

DIGITAL RESOURCES FOR THE STUDY OF VIKING ARCHAEOLOGY

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Wider context

- The Virtual Museum
 - Stand-alone or follow up to visit
- Convergence of media – TV, internet, radio
 - e.g. History of the World in 100 objects
- Convergence of archives, museums, and online resources
- Blurring of traditional publication and online dissemination
- Blurring of publication and archive
- Open Access movement
- Open Data requirements

So what's out there already?

Google searches vs trusted sources

- Heritage Gateway – Historic England & HERs
 - City of York HER
- Archaeology Data Service – national digital repository
 - National records
 - Archives
 - Journal backruns
- Portable Antiquities Scheme
- Fitzwilliam Museum EMC
- Corpus of Anglo-Saxon Stone Sculpture
- Internet Archaeology – Gold OA journal
- Viking World-Tree Project

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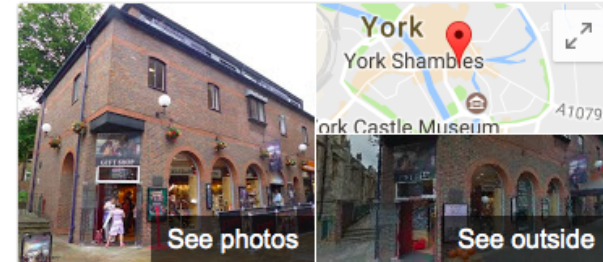
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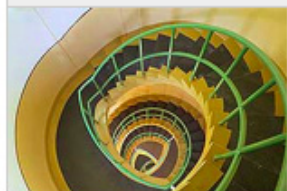
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- When = Date Range (800AD - 1050AD)

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Summary Results **View Results on a Map**

Statutory Data

[The National Heritage List for England](#) 202 results



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[The Historic Environment Record for](#)

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| Greater London HER | 148 results |    |
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North Yorkshire HER



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AINSBUROOK SITE

 **Historic England NRHE Excavation Index for England**

Evaluation and excavation of the site of a Viking period hoard recorded a disturbed burial with grave goods and a large Bronze Age enclosure. Metal detectorists had previously removed '7000' artefacts from the site, the location of which is kept secret.

NORTH YORKSHIRE


2012 OLYMPICS RELIEF ROAD

 **Historic England NRHE Excavation Index for England**

Excavation for the 2012 Olympics Relief Road revealed a mass grave of decapitated Vikings from the St Brice's Day Massacre of 1002.

DORSET


9 ST SAVIOURGATE

 **Historic England NRHE Excavation Index for England**

Excavation within the basement of the 1960s office block prior to improvements revealed Roman, Viking and medieval activity. A unique collection of Viking age metal work was recovered from an iron cauldron within a deep rubbish pit. Funded by Keir Construction (Northern).

YORK

ANGLOSCANDINAVIAN NORWICH

 **Historic England NRHE Excavation Index for England**

Assessment to collate and present data for the Interreg IIC North Sea Viking Legacy Project.

NORFOLK

AnglianDanishViking crosses and hogbacked Viking tombstones at St Wilfrids
Burnsall**Yorkshire Dales National Park Historic Environment Record**

The Viking hog-backed gravestones preserved in the church (another one,

Archaeological Evaluation of the Anglo-Saxon and Viking site at Torksey, Lincolnshire

Julian D Richards, Dawn Hadley, 2016

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Introduction

The Anglo-Saxon Chronicle records that, in the winter of 872-3 AD, the Viking Great Army overwintered at *Turcesige*. While long assumed to have occurred in the vicinity of the present-day village of Torksey on the River Trent, c 14km NW of Lincoln, only now has the site of the Viking winter camp been precisely located. Metal detector users began to report their finds to the late Mark Blackburn, at the Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge, in the 1980s. Developing this collaboration we have been able to identify the location and extent of the camp, which is spread over six fields, north of the modern village and east of the Trent. Torksey is also well known archaeologically for the development of Torksey ware, a pottery industry of the late 9th to 11th century, by which time Torksey was a significant town, with a mint, at least four churches and several cemeteries.



