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CAPInv. 694: **U-NEA-014**

i.	Geographical area	The Near East and Beyond
ii.	Region	Syria
iii.	Site	Dura Europos

i. Association with unknown name	U-NEA-014		

i. Date(s)	i - iii AD

i.	Source(s)	Cumont 1926: 398-400, no. 44 (i - iii AD)			
i.a.	Source type(s)	Epigraphic source(s)			
i.b.	Document(s) typology & language/script	List of names, in Greek			
i.c.	Physical format(s)	Graffito			
ii.	Source(s) provenance	Scratched into the southern wall of the room K in the temple of the Palmyrene gods			

iii. Bibliography	Cumont, F. (1926), Fouilles de Doura-Europos (1922-1923). Vol. I. Paris. Milik, J.T. (1972), Dédicaces faites par des dieux (Palmyre, Hatra, Tyr) et des thiases sémitiques à l'époque romaine. Paris.

XIII FVALUATION

i. Private association

Possible

Note

This list contains 12 names in the left column and 8 names in the right. According to Milik's very hypothetical reconstruction (1972: 125-7), the left column records the 12 members of a *thiasos* under the leadership of Otes, who built the room K according to a painting with inscription above the list of names (which does not mention Otes). The right column would contain the names of the staff who served the members of the association during the first banquet in this room of the temple. There is much speculation in this reconstruction.

