șalmu șalmu

20:130 (SB Alu); šumma awīlum šārassu kīma qitmi ṣa-al-ma-at if a man's hair is as black as pitch AfO 18 66 ii 37 (OB physiogn.); kibrītu agargarītu || kibrītu ṣa-li-in-du || kibrītu pappa: sītu || kibrītu peṣītu—agargarū-sulphur is black sulphur, pappasū-sulphur is white sulphur BRM 4 32:12 (med. comm.); šumma katarru mi: šilšu MI mišilšu sām if half of the fungus is black and half is red CT 40 17:53 (SB Alu); 1 hidu MI one black hīdu-bead RA 43 146:95 (OB Qatna), cf. NA4-MI (beside NA4-BABBAR) KUB 3 70 r. 13; as name of a god in Bogh.: DINGIR. MI Ehelolf, ZA 43 181 n. 2, see also the refs. in Laroche, RHA 7 102 and 15 55 sub Nos. 430 f.

- 2. dark (as a morbid or otherwise abnormal discoloration) a) referring to human beings (as a personal name): Ṣa-lim-tum CT 32 34 ii 8, for other OAkk. refs., see MAD 3 245; Ṣa-al-mu BE 14 14:9, and passim in MB, see Clay PN 134, also KAJ 32:18 (MA), Ṣal-mu TCL 9 141:21 (NB), etc.
- b) referring to parts of the human body: summa MI uštamaṭṭa if (his face) is purple he will suffer losses CT 28 28:25 (SB physiogn.), cf. summa MI-ma minât panīšu šaqû ibid. 29:9; šikin murṣišu MI the color of the sore spot is black KAR 192 i 33; šumma panūšu MI.MEŠ lišānšu sāmat if his face is purple, his tongue red Labat TDP 72:16, and passim in the following lines, cf. šumma qātāšu MI.MEŠ ibid. 90:13ff., šumma tulī imittišu MI ibid. 100:12f., and passim in diagn. omens, panūšu (wr. IGI^{II}.MEŠ) SA₅ SIG₅ u MI his face is red, green and black KAR 26:8; bubu'ta ṣa-lim-ta ittadi produces a black abscess AMT 92,4 r. 8.
- c) other occs.: šumma izbum tarikma ṣa-li-im if a newborn (lamb) is bruised and black YOS 10 56 ii 29 (OB Izbu); šumma martum ṣa-al-ma-at if the gall bladder is black YOS 10 31 v 40 (OB ext.); šumma ḥašûm ša imittim šapassa ṣa-al-[ma]-at if the "lip" of the right lung is black YOS 10 36 i 15, also ibid. 17 and 19, cf. liptum ṣa-lim TCL 6 3 r. 11 (SB), and passim in ext., see discussion section; šumma qutrinnum alākšu ṣa-li-im if the path of the smoke is black PBS 1/2 99 i 17 (OB smoke omens); šumma bītu sīršu MI if the plaster coating of a house is black CT 38 15:29 (SB Alu);

šumma qanû mi ina api ittanmar if a black reed appears in a canebrake CT 39 22:18 (SB Alu); if the water of the river is normal ina muh: hišunu mû mi.meš uhhulu (but) black water is coagulated on its surface CT 39 14:9 (SB Alu), cf. šumma (A.ZI.GA) MI ibid. 18:93, *šumma* mêša MI (referring to a well) CT 38 22:24; ÍD.MI ētabru they have crossed the Black River ABL 380:8 (NA); Zì.BABBAR Zì.MI white (and) black flour AMT 91,4:4; šumma Sin tarbaşa MI šutalmi if the moon is surrounded by a black halo Thompson Rep. 124:10, cf., with sa-al-mu as a gloss ibid. 98:1, also šumma MUL.AN.[...] MI-ma (with gloss sa-li-im-[ma]) ABL 647 r. 2; šumma išātu ina niknakki ilāni MA.GAL iqallu / MI if the fire in a censer belonging to the cult burns high, variant (remains) black CT 40 44 K.3821:2 (SB Alu).

The adj. wr. MI in omen texts (extispicy, diagnostic omens, etc.) is often to be read tarku (q.v.), as is indicated by such writings as MI-ku, MI-ik, and by the fact that MI as a substantive is to be read tirku (q.v.) in such texts; see discussion sub sulmu. However, at times MI occurs with tarik, tarka, and tarkat in enumerations of colors Labat TDP 136:41 and 42, 56 and 57, 120:38 and 40, 100:12 and 14, 102:13 and 14, 104:27 and 28, 108:9 and 10, and passim.

Since turruk beside tarik is well attested, the spellings MI.MEŠ (and MI.MEŠ-at, e.g., KAR 152 r. 17ff.) are cited sub tarāku. In other instances it is difficult to make a decision. The lexical literature does not use tarāku to designate a color or shade.

Kraus, MVAG 40/2 41.

şalmu s.; statue (in the round), relief, drawing, constellation, figurine (used for magic purposes), bodily shape, stature, likeness (in transferred mngs.); from OAkk., OB on, Akk. lw. in Hurrian (Brandenstein, AfO 13 58); pl. şalmū and şalmāni; wr. syll. and ALAM, NU, (DÙL, AN.DÙL in OAkk., see MAD 3 244f.); cf. şalmu in bīt şalme.

a-la-ám (var. a-lam) ALAM MSL 2 91:900 (Proto-Ea); a-la-am ALAM = \$a-al-mu Sb II 376, also A VIII/4:200; a-lam ALAM = $[\dots]$, a-lam $^{ALAM}_{ALAM}$ = $[\dots]$ Ea VIII Excerpt 28'f.; giš.alam

= $\mathfrak{s}al$ -[$\mathfrak{m}u$] Hh. VII B 152, alam.zabar = [$\mathfrak{s}a$ - $\mathfrak{s}al$ - $\mathfrak{m}u$] Hh. XII 130, alam.kù.babbar ibid. 221, na₄.alam.za.gìn = $\mathfrak{s}al$ - $\mathfrak{m}u$ Hh. XVI 85, na₄. alam.giš.nu_X($\mathfrak{s}i\mathfrak{n}$).gal = $\mathfrak{s}al$ - $\mathfrak{m}[u]$ ibid. 17, túg.gu.za.alam = ($\mathfrak{s}il$ - $\mathfrak{m}[u]$) ibid. 17, túg.gu.za.alam = ($\mathfrak{s}il$ - $\mathfrak{m}[u]$) šá $\mathfrak{s}al$ - $\mathfrak{m}[u]$ ibid. 112, [túg.níg.lám.alam] = ($\mathfrak{s}al$ - $\mathfrak{m}[u]$) ibid. 112, [túg.níg.lám.alam] = ($\mathfrak{s}al$ - $\mathfrak{m}[u]$) [šá $\mathfrak{s}al$ - $\mathfrak{m}[u]$ ibid. 121.

