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Introduction

Glojo mir ebdayo zey yacana dayen.

Soon the world will converse through a common tongue.

Unilingua (= Mirad) is an artificially-constructed auxiliary language (conlang) developed and published by Paris-based author Noubar Agopoff as a serious medium for easy and logical international communication. Mirad is categorized by constructed language afficionados as *philosophical* because its vocabulary is mapped letter-by-letter to a semantic ontology or thesaurus. Also, the wordstock of Unilingua is considered *a priori*, that is, there is no deliberate association with words or roots in existing natural languages. The vocabulary is "from scratch", yet based on internal lexical and semantic rules that help the learner to construct and deconstruct derivations logically, mnemonically, and consistently.

For some odd reason, the author of this language called it the Latinesque name "Unilingua." In this revision of the language, the name will be the more internally consistent **Mirad** (pronounced *mee-RAHD*), which means *world language* (**mira** = world's + **d** = speech.)

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BASICS

Principles

The author claims in his book *Unilingua -- Langue universelle auxiliaire* that this language is well-suited for universal, logical communication because it is based on principles already exploited globally by sciences like mathematics and chemistry where symbolic formulas are constructed in accordance with strict rules and a limited sequence of symbols understood by all practitioners.

Unilingua, according to Agopoff, is based on the following principles:

- Every vowel has numeric, vectorial, scalar, or semantic value.
- Every consonant is semantically taxonomic.
- Word derivation is systematic, consistent, analogical, and mnemonic.
- Words are as ontologically unambiguous as possible.
- Words are as short and as easy to pronounce as possible.
- Inflection of words is regular and predictable.

Alphabet

The Unilingua alphabet has both lower-case and upper-case letters. The alphabet is the same as that of English, except that the letters 'qQ' and 'xX' are considered *non-native* and are used only in foreign names and borrowings. Also, the letters 'hH' and 'wW' are additional to to Agapoff's original set and are unique in that they have no semantic values; they are used for various grammatical-only purposes. A unique feature of **Mirad** is that every native letter, except for the two just mentioned, is a semantically-significant **atom** in the language and can be thought of as bricks in lexical construction

The order of the alphabet is as follows:

Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee Ff Gg Hh Ii Jj Kk Ll Mm Nn Oo Pp Qq* Rr Ss Tt Uu Vv Ww Xx* Yy Zz

In Unicode representations and indexing, the uppercase values precede the lowercase values. Uppercase letters are used much as in American English, that is, for the first letter in sentences, proper nouns, etc. See "Orthography" for more details. The asterisked letters are special, used only in foreign borrowings.

Punctuation

Punctuation is very much like that of American English. The graphemes are the same and the usage is similar.

Consonants

The *consonants* are the following:

```
bcdfghjklmnprstvwy*z
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*Note: The original author of this language did not include the letter **H/h** or **W/w** as a native grapheme. They been added here in order to encompass word structures not included by Agapoff, in addition to interjections and foreign borrowings. *Note that 'y' is a hybrid, because it sometimes acts like a consonant, but most often just alters the pronunciation of a vowel in much the same way a diacritical mark does in many languages. See more on this under #Vowels.

Vowels

Vowels, or more accurately, *vowel nuclei* consist of plain vowels or *yodified* vowels, that is, vowels that have a **y** before, after, or arround them.

The *plain* vowels are (only miniscules listed here):

aeiou

The *yodified* vowel nuclei are:

```
ya ye yi yo yu (pre-yodified)
ay ey iy oy uy (post-yodified)
yay yey yiy yoy yuy (circum-yodified)
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Orthography

Spelling rules are mostly similar to that of English. Capitalization follows the same rules as in English. European learners need to be especially careful to capitalize the first letter of the names of languages, nationalities, and inhabitants, which in most European languages are left in lowercase.

Note the following examples. The words are all capitalized because the root word is the name of the country China:

- · Kin China
- **Kina** Chinese (people or nation) [adj.]
- **Kinad** Chinese (language) [n.]
- Kinada Chinese (language) [adj.]

- **Kinadey** in Chinese [adv.]
- **Kinut** Chinese person
- Kinadaer to speak Chinese
- Kinader to utter in Chinese
- Kinadrer to write Chinese
- Kinadrun Chinese writing
- Kina vidrun Chinese calligraphy
- Kinadyeder to read Chinese
- Kinyena Chinese-like [adj.]
- **Kinyenay** in the Chinese way [adv.]
- Kin-Amerika vyeaner Sino-American relations
- **Kinconi** things Chinese
- Kinaser to sinofy
- Kintun Sinology
- Kintuna Sinological
- · Kintut Sinologist

Note: The author of this language uses non-Roman letters to represent some of the *pre-yodified* vowels ($\mathbf{g} = ya$, $\mathbf{e} = ye$, $\mathbf{o} = yo$, and $\mathbf{io} = yu$. The author employs a breve over the vowel to represent post-yodification ($\mathbf{\check{a}} = ay$, $\mathbf{\check{e}} = ey$, etc.). This book, however, uses the letter \mathbf{y} before and/or after the vowel to achieve yodification. It must be remembered, however, that \mathbf{ya} , \mathbf{yoy} , and other yodified vowels are considered single vowels in any analysis of the language (not consonant-vowel clusters). In other words, the letter \mathbf{y} is never a consonant; it is merely a graphemic device to yodify vowels.

Pronunciation

Consonant sounds

grapheme	IPA	English	Mexican Spanish	Frenc h	Comment
b	b	<u>b</u> ee	<u>b</u> ien	<u>b</u> on	
c	S	<u>s</u> ee	ha <u>c</u> e	garçon	Watch out! Sounds like "s".
d	d	<u>d</u> o	<u>d</u> os	<u>d</u> e	
f	f	<u>f</u> oo	<u>f</u> iesta	<u>f</u> ou	
g	g	goo	goma	gant	Always hard.
h	h	<u>h</u> i	jota		
j	ž	mirage		jour	
k	k	<u>k</u> etchup	<u>c</u> osa	<u>c</u> ar	
l	1	<u>l</u> aw	<u>l</u> a	<u>l</u> es	
m	m	<u>m</u> oo	<u>m</u> i	<u>m</u> on	
n	n	<u>n</u> o	<u>n</u> o	<u>n</u> on	

p	p	реа	росо	реи	
r	r		to <u>r</u> o		Dental flap or trill
S	š	<u>sh</u> ed		<u>ch</u> aise	A fricative "sh" sound!
t	t	<u>t</u> ea	<u>t</u> ú	<u>t</u> on	
v	v	<u>v</u> ie		<u>v</u> a	
W	w	<u>w</u> oo	J <u>u</u> an	<u>ou</u> i	
z	Z	<u>z</u> 00		<u>z</u> one	

Be very careful that the \mathbf{c} and the \mathbf{s} are not pronounced as their English or European equivalents. Think of the \mathbf{c} as being the French c cedilla (\mathbf{c}).

Simple vowel sounds

a as in Spanish la
e as in French thé
i as in Spanish sí!
o as in Spanish no
u as in Spanish tú

Yodified vowel sounds

ya as in English <u>yacht</u>
ye as in German <u>jeder</u>
yi as in French <u>yippie</u>
yo as in German <u>Joga</u>
yu as in German <u>Juli</u>

ay as in English <u>Thai</u>
ey as in English <u>see</u>
oy as in English <u>boy</u>
uy as in English <u>fooey</u>

Syllabification and Stress

If a word ends in a consonant or semi-vowel y, then the last syllable receives the stress, otherwise the penultimate (next-to-the-last) syllable is stressed. A syllable is defined as a group of letters with a single vowel nucleus.

gafif $\Rightarrow ga\text{-}FIF$ ifla $\Rightarrow I\text{-}fla$ yansea $\Rightarrow yan\text{-}SE\text{-}a$ manay $\Rightarrow ma\text{-}NAY$ Kinadae $\Rightarrow ki\text{-}na\text{-}DA\text{-}e$

Kinad $\Rightarrow ki$ -NAD

Every vowel in Unilingua is given its full syllabic pronunciation, even when juxtaposed in what English speakers would see as dipthongs:

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daea \Rightarrow da - E - a (three syllables)

oif \Rightarrow o - If (two syllables)
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WORD-BUILDING

Unilingua makes use of various principles and devices in order to accomplish logical, analogical, consistent, and extensive word-building:

