

# MOUNT

**Unique ID:** DENO-D88461

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Published

Complete cast copper alloy mount of Roman date. The mount is circular with a moulded front and hollow reverse. The mount depicts Medusa looking forwards with wavy hair framing the face and the rounded nubs of two wings protruding from the top of the head amongst the hair. The perimeter of the mount has a sub-square cut-out behind the wings suggesting that a handle or other fitting slotted into this mount. No means of affixing the mount is present on the reverse which implies it was soldered or embedded onto the vessel or furniture item from which it came.

Mounts of this type are not closely datable and it is therefore dated broadly to the Roman period, AD. c.43-410.

## **Find of note status**

This is a find of note and has been designated: Potential for inclusion in Britannia

**Class:** Medusa

## **Subsequent actions**

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## **Chronology**

Broad period: ROMAN

Subperiod from: Early

Period from: ROMAN

Subperiod to: Late

Period to: ROMAN

Date from: Circa AD 43

Date to: Circa AD 410

## **Dimensions and weight**

Quantity: 1

Length: 43.72 mm

Width: 43.32 mm

Thickness: 18.18 mm

Weight: 66.5 g

## **Discovery dates**

Date(s) of discovery: Saturday 1st January 2011 - Friday 30th September 2011

## **Personal details**

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: Ms Charlotte Burrill

Identified by: Ms Charlotte Burrill

## **Other reference numbers**

Other reference: Derby E7465

## **Materials and construction**

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Cast

Completeness: Complete

## **Spatial metadata**

Region: [East Midlands](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [Lincolnshire](#) (County)

District: [East Lindsey](#) (District)

To be known as: Edlington & Wispington Area