

STUD

Unique ID: IOW-3EF352

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

An incomplete post-Medieval copper-alloy stud or mount with a 'flower' design on the upper face of the head (c. 1500-c. 1600).

In plan, this stud has a sub-circular domed head with moulded decoration on the upper face. Originally, the head would have had six lobes around the head but these are missing due to breaks. The integrally cast tapering shank at the rear is square in cross-section. Decoration on the upper face consists of a central raised pellet, surrounded by six evenly spaced pellets. There were probably other pellets forming a border before being broken. The back of the head is flat.

The stud is corroded and the breaks are probably old. The tip of the shank is missing due to a break.

Maximum diameter of head: 7.3mm; minimum diameter of head: 6.9mm; height of head: 1.5mm; overall height including shank: 8.4mm. Weight: 0.45g.

Similar studs have been recorded on the Portable Antiquities Scheme database. For example, see finds: **IOW-21622**; **IOW-36FE01**; **IOW-B1C833**; **LVPL-DD1656** and **SF-2D65A2**

Subsequent actions

Current location of find: Finder

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Early

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Early

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1500

Date to: Circa AD 1600

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Height: 8.4 mm

Weight: 0.45 g

Diameter: 7.3 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Friday 26th January 2018 - Friday 26th January 2018

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: IOW2018-7-40

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

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

County or Unitary authority: [Isle of Wight](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [Isle of Wight](#) (Unitary Authority)

To be known as: Isle of Wight

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: Generated from computer mapping software

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

Discovery circumstances: Club rally

Current location: Finder

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Operations to a depth greater than 0.25m