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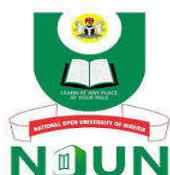
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## **Mkpólite**

**IGB 341:** *Fonoloji Igbo* 2 bụ ihe ọmụmụ nke bu ọkpụ kredit abụo. E weputara ya ụmụ akwukwọ ndị nọ n’agba agumakwukwọ afọ nke ato ha n’agumakwukwọ maka nzere B.A. (Igbo). Ihe ọmụmụ a na-akuzi atụtu ọdịdị ụda asusụ dí iche iche na etu ha si metuta usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ dí iche iche. A haziri amumamụ a na modul ise, ndị ga-enyere ụmụ akwukwọ aka ịmụta ọdịdị ụda asusụ n’uju ọkachị atụtu mmubawanye nsiniwu. Nke a pütara na ha ga-eleba anya na nkowami usoro m kpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu; usoro m kpuru ụda dí iche iche; mmeputa ụda olu Igbo; nkeji okwu na ndakorita ụda ume, atụtu ọdịdị ụda asusụ ndị ozø, na okwu mbite.

## **Mbunuche izugbe**

Mbunuche ihe ọmụmụ a bụ ịkuzi atụtu na usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ. I ga-amụ ọdịdị ụda asusụ na atụtu ya dí iche iche. A ga-akuzikwa usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ e nwegasiri. Atụtu ọdịdị ụda asusụ i ga-ebu uzo guo maka ya bụ nke mmubawanye nsiniwu. A ga-akuzi ebumnobi na njirimara ya. N’otu aka ahụ, i ga-ahụ etu e si ejị usoro m kpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu akowa amumamụ usoro m kpuru ụda. Ihe ga-esote bụ usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ ga, ebe a, i ga-amụ ihe gbasara olilo, ndapụ ụda, m kpafanye ụda, mgbanwerita ụda, m kposo na iwu ụdịdị ụda. I ga-amukwa maka ụda olu. N’ime nke a, ụmụ akwukwọ ga-amụ nkowa na ụdịdị ụda olu, oru ụda olu na-arụ n’asusụ Igbo, ihe ndị kwesiri ka a mata banyere ịkanye akara ụda olu na m kpuru okwu, tinyekwara usoro nkanye akara ụda olu. Nke a gachaa, i muo ebe nkeji okwu na ndakorita ụda ume metutara. Ihe ga-apiachi ihe ọmụmụ a ga-abụ ọdịdị ụda asusụ ndị ozø na etu ihe ndị a niile siri gbaa n’anwụ na m kpuru okwu ndị e si n’asusụ ozø webata n’Igbo.

## **Mbunuche kpom kwem**

Yunit iri na itoolu dì n'ihe ọmụmụ a. Yunit ọ bụla nwere mbunuche nke ya. Ọ dì mkpa na i ga-gurụ mbunuche yunit ọ bụla; mbunuche ihe ọmụmụ a gunyere:

- a. imá ọdịdị ụda ụda asusụ dì iche iche
- b. ịmụta na ọ bụ nkeji okwu na-ebu ụda olu
- ch. ịmata ndịmiche dì mkpị iche na agwara mpuru iche
- d. ime ka nwata akwukwo jiri ihe ọ mütara n'ihe ọmụmụ a kowaa nyochaa usoro mkpuru okwu Igbo

### **Ngwa ihe ọmụmụ**

Ihe ndị mejuputara ihe ọmụmụ a bụ:

- a. mkpolite ihe ọmụmụ
- b. yunit amumamụ ga
- ch. Ngumi
- d. Ihe omume ga
- e. Nhazi

### **Yunit ihe ọmụmụ**

#### **Modul 1: Nkowami usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu**

Yunit 1: Iji atutu usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu

Yunit 2: Ebumnobi usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu

Yunit 3: Njirimara usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu

#### **Modul 2: Usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu**

Yunit 1: Olilo

Yunit 2: Ndapụ ụda

Yunit 3: Mkpafanye ụda

Yunit 4: Mgbanwɔrita ụda

Yunit 5: Mkposo

Yunit 6: Iwu ụdịdị ụda

### **Modul 3: Mmepụta ụda olu Igbo**

Yunit 1: Nkowa na ụdịdị ụda olu

Yunit 2: Ọrụ ụda olu na-arụ n'asusu Igbo

Yunit 3: Ikanye akara ụda olu na mkpuru edide

Yunit 4: Usoro nkanye akara ụda olu

### **Modul 4: Nkeji okwu na ndakorita ụda ume**

Yunit 1: Nkeji okwu

Yunit 2: Mgbaso iwu ndakorita ụda ume

Yunit 3: Nnupu isi na ndakorita ụda ume

### **Modul 5: Atụtụ ọdịdị ụda asusu ndị ọzọ na okwu mbite**

Yunit 1: Usoro nkowa mkpuru ụda ọdinala

Yunit 2: Atụtụ agwara mmemiche

Yunit 3: Mkporota nchocha e merela n'okwu mbite

### **Akwukwo ọgugu na nrumaka**

Yunit ọ bụla nwere akwukwo nrumaka na ngumi na njedebe ya. Ngumi ndị ahụ ga-enyere gi aka ịgumi isi okwu ọ bụla agumi.

### **Nnwale**

A ga-esi na nnwale, ihe omume na ule kpom kwem tulee mmetadebe gi.

### **Ihe omume**

Yunit ọ bụla nwere ihe omume. Ọ dí nnukwu mkpa na i dere ha niile ma nyefee ha maka ntule. Onye nkuzi gi ga-atule ihe omume n'ajuju nnwale niile ma hɔrɔ ato ndị kachasi mma a ga-agbakwunyere ule.

### **Ule na enyem-maaki**

Na ngwuchcha ihe ọmụmụ a, i ga-ele ule nke ga-ebu pasent iri asaa (70%). Ule ahụ ga-ewe awa abụo; a ga-enye gi ajuju ise, nke a tịrụ anya na ha ga-aza ato n'ime ha.

### **Usoro enyem-maakị**

Tebul a dị n'okpuru na-egosi etu e siri kerie maakị, nke ihe ọmụmụ a.

Ntule	Maakị
Ihe omume	A ga-ahorọ ihe omume ato ndị kacha mma. Ha ga-agbakota pasent iri ato ( <b>30%</b> ).
Ule kpom kwem	Maakị ya ga-abụ pasent iri asaa ( <b>70%</b> ).
<b>Mgbakota</b>	<b>100%</b>

### **Ka i ga-esiritekaricha uru ihe ọmụmụ a**

N'amumamụ dị anya (nke e nwere ike ikpo arụ agu), yunit amumamụ na-anochi anya nkuzi mahadum. Otu n'ime uru amumamụ ndị anya bara bụ na i ga na-arụ ọru ma na-agukwa akwukwo n'otu aka ahụ mgbe dị gi mma. O bụzighị inodụ ala na klasị na-ege onye nkuzi ntị. Yunit amumamụ dị iche iche nochiri anya ihe onye nkuzi ga-akuzi. E nwekwara ihe omume dị iche iche na ngwusi nkega o bụla ndị ga-enyere gi aka imugharị ihe i gurula.

Yunit niile gbasoro otu usoro. Ihe mbụ bụ mkpolite, ebe a kowara ihe yunit o bụla ga-akuzi. Nke na-esote ya bụ mbunuche, nke ga-eme ka i mata ihe a tịrụ anya n'aka gi na ngwusi yunit ahụ. O bụ ihe dị ezigbo mkpa na i ga-aloghachi azu tulee ma i mezuru mbunuche ndị ahụ tupu i gawa na yunit ozọ. Ihe na-esote nke a bụ ndịna kpom kwem ebe a kuziri ihe n'uju. I lee anya, i ga-ahụ ihe omume na-esote tinyekwara ajuju nnwale. O bụ iwu na i ga-eme ihe omume ma zaa ajuju niile n'ihi na ha nwere maakị, nke a ga-agbakwunyere maakị ule. Yunit o bụla nwere mmechi na nchikota ebe a chikotara ihe a kuzirila.

O bürü na o nwere ihe mgbagwoju anya i nwere ka i na-agụ ederede a, kpoturu onye nduzi gi maka enyemaka. Gbaa mbo hụ na i na-agaru n'ebe ọmụmụ kwa mgbe kwa mgbe ya na owa ozi mahadum iji mata mgbe i ga-ele ule na ozi ndị ozọ dị mkpa.

### **Ndị nduzi na nkuzi**

A ga-eme ka i mata ubochi, oge na ebe a ga-enwe omumụ akwukwo tinekwara aha onye nduzi gi, akara ekwentị ya na ebe i ga-ahụ ya. Gbaa mbọ hụ na i deziri ndehie onye nduzi gi ga-egosi gi. Nke a ga-enyere gi aka ime nke ọma n'ihe omumụ a. N'otu aka ahụ, gbaa mbọ hụ na i nyefere ihe omume gi oge na mgbe o kwesiri ka i ghara iti ngara-amara. O dì oke mkpa na i ghaghị omumụ akwukwo maka na o bụ ya ga-enye gi ohere iħu onye nduzi gi iħu na iħu ma nwetekwa enyemaka na nkega ndi na-ahja gi ahụ.

### Nchikota

Odidi ụda asusụ na-achoputa ihe di iche n'uda di iche iche, ya na usoro ha na-eso na mmeputa okwu. Ebumnobi usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu bụ ighota odidi nke mmata asusụ na otu nwa ɔħħurū si amata ya. E lebara anya n'ichoputa ihe omuma, nke na-ebute akparamagwa mmadu. E mere nke a site n'iji usoro omumụ usoro mkpuru ụda. Ndị na-amụ ụda olu na-ekwu na nkowa asusụ kwesiri igba mbọ wuo uto asusụ, nke nwere ike imeputa ụdi asusụ. Iwu gbasara ụdidi ụda na-akowakari usoro ya na ijidekwa үfodu mkpoputa mkpuru ụda. Iji maa atu, iwu usoro ụda na-ekwu na ụda ume ala na-agbanwe bürü ụda ume elu n'onodù di aħħa; a kowaputara nke a qfuma site n'iji iwu ụdidi ụda.

## MODUL 1: NKOWAMI USORO MKPURU ỤDA MMUBAWANYE NSINIWU

Ihe i ga-amụ na modul 1 a bụ usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu. Okpukpukpụ ihe ndi i ga-agụ gbasara mmeputa, ebumnobi, njirimara na nsogbu nke atutu a. Atutu usoro mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu so n'atutu ndi ahụ na-enyočha odidi ụda asusụ.

E nwere ike ikowa amumamụ mkpuru ụda di ka omumụ ụda okwu, nke na-arutu aka na nkesa na usoro ha. O bụ īmụ usoro ụda. Site na nke a, anyi na-ekwu ka ụda okwu si emebe onwe ha ma na-ejikokwa ya n'asusụ maka ighota ihe o pütara. N'ikpeazu, Sommerstein (1977:1), n'akwukwo ya, *Modern Phonology*, na-ekwu, na “odidi ụda asusụ na-atule үzo e si ejị ụda na ngwe olu amata njirimara odidi ụda, nke a kowara site n'odidi ụda asusụ ahụ”.

N'ikpeazu, e nwekwara ike ikowaputa odidi ụda asusụ di ka mmata asusụ, nke ndi na-ekwu okwu nwere, gbasara odata mara asusụ ha di mma, nke nkowa ihe mmata, nke onye na-amụ asusụ

na-agbalị imepụta. Dị ka ọmụma atụ mkpònimi /ŋ/ a chọpụtara na mkpuru okwu ndị na-akwusi n’asusu Bekee dì ka ‘bring, sing’ anaghị apụta n’ọnodụ mbụ na mkpuru okwu Bekee mana na Viêtnamiz, ọ na-ebido okwu. Ọ ga-esiri onye Viêtnam na-amụ Bekee ike ikpọ /ŋ/ na mbido mkpuru okwu.

Nkegasị dì na modul 1 gụnyere:

Yunit 1: Iji atụtu usoro mkpuru ụda mmụbawanye nsiniwu amụ mkpuru ụda

Yunit 2: Ebumnobi atụtu usoro mkpuru ụda mmụbawanye nsiniwu

Yunit 3: Njirimara atụtu usoro mkpuru ụda mmụbawanye nsiniwu

**YUNIT 1: Iji atụtu atụtu usoro mkpuru ụda mmụbawanye nsiniwu amụ mkpuru ụda**

**Ndịna**

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

3.1 Mmepụta atụtu usoro mkpuru ụda mmụbawanye nsiniwu

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

## **1.0 Mkpólite**

Amumamụ usoro mkpuru ụda nwere mmasị n’etu ụda si anochi ibe ha na otu e si ahazi mkpuru ụda n’asusu. Ọ na-elebakwa anya n’agba usoro mkpuru ụda dì iche iche tumadi agba ụda olu na nke mkpuru edide

A tọpụtara atụmatu amumamụ usoro mkpuru ụda mmụbawanye nsiniwu n’ihi mpere nkowa ysiri ụda ọdịbala nwere. Ndị bidoro usoro amumamụ a bụ Chomsky na Halle, ndị bipütara ọtụtu

nchoputa n'usoro ya. Halle buru ụzọ biputa nchocha ya n'afọ 1959, 1962 na 1964. N'afọ 1968, Chomsky biputara nchocha o mere gbasara usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ Bekee. Chomsky na Halle (1968, 1969) wubere usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu na Bekee. Usoro a ghoro ihe nlere anya n'otutu akwukwọ e dere n'ikowa usoro mkpuru ụda otutu asusụ. O gbadoro ụkwụ ikowa iwu na-eme ka otu ọdịdị ụda gbanwega n'udidị ụda ozọ.

## 2.0 Mbunuche

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa ihe usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu bu
- deputa usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu
- gosiputa ka e siri tupta usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu

## 3.0 Ndina kpom kwem

### 3.1 Mmeputa usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu

Tupu a malite usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda mmubawanye nsiniwu, amumamụ usoro ụda dí bu nke usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda ọdinala. N'agba a, mbø a gbara bu ighota ọdịdị mkpuru ụda. Sommerstein (1977) na-akowa na amumamụ mkpuru ụda asusụ, n'oge ahụ, na-agba mbø ịza ajuju ndị a :

- i. Gini bu mkpuru ụda asusụ?
- ii. Kedụ ihe na-eweta mkpi iche na mkpuru okwu abuo ma ọ bu karịa?

N'agba amumamụ ọdinala, e lebara anya n'udị mkpuru ụda na-eweta mkpi iche n'okwu abuo ma ọ bu karịa yiri onwe ha tinyere ebe ha nọ na mkpuru okwu. Ịma atụ, mkpuru ụda nwere ike ịnọ n'otu ọnọdu na mkpuru okwu ma weta ndimiche n'echiche okwu ndị ahụ, d.k.

1. a. dean  
b. mean  
c. lean

Na 1, ihe wetara mkpi iche n'okwu ato ndi a bu mkpuru bu ụzọ. Okwu nke o bụla n'okwu ndi a nwere ihe ndi ozọ nwere. E nwekwara ike inwe mkpuru ụda a n'etiti mkpuru okwu abuọ ma o bụ karịa

2. a. mite

b. mine

ch. mice

Na 2, ihe wetara ndimiche n'echiche okwu ndi a bu mkpuru ụda di n'etiti. Ha bu 't', 'n' na 'c'. Na 3, mkiatara mkpi iche bu mkpuru ụda di na njedebe okwu ndi a:

3. a. fan

b. fat

c. fan

Sommerstein (1977:63) na Chomsky (1964) rürü uka na ụdi usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda enweghi nkowa miri emi. Ihe nke a putara bu na ha nwere ike ịdị mma n'ikowa asusụ nsere n'elu, mana o nweghi ike ikowa nke ọma ihe n'agba ala ụtọ asusụ ahụ. Ha na-esi agugọ na atutu ụtọ asusụ usoro mkpuru ụda kwesiri ikowali ihe kpatara ọdịdị ụda di ańaa si gbanwee bürü ụdịdị ụda ozọ (hụ Halle 1959, 1962, 1964 na Halle & Chomsky 1968 maka ngumi).

## Nnwale onwe 1

- Gini bụ mkpi iche?
- Gini na-akpata mkpi ihe?
- Olee ụdirị amumụ usoro mkpuru ụda tupu e nwee usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu?
- Kedu edemede abuọ e ji wube usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu?

## 4.0 Mmechi

Usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda ụda bụ alaka sayensi asusụ, nke na-amụ maka ụda okwu. Ihe dikarichara mkpa n'amumamụ a bụ mkpuru ụda asusụ. Mkpuru ụda asusụ bụ ụda pekarichara, nke nwere ike iweta ndimiche na nghota mkpuru okwu abuọ ma ọ bụ karịa yitewere onwe ha. Amumamụ mkpuru ụda nwekwara mmasi n'ımata ụdị ụda ndị ahụ na-eweta ihe dị iche na mkpuru okwu abuọ ma ọ bụ karịa na etu e si ahazi ha n'asusụ. Ọ na-elebakwa anya na mgbanwe na-adị mgbe e ji mkpuru ụda asusụ ndị a ekwu okwu. Atụtụ amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu bụ atụtụ etu ọdịdị mkpuru ụda si agbanwe n'ime ka asusụ dazie mgbe a na-ekwu okwu.

## 5.0 Nchikota

Usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda asusụ ọdinala bụ usoro amumamụ usoro mkpuru ụda dị adị tupu ndị ọka mmüta achoputa usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu. Ndị ọka mmüta asusụ dị iche ihe nwere mmasi ighota ọdịdị mkpuru ụda. Otu n'ime ndị ọka mmüta ndị a bụ Sommerstein. Sommerstein (1977) kowara na usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda ọdinala lebara anya n'ụdị mkpuru ụda na-eweta mkpi iche n'okwu abuọ ma ọ bụ karịa yiri onwe ha, tinyere ebe ha nọ na mkpuru okwu. Sommerstein (1977:63) na Chomsky (1964) kochara usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda nke ọdinala. Ha rürü ụka na o nwere ike ikowa naanị ụdịdị agba elu mkpuru ụda ma ọ gaghi akowali phe mere n'agba ala ụtọ asusụ tupu e nweta ihe e kwuputara. Ihe nke a putara bụ na usoro nkowa ọdinala nwere ike ịdị mma n'ikowa nsere elu asusụ, mana ọ gaghi enwe ike ikowa ihe mkpuru ụda gabigara mgbe a na-ekwu okwu.

## Ihe omume

- a. Gini bụ usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu?
- b. Olee usoro kpatara e ji tuptu atumatu usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu ?
- ch. Desita ahụ ndị nchocha ato usoro wubere amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu.

## 6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

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## **YUNIT 2: Mbunobi usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu**

Ndịna

- 1.0 Mkpólite
- 2.0 Mbunuche
- 3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem
  - 3.1 Mbunuche usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu
- 4.0 Mmechi
- 5.0 Nchikota
- 6.0 Nrümaka/ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpólite**

Mbunuche usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu bụ ighọta etu nwa ọhụru si amata ọdịdị ụda mkpuru asusụ epum ya. Site n’iji usoro ọmụmụ mkpuru ụda, e lebara anya n’etu usoro mmata asusụ nwa ọhụru si emetụta etu o si asu asusụ. Ndị ọka nchocha na-arụ ụka na-ekwu na atụtụ asusụ kwasiri inwe ike kowata ụdịdị asusụ.

