

Table 4.A

Definite number names and sequence in the *Book of Mormon*

Simple names		
Cardinal numbers		Ordinal numbers
one <sup>1</sup> (1 Nephi 4:13) <sup>2</sup>		first (1 Nephi 1:4)
two (1 Nephi 7:6)		second (2 Nephi 4:9)
three (1 Nephi preface)		third (Jacob 1:11)
four (1 Nephi preface)		fourth (1 Nephi 12:12)
five (1 Nephi 5:11)		fifth (Alma 1:33)
six (1 Nephi 10:4)		sixth (Alma 4:1)
seven (2 Nephi 14:1)		seventh (Mosiah 13:18)
eight (1 Nephi 17:4)		eighth (Alma 4:6)
nine (Enos 1:25)		ninth (Alma 4:11)
ten (2 Nephi 15:10)		tenth (Alma 8:3)
eleven (Mormon 1:6)		eleventh (Alma 16:1)
twelve (1 Nephi 1:10)		twelfth (Alma 14:23)
—		thirteenth (Mosiah 9:14)
fourteen (Alma 17:4)		fourteenth (Alma 16:12)
fifteen (Mormon 1:15)		fifteenth (Alma 28:7)
sixteen (Mosiah 7:2)		sixteenth (Alma 30:2)
—		seventeenth (Alma 30:5)
—		eighteenth (Alma 35:13)
—		nineteenth (Alma 45:2)
twenty (Omni 1:5)		twentieth (Alma 50:1)
thirty (2 Nephi 5:28)		thirtieth (Mosiah 6:4)
forty (2 Nephi 5:34)		fortieth (Helaman 1:1)
fifty (1 Nephi 3:31)		fiftieth (Helaman 3:32)
sixty <sup>3</sup> (Mosiah 29:46)		sixtieth (Helaman 4:9)
seventy (Enos 1:25)		—
eighty (Omni 1:3)		eightieth (Helaman 11:24)
ninety (3 Nephi 1:1)		ninetieth (Helaman 16:13)
hundred (1 Nephi 10:4)		hundredth (Jacob 3:13)
thousand (2 Nephi 17:23)		—
Plural names		
tens <sup>4</sup> (1 Nephi 4:1)	thousands (Mosiah 11:19)	millions (Ether 15:2)

<sup>1</sup> The definite numeral *a* or *an* may substitute for *one* when the following number is *hundred*, *hundredth* or *thousand*. E.g., 3 Nephi 2:5; 26:6; Alma 24:22.

<sup>2</sup> Each reference provided for a name is an example. If a name appears in the small plates of Nephi, the earliest appearance of that name is referenced.

<sup>3</sup> The adjective *threescore*, meaning *sixty*, appears in 2 Nephi 17:8 in the quotation of a number apparently derived from the version of Isaiah 7:8 as translated in the “Bishops’ Bible” of 1568 or the “Authorized (King James) Bible” of 1611.

<sup>4</sup> The plural noun *tens* only occurs in the phrase *tens of thousands*. E.g., 1 Nephi 4:1; Alma 3:26; 28:2; 60:22; 3 Nephi 3:22; 4:21.