The aim of the Torksey evaluation was to complete a catalogue of the numismatic and metalwork evidence and to undertake an archaeological assessment using field-walking, metal-detector survey and geophysics, in order to understand the extent and development of the landscape and the Viking camp. Our project has revealed the large scale of the area occupied (some 55 hectares) and the huge amount of artefactual material that was lost or discarded over a single winter, providing evidence for a wide range of activities, including exchange, metal processing and craft working. By the cut-off date for the current investigation of August 2015 a total of 1572 finds had been catalogued. The project has also helped us understand the nature of the 9th-century landscape, which is now masked by several metres of windblown sand. Although this has limited the effectiveness of geophysical survey our test excavations have shown that, in places, the sand may also protect earlier levels. We have also investigated the Anglo-Saxon town that developed in the wake of the over-wintering, including its cemeteries, and the growth of the Torksey pottery industry.

Our evaluation has been published as Hadley, D.M. and Richards, J.D. (2016) 'The Winter Camp of the Viking Great Army AD 872-3: Torksey, Lincolnshire', in *Proceedings of the Society of Antiquaries of London*, 136, 1-15.

A Viking-age cemetery at Cumwhitton, Cumbria.

Oxford Archaeology North, Historic England, 2015

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Introduction

In March 2004, a Cumbrian metal detectorist was given permission to examine farmland on the western edge of Cumwhitton (NY 503 525), a small village in the Eden Valley, south-east of Carlisle. There he found an object in the ploughsoil which was subsequently identified as a Viking oval brooch of ninth or tenth-century date. These are almost always found in pairs, and in a burial context. Peter Adams therefore returned to the site and did indeed find a second brooch. Given the rarity of these in England, this was clearly of national importance, so funding was secured for an evaluation of the findspot, to ascertain whether the brooches really did come from a burial. A grave was located, containing only fragments of skull at the west end, which had clearly been disturbed by recent ploughing, though it was still richly furnished with grave goods. The presence of the oval brooches strongly implied that this was the burial of a high-status woman.

Several more artefacts of early medieval date were found in the surrounding ploughsoil by metal detecting during the evaluation. These included fragments of another oval brooch, a key, and part of a sword, suggesting that the grave had been part of a cemetery. Due to the threat of further plough damage an excavation to record this important site was then funded by English Heritage in the summer of 2004, as it was under immediate threat from ploughing. In total, six burials were found, all dating to the early tenth century, though almost no skeletal material survived because of the acidic nature of the soil.

Though the material was poorly preserved, the careful and detailed process of excavation, conservation, and analysis was proposed to maximise the wealth of information that could be recovered from these objects concerning their original appearance, manufacture, and use.



A view of Grave 2-6 in the main part of the cemetery.
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Culture and Gender in the Danelaw: Scandinavian and Anglo-Scandinavian Brooches, 850-1050

Jane Kershaw, 2012

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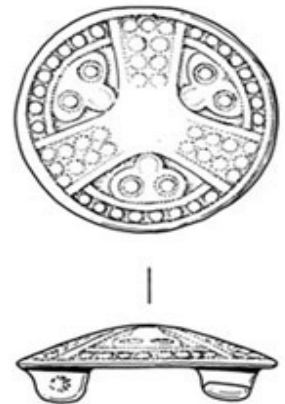
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Introduction

Over the past 30 years, hundreds of new finds of Viking-Age metalwork have been brought to light, mainly as a result of metal-detecting. Particularly prominent among the new material are female personal ornaments (brooches and pendants), in both Scandinavian and Anglo-Scandinavian styles. While several brooches and pendants recorded by the Portable Antiquities Scheme are now in the public domain, information relating to many more remains difficult to access in county HERs or regional museum archives. Accordingly, they are presented and illustrated here as a group, for the first time.

This database brings together all known examples of such dress items recorded in England before December 2008. It is structured according to brooch or pendant type and sub-type, and also provides information relating to the artefact's findspot, dimensions, current location, state of preservation and bibliography. Since the find location of the material is potentially sensitive, only 4-figure Grid References have been provided.

