

**SMR Number** MBN1716**Site Name** Medieval fields (?) with markers Little Solsbury**SMR Number****Site Name****Record Type**

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Monument

***Monument Types and Dates***

FIELD SYSTEM (Field system, Medieval - 1066 AD? to 1539 AD?)

FIELD SYSTEM (Field system, Post Medieval - 1701 AD? to 1800 AD?)

***Description and Sources*****Description**

Within Solsbury hillfort is a good example of how medieval stripfields with small stones marking the terminal points.<1> Also said to be 18th centuryth in Origin.<2> "The strips of land within the enclosure are medieval type cultivation overlaid by narrow ridges of C19th cultivation. The strips are marked by a number of boundary stones, some inscribed with the initials of the holders.<3> Field systems with the interior of the camp (Solsbury Hill Camp) are of interest and have been surveyed by Professor Grimes.<5> The field system is still clearly visible, some of the banks as much as .5m high.<6>

**Sources**

- (1) Ordnance Survey Archaeological Record: Palmer, J.. 1966. -.
- (2) Unpublished document: -. -. Old SMR.
- (3) Unpublished document: Mackray, D.. 1980. -.
- (4) Aerial photograph: AP CUP. -. -.
- (5) SMR enhancement: Field Monument Warden. -. -.
- (6) Unpublished document: Williams, S. M. W.. 1984. -.

***Location*****National Grid Reference**

Centroid ST 77 68 (MBR: 1000m by 1000m) ST76NE

**Administrative Areas**

Civil Parish Batheaston, Bath &amp; North East Somerset

**Address/Historic Names - None recorded*****Designations, Statuses and Scorings*****Associated Legal Designations**

Scheduled Monument - 62 Title not entered Active DBN135

**Other Statuses and Cross-References**

Active

**Ratings and Scorings - None recorded*****Land Use*****Associated Historic Landscape Character Records - None recorded****Other Land Classes**

Landuse	Grassland 2
Landuse	Grassland 2
Landuse	Heathland 2
Landuse	Heathland 2
Landuse	Woodland 7

***Related Monuments***

MBN1708	Flints Solsbury Hill Camp	Geographical
MBN1709	Roman coins Solsbury Hill	Geographical
MBN1717	Solsbury Hill Camp	Geographical