[nu]-u NU $\mathfrak{s}a$ -al-mu S^b I 278; ALAM = la-a-nu, alam, nu, dùl = $\mathfrak{s}al$ -mu Igituh I 393ff.; mul.ge₆ = $AN^{\mathfrak{s}a}$ -al-me dùl = $^{\mathfrak{d}SAG}$.UŠ $^{\mathfrak{d}UTU}$ Hg. B VI 40; $AN^{\mathfrak{s}a}$ -lam dùl = $^{\mathfrak{d}UTU}$, $^{\mathfrak{d}BI}$ -še-ba Alam = MIN CT 25 25:13f. and dupl., and passim in lists of gods; mu.ša.lum = ŠU (= mu-sālum), $\mathfrak{s}al$ -mu mirror = same, likeness Izi G 56f.

alam.bi u₄.ul.lí(var. .dù).a.aš(var. .šè) ù.mu.e.dím.ma (var. ù.me.ni.íb.dím.[ma]): ṣa-lam-šu ana ūme ṣâti ibann[û] he (every king) makes a lasting statue (of ušû-stone) of himself Lugale XI 14; [x] ag [alam].im.ginx(GIM) [...] gul.la: mu'abbit muqtablī kīma şa-lam ti-diim who destroys (enemy) warriors like a clay image LIH 60 iv 17 (Hammurapi); alam.níg.sag.íl.la. a.ni u.me.ni.dím: şa-lam an-du-na-ni-šú binīma make a substitute figurine of him CT 17 30 r. 32f.; alam.bi ... $\dot{\mathbf{u}}$.me.[ni. $\dot{\mathbf{h}}$ ur]: sa-lam- $\dot{s}\dot{u}$... e[sir]draw his likeness! CT 17 32:1f., see esēru A mng. la-l'; alan(!).ne [ka.nu.tuh.ù.da] na.izi $[nu.ur_5]$: sa(text a)-lam(!) annû ina la $p\bar{\imath}t$ $p\hat{\imath}$ qutrinni ul ișșin this image cannot smell the (offered) incense without the pīt-pî ceremony PBS 12/1 6:1f., see Ebeling TuL 120. For further bil. texts, see usages c, d, f.

[Šu].NIR = \$al-mu, kak-ku CT 41 28:1f. (Alu Comm.); $\$u\text{-}u\text{-}mu\text{-}u(\text{var. }\text{-}t\acute{u}) = \$a\text{-}al\text{-}mu$ Malku VIII 33.

a) statue (in the round) — 1' of a deity — a' with the deity specified: dSin be-al Dùl su_4 -a Sin, the owner of this statue UET 1 276 i 24 (Narām-Sin), also ibid. 274 iii 17, etc.; ALAM dmaš šuātu ša ina pan la bašû ina hissat libbija [d]LAMA ilūtišu rabīti ina dumuq aban šadê u KÙ.GI hušê lu abni as to the image of Ninurta that did not exist before, I cleverly built a likeness of his great godhead out of the choicest quarried stone and scraps of gold AKA 210:18, also ibid. 345 ii 133, ef. NU ${}^{\mathrm{d}}Ea$ šarri nu dAdad gugalli šamê erşete lu addi ibid. 346 ii 135, and sa-lam dMa-šar bēlija ina libbi lu ušēšib ibid. 170 r. 1 (all Asn.); ina šipir dnin. IGI. NAGAR. SÍR dGuškin. banda dNinkurra dNin.zadim ina hurāsi ruššî ugnî ebbi sa-lam dutu beli rabî keniš ukanni he made the image of the great lord Samaš carefully and duly of reddish gold and shining

lapis lazuli according to the techniques of (the crafts whose patrons are) DN, DN₂, DN₃ (and) the Lady-of-the-Stonecutters BBSt. No. 36 iv 20 (NB), for a similar enumeration of divine patrons see usage a-2'a'; ēpiš ṣa-lam dAššur u ilāni rabûti the one who built the image of Aššur and of the (other) great gods OIP 2 150 No. X 2, and passim, e. g., ADD 666:2, in Senn., also Borger Esarh. 6 § 3:16 var., and note ultu sa-lam dAššur bēlija īpušu Tadmor, Eretz Israel 5 156 r. 13, and passim in this text; pan sa-lam den [ù] dNinurta VAS 4 89:5 (NB); oil ana $paš\bar{a}š sa-la-am E-la-li$ with which to anoint the image of DN(?) ARM 7 73:3; for yearnames referring to statues of deities, see RLA 2 p. 165 No. 38, 40, p. 179ff. No. 119, 132, 198, 205, 234, 240.

b' deities in gen.: one talent of wool a-na ALAM for the (divine) image VAS 9 44:2 (OB); mu.l.e gudu, alam é.du+gur for one year, the pašīšu-office attached to the image in the chapel of Nergal Jean Tell Sifr 14:6; šar= rum ṣa-al-ma-am ippuš šanûm ušerreb the king will make an image, (but) another (king) will bring it into (the temple) RA 44 42:45 (OB ext.), see also YOS 10 17:46; šumma ALAM uddiš if (a man) restores an image CT 40 11 r. i 81 (SB Alu), ef. *ṣa-lam ilāni rabûti uddiš* Borger Esarh. 23 Ep. 32b:39; NU-ka atmuh sis= siktaka as[bat] I have touched your (Šamaš') image, I have taken hold of the hem of your garment OECT 6 pl. 6 and p. 25 r. 18 (SB); sa $lam \ \hat{i} - \langle li \rangle - \hat{s}\hat{u} - nu \ ina \ i\hat{s}\bar{a}ti \ ikarruru \ they (the$ enemy) will throw the statues of their gods BRM 4 50:19 (NA hist.); note into the fire šumma igi alam gar if a man has an eye like that of an image (i.e., staring) CT 28 29:21 (SB physiogn.).

c' other statues of religious importance: aladlammê u ṣa-lam mešrēti gišnugalli ša ina ištēn abni ibbanû minâte šuklulu ina kigalli ramnišunu šaqīš nanzuzu alabaster statues of protective genii, and statues representing abundance, which were made of one piece of stone, in perfect dimensions, (each) placed on its own high pedestal OIP 2 108 vi 65 (Senn.), cf. ibid. 121:52; ALAM.MEŠ ħurāṣi binût apsî imna u šumēla ulziz right and left I set

up golden representations of creatures from the abyss Borger Esarh. 87:25; ibnīma şal-mi-[šu-nu bāb] apsî ušas[bit ah]rātaš la immaššâ [š]î lu ittu he (Marduk) made representations of them (the eleven monsters of Tiamat) and had them set up to keep watch at the gate to the abyss, (saying) "This is a sign never to be forgotten" En. el. V 75; 4 dea-lam urudu nituhgallī maṣṣar bābānišu ša 4 kùš mūlāšunu adi šubātišunu urudu.Hi.A šapku four copper statues of "divine chief doorkeepers" standing guard (at) its doors, whose height was four cubits, cast of copper together with their socles TCL 3 399 (Sar.); for NU.MEŠ referring to stone colossi in transport, see ABL 503 r. 20 (NA); I ascended Muli, the alabaster mountain *ṣal-mu gišrūtija ina qerbišu*: nu ulziz and erected there a stela (showing) me in my supreme strength KAH 1 30 r. 3 (Shalm. II).

