Kedesh

Unit CB38.122     Date dug 28 May 06     Locus CB38027

Beg. Levels 466.41    End levels 466.04

Under unit(s) —

Over unit(s) 127

Volume 184

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

topsoil, disturbed hard pack

Pottery wt. 6.25 kilos

Other finds

-Ldm
-Span

Description and extent

the workmen began CB38 SE quad today
dug out NW corner pretty deep so tomorrow I'll have
to tell them not to go so deep over the next 2 days.
Kedesh

Unit CB38/123              Date dug 29 May

Beg. Levels 466.41

End levels 466.09

Under unit(s)

Locus CB38027

Over unit(s) 127

Volume 192

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

topsoil: gray to brown hard-packed

Pottery wt. 13.5 kilos

Other finds

Ldm
Span

Description and extent

SW corner of square
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8: 124  Date dug 30 May  Locus CB38027
Beg. Levels U64.40
End levels 466.14
Under unit(s)  
Over unit(s) 128

Volume

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
  topsoil, gray to brown handpack

Pottery wt. 10.5 Kilos

Other finds
  glass bracelet, track # 77

Ldm
Span

Description and extent
  topsoil entire square except for SE part
  disturbed topsoil
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.125  Date dug 31 May  Locus CB38027

Beg. Levels 4.66.910
End levels 4.66.14

Under unit(s)

Volume 18.6

Over unit(s) 128

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

topsoil: dark to light brown; hard packed

Pottery wt. 8 kilos

Other finds

Iron nail, tack # 78
Bone trucking # 68

Ldm

Span

Description and extent

topsoil continues in west half.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.126  Date dug June  Locus CB38027

Beg. Levels 466.17  End levels 466.05

Under unit(s) 128  Over unit(s) 128, 129

Volume 56

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, organic, some small fieldstones

Pottery wt. 2.28 kilos  Other finds bronze hook/latch - track #79

Ldm Ras al-Fugma
Span Period to Islamic

Description and extent SE corner of square - still tampsil
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.127  Date dug 1 June  Locus 0733.8024

Beg. Levels 466.07

Under unit(s) 122

End levels 465.62

Volume 120

Over unit(s) 130, 135

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, organic to sandy, small fieldstones

Pottery wt. 612.5 kg

Other finds

Ldm KH from 3 rim
Span Persian - Early Roman

Description and extent
west/northeast portion of square - layer under topsoil came down as some rubble in nw corner and scattered throughout the western side - some large ashlarss had the workmen work east to keep square level.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.128    Date dug 41 Dec 08    Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 466.06
Under unit(s) 124, 125, 126
Volume 160

End levels 465.98
Over unit(s) 132, 133

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown to grey, hard packed, no rubble

Pottery wt. 7.25

Other finds
Ldm Hell Local Fine bowl foot
Span Persian - Hel [Possibly Biz Camised Pot]

bone - track # 135

Description and extent
layer below topsoil east 1/2 y square
Kedesh

Unit CB38.129  Date dug 5 June  Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 466.04  End levels 465.98
Under unit(s) 126  Over unit(s) 134

Volume 460

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
  dark brown, medium to hard pack; slightly sandy

Pottery wt. 12 kilos  Other finds
  Ldm 2 biz jars body/ster - incised  bone trade B 140
  Span Persian to Biz, general mix

Description and extent
  NE corner - least extension 3127 - layer below topsoil
  no rubble - little material
Kedesh

Unit CB38.130    Date dug 5 June
Locus  CB38.29

Beg. Levels 465.99
End levels 445.69

Under unit(s) 127
Over unit(s) 130

Volume 88

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
  dark brown to grey; medium packed & sandy

Pottery wt. 7.5 Kilos

Other finds
  Ldm  Local fire lime, sandy, coarse as bone, total 141
  Span  IR - Hell, mix

Description and extent
- Workmen continue dam around the rubble exposed earlier
- the street along the west wall look to be a continuing
  the west wall of the TAB but preserved at a much higher elevation
  than the wall to the north
- there is a fair amount of other rubble in this unit: some
  very large field stones & 8 or 2 large ashlers. Field stones
  were floating so they were removed.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.131
Date dug 6 June

Beg. Levels bulk cleaning
Under unit(s) —
Volume 16
Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Pottery wt. —

