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SURVEY OF YOLŃU-MATHA NAMES (Introductory Version).

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The enclosed data-set represents an initial survey into names used by (or sometimes known to) the YolŃu-Matha speakers of Northeast Arnhemland. So far I have hoped to comprehensively gather the following:

MOIETY: Dhuwa or Yirritja

CLAN-NAME: bāpurru (which in many cases is also a language name: matha)

SURNAME: bundurr

SKIN NAME: mālk

A much bigger project, which has only just begun, is a list of actual names in use, covering the following areas: meaning (if any), moiety, gender, and number of survivors with that name.

This data is being sent to you for two basic reasons:

- critiques from you as to completeness, accuracy (of spelling or information), cross-references (which may need a good deal more work), etc.
- useful information (it is convenient to know that if someone, except a married woman who follows the Balanda tradition of carrying her husband's surname, goes by "Bukulatjpi", then he/she should speak Warramiri, if "YunupiŃu" then Gumatj, if Murruwutthun then Mynyuku, etc.)

I am aware that the matha (language) information is possibly not always correct (is Gumatj both a clan and a language?), and that the more general terms, such as: Dhuwalmirri, Dhanumirri, Dhuwalmirri (and all of their corresponding dialect equivalents, e.g., Dhuwalmirr, Dhanumi, etc.) probably should have been included here. I would appreciate any assistance you can give me, and will document your information and help in any forthcoming publication in this area.

Additional copies of this data-set are available free upon request. If you feel anyone should have a copy, please write and let me know.

Yours truly,

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SURVEY OF YOLŃU-MATHA CLAN-NAMES (bäpurru), SURNAMES (bundurr), AND
SKIN NAMES (mälk).

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Balan'	Skin name: m, Dhuwa [Z = Bilinydjan, M = Gutjan]
Balmawuy	[dying language]
Bañadi'	Skin name: m, Yirritja [Z = Bañadi'tjan, M = Bilinydjan]
Bañadi'tjan	Skin name: f, Yirritja [B = Bañadi', M = Bilinydjan]
BararrŃu	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = nhaŃu]
Bararrpararr	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = nhaŃu]
Bidinał	Surname: RitharrŃu [NB: many use the surname "Billy"]
Bilinydjan	Skin name: f, Dhuwa [B = Balan', M = Gutjan]
Birrkili	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala; cf: GupapuyŃu]
Bukulatjpi	Surname: Warramiri
Bulany'	Skin name: m, Yirritja [Z = Bulanydjan, M = Gamanydjan]
Bulanydjan	Skin name: f, Yirritja [B = Bulany', M = Gamanydjan]
BurarrwaŃa	Surname: Gumatj
Burralan'	Skin name: m, Dhuwa [Z = Galikali, M = Bañadi'tjan]
Buyuyukulułmirr	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: Liyagawumirr, Garrawurra]
Dämbugawumirr	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: Liyagawumirr]
Dätiwuy	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: Ganambarr]
DaygurrŃurr	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala; cf: GupapuyŃu]
DulpuŃu	Clan name: Dhuwa [Alt: DulpuŃu 'interior-people']
DhalwaŃu	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhay'yi; cf: WunurŃurra, Gumana]
Dhamarranydji	Surname: DjambarrpuyŃu
DhāpuyŃu	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal]
Dhurili	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhanu; cf: Golumala]
Dhurrkay	Surname: Wangurri
Dhuwa	Moiety name [Opp: Yirritja]
DjambarrpuyŃu	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: Dhamarranydji]

Djapu	Clan name: Dhuwa [Dl = dhuwa; cf: Munungurr, Wirrpanda]
Djarrwark	Clan name: Dhuwa [Dl - dhay'yi; cf: Dhalwanu]
Djinan	Clan name: Yirritja [Dl = djinan; cf: Murruwun]
Djinba	Clan name: Yirritja [Dl = djiniŋi]
Gadjak	Skin name: m, Yirritja [Z = Gutjan, M = Galikali] [Alt: Gudjuk, Gayak, Gayakna]
Galikali	Skin name: f, Dhuwa [B = Burralan', M - Banadi'tjan]
Galiyan	[Alt: Galikali]
Galu	Clan name: Dhuwa [Dl = dhanu; cf: Gurruwiwi]
Gama _l anga	Clan name: Dhuwa [Dl = nhanu; cf: Yannhanu]
Gamanydjan	Skin name: f, Dhuwa [B = Gamarran', M = Narritjan]
Gamarran'	Skin name: m, Dhuwa [Z = Gamanydjan, M = Narritjan]
Ganalbinu	Clan name: Yirritja [Dl = djiniŋy]
Ganambarr	Surname: Naymil / D _h tiwuy
Gandanu	Surname: Golpa
Ganhalpuyŋu	[Alt: Ganalbinu]
Garrawurra	Surname: Buyuyukulu _l mirr [Cf: Liyagawumirr]
Gayak	[Alt: Gudjuk, Gadjak]
Gayakna	[Alt: Gayak (when under taboo)]
Gaykamanu	Surname: Gupapuyŋu
Gudjuk	Skin name: m, Yirritja [Z = Gutjan, M = Galikali]
Golpa	Clan name: Yirritja [Dl = nhanu; cf: Gandanu]
Golumala	Clan name: Dhuwa [Dl = dhanu; cf: Gundarra]
Gumana	Surname: Dhalwanu
Gumatj	Clan name: Yirritja [Dl = dhuwala] [Cf: Burarrwana, Munungiritj, Yunupinu]
Gumbala	Surname: Gupapuyŋu
Gunbirrtji	Extinct clan name: Dhuwa [Traditional owners of Galiwin'ku]
Gundarra	Surname: Golumala

