WEIGHT

Unique ID: PUBLIC-44E4B7

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete cast lead alloy Medieval spindle whorl. It is biconical in shape, with a circular perforation in the centre. The whorl has a hole in one side due to a casting flaw. One end of the piercing has a rounded lip. There is no descernable decoration. The spindle is light grey in colour.

The spindle is 24.8mm in diameter, and 14.0mm high. The piercing is 9.4mm in diameter at the plain end and 10.0mm at the lipped end.

The whorl weighs 24.6g.

Subsequent actions

Current location of find: with finder Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Height: 14 mm Weight: 24.6 g Diameter: 24.8 mm

Personal details

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Materials and construction

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

Spatial metadata

Region: West Midlands (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: County of Herefordshire (Unitary Authority)

District: County of Herefordshire (Unitary Authority)

To be known as: Brampton Abbotts

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder)

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

Current location: with finder General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Operations to a depth greater than 0.25m