DEBITAGE

Unique ID: DUR-73F369

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete flint worked flake of Mesolithic date (9000-3450BC). The lithic is sub ovate in plan and plano-convex in section. The dorsal surface contains three predominant negative scars with corresponding arises. The distal and right hand edges contain semi abrupt retouch. The proximal edge has been abruptly blunted. The ventral surface is predominantly smooth. The lithic retains some cortex along the left hand edge and is therefore a secondary flake.

The flint is a dark grey in colour. The cortex is cream in colour.

Dimensions: Length - 14.81mm, Width- 8.81mm, Thickness- 2.58mm, Weight- 0.3g

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MESOLITHIC Subperiod from: Early Period from: MESOLITHIC

Subperiod to: Late

Period to: MESOLITHIC Date from: Circa 9000 BC Date to: Circa 3450 BC

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 14.81 mm Width: 8.81 mm Thickness: 2.58 mm

Weight: 0.3 g

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Flint

Manufacture method: Knapped/flaked

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: North East (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Northumberland (Unitary Authority)

District: Northumberland (Unitary Authority)
Parish or ward: Shotley Low Quarter (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: NZ0851

Four figure Latitude: 54.85373529 Four figure longitude: -1.8769215

1:25K map: NZ0851 1:10K map: NZ05SE

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Fieldwalking General landuse: Cultivated land