

Table XX

The Chronology of the Period of Assyrian Supremacy

All Dates are ASTRONOMICALLY FIXED DATES from THE ASSYRIAN CHRONICLE, THE BABYLONIAN CHRONICAL, THE ASSYRIAN EPONYM CANON, and from THE ANNALS OF SARGON, etc.; Dates being Fixed from SOLAR and LUNAR ECLIPSE RECORDS and an UNBROKEN ENUMMERATION of EVERY YEAR FROM ASSU-DAN III to ESARHADDON INCLUSIVE (771-668 B.C.)

For the Following Dates, No Single Datum -- CHRONOLOGICAL or ASTRONOMICAL -- has been obtained from Ptolemy's ALMAGEST, nor from his Dated CANON OF REIGNS. The Chronology is Fixed ASTRONOMICALLY Entirely From The Babylonian and Assyrian Records. This is THE RECEIVED CHRONOLOGY as Stated Within the Dated Limits of the Table. The Julian Month Datings have been Specially Calculated for this Table.

Assrian King		"First Year" beginning March-April	Double Dating for "First Year" beginning March-April	"First Year" beginning March-April	Babylonian King	
and Julian month Dates of Accession and Death	"Accession Year" beginning March-April				"Accession Year" beginning March-April	and Julian month Dates of Accession and Death
						Nabonassar
Tiglath-pileser III	745	744	743	747	---	
Accession 13th Iyar = 11th May, 745 B.C. Death in Tebet = January, 726 B.C.	733	---	Nadinu
			731	---	Suma-yukin
			731	---	Yukin-zira
			728	729	Tiglath-Pileser III
Shalmaneser	727	726	Nil	726	727	Shalmaneser
Accession 25 Tebet = 23rd Jan., 726 B.C. Death in Tebet =						
Sargon	722	721	719	721	721	Merodach-baladan
Accession 12 Tebet = 15th Jan., 721 B.C. Death in Ab = Aug., 705 B.C.			Accession Nisan = March, 721 B.C.
			709	710	Sargon
Sennacherib	705	704	Nil	704	705	Semmacjerob
Accession 12 Ab = 15th August, 705 B.C. Death 20 Tebet = 22nd January, 680 BC				Nil	703	Merodach-zaki-sumi
				Nil	703	Merodach-baladan (soldier of Khabi)
				702	703	Bel-ebus
				699	700	Assur-nadin-suma
				493	694	Nergal-yusezib Captured 7 Tisri = 24th Sept., 693 B.C.
				692	693	Musezib-Merodach Captured 1 Kisleu = 2nd Dec., 689 B.C.
				688	689	Sennacherib
Esarhaddon	681	680	Nil	679	680	Esarhaddon
Accession 8 Sivan = 6th June. 680 B.C. Death 10th March-esvan = 25th October 668 B.C.						
Assur-bani-pal	668	667	Nil	667	668	Saul-suma-yukin (20 years' reign)
(20 years' reign as Assur-bani-pal)						
Kandalanu	[647]	[647]	Kandalanu
(= Assur-bani-pal for for additional 22 years)						(= Assur-bani-pal for 22 years in Babylon)
Assur-etiliani	[625]	Assyrian Supremacy Ends	[625]	Nabopolassar with whom Babylonian - Caldaean Supremacy begins
Annotations to Table XX						

Dates Bracketted Thus [...] are obtained from Stated Durations of Reigns Only.