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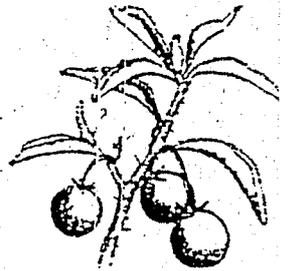
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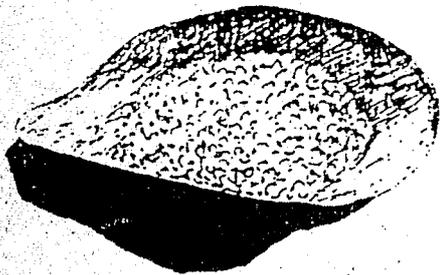
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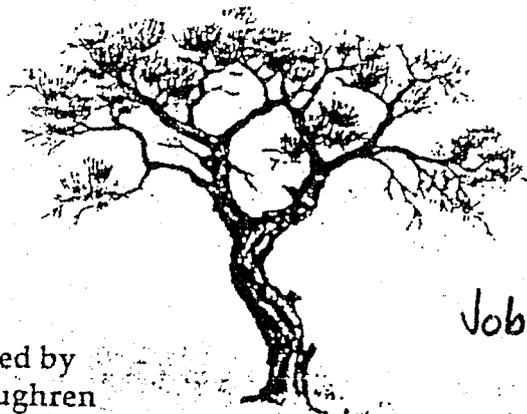
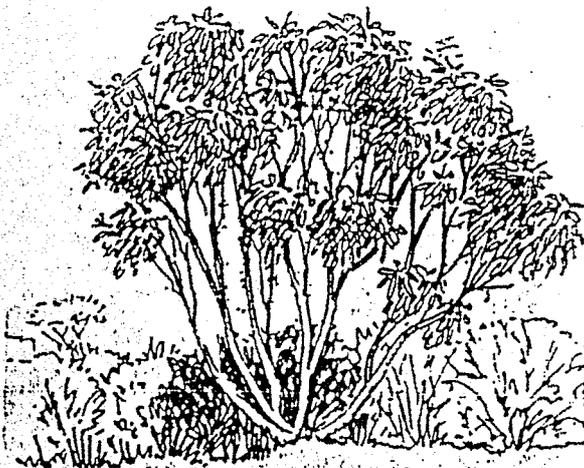
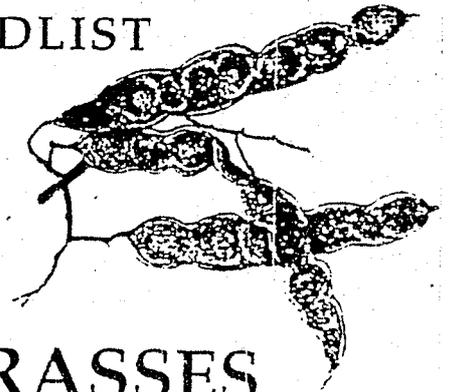
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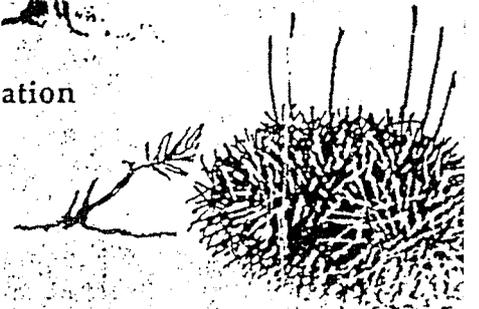


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## Abbreviations:

### PARTS OF SPEECH

- (-V) dependent verb stem (needs PV) to form valid verb
- (AUX:CLITIC) auxiliary clitic
- (AUX:COMP) auxiliary complementizer
- (AUX:PRON:CLITIC) Auxiliary pronominal clitic
- (CASE) case ending
- (CONJ) conjunction
- (ENCL) enclitic
- (IDEO) ideophone
- (INF-COMP)
- (INF-SFX) suffix on infinitive
- (INTERJ) interjection
- (N) nominal
- (N-) dependent nominal stem (needs some suffix to form valid noun)
- (N-COMP) complementizer on nominal (excludes INF)
- (N-SFX) suffix on nominal
- (Na) nominal of anaphoric subcategory (ngula, yangka)
- (Nd) nominal of demonstrative subcategory (eg. nyampu, yali, mirni, yinya)
- (Nk) nominal of kin subcategory
- (Nk-) dependent kin nominal root
- (Np) nominal of pronominal subcategory (ngaju, nyuntu etc.)
- (Nq) nominal of question/quantifier subcategory (ngana, nyiya, nyana, nyarrpa, nyarrpara, nyangurla)
- (Nt) nominal of temporal subcategory (murnma, ngaka, wurra)
- (PART) particle
- (PN) proper noun
- (POST) post-position
- (PROP:PART) propositional particle
- (PV) preverb
- (PV-ENCL) enclitic suffixable to preverb
- (SC:COMP) subordinate clause complementizer
- (SFX) suffix
- (V) verb
- (V-ENCL) enclitic suffixable to verb
- (V-SFX) suffix on verb
- (Nk-SFX) suffix on kin nominal
- (N-DAT-SFX) suffix on nominal+DAT case

### DIALECTS and REGISTERS:

- (BT) Baby Talk
- (SL) Special Language (dependent on kin relations)
- (H) Hansen River
- (La) Lajamanu
- (P) Papunya
- (Wi) Willowra
- (WW) Wakirti Warlpiri (Tennant Creek, Yalekarange)
- (Y) Yuendumu

## J j

- jajinyi** (N): ?? probably JANYINKI  
grevillea sp.
- jaka-larra** (N): (lit. rear-split) prickly  
bush sp. Cf. nyili, pakapaka
- jakanypa** (N): (H) *Petalostylis cassioides*  
*Petalostylis* Cf. wariyi
- jakarla-payi-payi** (N): (La) (H) insect gall  
sp. Cf. kanta, lalkapurra, mangarrayi,  
ngikirri
- jakurtakurta** (N): *Cassytha filiformis*  
Love Vine
- jalyirra** (N): (H) (La) (Y) leaf, leafy  
branches, foliage, bush Cf. jiwirri,  
mangkaja, malurpa, pulkurpa, watiya  
2, yilyanypa, yama Syn. jutulpu, parla,  
parrka, parlpirra, walpurru, yama #  
2 plume, feather Cf. pinkirra,  
yumurru  
3 See JAPIRRPA hymen  
4 See PARLPIRRPA playing card
- jamalya** (N): log Cf. jiwirri, watiya,  
warlu # Syn. pirdilypa, rdalyku, wilypati
- jangampalpa** (N): (H) Bush Lemon
- jangkulypa** (N): cooked tobacco Cf.  
janyungu, jungarrayi-jungarrayi,  
jurnpurnpu, ngunju, yarunpa
- janjinki** (N): See janjimngi
- janjimngi** (N): *Acacia inaequilatera*  
(*pyrifolia*) wattle sp. Alt. janjinki
- jankirni** (N): *Amyema*, *Lysiana*  
mistletoe spp. Cf. yulyurlpu,  
yunkurru
- janmarda** (N): *Cyperus bulbosus* Bush  
Onion, Nalgoo Syn. kinyuwurru,  
pirlapanu, yakanku, yirrakurru
- janpi** (N): *Triodia*, *Plectrachne* spp.  
spinifex, Porcupine Grass Cf. janykurru,  
kalajirdi, kalpalpi, kurnturlja,  
manangkarra, milpingi, tarltarlpanu,  
yawirlara, yinjiri, yipiri, yirdijirdiji Syn.  
marna
- janyinki** (N): tree sp.
- janykurru** (N): thick spinifex, dense  
spinifex Cf. janpi, marna
- janypilypa** (N): Smoky Gum Cf. walanja
- janyungu** (N): *Nicotiana* spp. tobacco,  
cigarette, chewing tobacco Cf.
- jangkulypa, jungarrayi-jungarrayi,  
jurnpurnpu, juwaki, nungu, yarunpa  
Syn. ngunju
- jakaku** (N): first course, appetizer, hors  
d'oeuvres, first food, snack Cf. tarlti
- japirda** (N): (Wi) See ngarlajiyi
- jari** (N): (La) See yuwurru
- jarlparrpa** (N): *Solanum diversiflorum*  
(Northern) Bush Tomato sp. Cf.  
ngayaki, wanakiji
- jarraji** (N): (Wi) seed sp. Alt. yarraji Cf.  
wakati
- jartawarri** (N): (H) ?? tree sp. ?? Cf.  
kintawarri
- jatupiji** (N): (Wi) See wijilypi
- jijardu** (N): *Ipomoea costata* Rock  
Morning Glory Alt. jirtardu Cf. jinjirla,  
paparda, puurda, wapi, watarlapi,  
yaljirra, yarla
- jiji-minyi-minyi** (N): *Pterocaulon*  
*sphacelatum*, *Streptoglossa odora* Apple  
Bush Alt. jujuminyiminyi
- jilkarla** (N): See jiri  
2 spike (of echidna), quill Cf. jilka-  
marda, jilka-parnta  
3 *Tribulus terrestris*, *Calotis hispidula*  
Bogan Flea, Caltrop, Burr Daisy, bindy-  
eyes,
- jilki** (N): (Wi) (La) seed, bean, pea Syn.  
milpa #
- jinjirla** (N): tip of tail, clump, tassel Cf.  
jinjirl-ki, jinjirl-pari  
2 flower, bloom, blossom Cf. jijardu,  
mardukuru, ngapajimpi, watiya 2,  
yurkulju  
3 Extended: tasselled head-dress Alt.  
jinjilka Cf. walu-warnu, yiriwarra Syn.  
kulanja
- jinjirri** (N): (H) *Croton arnhemicus*  
shrub sp.
- jinkajinka** (N): *Abutilon* sp. (?) Lantern  
Bush, Lantern Flower
- jinti-parnta** (N): *Elderia arenivaga*  
fungi, native truffle Cf. wilyiri
- jipalangka** (N): (H) tree sp.
- jipirri** (N): (Wi) ?? yam sp.
- jira** (N): (Wi) (H) See jara
- jirdi** (N): Cf. ngurru, yirili
- jirdiji** (N): (H) plant, tree, bush, shrub,  
vine, creeper Alt. jitiji Cf. ngarna #,  
wapi, watarlapi, watiya, wirnti, yintirdi

