Table 1.5: Swadesh List of 207 Common Terms in Neo-Mandaic

No.	English	IPA	Transcription
17	all	[gɛʃ]	*geš*
204	and	[wə]	*wə-*
44	animal	[ˈwæhʃi]	*waḥši*
168	ashes	[tˤˈaʊʃo]	*ṭawšā*
201	at	[qɑɪ]	*qār*
88	back	[ˈbɔːθaɪ]	*bāṯar*
186	bad	[bəˈtˤɔːlɔ]	*bəṯālā*
58	bark	[mɛʃkˈʃɪʤɾɔ]	*mešk šejrā*
206	because	[kɛ]	*ke*
85	belly	[ˈkæɹɪsɔ]	*karsā*
27	big	[ˈɾæbbɔ]	*rabbā*
46	bird	[ˈsˤoprɔ]	*ṣoprā*
94	bite!	[nəˈχot]	*nəḵot*
176	black	[oˈkuːmɔ]	*okumā*
64	blood	[dəˈmoː]	*dəmā*
98	(it) blows	[ˈɾɛhhu ɛˈθɔː]	*rehhu əṯā*
65	bone	[ˈgɛɪmɔ]	*germā*
89	breast		
99	breathe		
169	burn!	[qəˈliː]	*qəli*
39	child	[ˈʧiːhɛl]	*jihel*
160	cloud	[ˈiːvɔ]	*ibā*
181	cold	[məˈsiː]	*məsi*
122	come!	[ˈdoθi]	*doṯi*
196	correct	[dəˈɾos]	*dəros*
139	count!	[məˈniː]	*məni*
114	cut	[ˈpʊsqi]	*posqi*
178	day	[ˈjuːmə]	*yumā*
109	die!	[mɛθ]	*meṯ*
118	dig	[həˈfoɪ]	*həp̄or*
188	dirty	[tˤaʊˈʃɔːnɔ]	*ṭawšānā*
47	dog	[ˈkælbɔ]	*kalbā*
92	drink!	[ʃot]	*šot*
195	dry	[jɛˈbuːʃo]	*yebušā*
192	dull		
158	dust	[ɣʌˈbɔɪ]	*ǧobār*
73	ear	[ˈʊnnɔ]	*onnā*
159	earth	[ˈdɛʃtɔ]	*dešTā*
93	eat!	[χol]	*aḵol*
67	egg	[ˈbɛɪjɔ]	*beyyā*
74	eye	[ˈiːnɔ]	*inā*
127	fall	[nəˈfol]	*nəp̄ol*
198	far	[baˈʕid]	*baʿid*
66	fat (n.)	[ˈʃæmnɔ]	*šamnā*
43	father	[ˈbɔːwɔ]	*bāḇā*
106	fear	[dəˈholtɔ]	*dəholTā*
70	feather	[ˈgappɔ]	*gappā*
20	few	[ˈpɛɾzi]	*perzi*
111	fight!	[ʃɛɾ əˈvod]	*šer əḇod*
79	fingernail		
167	fire	[ˈnuːɾɔ]	*nurā*
45	fish	[fʊˈniːdɔ]	*p̄onidā*
26	five	[ˈhamʃɔ]	*hamšā*
143	float	[ʃəˈnɔː]	*šənā*
144	flow!	[nəˈfoq]	*nəp̄oq*
59	flower	[gol]	*gol*
127	fly!	[pəˈhoɪ]	*pəhor*
161	fog	[ˀaˈʤoʤ]	*ʿajāj*
80	foot	[kəɾɔːjɔ]	*kərāyā*
52	forest	[ʤænˈgæl]	*jangal*
25	four	[ˈaʊbɔ]	*arbā*
145	freeze!	[ʤəˈmod]	*jəmod*
54	fruit	[ˈmiːwɛ]	*miwe*
182	full	[ˈməliː]	*məli*
128	give!	[əˈhov]	*əhoḇ*
185	good	[sˤonˈäˤa]	*ṣonʿa*
60	green	[jɛˈɾɔːqɔ]	*yerāqā*
86	guts	[ˈkæɹsɔ]	*karsā*
71	hair	[ˈmænzɔ]	*manzā*
