DENMARK

SIX EARLY MODERN DANISH COIN HOARDS

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[PLATES 45–49]

The contents of these hoards were sent to the Royal Collection of Coins and Medals, the National Museum of Denmark in Copenhagen in accordance with the Danefæ (treasure trove) provisions.

* = illustrated coin.

The main references used are:

7. Hopballe (uncertain Danish location, perhaps between Vejle and Jelling in Jutland)
Dep. c.1625

In 1839 76 small silver coins were found by farmer Jens Olesen’s son Mads Jensen about one meter below the surface when he was digging gravel near his father’s farm in Hopballe. The Royal Collection kept 10 of the coins and returned the rest. The finder received two rigsbankdaler (half thalers) as a reward. Today, no coins in the collection can with certainty be ascribed to the hoard (FP 1) which consisted of coins of the Danish king Christian IV (1588–1648) and the Dukes of Holstein. The latest coins were probably dated 1625.
Disp. 10 or fewer coins probably preserved at The National Museum of Denmark, The Royal Collection of Coins and Medals; the rest are dispersed.

8. Grønnegade, Rudkøbing, Langeland
Dep. c.1675–9

In 1878, the barber J.F. Valbum found a coin hoard while taking up a floor in his house in Grønnegade Street, which lay close to the town hall in Rudkøbing on the Isle of Langeland. This led to the discovery of a hoard of 313 silver coins. The latest coins are three Danish pieces dated 1675. The hoard may have been buried during the Scanian War (1675–9).

The coins weighed c.5.6 kilograms and are registered as FP 444 in the Royal collection. Barber Valbum was rewarded with 570 Danish kroner. 16 coins were new to the collection, and 27 coins were kept because they were better specimens than the ones already in the collection. The 27 coins which were replaced and the remaining 270 hoard coins were considered duplicates and probably used for exchange according to the then practice. Only 14 or 15 of the coins in the Royal Collection (which are illustrated here) can today be attributed to the hoard. None of these belong to the group of high quality, more or less contemporary, counterfeits which were identified by Sven Aagaard though extensive die studies in the early 1990s.¹

Denmark-Norway

Christian IV (1588–1648)

1–2. 1 mark, 1607, Copenhagen or Helsingør (Elsinore) (Hede, p. 27f., no. 92B, 95 or 98).
3–6. 1 mark, 1612, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 28, no. 99A).
7. 1 mark, 1613, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 28, no. 99A).
8–13. 1 mark, 1614, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 28, no. 99).
14–20. 1 mark, 1615, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 29, no. 99C-D).
21–5. 1 mark, 1616, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 29, no. 99C-D).
26–39. 1 mark, 1617, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 29, no. 99C-D).
40. 1 mark, 1618, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 29, no. 99C-D).
41. 2 skilling, 1627, Copenhagen or Glückstadt (Hede, p. 33, no. 134A or p. 38, no. 174).
42.* 2 mark, 1644, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 35, no. 148). Two coins have been placed on the same label in the collection; one coin is from this hoard, the other is from hoard FP 994. It is not possible to determine with certainty which coin comes from this hoard. The surface of coin A seems to match the surfaces of other coins in the hoard better, but this may be due to the conservation of the coins. Coin A: 10.63 g, 11 o’clock. Coin B: 10.88 g, 8–9 o’clock.
43.* 2 mark, 1644, Copenhagen, 10.53 g, 5 o’clock (Hede, p. 35, no. 148).
44–63. 2 mark, 1644, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 35, no. 148 or p. 114, no. 19).
64–6. 16 skilling, 1644, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 35, no. 149 or p. 114, no. 20).
67. 2 skilling, 1644, Oslo, (Hede p. 114, no. 17).
68–97. 2 mark, 1645, Copenhagen, Glückstadt or Oslo (Hede, p. 35, no. 148, p. 39, no. 179 or p. 114, no. 19).
98. 16 skilling, 1645, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 35, no. 149 or p. 114, no. 20).
99–109. 2 mark, 1646, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 35, no. 148 or p. 114, no. 19).
110. 2 mark, 1647, Oslo (Hede, p. 114, no. 19).
111. 16 skilling, 1647, Oslo (Hede, p. 114, no. 20).
112. 16 skilling, unknown year (1644–7), Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 35, no. 149 or p. 114, no. 20).

