

Map 69 Damascus-Caesarea

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Introduction

Jordan, Lebanon, Syria

This is an area of much diversity. Coastal Sidon was well known to Homer; inland Gabitha, by contrast, first appears as the site of a great Moslem victory in A.D. 636. The snows of Hermon Mons overlook the parched deserts of Syria. The rift valley of Lebanon between its twin mountain ranges sinks to the R. Jordan far below sea level. The limestone of Libanus Mons has fossil fish which Eusebius took to be records of Noah's flood; the great basalt tract of Trachon(itis) (modern Lejja) and its neighbors was deposited by lava flows from extinct volcanoes of Auranitis (modern Jebel Druze).

The map marks some changes from current topography. Tyrus was an island until Alexander's time; he joined it to the mainland by a mole, later silted up to form the modern peninsula. The southern valley (Koile Syria) of Lebanon was a swamp of uncertain extent (Kalamon Limne), where Theophrastus found aromatic rush and papyrus; its malarial waters were not drained until the fourteenth century A.D. The northwest of the map shows pockets of the Lebanese forest as delimited by Hadrian; see the text for Map 68.

Knowledge of Syria came gradually to the Greek and Roman world. Herodotus records admirals of the Phoenician cities. Theophrastus had perhaps visited Damascus. Alexander made the coast well known. The campaign of Antiochus III in 219 B.C., as narrated by Polybius, brings detailed information about the Valley of Lebanon and Peraea; that of Judas in 163 B.C. (1 Maccabees 5.24-44) attests numerous sites of Gala(a)ditis. Strabo (16.2.16), however, is grossly in error about the orientation of Libanus and Antilibanus. The episcopal lists of church councils in the fourth and fifth centuries A.D. attest to many sees in the Roman provinces of the region, partially identified by inscriptions of bishops on-site.

The ancient attestation for most sites appears in either Honigmann I-II or Thomsen 1907, supplemented by ABD and Abel (1933) for biblical sites. Dussaud (1927) remains the primary study of identifications. Thomsen's catalog of milestones (1917) is seriously outdated, but has found no successor. Though its coordinates are not always reliable, Kennedy (1990) is a precious atlas of aerial photographs of desert sites. Devreese (1945) is a near-exhaustive survey of church sites. Sites of the Hebrew Bible are marked when there is literary or archaeological evidence for their continued occupation in the Greek or Roman periods. Such are Canatha, Hammon and Yiron in southern Lebanon; Iabeis and Karnaia in Transjordan.

The indestructible basalt of the lava lands was used to build forts, temples and churches, as well as providing material for inscriptions. By contrast, the even more fertile territory of Damascus is almost a blank for us. Trachon(itis) and Auranitis were more densely populated than today; they became one of the strongest centers of Christianity before the coming of Islam, though there is little record of their evangelization. Inscriptions attest to aqueducts in Auranitis, but we cannot yet trace their courses even approximately.

The map shows several categories of sites known by modern names only. Besides the great Roman temples of Heliopolis, many handsome smaller ones (described by Krencker 1938) stood in Lebanon and Hermon, some on sites today wholly deserted. In a few cases the divinity honored is known; Balmarcodes, 'Lord of the Dance', in the mountain sanctuary above Berytus is elsewhere unattested. In the lava lands, Sartre (1985, 191) marks 179 cities and villages with Greek or Latin inscriptions; for most no ancient name is known, and only a selection appears here. The sites with the most substantial Christian remains also appear. Lines of Roman forts mark the frontier of the desert; some, but by no means all, can be identified with names preserved in NotDig. No ancient name can at present be attached to the enigmatic Jordanian city Umm el-Jimal, with a Roman fortress and fifteen churches.

The only modern corpora of inscriptions for the region cover Gerasa (Kraeling 1938) and Bostra (IGLSyr 13.1)—in neither case with surrounding villages—Ba'albek (Heliopolis) and the Beqa' (Massyas) (IGLSyr 6). The most useful volume (supplemented by IGRR) remains Waddington's collection of Syrian inscriptions published in 1870. For almost this entire part of the map, the materials are scattered and outdated; any future collection should throw much new light.

As a result of his extensive aerial survey of the Syrian desert in the 1920s, Poidebard (1934) proposed numerous ruined forts as Roman installations. Some are securely authenticated by soldiers' graffiti in Greek or Latin, like the remote site of Nemara. Others cannot be confirmed as Roman: such are Saba Biyar, Jebel Seis in its volcanic crater, and Qasr Burqu'.

The marking of Roman roads is conservative. Some are unquestionably located by TabPeut, Roman itineraries, paving, or (best of all) milestones. A full publication of the latter will remove many uncertainties. The roads south and southeast of Damascus are unclear, since Aenos on the route marked by TabPeut connecting Damascus-Aenos-Canatha remains unidentified (though the place is also attested as an episcopal see). Bauzou (1985) reliably reports links joining well-attested segments which would otherwise be isolated, and his results are here noted. Some isolated milestones simply call for arrows pointing to uncertain destinations. The map does not mark at all the vast network of roads which Poidebard conjectured east and northeast of Jebel Seis, by drawing lines between forts (themselves not certainly Roman) and desert wells. In all probability there are more Roman roads in this area than the map indicates; but they remain to be plotted by future surveys on the ground.

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Citations for the Directory have been greatly simplified by the availability of TIR Iudaea. Its gazetteer reflects the enormous amount of archaeological activity in this region, recording 1,250 sites, of which 524 are known from literary sources. Approximately one quarter of the total for the north of Palestine are marked here, in every case the most important sites. The principal criteria for inclusion were literary attestation and excavation record. Sites documented in either of these ways were preferred to those known only through survey or modern name traditions. In only two cases are sites marked that were omitted from TIR Iudaea and included in the older but still useful study by Kochavi (1972).

TIR Iudaea cites virtually every primary source and secondary article for each name or feature. Not only references in Greek, Latin and Syriac are covered, but also Jewish sources in Hebrew and Aramaic. Unfortunately, however, forms of ancient names are not given in the original languages attesting them.

The key to understanding the Roman road system in Palestine is to recognize the unique topography of the land. Eventually there were over 1,000 miles of public roads here, normally designated as such by their milestones. Many if not most of the routes used in Palestine during the Roman period had also been used earlier in biblical times. The four north-south routes followed the Mediterranean coast on the west, and the Jordan Valley in the east. The east-west transversal roads followed routes that were imposed by the terrain: along the valley in Lower Galilee, along the riverbeds in Samaria, along the ridges in Iudaea (Map 70), and along the northern plains of the Negev (Map 70). Upper Galilee was enclosed by the Tyrus-Paneas transversal road. Caesarea on the coast was the main urban center in this system. Its linkage to the corresponding center in the east, Scythopolis, was through Legio, where the Legion VI Ferrata was stationed from around A.D. 120. The entire network of Roman roads was designed to link the whole Roman east from Syria to Egypt, as well as to serve local needs. The network was first established in conjunction with the Great Revolt (A.D. 66-70), developed by Hadrian, and reached its zenith during the Severan period early in the third century. The internal network of Syria-Palaestina intersected in Jerusalem, where the Legion X Fretensis was established after A.D. 70 (TIR Iudaea 21-22; Roll 1996).

