

**Aelfric, homily *De fide catholica* (Old English) (s. XI<sup>med</sup>)**

**inc. þæt þæt lator bið þæt þhaefd angin  
expl. is hpaedere sesunu ana geflaescha**

**Ed. B. Thorpe, *The homilies of the Anglo-Saxon church*, Aelfric Society (1844), I, p. 284, lines 6–22**

**Parchment, 133 x 163 mm, written space occupying entire fragment, 15 lines; ruling with a hard point; lines 9 mm apart**

***Script* A fine clear insular square minuscule; *æ* diphthong written conjointly, straight tail on the dotted *y*, single-bowled *g*, shaft of *f*, long *s* and long *r* below the line; flat-topped half-uncial *a*, round *d*, with the ascender almost horizontal above the bowl; the ascender of *ð* much more upright.**

**A straight and upright script, with slight wedges on the tops of vertical ascenders (*h*, *l*, *b*) apparently written with a straight pen**

***Abbreviations* Few. 7 for *et* written with two straight strokes horizontal and vertical 7. Otherwise standard**

***Punctuation* Punctus elevatus for all pauses**

***Provenance* From the same manuscript as BL, Harl. MS. 5915, no. 3**