Frederik III (1648–70)

113. 1 krone, 1651, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 48, no. 84).
114. 1 krone, 1652, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 48, no. 84A).
115–16. 4 mark, 1657, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 49, no. 92 or p. 50, no. 95).
117. 4 mark, 1658, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 49, no. 92 or p. 50, no. 95A).
118.* 4 mark, 1659, Glückstadt, 22.04 g, 8–9 o’clock, (Hede, p. 57, no. 153A).
119–21. 4 mark, 1659, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
122–5. 4 mark, 1660, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
126. 2 mark, 1660, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no.94 or p. 122, no. 67D-E).
127–8. 2 mark, 1661, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 67D-G).
129. 2 skilling, 1662, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
130. 2 mark, 1665, Copenhagen or Oslo (probably) (Hede, p. 51, no. 104 or p. 122, no. 67G).
131.* 4 mark, 1666, Copenhagen, 22.20 g, 9 o’clock (Hede, p. 52, no. 113A; Aagaard, Frederik III, p. 105 and 157, type 101.1).2
132–42. 4 mark, 1666, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 51f.).

2 This coin has been on display in the collection’s exhibition since 1992.
143–6. 1 speciedaler (thaler), 1667, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 47, no. 75).
147.* 4 mark, 1667, Copenhagen, 22.13 g, 12 o’clock (Hede, p. 52, no. 116; Aagaard, *Frederik III*, p. 102 and 148, type 8).
148–60. 4 mark, 1667, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 52, no. 113 or 116).
161.* 4 mark, 1668, Copenhagen, 22.40 g, 9 o’clock (Hede, p. 52, no. 113A; Aagaard, *Frederik III*, p. 108 and 164, type 117.3).
162–94. 4 mark, 1668, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 52, no. 113, 114 or 116).
195–215. 4 mark, 1669, Copenhagen (probably) or Oslo (Hede, p. 52f. or p. 121, no. 66).
216. 2 mark, 1669, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 53, no. 118 or p. 122, no. 67G).

Christian V (1670–99)

217–21. 1 krone, 1670, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A).
222.* 1 speciedaler (thaler), 1671, Oslo, 28.62 g, 11 o’clock (Hede, p. 126, no. 29A).
223–4. 1 speciedaler (thaler), 1671, Oslo (Hede, p. 125f., no. 25 or 27).
225.* 4 mark, 1671, Copenhagen, 22.10 g, 6–7 o’clock (Hede, p. 63, no. 67A; Aagaard, *‘Beskrivelse’,* p. 65, type 5).
226–39. 4 mark, 1671, Copenhagen or Glückstadt (Hede, p. 63, no. 67A or p. 69, no. 121).
240.* 4 mark, 1671, Oslo, 22.19 g, 4 o’clock (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A).
241–9. 4 mark, 1671, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A-B).
250.* 1 speciedaler (thaler), 1672, Oslo, 28.72 g, 1 o’clock (Hede, p. 126, no. 29A).
251–66. 1 speciedaler (thaler), 1672, Oslo (Hede 126, no. 29A-B).
267.* 4 mark, 1672, Copenhagen, 21.88 g, 12 o’clock (Hede, p. 63, no. 67A; Aagaard, *‘Beskrivelse’,* p. 65, type 5).
268.* 4 mark, 1672, Copenhagen, 21.63 g, 6 o’clock (Hede, p. 63, no 67A; Aagaard *‘Beskrivelse’,* p. 64, type 1).
269.* 4 mark, 1672, Glückstadt, 22.14 g, 11 o’clock (Hede, p. 69, no. 121).
270.* 4 mark, 1672, Glückstadt, 22.20 g, 8 o’clock (Hede, p. 69, no. 121).
271–85. 4 mark, 1672, Copenhagen or Glückstadt (Hede, p. 63, no. 67A or p. 69, no. 121).
286–96. 4 mark, 1672, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A).
297.* 4 mark, 1673, Glückstadt, 21.87 g, 9 o’clock (Hede, p. 69, no. 121).
298–304. 4 mark, 1673, Copenhagen or Glückstadt (Hede, p. 64, no. 67A or p. 69, no. 121).
305–310. 4 mark, 1673, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A).
311–313. 8 mark, 1675, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 64, no. 72).

