

Locus L9681	Dor 19 9.1	Fld 6	Sq A.I.3.4	Loc. type PIT
Open Date 1.8.07.91	High at 15.11 S.E.	Low at 15.07 SW		Seals: _____
Close Date 0.8.08.91	15.08 S.E.	15.04 SW		Sealed by: _____
Floor: type Length 3.0	Width 2.5	Vol. 1.1		Loci 9681
Value 2nd	Remove 1/1/1	Drawn? YES		above _____
Photo #1 _____	Photo #2 _____			Loci below _____
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Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	

Summary

Opened: When nothum material in L9681 came to match 19652, collapsed and combined both into L9682, thus leaving the remaining quarter-circle pit L9681.

Limits (N) L9682

- (S) W9684 L9683 (mudbrick)
- (E) L9700 (mudbrick) L9701
- (W) L9680

Closed: End of season - Not closed.

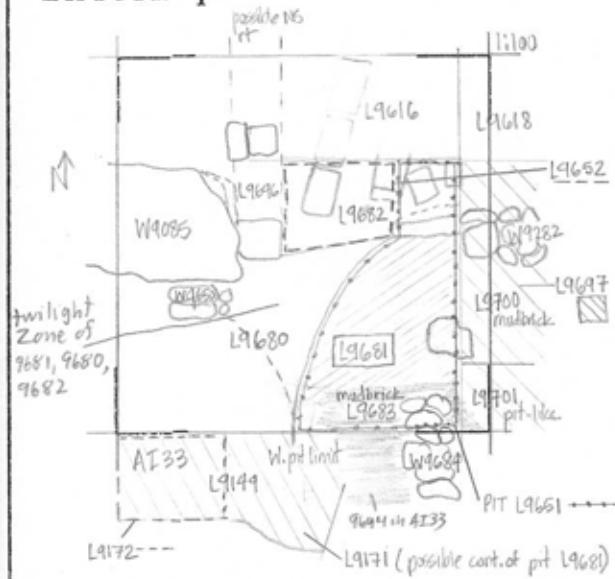
Matrix: The hard-packed dark brown, high concentration of sherd spt soil in [L9681] was dissimilar to the loose, light grey spt soil in L9684 and the medium brown, loose fill soil in 19652 and L9682. The dark brown, high concentration of sherd spt soil (i.e. L9701) is similar to [L9681]. L9701 is pure mudbrick and thus dissimilar.

Relations: [L9681] is essentially a continuation of pit L9651 above, and was not excavated much once the L9681 was opened (see levels). At the north, [L9681] may be cut by robber-trench meeting / fill area L9682 which is a highly disturbed and somewhat unclear area. The main robbing action in 19652, L9682 that may reach or cut pit [L9681] is the EW robber trench (L9617, N.L9697, L9652, L9682) that robs W9282. W9282 was discovered when excavating eastern back material L9697 and L9700 which may be cut by: [L9681] at the east. Mudbrick L9700 cuts ^{and} pit-ish material L9701 which reaches [L9681] on the east; L9701 may be a continuation of pit [L9681]. At the south pit [L9681] cuts L9683, mudbrick, and W9684 which continue (into AI 33). Pit [L9681] cuts L9683 and W9684. The pit that 19651 and [L9681] are part of slopes inward from S to N and may only cut the upper point of 19683. In 1971, at the same levels (15.70 - 15.05) north in AI 33 L9199^{which was} sandy mudbrick, and sherd spt that was closed and divided into L9172 and L9171 because of soil change. L9172 probably is the continuation of AI 34's SSE pit and L9171 is the continuation of AI 34's SW pit (L9651, [L9681]) rather than "Fill" as it was identified. At the east, [L9681] is cut by pit L9690 which contains later pottery and appears to be taking a semi-circular "bite" out of [L9681].

Additional Observations/Value: [L9681] is an unsealed and disturbed pit that may contaminate soil around it.

Locus
L 916, 8; 1.

Sketch plan



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