This research forms the basis of the book *Viking Identities: Scandinavian Jewellery in England*, which contains a broader discussion of the material, as well as artefact distribution maps.



The Viking and Anglo-Saxon Landscape and Economy (VASLE) Project

Julian D Richards, John Naylor, Caroline Holas-Clark, 2008

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Introduction

In the last fifteen years the role of metal-detected objects in the study of Anglo-Saxon and Anglo-Scandinavian England has greatly increased through reporting to the [Portable Antiquities Scheme \(PAS\)](#) and the [Early Medieval Corpus \(EMC\)](#). There are now thousands more artefacts and coins known than a decade ago which, in conjunction with fieldwork, have the potential to revolutionise our understanding of the early medieval period. The Viking and Anglo-Saxon Landscape and Economy (VASLE) project was the first attempt to examine this data on a national scale. Such an approach enables the detailed analysis of the nature of portable antiquities data, the biases within such datasets and the relationship between patterns of recovery and historic settlement. In the light of these new interpretations of the overall datasets, the most artefact- and coin-rich sites, known as 'productive sites', can be analysed within a new framework of understanding. This digital archive is a major outcome of the VASLE project, funded by AHRC research grant APN18370. Access is provided to two datasets: a national database for finds dated to AD c.700-1050; and a sites database providing further information about finds recovered from over 65 so-called 'productive sites'. The archive should be used in conjunction with the report of the VASLE project, "[Anglo-Saxon landscape and economy: using portable antiquities to study Anglo-Saxon and Viking Age England](#)", published in Internet Archaeology. Our intention in making the full digital data available is to allow others to test our conclusions and to continue working within this fruitful field of research.



Society of Antiquaries of London Catalogue of Drawings and Museum Objects

Society of Antiquaries of London, 2005

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[BAA 104](#) [Humpbacked gravestone from York](#)

[BAA 189](#) [Hogback tombstone](#)

Attached letter from James Lang of New College Durham, attributes it to Brompton, Northallerton, Yorks.

[Early Medieval Antiqs 69.8](#) [Viking silver penannular brooch from Cumbria](#)

The engraving shows the silver penannular brooch found with a torque in a crevice in the rock on the north side of Orton Scar, at Crosby Ravensworth, in April 1847, and given to the Society of Antiquaries by Thomas ...

[LDSAL 428](#) [Axehead from the Thames at Kingston](#)

Iron battleaxe in the form of a 'bearded axe', which has a curved edge drooping towards the shaft.

[MS 700/III/5 11.5](#) [Anglo-Saxon objects from Linton, Cambridgeshire](#)

[MS 700/III/5 37.1](#) [Viking silver hoard from Cuerdale, Lancashire](#)

The hoard consists of miscellaneous fragments of silver, bracelets, and ingots, which were found in 1840 in a leaden chest. The objects were associated with coins from Russia, and Worsaae, in his note attached to ...

