

**ARCHAEOLOGY
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**Monument
Recording
Form**

Location

Bank of Allt na Mi-
Chomdhail

Monument No

507662

Record Date

05.11.13

Surveyor

Jon Haylett

Monument Type

Settlement

What it's made of

Stone and turfs

Monument Condition

(circle one)

V Good

Good

Good/Fair

Fair/Poor

Poor

Dimensions in Metres

Length

Width

Height

Diameter

Photograph Numbers

Grid reference

NGR

Easting

Northing

Accuracy (m):

(local NGR is NM)

NM

150700

766200

n/a

Detailed description, further notes, observations – *continued on next page*

A shieling village of up to 11 huts on a flat area within a meander of the burn Allt Mi-Chomdhail. Some of the huts are typical shieling huts, some are no more than grassy mounds.

507662.01 at 5072366242: 4m circular mound containing 2m x 2m square stone-walled hut. Mound <1.5m high, highest on W side, entrance at 020deg.

507662.02 at 5073266244: 3.5m diameter low, flat-topped mound, no stone or entrance visible.

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Present land use

Rough grazing

Past land use

Rough grazing

Present vegetation cover

Grass, marsh grass, heather, some bracken

Nearby monuments or associated features

Topography

Flat land beside burn

Nearby, associated or incorporated natural features

Open valley

Date

Don't Know / Prehistoric /
Early Historic / Medieval
Post Medieval / Post-Clearance
19th century / 20th century

Reason for interpretation

Identification of huts

**Confidence
in date:**

5 high
4
3
2
1 low

Continuation sheet....

507662.03 at 5073166239: hut, 4.5m x 3m, axis 290deg, with well-defined wall at E end and depressed interior.

507662.04 at 5074666237: hut. 3m diameter low mound depressed in centre, no stone visible

507662.05 at 5075066243: hut, 3.5m x 2.5m axis 300deg with stones in middle suggesting possibly 2 huts adjoining

507662.06 at 5075966237: poss. hut, tussocky mound

507662.07 at 5074966222: poss. hut, tussocky mound

507662.08 at 5074366211: hut, 2.5m diam. Walled, depressed in centre, entrance at 020deg, close-cropped grass.

507662.09 at 5075866207: hut, 4m diam, depressed centre, no stones visible, close-cropped grass

507662.10 at 5077266213: hut, 3.5m diam, indistinct, no stones visible, covered in marsh grass

507662.11 at 5076766221: hut, 2m diam, small, perfectly circular, entrance at 285deg, lost in marsh grass