

Nominalization and Auxiliaries in ut-Ma'in

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The Noun Phrase

N-CL

CL-N

N-CL ADJ-CL

N-CL NP[POSS]

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N- CL
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CL=CL -N
CvC

[túr-tə=m -bə] hɛ:g
pot-6=6m -water fall.PAST

‘The pots of water fell.’

	V	NP[Complement]
(6)	wə̄n h̄áng	ū-dárídàng.
	3.S see.PAST	7u-spider
	‘He saw a spider.’	

	V	NP[Complement]
(7)	wə̄n ó	ū-dárídàng.
	3.S PRES	7u-spider
	‘He is a spider.’	

V
NP[Complement]

- (8) wə̄n tòk ə̄t-túr.
3.S push.over.PAST 6-pot
‘He pushed over the pots.’

V
NP[Complement]

- (9) wə̄n ó ə̄t-tók.
3.S PRES.PROG 6-push.over
‘He is pushing over.’

V
NP[Complement]

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	AuxV	Root-CL	CL- Root
(10)			
wə̄n	ó	[tók-də̄`	t-túr].
3.S	PRES.PROG	push.over-5	6-
pot			
‘He is pushing over the pots.’			

Root- CL CL-Root
 Cv̄ L` Cv̄
 Cv`C

(16) AuxV NP[Complement]

- a. wə̄n d̄é []
3.S FUT
'He will [].'
- b. wə̄n ó []
3.S PRES.PROG
'He is [].'
- c. wə̄n óḡé []
3.S IMP.PST
'He was [].'