

አ : ዐ

አ ለ in, to, at

አ + perfect + ድረስ as long as, so long as

አ + noun + ድረስ up to, as far as

አህል *ahal* grain, cereal, crops, food

አህል : ቅጠል : አይልም it tastes flat (of food)

አህል : ውኃ sustenance, food and drink

አህል : ውኃ : አይልም be tasteless

እገት *ahat* (pl. እገቶች *ahatočč*, እገትማማች *ahatammamačč*) sister

የእገት : ልጅ nephew, niece

[See also እት]

አሁን *ahun* now, at present, presently, shortly, right now, soon

አሁንም even now, still, yet (still)

አሁንም : አሁንም constantly

አሁንም : ሆነ : ሌላ : ጊዜ sooner or later

አሁኑኑ right away, here and now, at once, immediately

አሁን : ካሁን at any moment

አሁን : ገና just now, just this moment

አሁኑ just this once

ባሁን : (ባሁኑ) : ጊዜ nowadays, currently

እስካሁን up to now, to date, as yet, by now, thus far, still (adv.)

ካሁን : ጀምሮ from now on

ያሁን present (adj.)

ያሁን (adj.) present, current

ያሁን : ጊዜ present, n. (time), present tense

ገና : አሁን just, adv. (a moment ago)

አህያ *ahayya* donkey, ass

የአህያ : ኪንታሮት hemorrhoids

እናቲት : አህያ she donkey

ወደል : አህያ he donkey, jackass

የሚያ : አህያ zebra

እሑድ *ahud* Sunday

እሑድና : ቅዳሜ weekend

አህጉር, see ሀገር

አገጽሮተ : ቃል *ahṣarotā qal* abbreviation

አገጽሮተ : ቃል : አደረገ abbreviate

አለ *alā* say, call, name (imperfect ይል, jussive ይበል, imperative በል, gerund ብሎ, participle ባይ, infinitive ማለት) ተባለ *tābalā* be said, be called, be named, be termed

ተባባለ *tābabalā* say to each other

አለ preceded by a repeated noun means 'it has the taste of, it gives the sensation of' (as ማር : ማር : ይላል it has the taste of honey)

አባባል *abbabal* expression, statement, pronunciation, formula (way of saying something)

በል *bāl* come on!, well then!, so then!

በለው *bālāw* hit him!, let him have it!

ብሎ *balo* saying, thinking

ተማለት *malāt* that is, that is to say, namely, it means

ለ - - - ብሎ *lā - - - balo* for the sake of

ለ - - - ሲል *lā - - - sil* for the sake of, for the benefit of

ል + imperfect + ሲል be on the point of

ምንም : አይል *manamm ayal* so-so, mediocre

(በልቡ : ምንም : አይል he has his heart in the right place)

ሲል : ሲል *sil sil* little by little

ባይል *sayal* without reflecting, without regard to

እንበል *annabāl* let's suppose

ማን : ልበል? *man labāl* who is speaking? (when picking up the telephone), may I ask what your name is?

የተባለ *yātābalā* alleged

የሚባል *yāmmibbal* presumed

ይባላል *yəbbalal* it is said, it is presumed

ምን፡ይባላል what's its name?, what is it called?

ይህ፡ነው፡የማይባል *yəh nāw yām-mayəbbal* indescribable, fabulous, unspeakable

ይህ፡ነው፡ሊባል፡አይቻልም *yəh nāw libbal ayəččaləm* it is beyond description

እገሌ፡ከእገሌ፡ሳይባሉ *əgāle kəgāle sa-yəbbalu* people from all ranks of life, without distinction

[See also **ይሉኝታ**]

አለ *allā* he is, he is present, he is around, he exists, there is

አለ(ው) *allā(w)* he has, he owns, he possesses

አለሁ *allāhu* I am all right, I am getting along

አለሁ፡አለሁ፡ባይ pretentious, show-off

አለበት *allābbāt* he has to, he must
አለብኝ *allābbəññ*, in **ማን፡አለብኝ፡ባይ** despot

(ምን፡አለብኝ) what business is it of mine?)

በሌለበት *bālellābbāt* behind his back, when he is away, in his absence

በያለበት (=በ+እየ+አለበት) *bāyyal-lābbāt* everywhere, throughout (all over), all around

ከያለበት (=ከ+እየ+አለበት) *kāyyallābbāt* from far and near, from all over
እንዳለ *əndallā*, as in **ደግሞ፡እንዳለ** his whole salary

ያለ፡የሌለው *yallā yālellāw* in full force, all possible (kinds of), all imaginable (things)

አለ *alā* (with verbal noun) without, except, not-, un- (as in **አለመድረሱ** his not coming, **አለማመን** unbelief); see also **ያለ**, **አሉታ**

ኤሊ *eli* tortoise, turtle

አልህ *əlləh* obstinacy, stubbornness

ተአልኸኛ *əlləhāñña* stubborn, obstinate

***አለለ**, see **ታለለ**

እለል፡አለ *əlal alā* ululate, utter cries of joy

እለልታ *əlalta* ululation, cries of joy

አለመ *allāmā* (B) dream (v.)

ሐልም *halm* (n.) dream, fancy

አልም *əlm* dream (n.)

ዐለመ *allāmā* (B) sight (aim a gun)

ሂላማ፡ዓላማ, see below

ዓላማ *ilama* target, aim (direction aimed at); see **ዐለመ**

ዓለም *alām* world, planet, eternity

ዓለማት *alāmat* universe

ዓለም፡አየ he enjoyed life

ዓለም፡አቀፍ universal, international, global

ክፍለ፡ዓለም hemisphere

ዓለማዊ *alāmawi* worldly, temporal, secular, profane (literature)

ዓለማዊነት *alāmawinnāt* worldliness

ለዘለዓለም *lāzälä'alām* forever, eternally

ለዘለም *lāzälälām* forever, eternally

የዘለም *yāzälälām* eternal

ዓላማ *alama* goal, aim, purpose, target, objective, object (purpose), mission (purpose), intent, concern, design (plan), motif, destiny (see **ዐለመ**)

ያላንዳች፡ዓላማ aimlessly (see **እንዳች**)

ሰንደቅ፡ዓላማ flag

እልም፡አለ *əllamm alā* vanish, disappear

እልም፡ያለ *əllamm yalā* out-and-out (scoundrel), deep (sleep, forest)

አልማዝ *almaz* diamond

አለቀ *alläqä* end (vi.), come to an end, be over, terminate (vi.), finish (vi.), wear out (vi.), perish, be used up, be consumed, be destroyed, lapse (end)

አልቂት *əlqit* holocaust, slaughter, massacre, carnage

†ማለቂያ *maläqiya* end (n.)

ያለቀ *yalläqä* shabby (cloth), worn-out, threadbare

የማያልቅ *yāmmayalq* inexhaustible, interminable (chatter)

አለቃ *aläqa* chief, leader, boss, head (of a gang), superior of monastery, title borne by a learned man, vicar (of church)

(የ)ሻለቃ major, battalion

የገምሳ፣ አለቃ sergeant

(የ)መቶ፣ አለቃ lieutenant

የሥር፣ አለቃ corporal (see በሥር)

አለቃሽ *alqaš* professional mourner (see *ለቀሰ)

አልቅት *alqat* leech

አለቂት, see አለቀ

አለበ *alläbä* milk (v.)

አለባ፣ ገለባ *aläba gäläba* usufruct

አለባ *alba* anklet

አለባሌ *alabbale* humble (home), cheap (person), not worthy of consideration

አሉባልታ *alubalta* gossip, hearsay

አለበለዚያ *aläbäläzziya* otherwise, or else, if not (see also አለዚያ)

ያለበለዚያ *yaläbäläzziya* otherwise, else, or else

አለባት *alläbat* bookmark

አለት *alät* hard stone, rock

አሉት *aluta* negation, negative (n.); see አለ without
የአሉታ negative (adj.)

ዕለት *älät* (pl. ዕለታት *älätat*) day (see also ስት)

ዕለት፣ ዕለት day after day

ዕለት፣ በዕለት day by day

ዕለተ፣ ምጽአት *älätä mäs'at* Judgment Day

በዕለተ፣ ቀኑ on the same day

በየዕለቱ *bäyyä'älätu* daily (adv.)

ከዕለታት፣ አንድ፣ ቀን once upon a time

የዕለት daily (adj.)

የ(ዕ)ለት፣ (ዕ)ለት the same day, exactly that day

በቀደም፣ (ዕ)ለት the other day

ዕለታዊ *älätawi* daily (adj.)

አለንጋ *alänga* small whip

አለኝታ *allähñata* backing (support), moral support (see አለ he is)

አልኮል *alkol* liquor, alcohol, spirits

የአልኮል፣ ሱሰኛ alcoholic (n.)

አልኮልነት፣ ያለው *alkolännät yalläw* alcoholic (drink)

ኤሌክትሪክ *elektrik* electricity

አልሽኛ *allahäñña* stubborn (see አልህ)

አልሽኛነት *allahäññannät* stubbornness

አለዚያ *aläzziya* otherwise, or else, or if not (see also አለበለዚያ)

አልጀብራ *algebra* algebra

አልጋ *alga* bed, throne

አልጋ፣ አነጠፈ make the bed (see *ነጠፈ)

አልጋ፣ ወራሽ Crown Prince (see ወረሰ)

ያልጋ፣ ልብስ bedding, bedspread, linen

ያልጋ፣ ቱራኛ bedridden (see *ቱራኛ)

ሽራ፣ አልጋ cot

የሕፃን፣ አልጋ cradle, crib

የፋሚሊ፣ አልጋ double bed

አለጫ *alläçça* stew made without *bär-bärre*-pepper, but may have green pepper

አለፈ *alläfä* go beyond (the limits), exceed, expire (of time), pass (vi.), go by, pass by, elapse, get by, overlook (a mistake), allow for (make concessions)

(ጊዜ : አለፈ(በት) *gize alläfä(bbät)* be antiquated, be outmoded, be obsolescent

አላለፈ *asalläfä* pass (vt.), cause to pass, let through, let by, make way for, shift, while away (time), spend (time), serve (food or drink)

(ሕይወቱን : አላለፈ give one's life)

(ሕይወቱን : አላልፎ : ሰጠ he sacrificed himself)

(የገዛ : ሕይወቱን : አላለፈ he took his own life)

(አሳልፎ : ሰጠ *asalläfo säftä* betray, deliver (hand over), extradite, forbear (a claim)

ተላለፈ *tälalläfä* pass (go from one to another), pass (elapse), transgress, break (the law), intersect, be forwarded, be remitted, be handed down, be postponed, be deferred, be transmitted (disease), be contagious

አስተላለፈ *astälalläfä* let pass, transmit, transfer, forward (a request), pass around, relay (a message), circulate, conduct (of electricity), deliver, convey (transfer), carry (transmit), communicate (a disease), defer, delay, put off, postpone

አልፎም *alfom* and further, moreover
አልፎ : አልፎ *alfo alfo* every so often, now and again, intermittently, every once in a while, occasionally, infrequently, from time to time, here and there

አላፈ *alafi* one who passes

አላፈ : አግዳሚ passer-by

አልፍ : ብሎ *alläff bəlo* a little further

አላፈ *allafi*, in ሰዓት : አላፈ overtime, curfew

አላላፈ *asallafi* waiter

ተላላፈ *tälalafi* contagious, communicable, transgressor

ማለፊያ, see above

ማላለፊያ *masalläfiya*, in የጊዜ : ማላለፊያ pastime

መተላለፊያ *mättälaläfiya* passage, hall, hallway, corridor, lobby, vestibule, aisle, communication (passageway)

ያለፈ *yalläfä* past (adj.)

(ያለፈ : ሳምንት past week, last week)

የሚታለፍ *yämittalläf* excusable

የይለፍ : ወረቀት *yäyaläf wäraqät* pass, laissez - passer, visa, permit, passport, safe conduct

አላፈ *alafi* responsible (see also ትላፈ)

አልፍ *alf* innumerable

አልፍኝ *alfaññ* interior room used for privacy, reception house

አልፍኝ : አስከልካይ chamberlain, who is in charge of the visitors by either letting them in or keeping them away (see ከአስከልካይ)

አማ *amma* calumniate, slander, backbite, malign, talk behind one's back, libel

አሚት *amet* slander, calumny

[See also አሚት]

አም *amma* + (imperfect) who, that, which (relative); see also የም —

አማሆይ *ammahoy*, appellation for a nun

አመል *amāl* character, conduct (behavior), habit (usually with a negative connotation), bad temper

ላመል *lamāl* barely, touch of

አመልኝ *amäläñña* one who has a bad character

አሞሌ *amole* salt bar used as currency

አምላክ *amlak* (pl. አማልክት *amalakt*) god, deity (see መለከ)

በሕግ : አምላክ in the name of the law (said when one forbids someone to do something illegal)

አምላክነት *amlakännät* divinity

አምልኮ *amläko* cult (see መለከ)

የጣዖት : አምልኮ idolatry

አመልካች *amälkäč* one who indicates, applicant, petitioner (see *መለከተ)

አመልካች : ተውላጠ : ስም demonstrative pronoun

አምላክነት *amlakännät* divinity (see አምላክ)

አማላጅ *ammalaጅ* intercessor, mediator (see *ማለደ)

አመመ *ammāmā* be painful, be sore, hurt

አመመ(ው) *ammāmā(w)* feel pain in, have a pain in, be ill, be ailing
ታመመ *tammāmā* be sick, feel ill, fall ill

አሳመመ *asammāmā* make sick, upset
አስታመመ *astammāmā* take care of a sick person, nurse a sick person

አስታማሚ *astamami* nurse (n.)

