

EXERCISE: MBABARAM

The following sentences are from Mbabaram, an Australian language (data from R.M.W. Dixon). **One sentence contains a mistake: one of the words occurs in an incorrect form.** Study these sentences, find the regularities in their structure, and on this basis try to identify the incorrect sentence. If you can, correct it by modifying or replacing the incorrect word. How did you reach your conclusion?

1. dogul mog njab
2. mogul dog njarə
3. dog lob
4. mog lonə alŋgi
5. mog lonuŋ
6. dogul mog njarə alŋgi
7. mog lob anmən
8. dog lim lob
9. dog lonə
10. mogul limul dog njaruŋ
11. mogul dogul njab
12. dogul mog njab anmən
13. mog lim lob anmən