d' salmu as the name of a deity: for dalam, see Frankena Tākultu 112 No. 199; note dṢa-almu KUB 37 54:2; for alam as the second element in designations of objects of worship, see dIštar-NU.MEŠ Frankena Tākultu p. 95 No. 100, dIštar.Alam ibid. No. 101, dKippat-KUR. Alam ibid. p. 98 No. 112, dNiphu/i-Alam ibid. p. 107 No. 170, dNu-ru-Alam ibid. p. 108 No. 176, also Müller, MVAG 41/3 25f, also dIš-ha-ra-dalam KAV 78:28.

2' of a king — a' named king: mammana Dùl su_4 -a uahharu anyone who places this statue in the background (inser. on a statue of Sargon, see [mu.sar.ra] alan.na in line 34) Barton RISA 112 xi 23, also (from the base of a statue, see: ki.gal an.ta igi.ni.šè a.ab.sar in line 20f.) ibid. 120 xviii 36 (Rimuš), and passim in OAkk. texts, see Gelb MAD 3 244f., note: PN GÌR.NITÁ GN ana PN AN.DÙL-su $i\check{s}ruk$ RA 34 p. 174:5, and passim on early royal statues; é.alam dŠu-dEN.ZU chapel of the image of RN ITT 2 3390:6, cf. ki.gal alam ${}^{\mathrm{d}}Su^{\mathrm{-d}}$ EN.ZU ibid. 795 r. 1, also (oil ration for) PN DUB.nagar alam.lugal in.dím. ma PN, the metalworker, when he made the statue of the king Hussey Sumerian Tablets 2 3 x 20 (all Ur III); ula kaspum ula weri'um $D\dot{U}L-zu(!)$ his (Puzur-Inšušinak's) statue is

neither of silver nor of copper MDP 2 p. 63 ii 3 (alabaster statue); I am Samsuiluna ša Alam gišnugallim ša 84 gú šipirtam išteat šuklultam ina É.TÙR.KALAM.MA ušzizu who placed an alabaster statue (made) of one perfect block (weighing) 84 talents in the temple Eturkalama VAS 16 156:6, cf. ibid. 12, and RLA 2 p. 185 No. 176; iti 40 nam.gudu4 urudu. alam ${}^{d}Sin$ - $iq\bar{\imath}\check{s}am$ for the $pa\check{s}\bar{\imath}\check{s}u$ office attached to the (deified) copper statue of RN (of Larsa) Jean Tell Sifr 88:13, and ud 40.kam nam.gudu, urudu.alam é.x ibid. 15 (OB); oil ana URUDU.ALAM Sin-id= dinam Bab. 7 46:4 (OB); 1 ALAM hurāsi ša Ewiri-šarri RA 43 142:44 (Qatna); 20 MA.NA kaspam (ana) sa-al-mi-ka uhhuz[im] twenty minas of silver to plate your statue ARM 1 74:4, cf. sa-al-mu ša anniki'am u ina GN innepšu ibid. 5; šanat RN ALAM-šu ana dim ša Halab ušēlû year in which Zimrilim dedicated his (own) statue to the Addu of Halab Studia Mariana 57 No. 20, also ibid. No. 21, and note copper and silver for plating such a statue in refs. cited in Syria 20 107 f., also [i]na panīšu ṣa-la-am bēlija kāribu eited in Syria 19 125; lipit qāti ana Alam [Ham]murapi (a lamb) used for extispicy for (obtaining an omen concerning) a statue of RN Bab. 2 257:11 (OB report); for ana NU damēšu, see damu mng. 1a-1'; awâtija šūqurātim ina narēja ašturma ina maķar ALAM-ia šar mīšarim ukīn I wrote down my precious dispositions upon a stela of mine and set it up in front of the statue of me (called) "king of justice" CH xl 76, cf. let him come ana maḥar Alam-ia šar mīšarim narâ šaṭram lištassīma to the statue of me (called) "king of justice" and read my inscribed stela (referring to the original promulgation of the law in Babylon) ibid. xli 6; sa-lam šarrūtija šurba ēpuš ina GN āl šarrūtišu ina bīt ilānišu ušēšibe I made a large statue of myself as king and placed (it) in GN, his (the defeated king's) capital, in his temple Layard 96:156 (Shalm. III); 1 şa-lam RN šar GN ša agê kak: kabti ilūti apruma qāt imittišu kāribat adi bītišu 60 gú.un erê ki.lá one statue of Argišti, king of Urarţu, which (represents him) crowned with the divine tiara with a star, his right hand in the gesture of greeting șalmu șalmu

(the deity), of copper weighing sixty talents, including its canopy TCL 3 402 (Sar.); I salam utnenni manzāz šarrūti ša RN šar GN *šubtašu siparri ši-pi-ku* one copper statue representing Ištardūri, king of Urartu, as king, in an attitude of prayer, its base is cast bronze ibid. 400; 1 șa-lam RN itti sīsê pithal: lišu ša narkabtišu adi šubtišunu erî šapku one statue of Ursâ with his two steeds and his charioteer, with their socle, made of cast copper ibid. 403; ALAM šarrūtija ša kaspi hurāsi erî namri ina šipir dnin. A. Gal dGuškin.banda dNinkurra nakliš ušēpiš ana mūterriši balātija maḥar ilāni ... ukīn I had a statue of me as king made out of silver, gold and shining copper sophisticatedly (wrought) in the techniques (under the patronage) of the gods DN, DN₂ (and) DN₃ (and) placed (it) before the gods to constantly request well-being for me Thompson Esarh. pl. 16 iii 49 (Asb.), restored from Piepkorn Asb. p. 5, cf. Iraq 14 34:76 (Asn.); adi alam RN alam RN₂ ... alqâ ana GN I took to Assyria, together with the statue of Ummanigaš, the statue of Ištarnanhundi Streck Asb. 54 vi 52ff.; sa-lam-a-ni ša RN šar [GN] ammar ša ina libbi ekurr[āte ...] all the statues of Sargon, king of Assyria, [that are set up] in the temples ABL 1014 r. 12 (NA); note also the damaged passage lu-u sa-lam RN lu sa-lam [...]-ti lu ṣa-lam Lu[GAL.MEŠ ...] Wiseman Treaties 402ff., which seems to indicate that the oath was taken in the temple before the images of the ruling king, his son and earlier(?) kings; šiţir šumija u şa-lam šar: rūtija maḥar Šamaš u Aja ... ukīn I set up (in the restored temple) before Samaš and Aja an inscription with my name and a statue of me as king VAB 4 232 i 36 (Nbn.), also ibid. 258 ii 9 and 22; ALAM šarrūtija bābil tupšikkam lu abnīma ina temenna lu aštakkan I made a (foundation) figurine (representing) me as king, carrying the basket of bricks, and deposited it in (each) foundation (corner) VAB 4 62 ii 56 (Nabopolassar); for (early OB and OB) year names referring to royal statues, with indications as to features and materials, see RLA 2 148f. Nos. 67, 160, p. 156f. Nos. 102, 104, 107, 119, 123, 128, 188, 213, also p.

