

## SOWANDA

### (SOWANDA)

**Sowanda.** The primary dialect of this language includes all the **Sowanda** speaking villages except Punda and Umeda which together comprise an eastern dialect of **Sowanda**.

- Loving & Bass 1964:2.

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- Seiler 1985:3.

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**Sowanda:** 1,100 speakers reported in 1982, with 1,000 in Amanab Subprovince, West Sepik Province, Papua New Guinea, and around 100 in Irian Jaya, Indonesia. Also called Waina, Wina, Wanya, or Wanja.

- Comrie 1992cc:128.

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Northeast border area south of Jayapura. ...

- Grimes 1992:582.

Sandaun Province, Amanab District. Also a few in Irian Jaya, Indonesia. ... Dialect: PUNDA-UMEDA.

- Grimes 1992:865.

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- Grimes 1996.

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- Grimes 2000.

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**(WAINA)**

Waina, Punda, Suanda, Ujala (? zielen).

- Galis 1955-56:174.

**WAINA**

Jabanda	29
Ib_la	26
Mahrabo (Mambroek)	49
Arombowei	25

- Galis 1956-57 Ts.:14.

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7. Sowanda	838
- Loving & Bass 1964:2.	

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WAINA was, in 1959, spoken by 130 people living in 5 settlements two of which, Ibela and Jabanda, were in West Irian. The remaining three, Jabae, Makrabo, and Arombawai were situated in Australian New Guinea. At present there seem to be no Waina villages on the Western side of the border.

- Voorhoeve 1971:61.

Waina is spoken by about 1,100 people living between the border and the upper Bapim River, south of the Waris area.

- Voorhoeve 1975b:416.

+ 1100 [speakers]

Comments: Most of the Waina language area is in Papua New Guinea. In 1959 only two villages were situated west of the border, but at present no Waina speakers seem to be living in Irian Jaya.

- Voorhoeve 1975f:43.

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(Sowanda, Waina-Sowanda)

1100 [speakers]

Villages: Arombawai, Ibela, Jabae, Jabanda, Makrabo [West Orian], Punda, Sowanda No. 1, Sowanda No. 2, Umeda, Waina, Wiala

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... Listed as Sowanda by Loving and Bass (1964), and as Waina by Voorhoeve (1971); it is uncertain whether two languages are involved, or only one. If there are two languages, then Waina would appear to be an inappropriate name for the language spoken in West Irian, as the village of Waina is on the Australian side of the border. Population is calculated from the censused villages in the Amanab subdistrict, plus 130 for the West Irian villages (in 1959). ...

- Laycock 1973a:46-47.

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**Waina** (Sowanda; Wina; Waina-Sowanda; Wanya; Wanja)

POP: +/- 1,100; 1,000 of these in PNG

LOC: Border area south of Jayapura

- Silzer & Heikkinen 1984:46.

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- Silzer & Clouse 1991:82.

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- Seiler 1985:3.

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[Map]

Punda -- WAINA

Sowanda -- WAINA

Umeda -- WAINA

Waina-Wiyara -- WAINA

- Juillerat 1986:23.

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<b>SOWANDA</b>	838	Loving & Bass 1964
<b>SOWANDA</b>	850	Wurm 1971
<b>SOWANDA = WAINA</b>		Laycock 1973; Wurm 1982, 1994;
Silzer & Heikkinen 1984, Silzer & Clouse 1991, Smits & Voorhoeve 1994		
<b>SOWANDA</b>		Seiler 1985
<b>SOWANDA</b>	1,100 (1982)	Comrie 1992cc
<b>SOWANDA</b>	1,100	Waris (Grimes 1992, 1996, 2000)
<b>WAINA</b>		Galis 1955-56
<b>WAINA</b>	129	Galis 1956-57
<b>WAINA -- TAMI GROUP</b>		Capell 1962
<b>WAINA</b>	130	Voorhoeve 1971
<b>WAINA</b>	1,100	Laycock 1973, Voorhoeve 1982, 1994; Silzer & Heikkinen 1984, Silzer & Clouse 1991)
<b>WAINA</b>		Smits & Voorhoeve 1994
<b>WAINA = SOWANDA</b>		Comrie 1992cc; Grimes 1992, 1996, Grimes 1996, 2000
<b>WAINA -- d of SOWANDA</b>		
<b>WAINA-SOWANDA = WAINA</b>		Laycock 1973, Silzer & Heikkinen
<b>ANJA = SOWANDA</b>		Grimes 1992
<b>WANJA = WANYA</b>		Wurm 1971, 1971fl
<b>WANJA = WAINA</b>		Silzer & Heikkinen 1984, Silzer & Comrie 1992cc; Grimes 1996, 2000
<b>WANJA = SOWANDA</b>		<b>Wurm 1971, 1971fl</b>
<b>WANYA</b>		Silzer & Heikkinen 1984
<b>WANYA = WAINA</b>		Comrie 1992cc; Grimes 1992, 1996,
<b>WANYA = SOWANDA</b>		
<b>WINA</b>	?	<b>Wurm 1971</b>
<b>WINA = ? WANYA</b>		Wurm 1971, 1971fl
<b>WINA = WAINA</b>		Silzer & Heikkinen 1984, Silzer & Comrie 1992cc; Grimes 1992, 1996,
<b>WINA = SOWANDA</b>		
Arombokawai -- WAINA		Voorhoeve 1971, Laycock 1973
Arombowei -- WAINA		Galis 1956-57
Ib_la -- WAINA		Galis 1956-57
Ibelia -- WAINA		Voorhoeve 1971, Laycock 1973
Jabae -- WAINA		Voorhoeve 1971, Laycock 1973
Jabanda -- WAINA		Galis 1956-57, Voorhoeve 1971,
Yabanda -- WAINA		Smits & Voorhoeve 1994
Mahrabo -- WAINA		Galis 1956-57
Makrabo -- WAINA		Voorhoeve 1971, Laycock 1973
Mambroek = Mahrabo -- WAINA		Galis 1956-57

Orian, West = Makrabo --	
WAINA	Laycock 1973
PUNDA-UMEDA -- d of SOWANDA	Grimes 1992, 1996, 2000
Punda -- SOWANDA	Loving & Bass 1964
Punda -- WAINA	Galis 1955-56, Laycock 1973, Seiler 1985, Juillerat 1986
Sowanda -- SOWANDA	Loving & Bass 1964
Sowanda -- WAINA	Laycock 1973, Seiler 1985,
Suanda -- WAINA	Galis 1955-56
Ujala -- WAINA	Galis 1955-56
<b>UMADA = PUNDA-UMEDA d of SOWANDA</b>	Grimes 1996, 2000
Umeda -- SOWANDA	Loving & Bass 1964
Umeda -- WAINA	Laycock 1973, Seiler 1985,
Waina -- SOWANDA	Loving & Bass 1964
Waina -- WAINA	Galis 1955-56, Laycock 1973
Waina-Wiyara -- WAINA	Juillerat 1986
Wiala -- WAINA	Laycock 1973

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