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Unique ID: CORN-CA6265

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A copper eight maravedis of Philip IV (1621-1665) of Spain, dated to 1626 to the right of the shield on the reverse. The surface of the coin is heavily clipped and worn so that the numerals indicating the value of the coin are illegible but to the left of the shield on the obverse might possibly be part of a letter B for the mint of Burgos.

Cayón (2005) illustrate a similar eight maravedis coin of Philip IV, minted at Burgos in 1625, on p.629, no.5328.

Evidence of reuse: clipped

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Middle

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Middle

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Exactly AD 1626

Date to: Exactly AD 1626

Period of reuse: POST MEDIEVAL

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 2.5 mm

Weight: 5.35 g

Diameter: 21 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Saturday 14th July 2018 - Saturday 14th July 2018

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

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

County or Unitary authority: [Cornwall](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [Cornwall](#) (Unitary Authority)

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

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SW5538

Four figure Latitude: 50.19122015

Four figure longitude: -5.43383351

1:25K map: SW5538

1:10K map: SW58SE

Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder)

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land

Cayon, A.C. and J. Clemente, 2005 [Las Monedas Espanolas](#) Madrid: Cayon-Jano S.L. p.629 , no.5328