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Qaalla Borraasincho*

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**Sidaama - Amharic - English  
Dictionary**



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Attansiisaanchu qooso agarroonnite

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ነዉ.

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## **Preface**

The preparation of this dictionary started in 2000. It was initiated by the cultural department of Sidaama zone and conducted by a group of experts namely Sileshi Worqneh, Indrias Tamiso, Yohannis Latamo and Dessalegn Gaarsamo. The then first draft document was evaluated by Eva Gutt in 2003. This final document is prepared by the Ethiopian Languages Research Center.

As Gutt's evaluation report (2003) indicates the first draft document needed lots of editorial, proofreading and other works such as inclusion and translation of new entries, typing etc. In this final preparation, we have considered Gutt's evaluation and benefited a lot from her report. As we got only less than one fourth of the document in electronic copy, typing the rest document was done in our Center. We have entered more than 100 Sidaama words which we found them very basic but not included in the first draft document, of course, with their translations in Amharic and English. Moreover, we have made lots of editorial and proofreading works. However, due to the vastness of the needed revision work and shortness of time assigned for it, we do not feel that this dictionary is without errors. As one way of making the dictionary user friendly, we have included a short description of Sidaama grammar in the appendix.

The primary aim in preparing this dictionary is to contribute for the standardization of the Sidaama Language. Sidaama is a recently codified language and has started to be used as a medium of instruction in elementary schools and as a language of administration in the Sidaama Zone Administration. There is a need for both students and teachers of Sidaama to consult texts written in Amharic and/ or English as additional reference. Furthermore, as Amharic is a federal working language of Ethiopia and English a language of instruction for most subjects in secondary and tertiary education in the country, students who got primary



education in Sidaama and who wish to pursue their education further need to study English and knowing Amharic would be helpful in their interaction. Hence, this dictionary is also hoped to be a great help to native Sidaama speakers who are pursuing further study in English as well as for students and teachers of Sidaama, wherever Sidaama language is used as a medium of instruction. Moreover, as the basic entry language is Sidaama, needless to say, this dictionary is of great help for Amharic and English speakers who wish to study Sidaama.

#### The Sidaama Language

Sidaama is a term used in English literature to refer both to the language and the people. Amharic speakers call the Sidaama language Sidamignna. The self designated name is Sidaama, referring to the people and *Sidaamu afoo* or *Sidaamu qaale* which literally means 'mouth of Sidaama' and 'words of Sidaama' respectively for the language.

Sidaama is a Cushitic language closely related to Hadiyya, Kembata, Gedeo and Burji which forms along with them the branch known as Highland East Cushitic. It is one of the major languages of Ethiopia where its speakers are estimated to be 3.7 million (Gutt 2003). Although Sidaama is spoken in relatively a vast area which comprises the present Sidaama zone, estimated to be ca. 6793 Km<sup>2</sup>, and in other areas such as Arsi, Bale, Gedeo and Jemjem where they live surrounded by other speakers, only little dialectal difference is observed.

Although Sidaama is one of the major languages of Ethiopia spoken by a large number of people, it is reduced to writing very recently in the 1970's when the former regime introduced literacy campaign in 15 local languages. At present Sidaama is used as a working language of the Sidaama zone administration and medium of instruction in elementary schools in this administrative zone.

### The Sidaama writing system: Pronunciation guide

For the literacy campaign in the 1970's Sidaama had adopted the traditional Ethiopian Script. However, when the present government allows and encourages the use of vernacular languages for administration and primary education purposes in their respective regions (where they are spoken), Sidaama has adopted the Latin script. The Sidaama script which is called Fidalla has 33 symbols. Among these 26 of them are single digit and the remaining 7 are two digit letters. The 26 single digit letters are those found in Latin script as found in English and the seven two digit letters are ch, dh, ny, ph, sh, ts and zh.

In Fidalla, like in English both capital letters and small letters are used. The small letters are called *Shimmaadda Fidalla* and the capital *Jajjabba Fidalla*.

#### SHIIMMAADDA FIDALLA

|    |    |   |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| a  | b  | c | d  | e  | f  | g  | h  |
| i  | j  | h | k  | l  | m  | n  | o  |
| p  | q  | r | s  | t  | u  | v  | w  |
| x  | y  | z | ch | dh | ny | ph | sh |
| ts | zh |   |    |    |    |    |    |

#### JAJJABBA FIDALLA

|    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|----|
| A  | B  | C  | D  | E  | F  | G | H | I  |
| J  | K  | L  | M  | N  | O  | P | Q | R  |
| S  | T  | U  | V  | W  | X  | Y | Z | CH |
| DH | NY | PH | SH | TS | ZH |   |   |    |

The phonemic reading/representation of the aforementioned Fidalla symbols is given below in the International Phonetic Alphabet. Its representation to the Amharic script is also given below.

|   |          |    |          |
|---|----------|----|----------|
| a | /አ/ /a/  | r  | /ር/ /r/  |
| b | /ብ/ /b/  | s  | /ሲ/ /s/  |
| c | /ሮ/ /c/  | t  | /ት/ /t/  |
| d | /ድ/ /d/  | u  | /ኡ/ /u/  |
| e | /ኤ/ /e/  | v  | /ቫ/ /v/  |
| f | /ፍ/ /f/  | w  | /ወ/ /w/  |
| g | /ግ/ /g/  | x  | /ኧ/ /x/  |
| h | /ሀ/ /h/  | y  | /ይ/ /y/  |
| i | /ኢ/ /i/  | z  | /ዝ/ /z/  |
| J | /ጅ/ /j/  | ch | /ቸ/ /ç/  |
| k | /ክ/ /k/  | dh | /ድ/ /ð/  |
| l | /ል/ /l/  | ny | /ኝ/ /ɲ/  |
| m | /ም/ /m/  | ph | /ኸ/ /pʰ/ |
| n | /ን/ /n/  | sh | /ሻ/ /ʃ/  |
| o | /ኦ/ /o/  | ts | /ፅ/ /sʰ/ |
| p | /ፑ/ /p/  | zh | /ጅ/ /ʒ/  |
| q | /ቅ/ /kʰ/ |    |          |

In Sidaama writing system vowel length and consonant gemination are phonemic and they are represented by doubling the symbol in question and glotalization is marked by ' as in *ku'u* 'that'. The Sidaama writing system is, in general, a phonemic writing system. Words are written often as they are pronounced. Due to this fact, in this dictionary no additional pronunciation guide, i.e. transliteration is included.

#### Abbreviations

Only few abbreviations are used in this dictionary. Most of these abbreviations are g a Sidaama equivalent for v, verb, sl a Sidaama equivalent for adj, adjective, s a Sidaama equivalent for n, noun, s or si = singular, pl= plural, m.= masculine, f. = feminine, Amh. or amh. = Amharic and Eng. or Ing = English.

## Using the dictionary

### Entries

This Sidaama–Amharic–English dictionary has a great many entries. As the source language of the dictionary is Sidaama, the entries are arranged in the alphabetical order of the Sidaama script.

### Headwords

Every entry begins with a headword followed by grammatical information and then by the Amharic and English translations.

### Examples

|              |   |                        |  |
|--------------|---|------------------------|--|
| aancha       | g | ማስከተል፣ ማስጠጋት፣<br>ማከታተል | to cause to come next, to be<br>succession, to be helpful to |
| aaniidi gano | s | ላዕላዊ መዋቅር              | surface structure, superstructure                            |

When two or more of the source language words have similar spelling or pronunciation, each entered as a headword on its own separated by different numbers.

### Examples

|                   |   |                                  |   |
|-------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|
| aana <sup>1</sup> | g | መከታተል፣ መቀራረብ፣<br>መጠጋት            | to follow, be next to come after, to<br>approach, to have relation with, to<br>rely up on or on |
| aana <sup>2</sup> | s | ላይ፣ ላይኛው በኩል፣<br>ውጫዊ በኩል ወይም ገፅታ | out side, the outer side surface, the<br>outer part, the external appearance                    |
| aana <sup>3</sup> |   | በላይ                              | on, over  |

Although not all Sidaama derivatives are exhaustively treated in this dictionary, the basic ones are entered on their own as headwords.

### Examples:

|                 |   |                         |   |
|-----------------|---|-------------------------|---|
| aanaancho       | s | ተከታታይ፣ ተከታይ             | next, sequential, following, (grammar)  |
| aanaancho qoṅqo |   | ተከታታይ ድምፅ<br>(ሰዋሰው)     | consecutive sound or phoneme, (grammar)                                       |
| (afuu jirte)    | s |                         |   |
| aancha          | g | ማስከተል፣ ማስጠጋት<br>፣ ማከታተል | to cause to come next, to be friend, to be<br>in succession, to be helpful to |

Although in some cases, plural and singular words are entered on their own as headwords, in some cases, only a singular form is entered and then the plural marker or the plural word form is given in the same entry as in the following.

**Examples**

bagadaancho /-ano/sl  
balaxaancho  
/balaxaano/

ጦረኛ፣ ጦረኝነት  
ቀዳሚ፣ ቀዳሚነት፣  
ቀዳሚዎች

warrior, warriors  
one who precedes  
one who precedes those  
who precede

**Cross-reference**

When a head word has a similar meaning with the other, then cross-reference is made as is in the following example.

**Examples**

agaule (agaagule lai)s ለንጉል ('agaagule' ን ተመልከቱ) what is hindered, interrupted  
(see 'agaagule')

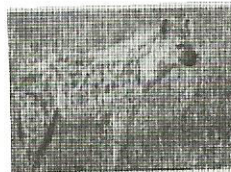
**Illustrations**

Some illustrative pictures are also provided in the dictionary.

Examples:  
ambooma s

ጹብ

hyena





### Grammatical information

For most of the Sidaama word entries the class to which they belong is given.

#### Examples:

|             |   |         |                |
|-------------|---|---------|----------------|
| dudubba     | s | ዜናዎች    | news           |
| duduwa      | g | ዜና ማቅረብ | to report news |
| duduwaancho |   | ወራኛ     | talkative      |
| sl          |   |         |                |

When a headword has different forms for feminine and masculine then such grammatical information is also given especially in the target languages.

#### Examples:

|            |    |         |                           |
|------------|----|---------|---------------------------|
| baararaame | sl | ቋቋም /ሴ/ | one who has impetigo (f.) |
|------------|----|---------|---------------------------|

### Translations

For each Sidaama entry word first the Amharic translation and then the English are given. When there is no natural equivalent word for the Sidaama entry (word) in the target languages, i.e. when it is difficult to make a word by word translation, then a more elaborate definition is provided.

