

Maximum model for Northern Mansi nominal forms:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	R	DIM	Num	Px	Cx

Examples:

Num only:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>ojka</i>		<i>y</i>		
Gloss	old man		DU		

,two old man'

Px only:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>ojka</i>		\emptyset	<i>m</i>	
Gloss	old man		[SG]	1SG	

,my old man'

Num + Px:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>ojka</i>		<i>y</i>	<i>əm</i>	
Gloss	old man		DU	1SG	

,my two old men'

Cx only:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>us</i>		\emptyset		<i>t</i>
Gloss	city		[SG]		LOC

,in the city'

Num + Cx:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>put</i>		<i>ət</i>		<i>nəl</i>
Gloss	kettle		PL		ABL

,from the kettles'

Px + Cx:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>sa:li</i>		\emptyset	<i>m</i>	<i>təl</i>
Gloss	reindeer		[SG]	1SG	INST

,with my (one) reindeer'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>put</i>		\emptyset	<i>uw</i>	<i>t</i>
Gloss	kettle		[SG]	1PL	LOC

,in our kettle'

Num + Px + Cx:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>put</i>		<i>ay</i>	<i>uw</i>	<i>t</i>
Gloss	kettle		DU	1PL	LOC

,in our two kettles'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>put</i>		<i>an</i>	<i>uw</i>	<i>t</i>
Gloss	kettle		PL	1PL	LOC

,in our kettles'

DIM:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>piy</i>	<i>k^we</i>			
Gloss	boy	DIM			

,little boy'

DIM + Num

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>piy</i>	<i>ris^j</i>	<i>iy</i>		
Gloss	son	DIM	DU		

,two sons'

DIM + Cx:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>ja</i>	<i>k^we</i>	\emptyset		<i>n</i>
Gloss	river	DIM	[SG]		DLAT

,to a small river'

DIM + Px:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>s^joxri</i>	<i>ke</i>	\emptyset	<i>m</i>	
Gloss	sharp knife	DIM	[SG]	Px	

,my sharp knife'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>apiy</i>	<i>k^we</i>	\emptyset	<i>te</i>	
Gloss	nephew	DIM	[SG]	3SG	

,his/her little nephew'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>ojka</i>	<i>ris^j</i>	\emptyset	<i>e</i>	
Gloss	old man	DIM	[SG]	3SG	

,his/her old man'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>opa</i>	<i>ris^j</i>	\emptyset	<i>ən</i>	
Gloss	grandfather	DIM	[SG]	2SG	

,your grandfather'

DIM + Px + Cx:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>ak^w</i>	<i>t^je</i>	\emptyset	<i>te:</i>	<i>n</i>
Gloss	aunt	DIM	SG	3SG	DLAT

,to his/her aunt'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>ojka</i>	<i>ris^j</i>	\emptyset	<i>e</i>	<i>n</i>
Gloss	old man	DIM	[SG]	3SG	DLAT

,to his/her old man'

DIM + Num + Px

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>nⁱa.wram</i>	<i>atⁱe</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>m</i>	
Gloss	child	DIM	DU	1SG	

,my two little children'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>sⁱoxri</i>	<i>tⁱe</i>	\emptyset	<i>te:</i>	<i>tl</i>
Gloss	sharp knife	DIM	SG	3SG	INST

,with his/her sharp knife'

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>jowtja:ntaw</i>	<i>ras^j</i>	\emptyset	<i>əm</i>	
Gloss	bowstring	DIM	SG	1SG	

,my (little) bowstring'

DIM + DIM + Num:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>piy</i>	<i>risⁱ-ak^we</i>	<i>y</i>		
Gloss	son	DIM	DU		

,little son (Dual)'

COLL:

Position No.	0	+1	+2	+3	+4
Morpheme	<i>piy</i>	<i>inⁱs^j</i>			
Gloss	son	COLL			

,together with the son'

Alternative representation:

E.g.,

ojka -*y* ‘the two old men’
0 +2

put -*an* -*uw* -*t* ‘in our kettles’
0 +2 +3 +4

ak^w -*tⁱe* -*te:* -*n* ‘to his/her aunt’

Abbreviations:

R root

DIM diminutive

Num number

Px possessive suffix

Cx case suffix