JETTON

Unique ID: SF-103916

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A copper-alloy jetton, possibly from Nuremberg, of Post-Medieval date, c.16th century AD. Not listed in Mitchiner, however the obverse type of Imperial Orb is typical of Nuremberg Rose and Orb jettons, while the reverse type finds parallels in examples published from Salisbury (Saunders, 2001: nos. 204, 204, 209-210, 223).

Obverse: Alternating R's and five pointed rosettes for the legend, An Imperial orb surmounted by a cross pattee, within a double stranded trefoil, all within an inner circle.

Reverse: Alternating R S for the legend, Three lis arranged centrifugally, a trefoil formed from three annulats in each angle, all within an inner circle.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1500 Date to: Circa AD 1650

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Weight: 4.01 g Diameter: 25.09 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Monday 1st December 2014

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: Eastern (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Suffolk (County)

District: Mid Suffolk (District)

To be known as: Hessett

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: Generated from computer mapping software Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Character undetermined