





**OA ID** 200 **ESHER No:** MES7884 **NMR No:** 1425797 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51500 99300

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Site of Second World War pillbox shown on a 1941 German map of British defences near Exceat Bridge. The pillbox was constructed in 1940-41 and built of reinforced concrete. Field work in 1997 located no traces of the structure.(1).

Not seen when visited in October 2010. No evidence for any structure on the ground.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 201 **ESHER No:** MES7848 **NMR No:** 1417593 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52110 99240

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A Second World War Standard type 25 Armco pillbox located at Cuckmere Haven, Seven Sisters Country Park. The pillbox was constructed in 1940-41, built of reinforced concrete and corrugated iron, and has a diameter of 1.83 metres. A field visit in 2001 found the ground underneath was being eroded. 3 embrasures and entrance with top cut away. Photo in DoB database. (1).

Some erosion noted around the base when visited in October 2010. Not yet critical. (2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Medium	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 202 **ESHER No:** MES7882 **NMR No:** 1425795 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51130 98400

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Site of a Second World War pillbox located to the north west of Cuckmere Haven. The pillbox is shown on a 1941 German map of British defences, would have been constructed of reinforced concrete and built in 1940-41.(1)

Field work in 1997 located no traces (2).

No evidence for any structure noted during visit in October 2010.

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 203 **ESHER No:** MES7881 **NMR No:** 1425793 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51230 97960

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Site of a Second World War pillbox documented on a 1941 German map of British defences to the northwest of Cuckmere Haven. The pillbox was constructed in 1940-41 and built of reinforced concrete. Field work in 1997 located no traces of the structure.(1).

No traces of a structure seen during a visit in October 2010.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 204 **ESHER No:** MES7899 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Minefield **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** MINEFIELD **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 5147 9780

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Site of minefield no. 51. Located between TV 5145 9779 and TV 5150 9781 on west side of Cuckmere River.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 205 **ESHER No:** MES7894 **NMR No:** 1428921 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti tank ditch **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** ANTI TANK DITCH **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51500 97782

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A Second World War anti-tank ditch located to the west of Cuckmere Haven, near the River Cuckmere. The ditch is situated behind anti-tank cubes and a rampart, and appears to be formed from a pre-existing water course. The earthwork was constructed during 1940 and a field visit in 2001 found it extant and in a good condition.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 206 **ESHER No:** MES7850 **NMR No:** 1422947 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** 51420 97760

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Brick-shuttered non-standard square pillbox, with entrance the other side from that facing the sea. Faces SSE. Access to interior is possible via steps down. Embrasures blocked

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 207 **ESHER No:** MES7895 **NMR No:** 1428922 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti tank pimples **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PIMPLE **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51490 97700

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Site of a Second World War tank trap located to the west of Cuckmere Haven, near the River Cuckmere. The tank trap was constructed during 1940 and comprised a line, double in the north section, of concrete anti-tank cubes. A field visit in 2001 found the tank trap had been destroyed, although some water-rolled blocks on the foreshore at TV 5142297644 probably came from this line. Originally part of the structure now Listed as NMR ref.505514

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 208 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Groynes at Cuckmere Haven **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** GROYNES **Period:** MO **NGR** 51541 97644

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Two Groynes, constructed in the late 1920s at the high water mark at Cuckmere Haven. Located immediately to the east of the Coastguard Cottages. First seen on OS map of 1929.(1).

No evidence remains for these groynes when the site was visited in October 2010.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	2	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 209 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Two groynes at Cuckmere Haven **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** GROYNES **Period:** MO **NGR** 51579 97657

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Groynes noted on OS map from 1938-9. Slightly different in size, if not alignment from those recorded initially in 1929.(1)

No evidence remains for these groynes when the site was visited in October 2010.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	2	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 210 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Two groynes at Cuckmere Haven **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** GROYNES **Period:** MO **NGR** 51569 97647

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Two groynes at the high water mark on the beach at Cuckmere Haven. Recorded on most recent OS 1:10,000 map of the area.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 211 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 1425794 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti tank ditch **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** ANTI TANK DITCH **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52028 97727

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A Second World War anti-tank ditch located running west-east on the east side of the Cuckmere River. The ditch was excavated sometime between June and October 1940 and comprises a high rampart in front of the ditch which may have been a pre-existing sea bank. A field visit in 1997 found the earthworks in a fair condition.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 212 **ESHER No:** MES7887 **NMR No:** 1427796 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** 52130 97600

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Site of a Second World War pillbox documented from a 1940 German aerial photograph of Cuckmere Haven. The pillbox was located at the eastern end of beach, below the cliffs of Cuckmere Haven, to the east of the Cuckmere River. It was constructed of reinforced concrete and built during 1940. Field work during the 1990s located no trace of the structure.(1).

No evidence on the surface for any pillbox when the site was visited in October 2010. (2).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 213 **ESHER No:** MES7891 **NMR No:** 1428748 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Defence work **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** DEFENCE WORK **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52060 97670

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U-shaped earthwork in front of anti-tank ditch, not shown on 1940 APs but present by 1942. A field visit in 2001 found the earthworks extant and in a fair condition.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 214 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** High water mark on 1st edition OS map **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** HIGHWATER MARK **Period:** PM **NGR** 55100 57100

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High water mark shown on OS 1st edition map, circa 1878.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 215 **ESHER No:** MES7844 **NMR No:** 1416932 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52135 97679

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A Second World War type 23 pillbox located at the base of a cliff to the east of Cuckmere Haven, in Seven Sisters Country Park. The pillbox was constructed in 1940-41, built of brick and reinforced concrete and measures 1.87 metres by 1.84 metres internally, with an outer open lobby measuring 1.36 metres by 1.84 metres internally. A field visit in 1999 found the pillbox extant and in a good condition. The entrance to the lobby and from the lobby to the pillbox are only 450mm wide which seems very narrow. Dug into lower slopes of cliff. Faces SW. Interior access possible. Type 23 pillbox of variant form. 3 embrasures. Steps down into pillbox. Brick lined interior. Open area to rear with brick walling but no AA mounting. Field of fire towards beach.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 216 **ESHER No:** MES16419 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** WW2 structure **Condition:** Poor  
**MonType:** AIR RAID SHELTER BUNKER STRUCTURE **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 5218 9762

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Area of broken pre-cast (WW2) concrete blocks associated with long rectangular hollow / trench. Possible air raid shelter or bunker, rather than pill box. [1].

No evidence for this structure could be seen on the surface when the site was visited in October 2010. This may be due to cliff erosion, the cliff here is very unstable. However, the location of this site may have been confused with the building bases located c. 220 metres to the north west (OA 289 and 337).(2).

**OA Categories** 1 /

**Significances:** Low /

**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 217 **ESHER No:** MES7845 **NMR No:** 1416933 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52134 97700

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A Second World War non-standard pillbox situated at the base of a cliff at Cuckmere Haven in Seven Sisters Country Park. The pillbox was constructed in 1940-41, built of brick, corrugated iron and reinforced concrete, and measures 1.82 metre by 1.82 metres internally. A field visit in 1999 found the pillbox extant and in a fair condition. Non-standard pillbox situated towards base of cliff overlooking Cuckmere Haven. Sunken entrance. Field of fire towards sea. 1 large embrasure with weapon mounting external to pillbox. Steps down into pillbox. Wood door frame still extant.

**OA Categories** 1 /

**Significances:** Medium /

**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 218 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Minefield **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** MINEFIELD **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51921 97787

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Site of minefields no. 53 and 55. Located from the east side of the Cuckmere River to the cliffs.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 219 **ESHER No:** MES7854 **NMR No:** 1428923 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Emplacement **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** GUN EMPLACEMENT **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52130 97757

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A Second World War corrugated-iron shuttered pillbox dug into the lower slopes of a cliff, on the east side of Cuckmere River in Seven Sisters Country Park. The pillbox was constructed in 1940-41, appears to be square on plan and has an embrasure, or entrance, on the west side. A field visit in 2001 found the pillbox extant and in a fair condition It was hidden by undergrowth and hill wash that had built up around it. ?Type not known

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 220 **ESHER No:** MES7847 **NMR No:** 1417594 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52111 97832

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A Second World War standard type 25 Armco pillbox located on high ground to the east of Cuckmere Haven in Seven Sisters Country Park. The pillbox was constructed in 1940-41, built of corrugated iron and reinforced concrete and has an internal diameter of 1.83 metres. A field visit in 1999 found the pillbox extant and in a good condition.(1).

A previously unrecorded trench linking this site with OA 221 is still visible on the surface and was noted during a site visit in October 2010. (2).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 221 **ESHER No:** MES7849 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52102 97821

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Non-standard pillbox. A pillbox, 1.91m x 1.85m internally, with entrance passage 685mm long. Walls, 450mm x 225mm x 150mm precast concrete blocks mostly 225mm thick and 450mm thick (at SW side), with 1 embrasure (reduced from original width). Roof, reinforced concrete 305mm thick with the formwork to edge of steel corrugated sheeting.(1).

