# **BUCKLE**

**Unique ID:** HAMP-BAA374

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A Medieval (1150-1450) copper alloy rectangular buckle plate. The copper alloy sheet is folded back on itself, providing a hole for the pin and creating a front and a back plate, both of which are intact. It measures 35.30mm in length, is max. 21.61mm wide and 4.47mm thick. It weighs 7.36g. 4mm in from the short edge opposite the folded edge is a 2.30mm diameter rivet hole. There is additionally an intact rivet in each corner of this edge (rivet head c.2mm diameter). Both front and back surfaces are rather worn but there is a possible trace of zigzag engraving on both the front and back plates along one long side.

## **Subsequent actions**

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL Period from: MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1150 Date to: Circa AD 1450

## **Dimensions and weight**

Quantity: 1

Length: 35.3 mm Width: 21.61 mm Thickness: 4.47 mm Weight: 7.36 g

## **Discovery dates**

Date(s) of discovery: Sunday 4th November 2012

### Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

#### Other reference numbers

Other reference: Winchester Museums entry form no. 3545

## **Materials and construction**

Primary material: Copper alloy

Completeness: Complete

# **Spatial metadata**

Region: South East (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: <a href="Hampshire">Hampshire</a> (County)

District: Winchester (District)
To be known as: Alresford

## **Spatial coordinates**

Grid reference source: Centred on village (which isn't a parish) Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

# **Discovery metadata**

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land