

Semantic Neural Network Model of the Morphological Rules of the Kazakh and Turkish Noun for NLP System

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Abstract - In this work there is illustrated an ontological model of nouns of Kazakh and Turkish languages and a comparison of the grammatical categories. On the basis of the ontological models, semantic neural networks of the morphological rules of nouns of the Kazakh and Turkish languages are developed and compared.

Keywords - agglutinative languages, morphology, ontology, semantic neural network.

I. INTRODUCTION

KAZAKH language belongs to Kipchak group [1] whereas Turkish language belongs to Oghuz group [2] of Turkic languages. The agglutination is one of the peculiarities of Turkic languages characterized by a large number of word types for each word formed by adding affixes to its end (suffixes and endings). There exists a strict order for adding of affixes: suffixes are the first to be attached to a stem or root of the word, then the endings of plural number, possessive endings, case endings and conjunction endings. All these features of Turkic languages assume a slight formalization for morphological and syntax rules as far as they have a strict order of adding affixes from a morphological point of view and a strict word order in sentence from the point of view of syntax. Therefore the issue of NLP can give decentish results on the basis of grammar rules.

At present the types of machine translation systems are varied. The choice in use of the machine translation system depends on the complexity of the formalization of natural language or national linguistic corpus of natural language. The works [3-9] are devoted to the issues of machine translation from Turkish language into other Turkic languages. The issues of formalization of grammar rules in Kazakh language are solved in the works [10-20]. All these results will substantively facilitate the creation of Kazakh-Turkish machine translation system.

II. THE ONTOLOGICAL MODELS OF NOUNS FOR KAZAKH AND TURKISH MACHINE TRANSLATION SYSTEM

Ontology is a powerful and widely used tool to model

relationships between objects belonging to various subject fields. It is possible to classify ontologies based on the degree of dependence on the task or application area, the model of ontological knowledge representation and expressiveness, as well as other criteria [22, 23].

Applied ontologies describe concepts that depend on both the task and the subject domain of the ontology.

We used the ontology editor Protégé (<http://protege.stanford.edu>) to build the ontology. It is a free open source ontology editor and a framework for building knowledge bases. It was developed at Stanford University in collaboration with the University of Manchester.

Figure 1 illustrates the concepts and relationships which is used in the ontological models of nouns for Kazakh and Turkish machine translation system that used the notes in Protégé.

In this way, the comparisational ontological models of noun for machine translation system includes all the categories of morphological features, for instance, noun is divided as base and complex according to structure of noun in Kazakh language, whereas in Turkish language there is not such division, furthermore, a noun can be common, proper, concrete, abstract, animated, inanimate according to meaning in Kazakh language, while in Turkish language a noun can be common, proper, animated, inanimate. In both languages the divisions of affixation are similar, e.g., the forms of cases, number, possessives and conjugations. There are seven cases whereas in Turkish there are five. The similarities of both languages are illustrated as basic notes in Table I.

Let's compare the similarities of cases and possessive forms of Kazakh and Turkish languages:

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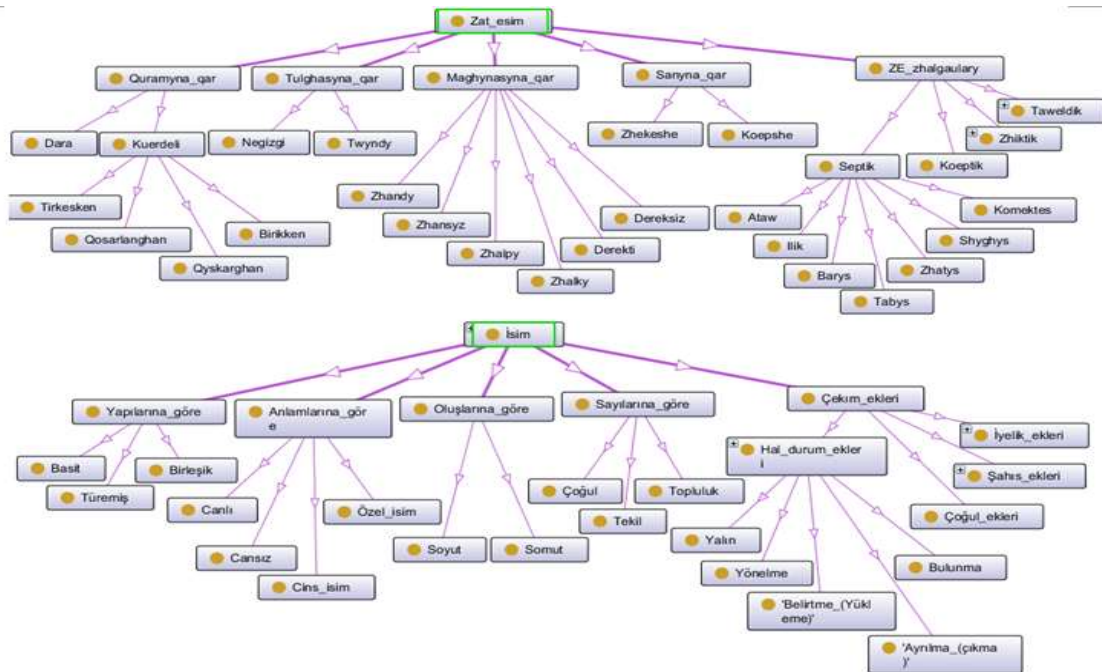


