

LITHIC IMPLEMENT

Unique ID: LEIC-987CB6

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Palaeolithic (Upper) to Neolithic (Later) flake-blade, 52mm long, 28mm wide, 14mm thick and 20.4g in weight. Made on a flint/chert that has turned a light chalky grey through patination. This piece has been photographed in the wrong direction giving the impression it is an end scraper, however this end is actually the proximal end and no modification has taken place after removal. The butt is plain and quite small and the distal end is large and flat and displays evidence of it being a platform itself. The piece has been struck from a bidirectional blade core. The dorsal face possesses parallel ridges that attest to this.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: PALAEOLITHIC

Period from: PALAEOLITHIC

Period to: NEOLITHIC

Date from: Circa 40000 BC

Date to: Exactly 2351 BC

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 52 mm

Width: 28 mm

Thickness: 14 mm

Weight: 20.4 g

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Stone

Manufacture method: Knapped/flaked

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

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

County or Unitary authority: [Leicestershire](#) (County)

District: [Melton](#) (District)

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

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SK7625

Four figure Latitude: 52.81719198

Four figure longitude: -0.87375008

1:25K map: SK7625

1:10K map: SK72NE

Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder)

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.