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## Isoglosses sud-arabiques archaïques

L'article ci-dessous expose les faits lexicaux découverts dans les langues sémitiques, notamment l'arabe classique de la poésie préislamique et des textes des premiers siècles de l'Islam (Arab), les dialectes arabo-yéménites modernes (Yém), les langues sud-arabiques épigraphiques (ESA), les langues sud-arabiques modernes (MSA). Les correspondances avec d'autres langues sémitiques et non-sémitiques peuvent également être ajoutées. Les exemples d'isoglosses cités et examinés ci-dessous montrent des vestiges du substrat sud-arabique présemi-tique (non-sémitique) et des traces de l'héritage afro-asiatique commun.

*Mots-clés* : langues sémitiques, arabe classique, dialectes arabo-yéménites, langues sud-arabiques épigraphiques, langues sud-arabiques modernes, isoglosses, substrat.

Dans cet article, il sera question de certaines isoglosses lexicales reliant l'arabe classique précoce, les dialectes arabo-yéménites et les langues sud-arabiques épigraphiques et modernes dont la sémantique est révélatrice de la vision du monde des ethnies porteuses de ces langues. Il s'agit, en premier lieu, de quelques verbes, parfois dénominatifs, ayant développé des sens spécifiques.

Dans le lexique des langues sud-arabiques modernes ainsi qu'anciennes, on peut discerner des isoglosses particulières. Celles-ci sont représentées : (a) par des verbes de « spécification » ; (b) par des termes mythologiques qui ne sont connus que des langues à usage oral.

Nous ajoutons à notre analyse lexicale une notion de « spécification » (on peut aussi utiliser le terme de « spécialisation » du sens), un terme pertinent pour distinguer ce phénomène sémantique dans nos langues, d'autres faits connus comme « restriction du sens d'un mot ». Habituellement, on considère la restriction du sens comme un processus historique. Or, dans notre cas, nos données sont clairement en faveur d'une dérivation synchronique. Les verbes spécifiés comportent deux sèmes, par exemple : « action + temps d'action », « mouvement + orientation/but d'action », etc. Le verbe peut remonter à une racine nominale monosémique. Dans le lexique arabe moderne, on peut observer l'extension (généralisation) du sens des verbes spécifiés, par exemple Arab. *wrd* (v.) « descendre la pente pour aller à l'eau, à l'abreuvoir » > « arriver » ; *ṣbh* (v.) « faire qqch. (« venir, manger, boire » etc.) au matin » > « devenir » (par exemple « devenir peintre »).

La plupart des verbes spécifiés peuvent être définis comme verbes dérivés, verbes dénominatifs. Pourtant, il existe également des verbes spécifiés dont l'origine reste inconnue. À la différence du premier groupe lexical (a), les termes mythologiques ne sont pas des dériva-tions : au contraire, ils présentent des thèmes nominaux primaires. Ces termes sortent des limites sud-arabiques et forment une isoglosse afro-asiatique.

Il faut souligner un fait remarquable : la plupart des unités arabes examinées dans l'article sont déjà tombées en désuétude ou bien leur sens et leurs fonctions ont changé tandis que leurs correspondances dans les langues sud-arabiques modernes restent en usage et sont attestées dans les dictionnaires au XX<sup>ème</sup> siècle.

## La vie nomade

### 1.0. Le temps d'action

#### 1.1. « matin/morning » — \*šbh

Arab. *šubh-/šabāh-* (n.) : *šbh* (v.) « faire quelque chose au matin : venir, se trouver quelque part ; manger, boire », etc. aussi IIème et IVème thèmes [BK I : 1303—1304] ;

ESA : Sab. *šbh* (v.) « faire quelque chose de grand matin » [SD : 140] ;

Éthiosém. : Gz. *šabāh* 'morning' [Leslau 1987 : 545]: les correspondances du lexème sont aussi attestées dans la plupart de langues éthiosémitiques modernes : Tna. *šabbah* (Kane 2000: 2575), Tgr. *šabāh, šabhat* (Littmann — Höfner 1962: 639), Amh. *ṭābat, ṭabat, ṭʾat* (Kane 1990: 2140), Arg. *ṭawwah* (Leslau 1997: 224), Zay *ṭab*, Muh., Gog. *ṭabä*, Muh. *ṭabena*, Sod. *ṭābtāt, ṭābtāt* (Leslau 1979: 608), Gaf. *šābbä* « faire jour » (Leslau 1956: 233) ;

MSA : Mhr. *a-šōbāh*, Jibb. *e-šōh* 'to take the goats/cows out for a while in the morning; to come to s-o in the morning'; Mhr. *hə-šbāh*, E., C. *e-šbāh* 'to be / become / go in the morning' [Johnstone 1987: 356—357], Soq. *šbah* et *ʔəšbah* « entrer dans la matinée, devenir tel ou tel le matin » [Leslau 1938 : 344].

#### 1.2.1. « nuit/night » — \*ğmd

Arab. *ğmd* (v.), VIIIème thème « entrer dans la nuit, dans l'obscurité » [BK II : 501] ;

MSA : Jibb. *o-ğōd* Mhr., Jibb. *gə-ğmōd* 'to go at sunset' ; 'to be / come in the early evening', Soq. *á'məd*, Ḥars. *a-ğmod* 'to pass the night' [Johnstone 1987: 137—138].

#### 1.2.2. « nuit/night » — \*ghm

Arab. *ghm* (v.), IVème thème « être sombre », VIIIème thème « s'en aller dans la partie de la nuit dite *ğahm-at-* ; *ğahm-at-* (n. f.) « la partie la plus obscure de la nuit, c.-à-d. soit minuit, soit la troisième partie de la nuit » [BK I : 346—347] ;

MSA : Mhr. *gəhem*, E. *ghem*, C. *gehém* 'to go in the morning', š-thème: *šə-ghōm*, C. *šə-ghím* 'to come at the end of the night' [Johnstone 1987: 116—117]. Voir encore Soq. *gehem* « faire quelque chose à midi, arriver à midi, se reposer » [Leslau 1938: 103].

#### 1.2.3. « obscurité, ténèbres » — \*ṭlm

Arab. *ṭāḏlama* IVème thème « se trouver dans l'obscurité ; voyager dans l'obscurité » [BK II : 140—141] ;

MSA : Mhr. *a*-thème *a-ḏōlam* 'to take camels out at night', E. *eḏúlm*, C. *eḏúlm* 'to go out late at night'; Mhr. *a-ḏālōm* 'to go (livestock) out to night pasture' [Johnstone 1987: 84]. Voir encore Soq. *ṭelim* « manger le soir » [Leslau 1938: 204]. (Sém. *\*ṭlm* « obscurité, ténèbres »).

#### 1.2.4. \*ṭwy est attesté en arabe comme thème nominal :

Arab. *'a-ṭwā'* (n. pl.) « parties, heure de la nuit » [BK II : 125—126] cf. Yém. *ṭā/yi-ṭī* (imperf.) «(herunter) kommen» [Behnstedt : 792—793].

MSA : Mhr. *ṭawū* 'to come, visit at night', *hə-ṭwū*, E., C. *e-ṭbē*, Ḥars. *a-ṭwō* 'to bring at night' [Johnstone 1987: 413];

Deux exemples cités ci-dessous présentent d'autres thèmes verbaux en Arab. et en MSA dont les correspondances nous échappent.

**1.2.5. \*ṭrq**

Arab. *ṭrq* (v.) « venir de nuit chez qqn / dans un lieu ; sortir de nuit ; faire une incursion de nuit » ; *ṭāriq-* (prt. act. du Ier thème) « qui voyage / qui rôde pendant la nuit » > « hôte de nuit » ; « étoile »<sup>1</sup> [BK II : 75–78]. Cf. arabe moderne *ṭaraqa-t-ṭāriq* « cheminer, voyager, marcher », ou *ṭarīq-* (n.) « chemin, route (en général) » [Dozy 2, 1881 : 38]. Le thème verbal *ṭrq* « venir de nuit » n'est attesté pour ce sens que dans le lexique arabe. Il semblerait que ce verbe ne soit pas dénominatif.

**1.2.6.** Voir encore dans MSA : Mhr. *bār/ya-bōr* (v. < \*b'r) 'to go by night, be out at night', Soq. *bō'or* 'to come / go / happen at night' [Johnstone 1987: 41, Leslau 1938: 92].

**1.2.7. \*nfš**

Arab. *nfš* (v.) 'the sheep/goats/camels pastured by night / dispersed themselves by night' [Lane I, VIII: 2829–2830];

MSA : Mhr. *nēfūs*, Jibb. *enfés* 'to take the goats to pasture in the afternoon; to take away in the afternoon, early evening' [Johnstone 1987: 285], Soq. *nofós* « aller dans l'après-midi, le soir » [Leslau 1938: 272]. Dans les textes de [SE, VII]: Jibb. *nfoś ad be-eñheg*, Soq. *nófós 'af yhe be-filigoh* «er ging am Nachmittag als er auf dem Hochweg war» [SE, VII: 24, № 10(3)].

Remarque : La plupart des verbes cités (1.2.1.–1.2.7) chez les tribus nomades arabiques se rapportent au temps de la nuit. Cela ne semble pas étonnant puisque ce temps est le plus favorable pour faire paître le bétail, le plus propice au voyage, aux incursions, etc.

**2.0. Façon d'agir, but de l'action****2.1. \*rağad-** (n.) « vie dans l'aisance »

Arab. *rağad-* (n.) « vie aisée au sein de l'abondance », *rğd* (v., caus. IV. thème) « laisser paître librement les bestiaux » [BK I: 888; Lane I, III: 1112] ;

MSA : Mhr. *a-roğad* (caus) 'to leave camels somewhere by themselves', Jibb. *e-roğud* 'to spoil a child', Ḥars. *reğād* 'left unattended' [Johnstone 1987: 319].

**2.2. \*zml** « charge d'une bête de somme »

Arab. *ziml-/zamil-/zamūl-* (n.) « qui est en croupe ; qui monte une monture derrière un autre ; charge d'une bête de somme » [BK I : 1013] ; verbe : *zml* 'to ride behind another on a camel and to carry the food, household goods' [Lane I, III : 1252–1253]<sup>2</sup>.

Yém. *zml* (v.) 'to carry a load on large cattle; to sing *zāmil*' [Piamenta: 204–205]; «singen bei Marschieren» [Behnstedt: 508]; Ḥaḍr. *zaml* « bât (pour monter à dos de chameau) » [Landberg Ḥḍr : 67, 94, 599];

MSA : Mhr. *zāmūl* (v.) 'to put the pack-saddle-girth on a camel's back', E., C. *zōl* 'to put grass-filled pads on a camel's back and tie this on with a long rope', Soq. *zómāl* 'to follow the pastures'; Mhr. *zāmul* (n.) 'camel-gear' [Johnstone 1987: 468].

<sup>1</sup> Dans le Qur'an [81 – 1, 3] *wa s-samā'i wa ṭ-ṭāriqi* « [je jure] du ciel et de l'étoile du matin ! » Selon le commentaire traditionnel : *aṭ-ṭāriq – an-nağmu z-zāhir laylan / aṭ-ṭāriq –* « c'est une étoile qui paraît la nuit » (voir aussi [Kračkovskij 1963 : 484, 630]).

<sup>2</sup> Cf. arabe moderne : *zamīl-* (n.) « compagnon de route ; collègue » [Wehr 1952 : 346 ; Baranov 1976 : 334].

**2.3. \*rahl-** « selle de chameau »

Arab. *rahl-* (n.) « selle de chameau » ; verbe du Vème thème « bâter un chameau ; se mettre en route » [BK I : 836] ;

ESA : Sab. *rhl* « équipement (e. g. saddle) » [SD : 116] ;

Éthiosém. : Gz. *raḥala* ‘to saddle, put equipment (on a beast)’ [Leslau 1987: 466] ;

Syr. *rahl* id. [Zammit : 191].

Remarque : En plus du sens général du thème, *rhl* Arabe et MSA ont le même thème verbal au sens spécifié.

Arab. *\*rhl* (v.) et Mhr. *rəḥal* (v.) ‘to bring water from a distance (use by camel)’ [Johnstone 1987: 321]. En arabe un vestige de la spécification est attesté dans la forme nominale dérivée *mi-rḥāl-* « homme chargé du service d’eau nécessaire pour les voyageurs » [BK I : 838–839].

**2.4. \*šdr** — antonyme à Sém. *\*wrd* « descendre à l’eau, à l’abreuvoir »

Arab. *šdr* (v.) « retourner de l’abreuvoir » [BK I : 1318–1320] ;

Yém. : Ḍof. *šdr* (v.) « vom Wasser, Tränke zurückkehren, emporsteigen » [SE, X: 33] ;

MSA : Mhr. *šadūr* ‘to come up from water’, E., C. *šódór* id., H. *šadōr* id.

**2.5. \*kbw/\*kbb**

Arab. *kbw/kbb* (v.) « tomber le visage contre terre ; renverser » [BK II : 856] ;

Yém. *kbb* (v.) ‘to lean ; recline’ [Piamenta: 423] ;

Ḍof. *kbw* (part.) «kopfhängerisch: mit der Nase im Staube»; *kbb* (IVème thème) «sich bücken» [SE X: 51] ;

MSA : Mhr. *kbb* (v.) ‘go down / sich beugen, verbeugen’, Ḥars. *kbūb* Jibb. *ekbéb* ‘to stoop, lower (head)’. Mhr. *káttab* (dériv.) ‘to lie face down’ [Johnstone 1987: 201].

De la spécification à l’extension (généralisation) du sens :

**2.6. \*mrq**

Arab. *mrq* (v.) « percer (d’un coup de lance) » ; VIIème thème « traverser de part en part au point de sortir de l’autre côté (une flèche) » [BK II : 1094–1095] ;

MSA : Mhr. *mərūq*, E., C. *méroq* ‘to go in and out, through; to stick out’ [Johnstone 1987: 269].

**3.0. Le domaine de la vie quotidienne****3.1. l’adoption et l’élevage — \*rbb**

Arab. *rbb* (v.) Ier et IIème thèmes « élever, donner l’éducation à un enfant » ; *rābb-* (pzt.) « beau-père », *rābb-at-* (f.) « belle-mère », *rabīb-* (adj. pass.) « esclave élevé ; beau-fils, fils adoptif (*rabīb-* id. f.) » [BK I : 798]. Voir encore Nab. *rbb* ‘foster-father’ (< arabe?) (HJ 1052) ;

Yém. *rabīb* (m.), *rabīb-a(t)* (f.) «Stiefsohn, Stieftochter» [Behnstedt : 422], ‘stepson (from wife)’ [Piamenta: 172] ; Ḍof. *rbb* (v.) IIème thème «erziehen; Tier halten, aufziehen» [SE, X, II: 21].

ESA : Sab. *rbb* (n.) « otage/hostage », *’-rbb-w* (n. pl.) « protégé / person under protection » ; *rbb* (v.) « posséder / own, possess » [SD : 114].

MSA : Mhr. *rab/ta-rbūb* (v. f.) ‘(she-camel) to become disoriented, accept a “tulcan” as substitute for a lost young one’, E. *rēb*, C. *rbe* (v. f.) id.; Mhr. *hə-rbūb* (caus.) ‘to induce a she-camel to take a young one not her own and rear it’, C. *e-rbéb* id. [Johnstone 1987: 311].

Remarque : Voir encore: Arab. *rabb-* (n.) « maître, seigneur ; possesseur, propriétaire d’une chose » [BK I : 798–800] ;

Yém. *rabb* «Herrgott» [Behnstedt : 421–422] ;

ESA : Sab. *rb-m* (n.) ‘Lord (divine title)’ [Biella : 475] ; *’-rbb-w* (n. pl.) «Eigentümer, Schiffseigner» [Müller 2010: 199] ;

MSA : Mhr., E., C. *rab* ‘Lord’ [Johnstone 1987 : 310], probablement un arabisme ;

Éthiosém. : Gz. *rabbī* ‘teacher’ (< Hbr. *rabbī*) [Leslau 1987: 460]; Amh. *rābbī* ‘teacher’ (< Hbr. *rabbī*) [Kane 1990: 390], Tna. *rābbī* ‘the Lord, God’ (< Arb. *rabbī*) [Kane 2000: 262], Te. *rabbī* ‘God’ (< Arb. *rabbī*) [Littmann — Höfner 1962: 152]; Aussi Sém. : Akk. *rabu* (in Titel) [KB 868], *rabbû* [CAD R 16], *rabû* ‘large; main, principal, chief; elder, senior; adult; important; great, weighty, grievous’ (CAD R 26—27), Hbr. *rab* «Oberst, Anführer» [KB : 868], ‘zahlreich, viel’ [KB 1092]; *rb* «zahlreich sein/werden; gross sein (Js 6:12)» [KB 1096], *rābā* «zahlreich werden, sich mehren» [KB 1097]; Ug. *rb* ‘great, large’ [DUL 727], ‘chief, sheikh, grandee’ (DUL 728), Pho. *rb* ‘chief’ (T 298), ‘great’ (T 300); *rb* ‘many; greatly’ (T 300), Aram. Anc. *rbh* ‘master, sir’ [HJ 1052], *rb* ‘head, chief, commander; numerous; big, large; important, great’ (HJ 1047—51), *rby* ‘to be great, to become great’ [HJ 1053], *rbw* ‘greatness, magnificence’ (HJ 1052), Syr. *rbā*(?) ‘magnus evasit; crevit; adolevit; auctus est’ (Brock. 707), *rab* ‘magnus evasit, fuit’, *rabbā*(?) ‘magnus’ (Brock. 706); Arab. *rabā* « augmenter, s’accroître; gravir une hauteur, une colline; grandir, être élevé » (BK I 813), dérivé de la racine sémitique commune « être grand ».

Par conséquent, le thème 3.1. *rb* « possesseur / possession » peut entrer dans le champ sémantique plus large du Sém. \**rb*/*rbV* « être grand ».

### 3.2. ‘*l* < *ġll* « substituer quelque chose pour calmer, consoler quelqu’un »

Arab. ‘*l* (v.) (*i, u*) « tenir lieu d’une autre chose (se dit de toute nourriture, d’un amusement qui fait que l’enfant ne pense plus au lait de sa nourrice, de tout objet qui distrait la pensée d’une autre chose) » ; IIème thème « calmer un enfant qui pleure en lui donnant quelque chose pour l’amuser ; distraire quelqu’un de ses pensées, de ses soucis » ; thème V. « être allaité (aussi : nourri, apaisé) par qqch. donné en guise de lait (de l’enfant à qui on a donné à téter pour le calmer) » ; « s’occuper de quelque chose et s’en contenter au point de se distraire et de ne plus songer à autre chose » [BK II : 334—336] ;

Yém. ‘*l* (*alā*) ‘to libel, accuse falsely’ [Pianta: 336]. Voir encore Arab. *ġll*<sup>3</sup> (v.) « tromper, frauder » [BK II : 487] ;

ESA : Sab. *y-ġl-n* (v. imp.) « s’approprier, retenir frauduleusement » [SD : 53] ;

MSA : Mhr. *ġal* (v.) ‘to console a (crying) child’, C. *ġell* id. ; ‘to be happy and as a result neglect duties’ (aussi — formes verbales dérivées) [Johnstone 1987: 135].

Remarque : Nous y observons l’exemple du développement sémantique « substituer qqch. pour calmer, consoler qqn » > « tromper ».

On peut ainsi citer des exemples de la spécification dans deux directions :

### 3.3. Sém. \**plg* « fendre en deux »

ESA : Sab. *h-flg* « creuser un chenal pour l’eau » [SD : 44] ;

Arab. *flġ* (IIème thème) « faire espace entre les dents (pour être belle) » ; MSA : Mhr. *fōlag* (v.) ‘(woman) to make a separation between the teeth (for cosmetic reasons)’ [Belova 2010: 276, № 1.0—1.1].

## 4.0. Nom d’un objet matériel et ses dérivés

### 4.1. \**nṣb*/*nṣb nḏb* < \**nḥb* (n.) « arc, flèche; matière brute »

Arab. *ta-nḏub-* (n.) « sorte d’arbre à épines qui croît dans le Hedjaz et dont on fait des flèches » ; *nḏb* (v.) du IVème thème « tirer à soi la corde de l’arc au point qu’elle rende un son » [BK II : 1278 ; Lane I, VIII : 2805] ;

<sup>3</sup> L’alternance consonantique (phonétique) ‘*ġ* en arabe mérite également d’être mentionnée [Yuchmanov (1938) 1998 : 143—148 ; Majzel’ 1983 : 165].

Yém. (Daṭina) *mi-nṭab/mi-nṭāb* (où  $\dot{t} < \dot{d}$ ) n. « arc qui est hors d'usage ; actuellement, il est usité comme un jouet pour enfants » [Landberg Dat : 2770] Yém. (est) *mi-nṭāb* «Schleuder, catapult» [Behnstedt : 1218] ;

MSA : Mhr. *mā-nṣāb-ēt*, E., C. *nṭab*, Ḥars. *naṣīb-at* 'bow' ; *naṣāwb* 'to shoot an arrow', E., C. *nṭab* id. [Johnstone 1987 : 303], Hōbyot *mā-nṭōb* id. [Nakano 2013 : 83].

Remarque : Voir encore en Arab. (avec un réflexe latéral  $\dot{s} < *ṣ$ ) *nuṣṣāb-* (coll.) « flèches en bois » [BK II : 1257]<sup>4</sup>. On peut supposer ici l'alternance des consonnes latérales  $*ṣ/\dot{c}$ .

## 5.0. Termes du rite ancien (ordalie)

Dans cette cérémonie, on peut mettre en valeur certains termes qui sont d'origine locale.

5.1.  $*rb'$  « protection ; aide, secours ». Sur la base de cette racine, un large champ dérivationnel s'est formé en Arabie Méridionale, en produisant des termes spécifiques.

Yém. *ta-rbī'* 'an ordeal by a red-hot rod of iron on which the accused passes his tongue three times' [Piamanta: 173–174] et — nom d'agent *mu-rabbi'* (prt. act. du IIème thème) « personne autoritaire qui exécute le *tarbī'* ; qui sait établir un criminel (ou — le trouver) » ; Voir encore Yém. *mi-rabbi'* «Sterndeuter» [Behnstedt : 428]. La spécification des termes revient au sens plus général : Yém. Ḥaḍr. *rb'* 9v.) IIème thème « protéger ; demander protection ; demander à être le « *rabī'* » (n.) de qqn » ; *rabī'* « voisin, compagnon » [Landberg Ḥḍr : 582–585] ; Yém. d'ouest, Tihāma *rab'* (n.) «Schutzsuchender» [Behnstedt : 426]. Le développement sémantique : « demander protection contre un crime, un criminel » donne en résultat certains termes du métier particulier.

MSA : Mhr. *a-rōba* (< *rb'*), Ḥars. *a-rbyā* 'to give s-o protection' [Johnstone 1987: 312];

ESA : On peut supposer que l'épithète de la divinité du panthéon sud-arabique *RB'-n* 'Quarter-moon' [Biella : 477] a un sens complémentaire de « protecteur ». Finalement, tous ces dérivés entrent dans le champ plus large de *rab'-, rabī'* — « hommes de la même tribu ». Cf. Sab. *rb'-n* (n.) « résidence » ;  $'rb'-w$  (n. pl.) « groupe dans la population urbaine ; citadins » [SD : 113].

Arabe classique *rab'* « troupe d'hommes » ; *rab'-/rabā'-at-* (n.) « habitation, village » [BK I : 807–810].

Remarque : Au Yémen, les termes spécifiques *tarbī'/murabbi'* ont les synonymes plus complets *baš'-a(h) / ta-bšī' / mu-baššī'* « ordalie ; personne qui exécute, *tabšī'*, celui qui sait trouver un criminel » [Al-Baradūnī : 55–56 ; Luqmān : 21–22 ; Dostal 1990 : 200–201 ; 211–212] ; aussi : *bš'* (v.) du IIème thème «wahrsagen», *mubaššī' as-sariḡah* «Wahrsager, der Diebstähle aufdeckt» [Behnstedt : 87 ; Piamanta : 32]. A la différence de *RB'*, la racine *Bš'* n'a aucune correspondance dans les autres langues sémitiques. Dans [DRS, I : 88], la base *bašša'* est marquée comme « méridionale ».

5.2.  $*mrt$  « chauffer, mettre sur le feu ; être chauffé au rouge/à blanc (se dit de la pierre, du fer) »

Yém (Ḍofār) *mrt* (v.) «glühen, weissglühen (vom Eisen, von Steinen)» [SE, X, II : 55] ;

MSA : Mhr. *mērat/yā-mrōt*, Jibb. *mért*, Soq. *mērat* 'to be heated red-hot, become red-hot' [Johnstone 1987: 270; 1981: 174; Stroomer: 290–291], Soq. *mérot* « chauffer, mettre sur le feu » [Leslau 1938: 251];

ESA : Qat., Min. *mrt* (n.) «Keramik/Terrakotta» [Sima 2000 : 299–301].

<sup>4</sup> Les autres désignations de « flèche » en arabe sont *sahm-* et *qadaḥ-*. Ils désignent des flèches de roseau.



Spécification : la racine verbale a ses dérivés avec le sens spécifique : « chauffer le fer pour réaliser l'ordalie ».

Yém. (Dofār) *mrt* v. IIème thème > prt. act. *me-marrit* / prt. act. du IVème thème *mi-mrit*. Cette forme nominale « bezeichnet den Mann, der das Eisen oder Messer glühend macht und der dieses Gottesurteil vollzieht » ; verbe du Xème thème « um dieses Gottesurteil gegen jemanden bitten » [SE, VIII : 34–35 ; SE, X, II : 55].

MSA : Mhr. *hə-mrūt/ya-hə-mrūt*, E., C. *e-mrēt*, Soq. *mórət*, Ḥars. *a-mrōt* (caus.) 'to try by ordeal with a glowing iron' ; *šə-mrūt* (pass.) 'to be tried by ordeal with a hot iron' [Johnstone 1987: 270; 1981: 174]; il y a aussi des termes dérivés : *mə-há-mrət* 'ordeal giver, who lays a glowing blade on the tongue of a suspect', E. *īmrət*, C. *mú-mrət* id. [ibid.].

Par rapport à l'étymologie de la racine *MRT*, nous pouvons émettre deux considérations :

1) pour le sens étendu « chauffer qqch. », elle demeure une unité sud-arabique locale, tout à fait isolée ;

2) pour le sens plus spécifique « réaliser l'ordalie ; dévoiler un criminel », on peut lui trouver une correspondance avec évolution du sens. Éthiosém. : Gz. *marat-* (v.) 'foretell the future, divine' [Leslau 1987: 361], Amh. (*a*)*m<sup>w</sup>arrātā* 'prophesy, foretell, cast a spell to injure s-o' [Kane 1990: 187], *m<sup>w</sup>art-äñña* 'foreteller of evil things; magician' [Kane 1990: 188] > Couch. (Qwmant *am<sup>w</sup>arāt* 'foretell' [Conti Rossini 1912: 232, Leslau 1987: 362]). Selon [Leslau 1987: 362], cette racine est une formation secondaire du thème synonyme *mry*, mais on peut quand même y voir deux racines différentes.

Dans le cas (2), la racine *MRT* constitue une isoglosse sud-sémitique en présentant une unité commune de l'héritage sud-arabique. Dans le lexique arabe classique, la racine *MRT* n'est pas attestée au sens examiné ci-dessus<sup>5</sup>. Le sens essentiel de *MRT* « mettre quelque chose sur le feu » préservé dans MSA et dans les dialectes arabo-yéménites peut nous donner une explication supplémentaire pour le terme *mrt* dans ESA<sup>6</sup>.

## Termes mythologiques

### 6.1. \**budā*

Yém. *budā* / *bidah* / *bideh* (f.) « elle peut transformer un homme en animal (âne, cheval).

D'habitude, les *budā* sont des femmes de familles riches. Leurs grands-mères savent des secrets de magie » [Al-Baradūnī : 37–38] ; *bidah*, pl. *bidāt* « eine Hexe » [Behnstedt : 64] ; *bideh* 'witch, sorceress, monster' ; *biddāh* 'a witch who transforms a person into an ass' [Piamenta: 23];

MSA : Ce terme spécifique n'est pas attesté.

Éthiosém. : Gz. *budā* 'one who causes harm by means of the evil eye' [Leslau 1987: 86]; Tna.

*buda* 'sorcerer, person who can cast the evil eye' [Kane 2000: 1195], Amh. *buda* id. [Kane 1990: 934], Har. *buda* id. [Leslau 1963: 39], Gur. *buda* id. [Leslau 1979: 132], Te. *bozzāy* (où

<sup>5</sup> La racine arabe *mrt* « être nu, chauve » n'est qu'un homonyme consonantique.

<sup>6</sup> La question de cette racine est traitée dans un contexte le plus large dans A. Sima [2000 : 299 – 301]. A. Sima suppose que le terme *mrt* (selon l'auteur arabo-yéménite al-Iryānī 1996) remonte au yém. — arab. *murr-* « von Erdmaterial, guter Ton... für guten Keramikgegenstände » [ib. 301]. Mais dans ce cas, il nous faut expliquer la forme *mrt* comme une dérivation avec le suffixe du genre féminin \**mr-t*. Compte tenu du sens du verbe *mrt* « mettre sur le feu », on peut en proposer une autre interprétation. ESA *mrt* remonte, quant à lui, à la racine trilitère signifant « argile cuite ».

*d > z*) ‘magician’ [Littmann — Höfner 1962: 291]; voir encore Leslau 1987: 86; Mondon-Vidailhet: 4–5.

Couch. : Bilin *bōda* / *bawda*, Xamir, Qemant, Afar *buda*, Somali *bida*, Oromo *bawda*, Omot, Kafičo, Bworo *budo* < \**bawad* « werewolf/loup-garou; sorcier, magicien » [Dolgopol’skij 1973: 238]; La reconstruction du tchadien de l’ouest : \**bad* « sorcier »; La reconstruction afro-asiatique : \**bawVd* « sorcier » [HSED, № 247: 62].

## 6.2. \**zār* (n.)

Yém. *zār* (n.) « une espèce de *ǧinn* qui provoque un accès d’épilepsie ». Selon une autre explication, « *zār* peut se transformer en beau garçon ou en belle fille » [Al-Baradūnī : 39] ; *zār* ‘*jinnis* coming from the Red Sea and living in the plains of Tihāmah’ [Piamenta : 195] ; de même — on trouve sous la racine *zwr* ‘a species of *jinni* that inflicts with epilepsy’ ; IIème thème verbal — ‘to cause epilepsy’ [Piamenta : 208] ; MSA : Soq. (sous la racine verbale *zrr*) « user de sorcellerie » ; *zehereh* (n. f.) « sorcière » [Leslau 1938 : 151–152] ; également Soq. *zer* (v.) ‘to cast a spell’ [Johnstone 1987 : 468] ; Éthiosém. : Tna. *zar* ‘a spirit that possesses people, possession by this spirit’ [Kane 2000 1970], Te. *zār* ‘evil spirit’ [Littmann — Höfner 1962: 495], Amh. *zar* ‘spirit which inhabits lakes, wilderness areas or trees and which possesses people’ [Kane 1990: 1624], Gur. *zar* ‘spirit that possesses a person’ [Leslau 1979: 713] ; voir aussi Majzel’ 1983 : 213.

Le monde des *jinnis*, invisible et imaginaire, existait en parallèle de toutes les religions et cultes en Arabie. Ce monde était plus ancien et archaïque que les panthéons complexes avec des temples, des objets sacrés et des statues. De plus, celui-ci reste toujours plus stable que ceux-là. Le nom de l’esprit maléfique peut être en rapport avec la racine signifiant « tourner, faire des détours » :

Éthiosém. : Gz. *zora/yā-zur* (< *zwr*) v. ‘go around, turn around’, Tna., Amh., Gur, Te., Arg. id. [Leslau 1987: 646]. Cf. Akk. Ass. *zār-u* ‘to twist, turn round’ [CDA: 445].

Couch. : \**ŠAR* (II) « nom d’un démon malfaisant / evil ghost » (données de Bilin, Xamta, Awija, Rendille et quelques autres) [Dolgopol’skij 1973 : 129].

Remarque : Professeur A. Dolgopol’skij a reconstruit une protoforme couchitique comme \**ŠAR* « divinité du ciel » (I) ; « esprit malin, démon malfaisant » (II), mais il considère les variantes des peuples Bilin, Xamta et Awija comme « amharismes » [ibid.]. Selon les données des ethnographes (Prof. M. Rodionoff, Prof. W. Doum), le terme *zār* est largement répandu dans toute l’Arabie, en Tihāma et dans les dialectes arabes le long de la vallée du Nil.

En pleine conformité avec ce monde parallèle, son lexique et les noms de ses personnages nous font revenir aux temps les plus éloignés de l’époque historique. On peut supposer que certains lexèmes (verbes et noms) reflètent la situation présémitique. Les correspondances trouvées dans des langues africaines révèlent des traces de substrats anciens ou de contacts culturels historiques entre les habitants de l’Arabie Méridionale et ceux de l’Afrique orientale.

## Abréviations

Akk — akkadien ; Amh — amharique ; Arab — arabe classique ; Aram — araméen ; Aram Anc — araméen ancien, Arg — argobba (Éthiosém) ; C — dialecte central du jibbali (MSA) ; Chad — tchadien ; Couch — couchitique ; Ḍof — dialecte arabe en Ḍofar (Yémen, Oman) ; E — dialecte oriental du jibbali (MSA) ; ESA — langues sud-arabiques épigraphiques ; Éthiosém — éthiosémitiques ; Gaf — gafat (Éthiosém), Gog — gogot (langue éthiosémitique guragué), Gur — langue éthiosémitique guragué ; Gz — guèze ; Hbr — hébreu ; Ḥaḍr — dialecte arabe de Ḥaḍramoût ;

Hars — ḥarsūsi (MSA) ; Jibb — jibbali (MSA) ; Mhr — mehri (MSA) ; Min — minéen ; Mnd — mandéen ; MSA — langues sud-arabiques modernes ; Muh — muher (langue éthiosémitique guragué) ; Nab — nabatéen ; Qat — qatabanique (ESA) ; Sab — sabéen (ESA) ; Sém — sémitique ; Sod — soddo (langue éthiosémitique guragué), Soq — langue soqotri (MSA) ; Syr — syrien (langue) ; Te — tigré (éthiosém) ; Tna — tigrigna (éthiosém) ; Ug — ugaritique ; Yém — dialectes arabes du Yémen.

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Anna Belova. On some archaic lexical parallels between the languages of South Arabia

The paper discusses a number of lexical matches encountered between such Semitic languages as the classical Arabic of pre-Islamic poetry and early Islamic texts, modern Yemeni Arabic dialects, epigraphic

South Arabian and modern South Arabian languages. Correspondences with other Semitic and non-Semitic Afro-Asiatic languages are also suggested. It is shown that the parallels in question point both to traces of a pre-Semitic (non-Semitic) South Arabian substratum and to elements of common Afro-Asiatic heritage.

*Keywords:* Semitic languages, Classical Arabic, Yemeni Arabic dialects, Epigraphic South Arabic, Modern South Arabic, lexical isoglosses, substrate theory.

А. В. Белова. Некоторые архаические изоглоссы в южно-аравийских языках.

В ходе этимологической работы над лексикой арабского языка доисламского и раннеисламского периодов выявляются архаические южноаравийские изоглоссы, охватывающие древние и современные языки Южной Аравии и сопредельных районов. В статье рассматриваются две лексические группы: (а) лексика, связанная с кочевым образом жизни, скотоводством, семейным обиходом, местными обычаями; (б) лексика, связанная с древними поверьями, изоглоссы которой охватывают также языки Восточной Африки. Соответствия этой лексике обнаруживаются в кушитских и чадских языках.

*Ключевые слова:* Семитские языки, классический арабский, йеменитские диалекты арабского, южно-аравийские языки, южно-аравийские эпиграфические языки, изоглоссы, субстрат



## Addenda and conclusion of an etymology-based 100-item wordlist for Semitic languages

The paper concludes a series of four previous publications by the author that contained a detailed word-by-word etymological analysis of 100-item Swadesh wordlists for all known Semitic languages for which such a wordlist could be compiled. This concluding part is intended as a brief, but comprehensive summary of the preceding research, containing all the Proto-Semitic equivalents that the author was able to reconstruct for Swadesh list etyma, accompanied with brief notes. A new, improved lexicostatistical tree for Semitic languages is also given, together with some historical comments.

*Keywords:* Semitic, Afrasian, etymology, glottochronology, lexicostatistics.

The present paper concludes a series of four previous papers (Mil. 2010, Mil. 2011, Mil. 2012, Mil. 2014) whose primary aim was to compile a 100-item wordlist for most Semitic languages, one in which the etymological background for every item, wherever possible, would be taken into consideration so as to arrive at a detailed and comprehensive genealogical tree and chronology of the historical branching of the Semitic family on a lexicostatistical basis. In turn, this would assist us in constructing a similar model for the Afrasian macrofamily as a whole (hopefully, in the near future).

This paper should be regarded as a companion piece to the four previous papers which, on the whole, contain more detailed data, a short prehistory of the research, and a comprehensive bibliography with abbreviations. Its main goal is to provide a list of corrections, additions (mostly Afrasian parallels to already discussed Semitic items), updates, and revisions of the etymological entries discussed in the four above-mentioned papers, and to present the results of final statistical calculations in the form of a proper genealogical tree for Proto-Semitic (all the absolute datings, for Proto-Semitic as well as all the intermediate nodes on the Semitic tree, were obtained with the aid of Sergei Starostin's revised glottochronological method).

Below we list the slightly modified dates, some of them averaged and hence somewhat conventional, that are ascribed to individual extinct languages: Akkadian, 1750 B.C.E.; Ugaritic, 1350 B.C.E.; Hebrew, 750 B.C.E.; Phoenician 850 B.C.E.; Biblical Aramaic, 250 B.C.E.; Palestinian Judaic, 200 C.E.; Syrian Aramaic, 200 C.E.; Mandaic, 750 C.E.; Urmian Aramaic, 1900; Qur'anic Arabic, 600 C.E.; Lebanese Arabic, 1950; Meccan Arabic, 1950; Maltese Arabic, 2000; Sabaic, 200 B.C.E.; Ge'ez, 500 C.E.; Tigrai, 1950; Tigre, 2000; Amharic, 2000; Argobba, 1950; Gafat, 1950; Soddo, 2000; Harari, 2000; Wolane, 2000; Chaha, 2000; Harsusi, 2000; Mehri, 2000; Hobyot, 2000; Jibbali, 2000; Soqotri, 2000.

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The data below are based on the following primary sources (not referred to in the text except for special cases): Akk. — CAD, AHw and CDak; Ugr. — DUL; Hbr. and Bib. — HALOT; Pho. — Tomb.; Pal. — Sok.; Syr. — Brock.; Mnd. — DM; Urm. — Tser. and Sarg.; Qur. — Pen. and BK; Leb., Mlt. — native speakers, Mec. — Sat.; Sab. — SD; Gez. — LGz; Tna. — native speakers and Kane T; Tgr. — a native speaker and LH; Amh. — native speakers, Baet. and Kane A; Arg. — LArg; Gaf. — LGaf; Sod. and Cha. — native speakers and LGur; Har. — a native speaker and LHar; Wol. — LGur; Hrs. — a native speaker and JH; Mhr. — native speakers, JM and Nak. 1986; Hob. — Nak. 2013; Jib. — native speakers, JJ and Nak. 1986; Soq. — data collected by L. Kogan in Soqotra, LS, JM, JJ and Nak. 1986.

### Abbreviations of languages, language periods and sources:

Afras. — Afrasian (Afroasiatic, Semito-Hamitic); Akk. — Akkadian; Amh. — Amharic; Arb. — Arabic; Arg. — Argobba; Arm. — Aramaic; BD — Book of the Dead; Brb. — Berber; Bib. — Biblical Aramaic; C. — Central; Chad. — Chadic; Clas. — Classical; Cush. — Cushitic; Dyn. — Dynasty; E. — East; Egyp. — Egyptian; ESA — Epigraphic Sout Arabian; Eth. — Ethiopian; Gaf. — Gafat; Gez. — Geʿez; Gur. — Gurage; Har. — Harari; HEC — Highland East Cushitic; Hbr. — Hebrew; Hob. — Hobyot; Hrs. — Harsusi; Jib. — Jibbali (= Shaḥri); Jud. — Judaic Aramaic; Leb. — Lebanese Arabic; LEC — Lowland East Cushitic; Mlt. — Maltese Arabic; Mec. — Meccan Arabic; Med. — Medical texts; Mhr. — Mehri; MK — Middle Kingdom; Mnd. — Mandaic Aramaic; Mod. — Modern; MSA — Modern South Arabian; N. — North; NK — New Kingdom; OK — Old Kingdom; Omot. — Omotic; P. — Proto; Pal. — Palestinian Aramaic; pB. — postbiblical; Pho. — Phoenician; Pyr. — Pyramid Texts; Qur. — Qur’anic Arabic; S. — South; Sab. — Sabaic; Sel. — Selti; Sem. — Semitic; Sod. — Soddo; Soq. — Soqotri; Syr. — Syrian Aramaic; Tna. — Tigriñña (= Tigray); Tgr. — Tigre; Ugr. — Ugaritic; Urm. — Urmian Neo-Aramaic; W. — West; Wol. — Wolane.

### Other abbreviations:

acc. — according (to); lw. — loanword; met. — metathesis; pl. — plural; rel. — related; syn. — synonym.

### Transcription and transliteration:

$\dot{p}$  — bilabial emphatic voiceless stop;  $b$  — bilabial emphatic voiced stop;  $\underline{b}$  — bilabial voiced fricative;  $\dot{t}$  — dental emphatic voiceless stop;  $d$  — dental emphatic voiced stop;  $\underline{t}$  — voiceless interdental fricative (in Egyp., a conventional symbol most likely conveying  $\check{c}$ );  $\underline{d}$  — voiced interdental fricative (in Egyp., a conventional symbol most likely conveying  $\check{\zeta}$ );  $c$  — alveolar voiceless affricate [ts];  $\zeta$  — alveolar voiced affricate [dz];  $\check{c}$  — palato-alveolar voiceless affricate [tʃ];  $\check{\zeta}$  — palato-alveolar voiced affricate [dʒ];  $\varsigma$  — hissing emphatic voiceless fricative;  $\zeta$  — emphatic voiceless affricate;  $\zeta$  — conventionally stands for what was likely  $\underline{d}$ , emphatic voiced interdental fricative, or  $\underline{t}$ , emphatic voiceless interdental fricative;  $\check{c}$  — palato-alveolar emphatic affricate;  $\hat{s}$  — lateral voiceless fricative (denoted by  $\hat{s}_x$  in Sem. reconstructed proto-forms);  $\hat{c}$  — lateral voiceless affricate;  $\hat{\varsigma}$  — lateral voiceless emphatic fricative;  $\hat{\zeta}$  — lateral voiceless emphatic affricate;  $\hat{\zeta}$  — lateral voiced emphatic sibilant (or perhaps affricate);  $\hat{\zeta}$  — lateral voiced sibilant;  $\bar{g}$  — voiced velar fricative (in Brb.),  $k$  or  $q$  — emphatic velar stop;  $*q$  — hypothetical velar affricate [kʰ] (only in reconstructed Afrasian proto-forms);  $\gamma$  — uvular voiced fricative (Arabic “ghain”);  $\underline{h}$  — uvular voiceless fricative;  $\underline{h}$  — presumably velar voiceless



fricative (only in Egyptian); *ħ* – pharyngeal voiceless fricative; *ʕ* – pharyngeal stop (“ayin”), *h* – laryngeal voiceless fricative; *ʔ* – glottal stop (“aleph”, “hamza”), *y* – palatal resonant; *ʕ* and *i* – conventional transcription symbols accepted in Egyptology.

### Conventions for reconstructed protoforms.

- V* renders a non-specified vowel, e.g. *\*bVr-* should be read “either *\*bar-*, or *\*bir-*, or *\*bur-*”.
- H* renders a non-specified laryngeal or pharyngeal.
- S* renders a non-specified sibilant.
- /* when separates two symbols means “or”, e.g. *\*ʔi/abar-* should be read “either *\*ʔibar-* or *\*ʔabar-*”.
- ( ) a symbol in round brackets means “with or without this symbol”, e.g. *\*ba(w)r-* should be read “*\*baʔwr-* or *\*bar-*”.
- ~ means “and” pointing to two or more co-existing proto-forms.

### 1. ALL

- (1) Akk. (OB), MB *kalû*; Ugr. *kl*; Hbr. *kōl*; Pho. *kl*; Bib. *kōl*; Pal. *kwl*, *kol*; Syr. *kul*; Mnd. *kul*; Urm. *kəl*; Qur. *kull-*; Leb. *kəll*; Mec. *kull*; Mlt. *kolla*; Sab. *kll*; Gez. *kʷəllu*; Tna. *kʷəllu*; Tgr. *kəllu*; Amh. *hullu*; Gaf. *yəlhʷä* (< *\*yalkʷ-*, met.); Sod. *kulləm*; Cha. *ənnəm*; Har. *kullu*; Wol. *hulləm*; Hrs. *kal(l)*; Mhr. *kal*; Hob. *kall*; Jib. *ka(h)l* // < Sem. *\*kʷall-u*.
- (2) Arg. *muli* // < Sem. *\*mlʔ* ‘to be full’ (v. FULL #1).
- (3) Soq. *faḥere* // < Sem. *\*pḥr* ‘to gather’, *\*paḥir-* ‘totality, gathering’ (Mil. 2010; Kog. LE 466).  
→ Proto-Semitic *\*kʷall-u* (#1) < Afras. *\*k(ʷ)al-* ‘all, each, much’ (Mil. 2010).

### 2. ASHES

- (1) Akk. (MB) *ʔdīkmēnu* ‘ashes, soot, residue’; wr. syll. *ʔi-ki-ni* CAD ʔ 110); Pal. *ḫṭm*; Syr. *ḫeṭm-*; Mnd. *giṭm-*; Urm. *ḫiṭm-* // Arb. *ḫatām-* ‘poussière’ (BK 2 675) < Sem. *\*ḫiṭām-* ~ *\*ṭiḫm-* < Afras. *\*ṭiḫm/n-*: N.Omot. *\*ḫiak/ḫn-* (< *\*ṭVyak/ḫn-*) ‘ashes’: Gimirra (Benesho, She) *ḫiakn*, Dizi (Sheko) *ḫiakin*, (Maji) *ḫeyakn* (ADB).
  - (2) Ugr. *ḫmr* // likely < *\*(tV-)ḫVmr-* (v. Mil. 2010 #1); cf. W.Chad.: S.Bauchi: Jum *mùrúṅ*, Mangas *mwürùn*, ḫúruṅ, Kir *mwürín*, Laar *ḫḫoro* ‘ashes’ (< *\*murun-*) and with met. (a variant root?): E.Cush.: Afar *rama* ‘hot ashes’, LEC: Arbore *rómm*, Elmolo *rôm* ‘ashes’, Yaaku *hroon*, pl. *hroómê* (*h-* is not < *\*ḫ*; allegedly < Masai) ‘ashes’ (ADB).
  - (3) Hbr. *ʔēpār* // < Sem. *\*ʔapar-* ‘dust, soil; ashes’ (Mil. 2010) < Afras. *\*(ʔa-)ʔar-* ‘k. of poor, unfertile soil’: Egyp. (Pyr.) *ḫ.t* (if < *\*ḫVr-t*) ‘dust (?)’; Chad. W.: Hausa *fàrà* ‘dry soil’. C.: Gaanda *fīr-tà*, Boka *fur-tà* ‘ground’, Masa *fūl-là* (*-l* can be < *\*r* – v. St. 2005 9) ‘uncultivated land’, E.: Migama *paar* ‘barren soil’, Mokilko *pùùré* ‘dust’ (*p* < *\*p/f*); E.Cush.: LEC: Dase-nech *faara* ‘clay’ (ADB).
  - (4) Pho. *ʔry* // < Sem. *\*ʔūr-* ~ *\*ʔirr-* ‘fire’, *\*ʔry* ~ *\*wry* ‘set fire to’ (v. Mil. 2010 #3) < Afras. *\*ʔu/ir-* ‘fire, to burn’: Egyp. (Gr.) *ir.t* ‘flame’; Chad. W.: Boghom *yarwi* ‘burn’, C. *\*war-* ~ *\*ʔur-* ‘burn, roast in ash, hot’, E. *\*ʔy/war-* ‘burn, warm oneself’; Cush. E.: Afar *ur-* ‘burn’ (ADB).
  - (5) Qur. *ramād-*; Leb. *rməd*; Mec. *rumād*; Mlt. *ərmit*; Hrs. *reməd*; Mhr. *rmid*; Hob. *rmiid*; Jib. *rīd*; Soq. *rimid* (less likely < Arb.: common MSA term with derived forms in all the languages) // < Arb.-MSA *\*rVmVd-*.
  - (6) Gez. *ḫamad*; Tna. *ḫamäḫʷəsti* or *ḫamäd ḫʷəsti* (on *ḫʷəsti* see Mil. 2010); Tgr. *ḫamäd*; Amh. *amäd* (syn.: *afär* – v. #3); Arg. *hamäd*; Sod. Cha. *amäd*; Har. *ḫamäd*; Wol. *amäd* // Either < Sem. *\*ḫmd* (with *ḫ-* in Gez. to be treated as a scribe’s mistake for *\*ḫ-*) or, less likely, < Sem. *\*ḫmd* ‘to be hot’ (v. discussion in Mil. 2010).
- ◇ No terms in Bib., Sab. and Gaf.

- North and West Semitic \**tikm-* ~ \**kiṭām-* (#1).  
 → (?) South and West (Arb.) Semitic \**rVmVd-* (#5; unless MSA < Arb.); with met. < Sem. \**midr-* ‘dust, dirt’ not to be ruled out (v. Mil. 2010).

### 3. BARK

- (1) Akk. (OB) *ḫuliptu*; Syr. *ḫalāpat-*; Urm. *ḫalpa*; Hrs. *ḫelfēt*; Mhr. *ḫalifūt*; Jib. *ḫiṣifōt* (syn.: *ḫaṣrot* ‘husk, peel, skin’ in JJ, but ‘bark’, acc. to my informants — v. #3); Soq. *ḫalifoḥ* // < Sem. \**ḫal(i)p-* (Mil. 2010; cf. Kog. LE 474).  
 (2) Mnd. *masik-* // < Sem. \**mališk-* ‘skin’ (v. SKIN #1).  
 (3) Leb. *ḫišri*; Mec. *gišra* // < Sem. \**ḫVšr-* (Mil. 2010).  
 (4) Gez. *lāḫṣ*; Tna. *lāḫṣi* (syn.: *ḫ<sup>w</sup>ərbāt* — v. Mil. 2010 #5 and Note, *ḫārāf* — v. #5); Tgr. *lāḫṣ* (syn.: *ḫārāf* — v. #5); Amh. *laṭ* (syn.: *ḫārfit* — v. #5); Arg. *lihinto*; Har. *inči lāḫit* (“tree bark”); Wol. *lāḫṣaḫe* // < Eth. \**lhṣ* ‘to peel, bark’, likely < Sem. \**lhṣ/hlṣ* ‘to draw off, peel’ (Mil. 2010).  
 (5) Har. *ḫārfit* // < Arb.-Eth. \**ḫVrp-* (LGz 441) < Afras. \**ḫ<sup>w</sup>arp-* (Mil. 2010 Note).  
 (6) Sod. *kana* (syn.: *ḫārfit* — v. #5), Cha. *ḫara* // only Gur. (Mil. 2010).  
 ◇ Mlt. *barka* is a lw., likely < English; no terms in Ugr., Hbr.; Pho., Bib., Pal., Qur., Sab., Gaf. and Hob.  
 → Proto-Semitic \**ḫal(i)p-* (#1) < Afras. \**ḫalp-* (Mil. 2010); add Chad. W.: Bade *kulbàk* (-*lb-* < \**-lf-*), pl. *kulbàn* ‘bark of tree’, C.: Cuvok *kàkàlâf* ‘bark’ (St. 2011 #349b \**[k]VIV[f]*- assumed to be a derived noun < \**kVl-*). Note that \**ḫal(i)p-*, \**ḫVrp-* (and \**ḫ<sup>w</sup>irb-at-*) are variant roots not at the Proto-Sem. but at the Proto-Afras. level; cf. Kog. LE 475).