Taxonomic codification of consonants

The consonants of root words are taken from a conceptual ontology matrix. For example, all root words beginning with the consonant **t** have something to do with *human beings*. Root words containing the consonant **j** relate somehow to *time*. The following words all contain the consonant **p**, which indicates *motion*:

```
zyip travel
jap precedence
tyoyap step
zoyp regression
pyan jump
teap visit
mamp flight
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Similarly, the following words all end in the consonant I, which indicates *liquid*:

mil water vafil wine mal gas meil mud vozil paint teabil tear

Again, the following words all end in the consonant **m**, which indicates *place*, *space*, *location*, *position*, *or furniture*:

tom residence cem table dyenam library tilam bar epem parking lot mem country

Semantic codification of vowels

The vowels in root words have various qualitative and quantitative values based on the following scales:

- Numeric (o 0, a 1, e 2, i 3, etc.)
- Ordinal/hierarchical (o zeroth/toplevel, a first, e second, etc.)
- Qualititive (a/o positive/negative, i/u positive/negative, e neutral)
- Vectorial (a/o up/down, i/u right/left, e middle)
- Natural (a sky, e land, i water, o underground)

The opposite of a word can often be produced by simply changing a vowel to the "opposing *vowel from the above list. For example:*

- $van together \Rightarrow von apart$
- **ab** $on \Rightarrow \mathbf{ob} \ off$
- $man \ light \Rightarrow mon \ shade$
- $aga \ big \Rightarrow oga \ little$
- $iga fast \Rightarrow uga slow$

Throughout the Unilingua word construction scheme, the vowel e always has a neutral or medial value:

- **veb** between
- yez inside
- **eza** moderate
- **ge** equal
- **zem** *middle*
- gye rather
- ev if
- je during
- **eb** *at*
- **ve** maybe

In hierarchical codification, the vowel **o** indicates the zeroth or toplevel element of an organization. In a qualitative codification, it has a negative slant. As a prefix, this vowel can also "nullify" a concept as in the following examples:

- $tel food \Rightarrow otel hunger$
- gela same \Rightarrow ogela different
- tadca married ⇒ otadca unmarried
- **es** function \Rightarrow **oes** malfunction

Hierarchical codification with ordinal vowels

Root words related hierarchically or organizationally differ only in their ordinal vowels. By

ordinal vowels is meant that the vowels have inherent numerical values (**o** 0, **a** 1, **e** 2, etc.). The zeroth element of any hierarchy always contains the ordinal vowel **o**. For example, the words for "duke", "prince", "marquis", and "king" differ only by an enumerative vowel which determines the rank:

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edeb emperor
ideb king
udeb baron
yadeb marquis
yedeb count
yudeb lord
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For further illustration, we can look at how the concept *human being* is hierarchically codified using ordinal vowels, where the larger the numeric value of the ordinal vowel, the lower the element is in the semantic hierarchy:

tob human being tab body teb head tib trunk tub arm

Scalability With Contrasting Vowels

Words can be semantically constructed along the qualitative scale of "postive", "neutral", and "negative" through the used of vowels imbued with these values. In Unilingua, there are two qualitative vowel series:

positive	neutral	negative
a	e	0
i	e	u

As implied in the above table, root words with \mathbf{a} contrast semantically with those with \mathbf{o} and roots words with \mathbf{i} contrast with those with \mathbf{u} . Words with \mathbf{e} are in the middle between the two extremes. For example:

positive	neutral	negative
va yes	ve maybe	vo no
aza strong	eza moderate	oza weak
fia good		fua bad
iga fast		uga slow

Vectorial codification

On the vectorial (or: directional, geo-spatial) scale, the vowels have the following general

values (see later for a more detailed explanation):

a	0
up/north/ahead	down/south/back
e	
in/middle	
i	u
right/east/straigh	left/west/crooke
t	d

Some examples:

- **ab** $on \Rightarrow$ **eb** $at \Rightarrow$ **ob** off
- $yib far \Rightarrow yeb between \Rightarrow yub near$
- $zi right \Rightarrow ze in the middle \Rightarrow zu left$
- yaber to raise \Rightarrow yeber to contain \Rightarrow yober to lower

In the following examples, the vowels **i/u** and **e** take on *directional* values with respect to the doer of the action:

bier to take	nier to consume	dier to ask	pier to leave	iper to go away	iber to receive
beer to keep	neer to conserve	der to say	peer to stay	eper to stop	eber to stop
buer to give	nuer to supply		puer to arrive	uper to come	uber to send

Natural (geological) codification

On the natural scale, the vowels have the following values:

vowe l	value	examples
a	sky/air	mampar aircraft, map wind (current)
e	land/soil	mempar car, mep road
i	sea/water	mimpar ship, mip river
0	undergroun d	mompar subway, mop tunnel

Semantic nuancing

Semantic nuances and gradations of quality of words are reflected through the "lengthening", that is, addition of a harmonic subordinal vowel to the ordinal vowel, yodification (adding y) of the ordinal vowel, or the addition of one in a series of intensifying (\mathbf{l}, \mathbf{r}) or distinguishing $(\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{s}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{f}, \text{etc.})$ consonants, or any of the above techniques in combination. In this scheme,

pre-yodification signals a semantic intensification, while post-yodification indicates a weakening or mitigation of sense. A doubling of the vowel usually indicates another kind of lessened strength of the corresponding single-vowel word. Here are some examples:

Post-yodification deintensifies the semantic value of the base word in much the same way as the suffix *-ish* sometimes mitigates the value of an English adjective.

normal word	deintensified word
ama hot	ayma warm
oma cold	oyma cool
ima wet	iyma humid
at vage I want	at vayge I'd like
at yege I must	at yeyge I should
moza black	moyza blackish
e two	ey half
gla very	glay somewhat
mar sun	mayr star
ifer to love	iyfer to like
byok pain	byoyk ache
tom residence	toym home
dom city	doym town
din story	diyn tale
pener to seize	peyner to catch
pon rest	poyn respite

Pre-yodification is sometimes used to intensify the semantic value of the base word:

normal word	intensified word
om cold	yom ice
am heat	yam fire
ga more	gya most
pener to seize	pyener to strike
pot animal	pyot wild animal
vaa affirmative	vyaa true
ab on	yab above
ze in the middle	zye through

of	
uba away	yuba far
bok illness	byok pain
paner to move	pyaner to jump

The consonant extenders "l" and "r" are sometimes used to intensify the semantic value of the base word.

normal word	strong	stronger
byok pain	blyok agony	bryok torture
vag desire	valg yearning	varg craving
yega necessary	yelga urgent	yerga critical
pyener to hit	pyenler to beat	to pyenrer smash
fyuder to offend	flyuder to insult	fryuder to outrage
dier to request	diler to beg	direr to demand

The ordinal vowel can be extended with a homorganic subordinal vowel in order to add an element of "lengthening" or some other nuance to the meaning of the base word:

normal word	intensified word
bok illness	book fatigue
vager to want	vaager to desire
dob state	doob nation
dab	daab
government	administration
tob body	toob gender
din story	diin recitation
byeler to retain	byeeler to conserve
mil water	miil dew

Here are some examples where all these techniques are employed:

derived word	method of derivation	
bok illness	normal	
boyk ailment	post-yodification (mitigation)	

book fatigue	lengthening	
booyk lassitude	post-yodification (mitigation)	
byok pain	pre-yodification (intensification)	
byoyk ache	post-yodification (mitigation)	
byook suffering	lengthening	
blyok agony	L-intensification (1st order)	
bryok torture	R-intensification (2nd order)	

derived word	method of derivation	
vager to want	normal	
valger to yearn for	L-intensification (1st order)	
varger to crave	R-intensification (2nd order)	
vaager to desire	lengthening	
vayger to wish for	post-yodification (mitigation)	
vaayger to aspire to	lengthening	

Other consonants are used variously to differentiate nuances of words:

derived word
va yes
vaa positive
vala sure
vayla certain
vaala safe
vara evident
vayra manifest
valda certified
vayca secure
vyaa true
vyaya genuine
vyaca correct

l .,
vyayca right
vyaba regular
vyayba
statutory
vyava exact
vyalva perfect
vyafa precise
vyata fair
vyama real
vyaama virtual
vyayma actual
vyada frank
vyala authentic

Mnemonic and analogic association

Mnemonics is used to the fullest to associate root words and concepts. For example, the words "neigh", "hehaw", "bark", and "meow" in Unilingua all contain a hint of the animal name with which these are associated. For example:

animal	sound
yepet dog	yepeder to bark
apet horse	apeder to neigh
yapet pig	yapeder to squeal

Two or more words are often joined into a single compound, producing a new concept, where the separate elements are suggestive of the meaning of the resulting compound. In some cases, words overlap much like *portmanteau* words in English (*breakfast* + *lunch* = *brunch*). (Note, for euphony, if the final consonant of the first root word is the same as the initial consonant of the second root word, one of the consonants is dropped.)

first concept	second concept	compound
il liquid	pan motion	ilpan wave
teac- to see	per to go	teaper to visit
dom city	mep way	<pre>domep street (not dommep)</pre>
kum side	mep way	kumep sidewalk

zey across	mep way	zeymep bridge
zye through	mep way	zyemep thoroughfare
elyam iron	mep way	elyamep railroad
mag fire	meb mountain	magmeb volcano
tyoyab foot	per to go	tyoyaper to walk
mic window	nof cloth	micof curtain
mac floor	nof cloth	macof carpet
bik care	nof cloth	bikof bandage
teb head	nof cloth	tef hat
yuj- to close	nof cloth	yujof fold
tom home	nof cloth	tomof tent
nun merchandise	par vehicle	nunpar truck
pat bird	ij beginning	patij egg
yan together	iv joy	yaniv festival
oj future	nac money	ojnac credit
ej present	mac money	ejnac cash
vye relative	naz 'value	vyenaz coefficient
ke- to seek	bier to take	kebier to choose
job time	bier to take	jobier to borrow
dop miliary	bier to take	dopbier to conquer
nuc payment	bier to take	nucbier to purchase
ko- to hide	bier to take	kobier to steal
tel food	tam house	telam restaurant
mag fire	il liquid	magil oil
mam sky	mil water	mamil rain
mir planet	nod point	mirnod pole
mam sky	nid line	mamnid horizon
mar light	nid line	marnid ray
nof cloth	yazser to flatten	nofyazser to iron
taob flesh	tel food	taol meat
taob flesh	fab tree	faob wood
faob wood	cyeb container	faocyeb barrel
yapet pig	tel meat	yapel park

The following example of compounding with the root word **mep** (way, route, road) shows the efficiency of Unilingua compounding:

first concept	second concept		
kum side	kumep sidewalk		
tyoyab walk	toyamep walkway		
dom city	domep boulevard		
dom city	domeyp avenue		
dom city	domeap street		
yeb between	yebdomeap alley		
zey across	zeymep bridge		
zye through	zyemep thoroughfare		
yog- short	yogmep shortcut		
oiz indirect	oizmep byway		
yoz out	yozmep exit		
yez in	yezmep entrance		
yiz beyond	yizmep detour		
yuz around	yuzmep beltway		
ig- fast	igmep expressway		
ouj- no-end	oujmep cul-de-sac		
nuyc fee	nuycmep toll road,		
	turnpike		
agal- main	agalmep main road		
anog- primary	anogmep highway		
ogal- minor	ogalmep back road		
vyo- wrong	vyomep blind alley		
yab high	yabmep raised highway		
mom	momep subway		
underground	- '		
elyam iron	elyamep railroad		
kum side	kumep sidewalk		
tyoyap- to walk	tyoyamep walkway		
par vehicle	parmep driveway		
-et little	mepet path, lane		
iz- direct	izmep straightaway		
-yan collective	mepyan network		

Root words

Root words are divided into two groups:

• 1st group: nouns.

• 2nd group: prepositions, adjectives, adverbs, conjunctions, and verbs, that is, all other words.

Root words of the 1st group (nouns)

All noun root words are composed of three letters:

- The first, a consonant, called the classifier
- The second, a vowel, called **the ordinal**
- The third, a consonant, called **the generic**

Examples:

classifier	ordina I	generic	meaning
t	0	b	man
t	a	b	body
d	0	t	society
d	0	m	city
t	a	m	house

Table of consonant semantic values

consonant	classifier (1st group)	generic (1st group)	classifier (2nd group)
b	organ, illness, body	organism	gesture, manner
p	animal, vehicle	travel	movement
c	thing, furniture	form	making, c hundred
S	action	action	doing, action, thing
d	society	person	saying, writing
t	human being	person	knowing
f	vegetation	textiles, materials	quality
v	plant, color	cloth, linen	quality, truth
g			quantity, size, speed
k			weight, volume
j	time	time	time

z		jewels, precious, art, color	direction
l		element, liquid, food	l ten
m	cosmos, nature	place, building, metal	ml million
n	merchandise, containers	abstraction	counting
r		machine, instrument	mr billion

Table of vowel numeric values

vowel	numeric value
0	0
a	1
e	2
i	3
u	4
yo	5
ya	6
ye	7
ye yi	8
yu	9

Table of vowel geo-positional values

vowel	value	
a	above, superior, north	
e center, middle, equator		
0	below, inferior, south	
u	left, west	
i	right, east	

Table of vowel vectorial values

vowel	free movement	contact movement	position	examples
a	on	onto	up/north	ab (on), aper (mount), aber (apply)
ya	up	onto		yab (up), yaper (climb), pyaer (rise)
0	under, off	underneath	down/south	ob (under), ober (remove), boer (support)

yo	down	down to		yoper (descend), pyoer (fall)
u	near	to	left/west	uper (come), puer (arrive)
yu	toward	until		yub (near), yuper (approach), pyuer (reach)
i	away	from	right/east	iper (go away), pier (leave)
yi	far off	off		yib (away), yiber (take away), pyier (originate)
e	between	at	center/middl e	eb (at), eper (stop), peer (remain)
ye	in	into		yez (in), yeber (contain), byeer (detain)

Table of vowel geo-specific values

vowel	value	examples
a	air, gas, sky	map wind, mam sky, mal air
e	earth, solid, land	mep road, mem earth, mel soil
i	water, liquid, juice	mip, river, mim sea, mil water

Table of vowel temporal values (for verbs)

vowel	value	example
a	past	pa went, paa had gone, pao will have gone, pae has gone
e	present	pe goes, pee is going, pea has been going, peo will be going
		po will go, poa would go, poe is about to go

Root words of the 2nd group (non-nouns)

All words of the 2nd group, which are word roots other than noun roots, are composed of two letters, either a consonant-vowel combination like **za** or a vowel-consonant combination like **az**, not counting grammatical endings like the adjectival suffix **-a** or the verbal infinitive suffix **-er**.

Vowel oppositions in 2nd group root words

• Root words with $\mathbf{i} \Rightarrow \mathbf{u}$ opposition:

positive	negative
fia good	fua bad
via beautiful	vua ugly
fyia brave	fyua afraid
vyia clean	vyua dirty
ifa lovable	ufa hateful
iva happy	uva sad
yifa modest	yufa proud
yiva free	yuva
yrva ji ce	dependent
iga fast	uga slow
yiga hard	yuga soft
gia sharp	gua dull
gyia difficult	gyua easy
ika full	uka empty
kia oblique	kua lateral
kyiaheavy	kyua light
yika solid	yuka fragile
yiba far	yuba near
byi since	byu up to
iza straight	uza crooked
zia right	zua left
yiz beyond	yuz around
zyi all over	zyua round

- Root words with ternary vowel opposition $a\Rightarrow e\Rightarrow o$ and $i\Rightarrow e\Rightarrow u$:

aza strong	eza medium	oza weak
yaza flat	yeza concave	yoza convex
yaz along	yez in	yoz out
za front	ze middle	za behind
zay ahead	zey across	zoy back
zyaa wide	zye through	zyoa narrow
aga big	eg- repeat	oga small

yaga long	yeg- must	yoga short
va yes	ve maybe	vo no
vay and, both	vey or, either	voy nor, neither
vager to want	veger may, can	voger to renounce
av for	ev if	ov against
vyaa true	vyea relative	vyoa false
yava innocent	yev- to judge	yova guilty
ga more	ge equal	go less
gay also	gey as	goy but, except
gyaa fat	gyea moderate	gyoa thin
gla very	gle rather	glo slightly
gra too	gre just	gro insufficiently
gya most	gye average	gyo least
kaer find	keer seek	koer hide
kyaer change	kyeer fluctuate	kyoer stay fixed
aker win	eker play	oker lose
yaker to expect	yeker to try	yoker to be surprised
ja before	je during	jo after
aj past	ej present	oj future
jya early	jye on time	jyo late
-a past tense	-e present tense	-o future tense
ab on	eb at	ob off
yab above	yeb between	yob below
ijer to begin	ejer to last	ujer to end
tijer to be born	tejer to live	tujer to die

2nd Group Root Word Matrix

Two-way i/u opposition

In 2nd group root words, the vowel **i** signals a positive value, while the contrasting vowel **u** indicates the negative or opposite value:

positive	negative	positive	negative
fia good	fua bad	via beautiful	vua ugly
ifa dear	ufa hateful	iva happy	uva sad

fyia brave	fyua afraid	vyia clean	vyua dirty
yifa modest	yufa proud	yiva free	yuva bound
gia sharp	gua dull	kia oblique	kua lateral
gyia difficult	gyua easy	kyia heavy	kyua light
iga fast	uga slow	ika full	uka empty
zia right	zua left	iza straight	uza curved
zyi- all around	zyu- round	yiz- beyond	yuz- around
ij- begin	uj- end	yij- open	yuj- close
ib from	ub to	yib far	yub near
ib- receive	ub- send	yib- take away	yub- bring
bi- take	bu- give	byi away	byu toward
bin- pull	bun- <i>push</i>	byin	byun- touch
ip- go (away)	up- come	yip- escape	yup- approach
pi- depart	pu- arrive	pyi- originate	pyu- reach
pin- grab	pun- throw	pyin	pyun- assault

Three-way a/e/o opposition

Some 2nd group root words exhibit a three-way contrast where **a** is the base or positive value, **e** the middle or *in-between* value, and **o** the negative or opposite value:

positive	intermediate	negative
va yes	ve maybe	vo no
vyaa true	vyea relative	vyoa false
av for	ev if	ov against
yava innocent	yev- judge	yova guilty
ga more	ge equal	go less
gla many	gle several	glo few
gra too many	gre just enough	gro too few
gya most	gye enough	gyo least
gyaa fat	gyea moderate	gyoa thin
aga big	eg again	oga small

yaga long	yeg- must	yoga short
ka-find	ke- search	ko- hide
kya- change	kye- waver	kyo- stay
ak- win	ek- play	ok- lose
yak- expect	yek- try	yok- be surprised
za front	ze middle	zo back
zyaa wide	zye through	zyoa narrow
aza strong	eza average	oza weak
yaza flat	yeza concave	yoza convex
yaz along	yez in	yoz out
ja before	je during	jo after
jya early	jye on time	jyo late
aj past	ej present	oj future
ab on	eb at	ob off
ab- apply	eb- keep	ob remove
yab above	yeb between	yob lower
yab- <i>lift</i>	yeb- contain	yob- lower
ba- lean on	be- carry	bo- hold up
bar- press	bel- keep	bol- support
bya- erect	bye- <i>lay</i>	byo- hang
ban- shake	ben- hold	bon- calm
ap- get on	ep- stay	op- get off
yap- ascend	yep- intervene	yop- descend
pan- move	pen- seize	pon- rest
pya- jump	pye- stand	pyo- fall
pyan- surge	pyen- attack	pyon- dive

The following table shows how some of the 2nd group root words can be expanded on through various word-building techniques:

positive	negative	positive	negative
fia good	fua bad	via beautiful	vua ugly
fi well	<i>fura</i> cruel	<i>viya</i> pretty	vuya vile
fian goodness	<i>fula</i> malignant	vila magnificent	
fila delicious	<i>fuyra</i> ferocious	<i>vira</i> marvelous	
fira excellent	<i>fueca</i> unhappy	vria luxurious	
fiyla exquisite	<i>flua</i> wicked	viaga somptuous	
fieca happy	<i>fluica</i> sinister	vifa elegant	

firsa perfect fiser to improve fider to congratulate fiader to praise flider to eulogize frider to brag fiaysener to favor fibyena polite gafia better gafi better (adv.) gafif moreso gafira famous gafifer to prefer yisfira useful fiyiser to utilize	frueca furious fuvayra jeolous fu ill gafua worse gafu worse (adv.) fuser to spoil fuscer to bother fuder to curse furser to pollute fuyser to debase fuyaser to deteriorate fulser to get angry fluecer to get irritated fruicer to grow furious fun fault fuyn vice fuuyn sin dofuyna immoral	viyfa chic vifia charming videryena eloquent vikaeya admirable viser to adorn viber to garnish viaber to decorate viaser to embellish viraser to dazzle	
ifa lovable, beloved, dear ifbier to enjoy ifbuer to please ifiber to derive pleasure from ifca pleasant ifcla charming iyfa dear iyfciona gracious ifcra delightful ifra adorable ifla tender iyfala cute ifta nice iyfla nice ifrana passionate iyfsrea seductive ifer to love iyfer to like ifcer to be pleased ifcrer to be delighted ifser to please ifsler to charm ifsrer to delight iifper to stroll	ufa hateful ufla disagreeable ufcea unpleasant ufta mean ufer to hate uyfer to dislike ufuer to despise ufcer to be displeased ovufer to avenge	iva gay iyva joyous ivla glad iyvla content ivra excited ivalsa amused ivca funny ivcla comical ivaser to rejoice ivraser to excite iyvler to satisfy ivalser to amuse ivaylser to entertain ivader to joke ivlaser to content	uva sad uyva melancholy uvla lugubrious uvca dramatic uvcra tragic uvder to complain uvdlier to lament 'uvceuzer to sigh uvteucer to whine vyonuyvuser to regret yebuvader to pity uvbaner to move yebuvlacer to have compassion uvalser to bore uvuser to chagrin uyvuser to afflict

ifi thanks		
ifider to thank		
ifcaler to enjoy		

Ordinal vowel codification of hierarchical nouns

Nouns that are related to one another in a hierarchy or organization can be codified using the ordinal feature of vowels. The **o** vowel (zero value) is used for the topmost element.

job	time	tob	huma	mor	universe
jab	year	เบบ	n	mar	sun
jeb	season	tab	body	mer	planet
jib	month	teb	head	mir	earth
jub	day	tib	trunk	mu	
jyob	hour	tub	arm	r	moon
jyab	minute	tyob	leg		
iveb	second				

Individual elements can be further subdivided into a *secondary* classification by the addition of an ordinal vowel to the right of the first vowel:

tub	arm	tyob	leg
tuab	shoulder	tyoab	hip
tueb	upper	tyoeb	thigh
	arm	tyoib	knee
tuib	elbow	tyoub	tibia
tuub	forearm	tyoyob	ankle
tuyob	wrist	tyoyab	foot
tuyab	hand	tyoyeb	talon
tuyeb	fist		heel
tuyib	palm	tyoyub	toe
tuyu	finger	tyoyob	
b			nail
tuyob	finger		
	nail		

A further, tertiary subdivision can be achieved by prefixing an ordinal vowel to the base:

tuyub	finger
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atuyub	thumb
etuyub	index
ituyub	middle finger
utuyub	ring finger
yotuyu b	little finger

A convenient classification is possible by prefixing an ordinal vowel to the base without any primary or secondary enumeration:

dob	state	
adob	empire	
edob	kingdom	
idob	principalit y	
udob	marquisate	
yodob	earldom	
yadob	barony	
yedob	duchy	
yidob	dominion	
yudo b	tribe	

Forming concepts by compounding ("portmanteau")

New concepts can be formed by compounding simple words. If the generic (final) consonant of the first word matches the classifier (initial) consonant of the following word, the latter is suppressed for convenience and ease of pronunciation:

- $dom (city) + mep (road) \Rightarrow domep (boulevard)$
- $pat (bird) + tub (arm) \Rightarrow patub (wing)$
- $teb (head) + byok (pain) \Rightarrow tebyok (headache)$

In cases where two ordinated nouns with the same classifier and generic consonants are combined, the vowels are combined:

• $mil(water) + mal(gas) \Rightarrow mial(vapor)$

When you wish to form a word composed of words of the same consonantal classification, and the ordinal vowel is \mathbf{o} , the \mathbf{o} is replaced with the ordinal vowel of the determinant:

- edob (kingdom) + deb (leader) \Rightarrow edeb (king)
- **udob** (principality) + **deb** (leader) ⇒ **udeb** (prince)

Two singleton words often join by replacing the generic (final) consonant of the first word with the generic consonant of the second word, producing a melded concept somewhat like portmanteau words in English ("breakfast" + "lunch" "brunch").

- $tob (man) + nof (cloth) \Rightarrow tof (clothes)$
- tyoyab (foot) + nov (tissue) ⇒ tyoyav (sock)
- $teb (head) + nof (cloth) \Rightarrow tef (hat)$
- tib (trunk) + nof cloth) \Rightarrow tif (vest)
- $tyob (leg) + nof (cloth) \Rightarrow tyof (pants)$
- tuyob (hand) + nof (cloth) $\Rightarrow tuyof$ (glove)
- **teib** (nose) + **nov** (tissue) ⇒ **teiv** (handkerchief)

Making nouns and pronouns "feminine"

The "feminine" counterpart of a noun or pronoun is obtained by post-yodifying the ordinal vowel (i.e. adding a y glide):

masculine	feminine
taf suit	tayf dress/outfit
tyoyav sock	tyoyayv stocking
tef pants	teyf skirt
nyef carrying case	nyeyf purse
it he	iyt she
tob man	toyb woman
apet horse	apeyt mare
tad husband	tayd wife

Codifying nuances of words

There are several ways of deriving related words with slightly different nuances from the original word:

• The I extender is used for a comparatively stronger sense, while the **r** extender is used for an even stronger (strongest) sense:

ga more	gla very much	gra too much
yuzbaer squeeze	yuzbaler pinch	yuzbarer crush
buer give	buler grant	burer bestow
ika full	ikla packed	ikra superabundant
aker win	akler vanquish	akrer triumph
dier ask	diler beseech	direr demand

• The post-yodifying **y** extender is used for what usually amounts to a *diminutive* connotation:

vager want	vayger wish
fuf pipe	fuyf tube
nas price	nays cost
tep mind	teyp spirit
din story	diyn tale
cin image	ciyn mark
ciun sign	ciuyn signal
sen action	seyn act

 Pre-yodification of a root vowel often imparts an intensified sense to the word. In any even, the normal and pre-yodified forms are usually related semantically. Compare:

bok malady	byok pain
pan motion	pyan jump
beer to remain	byeer to detain
aper to get on	yaper to get up
pet animal	pyet reptile
otata unholy	yotata diabolical
vua ugly	vyua dirty
go less	gyo least
ga more	gya most
ze in the middle	zye though
ijer to begin	yijer to open

Noun-forming derivational suffixes

Summary

Here is a list of suffixes that are added to word bases to form derived nouns:

suffix	meaning	base	derived noun
et	subdordinative	ted father	tedet son
an	deadjectival nominalizer (-itude, -ity, -hood, -ness)	iva happy	ivan happiness
en	deverbal nominalizer (-ing, -tion, -ance)	azvader to confirm	azvaden confirmation
on	general abstract nominalizer	c- to be	con thing
un	nominalizer of result	nyu- to produce	nyuen product
at	person (-er)	yoga young	yogat youngster
ut	agent (-ist)	ces- to build	cesut builder
tut	expert (-ologist)	mem earth	memtut geologist
tun	science (-ology)	mil water	miltun hydrology
in	doctrine (-ism)	tot god	totin theism
ar	instrument	p- to go	par vehicle
ir	machine	vyis- to clean	vyisir vacuum cleaner
ur	aparatus	magc- to burn	magcur stove
am	building	tel- to eat	telam restaurant
em	space	vab grass	vabem prairie
im	room	magyel- to cook	magyelim kitchen

yan	collection	nac money	nacyan fund
a	genetive/ablative case (of/from)	at I	ata my
u	dative/locative case (in/at/on/to)	tam house	tamu at home
i	pluralizer	dyen book	dyeni books
ag	augmentative	tam house	tamag palace
ayg	augmentative affective	tam house	tamayg nice big house
yag	augmentative pejorative	tam house	tamyag big ugly house
og	diminutive	tam house	tamog hut
oyg	diminutive affective	tam house	tamoyg cottage
yog	diminutive pejorative	tam house	tamyog shack
ob	infantile	tob human being	tobob child

Details

Following is a detailed description of the nomalizing derivations suffixes:

The -et suffix

• The **-et** suffix is used to form nouns of the same nature, lineage, or composition of a *lesser* importance:

ted father	tedet son
fab tree	fabet bush
nac money	nacet change
fub branch	fubet shoot
tyab	tyabet
grandfather	grandson

The -an suffix

• The -an suffix is used to form a noun of quality or state from an adjective or noun:

ama hot	aman heat
iva beautiful	ivan beauty
fia good	fian goodness
ted father	tedan fatherhood

dat friend	datan friendship
odat enemy	odatan enmity

The -at suffix

• The -at suffix is used to form the word for a person described by the adjective base.

iktila drunk	iktilat a drunkard
iva happy	ivat a happy person
ofyisa hypocritical	ofyisat hypocrite
tuja dead	tujat dead person

The -ut suffix

• The **-ut** suffix is used to form the agent for the action described by the verb base "one who does x" or the fabricator of something described by the noun base "one who makes x":

kobier to steal	kobiyt thief
tyoyafser to make shoes	tyoyafsut shoemaker
teaper to visit	teapyt visitor
deuzer sing	deuzyt singer

The -tut suffix

• The **-tut** suffix is used to form the specialist *-ologist* or student of something:

tun science	tut scientist
memtun	memtut
geology	geography
dad language>	dadtut linguist

The -ob suffix

• The **-ob** suffix is used to form the child or younger version of something:

tob man	tobob child
apet horse	apetob pony
rapat lion	rapatob lion cub

The -ar suffix

• The -ar, ir, or -ur suffix on a verb base is used for an instrument/tool, machine, or apparatus, respectively.

yalber to lift	yalbur elevator
yalber to lift	yalbar lever
yalbir to lift	yalbir fork lift
vyiarer to sweep	vyiarar sweeper
ilyujer to plug	ilyujar faucet
kyacanerto transform	kyacanur transformer
drecer to write>	drecar pencil

The -en suffix

• The **-en** suffix is used on a verb base for the verbal noun *-ing, -ence, -ment, -tion*:

ecer to exist	ecen existence
iber to receive	iben reception
byeer to detain	byeen detention