176ff. Nos. 61, 62, 115, 124, 170, 176, 191, 199, 206, 211, 216, 218, 219, 223, 225, 237, 239, 241, 245, 260, 263, 266, 280, 288, 291, and also p. 193 No. 10.

b' kings in gen.: sa-lam LUGAL AfO 18 306 iii 36 and 38 (MA inventory); sa-al-mu ša šarri rabî KUB 3 39 r. 7, cf. sa-al-me hurāsi ibid. 4; șa-lam erî tamšīl gattīšun ana šuzzuzi gereb ekurrāte a bronze statue in his (each king's) likeness to set up in temples OIP 2 108 vi 81 (Senn.), and 122:15; 32 ALAM.MEŠ LUGAL.MEŠ pitiq hurāși kaspi erî gišnugalli 32 royal statues, (some) of cast gold, (others of) silver, copper (or) alabaster (as booty from Susa) Streck Asb. 54 vi 48, cf. ibid. 216 No. 14:6; salam-a-ni ša šarri . . . ina muhhi kigalli imittu *šumēli us-sa-za-a-a-zi* I set up the statues of the king right and left on a pedestal ABL 257 r. 5, cf. [s]a-lam šarrāni ... ZAG u GÙB ša [dSin] lušazziz[i] ABL 36 r. 3; NU šarrāni ina muhhi abišu ša šarri ussaziz ištēn ina pan Bēl ištēn ina pan Nabû I placed the royal statues beside (those of) the king's father, one before Bēl, one before Nabû ABL 951:19 (NA), cf. 2 NU.MAN.MEŠ KAL.MEŠ two large royal statues ABL 1194:13 (NA), and passim in ABL; DIŠ ALAM LUGAL KUR.BI lu ALAM abišu lu alam ababišu imputma šebir lu bunnannīšu ukkil (for ukkul) if a statue of the king of this country, or a statue of his father, or a statue of his grandfather falls and breaks, or if its face becomes obliterated RAcc. 8 r. 14; note: RN ... ALAM ki-i-tum IN.NA.DÍM ina maḥīrim ušziz Addahušu made a stela "justice" and placed it in the market-place (so that Samas could inform anybody who did not know(?) the just price) MDP 28 p. 5:4 (brick); one-fourth of the meat ša ṣa-lam šarrāni from (the animals offered to) the royal statues VAS 15 16:8, also ibid. 7 (NB).

c' deified royal images worshiped in temples: d_{NU MAN} (= ṣalam šarri) (among the gods of the temple of Anu) KAV 42 ii 6, also (temple of Gula) ibid. iii 6, (temple of Adad) ibid. ii 9 and 43 ii 21, and see for other refs. Frankena Tākultu p. 112, and Müller, MVAG 41/3 p. 27; note: NU Tukulti-apil-Ešarra (in list of Assyrian gods for cult purposes) KAV 42 i 12; ALAM LUGAL.GIN the statue of Sargon Cyr.

256:9, cf. also ALAM(!) LUGAL.GI.NA Camb. 150:4; note the unique name: NU.MAN.E, i.e., Ṣalmu-šarri-iqbe The-(Divine)-Statue-of-the-King-has-Spoken (i.e., promised the birth of the child) ADD 200 r. 14, and passim, wr. NU.MAN-iq-bi ADD 105 r. 5, and passim, dNU.MAN.E ADD 81 r. 6, and passim, and Ṣal-mu-MAN-iq-bi ADD 164 r. 8, also ABL 460 r. 13

d' royal family, etc.: hurāṣa ana ṣa-lam šarrani ana sa-lam ša ummi šarri la iddin he did not give any gold for the images of our king (or) the image of the king's mother ABL 114 r. 4 (NA), cf. sa-lam.meš ša $m\bar{a}r[\bar{e}]$ ša šarri ... ina pan dSin lu[šazzizu]let them set up the statues of the king's sons before Sin ABL 36 r. 6 (NA); ALAM.MEŠ ša malkī u rubî Alam.meš ša hupše statues of princes and rulers, statues of ordinary people KAR 214 i 19f. (tākultu); URUDU.ALAM EN dNanna hurāṣam ušahhaz I (Kudur-Mabuk) will give orders to decorate the copper statue of the high priestess of Nanna with a gold trim UET 5 75:5 (OB let.); for an exceptional example of a statue made of a private person, see ibnâ ṣa-lam ibrišu he (Gilgāmeš) made a statue of his friend (Enkidu) STT 15 r. 19, and see Gurney, JCS 8 94.

3' three-dimensional figures as ornaments, etc.: 1 ALAM uqnî šumšu Uşur-pīšu one lapis lazuli statuette (inscribed with) its name "Watch-his(the master's)-Word!" RA 43 140:22 (OB Qatna), cf. 1 ALAM uqnî ibid. 45, 74, and passim, note: 2 ALAM uqnî MAŠ.TAB.BA two lapis lazuli šumšu šunu mu-šu-ni statuettes, twins, they are called mušuni (in Hurrian) ibid. 179, see Goetze, JCS 2 138, also 1 ALAM *hurāṣi* RA 43 143:57, 97, and passim; 1 ALAM $rab\hat{u}$ KÙ.GI.GAR.RA . . . u šupal š $ar{e}par{e}$ šuKÙ.BABBAR GAR.RA one large statuette, mounted in gold, and its footstool, mounted in silver EA 14 ii 11 (from Egypt); u ALAM. MEŠ ša hurāsi šapkūtu uppugūtu and statues of cast, solid gold EA 27:19 (let. of Tušratta, but referring to Egyptian objects), and passim in this letter, note ša uqnî šadî of genuine lapis ibid. 22, and ša GIŠ.MEŠ uhhuzūtu those that were of (gold)-plated wood ibid. 33;