Disp. 14–15 coins preserved at The Royal Collection of Coins and Medals, the rest are dispersed.

9. Stenmagle O(d)strup, Zealand

*Dep. c.1676–7*

In 1874 a farm labourer, Niels Eliasen, from Stenmagle O(d)strup on Zealand found a coin hoard in a field at Stenmagle O(d)strup belonging to a farmer, Søren Pederssen. The latest coins are dated 1676. As there are none of the very common coins from 1677 this suggests the hoard was probably buried in 1676–7 during the Scanian War (1675–9). The coins weighed

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1 This well-preserved specimen replaced a coin (Dev. 2926) from the Devegge collection. The Royal Collection of Coins and Medals received about 7,000 coins from the collection created by Ole Devegge (1772–1847; assistant at The Royal Collection of Coins and Medals 1820–32; curator 1832–47).
400–450 grams and lay at a depth of 40–50 centimetres by a big stone in an area which used to be forest. The hoard is registered as FP 366 in the Royal collection. The finder was rewarded with 20 Danish rigsdaler.

Four coins (three 2 skilling coins and no. 271) were new to the collection, and five coins (all 2 skilling coins) were kept because they were better specimens than the ones already in the collection. The five collection coins replaced by better specimens and the remaining 263 hoard coins were considered duplicates and probably used for exchange. Only two coins (nos 182 and 271) in the collection can with certainty be ascribed to the hoard today.4

**Denmark-Norway**

*Christian IV (1588–1648)*

1. 8 skilling, 1607, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 27, no. 93A).
2. 1 mark, 1614, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 28, no. 99).
3. 2 skilling, 1624, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 33, no. 134A).
4–5. 2 skilling, 1625, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 33, no. 134A).
6. 2 skilling, 1626, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 33, no. 134A).
7–9. 2 skilling, 1627, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 33, no. 134A).
10–11. 2 skilling, 1629, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 33, no. 134B).
12. One sixteenth thaler, 1643, Glückstadt (Hede, p. 39, no. 176A).
13. 4 skilling, 1644, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 35, no. 150).
14–19. 4 skilling, 1645, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 35, no. 150).
20–1. 2 skilling, 1645, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 35, no. 151A).
22–4. 2 skilling, 1647, Oslo (Hede, p. 114, no. 17).
25. 2 skilling, 1648, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 35, no. 151B or p. 114, no. 17).
26. 2 skilling, worn.

*Frederik III (1648–70)*

27–8. 2 skilling, 1648, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 53, no. 122 or 124).
29. 2 skilling, 1649, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70A).
30–8. 2 skilling, 1650, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 53, no. 124).
39. 2 skilling, 1650, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70A).
40–2. 2 skilling, 1653, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 130).
43. 2 skilling, 1653, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70B).
44–5. 2 skilling, 1654, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 126B or 130B (probably)).
46. 2 skilling, 1654, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70B).
47–54. 2 skilling, 1655, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 126B or 130B).
55–6. 2 skilling, 1655, with monogram on obverse.5
57. 2 skilling, 1657, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70B).
58–60. 2 skilling, 1660, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 132A).
61–2. 2 skilling, 1660, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, 70D-E).
63–4. 2 mark, 1661, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 67D-G).
65. 2 skilling, 1661, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
66–9. 2 skilling, 1662, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
70–2. 2 skilling, 1663, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 132B-C).
73. 2 skilling, 1663, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).