#### Examples:

|          |   |                     |  |
|----------|---|---------------------|--|
| nageessa | g | ሰላም ማስፈን፣ ከአደጋ ማውጣት | to bring peace, to bring out of danger |
|----------|---|---------------------|--|

When a headword has different meanings or equivalents in the target languages, then these different meanings are given separated by numbers in the target languages.

#### Examples:

|        |   |  |  |
|--------|---|--|--|
| affino | s | 1. ጉዳዩን ለውይይት ይፋ የማድረግ ሁኔታ<br>2. ግልባጭ (ደብዳቤ) | 1. the act of opening the floor for discussion<br>2. carbon copy of an official letter |
|--------|---|--|--|

aa

|  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| aa                                     | መስጠት  | to give   |
| aada s                                 | ጥሩ፣ የተሻለ፣                                   | good, better, usual,  |
| aada -assa g                           | የተሰመደ፣ ሥርአት<br>ፀጥ ማሰኘት፣ ሥርአት<br>ማስያዝ        | calm.<br>to make calm, to<br>behave in a proper<br>way, to be good                                |
| aada-ikka s                            | ፀጥ ማለት፣ ሥርአት<br>መያዝ፣ ጥሩ መሆን                 | to become calm, to<br>behave in proper way  |
| aadde sl                               | ጋሼ /ጋሽዬ/፣ አብዬ /አባቴ/                         | to be good<br>the word used in<br>addressing a man<br>older than one self or<br>elder than father |
| addi qallo ('addeenu<br>qallo' lai) sl | በኩር (ለአነሰሳ)<br>(‘addeenu qallo’ ን<br>ተመልከት) | firstborn (of animals)<br>(see ‘addeenu<br>qallo’)  |
| addi-qalcho s                          | በኩር (ለአነሰሳ)                                 | a cow that has<br>brought forth for the<br>first time   |
| aaddo <sup>1</sup> s                   | የሚች የመጨረሻ<br>እስትንፋስ                         | the last vital spirit of<br>somebody who is<br>near to die through<br>sickness                    |
| aaddo <sup>2</sup> sl                  | በጣም ከሲታ (እስትንፋስ<br>ብቻ የቀረው)                 | skinny, thin  |
| aaga <sup>1</sup> s                    | ሁኔታ   | condition, situation  |
| aaga <sup>2</sup> gl                   | በፍጹም፣ ፈጽሞ                                   | completely  |
| aaganka gl                             | በፍጹም፣ እንዲያውም<br>(ለወንድ)                      | completely (m)  |
| aaganta gl                             | በፍጹም፣ እንዲያውም<br>(ለሴት)                       | completely (f)  |
| aagintaawa g                           | ኅሰሃ መግባት፣ መፀፀት፣<br>ይቅርታ መጠየቅ                | to repent, to fill<br>remorse for wrong<br>doing  |



aakki yaa

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|                               |   |                               |   |
|-------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|
| aakki yaa                     |   | አክ ማለት                        | to make a sound in the throat before spitting, to clear one's throat                      |
| aakko                         | s | አክታ                           | phlegm  |
| aalo                          | s | ወግ፣ ልምድ፣ ሥርዐት                 | custom, tradition, the way of living or behaving  |
| aana <sup>1</sup>             | g | መከታተል፣ መቀራረ፣ መጠጋት             | to follow, be next to come after, to approach, to have relation with, to rely up on or on |
| aana <sup>2</sup>             | s | ላይ፣ ላይኛው በኩል፣ ውጫዊ በኩል ወይም ገፅታ | out side the outer side of surface, the outer part, the external appearance               |
| aana <sup>3</sup>             |   | በላይ                           | on, over  |
| aanaancho                     | s | ተከታታይ፣ ተከታይ                   | next, following, sequential, following, (grammar)   |
| aanaancho qoonqo (afuu jirte) | s | ተከታታይ ድምፅ (ሰዋሰው)              | consecutive sound or phoneme, (grammar or phonology)                                      |
| aancha                        | g | ማስከተል፣ ማስጠጋት፣ ማከታተል           | to cause to come next, to be fried, to be succession, to be helpful to                    |
| aaniidi gano                  | s | ላዕላዊ መዋቅር                     | surface structure, superstructure   |
| aaniidi suude                 | s | ላዕላዊ ቅርፅ                      | surface structure, superstructure, internal appearance                                    |

aaniido

|                       |  |  |
|-----------------------|--|--|
| aaniido               | ላይኛው በኩል፣<br>ውጫዊ ገፅታ፣ ውጫዊ<br>በኩል                 | out side, the outer<br>side or surface, the<br>outer part, the<br>external appearance        |
| aanno s               | ነጭ አፈር /ኖራ/                                      | white ash, soil,<br>plaster, lime  |
| aantaancho kiiro s    | ተከታታይ ሙሉ ቁጥር                                     | successor (whole<br>number)  |
| aante s               | ቅደም ተከተል፣ ስደራ<br>፣ ቅርበት                          | sequence, order,<br>succession, relation   |
| aantete kiiro s       | ተራ ቁጥር   | roll number  |
| aantete waaxo         | ስርት ጥንድ  | order pair   |
| aantimma s            | ተከታታይነት  | the state of following<br>each other   |
| aantimma fixooma s    | የስርት-የሻዊ ተዛምዶ                                    | ordering relation  |
| aara <sup>1</sup> g   | መቆጣት፣ መንደድ<br>(በሰው ላይ)                           | to be angry, to be<br>annoyed, to lose<br>temper   |
| aara <sup>2</sup> s   | ንደጎት፣ ቁጣ ፣<br>ብስጭት፣ መበሳጨት                        | anger, rage  |
| aarama <sup>1</sup> g | መንደድ፣ መቆጣት፣<br>መበሳጨት                             | to be angry, to be<br>annoyed, to lose<br>temper   |
| aarama <sup>2</sup> g | መንደድ፣ መቆጣት፣<br>መበሳጨት                             | recipient get angry<br>with somebody   |
| aaramaancho s         | ተናዳጅ፣ ብስጭ፣<br>ቁጣ (ነጠላ)                           | irate, furious, angry<br>(s)   |
| aarammaano s          | ተነዳጆች፣ ብስጭዎች፣ ቁጡ<br>ዎች                           |  |
| aarsa g               | መነደድ፣ መበሳጨት                                      | to irate, make<br>annoyed  |
| aassuncho s           | ድርሻ  | share  |
| aayyo <sup>1</sup> s  | እሜት! እነት<br>(በተለይ በስነቃል<br>ውስጥ የሚጠቀሙበት ቃል<br>ነው) | very similar to noun,<br>mother (it is used)<br>especially in wedding<br>songs (lullaby etc) |


aayyo2 s

|                               |                            |   |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| aayyo <sup>2</sup> s          | የሴት ሰይጣን ስም                | name of a female demon (f)  |
| abaakase                      | አባከስ                       | abacus  |
| abba <sup>1</sup> g           | ማምጣት                       | to bring  |
| abba <sup>2</sup> (abbabba) s | አባ፣ አባባ (ለቄስ)              | daddy, papa, father (title given to a priest or a name used in addressing a priest) or (father) |
| abbaa g (Oro)                 | አባት (በልጅ ስም ለመጠራት) የሚጠቀሙበት | father (a name used in addressing a man using the name of his eldest child)                     |
| abbaa gosho s                 | ትክል ድነጋይ                   | phallic stone, a stone set up as a monument   |
| abbala g                      | መግደል                       | to kill   |
| abbalama g                    | መሞት                        | to die  |
| abbi'ra g                     | ማምጣት (ለራስ)                 | to bring for oneself  |
| abbi'raancho s                | አስመጪ፣ አምጪዎች (ለራስ)          | the one who brings something for oneself (ref)  |
| abbi'raano s                  | አምጪዎች                      | those who bring sth for themselves  |
| abbichcho s                   | በቅርቡ የተፋቀ ለጋ ቆጮ            | food from a false banana not yet good to be prepared for eating                                 |
| abbisiisa g                   | ማስመጣት                      | to cause sb to bring sth  |
| abbisiisaancho s              | አስመጪ                       | the one who cause to bring (noun in causative form sb)  |
| abbisiisaano s                | አስመጪዎች (ብዙ)                | those who have s/o bring sth  |
| abbisiisi'ra g                | ማስመጣት (ለራስ)                | to cause to bring for one self  |

abbisiisi'raano s

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| abbisiisi'raano s           | አስመጪዎች (ለራስ) (ብዙ)                         | who causes s/o to bring sth (pl)  |
| abbo                        | አጎት /የአነት ወንድም/ (ነጠላ)                     | uncle (the mother's brother) (s)  |
| abbookehu s                 | ጅግነው፣ ጃል፣ ደፋሩ (በሲዳሚኛው ውስጥ ቃሉ እንደ ስም ይገባል) | valiant, courageous (with a def article, in the source language the word is used as a noun) |
| abbooshsha g                | ቅሬታ                                       | complaint, grievance  |
| abbooshsha macciishsha g    | ቅሬታ መስማት                                  | to hear grievance or complaint  |
| abbooshshi'ra s             | ቅሬታ መግለፅ፣ ቅር መሰኘት                         | to complain   |
| abbooshshi'raa-ncho s       | ቅሬታ አሰሚ (ነጠላ)                             | the one who complains (s)   |
| abbooshshi'raa-no s         | ቅሬታ አሰሚዎች (ብዙ)                            | those who complain (pl)   |
| abbooshshu s                | ቅሬታ ሰሚ                                    | a body hearing grievance or complaint (s)   |
| macciishshaan-cho s         |   | complaint (pl)  |
| abbooshshu macciishshaano s | ቅሬታ ሰሚዎች (ብዙ ቁጥር)                         | bodies hearing grievance or complaint (pl)  |
| abbuwa s                    | አጎቶች /የአነት ወንድሞች/ (ብዙ)                    | uncles (the fathers brother) (pl)   |
| abimma s                    | አጎትነት                                     | state of being an uncle   |
| aboore s                    | አቦሬ፣ አነኮላ                                 | cup or large drinking vessel made of a gourd  |
| abukaato s                  | አቮካዶ                                      | avocado   |