83	hand	[ˈiːdɔ]	*idā*
3	he	[ˈhuwi]	*huwi*
72	head	[ˈɾiʃɔ]	*rišā*
102	hear!	[sˤot]	*ṣot*
90	heart	[ˈlɛbbɔ]	*lebbā*
31	heavy	[kɛˈdiːɾɔ]	*kedirā*
9	here	[ˈɛhnɔ]	*ehnā*
113	hit	[məˈhiː]	*məhi*
129	hold!	[ləˈχotˤ]	*laḵoṭ*
68	horn	[qæɪn]	*qarn*
15	how	[ˈkæmmə]	*kammā*
112	hunt	[sˤaɪd]	*ṣayd*
41	husband	[ˈbɛllɔ]	*bellā*
1	I	[ˈæːnɔ]	*anā*
165	ice	[ˈtælgɔ]	*talgā*
205	if	[ˈægæɪ]	*agar*
202	in	[gɔʊ]	*gāw*
110	kill!	[gəˈtˤol]	*gəṭol*
82	knee	[ˈbæɹkɔ]	*barkā*
103	know!	[ˈbaʃqɛɪ]	*bašqer*
153	lake	[ˈjæmmɔ]	*yammā*
100	laugh!	[gəˈhoχ]	*gəḥoḵ*
56	leaf	[lif]	*lif*
200	left	[əˈsmɔlɔ]	*əsmālā*
81	leg	[ˈloɣərɔ]	*loḡrā*
123	lie!	[gəˈniː]	*gəni*
108	live	[həˈjɔːnɔ]	*həyānā*
91	liver	[ˈkabdɔ]	*kabdā*
28	long	[əˈɾiχɔ]	*əriḵā*
48	louse	[bʌg]	*bog*
37	man	[ˈgævrɔ]	*gaḇrā*
18	many	[ˈgɛnzɔ]	*genzā*
63	meat	[ˈbɛsrɔ]	*besrā*
148	moon	[ˈsɛrrɔ]	*serrā*
42	mother	[ˈɛmmɔ]	*emmā*
171	mountain	[tˤuːɾɔ]	*ṭurā*
76	mouth	[ˈpommɔ]	*pommā*
207	name	[ˈɛʃmɔ]	*ešmā*
34	narrow	[zaˈliːlɔ]	*zalilā*
197	near	[nazˈdik]	*nazdik*
87	neck	[fəˈqotɔ]	*p̄əqoṭā*
183	new	[ˈhaθθɔ]	*haṯṯā*
177	night	[ˈliljɔ]	*lilyā*
75	nose	[nəˈhiɾɔ]	*nəhirā*
16	not	[lu]	*lu*
184	old (an.)	[ˈɾabbɔ]	*rabbā*
	old (inan.)	[hæˈtiɛqɔ]	*hatieqā*
22	one	[ˈɛhdɔ]	*ehdā*
21	other	[hʊˈɾiːnɔ]	*horinā*
38	person	[baɹˈnɔʃɔ]	*barnāšā*
142	play!	[tˤalˈlɛl]	*ṭallel*
134	pull!	[təˈliː]	*təli*
135	push!	[hʊl əˈvod]	*hol əḇod*
151	rain	[ˈmatˤɾɔ]	*maṭrā*
172	red	[səˈmɔːqɔ]	*səmāqā*
199	right	[jɛˈminɔ]	*yeminā*
152	river	[ˈnæhɾɔ]	*nahrā*
170	road	[ˈohəɾɔ]	*ohrā*
57	root	[ˈdʒaðrɔ]	*jaḏrā*
61	rope	[ˈmaʃwɔ]	*mašwā*
187	rotten	[səˈɾiː]	*səri*
190	round	[gɪɹd]	*gird*
131	rub (it)!	[ˈpoɹχi]	*porki*
155	salt	[ˈmɛhlɔ]	*mehlā*
157	sand	[ˈhɔːlɔ]	*hālā*
140	say!	[əˈmoɹ]	*əmor*
117	scratch	[ˈhoːχɔ]	*hoḵā*
154	sea	[ˈjæmmɔ]	*yammā*
101	see!	[həˈziː]	*həzi*
55	seed	[ˈbæzɾɔ]	*bazrā*
138	sew!	[hotˤ]	*hoṭ*
191	sharp	[tiz]	*tiz*