Directory

Abbreviations

BMCoins	W. Wroth (ed.), <i>Catalogue of the Greek coins of Galatia, Cappadocia, and Syria in the British Museum</i> , London, 1899
DCPP	E. Lipiński (ed.), <i>Dictionnaire de la civilization phénicienne et punique</i> , Turnhout, 1992
Honigmann I-II	E. Honigmann, "Historische Topographie von Nordsyrien im Altertum," I: <i>ZDPV</i> 46 (1923) 149-93; II: <i>ZDPV</i> 47 (1924) 1-64
ItEg	<i>Itinerarium Egeriae</i> , P. Marval (ed.), <i>Égérie, Journal de voyage</i> , Sources chrétiennes 296, Paris, 1982
Le Bas	P. Le Bas (ed.), <i>Inscriptions grecques et latines recueillies en Asie Mineure: vol. 3, Inscriptions grecques et latines de la Syrie</i> , Paris, 1870.
NEAEHL	E. Stern (ed.), <i>New encyclopedia of archaeological excavations in the Holy Land</i> , 4 vols., Jerusalem, 1993
P.Cair.Zen.	C.C. Edgar (ed.), <i>Zenon Papyri, Catalogue général des antiquités égyptiennes du Musée du Caire</i> , 5 vols., Cairo, 1925-1940
TIR Iudaea	<i>Tabula Imperii Romani, Iudaea-Palaestina</i> , Jerusalem, 1994

Names

Grid	Name	Period	Modern Name / Location	Reference
C4	Abila Dekapoleos/ Seleukeia	HRL/ HR	Tell Abil JOR	Schürer 1973 II, 136-37; NEAEHL 1, 1-7
D2	Abila Lysaniou	RL	Suq Le Basi Barada SYR	RE Abila 5
C2	Abilene	R	SYR	Schürer 1973 I, 567
E2	'Ad(a)mana'	RL	Qastal? SYR	ItMiller 816; Dussaud 1927, 264
C3	'Ad Ammontem'?	L	near Qafr Hawar SYR	ItMiller 826; Dussaud 1927, 393
E2	'Adarin'	L	Qtaife? SYR	ItMiller 817; Dussaud 1927, 264
	§ Atera	R		Ptol. 5.14.19; Dussaud 1927, 268
	Adeitha = Hatita			
D2	'Ad Medera'	L	Quseyr? SYR	ItMiller 817; Dussaud 1927, 264
B3	'Ad Nonum'/ Ornithon Polis?	L/ HRL	Adlun LEB	Dussaud 1927, 41-42; Goodchild 1949, 103
C1	Adonis fl.		LEB	See Map 68
D4	Adra(h)a	RL	Dar'a SYR	Dussaud 1927, 325-27
C5	Aenon	RL	settlement and spring, Khirbet Khisas ed Deir ISR	TIR Iudaea 58
D3	Aere § Erre?	RL	Sanamein SYR	RE; Devreese 1945, 225
D4	Agraina	RL	Lubbein SYR	Dussaud 1927, 374
C4	<i>Ahmadiya</i>	R?L	WBK	TIR Iudaea 59
C3	<i>Ain Hersha</i>	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 245
D4	*Airita	RL	Ahire SYR	IGRR 3.1179; Dussaud 1927, 372
B4	Akchabare	RL	'Akbara ISR	TIR Iudaea 56
B4	Ake/ Ptolemais	HRL	Tell Acco ISR	NEAEHL 1, 16-31; TIR Iudaea 204-205
D3	Akraba	RL	Aqraba SYR	IGRR 3.1112; Dussaud 1927, 327
B3	Album Pr.	R	Ras el-Abyad LEB	Pliny, <i>NH</i> 5.75
B3	Alexandroschene	L	İskanderun LEB	Honigmann I.26a
B2	Alsos Asklepiou	HR	Bustan esh-Sheikh LEB	Strabo 16.2.22; Macridi 1902
C5	Amathous? Ammathous = Hammath *Anabatha = Oneuatha	HRL	Amta JOR	Abel 1933 II, 242-43 'Ammata
D2	Antilibanus M. Antiochia ad Chrysorhoam = Gerasa	CHRL	Jebel esh-Sherqi LEB / SYR	See Map 68
E4	Aouidenoi	R	SYR	Sartre 1982, 124

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C4	Apheka	R?L	Afiq SYR	TIR Iudaea 64
E4	Aphetatha?	RL	el-Afine SYR	Dussaud 1927, 349
C1	Aphrodite Aphakitis, T.		LEB	See Map 68
D1	Apollo, T.	R	el-Hadet LEB	IGLSyr 6.2921; Krencker 1938, 141
A5	Apollonia/ Sozousa	RL/ L	Apollonia-Arsuf ISR	NEAEHL 1, 71-75; TIR Iudaea 65
C2	<i>Aqaba</i>	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 265
E5	Arabia			See Map 3
C4	Arbela	L	Irbid JOR	Thomsen 1907, 24 (n. 1)
C4	Arbela	HR	Horvat Arbel / Khirbet 'Irbid ISR	NEAEHL 1, 87-89; TIR Iudaea 66-67
C3	*Aremtha	R	Aramta LEB	OGIS 589; Dussaud 1927, 52
E4	Arra	RL	er-Raha SYR	Le Bas 3.2308; Dunand 1934, 25-26 (n. 25)
D4	Arrana? 'Asclepeus' fl. = Bostrenos fl.	RL	Harran SYR	Dunand 1934, 78-80 (n. 163)
B5	Aser	HRL	Tayasir (Samaria) ISR	TIR Iudaea 70
D3	Asicha	RL	Umm el-'Osij SYR	IGRR 3.1112; Dussaud 1927, 342
B4	Asochis	HRL	Tell Hannaton ISR	TIR Iudaea 70
C5	Asophon	H	Tell el-Qos? JOR	ABD Zaphon
C2	Astaroth? = Karnai			
C2	Atargatis, T.	R	Qal'at Faqra LEB	Krencker 1938, 40
E4	*Athela	RL	'Atil SYR	IGRR 3.1278; Dussaud 1927, 349
D4	Aurana	H	Hauran SYR	P.Cair.Zen. 59008
E4	Auranitis Aurelia Pia = Sidon	RL	Jebel Druze SYR	Bowersock 1983, 59 (n. 2)
C2	Baithmare	R	Bab Mar'a LEB	IGLSyr 6.2989
B4	Baka	RL	Peqi'in / el Buqei'a ISR	TIR Iudaea 73
C2	Balmarcodes, T.	R	Deir el-Qal'a LEB	Krencker 1938, 1
B3	<i>Bar'am</i> Bardines fl. = Chrysoroas fl.	RL	ISR	NEAEHL 1, 147-49; TIR Iudaea 73
C3	Barkousa/ Iustinianoupolis? Basanitis = Batanaia	R/ L	Burqush SYR	Krencker 1938, 231; Devreese 1945, 203
D2	Basilikos Aulon	HR		Strabo 16.2.20; Dussaud 1927, 288
B5	Batanaia	RL	'Anin ISR	TIR Iudaea 88
D3	Batanaia/ Basanitis	HR/ L	Hauran JOR / SYR	Epiphanius, <i>Panarion</i> 30.18.1; NPauy
B4	Belus fl. Berenice = Pella		Nahar Na'aman ISR	TIR Iudaea 78
D2	Berothe § Berot(h)ai	HR?	Bereitan LEB	RE; Dussaud 1927, 233-34
E5	Beroka	RL	Buraq; Jebel Druze SYR	Dussaud 1903.50; Sartre 1987, 248
B4	Bersabe § Beersheba	RL	Khirbet Anu esh Shiba ISR	NEAEHL 2, 454; TIR Iudaea 75-76
C2	Berytus/ Laodikeia en te Phoinike/ Col. Iulia Augusta Felix	HRL/ H/ R	Beirut LEB	RE Berytos; RE Laodikeia 3; Lauffray 1978; NPauy Berytos
B4	<i>Beth Alpha</i>	L	ISR	NEAEHL 1, 190-92; TIR Iudaea 79-80
C4	Beth Maon	RL	Tell Ma'un ISR	TIR Iudaea 84
B4	Beth She'arim	RL	esh Sheikh Ibreik ISR	NEAEHL 1, 236-48; TIR Iudaea 86
C5	Bethzoba	R	Zubiya? JOR	Abel 1933 II, 271
C4	Bethsaida?/ Iulias?	RL	et Tell / el 'Araj ISR	TIR Iudaea 85
A5	Bethther/ Betthar	RL	et Tire ISR	TIR Iudaea 87
A5	<i>Bir el 'Abd</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 89
E3	<i>Bir Qesab</i>	R?	SYR	Poidebard 1934, LXIV
E4	Borechath Sabaon	RL	Breike SYR	Dussaud 1927, 372-73
C2	Borrana	R	Brummana LEB	Honigmann I.116a; Dussand 1927, 88-89

