Wondé

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A Malinke rhythm with 12 beats per cycle. The following song relates to the circumcision of boys. The supervisor asks the children what they think is going to happen and if they are afraid. The children answer 'Yes, we are afraid!'

Wondé, wondé, woo, _ wondé _,
ji miri la mou ne ma, te le bara dian fa _ .

Call	T		T	T		T		T	T		T		T											
	f		r	l		l		l	r		r		r											
kenkeni																			●	●			○	
sangban															❑		○						○	
doundoun																			●	●				

Kenkeni			●	●			○				●	●			○				●	●			○	
bell	x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x	x	

Sangban	○						○		○				○				●				●			
bell	x		x	x		x	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	
Doundoun			●	●									H		●				●				●	
bell	x		x	x		x	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	

sangban	●				●		●		●						❑		○						○	
	x		x		x		x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x	x	
doundoun			●								●	●							●	●				
	x		x		x		x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x	x	

Break 1

	normal rhythm																							
Djembé	T		T	T		T		T	T		T		T		T		***S***		S					S
Sangban	●				●		●		●								○		○					○
	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	
Doundoun			●										●	●							●	●		
	x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x

¥ = een dubbelslag TS

Djembé	S						S		S				S				S	S	¥		S	S	¥	
	r						r		r				r				r	l	2		r	l	2	
Sangban	○						○		○				○				●				●			
	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	
Doundoun			●	●									H		●				●				●	
	x		x	x		x	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	

																					normal rhythm			
Djembé	S	S	¥		S	S	¥		S		T	T			S									
	r	l	2		r	l	2		r		r	l			r									
Sangban	●				●		●		●						❑		○						○	
	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	
Doundoun			●								●	●							●	●				
	x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	

Break 2

Djembé	B	S		S		S		S		S		T	T	T			S		T	T	T		
	l	r		r		r		r		r		r	l	r			d		r	l	r		
All douns		❍		❍		❍		❍		❍		●	●	●			H		●	●	●		
		x		x		x		x		x		x	x	x		x	x		x	x	x		x

Djembé	S		T	T	T												S		T	T	T		
	d		r	l	r												d		r	l	r		
All douns	H		●	●	●												H		●	●	●		
	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x

Djembé									S		T	T	T									
									d		r	l	r									
All douns									H		●	●	●									
	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	

Djembé	S		T	T	T		T		T		T		T		T		S		T	T	T	
	d		r	l	r		r		r		r		r		r		d		r	l	r	
All douns	H		●	●	●		●		●		●		●		●		H		●	●	●	
	x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x		x	

Djembé									S	T		S	T		S	T	S					
									r	l		l	r		r	l	r					
All douns									H	●		H	●		H	●	H			●	●	
	x		x		x		x		x	x		x	x		x	x	x			x		x

Djembé	S	T		S	T		S	T	S								S	T		S	T		S	T
	r	l		l	r		r	l	r								r	l		l	r		r	l
All douns	H	●		H	●		H	●	H			●	●				H	●		H	●		H	●
	x	x		x	x		x	x	x			x	x		x		x	x		x	x		x	x

									normaal ritme													
Djembé	S								S			S	S		T	T	S			S	S		T	T
									r			l	r		r	l	r			l	r		r	l
Sangban	H			●	●		❑		❍						❍		❍						❍	
	x			x	x		x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x	x	
Doundoun	H			●	●																			
	x			x	x		x		x		x	x		x	x		x		x	x		x	x	

Djembé solo	T	T	S	S		T		S	T	T	S		S	S		S
phrase 1	2	r	l	r		l		l	r	l	r		r	l		l

	T	T		S		S		S	T	T	S		S		
	r	l		l		l		l	r	l	r		r		

Source
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