otamser to	otamsen
demolish	demolition

The -un suffix

• The suffix -un is used on a verb base for the concrete result of an action:

vyarer to sweep	vyarun sweepings
gorfer to tear	gorfun a tear, a rip
teacer to see	teacun view
zyefser to make glass jewelry	zyefsun glass jewelry

The -yan suffix

• The suffix -yan is used on a noun base for collections or groupings:

fab tree	fabyan forest
cir machine	ciryan machinery
meb mountain	mebyan mountain

	range
tolar food dish	tolaryan dishes

The -ag suffix

• The -ag suffix is used on a noun base for augmentatives "big ...":

tom residence	tomag palace
mapil storm	mapilag tempest
mep road	mepag highway

The -ayg suffix

• The suffix -ayg is used on a noun base for affectionate augmentatives "big old...":

	tamayg big old house
cim chair	cimayg big old chair

The -yag suffix

• The suffix -yag is used on a noun base for pejorative augmentatives "big ugly...":

apet horse	apetyag nag
pem car	pemyag jalopy

The -yog suffix

• The suffix **-og** is used on a noun base for diminutives "little...":

tam house	tamog cottage
dyen	dyenog
book	booklet

The -oyg suffix

• The suffix **-oyg** is used on a noun base for affectionate diminutives "sweet little...":

yepet dog	yepetoyg doggie, pooch
toyb lady	toyboyg little old lady
teybos kiss	teybosoyg peck

The -yog suffix

• The suffix **-yog** on a noun base for pejorative diminutives "dirty little..."

tebzan face	tebzanyog mug
IIAAA MAAA	tobyog wretched fellow

The -in suffix

• The suffix **-in** is used on a word base for a philosophy or doctrine *-ism*:

oytota godless	oytotin atheism
adoba republican	adobin republicanism
fob vegetable	fobin vegetarianism
yisfrana utilitarian	yisfranin utilitarianism

Adjective-forming derivational suffixes

Summary

suffix	meaning	base	derivative
-a	relating to	moj night	moja nocturnal
-a	past participle	tuj- to die	tuja dead
-ea	present participle	abdab- to dominate	abdabea dominant
-yena	like	tobob child	tobobyena childish
-yea	tending to	da- to talk	dayea talkative
-oa	future participle	tuj- to die	tujoa moribund

-eya	-able	tel- to eat	teleya edible
-aya	-ous, -y, -ful, having	maf cloud	mafaya cloudy
-oya	-less	maf cloud	mafoya cloudless
-ika	-ful, full of	nac money	nacika rich
-uka	-less, devoid of	nac money	nacuka poor
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Note: **-aya/-oya** is synonymous with **-ika/-uka**. The latter is a new addition to Unilingua author Agapoff's original grammar.

Details

The -a suffix

• The ending -a is used to mean *having to do with, in the state of.* This is the most common way to form an adjective from a noun:

tej life	teja vital	
tuj death	tuja mortal, dead	
moj night	moja nocturnal	
tob man	toba human	
yab up	yaba upper	

• The ending -a is also used to form the past particple of verbs (passive, in the case of transitive verbs). The form is synonymous in form with the past tense of the verb, but acts as a participial adjective if it modifies a noun syntactically.

ter to know	ta known (Ca ta ada meir ce yaza. It was known that the earth is flat.)	
fiser to improve	fisa improved (Fisa nyun improved product)	
ifer to love	ifa loved, beloved, dear (Ifa ted Dear Father)	

The -yena suffix

• The ending **-yena** on nouns is used to give the idea of *like, having the nature of*:

tobob child	tobobyena childish, infantile
ted father	tedyena paternal, fatherly
bilyig	bilyigyena cheesy

cheese

The -yea suffix

• The ending -yea is used on verb bases to mean *tending to*:

tuser persuade	tusyea persuasive
oceser destroy	ocesyea constructive
abdaber	abdabyea
dominate	dominating
daer talk	dayea talkative

The -ea suffix

• The ending -ea is used on verb bases to form the present participle '-ing, -ant':

tejer live	tejea living, alive
tujer die	tujea dying
abdaber	abdabea
dominate	dominant

The -eya suffix

• The ending -eya is used on verb bases to mean able to be ...ed '-able':

teler eat	teleya edible
teacer see	teaceya visible
tiler drink	tileya potable

The -aya suffix

• The ending -aya is used on noun bases to mean *full of, having, carrying...* '-ous, -y'. This comes from -ay, meaning *with*. It is synonymous with -ika 'full', presented further on.

meg rock	megaya rocky
miek sand	miekaya sandy
meb	mebaya
mountain	mountainous

The -oya suffix

• The ending **-oya** is used on noun bases to mean *devoid of, without, un-...ed*. This comes from **-oy**, meaning *without*. It is synonymous with **-uka 'empty'**, presented further on.

tayeb hair	tayeboya hairless, bald
tec meaning	tecoya meaningless
toc feeling	tocoya numb

The -ika suffix

• The ending **-ika** *full* is used on noun bases to mean *full* of '**-ful**, **-ous**, **-y'**. This suffix is synonymous with **-aya**.

ilpaan wave	ilpaanika wavy
nas money	nasika rich
mil water	milika watery, aqueous
voz color	vozika colorful

The -uka suffix

• The ending -uka *empty* is used on noun bases to mean the *devoid of* '-less'. This suffix is synonymous with -oya and the opposite of -ika and -aya.

nas money	nasuka poor
voz color	vozuka colorless, bland
teuc taste	teucuka tasteless, insipid
nyanut	nyanutuka unpopulated,
population	deserted

Adverb-forming derivational suffixes

The -ay suffix

• Change the adjectival ending -a to -ay to form an adverb:

yufa proud	yufay proudly
teaceya	teaceyay

visible	visibly
uva sad	uvay sadly

• Use -ay on noun bases to form an adverbial postpositional phrase mean with...:

iyfcion	iyfcionay with
grace	grace
at me	atay with me
yuf pride	yufay with pride

The -oy suffix

• Use **-oy** on a noun to mean *without...*:

nas cost	nasoy cost-free
seuc	seucoy
noise	noiselessly
et you	etoy without you

The -ey suffix

• Use **-ey** on a noun to mean by, by way of, through, via...:

pam plane	pamey by plane
iyt her	iytey by her
yesag hard work	yesagey through hard work
Paris Paris	Parisey via Paris

Verb-forming derivational suffixes

Summary

ending	meaning
er	infinitive
cer	intransitive stative verb infinitive ("to be/become")
ser	transitive dynamic verb infinitive ("to do/make")

per	intransitive verb of motion infinitive ("to go")
ber	transitive verb of gesture infinitive ("to put")

Details

The -er suffix

• The suffix **er** is used on noun bases to form a verb infinitive. As in English, these verbs may be transitive or intransitive, depending on whether they are followed by a direct object. For example, **Duz ija eymaju.** The music began (intr.) at noon. vs. **Izbud ija duzun jye.** The conductor began the concert on time.

noun	verb
tej life	tejer to live
tuj death	tujer to die
tyuj sleep	tyujer to sleep
ij beginning	ijer to begin
yij opening	yijer to open
tyij wakening	tyijer to waken
yuj closing	yujer to close
tyem	tyemer to
residence	reside
dryen print	dryener to print

The -cer and -ser suffixes

- The ending -cer be/become is used to create intransitive verbs from nouns and adjectives where the intransitive form contrasts significantly with the transitive form. If the adjective is a base, the -a ending is dropped unless 1) the resulting consonant combination would be difficult; or 2) the meaning is literal as opposed to metaphorical, in which case the dropped -a version is taken as metaphorical. For example, aga big becomes either agacer, meaning literally to become big, or agcer, meaning metaphorically to grow, as in Vab agce ga igay adjobu mamile. The grass grows faster when it rains.
- The ending -ser do/make/act/cause is employed to form transitive verbs. In a few cases like teacer/teaser, the opposition of -cer vs. -ser is semantic in nature. In these cases, -ser imparts a more dynamic meaning. In a few other cases, -ser is used to form the causative form of a verb, meaning to make/have/cause/let someone do something.

adjective	intransitive verb	transitive verb
aga big	agacer to get big	agaser to magnify
aga big	agcer to grow	agser to grow
yigza sour	yigzacer to grow sour	yigzaser to make sour
yiva free	yivcer to go free	yivser to liberate
teab eye	teacer to see	teaser to look
man light	mancer to shine	manser to illuminate
yabta vertical, upright	yabtacer to stand up	yabtaser to erect
yazta incumbant, reclined	yaztacer to lie down	yaztaser to lay down
yobta sitting, settled	yobtacer to sit down, settle	yobtaser to set down

The -per and -per suffixes

- The ending **-per** is used for *intransitive* verbs of motion (*going*).
- The ending **-ber** is used for *transitive* verbs of gesture (*putting*):

base	intransitive verb	transitive verb
yab up	yaper to rise	yaber to raise
yon	yonper to go	yonber to
apart	apart	separate
ob off	oper to get off	ober to take off
eb at	eper to stop	eber to stop
ika full	ikper to fill up	ikber to fill up

Forming numbers

Cardinal numeric adjectives

The *cardinal numeric adjectives* 0-9 are formed from the ordinal vowels. The tens are formed with the extension consonant \mathbf{l} , the hundreds with the consonant \mathbf{c} , the thousands with \mathbf{r} , the millions with \mathbf{ml} , and the billions with \mathbf{mr} .

Numbers composed with **aro** (1,000), **amlo** (1,000,0000), and **amro** (1,000,000,000) retain the **o** and are spelled separately from the rest of the number with a space.

number	numeral adjective
0	o zero
1	a one
2	e two

3	i three
4	u four
5	yo five
6	ya six
7	ye seven
8	yi eight
9	yu nine
10	alo ten
11	ala eleven
12	ale twelve
13	ali thirteen
14	alu fourteen
15	alyo fifteen
20	elo twenty
21	ela twenty-one
22	ele twenty-two
30	ilo thirty
31	ila thirty-one
100	aco one hundred
101	aca two hundred
123	aceli one hundred twenty- three
1000	aro one thousand
1089	aro yilyu
2348	ero iculyi
10000	aloro ten thousand
12487	alero yilye
1000000	amlo one million
6000000	yamlo
6058720	yamlo yolyiro yecelo

Ordinal numeric adjectives

The *ordinal numeric adjectives* are formed by adding **-a** to the cardinal number:

cardina l	ordinal
a 1	aa first
e 2	ea second

i 3	ia third
alo 10	aloa tenth
aci 103	acia one hundred third

Ordinal numeric substantives

When ordinal numbers are used substantively, the letter ${\bf t}$ is appended for persons and the letter ${\bf c}$ for things:

The first shall be last.	Aati co ujnati.
The second in the	Eec anyana.
series.	Lee anyana.

Collective numeric substantives

Collective (or: multiplicative) substantives of the cardinal numbers are formed by adding on.

cardinal	collective
a one	aon single/whole/unit/solo
e two	eon double/couple/pair/duo/twosome
i three	ion triple/trio/threesome
u four	uon quadruple/foursome/quartet
yo five	yoon quintuple
ye seven	yeon sevenfold
ye seven	jubyeon week
alo ten	alon tenfold
alo ten	jabalon decade
ale twelve	aleon dozen
aco hundred	acon hundredfold
aco hundred	aconey percent
aco hundred	jabacon century
aro thousand	aron thousandfold
aro thousand	aroni thousands

Collective numeric prefixes

Prefixes having a collective (or: multiplicative) numeric meaning are expressed as:

cardinal	collective	example
a one	an- single, mono-, uni	anzyuc unicycle
e two	en- double, bi-, di-, duo-	enzyuc bicycle
i three	in- triple, tri-	inzyuc tricycle
u four	un- quadruple, quad-, tetra-	unkum tetrahedron
yo five	yon- quintuple, penta-	yongun pentagon
alo ten	alon- tenfold, deca-	alonjab decade
aco hundred	acon- hundredfold, hecato-, cent-	aconjab century
aro thousand	aron- thousandfold, kilo-	aronkyin kiloliter

Fractional numeric substantives

Fractional numeric substantives are formed by adding **yon** to the cardinal numeric form. The **on** is dropped in prefixed forms of the fractions:

cardinal	fraction	prefix	example
a one	ayon unit, whole	ay- holo-	aycin hologram
e two	eyon half	ey- semi-, demi-	eytot demigod
i three	iyon third	iy- terci-	iygana terciform
u four	uyon quarter	uy- quatri-	uyser to quarter
alo ten	aloyon tenth	aloy- deci-	aloyser to decimate
aco hundred	acoyon hundredth	acoy- centi-	acoynog centrigrade
aro thousand	aroyon thousandth	aroy- milli-	aroykyik milligram

Frequentative numeric adverbs

Adverbs of frequency are formed with the root **jig**, meaning *frequency*, *rate*:

cardinal	frequency
o zero	ojigu never
a one	ajigu once
e two	ejigu twice

i three	ijigu thrice, three times
co hundred	acojigu a hundred times
od what	odjigu? how often, at what rate?
ge same	gejigu at the same rate, as often
ga more	gajigu more often
go less	gojigu less often
ud this	udjigu this often
id that	idjigu that often
gla much	glajigu very often
glo little	glojigu infrequently
glay rather	glayjigu rather often

Numeric adjectives of order or rank

nap order, rank

cardinal	order
o zero	onapa zeroth
a one	anapa primary, first, original
e two	enapa secondary, second-ranking
i three	inapa tertiary, third-ranking
u four	unapa quaternary, fourth- ranking'
za front	zanapa front-ranking, ahead
zo back	zonapa behind, trailing
ja before	janapa former, foregoing
jo after	jonapa next, following
ij beginning	ijnapa first, original
uj end	ujnapa last, final
lo un-	lonapa random, unordered

Numeric adjectives of degree

nog degree, grade, stage

cardina l	degree
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a one	anoga primary
e two	enoga secondary
i three	inoga tertiary
u four	unoga quaternary

Numeric adjectives of base or bit

Add -na:

cardinal	base	grouping
o zero	ona zero-based	onet zero, null
a one	ana unary, only	anet unit
e two	ena binary	enet bit
i three	ina ternary	
u four	una quaternary	
yu eight	yuna octal	yunet octet, byte
alo ten	alona decimal	
alye sixteen	alyena hexadecimal	alyenet 16-bit byte

Numeric prefixes

If cardinal numeric morphemes are used as prefixes, $-\mathbf{n}$ is added, unless the base to which it is being attached already begins with that letter:

root	numeric adjective
kunid edge	enkunida double-edged
nid line	anida single-lined
nag dimension	enaga two- dimenesional
nyeg space	enyega double-spaced
tep mind	antepa single-minded
neg level	enega split-level
mep way	anmepa one-way
voz color	anvoza monochrome
can form	ancana uniform
tooc sex	entoocifa bisexual
tot god	antotina monotheistic

zan direction enizana bidi	rectional
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Numeric Expressions

Distance/size measurements (zyak meter)=

(zyag is width, yag is length, ag is size, yiban is distance, yabag is height, yobag is depth, gyan is girth):

measurement	example	
zyak meter	It ca ya zyaki yib. He was 5 meters away.	
arozyak kilometer	Ce eli arozyaki byu dom. It is 23 km. to (until) the city.	
aroyzyak millimeter	Cizo alo aroyzyaka nid. Draw a ten mm. line.	
acozyak centimeter	Odgan acoyzyaki yaga ce? How many cm. long is it?	

Weight measurements (kyik gram)

(**kyin** is *weight*):

measurement	example
kyik gram	Odgan et kyince? How much do you weigh?
arokyik kilogram	At vage u kyiki vyayba. I want five kg. of grain.
aroykyik milligram	Mez kyince e aroykyiki. The crystal weighs two milligrams.

Volume measurements (nyek *liter*)

(**nyed** is *volume*):

measurement	example
nyek liter	Odganu nyeki it yebe? How many liters does it hold?
aronyek kiloliter	At vage u aronyeki vyayba. I want five kilos of grain.
aroynyek milliliter	Yezbo e aroynyeki mila. Insert two ml. of water.

Math expressions

(gaber to add, gober to substract, garer to multiply, gorer to divide, gecer to equal):

Unilingua	English
A gab a gece e.	One plus one equals two.
U gob a gece i.	Four minus 1 equals three.
E gar u gece yo.	Two times four equals eight.
Alo gor e gece ya.	Ten divided by two equals five.
E veg e gece u.	Two to the second power equals four.
E nod u.	Two point five (2.5)
U vay a eyon	5 1/2

Clock time expressions

The international 24-hour clock is used.

Unilingua	English
Odjyob ce?	What time is it?
Ce a jyob.	It's one o'clock.
Ce ali jyob alya.	It's 1:15 PM.
Ce i jyob ilo.	It's 3:30 AM.
Ce ya jyob gob alo.	It's ten 'til five.

Calendar expressions

Unilingua	English
Od ce udjuba jud?	What's today's date?'
Udjub ce alya jiub aroyucyuli.	Today is 16 April 1993.
Ted puo i jubi ib ej.	Father will arrive in two days.
Nunam yijace yada juebu.	The store opens on Mondays.
Nunam yijaco zaa juebu.	The store opens on Monday (next).
Janapa jibu mamila gya yadjoba.	Last month it rained the most ever.
Ju zajub!	Until tomorrow!'
Je jabi aroyuco eca gla dropeki.	There were many wars during the 1900s.
Juebu jonapa yejubyana at buo ivsej.	On monday of next week I will give a party.

Age expressions

Unilingua	English
Odjaga et ce?	How old are you?

At ce ele jaga.	I am 22 years old.
At upta yulo jaga	I met a 90-year-old
tob.	man.

Forming chemical element names

To form words for chemical elements, use the following method: The first letter is the ordinal vowel for the number of electrons. The next letters are:

- **m** for metals
- mc for nonmetals
- al for gases
- il for liquids

electron count	type	Unilingua English
47	metal	ulyem silver
13	metal	alim aluminum
26	metal	elyam iron
15	nonmetal	elyomc phosphorus
6	nonmetal	yamc carbon
1	nonmetal gas	amc hydrogen
7	nonmetal gas	yemcal azote
8	nonmetal gas	yimcal oxygen
80	metal liquid	yilomil mercury

Codifying new words based on mnemonics and analogy

Sometimes a word or group of words can have a connection with the meaning of a derived word. Such words are formed from this derived word by changing the generic *final root* consonant or sometimes other consonants of this word:

teub mouth	< teb head
teud	d say
utterance	d say

teuz voice	z precious/art,etc.
deuz song	d speak/write

tayeb hair	tab human body
fayeb leaf	fab tree
vocayeb petal	voc flower
potayeb mane	pot animal
patayeb feather	pat bird
petayeb fur	pet land animal
upetayeb fleece	upet sheep
pitayeb fin	pit fish

tayob skin	tab human body
tayof leather	nof cloth
fayob bark	fab tree
fyayob rind	fyab fruit
pitayob scales	pit fish
petayob hide, pelt	pet animal

cim chair	bimer to sit
cum bed	bumer to lie
cem table	bemer to sit down at the table

teacer to	ceacer to appear
see	beacer to keep watch
	neacer to target
	teaper to visit
	izeacer to show
	vyaleacer to check
	yoneater to discern

yageacer to contemplate izeader to indicate abeacer to survey ijeacer to notice teader to witness

Forming new words with prefixation

Prefixed elements (sometimes more than one) can be used to form new concepts related to the root word:

prefix	root word	new concept
ja before	der to say	jader to predict
jya early	der to say	jyader to warn
ja ve before maybe	der to say	javeder to guess
jo after	der to say	joder to reply
eg again	der to say	egder to repeat
oz weak	der to say	ozder to whisper/hint
az strong	der to say	azder to insist
yoz out	der to say	yozder to express
zyi all around	der to say	zyider to broadcast
uj end	der to say	ujder to conclude
ka-find	der to say	kader to reveal
ko- hide	der to say	koder to keep secret
fi well	der to say	fider to eulogize
fu poorly	der to say	fuder to curse/damn
fia good	der to say	fiader to praise
fua bad	der to say	fuader to malign
fri wonderful	der to say	frider to flatter
fru terrible	der to say	fruder to insult
evfia if good	der to say	evfiader to critique
av for	der to say	avder to favor
ov against	der to say	ovder to object/oppose
ava favorable	der to say	avader to side with
ova opposed	der to say	vader to contradict
av od for what	der to say	avoder to question
va vegyes can	der to say	vavegder to permit
vo vegno can	der to say	vovegder to prohibit
vo vano yes	der to say	vovader to contest

az ov strong	,	
against	der to say	azovder to protest
va yes	der to say	vader to affirm/decide
ve maybe	der to say	veder to speculate
vo no	der to say	'voder to deny'
fiva good yes	der to say	fivader to approve
o fi va not good yes	der to say	ofivader to disapprove
fu va bad yes	der to say	fuvader to condemn
az va strong yes	der to say	fivader to confirm
val certainty	der to say	valder to certify
vac assurance	der to say	vacder to assure
vag want	der to say	vagder to mean/express desire
vyan truth	der to say	vyader to swear
vyon falsehood	der to say	vyoder to lie
yava innocent	der to say	yavader to vindicate
yova guilty	der to say	yovader to indict
yava innocent	der to say	yavder to thank
yova guilty	der to say	yovder to blame
yiva free	der to say	yivader to acquit
yiva free	der to say	yivder to forgive
yev judgement	der to say	yevder to judge
yeb between	der to say	yebder to discuss
yok surprise	der to say	yokder to improvisate
yag long	der to say	yagder to ramble
yog short	der to say	yogder to summarize
iva happy	der to say	ivader to thank
iva happy	der to say	ivder to congratulate
uva sad	der to say	uvder to complain
uva sad	der to say	uvader to apologize
jo uva after sad	der to say	jouvder to regret/mourn
ivcan merriment'	der to say	ivcder to joke
fu iva bad happy	der to say	fuivader to mock
yok surprise	der to say	yokder to improvisate
aj past	der to say	ajder to evoke
oj future	der to say	ojder to promise
naz value	der to say	nazder to evaluate
yok surprise	der to say	yokder to improvisate

dyun name	der to say	dyunder to nominate
kua lateral	der to say	kuder to remark (aside)
kia sloped	der to say	kider to hint
dyun name	der to say	dyunder to nominate
gra too much	der to say	grader to exaggerate
gro too little	der to say	groder to underplay
gan quantity	der to say	gander to quantify
yova guilty	der to say	yovader to accuse
teab eye	der to say	teader to testify
cin picture	der to say	cinder to predict
kyoa fixed	der to say	kyoder to insist
o not	der to say	oder to keep silent
kebi choice	der to say	kebider to vote
tata holy	der to say	tatader to bless
fyun fear	der to say	fyunder to express fear
vates belief	der to say	vatesder to express belief
vetes doubt	der to say	vetesder to express doubt
vika admiration	der to say	vikader to express admiration
fyil courage	der to say	fyilder to encourage
ofyil not courage	der to say	ofyilder to discourage
ga more	der to say	gader to say more/go on
ge equal	der to say	geder to agree
oge not same	der to say	ogeder to disagree
yek risk	der to say	yekder to dare say
yeg obligation	der to say	yegder to be obliged to say
ek play	der to say	ekder to pretend
iz straight	der to say	izder to say frankly

Forming new adjectival concepts with compounding

New adjectival concepts can be readily formed by compounding a noun or other rootword with an existing root adjective:

vag will	yana	vagyana consensual
vag will	oza weak	vagoza weak-willed
vag will	aza strong	vagaza strong-willed
tep intellect	oza weak	tepoza dumb
tep intellect	aza strong	tepaza smart

	together	
vag will	yona apart	vagyona non-consensual
veg possibility	aza strong	vegaza likely
veg possibility	oza weak	vegoza unlikely
tep intellect	kyia heavy	tepkyia serious
tep intellect	kyua light	tepkyua light-hearted
tep intellect	kyaa variable	tepkyaa scatter-brained
tep intellect	kyoa fixed	tepkyoa attentive
tep intellect	zyaa wide	tepzyaa fair-minded
tep intellect	zyoa narrow	tepzyoa narrow-minded
tep intellect	yija open	tepyija open-minded
tep intellect	yuja closed	tepyuja close-minded
tep intellect	iga fast	tepiga quick-witted
tep intellect	uga slow	tepuga retarded
tep intellect	yana together	tepyana like-minded
tep intellect	yona apart	tepyona dissenting
top spirit	yiga hard	topyiga cruel
top spirit	yuga soft	topyuga leninent
top spirit	vaa positive	topvaa optimistic
top spirit	voa negative	topvoa pessimistic
top spirit	yaba high	topyaba up-beat
top spirit	yoba low	topyoba down-beat
top spirit	iva happy	tepija jolly
top spirit	uva sad	tepuja melancholy
nac money	ika full	nasika rich
nac money	uka empty	nasuka poor
yab <i>up</i>	yaga long	yabyaga tall
yob down	yaga long	yobyaga deep
yab up	yoga short	yabyoga short (vertically)
yob down	yoga short	yobyoga shallow
job time	yaga long	jobyaga long (duration)
job time	yoga short	yobyoga short (duration)
mep way	iza straight	mepiza direct
mep way	uza crooked	mepuza convoluted
vyab rule	aza strong	vyabaza strict

vyab rule	oza weak	vyaboza lax
dab government	ava for	dabava pro-government
dab government	ova against	dabova anti-government

Word Classifiers

The following are common combinatory morphemes used to distinguish or classify entities. Many of them are abbreviated forms. If you were to produce a list of word rhyming with any of these morphemes, you would have a list of words that all fit within a similar taxonomic category. For example, all Unilingua words ending in **pyot** refer to wild animals. All those ending in **il** are liquids.

classifie r	meaning
am	building
em	place
im	room
yem	container
ut	agent
j	time
jig	rate
nog	degree
byen	manner
caun	kind
can	shape
gan	quantity
pat	bird
pet	land animal
pyot	wild animal
pyet	reptile
pelt	insect
peit	amphibian
piit	crustacean
pit	fish
fab	tree
fyab	fruit
vob	plant
vab	grass

vegetable
flower
color
instrument
vehicle
machine
motor
verb
gem
science
scientist
liquid
food
semi-solid
solid
material
cylinder
collective
put
go
be
do
result
process
state
abstract thing
doctrine
apendage
head
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document

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Doing / making (ser)

	seud agent
	seem agency
	sen action
	aasen initiative
	seyn act
	seun business
	seunud businessman
	seon fact
	seoj case
	sej event
	sejet incident
	seb boss
ser to do/act	sem studio
SCI to do/det	casem factory
	jeser continue
	yanser to cooperate
	geyser to copy
	jaser to prepare
	zoyser to undo
	igser to hurry up
	ojser to plan
	egser to redo
	aanser to unify
	seser to have (sth) done
	sener to activate
	senan activity
	senen activation
aser to act	as action
	asud actor
	alser to operate
	als operation

	alsud operator alsea operational arser to effectuate
saer to execute	saen execution saud executor saena executive saler to accomplish sal accomplishment
iser to have an effect	is effect ois zero effect ujis purpose
user to cause	us cause usa causal uyser to motivate uys motive uysen motivation uysea motivating uysena motivational ulser to influence uls influence ulseya influential us vay is cause and effect
eser to function	es function esea functioning esena functional esud functionary esem office

	yesem worksite
yeser to work	yesem worksite yeset job yeser to work yesud worker yestut engineer yesyan handiwork yescyen process yesnic salary yesnicud salaried employee yesep strike yesepud striker
sier to result	oyyes unemployment oyyesud jobless person oyesea lazy yesjub workday oyesjub holiday yanyes collaboration yanyesa collaborative yanyesud collaborator
	osiun lack of result
suer to occasion	suler to provoke sul provocation suleya provocative sulud provocateur
seer to behave	seen behavior seena behavioral seler to conduct oneself syeer to busy onself syeler to practice syener to profess
yiser to use	yis use
	yisud user yirser to exploit

	yirs exploitation yirseya exploitative fiyiser to put to good use fuyiser to misuse
	yus service
yuser to serve	yusud server fiyuser to benefit fuyuser to serve poorly yurser to be a slave to yurs slavery yursud slave

Being/becoming (cer)

cer to be	cat creature, cyd subject
acer to become	
ocer to be nonexistent	ocun nothing, ocuner to annihilate
icer come about, happen	ic event, ijicer to originate, ujucer to end up, ujuc fate, destiny, fuic misfortune
ucer to make, create, cause	ucud creator, ucun a creation, ucunyan (all of) creation, uceya creative
ecer to exist	ece there is/are, ecea available, ecen existence, oecea nonexistent
aycer to have, own, possess	aycun possession, aycud (owner), ayca own, utayc property, ayser to make available
oycer to lack, need	oyc gap, oycea lacking, oyser to deprive, oycler to need, oycleya necessary
can form, shape	caner to form, canoya shapeless, fucana malformed, canen formation, yozcan aspect, ficaner to reform, kyacaner to transform, canyaner to compose, yancaner to constitute, candrener to formulate
caun type,kind	aacaun prototype, vicaun model, vyacaun original, utcaun example, ajcaun precedent
caser to fabricate	casem factory
ceser to build	cesen construction, cesud builder, cesem building site, oceser to destroy, ocesen destruction, oceseya destructive
cun thing (concrete)	cunyan reality, ocuner to anihilate

acun element	acana elemental, acunyena elementary
con matter (abstract)	gyicon problem, kocon secret, kacon revelation, kyecon case, yegcon crisis
cin picture	tecin figure, ciyn mark, zociyn trace, utciyn character, penciyn track, ciun sign, siunet signal, mancin photograph, mancinar camera
cyen fashion	utcyen genre, secyen procedure
cyun object	cyunet article, cyufi effects

Putting (ber)

	ber to put	
	bler to carry	brer to haul
aber to put on	eber to stop	ober to take off
yaber to raise	yeber to contain	yober to lower
baer to lean on	beer to hold	boer to hold up
barer to press (down on)	beler to keep	boler to support (from below)
byaer to lift	byeer to block	byoer to hang
byaler to rouse	byeler to hold back, retain/conserve'	byoler to suspend
yalber to elevate	yelber to hold steady	yolber to lower
	yezber to insert	yozber to extract
	yezbler to carry in	yozbler to carry out
obaer to relieve	obeer to release, let go	oboer to drop
obaler to relax	obeler to abandon	oboler to shirk
	obyeer to yield	
		obyoer to depend
yuzbaer to squeeze	yuzbeer to embrace	yuzboer to smash
yuzbaler to pinch		
	obyeer to release	
iber to receive		uber to send
bier to take		buer to give
yiber to take away		yuber to bring near
zyiber to diffuse	zeyber to transpose	
zyibler to carry around	zeybler to carry across, transport	

biner to pull	bener to hold	buner to push
