

7b1, 7b2, 7b3, 7b4 (c1222-1236)

Classifications

Notes

Owing to the low numbers of Bury dies that have been recorded for class`s 7b1 & 7b2 that were struck under the moneyer Norman (one die for each class) this taken together with the low number of surviving coins (6 & 8 respectively) then add in the time span of when each of these classes were in production (approximately 7 years for 7b1 and allowing for one year into 7b2 (while still under Norman) It is a possibility that these coins were reserved for the Abbots/Convents use only.

Class 7b1 (c1222-1229)

Diagnostic features of class 7b1

Class 7b1 coins tend to be much cruder in appearance and often seen with a gaping mouth and chin almost touching the inner circle.

Whilst this is quite a common class for Canterbury and London, for Bury there is only one die recorded, that of the moneyer NORMAN.

The main diagnostic feature of this class is the square topped letter “H” with almost vertical uprights, this single feature will distinguish class 7b coins from those of 7a.

Pellets are not seen in the curls on the only die recorded from Bury.

This class is recorded at Bury for the moneyer NORMAN only.

Typical readings and styles of lettering and the initial cross seen in 7b1.

Obverse **hENRICVS R†C✠** Reverse **✠NORHANON•SA**

Class 7b2 (c1229-1232)

Diagnostic features of class 7b2

As in 7b1, only one die exists from Bury, issued by the moneyer NORMAN. Those issued by his successor SIMVND are more plentiful.

No pellets in the legend on the one NORMAN die recorded from Bury, but are occasionally encountered in the coins of SIMVND.

Pellet on the chin is usual but is missing on occasional dies.

Letter “H” now replacing the letter “M”.

Three curls each side is normal with a 50:50 split of those that contain pellets.

Broken eye punches become the most significant diagnostic feature of this class although it is sometimes difficult to observe on some dies.

This class is recorded at Bury for the moneyers NORMAN (from a single die only) & SIMVND.

Typical readings and styles of lettering and the initial cross seen in 7b2.

Obverse **hENRICVS R†C✠**

Reverses **✠NORMAN ON SANT** & **✠SIMVND ONSANT**

Class 7b3 (c1232-1234)

Diagnostic features of class 7b3

No pellets on chin.

Broken eye punches as seen in the previous class.

Almost chinless bust.

The main features of the obverse are now somewhat degraded by comparison with those seen in 7a.

As in 7b2 the letter “H” replacing the letter “M”.

This class is recorded at Bury for the moneyer SIMVND only.

Typical readings and styles of lettering and the initial cross seen in 7b3.

Obverse **hENRICVS R†C✠**

Reverse **✠SIMVND ONSANT**

Class 7b4 (c1234-1236)

Diagnostic features of class 7b4

The most significant diagnostic feature is the round eye punches that replace the broken punches seen in the two preceding classes.

As in 7b3 still the chinless bust.

No pellets on the chin.

No pellets in the curls.

Letter “M” is now almost universally replaced with the letter “H”.

This class is recorded at Bury for the moneyer SIMVND only.

Typical readings and styles of lettering and the initial cross seen in 7b4.

Obverse **hENRICVS R†C✠**

Reverse **✠SIMVND ONSANT**

Class`s 7b1, 7b2, 7b3 (1222-1236) pictures & die charts

Ligated lettering underlined. Dies not recorded by Eaglen in Red

The die numbering on the chart below is the same as that used in Dr. Eaglen's publication¹ on the Bury mint, this enables any die pair to be referred back to his catalogue i.e. (Eaglen 98). Alterations and additions since his publication have required that the die lettering i.e. (A-a1) be, in part, altered, meaning this reference cannot be relied on when referring back to his publication. The number in brackets on the joining line indicates the number of coins that are currently recorded from these dies.

Moneyer NORMAN
Class 7b1 (c1222-1229)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂NORMAN ON-SA



Eaglen 153 dies A-a (6)

Class 7b2 (c1229-1232)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂NORHAN ON SAN



Eaglen 154 dies A-a; (8)

Moneyer SIMVND
7b2 continued

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SANT



Eaglen 155 dies B-b; (6)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SAN



Eaglen 156 dies C-c; (5)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SAT



Eaglen 157 dies D-d; (11)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND`ON•SANT



Eaglen 158 dies E-e; (8)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SANT



Eaglen 159 dies F-f; (10)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SANT



Eaglen 161 dies G-g; (2)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SANT



Eaglen 162 dies H-h; (1)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SAN[-]



Eaglen 163 dies I-i; (2)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SANT



Eaglen 164 dies J-j; (5)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVND ON SANT



Eaglen 165 dies K-k; (2)

hENRICVS R/EX



✂SIHVNDE ON SANT



Eaglen 166 dies L-l; (7)

hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 167 dies M-m; (5)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 168 dies N-n; (10)

✠S•IHVND ON SANT



hENRICV S R/EX



Eaglen 169 dies O-o; (8)

✠SIHVND ON SANTE



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 170+177 dies P-p; (12)

✠SIHVND ON SANTE



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 171+189 dies Q-q; (7)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 172 dies R-r; (7)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 173+160 dies S-s; (5)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 174 dies T-t; (9)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 175+186 dies U-u; (4)

✠SIHVND•ON•SANT



Class 7b3 (1232-1234)

<div>hENRICVS R/EX</div> <div></div>	<div>Eaglen 178 dies A-a; (10)</div>	<div>✠SIHVND ON SANTE</div> <div></div>
<div>hENRICVS R/EX</div> <div></div>	<div>Eaglen 179 dies B-b; (3)</div>	<div>✠SIHVND ON SAN•</div> <div></div>
<div>hENRICVS R/EX</div> <div></div>	<div>Eaglen 180 dies C-c; (3)</div>	<div>✠SIHVND ON SANT</div> <div></div>
<div>hENRICVS R/EX</div> <div></div>	<div>Eaglen 182 dies D-d; (4)</div>	<div>✠SIHVND ON SANT</div> <div></div>
<div>hENRICVS R/EX</div> <div></div>	<div>Eaglen 183 dies E-e; (9)</div>	<div>✠SIHVND ON SANT</div> <div></div>
<div>hENRICVS R/EX</div> <div></div>	<div>Eaglen 185+198 dies F-f; (3)</div>	<div>✠SIHVND ON SANT</div> <div></div>
<div>hENRICVS R/EX</div> <div></div>	<div>Eaglen 187+194 dies G-g; (6)</div>	<div>✠SIHVND ON SANT</div> <div></div>

Class 7b4 (1234-1236)

hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 190+206a dies A-a; (10)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 191 dies B-b; (6)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 192 dies C-c; (1)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 193 dies D-d; (10)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 195 dies E-e; (7)

✠S•IHVND ON S•A•NT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 196 dies F-f; (2)

✠SIMVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 197 dies G-g; (6)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 199 dies H-h; (3)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 200 dies I-i; (10)

✠SIHVND ON SAN



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 201 dies J-j; (3)

✠SIHVND ON SANTE



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 181 dies K-k; (1)

✠SIHVND ON SANT



hENRICVS R/EX



Eaglen 184 dies L-l; (2)

✠SIHVND ON SANT

