# VESSEL

#### Unique ID: HESH-082BA3

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Body sherd of Roman (45-400 AD) Severn Valley Ware Mortaria. The fabric is relatively soft and slightly powdery with a number of angular and sub angular quartz, grit and ironstone inclusions. The fabric also contains considerable inclusions of mica / sand. The fabric colour is a mid buff orange and the outer colour is a lighter mid orange. The inner surface of the sherd has a large number of ironstone and grit inclusions embedded on the surface. This would have provided a grinding medium. There is not enough of the body of the mortaria surviving to give an estimation of the depth or overall form/shape or diameter of the vessel. The sherd measures 34mm length, 39.8mm width, is 5.4mm thick and weighs 10.45 grams.

Class: Mortaria

#### **Subsequent actions**

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

#### Chronology

Broad period: ROMAN Period from: ROMAN Date from: AD 150 Date to: AD 410

#### **Dimensions and weight**

Quantity: 1 Length: 34 mm Width: 39.8 mm Thickness: 5.4 mm Weight: 10.45 g

#### **Personal details**

This information is restricted for your access level.

#### Materials and construction

Primary material: Pottery Manufacture method: Wheel made Completeness: Fragment

## Spatial metadata

Region: <u>West Midlands</u> (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: <u>Shropshire</u> (Unitary Authority) District: <u>Shropshire</u> (Unitary Authority) Parish or ward: <u>Kinlet</u> (Civil Parish)

## **Spatial coordinates**

4 Figure: SO7278 Four figure Latitude: 52.399292 Four figure longitude: -2.412949 1:25K map: SO7278 1:10K map: SO77NW Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

## **Discovery metadata**

Method of discovery: Fieldwalking General landuse: Cultivated land