

a lot

Adjectif. **damat****an***Adjectif.* **didi**

a lot of

Adjectif. **giãgiã**abandon *Verbe.* **toa**abandon the good
road*Verbe.* **kanaa**

abbreviation

Nom. **kurii**

able (to be)

Verbe. **boo la**

abominable

Adjectif. **bɔnɛ**above *postposition.* **la**abruptly *Adverbe.* **bãã**
goon

Abyssinian Roller

Nom. **kɔkoõ**acacia *Nom.* **kaasia**acassa ball *Nom.* **dɛ̀gɛ**accept *Verbe.* **lɛ kɔ***Verbe.* **si**

accept (a request)

Verbe. **baalaan****wɔ**

acceptance

Nom. **lɛ-kɔ**accompany *Verbe.* **da****zii***Verbe.* **koa**

accomplish

Verbe. **nyɔmɔ**

accumulate

Verbe. **kaa kun****gigiã**acid *Adjectif.* **pipiã**

across from

Nom. **yɔrɔ-a**

actually

Adverbe. **parsii****ni***Adverbe.* **taãn-t****aãnɛ**add *Verbe.* **da ... li***Verbe.* **kaa kun***Verbe.* **ti ...****ganaa**adder *Nom.* **kɔrɔnkan**

adjective

Nom. **laakalaañ***Nom.* **laakalaañ****boo nɛ**adjust *Verbe.* **tele**adobe *Nom.* **tii**

adolescent

Nom. **tɔntɔraa**advise *Verbe.* **doro**

affirmative

exclamation

interj. **haalɛ**affront *Nom.* **sɔ**afraid *Verbe.* **nyéɛ****baa**after that *Adverbe.* **bɛ****kio**

after tomorrow

Nom. **biẽ laan**again *Adverbe.* **doo***expr v. .* **wusoo**

agent

Nom. **di-zɛnaal****i***Nom.* **sii****zɛnaanli**

agree with

	<i>Verbe.</i> zενε		<i>Adjectif.</i> yii		tumaa
agreement			tumaa		<i>Adverbe.</i> duduu
	<i>Nom.</i> kiξεν		all over <i>Adverbe.</i> bǎǎ		<i>Adverbe.</i> miεε
	<i>Nom.</i> κον ω		yii ni		amazement
	ma		allow <i>Verbe.</i> ιε κω		<i>Nom.</i> kaābaa
agriculture	<i>Nom.</i> buu		ally <i>Nom.</i> doa-κον		amity
	κωσιε		alone <i>Adjectif.</i> γωρων		<i>Nom.</i> giaáraba
ahead			<i>Adjectif.</i> σω̄		a
	<i>Adverbe.</i> nyενε		<i>Adjectif.</i> σω̄σω̄		among <i>Adverbe.</i> kun
aim	<i>Nom.</i> mīi		<i>Adjectif.</i> toto		amulet <i>Nom.</i> k̄iri
aircraft	<i>Nom.</i> φο̄λο		along with		ancestor <i>Nom.</i> digolo
	bàan		<i>Adverbe.</i> ka ...		ancient <i>Adjectif.</i> zizi
air-plane	<i>Nom.</i> φο̄λο		νε		and
	bàan		alongside		<i>conjunction.</i> laa
albeit	<i>conjunction.</i> a		<i>postposition.</i> ge		nka
	laane		nli		angel <i>Nom.</i> lon a dia
albino	<i>Nom.</i> zaānyε		already <i>Adverbe.</i> bin		di a wole
	<i>Nom.</i> zamanys		<i>Adverbe.</i> γωρω		anger <i>Nom.</i> foo yoo
alcoholic drink			also <i>conjunction.</i> δω		anger is violent
	<i>Nom.</i> naasaara		altar <i>Nom.</i> w̄ulu βο̄ñ		<i>Nom.</i> foo
	yω		bǎǎ		goledεnaa
alert (be)	<i>Verbe.</i> doa		although		angle <i>Nom.</i> ḡuru
alike	<i>Adjectif.</i> mia		<i>conjunction.</i> a		angry <i>Verbe.</i> foo βο̄
all	<i>Adjectif.</i> kuturu		laane		angry (get)
	<i>Adjectif.</i> lenlen		<i>conjunction.</i> sen		<i>Verbe.</i> foo-yoo
	<i>Nom.</i> tumaa		ε		<i>Verbe.</i> kasa κω
	<i>Adjectif.</i> yii		always		animal <i>Nom.</i> τω̄
all (emphatic)			<i>Adverbe.</i> biikoo		animal fence <i>Nom.</i> z̄iǎ

ankle *Nom.* gòã wìiannounce *Verbe.* pɛanswer *Nom.* binyəə*Verbe.* nyəəant *Nom.* bonboon

ant (kind of)

Nom. fufuluu

ant (kind)

Nom. kalawulu*Nom.* pìpi*Nom.* sɔngiěantelope *Nom.* luuanthrax (millet
disease)*Nom.* wii bùanus *Nom.* bù gialaanvil *Nom.* kōro*Nom.* yeleany *Adjectif.* lenlen*Adjectif.* yiianyway *expre.* sɛ kɔn*Adverbe.* sɛnapart *Nom.* dɔmala*Adjectif.* gɔrɔnappeal *Verbe.* bii*Nom.* bíi*Verbe.* lɛ diaappear (sun) *Verbe.* bɔapply *Verbe.* da ... nɛ

appoint (a leader)

Verbe. koa

apprentice

Nom. daraa

wɔle

approach *Verbe.* mɔrɔ

aquatic snake

Nom. kanpaa

arable land

Nom. bɔmɔ

ardently desire

Verbe. wɔɔ

kurəə ... li

arm *Nom.* nyàaarmchair *Nom.* segelearrive *Verbe.* dɔarrow *Nom.* kiɛas *conjunction.* bé*Adverbe.* ka ...

lɔn

as soon as

Adverbe. gɔrɔ*Adverbe.* lɔn

gɔrɔ

as to *postposition.* sɛ

wɔ

ascend *Verbe.* diiash *Nom.* tonashamed *Verbe.* sɪi kũaside *Nom.* dɔmalaask *Verbe.* nòn da*Verbe.* nyankɔasleep *Verbe.* nyüu

wɔ

assassin *Nom.* gè-dɛli

assemble

Verbe. sɔkɔn

assembly

Nom. lɛsɔkɔnassist *Verbe.* dɔ ... lɛ

assistance

Nom. dɔmale

associate

Nom. doa-kɔn

astonishment

Nom. kaãbaaat *postposition.* li*Nom.* piɛ

at every moment

Adverbe. biikoo

tumaa

at once

Adverbe. kɛnɛn

kɛnɛn

at present

<i>Adverbe.</i> kanna	authority	avian plague
<i>Adverbe.</i> kəni	<i>Nom.</i> pàādɛnaa	<i>Nom.</i> zoarɛ
attach <i>Verbe.</i> doa	auxiliary used to	await <i>Verbe.</i> yii da
<i>Verbe.</i> yii	express the	away <i>Nom.</i> sɔsɔɔ
attach to each other	progressive	axe <i>Nom.</i> sɛmiɛ
<i>Verbe.</i> dɔ kɔn lɛ	aspect of the	<i>Nom.</i> zìn
attack <i>Verbe.</i> kasa kɔ	verb <i>aux.</i> goã	
attention (pay)	average height	
<i>Verbe.</i> mìi saa	<i>Adjectif.</i> binbiri	
lon	nbiin	

B - b

baboon <i>Nom.</i> kára	bad advice	bald <i>Nom.</i> baã
gɔngɔn	<i>Nom.</i> yiri	gere-a
baby <i>Nom.</i> nɛ tiɛɛn	kɔkɔɔ	ball <i>Nom.</i> balan
bachelor	bad deed <i>Nom.</i> sii	banana
<i>Nom.</i> giɔmɔs	baraa	<i>Nom.</i> barand
ɔ̃	bad intention	an
back <i>Nom.</i> dòɔ	<i>Nom.</i> yiri	bang on <i>Verbe.</i> tɔ
<i>Nom.</i> giala	baraa	... nɛ
back up	bad thought	bankrupt
<i>Verbe.</i> teləə	<i>Nom.</i> yiri	<i>Verbe.</i> mɛnaa
bad	naarɛ	baobab fruit
<i>Adjectif.</i> bara	bag <i>Nom.</i> boroo	<i>Nom.</i> kɔn nɛ
a	baket (small)	baobab seeds
<i>Adjectif.</i> bɔnɛ	<i>Nom.</i> kankaa	<i>Nom.</i> kɔn we
ɛ	n	baobab tree
<i>Adjectif.</i> gɛsɛ	balafon <i>Nom.</i> balan	<i>Nom.</i> kɔn

bar *Nom.* baara
 Barbet bird
Nom. too
 bàan
 bark *Nom.* fɔɔ
Verbe. gisĩ
 basin *Nom.* palan
 basket *Nom.* dɔɔ
Nom. kɛɛ
 basket (kind)
Nom. sonsol
 on
Nom. tièɛɛn
 basket (large)
Nom. kakaã
 basket for chicks
Nom. kɔngɔɔ
 bat *Nom.* don fòn
Nom. kion
 fòn
 Bater bird
Nom. sɔmaa
 bàan
 bathe *Verbe.* pii
 bathroom (go to
 the)
Verbe. lalaa
 kɔ
 baton *Nom.* bābala

Nom. bāla
 be *Verbe.* baa
Verbe. goã
 be a lot
Verbe. mɔnaa
 be absent
Verbe. wusu
 be active *Verbe.* gù
 kaa
Verbe. gù
 kiɛmaa nɛ
 be afraid
Verbe. nyéɛ
 baa
 be in gestation
Verbe. dii
 be in the process of
Verbe. tá a
 gialaa
 beam *Nom.* mɛn
 bean *Nom.* zii
 beans (white)
Nom. tɔɔn zii
 bear witness
Verbe. siére
 bɔ
 beard *Nom.* lɛ ka
 beat *Verbe.* dɛ

beautiful
Adjectif. sīni
 beauty
Nom. sīnbaa
 because
conjonction. a
 giala
 become *Verbe.* baa
 become many
Verbe. mɔnaa
 become thin
Verbe. pɛɛ
 bed *Nom.* gārən
Nom. líi
 bed of a river or
 stream
Nom. mu
 basa
 bee *Nom.* zoo
 beef *Nom.* dii
 beehive *Nom.* gōõ
 beer *Nom.* yɔ
 beer brewer
Nom. yɔɛna
 a
 beer maker
Nom. yɔɛna
 a
 before *Adverbe.* bin

Adverbe. bina
a
Adverbe. laan
Adverbe. lɛlɛ
Adverbe. nyɛɛ
nɛ
Adverbe. tɔn
Nom. ɣɔɔ-a

beg
Verbe. gòã-k
ũ da
Verbe. nyank
ɔ

beggar
Nom. nyankɔ
le

begin *Verbe.* gɪala
kɔ

beginning
Nom. gɪala

behind *Nom.* gɪala
Adverbe. kɪala
n
Adverbe. kio

belie *Verbe.* soɛ bɔ
belief
Nom. goleem
ali

believe

Verbe. golee
... li

bell *Nom.* toolo

belly *Nom.* nɔ̀

belly button
Nom. bùũ

below
postposition. g
iulun

belt
Nom. maabel
ɛ

bend *Nom.* bɔɔsaã
Verbe. kɔɔ
Verbe. kumə
ə

Verbe. pusu
Verbe. timəə

bend down
Verbe. zumə
ə

benefaction
Nom. bĩɛbaa

benefactor
Nom. bĩɛ-ba
ali

benefit *Nom.* là

bent *Adjectif.* kɔɔ

beside

postposition. g
enli
postposition. p
än li

better (get)
Verbe. soɛ

bicycle *Nom.* fɔɔ
sùì

big
Adjectif. adar
a
Adjectif. gole
Adjectif. kaar
a
Adjectif. kasiĩ

big termite *Nom.* bii

bike *Nom.* fɔɔ sùì

bilharzia
Nom. wasa

billy goat
Nom. bütuũ

bind to each other
Verbe. dɔ kɔn
lɛ

bird (generic)
Nom. bään

bishop (red)
Nom. bún tã

bit *Nom.* karafɔ

bit by bit

Adverbe. boε

boε

bite *Nom.* sɔn bǎã*Verbe.* sɔn dɔbite in several
places*Verbe.* wǔwoë

bitter

Adjectif. kɔɔs

ε

bitter for good
taste*Verbe.* lɛwɔn

nɛ...ganaa

black *Adjectif.* ti

black ant

Nom. bonbo

on tiin

black kite *Nom.* sía

nyənkë

black snake

Nom. zamant

i

black-bellied
bustard*Nom.* dewobε

rε

blacken *Verbe.* ti kɔ

black-smith

Nom. fuũ

bladder

Nom. mɔntɔnblade *Nom.* kùn

blanket

Nom. burunk

an

bless *Verbe.* barka

da ... ganaa

barka wɔ ...

nɛ

blessing

Nom. barkablind man *Nom.* yii

tere-a

block *Verbe.* tǎblood *Nom.* màblow *Verbe.* pië pɛ

blue

Adjectif. bɔla

a

blush *Verbe.* taãboa *Nom.* miε

golo

boast *Verbe.* din

gole kɔ

Verbe. din

koa

boat *Nom.* mu lañ

goo

Bobo people

Nom. Bobonbody *Nom.* gòɔnɔnbody part *Nom.* gùboil *Nom.* boree*Verbe.* pipibone *Nom.* we

bone marrow

Nom. sɛwɔbook *Nom.* séwε

born (to be)

Verbe. yε

borrow

Verbe. giòmɔ

saa

Verbe. nyɛnɛ

... la

boss

Nom. goledε

naa

bottom *Nom.* giala

kúnu

boundary *Nom.* dan*Nom.* gële

bow

Verbe. kumə
ə
Nom. sa
bow down
Verbe. pusu
bowl *Nom.* tasa
box *Nom.* goo
Nom. paki
boy *Nom.* negiĩ
Nom. neginin
bracelet *Nom.* zan
brag *Verbe.* din
koa
braid *Verbe.* tã
braided mat
Nom. pii
braided mat with
millet stalks
Nom. lenlèan
braided mat with
rods and
wood
Nom. katara
brain *Nom.* nyin
boro
Nom. yiri
branch *Nom.* da
güru
brandish

Verbe. pipiri
lon
brass *Nom.* zan
bravery
Nom. foo-taã
brawl *Nom.* zia
bread *Nom.* buuru
break *Verbe.* puru
Verbe. yiε
break (a container)
Verbe. yu
breast *Nom.* nyo
Nom. tiã
breast-feed
Verbe. nyo kɔ
... la
breath *Nom.* fɔfoã
breathe *Verbe.* piε
si
breathing
Nom. fɔfoã
breeder *Nom.* tɔɔn
too-li
brick *Nom.* toopaa
bricklayer
Nom. kion-d
ɔli
Nom. masɔn

bring *Verbe.* daa ...
nε
Verbe. woo
ne
bring together
Verbe. sɔkɔn
broom *Nom.* mεsε
broth *Nom.* kiri mu
brother
Nom. dɔŋgiĩ
Nom. miagiĩ
brother-in-law
Nom. goãngiĩ
brutality
Nom. kakaar
εbaa
bucket *Nom.* sóo
bucket for drawing
water
Nom. lonlong
a
buffalo *Nom.* don a
zù
build *Verbe.* dɔ
builder
Nom. kion-d
ɔli
Nom. masɔn
bull *Nom.* dii gölbɔ

bump *Nom.* gũũ

bundle

Nom. gɔn–yiiburden *Nom.* guĩburn *Verbe.* kukũ*Verbe.* tãburp *Nom.* gëræ

burp (to)

Verbe. gëræ

da

burst *Verbe.* purubury *Verbe.* bibush *Nom.* da

binbisin

Nom. tewonbushland *Nom.* donbushy *Adjectif.* kɛkɛ

bustard

Nom. dewobɛ

rɛ

but *expr v. .* á n

bɔ...nɛ

conjunction. s

ɛnɛ

butter *Nom.* nyɔɔ

butterfly

Nom. boronp

ian

buttock *Nom.* giala

kúnu

buy *Verbe.* pii

buyer

Nom. màn–pi

ili

C – c

cabbage *Nom.* sũu

cage for hens

Nom. zĩncake *Nom.* faranɛ*Nom.* gàtocalabash *Nom.* pán

calabash (seeds)

Nom. pán wecalf *Nom.* gòã

mɔtɔɔ

Nom. gòã

pondon

call *Verbe.* bii*Nom.* bí*Verbe.* lɛ diacalling *Nom.* bícalm *Verbe.* basã*Adjectif.* basië

nɛ

Adjectif. kĩni

calm (become)