A previously unrecorded trench linking this site with OA 220 is still visible on the surface and was noted during a site visit in October 2010. (2).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 222 **ESHER No:** MES7902 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Minefield **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** MINEFIELD **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52050 97800

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WW2 minefield, removed (16866) identified in Foot 2006 [1].

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 223 **ESHER No:** MES7886 **NMR No:** 1426971 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51850 97750

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Site of a Second World War pillbox documented from a 1940 German aerial photograph. The pillbox was located on the beach at Cuckmere Haven, on the sea side of the anti-tank ditch, east of the Cuckmere River. The pillbox would have been constructed of reinforced concrete and built during 1940. Field work during the 1990s recorded no traces of the structure

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 224 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** High water mark shown on second epoch OS map **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** HIGHWATER MARK **Period:** PM **NGR** 511 977

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High-water mark at Cuckmere Haven as shown on OS second epoch map, probably dating from c. 1890.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 225 **ESHER No:** MES7846 **NMR No:** 1428759 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti-tank cubes **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** CUBE **Period:** MO **NGR** Centroid TV 51649 978

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20 anti-tank cubes, extant, with contemporary graffiti (807), identified in Butler, C, 2007 [1] Span TV51679785 to TV51639782. Continuation of Listed anti-tank obstacles further to the west to the river bank (NMR ref. 505514 and 1416934)

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 226 **ESHER No:** MES7900 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Minefield **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** MINEFIELD **Period:** MO **NGR** 51600 97840

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Site of minefield no. 52, removed (16864) identified in Foot 2006 [1] Location spans TV5145 9779 to TV5150 9781

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 227 **ESHER No:** MES7890 **NMR No:** 1427826 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51560 97770

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A site of a possible Second World War pillbox located at the junction of the anti-tank defences with Cuckmere River, Cuckmere Haven. The pillbox would have been constructed of reinforced concrete and built during 1940. Seen on c.1950 photograph.(1).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**



**OA ID** 228 **ESHER No:** MES7888 **NMR No:** 1427797 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51540 97800

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Pillbox, probably a heavy emplacement and plotted from German aerial photograph of Cuckmere Haven. This structure is seen on a c.1950 photograph of Cuckmere Haven. On W bank of Cuckmere River at an angle in the line of the anti-tank defences. Removed by 1997.(1) (2).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 229 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Highwater mark at Cuckmere Haven on OS third epoch map **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** HIGHWATER MARK **Period:** MO **NGR** 516 976

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High-water mark as shown on OS map third epoch c. 1911. Showing new channel flowing from Cuckmere River into the sea following the construction of new seawalls.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 230 **ESHER No:** MES7841 **NMR No:** 1416849 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Gun emplacement and cable house **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** GUN EMPLACEMENT **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51440 97710

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Machine gun emplacement located within former Cable House (OA 342). Later used as fisherman's hut, identified in Butler, C, 2007 [1]. Then converted to a holiday home, now being restored

**OA Categories** 1 / 6  
**Significances:** Medium / Very High  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 231 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Highwater mark shown on OS fourth epoch map **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** HIGHWATER MARK **Period:** MO **NGR** 5170 9770

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High-water mark as shown on Os map, fourth epoch, dating from 1929. Similar to 1911 third epoch version but with some significant differences.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 232 **ESHER No:** MES8299 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** River cut **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** RIVER NAVIGATION **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5149 9912

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River cut on Cuckmere (formed in 1846), identified in Ron Martin's contribution to the ALSF Cuckmere Valley DBA 2008 [1]. Spans TV514993 to TV516897.(1).

A series of wooden features noted along eastern edge of cut (OA 340).(2).

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 233 **ESHER No:** MES8269 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Tramway **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** TRAMWAY **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 518 994

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Former tramway, identified in Ron Martin's contribution to the ALSF Cuckmere Valley DBA 2008 [1].

The East Sussex Transport and Trading Company extracted gravel from the beach at Cuckmere Haven. They transported the material to the road at Exceat along this 2'-gauge tramway. It was established in the early 1930s and closed in 1964. The tramway began in what is now the car park on the southern side of the main road. (4).

The course of the tramway is now used as a footpath. In several areas it can be discerned as a flat platform distinct from the surrounding slight slopes and uneven ground. It has been removed from the area of the car park to the north-east of the boat house (OA 254).

The only surviving portion is a pair of rails sunk into concrete (OA 331) that form a bridge over a drain. (2), (3)

Tracks and carts noted on aerial photograph from 1951. (5), along with a siding around 155 metres to the north east of the river mouth (OA 395).

**OA Categories** 4 / 6  
**Significances:** High / Very High  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

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**OA ID** 234 **ESHER No:** DES5955 **NMR No:** 295739 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Two Barns to the south of Exceat Farmhouse **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** BARNS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV51910 99503

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Seven Sisters Country Park Centre. Two barns at right angles to each other with a connecting portion between C18. Faced with flints with red brick dressings and quoins. Three buttresses. Hipped tiled roof with pentice on south side of west barn. Recessed wagon entrance in centre of south-east front. Grade II.

Views to the Haven restricted by trees to the south of the property but the east side of the valley is clearly visible and vice versa. (1).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 235 **ESHER No:** EES14720 **NMR No:** **Type:** Event  
**Name:** Survey **Condition:**  
**MonType:** SURVEY **Period:** MNE **NGR** TV 5105 9858

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Historic Landscape Survey

**OA Categories** /  
**Significances:** /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 236 **ESHER No:** MES16598 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Lynchet **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** LYNCHET (Undated) **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 5127 9848

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Earthwork forming south west edge of Innings. Outbrook Bank. Lynchet/Partial embankment seen on 1618 map to form western side of Innings. Southern end may have been truncated by sea after 1839.

Located on a strip of land named 'Rabbit Bank' (OA 367) on the Seaford with Sutton tithe map of 1839. (1).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 237 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Highwater mark on latest OS map **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** HIGHWATER MARK **Period:** MO **NGR** 517 976

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High-water mark at Cuckmere Haven as shown on current OS 1:10,000 map. Broadly similar to that from fourth epoch (1929) with some minor variations.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 238 **ESHER No:** MES16432 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** C20 quarry **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** QUARRY **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 5208 9909

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Quarry recorded on 3rd edition Ordnance Survey [1].

Very obvious cut in slope when visited in October 2010. Now wooded. A possible badger sett was noted within the hollow. (2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	D - Industrial	

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**OA ID** 239 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond south of Exceat Farm **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** MO **NGR** 51902 99305

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Pond located within second meander in Cuckmere River. First appears on OS map from 1929. (1).

Visible as a dry earthwork in October 2010 (2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	

**OA ID** 240 **ESHER No:** DES5662 **NMR No:** 295738 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Exceat Farmhouse **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** FARMHOUSE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV51991 99513

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18th century. Two storeys. Four windows. Ground floor red brick, above tile-hung, with brick medallions between. Tiled roof. Casement windows. Grade II.

Views to the Haven restricted to the south-west of the property but most of the valley is clearly visible and vice versa. (1).

<b>OA Categories</b> 4 /
<b>Significances:</b> Medium /
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 241 **ESHER No:** MES3010 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** paleo axes **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** FINDSPOT **Period:** LPA **NGR** TV 52 99

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Two Palaeolithic hand axes from Westdean are in the London Museum. Drift implements are noted by Grinsell, but it is not known whether additional. (1).

Site visited in October 2010. No further material recovered. (2).

<b>OA Categories</b> 4 /
<b>Significances:</b> Very High /
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> G - Find spot

**OA ID** 242 **ESHER No:** MES 3003 **NMR No:** 32279 **Type:** Scheduled Monument  
**Name:** DMV **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** DMV **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 523 989

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Stone on site of Church (NR). (1) Exceat Parish Church. The church stood almost due S of the village of West Dean, 300 yds from, and on the S side of the present main road. It was already completely destroyed in 1460 though vestiges were perceptible until the site was ploughed in the mid-19thc. Excavations were conducted in 1913 by the Rev G W A Lawrance and Sussex Arch Soc. The church was considered to date from AD 1050-80. (See plan). The site is now marked by a block of stone bearing a descriptive inscription, erected by the Ssx AS. (2) (TV 522992) Exceat, a lost village. In 1460 only two houses remained and the church was in ruins. It may have been a Plague casualty but local tradition (supported in part by the Nonarum Inquisitiones) favours devastation by marauding Frenchmen. (3) Markings visible on A/Ps within area centred on the church site (TV 523989). (4) Period of desertion - c 1350-1450, eg Black Death or retreat of settlement from marginal lands. Nothing to see but site under plough or crop. (5) There are no extant remains of Exceat village on the exposed summit area of Exceat Hill, which is mostly under light pasture. A small area of disturbed ground under rough pasture forming no coherent pattern in area TV 522989 is the only indication of occupation. Some of this disturbance may be the result of the 1913 church excavation; the inscribed stone on the site of the church is still standing. Although no finds were made on investigation, the farmer reports that occasional finds of medieval tile etc are made on the slopes of Exceat Hill. (6).