አመም *āmām* illness, ache, sickness, disease, ailment (see also አመም)

አማማ *ammamma* mamma!, address to a mother or to an elderly woman

አማረ *amarā* look handsome, look good, be pleasing, be beautiful, be good (of results)

አማረ(ው) *amarā(w)* he liked, he felt like, he had the desire for

(ያማረ *yamarā* handsome, beautiful)

አሳመረ *asammārā* embellish, pretty up, make beautiful, adorn, grace (decorate), make attractive, improve (the character)

አሳምሮ *asamməro* beautifully, to advantage, well

የሚያምር *yāmmiyamər* attractive (pretty), handsome, beautiful

አማራ *amara* name of a region of Ethiopia, Amhara

አማርኛ *amarəñña* Amharic

አሞራ *amora* kind of large bird, bird of prey

ጆራ : አሞራ vulture

አመራር *ammārar* management (handling), direction (management), guidance, conduct, policy, leadership (see መራ)

አማርኛ *amarəñña* Amharic (see አማራ)

አሜሪካ *amerika* America

አሜሪካዊ *amerikawi* American

አሜሪካን *amerikan* American

አሙስ *amus* Thursday (see also ጎሙስ)

አምሳ *amsa* fifty (see also ጎምሳ)

እምስ *əms* vulva, vagina

አምሳል, see መስለ

አምስት *amməst* five

አምስት : ሰዓት eleven o'clock

አምስተኛ *amməstāñña* one-fifth; quintessence

[See also አምሳ, ጎምሳ, ኃምስ, አሙስ, ጎሙስ]

አምሳያ *amsayya* copy, reproduction, likeness, image, imitation (see መስለ)

አመቀ *ammäqä* (B) compress (cotton into balls), squeeze, force by pressing, cram

አምቆ : ያዘ *amməqo-yazä* suppress (one's feelings)

አምባ *amba* a flat-topped mountain used formerly as a fortress, village

አምባ : ገንን *amba gännän* self-appointed ruler who has arrogated power to himself, dictator

[See also አምባገሮ]

አምቢ *əmbi* no

አምቢ : አለ *əmbi alä* refuse, give a refusal, disobey

†አምቢታ *əmbita* refusal

አምቧ : አለ *əmbʷa alä* low (of a cow)

አምበል *ambäl* captain (of a team)

[See also ሻምበል]

አምቡላ *ambulla* dregs (of mead)

አምቡላንስ *ambulans* ambulance

አምቢልታ *əmbilta* flute

አምቦልክ *amboləkk* envelope (see also አንቦልክ)

አምባር *ambar* anklet, bracelet (worn by women)

አምብርት *ambart* navel, center (see also እንብርት)

አምባሲ *embasi* embassy

አምቦላ *ambossa* calf (1-3 months after birth)

ቤት : **ለአምቦላ** may it be a house of prosperity! (said to someone who built a new house)

አምባላደር *ambasadär* ambassador

አመቤት *ammäbet* mistress (of the house), lady of the house; shortened into አሜቲ (see አመት)

አመቤታችን *ammäbetaččän* Our Lady, the Virgin Mary

የቤት : **አመቤት** housewife

የአመቤትነት *yäammäbetännät* aristocratic

አምቢታ *ambita* refusal (see አምቢ)

የአምቢታ negative (answer)

አምቢተኛ *ambitännä* recalcitrant, refractory, disobedient

አምቢተኛነት *ambitännännät* refusal

የአምቢተኛነት *yäambitännännät* resistant (nature)

አምብዛም *ambəzam* + (negative verb) seldom, rarely, hardly, scarcely, hardly ever (see በዛ)

አምብዛም : **ነው** it does not amount to much, it is negligible

አምባጓር *ambag'aro* free-for-all, row, quarrel, brawl, conflict (see አምባ)

አምቡጥ *ambuጥ* (n.) bud, bloom

አምቡጥ : **ያዘ** (v.) bud, bloom

ዓመት *amät* year, age

ዓመተ : **ምሕረት** (written ዓ, ም) year of Grace (Ethiopian year)

መቶ : **ዓመት** century

ስንት : **ዓመቱ** : **ነው**? how old is he?
በያመቱ *bäyyamätu* yearly (adv.), annually, year by year

ዐውደ : **ዓመት** turn of the year (e.g. festival of New Year or of St. John)

ከዓመት : **ዓመት** year in, year out; the year round

ከዓመት : **እስከ** : **ዓመት** year in, year out

የዓመት (adj.) yearly, annual

(የ)ዓመት : **በዓል** holiday, anniversary

ዓመታዊ *amätawi* annual (adj.)

አማት *amat* mother-in-law, father-in-law

አሜት, see አማ

አሞት *amot* bile, gall (see also ሐሞት)

አሞት : **የሌለው** coward

አመት *ammät*, **አሜት** *ammet*, **አሜቲ** *ammete* madame!, yes (in reference to a summons by a woman); see አመቤት

አማች *amač* father-in-law, son-in-law, brother-in-law

አማችች *amačočč* in-laws

አመነ *ammänä* believe, trust, have confidence, have faith, profess (declare one's belief in), confess (admit), concede (admit)

ታመነ *tammänä* be faithful, be trusted, be loyal, rely, count on, be accepted (believed)

አሳመነ *asammänä* persuade, convince, indoctrinate, convert (to another religion), extort a confession

ተማመነ *tämmammänä* trust (rely on), depend on, rely on, count on, confide in, have confidence in, be confident, be convinced of

አሜን *amen* Amen, so be it!

እመን *amun* faithful, sure, certain

አምነት, see below

አማኝ *amañ* believer

አማኝ *ammañ* witness

ታማኝ, see above

ምእመን, see above

መታመኛ *mättamännä* evidence, credentials

መተማመኛ *mättämmamännä* evidence

መተማመን *mättāmāmān*, in በራስ ፡
 መተማመን self-assurance
 የታመነ *yātammānā* reliable (source)
 የሚታመን *yāmmittammān* veracious
 (report)
 የማይታመን *yāmmayattammān* unbe-
 lievable, inconceivable, fantastic,
 dishonest
 የሚያስተማምን *yāmmiyastāmamān*
 safe (reliable)

አሚን *amen* Amen, so be it! (see አመነ)

ዓምና *amna* last year

†አቻምና *aččamna* year before last

ኢምንት *imənt* nothing

አምነት *əmnāt* faith, belief, confidence,
 creed, fidelity, conviction (belief),
 confession (in court), trust, reliance,
 assurance (see አመነ)

አምነት ፡ አገኘ be trustworthy (see
 *ገኘ)

አምነት ፡ አገደል abuse one's trust
 (see ገደል)

አምነት ፡ ጣል count on, place confi-
 dence or trust in

አምነት ፡ ቢስ faithless

አምነት ፡ ጉደሉ dishonest

የአምነት ፡ ቃል confession (of crimi-
 nal)

አማኝ *əmmañ* witness (see አመነ)

አማካኝ *ammakañ* mean (average)

አማካይ *ammakay* mediator, moderate,
 mean (n.), central, middle, average
 (n., adj.); see አከለ

አማካይ ፡ ክፍል nucleus

አማካይነት *ammakayənnāt* agency
 (means)

(በ - - አማካይነት through the good
 offices of, by means of, through the
 mediation)

አመድ *amād* cinder, ashes

አመድ ፡ ሆነ be burnt to ashes

አመድ ፡ ለበለ be livid, be pale

አመድ ፡ አደረገ wreck, turn to rubble

አሚዶ *amido* starch (n.)

አሚዶ ፡ አደረገ(በት) starch (v.)

ዓምድ *amd* column, pillar

አመዳይ *amāday* hoarfrost

አማጭ *ammač* matchmaker, go-between
 (in arranging marriage); see መጣ

አመዳት *əmmāčət* nursing mother, wom-
 an who has recently given birth,
 cow with calf

ዐመፀ *ammāšā* (v.) revolt, rebel

ዐመፀ *amāš* mutiny, insurgency, re-
 bellion, uprising insurrection

የዐመፀ subversive

ዐመፀኛ *amāšāñña* rebel, insurgent,
 terrorist

አምፑል *ampul* electric bulb

አረ *ärä* why!, why! (exclamation of
 surprise when something unexpected
 happens); see also አረግ

አረ ፡ ለመሆኑ how on earth!

አራ *arra* defecate

አር *ar* excrement

አሪ *ərri* yell, a cry for help

አሪ ፡ አለ *ərri alä* cry for help

አሪ ፡ ብሎ ፡ አለቀለ he cried his head
 off (see *ለቀለ)

አረመ *arrāmā* (B) weed, correct, re-
 dress, mark (examination papers),
 grade (papers), prohibit

አረም *arām* weed, weeding

አርም *ərm* prohibited, taboo, anath-
 ema

አርማት *ərrəmat* correction

የታረመ *yātarrāmā* expurgated
 (book), fine (manners)

ያልታረመ *yaltarrāmā* common (man-
 ners), coarse (language, behavior),
 unrefined

አርማ *arma* insignia, symbol, emblem,
 badge, slogan

አርምጥ *armamo*, in በአርምጥ ፡ ተቀበለ
acquiesce in

አርማት, see አረመ

አረመኔ *arāmāne* pagan, infidel, unbeliever, wild (tribe), savage (n.)

አረማዊ *arāmawi* pagan

አርምጃ *arməḡḡa* step, pace, stride, action (step), move (step), measure (step), progress (see *ረመደ)

አረረ *arrārā* be scorched (food), burn (of food), turn green (with envy)

አሳረረ *asarrārā* char (meat)

አሩር *arur* intense heat (see also ሐሩር)

አራራ *arera* buttermilk

አረሰ *arrāsā* plow, till the land, cultivate land, farm

አራሽ *araš* farmer, cultivator

አርሻ, see below

ማረሻ *marāša* plow (n.)

አራስ *aras* woman in childbed

አራስ ፡ ልጅ newborn baby

አርሱ *arsu* he (see also እሱ)

የርሱ *yārsu* his

አርስ, in እርስ ፡ በርሳቸው *ars bārsaččāw*
each other, with each other, among
--- selves

የርስ ፡ በርስ *yārs bārs* one against the other, each other, among -, mutual, reciprocal, internecine

አርሷ *arsʷa* she (see also እሷ)

የርሷ *yārsʷa* her, hers

አርሳስ *arsas* pencil, lead

አርሳቸው *arsaččāw* He (respect); see also እሳቸው

አርሰዎ *arsāwo*, እርሰዎ *arsāwo* You (resp.); see also እስዎ

የርሰዎ *yārsāwo* Your, Yours (resp.)

አራሽ, see አረሰ

እርሻ *arša* farm, plantation, cultivated field, farming, agriculture (see አረስ)
የእርሻ ፡ የርሻ agricultural, agrarian
እርሻ ፡ ሚኒስቴር Ministry of Agriculture

የእርሻ ፡ ተግባር agriculture

እርሽ *aršo* leaven, yeast, ferment

ዐረቀ *arrāqā* (B) straighten out (an affair, branches), train, mold (the character)

ታረቀ *tarrāqā* be straightened, make peace (vi.) be reconciled, patch up a quarrel (vi.)

እስታረቀ *astarrāqā* (vt.) reconcile, conciliate, make peace, arbitrate

ዕርቅ *arq* conciliation, reconciliation, peace

ዕርቅ ፡ አወረደ establish peace

እስታራቁ *astaraqi* conciliator, conciliatory, arbiter, mediator, go-between

ዐረቁ *arāqe*, ዐረቂ *arāqi* anise (liquor), arrack

ዕርቃን *arqan* nakedness

ዕርቃኑን ፡ ቆመ he was naked

ዐረብ *arāb* Arab

ዐረብ ፡ ሱቅ Arab store

ዐረብ ፡ ብረት steel

የዐረብ ፡ አገር Arabia

ዐረብኛ *arābāñña* Arabic

አርባ *arba* forty, memorial service for a dead person on the fortieth day after his decease (see አራት)

ዓርብ *arb* Friday

እርብራብ *arəbrab* lattice, joist, framework, scaffolding (see also ርብራብ)

እርባታ, see ረባ

እርበኛ *arbāñña* patriot (during the Italian invasion), partisan

አራት *aratt* four

አራት ፡ ሰዓት ten o'clock

አራተኛ *arattāñña* fourth

[See also እርባ, ሩብ, ራብዕ]

አራት *arat* supper, dinner (see also ራት)

የራት ፡ ግብዣ *yārat gəbža* banquet, formal dinner

የእባት ፡ አራት moth

አራት *orit* Mosaic law, Pentateuch

ኤርትራ *erətra* Eritrea

አርቲስት *artist* artist

አርነት *arənnāt* freedom (see also ሐርነት)

አርነት ፡ ወጣ become free

አርነት ፡ አወጣ free (a slave), emancipate, deliver from slavery (see ወጣ)

አረንጓዴ *arāngʷade* green, moss (on water)

ሂረኛ *ərrāñña* shepherd, cowherd, herdsman

የአረኛ ፡ አነጋገር vulgar expression

አርእስት *arʾəst* subject (of a play), subject matter, topic, title, heading (see ርእስ)

አርእስተ ፡ ነገር main subject

አርእስተ ፡ ዜና headline(s)

አርእስተ ፡ ጉዳይ outline (of a lecture)

ከአርእስት ፡ ውጭ beside the question

ዋና ፡ አርእስት lead article

አርአያ *arʾaya, araya* example, model, embodiment

አርአያ ፡ ነው exemplify

አርአያነት ፡ ያለው *arʾayannāt yallāw* exemplary

[See also ራእይ, ትርእይት]

እርኩም *arkum* stork

እርኩስ *arkus* unclean (ritually), impure, contaminated (see ረከሰ, ርኩስ)

እርኩብ *arkab* stirrup

አርኬዎሎጂ *arkewologī* archeology

አራዊት *arawit* beasts (see አውሬ)

የአራዊት ፡ መጠበቂያ zoo

የዱር ፡ አራዊት wild animal

*አረዘ, see ታረዘ

አረዶ *arrädä* slaughter, butcher, cut the animal's throat

እርድ *ərd* slaughtering, butchering

አራዳ *arada* market area

እርዳታ *ərdata* (n.) help, aid, assistance, grant, donation (see ረዳ)

የመግሪያ ፡ እርዳታ fellowship (for studies)

የመጀመሪያ ፡ እርዳታ ፡ ሕክምና first aid

የመጀመሪያ ፡ እርዳታ ፡ መድኃኒት first aid kit

አረጀ *aräggā* grow old, get older, grow older, age (vi.), be worn out (articles, clothes)

እርጅና, see below

እርጅና *ərğənnä* old age (see አረጀ)

በስተርጅና *bästärğənnä* in old age

ዐረገ *arrägā* go up into heaven

አሳረገ *asarrägā* make go up, offer a final prayer

ዕርገት, see below

ግዕረግ, see above

አረግ *äräg* why! why! (exclamation of surprise when something unexpected happens); see also አረ

እርጌ *aroge* ancient, old (thing), secondhand (book)

እርጌት *arogit* old woman

አረጋዊ, see below

እርጎ *ərgo* curds, yogurt, coagulated milk (see ረጋ)

የእርጎ ፡ ዝምብ meddlesome

እርግግን *ərgəman* malediction, curse, imprecation (see ረገመ)

እርግብ *ərgəb* turtle-dove, pigeon (see also ርግብ)

አሮጊት, see አሮጊ

ዕርገት *ərgät* Ascension (of Christ),
Feast of the Ascension (see ዕርገ)

አርጋታ *ərgata* calm (n.), composure
(see ረጋ)

በአርጋታ ፣ በርጋታ calmly, leisurely,
gently

የርጋታ ፣ መንፈስ poise

አረጋዊ *arägawi* venerable (appearance),
honorable person, old man (see
አሮጊ)

አርጉዝ *ərguz* pregnant (see ረገዝ)

አርግዝና *ərgəzanna* pregnancy

አርግጥ *ərgaṭ* sure, certain, definite
(sure); see *ረገጠ

በአርግጥ, በርግጥ positively, in reality,
really, for certain, definitely, surely
አርግጠኛ *ərgaṭäñña* positive, sure,
certain, definite

አርግጠኛነት *ərgaṭäññannät* confirma-
tion (verification), certainty

አርግጫ *ərgəčča* kick, recoil (of gun);
see ረገጠ

አራጣ ፣ አበዳሪ *araṭa abäddari* usurer
በአራጣ ፣ ማበደር *baraṭa mabäddär*
usury

አርጥበ *ərṭəb* moist, damp, wet (see
ረጠበ)

አርጥበት *ərṭəbät* dampness, moisture
አርጥበት ፣ ያለው—*yallāw* humid
አርጥበት ፣ የበዛበት—*yäbäzzabbät* hu-
mid (see በዛ)

አርጭሜ *arčumme* switch (slender
stick), rod, thin and flexible stick

አረፈ *arräfä* rest (vi.), be quiet, land,
vi. (of a plane), alight, stay (dwell),
be housed, be centered on, make a
stop (stay); die, pass away
አሳረፈ *asarräfä* bring to rest, let
rest, land (a plane); see also ሐሳብ
(አስተያየት ፣ አሳረፈ. set down one's
views in writing)

ዕረፍት, see below

ማረፈያ, see above

አረፋ *aräfa* froth (on milk, on the
mouth), lather, foam, bubble, suds

አረፋ ፣ ወጣ foam (v.)

