

- 56.10c\* Yulbaridja A19 (AIAS A67)  
 (56.2ao),  
 (56.2an) Many say it is just a term for 'southerner' and not really a language (Hudson)

*Yulbaridja* (AIAS), *Julbaridja* (AC), *Julbre* (AC, O'G, T), *YulapaRitya* (O'G, 'RLS'), *Ullparidja* (Herrmann), *Yulparitja* (SIL)

This dialect appears to be fully viable still with over 200 speakers, some bilingual but some including children speaking mostly the vernacular. This dialect would repay a full depth study as little is known. Capell (1966) linked it with *Gugadja*, *Djaru* and *Bunara*. It is one of the dialects that has a low cognate overlap with its neighbours and so appears to define Western Desert proper (Wati Subgroup) languages from those of other Western Desert subgroups; e.g. 22% cognate overlap with *Wailbri* (AC) and 31% with *Nyamal* (O'G-K). However Capell estimates it shares only 26% vocabulary with *Bidjandjadjara*. With its neighbour *Warnman* it is an affix-transferring language and may prove to be more closely related to it than to *Gugadja*. Its relationship to *Walmartjari* also needs study. The name *Julbre* needs further research. Peile has never heard the people at Balgo use this name for *Yulbaridja* - always the latter term.

'man' : *wati* (AC)

56.11\* Far Western Subgroup

These dialects were not originally classified in the Wati Subgroup but von Brandenstein's work indicates they are of the Western Desert construction so have been classified here.

- 56.11a\* Njiyabali Floodlands of Upper A2 (AIAS A55)  
 (43Ar.) Fortescue River (Ethel  
 Creek to Roy Hill to  
 Weeli Wooli Creek  
 known as *Marduiddja*  
 from *mardu* 'flat') (von B)

Name derived from *njija* 'this', -*pali* plural suffix (von B)

From its name it would appear to be an alternate form of a dialect spoken in the Jigalong area, named *Matutjara* by Douglas, but Tindale's mapping, if correct places *Madu* S.W. of Lake Disappointment and this dialect in the Kalgoorlie area. If correctly placed here, neither is it the *Madu Wonga* mentioned by Elkin in the *Gugada* (S.A.) area (derived from *mađu* 'true' according to Platt).

56.2u Naanadjara (Nana) North of Lake A38 (AIAS A37)  
Carnegie (von B)

*Naanatjarra* (von B), *Nana* (AC), *Nan:a* (T), *Nanajara* (von B), *Nanatadjara* (T)

von Brandenstein says this is a Western Desert dialect but should not be called a *Pitjantjatjara* dialect and is not really related to *Ngadadjara* of Warburton Ranges. With no information other than the above it is impossible to guess with which dialects it is most closely affiliated.

56.2x Walyen A34 (AIAS All)

*Walyen* (O'G, 'RLS'), *Wa:ljen* (T)

Tindale mapped south of Lake Carey but apart from that no information at all.

56.2y Tjeraridjal A9 (AIAS A7)

Only Tindale's mapping, south of *Nangadadjara* territory.

56.2z Murunitja (AIAS A8)

Name occurs in Berndt's map (Oceania XII,4,1942) in the Cundeelee area, but it is a derogatory name given to the people at Cundeelee by another group of people visited by Berndt. (WHD).

56.2an Julbre A19 (AIAS A67)

Named by Tindale and assumed to be the same as *Yulbaridja*, 'RLS' 56.2ao. See however comment 56.10b\*.

56.10b should be 56.10c.