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This appendix to ‘prospecting the physicochemical past’ is arranged into three sections, named Appendix 1, Appendix 2, and Appendix 3. These are for the case studies, Avaldsnes, Heimdalsjordet and Kaupangveien respectively. At the fore of Appendix 1 is also more general data that applies to all sites, beginning with the standard reference materials used.

- Within each appendix are all calibrated and uncalibrated readings from the use of portable XRF, as well as the parameters for statistical treatment. The structure of the Appendices is skeletal, designed only to provide full disclosure to the research presented, and for the reader to refer to.
- All measured values are in parts per million (ppm) unless otherwise stated.
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