Other finds

Ldm
Span

Description and extent
western bulk cleaning
Kedesh

Unit CB 38132  Date dug 6 June  Locus CB 38029

Beg. Levels 466.00  End levels 465.70
Under unit(s) 128  Over unit(s) 123 136
Volume 144

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, sandy, some very large smooth

Pottery wt. 8.5 kilos
Ldm Kfar Hamanya bs
Span 1RM - Early Roman

Other finds
bone track #179

Description and extent
eastern extension of unit 130, workmen still digging too deeply.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.133  Date dug 8 June  Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 466.00  End levels 465.66

Under unit(s) 128, 129  Over unit(s) 140

Volume 60

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark-brown, hard-packed, sandy; no inclusions

Pottery wt. 9 kilos
Ldm Roman ribbed jar body shards
Span early IR - Roman; mostly Helin

Other finds
IRON spearhead track #249
inv # K06MOO2

Description and extent
133 reaches the bulk on men & south.
the eastern limits are the bulk #134
the western limit is 132

Most of 133 consist of large rubble field stones & small boulders, with the heaviest concentration in the SE. & continuing north into the bulk.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.134
Date dug 9 June
Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 465.99
End levels 465.76

Under unit(s) 129
Over unit(s) 140,141

Volume N/A

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
- dark brown, hard packed, sandy, no inclusions

Pottery wt. 5.3 kilos

Ldm - Hell coarse ware body shards
Span - Pecosith - Hell

Other finds
- Bone track # 263
- Lithic - track # 274
- Metal rod iron - track # 278

Description and extent
- The limits on the N and E are the bounds
- The unit in the S & W is 133

134 is a continuation of the dark rubble of 133

Again the fieldstones are large and some small boulders (basketball size)
Kedesh

Unit CB38.135 Date dug 11 June
Locus CB38029

Begin Levels 466.06
End levels 465.82

Under unit(s) 127
Over unit(s) 138

Volume 40

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, grey, loosely packed; lots of field stones, small—softball sized.

Pottery wt. 920g

Ldm Early Hellus
Span E6- Hell

Other finds
Bone trade #293

Description and extent
N limit - bulk
S limit - wall along west bulk
E limit -
W limit - bulk

135 was opened to define more of the N end of the rubble wall running along the western bulk.
The floating rocks were removed as necessary.
Closed at end of day.
Kedesh

Unit: CB 3.8.136
Date dug: 11 June
Locus: CB 38029

Beg. Levels: 4.65.69
End levels: 4.65.59

Under unit(s): 130
Over unit(s): 157

Volume: 5

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
- dark brown, hardpack, medium packed; sandy; no inclusions

Pottery wt.: 4kg

Ldm: Byz bs
Span: mls - Byz

Other finds: bone tunnel 294

Description and extent
- N limit: mudug spill
- S limit: balk
- E limit: ashlar trench
- W limit: fill under wall 1037

Opened to bring this part of the square level to:
- Melt to the east on the other side of the ashlar trench
- Closed at that level.

- This was a small unit and a technical dump.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.137 Date dug 11 June Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 465.90 End levels 468.57
Under unit(s) 127 Over unit(s) 157

Volume 576

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown – light brown; hard packed; sandy; some fieldstones

Pottery wt. 2 kg

Other finds

Ldm Roman Jug Rim
Span MB – Roman

Description and extent

N limit: rubble wall & fill below it.
S limit: bulk
W limit: bulk
E limit: previously dug material

opened to remove fill at S end of rubble wall
Kedesh

Unit CB38.138    Date dug 18 June    Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 465.98
Under unit(s) 127,130

Volume 82 168

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, sandy, mostly rubble

Pottery wt. 10 Kgs
Ldm LH 105
Span 1M - Roman

Other finds
2 lamps
1 iron knives

Description and extent
138 is in the NW corner of the square
It's essentially a rubble pile overlying the niveau
The plaster wall of a feature just to the east

138 extends N to the South Face of CB38006

In the corner behind the W. down tubes
We find 2 complete lamps, at least 2
Iron blades
1 flint 74 (large stone)

Taked down to level 8.138
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.139  Date dug 18 June

Beg. Levels U906.06
Under unit(s) 127

End levels 465.71
Over unit(s) W. wall CB3.8.028

Volume 32

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, hard-packed, incl. mable.

