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first century, fifteenth century

nine pots

11 wild boar, 15 deer and 3 horses

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5467

11 465

4 500 000

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JJA uses BC/AD not BCE/CE.

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3500 BC

AD 1185

tenth century AD

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Radiocarbon, when not spelled out should be presented as 14C

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