2 See yintirdi #  
**jiri** (N): (a) thorn, prickle, sticker, spike, spine (b) spike, quill, spine Cf. wakirdi  
 Syn. jilkarla, paka  
**jiri-parnta** (N): (lit. spike-ASSOC)  
 See yinarlingi  
**jirrijirrimpa** (N): (mulga) scrub, thicket, woods, forest Ant. manangkarra, yarlu Cf. manja, wardiji, yuwurru Syn. mulyu-pakarnu, yurnanji  
**jirrkaly-jirrkaly-pa** (N): lush green, luxuriant growth, bright green Cf. wajirrkali, yarringki, yukuri  
**jirrpinyinpa** (N): *Acacia stipuligera* Scrub Wattle Cf. murlurru, pirrpimpa, wardarrka  
**jirtardu** (N): *Ipomoea costata* Rock Morning Glory Alt. jjaru Cf. paparda, puurda, yaljirru, yarla  
**jitiji** (N): (La) butt (of tree) Cf. jirdiji  
**jitilypuru** (N): See warrilyi  
**jitirlpuru** (N): See juturlpuru  
**jiwinypa** (N): chip (of wood), wood shavings, sawdust, sliver (of bone), tiny bone  
 2 (La) wood-carving, wood-work  
 3 (La) piece of wood (to be carved)  
**jiwiriwiri** (N): (La) tree sp. Cf. rdalyku, warlu #, watiya 3, yilyanypa, yiriwurrnyu Syn. wawurru  
**jiwirri-jiwirri** (N): pieces of kindling, sticks of kindling Cf. yilyanypa 2 stick-like Cf. wirnpi-wirnpi  
**jiwirri-marntu** (N): place with abundant kindling wood, where fire-wood is plentiful  
**juju-minyi-minyi** (N): See jiji-minyi-minyi  
**jukurru** (N): *Capparis umbonata* Northern Wild Orange, Long Leaf Wild Orange, Bush Orange Cf. kunampi, watakiyi Syn. ngarntajari  
**jumpuru** (N): (H) See marna  
**jungarrayi-jungarrayi** (N): *Goodenia ramelii*, *Nicotiana velutina/simulans*, *Streptoglossa odora*, *Pterocaulon serrulatum* false tobacco, pseudo-tobacco Cf. janyungu  
**jungkunypa** (N): ripe dried Desert Raisins Cf. kararrpa, karturu, kunampi,

mulyu ##, yakajirri  
**juntala** (N): *Acacia murrayana* Colony Wattle  
**jupujupu** (N): polenta, dough, mixture of flour and water  
 2 flour  
 3 soap powder, (powder) detergent  
**jumpumpu** (N): See jumpumpu  
**jumpumpu** (N): *Nicotiana gossei* hill tobacco, pituri Alt. jumpumpu Cf. janyungu, yarunpa  
**jutulpu** (N): See jalyirru  
**juturlpuru** (N): *Eucalyptus pachyphylla* Red-bud Mallee Alt. jitirlpuru  
**juulypa** (N): young spinifex Cf. marna, milpingi, wajirrkali, yukuri  
**juwaki** (N): (La) See janyungu

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**kajutari** (N): yam sp. Cf. kujurru, ngarlajiyi, puurda, wapirti, yarla, yumurnunju  
**kakaja** (N): (H) seeds inside pods (WANARRI #): seeds Cf. jilki, kuula, milpa #, ngurru, yurrukulu, yurrnyu  
 2 See wanakiji  
**kakarda** (N): nape, back of neck, base of skull, neck-bone Cf. nguurrpa, waninja Syn. wimtirrkiri  
**kakarda-marangi** (N): at the back of the neck/ head, behind the head  
**kakarda-pungkurku** (N): (La) hump-necked Syn. kakarda purntuny-ku  
**kakarda-purntuny-ku** (N,N): humped Syn. kakarda pungkurku  
**kakarda-warnu** (N): necklace Cf. waninja-ngarna  
 2 exit to rodent burrow, exit to goanna hole  
 3 (Nk) sister-in-law, husband's sister Cf. mantirri, yaparla  
**kakarda-kakarda** (N): branches of tree  
**kalajirdi** (N): (H) grass sp. Cf. kalpalpi, marna

- kalkardi** (N): See **kanarlarrampi**
- kalpalpi** (N): *Cymbopogon ambiguus*  
Lemon-scented Grass, Native Lemon  
Grass Alt. palpalpi Cf. janpi, kalajirdi,  
kurnturlja, marna, yawirlara, yinjiri,  
yipiri, yirdijirdiji Syn. karrinyarra,  
yayirri-yayirri
- kampurarra** (N): *Solanum centrale*  
(*nemophilum*) Desert Raisin sp., Bush  
Raisin sp, Bush Berry sp. Cf. kararra,  
wangki, yakajirri
- kanaparlku** (N): *Acacia victoriae* Acacia  
Bush
- kanarlarrampi** (N): *Acacia cowleana*  
Hall's Creek Wattle Syn. kalkardi,  
parrapi
- kanta** (N): Bloodwood gall, Bush  
Coconut Cf. jakarla-payipayi, kajipu,  
karrkalapayipayi, ngikirirri, wanganla,  
wanganla-payipayi, warnparnpi,  
wurrkali Syn. mangarrayi
- kantirirri** (N): See **karntirirri**
- kara** (N): dew Cf. yinjiripi, yurrngulyu  
2 batter Cf. ngungkarli  
3 (PN): (La) Darwin  
4 (La) salt Cf. muluwurru, yapurnu
- kararra** (N): *Solanum centrale* Desert  
Raisin Cf. kampurarra, karturu.  
kunampi, mulyu, ngapajimpi, wangki,  
yipintiri Syn. yakajirri
- kardanjardu** (N): bread (European type)  
Cf. kantirri, mangarri, miyi, rampaku
- karipardu** (N): *Euphorbia boophthona*  
Gascoyne Spurge
- karlampi-jurtujurtu** (N): (WW) tuber  
sp.
- karlapijipiji** (N): (WW) sugar-leaf
- karlipi** (N): (WW) tree sp.
- karlkarangi** (N): See **lakarrpara**
- karlpikarpirrpa** (N): (WW) See  
karlpirr-karlpirrpa
- karlpirr-karlpirrpa** (N): *Cassia*  
*pleurocarpa* Firebush  
2 witchetty grub sp., Firebush grub Syn.  
pitarlpitarlpa
- karlurnturrngu** (N): *Acacia*  
*validinervia* wattle sp.  
2 witchetty grub sp. Cf. wartarurru
- karnti** (N): (Wi) See **mardi**  
2 (H) hard ground
- karntinpa** (N): *Chenopodium*  
*rhadinostachyum* medicinal plant sp.  
Alt. karntunpa Syn. parntinjarlpa
- karnturangi** (N): *Codonocarpus*  
*cotinifolius* Desert Poplar Syn.  
ngapurla
- karrawari** (N): *Eucalyptus microtheca*  
Coolibah Cf. yurrnyu Syn. wapilingki  
2 witchetty grub sp. Cf.  
karrkalapayipayi, karlpirrkarlpirrpa,  
karlurnturrngu, ngarkirdi, wardingi,  
yipilanji Syn. wankilinyi
- karrinyarra** (N): See **kalpalpi** Syn.  
yayirri-yayirri
- karrkala-payipayi** (N): insect gall Cf.  
jakarla-payipayi, kanta, mangarrayi,  
ngikirirri, wanganla, wanganla-payipayi,  
warnparnpi
- karrkarrakura** (N): (H) (WW) berry sp.  
Cf. nganjawarli, yipintirri, yakajirri
- karta-kartarnja** (N): (Wi) See **milpingi**  
Cf. marna, yipiri
- karturu** (N): ripe Desert Raisin Cf.  
jungkunypa, kararra, mulyu, yakajirri
- kawilya** (N): sprout, bud Cf. jinjirla,  
mirnpirri
- kawurnpa** (N): (La) See **puna**
- kayurru** (N): edible seed sp.
- kijikiji** (N): *Sarcostema australe* Caustic  
Vine, Snake Vine Syn. kupukupu
- kijirrkijirrpa** (N): (WW) false onion
- kilpirli** (N): wing Alt. kirrpirli Cf. parla,  
pinkirrpa, waku  
kilpirli-kilpirli (N): branches
- kintawarri** (N): (H) grass sp. Cf.  
jartawarri ??  
2 seeds of 1: edible seeds sp.
- kintilarri** (N): (Wi) (H) (Y) paper-bark,  
paper-bark container, paper-bark  
wrapping Cf. kupangardi, ngami,  
pakarli, parraja, pinti, wurdamirri 2 2  
(H) See **pakarli**
- kintirla** (N): (WW) tree sp.
- kinyuwurru** (N): (WW) See **janmarda**
- kirlinpirilirli** (N): ?? grass, sp.
- kirlinpirtpa** (N): (WW) tree sp.
- kirlipi** (N): (H) (Y) *Marsdenia viridiflora*  
Bush Banana (northern) Cf. parlayi,  
purpalangi, yuparli
- kirliyi** (N): See **warlkalpa**
- kirtinyi** (N): dried dead wood Cf.  
marntarla, warlu #, watiya #, yarnminy

**kirtiwarra** (N): (H) (WW) grass sp.; seeds sp.  
**kitkitpa** (N): 1. (H) tuber sp.  
**kujurmtu** (N): yam sp. Cf. kajutari, ngarlajiyi, wayipi  
**kukapardu** (N): *Ptilotus helipteroides* Hairy Mulla Mulla Cf. mirntiparnu, warnaparnapa  
**kulaki** (N): *Acacia adsurgens* Sugar Brother, wattle sp. Cf. minyana Syn. puju-parnta  
**kumpupaja** (N): *Solanum diversiflorum* bush tomato sp. Cf. jarlparrpa, ngayaki, wanakiji  
**kuna** (N): rectum, anus  
**kuna jilyirr-pari** (N,N): IDIOM: (lit. anus tight) thoughtless, inconsiderate, selfish  
**kuna-liirl-pari** (N): IDIOM: (lit. anus-white) brave, courageous Cf. kardirrrpa, marriwa, pirrjirdi  
**kuna-pumpu-pari** (N): IDIOM: (lit. buttocks-huge) fat arse  
**kuna-rurrpa** (N): IDIOM: (lit. anus-opening) arse-hole  
**kuna mirntipuru-jarri-mi** (N, V): ?? See kuna YUKA-MI 2 (H) be too scared to talk, be too afraid to talk, be too frightened to talk  
**kuna yuka-mi** (N, V): (lit. anus enter) be sorry, be sad, be bereaved Cf. kuna mirntipuru-jarri-mi, mari  
**2 back-side, rear, tail, butt** Cf. jaka, muju, ngirnti  
**kuna-murrumurru** (N): See kuna-pujupuju  
**kuna-puju-puju** (N): backwards motion, backwards, reverse Cf. pirdangirli Syn. kuna-murrumurru  
**3 excrement, faeces, shit [vulgar], pooh, stools, turds [vulgar], droppings (of animal)** Cf. jinirrrpa, jurrurru-ngaja-rni, kuna-piirrrpa, wampurru-kiji-rni, yiji-pi-nyyi, yimpirl-pi-nyyi Syn. kaka  
**kuna-ku-kuna-ku-paka-rni** (V): (La) Syn. kaka-ku-kaka-ku-paka-rni  
**kuna-kalykala** (N): (Wi) ?? See KUNA-PIIRRPA (H)  
**kuna-piirrrpa** (N): (H) diarrhoea,

dysentery, loose bowels Syn. jinirrrpa, kuna-yiriyiri, miyalu rdilyki 2 runny pooh, watery stools Syn. jinirrrpa  
**kuna-yiriyiri** (N): (Wi) See KUNA-PIIRRPA (H)  
**kuna wampurru-kiji-rni** (N, V): defecate a lot, shit a lot, do big pooh Cf. kuna jurrurru-ngaja-rni, kuna yimpirl-pi-nyyi  
**kuna yimpirl-pi-nyyi** (N, V): wallow in excrement Cf. kuna wampurru-kiji-rni  
**4 entrails, guts, innards** Cf. parlka-, tarlti  
**5 (bad) insides of, (bad) inside part of** Ant. parru Cf. jungkunypa, karturu, mulyu, warukunarri  
**kunarnturu** (N): See wakirlpirri  
**kunarri** (N): ceremonial food, atonement food, present of food, presentation of food Cf. ngijinkirri Syn. jawirriyiyi, kurapaka  
**kunji** (N): *Bauhinia hookeri* tree sp.  
**kunjumarra** (N): (WW) See ngapiri  
**kuntutuntu** (N): fresh growth, fat, good condition, patch of green grass  
**kunturu** (N): egg yoke, core, marrow Cf. kuna #, kurntu  
**kupangardi** (N): See pakarli  
**kupukupu** (N): (Wi) See kijikiji  
**kupurturru** (N): (WW) See ngarlajiyi  
**kurarra** (N): *Acacia tetragonophylla* Dead Finish  
**kurdupu** (N): (H) tree sp. Alt. kurtupu  
**kurdurrurdururu** (N): *Acacia maitlandii* Maitland's Wattle  
**kurla-parnta** (N): (H)  
**kurnpu** (N): edible sap Cf. jiwiriwiri, lika, mijilypa, ngarnturlpa Syn. marnta  
**kurntu** (N): ?? if not KUNTU core, fiber, flesh Cf. kunturu  
**2 Extended: life-force, spirit, soul** Syn. manparrpa, pirlirrrpa  
**kurnturlja** (N): (Wi) (H) *Themeda avenacea* Oat Kangaroo Grass  
**2 witchetty grub sp.** Alt. kurnturtja Syn. yinjiri  
**kurnturtja** (N): (H) See kurnturlja Alt. kurnturlja Cf. janpi, kalajirdi, kalpalpi, manangkarra, marna, milpingi, muna,

tarltarlpanu, yawirlara, yipiri, yirdijirdiji  
Syn. yinjiri

2 See kurnturlja 2 kurntuwa (N):

*Eucalyptus* sp. tree sp.

