

Progress with Turkish Grammar

Server Çimen

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Outline

Progress during summer school

Example codes

Sample noun inflection

Plan for further work

Progress

Allmost all noun morphology and
All N's at Lexicon is implemented.
Verb morphology improved.

Rules implemented

Vowel Harmony

Rounded / Unrounded u,ü,o,ö vs. ı,i,a,e

Front / Back e,i,ü,ö vs. a,ı,o,u

Consonant Harmony

If stem ends with f,s,t,k,ç,ş,h,p and first letter of suffix is one of the letters b,c,d,g then it turns into p,ç,t,k respectively

If stem ends with p,ç,t,k and suffix begins with a vowel then p,ç,t,k turns to b,c,d,ğ,g

Rules implemented

Previously:

```
harmony4 : Str -> Str -> Str -> Str =  
  \base0,suffixC,suffixV -> ...
```

```
harmony2 : Str -> Str -> Str -> Str =  
  \base0,suffixC,suffixV -> ...
```

Difficult to handle exceptional cases

Long compilation time

Currently:

```
addSuffix : (base : Str) -> Harmony -> Softness ->  
  Suffix -> Str
```

Not that generic

Progress and Example Code

Usually stem is enough to find all forms

```
regN : Str -> Noun ;
```

Exceptions:

Almost in all exceptional cases, it is enough to have two forms of noun, therefore I needed a Param type to indicate type of irregularity

Vowel Harmony

```
saat + (-i ) → saati
```

```
irregN_h : (saat, saat : Str) -> IrregTypeNoun -> Harmony  
-> Noun
```

Exceptions (contd.)

Consonant Harmony

Keep unvoiced consonant

süt + (-ı) → sütü

Double the last consonant

hak + (-ı) → hakkı

Drop the last vowel

burun + (-ı) → burnu

Irregular buffer consonant

su + (-ı) → suYu instead of suSu

Again two forms are enough.

IrregN: (burun, burn : Str) -> IrregTypeNoun -> Noun

Sample Noun

Case = Nom | Acc | Dat | Gen | Loc | Ablat |
Abess Polarity ;

Agr = {n : Number ; p : Person} ;

Harmony = {h4 : Harmony4 ; h2 : Harmony2} ;

Noun = {

s : Number => Case => Str;

gen : Number => Agr => Str;

h : Number => Harmony

} ;

Plan for further work

Planning to complete verb morphology by the end of next week

Import Zemberek's lexicon for nouns, adjectives and verbs

Then proceed with syntax rules