Fig. 1: The ontological models of nouns for Kazakh and Turkish machine translation system

TABLE I: COMPARE THE COMMON AND POSSESSIVE CASES OF KAZAKH AND TURKISH LANGUAGES

Cases		Common cases		Possessive cases	
Kazakh	Turkish	Kazakh	Turkish	Kazakh	Turkish
Atau septik (Nominative case)	Yalın hali	Үй (Uej)	Ev	Үйі (Uej-i)	Evі
Ілік septik (Genitive case)		Үйдің (Uejding)			
Barys septik (Direction- dative case)	Yönelme hali	Үйге (Uejge)	Eve	Үйіне (Uejine)	Evine
Tabys septik (Accusative case)	Belirtme (Yükleme) hali	Үйді (Uejdi)	Evi	Үйін (Uejin)	Evini
Zhatys septik (Locative case)	Bulunma hali	Үйде (Uejde)	Evde	Үйінде (Uejinde)	Evinde
Shyghys septik (Ablative case)	Ayrıлма (çıkma) hali	Үйден (Uejden)	Evden	Үйінен (Uejinen)	Evinden
Koemektes septik (Instrumental case)		Үймен (Uejmen)		Үйімен (Uejimen)	

As we see, there are seven cases in Kazakh language, while five in Turkish language.

III. SEMANTIC NEURAL NETWORK MODEL OF THE MORPHOLOGICAL RULES OF THE KAZAKH AND TURKISH NOUN FOR NLP SYSTEM

The example of formalization of rules of endings addition to stems is presented below. For formalization of the rules of endings and suffixes addition the semantic neural network presented in [24] is proposed for use. By means of such network Kazakh, Turkish languages word forms are generated and the structure of initial forms dictionary in the form of synchronized linear tree is produced.

For representation of a word form and its features the following metasymbols will be used:

- # - words separator,
- (- word beginning,)
- word end,
- ! - word form feature beginning (case, etc.),
- * - word form feature end.

Let us consider an example for Kazakh word “бала (bala) - child” and Turkish word “baba - father” (word stem) and its two word forms “балам (balam) - my child”, “балаң (balang) - your child” (in the Kazakh, Turkish languages animate nouns change by persons by means of personal

endings). The receptor is raised at word beginning symbol “(”. Then it passes to “б” state, at supply of “б” symbol, then sequentially “(ба”, “(бал”, “(бала”, and then simultaneously two substates “(балам)”, “(ba”, “(bab)”, “(baba”, and then simultaneously two substates “(babam)” and “(балаң)”, “(baban)” (See Figure 2).

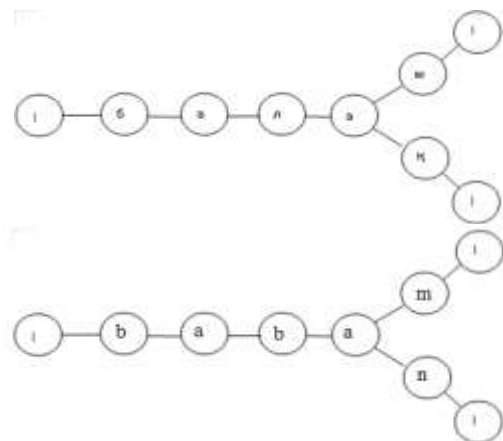


Fig. 2: Synchronized Liner Tree for the Kazakh, Turkish Words Forms with Endings Additions

Figure 3 shows an example of the structure of lemma connections defining the following features: noun (Зат есім) -

“зе*”, animate - “!жа*”, possessive ending (тәуелдік жалғау) of the first person - “!11*” (бірінші жақ), possessive ending (тәуелдік жалғау) of the second person - “!22*” (екінші жақ). At word “(балам)” supply to the lemma it passes to raised substates: “(балам)”, “!зе*”, “!жа*”, “!11*” and at word “балаң” supply it passes to raised substates: “(балаң)”, “!зе*”, “!жа*”, “!22*”.

