

Assyria	Babylon	Medes	Persia (Anshan)
<b>Ashur-Dan II</b> (23 years) "son of Tiglath-Pileser (II)" 934 – 912	<b>Ninurta-kudurri-usur II</b> (1 year)		
	<b>Mar-biti-ahhe-iddina</b> (23 years)		
	<b>Shamash-mudammiq</b> (20 years)		
<b>Adad-nirari II</b> (21 years) "son of Ashur-Dan (II)" 911 – 891	<b>Nabu-shuma-ukin</b> (12 years)		
<b>Tukulti-Ninurta II</b> (7 years) "son of Adad-nirari (II)" 890 – 884	<b>Nabu-apla-iddina</b> (33 + years)		
<b>Ashur-nasir-pal II</b> (25 years) "son of Tukulti-Ninurta (II)" 883 – 859			
<b>Shalmaneser III</b> (35 years) "son of Ashur-nasir-pal (II)" 858 – 824 <i>Ahab, Ahaziah and Jehoram, and later Jehu), of Judah (Jehoshaphat, Jehoram and Ahaziah) and of Syria (Ben-Hadad and Hazael</i>	<b>Marduk-zakir-shumi I</b> (27 + years)		
	<b>Marduk-balassu-iqbi</b> (6 years) ??? - 813		
<b>Shamshi-Adad V</b> (13 years) "son of Shalmaneser (III)" AND <b>Shammu-ramat</b> , regent 823 – 811	<b>Baba-aha-iddina</b> (2 years) 812 - ??? / <b>5 kings</b> (11 years)		
	<b>Ninurta-apla-X</b> (10 years)		
<b>Adad-nirari III</b> (28 years) "son of Shamshi-Adad (V)" 810 - 783	<b>Marduk-bel-zeri</b> (10 years)		
	<b>Marduk-apla-usur</b> (11 years)		
<b>Shalmaneser IV</b> (10 years) "son of Adad-nirari (III)" 782 – 773	<b>Eriba-Marduk</b> (9 + years)		
<b>Ashur-Dan III</b> (18 years) "son of Shalmaneser (IV)"; 772 – 755	<b>Nabu-shuma-ishkun</b> (13 + years)		
<b>Ashur-nirari V</b> (10 years) "son of Adad-nirari (III)" 754-745			
	<b>Nabu-nasir (Nabonassar)</b> (14 years) 747 – 734		

<b>Tiglath-Pileser III</b> (18 years) (Pul) "son of Ashur-nirari (V)" 744 – 727 <i>Contemporary with Ahaz and Menahem, &amp; Pekah</i>	<b>Nabu-nadin-zeri</b> (2 years) 733 – 732 <b>AND Nabu-suma-ukin II</b> (1 month) 732		
	<b>Nabu-mukin-zeri</b> (3 years) 731 – 729 <i>Conquered by Tiglath-Pileser III (Pulu) (Póros): (2 years) 728 – 727</i>		
<b>Shalmaneser V</b> (5 years) "son of Tiglath-Pileser (III)" 726 – 722; <i>Contemporary with Hoshea</i>			
<b>Sargon II</b> 722–705 BC	<b>Marduk-apla-iddina II</b> (12 years) (the Biblical Merodach-Baladan) 721 – 710		
	<b>Sharrukin II</b> (Sargon II) (Arkeanos) (5 years) 709 – 705		
<b>Sennacherib</b> 705–681 BC	<b>Sin-ahhe-eriba</b> (Sennacherib) (2 years)		
	<b>Marduk-zakir-shumi II</b> 703 BC		
	<b>Marduk-apla-iddina II</b> 703 BC 2nd reign)		
	<b>Bel-ibni</b> 703 – 700 BC		
	<b>Ashur-nadin-shumi</b> 700 – 694 BC son of Sennacherib AND <b>Nergal-ushezib</b> 694 – 693 BC		
	<b>Mushezib-Marduk</b> 693 – 689 BC AND <i>Assyrian Sack of Babylon by Sennacherib, 689 BC; Babylon is rebuilt by Esarhaddon of Assyria in the 670s BC</i>		
	<b>Sin-ahhe-eriba</b> (Sennacherib) 689 – 681 BC	<b>Deioces</b> (reign 700-647 BCE)	
<b>Esarhaddon</b> (Ashur-ahha-iddina) 681–669 BC			
<b>Ashurbanipal</b> 669–between 631 & 627 BC son of Esarhaddon 664 BC CONQUERS THEBES	<b>Shamash-shum-ukin</b> 668 – 648 BC son of Esarhaddon		