**kurraly(pa)** (PV): (H) green vegetation,  
green grass, green growth

**kurraly-marda-rni** (V): (H) have  
green growth, be green grass, have  
green vegetation

**kurripi** (N): (H) *Eucalyptus aspera*  
Rough-leaved Range Gum, Brittle  
Bloodwood Syn. wanayi

**kurraja** (N): lichen, algae

**kurrkapi** (N): (Y) See kurrkara

**kurrkara** (N): *Allocasuarina decaisneana*  
Desert Oak Syn. kurrkapi

**kurtupu** (N): (WW) tree sp. Alt.  
kurdupu

**kuula** (N): seed, core, insides of (fruit)  
Cf. milpa #, ngurlu, yurrkulju,  
yurrnyu, pirlirra Syn. kakaja

## L I

**lakarrpara** (N): *Grevillia wickhamii*;  
*Grevillia refracta* ?? Holly Grevillea  
Syn. karlkarangi

**laparra** (N): (H) (WW) seed, seed-plant  
sp.

**larrunka** (N): See rdarrunka Alt.  
larrungka

**lika** (N): (H) gum, sap, resin Cf. kurmpu,  
mijilypa

**likirri** (N): (egg)-shell, husk, pod Cf.  
pinti, malpa #

**lipirri** (N): (Y) seeds, fruits, berries Cf.  
ngurlu

**liwirri** (N): (Y) dry yellow grass, dead  
grass, dried vegetation Alt. liwiji Cf.  
lirriji, marna, liirli-pari, tarltarl-panu,  
yilyanypa

**liyi** (N): growth, lump, mole Syn. puju  
2 knot, excrescence, bulge Syn. puju

**liyi-kirli** (N): (La) disobedient,  
naughty, difficult (of behaviour),  
stubborn, recalcitrant Alt. liyi-  
kurlu Cf. langa pati, punku, wilji,  
wiyalwiyalpa

**liyi-kurlu** (N): (Y) See liyi-kirli

**lukarrara** (N): *Fimbristylis oxystachya*,  
*Fimbristylis eremophila* Desert Fringe-  
rush Cf. warrupinyi

2 Weavel-nose beetle

**lukartardi** (N): See jakurda

**lukulyuku** (N): (Y) See ngarlurru

## M m

**majardi-majardi** (N): *Euphorbia*  
*drummondii* Caustic Weed

**malumpa** (N): (Wi) (Y) shadow, shade  
Syn. yama

2 shade, sun-shelter, bough-shelter,  
shady place Cf. rdupa, yama, yunta,  
yujuku Syn. pulkumpa, yama

3 foliage, leaves, leafy branches Cf.  
jalyirra, parrka, parla Syn. yama

**manangkarra** (N): open country with  
spinifex cover, spinifex plains Syn.  
ngataji, warlpawu

**mangarda** (N): (Y) See mangarta

**mangarrayi** (N): See kanta

**mangarri** (N): See miyi

**mangarta** (N): *Santalum acuminatum*  
Quandong

2 playing marble Alt. mangarda

**mangkaja** (N): (H) bed of leaves, bed of  
branches Cf. jalyirra, parrka, panja,  
panji, yawarda

2 nest, bed Cf. mina, wangku

3 bedding, blanket, mattress Syn.  
panja, panji

4 mangkaja ceremony Cf. jardiwanpa

**manja** (N): *Acacia aneura* Mulga Cf.  
larrunka Syn. wardiji

2 mulga country, scrub Syn. wardiji (h,  
wi), yurnanji

**manyangampa** (N): *Triodia pungens*  
spinifex sp. Cf. janpi, kalajirdi, kalpalpi,  
kurnturlja, marna, manangkarra,  
milpingi, muna, pujuwaja, tarlajirri,  
tarltarlpanu, yawirilara, yinjiri #, yipiri,  
yirdijirdiji

**manyani** (N): (Y) *Pluchea tetranthera* ??,  
*Eremophila willsii*  
tree sp.

- 2 witchetty grub Cf. ngarlkirdi, wardingi
- marawakalpa** (N): *Hakea leucoptera*  
Needle-leaf Hakea
- mardalyi** (N): (Y) tree sp.
- mardi** (N): *Ipomea costata* large yam, bush potato, tuber Alt. mardu Cf. jirdiji, ngamarna, puurda, watarlapi, yaljirra, yarla Syn. karnti, wirliinpangi
- 2 crack, swollen ground Alt. mardu Cf. ngarntu, pawala, yiwirri
- mardu** (N): (Wi) See mardi
- mardukuru** (N): fluff, down, fibre, fur, inflorescence, hair, tassle Syn. kukulypa, wamulu Cf. jinjirla, pulampula, puwarrilypa, tarijirri, wanjarri, wanya
- maripi** (N): (Wi) (H) *Templetonia egena*  
Desert Broombush Cf. kijikiji, ngalyipi
- marlarntarra** (N): (H) *Acacia dictyophleba*, *Acacia monticola* (?)  
Sandhill wattle
- marlatilpa** (N): (H) mashed fruit, fruit juice
- marna** (N): *Triodia pungens*, *Aristida inaequiglumis* Gummy Spinifex, Porcupine Grass, Unequal Threeawn, Wire Grass Cf. kalpalpi, manangkarra, manyangarnpa, muna, pujuwaja, tarlajirri, warrpa, yarltarlpanu, yarrkurla, yawirlara, yinjiri, yipiri, yirdijirdiji Syn. janpa, mulkunju
- 2 (H) (Y) grass Cf. jirdiji, watiya
- 3 grass hut Cf. rdupa, yujuku, yunta Syn. milpingi
- marna-kurra-warnu** (N): (lit. spinifex-ALL-RSLT) initiation ritual Cf. kurrirdi-kirra-warnu, kurdiji, pampa, witi
- marna-ngka-tari** (N): (lit. spinifex-LOC-heel) concealing tracks
- marna-pirlpirlpa** (N): spinifex grub sp. Cf. laju, ngalyipi-pama, wardingi, wayipi-pama, yarla-pama
- marna-kakilypa** (N): hidden in grass, hiding in grass, down in grass Cf. rduul-paji-rninja-warnu
- marnakiji** (N): (Y) See marnikiji
- marnakiji-purrangu** (N): See marnikiji-purrangu
- marnampi** (N): (H) *Crinum flaccidum*
- yam sp., Darling Lily
- marnikiji** (N): (Y) (La) *Carissa lanceolata*  
Conkerberry Alt. marnakiji, marningiji, marningkiji, marnunguju
- marnikiji-purrangu** (N): snake sp. Alt. marnakiji-purrangu
- marningiji** (N): (H) See marnikiji
- marningkiji** (N): (Wi) See marnikiji
- marnta** (N): (La) See kumpu
- marntapali** (N): (Wi) See marntarla
- marntarla** (N): *Acacia pruinocarpa* (formerly *notabilis*) Thick Black Gidgee Alt. marntapali
- 2 unmoving, fixed (in place), firmly planted
- 3 hard, hard-hearted, callous, un pitying, unfeeling Cf. puyu Syn. jurru marntarla
- marntarla-rdilypirr-(y)u-ngu** (N): (lit. *Acacia pruinocarpa*-hole-borer) black wood-borer sp., Longicorn sp. Cf. miji, pirilyi-pirilyi, purrurdujinpa, yurnungkapilyirri
- marntarlalka** (N): (Y) juicy, tender Cf. ngakurru, pulkurnarri
- marntayaki** (N): (La) *Terminalia* sp. *arostrata* (?) tree sp., Nutwood (?)
- marnturlpu** (N): See pumti
- marrapirnti** (N): nose-bone, nose-ornament Cf. jingki
- marrapirnti-kirli** (N): edible grass seed sp.
- marrara** (N): (H) tree sp.
- marrarnki** (N): *Owenia reticulata* Desert Walnut Syn. marrawaji
- marrawaji** (N): (H) (La) See marrarnki
- marrkirdi** (N): *Santalum lanceolatum*  
Plumbush, Bush Plum, Wild Plum Syn. mukaki, yankurlayi
- marrpiri** (N): See yartura
- matutu** (N): (H) See patutu
- mawu** (N): bladder Syn. ngupala, pajaji
- 2 (H) urine Cf. minjinpa, yiji-pi-ny
- 3 urinating, peeing, pissing, wetting oneself Cf. ngaja-rni
- mawu-ngarntangarn** (N): entrails, insides, gut
- mawu-ngawurrpa** (N): bed-wetter
- 4 Bloodwood gall liquid
- miinyapa** (N): *Eremophila freelingii*, *E. gilesii*, *E. latrobei* Rock Fuchsia Bush,