Intervisibility between the location of the church and the west side of the valley, but the stone is practically invisible from the valley as it is quite small. The low earthworks around the stone are difficult to see from 30 metres away. (7).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	E - Former settlement	

**OA ID** 243 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5136 9898

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Pond at south end of Exceat Saltings, Chyngton Farm. Identified by two National Trust surveys of Chyngton Farm (1), (2). Seen on 1878 map.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	



**OA ID** 244 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Sheepfold **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** SHEEPFOLD **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5134 9895

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Sheepfold, Seaford, Chyngton Farm. In use between 1890 and 1938

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** B - Field Systems of elem

**OA ID** 245 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 5148 9883

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Pond by Cuckmere River, Chyngton Farm. 1st appears on 1929 OS map - appears to have been cur through a former river meander.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

**OA ID** 246 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5142 9854

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Pond in the area of the innings, Chyngton Farm. (1) (2). Relationship between pond and surrounding ditches unclear. First seen on 1878 map. Surrounded by low ring of spoil from periodic cleaning

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	

**OA ID** 247 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5122 9864

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Pond at south end of Exceat Saltings, Chyngton Farm. (1), (2). Oval pond seen on 1764 estate map - may represent a former river meander or may be the result of erosion at the point where two watercourses meet.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	

**OA ID** 248 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5124 9848

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Pond in the area of the Innings, Chyngton Farm [1] [2]  
May represent former river meander. Seen first on 1878 map

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

**OA ID** 249 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond at Combe Bottom **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** MO **NGR** 51913 99306

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Pond located within third meander in Cuckmere River, some 600 metres to the south of Exceat Farm. First appears on OS map dating from 1929. (1)

Extant when visited in October 2010. (2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

**OA ID** 250 **ESHER No:** MES7905 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Decoy site **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BOMBING DECOY SITE **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51700 98500

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WW2 decoy site, removed,

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

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**OA ID** 251 **ESHER No:** MES 16412 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Lynchet **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** LYNCHET **Period:** UN **NGR** TV 5189 9845

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Lynchet surviving as a well preserved earthwork running around the northern corner of Foxholes inlet. [1].

When visited in October 2010 the lynchet was found to be extant up to c. 40 metres long and 0.80 metres high. Eroded on south west corner by probable quarry pit and access along footpath.(2)

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Medium	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	B - Field Systems of elem	

**OA ID** 252 **ESHER No:** MES16439 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** C17 Farm **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** FARMSTEAD BARN **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5225 9834

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Small farmstead formed 17th century [1] Courtyard layout [2].  
Seen on County Map of Sussex - 1724

Farmhouse is well screened to the east and north by vegetation.(3).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 253 **ESHER No:** MES16413 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Lynchet **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** FIELD SYSTEM LYNCHET **Period:** UN **NGR** TV 5196 9824

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Undated but well preserved earthwork lynchet running around southern edge of Foxhole inlet. Parallel lynchet visible further up slope and another possible lynchet on the west facing slope.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** B - Field Systems of elem

**OA ID** 254 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Boat House at Exceat Farm **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BOAT HOUSE **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51783 99369

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Boat House c. 170 metres to the south west of Exceat Farm. First appears on OS map dating from 1938-39. Boat house was served by Tramway (OA 233) that linked it with the sea. Tramway falls out of use at some point in the 1950s. Current status of Boat house is unknown. (1).

Extant in October 2010. Half-hipped tiled roof, rendered walls, two doors to the west. Concrete hard and hard-standing. (2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

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**OA ID** 255 **ESHER No:** MES16595 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Drainage Dyke **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** DITCH **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 5137 9836

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The Innings. A series of water-filled ditches with substantial earth embankments and in most cases with some scrub. From the map evidence these are the medieval divisions, except for 22 which was laid out prior to 1764.

Sixteen acre Brook, forming the northern half of the Innings, was enclosed and drained before 1618. One straight drain crosses it. Some remnants of the pre-inning system of tidal creeks survive.

Square Brook and Penstock Brook, the southern half of the Innings, are 15th Century in origin and are a rectilinear system of medieval drainage ditches. The south west inning contains evidence for a medieval field system (OA 257).

The low curving bank that forms the southern end of the innings may be a medieval sea wall. This bank is recorded as site MNA152433 by the National Trust. The bank along the NW side is MNA 127849.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 256 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Stepping stone sat foxhole bottom **Condition:** Poor  
**MonType:** STEPPING STONES **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51748 98408

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Stepping stones across channel behind seawall on eastern side of Cuckmere River. Appear for the first time on OS map dating from 1911 but have disappeared by the time of the 1929 OS issue. Not shown again. (1).

Nothing visible at this location when visited in October 2010. However, several concrete blocks measuring c. 0.4 x 0.4 x 0.2 metres were noted c. 50 metres further north.(2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** H - Routeways

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**OA ID** 257 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Soil marks of fields **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** FIELD **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 5120 9842

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Soil marks of fields in Chyngton Innings, Cuckmere Valley, Chyngton Farm. OA 257 appears to have the form of a field system. It seems more likely that this system was used for stock grazing rather than arable agriculture (2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** B - Field Systems of elem

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**OA ID** 258 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51129 98380

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Pillbox at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex.(1).

No evidence for any structure noted during visit in October 2010.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 259 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 5108 9824

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Pond, Chyngton Innings, Cuckmere River, Seaford, Chyngton Farm. Not marked on any map prior to 1961.(1), (2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

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**OA ID** 260 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5117 9823

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Pond in the Innings, Chyngton Farm. May represent former creek meander - seen on 1878 map. (1), (2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

**OA ID** 261 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Access Ramp **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** RAMP **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51550 98230

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Access ramp to embankment at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex.  
May be 19th century or older. Links the top of the embankment with the Innings surface - 6m long, 5m wide, 1.5m wide - maybe loading ramp allowing stock to be moved from innings into a holding pen then into boat.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** B - Field Systems of elem

**OA ID** 262 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond south of Exceat Bridge **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51609 99174

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Large pond c. 160 metres to the south east of Exceat Bridge within a large meander in the Cuckmere River. First appears on OS third epoch map, dating from c. 1909. (1).

Possible duck-decoy pond with three radial arms to the north-west, north-east and south. Discussions with Seven Sisters Country Park staff suggests that these radial arms may have been cut in the 1970s to improve wildfowl access. There is a distinct raised mound around the pond. OS mapping is not conclusive. A possible low embankment running to the north-east may be an associated access feature.(2).

Could also be associated with possible saltings in this area.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	

**OA ID** 263 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51400 97930

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Pond within southern Innings at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex. First seen on 1938 map.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	

**OA ID** 264 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 140717 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5133 9788

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Pond, Chyngton Innings, Cuckmere River, Seaford, Chyngton Farm. May represent former river meander. First seen on title map.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	

**OA ID** 265 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Roman Urn **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** URN **Period:** RO **NGR** TV 513 978

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Roman urn discovered west side Cuckmere River, Seaford, Chyngton Farm. (1)

No further material noted when site was visited in October 2010.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	G - Find spot	

**OA ID** 266 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Possible decoy site **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BOMBING DECOY **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51450 97780

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Possible decoy site at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 267 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond immediately north of Innings. Former saltern **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** Saltern **Period:** PM **NGR** 51471 99024

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Large pond immediately to the north of the Innings on the west side of the Cuckmere River. Former Saltern. Shown as 'saltern' on all OS maps from c. 1878 up to 1961. Not shown on Seaford tithe map of 1841. Now full of water so the form can not be determined. However, recent aerial photographs (Google Maps) show it dried out as a former dendritic creek system feeding off the New cut. Earlier aerial photographs show it as a pond.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

**OA ID** 268 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond NE of Foxhole Bottom **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV51700 98790

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Pond located c. 620 metres NE of Foxhole Farmhouse within the fourth meander of the Cuckmere River. Not shown on OS 1st Edition map of c.1878, but appears on second epoch map c. 1890 and is still extant.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

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**OA ID** 269 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti tank ditch **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** ANTI TANK DITCH **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52077 97699

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Surviving section of anti tank ditch, substantially dry, running W\_E on E side of Cuckmere river below cliffs. Shown on German map of British defences and German and British aerial photographs. There is a high rampart in front of the anti-tank ditch which may have been a pre-existing sea bank. Beyond is the shingle bank of the sea front.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 270 **ESHER No:** MES7851 **NMR No:** 505514 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti Tank Wall **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** TANK TRAP **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51520 97769

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Anti-tank wall at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex. Two lines of concrete anti-tank obstacles to the west and east of the mouth of the River Cuckmere. West of the river: immediately adjoining the river an anti-tank wall running in a south-westerly direction. Defensive line continues with an anti-tank wall surmounted by anti-tank cubes of which there are about 18 survivals, approx. 1.8m x 2m x 1.5 min dimension. The most westerly pair turn at an angle towards the sea. East of the river: a slightly curving line of about 20 anti-tank pimples. Square in plan measuring and approx. 1 sq m with pyramidal tops. Elements of joining sleeper wall also visible. Grade II listed structure.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 271 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti Tank blocks **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** TANK TRAP **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51500 97770

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Anti-tank blocks at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 272 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** CoastGuard Cottages **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** COASTGUARD COTTAGES **Period:** PM **NGR** TV51379 97639

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The Coastguard Cottages at Cuckmere Haven. Built in 1822 as part of improved coastal defences to combat any invasion from France and to help in anti-smuggling work. Not listed structures.