Nke a bụ otu n’ime mbọ izizi nke ndị na-akwado usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu, ya bụ, idepụta ma kowaa iwu ụtọ asusụ, nke ga-akowali ụdịdị usoro ụda asusụ. N’imekuputa nke a, e nwere agba naabọ: agba ala, agba mgbanwe na agba elu. Agba elu bụ ebe a

na-akpoputa mkpuru ụda ka e si anụta ya na ntị. Mana agba ala ụda asusụ bụ ebe ụda nsina chi na-ewere ọnodu ya n'ogbara ụda. N'agbata agba ala na agba elu ụda, a na-enwe mgbanwe dị iche iche, nke na-agbaso iwu ụtọ asusụ n'ime ka ụda nsina chi gbanwee ghoro ụda nnịrụ-na-ntị. Usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu na-agba mbọ ideputa iwu usoro ụda, ndị na-akpata mgbanwe site n'odidị mkpuru ụda ghoro mkpuru ma ọ bụ nwa, nke mkpuru ụda.

## 2.0 Mbunuche

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa mbunuche usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu
- gosi mmetuta ụtọ asusụ na usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda
- kowaputa echiche ndị ga-enyere aka ịmụ usoro mkpuru ụda

## 3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

### 3.1 Mbunuche atutu mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu

Ihe nlere anya, nke usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu, bụ imeputa iwu, ndị na-akowa ọdịdị na ụdịdị ụda asusụ. E chere na onye ọ bụla na-asụ asusụ nwere ngwa mmụta asusụ nke na-ebudo usoro asusụ ọ na-asụ. Chomsky na-arụ ụka na ndị na-asụ asusụ ọ bụla bu ụtọ asusụ ahụ n'isi ma jiri ya na-ewube ihe ha na-asụ. Goldsmith na Larks (2014) tупутара usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda nsiniwu ndị a:

1. iweputa ụdị usoro ụda asusụ zuru ezu.
2. ntugharị usoro na nhazi iwu ụda asusụ n'imeputa asusụ.
3. ngosiputa ndokọ ụda
4. nchikwa iwu usoro ụda

### Nnwale onwe 1

- a. Dee maka abụo n'ime echiche anọ n'usoro ọmụmụ usoro mkpuru ụda.
- b. Olee afọ e depütara echiche anọ ndị ahụ?
- c. Kedu ndị cheputara echiche anọ ndị ahụ?

## **4.0 Mmechi**

Odịdị ụda asusụ na-achọpụta ihe dì iche n'ụda dì iche iche, ya na nsoro ha na-eso na mmepụta okwu. Ebumnobi usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu bù ighọta ọdịdị asusụ na etu nwa ọhụrụ si amata ya. E lebara anya n'ichopụta ihe a mare nke na-ebute ka mmadụ si asụ asusụ.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

Na nchikota, ihe a mürü na yunit a bù usoro ụbụrụ na-asụ asusụ si arụ ọrụ. Chomsky rürü ụka sị na ndị na-asụ asusụ na-etinye usoro ụtọ asusụ ha, nke ha bu n'isi n'ihe ha na-asụ. N'íkwado Chomsky, Goldsmith na Larks (2014) gara n'ihu tупту atumatu anō pürü iche a na-agbaso n'íkpopụta na ịhazi usoro ụda asusụ. Echiche anō ndị a bù iwepụta ụdị usoro ụda asusụ zuru ezu, ntugharị usoro na nhazi iwu ụda asusụ n'imepụta asusụ, ngosipụta ndokọ ụda na nchikwa iwu usoro ụda

## **Ihe omume**

- a. Kowaa mbunuche usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu.
- b. Olee ka ụtọ asusụ si ewube usoro ụda?
- ch. Deputa ihe anō ga-enye aka n'ịmụ amumamụ mkpuru ụda nsiniwu.

## **6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngụmi**

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## **YUNIT 3: Njirimara amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu**

## Ndịna

- 1.0 Mkpólite
- 2.0 Mbunuche
- 3.0 Ndịna kpóm kwém
  - 3.1 Njirimara amúmamá mmúbawanye mkpúru ụda nsiniwu
  - 3.2 Nsogbu n'usoro amúmamá mmúbawanye mkpúru ụda nsiniwu
- 4.0 Mmechi
- 5.0 Nchíkóta
- 6.0 Nrúmaka/Ngúmi

## **1.0 Mkpólite**

Usoro amúmamá mmúbawanye mkpúru ụda nsiniwu bụ ihe ọmúmú malitere site n'usoro iwu na-arú ụka na ụtø asúsú bụ ntónala asúsú, nke metútara ụda na mpútara ụda dí ka (Chomsky na Halle, 1968:3) siri kowaa. Ha kwenyekwara na e nwere ọtütü ihe dí n'ụtø asúsú, nke gúnyere amúmamá usoro mkpúru ụda. Clark na Yallop (1999) na-ekwu na Chomsky na Halle gbadoro ụkwú n'akükü mkpúru edide, nke na-ebughi ụda olu. Ima atü, ha nyere agwara ụda ume elu ihu [i] dí ka +nkeji okwu, -mgbochi ume, +nnwemolu, +elu, wdg.

## **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwúcha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- a. kowaa njirimara usoro amúmamá mmúbawanye mkpúru ụda nsiniwu.
- b. depúta nsogbu dí n'usoro amúmamá mmúbawanye mkpúru ụda nsiniwu.
- ch. kowaa uru amúmamá usoro mkpúru ụda bara.

## **3.0 Ndīna kpóm kwém**

### **3.1 Njirimara usoro amúmamá mmúbawanye mkpúru ụda nsiniwu**

1. Usoro amúmamá mmúbawanye mkpúru ụda nsiniwu nwere akara iwu ụfodù:

Usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu nwere ụfodu akara iwu, nke e ji gosi etu mkpuru ụda si agbanwe n'ọnodu ụfodu, d.k.

4. [-ngèlé] → [+nnwemolu]/-[+nnwemolu]

Iwu 4 pütara na mkpuru ụda na-abughị ụda ngele (sonorant) na-agbanwe bürü mkpuru ụda nnwemolu ma ọ bürü na mkpuru ụda na-esote ya bụ ụda nnwemolu (Clark & Yallop, 1999:134). Iwu ndị ọzọ nke jeneretiivu fonoloji bụ

5. [-ngèlé] → [innwemolu]/[+nnwemolu]-[+nnwemolu]

Iwu 5 na-akowa na mkpuru ụda na-abughị ụda ngele na-agbanwe bürü ụda nnwemolu ma ọ dırı n'etiti mkpuru ụda abuo nwere ndamolu.

2. Iji akara nnwemagwara na enwemagwara

Chomsky na Halle (1968) na-eji akara obe [+] egosi agwara, nke mkpuru ụda nwere ma were akara uhie [-] egosi agwara nke mkpuru ụda na-enweghi, ma ọ bụ ha abuo [ ± ] iji gosi mkpuru nwere ike ma ọ bụ ghara inwe agwara ọ bụla.

3. Nkowa ngalaba nwere otu agwara ma ọ bụ ọtutu agwara

N'igosi agwara ndị mkpuru ụda nwere, a na-eji njiakpọ nke/ndị nke e ji akpoputa ya bụ ụda, d.k.

6. Ụda ngele [+ngele]

Ụda liị [+liị +nnwemolu]

Mkpuru ụda enwe olu [-nnwemolu]

Ụda ume [+nkeji okwu -mgbochi ume]

Ụda ume elu [+nkeji okwu, -mgbochi ume, +elu]

Ụda ume ala [+nkeji okwu, -mgbochi ume, -elu]

Ụda ume azu [+nkeji okwu, -mgbochi ume, +azu +okirikiri]

Ụda ume ihu [+nkeji okwu, -mgbochi ume, -azu]

4. Iji akara dị iche iche gosi oke dị iche iche

Omumụ usoro mkpuru ụda na-ejikwa akara dị iche iche egosi nnwemagwara dị iche iche. A na-eji akara obe [+] egosi agwara, nke mkpuru ụda nwere. N'aka nke ọzọ, a na-eji akara H ma ọ bụ akara

obe [+] ekesa m kpuru echiche. A na-etinye akara H abuo [HH] ekewea oke m kpuru okwu ma jiri akara H ato [HHH] ekewa ahiri okwu.

7. [+mgbochi ume]→[-nnwemolu]/-H  
[+nkeji okwu, -mgbochi ume]→[+elu]/-HH

5. E nweghi nkowa iwu ụfodu di ka e gosiri n’iwu ndị a:

8. M→[+nnwemolu]/uda ume-uda ume

Mgbochi ume gbanwere bürü nnweolu n’etiti uda ume abuo

9. Mgbochi ume → [uda mpata]/uda ume - uda ume.

Mgbochi ume na-agbanwe bürü uda ume n’etiti uda ume abuo.

10. [i/i → e/-rM]

Uda ume [i/i] na-agbanwe ghoro [e] n’ihu ir], nke mgbochi ume na-esote.

11. i→e/-rM

Uda ume ‘i’ na-agbada ghoro ‘e’ mgbe ‘r’, nke mgbochi ume di n’ihu ya, na-esote.

## Nnwale onwe 1

### 3.2 Nsogbu di n’usoro amumamụ m kpuru uda nsiniwu

1. ikowaputa ihe banyere nzumoke, nke di na nghota si n’echiche. Usoro amumamụ usoro m kpuru uda asusu kpalitere nkoha na ntuputa atutu ndị ozø.
2. Nsogbu ighota ndina m kpuru uda. Ogbara iwu ndina usoro m kpuru uda na-ahia ndị na-amụ usoro m kpuru uda ike tumadi gbasara ọdidi uda, mgbanwe uda na ụdidi uda a na-akpoputa.

Obụ nsogbu ndị a di n’usoro uda Bekee kpalitere [chọ usoro amumamụ na nkowa uda ndị ozø na 1970 ha. Atutu amumamụ uda, ndị oghom usoro mmubawanye nsiniwu kpalitere gunyere: usoro nsekasi ọdidi m kpuru uda, atutu akukwu ndịnonwe na nke usoro ntụ mítä.

## **Nnwale onwe 2**

- a. Gini kpalitere usoro nsekasi ọdịdị mkpuru ụda?
- b. Deputa iwu mgbanwe ọdịdị na ụdịdị mkpuru ụda ato.

## **4.0 Mmechi**

Usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu abụo bụ ihe ọmumumalitere site na usoro iwu wee na-arụ ụka na ụtqasusu bụ usoro iwu metutara ụda na mpütara ụda dika (Chomsky na Halle, 1968:3) siri kowa. Ha nwekwara echiche na e nwere otutu ihe di n'utqasusu, nke gunyere akukụ fonoloji.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

Iji chikota ihe a mürü na yunit a, njirimara usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu bụ na o nwere ụfodụ akara iwu, nke e ji egosi na otu ụdị mkpuru ụda nwere ike [gbanwe n'onodụ ụfodụ; e ji akara nnwemagwara akowa agwara, ndị mkpuru ụda nwere na ndị o nweghi; a na-egosikwa akukụ njimakọ, ndị e ji akpoputa mkpuru ụda; e jikwa akara di iche egosi oke mkpuru ụda, mkpuru okwu na ahiri okwu. E nwere mperi di n'usoro amumamụ mkpuru ụda nsiniwu nke kpalitere [chowa atutu nkowa usoro mkpuru ụda ndị ozø n'afø 1970 hà. Ha gunyere: usoro nsekasi mkpuru ụda, atutu akukụ ndịnonwe na atutu nkowa mkpuru ụda n'usoro ntụ mịta.

## **Ihe omume**

- a. Deputa njirimara usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu abụo?
- b. Kedụ otu nsogbu, nke usoro amumamụ mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu nwere?
- ch. O nwere uru iji iwu kewaa ogbara mkpuru okwu bara?

## **6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi**

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## **MODUL 2: AMXMAMX USORO, NKE MKPQPTA MKPXRX XDA**

Na modul 1, i mürü maka atutu usoro mmubawanye mkpuru ụda nsiniwu. N'ebe ahụ, i gurụ banyere ụdịdi, mmeputa, ebumnobi, njirimara na nsogbu ya. I hukwara na nkowwa mkpuru ụda nsiniwu so n'otu uzo, nke e si enyocha ọdịdi ụda asusu. Na modul a, i ga-amuzi maka usoro mkpuru ụda. E nwere ike ihu usoro ihe omumụ di ka usoro ndị ahụ na-akowwa iwu, nke ọdịdi na ụdịdi ụda, mgbe a na-ekwu okwu. N'amumamụ usoro mkpuru ụda ndị a, mkpuru ụda nwere ike ghara [gbanwe, gbanwee n'udị ọnodụ di iche iche.

Usoro ọdịdi mkpoputa mkpuru ụda, ndị a ga-eleba anya n'ebe a gunyere:

1. Olilo
2. Ndapụ ụda
3. Mkpafanye ụda
4. Ntụnworiتا ụda
5. Mkposo

Usoro ndị a di n'elu mejuputara nkegasị di na modul 2. O pütara na e nwere nkegasị ndị a :

- Yunit 1: Olilo  
Yunit 2: Ndapụ ụda  
Yunit 3: Mkpafanye ụda  
Yunit 4: Ntụnworiتا ụda  
Yunit 5: Mkposo  
Yunit 6: Iwu ụdịdi ụda

### **YUNIT 1: Olilo**

Ndịna

- 1.0 Mkpôlite
- 2.0 Mbunuche
- 3.0 Ndîna kpom kwem
  - 3.1 Nkowa na ʉdîdî olilo ʉda ume
- 4.0 Mmechi
- 5.0 Nchikota
- 6.0 Nrûmaka/Ngûmi

1.0 Mkpolt

Nke a bụ amumamụ usoro mkpoputa mkpuru ụda nke a na-ahụta mgbe a na-ekwu okwu ọsiiso. Olilo ụda na-aputa ihe mgbe mkpuru ụda nosobere mkpuru ụda ọzọ mere ka nke ahụ nodebere ya gbanwee yie ya.

Olilo ụda ume nō ọdụ ka isi a hụrụ kwaba okpu n'olilo ụda asusu. O bụ otu njirimara usoro akpomakpọ ụda, nke na-apụta ihe n'asusu ọ bụla. Olilo ụda ume bụ mgbe otu ụda ume wegħħaara agwa ụda ume ozo, nke ya na ya nodedewere n'okwu. O nwere ụdidi ato. Ha bụ olilo ihu, olilo azu na olilo mmako.

## 2.0 Mbunuche

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- deputa mgbe olilo ụda ume ji aputa ihe na mkpuru okwu
  - kowaa ụdidi olilo ụda ume e nwegasiri
  - nye ọmụma atụ olilo ụda dị iche iche

### **3.0 Ndina kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Nkowa na ụdịdị olilo**

Oolio ụda ume bụ mgbe otu ụda ume n'ime ụda ume abụo nödebere onwe ha mere ka ibe ya yie ya mgbe a na-ekwu ọsiịso. O bürü na otu ụda ume mee ka nwa nne ya yie ya, ha abụo na-eyi tümüzadi na mkipoputa. O di mkpa ikwu na ụda ume na-elo ibe ya apụtaghi na ụda ume ahụ e loro

adikwaghị adaputa ihe. O bụ naani mgbe a na-ekwu okwu ngwa ngwa ka a na-enwe olilo ụda. Mana mgbe a chọrọ ide okwu ahụ, a na-edo ya etu ọdịdị chi ya si dị.

ude<sup>1</sup>+i<sup>2</sup>si → udiisi (n'okwu ọsịisọ)

Mana n'odide, o na-abụ: *ude isi*.

akwụ<sup>1</sup>+o<sup>2</sup>ru → akwooru (n'okwu ọsịisọ)

O rue n'odide, o bürü: *akwụ oru*.

E lee anya n'omụma atụ ndị a dị n'elu, a ga-achoputa na o bụ ụda ume '2' na-elo ụda ume '1'. E nwere ụzọ olilo ato n'usoro mkpọpụta ụda. A na-esite n'uzọ olilo aba ya aha. Ikekeonwụ na ndị ozọ (1999:26) gosiputara ụzọ ato ndị a dị ka:

12. A      B

olilo ihu →

13. A B

olilo azu ←

14. A B

CH

olilo mmakọ → ↓ ←

## Ụdịdị Olilo

### Olilo ihu

Ụdị a na-apụtakarị ihe n'ụda ume. Nke a bụ ebe ụda ume nke dị na njedebe mkpuru okwu, nke mbụ mere ka ụda ume malitere mkpuru bidoro mkpuru okwu nke abụo yie ya. E nweghi ezigbo omụma atụ olilo ihu n'Igbo izugbe; nke a bụ n'ihi na a naghị agbaso usoro ikwu okwu oku oku ede ihe odide, ịma atụ,

15. a. ndị + a → ndị i  
 b. onye + a → onye e  
 ch. ebe + a → ebe e  
 d. okwu + a → okwu u  
 e. ego + a → ego o

### **Olilo azụ**

Onođu a bụ ebe mkpuru ụda na-eme ka mkpuru ụda dị n'azụ ka o dị ka ya onwe ya. Ọtụtu oge, a na-ahụta ya mgbe ụda ume bidoro mkpuru okwu nke abụo na nkeji ahịri okwu mere ka mkpuru ụda kpe azụ na mkpuru okwu, nke izizi dị ka ya onwe ya Dị ka o dị n'ọtụtu asusu, olilo azụ dị ọtụtu n'Igbo, d.k.

16. a. anya+ oke → anyo oke  
 b. ụlọ+ elu → ụleelu  
 ch. ndị+ ọcha → ndọọcha  
 d. isi + oche → isooche  
 e. elu + igwe → eliigwe  
 f. anya + ọku → anyoọku

### **Olilo mmakọ**

Olilo mmakọ bụ mkpuru ụda abụo jụrụ na o dighi nke ga-eko ibe ya; ha na-ekwekoe[ta ka ha tinye ụda ọzọ dị n'agbata ha abụo ka mkpoputa ha gaa were were (hukwa Emenanjø, 1978, Mbah & Mbah, 2010), d.k.

17. a. isi ewu → /isijewu/  
 b. ụdịri ụlọ → /udịrijulɔ/

### **Xdịdi olilo mkpuru ụda**

Olilo nwere ike ịbụ nke nlocha ma o bụ nlofo.

### **Olilo\_nlocha**

Nke a bụ mgbe ụda na-elo ibe ya site n'ime ka o gbanwuo ọdịdị ya ma yie ya kpam kpam, d.k.

18. a. mma ekwu→ mme ekwu

b. onye ọma→ onyọ ọma

ch. nwa oke→ nwo oke

d. akwa ọgazi →akwọ ọgazi

### **Olilo nlofọ**

Nke a bụ ọnodu, ebe mkpuru ụda, nke na-elo ibe ya na-agbanwe ọdịdị ya site n'ime ka a kpoputa ya n'ebe mkpoputa naani, n'agbanweghi usoro mkpoputa ya ndị ozọ, d.k.

19. a. ñ + k →nk

b. ñ+m → mma

ch. ñ+t → nt

Na 19, mkpuru ụda, nke bu ụzọ ma bürü myiri ụda ume bụ ụda imi mkponazụ akpo ‘ñ’. Etu o sila di, mgbe ụda na-eso ya bụ ụda mkponegbugbere, ‘ñ’ na-agbanwe bürü ‘m’; ozọ kwa, ọ bürü ụda mkponihu akpo na-eso ya, ọ na-agbanwe ebe mkpoputa ya ma ghozie ‘n’. Xmu ụda ‘m’, ‘n’ na ‘ñ’, n’usoro edide, bụ otu ụda ‘ñ’ ahụ. Ebe mkpoputa ụda na-eso ya loro ebe mkpoputa ya, mana ọ gbanweghi ọdịdị ya; ya kpatara o ji wee olilo nlofọ.