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E4	Bosana	RL	Busan SYR	RE
D4	Bosora?	H	Busr al-Hariri SYR	Dussaud 1927, 373; Devreese 1945, 238
D4	Bostra/ Col. Nova Traiana Alexandriana	HRL/ R	Busra esh-Sham SYR	PECS; NPauty
B2	Bostrenos/ 'Asclepeus' fl.	RL/ L	Nahr Bisri LEB	Honigmann I.77a, 116d; Dussaud 1927, 49
A4	Boukolonpolis	CH	'Atlit ISR	TIR Iudaea 92
C2	Brochoi	H	Qabb Elias? LEB	Polyb. 5.46.3; IGLSyr 6, 30
D3	<i>Buraq</i>	RL	Lejja SYR	Le Bas 3.2537b
A5	Burgatha?	HRL	Khirbet Ibreiktas ISR	TIR Iudaea 93
	Caesarea = Stratonos Pyrgos Caesarea Philippi = Paneas			
E4	Canatha/ *Gabinia/ *Septimia Caporcotani = Legio	HRL/ H/ R	el-Qanawat SYR	Schürer 1973 II, 138-42; Sartre 1981; MacAdam 1986, 75-79
B4	Carmel M.		Mt. Carmel ISR	TIR Iudaea 100-101
E1	Casama	L	Nabk SYR	ItMiller 816; Dussaud 1927, 264
D2	Chalcis sub Libano	HR	Husn esh-Shadur? LEB	Will 1983; Ghadban 1985, 301
D2	*Chalybon	HR	Halbun SYR	Dussaud 1927, 285-87
D2	Chamon	R	Nebi Ham LEB	IGRR 3.1074; Krencker 1938, 168
C4	Chasp(h)o Choba = Kochaba	HRL	Khisfin SYR	TIR Iudaea 103
C4	Chorazin	RL?	Khirbet Kerraze ISR	NEAEHL 1, 301-305; TIR Iudaea 103
A4	Chorseos fl.		Nahar Daliya / Nahr ed Difle ISR	TIR Iudaea 104
C4	Chorsia § *Gergesa	RL	Kursi ISR	TIR Iudaea 104
C5	Chyrsoroas fl.	RL	near Gerasa, Le Basi Jerash JOR	Schürer 1973 II, 151
D2	Chyrsoroas/ Bardines fl.	HRL/ L?	Nahr Barada SYR	StByz <i>Δαμασκός</i> ; RE 8
E2	Coele Syria Col. Aurelia Pia = Sidon Col. Iulia Augusta Felix = Heliopolis Col. Iulia Augusta Felix = Berytus Col. Nova Traiana Alexandriana = Bostra Col. Septimia Severa = Tyrus	CHRL	SYR	RE Koile Syria; Sartre 1988
B5	Corra fl.	L	WBK	ItEg 16.3
B4	Crocodilon fl.	R	Nahal Tanninim ISR	TIR Iudaea 106
C3	<i>Dabbura</i>	L	SYR	TIR Iudaea 107
D2	Damascus § Damaskene	CHRL R	Dimashq / Damascus Ghuta SYR	NPauty Damaskos RE
D4	Damatha	R	Damath el-Alya SYR	Dussaud 1927, 373-74
B2	Damouras/ Tamyras fl.	H/ HR	Nahr ed-Damur LEB	Polyb. 5.68.9 Strabo 16.2.22
C3	Dan	ACHRL	Tel Dan / Tell el Qadi ISR	TIR Iudaea 108
C3	Daphne	R	Dafne ISR	TIR Iudaea 108
E5	<i>Deir el-Kahf</i>	RL	JOR	Parker 1986, 21-24; Kennedy 1990, 178
E5	<i>Deir el-Meyas</i>	R	SYR	Dussaud 1927, 352
E4	<i>Deir esh-Shair</i>	R	SYR	Dussaud 1927, 352
E3	<i>Deir Jenube</i>	R?	SYR	Poidebard 1934, LXIV
B5	<i>Deir Serur</i>	HRL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 111