### 4. BELLY

- (1) Akk. (OB) *karšu*; Syr. *kars-*; Mnd. *kars-*; Urm. *ki(r)s-*; Gez. *karṣ* (syn.: *kabd* — v. #2); Tna. *kārṣi* (and *kābdi* — v. #2); Tgr. *kārṣāt* (syn.: *kābād* — v. #2); Arg. *kārs*, *hars*; Gaf. *arsä*, Sod. *kārs*; Har. *kārṣi* // < Sem. \**kar(i)ṣ-* (SED I #151).  
 (2) Ugr. *kbd* (?); Amh. *hod* // < Sem. \**kabid(-at)-*, v. in LIVER #2 (for a possible meaning ‘belly’ in Ugr. see Kog. LE).  
 (3) Hbr. *bāṭān*; Qur. *baṭn-*; Leb. *baṭan*; Mec. *baṭin* // < Sem. \**baṭn-* (SED I #42).  
 (4) Bib. \**məḫē* (pl. suff. *məḫōhī*) // (debatable: in Gn. 3:14 translates Hbr. *gāḫōn* ‘belly (of snakes and reptiles)’ HALOT 187) < Sem. \**maḫay/w-at-* ‘intestines, entrails’ (SED I #185) < Afras. \**mVṣay-* ‘entrails, liver’: E.Chad.: Gadang *mùtyò* ‘liver’; Cush. E.: LEC: Oromo *moḷo* ‘loins, back’, Bussa *māyē* ‘liver’; N.Omot. \**maḫay-* ‘liver; heart’ (not < \**mayz-* contra Mil. 2010) ADB.  
 (5) Wol. *dāl*; Cha. *dān* // either < Sem. \**dan(V)n-* ‘viscera, inner organ, intestine’ (SED I #54) with a parallel in Brb. or < Arb.-Eth. \**dawl-* ‘stomach, interior’ (Mil. 2010).  
 (6) Hrs. *höfel* (syn.: *kērāṣ* — v. #1); Mhr. *höfel* (syn. *kīrāṣ* — v. #1); Hob. *hóofal*; Jib. *šofal* (syn.: *širṣ* — v. #1) // < Sem. \**ṣ<sub>x</sub>V(n)pVl-* (SED I 271; on *ṣ<sub>x</sub>* v. *ibid.* XLVIII–CV). Note that my continental MSA informants gave preference for the forms derived from \**šofal*; the same follows from Nak. 1986 (cf. discussion in Kog. LE 475) and is corroborated by Hob.  
 (7) Soq. *mer* (syn.: *ḫant* — v. Mil. 2010 #8 and Kog. LE 476) // either < Sem. \**mar?*- ‘fat’ (v. FAT #9) or, less likely, < \**mil(ar)Vr(-at)-* ‘gall, gall-bladder’ (SED I #188).  
 ◇ Mlt. *stonku* < Italian or English; no term in Pho., Pal., Sab.  
 → North and West Semitic (Proto-Semitic with the MSA syn.) \**kar(i)ṣ-* (#1).  
 → West Semitic \**baṭn-* (#3) < Afras. \**ba/uṭ(n)-* ‘belly’: Brb. \**buṭ-*: Ntifa *a-buḍ* ‘belly’, Audjila *a-bûṭ* ‘navel’, etc.; (?) Egypt. (Med.) *bnd* ‘difficult delivery’; Chad. W. \**buṭ-* ‘belly, stomach’, C.: Bata *butiye* ‘navel’, Hurso *búdubúdu* ‘stomach’ (ADB).

**5. BIG**

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *rabû*; Ugr. *rb*, *rabbu*; Pho. *rb*; Bib. *rab*; Pal. *rb*; Syr. *rabb-*; Mnd. *rba* // < Sem. \**rabb-* (HALOT 1170); Arm. forms are thought by some authors of being < Akk. on grounds I fail to understand.
  - (2) Hbr. *gādōl* // < Sem. \**gVdVl-* (Mil. 2010) // perhaps derived, with root extension *-l* < Afras. \**gVd-* ‘big, many’ (v. #9).
  - (3) Qur. *kabīr-*; Leb. *kbeyr*; Mec. *kabiyr*; Mlt. *kbīr* // < Sem. \**kbr* ‘be big, thick, plenty’ (v. Mil. 2010 #4) < Afras. \**kabir-* ‘big, thick’: W.Chad.: Hausa *kábrí*, *kauri* ‘thickness’, Mangas *gibàr* ‘be thick’, Boghom *kibur-de*, Tala *kibùr* ‘be heavy’; N.Omot.: Yamsa *kupira* ‘all’.
  - (4) Sab. *bht* // one attestation (Stein 721), strangely isolated (v. DRS).
  - (5) Gez. *ʕabiy*; Tna. *ʕabiy*; Tgr. *ʕabi* // < Sem. \**ʕlʕby* ‘to be big, thick’ (LGz 55; add Arb. *wʕb* ‘prendre tout, s’emparer de toute la chose; amasser, amonceler’ BK 2 1565) < Afras. \*(*w/yV-*)*ʕlʕVb-* ‘to be big, piled up’: Egypt. (OK) *yʕb* ‘vereinigen’; (?) Chad. (if *h-* may continue \**ʕ* or *ʕ*) W.: Hausa *hábi* ‘the increase in size’, C.: Mafa *hab-* ‘faire grandir (plaie)’ (ADB).
  - (6) Amh. *tə-llək*; Sod. *ma-läk* (syn.: *gəddər* — v. #9); Cha. *nək* (syn.: *əmmiyä* — v. #8) // < Sem. \**lhk* ‘to grow, be big, numerous’ (cf. LGz 309).
  - (7) Arg. *läham*, *näham* // < Sem. \**IVhVm-*; cf. a couple of Afras. parallels (Mil. 2010).
  - (8) Gaf. *əmmuna* // likely < Sem. \**ʔu/imm-* ‘mother’ (v. Mil. 2010).
  - (9) Har. *g(i)dūr*, Wol. *gädärä* // < Eth.-Arb. \**gdr* ‘to grow, grow big’, presumably, with fossilized \**-r* < Afras. \**gVd(d)-* ‘big, many’ (Mil. 2010; add Chad. \**gVd-* ‘big, strong, many’ St. 2001 #504).
  - (10) Hrs. *šoḥ* (f. *nyōb* — v. Mil. 2010 #11); Mhr. *šoḥ* (also ‘old’; f. *nōb* — v. Mil. 2010 #11); Hob. *šooh* // < Sem. \**šyh-* ‘to grow big or old’ (Mil. 2010).
  - (11) Jib. *ʔeb* (m.; f. *ʔum* — v. #8) // likely < Sem. \**ʔab-* ‘father’ (Mil. 2010) < Afras. \**ʔab-* ‘father’.
  - (12) Soq. *ʕəkar* (syn.: m. *ʔeb*, *heb* — v. #11, f. *ʔām* — v. #8) // < Arb.-MSA \**ʕkr* ‘to grow up, big’ < Afras. \**ʕVḵ<sup>w</sup>Vr-* id.: Brb. \**a-mVḵḵ<sup>w</sup>ar-an* ‘big’; Chad. \**ḵVr-* ‘to increase’ (St. 2011 #392) and W.: Tala *kwoori* ‘big’ (ADB).
- ◇ Urm. *gūr* < Kurdish *gaur*, *gūr*.
- North and West Semitic: \**rabb-* (#1) < Afras.\**rVb-*: Chad. W.: Hausa *riibà*, *rúbà* ‘multiply, exceed’, C.: Bura *rioribu* ‘many’ (St. 2005 #706); Omot.: Ongota *arba* ‘big’.

**6. BIRD**

- (1) Akk. (OB) *iššuru*, Ugr. *ʕsr* // < Akk.-Ugr. \**ʕVššūr-*.
- (2) Hbr. *šippōr*; Pho. *spr*; Bib. *šippar*; Pal. *šypr*; Syr. *šəppər-* (syn.: *ṭayr-* — v. #3, *pārah-t-* v. Mil. 2010 #4); Mnd. *šipr-*; Urm. *siṭr-* (syn.: *ṭayr-* — v. #3), Mlt. (*gh*)*asfūr* (with a common Arb. root extension *ʕ-*) // < Sem. \**šVp(p)Vr-* (Mil. 2010).
- (3) Qur. *ṭayr-*; Leb. *ṭayr*; Mec. *ṭayr* // < Sem. \**ṭayr-* (Mil. 2010) < Afras. \**ṭay/wr-* ‘bird’: E.Chad.: Tumak *dāri* ‘bird’ (likely < \**ṭVri*, not \**dVHr-*: cf. Tumak *dōr* ‘turtle-dove’); N.Omot.: Kafa *ṭōro* ‘vulture’.
- (4) Gez. *ʕof*; Tna. *ʕuf*; Tgr. *ʕuf*; Amh. *wof*; Arg. *of*, *wof*; Gaf. *yəf<sup>w</sup>ä*; Sod. *wof*, *of*; Cha. *af<sup>w</sup>*; Har. *ūf*; Wol. *ūf<sup>w</sup>* // < Sem. \**ʕawp-* ‘bird’ < Afras. \**ʕa(w)p-* ‘bird; to fly’ (Mil. 2010 #5).
- (5) Tgr. *sārerät* // acc. to LGz 514, < Sem. \**šrr* ‘to fly, jump’ (Eth.; quoted ibid. forms in other Sem. are not in the main dictionaries); likely rel. to Chad. \**sVwVr-* ‘kite’ (St. 2009 #341).
- (6) Hrs. *ʔakāb*; Mhr. *ʔakabit*; Hob. *ʔikiibit*; Jib. *ʕəšyet* // < Arb.-MSA \**ʕakVb-* ‘vulture; bird’ (Mil. 2010 #7; cf. probably with met. and an odd meaning shift, Syr. *ḵūʕb-* ‘avis cantans’ Brock. 667a); cf. isolated C.Chad.: Boka *koḥi* ‘kite’ (ADB).

(7) Soq. *noyhir* // < Sem. \**nVšr*- ‘eagle, vulture’ (SED II #166), perhaps, with fossilized *n*-, rel. to #5.

◇ No term in Sab.

→ North and West Semitic (Ugr.) \**Vššūr*- (#1), with met. < Afras. \**čirāf*- (Mil. 2010).

→ West Semitic \**šVp(p)Vr*- (#2) < Afras. \**čilapur*- (Mil. 2010).

## 7. BITE

(1) Akk. (OB) *našāku*; Ugr. *nṯk*; Hbr. *nš̄k*; Gez. *nsk*; Hrs. *netōk*; Mhr. *netk* // < Sem. \**nṯk* (LGz 420).

(2) Pal. Syr. Mnd. *nkt*; Tna. *nākāsā*; Tgr. *nākša*; Amh. Arg. Gaf. *nākkāsā*; Sod. *nākkāsām*; Cha. *nākkāsām*; Har. *nākāsā*; Wol. *nākāsā* // < Sem. \**nkt* (v. Mil. 2010).

(3) Urm. *kr̄t* // < Sem. \**k<sup>w</sup>r̄t* ‘to cut, pinch’ (Mil. 2010).

(4) Qur. Leb. Mec. *ḡd̄d* // < Sem. \**ḡḡḡ* with Afras. parallels, eventually likely < Arb.-MSA \**Vḡā/īḡ*- < Afras. \**ḡaḡ(ḡaḡ)*- ‘cheekbone, (lower)jaw’ (v. BONE #3).

(5) Mlt. *gidem* // Either < \**gdm* or < \**kdm* (Mil. 2010).

(6) Hob. *ḡāār* (syn.: *sūt*); Jib. *ḡaḡar* // for debatable Sem. parallels v. Mil. 2010; cf. Chad. verbs \**ḡVr*- ‘to rip, tear away’ (St. 2007 #357) and \**ḡVr*- ‘to split (wood)’ (ibid. #360).

(7) Soq. *ḡuḡob* (syn.: *ḡarḡeb* — v. Mil. 2010 #7) // perhaps with met. < Soq. *ḡaḡob* (not in LS) ‘wound’, Mhr. *ḡāḡāwb* ‘to be imperfectly healed (a broken bone)’, *māḡābēt* ‘cut’, Jib. *maḡḡot* id., Hrs. *ḡāḡōb* ‘to wound’ (all JM 39).

◇ No terms in Pho., Bib., or Sab.

→ Proto-Semitic \**nṯk* (#1) with probable Chad. and problematic Egypt. parallels (Mil. 2010).

→ West Semitic \**nkt* (#2) < Afras. \*(*nV*-)*kVč*- ‘tooth; biting’ (Mil. 2010). The reasons why these two roots are scored differently are given in Mil. 2010, footnote 26.

## 8. BLACK

(1) Akk. (O) *šalmu*; Sab. *ḡlm* (?); Gez. *ḡallim*; Tna. *ḡallim*; Tgr. *ḡallim*; Gaf. *ḡallāma* (syn.: *ḡaḡurā* — v.#5); Harari *ḡäy*; Wol. *ḡem* // < Sem. \**ḡlm* ‘to be black’ (Mil. 2010).

(2) Hbr. *šāḡōr* // < Sem. \**šḡr* ‘to be black’ (Mil. 2010).

(3) Pal. *ḡwkm*, *ḡkw̄m*; Syr. *ḡukkām*- (syn.: *ḡanāḡ* — v. Mil. 2010 #4) < Sem. \*(*ḡa*-)*kaḡm*- ‘black, dark’ < Afras. \**kVm*- ‘black’ (Mil. 2010).

(4) Qur. *ḡaswad*-; Leb. *ḡaswād*; Mec. *ḡaswad*; Mlt. *ḡiswet* // for possible Sem. cognates and parallels in Chad. v. Mil. 2010 #5, for Chad. v. also \**sVwVd*- ‘dark, black’ (St. 2009 #100) and \**swād*- ‘faeces’ (ibid. #99).

(5) Amh. *ḡaḡw̄ar*; Arg. Sod. Cha. *ḡaḡur* // < Eth. \**ḡkr* ‘to be black’, \**ḡaḡar* ‘soot’ (Mil. 2010 #6).

(6) Hrs. *ḡéwer*; Mhr. *ḡōw̄ar* (*ḡḡr*); Hob. *ḡóow̄ar*; Jib. *ḡḡr*; Soq. *ḡohar*, *ḡaur* // < Sem. \**ḡḡr* ‘to be black and white’ (Mil. 2010 #7); cf. C.Chad. \**waraḡ*- (with met. < \**Hḡr*?) ‘black’: Masa *wuraḡa*, Peve *oraḡ*, Musey *waraḡa*, Zime-Batna *rowa* (ADB).

◇ No terms in Ugr., Pho., or Bib.

→ North and West Semitic \**ḡlm* (#1) < Afras. \**čilam*- ‘to be dark, black’ (Mil. 2010).

## 9. BLOOD

(1) Akk. (OB) *dāmu*; Ugr. *dm*; Hbr. *dām*; Pho. *dm*; Pal. *ḡadam*, *ḡydm*; Syr. *dām*-; Urm. *dim*-; Qur. *dam*-; Leb. Mec. *damm*; Mlt. *dem*; Sab. *dm*; Gez. Tna. Tgr. Amh. Arg. Sod. Cha. Har. Wol. *dām*; Gaf. *dām<sup>wä</sup>* // < Sem. \**dam*- (SED I #50).

(2) Mnd. *zma* // < Sem. \**zam*- < Afras. \**zam*(?)- ‘blood’ (Mil. 2010).

(3) Hrs. *dōreḡ*; Mhr. *dōr-ah*; Jib. *dohr*; Soq. *dör* // < MSA \**ḡrḡ/y/w* ‘to bleed’ < Sem. \**ḡrḡ/y/w* ~ \**ḡrr* ~ \**ḡrḡr* ‘to scatter, spread (seed), disperse, winnow’ (DRS 340, 342) < Afras. \**ḡVr*- (v. SEED #2).

◇ No term in Bib.

→ North and West Semitic \**dam-* (#1) < Afras. \**dam-* ‘blood’ (Mil. 2010).

## 10. BONE

(1) Akk. (OB) *ešemtu*; Ugr. *šzm*; Hbr. *ššām*; Pho. *šsm*; Qur. *šazm-*; Leb. *šazam*; Mec. *šazum*; Mlt. (*gh*)*adma*; Gez. *šaşam*; Tna. *šaşmi*; Tgr. *šäčəm*; Amh. *šatənt*; Arg. *hašəm, ašənt*; Gaf. *ašm<sup>w</sup>ä*; Sod. Cha. Wol. *ašəm*; Har. *āt* // < Sem. \**šatm(-at)-* (SED I #25).

(2) Bib. *gəram*; Pal. *grm*; Syr. Urm. *garm-*; Mnd. *girm-* // < Sem. \**gVrm-* ‘body; bone’ (SED I #94).

(3) Hrs. *šāšayš*; Mehri *šāšayš*; Hob. *šišēšēš*; Jib. *šayčēč* // < Arb.-MSA \**ššā/īš-* (v. SED I #24) < Afras. \**šāč(šaç)-* ‘cheekbone, (lower) jaw’ (Mil. 2010).

(4) Soq. *šēhloh* // perhaps with met. < Sem. \**šVlš-* ‘loin, hip’ (Mil. 2010); otherwise, cf. Arb. *hlš* ‘to be fractured (bone)’ and *hašil-* ‘tail’.

◇ No term in Sab.

→ North and West Semitic \**šatm(-at)-* (#1).

## 11. BREAST

(1) Akk. (OAKk on) *irtu*; Ugr. *širt* (syn. *td* — v.#2) // < Sem. \**šir(r)-at-* (Mil. 2012).

(2) Hbr. *šōd* (partial syn.: *hāzā* ‘breast of a sacrificial animal’, 7 attestations, in the “Priestly” narrative only HALOT 301 — v. #3); Pal. *td*; Hrs. *tōdi*; Mhr. *tōdi*; Hob. *tōoda*; Jib. *tode?* (syn.: *gēhe?* — v.#6) // < Sem. \**tVdy-* ‘breast’ (SED I #280).

(3) Bib. *hādē*; Syr. *hady-* (syn.: *tād-* ‘pectus’ — v. #2); Mnd. *hady* // < Hbr.-Arm. \**had(V)y-* ‘breast’ (SED I #112).

(4) Qur. *šadr-*; Leb. *sidr-*; Mec. *šadr*; Mlt. *sidēr* // for debatable parallels outside Arb. v. Mil. 2010.

(5) Gez. *šab* ‘breast, teat’; syn.: *šəngəd/šā* ‘chest, breast’ — v. Mil. 2010 #5); Tna. *šub*; Tgr. *šab*; Amh. Arg. *šut*; Gaf. *šūwwä*; Sod. *šabuuyä*; Cha. *šu*; Har. *šōt*; Wol. *šub* // < Sem. \**tVb-* ‘teat’ (SED I #277).

(6) Soq. *gehe* (syn.: *todi* — v. #2) // presumably < Sem. \**gaw(w)i?*- ‘(front part of) body; chest, belly; interior’ (SED I #99) < Afras. \**g<sup>w</sup>ay-* ‘body; corpse; belly; breast’: Eyp.(Pyr.) *d.t* ‘body’ (if < \**gV-t*), *ngšyy* ‘belly’; Chad. \**gaw-* ‘corpse, carcass’ (St. 2011 #434), C.: Gidar *gu-duf-ko* ‘body’ (*def* ‘person’), E.: Tumak *gàu*, Ndam *gàwu*, Kera *gàw* ‘breast’, Sokoro *goi* ‘corpse’; N.Omot. \**gaw-* ‘belly’, Kafa *gētō* ‘breast’ (ADB).

◇ No terms in Pho. and Sab. Urm. *šadr-* < Arab.

→ North and West Semitic (Ugr.) \**šir(r)-at-* (#1) < Afras. \**šVr(a)r-* chest and belly’ (Mil. 2010).

→ South and West Semitic \**tVdy-* (#2); cf. E.Cush.: LEC: Konso *sataata* (< \**sadad-*), Arbore *sede* ‘heart’ (ADB).

## 12. BURN (tr.)

(1) Akk. (OB) *šarāpu*; Ugr. *šrp* (syn.: *hrr* — v. #8); Hbr. *šrp* // < Sem. \**šrp* (HALOT 1358).

(2) Bib. Pal. *ykd*; Syr. *ʔ-ykd*; Urm. *kwd* (with met.) // < Sem. \**y/wkd* (HALOT 430) < Afras. \**wVkd-* ~ \**kVwVd-* ‘to burn’: Brb. \**(w/yV)kd-* ‘to burn’, \**iyd* ‘ashes’ (ADB); Chad. \**kVd-* (< \**kVd-*) ‘to burn; to boil’ (St. 2011 #75).

(3) Mnd. *kla* // < Sem. \**klw* (LGz 431) < Afras. \**kVl(-Vm)-* ‘hot, burning’: Coptic: Fayumic *klōm* ‘hot’; Chad. \**kVl-*, \**kVlVm-* ~ \**kVmVl-* ‘charcoal’ (St. 2011 #205), C.: Bachama *kwalkwal* ‘hotness’; Cush. E.: LEC \**kul-* ‘warm, hot’, Dullay \**kāl-* ‘sun’, S.: Qwadza *kalem-uko* ‘charcoal’; perhaps N.Omot. \**ko/al-* ‘dry’ (ADB).

(4) Qur. *hrk* VIII; Leb. *harrā?*; Mec. *harak*; Cha. *māk’ärä* (revised from Mil. 2010 #11 where a different etymology relying on LGur 400 was accepted) // cf. variant roots with met. in Eth.:

\**krh* ‘burn, be hot’ (LGz 441) and \**khr* id. (ibid. 425), all < Afras. \**hVrVḳ-* ~ \**rVḳVh-* ~ \**karah-* ‘burning, drying’ (v. Mil. 2010; add E.Cush.: LEC: Somali *ḳorrāh* ‘sun’, *ḳarah-* ‘dry’, Boni *òráh*, Rendille *orra(h)* ‘sun’ ADB).

- (5) Mlt. *ṭabbat* // for possible parallels v. Mil. 2010.
- (6) Sab. *wft* // < Eth.-Sab.; for possible Afras. parallels v. Mil. 2010.
- (7) Gez. *ʔandada* (syn.: *ʔahrara-* v.#8, *wafaṭa* — v. Mil. 2010 #7, *ʔawṣaya* — v. Mil. 2010 #9); Tna. *ʔanāddādā* (syn.: *ḥarārä*, *ʔahrārä* — v. #8, *ʔaḳḳaṣälä* — v. #9); Sod. *änāddādä* // for possible Sem. parallels v. Mil. 2010.
- (8) Tgr. *ḥarārä* // < Sem. \**hrr* (HALOT 357, LGz 243).
- (9) Amh. *aḳattälä*; Arg. *aḳḳattäla*; Gaf. (tä)*ḳattälä* // < Mod. Eth. \**ḳsl* (Mil. 2010 #11).
- (10) Har. *māgāda*; Wol. *magāda* // only Mod. Eth. (v. Mil. 2010 #12).
- (11) Mhr. *hə-nhū*; Hob. *anhū*; Jib. *e-nhé*; Soq. *a-nhi* // likely < \**n-hw/y* (v. FIRE #4).  
 ◇ Hrs. *hrōḳ* must be < Arb.; no term in Pho.  
 → North and West Semitic: \**šrp* (#1).

### 13. CLAW (FINGERNAIL)

- (1) Akk. (OB) *šupru*; Hbr. *šippōrān*; Bib. *ṭapar*; Pal. *ṭpr*; Syr. *ṭepr-*; Mnd. *ṭupr-*; Urm. *ṭarp-* (with met.); Qur. *zufr-*; Leb. *zafir*; Mec. *zafir*; Mlt. *dufrēy*; Gez. *ṣafar*; Tna. *čafri*; Tgr. *čafar*; Amh. Sod. Cha. Wol. *ṭafar*; Arg. *čafar*; Gaf. *ṣafra*; Har. *ṭifir*; Hrs. *ḏefir* (syn.: *kef* — v. #2); Hob. *ṭiifeér*; Soq. *ṭifer* // < Sem. \**ṭip(V)r-* (SED I #285).
- (2) Mhr. *kaf* (syn.: *ḏfēr* — v. #1); Jib. *kéf* (syn.: *ḏifēr* — v. #1) // < Sem. \**kapp-* ‘palm, flat of hand or foot’ (SED I #148) < Afras. \**ka/u(n)p-* ‘claw, flat of hand or foot’: Egyp. (NE) *kp* ‘sole’; Chad. W.: Hausa *ákáifā*, *káifāfā* ‘claw, talon’, E.: Kera *kámpá* ‘leg’; E.Cush.: LEC: Arbore *kunúf* ‘claw, nail, hoof’, Dasenech *konof* ‘finger, hoof’, Elmolo *kúnuf* ‘nail’ (ADB).  
 ◇ No terms in Ugr., Pho. and Sab.  
 → Common Semitic: \**ṭip(V)r-* (#1) < Afras. \**čipar-* ~ *žafir-* ~ \**žaruf-* (part of the correspondences irregular) ‘claw, fingernail’; add (?) W.Chad. Ngamo *šaptirò* ‘fingernail’; N.Omot.: Gamo *woršofa* (with met.) ‘claw’, Kafa *yafaroo* (< \**žafar-*?) ‘finger’ (ADB).

### 14. CLOUD

- (1) Akk. (OB) *erpetu*; Ugr. *šrp-t* // < Sem. \**šVrp-* (Mil. 2010).
- (2) Hbr. *šānān* (syn.: *šāb* — v. #3); Bib. *šānān*; Pal. *šānan*; Syr. *šānān-*; Mnd. *anan-* (syn.: *ib(a)* — v. #2) // < Sem. \**γayn(an)-* (v. Mil. 2010).
- (3) Urm. *šayb-* (syn.: (š)*nān-* — v. Mil. 2010) // < Sem. \**γayb-* (HALOT 773), likely < Afras. \**γay/wb-* ‘cloud’: Egyp. (Gr.) *wšb.t* ‘sky’; Chad. W. \**H(y)ab-* ‘cloud’: Dear *ábé*, Pero *yéḥu*, E. Tumak *ūbāy* id. (ADB).
- (4) Qur. *saḥāb-*; Mec. *siḥāb*; Mlt. *shāp* // apparently < Arb. *shb* ‘traîner par terre’ (BK 1 1957, cf. *saḥāb-* ‘nuage (surtout quand poussé par le vent il est en mouvement)’ ibid.) < Sem. \**shb* ‘to drag, pull’ (LGz 492–3; HALOT 749; LS 284).
- (5) Leb. *γeym*; Sab. *γymt* (Stein; one attestation) // < Sem. \**γaym-*: Arb. *γaym-*, Syr. *šaym-* ‘nebula’ (Brock. 522).
- (6) Gez. *dammānā*; Amh. Gaf. *dämmāna*; Arg. *dammāna*, *dona* // < Eth. \**daman-* < Sem. \**dalim(-an)-* ‘cloud, fog, rain’ < Afras. \**dim(-an)-* ‘cloud, rain’ (v. Mil. 2010).
- (7) Tna. *dābāna* (syn.: *dämmāna* — v. #6); Har. *dāna*; Wol. *dābāna*; Sod. *dabāna* (syn.: *dämmāna* — v. #6); Cha. *dabāra* // < Mod. Eth. \**daban-* < Sem. \**dVb(a)b-* ‘to fall, flow drop by drop’: Hbr. *dobēb* ‘qui coule goutte à goutte’, Amh. *dubb* alā ‘couler, tomber goutte à goutte’, etc. (DRS 204) < Afras. \**dub(-an)-*: E.Chad.: Kera (of Fianga) *dubueni* ‘rain’; E.Cush.: LEC: Rendille *dubbat*, Bayso *dumbo*, Hadiya *duuba* ‘cloud’; Omot. N.: Dizi (Maji) *dieb* ‘to rain’, S.: Dime

*diibe*, Ari *doobi*, Hamar *dubi* ‘rain’ (ADB; a variant root of \**dim(-an)-* #6, perhaps contaminated with the latter: the etymological decision differs from Mil. 2010 #6).

- (8) Tgr. *gimät* // < Eth. \**gim-* with Cush. parallels (or sources of borrowing), v. Mil. 2010 #7.
- (9) Hrs. *ʔāfor*; Mhr. *ʔafur*; Jib. *ʔafor* // likely a meaning shift from ‘dust cloud’ (cf. Hrs. *ʔāfor* ‘cloud, dust wind’ JH 6) < Sem. \**ʕapar-* ‘dust, soil’, incl. Sab. *ʕpr* ‘sowing (land) before rain’ (Mil. 2010) < Afras. \**ʕapur-* ~ \**pVrʕ-* ~ \**rV(HV)p-* ‘rain-watered or irrigable land/soil; sowing or planting (in such soil)’ (ADB; one of the terms likely pointing to agriculture practiced at least by Proto-North Afrasian speakers, differs from Mil. 2010): Brb.: Ahaggar *a-fara*, pl. *i-ferw-ân* ‘lieu couvert de végétation persistante’; Egypt. (Pyr.) *p;ʕ.t* ‘irrigable land’; Chad. W.: Zul *rupi* ‘dig ground for planting’, C.: Mofu *-rəv-* ‘planter’ (St. 2005 #739), E.: Sokoro *ripe* ‘earth’ (cf. *ibid.* #744).
- (10) Soq. *ʕälhel* // < MSA \**ʕVlVl-* with debatable Arb. parallels (Mil. 2010).  
 ◇ No terms in Pho.; Hob. *kādāʔ* ‘black c.’ (preferably not to be scored; no parallels found), and *shóob* ‘white c.’ < Arab.  
 → North and West (Ugr.) Semitic \**ʕVrp-* (#1) with parallels in E.Chad. (Mil. 2010; add: cf. with met. W. Chad.: Dera *àpəre* ‘to shed, pour out’, E.: Kera *páəru* ‘Regenzeit’).

## 15. COLD

- (1) Akk. (OB) *kašû*; Mlt. *kiesah* // < Sem. \**kVšah-* (Mil. 2010); surprising as this comparison may seem, there is no other etymology for either of these two triconsonantal terms, whose phonetic structures correspond to each other regularly.
- (2) Hbr. *qar*; Pal. *qryr* (syn.: *ʕnin* — v. Mil. 2010 #3; likely rel. to E.Cush.: HEC \**ʕeen-* ‘rain’ ADB); Syr. *qarir-*; Mnd. *qarir-* (syn.: *qaruš-* — v. Mil. 2010 #4; rel. to Brb. \**kVris-* ‘frozen water, ice’ ADB); Urm. *qayr*; Gez. *qärir* (syn.: *bərud* — v. #3) // < Sem. \**kʷr(r)* ‘to be cold’ (Mil. 2010, Kog. LE 476).
- (3) Qur. *bārid-*; Leb. *berid*; Mec. *bārid*; Tna. *bārid* (syn.: *kʷərri* — v. #2, < Gez. acc. to LGz 444, and *zəhul* — v. Mil. 2010 #6); Tgr. *bərud* (syn.: *qarur* — v. #2); Sod. Wol. *bərd*; Har. *bārād* // < Sem. \**barad-* ‘hail; cold’, \**brd* ‘to be cold’ (Mil. 2010 #5, Kog. LE 476).
- (4) Sab. *ḥbr* ‘Kälte’ (Stein, one attestation; perhaps should not be scored, since it is a noun); Hrs. *ḥebūr* (syn.: *qəšm* — v. #6); Mhr. *ḥəbūr* (syn.: *qəšəm* — v. #6); Hob. *ḥəbboór*; Jib. *ḥōr* (syn.: *qəšm* — v. #6) // < Sab.-MSA \**ḥVbūr-* (for possible Arb. and Chad. parallels v. Mil. 2010 #8, Kog. LE 476–7).
- (5) Amh. *qəzqazza* (syn.: *bārid*, *bārrad* — v. #3), Arg. *qəzqazza* // v. Mil. 2010 #7.
- (6) Soq. *qəšam* (syn.: *ḥəbhor* — v. #4, *šəkaq* — v. Mil. 2010 #11) // < MSA \**qəšm-* < Afras. \**kVç-* (the Chad. examples are to be transferred here from Mil. 2010 #7).  
 ◇ No terms in Ugr., Bib., Pho. Cha. *ziza* < Omot.  
 → (?) North and West (Mlt.) Semitic \**kVšah-* (#1; if valid).  
 → West Semitic 1: \**kʷr(r)* ‘to be cold’ (#2), possibly related to Afras. \**kVr-* ‘dry’ (if the latter is associated with cold rather than heat), v. Mil. 2011 #2 and St. 2011 #275a.  
 → West Semitic 2 \**barad-* ‘hail; cold’, \**brd* ‘to be cold’, with a tenable cognate in Egypt. (NK) *brd* ‘to be stark, stiff’.

## 16. COME

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *alāku* // < Sem. \**hlk* (v. WALK #1).
- (2) Ugr. *myy*; Gez. *məʕ* (syn.: *ʔatawa* — v. #4); Tna. *məšʔe*; Tgr. *məšʔa*; Amh. Arg. *mätṭa*; Sod. *mätṭa*; Wol *mätṭä*; // < Sem. \**mṭʔ* ‘to reach, arrive’ (Mil. 2010; for reconstruction difficulties due to the variant roots v. EDE III 724–5).
- (3) Hbr. *bwʔ* // < Sem. \**bwʔ* < Afras. \**baʔ-* ‘walk, go’ (v. Mil. 2010 #4).

- (4) Pho. *ʔtʔ*; Bib. *ʔty/ʔ*; Pal. Syr. Urm. *ʔty*; Mnd. *ata*; Qur. *ʔty* (syn.: *ʒyʔ* — v. #5) // < Sem. *\*ʔty/w* (v. in LGz 46–7).
- (5) Leb. *ʔaža* (with met.); Mec. *ʒāʔ*; Mlt. *aža* (with met.) // < Sem. *\*g<sup>w</sup>Vy(?)*- ‘come, run’ < Afras. *\*g<sup>w</sup>ay-* ‘to move, run’ (v. Mil. 2010; add S.Cush.: Iraqw *gow-* ‘run away’ ADB).
- (6) Sab. *ʔys<sub>1</sub>* (Stein, 2 attestations; syn.: *ʔtw* — ibid., 1 attestation) // (no Sem. cognates found) < Afras. *\*ʔays-* ‘come, go’: Brb. *\*(H)as-* ‘come’; Egyp. (ME) *ʔs* ‘hurry, hasten’; Chad. W.: Mupun *iso*, Bokos *yēs*, Daffo-Butura *yes*, E. *\*ʔas-* ‘come’; E.Cush.: Dullay *\*ʔašš-* ‘go’ (ADB).
- (7) Gaf. *sällä* // S. Eth. only (LGur 542; hardly < Omot.) < Afras. *\*sawl-* ‘come and go, wander, walk’: Chad. *\*sVl-* ‘go out’, *\*sVwVl-* ‘wander’ (St. 2009 #221); N. Omot.: Chara *s’álm-*, Gimirra (She) *šila* ‘walk’ (ADB).
- (8) Har. *diža* // likely < Sem. *\*dydy* ‘to arrive, come, walk’ (v. HALOT 214 and DRS 223) < Afras. *\*dVy/w-* ~ *\*ʔ/wVd-* ‘come’: Brb.: Izdeg *addu*, Zenaga *š-ed*, etc.; Chad. W.: Kirfi *ndo*, Dera *do-*, etc., E.: Mokilko *ʔidó*; Omot.: Chara *wod*, Dime *aad-* (ADB).
- (9) Cha. *čänä-m* // likely < *\*tan-* (v. Mil. 2010 #8).
- (10) Hrs. *nōka*; Mhr. *nūkaʕ*; Hob. *núukəʔ*; Jib. *nikaʕ* (syn.: *zahám* — v. Mil. 2010 #10) // < Arb.-MSA *\*nkʕ* (v. Mil. 2010 #9); cf. isolated C.Chad.: Mofu *-nakwá-* ‘aller, marcher’ (ADB).
- (11) Soq. *gédah* (syn.: *nkʕ* — v. #10, *ʔérah* — v. Mil. 2010 #11) // possibly < *\*gdʕ* — cf. Arab. *ʒdʕ* ‘passer rapidement’ and C.Cush. (met.): Bilin *gaʕd* ‘move’, *giʕd*, pl. *giʕz* ‘way’, Kemant, Kailinya *gaz* ‘road’, Kunfāl *gaz-* ‘go’ (if < *\*gʕʕ*; if < *\*gʕz*, rel. to or borrowed from Eth. *\*gʕz* ‘move, change camp, emigrate’ LGz 175) ADB.
- West Semitic 1: *\*mʔ* (#2), perhaps < *\*m-ʔ* < Afras. *\*čVʔ-*, cf. Chad. *čVw-* ‘to come, arrive’: W.: Pa’a *čùwí* ‘come’, C.: Fali-Kirua *cù* ‘walk, to go’, Podoko *cawa* ‘to reach, arrive at’, Gisiga *če* ‘eintreten’, Masa *čò* ‘to arrive’ (St. 2009 #939).
- West Semitic 2 *\*ʔty/w* (#4) < Afras. *\*ʔa/it-* ‘walk, come and go’ (Mil. 2010 #3; add N. Omot. Gimirra (Benesho, She) *at-* ‘come’ ADB).

## 17. DIE

- (1) Akkadian (OAKk on) *mātu*; Ugr. Pho. *mt*; Hbr. Pal. Qur. Sab. Gez. *mwt*; Syr. Urm. *myt*; Mnd. *mit*; Leb. *mət*; Mec. *māt*; Mlt. *mīt*; Tna. *motä*; Tgr. Amh. Wol. *motä*; Arg. *moda*; Sod. *motäm*; Cha. *m<sup>w</sup>ätäm*; Har. *mōta*; Hrs. *mōt* (syn.: *γāb* < ‘faint’ — v. Mil. 2010 #3); Mhr. *mōt* (syn.: *γəzōl* < ‘to spin’ — v. Mil. 2010 #4); Hob. *móot* // < Sem. *\*mwt* (v. in LGz 375–6).
- (2) Gaf. *fättärä* // < S. Eth. with a probable Arb. parallel, perhaps < Sem. *\*p(w)t* with root extension *-r* (v. Mil. 2010 #2).
- (3) Jib. *enúsum*, *əntsím* (so acc. to my informants; syn.: *háróg* — v. Mil. 2010 #5 and Kog. LE 467) // also ‘to breathe one’s last’ < ‘to breathe’ < Sem. *\*nšm* ‘to breathe’ (SED I Verb #50), perhaps < Afras. *\*nVs-* with fossilized *-m*; cf. Chad. W., E. *\*nVVs-* ‘to breathe (heavily)’, C. *\*nVy/wVsV* ‘spirit, soul’ (St. 2005 #492).
- (4) Soq. *šame* // cognate with, rather than loan from Arb. *šmy* ‘tomber roide mort, ê. tué sur place’ (contra Mil. 2010); cf. E.Cush.: LEC: Somali *ḍim-* ‘die’ (can be < Afras. *\*cim-*).
- ◇ No term in Bib.
- Proto-Semitic *\*mwt* (#1) < Afras. *\*mawVt-* ‘die’ (Mil. 2010 #1).

## 18. DOG

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *kalbu*; Ugr. Pho. Pal. *klb*; Hbr. *käläb*; Syr. Mnd. Urm. Qur. *kalb-*; Leb. *kaləb*; Mec. *kalb*; Mlt. *kelp*; Gez. Tgr. *käləb*; Tna. *kälbi*; Mhr. *kawb* (*k. mābáyl*); Hob. *koób*; Jib. *kob* (acc. to some authors, the MSA terms are < Arb.) // < Sem. *\*kalb-* (LGz 282).
- (2) Hrs. *mābayl* (syn.: *kawb*, also ‘wolf’ — v. #1) // lit. ‘owned’ (< *kawb mābayl*) < Sem. *\*bʕl* ‘to own’, *\*baʕl-* ‘husband, master, owner’ < Afras. *\*baʕVl-* ‘elder male relative in-law, hus-



band': (?) C.Chad.: Gulfei *belewe*, Kotoko *bəlō* 'man'; Cush. E.: Saho *ballaa* 'father-in-law', LEC: Oromo *obbolaa* 'brothers and sisters; relatives', Dasenech *beel* 'husband, lover' (or < Amh. *bal* id.?), HEC: Burji *beeli* 'friend' (less likely < Amh.), S.: Qwadza *ayi-balaʔo* 'cross-cousin' (ADB).

◇ Amh. *wušša*, *wəšša*, Arg. *wəšša*, Gaf. *wəššā*, Sod. *wəssa* < HEC; Cha. Wol. *bučo*, Har. *buči* < Oromo (v. Mil. 2010), Soq. *kalb* rather < Arb. (contra Mil. 2010 #1). No terms in Bib. and Sab.

→ Proto-Semitic \**kalb-* (#1), perhaps, with suffixed \*-*b*, < Afras. \**k<sup>w</sup>Vl-* 'dog, wolf' (Mil. 2010).

## 19. DRINK

(1) Akk. (OB) *šatû*; Ugr. Hbr. Pal. Syr. Urm. *šty*; Bib. *štʔ*; Mnd. *šta*; Gez. *satya* (syn.: *š/saraba* — v. #2), Tna. *sätäyā*; Tgr. *säta*; Arg. *šäčča*; Har. *säča*; Wol. *säče* (-č- < \**t*) // < Sem. \**šty* (Mil. 2010).

(2) Qur. *šrb*; Leb. *šarab*; Mec. *širib*; Mlt. *šōrop* // < Sem. \**šrṗ* (Mil. 2010) < Afras. \**čVrVṗ-* 'to drink': Chad. \**šVrVṗ-* 'to sip': W.: Hausa *sùrḃa* 'to sip', C.: Podoko *šaraba šaraba* 'sobbing', E.: Mokilko *surḃiḃu* 'drink in little gulps' (St. 207 #263).

(3) Sod. *säččäm*; Cha. *säččäm* (-č < \**k*); Hrs. *teḃ* (caus. *heḃō*; *h-* < \**š-*); Mhr. *hutḃi* (< \**s-t-ḃy*); Jib. *šuši* // < Sem. \**šḃy* 'to drink, give to drink; to water, irrigate' (Mil. 2010).

(4) Soq. *re* // < Sem. \**rVwVy/?-* 'abundant water; watering, irrigating; to drink (one's fill)' (Mil. 2010) < Afras. \**riway/?-* ~ \**?Vraw/y-* 'abundant water; watering; rain; river; to drink': Egypt. (MK) *iwy* to water (field), pour out (liquid); Chad. \**rVw-* 'water, to wet', 'river' (St. 2005 #659, 660), E.: Mokilko *ʔáró* 'to drink'; Cush. C.: Aungi *ári*, E.: LEC: Arbore *ʔíríy*, Elmolo *iri*, Dasenech *ʔir*, Dullay \**ʔirraw-*, S.: Maʔa *mare* (likely < *ma-re*); N. Omot. \**ʔir-* 'rain' (ADB; considered by some authors a lw. in Cush. < Omot. or vice versa, but rather a common Cush.-Omot. root).

◇ Amh. *ṭätṭa* and Gaf. *ṭittä* presumably < Oromo *ḃuḃan*. No terms in Pho. and Sab.

→ North and West Semitic \**šty* (#1) with a C.Chad. parallel (Mil. 2010; add Muyang *sūt* 'to drink quickly and completely' St. 2009 #115).

→ South and West (Gur.) Semitic \**šḃy* (#3) < Afras. \**sVḃy/w-* 'to drink, give to drink': Chad. \**sVḃ-* 'swallow' (St. 2009 #209), W.: Tangale *soke* 'give water (to a child)' (ibid. #209a); C.Cush.: Khamir *süḃ* 'to drink' (Reinisch), Kemant *šəy<sup>w</sup>* 'to swallow' (CDA 131).

## 20. DRY

(1) Akk. (OB) *šābulu* (MB *ablu*) // < *abālu* 'to dry up, dry out' < Sem. \**ʔbl* 'to dry up' (Mil. 2010) < Afras. \**(ʔV)bVl-* 'dry': C.Chad.: Mofu *-ḃál-* 'secher (poisson)', Podoko *mbálala* 'to dry'; Cush. N.: Beja *bál-ama* 'dry', E.: HEC: Hadiya *billee* 'dry season of year' (ADB).

(2) Hbr. *yābēš*; Pal. *ybyš*; Syr. *yabbīš-*; Mnd. *yabuš-*; Qur. *yābis-*; Sab. *ybs<sub>1</sub>* ('dry up'); Gez. Tgr. *yəbus* // < Sem. \**yḃš* 'to be dry' (v. in LGz 626).

(3) Leb. *nešif*; Mec. *naššaf*; Mlt. *nīšef* // likely < \**na-šalif*, with a fossilized *n-* prefix < Afras. \**šip-* 'sunlight, heat': Brb. \**a-sif* (< \**-šif*) 'day'; Egypt. (Pyr.) *sšp* (likely < \**šVp*) 'to be light, shine (of the sun and moon); light' (ADB); Chad. \**zVfV* 'hot (weather)' (St. 2007 #437).

(4) Tna. *nəḃus* // < Sem. *nḃš/š* 'to dry up, wane' (v. Mil. 2010), likely, with fossilized *n-* prefix, < Afras. \**kVsw-* ~ \**saḃ<sup>w</sup>-* 'dry': Sem.: Arb. *ḃsw* 'ê. sec et durci' (BK 2 735); Chad. \**ḃVs-* 'to dry, dry season' (St. 2011 #322); C.Cush. \**s/caḃ<sup>w</sup>ən-* 'be thirsty' (cf. CDA 135); N.Omot.: Kafa *šuk*, Mocha *šūqqi-*, Bworo *šuk*, Mao (Sezo) *ḃusa-kus* 'dry' 'be dry' (ADB).

(5) Amh. Arg. Sod. Har. Wol. *däräk*; Cha. *ṭäräk* // < Mod. Eth. \**daraḃ* with a plausible Arb. parallel (Mil. 2010).

- (6) Hrs. *ḵōša*; Mhr. *ḵayšaḥ*; Hob. *ḵiūšə?*; Jib. *ḵəšaḥun*; Soq. *ḵəšaḥ* // < Arb.-MSA (since it is represented in all MSA, hardly < Arb., cf. Mil. 2010) with highly debatable Afras. parallels.  
 ◇ Urm. *bārūz-*, with no parallels outside Neo-Aramaic, is, perhaps, to be treated as a loanword. No terms in Ugr. Pho. Bib. and Gaf.  
 → West Semitic *\*ybš* (#2), perhaps < Afras. *\*bVs-* (Mil. 2010 #2).

## 21. EAR

- (1) Akk. (OB) *uznu*; Ugr. *ʔudn*; Hbr. *ʔōzän*; Pal. *ʔdn*; Syr. *ʔedn-*; Mnd. *ʔudn-*; Qur. *ʔudn-*; Leb. *ʔəḏən*; Mec. *ʔidin*; Mlt. *widna*; Sab. *ʔdn* (Stein; 2 attestations); Gez. Tgr. *ʔəzən*; Tna. *ʔəzni*; Arg. *izin*, *əzən*; Gaf. *əznä*; Sod. *ənzən*; Cha. *ənzər*; Har. *uzun*; Wol. *əzən*; Mhr. *hayḏin*; Hob. *ḥayḏēn*; Jib. *ʔidən*; Soq. *idihən* // < Sem. *\*ʔu/idn-* (SED I #4).  
 (2) Urm. *nāt-* // hardly rel. to #1, perhaps an unidentified borrowing (cf. Mil. 2011).  
 (3) Hrs. *mēšmē?* (so acc. to my informants; syn.: *ḥeyḏēn* — v. #1) // < Sem. *\*šmḥ* ‘to hear’ (v. HEAR #1).  
 ◇ Amh. *ḥoro* < Oromo *gurra* (Mil. 2010). No terms in Pho. and Bib.  
 → Proto-Semitic *\*ʔu/idn-* < Afras. *\*ʔi/uḥ-n-* ~ *ʔi/udn-* ‘ear’ (Mil. 2010; add N.Omot.: Anfillo *waaḥo*, Bworo *waaza* ‘ear’ (ADB)).

## 22. EARTH

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *eršetū*; Ugr. *ʔarḥ(u)*; Hbr. *ʔäräḥ*; Pho. *ʔrḥ*; Bib. *ʔäraḥ*; Pal. *ʔrḥ*; Syr. Urm. *ʔarḥ-*; Mnd. *arḥ-*; Qur. *ʔarḥ-*; Leb. *ʔaraḥ*; Mec. *ʔarḥ*; Mlt. *art*; Sab. *ʔrḥ*; Hob. *ärḥ*; Jib. *ʔerḥ* (syn.: *gadrēt* — v. Mil. 2010 #5) // < Sem. *\*ʔarḥ-* (v. in. DLU 51).  
 (2) Gez. *mədr* (syn.: *mareḥ*); Tna. *mədri*; Tgr. Amh. Arg. *məḏər* (in all four latter cases syn.: *märet* < Afras. — v. Mil. 2010 #3); Sod. *məḏər* // < Sem. *\*midr-* (Mil. 2010); cf. Egypt. (Med.) *mḥd* ‘ein mineralischer Stoff’ (strangely comp. in EDE III 127 with Eth.-ESA *\*mVr-t*).  
 (3) Gaf. *afärä*; Cha. Har. *afär*; Wol. *afär* (syn.: *däčče* < E.Cush. — v. Mil. 2010) // hard to say if < Sem. *\*ʔapar-* ‘dust, soil; ashes’ < Afras. (v. ASHES #3) or < Sem. *\*ʔapar-* ‘dust, soil’ (v. CLOUD #9).  
 (4) Hrs. *ḥōhi* (syn.: *kā* — v. #5); Soq. *ḥóyhi* // < Sem. *\*ḥašaw/y-* < Afras. (v. SAND #5).  
 (5) Mhr. *kā* // < Arb.-MSA *\*kāl-* (< *\*kʷəl*), perhaps rel. to Egypt. *kʕh* (v. Mil. 2010 #7) and Chad. *\*kVy-(kVy)-* ‘gravel, rough sand’, in St. 2011 #31 united with C. Chad. *\*k<sup>w</sup>V?* ‘stone, rock’.  
 → Proto-Semitic: *\*ʔarḥ-* (#1) < Afras. *\*ʔariḥ-*: Egypt. *ʔḏ* ‘watered ground’ (probably dissimilated < *\*ʔḏ* < *\*ʔVrḥ-*) and Chad. *\*(ʔV-)rVḥ-* ‘earth’ (v. Mil. 2010).

## 23. EAT

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *akālu*; Hbr. Pho. Bib. Syr. Urm. Qur. *ʔkl*; Mnd. *akal*; Leb. *ʔakal*; Mec. *ʔakal*; Mlt. *kiel*; Sab. *ʔkl* (Stein; 1 attestation) // < Sem. *\*ʔkl* (Mil. 2010).  
 (2) Ugr. *lḥm* // < Sem. *\*laḥm-* ‘food (bread or meat); to eat’ (Mil. 2010), rel. to Chad.: *\*IVVmV* ‘corn, corn meal’ (St. 2005 #277) and W.: Mburku *laamù*, Guruntum *läam* ‘meat’, E.: Bidiya *kà-lāamò* ‘meat-lover’ (ADB).  
 (3) Pal. *ʔḥm* (syn.: *ʔkl* — v. #1) // < Sem. *\*ʔḥm* ‘to taste’ (v. in LGz 583) < Afras. *\*ʔḥm* ‘to taste food or drink’: C.Chad.: Mofu *-təm-* ‘eat (smth. dry)’, Balda *tí-tímí* ‘to taste’; E.Cush.: LEC: Konso, Dirayta, Mashile *ḏam-* ‘eat’, Rendille *ḏam-*, Baiso *ḏame*, *ḏam-* ‘to drink’; N.Omot.: Kafa *ḏamo* ‘to drink’ (or < LEC?).  
 (4) Gez. *blḥ*; Tna. *bälḥe*; Tgr. *bälḥa*; Amh. *bälla*; Arg. *bälla*, *əlḥa*; Gaf. *bällä*; Sod. *bällam*; Cha. *bänam*; Har. *bälaḥa*; Wol. *bälä* // < Sem. *\*blḥ* ‘to swallow, eat’ (cf. DRS 68) < Sem. *\*balVḥ/y-* ‘uvula; gullet, gorge’ (SED I #36) < Afras. *\*balVḥ-* ‘neck, throat, gullet, uvula’: Brb.: Ghat *bēlabēlé*,

Figig *ta-bilul-t* ‘uvula’; Egyp. (Pyr.) *bʕn* (< *bʕl*, with met.) ‘neck’; Chad. W. \**bVIV?*- ~ \**bilbil-* ‘uvula, uvular, crop’, E.: Bidiya *béle* ‘throat, voice’; Cush. N.: Beja *balaʕa* ‘gullet’, E.: Afar *biliʕa* ‘necklace’; N.Omot. Koyra *balaa* ‘neck’ (ADB).

