



The Sill / Site

Hostel and Visitor Centre / Walltown Quarry, Northumberland

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Introduction

Figure 1

Hadrian's Wall
Stewart Laker (2009)



Figure 3

Steel Rigg
Graham Hedley (2010)



Figure 4

Roman Well
Jessica H (2012)



Figure 2

ilecastle 39,
Hadrian's Wall
Jason Friend (2010)



Figure 5

Gloaming
Graham White (2008)



Figure 6
Country level location



Figure 7
Local level location



Figure 8
Precise location



Figure 9

Hadrian's Wall
(Own Photos)





The Site

Figure 10
1:5000 Site Map



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Site Locations



Figure 12

View from Rabbit Heugh





Figure 13
Rabbit Heugh



Figure 14
View of Whin Sill



Figure 15
Quarry Lake and Whin Sill



Figure 16
Walttown Carpark



Figure 17
Rabbit Heugh and Walttown
Carpark



Figure 18
Quarry Lake and Whin Sill

Figure 19
Views



Evolution of Walltown Quarry

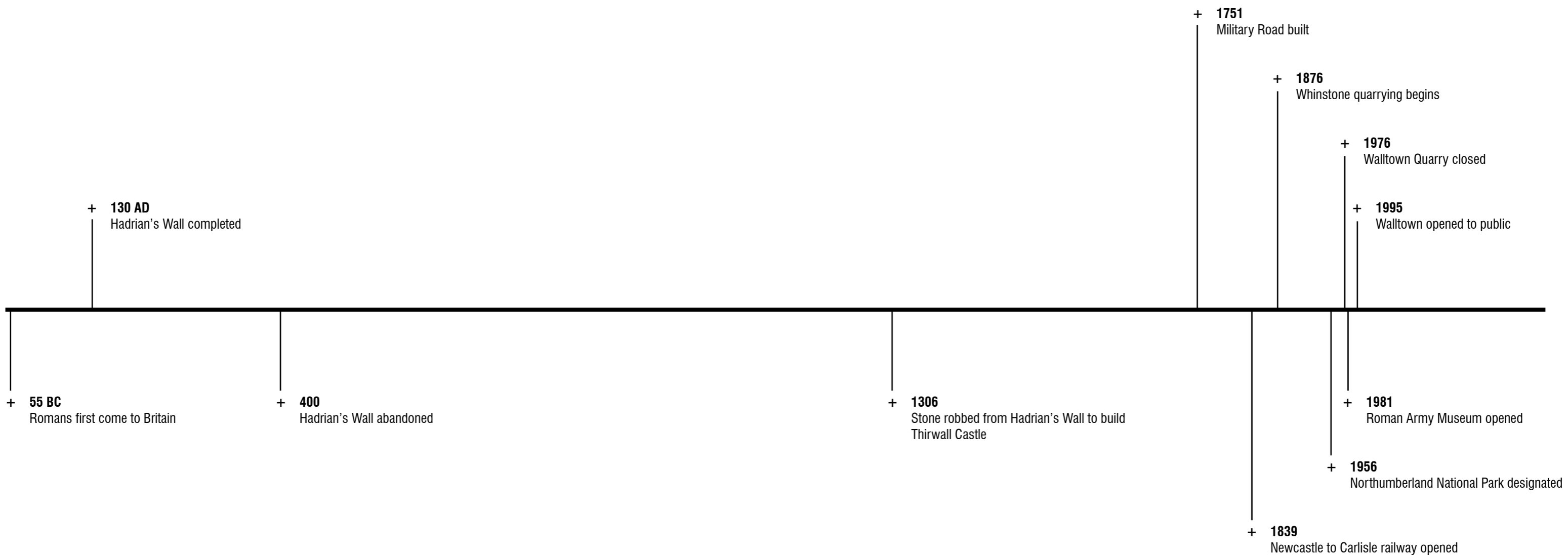


Figure 20

1:5000 Site Map
with National Trails and
course of Hadrian's Wall



National Trails

The site at Walltown Quarry near Greenhead is ideal for a Visitor Centre and Hostel. It marks a meeting point of three high profile national trails.

'The Pennine Way is a 268 miles National Trail chasing the Pennine Mountain tops along the rugged backbone of England, from the Peak District through the Yorkshire Dales and over Hadrian's Wall to the Cheviots. Amongst the finest upland walking in England.'

'Hadrian's Wall Path National Trail is the long-distance footpath that runs through the World Heritage Site. 84 miles of glorious walking through rugged moorland, rolling fields and dynamic urban landscape.'

