KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NE

LOCUS CB26001

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) Wall

BEG. LEVEL(S) 464.77

END LEVEL(S) 464.47

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26014

OVER LOCUS(ES) CB 26004

UNITS IN LOCUS:

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. N/A FINE______ UNFD

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE______ HELL, MOULDBMADE______ ROMAN______

3. COINS N/A

4. FAUNAL N/A

5. OTHER N/A

6. INU. N/A

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS (OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

CB26001 runs N-S and is partially unexcavated. Due to this fact it is difficult to describe its construction. Excavation of the bench between CB26 NE and CB26 NW may clarify this. From what is visible, the wall is constructed of fairly regularly laid rubble. The east face is coated with a plaster coating only partially preserved. The plaster coating is plain with no moulding. Approximately 1m north of the northern wall are 2 steps, 80cm long. There are the remains of some of the general plaster coat that not only covered the wall but the stairs as well. Again, like the wall, the full extent of the stairs is unknown.
Each step is made of a single, large ashlar block. CB26001 is an extension of CB36018; together they form one continuous wall. CB26001 is resting on a plaster floor (locus CB26004).
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NE

LOCUS CB26002

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) Wall

BEG. LEVEL(S) 46A.76

END LEVEL(S) 46A.47

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26014

OVER LOCUS(ES) CB26004

UNITS IN LOCUS: N/A

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. N/A FINE _______ UNID

2. LAMPS: WHEELED N/A HELD, MOLDED N/A ROMAN

3. COINS N/A

4. FAUNAL N/A

5. OTHER N/A

6. INU. N/A

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT N/A

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

CB26002 is a wall that runs E-W. It is approximately 2.10m long and 0.75m wide. It is constructed of headers alternating with rubble between the headers. The last header, i.e. the easternmost one, is missing and there is no ashlar block that is below the floor level that CB26002 sits upon. There is a similar phenomenon in CB26020, where in that case the end block on the west seems to be missing but there is another ashlar block on which it would have been resting. CB26002 is plastered from the door to the western end.
The faces of the wall were coated with plaster. On the north face, the plaster has molded orthostates similar to Pompeian 1st style wall decoration. No traces of color are visible. The south face has a plain facade.

At first glance, CB26002 seems to be resting on top of the floor, CB26004. However, since the easternmost ashlars block is missing, it can be seen that the floor ended at the wall and did not run beneath it.

The short east face of the wall must have had a plaster coat as well because there is a line of plaster visible next to the floor.

[Diagram]

- Line of plaster discrete from the plaster floor.
- Ashlar beneath floor level.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB26 NE
LOCUS CB26003

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.)Wall

BEG. LEVEL(S) A LA. 45
END LEVEL(S)

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26015
OVER LOCUS (ES) CB26017

UNITS IN LOCUS: N/A

FINDS: N/A

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. N/A FINE _____ UNID

LDM

SPAN/CONDITION

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE _____ HELD, MOULDMADE _____ ROMAN _____

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER

6. IND.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

CB26003 is a short stub of wall that runs N-S and is parallel to CB26001 and marks the east edge of the floor. Only 0.80m extends northeast of the southern bauble. The rest of the wall appears to have been robbed out. In terms of its construction, it seems similar to CB26002 with larger headers or ashlars with rubble. There appears to be one header in the bauble and the ca. 30cm of rubble then 2 larger ashlar-like stones that are not truly headers. Both the east and west faces of CB26003 have plain plaster facings and like CB26002...
This wall's plaster floor about the floor rather than rest on it.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA: CB2.6 NE

LOCUS: CB26004

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.): Floor

BEG. LEVEL(s): E: 464.47 W: 464.47

END LEVEL(s): N/A

UNDER LOCUS (ES): CB26001, CB26002, CB26017

OVER LOCUS(ES): N/A

UNITS IN LOCUS:

FINDS: N/A

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT.______ FINE_______ UNID

LDM

SPAN/CONDITION

2. LAMPS: WHEELED______ HELL. MOULDMADE______ ROMAN______

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/Walls ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

CB26004 is a plaster floor that covers approximately 2/3 of CB2.6 NE. In the Northern "room" the dimensions of the floor are 3.3m north-south and 3.10m east-west. The floor is slightly wider across [E-W] in the north than in the south. In the southern room the floor measures 1.40m N-S and 3.10m E-W. The wall along the eastern edge of the floor has been robbed and thus makes it possible to see how deep the plaster floor is, about 3cm thick and resting on a layer of plaster and rubble chunks.
The floor is a mosaic floor and seems most like opus sagittatum. There does not seem any design. CB26004 runs up to several walls: CB26001, CB26002, CB26003, CB36020 and is a continuation of CB36019 and CB36021 which were both uncovered in 2000.

