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| Project SOFIA OWF 211057 | Target ID: 7831 Record Ref.: ECR_FABM_SSS_166879 |
|  <p>E: 308900.8 N: 6067710.4 23:00:30 15/07/2022 KP: 71.498 DCC: 25.9 H: 19.1 D: 64.3 A: 0.5 RWE: Sofia UXO Clearance ECR FABM SSS 166879/pARCH 7831 Target Invest</p> | |
|  <p>E: 308897.1 N: 6067713.3 22:35:38 15/07/2022 KP: 71.495 DCC: 22.1 H: 109.4 D: 64.7 A: 0.8 RWE: Sofia UXO Clearance ECR FABM SSS 166879/pARCH 7831 Target Invest</p> | |



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| Discovery information | |
| <p>Date discovered: Anomaly 7831 was identified from assessment of geophysical data by Wessex Archaeology in 2020.</p> <p>ROV inspection was conducted on 15 July 2022</p> | <p>Circumstances of discovery: ROV inspection of pARCH target</p> |
| <p>Position of discovery: 308898.55 E 6067712.87 N (WGS84 UTM31N)</p> | |

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| Description |
| <p>Large, distinct magnetic dipole with peak and trough on two survey lines. No associated SSS or MBES contacts. Located along the edge of a distinct sand wave and may be related. However, amplitude suggests potential ferrous debris buried on the edge of the sand wave. Retained as a precaution. (Archaeological Method Statement. Doc. Ref. 003552692; 211051.04).</p> <p>Target was located amongst boulders and described as being metallic and / or wooden debris, possibly with associated rigging. Target has a magnetic signature and measures 2.0 m long and 0.2 m across. Target left <i>in situ</i>.</p> <p>Subsequent archaeological review of images taken from the ROV inspection video footage shows a long linear ferrous object, with visible marine growth, and a U-shaped feature attached at one end to the linear object.</p> |

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| Interpretation and advice | |
| <p>Probably anchor with a short shank and curved arms. Not possible to determine whether a stock is present and therefore of Admiralty pattern type. Unknown archaeological value.</p> <p>No further action required.</p> | |
| Period | 19 th century / Modern |
| Date Range | 1800 - modern |