Pottery wt. 1.8 Kg

Ldm Ras al-Fuqra
Span Iron—modern

Other finds

Description and extent

139 is the wall? made up of the first-sized fieldstone wall running along the W. baulk. It overlay the west wall of the building & we could see that the room we were digging was plastered along the east face & met well.

139 was removed down to the level of the base of the plastered west wall.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.140     Date dug 19 June     Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 465.72

Under unit(s) 133, 1311

Volume 168

End levels 465.49

Over unit(s) CB38025 (small) 145

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, medium hard pack w/ lots of noble, fitsized to basketball sized

Pottery wt. 13.0

Other finds
Ldm Early Islamic/Crusader
Span Iron/Crusader

Description and extent
140 is the continuation of noble removal in the east half of the square.
We also continued to define the emerging eastern plaster wall (CB38002)
Kedesh

Unit CB38.141 Date dug 20 SWE Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 465.72 End levels 465.51
Under unit(s) 134 Over unit(s) 145, 146, EB24, CB39025

Volume 176

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
  dark brown, med. hardpacked sandy soil w/tofu/fi

Pottery wt. 6.75 Other finds
  Ldm Late Roman Coin: K06C015
  Span Iron-Late Rom Lamp Fragment

Description and extent

141 is the caementum of noble fill in the NE section of the square.
More noble is being cleared away toward to trace the line of the east plaster wall.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.142  Date dug 22 June  Locus CB38029

Beg. Levels 465.67
End levels 445.31

Under unit(s) 138
Over unit(s) 47, 152

Volume 96

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
- dark brown medium hard packed w/ mobile ash/char + large fieldsherd (basketball size)

Pottery wt.

Ldm  Roman Juglet - 3rd/4th C.
Span Early Bronze - Late Roman

Other finds

Description and extent

142 is the continuation of the noble removed in the NW portion of the square/plastered room.

- a storage jar is appearing along the western wall

- a 3rd Cen AD Roman juglet was found in the center of a small earthen box which had a capping stone (removed 20June)
- nothing was inside the juglet.

Complete late Roman juglet: KB60031
Kedesh

Unit CB 3.8.143    Date dug 23 June    Locus CB 38030

Beg. Levels 465.08
End levels 465.19

Under unit(s) 138
Over unit(s) 147, 152

Volume 109

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, medium hard packed w/ rubble

Pottery wt. 5.6

Other finds
- Ldm Iron - 2nd C.
- Sanfine table amphora/ESA? mould made bowl

Description and extent
143 is the continuation of rubble fill removal in NW portion of the plastered room.

Along the west wall, several more large vessels are beginning to show - storage vessels or possibly an amphora.
Kedesh

Unit CB 3, 9, 144  Date dug 23 June  Locus

Beg. Levels Bulk cleaning - east bulk
End levels

Under unit(s)
Over unit(s)

Volume

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Pottery wt.
Ldm
Span

Other finds

Description and extent
Kedesh

Unit CB38.145  Date dug 25 June  Locus CB380.30

Beg. Levels 465.65
Under unit(s) 140, 141

End levels 465.20
Over unit(s) 148, 149

Volume 144

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Hardpack dark brown soil w/ some charcoal & red/orange clumps; soil

Pottery wt. 13.7
Ldm Hellenistic Sl. ware imports/Rhodian Amphora
Span Iron-Hell

Other finds
Sickle blade
Coin: K6C021

Description and extent

145 is continued removal of fill in the NE corner

We decide today to begin excavation
only the north wall of the room
To expedite reaching the floor
Kedesh

Unit CB38.144  Date dug 26 June  Locus CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.20  End levels 465.11

Under unit(s) 140, 141  Over unit(s) 148

Volume 95

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown hard pack 1 fist-sized nodule, plaster chunks & small red/gray bits

Pottery wt. 28.0  Other finds

Ldm SAH-147 BCE  Jbr
Span Persian-Hellenic

Description and extent

146 is the continue 111 removed for 25 June, unit 145 in the NE corner of the room. Yesterday we uncovered a fragment of a large storage jar sitting near the built and we removed today. Excavation of 146 also reveals more of the East wall of the room. It is unplastered & material has been removed out to a much lower level.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.147 Date dug 28 June

Beg. Levels 4165.24
Under unit(s) 140, 143
Volume 164

End levels 464.75
Over unit(s) 48, 153, 154

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
moderately hard packed brown soil w/ plaster bits and small reddish

Pottery wt. 20.2

Ldm Potsherd graphs
Span M6-Hell

Other finds
Silice Blade
Spells
Needle

Description and extent

147 is the excavation & the fill in the western part of the room extending 6 to the eastern wall along terminal block. Opened to bring the level of this fill down to the seat of the square. We find an SMT and fragments of several coins here appearing.

