[59.3b Waringari

Means 'north-east' (Hudson); 'area of the circle' from wɔrɪ 'circle' + -ngan suffix (Vaszolyi)

Both Hudson and Vaszolyi agree this is a geographical not a language name, though they differ on the meaning of the word. Vaszolyi says it is a term recorded in Ngarinjin, Gunin and Wunambal and refers to an extended circular area including now pastoral stations of Mt. Elisabeth, Gibb River, Mt. House, Glenroy, Tableland, Lansdown, Springvale, Bedford Downs, Kuranjie, Dunham River, Ord River and Pentecost Downs. According to Ngarinjin informants, this area used to be the country of the Wuladjao, a linguistic group akin to Ngarinjin.]

59.3b* Wandjira *** Between Upper Baines and Ord Rivers ('RLS') (2Kr.)

Wandjira (T, AC, AIAS, 'RLS', 2Kr.), Mulbera (alt. name- Kaberry)

No further information except that Wurm's 1970 classification classes it here (previously unclassified).

59.3c Njininj *** Fitzroy, Margaret and Ord Rivers (RHM)

Nining (RHM), Njininj (AIAS), Njinin (orig. AIAS), Nyininj (JH), Nyinin (SAW, O'G, 'RLS', Kagst)

Capell estimates 87% cognate density with Djaru. Wurm's 1970 classification also confirms it is a dialect of Djaru, as does Hudson's map (1973) showing they share a common border between Flora Valley and Ruby Plains.

'man' : ngarga (AC)

59.4 Malngin *** Upper Ord River valley (AC)

Malngin (AC, Kaberry, SAW, O'G, 'RLS', AIAS)

Has 23% cognition with Waljbiri and is characterized by the use of catalysts, but need for a full study.