Grid	Name	Period	Modern Name / Location	Reference
C4	Dekapolis	H?RL		ABD Decapolis; NPauly
D4	Dennaba	L	Dhuneibe SYR	Le Bas 3.2505; Dussaud 1927, 332
	Diocaesarea = Sepphoris			
E4	Dionysias/ *Soada	RL	Suweda SYR	IGRR 3.1278; Dussaud 1927, 369; Devreese 1945, 236
E4	<i>Diyatheh</i>	RL	SYR	Kennedy 1990, 195-96
A4	Dor(a)	ACHRL	Burj et Tantura ISR	TIR Iudaea 113
D4	Doroa	RL	ed-Dur SYR	Dussaud 1927, 353; Devreese 1945, 229
A5	Drymus	HR	Sharon ISR	TIR Iudaea 114
C4	Ebionitai	L	SYR	Epiphanius, <i>Panarion</i> 29.7.7; NPauly Ebionäer
E4	Egla	RL	Qiryat el-'Ajelat SYR	Dussaud 1927, 353
E4	Eitha Caesarea	R	el-Hit SYR	MacAdam 1986, 61-67
B3	Ekdippa	CH?RL	Achziv / ez Zib ISR	TIR Iudaea 115
B2	Elaia?	RL	Zeita LEB	Dussaud 1927, 40
B3	<i>Elqosh</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 119
C4	Emmatha	RL	el-Hammeh JOR	NEAEHL Hammat Gader
	§ Admatha?	L		NotDig Or. 34.33
	§ Amatha?	L		StByz "Αμαθα
	Ephron = Gephrous			
B4	<i>'Evron</i>	L	ISR	NEAEHL 1, 310; TIR Iudaea 124
C2	<i>Furzol</i>	RL	LEB	IGLSyr 6.2950
B4	Gaba?	RL	Jaba' ISR	TIR Iudaea 126
B4	Gaba Philippi	RL	Tel Shosh / Tell Abu Shusha ISR	TIR Iudaea 126
B4	Gabatha *Gabinia = Canatha	RL	Gevat / Jebata ISR	TIR Iudaea 127
D4	Gabitha	L	Gabiya SYR	Dussaud 1927, 332 Djabiya; RE
C4	Gadara/ Pompeia	HRL/ H	Umm Qeis JOR	Schürer 1973 II, 132-36; ABD Gadarenes
C4	Gala(a)ditis	HRL	JOR / SYR	1 Maccabees 5.27
C4	Galatis	H	JOR	Polyb. 5.71.2
B4	Galilaea	HRL	Galilee ISR	NEAEHL 2, 449-58 Jos., <i>BJ</i> 3.35-40
	§ Ano Galilaia			
	§ Kato Galilaia			
C4	Gamala	R	es Salam SYR	NEAEHL 2, 459-63; TIR Iudaea 128
B5	Garizein M. § Gerizim	CHRL	mountain (Jebel et Tur) with temple and church WBK	NEAEHL 2, 484-92; TIR Iudaea 133-34
D4	Gasima	RL	Jasim SYR	IGRR 3.1252; Dussaud 1927, 333
C4	Gaulane	HRL	Saham el-Jaulan SYR	Dussaud 1927, 343
C3	Gaulanitis	HRL	SYR	ABD
B3	Geato fl.	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 75-76
B4	Gedru	H?R	Horvat Gedora / Jidru ISR	TIR Iudaea 131
B3	Gelil	HRL	Khirbet Jelil ISR	TIR Iudaea 132
	Gema = Ginai(a)			
C4	Gennesar	HRL	Khirbet 'Ureime ISR	TIR Iudaea 132
	Gennesar L. = Tiberiadis			
	Mare			
C4	Gephrous/ Ephron	H	et-Taiyibe? JOR	Polyb. 5.70.12; 1 Maccabees 5.46; Abel 1933 II, 318-19
C5	Gerasa/ Antiochia ad Chrysorhoam	HRL	Jerash JOR	Kraeling 1938
E2	Geroda/ Korada?	L	Djeroud SYR	Dussaud 1927, 265; Devreese 1945, 203
C2	Gerra	H	Mejdel 'Anjar LEB	Polyb. 5.46.2
B5	Geth	RL	Jett ISR	TIR Iudaea 135
D3	<i>el-Ghassule</i>	R	SYR	Thomsen 1917, 30 (no. 58)

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B5	Ginai(a)/ Gema Ginnabris = Sennabris	RL	Jenin ISR	TIR Iudaea 135-36
B3	Gischala	RL	Jish ISR	NEAEHL 2, 546-50; TIR Iudaea 136
A5	<i>Giv'at Olga</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 136
B4	<i>Giv'at Qumi</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 136-37
	H., see Horvat			
D3	*Habiba	RL	Khabeb SYR	IGRR 3.1132; Dussaud 1927, 381
C2	<i>Hammara</i>	RL	LEB	Krencker 1938, 195; Ghadban 1985
C4	Hammath/ Ammathous	RL	el Hzammam ISR	TIR Iudaea 138-39
B3	Hammon	H	Umm el-'Amed LEB	Dunand 1962; DCPD 484-86
E3	<i>Harran el-Awamid</i>	R	SYR	Rey-Coquais 1987, 208
D5	Hatita/ Adeitha	RL	Khirbet es-Samra JOR	Parker 1986, 30; Humbert 1990; Kennedy 1990, 198
E4	<i>Hebran</i>	R	SYR	Dussaud 1927, 355
B2	Heldua	L	Khan el-Khulde LEB	Goodchild 1949, 102; DCPD 247
B4	Helenoupolis?	L	Kafr Kama ISR	TIR Iudaea 142
D1	Heliopolis/ Col. Iulia Augusta Felix	HRL/ R	Ba'albek LEB	IGLSyr 6, 32-44
C4	Heptapegon	R?L	'En Shev'a / et Tabgha ISR	TIR Iudaea 142
C3	Hermon M.		Jebel esh-Sheikh LEB / SYR	TIR Iudaea 142-43
C3	<i>Hibbariye</i>	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 213
C4	Hieromyces fl.		Nahr Yarmuk JOR / SYR	Spijkerman 1978, 58; RE Suppl. 3 Hieromykes
E3	<i>el-Hijan</i>	R	SYR	Dussaud 1927, 304
C4	Hippos § Sousitha	H?RL	Horvat Susita / Qal'at el Husn ISR	TIR Iudaea 147
B3	<i>Horvat 'Erav</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 123
B4	<i>Horvat Gid'ona</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 135
B5	<i>Horvat Ner</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 196
B4	<i>Horvat Paqu'it</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 200
B5	<i>Horvat Tannin</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 239
B4	Husifa	L	'Isfiya ISR	TIR Iudaea 148
C2	<i>Husn Niha</i>	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 122
C5	Iabakchos fl.		Wadi Zerqa JOR	Jos., <i>AJ</i> 1.331
C5	Iabeis	L	near Wadi Yabis JOR	Abel 1933 II, 352 Jabès Galaad
E2	Iabrouda	RL	Yabrud SYR	IGLSyr 5.2707; Dussaud 1927, 284
B4	Iezreel/ Isdradela	HR?L	Tel Yizre'el / Zir'in ISR	TIR Iudaea 152
C1	Imperatoris Hadriani Augusti Definitio Silvarum		LEB	See Map 68
B3	Ioqereth	R?L	Iqrit ISR	TIR Iudaea 153
C4	Iordanes fl.			See Map 70
B4	Iotapata Isdradela = Iezreel	RL	Khirbet Shifat ISR	TIR Iudaea 154
C2	Itouraiia	R	LEB / SYR	Schürer 1973 I, 565-67; RE Ituraea
C2	Itouraioi Iulia Augusta Felix = Berytus Iulia Augusta Felix = Heliopolis Iulias? = Bethsaida? Iustinianoupolis? = Barkousa	HRL	LEB / SYR	Schürer 1973 I, 561-73
C3	Iyyon	HRL	Tell ed-Dibbin LEB	ABD Ijon
F3	<i>Jebel Seis</i>	R?	SYR	Dussaud 1927, 374; Poidebard 1934, LVII