Verbe. sabar

a baa

camel

Nom. nyɔɔma

a

can *Nom.* gongo

cannibalistic

magical

Nom. bonbol

e

canoe *Nom.* kurun*Nom.* mu lañ

goo

canton chief

Nom. gánadɛ

naa

car *Nom.* mubili

carbuncle

Nom. boree

careful (be)

Verbe. yiri bɔ

carefully
Adverbe. sɛlɛ
 ε

carp *Nom.* péré

carrot *Nom.* karɔti

carry *Verbe.* gũ
Verbe. saa

cart *Nom.* wotoro

cartridge *Nom.* gii

carve *Verbe.* sɛlɛ

cassava
Nom. bandak
 uu
Nom. gonde
Nom. pããma
 n kuu

cast *Nom.* toopaa
 bɔñ goo
Verbe. zũ

caste responsible for
 circumcision
 and excision
Nom. Kĩĩ

cat *Nom.* nɔɔn

catch *Verbe.* kũ
Verbe. yo

catechist
Nom. katara

caterpillar
Nom. boronp
 ian

catfish *Nom.* zòen

cattle *Nom.* dii

cause disgust
Verbe. tĩĩ bɔ

celebration
Nom. zón

certain day
expre. kɛa
 pinaa

certain day (a) *expr*
adv. ò kɔn
 pinaa

chain *Nom.* zòrɔka

chair *Nom.* dankan

chameleon
Nom. kɔrɔnk
 andamɔɔ

champion
Nom. gɔlɔ

change *Nom.* lonkɔ

character *Nom.* sòn

charcoal
Nom. tirikã

charlatan
Nom. boon

chat *Verbe.* sùn
 baa
Nom. sùnbaa

cheap
Adjectif. giòm
 ɔ kɔɔn

cheat
Nom. wurum
 u baa

cheating
Nom. koɛɛn

cheek *Nom.* pãã

chest *Nom.* tiã

chick *Nom.* koon
 nɛ
Nom. koon
 nɛ lóro

chicken coop
Nom. kukuru

chicken disease
Nom. zoarɛ

chief *Nom.* duutii

chief of the land
Nom. tándɛn
 aa

child *Nom.* nɛ
Nom. nɛnyaa
 n

childbearing

Nom. materni
te
childbirth
Nom. nε-yε
childhood
Nom. boεen
maa
chilli pepper
Nom. kirimu
n
chimney *Nom.* sĩa
chin *Nom.* letoro
choice *Nom.* foo sii
choose *Verbe.* bɔ
Verbe. gɔgɔɔ̃
church *Nom.* Lawa
a kion
cicada *Nom.* wasa
nε
circular
Adjectif. luuri
i
civil servant
Nom. kòmí
Nom. naasaa
ra di-nyali
claim *Verbe.* liε
claim a debt

Verbe. giòmɔ
liε
clamp *Verbe.* paraa
clarity
Nom. foaãba
a
claw *Nom.* gòon
tón
clay *Nom.* gí
clay jar *Nom.* tan
clay shelf
Nom. banbar
an
clean
Adjectif. yore
en
cleanliness
Nom. yoreen
baa
clear (very)
Adverbe. zen
zen
clear complexion
Adjectif. fofol
o
clearing land
Verbe. sawaa
bɔ
clearly

Adverbe. buə
buə
Adverbe. foaã
-foaã
clever person
Nom. yiriden
aa
climb *Verbe.* dii
close *Adjectif.* kunu
Verbe. tã
close (be)
Verbe. diri
cloud *Nom.* la bara
club *Nom.* dörɔ
clump of trees
Nom. tewon
coal *Nom.* tirikẽ
coat *Verbe.* kaa ...
la
cobra (red)
Nom. zamant
iẽn
cock *Nom.* koo sa
cock claw
Nom. pere
cockroach
Nom. kookaa
sa

cocoa *Nom.* kako
 coffee *Nom.* kafee
 coincide
 Verbe. kɔnpɛ
 cola nut *Nom.* wòro
 cold *Nom.* nɛn
 cold (get)
 Verbe. nyɛɛ
 collect
 Verbe. sɔkɔn
 collect (wood)
 Verbe. ɔɔ
 colour *Nom.* gòkɔn
 colt *Nom.* sùì luu
 comb
 Verbe. kukur
 u
 Verbe. mii
 wɔraa
 comb for carding
 Nom. karada
 combat *Verbe.* ɔɔ
 bɔ
 come *Verbe.* daa
 come back (make)
 Verbe. lɛ goa
 come from
 Verbe. bɔ

come out
 Verbe. soo
 come to a halt
 Verbe. golee
 comfort *Verbe.* foo
 wɔraa
 coming (the)
 Nom. daa
 command
 Nom. di-pɛ
 commit mischief
 Verbe. sii la
 commodity tax
 Nom. wusuru
 compact
 Verbe. muny
 əə
 companion
 Nom. mia
 competition
 Nom. zɔɔ kɔn
 complain
 Verbe. boo
 zuzuu da
 complete
 Verbe. nya
 compound *Nom.* kɛ
 compress
 Verbe. muny

əə
 comrade *Nom.* mia
 concerning
 postposition.
 wɔ pän li
 conclude
 Verbe. nyɔmɔ
 condition –maa
 conduct *Verbe.* da
 baa–a
 confide *Verbe.* kaa
 ... yelee
 confuse
 Verbe. lɔlɔkɔ
 n
 Verbe. sã
 consider *Verbe.* yiri
 kɔ
 console
 Verbe. basã
 Verbe. foo
 wɔraa
 consoled *Verbe.* foo
 basã
 contaminate
 Verbe. busu
 da
 continue
 Verbe. belebɔ

contract *Nom.* kiěen
 contribute
 Verbe. bobo
 cook *Verbe.* boso
 Verbe. kɔɾɛ
 Nom. kusinyɛ
 cooked *Verbe.* ma
 cooked leaf *Nom.* liɛ
 cookie *Nom.* gàto
 cooking pot
 Nom. barama
 cooking pot (big)
 Nom. fɔɔɔ dɔn
 cool down
 Verbe. nyɛɛ
 copper *Nom.* zan
 cord *Nom.* biɛ
 corn *Nom.* mɔɔsii
 corn seeds
 Nom. mɔɔsii
 nàn
 corner
 Nom. dɔndɔɔ
 n
 Nom. kanpiɛ
 n
 corpse *Nom.* gere
 correct

Verbe. zɛnaa
 correct by hitting (a
 child)
 Verbe. lele
 corrupt *Verbe.* bɔɔ
 costume
 Nom. dɔnkɛ
 cotton *Nom.* koara
 cotton fibres
 Nom. koara
 bù
 cotton plant
 Nom. koara
 da
 Coucal bird
 Nom. kokoro
 tiěn
 cough *Nom.* tɔɔ
 Verbe. tɔɔ wɔ
 count *Verbe.* nimi
 country *Nom.* gána
 courage
 Nom. foo-taã
 courageous
 Nom. foo
 kaka dɛnaa
 court *Nom.* sumu
 Verbe. wɔ ...
 lɛ

courtyard
 Nom. sumu
 couscous *Nom.* basi
 Nom. foãfoã
 Nom. nyɛnya
 n
 cousin
 Nom. dɔɔngiĩ
 Nom. dɔɔnɔ
 cover *Verbe.* kɔ ...
 lɛ
 Verbe. kumə
 ə
 cow *Nom.* dii
 co-wife
 Nom. miagoã
 cowries *Nom.* paa
 Nom. paawe
 crack *Verbe.* toě
 crawl
 Verbe. kurum
 aa
 crazy
 Adjectif. gäãn
 aa
 cream (from cow's
 milk)
 Nom. nàari
 credit *Nom.* giɔmɔ

cricket *Nom.* bìn
 cringe *Verbe.* sɔ
 kere bɔ
 crocodile
 Nom. basa
 crook *Verbe.* pusu
 cross *Verbe.* kuru
 crouch
 Verbe. zumə
 ə
 crowd *Nom.* zaman
 crumple
 Verbe. mama
 a
 Verbe. nyɔsɔ̃
 kɔn
 crush *Verbe.* lɔ
 Verbe. tɛmaa
 cry *Nom.* bubui
 Verbe. wuu

pɛ

cuckoo *Nom.* birii
 bàan
 cultivate *Verbe.* buu
 kɔsɔ
 cup *Nom.* kaaran
 cure *Verbe.* busu
 nya
 curse (by an act)
 Verbe. taã wɔ
 curse (in words)
 Verbe. lɛn
 baraa bii
 cushion *Nom.* pìti
 custom *Nom.* landa
 Nom. lɛ mui
 sii
 customary chief
 Nom. kiwidɛn
 aa

customary feast
 Nom. koo-dɛ
 cut *Verbe.* kuru
 Verbe. sɛlɛ
 cut at once
 Verbe. na
 cut by *Verbe.* wɔsɔ
 cut into small
 pieces
 Verbe. zɔzɔ
 cut off *Verbe.* pɔɔ
 cut with blows of an
 axe
 Verbe. yawaa
 cutlass *Nom.* kuku
 cutting
 Nom. kaaran

D - d

dad *Nom.* di
 Nom. díi
 Dafing language
 Nom. Dafin
 Dafings people
 Nom. Dafin

damage
 Nom. basaã
 damp *Nom.* buruu
 dance *Nom.* bɛ̀
 darken *Verbe.* ti kɔ
 darkness *Nom.* tɛ̀lo

date palm
 Nom. teön
 daughter-in-law
 Nom. manaa
 dawadawa flour
 Nom. kùsi

wùsu
dawadawa pods
Nom. koë
dawadawa pulp
Nom. takɔɔ
dawadawa
seasoning
Nom. kayekir
i
dawadawa seeds
Nom. kàye
dawadawa tree
Nom. koë da
dawn *Nom.* fagiri
Nom. wɔɔ
fulii-a
day *Nom.* laawaa
Nom. pii
Nom. pinaa
Nom. pinin
day (a certain) *expr*
adv. n̄ kɔn
pinaa
day after tomorrow
Nom. bië laan
day before
yesterday
Nom. giĩ
dead *Nom.* gè

dead (to be)
Verbe. foo
kuru
dead animal not
slaughtered
Nom. zéwɔ
deaf mute person
Nom. too
tere-a
death *Nom.* gè
debt *Nom.* giòmɔ
decay *Verbe.* bɔɔ
deceive
Verbe. bebel
e
Verbe. sā
decoration
Nom. nyän
decrease
Verbe. basã
Verbe. màn
bɔ ɛ
deep
Adjectif. zuzu
lu
deepness
Nom. zuzulu
baa
defame *Verbe.* bië

ko
defeat *Verbe.* naa
defect *Nom.* wɔɔ
defence *Nom.* gè
dòo
deflate *Verbe.* pië
soo
delay *Verbe.* ɔɔɔ
delegate
Nom. goledɛ
naa
delimitation
Nom. gèle
delivery *Nom.* nɛ-yɛ
demand *Verbe.* liɛ
demolish
Verbe. zizië
demon *Nom.* nòɔn
dense *Adjectif.* keke
deny *Verbe.* nɛn
wa
Verbe. nu
Verbe. piã
departure
Nom. woo
depth
Nom. zuzulu
baa

descend *Verbe.* gisĩ

despite

conjunction. a
laanɛ

destroy

Verbe. wuru
Verbe. ziziĩ

destroyed by

witchcraft

Verbe. zaãba
adetach *Verbe.* foredetest *Verbe.* baa

zóɔ

Devil *Nom.* Setaandew *Nom.* pele*Nom.* pɛɛdiarrhoea *Verbe.* bù

saã

did you? táa

die *Verbe.* gã

different

Adjectif. tɔtɔ

difficult situation

Nom. sii kakadig *Verbe.* demaa*Verbe.* fĩ

dig or remove soil

Verbe. gɔsɛdignity *Nom.* barkadilute *Verbe.* yia

diminish

Verbe. màn
bɔ ɛDioula *Nom.* dala

diphthong

Nom. dää
baalindirt *Nom.* gò

dirty

Adjectif. gɔgɔ
rɛ*Verbe.* tii

dirty water parasite

Nom. yii sã
mɔrɛɛ

disabled

Nom. bɔɔkadisagreement (put
into)*Verbe.* kaa
kɔn

disappear

Verbe. papaãdisciple *Nom.* daraa

wɔle

discouraged

Verbe. foo

ziziĩ

discuss *Verbe.* liere

kɔ

Verbe. sùn

baa

discussion

Nom. lieredisease *Nom.* busudisgust *Nom.* tĩĩ*Verbe.* tĩĩ bɔdisobey *Verbe.* tii

dispensary

Nom. dagoã

kion

disperse

Verbe. pɛsɛ*Verbe.* sawaa

display

Verbe. nyɔma

a

disrupt

Verbe. ɔɔkɔ

n

distaste *Nom.* tĩĩ

distinction

Nom. bɔkɔnɛdistrict *Nom.* dala

ditch *Nom.* yala
 dive into the water
Verbe. yii sã
 divide *Verbe.* gii
 divide by *Verbe.* gii
 kɔn
 divide into several
 parts
Verbe. tatala
 divide into two
 parts
Verbe. tala
 divided part
Nom. talɛɛ
 divorce *Verbe.* na
 kɔn
 do *Verbe.* zɛnaa
 do not *préd nég.* a
 ... wa
préd nég. ba
 ... wa
 baran ... wa
préd
nég. nyan ...
 wa
 do not want
Verbe. ba ...
 li ... wa
 do quickly

Verbe. nanaa
 do this *Verbe.* màn
 kɛ pɛ
 doctor
Nom. dɔɔɔɔɔ
 dog *Nom.* gin
 don't baran ... wa
préd
nég. nyan ...
 wa
 donkey
Nom. dundu
 n
 door *Nom.* kienlɛ
 door (swing)
Nom. kienlɛ-
 aň goo
 dove
Nom. dangɔl
 ɔn
Nom. kion
 bàn
Nom. zɛɛkan
 toan
 downy mildew
 (millet
 disease)
Nom. dɔlɔka
 dowry (give the)

Verbe. gɔn si
 drag on the floor
Verbe. giɛraa
 draw (water)
Verbe. mu
 baã
 draw near
Verbe. mɔɔɔ
 dream *Verbe.* narɛ
Nom. narɛɛ
 dress *Nom.* dɔnkɛ
Nom. mɔnaa
 drink *Verbe.* mi
 drip *Verbe.* doo
 drive *Verbe.* da
 baa-a
 drive away
Verbe. loo
Verbe. lui
 drive someone out
 of the house
Verbe. da zii
 dromedary
Nom. nyɔɔma
 a
 drop *Verbe.* doo
Verbe. mɛnaa
 drug *Nom.* dagoã

drum
Nom. **damale**
n
Nom. **dindin**
Nom. **dundu**
Nom. **gunbi**
Nom. **mää**

drum (for kids)
Nom. **gangan**

drum (kind)
Nom. **kolenk**
olen

drum cylindrical and
 long)

Nom. **egerε**

dry *Adjectif.* **gere**

dry (to) *Verbe.* **laa**

dry couscous
Nom. **basi**

dry pods of
 dawadawa
Nom. **kùsi**

dry season
Nom. **taãlan**

dry twigs
Nom. **gagasa**

dry up *Verbe.* **pië**

duck *Nom.* **don**
tɔnkɔn
Nom. **tɔnkɔn**

duck (kind of)
Nom. **sεwɔ**
nyindolo

dusk *Nom.* **wasa**
yii siε-a

dust *Nom.* **gusuũ**

E - e

each *Adjectif.* **min**
gogoon

each moment
Adverbe. **biik**
oo woo
biikoo

each other **kɔn**

each time
Adverbe. **pap**
aa

eagle
Nom. **giogial**
atã-a

eagle (Wahlberg's)
Nom. **dənsə**

ear *Nom.* **too**

earlier
Adverbe. **bina**
a

early *Adverbe.* **lɛlɛ**

early in the
 morning
Nom. **baayεlɛ**
yiisoone

earth *Nom.* **tán**

earthen pot

Nom. **tàan**

east *Nom.* **lègiala**

easy *Adjectif.* **koo**

eat *Verbe.* **bii**
Verbe. **sõ**

eat when you are
 already full
Verbe. **gεgε**
 ... **ganaa**

ebony tree
Nom. **nεmiε**

echo *Nom.* **niinaa**

edge *Nom.* **lɛkoro**

edge of (on the)
Adverbe. lɛ-a
 edible plant species
Nom. bɔɔɔ
Nom. karaka
 ǎ
 educate
Verbe. daraa
Verbe. dorɔ
 eel *Nom.* mɔmɔ
 effort (to make an)
Verbe. doa
 egg *Nom.* g̀i
 eggplant
 indigenous
Nom. basa
 egret *Nom.* gɔgɔɔ
 fuiin
 eight
numéral. kiwi
 si
 elbow *Nom.* g̀uru lɛ
 elder *Nom.* nɛ
 goledɛnaa
 eldest *Nom.* nɛ
 goledɛnaa
 elephant *Nom.* don
 a díi

embrace *Verbe.* sɔɔ
 ... nɛ
 empty
Verbe. binyəə
Adjectif. koo
Nom. kooro
 encampment of
 Fulani
Nom. zĩǎ
 enclose
Verbe. lɛnpɛn
 ɛ
 encourage
 someone
Verbe. para
 pɛ
 end *Verbe.* nya
 ending up
Verbe. nɔmaa
 enemy *Nom.* zɔɔ
 enlighten
Verbe. fulu
 enough (be)
Verbe. bɔ
 entente *Nom.* kɔn
 wɔ ma
 enter *Verbe.* wɔ
 entrance
Nom. kiɛnlɛ

entreat
Verbe. gòǎ-k
 ũ da
 entrench
Verbe. pɔɔɔ
 entrust *Verbe.* koa
 ... li
 erase *Verbe.* tuturu
 error *Nom.* sǎ
 ertain *Adjectif.* kɔn
 erupt *Verbe.* puru
 escape *Verbe.* baa
 si
Verbe. sɔɔɔ ...
 nɛ
 even *Adjectif.* din
 even if
conjonction. h
 aale
conjonction. t
 a
 even more so
conjonction. s
 anparɛ
 evening
Nom. wasami
 ɛnɛ
 ever

