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### RADIOCARBON DATING CERTIFICATE

4 November 2009

**Laboratory Code** SUERC-26152 (GU-19800)

**Submitter** Peter Leach  
1 Wallscombe Cottages  
Chaffcombe  
Chard  
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**Site Reference** Beacon Hill, Shepton Mallet  
**Sample Reference** BHW08 SS.06 [4012]

**Material** Charcoal : Heather

**$\delta^{13}\text{C}$  relative to VPDB** -26.6 ‰

**Radiocarbon Age BP** 3765  $\pm$  30

- N.B.**
1. The above  $^{14}\text{C}$  age is quoted in conventional years BP (before 1950 AD). The error, which is expressed at the one sigma level of confidence, includes components from the counting statistics on the sample, modern reference standard and blank and the random machine error.
  2. The calibrated age ranges are determined from the University of Oxford Radiocarbon Accelerator Unit calibration program (OxCal3).
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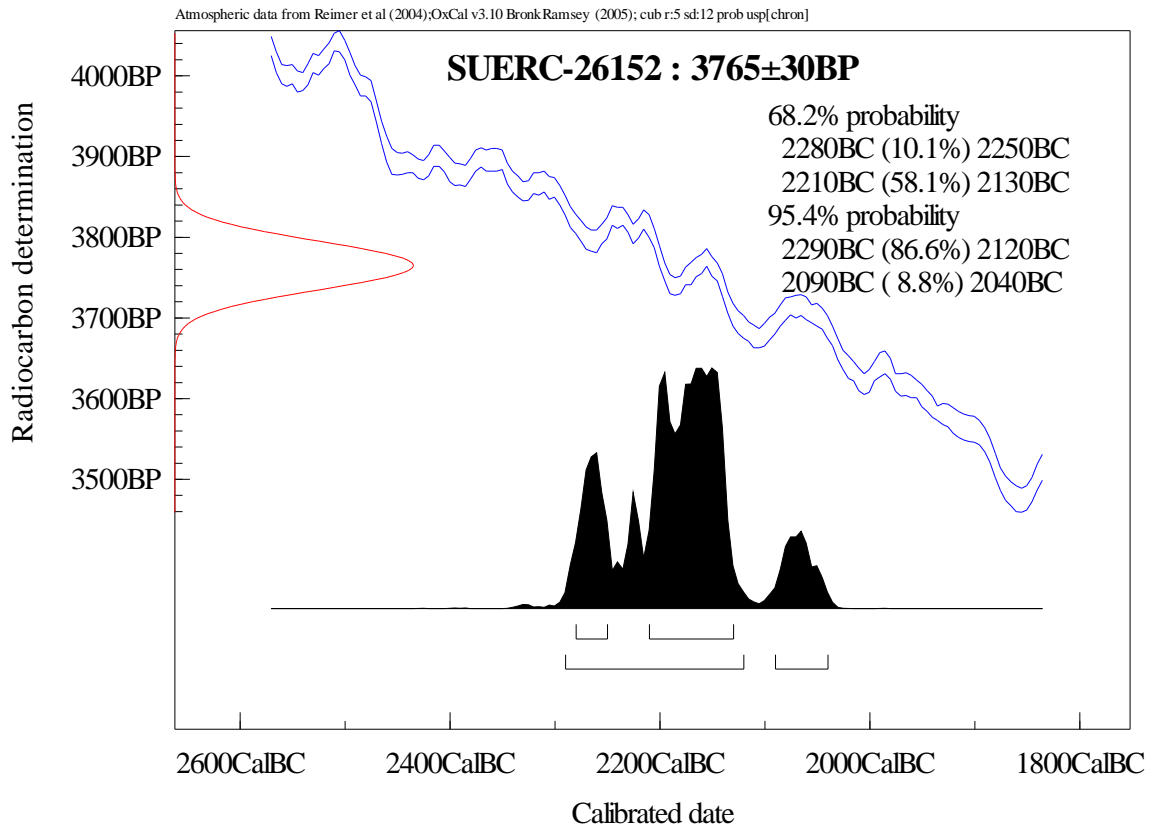
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### RADIOCARBON DATING CERTIFICATE

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**Site Reference** Beacon Hill, Shepton Mallet  
**Sample Reference** BHW08 SS.08 [4010]