Also find a Silice blade along the western wall near the corner.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.148  Date dug 29 June  Locus CB38032

Beg. Levels 465.29
Under unit(s) 146, 147, 145, 138
Volume 152

End levels 465.06
Over unit(s) 150, 151, 152

Soil: color, texture, inclusions  small black and white pebbles sandy soil with plastic chunks and field stones

Pottery wt. 8.5Kg
Ldm Roman CW
Span MB-Roman

Other finds - awpa

Description and extent

148 is the continued excavating of 147 from yesterday. We are trying to bring the whole N 1/2 of 148 to the same level so to remove the amphora in the corner. A Tyrian jar is far and the west wall supports the Amorite pile.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.149 Date dug 29 June Locus CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.39 End levels 465.14
Under unit(s) 145 Over unit(s) 154

Volume 8

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
brown sandy underlying hard-packed same fist sized or slightly larger fields

Pottery wt. 1.8 Kg Other finds

Ldm museum, amphorae
Span 1m- mid wall

Description and extent

149 is a small unit along the eastern boundary opened to just below the fill where to the level of the surrounding soil at 462.8 m. This section of the fill had not previously been removed because it was thought to be stratigraphy. However, it too turned out that the wall was not built to a much lower level here so we found the wall near the bottom of the unit.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.15D  Date dug 30 June  Locus CB380380

Beg. Levels 465.20  End levels 465.09
Under unit(s) 148  Over unit(s) 151

Volume 48

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Mealy packed light brown soil w/ small rubble

Pottery wt. 17 kg

Ldm  cup/jar
Span 1m - 1.5m

Other finds
Nails  glass inlets  Loom weight

Description and extent

At ISD was opened to reveal the large jar
in plaster against the west wall. We found more
than 3 tiles as well.

We stepped east where this was removed.

We were at a level below nine tiles north-south.

\[\text{Diagram}\]
Kedesh

Unit CB38.151 Date dug 30 June Locus CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.09 End levels 464.85
Under unit(s) 15D,148 Over unit(s) —

Volume 70

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown loam, pickled white-flecks

Pottery wt. 3kg Other finds

Ldm Amph-frag
Span Ma-Hell

Description and extent

53 151 is a pass below the Volvo jar, along the weston wall, from the mini built to the upper pile.
—closed when we stack along wall above
the fill charged to large rubble perhaps running from like east.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.152       Date dug 30 June       Locus 3CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.35   End levels 465.20

Under unit(s) 148

Over unit(s) 153

Volume 3 + 4 cu. m. of soil

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

brown mud mixed with sandy soil, few remains, plaster, chalcedony

Pottery wt. 22 kg

Ldm Early Roman
Span 1m to Early Roman

Other finds

Knife handle
Glass, beads
Small insect

Description and extent

152 is the amphorae pile made New Year's Day of the Roman period. Because it was opened at the end of the day on a Friday, the soil was just to get the amphorae out and any other objects, large pieces of pottery.

Diagram of 152
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.153    Date dug 2 July    Locus CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.20    End levels 464.89
Under unit(s) 152    Over unit(s) —

Volume 5'

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
    dark brown, sandy, loosely packed; broken rocks + amorph. frags.

Pottery wt. 10 kg

Ldm Amrum
Span Im – Hll

Other finds

Description and extent
    This is the fill which the most of the amphi frags came from. These were taken at the level 151 – this is below the level 6 where the plaster covers the wall and where the rubble starts up again.
    Closed when brought to same level 151.
    There is no rubble like in 151.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8. 154 Date dug 2 July Locus CB38032

Beg. Levels 465.12

End levels 464.85

Under unit(s) 147, 149

Over unit(s) 184

Volume 112

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
light brown mud packed, small fieldstones & broken rocks; some white rock

Pottery wt. 5.5

Other finds

Ldm 1st CE semi-fine baggy jar?