- (5) Hrs. *tewō*; Mhr. *tu*; Hob. *twú*; Jib. *te*; Soq. *té* // < Sem. \**tʔw/y* < Afras. \**tiʔw-* (Mil. 2010).  
→ North and West Semitic: \**ʔkl* (#1), cf. W.Chad.: Hausa *kālā-čī* ‘food’ (ADB).

#### 24. EGG

- (1) Akk. (OB) *pelû* // likely < Afras. \**pil(?)*- ~ \**pulpul-* ‘egg’ (Mil 2010 #1).  
(2) Hbr. *bēyṣā*; Pal. *byʕh*; Syr. *bēʕt-* (syn.: *bar-t-* — v. Mil. 2010 #3); Mnd. *bit-*; Urm. *biyy-*; Qur. *baydat-*; Leb. Mec. *bayda*; Mlt. *bayda*; Mhr. *bižayt* (syn.: *ḳáwḥal* — v. #4, *bēḏáyṭ* — v. Mil. 2010 #7) // < Sem. \**bayṣ-at-* (SED I #43).  
(3) Gez. *ʔanḳokəḥo*; Tna. *ʔanḳ<sup>w</sup>aḳ<sup>w</sup>əḥo*; Tgr. *ʔanḳokḥo*; Gaf. *anḳ<sup>w</sup>ä*; Sod. *anḳo*; Har. *aḳuḥ*; Wol. *anḳaḳot* // (contra Mil. 2010 #4 not < Sem. \**ḳ<sup>w</sup>aḳ<sup>w</sup>ay-*) < Eth. \*(*ʔan-*)*ḳ<sup>w</sup>ahḳ<sup>w</sup>ah-* ‘egg’ (likely rel. is Syr. *ḳawḳiḥ* ‘clamavit (gallina)’ Brock 656) < Afras. \*(*ʔan-*)*ḳ<sup>w</sup>a(n)ḥ-* ‘egg’ (Mil. 2010 #4; add. W.Chad. \*(*n*)*ḳwahi(n)-* ‘egg’: Hausa *ḳwái*, Gerka *nkie*, *ijkyéʔ*, Tal *hàs-khē* (‘egg-egg’), Diri *ákin* ADB).  
(4) Amh. Arg. *anḳulal*; Cha. *anḳura*; Hob. *aḳḥalwúin*; Jib. *ḳeḥzín* (syn.: *béd* — v. Mil. 2010 #7); Soq. *ḳḥolhin* // < Sem. \**ḳa(w)ḥil-* (cf. SED I #170); for possible Afras. cognates v. Mil. 2010 #5.  
(5) Hrs. *bekelēt* (syn.: *bēḏeh* — v. Mil. 2010 #7) // < Sem. \**baḳ<sup>w</sup>al-* ‘plant, vegetation’ (v. in LGz 100).  
◇ No terms in Ugr., Pho., Bib. or Sab.  
→ West and South Semitic 1 \**bayṣ-at-* (#2) < Afras. \**bayḥ-* (Mil. 2010).  
→ West (Amh., Arg.) and South Semitic 2 \**ḳa(w)ḥil-* (#4); for possible Afras. cognates v. Mil. 2010 #5.

#### 25. EYE

- (1) Akk. (O)Akk on) *īnu*; Ugr. Pho. *ʕn*; Hbr. *ʕayin*; Pal. *ʕyyn*; Syr. Urm. Qur. *ʕayn-*; Mnd. *ayn-*; Leb. Mec. *ʕayn*; Mlt. (*gh*)*ayn*; Sab. *ʕyn*; Gez. *ʕayn*; Tna. *ʕayni*; Tgr. *ʕan*; Amh. *ayn*; Arg. Cha. *en*; Gaf. *inä*; Sod. Wol. *in*; Har. *in*; Hrs. *ʔāyn*; Mhr. Hob. Soq. *ʕayn*; Jib. *ʕihn* // < Sem. \**ʕayn-* (SED I #28).  
→ Proto-Semitic \**ʕayn-* < Afras. \**ʕayVn-* (Mil. 2010).

#### 26 FAT (n.)

- (1) Akk. (OB) *lūpū* (*lipiu*, *lī/ēpu*; syn.: *šamnu* — v. #2) < Sem. \**li/apiʔ-* ‘fatty, fleshy tissue’ (cf. SED I 180) < Afras. \**la/ipʔ-* (ADB) ‘inner organ; chest and belly with interior’: Egyp. (CT) *np*; ‘guts’; Chad. \**nV-lapV* ‘spleen’ (St. 2005 #119); Cush. E.: Afar *aleefu* ‘spleen’, LEC: Oromo *lappēe* ‘heart’, S.: Dahalo *lafī* ‘lungs’; Omot. N.: Basketo *lippē* ‘belly’, S.: Ari (Uba-mer) *lip/ḥ-* ‘heart’ (otherwise < \**li/ubb-* ‘heart’).  
(2) Ugr. *šmt*, *šmn*; Pal. *šwmnʔ* (syn.: *trb* — v. #4); Syr. *šumn-* (syn.: *terb-* — v. #4); // < Sem. \**šam(-an)-* ‘fat, oil’ (v. SED I 248) < Afras. \**sim-an-* ~ \**sin-am-* ‘oil, fat, (fat) milk’ (Mil. 2010).  
(3) Hbr. *ḥēlāb*; Pho. *ḥlb* // < Sem. \**ḥilb-* ‘fatty tissue covering internal organ; caul’ (v. SED I #131) or, less likely, < \**ḥa/ilVb-* ‘milk, fat’ (cf. LGz 229); however, if the latter, plausibly rel. to Chad. W.: Hausa *lāllabā* ‘smear thick substance on any part of body’, Diri *lāḥā* ‘fat, grease’, C.: Gude *lāḥā* ‘dip out thick substance, ointment’; cf. also Chad. \**IVḥ-* (< \**HVIVb-*) ‘to smear, to smooth’ (comp. in St. 2005 #69 to Arab. *lwb* II ‘enduire d’ongulent’) < Afras. \**ḥalib-* ‘fat, ointment, milk’, perhaps < \**ḥa-lib-*, with \**ḥa-* prefixed (on this hypothetical “class marker” v. Tak. 1997) < Afras. \**la/lib-* ‘(fat) milk’: Sem. \**laban-* (< \**lab-an-*) ‘milk; Cush. C.: Kemant *lab-əγ<sup>w</sup>* ‘to milk’, S.: Iraqoid \**ʔilib-* (< \**ʔV-lib-*) ‘milk’ (all ADB).

- (4) Mnd. *tirb-* (syn.: *šamina, šumna* — v. #2); Urm. *tarb-* (syn.: *šahr-* — v. Mil. 2010 #5) // < Sem. \**tarb-* (SED I #283).
- (5) Qur. *šahm-*; Mec. *šaḥam*; Mlt. *šahām* // < Sem. \**šahm-* (SED I #263), matching E.Cush. (Mil. 2010 #6).
- (6) Leb. *dihn* // < Sem. \**duhn-* (v. in SED I #48) < Afras. \**duhan-* ‘fat’: Brb. \**duHan-* ‘fat’; W.Chad \**diHVn-*: Sura *dóḡ* ‘fat’, Polchi *ḍiin* ‘oil’ (ADB).
- (7) Gez. *šabḥ*; Tna. *sabḥi*; Tgr. *šabeh*; Amh. *sab* (syn.: *mora* ‘animal fat, suet’ — v. #8); Cha. *sawä*; Har. *sābah*; Hrs. *šabḥ*; Mhr. *šabaḥ* (in both syn.: *šayleḥ* — v. Mil. 2010 #11); Hob. *šabḥ*; Jib. *šabḥ* (syn.: *ḡaḥ* — v. Mil. 2010 #12); Soq. *šabḥ* (syn.: *ḡimat* — v. Mil. 2010 #13) // < Sem. \**šabḥ-* (SED I #261).
- (8) Sod. *mora*; Wol. *morä* // either < Oromo (in this case, not to be scored) or < Sem. \**mr?* ‘to fatten’, \**mari?* ‘fat’ < Afras. \**marVḷ/y-* ‘fat, oil’ (Mil. 2010 #9).
- (9) Gaf. *buššara* // if met. < \**tarb-* (v. #4), to score with #4; for other suggestions v. Mil. 2010 #10.  
 ◇ Arg. *čoma* < Cush. (v. Mil. 2010). No terms in Bib. or Sab.  
 → South and West (Eth.) Semitic \**šabḥ-* (#8) < Afras. \**čabḥ-* ‘fat’ (Mil. 2010 #8; add Chad. \**šVḷV* ‘meat (on bone)’ (St. 2007 #63).

## 27. FEATHER

- (1) Akk. (SB) *nāšu*; Hbr. *nōšā* (syn.: *ḡābrā, ḡēbār* ‘pinion’, v. #2) // < Sem. \**nāš(y)-* (SED I #202).
- (2) Syr. *ḡebr-* (syn.: *merṭ-* — v. Mil. 2010 #2) // < Sem. \**ḡa/ibr-* ‘pinion, wing’ (SED I #1); together with N.Cush.: Beja *ḡan/mbur* ‘wing’ < Afras. \**bi/ar-* ‘to fly, jump’: Sem.: pB Hbr. *ḡābar* ‘to soar, to take wing’, Amh. *bārrārā*, Har. *bārārā* ‘to fly’ (unless < Cush.), Jib. *ebré* ‘jump high’; Chad. W.: Hausa *bur-burniya* ‘leaping’, C. \*(*m*)*balir-*, E. \**bVr-* ‘to fly, jump, hop’; Cush. N.: Beja *bir* ‘jump’, C.: Khamir *bir-* ‘jump’, Aungi *berer-an*, E.: LEC: Oromo *barara*, HEC: Hadiya *barar* ‘to fly’, Burji *burr* ‘to fly, jump’; N.Omot.: Male *baran* ‘to fly’ (ADB).
- (3) Mnd. *guspart-*; Urm. *par-*; Hrs. *ferfayr* // < Sem. \**par-* (on the reasons for uniting these terms v. Mil. 2010 #4); v. direct cognates in Brb. (ibid.), very likely < Afras. \**pVr-* ‘to fly’ (v. FLY #9).
- (4) Leb. *rīši*; Mec. *riyša*; Mlt. *rīš* // no cognates found.
- (5) Tna. *kāntit*; Har. *kāt* // v. Mil. 2010 #6.
- (6) Cha. *zoyä* // the only likely etymology is < Sem. \*(*ḡa/iw(a)z-* ~ \**waz(z)-* ‘goose’ (SED II #22) < Afras. \*(*ḡa-*)*wa33-* ~ \*(*ḡa-*)*zaw-* ‘k. of (large) bird’: Brb.: Ghadames *awəz(z)*, pl. *wəzz-ān* ‘autruche’, Igerwan *wawužž*, Izayan *wawiž*, etc. ‘perdrix’; Egypt. (Pyr.) *z.t* ‘Ente, Ganz’, *k*; *zw.t* ‘Erpel’ (i.e. ‘male of a duck; cf. *k*; ‘bull’ written with the phallos determinative); E.Chad.: Mokilko *ḡūzú* ‘chick, cock’ (ADB).
- (7) Mhr. *šif(f)* (syn.: *ḡaṭṭif* — v. Mil. 2010 #9); Jib. *šəf d-ḡešfōr* (lit. ‘hair of bird’; syn.: *ḡaṭaf* — v. Mil. 2010 #9) // v. HAIR #5.
- (8) Soq. *milyaṭ* (syn.: *šéf(f)* — v. #7) // likely rel. to Arb. *malīṭ-* (v. Mil. 2010 #10) and further to Arb. *līṭ-* ‘peau’ with possible Afras. parallels: Egypt. (Med.) *ntnt* ‘skin’ (if < \**IVṭIVṭ*); Chad. \**IVt/d-* ‘to skin’ (St. 2005 #138), \**IVVtV* ‘skin, loin cloth leather’ (ibid. #138a.).  
 ◇ Tgr. *čəgär* < C. or E. Cush. (v. in Mil. 2010); Amh. *laba, läboba*, Arg. *laba* < Oromo *laboba* (ibid.); Sod. *balle* < E. Cush. (ibid.); Wol. *zorro* < HEC (ibid.). No terms in Ugr., Pho., Bib., Pal., Qur., Sab., Gez., Gaf. or Hob.  
 → North and West Semitic: \**nāš(y)-* (#1); likely rel. to N.Omot. \**nāč-* ‘tail’: Dorze *nasé*, Koyra, Ganjule, Gidicho, Kachama *naačə, naace* (ADB).

## 28. FIRE

- (1) Akk. (OB) *išātu*; Ugr. *ḡiš-t*; Hbr. *ḡēš*; Pho. *ḡš*; Gez. *ḡəsāt* (syn.: *ḡaw, haw* — v. #3); Tgr. *ḡəsāt*; Amh. Arg. Cha. *əsāt*; Gaf. *əsātä*; Sod. *äsāt*; Har. *isāt* // < Sem. \**ḡiš-āt-* (v. in LGz 44).

- (2) Pal. *nūr* (syn.: *ʔyšh*, *ʔāššā* — v. #1); Syr. Mnd. Urm. *nūr*-; Qur. *nār*-; Leb. Mec. Mlt. *nār*- // < Sem. \**nū/ār*- (Mil. 2010).
- (3) Sab. *šl-t* (Stein, two attestations; *š=s<sub>2</sub>*) // Arab. *šl* ‘allumer (le feu)’, *šālat*- ‘flamme, torch’ (Mhr. *šāl*, Jib. *šāāl* ‘to spark’ are likely Arabisms), rel. to Chad. \**šVl*- ~ \**ʔVšVl*- ‘to burn’ (St. 2007 #202) < Afras. \**čVʔVl*- ‘to burn, spark fire’ (ADB).
- (4) Tna. *hawwi* // < Eth., likely rel. to MSA \**nhy/w* ‘to burn’ (v. BURN #11) < Afras. \**hV(w)ʔ*- ‘fire; smoke; burn’ — v. Mil. 2010, add: Brb. \**a-ḥuH*- (likely < \**H<sup>w</sup>Vʔ*-) ‘smoke’ and S.Cush.: Bu-runge *eḥa* ‘smoke’ (ADB).
- (5) Hrs. *šewēt* (syn. *zawt* — v. Mil. 2010 #4); Mhr. *šiwōt*; Hob. *šiwóot*; Jib. *šoṭ*; Soq. *šiat* (*šeyót*) // < Sem. \**šiw/yāt*- ‘fire’ (v. Mil. 2010 #5).
- ◇ Wol. *žirä* < E. Cush. (Mil. 2010).
- North and West Semitic \**ʔiš-āt*- (#1) < Afras. \**ʔis*- ‘fire’ (Mil. 2010).
- West Semitic: \**nū/ār*- < Afras. \**nur*- ‘fire; coal, ashes’ (Mil. 2010).

## 29. FISH

- (1) Akk. (OB) *nūnu*; Pal. *nūn*; Syr. Mnd. Urm. *nun*-; Leb. *nun* // either < Sem. \**nūn*- or a chain of borrowings from an unknown source > Akk. > Arm./Hbr. > Arb. (a common opinion, optional until the source of this presumed borrowing is discovered; note, perhaps, Uralic \**ńowna* ‘salmon?’).
- (2) Ugr. *dg*; Hbr. *dāg* // v. possible Sem. parallels in Mil. 2010; cf. Chad. C.: Zime (Daria) *dūgūwā* ‘clarias lazera’ (catfish). Note Indo-European \**dhg’hū*- ‘fish’.
- (3) Qur. *ḥūt*-; Mlt. *ḥūta* // only Arb. If < \**ḥaw-t*- with a fossilized suffix *-t*, v. possible Afras. parallels in Mil. 2010.
- (4) Mec. *samak* // only Arb. (v. Mil. 2010).
- (5) Har. *tulām* // no parallels; if < \**tu-lam*, note Egyp. (OK) *rm* (< \**lVm*-?).
- (6) Hrs. *šayd*; Mhr. *čayd*; Hob. *šáyid*; Jib. *čod*; Soq. *šode* // < Sem. \**šyd* ‘to hunt, fish’ (v. Mil. 2010); note Chad. C.: Gude *caḏa* ‘lie in wait for pray’, E.: Somrai *čwádá* ‘poursuivre’ (St. 2009 #681: \**čV(wV)d*- ‘to hunt’).
- ◇ Gez. *šāšā*, Tna. Tgr. *šasa*; Amh. Arg. Sod. Cha. *asa*; Gaf. Wol. *asä* < Cush. or Omot. (Mil. 2010). No term in Sab.
- (?) North and West Semitic \**nūn*- (#1), if not borrowed.

## 30. FLY (v.)

- (1) Akk. *naprušu* (OB) // < Sem. \**prš* ‘to spread out’ (Mil. 2010).
- (2) Ugr. *ʃp*; Hbr. *ʃwp* // < Sem. \**ʃwp* ‘to fly’ (v. Mil. 2010 BIRD #4).
- (3) Pal. *prḥ* (syn.: *ṭws* — v. #4); Syr. Urm. *prḥ* // < Sem. \**prḥ* ‘to fly’ (v. Mil. 2010), likely rel. to \**parḥ*- ‘chick, brood’ (SED II #179).
- (4) Mnd. *ṭus* (syn.: *phr* — v. #2) // < Sem. \**ṭwš* ‘to fly, flutter, jump’ (Mil. 2010) < Afras. \**ṭVč*- ‘fly, go away’: (?) Egyp. (MK) *tšy* ‘move away’ (*t* sometimes continues \**ṭ*); W.Chad. \**tVš*-: Hausa *tāši* ‘rise, get up’, Geji *túšya* ‘to fly’ (ADB).
- (5) Qur. *ṭyr*; Leb. Mec. *ṭār*; Mlt. *tār* // < Sem. \**ṭayr*- ‘bird; divination from birds, augury’ (cf. SED II #235) < Afras. (v. BIRD #3).
- (6) Gez. *s/šarara* (syn.: *barra* — v. #8) // < Eth. with possible Sem. parallels (Mil. 2010), likely rel. to C.Chad.: Mofu *šára* ‘plume, élytre’, Gisiga *šara* ‘feather’ (St. 2007 #603).
- (7) Tna. *nāfārä*; Tgr. *nāfra* (syn.: *bārra* — v. #8) // < \**n-pr*, with a fossilized prefix *n*- (Mil. 2010 #8).
- (8) Amh. Sod. *bārrärä*; Arg. *bārrära*; Cha. *bānärä*; Harari *bārära*; Wol. *bārärä* // v. Mil. 2010 #7 and FEATHER #3.

- (9) Hrs. *fer*; Mhr. *farr*, Hob. *fúr*; Jib. *ferr*; Soq. *fer* // < Afras. \**pi/ar-* ‘to fly’ (Mil. 2010 #9; add Brb. \**Hafir-* ~ \**fVrfVr-* ‘to fly’ ADB).  
 ◇ No terms in Pho., Bib., Sab. or Gaf.  
 → No Common Semitic.

### 31. FOOT

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *šēpu*; Soq. *šab* (syn.: *sukał* — v. Mil. 2010 #11) // < Sem. \**šayp-* ‘foot, sole of foot; shoe’ (SED I #269).  
 (2) Ugr. *pfn*; Pho. *pfm*; Mhr. *fēm* (syn.: *gēdel* — v. #9); Hob. *fáʔm* (syn.: *žēedel* — v. #9; both also ‘leg’); Jib. *faʔm* (syn.: *gēdal* — v. #9) // < Sem. \**paʔm/n-* (SED I #207).  
 (3) Hbr. *rägäl*; Bib. *rägäl*; Plm. *rgl*; Syr. *regl-*; Mnd. *ligr-* (with met.; syn.: *kraia* — v. Mil. 2010 #4); Qur. *riʒl-*; Sab. *rgl* // < Sem. \**rigl-* (SED I #228).  
 (4) Urm. *ʔaql-* // v. Mil. 2010 #5.  
 (5) Leb. *ʔəʒar*; Gez. *ʔəgər*; Tna. *ʔəgri*; Amh. *əgər*; Arg. *ingir*, *ägər*; Gaf. *əg<sup>w</sup>rä*; Sod. Cha. *ägər*; Har. *ingir*; Wol. *əngər* // < Arb.-Eth. \**ʔi(n)gi/ur-* (SED I #7).  
 (6) Mec. *gadam* // < Sem. \**kadam-* or \**gad-am-* (v. Mil. 2010 #7), in the latter case < \**gVd-* with the fossilized suffix *-m* (v. #9).  
 (7) Mlt. *siʔ* // < \**siḳ* < Sem. \**šāk-* ‘thigh, leg’ (SED I #241) < Afras. \**sVḳ-* ‘thighbone, leg, claw’: Chad. \**sVḳ-* (possibly < \**sVḳ-*) ‘upper leg, bone’ (St. 2009 #190); Omot. \**šukum-* ~ \**sonḳ-claw*: Ganza *sinsḳom*, Ubamer *šuk(u)ma*, Ari *ʔuqšmi*, Hamer *šoḳma*, Ongota *sonḳe*, *sonḳitte* (ADB).  
 (8) Tgr. *ʔəḳəb* (syn.: *ʔəgər* — v. #5) // < Sem. \**ʔaḳib-*, \**ʔiḳb-* ‘heel’ (SED I #14) < Afras. \**ʔaḳ(V)b-* ~ \**ka(ʕa)b-* ‘hoof, heel, finger, claw’: Chad. W. \**ku/imb-* ~ \*(*m*)*by/wak-* ‘nail, claw’ (Hausa *ḳùmbaa* ‘finger-nail’, Fyer *ḳwákàat* ‘claw’, etc.), C.: Logone *kábē* ‘hoof’; E.Cush.: LEC: Oromo *ḳup-aya* ‘claw’, *ḳuba*, Konso *ḳup-itta* ‘finger’, HEC: Sidamo *ḳubbe*, Burji *ḳuḳee*, etc. id., Dullay: Tsamay *ḳoba-kko* ‘finger’, *ḳobu-ko* ‘claw’, etc. (ADB).  
 (9) Hrs. *gedel* // < Sem. \**gVd(V)l-* ‘limb’ (SED I #73), likely < \**gVd-* ‘foot, leg’ with root extension *-l*: Chad. C.: Gude *gede-hán*, Nzangi *géd-ātyi* (second elements are not clear) ‘leg’, E.: Somrai *gəd-* ‘foot’; N.Omot. \**gid-* ‘foot, knee’ (ADB).  
 → Proto-Semitic \**šayp-* (#1) < Afras. \**čayp-* ‘foot, sole of foot; shoe’ (Mil. 2010; add N.Omot.: Kafa *čubo* ‘thigh’, Mocha *čupḳo* (č by assimilation to p) ‘calf of leg’ ADB).  
 → South and West Semitic \**paʔm/n-* (#2) < Afras. \**paʔun/m-* ‘leg, thigh, foot’ (Mil. 2010).  
 → West Semitic 1 \**rigl-* (#3) < Afras. \**rigal/ul-* ‘limb, leg’ — v. Mil. 2010; add: Chad. W.: Angas *tú-rgül* ‘ankle, ankle bone’, E. \**dV-rgVl-*: Mawa *dərgəl* ‘genou’, Sokoro *dergel*, *durkál* ‘knee’ (ADB; referring to St. 2005 #233 in Mil. 2010 is a misprint; contra Mil. 2010 v. Egypt. (Pyr.) *ʔg.t* in West Semitic 2: \**ʔi(n)gi/ur-*).  
 → West Semitic 2 \**ʔi(n)gi/ur-* (#5) < Afras. \*(*ʔi-n*)*gur-* ‘leg, knee’ — v. Mil. 2010; add: Egypt. (Pyr.) *ʔg.t* ‘hoof (of cow and ass)’, (NK) *ʔg<sup>ʔ</sup>.t* ‘claw (of lion and bird)’ likely < \**ʔg<sup>ʔ</sup>* (< \**ʔrg*, with met. < \**ʔgr*) with dissimilation of ʕ and ʔ; Chad. \**gVr-* ‘knee; lower leg’ (St. 2011 #690, 690c.).

### 32. FULL

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *malû*; Ugr. *mlʔ*; Hbr. *maləʔ*; Pal. *mly*; Syr. *mālē*; Mnd. Urm. *mily-*; Qur. *malʔān-*; Leb. *mālīn*; Mec. *malʔān*; Mlt. *memli*; Sab. *mlʔ* (Stein: ‘voll, ganz’, two attestations); Gez. *məluʔ*; Tna. *muluʔ*; Tgr. *maluʔ*; Amh. *məlu*; Arg. *muli*; Sod. *mulä*; Cha. *mura*; Har. *mulluʔ*; Wol. *mulli*; Mhr. *mīlaʔ*; Hob. *məlyuún*; Jib. *miʔiʔ*; Soq. *mili* // < Sem. \**mlʔ* ‘to fill, be full’ (v. in LGz 342).  
 ◇ No terms in Pho., Bib., Gaf. or Hrs.  
 → Proto-Semitic \**mlʔ* < Afras. \**mlʔ* ‘be full, filled’ (v. Mil. 2010).

**33. GIVE**

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *nadānu* (*tadānu*, *idinu*) // < Sem. \**dyn* with plausible Afras. parallels (v. Mil. 2010 #1).
  - (2) Ugr. *ytn*; Hbr. Bib. Pal. *ntn*; Pho. *ytn* (*n-tn*) // < Sem. \**ytn* ~ \**ntn* (v. in HALOT 733).
  - (3) Bib. Pal. *yhb* (syn. in both: *ntn* — v. #2); Syr. *y(h)b*; Mnd. *ahb* (syn.: *ntn* — v. #2); Urm. *yhb*; Sab. Gez. *whb*; Tna. *habä*; Tgr. *haba*; Arg. *hawä*; Gaf. *wabä*; Sod. *abä*; Wol. *wabä* // < Sem. \**whb* (LGz 609).
  - (4) Qur. *ʔty* IV; Leb. *ʔaʔta*; Mec. *ʔaʔtā*; Mlt. *ta* // only Arb.
  - (5) Amh. *säʔtā*; Har. *sāʔa* // < Sem. \*(y/w)ʔtw ‘to hold out, give/take’ (v. in LGz 520).
  - (6) Hrs. *wezōm*; Mhr. *wazōm*; Hob. *wzōom*; Jib. *əzōm* // also ‘to lend’; rel. to Arb. *wzm* ‘payer, acquitter (la dette)’, *wazima* ‘éprouver quelques pertes dans son avoir’ (BK 2 1529), *zām* ‘quart (de toute chose)’ (ibid. 1 1029), Akk. *zummû* ‘lack, miss, be deprived of’ (CAD z 156) < Sem. \**wzm* ~ \**zmw* ‘(have to) give, be deprived of’ < Afras. *ʔVm-* ‘to give, lend, be deprived of; acquire, deprive of, defraud’: Chad. \**zVm-* ‘to rob, cheat a person’ (St. 2009 #476), cf. also \**zVm-* ‘to inherit, earn, possess’ (ibid. #477), W.: Mupun *zuum*, Angas *zum* ‘gift’ (otherwise < Arb.; ADB).
  - (7) Soq. *ʔef* (syn.: *ʔendek*) // cf. *ʔayif* ‘toucher’ (DRS 1074); both likely rel. to Arb. *ʔhf* ‘donner à quelq’un une partie, une portion de biens’ (BK 2 115) and *ʔff* ‘étendre, déployer les ailes (se dit d’un oiseau); soulever quelque chose avec le pied ou avec la main’ (ibid. 87), all < Afras. \**ʔVp-* ‘to hold, stretch, reach out (one’s hand) to grasp or give’: Brb. \**ʔVf-* ‘grasp, seize’; W.Chad.: Mupun *típ* ‘hold smth’, Kirfi *twaf-* ‘catch’; E.Cush.: HEC: Sidamo *ʔeep* ‘stretch (hands)’ (ADB).
- West Semitic \**whb* (#3) < Afras. \**wahab-* ~ \**hVwab-* ‘to bring, give, take’ (v. Mil. 2010).

**34. GOOD**

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *ʔābu* (syn.: *damḵ-* v. Mil. 2010 #2); Hbr. *ʔōb*; Bib. *ʔāb*; Pal. *ʔb*; Syr. *ʔāb-* (syn.: *šappīr-* — v. #3); Mnd. *ʔāb-*; Qur. *ʔayyib-* (syn.: *ḥasan-* v. Mil. 2010 #5); Mec. *ʔayyib*; Mlt. *ʔayyip* // < Sem. \**ʔayVb-* (v. in HALOT 370).
- (2) Ugr. Pho. *nʔm* // < Sem. \**nʔm* ‘to be pleasant’ (v. in HALOT 705) < Afras. \**naʔ(a)m-* ‘honey, sweet’ (Mil. 2010 #3; add Chad. \**nVm-* ‘sweet(ness); honey’ St. 2005 #549 and comment to S.Cush.: Maʔa *naʔá* ‘honey’: *-m* in word-final position may be dropped — v. Tak. 2011: 116).
- (3) Urm. *šapīr-* // < Sem. \**špr* ‘to be beautiful, clean; to shine’ (v. in HALOT 1635), obviously related (triconsonantal roots!) to isolated E.Chad.: Migama *sùpìrò* ‘blanchir’, Dangla *sopire* ‘devenir blanc’.
- (4) Leb. *mləḥ* (*mnəḥ*) // on various possible etymologies v. Mil. 2010 #6.
- (5) Sab. *ʔdk* // (the meaning ‘good’ is debatable) < Sem. *ʔdk* ‘to be just, true’ (v. in HALOT 1003; LGz 548).
- (6) Gez. *šannāy*; Tgr. *sānni* // only Eth.; v. also Mil. 2010 #8.
- (7) Tna. *šəbbuḵ* (syn.: *sānnay*, rare) // for a debatable parallel in Arb. v. Mil. 2010 #9).
- (8) Amh. *ʔəru* // for several etymological hypotheses v. 2010 #10.
- (9) Arg. *damma* // for two etymological possibilities v. Mil. 2010 #11; if < Sem. \**ʔadam-* ~ \**dVʔVm-* ‘red’, v. Afras. in RED #2.
- (10) Gaf. *gunnä* // likely < Eth.-Arb. \**gmn* (v. Mil. 2010 #12).
- (11) Cha. *wāke* // for possible Sem. and Afras. parallels v. Mil. 2010 #13.
- (12) Har. *ʔoññam* // eventually < Sem. \**ʔnʔ* ‘to make, act skillfully’ (Mil. 2010 #15).
- (13) Wol. *bēzzä* // unless < E.Cush. (Kambatta *bizza*), < Sem. \**bzḥ* ‘to abound, be abundant, become more’, etc. (Mil. 2010 #15).

- (14) Jib. *fəḳš-ún* // for a possible etymology v. Mil. 2010 #16.
- (15) Soq. *díye* (syn.: *dí-šker* < Arb. *šukr*- ‘thankfulness, thanks; praise, adulation’ < Sem. \**šVkVr*- ‘to reward, be generous’ HALOT 1330: if genuine, the Soq. term have been in *š-* vs. Arb. *š* vs. Hbr. *š*) // rel. to Hbr. \**day* ‘sufficiency’ etc.; for several tenable parallels in Afras. v. Mil. 2010 #17.
- ◇ Sod. *fäyya* < E. Cush. (Mil. 2010); Hrs. *ged*, Mhr. *gīd*, Hob. *žiid* are likely (but not certain) < Arb. *žayyid*- (Mil. 2010).
- North and West Semitic \**ṭayVb*- (#1).

### 35. GREEN

- (1) Akk. (OB) (*w*)*arḳu*; Ugr. *yrḳ* ‘greenish-yellow (of metal)’ (rather not to score); Hbr. *yārōḳ*, *yəraḳraḳ*; Pal. *yrḳ*; Syr. *yūrāḳ-*; Mnd. *yuraḳ-*; Har. *wariḳ* // < Sem. \**warḳ-* ‘yellow, green’ (Mil. 2011).
- (2) Qur. *ṯahḍar-*; Leb. Mec. *ṯahḍar*; Mlt. *aḥḍār* // < \**ḥṣr* (for broader and debatable connections in Sem. and Afras. v. Mil. 2011).
- (3) Gez. *h/hamalmil*; Tna. *hamālmil* (syn.: *kaṭälyä* — v. Mil. 2011 #5; acc. to Bulakh quoted in Kog. LE 478, < Amh.); Wol. *ṯaməl dänä* // < Eth. \**ḥaml* ‘vegetation, herbs; cabbage’ rel. to Arb. *ḥamilat*- ‘terrain couvert de végétation, etc.’ (and hence not borrowed from but into Cush.; v. Mil. 2011 contra Bulakh quoted in Kog. LE 478).
- (4) Tgr. *saḥarsaḥaro* (syn.: *lämläm* — v. #6); Cha. *särimäsər* // < Eth.-Arb. \**šaḥar*- ‘grass, vegetation’ < Afras. \**caḥar*- ‘green, vegetation’: Chad. \**šVrV* ‘green’ (St. 2007 #270), rel., in its turn, with Afras. \**carVy*- ‘barley, cultured cereals’ (v. in Mil. 2011; add Chad. W.: Pa’a *šàrdóya*, pl. *šàráa-ni*) ‘cassava’, (?) C.: Mofu *šawara* ‘*Eragrostis diplachnoides*’).
- (5) Amh. *ärang<sup>w</sup>ade* (syn.: *kaṭälamma*, *kaṭälayya*, *kaṭälṯal* — v. Mil. 2011 #5) // v. debatable Afras. comparanda in Mil. 2011 #6.
- (6) Sod. *lämläm* (syn.: *aräng<sup>w</sup>ade* — v. #5) // < Eth. \**lm̩m* ‘be verdant, bud’ LGz 315, and *ləmuḥ* < Arb.-Eth. \**lm̩* ‘shine, blossom, be tender’ — v. ibid. < Afras.: Chad. \**IVVm-* ‘soft, tender’ (St. 2005 #266); C.Cush.: \**lim-* ‘be tender’ (ADB).
- (7) Hrs. *hežōr*; Mhr. *hežōr*; Hob. *hašoór*; Jib. *šəḥrōr*; Soq. *šežhor* // < MSA \**šešōr-* with no direct cognates and the combination *š-ḥ* unusual for Sem. (and \**š-ḥ*, for Afras. in general); on a hypothetical connection with Arb. \**ḥṣr* v. Mil. 2011.
- ◇ Urm. *mīl* < Iranian. No terms in Ugr., Pho., Bib., Sab. and Gaf.
- North and West Semitic \**warḳ-* (# 1) < Afras. \**wVraḳ-* ‘green, yellow’ (Mil. 2011).

### 36. HAIR

- (1) Akk. (OB) *šartu*; Ugr. *šr*; Hbr. *šeṯār*; Bib. *šaḥar*; Pal. *šr*, *sṯr*; Syr. *səḥart-*; Qur. *šaḥr-*; Leb. Mec. *šaḥar*; Mlt. *šā(gh)ir*; Gez. *šaḥar-t* // < Sem. \**šaḥr(-at)-* (SED I #260).
- (2) Mnd. *manzy-*; Urm. *mizt-* // < Arm. \**miṣanz-ay-* ‘hair’; for likely further Sem. and Afras. connections v. Mil. 2011.
- (3) Sod. *gunnän*; Cha. *gunär* // also ‘head’, likely < Sem. \**gul/in-* ~ \**?/wVgn-* ‘cheek-bone’ (SED I #84) < Afras. \**gi/un(Vn)-* ‘cheek; jaw; face; head’ (Mil. 2011).
- (4) Wol. *dumi* // < Eth. \**dVmāh/h*, with likely Arb. parallels and variant roots (v. Mil. 2011).
- (5) Hrs. *šāfēt*; Mhr. *šēfī-t*; Hob. *šféet*; Jib. *šfe-t*; Soq. *šef* // < Sem. \**šV(ṯ)p(-at)-* ‘(tuft of) hair’ (SED I #259) < Afras. \**caḥVp-* ‘tuft of hair’ (Mil. 2011).
- ◇ Tna. *čäg<sup>w</sup>ər*, *šäg<sup>w</sup>ər*; Tgr. *čägär*; Amh. *ṯägur*; Arg. *čägär*; Gaf. *šägärä*; Har. *čigär*, all < Cush. (Mil. 2011). No term in Pho. or Sab.
- North and West Semitic \**šaḥr(-at)-* (# 1) < Afras. \**caḥVr-* (v. Mil. 2011; perhaps to add Chad. \**čVr-* ‘to comb’ St. 2007 #259a).



**37. HAND**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *kātu* (pl. *ḳātātu*) // if *-t* is a fossilized suffix, perhaps rel. to Afras. *\*ḳawiḫ-* ‘claw, fingernail, hand’ (Mil. 2011); another (if somewhat bizarre) comparison may be with Arb. *ḳaṭaḫ-* ‘moignon d’une main amputée’ (BK 1 770), *ḳṭḫ* ‘couper la main, faire subir au voleur l’amputation de la main’ (ibid. 767–8), which may be merely a meaning derived from *ḳṭḫ* ‘couper’ (ibid. 767) with Sem. cognates, but may be not (why specifically ‘hand?’); in this case Akk. *t* would be < *\*ṭ* by a well-known rule of incompatibility of two emphatics in Akk.
- (2) Ugr. *yd*; Hbr. *yād*; Pho *yd*; Bib. *yad*; Pal. *yad*, *ṯīd*; Syr. *ṯid-*; Mnd. *ṯ(i)d-*; Urm. *ṯayd-*; Qur. *yad-*; Leb. *ṯād-*; Mec. *yad*; Mlt. *idey*; Sab. *yd*; Gez. *ṯād*; Tna. *ṯid*; Tgr. *ṯade*; Amh. *ṯāṣ*; Arg. *anṣ*; Sod. *āṣ*; Har. *iṣi*; Wol. *anṣ*; Cha. *āṣ*; Hrs. *ḥayd*; Mhr. *ḥayd* (‘hand incl. arm’; syn.: *kaf* ‘palm of the hand, paw, claw’ — v. #4); Jib. *ed*; Soq. *eṯed* // < Sem. *\*yad-* ~ *\*ṯid-* (SED I #291).
- (3) Gaf. *ṣatä* // < Sem. *\*ṣVbṯ(-at)-* ‘finger’ < Afras. *\*ṣibVṯ-* ‘finger’ (Mil. 2011); cf. also Chad. C. *\*ṣVḃV* ~ W. *\*bVḂV* ‘five’ and C. *\*ṣVḃV* ‘left and right (direction)’ (cf. St. 2007 #432), perhaps implying the notions of five fingers and pointing with a finger.
- (4) Hob. *káf* ‘hand from wrist to finger-tip’ (i.e. exactly ‘hand’, while *ḥiíd* is ‘hand incl. arm’ — v. #2) // Mhr. *kaf*, Jib. *kef* ‘palm of the hand, paw, claw’ < Sem. *\*kapp-* ‘palm, flat of hand or foot; paw; claw’ (v. SED I #148) < Afras. *\*ka/u(n)p-* ‘claw, flat of hand or foot’: Egyp. (NE) *kp* ‘sole’ (unless a Semitism); Chad. W.: Hausa *ákáifā* and *káifafá* ‘claw, talon’, E.: Kera *kámpá* ‘leg’; E.Cush.: LEC: Arbore *kunúf* ‘claw, nail, hoof’, Dasenech *konof* ‘finger, hoof’, Elmolo *kúnuf* ‘nail’ (ADB).
- South and West Semitic *\*yad-* ~ *\*ṯid-* (#2) with scarce Afras. parallels (Mil. 2011); cf. also S.Omot. (if. < *\*du-t-*): Ari *duti*, Dime *dothu* ‘foot’ (ADB).

**38. HEAD**

- (1) Akk. (OB) *ḳaḳḳadu* // < Sem. *\*ḳal/udḳa/ud-* ‘skull, head’ (SED I #159); perhaps < Afras. *\*ḳ<sup>w</sup>ad-* ‘calabash, vessel’ (Mil. 2011).
- (2) Ugr. *riš*; Hbr. *rō(?)š*; Pho. *rīš*; Bib. *rēṯš*; Pal. *rē(?)š*, *ryš*; Syr. *rēš-*; Mnd. *riš-*; Urm. *rīš-*; Qur. *raṯs-*; Leb. *rās*; Mec. *rās*; Mlt. *rās*; Sab. *rṯs<sub>1</sub>*; Gez. *rəṯas*; Tna. *rəṯas-i*; Tgr. *rūṯas*; Amh. *ras*; Har. *urūs*; Hrs. *ḥerih*; Mhr. *ḥəröh*; Hob. *ḥaareéh*; Jib. *reš*; Soq. *rey* // < Sem. *\*raṯ(i)š-* (SED I #225).
- (3) Arg. *dəmah*; Gaf. *də<sup>w</sup>ä*; Wol. *dumi* // v. **HAIR** #4.
- (4) Sod. *gunnän*; Cha. *gunär* // v. **HAIR** #3.
- South and West Semitic *\*raṯ(i)š-* (#2) < Afras. *\*raṯis-* ‘brains, head’ (Mil. 2011).

**39. HEAR**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *šemû*; Ugr. *šmḫ*; Hbr. *šmḫ*; Pho. *šmḫ*; Bib. *šmḫ*; Pal. *šmḫ*; Syr. *šmḫ*; Mnd. *šma*; Urm. *šmḫ*; Qur. *šmḫ*; Leb. *səməḥa*; Mec. *simiḫ*; Mlt. *sēma(gh)*; Sab. *simḫ*; Gez. *smḫ*; Tna. *sāmḫe*; Tgr. *sāmḫa*; Amh. *sām<sup>m</sup>ma*; Arg. *sām<sup>m</sup>ma*; Gaf. *sāmmä*; Sod. *sāmmam*; Har. *sāmaḥa*; Wol. *sāmā*; Cha. *sāmam*; Hrs. *hōma*; Mhr. *hēma*; Hob. *húimə?*; Jib. *šīḫ*; Soq. *hemaḫ* // < Sem. *\*šimḫ-*.
- Proto-Semitic *\*šimḫ-* < Afras. *\*sim(ḫ)-* ‘hear’ (Mil. 2011).

**40. HEART**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *libbu*; Ugr. *lb*; Hbr. *lēb*; Pho. *lb*; Bib. *lēb*; Pal. *lb*; Syr. *lebb-*; Mnd. *lib*; Urm. *lib-*; Sab. *lbb*; Gez. *labb*; Tna. *labb<sub>i</sub>*; Tgr. *lab*; Amh. *labb*; Arg. *labb*; Sod. *labb*; Hrs. *ḥelbēb*; Mhr. *ḥalbīb*; Hob. *elbiib*; Jib. *ub*; Soq. *ilbib* // < Sem. *\*libb-* (SED I #174).
- (2) Qur. *ḳalb-*; Leb. *ṯaləb*; Mec. *ḳalb*; Mlt. *alp* // v. Sem. and Afras. parallels in Mil. 2011.
- ◊ Har. *ḳälbi*, likely an Arabism; Wol. *wäzän* < HEC; Cha. *ḳ’an* < Oromo *onnē* ‘heart?’ (v. Mil. 2011). No term in Gaf.
- Proto-Semitic *\*libb-* (#1) < Afras. *\*li/ub(b)-* ‘inner organ, heart’ (ADB; Mil. 2011).

**41. HORN**

- (1) Akk. (OB) *ḫarnu*; Ugr. *ḫrn*; Hbr. *ḫārān*; Pho. *ḫrn*; Pal. *ḫrn*; Syr. *ḫarn-*; Mnd. *ḫarn*; Urm. *ḫa(r)n-*; Qur. *ḫarn-*; Leb. *ḫaran*; Mec. *ḫarn*; Mlt. *rūn*; Gez. *ḫārn*; Tna. *ḫārn-i*; Tgr. *ḫār*; Amh. *ḫānd*; Arg. *ḫārara*, *ḫānd*; Gaf. *ḫāndā*; Sod. *ḫār*; Har. *ḫār*; Wol. *ḫār*; Cha. *ḫān*; Hrs. *ḫōn*; Mhr. *ḫōn*; Hob. *ḫuún*; Jib. *ḫuhn*; Soq. *ḫan* // < Sem. *\*ḫarn-* (SED I #168).

◇ No term in Bib. or Sab.

→ Proto-Semitic *\*ḫarn-* < Afras. *\*ḫar(-n)-*: Omot. *\*ḫar-* ‘horn’ (Mil. 2011), perhaps also, with different, but plausible meaning shifts: Brb.: Qabylian *a-qarru* ‘head’; Chad. *\*ḫ<sup>w</sup>Vr-* ‘tortoise shell’ (St. 2011 #407); E.Cush.: LEC: Konso *ḫaarta*, Dirayta *ḫara*, HEC: Hadiya *ḫaara* ‘sharp(ness)’ (ADB).

**42. I**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *anāku*; Ugr. *ʔan*, *ʔank*; Hbr. *ʔānī*, *ʔānōkī*; Pho. *ʔnk*; Bib. *ʔānā*; Pal. *ʔānā*; Syr. *ʔenā*; Mnd. *ana*; Urm. *ʔānā*; Qur. *ʔanā*; Leb. *ʔani*; Mec. *ʔana*; Mlt. *yīn*; Sab. *ʔn*; Gez. *ʔanā*; Tna. *ʔane*; Tgr. *ʔāna*; Amh. *əne*; Arg. *an*, *āy*; Gaf. *anät*; Har. *ān*; (?) Cha. *əya* // < Sem. *\*ʔan(-akV)*.

- (2) Sod. *ādi* // no Sem. parallels; cf. C.Chad. in Mil. 2011.

- (3) Wol. *ihe* // likely < *\*ʔik-*, rel. to the *\*-k-* pronominal element in Sem. and other Afras. (Mil. 2011).

- (4) Hrs. *hoh*; Mhr. *hoh*; Hob. *hoó*; Jib. *he*, *he?*; Soq. *hoh(on)* // hardly a distorted form of *\*ʔan-* (#1) — v. Mil. 2011.

→ North and West Semitic *\*ʔan(-akV)* (#1) < Afras. *\*ʔa-na(-k/tV)* ‘T’ (Mil. 2011).

**43. KILL**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *nēru* (syn.: *dāku* — v. Sem. cognates and Chad. parallels in Mil. 2011 #1).

- (2) Ugr. *mḫṣ* // < Sem. *\*mḫṣ* ‘hit’ (Mil. 2011 #3).

- (3) Hbr. *hrg* // < Sem. *\*hrg* ‘to slaughter’ (Mil. 2011 #4).

- (4) Bib. Pal. Syr. *ḫtl*; Mnd. *gṭl*; Urm. Qur. *ḫtl*; Leb. *ʔətəl*; Mec. *ḫatal*; Mlt. *ātel*; Sab. *ḫtl* (syn.: *hrg* — v. #3); Gez. *ḫtl*; Tna. *ḫätälä*; Tgr. *ḫätla*; Wol. *ḫätälä*; Cha. *ḫätäräm* // < Sem. *\*ḫtl* ‘to kill, slaughter’.

- (5) Amh. *gäddälä*; Arg. *gäddäla*; Sod. *gäddäläm*; Har. *gädälä* // < Arb.-Eth. *\*gdl* (Mil. 2011); comparable with a triconsonantal root with met. in E.Cush.: LEC: Jidda *legdi*, Bayso *lagad-* ‘kill’ (ADB).

- (6) Hrs. *letōy*; Mhr. *lutōy*, Hob. *lóotay*; Soq. *ḫataḫ* // < Arb.-MSA (Mil. 2011 #7).

- (7) Jib. *enúsum* (syn.: *letay* — v. #6) // < Sem. *\*nšm* ‘to breathe’ (v. DIE #3).

◇ No term in Pho. or Gaf.

→ West Semitic *ḫtl* (#4), perhaps, derived with fossilized *-l* < Afras. *\*ḫVṭ/t-* ‘strike, kill’ (Mil. 2011 #5; ADB).

**44. KNEE**

- (1) Akk. (OB) *birku*; Ugr. *brk*, *birku*; Hbr. *bārāk*; Bib. *\*barak*; Pal. *brk*; Syr. *burk-*; Mnd. *burk-*; Urm. *birk-*; Gez. *bārk*; Tna. *bārki*; Tgr. *bārāk*; Wol. *bārk*; Hrs. *bark*; Mhr. *barak*; Hob. *bārk*; Jib. *berk*; Soq. *bark* // < Sem. *\*bi/ark-* (SED I #39).

- (2) Bib. *\*ʔarkubbā*; Qur. *rukbat-*; Leb. *rikbi*; Mec. *rukba*; Mlt. *arkoppa* // < Sem. *\*rVk(u)b(-at)-* ‘knee’ (SED I #232); a metathetic variant of *\*bi/ark-* (on reasons for scoring differently from #1 v. Mil. 2011).

◇ Amh. *gulbät*; Arg. *gulbät*, *gulot*; Gaf. *gulbät*; Sod. *gulbät*; Har. *gəlib*; Cha. *g<sup>w</sup>ərbät* < Cush. (v. Mil. 2011). No term in Pho. or Sab.

→ Proto-Semitic *\*bi/ark-* (#1), perhaps derived, with a hypothetical root extension *-k*, < Afras. *\*bar(bar)-* ‘knee; (bone of) leg, arm’: Sem. *\*ʔi-bar-at-* ~ *\*bar(bar)-* ‘bone(s) of a fore-leg/forearm; radius’ (v. SED I #3); Chad. W.: Ngamo *buru*, Maha *burum*, Galambu *bubur*, Paʔa *burmí*, Guruntum *varan*, etc. ‘knee’, C.: Bachama *mbwàrà* ‘leg’, Gude *burà* ‘elbow’, Garwa *baare* ‘shin’, Podoko *bár-na* ‘knee’, Zime-Bata *hurú* ‘to kneel, to crawl’, E.: Mokilko *ʔobbírà* ‘to kneel on river shore to drink’; E.Cush.: LEC: Rendille *bárbar* ‘shoulder’; Omot.: Kafa *borboroo*, Ubamer *barr*, Jinka *bar* ‘thigh’ (ADB, Mil. 2011).

#### 45. KNOW

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *idû*; Ugr. *ydʕ*; Hbr. *ydʕ*; Pho. *ydʕ*; Bib. *ydʕ*; Pal. *ydʕ* (syn.: *ḥkm* — v. Mil. 2011 #2); Syr. *ydʕ*; Mnd. *yda*; Urm. *dʕy* (met.) // < Sem. *\*ydʕ*.
- (2) Qur. *ʕalima*; Sab. *ʕlm* (also ‘make acknowledgement; sign, mark’ SD 15; syn.: *dʕ*, apparently less attested — v. #1) // < Sem. *\*ʕlm*, presumably ‘to hide, conceal; find, discern smth. hidden’ (cf. Mil. 2011 #3).
- (3) Leb. *ʕarəf*; Mec. *ʕirif* // < Arb. *ʕrf*; no parallels (Mil. 2011 #4).
- (4) Mlt. *kin yaf* // < Arb. *ḳwf*; no parallels (Mil. 2011 #5).
- (5) Gez. *ʔaʔmara*; Tgr. *ʔammärä* // < Eth. *\*ʔmr* ‘to show, indicate’ < Sem. *\*ʔmr* ‘to see, show, indicate, know’ (v. SEE #1).
- (6) Tna. *fäläʔä* // < Eth.-ESA *\*flʔ* ‘to split, separate’, perhaps rel. to Sem. *\*plʔ* ‘to save’ (Mil. 2011 #7).
- (7) Gaf. *šalä*; Sod. *šalä*; Wol. *čalä*; Cha. *karäm* // < Sem. *\*khl* ‘to be able’ (LGz 277), rel to Chad. *\*kVl-* ‘to win, overtake; be able, strong’: W.: Karekare *kùlò* ‘casting lots or flipping a coin to determine a winner’, C.: Bura *kili* ‘overtake’, Buwal *kʷula* ‘be able to’, Makeri *kla* ‘victory’, E.: Dormo *kilma* ‘chief’, etc. (St. 2011 #188, 188a) < Afras. *\*khl* ‘be able, overtake, win’.
- (8) Hrs. *yerōb*; Mhr. *yerōb*; Hob. *yarōob*; Jib. *yarob*; Soq. *ʕarub* (in all MSA syn. are: Hrs. *yōda*, Mhr. *wēda*, Hob. *wiidəʔ*, Jib. *édaʕ*, Soq. *ʔédaḥ* — v. #1) // hypothetically from Sem. *\*yarb-* ‘sunset, west’ > ‘to go west’ > ‘to go to an unknown place’ > ‘to come to know/ learn’ (v. in Mil. 2011 #9; cf. Kog. LE 478).  
 ◇ Amh. *awwākä*; Arg. *wōnka*, *ōnka*; Har. *āka* < C. Cush. (Mil. 2011).  
 → North and West Semitic *\*ydʕ* (#1) < Afras. *\*(y)daʕ-* ‘know’ (Mil. 2011; ADB).

