

VESSEL

Unique ID: YORYM-5A7384

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A zoomorphic cast copper-alloy spout probably dating to the 15th - 16th Century. The spout is tubular and terminates in a dog's head with open mouth; the tube spout protrudes from the open mouth (internal diameter: circa 5.3mm). At the other end it curves through ninety degrees downwards, and expands into a long, pointed neck where it would have joined the vessel. Some ceramic remains can be seen into this opening. The head has a moulded nose, prominent, squared brow, and shallow, rectangular grooved ears that protrude very slightly above the head; the eyes are not distinguished. There is a raised line on the dog's head. The copper alloy now has an uneven, brassy patina. The object has suffered from a lot of surface corrosion.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Late

Period from: MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Early

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1400

Date to: Circa AD 1600

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 82.8 mm

Width: 19.2 mm

Weight: 99 g

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Saturday 6th March 2010

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Secondary material: Ceramic

Manufacture method: Cast

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: [Yorkshire and the Humber](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [East Riding of Yorkshire](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [East Riding of Yorkshire](#) (Unitary Authority)

To be known as: Skipsea

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: From a paper map

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Character undetermined