### **Olilo nwere ike ịbü olilo ụda ume ma ọ bụ nke mgbochi ume.**

**Olilo ụda ume:** Nke a na-eme mgbe ụda ume gbanwere ụda ume ibe ya ma mee ka o yie ya (hụ ihe atụ 18).

**Olilo mgbochi ume:** Nke a bụ mgbe mgbochi ume mere ka mgbochi ume nödebere ya yie ya; hụ ihe atụ 19.

## **Nnwale onwe 1**

a. Deputa ụdịdị olilo akara ndị a zipütara:

i. . A → B

ii. A ← B

iii. A → B  
↓  
CH

## 4.0 Mmechi

Olilo ụda ume bụ mgbe otu ụda ume n'ime ụda ume abụọ díkoro ọnụ gara azụ ma ọ bụ ihu mee ka ibe ya yie ya. Ọ bürü na otu ụda ume loo ibe ya, ọ na-eweghara ụdidi ụda ume nke o loro na mkpoputa. E nwere ụdidi olilo ụda ume ato n'Igbo. Ha bụ: olilo ihu, olilo azụ na olilo mmakọ. Mbah na Mbah (2010) kowara olilo mmakọ dí ka ụdị olilo, ebe ụda abụọ enweghi ike ilo ibe ha ma ‘kwekorita’ iwebata ụda okwu ọzọ yiri ha iji mee ka mkpoputa ha gaa were were. Ihe atụ dí 17.

## 5.0 Nchikota

Ọ bụ na nkwerputa okwu ọsịsọ ka a na-ahụta olilo ụda. Mana a bịa n'odide, a naghi egosiputa olilo ụda. A bịa n'olilo mmakọ, ụda ume abụọ nọ nso na-akwudoro onwe ha ma kwekorita itinye /j/ n'etiti ha abụo.

### Ihe omume

a. Kedụ ụdidi olilo putara ihe n'olilo ndị a dí n'okpuru?

i. ụlọ elu → ụleelu

ii. isi ewu → isijewu

iii. ebe + a → ebe e

## 6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

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## YUNIT 2: Ndapụ ụda

### Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

    3.1 Ndapụ m kpurụ ụda asusụ

        3.1.1 Ndapụ ụda ume

        3.1.2 Ndapụ mgbochi ume

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrūmaka/Ngumi

### 1.0 Mkpólite

Nke a bụ usoro ụdidi ụda, nke gụnyere ndepụ m kpurụ edide ụda ma hapụ ndebe ma ọ bụ ụda olu ya na m kpuputa ya. Ndapụ m kpurụ ụda asusụ bụ mgbe a na-akpoputaghị m kpurụ ụda asusụ dị n'ime m kpurụ okwu n'odide mana ndebe olu na ụda olu ka ahagidere n'okwu ahụ. Xda ndebe ma ọ bụ nke olu a ka ahapurụ bụ ihe na-enye okwu ahụ e depurụ akukụ ya echiche. Olilo ụda metutara okwukwu okwu ọsijiọ ebe ndapụ ụda metutara odide okwu ede. E nwere ndepụ ụda ume na ndepụ mgbochi ume. Ka e lebazia anya na nkega ndị na-esote.

## **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa ihe ndapụ ụda ume bụ.
- kowaa ihe ndapụ mgbochi ume bụ.
- nye ọmụma atu ndapụ mkpuru ụda asusụ n'okwu.

## **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Ndapụ mkpuru ụda asusụ**

E kewara ndapụ mkpuru ụda asusụ uzọ abụo. Ha bụ ndapụ ụda ume na ndapụ mgbochi ume.

#### **3.1.1 Ndapụ ụda ume**

Nke a bụ ụdị ndapụ maqbụ nhichapụ metütara nhichapụ ụda ume. Ndapụ ụda ume bụ mgbe a kpoputaghị ụda ume dị na mkpuru okwu. A na-enwe ndapụ ụda ume ebe ụda ume jedebere mkpuru okwu mbụ na ụda ume malitere mkpuru okwu nke abụonodewere onwe ha, ịma atu,

20 a. nwa + oke → nwoke (ndapụ ‘a’)

b. nwa + afọ → nwafọ (ndapụ ‘a’)

ch. ụsọ + ekwu → ụsekwu (ndapụ ‘o’)

d. oke + afọ → okafọ (ndapụ ‘e’)

e. ndị+ ọbia → ndobia (ndapụ ‘i’)

f. isi + okwe → isokwe (ndapụ ‘i’)

A ga-amata na okwu ndị a enweghi ezigbo mkpoputa ma a gbasoro usoro ndeputa ha kpoputa ha.

N'agbanyeghi ka e si dee ha, onye Igbo ọ bụla ga-etinyekwa ụda olu kwesiri nkeji ahịri okwu ndị

a. Ya kpatara e ji asị na ọ gbasara naani odide okwu Igbo.

#### **3.1.2 Ndapụ mgbochi ume**

Nke a bụ ụdị ndapụ ma ọ bụ ndepụ metütara mgbochi ume.

21. Iwu ndepụ: C→ɸ/-j+ụda imi] H

Nkowá: A na-edepụ mgbochi ume n'ebe ụda imi na-eso ụda ule elu ihu n'okwu.

Ndapụ mgbochi ume bụ mkpoputa, nke a na-akpoputaghị ụda mgbochi ume ebe e kwesiri ka a kpoputa ya na mkpuru okwu. Ọ bụ mgbe mkpuru ụda asusu mgbochi ume dapuru na mkpuru okwu mgbe a na-akpoputa ya ọso ọso, īma atụ:

22. a. akpukpọ → aukpọ (ndapụ ‘kp’)

b. ajujụ → aụjụ (ndapụ ‘j’)

ch. ehihie → eihie (ndapụ ‘h’)

d. ọtụtụ → ọtụtụ (ndapụ ‘t’)

e. osisi → oisi (ndapụ ‘s’)

f. aziza → aịza (ndapụ ‘z’)

Dị ka ọ dị n'olilo ụda, a naghi anabata ide ndapụ ụda n'usoro odide Igbo izugbe.

### 3.1.3 Ndapụ nkeji okwu

Nke a bụ ụdị ndapụ ma ọ bụ ndepụ mkpuru okwu, d.k.

23. a. akpukpọ → akpọ

b. atịtị → atị

ch. akwukwọ → akwọ

## Nnwale onwe 1

1. Deputa ọmụma atụ ndapụ ụda ume ise.

2. Deputa ndapụ mgbochi ume ise.

Mata: Ọmụma atụ ga-adị iche na ndị e nyerela na nkuzi a.

## **4.0 Mmechi**

Ndapụ pütara mgbe a na-akpoputaghị ụda kwesiri na a ga-akpoputa na mkpuru okwu. O na-apütakarị ihe na mgbochi ume.

## **5.0 Nchikọta**

Ndapụ ụda ume na-abukarị mgbe e nwere ụda ume jedebere m kpuru okwu nke mbu na ụda ume malitere m kpuru okwu nke abuọ dидewere onwe ha. Ya bụ na ndapụ ụda ume na-abukarị n'ókè m kpuru okwu. O dí mkpa ịmata na a naghi enwe ndapụ ụda-ume ebe ụda ume jedebere m kpuru okwu nke mbu mgbochi ume amalite m kpuru okwu nke abuọ. Mana ndapụ mgbochi ume na-abu n'ime m kpuru okwu.

### **Ihe omume**

Kedụ m kpuru ụda asusu ndị dapuru na m kpuru okwu ndị a ?

a. aka + eze → akeze

b. ụso + ekwu → ụsekwu

ch. oke + afọ → okafọ

d. ndị+ ọbia → ndobịa

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## **YUNIT 3: Mgbakwunye ụda**

Ndịna

1.0 Mkpolite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

    3.1 Mgbakwunye ndịnime na ndịn'etiti

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpolite**

Mkpafanye ụda bụ usoro ụdidi ụda, ebe a na-agbakwunye otu m kpuru ụda ma ọ bụ karịa. M kpuru ụda, nke a na-agbakwunye nwere ike ịbụ mgbochi ume ma ọ bụ ụda ume. Anyị ga-ahụta ọmụma atu n'asusu Bontok, asusu ndị Filipins, d.k. Gleason (1955) sin ye ihe atu.

24.     fikas ‘si ike’ → fumikas ‘O na-esizi ike’

      kilad ‘Ọbara Ọbara’ → kumilad ‘O na-adịz[ Ọbara Ọbara’

      Fusal ‘iro’ → fumusal ‘O na-aghoz[ onye iro’

Na Bontok, a na-akpafanye ‘-um-’ n’ime okwu bụ nkowa iji mee ya ka ọ bürü ahiri okwu. Ihe e tinyere ebe a bụ mgbakwunye ndịnime. Mgbakwunye ndịnime bụ mgbakwunye m kpuru echiche ndabe, nke dị n’ime m kpuru okwu, nke akụkụ ya naabọ n’eyighi. Nke a adikebeghi n’Igbo. Nke a bụ ndịmiche n’etiti ndịnime na ndịnetiti. Na ndịnetiti, a na-akwunye ‘m kpụ ụda’ n’ime akụkụ okwu abụo yiri onwe ha, d.k.

25. a. ede + -r- +ede → ederede  
 b. agü+ -m- + agü → aguragü  
 ch. iji+ -l- + iji → ijiliji  
 d. ogo + -l- + ogo → ogologo  
 e. alı+ -gh- + alı → alighalı

N’ewe a, mkpuru ụda, nke a gbakwunyere, ‘-r-’, ‘-m-’, ‘-l-’ na ‘-gh-’ dí n’etiti okwu, ndí mpaghara ha naabø bụ otu. Mgbakwunye ụda bụ otu n’ime njirimara mwube okwu, mgbe a na-etinye mgbakwunye ụda n’ime mkpuru okwu ebe ọ na-adibughi.

## 2.0 Mbunuche

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- ideta mgbe mgbakwunye ụda ji aputa ihe na mmebe okwu
- inye ihe atu mgbakwunye ụda

## 3.0 Ndína kpom kwem

### 3.1 Mkpafanye ụda

Usoro ebe a na-etinye mkpuru ụda n’ime mkpuru okwu, ebe ọ dibughi maka ikpoputazi mkpuru ma ọ bụ ọgbara okwu ka a na-akpo mkpafanye ụda. Usoro a na-aputakari ihe n’okwu mbite nakwa na nkeji ahiri, ịma atu:

26. a. skuul → sukul → skulu

b. bręed → bürüed → bręedi

ch. stoov → sitov → stovu

Igbo nwere ike igbaso usoro ato hazie mkpoputa okwu, ndí e si na Bekee gbazite. Na 26, i ga-ahụ na mkpafanye ụda metütara okwu mbite. N’ihi na okwu Bekee ndí e bitere nwere ọyo mgbochi ume, nke usoro akpomakpo Igbo na-enweghi, Igbo nwere ike itinye ụda ume n’etiti ọyo mgbochi ume ka ọ gbasoro usoro ewumewu akpomakpo Igbo (lee usoro mbite, ndí dí n’etiti). Ndí wara

anya nwere ike ikpoputakwa oyq mgbochi ume ndi a; na 26, lee nhazi okwu ndi izizi na ikpeazu. Etu o sila, otu iwu, megidere nhazi o bula, bu na Igbo ga-etinye otu mkipuru uda mbetu n'ebi o bula e nwere oyq mgbochi ume. I lee anya na 26, nke o bula n'ime ha nwere nkeji okwu abuq n'uzo nhazi ato ndi a ebe Bekee nwere naan[ otu nkeji okwu.

Na mkipoputa ahiri okwu Igbo, e nwere ebe a na-etinye mkipafanye uda. O bughi naani uda ume ka a na-etinye n'etiti mgbochi ume abuq iji mee ka o daba n'odidi nkeji okwu asusu Igbo. N'ihi nke a, a ga-akowa uda mkipafanye di ka uda o bula e tinyere na mkipuru okwu iji mee ya ka o kwe mkipoputa osiiso. Oge ufodu, a na-akpafanye uda ume, na uda olu. Lee ihe atu ndi a:

27. a. Chukwu + ka → Chukwúùkà.
- b. ije + di → ijéédí
- ch. Chike + nwere → Chikéènwèrè

Mkipafanye uda n'ebe a na-abu n'ebe e nwere ndimiche n'uda olu, nke nkeji okwu ikpeazu na uda olu nkeji izizi n'okwu na-esote ya. O buru na e nweghi ndimiche n'uda olu na nkeji okwu ndi a, a gaghi enwe mkipafanye uda olu.

## Nnwale onwe 1

Deputa okwu mbite ise, ndi nwere mgbochi ume oyq, ma hazie uzo ato, ndi Igbo nwere ike iji hazie mgbazite ha.

## 4.0 Mmechi

Mkipafanye uda bu usoro mkipuru uda, ebe a na-ewere uda tinye n'okwu iji mee ka o kwe mkipoputa osiiso.

## 5.0 Nchikota

Mkipafanye uda na-aputakari ihe n'okwu mbite, ebe a na-etinye uda ume n'etiti mgbochi ume abuq iji mee ka o daba n'odidi usoro nkeji okwu asusu Igbo. O bughi naani uda ume ka e ji eziputa mkipafanye uda. Oge ufodu, a na-akpafanye uda ume na uda olu. Mgbe o bula a kpafanyere uda

olu, a mara na ụda olu, nke mkpuru ụda nkeji okwu, nke jedebere okwu nke mbu na ụda olu nkeji mkpuru ụda asusu, nke bidoro okwu nke abụo abụghị otu.

### **Ihe omume**

- a. Gịnị bụ mkpafanye ụda ?
- b. Nye ọmụma atụ mkpafanye ụda ume ato.
- ch. Gịnị dị iche na mgbakwunye ụda na mkpafanye ụda ?

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## **YUNIT 4: Ntụnworita ụda**

### Ndịna

- 1.0 Mkpólite
- 2.0 Mbunuche
- 3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem
  - 3.1 Ntụnworita ụda
- 4.0 Mmechi
- 5.0 Nchikọta
- 6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngụmi

## **1.0 Mkpólite**

Ntunworita ụda dí ka mwogharị ụda. Ụda abụo dí n'otu m kpuru okwu na-agbanwera ọnọdụ ha na m kpuru okwu ahụ. M kpuru ụda 1 ga-ewere ọnọdụ m kpuru ụda 2, ebe m kpuru ụda 2 ga-ewere ọnọdụ m kpuru ụda 1. Mana ọ dí mkpa ịrụtụ aka na a naghi anabata okwu ntunwo n'izugbe asusụ.

## **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa ihe ntunworita ụda bụ.
- kpoputa ụdidi ntunworita ụda dí iche iche.
- deputa ụfodụ mgbakwunye na-arụ oru na ntunworita ụda.

## **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Ntunworita ụda**

Nke a bụ usoro ọmụmụ, nke ngalaba abụo dí n'akukụ na-agbanwera ọnọdụ ha n'okwu.

Lee ọmụma atụ ntunworita ụda n'asusụ Bekee:

- 28.a. ask → aks  
b. flask → flaks  
ch. disc → diks  
d. mask → maks  
e. certificate → cerfiticate

### **Asusụ Igbo**

29. a. osikapa → osipaka  
b. ezi icheke → ezi ikeche  
ch. asa mpete → asa ntepe

## **Nnwale onwe1**

Dee ọmụma atụ ntunworita ụda abụo i cheputara n'asusụ Igbo, ndị na-esoghi na ndị dí n'elu.

## **4.0 Mmechi**

A bia n'akpomakpo oge ụfodu, ndị mmadụ na-akpohie mkpuru ụda asusụ abụo nödewere onwe ha nso. Ihe a na-akpooqnodu dí etu a bụ ntunworita ụda. O bụ nke a ka i mürü maka ya na yunit a.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

Ntunworita ụda so n'usoro ọdidi ụda asusụ na-aputa ihe n'asusụ mba ụwa. Na yubit a, e nyere ọmụma atu ya na Bekee nakwa n'Igbo.

### **Ihe omume**

- a. Gini bụ ntunworita ?
- b. Kroputa ụdidi ntunworita ụda dí iche iche i ma

## **6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi**

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## **YUNIT 5: MKPQSO**

### **Ndịna**

- 1.0 Mkpólite
- 2.0 Mbunuche
- 3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem
  - 3.1 Mkposo dí iche iche
- 4.0 Mmechi
- 5.0 Nchikota

## 6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

### 1.0 Mkpólite

Mkposo ụda bụ mkpóputa ụda ndabe, mgbe a na-akpóputa ụda mbosu. Mgbe a na-akpóputa m kpuru ụda kwuru onwe ya (ụda mbosu), e nwere ike ikposo ya ụda ozø, nke dabere na nke mbosu; ụda ndabe a akwurughị onwe ya.

Uru ọ bara bụ imeputa mkpi iche, nke e ji amubata okwu n'asusu. Ima atu, ụda mbosu kwuru onwe ya. A kpoputa naanị ụda mkposo, ọ ghara ịdabe n'ụda ozø, ọ na-akwukwaara onwe ya dí ka nke mbosu, d.k. Mkpuru ụda /k/ kwuru onwe; m kpuru ụda /w/ kwukwaara onwe ya. Mana mgbe a kp̄osoro /k/ ụda /w/, ihe a ga-enweta bụ /kʷ/. Site n'ikposo m kpuru ụda /k/ ụda /ʷ/, e nweta m kpuru ụda ozø kwuru onwe ya.

E nwere otutu mkposo n'Igbo. E nwere mkposo n'egbugbere /kʷa, gʷe/, mkposo n'akpo /b̄a, p̄a/-, mkposo n'akpiri /f̄a/ 'f[ɔ]' na mkposo n'imi, d.k. /fe/ 'kp̄o ọku'

### 2.0 Mbunuche

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa ihe mkposo bụ
- nye ọmụma atu mkposo e nwegasiri

### 3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

#### 3.1 Mkposo di iche iche

E nwere ụdi mkposo di iche iche. Ha bụ:

#### Mkponegbugbere

Nke a bụ mkposo egbugbere ọnụ okirikiri na mkpóputa m kp̄o ụda mbosu. Akara m kponegbugbere bụ /ʷ/, d.k.

30. a. /agʷa/ - ụdi akidị
- b. /akʷa/ - ogodo
- ch. /ahʷɔ/ - afɔ
- d. /alʷa/ - nnqo

## Mkpənəkpo

Nke a bù m kpəli ihu ire elu mgbe a na-akpəpəta ụda mbosu. Akara m kpənəkpo bù /j/, d.k.

31. a. /p<sup>j</sup>a/ - ‘tie’
- b. /b<sup>j</sup>a/ - ‘kpukete nso’
- c. /f<sup>j</sup>a/ - ‘ra/f[ɔ]
- d. /ʃ<sup>j</sup>a/ - ‘dø’
- e. /tʃ<sup>j</sup>/ - ‘kpø mkpu’

## Mkpənume

Nke a bù oke nlebara anya azu ire na m kpəz. Akara maka m kpənəkpo ime bù /l/. M kpənəkpo ime na-apütakarị ihe n’asusụ Bekee, d.k.

32. [imiłk] - ‘milk’
- [ikiłt] - ‘kilt’
- [gilt] – ‘guilt’

## Mkpənume

Nke a na-apütä ihe mgbe a choro ikpopüta ụda ọnụ; ọdu akpo, nke mechiri emechi, na-emeghe n’ike; ikuku na-esi n’ònụ na n’imi adapütä ozigbo; nke a mere na ụda ọnụ ahụ gbanwere. M kpənume na-apütä ihe n’olu Isuikwuatö na Umụuchu.

33. Olu Isuikwuatö	Mputara na Bekee
/tu/	‘ma’ (d.k. iche)
/tʰu/	‘zi ka e gote ihe’
/te/	‘ma’ (d.k. ude)
/tʰe/	‘ru (d.k. ụkwụ)’
/ta/	(zuzu, d.k. anụ)
/tʰa/	‘kwa ngara-mara’ (d.k. ụta)

34. Olu Umụuchu	Mputara na Bekee
/pá/	bu (d.k. ibu)
/pʰá/	pị (d.k. aka)
/tá/	zuzu (d.k. anụ)
/tʰá/	‘kwa ngara-mara’ (d.k. ụta)
/tó/	nyefe oke (d.k. ụtụ)
/tʰó/	‘gba’ (d.k. ụtụ)
/kó/	me (d.k. n’uzo)
/kʰó/	zonye (d.k. akụkụ)

/ké/	kü (d.k. okpo n'isi)
/k <sup>h</sup> é/	'piachi' (d.k. nkü)

## Mkpōnimi

Nke a bụ iwegulata ọdụ akpo, mgbe a kpoputa ụda izizi; ikuku m kpōpūta na-asobafe n'uji ọnụ na n'uji imi, d.k.