yezbiner to draw in	yezbener to hold in	yezbuner to push in
yubiner to attract	yubener to hold near	yibuner to repel
yozbiner to extract	yozbener to hold out	yozbuner to expel
yabiner to pull up	yabener to hold high	yabuner to push up
yonbiner to yank apart	yonbener to hold apart	yonbuner to shove apart
yanbiner to attract	yanbener to adhere	yanbuner to combine C
vabier to accept		vabuer to volunteer;
zyebirer to yank through		zyeburer to stab (shove through)
kebier to choose		kebuer to disperse
vobier to refuse		vobuer to deny
embier to occupy		embuer to give way
gorcbier to take part		gorcbuer to give out shares
pitbier to fish		
jobier to borrow		jobuer to lend
yembier to replace		yembuer to resign
yanabier to collect		yonabuer to scatter
		buyer to remit
		buler to accord
		buyler to attribute
		buyrer to concede
zoybier to take back		zoybuer to give back
ifbier to welcome		ifbuer to offer
		vegbuer to delegate
		ifbuler to consacrate
		ifbuyler to dedicate
		ifburer to sacrifice
nucbier to buy		nicbuer to sell
nacbiler to expend		nacbuler to allocate
		ifburer to sacrifice
		bluyer to confer
		zyibuer to distribute
obier to relinquish		obuer to deprive
bin receipts		bun donation

		ivbun gift
baner to gesticulate		boner be calm
baaner to shake		booner to be still
banler to shake		
baynler to shudder		
baneter to rock	baaneter to vibrate	
abaner to caress		
albaner to wipe		
ovbaner to resist		
		bos quiet
		obos trouble
		boys quiet
		oboys worry
		yobos care
		yobyos anxiety
	byen manner	
		byuer to reach (out to)
		byuner to touch
		bryuner to contact
	bemer to maintain	

Going (per)

	per to go	
aper to get on	eper to stop	oper to get off
paer to stand	peer to stay	poer to hang
yaper to get up	yeper to intervene	yoper to get down
yalper to rise/ascend	yelper to block	yolper to sink'/descend'
yaylper to climb up	yoylper to bow	
yarper to soar		yorper to tumble
yaprer to scamper up	••• ···	yoprer to collapse
pyaer to jump	pyeer to stand still	pyoer to drop
pyaner to leap	pyener to seize	pyoner to dive
pyarer to shoot up	pyenuer to attack	pyorer to plummit

iper go (away)		uper to come	
emiper to emigrate		emuper to immigrate	
igiper to flee	'igeper to stop suddenly	iguper to rush (toward)	
jauper to come before, precede		jouper to come after, succeed	
ayiper to off with/take along		ayuper to come along with/bring along	
		zoyayuper to pick up (and bring back)	
zoyiper to go back		zoyuper to return (come back)	
yiper to go away		yuper to approach	
yilper to escape		yulper to come home	
yibemper to go in exile	•••	•••	
pier to depart		puer to arrive	
jopier to get a headstart		jopuer to arrive ahead of/beat	
igpier to flee			
piler to quit			
cper to carry			
yezcper to import	zeycper to transport	yozcper to export	
zoyciper to take back	zyicper to propagate	zoycuper to bring back	
zayper to advance	zayper to cross	zoyper to retreat	
yanper to go together		yonper to separate	
izper to head (straight)		uzper to veer, turn	
zyiper to tour		zyuper to rotate	
japer to precede	jeper to go along	joper to follow	
zaper to go in front	zeper to go in the middle	zoper to go in back	
yezper to enter	zyeper to go through	yozper to exit	
igper to run	zoigper to chase after	ugper to amble	
yizper to pass up	uzper to curve	yuzper to go around	
kiper to limp	kyeper to stagger	'kuper to avoid, sidestep	
egyezper to reinter	azyezper to invade	egyozper to reemerge	
ifper to stroll	ifpoper to tour	ifpiper to cruise	
	zyeper to penetrate		
poper to travel	kyepoper to shuttle back and forth	zyipoper to travel around	
papier to take off (flying)	paper to fly	papuer to land	

pepier to ride off	peper to ride	pepuer to park
pipier to set sail	piper to sail	pipuer to dock
tyoyaper to walk, step	tuyaper to crawl	tyoyuper to tiptoe
pan motion	pen seizure	pon rest
paz dance		
paner to move	pener to seize	poner to rest
pazer to dance		
opaner to freeze	opener to release	oponer to stir
paaner to shake	peener to catch	pooner to stay
apaner to massage	paaneter to vibrate	
alpaner to rub		
yopaner to reverse		
kipaner to stumble		kupaner to slide
yonpaner to break		
papaner to soar	pepaner to skate	pipaner to swim
ovpaner to block		
paneter to balance		
puner to throw	punrer to hurl	puyner to launch
pyuner to bump into		
pryuner to crash into		
apyener to hit	apyeneter to batter	
apyeyner to tap		
apyenler to beat		
yopyener to knock down		
yonpyener to break		
yonpyeyner to crack		
yonplyener to smash'		
yonplyener to burst		
yonpryener to explode		
pyenuer to attack	ovpyenuer to counter-attack	opyenuer to defend
pyaner to leap (up)	pyener to lunge	pyoner to dive
yezpyaner to jump in	zyepyaner to jump through	yozpyaner to jump out
zaypyaner to leap forward	zeypyaner to leap across	zoypyaner to leap backward
pyenarer to whip	pyaneter to skip	peneter to step

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Saying/talking (der, daer)

poyn respite

dier to ask	der to say	duer to propose
updier to invite	ebdier to discuss	
dider to question	doder to be silent	duder to answer
vader to affirm	veder to quibble	voder to deny
vyader to swear		vyoder to lie
yavder to excuse	yevder to judge	yovder to accuse
fivader to approve		fuvader to condemn
fider to praise		fyder to curse
avder to advocate		ovder to oppose
frider to glorify		fruder to blaspheme
		fyuder to offend
		flyuder to insult
		fryuder to outrage
		ufyuder to threaten
		fuyebder to dispute
azder to shout	egder to repeat	ozder to whisper
jader to predict	jeder to narrate	joder to recount
ivder to thank		uvder to complain
ijder to introduce		ujder to conclude
fiader to recommend		fuader to criticize
ajder to evoke		ojder to foretell
tider to understand		tuder to explain
yagder to elaborate		yogder to summarize
diler to beseech	deler to announce	duler to submit
direr to require	deyler to declare	
	daer to speak	
	yagdaer to ramble	
	yebdaer to converse	fuyebdaer to quarrel
dad language	daun speech	dod silence

din history	diyn story	diin recitation
dyun name	zadyun first name	abdyun last name
dun word	dlun phrase	drun sentence

Writing/reading (drer, dyeder)

drer to write	vyedrer to correspond, dyundrer to sign, abdrer to inscribe, geydrer to copy, yezdrer to register, zeydrer to transcribe, tuyudrer to type, tuyudra typewritten, tuyudrud typist, cindrer to draw, dreciyn letter (of the alphabet), desiyna literal, dreciynyan alphabet, dreciynyana alphabetical dreciynyanser to alphabetize, dra written, odra unwritten	
droer to erase	droun erasure, droar eraser	
dren script	, dreud writer, drenet article, drenetyan series of articles, yebdren letter, yebdrenyan mail, tuyadren manuscript, jadren preface, jodren postscript, dedren prose, candren formula, vyadren spelling, vyedren correspondence, vidrenyan literature (belles lettres), drenyan scripture, dreden report, cunyandren program	
dreyn text	dreyna textual, yobdreyn subtext, zyudreyn context, zyudreyna contextual	
dyeder to read	dyedud reader, dyedudyan readership, zyidyeder to scan, dyed lecture, dyedim lecture hall, dyedar scanner	
dyen book	dyenyam book collection, dyenyanam library, dyenunam bookstore, dyengorc chapter, dyenifud bookworm, dyenabkum bookcover, dyenembelar bookmark, dyendyunyan bibliography, dyenet booklet, dindyen storybook, novel, tiundyen textbook	
dreun document, file	dreunyan dossier, documentation, dreuner to document, file	
drec note	drecer to note, dodrec bulletin	
drecin drawing, design	dreciner to draw, drecinud designer, drecinam design studio	
drez poem	drezyan poetry, drezet verse, drezut poet, drezyena poetic	
drevyan grammar	drevyana grammatical, drevyanut grammarian	
dryener to print	dryen print, dryenar printer, dryenam printshop, jubdryen newspaper, jubdryenyan the press, jubdryenud journalist, jobdryen magazine, cindryen illustration, zyidryen poster, zyidryenet prospectus, dryenet ticket, yozdryener to publish, yozdryenam publishing house, dryenciyn type, character (of a font), dryenciynyan font, dryenciynyanam foundry	

drar pen	drear pencil, dril ink	
dof cardboard		
daf card	mircindaf map, ekdaf playing card, yebdrendaf postcard, dafyan stack of cards	
def paper	defyan stationary, defyanam stationary shop, defet scrap of paper, defcasam paper mill	
dyaf notebook	dyafet book (of tickets, etc.), agdyaf register	
dyuf sheet (of paper)	dyufbuar sheetfeeder	
dyuv page	dyuvyan ream of paper, mirmepyan dyuv webpage, zaydyuvper to page forward	

Society (dot)

dot society	dota societal, dotcer to socialize (intr.) dotin socialism, dotinat socialist odota savage, barbaric, odotan savagery, barbarism, odotat savage, barbarian dotyus social welfare dotvaycan social security dotbyen custom, more (n.) dotbyena customary ajdotbyena tradition ajdotbyena traditional dotcyen civilization, dotcyener to civilize	
dat friend	data friendly, datcer to befriend, datan friendship dayt girlfriend daat buddy, daater to buddy around, daatan buddyship ifdat sweetheart, ifdatan romance, ifdata romantic odat enemy, odata inimical, ovdata hostile, ovdatan hostility datibut host, daytibut hostess, datibyea hospitable, datibyean hospitality datupud guest, visitor, datupudim guestroom, datupudem reception area datuper to be a guest, to visit, datup' visit	
det comrade, companion, associate	detan comraderie, association, detcer to associate aydet companion, aydetan company	
dit citizen	dita civil, ditan citizenship, dityan citizenry ditbyen civility doita civic	
dut sir, Mr.	duyt madam, Mrs., dutyan messieurs dutet master, lad	

	duytet miss, mademoiselle, young lady duut sire	
dout bourgeois	dityus civil service douta bourgeois (adj.), doutan bourgeoisie, doutyan bourgeoisie (coll.)	
aut person	auta personal autbyen personality agaut personnage, v.i.p. autyan group, autyana collective autgran crowd, autgrana crowded, autgrancer to form a crowd	
aut individual	auta individual, autan individuality anuta private, anutan privacy autyan group	
yaud commune	yauda communal, yaudan community, yaudana comunity-related yaudin communism, yaudinat communist	
yaut collective	yauta collective yautan collectivity yautser to collectivize, yautin collectivism, yautinat collectivist	
yat everyone	yata everyone's	
tyan people	tyana popular, tyanikcer to populate, tyanikca populated, tyanika populous, tyanukser todepopulate, also: tyanoyser to depopulate, tyanuka unpopulated, deserted tyancyag population, tyancyagtut demographics tyayn populace tyanin populism, tyaninat populist tyanifa popular, tyanifan popularity, tyanifser to popularize, otyanifa unpopular tyanbyen custom, tyanbyena customary	

State (dob)

realm	chief	female counterpart
dob state	deb leader	
adob empire	adeb emperor	adeyb empress
edob kingdom	edeb king, monorach	edeyb queen
idob principality	ideb prince	ideyb princess
udob marquisate	ideb marquis	ideyb marquise
yodob earldom	yodeb count	yodeyb countess
yadob barony	yadeb baron	yadeyb baroness
yedob duchy	yedeb duke	yedeyb duchess
yidob domain	yideb lord	yideyb lordess
yudob tribe	yudeb tribal chief	

tyandob	tyandeb president (of the	
republic	republic)	

Government (dab)

	I		
	daber to govern		
	dabdren ordnance		
	daba government		
	dabzem government center, capital		
dab government	andab autocracy		
	nacdab plutocracy		
	abdaber to dominate, abdabin imperialism, dabovper to revolt, dabovpen		
	revolution		
	dabtun politics, dabtut politician		
daab	daaber to administer		
administration	daaba administrative		
	deber to lead, command		
	andeb dictator, autocrat		
	deban leadership		
	debyan leadership (coll.)		
deb chief, leader	debveg authority, debvegdren authorization		
	deboyser to depose		
	debovper to rebel, debovpud rebel, debovpen rebellion, vodebder to prohibit,		
	vodebden prohibition, debden order		
	dooba national		
doob nation	dooban nationality		
	doof flag		
	duba ministerial, dubam ministry		
dub minister	yozdub ambassador, yozdubam embassy		
	yozdubet consul, yozdubetam consulate'		
	deker to combat		
	dekpan fight, dekpaner to fight, dekpanud fighter		
dek combat	dopek battle, dopekem battlefield		
	dropek war, dropeker to wage war, dropekud warrior, dropekyena bellicose		
damem	damema metropolitan		
metropolis	obdamam colony, obdamemser to colonize, obdamemsud colonialist		
пспоронь			
	domeam province/state, domeameb governor		
domem territory	domeem department (eg. of France), domeemeb prefect		
	domeim canton		
_	domeum commune		
dom city	doma urban, domaser to urbanize		
	dombyen polity		
	yuzdom suburb, domag metropolis		
	debdom capital, midom port, domgon district, domgob quarter, domeb		
	mayor, domam mayor's office, domab municipality, domaba municipal		

	doym town
	doam borough
	doem village
	doim hamlet
	domcin cityscape
	domeyp avenue
	domeap street
	domeep lane
	mepet alley
	gacmep intersection
	omep impasse, cul-de-sac, deadend
domep	yabmep highway
boulevard	igmep expressway
	abzeymep bridge, overpass
	obzeymep underpass
	zyemep tunnel
	yizmep bypass, detour
	yuzmep beltway
	yebdomep interstate
domyem square	domzyum circle

Knowing (ter)

tier to study tiud student titam school atitam elementary school etitam high school ititam college tin doctrine, -ism	ter to know oter to ignore keter to be curious jayter to guess egter to recognize vater to be sure veter to wonder voter to doubt ten knowledge, information	tuer to teach tuud teacher tutam institute tutamyan university tut expert, scholar, scientist tun science, -ology
ticer to learn ticun lesson	tecer to perceive, sense tecun data	tucer to instruct tucun instruction
tiser to agree	teser to think tyujteser to dream ijtes idea jotes afterthought	tuser to convince
akteser to remember		okteser to forget
vateser to assume	veteser to suppose	voteser to discount

vyateser to believe	vyeteser to wonder, weigh	vyoteser to doubt
yanteser to agree		yonteser to disagree
avteser to favor	evteser to quibble	ovteser to oppose
fiteser to thank		futeser to regret
jayteser to plan		joyteser to reflect
kateser to recall	keteser to search one's memory	koteser to forget (deliberately)
keter to be interested	keten curiosity, ketea curious, ketenaya interesting, ketenukser to interest, oketer to be uninterested	
	tyujteser to dream	
tep mind	tepa mental	tepyen attitude, aztepa intelligent, vyatepa wise, tepbyen method, tepbyena methodical, otepa imbecile
teyp spirit	teypa spiritual	agtep genie
tez culture	teza cultural	yobtez subculture, tezser to cultivate
tyen industry	tyena industrial	jotyena post-industrial,tyentun technique, tyentuna technical
tun science	tuna scientific	tut scholar
tin doctrine	tina doctrinal	tinyena doctrinaire
tyun idea	tyuna ideal	tyuncer conceive of, tyunca conceptual, tyunyan ideology, tyunyanud ideolog
tekyoer to pay attention	tekyoa attentive	otekyoa inattentive

Family (tod)

tod family	toda familial toyd home, toyda domestic todana familiar	
tad spouse, husband		

	tadoycat widower, tadoycayt widower, tadyoncer to divorce, tadyoncat divorcee, tadyonc divorce tadyan husband and wife team, jatad fiance, jatayd fiancee tadceat groom, taydceat bride, taydceata bridal tadet brother, tadeta fraternal, tadetan fraternity, tadetyan fraternity (group), taydetyan sorority taydet sister taodet brother-in-law tayodet sister-in-law
ted parent, father	teda parental, paternal teyd mother, teyda maternal teda teda tedoya orphaned, tedoyat orphan, tedoyan orphanhood, tedoycer to be orphaned, tedoyatam orphanage tedet son, tedeta filial teydet daughter teodet son-in-law teyodet daughter-in-law
tid uncle	tidyena avuncular tiyd aunt tidet cousin tiydet cousin (female)'
tud brother-in-law	tuyd sister-in-law tudet nephew tuydet niece
tyod father-in-law	tyoyd mother-in-law tyodet son-in-law tyoydet daughter-in-law
tyad grandparent, grandfather	tyadyena grandfatherly tyayd grandmother, tyaydyena grandmotherly tyadet grandson tyaydet granddaughter tyadyan grandparents tyadetyan grandchildren
tyed relative	tyeda related, tyedan kinship tyedcer to be related, tyedyan kin(folks), otyeda unrelated
tyid god-parent, god-father	tyidet godson tyiydet goddaughter'
ajted ancestor	ajteda ancestral, ajtedyan ancestry
jat ascendant	
jot descendant	joytan descendance

Human being (tob)

tob human being

tab body

- . taab lymph
- .. taaba lymphatic
- .. taabocet lymph gland
- . taeb muscle
- .. taeba muscular
- . taib bone
- .. taibyan skeleton
- ... taibyana skeletal
- .. taibaya bony
- .. taibcer ossify
- ... taibcen ossification
- .. taiboya boneless
- ... taiboyser to debone
- . taob flesh
- .. taoba carnal
- ... egtaobcen reincarnation
- .. taobaya fleshy
- .. taobtelea flesh-eating
- .. potaob meat
- ... potaobtelea carnivorous
- . taub cartilege
- .. tauba cartilagenous
- . tayob skin
- .. tayobil sweat
- ... tayobiler to sweat
- ... tayobilaya sweaty
- .. petayob hide
- .. tayof leather
- ... tayofud leatherer
- ... tayofyena leathery
- . tayab fat
- .. tayaba fat-related
- .. tayaboya fat-free
- .. tayabyel lard
- .. tayabil oil
- ... taybiler to oil
- ... tayabilyem oilcan
- ... tayabilaya oily
- .. tayabaya fatty
- . tayeb hair
- .. tayabaya hairy
- .. tayeboya bald
- ... tayeboycer to go bald
- ... tayeboyat bald person
- ... tayeboyan baldness
- ... tayeboyser to depilate
- .. tayeyb fuzz

- ... tayeybaya fuzzy
- .. patayeb feather
- ... patayebyan plumage
- .. petayeb mane
- .. pitayeb scales
- ... pitayebaya scaly
- .. tayef wig
- . tayib nerve
- .. tayiba nervous
- .. tayibaanea nerve-rattling
- .. tayibzem nerve-center
- . tap physique
- .. tapa physical
- .. yiztapa metaphysical
- .. taptun physiology
- .. taptut physiologist
- . **taf** suit [of clothes]
- .. tayf dress

teb head

- . tebnyem cranium
- .. tebnyema cranial
- . **teboc** brain
- .. teboca cerebral
- . yabteb forehead
- . vobteb chin
- . **obteb** neck
- .. obteba cervical
- .. zaobteb throat
- .. zoobteb nape
- . tebzan face
- .. tebzana facial
- .. tebzanyabs face-lift
- .. tebzanoya faceless
- . teab eye
- .. teaba ocular
- .. teabyeb eyebrow
- .. teabil tear
- ... teabiler to weep
- .. teabyeb eyebrow
- .. fateab eyelid
- ... fateabyeb eyelash
- .. zeteab pupil
- .. anteaba one-eyed
- .. teac sight
- ... teacer to see
- ... oteaca blind
- oteacan blindness
- oteacat blind person

- oteacacer go blind
- oteacaser to blind
- ... teacoker gain one's sight
- ... teacoker lose one's sight
- ... teacar eye glasses
- .. teas look
- ... teaser to look
- igteaser to glance
- yagteaser to stare
- uzteaser to look askance
- izteaser to look directly in the eye
- .. teabzyuen eyeball
- .. teaczyec eye socket
- . teeb ear
- .. teeba aural
- .. fozteeb ear lobe
- .. teec hearing
- ... teecer to hear
- ... teeca auditory
- ... teecier to listen
- teeciud listener
- teeciudyan audience
- teecien audition
- teeciar listening device
- ... oteeca deaf
- oteecser to deafen
- oteecseya deafening
- oteecat deaf person
- oteecan deafness
- ... teecar hearing aid
- .. yozteeb outer ear
- . teib nose
- .. teiba nasal
- .. teibil snot
- ... teibila mucous
- .. teiv handkerchief
- .. **vozteiber** to sneeze
- .. teic smell
- ... teicer to smell
- ... teica olfactory
- ... treic odor
- treicaya odorous
- ... fiteic fragrance
- ... futeic stink
- ... teiz perfume
- ... teicier to sniff
- .. teiceucer to snore
- .. teibzyec nostril

- . teob cheek
- .. zeteob cheekbone
- .. teobyeb beard
- ... teobyebaya bearded
- ... teobyeboya beardless
- . teub mouth
- .. teuba oral
- .. teubil saliva
- ... teubiler to salivate
- .. yozteuber to spit
- .. teubyijer to yawn
- .. yezteuber to swallow
- .. teubob lip
- ... teuboz smile
- ... teuboc kiss
- ... teuboba labial
- .. teud shout
- ... teuder to scream
- .. teuc taste
- ... teucer to taste
- ... fiteuca delicious
- ... futeuca nasty-tasting
- .. **teumib** palate
- ... teumiba palatal
- .. teubyeb mustache
- ... teubyebaya mustachioed
- .. teubab tongue
- ... teubaba lingual
- ... teubaber to lick
- ... yezteybaber to suck
- .. teubeb gum
- .. teubib jaw
- ... teubiser to chew
- .. teupib tooth
- ... teupiba dental
- ... teupibut dentist
- teupibutam dentist's office
- ... teupicer to bite
- teupicoger to nibble
- ... oteupiba toothless
- ... teupibyan denture
- . tef hat
- .. tefet cap
- .. tefud haberdasher
- .. tefam haberdashery
- . tep mind
- .. tepa mental
- .. tepcan sentiment

- .. tepcana sentimental
- . tes thought
- .. teser to think
- ... yagteser to ponder
- .. tesa cognitive
- .. tesen cognition
- .. teseya conceivable
- .. oteseya inconceivable
- .. tesoker to forget
- ... otesokeya unforgetable
- .. tesaker to remember
- . ter to know
- .. oter to ignore
- .. ota unknown
- .. otea unaware
- .. tuer to teach
- ... tuna scientific
- ... tut scientist
- ... tuen teaching
- tuena didactic
- ... tuut teacher
- tuutyan academe
- ... tun science
- ... tuun lesson
- .. tier to learn
- .. titam school
- .. atitam grade school
- .. etitam high school
- .. ititam college
- ... tiud student
- ... tiudyan student body
- ... tiun study
- tiuna scholastic
- tiunyan studies, scholastics</i
- ... tin doctrine
- tina doctrinal
- .. *tez* culture
- ... teza cultural
- .. *ten* knowledge
- ... tena awareness-related
- .. *teya* known
- .. *tea* aware
- ... tean awareness
- . trer to recognize
- .. tren cognizance
- .. *treya* recognizable
- .. trea cognizant
- .. yeztrer be conscious

- .. yeztren conscience
- .. yeztrea conscious
- .. oyeztrea unconscious
- .. otra incognito
- .. otrea incognizant
- . *tec* perception
- .. *tecer* to perceive
- .. *teceya* perceptible
- .. tecpan emotion
- .. *tecpana* emotional
- .. *tecpanea* emotive
- .. *tecpanean* emotivity
- .. tecpaneya excitable
- .. tecpaner to emote

tib trunk

- . *zetib* waist
- .. tetibgan waist size
- . zotib back
- .. *zotiba* dorsal
- .. zotibyok back pain
- . *tiab* chest
- .. *tilab* breast
- ... tilabil, bil milk
- tilabiler to lactate
- tilabila lactic
- tilabilbier to milk
- tilabilbuer to give milk
- tilabilyena milky
- . *tieb* lung
- .. tieba pulmonary
- .. *tieser* to breathe
- .. *veztieser* to inhale
- .. *yoztieser* to exhale
- .. tiebok pneumonia
- ... tieboser to cough
- . *tiib* heart
- .. *tiiba* cardiac
- .. tiibil blood
- ... tiibiler to bleed
- ... tiibilaya bloody
- ... tiibiloker to lose blood
- ... tiibilotila blood-thirsty
- ... tiibila sanguinary
- ... tiibilyanam bloodbank
- .. tiibuf artery
- ... tiibufa arterial
- ... tiibufog arteriole
- ... zoytiibuf vein

- zoytiibufa venal
- . *tiub* belly
- .. *tiuba* ventral
- .. tiuyb abdomen
- ... tiuyba abdominal
- .. zetiub navel
- .. zotiub buttock
- . *tiyob* kidney
- .. tiyoba renal
- .. tiyobok kidney disease
- .. *tiyobil* urine
- ... tiyobiler to urinate
- ... tiyobilem urinal
- ... tiyobila urinary
- . *tiyab* penis
- .. tiyaba penile
- .. tiyyab vagina
- ... tiyyaba vaginal
- .. yebtiyaba sexual
- .. tiyabcan phallus
- ... tiyabcana phallic
- .. tiyaboyser to castrate
- .. tiyaboycat castrato
- .. tiyav condom
- . *tikob* esophagus
- .. tikoba esophageal
- . tikab stomach
- .. tikaba gastric
- . *tikeb* liver
- .. tikeba hepatic
- .. tikebok hepatitis
- .. tikebil bile
- . *tikib* pancreas
- .. tikiba pancreatic
- . tikub instestine
- .. tikuba instestinal
- .. tikubil feces
- ... tikubila fecal
- ... tikubiler to defecate
- .. *tikubuj* anus
- ... *tikubuja* anal
- ... tikubujbok proctitis
- tub arm
- . tuba brachial
- . *tuab* shoulder
- . *tueb* upper arm
- . *tuib* elbow
- .. *tuiber* to elbow

- . tuub forearm
- . tuyob wrist
- . *tuyab* hand
- .. *tuyaba* manual
- .. tuyacer to handle
- .. tuyabier to grasp
- .. *tuyabuer* to lend a hand
- .. tuyupyuner to slap
- .. yebtuyaber to clasp/shake hands
- .. tuyapaner to clap/applaud
- .. *tuyalpaner* to massage/knead
- .. *tuyasiner* to sign
- .. *tuyadotsiner* to wave [hello/goodbye]
- .. *tuyaf* glove
- ... tuyafyem glove compartment
- ... tuyafud glover
- . tuveb fist
- .. *tuyepaner* to pound
- . tuyub finger
- .. tuyuba digital
- .. atuyub thumb
- .. etuyub index
- ... etuyuber to point
- .. ituyub middle finger
- .. utuyub ring finger
- .. *yotuyub* little finger
- .. tuyucer to feel
- ... tuyuca tactile
- ... *tuyuceya* palpable
- .. tuyupaner to tap
- .. *tuyudrer* to type
- ... tuyudrar typewriter, keyboard
- .. tuyubuj finger tip
- . tulob fingernail
- .. tulocer to scratch
- .. *tulop* claw
- ... *tuloper* to claw
- . *tuyub* palm
- .. *tuyupaner* to slap
- . *tulib* knuckle
- .. *tulipaner* to knock

tyob leg

- . *tyoab* hip
- .. *tyoaper* to sit
- . tyoeb thigh
- . *tyoib* knee
- .. *tyoiper* to kneel
- . *tyoub* shin

- . *tyoyab* foot
- .. tyoyabektun podiatry
- .. *tyoyabektut* podiatrist
- .. *tyoyaper* to walk
- ... tyoyapud pedestrian
- ... *tyoyapem* sidewalk
- ... tyoyapar walker
- ... igtyoyaper to run
- ... igtyoyapem racetrack
- .. tyoyapyuner to kick
- .. *tyoyapaner* to stomp
- .. *tyoyabar* pedal
- .. tyoyaf shoe
- ... tyoyafser to cobble
- tyoyafsud shoemaker
- tyoyafsam shoemaker's shop
- tvovafber to shoe
- tyoyafba shod
- ... apetyoyaf horseshoe
- ... tyoyafmacil shoe polish
- ... tvovafnvifet shoelace
- ... tyoyafodet shoetack
- . *tyoyeb* heel
- .. tyoyepaner to supplant
- . *tvovib* sole
- . *tyoyub* toe
- .. tyoyuper to tiptoe
- . *tyolob* toenail
- toba human
- . *tobaser* to humanize
- . *otobaser* to dehumanize
- . toban humanity
- . *tobin* humanism
- .. tobina humanistic
- .. tobinat humanist
- . *iftoba* humanitarian
- .. iftoban humanitarianism

tobyan mankind

tobyena human

toob male

- . tooba masculine
- .. otoobaser to emasculate
- .. tooban masculinity
- . tooyba feminine
- .. tooyban femininity

tooc sex

- . *tooca* sexual
- . toocan sexuality

- . otooca asexual
- . entooca bisexual
- . *hyatooca* pansexual
- . *getooca* homosexual
- .. getoocan homosexuality
- .. *getoocat* homosexual [person]

tos instinct

- . *tosa* instinctual
- . tosyena instintive

top soul

- . *toptun* psychology
- . toptuna psychological
- . *toptut* psychologist
- . topyena animate
- .. *topyenaser* to animate
- .. *topyenasen* animation
- .. otopyena inanimate
- . topoya soulless

tovb woman

- . toyba female
- .. eyontoyba effeminate, quasi-female
- . *toybyena* feminine
- .. *otobyena* unwomanly
- . toybet girl
- .. toybetyena girlish
- .. toybetan girlhood
- . toybyan womankind

tobob child

- . *toboba* infantile
- .. toboban infancy
- . tobyena childish
- . toboboya childless
- . tobobikam child care center

tobet boy

- . tobetyena boyish
- . tobetan boyhood

tobog kid, midget

. *toboyg* kiddie

tobyog brat

tobag giant

. *tobagyena* gigantic

tobyag monster

. *tobyagyena* monstrous

toc sense

- . toca sensorial
- . tocan sensation
- . tocer to sense
- . toceya sensible

- . *tocea* sensitive
- **boc** organ
- . *boca* organic
- . *bocyan* organism
- . *bocet* gland
- .. *boceta* glandular

Bodily functions (tab...er)

body part	body function	
	yobtaber to bow, stoop	
tab body	yaztaber to prostrate oneself	
	yabtaber to stand erect	
teb head	yobteber to duck	
тени	tebciner to nod	
ton mind	ter to know, etc. [see Mental	
tep mind	Activities]	
	teacer to see	
	teaser to look	
	teabiler to weep	
	zyoteaber to squint	
teab eye	yagteaser to stare	
	igteaser to glance	
	<i>igteacer</i> to glimpse	
	teabciner to wink	
	teabigyijer to blink	
tayeb hair	tayeboycer to bald	
tayob skin	tayobiler to sweat	
tayob skin	tayoboker to shed	
	tayiser irritate	
tayib nerve	iftayiser to tickle	
	tayicer to itch	
teeb ear	teecer hear	
teeb ear	teeser listen	
	teicer to smell	
teib nose	teiser to sniff	
	teiseucer to snore	
	teibiler to run at the nose	
	teibilpuner to sneeze	
	teibukser to blow the nose	
teub mouth	teubiler to salivate	
	teubilpuner to spit	
	yezteuber swallow	
	teubyijer to yawn	

	teuder to shout	
	teubocer to kiss	
teubob lip	yezteybober to suck	
	teubozer to smile	
	teucozer to laugh	
teubab	teubaber to lick	
tongue	teucer to taste	
teubib jaw	teubiser to chew	
teipid tooth	teupicer to bite	
tilab breast	tilabiler to lactate	
tikab stomach	tikabilpuner to vomit	
	tieser to breath	
	yeztieser to inhale	
tieb lung	yoztieser to exhale	
	tiebil phlegm	
	tiebukser to cough	
tiib heart	tiibiler to bleed	
tiyob kidney	tiyobiler to urinate	
tuab shoulder	tuaber to shoulder	
tuib elbow	tuiber to elbow	
	tuyabier to grab	
	tuyabuer to hand	
	tuyaser to manipulate	
tuyab hand	yebtuyaber to shake hands	
la l	tuyaciner to wave	
	tuyapyener to slap	
	tuyapyeneter to pat	
	tuyalpaner to massage	
	tuyucer to feel	
	tuyupyeneter to tap	
	tuyudrer to type	
tuyub finger	iztuyuber to point	
	ivtuyucer to tickle	
	tuyubginer to poke	
	tuyuser to strum, fiddle	
	tyoyapyener to kick	
tyoyab foot	tyoyaper to walk	
Lydyab 1001	igtyoyaper to run	
	kityoyaper to hobble	
twoyoh kwaa	tyoyocer to kneel	
tyoyob knee	tyoyoper to crawl	
tyoyeb heel	tyoyepyener to stomp	
tyoyub toe	tyoyuper to tiptoe	

Bodily fluids and other liquids (tab...il)

object	fluid
tab body	tabil humor
teab eye	teabil tear
teib nose	teibil mucus, snot
tilab breast	bil milk (tila dropped)
teub mouth	teubil saliva, spit
tiib heart	tiibil blood
tiyob kidney	tiyobil urine, piss
tikeb liver	tikebil bile
tikub intestine	tikubil feces, shit
tayob skin	tayobil perspiration, sweat
tieb lung	tiebil phlegm, sputum
tobij seed	tobijil semen
mam sky	mamil rain
vafyab grape	vafil wine (vafyab shortened to vaf)
voz color	vozil paint
dr- write	dril ink
mag fire	magil petroleum
mag fire	maagil fuel
mag fire	maegil gasoline
mag fire	maigil kerosene
meg rock	megil cement
