

Plant macro-remains from Tomb No.3, Ulaan Bulag

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I . Sample

Many desiccated plants accumulated on the floor of the chamber. A portion of these remains was sampled (0.323 g), sorted, and examined under a microscope.

II . Result of the study

The plant remains were mostly composed of Panicoid chaffs; sixty-seven palea/lemma belonging to *Panicum*. Most were broken or fragmented, but six retained the shape of the entire floret. They were probably all originally whole grains, although the endosperm decayed, and only the outer chaffs were preserved in the desiccated state. One *Chenopodiaceae* seed was recovered in addition to the *Panicum*.

Table 1 Plant macro-remains from Tomb 3

	Num. of items	Weight (g)
<i>Panicum</i> sp., palea/lemma	61	0.016
<i>Chenopodiaceae</i> , seed	1	-



Fig. 1 *Panicum* sp., palea/lemma. measure