<b>Ashur-etil-ilani</b> ca. 631–627 BC son of Ashurbanipal	<b>Kandalanu</b> 648 – 627 BC	<b>Phraortes</b> (reign 647-625 BCE)		
<b>Sin-shumu-lishir</b> 626 BC AND <b>Sin-shar-ishkun</b> ca. 627–612 BC Son of Ashurbanipal	<b>Sin-shumu-lishir</b> 626 BC Only parts, including the city of Babylon. AND <b>Sinsharishkun</b> ca. 627 – 612 BC Lost control over Babylonia.	<b>Scythian</b> (reign 624-597 BCE)	<b>Cyrus I</b> , son of Teispes 652 to 600 BC	<b>Ariaramnes</b> , son of Teispes
	<b>CHALDEAN RULERS OF BABYLON:</b> <b>Nabu-apla-usur</b> (Nabopolassar) 626 – 605 BC			
<b>Ashur-uballit II</b> 612 BC–ca. 608 BC aided by Necho II of Egypt <i>Assyria conquered by Babylon 605 at Battle of Carchemish</i>	<b>Nabu-kudurri-usur</b> (Nebuchadnezzar II) 605 – 562 BC Son of Nabopolassar	<b>Cyaxares</b> (reign 624-585 BCE)		
<b>Amel-Marduk</b> 562 – 560 BC Son of Nebuchadnezzar II	<b>Astyages</b> (reign 585-549 BCE),	<b>Cambyses I</b> of Anshan, son of Cyrus I, and son-in-law to Astyages c. 580 to 559 BC	<b>Hystaspes</b> , son of Ariaramnes	
<b>Nergal-shar-usur</b> (Nergal-sharezer/Neriglissar) 560 – 556 BC AND Labashi-Marduk 556 BC				
<b>Nabu-na'id</b> (Nabonidus) 556 – 539 BC AND <b>Belshazzaar</b> (regent 553 – 539)				
<b>Cyrus II the Great</b> of Persia 539 – 529 BC – Captures Babylon 540		<b>Cyrus II</b> the Great 550 – 530 BC	<b>Arsames</b> , son of Hystaspes	
Achaemenid Babylonia: <b>Cambyses II</b> 529 – 522 BC Son of Cyrus the Great				
Babylon Conquers Egypt 525				
<b>Smerdis</b> (Bardiya) 522 BC (Possibly a usurper) alleged son of Cyrus the Great				
<b>Darius I</b> of Persia the Great 521 – 486 BC Brother-in-law of Smerdis, son of Hystaspes, and grandson of Arsames				
Xerxes I of Persia 485 – 465 BC Son of Darius I				
Xerxes failed attempt to conquer Greece, beginning of struggle with Greeks for control of the eastern Mediterranean				
Artaxerxes I of Persia Longimanus 465 – 424 BC Son of Xerxes I				
Successful suppression of Greek-supported revolt in Egypt, 460-456				
Revolt of Megabyzus, governor of the territory which included Judah, 449				
Xerxes II of Persia 424 BC, Son of Artaxerxes I AND Sogdianus of Persia, 424 – 423 BC (Half-brother and rival of Xerxes II)				
Darius II of Persia Nothus 423 – 405 BC Half-brother and rival of Xerxes II				
Artaxerxes II of Persia Mnemon 404 – 359 BC (see also Xenophon) son of Darius II				
Egypt regains independence 401				
Artaxerxes III of Persia Ochus 358 – 338 BC Son of Artaxerxes II				
Arses of Persia (Artaxerxes IV) 338 – 336 BC Son of Artaxerxes III				

Darius III of Persia Codomannus 336 – 330 BC Great-grandson of Darius II – reconquers Egypt

Seleucid Babylonia: Alexander the Great 330 – 323 BC

Philip III Arrhideus (323 BC–317)

Alexander IV of Macedon 323 – 309 BC

Seleucus I Nicator Satrap 311 – 305 BC, King 305 – 281 BC

Antiochus I Soter co-ruler from 291, ruled 281 – 261 BC

Antiochus II Theos 261 – 246 BC

Seleucus II Callinicus 246 – 225 BC

Seleucus III Ceraunus (or Soter) 225 – 223 BC

Antiochus III the Great 223 – 187 BC

Seleucus IV Philopator 187 – 175 BC

Antiochus IV Epiphanes 175 – 164 BC

Antiochus V Eupator 164 – 162 BC

Demetrius I Soter 161 – 150 BC

Alexander I Balas 150 – 145 BC

Demetrius II Nicator first reign, 145 – 141 BC