

# COIN

**Unique ID:** NARC-7335E4

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete gold Half Sovereign of Edward VI in the name of Henry VIII. Crowned royal shield reverse with lion and dragon supporter. Martlet initial mark. London mint. AD 1547-1551.

The coin has a short fracture at 6 O'clock

Diameter: 31.37mm, Thickness: 0.73mm, Weight: 5.7g

North Vol II, No 1866

## Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

## Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Early

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Middle

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1547

Date to: Circa AD 1551

## Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 0.73 mm

Weight: 5.7 g

Diameter: 31.37 mm

## Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

## Materials and construction

Primary material: Gold

Manufacture method: Struck or hammered

Completeness: Complete

## Spatial metadata

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

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

District: [Melton](#) (District)

Parish or ward: [Kirby Bellars](#) (Civil Parish)

## Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SK7316

Four figure Latitude: 52.73671472

Four figure longitude: -0.92025872

1:25K map: SK7316

1:10K map: SK71NW

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 100 metre square.

## Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Character undetermined

North, J.J., 1960. [English Hammered Coinage: Vol 2. Edward I to Charles II, 1272-1662](#) London : Spink and Son