

COIN

Unique ID: WILT-4049C6

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A Roman denarius of Hadrian (AD 117-38), probably a poorly cast forgery, reverse: Aeternitas standing left, holding up heads of sun in right hand and of moon in left, flanked in field by [AETE]R AVG. Measures 18mm, weighs 2.03g, die axis 7. The coin has slight wear and is badly damaged and incomplete, the surface breaking up.

Obverse: Laureate draped bust right
IMP]CAESAR[TRAIAN HADR]IANVS[AVG

Reverse: Aeternitas standing left, holding up heads of sun in right hand and of moon in left, flanked in field by [AETE]R AVG
P M[T R P CO]S III

Mint: Rome for prototype, AD 119 and later

Reference: cf. RIC 115

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: ROMAN

Period from: ROMAN

Date from: Circa AD 119

Date to: Circa AD 138

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Weight: 2.03 g

Diameter: 18 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Thursday 1st September 2011 - Thursday 24th November 2011

Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: Ms Katie Hinds

Identified by: Mr David Algar

Other reference numbers

Other reference: Wiltshire Heritage Museum Entry Form 1417

Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver
Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: [South West](#) (European Region)
County or Unitary authority: [Wiltshire](#) (Unitary Authority)
District: [Wiltshire](#) (Unitary Authority)
To be known as: Pewsey

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder)
Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector
General landuse: Cultivated land