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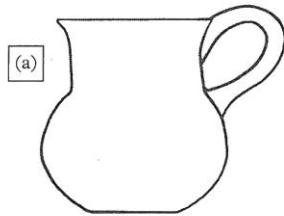
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IN MEDITERRANEAN CULTURES, CLIMATE AND  
CHRONOLOGY

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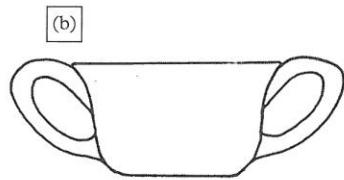
# Göbekli Tepe, Turkey



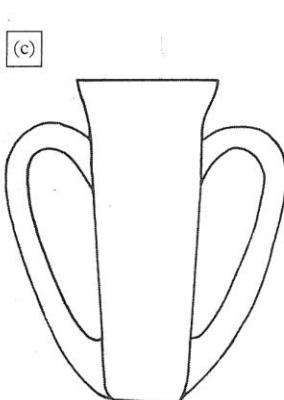
# Kastri Group shapes & sites in the Aegean



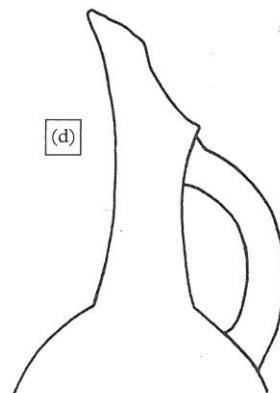
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Bell-shaped cup