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5 Such coins do not exist from the 1650s, but were struck from 1665 to 1666. A mistake in transcribing the date or in the attribution must have occurred at the time. A coin from 1655 with the monogram would have been unique and kept for the collection.
74. 2 skilling, 1664, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54f., nos 132–134).
75. 2 skilling, 1664, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
76. 2 mark, 1665, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 51, no. 104 or 107A or p. 122, no. 67G).
77–84. 2 skilling, 1665, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54f., no. 133f. or 138).
85–7. 2 skilling, 1665, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
88–9. One sixteenth thaler, 1666, Glückstadt (Hede, p. 57, no. 152).
90–1. 2 skilling, 1666, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 55, no. 134 or 138).
92–4. 2 skilling, 1666, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
95. 4 skilling, 1667, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 55, no. 137).
96–126. 2 skilling, 1667, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 55, no. 134, 139, or 140).
127–9. 2 skilling, 1667, Oslo (Hede, p. 122f., no. 70E or 72).
130–1. One sixteenth thaler, 1668, Glückstadt (Hede, p. 57, no. 152).
132–68. 2 skilling, 1668, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 55, no. 140).
169–71. 2 skilling, 1668, Oslo (Hede, p. 122f., no. 70E or 72).
172–81. 2 skilling, 1669, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 55, no. 140B-C).
182.* 2 skilling, 1669, Oslo, 1.36 g, 10 o’clock (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E; Schou, p. 232, no. 77).
183–91. 2 skilling, 1669, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
192–7. 2 skilling, 1670, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 55, no. 140C).
198–200. 2 skilling, 1670, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
201–5. 2 skilling, worn.

Christian V (1670–99)

206. 4 mark, 1670, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41).
207. 4 mark, 1673, Copenhagen, Glückstadt or Oslo (Hede, p. 64, 69, or 128).
208. 2 skilling, 1675, Oslo (Hede, p. 129, no. 48C).
209–39. 2 skilling, 1676, Copenhagen or Oslo (Hede, p. 64, no. 74A or p. 129, no. 48C).
240–69. 1 skilling, 1676, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 64, no. 75A).
270. 2 skilling, 1677 (in the records corrected to 1657).

Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorp

Friedrich III (1616–59)

271.* One sixteenth thaler, 1648, Schleswig, 1.59 g, 7 o’clock (Lange, p. 144, no. 346a).

Disp. Two (perhaps a few more) preserved at the Royal Collection of Coins and Medals, the rest are dispersed.

10. Nordby, the isle of Samso in the Kattegat

Dep. c.1673–79

In 1897 and 1898 the smallholder Mikkel Pedersen found 15 silver coins on his property in Nordby on Samso (land register no. 87), while digging in a former courtyard. The latest coins are three English pieces dated 1673 which have not been preserved. The hoard may have been buried during the Scanian War (1675–9).

6 C. Lange, Chr. Lange’s Sammlung schleswig-holsteinischer Münzen und Medaillen 2 (Berlin, 1912).
7 J.M. Hansen, Nordby paa Peder Puurses Tid (Aarhus, 1949), p. 121. The author writes that the coins were found in the ground below the old farmhouse at land register 87.
The 11 coins (c.250 grams) which were found in 1897 lay in a small clay pot which has not been preserved; four coins (nos 1, 8, 12, 15, weight 100.8 grams) were found in 1898 and are considered part of the same hoard. They are now registered as FP 741 and FP 749 in the Royal collection. The finder was rewarded with respectively 25 and 10 and a half Danish kroner. Only five coins (nos 1, 9–10, 13–14, all illustrated) were kept in the collection as the rest were probably considered duplicates and used for exchange. No coins were returned to the finder.

### Denmark

**Christian IV (1588–1648)**

1. *Krone, 1621, Copenhagen, 16.28 g (Hede, p. 30, no. 106C; Schou, p. 126, no. 17/).*
2. *Half krone, 1624, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 33, no. 128).*

**Frederik III (1648–70)**

3. Speciedaler (thaler), 1655, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 44, no. 54).

### England

**Charles II (1660–85)**


### Germany

9. *Holstein-Schaumburg-Pinneberg, Ernst III, thaler 1615, Altona, 28.46 g (KM, p. 803, no. 68; Lange, p. 100, no. 856).*
10. *Mansfeld-Bornstedt, Karl Adam, half thaler, 1655, Eisleben, 13.83 g (KM, p. 619, no. 97; Tornau, p. 135, no. 275g).*
11. Saxe-Altenburg, Johann Philip, thaler, 1626.
13. *Saxony, Johan Georg, vicariat issue, half thaler 1619, Dresden, 14.09 g (KM, p. 775, no. 118; Clauss and Kahnt, p. 213, no. 293).*
14. *Saxony, Johan Georg, thaler 1646, Dresden, 28.27 g (KM, p. 779, no. 425; Schnee, p. 337, no. 879; Clauss and Kahnt, p. 135, no. 169).*

### Austria

15. Styria, Ferdinand II, thaler, 1620.

Disp. Five coins preserved at The Royal Collection of Coins and Medals, the rest are dispersed.

