

VESSEL

Unique ID: BERK-5E9F8E

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A fragment of the base of a Roman ceramic vessel, dating from the third fourth century AD. The fragment is part of a pedestal base for an undetermined vessel, probably a jug. The fabric is a fine, slightly sandy clay, fully oxidised resulting in an orangey-red colour, characteristic of Oxford Colour Coated Ware. Small areas of the red coat survive on the lip of the pedestal. The Oxford region was producing this type of pottery between c. AD 240-350.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: ROMAN

Period from: ROMAN

Period to: ROMAN

Date from: Exactly AD 240

Date to: Circa AD 350

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Height: 22.4 mm

Weight: 67.3 g

Diameter: 79.3 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Sunday 16th October 2016

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: 2016.914

Materials and construction

Primary material: Ceramic

Manufacture method: Wheel made

Completeness: Fragment

Spatial metadata

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

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

District: [Vale of White Horse](#) (District)

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

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SU3098

Four figure Latitude: 51.67996829

Four figure longitude: -1.56750198

1:25K map: SU3098

1:10K map: SU39NW

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land