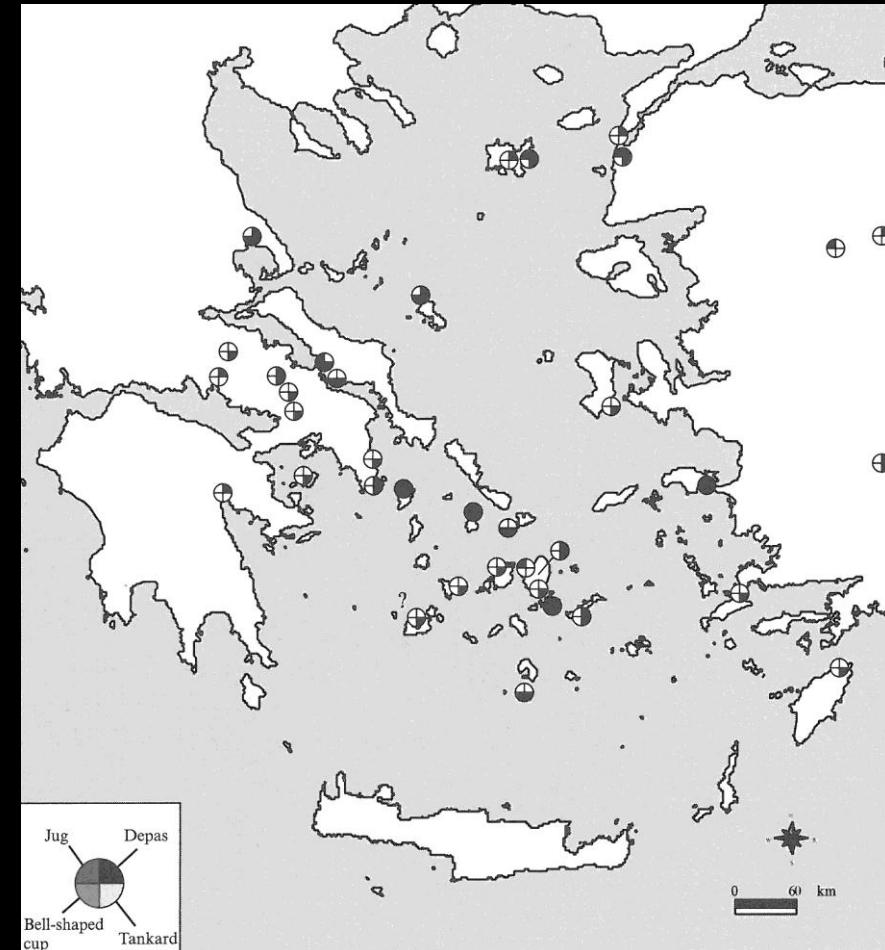


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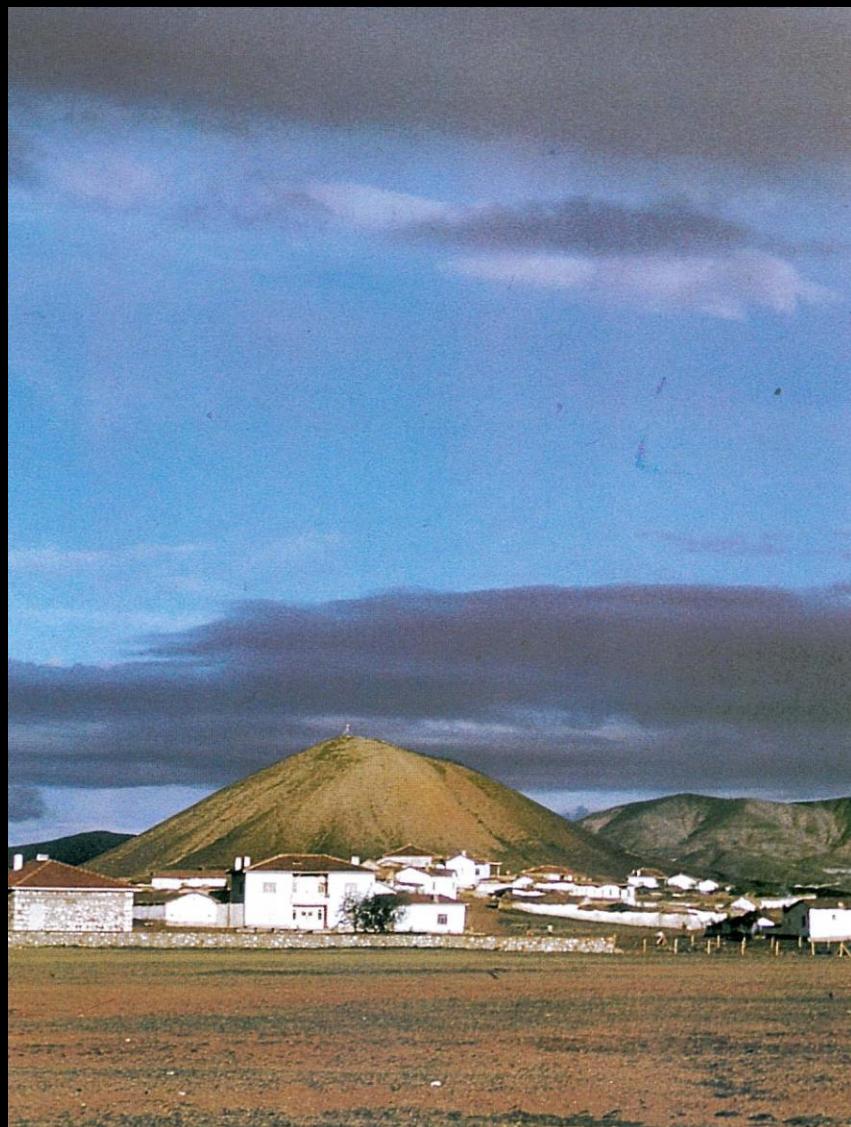
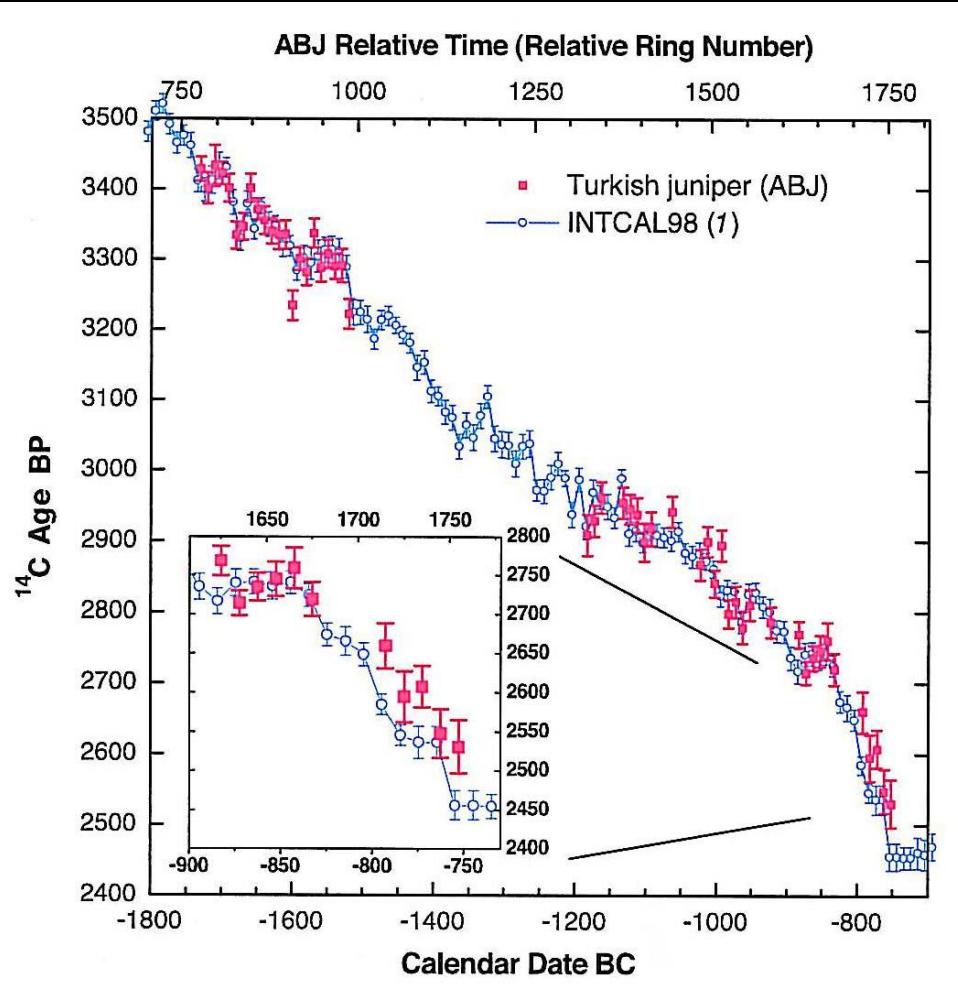
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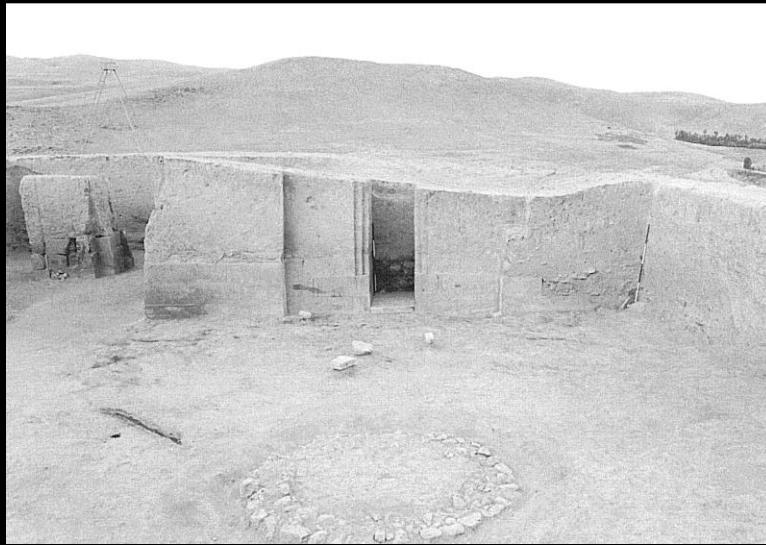
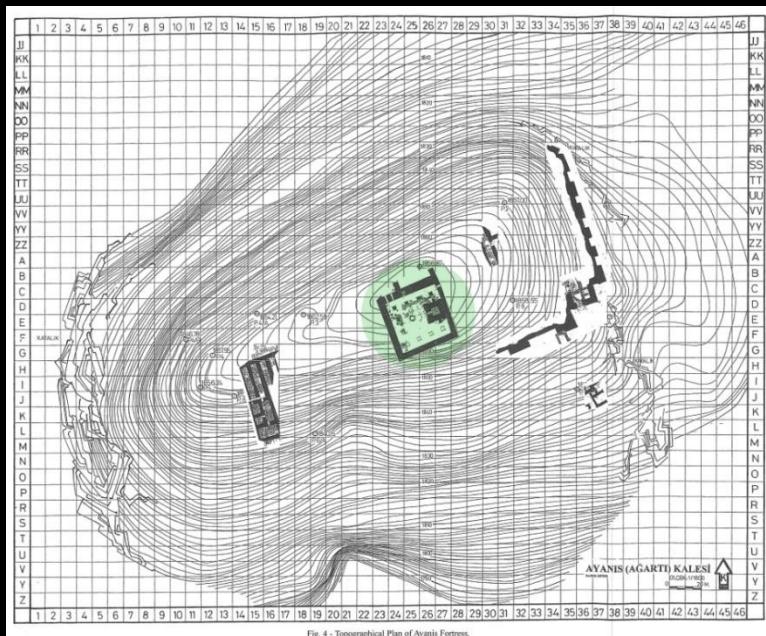
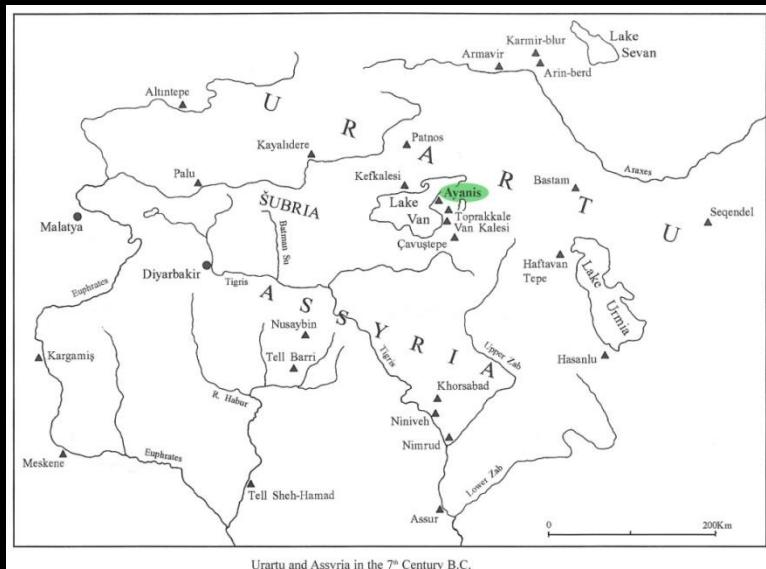
(Broodbank 2000, figs. 102 & 103)