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1 The hoard is briefly mentioned in G. Galster, ‘Møntfund i Holbæk Amt’, *Fra Holbæk Amt*, 1928, pp. 52–65, no. 60 but, apparently by mistake, given the wrong date with a typ of 1655.
2 C.R. Bruce et al. (ed.), *Standard catalog of world coins 1601–1700*, (Iola, Wis., 2008); Lange, *Chr. Lange’s Sammlung schleswig-holsteinischer Münzen und Medaillen*, 2 (Berlin, 1912).
5 G. Schnee, *Sächsische Taler 1500–1800 und Abschläge von Talerstempeln in Gold und Silber* (Frankfurt am Main, 1982).
11. Nyboder, Copenhagen

Dep. c.1682–4

This hoard was found in October 1872 by four workers digging on the property (land register no. 559) of the master builder R. Larsen at St Annæ Vester Kvarter, Nyboder in Copenhagen at the corner between Enhjørningsgade (now Sankt Pauls Gade) and St Pauls Church. The hoard contained 91 silver coins and was found about 15 to 16 centimetres below the floor of the previous house on the site. The coins were in an iron pot with brass bands and there were traces of a piece of cloth, which had been wrapped around the coins. The pot crumbled but some pieces of it, together with the coins, were sent to the Royal Collection and registered as FP 351. No further information about the pot seems to be preserved. The finders’ reward was based on the coins’ metal value:

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<th>Coin Type</th>
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<tr>
<td>51 kroner at 7 mark</td>
<td>1608</td>
<td>Copenhagen or Helsingør (Elsinore)</td>
<td>59 rigsdaler, 13 mark</td>
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<td>39 half kroner at 3 mark and 8 skilling</td>
<td>1645</td>
<td>Copenhagen (Hede, p. 35, no. 148)</td>
<td>22 rigsdaler, 4 mark, 8 skilling</td>
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<td>18 skilling at 1 mark and 8 skilling</td>
<td>1650</td>
<td>Oslo (Hede, p. 121, no. 67A)</td>
<td>1 mark, 8 skilling</td>
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Reward: = 83 rigsdaler.

Today, only four coins (nos 20, 43, and 82–83) in The Royal Collection can be ascribed to the hoard. The remainder were probably considered duplicates and used for exchange.

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**Denmark-Norway-Holstein**

Christian IV (1588–1648)

1. 8 skilling, 1608, Copenhagen or Helsingør (Elsinore).
2–3. 2 mark, 1645, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 35, no. 148).

Frederik III (1648–70)

4. 2 mark, 1650, Oslo (Hede, p. 121, no. 67A).
5–7. 2 mark, 1651, Oslo (Hede, p. 121, no. 67).
8. 2 mark, 1652, Oslo (Hede, p. 121, no. 67B).
9. 4 mark, 1653, Copenhagen.
10. 2 mark, 1653, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 67B).
11. 4 mark, 1654, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 50, no. 95A).
12. 2 mark, 1654, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 67B).
13–14. 2 mark, 1656, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 67B).
15. 4 mark, 1657, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 50, no. 95).
16–18. 2 mark, 1658, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 67B).
19. 4 mark, 1659, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
20.* 4 mark, 1660, Glückstadt, 21.98 g, 10 o’clock (Hede, p. 57, no. 153A).
21–2. 4 mark, 1660, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
23–4. 2 mark, 1660, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67D-E).
25–6. 2 mark, 1661, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67D-G).
27. 2 mark, 1662, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67E or 67G).
28–30. 2 mark, 1663, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67E or 67G).
31. 2 mark, 1664, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67G).
32. 2 mark, 1665, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67G).
33. 4 mark, 1666, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
34–5. 2 mark, 1666, Copenhagen.

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13 1813–73: half speciedaler = 1 rigsdaler = 6 marks = 96 skilling.
36–8. 2 mark, 1666, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67G).
39–40. 2 mark, 1667, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67G).
41. 2 mark, 1668, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67G).
42. 2 mark, 1669, Oslo (Hede, p. 50, no. 67G).