#### 46. LEAF

- (1) Akk. (OB) *aru*, *eru*, *ḥaru* ‘frond, leaf of the date palm’, (NB, SB) *artu* ‘foliage’, presumably < Sem. *\*yar-* (Mil. 2011).
- (2) Hbr. *ʕālā* // (no reliable cognates in Sem.) < Afras. *\*ʕal-* ‘leaf’ (Mil. 2011 #3).
- (3) Pal. *ʔrp*, *ʔrb*; Syr. *ʔarp-*; Mnd. *a-ʔirp-*; Urm. *ʔarp-* // < Sem. *\*ʔarp-* ‘tamarisk’ (Mil. 2011 #4).
- (4) Qur. *waraḳ-at-*; Leb. *waraʔa*; Mec. *waraḡa*; Mlt. *werʔa* // < Sem. *\*waraḳ-* ‘green, yellow’ (v. GREEN #1).
- (5) Gez. *ḳʷäṣal*; Tna. *ḳʷäṣl-i*; Amh. *ḳəṭäl*; Arg. *ḳəṭäl*, *hätal*; Gaf. *ḳəṭälä*; Sod. *ḳəṭäl*; Har. *ḳuṭṭi*; Wol. *ḳuṭäl*; Cha. *ḳəṭär* (syn.: *ənzər* — v. EAR #1) // v. GREEN in Mil. 2011 #5.
- (6) Tgr. *ḳäʔfät* // < Sem. *\*ḳṭp* ‘to pluck (leaves, fruit)’ (Mil. 2011 #7).
- (7) Mhr. *çyā(l)fōt*; Hob. *şyalfōot*; Jib. *çyiżfot*; Soq. *şəʕlifoh* (syn.: *ḥeş* < Sem. *\*ḥVç-* ‘palm leaf’, v. LS 168; < Afras. *\*ḥVç-* ‘leaf’: C. Cush.: Khamir *ḥāşa*, *ḥāča*, Khamta *ḥāca*, Aungi *ḥāci*; Omot. N.: Kachama *yēčē*, Chara *yēča*, Mao (Diddesa) *yaç-*, S.: Hamar *ača*, Galila *hača* id. — ADB) // no reliable cognates (v. Mil. 2011 #9).  
 ◇ No term in Ugr., Pho., Bib., Sab. or Hrs.  
 → No Common Semitic.

## 47. LIE

- (1) Akk. (OB) *itūl-* < \*nyl : *nālu, niālu, i/utūlu* ‘to lie (down)’ (syn.: *ṣalālu* — v. Mil. 2014 #1) // likely with met. < Sem. \*lyn ‘to sleep, spend the night’ (Mil. 2014 SLEEP #2).
  - (2) Ugr. *škb*; Hbr. *škb*; Pho. *škb*; Syr. *škb* (syn.: *gny* — Mil. 2011 #6); Mnd. *škb* (syn.: *gna* — Mil. 2011 #6, *rba* — ibid. #5, and *zga* — v. #8); Gez. *sakaba* // < Sem. \*škb // Mil. 2011 #3.
  - (3) Pal. *dmk* (syn.: *rbʕ* — v. Mil. 2011 #5); Urm. *dmk* // Arm. only (v. Mil. 2011 #4).
  - (4) Leb. *lʔh* // < \*lqh (Mil. 2011 #7).
  - (5) Mec. *tamaddad*; Mlt. *kin mindud* (syn.: *imtēt* — v. Mil. 2011 #9); Hob. *mútted/yaṃaddúud* (less likely < Arb.) // < Sem. \*mdd ‘to stretch, spread’ (Mil. 2011 #8).
  - (6) Tna. *tä-gadämä*; Amh. *tä-gaddämä* (syn.: *zäg alä* — v. #8) // Mod. Eth. only; for Afras. connections v. Mil. 2011 #10 and/or Chad. \*n-gVd- ‘lazy’ (St. 2011 #505).
  - (7) Tgr. *ʔəkrur həlla* // < Sem. \*krr ‘to put, throw, fall, lie’ (v. Mil. 2011 #11), rel. to Chad. \*kVr- ‘to throw, fall down’ (St. 2011 #256), perhaps also \*kVr- ‘down, buttock’ (ibid. #276).
  - (8) Har. *zäg bāya* (syn.: *ñēʔa* — v. #9) // < Sem. \*zVg- ‘to lie down, stretch out’ (v. DRS 682), rel. to Chad. \*zVg- ‘to put, place; to descend; to last, wait’ (St. 2009 #43).
  - (9) Arg. (*b*)*angerru t-eñña*; Sod. *aññäm*; Wol. *aññe* (syn.: *rebätä* — v. Mil. 2011 #5) // < Sem. \*nhy (v. SLEEP #8); for Afras. connections v. Mil. 2011 #13).
  - (10) Gaf. (*tä*)*gäddälä*; Cha. (*tä*)*gätäräm* // < Eth.-Arb. with possible Cush. connections (Mil. 2011 #14).
  - (11) Hrs. *enbelṭáh* (syn.: *engerdōš* — v. Mil. 2011 #16); Mhr. *ənbalṭəh* (syn.: *šə-wkūf* — v. Mil. 2011 #17); Jib. *bóṭṭah, ənbalṭáh* (syn.: *ʔtəkél* — v. Mil. 2011 #18) // < Sem. \*b(l)ṭh (Mil. 2011 #15).
  - (12) Soq. *šēʔef* (syn.: *bṭh, blṭh* — v. #11, and *dyaḥ, šédah*, likely < Sem. \*dhy ‘to push down, spread’: Hbr. *dhy* ‘to push down’ HALOT 218, Arb. *dḥw/y* ‘étendre comme un tapis; pousser violemment; jeter, lancer’ BK 1 676) // v. discussion in Mil.2011 #19.
- ◇ No term in Bib., Qur. or Sab.
- West and South (Hob., unless < Arb.) Semitic \*mdd (#5); cf. W.Chad. \*muḏ- (< \*muHd-?) ‘lie down’ (ADB).
- West Semitic: \*škb (#2).

## 48. LIVER

- (1) Akk. (OB) *amūtu* // v. SED I #185 and BELLY #4.
  - (2) Ugr. *kbd*; Hbr. *kābēd*; Pal. *kbd*; Syr. Mnd. Urm. *kabd-*; Qur. *kabid-*; Leb. *kābdi*; Mec. *kabed*; Gez. *kābəd*; Tna. *kābdi*; Tgr. *kābdät*; Har. *kūd*; Wol. *häbd*; Cha. *kāpt*; Hrs. *šəbdēt*; Mhr. *šəbdīt*; Hob. *šəbdīit*; Jib. *šubdet*; Soq. *šibde* // Mil. 2011 #2.
  - (3) Amh. *gubbät*; Sod. *gəbbot* // not of the same root as #2 — v. Mil. 2011 #3.
  - (4) Arg. *amfəha* // Mil. 2011 #4.
- ◇ Mlt. *fuiet* is borrowed from a Romance language. No term in Pho., Bib., Sab. or Gaf.
- West and South Semitic \*kab(i)d- (#2).

## 49. LONG

- (1) Akk. (OB) *arku*; Ugr. *ʔrk* (verb); Hbr. *ʔārök*; Pho. *ʔrk*; Pal. *ʔryk*; Syr. *ʔarrīk-*; Mnd. *aruk-*; Urm. *yarīk-*; Sab. *ʔrk* (verb) // < Sem. \*ʔarVk- (Mil. 2011).
- (2) Qur. *ṭawīl-*; Leb. *ṭawīl*; Mec. *ṭawīyl*; Mlt. *twīl* // < Sem. \*ṭwl with possible Afras. parallels (Mil. 2011).
- (3) Gez. *nāwīḥ*; Tna. *nāwīḥ* // < Sem. \*nwh ‘be extended, stretched out, repose’; for possible Afras. connections v. Mil. 2011.
- (4) Tgr. *räyim*; Jib. *rihm*; Soq. *riyyom* // < Sem. \*rym ‘to be high, long’ (Mil. 2011).

- (5) Amh. *räžim*; Arg. *räžžim* (syn.: *gudor* — v. #6) // < Eth.-Arb. \**rz*m (Mil. 2011).
- (6) Gaf. *gaddärmä*; Har. *gudör*; Wol. *gudär* // < Eth.-Arb. \**gdr*; for possible further Sem. and Afras. connections v. BIG #9.
- (7) Sod. *gällaf*; Cha. *gef* // < Eth.-Arb. \**galif*- ‘long’ (Mil. 2011).  
 ◇ Hrs. *ṭewīl*, Mhr. *ṭəwīl* and Hob. *ṭwīl* are, rather than not, < Arb. No term in Bib.  
 → North and West Semitic \**ʔarV*k- (#1).  
 → West (Tgr.) and South Semitic \**ry*m (#4) < Afras. \**rVy/wVm*- ‘be raised, high, long’ (Mil. 2011; add Chad. \**rVm*- ‘to rise, jump’ St. 2005 #902).

## 50. LOUSE

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *kalmatu* (syn.: OB *uplu* — < Sem. \**pVl*(y)- < Afras. \*(*ʔV*-)*pil*- Mil. 2011 #1); Pal. *klmh* // < Sem. \**kalm*- (cf. SED II #130; v. discussion *ibid.*).
- (2) Syr. *ḳalmət*-; Urm. *ḳalm*-; Qur. *ḳummal*-; Leb. *ḳamal*; Mec. *gamīl*; Mlt. *āmel*; Gez. *ḳ<sup>w</sup>əmal* (syn.: *ḳ<sup>w</sup>əṭni* < Sem. \**ḳ<sup>w</sup>VṭVn*- < Afras. — v. Mil. 2011 #4); Tna. *ḳ<sup>w</sup>əmal*; Tgr. *ḳəmal*; Amh. *ḳəmal*; Arg. *ḳəmal*; Sod. *ḳəmal*; Har. *ḳumāy*; Wol. *ḳumal*; Cha. *ḳəmar* // < Sem. \**ḳ<sup>(w)</sup>aml*- ~ \**ḳalm*- (SED II #130).
- (3) Hrs. *kenemōt*; Mhr. *kenmūt*; Hob. *kinmūt*; Jib. *šinit*; Soq. *konum* // < Sem. \**ki/ann*(-*Vm*)- ‘a harmful insect’ (SED II #116).  
 ◇ No term in Ugr., Hbr., Pho. Bib., Mnd., Sab. or Gaf.  
 → North and West Semitic \**kalm*- (#1) < Afras. \**k<sup>(w)</sup>a/il*(-*m*)- ‘a biting insect’ (Mil. 2011).  
 → West Semitic \**ḳ<sup>(w)</sup>aml*- ~ \**ḳalm*- (#2), possibly rel., with fossilized *-l*, to Chad. \**ḳVm*- ‘louse’ (St. 2011 #377), comp. (*ibid.*) with E.: Mokilko *kímàalà* ‘caterpillar’.

## 51. MAN

- (1) Akk. (OB) *zikaru* // < Sem. \**dakar*-: ‘man, male’ (HALOT 270, DUL 269).
- (2) Ugr. *mt* // meaning debatable, probably ‘husband’ (v. Kog. Ug.) < Sem. \**mVt* < Afras. \**mVt*- ‘man, husband’ (Mil. 2001).
- (3) Pho. *ʔš* (syn.: *gbr*); Hbr. *ʔš* ‘man’; Sab. *ʔys<sub>1</sub>* (syn.: *ʔns<sub>1</sub>* — v. #5) // < Sem. \**ʔiš*- ‘man’ < Afras. \**ʔaw/ys*- ‘human being, man’ (Mil. 2011).
- (4) Bib. *gəbar*; Pal. *gəbar*; Syr. *gabr*-; Mnd. *gabr*- // < Sem. \**gabr*- ~ \**gabbār*- < Afras. \**gabar*- ‘man’ (Mil. 2011); add W.Chad.: Hausa *gwábró* (and *gwáuró*) ‘a man who no longer has a wife’ < Chad. \**gVbVr*- ‘man’ (St. 2011 #464; the E.Cush. forms quoted *ibid.* are < Amh.).
- (5) Urm. *ʔānāš*-; Tgr. *ʔənas* // < Sem. \*(*ʔi*-)*naš*- ‘man’ < Afras. \*(*ʔi*-)*nus*- ‘human being, man, male in-law, son’ (Mil. 2011).
- (6) Qur. *raʕul*-; Leb. *ražžēl*; Mec. *rižžāl*; Mlt. *rāžal* // with a semantic shift ‘foot’ > ‘pedestrian, foot-soldier’ (Mil. 2011) < Sem. \**rigl*- ‘foot’ < Afras. \**rigal/ul*- ‘limb, leg’ — v. FOOT #3.
- (7) Gez. *bəʔəs-i* (syn.: *ʔəd* < Sem. \**ʔi/add*- ‘assembly, gathering of people, community’ < Afras. \**ʔV(n)d*-, v. Mil. 2011 #8) // N.Eth. only; rel., perhaps, to Arb. *bʔs* ‘ê. brave, courageux, audacieux; ê. fort et violent’ (BK 1 79); likely < Afras. \**bVʔVs*- ‘son, boy, coeval’ (Mil. 2014 #6).
- (8) Tna. *səbʔay*; Arg. *su*, *səwy*; Gaf. *səwä*; Har. *usuʔ* (< \**subʔ*?); Wol. *səb*; Cha. *səb* // < Eth. \**sabʔ*-; for plausible Sem. parallels v. Mil. 2011.
- (9) Amh. *wänd* (syn.: *səb*, *səwu* — v. #8) // < Sem. \**wald*- ‘child’ < Afras. \**walad*- ~ \**wadal*- ~ \**dawal*- ‘child; young’ (Mil. 2011).
- (10) Sod. *mäss* // < S.Eth. (Mil. 2011), either < \**miš*(š) or < \**mit*(t). If the former (no Sem. cognates), < Afras. \**mVs*- ‘male, husband’ (Mil. 2011); if the latter, with possible parallels in Akk. *māšu*, *maššû*, *mašû* ‘twin’ (CAD m1 401; acc. to AHW 631, a Sumerism) and Ugr. *mṭ* ‘infant, baby boy’ (DUL 604; tentatively compared to Akk. *māšu* and Hbr. *Mōšā* ‘Moses’)

< Afras. \*mič- ‘child’: Egyp. (Pyr.) *ms* ‘Kind’ (EG II 139), *msy* ‘gebären’ (ibid. 139); E. Chad. \*mič-: Dangla *mičò* ‘small boy’, Migama *mûčà* ‘child’, *mičá* ‘son’, Bidiya *mičo* ‘child’ (ADB).

(11) Hrs. *γayg*; Mhr. *γayg*; Hob. *γayg*; Jib. *γeg*; Soq. *γagg, γayg* // no direct parallels (on some tentative Sem. comparanda v. Mil. 2011).

→ No common Semitic.

## 52. MANY

(1) Akk. (OAKk on) *mādu*; Ugr. *mʔud, maʔdu* // < Sem. \**mVʔad*- (Mil. 2011).

(2) Hbr. *rab*; Pho. *rb* (syn.: *šgy(-t)* – v. #3); Urm. *rāb-* // < Sem. \**rabb-* ‘big’, v. BIG #1.

(3) Bib. *šaggī?*; Pal. *saggī*; Syr. *saggī* // < Sem. \**šgʔ* ‘to be numerous, large’, rel. to C.Cush. (Mil. 2011).

(4) Mnd. *napš-* // also ‘soul, personality, self’ < Sem. \**nap(i)š-* ‘soul, person, etc.’ < \**npš* ‘to breathe’ < Afras. *nVfVs-* ‘breathing’ (Mil. 2011).

(5) Qur. *kaṭīr-*; Leb. *ktir*; Mec. *kaṭīyr* // likely < Sem. \**kṭr* ‘to fit, achieve, be optimal, plentiful, etc.’, presumably < Afras. \**kVč(-Vr)-* ‘many, big, all’ (v. in Mil. 2011).

(6) Mlt. *ħafna* // < Sem. \**ħVpn-* ‘hollow of the hand, handful; fist’ (Mil. 2011).

(7) Gez. *bəzuḥ*; Tna. *bəzuḥ*; Tgr. *bəzuḥ*; Amh. *bəzu*; Har. *bäzīḥ*; Wol. *bəžzi*; Cha. *bəzä* // < Eth.-Arb. with scarce E.Chad. parallels (Mil. 2011 #8).

(8) Arg. *nəbbur* // < Sem. \**nbr* ‘to elevate, raise, place atop’ (Mil. 2011 #9).

(9) Gaf. *täbbä, täb<sup>wä</sup>* // also ‘è. abundant’, presumably a non-trivial meaning shift < Eth. \**tbʕ* ‘to be courageous’ (Mil. 2011 #10).

(10) Sod. *yädənk* // v. Mil. 2011 #11.

(11) Hrs. *meken*; Mhr. *mēken*; Hob. *máakən*; Jib. *məkən* // < MSA-Arb. with E.Cush. parallels (Mil. 2011 #12).

(12) Soq. *di-laḵ* // rel. to Eth. \**liḵ* ‘chief’ and \**lhḵ* ‘to grow’ (v. Mil. 2011 #13) with a parallel in Chad. \**IVk-* (possibly \**IVḵ-*) ‘to surpass, be a chief’ St. 2005 #188.

→ North and West Semitic \**mVʔad-* (#1) < Afras. \**mVʔVd-* ‘big, many, entire, all’ (Mil. 2011).

## 53. MEAT

(1) Akk. (OB) *šīru*; Pho. *šīr* // < Sem. \**šīr-* ‘flesh’ (SED I #238).

(2) Ugr. *bšr*; Hbr. *bāšār*; Bib. *bāšār*; Pal. *bēšar*; Syr. *besr-*; Mnd. *bisr-*; Urm. *bisr-*; Gaf. *bāsārä*; Sod. *bāsār*; Har. *bāsār*; Wol. *bāsār*; Cha. *bāsār* // < Sem. \**bišr-/bašar-* ‘flesh, (human) body’ (SED I #41).

(3) Qur. *laḥm-*; Leb. *laḥm*; Mec. *laḥam*; Mlt. *lāḥam-* // < Sem. \**laḥm-* ‘food’ with Chad. parallels (v. Mil. 2011 and St. 2005 #277)

(4) Hrs. *tewi*; Mhr. *tīwi*; Hob. *teé*; Jib. *te?*; Soq. *te* // < Sem. \**tʔw/y* ‘to eat’ (v. EAT #5).

◇ Gez. *šəgā*; Tna. *səga*; Tgr. *səga*; Amh. *səga*, considered a lw. < C. Cush. (questionable, since neither any individual Agaw nor the Proto-Agaw form contains \*-g; formally only Dullay \**sagan-*, possibly < \**sag-an-*, corresponds to the Eth. terms).

◇ Arg. *šāw* < C. Cush. (v. Mil. 2011). No term in Sab.

→ North and West Semitic \**šīr-* (#1) < Afras. \**sVʔur-* ‘meat, flesh’ (Mil. 2011).

→ West Semitic \**bišr-* ~ \**bašar-* (#2), presumably with root extension *-r* < Afras. \**bač(-Vr)-* ‘skin; to (cut) skin’ (Mil. 2011).

## 54. MOON

(1) Akk. (OB) *warḥu*; Ugr. *yrḥ*; Hbr. *yārēḥ*; Pho. *yrḥ*; Gez. *wārḥ*; Tna. *warḥ-i*; Tgr. *wārəḥ*; Har. *wahri*; Wol. *wari* // < Sem. \**warḥ-* ‘moon’ (Mil. 2011).

- (2) Pal. *shr* (syn.: *z<sup>h</sup>har* < Sem. \**zhr* ‘to shine’ < Afras. \**ʒa/ihr-* — v. Mil. 2011 #3); Syr. *sahr-*; Mnd. *sir-*; Urm. *sahr-* // < Sem. \**šahr-* ‘new moon’ (v. Kog. LE 479) < Afras. \**ĉa/ihar-* ‘night celestial body: moon, star’ (Mil. 2011; the S.Cush. forms quoted there should be disregarded as belonging to another Afras. root \**šVh/w-* ‘luminary’).
- (3) Qur. *qamar-*; Leb. *qamar-*; Mec. *gamar*; Mlt. *āmar* // for two highly hypothetical etymological opportunities v. Mil. 2011 #4.
- (4) Amh. *čäräqa*; Arg. *čäräqa*; Gaf. *šäräqä*; Sod. *därraqqa* // rel. to Arb. *ṭāriq-* ‘étoile du matin’ (Mil. 2011 #5). Note that the idea of these S.Eth. forms borrowed from Cush. (of which only C.: Beja *terig/k* is adduced, most likely a lw. from the above Arb. word), put forth in Dolg. 1973: 48–9 (and repeated in Kog. LE 478: footnote 103), is quite unsubstantiated, to say nothing of the fact that there are six unrelated S.Eth., Cush., Omot. and Chad. terms for ‘moon’ there combined in one entry.
- (5) Cha. *bāna* // only Gur., the “tempting” etymology in LGur. 146 being far-fetched (v. Mil. 2011 #6).
- (6) Hrs. *ḥārēt*; Mhr. *ḥārīt*; Hob. *ḥaaréet*; Jib. *ṣerät*; Soq. *ṣere* // < MSA \**ṣar-* ‘moon’ (for possible Sem. cognates v. Mil. 2011 #7), with a direct parallel in Brb. (Mil. 2011 footnote 56).
- ◇ No term in Bib. or Sab.
- North and West Semitic \**warḥ-* (#1); on the debatable relations with Egyp. *iṣḥ* ‘moon’ v. Mil. 2011.

## 55. MOUNTAIN

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *šadû*, *šaddû* // < Sem. \**šad(d)-* (Mil. 2012), with possible parallels in Cush.: LEC: Somali (May-Digil dial.) *šiid*, Jiddu *šit* ‘stone’, Oromo *sida?* ‘heavy and compact stone’.
- (2) Ugr. *yr* (*y* < \**ḍ*); Bib. *ṭūr*; Pal. *ṭwr*; Syr. *ṭūr-*; Mnd. *ṭur-*; Urm. *ṭūr-* // < Sem. \**ṭul/ir-* ‘flint, rock’ with a few parallels implying Afras. \**čur-* id. (Mil. 2012; add: N.Omot.: Gimira (Bench) *čar* ‘rock’ ADB).
- (3) Hbr. *hār*; Pho. *hr* // with Ugr. *hr* ‘mountain’ < Sem. \**har-* < Afras. \**hawr-* (Mil. 2012).
- (4) Qur. *šabal-*; Leb. *šabel*; Mec. *šabal* // < Sem. \**gVbVl-* ‘mountain; boundary, border’, perhaps derived with root extension *-l* < Afras. \**ga/ub-* ‘mountain’ (v. Mil. 2012; disregard the Dulay forms).
- (5) Sab. *ṣr* // < Sab.-Arb. \**ṣu(ṣu)r-* (v. Mil. 2012).
- (6) Gez. *dābər*; Tgr. *dābər* // < Sem. \**dabr-* ‘mountain valley, meadow’ (Mil. 2012), perhaps < \**dab-* with root extension *-r* < Afras. \**dV(m)b-* ‘rock’ (Mil. 2012).
- (7) Amh. *tārara*; Arg. *tārara* // no parallels in Sem.; for possible Cush. sources of borrowing and/or Afras. connections v. Mil. 2012.
- (8) Har. *sāri* // < S.-E. Eth.-Arb. \**sary/w-* (v. Mil. 2012).
- (9) Hrs. *kermaym*; Mhr. *karmaym* // < Sem. \**karm-*; for further Sem. and Afras. connections v. Mil. 2012 (add Chad. \**kV(wV)r-* ‘stone, hill’ St 2011 #287 and, perhaps, \**kVr-* ‘forest’ ibid. #273).
- (10) Jib. *ḥēr* // < Sem. \**ḥil/amār-*: Arb. *ḥimārat-* ‘gros pierre’ (BK I 490), Hbr. *ḥāmōr* ‘heap’ (HALOT 327) and, perhaps, Akk. *amāru* ‘to pile up (bricks)’ (CAD a2 27).
- (11) Soq. *félidehon* // probably < Sem. \**pad(d)Vn-* ‘path in the mountains’ with W. Chad. parallels (Mil. 2012).
- ◇ Mlt. *montaṅa* < Italian *montagna*; Sod. *gara* < E. Cush.; Cha. *ḳwāto* < E. Cush. (Mil. 2012); Mhr. *gabēl*; Hob. *šabeél*; Jib. *giēil* are more likely < Arb. than genuine (contra Mil. 2012 #4). No term in Gaf. or Wol.
- No Common Semitic.

## 56. MOUTH

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *pû-*; Ugr. *p*; Hbr. *pā*; Pho. *py*; Bib. *pum*; Pal. *pām*; Syr. *pūm-*; Mnd. *pum-*; Urm. *pūm-*; Qur. *fam-* (*fuw-*); Mec. *famm*; Sab. *f, fm*; Gez. *ʔaf*; Tna. *ʔaf*; Tgr. *ʔaf*; Amh. *ʔaf*; Arg. *af*; Sod. *af*; Har. *af*; Wol. *af*; Cha. *āf* // < Sem. *\*(ʔa-)pay/w(-m)-* ‘mouth’ (cf. SED I #223, Mil. 2012).
- (2) Leb. *ḥalʔ*; Mlt. *ḥalʔa* // < Sem. *\*ḥalk-* ‘Adam’s apple, throat’ (v. SED I #117) < Afras. *\*(ḥa-)IVk(-um)-* ‘throat and upper part of neck’ (Mil. 2012).
- (3) Gaf. *səmotä* // for the presumed non-trivial meaning shift < Eth. *\*sɛm* ‘to kiss’ instead of borrowing < E.Cush. v. Mil. 2012.
- (4) Hrs. *ḥah*; Mhr. *ḥōh*; Hob. *ḥoh*; Jib. *ḥoh*; Soq. *ḥe* // < Sem. *\*ḥVwVy-* ~ *\*ḥawḥ-* ‘hole, aperture’ supposedly < Afras. *\*qaw/ʔ-* ‘hole’ with arguable *\*q* (Mil. 2012).  
→ North and West Semitic *\*(ʔa-)pay/w(-m)-* (#1) < Afras. *\*(ʔa-)pay/w-* ‘mouth’ (Mil. 2012).

## 57. NAME

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *šumu*; Ugr. *šm*; Hbr. *šēm*; Pho. *šm*; Bib. *šum*; Pal. *šēm, šwm*; Syr. *šəm*; Mnd. *šum-*; Urm. *šimm-*; Qur. *ʔism-*; Leb. *ʔəsəm*; Mec. *ism*; Mlt. *isem*; Sab. *s<sub>1</sub>m*; Gez. *səm*; Tna. *səm*; Tgr. *səm*; Amh. *səm*; Arg. *səm*; Gaf. *səm<sup>w</sup>ä*; Sod. *səm*; Har. *sum*; Wol. *sum*; Cha. *šəm*; Hrs. *hem*; Mhr. *ham*; Hob. *húm*; Jib. *šum*; Soq. *šem* // < Sem. *\*(ʔi-)šim-*.  
→ Proto-Semitic *\*(ʔi-)šim-* < Afras. *\*(ʔi-)sim-* ‘name’ (Mil. 2012).

## 58. NECK

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *kišādu*; Gez. *kaśad*; Tna. *kaśad* // < Sem. *\*ki(n)šād-* ‘neck, top of shoulder’ (SED I #147).
- (2) Hbr. *šawwā(ʔ)r*; Bib. *šawwāʔr*; Pal. *šw<sub>1</sub>w<sub>1</sub>r*; Syr. *šaw<sub>1</sub>r-*; Mnd. *šaw<sub>1</sub>r-* // < Sem. *\*šaw(ʔ)ar-* ‘neck’ (v. SED I #258).
- (3) Qur. *ʔunḵ-*; Mlt. (*gh*)*onaʔ* // < Sem. *\*ʔVnḵ-* ‘neck’ (SED I #15); cf. N.Cush.: Beja *ankūa* ‘Häcker, Buckel’ (if < *\*ʔanḵw-*).
- (4) Leb. *raʔabi*; Mec. *ragaba* // < Common Arb. *\*raḵb-*; for possible cognates with met. v. Mil. 2012.
- (5) Tgr. *səgad* // likely, with an unusual meaning shift, < *sägda* ‘prostrate oneself’ < Sem. *\*sgd* ‘prostrate’ (LGz 490).
- (6) Amh. *angät*; Arg. *angäd, hangät*; Gaf. *angät*; Sod. *angät*; Har. *angät*; Wol. *angät*; Cha. *angät* // with Arg. *h-* vs. Har. *0-* (*\*h > ḥ, \*ʔ > 0* in Har.), it is hard to say if < Sem. *\*ʔVng(-at)-* or < *\*ḥVng(-ar)-* ‘neck’ (Mil. 2012); in the latter case v. Egypt. (18 Dyn.) *ḥngg* ‘gorge’ (ibid.).
- (7) Hrs. Mhr. *yōṭi*; Hob. *yóotə*; Jib. *yotē* // only MSA.
- (8) Soq. *faḵrere* (syn.: *ḵar* — v. Sem. and Afras. parallels in Mil. 2012 #8) // < Sem. *\*pi/arḵ-at-* ~ *\*pi/aḵr-at-* (SED I #219), perhaps, with fossilized *-r* extension, < *\*pVḵ-* ‘neck’ (ibid. #213).  
◇ Urm. *ḵādāl-* < Arb. *ḵidāl-* rather than genuine (Mil. 2012). No term in Pho. or Sab.  
→ North and West Semitic *\*kišād-* (#1).

## 59. NEW

- (1) Akk. (OB) *eššu*; Ugr. *ḥdt*; Hbr. *ḥādāš*; Pho. *ḥdš*; Bib. *ḥādat*; Pal. *ḥdt*; Syr. *ḥadət-*; Mnd. *hadt-*; Urm. *ḥā(d)t-*; Gez. *ḥāddis*; Tna. *ḥāddis*; Tgr. *ḥāddis*; Amh. *addis*; Arg. *hažəs*; Sod. *ažžis*; Har. *ḥažis*; Wol. *ažis* // < Sem. *\*ḥadiṭ-* (DRS 837).
- (2) Qur. *žadīd-*; Leb. *ždīd*; Mec. *žadiyd*; Mlt. *ždīd* // for a plausible Sem. etymology incl. Arb. *žadīd-* ‘new, jeunesse, jeune âge’ and Syr. *gaddūd-* ‘adolescens’ v. Mil. 2012; cf. Chad. *\*gVdVn-* ‘younger, the youngest’ (St. 2005 #500) and N.Omot.: Yemsa *gaddo* ‘new’.



- (3) Sab. *ks<sub>2</sub>b* // < Arb.-Sab. \**kašīb*- (Mil. 2012).
- (4) Gaf. *wayä* // acc. to LGur 666, a loan from HEC (Sidamo *hāro*, etc.) “with loss of *r* through palatalization” (ibid. 673), which is unconvincing; cf., hypothetically, E.Cush.: LEC \**ʔawt-it*:- Dirayta *áwšitt*, Mashile *áwtitta* ‘new’ and C.Chad.: Ouldeme *āwéhē*, Mada *ewwe*, Zulgo *awíyá*, Cuvok *waya* id.
- (5) Cha. *gädär* // for possible Sem. connections v. Mil. 2012.
- (6) Hrs. *heydīn*; Mhr. *heydīn*; Hob. *haydīn*; Jib. *odīn* // < MSA-Arb. \**wayd-Vn* < MSA-Arb. with plausible Afras. connections (Mil. 2012).
- ◇ Soq. *gadid* is more likely an Arabism than genuine.
- North and West Semitic \**ḥadiṭ*- (#1).

## 60. NIGHT

- (1) Akk. (OB) *mūšu*; Sod. *māšūt*; Cha. *māšūtä* // < Sem. \*(*ʔa*-)*mušy*- ‘night, yesterday, evening’ (Mil. 2012).
- (2) Ugr. *ll*; Hbr. *laylā*; Pho. *ll*; Bib. *lēly-ā*; Pal. *lēlē*; Syr. *lely-*; Mnd. *lily-*; Urm. *layl-*; Qur. *laylat-*; Leb. *layl*; Mec. *layl*; Mlt. *leyla*; Sab. *lly*; Gez. *lelit*; Tna. *läyt-i*; Tgr. *lali*; Amh. *let*; Gaf. *litä* // < Sem. \**layl*-.
- (3) Arg. *hadara* (syn.: *etta*, *yet* — v. Mil. 2012 #4) // (unless < E.Cush.) < Sem.: \**ḥadar*- ‘darkness’ (Mil. 2012); cf. E.Cush.: Saho *hadar*, Afar *hadar* (perf. *áḥdera*) ‘spend the night doing something’; N.Omot.: Anfilo *diihro* (met.) ‘night’ (ADB).
- (4) Har. *artu*, *örtu* (syn.: *läyl-i*, *lēl-i* — v. #2); Wol. *arot* // < S.-E. Eth., likely < Sem. \**ḡarb*- ‘sunset, evening, west’ (v. in Mil. 2012 #5).
- (5) Hrs. *ʔāšer*; Mhr. *ʔaçar*; Hob. *ʔáašar*; Jib. *ʔaçar* // rel. to Arb. *ʔal-ʔašr*- ‘le jour et la nuit, ou le soir et le matin’, likely < Sem. \**ʔašr*- ‘feast, time, season, night’ (Mil. 2012 #6).
- (6) Soq. *ḥte* // perhaps rel. to Arb. *ḥalitāt* ‘sommeil’ (BK 1 377).
- North and West (Sod., Cha.) Semitic \*(*ʔa*-)*mVšy*- (#1) < Afras. \*(*ʔa*-)*mas(y)*- ‘night, evening’ (Mil. 2012; N. Omot. \**ʔumars*-, which is a different Afras. root /\**mVšVr*- ~ \**rVmVš*- ~ \*(*ʔu*-)*mars*- ADB, should be replaced with N.Omot. \**ʔVmVs/c*:- Malo *ʔomáca*, Basketo *ʔumac* ‘night’, Mao (Sezo) *ʔemsi* ‘moon’, perhaps Dizi (Maji) *acim* (met.) ‘id.’.
- West Semitic \**layl*- (#2); cf. Afras.: W.Chad. \**IV(V/y)* ‘moon’: Tala *lii*, Boghom *lio*; S.Cush.: Asa *ʔalalaya* ‘star’; Maʔa *-lašu* (dissim. < \**lalu?*) ‘evening’; N.Omot.: Bworo *illa* ‘evening’, Yemsa *wāli* ‘night’ (ADB; cf. EDE III 43–44).

## 61. NOSE

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *appu*; Ugr. *ʔap*; Hbr. *ʔap*; Pal. *ʔp*; Qur. *ʔanf*; (?) Sab. *ʔf* (Stein: 1 attestation with a question mark); Gez. *ʔanəf*; Tgr. *ʔanəf*; Gaf. *āf<sup>w</sup>ä*; Sod. *afunna*; Har. *ūf*; Cha. *āfunna* // < Sem. \**ʔanp*- ‘nose’ (SED I #8).
- (2) Syr. *nəḥīr*-; Mnd. *nhir*-; Urm. *nāḥīr*-; Leb. *mənḥar*; Mlt. *ənniḥer*; Hrs. *nḥerīr*; Mhr. *neḥrīr*; Hob. *nəḥrīr*; Jib. *nəḥrer*; Soq. *nəḥrīr* // < Sem. \**nəḥīr*- ‘nostril, nose’ (SED I #198).
- (3) Mec. *ḥušum* // Class. Arb. *ḥayšūm*- ‘cartilages du nez’ (v. Mil. 2012).
- (4) Tna. *ʔafənča*; Amh. Arg. *afənča* // an enigmatic term (v. Mil. 2012).
- (5) Wol. *bärbäre* // < *bärbäre* ‘pepper’ (LGur 151), v. Mil. 2012.
- ◇ No term in Pho., Bib. or Sab.
- North and West Semitic \**ʔanp*- (#1) < Afras. \*(*ʔa*-)*nalif*- ‘breath’ (v. in Mil. 2012).
- South and West Semitic \**nəḥīr*- (#2) < Afras. \**nəḥVr*- ‘nose’ (Mil. 2012), perhaps going back, with root extension *-r*, to Afras. (incl. Sem.) \**nəḥ*- ‘referring to the nose, nasal mucus, phlegm’ (Mil. 2012).

**62. NOT<sup>1</sup>**

- (1) Akk. (OB) *ul* (and *lā* — v. #2); Pho. *ʔl* (and *ʔy* — v. #3); Sab. *ʔl*; Amh. *al...*(*m*); Arg. *al...*(*w/u*); Gaf. *al*; Sod. *al-*; Har. *al*; Wol. *al-*; Soq. *al* // < Sem. *\*ʔal*, var. *\*ʔul* (Mil. 2012, Kog. LE 471).
  - (2) Ugr. *l*, *la-a* (and *ʔal* — v. #1); Hbr. *lō(?)* (and *ʔāl* — v. #1); Bib. *lā*; Pal. *lāʔ*; Syr. *lā*; Mnd. *la*; Urm. *lā*; Qur. *lā* (and *mā* — v. #4); Hrs. *laʔ*; Mhr. (*ʔal...*) *laʔ*; Hob. *lāʔ*; Jib. (*ʔol...*)*lʔʔ* // < Sem. *\*laʔ* (Mil. 2012, Kog. LE 471).
  - (3) Gez. *ʔi*; Tna. *ʔay(...n)*; Tgr. *ʔi* // < Sem. *\*ʔay* < Afras. *\*ʔay* (v. Mil. 2012).
  - (4) Leb. *mā...š*; Mec. *mā*; Mlt. *mā* // < Sem. *\*ma(?)* < Afras. *\*ma* (Mil. 2012).
  - (5) Cha. *an-* // < Sem. *\*ʔayn-* ‘(there) is not’ (otherwise a sporadic change < *\*al-*) < Afras. *\*ʔayn-* ~ *\*nay-* v. Mil. 2012 #5).
- Proto-Semitic *\*ʔal* ~ *\*ʔul* (#1) < Afras. *\*ʔa/ul-* (Mil. 2012, ADB).
- West and South Semitic *\*laʔ* (#2), with several Afras. parallels (Mil. 2012, ADB). Both proto-forms may be eventually related through metathesis, but at the Proto-Afrasian rather than at the Proto-Semitic level.

**63. ONE**

- (1) Akk. (OB) *ʔištēn* m., *ištīat* f. // < Sem. *\*ʔišt(-Vn/t)-* ‘one; eleven’: Ugr. *ʔšt ʔšr(h)*, Hbr. *ʔašattē*, Egypt. Arm. *ʔštʔ*, Sab. *ʔst(n)* m., *ʔst* f. ‘11’ < Sem. *\*ʔišt-t(-Vn/t)-* (Mil. 2012, Kog. LE 471; add Sab. *ʔs,tn* ‘eins’ Stein, one attestation) < Afras. *\*ʔis-n/t-* ‘one’ (Mil. 2012).
  - (2) Ugr. *ʔahd*; Hbr. *ʔāhad*; Pho. *ʔhd*; Bib. *had*; Pal. *had*; Syr. *had-*; Mnd. *had*; Urm. *had-*; Qur. *wāhid-*; Leb. *wəhad*; Mec. *wāhid*; Mlt. *wīhet*; Sab. *ʔhd*; Gez. *ʔahadu*; Tna. *hadä*; Tgr. *hatte* f. (*woro* m.); Amh. *ʔand*; Arg. *hand*; Gaf. *əʒʒä*; Sod. *at(t)*; Har. *aḥad*; Wol. *add*; Cha. *at* // < Sem. *\*ʔ/wahad-* ‘one, single, alone, united’ (Mil. 2012, Kog. LE 471).
  - (3) Hrs. *ḫād*; Mhr. *ḫād, ḫāt, ḫáyṭ*; Hob. *ḫáat*; Jib. *ḫād* (m.), *ḫit* (f.); Soq. *ḫad* (m.), *ḫey* (f.) // likely rel. to Arb. *ḫuʔaʔ* ‘quelqu’un’, presumably < MSA-Arb. *\*ḫu/aʔ/y-* ‘(some)one’ (> MSA *\*ḫay(-t)*, dissimilated > *\*ḫad* or assimilated > *ḫat* in masc., and remaining *\*ḫay(-t)* in fem.); cf. Afras.: W.Chad.: North Bauchi *\*wuti* ‘one’ (Warji, Kariya, Siri, Jimbin. etc.) and E.Cush.: HEC: Burji *dé-kki* (m.), *dé-tti* (f.) ‘one, single’ (*\*dV-* < *\*tV*) ADB.
- West Semitic *\*(ʔ/wa-)had-* (#2) < Afras. *\*(ʔ/wa-)had-* ‘one’ (Mil. 2012).

**64. PERSON**

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *ʔawīlu* // no plausible Sem. parallels; presumably < Afras. *\*(Ha)wil-* ‘child’ (Mil. 2012).
- (2) Ugr. *bnš* (< *bn nš*; syn.: *ʔadm* — v. #3); Bib. (*bar-*)*ʔānāš*; Mnd. (*a*)*naš-*, *barnāša*; Qur. *ʔins-ān-*; Leb. *ʔinsēn*; Sab. *ʔns<sub>1</sub>* (syn.: *ʔs<sub>1</sub>* — v. #4) // < Sem. *\*(bin-/bar-)ʔi-naš-* (v. MAN #5).
- (3) Pho. *ʔdm* // < Sem. *\*ʔadam-* (not < *\*(ʔa-)dam-* ‘red’ as is often stated), likely < Afras. *\*ʔadam-* ~ *\*daʔam-* ‘kin, family member’ (Mil. 2012).
- (4) Hbr. *ʔiš* (syn.: *ʔänōš* — v. #2); Sab. *ʔs<sub>1</sub>* (syn.) // < Sem. *\*ʔiš-* (v. MAN #3).
- (5) Pal. *gəḫar* (syn.: *brnš, ʔānaš* — v. #2); Syr. *gabr-* (syn.: *bar-(?)nāš-* — v. #2); Urm. *gabr-* (syn.: *barnāš-* — v. #2) // v. MAN #4.
- (6) Mec. *šahs* // < Sem. *\*š<sub>1</sub>hš* ‘to be high, great, lofty (> haughty)’ (Mil. 2012).
- (7) Gez. *baʔəs-i* // < Afras. *\*bVʔVs-* ‘son, boy, coeval’ (v. MAN #7).
- (8) Tna. *sāb*; Amh. *sāw*; Arg. *su*; Gaf. *sāwä*; Sod. *sāb*; Har. *usuʔ*; Wol. *sāb*; Cha. *sāb* // v. MAN #9.
- (9) Mhr. *nafs*; Jib. *nafs* // (arguments contra borrowing < Arb. v. in Mil. 2012) < Sem. *\*nap(i)š-* ‘soul; vitality, life; person, personality; self’ < Afras. *\*nafVs-* ‘breathing’ (ibid.).

<sup>1</sup> The forms listed below are only partial synonyms, since their sentential functions are different.

- (10) Soq. *həyhi* // with three possible alternative etymologies, perhaps eventually related: (a) if meaning ‘(the) living (one)’, < Sem. \**hwy* ‘to live’ < Afras. \**hayVw-* ‘live, be born, give birth to’ (Mil. 2012); (b) < Arb.-MSA \**hay(y)-* ‘tribe; neighbor; fraternity’: Arb. *hayy-* ‘tribe; man of the same tribe, neighbour’, Jib. *aḥa (wḥy)* ‘run to help’, Soq. *ḥiyo* ‘fraternité’ < Afras. \**hay/w/?-* ‘tribe, clan, kin’: Egyp. (MK) *wḥy* ‘tribe, clan, family, house (of nomads?)’; Cush. E.: Saho *ḥeaw* ‘people’, S. \**ḥay?*- ‘kin, clan; brother, sister’: Iraqw *ḥay* ‘kinsfolk, clan’, *ḥiya* ‘brother’, *ḥaḏe* ‘siblings’, Qwadza *heḏe* ‘sister’, etc.; (c) < Afras. \**hawVy-* ‘man, husband’: Chad. W.: Gera *hàwí* ‘chief’, C. Logone *ɣuyɛ* ‘husband’; S. Cush.: Iraqw Alagwa Burunge *ḥaw-ata* ‘man, husband’, Dahalo *ḥááyo* ‘man, husband’ (ADB).
- ◇ Mlt. *persūna* < Latin or Italian *persona* (interestingly, must have been a source of borrowing, likely through the Order of Malta, into Russian *нарисуна*, a “primitive” portrait genre in 17th century Russia); Hob. *insí* < Arab.
- West Semitic \*(*bin-/bar-*)?*i-naš-* < Afras. (v. MAN #5).

## 65. RAIN

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *zunnu*; Sab. *ḏnm*; Gez. *zənām*; Tna. *zənam, zənab* (syn.: *may* — v. WATER #1); Tgr. *zəlam*; Amh. *zənab*; Arg. *zənab*; Gaf. *zənab<sup>wä</sup>*; Sod. *zənab*; Har. *zənāb*; Wol. *zəlam*; Cha. *zərab* // < Sem. \**ḏun(a)m-* (Mil. 2012).
- (2) Ugr. *mṭr* (syn.: *gšm* — v. Mil. 2012 #3); Hbr. *māṭār* (syn.: *gäšäm* v. Mil. 2012 #3); Pal. *mṭr*; Syr. *meṭr-*; Mnd. *miṭr-*; Urm. *miṭr-*; Qur. *maṭar-*; Mec. *maṭar* // < Sem. \**miṭar-* (Mil. 2012).
- (3) Leb. *šitā*; Mlt. *šita* // < Sem. \**šitaw/?-* ‘rainy, windy season’ (Mil. 2012 #4).
- (4) Hrs. *me-lsēn* (syn.: *reḥemet* — v. Mil. 2012 #7); Mhr. *ma-lsi* (syn.: *reḥemét* — v. Mil. 2012 #7); Hob. *ma-lsée*; Jib. *mó-sé* (syn.: *raḥmēt* — v. Mil. 2012 #7); Soq. *me-se* // < Sem. \**liš(IVš)-* ‘efflux, outflow’ (Mil. 2012 #6), rel. to \**IV(V)s-* ‘to be moist, ooze’ (St. 2005 #227, tentatively comp. with Sem. \**IVz-*).
- ◇ No term in Pho. or Bib.
- North and West Semitic \**ḏun(a)m-* (#1) < Afras. \**ǰVn(-Vm)-* ~ \**ǰVm(-Vn)-* ‘rain’ (Mil. 2012).
- West Semitic \**miṭar-* (#2) < Afras. \*(*mi-*)*ṭar(ar)-* (Mil. 2012).

## 66. RED

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *sāmu* // for possible Sem. etymologies of this complicated case and respective Afras. parallels, v. Mil. 2012.
- (2) Hbr. *ʔādōm*; Cha. *dämyät* // < Sem. \**ʔadam-* ~ \**dVʔVm-* ‘red’ (Mil. 2012).
- (3) Pal. *swmḵ, symwḵ, smwḵ*; Syr. *sūmāḵ-, summāḵ-*; Mnd. *sumaḵ-*; Urm. *səmūḵ-* // for two alternative etymologies v. Mil. 2012.
- (4) Qur. *ḥumr-* (pl.); Leb. Mec. Mlt. *aḥmar* // < Sem. \**ḥamr-* ‘red’ (Mil. 2012).
- (5) Gez. *ḳayyih*; Tna. *ḳäyyih*; Tgr. *ḳäyḏḥ* (syn. *ṭālā* — v. Mil. 2012 #6); Amh. *ḳäyy*; Arg. *ḳäyyəḥ, ḳäy*; Gaf. *ḳäyä*; Har. *ḳēḥ* // < Sem. \**ḳayḥ-* ‘light red, rose’ (Mil. 2012); for a possible cognate in Afras. \**ḳay/wḥ-* ‘luminary (moon, sun)’ v. ibid.; add E.Cush.: Dullay \*(*wV*)*ḳḳayḥ-* ‘sun’ and, perhaps, HEC: Dasenech *gúy* ‘moon’ (ADB).
- (6) Hrs. *ʔáfer*; Mhr. *ʔōfər*; Hob. *ʔóofər*; Jib. *ʔǰfər*; Soq. *ʔáfer* // likely < Sem. \**ʔapar-* ‘dust, soil’, v. EARTH #3.
- ◇ Sod. *bəšša*; Wol. *bušä*; Cha. *bəša* < E. Cush. (Mil. 2012). No term in Ugr., Pho., Bib. or Sab. (cf. *ḥmrt* ‘red’ in SD 68, attested once and with a question mark).
- West (Hbr. and Cha.) Semitic \**ʔadam-* ~ \**dVʔVm-* (#2) < Afras. \*(*ʔa-*)*dVm-* ~ \**diʔm-* ‘(dark) red’ (Mil. 2012).

## 67. ROAD

- (1) Akk. (OB) *urḫu* (syn.: *girru* — v. Mil. 2012 #2, and *harrānu* — v. Mil. 2012 #1); Bib. *ʔarḫā*; Pal. *ʔwrḫ*; Syr. *ʔurḫ-* (syn.: *darb-* — v. #6); Mnd. *ʔuhr-*; Urm. *ʔūrəḫ-* // < Sem. \**ʔurḫ-* ‘way, road’ — v. Mil. 2012 #5; add Arb. *rḫw* ‘éloigner’ (BK 1 841); note that the Arm. forms are suspected by some authors of being < Akk. on grounds that I fail to understand.
- (2) Ugr. *ntb(-t)* // for Sem. cognates and curious parallels (or look-alikes) in Chad. v. Mil. 2012 #3.
- (3) Hbr. *dārāk*; Pho. *drk* // < Sem. \**drk* ‘(quickly) follow/tread a path, walk’; for what seems Afras. variant roots, but of unusual correlation v. Mil. 2012 #4.
- (4) Qur. *ʔarīḳ-*; Mec. *ʔariyg*; Mlt. *triʔ* // for a possible provenance < Sem. \**ʔtarVḳ-* ‘night luminary’ and/or an Akk. cognate v. Mil. 2012 #6.
- (5) Leb. *darab* (syn.: *ʔarīʔ* — v. #4) // Class. Arb. *darb-*; if (following Lane) a lw., must be, together with Leb. *darab* < Syr. *darb-* (v. Mil. 2012 #7); anyway, v. Afras. parallels (ibid.).
- (6) Sab. *ms<sub>1</sub>bʔ* // < *s<sub>1</sub>bʔ* ‘carry out an undertaking (e.g., military expedition, etc.)’ (SD 122) < Sem. \**šb(?)* ‘to walk’ with Chad. parallels in \**sVb-* ‘to go (back, out)’, etc. (St. 2009 #39, add Hausa *saḫō* ‘return’ pointing to \**sVbVʔ-*), cf. Mil. 2012 #8.
- (7) Gez. *ma-ngad* (syn.: *fənot* — v. Mil. 2012 #9 with Afras. parallels in ADB); Tna. *mā-gādd-i*; Amh. *mā-ngād* : *mā-gādd-i* // < Eth. \**nagada* ‘go on a journey, travel, trade’, likely < Sem. \**na-gad-* with Afras. cognates (Mil. 2012 #10).
- (8) Tgr. *gābāy* // likely < Sem. \**ga(n)b-* ‘side; beside; back; body’ with Afras. cognates (Mil. 2012 #11).
- (9) Arg. *hema*, *ḥəyəma*; Cha. *ema* // rel. to Arb. *hmy* < Afras. \**haym-* ‘walk, come and go’ (Mil. 2012 #11).
- (10) Sod. *moça* // acc. to LGz 606, < Sem. \**wʕʔ* ‘go out’.
- (11) Hrs. *wōrem*; Mhr. *ḥūrum*; Hob. *ʔóorəm*; Jib. *ʔorm*; Soq. *ʔórim* // MSA-Arb. \**ʔu/irm-* (with fossilized *-m*) < Afras. \**ʔ/war-* ‘road’ (Mil. #13; add Brb.: Shenwa *wur* ‘go’, etc.).  
 ◇ Gaf. *mäyā* < Oromo *meya* (LGur 441); Har. *uga* and Wol. *ungä* < Omot. (Mil. 2012).  
 → North and West Semitic \**ʔurḫ-* (#1); cf. Chad. \**rVV[ɣ]-*: Hausa *rùugā* ‘drive on/away’, Bokkos *roh* ‘senden, schicken’ (compared with Ngizim *rəgú* ‘migrate’ and Arb. *rḫw* ‘éloigner’), cf. derived E.: Ubi *ʔùrgin* ‘drive away, hunt’ (St. 2011 #803).