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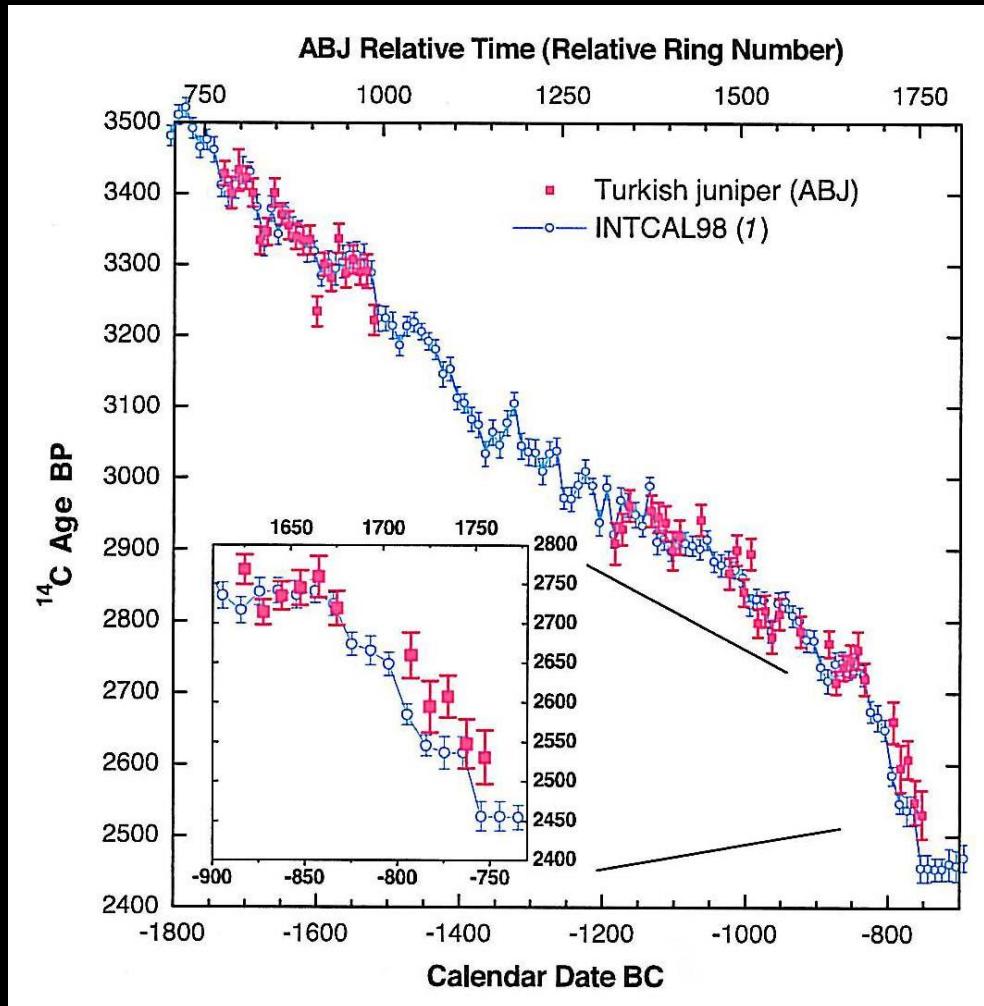
# Midas Mound Tumulus, Gordion, Turkey



# Temple of Rusa II, Ayanis



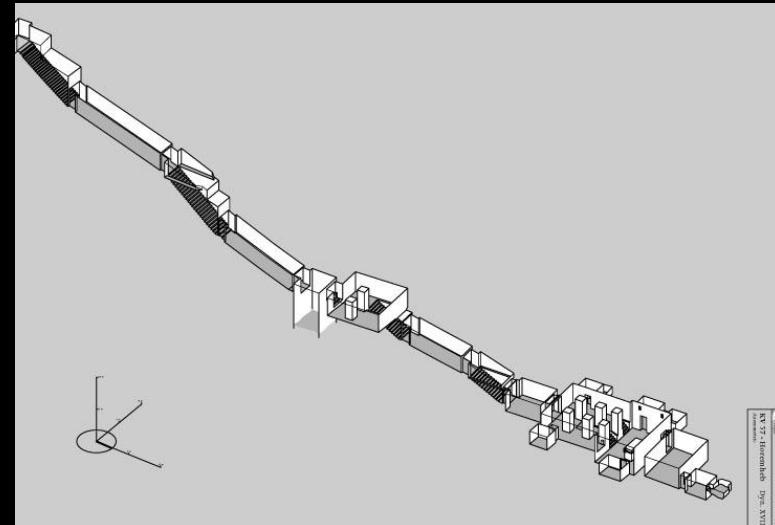
# Anatolian Floating Chronology



# Egyptian chronology (post-Horemheb)

# Axonometric drawing & paintings from the Tomb of Horemheb (KV 57)

Pharaoh	Consensus dates pre-Horemheb adjustment	Revised dates if accession date of Ramses II raised by 11 years
HOREMHEB	c. 1323–1295 BC	c. 1320–1306 BC or 1316–1302 BC
Ramses I	1295–1294 BC	1306–1305 BC or 1302–1301 BC
Seti I	1294–1279 BC	1305–1290 BC or 1301–1290 BC
Ramses II	1279–1213 BC	1290–1224 BC
Merneptah	1213–1203 BC	1224–1214 BC
Amenmesses	1203–1200 BC	1214–1211 BC
Seti II	1200–1194 BC	1211–1205 BC
Siptah	1194–1188 BC	1205–1199 BC
Tawosret	1188–1186 BC	1199–1197 BC
Setnakht	1186–1184 BC	1197–1193 BC
Ramses III	1184–1153 BC	1193–1162 BC
Ramses IV	1153–1147 BC	1162–1156 BC
Ramses V	1147–1143 BC	1156–1152 BC
Ramses VI	1143–1136 BC	1152–1143 BC