Grid	Name	Period	Modern Name / Location	Reference
B4	<i>Jellemeh</i>	H?R	ISR	TIR Iudaea 157
D4	<i>Jize</i>	L	SYR	Devreese 1945, 229
C3	Kadasa	HRL	Tel Qedesh ISR	TIR Iudaea 93-94
C3	<i>Kafr Nafakh</i>	L	SYR	TIR Iudaea 160
C2	Kalamon Limne	H	Merj el-Kebir LEB	Theophrastus, <i>Historia Plantarum</i> 4.8.4; Polyb. 5.45.10; Dussaud 1927, 401; RE Kalamos 4.3
C4	Kamous	H	Qamm SYR	Abel 1933 II, 412 Qamon
B3	Kana	RL	Qana LEB	Dussaud 1927, 10-11
B4	Kana?	RL	Kafr Kanna ISR	TIR Iudaea 96-97, 159
B4	Kapasima Kapharnaoum = Kefar Nahum	R?L	Kafr Sumei'? ISR	TIR Iudaea 97
A5	Kapharsaba § Caphar Saba	RL	Khirbet Sabiye ISR	TIR Iudaea 99
C4	Kapitolias	RL	Beyt er-Ras JOR	ABD Beit Ras
A5	Kapparetaia		ISR	See Map 70
B4	<i>Karmiel</i>	HRL	Horvat Bata ISR	TIR Iudaea 74
D4	Karnaia/ Astaroth?	HRL/ RL	Tell Ashtara SYR	Dussaud 1927, 328-30
B4	Kefar Amiqa	R?L	'Amqa ISR	TIR Iudaea 162
C4	Kefar 'Aqabia	R?L	Kafr 'Aqab ISR	TIR Iudaea 162
B4	Kefar Hanania	R?L	Kafr 'Inan ISR	TIR Iudaea 163
C4	Kefar Nahum/ Kapharnaoum	RL	Tell Hum ISR	TIR Iudaea 97
C3	Kefar Nevoiaia	RL	Khirbet en Nabratein ISR	TIR Iudaea 164
A4	Kefar Shuni Kh., see Khirbet	RL	Shuni ISR	TIR Iudaea 165
E2	<i>Khan Aiyash</i>	RL	SYR	Dunand 1931, 237
F1	<i>Khan el-Abyad</i>	R	SYR	IGLSyr 5.2704
E2	<i>Khan el-Jenna'il</i>	R?	SYR	Poidebard 1934, XIX
E2	<i>Khan esh-Shamat</i>	RL	SYR	Dunand 1931, 237
B5	<i>Khirbet Basaliyye</i>	L	WBK	TIR Iudaea 74
C4	<i>Khirbet ed Dikke</i>	RL	SYR	TIR Iudaea 112
C5	<i>Khirbet el Ghirur</i>	R	WBK	TIR Iudaea 135
C2	<i>Khirbet el-Knese</i>	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 174
E3	<i>Khirbet el-Umbashi</i>	R?	SYR	Bauzou 1985, 144
B5	<i>Khirbet et Tira</i>	HR	WBK	TIR Iudaea 251 (map ref. 174174)
B5	<i>Khirbet Jabaris</i>	L	WBK	TIR Iudaea 156
B4	<i>Khirbet Jedora</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 157
B3	<i>Khirbet Karkara</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 161
C5	<i>Khirbet Khiraf</i>	R	WBK	Hirschfeld 1991
B4	<i>Khirbet Summaqa</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 236
A5	<i>Khirbet Umm 'Ulleiqa</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 255
B4	<i>Khirbet Waziya</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 258
B5	<i>Khirbet Yarza</i>	L	WBK	TIR Iudaea 259
D2	Kiboreia	R	Deir el-Ashayr LEB	Krencker 1938, 256
C1	Klimax M.		near Junie LEB	Dussaud 1927, 62-63
B3	Klimax Tyrion	R	Ras en-Naqura LEB	Jos., <i>BJ</i> 2.188
C4	Kochaba/ Choba	RL	Kawkab SYR	Thomsen 1907, 82, 116
C2	Koile Syria/ Massyas § Marsyas		LEB / SYR	See Map 68
C4	<i>Kokhav ha-Yarden</i> Korada? = Geroda	L RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 168-69
B5	Korea(i) § Coabis?	RL HL	Tell Zamadi / el Qarawa WBK	TIR Iudaea 105-106
A4	Krokodeilonpolis	CHR	Tel Tannim / Tell el Malat ISR	TIR Iudaea 106

Grid	Name	Period	Modern Name / Location	Reference
	Laodikeia en te Phoinike = Berytus			
B4	Lavi	RL	Lavi / Lubiya ISR	TIR Iudaea 170
D3	Lebaba	L	Dayr Ali SYR	Dussaud 1927, 320
B4	Legio/ Caporcotani/ Maximianopolis	RL/ RL/ L	Lejjun ISR	TIR Iudaea 170
C2	Libanus M.		Jebel Lubnan LEB	RE 2
B3	Litas fl.		Nahr Litani LEB	Strabo 16.2.24; RE
C2	Lykos fl.	HRL	Nahr el-Kelb LEB	RE 13
B3	Mafsheta	RL	Fassuta ISR	TIR Iudaea 173
C4	Magdala/ Taricheai	HRL	Mejdel ISR	TIR Iudaea 173
E2	Magloula	L	Ma'lula SYR	Dussaud 1927, 281
C2	Magoras fl.	R	Nahr Bayrut LEB	Pliny, <i>NH</i> 5.78
D4	Maked	H	Tell Miqdad? SYR	1 Maccabees 5.26; Abel 1933 II, 378 Maqqéda
E4	Makra Kome = Sarepta Mardocho Maximianopolis = Legio Maximianopolis = Sakkaia	RL	Murduk SYR	IGRR 3.2393; Dussaud 1927, 358
B4	Mega Pedion	HRL	Jezreel valley ISR	TIR Iudaea 182
B5	<i>el Mekhobi</i>	R?	ISR	TIR Iudaea 183
G3	<i>Merfiye es-Smeir</i>	R?	SYR	Poidebard 1934, XCIV
B2	<i>Merjiyat</i>	R	LEB	Tallon 1967, 236-38
B4	Meron	RL	Meiron ISR	TIR Iudaea 184
C3	Meroth	RL	Khirbet Marrus ISR	TIR Iudaea 184
B5	<i>Meser</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 184
D2	Mezze	R?L	Mezze SYR	Millar 1993, 539
A5	<i>Mikhmoret</i>	CHL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 187
E5	Motha(na)/ Motho?	RL/ H	Imtan SYR	StByz <i>Μωθώ</i> ; RE; Devreese 1945, 209
C3	<i>Na'aran</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 197
E5	Nabataea			See Map 3
B4	<i>Nahf</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 192
D1	Nakle	RL	Nakhle LEB	Krencker 1938, 172
D3	Namara	RL	Nimra (Hauran) SYR	IGRR 3.1252; Dussaud 1927, 341
E4	Namara	RL	Nimra (S Lejja) SYR	IGRR 3.1253
B5	Narbata	HRL	Khirbet el Hammam ISR	TIR Iudaea 193
A5	<i>Natania</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 193
B4	Nazareth	HRL	Nazareth ISR	TIR Iudaea 194
B3	Nea Come?	RL	Nahariya ISR	TIR Iudaea 194
B5	Neapolis	AHRL	Shechem / Nablus WBK	TIR Iudaea 194-95
C2	<i>Nebi Safa</i> Neela? = Nelkomia	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 205
D3	<i>Nejha</i>	R	SYR	Thomsen 1917, 30
E4	Nelkomia/ Neela?	RL/ L	el-Mushennef SYR	Le Bas 3.2217; Devreese 1945, 232
F4	<i>Nemara</i>	R	SYR	MacAdam 1980, 9-13
D4	Neue	RL	Nawa SYR	Dussaud 1927, 341
C2	Nihata	R	Niha LEB	Rey-Coquais 1987, 198-207
D4	Norerathe	L	Najran SYR	Le Bas 3.2431; Devreese 1945, 239
	Nova Traiana Alexandriana = Bostra			
B4	<i>Nurith</i> Nysa = Scythopolis	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 197
E4	Omra	RL	Amra? SYR	Dunand 1934, 108-109 (no. 222); Devreese 1945, 226
F1	Oneuatha/ *Anabatha	RL/ R?L	Khan Aneybeh SYR	Dunand 1931, 427; Kennedy 1990, 205

