

Abstract:

This work deals with archaeological evidence of medieval malting process. It outlines the history of beer and malt production, with a focus on the development of brewing in the Czech lands. The text is close insight into technology of malt and beer production and description of premises and equipment required for that. My work describes so far analyzed archaeological situations that can be interpreted as a remains of manufacturing areas and equipment for the production of malt. Conclusion brings several archaeobotanical findings interpreted as malt.

Key words:

Middle Ages, malting, brewing, technology, crafts