COIN

Unique ID: DENO-EBDD60

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A gold contemporary copy of a gold Roman tremissis of Honorius (AD 393-423) or Theodosius II (AD 402-450), dating to the period AD 408-450 (Reece Period 22-23). Probably VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM reverse type, depicting Victory advancing to front, head left, holding wreath and cross on globe. Copying mint of Constantinople. cf RIC X 212 or 213.

Richard Abdy says "Probably made in sub-Roman Gaul, they are often termed 'Pseudo-Imperial Gallic'. It is difficult to find parallels in this series as the variety comes down to individual specimens (being that loosely copied). Artefacts from this period in our island history are few and far between - Britain in the aftermath of Roman rule is popularly thought of in post-apocalyptic terms but there are tantalizing bits of evidence of trade links with the continent (coins and some other artefacts) but in tiny quantities compared to what had gone before."

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: ROMAN Period from: ROMAN Period to: ROMAN

Date from: Exactly AD 408 Date to: Exactly AD 450

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Weight: 1.34 g Diameter: 12.8 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Friday 1st January 1960 - Thursday 31st December 1970

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Gold

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: <u>East Midlands</u> (European Region) County or Unitary authority: <u>Nottinghamshire</u> (County)