- Desert Fuchsia, Native Fuchsia Alt.  
miyinyapa Syn. yanyirlingi
- mijilypa** (N): 1. sap, gum, resin Cf. jiwiriwiri, kurnpu, ngarnturlpa  
2 motor oil, axle grease Cf. jara
- mil-pa** (N): eye Cf. karlka Syn. paniya
- milpa jiiily-pali-mi** (V): (La) sleep with head down and eyes open 2  
IDIOM: do something without permission, do wrong thing, do something wrong way, misbehave, act wrongly
- milpa jipirr-jipirr-pali-mi** (N, V):  
IDIOM: (Lit. eye ?-die) concentrate on, converge on, be set on (one person/ thing)
- milpa jiti-mi** (N, V): IDIOM: (Lit. eye descend) See liji-yirra-rni
- milpa-karltara** (N): cross-eyed Syn. milpa-ngarlingarli, milpa-ngarlkala, milpa-wirkiwirki 3 partial blindness, impaired sight, partially blind Cf. milpa-liirki, milpa-yarltiri, pampa, ramarama, yarrkayi
- milpa-liirki** (N): (La) (lit. eye-white) See milpa-karltara 4 See wangarla
- milpa maarr-(maarr)-ma-ni** (N, V): IDIOM: (lit. eyes flash) light up (of eyes), have gleam in one's eyes, flash (of eyes) 5 blink, wink to wink or blink repeatedly, to flutter eyelids Syn. milpa pali-pali-mi
- milpa-ma-ni** (V): IDIOM: (lit. eye-get) charm, seduce, attract Cf. kinki-paka-rni, waninja-yirra-rni
- milpa-mirlimirli** (N): IDIOM: (lit. eye-gleaming) See milpa-patapata
- milpa narrarra** (N, N): sunken eyes, hollow eyes Cf. milpa yurltu
- milpa ngardalyku** (N, N): bunged up eyes Cf. mirtimirti
- milpa-ngarlkala** (N): See milpa-karltara
- milpa-ngarlingarli** (N): See milpa-karltara
- milpa-nya-ngu** (N): IDIOM: (lit. eye-seer) staring, starrer Syn. liirki-nji 6 IDIOM desirous, covetous, greedy, demanding Cf. lijija
- milpa pali-mi** (N, V): IDIOM: (lit. eye die) close eyes, shut eyes, blink Ant. milpa tiirl-pardi-mi Cf. jipirr-jipirr-pali-mi, milpa maarr-(maarr)-ma-ni
- milpa-parlkurra** (N): big-eyes, big-eyed Ant. milpa-wuurnpa Syn. milpa-purlurnku, milpa-wardirrki 7 FUNCT: having excellent sight, with excellent vision, having good eyes, keen sighted Ant. milpa wita
- milpa-parnta** (N): bad eye, sore eye, injured eye 8 FUNCT: bad eyes, blind, unable to see Cf. mil-kari, nyimpilpa, pampa
- milpa-patapata** (N): watering eyes, watery eyes, running eyes Cf. jirmirlirlinypa, milpa-patal-patalpa, mirtimirti, pardilypa Syn. milpa-mirlimirli
- milpa-patal-patal-pa** (N): See milpa-patapata Cf. palya, yurnpurrkurnpurrku
- milpa-patu-patu-jarri-mi** (V): try to catch a glimpse of, try to get a look at, cast eyes about, strain to see Cf. liirki- nya-nyi, miyimiya-nya-nyi
- milpa-purlurnku** (N): See milpa-parlkurra Syn. milpa-wardirrki
- milpa tiirl-pardi-mi** (N, V): IDIOM: (lit. eye split-open) open (of eye(s)) Ant. milpa pali-mi Cf. milpa maarr-ma-ni
- milpa-wardirrki** (N): See milpa-parlkurra
- milpa-wirki-wirki** (N): (lit. eye crooked) See milpa-karltara
- milpa-yarltiri** (N): IDIOM: (lit. eye-clear) See milpa-karltara
- milpa yurltu** (N, N): IDIOM: (lit. eye hollow) eye hole, eyeless Cf. milpa narrarra
- 2 (a) seed(s) found inside a pod (MALPA 2b, WANARRI 2): seeds, peas, beans Cf. kuna, kuntu, kurla, ngurlu, wanarri 3 Syn. jilki, kakaja (b) hole, opening, entrance Cf. jurru, minikiyi, nungu, ngipi (c) dot, spot (d) head-

lights (e) drop (of water), rain drop(s), rain water Cf. jiiipiipi, kalyu, lirpi, mirawu, ngapa, nguku (f) water, fluid, *Lochia* fluid membrane Syn. ngapa (g) round cloud Cf. milpirri  
**milpa-ma-ni** (V): (H) find water, reach water table  
 3 FUNCT: eyesight, sight, vision Cf. palka  
**milpa-rni-warra** (N): (La) public Cf. warraja  
**milpa-jararla** (N): (La) changing mind, undecided, in two minds about  
**milpingi** (N): (Y) (Wi) (La) spinifex  
 2 grass shelter, grass hut Cf. nganju, yujuku, yunta Syn. karta-kartarnja  
**mina** (N): nest, lair, home, shell, living place, residence, niche, camp, enclosure; husk, shell, protective membrane, pericarp Cf. ngulya, ngurra, wanjapiri, yilyirri, yujuku, yuwali  
 2 straw, shredded bark Cf. mina-panpanji, yilyanypa, yilyirri  
**mina-panpanji** (N): (La) grass nest, grass lair Cf. mina, wangku, yilyanypa, yilyirri  
 3 men's business camp Cf. jangkayi, ngurra, warlu-parnta, warlupurrku, yampirri  
**minjinpa** (N): grass sp.  
**minmintilyi** (N): *Acacia ampliceps* wattle sp.  
**mintiparnu** (N): (Wi) See mintiparrurnu  
**mintiparrurnu** (N): (Y) *Ptilotus helipteroides* Hairy Mulla Mulla Alt. mintiparnu, mintipawurnu Cf. kukapardu, warnaparnapa, yanamarranji  
**mintipawurnu** (N): hairy tail plant Alt. mirntiparrurnu, mintipawurnu  
**minyana** (N): See watiya-warnu  
**minyina** (N): See watiya-warnu  
**minyuwaji** (N): (H) tree sp. Cf. laju  
**mirnpirri** (N): gum-nut Cf. piraliyi, yukuju, yurrukulu  
 2 teat, nipple Syn. yarlp #  
**mirrirdi** (N): water contained in hollow of tree, tree water Syn. kurnja  
**mirrimmirrinpa** (N): (H) tree sp.

**mitjarlpa** (N): (H) tree sp.  
**miyaka** (N): *Brachychiton paradoxum* Red-flowering Kurrajong  
**miyamiya** (N): witchetty grub Cf. laju, ngarkirdi, yipilanji  
**miyi** (N): fruit, vegetable, grain, food, bread, damper, fruit or vegetable-bearing plant Cf. kuyu, pama, ngurlu, watiya Syn. kunangu, mangarri, nyanya, yuranypa  
 2 food (for animals)  
**miyinypa** (N): See miinyapa  
**mukaki** (N): (Y) See marrkirdi  
**mukuru** (N): (H) tree sp.  
 2 witchetty grub sp.  
**mulkunju** (N): (H) grass sp. Cf. yipiri  
**mulyu** (N): nose, snout, beak Cf. pilyirriyirri, rdilypirra. Syn. nginyrnarna  
**mulyu larra** (N, N): IDIOM: (lit. nose split) nose-bleed, bleeding nose  
**mulyu-maru** (N): black, dark Syn. maru, mulyu-yarlta, yurrpurlu 2 dark skinned, dark colouring, dark complexion 3 dirty face, grubby face Cf. palya(2), piirpiirpa, pirntayi, piirpiirrasyn. mulyu-yarlta 4 **mulyu-ngayimi** (N): face on, facing  
**mulyu nyarnarrku** (N, N): upturned nose  
**mulyu-paka-rnu** (N): (lit. nose-striker) scrub, forest, woods, bush, dense vegetation Syn. jirrijirrimpa, yurnanji, yuwurrku  
**mulyu rdulpu** (N, N): stuffed nose, blocked nose  
**mulyu-yarlta** (N): See mulyu-maru  
 2 nose, snout, beak Cf. lirra  
**mulyu lirri-mi** (N, V): IDIOM: (lit. nose swell) dislike, be selfish, disagree, be angry with, be disagreeable Cf. jawuru, kulu, kurlpu, mulyu pilirri-pilirri, murlarrpa, nyuru  
**mulyu pilirripilirri** (N, N): IDIOM: (lit. nose flat) cross, upset, angry, sulky Cf. jawuru, mulyu lirri-mi  
**mulyu<sup>2</sup>** (N): See jungkunypa Cf. karturu, kunampi

**muna** (N): (H) *Triodia spicata* Spear-grass Cf. kurnurtja, marna, nyirli-nyirli Syn. warrpa

**mungilypa** (N): *Tecticornia verrucosa* Samphire Glass-wort Alt. mungulypa

**mungkarrija** (N): (H) *Acacia hilliana* shrub sp., wattle sp.  
2 witchetty grub sp.

**mungskurmmungskurpa** (N): *Scaevola parvifolia* shrub sp.

**mungulypa** (N) See mungilypa

**munyu** (N): body odour, body smell Cf. mukarni, parnti, yakuri  
    **munyu-rduyurduyu** (N): smelly, highly perfumed, with strong smell, strong odour. strong perfume, strong smelling

**munyuparntiparnti** (N): *Chenopodium rhadinostachyum* edible seed plant sp.

**murlku** (N): stomach and large intestine, intestine, gut Cf. jawujawu, kuna #, tarlti Syn. munku  
    **murlku-kari** (N): (La) Bush Banana Cf. yuparli 2 strong man  
    2 flagon Cf. murlukurpa, pilirripilirri 2

**murlurpa** (N): (Y) (H) *Acacia lysiphloia*, *Acacia monticola* Turpentine  
2 witchetty grub sp. Cf. ngarkirdi, wardingi, yipilanji

**murnkurpa** (N): plant sp.

**murntu** (N): (Wi) (H) ripe, cooked, done, matured Syn. yirnmi, yurnmi Cf. maramara Ant. parru, rdarri, wanka, winkirra

**murnturmmurnturpa** (N): herb sp.

**murnturru** (N): *Petalostigma quadriloculare* var. *nigrum* Quinine Bush

**murrpardi** (N): fruit tree sp.

**muwa** (N): unlit fire, fire(wood) not burning, extinguished fire, unlit hearth

**muwurrurpa** (N): dry (of plants, leaves) Cf. linji, yurnmi

**muyu** (N): Cf. winpiri

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**nalija** (N): tea, tea-leaves Syn. parla, yanjalka, yarlpilyi

**nungu** (N): (a) batter, paste (b) honey Cf. jurru #, palya #, yalkurrngu, yirili  
2 (SL) See janyungu

**nurrku** (N): (H) (Wi) *Eucalyptus leucophloia* Snappy Gum Alt. nutku Cf. jarrirdi

**nutku** (N): (WW) See nurrku

## Ng ng

**ngakaparla** (N): (La) creeper sp., vine sp., Bush Banana Cf. yuparli

**ngalilyirrk** (N): *Solanum* aff. *ellipticum* Potato Bush, bush berry sp. Alt. ngarlalyirrk Cf. kararra, wangki, yipirntiri

**ngalkirdi** (N): See ngarkirdi

**ngalta** (N): *Brachychiton gregorii* Desert Kurrajong

**ngalya** (N): forehead, brow Cf. milpirimpi, miparra Syn. mimi, nginymarna  
    **ngalya-larra** (N): (La) (lit. forehead-split) rolled oats, oat porridge  
    2 See mimi 3