35. Osuwere	Mpütara na Bekee
/sá/	'dorō adorō'
/šá/	'chacha' (d.k. afere)
/sò/	'ghara ịnabata' (d.k. nnu)
/šò/	'y['
/ʃí/	te (d.k. ofe)
/ʃí/	'chi' (d.k. ichi)
/hú/	'be' (d.k. mma)
/hú/	'ru' (d.k. n'okụ)
/rá/	'micha' (d.k. aka)
/řá/	'kwa iko'

(si n'Obi, 1997)

36. Umụuchu	Mpütara na Bekee
/vù/	'bu' (d.k. akpụ)
/ñù/	'mu' (d.k. uriom)
/su/	'sa' (d.k. akwa)
/šò/	'kpocha' (d.k. ahịhịa)
/zu/	'tu mgbere' (d.k. ahịa)
/žù/	'gbazi' (d.k. nwa)
/ʃié/	'si' (d.k. ofe)
/ʃié/	'ko' (d.k. ukoro)
/ʒié/	'zi' (d.k. ozi)
/ʒié/	'kwacha' (d.k. imi)
/há/	'fa'
/há/	'zo' (d.k. mmiri)
/ré/	'tu' (d.k. mgbere)
/řé/	'gba' (d.k. okụ)

(si n'Okorji, 1999)

## Nnwale onwe 1

Were mkpuru okwu abụo abụo ziputa mkposo ndị a:

- Mkponegbugbere
- Mkpōnakpo

- ch. Mkpōnume
- d. Mkpōnimi

## 4.0 Mmechi

Mkposo, n' ọdịdị ụda asusụ, bụ ịkpọ ụda ndabe mgba a na-akpoputa ụda nnoqoro onwe.

## 5.0 Nchikota

E nwere mkposo dị iche iche n'asusụ Igbo mana ndị kara see elu bụ m kpōnegbugbere, m kpōnakpo, m kpōnume na m kpōnimi.

## Ihe omume

- a. Kedụ ihe i ghotara bụ mkposo?
- b. Kowaa ọmụma atụ mkposo ato?

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## **YUNIT 6: IWU ỤDỊDİ ỤDA**

### Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

3.1 Ihe kpatara anyị ji amụ iwu ụdịdi ụda

3.2 Ọrụ nke iwu ụdịdi ụda n'utø asusụ

3.3 Ụdị usoro iwu ụdịdi ụda

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikqota

6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpólite**

Iwu ụdịdi ụda bụ ụzọ a na-esi akowaputa usoro ihe ọmụmụ ma ọ bụ ọdịdi mkpuru asusụ ma ọ bụ mgbanwe ụda olu na mgbanwe dí n'asusụ. Ha na-akowa mgbanwe, nke were ọnọdu n'agba ala okwu tupu a kpoputa agba elu ya.

### **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- c. kowaa ihe kpatara anyị ji amụ iwu ụdịdi ụda
- d. deputa ebe ụdịdi ụda na iwu utø asusụ jekotara
- e. kowaa ụdị usoro iwu ụdịdi ụda e nwere

### **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

#### **3.1 Ihe kpatara anyị ji amụ iwu ụdịdi ụda**

Iwu ụdịdi ụda dí n'ihi na asusụ nwere ụkpuru izugbe, nke na-egbochi usoro mkpoputa ụda idị iche otu site n'ibe ya. Iwu ndị a na-akowaputa mgbanwe, ndị na-emetuta ọdịdi mkpuru ụda ka e wee nweta ụdịdi ụda, nke a na-akpoputa. N'ihi nke a, ihe e ji iwu ụda asusụ bụ ikowa mgbanwe ndị a dí n'etiti agba ala na agba mkpoputa ụda na ịmata mkpatuta o nwere n'okwu e meputara. Ịma atụ, na Bekee, e nwere ihe mgbochi na:

A. Usoro mgbochi nwere ike ọ gaghi adị iche na njirimara olu ha na njedebe okwu.

37. ịkasb] ihe mgbochi abụọ ikpeazụ bụ [-nnwemolu][+nnwemolu]

ịkabs] ihe mgbochi abụọ ikpeazụ bụ [+nnwemolu] [-nnwemolu]

N’ihi na m kpuru ụda mgbochi abụọ kpe azu anaghị adighị iche n’ikwu okwu, e nwere ike ịnabata ‘kasb’ na ‘kabs’ dì m kpuru okwu na Bekee. Etu a ka ọ dì n’ufodụ okwu n’Igbo, ịma atụ:

38. a. akana - ‘nkoli’

b. agana - ‘nkoli’

ch. ọna - ụdji

d. ụna - ụdji

Na 38, a nabatara okwu ndị a naabọ n’agbanyeghi na ha dì iche; nke a bụ n’ihi na ebe m kpoputa /k g/, na /ɔ/ na /ʊ/ bụ n’otu ebe. Iwu ndịkọ ụda na-ekwu na ụda abụọ na-anokọ ekwesighi ịdị iche n’ebe na n’otu m kpuputa. Na 38, e si n’otu ebe akpoputa mgbochi ume dì iche; na 38ch na 38d, ụda ume dì iche bụsi ụda ume elu azu ire.

Na Mbah na Mbah (2010), e nwere iwu m kpoputa ụda, nke kowara nke a:

39. a. ñb → mb - (d.k. [m̩ma])

b. ñt → nt - (d.k. ịnta])

ch. ñg → ng - (d.k. [ŋga])

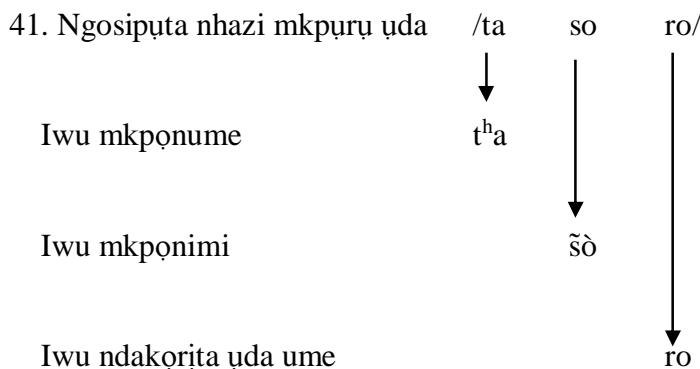
N’agbanyeghi na otu m kpuru ụda imi ka e nwere na 39, ọ na-agbanwe site n’etu ebe m kpoputa ụda, nke na-eso si dì. /b/ bụ ụda ebugbere; /t/ bụ ụda ihu akpo ebe /g/ bụ ụda azu akpo. N’ihe ọnodụ ndị a, ‘ñ’ gbanwere site n’etu ebe m kpoputa ha si dì, ya bụ, [m̩], [ŋ], na [ŋ]. Mana o doro anya na ha ato bụ ụmụ otu m kpuru ụda /ŋ/. E nwere iwu ụdidi ụda, nke gosiputara nke a, d.k.

40. [+Mgbochi ume + ụda imi → [+ihu ire+ag[ga ire+azu akpo] /-[+ihu+mgbochi ume - ụda ume]

Iwu 40 na-akowa na mkpuru ụda bụ mgbochi ume na ụda imi (ma ọ bụ myiri ụda ume) na-agbanwe bürü ụda, nke a na-akpoputa n'ihu ire, ag[ga ire ma ọ bürü na mkpuru ụda na-esote ya bụ ụda ihu ire, mgbochi ume n'abughị ụda ume.

### A. Ọru iwu mmubawanye ụdidi ụda n'utø asusu

1. Iwu gbasara mmubawanye ụdidi ụda na-akowa ụzo doro anya mmetuta na ọru iwu a na-agbasso iji wube utø asusu.



N'ebi a, ngwaa nhaa nwere mkponume. Mkpónimi na ndakorita ụda ume: [t<sup>h</sup> aṣòro] ‘[ta ụta soro ebe dì añaal]

2. Ọ na-enyere aka ịmata ụda, ndị nwere otu agwara, d.k

42. /p b/ /t d/

N'ebi a, /p b/ bụ ụda egbugbere ọnụ ebe /t d/ bụ ụda ihu akpo. N'aka nke ọzø, ha niile bụ ụda ọnụ na ụda ike. Ọzø kwa, /p/ na /t/ ụda enwemolu ebe /b/ na /d/ bụ ụda nnwemolu.

3. Ọ na-enye aka egosi etu mkpuru ụda si agbanwe, mgbe ọ na-eso mkpuru ụda dì a]aa, d.k.

43. Mgbochi ume [+ụda ume] → [+mkponimi] / - [+ụda imi, mgbochi ume] mgbochi ume

43 na-akowa na mkpuru ụda ume na-agbanwe bürü mkponmi mgbe ụda imi na-eso ya (maka ngumi, hụ Hyman, 1975 na Mbah & Mbah, 2010, 2014)

### Nnwale onwe 1

1. Kowaa ihe kpatara na okwu ndị a bụ okwu a nabatara n'Igbo:

- a. ifite
  - b. ibite
  - ch. ibute
2. Deputa ụdịdị iwu mmụbawanye ụda ato e nwere n'Igbo.

## **4.0 Mmechi**

Iwu gbasara ụdịdị na mmụbawanye ụda na-akowakari etu ọdịdị ụda si agbanwe, mgbe o dì n'onodu mkpoputa dì ańaa. O na-akowakwa n'uzo doro anya etu iwu ndị a si eso onwe ha na mmeputa okwu. Nke a na-akwado uru ọmụmụ ya bara n'ịmụ asusụ.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

Ihe ndị i mürü na yunit a gunyere iwu ụdịdị ụda e nwere. I mukwara uru ịmụ ụdịdị ụda bara. N'ikpeazu, a kuziri usoro ụdịdị iwu mmụbawanye mkịuru ụda n'Igbo.

### **Ihe omume**

- a. Olee ihe kpatara anyị ji amụ iwu ụdịdị ụda?
- b. Kedu ebe ụdịdị ụda na iwu ụtọ asusụ jekötara?
- ch. Olee uru ato ịmụ iwu ụdịdị ụda bara?

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## **MODUL 3: UDA OLU IGBO**

Na modul a, i ga-amụ gbasara ụda olu. N'asusụ Igbo, o bụ ụda ume na myiri ụda ume na-ebu akara ụda olu. Ụda olu pütara ogo olu, nke e jiri kpoputa ụda ma o bụ ụda nkeji okwu. Ikekeonwụ na ndị ọzo (1999) kwuputara na asusụ o bụla na-enwe mgbanwe n'olu mkpoputa ya. Nke a pütara na o nweghi asusụ a na-eji otu ụdị olu akpoputa. Asusụ o bụla nwere usoro ndanusoro mkpuru ụda okwu, nkebi okwu na ahịri okwu ya.

N'asusụ mba ụwa, a na-enwe ụdị ma o bụ ngalaba asusụ abụo site n'etu e si ejị mgbanwe olu ha emebe echiche pürü iche. O bürü na mgbanwe olu nwere ike iweta nghọta pürü iche n'etiti otu mkpuru okwu na ibe ya n'asusụ, a na-asị na o bụ asusụ ụda olu. N'aka nke ọzo, o bürü na mgbanwe olu na-eweta nghọta pürü iche n'etiti ahịri okwu na ibe ya ma o bụ n'etiti nkebi okwu na ibe ya, a na-asị na asusụ dị etu a bụ asusụ ndebe olu. N'asusụ ndebe olu, a naghi ejikebe mgbanwe ụda olu emebe nghọta pürü iche n'etiti otu mkpuru okwu na ibe ya.

Otutu asusụ mba Afrika na ụfodụ asusụ mba Eshia, dị ka Ikekeonwụ na ndị ọzo (1999) dere, bụ asusụ ụda olu. Igbo bụ asusụ ụda olu. E ji akara ụda olu egosi ụdịri ụda olu e ji akpoputa nkeji okwu dị na mkpuru okwu dị iche iche. Yunit anọ dīna modul a. Ha bụ ndị a na-esote:

Yunit 1: Nkowa na ụdidi ụda olu

Yunit 2: Qru ụda olu na-arụ n'asusụ Igbo

Yunit 3: Ikanye akara ụda olu na mkpuru edide

Yunit 4: Usoro nkanye akara ụda olu

## **YUNIT 1: Nkowa ụdịdị ụda olu**

### **Ndịna**

- 1.0 Mkpolite
- 2.0 Mbunuche
- 3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem
  - 3.1 Ụda olu na ụdịdị ya
- 4.0 Mmechi
- 5.0 Nchikọta
- 6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpolite**

Ụda olu bụ olu ịrigo, ikpoda ma ọ bụ ịdada, mgbe a na-akpoputa mkpuru ụda. Etu e siri kpoputa mkpuru ụda okwu na-enye ya ụdị echiche o nwere. Akara a na-akanye iji gosi ogo olu ụda ka a na-akpo akara ụda olu. Akara ụda olu nō ọnodu ka mkpuru ụda ntukwasị. Etu mkpuru edide asusụ si enye echiche dị iche n'okwu ka ụda olu si enyekwa (hụ mkpi iche nsina ụda olu). Na modul a, e lebara anya na mpütara ụda olu na ụdịdị ya, njirimara akara ụda olu, ụda chi na ụda nke ụto asusụ, ọru akara ụda olu na-arụ na usoro nkanye akara ụda olu.

### **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwutchha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- c. kowaa ihe ụda olu bụ
- d. deputa ụdịdị ụda olu e nwere n'Igbo
- e. mata mkpuru ụda asusụ ndị na-ebu akara ụda olu n'Igbo

### **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

#### **3.1 Ụda olu na ụdịdị ya**

E nwere ụdịdị akara ụda olu ato n'Igbo. Lee ha:

akara ụda olu elu (')

akara ụda olu ala (")

akara ụda olu nsüda (¬)

Lee ihe atụ ha na mkpuru okwu:

44. a. ákwá – ‘ube’

ákwà – ‘uwe, ngwa myichi ahụ’

àkwà – ‘ngwa edine, ogodo’

àkwá – ‘eju ime uriom’

b. óké – ‘azụ anyị’

ókè – ‘ngige’

òkè – ‘orubere’

òké – ‘okerekwu’

d. ézē - ‘ngwa ịtari ihe’

ézè – ‘onye ndu’

e. mímā - ‘ihe ọma’

mímà – ‘ngwa obugbu ihe’

f. ígwē - ‘eze na-achị obodo’

ígwè – ‘e ji emepụta ihe dị ka ite ọla’

ìgwè – ‘otụtu ihe’

Na mkpuru okwu ndị dị na ‘a-f’, ihe dị iche abughi m kpuru edide nsüpe. O bụ ụda olu. Mkpuru okwu ndị a niile nwere otu m kpuru edide nsüpe. Ihe e jiri nwee nghọta pürü iche na m kpuru okwu ndị ahụ bụ ndaghari ụda olu. Mgbe e ji ụda olu arụ ụdị ọru dị etu a, a na-asị na ọru ya bụ nke ụtọ asusụ.

### Njirimara akara ụda olu

a. Ụda olu elu na ụda olu ala nwere ike ịmalite okwu mana ụda nsüda enweghi ike ịmalite okwu Igbo kwụrụ onwe ya.

b. Üda olu elu na ụda olu ala nwere ike isote ụda ala mana ụda olu nsüda anaghị esote ụda olu ala.

ch. Üda olu nsüda na-esote naanị ụda olu elu, o naghị esote ụda ala.

## **Nnwale onwe 1**

a. Üda olu ole ka e nwere n'Igbo?

b. Kedụ ụda olu ndị nwere ike ịmalite okwu n'Igbo?

## **4.0 Mmechi**

Igbo bụ asusụ ụda olu. Üda olu pütara ogo olu, nke e jiri kpoputa ụda okwu. Ya bụ, ogo olu mmadụ na-arịgo ma ọ bụ arida n'ụda na-aputa mgbe a na-akpoputa okwu. Üda olu na-eweta mgbanwe na mkpuru okwu.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

Üda olu na-eweta nghọta dị iche iche n'etiti mkpuru okwu ndị nwere otu mkpuru edide nsupe. Akara e ji egosi ogo olu ka a na-akpọ akara ụda olu. Ha dị atọ n'Igbo – akara ụda olu elu, akara ụda olu ala na akara ụda olu nsüda.

## **Ihe omume**

a. Kedụ ihe ụda olu bụ?

b. Olee mkpuru ụda asusụ ndị na-ebu akara ụda olu n'Igbo?

## **6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngụmi**

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## **YUNIT 2: Ọrụ ụda olu na-arụ n’asusu Igbo**

### **Ndịna**

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

    3.1 Ọrụ ụda olu na-arụ n’asusu Igbo

        3.1.1 Uru ụda olu bara

        3.1.2 Ụda nsina chi m kpuru okwu na ụda usoro m kpuru okwu

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpólite**

Ọ bụ ihe doro anya na ụda olu na-arụ ọrụ pürü iche n’Igbo. Nke a kachasi n’inye nghọta m kpuru okwu ndị m kpuru edide nsupe ha bụ otu. Na yunit a, e lebara anya n’orụ dí iche iche ụda olu na-arụ tinyekwara ụda nsina chi m kpuru okwu na ụda nsina ụtọ asusu.

### **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwutchu yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- f. kwuputa ọrụ dí iche iche
- g. kowaa ihe ụda nsina chi m kpuru okwu bụ

- h. kowaa ihe ụda nsina ụto asusu mkpuru okwu bụ
  - i. inye ndimiche di n'etiti ụda nsina chi mkpuru okwu na ụda nsina ụto asusu

### **3.0 Ndina kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Ọrụ ụda olu na-arụ n'asusu Igbo**

### **3.1.1 Uru үда олу бара**

Uru ụfodụ ụda olu bara n'asusu Igbo dị ka Ikedimma (2013) deputara gụnyere:

- a. Uda olu na-eme ka nghota dì n'ihe a na-ekwu. Omuma atu:  
45. ‘Ndi a bu ndi otu otu’.

E tinye akara uda olu n'ahirị okwu a, ọ ga-eme ka a mara kpom kwem ihe okwuu bụ n'uche.

Lezie ya:

46. ‘Ndị́ à bụ́ ndị́ ótū òtù’.

b. Uda olu na-egosi ndimiche dị n’etiti mkpuru okwu ndị nwere otu edide ma nwee nghọta na

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- ch. A na-eji ụda olu egosiputa nghota mkpuru okwu noqo onwe ya nwere, ya na nghota mkpuru okwu abu nwere mgbe odi n'usoro okwu, d.k.

- 48 Uda nsina chi Uda nsina uto asusu

- |     |       |   |            |
|-----|-------|---|------------|
| a.  | ányá  | } | ányá élē   |
| b.  | élē   |   |            |
| ch. | úkwú  | } | úkwū òròmá |
| d.  | òròmá |   |            |

d. A na-eji ụda olu egosiputa ndịmiche dí n'etiti ahịri okwu nkpusara na ahịri okwu ajuju, d.k.