These cottages were the battle headquarters at differing times of a company of 10th Battalion Royal Sussex Regiment and of 'B' Coy 6th Battalion Cheshire Regiment. (1).

Of interest for their original purpose and use in World War Two

Possible loophole noted in south-west wall of brick outhouse when site was visited in October 2010. (2).

<b>OA Categories</b> 4 / 1 <b>Significances:</b> Very High / Medium <b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> A - Historic Buildings
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**OA ID** 273 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti-tank ditch **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** TANK TRAP **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51340 97800

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Anti-tank ditch at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex.(1).

No evidence for any surface feature when visited in October 2010. (2).

<b>OA Categories</b> 1 / <b>Significances:</b> Medium / <b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>
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**OA ID** 274 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51380 97760

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Pillbox at Cuckmere Estuary (West), Chyngton & Exceat, East Sussex.(1).

Not visible when visited in October 2010.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

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**OA ID** 275 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti tank defences **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** CUBE **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51615 97807

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Anti-tank cubes that originally continued the line that still survives to the edge of the Cuckmere River. Noted on aerial photographs from 1947.

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		



**OA ID** 276 **ESHER No:** MES7893 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pillbox **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** PILLBOX **Period:** MO **NGR** 51450 97670

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Pillbox of type 24, removed (14670) identified in Foot 2006 [1].

No evidence for anything on the surface when the site was visited in October 2010.(2)

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 277 **ESHER No:** MES3002 **NMR No:** 470155 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** ?salt works **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** SITE SALT WORKS **Period:** RO **NGR** TV 515 977

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(Area TV 515977) A Roman saltpan lay at what was the head of the estuary of the river Cuckmere by the pond, in the direction of Sutton. (1)  
No evidence of Roman or later saltworkings was found around the estuary of the Cuckmere. (2) The location is not thought totally reliable.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

**OA ID** 278 **ESHER No:** MES8470 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Gun position **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** GUN EMPLACEMENT **Period:** MO **NGR** 51500 97700

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WW2 gun position, extant, identified in Chris Butler's contribution to the ALSF Cuckmere Valley DBA 2008. Source: Foot, W. 2006. 'Beaches, fields, streets and hills: The anti-invasion landscapes of England, 1940', CBA Research Report 144, London CBA.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 279 **ESHER No:** MES7892 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti tank cubes **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** CUBE **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51610 97810

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Anti tank cubes, removed (14662) identified in Foot 2006 [1] Location spans TV51629782 to TV51609779

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 280 **ESHER No:** MES16418 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Innings Earthwork **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** EARTHWORK SEA DEFENCES **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5187 9811

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Large earthwork bank creating innings around Foxhole. First appears on Yeakel and Gardner and then Rand's map of 1792. May have been constructed by militia stationed in the haven. (1).

Extant when visited in October 2010. (2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	3	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

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**OA ID** 281 **ESHER No:** MES7879 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Road block **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** ROAD BLOCK **Period:** MO **NGR** 51680 97850

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WW2 road block, extant, unpublished, identified by C Butler for the ALSF Cuckmere Valley DBA [1]

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Medium	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 282 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Farm building at Foxole **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** FARM BUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 52194 98392

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Second building at Foxhole farm, immediately to the east of the 17th century farmhouse. Shown on Yeakel and Gardner's map of 1778 - 1783 and Rand's map of 1792. Not shown on West Dean tithe map from 1841, but shown on OS maps. (1).

Building is well screened to the east and north by vegetation.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	E - Former settlement	

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**OA ID** 283 **ESHER No:** MES7903 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Beach scaffolding **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** BEACH SCAFFOLDING **Period:** MO **NGR** 51650 97550

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WW2 anti invasion beach scaffolding, removed (16929) identified in Foot 2006 [1] Location spans TV51509769 to TV51639769 to TV51689773 to TV52129757.

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Negligible	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 284 **ESHER No:** MES7929 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Air crash **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** AIRCRAFT CRASH SITE **Period:** MO **NGR** 51710 97630

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WW2 air crash site of a Mustang P51 on 16/07/1943 on the beach at Cuckmere Haven, identified by Chris Butler in his contribution to the ALSF desk-based assessment for the Cuckmere Valley project area 2008 [1] p 50. NB location approximate.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 285 **ESHER No:** MES8259 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Limekiln **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** LIME KILN **Period:** MD **NGR** 520 975

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Limekiln, identified in Ron Martin's contribution to the ALSF Cuckmere Valley DBA 2008 [1].

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

**OA ID** 286 **ESHER No:** MES16416 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** kiln **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** KILN **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 5210 9754

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Kiln recorded on 1st edition Ordnance Survey. Presumably lime kiln. [1].

Not seen when site was visited in October 2010. No evidence for a kiln remains on the surface. Possibly washed away in coastal erosion? (2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

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**OA ID** 287 **ESHER No:** MES16431 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** IC19 butts **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BUTTS **Period:** PM **NGR** 5192 9799

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Firing range and butts recorded on 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey [1].

No evidence for any range features at all could be seen when the site was visited in October 2010.(2).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 288 **ESHER No:** MES16417 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** kiln site **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** LIME KILN **Period:** PM **NGR** 5215 9769

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'Old Lime Kiln' recorded on 1st edition Ordnance Survey map. Probable quarrying recorded in same area [1].

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

**OA ID** 289 **ESHER No:** MES7855 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** WW2 building base **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** NISSEN HUT **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52091 97805

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WW2 building base- possibly Nissen hut - identified in Butler, C, 2007 [1].

A site visit in October 2010 identified two building bases, one of which was recorded as OA 337. (2).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 290 **ESHER No:** MES7852 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Anti-tank ditch **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** ANTI TANK DITCH **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51900 97780

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Anti tank ditch, partly extant (11621/14647) identified in Butler, C, 2007 [1] Location spans TV51709785 to TV52129767

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 291 **ESHER No:** MES7984 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Minfield **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** MINEFIELD **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51950 97780

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WW2 minefield, removed (16865) identified in Foot 2006 [1] Location spans TV51729786 to TV51959778 to TV52119772.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**



**OA ID** 292 **ESHER No:** MES3008 **NMR No:** 470207 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** neo flints **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** SITE FINDSPOT **Period:** LNE **NGR** TV 51 97

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A Neolithic 'duck-bill' flint scraper found by Evans on the Downs near Cuckmere Haven. (1) Neolithic implements found at Cuckmere Haven are in Brighton Museum. (2)

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** G - Find spot

**OA ID** 293 **ESHER No:** MES 3090 **NMR No:** 970303 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** meso core **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** SITE FINDSPOT **Period:** LME **NGR** TV 520 978

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One core found near Cuckmere Haven and deposited in the Ashmolean, Oxford. (1)

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** G - Find spot

**OA ID** 294 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond at Foxhole Farm **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 52183 98427

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Pond at Foxhole Farm. First shown on West Dean parish tithe map dating from 1841. Shown on all OS maps in varying sizes.(1).

Pond was visible when visited in October 2010 but with much vegetation in and around it.(2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

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**OA ID** 295 **ESHER No:** MES16433 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** C20 troughs **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** TROUGH **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 5207 9792

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A large circular feed trough and a large rectangular water trough both constructed of brick and lined with concrete. First recorded on 3rd edition Ordnance Survey. Further, possibly WW2, concrete to the east of the circular trough [1].