Adverbe. dud
uu
every
Adjectif. lenle
n
Adjectif. yii
everybody
Adjectif. min
gogoon
everyday
Adverbe. bara
abaraa
everyone **didie**
Adjectif. min
gogoon
everywhere
Adverbe. bǎã
yii ni
evil
Adjectif. bara
a
evil spirit
Nom. nòɔn
exceed (quantity)
Verbe. kiĩ ...

la
except *expr v.* . á n
bɔ...nɛ
yáa
exchange
Verbe. lon kɔ
Nom. lonkɔ
exclamation
interj. haa
exclamation of
astonishment
interj. haya
excluding yáa
excrement *Nom.* bù
Nom. gò
excuse
Verbe. sabar
a baa
excuse me
interj. kaarɛ
exile
Verbe. penpe
len da
exist *Verbe.* goã

exit *Nom.* soo
Verbe. soo
expect *Verbe.* yii da
expensive
Adjectif. kaka
exploit
Verbe. menaa
... la
exploits others
Nom. menaa
mala wole
extinguish
Verbe. nimi
extraordinary thing
Nom. bàlɔɔ
eye *Nom.* yii
eyebrow *Nom.* yii
kasa
eyelash *Nom.* yii
kasa

F – f

fabric *Nom.* mɔnaa

face *Nom.* ɔɔɔ
face to face with

Nom. ɔɔɔ-a
fail *Verbe.* fɔ

faint *Verbe.* kere
 faith
 Nom. goleem
 ali
 fall *Verbe.* menaa
 fall (several things)
 Verbe. kaa
 fall down
 Verbe. menaa
 fall in *Verbe.* do ...
 ne
 fall in small drops
 Verbe. kaa
 pɔsɛpɔsɛ
 fall on *Verbe.* me la
 falling of the night
 Verbe. tɛlo kɔ
 falsehood *Nom.* soɛ
 family member
 Nom. doŋn
 famine *Nom.* bɔo
 fan
 Nom. penpea
 n
 far *Nom.* sɔsɔɔ
 far away
 Nom. sɔsɔɔ
 farm *Verbe.* buu

kɔɔ
Verbe. woɛ
 farmer
 Nom. buu-kɔ
 sɔli
 Nom. tɔɔn
 too-li
 fart *Nom.* tɔn
 Nom. tɔɔ
 fart (to) *Verbe.* tɔɔ
 bɔ
 fashion *Nom.* gɔn
 fast *Verbe.* le sɔɔ
 Verbe. sũ
 wɔ
 fast (to walk)
 Adverbe. dod
 odo
 fasten *Verbe.* doa
 Verbe. sɔɔ
 Verbe. yii
 fat *Adjectif.* kasiɛ
 Nom. siĩ nyɔɔ
 fat (get)
 Verbe. kasã
 father *Nom.* díi
 father (Catholic)
 Nom. mupɛɛ

father's sister
 Nom. dɛlan
 father-in-law
 Nom. daãgiĩ
 fatigue
 Nom. nɔmaa
 fault *Nom.* sã
 Nom. sii
 baraa
 Nom. zɛɛɛ
 fear *Nom.* nyɛɛ
 Verbe. nyɛɛ
 baa
 feast *Nom.* zɔn
 feather *Nom.* ka
 feed *Verbe.* too
 feel *Verbe.* dɔ
 Verbe. giĩ ma
 fellow human
 Nom. mia
 female *Adjectif.* dan
 fetish *Nom.* da
 Nom. dagoã
 Nom. di
 fever (to have)
 Verbe. gɔnɔn
 wɔ
 fiancée *Nom.* nenie

Nom. san
 field (new) *Nom.* sɔ́
 field around the
 house
Nom. goèrɛ
 field at home
Nom. goèrɛ
 field of an
 individual
Nom. bala
 fig tree (kind of)
Nom. gɔ́ɔ
 fig tree (kind)
Nom. yirimu
 fight *Nom.* ɔɔ
Verbe. ɔɔ bɔ
 fight in a group
Verbe. paã ...
 ganaa
 fighting *Nom.* ɔɔ
 figure *Nom.* màn
 nimiñ séwɛ
 nɛ
 filed far away from
 the home
Nom. wuru
 fill in *Verbe.* pã
 fill up *Verbe.* pã
 filly *Nom.* sùì luu

filter *Verbe.* sɔɔ
 finally
Adverbe. kəni
 find *Verbe.* sɔɔɔ
Verbe. yaa
Verbe. yɛ
 finger *Nom.* gòon
 finish *Verbe.* nya
Verbe. nyɔɔɔ
 finish by
Verbe. nɔmaa
 fire *Nom.* tɛ
 firefly *Nom.* kasan
 yoen
 fireplace *Nom.* kùsi
Nom. siã
 firewood *Nom.* tɛ
 koaň gɔɔ
 first
Adjectif. bibin
 aa
Adverbe. bibi
 naanɛ
Adverbe. bɔɔɔ
 first rooster crowing
 (04:30)
Nom. koonən
 wuu pɛ

bibinaa
 firstly
Adverbe. bibi
 naanɛ
 fish *Nom.* zò
 fish (to) *Verbe.* tà
 baa
 fish eagle *Nom.* mu
 lañ
 giogialatã–a
 fish hook
Nom. koèñ
 fisher bird
Nom. taban
 fisherman
Nom. tà–baal
 i
 fishing basket
Nom. zìn
 fishing specialist
Nom. bòson
 fitness
Nom. kakaba
 a
 five
numéral. soor
 o
 five CFA franc coin
Nom. wɔɔɔ

goon
 flag *Nom.* zanzan
 flame *Nom.* tɛ buõ
 flank *Nom.* kolo
 flat wood *Nom.* goo
 flatter
 Verbe. bebel
 e
 flavour *Verbe.* nen
 da
 flavourless
 Adjectif. tɛtɛ
 flay *Verbe.* ki bɔ
 flea *Nom.* gĩn
 flee *Verbe.* baa si
 flip *Verbe.* bɔyaa
 flour *Nom.* wùsu
 flour debris during
 the
 preparation of
 the beer
 Nom. baasa
 flow *Verbe.* kiẽ
 flower *Nom.* buũ
 flute *Nom.* pìi
 fly *Nom.* nyuun
 fly away *Verbe.* piẽ
 fly off *Verbe.* piẽ

flying squirrel
 Nom. gasanf
 urun
 foam *Nom.* kàã
 fog *Nom.* furumu
 fold *Verbe.* timəə
 folk-tale *Nom.* nyin
 follow *Verbe.* kɔ ...
 lɛ
 folly *Nom.* gǎän
 fonio *Nom.* pi
 fontanel *Nom.* baã
 fontanelle *Nom.* baã
 food
 Nom. mǎn-bi
 i
 food potash
 Nom. sɔmaa
 fool
 Adjectif. gǎän
 aa
 Adjectif. gɛsɛ
 foolish
 Adjectif. naar
 ɛ
 foot *Nom.* gòã
 for *conjonction.* a
 giala

force *Verbe.* nia
 woone
 forefather
 Nom. digolo
 forehead
 Nom. nyanlɛ
 foreign *Adjectif.* tii
 foreigner *Nom.* tii
 forest *Nom.* daã
 forge *Nom.* fuũn
 goo
 forget *Verbe.* yiri
 bɔ
 forgive *Verbe.* bĩẽ
 kɔ
 Verbe. sabara
 baa
 fork *Nom.* furuseti
 fork of a tree
 Nom. kara
 form pus
 Verbe. nyin
 kɔ
 fortune *Nom.* gɔn
 mǎn
 four *numéral.* sii
 free *Verbe.* kaa
 fresh

Adjectif. nyan
 toto
 fried
Adjectif. papa
 rεε
 friend *Nom.* giaára
 friend (man)
Nom. giaárag
 iĩ
 friend (woman)
Nom. giaáral
 ɔ
 friendship
Nom. giaárab
 aa
 fright *Nom.* nyée
 frighten
Verbe. nyée
 da

fringe *Nom.* pàsa
 frog
Nom. laparaa
 n nε
 frog species
Nom. bɔraa
Nom. büburu
Nom. sɔmɔn
Nom. woo
Nom. wuluka
 muẽ
Nom. yòn
Nom. yonsa
 from *Adverbe.* lɔn
 gɔɔ
 fruit *Nom.* da nε
 fry
Verbe. papar
 ε

fuel *Verbe.* tε zĩ
 Fulani *Nom.* fɔlɔ
 fulfil *Verbe.* pã
 full
Adjectif. tum
 u
 fun (have)
Verbe. sàn kɔ
 funeral *Nom.* gèbaa
 furuncle
Nom. boree
 future *Nom.* biẽ
aux. die
 future (mark) re

G - g

gag *Nom.* karafɔ
 gain *Nom.* là
 game *Nom.* sàn
 game bag
Nom. bɔnaa
 gaol *Nom.* kòso
 garbage *Nom.* gεεε

Nom. gò
Nom. yisi
 garbage heap
Nom. tonton
 garden *Nom.* dù
 gɔɔ
 garment

Nom. dɔnkε
 gather *Verbe.* goa
Verbe. pã
Verbe. sɔkɔn
 gazelle *Nom.* tiã
 gazelle (kind)
Nom. wore

gecko
Nom. gɔmʉs
 ooro

gendarme
Nom. zandar
 mu

genealogy
Nom. tɔɔ
 basa

generous person
Nom. bĩẽ-ba
 ali

gestation (be in)
Verbe. dii

gesture *Nom.* bìn

get *Verbe.* yaa

get angry
Verbe. foo bɔ
Verbe. foo-y
 oo

get better
Verbe. soɛ

get cold
Verbe. nyɛɛ

get dark *Verbe.* tɛlo
 kɔ

get dirty *Verbe.* tii

get old *Verbe.* zizi
 kɔ

get ready to act
Verbe. doa

get sick
Verbe. busu
 kɔ

get stuck
Verbe. gɛwaa
Verbe. kɛmɛ

get up *Verbe.* yoo
Verbe. yoo
 lon

ghost *Nom.* nyin
 telenboen

gift *Nom.* bĩẽ

girl *Nom.* nɛɔ
Nom. nɛnɛn

girl (young lady)
Nom. nɛniɛ

give *Verbe.* gɔ
Verbe. kɔ ...
 la

give a kick
Verbe. gòã
 tɔ-a

give an order
Verbe. di pɛ

give birth
Verbe. gisĩ
Verbe. nɛ yɛ

give credit
Verbe. taãn
 kɔ ... la

give the dowry
Verbe. gɔn si

give up *Verbe.* toa

gizzard *Nom.* giäla

gleam *Verbe.* tɛ pɛ

glue *Verbe.* naa

gluttonous
Nom. màn-bi
 ili

go *Verbe.* woo

go ahead
Verbe. woo
 nyɛnɛ

go astray
Verbe. papaã

go away
 (imperative)
Verbe. tá

go down *Verbe.* gisĩ

go out *Verbe.* soo

go through
Verbe. bɔ
Verbe. bɔ ka

go to meet
Verbe. da ...
 lɛ

go to the toilet

Verbe. lalaa

kɔ

goal *Nom.* miigoat *Nom.* bɛ̀eGod *Nom.* Lawa

going bankrupt

Verbe. menaa

goitre

Nom. foroma

a

gold *Nom.* sanagood *Nom.* bĩě*Adjectif.* kɔñ*Adjectif.* kɔñ

ε

Adjectif. pepe

re

Adjectif. siini*Adjectif.* sonb

ore

Adverbe. sɔnb

ɔraa

Adverbe. sɔnb

ɔraane

good deed *Nom.* sii

sonbore

good luck (to have)

Verbe. gɛɛsi

ε bɔ

Good News

Nom. boo tii

kɔñ

Nom. ivanziligoods *Nom.* gɔn

màn

Gospel *Nom.* boo tii

kɔñ

Nom. ivanziligossip *Verbe.* sè pegourd *Nom.* tɔn

gourd (small)

Nom. toãn

gourmand

Nom. màn-bi

ili

Gourounsi people

Nom. Paãgrab *Verbe.* kũ*Verbe.* yograce *Nom.* bĩě

gradually

Adverbe. boε

boε

grain of millet

Nom. wii nà

grain of rice

Nom. mɛɛ

nàn

granary

Nom. doěñ*Nom.* dɔn

granddaughter

Nom. nɔɔn

grandfather

Nom. dígole

grandmother

Nom. doolo*Nom.* náagol

e

grandson

Nom. nɔɔngranite *Nom.* gèfugrape *Nom.* toogrape tree *Nom.* too

da

grapefruit

Nom. lenburu

n

grass *Nom.* buu

grasshopper

Nom. bisin

grasshopper (kind)

Nom. kàwɔ

kɔɔ

grate *Verbe.* gasaã

grave *Nom.* gere
yala

gravel *Nom.* gèpen
Nom. kɔɔ
bisin

graveyard
Nom. geren
biñ bǎã

gray sparrow
Nom. sɔban

grease *Nom.* sīĩ
nyɔɔ

greedy
Nom. mǎn-bi
ili

green (unripe)
Adjectif. buru
n

green snake
Nom. lɔn miε

greet *Verbe.* fòo da

greeting *Nom.* fòo

grief
Nom. lapapar
εε

grill *Verbe.* tǎ

grind *Verbe.* ɔ

grindstone *Nom.* wii
lɔñ gii

griot *Nom.* dɔmɔ

groan *Verbe.* gini

groping to seek
Verbe. gɔn
talaa

ground *Nom.* tán

ground (on the)
Nom. furun

ground peas
Nom. yüu
lolon

groundnut
Nom. tiǎn
Nom. yüu

group *Nom.* kuru

group leader
Nom. goledε
naa

grow *Verbe.* buu
kɔɔɔ

grow (plants)
Verbe. bɔ

grow ears (millet)

Verbe. furu

grow leaves
Verbe. pǎ

growl *Verbe.* paraa

gruel *Nom.* fùũ

grumble
Verbe. zuũzu
ũ si

guard *Nom.* garadi

guava *Nom.* buyaki
Nom. goave

guess *Verbe.* dǎ

guest *Nom.* zàtii

guilt *Nom.* zèrε

guinea fowl
Nom. gǎ

guinea worm
Nom. lɔɔ

guitar *Nom.* gitaarε

gums *Nom.* tüũ
gòã

gun *Nom.* marafɔ

gutter *Nom.* tɔɔ

habit *Nom.* lɛ mui
sii

habit of (have the)
Verbe. lɛ mui
... nɛ

hair *Nom.* ka
Nom. mii ka

half *Nom.* lɛkara
Nom. talɛɛ

hammer
Nom. marato

hand *Nom.* gɔn

handkerchief
Nom. tapara

hang *Verbe.* ɔɔ

hangar *Nom.* siã

hanky *Nom.* tapara

happen
Verbe. zɛnaa

happy *expre.* foo
kɔŋn
Verbe. foo
kɔŋn kɔ
Verbe. nyɛny
ɛɛ

hard *Adjectif.* kaka
Adjectif. kɛnk
ɛn

hard situation
Nom. sii kaka

hare *Nom.* fuiñ

harm *Verbe.* kasa
kɔ

harmattan
Nom. taãlan
piẽ

harp *Nom.* tùtu

harvest
Verbe. yawaa

hat *Nom.* bafolo

hat woven with
herbs
Nom. binbiri

hate *Verbe.* baa
zɔɔ

have *Verbe.* yɛ

have luck
Verbe. mii
kɔŋn kɔ

have mercy
Verbe. makar
ɛ kũ

have the habit of
Verbe. lɛ mui
... nɛ

have to yáa

hawk *Nom.* sía

haze *Nom.* furumu

he *Pronom.* a
Pronom. aɛɛ

he, she
pro(+préd). á

head *Nom.* mii

heal *Verbe.* busu
nya
Verbe. kirisib
aa

healer
Nom. busu-n
yali

health
Nom. kakaba
a

healthy
Adjectif. gege
re
Adjectif. kaka
Adverbe. lon

heap of rubbish
Nom. tonton

heap up *Verbe.* kaa
kɔn la

hear *Verbe.* ma
Verbe. too kɔ

heart *Nom.* koron
 heart of the stalk
Nom. làpaa
 bù
 hearth *Nom.* küsi
 hearth stone
Nom. küsi
 kɔɔ
 heat *Verbe.* wõ
 heavy
Adjectif. gug
 uru
 hedge *Nom.* karasa
Nom. suuru
 hedgehog
Nom. kuru
 heel *Nom.* gòã
 toro
 heir
Nom. kíě–saa
 li
 help *Verbe.* dɔ ...
 lɛ
Nom. dɔmalɛ
Nom. gu
 help each other
Verbe. dɔ kɔn
 lɛ
 helping to carry