**ngalyarr-ngarna** (N): See ngalyipi

**ngalyipi** (N): (Y) (H) *Tinospora smilacina* Snakevine Cf. wakalarrungu, witi, yuparli Syn. ngalyarr-ngarna, wararri

**ngalyipi-pama** (N): Snakevine grub Cf. pakurujunpurpa, wayipi-pama, yarla-pama

**ngama-ngurun-ngurunpa** (N): (H) seed plant sp.

**ngamari** (N): (Y) (H) See pawurlirri  
2 mistletoe sp.

**ngamarna** (N): yam, sweet potato  
    **ngamarna-ngamarna** (N): horizontal roots Cf. mardi, watarlapi, wunju

**ngamirdamirda** (N): (La) See ngamirdamirdi

**ngamirdamirdi** (N): (Y) *Sida platycalyx*

- Life-saver Burr** Alt. ngamirdamirda, ngamirdirdamirdi Syn. pinardipinardi
- nganjawarli (N): (H)** *Solanum chippendalei* (?) Bush Tomato, Wild Tomato Cf. jarlparrpa, kakaja, karrkarrkura, kumpupaja, kurla-parnta Syn. ngaru, ngayaki, wanakiji
- nganju (N): (La)** See yartura
- nganyiri (N):** *Ventilago viminalis* Supplejack Syn. walakarri
- ngapa-kulyukulyu (N): (H)** plant sp.
- ngapajimpi (N):** berry flower Cf. jijardu, jinjirla, kararrpa, karturu, mardukuru, mulyu 2(a), wanakiji
- ngapa-taraki-taraki (N): (H)** See ngapa-tiraki-tiraki
- ngapa-tiraki-tiraki (N): (Y) (H)** *Macgregoria racemigera* Carpet-of-Snow, Desert Snow, Snow flower Alt. ngapa-taraki-taraki
- ngapilyilyi (N): (Y) ??** first meaning unknown to Ruth giggle, chuckle, chortle Cf. yinka  
2 love-sick, infatuated  
3 green (of vegetation) Cf. wajirrki, yukuri  
4 See KARRAWARI, NURRKU, WAPURNUNGKU ?? <suggestion from Ruth>
- ngapiri (N):** *Eucalyptus camaldulensis* River Red Gum Cf. yipilanji
- ngapurla (N):** See karnturangi
- ngardanykinyi (N): (La)** *Amyema Lysiana* mistletoe spp. Alt. ngardarnkirmi Cf. yunkurru
- ngardanykinyi-nga-mu (N): (La)** Mistletoe-bird
- ngardarnkirmi (N): (Wi)** See ngardanykinyi
- ngardurrkura (N): (Wi)** *Acacia acradenia*, *Acacia jennerae* (?), *Acacia holoserica* (?) *Acacia* sp., Coonavittra Wattle, Candelabra Wattle Cf. kanarlarrampi
- ngarlajiyi (N):** *Vigna lanceolata* Maloga Bean, Pencil Yam, Bush Carrot Cf. kajutari, puurda, wayipi, wayiti, yarla Syn. japirda, wapirti, wijaraki, wijaraku, yumurnunju
- ngarlalyirrkki (N):** See ngalilyirrkki
- ngarlangkartapi (N):** See yutajiti
- ngarlardi (N): (H)** See wilyarnku
- ngarlinga (N):** moss
- ngarlirrkarlirrkki (N):** *Crinum flaccidum* Darling Lily, Sandover Lily, Onion Grass Alt. yarlrirrkarlirrkki
- ngarlkirdi (N):** *Acacia kempeana* Witchetty Bush  
2 witchetty grub sp. Cf. laju, wajarnpi, wakirlpirri, wakurujuruju, wardingi, yipilanji Alt. ngalkirdi
- ngarlkirdi-nga-mu (N): (lit.** witchetty-grub eater) See walpajirri
- ngarlurrpu (N): (H) (La) (Y)** *Eremophila longifolia* Weeping Emu Bush Syn. kuna-parnta, lukulyuku, winarnkuru  
2 witchetty grub sp.
- ngarnkulku (N): (La)** See pulkurnpa
- ngarntajari (N): (H) (Wi)** *Capparis umbonata* Northern Wild Orange Alt. ngarntajarri Cf. jukurru, kunampi, watakiyi
- ngarntarlku (N):** fork (of tree) Cf. pangkarlpangkarlpa
- ngarnturlpa (N): (H)** plant sp.
- ngaru (N):** See nganjawarli
- ngataji (N): (H) (Wi)** See manangkarra Syn. manangkarra, warlpawu
- ngayaki (N):** *Solanum chippendalei* Bush Tomato, Wild Tomato Cf. jarlparrpa Syn. wanakiji
- ngijinkirri (N): (H) (Y) (Wi)** ceremonial food, food payments Cf. kurapaka
- ngikirirri (N): (La)** gall Cf. jakarlapayipayi, kanta, mangarrayi
- ngungkarli (N):** Dogwood seed drink Cf. pirlarla, wakirlpirri Syn. yinjirri
- ngunjalpa (N): (La)** See wini  
2 (La) Wednesday
- ngunju (N): (H)** See janyungu
- ngupungupu (N):** *Podaxis pistillaris* Stalked Puffball Cf. jinti-parnta, purtupurtu
- ngurlu (N):** seeds, grain Cf. jilki, kakaja, milpa 2(b), pirdijirri  
2 (La) rice
- nguyu (N):** crushed charcoal, soot, charcoal powder Cf. maru, parnparn(ku), pirilyi, yipa, yurlpulypa  
2 (PV): blackening
- nguyu-yirra-rni (V):** paint black, blacken 2 Extended: deliver (baby)

nguyu-ngku-ma-ni (V): rub with charcoal, blacken, paint with charcoal

nguyu-parnta (N): (Y) See piriwa

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nyanyakirri (N): *Amyema gibberulum* mistletoe sp. Cf. ngardanykinyi, yulyurlpu, yunkurmu

nyarrpurta (N): (Y) See yajukurlu ??

nyili (N): (WW) See jiri

nyintanyinta (N): *Helipterum floribundum* White Paper Daisy

nyintirriyilpi (N): (WW) See watiyawarnu

nyirlinyirli (N): head (of grass), grass seeds Cf. muna Syn. warrpa, yawirlara  
2 quick-tempered, bad-tempered, cranky, angry, unkind, anti-social Cf. jurru maju, kulu-parnta, mijirnpa

## P p

pajampajarnpa (N): ?? *Cymbopogon ambiguus* Lemon-scented Grass Cf.

kalpalpi, karrinyarra, yayirriyayirri

paka (N): (La) thorn, spike, prickle, quill Cf. jilkarla, jiri, wakirdi, yana-jaka-larra, yiri

paka-paka (N): (La) thorny, with quills, spiky, rough 2 (La)

*Parkinsonia aculeata*: Mexican palo verde

paka-parnta (N): (lit. spike-with) See pulalypa

2 (Y) (H) (Wi) flaking bark, stringy bark, shredded bark Cf. pinti, watiya 2, wurramirdi See paka 2 2 (La) flaking, peeling, shredded, stringy, rough

pakarli (N): *Melaleuca glomerata* Inland Teatree, Paper-bark tree Syn. kupangardi

2 paper-bark Syn. kintillarri

3 head-dress Cf. lawata, kurtari, warntarnturru

4 (SL) See rdumpa

5 Extended: paper

palka (N): body

2 trunk

3 (a) body (of spear-thrower)

4 Figurative: presence, present, in person, actually, really, something

palka-jarri-mi (V): come into existence, be born, appear, exist, form 2 make way, open way, rejoin, reenter, reestablish relation with

palka-ku-purdangka (N): (H) (lit. present-DAT-sibling) brother-in-law, wife's brother Cf. kalyakana, karntiya, ngumparna, panji, wanarrpi

palka-ma-ni (V): bring into existence, find, give birth to, form, conceive Cf. ngaja-rni, nya-nyi, yirra-rni #

5 fruit, berry, vegetable

palpalpi (N): (H) See kalpalpi

palya (N): spinifex gum, spinifex wax

2 bee wax

3 adze, decorating tool used for fluting Cf. junma, kanjingarri, kanti 2 Syn. partardi 2, wingkarnu

palya-kurlu (N): See ngarnta-kurlu

pama (N): delicacy, nectar, witchetty grub, honey, tobacco Cf. janyungu, jurnpurnpu, jularda, ngarlkirdi, wardingi, yarrkurla, yarunpa, yipilani, yunkaranyi, yurrampi

pama-pardu (N): See panjirti

-pama (N-SFX): eater Cf. ngalyipi-pama, wayipi-pama, yarla-pama

2 alcoholic beverage, liquor, grog, drink, spirits

pama-mirrimirri (N): alcoholic (person), drunk

pama-nyinparnangku (N): (La) addicted to, hooked on

pangki (N): (La) See pinti

pangki-kirli (N): (lit. skin-PROP)

orange Alt. pangki-parnta 2

orange Cf. pirarr-pirarrpa

pangki-parnta (N): (La) See pangki-kirli

- pangki-parri-rni** (V): See **pinti-parri-rni**  
 2 young girl, prepubescent female Cf. **turnturnpa**
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- pangkuna** (N): (La) See **wakirpirri**  
**panja** (N): bed of branches, bed of leaves  
 Alt. **panji** Syn. **mangkaja**  
 2 See **pangkarra**  
**panjalpa** (N): bark strips, stringy bark Cf. **pangki**, **pinti**, **wurdamirri**  
 2 belt, strap Cf. **kirrminti**, **ngalyipi**  
**panyapanya** (N): (H) (WW) See **yimampi** Cf. **yapuralyi** Syn. **yirrkangarli**  
**paparda** (N): (H) (Wi) See **yarla** Alt. **papirta**  
**papingi** (N): (Wi) (H) *Capparis lasiantha* (?), *spinosa* var. *nummularia* (?) Nipan, Caper Bush, Wild Orange, Wild Passionfruit Syn. **yarrunungu** Cf. **jukurru**, **ngarntajari**, **watakiyi**, **yuparli**  
**papirta** (N): (H) (WW) See **paparda**  
**parawuju** (N): *Hakea eyreana*: Fork-leaved Corkwood Cf. **nguyu-parnta**, **piriwa**  
**parla** (N): leaf, foliage, leafy branches, small plant, bush Syn. **jalyirra**, **jutulpu**, **parlpirrpa**, **parrka**, **pijara**, **yama** Cf. **mangkaja**, **ngarnkulku**, **panja**, **pulkurnpa**  
 2 bush, scrub, in seclusion, in hiding, out bush, out of sight  
     **parla-ngarna** (N): (SL) See **jarnpa**  
     **parla-wana** (N): in the bush, in seclusion Cf. **jurnku**, **kankarlu** #, **wurulypa**  
 3 (La) tea leaves Cf. **nalija**, **yanjalka**, **yarlpilyi**  
 4 (a) wing, feather, plume Cf. **kilpirli**, **pinkirra** (b) fin Syn. **ngirnti** #, **pinkirra** #  
     **parla-parla-jarri-mi** (V): sprout wings, grow wings, acquire wings Cf. **pinkirra**, **waku** Syn. **pakarli-kirli-jarri-mi**  
**parlayi** (N): (H) See **kirli**  
**parlpirr-ki** (PV): (La) See **parlpirr(pa)** Cf. **jarrarlpa-jarra**  
     **parlpirr-ki-karri-mi** (V): (La) See **parlpirr-karri-mi**  
     **parlpirr-ki-parnka-mi** (V): (La) branch into two, form fork Cf. **warunjurr-parnka-mi**  
**parlpirr(pa)** (N) (PV): (H) branch, fork, forked, branched, split Cf. **jarrarlpa** Syn. **pangkarl(pa)**  
     **parlpirr-karri-mi** (V): be forked, be branched, be split into two forks  
     **parlpirr-pardi-mi** (V): branch out, fork, split into two forks  
     **parlpirr-pari** (N): forked, branched, split into two branches  
 2 (Y) (La) (Wi) playing cards  
 3 game of cards  
**parntakura** (N): *Solanum orbiculatum*: fruit plant sp.  
**parntapi** (N): (H) (La) (Y) See **wurdamirri** Cf. **warntapi**  
 2 toy boomerang, fun boomerang, practice boomerang, bark boomerang  
**parntara** (N): spinifex clump Cf. **marna**, **tarltarlpanu**  
**parntinjarlpa** (N): grass See **karntinpa** ??  
**parranyanti** (N): (La) *Acacia pachycarpa* (?): wattle sp.  
**parrapi** (N): (La) See **kanarlarrampi**  
**parrarla** (N): (WW) grass-seeds sp.  
**parrawarluru** (N): (H) (WW) See **yurrunyu**  
**parrka** (N): See **jalyirra**  
 2 bush, plant, shrub Cf. **jirdiji**, **ngarna** 2, **watiya**, **yintirdi**  
 3 See **parla** #(2)  
 4 feathers (of emu) Cf. **ngardarri**, **pinkirra**, **waku** Syn. **wanya**  
**parrkilyi** (N): See **patanjarnngi**  
**parru** (N): (H) (La) (Wi) unripe (fruit, vegetable), green (fruit, vegetable) Ant. **kunampi**, **murntu**, **yirnmi** Cf. **rdarri**, **wanka**, **warukunarri**  
**patanjarnngi** (N): *Calandrinia balonensis*, *Portulaca filifolia* (?): Broad-leaf Parakeelya, Slender Figweed (?) Syn. **parrkilyi**  
**patilpinpa** (N): (WW) See **wakati**  
**patutu** (N): *Acacia dictyophleba* Sandhill Wattle Alt. **matutu**  
 2 witchetty grub sp.  
**pawurlirri** (N): *Pittosporum phylliraeoides* Weeping Pittosporum,

