

GENERAL VOCABULARY

Abduct, to	Yai-i marad'onū
Abscond, to	Yaral nganongu
Abundance	Bard'ud'era
Adultery	Walyi
Afraid	Biu
Aged	Bulga
Alive	Kauerdu
Amuse, to	Kudi man
Anger, angry, to be	Bad'a
Ashes	Muba
Ask, to	D'ura
Astray, to go	Walya walya burding
Autumn	Kalaru
Apron (woman's)	T'alyuru
Avenging party	Jina garbula; buga mungu
Back, to go	Kardu nari
Bad	Walyi
Bag	Ngumul
Bag, to carry in a	Manduguija (put it on shoulders)
Bald	Balga bundarl
Bandy legged	Jirangulgi
Barb (of a spear)	Ngald'ara gaji
Bare	Guluguma, gulu-uma
Battle	Bad'abardud'era
Beat, to	Marabungu, gundigu bungu
Beautiful	D'ardu ngari
Behind	Eud'u nganu ngarin
Belt	Ngumul warja
Big	Magul
Bite, to	Bajan, kardi bajan, bad'an
Black	Kardea
Blind	Wardu marongu

General Vocabulary (continued)

Blow with the mouth, to	Bumbāburn
Board, for throwing spear	D'ardil (hook of mila), mila
Bony	Kambu ngaian
Boomerang	Karli
Break, to	Kadarn
Bring	Yulu maro nari
Bundle give	Ngurduing ngurjanu
Burn, burnt	Kala ngalong
Bury, to	D'amba ijan
Eye-and-bye	Bud'ajiu
Bruised all over	Buld'a bigal bigal bungu
Camp	Wamu
Cannibal, cannibalism	Mining ngalgūn
Cataract (flim over eye)	Wardu ngandain
Change, to	Yungun
Charcoal	Kardīa
Cheat, to	Burdiyungu
Choke, to	Wia marnina nanangu
Clasp, to	Kanggamu
Clay, white lime	Bilarn
Climb, to	Wandi burdan
Close (near)	Yad'i nyina
Club	Kundi
Come in, to	Yulu nari
Conceal, concealed	Bura nyina
Construct, to	Waman minda ija
Cook, to, cooked	D'urabaru, d'uru baurin, meat cook; burna baurin, in ashes cook
Cooked meat	Mūrla
Corroboree	Wajurda
Couple	Kujal
Covered	Ngabalunu
Covered up, to leave	Dambaja

General Vocabulary (continued)

Coward	Walyi biu
Creep (to creep on game)	Wandam būdan
Crippled, crooked	Nandurn
Cut, to (with knife or native hammer)	Kardiana
Childbirth, dying in	Ngalbu runu, banyina wandi ngalbarunu
Dance, to dance	Yargame
Dead	Ngalba
Deaf	Kule yuber bungu (noise makes me deaf) kulia marong
Decay, decayed	Buga
Deceit, deceive	Karili
Dense, stupid	Kule marung
Devil	Moburn
Different	Yai-i nganyin (fresh one coming)
Dig, to	Yulabaiangari ; digging ground = wandi baiian yula baiian
Divide, to	Yua nan
Dog's tail head- dress	Mundi ngumurl; mania = dog's tail
Down (short hair)	Kari ngumurl
Dream	T'angur
Drown, to	Bilala garin
Drunk	Balga ngana nganer
Dumb	Wia marong
Earache	Kulia marong
East	Kogara
Enough	Wand'a burding
Evil spirit	Burrga
Exchange	Ngagurl, ngagurla, yungurlja

General Vocabulary (continued)

Fall, to	Karina burding
Family or tribe	Gunminyera
Far away	Ngalguin
Fast	Yulu d'ari, dalga ngari, d'alga gurdiana
Fetch, to	Yulu mara ngari
Fillet, for the head	Ilyiya (of fibre or shaving), ngurgugaija
Finish, to	Wand'u barding
Firestick	Kanmara
Fish bait or trap	Fish are speared only
Flame	Yaru
Flat, to lie	D'ulburu ngundan
Flesh (of animals)	T'uru
Food (forbidden)	Wandarami (Don't touch it)
Friend, friendly	Gunminyera
Frightened	wila gumbilman (belly shaking); kula na mianu =
Full (satisfied)	Wilad'albun = belly full frightened in one's liver
Fur	Waja (fur string)
Fire, cold	Kala bil
Fl Game, a	Yurinmi
Get up, to	Bilga
Ghost	Jinga
Give, to	Ngulyua
Glutton	Balaid'ulu ngalgurn; mubili ngalgurn = you two eat all the time.
Go away, to	T'ardunari
Go back, to	T'ardubuda
Good	Yadu
Good, no	Walyi
Grave	Yuladambajin
Grease, to	Wirdija kargarn, wirdija ngaian
Greyheaded	Yulga-yulga, jiera
Grow	Mana manarin, budu manarin
Gum, edible	MInu
Government	Mulaiji
Grapes (wild)	Ngura