Christian V (1670–99)
43.* 4 mark, 1671, Glückstadt, 22.16 g, 4 o’clock (Hede, p. 69, no. 121).
44. 4 mark, 1671, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
45–7. 4 mark, 1671, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A-B).
48–9. 4 mark, 1672, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
50. 4 mark, 1672, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A).
51. 2 mark, 1672, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 43).
52. 4 mark, 1673, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
53. 4 mark, 1673, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A).
54. 4 mark, 1674, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41A).
55. 4 mark, 1678, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41C).
56–7. 4 mark, 1679, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41C).
58. 4 mark, 1680, Oslo (Hede, p. 128, no. 41C).
59–76. 4 mark, 1681, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
77–80. 2 mark, 1681, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
81. 4 mark, 1681, Oslo (Hede, p. 129, no. 55).
82.* 4 mark, 1682, Copenhagen, 22.33 g, 9 o’clock (Hede, p. 64, no. 67B).
83.* 4 mark, 1682, Glückstadt, 22.09 g, 7 o’clock (Hede, p. 69, no. 121).
84–8. 4 mark, 1682, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
89. 2 mark, 1682, Copenhagen or Glückstadt.
90. 4 mark, 1682, Oslo (Hede, p. 129, no. 55).

Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorp

Christian Albrecht (1659–94)
91. Two third thaler, 1676, Hamburg (Lange,14 p. 158, no. 377).

Disp. Four coins preserved at The Royal Collection of Coins and Medals, the rest are dispersed.

12. Vestermarie parish, Bornholm

Dep. 1750 or after 137 R

In 1877 a smallholder, Pehr Pehrson, found a coin hoard while removing a tree on the boundary between Steensgaard and Gadegaard in Vestermarie parish on the Isle of Bornholm. Most of the coins were different and of the most common types / denominations then in circulation. The hoard may have been all or part of a small collection of the then circulating coins. The variety of different years and mint marks suggest it is perhaps not a completely random sample of the general circulating medium on Bornholm around 1750. On the other hand, the 17 examples of the very common 2 skilling 1677 (nos 27–43) do not suggest a collection, nor does the fact that only one coin (no. 77) from the hoard was kept by the Royal Collection.

The coins weighed c.380–385 grams and are registered as FP 410. The finder was rewarded with 40 Danish kroner. All the coins with one exception (no. 77) were probably considered duplicates and used for exchange.

14 C. Lange, Chr. Lange’s Sammlung schleswig-holsteinischer Münzen und Medaillen, 1 (Berlin, 1908).
Denmark-Norway

Christian IV (1588–1648)
1. 2 skilling, 1629, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 33, no. 134B).
2. 2 skilling, 1648, Oslo (Hede, p. 114, no. 17).

Frederik III (1648–70)
3–4. 2 skilling, 1649, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 53, no. 122A or 124).
5–6. 2 skilling, 1650, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 53, no. 124).
7. 2 skilling, 1650, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70A).
8. 2 skilling, 1652, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70B).
9–10. 2 skilling, 1654, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 126B, 130B, or 131).
11. 2 skilling, 1658, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 132A).
12. 2 skilling, 1660, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 132A).
13–14. 2 skilling, 1660, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70D-E).
15. 2 skilling, 1661, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no. 132A).
16. 2 skilling, 1662, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54, no.132A-B).
17. 2 skilling, 1662, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
18–22. 2 skilling, 1663, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 54. no. 132B-C).
23. 2 skilling, 1663, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
24. 2 skilling, 1665, Oslo (Hede, p. 122, no. 70E).
25. 4 skilling, 1667, København (Hede, p. 55, no. 137).
26. 2 skilling, 1669, København (Hede, p. 55, no. 140B-C).