- Wild Apricot, Berrigan, Native Willow,  
Bitter Bush, Little Severn Tree Syn.  
ngamari, yarnawurdu
- pijara** (N): (H) wide leaf Cf. jalyirpa,  
jijardu, jirdiji, parla, parrka, yama #  
2 yam bush Cf. jijardu, watarlapi  
3 (H) See langa
- pilykirr(pa)** (N) (PV): brittle, crumbling,  
disintegrating, dried out Cf. yarmalyka
- pilykirr-paka-rni** (V): snap off,  
break up, chop off dry brittle wood
- pinamparli** (N): *Gossypium sturtianum*  
Sturt's Desert Rose Cf. puunpuunpa,  
tajitaji
- pintaru** (N): *Turnix velox* ?? Little  
Button-quail ?? Alt. puntaru  
2 *Dactyloctenium radulans* Button  
Grass, Quail's Foot Grass Alt. puntaru
- pinti** (N): (a) skin, hide (of animal),  
(in)tegument, membrane, shell Cf.  
likirri Syn. pangki (b) skin, husk (of  
seed), shell (of seed), bark (of trees), peel  
(of fruit, vegetable), (in)tegument,  
membrane Cf. paka, panjarlpa,  
pirlpinypa, wurdamirri, yarntapiri Syn.  
kurta, pangki
- pinti-kirli** (N): See pangki-kirli
- pinti-parri-rni** (V): skin, husk,  
debark, strip, peel Cf. parlii-pi-nyi,  
walji-rni Syn. pangki-parri-rni,  
rdurruly-parri-rni 2 skin, husk,  
debark, strip, peel
- piraliyi** (N): (Y) gum-nut Cf. mirnpirri
- pirdijirri** (N): seed-cake  
2 cake (of something)
- pirdilypa** (N): log, big stick Cf. watiya,  
wilypati Syn. rdalyku
- piriwa** (N): *Hakea eyreana (intermedia)*,  
*Hakea chordophylla* Fork-leafed  
Corkwood, Bull Hakea Syn. nguyu-  
parnta, parawuju, yarrkamp
- pirlapanu** (N): (H) See janmarda
- pirlarla** (N): Dogwood seeds
- pirlparda** (PV): (Wi) (H) ?? young yams,  
new yams, fresh yams Cf. jalangu-  
warnu
- pirlparda-pardi-mi** (V): mount up,  
become big, grow large ??
- pirlpinypa** (N): (La) wood stripped of  
bark
- pirnta-ma-nu** (N): (Y) See karntirri
- pirntirri** (N) (PV): (Wi) (La) (H) See yurdi  
Cf. karntirri, pirnta-ma-nu, wakirdi,  
wakirdi-wakirdi, yuwali  
2 top, roof Syn. yurdi
- pirntirri-yirra-rni** (V): put up high,  
store up high Syn. yirdi-yirra-rni
- pirraru** (N): *Acacia ancistrocarpa*:  
Fitzroy Wattle Cf. wartaruru Syn.  
ngarlingarli #
- pirrpimpa** (N): tree sp. Cf. jirrpinyapa,  
wardarka
- pitarlpitarlpa** (N): See karlpirrkarpirra
- puju** (N): See liyi  
2 dewclaw  
3 See liyi  
4 notch, foot-holds  
5 clamp
- pujuparnta** (N): See kulaki
- pujuwaja** (N): (H) *Triodia longiceps*:  
Giant Grey Spinifex Cf. manyangarpa,  
marna
- pukalangi** (N): (WW) shrub sp., tree sp.
- puljalja** (N): dried puffball, dried truffle  
Cf. purlumtari, yakirardu
- pulkunarri** (N): (Y) juicy, soft and ripe,  
fresh, moist Cf. ngakurru
- pulkurnpa** (N): shady tree, leafy tree  
Syn. ngarlardi, ngarnkulku, wilyarnku,  
yama  
2 feathery Cf. ngardarri, parntaparnta,  
yama, yardurru
- pululu** (N): ?? decorative inflorescence  
in prepared state Cf. kukulypa,  
mardukuru, pulampula, puwarrilypa,  
tarjirri, wamulu, wanjarri, wanya
- puna** (N): (H) (La) ash Cf. wupa, yipa,  
yurlpulypa Syn. kawurnpa, yamanti,  
yarnminy
- punayi** (N): See wijilypi
- punpu** (N): (La) flower sp. Cf.  
mardukuru, wamulu
- puntalji** (N): *Acacia spondylophylla*  
Wattle sp.  
2 witchetty grub
- puntaru** (N): (Y) (La) See pintaru Syn.  
purrulyka  
2 See pintaru 2
- purlpalangi** (N): (H)  
(WW) See purrpalangi
- purlumtari** (N): truffle, fungus Cf.  
yakirardu

**purnti** (N): ?? *Cassia artemisioides*:  
Silver Cassia Syn. marnturlpu  
**purnujutu** (N): (La) See yukarrija  
**purralyan(pa)** (PV): sprouting, shooting,  
growing, springing  
**purralyan-pardi-mi** (V): sprout,  
shoot (plant), grow Cf. purralyan-  
jirri-rni, purrulyurrulyurru  
**purralyan-jirri-rni** (V): make to  
sprout (plant), make to shoot up,  
make to grow Cf. purralyan-pardi-  
mi, purrulyurrulyurru, yaja-rni,  
yilya-mi  
**purpalangi** (N): *Rhynchiarrhenea*  
*linearis* creeper sp., vine sp., twiner sp.  
Alt. purlpalangi Cf. kirlipi, yuparli  
**purputuru** (N): (H) (WW) root  
vegetable sp., tuber sp. ??  
**purrulyurrulyurru** (N): new shoots,  
sprouts, fresh growth, seedlings, new  
foliage Cf. kawilya, kuntu-kuntu,  
purralyan-pardi-mi, puruly-pardi-mi,  
wajirrkki  
**purrunpurrunpa** (N): *Aristida*  
*inaequiglumis* Unequal Threeawn Cf.  
marna  
**purtupurtu** (N): *Calvatia* sp. (?) Puffball  
Cf. jinti-parnta, purlurntari, wilyiri,  
yakirrardu  
**purumpuru** (N): (H) (WW) waterlily sp.  
**putunarri** (N): (La) (Y) *Salsola kali*  
Prickly Saltwort, Roly-poly Bush  
**puurda** (N): (Y) (La) See yarla

## R r

### Rd rd

**ralalpa** (N): long and flowing hair, long  
straight hair Ant. nyuturr-nyuturru,  
tardu-tardu Cf. kirrirdi  
2 long and straight (of grass)  
**rilyi** (N): strands of body hair, hair, hairs  
Cf. jurru, marnilpa, wakurlu, yumurru  
2 husk (on seeds), wood shavings Cf.  
pangki, pinti  
**rdalyku** (N): (La) (Y) (H) (WW) log, tree  
trunk (on ground) Cf. pirdilypa, watiya,

wilypati, yirntirdi  
**rdarrunka** (N): (La) (Y) mulga gall Syn.  
larrunka, tanjakurlu  
**rdili** (N): mature Dogwood seeds

## T t

**tampayunu** (N): ?? wild melon, Paddy  
Melon *Cucumis myriocarpus*  
**tanjakurlu** (N): See rdarrunka  
**tarijirri** (N): white fluff Cf. kukulypa,  
mardukuru, wamulu, wanjarri  
**tarlajirri** (N): (Y) ?? old spinifex Cf.  
karlajirri, marna, tarltarl-panu, yinjiri  
**tarlawurrku** (N): (La) tree sp.  
**tarltarl-panu** (N): (Y) (La) large clumps  
of spinifex, old spinifex, tall dry spinifex  
grass Cf. karlajirri, marna, tarlajirri,  
yinjiri  
**tartaji** (N): (WW) bush peanut  
**tika** (N): (WW) See jara  
**tipa** (N): (Wi) (H) *Grevillea eriostachya*  
Honey Grevillea Cf. wiyinyari Syn.  
walunarri  
**turnpuru-turnpuru** (N): *Enteropogon*  
*rimosus* Windmill Grass  
**tururru** (N): (La) tree sp. Alt. pururru  
2 (Y) (La) clapping sticks, song sticks Cf.  
kuntarla

## W w

**wajampi** (N): (La) (Y) *Acacia*  
*estrophiolata* Ironwood Alt. yajarmpi  
Syn. walirri  
2 witchetty grub sp. Cf. laju, ngarkirdi,  
yipilanji  
**wajirrkki** (N): (H) (La) (Y) new growth,  
fresh vegetation, green grass Syn.  
yukuri  
**wajirrkki-nyi** (N): (La) (Y) (H) wet  
season, rainy season, post-wet,  
autumn, green grass time Syn.  
yukuri-yukuri

- 2 Extended: (H) greens, green vegetables, vegetable plants  
**wajirrki-wajirrki** (N): (La) (Y) green grass, fresh growth, new vegetation Syn. yukuri-yukuri 2 (La) (Y) (H) green, blue, dark Syn. yukuri-yukuri 3 one-pound note, five-pound note, two-dollar note  
**wakati** (N): (La) (Y) (H) *Portulaca oleracea* Munyeroo, Pig-weed Cf. laparrpa, yarraji Syn. wayarli  
**wakirlpirri** (N): (H) (La) (Y) *Acacia coriacea* Dogwood Cf. malpa, ngungkarli, wanarri, yannanti, yinjirpi Syn. kunarnturu, pangkuna, pirlarla 2 witchetty grub sp., Dogwood grub Cf. laju, ngarkirdi, wardingi, yipilani  
**wakuwarlpa** (N): (H) (Y) See yawakiyi  
**walalyirrki** (N): (La) (Y) *Acacia jennerae* Coonavitra Wattle  
**walanja** (N): *Eucalyptus pruinosa* Smoke Tree, Silver Box Cf. janypilypa  
**walunarri** (N): *Grevillea eriostachya* *Grevillea juncifolia* Honey Grevillea; Desert Grevillea Alt. walurnarri Cf. piriwa Syn. tipa, yurntulykunpa  
**wamulu** (N): (La) (Y) fluff, down, inflorescence, fibre Cf. kuruwarri, puwarrilypa, tarijirri, walka, waniarri Syn. kukulypa, mardukuru  
**wanakiji** (N): (H) (La) (Y) *Solanum chippendalei* Bush Tomato, Wild Tomato Cf. jarlparrpa, kakaja, kumpupaja, kurla-parnta, winjirrkiri Syn. ngardu, nganjawarli, ngayaki  
**wanayi** (N): (Y) See kurripi ??  
**wangki** (N): *Solanum ellipticum* Potato Bush Cf. kumpurarpa, kararipa, ngalilyirrki  
**wangkilinyi** (N): witchetty grub sp. Cf. mardukuru, tarijirri, wamulu  
**wanngardi** (N): (La) (Y) *Callitris columellaris* Native Pine  
**wanukurdu** (N): (La) (Y) *Atalaya hemiglauca*: Whitewood 2 witchetty grub  
**wanungkuru** (N): (H) (WW) edible seed; edible seed plant  
**wapilingki** (N): (La) (Y) *Eucalyptus microtheca* Coolibah Cf. wankilinyi Syn. karrawari  
**wapurnungku** (N): *Eucalyptus papuana* Ghost Gum  
**wararra-wararra** (N): wattle sp.  
**wararrji** (N): See ngalyipi 2 (La) rope, twine  
**wardawarda** (N): (H) scrub, good cover, dense vegetation Alt. wartawarta Cf. mulyu-paka-rnu, yuwurrku 2 (La) (Wi) (H) under cover, keeping out of sight, camouflaged, concealed in scrub, hidden by vegetation, creeping along hidden behind tree Cf. wurru-ka-nyi, wuruly(pa), wutu-wutu, yajiki, yarrkayi, yura-ka-nyi  
**wardarrka** (N): (La) (Y) (Wi) *Acacia ligulata* Umbrella Bush  
**wariyi** (N): (La) (Y) (Wi) *Cassia pruinosa*, *desolata*, *artemesioides*: *Cassia* spp. Cf. yiriwurrnyu  
**warikalpa** (N): *Duboisia hopwoodii*; *Prostanthera striatiflora* ?? Poison Bush, Pituri; Striped Mintbush Cf. kirliyi  
**warikal-yirra-mi** (V): put <warikalpa> into, treat (water) with <warikalpa>  
**warlpawu** (N): (H) (Wi) open country with spinifex cover, spinifex plains, desert Cf. manangkarra Syn. ngataji  
**warnaparnapa** (N): (La) (Y) *Ptilotus* spp.: Hairy Tails (shrub) Alt. warnaparnapi Cf. kukapardu  
**warnaralpa** (N): *Eragrostis eriopoda* Woollybutt Grass  
**warntapi** (N): (Wi) (Y) bark Alt. parntapi Cf. pangki, pinti, wurdamirri 2 bark box, bark container Cf. pakarli, wirntalpa, wujulpa, yakuju  
**warnturunpa** (N): (WW) tree sp. 2 witchetty grub sp.  
**warrakarlukarlu** (N): *Solanum petrophilum* Rock Nightshade  
**warrangkarli** (N): (WW) plant sp.  
**warrilyi** (N): *Eucalyptus pachyphylla* Red-bud Mallee Alt. warrulyu Cf. yirlangkurrnyu, yirruwu Syn. jitilypuru, walyilpi  
**warripinyi** (N): (H) (La) *Panicum australiense* grass-seed sp., grass sp. Alt. warrupinyi Cf. lukarrara, yipiri, yukarrija  
**warrpa** (N): (H) seed-heads; spinifex