Verbe. yu
 hen *Nom.* koo
 hen house
Nom. kukuru
 hepatitis *Nom.* ɔɔ
 busu
 herbal tea *Nom.* sò
 here *expr v.* . á ke
Adverbe. kàn
 aa
Adverbe. yala
 a
 here is *interj.* ke
 heritage *Nom.* kíě
 hernia *Nom.* bunu
 Heron *Nom.* bɔɔ
 pɔɔnaa
 heron bird
Nom. taban
 herself *Adjectif.* din
Adjectif. dinm
 aa
 hiccough
Verbe. susun
 bɔ
 hiccup *Nom.* susun
Verbe. susun
 bɔ

hide *Verbe.* duru
Verbe. duru
 hiding place
Nom. durii
 high *Adjectif.* sasa
Adjectif. sɔɔɔɔ
 ɔ
 hill *Nom.* tenten
 him *Pronom.* aɛ
 himself *Adjectif.* din
Adjectif. dinm
 aa
pro réfl. n
 hip *Nom.* bɔɔɔ
 hip joint
Nom. tanbɛn
 hippopotamus
Nom. bərə
 hire *Verbe.* saa
 his, her
possessive. a
 History *Nom.* lɛlɛ
 boo
 hit *Verbe.* dɛ
 hit hard *Verbe.* mæ
 hit with a stick
Verbe. duwæ
 hoarse (to be)

Verbe. soe kɔ
 Hobby falcon
Nom. sían
 tiěŋ
 hoe *Nom.* kána
Verbe. woě
 hold *Verbe.* kũ
 holder of magic
 products
Nom. dagoã-
 bɔle
 hole *Nom.* yala
Nom. yankɔɔ
 hollow
Nom. kəərən
Nom. yankɔɔ
 hollow of the rock
Nom. kɔɔ
 home *Nom.* piɛ
 hone *Nom.* lɛlɛ
 honey *Nom.* zoo
 nyɔɔ
 hook *Verbe.* ɔɔ
 hoopoe (species of
 bird)
Nom. bàanan
 koo sa
 horn *Nom.* bɛn

Hornbill *Nom.* di
 kɔnkɔn
Nom. kən
 Hornbill (grey)
Nom. téloo
 horse *Nom.* sùì
 hospital
Nom. dagoã
 kion
 host *Nom.* zàtìì
 host of people
Nom. zaman
 hostess *Nom.* zàtìì
 hot *Adjectif.* fuu
Verbe. tɛ fuu
 bɔ
 hour *Nom.* biikoo
Nom. lɛɛɛ
 house *Nom.* kion
Nom. piɛ
 house wall
Nom. kion
 gòŋkɔn
 hover
Verbe. kɔɔna
 a
 how *Adverbe.* lɔn
 how many?

adv(interr). gi
 a
 how much
adv(interr). gi
 a
 hug *Verbe.* sɔɔ ...
 nɛ
 hull *Verbe.* pɔɔɔ
 human being
Nom. minbuii
 n
 humidity
Nom. buruu
 hundred *Nom.* bien
 hunger *Nom.* bòo
 hungry for meat
Nom. sī boro
 hungry person
Nom. bòonaa
 hunt *Nom.* dɔ
 hunter
Nom. don-ba
 ali
 hunting *Nom.* dɔ
 hurricane lamp
Nom. bólon
 tàan
Nom. lanpan

hurry (be in a)

Verbe. yii fuuhurry up *Verbe.* baa
fuuhurt *Verbe.* busu*Verbe.* papar

ε

Verbe. sɔɔhusband *Nom.* zuũhusk (husk of cereal
seeds)*Nom.* kaásahustle *Verbe.* ɲɔɔ*Verbe.* nyana

a

hut *Nom.* kionhyena *Nom.* kuruu

| - i

I *Pronom.* ma*Pronom.* má

idleness

Nom. yoobaaidol *Nom.* dagoã*Nom.* dî

if

conjunction. b

è

illness *Nom.* busu

illuminate

Verbe. fuluimagine *Verbe.* pɛ*Verbe.* taasɛ

imbecile

Adjectif. naar

ε

imitate *Verbe.* saa

... li

immediately

Adverbe. kɛnɛ

nɛnɛn

immigrant

Nom. gùli

important

Adjectif. adar

a

Adjectif. kaar

a

improve *Verbe.* woo

nyɛɛnɛ

in *Nom.* gɔ̃

-n

postposition. n

ε

postposition. n

i

in any case

expre. sɛ kɔn*Adverbe.* sɛn

in any event

expre. sɛ kɔn*Adverbe.* sɛn

in front of

Adverbe. nyɛɛ

nɛ

Nom. yɔɔɔ-a

in order that

conjunction. ñ

giɛ

in spite of

conjunction. a

laanɛ

in the first place

Adverbe. bibi

naanɛ

in vain

Adverbe. kon

koreen

incise *Verbe.* kuru

incite *Nom.* sɔmɔ
 indigo plant
Nom. gàra
 induce *Verbe.* ga ...
 lɛ
Nom. sɔmɔ
 inexpensive
Adjectif. giòm
 ɔ kɔŋn
 infancy
Nom. boɛɛn
 maa
 inflate (tire)
Verbe. piẽ dɔ
 inform *Verbe.* gɔn
 waa...nɛ
 informal talk
Nom. sùnbaa
 inhale *Verbe.* piẽ si
 inheritance
Nom. kíẽ
 inheritor
Nom. kíẽ-saa
 li
 inject *Verbe.* kaa ...
 nɛ
Verbe. nyàa
 fɔ
 injection to a

patient
Verbe. fɔ
 injure *Verbe.* foo
 baa la
Verbe. sɔɔ
 injury *Nom.* busulɛ
 in-law *Nom.* daãn
 innumerable
Adjectif. dam
 atan
 insane
Adjectif. gään
 aa
 insanity *Nom.* gään
 insect *Nom.* màn
 yiikoonaa
 binbisin
 inside *Nom.* góɔ
postposition. n
 ɛ
 inside cheek
Nom. kára
 instantly
Adverbe. kɛnɛ
 nkenɛn
 instruct
Verbe. daraa
 insulated
Adjectif. zere

n
 insult *Nom.* sɔ
Verbe. sɔ kɔ
 insult while
 inhaling
Verbe. kíɛɔɔ
 da
 intelligence
Nom. yiri
 intelligent person
Nom. yiridɛn
 aa
 intensity mark dɛ
 koe
 interjection
interj. kanaa
interj. ke
 interjection to
 captivate the
 listener's
 interest
interj. kaa
 intermediary
Nom. zɛɛ
 intermediate
Nom. zɛɛ
 interrogative
 particle ya
 intersect *Verbe.* là

kakanaa
inter-space
Nom. **baan**
intestine *Nom.* **nàn**
ircumcise
Verbe. **kuru**
iron *Nom.* **ƒɔɔ**
is *préd.* **bé**
lɛa

is not *préd nég.* **bie**
... wa
isolated
Adjectif. **zere**
n
it *pro-dém.* **bɛ**
it is *préd.* **nɛ**
it is necessary that
Verbe. **doam**

aa nɛ
yáa
itch *Verbe.* **kakã**
itself *Adjectif.* **din**
Adjectif. **dinm**
aa

J - j

jail *Nom.* **kòso**
jam *Verbe.* **gewaa**
Verbe. **kɛmɛ**
jar *Nom.* **doo**
jaundice *Nom.* **ɔɔ**
busu
jaw *Nom.* **pää**
ɔɔn
Jibasso people
Nom. **Boomu**
job *Nom.* **di**
join *Verbe.* **kaa**

kun
joint *Nom.* **gù köro**
jostle *Verbe.* **ɔɔ**
Verbe. **nyana**
a
journalist
Nom. **zurnali**
si
joy *Nom.* **foo**
ɔɔn
judge *Verbe.* **kiri**
wɔ

judgment *Nom.* **kiri**
jug *Nom.* **dón**
jujube tree
Nom. **tón**
Jula *Nom.* **dala**
jump from above
Verbe. **furəə**
jump long
Verbe. **parɛ**
junk *Nom.* **gò**

K - k

kapok tree
Nom. **bɛɛɛ**

da
Nom. **gɛɛɛ**

keep *Verbe.* **goã**
Verbe. **nɔmɔ**

keep (an object)

Verbe. koa

keep (animals)

Verbe. doa ...

li

Verbe. lɛ dɔ*Verbe.* lɛduɛ̃key *Nom.* goo nɛkidding *Verbe.* yaa

wɔ

kidnap

Nom. wurum

u baa

kidneys *Nom.* kii

kids drum

Nom. gangankill *Verbe.* bɔbɔ

kuru

Verbe. dɛ

kill

(unintentional

ly) *Verbe.* foo

baa la

kilogram

Nom. kiloo

kilometre

Nom. kilookind *Nom.* tɔɔ

kind of plant

Nom. kɔɔka

ã

kind of rave

Nom. kalank

oo

kind of shrub

Nom. baranf

urun

Nom. gɔntɔɔ*Nom.* maraaf

on

kind of tree

Nom. díwi*Nom.* koro

koron da

Nom. kɔɔ*Nom.* kúí*Nom.* ɔɔ*Nom.* susun

kind of tree rounded

crown

Nom. sɔo

kind of vegetable

Nom. gɔmiɛ

kind of vegetable

plant

Nom. basank

oen

kindness *Nom.* bĩɛ*Nom.* bĩɛbaaking *Nom.* kii

kingfisher

Nom. kiigiĩnkitchen *Nom.* kúsi

kion

kite (black)

Nom. sía

nyɛnkɛ̃

knead *Verbe.* ma*Verbe.* mɔɔ

knead (for the first

time)

Verbe. woleknee *Nom.* musikneel *Verbe.* musi

kumɛ̃

kneel down

Verbe. musi

kumɛ̃

knife *Nom.* gɔya

knock down

Verbe. mama

a tán

knocked down

Verbe. mɛknot *Nom.* mɔn

kɔro

know

know *Verbe.* dǔ

knowledge

Nom. doē

Koran school

leave room for someone

student

Nom. garibu

L - I

labour *Nom.* di

labour pains

Verbe. ɔɔɔɔ

ɔɔ

lace *Nom.* ɔɔɔɔ

biε

lack *Nom.* baã

Nom. nyaaba

a

lack catbird

Nom. gàra

bàan tiin

ladle

Nom. tuntuu

n

lake *Nom.* tà

lamb *Nom.* sère nε

lame person

Nom. siməə

wole

land *Verbe.* mε tán

Nom. tán

land chief

Nom. tánden

aa

language spoken

Nom. ɔɔɔ

large *Adjectif.* gole

Adjectif. kasiē

last *Verbe.* beleɔ

last year *Nom.* diēē

laterite *Nom.* gètã

lath *Nom.* pεε

laugh *Verbe.* yaa

wɔ

laughing out loud

Verbe. yaa wɔ

kelee

launder *Verbe.* pii

law *Nom.* landa

laziness

Nom. yoobaa

lder brother

Nom. gologiĩ

lead *Verbe.* da

baa-a

lead away

Verbe. woo

ne

leader of a group

Nom. kiã

Nom. m̀iden

aa

leaf *Nom.* luu

leaf of paper

Nom. séwε

luu

leaf through

Verbe. titi

lean back

Verbe. teləə

leaning (to be)

Verbe. kanaa

learn *Verbe.* daraa

leather *Nom.* diwi

leather whip

Nom. sɔsɔɔ

leave *Verbe.* ɔɔ

Verbe. toa

Verbe. woo

leave room for

someone

Verbe. zɛnaa
 leaven *Nom.* ɣɔ̀ bù
 left hand *Nom.* ɠɔsɛ
 left-handed
Nom. ɠɔsiã
 leg *Nom.* ɠòã
 lemon
Nom. lɛnburu
 n
 lend *Verbe.* ɠìɔmɔ̀
 da
Verbe. nyɛnɛ
 ... la
 length
Nom. sasaba
 a
 leper *Nom.* baàlaa
 lessen *Verbe.* màn
 bɔ̀ lɛ
 let burn
Verbe. kukũ
 let go *Verbe.* da
Verbe. daa
 letter *Nom.* sɛ́wɛ nɛ
 liana *Nom.* mǎra
 libation (make a)
Verbe. zumə̀
 ə

liberate *Verbe.* kaa
 lick *Verbe.* piã
 lid *Nom.* lɛ̀ pìi
 lie *Nom.* soɛ
 lie (to) *Verbe.* soɛ
 bɔ̀
 lie down *Verbe.* waa
 light *Nom.* folon
Adjectif. puus
 ə
 light rain *Nom.* la
 bunburun
 light up *Verbe.* tɛ
 koa
 lightning *Nom.* dī
 lightning bug
Nom. kasan
 yoen
 like *Adverbe.* ka
 ... lɔ̀n
Verbe. kɔ̀ɔ̀n
 kɔ̀
Adjectif. mia
Verbe. narɛ
 like that
Adverbe. kɛnɛ
 n
 lilly-trotter

Nom. bərə
 bàan
 limit *Nom.* dan
Verbe. doa
Nom. lɛdan
 limp *Verbe.* simə̀ə
 limping
Nom. simə̀ə
 wole
 lineage *Nom.* tɔ̀ɔ̀
 basa
 lines (make)
Verbe. zii bɔ̀
 lion *Nom.* yàra
 lip *Nom.* lɛ̀ kìri
 listen *Verbe.* too kɔ̀
 little *Adjectif.* bisin
Adjectif. boɛɛ
 nɛ
Adjectif. boro
 n
 little brother
Nom. diɛ̀gĩĩ
 little bushland
Nom. lalaa
 little by little
Adverbe. boɛ
 boɛ

little by little
digging
Verbe. gugur
u

little loincloth
Nom. dɔnkɔr
ɔn

little rest
Nom. gɔn-ba
siẽ

little sister
Nom. diẽlɔ

live *Verbe.* giã

live through
Verbe. la

liver *Nom.* foo

lizard *Nom.* biã
Nom. zɔ̀
Nom. zù

loan *Nom.* dɔn-bii
Nom. giɔ̀mɔ
Verbe. giɔ̀mɔ
da
Verbe. giɔ̀mɔ
saa

location *Nom.* bãã

lock *Verbe.* sɔɔ

locust *Nom.* bisin

loincloth

Nom. dɔnkɔr
ɔn

Nom. mɔnaa

Nom. tàafɔ

long *Adjectif.* sasa
Adjectif. sɔsɔr
ɔ

long and flat
Adjectif. balal
a

long life *Nom.* si

long stick *Nom.* lan

longing for
Verbe. tán
kurəə ... li
Verbe. wɔɔ
kurəə ... li

long-term protect
Verbe. tamaa

look at *Verbe.* ga ...
ganaa

look for *Verbe.* ga
... li

look like *Verbe.* bɔ
kɔn li

loose earth
Nom. bonbol
on

loosen *Verbe.* fore
Verbe. sosole

loot *Verbe.* kokoo

lose *Verbe.* daa

lose weight
Verbe. pɛɛ

lose weight a lot
Verbe. kɔsiɛ
kɔ

loss *Nom.* bɔ̀n

lot (to be a)
Verbe. mɔnaa

loud cry
Nom. bubui

louse
Nom. kɔrɔnki
ɛn

love *Verbe.* narɛ
Nom. narɛɛ

loveliness
Nom. siĩnbaa

low
Adjectif. giulu
n

lower abdomen
Nom. bɔ̀ron

lower back *Nom.* kii

lowland
Nom. yankɔr

ɔ basa
 luck *Nom.* gɛɛsiɛ
 luck (to have)
Verbe. m̀i

kɔŋn kɔ
 lung *Nom.* pusu
 lurk
Verbe. kɔŋna

a
 lying *Nom.* soɛ

M – m

machine
Nom. masin
 mad
Adjectif. gǎän
 aa
 madness
Nom. gǎän
 maggot
Nom. nyuun
 magic *Nom.* dabara
 magic bracelet
Nom. zin
 magic product
Nom. dagoã
 magical product
Nom. da
 mahogany tree
Nom. müə
 maintain
Verbe. kɔmɔ
Verbe. tamaa
 maize *Nom.* mɔɔsii

make *Verbe.* zɛnaa
 make a hollow
Verbe. ti
 make a libation
Verbe. zumə
 ə
 make a road
Verbe. zii bɔ
 make an effort
Verbe. doa
 make balls
Verbe. munu
 make come back
Verbe. lɛ goa
 make lines
Verbe. zii bɔ
 make sick
Verbe. busu
 da
 make smooth
Verbe. zɔɔɔ
 make straight
Verbe. tele

make the roof of a
 house
Verbe. kion
 zũ
 male *Adjectif.* sa
 man *Nom.* gĩĩ
 mane *Nom.* wii
 kasa
 mango
Nom. mange
 mango tree
Nom. mange
 da
 manioc
Nom. pǎama
 n kuu
 manner *Nom.* gɔn
Nom. tɔɔ
 many
Adjectif. dam
 atan
Adjectif. didi

