

# JETTON

**Unique ID:** WAW-DBD389

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Medieval jetton: A copper-alloy 'Dolphin' jetton, struck in south-eastern France and dating from 1373 to 1415 (Mitchiner 1988: No. 488).

According to Mitchiner (ibid: 182), 'The dolphin ('dauphin') was [the] traditional badge of the Counts of Alban, Dauphins of Viennois'.

A jetton is a metal counter used in calculation of financial sums but not itself directly exchangeable for coins, goods or services.

Mitchiner, M., 1988. *Jettons, Medalets and Tokens: The Medieval Period and Nuremberg* London: Seaby.

## Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL

Period from: MEDIEVAL

Period to: MEDIEVAL

Date from: Exactly AD 1373

Date to: Exactly AD 1415

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Weight: 3.58 g

Diameter: 27.39 mm

## Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Thursday 30th October 2014 - Thursday 29th January 2015

## Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: Ms Angie Bolton

Identified by: Ms Angie Bolton

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

## **Spatial metadata**

Region: [West Midlands](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [Worcestershire](#) (County)

District: [Wychavon](#) (District)

Parish or ward: [Evesham](#) (Civil Parish)

## **Spatial coordinates**

4 Figure: SP0345

Four figure Latitude: 52.10332635

Four figure longitude: -1.95761511

1:25K map: SP0345

1:10K map: SP04NW

Grid reference source: From a paper map

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 10 metre square.

## **Discovery metadata**

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Character undetermined