Grid	Name	Period	Modern Name / Location	Reference
E4	*Orelā? Ornithon Polis? = 'Ad Nonum'	RL	Junnein SYR	Dunand 1934, 75-76 (no. 160)
E4	Orsoua	RL	Resas? SYR	Le Bas 3.2308; Dussaud 1927, 365
C3	Oulatha	HR	Hule plain ISR	TIR Iudaea 253
B4	Pacida fl.		Qishon ISR	TIR Iudaea 198-99
C2	Palaibyblōs	R	S Adonis fl. LEB	Dussaud 1927, 62-63
B3	Palaityros	CHR	Ras el-'Ain LEB	Scylax 104; Dussaud 1927, 19-20
C3	Paneas/ Caesarea Philippi	RL	Banias SYR	TIR Iudaea 199
B5	<i>Paqu'a</i>	H?R	ISR	TIR Iudaea 200
C5	Pella/ Berenice/ Philippeia	HRL/ H/ HR	Tabaqat Fahl JOR	NEAEHL 3, 1174-80; RE 4 StByz. Βερενίκαι Πόλεις
C5	Peraea			See Map 71
D3	Phaine	RL	al-Mismiye SYR	Dussaud 1927, 376-77
D3	Pharphar fl.		Nahr al-'A'waj SYR	Honigmann II.365a; Dussaud 1927, 313
C3	Phiale Limne Philippeia = Pella	RL	Birket er Ram SYR	TIR Iudaea 203
E4	Philippopolis	RL	Shahba SYR	PECS
C4	Philoteria	HRL	Beth Yerah / Khirbet el Kerak ISR	TIR Iudaea 203
B3	Phoenice	ACHRL	LEB	RE Phoiniker; DCPD Phénicie
A4	Phoenicium Mare			See Map 68
C2	Platanos?/ Platane? Pompeia = Gadara	H/ R	Aramun LEB	Polyb. 5.68.6; Jos., BJ 1.539; Dussaud 1927, 46-47
B2	Porphyreon Polis Ptolemais = Ake	HRL	Khan Nebi Yunas LEB	RE πορφυρέων πόλις
B3	<i>Qabr Hiram</i>	L	LEB	Devreese 1945, 195
E4	<i>Qafr</i>	L	SYR	Devreese 1945, 231
C2	<i>Qafr Zebad</i>	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 165
B5	<i>el Qal'a</i>	L	WBK	TIR Iudaea 206
G4	<i>Qasr Burqu'</i>	R?L	JOR	Parker 1986, 21; Kennedy 1990, 218
F3	<i>Qasr el-Abyad</i>	R?	SYR	MacAdam 1980, 14
D5	<i>Qasr el-Ba'iq</i>	R	JOR	Parker 1986, 24-25
C2	<i>Qasr Neba</i>	R	LEB	Krencker 1938, 148
D2	<i>Qasr Nemrud</i>	R	Ain el-Jaoze LEB	Krencker 1938, 178
C4	<i>Qazrin</i>	RL	SYR	TIR Iudaea 208
B5	<i>Qedumim</i>	CL	WBK	TIR Iudaea 208
C3	<i>Quneitra</i>	RL	SYR	TIR Iudaea 208
C2	Rachle/ Zenopolis?	R/ L	Rakhle SYR	Honigmann II.387b; Krencker 1938, 222
C5	Ragaba § Erga?	H L	Rajib? JOR	Abel 1933 II, 427 Euseb., <i>Onom.</i> 16.21; Thomsen 1907, 62
B4	<i>Rama</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 211
A4	<i>Ramat ha-Nadiv</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 211-12
B4	<i>Ramat Yishay</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 212
C3	<i>er Ramthaniyye</i>	L	SYR	TIR Iudaea 212
D4	Raphon/ Raphana § Arpha? § Rhaepta?	H/ R R R	er-Rafe? SYR	Dussaud 1927, 338-39 Jos., BJ 3.57 Jos., AJ 16.283, 288
E4	Reimea	RL	Rimet el-Lohf SYR	Le Bas 3.2393; Dussaud 1927, 380
B4	<i>Reina</i>	H?R	ISR	TIR Iudaea 214
B5	Roob	RL	Rehov / Tell es Sarem ISR	TIR Iudaea 216
G2	<i>Saba Biyar</i>	R?	SYR	Poidebard 1934 LXII

Grid	Name	Period	Modern Name / Location	Reference
E4	Sakkaia/ Maximianopolis	RL/ L	Shaqqa SYR	Ptol. 5.14.20; Dunand 1934, 160
E4	Salamanestha	RL	Sala SYR	Dussaud 1927, 366
C5	Salem/ Salumias § Sedima	H?RL	Tell er Radgha ISR	ItEg 13.4; TIR Iudaea 219-20
B5	Samaria	HRL	region of Samaria ISR / WBK	TIR Iudaea 220
B5	Samaria/ Sebaste § [*Gabinia]	AHRL H	Sebastiya WBK	TIR Iudaea 220-21
D3	Samoulis?	RL	Simlin SYR	Dussaud 1927, 345
B4	<i>Sandala</i>	L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 222
F2	Saraceni		JOR / SYR	See Map 71
B3	Sarepta/ Makra Kome	HRL/ RL	Sarafend LEB	ABD Zarephath; Feissel 1982, 340-41
B3	<i>Sasa</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 223
E3	Sauara	RL	Suwarat el-Kebire SYR	Dussaud 1927, 380
D4	Saura	RL	Sur SYR	IGRR 3.1143; Dussaud 1927, 380
C4	Scythopolis/ Nysa Sebaste = Samaria	AHRL	Beisan Beth Shean ISR	TIR Iudaea 223-25
C3	Segeira	RL	Qal'at Jendal? SYR	IGRR 3.1075
E4	Seia	RL	Si SYR	PECS
E4	*Selaima	RL	Sulem SYR	Le Bas 2377; PECS
C4	Seleukeia Seleukeia = Abila Dekapoleos	HRL	Seluqiye SYR	TIR Iudaea 226
C3	Semachonitis L.		Lake Hule ISR	TIR Iudaea 226
C4	Sennabris/ Ginnabris	RL	Senn en Nabra ISR	TIR Iudaea 226
B4	Sepphoris/ Diocaesarea *Septimia = Canatha Septimia Severa = Tyrus	RL	Zippori / Saffuriye ISR	TIR Iudaea 227-28
D4	<i>Sheikh Miskin</i>	RL	SYR	Dussaud 1927, 344
B4	Shephar'am	RL	Shefar'am / Shafa 'Amr ISR	TIR Iudaea 230
B4	Shimron/ Simonias	RL	Khirbet Semmuniye ISR	TIR Iudaea 232
B2	Sidon/ Col. Aurelia Pia Simonias = Shimron	ACHRL/ R	Saida LEB	RE 1; DCP 413-16
B3	Sinde *Soada = Dionysias	L	Biyud es-Sayed? LEB	RE Σ'ιδε
C4	Sogane	RL?	el Yahudiye SYR	TIR Iudaea 235
E4	Sounoua Sozousa = Apollonia Strata	RL	Sa'neh SYR	Kennedy 1990, 189
A4	Stratonos Pyrgos/ Caesarea § Kaisareia Paralios § Cesarea Palestinæ	H/ RL	Qesaria / Qaisariye ISR	See Roads NEAEHL 1, 270-91; TIR Iudaea 94-96
C3	<i>Surman</i>	HRL	SYR	TIR Iudaea 237
B5	Sychem	AH	Balata WBK	TIR Iudaea 238
A4	Sykamina	CHRL	Shiqmona, Tell es Samak ISR	TIR Iudaea 237
A4	Syna M.	L	near Shuni ISR	TIR Iudaea 238-39
E4	<i>Tafha</i> Tamyras fl. = Damouras fl. Taricheai = Magdala	L	SYR	Devreese 1945, 237

