

# COIN

**Unique ID:** SUR-C4999A

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A damaged Early-Medieval (Anglo-Saxon) silver penny of Ecgberht, king of Wessex (802-839), non-portrait type, dating to the period c. 828-839 AD. Minted by Beornhart at the West Saxon mint (probably Winchester). As North 589; BMC xviii; Naismith W4.

The coin has been folded over in two places, perhaps more likely by post depositional mechanical damage rather than intentionally.

## Find of note status

This is a find of note and has been designated: County / local importance

## Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Period from: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Period to: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 828

Date to: Circa AD 839

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 0.8 mm

Weight: 1.28 g

Diameter: 18.5 mm

## Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

## Spatial metadata

County or Unitary authority: [West Sussex](#) (County)

District: [Chichester](#) (District)

Parish or ward: [Harting](#) (Civil Parish)

## Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SU7819

Four figure Latitude: 50.96515087

Four figure longitude: -0.89063057

1:25K map: SU7819

1:10K map: SU71NE

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 100 metre square.

North, J.J., 1963. [English Hammered Coinage: Vol I. Early Anglo Saxon-Henry III, c650-1272](#)

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