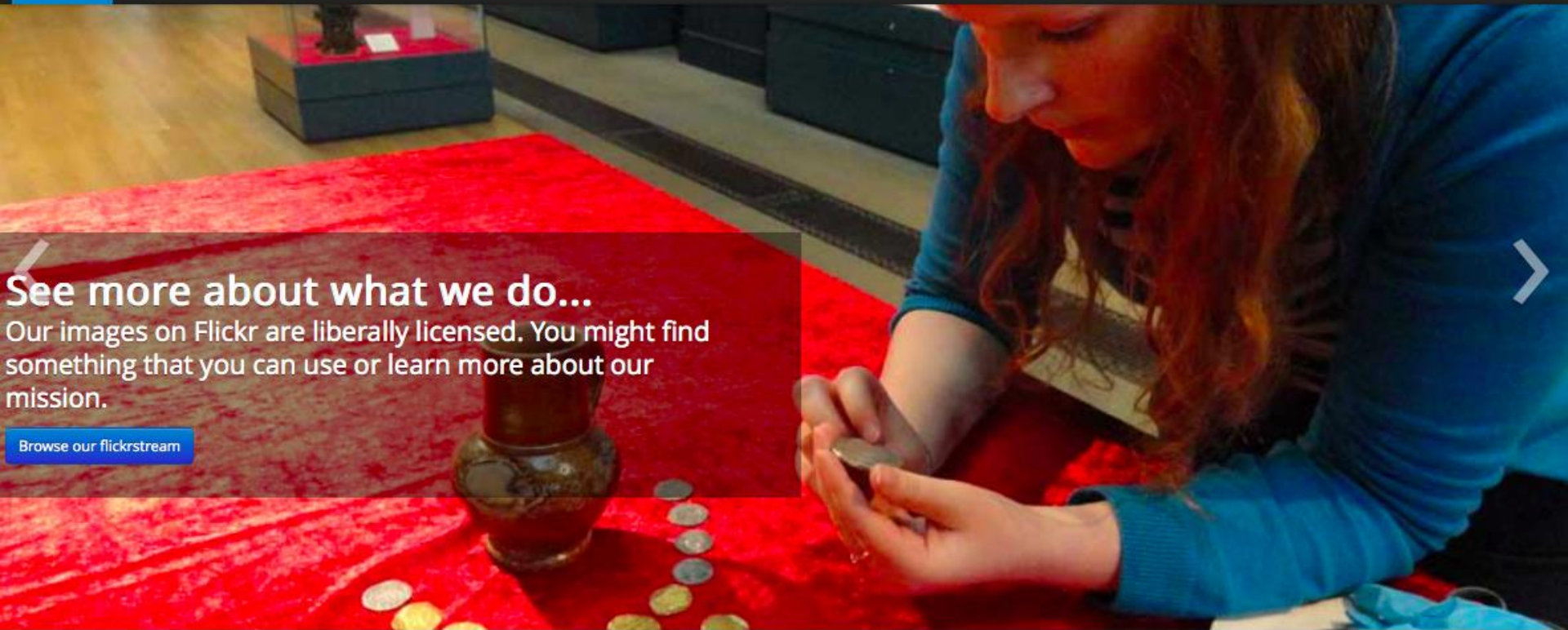
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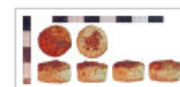