አረፋ ፣ ደፈቀ foam at the mouth

የሳሙና ፣ አረፋ lather

አራፊ *arrafi* patch (on the trousers)

አርፍ *ərፍ* plow handle

ዓረፍተ ፣ ነገር *aräftä nägär* sentence
(in grammar)

ዕረፍት *aräfi* rest, repose, recess, vaca-
tion, pause, interval, death (see አረፈ)

ዕረፍት ፣ ነግ not be restful (lit. 'de-
prive of rest')

ዕረፍት ፣ አደረገ take a break

የዕረፍት ፣ ጊዜ recess, vacation

ዜና ፣ ዕረፍት obituary

ዓጥ *asa* fish

ዓጥ ፣ ነባሪ *asa näbari* whale

ዓጥ ፣ አጥማጅ fisherman (see *ጠመዶ)

አሱ *əssu* he (see also አርሱ)

አሱ ፣ ላይ in that respect

የሱ *yässu* his

አሱነት *əssunnät* personality, identity

እሷ *əss'a* she (see also አርሷ)

የሷ *yäss'a* her, hers

እስላም *əslam* Muslim, Islam

እስልምና *əsləmanna* Islam

አሳማ *asama* wild boar, pig, hog, sow

ያሳማ ፣ ሥጋ pork

አስማ *asma* asthma

አስማት *asmat* magic, black magic,
magical spell, sorcery, witchcraft,
charms (see ስም)

በአስማት ፣ ተበተበ enchant (of witch),
cast a spell on

አስማተኛ *asmatäñña* magician, sor-
cerer, wizard, witch

አሰረ *assärä* tie, bind, attach, lash to-
gether, lace, imprison, put in jail

ተሳሰረ *tāsassārā* be interconnected, be knit together, be tied together, be linked

(ምሳሌ ፡ ተሳሰረ he was tongue-tied)
አስተሳሰረ *astāsassārā*, causative of the preceding

እስር *asər* knot, bundle, imprisonment

እስር ፡ ቤት *asər bet* jail, prison

እስራት, see below

እስረኛ *asrāñña* prisoner

ግሰሪያ, see above

አሠሪ *assārri* employer, foreman (see ሠራ)

አሠር *asār* dregs

ዐሥር *assər* ten

ዓሥራ ፡ አንድ ፡ ዓሥራንድ *asrand* eleven

ዐሥራ ፡ ሁለት *asra* — twelve

ዐሥራ ፡ ሦስት thirteen

ዐሥራ ፡ አራት fourteen

ዐሥራ ፡ አምስት ፤ ዐሥራምስት fifteen

ዐሥራ ፡ ስድስት sixteen

ዐሥራ ፡ ሰባት seventeen

ዐሥራ ፡ ስምንት eighteen

ዐሥራ ፡ ዘጠኝ nineteen

ዐሥር ፡ ሰዓት four o'clock

ዐሥራ ፡ አንድ ፡ ሰዓት five o'clock

ዐሥራ ፡ ሁለት ፡ ሰዓት six o'clock

ዐሥር ፡ ዓመታት *assər amātat* decade

የዐሥር ፡ አለቃ corporal

ዐሥረኛ *asrāñña* tenth

[See also ዐሥራት, ዐሠርቱ]

አሠራር *assārar* construction, workmanship, execution, function (see ሠራ)

ያሠራር ፡ መምሪያ recipe

ዐሥራት *asrat* tithe, tenth of agricultural product paid in cash or in kind (see ዐሥር)

ዐሠርቱ ፡ ቃላተ ፡ አራት *assārtu qalatā orit* the Ten Commandments (see ዐሥር)

እስራት *assarat* imprisonment, confinement, arrest (see እስረ)

የዕድሜ ፡ ልክ ፡ እስራት life imprisonment

ጽኑ ፡ እስራት hard labor

ዐሥረኛ *asrāñña* tenth (see ዐሥር)

እስረኛ *asrāñña* prisoner (see እስረ)

እሰሰ *assāsā* (B) scan, scour (the town), grease (a griddle)

አሳሽ *assaš* explorer, scout

እስስት *asasit* chameleon, two-faced person, fickle

አሳሽ, see እሰሰ

እስቃቂ, see *ሰቀቀ

አሥቂኝ, see ሣቀ

እሰበ *assābā* (B) think, imagine, be considerate, have in mind, meditate, contemplate, have concern for, take into consideration, intend, conceive an idea, reckon, plan, calculate, worry (vi.), be concerned (worry)

አሳሰበ *asassābā* remind, call attention to, suggest, connote, recommend, worry (vt.), concern (worry)

አሳብ *assab* thought, idea, opinion, intention, contemplation, proposal (legislature)

አሳቢነት *assabinnāt* consideration

አሳቢ *asassabi* serious (situation), grave, alarming, critical (situation), weighty (problem)

አሳሳቢነት *asassabinnāt* seriousness or gravity (of the situation), thoughtfulness, concern

እስተሳሰብ, see below

መታሰቢያ, see above

ሳይታሰብ *sayəttassāb* unexpectedly, accidentally, without warning

ያልታሰበ *yaltassābā* sudden, unexpected

[See also ሐሳብ]

እሰት, see ሐሰት

እሳት *asat* fire

እሳት ፡ ጫረ get fire from a neighbor

እሳተ ፡ ገሞራ volcano
 (የእሳተ ፡ ገሞራ volcanic)
 (የእሳተ ፡ ገሞራ ፡ አናት crater)
 የእሳት incendiary
 የእሳት ፡ እራት moth
 የእሳት ፡ አደጋ fire hazard
 የእሳት ፡ አደጋ ፡ መኪና fire engine
 የእሳት ፡ አደጋ ፡ ተከላካይ fireman
 የእሳት ፡ አደጋ ፡ ተከላካይ ፡ ንድ fire
 brigade
 (የ)ሰደድ ፡ እሳት wildfire

አስተ, see እስከ

አስቲ *əsti* come now!, so then!, let me!, please!

አስታማሚ *astamami* nurse (see አመመ)

አስተማሪ *astāmari* teacher, instructor
 (see *ማረ)

አስተማሪነት *astāmarinnāt* teaching,
 teaching profession

አስተርጓሚ *astārgʷami* translator, inter-
 preter (see ተረጎመ)

አስተሳሰብ *astāsasāb* way of think-
 ing, idea, opinion, notion, sugges-
 tion, reasoning, mentality (see አሰብ)

አስተባበለ, see አበለ

አስተባበረ, see አበረ

አስተናባሪ *astānabari* usher (see ነበረ)

አስተናገደ, see ነገደ

አስተናጋጅ, see ነገደ

አስትንፋስ *astānfas* breath, breathing
 (see ነፈሰ)

አስተካከለ, see አከለ

አስተካካይ *astākakay*, in ጠጉር ፡ አስተካ
 ካይ hairdresser, barber (see አከለ)

አስተዋለ *astāwalā* pay attention, be
 attentive, look at, take note of (see
 ዋለ and አስተዋይ)

አስታወሰ, see አወሰ

አስታወቀ, see ዐወቀ

አስተዋወቀ, see ዐወቀ

አስተዋይ *astāway* observant, attentive,
 prudent, wise, intelligent, thoughtful,
 perspicacious, perceptive, reason-
 able (see አስተዋለ)

አስተዋይነት *astāwayannāt* judgment
 (ability to form opinions), soundness
 of judgment, prudence, perspicacity
 አስተዋይነት ፡ የጉደለው imprudent

አስተያየ *astāyayyā* compare (see አየ)

አስተያየት *astāyayāt* opinion, judgment
 (opinion), point of view, notion, out-
 look, attitude, contention, remark,
 observation, perspective (see አየ)

አስተያየት ፡ አደረገ take into consid-
 eration

መልካም ፡ አስተያየት favor (n.)

በኔ ፡ አስተያየት in my view, in my
 opinion

አስታድዮም *astadyom* stadium

አስተዳደረ, see አደረ

አስተዳደር *astādādār* administration,
 management (see አደረ)

ያስተዳደር executive (adj.), adminis-
 trative

አስተዳዳሪ *astādādari* manager, execu-
 tive, administrator (see አደረ)

አስተዳዳሪዎች *astādādariwočč* man-
 agement (persons who handle a busi-
 ness)

አስተዳደግ *astādādäg* breeding, upbringing
 (see አደገ)

አስቸኳይ *asčäkkʷay* urgent, pressing
 (see ቸኩለ)

አስቸኳይ ፡ ሁኔታ emergency, state of
 emergency

አስቸኳይ ፡ ጊዜ emergency, state of
 emergency

ባስቸኳይ urgently

አስቸኳይነት *asčäkkʷayannāt* urgency,
 exigency

አሳቸው *assaččāw* He (respect); see also
እርሳቸው

አሳንሰር *asansār*, አሳንሰር *asansur* lift,
elevator

እሱነት *assunnāt* personality, identity
(see እሱ)

እስከ *askā* until, up to, till, as far as,
even (see also እስተ)

እስከ + noun + ድረስ up to, till, until
(prep.), as far as

እስከ + perfect + ድረስ as long as, so
long as

እስካሁን *askahun* so far, up to now
(see አሁን)

እስከኑ *askānnā* including, inclusive of
(እስከነጥራቸው for good (as in 'he
came back for good'; see ጥራቸው)

እስከዚህ *askāzzih* so far, that far, so
(that much), all that (see -ዚህ)

እስከዚያ *askāzziya* meanwhile (see
-ዚያ)

እስኪ *aski* may I?, let me!, please!

እስከ + imperfect + ድረስ to the point
of

እስኳል *askʷal* egg yolk

እስከልካይ, see አልፍኝ

እስከፊን *askāren* corpse, body (corpse),
skeleton

ያስከፈን : ሣጥን coffin

እስከሲታ *askasta* kind of dance in which
the shoulders are shaken

እስከሲታ : እስነካ (or ወረደ) perform
the *askasta* (see ነካ)

እስከኑ *askānnā* including, inclusive of
(see እስከ)

እስካውት *askawt* scout, boy scout

እስከያጅ *askiyağ* administrator, direc-
tor, manager (see ሂደ, *ኬደ)

ሥራ : እስከያጅ manager

እስካድሮን *askʷadron* squadron

እስከፈ, see ከፋ

አሳዛኝ, see አዘነ

እስይ *assāy*, exclamation of joy

እስያ *asya* Asia

አሲድ *asid* acid (n.)

እስጊ *asgi* critical (condition), serious
(condition), dangerous (disease),
alarming, risky (see ሰጋ)

እስጊ : ሁኔታ crisis

እስጊነት *asginnāt* gravity, serious-
ness (of condition)

እስፋልት *asfalt* asphalt, asphalt road,
paving

እስፋልት : ፈሰሰ be paved

እስፋልት : አፈሰሰ lay down a coat
of asphalt

እስፒል *aspil* pin

እስፖርት *asport* sport (see also ስፖርት)

አሸ *aššā* rub, scrub, massage

አሻሽ *ašaššā* pat, stroke

አሺ *ašši* yes, all right, O.K.

አሺ : አለ consent, comply, accept
(agree), acquiesce

አሺ : ባይ submissive, compliant

ተሸታ *aššāta* consent

አሽ *ašš* hush!, silence!

አሽ : አለ *ašš alā* shoo (the flies)

አሾህ *ašoh* thorn, spine (see also ሾከ,

ሾህ, አሾከ)

አሾህማ *ašohamma* thorny, prickly

አሽመ *aššāmā* (B) braid (the hair)

አሻሚ *aššami* ambiguous (see *ሻማ)

አሻሚነት *aššaminnāt* ambiguity

አሽሙር *ašmur* sarcasm, veiled insult

አሸር : ባሸር *ašār bašār* poor (food)

አሻራ *ašura* land sale tax

አሻራ *ašara* fingerprint

የጣት : አሻራ fingerprint

አሸፋፋ *aššururu* lullaby

አሸፋፋ : አለ sing a lullaby, lull by singing softly

አሸሻሻ *aššašaṣ* salesclerk, salesman (see ሸጠ)

አሸቅድምድም *ašqadāmdām* race, racing (see ቀደመ, ተሸቅዳደመ, አሸቅድድም)
የፈረሰ : አሸቅድምድም horse race

አሸቅድድም *ašqadaddām* racing, race (see also አሸቅድምድም)
የዱላ : ቅብብል : አሸቅድድም relay race
የፈረሰ : አሸቅድድም horse race

አሸት *ašāt* grain before it matures

አሸታ *aššata* consent (n.); see እሺ
የአሸታ positive (affirmative)

አሸንዳ *ašānda* gutter, spout (of roof)

አሻንጉሊት *ašangullit* toy, doll

አሻክ *ašok* thorn, spine (see also ሾህ, ሾክ, እሾህ)

አሽከር *aškār* servant, domestic

አሽካካ *aškakka* neigh (see *ሸካካ)

አሽዋ *ašāwa* sand

አሽዋማ *ašāwamma* sandy

አሸገ *aššāgā* (B) seal (close tightly), glue

በቆርቆር : አሸገ can (food)

በቆርቆር : የታሸገ *bāqorqorro yātaš-šāgā* conserve, n. (preserved food)

በጣሳ : አሸገ can (food)

አሻግር *aššagro* across (see *ሻገረ)

አሻፈረ(ኝ) *ašaffärä(ān)* absolutely not, definitely not, I won't do it (see *ሸፈረ)

አሻፈረኝ : አለ revolt (not accept the authority), refuse flatly

አሻፈረኝ : አልሄድም I will definitely not go

አቃ *aqā* things, object, utensil, baggage, goods, stuff, effects, article (object)

አቃ : አስገባ furnish (an apartment); see ገባ

አቃ : ማጠቢያ sink (n.)

አቃ : ቤት vestry, storehouse

አቃ : አዞሪ peddler (see ዞሪ)

ትርፍ : አቃ surplus goods

(የ)ሆድ : አቃ entrails, guts

የሸክላ : አቃ earthenware

የቤት : አቃ furniture

ጥራ : አቃ raw material

ዓቅም *aqām* strength, means, power, capacity, ability

ዓቅም : አጣ be powerless

ዓቅመ : ሒዋን *aqmā hewan* puberty (of woman), maturity (of woman), adulthood (of woman)

ዓቅመ : ቢስ weakling

ዓቅመ : አዳም puberty (of man), maturity (of man), adulthood (of man)

ለዓቅመ : ሒዋን : ደረሰች be of age (woman), reach puberty (woman)

ለዓቅመ : አዳም : ደረሰ be of age (man), come of age, reach puberty (man)

አንደ : ዓቅሙ as much as he can

አቋም, see ቆመ

አቀማመጥ, see *ቀመጠ

አቆማዳ *aqomada* leather bag

አቅራቢያ *aqrabbiya* immediate neighborhood, vicinity (see ቀረብ)

በአቅራቢያ : የሚገኝ nearby (adj.)

በ - - አቅራቢያ near (prep.)

አቋራጭ *aaq'araṣ* crosscut, cutoff (see ቈረጠ)

አቋራጭ : መንገድ short cut

አቃቂር *aqaqir* review (of a book)

አቃቂር : ጸፈ review (a book)

ዐቃቢ *aqqabi* custodian, guardian

ዐቃቤ : ሕግ prosecutor

ዐቃቤ : መጻሕፍት librarian

ጠቅላይ : ዐቃቤ : ሕግ attorney general

ዕቁብ *aqqub* mutual aid association, credit association

ዐቀበት *aqābāt* upward slope, ascent
ዐቀበቱን uphill (adv.)