Adjectif. giãgi
ã
Adjectif. gigiã
many (become)
Verbe. mɔnaa
march *Nom.* tɔ
mare *Nom.* sùì dan
mark *Nom.* wɔɔ
mark of
intensification
interj. haale
mark of reciprocity
kɔn
Marka people
Nom. Marka
market *Nom.* pii
married man
Nom. lɔdenaa
marrow *Nom.* gì
marry *Verbe.* kɔn
wɔ
marvel
Nom. kaãbaa
sii
mask *Nom.* bànyɛ
mason
Nom. kion-d
ɔli

Nom. masɔn
massage
Verbe. mɔɔ
master
Nom. daraali
Nom. karamɔ
ɔ
Nom. m̀iden
aa
mat (brided)
Nom. lenlɛan
matches
Nom. tekala
maternal aunt
Nom. dan
golo
Nom. dan
kiɛɛɛ
maternal uncle
Nom. diãgĩ
maternity
Nom. materni
te
matter *Nom.* sii
mature *Verbe.* ma
maybe
Adverbe. kɔnt
an
me

Pronom. mas
ɛ
mead *Nom.* béɛɛ
mean
Adjectif. bara
a
meaning *Nom.* giala
Nom. kóɔ
measure *Verbe.* zɔɔ
measurement mark
Nom. k̀iri
meat *Nom.* siĩ
medal *Nom.* giàla
meddle in someone
else's
business
Verbe. wurəə
... nɛ
medication
Nom. dagoã
medicine
Nom. dagoã
meeting
Nom. lɛɔkɔn
melon *Nom.* melɔn
melt *Verbe.* yo
memorial stone
Nom. tíĩ
menace

Verbe. paraa
 ... li
 meningitis *Nom.* wii
 laañ busu
 merchant
Nom. pii-kɔl
 e
 mercy (have)
Verbe. makar
 ε kū
 merge *Verbe.* yo
 message
Nom. boo-di
 a
 messy
Adjectif. ɔɔɔɔ
 rε
 midday
Nom. penlee
 n
 middle *Nom.* bii
Nom. zεε
 midnight *Nom.* làan
 midwife
Nom. nε-yoli
 milk *Nom.* bònnyaa
 milk (to) *Verbe.* bɔɔ
 millet *Nom.* nyanan

Nom. wii
 millet bran
Nom. kaã
 millet paste
Nom. wù
 millet paste of the
 Fulani
Nom. kɔkɔɔ
 millet storage in the
 field
Nom. toa
 millstone *Nom.* wii
 ɔɔñ gii
 mimic *Verbe.* saa ...
 li
 mind *Nom.* yiri
 minute *Nom.* miniti
 miracle
Nom. kaãbaa
 sii
 mirror
Nom. damale
 n
 mischief (commit)
Verbe. sii la
 misfortune
Nom. baasi
Nom. bòn
Nom. koe

miss *Verbe.* wusu
 miss (a target)
Verbe. pusu
 mist *Nom.* furumu
 mistake *Nom.* sã
 mix
Verbe. ɔɔɔɔ
 n
 moan *Verbe.* gini
 mob *Nom.* zaman
 moist
Adjectif. buru
 u
 moisture
Nom. buruu
 molars *Nom.* tũũ liñ
 sɔn
 mold *Verbe.* sulu
Nom. toopaa
 bɔñ goo
 moment
Nom. waáaraa
 money *Nom.* paa
Nom. wɔɔɔ
 monitor *Verbe.* ga
 ... walan
Verbe. yiri
 kɔ... li

monitor (Nile)

Nom. būsiimonkey *Nom.* kára

monkey (red)

Nom. dɔmaamonth *Nom.* muimoon *Nom.* mui

moonlight

Nom. mui

folon

more ... than *expr v.*

. á la ... ne

morning

Nom. baayɛɛ

morning Star

Nom. sò

morrow

Nom. baayɛɛ

mortar

Nom. goaran

mosque

Nom. misiri

mosquito

Nom. nyɔɔny

aan

Mossi *Nom.* Mɔɔsɛmother *Nom.* dan*Nom.* náa

mother's big sister

Nom. dan

golo

mother's younger

sister

Nom. dan

kiɛɛɛ

motherhood

Nom. materni

te

mother-in-law

Nom. daãɛmotion *Nom.* góɔ

motorbike

Nom. pəpəmould *Verbe.* sulu

mountain

Nom. kele

mountain insect

Nom. parasa

n

mourn *Verbe.* wuu

pɛ

mourning *Nom.* koemouse *Nom.* kénmouth *Nom.* lɛ

mouth of a hole

Nom. yala

tasa

move *Verbe.* bìn da*Verbe.* zǔ

move back

Verbe. wusoo

ka kio-n

move forward

Verbe. woo

nyɛɛɛ

movement

Nom. bìnmuch *Adjectif.* didimud *Nom.* bɛɛɛ

mud wasp

Nom. sinbiri

multiplication

Nom. bulu

multiply

Verbe. bulu

bɔ

murder *Nom.* gè-dɛ

murderer

Nom. gè-dɛlimurmur *Verbe.* sè

bisin pɛ

mush *Nom.* fùũ

mushroom

Nom. ton fu

musical bow

Nom. lonlon

Muslim *Nom.* zòᓃ
 must
Verbe. doam
 aa nε
 yáa

mute *Nom.* lε
 tere-a
 mutter *Verbe.* sè
 bisin pε
 my

possessive. m
 aa

N - n

nail *Verbe.* dere
Nom. gòn
 tón
 nail down
Verbe. dere
Verbe. dεε
 nakedness
Nom. tontoro
 name *Nom.* tɔ
 namesake
Nom. toóma
 nasty
Adjectif. bara
 a
 nearby
postposition. p
 än li
 neck *Nom.* biε
Nom. dungial
 a
Nom. wìi

necklace *Nom.* gii
 need (to)
Verbe. laado
 o dɔ
 needle *Nom.* mεsεn
 neezing *Nom.* tisə
 neighbour
Nom. mia
Nom. miakεn
 neighbourhood
Nom. dala
 nephew *Nom.* niə
Nom. niəngĩ
 nerve *Nom.* biε
 nest *Nom.* kii
 net *Nom.* zòᓃ
 never *préd nég.* bin
 ... wa
 new
Adjectif. sore
 e

Adjectif. tii
 new (for objects)
Adjectif. dii
 new field *Nom.* só
Nom. wuru
 dii
 new Moon
Nom. mui dii
 news *Nom.* kibərə
 next day *Nom.* a
 lεawaa
 next to
postposition. g
 enli
postposition. li
postposition. p
 än li
 next year *Nom.* lè
 boe
 nice
Adjectif. sonb

ore
 niece *Nom.* niənɔ
 night *Nom.* tɛlo
 Night Heron
Nom. bɔɔ
 pɔɔnaa
 night-jar
Nom. yawaan
 nightmare
Nom. narɛɛ
 baraa
 nine
numéral. man
 angɔɔ
 no *expre.* haayii
 no one *Adjectif.* kɔn
 no profit
Nom. panban
 nobody
Adjectif. kɔn
 node *Nom.* màn
 köro
 noise *Nom.* wuu
 noise of something
Nom. màn
 wuu
 noon
Nom. penlee

n

North *Nom.* gɔsɛ a
 lɛ gɔn li
 Northern Samo
Nom. Goë
 nose *Nom.* nyin
 nostril *Nom.* nyin
 góɔ
 not *préd nég.* a ...
 wa
préd nég. ba
 ... wa
 wa
 not produce well
Nom. fofolo
 not to have to
Verbe. doam
 aa bie...wa
 not yet *Adverbe.* tɔn
 note *Verbe.* yiri
 koa ... li
 nothing
Nom. kooro
Nom. panban
 nothing at all
Adverbe. kon
 koreen
 notice *Verbe.* yiri

koa ... li

notorious thief
Nom. wurum
 u
 now
Adverbe. kan
 na
Adverbe. kəni
Adverbe. sisia
 nudity
Nom. tontoro
 number *Nom.* lɛ
Nom. màn
 nimiñ séwe
 nɛ
 numeral *Nom.* màn
 nimiñ séwe
 nɛ
 numerous
Adjectif. giāgi
 ã
 nurse *Nom.* dɔɔɔɔ
Verbe. nyɔ kɔ
 ... la
 nurture *Verbe.* too
 nut *Nom.* we

O - o

obey *Verbe.* bɔɔ si
Verbe. ɛ si
 object *Nom.* màn
Nom. sii
 objective *Nom.* mii
 obligate *Verbe.* nia
 woone
 obsequies
Nom. gèbaa
 occasionally
Adverbe. biik
 oo tɛn
 occult practice
Verbe. mii
 wɔɔɔ
 ocean *Nom.* yisi mu
 odour *Nom.* giĩ
 of his own will
expre. gɔn wii
 a ɛa
 offend
Verbe. mama
 a
 offer *Verbe.* gɔ
 offering *Nom.* wulu
 officer *Nom.* kòmi

Nom. naasaa
 ra di-nyali
 official *Nom.* kòmi
Nom. naasaa
 ra di-nyali
 oil *Nom.* nyɔɔ
 oil lamp
Nom. lanpan
 oke *Verbe.* sàɔn kɔ
 okra *Nom.* kùnun
 old *Adjectif.* gole
Adjectif. kaar
 a
Adjectif. kun
Adjectif. zizi
 old (to get)
Verbe. zizi kɔ
 old age
Nom. mingol
 ebaa
 old coin
Nom. dubili
Nom. kɔpɔɔ
 old man *Nom.* giĩ
 gole
 old woman

Nom. ɔgole
 older brother or
 sister
Nom. golo
 older sister
Nom. golɔɔ
 oldest person in a
 group
Nom. kiã
 on
postposition. g
 anaa
postposition. l
 a
postposition. l
 alan
 on purpose
Adverbe. woo
 ne
 on the edge of
Adverbe. ɛ-a
 on the ground
Nom. furun
 once again *expre v.*
 . wusoo
 one
numéral. goo

n
 one CFA franc
Nom. **taman**
 one to one (unit)
Nom. **gogoo**
n
 onion *Nom.* **zèwɔ**
Nom. **zoonɔ**
n
 only *Adjectif.* **sɔ̃**
Adjectif. **sɔsɔ**
ɔ̃
 ooking pot (small)
Nom. **fɔɔ**
donkolon
 open *Verbe.* **bũ**
Adjectif. **koo**
Verbe. **ti**
 open (a boil)
Verbe. **lɛ bɔ**
 open its corollas
 (cotton)
Verbe. **furu**
 operated *Verbe.* **yu**
 opportunity
Nom. **gɛɛsiɛ**
 oppress *Verbe.* **bɔ**
 ... **yii ni**
 or

conjonction. **h**
inlaa
conjonction. **la**
 orange
Nom. **lɛnburu**
n
 order *Nom.* **di-pɛ**
 orghum *Nom.* **wii**
 Oriole bird
Nom. **kɔnbas**
an
 Orion belt
Nom. **bèrɛ-sã**
lin
 orphan *Nom.* **nɛ**
toen
 orridge *Nom.* **wù**
 other
Nom. **gialaku**
n
Adjectif. **kɔsɔ**
 other day *Nom.* **gĩ**
 other side
Adverbe. **kial**
an
 others
Adjectif. **giala**
kunun

ought **yáa**
 our
possessive. **wɔ**
a
 outdoors
Adverbe. **kan**
aa
 outlet *Nom.* **soo**
 outside
Adverbe. **kan**
aa
 oven for shea
Nom. **zɔɔ**
 over there
Adverbe. **wala**
n
 overcome
Verbe. **boo la**
 overthrow
Verbe. **kumə**
ə tán
 overturn
Verbe. **kumə**
ə tán
 owl *Nom.* **kɔɔ**
 owl (kind)
Nom. **kɔɔku**
un
 own will (of his)

expre. ḡḡḡ wii
a læa

owner *Nom.* dɛnaa
ox *Nom.* dii

P – p

pack *Nom.* paki
package *Nom.* paki
packet *Nom.* paki
paddle *Nom.* lasa
pain
Nom. lapapar
εε
palm of the hand
Nom. tisi
palm oil *Nom.* teön
nyɔɔ
palm tree
Nom. sèwe
da
palmar protrusion of
the hand
Nom. ḡḡḡ
toro
Palmyra palm
Nom. sèwe
da
pancake
Nom. mòmɔ
panther *Nom.* goe

panties
Nom. taarɛɛn
pants *Nom.* bɛrɛ
Nom. taarɛɛn
papaya
Nom. naasaa
ran küu
Nom. papayi
paper *Nom.* séwe
parable *Nom.* boo
giməə
paralytic
Nom. bɔlɔka
parasite (scabies)
Nom. diwi
parcel boundary
Nom. gɛle
parent *Nom.* dɔñ
Nom. dɔñgiĩ
Nom. dɔñlɔ
parenthesis
Nom. kan
parish *Nom.* paroisi
parrot *Nom.* sɛɛ

part *Nom.* pän
partridge
Nom. donkoo
n
Nom. dɔɔn
party *Nom.* zón
pass *Verbe.* kiĩ
pass out
Verbe. kere
pass through
Verbe. kuru
pass upon
Verbe. bɔ
past *Adverbe.* lɛɛ
paste *Verbe.* naa
patas monkey
Nom. dɔmaa
paternal aunt
(father's
sister)
Nom. dɛlan
paternal uncle
(father's big
brother)
Nom. dii golo

paternal uncle
(father's little
brother)
Nom. **díi**
boεεn

patient (be)
Verbe. **foo kũ**

pauper
Nom. **doobaa**

paw *Nom.* **këre**

pay *Verbe.* **saraa**

pay attention
Verbe. **mìi**
saa lon

pay attention to
Verbe. **koa ...**
li

peace *Nom.* **là**
nyantoro

peaked
Adjectif. **πεπε**
νε

peanut *Nom.* **tĩān**
Nom. **yüu**

pearl *Nom.* **gii**

peas (ground)
Nom. **yüu**
lolon

pebble *Nom.* **kɔɔ**

peel *Verbe.* **ƒɔɔ bɔ**
Verbe. **gasaã**
Verbe. **ƒɔɔ**

pen *Nom.* **biki**

pencil
Nom. **kεεnyɔ**
n

penis *Nom.* **ɔɔɔ**

penknife *Nom.* **kùn**

people *Nom.* **minin**
Nom. **ɔɔɔ**

people of
Dédougou
Nom. **Boaba**

people of the family
Nom. **sumu**
minin

pepper
Nom. **kirimu**
n

perhaps
Adverbe. **kɔnt**
an

person *Nom.* **dεnaa**

person (a)
Nom. **min**

pestle *Nom.* **gúru**

peter out *Verbe.* **piě**

phantom *Nom.* **nyin**
telenboen

phone *Nom.* **biε ne**

photo *Nom.* **nyin**

pick *Verbe.* **na**

pick up *Verbe.* **goa**

pickaxe
Nom. **bɔnbɔɔ**
ɔɔ
Nom. **pegaasi**
Nom. **sukun**

picture *Nom.* **nyin**

piece of money
Nom. **wɔɔ**
we

pieces of broken
clay pot
Nom. **taasa**

pierce *Verbe.* **fɔ**

pig *Nom.* **birii**

pigeon *Nom.* **kion**
bàan
Nom. **zεεkan**
toan

pigeon (green)
Nom. **foon**
Nom. **koon**

pile up *Verbe.* **kaa**

kɔn la
 pillow *Nom.* **pìti**
 pitfall *Nom.* **kan**
 pity *Nom.* **makarɛ**
 place *Nom.* **bǎǎ**
Verbe. **da ...**
nɛ
Nom. **wɔɔ**
 place to sit
Nom. **giǎñ**
bǎǎ
 place where cases
 are judged
Nom. **kiri**
wɔñ bǎǎ
 place without trees
Nom. **dewo**
 placenta *Nom.* **yíɛ**
Nom. **yisi**
 plain *Nom.* **dewo**
 plainly
Adverbe. **buə**
buə
Adverbe. **foaã**
-foaã
 plane *Nom.* **fɔɔ**
bàan
Verbe. **kɔɔ**

plant *Verbe.* **zumu**
 Plantain-eater
Nom. **daã**
lulun bantã
 plaster *Verbe.* **barɛ**
Verbe. **tɔɔ**
 plastering
Nom. **barɛɛ**
Nom. **tɔɔɛ**
 plastic *Nom.* **malan**
 plastic mat
Nom. **dɛwɛn**
 plate *Nom.* **tasa**
 play *Verbe.* **sàn kɔ**
 plead
Verbe. **gòã-k**
ũ da
 please *Verbe.* **bǐɛ kɔ**
Verbe. **kɔɔn**
kɔ
 plow *Nom.* **diin**
kána
 plug *Verbe.* **tã**
 plunder
Verbe. **kokoo**
 plural
Nom. **gigiãba**
a

pocket *Nom.* **zéwo**
 poet and musician
Nom. **dɔmɔ**
 poiled (porridge)
Verbe. **foã**
 pointed
Adjectif. **pɛpɛ**
nɛ
 poison *Nom.* **séwo**
 poisonous snake
Nom. **ɩn**
dimii
 police *Nom.* **polisi**
 police force
Nom. **polisi**
 police station
Nom. **zandar**
muri
 policeman
Nom. **zandar**
mu
 poor person
Nom. **doobaa**
 porcupine
Nom. **pusu**
 porridge *Nom.* **fùũ**
 portion *Nom.* **pän**
 ports ground
Nom. **ɔɔ**

possessions

Nom. gɔn
mànposterior part of the
skull*Nom.* kara

pot (earthen)