33	short	[gəˈtˤɔːnɔ]	*gəṭānā*
141	sing!	[zəˈmoɹ]	*zəmor*
124	sit!	[jəˈhom]	*yəhom*
62	skin	[ˈmɛʃkɔ]	*meškā*
162	sky	[ɾˈqiːhɔ]	*erqihā*
107	sleep!	[gəˈniː]	*gəni*
32	small	[hoˈniːnɔ]	*honinā*
105	smell! (v.)	[ˈærrɛ]	*arreh*
	smell (n.)	[ˈɾiːhɔ]	*rihā*
166	smoke	[ˈgaˈtˤɾɔ]	*gaṭrā*
193	smooth	[ˈhaɹmə]	*narmā*
49	snake	[ˈhɛvjɔ]	*hewyā*
164	(it) snows	[talg nəˈhaθ]	*talg nəhaṯ*
19	some	[ˈpɛɾzi]	*perzi*
96	spit	[ˈarraq]	*arraq*
115	split	[ˈpalɣɒ]	*palḡā*
130	squeeze!	[ˈasˤra]	*aṣra*
116	stab!	[məˈhiː]	*məḥi*
125	stand!	[bəˈɣosˤ]	*bəḡoṣ*
149	star	[ˈkoχwɔ]	*koḵḇā*
53	stick	[ˈɣʌsˤnɔ]	*ǧoṣnā*
156	stone	[gəˈlælɔ]	*gəlaltā*
189	straight	[ros]	*ros*
95	suck!	[ʃot]	*šot*
147	sun	[ˈʃɔːmɛʃ]	*šāmeš*
146	swell!	[sˤəmoɹ]	*ṣəmor*
119	swim!	[ʃəˌnɔ əˈvod]	*šənā əḇod*
69	tail	[ˈdɛmmɔ]	*demmā*
8	that	[aˈχu]	*aḵu*
10	there	[ɛkˈkaχ]	*ekkaḵ*
6	they	[ˈhonni]	*honni*
30	thick	[əˈliːmɔ]	*əlimā*
35	thin	[hæˈfif]	*hafif*
104	think!	[fɛkɾɛˈwod]	*fekər əḇod*
7	this	[ˈɔːhɔ]	*āhā*
2	thou	[ɔt]	*āt*
24	three	[ˈklɔːθɔ]	*klāṯā*
136	throw!	[tˤˈaʊhi]	*ṭawḥi*
137	tie	[ˈvaɪjɛq]	*wayyeq*
78	tongue	[leˈlʃɔːnɔ]	*lešānā*
77	tooth	[ˈlʃɛnnɔ]	*šennā*
51	tree	[dəˈɾaχt]	*dəraxt*
126	turn!	[həˈdoɹ]	*hədor*
23	two	[trɛn]	*tren*
97	vomit!	[gəˈhiː]	*gəḥi*
121	walk!	[ˌohhˌ ɛzˈgiː]	*ohhər ezgi*
180	warm	[hæˈmim]	*hamim*
132	wash!	[ˈhawwɛɪ]	*hawwer*
150	water	[ˈmiɛnɔ]	*mienā*
4	we	[ˈani]	*ani*
194	wet	[məˈsˤammaɪ]	*məṣammar*
12	what	[mu]	*mu*
14	when	[ˈhɛmdə]	*hemdā*
13	where	[ˈɛljɔ]	*elyā*
175	white	[həˈwɔːɾɔ]	*həwārā*
11	who	[mæn]	*man*
29	wide	[ˈpaθjɔ]	*paṯyā*
40	wife	[ˈɛθθɔ]	*eṯṯā*
163	wind	[ˈɾɛhwɔ]	*rehwā*
84	wing	[ˈgæppɔ]	*gappā*
133	wipe		
203	with	[oɹk]	*ork*
36	woman	[ˈɛθθɔ]	*eṯṯā*
50	worm	[ˈtulɔ]	*tulyā*
179	year	[ˈʃɛttɔ]	*šettā*
174	yellow	[ˈsofɾɔ]	*soṗrā*
5	you	[ˈætton]	*atton*

Each verb is presented in its imperative singular form, unless otherwise noted.