**Material** Charcoal : Heather

**$\delta^{13}\text{C}$  relative to VPDB** -26.0 ‰

**Radiocarbon Age BP** 3675  $\pm$  30

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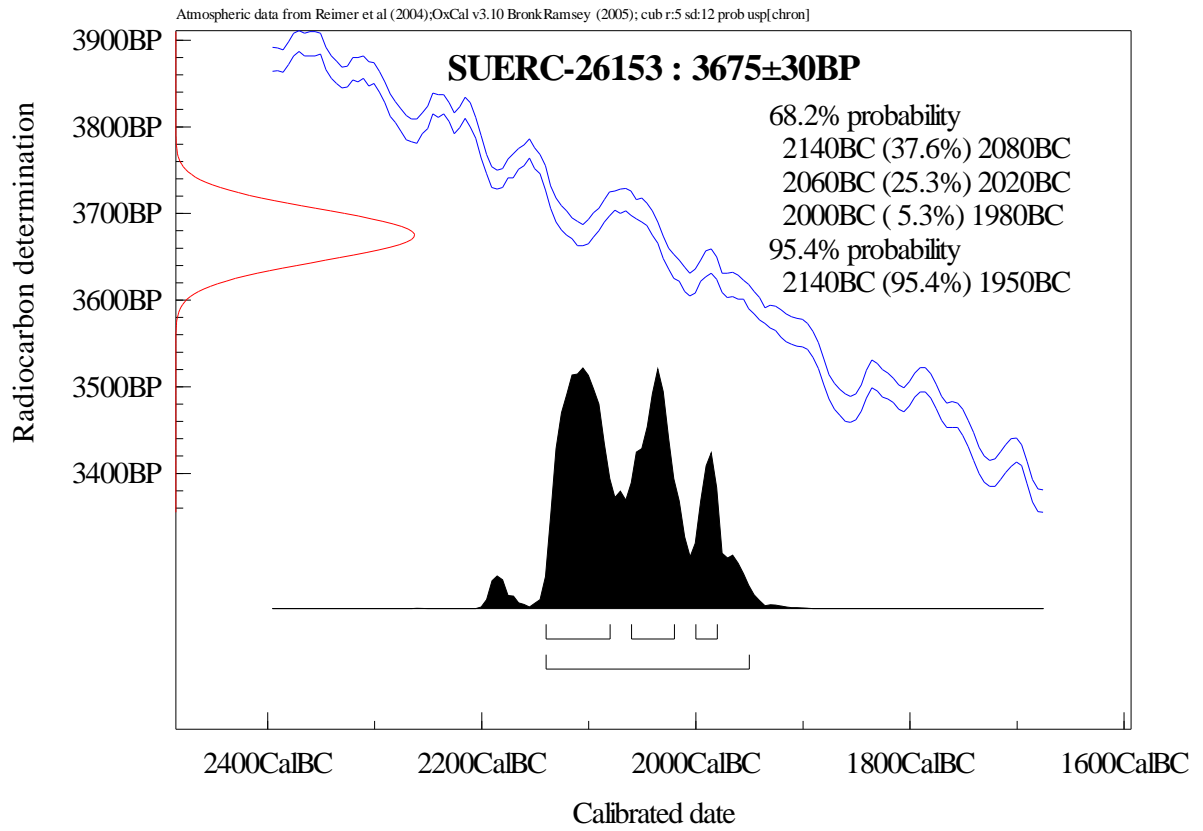
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**Site Reference** Beacon Hill, Shepton Mallet  
**Sample Reference** BHW08 SS.012[4008]

**Material** Charcoal : Heather

**$\delta^{13}\text{C}$  relative to VPDB** -27.7 ‰

**Radiocarbon Age BP** 4155  $\pm$  30

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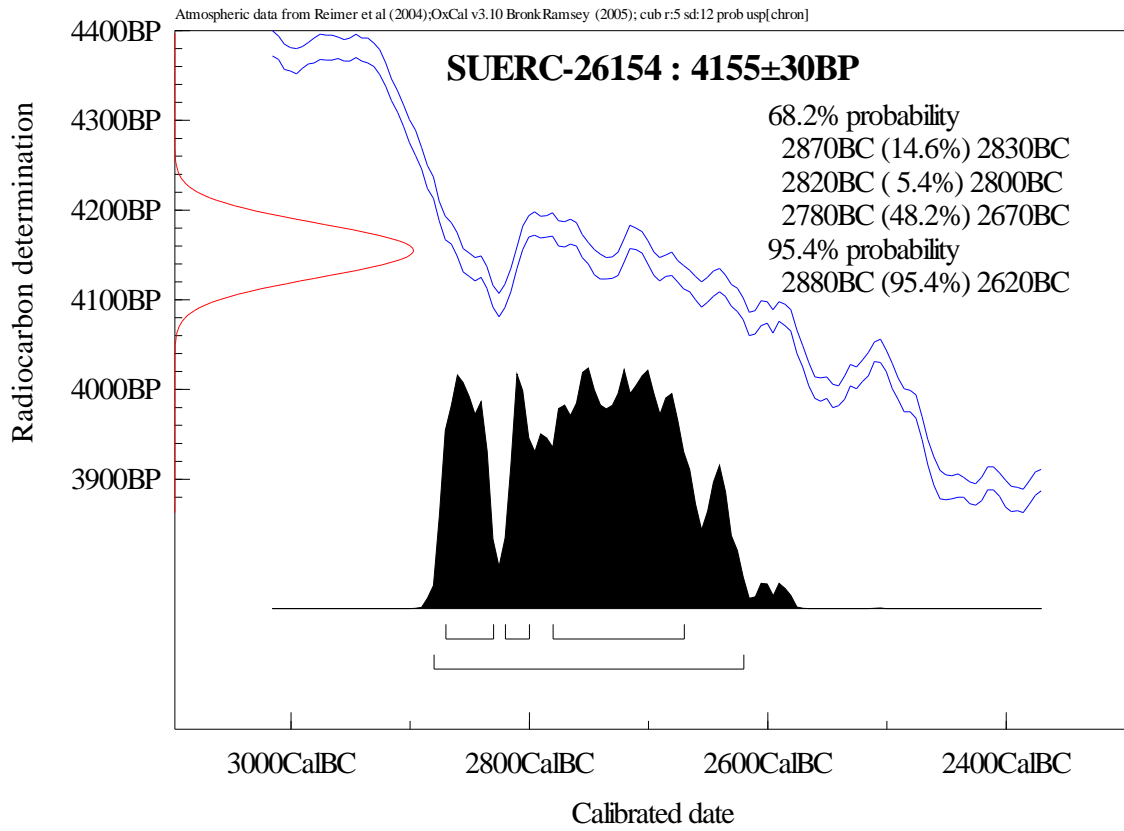
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Atmospheric data from Reimer et al (2004); OxCal v3.10 Bronk Ramsey (2005); cub r:5 sd:12 prob usp[chron]