Nom. tàanpotter *Nom.* dɔn

bɔle

pound *Verbe.* kaása

bɔ

Verbe. zũ

pound (cereals)

Verbe. sɔɔpound to make
flour*Verbe.* bunbə
n bɔpour *Verbe.* kaa

pour a part

Verbe. doopour into another
container*Verbe.* binyəəpower *Nom.* barka*Nom.* pããpractice *Nom.* lɛ

mui sii

praise *Verbe.* kalaa*Verbe.* laakal
aa

pray

Verbe. nyank
ɔ

praying mantis

Nom. gəngən

praying mantis

(little)

Nom. gəngəə
n

prepare food

Verbe. kɔrɛpress *Verbe.* kirəə

... la

pressing danger

Nom. fuuprestige *Nom.* zín

pretty

Adjectif. sonb
ore

prevent

Verbe. kurəəprice *Nom.* giðmɔ*Nom.* piiprickle *Nom.* nyɛn

prickly

Adjectif. kaka

arɛ

pride *Verbe.* din

gole kɔ

priest

Nom. wúlu-b
ɔle

prior

Adverbe. bina
a*Adverbe.* laanprison *Nom.* kòso

problem

Nom. koebaaprofit *Nom.* là

profound

Adjectif. zuzu
lu

profundity

Nom. zuzulu

baa

progress

Verbe. woo

nyɛɛɛ

promptly

Adverbe. fufu
upronoun *Nom.* tɔ

bãã saali

property *Nom.* gɔn

màn
 prophet *Nom.* Lawa
a boo gii dali
 proposal *Nom.* boo
nɛn
 proposition
Nom. boo
nɛn
 protect
 momentarily
Verbe. kanba
a
 protractor
Nom. tenten
 proverb
Nom. soosu
 provoke *Verbe.* ga
 ... lɛ
 prowl
Verbe. kɔ̃na
a
 prune *Verbe.* sɛlɛ
 publicist
Nom. zurnali

si
 pucker
Verbe. nyɔ̃sɔ̃
kɔn
 pull *Verbe.* baã
 pull back *Verbe.* si
 ... la
 pull out (a nail)
Verbe. woẽ
 punishment
Nom. dɔlɔ
 pupil *Nom.* daraa
wɔle
 purchase *Verbe.* pii
 purpose *Nom.* mii
 pus *Nom.* nyin
 push *Verbe.* kɔɔ
Verbe. nyana
a
Verbe. zɔ̃
 push aside
Verbe. bɔ kɔn
Verbe. kɔɔ
Verbe. nyana

a
Verbe. titi
 put *Verbe.* da ...
nɛ
Verbe. kaa ...
nɛ
 put down *Verbe.* da
tán
 put on *Verbe.* da-a
 put out *Verbe.* nimi
 put side by side
Verbe. koa
kɔn li
 put to bed
Verbe. naa
tán
 put up *Verbe.* lɔɔ
 put with *Verbe.* da
 ... li
 python *Nom.* miɛ
golo

Q - q

quack *Verbe.* wɔ̃ kũ
 quack's staff

Nom. wɔ̃ kũñ
bäla

question *Nom.* nòn
 quickly

quickly (very)

Adverbe. dɔn
dɔn
Adverbe. fufu
u
Adverbe. fuu

quickly (very)
Adverbe. dɔd
ɔ
quickness
Nom. lɛlɛlɛ

recover from convalescence

quiet *Adjectif.* kiĩ
Adjectif. kiĩni
quiver *Nom.* kōā

R - r

race *Nom.* tɔɔ
Nom. zɔɔ kɔn
radio *Nom.* aragio
raditional chief
Nom. kiwidɛn
aa
rafter *Nom.* mɛn
rain *Nom.* la
rain (to) *Verbe.* la
kaa
rain down
Verbe. dodoo
rainbow *Nom.* la a
mɛn
rainy season
Nom. bɔnɔn
raise *Verbe.* too
raise your head
Verbe. mii
saa lon
ram *Nom.* sɛre

gɔɔ
ran out of
Nom. nyaaba
a
rapidity *Nom.* lɛlɛlɛ
rapidly
Adverbe. fufu
u
rascal *Adjectif.* gɛsɛ
rat *Nom.* banyɛn
rat (gambian)
Nom. giĩ
rat (kind)
Nom. nyan
rat (white and gray
striped)
Nom. teloon
rave *Nom.* gōĩ
raven *Nom.* zankoo
razor *Nom.* kùn
reach *Verbe.* dɔ

read *Verbe.* pɛ
real *Adjectif.* taãn
Adjectif. taãn
ɛ
really
Adverbe. pars
iini
Adverbe. taãn
-taãnɛ
rear *Nom.* giala
rebel *Verbe.* piã wɔ
receive *Verbe.* yɛ
reciprocity kɔn
recover
Verbe. busu
nya
recover completely
Verbe. gù kaa
recover from
convalescence
Verbe. gù

kaa
 red *Adjectif.* **tã**
 red (turn)
Verbe. **taã**
 red ant
Nom. **bonbo**
on tiěñ
Nom. **sore**
tiěñ
 red bishop
Nom. **bún tã**
 red monkey
Nom. **dɔmaa**
 red-billed Hornbill
Nom. **di**
kɔnkɔn
 redo *Verbe.* **wusoo**
 reduce *Verbe.* **màn**
ɓɔ lɛ
 reed *Nom.* **kàwɔ**
buu
 reeping plant (kind)
Nom. **marang**
ion
 reflect *Verbe.* **yiri**
kɔ
 refuge (to take)
Verbe. **kaa ...**
yele

refuse *Verbe.* **nɛn**
wa
Verbe. **nu**
Verbe. **piã**
Verbe. **tii**
 regain strength after
 illness
Verbe. **kaka**
kɔ
 regarding
postposition. **s**
ɛ
 region *Nom.* **gána**
 regularly
Adverbe. **biik**
oo yii li
 reject *Verbe.* **tii**
 rejoice
Verbe. **nyɛny**
ɛɛ
 rekindle the fire
Verbe. **piě pɛ**
tɛ-a
 release *Verbe.* **kaa**
 relief *Nom.* **gu**
 remain *Verbe.* **goã**
 remainder
Nom. **giala**
 remake

Verbe. **wusoo**
 remark *Verbe.* **yiri**
koa ... li
 remember
Verbe. **yiri da**
... nɛ
Verbe. **yiri**
gisĩ ... nɛ
 remove *Verbe.* **ɓɔ**
Verbe. **lui**
Verbe. **si ... la**
Verbe. **waa**
 remove hat
Verbe. **mìi**
fore
 remove the feathers
Verbe. **ka ɓɔ**
 remove the first
 layer of a
 liquid
Verbe. **sɛlɛ**
 remove the shells
Verbe. **fɔɔ ɓɔ**
 repay *Nom.* **dòo**
 reply *Nom.* **binyəə**
Verbe. **nyəə**
 reporter
Nom. **zurnali**
si

reproach *Verbe.* sè
pɛ
repudiate
Verbe. loo
request *Verbe.* nòn
da
require *Verbe.* liɛ
rescue *Nom.* gu
resemble *Verbe.* bɔ
kɔn li
residue *Nom.* giala
resin *Nom.* gón
resist *Verbe.* piã
respond
Verbe. nyəə
respond (orally)
Verbe. lɛ si
response
Nom. binyəə
rest *Nom.* giala
Nom. gialaku
n
Adjectif. kun
Verbe. susu
rest (little)
Nom. gɔn-ba
siẽ
rest a little

Verbe. gɔn
basã
restrict *Verbe.* doa
resuscitate
Verbe. yii kaa
retreat
Verbe. wusoo
ka kio-n
retrench
Verbe. pɔɔ
return
Verbe. wusoo
reunion
Nom. lɛsɔkɔn
revenge *Nom.* gè
dòo
revenge (get)
Verbe. gè
dòo bɔ
reverse
Verbe. kumə
ə tán
revoke *Verbe.* si ...
la
revolt *Verbe.* piã wɔ
reward *Nom.* saraa
rib *Nom.* garsa
we

ribe *Nom.* tɔɔ
rice *Nom.* mɛɛ
rich person
Nom. pããma
riches *Nom.* naforo
richness
Nom. naforo
riendship *Nom.* dãã
rifle *Nom.* marafɔ
right *Adjectif.* taãn
Adjectif. taãn
ɛ
right hand
Nom. gusin
right now
Adverbe. sisia
rim *Nom.* gagana
ring *Nom.* kaaran
ring-necked dove
Nom. dangɔl
ɔn
ripen *Verbe.* ma
rise *Verbe.* yoo
Verbe. yoo
lon
rise up *Verbe.* piã
wɔ
river *Nom.* kò

Nom. **pεε**
Nom. **tà**
 river (small)
Nom. **piεεε**
n
 roach
Nom. **kookaa**
sa
 road *Nom.* **zii**
 road (make a)
Verbe. **zii bɔ**
 roast *Verbe.* **tã**
 roasted
Adjectif. **papa**
rεε
 robust
Adjectif. **gege**
re
 rock *Nom.* **pára**
Nom. **tataã**
 rocky place
Nom. **gii**
 roll
Verbe. **birikə**
ã
 roll several times

Verbe. **bibirik**
əã
 roll up *Verbe.* **pεε**
 Roller (Abyssinian)
Nom. **kəkoë**
 roller bird
Nom. **don**
kəkoë
Nom. **linliin**
 roof *Nom.* **kala**
 rooster *Nom.* **koo**
sa
 rooster crest
Nom. **bála**
 root *Nom.* **da**
gòn
 rot *Verbe.* **bɔã**
 rotate *Verbe.* **bibiã**
 rough-cast
Verbe. **barε**
Verbe. **tɔɔ**
 round
Adjectif. **luuri**
i
 row *Verbe.* **gole**
kɔ

rub *Verbe.* **lɔ**
Verbe. **tuturu**
 rub here and there
Verbe. **lɔlɔ**
 rubber *Nom.* **malan**
 rubbish heap
Nom. **tonton**
 ruffle
Verbe. **mama**
a
 ruin *Nom.* **kεbɔlɔ**
Verbe. **wuru**
 rumble
Verbe. **paraa**
 rumour
Nom. **niinaa**
 run *Verbe.* **baa si**
 run away
Verbe. **baa si**
 run-off of water
Nom. **mu tii**
 rust *Nom.* **soe**

s for the

postposition. s

ε

sack *Nom.* boroosacrifice *Nom.* wúlusacrifice after
murder*Nom.* zúlu

sad (become)

Verbe. foo

ziziĕ

saddle *Nom.* kekereSahel Paradise
Whydah*Nom.* bàanan

bun

salary *Nom.* saraasaliva *Nom.* sèsalt *Nom.* yìsisalute *Verbe.* fòo

da

Samo people

Nom. Sanan

san language

Nom. sansand *Nom.* nyɔɔɔsap *Nom.* yonSatan *Nom.* Setaansatisfy *Verbe.* kãsatisfy *Verbe.* kãsauce *Nom.* dù

save

Verbe. kirisib

aa

savour *Verbe.* nèn

da

saw *Nom.* kàka*Nom.* siisay *Verbe.* pɛ*Verbe.* toascabbard *Nom.* kiiscale *Nom.* fɔɔscar *Nom.* nyänscare *Nom.* nyéɛ*Verbe.* nyéɛ

da

scatter *Verbe.* pɛsĕ*Verbe.* sawaa*Verbe.* sawaa

tán

scavenger

Nom. zèwoschool *Nom.* kalasiscold *Verbe.* paraascorpion *Nom.* tonscrape *Verbe.* kɔɔ*Verbe.* ɔ

scratch

Verbe. gasaãscratching (the
body)*Verbe.* kokooscream *Verbe.* ɛ dɛ

scream loudly

Verbe. ɛ

wurəə

screaming loudly

Verbe. bubui

da

scrub *Verbe.* ɔsea *Nom.* kò*Nom.* yìsi mu

search ardently

Verbe. wɔɔ

kurəə ... li

season *Verbe.* nɛn

da

Nom. waáaraa

secluded

Adjectif. zere

n

secretary bird

Nom. sían

fuiin

see *Verbe.* ye
 seed *Nom.* màn
 ɬɔɔ
Nom. nàñ
Nom. wii ɬɔɔ
 seedlings from last
 year *Nom.* tĩĩ
 seek *Verbe.* ga ... li
 seize *Verbe.* yo
 seize abruptly
Verbe. soẽ
 sell *Verbe.* sã
 seller
Nom. pii-kɔl
 e
 send *Verbe.* dia
 send away (sb)
Verbe. penpe
 len da
 send to do
 something
Verbe. dia
 di-a
 senior *Nom.* nɛ
 goledɛnaa
 sense *Verbe.* dõ
Verbe. giĩ ma
Nom. kɔɔ

sentence *Nom.* dɔɔ
 separate *Verbe.* na
 kɔɔ
Adjectif. ɬɔɬɔ
 servant of colonial
 times
Nom. kən
 sesame
Nom. nyansa
 n
 seven
numéral. sɔba
 a
 several
Adjectif. gigiã
 sew *Verbe.* nimi
 shade of a tree
Nom. wúlu
 shadow (tree)
Nom. wúlu
 shake vigorously
Verbe. papas
 a
Verbe. zuzuə
 shame *Nom.* sɪi
 shape -maa
 share *Verbe.* gii
Verbe. gii kɔɔ
 share ideas