magmeb volcano	magmebil lava (fire mountain liquid)
yan together	yanil glue
mel ground	meil mud
tel food	telil soup
ovob cereal	ovobil meal, porridge
bil milk	biel cream
fyab fruit	fyabil juice
afyab apple	afyabil apple juice
ufyab prune	ufyabil prune juice
lafyab orange	lafyabil orange juice
afyab apple	afil cider (afyab shortened to af)
kafyab olive	kafyabyel olive oil

vol vegetable	volyel vegetable oil
levol beet	levolil beet juice
fab tree	fabil sap
yavob hop	yavil beer (yabov shortened to yav)
levaf	levafil liqueur
level sugar	levil syrup (el < tel food, il < til drink)
tul plate	tulil sauce
m- nature	mil water
mil water	miil liquid
yom ice	yomil dew
yom ice	yombiil ice cream
t- human/animal	til drink
bek treatment	bekil medicine
bok illness	bokil poison
mag fire	magil fuel
cafayeb tea leaf	cafayel tea (-b organism to -l liquid)
cefyab coffee bean	cefyal coffee
	yel oil
	fyel wax
apelat bee	apelatel honey (-el food)
apelat bee	apelatyel wax (-yel oil)
c metaloid	cil acid
yilom 80-electron metalloid	yilomil mercury
mam sky	mal air (mam shortened to ma)
mal air	meal gas
mal air	mial vapor
amc 1-electron metalloid	amcal hydrogen (-al gas)
yimc 8-electron metalloid	yimcal oxygen
yemc 7-electron metalloid	yemcal azote

Health (bak)

bak health
baka healthy
baker to be healthy
bakcer to heal'
bakser to cure
baktun hygiene
baktut hygienist
bakam sanatorium
bakat healthy person
baktel health food
baktelam health food
place
baak sanitation
baaka sanitary
obaaka unsanitary
baakser to sanitize
tabak physical health
tebak mental health
bayk safety
bayka safe
bayker to save
baykser to make safe
bayksud savior
obayk danger, peril
obayka unsafe, dangerous
obaykser to endanger

bek treatment, remedy, cure
beka clinical
beker to treat
bekcer to heal [intr.]
bekser to heal [tr.]
bekler to cure, to remedy
beklacer to be cured
bektun medecine (practice of)
bektut doctor
bekam clinic, hospital, care
facility
bekim hospital room
bekat patient
bekut care-giver, nurse
bekil medecine, drug
bekel pill
bekila medicinal
bekilam pharmacy
bekiler to medicate
tebektun psychiatry
tebektut psychiatrist
bekleya curable
obekleya incurable
obekeya untreatable
fubek mistreatment, abuse
fubeker to mistreat, to abuse

bok illness
boka sick
boker to be sick'
bokcer to fall ill
bokser to sicken'
boktun pathology
boktut pathologist
boktuna pathological
bokus pathogen
bokam hospital
bokamber to hospitalize
bokat patient
book fatigue
booka tired
bookcer to grow tired
bookser to tire
bookseya tiresome
bokil poison
bokiler to poison
bokilyena poisonous
obokilam detox facility
ombok cold
teibok influenza, flu
vyurbok infection
ambok inflammation
tebok mental illness
teboka mentally ill
tebokam insane asylum
tebokat mentally ill person
tebook boredom
tebooker to bore
tebookcer to grow bored
tebookca bored
oboker to cure, to heal, to
save
obokut savior, healer
egbokcer to relapse

bik care
bikea careful
biker to care for
biktun nursing
biktut nurse
bikam care facility
bikat care patient
bikof bandage
bikofer to bandage
obik lack of care
obiker to leave uncared for
tebiker to care (about)
otebik apathy, lack of concern
otebiker to be unconcerned
about
obikea careless
otebikea unconcerned, apathetic
igyega bik urgent care
igyega bikim emergency room

buk wound
buka wounded
buker to wound
bukcer to be wounded
buyk sore
buket scratch
buketer to scratch
bukof patch
bukofber to patch up
bukat trauma patient,
victim
buuk harm
buuker to harm
buukeya harmful
buukoya harmless
buukyek danger

byok pain
byoyk ache
byoykcer to ache
byoker to hurt
(someone)
byokcer to be in pain
byokeya painful
byokoya painless
byokoysil painkiller
byoyker to ache
byookcer to suffer
bryok agony
bryoker to torture
bryokeya torturous
bryokcer to agonize
tebyok anguish
tebyokcer to anguish

Clothes (tof)

body part	heavier material	lighter material
tob man	tof apparel	tov underwear
tab body	taf suit	pontav pijama
teb head	tef hat	tev scarf
teib nose	teif nose cover	teiv handkerchief
teyob neck	teyof tie	teyov collar
tuab shoulder	tuaf shawl	
tib trunk	tif vest	
zetib waist	zetif belt	zetiv sash
tiab chest	nefiaf sweater	tiav shirt
tiub belly	tiuf corset	tiuv underpants
tilab breast		tilav brassiere
tiyab penis		tiyav loin cloth

tyob leg	tyof pants	
tyoyab foot	tyoyaf shoe	tyoyav sock
tuyab hand	tuyaf mit tuyafyem pocket	tuyav glove
tiyub tail	tiyuf train	

Habitation (tom)

	tomer to live, tomud inhabitant
	toym home, toyma domestic
	toem place of residence
	toom accommodation, lodging, toomer to accommodate
	tomet apartment, tometyan apartment building
	tomof tent
tom habitation	utom property
tom navitation	tomtun architecture, tomtut architect, tomtuna architectural
	tombuer to lease,tombuud landlord, dren tombuena lease
	tombier to rent, let, tombiud renter, lessee
	tomnoc rent
	tombel housekeeping, tombelud concierge
	yabtom hi-rise
	tyemer to reside
	tyemud resident
tyem residence	tyema residential
	vegdren tyemuda resident's permit
	otyemud non-resident
	tameb master of the house
	taam villa
	agtam chateau
	ivagtam palace
	ogtam cottage
	tamet cabin
	ogtamet hut
	potam hotel, igpotam motel
tam house	zyutam tower
tain nouse	azcatam castle
	tamyan housing complex
	tamyozem yard
	tameyezem courtyard
	abtamac roof
	zatam facade
	telam restaurant
	epam station
	tilam bar

	tuzam museum	
	dyenam library titam school tutam institute	
	tutam institute	
	nunam store	
	cesam factory	
	avolam bakery	
	bikam hospital	
	totam church	
	spanam gym	
	milbam bathhouse	
	pemtam garage	
	beelam warehouse	
	vobyesam farm	
	taymser to build, otaymser to demolish, otayms ruins, taymsud	
taym building	builder	
, S	tamcer to found, tamc foundation	
	mamtaym skyscraper	
	abtem attic	
	obtem basement	
	yagtem gallery	
	pemepem parking lot	
	ponem rest stop	
	ifekem playground	
	dropekem battleground	
	maparem airport	
	yozem yard, outdoors	
	yazem flat space	
	yubem neighborhood	
	yibem the far side	
	kum side	
	abem top	
tem space	obem bottom	
tem space	zam front	
	zom back	
	zem middle	
	zyem indoors	
	kunadam frontier	
	kim slope	
	yabem upstairs	
	yobem downstairs	
	zyem tunnel	
	zeym bridge	
	ifpem promenade	
	mimkum beach	
	ifpopem resort tujyemem cemetery	

	tatem shrine	
	zyum zone	
	ubem destination	
	ibem origin	
	pum destination	
	pimstarting point	
	<i>epem</i> station	
	ijem starting point	
	<i>ujem</i> endpoint	
	miltim bathroom	
	yestim bureau	
	datim salon, living room	
	zyotim hall, corridor	
	tjujim bedroom	
tim room,	telim dining room	
chamber	magelim kitchen	
	tilim bar	
	zatim lobby	
	zotim antechamber	
	yaktim waiting room	
	timet cubicle, cabin, roomette	

Places and containers

The "place" suffixes **am**, **(e)m**, **im**, **yem**, and **yeb** are short for and recall **tam** *house*, **tem** *space*, **tim** *room*, **nyem** *box*, and **cyeb** *container*.

Buildings (-tam, -am)

t- human-related	tam house
nun merchandise	nunam store
nac money	nacam bank
apelat bee	apelatam beehive
pancin cinema	pancinam moviehouse
tel food	telam restaurant
til drink	tilam bar
tier to study	titam school
tuer to instruct	tutam institute
tata holy	tatam church
dyenyan book	dyenyanam library

collection	
cuzyan art collection	cuzyanam museum
bekil drug	bekilam pharmacy
ep stop	epam station
pon rest	ponam hotel
bek treatment	bekam clinic
bok illness	bokam hospital
bik care	bikam nursing home
bak health	bakam sanatorium
avol bread	avolam bakery
dez show	dezam theatre
daz dance	dazam dance studio
cefyal coffee	cefyalam café
belud guard	beludam guardhouse
apet horse	apetam stable
koer to hide	koam shelter
def paper	defam stationery
tyuj sleep	tyujam dormitory
voc flower	vocam floristry
par vehicle	param garage
pat bird	patam nest
vab grass	vabam grange

Places and spaces (-tem, -em)

t- human-related	tem hall
ep stop	epem stopping point
tij birth	tijem birthplace
yes work	yesem factory
ek play	ekem playground
dropek war	dropekem battlefield
koer to hide	koem hideaway
pier to depart	piem departure point
puer to arrive	puem arrival point
ab on	abem top
ob under	obem' bottom
yab <i>up</i>	yabem upstairs
yob down	yobem downstairs

yeb between	yebem interstice
yez in	yezem interior
yoz out	yozem exterior
ib from	ibem origin
ub to	ubem destination
ij start	ijem starting point
uj end	ujem endpoint, goal
yub near	yubem vicinity
yib far	yibem distance
za before	zam front
zo behind'	zom back
ze middle'	zem center
yak wait	akem waiting area
yuz around	yuzem environment
zyu round	zyum zone
uka empty	ukem vacant lot
kua lateral	kum side
kua lateral	kuem sidelines
kia oblique	kiem slope
kes trial	kesem proving ground
vab grass	vabem prairie
yaza flat	yazem plain
yija open	yijem open area
zye through	zyem transit area
zey across	zeym crossing/bridge
zyaa wide	zyam expanse
zyoa narrow	zyom tight spot
pon rest	ponem rest area
tapek sport	tapekem sports arena
ifzyip tour	ifzyipem tourist site
yanup meeting	yanupem meeting venue
tujyem coffin'	tujyemem <i>cemetery</i>
yezmelben burial	yezmelbem burial ground
tata holy	tatem shrine
tesbeler to memorialize	tesbelem memorial (site)
nun merchandise	nunem marketplace

hea which	hem where?
hyaa every	hyam everywhere
hyea any	hyem anywhere
hoa no	hom nowhere
hua this	hum here
hia that	him there
gea same	gem the same place
teler to eat	telem refectory
yob under	yobtem cellar
yuja open	yujtem court
yaga long	yagtem gallery
yab above	yabtem attic
zayoz front outside	zayoztem front porch
zayez front inside	zayeztem lobby
tier to study	titem study hall
tuer to teach	tutem class

Rooms (-tim, -im)

t- human- related	tim room
tjujer to sleep	tjujim bedroom
teler to eat	teltim dining room
mageler to cook	magelim kitchen
yes work	yesim bureau
mil water	miltim bathroom
tata holy	tatim chapel
vi nice	vitim salon
yak wait	yaktim waiting room
za front	zatim lobby
zo back	zotim backroom
daer to talk	datim parlor
tapek sport	tapektim exercise room
teacibar t.v.	teacibarim t.v. den
mover to smoke	movim smoking den
yon apart	yontim compartment
yez in	yeztim chamber
zyoa narrow	zyotim corridor/hall

tuer to teach	tutim classroom
cim chair	bimer to sit
cum bed	bumer to lie down

Enclosures (-tyem, -nyem, -yem) and containers (-cyeb, -yeb, -yef)

t- human-related	tyem residence
aza strong	azyem safe
koer to hide	koyem shelter
pon vacation	ponyem suitcase
mog ash	mogyem ashtray
yom ice	yomyem ice chest
voc flower	vocyem flower bed
voc flower	vocyeb flower pot
il liquid + neer reserve	ilneyeb tank
il liquid	ilyeb bottle
il liquid	ilcyeb carafe
til drink	tilyeb glass
til drink	tilcyeb cup
el food	elcyeb pot
tol food	tolyeb casserole
yaz flat+tol	yaztolyeb pan
consumables	yaztotyen pun
telil soup	telilyeb bowl
ber put	byem position
tab body	tabyem posture
tes thought	tesbyem method
tep mind	tebyem attitude
eber to stop	ebyem situation
uka empty	ukyem slot,
	vacancy
nac money	nacyem cashbox
noz jewel	nozyem jewelry box
n- commercial	nyem box
nac money	nacyef purse
n- commercial	nyef bag
nyef weave	nyefyem basket
faof wood	faofyeb barrel
mak electricity	nakyeb battery

Building structures and furniture (com)

cam closet	telarcam buffet
com item of furniture	comber to furnish comyan furniture comser to make furniture comsud furniture maker milcom sink comiper to move
muc stairs	mucnog step muyc ladder zyupea muc escalator mucim stairwell igyozpen muc fire escape
mic window	zamec threshold micet ticket window, porthole micof blinds micov curtain abmic sunroof micog skylight
mec door	mecag entrance-way
mac wall	abmac roof obmac foundation yezabmac ceiling yezobmac floor uzabmac vault abzamac balcony abkumac ledge macsud mason mactyen masonry (industry) macyan masonry yozmac outer wall yezmac inner wall yuzmac fence mefa mac brick wall macet fence yonsmac partition mayc screen
moc floor [stage]	amoc ground floor emoc second floor 'imoc third floor obmoc basement abmoc penthouse yebmoc mezzanine mocpar elevator (also: yalbur)

	tofcam clothes closet			
	dyencam bookcase			
	macam cupboard			
	comoc shelf			
	tovcam linen closet			
	eycam alcove			
	drecem desk			
	ceym pulpit			
	cemnyem drawer			
	cemof table cloth			
	cemyob table leg			
cem table	cemet board			
	yuscemet serving tray			
	tilcem bar			
	cyagcem counter			
	camaper to sit down at the table (also:			
	bemer)			
	ciym seat			
	agcim armchair			
	yagcim couch			
	ciim bench			
	eycim stool			
	tyoyabcim footstool			
	cimub arm rest			
cim chair	cimzom seat back			
Cim Chair				
	baanetcim rocking chair			
	zoyolbcim recliner milnef cim bucket seat			
	cimbier to occupy a seat			
	cimbuer to seat (someone)			
	cimober to unseat			
	cimaper to sit down (also: bimer)			
	cuam cushin			
	cuaym pillow			
	cuem mattress			
cum bed	cuav <i>bedspread</i>			
Cum Dea	cuev sheet			
	cuef <i>cover</i>			
	cuim box springs			
	cumnyan <i>litter</i>			
	cumaper to go to bed, lie down (also: bumer)			
	1 0 ,			

Food (tol)

tol foodstuffs	toler to feed	

	tola alimentary	
	toleyeb pot	
	tolyeb casserole	
	yaztolyeb pan	
	tolam grocery store, market, tolamud grocer	
	tolar eating utensil, tolaryan dishes	
	tolnyun produce, groceries	
	teler to eat	
	otel hunger, otelcer to hunger, otela hungry, otelag famine, oteltujer to	
	starve (to death)	
	telun edible (item)	
	vitelyd gourmet	
	vitelea gourmand	
	telam restaurant, telamet cafe, telamseb restauranteur	
	telyem buffet	
tel (prepared)	telyeb plate, telyebar serving tray	
food	telar fork, telaryan place setting, cutlery	
	telim kitchen	
	telten culinery	
	telsur cooker	
	telsud cook	
	telseb chef	
	telil soup, telilyeb soup bowl	
	magtelur stove	
	teleya edible, oteleya inedible	
	teluzer to taste	
	teyluz savor, teyluza savory, teyluzer to savor	
teluz taste	oteluz disgust	
	oteluza disgusting	
	oteluzer to be disgusted	
	tiler to drink	
	otil thirst	
	otilcer to thirst	
	otila thirsty	
	otilag draught	
	tilam bar	
	tilamag brasserie	
til drink	tilyeb glass	
un unt	tilcyeb bowl	
	tiylcyeb cup	
	tilar spoon	
	tilarag soup spoon	
	tilarog teaspoon	
	tileya potable, otileya non-potable	
	omtil refreshment, soft-drink	
tul dish, served		

food	atulyan breakfast, atulyaner to eat breakfast etulyan lunch, etulyaner to lunch itulyan dinner,itulyaner to dine jatul appetizer jotul dessert yebtul snack tulyeb platter tulil soup tulyanag banquet tuldren menu tulusud waiter, tulusudyan wait staff, tulusdeb head waiter, maitre d', tulyusnac (restaurant) tip tuljyob mealtime
-ol/yol (solid)	taol meat, taolam butcher shop, taolud butcher, taolil stew, yugtaol beef steak, yapetaol sausage, yapetyol ham mimol salt, mimolika salty vavol salade, greens avol bread, avolet bread crumb, abavol crust, avolek flour, avolam bakery, avolud baker yebcavol sandwich cabavol slice of bread yazavol pancake, flatbread, pizza yuzavol wrap, burrito gyoavol crepe leavol pastry leyavol cake aleavol brioche umleavol cookie umcavol cracker, biscuit uzleavol fruit pie taoleavol meatpie leavolsud pastrymaker leavolsud pastrymaker leavolam patisserie
-el/yel/yal (semi-solid)	eopel beef, gocra eopel ground beef, gocra eopel yebcavol hamburger uopel mutton yapel pork yel oil kafabyel olive oil gevobyel corn oil magyel cooking oil tayal fat, grease mageler to cook magyeler to fry level sugar, levela sweet, leveler to sweeten, leyvel candy, levil syrop, leyvelud confectioner, leyvelam confectionary

	elcyeb pot	
	yapel pork, yapelyan pork meats, yapelam pork butchery	
-il (liquid)	ilyeb bottle tuil sauce tulil soup vafil wine yigvafil vinegar afil cider yavil beer levafil liqueur bil milk, bilam dairy, bilyig cheese, bilyug butter bilyugl yoghurt abil cream fyablevil compote fyabil fruit juice taobil gravy, jus levil syrup apelatil honey	
mag-	mageler to cook, magelur cooker magiler to boil, magilur boiler maygiler to broil, maygilur broiler magler to roast, maglyur roaster abmagler to grill, abmaglur grill magyeler to fry, magyelur frier magoler to bake, magolur oven magler to roast, maglur roaster magtelur stove magsur burner	
gopar knife		

Time (job)

	joba temporal ponjob vacation yogjob short while, yogjoba		
	temporary yivjob leasure yagjob longtime, yagjoba chronic		
job time	jejoba chronic zye job over time yadjob eternity, yadjoba eternal		
	gonjoba part-time jobyugc delay, jobyugser to		
	delay, jobyugca delayed jobigc haste, jobigcer to hurry kyoca (jonabca) jobem		

	appointment jobnabs schedule jobdaf schedule		
joob period	jooyb era, epoch joobag eon joobag short period jooba periodic jooban periodicity joobay periodically odjobu? when? udjobu now idjobu then yadjobu always yodjobu never yedjobu whenever gedjobu at the same time ogedjobu some other time yudjobu sometime		
jab year	jaba annual cojab century, cojaba secular jabij new year jabuj year's end jabdyen yearbook jabzoyp anniversary		
jeb season	jeba seasonal jeab spring jeeb summer jeib autumn jeub winter		
jib month	jiba monthly ijib trimester yajib semester jiab January jieb February jiib March jiub April jiyob May jiyab June jiyeb July jiyib August jiyab September jilob October jilab November jileb December		
jub day	juba daily yejub week, yejuba weekly		

	juab Monday jueb Tuesday juib Wednesday juub Thursday juyob Friday juyab Saturday juyeb Sunday ponjub holiday yivjub day off yadjubu every day, yadjuba daily jubdyen diary jubdryen newspaper, jubdryena journalistic, jubdryenud journalist zojub yesterday udjub today zajub tomorrow ivjub feast, ivjuber to feast, ivjuber to celebrate tijub birthday agtijub Christmas zoytujub Easter				
jyob hour	jyoba hourly jyobar clock tyijyobar alarm clock tubjyobar wrist watch jyobyandaf schedule				
jyab minute	jyayb moment, jyayba momentary				
jyeb second	jyeyb instant, jyeyba instantaneous				
maj daytime	maja diurnal ijmaj dawn imaj morning ujmaj dusk umaj evening eymaj noon joeymaj afternoon fimaj good day! fiumaj good evening!	yadmaju every morning	udmaju this morning	zomaju yesterday morning	zomaju tomorrow morning
moj night	moja nocturnal eymoj midnight fimoj good night! yadmoju every night udmoju tonight				

jud date	judrer to date jojudrer to postdate jajudrer to antedate judar calendar judaf calendar judyen datebook odjudu on what date	udjudu on this date	idjudu on that date	
jayg age	jaga old, jagat elder, jagan old age, jagat bikam elder care facility, jagcer to age, jagca aged, yagcea ageing joga young/new, jogan youth (state), jogat youth (person), jogatyan youth (coll.), egjogser to rejuvenate/renew, joganyena youthful gajayga elder gojayga younger gejayga of the same age, as old (as) jyega adult jega middle aged joyga adolescent ojyega minor gyajayga eldest gyojayga youngest glajayga antique, ancient glojayga brand new, very young odjayg how old?			

Time expressions

expression	example
ja before	Yujo mani ja et pio. Turn out the lights before you leave.
je while	Tobob tuja je tyujya. The child died while sleeping.
jo after	Jo teacera mavi it igyipa. After seeing the flames, he fled.
ji since	Aita tijye ga fiay ji dropek yuja. We have been living better since the war ended.
ju until	Ju et agco, et ho tido. Until you grow up, you won't understand.
jya early	Ga jya ga fi. The earlier the better.
jye on time	Valco puer jye. Be sure to arrive on time.
jyo late	Ho puo jya! Don't arrive late!

zojubu yesterday	Hey mamila zojubu? Did it rain yesterday?		
udjubu today	Iyt deuzo udjubu. She is going to sing today.		
zajubu tomorrow	At ikso dyen zajubu. I will finish the book tomorrow.		
zomoju last night	Hey et fi tyuja zomoju? Did you sleep well last night?		
udmoju tonight	Udmoju ho eco mayri mamu. Tonight there will be no stars in the sky.		
zamoju tomorrow night	Tijuba vitul aco zamoju. The birthday feast will occur tomorrow night.		
jazojubu the day before yesterday	Vab gorfaya jazojubu. The grass had been mowed the day before yesterday.		
jozajubu the day after tomorrow	Avolam yijco jozajubu. The bakery will open the day after tomorrow.		
jay already	Uvay eta ted jay pia. Sadly, your father has already left.		
gaj still	Hey pati gaj tijea? Are the birds still alive?		
juy yet	Hey et juy teuca hia pancin? Have you seen this movie yet?		
aju in the past	Uti sya hubyen aju. People used to act that way in the past.		
eju at present	Eju ait ukce mil. At present, we are out of water.		
oju in the future	Et fi to oju. You'll know better in the future.		
ji idjob since then, thenceforth	Ji idjob eca hoga sejeti. Since then, there have been no further incidents.		
jo udjob from now on, henceforth	Jo udjob at yeso ga tepazay. From now on I will work more diligently.		
ju idjob until then	Ju idjob at ho teacaya yidcuni. Until then, I had not seen such things.		
ju udjob until now, up to now, so far	Hot yozpa ju udjob. Nobody has emerged so far.		
iju first	At vagyo iju ivader et av updier at. I would first like to thank you for inviting me.		
joy next	Joy ait teeco drez Sekspira. Next we shall hear a poem by Shakespeare.		
uju finally	Elyanidpar uju pua. The train has finally arrived.		
gloja recently	Iit gloja tadca. They recently married.		
glojo soon	Jobipar co him glojo. The taxi will be here soon.		
glaja a long time ago	Hua pancin yozpa glaja. That movie came out a long time ago.		
glajo a long time hence	Dropek ujco glajo. The war will come to an end a long time from now.		
gyoja just	At gyoja ijeaca eta vyoon. I just now noticed your error.		
yubji just	At yubji ijeaca eta vyoon. I just now noticed your error.		
yubju almost	At yubju aka. I almost won.		
ja ago	Keus aca ja e jub. The accident occurred two days ago.		

glaj for a long time	At yesa hum glaj. I worked there for a long time.	
gloj for a short time	At yesa him anay gloj. I worked here only for a short time.	
yokbyenay suddenly, all of a sudden	Yokbyenay teuzibar ceusa. Suddenly the phone rang.	
igjobu suddenly, all of a sudden	Igjobu teuzibar ceusa. Suddenly the phone rang.	
odjobu? when?	Odjobu et sa uda cizun? When did you do this painting?	
adjobu when (relative)	At sa cizun adjobu at ca joga. I did the painting when I was young.	
ji odjob? since when? for how long?	Ji objob et ce tadca? How long have you been married?	
ju odjob until when?, how long	Ju odjob et drecyeo eta dyen? How long will you be writing your book?	
idjubu then, at that time	Et ca via idjubu. You were beautiful then.	
udjubu now, at this time	At yese ge tuut udjubu. I work as a teacher now.	
yadjubu always, all the time	Iyt yadjubu teuboyze. She always smiles.	
yudjubu sometime	Iyt egteapo yudjubu. She'll visit again someday.	
yodjubu never	Ata yepet yodjubu yepede. My dog never barks.	
ju yadjub forever	lit yake beer tadca ju yadjub. They hope to remain married forever.	
yedjubu ever, anytime	Et vege teaper yedjubu et vage. You can visit anytime you like.	
yudjubu sometime	At teapo et yudjubu yuboju. I will visit you sometime in the near future.	
ogedjubu some other time	Et yego uper ogedjubu. You'll have to come some other time.	
yidjubu at such a time	Ait yege doer yidjubu. We must be silent at such a time.	
gedjubu at the same time	Yad e nidpari pua gedjubu. Both trains arrived at the same time.	
vogaj no longer, anymore	At vo vage gaj teacer et. I don't want to see you any longer.	
odjopi? how often?	Odjopi et pe pancinu? How often to you go to the movies? (jop instance in time)	
ajop once	Et yege utmilabaner ajop jubey. You must bathe once a day.	
ejopi twice	At vyisa par ejopi. I washed the car twice.	
glajopi often	Ait deuze yanay glajop. We often sing together.	
glojopi seldom	At glojopi teaca yidcun. Seldom have I seen such a thing.	
gaijopi sometimes, at times	Iyt ceace geijopi jyo. She sometimes shows up late.	
ojop never	At ojop vyode. I never lie.	
yidjop so often	Et yidjop abdabe yebdaen. You dominate the conversion so often.	
gejopi as often	Upo gejopi vye et vage. Come as often as you like.	
gajopi more often	Ata ted datupe gajopi vye ja. My father visits more often than before. (vye than)	

gojopi less often	At zyipe gojopi udjubi. I travel less often these days.	
gyejopi quite often	Nun ce gyejopi nasaga. The merchandise is quite often expensive.	
grajopi too often	Et tile grajopi. You drink too often.	
grojopi too infrequently	At yozpe tam grajopi. I get out of the house too infrequently.	
gyajopi as often as possible	Et yege milaber voci gyajopi. You should water the flowers as often as possible.	
gyojopi as seldom as possible	At yazte maru gyojopi. I lie in the sun as seldom as possible.	

Beginning and ending (ijer, ujer)

The following table shows j (time) words that forms parallels on the basis of the $i\Rightarrow u$ ordinal vowel opposition:

ijer to begin	ujer to end
ij beginning	uj end
ija initial	uja final
tijer to be born	tujer to die
tij birth	tuj death
tija natal, born	tuja mortal, dead
tijser to birth	tujser to kill
majij dawn	majuj dusk
tobij ovum>	
vabij seed	
patij egg	
magijer to spark	magujer to extinguish
manijer to light	manujer to turn off
esijer to set in motion	esuj to terminate
tesij idea	
jabij new year's	jabuj year's end
yijer to open	yujer to close
yij opening	yuj close
yija open	yuja closed
yijar key	yujar lock
yijem passageway	yujem dead end
yijofer to unfold	yujofer to fold

yijden introduction	yujden conclusion
tyijer to wake	tyujer to sleep
tyij wakefulness	tyuj sleep
tyija awake	tyuja asleep

aj past	aju in the past, then	ajer to delay	taj former life	ja before	jya early
ej present	eju at present, now	ejer to wait	tej life	je during	jye on time
oj future	oju in the future	ojer to preempt	toj afterlife	jo after	jyo late
ij beginning	iju in the beginning, at first	ijer to begin	tij birth	ji since	
uj end	uju in the end, at last	ujer to end	tuj death	ju until	

Natural phenomena (mor, mar, etc.)

mor universe	mora universal,	
moyr cosmos	moyra cosmic, moyrtun cosmology	
mar sun	mara solar, marnad sun ray	
mayr star	mayra stellar, mayryan constellation, mayryanag galaxy, mayrtun astronomy	
mer planet	mear Mercury meer Venus meir Earth meur Mars meyor Jupiter meyar Saturn meyer Uranus meyir Pluto	
mir world	mira global amir north, amira nordic omir south, omira southern imir east, imira oriental umir west, umira occidental emir equator, emira equatorial	
mur moon	mura lunar muyr satellite muar comet muer meteor muerog meteorite	

mol nature	mola natural, omola artificial
mul matter	mula material, multun physics mulet particle amul atom amulyan molecule amulet atomic particle amula atomic, amulzem nucleus, amulzema nuclear emul electron imul proton umul neutron umulet neutrino yamul quark
mal air	mala aerial mayl gas maal atmosphere mael troposphere mail stratosphere maul ionosphere mayol exosphere malp airwave
mam sky	mama celestial, mamnad horizon, mameyzyun rainbow, mamceus thunder mamevan weather mamevantun meteorology
maem space	maema spatial, paem spacecraft, maempopud astronaut
map wind	maap gust maep breeze maip puff mapag cyclone mapaget storm maper to blow maiper to puff
maf cloud	maaf stratus maef nimbostratus maif cumulus mauf cumulonimbus mayof stratocumulus mayaf allocumulus mayef allostratus mayif cirrocumulus mayuf cirrostratus malof cirrus yobmaf nimbus
	mafaya cloudy mafoya cloudless

earth	yanmel continent, yanmela continental yonmel island, yonmela insular
mem country	meam region meem land meim countryside memcin scenery memud peasant yazmem plain yazmeam valley yazmeem dale ukmem desert eynukmem steppe vabem prairie vabemet meadow yebmem isthmus yezmelber to bury
mep way	meyp route meap road meep path meip lane, track meup pass mepet alley uzmep detour izmep bee-line kumep sidewalk domep highway yobmep subway
meb mountain	mebyan mountain chain yazmeb plateau miekmeb dune magmeb volcano, magmeba volcanic, magmebil lava meyb mount meab hill meabet hillock
met garden	zamet front yard, zomet back yard, kumet side yard, vocmet flower garden
med park	potmed zoo, fabmed arboretum, pemed parking lot
mom underground	moma subterranean mompar subway momesem mine, momesud miner
mob precipice	moyb abyss moab canyon moeb ravine moib cave moub ditch

mop tunnel	
mim sea	mima marine mimag ocean miam lake miem pond miim marsh miyom swamp yezmim bay midom port mimkum shore mimyazkum beach mimuzkum gulf yebmim strait mimpop ocean cruise mimbok seasickness mimanar lighthouse
mit basin	5
mip river	mipa fluvial, miper to flow, run miap river miep stream miip brook mipet tributary igmip torrent, igmipa torrential yebmip canal mipkum riverbank mimzeymep bridge mipugar dam mipaya riparian
mil water	mila aquatic yobmila underwater mamil rain mamiler to rain mileter to drip, milet drop, miletog droplet, mileteya drippy umilyobiner to drown [intr.] milpyoer to drown [intr.] miltujer to drown, miltujat drowning victim, miltuj drowning milper to swim milber to water, irrigate milpyon waterfall milabaner to wash [tr.], utmilabaner to bathe, milaban bath, milabanim bathroom, milabanam bathhouse, milabanyem bathtub miltim bath, washroom milcom sink ilper to flow, ilp flux, current iligper to gush, stream ilaper to float, ilapar flotation device

	ilukser to flush, iluksar toilet
	ilikser to flood, iliks inundation
	gyamiluper to flood, gyamilup flood
	ilyoper to downpour
	ilzyiber to spray
	ilpyuner to squirt
	ilpyaner to gush iloker to leak, ilok leak
	ilpyener to splash
	tiibiloker to bleed
	ilzyeper to leak, ilzyep leak
	ogilzyeper to trickle, ogilzyep trickle
	zoyilper to back up with water, zoyilp reflux
	ilpan wave
	ilpanet ripple
	ilyapyoper to undulate, ilyapyop undulation, wave action
	mimupip tide, mimupipa tidal
