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Abu Salabikh Slides, Set 1: Excavations (1975–78) (abbreviated captions)

- 1. Site map of Abu Salabikh.
- 2. Plan of Area A.
- 3. Plan of Area E.
- 4. Plan of West Mound.
- 5. Close-up of sherd-strewn mound surface.
- 6. Shergati pickman excavating a thin level of stratified deposit.
- 7. General view of Area E from west.
- 8. Area E, looking SE across the Southern Unit of the Central Complex.
- 9. The Southern Corridor ("Room" 49) looking southwest.
- 10. Oven in Room 47.
- 11. Area E, stratification in 6G64b, SE corner.
- 12. Area A viewed from SE.
- 13. Plano-convex mudbrick wall.
- 14. Pottery drain in 2G12 on West Mound, ED I.
- 15. Grave 81 in situ (ED I/II).
- 16. Grave 80 in situ (ED II).
- 17. Grave 1 in situ (ED IIIa).
- 18. Grave 112; child burial with remains of woollen cloth.
- 19. Grave 132; burial with beads in rows about waist.
- 20. Grave 130; skull of child buried with a silver eye patch over the left eye.

Abbreviated captions of Abu Salabikh Slides, Set 2: Objects – see overleaf

Abu Salabikh Slides, Set 2: Objects (1975-78) (abbreviated captions)

- 1. Mass-produced bowl types from the surface of the West Mound ('Uruk'-ED I).
- 2. ED I cut-ware jar.
- 3. Grave 81 (ED I/II) pottery group.
- 4. Grave 80 (ED II) pottery group.
- 5. Grave 100 (ED II) pottery group.
- 6. Grave 1 (ED IIIa) pottery group.
- 7. Grave 124 (ED IIIa/b) pottery group.
- 8. Grave 130 contents including roundel, eye-patch, sandals, vanity set etc.
- 9. Assorted ED IIIa tablets.
- 10. Hoard of beads from jar in 6G38.
- 11. Arrow heads and other copper tools from Grave 80.
- 12. Dagger, axe-blade and vanity set from Grave 51.
- 13. Flint blades.
- 14. Animal figurines.
- 15. Human figurines.
- 16. Cylinder seal AbS 1232 (probably ED II/III transitional).
- 17. Cylinder seal AbS 470 (ED IIIa).
- 18. Cylinder seal AbS 1536 (ED III).
- 19. Cylinder seal AbS 1708 (Grave 80: ED III).
- 20. Cylinder seal AbS 1709 (ED III).

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