General Vocabulary (continued)

Half-caste	Yildura, yilduru
Hair stick	Ilyi
Hammer (native)	Ngalaiga t'abyuarin, karongu
He	Banardu
Heap, a	Ngurdu
Here	Nagardu, nogordu
Him	Ngagurdu, banardu
Hold, to	Wai mara
Honey	Ngald'a, birgala (mallee honey)
Hop, to	Dunda marong
Humpbacked	Burlda
Hungry	Bubal, ngamu bubal
Hunt to,	Waji waji burdun
Husband	Majelba
Headband	Wilgaru
I	Ngad'a
Idle	Ngunda na burding, ngand'arda
Ill (sick)	Ngandain
Improper	Walyindal
Incest	"
Itch	Miji miji baian
Jealous, jealousy	Bad'a warning
Joy	Yuri yurin (glad, pleased)
Kill, to	D'uru bungu
Kneel	T'ardu bira
Knife	Karongu, mulu, kandi
Know, to	Kania

General Vocabulary (continued)

Laugh, laughter	Guri man
Lean (thin)	Kambu marong
Lie (to tell a)	Karali
Lie (to lie down)	Ngundurn
Lift up, to	Irala binda
Listen, to	Gocarnami, waldu nyina (sit quiet)
Long (tall), long	Wida wirding
Long ago	Karajia
Look out, to	Nuami
Look, to (to see)	Nāgun
Leave him	Balaja
Lose, to, lost	Kule bundian
Love, to, lover	Yalbulba
Lot (big lot)	Mabulu (but you gave little one)
Long way away	Ngalguing
Mad, madness	Balgu marong
Many	Bardud'era
Marxy, to	Buneri, mulyaji
Master, a	Naralbi, marnawarin
Matches	Kāmmara
Me	Nganau, ngadha
Meat	Dhuru, t'uru
Medicine	Mobarn
Melt, to	Karda yūlbergong
Mend, to	Guna d'abu
Mia (native hut)	Wam, minda
Milk	Kundu
Mimic, to	Yaninggiri burdan
Mine (my own)	Nganau, nganea
Mix, to	Kura
Monster (fabulous)	Mobarn mogulu (magic wind)
Magic	Bunu = putting magic
Mob (big)	Mining bardud'era; yai burdu dinya yara mungur, yai mungur, bigger mob

General Vocabulary (continued)

Mourning	Kardīa, kala kardīa
Music	Yirgilman
My	Nganau, nganea
Name	Yini
Native well	Walbi baian
Never	Moga
No	Maka, maga
Noise	Kule bardi bardimu
North	Kaiali
Nose-piercing	Warda mula buldamu
Nose-stick	Idilyila kambu
Necklace, scorpion-tailed	Wanajin
Old	Manī'aga
One	Kaiunu
Open, opening	Mirdanaija
Paint, to	Wina wina, gunarn, murdarba gulbin, to paint with red, gunarn (with white)
Pair	Kujal
Pant, to, panting	Wi'uran
Pearlshell	Karar, bidili
Perhaps	Buda nganarin
Pick up, to	Maruda nganari
Pierce, to	Yarnu, kaji mira ijanu
Pinch, to	Myirida; bundulu baldunu, pinching
Play, to, playing	Yuryurin, bali yurin; ngardinjuni, just playing
Pleased, to be	Yadu ngadu gumbu, yiri yurin yuraburdian
Pluck out feathers	Ngumuri bundan
Plume, a	Muru, kalia nganba muru
Policeman	Ngalara, ngulinbirdi (S.A. - walja, Munderbila = yarda.)
Pound, to	Yulburda
Pull, to	Dugurda
Potato, wild	Gurdalu

General Vocabulary (continued)