abunichcha

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| abunichcha    | አቡኖ (ነጠላ)   | bishop (s)   |
|               |   |                        |
| abuunoota s   | አቡኖት፣ አቡኖች (ብዙ)                                   | archbishops (pl)   |
| ada s         | አክስት /የአባት እህት (ነጠላ)                              | aunt (the father's sister) (s)   |
| adaada s      | አክስቴ /አክስትነ ለመጥራት የምነጠቀምበት ስም (የአባት ነ/የእናትን እህት)  | a name used in addressing aunt (father's sister)   |
| adaara g      | ለመስዋእትነት የሚታረደውኖ አነሰሳ አጋድሞ ተገቢውኖ ፀሎት ማድረስ         | to offer a propitiatory sacrifice pronouncing the corresponding prayer                                   |
| adakkaana g   | ማቀላቀል፣ መነከር                                       | to mix something with sth., to add something with, to add something to, to soak (esp food in fresh milk) |
| adakkaana n   | በትኩስ ወተት የተለወሰ ወይም የተነከረ ምግብ፣ ትኩስ ወተት የተጨመረበት ምግብ | food soaked in milk, food with fresh milk added to it  |
| adalcho s     | አደይ አበባ (ነጠላ)                                     | the yellow flower that blossoms in september(s)  |
| adale s       | አደይ አበባ (ጥቅል)                                     | the yellow flower that blossoms in september (pl)  |
| adansa g      | ማድባት  | to stalk, to lurk  |
| adawa agaro s | የፀጥታ ጥበቃ  | peace keeping  |



adawa agarsiisa

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| adawa agarsiisa<br>adawa <sup>1</sup> . g     | ፀጥታ ማስከበር<br>አደብ መግዛት                    | keeping peace<br>to be polite, behave<br>in a proper way, to<br>be clam, quiet,<br>peaceful, to improve<br>one's behavior. |
| adawa <sup>2</sup> . s                        | አደብ፣ ፀጥታ                                 | politeness, good<br>manners, quietness,<br>betterment  |
| adawa <sup>3</sup> s                          | ፀጥታ ያለው፣<br>ሰላማዊ፣ ሥነሥርዐት<br>ያለው (ጨዋታ)    | quiet, peaceful, well<br>behaved (adj.)  |
| adawadha g                                    | መፎከር፣ መፈክር ማሰማት                          | to utter war-boasts,<br>to shout slogans   |
| adawarsha s<br>adawata g                      | ፉክራ፣ መፈክር<br>አደብ ማስገዛት፣ ፀጥ<br>ማለት፣ መሻሻል  | war-boast, slogan<br>to be polite, behave<br>in a proper way, to be<br>clam quiet, peaceful,<br>to improve                 |
| adawisa g                                     | አደብ ማስገዛት፣ ፀጥ<br>ማድረግ                    | to make someone<br>behave properly   |
| adawo s                                       | ፀጥታ                                      | peace, welfare,<br>tranquility   |
| adawu agaro torbi<br>mine s                   | የፀጥታ ጥበቃ ምክር ቤት                          | the security council   |
| adawu agaro wolqa s<br>adawu                  | የፀጥታ ጥበቃ ኃይል<br>የፀጥታ አስከባሪ ኃይል           | peace keeping force<br>peace keeping force   |
| agarsiisaancho wolqa<br>adda <sup>1</sup> . s | እውነት ፣ ሃቅ፣<br>( 'halaale'ን ተመልከት)        | reality, truth,<br>credibility (see«<br>halaale»)  |
| adda <sup>2</sup> . s<br>addaa s              | ለብቻ፣ በተለይ<br>ወይዘራት፣ ወዳጅ ሴቶች<br>የሚጠሩበት ስም | separately<br>miss (title given for<br>an unmarried woman,<br>a name or title used   |

A name or title used by girls addressing their

Coevals)

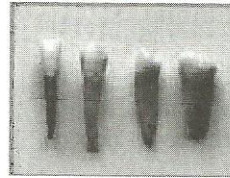
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| addaata <sup>3</sup>       | ቀጥታ፣ ፊት ለፊት፣ ትይዩ                             | straight, in front,<br>towards   |
| addaar s                   | ወዳጅ ወንዶች የሚጠሩበት ስም                           | title used by boys in<br>addressing the<br>coevals   |
| addaarro s                 | ተመሳሳይ  | identical, similar   |
| addaarrichcho sl           | ተመሳሳይነት፣ የተጣበቁ፣ መነታ የሆኑ ነገሮች ምሳሌ የእምቧይ ፍሬ    | identical, similar   |
| addaarrishsha sl           | ተመሳሳይነት                                      | identity, similarity   |
| addaata <sup>1</sup> . g   | መድፈር   | to dare  |
| addaata <sup>2</sup> . s   | ደፋር  | courageous   |
| addama s                   | ዳማ (ከብት)                                     | brown (for animals)  |
| addata g                   | መድፈር፣ ስብሰባ መነነት፣ ማመነታት                       | to be bold, to violet<br>one's right, hesitate   |
| addawaana <sup>1</sup> . g | አንዲት ሴት የመረጠችውኖ ወንድ በገዛ ፈቃድዋ እስከቤቱ በመሄድ ማግባት | to run away from<br>parents and getting<br>married to a lover<br>(girl)  |
| addawaana <sup>2</sup> . s | የመረጡትን ወንድ እስከ ቤቱ ሄዶ በማግባት የሚፈጸም የጋብቻ ዓይነት   | marriage system<br>where a girl runs<br>away and marries a<br>man whom she<br>chooses a lover or<br>(going straightly to<br>his home), elopent |
| addaxxa g                  | መመነት፣ መተማመነ<br>፣ ማመነ                         | to have confidence in<br>someone, to be<br>proud of, to trust, to<br>rely on, to believe<br>that what one says is<br>true                      |
| adde s                     | ጊደር  | a young cow that has<br>not yet had a calf (a<br>heifer)   |



addeenna1.  
(‘kelleshsha’lai)

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| addeenna <sup>1</sup><br>(‘kelleshsha’lai) | የፊት ጥርስ(‘kelleshsha’ን ተመልከት) | incisor (tooth) the front teeth (see ‘kelleshsha’) |
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| addeenna <sup>2</sup> s<br>(shallago) | ትይዩ፣ እኩልእኩል (በሂሳብ)           | opposite to, parallel (mathematics)   |
| addeennim<br>-mate                    | እኩልነት፣ አንዳኝ እውኖ (በሂሳብ)       | parallel axiom (mathematics)  |
| eakiseeme<br>(shallago) s             |                              |   |
| addeennu hinko<br>(‘kelleshsha’lai)   | የፊት ጥርስ(‘kelleshsha’ን ተመልከት) | incisor (see ‘kelleshsha’)  |
| addeennu millo<br>(shallago) s        | ዕኩል እንቅስቃሴ (በሂሳብ)            | parallel movement (mathematics)   |
| addennu masmarra<br>(shallago) s      | ኩልኩል/ተንዳኝ መስመሮች (በሂሳብ)       | parallel lines (mathematics)  |
| addi s                                | ልዩ፣ የተለየ                     | separate, distinct, special   |
| addi addi s                           | ልዩ ልዩ                        | various, distinct, separate   |
| addichcho s                           | ቁብ፣ ጠቦት                      | pullet, lamb (young of hen, sheep or goat)  |
| addimeeno s                           | በነር፣ ያገባች ግን ገን ያልወለደች       | either ready to give or has recently given birth/or has produced eggs)<br>a woman who has not yet brought forth a child |

addimeenu lai.

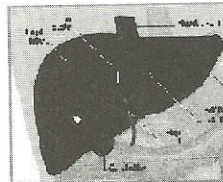
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| addimeenu lai <sup>1</sup> .                  | የበኩር ልጅ (ለሰው)                | the first child, first born                             |
| addimeenu qallo <sup>2</sup> .                | በኩር (ለእንስሳ)                  | first born, (of animals)                                |
| addimma s                                     | እውነተኛነት፣ ሀቀኛነት፣ እውኅ (በሂሳብ)   | truthfulness, reality, truth (mathematics)              |
| addimate gambooshshe s                        | እውኅ ስብስብ                     | truth set   |
| addimeeno ila g                               | የበኩር ልጅ መውለድ                 | to bring forth the first child                          |
| addinni g                                     | በተለይ                         | separately  |
| addintanni g                                  | እውነት፣ እጅግ በጣም                | reality, absolutely (an expression of oath/pledge)      |
| addintanni danacha addunynya ('ashile' lai) s | እጅግ በጣም ጥሩ ቡራኪ፣ በረከት፣ አዲኛ    | good, excellent blessing, wealth, abundance             |
| adha g  | መውሰድ፣ ማግባት (ለወንድ)            | to take, accept, to receive, to marry (of men)          |
| adhaano s                                     | አግቢዎች (የሚያገቡ)                | those who take or marry (pl)                            |
| adhama g                                      | መውሰድ፣ መጋባት፣ ማግባት (ለሴት)       | to be taken, to get married (of women)                  |
| adhamaancho                                   | የምትወስድ፣ የምታገባ                | one who will be taken, one who marries (of women)       |
| adhamme s                                     | ጋብቻ                          | marriage  |
| adhancho s                                    | ወላጅ፣ አግቢ /የሚያገባ/ ወላጅ         | one who takes for himself, one who marries (of men) (s) |
| adinyayaame s                                 | በረከት ያላት፣ በርካታ ሃብት ያላት (ሴት)  | wealthy, economizing, prosperous (women)                |
| adinynyaamo s                                 | በረከት ያለው፣ በርካታ ሀብት ያለው (ወንድ) | one who has plenty of, wealth (m)                       |

adinynye

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| adinynye       | አርቆ አሳቢነት ፣ በረከት                  | plentifulness, plenty of wealth, abundance   |
| ado            | ወተት፣ የእነሰት አይነት                   | milk, a name given for a type of false banana ('weese')  |
| aduma g        | አድማ                               | conspiracy   |
| aduma gana     | አድማ መምታት፣ ማደም                     | to conspire plot   |
| aduma s        | አድማ፣ ሴራ                           | conspiracy, plot   |
| adumaano s     | አድመኞች፣ አዳሚዎች፣ አድማ መቺዎች፣ ሴረኞች (ብዙ) | conspirators (pl)  |
| adumancho s    | አድመ፣ አዳሚ/አድማ መች/፣ ሴረኛ             | conspirator (m/f) (s)  |
| adurre s       | ድመት                               | cat (-s)   |
| adurroote s    | ድመቶች                              | cats   |
| aduu'la g      | ልጃገረድነ ለጋብቻ መጠየቅ፣ ማስጠየቅ (ለራስ)     | to court a girl with an intention of marrying her  |
| aduu'laancho s | ልጃገረድነ ለጋብቻ የሚያባብል፣ የሚጠይቅ (ለራስ)   | one who courts a girl in view of marrying her (refl)   |
| aduula g       | ልጃገረድ ማባባል፣ ማሳመን ፣ ለጋብቻ           | to cajole, coax, to persuade, to convince, talk to a girl on behalf of somebody (for marriage) |
| aduulaancho s  | የሚያባብል፣ ለጋብቻ የሚያስማማ (ልጃገረድነ)      | one who persuades, convinces one who talks to a girl on behalf of somebody (for marriage)      |