- Syn. muna, nyirli-nyirli, yawirlara  
**warrurnkura** (N): *Stylobasium spathulatum* shrub sp. Cf. wijirmpi  
**wartaruru** (N): *Acacia jennerae*, *Acacia validinervia* (?), *Acacia ancistrocarpa* (?)  
**Coonavitra Wattle** Cf. karlurnturrngu, pirraru  
**wartawarta** (N): (H) thick scrub, forest, dense bush Cf. mulyu-paka-mi, yuwurrku  
**warukunarri** (N): (Wi) (H) partially ripened fruit, fruit just starting to ripen, unripe (fruit), not fully ripe Ant. kunampi Cf. murntu, yirnmi, parru, rdarri  
**watakiyi** (N): *Capparis mitchellii* Wild  
**Orange, Bush Mango** Cf. jukurru, ngarntajari  
**watarlapi** (N): lateral yam roots Cf. jiardu, jirdiji, mardi, ngamarna, ngarna, wapi, wunju, yartura, yintirdi, yiwirri  
**watiya** (N): tree, bush, shrub, plant Cf. jirdiji, marna #, miyi, ngarna #, parrka  
 2 wood Cf. jalyirrrpa, jinjirla, paka(paka), wurdamirri  
 3 stick, rod, baton, branch Cf. jiwirri, kana, karlangu, kuturu, rdalyku, turdi, warlu #, yilyanypa  
 4 (SL) See kurlarda  
**watiya-rla-makurmta-panji-rli** (N): (lit. spear-LOC-brother-in-laws-ERG) See wiinywiinyapa  
**watiya-warnu** (N): *Acacia tenuissima* wattle, *Acacia* sp. Cf. yamajijanu Syn. minyana  
**wawarrinpa** (N): (La) ?? tall grass  
**wayipi** (N): (La) (Y) *Boerhavia diffusa* ?? creeper sp. with small edible tuber Cf. kajutari, kujurntu, ngarlajiyi, wayiti, yarla  
**wayipi-pama** (N): Fam. *Geometridae* Looper caterpillar Cf. ngalyipi-pama, wakapartari, yarla-pama  
**wayiti** (N): (La) creeper sp., tuber sp. Cf. wayipi  
**wiinpiri** (N): (La) (Y) *Pandorea doratoxylon* Spearwood Alt. winpiri  
**wijilypi** (N): ?? spelling *Clerodendrum floribundum* Smooth Spiderbush Alt. wijirlpi Syn. jatipiji, jatupiji, punayi, yir(d)imardi  
**wijirmpi** (N): ?? seed pod of *Stylobasium spathulatum* (WARRURNKURA) tree: seed-pod sp.  
**wijirrki** (N): *Ficus platypoda* Native Fig  
**wilyarnku** (N): (H) big leafy tree, shady tree, big tree with luxuriant foliage Cf. malurnpa, ngarnkulku, yama Ant. larrkaja, lirrki-lirrki Syn. pulkurnpa  
**wilyiri** (N): (La) (Y) *Elderia arenivaga* fungi sp., truffle Cf. jinti-parnta, purtupurtu, yakirardu  
**wilypati** (N): stump Cf. pirdilypa, rdalyku, watiya  
**wilypiri** (N): hollow of tree, hole in something, cavity Cf. pirdi, rdaku, rdilypirrpa, yurltu  
**wilypiri-ngawurrrpa** (N): (lit. hollow-tree-DENIZEN) See janganpa  
 2 (La) empty (as of a can)  
 3 (Wi) piece of hollowed out wood, container made from piece of hollowed out wood Cf. pangu-mu, parraja, pili  
**wini** (N): blackened country after bush-fire, burnt-off country, scorched earth, fired country Cf. kuntara Syn. ngunjalpa  
**wirimangurru** (N): tree sp.  
**wirlimpangi** (N): (Wi) (H) See mardi  
**wirliya-purlanjaki** (N): (H) seed-bearing plant sp.  
**wirniny-wirninypa** (N): *Psoralea balsamica* tree sp. Cf. pinamparli, wirnpirarri, yakirlipurrunya  
 2 small spear Cf. kurlarda, rdaji-rdaji, wirnininy-pardu, wurninininy-pardu  
**wirnpirarri** (N): tree sp. Cf. wirninywirninypa  
**wirnti** (N): (Wi) (H) branch (of tree, bush, shrub) Cf. jalyirrrpa, jirdiji, ngarna, parla, parlpirrrpa, parrka, watiya  
**wirriya** (N): boy, lad Cf. malju, murrku, mangi, yaparranji Syn. wintirlka  
 2 male, male sex, male gender Cf. mardi  
 3 (La) barren, childless Cf. ??  
**wirriya-mpangu** (N): (Y) (La) small water, superficial water, shallow water Ant. ngamajanangu Cf.

- mulju, ngawarra
- wirrkali (N): (H) (La) (Wi) See wurrkali
- wirrkali-nypi (N): (Wi) (H) stand of  
Bloodwood trees 2 (H) plenty of  
trees
- wirrpinyaru (N): (WW) *Grevillea  
juncifolia*; *Grevillea stenobotrya*: Desert  
Grevillea; Rattlepod Grevillea Alt.  
wiyinyari Cf. tipa, walunarri  
2 (La) ?? bush bean (from the  
WURRPARDI)
- wiyinyari (N): (H) See wirrpinyaru
- wujulpa (N): (La) (Y) bag, wrapping,  
bundle, package, parcel Alt. wujurlpa  
Cf. kunku, rdumpa, wananga, warntapi  
2 Syn. jungkajungka, wirmtalpa 2,  
yakuju, yuurnpa  
2 handbag, suitcase; pillow, pillow-case  
Cf. katarlpi  
3 placenta, afterbirth Syn. makarra  
4 (La) bud of flower before it opens up
- wulpayi-wulpayi (N): fluff, flax Cf.  
wamulu
- wumparlpa (N): *Eucalyptus pruinosa*;  
*Eucalyptus leucophloia* (?): Silver Box;  
Migum
- wunju (N): (La) (Wi) yam, sweet potato  
Alt. yunju Cf. ngamarna, mardi,  
puurda, watarlapi, yaljirra, yarla  
2 (La) electrical wire  
3 (La) strength
- wurdamirri (N): bark Cf. paka-paka 2,  
pangki, panjarlpa, parntapi, pinti,  
warntapi, watiya 2 2 bark dish, bark  
container Cf. mardu, ngami, parraja  
Alt. wurdamirri, yurdamirri Syn.  
pakakurlu, parntapi, warntapi
- wurrkali (N): *Eucalyptus terminalis*  
Northern Bloodwood, Bloodwood tree  
Alt. wirrkali, yurrkali Cf. kanta,  
mangarrayi, yurrkurlju
- wurrpardi (N): (La) (Y) *Acacia  
dictyophleba* Sandhill Wattle,  
Spearwood Alt. wurrpati, yurrpati Cf.  
pujiyi, wiinpiri, wirrpinyari
- yaakiyi (N): (H) See yawakiyi
- yaarr-pari (N): red Cf. tiri-tiri,  
yalyuyalyu  
2 raw, uncooked, unripe, bloody  
3 bad, wicked, badly behaved, bloody Cf.  
wingki, winkirra
- yajarnpi (N): See wajarnpi
- yajukurlu (N): *Cynanchum  
floribundum* Desert Cynanchum,  
Native Pear, Wild Cabbage
- yakajirri (N): (H) (Y) (Wi) See kararra  
*Solanum centrale* Cf. karrkarrkura,  
karturu, kunampi, mulyu<sup>2</sup>, nganjawarli,  
ngapajimpi, yipintirri
- yakangku (N): Salt Bush ??  
2 witchetty grub sp.
- yakanku (N): See janmarda
- yakardu (N): (Y) disturbed ground (from  
witchetty grub) Cf. ngarntu
- yakipi (N): (Y) (La) (Wi) food cooked and  
eaten away from camp, food cooked and  
eaten while out hunting
- yakirripurrunyu (N): (La) (Y) *Psoralea  
leucantha* plant sp. Cf.  
wirninywirninypa
- yakirardu (N): (Y) (La) (H) truffle sp. Cf.  
purlurntari, purtupurtu, wilyiri
- yakunjiyi (N): *Erempholia duttonii*  
Harlequin Fuschia Bush, Red Poverty  
Bush Cf. miinypa, yanyilingi
- yaljirra (N): (Y) (La) See yarla
- yalkurrngu (N): nectar, honey, juice Cf.  
jurlarda, jurru (#), ngarlu, nungu, pama
- yalparaji (N): See yirrkanngarli Alt.  
yapirilji, yapuralyi
- yalupu (N): ?? yarlupu *Acacia victoriae*  
Acacia Bush Syn. yarlirti
- yalypilyi (N): Mulga scale
- yama (N): shade, shadow Cf. malurnpa
- yama-kakarrara (N): (lit. shadow-  
east) afternoon, late afternoon  
Ant. wanta-kakarrara
- yama-karlarra (N): (lit. shadow-  
west) sunrise, early morning,  
morning Ant. wanta-karlarra Cf.  
mungalyurru-mungalyurru,  
rdangkarr-kurlu
- yama-kurlirra (N): (lit. shadow-  
south) midday, noon Cf. laparda,  
mirmtangali Syn. wanta-yatijarra
- yama-puralji (N):

