# **COIN**

Unique ID: NLM-B35406

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Copper alloy coin. Milled cartwheel penny of George III (1760-1820), Birmingham mint issue of 1797, counter-stamped on both sides: S.LEADER / SUTTON.WASH. The finder supplies notes of research in Trade Directories and other sources identifying the location as Sutton Wash, now Sutton Bridge, the area where the River Nene joins the Wash, and the probable issuer as Samuel Leader (1787-1870). Leader was a local blacksmith from 1818 to 1834, leasing the business in 1847, and latterly worked as a wheelwright and small farmer. The restriking of the coin was presumably at his forge. Suggested date [of countermarked use]: 1818-1847

Diameter: 36.1mm, Weight: 24.89gms, die axis [counterstruck]: 12

**Inscription:** S.LEADER / SUTTON.WASH.

Evidence of reuse: Counter-stamped with tradesman's name and locus

### **Subsequent actions**

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

### Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Exactly AD 1797 Date to: Exactly AD 1797

Period of reuse: POST MEDIEVAL

### **Dimensions and weight**

Quantity: 1 Weight: 24.89 g Diameter: 36.1 mm

#### **Discovery dates**

Date(s) of discovery: Sunday 4th October 2020

#### Personal details

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#### Other reference numbers

Other reference: NLM47667

#### **Materials and construction**

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

Surface Treatment: Incised or engraved or chased

# Spatial metadata

Region: East Midlands (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Lincolnshire (County)

District: West Lindsey (District)
To be known as: Springthorpe

# **Spatial coordinates**

Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder)

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

## **Discovery metadata**

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land