aduulama

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| aduulama           | መባበል፣ ለጋብቻ<br>መታለል፣ መስማማት<br>(ልጃገረድ)         | to be cajoled,<br>persuaded,<br>convinced, to be<br>convinced to marry,<br>to consent to marry<br>(for a girl) |
| aduulsha s         | የማባበል፣ የማስማማት<br>ሁኔታ                         | the act of persuading<br>or convincing   |
| aduwa s            | እክስቶች /የአባት እህቶች/<br>(ብዙ)                    | aunts (the father's<br>sisters) (pl)   |
| afa g              | ማወቅ፣ ማግኘት፣<br>ማየት                            | to know, to find, to<br>see  |
| afaaffa s          | ስለት፣ ከተፋጨ ስለት<br>ላይ የሚረገፉ ቃጫ መሰል<br>የብረት ብኛኝ | edge of blade, little,<br>dusty particles<br>dropping from the<br>edge of a blade after<br>wheating it.        |
| afaaffira g        | ማዛጋት፣ ማፋሽክ                                   | to yawn  |
| afaaffo s          | ማዛጋት፣ ማፈሽክ                                   | yawning (n)  |
| afaaleesa (-te) sl | አዋቂ፣ አዋቂ                                     | wise, lever (m/f)  |
| afalaale           | ማሰሮ (አነስተኛ የጠላ)                              | large clay pot for<br>boiling meat,<br>preparing local beer<br>(tella)   |
| afalaama s         | አፈላማ/አፋላማ                                    | penalty inflicted on<br>the owner of cattle<br>which have destroyed<br>or eaten the crop of<br>somebody else   |
| afale              | ጉበት፣ ደረት                                     | liver, chest   |
| afale s            | አፋፍ (የተራራ)                                   | edge of a mountain   |



afali-daqadho

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| afali-daqadho         | የተራራ ጎን፣ አፋፍ                                  | the side of a mountain, edge of a mountain                                    |
| afaliito s            | የጨንፍ በሽታ                                      | gastritis   |
| afama g               | መታወቅ፣ መገኘት                                    | to be known, to be found  |
| afansha g             | ምግብ በማቅረብ፣ ገንዘብ በመስጠት መርዳት                    | contribute (food) or other supplies to the needy.                             |
| afansha s             | ስጦታ /የምግብ ወይም በገንዘብ መልክ የሚሰጥ/                 | something that is offered as a gift (esp food, money)                         |
| afanynya sl           | አዋቂ፣ አስተዋይ                                    | wise, clever, thoughtful  |
| afatto s              | ርእስ፣ ጉዳይ /የውይይት/                              | topic, what is discussed in a meeting, agenda                                 |
| affino s              | 1. ጉዳዩን ለውይይት ይፋ የማድረግ ሁኔታ፣<br>2. ግልባጭ (ደብዳቤ) | the act of opening the floor for discussion/carbon copy of an official letter |
| affinomassa (warxa) g | ጉዳዩን ለውይይት ይፋ የማድረግ ወይም ማቅረብ                  | to present a topic or an agenda for discussion                                |
| afi g                 | አወቀ   | has been aware, he knew (m)   |
| afi 'raamo -e         | ባለፀጋ፣ ያለው/ያላት                                 | wealthy, rich, well-  |
| afiraano              | ሀብታሞች   | to-do (m, f) si   |
| afi'raamma /-e sl     | (ባለፀጎች፣ ያላቸው)                                 | wealthy, well-to-do (pl)  |
| afi'ra g              | ማግኘት  | to get, to find, to have, to become   |
| afi'ro s              | ሀብት፣ ጥብረት፣ ግኝት                                | wealthy<br>wealth, riches, goods, , reserve, or finding through a research    |



afibbeelimma

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| afibbeelimma                      | አለአዎቂነት                        | ignorance  |
| afibbeelo <i>sl</i>               | እውቀት የሌለው፣<br>ድንገተኛ            | without knowledge,<br>unexpected,<br>innocent, sudden      |
| afibbeelo <sup>1</sup> <i>gl</i>  | ባለማወቅ፣ በድንገት                   | without knowing,   |
| afimbeelo <sup>2</sup> <i>sl</i>  | ሳይጠበቅ፣ ድንገተኛ                   | suddenly,<br>unexpectedly                                  |
| afi gara <i>gl</i>                | በዘፈቀደ                          | arbitrarily, in a<br>disorder way                          |
| afigarcho <i>sl</i>               | ግድየለሽ፣ ነገህላል                   | careless, negligent  |
| afiido <i>gl</i>                  | በአፍ በኩል                        | towards the side of<br>the mouth                           |
| afii-farqo <i>s</i>               | ዘዬ /ቀበልኛ/                      | dialect  |
| afimala <i>gl</i>                 | በዘፈቀደ /ዝም ብሎ/፣<br>አለአዎቂ፣ ላይታሰብ | arbitrarily, in a<br>disorderly way,<br>negligently        |
| afimalcho <i>sl</i>               | መሃይም፣ አለአዎቂ                    | ignorant, without<br>knowledge                             |
| afisa <i>g</i>                    | ማሳወቅ                           | to let<br>(someone)know                                    |
| afisaancho                        | የሚያሳውቅ                         | one who lets   |
| afisaano <i>s</i>                 | የሚያሳውቁ (ብዙ)                    | (someone)know<br>those who let others<br>know              |
| afisiisa <i>g</i>                 | ማስታወቅ                          | to cause to know   |
| afoo <sup>1</sup> <i>s</i>        | አፍ፣ ቋንቋ                        | mouth/language   |
| afoo <sup>2</sup> <i>s</i>        | አፍ (የዕቃ የዕብጠት)                 | opening  |
| afoo -dadhaa <i>g</i>             | አፍ መፍታት                        | to start to utter one's<br>first language                  |
| afoo -fii'ra <i>g</i>             | አፍ ማበስ፣ አፍ መጥረግ                | to clean one's mouth<br>(refl.)                            |
| afoobowanynye-<br>hoo'le <i>g</i> | መቁረስ /ቁርስ መብላት/                | to have<br>(eat)breakfast                                  |
| afoo-fula <i>g</i>                | ሊጥገሩት የማይገባውጥ<br>ነገር መነገር      | to say something<br>improper, to call s/o<br>with bad name |

afoo-fushsha

|                       |                               |  |
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| afoo-fushsha          | ክፉ እንዲኖገሩ መገፋፋት               | to incite to say something improper /bad/ unpleasant, to provoke |
| afoo-fushshe- coyi'ra | g ክፍ አውጥቶ መነገር                | to talk openly, to talk without any fear                         |
| afooni                | gl በአፍ በኩል ('afiido' lai)     | from the side of the mouth (of the opening)                      |
| afoo-tidha            | g አፍ መፍታት                     | to start to utter one's first language                           |
| afuduuda              | s ጥቁር አዝሙድ                    | black cumin, thyme   |
| afuu bude             | s የቋንቋ ሥርዐት                   | a language system  |
| afuu qoonqo           | s የቋንቋ ድምፅ                    | speech sound   |
| afuu-jirte            | s ሰዋሰው                        | grammar  |
| afuullo               | s ሥነ ልሳነ                      | linguistics  |
| aga                   | g መጠጣት፣ መዘረፍ (በወረራ ክብት፣ ጥብረት) | to drink, to plunder (cattle, property)                          |
| agaagula <sup>1</sup> | g ማስተንጎል                      | to hinder, interrupt   |
| agaagule <sup>1</sup> | s አንጉል                        | hindrance, injustice   |
| agaagulichcha         | (sl)/tte/ የሚያስተንጉል            | swindler one who keeps on promising                              |
| agaagultoota          | sl የሚያስተንጉሉ                   | with out doing anything  |
| agaancho              | s ጠጪ፣ ዘራፊ (በወረራ ክብት፣ ነብረት)    | those who hinder a drunkard,                                     |
| agaano                | ጠጪዎች፣ ዘራፊዎች                   | plunderer (of cattle, property) drunkers/drunkerd, plunderes.    |
| agada                 | s አገዳ                         | cane, stalk, stump   |
| agadha                | g መከላከል፣ መጠበቅ፣ መጠነቀቅ          | to protect guard, to a wait (refl)                               |
| agadu                 | gide የአገዳ እህል                 | stalk crops  |



agana1.

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agana<sup>1</sup>.

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moon



agana<sup>2</sup>. (aganna)s

ወር  
ወሮች

month  
months

aganu-kkiirishsha  
aganynye s

የወር አቆጣጠር  
በመስራት ላይ ላለ ሰው  
ብርታት እንዲሰጠው  
ለመመኘት የምንጠቀምበት  
ቃል

calendar  
an expression used  
to wish success,  
to encourage  
somebody who is  
working (form field  
activites)  
to keep, guard,  
protect, to await, to  
preserve  
guardian, custodian,  
a goal keeper  
to be guarded,  
protected  
guardian, custodians,  
custody  
custody, guard,  
protection  
the act of guarding,  
protecting  
to cause to keep,  
guard, protect, await  
one who cause to  
guard others/or  
protect  
those who cause  
others to guard or  
protect

agara g

መጠበቅ

agaraancho s

ጠባቂ፣ ዘበኛ፣ በረኛ

agarama g

መጠበቅ

agare s

ጠባቂዎች፣ ዘቦች፣  
ጥበቃ

agaro s

ጥበቃ

agarooshshe s

አጠባበቅ

agarsiisa g

ማስጠበቅ

agarsiisaanch s  
agarsiisaano s

አስጠባቂ  
አስጠባቂዎች

agarsiisi'ra

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| agarsiisi'ra      | ማስጠበቅ (ለራስ)                    | to cause to guard,<br>protect (refl)   |
| agasaase s (ama)  | አጋሰስ                           | pack-horse or mule   |
| agashsho s        | አገዳ /አነድ/                      | one stump, stub,<br>stalk, stem (of<br>maize) or suger cane  |
| agashshote gufo s | የአገዳ አነን                       | small separating<br>point in sugar-cane,<br>maize, the joint of or<br>the short piece<br>between two joints<br>cut for chewing |
| agatto s          | መጠጥ፣ አጠጣጥ፣<br>ምርኮ(የከብት፣ የነብረት) | a drink, the act of<br>drinking, capture,<br>property taken in<br>plunder  |
| aggaare s         | አጋር፣ አባሪ፣ ተባባሪ                 | an ally, collaborator,<br>partner  |
| aggaxxa g         | መከራራት፣ መመነት                    | to be proud, to<br>behave proudly  |
| agi g             | ጠጣ/ጠጭ/                         | drink (an expression of<br>given sb. to drink sth.)  |
| agishsho s        | ዝነጅሮ (ለሴት)                     | the wife of the<br>monkey, female<br>monkey  |
| ago s             | መጠጥ                            | a drink (n)  |
| agooda s          | ትከሻ፣ ፍርጣሜ፣<br>ድነዳኔ             | the shoulder, the part<br>of the arm next to the<br>shoulder   |
| agoodaamo/ -me sl | ደረተሰፊ፣ ደረታም፣<br>ፈርጣሚ፣ ደነደሳም፣   | one with a broad<br>chest, strong (m, f)   |
| agoodaamma sl     | ደነዳሎች፣ ትከሻ ሰፋፊዎች               | muscular, bony<br>sturdy, broad-<br>shouldered<br>broad-shoulderd  |