# The Mediterranean



# Cretan olive tree



# Theran olive branch & hypothetical reconstruction

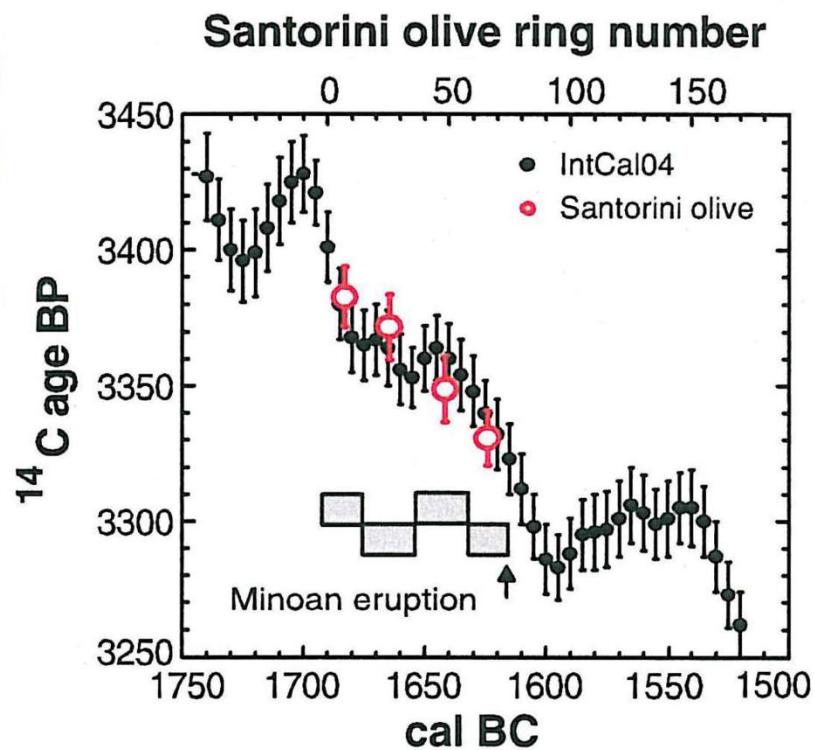


(Photographs from the 2006 Aarhus University media release)

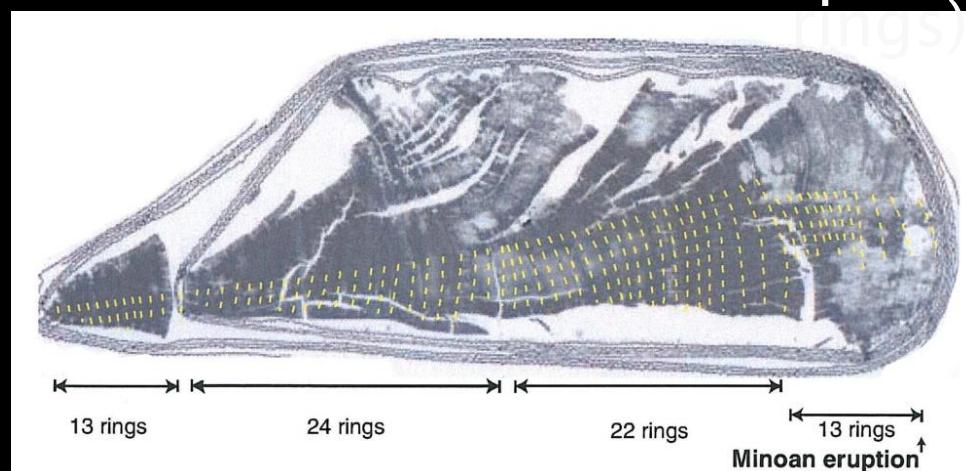


(Friedrich et al. 2009, fig. 2)

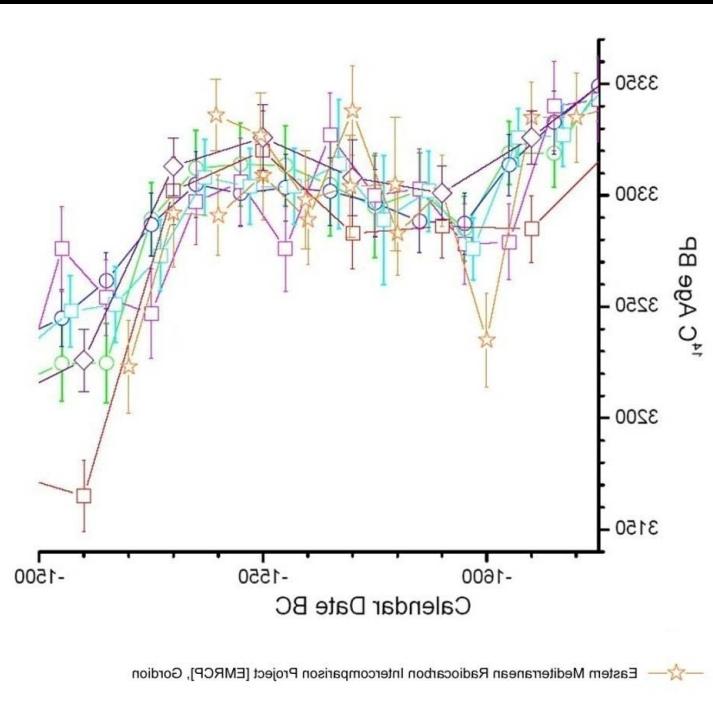
# $^{14}\text{C}$ dates of 4 segments of Theran olive branch section & proposed wiggle-match