- |                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 49. Ó rutere ébé à. | ahịri okwu nkpusara |
| Ò rùtèrè ébé à?     | ahịri okwu ajuju    |
| Ó sìrì nrí.         | ahịri okwu nkpusara |
| Ò sìrì nrí?         | ahịri okwu ajuju    |
| Há gàrà íhé.        | ahịri okwu nkpusara |
| Hà gàrà íhé?        | ahịri okwu ajuju    |

e. Nkanye akara ụda olu na-emekwa ka ihe mgbagwoju anya dí n'ihe a na-ekwu n'aka ndị nwe asusụ na ndị na-amụ ya amụ puo. Mgbe oğụ kwudoro mkpuru okwu odee tinyere n'ederede, nke nwere ike site n'olu ndị odee ahụ, oğụ na-aghọta ya ma ọ buru na a kanye akara ya ụda olu.

### **3.1.2 Ụda nsina chi mkpuru okwu na ụda nsina ụtọ asusụ**

#### **Ụda nsina chi mkpuru okwu**

Nke a bụ ụda mkpuru okwu na-ada mgbe ọ kwụrụ onwe ya, ya bụ, mgbe mkpuru okwu dí otu otu; ọ bughị mgbe ọ dí n'ime ahịri okwu, ịma atụ:

- 50 a. dí
- b. òké
- ch. ányá
- d. ógó

#### **Ụda nsina ụtọ ụtọ asusụ**

Nke a bụ ụda, nke mkpuru okwu na-enwe mgbe ọ dí n'usoro okwu. Ya bụ, mgbe ya na mkpuru okwu ọzo nōsobere ọnụ n'ime ahịri okwu. Ọ buru na okwu nwere ụda nsina chi abata n'ime ahịri okwu, mgbe ụfodụ, ọ na-agbanwe, d.k.

- 51. a. Ézé òké nà-àdị kiri kiri.
- b. Ọ mara mímá na-eze okwu.
- ch. Égó igwe adizighị ugbu a.
- d. Achorọ m ụkwuewū

## **Nnwale onwe 1**

- a. Gini bụ ụda nsina chi mkpuru okwu?
- b. Gini bụ ụda nsina ụtọ asusụ?
- ch. Deputa uru ato ụda olu bara.

## **4.0 Mmechi**

E lebara anya n'ufodụ uru ụda olu bara n'asusụ Igbo; a chọputara na ụda olu bụ isi a hụrụ kwaba okpu na mkpoputa mkpuru okwu. Ozọ kwa, a hụkwara na oge ụfodụ, ọ bughị ụda olu m kpuru okwu nwere mgbe ọ noqoro onwe ya ka ọ na-enwe mgbe ya na m kpuru okwu ndị ozọ noqoro ọnụ. Nnokọ m kpuru okwu nwere ike ibute mgbanwe n' ụda olu m kpuru okwu. Mgbe ọ na-enye okwu kwụrụ onwe ya echiche, ọ na-arụ ọru kemkpuru okwu mana mgbe ọ gbanwere ụda okwu dí n'ime ahiri okwu, ọ na-arụ ọru keutọ asusụ.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

Na nchikota, ụfodụ uru ụda olu bara n'asusụ Igbo bụ ndị a. Ụda olu na-eme ka nghota dí n'ihe a na-ekwu. Ụda olu na-egosi ndimiche dí n'etiti m kpuru okwu, ndị nwere otu m kpuru edide ma nwee nghota na mkpoputa dí iche. A na-eji ụda olu egosiputa nghota m kpuru okwu, nke noqoro onwe ya nwere, ya na nghota m kpuru okwu ahụ nwere mgbe ọ nō n'usoro okwu. A na-eji ụda olu egosiputa ndimiche dí n'etiti ahiri okwu nkpusara na ahiri okwu ajuju. Uda olu na-emekwa ka ihe mgbagwoju anya dí n'ihe a na-ekwu n'aka ndị nwe asusụ na ndị na-amụ ya amụ fosaa site n'ikanye akara ụda n'okwu ahụ.

## **Ihe omume**

- a. N'uche gi, o nwere ndimiche dí n'etiti ụda nsina chi m kpuru okwu na ụda nsina ụtọ asusụ?
- b. Were ọmụma atụ abuọ abuọ, nke gi, gosiputa ndimiche dí n'etiti ahiri okwu nkpusara na ahiri okwu ajuju.

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### **YUNIT 3: Ikanye akara ụda olu na mkpuru okwu**

Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

3.1 IKanye akara ụda oluna mkpuru okwu

3.1.1 Ihe ndị a ga-ebu n'uche gbasara akara ụda olu

3.1.2 Akara ụda olu na nkeji okwu

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpólite**

O nwegasịri ihe ndị kwesiri na a ga-amata mgbe ọ bụla a na-achọ ikanye akara ụda olu. Na yunit a, e lebara anya n'uzo ihe abụo. Ha bụ:

a. Ihe ndị a ga-ebu n'uche gbasara akara ụda olu

b. Akara ụda olu na nkeji okwu

### **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- m̄uta uzo e si akanye akara ụda olu
- mata ihe ndị ekwesighi ime mgbe a na-akanye akara ụda olu
- kanye akara ụda olu na mkpuru okwu d̄i iche iche

### **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

#### **3.1 Ikanye akara ụda olu na mkpuru okwu**

##### **3.1.1 Ihe ndị a ga-ebu n'uche gbasara akara ụda olu**

- i. A na-akanye akara ụda olu n'elu ụda-ume a, 'e', 'i', 'í', 'o', 'ó', 'u', 'ú' na myiri ụda ume 'm' na 'n'.
- ii. A naghị ejị ụda ns̄uda ebido ikanye akara ụda olu na mkpuru okwu nōqoro onwe ya
- iii. Ụda olu ns̄uda (N) anaghị eso ụda olu ala (A) n'okwu nōqoro onwe ya.
- iv. A ga-eji uche kerie mkpuru okwu na nkeji okwu ya ma kanye nkeji o bụla otu akara ụda olu.
- v. A ga-amata na oge ụfodụ, okwu mbite na-agbagha usoro nkeji okwu Igbo

##### **3.1.2 Akara ụda olu na nkeji okwu**

Akara ụda olu na mkpuru okwu, ndị nwere nkeji okwu abụo:

Uda olu elu (E) na Ụda olu elu (E)

52. EE

ésú  
íké  
ímí  
úkwú

AA

53. àlà

èlù  
èdò  
ígbò

54. EN

ézē

égō

óhī

árụ

55. EA

ídò

ézì

ákwaà

56. AE

èkú

àkwá

òké

Akara ụda olu na mkpụrụ okwu nwere nkeji okwu ato:

57. EEE

ósísí

émúmé

ékíké

58. AAA

èbùbè

izìzì

òkùkò

## Nnwale onwe 1

Kanye akara ụda olu dabara adaba na mkpụrụ okwu ndị a dị n'okpuru:

a. ọnny - ‘mfpakara’

b. ụdọ - ‘eriri’

ch. nkwokwu - ‘ijide’

- d. ọgụ - ‘ngwa e ji akọ ugbo’
- e. ọdịda – ‘nsikwa nri ọla’

## 4.0 Mmechi

E lebara anya n’ihe ndị kwesiri ka a mata mgbe ọ bụla ọ na-achọ ikanye akara ụda olu. Ihe ndị ahụ bụ:

- a. ihe ndị a ga-ebu n’uche gbasara akara ụda olu
- b. akara ụda olu na nkeji okwu

## 5.0 Nchikota

A bịa na nkanye akara ụda olu na mkpuru okwu nwere nkeji okwu abụo, a ga-enwe akara ndị a:

EE, AA, EN, EA, na AE

Ọ dị mkpa ịmata na a naghi enwe \*AN. E nweghi ka e si asụdakwa bụ ụda ala. Akara ụda olu putara ihe na mkpuru okwu nwere nkeji okwu ato bụ ndị a:

EEE, EEA, EAA, EAE, EEN, ENE, ENN, ENA, EAA, AEE, AEN, AEA, AAA (hụ Mbah na Mbah, 2010 maka ngumi)

## Ihe omume

Olee akara ụda olu ole ka mkpuru okwu ndị a ga-enwe?

- a. mmechi
- b. nchikota
- c. ikwighikwighi
- d. nnwale
- e. okokobioko

## 6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

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## **YUNIT 4: Usoro nkanye akara ụda olu**

Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

3.1 Ndị dí iche iche weputara usoro nkanye akara ụda olu

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikọta

6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngụmi

### **1.0 Mkpólite**

Ndị ọka mmüta dí iche iche kwenyere na e nwere ụdị akara ụda olu ato n’asusu Igbo. Ka o sila dí, ụbụbọ a na-akpa ugbu a bụ etu a ga-esi belata onu ogu ha n’ederede. A hütara ikanye akara ụda olu niile dí ka nnukwu ɔru, nke na-emekwa ka ịgụ ihe e dere ede hịa nnukwu ahụ. Mbah (1999, 2018) chikotara usoro nkanye akara ụda olu ato e nwere n’uta asusu Igbo.

### **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwutchu yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- mata ndị dí iche iche weputara akara nkanye ụda olu n’Igbo.
- kowasi iwu nkanye akara ụda olu e nwegasiri.

### **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

#### **3.1 Ndị dí iche iche weputara usoro nkanye akara ụda olu**

Iji mee ka nkanye akara ụda olu dí mfe, ma mee ka ọgugu akwukwo agumagu Igbo dí mfe, ndị ọka mmụta n’ihe gbasara akara ụda olu weputara usoro nkanye ndị a:

### **A. Usoro Williamson na Emenanjo**

Ndị a weputara usoro nkanye akara ụda olu ndị a:

i. A gaghi akanye akara na mkpuru okwu, nwere naani akara ụda olu elu, ịma atu

59. ányá → anya

étútó → etuto

ii. Kanye akara ụda olu n’ụdaala niile, ọmụma atu:

60. àlà → àlà

èdèrè → èdèrè

iii. A na-akanye akara n’ụdansuda niile. Lee ọmụma atu:

61. érō → erō

íjíjí → ijíjí

### **CH. Usoro R.C. Abraham**

Lee usoro ịkanye akara ụda olu nke Abraham weputara:

i. Nkeji okwu niile ndị nwere akara ụda elu ga-adị na nnukwu mkpuru edemedede. Ịma atu:

62. ányá → ANYA

étútó → ETUTO

iii. Nkeji okwu niile ndị nwere akara ụda nsuda ga-adị n’obere nnukwu mkpuru edemedede ebe ndị nke ụda olu elu butere ya ụzọ ga-adị na nnukwu mkpuru edemedede, ọmụma atu:

63. érō → ERO

íjíjí → IJJI

iii. Nkeji okwu, ndị nwere akara ụda olu ala ga-adị n’obere mkpuru edemedede, ịma atu:

64. àkwà → ḥona

èdò →edo

#### D. Usoro Welmers, Green na Igwe, na Nwachukwu

Iwu nkanye akara ụda olu nke Welmers na Nwachukwu bụ:

i. Na mkpuru okwu, nwere ótú ụdidi ụda olu, a ga-akanye naanị akara nke mbụ, ịma atụ:

65. ékwumékwú → ékwumekwu

àkàrà → àkara

ii. N'ebe e nwere ngwakorita ụda olu, a ga-akanye naanị nke malitere otu ụdidi ụda ọ bụla, ịma atụ:

66. ányá kà mítkpà èlé → ánya kà mítkpà élé

Ìgbò àmáká. → Ìgbo amáka.

iii. Were akara ụda olu elu (') gosi ụda olu elu na ụda olu nsüda. Mana ọ bürü na akara (') abụo na-eso onwe ha, nke mbụ bụ ụda olu elu, ebe nke abụo bụ ụda olu nsüda.

67. íjíjí → íjíjí

érō → éró

mímírí → mmirí

#### Nnwale onwe 1

a. Lee usoro nkanye akara ụda olu ndị a ma deputa onye ma ọ bụ ndị weputara ha:

i. áká → AKA \_\_\_\_\_

ii. Ìgbò → Igbo \_\_\_\_\_

iii. ósísí → ósisí \_\_\_\_\_

iv. òménàlà → òménàla \_\_\_\_\_

#### 4.0 Mmechi

A hütara ịkanye akara ụda olu niile dí ka nnukwu oru, nke na-emekwa ka ịgụ ihe e dere ede hịa ahụ. Etu a ga-esi belata nhijamahụ a na-enwe na nkanye akara ụda olu n'ozuzu oke bụ ihe kpaliri ndí ọka mmụta iwepụta ụdidi usoro a ga-agbaso, mgbe a chọro ịkanye akara ụda olu n'Igbo.

## 5.0 Nchikọta

E weputara iwu nkanye akara ụda olu Igbo iji belata ọnụ ọgu akara ụda olu na-apụta ihe n'ogugu na odide Igbo. Ndí ọka mmụta n'ihe gbasara akara ụda olu weputara usoro nkanye akara ụda olu bụ, R.C. Abraham, Emenanjo na Williamson, na Green na Igwe, Welmers na Nwachukwu (hụ Mbah, 1999, 2018).

## Ihe omume

- a. Kowaa usoro nkanye akara ụda, nke olu Green na Igwe weputara?
- b. Olee ihe jikötara usoro nkanye akara ụda olu ndí a niile ọnụ?

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## **MODUL 4: NKEJI OKWU NA NDAKORITA ỤDA UME**

Nkeji okwu bụ ikeri mkpuru okwu dị ka mkpoputa ụda na etu ekumume ha siri dị. O na-egosi nkebi ole mkpuru okwu ọ bụla nwere iji mata ụda olu ole o nwere ike inwe. Ihe na-egosiputa nkeji okwu ole dị n'okwu na-abụ ụda ume ole na myiri ụda ume ole dị n'okwu ahụ. Ndakorita ụda ume, n'aka nke ozọ, bụ nkwekorita ụda ume nke na ụda ume dị na mkpuru okwu ma ọ bụ nkeji okwu ọ bụla ga-esiriri n'otu otu püta.

Yunit atọ dị na modul a. Ha bụ ndị a na-esote:

Yunit 1: Nkeji okwu

Yunit 2: Mgbaso iwu ndakorita ụda ume

Yunit 3: Nnu isi na ndakorita ụda ume

### **YUNIT 1: Nkejiokwu**

#### **Ndịna**

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

3.1 Nkowa na ngosiputa nkeji okwu Igbo

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

#### **1.0 Mkpólite**

Asusụo bụla nwere usoro e ji ejikota mkpuru ụda ya iji mebe mkpuru okwu. E kejie mkpuru okwu asusụ ọ bụla n'usoro a, a ga-achoputa etu e siri meputa ya. Nkeji okwu bụ ikeri mkpuru okwu dị ka mkpoputa ụda na etu ekumume ha siri dị. O na-egosi nkebi ole mkpuru okwu ọ bụla nwere iji

mata ụda olu ole o nwere ike inwe. Ihe na-egosiputa nkeji okwu ole dị n'okwu na-abụ ụda ume ole na myiri ụda ume ole dị n'okwu ahụ. Nkumume ole e jiri kpoputa okwu ahụ na-egosi nkeji okwu ole okwu ahụ ga-enwe.

## 2.0 Mbunuche

Na ngwutchu yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa ihe nkeji okwu bụ.
- nyee ndimiche dị n'etiti nkeji okwu oghe na nkeji okwu ntachi.
- kowaa njirimara nkeji okwu Igbo.

## 3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

### 3.1 Nkowa na ngosiputa nkeji okwu Igbo

Udị nkeji okwu zuru ụwa bụ nke na-enwe otu mgbochi ume na mbido na ụda ume na-eso ya. Nke a ka a na-edeputa dị ka ‘MU’. ‘M’ bụ mgbochi ume ebe ‘U’ bụ ụda ume. E kere nkeji okwu ụzọ abụo. Ha bụ:

a. nkeji okwu oghe

b. nkeji okwu ntachi

**A. Nkeji okwu oghe:** Nke a bụ nkeji okwu, nke ụda ume na-abia na ngwusi ya. Ọ bụ udị nkeji okwu a ka e nwere n'Igbo.

**B. Nkeji okwu ntachi:** Nke a bụ nkeji okwu mgbochi ume na-abia na ngwusi ya. E nweghi nkeji okwu ntachi n'Igbo.

N'asusụ mba ụwa ụfodụ, a na-enwe ma nkeji okwu oghe ma nke ntachi. Ọmụma atụ bụ asusụ Bekee. Tulee mkpuru okwu Bekee ndị a:

68.	boy	/bɔɪ/	M U
	sea	/si/	M U
	allow	/əlaʊ/	U M U

Mkpuru okwu ndị a dị n'elu bucha nkeji okwu oghe n'ihi na ọ bụ ụda ume mechiri ha.

Lee anya na m kpuru okwu ndi a na-esote:

69. sit /sit/ M U M

come /kʌm/ M U M

love /lʌv/ M U M

M kpuru okwu ndi a di n'elu bucha ntachi n'ihi na o bu mgbochi ume mechiri ha.

### Igosiputa nkeji okwu Igbo

M kpuru okwu Igbo nwere ike inwe otu nkeji okwu, nkeji okwu abuq, nkeji okwu ato, nkeji okwu ano, nkeji okwu ise ma o bu karja. Ihe nke a putara bu na e nwere nkeji okwu di iche iche site n'etu m kpuru okwu siri todebe ogologo.

### Otu nkeji okwu

Omuma atu okwu ndi a nwere otu nkeji okwu bu:

i. a, e, i, ɿ, o, ɔ - uya ume ndi a nwere otu nkeji okwu

ii. m, n - myiri uya ume ndi a nwere otu nkeji okwu

iii. isi ngwaa niile, tinyere ndi nwere m kposo nwere otu nkeji okwu, pia, b[a, di ka si, nü, je, di, be, ti, sa, be, wdg.

iv. nwa, ya, ha, mü, ji, nwa, di, wdg.

### Nkeji okwu abuq

Omuma atu okwu ndi nwere nkeji okwu abuq gunyere:

70. a/da

a/gba

e/ro

e/ku

n/ne

### **Nkeji okwu ato**

Omumma atu okwu ndi nwere nkeji okwu ato bu:

71. a/kpu/kpo

o/kpu/kpu

a/kwụ/kwọ

o/si/si

e/chi/che

n/ku/me,wdg.

### **Nkeji okwu anɔ**

Omumma atu okwu ndi nwere nkeji okwu anɔ bu:

72. m/kpu/m/kpu

ụ/da/u/me

o/go/lo/go

o/ma/ri/cha

e/be/ne/be

### **Nkeji okwu ise**

Omumma atu okwu ndi nwere nkeji okwu ise gunyere: n/ke/ji/o/kwu, o/kpu/to/ro/kpu,

73. n/kwe/kɔ/ri/ta

m/gbị/ri/m/gba

m/gbo/chi/u/me

m/ba/da/m/ba

o/ka/a/su/su

### **Nkeji okwu isii**

Omumma atu okwu ndi nwere nkeji okwu isii bu:

74. ke/o/dị/n/kwe/nye

n/kwu/ru/n/kwu/ru  
e/de/me/de/o/kwu

### Nkeji okwu asaa

Omumma atu okwu ndi nwere nkeji okwu asaa gunyere:

75. m/yi/ri/u/da/u/me,  
n/da/kɔ/rɪ/ta/m/kpi,  
m/ma/m/pu/ru/i/che

### Njirimara nkeji okwu Igbo

- a. Naani mgbochi ume enweghi ike igosiputa nkeji okwu. O ga-aburiri ya na ụda-ume.
- b. O bụ eziokwu na myiri ụda ume na-emechi mkpuru okwu ole na ole n'Igbo, a gaghi asị na mkpuru okwu di etu a nwere nkeji okwu ntachi, maka myiri ụda ume na-arụ օru di ka ụda-ume.
- ch. Nkeji okwu na-egosiputa ụda ume ole di na mkpuru okwu.
- d. Nkeji okwu na-egosiputa myiri ụda ume ole di na mkpuru okwu.
- e. E nweghi nkeji okwu na-enwe mgbochi ume օyo. Mgbochi ume օyo bụ ebe mgbochi ume abụo ma օ bụ karịa na-adikota օnu n'otu nkeji okwu. Nke a dikwa n'asusu Bekee. Omumma atu:

76. street /strit/ - M M M U M  
bread /brɛəd/ - M M U M  
spray /sprei/ - M M M U

- f. Nkeji okwu na-enye aka ịmata akara ụda olu ole mkpuru okwu ga-ebu.

