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PROYECTO VALLE DE NACO
CATALOG FORM

DATE: 12-12-96

LOT NUMBER: 39SB-48

SUBSTANCE: Stone, ground

OBJECT: Metate surface fragment w/o leg

CATALOG #: 39SB-48-1

MULTIPLES?

DRAWN BY:

CATALOGED BY: SS

PASTE GROUP:

CENSER FORM CODE:

EXCAVATOR:

HGT/LENGTH: 11.7 cm.

WIDTH: 10 cm.

THICKNESS: 5.9 cm.

DIAMETER:

VERBAL DESCRIPTION: This is an intact - ~~broken~~ metate surface.
It includes no ~~1~~ - 2 - 3 - 4 finished edges.

The edge ~~is~~ is not convexly curved on the underside. If not, describe:

The junction of the underside and topside is sharp - rounded - ~~blunted~~ - chipped - battered.

The underside is chipped (as a manufacturing process) - ~~pecked~~ - not ground down at all -
ground only on the highest parts - moderately ground - ground smooth.

The underside ~~does~~ - does not show a leg scar. If so, it is a corner - ~~central leg~~.

The upper, working side is lightly ground on the highest parts - moderately ground - ~~smooth~~ - glossy - slick.

If the surface is heavily used, slick, and/or glossy, the shine ~~does~~ - does not continue to the edge.

There is ~~is not a~~ lateral (side-to-side) curvature.

There ~~is~~ is not a lengthwise curvature.

Near the edge, the surface ~~does~~ - does not curve down slightly to meet the underside.

The material used to make this metate is ~~vesicular basalt~~ - volcanic tuff - limestone - granite - other (describe).

If basalt, the item is ~~very~~ - moderately - lightly porous.

Drawn - ~~Not drawn~~.