agulaawa


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| agulaawa                                    | መስተጓጎል                         | to be hindered,<br>interrupted,<br>suspended  |
| agulsiisa <i>g</i>                          | ማስተጓጎል                         | to hinder, holdback,<br>to interrupt (a<br>work)to put an<br>obstacle   |
| agule (agaagule lai)s                       | አንጉል ('agaagule' ን<br>ተመልከቱ)   | what is hindered,<br>interrupted (see<br>'agaagule')  |
| agura <i>g</i>                              | መልቀቅ፣ መተው<br>፣ መሰነበት           | to let go, give up,<br>leave, to abandon, to<br>stop doing<br>something, to leave<br>(departing), to<br>release |
| aguraancho <i>sl</i><br>(aguraano) <i>s</i> | የሚለቅ፣ የሚተው<br>የሚለቁ             | one who gives up,<br>stops, leaves those<br>who give up, stop,<br>release                                       |
| agurama <i>g</i>                            | መላቀቅ፣ መለቀቅ                     | to be set free, to<br>abandon each other,<br>to be released   |
| aguri -fula <i>s</i>                        | ለቃቂ፣ አቋርጦ ወጪ<br>(ትምህርት)        | drop -outs  |
| aguro <i>sl</i>                             | መለቀቅ፣ ስነብት                     | giving up, leaving,<br>release  |
| agurote borro <i>s</i>                      | የመልቀቂያ ወይም<br>የስነብት ዕጉፍ (ደብዳቤ) | release paper, release<br>letter  |
| agurote fonqolo <i>s</i>                    | የመልቀቂያ ፈተነ                     | leaving examination   |
| agurranna <i>gl</i>                         | ከ... በስተቀር፣ ይቅርና               | except  |
| agursiisa <i>g</i>                          | ማስለቀቅ፣ ማስተው                    | to cause to leave, stop   |
| ahaaha <i>s</i>                             | አያት (ሴት)                       | grand mother  |
| ahaaho <i>s</i>                             | አያት (ወንድ)                      | grand father  |

aja

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| aja                       | ማነስ፣ አነስተኛ መሆን                    | to be less, to be insufficient, to be small   |
| aja (ajuulle) <i>sl</i>   | አነስተኛ፣ ወጣት                        | small, little, young                          |
| ajaa ajiro ajanni         | ቢያነስ፣ ቢያነስ ቢያነስ                   | at least                                      |
| ajiro <i>gl</i>           | ያነሳል                              | it becomes less than                          |
| ajanno <i>g</i>           | ያነሳል ምልክት </                      | the sign of 'less than'                       |
| ajate malaate <i>s</i>    |                                   | (<)   |
| ajichcha <i>s</i>         | አይጠ-መጎጥ (ወ)                       | the male of the mouse                         |
| ajiiffata <i>s</i>        | መሳለቅ ፣ ማፌዝ                        | to deride, mock, gibe at                      |
| ajiite <i>s</i>           | የሀገነት በሽታ                         |   |
| ajisha <i>g</i>           | ማሳነስ                              | to make less                                  |
| ajjo <i>s</i>             | አሳነት፣ አጥረት                        | shortage, lack, inadequacy                    |
| ajo ajichcho <i>s</i>     | አይጠ መጎጥ (ሴ)                       | the female of the mouse                       |
| ajuuja <i>s</i>           | ራእይ                               | revelation (as in bible) vision, apparition   |
| ajuujisha <i>g</i>        | ራእይ መታየት ወይም መገለጥ                 | to be revealed                                |
| akama-gaada <i>gl</i>     | ምነአልባት፣ በድነገት                     | perhaps, suddenly                             |
| akaafa <i>s</i>           | አነፋ                               | spade, shovel                                 |
| akaakilte <i>s (Amh)</i>  | አትክልት                             | garden, or chard or vegetable fruits          |
| akaako (akaakka) <i>s</i> | ቅድመአያት፣ አያት /ወ/የሚጠራበት ስም          | insister, great, grand -father.               |
| akata ('akute'lai)        | አኒህነ፣ ሁኔታ ((see 'lakute')ን ተመልከቱ) | behaviors, character, condition (see 'akute') |

akambaalo

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| <p>akambaalo<br/>(ama)</p>   | <p>አክምባሎ</p>                             | <p>lid of a clay oven<br/>(metal, cover of the<br/>griddle on which<br/>injiera is made (amh)</p> |
|  |  |   |
| <p>akata<br/>akeeka<sup>1</sup> s</p>  | <p>ባህርይ፣ አኒኃነ<br/>ሞዴል፣ ነሙኖ፣<br/>አምሳያ</p> | <p>behavior, character<br/>model, specimen,<br/>sample</p>  |
| <p>akeeka<sup>2</sup> g<br/>(‘lawa’ lai)</p>                                       | <p>ኖሙኖ ማስመሰል፣ ምሳሌ<br/>ማሳየት (ሂሳብ)</p>     | <p>show the model or<br/>sample of sth,<br/>simulate (Maths)</p>                                  |
| <p>akeekisa g</p>  | <p>ሞዴል መስራት፣ ኖድዲዎን<br/>ደፍ፣ ምልክት ማድረግ</p> | <p>to make model,<br/>design, make a sign</p>   |
| <p>akeekishsha s</p>   | <p>ኖድዲዎን ነሙኖ</p>                         | <p>design, sample</p>   |
| <p>akeekishshu s</p>   | <p>ኖሙኖ፣ መክራ</p>                          | <p>sample,<br/>test/experment</p>   |
| <p>wo’naalsha s</p>  | <p>የሞዴል ስራ ስብስብስ</p>                     | <p>modeling set</p>   |
| <p>akeeku gambooshshe</p>  | <p>የማስመሰል/አስመስሎ<br/>የማሳየት ስራ</p>         | <p>to imitate, resemble</p>   |
| <p>akeeku looso s</p>  | <p>አምሳያነት፣ ሞዴልነት</p>                     | <p>state of being alike or<br/>model</p>  |
| <p>akeenke s</p>   | <p>መታከም</p>                              | <p>to be treated, to go<br/>the doctor to be<br/>treated</p>                                      |
| <p>aki’ma (akka’ma) g</p>  | <p>ማከም</p>                               | <p>to treat, cure, dress,<br/>give medicines</p>  |
| <p>akima (akkama)</p>  | <p>ሀኪም</p>                               | <p>doctor</p>   |
| <p>akime s</p>   | <p>የሀኪም ምርመራ</p>                         | <p>medical examination</p>  |
| <p>akimete lao s</p>   | <p>የሀክምነ ምርመራ ውጤት</p>                    | <p>diagnosi sthest result</p>   |
| <p>akimete lao guma s</p>  | <p>የሀክምነ ስራ</p>                          | <p>or findings</p>  |
| <p>akimmumma s</p>   | <p>የሀክምነ ስራ</p>                          | <p>the doctor’s<br/>profession</p>  |

akkadaame

|                              |                                       |  |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| akkadaame                    | አነዳማ                                  | academy  |
| akkadaamete roso s           | የአነዳማ ትምህርት                           | academic education.  |
| akkala g                     | ማርጀት                                  | to grow old, be,<br>worn out   |
| akkala sl                    | አሮጌ                                   | old, aged  |
| akkalle s                    | እርጅነ                                  | old age  |
| akkansiisa g                 | ማሳከም                                  | to have a patient<br>treated   |
| akkimale gl                  | በጣም ብዙ፣ ከመጠነ በላይ                      | much in great<br>quantity, excess  |
| akkimale sl                  | ግዙፍ፣ ከመጠነ ያለፈ                         | huge, something<br>beyond the limit,<br>great                                |
| akko s                       | ቅድመ አያት /የሴት/፣<br>የሴት አያት የምትጠራበት ስም  | great-grand mother,<br>the name also used in<br>addressing a grand<br>mother |
| akute ('akata'lai) s         | አኒህነ፣ ሁኔታ                             | behaviors, condition   |
| alaaka ('adawadha'<br>lai) g | ድምፅነ ከፍ አድርጎ<br>መጮህ ፣ መፎከር ጥሪ<br>ማሰማት | to shout loudly, to<br>utter war boasts or<br>sume one make alarm<br>of help |
| alaako s                     | ጨኸት፣ ፉከራ                              | shout, war boasts  |
| alaama <sup>1</sup> . s      | ማለም (ለዲላማ)                            | to aim at  |
| alaama <sup>2</sup> . s      | ዲላማ                                   | aim, point at  |
| alame<br>(kalqe lai) s       | ዓለም                                   | world  |
| alamete deerrinni gl         | በዓለም ደረጃ                              | an international level,<br>at world level                                    |
| alamete dikko s              | የአለም ገበያ                              | world market   |
| alamete goofimarcho s        | የአለም መጨረሻ፣ ምጽአት                       | end of the world   |
| alamete qasi'ro s            | አጥንፈ ዓለም                              | the far end of the<br>world  |





alamete raga

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| alamete raga                   | ማዕዘን አለም                   | corner of the world   |
| alamittete deerrinni <i>gl</i> | በዓለም አቀፍ ደረጃ               | at world wide level   |
| alamittetnni <i>gl</i>         | ዓለም አቀፍ                    | international   |
| alawatta <sup>1</sup> <i>s</i> | ወገግታ                       | dim light   |
| alawatta <sup>2</sup> <i>g</i> | ወገግ ማለት ፣ ፈገግ ማለት          | to shine, glitter (of a dim light, as the moon emits its reflection ), to smile to illuminate |
| alawattisa <i>g</i>            | ወገግ ማድረግ                   | to make someone smile   |
| alawattisiisa <i>g</i>         | ፈገግ እነዲል ማድረግ              | smile   |
| alba <sup>1</sup> <i>s</i>     | በፊት                        | before, in front of   |
| alba <sup>2</sup> <i>gl</i>    | ገዕ                         | face, surface (n)   |
| albaanni <i>gl</i>             | ፊት ፣ ገዕ (በሂሳብ)             | face, facet   |
| albiido <i>gl</i>              | በፊት በኩል                    | towards the front part  |
| albillchchote                  | የፊት-ዩቭ ምስለት                | progressive assimilation  |
| albillchchote <i>g</i>         | ወደፊት                       | in the future, for the time coming  |
| albisaancho <i>s</i>           | መሪ ፣ ቀዳማ                   | a leader, guide   |
| albisa <sup>1</sup> <i>s</i>   | መሪ ፣ ማ.ዜ                   | leader, a best man  |
| albisa <sup>2</sup> <i>s</i>   | መምራት ፣ መቅደም                | to guide, to precede  |
| albishsha <i>s</i>             | አመራር ፣ ጥግድ (ፍነጭ)           | leadership, forshadowing (soothsaying )   |
| ale <i>gl</i>                  | ላይ ፣ ወደ ምስራቅ አቅጣጫ          | up, east  |
| alee <i>s</i>                  | በቤት ውስጥ ፣ ሰው ፣ የሚጠቀምበት ክፍል | the part of the house reserved to the people (fireplace and bedroom) in traditional house     |
| aleege (ale hige) <i>gl</i>    | ወደላይ                       | upward, eastwards   |
| alegisa <i>g</i>               | ወደላይ መሄድ ወይም መመልከት         | to go upward, to look upwards   |