## 68. ROOT

- (1) Akk. (OAkk on) *šuršu*; Ugr. *šrš*; Hbr. *šōrāš*; Pho. *šrš*; Bib. *šōrēš*; Mnd. *širš-*; Leb. *širəš* // < Sem. \**š<sub>x</sub>Vu/irš<sub>x</sub>-*.
- (2) Pal. *ʔyḳr* (syn.: *šrš* — v. #1); Syr. *ʔēḳār-* (syn.: *šerš-* — v. #1); Urm. *ʔiḳr-* // < Sem. \**ʔiḳ(k)ār-* ‘root; medicine’ (v. in SED I #20); cf. Chad. C.: Bachama *kwire*, E.: Jegu *kyāro* ‘root’ (ADB; possibly < \**ḳw/yar-* or \**ʔVḳw/yar-*).
- (3) Qur. *ʔašl-* // likely rel. to Sem. \**ʔaš/al-* ‘join, attach’ and ‘(noble) origin’ (cf. DRS 30) and \**wašil-* ‘joint, articulation’ (cf. SED I #289), with a possible Chad. parallel \**çVl-* ‘string’ (St. 2009 #747).
- (4) Mec. *ʔirḳ* (syn.: *ʒizir* < Arm.-Arb. \**gizar-* ‘root vegetable’, v. Mil. 2012 #5); Mlt. *(gh)eruʔ*; Hrs. *ʔark*; Mhr. *ʔark*; Hob. *ʔárḳ* // < Sem. \**ʔal/irḳ-* ‘tendon, muscle, vein, nerf; root’ (SED I #20).
- (5) Gez. *šaraw*; Tna. *sur*; Amh. *sər*; Arg. *šarit*, *sər*; Gaf. *sər*; Sod. *sər*; Har. *sər*; Wol. *sər*; Cha. *äsər* // probably different from #1 (contra Mil. 2012 #1 and Kog. LE 480); rel. to Chad. \**çVHVrV* ~ \**çVrVHV* (St. 2011 #287); cf. also C. Cush. \**sər-*, more probable < Eth.
- (6) Tgr. *ḳərd* // cognates not found.
- (7) Jib. *široḫ*; Soq. *šeraḫ* // < MSA-Arb. (v. Mil. 2012; different from #1 contra Kog. LE fn. 109); justly comp. (through metathesis) with C.Chad.: Biu-Mandara \**šəḫaray* ‘root’ in St. 2011 #287.  
 ◇ No term in Sab.

- North and West Semitic \*š<sub>x</sub>u/irš<sub>x</sub>- (#1).  
 → West and South Semitic \*ʕa/irḳ- (#4; unless MSA < Arb.).

## 69. ROUND

- (1) Akk. (OB) *garru* // < Sem. \*gar(gVr)- < Afras. \*gVr(gVr)- (Mil. 2012).
- (2) Hbr. *ʕāgōl*; Soq. *gáʕlhel* (met.) // < Sem. \*ʕgl (v. reasons for uniting these terms in Mil. 2012).
- (3) Syr. *gālil*-; Urm. *gālül*- // < Sem. \*g<sup>w</sup>VlVl- < Afras. \*g<sup>w</sup>VlVl- ‘round’ (Mil. 2012).
- (4) Mnd. *kulul*- // < Sem. \*k<sup>w</sup>VlVl- ‘round, surround’ < Afras. \*k<sup>w</sup>Vl- ‘round, circular’ (Mil. 2012; add Copt.: Sahidic *kelkōl* ‘ê. rond’ Vyc. 76).
- (5) Leb. *m-dawwar*; Mec. *mu-dawwar* // < Sem. \*dwr ‘to be/go round’ (arguments contra borrowing in MSA < Arb. v. in Mil. 2012) with a few Afras. parallels (ibid.).
- (6) Gez. *kābub*; Tna. *kābib* (syn.: *ʔən-kāblāl* — v. Mil. 2012 #7); Tgr. *kābib*, *kābub*; Amh. *kābb*; Sod. *kābb*; Wol. *kub*; Cha. *kāb* // < Sem. \*kVb(kVb)- ‘round’ (Mil. 2012).
- (7) Har. *dulālu* // < Sem. \*dVbVl- ‘round, ball-shaped’ with possible scarce Afras. parallels (Mil. 2012 #8).
- (8) Jib. *ḥalkēt* // < Sem. \*ḥalk-at- ‘circle, ring’ (Mil. 2012 #9).  
 ◇ Mlt. *tont* likely < Ital. *tondo*; Mhr. *madāwwar*, Hob. *mdāwwar* more likely < Arb. than genuine (counter Mil. 2012 #5). No term in Ugr., Pho., Bib., Pal., Qur., Sab., Arg. or Gaf.  
 → West (Hbr.) and South (Soq.) Semitic \*ʕagVl- (#2); eventually interrelated, with root extension -ʕ, to Sem. \*g<sup>w</sup>VlVl- < Afras. \*g<sup>w</sup>VlVl- (#3).

## 70. SAND

- (1) Akk. (OB) *bāšu* (*baššu*) // < Sem. \*bVš- (Mil. 2012); cf. E.Cush.: LEC: Oromo *boṭṭoo* ‘muddy’.
- (2) Hbr. *ḥōl*; Pal. *ḥāl*; Syr. *ḥāl*-; Mnd. *hal*- // < Sem. \*ḥawl- ‘sand, mud’ (v. Mil. 2012).
- (3) Leb. *ramāl*; Mec. *ramal*; Mlt. *rāmel* // common Arb. and, perhaps, Sab. *rml* ‘building sand’ quoted in SD 117 with a question mark (v. Mil. 2012; add identical terms rel. to geomancy in different languages in LGz 471).
- (4) Gez. *ḥoša*; Tna. *ḥuša*; Tgr. *ḥəšä* (syn.: *čäbäl*) // < Sem. \*ḥ/hVw/yVš- ‘sand, gravel’ < hypothetical Afras. \*qas/ç- (Mil. 2012).
- (5) Amh. *aššāwa*; Arg. *hašawa*; Sod. *ašawa*; Wol. *ašawa*; Cha. *ašawa* // < Sem. \*ḥašw/y- < Afras. \*ḥas(a)y- (Mil. 2012; correction: Jib. *ḥāši* is not ‘sand’ but ‘soil’, which eliminates Common South and West Semitic \*ḥašw/y-).
- (6) Har. *sēlāt* (syn.: *šihšēra* — v. Mil. 2012 #6) // rel. to (unless borrowed from) Arb. *sihlat*-; cf. Afras. parallels (Mil. 2012 #7).
- (7) Hrs. *baṭeḥ*; Mhr. *baṭḥ*; Jib. *baṭḥ* // < MSA-Arb. \*baṭḥ- ‘sand’, likely derived < \*bṭḥ ‘to lie down (on the sand?); to spread, extend (of sand?)’ (v. LIE #11).
- (8) Soq. *šéme* // < Soq.-Arb. \*š<sub>x</sub>aym- (v. Mil. 2012 #9); cf. Afras. parallels (ibid.), in which the origin of the sibilant remains debatable until detailed and well-grounded consonant correspondences for all Afrasian languages have been established).  
 ◇ Urm. *sīl*- is < Turkish. Hob. *rāmléet* < Arb. No term in Ugr., Pho., Bib., Qur., Sab. or Gaf.  
 → No Common Semitic.

## 71. SAY

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *kaḇū* // < Sem. \*ḳ<sup>(w)</sup>Vbb- ‘say, shout, curse’ < Afras. \*ḳab- ‘speak, shout, curse’ (Mil. 2012).
- (2) Ugr. *rgm* // < Sem. \*rgm ‘to blame, curse’ (Mil. 2012).
- (3) Hbr. *ʔmr*; Pho. *ʔmr*; Bib. *ʔmr*; Pal. *ʔmr*; Syr. *ʔmr*; Mnd. *ʔmr*; Urm. *ʔmr* // < Sem. \*ʔmr ‘to say, order’.

- (4) Qur. *ḵwl*; Leb. *ḡāl*; Mec. *ḵāl*; Mlt. *āl* // < Sem. *ḵwl* ‘to say’, \**ḵawl*- ‘voice’ < Afras. \**ḵawl*- ‘to talk, shout’ (Mil. 2012).
- (5) Sab. *bhl* (Stein: two attestations; syn.: *ḵwl* Stein: one attestation — v. #4); Gez. *bhl*; Tna. *bälä*; Tgr. *bela*; Amh. *alä*; Arg. *ala*; Gaf. *balä*; Sod. *baläm*; Har. *baya*; Wol. *balä*; Cha. *baräm* // < Sem. \**bhl* ‘to say, curse’ (Mil. 2012).
- (6) Hrs. *ḡamōr*; Mhr. *ḡamūr*; Jib. *ḡōr*; Soq. *ḡemor* // v. other (correction from “another” in Mil. 2012) meanings in MSA and Arb. *ibid.*; < MSA-Arb. \**ḡmr* presumably ‘causing to existence or accomplishment by force of magic speech/formula’ (to be treated as a variant root of \**ḡmr* (#3)).
- West Semitic (Sab.-Eth.) \**bhl* (#5) with a likely W.Chad. parallel \**biHal*- ‘angry’ (Mil. 2012).

## 72. SEE

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *amāru* // < Sem. \**ḡmr* ‘to see; show, indicate; know’ < Afras. \*(*ḡV*-)*mVr*- ‘to see, look, show, search for’ (Mil. 2011 KNOW #5)
- (2) Ugr. *phy* (syn.: *ḡn* — v. EYE #1) // the only imaginable etymology is a hypothetical Ugr.-Arb. \**phy* ~ \**pʔh* (perhaps also Sab. *bhʔt* ‘scout, intelligence agent’), v. Mil. 2012.
- (3) Hbr. *rʔy*; Qur. *rʔy*; Mlt. *rā*; Sab. *rʔy*; Gez. *rəʔya*; Tna. *rāʔäyä*; Tgr. *rəʔa*; Arg. *re*; Har. *rīʔa* // < Sem. \**rʔy* ‘to see’.
- (4) Pho. *ḡz* (*rʔy*, a verbal noun — v. #3); Bib. *ḡzy*; Syr. *ḡzy*; Mnd. *hza*; Urm. *ḡzy*; Amh. *ayyä*; Arg. *hanʒa*; Gaf. *aʒʒä*; Sod. *aʒʒäm*; Wol. *anʒe*; Cha. *aʒ/šäm* // < Sem. \**ḡzy* ‘to see, watch’ (Mil. 2012 #5).
- (5) Pal. *ḡmy* // < Hbr.-Arm. \**ḡmy* ‘to see, watch, beware’ < Sem. \**ḡmy* ‘to watch, protect’ with some weak Afras. parallels (Mil. 2012 #6).
- (6) Leb. *šēf*; Mec. *šāf* // < Sem. \**šw/yp* ‘look out, observe, protect’ (Mil. 2012 #7).
- (7) Hrs. *šēni*; Mhr. *šīnuh*; Hob. *šānu*; Jib. *šīni*; Soq. *šīni* // < MSA-Arb. \**šV(?)n*- ‘see, know, care’ < Afras. \**šVn*- (Mil. 2012 #8).
- West Semitic 1 \**rʔy* (#3) < Afras. \**rayʔ*- ~ \**ʔayr*- ‘to see’ (Mil. 2012 #4).
- West Semitic 2 \**ḡzy* (#4) with one isolated C.Chad. parallel (*ibid.*).

## 73. SEED

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *zēru*, *zarʔu*; Hbr. *zāraʔ*; Bib. *zəraʔ*; Pal. *zrʔ*; Syr. *zarʔ*-; Urm. *zarʔ*-; Qur. *zarʔ*- (‘seed, corn’, etc. in the Qur’an (Pen.), with *bḡr* attested as ‘to sow’ only — cf. otherwise Kog. LE 471); Mlt. *zerri(gh)a*; Gez. *zārʔ/ʔ*, Tna. *zārʔ-i*; Tgr. *zārʔ*; Amh. Arg. Gaf. Sod. Har. Wol. *zār*; Cha. *zənä* // < Sem. \**zarʔ/ʔ*- (Mil. 2012, cf. otherwise Kog. LE 471–2).
- (2) Ugr. *d/ḡrʔ*; Mec. *dirra* // < Sem. \**dVrʔ/ʔ*- (Mil. 2012).
- (3) Mnd. *baz(i)r*- (syn. *zira* — v. #1) // < Sem. \**bVzr*- (Mil. 2012) with a few debatable Chad. parallels (Mil. 2012).
- (4) Leb. *bḡar* // < Arm.-Arb. \**baḡr*- (Mil. 2012).
- (5) Har. *sāñi*; Wol. *sāññe* (otherwise < E.Cush., then most likely < Oromo); Soq. *šáne* (syn.: Soq. *deri* — v. #2) // < Sem. \**ʔa-šnVʔ/n*- (Mil. 2012).
- ◇ Hrs. *baḡr*, Mhr. *biḡar*, Hob. *béḡar*, Jib. *béḡar* likely < Arb. No term in Pho.
- North and West Semitic \**zarʔ/ʔ*- (#1) < Afras. \**ʔVryʔ/ʔ*- ‘seed, sowing, sown field, to sow, plant, cultivate’: Egyp. (late, Gr.) *z*; (< \**ʔVr* or \**ʒVr*) ‘Bez. der achtel Arure, acht Aruren Acker’ (EG III, 411), (Gr.) ‘Art Acker’ (*Ibid.*, 414); Chad. W.: Karekare *zīrue* (< \**zīr*-) ‘planting across ridgerows’, C. \**zVr*- ‘to sprout’: Mbuko *zaray* ‘pousser par terre (haricot)’, Zulgo *zárá* ‘long sprouts’ (St. 2009 #542), E.: Kera *zòoru*, Kwang *seéré* ‘to sow’; Cush. N.: Beja *deráʔ* (< \**ʔVrʔ*- or \**ʒVrʔ*- or < Arb.) ‘seed’, C. \**zVr*-: Khamir *ziirú* ‘wheat’, *zir*-, Kemant *zar*- ‘to sow’, Aungi *zer* ‘to cultivate’; N.Omot. \**ʒVry*- or \**ʔVry*-: Wolamo *zer*- ‘to spread, to seed’,

zer-etta, Malo zere-c, Gamu, Dache zere-cci, Gimira (Bench) zar ‘seed’, Kachama zeer- ‘to sow’ (ADB; Cush. and Omot. terms may be borrowed from Amh.).

- South and West (if the Har. Wol. terms are genuine) Semitic \*ʔa-šnVʔ/n- (#5) < Sem. \*ʔa-šnVʔ/n- ‘seed, grain, cereal’ < Afras. \*sany- id. (Mil. 2012).
- West Semitic (Ugr. and Mec.) \*ḏVrʔ/?- (#2; -ʔ perhaps due to contamination with \*zarʔ/?-) < Sem. \*ḏVry/w- ‘to scatter, sow, winnow; seeds’: Akk. zarû ‘to sow seed, broadcast; scatter, sprinkle; winnow’ (CAD z 70), Ugr. dry to winnow’ (DUL 282), Hbr. zry ‘to scatter, winnow’ (HALOT, 280), Jud. dry, drʔ ‘to scatter, strew; winnow’ (Ja., 322), Syr. drʔ ‘sparsit, dispersit’, madray- ‘vannus’ (Brock., 165), Arb. ḏry/w ‘répandre la semence (en semant), semer; vanner, nettoyer (le grain) en le lançant au vent avec une pelle ou avec un van’ (BK 1, 771), ḏurat- ‘dorra, espèce de millet’ (BK 1, 772), Gez. zārāwā ‘to scatter’, (ʔa)zrāwā, (ʔa)zrāyā ‘to winnow’ (LGz., 644 with other Eth. data), Mhr. ḏar ‘to spread out; to spread (gravy, curry, seed)’ (JM 47), Jib. ḏerr ‘to spread out’ (JJ 47), Soq. deri ‘semence’ (LS, 135) < Afras. \*ʒVr- ‘to scatter, spread (seed), winnow, process grain; grain, seeds’: Brb. \*uzzar ‘to winnow’ (common Brb. incl. Tuareg, hardly < Arb.); (?) Eyp. (OK) dy.w.t (< \*ʒVr-w-Vt? Not very likely, supported primarily by the meaning ‘winnow’) ‘Arbeiterin auf dem Gut bei der Ernte: Worflerin’ (EG, V 421); Chad. W.: Podoko nʒira ‘trier (les bons grains des mauvais)’ (cf. also Pero ʒúra, Guruntum ʒàaʒàr ‘groundnuts’), C. \*(n)ʒVr- ‘a grain mortar’ (St. 2009 #1158), (?) E.: Somrai ʒár ‘throw’ (ADB).

#### 74. SIT

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) wšb; Ugr. ytb, ʔaṭib; Hbr. yšb; Pho. yšb; Bib. ytb; Pal. ytb; Syr. ytb; Mnd. ytb; Urm. ytb; Sab. wtb // Sem. \*wtb (Mil. 2012).
- (2) Qur. ʔʕd; Lbn. ʔaʕad // < Sem. \*ʔʕd ‘bend, sit, put down’ < Afras. \*kV(ʔ)d- ‘bend, sit, lie down’ (Mil. 2012).
- (3) Mec. ʒalas // < Sem. \*glš ‘to sit (in a special way, atop, on an elevated place)’ (Mil. 2012).
- (4) Gez. nabara // < Sem. \*nbr ‘to be elevated, raise(d), place(d)/sit atop’ (Mil. 2012).
- (5) Tna. kof bälä (syn.: tä-kämmäṭä — v. #7) // < Sem. \*wkp ~ \*kwp ‘to lie, sit’ (Mil. 2012 #5) with an isolated parallel in E.Cush.: Yaaku (ibid.); unclear if Chad. \*kVp- ‘to put upright’ (St. 2011 #57) can be compared, pointing to Afras. \*kVp- ‘to sit upright’.
- (6) Tgr. ʒasuy hälla (syn.: käf belä — v. #5) // perhaps < Sem. \*gišš- ‘torso, body, side of body’ (cf. SED I No. 92) < Afras. \*gičč- ‘torso, chest, side of body’ (Mil. 2012).
- (7) Amh. tä-kämmäṭä; Arg. (tä)kämmäṭa // < Eth.-Arb. \*kmt ‘bind, hold tightly; sit’ (Mil. 2012).
- (8) Gaf. täwannä; Sod. tonnam; Cha. čonam // only S.Eth. < \*wnʔ/? (LGur 599), likely < Afras. \*wVnVʔ- ~ \*ʔVwVn- (contra Mil. 2012) ‘sleep; sit’: Eyp. (19 Dyn.) ʔwn ‘sleep’; Chad. C. \*ʔ/wiyan- id., E. \*wanH-: Kwang wéŋ id., Migama wàànò ‘to dream’ (ADB).
- (9) Har. (tä)gēbā(la); Wol. (tä-)gōbālā // either < Eth.-Arb. \*gVb(b) + ala (auxiliary verb) or < Afras. \*gVbbVr/l- ‘to sit, prostrate oneself; a (sacred?) seat’ (Mil. 2012; add W. Chad. Kifri gobbil- ‘to crawl’).
- (10) Hrs. šhewlōl; Mhr. šhulul; Hob. šhoolúul // cf. a suggested Arb. parallel (Mil. 2012).
- (11) Jib. skof // < Sem. \*(ʔa-)skup(p)- ‘threshold’ (Mil. 2012).
- (12) Soq. izsem // v. three etymological options and a Chad. parallel to one of them in Mil. 2012.  
 ◇ Mlt. poža < Italian (ap)poggiare.  
 → North and West Semitic: \*wtb (#1); for a presumed, quite different, primary meaning with an Afras. etymology v. Mil. 2012.

#### 75. SKIN

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) mašk-; Pal. mšk; Syr. mešk- (syn.: geld- — v. #3); Mnd. mišk // < Sem. \*mašk- ‘skin’ (Mil. 1914).

- (2) Ugr. *yr*; Hbr. *ōr*; Pho. *ṙr* // < Sem. \**ya/ur-/yaryar-* ‘(loose) skin, dewlap’ (SED I #105) < Afras. \**yur-* (highly tentative; v. Mil. 2014).
- (3) Urm. *gild-*; Qur. *žild-*; Leb. *žild*; Mec. *žild*; Mlt. *žilda* // < Sem. \**gi/ald-* (SED I #78).
- (4) Gez. *māʔ/ʕs* // < Sem. \**maʕaš-* or \**maʕas-* (Mil. 2014).
- (5) Tna. *ḳ<sup>w</sup>ərbät*; Tgr. *ḳərbät* // < Eth.-Arb. \**ḳ<sup>w</sup>irb-at-* < Afras. \**ḳ<sup>w</sup>irab-* ‘bark, skin’ (Mil. 2014).
- (6) Amh. *ḳodä* (syn.: *ḳ<sup>w</sup>ərbät*, absent from other S.Eth., likely < Tna — v. #5) // < Eth.-Arb. \**ḳ<sup>(w)</sup>ad-* ‘skin’; rel to W. Chad. \**ḳad-* ‘skin’ (St. 2011 #315).
- (7) Mhr. *bəšārēt*; Jib. *bəšārét* // < Sem. \**bi/ašar-* ‘flesh, (human) body’ (SED I #41); perhaps < Afras. \**bVĉ(-Vr)-* ‘skin, skinning’: Brb.: Ghadames *bzər* ‘to be peeled’; E.Chad.: W.Dangla *buusu* ‘faire une coupure de la peau au couteau’, E.Dangla *bésé* ‘scarifier, faire une entaille dans la chair’; Cush. C.: Khamir *bas-* ‘Einschnitte in die Haut machen... tätowieren’, E.: HEC: Somali *búš-e* ‘chaff’, S.: Maʔa *buše* ‘skin’; N.Omot.: Kafa *bāš-* ‘schlachten, die Gurgel durchschneiden’, Anfillo *baš* ‘to slaughter cattle’ (ADB).
- (8) Soq. *širhi* // < Sem. \**šir-* ‘skin, hide of cattle’ (incl. Mhr. *šarū*, Jib. *šéré* ‘to skin a cow with a knife’) SED I #267; cf. W.Chad. \**ĉVr-* ‘to peel (bark, husk)’ (St. 2007 #2491a).
- ◇ Gaf. *g<sup>w</sup>agä*, Sod. *goga*, Har. *gōga*, Wol. *gogä* and Cha. *goga* are < Oromo *googa*; Hob. *žood* < Arb. *žild*. No term in Bib. and Sab.
- North and West Semitic: \**mašk-* (#1) < Afras. \**mask-* (Mil. 1914).

## 76. SLEEP

- (1) Akk. (OB) *šalālu* // likely < Sem. \**šll* ‘to lie or go down, be in a horizontal position’ (Mil. 2014).
- (2) Ugr. *yšn*; Hbr. *yšn* // < Sem. \**šin(-at)-* ‘sleep, dream’ < Afras. \**wisan-* ~ \**sawin-* ‘sleep, dream’ (Mil. 2014 #3).
- (3) Pal. *dmk* (syn.: *nwm* — v. #4); Syr. *dmk* (syn.: *škb* — v. #5); Urm. *dmk* (syn.: *ʔlʕ* — Mil. 2014 #7) // no cognates (v. Mil. 2014 #4).
- (4) Qur. *nwm*; Leb. *nēm*; Mec. *nām*; Gez. *nwm* // < Sem. \**nwm* ‘to sleep, slumber’.
- (5) Mnd. *škb*; Tgr. *sākāb hälla* // < Sem. \**škb* ‘lie (down), sleep’ (v. LIE #2).
- (6) Mlt. *raʔat* // < Arb. *rġd* ‘to sleep’; no visible Sem. parallels.
- (7) Tna *dākḳāsä* // Eth. with no parallels (v. Mil. 2014 #9).
- (8) Amh. *tāññä*; Arg. *teñña*, *eñä*; Sod. *əññām*; Har. *ñēʔa*; Wol. *əññe*; Cha. *nəyām* // < Sem. < Afras. \**nhy* ~ \**hwn* (Mil. 2014 #10).
- (9) Gaf. *(tä)gäddälä*; Cha. *(tä)gätäräm* // v. LIE #10.
- (10) Hrs. *še-wkōf*; Mhr. *š-ūkūf*; Hob. *šu-ukōof*; Jib. *šef* // < Sem. \**wkp* ~ \**kwp* ‘to lie, sit’ (v. Mil. 2012 SIT #17).
- (11) Soq. *deme* (syn. *henod* — v. Mil. 2014 #14) // < Sem. \**dVm-/dVwVm-* ‘to be still, last, stay a long time in one place’ < Afras. \**dam-* ‘dwell, stay, rest’ (Mil. 2014 #13).
- ◇ No terms registered in Pho., Bib. or Sab.
- West (Arb., Gez.) Semitic 1 \**nwm* (#4) < Afras. (Mil. 2014 #5; to add as a possibility Chad. W.: Hausa *néemáa* ‘adultery, fornication’, E.: Lele *nōm* ‘courtiser’ (with a meaning shift ‘to sleep’ > ‘to sleep with a woman’ > ‘fornicate?’).
- West (Mnd., Tna.) Semitic 2 \**škb* (#5).

## 77. SMALL

- (1) Akk. (OB) *šeḫru* (with irregular *ḫ?* — cf., however, Jib. *maṣṣəḫórrót* ‘little finger’ (JJ 243) pointing, perhaps, to a different Sem. root \**šḫr*; syn.: *dakḳ-* < Sem. \**dalikḳ-* ~ \**dakikḳ-* < Afras. \**dalikḳ-* — v. Mil. 2014 #2); Pho. *šṙr*; Qur. *šayīr-*; Leb. *zyīr* (< \**šyr*); Mec. *šayiyir*; Mlt. *zā(gh)ir*; Sab. *šyr* (syn.: *ḳṭn* — v. #2) // < Sem. \**šayīr-*.
- (2) Hbr. *ḳāṭān* // < Sem. \**ḳatan-* < Afras. \**ḳ<sup>(w)</sup>Vt-* (Mil. 2014 #3).



- (3) Bib. *zəḏēr*; Pal. *zḏwr*, *zḏē(y)r* (syn.: *dḵyḵ* — v. Mil. 2014 #2); Syr. *zəḏōr-*; Urm. *zəḏōr-* // < Sem. \**zḏr* ‘be small, thin’, rel. to Chad. \**zVr-* ‘to be narrow’ (St. 2009 #563; Mil. 2014 #4).
- (4) Mnd. *zuṭ-* (syn.: *ḵotān-* v. #2) // < Aram. \**zḏṭ* (Mil. 2014 #5).
- (5) Gez. *nəḏus* (syn.: *daḵiḵ* — v. Mil. 2014 #2); Tna *nuḏus*; Tgr. *nəḏuṣ*; Arg. *mans*, *mass*; Gaf. *ansä*; Sod. *maläs*; Cha. *ars* (syn.: *ḵəsi* — v. Mil. 2014 #8) // < Sem. \**ʔVnVš-* (Mil. 2014 #6).
- (6) Amh. *ṭannəš* // v. Mil. 2014 #7.
- (7) Har. *ṭit*; Wol. *ṭit* (in both syn.: *(y)anäsä* — v. #5) // No etymology found.
- (8) Hrs. *ḵennōn*; Hob. *ḵannuún*; Soq. *ḵéyhen* // < MSA-Arb. with Chad. parallels — Mil. 2014; add \**kVn-* ‘(the youngest) son; calf; small’ (St. 2011 241), perhaps < \**ḵVn-*.
- (9) Jib. *niṣan* // no parallels found.  
→ Noth and West Semitic \**ṣayīr-* (#1).

## 78. SMOKE:

- (1) Akk. (OB) *ḵutr-*; Ugr. *ḵṭr*; Mnd. *guṭr-* // < Sem. \**ḵuṭār-*.
- (2) Hbr. *ḡāšān*, Soq. *ḡeto* (with a loss of *-n*? Less likely rel. to Arb. *ḡayṭ-* ‘pluie abondante et qui s’étend aux environs’ — v. Mil. 2014 footnote 9; syn.: *ḡélaḵ*) // < Sem. \**ḡVṭan-* (v. Mil. 2014).
- (3) Pal. *tʿnan*; Syr. *tān-*; Urm. *tin-*; Gez. *tann* (syn.: *ṭis*, *ṭesa* — v. #6); Tgr. *tānan*; Gaf. *tännä*; Sod. *tän*; Har. *tän*; Wol. *tän*; Cha. *tän* // < Arm.-Eth. \**tan(a)n-* (v. Mil. 2014).
- (4) Qur. *duḡān-*; Leb. *dḡan*; Mec. *duḡḡān*; Mlt. *duḡḡān*; Hrs. *nedēḡ*; Mhr. *nidiḡ*; Hob. *ndóoh*; Jib. *məndoh* (met. in all MSA) // on this difficult case v. Mil. 2014.
- (5) Tna. *təkk-i* // Tigre *tāka* ‘put on fire’ (no other Sem. cognates found) < Afras. \**tVk-* ‘burn, put on fire’ (Mil. 2014).
- (6) Amh. *ḵəs*; Arg. *ḵis* (syn.: *tan* — v. #3) // < \**ṭays* (only Eth. acc. to LGz. 601), likely rel. to Arb. *ṭassān-* ‘poussière soulevée et qui voltige et tourbillonne dans l’air’ with controversial parallels in C.Cush. (v. Mil. 2014) and a probable cognate in S.Cush.: Asa *toḡusayok* ‘smoke’ (< \**toḡus-*?).
- ◇ No term in Pho., Bib. or Sab.
- North and West Semitic \**ḵuṭr-* (#1); if < \**ḵuṭ-r* with root extension *-r*, v. possible Chad. parallels (Mil. 2014).
- South and West (Arb.) Semitic 1 \**nidVḡ-* ~ \**duḡān-* (#4).
- (?) South and West (Hbr.) Semitic 2 \**ḡVṭan-* with parallels in Afras.: W.Chad. \**ḵaHan-* ‘burn’: Mupun *ḵāan*, Sura *ḵaan*, Chip *ṣan*; E.Cush.: Yaaku *ise*, pl. *isehnen* ‘smoke’ (< \**ḡisVn-* < AA \**ḡiḵVn-*?).
- West Semitic (Arm.-Eth.) \**tan-* (#3).

## 79. STAND

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *u/izuzz-* // with a likely cognate in Arb. (Mil. 2014).
- (2) Ugr. *ḵm* (‘stand up’); Bib. *ḵwm*; Pal. *ḵwm*; Syr. *ḵwm*; Mnd. *ḵwm*; Qur. *ḵwm* (syn.: *wḵf* — v. #5); Sab. *ḵwm*; Gez. *ḵwm*; Tna. *ḵomä* (syn.: *däw bälä*, a lw. < Cush. — v. Mil. 2014); Amh. *ḵomä*; Arg. *ḵoma*, *oma*; Gaf. *ḵomä*; Sod. *ḵomäm*; Cha. *ḵwämäm* // < Sem. \**ḵwm* (Mil. 2014).
- (3) Hbr. *ḡmd* // < Sem. \**ḡmd* with debatable W.Chad. parallels (Mil. 2014).
- (4) Urm. *kl?* // no etymology found (suspicious as a possible borrowing).
- (5) Lbn. *wəḏəf*; Mec. *wagaf*; Mlt. *wiḏf* // < Sem. \**wḵp* (Mil. 2014).
- (6) Tgr. *bäṭra* // seems a singular semantic development from Eth.-Arb. \**bṭr* ‘to be arrogant, haughty’ (Mil. 2014).
- (7) Har. *ḵānāna*; Wol. *ḵanānā* // with a cognate in Arb. (v. Mil. 2014) and Chad. \**kVn-* (possibly < \**ḵVn-*) ‘to stand (straight)’ (St. 2011 #235, where it is comp. with Akk. *kānu* ‘be firm in place, etc.’): C.: Gude *kəḡ* ‘standing straight’, Bachama *kāḡḏ*, E.: E.Dangla *kòkìnē* ‘to stand’.

- (8) Hrs. *šōr*; Mhr. *šōr*; Hob. *šoor*; Jib. *šór* // < Sem. \**šw/yr* ‘to stand, support, carry’ (Mil. 2014; correction: Sab. *h-šr* ‘to stay, stand’ with a question mark), rel. to W.Chad. \**čVr-* ‘to stand’ (St. 2009 #772; Mil. 2014).
- (9) Soq. *kəšaḥ* (< \**kəšaḥ*) // likely rel. to Arb. *qṣf* II ‘ne pas quitter la maison’.
- ◇ No term in Pho.
- West Semitic \**ḳwm* (#2) < Afras. \**ḳaw/ym-* ‘stand up, rise’ (Mil. 2014).

## 80. STAR

- (1) Akk. (OB) *kakkab-*; Ugr. *kbkb*; Hbr. *kōkāb*; Pho. *kbb*; Pal. *kebkīb*; Syr. *kawkāb-*; Mnd. *kukb-*; Urm. *kāwkāb-*; Qur. *kawkāb-* (syn.: *našm-* — v. #2); Sab. *kwkb*; Gez. *kokāb*; Tna. *ḳ<sup>w</sup>aḳob*; Tgr. *kokāb*; Amh. *kokāb*; Arg. *kokāb*; Gaf. *kokobä*; Sod. *kokāb*; Cha. *ḳ<sup>w</sup>äḳ<sup>w</sup>ab*; Hrs. *kebkīb*; Mhr. *kebkīb*; Jib. *kābkēb*; Soq. *kibšib* // < Sem. \**kabkib-*, perhaps “circles” < Sem. \**kVbb-*, *kVbkVb-* ‘(to be) round’ (Mil. 2014).
- (2) Lbn. *nižmi*; Mec. *nažma* // no etymology found.
- (3) Har. *ṭūy* // no clear etymology found; perhaps < Sem. \**šVḥ-* ‘be white, clear; shimmer’ (v. WHITE #6): in Har. *ṭ* can continue \**š* while \**ḥ* is normally preserved, though cases of \**ḥ* > 0 seem to occur.
- ◇ Mlt. *stilla* < Italian; Wol. *kälbäžo* < Cush.? (v. LGur 342). No term in Bib.
- Proto-Semitic \**kabkib-* (#1).

## 81. STONE

- (1) Akk. (Oakk on) *abn-*; Ugr. *ʔbn*; Hbr. *ʔäbän*; Pho. *ʔbn*; Bib. *ʔäbän*; Pal. *ʔäbēn*; Sab. *ʔbn*; Gez. *ʔabən*; Tna. *ʔəmn-i*; Tgr. *ʔəmən*; Sod. *əmmayyä*; Har. *ün*; Wol. *un*; Cha. *əmar*; Soq. *ʔóben* // < Sem. \**ʔabn-*.
- (2) Syr. *kaḫp-* (syn.: *ʔabn-* — v. #1); Urm. *kīʔp-* // < Sem. \**kaḫp-* ‘stone, stone structure’: Akk. (SB) *kāpu* (*kābu*, *kappu*) ‘cliff, embankment’ (CAD *k* 191), *kāpītu* ‘stony ground’ (ibid. 184), Hbr. *kēpīm* ‘rock’ (< Arm.? v. HALOT 492), Arb. *kūb-at-* ‘pierre avec laquelle on broie les aromates’ (BK 2 941), Yemenite Arb. *kāba* ‘pillar’ (LGz 272), Sab. *kʔb* ‘part of dam structure’ (SD 76), Gez. *kab* ‘fortress, fort’ < Amh. (LGz 272), Amh. *kab* ‘fort’ (acc. to Leslau, possibly of Cush. origin: Oromo *kab* id.; vice versa in the light of Sem. etymology), Gafat *kabā* ‘village’, Gurage \**kab* ‘wall made of stone’ (ibid.). Note: the above *p* ~ *b* correspondence accounted for by Sem \**ḫ* neatly fits this consonant hypothesis (v. SED I CV–CXVI).
- (3) Mnd. *glal-* // < Sem. \**ga/ul-* ~ \**gilal-* ‘stone’, perhaps < Sem. \**gll* ‘be round’ < Afras. \**g<sup>w</sup>alVl-* ‘be round’ (Mil. 2014).
- (4) Qur. *ḥažar-*; Lbn. *ḥažar*; Mec. *ḥažar* // Arb. only with two Eth. parallels suspicious as possible borrowings; possibly related, with metathesis, to Brb. \**Hirg-* ‘stone’ (Mil. 2014).
- (5) Mlt. *žebła* // < Sem. \**gVbVl-* ‘mountain; boundary, border’, v. MOUNTAIN #4.
- (6) Amh. *dəngay*; Arg. *dəngay*, *gənžela* (< \**gVndVl-*, with met. < \**dVngVl-*); Gaf. *dānga* // Tgr., Tna. *dāng<sup>w</sup>älla* ‘rocher’ < Mod. Eth. \**dang<sup>w</sup>al-* with no Sem. cognates; perhaps < Cush.: N.: Beja *dangeer* ‘a stone suitable for throwing’, C. \**dāng<sup>w</sup>ər-* ‘stone (large), rock’ (CDA 130), but with an unaccountable *r* > *l*; cf. obviously rel. C.Chad.: Tera *ndogu*, Malgwa *dōḡwala*, Makeri *dagwi* ‘stone’; one wonders if on this basis Afras. \**da(n)g<sup>w</sup>(-ir/l)-* (ADB) can be reconstructed (cf. Kog. LE footnote 112, quoting only the S.Eth. terms and calling them Cushitisms with a reference to Dolg. 1973: 124 for possible source-words. The cited pioneering work by the late Aharon Dolgopolsky, undoubtedly a great linguist, while paving the way to a new stage in Afrasian comparison, is nevertheless full of anticipatory and erroneous etymologies, many of which he himself revised or rejected later. The quoted entry \**čVlgVḥ-* ‘stone, rock’ contains four unrelated roots, none of which can be a source for the terms in question.)

- (7) Hrs. *şewwer*; Mhr. *şowwer*; Hob. *şóor* // < Sem. \**şVwwVr-* ~ \**şir(a)r-* ‘pebble, dust’ (Mil. 2014; cf. otherwise Kog. LE footnote 114).
- (8) Jib. *fúduń* (also ‘rock’) // probably < Sem. \**pad(d)an-* ‘path in the mountains’, v. MOUNTAIN #11 and Kog. LE footnote 115.
- Proto-Semitic \**ʔabn-* (#1) < Afras. \*(*ʔa*)*bun-* ‘stone, millstone’ (Mil. 2014).

## 82. SUN

- (1) Akk. (OB) *šamš-*; Hbr. *šämš*; Pho. *šmš*; Bib. *šamaš*; Pal. *šmš*; Syr. *šemš-*; Mnd. *šam(i)š-*; Urm. *šimš-*; Qur. *šams-*; Lbn. *šaməs*; Mec. *šams*; Mlt. *šemeš*; Sab. *s<sub>2</sub>ms<sub>1</sub>*; Soq. *šam* // < Sem. \**š<sub>x</sub>am(š<sub>x</sub>am)-*.
- (2) Ugr. *špš* // (no Sem. cognates found) < Afras. \**šip-* ‘sunlight, brightness’ (Mil. 2014).
- (3) Gez. *dāḥay*; Tna. *šāḥay*; Tgr. *šāḥay*; Amh. *ṭay*; Arg. *čāhed* // < Eth.-Arb. \**šVḥy-* < Afras. \**čVḥay/w-* ‘burning sun’ (Mil. 2014; add. N.Omot. \**čiHač-* (redupl.) ‘sun’: Dizi (Maji) *čaž*, (Sheko) *šešaù*, *čiaçu*, (Nao) *šaž* ADB).
- (4) Gaf. *äymärä*, Sod. *yimər*, *imər* // only Eth. incl. Gez. *ʔamir* ‘sun, day, time’ < Afras. \*(*ʔa-*)*mVr-* ‘(sun)light’ (cf. Mil. 2014).
- (5) Har. *ir*; Wol. *ayr*, Cha. *eyat* // Eth. incl. Gez. (Sawasew) *ʔer* < Sem. \**ʔVr-* ‘daylight’ (less likely “of possible Cushitic origin”, v. Kog. LE footnote 70) < Afras. \**ʔay/wr-* ‘sunlight’ (Mil. 2014).
- (6) Hrs. *heyom*; Mhr. *heyum*; Hob. *ḥyuuim*; Jib. *yum* (syn.: *šum* ‘sun’ or ‘heat of the sun’ — v. Kog. LE footnote 71) // < Sem. \**yawm-* ‘day’ < Afras. \**yam-* ‘day, sun’.
- Proto-Semitic \**š<sub>x</sub>am(š<sub>x</sub>am)-* (#1) < Afras. \**šam-* ‘burning heat’ (Mil. 2014).

## 83. SWIM

- (1) Hbr. *šḥy*; Syr. *šḥy*; Urm. *šḥy* // < Hbr.-Arm. \**šḥy* or \**šḥy*, probably < Afras. \**čaḥ/ṣ-* ‘bathe, wash oneself, swim’ (Mil. 2014, ADB)
- (2) Pal. *šwṭ* // no etymology found.
- (3) Qur. *sbḥ*; Lbn. *sabaḥ* // no etymology found unless MSA \**sbḥ* is genuine, which is less likely.
- (4) Mec. *šām*; Mlt. (*gh*)*ōm* // Arb. only.
- (5) Gez. *wānaya* (syn.: *ḥ/ḥammaša* — v. #6; *šal(l)ala* ‘to float, swim’ < Sem. \**šll* ‘to float’: Tna. *šälälä* ‘to float’, etc., Hbr. *šll* ‘to sink’ HALOT 1027); Amh. *waññe*; Arg. *wañña*; Sod. *waññäm* // only Eth. < Afras. \**wny/\*ynw/\*ʔnw/y* (Mil. 2014 #6).
- (6) Tna. *ḥambäsä*; Tgr. *ḥämmäsa* // cf. Arb. *ḥāmišat-* ‘petit ruisseau ou cours d’eau’ (Mil. 2014 #5).
- (7) Cha. *darag’ä* // for two etymological opportunities v. Mil. 2014.
- (8) Jib. *reḥ* (< *rbḥ*) // Soq. *rābaḥ* ‘se baigner’, no other cognates found.
- ◇ Har. (*tä*)*wāka* and Wol. *wače* < E.Cush. (HEC) — v. LGur 650; Hrs. *sebōḥ*, Mhr. *sūbaḥ*, Hob. *sōobaḥ*, Soq. *sbḥ* are Arabisms rather than genuine terms. No term in Akk., Ugr., Pho., Bib., Mnd., Sab. or Gaf.
- No common Semitic.

## 84. TAIL

- (1) Akk. (OB) *zibbat-*; Ugr. *ḏnb*; Hbr. *zānāb*; Syr. *dunb-*; Mnd. *dinabt-*; Mlt. *demp*; Gez. *zānāb*; Tna. *zānāb* (syn.: *mälaläs* — v. Mil. 2014); Tgr. *zännab*; Hrs. *ḏenēb*; Mhr. *ḏanūb*; Jib. *ḏúnub*; Soq. *dínob* // < Sem. \**ḏal/inab-(at-)* (SED I #64).
- (2) Pal. *ṫkws* // most likely < Sem. *ṫkš* ‘curl, braid’ with an isolated N.Omot. parallel (Mil. 2014).
- (3) Urm. *ṫipr-* // perhaps a semantic shift < Sem. *ṫip(V)r-* ‘claw’: see CLAW #1.

- (4) Lbn. *ḍayl*; Mec. *dayl* // with a semantic shift < Arb.-Arm. \**ḍyl* ‘to be low, humble’ (Mil. 2014); cf. Egyp. (MK) *znyy* ‘to suffer, be distressed’ (if *-n* < \**l*) and W.Chad. \**ḷeel* ‘suffering, troubles’ (ADB; unless < Nigerian Arb.).
- (5) Har. *ḳānāwa* // < Sem. \**ḳayn-* < Afras. \**ḳayn-* ~ \**ḳany-* ‘lower part of back’ (Mil. 2014 #6).
- (6) Sod. *wādinna* // no etymology found.  
 ◇ Amh., Arg. and Gaf. *ḳara* < E.Cush.; Wol. *goññä* < HEC; Cha. *ḷawä* presumably < E.Cush. (all in Mil. 2014). No term in Pho., Bib., Qur. and Sab.  
 → Proto-Semitic \**ḍal/inab-*(*at-*)- (#1).

## 85. THAT<sup>2</sup>

- (1) Akk. *ullû*; Tgr. *loha* // < Sem. \**hulli* (cf. SL 71).
- (2) Ugr. *hnk*; Mnd. *hanata* // scored together, since two of the three deictic elements are common; scored separately from other Sem. forms, since it is hard to say which of the three deictic elements is the main one (if *h-*, to score with #3).
- (3) Hbr. *hahū*(?); Pho. *h?*; Pal. *hāhū*(?); Syr. *haw*, *huw*; Urm. *hō*; Sab. *h?* // < Sem. \**hā* (or, rather, \**hV?*) “an additional deictic element” (SL 71; the attribute “additional” raises certain doubts since in this case, it is the main or even the only one), likely rel. to Brb.: Ahaggar *wah*, Nefusa *wūh* ‘this’, Qabyle (Ayt Mangellat) *wihin* ‘that’, etc. (ADB and ND 751, 752).
- (4) Bib. *dēk*; Qur. *ḍā(li)ka*; Lbn. *haḍak*; Mec. *ḍak*, *hāḍāk*; Mlt. *dak*; Gez. *zəkku*; Hrs. *ḍek*; Mhr. *ḍēk*; Hob. *ḍēek*; Jib. *ḍḷkun* // < Sem. \**ḍā-kV* — cf. SL 71.
- (5) Tna. *ḷati*, *ḷatuy* // origin obscure.
- (6) Amh. *ya* (syn.: *zzəya* — v. #4), Har. *ya?* // < Eth. \**yV?* (“an element of obscure origin”, acc. to SL 71) < Afras. \**ḷay-* ~ \**ḷa?*- (ADB): Coptic *ph-ē* (m.), *th-ē* (f.), *n-ē* (pl.) < \*-*ē* < \*-*ḷVy* (cf. Vyc 157–8); Brb. \**ḷay(a/i)* ‘this’; Chad. W.: Ngamo *yweḷu* ‘that one’, E.: Mokilko *ḷēḷ* (m.), *ḷéttu* (f.) ‘this (< \**ḷe-n/t* < \**ḷay-n/t?*).
- (7) Arg. *hod*, *wod* // < \**h/w-ad*, cf. Afras. \*-*d* ~ \**d-*: Brb.: Siwa *dawa*, Zenaga *aḍ* ‘this’, E.Tawlllemmet *adi* ‘that’, etc.; C.Cush.: Khamtanga *aḍ* ‘that’, etc. (CDA 134).
- (8) Gaf. *aññā*, Wol. *annä* // v. THIS #1.  
 → North and West (Tgr.) Semitic \**hulli* (#1).  
 → South and West Semitic \**ḍā-kV* (#4).

## 86. THIS (v. note on THAT)

- (1) Akk. (OB) *annū*; Gaf. *aññā*; Wol. *annä* // < Sem. \**ha/inna/i* (cf. SL 71).
- (2) Ugr. *hnd*; Hbr. *hazzā*; Pho. *z*, *zn*; Bib. *ḍanā*; Pal. *dē(y)n*, *hādē(y)n*; Syr. *hādākā* (syn.: *hānā* — v. #1); Mnd. *hazin*; Qur. *hādā*; Lbn. *hēḍā*; Mec. *hāḍa*; Mlt. *dan*; Sab. *ḍ-n/t* (syn.: *h?* — v. #3); Gez. *zəntu*; Tna *ḷazu(y)*; Sod. *zi*; Cha. *zə(k)*; Hrs. *ḍen* (also *ḍah*, *ḍi*); Mhr. *ḍome*; Hob. *ḍāanəh*; Jib. *ḍenu*; Soq. *de* // < Sem. \**ḍV-/\*-ḍV* (combined with additional deictic elements \**hā* and *-Vn(V)* — v. SL 71).
- (3) Urm. *ḷāhā* // < \*-*hā* — v. THAT #3.
- (4) Tgr. *ḷalli/a* // v. THAT #1.
- (5) Amh. *yih* (< \**yik?*) // apparently united with Har. *yi(?)* in Kog LE 473, which is far from evident: in Amh. \**h* normally > 0, while \**k* may yield *h*, whereas in Har. normally \**h* > *ḷ* and not > ? or 0 (if with few exceptions); as for the uncertainty “whether Southern Ethiopian forms like Amh. *yih*, Har *yī?* can be derived from \**ḍa*” (ibid.), they undoubtedly cannot.

<sup>2</sup> The method for grouping deictic pronouns has been completely revised and changed compared to the one chosen in Mil. 2014 (v. footnote 20); Afras. parallels have been also added when found.

- (6) Arg. *hud* (m.), *hudette* (f.) // < \**hud-* — v. **THAT** #7.  
 (7) Har. *yi(?)* // v. **THAT** #6.  
 → North and West (Gaf. and Wol.) Semitic \**halinnali* (#1) < Afras.: Brb. \**wihin* (v. **THAT** #3), \**win* (Ahaggar *wîn*, etc.), \*(*H*)*an* (Zenaga *a/in*, Mzab *ənni*, etc.) ‘that’; N.Omot.: Bworo *hánní*, Kafa *hini*, Yemsa *han* ‘this’ (ADB). If the main deictic element in \**halinnali* is \*-*n-*, cf. Afras.: Egyp. (Pyr.) -*n* (less likely < \**l*) in *p-n* (m.), *t-n* (f.), *n-n* (pl.) ‘this’; Brb. -*n-* (in the above forms); Chad. W.: Angas *nyə*, Kirfi *na*, Gera *nu*, Buli, Mangas -*nà*, etc. ‘this’, C.: \**nV?*(*nV*), \**?Vn(n)V* ‘this’; Cush. N.: Beja *ûn* (m.), *t-ûn* (f.) ‘this’, C. \**?Vn-* ~ \**nVn-* ‘this’ (CDA 136), Kemant *yîn*, Aungi *an* ‘that’ (ibid. 134), E.: LEC \*-(*a*)*n* ~ \**-na/i* ‘this’, HEC: Sidamo *ku-ni* (m.), *ti-ni* (f.) ‘this’, Dullay \**na/u* ‘this’; N.Omot.: Yemsa *ʔóonu-*, Mao *na* ‘this’ (ADB).  
 → South and West Semitic \*(*hā-*)*dV(-nV)* (#2); cf. C.Cush. \**Hinžay* : Bilin *inžā* ‘that’ (CDA 134), Khamtanga *ənzay* ‘this’ (ibid. 136).

**87. THOU**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *atta*; Ugr. *ʔat*, *ʔattā*; Hbr. *ʔattā*; Pho. *ʔt*; Bib. *ʔantā*; Pal. *ʔat(t)*; Syr. *ʔa(n)t*; Mnd. *anat*; Urm. *ʔa(n)t*; Qur. *ʔanta*; Lbn. *ʔint(ə)*; Mec. *ʔinta*; Mlt. *int*; Sab. *ʔnt*; Gez. *ʔanta*; Tna. *ʔanta* (only in addressing); Tgr. *ʔanta*; Amh. *antā*; Gaf. *ant*, *antā*; Wol. *atā* // < Sem. \**ʔanta* (ADB).  
 (2) Tna. *nəssə-ka* // < \**nəfsu-ka* < Sem. \**nap(i)š-* ‘soul; vitality, life; person, personality; self’ < Afras. (v. **PERSON** #9).  
 (3) Arg. *ank(u)*; Har. *akā-*; Cha. *akā-* // S.Eth. only (likely of the same origin as the Sem. possessive pronoun \*-*k* of the 2nd person) < Afras. \**ʔa-(n)kV(k)-* ‘thou’ (in Mil. 2014 #2 erroneously united with Tna. *nəssə-ka*).  
 (4) Sod. *dāhā* // no etymology found.  
 (5) Hrs. *hēt*; Mhr. *hit*; Hob. *hēt*; Jib. *hēt*; Soq. *het* // < \**hit* (hardly < \**ʔanta*; cf. Kog. LE 473), matching N.Omot.: Dizi (Maji) *yetu*, (Sheko) *yeta*, (Nao) *yeta*, possibly < \**hitV* (not < \**ʔa(n)tV*: acc. to Bnd Om 230, in all Dizi \**h-* > 0, \*-*n-* > -*n-*, in all \*-*nC* series *n* is preserved).  
 → Proto-Semitic \**ʔant-* (#1) < Afras. \**ʔa(n)tV* (Mil. 2014).

