

# MOUNT

**Unique ID:** IOW-C5C4AA

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete post-Medieval copper-alloy mount (c. 1600-c. 1700).

The mount is an elongated sub-triangular shape in plan. It is slightly convex at the front and largely flat at the rear. In plan, it has a pointed knob at one end and a rounded knob at the opposite end. At the rear there are two tapering integral spikes which are circular in cross-section.

This mount has a green patina with patches of a dark brown substance, probably lacquer.

Height: 28.6mm; width: 12.8mm; thickness: 2.7mm; thickness including spikes: 7.5mm. Weight: 3.36g.

A similar mount has been illustrated by Read 2001: 29, fig. 22, ref: 330 and dated c. 17th century.

Read, B. 2001. Metal Artefacts of Antiquity. Portcullis Publishing. Langport.

## Subsequent actions

Current location of find: Finder

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Early

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Late

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1600

Date to: Circa AD 1700

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Height: 28.6 mm

Width: 12.8 mm

Thickness: 7.5 mm

Weight: 3.36 g

## Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Sunday 22nd February 2015 - Sunday 22nd February 2015

## Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: Mr Frank Basford

Identified by: Mr Frank Basford

## Other reference numbers

Other reference: IOW2015-1-70

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Completeness: Complete

## Spatial metadata

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

County or Unitary authority: [Isle of Wight](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [Isle of Wight](#) (Unitary Authority)

To be known as: Isle of Wight

## 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

Discovery circumstances: Club rally

Current location: Finder

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Operations to a depth greater than 0.25m

Read, B., 2001 [Metal artefacts of antiquity: A catalogue of small finds from specific areas of the United Kingdom](#) Langport: Portcullis Publishing 29, fig. 22 , 330