

Re: Is "is" a verb?

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> *I am indeed a native speaker of English. I challenge ANYONE to tell
> me that "I'm being well" is not a correct English sentence!*

Plenty of things in English are arguably 'correct' – in that you wouldn't be able to find printed anywhere a specific rule stating that the sentence is grammatically wrong. But 'correctness' is only half of what matters when speaking/writing a language. "I'm being well" is not idiomatic as part of Standard English in any major English-speaking country. It may be used in certain dialects, and I would expect some pidgin varieties. But it's the sort of thing that would instantly give you away as being not a native speaker of garden-variety English.