Span Iron - Early Roman

Description and extent

154 is fill in east half of room brought down to level of 151 & 153
Kedesh

Unit CB38.155  Date dug 4 July  Locus CB38021.1

Beg. Levels 465.06  End levels 464.98
Under unit(s) 148  Over unit(s) —

Volume 23

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Dark brown hard-packed & sandy - some small rocks & plaster chunks

Pottery wt. 1.75

Ldm Early Roman CW
Span Persian - Early Roman

Other finds

Description and extent

155 was opened to further test into the remaining fill.

The area below the large threshold block on the (remainder) was more rocky there.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.154  Date dug 4/07

Beg. Levels

Under unit(s)

Volume

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Pottery wt.

Ldm
Span

Description and extent

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Other finds

LMM-NV + 959

End levels

Over unit(s)

Description and extent

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Diagram

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Kedesh

Unit CB38.157 Date dug 5 July
Locus CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.68
End levels 465.53

Under unit(s) 136, 137
Over unit(s) 156, 159, 160, 161

Volume

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Brown medium sanded sandy soil w/ list-grapefruit sized fieldstone

Pottery wt. 4.0

Ldm Early Hellenistic (P rim
Span Iron - Early Hell)

Other finds

Description and extent
157 covers the S half of the square room & goes from well to wall.
None of the east wall is exposed of plaster at the face.
157 covers char a some suroble may be cor pit or seem in brick.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.158 Date dug 5 Jul

Beg. Levels 465.53

End levels 464.76

Under unit(s) 157

Over unit(s) 169

Volume 72

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown medium packed & sandy w/ basketball sized boulders &
ashes

Pottery wt. 3.0

Other finds

Ldm Early Roman CW Frag (Potentially)
Span

Description and extent

158 is potentially a pit fill of boulders & ash. It was opened
because the noble appeared in a niche below the pit of 157.
Excavation revealed that the noble excavates north into the
temp. bank & we can see it there.

It may be that the noble extends east as well but we will see.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.159  Date dug 6 July  Locus CB38037

Beg. Levels 465.45  End levels 965.06 1441.56

Under unit(s) 157  Over unit(s) 169

Volume 35

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown, sandy, well-mixed, dry, undisturbed, no inclusions.

Pottery wt. 1.1

Ldm Hellenistic CW
Span Iron-Hell

Other finds

Description and extent

159 is the continuation of the pit excavated from 158. We are expanding the pit slightly to find its limits as it cuts the floor. No more big vats, however.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.160       Date dug 6 July

Locus C1338030

End levels 465.36

Beg. Levels 465.45

Over unit(s) 162

Under unit(s) 157

Volume 176

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Crumby brown hard-packed sandy soil w scattered bits of plaster

Pottery wt. 6.4

Ldm Koan + Necked Plain Rim CW

Span EB- HE1

Other finds

Bronze brooch +#260

Description and extent

160 is the fill in the SW corner of the room. This fill should continue down to the floor. Also, the pit (158 & 159) shall become more clear.

160 fill frags appear at 465.36
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.161    Date dug 6 July    Locus (1338030
Beg. Levels 465.45    End levels 465.36
Under unit(s) 157    Over unit(s) 162
Volume 60

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
   brown, hard-packed sandy w/moderate amount of fist-sized vorks

Pottery wt. 3.4    Other finds
   Ldm Hell fine ware/amphoriskos
   Span Iron-Hell

Description and extent
   #161 = 160 - 4

   161 is the fill in the eastern half of the south end of the square

- change units when 160 unit known upon finding.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.162 Date dug 6 July
Locus CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.36
End levels 465.24
Under unit(s) 160
Over unit(s) 164

Volume 30

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
light brown hard pack - some small stones & amp; sherds appear

Pottery wt. 1.8

Other finds
Ldm amphora, SF baggy jar (both removed), folded everted rim jug
Span Hell

Description and extent

162 opened at level where rough sherds began to appear.