aleenni


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| aleenni                         | በላይ በኩል፣ ባለው ማደሪያ፣ ከላይ በቤት ውስጥ ሰው በሚኖረበት ክፍል በኩል | above, upwards, at the part of the house reserved to the people      |
| aleeshsha <i>g</i>              | መጨነገ፣ ያለጊዜ መወለድ (ለሰው) ማጨነገ፣                      | to bring forth before the time (of people)                           |
| aleeshsho <i>s</i>              | ጭነጋ፣   | to abort, miscarry<br>abortion, the fetus born before its time (man) |
| ale-higa <i>g</i>               | ወደላይ መሄድ፣  | to go upward, to turn  |
| algorizime (shollago) <i>s</i>  | ወደላይ መዞር / መሆን ስልተ-አሰራር (በሂሳብ)                   | eat wards<br>algorithm (mathematics)                                 |
| alichcho <i>s</i>               | ደጋ፣ ከፍታ ያለው                                      | high land, hilly, mountainous  |
| alichcho <i>sl</i>              | ሽቅብ፣ ወደ ላይ                                       | high lander  |
| aliidi biso <i>s</i>            | የበላይ አካል   | high body (organ authority)  |
| aliidi gaxa shallago <i>s</i>   | የላይኛው መሰረት (ሂሳብ)                                 | higher base (mathematics)  |
| aliidi layinki dirimi rosi mine | ከፍተኛ 2. ኛ ደረጃ ት/ቤት                               | senior secondary school  |
| aliidi yoo mine <i>s</i>        | ከፍተኛ ፍርድ ቤት                                      | high court   |
| aliido <sup>1</sup> <i>s</i>    | በቤት ውስጥ ሰው የሚጠቀምበት ክፍል                           | the part of the house reserved to people                             |
| aliido <sup>2</sup> <i>gl</i>   | ላይ፣ በላይ  | in the north (side)  |
| alilicho <i>sl</i>              | ሽቅብ፣ ወደ ላይ                                       | up ward, high up to the hill/mountain                                |
| ali-woro xaadooshshe            | ተዋረዳዊ ግንኙነት                                      | hierarchical relationship (grammar)                                  |
| algebra <i>s</i>                | አልጅብራ  | algebra  |
| aljebru kulo <i>s</i>           | አልጅብራዊ መግለጫ                                      | algebraic expression   |

allaa'la

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| allaa'la                       |   | ማገድ፣ ለራስ መጠበቅ<br>(ከብት)፣ ራስን ከክፉ ነገር<br>መጠበቅ                              | to lead to pasture, to<br>tend beast, to protect<br>oneself from danger,<br>etc                           |
| allaala                        | g | መሰማራት፣ መጠበቅ<br>(ከብት)፣ የአንድን ነገር<br>መሆንን አለመሆን<br>መጠበቅ፣ አንድን ነገር<br>መቆጣጠር | to lead to pasture, to<br>look after, watch<br>over, to tend beast,<br>to expect, to control<br>something |
| allaalaancho<br>(allaalaasine) | s | እረኛ፣ ጠባቂ<br>እረኞች፣ ጠባቂዎች  | shepherd, guardian<br>shapheads, quardious<br>(pl)  |
| allaale                        | s | ጥበቃ (የከብት)   | the act of guarding<br>cattle, tending beasts,<br>looking after,<br>watching over                         |
| allaatte                       | s | አሞራ  | a big bird that eats<br>various small animals<br>including other prey<br>birds                            |
| allaggichcho-/tte/             |   | ባዕድ ወይም ባይተዋር<br>(ወ፣ ሴ)  | a foreigner, a stranger,<br>belonging to another<br>tribe   |
| allaggga                       | s | ባዕዳን (ብዙ)  | outsiders, strangers  |
| allaggimma                     | s | ባዕዳነት፣ ጠላትነት   | the condition of being<br>a stranger, enmity  |
| allaggisa                      | g | እንደ ባዳ መቁጠር፣ ማራቅ   | to consider somebody<br>as a stranger, not<br>belonging to one's<br>relatives                             |

allamurcho

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| allamurcho                                   | ኅስር                       | eagle  |
|  |                           |  |
| ama s  | እነት                       | mother   |
| amaala g                                     | መማከር                      | to counsel, to consult   |
| amaalaancho<br>(amaalaano) s                 | አማነሪ                      | counselor  |
| amaalama g                                   | መመነከር                     | to consult with<br>another people  |
| amaale s                                     | ምክክር                      | counsel (n)  |
| amaalete mine                                | ምክር ቤት                    | house of council,<br>council   |
| amaama s                                     | ልጆች እነትነ የሚጠሩበት ስም        | it is used by children<br>in addressing their<br>mother                            |
| amaatto s                                    | የሚወልዱ፣ ወላድ ላሞች            | a cow that has begun<br>to bring forth young<br>ones                               |
| amada g                                      | መያዝ                       | to catch, hold, seize  |
| amadaancho<br>(amadaano) s                   | ያዥ<br>ያዣች                 | holder, he who holds<br>or catches   |
| amadaasincho<br>(amadaasine)<br>(kasa'lai) s | መያዣያ፣ አጅታ                 | those who catch<br>means for holding,<br>handle                                    |
| amadama g                                    | መያዝ፣ በስራ ወይም ባነድ ጉዳይ መወጠር | to be caught,<br>arrested, to be<br>seized, to be light                            |
| amadishsha sl                                | ማስያዣ                      | something<br>something to be<br>pawned   |

amadisiisa

|                                       |                           |  |
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| amadisiisa                            | ማስያዝ፣ ማቃጠል                | to cause someone to be seized, to pawn, to light something               |
| amadisiisaanc-ho<br>(amadisiisaano) s | አያያዥ፣ አጣማሪ፣ መስተጻምር (ሰዋሰው) | one who cause someone to be sized, conjunction (grammar)                 |
| amado s                               | ይዘት፣ አያያዝ                 | content, the act of holding, taking handling                             |
| amadooshshe s                         | አያያዝ                      | seizing, the act of handling, holding                                    |
| amadote boosuwa s                     | የይዘት ምድቦች (ሒሳብ)           | unit of content (mathematics)  |
| amalaamo-me<br>(amalaamma) s          | አመለኛ (ወ፣ሴ)                | moody, bad-tempered, ill-natured   |
| amale s                               | ብዙ<br>አመል፣ ፀባይ፣ ስስ        | habit, conduct, character, behavior, addiction                           |
| amaliilla sl                          | አመለኛ                      | ill-natured, bad-tempered  |
| amanynyoote s                         | ስነ-ስርአት                   | order, procedure   |
| amaxxa g                              | መያዝ (ለራስ)፣ ብትርጦር መያዝ      | (relf) to hold something for oneself for oneself, to hold a stick spear) |
| amaxxaamo<br>(amaxxaamma)             | እንደጦር ሹል፣ ባለፀጋ            | something sharp as a spear, rich wealthy                                 |
| amaxxo<br>(amaxxuwa)s                 | ጦር                        | spear  |
| ambaasaaddere s                       | አምባሳደር                    | ambassador   |

amboooma

ambooma

ጅብ

hyena



ameeba s  
ameessa ('ado'lai) s  
ameessu saa s  
amimma s

አሜባ  
ወተት  
ጥገነ  
እነትነት፣ የእነትነት  
ባሕርይ

amoeba  
milk  
milking -cow  
motherhood, quality  
of being mother or  
lady

amma'na s

አምነት መቀበል

to believe in,  
worship

amma'no s  
ammajje s  
ammajjichcha s

አምነት፣ ሀይማኖት  
የነቲት  
የየነቲት ወር ወቅት

faith, religion, belief  
february  
the time during a  
month of february

amma g

ማመነ

to believe, have faith  
in

ammaaacho  
(amma) s

አማኝ

believer

amo  
amole (boole lai) s

ና/ነይ  
ለከብት የሚሰጥ ጨዋማ  
አፈር ('boole'ን  
ተመልከቱ)  
መቆመጥ

come (m, f)  
salty soil that is given  
to the cattle  
(see 'boole')

anata g

መቆመጥ

to be affected by  
leprosy



anata, anato s  
anataame s  
anataamma sl  
anataamo sl  
anataawa<sup>2</sup> g

ቁምጥነ  
ቆማጣ (ሴ) ነጠላ  
ቆማጣች (ብዙ)  
ቆማጣ (ወ) ነጠላ  
መቆመጥ

leprosy  
leprosy  
leprous, leper (f)si  
lepers (pl)  
leprous, leper (m)si  
to be affected by  
leprosy