ALAM.MEŠ ša hurāṣi uppuqūtu muššurūtu (for mussurūtu) statues of solid gold, engraved EA 29:162, and passim in this letter referring to the same topic, and note: ALAM.MEŠ ša iṣī ibid. 70, also ALAM.MEŠ ... uppuqūtu EA 26:53; 1 piššatu rittašu na₄.an.gug.me šakaršu ALAM gišnugalli one ointment spoon with a handle of-stone (and) a knob consisting of an alabaster statuette EA 25 ii 44, cf. ALAM SAL- $tum \, \S a \, \text{KA.}[x]$ (the mirror's knob is) a female statuette of [...] ibid. 56, also (ša uši of ebony, in same context) ibid. 58, ALAM amīltu gišnugalli (knob of a sallulam) EA 22 ii 21; muhhašu gabba Alam kù.g[1] its entire top part (i.e., that of the appatu) is a golden figurine EA 22 i 26.

b) relief, drawing — 1' in gen.: sa-laam-šu u sa-lam dinnin ... ušziz MSP 6 161 i 4f. (Annubanini), referred to as sa-al-mi-in annîn ibid. 9; narâ ašţurma şa-lam ilāni ina muhhi abni ina šubat ilūti ulziz I inscribed a stela and drew upon it a relief (representing) gods, I set it up in a sacred place Unger Bel-Harran-beli-ussur 15; $u[\check{s}\bar{e}]pi\check{s}ma$ $nar\hat{a}$ $\check{s}i\dot{t}ir$ šumija sa-lam ilāni rabûti . . . ēsiga sīruššu salam šarrūtija musappū ilūtišun maharšun ulziz tanitti Marduk ... ṣīruššu ušašţir I had a stela made containing an inscription of mine, (that is) I engraved upon it a relief (representing) the main gods, and had myself depicted as king standing in supplication in their divine presence and had inscribed upon it the praise of Marduk (and my pious deeds) Streck Asb. 270 iv 2 and 3; ina pī nāri ša ušahrû ina gereb kur GN 6 narê dannūti şalam ilāni rabûti ... abtani gerebšun u şa-lam šarrūtija lābin appi maḥaršun ulziz I depicted the great gods on six large stelas (stela shaped rock reliefs) on Mount Tas, at the source of the canal which I had dug, and showed my royal likeness in a position of prayer before them OIP 2 84:55 (Senn., Bavian); sal-mu šarri ša mi-și-ri anāku ēteșiri șal-mu šarri ša kappusite šunu ētapšu I made a drawing of the king for a relief(?) while they made a likeness of the king for (the king should see them and we will execute the one that pleases the king) ABL 1051:4 and 6 (NA), cf. ša sal-mu šarri ša eppašuni hattu ina pan ahišu

pa-ra-ak-at ibid. r. 2; NU.MEŠ-šu-nu amur ša kussî attūa našû look at the pictures of those who carry my throne (on the relief) VAB 3 91:26, cf. kî narâ šuātu tammari u ṣal-ma-a-nu agannūtu ibid. 69:106 (Dar.); şa-lam-šú u ME.TE. MEŠ-šú la īmur he (the king) could not find the representation (of Šamaš) with his regalia BBSt. No. 36 i 16, cf. usurti sal-mi-šú sirpu ša hasbi šikinšu u simātišu a relief (consisting of) a drawing of his (Samaš') picture on fired clay (with) his features and his regalia ibid. iii 19, also sal-mu šuātu īmurma ibid. iv 8, and giš. Har sal-mi šuātu RN ukallimma he showed the drawing of this representation to Nabû-apal-iddina ibid. iii 30; note sal-mu PN simat Sin Marduk u Nergal pālih Nabû u Marduk kārib šarri bēlišu stela (showing) PN, (with) the symbols of DN, DN₂, and DN₃, as a worshiper of Nabû and Marduk, greeting his king and lord BBSt. No. 34:1, cf. ša ṣal-mu u narâ annâ ubbatu whoever destroys this inscribed and decorated monument ibid. 10; annû šulmu ša ina pan şa-al-me tuppi adê (obscure) Craig ABRT 1 23 ii 26 (oracles to Esarh.).

2' in legends beside a representation of a deity, a king, or another person: ṣa-lam PN BBSt. No. 9 Face A 1 and 4, Face B 1, also ibid. No. 28 (pl. 103) legend No. 2; ṣa-lam RN BBSt. No. 28 legend No. 1, No. 29 legend No. 1, VAS 1 37 vi 1; ṣa-lam dutu en gal āšib Ebabbara BBSt. No. 36 p. 121 (= pl. 98) legend No. 5; [NU d]15, Nu dim WVDOG 4 pl. 2 No. 1 a and b; Nu PN WVDOG 4 pl. 2 c.

3' on stelas or rock reliefs representing stelas, referring to the entire monument: ina rēš ēni ša Idiglat Purattu allik ṣa-lam šarrūtija ina kappīšina ulziz I went to the sources of the Tigris (and) Euphrates and set up on their banks a stela showing me as king Layard 92:92 (Shalm. III), cf. ana Kur Lallar ēli ṣa-lam šarrūtija ina libbi ušezziz ibid. 88:31; ina rēš ēni id Subnat ašar ṣa-lam ša Tukulti-apil-Ešarra u Tukulti-Ninurta šar Aššur abbēa izzazūni ṣa-lam šarrūtija abni ittišunu ušezziz at the source of the river Subnat where the stelas of my forefathers, RN and RN₂, kings of Assyria, stand, I fashioned a stela showing me as king and set it up beside them AKA

