

# COIN

**Unique ID:** SOM-23AD4E

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A broken Post Medieval base silver halfgroat of Edward VI (1547-1553) in the name of Henry VIII dating to AD 1547-1551. No initial mark, probably minted at Bristol. North (1991,119) no. 1880.

The coin has a large chip on its edge on the left when looking at the bust and a small section has broken off opposite this, along a probable crack as the break is patinated.

## Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Exactly AD 1547

Date to: Exactly AD 1551

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Weight: 0.76 g

Diameter: 18.3 mm

## Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Friday 10th May 2019 - Saturday 10th August 2019

## Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

## Other reference numbers

Other reference: SCC Receipt 018544

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Base Silver

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Incomplete

## Spatial metadata

County or Unitary authority: [Somerset](#) (County)  
District: [Taunton Deane](#) (District)  
Parish or ward: [Cheddon Fitzpaine](#) (Civil Parish)

## Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: ST2328  
Four figure Latitude: 51.04616959  
Four figure longitude: -3.09978956  
1:25K map: ST2328  
1:10K map: ST22NW  
Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 10 metre square.

## Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector  
General landuse: Cultivated land

North, J.J., 1991 [English Hammered Coinage: Volume 2. Edward I to Charles II, 1272-1662](#) London:  
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