THIMBLE

Unique ID: LVPL-451003

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A cast copper alloy open topped thimble or sewing ring dating dating to the post medieval period (c.AD 1500-1700).

It consists of a circular band with no visible seam and tapers inwards from the base to apex. It is stamped on its outer face with four rows of regular, circular holes that spiral towards the right. It has a slightly thickened lower rim that is undecorated.

Diameter: 18.5mm; height: 10mm; thickness: 1mm; weight: 3.2g

See: Holmes, E.F (1988) Finds Research Group, Datasheet 9, Sewing Thimbles.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1500 Date to: Circa AD 1700

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Height: 10 mm Thickness: 1 mm Weight: 3.2 g

Diameter: 18.5 mm

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: West Midlands (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Shropshire (Unitary Authority)

District: <u>Shropshire</u> (Unitary Authority) To be known as: Stoke upon Tern

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.