

A grave in J7

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Since around 2000, the region has not experienced a winter harsher than this one, except for 2018. Due to the heavy rainfall over the past five days, some collapses have been observed on site. Overall, these collapses do not appear to have caused significant damage, but, what drew particular attention was a small collapse in **J7**, with the approximate location shown in Fig 1. The collapse revealed a grave containing a skeleton and some mud bricks, as shown in Fig 2.

Any excavation in the area requires the expedition to be present on-site and an official decision to be made. Therefore, it was not possible to carry out any work other than concealing the grave to prevent tampering. As a precautionary measure, we have re-covered the grave with soil as much as possible, as shown in Fig 3.



Figure 1

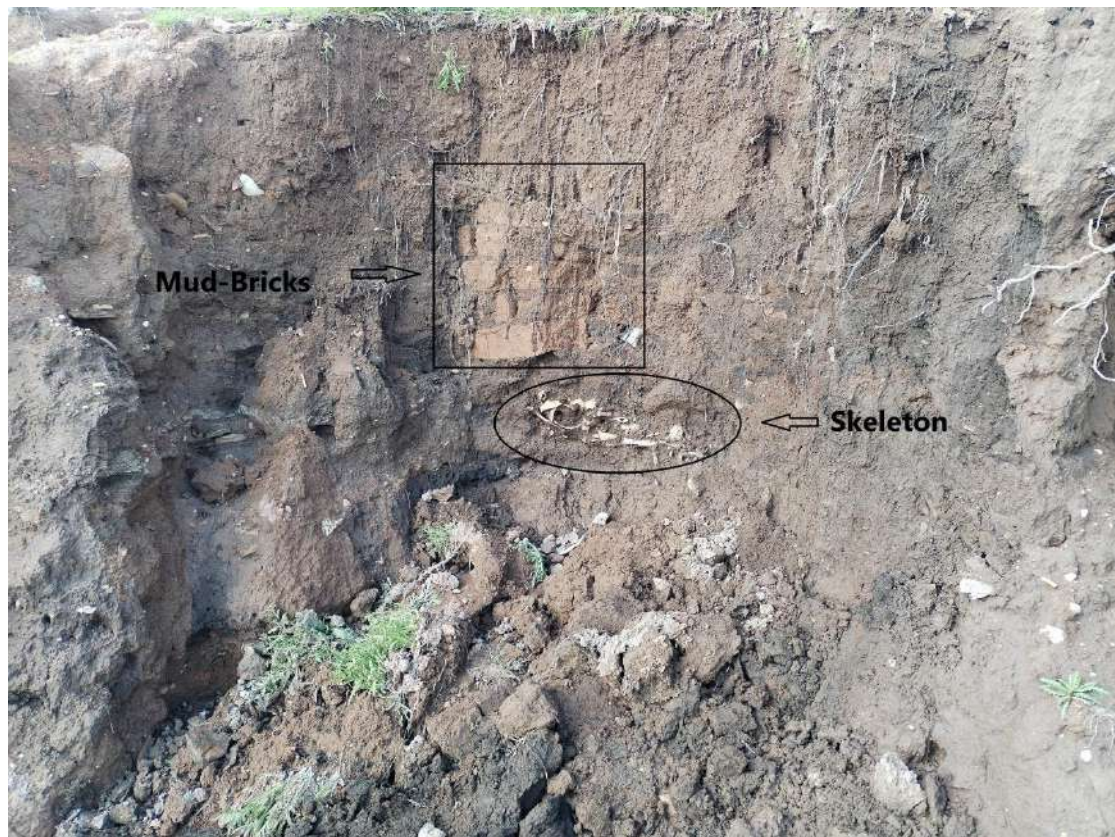


Figure 2



Figure 3