# BUCKLE

### Unique ID: LEIC-FC93DD

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Medieval copper alloy buckle. 35mm in length, 14mm wide and 4mm thick with a weight of 4.43 grams.

The object is trapezoidal in form with a rectangular cross section. It consists of a semi -circular short shaft which is plain and incomplete. This runs into a trapezoidal 'loop' starting with a raised collar butting up to a plain rectangular plate. This has a small central hole just beyond the collar and a larger one at the far end which houses a tapering folded pin. At the far end of the 'loop' is a further flat plate which has a slight raised collar next to the loop and then a row of three small circular holes filling it. The objects form suggests a spur buckle?

#### **Subsequent** actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

#### Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL Period from: MEDIEVAL Period to: MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1200 Date to: Circa AD 1400

#### **Dimensions and weight**

Quantity: 1 Length: 35 mm Width: 14 mm Thickness: 4 mm Weight: 4.43 g

#### **Personal details**

This information is restricted for your access level.

#### Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Incomplete

## **Spatial metadata**

Region: <u>East Midlands</u> (European Region) County or Unitary authority: <u>Leicestershire</u> (County) District: <u>Melton</u> (District) Parish or ward: <u>Freeby</u> (Civil Parish)

## **Spatial coordinates**

4 Figure: SK8022 Four figure Latitude: 52.78965158 Four figure longitude: -0.81514442 1:25K map: SK8022 1:10K map: SK82SW Grid reference source: Centred on field Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.