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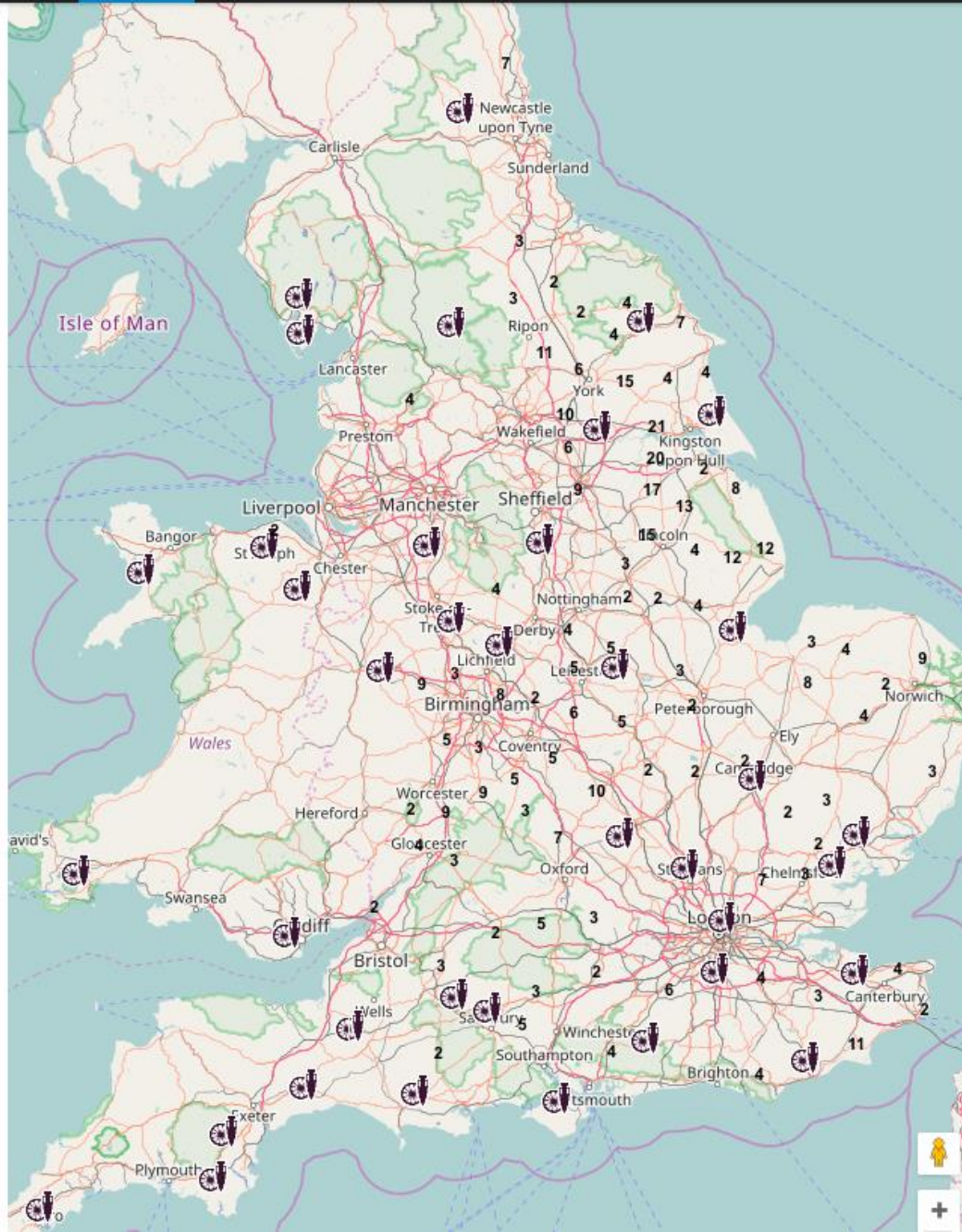
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Early Medieval Corpus of Coin Finds