Christian V (1670–99)
27–43. 2 skilling, 1677, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 64, no. 74A).
44. 2 skilling, 1681, Copenhagen or Glückstadt (Hede, p. 64, no. 74B).
45. 2 skilling, 1684, Oslo (Hede, p. 130, no. 59).
46. 2 skilling, 1686, Oslo or Kongsberg (Hede, p. 130f., no. 59 or 70).
47. 2 skilling, 1690, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 132, no. 76).
48. 2 skilling, 1691, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 132, no. 76).
49–51. 2 skilling, 1692, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 132, 76).
52. 4 skilling, 1693, Glückstadt (Hede, p. 70, no. 128).
53. 8 skilling, 1694, Glückstadt (Hede, p. 70, no. 127).
54. 2 skilling, 1694, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 132, no. 76).
55. 2 skilling, 1697, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 132, no. 76).
56. 2 skilling, 1698, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 132, no. 76).
57. 2 skilling, 1699, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 132, no. 76).

Frederik IV (1699–1730)
58. 8 skilling, 1700, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 75, no. 42).
59. 8 skilling, 1701, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 75, no. 42).
60. 2 skilling, 1701, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 7A).
61–2. 8 skilling, 1702, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 76, no. 42).
63. 8 skilling, 1702, Glückstadt (Hede, p. 78, no. 58).
64. 8 skilling, 1702, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 6).
65. 2 skilling, 1702, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 7A).
66. 8 skilling, 1703, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 76, no. 42).
67. 2 skilling, 1703, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 7A).
68. 8 skilling, 1704, Glückstadt (Hede, p. 78, no. 58).
69. 2 skilling, 1704, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 7A).
70. 2 skilling, 1708, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 7A).
71. 2 skilling, 1709, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 7A).
72–3. 12 skilling, 1711, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 76, no. 43A).
74. 8 skilling, 1711, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 6B).
75. 2 skilling, 1711, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 133, no. 7A).
76. 16 skilling, 1714, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 76, no. 47).
77.* 12 skilling, 1714, Copenhagen, 3,70 g, 12 o’clock (Hede, p. 76, no. 43B; Schou, p. 283, no. 9).
78. 16 skilling, 1715, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 76, no. 47).
79. 16 skilling, 1716, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 14).
80–1. 12 skilling, 1716, Copenhagen or Rendsburg (Hede, p. 76, no. 43B or p. 78, no. 62).
82–6. 12 skilling, 1718, Copenhagen or Rendsburg (Hede, p. 76, no. 43B or p. 78, no. 62).
87–9. 12 skilling, 1718, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 15).
90–2. 12 skilling, 1720, Copenhagen or Rendsburg (Hede, p. 76, no. 49 or p. 78, no. 62).
93–4. 12 skilling, 1720, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 15).
95–9. 12 skilling, 1721, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 76f., no. 49 (probably) or 50).
100. 12 skilling, 1722, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 15).
101. 12 skilling, 1723, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 15).
102–4. 8 skilling, 1727, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 16-17A-B).
105–6. 4 skilling, 1727, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 77, no. 52).
107–8. 8 skilling, 1728, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 17B).
109–13. 4 skilling, 1728, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 77, no. 52).
114. 4 skilling, 1729, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 77, no. 52).
115. 8 skilling, 1730, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 134, no. 17C).
116–18. 4 skilling, 1730, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 77, no. 52).

*Christian VI (1730–46)

119. 8 skilling, 1731, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 2).
120. 24 skilling, 1732, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 79f, no. 6B-7).
121–3. 8 skilling, 1733, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 2).
124. 8 skilling, 1734, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 2).
125. 1 skilling, 1735, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 80, no. 8).
126. 24 skilling, 1737, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 4C).
127. 24 skilling, 1738, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 4C).
128. 24 skilling, 1741, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 80, no. 7B).
129. 24 skilling, 1741, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 4C).
130. 24 skilling, 1742, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 80, no. 7B).
131. 24 skilling, 1742, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 4C).
132. 24 skilling, 1743, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 4C).
133. 24 skilling, 1745, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 4C).
134. 24 skilling, 1746, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 4C).

*Frederik V (1746–66)

135. 24 skilling, 1747, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 2A).
136. 24 skilling, 1749, Kongsberg (Hede, p. 135, no. 2A).
137. 2 skilling, 1750, Copenhagen (Hede, p. 83, no. 36A).

Disp. One coin preserved at The Royal Collection of Coins and Medals, the rest are dispersed.
MAERCHER, SIX EARLY MODERN DANISH COIN HOARDS (1)
MAERCHER, SIX EARLY MODERN DANISH COIN HOARDS (5)