TBILISI RADIOCARBON DATES I*

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Uplistsikhe series

 3075 ± 150

TB-1. Uplistsikhe, Georgian SSR

[1125 B.C.]**

Charcoal from Uplistsikhe village [unlocated], Katlanis Khevi. Archaeologic date: late Bronze age, 12th to 7th centuries B.C. Subm. [n.d.] by D. Khakhutashvili.

 1985 ± 140

TB-2. Uplistsikhe, Georgian SSR

[35 B.C.]

Charcoal from Uplistsikhe village [Cf. TB-1], Bambebi hamlet. Archaeologic date: early Hellenistic period, 5th to 3rd centuries B.C. [sic]. Subm. [n.d.] by D. Khakhutashvili.

Mt. Amiranis site series, Georgian SSR

 3720 ± 165

TB-3. Mt. Amiranis

[1770 B.C.]

Charcoal from Akhaltsikhe city, Mt. Amiranis [41° 38′ N Lat, 42° 58′ E Long], Habitation XX. Archaeologic date: early Bronze age, 30th to 26th centuries B.C. Samples TB-3, 4, and 9 subm. [n.d.] by T. Chubinishvili.

 4835 ± 180

TB-4. Mt. Amiranis

[2285 B.C.]

Charcoal from Habitation III. Archaeologic date: early Bronze age, 29th to 26th centuries B.C.

4625 + 170

TB-9. Mt. Amiranis

[2340 B.C.]

Charcoal from Habitation XXIX. Archaeologic date: early Bronze age, 28th to 24th centuries B.C. [Cf. TA-47, Tartu I, 1966; RUL-278, Inst. of Archaeol., 1965. (D.B.S.)]

3470 + 190

TB-5. Chaladidi, Georgian SSR

[1520 B.C.]

Charcoal from Chaladidi village [unlocated], Zurga. Archaeologic date: late Bronze age, 14th to 10th centuries B.C. Subm. [n.d.] by T. Mikeladze.

2600 + 145

TB-6. Sakorkio, Georgian SSR

[650 B.C.]

Charcoal from Sakorkio village [unlocated], Simagre. Archaeologic date: early Classical era, 6th to 4th centuries B.C. Subm. [n.d.] by T. Mikeladze.

** Information in brackets interpolated by translator (E.M.S.) and commentator (D.B.S.).

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 1480 ± 130

TB-8. Mtskheta, Georgian SSR

[A.D. 470]

Charcoal from Mtskheta city, [41° 52' N Lat, 44° 43' E Long]. Archaeologic date: Feudal, 4th to 5th centuries A.D. Subm. [n.d.] by A. Kalandadze.

Marneuli series, Georgian SSR

 2870 ± 160

TB-14. Marneuli

[920 B.C.]

Charcoal from Geo-tepe [site] [41° 27' N Lat, 44° 47' E Long]. Archaeologic date: early Iron age, 6th to 7th centuries B.C. Subm. [n.d.] by T. Chubinishvili.

 $\mathbf{5920} \pm \mathbf{300}$

TB-15. Marneuli

[3970 в.с.]

Charcoal from Marneuli, Shulaver I mound; depth, 2.2 m. Archaeologic date: early Eneolithic, beginning of 5th millennium B.C. Subm. [n.d.] by A. Dzhavakhishvili.

 6625 ± 210

TB-16. Marneuli

[4675 B.C.]

Charcoal from Marneuli, Shulaver I mound; depth, 4.4 m. Archaeologic date: early Eneolithic, beginning of 5th millennium B.C.

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