LITHIC IMPLEMENT

Unique ID: DUR-F36196

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Flint scraper, probably Neolithic- Bronze Age in date, c.3500- 800 BC.

It is made from a light grey flint with some white inclusions. A very small piece of cortext remains on the base of one edge. In plan it is sub-tear drop in shape, with a rounded base and a pointed tip.

It has been worked on all edges, with re-touching visible around most of the edges, particularly near the top (when viewed on the image). There have been some flakes taken off both faces.

It is difficult to allocate specific dates to flints when they are found out of context, in particular ones which have no real defining features so a broad date range has been assigned to this piece.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: NEOLITHIC Period from: NEOLITHIC Period to: BRONZE AGE Date from: Circa 3500 BC Date to: Circa 800 BC

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Length: 44.24 mm Width: 33.62 mm Thickness: 6.91 mm Weight: 13.1 g

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Flint Manufacture method: Knapped/flaked Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: <u>Yorkshire and the Humber</u> (European Region) County or Unitary authority: <u>North Yorkshire</u> (County) District: <u>Hambleton</u> (District) Parish or ward: <u>East Cowton</u> (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: NZ3003 Four figure Latitude: 54.42156 Four figure longitude: -1.53917 1:25K map: NZ3003 1:10K map: NZ30SW Grid reference source: Centred on parish Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land Specific landuse: Character undetermined