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Unique ID: LANCUM-18F7AA

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A post-medieval sixpence of William III (1694-1702) struck at the mint of Exeter during the Great Recoinage and dated 1697 on the reverse

Obverse description: Laureate and draped bust right, E below bust.

Obverse inscription: GVLIELMVS.III.DEI.GRA.

Reverse description: Crowned shields of England, Scotland, France and Ireland (early harp) arranged in a cruciform; lion at centre.

Reverse inscription: 16-96.MAG-BR.FRA-ET.HIB-REX

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Exactly AD 1697

Date to: Exactly AD 1697

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Weight: 2.91 g

Diameter: 20.85 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Tuesday 29th December 2015

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver

Manufacture method: Milled

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

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

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

District: [Allerdale](#) (District)

To be known as: Cockermouth

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land