**88. TONGUE**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *lišān-*; Ugr. *lšn*; Hbr. *lāšōn*; Bib. *liš(š)ān*; Pal. *lyšn*, *läššān*; Syr. *leššān-*; Mnd. *lišān-*; Urm. *lišān-*; Qur. *lisān-*; Lbn. *lsen*; Mec. *lisān*; Mlt. *lsin*; Sab. *lsin*; Gez. *lassan*; Tgr. *nəssal* (met.); Hrs. *lēšen*; Mhr. *ewšēn*; Jib. *elšēn*; Soq. *lēšin* // Sem. \**liš(š)ān-* (SED I #181).  
 (2) Tna. *mālhās*; Amh. *mālas*; Arg. *mālas*; Gaf. *mālasā* // < Sem. \**lhš* ‘to lick’, rel. to W.Chad. \**IVs-* ‘to lick’ (St. 2005 #240; rather < \**IVHVs-*, cf. Hausa *lāasā*, Gwandara *lihye*).  
 ◇ Sod. *alāmāt*; Har. *arrāt*; Wol. *arāmāt*; Cha. *anābat* < E.Cush. (LGur. 89). No term in Pho.  
 → Proto-Semitic \**liš(š)ān-* (#1) < Afras. \*(*ʔi-*)*lis(-an)-* ‘tongue’ (Mil. 2014; add N.Omot.: Oyda *ilāns* (with met., hardly < Eth. which is odd for a lw.) id. (ADB).

**89. TOOTH**

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *šinn-*; Ugr. *šn*; Hbr. *šēn*; Bib. *šēn*; Pal. *šn*; Syr. *šenn-*; Mnd. *šin-*; Qur. *sinn-*; Lbn. *sən*; Mec. *sinn*; Mlt. *sinna*; Sab. *ʔn*, Gez. *sənn*; Tna. *sənni*; Arg. *sən*; Gaf. *sənā*; Sod. *sənn*; Har. *sən*; Wol. *əsən*; Cha. *sən*; Jib. *šnin* // Sem. \**šinn-* (SED I #249).  
 (2) Urm. *kīk-* // Sem. \**kVkk-* ‘tooth’ < Afras. \**ʔik-* ~ \**kakk-* ‘tooth’ (Mil. 2014).  
 (3) Sab. *ʔn* (Stein, one attestation), Hob. *mʔanyóot* // < Sem. \**ʔVny-* ‘front tooth, incisor’, likely < \**ʔinay-* ‘two’ < Afras. (v. **TWO** #1).  
 (4) Tgr. *nibāt* // < Sem. \**nī/āb-* ‘(canine) tooth’ (Mil. 2014).  
 (5) Amh. *ʔərs*; Hrs. *mežrēh*; Mhr. *məžrāh* // < Sem. \**širš-* ‘molar tooth’ (Mil. 2014 #4); cf. W.Chad.: Ankwe *šəɔr* ‘molar tooth’ (š may originate from \*č).

- (6) Soq. *šále* (syn.: *mitníoh* ‘dent’ in LS 443 — v. #5; *šášal* “of uncertain origin” Kog. LE 473, but with Afras. parallels — v. Mil. 2014 #7) // acc. to LS 309, “originnairement ‘dents supérieures’“ < *šélhe* ‘haut’ < Sem. \**šly* ‘be high, rise’ < Afras. \**šaly-* ‘to rise, climb; mountain’ (ADB).

◇ No term in Pho.

→ Proto-Semitic \**šinn-* (#1) < Afras. \**sin-* ‘tooth’ (Mil. 2014).

## 90. TREE

- (1) Akk. (OB) *iš(š)-*; Ugr. *šš*; Hbr. *šš*; Gez. *šad*; Tgr. *šadžät*; Gaf. *anča*; Wol. *anče*; Cha. *äčä* // < Sem. \**š/i/ušš-* (Mil. 2014).
- (2) Bib. *šilān*; Pal. *šilān*; Syr. *šilān-*; Mnd. *alan-*; Urm. *šilān-* // < Sem. \**ša/i-l(y)ān-* ‘(oak)tree’ < Afras. \**(šV)-lVn-* ‘(kind of) tree’ (v. Mil. 2014).
- (3) Qur. *šažar-*; Lbn. *šažar*; Mec. *šažara*; Mlt. *sižra* // < Arb. (or Arb.-MSA) \**šagar-* (Mil. 2014; cf. Kog. LE in footnote 117 wondering if an internal Sem., not very convincing etymology, may fit) < Afras. \**šagVr-* with only Chad. but a triconsonantal parallel (Mil. 2014).
- (4) Tna. *šom* // no etymology found (Mil. 2014).
- (5) Hrs. *herōm*; Mhr. *harmáyt*; Hob. *harmíit* (and *šadžréet* < Arb.?); Jib. *heyrom* // < Sem. \**harūm-* ~ \**harm-ay-* (Mil. 2014; cf. Kog. LE footnote 118 surprisingly overlooking Akk. (MB) *urūmu* ‘a tree in mountains’ (CDAk 427).
- (6) Soq. *širohom* // < \**širVm-* or \**š<sub>x</sub>irVm-* (the similarity with #5 is delusive); for two alternative Sem. etymologies and Afras. parallels to one of them v. Mil. 2014.
- ◇ Amh., Arg. and Sod. *zaf* < C.Cush. (Mil. 2014); Har. *läfu* likely < deverbal Arb. *laff-* ‘arbre touffu’ < *lff* ‘ê. touffu’ (ibid.). No term in Pho. or Sab.
- North and West Semitic \**š/i/ušš-* (#1) < Afras. \**š(i)nč-* (Mil. 2014).

## 91. TWO

- (1) Akk. (OB) *šinā*; Ugr. *tn*; Hbr. *šonayim*; Pho. *šnm*; Qur. *šitnāni*; Lbn. *tneyn*; Mec. *šitnayn*; Mlt. *tnēyn*; Sab. *tny* // < Sem. \**tinay-*.
- (2) Bib. *tārē(y)n*; Pal. *tray(y)n*, *tryy*; Syr. *tārē(y)n-*; Mnd. *trin*; Urm. *tārī*; Hrs. *terō*; Mhr. *terōh*; Hob. *itrōh*; Jib. *trōh*; Soq. *tiro* // < Sem. \**tiray/w-*; surprisingly neither Arm. nor the MSA terms are mentioned in a very thorough Kog. LE (p. 473).
- (3) Gez. *kalʔe*; Tna. *kalattä, kaltä*; Tgr. *kalʔot m., kalʔe f.*; Amh. *hulät*; Arg. *ket, häʔat*; Gaf. *alattä*; Sod. *kitt*; Har. *koʔot*; Wol. *hoyt*; Cha. *k<sup>w</sup>et* // < Sem. \**kilʔ-* ‘both’-: Akk. *kilallū*, Ugr. *kla-t* ‘both’, Hbr. *kilʔ-ayim* ‘of two kinds’, Arb. *kilā*, Sab. *klʔy*, Soq. *keʔala* ‘both’ (ADB) < Afras. \**ki/alVʔ-* ‘the two equal, one and the other’: Egyp. (Pyr.) *ky* ‘other’ (if < \**kVl-*); C.Chad.: Mada *kal* ‘to be equal’, Mofu *kal kal* ‘pareil’ (considered by some Chadacists a loan from Fulfulde); S.Cush.: Burunge *kalel-* ‘to be similar’ (ADB).
- North and West Semitic \**tinay-* (#1) < Afras. \**čin-* ‘two’ (Mil. 2014).
- West (Arm.) and South Semitic \**tiray/w-* (#2); for a possible connection with Chad. \**cVr-* ‘two’ v. Mil. 2014 footnote 24 (add another controversial parallel: S.Cush. \**c/čar-* or \**c/čad-* ‘two’: Iraqw *cár*, Alagwa *car*, Burunge *čada*; reflexes of \**c-* and \**č* coincide in these languages; *d* in Burunge vs. *r* in other Iraqoid is usually considered to reflect \**d*, which is confirmed by convincing examples; however, there are several examples of the same correspondence pointing to \**r*.)

## 92. WALK

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *alaku*; Ugr. *hlk*; Hbr. *hlk*; Pho. *hlk*; Bib. *hlk*; Syr. *hlc* (syn.: *ʔzl* — v. #2) // < Sem. \**hlc-* (Mil. 2014).

- (2) Pal. *ʔzl* (syn.: *hlk* — v. #1); Urm. *ʔzl* (syn.: *rḥš* < Sem. \**rḥš* ‘to move’ HALOT 1222) // < Sem. \*(*ʔ*)*zl* < Afras. \*(*ʔa*)*ʕVl*- ‘walk; run’ (Mil. 2014).
- (3) Mnd. *sga* // < Sem. \**ṣ<sub>x</sub>gy* ‘walk, stray’ with Chad. parallels pointing to Afras. \**ṣVg*- ‘to roam, stray, err’ (Mil.2014).
- (4) Qur. *mšy*; Lbn. *māša*; Mec. *mišiy*; Mlt. *meša* // no Sem. etymology found; for debatable Afras. parallels v. Mil. 2014. Perhaps, with met. < Arb. *šym* ‘entrer, penetrer dedain’ (BK 1 1300) < Afras. \**ṣVyVm*- or \**ṣVyVm*- depending on what Chad. root fits better: \**ṣVm*- ‘to take and carry’ (St. 2007 #215) or \**ṣVm*- ‘pursue, chase’; Egyp. (Pyr.) *šm* ‘to go’ (ADB).
- (5) Sab. *mzʔ* // v. COME #2 (contra Mil. 2014 #5).
- (6) Gez. *ḥwr*; Gaf. (*a*)*horä*; Har. *ḥāra*; Cha. *wərwar*, *wärä* // < Eth.-Arb. \**ḥwr* ‘to walk, go, return < Afras. \**ḥwr* ~ \**ḥry* ‘walk, go away’ (v. Mil. 2014 #7).
- (7) Tna. *kädä*, *kedä*; Tgr. *kedä*; Amh. *hedä*; Arg. *heda*; Wol. *hedä* // < Eth.-Arb. \**kyd* ~ \**kdkd* ‘to walk, walk slowly’ < Afras. \**ky/wd* ‘to walk, run’ (v. Mil. 2014 #8).
- (8) Sod. *alläfäm* // < Sem. \**ḥlp* ‘to pass’ (Mil. 2014).
- (9) Jib. *aḡad* // etymology unclear; perhaps < Arb. (v. Mil. 2014 #10).
- (10) Soq. *ʕód* (syn.: *ṭaher* — v. Mil. 2014 #11) // (unless rel. to Jib. *aḡad* — #9) < Sem. \**ʕdw/y* ‘walk, pass by’ < Afras. \**ʕad*- ‘walk, come and go’ (Mil. 2014 #5).
- ◊ Hrs. *seyōr*; Mhr. *səyūr*, Hob. *syóor* seem to be Arabisms; cf., however, Soq. *š(t)ry* ‘entrer’ (LS 422), which may point to common (and in that case, quite likely genuine) MSA \**syr* ~ \**sry* < Sem. (MSA-Arb.) \**šyr* with a Chad. parallel \**sVr*- ‘to go’ (St. 2009 #323).
- North and West Semitic \**hlc* (#1), cf. Afras. \**lkw* ~ \**lwk* ‘to walk’ (Mil. 2014).

### 93. WARM

- (1) Akk. (OB) *emmu* (‘hot’; syn.: *šaḥānu* ‘to become warm, to warm oneself’ — v. #2); Hbr. *ḥām*; Pal. *ḥmym*, *ḥmyn*; Syr. *ḥamīm*- // < Sem. \**ḥamm*- ‘heat’ (HALOT 325).
- (2) Syr. *šhen*, Urm. *šāḥīn*-; Lbn. *səḥni*; Mlt. *shūn*; Jib. *šhan* // < Sem. \**šhn* (Mil. 2014).
- (3) Mec. *ḥārr* // < Sem. \**ḥrr* ‘be hot’ (Mil. 2014).
- (4) Gez. *məwuk*; Tna. *məwuk*; Amh. *muk*; Arg. *ʔamo*; Gaf. *moḳä*; Sod. *muḳəṇna*; Cha. *m<sup>w</sup>äk*; Har. *muk*; Wol. *muḳamuk* // only Eth. \**mwoḳ* ‘to be hot, warm’ ~ \**mkk* ‘to burn’ (metaphorically); cf. also, with met., Akk. *ḳamû* ‘burn up’ CDAk 283); < Afras. (Mil. 2014; add. Brb.: Adghaq *a-mäḡay* ‘grilled grains’, E.Tawllemmet *əmyəḡ* ‘to grill (grains); be grilled’ (ADB).
- (5) Tgr. *ḥəfun* (syn.: *moḳa* — v. #4) // no Sem. cognates found; < Afras. \**ḥVf*- ~ \**fVḥ*- ‘fire; burn’ (Mil. 2014 #5).
- (6) Hrs. *ḥwob*; Mhr. *hōb* (syn.: *gōna* < Sem. \**gawn*- < Afras. — v. Mil. 2014 #7) // < Sem. \**hawb*- with debatable Cush. parallels (Mil. 2014).
- (7) Soq. *di-yenāḥa* // only MSA (v. BURN #11 and Mil. 2014 #8).
- ◊ In Ugr., only the verb *šhn* ‘to be hot, have fever, warm oneself’ (DUL 812) that should rather not be scored; no term in Pho., Bib., Mnd., Qur. (outside the Qur’an it is *suḥn*-) and Sab.
- North and West Semitic \**ḥamm*- (#1).
- South and West Semitic \**šhn* (#2) with debatable (no traces of *-ḥ*-) Afras. parallels: W.Chad.: Pero *čénò* ‘to warm’, Kulere, Daffo-Butura *sān* ‘warm’; Omot.: Ongota *šōni* ‘warm’ (ADB).

### 94. WATER

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *mū*; Ugr. *my*, *mym* (syn.: *mh* — v. #3); Hbr. *mayim*; Pal. *may(y)in*, *myy*; Syr. *mayyē*; Mnd. *mi*-; Urm. *məy*-; Qur. *māʔ*-; Lbn. *may*; Mec. *mayya*; Mlt. *ilma* (*il-ma*, with the article); Sab. *maw*, *mwy*; Gez. *may*; Tna. *may*; Tgr. *may*; Har. *mīy*; Wol. *mäy* // < Sem. \**maʔ/y*-.

- (2) Arg. *ʔofa* // no Sem. cognates found, likely, with met., < Afras. *\*piʔaʕ-* ‘rain’ (Mil. 2014).
- (3) Hrs. *ḥemyoh*; Mhr. *ḥemūh*; Hob. *ḥmóh*; Jib. *mih* // < Sem. *\*mawh-* ~ *\*mahw-* (likely a variant root of *\*maʔ/y-* #1, to be scored separately): Ugr. *mh* ‘water’ (DUL 534–5 also quoting Aram. *mwh* id.), *mhyt* ‘meadow, irrigated land’ or ‘waters’ (ibid. 537; comp. with Eyp. *mhy* ‘water’ which is in fact *mḥy*, unrelated), Arb. *mwh* ‘av. beaucoup d’eau (puits)’, *mi-yāh-*, *ʔamwāh-* (pl.), *māh-* ‘eau’ (BK 2 1169), *mahw-* ‘lait clair, aqueux, délayé d’eau’, *muhāt-* ‘sperme’ (ibid. 1164), Gez. *məhwa* ‘melt (intr.), be liquefied, dissolve, make dwindle’ (LGz 334–5), Tgr. *māha* ‘melt, be melted’, Har. *mōḥa* ‘be melted’ (ibid.).
- (4) Soq. *riho* // < Sem. *\*rVwVy-* ‘abundant water; watering, irrigating’ < Afras. *\*riway/ʔ-* ~ *\*ʔVraw/y-* (Mil. 2014 #3).
- ◇ Amh. *wəha*, Gaf. *ägä*, Sod. *yiga*, Cha. *əka* are considered Cushitisms (however, the S.Eth. consonants cannot be explained from any Cush. source-words available — v. Mil. 2014). No term in Pho. or Bib.
- North and West Semitic *\*maʔ-* (#1) < Afras. *\*maʔ/w/y-* (Mil. 2014).

### 95. WE

- (1) Akk. (OB) *nīnu*; Ugr. *nḥn*; Hbr. *anaḥnū*; Pho. *ʔnḥn*; Bib. *ʔānaḥnāʔ*; Pal. *ʔānan* (curiously, with *-ḥ-* dropped); Syr. *ḥənan*; Mnd. *anin*; Urm. *ʔaḥənan*; Qur. *naḥnu*; Lbn. *nəḥn(i)*; Mec. *ʔiḥna*; Mlt. *aḥna*; Gez. *nəḥnä*; Tna. *nəḥna*; Tgr. *ḥəna*; Amh. *ʔəñña*; Arg. *ənnā*; Gaf. *ənni*; Sod. *əñña*; Har. *əñña*; Wol. *iñña*; Cha. *yəna*; Hrs. *neḥa*; Mhr. *nəḥa*; Jib. *nəḥan*; Hob. *nəḥa*; Soq. *ḥanhen* // Sem. *\*(ʔa)naḥnu* ~ *\*(ʔa)ḥan(an)* ‘we’.
- ◇ No term in Sab.
- Proto-Semitic *\*(ʔa)naḥnu* ~ *\*(ʔa)ḥan(an)* < Afras. *\*naḥ(n-)* ~ *\*ḥi/an(a/in)-* ‘we’ (Mil. 2014; conventionally united: perhaps to be treated not as one root with met., but as two variant roots to be scored separately; the Brb., Sidamo and Dizi (Nao) forms should be probably treated as constituting one more different Afras. root).

### 96. WHAT?

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *mīnu*; Gez. *mənt*; Tna. *məntay*; Amh. *mən*; Arg. *mən*; Gaf. *mən, məni*; Sod. *mən*; Har. *min*; Wol. *mən*; Cha. *mər* // < Sem. *\*min-*.
- (2) Ugr. *mh*; Hbr. *mā*; Pho. *m*; Bib. *mā*; Pal. *mh*; Syr. *mā*; Mnd. *mahu*; Urm. *mū(-dī)*; Qur. *mā*; Sab. *m*; Tgr. *mi/ə* // Sem. *\*ma(-h)*, *-h* likely “a... deictic element” (v. THAT #3) variant *\*mi* (Tgr.).
- (3) Lbn. *šū*; Mec. *ʔayš*; Mlt. *še*; Hrs. *hašen*; Mhr. *həšəḥn* (*h-* most probably identical to *-h* in #2) // < Sem. *\*šayʔ-* ‘thing; what?’ (Mil. 2014).
- (4) Hob. *inih*; Jib. *ʔinε*; Soq. *inim* (*\*ʔini-maʔ*) // < MSA *\*ʔini-* < Sem. *\*ʔay(y)-Vn-* < Afras. *\*ʔVy/wVn-* ~ *\*nay(n)-* ‘what?’ (Mil. 2014; add E.Chad.: Migama *ʔini-méu* and N.Cush.: Beja *naa* ‘what?’).
- North and West (Eth.) Semitic *\*min-* (#1) < Afras. *\*mVn-* ‘what?’ (Mil. 2014 #2; I would like to change my opinion about a secondary parallel development in favor of a common Afras. pronoun).
- South and West (Arb.) Semitic *\*šayʔ-* ‘thing; what?’ (#3) < Afras. *\*čayʔ-* ~ *\*ʔič-* ‘thing; what? who?’ (Mil. 2014); in the light of *hV-* and *-n* in Hrs. and Mhr. absent in Arb. and the Afras. parallels, these MSA forms seem more plausibly genuine than borrowed from Arb.
- West Semitic *\*ma(-h)* (#2) < Afras. *\*ma/i* or *\*may* ‘what?’ (Mil. 2014 #1; add to Eyp. “what?” another meaning “who?”).

### 97. WHITE

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *pešū* // < Sem. *\*pVšVḥ-* ‘be bright’ with tenable Chad. parallels (Mil. 2014).



- (2) Ugr. *lbn*, *labanu*; Hbr. *lābān*; Pho. *lbn*; Mnd. *lbina*; Hrs. *elbōn*; Mhr. *əwbōn* (pl. *lēbən*); Hob. *lboón*; Jib. *lūn*; Soq. *libnon* // < Sem. \**lbn* ‘be white’ (Mil. 2014).
- (3) Bib. *ḥiwār*; Pal. *ḥwōr*, *ḥyōr*; Syr. *ḥewwār-*; Mnd. *hiuar-* (syn.: *ṣuhar* — v. Mil. 2014 #4); Urm. *ḥəwār-* // < Sem. \**ḥwr* ‘be black and white’ (Mil. 2014).
- (4) Qur. *ʔabyaḍ-*; Lbn. *ʔabyaḍ*; Mec. *ʔabyaḍ*; Mlt. *abyat* // < Sem. \**bayṣ-* ‘egg’ with a reliable Chad. parallel < Afras. \**bayṣ-* (v. Mil. 2014 #5; disregard N.Omot. \**bawṣ-* ‘white’ since it is more likely rel. to Sem. \**biṣṣ-* ‘bright, brilliant, yellow’ — v. YELLOW #4).
- (5) Gez. *ṣāʕdā*, *ṣaʕadā*, *ḍaʕadā*; Tna. *ṣaʕda*; Tgr. *ṣaʕda* // no Sem. cognates found; if < \**ṣaʕd-*, cf. C.Chad. \**ṣVd-* ‘to shine, be light, clear’: Muyang *ácàḍāy* ‘to shine’, Moloko *caḍay* ‘to clear’, *waḍaḍay* ‘to shine’, Gude *cáḍákə* ‘early morning’, Hitkalanchi *sdókó* ‘morning, tomorrow’ (St. 2009 #687); \*-ḍ- probably points to \*-Hd-.
- (6) Amh. *nāčč*; Gaf. *nəṣwä*; Sod. *näččä*; Har. *näčṯh*; Cha. *näčä* // < Sem. \**nṣḥ* ‘be pure, clean, brilliant’ < \**ṣVḥ-* ‘be white, clear, shimmer’ with fossilized *n-* < Afras. \**ṣaḥ-* ‘be clear, bright, white’ (Mil. 2014 #7).
- (7) Arg. *zah*, *zahi* // (unless same as syn.: *zelläha* in Mil. 2014 #8 with *-lli* > *-y/i*, cf. LArg 7) < Sem. \**zhy* ‘be brilliant’ (Mil. 2014 #8) with a parallel in Chad. W.: Bokkos *zàwà* ‘white’, C.: Mandara *zeyé*, *zéžé* ‘white’, Gisiga *zīzan* (< \**zVz-Vn*) ‘yellow’ < Afras. \**ṣVhVy-* ‘be bright, white, shine’ (ADB).
- (8) Wol. *gumārä* // < South Eth.; for possible Sem. cognates v. Mil. 2014 #10.
- (9) Cha. *g<sup>w</sup>ad* // probably < Eth. \**g<sup>w</sup>Vhd* < Eth.-Arb. \**ghd* ‘be clear, visible’ (Mil. 2014 #11).  
 ◇ No term in Sab.  
 → South and West Semitic \**lbn* (#2) < Afras. \**li/ab(-an)-* ‘white’ (Mil. 2014).

## 98. WHO?

- (1) Akk. (OAKk on) *mannu*; Bib. *man*; Pal. *man*, *mʔn*; Syr. *man(-nu)*; Mnd. *man*; Urm. *man*; Qur. *man*; Lbn. *meyn*; Mec. *miyn*; Mlt. *mīn*; Sab. *mn*; Gez. *mannu*; Tna. *mān*; Tgr. *mān*; Amh. *man*; Arg. *man* (syn.: *ma* — v. #2); Gaf. *man*; Har. *mān*; Cha. *m<sup>w</sup>an*; Hrs. *mōn*; Mhr. *mon*; Jib. *mun*; Soq. *mon* // < Sem. \**man-* (ADB); perhaps eventually related to \**min* ‘what?’ with vocalic opposition (v. WHAT? #1).
- (2) Ugr. *my*; Hbr. *mī*; Pho. *mī*; Sod. *ma* (syn.: *man* — v. #1); Wol. *ma* // < Sem. \**mi/a*; perhaps eventually related to \**ma(-h)* ‘what?’ (v. WHAT? #2).  
 → Proto-Semitic \**man-* (#1) < Afras. \**man(V)*, rarely \**min(V)* — v. EDE III 12–13.  
 → West Semitic \**mi/a* < Afras. \**mi/a* — v. EDE III 9–12.

## 99. WOMAN

- (1) Akk. (OB) *sinništu* // no cognates whatsoever. As a probably far-fetched hypothesis: could this not be a unique compound word, made up of *sūnu* ‘lap, crotch; euphemism for sexual parts’ (CAD s 386–7) and *ništu* either < Sem. \**niš-* or < \**niṯ-* (v. #2)?
- (2) Ugr. *ʔatt*; Hbr. *ʔiššā*; Pho. *ʔšt*; Pal. *ʔä(y)ttā*, *ʔth*; Syr. *ʔi(n)tāt-*; Mnd. *ant-*; Sab. *ʔnṯt*; Tgr. *ʔəssit*; Arg. *ənəšča*; Gaf. *ansätä* // < Sem. \**ʔa/inṯ-at-*.
- (3) Urm. *niḳva* // < Hbr.-Arm. \**naḳb-at-* ‘woman’ < Sem. \**nḳb* ‘to drill, bore through’ (Mil. 2014).
- (4) Qur. *ʔimraʔat-*, *marʔat-*; Lbn. *marā*; Mlt. *mara* // fem. < Sem. \**marʔ-* ‘male human’ < Afras. \**marʔ-* ‘man/woman, child, human being’ (Mil. 2014).
- (5) Mec. *ḥurma* // < Arb. *ḥurmat-* ‘chose sacrée; famille d’un homme, surtout sa femme ou sa fille’ < Sem. \**ḥrm* ‘forbid, dedicate, declare sacred’ (Mil. 2014).
- (6) Gez. *bəʔəsit* (syn.: *ʔanəst* — v. #2 and Kog. LE 483) // fem. < *bəʔəs-i* ‘man’, N.Eth. only with a plausible Arb. parallel < Afras. \**bVʔVs-* ‘son, boy, coeval’ (Mil. 2014#6).

- (7) Tna. *sābüy-ti*; Amh. *set* // fem. < Eth. \**sab?*-; for possible Sem. connections and Chad. parallels v. Mil. 2011 #11).
- (8) Sod. *məšt*; Wol. *məšt*; Cha. *məšt* // no Sem. cognates found; for Afras. parallels see MAN #10.
- (9) Har. *idōč*, *indōč* // (-oč like in *abōč* ‘male’ < \**ʔab-* ‘father’?) < Sem. \**ʔVd-at-* ‘lady’ (otherwise < Cush., so in Kog. LE footnote 126) < Afras. \**ʔa(n)d-* ‘elder female relative’ (Mil. 2014).
- (10) Hrs. *teṭ*; Mhr. *tiṭ*; Hob. *téet*; Jib. *teṭ* // no etymology, unless < \**t-it* < \**tV-ʔit-* < \**ʔa/int-at-* (this is certainly the case with pl. \**ʔiniṭ-* — v. #2, Mil. 2014 and Kog LE 482) with a prefixal rather than suffixal fem. formative.
- (11) Soq. *ḡāže* // fem. < *ḡayg* ‘man’; for MSA, plausible Sem. and highly tenable Afras. parallels v. MAN #12 in Mil. 2011.
- ◇ No term in Bib.
- West Semitic \**ʔa/int-at-* (#2) with an attractive parallel in Omot. \**Hinč-* (Mil. 2014; add N.Omot.: Mao (Bambeshi) *êntê* ‘man’).

## 100. YELLOW

- (1) Akk. (OB) (*w*)*arḳ-* (also ‘green’); Ugr. *yrḳ* (‘greenish yellow’); Pal. *yrḳ* (also ‘green’); Syr. *yūrāḳ-* (also ‘green’); Mnd. *yuraq-* (also ‘green, pallid’) // < Sem. \**warḳ-* ‘yellow, green’ (Mil. 2014).
- (2) Hbr. *šāhōb* // perhaps should be excluded, since the color is uncertain (v. Mil. 2014).
- (3) Qur. *šafrāʔ-* (f.); Lbn. *ʔašfar*; Mec. *šfar*; Mlt. *isfar* // only Arb. (contra (Mlt. 2014)).
- (4) Gez. *beša*, *bəšā*; Tna. *biča*; Amh. *biʔača*; Arg. *bəča*; Wol. *bičä* // < Sem. \**bišš-* ‘bright, brilliant’ (Mil. 2014).
- (5) Tgr. *šāgray* // (also ‘greyish brown, light-coloured’) either < Arb.-Eth. \**šag<sup>w</sup>Vr-* ‘k. of unidentified color’ or a lw. < Sudanic Arb. *ʔašgar* (Mil. 2014).
- (6) Sod. *weṭa*; Cha. *weṭa* // identification with #4 is justly doubted in LGur 672; more likely rel. to Arb. *wāḏiḥ-* ‘clair, brilliant, etc’ (v. Mil. 2014).
- (7) Hrs. *hežōr*; Mhr. *həžáwr*; Jib. *šəžrór* // also ‘green’ (v. GREEN #7).
- ◇ Urm. *zārdā* is an Iranism; Hob. *karkmí*; Soq. *kirkam* (and *kérkham* ‘safran’ LS 225) are considered to be borrowed from Arb. *kurkum-* ‘safran indien, curcuma; henna’ (acc. to DRS 1275, “mot voyageur” of obscure origin, attested in most Sem. languages; Sem. origin cannot be ruled out, which would probably qualify the Hob. and Soq. terms as genuine); Mhr. *šāfār* (‘yellow, green; brass’), Jib. *šəfrór* are most likely Arabisms. No term in Pho., Bib., Sab., Gaf. and Har.
- North and West Semitic \**warḳ-* (#1) < Afras. \**wVraḳ-* ‘green, yellow’ (Mil. 2014).

## A few comments on the results and some working conclusions

First of all, it needs to be mentioned that I usually trust genealogical classifications based on lexicostatistics more than those that are based on morphological and/or phonological isoglosses (even if those tend to be more popular). The latter tend to be scarce (and, consequently, largely useless for any kinds of statistical calculations — unlike lexical isoglosses that may rely on both etymology *and* statistics), often heterogenous and contradictory within the same taxon, and lacking (for now, at least) any widely accepted and coherent typological hierarchy that would be universally relevant for producing genealogical classifications.

The classification resulting from the present study and presented graphically in Fig. 1 confirms my previous conclusions:

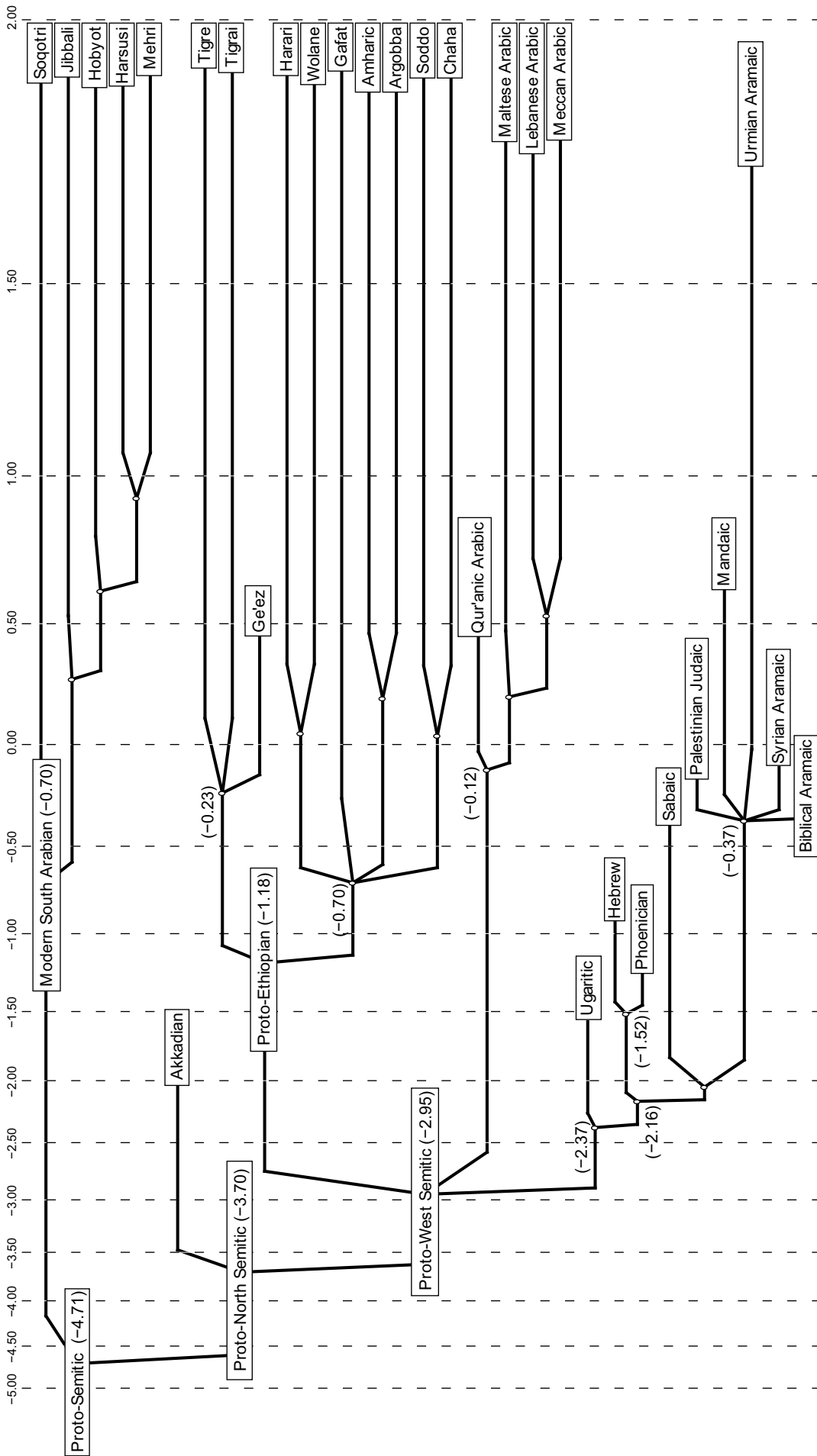


Fig. 1. Genealogical classification of Semitic languages (based on the application of Sergei Starostin's glottochronological formula to 100-item Swadesh wordlists).

**A. In genetic classification:**

- (1) an early separation of what I call South Semitic (Proto-MSA) from the main bulk of Semitic, apparently including Akkadian; this implies a lack of close genetic affinity between MSA, on one hand, and either ESA or Ethiosemitic or Arabic, on the other;
- (2) a synchronous tripartite branching of what I conventionally call West Semitic into Proto-Ethiopian, Proto-Arabic and “Proto-Levantine”;
- (3) separation of Ugaritic (the 100-item wordlist contains 69 items whose appropriate Swadesh meanings are attested reliably) from the latter group and, hence, a slightly bigger genetic distance between Ugaritic and the Canaanite (represented by Hebrew and Phoenician) subgroup than between Canaanite and Aramaic;
- (4) a very tentative (based on a highly incomplete list of 45 reliable items and 14 arguable or attested only once or twice) classification of Sabaic with the “South Levantine” group, perhaps by a slim margin closer to Aramaic than to Canaanite, and clearly closer to both than to Ethio-Semitic or Arabic;
- (5) a probably synchronous branching of Proto-North Ethiopian into Geez, Tigre and Tigray;
- (6) branching of Proto-South Ethiopian into four equidistant subgroups, represented by Amharic-Argobba, Gafat, Southeast (Harari, Wolane and undoubtedly Selti and Zway, not included into the present study) and Southwest (Soddo, Chaha, and the rest of the “Gurage” cluster, compared in my previous studies);
- (7) an early separation of an Arabic dialect that later evolved into the language of the Qur’an from the rest of Arabic and a somewhat odd early separation of another dialect, underlying Maltese, from the rest of Arabic dialects.

**B. In glottochronologically obtained dating:**

- (1) Proto-Semitic (4,800 B.C.E.) on the verge of its first split is roughly synchronous with Proto-Indo-European (it makes sense to wonder whether this is pure coincidence or a reflection of some common prehistorical event);
- (2) it is separated from the split of Proto-North Semitic by a thousand years — a considerable time gap, hardly accidental;
- (3) the split of Proto-West Semitic roughly coincides with the beginning of the Early Bronze Age II, the early dynastic period of Sumer and the rise of the Akkadian Empire, early Assyria and Sumero-Akkadian states;
- (4) the split of Proto-South Levantine falls on the verge of the 3rd and 2nd millennia, when Akkad was usurped by Gutian invaders from the Zagros and the entire region faced severe famine and skyrocketing grain prices. In particular, it is curious that the separation between Proto-Aramaic and Proto-Hebrew-Phoenician roughly agrees with the internal chronology of the Bible inasmuch as it dates the separation of Abram’s family from the rest of Terah’s clan that stayed behind in Haran;
- (5) the split between Hebrew and Phoenician is dated to about mid–15th century B.C.E. (earlier than in my previous calculations); under the assumption that the internal chronology of the Bible, despite its religious or mythological associations, at least indirectly reflects some historical reality, it is perhaps worth noting that this dating is coherent with the claimed time and the very event of Exodus, up till now not confirmed by any serious archaeological evidence;
- (6) the dating of the split of Proto-Ethiopian (the very end of the 2nd mill. B.C.E.) seems to be compatible with the time of the presumed first migration wave from South Arabia to the Horn of Africa which brought Proto-South Ethiopian speakers to the African coast, followed a few centuries later by speakers of Proto-North Ethiopian;

- (7) it would be instructive to compare the separation of Soqotran (7th century B.C.E.) from the main bulk of MSA with the datings for the first archaeological traces of South Arabian settlers in the Island of Socotra.

As a final conclusion, it is necessary to stress that all of these speculations on the connections of the datings obtained above with concrete historical events are highly tentative and preliminary. Nevertheless, such coincidences are still worthy of our attention, if only as potentially useful “pointers” to further, more detailed interdisciplinary research.

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А. Ю. Милитарев. Дополнения к стословному списку семитских языков и филогенетические выводы.

Статья завершает серию из четырех публикаций, в которых автором был предложен подробный этимологический анализ 100-словных списков Сводеша по всем известным семитским языкам, для которых такой список в принципе может быть составлен. В настоящей, финальной части исследования автор подводит закономерный итог в виде перечня всех реконструкций, которые на том или ином хронологическом уровне удалось получить для элементов 100-словного списка, сопровождаемых краткими комментариями. В завершение автором предлагается новая, усовершенствованная версия генеалогического древа семитских языков, полученная с помощью глоттохронологической формулы С. А. Старостина и сопровождаемая кратким историческим комментарием.

*Ключевые слова:* семитские языки, афразийские языки, этимология, глоттохронология, лексикостатистика.

## Syntax or Phonology? Proclitics, Enclitics, and Stress in Hittite\*

The paper deals with the syntax of *mān* “if”, *namma* “then”, *našma* “or”, perfectivising *kāšal/kāšma*, relative and indefinite pronouns as well as some subordinators in Hittite against the background of other Indo-European languages, particularly Latin and Greek. It has been recently proposed that their position in the clause and syntactic behaviour are either partially or fully determined by their being either proclitics or enclitics. We review the proposals and argue that purely phonological rules are highly unlikely for any of the constituents. A purely syntactic account is put forward to fully capture the data. It is particularly noteworthy that from the IE perspective Hittite is radically different from Narrow IE languages (like Old Greek) where indefinite pronouns *are* normally unstressed: all the Hittite data which are at first sight similar to Narrow IE turn out to be secondary independent innovations of Hittite and cannot serve as the basis of Indo-Hittite reconstruction.

*Keywords:* syntax, second position, enclitics, proclitics, stress, relative pronouns, indefinite pronouns.

### 0. Introduction

Recently there has been a positive flood of studies independently proposing prosodic solutions for syntactic phenomena in Hittite [Kloekhorst 2014; Huggard 2014; Becker 2014]. Three groups of words have been discussed: (a) *mān* “if”, *kui-* “which” in indeterminate clauses, *namma* “then”, *našma* “or”, perfectivising *kāšal/kāšma*; (b) relative pronouns; (c) indefinite pronouns. In the paper we will reexamine the data from synchronical and diachronical Hittite perspective as well as against the background of other IE languages, primarily Latin and Greek, and show that their syntactic behaviour is determined not by prosody, but rather by syntax. Comparing the Hittite data to those of Greek and Latin, we suggest that the features at first sight identical in Hittite and Narrow IE languages should be assessed as independent innovations.

### 1. Hittite Proclitics

Standardly, only sentence connectives like *nu*, *ta*, *šu* are analyzed as proclitics in Hittite, i.e. as words that form one phonological word with the following fully stressed word, see for an overview most recently [Kloekhorst 2014]. Kloekhorst proposes to broaden the class of Hittite proclitics from sentence connectives *nu*, *šu*, *ta* to all the constituents that delay contrastively

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topicalizing particle *-(m)a* to the next stressed word. These are *mān* “if”, *kui-* “which” in indeterminate clauses<sup>1</sup>, *namma* “then”, *našma* “or”, perfectivising *kāšal/kāšma*.

The argument is based on the parallel behaviour of the prototypical proclitic *nu*, on the one hand, and *mān* etc, on the other.<sup>2</sup>

(a) Prototypical proclitics like *nu* etc. host prototypical Wackernagel enclitics, as illustrated by<sup>3</sup>:

(1) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 20–21  
*n=ašta mān GI appezziš DUMU É.GAL parā ue-zzi #*  
 CONN=LOC if reed last palace servant out come-3SG.PRS  
 “Then if a low-ranking palace servant comes out (*for*) reed”.

It is perfectly well known that prototypical proclitics do not host topicalizing/contrastive *-(m)a* delaying it to the next word:

(2) OH/OS (CTH 1.A) KBo 3.22 obv. 3  
*n=ašta <sup>◦</sup>IM-unn-i=**ma** mān āššu-š ēš-ta #*  
 CONN=LOC Stormgod-DAT.SG=but when dear-NOM.SG.C be-3SG.PST  
 “And when he was dear to the Stormgod” (following [CHD L–N: 148]).

What is not usually taken notice of<sup>4</sup> is that proclitics do not count either when the second position of relative pronouns in determinate relative clauses, some subordinators like *kuit* “as” (see now [Huggard 2013]) and *maḥḥan* “as”<sup>5</sup> as well as indefinite pronouns is calculated:

(3) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 61–62  
*nu 1 <sup>LU</sup>MEŠEDI **kui-š** šarkanti-n widāi-zzi #*  
 CONN 1 bodyguard who-NOM.SG.C petitioner-ACC.SG.C bring-3SG.PRS  
 “A bodyguard **who** brings a petitioner, ...”.

(4) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 22–23  
*nu GAL MEŠEDI **kuit** <sup>GIŠ</sup>GIDRU ḥar-zi #*  
 CONN chief bodyguard since staff hold-3SG.PRS  
 “**Since** the chief of the bodyguard holds a staff”.

(5) MH/NS (CTH 259.B) KUB 13.20 obv. i 30–31  
 1. *nu=za šummeš **maḥḥan** tuekkašša=ana ANA*  
 CONN=REFL you.NOM.PL as persons-DAT.PL=and to  
 DAM<sup>MEŠ</sup>=KUNU DUMU<sup>MEŠ</sup>=KUNU É<sup>MEŠ</sup>=KUNU genzu ḥar-teni #  
 wives=your sons=your homes=your dear have-2PL.PRS

<sup>1</sup> As is standardly assumed in the current Hittitological tradition going back to [Held 1957], *kui-* “which” in determinate clauses is clause second and thus is irrelevant for the placement of *-ma*. Cf. [Becker 2014].

<sup>2</sup> The word the usage of which we illustrate with the example is in bold. The underlined word marks the second relevant word in citation. Sign # marks the end of the clause. Italic marks text in Hittite, all caps mark Sumerograms, all caps in italic mark Akkadograms.

<sup>3</sup> We draw examples mostly from our database of Hittite syntax and information structure. At present it includes MH/MS letters and instructions.

<sup>4</sup> But cf. now [Becker 2014: 101], without observing the parallelisms between relative pronouns and *-ma*.

<sup>5</sup> The subordinator is not normally assessed as second position, see [CHD L–N sub *maḥḥan*]. However, there are a number of attestations which can only be assessed as indicating second position, see [Hoffner, Melchert 2008: 417] and below.



2. LUGAL-*uwaš* *šakli-ya* *genzu* QATAMMA *ḫar-ten* #  
king.GEN.PL imperative-DAT.SG affection thus have-2PL.IMP

“(1) And just **as** you hold dear (your own) persons, your wives, your sons (and) your homes, (2) you shall also feel affection for the imperative of the king” (following [Miller 2013: 150–1]).

(6) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. iv 8

[*nu*] LÚ<sup>MES</sup> ŠUKUR *māḫḫan* *ḫilammar* *arḫa* *takšan* *šarr-i* #  
CONN spear-men when gatehouse away middle pass-3SG.PRS

“[And] **as soon as** the spear-men pass through the middle of the gatehouse...” (following [Miller 2013: 118–9]).

(b) Just like *nu*, constituents like *mān* “if” host Wackernagel enclitics, too, but not *-(m)a*. The same class of constituents does not count when the second position of relative pronouns in determinate relative clauses, subordinators *kuit* and *māḫḫan* “as” and indefinite pronouns is calculated:

(7) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 57

*mān=wa=[ka]n* *šarā=ma* *kui-š* *antūwahḫa-š* *ḫandāi-zzi* #  
if=QUOT=LOC up=but some-NOM.SG.C man-NOM.SG.C manage-3SG.PRS

“if some man *manages* (to go) up”.

(8) NH/NS (CTH 62.A) KBo 5.9+ rev. iii 7

*mān memiya-š=ma* *kui-š* *iya-uwa-š* #  
if matter-NOM.SG.C=but which-NOM.SG.C do-INFIN-GEN.SG

“**But** if it is a matter which needs to be done, ...” (following [G. Wilhelm — F. Fuscagni (ed.), *hethiter.net/CTH 62* (TX 16.10.2013, TRde 15.10.2013)]; cf. [Held 1957: 41, Beckman 1996: 57]).

(9) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 50

*našma=wa=kan* *katta=ma* *it* #  
or=QUOT=LOC down=BUT go.IMP.2SG

“Or you go down!”.

(10) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 rev. iv 22–23

*nu* *kui-š* LÚ<sup>MES</sup> ŠEDI=*ma* *ar-ta* #  
CONN which-NOM.SG.C bodyguard=but stand-3SG.PRS

“Then whatever bodyguard is standing there”.

(11) MH<sup>?</sup>/NS (CTH 258.1.A) KUB 13.9 obv. ii 3–4

*mān ešḫan-ašš=a* *kuiški* *šarnikzil* *piy-an* *ḫar-zi* #  
if blood-GEN.SG=and someone.NOM.SG.C compensation.ACC.SG.N give-PRTC.NOM.SG.N have-3SG.PRS

“If **someone** has paid compensation for blood(shed), too, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 136–7]).

(12) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. ii 63

*mān=ši* *peran=ma* *kuwapi* KASKAL-*i-š* *ḫatku-š* #  
if=him ahead=but where road-NOM.SG.C narrow-NOM.SG.C

“If the road ahead is **at some point** too narrow for him, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 112–3]).

[Kloekhorst 2014] summarizes the existing literature on the points above and comes to the conclusion that the data can only be interpreted as not only *nu* being unstressed and proclitic, but also the class comprising *mān* “if” etc. Thus it is assumed that *-(m)a* is the only clitic which imposes the constraint on its host that it must bear stress or accent; see generally [Halpern 1996: xi] for an overview of similar accounts in phonological terms. However, the account is simply circular: *-(m)a* is different from other clitics just because it is different.

In the cross-linguistic perspective, which is not considered in [Kloekhorst 2014], such cases where a given word may host one class of clitics, but not another, are quite frequently described [Halpern 1996: xi]. The cases are termed *clitic cluster split*: some clusterizing clitics are in the clausal second position while other clusterizing clitics show up in the next position to the right of it, see, e.g., for Slavic languages [Zaliznjak 2008, Zimmerling, Kosta 2013, Zimmerling 2013], for West Flemish [Haegeman 1996: 153, 155–8].

We will illustrate it by a few examples. In Bulgarian clitic cluster split occurs with future tense proclitic *šte* and negation marker *ne*: they host all the clitics, but not the question particle *li* which is, in linear terms, delayed to the next word [Zimmerling, Kosta 2013: 197–8]:

- (13) *Ще ми го продадеш ли този часовник?*  
 FUT.PRTC me it sell.2SG.FUT Q this watch  
 “Will you sell me this watch?”<sup>6</sup>

In Macedonian clitic cluster splits if clitics are hosted by the negation marker *ne*: it hosts auxiliary clitics, but not pronominal ones, the latter move one step to the right [Zimmerling, Kosta 2013: 197–8]. For Old Russian two groups of enclitics are delimited: strong enclitics, which very seldom occur outside of Wackernagel position, and weak enclitics, which occur outside this position much more frequently [Zaliznjak 2008: 51–52]. If the clitic cluster is not split, in the majority of cases the strong enclitics precede weak ones in the enclitic chain. If there is a cluster split, strong clitics stand in the second position, whereas weak ones show up in the next position to the right<sup>7</sup>. Old Russian, for one, attests two main triggers of split clitics. The first is when the initial part of the clause, hosting the first part of the enclitic chain, obtains certain predicative features. The second is attested when the weak reflexive enclitic cliticizes to the verb. Other constituents triggering split clitics are: (a) the fronted constituent which belongs to two coordinated clauses simultaneously; (b) embedded subordinate clause, finite and infinite; (c) vocatives, (d) *wh*-words, relatives and indefinite pronouns, subordinators [Zaliznjak 2008: 54–5].

It is important to mention here that in the cross-linguistic perspective clitic cluster split is not necessarily caused by the proclitic nature of the first constituent in the clause. Neither is the evidence for some constituents not counting as first for second position constituents limited to clitics. E.g., in Germanic verb second languages there are several constituents that systematically cause violation of the verb second order. In Scandinavian languages it consists of a set of focus adverbs like Swedish *bara* “only”, *nästan* “nearly”, *till och med* “even”, *helt enkelt* “simply” [Holmberg 2015]:

- (14) *Han nesten brölte hurra*  
 he almost roared hooray [Holmber 2015: ex. 30b].

**1.2. Is *mān* Proclitic?** The cross-linguistic evidence on cluster splits is well supported by the Hittite material. As far as *nu* is concerned, it is clearly and unambiguously a proclitic, see the data summarized by [Kloekhorst 2014]. But all the rest of the constituents which [Kloekhorst 2014] attempted to reclassify as proclitics, are most likely **not** proclitics. Contra [Kloekhorst 2014: 612–3], apart from some extremely problematic and scanty data from ‘poetic’ texts<sup>8</sup>, for

<sup>6</sup> The example was provided by M. N. Belova.

<sup>7</sup> This is not so in Bulgarian where *li* normally precedes the rest of clitics, but it shows up on the next host to the right if there is a negation marker in the clause.

<sup>8</sup> “*mān* does not seem to count as an accented word in the meter” [Kloekhorst 2014: 612] is characteristically unassertive.

which see J. Korovina in [Sideltsev, Molina forthcoming], there is no independent evidence at all that *mān* “if/when” was ever unstressed<sup>9</sup>. Moreover, all the evidence we possess points in the direction of *mān* “if/when” being stressed. It is particularly probative if we apply to *mān* “if/when” the criteria employed by [Kloekhorst 2014: 601–2] to demonstrate that *nu* was unstressed. The evidence pertaining to *mān* “if/when” will then be dramatically different from that concerning *nu*. It goes as follows:

(a) *mān* “if/when” is rarely, but consistently written at the end of a line, e.g., in the limited corpus of MH/MS letters (1300 clauses) there are 5 cases of line final *mān*, (7), out of 43 entries of *mān* “if/when”. If it was a proclitic, the writing would be unattested, as it is completely unattested with much more frequently occurring *nu*:

(15) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 25 rev. 15–16

15.<sup>10</sup> *nu=ššan mān*  
CONN=LOC if

16. *ḫalki-ēš ar-ant-eš #*  
crop-NOM.PL.C arrive-PRTC-NOM.PL.C

“If the crops have ripened, ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 140–1]).

(16) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 37 obv. 15–16

15. *karū ar[ant-]eš # mān=wa=kan*  
already arrive-PRTC-NOM.PL.C if=QUOT=LOC

16. *antuḫšā[ar parā ḫ]ūdāk nai-tti #*  
Workforce out promptly dispatch-2SG.IMP

“... already ripe, if you promptly dispatch workers...” (following [Alp 1991: 188–9]; cf. [Hoffner 2009: 163, 166]).

(17) MH/MS (CTH 186?) HKM 43 obv. 8’–10’

8’. *n=ašta mān*  
CONN=LOC when

9’. *tuzzi-n š[a]rā [...]*  
army-ACC.SG.C up

10’. *uwat-er # ...*  
bring-3PL.PST

“And **when** they have brought the army up to ..., then” (following [Hoffner 2009: 169]).