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

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**OA ID** 296 **ESHER No:** MES3013 **NMR No:** ES435, 47022 **Type:** Scheduled Monument  
**Name:** Napoleonic barracks **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** BARRACKS SITE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 520 979

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TV 520980: Barracks at Cuckmere Haven. (1) Site of a set of Napoleonic barracks. The outline of the footings are still clearly visible. Probably in use between 1804-14 (see plan). (2) A study of the Gage papers, housed at Barbican House, Lewes, provides a date for the barracks. They appear on OS 1" 1803 (see map) as Six little buildings at the foot of the hillside. The Barrack-Master General states, in a letter of 19th September 1806, that 'Sir James Ultney placed the Barracks there'. As Pultney did not assume command of the defences until autumn 1803, the earliest date for the barracks is 1804. (3) Items, reported by Mr. J. Farrant as being listed in the Sussex Weekly Advertiser (4a) provide a date of 1814 for the dismantling of the barracks and the auctioning of the materials. (4)

Buildings do not appear to match with NMR polygon of Scheduled Area (OA 298). Scheduled Area mapping requires updating

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 297 **ESHER No:** MES16415 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** ?pillbox sites **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** PILLBOXES **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 5195 9799

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Large area of concrete and brick rubble. Appears to be WW2 and may relate to a demolished pillbox. Further concrete pads and gullies to the south appear to be related. Visible on 1947 aerial [1]

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 298 **ESHER No:** MES 3013 **NMR No:** **Type:** Scheduled Monument  
**Name:** Napoleonic Barracks **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BARRACKS SITE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV5201997991

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Designated area of Scheduled Monument. Doesn't appear to correspond with location of barrack buildings (OA 296).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 299 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295732 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Upper Barn **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** FARM BUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV52433 99563

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A barn, converted into a dwelling. C18. Two storeys. Five windows. Faced with flints with red brick dressings and quoins. Half-hipped slate roof. Modern windows. Grade II.(1).

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 300 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295733 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Lower Barn, Exceat Farm **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** FARM BUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV52360 99609

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A barn converted into a dwelling. C18. Two storeys. Three windows. Faced with flints with red brick dressings and quoins. Half-hipped tiled roof. Modern windows. Grade II. (1)

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

**OA ID** 301 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** School house, Exceatt Farm **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** SCHOOL BUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV52409 99580

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Mid C19. Two storeys. Five windows. Faced with flints with red brick dressings and quoins. Slate roof. Casement windows. Grade II.(1).

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

**OA ID** 302 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295743 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Walls surrounding the ruins of the Manor House **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** WALLS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV52421 99606

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Adjoining the ruin of manor house and forming a complete enclosure round it are C18-C19 knapped flint walls. Grade II.(1).

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

**OA ID** 303 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295744 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Ruins of a Dovecote **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** DOVECOTE **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 52460 99613

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Probably medieval. Round building with no roof. Faced with flints. Nesting-boxes inside. AM. Grade II.(1).

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Medium	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

**OA ID** 304 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295742 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Ruins of the Manor House **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** MANOR HOUSE **Period:** MD **NGR** TV52457 99628

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The ruins of the manor house consist of a wall of flints with stone quoins which formed part of a late C12 manor-house. The remainder was demolished in 1825. Grade II.(1).

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b> 4 /
<b>Significances:</b> Medium /
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 305 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295745 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Old Coach House and Barn **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** FARM BUILDINGS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV5 2518 99636

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C18. The house portion at the south-west end is modern. The remainder comprises two barns at right angles to each other, of which the south-west end of the south one has been converted into part of the house. Two storeys. Three windows. Faced with flints with red brick dressings and quoins. Tiled roof. Modern windows. Grade II. (1).

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b> 4 /
<b>Significances:</b> Low /
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 306 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 296740 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Parish Church of All Saints **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** CHURCH **Period:** EME **NGR** TV 52506 99690

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Parish church. Saxo-Norman in origin restored in the late C13 and early C14, restored in 1878 and 1961 and re-roofed in 1984. Built of flint and Eastbourne stone rubble with tiled roof.

Grade I.

**HISTORY:** The early C14 Early English style restoration was probably financed by Sir John Heringod {1250-1325}. The church was endowed with the annual rent from land at West Dean known as the Tapersland and the Lampland.(2).

A substantially intact medieval parish church with Saxo-Norman nave, chancel and west tower, restored in the early C14 and with fine medieval stone tomb canopies and 1630s wall monument and wall tablet.(3).

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(4).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 307 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295741 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** The Old Rectory **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** CHURCH BUILDING **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 52469 99694

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Late C13 priests house restored and enlarged. Two storeys. Four windows. Faced with flints with stone dressings and quoins. Tiled roof. Small square projection on south front. One window of 2 trefoil-headed lights on first floor of east front. Other windows are modern. Chimney breast and another rectangular projection containing the staircase on north wall.(1).

Grade II.

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 308 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295748 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Forge Cottage **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** COTTAGE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 52363 99705

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Originally 2 cottages, north portion is C18. Two storeys. Two windows. Faced with flints with red brick dressings and quoins. Hipped tiled roof. Casement windows. South portion has been modernised and the first floor is tile-hung. Three windows.(1).

Grade II.

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

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**OA ID** 309 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292609 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Chyngton Cottages **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** COTTAGE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50401 98699

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Mid C19 pair of semi-detached cottages. Flint with red brick quoins and window surrounds. Tiled roof with gable ends. Two storeys. Four widely-spaced windows, two and single-light casements with glazing bars. Left and right two modern glazed and gabled porches. Modern brick chimney stacks.

Grade II.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

**OA ID** 310 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292607 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Outbuilding south of Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** OUTBUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50348 98721

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C18/19 flint with red brick quoins. New tiled hipped roof. L-shaped on plan. Two storeys. Steps to loft door. Included for group value.  
Grade II.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

**OA ID** 311 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292601 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** MANOR HOUSE **Period:** MD **NGR** TV5035498795

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Manor given by Gilbert De Aquila in reign of Henry III to Priory of Michelham and became a grange when a small chapel was built. During alteration to the house in the C18 or C19 some apparently Early English windows and other architectural features were found. The present house appears C18, but has a medieval origin. Stuccoed front to flint building. Steeply pitched hipped roof of new tiles. Two storeys and attic. Eight windows in four widely spaced pairs, sashes with glazing bars and louvred shutters. Three hipped dormers. Central modern enclosed porch with hipped roof. Modern brick chimney stacks. Rear exposed flint with stone quoins and red brick window dressings. Flint wing at rear with brick quoins and half-hipped roof.

Grade II.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Medium	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	

**OA ID** 312 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292606 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Barn to the NE of Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** BARN **Period:** PM **NGR** TV50378 98825

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Dated 1836 in gable end. Long barn of flint with red brick dressings. Slate roofs with gable ends. Two widely spaced cart entrances with segmental brick arches.  
Four widely-spaced loft doors with segmental brick arches.

Grade II.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 313 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292605 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Cowsheds east of Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** FARM BUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV5 0393 98794

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C18/19. Long low range, flint with tiled roof with hipped ends. Red brick dressings. Open ride to east. L - shaped on plan with weatherboarding over open south side. Included for group value.

Grade II.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 314 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292604 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Outbuilding east of Dovecote at Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** OUTBUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50398 98769

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C18. Flint with red brick quoins and window dressings. Tiled half-hipped roof. Two storeys. Stables with loft above. Flight of stone steps, on end wall, to left with archway below. Lean-to on east side.

Grade II.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> A - Historic Buildings		

**OA ID** 315 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292602 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Dovecote south east of Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DOVECOTE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50391 98764

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Probably C17 or C18 or earlier. Flint with stone quoins, some quoins replaced with brick. Square on plan and rather squat. New hipped roof of tiles with hipped lantern with dove-escapes under its eaves. Interior with approximately six hundred nesting all in chalk.

Grade II.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> A - Historic Buildings		

**OA ID** 316 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292603 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Outbuilding immediately west of Dovecote at Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** OUTBUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50380 98761

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Probably C18/C19. Flint with red brick dressings. New tiled hipped roof. Wide modern opening up to eaves. Wide modern windows on opposite side. Originally stables or coach house. Included for group value.

Grade II.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 317 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292608 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** Kichen Garden Walls West of Chyngton House **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** WALLS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50342 98765

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C18/19. Two rectangular adjoining enclosures surrounded by flint walls with brick doorways with segmental brick heads. About nine feet high. Included for group value.

Grade II.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Negligible /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 318 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 295747 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** West Dean Manor **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** MANOR HOUSE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 52565 99579

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Early C19. Two storeys. Three windows facing south-west, 5 windows facing north-west. Stuccoed. Eaves cornice. Hipped slate roof. Windows with Venetian shutters and glazing bars intact. Round-headed doorway with semi-circular fanlight. The 3 centre window-bays of the north-west front are now flanked by pilasters.(1).

Grade II.

No intervisibility between this building and the rest of the study area or the Haven. Completely screened by topography and woodland.(2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 319 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 292600 **Type:** Listed Building  
**Name:** 151 and 152 Chyngton Lane **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** COTTAGES **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50405 99395

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Pair of mid C19 cottages. Two storeys. Two windows. Faced with flints with red brick window dressings and quoins. Hipped slate roof. Casement windows, with latticed panes on first floor. At the rear over the doorway is a stone keystone with the buckle which was the crest of the Pelham family. (1)

Grade II.