ዕቁባት *əqqubat* concubine

አቀባይ *aqābbay*, in ቃል : አቀባይ correspondent (of a newspaper), reporter, spokesman (see *ቀበለ)
ወረ : አቀባይ informer
ዜና : አቀባይ reporter

አቅኚ *aqñi* pioneer (see ቀና)
ያገር : አቅኚ colonizer (see አገር)

አቀደ *aqqādā* (B) plan, make plans, devise a plan, project, design (plan out), conceive a plan
የታቀደ *yātaqqādā* intended, designed
አቅድ *aqd*, እቅድ *əqqəd* plan, project, scheme, setup
ያለ : አቅድ haphazardly

አቂጣጠር *aqq'ātaṭār* way of counting, computation, reckoning (see ቂጠረ)
የቀን : አቂጣጠር calendar (counting of days)

አቅጣጫ *aqtačča* direction, drift (of wind), course (of river), bearings
ከያቅጣጫው *kāyyaqaččaw* from all sides
ከሁለቱም : አቅጣጫ from all angles, from all directions
ዋነኛ : አቅጣጫ cardinal point

እቅጩን *əqqəččun* the naked truth
እቅጩን : ተናገረ hit the nail on the head (see ነገረ)

አቀፈ *aqqāfā* embrace, hug, hold close, take in one's arms
ታቀፈ *taqqāfā* hold in one's arms, brood (of hen, of eggs)
ተእቅፍ *əqqəf* armful
አቀፍ *aqqāf*, in ዓለም : አቀፍ international, universal, global

እቅፍ *əqqəf* armful (see አቀፈ)
እቅፍ : አደረገ hug, squeeze (hug), press (embrace)

እቅፍ : ሙሉ armful, armload
የአበባ : እቅፍ bouquet

አባ *abba* Father (title of priests), appellation for monks, reverend (see አቡን); is also used in personal names and noms de guerre
አባ : ጨንፈ caterpillar

አብ *ab* (pl. አበው *abāw*, አበይት *abāyt*) elder, forefather, Eternal Father

አበለ *abbālā* break one's promise, promise falsely, make believe
ተባበለ *tābabbālā* be false, be untrue
አባበለ *ababbālā* entice with promises, cajole, coax, placate, conciliate (coax), hush (a baby)
አስተባበለ *astābabbālā* deny (a report), disavow (disclaim), refute
አባይ *abay* fake (n.)
እብለት *əblāt* deceit, lie, falsehood
ግስተባበያ *mastābabāya* denial, refutation

አበለ *abāl* means of existence, stipend, allowance, alimony, annuity, wages
የቀን : አበለ per diem
የጡረታ : አበለ social security, pension

አባል *abal* member (of a board)
አባለ : ዘር genitals
አባሎች *abalōčč* staff (group assisting a chief)
አባልነት *abalənnāt* membership

አበለ *abol* first boiling of coffee

እብለት, see አበለ

አበረ *abbārā* join up, stand with, collaborate, be united, conspire against
ተባበረ *tābabbārā* unite (vi.), be united, be allied, ally oneself, be aligned, confederate, be in association, join forces, cooperate, coalesce
አስተባበረ *astābabbārā* unite (vt.), coordinate, combine (efforts)
አብሮ *abro*, አብረው *abrāw* together, along with

(አብሮት ፡ መጣ he came along with him)
 (አብራችሁ ፡ ሂዱ abraččəhu hidu go together!)

አበር *abbār*, in ግብረ ፡ አበር collaborator, accomplice, confederate, partner in crime
 አባሪ *abari* associate, enclosure (something enclosed)
 ተባባሪ *tābabari* associate, ally
 ተባብረው *tābabrāw* in unison
 መተባበር *mättābabār* solidarity
 ትብብር *təbabbər* cooperation, coordination
 የተባበረ *yātābabbärä* concerted
 [See also ገብር, ገብረት, ማገበር]

አዲራ *ab'ara* dust (n.); see also አዋራ
 አዲራማ *ab'aramma* dusty

አብረት *əbrit* conceit, vanity (conceit), arrogance
 አብረተኛ *əbritäñña* arrogant

ዕብራይስጥ *əbrayəsī* Hebrew language

አበሰ *abbāsā* (B) wipe, clean, rub in (e.g. butter)

አበላ *abāsa* misfortune, sin

አብሶ *abəso* especially (see ባሰ)

አበሱዳ *abāsuda* kind of spice

አበኛ *abāša* Ethiopian, Abyssinian (see also ሐበኛ)

አብሽ *abəš* fenugreek

አብቅ *əbbəq* chaff

አበበ *abbābā* (B) flower, bloom, blossom (see አበበ)

አበባ *abāba* (n.) flower, bloom (see አበበ)
 ያበባ ፡ ማስቀመጫ vase
 ያበባ ፡ እቅፍ bouquet
 ያበባ ፡ ጉንጉን wreath, garland
 አበባማ *abābamma* flowery

አባባ *abbabba* daddy!, papa! (see አባት)

አባብ *əbab* snake, serpent

አባባል, see አለ say

አባት *abbat* father

አባቶች *abbatočč* forefathers, ancestors

አባትና ፡ እናት *abbatənna ənnat* parents

ያባት ፡ ስም patronymics

ያባት ፡ አባት paternal grandfather

ማን ፡ አባቱ *man abbatu* bastard! (lit. who is his father?)

ምን ፡ አባቱ what the devil!

የገበዳ ፡ አባት father confessor

የእንጀራ ፡ አባት stepfather

የአደራ ፡ አባት guardian, trustee

የክርስትና ፡ አባት godfather

የጡት ፡ አባት protector (formal relationship)

አባታዊ *abbatawi* fatherly, paternal

አባባ *abbabba* daddy!, papa!

አባዬ *abbayye* daddy!

አቤት *abet* yes, Sir!, at your service!, present!

አቤት ፡ አቤት, expression of surprise; my! my!; justice, justice!

አቤት ፡ አለ *abet alā* complain, appeal, petition

[See also አቤቱታ]

አበት *əbbät* fresh dung (of cow)

አቤቱታ *abetuta* complaint, petition, plea, appeal (see አቤት)

አቤቱታ ፡ አቀረበ complain, submit a petition

አቡን *abun*, አቡነ *abunä*, title of a bishop, title of the head of the Ethiopian Church (see አባ)

አብነ ፡ በረድ *əbnä bäräd* marble

አብነት *abənnät* model, pattern, doctrine

አባክህ *əbakkəh* please! (sg. masc.)

አባከሽ *əbakkəš* please! (sg. fem.)

አበወ, see አብ

አብዛኛ *abzañña* bulk (see በዛ)

አብዛኞች *abzaññočč* majority

አብዛኛው *abzaññaw* chiefly, mostly, large proportion of, majority

አብዛኛውን most

አብዛኛውን፡ጊዜ in the main, mainly, usually, commonly, most of the time, mostly, often

ዐበዩ, see ታበዩ

ዐቢይ *abiyy* cardinal (adj.), capital (adj.), leading (thought), important, grandiose

ዐቢይ ፡ ጽሑፍ leading article

[See also ዐባይ, ታበዩ, ትዕቢት]

አባዬ *abbayye* daddy! (see አባት)

አባይ *abay* fake (n.); see አበለ

ዐባይ *abbay* Blue Nile
(feminine of ዐቢይ, see above)

አበደ *abbādä* go mad, be insane, be crazy

አሳበደ *asabbādä* madden, drive crazy

አበድ *abd* mad, crazy, lunatic, insane, rabid (dog)

አበደት *abdät* madness, lunacy, insanity

አቡጄዲ *abuḡädi*, አቡጄዲድ *abuḡädiid* calico

አበጠ *abbätä* swell (vi.), be swollen, swell up

አሳበጠ *asabbätä* cause to swell, cause a swelling, bulge (vt.)

አባጣ ፡ ጉርባጣ *abaṭa g"ärbaṭṭa*, አባጣ፡ጉባጣ *abaṭa g"äbaṭa* bumpy, broken (terrain)

አብጠት *abṭät* bump, swelling, tumor
አባጭ, see below

አባጭ *abbač* swelling, abscess (see አበጠ)

አቶ *ato* Mister, title of respect

እት *ät* (pl. እቶች *atočč*, እትማማች *atammamačč*) sister
[See also እሳት]

አተላ *atäla* coffee grounds, dregs, lees

አታላይ *attalay* swindler, cheat, cheat-er, deceitful, dishonest, double-faced (see ታለለ)

አታላይነት *attalayännät* duplicity

አተመ *attämä* (B) print, stamp, seal, coin (pennies)

ታተመ *tattämä*, passive of the preceding; go to press

አሳተመ *asattämä* publish, get something printed

አተሚ *attami* printer

አሳተሚ *asattami* publisher

እትም *attam* printing, typography, issue of a magazine, edition

ማተሚያ ፡ ቤት *mattämiya bet* printing press

ማሳተም *mahtäm* rubber stamp, seal

አተም *atamo* small drum

እትማማች *atammamačč* sisters (see እት)

አተር *atär* pea

እትብት *ätabt* umbilical cord

አተተ *attätä* (B) comment, make a commentary, report (of a newspaper)
ሐተታ, see above

አተክልት *atakält* garden, vegetables (see ተክለ)

እትክልት *atkält* fruit, vegetables

ያትክልት ፡ ቦታ garden

እትክልተኛ *atkältäñña* gardener

እትዬ *ätäyye*, address to a young woman by her juniors

አትዮጵያ *ityoppäya* Ethiopia

አትዮጵያዊ *ityoppayawi* (pl. አትዮጵያውያን) Ethiopian

እቴጌ *ätege*, title of queen, sovereign's consort

እትፍ ፡ አለ *ättäff alä* spit (see also ተፋ)

አቻ *ačča* equal, peer, of the same rank, of the same status

አቻ ፡ ለአቻ being of the same age, being of the same status, matching pair

ያላቻ፡ ጋብቻ *yalačča gabəčča*, አላቻ፡ ጋብቻ *alačča gabəčča* misalliance

አቶሎኒ *oččoloni* peanut

አቻምና *aččamna* year before last (see ግምና)

ካቻምና *kaččamna* year before last

እነ *annä*, marker of plurality (as in እነ ግን who? (plural), እነዚህ these, እነ ዚያ those, እናንተ you (pl.), እነሱ they); also, 'those with, the followers of' as in እነራስ፡ ዮሐንስ the followers of Ras Yohannes

እኔ *əne* I

የኔ *yäne* my, mine

አና *ona* deserted (house), abandoned (house); see also ወና

እነሆ *ənnäho* here is!, behold!

እኒህ *ənnih* these, this (respect); see also እኒህ

እነማን *ənnäman* who? (plural); see እነ, ግን

አነር *anär* panther

እነርሱ *ənnärsu* they (see also እነሱ)
የእነርሱ *yännärsu* their, theirs

አነሰ *annäsä* be less, be insufficient, diminish (vi.), decrease, be too little, be small, shrink, flag (of strength)
እነሰ(ው) *annäsä(w)* he lacks in, he is short of, he has little of, (something) is not enough for him

አሳነሰ *asannäsä* lessen, diminish (vt.), decrease

አነሰ፡ ያለ *anäss yalä* light (sentence), scant (small)

አነስተኛ *anästännä* lesser, little (matter), small, minimum, few, minor (change), spare (scanty), slender (income), insignificant

ያነሰ *yannäsä* less

ቢያንስ *biyans* at least

ቢያንስ፡ ቢያንስ at least, a minimum of

ማነስ *manäs* paucity, small number, lack, shortage

ትንሽ, see above

ታናሽ, see above

እነሱ *ənnässu* they (see also እነርሱ)

የእነሱ *yännässu* their, theirs

አንሶላ *ansola* sheet, bedsheet

አንስራ *ənsara* water jug

አንስሳ *ənsasa* (pl. አንስሳት) animal

አንስሳት *ənsəsət* fauna

የቤት፡ አንስሳ domestic animal

አንስት *anəst*, አንስት *ənəst* female (see also አንስታይ)

አንሥቶ *ansəto*, in ከ - - - አንሥቶ beginning from, starting from (see ነሣ)

አንስት *ənsät* false banana

አነስተኛ, see አነስ

አንስታይ፡ ጾታ *anəstay şota* feminine (n.), feminine gender (see አንስት)

እንሽላሊት *ənšəlalit* lizard

አነቀ *annäqä* choke (vt.), strangle, suffocate, seize by the neck, attack (of a leopard)

ታነቀ *tannäqä* (vi.) strangle, choke, suffocate

ተናነቀ *tənnannäqä* grapple

አንቆ፡ ገደለ *anqo gəddälä* throttle, strangle (kill by squeezing the throat)

ትንቅንቅ *tənəqnəq* (n.) struggle, fight

ዕንቀ፡ *ənq*^w precious stone, jewelry

ዕንቀ፡ ሳንፔር sapphire

አንቁላ *ənqulal* egg

አንቁላ፡ ጣለ(ች) lay an egg

የአንቁላ፡ አስኳል yolk

እንቅልፍ *ənqəlf* (n.) sleep, slumber (see *ቀለፋ)

እንቅልፋ፡ መጣ he is sleepy (lit. the sleep came)

እንቅልፍ፡ ነሣ not let sleep, keep awake

እንቅልፍ፡ እንቅልፍ፡ አለው he is sleepy
 እንቅልፍ፡ ወሰደው he fell asleep
 እንቅልፍ፡ ያዘው he fell asleep
 የእንቅልፍ፡ በሽታ sleeping sickness
 የእንቅልፍ፡ እጦት insomnia
 እንቅልፋም *anqəlfam* sleepy

እንቁራረት *anqurarit* frog, toad

እንቅርት *anqart* goiter

እንቅርት፡ አወጣ have a goiter (see ወጣ)

እንቅስቃሴ *anqəsəqqasə* movement (political), activity (movement), motion (movement); see *ቀስቀስ
 የመኪናዎች፡ እንቅስቃሴ traffic
 የሰውነት፡ እንቅስቃሴ gesture, exercise (physical)

እንቆቅልሽ *anqoqəlləš* riddle, puzzle

እንቅብ *anqəb* kind of platter serving as a measure

እንቀጣጣሽ *anq"əfataš* New Year's celebration, New Year season

እንቀጽ *anqās* article (section of document), paragraph, clause, stipulation, term (of treaty), provision (of law), predicate

ርእስ፡ እንቀጽ editorial, lead article
 ትእዛዝ፡ እንቀጽ imperative
 የግጥም፡ እንቀጽ strophe

ዕንቅፋት *anqəfat* stumbling block, hindrance, obstacle, pitfall, encumbrance, drawback, impediment
 ዕንቅፋት፡ መታው he bumped into something, he stumbled

እንባ *ənba* tear (from the eye)

እንባ፡ አዘለ be teary, be tearful

እንቦልክ *ənboləkk* envelope (see also አምቦልክ)

እንፔሎፕ *envelop* envelope

እንብርት *ənbari* navel, center (see also አምብርት)

እንበላ *ənbəssa* lion, brave, courageous

እንበጣ *ənbəta* locust

እናት *anat* summit, crown of the head, head (of page, of staircase), bolt
 በ - - - እናት፤ ከ - - - እናት on the top of, on the summit of

እንተ *antä* you (sg. masc.)