	mimbin tide, mibina tidal
	mimpyan surf, mimpyanud surfer, mimpyan faof surfboard
	ilbuner to pump, ilbunar pump
	milbiner to pump, draw water, milbinar pump, milbinyec well
	ilaber to pour
	utmilzyiber to take a shower
	milbyim spring
	tilcom drinking fountain
	milbyic fountain mimper to navigate, sail, mimpar ship
	mimper to havigate, sait, mimpar ship mimpoper to sail, travel by sea, mimpop cruise, sea voyage, mimpopud sea
	voyager, mimpopar cruise ship
ima wet	imcer to get wet,imsrer to drench, iymser to dampen, iman wetness, iyman humidity, olimsar dehumidifier
uma dry	uman dryness, umser to dry, umsar dryer, umca dried
ama hot	aman heat, amanayg temperature, ayma warm, ayman warmth, amser to heat, amsar heater
oma cold	oman cold, oyma cool, omser to cool, omsur refrigerator, oymser to refresh, oymsea refreshing, oymsun refreshment
_	yoma frozen, yomser to freeze, yomsur freezer
yom ice	yoom frost, yooma frosted, yoomcer to frost over, olyoomser to defrost, ovyoomil antifreeze
	maer to shine
	manet glimmer, maneter to glimmer
man light	manser to light up
man light	manyijer to turn on the light
	manyujer to turn off the light
	manager to illuminate

	mayna clear, maynser to clarify, maynan clarity lomayna opaque
	manig sparkle, maniger to sparkle kumaner to reflect zoymaner to mirror, zoymanar mirror
	magar match, magam fireplace magser to burn, magsar burner magcer to burn (intr.), magca burned, magcun a burn mageler to cook, magelud a cook, magelun cuisine, magelar oven, magelur frying pan magyujer to extinguish a fire, magyujud fireman, magyujam' fire department
mag fire	magil petroleum magiyl napth maagil fuel maegil gasoline maigil kerosene
mav flame	maver to flame, maveya flammable, mavser to inflame, mavsen inflammation, mavugea flame retardant
mak electricity	maka electrical, makser to electrify, makyena electronic, maktun electronics, makveg electric power, makvegam electric power plant
mov smoke	mover to smoke, movikca smoke-filled, movet plume
mon dark	mona dark, moncer to grow dark, monser to darken (tr.) otmon shadow, otmonyena shadowy moyn shade, moyna shady, obscure, moynan obscurity
meg stone	megyena (made of) stone, megaya rocky, megunkum cinder block megag boulder megog pebble meag marble meeg slate meig granite meug clay meyog clay meyog clay meyag chalk meyeg limestone meyig alabaster meyug rubble stone mealog sandstone megyog gravel mieg pebble mameg coal maameg anthracite eymameg coke

	maemeg peat maimeg lignite
mek dust	myek powder myeik paste myekar mill myekam mill meil mud
mef brick	abmef tile
mev porcelaine	
mez gemstone	amez diamond emez topaze imez ruby yomez sapphire yamez amethyste vamez emerald mezyan jewelry, mezyanam jewelry shop

Money (nac)

naz value	nazer to be worth, nazika valuable, nazuka worthless, nazder to evaluate, nazter to esteem, utnaz merit, utnazer to deserve, utnazika meritorious, onazteya inestimable, nazta esteemed
nas price	nasaga expensive, nasoga cheap, nasyan rates, nasuka priceless nays cost, nayser to cost, naysaga costly, naysoya cost-free, naysyan costs, naysder to cost out
'nac money	nacet change, nacetyeb coin purse, nacdref check, jonacdref bill, nacyan capital, yanac funds, yanayc sum, nactun finance, donactun economy, nacam bank, nacika rich, nacuka poor, yusnac gratuity, tip, nasak profit, nacok loss, gornacdren stock, gornacdrenam stock market, yebkyanac commission, nacyeg debt, nacyegaya indebted, nacyeger to owe money
noc expense	nocer to spend, noyc fee, funoc waste, finoca generous
nec savings	necer to save, necyan savings, cyagdin necyana savings account, funeca stingy, neycer to economize
nuc payment	nucer to pay out, nucbier to buy, nucbiud buyer, nucbiudyan clientele, dobnuc tax, nucvegeya solvable, jobnuc credit, jobnucud creditor, jobnucdaf credit card, januc prepayment, zoynucer to reimburse
nic income	nicer to collect, cash, nicyan revenue, nicbuer to pay for, nicbuud vendor, yesnic salary, yesniyc wage, tutnic honorarium, yegnicag tribute, dobnic pension, dotnic allowance, donic annuity, yesnicud wage earner, jonic debit, jonicud debitor, jonicdaf debit card, zoynicerto recover

Merchandise (nun) and materials (nof)

nun merchandise	nunam store, nunaym boutique, nunamet shop, nunamyan shopping center, nunem market, nunud merchant, nunyebkyan commerce, nundel advertisement, nunemtun marketing, nuler to acquit,
noz jewel	nozud jeweler, nozam jewelry shop, nozyan jewelry, nozika bejeweled, tuyoz bracelet, obtez necklace, tuyuz ring, tiaz broche, teez earring, tez crown, teiz nose ring, nozkobilud jewel thief
nof material	nofser to weave, nofsar loom, nofyan textiles
tof clothes	taf suit tif vest, etc.
nov linen	noyv sheet novet rag milnov towel milnovet handtowel milov wash cloth
naf cloth	naaf drape/curtain, naafyan drapery naef canvas naif velvet nauf net
nef knit, yarn	nefser to knit, yarn neef lace
nif thread, wire	nifser to thread, wire niyf string nifet filament nifar needle nivar pin, yanifer to sew, yanifur sewing machine, yaniftyen couture, nifoya wireless, maknif electrical cord
nyaf knot	nyafser to knot
nyif cord	nyifet lace nyifetog braid
nyef sack, bag	nyem box, nyemag case, ponyem suitcase, yaznyefem basket
nyof film	nyov ribbon
nyuf button	nyufec buttonhole (zyec hole)
fuf pipe	fuyf tube tilfuf drinking straw tiibuf artery (fub branch)
zyuf post	zyufet column, pimzyuf mast, zyezyuf cross-beam
zyuv stick	zyuvet cane, yagzyuv pole
faof board	faocyeb barrel (fab tree + nof material + cyeb container)
mez crystal	meg stone + naz value
zyef glass	zyev glass

	cinzyef mirror, cimzyef window pane (zyeteaser see through + nof material)
utayef wool	upet sheep
apeyef silk	apeyet worm
favof cotton	favob cotton plant
fivof hemp	fivob hemp plant
fuvof jute	fuvob jute plant
favov cotton wool	favob cotton plant
tayof leather	tayob skin + nof material
tayez fur	tayeb hair + naz value

Measures and dimensions (nag)

anoga primary enoga secondary inoga tertiary unoga quaternary henoga to what degree, how? nogper to step, zaynogper to advance, progress, step ahead, zoynogper to step back, regress, yabnogper to step up, be promoted, advance, yobnogper to step down, be demoted, nogay by degrees noyg grade, step, nogyena gradual, ujnoygper to graduate, ujnoygpud graduate noog stage, level, status, enooga bi-level, two-staged, yabnooga high-status, dotnoog social status, class, yobdotnooga low-class, kyodotnoog caste
anaga one-dimensional enaga two-dimensional inaga three-dimensional glanaga multi-dimensional nayg measure, size', nayger to measure, genayga commensurate, onnaygeya immeasurable, zenayga moderate, ozenayga immoderate, zenaygaser to moderate, naygar meter (measuring device), nayga metric, naygpar taxi
genega even, ogenega uneven, odd, glanega multiplanar, negar level (planing device), enega bi-level, yebnega interplanar
nyega spatial, onyeg void, glanyega spacious, yonanyeg interval, yonanyegser to space out, tomnyeg Lebensraum, cf. nyeb container

nib row, rank	nibser to arrange, nibcer to adapt, niber to array, oniber to disarray, yoniber to topple, nibyemer to dispose, yabniba high-ranking
nip order, turn, sequence, queue	nipber to order, onip disorder, onipber to mess up, nipba ordered, orderly, neat, sequential, onipba out of sequence, out of order, messed up, Heta nip ce? Whose turn is it?, jonipa next, janipa prior, niper to queue up, to line up, to get in order, zyinipber to sort, vyanip proper order, order
nud column	nuda columnar, nibnubi coordinates, nibnubcan grid, matrix, row-column format
nod point	zenod mid-point, center, zyenod hub, intersection, yabnod high-point, climax, apex, yobnod low-point, nadir, ijnod starting point, ujnod endpoint, butt, terminal, drenod period, dot
ned surface, plane, face	neda superficial, planar, zyaned stretch nedet facet, glaneda multifaceted
nid line (cf. nif wire)	nida linear, teacnid light of sight, nidber to align, obnider to underline, nidar ruler, elyanid rail, jopnid track, kunid edge, border, rim, zyunid circumference, boundary, zyeiznid perpendicular (line), zyeiznida perpendicular, mamnid horizon, yaztanida horizontal, yabtanida vertical, kinid diagonal, zeynid transversal, kinida diagonal, zenid midline, nidcer to line up, queue up, form a line, iznid straight line, geizana nid parallel line, yebnida interlinear, drenid line of text, zanid front-line, frontier, forward line, yoznid limit, yibnid limit niyd ray, radius, niydcer to radiate, marniyd sun ray, niyda radial niid trait
nyed volume (cf. nyeb container)	nyedaya voluminous, zyunyed sphere gekumnyed cube
cag number	caga numeric, cager to number, cyag count, cyager to count, cyaag calculation, cyagar computer, cyaagar calculator, cyagud accountant, cyagyan account
nan time (frequency)	anan one time enan twice glanan often, glanana frequent glonan seldom henan how often?

Geometry

kyin weight	
azan strength	
igan velocity	
yiban distance	
izan direction	
yagan length	
zyaan width	

yoban depth	
yaban height	
zyuan girth	
bar pressure	
kyitan gravity	
gyaan thickness	
yigan solidity	
zeban density	
maan brightness	
nangan frequency	egan repetition, nan time(s)
jag age	
voz color	
gan quantity	
fin quality	
cyag number	meaning count; number is cag
nog degree	
nyebgan volume	nyeg volume, meaning a solid
vyegan ratio	
nas cost	
naz value	
zeynidgan diameter	as a line: zeynid
zyunidgan circumference	
eynzeygan radius	as a line: niyd
nag dimension	
neg level	
nib row	
nip order	also: turn, sequence
nub column	(on a grid)
can shape	
nyed volume, solid	zyunyed sphere, gekumnyed cube, zyufnyed cylinder, defyabnyed cone, aginyed cone
nid line	kunid border, zyunid contour, zyenid transverse, zyeiznid perpendicular, kinid diagonal, yaztanid horizontal, yabtanid vertical, zenid midline, iznid vector, uznid curve, curved line, geizana nid parallel
gun angle	gegun right angle, gagun obtuse angle, gogun sharp angle, igun triangle, ugegun rectangle, uogegun rhomboid

nod point	zenod midpoint, zyunod turning point, zyenod intersection
kum side	yagkum hypotenuse, abkum topside, obkum bottom, gekuma equilateral, ekuma bilateral, glakuma multilateral, ugekum square
ned plane	eneda biplane, glaneda multifaceted
zyuc circle	eyzyuc semi-circle, zyuyc oval
zyufuf cylinder	
gin tip, point	aginyed cone

Instruments and Machines (-ar, -ir, -ur)

The -ar suffix is used for *instruments* and *devices* in general. The -ir suffix is used for *machines*, while -ur is used for motors and engines. The distinction is only made when necessary.

Vehicles (par)

zyip travel	zyiper to travel, zyiptam hotel, zyipem travel destination, ziypud traveler, ifzyip tourism, ifzyipud tourist, zyipdren passport, zyipmep itinerary, zyipyem suitcase or zyipa nyem suitcase
par vehicle	para vehicular, parupip traffic, pareper to park, parepam garage, parepem parking lot nunpar truck yespar truck nunparet van makabnifpar tram(electrified overhead wire car) binifpar trolley, cable car (pulled cable car) elyanidpar train (iron rail car), elyanidpar epam railway station nidpar train yagpar train gorsyempar train (compartmented vehicle) dompar bus (city vehicle), dompar epam bus station, bus stop dompar epem tyanpar bus (people vehicle) zyipar bus (roundabout vehicle) yebdompar motorcoachintercity behicle) paret cart wheelbarrow curezyucpar motorcycle, parizber to drive/pilot, parizbud driver/pilot, parizbuda vegdren driver's license, pilot's license jobnucpar taxi, cab
mamp flight	mamper to fly, mampud aviator, mampen aviation
mampar airplane	mamparam hangar, mamparem airport, mamparet small plane, memparag jumbo jet, zyipuda mampar passenger plane, nunkyina mampar cargo plane,

	dropeka mampar warplane, zyuptuba mampar helicopter ("rotating wing plane")
memp ride	memper to ride
mempar car	memparam carport, garage, meparem parking lot, nayga mempar taxi
mimp sea voyage	mimper to sail, mimpena maritime
mimpar ship	mimparem marina, mimparof sail, yobmimpar submarine, mimparud mariner, mimpartim ship cabin, mimzyip cruise, mimpareb ship captain, nunmimpar cargo ship
maimpar hydroplane	
meampar funicular	
mompar subway	momparem subway station, mompar zyemep subway tunnel

Tools

c- object	car tool caryan toolset tuyabcar handtool yescar work tool carnyem toolbox egcarser to retool, repair egcarsud repair technician
c- object	cayr instrument cayryan instrumentation cayryena instrumental cayrcer to be instrumental
c- object	cur device curyan equipment curbayser to equip dopcuryan ordnance
c- object	cyur apparatus, system cyura systemic cyuraser to systematize
c - object	cir machine ciryan machinery cira mechanical cirud mechanic ciraser to mechanize
c - object	cyir motor, engine cyiraya motorized cyirayser to motorize

c- object	ciyr mecanism	
	par vehicle, car	
	para vehicular	
	parupip traffic	
n co	parepam garage	
p- <i>go</i>	parepem parking lot	
	cyirpar motor vehicle	
	cyirezyucpar motorcycle (also: cyirezyuc	
	motorbike)	
gapar to cut	gopar knife	
goper to cut	goparer to stab	
yigfagoper to saw	yigfagopar saw	
gofer to shear	gofar scissors, shears	
grorber to shave	grorbar shaver, razor	
yuzholor to nivel	yuzbalar pliers	
yuzbaler to pinch	yuzbalaret tweezers	
zyufod screw	zyufodar screwdriver	
apyener to hit	apyenar hammer	
apyener to nit	apyenarer to hammer	
mamil rain	ovmamilar umbrella	
pyoner to fall	ovpyonar parachute	
mar sun	ovmarar parasol	
biner to pull	binar handle	
mobser to dig	mobsar excavator	
uklan hollow	uklar shovel	
zyec hole	zyecbar bore	
	nofyazar iron	
nofyazer to iron	nofyazenfaof ironing board	
aman heat	amsar heater	
oman cold	omsar refrigerator	
yom ice	yomsar freezer	
yanifer to sew	yanifur sewing machine	
•e .1 1	nifar needle	
nif thread	nivar pin	
myek powder	myekar mill, grinder	
toruch hair	tayebar comb	
tayeb hair	tayebarer to comb	
various to alcan	vyicar brush, sweep	
vyicer to clean	'vyicarer to brush, sweep	
alhanar to wine	albanar mop	T
albaner to wipe	albanarer to mop	

yalber to lift	yalbur elevator	
teler to eat	telar fork	
tiler to drink	tilar spoon	
iber to receive	ibar receiver	
uber to send	ubar transmitter	
yijer to open	yijar key, opener	
azyujer to lock	azyujar lock	
cyeb container	cyebyijar opener (for cans, bottles, etc.)	
	dopar weapon doapar gun	
dopa military	dopur rifle	
	igdopur machine-gun dopir canon	
	doapir bazooka	
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mageler to cook	magelar cooker	
magiler to boil	magilar boiler	
magler to roast	maglar roaster, oven	
abmagler to grill	abmaglar grill	
tel food + yeber to hold	telyebar platter	7
telaryan dishes	telaryan milbar dishwasher	
il liquid + yujer to close	ilyujar faucet	
mip river + ugser to brake	mipugsar dam	
mil water + ukser to flush	miluksar toilet	
drer to write	drar pen drear pencil	
uga slow	ugsar brake	
yugcra elastic	yugcrar spring	
eker to play	ekar toy	
cyag count	cyagar calculator cyagir computer	
mancin photo	mancinar camera	
panmancin movie	panmancinar movie camera	
ceus sound	ceusdrar recorder	
ceus sound + iber to receive	ceusibar radio	
cin image + iber to receive	cinibar television	
teuz voice + iber to receive	teuzibar telephone	
mak electricity + cyefet cell	makcyefet teuzibar cellphone	1

nif wire	onifa teuzibar wireless phone
pan motion	paneya teuzibar mobile phone
tuyub finger + drer write	tuyudrar keyboard, typewriter
tun datum + kyals conversion	yebtunkyalsar modem

Animals (pot)

All animal terms contain the notions of mobile (**p**) and organism (**t**).

Summary

pot	animal (in general)
pyot	wild beast
pat	bird
pet	animal (land)
pyet	reptile
pelt	insect
pit	fish

Domesticated animals (pet)

male	female	child	home	noise	other
pot animal	poyt female animal	potob baby animal	potmet zoo	poder to make an animal noise	potun zoology potuna zoological potmet zoo potuj hunt, potujud hunter, potujer tohunt potayeb mane poteub muzzle poteib snout potub paw potuyub claw tiyub tail teyub horn tampot pet, potyena animalistic, potyan animalia, potan animality
apet horse	apeyt mare	apetob foal	apetam stable	apeder to neigh	apeta equine apetapen equitation

					apetigpek horse race aopet gelding
epet bull	epeyt cow	epetob calf	epetam bull pen	epeder to snort, epeyder to moo	epeta bovine eapet buffalo eopel beef
ipet ass	ipeyt she- ass	ipetob donkey		ipeder to bray, hehaw	iapet mule
upet ram	upeyt ewe	upetob lamb		upeder to bleat	uopet sheep, uopetbelud shepherd utaef wool yiopel mutton
yopet goat	yopeyt nanny- goat	yopetob kid			yopetbelud goatherder yotayef goat's hair
yapet hog	yapeyt sow	yapetob piglet	yapetam pigpen	yapeder to squeal	yapeta porcine yapetyoyafud 'pig's foot yapel pork yapetyol ham yapetaol sausage
yepet dog	yepeyt bitch	yepetob pup	yepetam doghouse	yepeder to bark	yepeta canine, yeypetob puppy
yipet cat	yipeyt she-cat	yipetob kitten	yipetam cathouse	yipeder to meow, yiypeder to purr	yipeta feline, yipetobyan litter
yupet rabbit	yupeyt doe rabbit	yipetob baby rabbit	yupetam rabbit cage		yupetyoyafud rabbit's foot yulpet hare
tapet monkey	tapeyt female monkey			tapeder to make monkey noises	taapet chimpanzee, tapetag ape
gapet elephant		gapetob elephant cub			gapeit hippopotamus
gepet rhinoceros					
vapet stag, hart	vapeyt doe, hind	vapetob fawn			
vepet deer					
vipet roebuck					
vupet chamois					
vyopet llama					
vyapet					

antilope					
vyepet gazelle					
vyipet elk, moose					
fapet camel	fapeyt she-camel				
fepet dromadery					
kapet squirrel					
kepet polecat					
kipet badger					
kupet otter					
kyopet weasel, stone marten					
kyapet beaver					
kyepet ermine, stoat					
sapet hedgehog					
sepet porcupine					
sipet mole					
zapet tortoise					zapeit turtle zatayob turtle shell
klapet rat		klapetob baby rat	klapetam rat's nest		
klepet mouse		klepetob young mouse		klapeder to squeek	klepetar mouse (computer device)

Wild animals (pyot)

male	female	child	home	noise	other
yapyot boar					
rapyot lion	rapyoyt lioness	rapyotob lion cub	rapyotam lion's den	rapyoder to roar	
repyot tiger	repyoyt tigress	repyotob tiger cub	repyotam tiger's den	repyoder to growl	
ripyot leopard	ripyoyt female leopard	ripyotob leopard dub			riapyot panther riepyot

					jaguar riipyot puma riupyot lynx
rupyot wolf	rupyoyt she- wolf	rupyotob wolf cub	rupyotam wolf's lair	rupyoder to howl	rupyota lupine
ryopyot fox	ryopyoyt vixen	ryopyotob fox cub	ryopyotam foxhole		
gyapyot hyena	gyaypyot she- hyena	gyapyotob baby byena		gyapyoder to laugh like a hyena	gyaapyot jackal
tapyot orang-utang					
tepyot bear		tepyotob bear cub	tepyotam bear cave	tepyoder to growl (like a bear)	

Reptiles (pyet) and amphibians (pyeit)

male	female	chil d	home	noise	other
pyet reptile					pyeta reptilian
gapyet crocodile					gaypyet alligator
gepyet cayman					
kepyet lizard					
lopyet snake				lopyeder to hiss	lopyeper to slither
lapyet boa					
lepyet cobra					
lipyet viper			lipyetam viper's nest		
sipet mole					
apyeat bat			apyeatam bat's cave		
epyeat vampire					
fapyet grass snake					
fepyet slug					
fipyet leech					

vapyet snail		vapyel escargot vapyetigyena sluggish, at a snail's pace, vapyeper to move at a snail's pace
apyeit toad	apyeitam toadstool	
epyeit frog		epyeiper to leapfrog
ipyeit tree frog		

Insects (pelt)

male	female	chil d	home	noise	other
pelt insect					peltyan swarm, ovpeltil insecticide, peltujsil insecticide, pelteleat insectivore, pelper to crawl around
kopelt vermine					
kapelt louse					kapeltika lousy
kepelt flea					ovkepeltof flea collar, kepeltika flea- bitten
kipelt bug					ovkipeltil bug spray
apelat bee			apelatam beehive	apelader to buzz	apelatil honey, apelatyel wax, apelatyan swarm of bees
epelat wasp			epelatam wasp's nest		
ipelat horsefly					
upelat fly					ovupelatar fly-swatter
yopelat mosquito					ovyopelanef mosquito net
lapelat maybug					
lepelat beetle					
tapelat cicada				tapelader to	
gapelat butterfly					yapelaper to flit about
fapelt ant			fapeltam anthill		fapeltyan swarm of ants

peyet worm			peyetyec wormhole
apeyat silkworm			

Birds (pat)

male	female	child	home	noise	other
pat bird			patam bird's nest	pader to chirp	patijob egg, patijser to hatch, patper to fly, patpier to fly off, pateub beak, patub wing, patayeb feather, patulob claw, patyesun aviculture, patyem farmyard, patyan poultry
apat rooster, cock	apayt hen	apatob chick	apatam chicken coop	apader to	apaytog chicken
epat duck, drake	epayt hen	epatob duckling		epader to quack	epatob duckling
ipat turkey	ipayt turkey hen			ipader to gobble	
upat goose					upatijob goose-egg
yopat guinea-fowl					
yapat pigeon	yapayt dove		yapatam pigeon house	yapader to	
rapat eagle		rapatob eaglet			
repat vulture					
ripat kite					
rupat buzzard					
ryopat hawk					
ryapat falcon					ryapatud falconer
fapat raven					
fepat crow					
fipat' magpie					
gapat					

ostrich		
gepat peacock		
dapat stork		
dapait heron		
depat marabou		
depait crane		
zapat swallow		
zepat martinet		
tapat parrot	tapader to parrot	
tepat budgie		
vapat nightingale		
vepat' yellow canary		
'vipat canary		
vupat chaffinch		
vyapat robin		
fapat thrush		
fepat warbler	fepader to warble, yodel	
fipat sparrow		
sapat partridge		
sepat quail		
sipat woodcock		
supat lark		
syopat pheasant		

syapat			
grouse			
lapait swan			
apait			
cormorant			
epait gull			
gapait			ganainan ta atuut lika a nanguin
gapait penguin			gapaiper to strut like a penguin

Fish (pit)

pit fish	pityan school of fish, pitub fin, pitayeb scale, pityesun pisciculture, pitun ichthyology, pitut ichthyologist, pitpin fishing, pitpinud fisherman
rapit shark	
repit dolphin	
ripit sperm whale	
rupit walrus	
ryopit porpoise	
ryapit swordfish	
ryepit tuna	
ryipit sturgeon	
ryupit cod	
lapit ray	
lepit turbot	
lipit salmon	
lupit sole	
capit herring	
cepit barbel	
cipit anchovie	
cupit gilt- head	
apit sardine	
epit perch	
ipit pike	
upit carp	
yopit tench	

yapit gudgeon	
yepit stickleback	
yipit marline	
gapit whale	
vapit eel	
apiet seal	
epiet sea-lion	

Crustaceans (piit)

piit shellfish	
apiit lobster	
epiit crayfish	
ipiit prawn	
upiit	
crawfish	
yopiit prawn	
yapiit shrimp	yapiitpin shrimping
lapiit crab	lapiitpin crabbing
apiyet oyster	piyetayob shell, piyez pearl, pieytyesun ostreiculture
epiyet mussle	
ipiyet clam	ipiyetpinud clamdigger

Vegetation (fob)

Summary

fob	vegetatio n
fab	tree
fyab	fruit
vob	plant
vol	legume
voc	flower
voz	color
vab	grass

Trees and fruits

fob vegetation	fobtun botany, fobtut botanist, fobyestun agronomy, fobyesun agriculture, fobyesuna agricultural, fobyesud farmer, fobyesem farm
fab tree	fayb shrub, faybet bush, faybyan shrubery, fabyan forest, fabyanyesun forestry, fabyanyesud forester, fabyanayca forested, fabyanet woods, fabyanog grove, copse, faybyanet scrub, faybyan thicket, fabmed orchard
fib trunk	
fub branch, limb	fubet twig
fayeb leaf	fayebyan foliage, fayebet bud
fyab fruit	fyabyena fruity, fyabyel jam, fyaybyel jelly, marmalade, fyabyom sherbet, fyabtul fruit cocktail, fyabzeb pit (of fruit), fyayob peel
fyob root	radicule, fyobober to deracinate
faob wood	faoba wooden
faab sap	
fayob bark	
afab apple tree	afyab apple, afabet boxer tree
efab pear tree	efyab pear, efabet spindle-tree
ifab cherry tree	ifyab cherry, ifabet privet
ufab prune tree	ufyab prune
yofab apricot tree	yofyab apricot
yafab peach tree	yafyab peach
yefab quince tree	yefyab quince
yifab walnut tree	yifyab walnut
yufab hazelnut tree	yufyab hazelnut
alofayb blackberry vine	alofyab blackberry
lafab orange tree	lafyab orange
lefab mandarin tree	lefyab mandarin
lifab lemon tree	lifyab lemon
lufab grapefruit tree	lufyab grapefruit
fefab date tree	fefyab date

fifab banana tree	fifyab banana
fufab cononut tree	fufyab coconut
fyofab pomegranite tree	fyofyab pomegranite
fyifab fig tree	fyifyab fig
vafayb grape vine	vafyab grape, vafaybem vineyard, vafyabil grape juice, vafil wine, vafilsam winery, yigvafil vinaiger, vafilifud oinophile
cafayb tea plant	cafayeb tea leaf, tea, cafil tea (drink), cafilam tea house
cefayb coffee plant	cefyab coffee bean, coffee, cefil coffee (drink), cefilam cafe
cifayb blackcurrant bush	cifyab blackcurrant
cufayb raspberry bush	cufyab raspberry
cyofayb currant bush	cyofyab currant
sifayb pepper plant	sifyab pepper, sifyaber to pepper, sifyabika peppery
kafab olive tree	kafyab olive, kafyabyel olive oil
rafab oak tree	rafyab acorn
refab beech tree	refaob beechwood
rifab chestnut tree	rifyab chestnut
rufab plane tree	
ryofab poplar tree	'ryofaob poplar wood
ryafab birch tree	ryafaob birchwood
ryefab locust tree	
ryifab chestnut tree	fyifyab chestnut
ryufab willow tree	ryuafab weeping willow
ralafab lime tree, linden	ralafyab lime
ralefab maple tree	ralefaob maplewood

	ralofaob elmwood
dofab evergreen tree	dofyab cone
dafab fir tree	
defab pine tree	defyab pine cone, defayeb pine needle, defaob pine (wood)
dufab cypress tree	dufaob cypress wood

Plants, vegetables, grains, and legumes

vob plant	vober to plant, vobem plantation, vobud planter, vobier to harvest, vobijob harvest (time), vobyesam farm, vobyesud farmer
vab grass	vabem grassland, prairie, vabema rural, vabgorcer to mow, vabemet lawn, vabyan grass (lawn), vabij germ, vabyog moss, vabib crop, harvest, vabiber to reap, vabam barn
veb ear, tuft, spike	
vib stem	
vaob hay	
vub blade, sprig, twig	
vyab seed	vyabet seedling, vyaber to seed
vyayb grain, bean	
vulob thorn, spine	vulobika thorny
ovob cereal	
avob wheat	avol bread, avolek flour
evob rye	
ivob barley	
uvob buckwheat	
yovob oat	yovolek oatmeal
yavob hop	yavil beer
yevob rapeseed, colza	
yivob rice	
gavob sunflower	gavyab sunflower seed
gevob corn, maize	gevyab kernel, gevobek cornmeal

givob tobacco	givoc cigar, givocet cigarette, givov tobacco smoke
favob cotton	favyab cottonseed, favof cotton fabric
fevob flax	
fivob hemp	fuvov marijuana, pot
fuvob jute	
zavob strawberry bush	zavyab strawberry
cavob fern	
cevob thistle	
civob nettle	
savob mushroom	
zevob basil	
zivob thyme	
zuvob rosemary	
ovyab legume, bean	
avyab green bean	
evyab lentil	
ivyab pea	
uvyab broad bean	
yovyab lima bean	
vol vegetable	volinud vegetarian, volem vegetable garden, volcer to vegetate
lovol tuber	
lavol potato	
levol beet	level sugar, levela sweet
livol radish	
luvol carrot	
lyavol artichoke	
lyovol turnip	
favol leek	
fevol onion	
fivol shallot	
fuvol garlic	
pavol cabbage	
pevol	

cauliflower	
bavol tomato	bavil tomato juice
bevol eggplant	
bivol squash	
buvol cucumber	yigza buvol pickle
byavol artichoke	
byovol gherkin	
vavol lettuce	
vevol spinach	
vivol sorrel	
vuvol dandelion	
vyavol watercress	
vyovol chicory	
gavol pumpkin	
gevol melon	
givol watermelon	
zavol parsley	

Flowers and colors

voc flower	voca floral, vocer to flower, vocen flowering, vocud florist, vocyan bouquet, vocayeb petal, vocyem flowerbed, vocyesun horticulture
avoc lily	avoza white
evoc narcissus	evoza yellow
ivoc poppy	ivoza red
uvoc rose	uvoza pink
yovoc cornflower	yovoza blue
yavoc hydrangea	yavoza mauve
yevoc lilac	yevoza lilac
yivoc violet	yivoza violet
yuvoc carnation	
lovoc daisy	
lavoc lily of the valley	
levoc jonquil	
livoc geranium	

luvoc forget-me- not	
lyavoc tulip	
lyevoc dahlia	
lyovoc hyacinthe	
elavoc iris	
elevoc primrose	
elivoc chrysanthemum	

Colors (voz)

Change **-oza** to **-oyza** to get *-ish* as in *whitish* (*avoyza*). Change **-oza** to **-yoza** to get *dark* ... as in *dark red* (*ivyoza*).

voz color	vooz tint, hue
avoza white	from avoc lily
evoza yellow	from evoc narcissus
ivoza red	from ivoc poppy
uvoza pink	from uvoc rose
yovoza blue	from yovoc cornflower
yavoza mauve	from yavoc hydrangea
yevoza lilac	from yovoca lilac
yivoza violet, purple	from yivoc violet
vaza green	from vab grass
moza black	from mon darkness or moj night
maza sky blue	from mam sky or maj day
eymoza gray	from ey half + moza black
meza khaki	from mel soil
lafyaza orange	from lafyab orange
rifyaza maroon	from rifyab water chestnut
ryifyza brown	from ryifyab chestnut
vyapeza beige	from vyapet antilope

Some Cross-thematic Analogies in Vocabulary

huma n	tree	grass	food	mate	ria											
taob	faob	vaob	taol	faof												
flesh	wood			boar	d											
huma n	tree	plant			fish		clot	h								
tayob	fayob	vayo	b vya	ıyob	piyet	tayol	b tay	of								
skin	bark	husk	rinc	d	shell		leat	her								
huma n	tree	plant	flov	wer	bird		fish									
tayeb	fayeb	vayel	voc	ayeb	pata	ayeb	pitay	yeb								
hair	leaf	twig	peta	al	feat	her	scale	;		_						
huma n	tree	plan	t bird	d fis	sh	gove t	rnmei	n a	nimal							
tub	fub	vub	pat b	u pi b	tu	dub		p	etub							
arm	branc h	blad	e win	ng fin	1 I	mini	ster	fo	orepav	w						
societ y	huma n	worl	k <mark>plan</mark> t	n fish	1											
deb	teb	seb	veb	pite	eb											
chief	head	boss	tuft	fish hea												
form	gesture	know	ledge	actio	n	soc	iety	C	citizer	n pe	eople	person	past+per son	person	life	speech
cyen	byen	tyen		syen		dot	cyen	(ditbye	en uc	dyanbyei	utbyen	ajutbyen	utcyen	tijbyen	dabyei
istvie i	manne r	profe	ssion	trade t	ecraf	civ:	ilizati	o	civility	y cu	ıstom	habit	tradition	genre	lifestyl e	dialect
t-d	t-z d	-c	d-z	s-c	S-Z		c-z	c-s								
teud	teuz d	leuc	deu z	seuc	seu	z	ceuz	ceu	ıs							
shou t	voice	ccent	song	noise	mel y	od	tone	sou	nd							
t-c	t-s	b-c	1	t-p	t-d		c-	c	iz-	·c	n-c	ij-c				
teacei	r teaser	bead	er 1	teape	r tea	der	ce	ace	r ize	eacer	neacer	ijeacer				
to see	to lool	k to	ch	to visi	it to wi	tness	to se	em	to sho	ow	ITO 211m	to perceive				