Hadrian's Cycleway stretches 174 miles 'the length of Hadrian's Wall. Offering magnificent coastal views, breathtaking countryside, roman forts and museums, inspiring modern attractions, quaint villages and attractive market towns, all set in a World Heritage Site the freedom of cycling in this unspoilt area.'

Figure 21

Sycamore Gap
Hadrian's Wall
Bruce Robertson (2011)



Figure 22

The Penine Way
Jonathan W (2007)



Figure 23

NCN Milepost
Felix van de Gein (2009)





Site Analysis

Figure 24
Sunlight



Figure 25
Wind

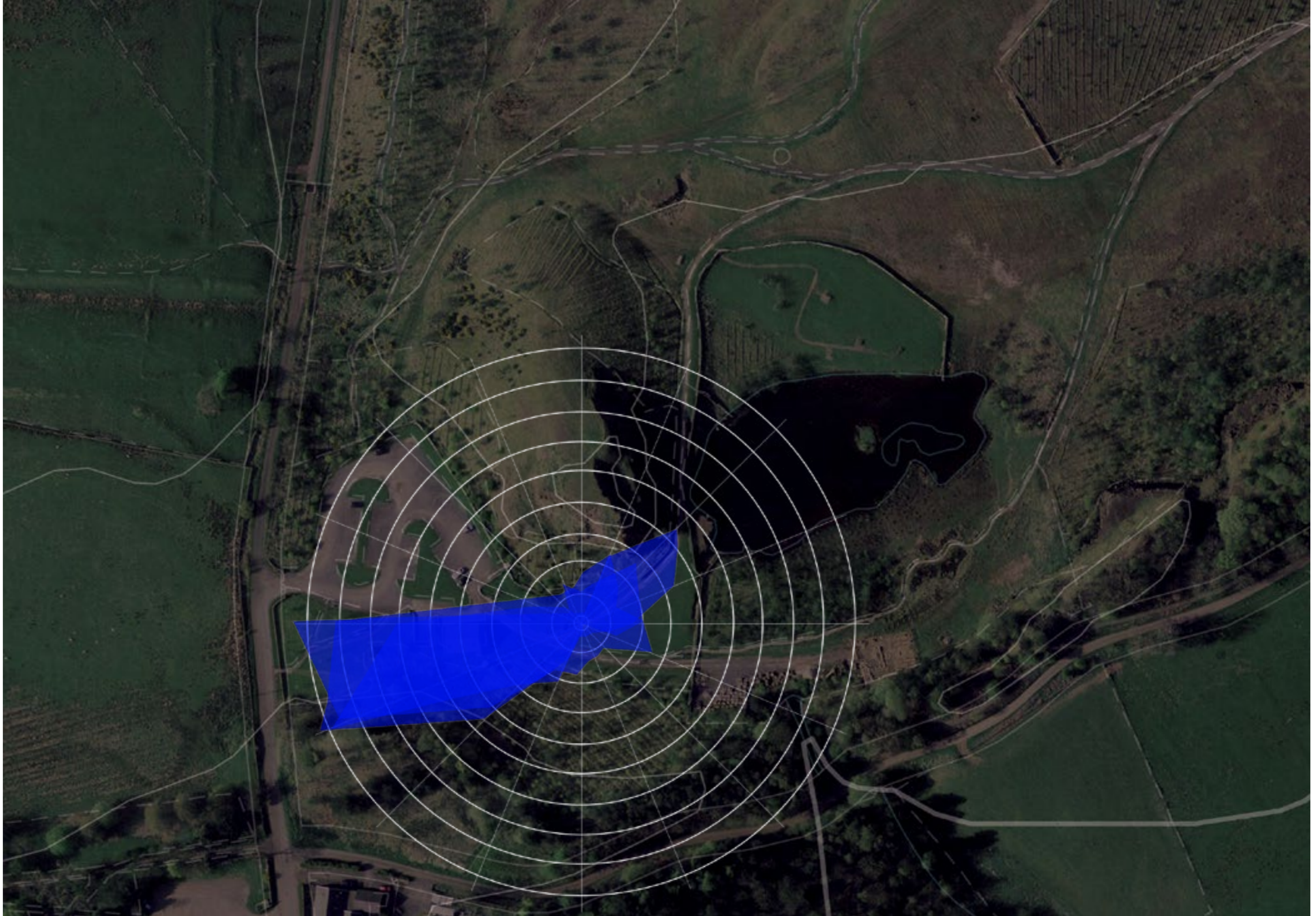


Figure 26
Access



Figure 27

Moss on a Dry Stone Wall
Dan (2013)



