

# BROOCH

**Unique ID:** NMS-7C199C

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Fragment of an Early Anglo-Saxon gilt copper alloy Great square-headed brooch, a scrap of the upper end of the missing bow and part of a headplate, with all breaks ancient. Parts of the headplate around the inner panel which has worn traces of now obscure style I decoration in counter-relief and gilding. Stumps of a double pin lug on the reverse within some corroded iron. Extant length 23mm. Extant width 20mm. Weight 4.29g. c.525 - c.560.

**Class:** Great Square Head

## Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Early

Period from: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Early

Period to: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 525

Date to: Circa AD 560

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 23 mm

Width: 20 mm

Weight: 4.29 g

## Personal details

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## Other reference numbers

SMR reference number: 50273

Other reference: INDCH14052021

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Cast

Completeness: Fragment

Surface Treatment: Multiple

## **Spatial metadata**

Region: [Eastern](#) (European Region)  
County or Unitary authority: [Norfolk](#) (County)  
District: [North Norfolk](#) (District)  
Parish or ward: [Happisburgh](#) (Civil Parish)

## **Spatial coordinates**

4 Figure: TG3929  
Four figure Latitude: 52.80555361  
Four figure longitude: 1.54445134  
1:25K map: TG3929  
1:10K map: TG32NE  
Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1 metre square.

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