# **COIN**

Unique ID: CORN-7598DF

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete and pierced post-Medieval milled silver penny of Charles II (AD 1660-1685), minted at London and dated 1677 on coin

Ref: Spink (2008: 321), no. 3386

Obverse: Laureate, draped bust right; CAROLVS. II. DEI. GRATIA.

Reverse: Three C's linked, crown above; MAG. BR. FRA. ET. HIB. REX .1677.

Measurements: Diameter, 17.41mm; Thickness, 0.75mm; Weight, 1.34g

#### **Notes:**

The coin is pierced, indicating a secondary function which would normally indicate that it should be considered as potential Treasure (under the Treasure Act 1996). However, coins dating after AD 1180 with similar piercings are also known in hoards of currency, suggesting that such objects could re-enter circulation as coins. It therefore cannot be said with confidence whether this particular object was regarded as a coin or as another type of object at the time that the coin was deposited.

**Evidence of reuse:** The coin has been pierced from the obverse through to the reverse at about 12 o' clock on the obverse

### **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 1677 Date to: Exactly AD 1677

#### **Dimensions and weight**

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 0.75 mm Weight: 1.34 g

Diameter: 17.41 mm

### **Discovery dates**

Date(s) of discovery: Monday 10th May 2021 - Monday 10th May 2021

#### **Personal details**

This information is restricted for your access level.

#### Other reference numbers

Other reference: PAS 2021 19

#### **Materials and construction**

Primary material: Silver Manufacture method: Milled Completeness: Complete

## **Spatial metadata**

Region: South West (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: <a href="Cornwall">Cornwall</a> (Unitary Authority)

District: <u>Cornwall</u> (Unitary Authority) Parish or ward: <u>St. Ives</u> (Civil Parish)

## **Spatial coordinates**

4 Figure: SW5337

Four figure Latitude: 50.18141206 Four figure longitude: -5.46115012

1:25K map: SW5337 1:10K map: SW57SW

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

## **Discovery metadata**

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land

Spink and Son Ltd, 2008 *Coins of England & The United Kingdom, 43rd Edition* London: Spink 321, 3386