

HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL



FIELD MONUMENTS

ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

1 SITE CODE									
H N C O 2 N W 0 0 1									
2 NGR		3 QUAL							
N C 0 3 9 7 2 8 1 8		C E							
6 SITE NAME									
A N D U N									
10 GENERIC TYPE									
BURIAL CIST +									
BURIAL, INHUMATION									
14 PERIOD/DATE					15 DATING METHOD				
BA ?					TYP				
18 SHAPE									
OVAL									
19 THREAT AND DATE									

4 DISTRICT		5 PARISH	
SUTHERLAND		ASSYNT	
7 AREA STATUS	8 SITE STATUS	9 REGIONAL STATUS	
	STANDING STRUCTURE	MOUND	
11 CONCORDANCE	12 FORM	13 DIMENSIONS	
OS NC 02 NW 1		c40.0m x 28.0m	
16 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS	17 CONDITION		
	INCOMPLETE		

20 LAND USE		21 GEOLOGY	
ENCLOSED PASTURE			
22 SOILS		23 VEGETATION	
24 HYDROLOGY/DRAINAGE		25 RELIEF	
		GENTLE SLOPE TO SHORE	
		26 ASPECT	27 ALTITUDE
		W	8m=13m OD

28 EXCAVATION (EXCAVATOR: DATE: EXTENT: QUALITY)

29 BIBLIOGRAPHY (AUTHOR: DATE: TITLE: JOURNAL OR PUBLISHER: VOLUME: DETAIL)

1. : : 1971: ORDNANCE SURVEY: 1:10,000:
2. : : 1911: R.C.A.H.M.S.: : 7: No 21. (SUTHERLAND INVENTORY)
3. : : 1875: OBJECT NAME BOOK: : :

30 GROUND PLAN NO.

31 GROUND PHOTO NO.

32 SLIDES NO.

33 HR. AP. NO.

34 NMR. AP. NO.

35 OTHER AP. NO.: SOURCE

36 ARCHIVE AND LOCATION

37 GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY

38 SAMPLES

39 PALYNOLOGY

40 NUMERICAL DATES: RANGE: LAB NO.

41 SMALL FINDS

42 MUSEUM/LOCATION

43 OTHER

44 NAME & ADDRESS OF OWNER

45 ATTITUDE OF OWNER

46 NAME & ADDRESS OF TENANT

47 ATTITUDE OF TENANT

48 ACCESS & RESTRICTIONS

49 NAME & ADDRESS OF FINDER/RECORDER: DATE

50 RECORDER: DATE

51 CHECK: DATE

NM 20.12.84

SEM 20.12.84

52 TEXT

' An Dun, Stoer: The OS map indicates a construction "An Dun" towards the NW end of Loch-an-Aigeis, and between the loch and the bay of Stoer, but there is nothing now observable on the site. An Dun: A large elevated mound situated about 1/4 mile S of the village of Stoer. In opening the mound in 1871, the Rev James Joass discovered a large stone coffin containing a complete skeleton, which was replaced in the mound with the exception of the skull which was taken to Dunvaluin Castle and is now in the possession of the Duke of Sutherland. The above is believed to be associated with the broch about 1/4 mile to the SE (NC 02 NW 2). This mound seems to have been a prominent dune, which has been quarried for sand over the years. All that survives is an oval hummocky grassy area c.40.0m SE-NW x 28.0m NE-SW rising to a maximum height of 1.5m in the SE. (OSFI:AA:31.7.74).