162 = 163

162 & 163 & units below should be loused together as one deposit on the floor.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.163  Date dug 6 July  Locus CB38030
End levels 465.11
Beg. Levels 465.36
Under unit(s) 161
Over unit(s) 165
Volume 28

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
brown medium hard pack sandy, not much pottery or rocks

Pottery wt. 2.6 kg
Ldm mould-made frag, amphoriskos, semi fine
Span Iron - Hell

Other finds
10mm weights truck # 962
COM - INV # K06230 truck 961
K06C030 truck 961

Description and extent

163 = 162

163 is the continuation of fill down to the floor
this unit was opened along with 162
when amphoriskos appeared
in the west part of the fill (160).
163 came down on the floor in
theNW corner.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.164 Date dug 7 July

Locus CB38030

End levels

Over unit(s)

Defil lamp - Inv KEO6015

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Beg. Levels 465.34

Under unit(s) 162

Volume 8.7

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Light brown hard packed w/ sparse white plaster chips

Pottery wt. 12.0

Ldm ESA incised rim bowl

Span Iron-Roman

Description and extent

Hall is continuation of All due to floor in the SW corner of

More large things of pottery are coming up

Other finds

2 knives
lamp
Iron camelshaped

SF Night
Hemispherical

Diagram:

[Diagram of a room layout with labeled features]
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.165  Date dug 7 July
Locus CB38030
End levels 464.95

Beg. Levels 465.39

Under unit(s) 163

Over unit(s) 172, 174, 179, 180

Volume 110

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
dark brown hard packed with plaster chunks

Pottery wt. 6.0
Possible contamination
Ldm Span
Tiny frag of Roman CW  Lqm 70s  Koan  Cast glass bowl
2001-  Hejl

Other finds
Boxe
Ankora

nail

Glass inset

Description and extent

165 is the continuation of a wall to the east of the inner. In the corner are large chunks of well plastered amidst large rocks - probably wall ruin.

- in the bulk are large frp & jars
Kedesh

Unit CB3 8.166 Date dug 9 July

Locus CB38031

Beg. Levels U65.01

End levels 444.89

Under unit(s) 148

Over unit(s) 185

Volume 85

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Light brown-grey, medium-hard packed with lots of white limestone chunks and a moderate amount of mortar.

Pottery wt. 4.5 kg

Other finds

? - Ldm Canaanite IIIC. Span Iron-Her

Description and extent

166 is the floor made up of the remains of the floor in the NE corner. The floor is made up of 15-20 cm and reaches the wall in only 1 place along the S face of the NE wall. 1m from the bulk. The floor is not well preserved, especially in the N half of the unit where it is very patchy and very uneven.

We hope to also find more of the eastern wall as we go down.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.167  Date dug 9 July  

Beg. Levels Bank clean

Under unit(s)

Volume

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Pottery wt. 

Ldm

Span

Description and extent

South Bank clean.

Locus

End levels —

Over unit(s)
Kedesh

Unit CB38.168 Date dug 9 July

Locus CB38030

End levels 465.09

Beg. Levels 465.15

Over unit(s) 178

Under unit(s) 164

Volume 5

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
light brown, very hard packed with little to no incl.{}

Pottery wt. 0.1 kg

Ldm necked Pointed rim CP late 3rd
Other finds
Span HELL

Description and extent

168 is the rest of the fill sitting in front of the SW corner term. It is really the remainder of 164 from 7 July.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8-169  Date dug 9 July

Beg. Levels 465.11
Under unit(s) 159.2
Volume 24

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
brown sandy loamy packed in (lots of rubble - ballast sized to

Pottery wt. 5.5

Other finds
Ldm (Possible 2nd C. 56 for rim) otherwise nothing later
Span /

Description and extent
169 is continued excavating the pit in the middle
of the room. the big rubble continues down and yields to the sides
so we are expanding the limits of the pit to make sure we
get it all out.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.120   Date dug 9 July
Locus CB38034

Beg. Levels 4.65.42
End levels 4.65.04

Under unit(s) CB3.7.
Over unit(s)

Volume 10

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Light brown hard pack w/ soft boulder sized rubble

Pottery wt. 1.0

Ldm Local fire
Span /

Other finds

Description and extent

120 was opened to remove the flinty rubble over
will CB3.7.001. This wall continues south as the eastem plastered
wall of 3.8. Once unit 3.8.16e was taken down, we could
see that the remaining rubble in the intersecting walls CB3.7.001
CB38036 was floating. Nick removed the rubble and fill down
to the top of the foundation case of CB3.7.001
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.171  Date dug 10 July  Locus CB38033

Beg. Levels 465.07  End levels 464.62

Under unit(s) 164  Over unit(s) 175

Volume 26

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Very wavy dark brown sandy soil w/some white limestone flour material

Pottery wt. 7.0

Ldm Amphorae
Span /

Other finds

Description and extent

171 is the non-flour area in the southwest part of the square. The soil is very wavy, whereas the pottery 8 flour are soil not seen to be wavy. We are taking this tufulum to the level of where we stopped digging the pit.

