

# FLAKE

**Unique ID:** GAT-D76797

Object type certainty: Probably

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A probable prehistoric flint flake, possibly dating to the Neolithic period. The flake is a mixture of light and dark reddish browns in colour. There is evidence of the cortex along one edge. The flake is retouched, with apparent earlier blade/flake removals evident on the dorsal face. The bulb of percussion is visible, although it is difficult to identify any concentric waves along the ventral face which may indicate it is of natural origin. There is a small chip just below the bulb of percussion which suggests it is anthropogenic and as such this is probably a retouched flake (Shopland 2005, 61).

## Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: NEOLITHIC

Period from: NEOLITHIC

Period to: NEOLITHIC

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 64.51 mm

Width: 30.21 mm

Thickness: 14.45 mm

Weight: 28.2 g

## Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

## Other reference numbers

SMR reference number: 32976

Other reference: PAS2017-03-06

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Flint

Manufacture method: Knapped/flaked

Completeness: Complete

## Spatial metadata

Region: [Wales](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [Gwynedd](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [Gwynedd](#) (Unitary Authority)

To be known as: SH4437

## Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 100 metre square.

Shopland, N., 2005 [Archaeological Finds: A Guide to Identification](#) Stroud: Tempus