Verbe. yiri kɔ
 kɔɔ la
 sharp *Verbe.* lɛ bɔ
 ... ganaa
Adjectif. pɛpɛ
 nɛ
 she *Pronom.* a
Pronom. asɛ
 shea butter
Nom. kúu
 nyɔɔ
 shea fruit *Nom.* kúu
 nɛ
 shea nuts *Nom.* kòè
 shea tree *Nom.* kúu
 sheath *Nom.* kii
 shed *Nom.* siã
 sheep *Nom.* sèrɛ
 shell *Verbe.* pɔɔɔ
 shepherd
Nom. ɬɔɔɔ-lɛ
 duãli
 shield *Nom.* goóro
 shine *Verbe.* tɛ pɛ
 shoe *Nom.* kɔɔɔ
 shoelace *Nom.* kɔɔɔ
 biɛ

shoot *Verbe.* baã
Verbe. pã
Verbe. yu

shop *Nom.* butiki

short *Adjectif.* kunu

shortage *Nom.* baã
Nom. nyaaba
a

should yáa

shoulder
Nom. kəkɔɔ
Nom. kɔɔɔn

shout *Verbe.* ɛ dɛ

shout to chase away
the hawk
when it comes
to take a
chick
interj. heyaa
da

show *Verbe.* nia

show off *Verbe.* din
koa

shrew *Nom.* sulu

shrub *Nom.* da
binbisin
Nom. tewon

shrub (kind)
Nom. tiã

shut up *Verbe.* ɛ tã
Verbe. ɛ tã
Verbe. tã

sick *Nom.* busulə

sick (be)
Verbe. busu

sick and lie down
Verbe. mɛ
tán

sickle *Nom.* sɛn
gɔya

sickness *Nom.* busu

side *Nom.* kolo
Nom. wãã

side of face
Nom. para

sieve *Nom.* tɛmɛ

sift *Verbe.* zazaã
bɔ

sight *Nom.* yii a
wɔɔɔ yɛ

silence *Verbe.* ɛ tã

silent *Adjectif.* kiĩ

silhouette
Nom. nyin

silly
Adjectif. naar
ɛ

similar *Adjectif.* mia

sin *Nom.* sii
baraa

since
conjonction. b
é
Adverbe. ɔn

since a long time
Adverbe. haal
ɛ bibi

sing *Nom.* loe ɔ

single
Nom. giɔmɔs
õ
Nom. goonba
a
Adjectif. sɔõ
Adjectif. sɔɔɔ
õ
Adjectif. toto

singular
Nom. goonba
a

sisal *Nom.* ban

sister *Nom.* dɔɔnɔ

sister in law
Nom. goãnɔ

sister-in-law
Nom. giikɔõ

sit *Verbe.* giã
 tán
 sit down *Verbe.* giã
 tán
 six *numéral.* sɔɔɔ
 size *Nom.* kasiẽ
 size of a thing
Nom. pəməb
 aa
 skin *Nom.* ki
Verbe. ki bɔ
 skin (to)
Verbe. kakã
 skin disease or
 injury
Nom. gònɔn-
 busii
 skinny
Adjectif. pɛɛɛ
 nɛ
 skirt *Nom.* zupu
 skull *Nom.* mii we
 sky *Nom.* lon
 slacks *Nom.* kurusi
 slander *Verbe.* biɛ
 kɔ
 slap *Verbe.* gɔn tɔ
 para-n

slaughter
Verbe. bɔɔɔ
 kuru
Verbe. dɛ
 slave *Nom.* bɛɛɛ
 slavery
Nom. bɛɛɛba
 a
 slay *Verbe.* bɔɔɔ
 kuru
 sleep *Nom.* nyüu
 sleep (to)
Verbe. nyüu
 wɔ
 slender
Adjectif. bulul
 u
Adjectif. pɔpɔ
 ɔɔ
 slide *Verbe.* wɔraa
 slim
Adjectif. bulul
 u
Verbe. pɛɛ
Adjectif. pɔpɔ
 ɔɔ
 sling *Nom.* baragii
Nom. palagii
 slip *Nom.* taarɛn

Verbe. talaa
 sloth *Nom.* yoobaa
 slow down
Verbe. basã
 slowly
Adverbe. sɛɛɛ
 ɛ
 slumber *Nom.* nyüu
Verbe. nyüu
 wɔ
 smack *Verbe.* gɔn
 tɔ para-n
 small *Adjectif.* bisin
Adjectif. boɛɛ
 nɛ
Adjectif. boro
 n
 small basket
Nom. kankaa
 n
 small calabash
Nom. paan
 small piece
Nom. lɛkoro
 smart (to be)
Verbe. yiri tá
 ... lon
 smear *Verbe.* kaa ...
 la

smell *Nom.* gĩĩ
 smile *Nom.* yaa
 muiin wɔ
 smithy *Nom.* fuũn
 goo
 smoke *Nom.* tɛmaa
Nom. tɛsiã
 smoking pipe
Nom. laára
 tɔn
 smooth (make)
Verbe. zɔɔɔ
 snail *Nom.* dɔndɔ
 snail species
Nom. fɔɔɔ
 dɔndɔ
 snake *Nom.* miɛ
 snake (aquatic)
Nom. kanpaa
 snake (kind of)
Nom. böroo
 miɛ
Nom. gè miɛ
 snake (kind)
Nom. gɔmiɛ
Nom. mu miɛ
 snare *Nom.* kan
 sneeze *Verbe.* tisə

da

snore *Verbe.* gùrun
 bɔ
 so *Adverbe.* baa
 lɛ
Adverbe. kəni
Adverbe. kɛnɛ
 n
Adverbe. miɛ
conjunction. tɔ
 n
 so much
Adverbe. baa
 lɛ
 so that
conjunction. ń
 giɛ
 so-and-so
Nom. min kɛ
 soap *Nom.* safɔɔɔ
 soldier
Nom. sɔraasi
 sole of the foot
Nom. tisi
 some *Adjectif.* tɛn
 someone doing
 something
Nom. wole
 sometimes

Adverbe. biik
 oo tɛn
 son *Nom.* nɛgĩĩ
 song *Nom.* loe
 soon
Adverbe. boɛɛ
 nɛ
 soothsayer
Nom. boon
 sorcerer
Nom. kɔnkoã
 sorcery
Nom. kɔnkoã
 baa
 sorghum
Nom. giðmɔ
 sorrel plant
Nom. fɔɔ
 sorrel seed paste
Nom. kiri tiin
 sorrel seeds
Nom. fɔmiɛ
 sorrel used for a
 sauce
Nom. zanka
 sorry *interj.* kaare
 sort *Verbe.* gɔgɔɔ
Nom. tɔɔ
 soul

Nom. telenbo
en
soul of the
deceased
Nom. gere
nyin
sound in the mouth
(make)
Verbe. kanka
n da
sound in the mouth
to call
Verbe. kɔnkɔ
n da
soundness
Nom. kakaba
a
soup *Nom.* kiri mu
sour *Adjectif.* pipiã
sour-dough
Nom. ɣɔ bù
South *Nom.* gusin a
lè ɔɔn li
sow *Verbe.* da
sowing
Nom. màn-di
ε
sows chaos
Nom. kaa sii

bii wole
space *Nom.* baan
Nom. wɔɔɔ
space in front of the
courtyard
Nom. sɔmɔ
spare (from danger)
Verbe. kanba
a
sparkle *Verbe.* tɛ pɛ
sparrow
Nom. sɔban
sparrow (kind of)
Nom. gà
bàan
sparrow-hawk
Nom. sía
speak *Verbe.* boo
da
Verbe. toa
speak badly
Verbe. gàsɛ
wɔ
species of cultivated
vegetable
Nom. bɔɔɔnb
ɔɔɔn
species of insect
that eats

wood
Nom. dùn
species of plant that
we make a
sticky sauce
Nom. dùu
species of vegetable
garden shrub
Nom. lāmɔɔ
speech *Nom.* boo
speed *Nom.* baa
Nom. lɛlɛlɛ
spider *Nom.* ɔɔɔ
spinach
Nom. pinarɛ
spit *Verbe.* sè kaa
spleen *Nom.* sɔɔɔ
split *Verbe.* gii
split in half
Verbe. wɔɔɔ
spoil *Verbe.* ziziě
spoiling
Nom. basaã
spokesperson
Nom. boo gii
dali
spoon *Nom.* kuyara
spot *Nom.* gò bãã

sprain *Verbe.* gĩ bɔ
 spread *Verbe.* bɔ
 kɔn
Verbe. kaa ...
 la
Verbe. nɔɔ
Verbe. nyana
 a
Verbe. sawaa
Verbe. sawaa
 tán
 spread out
Verbe. nyɔma
 a
 sprouted millet for
 the
 preparation of
 beer
Nom. yaala
 squash *Nom.* gĩ
 squeak teeth
Verbe. sɔ
 kere bɔ
 squeeze
Verbe. muny
 əə
 squirrel
Nom. gicɔn
 tiən

Nom. tiã
 lolon
 squirrel (flying)
Nom. gasanf
 urun
 stagger
Verbe. nyɔma
 a
 stain *Nom.* wɔɔ
 staircase
Nom. banbar
 an
 stalk *Nom.* làpaa
 stammer
Verbe. bobo
 pɛ
 stand against
Verbe. teləə
 stand up *Verbe.* yoo
Verbe. yoo
 lon
 standing
Adverbe. lon
 star *Nom.* leere
 staring for a long
 time *Verbe.* a
 yon wɔ
 start *Nom.* giala
Verbe. giala

kɔ
 start doing
Verbe. mɛ la
 starting *Nom.* woo
 state of (be in a)
 –maa
 status *Nom.* zín
 stay *Verbe.* giã
Verbe. goã
 steal *Verbe.* gɔn
 talaa
Verbe. koã
Nom. wurum
 u baa
 stem (millet)
Nom. làpaa
 step by step
Adverbe. boɛ
 boɛ
 stick *Nom.* bābala
Nom. bāla
Verbe. naa
 stick of the diviner
Nom. wɔ kũñ
 bāla
 stick on
Verbe. dama
 ... ganaa

still *Adverbe.* doo
Adverbe. dud
 uu
 stilt (black-winged)
Nom. gɔgɔɔ
 sting
Verbe. papar
 ε
Verbe. sɔn dɔ
 stinger *Nom.* piri
 stir (millet paste)
Verbe. kaa ...
 li
 stir up *Verbe.* tɛ zɔ̃
 stockbreeder
Nom. tɔɔ
 too-li
 stomach
Nom. bundar
 a
Nom. nɔ̃
 stone *Nom.* kɔɔ
 stool *Nom.* yòron
 stop *Verbe.* golee
Verbe. kurəə
 store *Nom.* butiki
 story *Nom.* nyin
 straw *Nom.* làpaa

straw hut
Nom. bùbu
 straw mat
Nom. suuru
 stream *Nom.* kò
 street *Nom.* zii
 strength
Nom. barka
Nom. pàã
 strike against
Verbe. tumu
 ... ganaa
 strike down
Verbe. naa
 striped snake
Nom. gala
 miε
 stroll *Verbe.* bibiã
 strong
Adjectif. gege
 re
Adjectif. kaka
 struck down
Verbe. mε
 struggle *Verbe.* yɔ
 bɔ
 struggling *Nom.* yɔ
 student of Koranic
 school

Nom. garibu
 stuff *Nom.* màn
Nom. sii
 stutterer
Nom. bobo
 pεle
 styling
Verbe. kukur
 u
 subject *Nom.* sii
 substitute
Nom. dòo
 subtract *Verbe.* bɔ
Verbe. pɔɔ
 such *Adverbe.* baa
 lε
Nom. min kε
 suck *Verbe.* nyɔ mi
Verbe. piã
 suckle *Verbe.* nyɔ
 kɔ ... la
Verbe. nyɔ mi
 suddenly
Adverbe. bǎã
 goon
 suddenly fall in
Verbe. wurəə
 ... nε

suffer
Verbe. nɔmaa
 suffering *Nom.* fuu
Nom. nɔmaa
 suffice *Verbe.* bɔ
Verbe. dɔ
 suffix
Nom. tɔ-nyɔ
 mɔɔli
 sugar cane
Nom. sukara
 bāla
 sugary
Adjectif. papa
 rɛ
 suit *Verbe.* zɛnɛ
 sulfur *Nom.* kiribi
 summit *Nom.* baã
 sun *Nom.* wasa
 sun is gong down
Verbe. mɛ
 Sun-bird
Nom. gingien
 sunlight *Nom.* wasa
 sunset *Verbe.* mɛ
 supervise *Verbe.* ga
 ... walan

Verbe. yiri
 kɔ... li
 supplement
Verbe. ti ...
 ganaa
 suppose
Verbe. golee
 ... li
Verbe. pɛ
Verbe. taasɛ
 suppress *Verbe.* bɔ
 ... yii ni
 suppurate
Verbe. nyin
 bɔ
 surround
Verbe. lenpen
 ɛ
 survive *Verbe.* la
 swallow *Verbe.* mui
 swallow all at once
Verbe. mama
 a a lɛ-n
 swap *Verbe.* lon kɔ
 swear *Verbe.* liɛ
 sweat *Verbe.* laan
 pã
Nom. tɛ fuu

Verbe. tɛ fuu
 pã
 sweep *Verbe.* wɔraa
 sweeper
Nom. wɔɔ-w
 ɔraali
 sweet *Adjectif.* kɔɔn
Adjectif. papa
 rɛ
 sweet potato
Nom. kuu
 swell *Verbe.* yu
 swift *Nom.* leere
 bāan
 swift (bird)
Nom. misiri
 bāan
 swim *Verbe.* mu
 baa
 switch off
Verbe. nimi
 sword *Nom.* sɛmiɛ
 syllable *Nom.* boo
 lɛ yii

T - t

table *Nom.* **tabala**
 taboo act *Nom.* **taã**
 tail *Nom.* **mui**
 tailor *Nom.* **tayεε**
 take *Verbe.* **saa**
 Verbe. **si**
 take a detour
 Verbe. **bɔyaa**
 take a wife *Verbe.* **ɔ**
 saa
 take advantage of
 someone
 Verbe. **ɔ** ...
 ganaa
 take back his wife by
 legal means
 Verbe. **ɔ**
 take care of
 Verbe. **tamaa**
 take off
 Verbe. **bɔyaa**
 Verbe. **waa**
 take time
 Verbe. **beleɔ**
 take vengeance
 Verbe. **gè**

dòo ɔ
 tale *Nom.* **nyin**
 talebearer
 Nom. **tenten**
 talisman
 Nom. **dagoã**
 talk *Nom.* **boo**
 Verbe. **liere**
 ɔ
 tall
 Adjectif. **sɔsɔɾ**
 ɔ
 tamarind *Nom.* **too**
 tamarind tree
 Nom. **too da**
 tame *Verbe.* **doro**
 taste *Verbe.* **nèn da**
 tasteless
 Adjectif. **tεtε**
 tasteless (to be)
 Verbe. **soã**
 teach *Verbe.* **daraa**
 teacher
 Nom. **daraali**
 Nom. **karamɔ**
 ɔ

tear *Verbe.* **toë**
 Nom. **yii mu**
 teenage girl *Nom.* **ɔ**
 ten
 Nom. **nεnεn**
 tell *Verbe.* **boo**
 da
 Verbe. **kalaa**
 Verbe. **laakal**
 aa
 Verbe. **toa**
 tell a tale
 Verbe. **nyin**
 da
 tell-tale
 Nom. **tenten**
 temple *Nom.* **Lawa**
 a kion
 temptation
 Nom. **damag**
 ɔ̃li
 ten *numéral.* **fu**
 Nom. **fufun**
 termiet (species of)
 Nom. **gà**
 nyuu

termite *Nom.* **bii**
Nom. **nimii**
termite (kind)
Nom. **nyuu**
Nom. **tonton**
testicle *Nom.* **lòe**
testicle bag
Nom. **lòe gii**
testify *Verbe.* **siére**
bo
thank *Verbe.* **barka**
da ... ne
thank you
Nom. **barka**
thanks *Nom.* **barka**
that *pro-dém.* **be**
pro-dém. **ke**
pro
dém+préd. **ké**
conjonction.
mà
conjonction.
máa
that is *expr v.* **á ke**
that one
pro-dém. **be**
pro
dém+préd. **bé**
the *dét.* **le**

dét(+préd). **lé**
the number that
represents a
human being:
3 for the man
and 4 for the
woman
Nom. **parsa le**
yii
their *possessive.* **h**
them *pro dém pl.*
. ben
Pronom. **hnen**
themselves *pro*
réfl. n
then *Adverbe.* **be**
kio
Adverbe. **kəni**
le
conjonction. **tó**
n
there is *Verbe.* **tan**
there's no
Verbe. **banba**
n
these *pro dém pl.*
. ben
they *pro dém pl.*
. ben
pro(+préd). **m**

än
Pronom. **h**
Pronom. **hnen**
they are also
musicians
Nom. **Kĩĩ**
thick *Adjectif.* **kekε**
thickness
Nom. **kasiĩ**
thief
Nom. **koã-wo**
le
thigh *Nom.* **gisi**
Nom. **pasa**
thin
Adjectif. **bulul**
u
Adjectif. **perεε**
ne
thing *Nom.* **màn**
Nom. **sii**
think *Verbe.* **pe**
Verbe. **taase**
Verbe. **yiri ko**
thirst *Nom.* **mu**
boro
this *dét.* **bea**
dét. **ke**
dét(+préd).