(18) MH/MS (CTH 186?) HKM 66 obv. 15–17

15. *nu=war=aš ṁImra-LÚ-i-š ṁDula[k]k[i]-š*  
CONN=QUOT Imra-ziti (and?) Dulakki

16. *tūri-ške-ddu # nu=wa=kan mān*  
hitch-IMP-3SG.IMP CONN=QUOT=LOC if

17. *uit # namma kuitki āšš-an #*  
go-3SG.PST then something.NOM.SG.N remain-PRTC.NOM.SG.N

“Let Imra-ziti (and?) Dulakki hitch them up! And **if** it has happened that something is again left over” (following [Hoffner 2009: 220]).

(19) MH/MS (CTH 186?) HKM 66 obv. 22–24

22. *widdu=wa DUMU ṁŠ[a]parta anda*  
go-3SG.IMP son Šaparta’s in

<sup>9</sup> There is even less evidence for other members of the class.

<sup>10</sup> Line numbers in the original cuneiform tablets are being reproduced here.

23. *w[e]miya-ddu # n=aš [m]ān*  
 find-3SG.IMP CONN=he if

24. *k[a]rū pānza # ...*  
 already go.PRTC.NOM.SG.C

“Let him proceed to find Šaparta’s son!” **If** he has already gone, ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 220–1]).

(b) *mān* “if/when” is never spelt together with the following word (i.e., there is always space between *mān* and the following phonological word);

(c) plene spellings of *mān* “if/when” clearly dominate, both when it stands on its own and when it hosts enclitics;

(d) *mān* “if/when” is occasionally in a clause internal position, which we interpret as clause second<sup>11</sup>, as in (20). The free position in the clause, identical to other non-proclitic subordinators, would be hard to reconcile with the putative proclitic character of *mān*.

(20) OH/OS (CTH 1.A) KBo 3.22 obv. 3

*n=ašta* <sup>D</sup>IM-unn-i=ma *mān* *āššu-š* *ēš-ta #*  
 CONN=LOC Stormgod-DAT.SG=but when dear-NOM.SG.C be-3SG.PST

“And **when** he was dear to the Stormgod” (following [CHD L–N: 148]).

(21) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 rev. iii 55

*nu* LUGAL-u-š *mān* <sup>GIŠ</sup>GIGIR *wek-zi #*  
 CONN king-NOM.SG.C when chariot request-3SG.PRS

“**When** the king requests the chariot”.

(22) MH/MS (CTH 41.II.2) KUB 36.127 obv. 9’

*ANA* *mŠunaššura=ma* *mān* *āššu #*  
 to Sunassura=but if good.NOM.SG.N

“**If** it suits Sunassura” (following [Fuscagni (ed.), hethiter.net/: CTH 41.II.2 (INTR 2011–08–24; Beckman 1996: 22)]).

(23) NH/NS (CTH 69.A) KBo 19.70+ obv. i 52–53

*kīdaš* *mān* *kui-š* Š[A *MĀMĪT*]I #  
 this.DAT.PL if which-NOM.SG.C of oath

“**If** there is someone of oath among these (men), ...” (following [Wilhelm & Fuscagni (ed.), hethiter.net/: CTH 69 (TX 17.02.2014, TRde 17.02.2014; Beckman 1996: 80)]).

Cf. the following lexically identical pair of examples where in (24) *mā[n]* follows the first constituent<sup>12</sup> whereas in (10) it is in its canonical clause initial position:

(24) MH/NS (CTH 259.B) KUB 13.20 obv. i 13–15

1. *tuzzi-ya=ma* *peran mā[n* DUMU LUGAL)] *našma BĒL GAL*  
 army-LOC.SG=but before if son king or great lord

*kuinki* *wātarnaḫ-mi #*  
 some.ACC.SG.C place-1SG.PRS

2. *nu* *maḫḫan* ŠA <sup>D</sup>UTU<sup>š=i</sup> *išḫiūl* *apell=a* QATAM-⟨(MA)⟩ *ē[-šša-tten] #*  
 CONN like of majesty=my command his.GEN.SG.C=and likewise do-IMPF-2PL.IMP

<sup>11</sup> We will provide a more detailed analysis elsewhere.

<sup>12</sup> And not the first *word*, which is actually quite unusual for the second position in Hittite as normally the second position is determined after the first phonological word, as is done for *-ma* in the same context.

3. [n=a]n tuzzi-š ḫūmanza ištamaš-(š)ke-ddu #  
CONN=him army-NOM.SG.C whole.NOM.SG.C listen-IMP-3SG.IMP

“(1) and if I place some [(prince)] or great lord in command of the army, (2) then just like the command of My Majesty [you must] ca[r]ry out] his (command) likew[is]e (3) [and] the whole army must obey [hi]m” (following [Miller 2013: 148–9]).

(25) MH/NS (CTH 259.B) KUB 13.20 obv. i 26–27

1. mān=kan apāš=ma DUMU LUGAL našma BELU<sub>4</sub>  
if=LOC that.NOM.SG.C=but son king or lord  
tuzzi-ya peran arḫa idālu uttar pēḫute-[zzi] #  
army-LOC.SG before away evil word bring-3SG.PRS
2. n=ašta <sup>d</sup>UTU<sup>s-i</sup> zammurāi-zzi #  
CONN=LOC majesty=my disparage-3SG.PRS
3. šumašš=a=an ēp-ten #  
you.NOM<sup>l</sup>.PL=and=him seize-2PL.IMP
4. n=an MAḪAR <sup>d</sup>UTU<sup>s-i</sup> uwate-tten #  
CONN=him before majesty=my bring-2PL.IMP

“(1) However, if that prince or great lord in charge of the army speak[s] a malevolent word (2) and he disparages My Majesty (3) then you must seize him (4) and you must bring him before My Majesty” (following [Miller 2013: 150–1]).

The following set of examples demonstrates the same variation between clause first and clause second position in very similar contexts from the same text:

(26) NH/NS (CTH 42.A) KBo 5.3+ rev. iii 12’–13’

- zīg=a[ (=šši mān pāi-š)]i apūn memiyan EGIR-pa mema-tti #  
you=but=him if go-2SG.PRS that.ACC.SG.C word.ACC.SG.C back say-2SG.PRS

“But if it so happens that you pass that word on to him” (following [G. Wilhelm (ed.), hethiter.net/: CTH 42 (INTR 2013–02–24)])

(27) NH/NS (CTH 42.A) KBo 5.3+ rev. iii 23’

- zīg=[a=šma]š[=a]t mān pāi-tti EGI[R-pa] mema-tti #  
you=but=them=it if go-2SG.PRS back say-2SG.PRS

“But if it so happens that you pass it on to them”

(28) NH/NS (CTH 42.A) KBo 5.3+ rev. iii 16’

- nu mān pāi-[tti] apūn memiyan apēdani EGIR-pa mema-tti #  
CONN if go-2SG.PRS that.ACC.SG.C word.ACC.SG.C that.DAT.SG.C back say-2SG.PRS

“If it so happens that pass that word on to him”

(29) NH/NS (CTH 42.A) KBo 5.3+ rev. iii 20’

- z[īg]=a mān apēdani KUR-e našma URU-r-i EGI[R-pa] mema-tti #  
you=but if that.DAT.SG. land.DAT.SG or city-DAT.SG back say-2SG.PRS

“But if you pass (it) on to that country or city”

Besides, *mān* “if/when” is usually spelt plene, which for Hittite does not imply *synchronic* accent, but in the majority of cases goes back to an *accented* vowel (see now [Kloekhorst 2014: 222]). Therefore, there is no positive evidence in favour of *mān* being unstressed.

The evidence can also be supported by somewhat indirect considerations. There are NH/NS examples where *mān* “if/when” does host *-ma* [Kloekhorst 2014: 614; Sideltsev, Molina forthcoming]. In the logic of Kloekhorst, it is an unambiguous demonstration that *mān* “if/when” *was*

stressed. [Kloekhorst 2014: 614] rather assesses them as analogical after *māḥḥan* “when”. However, *-ma* was hosted even more frequently by all the rest of the constituents that originally delayed *-ma* and for which there is no unambiguous evidence in favour of their being unstressed — again except clearly proclitic *nu*. These words (*našma* “or”, *namma* “then”, perfectivizing *kāša*) are not obviously analogical after subordinators. Thus the diachronic development we see in Hittite is rather different from that outlined by [Kloekhorst 2014] and rather speaks in favour of the hypothesis that initially there was a set of words delaying *-ma* irrespectively of being stressed. Then there was a diachronic reanalysis of the class: the proclitic *nu* still delayed *-ma* whereas all the rest of the class which were originally stressed started hosting it, just like any stressed word in Hittite. So, the system that Kloekhorst proposes to account for the special behaviour of *-ma* paradoxically testifies against his own proposal.

## 2. Relative Pronouns: Enclitic, Proclitic or Stressed?

The second group of words which Kloekhorst assessed as proclitic is relative pronouns.

**2.1. Hittite Relative Sentences: Basic Data.** Here it is necessary to remind that traditionally, starting at least from [Held 1959], only relative pronouns in determinate relative clauses are described as being clause second. Relative pronouns in indeterminate relative clauses are clause initial or first if sentence connectives like *nu* are available in a clause.

Determinate relative clauses is the traditional Hittitological term for referential relative clauses with the relative pronoun in the clause second position, which are illustrated by:

(30) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 62

UGULA DUMU<sup>MEŠ</sup>.KIN=za *kui-n* par[ā pi]yē-ške-zzi #  
 chief messengers=REFL who-ACC.SG.C out send-IMPV-3PL.PRS  
 “The one **whom** the chief of the messengers di[sp]atches”.

(31) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 61–62

*nu* 1 <sup>LÚ</sup>MEŠEDI *kui-š* šarkanti-n widāi-zzi #  
 CONN 1 bodyguard who-NOM.SG.C petitioner-ACC.SG.C bring-3SG.PRS  
 “A bodyguard **who** brings a petitioner, ...”.

(32) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 45

<sup>LÚ</sup>MEŠED[I=m]a *kui-š* šehuna pai-zzi #  
 bodyguard=but which-NOM.SG.C pee-INF go-3SG.PRS  
 “**What** bodyguard[rd] goes to pee (without asking)”.

(33) NH/NS (CTH 61.II.7.A) KBo 5.8 rev. iii 24–5

*nu* *uni* *kuin* 9 LIM ÉRIN<sup>MEŠ</sup> mPitagattalli-š uwate-t #  
 CONN **this** who 9000 troops Pitagattalli-NOM.SG.C bring-3SG.PST

“**That** 9,000-man army which Pitagattalli led (joined battle with me)” (following [Goetze 1967: 158–9; Held 1957: 18; Hoffner, Melchert 2008: 158]).

Indeterminate relative clauses are generic with the relative pronoun in the first/initial position, as illustrated by (34):

(34) MH/NS (CTH 259.B) KUB 13.20 obv. i 11

*kui-š* arḥa tarnu-mmaš=ma ÉRIN<sup>MEŠ</sup>-az #  
**which**-NOM.SG.C away release-INF.GEN.SG=but troops.NOM.SG.C  
 “**Whatever** troops are to be released, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 148–9]).

Actually, the distinction between the second position of determinates and first/initial position of indeterminates is not absolute. On the basis of (35) [Yates 2014] proposed that indeterminate relative pronouns in Hittite can occupy the second position, just like determinate ones:

- (35) NH/INS (CTH 67) KBo 5.4 rev. 32–3
1. *namma* ANA <sup>D</sup>UTU<sup>š-l</sup> *kui-š* LÚKÚR #  
furthermore to majesty=my who-NOM.SG.C enemy
  2. [*n=aš=tta*] LÚKÚR *ēš-du* #  
CONN=he=you enemy be-3SG.IMP
  3. *tuk=ma* *kui-š* LÚKÚR #  
you.DAT.SG=but who-NOM.SG.C enemy
  4. ANA <sup>D</sup>UTU<sup>š-l</sup>=*ya=aš* LÚKÚR #  
to majesty=my=and=he enemy

“(1) Furthermore, **whoever** is an enemy to His Majesty (2) shall be an enemy to you, (3) (while) **whoever** is an enemy to you (4) is also an enemy to His Majesty” (following [Yates 2014]).

However, as Yates observes (pers.comm.), there is just a handful of examples like (35) against thousands of first/initial position of indeterminate *kui-* and second position of determinate *kui-*. Actually, the only example Yates quotes is ambiguous between second and preverbal position. [Becker 2014] went further and questioned the very validity of the difference between first and second position of relative pronouns. Whereas her criticism of the traditional assessment is certainly well grounded, it is far from being clear to what extent her own proposals<sup>13</sup> capture the data.

**2.2. Enclitic, Proclitic or Stressed?** Now after the short excursus which is important for the following argument, we will return to the topic of the paper. [Kloekhorst 2014] proposes that relative pronouns are unstressed in order to explain that they do not host *-ma*<sup>14</sup>. His logic is exactly the same as with *mān* “if”: as *nu* is unambiguously proclitic and it does not host *-ma*, it is sufficient for him to demonstrate that all other constituents which do not host *-ma* are proclitic, in order to account for the data. However, the explanation of the relative pronouns faces the same difficulties as that of *mān* “if”: there is no unambiguous evidence in favour of relative pronouns being unstressed. As was said before, there are no cross-linguistic universals that clitic cluster split is caused exclusively by proclitics. What is more, even in comparison with *mān* “if” the proclitic hypothesis faces additional problems when it comes to the relative pronoun. If one assesses relative pronouns along the lines of Kloekhorst, one will have to assess clause initial/first relative pronouns as proclitics to explain the fact that they do not host *-ma*. At the same time, one will have to explain why in determinate relative clauses relative pronouns are in the second position. Kloekhorst does not consider determinate relative clauses, but [Huggard 2014] analyzes indefinite pronouns, which are also optionally clause second, and assesses them as unstressed and [Becker 2014] analyzes second position relative pronouns as unstressed. If one follows them, one will have to assume that clause second relative pronouns are *enclitics* to capture the fact that they are clause second whereas clause initial/first relative pronouns are proclitics. The solution is distinctly unwelcome.

As was observed above, for [Becker 2014] unstressed character of relative pronouns is one of the three factors that determine the position of relative pronouns in a clause. The main ar-

<sup>13</sup> Interplay of three factors — SOV word order, enclitic second position placement and topicalization.

<sup>14</sup> Delaying *-ma* by relative pronouns happens much less regularly than by *nu* or *mān*, but the frequency and consistency is of no direct relevance for us now.

gument against this analysis is the following: the position of a constituent in a clause cannot be *simultaneously* determined in the same uses<sup>15</sup> *in some cases* by information structure and *in some cases* by the fact that it is unstressed. In Becker’s account relative pronouns occupy the second position in the clause in 66% of cases. The statistics is interpreted by Becker to the effect that relative pronouns are enclitics [Becker 2014: 101–3]. However, prototypical enclitics do not demonstrate 2/3 *tendency* to be in the second position, they *are* in the second position. Statistics is in this case convincing only if it is about 90% and does not represent a *tendency*.

The scenario by which unstressed forms could obtain stress was offered by [Huggard 2014]<sup>16</sup> who put it forward for indefinite pronouns. For him a form may acquire stress and consequently can occur in the first position if it is topicalized. However, the account works only for some cases of first/initial position of relative pronouns. There is indeed contrastive topicalization accompanied by *-ma* as, e.g., in Becker’s ex. (83). But with some other clause first/initial relative pronouns there is no contrastive topicalization at all, as in, Becker’s exx. (84), (97) and many others.

What is more, as was exposed in the previous section, indefinite clause initial *kui-* delays *-ma* in a number of cases, i.e. *-ma* is cliticized to the word that follows *kui-*, and not to *kui-* itself<sup>17</sup>! Even if clause first/initial indefinite pronouns were systematically topicalized and hereby received stress, the fact that they delayed *the topicalizing* particle is extremely hard to understand.

Besides, and probably more important, as was demonstrated by [Huggard 2011], relative pronouns as well as relative phrases are also preverbal, both in determinate and indeterminate relative clauses<sup>18</sup>:

<sup>15</sup> We leave apart partitive use and focus only on properly relative function.

<sup>16</sup> Becker does not put forward the explanation. It looks like for her the same pronoun can be both stressed and unstressed depending on the factors she did not reveal.

<sup>17</sup> As different from, e.g., *mān*, the delay is always optional.

<sup>18</sup> The same three positions (preverbal, second and first/initial) are attested for subordinators *māhḥan* “when, as” and *kuit* “as”. See above for the preverbal and second positions. The first/initial position is illustrated by:

(i) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. ii 29

*nu=šši=kan māh[ḥa]n LÚ.MEŠMEŠEDI DUMU<sup>MEŠ</sup> É.GAL=ya ḥandā-nta #*  
 CONN=him=LOC when bodyguards servants palace=and be.aligned-3PL.PRS  
 “**When** bodyguards are aligned with palace servants, ...”

(j) MH/NS (CTH 259.B) KUB 13.20 obv. i 10

*māhḥan=ma LÚKURak-i #*  
 when=but enemydie-3SG.PRS

“However, **as soon as** the enemy has been vanquished, ...”, following [Miller 2013: 148–9].

(k) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 17 rev. 36

*n=aš=ši kuit NU.GÁL kuiški #*  
 CONN=he=him because no someone.NOM.SG.C  
 “**Because** there is no one for him”, cf. [Hoffner 2009: 125].

(l) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 55 rev. 33–34

*man=kan kuit māhḥan anda #*  
 OPT=LOC how how in  
 “**How** it is there”, following [Hoffner 2009: 201].

In this last example optative *man* is likely to behave like conditional *mān* and thus not constitute the first position. The position is actually dominating for *māhḥan* “when, as”, see [CHD L–N sub *māhḥan*], and very sporadic for *kuit* “as”.





ὄμμα Διαφθέρσει πόλιν αἰπήν  
 for us-PERS.PRON.DAT.PL destroy.FUT.3SG city.ACC.SG.F lofty.ACC.SG.F  
 “and who someday will destroy us [our] lofty city”;

(39) ἣ ῥά θ' ὑπὸ βροντῆς πατρὸς Διὸς εἶσι πέδον δέ (Il., XIII, 796: the whole verse):

ἣ ῥά θ' ὑπὸ βροντῆς  
 which.REL.PRON.NOM.SG.F really.PRAGM.PART.ENCL and.ENCL.CONJ with.thunder.GEN.SG.F  
 πατρὸς Διὸς εἶσι πέδον δέ  
 father.GEN.SG.M Zeus.GEN.SG.M goes.PRS.3SG valley.ACC.SG and-ENCL.PART  
 “and [it was the storm] which with thunder of father Zeus goes to the valley”.

In the latter example it is notable that ἣ (which-NOM.SG.F) is followed by the pragmatic particle ῥά “which is enclitic and used after monosyllables, ἦ, ὄς, γάρ, etc., or words ending in a vowel or diphthong, e.g. ἐπεῖ” [LSJ]: s.v. ἄρᾱ].

The same holds good for the two additional Hittite cases which come from the same context:

(40) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 9 obv. 3–7

3. 13 LÚ.MEŠ pitteand-uš=kan  
 13 fugitives-ACC.PL.C=LOC
4. *kuit* parā nai-tta  
 what out send-2SG.PST
5. n=aš uwater # §  
 CONN=them bring.3PL.PST
6. ŠA ANŠE.KUR.RA<sup>HI.A</sup>=ma=mu  
 of horses=but=me
7. *kuit* uttar ḫatrāe-š #  
 what word write-2SG.PST  
 which matter write-2SG.PST

“Concerning the fact **that** you dispatched (to me) 13 (apprehended) fugitives: They have brought them here. § **Which** word you wrote to me about the horse troops (I received your message)” (following [Hoffner 2009: 113]).

(41) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 36 l.e. 29–30

29. ŠA ÉRIN<sup>MEŠ</sup> URU Išḫūpitta=ma=mu  
 of troops Ishupitta=but=me
30. *kuit* uttar ḫatrāe-[š] #  
 what.ACC.SG.N matter.ACC.SG.N write-2SG.PST

“Concerning the matter of the troops of the town Išḫupitta **which** you wrote to me” (following [Hoffner 2009: 132–3]).

Naturally, the examples can be interpreted *ad hoc* as testifying for the *proclitic* character of *preverbal kui-* “which”. However, unambiguously second position of the relative pronoun is attested by the following examples. The pronouns in these examples are clearly not enclitic as they are in the next line from the first position constituent:

(42) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 10 obv. 20–21

20. ... nu LÚ<sup>MEŠ</sup> URU Gašga  
 CONN people Gasga
21. *kui-ēš* takšul-i iya-ndari #  
 who-NOM.PL.C peace-DAT.SG.C go-3PL.PRS.MED

“The Kaškaean men **who** are coming to make peace, ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 113]).

(43) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 31 obv. 8–10

8. ŠA<sup>URU</sup> Gašaša=ma=mu  
of Gasasa=but=me
9. *kuit* ŠA<sup>GIS</sup> GEŠTIN *uttar*  
what of vineyard matter
10. *ḫatrā-eš* # ...  
write-2SG.PST

“Concerning the matter of the vineyards of (the city) Kašaša about **which** you wrote to me” (following [Hoffner 2009: 156]).

(44) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 31 obv. 13–15

13. ŠA É<sup>DUTU</sup>Š=ma=mu  
of house Majesty=My=but=me
14. *kuit* LÚ<sup>maniyahḫiy</sup>-aš  
what administrative.district-GEN.SG.C
15. EN-aš *uttar* *ḫatrā-eš* # ...  
lord-GEN.SG.C matter.ACC.SG.N write-2SG.PST

“Concerning the matter of the district lord of the house of My Majesty about **which** you wrote” (following [Hoffner 2009: 156]).

(45) MH/MS (CTH 190) HKM 52 rev. 42—l.e.3

42. ŠA ANŠE.KUR.RA<sup>GIS</sup> GIGIR=ya=mu  
of horse chariot=and=me
43. *kuit* *uttar* *ḫatrā-eš* #  
which.ACC.SG.N matter.ACC.SG.N write-2SG.PRS

“Concerning the matter of the horse(s) and chariot **which** you wrote” (following [Hoffner 2009: 195]).

(46) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 54 obv. 18–20

18. ŠA<sup>URU</sup> Kašipūra GU<sup>HLA</sup><sub>4</sub>  
of Kašipūra cattle
19. *kue* A.ŠĀ<sup>terippi</sup>  
which.ACC.PL.N field.ACC.PL.N
20. A.ŠĀ<sup>terippiya</sup>-t # ...  
plow-2SG.PRS

“Regarding the fields **that** you plowed with the cattle of Kašipūra” (following [Hoffner 2009: 199]).

The next examples are against the enclitic character of the unambiguously preverbal relative pronouns:

(47) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 21 obv. 6–7

6. EGIR<sup>1</sup>-an=mu *kappūwar*  
back=me number.ACC.SG.N
7. [*ku*]*it* *ḫatrāe-š* # ...  
what.ACC.SG.N write-2SG.PST

“The number (of workers) **which** you wrote to me” (following [Hoffner 2009: 132–3]).

(48) MH/MS (CTH 188) HKM 48 obv. 18–19

18. *nu=kan* *kē* MUŠEN<sup>HLA</sup>  
CONN=LOC these birds
19. *kue-dani* KASKAL-š-i *anda*  
which-LOC.SG road-LOC.SG on

20. *šanḥ-weni* # ...

seek-1PL.PRS

“In **which** direction (literally: on which road) we should seek these birds” (following [Hoffner 2009: 183]).

(49) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 54 obv. 4–5

4. ŠA NUMUN<sup>HLA=mu</sup> *uttar* *kuit*  
of seeds=me matter.ACC.SG.N which. ACC.SG.N

5. *ḥatrā-eš* #

write-2SG.PRS

“Concerning what you wrote me about seed” (following [Hoffner 2009: 199]).

The following example is against the proclitic nature of the preverbal subordinator *kuit* “as”, homonymous with the ACC.SG.N form of the relative pronoun:

(50) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 17 obv. 28–29

28. <sup>URU</sup>*Kapapahšuwāš* *mekki* *kuit*  
Kapapahsuwa much as

29. [*pahḥašn*] *uwanza* #...

protected

“**Since** Kapapahsuwa is well protected, ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 124]).

The following examples are against the enclitic character of the second position subordinator *kuit* “as”:

(51) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 10 obv. 28–29

28. ... *nu* *karū*  
CONN already

29. *kuit* DINGIR<sup>MES</sup> [*i*] *mmanx*[ ... ] #  
as gods x

“Just **because** the gods already [...], ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 113]).

(52) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 44 l.e.2—rev. 5

2. [*a*] *nda=ma=kan* *kā[š(m)a<sup>2</sup>]*  
furthermore=but=LOC PERF

3. <sup>m</sup>*Marakui-n*  
Marakui-ACC.SG.C

4. *kuit* <sup>LÚ</sup>QARTAP<PU>  
since charioteer

5. *parā* *ne-ḥhun* #  
outsend-1SG.PST

“**Since** I have just dispatched (to you) Marakui, the charioteer, ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 170–1]).

The following example is particularly telling against both enclitic and proclitic nature of the subordinator *kuit* “as”. Here it follows the nominal part of the predicate and is in the next line from it. Thus it is the only part of the previous clause which is in a separate line from all the rest of the clause:

(53) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 18 l.e.2–3

2. *ḥalki-š=ma=(ašm)aš/šmaš* *apiya aniyanza*  
grain-NOM.SG.C=but=them/you/them/you there done.NOM.SG.C

3. *kuit* # *nu* EGIR-*an* *tiya-tten* #  
because CONN back step-2PL.IMP

“**Because** grain has been sown/cultivated there or them/you, get busy” (following [Hoffner 2009: 128]).

It is important that the examples are not isolated. They come from a very limited corpus of MH/MS letters and instructions. A broader corpus brings more examples. Thus, synchronic Hittite data are identical to the data from Narrow IE languages exemplified here by Greek and give no reason to assume some special enclitic or proclitic character of relative pronouns in Hittite. Becker [2014] attempted to provide the comparative IE evidence supporting her claim that Hittite enclitic relative pronouns go back to proto-IE situation, but all the evidence she produced concerns indefinite pronouns and will be reviewed in the following section.

### 3. Indefinite Pronouns – Enclitics or Lexically Unstressed?

The third category that has been suggested to be unstressed is indefinite pronouns. Detailed arguments in favour of indefinite pronouns being lexically unstressed have been provided by [Huggard 2014].

Just like relative pronouns, indefinite pronouns occupy three positions in a clause (see for more detail [Huggard 2014; Sideltsev 2014a, 2014b]): they are preverbal, second position, and they can also be, albeit extremely seldom, clause initial/first. The difference between relative and indefinite pronouns is statistical: indefinite pronouns are preverbal in the absolute majority of cases, much more seldom in the second position and extremely rarely in the first/initial position.

Preverbal position:

(54) OH/OS (CTH 291.I.a.A) KBo 6.2 rev. iv 19 (§ 83)

[t]akku ŠAḪ arnuand-an *kuiški* taye-zzi #  
if sow pregnant-ACC.SG.C somebody.NOM.SG.C steal-3SG.PRS  
“If **anyone** steals a pregnant sow, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 86–87]).

(55) MH/MS (CTH 190) HKM 66 obv. 16–17

nu=wa=kan mān ui-t namma *kuitki* āššan #  
CONN=QUOT=LOC if come-3SG.PST again something leave.PRTC.NOM.SG.N  
“And if it **has happened** that something is again left over, ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 220]).

Particularly intriguing in this respect are the examples where only the indefinite pronoun is preverbal whereas the head NP is not preverbal:

(56) OH/OS (CTH 291.I.a.A) KBo 6.2 obv. i 39 (§ 19b)

[(takku<sup>URU</sup>)]Hattuš-i=pat LÚ<sup>URU</sup>Hatti LÚ<sup>URU</sup>Luwī-n *kuiški* tāye-zzi #  
if Hattusa-LOC.SG=EMPH man Hatti man Luwian-ACC.SG.C somebody.NOM.SG.C steal-3SG.PRS  
“If a Hittite abducts a Luwian man in the land of Hatti itself, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 31]).

(57) MH/NS (252.A) KUB 13.8 obv. 11–12

mān ŠA É.NA<sub>4</sub>=ma *hinqan-aš* *waštul*  
if of stone.house=but death-GEN.SG.C crime.ACC.SG.N  
*kuiški* *waštai* #  
anyone.NOM.SG.C sin.3SG.PRS

“If, however, **anyone from the royal funerary structure** commits a capital crime, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 210–1]).

(58) MH/NS (CTH 264.A) KUB 13.4 rev. iv 61–62

mān=ma=kan ŠÀ KASKAL-NI LÚ<sup>4</sup>SIPAD.GU<sub>4</sub> *našma*  
if=but=LOC middle way cowherd or

LÚSIPAD.UDU *maršatar* *kuiški* *iya-zi* #  
 shepherd fraud.ACC.SG.N some.NOM.SG.C do-3SG.PRS

“But if along the way **some** cowherd or shepherd commits **fraud**...” (following [Miller 2013: 264–5]).

(59) NH/NS (CTH 577) KBo 2.2 obv. i 41–46

1. *nu=kan* <sup>D</sup>UTU<sup>š</sup>i *hup(pi)allaza=ma kuedaš* UD.KAM<sup>HIA</sup> *wal(a)hhanzi* #  
 2. *peran=kan kuedani memiyani lahlahhešgaueni* #  
 3. *n=an=kan tapašša-š* *apiya kuiški* *anda wemiyazi* #  
 CONN=him=LOC fever-NOM.SG.C then some-NOM.SG.C in find-3SG.PRS

“(1) Or on which days they beat His Majesty with the huppialla, – (2) for which matter we keep worrying in advance -, (3) will **some** **fever** befall him then?” (following [Goedegebuure 2014: 405]).

(60) NH/NS (CTH 106.A.1) Bo 86/299 obv. ii 99–100

*mān=ma DUMU=KA DUMU.DUMU=KA katta*<sup>20</sup> *wašta-i=ya kuiški* #  
 if=but son=your grandson=your later sin-3SG.PRS=and someone.NOM.SG.C

“But if **any** **son** or **grandson** of yours later commits an offense, ...”<sup>21</sup>.

Second position:

(61) NH/NS (CTH 62.II.A) KBo 5.9+ rev. iii 23–24

*našma mān KUR<sup>TUM</sup> kuitki* *zahhiya-za LUGAL KUR<sup>URU</sup>Hatti* *anda hatkišnu-zzi* #  
 or if **land** **some**.ACC.SG.N battle-ABL king land Hatti in besiege-3SG.PRS

“Or if **the King of Hatti** besieges **some land** in battle” (following [del Monte 1986: 170–1; Beckman 1996: 58]).

Huggard [2014] explains the difference between the preverbal and second position by the fact that preverbal indefinite pronouns are existential whereas second position indefinite pronouns are topicalized or at least presupposed. Sideltsev will show elsewhere that the hypothesis works only for the minor part of the data and cannot be upheld<sup>22</sup>.

First/initial position:

(62) NH/NS (CTH 255.2.A) KBo 26.1+ rev. iii 16

*nu=za kui-t* *GIM-an kiš-ari* #  
 CONN=REFL which-NOM.SG.N when happen-3SG.PRS.MED

“If **something** happens ...” (following [Miller 2013: 300–1]).

(63) NH/NS (CTH 266) KBo 16.54+ rev. iii? 16’

*man(a)=šan kuwapi* *URU-r-iyā EGIR-pa [ar-ti]* #  
 if/IRR=LOC when city-LOC.SG back come-2SG.PRS

“Should you **at some point** re[turn] to the city, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 268–9]).

(64) MH/NS (CTH 258.2) KUB 13.7 obv. 9

*mān=an=za kuwapi=ma appezzian* *LUGAL-u-š* *EGIR-an kappūē-zzi* #  
 if=him=REFL when=but later king-NOM.SG.C back count-3SG.PRS

“If, however, the king reassesses him (i.e., his case) **at some point**” (following [Miller 2013: 140–1]).

<sup>20</sup> Contra [Garrett 1990: 79; Salisbury 2005: 85], *katta* is not here a preverb, rather an adverb with the meaning “later”, which follows from its meaning which is identical to the unambiguous adverb [Salisbury 2005: 83–5]. It is true that *katta* is not normally clause internal in this meaning, but it is also very obvious that the aberrant syntactic behaviour should tip the balance in favour of *katta* being an adverb.

<sup>21</sup> Following [Otten 1988: 20–21; Beckman 1996: 113]. The example also involves the non-canonical clause internal verb position.

<sup>22</sup> Besides, the theory is obviously unapplicable to the subordinators which attest the same distribution.

(65) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 69–71

1.  $\text{LÚ.MEŠ} \text{MEŠEDI}=\text{ma}$   $\text{É} \text{arkiw-}i$   $\text{tapušza}$   $\text{ZAG-za}$   $\text{tie-nzi} \#$   
 bodyguards=but passageway-LOC.SG alongside right-ABL stand-3PL.PRS
2.  $\text{mān}$   $\text{kuedani}=\text{ma}$   $\text{URU-r}[-i]$   $\text{ZA}[\text{G-}az$   $\text{tiya-wanzi}$   $\text{UL?}$   $\text{tarḥan} \#$   
 if which.LOC.SG=but town-LOC.SG right-ABL stand-INF NEG possible

“(1) but the bodyguards stand to the right alongside the passageway. (2) If, however, in **some** town standing to the [rig]ht is not possible, (then they stand on the left)” (following [Miller 2013: 106–9]).

We suppose it is not incidental that the absolute majority of indefinite pronouns in the first position are identical to relative pronouns or subordinators, i.e., they do not attest the enclitic =*ki* and are attested in post-OH time in conditional clauses. It is important that *kuedani* is not topicalized in cl. 2 of the last example of (65), *-ma* is here contrastive with sentential scope. The only case in our corpus where the genuine indefinite pronoun is in the first position is:

(66) MH/MS (CTH 199) ABoT 1.65 rev. 5’–7’

- $\text{mam}=\text{man}=\text{za}=\text{kan}$   $\text{kuiški}$   $\text{É-er}$   $\text{tamai-š}$   $\text{arnu-t} \#$   
 if=IRR=REFL=LOC.PART someone.NOM.SG.C house else-NOM.SG.C relocate-3SG.PST

“If **someone** else had relocated (your) household/ family, (would you not become upset?)” (following [CHD L–N: 141; Hoffner 2009: 244; Hoffner, Melchert 2008: 422]).

It is not contrastively topicalized either.

But it is the following long context which is particularly revealing as the only indefinite pronoun in the first position in a clause is actually relative in form (cl. 3, where [Miller 2013] reads *kuin*(*ki*)). All the rest of numerous indefinite pronouns are either preverbal or in the second position:

(67) NH/NS (CTH 255.1.A) KUB 21.42 + rev. iv 22–31

1.  $\text{našma}$   $\text{kēl}$   $\text{ŠA ŠEŠ}^{\text{MEŠ}}$   $\text{DUTUŠ}^{\text{-}i}$   $\text{haššant-eš}$   $\text{našma}$   $\text{DUMU}$   $\text{MUNUS} \text{NAPṬIRTI}$   
 or he.GEN.SG of brothers Majesty=My born-NOM.PL.C or son secondary.wife  
 $\text{m[e]mian}$   $\text{GÙB-an}^i$   $\text{kuin}^i \text{ki}$   $\text{DÛ-an}$   $\langle \text{ḥar-zi} \rangle \#$   
 thing.ACC.SG.C wicked-ACC.SG.C some.ACC.SG.C done.PRTC.NOM.SG.N have-3SG.PRS
2.  $\text{MUD}$   $\text{našma}$   $\text{BAL} \#$   
 blood or rebellion
3.  $[\text{na}]šma$   $\text{kuin}$   $\text{memian}$   $\text{GÙB-an}$   $\text{awan}$   $\text{GAM}$   $\text{IḌE} \#$   
 or some.ACC.SG.C matter.ACC.SG.C wicked.ACC.SG.C INTENS down know
4.  $[\text{na}]šma=\text{za}$   $\text{DUMU}$   $\text{LUGAL}$   $\text{kuiški}$   $\text{GÙB-an}$   
 or=REFL son king some.NOM.SG.C wicked.ACC.SG  
 $\text{uttar}$   $\text{ANA}$   $\text{LÚSAG}$   $\text{awan}$   $\text{GAM}$   $\text{memai} \# \dots$   
 matter.ACC.SG.N to courtier INTENS down tell.3SG.PRS
- 5’.  $[\text{naš}]ma$   $\text{LÚSAG}$   $\text{kuinki}$   $\text{DUMU}$   $\text{LUGAL}$   
 or courtier some.ACC.SG.C son king  
 $\text{ŠEŠ}$   $\text{LUGAL}$   $\text{kuiški}$   $[\text{Lú}ar]an$   $\text{DÛ-zi} \#$   
 brother king some.NOM.SG.C associate makes
- 6’.  $\text{nu}=\text{šši}$   $\text{ŠA}$   $\text{LUGAL}$   $\text{kuitki}$   $\text{ḤUL-lu}$   $[\text{uttar}$   $\text{GÙ}]\text{B-tar}$   $\text{parā}$   $\text{memai} \#$   
 CONN=him of king some evil.ACC.SG.N matter inopportune out tell.3SG.PRS

“(1) Or (if) the full brothers of My Majesty and a son of a secondary wife has (done) **some wicked thing**, (2) (e.g.,) blood (shed) or rebellion (3) or he has foreknowledge of **some wicked matter**; (4) [o]r **some prince** divulges a wicked matter to a courtier, (or he has also already [to]ld you, but you do not report it to the king; (5’) [o]r **some prince (or) brother of the king** makes some courtier (his) [ass]ociate, (6’) and he divulges to him **some evil**, **[inopp]ortune [matter]** regarding the king, (but does not report it to the king; under the oath)” (following [Miller 2013: 290–1]).

Huggard proposes that indefinite pronouns are unstressed, or, rather, that they are lexically unstressed. Lexical unstressability for him is different from the unstressability of clitics as lexically unstressed words can bear topic stress as in:

(68) NH/NS (CTH 40.IV.1.A) KBo 5.6 obv. i 21

- |    |                              |               |                   |
|----|------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|
| 1. | <i>nu=kan</i>                | <i>kui-t</i>  | <i>kuenn-ir #</i> |
|    | CONN=LOC                     | some-ACC.SG.N | kill-3PL.PST      |
| 2. | <i>kuit=<u>ma</u>=za=kan</i> | <i>anda</i>   | <i>ēpp-ir #</i>   |
|    | some-ACC.SG.N=but=REFL=LOC   | in            | seize-3PL.PST     |

“(1) And some they slew, (2) but **some** they seized.” (Borrowed from [Huggard 2014: ex. (15)]).

Here it must immediately be observed that no unambiguous *indefinite* pronoun ever hosts *-ma* in our corpus<sup>23</sup>. As follows from above and from the data of Huggard [2014], all the cases where indefinite pronouns host *-ma* actually involve relative pronouns or subordinators functioning as indefinite pronouns after *mān* “if”. Alternatively, the relative pronouns/ subordinators have a distributive function, as in Huggard’s example above.

As for unstressability in the second position, cross-linguistically the second position of a constituent in a clause is not tied in to unstressability — e.g., verb in the second position is not unstressed in Germanic languages [Bošković 2001]. The same holds good for second position relative pronouns and subordinators in Kashmiri [Munshi, Bhatt 2009]. I.e. if a word stands in 2P, the lack of stress does not immediately follows.

Moreover, indefinite pronouns in Hittite are productively built from relative pronouns/subordinators with the help of indefinite enclitic *-ki* [Hoffner, Melchert 2009]. This formant is not a suffix as it cliticizes to the inflected form of the pronoun bearing case, number and gender affixes. It clearly produces the impression of an enclitic. What is important is that the enclitic is not a second position enclitic. All other non-2P (or at least not necessarily 2P) enclitics like *-pat* cliticize only to stressed words. This is admittedly a very indirect argument, but quite a sound one<sup>24</sup>.

One of the arguments of [Huggard 2014] and Becker [2014: 100–1] in favour of indefinite pronouns being unstressed is that other Indo-European languages attest unstressed indefinite pronouns and thus the Hittite system which they construe as unstressed should be diachronically equated with the Narrow IE one.

The Narrow IE system<sup>25</sup> is best preserved in Latin and Greek where *wh*-words are stressed in their primary function and unstressed when they function as indefinite pronouns (see now [Haug forthcoming]).

In Greek *wh*-words like τίς ‘who’, πότε ‘when’, πώς ‘how’ and many others can be simply converted into indefinite pronouns by dropping their phonological accent. See, e.g., the following examples from Greek (Homer, Ilias):

(69) Ἦν δέ τις ἐν Τρώεσσι Δάρης ἀφνειὸς ἀμύμων // ἱεὺς Ἥφαιστοιο· (V, 9–10<sup>26</sup>).

- |               |               |                      |                                  |
|---------------|---------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Ἦν            | δέ            | τις                  | ἐν Τρώεσσι                       |
| be. IMPF.3.SG | but-ENCL.PART | some.ENCL.PRON.NOM.M | among Trojans.DAT.PL.            |
| Δάρης         | ἀφνειὸς       | ἀμύμων               | ἱεὺς Ἥφαιστοιο                   |
| Dares.NOM.SG. | rich.NOM.SG.M | blameless.NOM.SG.M   | priest.NOM.SG Hephaestus.GEN.SG. |

“But there was among Trojans one (so-called) Dares, a rich and blameless man, a priest of Hephaestus”.

<sup>23</sup> Here the broader corpus of diplomatic texts, oracles, dreams and prayers was studied.

<sup>24</sup> We thank A.Kassian for the idea.

<sup>25</sup> See for further examples [Haug forthcoming; Becker 2014; Huggard 2014], all with references.

<sup>26</sup> In a stable epic expression before proclitic; cf. 10, 314.



(70) οὐτέ τί με δέος ἴσχει ἀκήριον οὐτέ τις ὄκνος (V, 817<sup>27</sup>):

οὐτέ τί με δέος ἴσχει  
 neither some.NOM.SG.N me.ACC.SG fear.NOM.SG.N possess.PRS.3.SG  
 ἀκήριον οὐτέ τις ὄκνος  
 inglorious.NOM.SG.N nether some.NOM.SG.M hesitation-NOM.SG.M  
 “Neither [a kind of] inglorious fear, nor [a k.of] hesitation do possess me”.

(71) ἐγὼ δ' ἐπὶ μείλια δώσω // πολλὰ μάλ', ὅσσο' οὐ πῶ τις ἐῆ ἐπέδωκε θυγατρὶ (IX, 147–148<sup>28</sup>)

ἐγὼ δ' ἐπὶ μείλια δώσω  
 I.NOM.SG but.ENCL.PART PRV gifts-ACC.PL.n give-FUT.1SG  
 πολλὰ μάλ' ὅσσο' οὐ πῶ  
 many.ACC.PL.N very which.ACC.PL.N not.PROCL.PART anyway.ENCL.PRON  
 τις ἐῆ ἐπέδωκε θυγατρὶ  
 anyone.ENCL.NOM.SG.M his.POSS.PRON.DAT.SG.F has.given-AOR.3SG daughter-DAT.SG.F  
 “And I will add [to Briseis] gifts, so many, that no one had ever given to his own daughter”.

Main evidence in favour of *wh*-words functioning as indefinite pronouns being unstressed in Greek comes from ancient grammarians and is supported by the well-known facts of the history of Greek writing<sup>29</sup>. Some particular cases could be determined on bases of Greek common accent and phonological<sup>30</sup> rules.

In Latin we do not have such strong arguments coming from the writing tradition, but the system is clear enough:

(72) *Quis est?* – “Who is it?” vs. *Sī quis ad mē ueniat* “If anyone comes to me” = Εἴ τις in Greek.

*Wh*-words function as indefinite pronouns in Latin normally after *sī*, *nē* and thus are in the second position as dramatically different from *wh*-words in their original function which are clause initial. It is notable that dropping accent in Latin is not the most preferable way for producing indefinite pronouns (they usually are derived from *wh*-words by old enclitic particles: *quis-quam*, *quis-piam* etc. ‘anyone’), but in some clear circumstances (e.g. after *sī*, *nē*) this way becomes favorable. In the whole PHI-5 Latin corpus one can find only 33 entries for *sī quisquam* and only 2 archaic cases for *sī quispiam* (in Plautus), whereas there are thousands of entries for *sī quis*. It could be regarded as indirect evidence for the fact that an indefinite pronoun, standing in the enclitic-host position, can hardly host an enclitic-like particle (*-quam* or *-piam*) itself. Also it is notable that *quisquam* (instead of indefinite *quis*) in several cases, presumably rhetorical questions, can start the sentence and even host some other enclitic particles (like interrogative *-ne*) behaving as “monolithic” compound rather than a set of separate enclitic pieces: *Quisquam istuc negat* (Cic. N.D. III, 70)? – “How could anyone deny it?”. *Quisquam-ne... in lite cantat* (Quint. XI, 3, 59) – “Can anyone sing in the court”? The indefinite pronoun *quīdam* (also of enclitic origin: cf. fem. *quae-dam* and neut. *quod-dam*) can occupy the first position of the phrase much more easily.

<sup>27</sup> In the negative enclitic construction; *τί* has an acute accent of phrase origin which is due to the enclitic attraction. For rules see [Belov 2015: 260 ff.].

<sup>28</sup> Same to (70), but before a possessive pronoun with uncertain prosodic status. Acute accents on *οὐ* and *πῶ* are due to the enclitic attraction.

<sup>29</sup> See [Tronsky 1962; Probert 2006]. Some uncertain cases, especially concerning enclitics and enclitomena (like ἐχθρῶν τινῶν ἐστι ‘it belongs to some enemies’) are discussed in [Belov 2015: 262 ff.], where the phonological stress of the indefinite *τινῶν* is questioned.

<sup>30</sup> See also [Janse 1995/6: 163], who shows that in many cases Greek enclitics have stronger assimilation with the host word (πρῶτομ\_μὲν) than the orthotonic words.

These are the IE parallels that Huggard bases his argument on and traces the Hittite system back to. However, we believe that it is exactly these parallels that show that synchronically the Hittite system is radically different from the one which is preserved in Latin and Greek and which is likely to be reconstructed for Narrow IE. Moreover, the Hittite system cannot even be traced back to the Narrow IE one diachronically.

As shown above, in Hittite, indefinite pronouns are both second position and preverbal, which is unreconcilable with the suggested unstressed character. Neither Latin nor Greek display preverbal position of uncompounded *wh*-phrases (of the type *τις*, *quis*) functioning as indefinite pronouns, their position is that of Wackernagel second position.

A caveat is due here. Naturally, derived indefinite forms like Latin *quidam*, *quisquam* do not attest the constraint — they can be both preverbal and first, but they are stressed. What is significant is that Lat. *quis* etc. can be only clause second in their indefinite use, and never seem to be clause internal, including the preverbal position.

As for Greek, the placement of *wh*-words used as indefinite pronouns (*τις*, etc.) can at face value produce the impression of being clause internal and even preverbal as in the following example from *Ilias* (XII, 8–9):

(73)	οὐ	γὰρ	ὁ	γ'	ἀθανάτων	τινα	ἔλπετο	ὄν	κατὰ	θυμὸν	//	ἐλθόντ'	ἢ	Τρῶεσσιν	ἀρηξέμεν	ἢ	Δαναοῖσιν
	not.PROCL.PART		for.ENCL.PART	who.REL.PRON.NOM.SG.M								truly.PRAGM.PART.ENCL					
	ἀθανάτων		τινα		ἔλπετο		ὄν		κατὰ	θυμὸν							
	immortals.GEN.PL		one.ACC.SG.M.ENCL		believe.IMP.3SG		his.DEM.PRON.ACC.SG		in.the.soul-ACC.SG								
	ἐλθόντ'		ἢ	Τρῶεσσιν		ἀρηξέμεν		ἢ	Δαναοῖσιν								
	come.ACC.SG.PRTC.AOR		either	Trojan.DAT.PL		bring.aid.INF.AOR		either	Greek.DAT.PL								

“Because he couldn’t believe in his soul that it would be one of the immortals, who came to provide [military] assistance to Trojans or Greeks”.

Here at first sight the placement of *τινα* is clause internal and even preverbal, but a closer look at the information structure of the clause reveals that *ἀθανάτων*, the word immediately preceding *τινα*, is contrastively focused as counterexpectant focus. Cross-linguistic studies show that focusing is often marked by insertion of a prosodic boundary immediately in front of the focused constituent in SOV languages [Büiring 2009]. Thus such deviating examples are easy to fit into the proposed scheme. We believe that there should be a prosodic boundary to the left of *ἀθανάτων* triggered by the information structure. Consequently *τινα* is in the expected second position, although the boundary in front of the first position is not clausal. As dramatically different from Greek, Hittite indefinite pronouns are preverbal both when they follow contrastive focus and when they do not.

It is also highly significant that it is the preverbal position which should be primary for Hittite indefinite pronouns. There is not a single OH/OS *unambiguous* attestation of second position indefinite pronouns, only preverbal ones or ambiguous between preverbal and second position. The only example from the Laws which at first sight produces the impression of unambiguous second position indefinite pronoun is

(74)	OH/NS	(CTH 291.III)	KBo 6.4+ obv. i 4 (§ 35)
<i>takku</i>	<u>UNUTE</u> <sup>MEŠ</sup>	<i>kuiški</i>	<u>našma</u> GU <sub>4</sub> UDU <u>ANŠE.KUR.RA</u>
if	implements	somebody.NOM.SG.C	or ox sheep horse
<u>ANŠE</u>	<i>wemiya-zi</i>	#	
ass	find-3SG.PRS		

“If **anyone** finds implements or an ox, a sheep, a horse, [or] an ass, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 54]).

However, as [Hoffner 1997: 54] observes, the paragraph it occurs in is a late version of §§ 45 and 71. The OH/OS starting point in either case does not contain a list between the indefinite pronoun and the verb. The word order is the expected OSV one in both cases with the indefinite pronoun ambiguous between second and preverbal position:

(75) OH/OS (CTH 291.III) KBo 6.2+ obv. ii 36 (§ 45)

[takku] ā[š]šu<sup>31</sup> k[uiški] w[emīya-zi] #

if goods.ACC.SG.N somebody.NOM.SG.C find-3SG.PRS

“If **anyone** finds implements, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 53]).

(76) OH/OS (CTH 291.III) KBo 6.2+ rev. iii 4 (§ 71)

takku GU<sub>4</sub>-un ANŠE.[KUR.RA ANŠE.GÌR.NUN.N]A-an ANŠE-in

if ox-ACC.SG.C horse mule-ACC.SG.C ass-ACC.SG.C

kuiški wemīya-zi #

somebody.NOM.SG.C find-3SG.PRS

“If **anyone** finds a (stray) ox, a horse, a mule (or) an donkey, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 54]).

Thus, (74) has nothing to do with the OH usage. The *copies* of the OH/OS original do not introduce the addition (see [Hoffner 1997: 53, 79]). It appears only in the NH *modification* of the OH original combining two earlier paragraphs and reflects NH usage. Besides, it may simply be a scribe’s slip, inserting the list in the wrong place. This is suggested by the following example which shows that scribes could mechanically extend the clause and insert the addition in the wrong place:

(77) OH/NS (CTH 292.II.a.B) KBo 6.26+ obv. ii 23–4 (§ 176a)

1. takku DUMU UMMIĀN kuiški wāš-i #

if son trained somebody.NOM.SG.C buy-3SG.PRS

2. naššu LÚBAḪAR LÚSIMUG.A LÚNAGAR LÚAŠGAB LÚAZLAG

either porter smith carpenter leather-worker fuller

LÚUŠ.BAR naššu? LÚEPIŠ TÚGKABALLI kuiški wāš-i #

weaver or maker leggings somebody.NOM.SG.C buy-3SG.PRS

“(1) If **anyone** buys a trained artisan, (2) either a potter, a smith, a carpenter, a leather-worker, a fuller, a weaver, or a maker of leggings **anyone** buys, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 140–1]).

Here the list inserted *after* the clause and the indefinite pronoun as well as the verb are repeated after the list. We suppose the same mechanics might be at work for (74) producing the illusion of second position indefinite pronoun in Old Hittite.

Besides, the use of Hittite “indefinite pronouns” in the first position, for which see exx. (62–68) above, is also dramatically different from Latin/Greek model. In Latin/Greek it is usually the *wh*-phrases in their interrogative meaning that are in the first position.<sup>32</sup>

In Hittite the function is indefinite, but the form is of relative pronouns/ subordinators which thus simply retain one of their prototypical positions after *mān* “if”. What is noteworthy

<sup>31</sup> UNUTE<sup>MES</sup> in NS/OH KBo 6.3+ obv. ii 57.

