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3. Bvuzhi

4. Bvu kema

5. Bvuŋkaden ✓

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23. kwɔ̀:n nǔ gé: yó dièmsɛ̌n ɛ̀bɛ̀n?

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Word order

copullative sentences

$$S \quad X \quad V \quad O \quad (V') (P) (D) \qquad \text{or} \qquad N_1 \quad Y \quad N_2$$

S = subject , V = verb, O = object, P = adverb of place, D = day;
N₁, N₂ = nouns

X:

	past	future
long time / 3 or more days apart from present	tò nɔ̂:	nú yú:
2 or less days apart from present	cí nɔ̂:	nú bóy
		nú gé:
today	bê:	
just now (past)/ about to (future)	nɔ̂:	nú

Y:

	past	future
2 or less days apart from present	cí nú	nú

V:

Tense

tone	tense
⌄, rising	past
′, high	future.

Subject Markers

1sg subject
⇒ N- prefix to words of X, V starting with non-nasal consonant.
N= nasal homo-organic to first letter of word.

P: locative case prefix to noun

fɔ̀-

Phonology rules:

high tone (⸌) ⟶ rising tone (⌄̱) if previous vowel is marked with a low tone or falling tone.

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Nouns

market - wáy

yam   - kègkfǔ

woman - kwɔ̀:n

book   - ŋwà

car   - mutà

thief - cɔ̌ŋ