This material (171, 172) should be reused together and separately from that above the flour.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.172  Date dug 10 July  Locus CB38033

Beg. Levels 465.08  End levels 465.01
Under unit(s) 165  Over unit(s) 176,181

Volume 10

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
light brown hard pack with 3-4 grapefruit-sized rocks - sandy soil

Pottery wt. 1.0
Ldm 3rd C. local fine
Span /

Other finds

Description and extent

172 is now flour material - very disturbed w/rocks & plaster
against the east wall in the same part of the room. We will
excavate it until the rocks are removed, also we will name
the plaster-clumps against the wall.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.173	Date dug 10 July	Locus CB38030

Beg. Levels 465.60	End levels 465.06

Under unit(s) 140

Over unit(s) —

Volume 4

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
- dark brown clay med-hard-packed; flakes chunks

Pottery wt. 0.5

Other finds
- Ldm late 3rd BCE grooved rim SF Saucer
- Span Iron–Hell

Description and extent

173 is several ft soil in platted wt part of eastern wall
very small unit (appunt)
be ended at bottom course of east wall.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.174  Date dug 10 July  Locus (B38032)

Beg. Levels 465.08  End levels 464.91
Under unit(s) 164  Over unit(s) 177

Volume 4

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
white/light brown, crumbly, floor material

Pottery wt. 0.8  Other finds
Ldm SF juglet frag, CP rim Persian
Span Iron-Persian

Description and extent
174 is the partial remnant of the NW floor-pat
in S. 1/4 B room.
Excavated most of the way down through the floor then
stopped to excavate elsewhere.

174
Kedesh

Unit CB38.175       Date dug 10 July       Locus CB38032
Beg. Levels 464.71       End levels 464.38
Under unit(s) 169.171       Over unit(s) 183
Volume 60

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
brown, loosely packed sandy soil and large rubble

Pottery wt. 4.8
Ldm 3rd c. BCE SF ung.
Span /

Other finds

Description and extent

The feature is the continued excavating of the rubble distribution in the middle of the room. It extends from the
north edge to from side wall to the back. The rubble
is large - grapefruit - basketball sized. Actually, it extends
to the south wall of room, which is visible in the slight
undercut

[Diagram of excavation unit]
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.176    Date dug 11 July
Locus CB38033

Beg. Levels 445.04    End levels 444.92
Under unit(s) 172, 165    Over unit(s) 181

Volume 6

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Dark brown hardpackd moist sandy soil, 2-3 soft ball-sized rocks

Pottery wt. 0.75

Ldm NNBC Persian CW
Span Iron-Persian

Description and extent

176 1m2 was excavated to remove a small patch of floor disturbance in the SE corner of the room. Some large rocks were sticking up above the floor level indicating the disturbance. This was removed to the level below surronding floor where there were no rocks.
Exposed in the bank above this unit are bone weights.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.177  Date dug 11 July  Locus CB38032

Beg. Levels 465.08
Under unit(s) 174

End levels 464.85
Over unit(s)

Volume 18

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
white limestone flour material of dark brown soil under, few inclusions.

Pottery wt. 1.Ø

Ldm  NNBC Persian - 2 X CW Body Shards
Span  Early Persian

Other finds

Description and extent

177 is the removal of flour material in the northwestern part of the southern area. This was a continued removal from yesterday (174). The fill beneath the floor is the same as the fill at the same level on the south (where 171 ended here).
Kedesh

Unit CB380.178    Date dug 11 July    Locus CB380.32
Beg. Levels 465.09    End levels 464.85
Under unit(s) 11e8    Over unit(s) —
Volume 32

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
White flour makeup of dark brown soil under moderate amount of black muck.

Pottery wt. 3.7

Other finds
Ldm NN Bla Persian antiquities, CW, SF
Span Early Persian

Description and extent
178 is the removal of the good floor patch in the SW corner. It is being done. The floor will be removed, cleaned, and the fill below taken down to the level of 465.0 just to the north (where 170 & 177 ended).