There are several disruptions in the floor. There are two circular depressions on either side of the step of CB26001; there is another of these circular depressions in the SE corner of the floor next to CB26003. The final disruption is a full break in the floor that reaches from the edge of CB26002 to the edge of the floor and measures 0.97m EW and 0.25m NS.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB26 NE

LOCUS CB26005

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) Burial

BEG. LEVEL(S) 464.67 on rock
464.74

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26014

UNITS IN LOCUS:
17, 19, 21

END LEVEL(S) 464.53

OVER LOCUS(ES) CB26005, 1

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 0.62 kg FINE 6 SHARDS UNID 1.6 kg

LDM Early Roman

SPAN/CONDITION Hell-early Roman

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE ______ HELL. MOULDMADE ______ ROMAN ______

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL
   Bone - human; Bone tool

5. OTHER

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS IE OVER/UNDER/TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

CB 26005 was first uncovered during the excavation of Unit CB26.017. Its presence was indicated by a rectangular ring for formation of a irregular rocks [two ashlars formed the ring proper]. As excavation continued we uncovered the square ashlar block just to the south of the formation measuring approx. 30 x 30cm. The rectangle measured approx. 62cm E-W and 40cm N-S (not including the random ashlar block).

Excavation of the burial resulted in the uncovering of a child's skeleton not fully preserved. The skull preserved first at 4/45s-
then the lower body including legs, arms and ribs at 464:55 (ribs) and 464:53 (legs). As indicated by the elevations the skeleton was on a bit of a slope from E (high) to W. It should be noted however that while the body was oriented E-W, the head was oriented N-S and did not seem to be attached to the body. Further more, the body bones were concentrated in the northern half of the burial with a fairly sterile area in the south. The skull appeared to have been crushed and there was a 2-3 cm blotch of decayed ceramic within the skull cavity.

Once the skeleton was exposed (units 17-19), it was removed, the surrounding rocks were removed (unit 21). No grave goods were found within the burial.

The burial was within the fill that covered the plaster mosaic floor CB26004 with loci CB26014 & 15. There was no sign of a cutting into the fill from above. Furthermore, the body was not resting in the floor surface but approx. 16 cm of fill and, locus CB26005.1 as were the stones delineating the burial. Thus the burial seems to be contemporary with the fill over the floor.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NE

LOCUS CB26005.1

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) fill

BEG. LEVEL(S)
464.51

END LEVEL(S)
464.40

UNDER LOCUS (ES)
CB26005
OVER LOCUS (ES)
CB26004

UNITS IN LOCUS:
22, 23

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 1.5 kg FINE 3 BS UNID 0.2 kg

LDM Hellenistic

SPAN/CONDITION Hellenistic

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE _____ HELM. MOULDMADE _____ ROMAN _____

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL
   Bone; Bone - Human

5. OTHER
   Iron nail

6. INV.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI (ON, UNDER, TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC.) USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is equal to CB26015, the layer of plaster fill over the mosaic floor. Good but has been separated out because it is the soil directly beneath the baby burial. However in both elevation and matrix this locus is the same as the soil in CB26015.
Locus/LV
5 - 8
9.1 - 11
10 - 1292
11 - 423
12 - 231
13 - 986
14 - 911
15 - 505
16 - 4
17 - 500
18 - 385
19 - 652
20 - 52
21 - 354.5
-6 - 41
6.1 - 87
22 - 535
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB26NE

LOCUS CB26006

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) floor

BEG. LEVEL(s) 464.85 -W
464.84, 464.92 -S

END LEVEL(s) 464.82, 464.71, 464.54

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26019

OVER LOCUS(ES) CB26022

UNITS IN LOCUS: φ

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 22.6 FINE 0.1 kg UNID 14 kg

LDM Wheelmade CW

SPAN/CONDITION Persian - Hell

2. LAMPS: Wheelmade --- Hell, Mouldmade --- Roman

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL 650 gr.

