

WEIGHT

Unique ID: YORYM-E0BBEC

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete lead-alloy weight of uncertain date, probably medieval to Post-Medieval c.AD 1500 - 1800. The object is circular in plan with a central circular perforation and raised rim. The object is undecorated.

The metal is a dark brown colour. The object is 35.1mm in diameter, 11.6mm thick and weighs 85g. The perforation is 10.4mm in diameter.

The dating of lead objects of this general type is problematic, and their use is invariably uncertain. The term 'weight' is used here in its broadest sense to include uses that do not involve weighing (e.g. holding-down, tensioning, etc.). They were probably mostly used as net weights, loom weights.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL

Period from: MEDIEVAL

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1500

Date to: Circa AD 1800

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 11.6 mm

Weight: 85 g

Diameter: 35.1 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Tuesday 7th November 2017

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: YMT : E05559

Materials and construction

Primary material: Lead Alloy

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: [Yorkshire and the Humber](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [North Yorkshire](#) (County)

District: [Scarborough](#) (District)

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

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: TA0974

Four figure Latitude: 54.15026557

Four figure longitude: -0.33259142

1:25K map: TA0974

1:10K map: TA07SE

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

Specific landuse: Character undetermined