

Kings of East Anglia

	Redwald	599–624
	Regenhere	?d. 616/7
	Eorpwald	624–627/8
	Sigeberht	630/1–636/7
	Ecrig	?d. 636/7
	Anna	636/7–654
	Æthelhere	654–655
	Æthelwold	655–663/4
	Ealdwulf	d. 713
	Ælfwald	d. 749
	Hun	
C	Beonna	fl. 758
	Alberht	
	Æthelred	
C	Æthelberht Lul	d. 794
Co	Eadwald ²⁴	c. 796–c. 798
Co	Æthelstan I ²⁵	c. 828–c. 837
Co	Æthelweard ²⁵	c. 837–c. 850
	Edmund	855–869/870
	(St Edmund memorial coinage	c. 890–905)

Kings of Mercia

C	Offa	757–796
C	Coenwulf	796–821
C	Coelwulf I	821–823
C	Beornwulf	823–825
C	Ludica	825–827

The Kings of East Anglia from Redwald to Edmund, based on Florence of Worcester's Genealogy.²⁶ The dates to 749 are from Bruce–Mitford 1975, 695 and thereafter from *SCBI* 20, Mack Collection. C = minted coins; Co known only from coins.

The Beonna Coins from Burrow Hill (Fig. 9)

The five Beonna coins which have been recovered from the excavations in 1980 and 1981 are as follows (SF = excavation small find no.):

1 East Anglia, Beonna (fl. 758)

Base silver protopenny, moneyer Wilred.

Obverse: $\text{ƿ} \text{ƿ} \text{†} \text{†} \text{†} \text{†} \text{M} \text{†} \text{†}$ retrograde for +*Ben+na* (?), radiating from a central pellet.

Reverse: $\text{†} \text{P} \text{I} \text{†} \text{†} \text{R} \text{M} \text{†}$ for +*Wil+red* around a circle of 14 pellets with a central pellet.

Weight: 0.52 g. Diameter: 14 mm.

1980 SF 60; 411.08E243.4S: F57.1.

Condition fair except for one chip in edge. The same dies as no. 2. Type B.

2 East Anglia, Beonna (fl. 758)

Silver protopenny, moneyer Wilred.

Obverse: $\text{ƿ} \text{ƿ} \text{†} \text{†} \text{†} \text{†} \text{M} \text{†} \text{†}$ retrograde for +*Ben+na*(?) radiating from a central pellet.

Reverse: $\text{†} \text{P} \text{I} \text{†} \text{†} \text{R} \text{M} \text{†}$ for +*Wil+red*, around a circle of 14 pellets with a central pellet.

Weight: 0.94 g. Diameter: 14 mm

1981 SF 106; 405.75E 255S: layer R02

In good condition with little surface wear. The same dies as no. 1. Type B.

3 East Anglia, Beonna (fl. 758)

Base silver protopenny, moneyer Efe.

Obverse: $\text{†} \text{B} \text{E} \text{ƿ} \text{†} \text{†} \text{R} \text{E} \text{ƿ} \text{†}$ for +*Benna Ressa*, around a circle of 12 pellets with a central pellet.

Reverse: Central cross pommée in a square with lines of pellets out from the angles. In the quadrants +EFE

each letter flanked by three pellets, the cross preceded by a single pellet.

Weight: 0.96 g. Diameter: 14 mm.

1980 SF72; 10m² 404E240S: unstratified.

Condition good. The same obverse die as no. 4.

Type C.

4 East Anglia, Beonna (fl. 758)

Silver protopenny, moneyer Efe.

Obverse: $\text{†} \text{B} \text{E} \text{ƿ} \text{†} \text{†} \text{R} \text{E} \text{ƿ} \text{†}$ for +*Benna Ressa* around a central pellet and a circle of 12 pellets.

Reverse: Central cross pommée in a square with lines of pellets out from the angles. In the quadrants +EFE, each letter flanked by three pellets, with the exception of F which has 3 before and 2 after. The + has no pellet.

Weight: 0.92 g. Diameter: 15 mm.

1980 SF 68; 409.75E248.33S: bottom of F 53.2.

Condition good except for a crack. The same obverse die as no. 3. Type C, but the reverse differs.

5 East Anglia, Beonna (fl. 758)

Base silver protopenny, moneyer Efe.

Obverse: $\text{†} \text{B} \text{E} \text{ƿ} \text{†} \text{†} \text{R} \text{E} \text{X}$ for +*Beonna Rex*, around a circle of eleven pellets with a central pellet.

Reverse: Central cross in a square of pellets with lines of pellets out from angles. In the quadrants +EFE, each letter flanked by three pellets. One of the pellets after the first E has an annulet. The F has lost its bottom bar.

Weight: 0.89 g. Diameter: 15 mm.

1980, SF 52; 410E244.5S:F42.1.

Condition good. Type D.