

The only linguistic evidence is a page in Ridley which looks like *Dhurga* (Eades)

'man' : *marrin* ? (C:198)

88.lb Dhurga From Jervis Bay area to S22 (AIAS S53)
(9Sr.) Wallage Lake area,
possibly as far as
Victorian border (Eades)

Dhurga (SAW), *Dhu:rga* (AC S22, AIAS S53, 'RLS' 9Sr.),
Walbanga (alt. name - SAW: AC S62, AIAS S54, 'RLS'
88.lb), *Thoorga* (RHM)

Tindale has an unpublished vocabulary from Wallage Lake (1938).

88.lc Dharumba Shoalhaven River S20 (AIAS S56)
(10Sr.)

Dharumba (AC S20, AIAS S56, 'RLS' 10Sr., SAW),
Wandanian (alt. name - SAW, AC S63, AIAS S55,
'RLS' 88.lc), *Dharumba* (Eades suggests is probably
the correct spelling as Mathews and Ridley often
used orthographical u for phonetic a.)

Eade's comment is that the only evidence supports
R. H. Mathew's claim it is a dialect of *Dhurga*.
There is a little vocabulary and some morphological
and syntactic patterns. The pronoun paradigms show
a few differences to *Dhurga*. (Eades)

88.2 Dharawal Southern shore of S18 (AIAS S59)
Botany Bay, south
to Shoalhaven
River (AC)

Dharawal (AC, AIAS, SAW), *Dharawa:l* (AC, orig. AIAS),
Thurawal (O'G, 'RLS'), *Thurrawal* (?)

'man' : *guri* / *juwinj* (AC gives both from old
sources; also *tdhulla* ? (C: 192)

88.2b Wudi-Wudi ? North of Shoalhaven S61 (AIAS S58 ?)
River to Wollongong

Wodiwodi (AC, AIAS orig. SAW), *Wodi-Wodi* (AIAS),
Wudi-Wudi (Eades - probably the correct spelling as
only three vowels)

Wurm 1970 still lists as a dialect but Capell says
that Ridley's 1875 "Wodi-Wodi" vocabulary is
Dharawal. Eades also assumes that this is just
another name for *Dharawal*. (Reference in 'RLS' to
Beveridge in Smythe is incorrect - this refers to
the Victorian language *wadi-wadi*, 81.1j)

88.2c* Gwiyagal South shore of Botany E87 (AIAS E1)
(97.1b) Bay, possibly limited
by St. George's River
(AC)

Gwiyagal (AC), *Gwawegal* (AC in 'LS', AIAS, O'G,
'RLS' 97.1b)

Classified by O'Grady et al as part of the Main
Subgroup of the Wiradjuric Group, but Capell's
new assessment is that it is a dialect of
Dharawal, having a distinct vocabulary. Eades
is in agreement. Evidence is based on a short
vocabulary and a few sentences in Ridley (1875)