

# HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL



# FIELD MONUMENTS

## ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

1 SITE CODE									
H	N	D	0	5	N	E	0	2	0
2 NGR									
N	D	0	7	2	0	5	5	3	C
3 QUAL									
6 SITE NAME									
D	O	R	R	E	R	Y			
10 GENERIC TYPE									
BURIAL CAIRN, ROUND, CISTED									
14 PERIOD/DATE					15 DATING METHOD				
BA					TYP				
18 SHAPE									
CIRCULAR									
19 THREAT AND DATE									

4 DISTRICT		5 PARISH	
CAITHNESS		HALKIRK	
7 AREA STATUS	8 SITE STATUS	9 REGIONAL STATUS	
11 CONCORDANCE	12 FORM	13 DIMENSIONS	
OND 05 NE 20	STANDING STRUCTURE	8.5m DIAM.	
16 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS		17 CONDITION	
		INCOMPLETE	
20 LAND USE		21 GEOLOGY	
ROUGH PASTURE			
22 SOILS		23 VEGETATION	
24 HYDROLOGY/DRAINAGE		25 RELIEF	26 ASPECT
		GENTLE HILLSLOPE	NNW
		27 ALTITUDE	
		114=122m OD	

28 EXCAVATION (EXCAVATOR: DATE: EXTENT: QUALITY)

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

1. ORDNANCE SURVEY: 1907: 6" MAP.
2. RCAHMS: 1911: CAITHNESS INVENTORY: HMSO: :p38 No 134.
3. MERCER R.J.: 1985: A FIELD SURVEY IN N. SCOTLAND: EUP: VOL 3: p217 No FOR 468.
4. ORDNANCE SURVEY: 1963: 6" MAP.

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
	AM: 7.8.1985	DY 14.8.1985

52 TEXT

"(ND 0720 5554) Mound." (1).

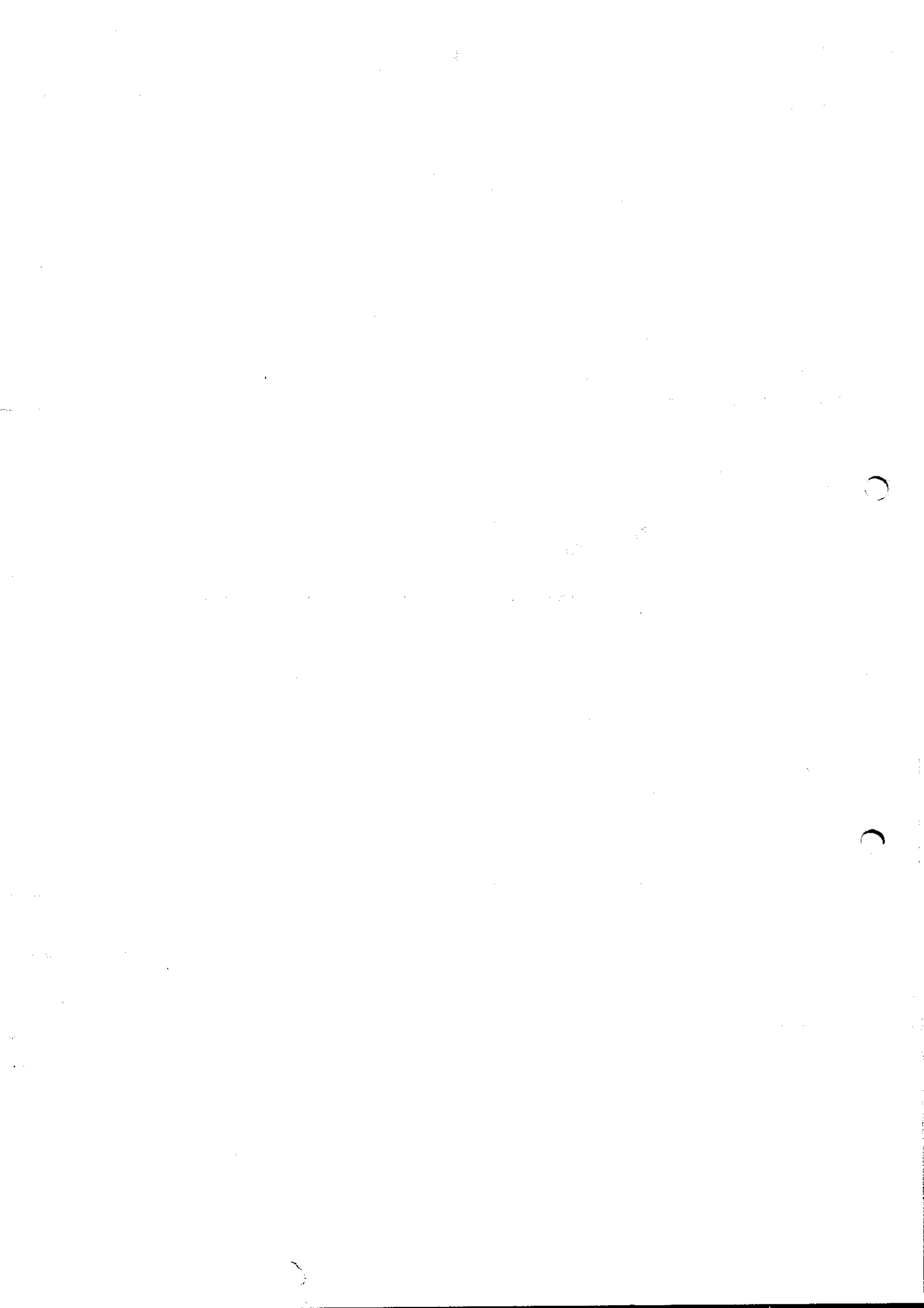
"This cairn has a diameter of about 40 ft and a height of about 4 ft. On the top, near the centre, a cist lying NE-SW has been exposed; it is 3ft 8ins in length by 1 ft 6 ins in breadth. The slabs forming one end and one side alone remain. At the edge of the cairn towards the S, a thin slab, et upwards, 2ft 6ins in breadth, protrudes through the turf to a height of 1ft 3ins; its significance is not apparent."(2).

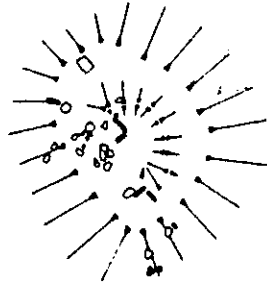
"The remains of this cairn are as described by the RCAHM." (OSFI:NKB:12.2.1965).

"(ND 07205553 Cairn." (4).

"A cairn 8.5m diameter and , in the NE half, 0.7m high; the cist is as described by the RCAHM. The slab noted in the S edge of the cairn is a kerb-stone and there are another two, marginally displaced, in the W arc." (OSFI:JM:3.7.1981).

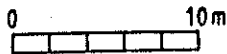
"See continuation card for text of 3."





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(3).



468. Chambered cairn. Dimensions: 14m x 13.50m. Height: 1.50m. Circular bracken-covered mound, with a semicircular bank 6.50m in external diameter and 1.50m wide on top, with its open end to the SW. Some upright stones visible, one on the periphery and five in the centre of the cairn. Orientation: NNW-SSE. Elevation: 375' OD. ND 072555. O.S. Card ND 05 NE 20. RCAHMS (1911) Caithness, 38. No. 134. (Fig. 17)