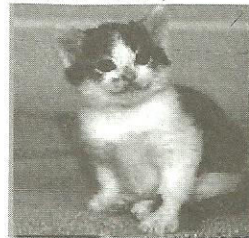
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| ane                            | እኔ                        | horn   |
| anga <sup>1</sup> s            | እጅ                        | hand   |
| anga <sup>2</sup> s            | ውለታ                       | hand favor   |
| anga -fii'ra g                 | እጅ መጥረግ፣ ተስፋ መቁረጥ         | to clean one's hand, to be disappointed, to loose hope, to be discouraged            |
| anga -haa'ra g                 | በችግር መድረስ፣ መርዳት           | to lend or give a hand to  |
| anga -qola g                   | ውለታ መመለስ                  | to be indebted to, to grateful to someone for something                              |
| angate boorde s                | የእጅ ሰሌዳ                   | hand board   |
| angate borro s                 | የእጅ ፅሀፈት /ፅሁፍ/            | handwriting  |
| angate kowaase s               | የእጅ ፍስ                    | handball   |
| angichcho ('qubbichcho' lai) s | ጣት ('qubbichcho' ን ተመልከት) | finger (see 'qubbichcho')  |
| angichchu mikita s             | የጣት አነጻ                   | finger joint   |
|                                |                           |  |
| angile (angilla)               | አነጻል ፣ ዘዌ                 | angle  |
|                                |                           |   |
| angilete dana s                | የአነጻል አይነት                | type of an angle   |
| angilete geeshsha s            | የአነጻል መጠን                 | size of an angle   |
| angiletetaashshi-beehaancho s  | የአነጻል ግማሽ                 | angular bisector   |
| angillate fiixooma s           | የአነጻሎች ዝምድና ምራቅ           | relations of angles saliva   |
| anja s                         | ልጅነት፣ እጥረት                | childhood, lack,   |
| anje s                         | ፣ አነሳነት                   | scarcity, insufficiency  |
| anjichcho s                    | አከታ፣ ምራቅ                  | sputum, spit, spittle  |

anjimma

anjimma ልጅነት  
 anjimmate laanshe s የልጅነት ልምሻ  
 anjurre, adurre, basu s ድመት ('basu' ን ተመልከት)

childhood babyhood  
 poliomyelitis  
 cat (see 'basu')



anna s አባት  
 annanna s አባባ (አባት የሚጠራበት ስም)  
 annata g የግል ማድረግ፣ መጋፋት፣ መጫነ  
 anni-amiweelo sl እንለማውታ፣ የሙት ልጅ (በአባትነ በእነት)  
 annimma s አባትነት፣ ባለቤትነት፣ ኃላፊነት  
 anniweela g አባት ማጣት (በሞት)  
 anniweelo sl እንለማውታ፣ የሙት ልጅ (በአባት)  
 annoo'ma g አባት መሆን፣ ባለቤት፣ የበላይ ወይም ኃላፊ መሆን  
 annooma s ኃላፊነት፣ ባለቤትነት  
 annooma g አባት ወይም ባለቤት መሆን  
 annootto s የበላይ፣ ፈላጭ ቆራጭ  
 araada g በአንድ አመል መጠመድ፣ ልምድ-ማድረግ

father  
 a name used by children to address their father  
 to make one's own, to exclude others, to coerce  
 orphan of both parents  
 paternity, ownership, responsibility  
 to be orphan (fatherless)  
 orphan (fatherless)  
 to be a father, owner, authority or responsible  
 responsibility, ownership  
 to be a father, owner  
 outhoritarian, dictatorship  
 to get used accustomed to, to be addicted


araado

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| araado                          | አመል፣ ልምድ፣ ሱስ                   | habit, use, custom, addiction                          |
| araara s                        | እርቅ፣ ሽምግልነ                     | reconciliation, arbitration                            |
| araarama g                      | መታረቅ፣ መሸምገል                    | to be reconciled                                       |
| araarsa g                       | ማስታረቅ፣ መሸምገል                   | to reconcile, arbitrate                                |
| araarsaancho (araarsaano) s     | አስታራቁ፣ ሸምጋይ /ሸማግሌ/ዎች           | one, who reconciles, arbitratory, elders, reconcilator |
| arbichcho s                     | ዝባድ                            | the perfume obtained from the civet cat                |
| aree s (ayiddaama lai)          | ሚስት፣ ባለቤት ('ayddaama' ን ተመልከት) | wife (see 'ayddaama')                                  |
| arfaasa s                       | ጥር                             | january  |
| arge s                          | ውስት                            | borrowed (of articles, but not of money)               |
| argete qaale (-qaalla) s        | የተውሶ ቃል/ቃላት                    | borrowed word, words                                   |
| argeteqoonqo s                  | የተውሶ ድምፅ                       | borrowed sound (of speech)                             |
| argi'ra g                       | መዋስ                            | to borrow an article (refl)                            |
| argisa g                        | ማዋስ                            | to lend (other than money)                             |
| argiisa s                       | እሬት /ሬት/                       | aloe   |
| arguube s                       | ፒፓ /ትነሽ ጋያ/                    | pipe tube with a bowl, used for smoking (tobacco)      |
| ariiffata g                     | መጣደፍ፣ መቸኮል                     | to be in a hurry, to hasten                            |
| ariiffataancho (ariiffataano) s | የተጣደፈ፣ ፈጣነ                     | swift, fast, quick, one (s)who is (are) in a hurry     |
| arita <sup>1</sup> g            | መፍጠነ፣ መቸኮል                     | to quicken, to be in a hurry                           |

arita2.

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| arita <sup>2</sup> .                  | ፈጣነ፣ ችኩል                     | quick, fast, swift<br>(adj)                                 |
| arjajjaawa <i>g</i>                   | እነባ ማቅረር (ለማልቀስ)             | to begin the<br>mourning, start<br>weeping                  |
| arke <i>s</i>                         | ቀስት                          | arc   |
| aroo <i>s</i> ('ayiddaanna'<br>lai)   | ባል ('ayiddaanna' ጎ<br>ተመልከት) | husband(see'ayiddaa<br>nna')                                |
| arra <i>g</i>                         | በጋ መግባት፣ በጋ መሆነ              | to begin to be dry,<br>hot season, to be a<br>hot season    |
| arrassa <i>g</i>                      | መተቸት፣ መነቀፍ፣ መነቅ              | to criticize, mock,<br>blame                                |
| arrassaancho<br>(arrassaano) <i>s</i> | ተቸ፣ ነቃፊ                      | critic, one who<br>blames, contempt<br>despises, criticizes |
| arrasso                               | ተቸት፣ ነቃፊታ፣ ጥቀት               | criticism, mockery,<br>blame,<br>scorn contempt,<br>despise |
| arrawo/bo                             | ምላስ                          | tongue  |
| arrishsha <i>g</i>                    | ፀሀያማ መሆነ                     | to become sunny ähot  |
| arrishsho <i>s</i>                    | ፀሀይ                          | sun   |
| arrishshote lekka <i>s</i>            | የፀሀይ ጨረር                     | rays of the sun (n)   |
| arrishshote tee'lo <i>s</i>           | የፀይ ግርጃ                      | eclipse   |
| arrishshote tte'la <i>g</i>           | የፀሀይ መከለል ፣ ግርዶሽ             | to cut off the light of<br>the sun                          |
| arrishshote wolqa <i>s</i>            | የፀሀይ ጉልበት                    | sun energy  |
| arrishshote caange <i>s</i>           | የፀሀይ ጨረር<br>ጨረር              | ray of the sun, sun<br>beam                                 |
| arro <i>s</i>                         | በጋ                           | beam of light<br>dry season, a hot<br>season                |

arraajjchcho

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| arraajjchcho             | ጥርጅ  | civet –cat  |
|                          |  |                         |
| arraajje s<br>arshaawa g | ጥርጅኛ<br>መርጋት፣ መረጋጋት<br>፣ማረፍ                | civet-cats<br>to be orderly,<br>conduct one self<br>properly be at one's<br>leisure, to take a<br>respite |
| arshammi yaa g           | ረጋ ማለት፣ ዕረፍት<br>መውሰድ                       | to be at ease, in<br>peace, to take a<br>respite  |
| arshammo s               | እርጋታ፣ ፋታ፣<br>እረፍት፣ ጥሩ ምግባር                 | ease, relief, respite,<br>good nature   |
| arshichcha s             | የረጋ ፣ ጥሩ ምግባር<br>ያለው፣ ልባም/አስተዋይ/           | quiet, gentell, mild,<br>having a good<br>character or a good<br>nature, wise                             |
| arshimma s               | አስተዋይነት                                    | good –naturedness   |
| artimeetike s            | ሥነ-ቁጥር                                     | arithmetic  |
| artimeetikete aante s    | አርቲሜቲካዊ<br>ክትትል/ተደማሪ ክትትል/<br>አርቲሜቲካዊ አማካይ | arithmetical progress   |
| artimeetikete s          |  | arithmetical average  |
| mereerima                |  |   |
| asalaancho s             | ባለ እዳ                                      | debtor (sl)   |
| (asalaano) s             | ባለዕዳዎች                                     | debaters (pl)   |
| asalaawa g               | ባለ እዳ መሆን                                  | to become debtor  |
| asale s                  | ዕዳ   | debt  |
| asale yaa'na g           | ዕዳ መጠየቅ                                    | to ask a debt to be<br>settled/payed back   |
| asalu anna s             | አበዳሪ                                       | creditor  |



ashaara

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| ashaara                      | አሻሮ መቁላት                             | roasting for brewing the local beer  |
| ashaaro s                    | አሻሮ                                  | the grains that have been roasted for brewing the local beer                         |
| ashaashshuro s               | ግብስብስ፣ ልቃሚ፣ ግላነግስ                    | junk, hodge-podge, rubbish, leavings   |
| ashaashudha g                | ማግበስበስ፣ መለቃቀም (ለራስ)                  | to collect, gather indiscriminately for one self (refl)                              |
| ashaashura g                 | ማግበስበስ፣ መለቃቀም                        | to collect, gather indiscriminately  |
| ashala'la g                  | ረዥም፣ ፀሎት ማድረግ፣ እየደገሙ መባረክ፣ መርገም      | to use many words when praying, to bless curse using many words                      |
| ashile s                     | በረከት፣ ሀብት፣ አዳኛ                       | abundance, plenty of goods, wealth   |
| assa g                       | ማድረግ፣ መፈፀም፣ መተግበር፣ ግብረ-ሥጋ መፈፀም (ፀያፍ) | to do, make act, perform, to implement, carry out, to complete (human beings, taboo) |
| assaada (madaara, waama lai) | መቅበር፣ ማግለል /መከወን/                    | to bury, to keep in the back ground, seclude   |
| assaaddo s                   | 1. ቀብር 2. ሚስጥር 3. ድብቅ                | 1. burial<br>2. secrete<br>3. something hidden                                       |
| assaancho (assaano) s        | ገባሪ፣ አድራጊ፣ ተጠያቂ፣ አድራጊዎች              | the doer of something, one who perform, culprit, doers (pl)                          |
| assaancho coyi foolishho     | ገቢራዊ ዐነገር (ሰዋሰው)                     | active sentence (grammar)  |