Views into Haven severely restricted by existing buildings to the east and south of the property. Some parts of the Haven may be visible from the east and south facing first floor windows, but it is not possible to confirm this. Cannot be discerned as a distinct structure from within the Haven. (2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 320 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Saltmarsh Creeks in Square Brook **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** SALTMARSH CREEKS **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51319 98551

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Faint traces of saltmarsh creeks, pre dating the drains of the Innings . (1).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 321 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Building on Cuckmere beach **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** BUILDING **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 52012 97681

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Building shown on Cuckmere beach on DeWard's map of 1618. Located at the mouth of the river, on the east bank, at the foot of Cliff End. Not shown on any later maps. Function of building is unknown but is shown on map as being owned by John Gage, who also owned Exceat Farm.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

**OA ID** 322 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Pond to the south east of Exceat Farm **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51894 99476

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A pond located some 33 metres to the south east of Exceat Farm. First shown on OS 1st Edition map c.1878. Not seen on West Dean parish tithe map of 1841.(1).

Not visible in October 2010. No evidence for a pond on the surface.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	F - Ponds and troughs	

**OA ID** 323 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Small building south east of Exceat Farm **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** BUILDING **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51902 99471

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Small rectangular building visible on OS 1st Edition map c.1878, some 35 metres south east of Exceat Farm. No longer visible on OS third epoch map c.1909.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	A - Historic Buildings	



**OA ID** 324 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Ferry crossing point c. 355 metres north east of Coastguard Cottages, Cuckmere Have **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** FERRY CROSSING POINT **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51602 98022

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Ferry crossing point over the Cuckmere River, around 355 metres to the north east of the Coastguard Cottages at Cuckmere Haven. Appears on OS 1st edition map c.1878. Not shown on second epoch map of c.1890. Re appears with the addition of a Hard on third and fourth epoch maps of c.1909 and 1929.(1).

A low mound of rubble was noted beside the west bank of the Cuckmere river during a site visit in October 2010. This could be the remains of a former hard or ferry crossing point shown on various historic maps in this location. (2).

**OA Categories** 6 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 325 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Former drain within Innings **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51424 98689

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Drain within Innings. First seen on map of 1618. Also Shown on Baley's map of 1764, but not shown on title map or OSD maps.(1).

Not visible as any kind of surface feature when visited in October 2010. (2).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 326 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 140707 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Seawall along east side of Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** EARTHWORK SEA DEFENCES **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51624 98483

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Seawall earthbank protecting the eastern edge of the Innings.  
Seen on 1618 map. Linear bank 4m at base, 1.5-2.0m wide at top consisting of mainly straight lengths. Ground level inside embankment lower than outside.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 327 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Remains of former channels near Foxhole **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** POND **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51872 98410

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Former creek that has become two separate elongated ponds by the time of the seconds epoch OS map c.1890.(1).

These ponds were found to be divided by a modern bank when visited in October 2010.(2).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** F - Ponds and troughs

**OA ID** 328 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Ferry Crossing Point at Cuckmere Haven **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** FERRY CROSSING POINT **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51581 97810

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Ferry Crossing point recorded on OS third epoch map c. 1909. No longer shown on map from 1929.

**OA Categories** 6 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 329 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Seawall extension at mouth of Cuckmere River **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** Sea Wall **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51651 97773

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Extension to Post-medieval seawall at mouth of Cuckmere River. Constructed at some point in the first decade of the 20th century. Changes the course of the river, moving it away from its silty mouth at Cliff End to a point in front of the coastguard cottages.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 330 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Ferry Crossing Point at Cuckmere Haven **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** FERRY CROSSING POINT **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51552 97871

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Ferry crossing point close to the mouth of the Cuckmere River. Shown on OS map third epoch c. 1909.

**OA Categories** 6 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 331 **ESHER No:** MES8269 **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Surviving section of tramway **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** TRAMWAY **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52071 99125

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Pair of tram rails sunk into concrete, forming a bridge over a small drain some 430 metres south east of Exceat Farm. Only surviving section of tramway that once ran from the boat house (OA 254) to Cuckmere Haven.

**OA Categories** 6 / 4  
**Significances:** Very High / High  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

**OA ID** 332 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Earthwork bank defining former field boundary **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** EARTHWORK **Period:** UN **NGR** TV 52151 98480

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Earthwork bank defining former field boundary (332A) running north - south across the down and into the coombe. It merges with a terraced access track to Foxholes. This track has a distinct semi-circular platform on its west side (332B).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** B - Field Systems of elem

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**OA ID** 333 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Evidence for cultivation **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** EARTHWORK **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51801 98468

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Area of earthworks seen first on Aps dating to 1947. Also seen on 1951 and less distinct in 1958. Parallel banks within field formerly known as Sheep Salts. Part of series of banks which are less defined throughout this eastern part of the marsh at this date, represented by OA 339 and 386. Similar indistinct earthworks also seen in north of Innings to west of River - OA 389

Thought to be evidence of post-medieval/modern ploughing using deep furrows for drainage. Possible evidence for steam ploughing.

Alternative views put forward is that the bank were evidence of salting possibly floodable by a breech in the east bank of the NEW Cut (OA 232)- especially given that the fields are known as Sheep salting and Haven Salts.

Further investigation needed.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** B - Field Systems of elem

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**OA ID** 334 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Intermittent hedgerows **Condition:** Poor  
**MonType:** HEDGEROWS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51129 98455

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Intermittent scrubby hedgerows located beside a track on the west side of the Cuckmere valley.(1)

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	B - Field Systems of elem	

**OA ID** 335 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Concrete ring and rubble **Condition:** Poor  
**MonType:** EARTHWORKS **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51031 98247

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Concrete ring and rubble (possible former foundations). Slight but distinct bank running south suggests a possible service trench associated with the earthworks.

A possible former military communications facility or possibly remains of civilian communications cable running down to Cable house (OA 342) at Cuckmere Haven (1).

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/	6
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/	Medium
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>			

**OA ID** 336 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Stone memorial **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** MEMORIAL **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51372 97732

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Recently constructed stone memorial cairn with an inscribed brass plate on it. This is in commemoration of Canadian soldiers killed during a bombing raid in 1940. It appears to have been adopted as a memorial to Canadian troops lost in the Dieppe raid as well.(1). Some debate as to the authenticity of events commemorated.

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 337 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** WW2 Building base **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** NISSEN HUT **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52082 97817

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WW2 building base- possibly Nissen hut. A site visit in October 2010 identified this building base alongside OA 289 (1).

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 338 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Two pits **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** PITS **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52086 97890

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Two sub-circular pits, each c. 3-4 metres wide and located c. 10 metres apart. Possible weapon pits or caravan park features.(1).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 339 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Evidence for cultivation **Condition:** Poor  
**MonType:** EARTHWORKS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51884 98048

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Area of earthworks seen first on Aps dating to 1947. Also seen on 1951 and less distinct in 1958. Parallel east west banks.

Part of series of the remains of banks defined throughout this eastern part of the marsh at this date, represented by OA 333 and 386. Similar indistinct earthworks also seen in north of Innings to west of River - OA 389

Thought to be evidence of post-medieval/modern ploughing using deep furrows for drainage. Possible evidence for steam ploughing.

Alternative views put forward is that the banks were evidence of salting possibly floodable by a breach in the east bank of the NEW Cut (OA 232)- especially given that the fields are known as Sheep Salt and Haven Salts.

Further investigation needed.

Ill-defined group of diffuse parallel linear features aligned east - west, possibly former salterns located to the east of the cuckmere river, from Foxhole to Cuckmere Haven.. These may pre-date the 18th century seawall (OA 253).(1). Seen clearly on Ap of 1947. Second set of salterns immediately to the south west (OA 386).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** B - Field Systems of elem



**OA ID** 340 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Line of timber posts **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** WOODEN POSTS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51628 98816

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Series of wooden features along New Cut (OA 232). Two forms identified; vertical posts and posts with interwoven rails. Informed by staff from Seven Sisters Country Park that these were called 'pole-moorings' and were used to help slow water movement adjacent to embankments. Usually made of elm in Sussex as this is resistant to water-rotting. Therefore these are possibly mid 19th-century features. They extend intermittently along much of the length of New Cut, especially on the eastern shore.(1).

<b>OA Categories</b>	3	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 341 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Possible terracing **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** FIELD SYSTEMS **Period:** UN **NGR** TV 52095 97984

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An area of relatively flat and potentially cultivatable land apparently created in natural folds on down land on the east side of the Cuckmere valley. Possibly also enhanced during a period when it was used for a caravan park. The edges of these features at the base of the slopes are too sharp to be natural.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	B - Field Systems of elem	

**OA ID** 342 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Cable house at mouth of Cuckmere River **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** CABLE HOUSE **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51454 97704

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Former Cable House for cable linking Cuckmere with Cap d'Antifer in France. Constructed c. 1917. (1).

