Appendix A

Chronology of the early Neolithic phases after Watkins (2023, 6), Belfer-Cohen and Goring-Morris (2024, table 1). Approximated absolute dates are as follows:

* Late Epipalaeolithic 13000-9700 BC
* Pre-Pottery Neolithic A (PPNA) 9600-8800 BC
* Pre-Pottery Neolithic B (PPNB) 8800-6900 BC
  + Early Pre-Pottery Neolithic B (EPPNB) 8800-8200 BC
  + Middle Pre-Pottery Neolithic B (MPPNB) 8200-7600 BC
  + Late Pre-Pottery Neolithic B (LPPNB) 7600-6900 BC
* Pre-Pottery Neolithic C (PPNC) 6900-6400 BC
* Late Neolithic 6900-5500 BC

# Figure 2

1. Göbekli Tepe — PPNA-EPPNB — drawing: Schmidt 1997, 8; photo: Peters and Schmidt 2004, 200
2. Sayburç — PPNA (?) — Özdoğan 2022
3. Göbekli Tepe — PPNA-EPPNB — Peters and Schmidt 2004, 190
4. Göbekli Tepe — PPNA-EPPNB — Schmidt 2012, 88
5. Göbekli Tepe — PPNA-EPPNB — Peters and Schmidt 2004, 201
6. Tell ‘Abr 3 — Yartah 2013, 140 and 167

# Figure 3

1. Göbekli Tepe — PPNA-EPPNB — Schmidt 2012, 255 (D-DAI-IST-GT-2011-NB-7045)
2. Tell ʿAbr 3 — PPNA — Yartah 2013, fig185-3
3. Tell ʿAbr 3 — PPNA — Yartah 2013, fig185-3
4. Göbekli Tepe — PPNA-EPPNB — Dietrich et al. 2012, 685 (D-DAI-IST-GT-2002-IW-00017)

# Figure 4

1. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 216
2. Tell ʿAbr 3 — TAB-N0-M11, PPNA — Yartah 2013, 166

# Figure 5

1. Jerf el-Ahmar — PPNA — Stordeur et al. 1997, 284
2. Körtik Tepe — PPNA — drawing: Schmidt 2012, 178; photo: Özkaya and Siddiq 2021

# Figure 6

1. Körtik Tepe — PPNA — Özkaya 2004, 598
2. Körtik Tepe — PPNA — Özkaya and Coşkun 2011, 118

# Figure 7

1. Jerf el-Ahmar — PPNA — Stordeur et al. 1997, 284
2. Jerf el-Ahmar — PPNA — Stordeur et al. 1997, 284

# Figure 8

1. Tell ʿAbr 3 — PPNA — Yartah 2013, 138
2. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 216
3. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 220
4. Tell ʿAbr 3 — PPNA — Yartah 2013, 167-169

# Figure 9

1. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 220
2. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 216
3. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 222
4. Tell ʿAbr 3 — PPNA — Yartah 2013, 183
5. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 226
6. Tell Qaramel — PPNA — Mazurowski and Kanjou 2012, 216
7. Göbekli Tepe — PPNA-EPPNB — right: Schmidt 2012, 120; left: Peters and Schmidt 2004, 192
8. Nevalı Çori — PPNB — Hauptmann 1999, 44
9. Körtik Tepe — PPNA — Siddiq et al. 2021, fig. 8
10. Körtik Tepe — PPNA — Özkaya and Coşkun 2010, 100

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