assaanchu su  
'maancho

|                                       |                            |   |
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| assaanchu su<br>'maancho              | የማድረጊያ ስም (ሰዋሰው)           | instrumental<br>nominative<br>(grammar)                 |
| assaawa <i>g</i>                      | ማሰብ                        | to think  |
| assaawe <i>s</i>                      | ሐሳብ                        | thought   |
| assama <i>g</i>                       | መደረግ                       | to be done  |
| assamaancho<br>(assamaano)            | ተደራጊ (ሰዋሰው)<br>ተደራጊዎች      | passive (grammar)<br>passives                           |
| assatto <i>s</i>                      | ድርጊት፣ ተግባር                 | deed or<br>implementation                               |
| assattote hedo <i>s</i>               | ኖድፈ-ሀሳብ                    | theory  |
| assawete guma <i>s</i>                | ዕነሰ ሀሳብ                    | concept   |
| assi'ra <i>g</i>                      | መፈፀም (ለራስ)፣<br>ባል ማግባት     | to do, accomplish for<br>oneself, to marry a<br>husband |
| assi'raancho<br>(assi'raano) <i>s</i> | አድራጊ (ለራስ)<br>አድራጊዎች (ለራስ) | doer (for oneself)<br>doers (for<br>themselves)         |
| assi'raancho <i>s</i>                 | የምትዳር /የምታጋባ/              | one who marries a<br>husband                            |
| assoote <i>s</i>                      | ተግባር፣ ክንዋኔ ፣ምግባር           | duty, activity,<br>behaviour                            |
| assoote<br>su'maancho <i>s</i>        | የድርጊት ስም (ሰዋሰው)            | gerund (grammar)  |
| ataawe<br>(wotaaweessa lai) <i>s</i>  | ሰበሰባ፣ ራሱኖ ለአደጋ<br>የሚያጋልጥ   | one who exposes<br>himself to danger                    |
| atachcha <sup>1</sup> <i>g</i>        | መከመር                       | to heap, pileup   |
| atachcha <sup>2</sup> <i>s</i>        | ክምር                        | heap of grains or hay                                   |
| atala <i>s</i>                        | አተላ                        | sediment (in beer),<br>lees, dregs, residue             |
| atalaawa <i>g</i>                     | አተላማ መሆን                   | to be full of sediment,<br>dregs, lees (beer)           |
| atara                                 | አተር                        | reside  |
| atarcho (mitto quma)                  | አተር /አነዲት/                 | peas<br>pea (a single pice)                             |

atawe ikka

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| atawe ikka<br>(‘wotaawe ikka’ lai) | ሰበብ መሆን( ‘wotaawe ikka’)ን ተመልከት | one who makes occasion of injury, expose oneself to a danger or a difficult situation, to make occasion of an injury (see ‘wotaawe ikka’) you (m/f) |
| ati s                              | አንተ/አንቺ/                        |   |
| atilaantikete                      | የአትላንቲክ ውቅያኖስ                   | atlantic ocean  |
| wuqiyaanoose s                     |                                 |   |
| atileetikse s                      | አትሌቲክስ                          | athletics   |
| atooma s                           | በረከት፣ አርቆ<br>አሳቢነት፣ አስተዋይነት     | wealth, far-sightedness, intelligence   |
| atoota (goofa lai) g               | መበርከት፣ ማቅ                       | to last a long time while being consumed, to be abundant, to be finished see (goofa)  |
| atoote s                           | በረከት                            | abundance, wealth   |
| atootisa g                         | ማበርከት፣ መቆጠብ                     | to cause to last a long time, to economize  |
| attama g                           | ማተም                             | to print  |
| attamishsha sl                     | ማተሚያ                            | printing  |
| attamme s                          | እትም፣ ህትመት                       | publication, print  |
| attansiisa g                       | ማሳተም                            | to have something printed, published  |
| attansiisa                         | አሳታሚ                            | publisher   |
| -ancho/ s                          |                                 |   |
| attansiisaano                      | አሳታሚዎች                          | publishers  |
| atmmishsha sl                      | ማሳተሚያ                           | printing  |
| awaajja g                          | ማወጅ                             | to proclaim, issue, decree  |
| awaajje s                          | አዋጅ                             | proclamation (n)  |

awaawura

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| awaawura                   | ማባበል፣ ማታለል<br>፣ ማሳሳት፣ ማደነገር              | to cajole, entice, to<br>cheat, deceive<br>deceive, to confuse<br>(v)                        |
| awaawuro s                 | ማደነገሪያ፣ ማታለያ                             | confusion, deceit (n)  |
| awaljigeessa s             | የጳርት ዐይነት                                | porcupine  |
| awisa (hayyeessa<br>lai) s | ማታለል ('hayyeessa' ን<br>ተመልከት)            | to allure, to entice<br>with sweet words, to<br>flatter (a baby) (see<br>'hayyeessa')        |
| awishsha s                 | ቁልምጫ፣ ማባበያ                               | flattery, the use of<br>alluring words   |
| awutuuta g                 | ምነጅላት መሆነ                                | to be great –great<br>grand father or grand<br>mother  |
| awulcho s                  | ጉጉት (የወፍ አይነት)                           | owl  |
| (awulla)                   | ጉጉቶች                                     | owls   |
| awura s                    | ቅማያት (ቅድመ አያት)                           | great –grand father,<br>great-grand mother   |
| awutuutta s                | ምነጅላት (ስ)                                | great great –grand<br>father, great great-<br>grand mother                                   |
| awuuta g                   | በአህትነት ወይም<br>በሞግዚትነት ማሳደግ<br>ወይም መነከባከብ | take care of a child,<br>to treat a child with<br>ten dress (as a nurse)                     |
| awuuto s                   | እቴቴ፣ ታላቅ አህት፣<br>ሞግዚት፣<br>የሚጠሩበት ስም      | a name used by the<br>younger brother or<br>sister to address the<br>elder sister, body site |
| awuuwa g                   | መሸበት                                     | to be grey-haired, to<br>get grey hair   |
| awuuwaamo sl               | ሸበቶ፣ ሸበታም                                | grey-haired very grey<br>(hair)  |
| awuuwe s                   | ሸበት                                      | grey hair  |
| ayet mma sr                | ማነነ                                      | whom   |
| ayeti                      | ማን                                       | who  |

ayiddaama

|                             |                        |  |
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| ayiddaama<br>(‘aree’ lai) s | ሚስት<br>(‘aree’ን ተመልከት) | wife (see ‘aree’)                        |
| ayiddaanna (aroo<br>lai)    | ባል(‘aroo’ ን ተመልከት)     | husband (see ‘aroo’)                     |
| ayidde s                    | ቤተሰብ፣ ዘመድ ንዑስ ጎሳ       | family, relative,<br>sub-clan            |
| ayiddoma <sup>1</sup> . s   | ቤተሰባዊነት (ዝምድና)         | of the family                            |
| ayiddoo’ma g                | ቤተሰብ መሆን፣ መዛመድ         | to become family,<br>relatives           |
| ayidoomimma s               | ቤተሰባዊነት                | the state of being a<br>family, relative |
| ayiddumme s                 | አውድማ                   | threshing floor                          |
| ayirra g                    | መክበድ፣ መከበር             | to be heavy,<br>difficult, respected     |
| ayirrado sl                 | ከባድ፣ ክቡር               | heavy, difficult,<br>respected           |
| (ayirre) s                  | ክብደት                   | weight, difficulty                       |
| ayirre-kayisa               | ክብደት ማነሳት              | weight-lifting                           |
| ayirrete boosua s           | የክብደት ምድቦች             | unit of weight                           |
| ayirrinynye s               | ክብር                    | respect, honor                           |
| ayirrisa g                  | ማክበር፣ ማክበድ             | to respect, honor, to<br>make difficult  |
| ayirrisaancho               | አክባሪ                   | respectful                               |
| ayyaana s                   | በዓል፣ ፀጋ፣ ገዕታ           | feast, grace                             |
| ayyaanto s                  | ኮከብ ቆጣሪዎች              | astrologists                             |
| ayyere sl                   | አየር                    | air                                      |
| ayyere soorro s             | የአየር ለውጥ               | air change                               |
| ayyere teakatas s           | የአየር ጠባይ ወይም ሁኔታ       | weather condition                        |
| ayyere boom-be s            | የአየር ቱቦ                | air tube                                 |
| ayyere s                    | የአየር መበከል              | pollution of the air                     |
| burquuqama s                |                        |  |
| ayyere s                    | የአየር ብክለት              | air pollution                            |
| burquuqame s                |                        |  |
| ayyere gade s               | የአየር ንብረት              | climatic condition                       |
| ayyere ittisa-ma s          | የአየር መታደግ              | the obstruction of air                   |
| ayyere ittisa-me s          | የአየር እገዳ               | air obstruction                          |
| ayyere olanto               | የአየር ኃይል               | air force                                |



ayyereete soorra-

|                         |           |                   |
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| ayyereete soorra-<br>ma | የአየር መለወጥ | the change of air |
| ayyereete xiiwo s       | የአየር ግፊት  | air pressure      |

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| ba 'a<br>baabba sl   | መጥፋት፣ መበላሸት<br>በሴት ስም ላይ የሚቀጠል<br>የአክብሮት ስም /ወይዘሮ/              | to be ruined, spoiled<br>A title given to a<br>woman not belonging<br>to the family (Mrs) |
| baaddaancho sl<br>baadiri xaados-hshe<br>baado s   | ቂመኛ፣ ቅር የተሰኘ<br>የህዝብ ግንኙነት<br>ማህበረሰብ፣ ህዝብ፣ አገር<br>ውስጥ           | one who has grudges<br>public relations<br>community, people,<br>domestic, local          |
| baafata g<br>baajeete (Ing) s<br>baajeetete kifile s   | መላመድ<br>በጀት<br>የበጀት ክፍል   | to adapt<br>budget<br>budget department<br>/section/<br>budget allocation                 |
| baajeetete bee-<br>hishsha s<br>baajeetete cufo s<br>baajeetete diro s<br>baajeetete<br>horoonsa s<br>baajeetete umo | የበጀት ድልድል፣ የበጀት<br>አከፋፊል<br>የበጀት መዝጊያ<br>የበጀት ዓመት<br>የበጀት አጠቃቀም | the end of a fiscal year<br>fiscal year<br>budget utilization                             |
| baajji yaa g   | የበጀት አርዕስት<br>መንከራተት  | budget title / budget<br>specification code/<br>to wander around, to<br>roam about.       |
| baajjo s<br>baakkalcha s<br>baakko sl  | መንከራተት<br>አጥቢያ ኮከብ<br>ብዙ ወተት የማትሰጥ ላም፣<br>ብዙ ማር የማይሰጡ ፍቦች       | to roam about, wander<br>morning satr<br>that yields little milk,<br>honey (cow or bees)  |
| baakko <sup>1</sup> s<br>baakko <sup>2</sup> sl  | ጋክ<br>ቁጥብ፣ ጥቂት ወተት<br>ያላት/በግ/፣ ፍያል ወይም<br>ላም                    | packet<br>sheep, goat or cow<br>/that yields little milk/<br>ላም                           |