290 i 104f. (Asn.), cf. sa-lam bunnānīja ēpuš tanatti kiššūtija ina libbi altur ina šadē GN ina uru RN ina rēš ēni ušezziz I made a stela showing my likeness, wrote on it my glorious achievements (and) set it up on Mount GN, in the city RN, at the source ibid. 277 i 68, also 328 ii 91, and note șa-lam bunnānīja ša pīli peşê ēpuš tanatti ... ina libbi sar ina GN ušezziz narâ sar ina dūrišu aškun I made a white limestone stela with my likeness and set it up in GN, I inscribed an(other) stela and placed it in its (GN's) wall ibid. 296 ii 5; I called (the new city) Kār-Šarru-kēn kakki Aššur ... ina libbi ušēšib sa-lam šarrūtija ina (and) installed therein the gerbišu ulziz "weapon" of Aššur and erected in it a stela representing myself as king Winckler Sar. p. 32 No. 68:63; ša ... tamēt šiţrija uštennû ALAM šuātu i'abbatuma whoever changes the wording of my inscription (or) destroys this relief AKA 249 v 56, cf. ana hulluq ALAM-ia annê u tamēti ana šunnê ibid. 250 v 73, also ana epšētia u Alam-ia ibid. 251 v 82, also ša ... a-mat-tu ša pīšu uštennâ u ana Alam-ia *šuātu lemnēti ilte'u* ibid. 252 v 87 (all Asn.); ana šadê Atalur ašar nu ša RN zaqpu allik NU KI NU-šu ušēziz I went to Mount Atalur, where a stela of Anum-hirbe had been erected, and set up my stela beside his stela (see Balkan Letter 35) 3R 7 ii 10, also WO 2 412:3, cf. ṣa-lam būnānīja ēpuš tanitti Aššur ... ina gerebšu altur ina muhhi tâmdi ušēziz 3R 7 i 26, also sa-lam šarrūtija ina GN ašqup Layard 94:124 (all Shalm. III); şa-lam šarrūtija šurbâ dù-šú lītāt Aššur bēlija ... ina gerbišu altur ina GN ... ušēziz 1R 30 iii 20 (Šamši-Adad V); sa-lam šarrūtija līmurma šamna lipšuš niqê liqqi itti şa-lam-i-šu liškun let him read my royal stela, anoint it with oil, sacrifice a sheep (to it, and) place it beside his own stela Streck Asb. 246:79ff. and 242:54ff.; sal-mu šiţir šumi ša RN ...āmurma kî anna' ina muhhi sal-mu šiţir šumišu šaţir I discovered a stela with an inscription of Šagarakti-Šuriaš, and this was written upon the stela in his CT 34 35:40ff. (Nbn.); MU NU inscription annê dAdad-išdēja-ukīn šumšu the name of this stela is Adad-Has-Made-my-Position-Secure Pognon Inscriptions sémitiques de la Syrie

p. 107, pl. 5:6 (NA stela of a governor of Dēr), cf. ṣa-lam bunnānīšu ana balāṭ napšātišu ... ina maḥar dAdad bēlišu ... ušziz ibid. 4; for stelas with the inscription ṣa-lam RN (or PN) within an amulet-shaped cartouche and mostly without representations of figures, see Andrae Stelenreihe p. 8:1, and passim.

4' on other surfaces: 1 gištuppu hurāși ŠÀ I ALAM *uqqur* one gold plaque on which a figure is engraved RA 43 148:116 (OB Qatna), and passim in this text; 1 GIŠ.DUB.DUB ša ALAM. MEŠ u ša $ab\bar{u}b\bar{i}$ ša uš \hat{i} K $\hat{\mathbf{U}}$.GI.GAR.RA wooden with figures and with $ab\bar{u}bu$ monsters, (made) of gold-plated ebony EA 22 iii 5 (list of gifts of Tušratta); [...] ALAM. MEŠ ša ka-zi-ri.MEŠ hurāsi kaspi (garments) with embroidered pictures made of gold and silver (thread) EA 25 iii 68f. (list of gifts of Tuš-MU.MEŠ DINGIR.MEŠ 7 NU.MEŠ δa ina muhhi hullānu ērib-bīti šá-p/bu-ú names of the deities whose seven images are embroidered(?) on the mantle of the temple servants UVB 15 40 r. 13 (NB rit.); kunukku ... ša RN ... ṣa-lam dSin ... ibnû ṣēruššu the seal on which Assurbanipal (had) the image of Sin engraved VAB 4 286 x 35 (Nbn.); NU kaššāpi u kaššāpti ša qēmi ... teṣṣir you draw a picture of the sorcerer and the sorceress with flour Maqlu IX 156; NU šá zì.da ša ina qaqqari eşru the figure which is drawn with flour on the ground PBS 1/2 106 r. 27, cf. 7 nu.meš šūt kappa ša ina rēš kummi esru BBR No. 53:16, and passim, see eṣēru A mng. 1a; ṣa-lam šarrūtija musappū ilūti: šun mūterriš balāţija u şa-lam PN mār rēdûtija abtani sēruššu upon it (the metal facing of the dais) I fashioned a representation of myself depicted as king in supplication before the gods, asking for my good health, and a representation of my heir apparent, Assurbanipal Borger Esarh. 87 r. 3f.; maškan salam dAššur u sa-lam ilāni rabûti mala ittišu ana libbi Tiamat salti illaku esrušu a plaque on which was drawn the likeness of Aššur and the likeness of all the (other) great gods who went with him to do battle with Tiamat OIP 2 141 r. 6 (Senn.); šum ili ana muhhi IM. DUB ša sal-ma-nu ana PN ušellu he will take an oath against PN in the matter of the

of the reliefs VAS 6 120:10 (NB), cf. ibid. 5 and 12; NA₄ asumīt ša siparri ša ṣa-lam dIštar ša ur.mah ṣinditu ina muḥḥi eṣri the bronze plaque upon which is drawn a picture of Ištar driving a lion MVAG 12/4 16 VAT 7:6 (NB let.); narû ... ša ṣa-lam nin.dingir.ra bašmu ṣēruššu a stela on which was delineated a picture of an entu-priestess (and on which, moreover, he had written instructions concerning her appurtenances, dress and jewelry) YOS 1 45 i 31 (Nbn.); [asumit]tu na₄ galāla ša ṣa-la[m ...] a relief in galālu-stone with the likeness [of ... on it] MDP 21 p. 59:1 (Dar.).

- c) constellation: MUL.ŠU.GI sal-mu VAT 9428:1, see Weidner, AfO 4 74f., cf. MUL.MAŠ. TAB.BA GAL.GAL 2 sal-mu ibid. 4, and passim in this text; Anum šarru ittaṣâ ṣa-lam banû Anu the king has risen, the beautiful constellation (incipit of a hymn) RAcc. 119:17, and referred to as ittaṣâ ṣa-lam banû ibid. p. 120 r. 17; an alam PA.AN dA.nu.ta.kex(KID) [...] : ina AN-e ṣa-lam-ka a-na pa-ra-as ${}^{\mathrm{d}}A$ -nu-[ti...] in the sky your constellation [is worthy] of the most important office KAR 50:5f., see RAcc. 22f., cf. also alam dingir ki.šeš.bi nam.tar.tar.e.ne: sa-lam šû itti ilī ahhēšu šīmit šīmu this constellation has been determined by the gods, his brothers KAR 50:13f.
- d) figurine used in cult and black magic — 1' of deities and demons: NU dLugal.gir. ra AfO 14 142:23, and passim, AMT 2,5:10; NU dGilgāmeš ABL 56 r. 5, also ALAM dGIŠ.BIL. GA.MES KUB 37 88:7'; alam dMes.lam.ta. è.a AfO 14 150:207; NU dLatarak ABL 977 r. 4, and passim; sa-lam dDumuzi Hg. B II 180, in MSL 6 142; ALAM dGIR.UNU.GAL : şa-lam AfO 14 150:195ff.; NU dNa-ru-da dU+GUR AAA 22 p. 46 iii 1 and pl. 11, and passim; NU. MEŠ DINGIR.IMIN.BI ibid. 44 ii 17 and pl. 11, and passim; NU DINGIR.É KAR 298:38, and NU d15.É BBR No. 47 ii 17; 2 NU.MEŠ lah-me. MEŠ (var. 2 NU dLah-mu.MEŠ) AAA 22 pl. 12 iii 49, var. from D. T. 186; 2 NU dLÚ.LAL ibid. 53; NU DUMU.SAL dA-nim ABL 977 r. 3, NU dNam.tar ibid.; 2 NU bašme 2 NU MUŠ.HUŠ AAA 22 pl. 12 iii 50; NU UR.IDIM ibid. 51; NU.MEŠ ku-sa-rik-ku ibid. 51; 2 alam

