

**Radiocarbon dates constrain the timing of environmental and cultural shifts in the
Holocene strata of Wonderwerk Cave, South Africa**

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Supplementary information: Model code from the OxCal model.

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Plot()
{
    Outlier_Model("General",T(5),U(0,4),"t");
    Curve="ShCal13.14c";
    Sequence()
    {
        Boundary("Start 5a");
        Phase("5a")
        {
            R_Date("6884", 10080, 100)
            {
                Outlier(0.05);
            };
            R_Date("2852", 9760, 120)
            {
                Outlier(0.05);
            };
            Date("Date 5a");
        };
        Boundary("End 5a");
        Boundary("Start 4d");
        Phase("Phase 4d")
        {
            R_Date("2546", 9130, 90)
            {
                Outlier(0.05);
            };
            R_Date("2786", 10200, 90)
            {
                Outlier(0.05);
            };
        };
    };
}
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};

R_Date("2790", 10000, 70)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("6872", 10120, 120)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("6871", 10120, 100)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

Date("Date 4d");
};

Boundary("End 4d");
Boundary("Start 4c");
Phase("4c")
{
R_Date("2545", 5970, 70)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("2798", 7430, 60)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("31897", 5063, 30)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

Date("Date 4c");
};

Boundary("End 4c");
Boundary("Start 4b");
Phase("Phase 4b")
{
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R_Date("2544", 5180, 70)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
}

R_Date("30640", 5627, 33)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
}

R_Date("30641", 5771, 34)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
}

R_Date("30642", 5915, 34)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
}

Date("Date 4b");
};

Boundary("End 4b");
Boundary("Start 4aLH");
Phase("4aLH")
{
    R_Date("2797", 4890, 70)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
}

R_Date("30638", 5340, 33)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
}

R_Date("30639", 4887, 33)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
}

Date("Date 4aLH");
};

Boundary("End 4aLH");
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Boundary("Start 4a");
Phase("Phase 4a")
{
R_Date("2541", 4240, 60)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("30566", 4459, 30)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("30567", 4427, 29)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("30568", 4207, 30)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

Date("Date 4a");
};

Boundary("End 4a");
Boundary("Start 3");
Phase("Phase 3")
{
R_Date("6873", 2120, 80)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("2542", 1890, 50)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};

R_Date("2543", 2910, 60)
{
Outlier(0.05);
};
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R_Date("2785", 3990, 60)
{
    Outlier(0.05);
};

Date("Date 3");
};

Boundary("End 3");
Boundary("Start 2b");
Phase("2b")
{
    R_Date("2779", 1210, 50)
    {
        Outlier(0.05);
    };
    Date("Date 2b");
};

Boundary("End 2b");
};

Difference("Hiatus 2b/3", "Start 2b", "End 3");
Difference("Hiatus 4a/3", "Start 3", "End 4a");
Difference("Hiatus 4aLH/4a", "Start 4a", "End 4aLH");
Difference("Hiatus 4aLH/4b", "Start 4aLH", "End 4b");
Difference("Hiatus 4c/4b", "Start 4b", "End 4c");
Difference("Hiatus 4c/4d", "Start 4c", "End 4d");
Difference("Hiatus 4d/5a", "Start 4d", "End 5a");
Difference("Phase 5a Duration", "End 5a", "Start 5a");
Difference("Phase 4d Duration", "End 4d", "Start 4d");
Difference("Phase 4c Duration", "End 4c", "Start 4c");
Difference("Phase 4b Duration", "End 4b", "Start 4b");
Difference("Phase 4aLH Duration", "End 4aLH", "Start 4aLH");
Difference("Phase 4a Duration", "End 4a", "Start 4a");
Difference("Phase 3 Duration", "End 3", "Start 3");
Difference("Phase 2b Duration", "End 2b", "Start 2b");
};

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