SEAL

Unique ID: WILT-0432F3

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

An incomplete post-medieval lead cloth seal, probably dating to c. AD 1550-1800. Disc-1 of a 2- or 4-part cloth seal. Disc-1 is stamped with an incuse T, whilst an incomplete privy-mark, stamped in low releif survives on the integral rivet.

It is c 21.50mm in diameter, 3.0mm thick and weighs 4.9g.

This was probably a cloth seal used by a weaver, dyer or searcher. The use of a privy or merchants mark suggests a broad late 16th to 18th century date. A number of comparable seals are published by Eqan (1994: 181-183).

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 1550 Date to: Exactly AD 1800

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Thickness: 3 mm Weight: 4.9 g

Diameter: 21.5 mm

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Lead Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

Region: South West (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Wiltshire (Unitary Authority)

District: Wiltshire (Unitary Authority)
Parish or ward: Alderbury (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SU1925

Four figure Latitude: 51.02405976 Four figure longitude: -1.73047008

1:25K map: SU1925 1:10K map: SU12NE

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.