maš.tab.ba : 2 sa-lam ma-a-ši AfO 14 150:201ff.; NU.MEŠ UR.MAH.LÚ KAR 298 r. 15, NU.MEŠ KU6.LÚ.UX(GIŠGAL).LU ibid. r. 6, NU.MEŠ GÍR.TAB.LÚ.Ux.LU ibid. r. 8, NU NUN. ME ibid. 15, and passim in this text, note NU. MEŠ PIRIG.GAL ibid. 41; NU SUḤUR.MÁŠ AAA 22 pl. 12 iii 55; NU GIDIM lemnu ABL 461:3; NU $ha^{3}a[tti]$ AMT 97,1:16; sa-lam $L\acute{\mathbf{U}}.\acute{\mathbf{U}}\check{\mathbf{S}}$ ibid. 1, also nu úš AMT 2,5:9; NU ma-mit PBS 1/1 15:23; NU mu-ú-tu ABL 977 r. 4; ALAM mimma lemnu AMT 101,2 iv 7, and passim; NU murși KAR 66:8.

2' of human beings (used in substitution kî ša şal-mu ša iškuri ina išāti iššarrapuni ša tīti ina mê immahhahuni just as a figurine made of wax is being burnt in fire, one made of clay is being dissolved in Wiseman Treaties 608; murussu qāt amēlūti nu.meš-šú šunullu his disease (was caused) by a human hand—figurines of him have been laid (in bed) Labat TDP 176:3; (stones and gold given) ana epēš ša 2 nu.meš (to the woodworker, metal worker and stone-RAcc. 132:192, cf. NU.MEŠ šunūti 7 šu.si *lānšunu* these figurines are seven fingers high (a description of their features follows lines 205ff.) ibid. 201 (New Year's rit.); sa-lam pu-u-hi ABL 46:5, NU pu-hi-Lú AMT 94,1:2, cf. ABL 977 r. 5; ALAM andunāni KUB 29 58 iii 25, see G. Meier, ZA 45 200, alam níg.sag.íl.la.a.ni: sa-lam andunānišu 5R 50 ii 57f.; NU NÍG.SAG.ÍL-e Maqlu IX 164; note, however, referring to the person serving as substitute: RN šarru PN ... ana NU NÍG.SAG.GIL-e ina kussīšu ušēšib King Irraimittī set Bēl-bāni upon his (own) throne (to serve) as substitute King Chron. 2 12:9; sa $lam \ man-za-si \ (= manzalti)$ ADD 941 iii 11, cf. TCL 3 400; NU bunnānīšu KAR 228:25, also KUB 37 106:14; ALAM LUGAL-pu-u-hi ABL 653:10; sa-lam [... u]š $\bar{e}pi$ šma uhallipa baš $\bar{a}mu$ he had a figure made (representing himself), clad it in sackcloth (put fetters on it and placed it beside a millstone as if it were grinding, as befits a slave) Borger Esarh. 105 ii 18; note şa-lam abija KAR 178 r. vi 51, and sa-lam etem(!) abika ibid. 35, cf. ibid. 37; for figurines of other adversaries see amatu in bēl amati, dabābu in bēl dabābi, dīnu in bēl dīni, ēpištu, ēpišu, ikku A in bēl ikki, kaššāptu, kaššāpu, lemuttu in bēl lemutti, muštēpištu, rāḥītu, rāḥû, rēdû in bēl rēdî, ṣirru in bēl ṣirri.

- e) body, bodily shape, stature: sa-lam pagrišu[...] the shape of his body Gilg. I ii 2.
- f) likeness (in transferred mngs.) -1' in gen.: abušu ša šarri bēlija sa-lam den šû u šarru bēlī sa-lam den-ma šû the father of the king, my lord, was the very image of Bel, and the king, my lord, is likewise the very image of Bel ABL 6:17f. (NA), cf. šarru bel mātāti ṣa-al-mu ša d Šamaš šû ABL 5 r. 4 (NA), also šar kiššati sa-lam dMarduk atta Thompson Rep. 170 r. 2 (NB); tu₆.tu₆ tu₆.dAsar.ri lú.ka.pirig alam dAsal.lú.hi : šiptum šipat dMarduk āšipu ṣa-lam dMarduk the conjuration (recited) is the conjuration of Marduk, the conjurer is the very image of Marduk AfO 14 150:225f. (bīt mēsiri); sallu u mītu kî aḥāmeš [šunu] ša mūti ul iṣṣiru ṣa $la[m-\check{s}u]$ how alike to the dead is one who sleeps, do they not look alike (lit. do they not both draw the picture of death)? Gilg. X vi 34.

2' in personal names: dBE-ṣal-mu-DINGIR. MEŠ Ea-is-the-Very-Image-of-Godhead VAS 5 18:2; Ṣal-mu-PAP.MEŠ(= aḥḥē) Likeness-of-(his-dead)-Brothers ADD 217:3, and passim in NA, also MNU.PAP.MEŠ ADD 855:15, and passim in ADD.

E. D. Van Buren, Or NS 10 65ff.

salmu in bīt salme s.; niche(?); NA*; cf.
salmu s.

enūma abullu ša Libūr-šalhi ša SUḤUR É ṣa-al-me ša bāb Aššur bēlija ša ina pana epšu ēnaḥma anḥūssa unekkir anša akšer at that time the gate (called) Libūr-šalhi, adjacent to the niche(?) at the Gate of Aššur, my lord, which had been built earlier, fell into ruin, (and) I removed its ruins (and) repaired the dilapidated (part) KAH 2 41:6 (= AOB 1 150, Shalm. I); ina É.ALAM bītika namri ḥadīš ina ašābika when you (Aja) sit down happily in the niche(?), your splendid abode VAB 4 232 ii 14 (Nbn.).