### Nnwale onwe 1

- a. Nye omumma atu nkeji okwu ndi a:

i. Nkeji okwu abụo

ii. Nkeji okwu ato

- iii. Nkeji okwu ise
  - iv. Nkeji okwu isii
- b. Deputa njirimara nkeji okwu ato.

## 4.0 Mmechi

Mkpuru okwu Igbo ejedebeghi na mkpuru okwu nwere nkeji okwu asaa. E nwere karja nke a site n'etu mkpuru okwu siri todebe ogologo. Ebe nkeji okwu na-adị n'okwu na-abukarị ebe e nwere ụda ume na myiri ụda-ume. Nkeji okwu ole mkpuru okwu dì na-egosi akara ụda olu mkpuru okwu ahụ ga-ebu, ịma atu:

- i. o/kpu/to/rø/kpu: E nwere ụda ume ise n'okwu a; n'ihi ya, mkpuru okwu a ga-ebu akara ụda olu ise.
- ii. n/ku/me: E nwere otu myiri ụda ume na ụda ume abuo; n'ihi ya, mkpuru okwu a ga-ebu akara ụda olu ato.

## 5.0 Nchikota

Ihe na-egosiputa ole nkeji okwu ga-adị na-abu mgbakota myiri ụda ume na ụda ume ole dì na mkpuru okwu. N'otu ahụ kwa, ole mgbakota myiri ụda ume na ụda ume dì na mkpuru okwu na-egosiputa akara ụda olu ole ga-adị na mkpuru okwu.

## Ihe omume

- a. Kedu ụdị nkeji okwu zuru ụwa ọnụ?
- b. Kowaa ndimiche dì na nkeji okwu oghe na nkeji okwu ntachi.

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## **YUNIT 2: Mgbaso iwu ndakorita ụda ume**

### Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

3.1 Okwu ndị gbasoro iwu ndakorita ụda ume

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikqota

6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpólite**

Ndakorita ụda ume bụ usoro ụdaolu nke a na-ekekqta ụda ume nke asusụ abụo na naanị ndị otu nwere ike ime na okwu na-enweghi ihe gunyere ndị otu ozø. A na-ahụ ndakorita ụda ume n'otụtu asusụ. Ufodụ asusụ na-ejikọ ndakorita ụda ume bụ Igbo, Yoruba, Turkish, w.d.g.

N'asusụ Igbo, ndị ọka mmụta dị iche iche ejirila mkpuruokwu dị iche iche kekqta ụda ume dabere n'usoro okwu ha.

Schacter (1961) -      na nhọ ụda ume e, i, o, u  
                              mbasa ụda ume a, ị, ọ, ụ

Igwe (1963) -      kenkolq e, i, o,u  
                              kenkolo ụda ume a, ị, ọ, ụ

Carell (1970) - tensi ụda ume e, i, o, u  
                        ụda ume mfe a, ị, o, ụ

Okonkwọ (1974) - arọ ụda ume e, i, o, u  
                        mfe ụda ume a, ị, o, ụ

Lindau (1975) - - mwepụ ụda ume e, i, o, u  
                        + mwepụ ụda ume a, ị, o, ụ

Iwu ndakorita ụda ume n'asusu Igbo na-achọ ka mmadu meputa okwu dí mfe n'asusu Igbo, ụda ume niile ga-esiri n'otu otu, d.k

a) ịta      b) ise

akpụ      isi

ịsi      eze

ụkwụ      imi

## E wezuga

1. Mgbasa mgborogwu ngwaa

me + tu → metu

du + ga → duga

te + ta → teta

nye + tu → nyetu

2. Okwu nha, aha, okwu ma ọzọ na ọtụtu myiri ụda ume okwu, dí ka

ụwa + ezu + oke

Emeka

3. Okwu mbite – ashawo, akamu, wdg.

Na yunit a, a ga-enyocha ndakorita ụda ume dí ka o siri püta ihe n'omee, ntimiwu, jerondu, ome ka ngwaa na nsonazu mgbatị.

## **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- j. kpoputa ndakorita ụda ume dí n'omee
- k. dee ndakorita ụda ume dí na ntimiwu
- l. nye ọmụma atu ndakorita ụda ume dí ka o siri püta ihe na jerondú

## **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Okwu ndị gbasoro iwu ndakorita ụda ume**

Lee anya n'okwu ndị a:

- a. anyürü, ọgbakọ, izoka
- b. okwu, ede, ewumewu

Ọ bụrụ na e lee anya n'okwu ndị a dí n'elu, i ga-ahụ na ụda ume dí na ha adagharighị adagharị. Ezeuko na Chira (2005) kwuru na ọ bụ ụda ume si n'otu otu nke nwere ike ịbü otu 'a' ma ọ bụ 'e' mebere okwu ọ bụla. Anyị na-emekwa ka a mata na mgbe ụfodụ e nwere ike ịḥụ okwu e nwere ndagharị ụda ume.

N'ilebanye anya n'okwu ndị gbasoro iwu ndakorita ụda ume anyị na-eme ka a mata ebe a na okwu ndị a na-akaba ahụ egosiputa iwu ndakorita ụda ume :

Omee

Ntimiwu

Jerondú

Omekangwaa

Nsonazu mgbatị

### **A. Omee**

Mgbe a na-emeputa ngwaa omee, a na-agbaso iwu ndakorita ụda ume n'iwere omee o/o. Ọ bụ ụda ume isi ngwaa ọ bụla ga-egosi ụdị ụda ume ga-abụ nganihu ya, ka e were nwee ndakorita ụda ume, d.k.

**Nganihu      Isi ngwaa      Omee**

O/Q	-sụ	osụ akwa
	-ri	ori nri
	-je	oje ije
	-gụ	gụ egwu
	-gba	ogba nta

## B. Ntimiwu

Na ntimiwu, ndakorita ụda ume pütara ihe. N'imeputa ntimiwu, a na-agbawụnyere isi ngwaa nsonazu ga-abụ ụda ume. Udaume a ga-abụ nsonazu ya na ụda ume jedebere isi ngwaa ahụ ga-adakotarıri, d.k.

## Isi ngwaa Nsonazu Ntimiwu

la	-a	laa
sụ	-o	suo
be	-e	bee
ta	-a	taa
ri	-e	rie

## CH. Jerondụ

N'imeputa jerondụ, a na-enwe ụda ume bụ nganihu na isingwaa ga-ebu ya bụ nganihu. Isingwaa abụọ a na-abụ nke mbụ bụ isingwaa jerondụ, nke abụọ bụ myinaabọ isi ngwaa, d.k.

Nganihu	Isi ngwaa	Myinaabisingwaa	Jerondụ
Q	kpu	kpu	okpukpu
Q	rị	rị	oriri
Q	sụ	sụ	osusụ
O	si	si	osisi
O	lu	lu	olulu

## D. Ome-ka-ngwaa

A bịa n'ome-ka-ngwaa, nganihu ọ na-ebu na-abükari ụda ume e/a. Ọ bụ ụda ume jedebere isi ngwaa na-egosi ụda ume ga-abụ nganihu ya n'imeputa ome-ka-ngwaa, d.k.

Nganihu	Isi ngwaa	Ome-ka-ngwaa
a-	gba	agba
a-	tü	atü
a-	kö	akö
e-	ze	eze
e-	gwu	egwu

E. Nsonazụ mgbati ‘te’ na ‘ta’

Isingwaa na nsonazụ mgbati ya na-adakorita. A bịa na ngwaa ‘wete’, e nwere moʃim abuq ‘we’ na ‘te’ ebe isingwaa bụ ‘we’, nsonazụ ya bụ ‘te’. E nwere ndakorita ụda ume ebe a.

Lee ọmụma atü ndị ọzọ :

#### **Isi ngwaa      Nsonazụ mgbati      Ngwaa**

si	-te	site
ku	-te	kute
go	-te	gote
mụ	-ta	mụta
rụ	-ta	rụta

### **Nnwale onwe 1**

Dee ọmụma atü ndakorita ụda ume abuq abuq na ndị a :

- a. Omee
- b. Ntimiwu
- ch. Jerondụ
- d. Ome-ka-ngwaa
- e. Nsonazụ mgbati

## **4.0 Mmechi**

Ọ bụ ụda ume ndị a ka e nwere ike iji sụ asusụ ma ọ bụ detuo okwu Igbo ọ bụla. Ma otu ihe doro anya bụ na okwu Igbo nwere ike nabata sqosq ụda ume dị n'otu abụo a n'otu okwu. Nke a mee, mara na e nwere ndakorita ụda ume.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

N'ilebanye anya n'okwu ndị gbasoro iwu ndakorita ụda ume, anyị na-eme ka a mata ebe a na okwu ndị a na-akaba ahụ egosiputa iwu ndakorita ụda ume: omee, ntimiwu, jerondụ, ome-ka-ngwaa na nsonazu mgbatị.

### **Ihe omume**

- a. Kpoputa ndakorita ụda ume dị n'omée
- b. Dee ndakorita ụda ume dị na ntimiwu
- ch. Nye ọmuma atụ ndakorita ụda ume dị ka o siri püta ihe na jerondụ

## **6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi**

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## **YUNIT 3: Nnupu isi na ndakorita ụda ume**

Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

3.1 Okwu ndị nupuru isi na ndakorita ụda ume

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

## **1.0 Mkpólite**

Na yunit gara aga, i mürü maka okwu ndị gbasoro iwu ndakorita ụda ume. Na yunit nke a, i ga-ahụ na o nwere okwu Igbo ndị agbasoghị iwu ndakorita ụda ume. Okwu ndị dị otu a nupuru isi.

## **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- m. mata ihe kpatara okwu Igbo ụfodu anaghị agbaso iwu ndakorita ụda ume
- n. detuo ọmụma atụ okwu ndị nupuru isi na ndakorita ụda ume n'Igbo

## **3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Okwu ndị nupuru isi na ndakorita ụda ume**

Oge ụfodu e nwere ike ịhụ okwu e nwere ndagharị ụda ume. Ọnọdu dị otu a ka anyị ji ekwu na okwu ụfodu na-enupu isi n'iwu ndakorita ụda ume. A ga-ahụ okwu ndị nupuru isi n'iwu ndakorita ụda ume n'ihe ndị dị otu a :

Aha mmadụ

Okwu mbite ma ọ bụ mgbazite

Okwu Bekee a nabatara n'asusu Igbo

Iji isi ngwaa abụọ mepụta okwu

Ka anyị turie ọnọdu ndị a ga.

### **A. Aha mmadụ**

Aha mmadụ ụfodu na-enupu isi n'iwu ndakorita ụda ume. Aha ndị dị otu a ka a na-akpọ aha ukwu, d.k.

Onyemaechi - Onye + ma + echị

Mmesoqoma - Mmeso + ọma

Akubueze - Akụ + bụ + eze

Chukwuemeka	-	Chukwu + eme + ka
Igwebuike	-	Igwe + bụ + ike

## B. Okwu mbite

Okwu mbite nwere ike bürü okwu Awùsa, Yoruba, d.g.

Omumma atụ

agboro

ashawo

suya

wayo

## CH. Okwu Bekee

Okwu Bekee ụfodụ a nabatara n'asusu Igbo sokwa nupụ isi n'iwu ndakorita ụda ume. Okwu ndị dí otu a anyị na-asupe ha n'Igbo ka ha were daba n'asusu anyị, d.k.

kashu

rekodụ

sayensi

pensulụ

## D. Isi ngwaa

Ebe a anyị ga-ahụ isi ngwaa abụọ ụda ume ha dícha iche dí ka :

Isi ngwaa      Isi ngwaa      Ngwaa

rị      +      da      =      rida

ga      +      ru      =      garu

se      +      pụ      =      sepụ

gba + tu = gbatu

lo + ta = lota

## Nnwale onwe 1

Nye ọmụma atụ nnupu isi na ndakorita ụda ume abụo abụo na ndị a :

Aha mmadụ

Okwu mbite ma ọ bụ mgbazite

Okwu Bekee a nabatara n'asusu Igbo

Iji isi ngwaa abụo meputa okwu

## 4.0 Mmechi

Iwu ọ bụla dῖnụ, a ga-enwerirị ndị ga-enupu isi. Okwu ndị agbasoghị iwu ndakorita ụda ume bụ ndị nupuru isi n'iwu a. Ọ bụ okwu ndị dî etu a ka i mürü na yunit a.

## 5.0 Nchikọta

Okwu ndị nupuru isi n'iwu ndakorita ụda ume n'Igbo gunyere: Aha mmadụ, okwu mbite ma ọ bụ mgbazite, okwu Bekee a nabatara n'asusu Igbo na iji isi ngwaa abụo meputa okwu.

## Ihe omume

- a. Olee ihe kpatara okwu Igbo ụfodụ anaghị agbasso iwu ndakorita ụda ume ?
- b. Detuo ọmụma atụ okwu ndị nupuru isi na ndakorita ụda ume n'Igbo i ma.

## 6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngụmi

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## **MODUL 5: ATUTU ỌDỊDİ ỤDA ASUSU NDI ỌZỌ NA OKWU MBITE**

Modul a ga-achikota ihe ndị niile e merela n'atutu ga, e nwere n'ọdịdi ụda asusụ. Ngalaba ndị na-esote ga-eleba anya n'echiche ndị e nwegasirị n'ọdịdi ụda asusụ. Atutu ndị a n'agba dị iche iche bụ ndị e wubere na ngwucha senchuri 19 na n'okara senchuri 20. O bụ ezie na i guola maka ọdịdi ụda asusụ mmabawanye nsiniwu, i ga-agukwa banyere mbawanye o bawanyere. Ihe kacha mkpa bụ na i ga-agu maka ọdịdi ụda asusụ ndị ọzọ, tinyekwara nchocha e merela.

Nkegasị dị na modul 5 gụnyere:

Yunit 1: Amumamụ ndokọ ụda asusụ ọdinala

Yunit 2: Atutu agwara mmemiche

Yunit 3: Mkpokota nchocha e merela n'okwu mbite

### **YUNIT 1: Usoro amumamụ ụda asusụ ọdinala**

Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

    3.1 Nkowami usoro amumamụ ndokọ ụda asusụ ọdinala

    3.2 Mkpuru ụda asusụ

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrümaka/ngumi

## **1.0 Mkpôlite**

Usoro ndokô m kpôru ụda asusù, bu ihe ọmumù lebanyere anya na ndîmiche dî n'etiti usoro ndokô ụda na ibe ya, etu m kpôru ụda ụda si abiakota onu n'imeputa okwu. Ezeuko na Chira (2005) kowara na ihe ọmumù a bu ọdidi ụda asusù metutara aka na-anu m kpôru ụda asusù, m kpi iche, mpôru mbosu na nke m kposo, ndîmiche na m kpôru ụda asusù, nkeji okwu, myiri ụda ume, ndagba myiri ụda ume, ndakorita ụda ume, ndapu, m kposo, ụda olu, dg. I gôla ihe ndî a n'afô nke abu. I ga-agu maka atutu dî iche iche e nwere n'omumù ọdidi ụda asusù. Nke i ga-amu na yunit a bu usoro ndokô ụda ọdinala.

Ebe mgbakwasî ükwu atutu ndokô ụda ọdinala bu na m kpôru ụda asusù. Atutu a na-egosi na o nweghi m kpôru ụda asusù abu yitewere onwe ha kpom kwem, o sokwa ha, ha bürü ndî a na-ahuta n'otu onodû. A ga-enweriri ndîmiche ga-adî n'etiti ụda ndî ahu. Sommerstein (1977) n'ime Agbedo (2000), kowara na atutu ndokô m kpôru ụda asusù ọdinala gbakwasirî ükwu na ndîmiche niile na-apu ihe na m kpôru ụda asusù, ndî e nwere n'asusù o bu. Atutu amumamû ndokô m kpôru ụda ọdinala kwenyere na o bu site na m kpôru ụda asusù ka e si enweta ndîmiche na nghota m kpôru okwu.

## **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwuchcha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa ihe atutu usoro ndokô m kpôru okwu ọdinala bu
- gosi ndîmiche dî n'etiti m kpôru ụda asusù na ibe ya
- kowapu ihe na-ewebata ndîmiche na nghota m kpôru okwu

## **3.0 Ndina kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Nkowami atutu amumamû ndokô m kpôru ụda ọdinala**

Atutu amumamû ndokô m kpôru ụda ọdinala bu atutu mbu na mbu, nke ndî izizi malitere amumamû asusù tûpûtara. Asadu (2016) dere na ihe kachasi mkpa n'atutu a bu m kpôru ụda asusù nakwa usoro ha, nke a na-ahuta n'akpomakpo olu asusù ga. N'afô 1896, otu onye Poland, aha ya bu De Courtenay, cheputara m kpôru okwu a bu 'm kpôru ụda' iji nochie anya umu ụda dî n'asusù.

Sommerstein (1977) ruru ụka na mbunuche usoro amumamụ ndokọ mkpuru ụda bụ inyocha njirimara ụda asusụ, nke mere ka ha pụo iche n'ebé ndị ozø dí. O bụ njirimara ndị a na-ewebata ndimiche n'akpomakpọ. Ngwa ɔru usoro a bụ mkpuru ụda asusụ, ndị nke na-eweta ndimiche na nghota mkpuru okwu; a gaala n'ihu ikpo atutu a usoro ndokọ mkpuru ụda (hụ Mbah, 2014). O bụ atutu a na-ahazi mkpoputa n'usoro mkpuru ụda asusụ dí iche iche.

Nke a pütara, n'okwu Asadụ (2016), na usoro amumamụ ndokọ mkpuru ụda bụ ngalaba ọmụmụ usoro ndokọ gbasara mkpuru ụda asusụ. Atutu wuru ewu n'agbata afo 1920 ruo n'afọ 1960. Okpuruukpu ajụju atutu usoro ndokọ mkpuru ụda nyere ụsa ha bụ:

- a. Olee ụda asusụ ndị na-anorø onwe ha n'asusụ?
- b. Kedu njirimara mkpuru ụda asusụ, ndị nwere ike iweta ndimiche n'etiti mkpuru okwu n'asusụ?

O bụ na ‘Prague School of Phonology’ ka usoro ọmụmụ a malitere. Ndị isi n'ulo akwukwø ahụ n'oge ha malitere amumamụ a bụ Trubetzkoy na Jackobson.

## **Nnwale onwe 1**

- a. Gini bù ihe kachasi mkpa n'atutu usoro ndokọ mkpuru ụda?
- b. Kedu onye kwupütara na mbunuche usoro amumamụ ndokọ mkpuru ụda ọdinala bụ inyocha njirimara ụda asusụ?
- ch. Olee afo a malitere ịmu atutu usoro ndokọ mkpuru ụda?

### **3.2 Mkpuru ụda asusụ**

Na yunit a, o dí ezigbo mkpa na anyị lebara anya na mkpuru ụda asusụ n'ihi na o bụ ya bụ isi a hụrụ kwaba okpu n'atutu usoro ndokọ mkpuru ụda. Asusụ o bụla nwere mkpuru ụda asusụm ndị e ji akowaputa ya. Mkpuru ụda asusụ bụ ụda pekaricharanụ nke na-egosiputa ndimiche na nghota dí iche n'okwu, ndị ha batara na ha. Ọmụma atụ mkpuru ụda asusụ gunyere /p, b, t, d, k, g/ wdg. Mkpuru ụda asusụ metütara mgbochi ume na ụda ume, ndị e nwere n'asusụ. A bịa n'Igbo izugbe, e nwere mkpuru ụda asusụ dí iri ato na isii. Iri abụ na asatọ n'ime ha bụ mgbochi ume, ebe asatọ

bụ ụda ume. Etu o sila dị, a chọpụtala na ‘e’ (/ɛ/) bụ mkpuru ụda, zuo Igbo niile ọnụ mana o soghi n andị e ji ede Igbo izugbe. A ga na-akpobata ya nwayo nwayo ebe o kwesiri ka ndorø ndorø usoro edemeđe ghara ichigha azụ. Mkpuru ụda asusụ a rụturu aka ebe a kwụturu onwe ha. O bụ ha ka a kpọrø mkpuru ụda asusụ (Ezeuko na Chira, 2005).

