

G2-5: BICONICAL CARINATED BOWLS WITH EVERTED RIM

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| 1 | Colchester, Sheepen, Cam.241, romanising, all post-43. | AD43-65 ● |
| | Cam.242, romanising, all post-43. | AD43-65 ● |
| 2 | Prae Wood, XIIB [806]. | R AD5-40/45 ● |
| 3 | Berkhamsted, Dellfield, ditch A, no.32. | 3S ● |

Notes

Hawkes & Hull (1947, 264) thought Cam. 241 and 242 to represent a simplified La Tene tradition apparently deriving from continental versions of carinated cup forms, as in the El group above, but not appearing at Sheepen until after AD 43. They are found in some numbers at Sheepen, in the distinctive hard grey romanising fabric used there, gritty, and unburnished. Other examples are in Roman fabrics, as are Cam.243-246.

Under these circumstances it is not surprising that it is hardly known elsewhere in grog, although the Prae Wood pot is presumably similar. It is uncertain exactly what the Berkhamsted vessel is copying, since it is so incomplete, but it does have the upward-pointing rim of this form. The Roman forms usually have a horizontal or drooping rim.