For a bītu (made of copper) destined to house a statue, see TCL 3 402, and for a ref. in

șalpu șaltu

which é refers to a chapel in which a deified image is placed, see ITT 2 3390 sub *şalmu* usage a-2'a'.

ṣalpu adj.; diagonal, slanting, crooked, dishonest; OB, SB; cf. ṣalāpu.

lú.šà.bar.ra = *ša li-ib-ba-šu ṣa-al-pu* whose heart is crooked OB Lu Part 4:25, also OB Lu B vi 8.

- a) diagonal, slanting: šumma ina šumēl marti ina E gìR-ma ana panīša ṣa-al-pa-at ana arkiša turrat if at the left of the gall bladder in the there is a "foot" and it is slanted towards its front, turned towards its back KAR 454:28 (SB ext.), cf. gìR ṣal-pat (in broken context) CT 31 11 i 8.
- b) crooked, dishonest (said of persons): see OBLu, in lex. section; suhāru sa-li-im-ma itbiamma ittalkam the boy is dishonest, and he has left VAS 16 201:6, also ibid. 24 (OB let.); dajāna sal-pa mēsira tukallam you (Šamaš) make the dishonest judge experience imprisonment (himself) Lambert BWL 132:97, cf. tutarra sal-pa ša lamû [...] ibid. 128:61 (SB lit.); sal-pa egru la šēmû AfO 19 63:53 (SB rel.).

şalpu s.; (mng. uncert.); SB*; cf. ṣalāpu.
[šumma k]u₆ ṣa-al-pi unassisma BAR-šú ippuṣ if aṣ. fish wriggles and sheds his scales
CT 41 14:10 (Alu), cf. [šumma k]u₆ ṣa-[al]-pi ... ina bīt amēli ittappaṣ ibid. 8.

Since the next omen (line 12) lists KU_6 .AL. $\S EG_6$.GÁ, "cooked fish," salpu may refer to a way in which fish were preserved, or perhaps to the string on which they were dried. See silpu.

**($\mathfrak{salpu?}$) pl.? $\mathfrak{salpani}$ (Bezold Glossar 238a) see $n\overline{\imath}pu$.

saltu (seltu, siltu, sassu) s. fem.; 1. quarrel, disagreement, affray, 2. fight, battle, fighting, 3. lawsuit, litigation; from OA, OB on; siltu and seltu beside saltu in OB, MB, SB, LB, sassu in NA, pl. sālātu in OB and SB, sēlētu YOS 10 54 left edge 3 (OB) and in RS; wr. syll. and DU₁₄; cf. sâlu.

du-u LÚ.NE = sal-tú Sb II 327; [du]-u LÚ×NE = sa-al-tum A VII/2:33; du-ú LÚ.NE = sal-tum Diri VI E 46; LÚ.NE = sa-al-tum OB Lu A 501.

 $du_{14} = tu$ -qu-un-tum, UD. ur. dug_4 . ga = \$al-tum Antagal VIII 6f.; maš-gi x (sign ŠL³ No. 825) = \$al-tum $š\acute{a}$ LUGAL.DIDLI A II/4:149; na_4 . KA.LÚ.NE = na_4 \$a-al-tum Hh. XVI C 4, cf. $[na_4$. KA].LÚ.NE = na_4 \$al-ti = [...] Hg. B IV 86; note: na_4 .LÚ(!).NE = MIN (= na_4) \$a-al-tum PBS 12/1 6 r. 19 (excerpt from Hh. XVI).

[...] du, àm.ma.gá.gá : ina birītišina sa-al-tam tašakkani you cause quarreling among them (the women) RA 24 36 ii 7 and r. ii 7, see van Dijk La Sagesse p. 92; du₁₄.da ki.nam.ge₄.me. a.aš.kex(KID) eme.sig kú.kú ki.nam.luh.šè ì.gál : ṣa-al-tu ašar kinatūti karṣī akāli ašar pašīšūti *ip-pa-aš-ši* there is quarreling among colleagues and slander (even) among anointed priests Lambert BWL 259:12; [á.L]údu.NE.da.ka gub.ba.mu. $[de]: ahi \, sa-al-ti \, ina \, uzuzzi[ja] \, \text{ when } I \, (Ištar) \, am$ present at a quarrel (sinništu mudāt piltu anākuma I am a woman who knows meanness, parallel: ahi dinim ina uzuzzi[ja]) SBH p. 106:41f.; sag.sahar.tag.ga: sa-al-tu up.ur.dug₄.ga [...] ASKT p. 82-83 i 16.

da-sa-a-tum = sal-ti Šurpu p. 50 Comm. B i 9; pu-ub-pu-[hu]-u = sal-ti Izbu Comm. 142, also ibid. 463; sah_4 -mas-ti = sal-sal-t[um] Izbu Comm. 364; I.Bí.ZA = sal-ti ibid. 485, also ibid. 526; ni-ip-hu = sal-tum ibid. 545; obscure: x-b/pu-i // sal- tu_4 CT 41 31:29, also (variant gloss) DU₁₄ // ZI.GA CT 38 50:49 (SB Alu); sal-tum (=) mit-hu-su // pu-u-u-u-u-u-u (incipit of a syn. list or comm.) TCL 6 12 bottom part col. ii 8; tu-qu-un-ti = sa-al-ti Malku III 6.

- 1. quarrel, disagreement, affray a) in OA: ṣa-al-tám bīt abīni ē iškun he must not cause quarreling in our father's house BIN 4 11:7, cf. mamman ṣa-al-tám ina barīšunu ištakan CCT 3 15:28; ṣa-al-tù-um ina barīšunu ittebe a quarrel arose among them CCT 3 32:23 (= CCT 4 39b).
- b) in MA: šumma sinništu ina ṣa-al-te iška ša a'īli taḥtepe if, in an affray, a woman crushes a man's testicle KAV 1 i 78 (Ass. Code § 8), also ibid. 85; šumma a'īlu ana tappā'išu lu ina puzri lu ina ṣa-al-te iqbi if a man says to his equal, either secretly or during a quarrel ibid. ii 73 (§ 18), cf. lu ina ṣa-al-te ana pani ERÍN.MEŠ iqbiaššu or he tells him during a quarrel in front of other men ibid. ii 85 (§ 19), šumma a'īlu ina ṣa-al-ti ana a'īl[i ...] AfO 12 53 Text N 1, and ibid. 5 (Ass. Code); šumma sal ša ekallim lu taz[amm]ur u lu ṣa-al-ta [i]štu meḥertiša gar'at if a woman living in the palace either sings, or quarrels with another one of her status AfO 17 287:103 (harem edicts),