Sylloge of Coins of the British Isles



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Type: N 489 (Ebraice Civitas (Cross Pattée)) (895-902)

Mint: York, moneyer uncertain.

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Type: N 499 (Cunnetti) (895-902)

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Search Result: Sockburn 07, Durham

Overview



Object Type: Part of cross-shaft.

Measurements: H.115.5 cm (45.5 in); W. 28 > 23 cm (11 > 9.75 in); D. 20.25 > 17 cm (8 > 6.75 in)

Stone: Medium-/coarse-grained yellow sandstone

(There may be more views or larger images available for this item. Click on the thumbnail image to view.)

National Grid Reference of Place of Discovery

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Present Location

Conyers Chapel

Evidence for Discovery

Found in 1900 in foundations of preNorman chancel: Knowles 1896-1905b, plan on 107

Stone Type

Medium-/coarse-grained yellow sandstone

Present Condition

Broken at top but unworn

Church Dedication

All Saints

Description

Each panel is deeply recessed leaving a plain flat-band moulding.

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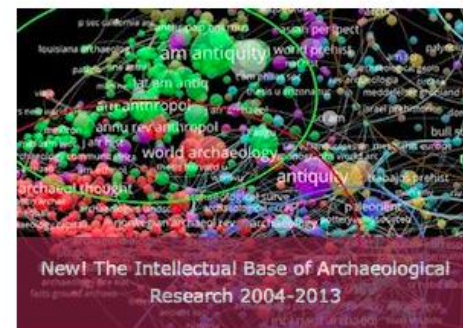
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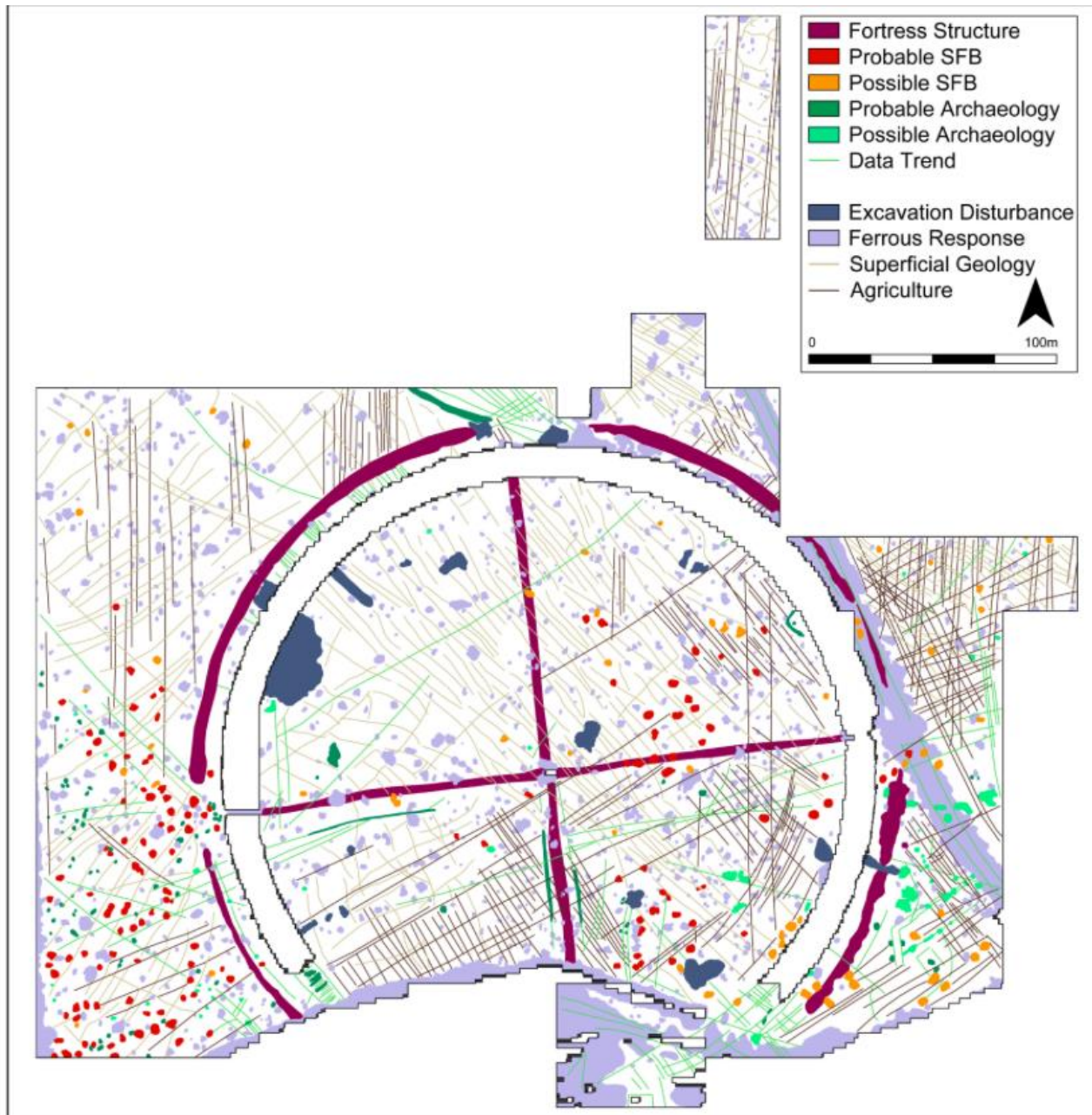
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This article revisits the archaeology of the Viking-age settlement and ring fortress at Aggersborg, Denmark, based on a large-scale geophysical survey using magnetic gradiometry and ground-penetrating radar, as well as legacy excavation data. Late 10th-century Aggersborg, the largest known fortress in Viking-age Scandinavia, commanded a key position at the narrow strait of the Limfjord, a principal sailing route between the Baltic and the North Sea. Previous excavations established that this location was on the site of an earlier settlement, which was burned-down prior to the construction of the fortress. The character and extent of this prior activity, however, have hitherto remained ill-defined.

The geophysical survey identifies previously unknown elements of the fortress structures and elucidates the extent and character of the earlier settlement. The analysis is combined with a comprehensive reconsideration of primary data from early excavations, and





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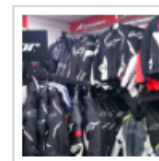
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