5. OTHER

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS, OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is the courtyard floor of the big building. It is preserved in two parts: a fairly well preserved section in the north and another section in the south which was removed. Both sections were covered by fill, CB26019 and resting on top of fill, CB26022. The floor section was made up of plaster and cobblestones and had an irregular surface - it was not level. It was not particularly well preserved in the south and between two sections was a large cut.
KEBESH LOcus SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NW
LOCUS CB26006.1

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) FILL (under floor CB26006)

BEG. LEVEL(S) 4AH.84
END LEVEL(S) 4AH.63

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26006
OVER LOCUS(ES) CB26006 CB26022

UNITS IN LOCUS: 67

FINDS:
1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 19.5 kg FINE 10 UNID 12.75 kg
2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE _____ HELL. MOULDMADE _____ ROMAN _____
3. COINS
4. FAUNAL Bone (646.5 gr)
5. OTHER
6. INU.
7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS E OVER/UNDER/TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is equivalent to CB26022 but has been located separately since it is the stratum directly beneath the portion of courtyard floor that was removed. It has the same brown sandy soil that makes up both CB26022 and CB26021.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA: CB2.6 NW

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) WALL

BEG. LEVEL(S): 464.59

END LEVEL(S): 464.59

UNDER LOCUS (ES): CB26022

OVER LOCUS(ES): Did not excavate

UNITS IN LOCUS:

FINDS: N/A

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. _____ FINE_____ UNID

LDM

SPAN/CONDITION

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE_____ HELL. MOULDMADE_______ ROMAN_____

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

CB2600? is a short span of wall that extends out of the west bank of CB2.6 NW. It is preserved to 2 courses and on the south side extends 1.7m out from the west bank and on the northern side of the wall it extends ca. 1.4m out from the bank. It is constructed from rubble that forms 2 bands. Large rubble blocks are used to create the exterior sides of the wall while the center is filled in with smaller pieces of rubble. The wall is underneath the plaster and rubble courtyard floor and was covered over by pre-Hellenistic...
What is visible is the foundation of the wall and the superstructure was likely mudbrick. Furthermore, this wall, though beneath the courtyard floor, seems to be on line with the building as a whole.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB26NN

LOCUS CB26008

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) Wall

BEG. LEVEL(S) 474.17-corner
Topmost course 474.27

END LEVEL(S) 474.93

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26022

OVER LOCUS(ES) Ind. not excavate

UNITS IN LOCUS:

FINDS: N/A

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT.______ FINE______ UNID

LDM

SPAN/CONDITION

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE______ HELL. MOULDMADE______ ROMAN______

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

The wall CB26008 is a rubble constructed wall: rubble outer courses with smaller rubble fill in the center. Its outer face is approx. 2.63 m long and it measures 1.0 m wide. In the north there are two courses visible; in the south there are also two courses visible, however they are not the same 2 courses - in the N a lower course is visible by the ground level is lower. In the south an upper level of the wall is preserved for only 0.90 m. At the north end of CB26008 →
The wall ends with 2 large stones. The NE block measures 0.48 x 0.28 m and the stone due east measures 0.52 x 0.39 m and forms a corner with CB26009.

CB26009 runs into CB26001 and looks to be cut off by it thus indicating the CB26009 predates the Hellenistic wall CB26001.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA: CB26NW

LOCUS: CB26009

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) WALL

BEGIN LEVEL(S) 464.05

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26022

UNITS IN LOCUS:

END LEVEL(S) 464.93

OVER LOCUS(ES) did not excavate

FINDS: N/A

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. _____ FINE _____ UNID

LDM

SPAN/CONDITION

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE _____ HELL. MOULDMADE _____ ROMAN _____

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

CB26009 is an E-W wall that forms a bonded corner with CB26008. It measures 1.2m long E-W. The 2 large blocks that form the north end of CB26008 here form the last 2 outer blocks of the north side of the wall. 2 courses at least are preserved, though we did not dig to the bottom of either wall.