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- 2 shady tree Cf. malurnpa, pulkurnpa  
 3 (H) leaves, foliage, growth, vegetation, leafy branches Cf. jalyirra, jirdiji, parla, parlpirra, parrka, watiya  
 4 with luxuriant feathers, with luxuriant down, feathery, downy Cf. PULKURNPA  
 5 shade, bough-shelter, brush-shelter Cf. rdupa, yunta  
 6 spirit of deceased, soul of dead person, shade Cf. manparrpa, pirlirra  
 yangardurrku (N): (Y) ?? new ripe Bush Banana Cf. yuparli Syn. yumturmgu  
 yangurnungu (N): (La) See yarla  
 yanjalka (N): tea, tea leaves Syn. naliya, tiyi, yarlpilyi  
 yanjalykinyi (N): See yinjalykinyi  
 yankurlayi (N): See marrkirdi  
 yanyirlingi (N): (Y) See miinyapa Cf. yurnajiti  
 yaparalji (N): See yirrkangarli Alt. yaparalji, yapiralyi, yapirilyi, yapuralyi  
 yapirilyi (N): See yapuralyi  
 yapuralyi (N): See yirrkangarli Alt. yalparaji, yapiralyi, yapirilyi, yapuralji  
 yardamanyamanya (N): *Calotis hispidula* Bogan Flea, Burr Daisy, grass prickles, bindi-eyes  
 2 best friend, inseparable friends, people who stick together, companions  
 yardijardiji (N): (H) *Fimbristylis dichotoma* Eight-day Grass Alt. yirdijirdiji, yurdijurdiji  
 yarla (N): *Ipomea costata* bush potato, sweet potato, yam, Rock Morning Glory Cf. jijardu, mardi (#), ngamarna, ngarlajiyi, watarlapi, wayipi, wunju, yinjalykinyi, yutujiti Syn. paparda, papirta, puurda, yaljirra  
 yarla-pama (N): (lit. yam-delicacy) yam grub Cf. ngalyipi-pama, wayipi-pama  
 yarlirlkarlirlki (N): See ngarlirlkarlirlki  
 yarlirti (N): See yalupu  
 yarlpilyardu (N): *Acacia* aff. *aneura* wattle sp., acacia sp., Mulga  
 yarlpilyi (N): See yanjalka  
 yarlpirli (N): edible scale  
 yamanti (N): ash Cf. pirilyi, yipa, yurlpulya Syn. puna, yarminyi  
 yamawurdu (N): See pawurlirri  
 yarminyi (N): See yamanti  
 yarmtapiri (N): (H) See wurdamirri  
 yarmtapiri (N): (Wi) See pirdijirri  
 yarraji (N): (H) grass seed sp. Alt. jarraji ??  
 2 edible seed-bearing grass sp.  
 yarraji (N): (H) seed-grass sp. Cf. yarraji  
 yarralyuku (N): (Y) (H) tree sp.  
 yarrarntinyi (N): (H) See yawakiyi  
 yarrkampi (N): See piriwa  
 yarmirlpi (N): (Wi) See yunkurmu  
 yarrunungu (N): See PAPINGI ??  
 yartura (N): root Cf. ngarna 2(b), palka 3, parrka, watarlapi, yirtirdi Syn. nganju  
 yaronpa (N): (H) (Y) (Wi) *Nicotiana rosulata* ssp. *ingulba* plains tobacco, native tobacco, pituri Cf. janyungu, jurnpurnpu, puna, yamanti, yarminyi  
 yawakiyi (N): *Canthium latifolium* Native Currant Alt. yaakiyi Cf. yintiwirri Syn. wakuwarlpa, yawalyurru, yarrarntinyi  
 yawalyurru (N): See yawakiyi  
 yawirlara (N): spinifex seed heads, stalks of spinifex Cf. janpi, kalpalpi, manyangampa, marna, yinjiri, yipiri, yirdijirdiji Syn. warrpa  
 yayirri-yayirri (N): (Wi) See karrinyarra Cf. kalpalpi  
 yijalkirri (N): (H) See pirnti-nyarra bank (of creek, water-course), side of creek  
 yijalkirri-parnta (N): grass sp. Cf. kalpalpi, kalajirdi, karrinyarra, kurnturlja, yinjiri, yipiri, yirdijirdiji  
 2 (Y) gully, gorge Cf. karru, pawala, wirri  
 yika (N): *Panicum decompositum* (or *Brachiaria milliformis*): grass sp.; seed sp.  
 yilangkiyi (N): See yilangkurunyu  
 yilangkurunyu (N): *Eucalyptus gamophylla* Blue Mallee Syn. yilangkiyi  
 yiltilypa (N): See yilykinji Alt. yirtilypa  
 yilyanypa (N): (Y) (H) (La) dry grass, dry twigs, dry leaves, dry stalks, straw Cf. jalyirra, jiwirri, mangkaja, marna, mina, watiya  
 yilyirri (N): (a) pericarp, skin, shell,

- husk (b) witchetty skin, witchetty niche  
Cf. kanta, mangarrayi, pinti,  
wangarlapayipayi, warnparmpi;  
ngarkirdi, yartura Syn. mina
- yilykinji** (N): *Grevillea striata*  
Beefwood Syn. yitilypa
- yimampi** (N): lerp sp., edible scale Cf.  
yapuralyi, yirrkangarli Syn.  
panyapanya
- yimara** (N): ?? check if not yimarra =  
young wajarnpi *Acacia brachystachya*  
Umbrella Wattle Cf. manja,  
yarpilyardu
- yimiyaka** (N): See miyaka
- yinirnti** (N): *Erythrina vespertilio* Bean  
Tree, Batswing Coral Tree; seeds of Bean  
Tree
- yinjalykinyi** (N): (E) (H) yam sp. Alt.  
yanjalykinyi Cf. kajutari, ngarlajiyi,  
yarla
- yinjiminyi** (N): *Rhagodia spp.*: vine sp.
- yinjiri** (N): (Y) *Themeda spp.*,  
*Chrysopogon spp.* grass spp.  
2 (H) (Wi) See wirri Cf. karru Syn.  
wirri
- yinjirrpai** (N): (Wi) (Y) Dogwood seeds  
Cf. kunanturu, ngungkarli, wakirlpirri,  
wanarri #Syn. pirlarla  
2 Dogwood seed drink Cf. wakirlpirri  
Syn. ngungkarli
- yintirdi** (N): stump, base, foot (of tree);  
under tree, beneath tree Cf. jirdiji,  
ngarna 2(a), ngati-nyanu #, yartura  
2 inside a humpy, under a shelter,  
under a roof, under cover  
3 base (of the tail) Cf. mirntilyi, muju
- yintimingimingi** (N): tree sp.
- yintiwirrki** (N): dried fruit, dried berries  
Cf. karturu, jungkunypa, linji, mulyu<sup>2</sup>  
yawakiyi
- yipiri** (N): grass sp. Cf. kalpalpi, marna,  
mulkunju, waurrupinyi, yirdijirdiji
- yipirntiri** (N): *Solanum cleistoganum*  
Shy Nightshade Cf. kunampi
- yirdijirdiji** (N): (Y) See yardijardiji
- yirili** (N): batter, smooth paste Syn.  
nungu
- yiriwurrnyu** (N): (Wi) (Y) (La) fire-  
brand, torch Cf. jiwirri, ngiji, wawurru
- yirlangkurrnyu** (N): *Eucalyptus*  
*gamophylla*, *Eucalyptus setosa* (?) Blue  
Mallee Cf. warrilyi
- yirltayi** (N): *Goodenia ramellii* grass sp.  
Alt. yirltayirltayi Syn. wanya-parnta
- yirltayirltayi** (N): (Y) See yirltayi
- yirtilyirr(pa)** (PV): finely ground
- yirtilyirr-pi-nyi** (V): grind into  
smooth paste Cf. nungu, puyu-pi-  
nyi, yirili, yurpa-rni
- yiminpa** (N): (La) (Y) rough, raw  
material Cf. nyintinyinti Syn. yulju  
2 useless Cf. yalkumpu, rdarrpurla
- yiminpa-marri** (N): ??
- yirrimi** (N): (Y) (La) See murntu Alt.  
yurnmi
- yirrakurru** (N): (Y) See janmarda
- yirrirparri** (N): (H)  
2 witchetty grub sp.
- yirrkangarli** (N): (H) *Psylla eucalypti*  
Manna, lerp scale Cf. yalypilyi, yimampi  
Syn. panyapanya, yapiralyi, yapirilyi
- yirruwu** (N): *Eucalyptus*  
*normantoniensis* (?) mallee sp. Cf.  
warrilyi
- yitilypi** (N): tree sp.
- yitiwaji** (N): (WW) seed-grass
- yiwirnti** (N): *Canthium lineare* Wild  
Currant Alt. yuwirnti
- yiwirri** (N): (Wi) yam roots from runners  
Cf. mardi, ngamarna, puurda, watarlapi,  
yaljirrpai, yarla, yintirdi
- yukarrija** (N): *Panicum australiense*:  
seed-bearing grass Cf. warripinyi Syn.  
purnujutu
- yukuju** (N): (H)
- yukunkardi** (N): ??possibly  
YUKURNKARRI *Eremophila freelingii*  
(?), *gilesii*: shrub sp. Cf. yanyirlingi  
2 Witchetty grub  
3 grub sp., caterpillar sp.
- yukuri** (N): green vegetation, new  
growth, fresh vegetation Cf. parru,  
wanka Syn. wajirrki  
yukuri-yukuri (N): Syn. wajirrki-  
nyi, wajirrki-wajirrki
- yulju** (N): raw material (e.g. elbow of tree  
appropriate for boomerang making or  
decorative inflorescence), rough Alt.  
wulju Cf. nyirnti-nyirnti, yiminpa raw  
material, rough
- yulkardi** (N): *Mukia micrantha* Bush

**Cucumber, Mat Plant**  
**yulyurlpu (N):** mistletoe sp. Cf. yunkurrmu  
**yumurnunju (N):**  
**yunkurrmu (N):** *Amyema %elat!and %lat!Lysiana:* mistletoe spp. Syn. yarrmiripi Cf. yulyurlpu  
**yunpayi-yunpayi (N):** *Calocephalus platycephalus:* Yellow Daisy Herb Cf. mardukuru, wamulu  
**yuparli (N):** *Leichhardtia (Marsdenia australis):* Bush Banana Cf. purrpalangi, yangardurrku, yurnturrngu  
**yuranypa (N):** (SL) See miyi Ant. kuyu Syn. mangarri, miyi  
**yurany-yuranypa (N):** vegetables, fruits, grains Cf. wirrpi-rninj-karra  
**yurdamirri (N):** See wurdamirri  
**yurdi (N):** tree-top, upper-branches, upper end of pole Alt. yurdu Cf. kankarlarra, wakirdi, wakirdi-wakirdi Syn. pirntirri  
**2 (PV):** up Cf. yuwali-pi-nyi  
**yurdijurdiji (N):** See yardijardiji  
**yurltunkunpa (N):** *Drosera indica:* Long-leafed Sundew  
**yurlujurrku (N):** grass sp.  
**yurlumpuru (N):** *Panicum decompositum:* grass seed sp.  
**yurlumkuru (N):** *Xanthorea thorntonii:* Blackboy Tree  
**yurnajiti (N):** tree scale sp.  
**yurnanji (N):** (Wi) mulga scrub Cf. manja, mulyu-pakarnu, wardiji, yuwurrku  
**yurnmi (N):** ripe  
**2** cooked Alt. yirnmi Cf. murntu, waparlku Ant. wanka  
**yurntulykunpa (N):** See walunarri  
**yurnturrngu (N):** (Y) See yangardurrku  
**yurkulju (N):** flower, gum-nut Alt. yukuju Cf. jinjirla, mirmpirri  
**yurrunyu (N):** gum-nut Cf. milpa 2(a), mirmpirri, yukuju, yurkulju  
**yutajiti (N):** *Ipomea muelleri:* Morning Glory Syn. ngarlangkartapi  
**yuurrku (N):** See yuwurrku  
**yuwirnti (N):** See yiwirnti  
**yuwurrku (N):** dense vegetation, scrub,

bush, long grass Alt. yuurrku Cf. wardawarda, yurnanji Syn. jari, jirrijirrinpa, mulyu-paka-rnu