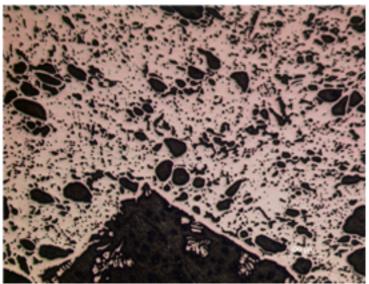
B07 - LEADED BRONZE COIN



B07.1

Identification

Sample:B07 (B08)Card reference:C31Origin:Philippopolis IIILocation:n/a

Description

High leaded tin bronze. Dendritic structure is still discernable. The corrosion is primarily due to the bad conservation conditions in drawers made of oak wood.

Figure captions

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General view: metallic part showing a huge amount of Pb in the form of globules of different sizes and shapes.

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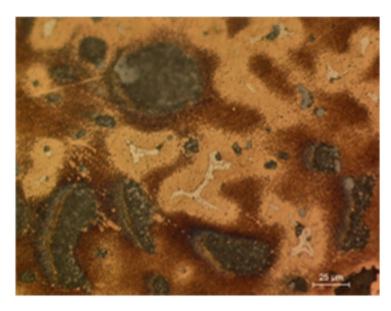
Detail of the Cu-rich matrix with many Pb globules (dark grey) and a small amount of eutectoid phase (white); numerous sulfide globules (blue grey) (etchant: aqueous FeCl₃).

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Detail showing the many strain lines due to cold working (etchant: aqueous FeCl₃).







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