

SERUI-LAUT

In de baai van Seroei ... liggen in een zeearm twee groote kampongs, Kataroeroe en Wonopaij, ...

- Horst 1889:235.

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Serui-laut, Kanawa, Sasawa, Nusi-eil. (? zeilen).

- Galis 1955-56:172.

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Spoken in the villages of Serui-Laut and Kanawa and Nau island, off the coast of Waropen. The populations of Mariariotu, Aromarea and Ariepi consist partly of native Serui-Laut speakers.

Around the town of Serui, there are also settlements of people from Serui-Laut. This language is so similar to that of Ambai and Menawi, that one would be inclined to call them two dialects.

Even though there are no general linguistic criteria for distinguishing dialects from languages, it is, nonetheless, preferable to call them languages, especially since the dividing line between them is very clear. The view that has been propounded, that there could be said to exist one 'southern coastal language', of which the idioms of Ansus etc. were but dialects, is not really tenable on account of their differences.

... The number of Serui-Laut speakers is estimated at more than 1000.

- Anceaux 1961:8.

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1000 + [speakers]

Dialects: ?

Villages: Serui, Serui-Laut, Kanawa; Nau Island.

- Voorhoeve 1975f:58.

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Serui-Laut (Arui)

POP: +/- 1,200

LOC: South of Central Yapen Island and Nau Island south of Yapen

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VILLAGE(S):

Sesawa -- 200

Kanawa -- 200

Serui Laut -- 500

Aromarea -- 100

Nau -- 200

- Silzer & Heikkinen 1984:102.

(Arui)

1,200

LOC: South of Central Yapen Island and Nau Island south of Yapen

- Silzer & Clouse 1991:76.

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Serui-Laut: around 1,200 speakers reported in 1987, on south central Yapen and Nau islands, Cenderawasih Bay, Irian Jaya. Also called Arui. Has 82 percent lexical similarity with Ansus, 77 percent with Ambai. ...

- Comrie 1992oo:52.

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- Grimes 1992:581.

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- Grimes 1996.

SERUI-LAUT (ARUI) ... 1,200 (1987 SIL). South central Serui Island and Nau Island south of Serui, 5 villages. Linguistic affiliation: Austronesian, Malayo-Polynesian, Central-Eastern, Eastern Malayo-Polynesian, South Halmahera-West New Guinea, West New Guinea, Cenderawasih Bay, Yapen, Central-Western. 82% lexical similarity with Ansus, 77% with Ambai. ...

- Grimes 2000.

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(SEROEI)

Naar de onderscheidene taalgroepen kan men de stammen als volgt indelen (vide kaart {map not seen}):

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X. Seroei groep: Nau, Wapoga-Pantai, Pamai alsmede het eiland Koeroedoe.

- van Eek 1954 Ts:15.

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SERUI-LAUT	Galis 1955-56, 1960; Capell 1962
SERUI-LAUT	1,000+ Anceaux 1961
SERUI-LAUT	1,000 Geelvink Bay SG-AN (Wurm & Hattori 1981)
SERUI-LAUT	1,200 Geelvink Bay S-G (Silzer & Heikkinen 1984, Silzer & Clouse 1991, Grimes
SERUI-LAUT	1,200 (1987) Comrie 1992oo
SERUI-LAUT	2,000 Geelvink Bay (Wurm 1994)
SERUI-LAUT	1,200 Cenderawasih Bay - Yapen, Central-Western (Grimes
SEROEI	van Eek 1954 Ts
ARUI = SERUI-LAUT	Silzer & Heikkinen 1984; Silzer &
JAPEN SÜDKÜSTE = SERUI/LAUT & AMBAI	Salzner 1960 (cf S&C)
Aromarea -- SERUI-LAUT	Silzer & Heikkinen 1984
Kamanap -- SERUI-LAUT	Wurm & Hattori 1981
Kanawa -- SERUI-LAUT	Galis 1955-56, Anceaux 1961,
Kataroeroe -- Seroei	Horst 1889
Nau -- SEROEI	van Eek 1954 Ts
Nau I -- SERUI-LAUT	Anceaux 1961, Voorhoeve 1975,
Nau -- SERUI-LAUT	Silzer & Heikkinen 1984
Noesi I -- Wandammen District	Labree 1957-1959 Ts
Nusi I -- SERUI-LAUT	Galis 1955-56
Pamai -- SEROEI	van Eek 1954 Ts
Sasawa -- SERUI-LAUT	Galis 1955-56
Sesawa -- SERUI-LAUT	Silzer & Heikkinen 1984
Seroei	Horst 1889
Serui -- SERUI-LAUT	Voorhoeve 1975, Wurm & Hattori
Serui-Laut -- SERUI-LAUT	Galis 1955-56, Anceaux 1961,
Serui Laut -- SERUI-LAUT	Silzer & Heikkinen 1984
Wapoga-Pantai -- SEROEI	van Eek 1954 Ts
Wonopaij -- Seroei	Horst 1889

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