Pole, long	Jaluru; wina, painted white
Push, to	Durdanu
Quick, quickly	Dalga nganar
Quiet, quietly	Wī-ida, wīda
Quivering	Kanji-ijana, leg quivering, nganju bindarn, body quivering.
Raw	Wonga
Red	Murdarba
Refuse, to	Maga
Rejoice, to	Yadu
Relate, to	Maiaman
Related, to be)	
Relation, a)	Guminyera
Relationship	Guminyera
Rob, to, robber	Ngandu marnun d'ananang, nganan d'uramu
Roundabout	Nguri-in (round and round)
Rub, to, rubbing	Kargami
Run away, to	Bīunu
Salt	Biliadalyi
Scar	Kaldiri, warda bamburu, ngargaldya, wigadarn
Scrape, to	Yūala
Scratch, to	Ininirin
Secrete, to, secretly	Buranyina
See, to	Nagurda, ngalgu nyangu
Shadow	Wīlya, malu
Shame	Kūliagin
Sharp (edge) a	Burdu, minya
Shield	Ngurnda, wardu ngunda (not made at Eucla)
Shiver, to	Minyarun
Short	Kūrardu
Sick (ill)	Ngandain
Side, the	Panji (ribs)
Shirt	Balda
Shoulder band	Nurdirga

General Vocabulary (continued)

Sinew (of kangaroo's tail)	Bidi, mudi bidi
Sing, to	Kanjila
Sit down, to	Nyinarn, nyinaburden
Slippery	Karilgangu
Slow, slowly	Wida
Sly	Gunbin-gunbin
Smoke, to (tobacco)	Buyu
Smoke (of fires)	"
Soft	Milya milya
Sorcery	Mobarn
Sore (or boil)	Kondur, kandur
Sorrow	Gunbu
Sorry	Burda larabungu
South	Kurila
Spear (generic)	Kaji, made from jindu only
Spear, to throw a	Marangu uangurn; ngaldara, bought spear,
Spear (war)	Kaji many barbed
Spill, to	Ilia
Spin, to (weave)	Warja kurnau
Split, to	T'aldareman
Spring (native well)	Biring
Squeeze, to	Burun, burun
Stamping	Baldan
Stand, to	Yugarn
Steep (high)	Yiraguji
Stick (woman's)	Wana ; my stick = jilba; markings on my stick =
Stir, to	Guran, uran warbi
Stop	Yugara
Story	Karali
Straight	Gumbarda

General Vocabulary (continued)

Stranger	Ngaguling, ngad'ari
Strangle, to	Wiu ngumimu; half strangling = bailgu kardamu
Strength	Mogulu
Strong	"
Sufficient	Bana mading
Sugar	Nalda (from ground), birgila (from mallee leaf)
Sulky (cross)	Bad'a
Summer	Bardingara, kaladara
Sweat	Ngalu
Swell, to	Wilalbin
Swim, to	Kurgarn
Swoon, to	Kulea gardongu
Take in the hand, to	Marau
Tattoo	Mundu (on chest)
Tear, to	Daldaraman
Tell me, tell, to	Nyundu nganand'ura
Ten	D'ulji = 2 hands (ten)
That very thing	Baru
Their, them	Nubilimi
There	Nand'ardu, t'adula
This, this one	Ngagardu
Thrash, to	Bungu
Three	Yalgardu
Throw, to (away)	Wanijungo
Throwing board	Mila
Tickle, ticklish	Jida gajin
Tie, to tie up	Ngumin
Tired	Gumul
Tomahawk	None at Eucla
Track	Jinardan
Trackless	Jina गया, bogu barbar dongu, nothing see

General Vocabulary (continued)

Truth, tell the	Yarad'alda jura
Twirl round	Gurarn
Two <i>Two</i>	Kudal
Ugly	Walyi
Uncooked meat	Wanga
Under, underneath	Yabārura
Understand	Kuner
	I don't understand = ngana ngaguling
Upside down	Inderjin
Vain (proud)	Gunbu
Very bad	Walyi
Very good	Gunbu, yadu
Vessels, bark, etc.	Yarlu, muya manu, karrguin (wooden)
Wander, to, off the right track	Walya walyi nganung
Warm	Kambarn
Wash, to	Wirdi kargarn; ^{kargarn,} ngurgu, wash with grease; milgali = to wash with blood
Weapons	Ngurdu n/inarn, ma'a
Weighty (heavy)	Magulu
West	Kalda
What	Ngandu
Where	Baru wogurdu
Whistle	Gurin man
White	Bilarn
Who is that?	Bana ngandulu
Wicked	Walyi
Wild native	Kaiala mining bugamangu - from back country
Winter	Kalaru
Witchcraft	Mobern

General Vocabulary (continued)

Wither, to	Bila (dried, withered)
Wood	Kanmare
Yamstick	Wana kandula
Yes	Ngaia
You	Nyunda, nundu
	You and me = ngundu ngad'a
Younger	Gurdulba
Your, yours	Nundiā