ያንተ *yantä* your, yours (sg. masc.)

እናት *ənnat* mother

እናትና፡ አባት parents

እናትና፡ አባት፡ የሌለው orphan

የእናት maternal

የእናት፡ ቋንቋ native speech, native tongue, mother tongue

የቱልፍ፡ እናት lock

(የ)እንጀራ፡ እናት stepmother

የክርስትና፡ እናት godmother

እናትነት *ənnatənnäi* motherhood

እንተ *əntä*, in በእንተ፡ ስጧ፡ ለማርያም in the name of Mary

እንቶ፡ ፍንቶ *ənto fənto* junk

እናቶጫ *anatomi* anatomy

እናቲት *ənnatit*, in እናቲት፡ አህያ she donkey; እናቲት፡ ዶሮ mother hen

እንቲና *antena* antenna

እንተን *əntän*, እንትና *əntəna* what's-his-name (when one cannot remember the name of a person or wishes to avoid mentioning it)

እንትን *əntən* what's the name (when one cannot remember the name of a thing)

እንትፍ፡ እንትፍ፡ አለ *əntəff əntəff* alä splutter

እንቺ *ənči* you (sg. fem.)

ያንቺ *yanči* your, yours (sg. fem.)

እናኗር *ənn"an"ar* way of life, life style, living (see ኖረ)

እናንተ *ənnantä* you (pl.)

የናንተ *yämantä* your, yours (pl.)

እንኳ *ənnāññih* these

እንካ *ənka* take!, here! (fem. እንኪ *ənki*, ጎንቺ *ənči*, pl. እንኩ *ənku*); see ነካ
በእንካ : ሰላንቲያ : ተያያዙ engage in
recrimination (see ያዘ)

እንኳ *ənka* even (adv.)

እንኳ + (simple imperfect) even if,
even though, although

ምንም : እንኳ : ብ + (simple imperfect)
despite, even though, although
[See also እንኳን, ሰንኳ]

እንኳር *ənka* cube (of sugar), lump
(of sugar)

እንኩር *ənkuro* dish made of flour of
parched barley and sorghum which
has been mixed with water

እንከሰ *ənākkāsā* limp, be lame

እንካላ *ankassa* lame (person), one
who limps

እንከብል *ənkebāll* round, spherical,
tablet (of aspirin), pill (see *ከባለል)

እንከትከት : አለ *ənkatkatt alā* go to
pieces (see ከተከተ)

እንከትከት : አደረገ wreck (v.)

እንከን *ənkan* defect, spot (stain),
blemish (of reputation), flaw

እንከን : የሌለበት (or የሌለው) *ənkan*
yālellābbāt (or *yālellāw*) flawless,
blameless, immaculate, impeccable

እንከን : የማይወጣለት *ənkan yāmma-*
yəwāṭallāt perfect (without defect)

እንኳን *ənkan* even (adv.)

እንኳን + (negative verb) not even

ምንም : እንኳን : ብ + (imperfect)
even if

ብ + imperfect + እንኳን even if, even
though

እንኳን is also used in formulas for
wishing well, as in እንኳን : ደና፡ ገባህ
welcome home! (see ገባ); እንኳን :
ደስ : ያለህ congratulations!; እንኳን :

ከዘመን : ወደ : ዘመን : አሸጋገረህ
Happy New Year! (see *ሻገረ)

እንኳን : ደስ : ያለህ : አለ congratulate,
felicitate

ሁሉም : እንኳን : አለ everyone said
that he had it coming
[See also እንኳ]

እንኪህ *ənnāzzih* these (adj., pr.)
from እነ, -ኪህ

እንዝርት *ənzart* spindle, axis

እንኪያ *ənnāzziya* those (adj., pron.)
from እነ, -ኪያ

እንዱ : ጋ *anduga* somewhere (see አንድ)

እንዴ *ande* once, at once (see አንድ)

እንዴ : ሁለቱ a few times

ባንዴ at a glance, at once, overnight

ካንዴም : ሁለቱ more than once

ከዓመት : እንዴ rarely, very seldom,
once in a blue moon

አንድ *and* (fem. አንዲት *andit*) one, a,
an, single, a certain, the same,
about (approximately)

አንድ : ሁለቱ a couple

አንድ : ላይ together

አንድ : ሰዓት seven o'clock

አንድ : ሰው somebody, someone

አንድ : ቀን some day

አንድ : ቦታ some place

አንድ : ባንድ singly, point by point,
one by one, one at a time

አንድ : ነገር something

አንድ : አደረገ unify

አንድ : ጋ together

አንድ : ጊዜ sometime, once

አንድ + (suffix pronoun + nega-
tive verb) none of

አንዱ : ጋ somewhere

አንዴ, see above

ባንድ together

ባንድ : ጊዜ at once

አንዱም either

አንዱም + (negative verb) neither

አንድም also, or

አንድም + (negative verb) nobody,
not a single

አንድም : ነገር + (negative verb) not a thing

አንዳች, see below

አንድነት, see below

አንደኛ, see below

አንዳንድ, see below

አንዳፍታ, see below

አንድ *andä* like, as, according to, in accordance with, instead of

አንድ + (perfect) if, even as, as, as soon as, just as, whether, once (conj.)

አንድ + perfect + ወዲያው as soon as
አንድ + (perfect or relative imperfect) that (conj.)

አንድ + (relative imperfect) as far as (conj.), as (conj.)

አንድ + verb + ሁሉ just as, just like, as though

አንደኔ to my mind, according to me

አንደኔ : ከሆነ to my mind, according to me

[አንድ is the first element of አንደምን, አንዲህ, አንደሆነ, and so on]

አንዴ *ände* what!, how!, why! (exclamation of surprise)

አንዴው *andew* suddenly

አንዴውም *andewam* in any case, as a matter of fact

አንድ *anda* + (imperfect) in order that, in order to, so that; serves also for the expression of the infinitive

አንዲህ *andih* such, such a, like this, so, thus (from አንድ-ይህ)

አንዲሁ *andihu* thus, likewise

አንዲህም *andiham*, አንዲሁም *andihum* like this, likewise, thus

አንደሆነ *andähonä*, አንደሆነ *andähon* if, whether (see አንድ)

አንዱም : አንድም, see አንድ

አንደምን *andäman* how? (see አንድ, ምን)
አንደምንም *andämanam* anyhow, somehow

አንደምንም : ብሎ anyhow, somehow or other, barely, after a fashion

አንደራሴ *andärase* deputy, representative, vice-, stand-in (see አንድ, ራስ)
የሕዝብ : አንደራሴ deputy (in parliament)

አንደራሴነት *andärasennät* regency

ኢንዱስትሪ *industri* industry

አንደበት *andäbät* tongue

አንደበተ : ርቱቅ eloquent

አንደበተ : ርቱቅነት *andäbätä ratu'an-nät* eloquence

አንዲት *andit* one (fem.); see አንድ

አንዴታ *andeta* and how!, certainly!, surely!, of course!, naturally!

አንዴት *andet* how?, how!, how much!

አንዴት : አንድ + (verb) how

አንዴት : ያለ such a!

አንዳች *andačč* any, anything (see አንድ)

አንዳችም *andaččam* + (negative verb) nothing, not anything

ካላንዳች : ተቃውሞ unopposed (see ቆመ)

አንድነት *andännät* union, unity, solidarity, integrity (territorial); see አንድ
ባንድነት in a body, together, in unison

አንዳንዴ *andande* sometimes, at times (from አንድ-አንዴ)

አንዳንድ *andand* some, certain, several (see አንድ)

አንዳንዶች *andandočč* several, some
አንዳንዶቹ several (pron.)

አንዳንድ : ጊዜ sometimes, at times

አያንዳንድ *ayyandand* each, every

አያንዳንዱ : ሰው everyone

አንደነገሩ, see ነገር

አንደኛ *andännä* first, firstly, unique, of excellent quality, first-class (see አንድ)

አንደኛ : ደረጃ : ትምህርት : ቤት
primary school, elementary school
አንደኛው either
አንደኛነት *andāññannāt* champion-
ship, primacy, top rank (in class)

አንዴው, see አንዴ

አንዴውም, see አንዴ

አንደዚህ *andāzzih* this way, like this,
thus, such a
አንደዚህ *andāzzihu* likewise, the
same way
አንደዚህ : ከሆነ in this case

አንደዚያ *andāzziya* that way, thus
አንደዚያው as before

አንዲያ *andiya* that way, thus
አንዲያው *andiyaw* to no purpose,
for nothing, just (merely), without
result, purely
አንዲያውም as a matter of fact, in
fact, for that matter, rather, in
any case

አንደገና *andägäna* again, anew

አንዲጋጣሚ, see አጋጣሚ

አንዳፍታ *andafta* at one gulp (from አንድ,
አፍታ)
ባንዳፍታ at one stroke

አንጅ *angō* tough (meat)

አንጃ *angā* I wouldn't know!

አንጂ *angji* but, on the contrary, except
that
አንጂ (preceded by the jussive) even
though
ይሁን : አንጂ nevertheless

አንጀራ *angära* Ethiopian bread (is
made from a batter and is cooked
like a pancake)
አንጀራ : ወጣልኝ *angära wäṭṭalləññ*
I made a good living
የአንጀራ : ልጅ stepchild, stepdaugh-
ter, stepson
(የ)አንጀራ : አባት stepfather

(የ)አንጀራ : እናት stepmother
የአንጀራ : አባቱ : ልጅ stepbrother
የአንጀራ : እናቱ : ልጅ stepbrother
የተርብ : አንጀራ wasp nest

አንጀራ *angörre* raspberry, strawberry

አንጀት *angät* intestine, entrails, bowels,
guts

አንጀቱ : ተቈረጠ he was mortally
offended (see ቈረጠ)

አንጀት : የለሽ heartless

ያንጀት *yangät* intestinal

ያንጀት : ሕመም colic

ያንጀት : ወዳጅ close friend

ትርፍ : አንጀት appendix

የትርፍ : አንጀት : በሽታ appendicitis

አንጓ *angʷa* joint (of bamboo)

የአጅ : አንጓ wrist

አንጉል *angʷäl* brain

የአንጉል cerebral

አንግሊዝ *angliz* Englishman

አንግሊዝኛ *anglizəñña* English (lan-
guage)

አንግሊዛዊ *anglizawi* Englishman

አንጉርጉር, see *ጉረጉረ

አንጉተ *anäggätä* shoulder (a gun),
sling over the shoulders, wear on
the neck

ማንገቻ *mangäca* suspenders

አንጉት, see below

አንጉት *angät* neck (see አንጉተ)

አንጉቱን : ብቅ : አደረገ lean forward

ካንጉት : በላይ : የሆነ insincere, forced,
strained (not natural)

ያንጉት : ልብስ shawl, scarf

ያንጉት : ነቀርሳ scrofula

ያንጉት : ፎጣ scarf

አንግዳ *angäda* stranger, guest, visitor,
strange, odd, queer, weird, unusual,
new (unusual)

አንግዳ : ቤት sitting room

አንግዳ : ተቀባይ host, hospitable
(see *ቀበለ)

አንግዳ : ተቀባይነት hospitality (see *ቀበለ)

አንግዳ : ነገር oddity

አንግዳ : አትሁን make yourself at home! (see ሆነ)

የአንግዳ : ማረፊያ lounge

ቤት : ለአንግዳ make yourself at home!

አንግዳነት *əngədannät* peculiarity

አንግዲ *əngade*, in የአንግዲ : ልጅ placenta, afterbirth

አንግዲህ *əngədih* therefore, for that reason, now (thus), so, in any case

ከአንግዲህ hereafter

ከአንግዲህ : ወዲህ henceforth, from this time forward

ከአንግዲህ : ወዲያ any longer, any further

አንጉዳይ *ənguday* mushroom

አንግዲያ *əngədiya* therefore, well then
አንግዲያውማ *əngədiyawamma* then (if that is so)

አንግዲያስ *əngədiyass* then, so then

አንጋፋ *angaffa* first-born son

አናጢ *anaṭi* carpenter, mason (see also አናጺ.)

አንጥል *ənṭəl* uvula, tonsil

አንጥረኛ *ənṭərəñña* metal worker, silver-smith (see ነጠረ)

አነጠሰ *anäṭṭäsä* sneeze

አስነጠሰ *asnäṭṭäsä* cause to sneeze

ዕንጨት *ənṣät* wood, timber, peg, stake
የዕንጨት wooden

አነጻ *annäṣä* build, form (the character)
አናጺ, carpenter, mason (see also አናጢ)

አንጻር *anṣar* direction (line of action), aspect, facing (see *ነጻረ)

አንጻር : ላንጻር against each other

ከ - - - አንጻር ፤ በ - - - አንጻር opposite (prep.), against, in contrast to

እንፋሎት *ənfalet* vapor, steam

ኢንፍሎዌንዛ *influenza* flu, grippe

እኛ *əñña* we

የኛ *yäñña* our, ours

እኚህ *əññih* this (respect); see also እኒህ

እኘክ *aññäkä* (B) chew, masticate

አእምር *a'maro* reason (ability to think), mind (intellect), consciousness, intelligence

አእምር : ዐወቀ he has reached the age of reason

አእምር : ያለው rational (being)

አእምር : ደካማ feeble-minded

የአእምር mental, intellectual (adj.)

የአእምር : ሕመምተኛ insane

የአእምር : ሐኪም psychiatrist

የአእምር : ሕክምና psychiatry

ኡሉታ *u'uta* a call for help

አዕዋፍ *a'waf* fowl (see ወፍ)

እኮ *əkko* yes, indeed!; well then!, of course!, after all!, really!

አከተ, see ታከተ

አኳኋን *akk'ah'an* manner of being, essence, condition, state of affairs, position, fashion, style (see ሆነ)

በምንም : አኳኋን by all means

አካሄድ, see ሄድ

አከለ *akkälä* be equal, equal, be like, amount to, be worth

አከለ(ለት) *akkälä(llaṭ)* add, contribute

ተካከለ *täkakkälä* be equal, be uniform, be even

አስተካከለ *astäkakkälä* make equal, equalize, make uniform, even out, adjust, regulate, set (a watch), smooth out (the mortar), trim, cut (hair), balance, straighten, level, rectify
ተስተካከለ *tästäkakkälä* be level, be equal, be straight, be regular (feature)

እኩል, see below

እኩልነት *əkkulənnät* equality, equivalence

እኩሌታ *əkkuleta* half, equal part

እኩያ, see below

መሃል, see above

መሀከል, see above

ማስተካከያ, see above

ማእከላዊ, see above

ማእከላይ, see above

መካከል, see above

ትክክል, see above

አማካይ, see above

አስተካካይ, see above

ያህል, see below

አካል *akal* (pl. አካላት *akalat*) body, body (of water), organ, member

አካላት members of the body

አካለ : መጠን manhood, full growth

አካለ : መጠን : የደረሰ grown (man)

አካለ : ስንኩል disabled, cripple, invalid

አካለ : ጉደሎ invalid (adj.), crippled, maimed

አካለ : ጉደሎ : አደረገ cripple (v.)

