TOKEN

Unique ID: SUSS-CE4556

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Medieval to Post Medieval cast lead alloy circular unifaced token (1250-1850 AD). The token has been cast with a raised design of a equal arm cross on the obverse and a flat, undecorated reverse. The token measures 15.8mm in diameter, 1.2mm thick and weighs 1.80 grams. The edges are starting to laminate and crumble away suggesting it has a higher tin content than usual.

Lead tokens had a wide variety of uses and were made locally; they are therefore hard to date precisely and could be Medieval or Post Medieval in date (1250-1850 AD).

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL Period from: MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1250 Date to: Circa AD 1850

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 3.8 mm Weight: 5.1 g

Diameter: 19.9 mm

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Lead Alloy Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: South East (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: East Sussex (County)

District: Wealden (District)

To be known as: Chalvington with Ripe

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder)

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a $0.01\ metre$ square.