

Limbum mammals

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English	Latin	Limbum s.	pl.	Comment
aardvark	<i>Orycteropus afer</i>	tún̄to	b-	
animal (general)		nyàà	m-	
antelope sp.		leelé	b-	'zebra' in local english
baboon	<i>Papio anubis</i>	mbù	m-	
bat sp.		lééjéj̄	b-	
blue duiker	<i>Cephalophus monticola</i>	jaa	b-	p. 370
brush-furred mouse	<i>Lophuromus spp.</i>	bàṅshi	b-	p. 205
buffalo	<i>Syncerus caffer</i>	nyár	m-	
bushbuck	<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>	ṅgáp	m-	p. 348
bush-cat	<i>Felis sp.</i>	rwæṅyìè'	m-	
bush duiker	<i>Silvicapra grimmia</i>	cùù	b-	
bushbaby	<i>Galago senegalensis</i>	kinshán̄	b-	
scrub hare	<i>Lepus saxatilis</i>	waṅgáá	b-	p. 154
climbing mouse	<i>Dendromus spp.</i>	ṅgèè	m-	p. 197
colobus monkey	<i>Colobus guereza</i>	ṅkèṅfúú	m-	p. 29
chimpanzee	<i>Pan troglodytes</i>	bú'	b-	p. 11
civet cat	<i>Civettictis civetta</i>	njù'	m-	cf. jùúkop
civet cat	<i>Civettictis civetta</i>	jùúkop	b-	cf. njù'
dormouse	<i>Graphiurus sp.</i>	rsù	m-	p. 183
elephant	<i>Loxodonta africana</i>	jù'	b-	
flying squirrel	<i>Anomalurus beecrofti</i>	kùrbbàp	b-	178
fruit-bat	<i>Rousettus aegyptiacus</i>	léé	b-	114
galago, bushbaby	<i>Galago senegalensis</i>	kinshán̄	b-	p. 103
genet, common	<i>Genetta genetta</i>	mbáán̄ji	m-	p. 267
green squirrel		kùr	b-	p.
hammer bat	<i>Hypsignathus monstrosus</i>	bù' léé	b-	
honey-badger, ratel	<i>Mellivora capensis</i>	tó' bàà		p. 232
house-bat	<i>Scotophilus spp.</i>	rfùùṅgùp	m-	
house-rat and mouse	<i>Rattus rattus</i>	fúú	b-	and <i>Mus</i> spp.
hyena	<i>Hyaena hyaena</i>	kúúrá	b-	< Hausa
leopard	<i>Panthera pardus</i>	mbáá	m-	
lion	<i>Panthera leo</i>	bùrù'	b-	
monkey		ṅyéé	m-	p. 80
palm civet	<i>Nandinia binotata</i>	mbyè	m-	
pangolin	<i>Phataginus tricuspis</i>	nyààngá'	m-	
patas monkey	<i>Erythrocebus patas</i>	ṅkáámbéér	m-	
porcupine	<i>Hystrix cristata</i>	ṅyàànsiì	m-	
potto	<i>Potto periodictus</i>	kúú	b-	
pouched rat	<i>Cricetomys gambianus</i>	ndùù	m-	
pygmy mouse	<i>Mus minutoides</i>	ncwééngèè	m-	
rat, mouse generic		mbàp	m-	
rat sp.		tù'	b-	eats grass
mouse sp.		kúrí	b-	many live in the same nest
rat sp.		mbàpmbú	m-	
reedbuck	<i>Redunca redunca</i>	njuà	m-	p. 402
rock hyrax	<i>Procavia capensis</i>	kùp	b-	
rusty-nosed rat	<i>Oenomys spp.</i>	rúp	b-	
serval	<i>Felis serval</i>	táákwè	b-	
slender mongoose	<i>Herpestes sanguinea</i>	sì	r-	
spot-necked otter	<i>Lutra maculicollis</i>	fyiṅ	b-	

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striped ground squirrel	<i>Euxerus erythropus</i>	búú	b-	
sun-squirrel	<i>Heliosciurus sp.</i>	kùr mbù'	b-	p. 173
tantalus monkey	<i>Cercopithecus tantalus</i>	ḡkáámbúú	m-	
target rat	<i>Stochomys longicaudatus</i>	tù'mlàḡ	b-	p. 210
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unstriped grass rat	<i>Arvicanthis spp.</i>	njuḡ	m-	
warthog	<i>Phacochoerus africanus</i>	jùḡḡè	b-	
white-toothed shrew	<i>Crocidura spp.</i>	nshàḡnshàḡ	m-	
zebra mouse	<i>Lemniscomys spp.</i>	kyèè	b-	
zorilla	<i>Ictonyx striatus</i>	búúfuumbàà	b-	