ma r	mag	ma n	mak	maz	mav	mal	ma m	map	maf	ma j
sun	fire	light	electricit y	sparkle	flam e	air	sky	win d	cloud	day

mer	meg	mek	mez	mef	mev	mel	mem	meb	mep	mej	med	met
planet	rock	dust	gem	brick	porcelai n	soil	land	mountai n	road	noon	park	garden

ij	tij	pati j	tobij	atobi j	vobi j	tesij
beginnin g	birt h	egg	embryo	germ	seed	idea

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GRAMMAR

Spelling

The author of Unilingua, Agapoff, uses a double quote to signal capitalization and thus dispenses with all majuscules. In this Mirad textbook, however, majuscules are used and capitalization adheres to the American English model.

In this book, the mostly Cyrillic single-grapheme characters used by Agapoff for ya, ye, yo, yi, and yu are not used, nor is the post-palatalizing breve in the combinations ay, ey, iy, oy, and uy, which are left as you see here in this text.

Punctuation

The punctuation marks in Mirad are the same as in English. For example, a question mark (?) is used at the end of a sentence or sentence fragement to signal an interrogation.

Nouns

Structure

• All nouns in their base form end in a consonant. This distinguishes them from adjectives and conjugated verbs.

Pluralization

singular	plural
tob man	tobi men
dat friend	dati friends
car	cari
instrument	instruments

Femininization

• Although nouns do not have inherent gender, the *feminine* or *female-related* counterpart of a noun can be formed by post-yodifying the ordinal (inner) vowel, that is, by adding y to the vowel:

male- related	female-related			
tad father	tayd mother			
tob man	toyb woman			
tyoyav sock	tyoyayv stocking			
epet bull	epeyt cow			

Case Tagging

• Nouns can take various case endings, which are shortcuts for prepositional phrases:

case ending	category	base	cased form
-a	genetive/possessive/relative/ablativ e [origin]	tob man	toba of the man, human (adj.), man's, from the man
-u	locative/dative [destination]	tam house	tamu to the house, (at) home, for the house
-ay	comitive [accompaniment]	at I, me	atay with me
-ey	instrumental [means]	yes work	yesey though / by / via work
-oy	privative ["without"]	tec meaning	tecoy without meaning, senseless

• Examples of the genetive/possessive case:

<u>Meira</u> zem ce gra ama. = <u>The earth's</u> core is very hot. <u>Ata</u> ted tome yibay. = <u>My</u> father lives far away. <u>Ed et te dad ifana?</u> = Do you know the language <u>of love</u>?

• Examples of the locative/dative case:

Po tamu! = Go home!

Iyt peye tamu. = She is staying at home / in the house / home.

At teaco et uda moju. = I'll see you this evening. (= at this evening)

Buo dyen atu! = Give the book to me!

Ed ud ce atu? = Is this for me?

• Examples of the comitive case:

Upo <u>atay!</u> = Come <u>with me!</u>
Ud ca ekpan <u>tija tujay.</u> = This was a <u>life-and-death</u> struggle.
At ubye uda yebdren <u>ifanay.</u> = I am sending you this letter <u>with love</u>.

• Examples of the instrumental case:

Et vege nacikco anay <u>esey</u>. = You can get rich only <u>through work</u>. It aksa <u>koeney</u> vyan. = He succeded <u>by hiding</u> the truth. Yagpar pa <u>Parisey</u>. = The train went <u>through Paris</u>.

• Examples of the privative case:

Et vo vege akser <u>nacoy</u>. = You cannot succeed <u>without money</u>.

Tij <u>ifanoy</u> vo naze ser. = Life <u>without love</u> is not worth living.

Od et syo <u>atoy</u>? = What would you do <u>without me</u>.

Pronouns

• All animate pronouns (those referring to people) end in **t** in their base form, while all inanimate pronouns (those referring to things) end in **d** in their base form. Pronouns can be singular or plural. All plural pronouns take the plural suffix **i**.

animate	animate
singular	plural
ot? who?, whom?	oti? who all?
at I, me	ati we, us
et you	eti* you (pl.), you all
it he, him, that person	iti they, these persons
iyt she, her	iyti they (fem.)
ut this person, he	uti those persons, they

yot nobody, no one	yoti none
yat everyone, everybody, each person	yati all
yot another, someone else	yeti others
yit such a person	yiti such people
yet whoever, anyone	yoti any
yut someone, somebody	yuti certain people
oyat not a single person, nobody, no one	
get the same person	geti the same ones
oget someone else	ogeti others
gat another one	gati several
inanimate	inanimate
singular	plural
od what	odi what things
ad that (relative), the one	adi the things that
id that	idi those things
ud this	udi these things
yod nothing	yodi nothing
yad everything, each	yadi all things
yod something else, another	yedi other things
yid such a thing	yidi such things
yed whatever, anything	yedi any
yud something	yudi some things, certain things
oyad not a single thing, nothing	oyadi none
ged the same thing	gedi the same things
oged something else	ogedi other things
gad another one	gadi several things

• Note: Agapoff prefers ait, eit, iit for ati, eti, and iti.

Pronoun Inflection

All pronouns can take cases, just as nouns do:

genetive/possessive	dative	comitive	instrumental	privative
("of")	("to/in/on/at")	("with")	("by/through/via")	("without")

ablative ("from") adjectival	locative			
ata my, of me, from me	atu to me	atay with me	atey by me	atoy without me
eta your, of you, from you	etu to you	etay with you	etey by you	etoy without you
ita his, of him, from him	itu to him	itay with you	itey by him	itoy without him
iyta her, of her, from her	iytu to her	iytay with her	iytey by her	iytoy without her
atia our, of us, from us	atiu to us	atiay with us	atiey by us	atioy without us
ota whose?, of whom?, from whom?	otu to whom	otay with whom	otey by whom	otoy without whom
yata everyone's	yatu to everyone	yatay with everyone	yatey by everyone	yatoy without everyone
oda which, of what, from what	odu to which, at which, in which	oday with what?	odey by what?, how?	odoy? without what?
ida that, of that, from that, those	idu to that, at that, in that	iday with that	idey by that, thus	idoy' without that
uda this/these, of this, from this	udu to/at this, therefore	uday with this	udey by this, thus	udoy without this
yada every, each, all	yadu to everything, in everyting	yaday with everything	yadey by everything, by all means	yadoy without everything
yoda not, not a	yodu to nothing	yoday with nothing	yodey by nothing	yodoy without nothing
oyada not a single, no	oyadu in not a single one, to none	oyaday with nothing	oyadey by nothing, in no way	
yeda any, whichever	yedu to anything	yeday with whatever	yedey by whatever, however	yedoy without whatever
yuda some, a certain	yudu at a certain thing	yuday with something	yudey by something, somehow	yudoy without something
geda same, the same	gedu to the same thing	geday with the same thing	gedey by the same thing	gedoy without the same thing
ogeda different, the other, another	ogedu to another thing	ogeday with another thing	ogedey by something else	ogedoy without another thing

Any of the above pronominal adjective forms can be substantivized by adding **-d**. The resulting pronouns can then take the plural affix and case endings.

singular	plural
	1
atad mine	atadi mine
etad yours	etadi yours
itad his	itadi his
iytad hers	iytadi hers
atiad ours	atiadi ours
etiad yours	etiadi yours
itiad theirs	itiadi theirs
iytiad theirs	iytiadi theirs
utad one's	utadi one's
otad? whose?	otadi whose
yatad everyone's	yatadi everyone's
yotad nobody's	yotadi nobody's
odad? which one	odadi which ones
yodad the other one	yodadi the other ones
udad this one	udadi these
idad that one	idadi those
yadad each one	yadadi all of them
yedad any one, whichever	yedadi whichever
one	ones

Examples:

Unilingua	English
Uda tam ce atad.	That house is mine.
Oda dyeni et dyedaye?	Which books have you read?
Yida tej aju voy teacyaye.	Such a life has not been seen before.
Buo atu udi!	Give me those!
Yada tej nazace.	Every life counts.
Yadac nazace.	Each one counts.
Yata tej nazace.	Everyone's life counts.
Yatac nazace.	Everyone's counts.
Yada yevcunuti kode.	All lawyers lie.
Yati kode.	All of them lie.
Yat kode.	Everyone lies.
Yad ce kod.	Everything is a lie.

Mar ce zem yada.	The sun is the center of everything.
Yot yege kaer if yadu.	One can find pleasure in everything.
If yege uper bi yed.	Pleasure can come from anything.
Ud ce ga fia vye id (<i>or</i> : ga fia idu).	This is better than that.
Od ce eta dyun?	What is your name?
At vage yed et vage.	I want what(ever) you want.
At voy ta ev it upo.	I didn't know whether he would come.
At ta ad it upo.	I knew (that) he would come.
Ad tej ce gyua voy vege vodye.	That life is hard cannot be denied.
Ev it yiztejo voy tye.	Whether he will survive is unknown.
At voy te ev it yiztejo.	I don't know if he'll survive.
Ad iyt sa ce ota seun.	What she did is nobody's business.
Atac ce ga aga vye etac.	Mine is bigger than yours.
Odac ce etac.	Which one is yours?
Yedad cu fia atu.	Whichever one would be fine for me.
Otad ce ud?	Whose is this?
Otadi ce uid?	Whose are these?
Ev et co ata dat?	Are you going to be my friend?
Oyadad ifca atu.	I did not like a single one.
Odey iyt tujya?	How (by what) was she killed?
Otay et pa?	With whom did you go?
otacoy ait voy vegu yiztejer.	without whose we could not survive.
Odu et sa id?	Why (for what) did you do it (that)?
Iti yudey kaa mep.	They somehow found the way.
Yebdren drya atay otey?	The letter was written to me by whom?
Ota tamu et peye?	To whose house are you going?

Correlatives

By "correlatives" is meant a set of functional words in the languages than can be arranged in a matrix, all sharing a set of "deictic" or "specifier" prefixes. For example, the English words "which, what, where, why, when, how, who, whether, etc." can be considered part of a matrix of correlatives, because they all ask a question about topics such as "place", "time", "manner", and are therefore called "interrogative correlatives." The situation is similar in Unilingua. Note, however, that some of the correlative words in the chart below are slightly different from those invented by the original author of Unilingua.

Deictic morphemes (specifiers)

category	deictic morpheme
interrogative	od- which
relative	ad- the, the one which
proximal	ud- this
distal	id- that
intensive	yid- so, such
generic	yud- some, a certain
distributive	yad- all, every, each
indeterminate	yed- any, whatever
negative	yod- no, not any
identical	ged- same, selfsame
non- indentical	oged- different, other

Dimensional Classifiers

The above deictic morphemes combine with the following dimensional classifiers to form a whole matrix of functional deictic correlatives:

category	classifie r
person	-t
thing	-d
place	-em/m
time	-job/j
manner/mean s	-ey
quality/kind	-yen
quantity	-gan
degree	-nog
frequency	-jig

Matrix of Deictic Correlatives

thing	person	adjective	place	time	manner	kind	frequency	quantity	degree
od what	ot who	oda which	odmu where	odju when	how		เกสมเสม	odganu how much	odnogu how

l ud this	ut this person	uda this	udmu here	udju now	udey this way	udyena this kind of	udjigu this often	udganu this much	udnogu to this extent
id that	it that person, he	ida that	idmu there	idju then	idey that way, thus	idyena that kind of	idjigu that often	idganu that much	idnogu to that extent
yid such a thing	yit such a person	yida such, such a	yidmu at such a place	yidju at such a time	yidey in such a way, so	yidyena such a	yidjigu so often	yidganu so much	yidnogu so
	yut someone	yuda some, a certain	yudmu somewhere	yudju sometime	yudey someho w	yudyena some kind of	yudjigu sometime s	yudganu some	yudnogu somewhat
yad everythin g	yat everyone	yada every, each	yadmu everywher e	yadju every time, always	yadey in every way	yadyena every kind of	yadjigu at all times	yadganu all of	yadnogu completel y
	yet whoever , anyone	yeda whichever , any	yedmu wherever, anywhere	yedju whenever , anytime	yedey however, in any way	yedyena whatever kind of	yedjigu however often	yedganu however much, any	yednogu to any extent
	yot nobody	yoda no, not a	yodmu nowhere	yodju never	yodey in no way	yodyena no kind of	yodjigu not once	yodganu not any, no	yodnogu not at all
ged the same thing	get the same person, self	geda the same, the very	gedmu at the same place	gedju at the same time	gedey in the same way	gedyena the same kind of	gedjigu as often	gedganu, ge as much	gednogu, ge to the same degree, as
	oget someone else	ogeda the other, another	ogedmu elsewhere	ogedju at another time	ogedey elsewise	ogedyena another kind of	ogedjigu at a different frequency	ogedganu not as much	ogednogu otherwise

Basic deictic adjectives / Determiners

category	determiner	example
indefinite/unary	a a	a tam a house
definite/relative	ada the	ada tam the house, ada tami the houses
interrogative	oda which	oda dyen which book, oda dyeni which books
proximal	uda this, these	uda pat this bird, uda pati these birds
distal	ida that, those	ida pat that bird, ida pati those birds
negative	yoda no	yoda mep no road, yoda mepi no roads
totalative	yada every, all, each	yada mep every road, yada mepi all roads
indeterminate	yeda any, whichever	yeda voz any color, yeda vozi whichever

		colors
intensive	yida such a, such	yida dyun such a name, yida dyuni such names
partitive	yuda some, a certain, certain	yuda tob some man, yuda tobi certain men
identical	geda same	geda dyun the same name
non-identical	ogeda different, other	ogeda dyun different name, another name
quasi-identical	geyda similar	geyda ceus a similar sound
superior	ga more	ga nac vye at more money than I
equal	ge as much, as many	ge job vye et vage as much time as you want
inferior	go less, fewer	go yes less work
majorative	gla a lot, much	gla if a lot of fun
quasi- majorative	glay a goodly portion of, several	glay jubi several days
excessive	gra too much, too many	gra tel too much food
maximal	gya most	gya poti most animals
sufficient	gye enough, quite a bit	gye job enough time
minorative	glo very little, very few	glo auti very few individuals
insufficient	gro too little, too few	gro yek too little effort
minimal	gyo the least	gyo yek the least effort

Note: Nouns in Unilingua are not normally accompanied by a definite article (the) or an indefinite article (a/an). The word **tob** can mean man, a man, or the man, depending on circumstances. Where further definition is required, a, the numeric adjective one, can be used for the indefinite article, while ada, the deictic adjective the can be used for the definite article.

Deitic pronouns

Inanimate pronouns

singular	plural
od? what?	oid? what (things)
ad the thing (that)	aid the things (that)
ud this	uid these
id that	iid those
yad everything	yaid all things
yed anything, whatever	yeid any things
yid such, such a thing	yiid such things

yod nothing	yoid none
yud something	yuid certain things
ged the same thing	geid the same things
oged another, something else	ogeid other things
geylac a similar thing	geylaic similar things
gac more	gaic more things
gec as much	geic as many things
goc less	goic fewer things
glac a lot, much	glaic many things
glayc a goodly portion	glayic several things
grac too much	graic too many things
gyac the most	gyaic most things
gyec enough, quite a bit	gyeic quite a few things
gloc very little	gloic few things
groc too little	groic too few things
gyoc the least	gyoic as few things as possible

Animate pronouns

singular	plural
ot? who?	oti who (pl.)
at I	ati we
et you	eti you (pl.)
ut this person, this one	uti these
it that person, that one	iti those
yat everyone	yati all people
yet anyone, whoever	yeti any people
yit such a person	yiti such people
yot not a single person, noboby	yoti none
yut somebody	yuti certain people
get the same person, self	geti the same people, themselves
oget' the other person, someone else	ogeti others, other people
iyt that female,she, her	iyti they (f.), them
uyt this female, she, her	uyti they (f.), them
aut person, individual	auti persons, people
out nobody, no one	outi no people, none

ga auti more people
ge auti as many people
go auti fewer people
gla auti many people
glay auti several people
gra auti too many people
gya auti most people
gye auti quite a few people
glo auti few people
gro auti too few people
gyo auti as few people as possible

Note: As with all pronouns and nouns, the above pronouns can appear in the genetive/ablative/possessive case (-a) or dative/locative case (u). For example: otu to whom, ota whose, yata everyone's, gla autia most people's, ata my, etu to you. The possessive adjective forms can, in turn, be substantivized by adding -c (thing): atac mine, atacu to mine, otac whose, getac the same person's, etc.

Determiners of Place

place		
odmu? where?, whither? (also: odma? from where?, whence?)		
udmu here (also: udma from here, hence)		
idmu there (also: idma from there, thence)		
admu at/in/to the place where (relative)		
yodmu nowhere		
yadmu everywhere		
yedmu anywhere, whereever		
yidmu at/in/to such a place		
ogedmu elsewhere (ogedem alibi)		
yudmu somewhere		
gedmu at/in/to the same place (also: gedma from the same place)		
geydmu at/in/to a similar place (also: geydma from a similar place)		

Determiners of Time

time

odju? when? (also: odja whence?, ji odjob since when?, etc.)
udju now (also: udja hence)
idju then (also: idja thence)
adju when, at the time when (relative)
yodju never
yadju each time, everytime, always, ever
yedju anytime, whenever
yidju at/in/to such a time
yudju sometime
gedju at the same time
ogedju at another time

Determiners of Quality

kind
odyena? what kind of?
udyena this kind of
idyena that kind of
adyena the/what kind of (relative)
yodyena no kind of
yadyena every kind of
yedyena any/whatever kind of
yidyena such
yudyena some kind of
gedyena the same kind of
geydyena a similar kind of
ogedyena another kind of

Determiners of Degree

degree		
odnogu? how?, to what extent?		
udnogu this, to this degree		
idnogu that, to that extent		
adnogu how, to what degree (relative)		
yodnogu not at all, to no extent		
yadnogu completely, to the full extent		

yednogu however, to whatever extent
yidnogu so, to such an extent
yudnogu in some way, somehow
ge, genogu equally, to the same degree, as
oge, ogenogu unequally, to a different extent
gey, geynogu similarly, to a similar extent
ga, ganogu more, to a greater extent
gla, glanogu very, greatly, very much so
gra, granogu too, to too great an extent, overly, extremely
go, gonogu less, to a lesser extent
glo, glonogu slightly, to a small extent
gro, gronogu to too small a degree, under
gya, gyanogu maximally, to the greatest extent possible
gyo, gyonogu minimally, to the smallest extent possible
gye, gyenogu enough, rather, pretty, sufficiently, quite
ogye, ogyenogu insufficiently
fiay, finogu to a good extent, well
fuay, funogu to a bad extent, poorly
vyegay, vyega nogu proportionately
vyacay, vyaca nogu to the right extent, properly, duly
vyocay, vyoca nogu to the wrong extent, disproportionately, unduly
anogu primarily
enogu secondarily
uja nogu ultimately

Determiners of Manner, Means

manner		
odey? how?, in what way?		
udey this way, thus		
idey that way, thus		
adey how, in the way that, as		
yodey in no way		
yadey in every way		
yedey in whatever way, however		
yidey so, in such a way		
yudey somehow'		
gedey in the same way, also		

ogedey otherwise	
geydey similarly, likewise	

Determiners of Quantity

quantity
odganu?* how much, how many
udganu this much, this many
idganu that much, that many
adganu how much, how many, the amount/number
that
yodganu no, not any, no amount of
yadganu <i>all</i>
yedganu any, however much, however many
yidganu so much, so many
yudganu a certain amount of, some, some number of
ge, geganu as much, as many
oge, ogeganu a different quanity of
ga more
go less, fewer
gla a lot (of), much, many
glay a goodly amount (of), quite a few
glo little, too many
gloy barely, scarcely, hardly
gya most
gro too little, too few
gyo as little/few as possible
gye a fair amount (of), enough, quite a lot (of)
gyey several
* Literally in substance with a gin Odgany was at

^{*} Literally: in what quantity, as in **Odganu nac et ayce?** How much money do you have?. Used substantively, **Odganu** becomes Odgan, as in **Odgan et ayce?** How much do you have? If followed by a mass noun, **gla** means much; if followed by a counting noun, **gla** means many; if followed by an adjective or adverb, it means very. All of the **ga...ge...go** words are multifunctional in this way.

Determiners of Frequency

frequency (jig = rate, frequency
odjigu? how often?(lit: on how many occasions)

udjigu this often
idjigu that often
adjigu as often as, the rate that
yodjigu never
yadjigu every time
yedjigu however often, anytime
yidjigu so often
yudjigu with some frequency, sometimes'
gejigu as often
ogejigu at a different rate
gajigu more often
gojigu less often
glajigu (very) often, frequently
glojigu seldom, rarely, not very often
grajigu too often
gyajigu as often as possible
grojigu too seldom
gyojigu as seldom as possible
gyejigu quite often, rather often, frequently
enough

Prepositions and relational adverbs

ab	on, at the top of	eb	between	ob	off, at the bottom of
yab	above, up	yeb	amid, among	yob	below, down
bay	with, along	bey	by, via	boy	without
ib	away from			ub	toward
yib	far from			yub	near to
bi	from, of	be	at	bu	to
byi	starting with, since			byu	ending with, up to, as far as
yan	together			yon	apart
za	in front of	ze	in the middle of	zo	behind
zay	forward	zey	across	zoy	back
yaz	flush with	yez	in	yoz	out
iza	straight			uza	roundabout
yiz	beyond			yuz	around, about

zi		right			zu	left
zy	/i	all over	zye	through	zyua	round
ja	l	before	je	during, while	jo	after
ja	ıy	ahead (in time)	jey	throughout	joy	back (in time)
ji		since			ju	until
av	V	for	ev	if	ov	against

Compound prepositions

Prepositions can be compounded for more detailed senses:

compound preposition	example
yezbu into	It tyoyapa yezbu tim. He walked into the room.
yezbi in from	At upa yezbi mamil. I came in from the rain.
yezbe in (location)	Dyen ce yezbe nyem. The book is <i>inside</i> the box.
yozbu out to	Po yozbu ekem. Go <i>out to</i> the playground.
yozbi out of, out from	It upea yozbi ita yesim. He was coming out of his office.
yozbe out in (as in: out in the backyard)	Potoyg ce yozbe mamil. The pet is out in the rain.
yabzey over	Mampar pa yabzey tam. The plane flew <i>over</i> the house.
yobzey under	At tyoyapa yobzey domep. I walked under the highway.
zeybu across to	At tyoyapa zeybu ogeda kum. I walked <i>over to</i> the other side.
zeybi across from	It beme zeybi at. He sits across from me.
zoybu back to	Ait pee zoybu Berlin. We are going back to Berlin.
zoybe back at	Ait ce zoybe tom. We are back at home.
zoybi back from	Ait ce zyobi Berlin. We are back from Berlin.
zaybu ahead to	Teaso zaybu eta oj. Look forward to your future.
zaybi ahead of	Ed et ce zaybi at? Are you ahead of me?
yonbi apart from	Pa yonbi ogeti. It went apart from the others.
yanbe together with	Upo yanbe at. Come along with me.
izbu straight to	Po izbu yototem! Go straight to hell!
izbi straight from	Iyt upa izbi nunem. She came <i>straight from</i> the market.
izbe right at At ca izbe zem. I was right at the center.	
zabi in front of	At ce zabi et. I am in front of you.
zobi in back of	Et ce zobi at.' You are in back of me.
abu onto	Bo dyen abu cem. Put the book <i>onto</i> the table.
abe on (at)	Dyen ce abe cem. The book is <i>on</i> the table.
obi off of	Bio dyen obi cem. Take the book <i>off of</i> the table.

obe on the underside of	Ece yud obe cem. There is something <i>on the underside of</i> the table.
yabu up to	Po yabi eta tim. Go up to your room.
yabe up in	Od ce yid yabe mam? What is that up in the sky?
yabi up from	It upa yabi aaned. He came up from the first floor.
yabey up (via)	At tyoyapa yabey meb. I walked up the mountain.
yobu down to	Upo yobu momtim. Come <i>down to</i> the basement.
Yobe down in	At ce yobe momtim. I am down in the basement.
Yobi dowm from	Upo yobi mamtim. Come down from the attic.
yobey down (via) It igpa yobey meb. He hurried down the mountain	
Yobyezbi down into	Pa yobyezbi mom. He went down into the underground.
Yuzbi around to	Po yuzbi ogeda kum tama. Go <i>around to</i> the other side of the house.
Yuzbey around (via)	Par pe yuzbey tam. The car went around the house.
Yizbi past, beyond	Par pa yizbi ait. The car went past us.
Yizbu on to	At pa yizbu Kanad. I went on to Canada.

Postpositions / Cases

The following case endings or postpositions are shortcuts for prepositions:

short form	long form
-a of, from	bi
-u to, on, at	bu to or be at / in / on
-ay with	bay
-oy without	boy
-ey by, via, through, per	bey

For example, the following expressions are equivalent:

short form	long form
be tam bi X at the house of X	tamu Xa
bi dom bu dom from town to town	doma domu
tej boy if life without pleasure	tej ifoy
bey Paris by way of Paris	Parisey
bay at with me	atay

Other Prepositional Constructions

vyelu regarding, concerning, about, with respect
to
gey ov despite
kumu next to, beside, along, on the side of
yon bi apart from
yan bu together with
gal in addition to, plus, including, besides
gol minus, except
gar times, multiplied by
gor divided by
zamua in the face of (also: be zamu bi)
caynua in the guise of
canua in the form of
debanua under the auspices of
yuyb in the presence of, in the face of
didaey at the request of
ijua at the end of
tecua in the sense of
av byuuna for the sake of
thanks to
along the lines of
izanua in the direction of
zyag along
kumnidua on the edge of, on the brink of
genidua in line with, parallel to
yubanua in the vicinity of, around
gyaanua in excess of
bi abema off the top of
bi kumnidua from the brink of
dudeau in response to
ovbea in opposition to
in contrast to
lovanua in spite of
oejanua in the absence of
usua because of
usua on account of

gey ov notwithstanding	
ey per	
zye via	
vyel than, compared to, relative to	
adjua at the time of	
admua at the place of	

Using prepositions

Prepositions go between the two elements they link, just as in English. Here are some examples:

Unilingua	English		
Odju et po bu dyentam ?(or: dyentamu)	When are you going to the library?		
Uda bun ce av et.	This gift is for you.		
Dyen ca ab cem.	The book was on the table.		
Upo atay.	Come with me.		
Iyt igpa ub titam.	She ran toward the school.		
Et co yez gela titim.	You will be in the same class.		
Tob tyoyapa yozbi tam.	The man walked out of the house.		
Mampar zaymampa yabzey dom.	The plane flew over the city.		
Nidpar pa bi him bu hum .	The train went from here to there.		
Et vo ibo bun ju zemoj .	You won't receive the <i>gift until midnight</i> .		

Prepositions prefixed to verbs

As adverbials, many prepositions can be prefixed to other words, especially to verb bases. The following is a list of per (go) and ber (put) verbs with prepositional prefixes. Note that prepositions ending in **b** drop the **b** before the verb bases **per** and **ber**.

intransitive		transitive	
aper	get on	aber	put on
eper	stop	eber	stop
oper	get off	ober	take off
yaper	rise	yaber	raise
yeper	intervene	yeber	block
yoper	descend	yober	lower

iper	go (away)	iber	receive
uper	come	uber	send
yuper	approach	yuber	bring near
yiper	go away	yiber	take away
yezper	enter	yezber	bring in
yizper	surpass	yizber	take beyond
zyeper	go through	zyeber	pull through
zeyper	transit	zeyber	take across
yanper	meet	yanber	unite
yonper	separate	yonber	separate
izper	go straight/ head (for)	izber	guide
zyuper	roll	zyuber	turn
yozper	exit	yozber	take out
zoyper	return, go back	zoyber	take back
zoypuer	arrive back	zoybuer	give back
zateaser	look forward	zoteaser	look behind
zeyteaser	look across	zyiteaser	look all around
zyeteaser	look through	yizteaser	look beyond
yezteaser	look in	yozteaser	look out
yabteaser	look up	yobteaser	look down
ibteaser	look away	izteaser	look straight (ahead)
ziteaser	look left	zuteaser	look right
uzteaser	look askance	yuzteaser	look around
avdaer	speak for	ovdaer	speak against

Personal pronouns and pronominal adjectives

Personal pronouns have five *persons* (represented by the ordinal vowels \mathbf{a} (1), \mathbf{e} (2), and \mathbf{i} (3), plus \mathbf{o} (0) for the impersonal form and \mathbf{u} (5) for the reflexive form.

The plural *number* forms contain an **i** following the ordinal vowel.

There are also three *case* forms, which are alternate ways of expressing prepositional relations: Add -a for the genetive/possessive (of, from); -u for the dative (to, at, 'for); -ay (short for bay) for with; ey (short for bey) for through/by, and oy (short for boy) for without.

Note: These same case endings can be added to any nouns, not just pronouns. For example, **tamu** (to the house), **tayeboy** (without hair), **teda** (father's).

nominative/accus ative	genetive/posses sive	dative/locati ve	comitive	instrumental	privative
at (I, me)	ata (my, mine)	atu (to/for me)	atay (with me)	atey (through/by me)	atoy (without me)
et (you)	eta (your, yours)	etu (to/for you)	etay (with you)	etey (through/by you)	etoy (without you)
it (he, him)	ita (his)	itu (to/for him)	itay (with him)	itey (through/by him)	itoy (without him)
iyt (she,her)	iyta (her, hers)	iytu (to/for her)	iytay (with her)	iytey (through/by her)	iytoy (without her)
nominative/accus ative pl.	genetive/posses sive pl.	dative/locati ve pl.	comitive pl.	instrumental pl.	privative pl.
