STRAP FITTING

Unique ID: DOR-CCDF2D

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A copper alloy strap fitting. A belt mount with two incomplete integral attachment spikes at the rear, set on the long axis. The mount has an upper inverted drop-shaped plate with a scalloped upper edge and projection at the base. The projection is trilobed with the central lower lobe being a loop with a central hole. The loop is likely to have had an element suspended from it, now missing. The main plate is decorated with a possible moulded human face at the centre, perhaps flanked by wings. The lower projection is decorated with a row of three raised oval pellets. Both faces retain areas of copper-coloured gilding. The rear is flat. This is possibly a sword belt mount.

Date: Post Medieval - c. 1600 - 1700

Dimensions: 30.94 mm x 20.47 mm x 2.45 mm

Weight: 5.90 g

A similar more complete example is recorded in database record WILT-F3576E

Class: Belt mount

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1600 Date to: Circa AD 1700

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 30.94 mm Width: 20.47 mm Thickness: 2.45 mm

Weight: 5.9 g

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Other reference numbers

Other reference: SCMS 019024

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

Region: South West (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Dorset (County)

District: West Dorset (District)
To be known as: Wynford Eagle

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: Centred on field

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land