አካለ : ጉደሎነት *akalä g"ädälonnät* deformity

ትሪት : አካል fossil

የሰው : አካል : ጥናት physiology

አካላዊ *akalawi* physical (activity), bodily

እኩሌ *əkäle* such-and-such, so-and-so

እኩል *əkkul* equal, even, evenly, alike, uniform, half, middle (see አከል)

ከ - - - እኩል as, like

እኩለ : ሌሊት midnight

እኩለ : ቀን noon

እኩል : አደረገ equate

እኩሌታ *əkkuleta* half, equal part

እኩልነት *əkkulənnät* equality, equivalence, parity

[See also በኩል]

አክሊል *aklil* crown

አካላት *akalat* members of the body (see አካል)

እኩሌታ, see እኩል

እኩልነት, see እኩል

እኩመ *akkämä* (B) attend (treat), treat medically, doctor (v.); see also ሐኪም

እኩምባላ *akəmbalo* cover of the griddle on which *əngära*-bread is made (see also እኩንባሎ)

እኩርካሪ *akärkari* spinal column, spine, vertebra, backbone

እኩስት *akəst* aunt

ያክስት : ልጅ cousin

እኩሊዮን *aksiyon* stock, share

ኤክስፖዝሊዮን *ekspozisiyon* exposition

እኩብሮት *akbərot* respect, deference, homage (see ከበረ)

እኩብሮት : የጉደለው irreverent, disrespectful

በእኩብሮት respectfully

አካባቢ *akkababi* surrounding area, surroundings, environment, outskirts, zone, region (see ከበበ)

ባካባቢው nearby

በ - - - አካባቢ around

እኩታ *akkəta* spittle, phlegm

ኤኮኖሚክስ *ekonomiks* economics

እኩንባሎ, see እኩምባላ

እኩክ *akkäkä* have an itch, scratch

ታኩክ *takkäkä* scratch oneself

አባክክ *asakkäkä* itch (vt.), make to scratch

እኩክ *əkäk* itch (n.)

እኩያ *əkkuya* equal, of the same age, of the same size, peer (see አከል)

አካዳሚ *akadami* academy

አካፋ *akafa* shovel, spade

በአካፋ : ዛቀ shovel (v.)

አዎ *awo* yes (see also አዎን)

ወውሎ : ነፋስ *awlo näfas* whirlwind, gale, tornado

አውላላ *awlalla* vast (plain)

አውላላ : ሜዳ open field,

አወላዋይ *awwālaway* hesitant, irre.

(see ወላወለ)

አዋላጅ *awwalaḡ* midwife (see ወለደ)

*ዐወረ, ታወረ *tawwārā* (B) go blind,

lose one's sight

አሳወረ *asawwārā* blind (vt.)

ዕውር *əwwar* blind (adj.)

ዕውርነት *əwwarənnāt* blindness

አዋራ *awwara* dust (n.); see also አቧራ

አውራ *awra* male (of animals), head

(of family), important, chief

አውራ : በራ bull

አውራ : ዶሮ rooster

አውራ : ጉዳና highway

አውራ : ጣት thumb

አውራ : ፍየል he-goat

የንብ : አውራ queen bee

አውሬ *awre* beast, wild animal, carnivorous animal, brute

አውሬነት, see below

[See also አራጭት]

አውራሪስ *awraris* rhinoceros

አውሬነት *awrennāt* ferocity, wild state,

savagery (see አውሬ)

የአውሬነት bestial

ዕውርነት *əwwarənnāt* blindness (see

*ዐወረ)

አውራጃ *awraḡḡa* district, sub-province

አውራጅ *awraḡ* song leader (see ወረደ)

አውሮፓ *awroppa*, አውሮጳ *awroppa*

Europe

አውሮፕላን *awroplan* plane, aircraft

(see also አይሮፕላን)

አውሮፕላን : ጣቢያ airport

አውሮፕላን : ማረፊያ airport

አወስ *awwāsā* (B) reflect, ponder,

remember, recall

ታወሰ(ው) *tawwāsā(w)* think of, recollect, remember

አስታወሰ *astawwāsā* remind, call to mind, refer, remember, retain a memory of, commemorate

ማስታወሻ, see above

መታወሻ *mättawwāsā* remembrance

ዐወቀ *awwāqā* know, be familiar with, be acquainted with, recognize, learn (the truth), discover (find out), be cognizant of, realize, notice

(በመላ : ዐወቀ guess, v.)

(ነፍስ : ዐወቀ reach the age of reason, be mature)

(ነፍሱን : ዐወቀ recover consciousness, come to)

(አያውቅም *ayawqəm* (preceded by the gerund) never (e.g. ሰምቶ : አያውቅም he never heard)

(ለይቶ : ዐወቀ diagnose; see ለየ)

ታወቀ *tawwāqā* be known, be famous, manifest itself, be found out

አሳወቀ *asawwāqā* acquaint, inform

አስታወቀ *astawwāqā* let know, inform, announce, notify, declare, give notice, report (inform), proclaim

ተዋወቀ *tāwawwāqā* be acquainted with one another, make the acquaintance

አስተዋወቀ *astāwawwāqā* make get acquainted, familiarize, introduce (people)

ዐዋቂ *awaqi* intelligent, wise, knowledgeable, expert, full-grown, adult

(አላዋቂ *alawaqi* ignorant person)

ዐውቆ *awqo* knowingly, by design, on purpose, intentionally, deliberately, by itself (without any help)

ዕውቅ *əwq* known, reputed

ዕውቀት *əwqāt* knowledge, understanding, comprehension, cognizance, erudition

ዐዋቂነት *awaqinnāt* knowledge

አላዋቂነት *alawaqinnāt* ignorance

ዕውቂያ *əwqiya* acquaintance

ማስታወቂያ, see above

መታወቂያ *mättawwāqiya* identification

አለማወቅ *alāmawāq* innocence (ignorance), misconception
የታወቀ *yātawwāqā* famous, outstanding, noted, notorious, renowned

ዕውቀት, see **ዐውቀ**

አውታር *awtar* string of a musical instrument; beam (of wood), framework (of bridge)
የድምፅ : **አውታሮች** *yādams awtaročč* vocal cords

አውቶቡስ *awtobus* bus
አውቶቡስ : **መቆሚያ** bus stop

አዎን *awon* yes (see also **አዎ**, **አዎንታ**)

አውን *awən*, in **በአውን**, **በውን** in real life, in actual fact, actually

አዎንታ *awonta* affirmative (n.); see **አዎን**
የአዎንታ affirmative (adj.)

አውነት *əwnāt* truth, reality
አውነትህ : **ነው** you are right
አውነትም certainly, indeed
በአውነት : **በውነት** indeed, actually, in fact, truly, honestly, really
እንደ : **አውነቱ** : **ከሆነ** as a matter of fact
አውነተኛ *əwnātāñña* true, truthful, actual, real, rightful, genuine, authentic
አውነተኛነት *əwnātāññannāt* truthfulness

አወክ *awwākā* (B) cause a disturbance, disturb, upset, agitate, mar
አስታወክ(ው) *astawwākā(w)* vomit, throw up
አዋክ *awwaki* unruly, mischievous
መታወክ *mättawāk* failure (of health)
የታወክ *yātawwākā* (mentally) disturbed

አወደ *awwādā* (B) perfume, vt. (of roses)

ዐውድ *awd* rotation, cycle, circuit
ዐውደ : **ንባብ** primer

ዐውደ : **ዓመት** turn of the year (e.g. festival of New Year's or of St. John)

ዐውደ : **ጥበብ** encyclopedia
የዐውደ : **ፀሐይ** : **ዓመት** solar year

አውድማ *awdamma* threshing floor

ዐወጀ *awwāḡā* (B) edict, issue a decree, proclaim, promulgate
ዐዋጅ *awaḡ* proclamation, decree
ዐዋጅ : **ነጋሪ** herald (n.)

አውጫጭኝ *awḡačəññ* investigation sponsored by a community for apprehending or identifying a wrongdoer (see **ወጣ**)

አዞ *azzo* crocodile

አዛ *azza* there

አዚህ *azzih* here, over here (see **-ዚህ**)
አዚህ : **ኃ** over here

አዘለ *azzälä* carry on the back, bear (e.g. letter bearing a threat), contain
ትምህርት : **ያዘለ**—*yazzälä* didactic
እንባ : **ያዘለ** teary, tearful
ጥላቻ : **ያዘለ** hostile, inimical

አዝማሚያ *azmamiya* current (trend, direction), drift (trend); see **ዘመመ**

አዝመራ *azmära* crop, harvest

አዝማሪ *azmari* singer, minstrel (see **ዘመረ**)

አዝማች *azmač* commander (military), refrain of a song (see **ዘመተ**)
አዝማች : **ጦር** vanguard
ቀኛዝማች commander of the right (title of distinction); see **ቀኝ**
ደጃዝማች honorary title (see **ደጅ**)
ግራዝማች commander of the left (honorific title); see **ግራ**

አዝመድ *azmud* thyme

አዝማድ, see **ዘመድ**

አሳማጅ፡ ተውላጠ፡ ለም *azzamaḡ tāwlaḡā*
səm relative pronoun (see ዘመደ)

አዝራር *azrar* button (of shirt)

አዙራት *azurit* whirlpool (see ዞረ, እዝ
 ዋራት)

*ዐዘበ, see ታዘበ

አዛብ *əzab* reins (see also ዛብ)

አዘቦት *azābot* working day
 አዘቦት፡ ቀን working day
 ባዘቦቱ *bazābotu* usually

አዘነ *azzānā* be sad, be sorrowful,
 grieve, mourn, have regrets, deplore,
 be in low spirits

አዘነ(ለት) *azzānā(llāt)* feel for, have
 pity on, feel sympathy for

አሳዘነ *asazzānā* sadden, grieve some-
 one, depress, move to pity, arouse
 compassion

አሳዛኝ *asazzañ* sad (news), deplor-
 able, grievous (news), distressing,
 pitiful, tragic

የሚያሳዝን *yāmmiyasazzān* appalling,
 deplorable, regrettable

ያሳዝናል *yasazzānal* what a shame!
 [See also ሐዘን, ሐዘንተኛ]

አዝዋራት *azwarit* whirlpool (see ዞረ,
 አዙራት)

አዛውንት *azawənt* respected elder, nota-
 bles

አዘዘ *azzāzā* order, command, prescribe,
 enjoin, instruct, charge someone to
 do something

ታዘዘ *tazzāzā* receive orders, obey,
 be compliant

(ምን፡ ልታዘዝ *mən lattazāz* what
 can I do for you?)

አዛኝ, see below

ትእዛዝ, see above

ታዛኝ, see above

ማዘዣ *mazāza*, in የመድኃኒት፡ ማዘዣ
 prescription

(የፍርድ፡ ቤት፡ ማዘዣ warrant)

አለመታዘዝ *alāmāttazāz* insubordina-
 tion, disobedience

የማይታዘዝ *yāmmayāttazāz* insub-
 ordinate, disobedient, recalcitrant

አዛኝ *azzaž* commander, chief (see
 አዘዘ)

አዛኝ፡ መኰንን commanding officer

ምክትል፡ አዛኝ second-in-command,
 deputy commander

ዋና፡ አዛኝ commander in chief

አዚያ there, over there (from እ-ዚያ)

አዚያ፡ ላይ in this respect

አዚያ፡ ማዶ over there

አዚያ፡ ኃ over there

አዝ *ažžā* ooze out

ማዝት, see above

አዣንስ *ažans* agency (see also አጃንስ)

አየ *ayyā* see, look, look at, notice,
 witness, watch (a game or play),
 regard, consider, try (a case), hear
 (of judge hearing a case), treat, test
 (the brakes), check (oil in a car)

(እንዳላየ፡ አየ *əndalayyā ayyā* close
 one's eyes to something, ignore)

ታየ *tayyā* be visible, be seen, be
 shown, appear, be apparent, seem
 (to someone), be in evidence, be on
 display, show (vi.)

አሳየ *asayyā* show (vt.), display,
 exhibit, demonstrate, depict (demon-
 strate), present (a play), point out

ተያየ *tāyayyā* see one another

(ከሱ፡ ኃር፡ እንተያያለን *kāssu gar*
ənnəttāyayyallān I have an account
 to settle with him)

አስተያየ *astāyayyā* compare

አስተያየት, see above

መታየት *māttayāt* display, appearance
 (act of appearing)

ተትይይ *tayəy* opposite

የሚታይ *yāmmittayy* visible, apparent

ተ(የ)እዩልኝ (*yā*)*əyulləññ* pretentious

ልታይ፡ ልታይ፡ አለ *lāttay lāttay*
alā give oneself airs, show off, be
 ostentatious, be pompous

[See also አየት : አደረገ]

አዩ *aye*, expression of disbelief

አየ *ayyā* (with perfect) while, all the time that; (with noun) every, each (see also በየ)

አይሁድ *ayhud* Jews

አይሁዳዊ *ayhudawi* Jew

አየለ *ayyālā* (B) overpower, predominate, be powerful, be prevalent, preponderate, get the upper hand, prevail, be overwhelming
አየሌ *ayyale* several, many, numerous, much, in great quantity, a lot
ባያሌው in big quantities

አይላ *ayəl*, in ምንም : አይላ it is tolerable, so-so (see አለ)

በለቡ : ምንም : አይላ he has his heart in the right place

አየልኝ *ayullāññ*, የአየልኝ pretentious, lit. 'see for me' (see አየ)

አየልኝ : አለ make a parade of
ለአየልኝ for effect

አየር *ayyār* air, atmosphere, climate, weather

አየር : ወለድ airborne

አየር : ወለድ : ወታደር paratrooper

የአየር : ሁኔታ weather conditions

የአየር : ገይላ Air Force

የአየር : መልእክት airletter, airmail

የአየር : መንገድ airline

የአየር : ንብረት climate

የአየር : ወረራ air raid (see ወረረ)

የአየር : ጠባይ climate, weather

የአየር : ፖስታ airmail

አይሮፕላን *ayroplan* airplane (see also አውሮፕላን)

አየሱስ *iyyāsus* Jesus

አይብ *ayəb* cheese, curds

አዮቤላዩ *iyobelyu* jubilee

(የ)አዮቤላዩ : ቤተ : መንግሥት Jubilee
Palace

አየት : አደረገ *ayätt adärrägä* cast a glance (see አየ)

አያት *ayat* grandfather, grandmother

አያት : ቅድመ : አያት *ayat qədmā*
ayat ancestor

ሴት : አያት grandmother

ቅድመ : አያት *qədmā ayat* ancestor, progenitor

ቅድመ : አያቶች *qədmā ayatočč* antecedents, ancestry

ወንድ : አያት grandfather

የሴት : ቅድመ : አያት great-grandmother

የወንድ : ቅድመ : አያት great-grandfather

ዓይን *ayn* eye, sight, knot (in a board)

ዓይን : ለዓይን face to face

ዓይነ : ምድር human excrement

ዓይነ : ርግብ veil

ዓይነ : ስውር blind (see ሰወረ)

ዓይን : አውጣ : ዓይናውጣ impudent, forward (bold); see ወጣ

ዓይን : አፋር : ዓይናፋር coy, shy, bashful (see አፈረ)

ዓይን : አፋሪነት *ayn afarinnāt* shyness

ዓይን : የሌለው out-and-out (lie)

ለዓይን : ሲይዝ in the dusk (see ያዘ)

የዓይን : ቆብ eyelid

የዓይን : ብሌን pupil of the eye

ባንድ : ዓይን : አየ treat alike

ዓይነት *aynāt* kind, sort, species, type, nature (kind), quality, make (of merchandise)

በምንም : ዓይነት at all costs

በምንም : ዓይነት : ቢሆን by all means, in any way, in any fashion

በያይነቱ *bāyyaynātu* of various kinds

ዓይነተኛ *aynātāñña* typical, characteristic (adj.), classic, important, integral (essential), principal

ዓይናውጣ, see ዓይን

አያንዳንድ, see አንዳንድ

ዓይናፋር, see ዓይን

አይዞህ *ayzoh* come on!, cheer up!, take heart!

