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PROYECTO VALLE DE NACO
CATALOG FORM

DATE: 16-12-96

LOT NUMBER: 18K/22

SUBSTANCE: Stone, ground

OBJECT: Metate surface fragment w/o leg

CATALOG #: 18K/22-5

MULTIPLES?

DRAWN BY:

CATALOGED BY:

PASTE GROUP:

CENSER FORM CODE:

EXCAVATOR:

HGT/LENGTH: 11.4 cm

WIDTH: 8 cm THICKNESS: 4 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~~.