CB2600 extends from the corner into CB26001 and was under the level of the courtyard floor.
and was covered with Pre-Hellenistic, possibly Persian fill. The bottom visible course of CB26001 seems to bond to the highest exposed course of CB26009.
KEDESHE LOCUS SHEET

AREA: CB2.6

LOCUS: CB26010

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.): Topsoil

BEG. LEVEL(S): NE 465.89; NE 465.27.
END LEVEL(S): NE 465.19; NE 465.22

UNDER LOCUS (ES): N/A
OVER LOCUS(ES): CB26011

UNITS IN LOCUS:
1, 28, 33, 34, 36, 37, 38

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 52.5 kg
   FINE—— UNID
   LDM Modern – glazed Islamic
   SPAN/CONDITION Iron – modern; worn.

2. LAMPS: WHELMODE—— HELL; MOULDMODE—— ROMAN

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER
   Modern glass; stone blade; bronze ring; iron nail

6. INU. OTTOMAN clay pipe K06PO1; OTTOMAN clay pipe K06PO20
   OTTOMAN clay pipe K06PO21

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLORAL

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2.
   RELATION TO OTHER LOCI 3. OVER/UNDER/TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER
   FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

   This locus is topsoil across the northern half of CB2.6. There was a significant slope in the
   top elevations and thus the stratum of topsoil was significantly deeper in the west than in
   the east. The topsoil was a very dark brown and clay + came out in clumps.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA: CB2.6NE  LOCUS: CB26011

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.): subpoor - fill

BEG. LEVEL(S)
NE 465.22; NW 465.47
UNDER LOCUS (ES)
CB26011

END LEVEL(S)
NE 465.08; 465.18 NW
OVER LOCUS(ES)
CB26013

UNITS IN LOCUS:
2, 3

FINDS:
1. POTTERY: TOTAL wt. 11.5 kg. FINE 0.1 kg. UNID 8 kg.

LDM: early modern; Ras al Fuqa ware

SPAN/CONDITION: Iron - early modern; worn

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE___ HELL. MOULDMADE 1 BS ROMAN 1 BS

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER: Iron nail, painted plaster

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/_FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is a layer of fill across CB2.6NE. This fill was characterized by an increase in rubble, plaster and lime inclusions and the color of the soil was significantly lighter than the overlying very dark brown topsoil.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB26 NW

LOCUS CB26012

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) Subsoil - fill

BEG. LEVEL(S) NW 446.39; NE 445.28

END LEVEL(S) NW 465.23; NE 465.17

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26010

OVER LOCUS (ES) CB26013

UNITS IN LOCUS: 40, 44

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 23.5 kg FINE 1 kg + 9 sherds 7.5 kg

LDM Ras al Fuqra ware

SPAN/CONDITION Iron-early modern; worn

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE HELL. MOULDMADE ROMAN

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

Bone 465 gm

5. OTHER

Glass, iron nail (2); iron hook, fibula, plaster, lithic

6. INU

Spindle whorl KB67061; Achaemenid bowl rim frag KB67069

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2.

RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER

FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is a layer of subsoil fill. It is below the topsoil layer, locus CB26010 and above the middle layer, locus CB26013. It is however distinguished from CB26011 which is the subsoil layer in the eastern half of the trench because there was significantly less plaster in this fill and the soil colors were slightly different. CB26012 was darker than its equivalent in the NE CB26011.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA: CB26

LOCUS: CB26

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.): fill

BEG. LEVEL(S): 48.5, 28.4
END LEVEL(S): 41.9

UNDER LOCUS (ES): CB26011 
OVER LOCUS(ES): CB26014, CB26019

UNITS IN LOCUS:
4, 6-8, 46-48

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 92 kg, FINE 10.4 kg, UNID 25.4 kg

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE, HELM. MOULDMADE & 5 ROMAN

3. COINS
   Bronze coin K66C012

4. FAUNAL
   Bone tool; Bone 300 gr + 32 frag

5. OTHER
   Ptd plaster, glass, lithic

6. INU
   Cypriot rim K66P001; BG lamp base K66L020; Dorn type B lamp K66L010 (joints w/ 48 + 46)

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESEVATION, EXTENT 2.
RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER
FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is the rubble layer that extends across the entire tel. and thus across the whole northern half of CB26. However, it should be noted that there seems to be a higher concentration of rubble in the west and more plaster within the soil matrix in the east. But as there is rubble throughout these units they have been focussed together.
Iron nail K06P012
ESA ring foot base K06P022
mortonum (joins w/ 48 & 58) K06P066
BSP plate frago K06P023, K06P034
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6.NE

LOCUS CB26014

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) fill

BEG. LEVEL(S) 464.99
END LEVEL(S) 464.55

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26013
OVER LOCUS(ES) CB26015

UNITS IN LOCUS: 9-13, 25-27, 29

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 105.0 kg, FINE 5.9 kg, UNID 15.8 kg

LDM Byz / Early Islamic

SPAN/CONDITION EB - Byz / Early Islamic, may = Hellenistic.

