STEELYARD WEIGHT

Unique ID: SUR-542C88

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A lead alloy ovoid steelyard weight, 29.1mm in length and 57.26g (2.02 oz) with an iron suspension loop of thick wire cast into it; the loop itself has broken off. Possibly Roman although may be later.

Notes:

The weight approximates a Sextans (1/6 of a Roman Libra or pound) which equates to 54.8g.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: ROMAN Period from: ROMAN Period to: MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 43 Date to: Circa AD 1500

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Length: 29.1 mm Width: 22.3 mm Weight: 57.26 g

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Lead Alloy Secondary material: Iron Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: South East (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: <a>Surrey (County)

District: Guildford (District)

Parish or ward: Worplesdon (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SU9651

Four figure Latitude: 51.25010023 Four figure longitude: -0.62587306

1:25K map: SU9651 1:10K map: SU95SE

Grid reference source: Centred on field

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.