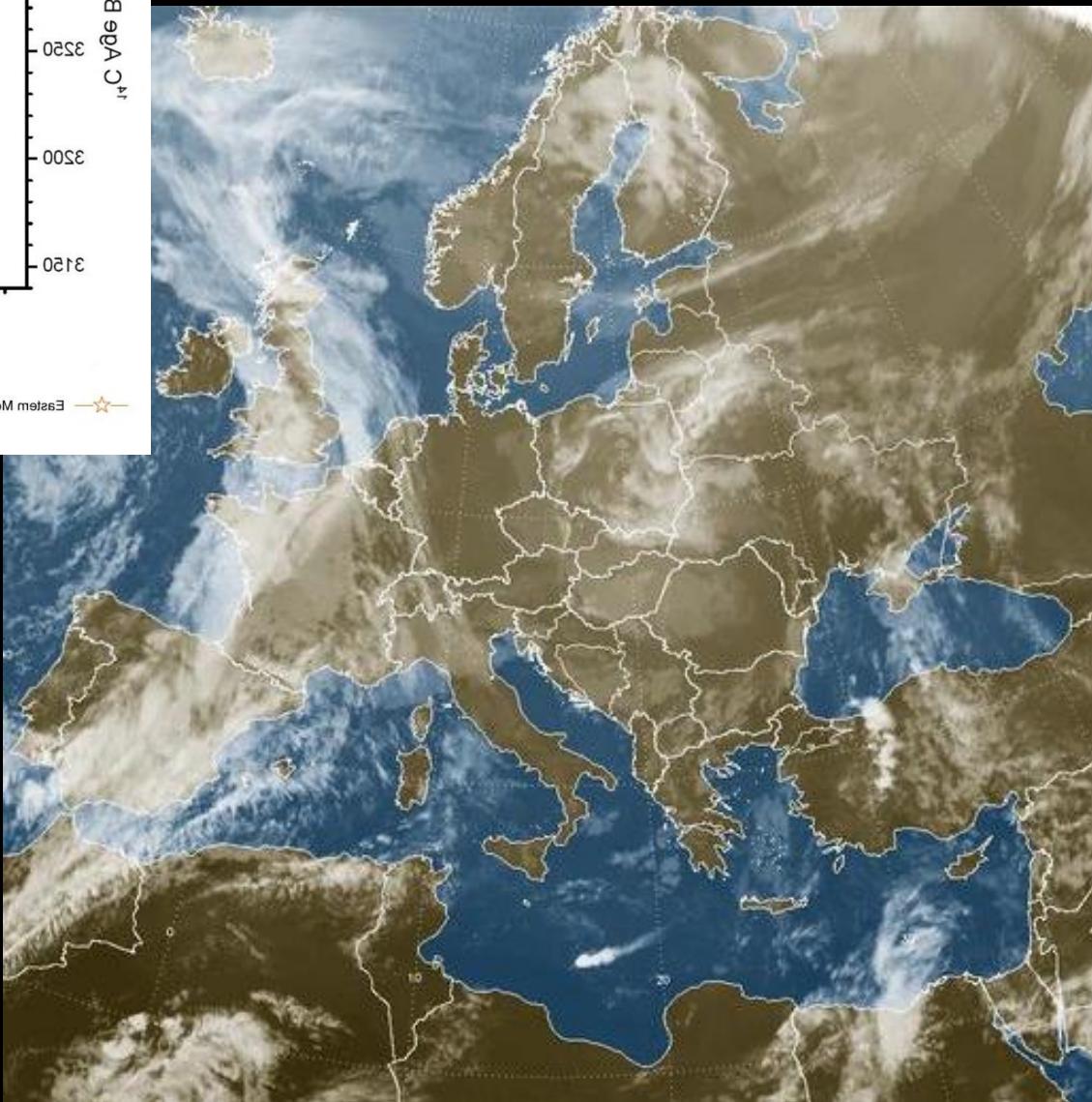
X-ray tomography of a section of the branch (yellow lines indicate purported annual growth)



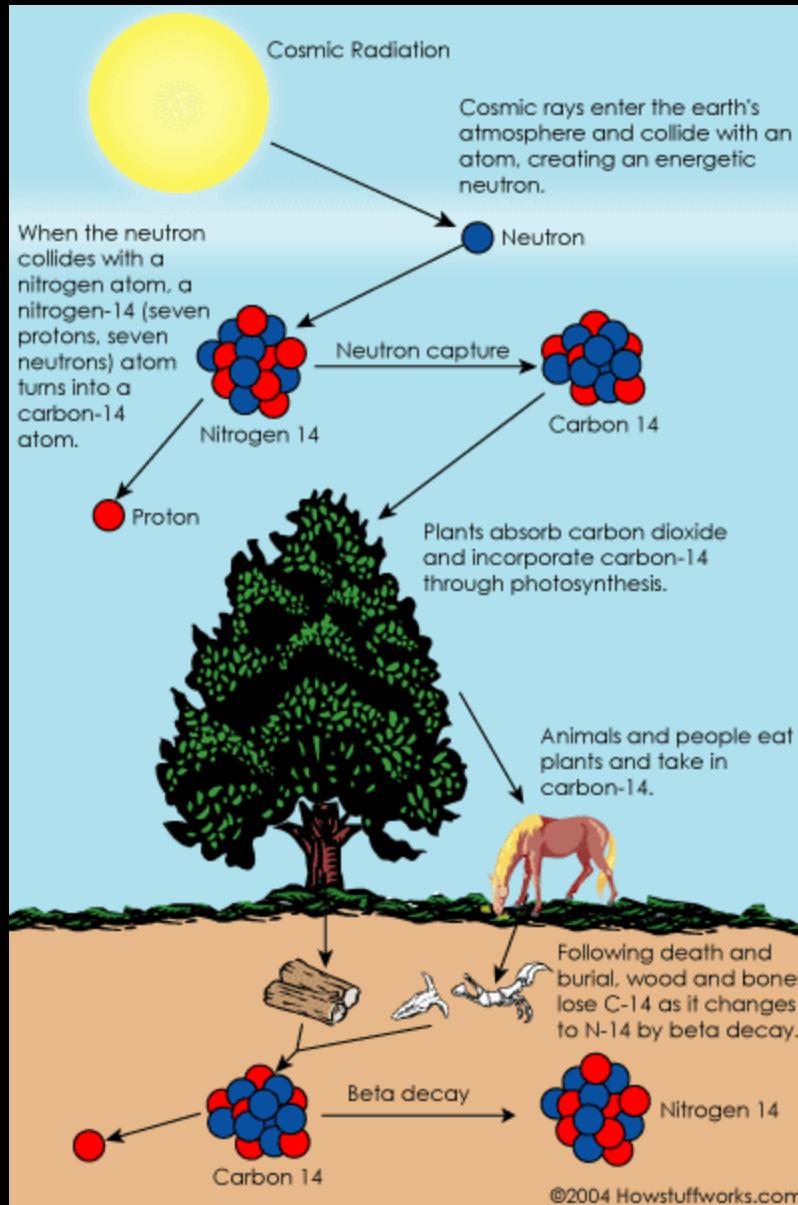
(Friedrich et al. 2006, figs. 1b and 1c)



