: The pit was ill-defined and may contaminate L18006 and L18030 around it and perhaps 18044 below.

**LOCUS**  
L 18101212

**Sketch plan**



Note that the scale on this drawing is way off. W9728 & W9425 should be where the = are.