Later used as a machine gun emplacement (OA 230. Was badly damaged by friendly fire during the war. Restored after the war and used as a fisherman's hut and then as a holiday home. Now being restored.(2).

Evidence for cable trench noted some 660 metres to the north east (OA 335). (3).

<b>OA Categories</b> 6 / 1
<b>Significances:</b> Very High / Low
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>

**OA ID** 343 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Sluice, north east corner of Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** SLUICE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51508 98976

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Brick sluice situated in the north-eastern internal angle of drain OA 326. Comprises a sloping red brick revetment, at least 1.2m high and 2 metres wide, containing a circular outflow channel. Does not appear on OSD 6" maps although a small watercourse marking the site of the outflow is visible from 1878. Construction method no older than 19th century. Still in use. (1).

<b>OA Categories</b> 3 /
<b>Significances:</b> Medium /
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>

**OA ID** 344 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Repaired breach in Embankment **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** BREACH **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51631 98538

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A distinctive bulge in the embankment (OA 326) is shown on the 1764 estate map but not on the map of 1618, indicating a breach of the embankment and subsequent repair between these dates.(1).

Semi-circular stretch of embankment abutted to the exterior side of the embankment. A clear 15 metre-wide gap is visible in the original embankment at this point. The gap coincides with a change in the alignment of the embankment which may have been vulnerable to erosion. The feature is 25 metres across with a depth of 16m, the banks are 2 metres high.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 345 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 140722 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Embankment at centre of Innings **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** Embankment **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51321 98336

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Embankment shown on map of 1618. Probably medieval in origin. Formed the southern extent of the northern Innings.

Linear earthen bank 9-10 metres wide and less than 1 metre high. Covered in vegetation effectively forming a scrappy hedge. Flanked by dyke to the north and a shallow dry ditch to the south.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 346 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Sluice in embankment **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** SLUICE **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51553 98174

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Sluice marked on 1927 Sale map, but not on any OS 6" maps. Probably no earlier than late 19th-century in date. (1). Brick with traces of timber gates surviving. The sluice sits at head of V shaped channel, lined with planks. The outfall on the exterior consists of brick superstructure containing a timber-lined channel.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 347 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 143313 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Embankment of Innings, south eastern section **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** EMBANKMENT **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51553 98194

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This embankment is shown on the De Ward map of 1618, indicating construction before this date. Forms the south eastern embankment to the Innings. Appears to be medieval in origin, possibly forming a second phase of Inning. Contains an earthen ramp (OA 261) and a sluice (OA 346).

The embankment is 4 metres wide at its base, 1.5 - 2 metres wide at the top and consists of mostly straight lengths. Ground level inside the embankment is lower than on the outside. (1).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 348 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 143314 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Embankment of Innings, southern end **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** EMBANKMENT **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51513 97769

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Embankment shown the Tithe Map of 1839 but not on earlier maps. The 1618 map shows that the Innings originally extended further south and was lost to the sea sometime between 1764 and 1839. This embankment therefore is much later than the others and may have originated as a field boundary. It is flanked to the north by anti tank ditch OA 204. It appears to have been remodelled between 1939 and 1945. (1).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 349 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** 143316 **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Embankment of Innings, north west section **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** EMBANKMENT **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 5142 9888 - 5138 9

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This north west boundary of the Innings is shown on the De Ward map of 1618. Probably medieval in origin, forming the initial phase of the Innings. Mainly consists of heavily overgrown river cliffs incorporating lynchets derived from the cultivation of the slopes above along with a holloway leading to Poynings Town. The only stretch of the boundary that appears to have been deliberately created during the formation of the Innings is a slight bank running along the southern edge of the dry valley occupied by a pond (OA 243). (1).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 350 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Drainage channels,water meadows **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** DRAINS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51362 98468

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A series of drains within the Innings. Identified by James as Floating Water Meadow system. (1). Aligned on Dykes 1st shown on 1764 map and likely therefore to be water meadow of 18th century date [1].

However, no evidence in the form of sluices has been identified. Neither do they exhibit the slightly raised land with sloping sides expected for this type of water meadow. It may be that they were just a series of drainage channels dug to keep this part of the marsh dryer for grazing during wetter parts of the year, when other areas would have been too wet.

Plotted from aps

These drains post-date two former channels from the original marshland (OA 320).

Further work needed

<b>OA Categories</b>	3	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 356 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Seven Acre Brook **Condition:**  
**MonType:** FIELD NAME **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51482 98832

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Field Name of 'Seven Acre Brook' given to field at the northern end of the Innings on 1839 Seaford with Sutton tithe map.. Incorporates a small part of 'Sixteen Acre Brook' shown on Baley's map of 1764, where this field is not named.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	B - Field Systems of elem	

**OA ID** 377 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Creek, predating Innings **Condition:** Poor  
**MonType:** FORMER CHANNEL **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51260 98664

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Former stream / drainage channel noted as a shadow feature on an aerial photograph from November 1960 (1). It is aligned east - west, running from the DMV at Walls Brow to the west of the Study Area, up to the Cuckmere river. Channel has been cut in three places by the embankments and drains of the Innings, suggesting that this drain was in use prior to their construction.

It seems likely that this channel may have acted as access from the river to the settlement at Walls Brow.(2). May therefore link a port at Poynings with the River.

As it predates the Innings it could have been in use when the settlement at Chyngton was far more extensive than it is today. (2).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 378 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Boundary within Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51460 98734

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Boundary of the Innings (1). Appears to replace earlier boundary seen on 1618 map (OA 325) . Not seen on 1764 map - first seen on 1838 title map.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 379 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Drain and earthwork on south west side of Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN and Earthwork **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51165 98167

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Drain and earthwork forming the south west edge of the Innings seen on 1618 map. Believed to be medieval in origin (1). Southern end apparently truncated by sea after 1839, although map evidence is unclear. Heavily scrub covered slope succeeded by low earth bank/lynchet until junction with OA 345. Scarp slope is heavily overgrown but appears to be natural river cliff with no clear evidence of man made earthworks in the south until low bank is reached further north. Some minor terracing visible in places along the scarp probably represents post-medieval access tracks. Extreme western corner of lynchet contained several mounds and possible terraced platforms within which were observed bricks and concrete - possible dump site for farm rubbish or remains of installations associated with 1939-1945 decoy site. [1]

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 380 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Former medieval Embankment **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** EMBANKMENT **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51805 98205

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Line of embankment shown on De Ward's map of 1618. This once formed the western edge of the Southern Innings, forming a double boundary with OA 379 with an area of land in between. There is now a gap around 325 metres between the northern end of the embankment (OA 236) and the southern end of the north west embankment (OA 349). (1).

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 381 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Drain running through centre of Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51419 98586

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A north west to south east aligned drain running across the centre of the Innings. Believed to be medieval in origin (1). Seen on 1618 map.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 382 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** north east - south west aligned drain at centre of Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51375 98534

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A north east to south west aligned drain running across the centre of the northern Innings. Seen first on 1764 map.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 383 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** north west - south east aligned drain within Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51358 98469

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A north west to south east aligned drain running at right angles to drains OA 382 and OA 384, at the centre of the Innings. Not seen on 1618 map. Seen first on aps, but probably part of the drains associated with OA 350.

<b>OA Categories</b>	3	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 384 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** north east - south west aligned drain at centre of Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51324 98403

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A north east to south west aligned drain running across the centre of the Innings (southern element). [1] Seen on 1618 map

<b>OA Categories</b>	3	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Very High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 385 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Drain along southern end of the Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51425 98030

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A north east to south west aligned drain at the southern end of the Innings. May be medieval in origin but 1618 map unclear at this point. (1) but first seen on 1764 map.

<b>OA Categories</b>	3	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 386 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** evidence for cultivation **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** EARTHWORKS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51775 97885

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Area of earthworks seen first on Aps dating to 1947. Also seen on 1951 and less distinct in 1958. Parallel banks within apex of field formerly known as Haven Salts. Part of series of banks throughout this eastern part of the marsh at this date, represented by OA 333 and 339. Similar indistinct earthworks also seen in north of Innings to west of River - OA 389

Thought to be evidence of post-medieval/modern ploughing using deep furrows for drainage. Possible evidence for steam ploughing.