Otụtụ ndị ọka mmüta enyela nkowa banyere ihe m kpuru ụda asusụ bụ. Mbah na Mbah (2010) kowara m kpuru ụda asusụ dị ka m kpuru edide ma ọ b ụda olu, nke ọru ya bụ iweta mgbanwe n’echiche okwu abu ọ ma ọ bụ karịa, ndị nwere otu ụdidi m kpuru edide na ụda olu belu sọ n’otu m kpuru ụda. N’otu aka ahụ, Ladefoged (1975) hukwara ya dị ka ụda pekaricharanụ, nke a namata site n’orụ igosi ndimiche ọ na-arụ na m kpuru okwu. Jones (1967) nwere nkowa dị iche na nke ndị ọzo nyerela. O kowara m kpuru ụda asusụ dị ka ụda na-anochite anya ụmụ ụda mejuputara ụda ahụ. N’aka nke ọzo, Trubetzkoy (1939) n’ime Mbah na Mbah (2010) hụru m kpuru ụda asusụ dị ka m kpokota njirimara ụda ndị niile bara uru.

## Nnwale onwe 2

- Gini bụ m kpuru ụda asusụ?
- Kedu otu nkowa m kpuru ụda asusụ, nke i kwenyekariri na ya? Kwado az[za g[.

## 4.0 Mmechi

Usoro amumamụ ndokø m kpuru ụda ọdinala bụ atụtụ mbụ na mbụ, nke ndị izizi malitere amumamụ usoro ụda asusụ tупутара. O bụ na ‘Prague School of Phonology’ ka usoro ọmụmụ a malitere. Ndị isi n’ulø akwukwø ahụ n’oge ha malitere ya bụ Trubetzkoy na Jackobson. Asusụ ọ bụla nwere m kpuru ụda asusụ, ndị e ji akowaputa ya. O bụ m kpuru ụda asusụ bụ isi a hụru kwaba okpu n’usoro amumamụ ndokø m kpuru ụda.

## 5.0 Nchikota

Na nchikota, e nwere otu atụtụ usoro amumamụ m kpuru ụda. Nke a bụ usoro amumamụ ndokø m kpuru ụda. Atụtụ a malitere n’agbata afø 1920 ruo n’afø 1960 hà. Atụtụ a gbara mbo ịza

ọkpurukpu ajuju abuo ndị a: olee mkpuru ụda asusu, ndị na-anorø onwe ha n'asusu; ya na, kedu njirimara mkpuru ụda asusu, ndị nwere ike iweta ndịmiche n'etiti mkpuru okwu n'asusu.

### Ihe omume

- a. Kowaa ihe i ghotara atutu usoro ndokø mkpuru ụda bu.
- b. O bu onye hụru mkpuru ụda asusu dì ka ọnochie ụmu ụda?
- ch. Olee ihe na-ewebata ndịmiche na nghota mkpuru okwu ?

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## YUNIT 2: Atutu agwara mmemiche

### Ndịna

1.0 Mkpólite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

### **3.1 Nkowami atutu agwara mmemiche**

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrümaka/Ngumi

## **1.0 Mkpolite**

Atutu agwara mmemiche bu atutu, nke e ji akowa ihe mere m kpuru uda o bula ji di iche, etu ha si yidewe, na etu o si eme omume na ndakorita ya na m kpuru uda ndi ozø. Agwara mmemiche bu mmemiche, nke m kpuru uda asusu nwere, ndi na-eweta ndimiche na m kpuru uda asusu di iche. O bu mmemiche ndi a na-eme m kpuru uda asusu ji eweta mgbanwe na nghota m kpuru okwu. Mpuru iche a nwere ike ibu nnwemolu na enwemolu, d.g. Otutu ndi oka mmata amumamụ asusu enyela nkowa banyere agwara mmemiche . Ha ahutala onodu a di ka agwara ndi ahu na-ekewapu otu m kpuru uda asusu na ibe ya. Crystal (1991) na Fromkin, Rodman na Hyams (2007) rurụ uka n'ikowa agwara mmemiche di ka nsina chi, nke m kpuru uda asusu o bula nwere, nke mere ka o puo iche na m kpuru uda ndi ozø. Iji maa atu, /p/ na /b/ bu uda ike ndaputa nke ebugbere onu abu man a agwara mmemiche ha bu na /b/ bu uda nnwemolu ebe /p/ bu uda enwemolu. O bu ihe a bu udinikowa agwara a bu isi, nke a huru kwaba okpu na yunit a.

## **2.0 Mbunuche**

Na ngwucha yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- kowaa ihe atutu agwara mmemiche bu
- nye ndimiche agwara di na m kpuru uda asusu ga
- see ntu agwara mmemiche

## **3.0 Ndina kpom kwem**

### **3.1 Nkowami atutu agwara mmemiche**

Ndi nchocha atutu usoro ndoko m kpuru uda odinala, d.k. Trubetzkoy (1939) na Jackobson (1941), kpebiri na e nweghi ike igbari m kpuru uda asusu. Etu o sila di, e mechara choppa na m kpuru uda

asusụ nwere agwara mmemiche , ndị e ji a gbari agwara mkpuru ụda. Edeme Chomsky na Halle (1968) bụ ntọala atụtụ agwara mmemiche .

Umeodinka (2016) dere na atụtụ agwara mmemiche mere ka o doo anya na ọ bụ ọdịdị ụda, nke e ji akowami ụda ma na-egosi ndịmiche ha nwere. O bụ ọdịdị ụda ziputara ndịmiche nghota mkpuru ụda asusụ. Iji maa atụ, a bịa na mgbochi ume, ọ bụ ọdịdị ụda weputara ihe, ndị a ga-elegara anya na mkpoputa ha. Ihe ndị nlegara anya gunyere ebe mkpoputa, ụdi mkpoputa na ụdi olu. Nke a butere ndịmiche dì n'etiti ‘site’ na ‘zite’ . /s/ bụ ụda enwemolu ebe /z/ bụ ụda nnwemolu.

O bụ nke a mere atụtụ agwara mmemiche jiri kwenye n'udidị ụda kwesiri igbado ụkwu n'agwara mmemiche , nke ọ bụla nwere. Ya mere na ụda nwere ike bürü mgbochi ume ma ọ bụ ụda ume, nnwemolu ma ọ bụ enwemolu, ụda imi ma ọ bụ ụda ọnụ, gd. Ihe ọzọ atụtụ a kwenyekwara na ya bụ na ọ bürü na ụda asusụ nwee agwara, a ga-akanyere ya akara obe (+) mana ọ bürü na o nweghi agwara, a ga-akanyere ya akara uhie (-).

Tebulu na-esote bụ ntụ agwara mmemiche ụfodụ ụda asusụ n'Igbo.

	p	b	t	d	i	k	u	g
Uda ike	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+
Enwemolu	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	-
Nnwemolu	-	+	-	+	+	-	+	+
Kegbugbere ọnụ	+	+	-	-	+	-	+	-
Keanyürü	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-
Keakpo nro	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	+
Mgbochi ume	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+
Uda ume	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-

I nyochaa tebulu a dì n'elu nke ọma, i ga-achoputa na ihe atụtụ agwara mmemiche na-ahụta dì ka mpuụ iche ụda asusụ bụ agawara ụda asusụ ahụ na-eziputa.

## Nnwale onwe 1

See ntụ agwara mmemiche ụda asusụ ndị a:

/p/

/d/

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## 4.0 Mmechi

Iji agwara mmemiche m kpuru ụda asusụ nwere wee kowaa m kpuru ụda asusụ ahụ bù ɔru atutu agwara mmemiche. E ji atutu a akowa etu m kpuru ụda asusụ si emega omume. Mmemiche, nke m kpuru ụda asusụ nwere ndị na-eweta ndimiche na m kpuru ụda asusụ dì iche iche. O bụ mmemiche ndị a na-eme m kpuru ụda asusụ ji eweta mgbanwe na nghota m kpuru okwu. Mpuru iche a nwere ike ịbu nnwemolu, enwemolu, keegbugbere, keakpo, ụda ime, d.g.

## 5.0 Nchikota

Na nchikota, o bughị naanị mpuru iche na-ekewa m kpuru ụda asusụ na ibe ya. Agwara m kpuru ụda asusụ ahụ nwere agwara na-egosi na o pürü iche. M kpuru ụda asusụ abuọ nwere ike yitewe onwe ha n’ihe niile mana o bụ agwara mmemiche, nke ha nwere, ga-eweta ndimiche. Iji maa atu, ha abuọ nwere ike bürü ụda ike ndakpu mana otu ga-enwe olu ebe ibe ya agaghị enwe olu.

## Ihe omume

- a. Gini ka i ghötara atutu agwara mmemiche bu ?
- b. Olee ɔru agwara na-aru na nkowami m kpuru ụda asusụ ga?
- c. Kedụ ndị nchocha abuọ nyochapütara atutu agwara mmemiche i ma?

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## **YUNIT 3: Mkpolite nchọcha e merela**

Ndịna

1.0 Mkpolite

2.0 Mbunuche

3.0 Ndịna kpom kwem

    3.1 Usoro mkpuru ụda okwu mbite

4.0 Mmechi

5.0 Nchikota

6.0 Nrụmaka/Ngumi

### **1.0 Mkpolite**

Okwu mbite na-aputa ihe mgbe ndị nwe otu asusụ na ibe ha nwere mmekorita. Mmekorita a nwere ike bürü site n'azumahịa, alümalü, ibi agbata obi, ndọta n'agha, ma ọ bụ ọtụtụ ihe ndị ọzọ. Yunit a gbadoro ụkwụ na usoro mkpuru ụda okwu Bekee, ndị e webatara n'Igbo. Mmekorita asusụ Igbo na asusụ Bekee bidoro kemgbe ndị Bekee kpapurụ ndị Potokiri bụ ndị izizi ha na ndị Igbo züköqoro ahịa. Ndị Bekee b[ara maka mgbere, nke ha ji okpukpere chi hidu isi. Yunit a tülere ma o nwere mgbanwe na-adị n'odidị ụda asusụ okwu Bekee mgbe e webatara ha n'Igbo; tinyekwara etu ha si daba na usoro mkpuru ụda okwu Igbo. Ebe e siri nweta okwu Bekee ndị ahụ batara n'Igbo bụ n'okowa okwu kentimiwu asusụ anọ. Asusụ anọ ndị ahụ gunyere Bekee, Awusa, Igbo na Yoruba.

N'okowa okwu ahụ, e nwere mkpuru okwu puku iri na asatọ mana okwu Igbo si na Bekee dì nari isii na anọ. Yunit a choputara na nhazi Igbo haziri okwu mbite ndị ahụ n'usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ ndị a: ndakorita ụda ume, ndapụ m kpuru ụda asusụ, m kpafanye ụda ume, nnöchi m kpuru ụda asusụ, nsetị ụda ume, olilo, mmebe ụda yi, myiri ụda ume nọ na mbido nkeji okwu na ọyoko m kpuru asusụ Igbo. N'ikpeazu, nchocha a goziputara na ọtụtụ okwu mbite ndị ahụ hidoro isi na ndoko m kpuru ụda asusụ nakwa nkeji okwu Igbo. O bụ naanị na ndakorita ụda ume na mgbochi ume ọyo ka ụfodụ nupurụ isi.

## 2.0 Mbunuche

Na ngwutchu yunit a, i ga-enwe ike:

- d. mata etu usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ dì iche iche siri püta ihe na m kpuru okwu ndị e webatara n'asusụ Igbo
- e. nye ọmụma atụ ndị nke gi

## 3.0 Ndina kpom kwem

### 3.1 Usoro m kpuru ụda okwu mbite

Ndị nwere mmasị n'usoro m kpuru ụda lebara anya na usoro m kpuru ụda okwu mbite (hụ Yip, 2002, 2004, 2006; Kenstowicz, 2005, 2006; Boersma & Hamann, 2007). N'ihi otu mkpa ma ọ bụ ọzọ, asusụ na-ebite ibe ya okwu. Okwu mbite bụ m kpuru okwu otu asusụ siri n'asusụ ọzọ nwete ma were ya ka ọ bụ nke ya.

Mgbe asusụ bitere m kpuru okwu, ọ naghi akwughachi ya; kama, ọ ga-eweghara ya. Mweghara a ka a na-akpo nnokwata okwu mbite. Asusụ wegharachaa okwu mbite, ọ ga-ahazi ya ka ọ daba n'usoro ụda okwu ya. Nnokwata na nhazi okwu mbite gbakotara bürü usoro m kpuru ụda okwu mbite. N'okwu mbite, a na-enwe mbinye na asusụ mbiri. Mgbe ndị nwe asusụ mbiri na-achọ ịnokwata okwu ha bitere, ha na-agba mbọ ịhụ na ọdịdị m kpuru okwu ahụ agbanweghi ma mekwaa ka o hube isi n' ọdịdị ụda asusụ ha. Okwu mbite Igbo sitere n' ọtụtụ asusụ ndị gunyere: Bekee, Awusa, Yoruba, Igala, wdg. Mana yunit a gbakwasiri ụkwụ naanị n'okwu Bekee e webatara n'Igbo. E meela nchocha maka okwu mbite n'Igbo (hụ Ajunwa, 2008 iji maa atụ) mana o nweghi onye nyochara usoro m kpuru ụda okwu mbite pütara ihe.

Yunit a ga-atüle ụdị mgbanwe na-adị n'odidị ụda asusụ okwu Bekee, mgbe e webatara ha n'Igbo ma nyochakwa ma ha adabara n'usoro ụda okwu Igbo. N'ime nke a, e lebara anya n'okowa okwu kentimiwu asusụ anọ. Mkpuru okwu puku iri na asato dì na ya mana okwu Igbo bitere Bekee dì narị isii na anọ. Nke a pütara naanị pasentị ato na ụma. A bịa n'ikanye akara ụda olu, e ji akara uhie m kpôda (‘) kanyere akara ụda olu ala, na akara akụ m kpôda kanye akara ụda olu nsuda (↓); a hapuru akara ụda olu elu. Akara akụ m kpôda ↓ na-adị n'ihi nkeji okwu, nke nwere ụda nsuda. Ntugharị n'usoro akpomakpô gbasoro usoro m kpuru ụda otu akpomakpô mba ụwa: *International Phonetic Association's alphabet (IPA)*.

Hyman (1970) gosipütara na ụta asusụ mmübanye nsiniwu kwenyere na nnokwata okwu mbite na-agbado ụkwụ n'odidị ụda asusụ mbinye; kama, nhazi usoro nhazi m kpuru ụda diirị asusụ mbiri. N'otu aka ahụ, Kenstowicz (2005:1) kwuru na usoro m kpuru ụda okwu mbite bụ mmekorita dì n'odidị ụda asusụ, nke asusụ mbinye na asusụ mbiri. O gara n'ihi kowaa na okwu mbite kwesiri igbaso ndoko m kpuru asusụ, nke asusụ mbiri n'otu aka ma hubekwa isi n'usoro m kpuru ụda asusụ mbinye n'aka nke ozọ.

Aziza na Utulu (2003) mere nchöcha usoro m kpuru ụda okwu mbite. Ha tuchara okwu Bekee batara n'Urobo na Yoruba; ha chöputakwa na e nwere nsetị ụda ume n'okwu Bekee batara na Yoruba. N'ihi akwukwo, nke iteghete, ha nyere ọmụma atụ nsetị ụda ume dì ka:

<b>Bekee</b>	<b>Yoruba</b>
alum	aloomu
John	dzoonu
class	kilaasi

Nchöcha Oyebade (2006) gbadoro ụkwụ n'atụtụ nsinoyiyi lebaa anya na nsetị ụda ume dì n'okwu ndị ahụ Yoruba bitere na Bekee. O zipütara na mpütara nsetị ụda ume bụ ka okwu mbite ndị ahụ nwee ike ihube isi na ndoko nkeji okwu Bekee. Burenhult (2001) chöputara ọtụtụ mgbanwe dì n'usoro m kpuru ụda okwu mbite na Jahai. Mgbanwe ndị a gunyere: mmebe mkponimi, nnöchi m kpuru asusụ, ụda ike keeko ịnọ na ngwucha nkeji okwu, iħazighara odata nkeji okwu na ndapụ ụda mpüta ụda ike.

Nchöcha Chávez-Péón (enweghi deeti) gosiputara mgbanwe dì iche iche dì n'okwu mbite San Luca Quiavini Zapotec (SLQZ). SLQZ bu asusú Otomangue, nke mgbada ugwu Megziko. Mgbanwe ndị pütara ihe n'asusú a bụ ndapụ ụda ume, nsetị mkpuru asusú, ntamu na mkponeko. Golston na Yang (2001) zipütara na ndapụ mgbochi ume, nsetị ụda ume na ntugharị nkeji okwu bụ mgbanwe dì n'usoro mkpuru ụda okwu mbite White Hmong. Akinlabi (2008) metütara aka n'usoro ụda okwu mbite Yoruba. O zipütara oṭụtu ụzọ Yoruba si ahazi okwu mbite. Uzo ndị a gunyere: mgbochi ume agaghị ebido ma ọ bụ jedebe nkeji okwu, mmepe nnokọ mgbochi ume, mwebata ụda ume na mwebata ụda shii keeko. Ọ kowakwara n'usoro ụda okwu mbite Yoruba hoqo ịhapụ ebe mkpoputa mkpuru asusú ma gbanwee ụdị mkpoputa ha.

### Fonoloji Igbo na nke nke

Na nkegasị nke a, e lebara anya na mkpuru ụda asusú Igbo nwere, ndakorita ụda ume na ụda olu.

