

B. URNINGANGGIC (O'G: UNINGANGKIC) GROUP

Though prefixing and multiple-classifying like *Gunwingju*, 11.1a, these languages differ from it in verb structure. Carroll states they are more closely related to *Gagadju*, *Mengerei* and *Yiwadja* than to *Gunwingju*.

- 8a*. Urningangg * Upper reaches of East N86 (AIAS N66)
Alligator River (Carroll)

Uningangk (O'G, 'RLS'), *Urningangg* (AC, AIAS),
Urningangk (SAW, Carroll), *Wuningag* (Berndt),
Wuningak ('RLS')

Carroll is continuing to collect data but no full study has yet been published.

- 8b*. Ere * Red Lily area, west of Oenpelli (Carroll)
(67Nr.)

Ari, *Eirej* (AC; listed in 'LS' as alt. names for
Mengerei), *Ere* (Carroll, AIAS), *Erre* (Carroll), *Eri*
(Berndt), *Erei* (Harris)

Language discovered by Carroll in 1969 (though name recorded earlier by Capell as being the same as *Mengerei*) so not hitherto classified. Carroll continues to salvage it, but nothing yet published.

V. GUNABIDJIAN (O'G: GUNAVIDJIAN) FAMILY

A dual classifying, prefixing language which has a complex system of marking possession in nouns. It has no dual number.

9. Gunabidji ** East side of Liverpool N33 (AIAS N74)
River mouth including
Maningrida itself (Wood)

Gunabibi (APE), *Gunabidji* (Wood, Glasgow, AIAS),
Gunavidji (T, AC, SAW, orig. AIAS, Berndt), *Gunjibidji*
(Harris), *Gidjia* (Glasgow), *Gidjiya* (SAW), *Djapena*
(alt. name or dialect: Glasgow)

Harris recorded a little in 1969 but there is still need for depth study. Wood (1972) reports there is a close-knit, cohesive community of *Gunabidji*-speaking people at Maningrida; (just a few speakers are also reported at Goulburn Island). The vernacular is used by all adults and children except when compelled to speak English, thus is a fully viable language.

10. VI. NAGARAN FAMILY

A dual-classifying prefixing language with a complex noun possession marking system. (SAW)

10. Nagara ** Boucaut Bay, south-east N62 (AIAS N80)
of Blyth River ('RLS')

Nackara ('RLS'), *Nagara* (AC, SAW, Berndt, AIAS),
Nakara (T, O'G, 'RLS'), *Kokori* (Burera name - Glasgow,
SAW), *Narkarrar* ('RLS')

No fresh information since the publication of 'RLS';
major study still needed.

11-19. VII. GUNWINGGUAN FAMILY

An influential family comprised of six groups and a number of subgroups, some of which are multiple classifying and with concord, and some of which are non-classifying (as indicated below).

The family has been the subject of study in recent years by Carroll, Harris, McKay and others, hence it is one of the best documented Arnhem languages, current studies being built on the earlier work of Capell, Berndt and Oates. There have been some changes in the earlier classification of O'Grady et al: the Buan Group has been deleted and the Bigur Subgroup has been re-classified as the Ngalaganic Group.

11-12. A. GUNWINJGIC GROUP

a. *Bininj* Subgroup