

ANTIOXEIA EPI KPAΓΩ ◇ ◇ ◇ TEMPLE PROJECT

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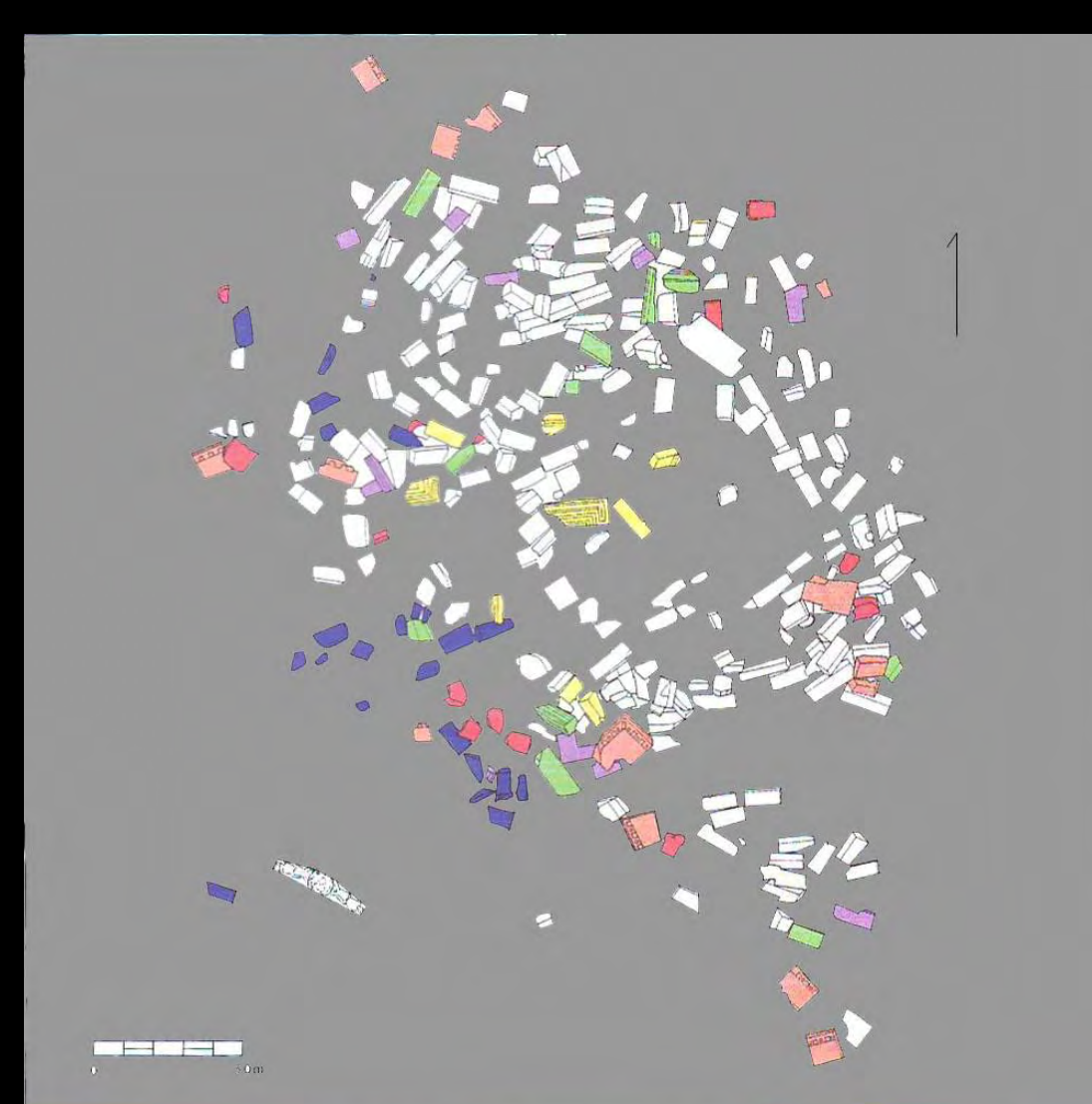
ANTIOCHEIA AD KRAGUM, A ROMAN CITY IN WESTERN ROUGH CILICIA, IS LOCATED NEAR THE MODERN CITY OF GAZIPAŞA ON THE SOUTH COAST OF TURKEY. THE CITY WAS CONSTRUCTED PRIMARILY ON SLOPING GROUND THAT DESCENDS FROM THE TAURUS RANGE DOWN TO THE SEA.



PRIOR TO 2007 THE TEMPLE MOUND CONSISTED OF A HEAP OF COLLAPSED MARBLE BLOCKS. THE GOAL OF THIS PROJECT IS TO RECONSTRUCT THE TEMPLE.



THE PEDIMENT BLOCK THAT ONCE STOOD ATOP THE ENTRYWAY IS PRESERVED AND SHOWS THE BUST OF A MALE IN THE MANNER OF THE GOD APOLLO FLANKED BY WINGED VICTORIES. THE DETAILS OF CARVING OF THE BUST AND OTHER SCULPTURAL ELEMENTS SUGGEST THAT THE TEMPLE LIKELY BELONGS TO THE SEVERAN DYNASTY OF THE ROMAN EMPIRE (EARLY 3RD CENTURY C.E.).



- - COLUMN
- - CORNICE
- - ARCHITRAVE
- - DOOR FRAME
- - BASE AND CAPITAL
- - FRIEZE
- - WALL BLOCKS

PLAN OF COLLAPSED TEMPLE REMAINS



IN THE SUMMER OF 2007, OVER 70 BLOCKS WERE REMOVED FROM THE MOUND AND PLACED IN THE ADJACENT FIELD. ALL BLOCKS WERE MEASURED, SKETCHED, AND SURVEYED *IN SITU* BEFORE BEING MOVED.

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