Figure 28

Moss on a Dry Stone Wall



Figure 29

Moss on a Dry Stone Wall



Figure 30

Rabbit Heugh



Figure 31

Rabbit Heugh
Dan (2013)



Figure 32

Rabbit Heugh
Dan (2013)





Site Models



Figure 33

1:5000 Site Model
Course of Hadrian's Wal



Figure 34

1:5000 Site Model
Course of Hadrian's Wall



Figure 35
1:5000 Site Model
Course of Hadrian's Wal

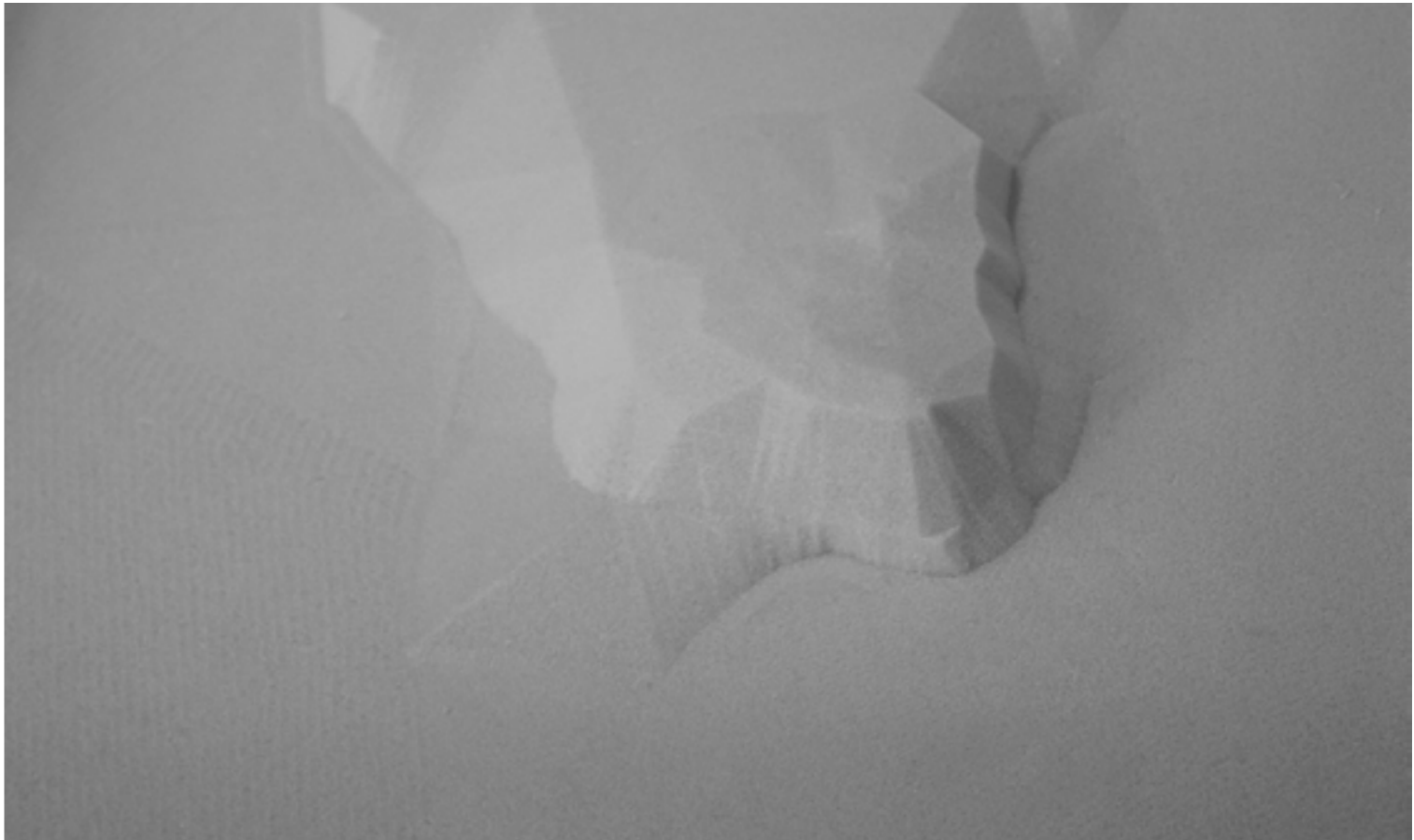


Figure 36
1:500 Site Model
Rabbit Heugh



Figure 37
1:500 Site Model



Figure 38
1:500 Site Model