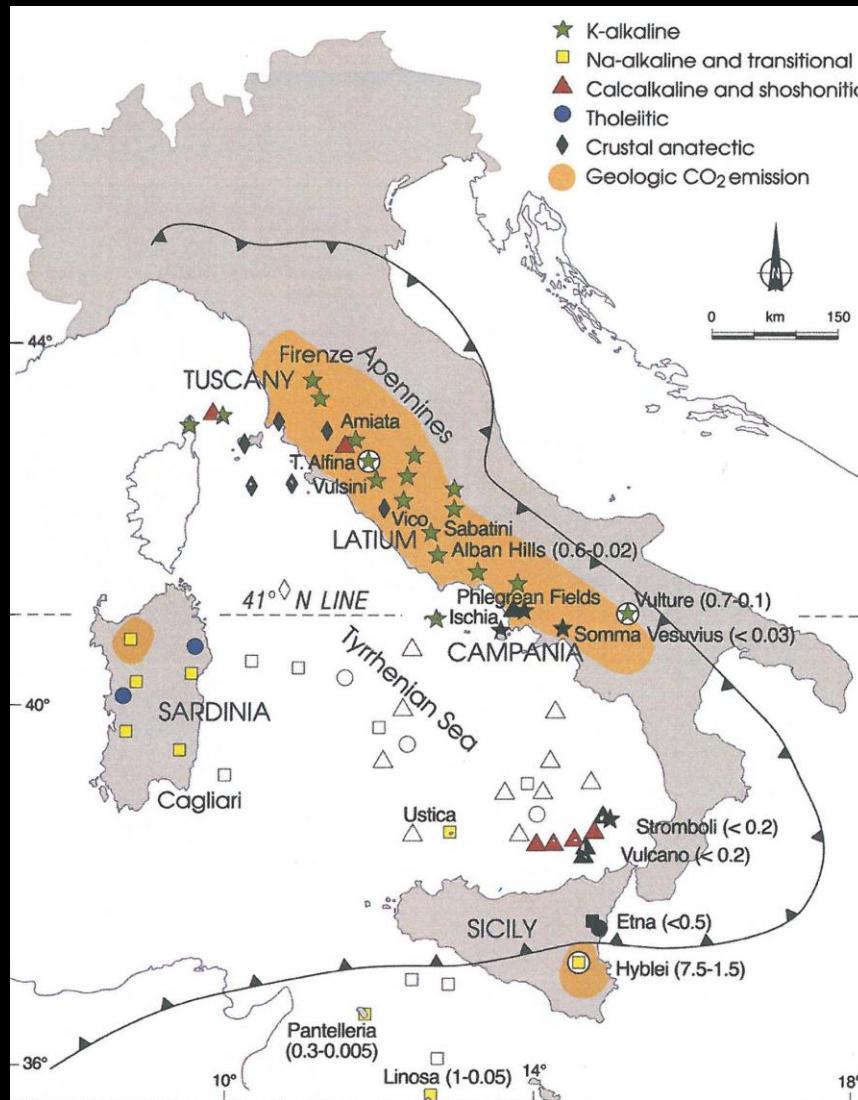
## Dendro intercomparison



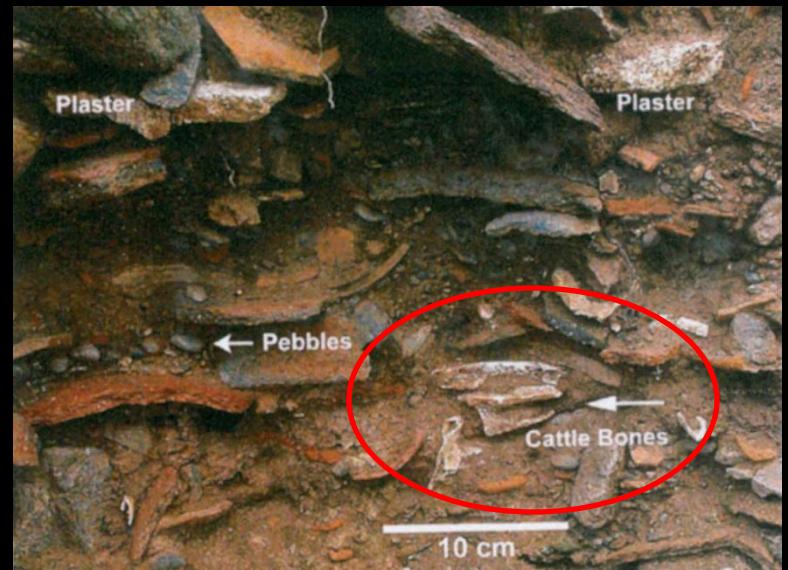
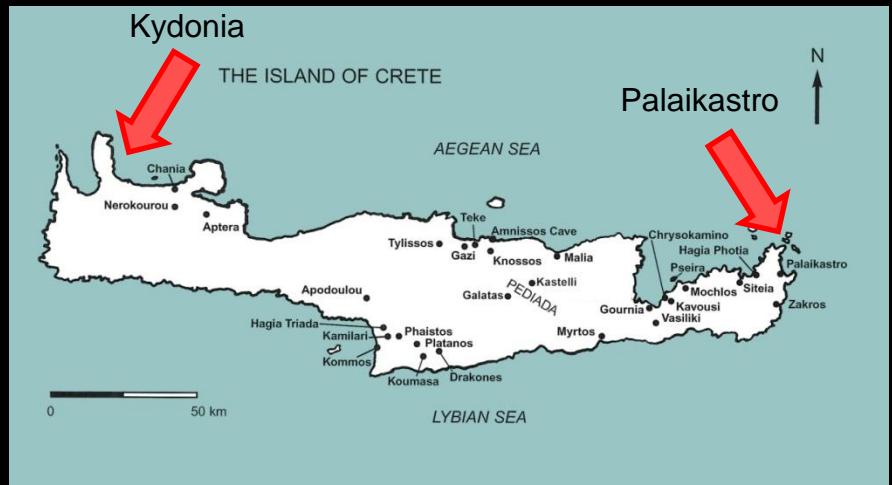
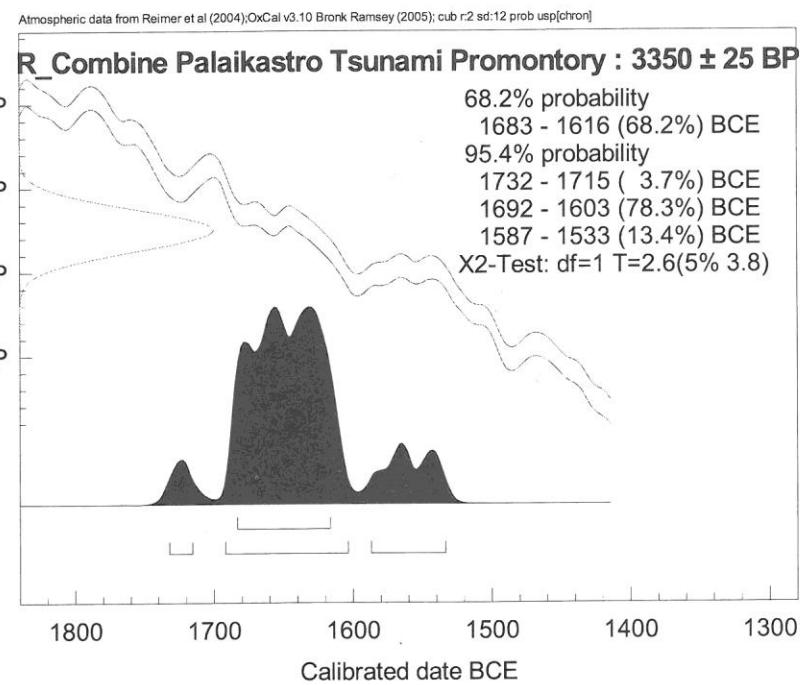
# Production and Absorption of Carbon 14