	Kegbugbere ọnụ ahia	Kegbugbere ọnụ	Keanyiru	Keazụ anyury	Keakpo ike	Keakpo nro	Keegbugbere ọnụ na ọdu akpo	Keeko
Uda ike Ndapụt a	p b		t d			k g	k <sup>w</sup> g <sup>w</sup>	
Uda ike Ndakpu	kp gb							
Uda imi	m		n		n	ŋ	ŋ <sup>w</sup>	
Uda chii				tʃ dʒ				
Uda shii		f v	s z	ʃ		r		h
Uda riị			r					

**CHAATI**

Uda lij			l					
Uda yii					j		w	

**MGBOCHIUME**

/p/ → /pa/

/f/ → /fe/

/b/ → /bì/

/v/ → /v᷑/

/t/ → /tì/

/s/ → /si/

/d/ → /d᷑/

/z/ → /zà/

/k/ → /kv/

/ʃ/ → /ʃà/

/g/ → /ga/

/χ/ → /χè/

/kw/ → /kʷà/

/ħ/ → /ħa/

/gw/ → /gʷù/

/r/ → /re/

/kp/ → /kpɔ̄/

/l/ → /lɔ̄/

/gb/ → /gbà/

/j/ → /ja/

/m/ → /m↓má/

/w/ → /wɔ̄/

/n/ → /nne/

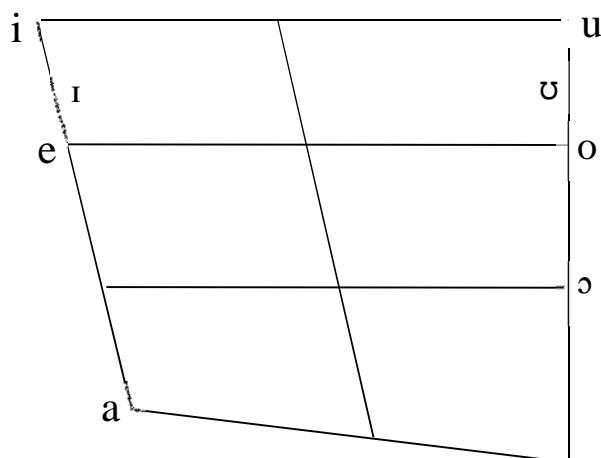
/ɲ/ → /ɲɔ̄/

/ŋ/ → /ŋɔ̄/

/tʃ/ → /tʃl/

/dʒ/ → /dʒe/

### Eserese chaat ụda ume Igbo izugbe



UDA UME Igbo Izugbe dì asatò. Ha bụ ndị a dì na chaati ụda ume a ma e wezuga /ɛ/. Ha na-apụta ihe n'okwu Igbo ndị a:

/i/ → /igbe/

/I/ → /igba/

/e/ → /ə/

/u/ → /ùdù/

/ʊ/ → /ʊkwà/

/o/ → /o | hé/

/ɔ/ → /ɔgʊ/

## Ndakorita Uda umē

Uda ume asatø Igbo nwere kewara ụzo abụo n'atumatụ ndakorịta ụda ume. Ha bụ ụda mfe na ụda arọ. N'atumatụ ndakorịta ụda ume, ụda ume na-adị na mkpuru okwu Igbo na-esi n'otu ótù. A na-akpo ụda mfe ndi otu 'a' ma na-akpokwa ụda arọ ndi otu 'e'. Ha bụ ndi a:

## OTU ‘A’ OTU ‘E’

a i e i

o      ü      o      u

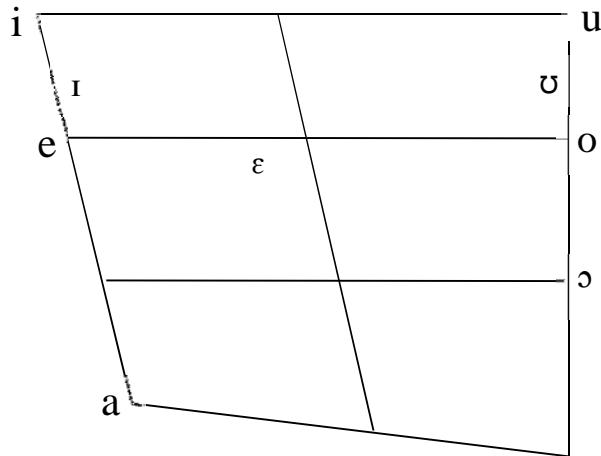
**Ndakorita ūda ume, nke otu ‘a’ Ndakorita ūda ume nke otu ‘e’**

## The atu:

akpi esu

inyinya	ikwe
ọdụ	opi
ụbọ	uko

Mbah na Mbah (2010) rürü ụka na ụda ihu ire etiti ‘e’ /ɛ/ zuru Igbo niile ọnụ ma na-eweta mkpi iche. Mbah (2021) depütara mkpuru okwu kariri narị ise, ndị e ji mkpuru ụda ‘e’ meputa n’Igbo. Isi nchocha Mbah na Ezema (2018) bụ ma e nwere mgbagha ndakorita ụda ume n’Igbo n’ezie. O chọputara na ebe niile e nwere mgbagha ndakorita ụda ume n’olu Igbo izuzugbe, ihe na-akpata ya bụ mkpuru ụda ‘a’. Ihe nke a pütara bụ na a nabata ‘e’ n’ide Igbo izugbe, a gaghị enwezi mgbagha ndakorita ụda ume. Nke a bụ n’ihi na ụda ume ga-ekewa onwe ụzọ abụo: ‘otu E’ [e i o u] na ‘otu E’ [e i o u]. Mkpuru edide dí n’otu abụo ndị a enweghi ike ịdakorita mana mkpuru edide ‘a’ na nke ọ bụla n’ime ha na-adakorita. Eserese mkpuru ụda ume olu Igbo izuzugbe bụ nke a:



## Ụda olu

Igbo bụ asusụ ụda olu. Nke a pütara na ụda olu dí mkpa n’okwu Igbo n’ihi na ọ na-ebute ndimiche n’okwu Igbo dí ka mkpuru ụda asusụ si ebute ndimiche. Ọtụtụ ndị ọka mmụta n’usoro ụto asusụ Igbo egosila na Igbo nwere ụda olu abụo zuru oke ya na ụda nsuda (hụ Uwalaka (1996) iji maa atụ). Ụda olu abụo ndị a bụ ụda olu elu na ụda olu ala. Ụda olu nsuda anaghị ebido okwu kwụurụ onwe ya n’Igbo. O na-esote naanị ụda olu elu na nke nsuda. O naghị esote ụda olu ala.

## Nziputa ụda olu n’Igbo

Uda olu elu: imi

ozu

Uda olu ala: àjà

òkè

Uda olu nsùda: e↓zé

o↓gbí

### **Usoro ọdịdị ụda asusụ okwu Bekee batara n’Igbo**

(A) Ndakorita ụda ume

a. Ndị hubere isi

<b>Bekee</b>	<b>Igbo</b>	<b>Mputara</b>
/mə'nɒpəli/	/mònɔ̄↓póli/	monopoli
/ə'kaʊnt/	/àkaṇtì/	akanti
/mə'ʃɪn/	/màʃɪn/	mashin
/ɒfɪsə/	/ɔ̄↓fisà/	ofisa
/eɪdʒənt/	/e↓dʒéntì/	ejenti
/kəm'pjutə/	/kəmpútà/	kómputa
/kə'mɪti/	/kəmɪtì/	kómiṭi
/bəŋkə/	/bɔ̄ŋkà/	bɔ̄nka
/rəŋbə/	/rɔ̄bà/	rɔ̄ba

b. Ndị nupuru isi

<b>Bekee</b>	<b>Igbo</b>	<b>Mputara</b>
/redʒɪstə/	/re↓dʒɪstà/	rejista
/primiəm/	/premiùm/	premium
/məʊʃn/	/moʃən/	moshon
/kaʊnsl/	/kansùlu/	kansulu
/levl/	/levùlu/	levulù
/fɛtɛlaɪzə/	/fetìlaɪzà/	fetilaiza
/njutrɔn/	/nutrɔn/	nutron
/ɔdɪ'tɔriəm/	/ɔdɪtoriùm/	ɔditorium
/bədʒit/	/bə↓dʒéèti/	bojeeti
/kə'rɪkjələm/	/kɔrɪ↓kúlùm/	kɔrikulum
/bəfə/	/bufà/	bufa

(B) **Ndapụ nkpuru ụda asusu**

<b>Bekee</b>	<b>Igbo</b>	<b>Mputara</b>	<b>Ndapụ</b>
/ɔlteneıtə/	/ɔtàneto/	ɔtaneto	/l/
/prəutin/	/potìn/	potin	/r/
/bærəks/	/ba↓ráàkì/	baraaki	/s/
/gəvənmənt/	/gɔv↓méntì/	góomenti	/v/
/kemıstri/	/ke↓mísırì/	kemisırı	/t/

/ɪpraɪm'mínistə//praɪ↓mínistà/ praɪminista /m/

/ɪlek'trɪʃn/ /lètriʃiàn/ letrishian /e/

/kriəʊl/ /krio/ krio /l/

### (CH) Mkpafanye Ụda ume

Bekee	Igbo	Mputara	Mwebata
/'səlfεɪt/	/solu↓fēètì/	solufeeti	/u/
/ɪkə'nɒmɪks/	/ɪkɔ↓nɔmɪkìsì/	ɪkɔnɔmɪkìsì	/ɪ/
/æsprɪn/	/àsìpirìn/	asipirin	/i/
/æs'bestəs/	/àsìbesitɔ̄os/	asìbesitōos	/i/
/draft/	/draftʊ/	draftʊ	/ʊ/
/baɪəʊ'kemikl/	/bàjòke↓míkààlì/bayokemikaalì		/ɪ/
/skweə/	/sukwià/	sukwia	/ʊ/
/bri'geɪd/	/bìrìgedì/	birigedi	/i/
/sviks/	/si↓víkìsì/	siviikisi	/i/
/daɪk/	/daɪkì/	daɪkì	/ɪ/

### (D) Nnöchi mkpuru ụda asusu

Bekee	Igbo	Mputara	Ndapụ
/'sʒveɪ/	/sɔfià/	sɔfia	v→f
/kæpitəlɪzəm/	/kàpità↓lísm/	kapitalism	z→s

/feləʊʃɪp/	/feléʃipù/	feleshijpú	əʊ→e
/ekwəti/	/e↓kwítì/	ekwiti	ə→i
/gӨvənə/	/gɔ↓váno/	góvano	ə→ɔ, ə→a
/fʒtəlarzə/	/fetìlarzà/	fetilaizá	ʒ→a
/pə'ənlədʒi/	/pàtɔ↓lədʒì/	patoloji	ə→t

### (E) Olilo

Bekee	Igbo	Mputara	Olilo
/Ikənvə'keɪʃn/	/kɔmvòkeʃɔn/	kɔmvokeshɔn	n→m

### (F) NsetiUdaume

Bekee	Igbo	Mputara
/'æsiteit/	/a↓sì↓téètì/	Asiteeti
/'æsíd/	/asíídì/	Asiidi
/steit/	/steètì/	Steeti
/'kɒlidʒ/	/kɔ↓léèdʒì/	koleeji
/reit/	/reètì/	Reeti
/'æ'ɔɪ/	/alɔɔjì/	alooyi
/sʒkit/	/sa↓kuɔtù/	sakuyutu
/nəʊt/	/noòtù/	Nootu
/græf/	/gràafù/	graatu
/'rɒkit/	/rɔ↓kéètì/	rokeeti
/'æstrənɔt/	/a↓strənɔɔtɔ/	astronqotu
/kəʊ'kein/	/kòkeèn/	Kokeen
/tʃat/	/tʃaàtì/	chaati

**(G) Mmebe Ụda yịj**

<b>Bekee</b>	<b>Igbo</b>	<b>Mputara</b>
/daiəri/	/da↓jári/	dayarı
/dar'æspərə/	/dàja↓spòrà/	dayaspòra
/'aɪən/	/ajən/	ayon
/'æmplifaiə/	/àmplifajà/	amplifaya
/pɔɪnt/	/pɔjintì/	poyıntı
/'plaɪə/	/plajà/	playa
/'stjudiəʊ/	/studijò/	studiyo
/'sɔɪə/	/sojà/	soya
/'dʒænjuəri/	/dʒenu↓wárì/	jenuwari
/'februəri/	/febu↓wárì/	febuwari

**(GB) Myiri ụda ume ịnọ na mbido nkeji okwu**

<b>Bekee</b>	<b>Igbo</b>	<b>Mputara</b>
/in'ʃuərəns/	/nʃɔ↓ránsì/	nshoransi
/im'piəriəlizəm/	/mpèrial↓lízm/	mperializm
/iembri'ɒlədʒi/	/mbrìo↓lódʒì/	mbrioloji

/enzaɪm/	/n↓zāɪm/	nzaim
/ɪm'pʒsənl/	/mpesɪn/	mpesin
/ɪndeks/	/n↓dēékìsì/	ndeekisi
/ɪnsjəlɪn/	/nsùlin/	nsulin
/ɪendʒɪ'nɪə/	/ndʒɪnɪà/	njinja
/'endʒɪn/	/ndʒɪn/	njin

### (GH) Oyoko Mkpuru ụda asusụ Igbo

Bekee	Igbo	Mputara	Mgbochi ume oyọ
/'fæktri/	/faktri/	faktri	ktr
/'bætri/	/batrì/	batri	tr
/skwəd/	/skwɔ̄odʊ/	skwoqodu	skw
/greɪd/	/grèedɪ/	greedi	gr
/'helikɒptə/	/hèlìkoptà/	helikopta	pt
/klas/	/klaasi/	klaasi	kl
/'mænjuskript/	/ma↓núskriptù/	manuscriptu	skr, pt
/'skɒləʃɪp/	/skɔ̄↓láʃɪpʊ/	skolashijipu	sk
/'sækrəmənt/	/sakra↓méntɪ/	Sacramentɪ	kr

### Nnwale onwe 1

Were ihe atu abu o abu o gosiputa etu nhazi Igbo haziri okwu mbite siri pütara ihe n'usoro ọdịdi ụda asusụ ndị a:

- a. Ndakorita ụda ume
- b. Ndapu mkpuru ụda asusụ

- ch. Mkpafanye ụda ume
- d. Nnōchi mkpurụ ụda asusụ
- e. Nsetị ụda ume
- f. Olilo
- g. Mmebe ụda yiị
- gb. Myiri ụda ume ịnọ na mbido nkeji okwu
- gh. Oyoko mkpurụ asusụ Igbo

## **1.0 Mmechi**

Yunit a nyochara usoro mkpurụ ụda okwu mbite n’Igbo. Ọ tülere ụdị mgbanwe na-adị n’odidị ụda asusụ okwu Bekee mgbe e webatara ha n’Igbo ma tulekwa ma ha adabara n’usoro mkpurụ okwu Igbo. Nhazi Igbo haziri okwu mbite ndị ahụ pütara ihe n’usoro odidị ụda asusụ ndị a: ndakorita ụda ume, ndapụ mkpurụ ụda asusụ, mwebata ụda ume, nnōchi mkpurụ ụda asusụ, nsetị ụda ume, olilo, mmebe ụda yiị, myiri ụda ume ịnọ na mbido nkeji okwu na ndokọ mkpurụ ụda asusụ Igbo. Ọtụtụ okwu mbite hubere isi na ndokọ mkpurụ ụda asusụ nakwa nkeji okwu Igbo ebe ụfodu ndị ọzọ nupuru isi na ndakorita ụda ume ya na nnoko mgbochi ume. Nkeji okwu ndị a tudosiri aka ike na-enwekarị ụda olu elu. A choputakwara ndagba myiri ụda ume dị ka olilo pütara ihe.

## **5.0 Nchikota**

Nkegasị a ga-achikota usoro odidị ụda asusụ okwu Bekee batara n’Igbo. Okwu mbite ụfodu hubere isi n’iwu ndakorita ụda ume Igbo ebe ụfodu ndị ọzọ nupuru isi. Okwu ndị dị ka: monopolii, mashin, ofisa, komputa, wdg. hubere isi n’iwu ndakorita ụda ume Igbo. Rejista, levulụ, ọditorium, korikulum, wdg. nupuru isi n’iwu ndakorita ụda ume.

Agba nke abuọ bụ ndapụ mkpurụ ụda asusụ. E nwere ndapụ mkpurụ ụda asusụ n’ufodu okwu ndị Igbo bitere Bekee. Ufodu ndapụ bụ n’ihi na ndokọ nkeji okwu Igbo anabataghị nnoko mgbochi ume. N’ihi ya, ebe mgbochi ume abuọ nökörö, Igbo na-atụfu otu mgbochi ume. Omuma atu:

ötanetö, potin, kemistri, wdg. N’ihi na Igbo enweghi njirimara mkpoolu dì ka Bekee si nwee, Igbo na-atüfu mkpuru ụda asusụ /s/ ebe ọ bụla o ziputara mkpoolu. Ọmụma atụ: baraakị.

Igbo na-ewebata ụda ume iji mepe nnokọ mgbochi ume. Ọmụma atụ: solufeeti, asiipirin, siviikisi, wdg. A na-ewebatakwa ụda ume na mmechi nkeji okwu Bekee ebe e nwere mgbochi ume n’ihi na mgbochi ume anaghị ejedebe okwu Igbo. Ọmụma atụ: draftu, birigedi, daikị, wdg.

Achoputara m na Igbo jiri ụfodụ mkpuru ụda asusụ nochie anya ibe ha. Ọ kachasi mkpuru ụda asusụ dì na Bekee na-adighị n’Igbo. Ọmụma atụ: patoloji, fetilajza, govanq, wdg. Olilo pütara ihe n’okwu mbite ndị m nyochara bụ ndagba myiri ụda ume ebe ụda imi /n/ gbanwere bürü /m/. /m/ bụ nwa ụda keegbugbere ọnụ na eze na mkpuru ụda asusụ bụ mgbochi ume bükwa keegbugbere ọnụ na eze ga-agakọ ọnụ n’okwu. Ndagba myiri ụda ume pütara ihe na nchocha a bụ /kɔmbòkeʃən/. Nchocha n’odinihu ga-egosi ọnodu olilo n’okwu mbite.

Mgbanwe ozø putakwara ihe n’okwu ndị Igbo bitere Bekee bụ nseti ụda ume. A choputara na ọtụtu nseti Igbo setiri okwu Bekee ndị ahụ bụ n’ihi na Igbo enweghi ụda ume mkpi. N’ihi ya, ebe ọ bụla ụda ume mkpi dì Igbo ga-ewepu ya ma setia ụda ume nochiri ya. Ọmụma atụ: asiteeti, steeti, aloqiyi, wdg. E nwekwara nseti ụda ume ndị abughi n’ihi ụda ume mkpi. Ndị a gunyere: koleeji, rókeeti, astronotu wdg.

Uda ume mkpi dì n’okwu ndị Igbo bitere Bekee butere mmebe ụda yii. Ọmụma atụ: dayari, ayon, amplifaya, febuwarị, wdg. N’otụtu okwu Bekee, Igbo wepuru ụda ume ndị no na mbido okwu were nye ohere ka myiri ụda ume bido okwu ndị ahụ. Ọmụma atụ: nshoransi, imperializm, mbrioloji, wdg.

A bia n’atümatu ndoko mkpuru ụda asusụ Igbo, mgbochi ume abuq anaghị anokọ ọnụ na mkpuru okwu Igbo. Mana mgbochi ume abuq ma ọ bụ karịa nwere ike inokọ ọnụ na mkpuru okwu Bekee. Mgbe mgbochi ume abuq ma ọ bụ karịa nokoro ọnụ na mkpuru okwu ndị Igbo bitere Bekee, mkpuru okwu ndị dì etu a nupuru isi n’atümatu ndoko mkpuru ụda asusụ Igbo. Ọmụma atụ: batrị, skwoqodu, manuscriptu, sacramentị, wdg.

Otụtu okwu mbite kwadoro ihe Roach (1982) kwuru. Roach kwuru na ọkaa n’usoro mkpuru ụda ọ bụla na-enyocha asusụ ụda olu kwesiri ihu nkeji okwu niile nwere ụda olu elu ka ha

abụ nkeji okwu nwere ndebe olu ntudosi aka ike. A bịa n'okwu ndị ahụ Igbo bitere Bekee, nkeji okwu a tñdoro aka na-enwekarị ụda olu elu. Ihe atụ bụ:

/'ɒfɪsə/	/ɔ̄fɪs̄ə/
/kəm'pjutə/	/kõmp̄ut̄ə/
'mævʃn/	/moʃ̄n/
'levl/	/lev̄l̄v̄/
'kem̄stri/	/kēl̄m̄s̄r̄i/
'sθlfεit/	/solūf̄ēet̄i/
'ekwəti/	/ēkw̄t̄i/

## Ihe omume

Dee usoro ọdịdị ụda asusu pütara ihe na mkpụru okwu ndị dị n'okpuru.

Bekee	Igbo	Mputara	Usoro ọdịdị ụda asusu
/mə'nɒpəli/	/mònɔ̄lɒp̄l̄i/	monopoli	_____
/ə'kaʊnt/	/àkaṇt̄l̄/	akant̄	_____
'prəʊtin/	/pot̄in/	potin	_____
/'bærəks/	/bāráák̄i/	baraaki	_____
/æs'bestəs/	/às̄ibesit̄ōs/	as̄ibesit̄ōs	_____
/draft/	/draft̄u/	draftu	_____

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