ati (we, our)	atia (our, ours)	atiu (to/for us)	atiay (with us)	atiey (through/by us)	atioy (without us)
eti (you [all])	etia (your, yours)	etiu (to/for you)	etiay (with you)	etiey (through/by you)	etioy (without you)
iti (they, them (m. or m/f))	itia (their)	itiu (to/for them)	itiay (with them)	itiey (through/by them)	itioy (without them)
iyt (they (f.))	iytia (their)	iytiu (to/for them)	iytiay (with them)	iytiey (through/by them)	iytioy (without them)

Possessive pronouns are expressed with the addition of -c to the genetive/possessive ending:

- This book is *mine*. **Uda dyen ce** *atac*.
- Those books are ours. Ida dyeni ce atiaci.
- Theirs has not arrived. Itiac vo pua.
- Theirs have arrived. Itiaci pua.
- Is this yours or mine? Ev ud ce etac vey atac?
- Will you come to mine tomorrow? Ev et upo atacu zajubu?

Conjunctions

Correlative Conjunctions

va yes	av that, for, so that	vay indeed	vayvay bothand	gay also, moreover, additionally	ay with, and
ve maybe	ev if, whether	vey possibly	veyvey eitheror	gey even, including	ey by, or
vo	ov lest	voy not	voyvoy	goy except, excluding,	oy without,

no,not	neithernor	although	but	
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Note: oev = unless; ad means that as the conjunction introducing a factual clause, not to be confused with av meaning so that introducing a subjunctive or unreal clause.

- I do want to go, but I can't. At vay vage per oy at voy vege.
- Do you know whether he's coming. Ev et te ev it upo?
- It will either rain or snow. Ey mamilo ey maylyomo.
- If it rains, I'll not come. Ev mamilo at voy upo.
- No, it's not true that he died. Vo, voy ce vyaa ad it tuja.
- My father and mother are still alive. Ata ted ay teyd gaju tejeye.
- Were you born here? Ev et tija udmu?
- We did not know you were married. Ati voy ta ad et ce tadca.
- The fact that you work is not the issue. Ad et yese voy ce kos.
- Whether you work or play is more important. Et ey yese ey eke ce ga kyita.
- Unless you go to school you will never learn anything. Oev et po titamu et yodju tio yud.
- In order to learn you must study more. Av ticer et yege ga tier.
- Everyone except you is ready. Yat goy et ce perfia.
- Did you want me to come long?' Ev et vaga av at aypu?
- I want you not to leave. At vage ov et piu.
- Don't tell her what I did. Ov du iytu od at sa.

Other Conjunctional Expressions

conjunction	example	
ad that	Ati ta ad it upo. We knew (that) he would come.	
av so that	At egdo id av et tico. I will repeat it so that you'll understand.	
avad because	It tuja bi us avad it voy abya yigtef. He died because he was not wearing a helmet.	
ju until	Ju et uvdo at voy teapo et. Until you apologize, I will not visit you.	
ji since	Ji et pua at cee iva. Since you arrived, I've been happy.	
yanad even though, although	Yanad et oka, at gaju fyitce et. Even though you lost, I still respect you.	
ovad despite the fact that	Ovad et zageda, et voy upa. Despite the fact that you agreed in advance, you didn't come.	
igjo as soon as	Igjo iyt pua at gafi teca. As soon as she arrived, I felt better.	
vyafay ge just as	Vyafay ge at jada, ija mamiler. Just as I predicted, it started raining.	
ge ev as if	Iyt teubozya ge ev iyt ca iva. She smiled as if she were happy.	
ev whether	At voy te ev mamilo. I don't know whether it will rain.	
ev if	Et zaypo ev et yeko. You will advance if you try.	
ay and	Et ay at ce gya fia. You and I are the best.	
ey or	Et vege jobier ey kobier; ce eta kebi. You can borrow or steal; it's your	

	choice.	
kyeay ad in the event that	In the event that it should rain, bring along your umbrella. Kyeay ad mamilo, ayubio eta mamilovar.	
fiyakea av in the hope that	It nucbia dryenet fiyakea av it ako. He bought a ticket in the hope that he would win.	
fyunea ov for fear that	It yezpa fyunea ov mamilo. He went inside for fear that it might rain.	
ov lest	Bono ov et tyijso lopyet. Stay calm lest you awake the snake.	
yonad aside from the fact that	Yonad gaijop mamile, doma mamecan ce gla fia. Aside from the fact that it rains occasionally, the city's weather is very nice.	
tea ad knowing that	At vage tujer tea ad at po totamu. At want to die knowing that I will go to heaven.	

Verbs

Verbs in Unilingua are conjugated for tense (present, past, future), mood (indicative, conditional/imperative/subjunctive/jussive), voice (active, passive), and finiteness. The verbal system is perfectly regular and predictable.

The *infinitive*, which serves as the dictionary lookup form, always ends in **-er**. The *stem*, therefore, is the infinitive without the **-er** ending. For example, the stem of the verb **buner** (to push) is **bun**. The stem is used as the base of all conjugated verb forms.

Finite forms

Finite verb forms are modulated for tense based on the three-way vowel distinction **a** (present), **e** (past), and **o** (future).

A fourth ending, \mathbf{u} is used for the equivalent of the English conditionals, subjunctives, and imperatives.

Verbs can be further modulated for progressive, anterior (perfect), and imminent senses through compounding.

Endings do not change depending on the subject person. For example, unlike in English where *am*, *are*, and *is* are used in the present depending on the subject, the Unilingua verb **cer** has one present indicative form of *to be* for all persons: **ce**.

Unilingu a	English
at ce	I am
et ce	you are
it ce	he is
iyt ce	she is
id ce	that is, it is
ud ce	this is
ot ce	who is?

ati ce	we are
eti ce	you (all) are
iti ce	they are
iyti ce	they are
oti ce	who are?
yat ce	everyone is
yet ce	whoever/anyone is
yod ce	nothing is
apeti ce	horses are

Simple tense forms

The simple tense verb forms are generated by adding the tense markers **a**, **e**, **o**, or the conditional marker **u** to the stem of the verb. For example, the stem of the verb **ter** *to know* is **t** and the inflected forms of the simple tenses are as follows:

Active voice forms

ending	meaning	example
e	present	It te. He knows.
a	past	At ta. I knew.
0	future	Et to. You will know.
u	conditiona l	Iti tu. They would know.

Non-indicative forms

The **u** ending is not only used for the conditional as above, but also for non-indicatives such as imperatives and subjunctives. The conditional form without a subject is used for imperatives (direct commands). Positive subjunctives and jussives are expressed with the use of the affirmative jussive conjunction **av** (for, so that) followed by the subject and the verb in the conditional.

pattern	meaning	example
Vu	direct command	Aku!. Win!.
av N Vu	may N V	Av ati aku! May we win!.
av N Vu	let N V	Av it upu. Let him come.
av N Vu	wishes, etc.	At vayge (av) et piu. I wish you would leave.

Negative subjunctives and jussives are expressed with the use of the negative jussive conjunction **ov** (against, lest) followed by the subject and the verb in the conditional.

pattern	meaning	example
ov Vu	direct command	Ov oku!. Don't lose!
ov N Vu	may N V	Ov ati oku! May we NOT lose!.
ov N Vu	lest N V	Ov it upu. Don't let him come.
ov N Vu	wishes, etc.	At vayge ov et piu. I wish you would NOT leave (lit: I wish lest you leave).

Unreal conditionals are expressed with the conditional conjunction **ev** (if, whether) followed by the subject and the verb in the conditional (**-u**) in both the main and subordinate clause..

pattern	meaning	example
ev N Vu, N Vu	if N were, N would	Ev at cu edeb, at yivsu it. If I were king, I would free him.

Illative patterns

Interrogative

Beginning a sentence with the conditional conjunction **ev** (whether, if) makes the sentence into a yes/no question:

pattern	meaning	example
ev + VP		Ev et aka? Did you win?

Negative

Use the negative adverb **voy** (not) in front a verb to negate it:

pattern	meaning	example
voy + V	negative	Et voy ako. You will not win.
ev + negVP	negative interrogative	Ev et voy akeye? Aren't you winning?

Affirmative

Similary, the positive adverb **vay** (indeed) is used in various combinations to qualify verbs. Like **voy** (not), this adverb immediate preceeds the verb form.

ending	meaning	example
vay + V	affirmative	At vay aka. I did win.

Potential

Used the potential adverb **vey** (maybe) in front of a verb to qualify it as potential or possible (like English may):

ending	meaning	example
vey + V	potential	It vey ako He may win!.
ev + VP	negative potential interrogative	Ev et vey voy akayu? Might'nt you have won?

Passive voice forms

The passive voice is formed by preceding the tense endings with \mathbf{w} .

ending	meaning	example
w+e	present	It twe. He is known.
w+a	past	It twa. He was known.
w+0	future	It two. He will be known.
w+u	conditiona l	It twu. He would be known.

Progressive forms

The progressive or continuous tenses, which are optional and used only where the distinction is useful, are formed from the simple present forms by compounding with pre-yodified tense vowels.

ending	meaning	example	
e+ye	present continuous active	At akeye. I am winning.	
e+ya	past continuous active	At akeya I was winning.	
e+yo	future continuous active	At akeyo. I will be winning.	
e+yu	conditional continuous active	At akeyu. I would be winning.	
we+ye	present continuous passive	At akweye. I am being beaten.	
we+ya	past continuous passive	At akweya I was being beaten.	
we+yo	future continuous passive	At akweyo. I will be in the process of being beaten.	
we+yu	conditional continuous passive	At akweyu. I would be in the process of being beaten.	

Anterior forms

The anterior or perfect tenses, which are also optional, are formed from the simple past tense form by compounding with pro-yodified tense vowels.

ending meaning	example	
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a+ye	present perfect active	Ati akaye. I have won.
a+ya	past perfect active	Ati akaya We had won.
a+yo	future perfect active	Ati akayo. We will have won.
a+yu	conditional perfect active	Ati akayu. We would have won.
wa+ye	present perfect passive	Iti akwaye. They have been beaten.
wa+ya	past perfect passive	Iti akwaya. They had been beaten.
wa+yo	future perfect passive	Iti akwayo. They will have been beaten.
wa+yu	conditional perfect	Iti akwayu. They would have been
wa+yu	passive	beaten.

Imminent forms

The so-called *imminent* tenses are formed from the simple future active tense forms in the same way.

ending	meaning	example
o+ye	present imminent active	At akoye. I am going to win.
o+ya	past imminent active	At akoya I was about to win.
wo+ye	present imminent passive	Et akwoye. You are going to be beaten.
wo-wo	past imminent passive	Et akwoya. You were about to be
wu-ya	pasi imminent passive	beaten.

Non-finite forms

ending	meaning	example	
er	active infinitive	aker to win	
wer	passive infinitive	akwer to be beaten	
en	active verbal noun	aken winning	
wen	passive verbal noun	akwen Being beaten	
ea	active present participle	Akea ekut The winning player	
aya	active past participle	Akaya ekut The player who won.	
oa	active future participle	Tob ce tujoa. Man is mortal (about to die).	
ua	active conditional participle	Tob cua deb. The man who would be king.	
wea	passive present participle	Akwea ekut The player being beaten	
waya	passive past participle	Magelwaya taol Cooked meat.	
woa	passive future participle	Teacwoa pancin the film to be seen	
wua	passive conditional participle	Oteacwua tob the invisible man	
eay	present affirmative gerundive	At teacibso pueay. I will call upon arriving.	

eoy	present negative gerundive	At ija teoy yed. I started without knowing anything.	
ayay	past affirmative gerundive	Teacayay at pia. Having seen, I left.	
aoy	past negative gerundive	At pila dom teacaoy yad. I left the town without having seen everything.	
eney	present instrumental gerundive	Et akso gla yeseney. You will succeed by working hard.	

• Note: The -ua/wua ending approximates the English -able ending. oteacwua = invisible, yiztijua = survivable, ogorwua = 'indivisible, vegua = capable, opanua = immobile. Adding an -n forms the substantive, eg. ogorwuan = indivisibility.

Conditional constructions

In sentences with conditional clauses the conditional clause is in the same tense as the main clause, contrary to the practice in English:

- Ev mamilo at co uva. If it rains (= will rain), I will be sad.
- Ev mamilayu at cayu uva. If it had rained (= would have rained), I would have heen sad
- Ev at cu nasika at ga zyipu. If I were (=would be) rich, I'd travel more.
- Ev et tu dud, (av et) du id atu. If you (= would) know the answer, (= that you would) tell it to me.

Sequence of tenses

Unlike in English, the tense of a consecutive clause is a real tense, not an adjusted tense relative to the main clause:

- It da ad it tadco at. He said he would (= will) marry me.
- It da ad it teaca it ejipu. He said he had seen (= saw) it twice.

Impersonal constructions

Impersonal verbs are conjugated without the subject personal pronoun:

- Mamileye. It is raining.
- Amco. It will warm up.
- **Eco dropek.** There will be a war.
- Yege av et upu jya. It is necessary that you come early.
- Ce fia. It's ok.

The verb to be

The verb **cer** (*to be*) is not suppressed in the present tense as in some languages like Russian

or as Unilingua author Agapoff suggested in his book. Also, there is no existential distinction as in Spanish between **ser** and **estar**. Furthermore, the continuous forms **ceya** and **ceye** are not used; use the simple forms **ca** (*was*) and **ce** (*is/are/am*).

- Ati ce yiva! We are free.
- At co idmu. I'll be there.
- Dyeni ca ab cem. The books were on the table.
- Cayo e jubi ji at ca dopu. It will have been two days since I was in the army.
- Cer ey voy cer. To be or not to be.
- At cayu uva ev et voy upayu. I would have been sad if you hadn't come.

Reflexive constructions

Verbs can be made reflexive by adding the direct object **get** (self).

- At vyimila get ja per majtulu. I washed up (washed myself) before going to breakfast.
- Tobet tuja get. The boy killed himself.
- At teasa get cinzyefu. I looked at myself in the mirror.
- To get! Know thyself!

Modal or auxiliary verbs

Unilingu a	English	Meaning	Example
yiver	may	permission	Et yive iper. You may leave.
yuver	must	requiremen t	Et yuve iper. You must leave.
yuyver	should	obligation	Et yuyve iper. You should leave.
yeger	have to	necessity	At yege iper. I have to leave.
yeyger	should	obligation	Et yeyge iper. You ought to leave.
vager	want to	volition	At vage iper. I want to leave.
vaager	long to	yearning	At vaage iper. I long to leave.
vayger	would like to	preference	At vayge iper. I would like to go.
vagrer	be eager to	eagerness	At vagre iper. I am eager to leave.
valter	intend to	intention	At valte iper. I intend to leave.
veger	can	ability	At vege ser id. I can do that.
voger	refuse to	refusal	At voge ser id. I refuse to do that.
yaker	expect to	expectation	At yake aker. I expect to win.
yaaker	hopeto	aspiration	At yaake aker. I hope to win.

yeker	try to	attempt	It voy yeko iper. He won't try to leave.
yekler	dare to	dare	It voy yeklo iper. He will not dare leave.
yoker	to be surprised to	surprise	At yoka aker. I was surprised to win.
ifer	to love to	love	It ife eker. He loves to play.
iyfer	to like to	liking	It iyfe eker. He likes to play.
ufer	to hate to	hate	It ufe eker. He hates to play.
uyfer	to dislike to	dislike	It uyfe eker. He dislikes playing.
iver	to be glad to	gladness	At ivo iper. I shall be glad to leave.
uver	to regret to	regret	At uva der id. I regretted saying it.
aver	to favor	espousal	At ave iper. I favor leaving.
over	to be opposed to	opposition	At ove eker. I am opposed to playing.

As you see in the examples above, modal verbs are followed by the infinitive form (-er) of the main verb.

Subordinate clauses introduced by AD (the fact that)

The positive complementizer particle **ad** (*the fact that*) is used to introduce a subordinate clause:

- At ta (ad) it upo. I knew THAT he would come.
- At ce vala (ad) et vyadeye. I'm sure THAT you are telling the truth.
- Ad mamilo ce valan. THAT it will rain is a certainty.
- Ata teyd da (ad) iyt co tamu ojo eymaj. My mother said THAT she would be home by noon.

As in English, if the *that* can be dropped without any loss of meaning, it can be:

- At da at dro. I said I'd (= I'll) write.
- Et ta it sa id. You knew he had done (= did) it.

Unlike in English, a relative sequence of tenses is not applied. For example, English "I knew he would come." is rendered in Unilingua as "I knew he will come."

Do not confuse the particles **ad** and **av**. Clauses following **ad** are facts, whereas clauses following **av** are unreal wishes. **Av** should be thought of as *so that*.

- At pana <u>av</u> it yabtu. I moved <u>so that</u> he could (= would) sit down.
- At ta <u>ad</u> it yabto. I knew <u>that</u> he would (= will) sit down.

Subordinate clauses introduced by EV (whether)

The conditional complementizer particle **ev** (*whether*) is used to introduce a subordinate clause of the type "whether...":

- At voy ta ev it upo. I did not know whether he would come.
- Ev it upo ca teskyia atu. whether he would or would come was not important to me.

Adjectives

Adjectives end in the suffix -a. They are invariable in form:

- aga big
- oga small
- aza strong
- oza weak
- taba bodily
- teaba ocular
- tea aware
- otea unaware

Adjectives used substantively to describe persons end in -t, while those used to describe things end in -c:

adjective	animate substantive	inanimate substantive
yoga young / new	yogat youth	yogac novelty
tuja dead	tujat dead person	tujac dead thing
fia good	fiat good person	fiac good thing

Adjectives always preced the noun they modify:

- aga tam a big house
- yaga drun the long sentence
- aza tob the strong man
- mona maf a dark cloud

Serial adjectives usually go in the same order as in English:

• **ujna via jeeba jub** the last beautiful summer day

Degrees of Comparison in Adjectives and Adverbs

Summary of Comparison Constructions

Note: **vyel** is a preposition that comes from the verb **vyeler** *to relate* and is used to signal the object against which a relative comparison is being made (*than, relative to*).

Unilingua	English
gavyel	morethan
gevyel	asas
govyel	lessthan
gyavyel	the mostin/of
gyevyel	rathercompared to
	the leastin/of

The Comparative of Superiority

More than is expressed by the adverb **ga**, followed by the adjective, adverb, or verb and the preposition **vyel** (in relation to, than, as) preceding the noun, pronoun, or predicate being compared:

Unilingua	English
Ata tadet ce ga aza vyel et.	My brother is stronger than you.
At ga yese vyel et.	I work more than you.
Ita tedet ga aga vyel ata.	His son is taller than mine.
Uda dyen ce ga ketlea vyel idac.	This book is more interesting that that one.
Mam ce ga aga vyel et tese.	The sky is bigger than you think.

The Comparative of Equality

As...as' is expressed by the adverb **ge**, following by the adjective, adverb, or verb and the preposition **vyel** (in relation to, than, as) preceding the noun, pronoun, or predicate being compared.

Unilingua	English
Iyt ge te vyel at.	She knows as much as I do.

At ge fi deuze vyel et.	I sing as well as you do.
Ata tam ce ge aga vyel eta.	My house is as big as yours.
Ece ge tobi vyel tobomi.	There are as many grownups as babies.

The Comparative of Inferiority

Less...than' is expressed by the adverb **go**, following by the adjective, adverb, or verb and the preposition **vyel** (in relation to, than, as) preceding the noun, pronoun, or predicate being compared.

Unilingua	English
Iyt go te vyel at.	She knows less than I do.
At go fi deuze vyel et.	I sing less well than you do.
Ata tam ce go aga vyel etac.	My house is less big than yours.
Ece go tobi vyel tobomi.	There are fewer grownups than babies.

The Superlative of Superiority

The most...of/in' is expressed by the adverb **gya**, followed by the adjective, adverb, or verb, and the compared noun or pronoun preceded by the preposition **vyel**.

Unilingua	English
Ud ce gya yobaga miam vyel mir.	This is the deepest lake in the world.
At gya fi deuze.	I sing the best.
Gya fia ticudi vyel ticudyan akbuyo.	The best students in the class will be rewarded.
At ce gya ivat vyel yati.	I am the happiest person of all.

The Superlative of Inferiority

The least...of/in' is expressed by the adverb **gyo**, followed by the adjective, adverb, or verb, and the compared noun or pronoun preceded by the preposition **vyel**.

Unilingua	English
Uda ticud ce gyo tepaza vyel yada ticudi.	This student is the least intelligent of all the students.
At gyo fi deuze.	I sing the least well.
Gyo fia ticudi vyel ticudyan uyovfuso.	The worst students in the class will be punished.
At ce gyo ivat vyel yati.	I am the least happy person of all.

Idioms Using Adjectival/Adverbial Comparison Constructions

Unilingua	English	example
gaga	the morethe more	Ga mamile ga ilirke. The more it rains, the more it floods.
gago	the morethe less	Ga iva at ce ga azay at dae. The happier I am the louder I speak.
goga	the lessthe more	Go et tile ga fia ce. The less you drink the better.
gogo	the lessthe less	Go et yezbue go et yozbie. The less you put in the less you get out.
gya	as much as possible	At tele gya ida telamu. I eat as much as possible in that restaurant.
gya veya	the most possiblecompared to	Puo gya jya veya. Arrive as early as possible.
gyo veya	the least possiblecompared to	Bookco gyo veya. Tire yourself out the least possible.
hogavye l	no morethan	At tila oga vyel jubyenay. I drank no more than usual.

Note: **vyel**, as a preposition, originates from a verb, much like the prepositions **gal** *plus* and **gar** *times*:

verb	preposition
galer to add	gal plus
garer to multiply	gar times
goler to subtract	gol minus
gorer to divide	gor divided by
vyeler to relate	vyel relative to, than

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Conversation Lessons

Lesson 1: Greetings (Dotsini)

Unilingua	English
Cu baka!	Hello! [Lit: "Be healthy."]
Gey et.	Hi. (in return) [Lit: "Equally you."]
Fijub!	Good day!
Fimaj!	Good morning!
Fiumaj!	Good evening!
Fimoj!	Good night.
Upu vay!!	Welcome! [Lit: "Come indeed"]
Et ce odyena?	How are you? [Lit: "You are what-like"]
Et ce odbyena?	How are you? [Lit: "You are in-what-situation."]
At ce baka.	I'm fine. [Lit: "I am well."]
At ce fibyena.	I'm fine. [Lit: "I am in-good-situation."]
At ce ficana.	I'm fine. [Lit: "I am in-good-form."]
Ev coni fipe?	How are things? [Lit: "Are things going well?"]
Yad fipe.	Everything is going well.
Et se oday?	How are you doing? [Lit: "You do how?"]
At se fiay.	I'm doing well. [Lit: "I do well."
Voy fia voy fua.	So-so. [Lit: "Not good not bad."]
Naztwe!	<i>Thanks!</i> [Lit: "It is appreciated."][naz = <i>value</i>]
Atu ifca.	You're welcome. [Lit: "It was a pleasure for me."]
Ay ev et?	And you? [Lit: "And whether you?"]
At gey ce baka.	<i>I'm fine, too</i> . [Lit: "I likewise am healthy."]
Od ce joga?	What's new. [Lit: What is new?"]
Yod.	Nothing.
Eta tod ce odyena?	How is your family? [Lit: "You family is whatway?"]
Ata tod ce ficana.	My family is fine. [Lit: "My family is in good shape."]
Cu baka!!	Goodbye!, Farewell! [Lit: "Be healthy."]
Gey et!!	Goodbye to you, too! [Lit: "Likewise you."]

Vocabulary Notes

- bak = health
- baka = healthy
- cer = to be
- **cer baka** = to be healthy, to be well
- Cu baka!! [future/imperative] = Be well! Farewell! Hello!
- At ce baka. = I'm fine. (= I am well.)
- **gey** = *equally*, *also*, *too*, *likewise*
- gey at = me too; I, as well
- **gev fia** = equally good, also good
- **gebyenu** = *in the same situation/manner*
- $\mathbf{ev} = Whether?$: Is it true that?
- od? = What?
 - oday? = How? (-ay = adverbial ending/"with")
 - **odyena?** = How?, (Lit: what-wise?)
 - **odbyena?** = How? (Lit: what-mannered?)
 - **odcana?** = How? (Lit: what-shaped?)
- $\mathbf{av} = for \text{ (prep)}, let, so that \text{ (conj.)}$
 - Av it bakco. = Let him be well. [Lit: "So that he be healthy."]
- $\mathbf{a}\mathbf{y} = and (\mathbf{o}\mathbf{y} = but, \mathbf{e}\mathbf{y} = or)$
- $\mathbf{vo} = no \ (\mathbf{va} = yes, \ \mathbf{ve} = maybe)$
 - $\mathbf{voy} = not \ (\mathbf{vay} = indeed, \ certainly, \ \mathbf{vey} = possibly, \ may)$
 - $\mathbf{voy} \mathbf{fua} = not \ bad$
 - At vey ce boka. = I may be ill.
 - It vay ce ficana. = He is really in good shape.
- yod = nothing (yad = everything)
- at = I, me
- atu = to me, for me
- ata = my, mine
- et = you
- $\mathbf{etu} = to you, for you$
- eta = your
- it = he, him
- itu = to him, for him
- ita = his
- can = shape, form, condition, state, status
- **fican** = good shape, good form, good condition
- **ficana** = in good shape, well, in good condition
- ficana cer / fincancer = to be in good shape, to be fine
- **fucan** = bad shape, bad condition

- **fucana cer** / **fucancer** = to be in bad shape, to be unwell
- odcana = in what shape, how
- **odcana ce...** = *How is...*
- **byen** = manner, situation
- $\mathbf{fia} = good (\mathbf{fua} = bad)$
- $fibyena = in \ a \ good \ situation, \ fine$
- **odbyena?** = in what situation?, in what manner?, how?
- ge = equal, same, as
- **gebyena** = in the same situation, unchanged
- naz = value
- ter = to know
- twer = to be known
- **nazter** = to appreciate, to know the value, to be thankful
 - **naztwe.** = (It) is appreciated [passive voice], thank-you, thanks
 - **Gla naztwe.** = Much appreciated; Thank-you very much.
- der = to say (...to [someone] = ...-u)
- **nazder** = to express appreciation, to thank (+ ...-u)
 - At nazda itu av ita yes. = I thanked him for his work.
- **nazden** = thanks, expression of appreciation

Lesson 2: Getting Acquainted

Unilingua	English
At vayge [ad] et ijtu ata dat Ivan.	I'd like you to meet my friend, Ivan. [Lit: "I'd like that you be acquainted with"]
Ce gla if ijter et.	Very pleased to meet you. [Lit: "It is a great pleasure to"]
Od ce eta dyun?	What's your name?
Ata dyun ce Maria.	My name is Mary.
Odmu et tome?	Where do you live?
At tome New Yorku/erozyaki udma.	I live in New York/two kilometers from here.
Et tome idmu ji od?	How long have you lived there? [Lit: "You live there since what?"]
At tome ida domu ji alo jabi.	I have lived in that city for 10 years. [Lit: I live in that city since]
Od ce eta yes?	What do you do for a living? [Lit: "What is your work?"]
At yese ge biktut. Ay ev et?	I work as a nurse. And you?
At eju key yes.	I am currently looking for work.
Ev et aye aga tod?	Do you have a big family?
Ata tedeti ce odjaga?	How old are your children? [Lit: "What-aged are"]
Gajagat ce ale jaga gal gajogat	The elder is twelve years old and the younger is nine. [Lit: "is

ce yu jaga. 12 of age...is 9 of age."]
Ev et gey ce tadca (or: tadaya)? Are you also married?

Vo. At ce *No. I'm widowed/divorced/unmarried.* [Lit: "mate-lost/mate-

tadokca/tadyonca/tadoya. separated/mate-less"]
Odmu et tija? Where were you born?
At tija yub udem. I was born near here.

Odju et emkyala udmu? When did you move here. [Lit: "....change location..."]
At pua ji e jabi. I arrived four years ago. [Lit: "...since four years"]

Vocabulary Notes

- **ijter** = to get to know, to become acquainted with, to meet (for the first time) (**ijtat** acquaintance)
- **ifcer/uifcer** = *to please/be pleased*
- tomer = to reside, to live, to make one's home
- yeser = to work
- ayer = to have
- vayger = to wish, to like to (At vayge --er = I'd like to --)
- **dyuncer** = to be named, to be called
- ser = to do, to make
- keer = to seek, to look for (kaer = to find, koer = to hide)
- tijer = to be born (tujer = to die)
- **tadcer** = to get married
- tadokcer = to be widowed
- **tadoycer** = to be unmarried
- **emkyaler** = to relocate, to move (**emkyoler** = to settle down)
- **puer** = to arrive (**pier** = to depart)
- **jagcer** = to get old, to age (**jogcer** = to get young)
- dat = friend
- tad = spouse, mate (tayd = wife, tadca married)
 - tadokcat = widow(er)
 - tadyoncat = divore(e)
 - **tadoyat** = *bachelor/bachelorette*
- **tedet** = *offspring*, *son*, *daughter*, *child*
- tod = family
- tom = residence, home = (tomu = at home)
- dom = city (domu = in the city, in town)
- yes = work (yesu = at work)
- jag = age (jaga = old, joga = young)
- tij = birth (tuj = death, tej = life)
- $\mathbf{dyun} = name$
- job = time
- jab = year (jabi = years, e jabi two years, udjabu this year)
- **ej** = the present (**eju** at present, **eja** present)
- em = place, space (emkyaer to relocate)

- jagat = young person (gajagat = cadet, younger one)
- $jogat = old \ person \ (gajogat = elder)$
- **if** = pleasure (**Ca if.** It was a pleasure.)
- ja = before (jo = after, je = during)
 - **ja ej** = ago [Lit: before the present]
- $\mathbf{ji} = since (\mathbf{ju} = until)$
 - **ji od** = *since when, for how long* (**ji e jabi** = *for two years*)
- $\mathbf{ga} = more \ (\mathbf{go} = less, \ \mathbf{ge} = equal)$
- $\mathbf{gla} = very$, much, many ($\mathbf{glo} = little$, few, slightly)
- **yub** = *near to* (**yib** = *far from*, **yubem** *vicinity*)
- $\mathbf{bu} = to \ (\mathbf{bi} = from)$
- udem = this place (ud(e)mu = here, ud(e)ma from here, od(e)mu? = where?
- idem = that place (id(e)mu = there, id(e)ma from there)
- udjob = the present (udj(ob)u = now, odj(ob)u? when?)
- idjob = that time (idj(ob)u = then, ji id since then)

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