Grid	Name	Period	Modern Name / Location	Reference
C3	<i>Tel Anafa</i>	HR?	ISR	TIR Iudaea 241
A5	<i>Tel Hefer</i>	AL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 242
E3	<i>Tell Asfar</i>	R?	SYR	Poidebard 1934 L
B4	<i>Tell Basul</i>	R?L	ISR	TIR Iudaea 241
B4	<i>Tell el Firr</i>	HRL	WBK	TIR Iudaea 242
B5	<i>Tell Miske</i>	RL	WBK	TIR Iudaea 244
C5	<i>Tell Saidiyeh</i>	HR	JOR	NEAEHL 4.1295-1300
A4	<i>Tel Mevorakh</i>	HR	ISR	TIR Iudaea 244
B4	Tha'anach	R?L	Tell Ti'innik WBK	TIR Iudaea 246
B4	Thabor M. Thainatha = Thantia	HRL	Tabor ISR	TIR Iudaea 246-47
C2	*Thamaneita	R	Timnin LEB	IGLSyr 6.2960; Krencker 1938, 138
D5	Thanouenoi	R	JOR	Sartre 1982, 134
D5	Thantia/ Thainatha	RL	Thugrat al-Jubb? JOR	Kennedy 1982, 152
E4	*Tharba	RL	Tarba SYR	Dussaud 1927, 370
C4	Tharsila	L	Tsil SYR	Dussaud 1927, 345-46
B4	Thekoa	RL	Teqo'a / Khirbet et Tuqu' ISR	TIR Iudaea 248 (II)
E2	Thelseai	RL	Dmeir SYR	IGRR 3.1094; Dussaud 1927, 265
B5	Thena	RL	Khirbet T'ana el Fauqa WBK	TIR Iudaea 249
C5	Thesbe	L	Khan Mar Elyas JOR	ItEg 16.1; Abel 1933 II, 486 Tisbeh
C4	Tiberiadis Mare/ Gennesar L.		Sea of Galilee	TIR Iudaea 179
C4	Tiberias	RL	Tiberias ISR	TIR Iudaea 249-50
B5	Tibetha	RL	et Tayyibe ISR	TIR Iudaea 250
C5	<i>Tirat Zevi</i>	RL	ISR	TIR Iudaea 251
D3	Trachon(itis)	HRL	Lejja SYR	RE
D4	Trachones	R	Lejja and Safa area SYR	Strabo 16.2.16, 20
E5	Tricomia § Triakome	L RL	Salkhad SYR	NotDig Or. 37.15; Dunand 1934, 108-109 (no. 222)
B3	Tyrus/ Col. Septimia Severa	CHRL/ R	es-Sur LEB	DCPP 477-80 RE 3
D5	<i>Umm el-Jimal</i>	RL	JOR	Parker 1986, 26-30; Kennedy 1990, 184
E5	<i>Umm el-Quttein</i>	R	JOR	Kennedy 1990, 142
D5	<i>Umm es-Surab</i>	L	JOR	Devreese 1945, 233
E4	<i>Umm ez-Zeitun</i>	RL?	SYR	Dussaud 1927, 379
B5	<i>Umm Rihan</i>	RL?	WBK	TIR Iudaea 254
D5	<i>Umtaiyye</i>	L	SYR	Devreese 1945, 233
B4	Usha	RL	Khirbet Hushe ISR	TIR Iudaea 255-56
F2	'Valle Diocletiana'	RL	Khan et-Trab SYR	Dunand 1931, 237
F2	Vallis Alba Via Nova Traiana	RL	Khan el-Manqura SYR	Kennedy 1990, 182 See Roads
D1	<i>Yaot</i>		LEB	See Map 68
B3	Yiron § Iarion § Keroe	ARL	Yarun LEB	ABD; TIR Iudaea 259
D2	Zabadeoi	H	SYR	ABD Zabadeans
C2	<i>Zekweh</i> Zenopolis? = Rachle Zerabene = *Zoraa	R	LEB	IGLSyr 6.2985; Krencker 1938, 198
C4	*Zizia	RL	Zeizun SYR	IGRR 3.1165
D4	*Zoraa/ Zerabene	RL/ L	Ezra SYR	Dussaud 1927, 374; Devreese 1945, 238

Aqueducts

Grid	Location	Period	Reference
A4	Dor(a)	HRL	Amit 1989, 109-14
A4	Caesarea	HRL	Olami 1977; Amit 1989, 115-22
B3	Palaityros	R	RE Tyros, cols. 1876-82
B4	Kefar Amiqo	RL	Amit 1989, 92-95
B4	Ake	L	Amit 1989, 81-96
B4	Kefar Hanania	RL	Amit 1989, 97-100
B4	Sepphoris	RL	Amit 1989, 101-108
B4	Gaba Philippi	RL	TIR Iudaea 126
B4	Legio	RL	TIR Iudaea 170
B5	Samaria	HRL	Amit 1989, 157-68
C2	Berytus	RL?	Goodchild 1949, pl. xx
C3	Paneas	RL	TIR Iudaea 199
C4	Bethsaida	RL	TIR Iudaea 85
C4	Gamala	R	TIR Iudaea 128
C4	Chorsia	RL	TIR Iudaea 104
C4	Hippos (2)	RL	Amit 1989, 133-40; Meshel 1996
C4	Tiberias	RL	Amit 1989, 123-32
C4	Scythopolis (2)	HRL	TIR Iudaea 223-25
D1	Heliopolis	R	Wiegand 1921, 22-33

Bridges

Grid	Location	Period	Reference
A5	SE Caesarea	R	Olami 1977; TIR Iudaea 94-96
A5	near Bir el 'Abd	RL	TIR Iudaea 89
B2	Wadi ez-Zaini, N Sidon	RL	Goodchild 1949, 109
B2	Nahr Awali, S Sidon	RL	Goodchild 1949, 109
B3	Nahr Abu-Assad, S 'Ad Nonum'	RL	Goodchild 1949, 110
B4	Legio	R	TIR Iudaea 170
C1	Maameltein, N Palaibybls	RL	Goodchild 1949, 107
C2	Nahr Beirut, E Berytus	RL	Goodchild 1949, 108
C2	Nahr el-Kelb, SW Palaibybls	RL	Goodchild 1949, 107
D4	et-Tayyibe, SE Adra(h)a	RL	Bauzou 1985, 143
D4	Nahr Jemarrin, N Bostra	RL	Le Bas 3.1959b; Bauzou 1985, 165

Mole

Grid	Location	Period	Reference
B3	so-called Agger Alexandri	HRL	Arrian, <i>Anabasis</i> 2.18; PECS Tyrus

Quarry

Grid	Location	Period	Material	Reference
D1	near Heliopolis (2)	R	Gr	Wiegand 1921, 34-36