<sup>32</sup> The classic example is (Il. I, 8):

Τίς τάρ σφωε θεῶν ἔριδι ξυνέηκε μάχεσθαι

Τίς τάρ σφωε θεῶν ἔριδι

who.NOM.SG then.PRAGM.PART.ENCL them.ACC.DU god.GEN.PL anger.DAT.SG

ξυνέηκε μάχεσθαι

send.AOR.3.SG fight.INF.PRS

“But who among the gods made them fight in anger?”

diachronically is that the use attested in Latin, Greek and the majority of other IE languages cannot be directly traced to the Hittite usage. In Hittite the use of relative pronouns/subordinators in the function of indefinite pronouns is post-OH and should be considered an independent innovation from the Narrow IE. Hittite attests the use of relative pronouns as indefinite only in post-OH period [CHD sub *mān*]. The oldest attested Hittite texts (OH/OS originals) have only indefinite pronouns in conditional clauses and after negation markers. Sideltsev's count of OH/OS corpus revealed 62× *mān kuiški/kuitki* vs 0× \**mān kuiš/kuit*. The latter is sporadically attested only in later copies of OH texts and is very likely to reflect MH/NH usage. The statistics is impressive enough to be just a matter of coincidence<sup>33</sup>.

**3.1.** Moreover, it can be demonstrated that none of Huggard's synchronic Hittitological arguments in favour of indefinite pronouns being unstressed are compelling evidence. His arguments run as follows: apart from being in the second position (for which now see [Sideltsev 2014a]), indefinite pronouns always follow their head noun, indefinite pronouns “participate in the distraction (hyperbaton) of two constituents, whether it be a periphrastic perfect, postpositional phrase, genitival phrase, or a noun phrase composed of an adjective plus noun” [Huggard 2014].

Now we will critically reassess the argument and show that they do not hold. Just like for *mān* “if/when” and relative pronouns, it can be demonstrated that indefinite pronouns synchronically behave in a very different way from enclitics in the second position and from proclitic *nu*. It is clearly seen in:

(78) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 8 obv. 15–16

15. *mān=an*      *ḫandā-ši*  
OPT =him      locate-2SG.PRS

16. *kuwapiki* # ...  
somewhere

“You should locate him **somewhere**” (following [Hoffner 2009: 99]).

This example shows the difference between phonologically placed second position constituents — in this case =*an* “him” and syntactically placed second position constituent *kuwapiki* “somewhere”. Whereas the former directly follows its host and stays in the same line, the latter starts a new line, as obviously different from unambiguous enclitics.

The following example is similar. It also unambiguously testifies against another claim of Huggard. The sequence head noun — indefinite pronoun is written over two lines, which is extremely unexpected if the indefinite pronoun is enclitic to the head noun:

(79) MH/MS (CTH 188) HKM 46 obv. 15–16

15. *man=kan*    <sup>D</sup>UTU<sup>š-t</sup>      *BELÍ=YA BELU*  
if=LOC    Majesty=My lord=my lord

16. *kuinki*      *parā*    *nai-tti* #  
some.ACC.SG.C    out    send-2SG.PRS

“If Your Majesty, my lord, were to send **some** lord, ...” (following [Hoffner 2009: 174]).

The following example demonstrates that even within negative pronouns the indefinite pronoun is not enclitic to the negation marker as it starts a new line:

(80) MH/MS (CTH 186) HKM 30 rev. 16–17

16. *kinun=a=mu*      *na[mma]*    *UL*  
now=but=me      then      NEG

<sup>33</sup> Sideltsev proposes to set out the detailed arguments elsewhere.

17. *kuitki* *ḫ[a]trā-ši #*  
 anything.ACC.SG.N write-2SG.PRS

“But now you no longer write anything” (following [Hoffner 2009: 154]).

As for indefinite pronoun always following its head noun, the generalization of Huggard is simply too strong. Even in our limited corpus of MH/MS letters and instructions there are at least two counterexamples. Contra [Huggard 2014], second position indefinite pronouns precede its head noun in the following examples:

- (81) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 57  
*mān=wa=[ka]n šarā=ma kui-š antūwahḫa-š ḫandāi-zzi #*  
 if=QUOT=LOC up=but some-NOM.SG.C man-NOM.SG.C manage-3SG.PRS  
 “If some man *manages* (to go) up, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 112–3]).

- (82) OH-MH/MS (CTH 262) IBoT 1.36 obv. i 19–20  
 1. *mān andurza kuiški URUDUzakke-š UL karpan-za #*  
 if inside **some** doorbolt-NOM.SG.C NEG lift-PRTC-NOM.SG.C  
 2. *našma É.NA4KIŠIB kuitki ḫašš-anzi #*  
 or storehouse **some** open-3PL.PRS

“(1) If inside **some** doorbolt has not been lifted, (2) or if they open **some** storehouse” (following [Miller 2013: 104–5]).

Both of indefinite pronouns in (81, 82) are in the second position. In the following case the indefinite pronoun precedes its head noun in the preverbal position:

- (83) OH/OS (CTH 291.I.a.A) KBo 6.2 obv. i 36 (§ 19a)  
 [(*takku* LÚ.U<sub>19</sub>) LU-*an* LÚ-*n=aku* MU[(NUS-*n=aku* URUḪattuš-*az*  
 if free.person man=or woman=or Hattusa-ABL  
*kuiš*)*ki* (LÚ URULuī-š)] [tā]ye-zzi #  
 some.NOM.SG.C man Luwian-NOM.SG.C steal-3SG.PRS

“If a Luwian abducts a free person, man or woman, from the land of Hatti, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 30]).

Besides, if we interpret predominance of the position after the head NP as indicative of the unstressed character, attributive participles, *ḫūmant-* “all” and *dapiyant-* “all” which regularly follow head nouns [Hoffner, Melchert 2008: 271, 339] will also be unstressed.

The final argument of Huggard in favour of indefinite pronouns being unstressed and behaving like an ordinary second position enclitic is that indefinite pronouns “participate in the distraction (hyperbaton) of two constituents, whether it be a periphrastic perfect, postpositional phrase, genitival phrase, or a noun phrase composed of an adjective plus noun” [Huggard 2014].

However, the same distraction can be caused by many other constituents, not only enclitics<sup>34</sup>. It is also important that the same type of connections can be broken in positions different from the second position.

For example, indefinite pronouns break up the nexus *noun + adjective*. But the same connection is broken up in the following example, although neither indefinite pronouns nor second position enclitics are involved:

<sup>34</sup> Besides, it is a common fact in the generative literature even on second position enclitics that only those constituents that can be “distracted” in other position, are “distracted” by enclitics [Bošković 2001]. Thus even enclitics do not bring about any unique “distractions”.

(84) NH/NS (CTH 578) KUB 22.61 rev. 18'–19'

1. *kuiš=mu*                      LÚA.ZU      ŠIxSÀ-ri #  
which-NOM.SG.C=me    physician    determine.by.oracle-3SG.PRS.MED
2. *nu=kan*      Û      ANA    DUTU<sup>š-i</sup>      ŠÀ    IGI<sup>HI.A</sup> *apāt*    :*pari-tti* #  
CONN=LOC    herb    to      Majesty=My    inside eyes    that    apply-3SG.PRS

“(1) Which physician is determined by oracle for me (2) will apply that herb (and no other) to His Majesty eyes” (following [Goedegebuure 2013: 32, ex. 20]).

In (84) only the noun Û “herb” moves to the clause first position whereas the other part of the same NP, pronoun *apāt* “that”, stands preverbally<sup>35</sup>. A similar mechanics lies behind the following example. Here only a part of the NP *kī ŠA mKur uttar* “this matter of Kur” is fronted to the initial position (*kī* “this”), whereas the rest of the NP (*ŠA mKur uttar* “matter of Kur”) is in front of the preverb:

(85) NH/NS (CTH 577) KUB 5.24+ obv. ii 13–14

- kī=wa*      DUTU                      URUPÚ-na      ŠA mKur *kuwatqa*      *uttar*                      EGIR-pa    SUD-at #  
this=QUOT    sungoddess    Arinna      of Kur    somehow    matter.ACC.SG.N    back      draw-3SG.PST

“The Sungoddess of Arinna wanted to prolong this matter of Kur somehow, ...” (following [van den Hout 1995: 256–7; Mouton 2007: 199–200]).

Canonical word order is attested in the lexically identical context from the same text:

(86) NH/NS (CTH 577) KUB 5.24+ obv. ii 19–20

- mān=ma*      DINGIR-LUM      *kēl*                      ŠA mKur *uttar*  
if=but      god                      this.GEN.SG    of Kur    matter.ACC.SG.N  
[E]GIR-pa    UL      *kuitki*                      SUD-at #  
back      NEG    something.ACC.SG.N draw-3SG.PST

“But if the goddess did not at all want to prolong the matter of this Kur, ...” (following [van den Hout 1995: 256–7; Mouton 2007: 199–200]).

The indefinite pronoun might also clause internally break up an NP which it does not belong to. It does so in (85) above where *kuwatqa* is inside part of the NP (*ŠA mKur uttar*) and it does it again in the following examples:

(87) NH/NS (CTH 68.E) KUB 6.44+ obv. iv 26'–27'

- [*nu mān t*] *luk*    ANA mKupanta-DLAMMA    ŠA DUTU<sup>š-i</sup>    [(*kuiški*)  
CONN    if you to Kupanta-Kurunta    of Majesty=My    some.NOM.SG.C  
*HUL-lu-n*    <*memian*>      *peran*      *memai* #  
bad-ACC.SG.C    matter.ACC.SG.C    before    speak.3SG.PRS

“If **someone** speaks [an evil] word concerning My Majesty before you, Kupanta-Kurunta, ...” (= rev. iv 28'–29'. Following [Friedrich 1926: 136–9; Beckman 1996: 75]).

(88) NH/NS (CTH 76.A) KBo 19.73+ rev. iii 26–27

- mān*      *tuk=ma*                      ANA    mAlakša[(*nd*)]u    ŠA    DUTU<sup>š-i</sup>  
or=LOC    you.DAT.SG=but to    Alaksandu    of    Majesty=My  
*ku[(išk)]i*      *HUL-lu-n*..... *memiya[n*      *p*] *peran*      *memai* #  
some.NOM.SG.C    evil-ACC.SG.N    word.ACC.SG.C    before    say.3SG.PRS

“If **someone** speaks an evil word concerning My Majesty before you, Alaksandu, ...” (following [Friedrich 1930: 70–1; Beckman 1996: 85]).

<sup>35</sup> See [Goedegebuure 2013: 32, ex. 20] for the information structure analysis.

In both of the examples of (87, 88) the indefinite pronoun *kuiški* breaks up the NP ŠA DU-TUŠI HUL-*lun memiya*[n “an evil word concerning My Majesty”].

The following example is very curious. It attests the process quite opposite to that postulated by Huggard, *indefinite* NP (<sup>LÚ</sup>*araš kuiški* “some colleague”) break up by another NP (<sup>LÚ</sup>*ari* “colleague”):

(89) MH/NS (CTH 260.1) KUB 31.44+ obv. ii 6–7

*našma=kan* <sup>LÚ</sup>*ara-š* <sup>LÚ</sup>*ar-i* *kuiški*  
 or=LOC colleague-NOM.SG.C colleague-DAT.SG some.NOM.SG.C  
*kurur-aš* *mem[(ia)]n* *peran pēhute-zzi* #  
 enemy-GEN.SG word.ACC.SG.C before bring-3SG.PRS

“Or (if) **some colleague** expresses a hostile re[(ma)]rk against (another) colleague, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 288–9]).

The example is all the more extraordinary as the indefinite NP was in the second position — before the break up! Should we consider <sup>LÚ</sup>*ari* enclitic on the basis of this example? We suppose not. Other examples involving the indefinite NP break up are:

(90) NH/NS (CTH 380.A) KBo 4.6 obv. 10’–11’

*nu mān* DINGIR-LIM EN=YA *ammel* *kuitki* Š[A  
 CONN if god lord=my I.GEN.SG some.ACC.SG.N of  
 MUNUS=YA?] HUL-*lu* *šanhe-ški-ši* #  
 wife=my evil.ACC.SG.N seek-IMPV-2SG.PRS

“If you, O god, my lord, are seeking **some evil** in my [wife(?)]....” (following [Tischler 1981: 12–3; Singer 2002: 72]).

(91) NH/INS (CTH 67) KBo 5.4 rev. 21–22

*mān tuk=ma* *kuiški* ANA <sup>m</sup>*Targaš[nalli* <sup>LÚ</sup>KÜR] *arāi* #  
 if you.ACC.SG=but some.NOM.SG.C to Targasnalli enemy arise.3SG.PRS

“But [if] **some [enemy]** arises against you, Targasnalli...” (following [Friedrich 1926: 64–5; Beckman 1996: 67]).

Apart from the data about constituent break up by indefinite pronouns or indefinite NP break up by other constituents, there are data that other second position constituents also break up constituents. In the following cases it is the subordinator *maḥḥan* “as, when” that breaks up the NP:

(92) NH/NS (CTH 42.A) KBo 5.3+ obv. i 18

*nu=tta mān* *tuel* *maḥḥan* SAG.DU=KA *nakki-š* #  
 CONN=you if your as head=your heavy-NOM.SG.C

“And if (His Majesty’s head is not as dear to you) **as** your own head is dear to you” (following [G. Wilhelm (ed.), hethiter.net/: CTH 42 (INTR 2013–02–24), Beckman 1996: 24; CHD L–N: 365]).

(93) NH/NS (CTH 42.A) KBo 5.3+ obv. i 22

*nu=za mān* *tuel* *maḥḥan* ANA SAG.DU=KA ZI=KA Û  
 CONN=REFL if your as to head=your soul=your and  
 ANA RAMĀNI=KA *genzu* *ḥar-ši* #  
 to body=your affection have-3SG.PRS

“If (you are not well-disposed to the person of My Majesty, the soul of My Majesty, and the body of My Majesty and do not me in a protective embrace) in the same way as you are well-disposed to to your person, soul and body” (following [G. Wilhelm (ed.), hethiter.net/: CTH 42 (INTR 2013–02–24), Beckman 1996: 24]).

See above fn. 18 for the distribution of *maḥḥan* “as, when” in the clause second position is the least common of the three of the subordinators. It looks like second position subordinators

are the only type of second position constituents that have not yet been assessed as enclitic. And we believe ex. (92) cannot be interpreted in this way.

Another nexus which is often broken up by second position indefinite pronouns is *NP* — *postposition*. But the same connection can be broken by indefinite pronouns within the clause, i.e. without any connection with the second position, as the following case shows:

- (94) NH/OS (CTH 291.III) KBo 6.4+ obv. i 4 (§ III)  
 [takku=kan LÚDAM.GÀR URU[*f*]atti āššuw-aš kuiški anda kuen-zi #  
 if=LOC merchant Hittite goods-LOC.PL somebody.NOM.SG.C in kill-3SG.PRS  
 “[If] **anyone** kills a Hittite [merchant] in the midst of his goods, ...” (following [Hoffner 1997: 19–20])<sup>36</sup>.

In the following example it is the preverbal indefinite pronoun that breaks up the *NP* + *postposition* construction:

- (95) NH/NS (CTH 89.A) KUB 21.29+ rev. iv 8–9  
 mān=ma=[ka]n UN-aš=ma kuiški ŠA URU-LIM  
 if=but=LOC person-NOM.SG.C=but some.NOM.SG.C of city  
 ANA LÚMES [U]RUGašga kuiški anda dammek-tari #  
 to people Gasga somebody.NOM.SG.C in join-3SG.PRS.MED  
 “If any person of the city — **anybody** — joins people of Gasga, ...”<sup>37</sup>.

An example not involving an indefinite pronoun and involving a very clear fronting of the *NP*, but not the *postposition* which stays in the preverbal position with the ensuing split of the postpositional phrase is:

- (96) MH/NS (CTH 261.1.B) KUB 13.2+ rev. iv 13’–14’  
 [m]aniyahhiya=ta=kkan kue É.GAL-LÌ<sup>HLA</sup>-TÌ É<sup>HLA</sup> BELUTI=ya [(and)]a] #  
 province.LOC.SG=you=LOC which.NOM.PL.N palace.officials houses lord=and in  
 “(And you shall inquire regularly into) the palaces and noble estates that are in your [**p**]rovince, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 232–3]).

Ex. E (KUB 31.89(+)) of the text where (96) comes from, see [Miller 2013: 232], has canonical word order as it starts in rev. iv 6’ with [É<sup>HLA</sup>ha]lentūwa=ya=ta=kkan É.GAL<sup>HLA</sup>[<sup>A</sup>. According to Miller [2013: fn. 452], *maniyahhi-* presumably followed and was lost in the lacuna. The regular position of the locative immediately in front of the *postposition* is also seen in the same text:

- (97) MH/NS (CTH 261.1.B) KUB 13.2+ rev. iv 9’–10’  
 [...] É.GAL-LÌ<sup>HLA</sup> kue maniyahhiya [(an)da] #  
 palaces which.NOM.PL.N province.LOC.SG in  
 “(You must [(also)] keep an eye on al[l] the ...) (and) the palaces [(i)n your] **province**” (following [Miller 2013: 232–3]).

An analogous case of split of postpositional phrase is not involving indefinite pronouns is:

- (98) MH/NS (CTH 264.A) KUB 13.4 obv. ii 19  
 n=ašta kuedani hāl-i waštul anda kīš-a #  
 CONN=LOC which-LOC.SG watch-LOC.SG offense.NOM.SG.N in occur-3SG.PRS  
 “In which watch an offense occurs, ...” (following [Miller 2013: 256–7]).

<sup>36</sup> The example is even more extraordinary in view of the older version of the same text (KBo 6.2 obv. i 3) where *āššuw-aš anda* “in the midst of (his) goods” was not employed.

<sup>37</sup> Cf. [González Salazar 1994: 164, 167]: “Anybody of the city or anybody (else)”.



Thus the Latin and Greek system of stressed *wh*-words vs unstressed *wh*-words in the second position functioning as indefinite pronouns which Huggard and Becker very explicitly base their arguments on is only very distantly cross-linguistically similar to the attested Hittite system. The first difference of Hittite from Greek/Latin system is that indefinite pronouns behave in syntactical terms identically to relative pronouns and some subordinators. The second is that Hittite indefinite pronouns are not limited to the second position, they are at least as frequently attested in the preverbal position. These two major differences show it beyond any reasonable doubt that Hittite indefinite pronouns are not unstressed.

The diachronic inner Hittite data show that the peculiarities of Hittite indefinite pronouns appeared within the history of Hittite and cannot be traced back to the Narrow IE system retained in Latin, Greek and other IE languages. Thus, the Hittite system and the Narrow IE one must be regarded as independent innovations from the Indo-Hittite system.

#### 4. Consolidation of Prosodic Accounts

It is particularly instructive to confront independently formulated arguments of Huggard, Becker and Kloekhorst in favour of unstressed character of relative pronouns, subordinator *mān* “if/when” and indefinite pronouns and see that they plainly contradict each other and make all the three hypotheses even less tenable than they are separately. Thus, Kloekhorst argues that frequently spelt plene *mahhan* “when, as” is stressed as different from consistently spelt plene *mān* “if, when”. However, *mahhan* is optionally second position which in the logic of Huggard and Becker is one of the arguments in favour of second position constituents being unstressed!

#### 5. Syntactic Account of the Data

Thus, if one does not *a priori* tie in second position with unstressability<sup>38</sup>, there is no independent ground to posit lack of lexical stress on indefinite and relative pronouns in Hittite. If they were just unstressed and if the second position was intimately connected with unstressability, how can it be explained that they are not always in the second position, just like regular Wackernagel clitics? On the contrary, they behave like second position stressed verbs in Germanic/Kashmiri and stressed second position relative pronouns/subordinators<sup>39</sup> in Kashmiri where they can occupy other positions [Bošković 2001; Munshi, Bhatt 2009], see, e.g., for Kashmiri relative phrases:

(99) [sami:r-an    [yosī kita:b]    ra:j-as    dits]            [so    kita:b...]  
       Samir-ERG    which book.F    Raj-DAT    give.PST.F.SG    that    book.F

“The book that Samir gave to Raj, that book...” [Munshi, Bhatt 2009: 215].

**5.1. Hittite Second Position: Structural Account.** What is then the explanation of the Hittite second position system? Starting from the distribution we suggest the following linear positions in the left periphery of the Hittite clause. Each position is marked by [ ]. They need not be necessarily filled in a clause, the only exception is the obligatory position 3:

<sup>38</sup> For which there is no independent cross-linguistic support.

<sup>39</sup> More precisely relative phrases, complementizers *yeli* “when”, “until”, “since”, *agar* “if”, and comparatives are clause second [Munshi, Bhatt 2009: 214–8]. However, all these constituents can appear not only in the second position, but also in the first one, but not further down [Munshi, Bhatt 2009: 215]. Thus the constraint is more accurately described as ½ constraint. The same is applicable to many Hittite second position constituents.

(100) <sub>1</sub>[*nu*<sup>40</sup>] <sub>2</sub>[*mān/kuiš*<sup>41</sup>] <sub>3</sub>[*X*<sub>topicalized/contrasted</sub>]<sup>42</sup> <sub>4</sub>[=*ma*] <sub>5</sub>[*kuiš*<sup>43</sup>/*kuiški*/subordinators]<sup>44</sup> <sub>6</sub>[etc. ....]

The description implies that *-(m)a* as well as *kuiš*<sup>45</sup>/*kuiški*/subordinators have fixed positions in a Hittite clause that do not depend on phonology. There are two arguments in favour of this. The first one is that *-(m)a* occupies position 4 only if it is topicalizing/contrastive. It is contrastively focusing, it can be clause internal, see [Sideltsev, Molina forthcoming]. Thus, its position in the clause is determined by its information structure status, and not by phonology. The second argument is that other second position constituents like *kuiš*<sup>46</sup>/*kuiški*/subordinators are actually ½ position, i.e. all of them, albeit with different frequency, can occupy not only the second, but also the first position. So the same account is applicable to them as the one put forward for Kashmiri subordinators and relative pronouns, see [Munshi, Bhatt 2009].

## 6. Summary

Thus we have shown that there is no unambiguous synchronic evidence in favour of Hittite second position constituents (as well as the constituents that do not count as the first position for *-ma*) being unstressed. In the Indo-European perspective the Hittite system of second position indefinite and relative pronouns cannot be directly equated with and traced back to the system attested in the Narrow Indo-European languages of *wh*-words being unstressed in the indefinite function. The Hittite second position system of indefinite and relative pronouns and the Narrow Indo-European system represent independent innovations and provide yet another evidence in favour of Indo-Hittite hypothesis.

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<sup>40</sup> Wackernagel enclitics cliticize to the first filled position in the clause, i.e. to the first available of the five.

<sup>41</sup> In indeterminate clauses.

<sup>42</sup> The position must be filled in any clause. In case of absence of topicalized or contrasted constituents, any constituents — closest to the position — fills position 3.

<sup>43</sup> In determinate clauses.

<sup>44</sup> All the constituents from this position can be optionally preverbal.

<sup>45</sup> In determinate clauses.

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А. В. Сидельцев, М. А. Молина, А. М. Белов. Синтаксис или фонология? Проклитики, клитики и ударение в хеттском языке.

Статья рассматривает синтаксис *mān* ‘если’, *namta* ‘затем’, *našma* ‘или’, перфективирующего *kāša/kāšma*, относительных и неопределенных местоимений, а также некоторых подчинительных союзов в хеттском. В ряде недавних работ выдвигается гипотеза, что синтаксис данных слов в предложении определяется полностью или частично фонологически, то есть их проклитической либо энклитической природой. В нашей работе проанализированы и опровергнуты аргументы в пользу фонологического анализа, показано, что хеттские данные не поддерживают гипотезы упомянутых авторов. Имеющиеся данные предлагается объяснять чисто синтаксически. В индоевропейской перспективе хеттский язык радикальным образом отличается от прочих индоевропейских языков типа древнегреческого, которым свойственно как раз энклитическое употребление неопределенных местоимений: все факты, которые на первый взгляд объединяют хеттский с остальным и.-е. ареалом, при более внимательном рассмотрении оказываются вторичными и независимыми инновациями хеттского, с одной стороны, и узкого и.-е. ареала, с другой.

*Ключевые слова:* клитики, вторая позиция, энклитики, проклитики, ударение, относительные местоимения, неопределенные местоимения.

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### X традиционные чтения памяти С. А. Старостина Москва, РГГУ, 26—27 марта 2015 г.

В конце марта 2015 года Институт восточных культур и античности РГГУ уже в десятый раз провел традиционные ежегодные чтения памяти Сергея Анатольевича Старостина (1953—2005). Все материалы конференции, как обычно, доступны на сайте «Вавилонская башня»<sup>1</sup>.

Утренняя сессия первого дня чтений была посвящена в основном проблемам лексикостатистики. Заседание открылось докладом Виктора Порхомовского (ИЯз РАН) на тему «Генеалогическая классификация языков и парадигма сравнительного языкознания». Виктор Яковлевич предложил свое видение сравнительного языкознания как парадигматической науки. Он, с одной стороны, указал на те аспекты исторического языкознания, которые удовлетворяют критериям научной парадигмы по Т. Куну, но также отметил особый статус в этом отношении проблематики генеалогической классификации языков, чьи методы во многом не соответствуют принципам компаративистской парадигмы. Это и определяет отсутствие в научном сообществе согласия по многим важнейшим аспектам генеалогической классификации языков мира. Специальное внимание было уделено в докладе сильным и слабым сторонам лексикостатистики в контексте лингвистической компаративистики и генеалогической классификации языков. Докладчик обратил внимание на случаи, когда классификации, построенные на данных лексикостатистики, расходятся с выводами, полученными традиционными методами. По его мнению, это не свидетельствует о ненадежности лексикостатистики, но лишь указывает на необходимость искать причины подобных статистических аномалий за рамками генеалогических моделей, например, в области социальной и культурной антропологии и истории носителей соответствующих языков.

В докладе Михаила Васильева (ШАГИ РАНХиГС) «Можно ли доверять дереву? Анализ согласован-

ности лексикостатистических данных как критерий надежности полученной классификации» речь шла о том, как увеличить надежность получаемых результатов при построении генеалогического дерева. Ситуация, когда полученное дерево не удовлетворяет исследователя по каким-либо причинам, и надежность его построения ставится под сомнение, особенно часто возникает при работе с малоизученными языками. Как получить формальную оценку корректности генеалогического дерева, не зависящую от эмпирического опыта? Между двумя сравниваемыми языками всегда есть определенный процент совпадений. Если взять три языка, триаду по терминологии Васильева, и сравнить процент совпадений между любыми тремя из них, то в случае определенных расхождений между цифрами можно констатировать, что входные данные содержат ошибку. В работе, представленной на конференции, на примере индийских языков было показано, что ряд языков (в их числе, например, такой язык, как хинди) чаще оказываются в триадах с большим процентом ошибок. Если построить градацию по частотности вхождения идиомов в триады с большим процентом ошибок, теоретически можно исключить наиболее проблемные идиомы из выборки, тем самым повысив конечную надежность построения дерева.

Антон Коган (Институт востоковедения РАН) выступил с докладом «Дардские языки и пятидесятисловная лексикостатистика». В докладе обсуждался вопрос о генетических отношениях дардских и индоиранских языков. По его подсчетам, совпадения между дардскими и индоарийскими языками составляют 43,5%, а между дардскими и иранскими 39,3%. В связи с этим, считает он, для построения генеалогического дерева для расчетов стоит использовать пятидесятисловный список. Кроме прочего, при работе с таким списком в исследование можно вовлечь больше идиомов, чем при работе со стословным списком. Одной из проблем при исследовании дардских языков с помощью

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<sup>1</sup> <http://starling.rinet.ru/confer/confer2015.htm>

лексикостатистики является то, что в этих языках наиболее изученную большую часть представляют восточнодардские языки, которые подвержены сильному влиянию индоарийских языков, что отражается на получаемых результатах. Хорошим решением может стать использование метода корневой глоттохронологии, поскольку такие данные меньше подвержены контактному влиянию. Расчеты при помощи этимостатистики показали отсутствие дардско-индоарийской близости. Из этого следует, что увеличение совпадений происходит за счет контактных данных. Уменьшить влияние таких данных на топологию древа можно, если удалить восточнодардские языки из выборки, но это значительно уменьшит количество рассматриваемых идиомов.

Михаил Саенко (Южный федеральный университет) представил работу «Балкано-романские языки и лексикостатистика», в котором лексикостатистическим методом попытка определить, являются ли «малые» балкано-романские идиомы (истрорумынский, мегленорумынский и арумынский), а также молдавский отдельными языками или же диалектами румынского языка. Кроме того, он рассчитал возможное время распада прарумынского языка. Материалом для исследования послужили столетисловные списки Сводеша, которые собирались по словарям и при помощи опросника у носителей. Проведенный анализ показал высокий процент совпадения (86–93%) между истрорумынским, мегленорумынским и арумынским идиомами, при этом молдавский имеет 100% совпадений с румынским языком. Полученные данные подтверждают, что молдавский является диалектом румынского, а все остальные вышперечисленные идиомы — отдельными языками. Расчеты при помощи программы Starling подтвердили небольшую глубину подгруппы: распад прарумынского языка датируется временем 1200–1300 лет назад. Подсчет инноваций по сто- и столетисловным спискам (двенадцать инноваций в столетисловном списке и четырнадцать — в столетисловном) подтверждает существование прарумынского единства на достаточно долгом периоде времени.

Завершил утреннюю сессию доклад Сергея Болотова (ИВКА РГГУ) «Квадратный трехчлен, или придыхательные против звонких: независимые свидетельства неклассических и.-е. языков в пользу глухости придыхательных». В докладе приводится материал таких индоевропейских языков, как славянские и балтийские, которые подтверждают первоначальную глухость придыхательных смычных (т. е. *T, Th, D* против традиционно восстанав-

ливаемых *T, Dh, D*). В качестве примера докладчик приводит, в частности, слова из славянской группы языков с суффиксом *-sl-*, который соответствует греческому суффиксу *-dl-*. Первоначальная глухость придыхательных смычных доказывает тождество модальных характеристик подсистем смычных этих праязыков так называемым классическим языкам.

Дневную часть заседания открыл доклад Ильи Якубовича (РГГУ / Марбургский университет) «К происхождению латинского герундива». Известно, что в латинской грамматике различаются значения герундия (или глагольного имени) и герундива (или модального причастия). На сегодняшний день нет единого мнения о происхождении этих форм. Также возникают разногласия об их древности. У латинского герундива выделяются две функции: собственно герундив в качестве модального причастия и герундив в значении герундия, отличающийся от собственно герундия своими синтаксическими свойствами. В итальянских языках есть только герундивы, а форма герундия не встречается. Поэтому резонно реконструировать лишь форму герундива на общеиталийском уровне и считать герундий собственно латинским развитием, сначала функциональным, а затем и формальным. Что касается развития герундива, то интересной представляется теория Эдгара Стертеванта, согласно которой латинские герундивы на *\*-ndos* могут быть связаны с хеттскими генитивами от глагольных имен на *\*-tnos > \*-dnos > -nnas*: например, *huiswannas* ‘жизни’ (им. п. ед. ч. *huiswadar*), *harkannas* ‘гибели’ (им. п. ед. ч. *harkadar*). Предполагается, что латинский герундив также мог зародиться в предикативной позиции в результате реинтерпретации архаичного генитива на *-us* от индоевропейского глагольного имени (прим.: *equus dandus est* > ‘лошадь (для) давания > лошадь должна быть дана’). Однако в отличие от Стертеванта, считавшего метатезу *\*-tnos > ndus* в истории латинского языка чисто фонетическим процессом, докладчик склонен усматривать в ней аналогический компонент.

Владимир Дыбо (РГГУ) выступил с докладом «Акцентная система кельтского глагола на индоевропейском фоне». Докладчик доказывает, что в пракеельтском индоевропейские долгие вторично сокращались или же сохранялись в зависимости от их положения по отношению к праиндоевропейскому ударению, место которого определяется по его месту в прабалтославянском. В ударной позиции долгие плавные давали рефлекс *-rā-* и *-lā-*. В предударном же положении долгие плавные со-

кращались и давали *-ar-* и *-al-*. Краткие плавные слоговые в ударном положении давали рефлексы *-ri-*, *-li-*, *-ni-*, а в безударном положении — *-ir-*, *-il-*, *-in-*, которые в положении перед *-a-* следующего слога расширялись в *-e-*. В докладе был приведен полный материал на такие типы рефлексации для отглагольных имен на *-t-* и *-n-*, а также для презентных основ. Следующим этапом этой работы Владимир Антонович видит проведение анализа всего именного корпуса кельтских имен.

Доклад Татьяны Михайловой (МГУ / ИЯз РАН) «От древнеирландского к среднеирландскому: данные стословного списка» был посвящен анализу данных стословного списка для среднеирландского языка. После скандинавского завоевания Ирландии в 800 г. н. э. случился перелом старой традиции, которая была преимущественно связана с монастырской деятельностью. Под скандинавским влиянием в среднеирландский период стали появляться новые формы, часть из которых не получила дальнейшего развития. При этом стоит учитывать, что письменная традиция, как правило, не отражает всей языковой нормы, и это сказывается на результатах работы со стословным списком. Согласно проведенным расчетам, за 500 лет в списке было утрачено 8% лексики. Подсчет данных за 850 лет (от среднеирландского к языку XX в.) дал шесть замен. От 700 г. до 2000 г. ирландский показывает 88% сопадений с шотландским и 78% совпадений с древнеирландским. Данные по среднеирландскому языку показывают восемь утрат за 400 лет начиная с древнеирландского периода. В итоге, отмечает докладчик, анализ данных показал, что среднеирландский язык не является предком современного ирландского и шотландского языков. Более того, подсчет данных показал, что «литературная» норма древнеирландского языка, которую принято было связывать с монастырской традицией, на самом деле сложилась уже примерно в 250 г. н. э.

Максим Кудринский (Институт востоковедения РАН) представил доклад «К проблеме порядка слов в хеттских гетерографических написаниях». В хеттской клинописи наряду с фонетическими знаками использовались также гетерограммы — шумерские и аккадские слова. Принято считать, что они являлись лишь одним из средств записи соответствующих хеттских слов и не имели собственной языковой реальности. В последние годы гетерограммы начали рассматриваться хеттологами как предмет, достойный самостоятельного изучения. Интересным является наблюдение, что гетерограммы могли изменять обычный для хеттского языка порядок слов в клаузе. Известно, что в хетт-

ском предложении большинство клитик занимают ваккернагелевскую позицию (позицию после первого слова в клаузе). В частности, если предложение начинается с именной группы, ваккернагелевские клитики ставятся после первой составляющей этой группы. В хеттских именных группах нормальный порядок слов — «зависимое слово + вершина», а в шумерографических и аккадографических, наоборот, «вершина + зависимое». Если ваккернагелевские клитики разбивают хеттскую именную группу, они обычно ставятся после зависимого слова (ЗАВ=КЛИТ ВЕРШ), а при разбиении шумерографической или аккадографической именной группы они часто ставятся после вершины (ВЕРШ=КЛИТ ЗАВ). Подобное положение дел нельзя объяснить при помощи чисто графической метатезы в соответствующих гетерографических конструкциях, поэтому приходится предположить, что они либо читались по-шумерски/по-аккадски, либо, как минимум, произносились с шумерским / аккадским порядком слов.

Заключительным докладом первого дня чтений стал доклад Александры Евдокимовой (ИЯз РАН) «Проблема заимствований в византийских греческих граффити». В византийских греческих граффити, найденных на разных территориях и датированных разными периодами, встречаются, кроме формульных выражений, имен и диалектных слов, заимствования из разных языков. Чаще всего это происходит на территориях, где коренное население говорило на других языках, — в таких случаях заимствования указывают на распространенные слова и обороты, иногда такие, которые не всегда очевидным образом переводятся на греческий. В докладе на примере латинского языка показано, как подобное двуязычие могло быть реализовано в речи. Латинское слово могло вводиться в текст в греческой орфографии или даже записываться латиницей. В материалах автора есть также примеры комбинации греческого корня и латинских аффиксов. В общей сложности в византийских записях можно встретить примерно половину текстов на греческом и половину на латыни.

Второй день чтений открылся докладом Михаила Живлова (ИБКА РГГУ / ШАГИ РАНХиГС) «Неиндоевропейский субстрат в финно-волжских языках». Автор доклада предлагает выделить субстратный пласт лексики в финно-волжских языках (саамские, прибалтийско-финские, мордовские и марийские) на основании определенных критериев. Некоторые ученые возводят такие слова к прауральским (Хелимский, Айкио). Но в представленном докладе опровергается данная гипотеза. Осно-

ваниями служат следующие параметры. Во-первых, автор обращает внимание на фонотактику, а именно на инлаутные кластеры. В уральских языках существует запрет на тип кластеров «шумный + сонорный», также невозможен кластер «носовой + \*s или \*š» и трехконсонантные кластеры. Кроме того, отсутствуют геминированные сонорные. Во-вторых, в приведенных примерах наблюдаются нерегулярные фонетические соответствия между сравниваемыми языками (\**kaswa*-: фин. *kasva*- ‘расти’; мокш., эрз. *kas*- ‘расти’; луг. мар., горн. мар. *kuška*- ‘расти’). Также приведено несколько примеров («осина», «звезда», «десять») неуральской этимологии, которые иллюстрируют вытеснение исконной лексики. Стоит упомянуть, что представленные слова включают в себя земледельческую и животноводческую лексику, а также наименования различных видов деревьев. Можно предположить, что заимствования происходят из несохранившегося субстратного языка, не принадлежавшего ни к уральской, ни к индоевропейской семье, но, возможно, родственного «палеосаамскому» языку, послужившему источником субстратных заимствований в саамских языках.

Следующей в утренней сессии выступила Анна Дыбо (ИЯз РАН / ИВКА РГГУ) с докладом на тему «Отражение гуттуральных в тюркизмах венгерского языка». В докладе продемонстрированы типы отражения тюркских заднеязычных согласных в венгерских словах тюркского происхождения в разных позициях. Заимствование в венгерский из тюркских языков шло в несколько этапов. Предполагается, что ранние заимствования случились при контактах венгров, болгаров и аланов еще до возникновения Великой Булгарии, т. е. примерно в V—VI вв. н. э. Позднее — примерно с VII в. н. э. — можно выделить заимствования в венгерский из дунайского болгарского. И, наконец, есть заимствования, датируемые после IX в. н. э., когда венгры осели непосредственно в Венгрии. Кроме того, предполагаются также ранние кыпчакские (куманско-печенежские) заимствования, заимствования ногайского типа послемонгольского периода, а также османско-турецкие заимствования. Выделяют слой раннетюркских заимствований в венгерский, где начальное \**k* в заднерядных словах отражается венгерским \**h*. Согласно венгерской этимологической традиции, такие слова относят к самым ранним заимствованиям из болгарского в венгерский, связывая особенность рефлексии с правенгерским развитием \**k* > \**h* в заднерядных словах. Однако это развитие определенно произошло еще до контактов с аланским языком, по-

скольку в заимствованиях из аланского \**h* и \**k* различаются уже независимо от рядности слов. Следовательно, такая рефлексия тюркизмов (заведомо заимствованных не раньше контактов венгров с аланами) не объясняется правенгерским переходом, а должна иметь источником особенность конкретного тюркского языка-источника. По версии докладчика, тюркизмы с начальным \**h* в венгерском не могут быть болгаризмами, а, скорее, относятся к кумано-печенежскому уровню заимствования.

Ольга Мазо (ИВКА РГГУ) и Илья Грунтов (ИЯз РАН) представили доклад на тему «Место олетского диалекта в монгольской семье языков по данным глоттохронологии». Олеты — это монгольская народность, проживающая, главным образом, на северо-западе Монголии, а олетский диалект традиционно относится к ойратской диалектной группе. Представленные материалы — результат работы полевой экспедиции. В монгольских языках лексика стословника делится на три группы по степени устойчивости. Большая часть сохраняется во всех монгольских языках, другая часть (шестнадцать слов) отличается лишь в одном-двух языках, и, наконец, двадцать слов представляют неустойчивую часть стословника, поскольку различаются в большинстве монгольских языков. Такая картина является стандартной для неглубокой по времени распада семьи языков. В ходе расчетов выяснилось, что олетский диалект внутри северно-монгольской группы языков оказывается ближе всего к халхаскому языку, с которым он имеет почти 97% совпадений, а не к калмыцкому (95%) или к синцзян-ойратскому (96%), как скорее бы ожидалось.

Алексей Касьян (ИЯз РАН / ШАГИ РАНХиГС) представил исследование «Филогения цезской языковой группы: лексикостатистика и грамматические инновации», выполненное совместно с Яковом Тестельцом (ИЛ РГГУ / ИЯз РАН). В докладе рассматривались цезские языки, представляющие хронологически неглубокую группу, входящую в состав нахско-дагестанской (восточнокавказской) языковой семьи. В дискуссиях о структуре цезской группы по-разному оценивается положение гинухского языка. Согласно всем критериям, группа делится на две ветви: восточную (бежтинский, гунзибский) и западную (собственно цезский, гинухский, хваршинский). Двухэтапный лексикостатистический анализ показывает, что цезский — ближайший родственник хваршинского, а бросающаяся в глаза лексическая близость цезского и гинухского объясняется контактно обусловленными гомопластичными процессами. Для исследования были составлены десятисловные списки по де-



вяти языкам и диалектам, которые в дальнейшем были обработаны с помощью лексикостатистических методов: метод ближайших соседей, UPGMA, метод Монте-Карло с цепями Маркова в рамках байесовского подхода, метод максимальной парсимонии. Также были привлечены этнографические свидетельства, согласно которым гинухский язык находится в тесном контакте с соседними языками. Первоначальная лексикостатистическая классификация позволила предположить, что цезский и гинухский составляют отдельную кладу, что, в принципе, подтверждается общими инновациями в морфологии (напр., причисление существительных женского рода к неодушевленному классу) и фонологии (напр., потеря назализации; смешение працезских плавных  $*r$  и  $*l$ ). Однако после очистки лексических списков от случаев параллельного семантического развития все методы объединили цезский язык с хваршинским, а гинухский оказался отдельным таксоном. В ходе дальнейшего исследования не было найдено никаких общих черт цезского и гинухского, которые могли бы быть с уверенностью реконструированы на общей протоуровень. Эти два языка не представляют собой единой генетической общности, а схожие фонетические, грамматические и лексические черты обусловлены тесными межъязыковыми контактами и обычно должны объясняться как заимствования из цезского в гинухский.

Завершая утреннюю сессию, Олег Мудрак (ИЯЗ РАН / ИВКА РГГУ) выступил с докладом «К вопросу о рядах соответствий начальных носовых в восточнокавказских языках». Соответствия между сонантами в начальной позиции в восточнокавказских языках довольно нетривиальны, и это привело к выделению большого количества соответствий и в конце концов к постулированию значительного количества комплексных сущностей для восточнокавказского языка. В кавказских языках существуют классы согласования. Мотивированные классы —  $*w$  (мужские человеческие имена),  $*j$  (женские человеческие имена). Они не завязаны на внешний вид основы. В части языков есть различия по немотивированным классам имен —  $*b$ ,  $*d$  (или  $*r$ ), реже  $*y$ . Иными словами, представлены «губной», «нейтральный» и «йотовый» классы. Эти классы имеют взаимосвязь с внешним видом основы. В работе, представленной докладчиком, была предпринята попытка семантически определить эти классы, но стало очевидно, что никакие семантические критерии к этому материалу не приложить. Удалось выявить следующие закономерности: в начале слова на шумный губной согласный

( $*b$  или  $*p$ ) или на носовой согласный,  $*b$  / носовой согласный в большинстве примеров переходит в  $*w$ . То же самое можно наблюдать и в примерах с начальным  $*r$  — доминирование нейтрального  $*b$ -класса. На материале лакского и арчинского языков было выявлено, что подобного рода переходы возможны только при определенном типе основ, и согласовательные ряды зависят от качества последнего гласного основы. Можно предположить наличие кластеров с ларингалом для правосточнокавказского уровня, заключил докладчик.

Дневную сессию открыл доклад Ольги Столбовой (Институт востоковедения РАН) «К структуре слова в чадских языках». В докладе рассматриваются последствия строгих ограничений, накладываемых на структуру слова в чадских языках. Такие ограничения способствовали нескольким процессам, которые можно было бы определить как борьбу между тенденцией присоединения аффиксов и стремлением сохранить двусложную структуру слова. Последнее привело к возникновению лабиализованных велярных и ларингалов, а также эмфатических звонких фонем (к примеру, структура  $wk_1C_2$  или  $kwC_2$  в семитских языках, но  $kwC_2$  — в чадских: арабский *kwil* 'говорить' ~ чад. *\*kwil* 'разговаривать'). Было установлено, что фонемы  $b$  и  $d$  в чадских языках восходят к сочетаниям с ларингалом. Кроме того, присоединение именных префиксов при стремлении сохранить биконсонантную структуру дало толчок к фонетическим изменениям, которые выходят за рамки регулярных соответствий. При присоединении аффикса к двусложному имени происходит редукция гласного префикса или корня и ассимиляция одного из согласных корня в образовавшемся кластере (например, *\*ta-ruz-* 'вена' > болева *tezze*, *rwze*, кирфи *tažži*, гера *tiizi*). В докладе выдвигается гипотеза о том, что аналогичным образом могли трансформироваться и афразийские трехгласные основы в чадских языках —  $*C_1VC_2VC_3 > C_1VC_2C_3 / VC_1C_2VC_3 > C_1VC_3C_3 / VC_2C_2VC_3 > C_1VC_3 / (V)C_2VC_3$ .

Галина Сим (ИЯЗ РАН) выступила с докладом «К реконструкции системы консонантизма в праэкоидном языке». Экоидные языки — группа близкородственных идиомов, распространенных на юго-востоке Нигерии и прилегающих территориях Камеруна. Генетическое отнесение их неоднозначно, но традиционно они помещаются в южнобантоидную ветвь бантоидных языков внутри семьи бенуэ-конго. Консонантные системы рассматриваемых в докладе идиомов в среднем насчитывают около 15–20 согласных звуков. Ряд изменений, характеризующих переход от праэкоидно-

го к современным идиомам, типологически частотен. Так, общей тенденцией является редукция конечных сегментов слова, в результате чего бантуским структурам *CVCV* соответствуют экоидные *CVC* и *CV*. В экоидных языках происходила спонтизация заднеязычных смычных и палатализация заднеязычных с последующей спонтизацией аффрикат. Особенностью, не нашедшей пока полноценного объяснения, является расщепление рефлексов смычных по глухости/звонкости в языках экпарабонг и балеп. В докладе была высказана гипотеза о зависимости рефлексации от тоновой характеристики последующего гласного.

В докладе «К вопросу о лексическо-грамматических маркерах языкового родства: восточносуданское ‘дерево’ на восточносуданском дереве» Георгий Старостин (ИВКА РГГУ / ШАГИ РАНХиГС) представил исследование, в котором рассматривались параллели между реконструированными формами для понятия «дерево» в разных подгруппах восточно-суданской семьи языков. Восточносуданская семья делится на две ветви, северо- и юго-восточную, разделение правосточносуданского глоттохронологически датируется VI–VII тыс. до н. э. Любопытной особенностью многих восточносуданских языков является наличие в их именных основах «застывшего» префиксального элемента *\*k*, который, по-видимому, на прауровне являлся продуктивной морфемой с неясным значением; регулярно обнаруживается он и в формах слово «дерево», например в правосточнонилотской основе *\*[k]=aye-* / *\*[k]=eye-* или в праюжнонилотском *\*ke:t* «дерево», *\*kwe:n* (собирабельная форма) «деревья», «лес». Сопоставление нилотских данных с другими ветвями семьи (языки даджу, сурмийская группа, восточноежебельская группа) дает возможность вывести на глубокий прауровень парадигматическую оппозицию, где единственное число маркируется показателем *\*-t*, а множественное — показателем *\*-n*. В докладе подчеркивается, что столь яркие случаи реконструкции на правосточносуданском уровне парадигматической морфологии встречаются чрезвычайно редко, но даже один наглядный пример такого рода имеет огромную важность для доказательства исторической реальности восточносуданской гипотезы.

Сергей Кулланда (ИЛ РГГУ / ИВ РАН) выступил с докладом «Акцентуация в малайской и яванской эпиграфике», в котором обсуждались долготы гласных в раннесредневековой древнемалайской и древнеяванской эпиграфике. Докладчик предположил, что в древнемалайском долгота обозначала не качество звука, а ударение. Об этом свидетель-

ствует переход долготы на следующий слог в суффиксированных формах: др.-мал. *dātu* ‘правитель’ — *datūa* ‘сан правителя’ и т. п. (видимо, ударение не могло падать дальше второго слога от конца), а также то, что знаком долготы часто бывают помечены этимологически краткие слоги. В то же время в тех же надписях встречаются и слова без обозначения долготы, resp. ударения, в том числе и при добавлении энклитик и суффиксов: *winiña* ‘их жены’, *tamhidupi* ‘выращивать, вскармливать’, и т. п. Можно предположить, что это фонологически безударные слова, подобные японским атонным (дзэнхэйным) формам. Тем самым древнемалайская акцентная система обнаруживает сходство с тагальской. Несколько иначе обстояло дело в древнеяванском, где долгота была фонологически значима, явно ощущалась носителями языка, и потому ее обозначение не могло использоваться для маркировки ударения на этимологически кратком гласном, как в древнемалайском. Однако если в результате словообразовательных процессов в словоформе появлялись два долгих гласных, обозначение долготы сохранялось только на втором из них: др. яв. *rāma* ‘старейшина’ — *karamān* ‘совет старейшин’ и т. п., из чего следует, что в древнеяванском долгота была в том числе и маркером ударения.

Евгения Коровина (ИВКА РГГУ) в докладе «Начальные гласные» в языках майя» рассказала о словах, начинающихся со звука, который условно называется «гласным». Условно — потому что в изолированном произношении слово в языках майя не может начинаться на гласный. Представленная работа имела целью продемонстрировать возможность использования данных морфологии для реконструкции фонетической системы протомайя и отдельных ветвей этого языка. Основной словоизменительной категорией имени в этих языках является категория принадлежности. Почти во всех языках майя различаются как минимум два варианта показателей этой категории, и выбор показателя определяется тем, на какой звук начинается слово. Обычно выделяются показатели для слов на гортанную смычку (орфографически — слова на гласную) и для слов на другие согласные, однако есть и исключения. Так, в юкатекских языках (ица, мопан, юкатекский майя) существует значительный класс слов на гортанную смычку, которые присоединяют набор посессивных показателей, присущих словам на другие согласные. Набор этих слов в различных юкатекских языках сильно пересекается. Возможно, это связано с тем, что во многих таких словах реконструируется ве-

ляризованный гласный. Различие двух видов гортанных смычек (или слов на «гласную» и слов на гортанную смычку) могло произойти еще в праюкатекском языке. Подобное явление — использование «согласного» показателя в словах на ? — наблюдается и в других языках майя (в чонталь, чорти, иероглифическом майя, языках восточных майя и канхобальской группы). Однако там оно менее распространено и, видимо, появлялось в каждом из языков независимо. Интересен обратный процесс, присутствующий в чух и хакальтек, когда слова на «согласный» получают «гласный» показатель. В чух это слова на *h*- и *y*-, а в хакальтек часть слов на *h*-.

Юлия Норманская (ИЯз РАН) выступила с докладом «Реконструкция парадигматической акцентной системы в обско-угорском глаголе». По данным ранее опубликованного словаря, мансийское разноместное ударение присутствует только в системе глагола. По тем же материалам, в тавдинском (южном) мансийском диалекте для всех глаголов имеется форма третьего лица множ. ч. настоящего времени, где ударение может падать как на первый, так и на второй слог. Спорадически в словаре приводятся и другие глагольные формы, в

которых также часто присутствует ударение на втором слоге. Но в северных и восточных диалектах разноместное ударение ранее не было зафиксировано. В докладе рассматриваются системы ударения в глагольной парадигме обского (северного) и юкондинского (восточного) диалекта мансийского языка. Исследование основано на полевых данных двух экспедиций (2013 год, кондинский диалект). Удалось установить, что в обоих диалектах восстанавливаются три акцентных парадигмы: первая с ударением, фиксированным на корне; вторая с ударением, фиксированным на окончании и третья с разноместным ударением, где в единственном числе ударение падает на первый слог, в дуалисе в первом лице на первый слог, в форме дуалиса второго лица, а также во втором и третьем лице дуалиса — на второй слог. Полексемное сопоставление акцентных кривых глаголов с помощью программы PRAAT указывает на необходимость реконструкции четырех акцентных парадигм на прамансийском уровне, что подтверждается и сопоставлением мансийских данных с южнохантыйскими материалами, найденными в архиве М. А. Кастрена и точно совпадающими с современным низямским диалектом.