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE 2 HELL. MOULDMADE 2 ROMAN

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL
Bone apatula frag, Bone 800 gr.

5. OTHER
Plaster, bronze ring, iron nails, glass

6. IND.
Wortmann frags 706P014 (joins +1 15+13), folded lamp 706L004

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT
Sample: soil

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus was comprised of fill that was a light yellowish-brown with a lot of plaster inclusions as well as rubble and cobble inclusions. This fill lies a top several architectural features CB26001, CB26002 and CB26005.
folded lamp base K06L003
ESA Hayes IB3 K06P013
AtticRonchetted bowl K06P009
Attic BG bowl K06P008
Attic BG kyphos ring foot base K06P007
Attic teknythos frag BS K06P006

CB2.6 NE014
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NE

LOCUS CB26015

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) fill

END LEVEL(S)

BEG. LEVEL(S) 464.66

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26014

END LEVEL(S)

OVER LOCUS(ES)

CB26004, CB26003, CB26017

UNITs IN LOCUS: 15, 16

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 36 kg FINE 0.5 kg UNID 9.5 kg

LDM Flavian - Arretine Ware

SPAN/CONDITION Iron - Flavian

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE____ HELL. MOULDMADE____ ROMAN____

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL
   Bone

5. OTHER
   Plaster, iron nail, iron strapping, nail, bronze handle frag

6. IND.
   Bone tool KOB1008; Hell mortarium KOB014; Bassett tripod mortar KOB8011

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2.
RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER
FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is a layer of fill over the open signum mosaic floor. It is characterized by its almost plaster inclusions and soft, fine brown soil. This fill layer provides a terminus ante quem for the floor. This locus was also the fill covering wall CB26003 and its robbed trench CB26017.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NE

LOCUS CB2601b

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) fill / subfloor?

BEGIN LEVEL(S) 464.34

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26015

END LEVEL(S) 464.29, 464.14

OVER LOCUS(ES) N/A

UNITS IN LOCUS: 24

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 0.4  FINE 4 BS  UNID 1 BS

LDM Hellenistic

SPAN/CONDITION Hellenistic

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE_____ HELL. MOULDMADE______ ROMAN______

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER Bone

6. INU.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus was a small area (70cm x 30cm) and was the excavation of the break in the mosaic floor. The north edge of the disruption is in alignment with the north edge of wall CB26002.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NE

LOCUS CB26017

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) fill

BEG. LEVEL(S) 464.34
UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26015
END LEVEL(S) 463.56
OVER LOCUS(ES) CB26018
UNITS IN LOCUS: 31, 32, 39, 43, 78

FINDS:
1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 71kg  FINE 3.8kg UNI0 17kg

LDM early Roman

SPAN/CONDITION Bronze - early Roman

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE_____ HELL. MOULDMADE_____ ROMAN_____

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL
Bone 825.9 gr.

5. OTHER
plaster, glass, stoppers, lithic (?)

6. INS.
BG lamp frag KB6P068

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

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This locus is fill that was excavated from the robbing trench for wall CB26003 and provides the early Roman as a terminus post quem for the robbing of the wall. The soil of this fill was fine and soft brown sand, there was little plaster but much pottery, much later pottery that comprised this locus.
This field locus is another stratum of fill excavated from the robbing trench of CB26003. However, it is distinct from CB26017 because the latest datable material is no earlier than Persian. The abrupt change in LDMs indicates that this locus represents the fill of an earlier robbing episode for which the terminus post quem is the Persian period.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA: CB2.6 NW

LOCUS: CB26019

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.): FILL

BEGIN LEVEL(S):

UNDER LOCUS (ES):

CB26013

UNITS IN LOCUS:

50-53, 55, 58-59, 61, 62

END LEVEL(S):

OVER LOCUS(ES):

CB26006, CB26020, CB26021

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 54.2kg FINE 4.9kg UNID 18.4kg

LDM: Early Islamic (8th-9th c.

