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*Copper alloy*

**Unused rivet?** Strip of sheet rolled into a tight cylinder, probably for use as a rivet. L 30 mm, D 3 mm. Alloy: gunmetal. TP 2 context 3.

The alloy implies a date no earlier than the Roman Iron Age; the object cannot be closely dated. If this is an unused rivet it adds to the evidence for expedient craftwork (repair rather than manufacture) noted already in the finds from Coire Sgamhadail 3-6.

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