አያያዝ *ayyayaz* grip, grasp, hold, treatment, handling, management (see **ያዝ**)

የመሬት : **አያያዝ** landholding

የቤት : **አያያዝ** housekeeping

አየደ *ayyādā* (B) determine, define

አይደለም *aydällām*, **አይደለም** *aydollām* he is not, it is not, no, not so

ምንም : **አይደለም** it does not matter

አየደረ *əyyaddārā*, **አየደር** *əyyaddār* little by little, by and by, gradually, eventually (see **አደረ**)

አይጥ *ayt* mouse, rat

ዕዳ *ada* debt

ዕዳ : **ገባ** make debts, get into debts

ባለ : **ዕዳ** creditor, debtor

ባለ : **ዕዳ** : (**ባለዳ**) : **ሆነ** owe money

ዐደለ *addälā* (B) distribute (mail), allot, hand out, dispense, issue

ታደለ *taddälā* be distributed, receive one's share, be lucky, be in luck, be fortunate

ዕድል, see below

ማደያ, see above

ዕድል *əddäl* luck, fortune, destiny, lot, chance, odds, fatality (fate), opportunity, success (see **ዐደለ**)

ዕድለ : **ቢስ** unlucky, unfortunate

መጥፎ : **ዕድል** misadventure, misfortune, bad luck

እንደ : **ዕድል** : **ሆኖ** fortunately

የሚያጋጥመው : **ዕድል** *yämmiyag-gaṭṭämaw* *əddäl* opportunity

ያርባ : **ቀን** : **ዕድል** predestination

ዕድለኛ *əddäläñña* fortunate, lucky

አድልዎ *adlawo* bias, favoritism (see ***ደላ**)

አድልዎ : **የሌለበት** impartial

አደመ *addāmā* (B) plot, conspire, intrigue, strike (stop working)

አድማ *adma* conspiracy, plot, strike, boycott, coup d'état

አድመኛ *admāñña* conspirator, plotter, mutinous

ዕድሜ *ədme* age, lifetime

ዕድሜህ : **ስንት** : **ነው?** how old are you?

ዕድሜ : **ለሱ** thanks to him

ዕድሜ : **ለንጉሠ** : **ነገሥት** long live His Imperial Majesty!

ዕድሜ : **ልኩን** for the duration of his life, for life

ዕድሜ : **የሌለው** he is short-lived

ዕድሜ : **ይፍታህ** life imprisonment (see **ፈታ**)

በዕድሜ : **ገፋ** get on in years

በዕድሜ : **የገፋ** elderly

የዕድሜ : **ልክ** lifelong

ዕድሜ : **ልክ** : **እስራት** life imprisonment

የዕድሜ : **አፍላ** prime of life

አድማስ *admas* horizon

አድማቅ *admač* hearer, listener, auditor, audience (see ***ደመጠ**)

አደረ *addärā* spend the night, stay overnight, live, dwell, enter someone's service, be devoted to

(**አደረበት** *addäräbbät* it developed in him, it came over him, it befell him)

(**ሠርቶ** : **አደረ** earn a living; see **ሠራ**)

(**ውሎ** : **አደረ** stay somewhere for a long time; see **ዋለ**)

(**ውጭ** : **አደረ** stay out at night)

(**እንደት** : **አደርህ** good morning!, sg. mas.)

(**ደገና** : **እደር** *dähna* *ədär* good night!, sg. masc.)

(**ያደረ** : **መሬት** *yaddärā* *māret* fallow land)

(**ለእግዚአብሔር** : **ያደረ** devout)

አሳደረ *asaddärā* give lodging, cause to pass the night, inculcate, instill, arouse (stir up), let lie fallow (a plot of land)

ተዳደረ *tädaddärā* be governed, make a living, manage (vi.), earn one's livelihood

(በ --- ሥር : ተዳደረ be under the care of)

አስተዳደሪ *astādaddārā* administer, manage, provide for one's family, keep (house)

አድሮ *adro* finally

(ውሎ : አድሮ eventually, in the long run; see ዋለ)

አዳሪ *adari* boarder

አዳሪ : ትምህርት : ቤት boarding school

አዳሪ : ተማሪ boarding student

(ሴትኛ : አዳሪ prostitute)

(በረንዳ : አዳሪ tramp, vagabond)

(ዱር : አዳሪ tramp, vagabond, brigand)

አዳር : አደረገ *adar adärrägä* make an overnight stop

አድር : ባይ *adär bay* obsequious, opportunist, servile

አድር : ባይነት *adär bayännät* servility

ተአዳሪ *əddari* fallow land

ማደሪያ *madäriya* place where one spends the night, habitation, lodging; military service land

መተዳደሪያ, see above

አስተዳደር, see above

አስተዳዳሪ, see above

አያደር, see above

አደራ *adära* trust, deposit, custody, safekeeping, care

(የልጄን : ነገር : አደራ please, look after my son!)

አደራዎ please!

አደራ : ሰጠ trust to someone's care, confide to the care, entrust, consign (to a guardian)

አደራ : ተሰጠ be in one's charge

አደራ : አለ recommend, implore

አደራ : በሊታ embezzler

የአደራ : አባት guardian, trustee

ለ --- አደራ in one's care

ባለ : አደራ person to whom something is entrusted, trustee

አዳሪ *əddari* fallow land (see አደረ)

አዳሪ : ወጣ defecate

አድር *əddär* mutual aid society, burial society

አድርተኛ *əddärtännä* member of a burial society

አድርተኛ : ቀባሪ burial society funeral attendant

አዳራሽ *addaras* hall, auditorium, reception room

የከተማ : አዳራሽ town hall

አድራሻ *adrasša* address (see ደረሰ)

አድርተኛ, see አድር

አድራጎት *adragot* dealings, doings, action, activity (see *ደረገ)

በጎ : አድራጎት welfare, charity

አደሰ *addäsä* (B) renew, renovate, restore, amend

አባደሰ *asaddäsä* renew (the lease), renovate

አዲስ, see below

እድሳት *əddəsät* restoration (of a building), renovation

አዲስ *addis* new, newly, novel (adj.), recent (see አደሰ)

አዳዲስ *adaddis* new (plural)

አዲስ : አበባ Addis Ababa (capital of Ethiopia)

አዲስ : ከተማ Mercato (the market section of Addis Ababa)

አዲስ : ኪዳን New Testament

አዲስ : ወራ latest news

አዲስ : ገብ (or መጥ) newcomer (see ገባ, መጣ)

አደበ *addäbä* behave well, show restraint

አድባር *adbar* tree or trees consecrated to spirits (people make sacrifices to them), guardian spirit

አደባባይ *addäbabay* public place, city square, open space between houses, public view

አደባባይ : ወጣ a public assembly is conducted

ባደባባይ publicly, in public

ዑደት *udāt* cycle, circuit (of sun), procession of the *tabot* around a church

አደኑ *addānā* (B) hunt, go hunting

አደን *adān* hunting, the hunt

አዳኝ *addaṇ* hunter

አድናቆት *adnaqot* astonishment, admiration, feeling of awe, appreciation, acclamation, fervor, interest (see ደንቀ)

አደንጓሬ *adāng* "arre bean

አዳኝ *adduñña* happiness coming from good fortune

አዳኝ : ከዳ(ው) meet with reverses (see ከዳ)

አደይ *adäy* Mäsqäl flower

አዳዲስ, see አዲስ

አደገ *addägä* grow, vi. (of child, of tree), grow up, develop physically, rise (from ranks)

አሳደገ *asaddägä* make to grow, bring up a child, raise a child, grow (a beard), enlarge (a photograph), advance (promote), augment (the income)

አደግ *addäg*, in አብሮ : አደግ childhood friend

(በድ : አደግ impertinent, bold, boor)

እድገት, see below

አሳዳጊ *asaddagi* foster father

አሳዳጊ : እናት foster mother

አስተዳደግ *astädadäg* breeding, up-bringing

እጅግ, see below

አደጋ *adäga* peril, danger, accident, hazard, mishap

አደጋ : ጣለ attack by surprise, strike a blow

አደጋ : ላይ : ጣለ expose to danger, venture, vt. (risk), imperil, jeopardize

አደጋን : ተጋፈጠ court danger (see *ገፈጠ)

የአደጋ፤ያደጋ emergency, adj. (brakes)

(የ)እሳት : አደጋ fire hazard

አደገኛ *adägäñña* dangerous, perilous, unsafe, hazardous, disastrous, malignant

እድገት *adgät* growing, growth, raising, development, raise (in rank), promotion (see አደገ)

የግዕረግ : እድገት promotion

የሥራ : እድገት promotion

አዳጋች *adagač* hard (difficult), formidable (task); see *ዳገተ

አደፈ *addäfä* be dirty, be soiled, be polluted, be stained, menstruate

አሳደፈ *asaddäfä* pollute

አደፍ *adäf* menstruation

አደፍ : ወረዳት menstruate (see ወረደ)

እድፍ *adäf* dirt, filth, stain

አጃ *ağga* oats, rye

እጅ *əğğ* hand, arm, paw (of animal), portion, - fold (as in tenfold)

(አራት : እጅ four times as much)

እጅና : እግር limbs, members of body

እጅና : እግሮች extremities

እጅ : መለስ pay in kind

እጅ : ሰጠ give in, give oneself up, yield (vi.), surrender, capitulate

እጅ : ነጣ bow down to greet, curtsy, pay one's respects, pay homage

እጅ : እንዳመጣ indiscriminate (bombing); see መጣ

እጅ : መንሻ gift, bribe

እጅ : ከፍንጅ : ተያዘ be caught red-handed

እጅ : ጠባብ narrow-sleeved Ethiopian shirt

የእጅ : ሥራ ፤ የጅ : ሥራ handicraft, handiwork

የእጅ : ሰዓት wristwatch

የእጅ : ሹራብ glove

የእጅ : ቦምብ grenade

የእጅ : ጥበብ handicraft

የእጅ : ጽሕፈት penmanship, handwriting

የእጅ : ፎጣ napkin

ባለ : እጅ : ባለጅ skilled, craftsman, artisan, blacksmith

በገዛ : እጅ by one's own self

እጅታ, see below

እጅጌ ለጃጃጃ sleeve

ዐጀብ ለጃጃጃ (B) accompany, escort
ዐጀብ ለጃጃጃ escort, retinue, attendance

ዐጃቢ ለጃጃጃ bodyguard, escort

ዕጅብ : ያለ ለጃጃጃ ሃላጅ bushy (eyebrows), thick (beard)

ዕጅብ : ብሉ in clusters, in masses

ዐጀብ ለጃጃጃ oh dear!

እጅታ ለጃጃጃ handle, haft (of spear), knob, ear (of pitcher); see እጅ

አጃንስ ለጃንስ agency (see also አገንንስ)

አጀንዳ ለጃንዳ agenda

እጅጌ ለጃጃጃ sleeve (see እጅጌ)

እጅጌ : ጉርድ short-sleeved

የእጅጌ : ቁልፍ cuff link

እጅግ ለጃጃጃ much, very, exceedingly, enormously (see አደገ)

እጅግ : በጣም extremely

እጅግም rare, rarely

እጀጠባብ ለጃጃጃጃጃጃ narrow-sleeved Ethiopian shirt (see እጅ, ጠባብ)

*ዐገለ, see ታገለ

አጉል, see አጉለ

አጉለ ለጃጃጃ (B) suspend, hold someone up in his work, put off, keep (a meeting) from taking place

አስታጉለ ለጃጃጃ hinder (hold back), interrupt (work)

አጉል ለጃጃጃ undecided, foolhardy, false (pride), awkward (place), misguided

አጉል : እምነት superstition, superstitious belief

እገሌ ለጃጃጃ (fem. እገሊት ለጃጃጃ) so-and-so

እገሌ : ከገሌ : የምለው : የለም ለጃጃጃ
kägäle yämmäläw yälläm I will make no exceptions

አገልገል ለጃጃጃ basket with lid

አገልገሉት ለጃጃጃ service, benefit (see *አገልገል)

አገልጋይ ለጃጃጃ servant, aid, attendant (see *አገልገል)

አገመ ለጃጃጃ draw blood with a sucking cup, cup (bleed)

ዋገምት ለጃጃጃ cup for drawing blood (medical treatment)

አገማሽ ለጃጃጃ middle (n.), half, halfway (see ገመስ)

የዓለም : አገማሽ hemisphere

አገማጆ ለጃጃጃ armed bandit (politically motivated)

አገረ ለጃጃጃ (B) impede, stop

አገር ለጃጃጃ country, nation, territory, (region, land), district, state, land (country, fatherland)

አገራ ለጃጃጃ native (n.), people of a particular country

አገር : ቤት countryside

(ያገር : ቤት rustic)

አገረ : ገዢ governor

ያገር : ልጅ compatriot

ያገር : ውስጥ local, domestic (as opposed to foreign)

ያገር : ግዛት : ሚኒስቴር Ministry of Interior

ያገር : ፍቅር patriotism

ቅኝ : አገር colony

ባላገር country (countryside), countryman

ውጭ : አገር abroad

(የውጭ : አገር : ሰው foreigner)

የሰው : አገር foreign country

(የ)ትውልድ : አገር native country

አጉረ ለጃጃጃ (B) huddle, herd, bundle (clothes), confine, close with a bar, pen up (livestock)

ግጥሪያ *mag'wāriya* enclosure (for donkeys), pen (for donkeys)

እግር *əgar* foot, leg

እግር : አውጪኝ : አለ *əgar awčīññ alā* take to one's heels

እገረ : መገገዱን on one's way, along the way, en route to

የእግር : መገገድ sidewalk, footpath, path, trail, track

የእግር : ሹራብ sock, stocking

(የ)እግር : ብረት shackles, fetter, chains

የእግር : ኳስ soccer

የእግር : ጣት toe

ልጅ : እግር young man

ባዶ : እግሩን barefooted

እጅና : እግር limbs, members of body

ውስጥ : እግር sole (bottom of foot)

†እገረኛ *əgrāñña* pedestrian

እግርጌ, see below

እገረኛ *əgrāñña* pedestrian (see እግር)

የእገረኛ : መሄጃ sidewalk (see ሂደ)

የእገረኛ : ጦር infantry

እግርጌ *əgarǵe* at the foot, on the bottom, below, beneath, foot of the bed (see እግርጌ)

የግርጌ : ማስታወሻ footnote

*ዐገሠ, see ታገሠ

አጋሰስ *agasās* packhorse

አጋሰስ : በቅሉ baggage mule

አጉብር *ag'wābār* canopy

አገባብ *aggābab*, አግባብ *agbab* propriety, proper conduct, correct procedure; syntax, context (see ገባ)

አግባብ : አለው —*allāw* be relevant, have jurisdiction over (of authority)

አግባብ : ያለ(ው) — *yallā(w)* proper (appropriate), relevant, competent (authority)

አላግባብ *alagbab*, ያለ : አግባብ *yalā* *agbab* unfairly, unjustly

ያለ : አግባብ : (ያላግባብ) : ተጠቀመ abuse, misuse

አግባብነት *agbabənnāt* application (relevance to)