# Gas-emitting fields in Italy



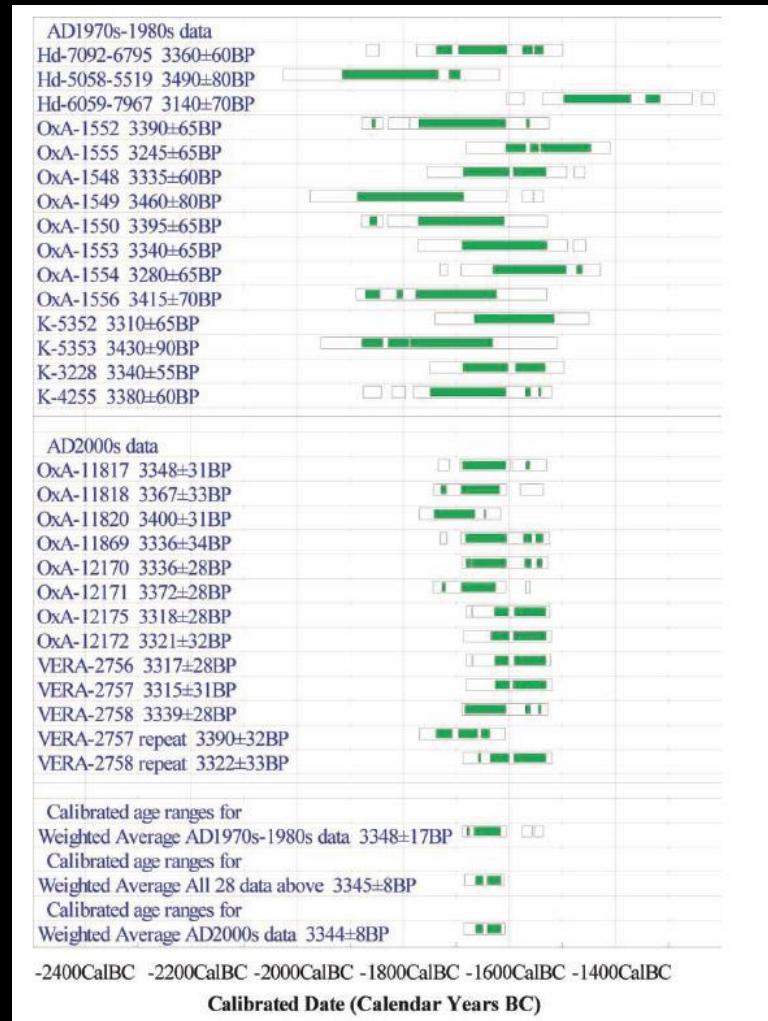
# Radiocarbon determinations of two cattle bones from Palaikastro, Crete



# Akrotiri, Thera (Santorini)



# Manning et al.'s post-AD 2000 Akrotiri radiocarbon datasets

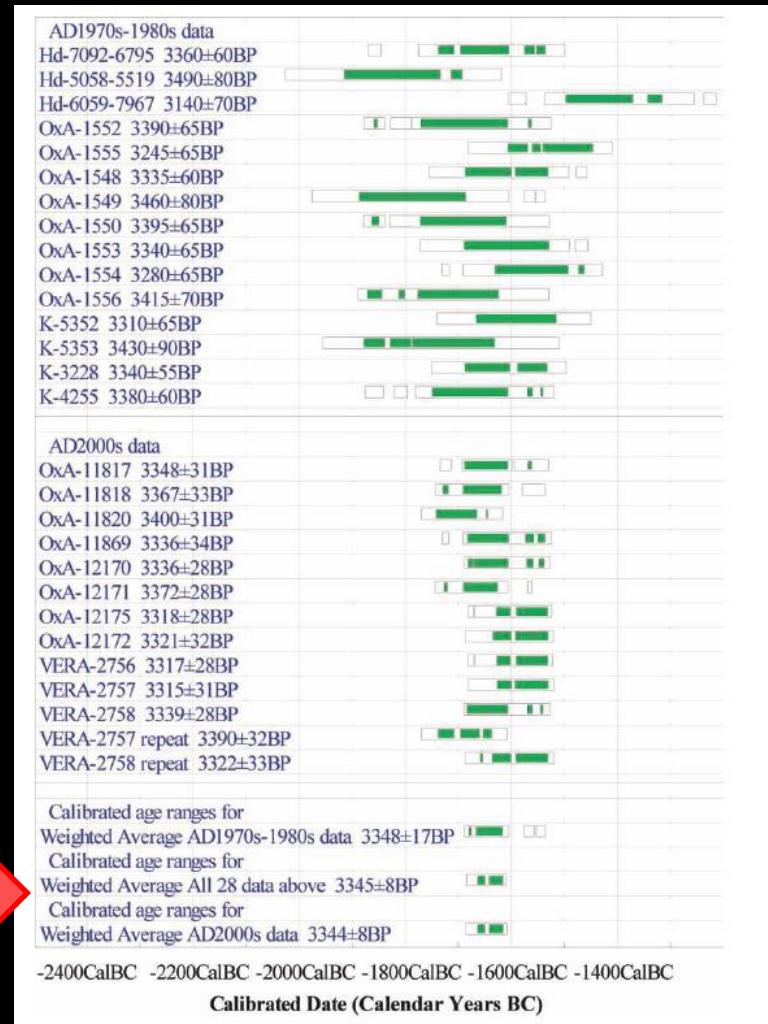


(Manning et al. 2009, fig. 2)

