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Ultrasonic Cleaning Procedure Form

Ceramic Fragment Information

Archaeological site:	
Archaeological unit:	
Inventory number:	

Technological Features

Part of the vase:	<i>(rim, base, handle, non-diagnostic sherd...)</i>
Decoration:	<i>(decoration description, if applicable)</i>
Surface treatments (internal and external):	<i>(burnished, irregular, levelled...)</i>
Ceramic paste:	<i>(type of temper, temper size, porosity...)</i>
Ceramic firing:	<i>(reduction firing, oxidation firing...)</i>
Use wear traces:	<i>(use-wear traces description, if applicable)</i>
Other observations:	

Preliminary taphonomic characterization

Taphonomic observations:	<i>(state of the piece, presence of adhesions, concretions, cracks, etc.)</i>	
Previous photographic documentation of the piece:		
	FRONT	BACK
	<i>(photo of the front)</i>	<i>(Photo of the back)</i>
Previous microscopic documentation of the piece:		
<i>(photographs of calcareous concretions, adhered dirt, etc.)</i>		

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Procedure Documentation

Distilled water:	<i>(brand, pH, chemical composition)</i>
Neutral detergent:	<i>(brand, pH, chemical composition...)</i>
Solution concentration:	<i>(% of detergent)</i>
Water temperature:	<i>(°C/°F)</i>
Cleaning time:	<i>(minutes)</i>
Ultrasound frequency:	<i>(kHz)</i>
Placement of the sherd:	<i>(container material, use of zip bags...)</i>

Post-Cleaning Assessment

Taphonomic observations:	<i>(state of the piece after the cleaning)</i>	
Final photographic documentation of the piece:		
FRONT		BACK
<i>(photo of the front)</i>		<i>(Photo of the back)</i>
Final microscopic documentation of the piece:		
<i>(photographs documenting the degree of cleaning and recording any damage)</i>		