. ké
dét. kea
 this one
pro-dém. be
pro
dém+préd. bé
pro-dém. ke
pro
dém+préd. ké
 thorn *Nom.* nyen
 thorny mimosa
Nom. siã
 thorny tree (kind)
Nom. zama
 thorny tree species
Nom. semelɛ
 those *pro dém pl.*
 . ben
 those are
pro(+préd). m
 an né
préd. manə
préd. manɛ
 though
conjunction. a
 laanɛ
 thought
Nom. taasie
 thread *Nom.* gɛsɛ

threaten
Verbe. paraa
 ... li
 threatening with the
 eyes
Verbe. yii
 gɔsɛ
 three *numéral.* sɔɔ
 throat *Nom.* bɔɔ
 throughout
Adverbe. bǎã
 yii ni
 throw *Verbe.* zũ
 throw abruptly
Verbe. kirəə
 ... la
 throw up
Verbe. pisəə
 thumb *Nom.* gòn
 mii gole
 thunder
Verbe. paraa
 thunder (far away)
Nom. la wuu
 thunderclap and
 lightning
Nom. la a
 paraa
 thus *Adverbe.* mie

tie *Verbe.* doa
Verbe. yii
 tighten
Verbe. paraa
 tilted *Verbe.* kanaa
 time *Nom.* biikoo
Nom. waáaraa
 times *Nom.* baañ
 wɔ
Nom. gunyin
 tincture *Nom.* gàra
 tired (to be)
Verbe. nɔmaa
 tiredness
Nom. nɔmaa
 tissue *Nom.* tapara
 tithe *Verbe.* giaga
 bɔ
Nom. Lawa
 wɔ gii
 to *postposition.* li
 yáa
 to curse by his
 explosive
 mouth
Verbe. piri da
 to paint *Verbe.* ɔ
 to stutter

Verbe. bobo
 pɛ
 toad *Nom.* böroo
 tobacco *Nom.* laára
 today *Nom.* pelo
 toes *Nom.* gòon
 lɛwɔn
 together
Adverbe. kun
 together and a
 stroke
Adverbe. waa
 toilet (go to the)
Verbe. goèrɛ
 kɔ
 Toma people
Nom. Toon
 tomato
Nom. tamaati
 tomb *Nom.* gere
 yala
 tomorrow *Nom.* a
 lɛawaa
Nom. bië
 tom-tom (generic)
Nom. mäa
 tom-tom mother
Nom. damale
 n

tone *Nom.* lɛn
 tongue *Nom.* lɛwɔn
 too
conjonction. d
 ɔ
 too much *expr v. . á*
 la yii ni
Verbe. kɔsɛ
 tooth *Nom.* sɔ
 topic *Nom.* sii
 tormented and
 aggressive
Nom. birisi
 tortoise
Nom. koolaa
 toss in order to
 choose
Verbe. zulu
 total
Adjectif. tum
 u
 touch *Verbe.* da-a
 tough
Adjectif. kɛnk
 ən
 town *Nom.* kɛ
Nom. kiwi
 trace *Nom.* basa
Nom. göë

track *Nom.* basa
Nom. göë
 trade *Verbe.* lon kɔ
 trader
Nom. pii-kɔl
 e
 trading *Verbe.* gɔn
 bɔyaa
 tradition
Nom. landa
 trail *Nom.* basa
Nom. göë
 trample *Verbe.* tɔɔ
 ... la
 tranquil
Adjectif. kiïni
 transfer several
 times
Verbe. kakan
 aa
 transform
Verbe. bɔyaa
 transplant
Verbe. zumu
 trap *Nom.* kan
 travel luggage
Nom. dúgu
 traverse
Verbe. kuru

tree *Nom.* da
 tree (kind) *Nom.* tĩĩ
 da
 tree fruit *Nom.* da
 nε
 tree stump *Nom.* da
 giala piri
 tree trunk *Nom.* da
 giala
 tremble *Verbe.* bìn
 da
 trial
Nom. damag
 ʒĩli
 tribal war
Nom. bundu
 trip *Verbe.* talaa
 tripping over the
 opponent
Nom. sɛn
 trouble *Nom.* baasi
Verbe. ɓɓɓɓ
 n
 trousers
Nom. kurusi
 true
Adjectif. sonb

ore
Adjectif. taãn
Adjectif. taãn
 ε
 truly
Adverbe. pars
 iini
Adverbe. taãn
 -taãɛ
 truth
Nom. sonbor
 e
 try *Verbe.* zɔʒ ...
 li
 tummy *Nom.* nò
 turkey *Nom.* kokolo
 turn *Verbe.* bibiã
Verbe. ɓɔyaa
Verbe. kanaa
 turn around
Verbe. ɩε goa
 turn black *Verbe.* tii
 turn off *Verbe.* nimi
 turn on *Verbe.* tɛ
 koa
 turtle *Nom.* koolaa
 turtle dove

Nom. dangɔɔ
 ɔn
 turtle shell
Nom. koolaa
 tɔn
 turtle-dove
Nom. kékuu
Nom. wurun
 turtle-dove (kind)
Nom. tonfuii
 n
 twilight *Nom.* wasa
 yii siε-a
 twin
Nom. bɛɛɛma
 n
 twist *Nom.* ɓɔʒsaã
Verbe. kɔɔ
 twisted
Adjectif. kɔɔ
 two *numéral.* paa
 two by two
Adverbe. pap
 aa

ugly

ugly

Adjectif. **ḅḅḅε**

ε

quick *Verbe.* **yii fuu**

building *Nom.* **kion**

sulphur *Nom.* **kiribi**

umlaut

Nom. **kirəəm**

alañ ban

unblock *Verbe.* **bũ**

undefined number

Nom. **dan**

under

postposition. **g**

iulun

underpants

Nom. **bëre**

understand

Verbe. **ma**

understanding

Nom. **ḅḅḅ ḅḅ**

ma

undress *Verbe.* **ḅḅḅ**

unexpected event

yáa

unique

Adjectif. **toto**

universe *Nom.* **ḅḅḅ**

unless *expr v. .* **á n**

ḅḅ...nε

yáa

unmarried

Nom. **giḅḅḅ**

ḅ

until *Adverbe.* **miεε**

yáa

V - v

verbal post-position

up *Nom.* **lon**

up to **yáa**

urinate *Verbe.* **ḅḅḅ**

ḅḅ

urine *Nom.* **lalaa**

Nom. **ḅḅḅ**

us (emphatic)

Pronom. **ḅḅḅε**

n

used *Adjectif.* **kun**

used (to be)

Verbe. **soe ḅḅ**

used to (be)

Verbe. **le mui**

... nε

vaccinate

Verbe. **nyàa**

fḅ

vagina *Nom.* **börḅ**

vain (to do

something

in) *Verbe.* **fḅ**

valley

Nom. **yankḅḅ**

ḅ basa

variety of cereal

Nom. **wii ḅḅḅ**

vegetable (kind)

Nom. **tũn**

vehicle *Nom.* **mubili**

vein *Nom.* **biε**

venom *Nom.* **səwo**

verb *Nom.* **sii**

zenaañ boo

nε

Nom. **zenaañ**

sii

verbal

post-position

postposition.
mala
postposition.
mali
postposition.
manε

verbal predicative
préd. n
préd. na
préd. ná
préd. nə
préd. nó
préd. tá

very (black,
smooth)
Adverbe. **kɔɔ**
ɔ

very (black)
Adverbe. **birib**
iri
Adverbe. **kirik**
iri

very (distant)
Adverbe. **piwɔ**
ʃ

very (far)
Adverbe. **haal**
ε haalε

very (heavy)
Adverbe. **dεdε**

dε
very (hot)
Adverbe. **bele**
nbelen
very (long, thin)
Adverbe. **polo**
lo
very (long)
Adverbe. **haal**
ε haalε
very (red)
Adverbe. **bon**
bon
very (white, clear)
Adverbe. **zen**
zen
very (white)
Adverbe. **paě**
paě
Adverbe. **piep**
ie
very bad
Adjectif. **bɔɔε**
ε
Adjectif. **zoar**
a
very close
Adjectif. **foě**
very fast

Adverbe. **bele**
nbelen
very hot
Adverbe. **zag**
azaga
very large
Adverbe. **pan**
apana
very large)
Adverbe. **para**
tatata
very long
Adverbe. **gini**
gini
very quickly
Adverbe. **dɔɔ**
dɔɔ
vestibule *Nom.* **dää**
victorious
Verbe. **piã**
victory
Nom. **gɔɔbaa**
view *Nom.* **yii a**
wɔɔ ye
village *Nom.* **kε**
Nom. **kiwi**
village chief
Nom. **kii**
villages belonging to

the former township of Toma
Nom. tookε
 villages forming part of the canton of Yaba, Biba
Nom. nyake
 violence
Nom. kakaar
 εbaa

violently (to blow)
Adjectif. fuuf
 uu
 viper *Nom.* b̄iri
Nom. k̄or̄nk
 an
 virgin land
Nom. tán
 kooro
 virtuous
Adjectif. pepe

re
 vision *Nom.* yii a
 w̄ɔɔ ye
 voice *Nom.* l̄ɛn
 vomit *Verbe.* pisəə
 vowel *Nom.* séwε
 nε dan
 vulture *Nom.* zèwo

W - w

wage tribal war
Verbe. bundu
 baa
 waist size
Nom. binbin
 wait *Verbe.* foo k̄ū
Verbe. yii da
 wait (imminent arrival)
Verbe. duǎ
 wake up *Verbe.* b̄ū
Verbe. yii kaa
 walk *Verbe.* t̄ɔ w̄ɔ
 walk around
Verbe. bibiǎ
 walk on knees

Verbe. kurum
 aa
 walking *Nom.* t̄ɔ
 walking around without a goal
Verbe. binbiri
 n b̄ɔ
 wall *Nom.* kion
 ḡò̄n̄ɔ̄
Nom. kisilε
 wall around the compound
Nom. kangun
 want *Verbe.* ga ... li
Verbe. z̄ɔ̄ɔ̄ ...

li
 want to *Verbe.* tá li
 war *Nom.* zia
 warbler *Nom.* koara
 bàan
 warlock
Nom. k̄onkoǎ
 warm *Adjectif.* fuu
Verbe. w̄ɔ̄
 warn *Verbe.* ḡɔ̄n
 waa...nε
 warthog *Nom.* don
 birii
 wash *Verbe.* pii
 wash yourself

Verbe. zoo
 wasp *Nom.* sinbiri
 watch *Verbe.* ga ...
 ganaa
Verbe. ga ...
 walan
Verbe. yiri
 kɔ... li
 watch over animals
Verbe. doa ...
 li
 water *Nom.* mu
 water jar
Nom. donkol
 on
 water place
Nom. pɛɛ
 water pot *Nom.* dɔn
 water-lily
Nom. bara
 wave *Verbe.* pipiri
 lon
 way *Nom.* gɔn
Nom. tɔɔ
Nom. zii
 way of walking
Adverbe. giãg
 iã

we *Pronom.* wɔ
pro(+préd). w
 ɔ
 weak
Adjectif. puus
 ə
 weaken *Verbe.* basã
 wealth *Nom.* naforo
 wear *Verbe.* gũ
 wear clothes)
Verbe. wɔ
 weave *Verbe.* tã
 weaver *Nom.* kòɔ
 weaver bird
Nom. sɛfuru
 wed *Verbe.* kɔn
 wɔ
 weed *Verbe.* woẽ
 week *Nom.* piizii
 weep *Verbe.* wuu
 pɛ
 weigh *Verbe.* zɔɔ
 welcome *Verbe.* kũ
 well
Adjectif. kɔɔn
 ɛ
Adverbe. sɔnb
 ɔraa

Adverbe. sɔnb
 ɔraanɛ
Nom. tũ
 well filled
Adverbe. burii
 well priced
Adjectif. giòm
 ɔ kɔɔn
 west
Nom. lɛnyɛɛn
 ɛ
 wet *Verbe.* basã
Adjectif. basiẽ
 nɛ
Adjectif. buru
 u
 what
*pro(interrogati
 ve).* wàa
 what ? *Adjectif.* mɛn
 what to do?
Verbe. baa
 lɔn
 wheel-shaped toy
Nom. gagana
 when
conjonction. b
 é
conjonction. b

è
 when? *Adverbe.* biĩ
 where
 Adverbe. maa
 where the water
 passes to flow
 into the river,
 around the
 river *Nom.* tà
 gòã
 whetstone *Nom.* lɛɛ
 which *Adjectif.* mɛn
 whip *Verbe.* duwəə
 whip (a child)
 Verbe. pɛnɛ
 whip made with
 small
 branches
 Nom. sěn
 whisper *Verbe.* boo
 zuzuu da
 Verbe. sè
 bisin pɛ
 whisper (to
 complain)
 Verbe. gungu
 nun si
 Verbe. zuũzu
 ũ si

whistle *Verbe.* lɛpii
 pɛ
 Nom. sepele
 whistling *Nom.* lɛpii
 whistling duck
 Nom. biě ma
 á gii diɛ
 white *Nom.* fu
 Adjectif. fuiin
 Adjectif. fuiin
 uun
 white (very)
 Adverbe. zen
 zen
 white person
 Nom. naasaa
 ra
 whiteness
 Nom. fubaa
 whitish *Adjectif.* fu
 giməə
 who
 pro(interrogati
 ve). die
 pro rel. . mɛn
 who (pl) *pro rel.*
 . mɛnɛn
 whole
 Adjectif. kutu

ru
 Adjectif. tum
 u
 why
 adv(interr). w
 àa na á baa
 wicked
 Adjectif. bara
 a
 widow *Nom.* giɔɔɔ
 widower
 Nom. giɔɔɔ
 width of a thing
 Nom. pəməb
 aa
 wife's brother
 Nom. goã
 wife's sister
 Nom. goã
 wild animal
 Nom. don
 màn
 wild animal (kind)
 Nom. yüu
 wild fruit
 Nom. nɛmiɛ
 wild yam
 Nom. kɛsiě
 wilderness

Nom. don
 will *aux.* die
Nom. dùũ
Nom. foo sii
 win *Verbe.* ɔɔɔ
 wind *Nom.* piě
 wind and dust
Nom. taãlan
 piě
 wind up
Verbe. pɛnɛ
 window
Nom. fenɛtər
 ə
 wine *Nom.* duvẽ
 wing *Nom.* nyàa
 wing of the nose
Nom. nyin
 kãra
 winner *Nom.* gɔ̃ɔ
 winnow *Verbe.* suu
 wipe *Verbe.* tuturu
 wisdom
Nom. sii-doě
 wish *Nom.* dùũ
Verbe. tá li
 witch doctor
Nom. wúlu-b

ɔle
 witchcraft
Nom. kɔ̃kɔã
 baa
 with *Adverbe.* ka
 ... nɛ
Adverbe. kun
conjunction. la
 anka
 with respect to
postposition. s
 ɛ
 withdraw *Verbe.* si
 ... la
 withdraw the
 promise
Verbe. lɛ bɔ
 witness *Nom.* siére
Verbe. siére
 bɔ
 witness (to)
Verbe. siére
 baa
 wizard
Nom. kɔ̃kɔã
 wizardry
Nom. kɔ̃kɔã
 baa
 woe *Nom.* baasi

woman *Nom.* ɔ
 women-owned
 garden
Nom. karasa
 wonder
Nom. kaãbaa
 sii
 woo *Verbe.* wɔ ...
 lɛ
 wood *Nom.* gɔ̃n
 wood holder
Nom. giã
 wooden dish
Nom. kúnu
 woodpecker
Nom. dakoko
 word *Nom.* boo
 work *Nom.* di
 work (to) *Verbe.* di
 nya
 worked earth
Nom. tii
 worker
Nom. di-nyal
 i
 worker hired for
 money
Nom. diě
 working group

world

Nom. tɔn

world *Nom.* duniya

Nom. kanaa

worm *Nom.* nyuun

worry *Nom.* taasiɛ

worth more

Verbe. soɛ

worthless thing

Nom. m̀an

kooro

wound *Nom.* bayɛɛ

Nom. busule

Verbe. sɔɔ

wrap *Verbe.* pɛnɛ

wrath *Nom.* foo

yoo

wrestle *Verbe.* ɔɔ bɔ

wrestler *Nom.* ɔɔ

bɔle

wrestling *Nom.* ɔɔ

wrestling ground

Nom. bɔɔ

young pods of dawadawa

wring *Nom.* bɔɔsaã

wring out

Verbe. mu

bɔɔ

wrist *Nom.* ɔɔn wìi

wristband

Nom. bɔlo

write *Verbe.* kiẽ

Y - y

yam *Nom.* kuu

yard *Nom.* sumu

yarn *Nom.* ɔ̀ɛɛ

yawn *Verbe.* ɛ-koo

bɔ

yawning

Nom. ɛ-koo

yeah *interj.* haã

interj. hiĩ

year *Nom.* ɛ̀

yeast *Nom.* ɔɔ bù

yell *Verbe.* ɛ dɛ

yellow *Adjectif.* kùsi

yep *interj.* hiĩ

yes *interj.* haã

interj. hiĩ

interj. yoo

yesterday

Nom. gunun

yet *Adverbe.* doo

yhey *pro(+préd).* ò

ná

yoke *Nom.* zũu

you

Pronom. kase

n

Pronom. n

pro(+préd). ò

you pl. *Pronom.* ka

pro(+préd). k

á

you sg.

Pronom. nse

young

Adjectif. bɔɔ

n

Adjectif. ten

young man

Nom. tɔntɔra

a

young pods of

dawadawa

Nom. koẽ-bɔɔ

ɔn

young woman

zero

young woman
Nom. **lɔ ten**
younger brother
Nom. **diě**
younger sister

Nom. **diě**
your
possessive. **ka**
a

possessive. **n**
yourself *pro réfl.* **n**

Z - z

zenith *Nom.* **baã**

zero *Nom.* **kooro**