The floor here was in good condition, reaching both the S & W wells. Material should be considered scaled.
Kedesh

Unit CB 3.8.179    Date dug 11 July    Locus (B38031
Beg. Levels 465.10    End levels 464.89
Under unit(s) 165
Over unit(s) 182
Volume 16

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
White/brown floor makeup (small clumps & mace) moderate amount

Pottery wt. 7.6  
Ldm SF NNBL Persian
Span Early-Persian

Other finds

Description and extent

129 is the good pit of flour preserved at the NE part of the southern half of the room. The flour here is not well mixed, but fairly well preserved, even reaching the eastern wall in a few spots.

Below is a .1 to be excavated as scaled material.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.8
Date dug 11 July
Locus CB38031

Beg. Levels 465.14
End levels 444.94

Under unit(s) 145
Over unit(s) 181

Volume 4

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
White/brown floor makeup - chunky mixture w/ bone

Pottery wt. 0.4  
Ldm Persian - Red slipped jug handle

Other finds

Description and extent

180 is the floor makeup along the south bank, removed & unit closed.
Unit CB3.8.181  Date dug 11 July
Locus CB38031.1

Beg. Levels 463.96
End levels 464.70

Under unit(s) 472, 172, 176, 180
Over unit(s) —

Volume 24

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
   dark brown moist soil with a moderate amount of small rocks & chips of the red-painted plaster

Pottery wt. 1.0
   Ldm local fine drooping rim saucer, 3rd C.
   Glass beads

Other finds
   Glass beads

Description and extent

181 is the fill below the patchy floor 180 & the rocky disturbances in the floor 172 & 176. The fill in 181 is consistently dark brown with few inclusions until the bottom of the unit where the color changes to a lighter brown/orange color. We closed the unit at this level because of this soil change. And because it was at the level where...
Kedesh

Unit CB38.182 Date dug 11 July

Beg. Levels 464.89

End levels 464.70

Under unit(s) 464.179

Over unit(s) —

Volume 48

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

dark brown moist sandy soil with few rocks & a few fist-sized plaster chunks

Pottery wt. 3.3

Ldm NNBL Persian

Span /

Other finds

Description and extent

182 is the sealed fill below the well preserved pithos of floor 179. The removal of this fill revealed that the east wall is flat now - we knew this from the excavations

Other notes:

this shall be file 1 for the loci of the floor along w/ 181?
Kedesh

Unit CB38.183 Date dug 11 July Locus CB38032

Begin Levels 464.53 End levels 464.34

Under unit(s) 175 Over unit(s) —

Volume 8

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Dark crumby brown soil, moist, w/ a few small-sized rodes

Pottery wt. 0.8 Other finds 5 larger flaked pieces at the earlier level.

Ldm Persion Span /

Description and extent

183 is a leveling off of the lowest part of the square. This was the bottom of the remined of the layer, which disturbance that cut most of the White crumby inverte.
Kedesh

Unit CB3.8.184  Date dug 12 July  Locus CB38032.2
Beg. Levels 4.64.91  End levels 4.64.71
Under unit(s) 164
Over unit(s) —
Volume 64

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
light brown loam (moderate amount fist-sized rocks & few sheer sherd)

Pottery wt. 5.5

Other finds
Ldm 4th c. BCE import black-slip ledge rim bowl
Span /

Description and extent
Sealed fill below NE floor path
Swing large Hobbe.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.185  Date dug 12 July
Locus CB38034.1

Beg. Levels 464.94  End levels 464.67
Under unit(s) 166  Over unit(s) —

Volume 5

Soil: color, texture, inclusions
Light brown, red to red-brown packed up with small rocks, plaster flour chunks
(see millilograms painted on unit)

Pottery wt. 4.5 kg  Other finds

Ldm
Span early - early

Description and extent

Sealed fill below NE floor. Path in corner
Kedesh

Unit 186  Date dug 12 July  Locus CB38031.1

Beg. Levels 4A1 96
Under unit(s) 166

Volume 15

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Pottery wt. 1.5 kg

Other finds

Ldm Iron
Span Iron

Description and extent

Rubble patch along east wall. Rubble is a line
with the previously uncovered rubble in west half of square.
This is not small rubble but large boulders - may be wall.
Kedesh

Unit CB38.187    Date dug 13 July

Beg. Levels Bank cleaning

End levels

Under unit(s)

Volume

Soil: color, texture, inclusions

Pottery wt.

Other finds

Ldm

Span

Description and extent

large white necked jar
in east bank
also some lamnights.