Alternative views put forward is that the bank were evidence of salting possibly floodable by a breach in the east bank of the NEW Cut (OA 232)- especially given that the fields are known as Sheep salting and Haven Salts.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> B - Field Systems of elem		

**OA ID** 387 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Former Saltings shown on Os maps 1911-1938 **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** EARTHWORK **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51901 97718

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Area shown as 'Salterns' on OS 6 inch maps between 1911 and 1938. No evidence for any such salterns from later aerial photographs or on the ground in 2010. Area is referred to as 'Salts' on the 1860 Manor Farm estate map. (1). Area lies in front of sea wall OA 280 and hence still within the unprotected floodplain.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	D - Industrial	

**OA ID** 388 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Former Saltings shown on OS maps 1911- 1939 **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** EARTHWORKS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51649 98141

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Area shown as 'Salterns' on OS 6 inch maps between 1911 and 1938. No evidence for any such salterns from later aerial photographs or on the ground in 2010. Area is referred to as 'Salts' on the 1860 Manor Farm estate map. (1). Area lies in front of sea wall OA 280 and hence still within the unprotected floodplain.

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	D - Industrial	

**OA ID** 389 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Evidence for cultivation **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** EARTHWORKS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 51477 98902

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Area of faint earthworks seen first on Aps dating to 1960. Parallel banks within top of medieval Innings. Similar to earthworks seen throughout eastern part of the marsh at this date, represented by OA 333 and 339 and 268.

Thought to be faint remnant evidence of post-medieval/modern ploughing using deep furrows for drainage. Possible evidence for steam ploughing.

Alternative views put forward is that the bank were evidence of salting

No longer visible on the ground.

<b>OA Categories</b> 4 /
<b>Significances:</b> High /
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b> B - Field Systems of elem

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**OA ID** 390 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Bomb crater **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BOMB CRATER **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51035 98270

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Probable bomb crater noted on aerial photograph immediately west of the Innings. (1). Unclear as to whether this is from artillery practice or from aerial attack in WWII.

<b>OA Categories</b> 1 /
<b>Significances:</b> Low /
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>

**OA ID** 391 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Bomb crater in southern part of Innings **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BOMB CRATER **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51517 98002

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Possible bomb crater noted in the north east corner of field known as 'Oat Brook (OA 355). (1). Unclear as to whether this is an artillery shell hole from the firing range to the west or a bomb from aerial attack dating from WWII.

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 392 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Bomb craters at southern end of Innings **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BOMB CRATERS **Period:** MO **NGR** TV51454 97785

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Group of three possible bomb craters at the southern end of the Innings. Noted on an aerial photograph from 1951. (1). Unclear as to whether these are from artillery shells from the range to the west or from aerial attack in WWII.

<b>OA Categories</b>	1	/
<b>Significances:</b>	Low	/
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>		

**OA ID** 393 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Bomb craters between Innings and Coastguard cottages **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** BOMB CRATERS **Period:** MO **NGR** TV51333 97723

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Group of four possible bomb craters located around 75 metres to the north west of the coastguard cottages and around 80 metres to the south west of the Innings. Noted on aerial photograph from 1951. (1). Unclear as to whether these are stray shells from the artillery range to the west or from aerial attack in WWII.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 394 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Unidentified linear features in Innings **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** LINEAR FEATURES **Period:** UN **NGR** TV 51475 97825

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Two irregular linear features noted on an aerial photograph from 1951 (1). Both are located at the southern end of the Innings in Oat Brook field (OA 355). Relationship with Innings is unclear. Not even clear whether these are ditches, tracks or earthworks.

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 395 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Siding on Tramway **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** SIDING **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 51694 97923

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Siding on Tramway. Noted on an aerial photograph dating from 1951. A number of carts appear to be parked up in the siding in this picture. (1).

**OA Categories** 6 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 396 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Possible encampment overlooking Cuckmere valley **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** encampment **Period:** MO **NGR** TV 52220 98027

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Possible encampment on forerunner of caravan site seen on ap of 1951 on the first terrace to the east of and above the Cuckmere river. Seen as slightly darker areas possibly representing tents with a possible boundary between possible tent lines [1].

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Low /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** J - Leisure



**OA ID** 397 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Medieval road from Eastbourne to Lewes **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** ROAD **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51446 99322

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Route of the medieval road from Eastbourne to Lewes and also the route from Seaford to the Manors in the east. (1).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/	6
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/	High
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	H - Routeways		

**OA ID** 398 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Road from Cuckmere Haven to Chyngton **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** ROAD **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 50803 98670

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'The Drove', now a farm track, probably the road from Cuckmere Haven to Chyngton and Walls Brow in the medieval period. Seen as a holloway on 1960s aerial photographs. (1).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/	6
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/	High
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	H - Routeways		

**OA ID** 399 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Chyngton Lane, medieval road **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** ROAD **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 50388 99100

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Chyngton Lane - route from the medieval Eastbourne Road to Chyngton Farm. (1).

<b>OA Categories</b>	4	/	6
<b>Significances:</b>	High	/	High
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>	H - Routeways		

**OA ID** 400 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Division at centre of the Innings **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DITCH **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 51264 98491

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Land division / drain located close to the centre of the Innings, seen on De Ward's map of 1618, probably part of the original medieval innings. (1).

<b>OA Categories</b>	3	/	
<b>Significances:</b>	Very High	/	
<b>Category 4 &gt; Sub-Category:</b>			

**OA ID** 401 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Walls Brow medieval settlement **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** DMV **Period:** MD **NGR** TV 50686 98477

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Deserted medieval settlement at Walls Brow - Poynings Town. Estimated extent from shadow site on aerial photograph taken in 1960 (1).

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** E - Former settlement

**OA ID** 402 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Site of 1914 Barracks **Condition:** Very bad  
**MonType:** BARRACKS **Period:** PM **NGR** TV 50755 98359

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Site of former barrack, demolished shortly after the first world War. Noted on aerial photograph from 1960. (1).

**OA Categories** 1 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 403 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** east west drain **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** DRAIN **Period:** MD **NGR** 51650 97550

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Drain seen on 1618 map within centre of Innings

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 404 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Extension to Sea Wall **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** sea defence **Period:** PM **NGR**

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Extension to sea wall first seen on West Dean tithe map in 1840. Not seen on map of 1792.

**OA Categories** 3 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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**OA ID** 405 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Former road **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** Routeway **Period:** PM **NGR**

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Road seen on 1840 tithe map from Exceat to Foxhole across the Down. Now a footpath

**OA Categories** 4 / 6  
**Significances:** Medium / Medium  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** H - Routeways

**OA ID** 406 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Former road **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** Routeway **Period:** PM **NGR**

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Former road seen on tithe map of 1840 from Exceat to Foxhole through the valley. Majority of alignment followed by tramway, now a footpath.

**OA Categories** 4 / 6  
**Significances:** Medium / Medium  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** H - Routeways

**OA ID** 407 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** area of saltings **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** Saltings **Period:** MO **NGR**

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Saltings delineated at mouth of Haven on 1938 OS map only

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Medium /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

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**OA ID** 408 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Ship Lap Cottage **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** Historic Building **Period:** PM **NGR**

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Ship Lap Cottage to the east of Coastguard Cottages. First seen on 1840 Tithe map. Labelled 'Officer's Quarters' on 1878 OS map.

Shiplap weatherboarded house with pitched, red-tiled roof and four brick chimney stacks. Single story with undercroft. Modern single-story extension (?garage) to west side. No obvious military adaptations like loopholes etc

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** A - Historic Buildings

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**OA ID** 409 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** valley steps **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** Valley step **Period:** PA **NGR**

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Points showing areas where valley shelves down identified from borehole survey. Indicating areas that were inundated at different times.

**OA Categories** 2 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

**OA ID** 410 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** prehistoric finds **Condition:** Destroyed  
**MonType:** Findspot **Period:** LBA **NGR**

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Area of identified colluvium, where finds of Late Bronze Age/Iron Age recovered during dissertation by Carl Champness for University Wales, Lampeter - now at OA

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** G - Find spot

**OA ID** 411 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:**  
**Name:** **Condition:** Good  
**MonType:** **Period:** **NGR**

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Area of earthworks seen first on Aps dating to 1947. Also seen on 1951 and less distinct in 1958. Parallel banks within apex of field formerly known as Sheep Salts. Still visible today as partially floodd banks and ditches alongside river.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial

**OA ID** 412 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** salterns **Condition:** Fair  
**MonType:** salterns **Period:** PM **NGR**

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Area of prominent earthworks seen first on Aps dating to 1947. Also seen on 1951 and less distinct in 1958. Parallel banks within apex of field formerly known as Sheep Salts. Banks widley spaced with water filled ditches when visited. Thought to be remennts of possible saltings.

**OA Categories** 4 /  
**Significances:** Very High /  
**Category 4 > Sub-Category:** D - Industrial



**OA ID** 413 **ESHER No:** **NMR No:** **Type:** Monument  
**Name:** Napolonic barracks **Condition:** Uncertain  
**MonType:** **Period:** **NGR**

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Napolenic barracks on west side of haven - labelled on Greenwood Map of Sussex in 1825 and possibly on OS 1inch of 1813.

**OA Categories** 1 /

**Significances:** Very High /

**Category 4 > Sub-Category:**

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