

## 5. 2000 Excavation Results

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### 5.1 Trench 1

- 5.1.1 The remaining quadrant was removed stratigraphically leaving a 2m wide section across the ditch which is permanently left open. (Plates 1 and 2).
- 5.1.2 A number of finds were retrieved from the fills. Of particular note was a sherd of prehistoric pottery (SF 3), found within (1028). On inspection it was noted to look similar in style and fabric to that of a piece found in 1999, so similar in fact that when compared, the two sherds fitted together! (See front cover) Also from this context, found during the clearing of a minor collapse over the winter of 2000/2001 were a nugget of slag and a piece of crucible fragment, both of which have been analysed (see Appendix 11) and date to the Middle Iron Age.

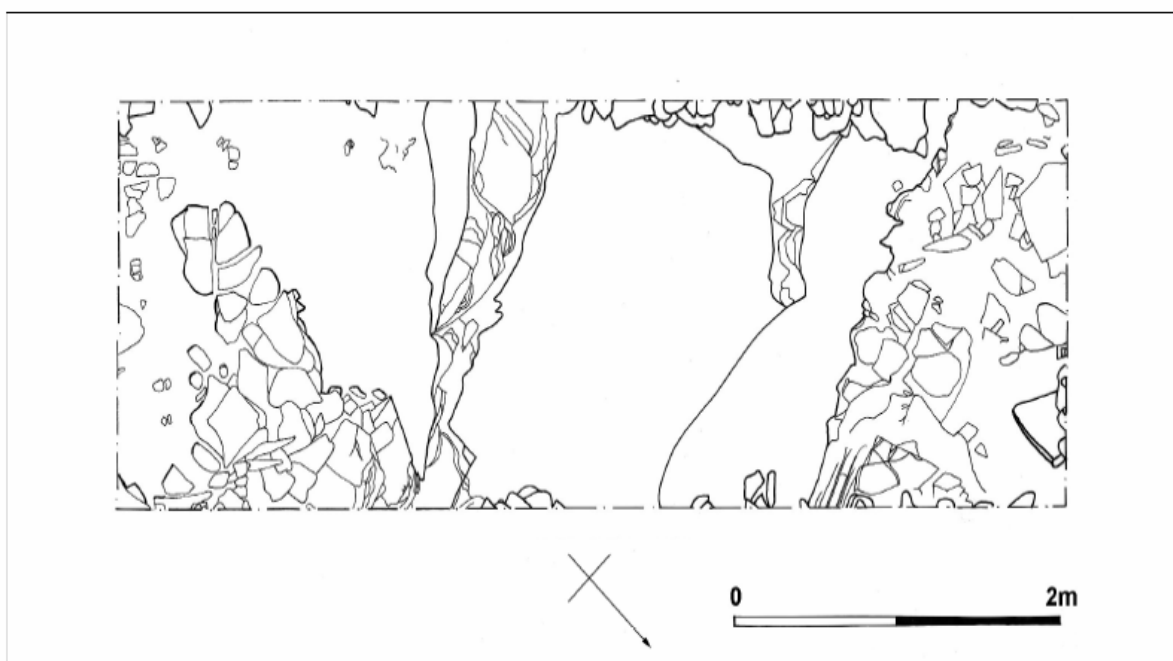


Figure 3: Plan of Trench 1. Scale 1:40