SPAN/CONDITION: EB - early Islamic

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE HELL. MOULDMADE ROMAN

BG: lamp sherd; Persian folded; K06011

lamp flag (6) K06012

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

Bone 850 gr.

5. OTHER

Plaster, linen, iron nail flag (5), bronze, glass

6. INDU.

Complete iron nail K060103, knife flag K061014, BSP plate fass K06P033

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLAT

float sample (8)

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2.

RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER

FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is comprised of the fill and debris resting on the courtyard floor, locus CB26006.

The potl is light brown and fine - very sandy and similar to the fill of the robbering trench of CB26013. This locus also partially covered wall CB26001 and thus can be roughly equated to locus CB26014 which also covered wall CB26001

* Note that this is only one piece and is very small.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NW
LOCUS CB26020

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) FILL/FLOOR

BEGIN LEVEL(S)
464.80

UNDER LOCUS (ES)
CB26019

END LEVEL(S)
464.63

OVER LOCUS(ES)
CB26021

UNITS IN LOCUS:
60

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 6kg FINE 0.15kg UNID 1.7kg

COM Hellenistic - BSP bunt

SPAN/CONDITION EBA - Hellenistic

2. LAMPS: WHEELEDMADE HELL. MOULDMADE ROMAN

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL
Bone 1.75g

5. OTHER

6. INU

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCUS, OVER/UNDER/TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus was most likely a section of the plaster and rubble court/floor, but was focused separately due to significant disturbance to its north. Furthermore, it was very rubble and due west of Wall CB26001 and thus believed to be some residual rubble from that wall. Also its matrix is very similar to that of the floor in the presence of plaster within the rubble.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NW

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) fill

BEGIN LEVEL(S) 464.82
UNDER LOcus (ES) CB26019, CB26020
UNITS IN LOCUS: 57, 62, 64

END LEVEL(S) 464.33
OVER LOCUS(ES) CB26022

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 53 kg FINE 1 kg MID 22.5 kg

LDM Byzantine Early Islamic

SPAN/CONDITION Iron - 9Th ce

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE HELL. MOULDMADE ROMAN

Persian folded (5)

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

5. OTHER

plaster

6. INV.

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

Float Sample

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2. RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus comprises the units of the excavation of the cut in the courtyard floor and provides a terminus ante quem for the robbing of the floor.
KEDESH LOCUS SHEET

AREA CB2.6 NW

LOCUS CB26022

TYPE (WALL, FLOOR, FILL ETC.) fill

BEG. LEVEL(S) 464.03

END LEVEL(S) 464.03

UNDER LOCUS (ES) CB26056.1, CB260021

OVER LOCUS(ES) N/A

UNITS IN LOCUS:

68, 71-74, 77, 80

FINDS:

1. POTTERY: TOTAL WT. 120.5 kg, FINE 0.6 kg, UNID 75 kg

LDM Hellenistic, Judean style, CW

SPAN/CONDITION EBA - Hellenistic

2. LAMPS: WHEELMADE _______ HELL. MOULDMADE _______ ROMAN _______

Persian folded (7)

3. COINS

4. FAUNAL

Bone 4.3 kg, astragal

5. OTHER

glass, iron frag, TC bead, carbon sample, stopper (2)

6. INU

Iron Age cookpot K06P070, Iron Age lid K06P071

7. SEDIMENT ANALYSIS/FLOAT

LOCUS DESCRIPTION: INCLUDE 1. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, PRESERVATION, EXTENT 2.
RELATION TO OTHER LOCI IE OVER/UNDER/ TOUCHING/BONDING WITH OTHER
FLOORS/FILLS/WALLS ETC. USE OTHER SIDE OF SHEET IF NECESSARY.

This locus is fill around 3 walls that were discovered under the level of the courtyard floor: CB26007-9 and provides a Terminus ante quem for these walls! The soil in this locus was still the brown sandy matrix that characterized the underlying loci. However, there were very few inclusions and a significant amount of pottery.