# Table S1 from the Manning et al. 2006 *Science* article

Miletos, Turkey	1/RY1000-1010 2-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1010-1020	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12303	3467	31	-25.5	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	3-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1020-1030	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12304	3404	31	-25.5	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	4-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1020-1030	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12305	3459	31	-25.7	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	4-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1030-1040	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12306	3416	31	-25.7	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	5-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1030-1040	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12307	3425	31	-25.6	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	5-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1040-1050	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12308	3381	31	-26	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	6-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1040-1050	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12309	3397	31	-26	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	6-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1050-1060	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12310	3345	32	-26.3	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	7-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1060-1070	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12311	3397	32	-26.3	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	7-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1060-1070	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12312	3388	30	-26.3	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	2-C-TU-MIL- 1/RY1010-1020	charcoal	<i>Quercus</i> sp.	12313	3352	31	-26.1	LMIA(late)	Secure	
Tsioungiza, Nemea	Tsioungiza 4	charcoal		11312	3215	33	-24.2	LH(late) (LMIA(late))% phased*		
Tsioungiza, Nemea	Tsioungiza 5	charcoal		11313	3261	39	-24.1	LH(late) (LMIA(late))% phased*		
Tsioungiza, Nemea	Tsioungiza 6	charcoal	<i>Allium</i> sp.	11044	3032	38	-22.7	LH(late) (LMIA(late))% phased*		
Akrotiri, Thera	M2/76 N003	charred seed	? <i>Lathyrus</i> sp.	11817	3348	31	-22.9	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera	M7/68A N004	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	11818	3367	33	-25.8	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera	M3/143 N012	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	11820	3400	31	-25.2	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera	M3/143 N047	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	11869	3338	34	-22.8	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera	M2/76 N003	charred seed	? <i>Lathyrus</i> sp.	12170	3338	28	-22.8	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera	M7/68A N004	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	12171	3315	31	-24.1	LH(late) repeat¶		
Akrotiri, Thera	M7/68A N004	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	12171	3372	28	-25.7	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera	M3/143 N047	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	12172	2758	29	-22.8	LH(late) repeat¶		
Akrotiri, Thera	M3/143 N047	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	12172	3322	32	-24.7	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
	39			3321	32	-23.1				
Akrotiri, Thera	West House	peas	peas		7592- 6795	3380	60	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera		graine			6058- 5519	3490	80	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Akrotiri, Thera		grains			6039- 7897	3140	70	LMIA(VDL)	Secure	
Tsioungiza, Nemea	Tsioungiza 2	charred seed	<i>Vitis vinifera</i>	11309	3308	39	-23.4	LH-II (LMIA/LMIB) phased*		
Tsioungiza, Nemea	Tsioungiza 3	charcoal	? <i>Quercus</i> sp.	11310	3503	38	-24.5	(LMIA/LMIB) phased*		
Tsioungiza, Nemea	Tsioungiza 3	charcoal	? <i>Quercus</i> sp.	11311	3487	38	-25.7	LH-II (LMIA/LMIB) phased*		
Chania, Crete	15/7R10,Rm E	charred seed	<i>Pisum sativum</i>	2517	3383	40	-25.6	LMIB	Secure	
Chania, Crete	13/7R17,1984,Rm C	charred seed	<i>Vicia faba</i>	2518	3343	80	-24.9	LMIB	Secure	
Chania, Crete	14/7R17,1984,Rm C	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	2646	3315	70	-23.9	LMIB	Secure	
Chania, Crete	16/7R24,1984,L6,B1	charred seed		2647	3315	70	-23.9	LMIB	Secure	
Chania, Crete	13/7R17,1984,Rm C	charred seed	<i>Vicia faba</i>	10324	3296	28	-22.4	LMIB	Secure	
Chania, Crete	14/7R17,1984,Rm C	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	10321	3258	27	-21.1	LMIB	Secure	
Chania, Crete	15/7R10,Rm E	charred seed	<i>Pisum sativum</i>	10322	3338	26	-23.9	LMIB	Secure	
Chania, Crete	16/7R24,1984,L6,B1	charred seed		10323	3253	25	-23.3	LMIB	Secure	
Kommlos, Crete	TP-KE-29	charcoal			10817	3190	40	-24.2	LH-II single	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	17K5.2.1	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	3187	3230	70	-22.2	LMIB	Secure	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	18K5.2.2	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	3188	3209	70	-26.5	LMIB	Secure	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	19K5K6.2.1	charred seed	<i>Vicia ervilia</i>	3189	3270	70	-26	LMIB	Secure	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	20K5L5.2.2	charred seed	<i>Vicia ervilia</i>	3225	3169	60	-23.8	LMIB	Secure	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	17K5.2.1	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	10324	3279	28	-22.4	LMIB	Secure	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	18K5K6.2.1	charred seed	<i>Vicia ervilia</i>	10325	3228	26	-23.4	LMIB	Secure	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	20K5L5.2.2	charred seed	<i>Hordeum</i> sp.	10411	3227	25	-22.4	LMIB	Secure	
Myrtos-Pyrgos, Crete	18K5.2.4	charred seed			3150	40	-26.5	LMIB	Secure	
Miletos, Turkey	AT 99.787	bone	sheep/goat	11955	3233	23	-17.6	LMIB/II phased (non-)		

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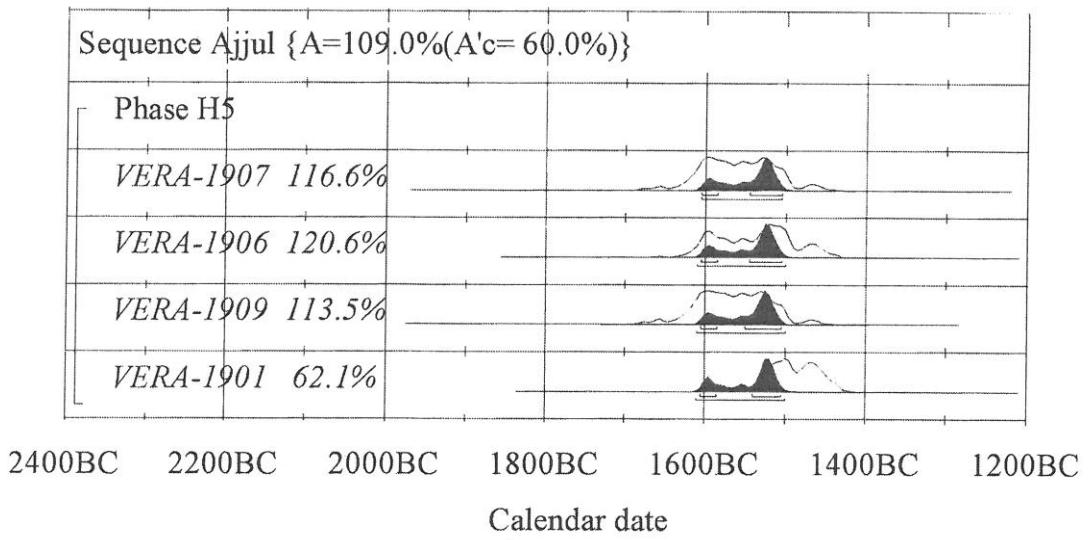


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# Theran pumice & tephra in stratified contexts

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(1) Kolonna	(5) Miletos	(9) Tel Megadim	(13) Tell el-Dab'a	(16) Iasos
(2) Knossos	(6) Maroni	(10) Tel Nami	(14) Tell el-Herr	(17) Megiddo
(3) Palaikastro	(7) Tell el-'Ajjul	(11) Tel Gerisa	(15) Tell el-Hebwa	(18) Lachish
(4) Çeşme	(8) Ashkelon	(12) North Sinai		(19) Qantir

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



$^{14}\text{C}$  dates from Stratum H5  
at Tell el-'Ajjul