GupapuyŃu	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala] [Cf: GaykamaŃu, Gumbula, Marrkula]
Gurruwiwi	Surname: GŃlpu
Gurryindi	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = nhaŃu]
Gutjan	Skin name: f, Yirritja [B = Gudjuk, M = Galikali]
Gutji'yun	Language name [Cf: Golpa; BararrŃu]
Guyamirrilili	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala; cf: GupapuyŃu]
Guyula'	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: DjambarrpuyŃu]
<u>L</u> amami	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhaŃu] [Alt: <u>L</u> amamirr(i)]
<u>L</u> iyadhaliŃmirr	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: DjambarrpuyŃu]
<u>L</u> iyagalawumirr	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal]
<u>L</u> iyagawumirr	Clan name/Surname: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal]
<u>L</u> u'l'marraŃu	Clan name: Dhuwa
Ma <u>d</u> arrpa	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala; cf: Marawili]
Ma <u>d</u> arrpa-dhu <u>d</u> i	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhiyakuy; cf: RitharrŃu]
Ma <u>d</u> atja	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = djaŃu; cf: Warramiri] [Alt: Ma <u>d</u> atja]
Ma <u>k</u> arrwanhalmirri	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala]
Ma <u>n</u> y <u>d</u> jalpuyŃu	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = djiŃiny; cf: GaŃalbiŃu]
Ma <u>n</u> galili	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala; cf: Maymuru]
Ma <u>n</u> gurra	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhiyakuy]
Ma <u>r</u> awili	Surname: Ma <u>d</u> arrpa
Ma <u>r</u> ika	Surname: RirratjiŃu
Ma <u>r</u> rakulu	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: Wa <u>n</u> ambi]
Ma <u>r</u> raŃu	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhuwal; cf: Wa <u>n</u> ambi]
Ma <u>r</u> rkula	Surname: GupapuyŃu
Ma <u>y</u> muru	Surname: Ma <u>n</u> galili
Ma <u>n</u> uŃgiritj	Surname: Gu <u>m</u> atj
Ma <u>n</u> uŃgurr	Surname: Dja <u>p</u> u

Munyarryun	Surname: Wangurri
Munyuku	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala; cf: Murruwutthun]
Murrungun	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = nhanu]
Murruwun	Surname: Djinan
Naladharr	Clan name: Dhuwa [Cf: Djambarrpuyŋu]
Ŋarritj	Skin name: m, Yirritja [Z = Ŋarritjan, M = Wamuttjan]
Ŋarritjan	Skin name: f, Yirritja [B = Ŋarritj, M = Wamuttjan]
Ŋaymil	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhanu; cf: Ganambarr]
Ŋurruwutthun	Surname: Mynyuku
Rirratjŋu	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhanu; cf: Marika]
Ritharrŋu	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhiyakuy; cf: Bidŋal]
Wāgilak	Clan name: Dhuwa [D1 = dhiyakuy; cf: Wanapuyŋu]
Walamanu	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = nhanu]
Wāmut	Skin name: m, Dhuwa [Z = Wamuttjan, M = Bulanydjan]
Wamuttjan	Skin name: f, Dhuwa [B = Wāmut, M = Bulanydjan]
Wanapuyŋu	Surname: Wāgilak
Wanambi	Surname: Marrakulu / Marranu
Wangurri	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhanu; cf: Munyarryun, Dhurrkay]
Warramiri	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = djanu; cf: Bukulatjpi]
Wirrpanda	Surname: Djapu
Wobulkarra	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = dhuwala]
Wulaki	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = djiniŋi]
Wunurmurra	Surname: Dhalwanu]
Yalukal	Clan name: Yirritja [D1 = nhanu]
Yannhanu	Language name: Dhuwa [D1 = nhanu; cf: Gamaŋga]
Yirritja	Moiety name [Opp: Dhuwa]
Yunupŋu	Surname: Gumatj