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Question 2: I found and I was happy

Somali is a Cushitic language spoken by approximately 16.6 million speakers, of which about half live in Somalia, the remainder living in Djibouti (where it is an official language), Ethiopia, and in the Somali diaspora.

In the table below are given the inflected forms of 1st conjugation verbs in the 1st person and 3rd person singular ('he/she/it') past tense. Fill in the gaps.

akhriyay	I read	*akhriday*	He read
aragay	I saw	*aragtay*	He saw
(a)	I taught	*bartay*	He taught
ba'ay	I was destroyed	*ba'day*	He was destroyed
baajiyay	I prevented	(b)	He prevented
baaqay	I announced	*baaqday*	He announced
baxay	I left	*baxday*	He left
bi'iyay	I destroyed	(c)	He destroyed
bilaabay	I began	(d)	He began
(e)	I ate	*cuntay*	He ate
cabay	I drank	*cabtay*	He drank
cararay	I ran away	*carartay*	He ran away
daaqay	I grazed	(f)	He grazed
dhacay	I fell	(g)	He fell
dhisay	I built	*dhistay*	He built
diiday	I refused	*diiday*	He refused
dilay	I killed	*dishay*	He killed
faraxay	I was happy	(h)	He was happy
gaadhay	I reached	*gaadhay*	He reached
galay	I entered	(i)	He entered
go'ay	I cut	(j)	He cut
(k)	I found	*heshay*	He found
horjeeday	I opposed	*horjeeday*	He opposed
kacay	I rose	(l)	He rose
keenay	I brought	*keentay*	He brought
korodhay	I increased	*korodhay*	He increased
qaaday	I took	(m)	He took
tagay	I went	*tagtay*	He went
xidhay	I closed	(n)	He closed
walaaqay	I stirred	(o)	He stirred

Pronunciation: Vowel sounds are much like in English. A double vowel indicates that the vowel is long. Consonants are also as in English except as follows:

dh: a retroflex 'd' like the 'dr' in *drive* (IPA ɖ)
q: a voiced uvular plosive, like a 'g' but pronounced at the back of the throat (IPA ɢ)
kh: a bit like the 'ch' in Scottish *loch* but pronounced at the back of the throat (IPA χ)
x: a voiceless pharyngeal fricative, hard to describe, but a bit like a heavy 'h' (IPA ħ)
c: same as x, but voiced (IPA ʕ)
r: a rolled 'r' as in Italian   ': a glottal stop, like the sound in the middle of *uh-oh* (IPA ʔ)