አግባብነት : አለው apply, be relevant, be applicable (law)

አግባብነት : የለውም be irrelevant

አጉት *agg'āt* uncle

የአጉት : ልጅ cousin

አጓት *agg'at* whey

አጋኖ *agganno*, in ቃለ : አጋኖ exclamation (see ቃለ, ገነነ)

አጋንንት *aganənt* evil spirits, demons (see ጋኔገ)

አገዘ *aggāzā* (B) help, aid, assist, lend a hand

አጉዛ *ag'wāza* sheepskin

አግዜር *əgzer* God (short form of እግዚአብሔር)

አግዜር : ይመስገን *əgzer yəmmäsḡān* thank you! (see *መስገነ)

አግዜር : ይስጥልኝ *əgzer yəsṯalləññ* thank you! (see ሰጠ)

አጋዘን *agazān* kind of antelope, gazelle, deer, stag

አግዚአብሔር *əgziabəher* God (see also እግዚር)

ስለ : እግዚአብሔር : ብለህ for heaven's sake

በእግዚአብሔር for goodness' sake

አገደ *aggādā* (B) stop, vt. (obstruct), bar, ban (a book), check (stop), block, congest (of traffic), constrict, confine (hold back), keep off, impede, prevent, restrain, halt (the advance of the enemy), suspend (from one's job); watch over (of guard), pasture herds

አገዳ *əggāda* proscription, ban, prohibition, sanction

ማገጃ, see above

አገዳ *agāda* stalk (of sugar cane, of maize)

ሸንከር : አገዳ sugar cane stalk

አገዳሚ *agdami* horizontal, transverse, standing at right angles (see *ጋደመ, አገድም)

አገዳሚ : ወምበር bench

አላፊ : አገዳሚ passer-by

አገድም *agdām* across, horizontal, transverse (see *ጋደመ)

በ - - - አገድም across (a path)

አጓዳኝ *aggʷadañ* parallel

አጋጣሚ *aggafami* coincidence, strange or curious circumstance, opportunity, experience (what has happened to one), adventure, incident, fortuitous, circumstantial (see ገጠመ)

አጋጣሚ : ነገር opportunity, coincidence

አጋጣሚ : ጊዜ suitable moment, convenient opportunity

አንዳጋጣሚ *andaggafami* by accident, accidentally, incidentally, by coincidence, by chance, as it happened, it so happens

አገጭ *agäč* chin, jaw

አጋፋሪ *aggafari* usher, one who introduces guests, supervisor at a banquet

አጣ *aṭṭa* lack, be lacking, miss, not find, be without something, lose, not get

አሳጣ *asaṭṭa*, causative of the preceding; bereave, deprive of

አጦት, see below

መታጣት *mättatāt* lack of

አጤ, see አጺ

አጤ *aṭi* gland

ዕጣ *aṭa* lot, chance (of lottery), destiny, fate

ዕጣ : አወጣ toss a coin (see ወጣ)

ዕጣ : ከዳው he had bad luck, it was his misfortune (see ከዳ)

ዕጣ : ደረሰው he drew the winning lot (see ደረሰ)

ዕጣ : ጣለ cast lots

አጥላስ *aṭlas* velvet, satin

ኢጣልያ *italya* Italy

ኢጣልያን *italyan* Italian (person)

አጠረ *aṭṭārā* fence in, make a fence around something, enclose (with a fence or hedge)

አጥር *aṭar* fence (n.)

አጥር : ግቢ compound, courtyard

አጠረ *aṭṭārā* be short, be shorter, be brief, shrink

አጠረ(ው) *aṭṭārā(w)* he is short of

(ቃል : አጠረው words failed him)

አሳጠረ *asaṭṭārā* shorten, cut short, abridge, abbreviate, contract (shorten), abstract (make a summary)

ያጠረ *yaṭṭārā* abridged

አጥረት *aṭrāt* shortage, deficiency, lack, dearth, scarcity, deficit

አጭር, see below

[See also አጥር]

አጥር : ምጥን : ያለ *aṭṭar mättan yalā* concise, succinct, compact (report), few and terse (see አጠረ, መጠነ)

አጠራር *aṭṭārar* appellation (see ጠራ call)

አጥረት, see አጠረ be short

*ዐጠቀ, see ታጠቀ

አጥቂ *aṭqi* aggressor (see *ጠቃ)

አጥቂነት *aṭqinnāt* aggression

አጠቃላይ *aṭṭaqalay* inclusive, comprehensive (review); see ጠቀለለ

አጠባ *aṭṭābā* wash (dishes, clothes, a person), bathe (vt.), develop (a film)

ታጠባ *taṭṭābā* be washed, take a bath, wash up, wash (hands, face), wash oneself

አጣቢ *aṭabi* laundry man

(ልብስ : አጣቢ, cleaner)

(ልብስ : አጣቢ, ቤት laundry)

መታጠብ *mättatāb* ablution

ግጠቢያ : ቤት *maṭābiya bet* wash-room

†መታጠቢያ ፡ ቤት *mättaṭābiya* bet
bathroom

አጥብቆ *aṭḥəqo* very much, greatly,
tightly, strongly, emphatically (see
ጠበቀ)

አጥቢያ *aṭbiya* vicinity, parish, con-
gregation

አጥቢያ ፡ ጻኛ Justice of the Peace

አጥቢያ *aṭbiya* dawn (see ጠባ)

ያጥቢያ ፡ ኮከብ morning star

አጥት *aṭot* lack, loss, want (lack); see
አጣ

ዐጠነ *aṭṭānā* perfume with incense,
fumigate, smoke, vt. (a beehive)

ዐጣን *aṭan* incense, perfume (n.)

አጠና *aṭāna* pole (of fence), post (for
a fence)

አጥንት *aṭant* bone

አጥንት ፡ ሰበረ have great effect

አጥንተ ፡ ሰባራ *aṭantā sābara* of de-
fective lineage

አጥንት ፡ የሚሰብር—*yāmmisābār* pierc-
ing (wind); see ሰበረ

አጥንት ፡ የሚነካ—*yāmmīnāka* bit-
ing (remark); see ነካ

አጥንቱ ፡ የወጣ he is skin and bones
(see ወጣ)

አጥንታም *aṭantam* bony, of good
parentage

አጠገብ *aṭāgāb* nearness, closely, close
to

አጠገቡ near him

በ --- አጠገብ by, near, beside

እ --- አጠገብ by, near, beside

ዐጠፈ *aṭṭāfā* double (vt.), fold, bend
(vt.), retract (a statement), break
(one's word)

ታጠፈ *taṭṭāfā* be folded, bend (vi.),
be bent, fold up (of folding chair),
curve (of road)

ዐጣጠፈ *aṭaṭṭāfā* fold (clothes), fold
up (a letter), roll up (the blanket)

ዕጥፍ *aṭaf* double, -fold, portion,
share, times

(አምስት ፡ ዕጥፍ five times, five-fold,
quintuple)

ዕጥፍ ፡ ሆነ double, vi. (become twice
as much)

ዕጥፍ ፡ አደረገ double, vt. (make
twice as much)

ዐጠፈታ *aṭāfeta* double (twice as
much), twofold

ዕጥፋት *aṭṭafat* crease (n.)

ዕጥፈት *aṭfāt* fold (n.)

ታጣፈ ፡ ወምበር *taṭafi wāmbār* fold-
ing chair

የሚተጣጠፍ *yāmmittāṭaf* pliant
(vine)

ማጠፈያ *maṭāfiya* hinge (of door)

መታጠፈያ *mättaṭāfiya* corner, bend
in the road

አጨ *aṭṭā* be engaged (to marry), be
affianced, recommend (to a position)

ታጨ *taṭṭā* be betrothed, be a can-
didate for office

አባጨ *asaṭṭā* betroth (speaking of
the father)

†አጨ *aṭṭu* betrothed, candidate

†አጨኛ *aṭṭoñña* fiancé, fiancée

መታጨት *mättaṭāt* engagement (to
marry)

መተጨት *mättāṭṭāt* engagement

የታጨ *yātaṭṭā* destined

አጨ *aṭṭu* betrothed, candidate (see
አጨ)

አጨ ፡ መኩንን cadet (of air force
or army)

አጭ *aṭ* larva

አጭር *aṭṭar* short, brief, low (in height);
see አጠረ

አጭር ፡ ታሪክ short story

አጭር ፡ ጽሕፈት shorthand

ባጭር *baṭṭaru* in short, in brief, brief-
ly, to sum up

አጨቀ *aṭṭāqā* (B) stuff (push, thrust),
cram

አጭት ፡ ብሉ *aṭṭaqq bəlo* in a com-
pact bundle

አራኛ ለጅሮክክā fiancé, fiancée (see አፈር)
 አራኛች ለጅሮክክā ለጅሮክክች ለጅሮክክ-
 ስሙሮጅ engaged couple

ዐፈደ ለጅሮክክā mow, cut with a
 sickle
 ማጭድ maḥad sickle

አፈገ ለጅሮክክā head of the Ethiopian
 monks

አፈ ለጅሮክክā sovereign, title of the emperors
 of Ethiopia

ዕፅ ለጅሮክክā plant, herb
 ዕፅዋት ለጅሮክክā flora

ዐፅም ለጅሮክክā skeleton, remains (dead
 body)

ዓጽቅ ለጅሮክክā joint (of finger, of bamboo),
 knuckle

ዕጽብ : ድንቅ ለጅሮክክā magnificent,
 gorgeous, marvel, wonder

ዐጽፋ ለጅሮክክā reprisal, retaliation, things
 done in return

ዐጽፋ : መለሰ retaliate, counterattack,
 reciprocate

ዐጽፋ : ተውላጠ : ስም pronominal affix

ዐጽፋውን ለጅሮክክā in reprisal, in
 retaliation

አፍ ለጅሮክክā mouth, language, beak, rim
 (of glass), entrance

አፍ : አወጣ become brash (see ወጣ)

አፍ : ተያዘ be dumbfounded, halt
 (in speech); see ያዘ

አፍ : እንዳመጣ casual (remark), off-
 hand (see መጣ)

አፍ : እንዳመጣለት offhandedly,
 brashly, casually (see መጣ)

†አፈ : መዝ barrel of gun

አፈ : ታሪክ myth, mythology, legend,
 tradition

አፈ : ንጉሥ president of the Supreme
 Court

አፈ : ጭሌ smooth talker, glib

ባፍ : ጢሙ : ተደፋ he fell on his
 face

እንዲያው : ለአፍ : ነው it's only a
 bluff

ያፍ : ታሪክ fable, legend

አፍፍ, see below

በራፍ bārraf doorway (see በር)

አፍ : አለ aff alā blow, blow on the
 fire

አፍላ ለጅሮክክā prime, moment when some-
 thing is in full vigor

አፍላ : እሸት period when practi-
 cally all the crop is ripe

የሕይወት : አፍላ prime of life

የዕድሜ : አፍላ prime of life

አፍለኛ aflāñña unleavened (bread)

አፈላማ : ያዘ afālama yazā impound
 (straying cattle)

አፍለኛ, see አፍላ

አፈሙዝ afāmuz barrel of gun (see አፍ,
 ሙዝ)

(የ)አፈሙዝ : ስፋት caliber

አፈረ affārā be ashamed, be shy, be
 embarrassed, be abashed, be modest,
 blush, be respectful

አሳፈረ asaffārā bring shame to, put
 to shame, abash, embarrass, dis-
 grace, shock (of language), be
 disgraceful

አፋር affar shy, bashful, timid, mod-
 est

አፍረት, see below

አሳፋሪ asaffari shameful, scandalous,
 embarrassing, ignominious (act), dis-
 honorable

አሳፋሪ : ነገር scandal

ዓይን : አፋር : ዓይፋራ, see ዓይን

ገፍረት, see above

አፈር afār soil, earth, dirt

አፈር : ይብላኝ afār yāblaññ, exclama-
 tion of admiration or of compas-
 sion (lit. 'may the earth eat me')

አፈር : ብላ afār bala go to hell! (lit.
 'eat earth!')

የብረት : አፈር iron ore, ore

አፈርሰታ *afärsäta* investigation imposed on a community for apprehending or identifying a wrongdoer

አፍሪቃ *afriqa* Africa (see also አፍሪካ)

አፍረት *afrait* shame, shyness, humiliation (see አፈረ)

አፍረተ ፡ ቢስ shameless, brazen

አፍሪካ Africa (see also አፍሪቃ)

አፈሰ *affäsä* take a fistful of grain with two hands, scoop up dry grainy material with the hand

አፍታ, in አንጻፍታ *andafta* at one gulp
ባንጻፍታ at one gulp, instantly, in no time, at one stroke

ላንድ ፡ አፍታ for a moment

አፎት *afot* sheath

አፈነ *affänä* (B) suffocate, choke, smother, muffle (the noise), put a gag into the mouth, kidnap, invade (of smell of cooking)

ታፈነ *taffänä* suffocate (vi.), be choked, be muffled, be gagged

አፍኖ ፡ ወሰደ *affäno wässädä* kidnap, abduct

አፍኖ ፡ ያዘ *affäno yazä* suppress (a smile)

አፍኖ ፡ ገደለ *affäno gäddälä* smother

ጣፈኛ *maffänña* gag (n.)

የታፈነ *yätaffänä* stuffy (hall)

አፈነ *affänä* (B) take a fistful of earth or grain with the two hands open

አፍኝ *affänñ* handful, fistful

አፍንጫ *afənča* nose, snout

የአፍንጫ, ያፍንጫ nasal

አፍኝ *affänñ* handful, fistful (see አፈነ)

አፋኝት *affuññät* viper

አፊያ *affiya* lid (of box), cover (of pan)

አፎይ ፡ አለ *affoyy alä* feel relief, be relieved, take a rest, sigh in relief

አፎይታ *affoyta* relief

አፈገ *affägä* be cramped

ታፈገ *taffägä* be stuffy (room), be stale (air), be huddled (in a corner)

የታፈገ *yätaffägä* stagnant (air)

መተፋፈግ *mättäfafäg* (traffic) jam

[See እፍግፍግ, below]

እፍግፍግ ፡ ብለው ፡ ተቀመጡ *afəgfəgg bäläw täqämmätu* they huddled together (see አፈገ)

አፋፍ *afaf* edge of a cliff, hilltop, crest of hill (from አፍ-አፍ)

በ - - - አፋፍ ፡ ላይ on the verge of, on the brink of

አፔራሲዮን *operasiyon* surgery

አፓርተማ *apartäma* apartment

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ከ *kä* at, out of, from (origin, place, descendance), more than

ከ + (perfect) if, when, since

ከ + (negative verb) unless

ከቦታ ፡ ቦታ from place to place

ካህን *kahän* (pl. ካህናት *kahänat*) pastor, priest, churchman, clergyman

ካህናት priestly class

ሊቀ ፡ ካህናት head priest

ካህነት *kahänät* priesthood

ቤተ ፡ ካህነት clergy

ከሓዲ *kähadi* traitor, renegade, perfidious (see ካደ)

*ካሄደ, in አካሄደ, ተካሄደ, see ሂደ

ከሕደት *kähdät* betrayal, treachery, treason, unbelief, atheism (see ካደ)

ከሓዲነት *kähadinnät* treachery, treason

ከላ *källa* hinder, impede, prevent (see also ከለከለ)

ከል *käll* cheap blue-black dye in which garments are dipped for mourning, mourning clothes