Roads

Grid	Name / Itinerary	Period	Reference
E4	'Strata Diocletiana'	R	Dunand 1931, 228; Kennedy 1982, 185-86; Bauzou 1985, 144 (n. 19)
F2	Strata Diocletiana		See Map 68
D5	Via Nova Traiana	RL	Thomsen 1917, 37-47 (nos. 67-110); Bauzou 1985, 142-43
	Adra(h)a → Kapitolias	RL	Bauzou 1985, 143
	Adra(h)a → Gerasa → S	RL	Mittmann 1966
	Ake → Bethsaida → Kochaba	RL	NEAHL 2, 455
	Ake → Legio → Ginai(a) → Samaria → Khirbet et Tira	RL	Safrai 1994, 274-89
	Ake → Sepphoris	RL	Safrai 1994, 275-89
	Apollonia → SE	RL	Safrai 1994, 275-89
	Berytus → Heliopolis	RL	ItMiller 826; Thomsen 1917, 22-23 (no. 29)
	Bostra → Adra(h)a	RL	Bauzou 1985, 143
	Bostra → Gerasa	RL	Thomsen 1917, 59-61 (nos. 188-195); Bauzou 1988, 295
	Bostra → Nelkomia	RL	Bauzou 1985, 144
	Bostra → Triacome → Mothana → S	RL	Bauzou 1985, 143
	Buraq → Dionysias	RL	Bauzou 1985, 140-41
	Caesarea → Gaba Philippi	RL	Roll 1996, 555-78
	Caesarea → Kapharsaba → Antipatris (Map 70)	RL	Roll 1996, 558
	Caesarea → Legio → Scythopolis	RL	Isaac 1982; Roll 1996, 557-58
	Caesarea → Neapolis → Korea(i)	RL	Roll 1996, 557-58
	Caesarea → Scythopolis via Ginai(a) coast road	RL	Roll 1996, 557
	Damascus → Casama	RL	Roll 1996, 552-55
	Dionysias → Canatha → Nelkomia	RL	ItMiller 816-17; Dussaud 1927, 264
	Dionysias → Salamanestha	RL	Bauzou 1985, 141, 145
	Dionysias → el-Ghassule	RL	Bauzou 1985, 144
	Gadara → Pella → Asophon → S	RL	Thomsen 1917, 30 (no. 58)
	Gadara → Scythopolis	RL	Huppenbauer 1962
	Gadara → Tiberias	RL	Thomsen 1917, 71 (nos. 244-47)
	Heliopolis → Damascus	RL	ABD V, 785
	Heliopolis → N	RL	ItAnt 198; Thomsen 1917, 23-24 (nos. 30-33)
	Khan el-Abyad → Thelseae → Damascus → Aere → Neue → S	RL	ItAnt 198; ItMiller 824-25
	Nejha	RL	ItAnt 196-97; Bauzou 1985, 139
	Palaibyblous → Sidon → Caesarea → Apollonia	RL	Thomsen 1917, 30 (no. 60)
	Paneas → Bethsaida	RL	ItBurd 583-84; Goodchild 1949
	Phaine → *Airita → Dionysias → Bostra	RL	NEAHL 2, 455
	S → Gerasa → Pella → Scythopolis	RL	Dunand 1923; Bauzou 1985, 140
	Tiberias → Bethsaida → Hippos → Sennabris	RL	Thomsen 1917, 62-65 (nos. 199-228)
	Tiberias → Sepphoris → Legio	RL	NEAHL 2, 453-58; OEANE 1, 302-305 Bethsaida
	Tricomia → Umm al-Quttein → S	RL	NEAHL 2, 455
	Tyrus → Paneas → Damascus	RL	Thomsen 1917, 31-32 (nos. 62-64)
	Via Nova Traiana → Umm al-Jimal	RL	ItMiller 825-26; Cagnat 1936
		RL	Kennedy 1982, 160

Unlocated Toponyms

Name	Period	Probable Location	Reference
Aenos	RL	Phaine or Buraq	ItMiller 817; Devreese 1945, 239
Alema	H	Alma? SYR	1 Maccabees 5.26; Abel 1933 II, 241
Alsadamus M.	R		Ptol. 5.14.20; MacAdam 1986, 6
Ampeloessa	R		Pliny, <i>NH</i> 5.74
Antiochia sub Libano			Appian, <i>Syr.</i> 57; MacAdam 1993, 343
Arlane	L	near Damascus	Devreese 1945, 203
Arsinoe en Auloni		in Biqa LEB	StByz. <i>Ἀρσινόη</i> ; MacAdam 1993, 342
'Basienisa'	R	JOR	Kennedy 1982, 184-85; MacAdam 1989, 302
Bathyra	H	Batanaia	Jos., <i>AJ</i> 17.26
Basca(ma)	H		TIR Iudaea 74
Calamona	L	near Maglula SYR	NotDig Or. 32.26; Dussaud 1927, 270
Castra Samaritanorum	L	near Sykamina	TIR Iudaea 101
Chonacara	L	near Damascus	Devreese 1945, 203
Cilicon Aulon	H		Jos., <i>AJ</i> 13.397
Constantia/ Constantine	L	Buraq? SYR	Devreese 1945, 237
Dathema	H	Ataman? SYR	1 Maccabees 5.9; Dussaud 1927, 330
Demetrias	H	probably not Damascus	BMCoins, lxxv-lxxvii
Diafenes	L		NotDig Or. 37.23; MacAdam 1989, 295
Dion/ Diospolis	HR	Decapolis	Schürer 1973 II, 148-49
Enganna	L		Euseb., <i>Onom.</i> 94.26
Eutime/ Eutimia	L	Harran?	Devreese 1945, 214
Gaba	R		Pliny, <i>NH</i> 5.74; BMCoins, lxxxii
Garis	RL	village in Galilee	TIR Iudaea 129
Getta	R	settlement on Mt. Carmal	TIR Iudaea 135 Geth
Goharieni	R	people	SEG 1960.759
Hierapolis	L		Thomsen 1907, 71
Ina	R	Hine?	Thomsen 1907, 72
Iob	L	villa in territory of Scythopolis	TIR Iudaea 164 Kefar Qarnos
Iovis M.	R		NotDig Or. 32.33; Dussaud 1927, 271
Leon fl.	R	LEB	Ptol. 5.14.3
Leontopolis	HR	Lebanese coast	Dussaud 1927, 47
Leucas ad Chrysorhoan	H	probably not Abila Lysaniae	BMCoins, lxxviii-lxxix
Leuke Kome	R	LEB	Plutarch, <i>Antonius</i> 51
Manena	R	people	IGRR 3.1262; Dussaud 1927, 359
Mariamme	L	near Baalbek LEB	Honigmann II.294a; Ghadban 1985, 309
Neapolis	L		Devreese 1945, 214
Ormiza	R	near Canatha	Jos., <i>BJ</i> 1.368; Dussaud 1927, 360
Othara	L		NotDig Or. 32.18

Name	Period	Probable Location	Reference
Porphyreon	L		TIR Iudaea 204
Rhose	RL	near Bostra	ItMiller 818; Bowersock 1983, 178 (n. 35); Bauzou 1985, 141
Sourattha	R		Ptol., 5.16.4; MacAdam 1986, 17
Spelunca	R	Deir el-Kahf?	NotDig Or. 37.18; MacAdam 1989, 303; Kennedy 1990, 179
Zebud	L	Zabdani SYR	Neubauer 1868, 295; Ghadban 1981, 148 (n. 19)

False Toponyms

Name	Reference	Comment
Canatha (alia)	Sartre 1981	nonexistent?
Essa	Jos., AJ 13.393	error for Gerasa

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