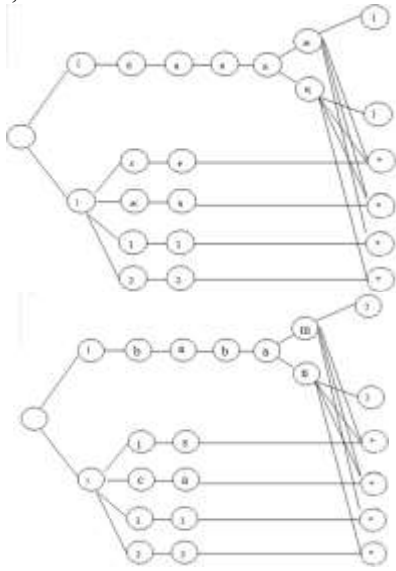


Fig. 3: Synchronized Liner Tree for Words Forms with Endings Addition and their Morphological information

Neurons-receptors distinguish separate symbols of input symbolical sequence. At the output the receptor generates a signal meaning either presence or absence of corresponding symbol in the analyzed text. Neurons-effectors provide the result of input symbolical sequence separate fragments recognition. In the synchronized linear tree we replace the signal from the receptor by the signal from the effector of the same tree. There will appear the opportunity of using symbolical sequences fragments as input symbols.

For indication of such fragments in the input symbolical sequence we will apply metasymbols of brackets: “(“ and “)” Then the example presented will be rewritten in this form: ((бала)м), ((бала)ң), (((бала)м)ның), (((бала)ң)да), ((baba)m), ((baba)n), (((baba)n)da).

The fragment of formal inflexion rules by example of the noun subject to vowel harmony law conditioning soft or hard endings addition depending on the stem softness or hardness is presented below. The example below shows a fragment of rules where “зе”, “is” is noun (зат есім, isim), “жа”, “са” is animateness (жанды, canlı), “01” ends by hard vowels a, o, ы, (a, o, u) “)”) between closing brackets endings of nouns are placed, after “!” there is morphological information.

Fragment of formal inflexion rules of the Kazakh, Turkish nouns

Rules (Kazakh)	Example	Rules (Turkish)	Example
((жежа01)мын)!жі11	((бала)мын)	((isca01)ым)!şe11	((baba)ым)
((жежа01)мыз)!жі11	((бала)мыз)	((isca01)ыыз)!çøse11	((baba)ыыз)
((жежа01)сың)!жі22	((бала)сың)	((isca01)сын)!şe22	((baba)сын)
((жежа01)сыңдар)!жі22	((бала)сыңдар)		
((жежа01)сыздар)!жі22	((бала)сыздар)	((isca01)сыз)!çøse22	((baba)сыз)
((жежа01)!жі33	((бала))	((isca01)!şe33	((baba))
((жежа01)м)!тә11	((бала)м)	((isca01)м)!iy11	((baba)м)
((жежа01)мыз)!тә110	((бала)мыз)	((isca01)миз)!iy110	((baba)миз)
((жежа01)н)!тә22	((бала)ң)	((isca01)н)!iy22	((baba)н)
((жежа01)ңыз)!тә22	((бала)ңыз)	((isca01)ңыз)!iy22	((baba)ңыз)
((жежа01)сы)!тә33	((бала)сы)	((isca01)сы)!iy33	((baba)сы)
((жежа01)лар)!ктг	((бала)лар)	((isca01)лар)!çø	((baba)лар)
((жежа01)лар)мыз)!ктжі11	((бала)лар)мыз)		
((жежа01)лар)сыңдар)!ктжі22	((бала)лар)сыңдар)		
((жежа01)лар)!ктжі33	((бала)лар)	((isca01)лар)!çøse33	((baba)лар)
((жежа01)лар)ым)!кттә11	((бала)лар)ым)	((isca01)лар)ым)!çøiy11	((baba)лар)ым)
((жежа01)лар)ымыз)!кттә110	((бала)лар)ымыз)	((isca01)лар)ымыз)!çøiy110	((baba)лар)ымыз)
((жежа01)лар)ың)!кттә22	((бала)лар)ың)	((isca01)лар)ым)!çøiy22	((baba)лар)ым)
((жежа01)лар)ыңыз)!кттә22	((бала)лар)ыңыз)	((isca01)лар)ымыз)!çøiy22	((baba)лар)ымыз)
((жежа01)лар)ы)!кттә33	((бала)лар)ы)	((isca01)лар)ы)!çøiy33	((baba)лар)ы)
((жежа01)!ат0	((бала))	((isca01)!ya0	((baba))
((жежа01)ның)!іл	((бала)ның)		
((жежа01)ға)!ба	((бала)ға)	((isca01)ya)!yø	((baba)ya)
((жежа01)ны)!та	((бала)ны)	((isca01)yi)!be	((baba)yi)
((жежа01)да)!жс	((бала)да)	((isca01)da)!bu	((baba)da)
((жежа01)дан)!шы	((бала)дан)	((isca01)dan)!ay	((baba)dan)
((жежа01)мен)!кө	((бала)мен)		
((жежа01)менен)!кө	((бала)менен)		
((жежа01)м)ның)!тә11іл	((бала)м)ның)		
((жежа01)м)а)!тә11ба	((бала)м)а)	((isca01)м)а)!iy11yø	((baba)м)а)
((жежа01)м)ды)!тә11та	((бала)м)ды)	((isca01)м)ы)!iy11be	((baba)м)ы)
((жежа01)м)да)!тә11жс	((бала)м)да)	((isca01)м)да)!iy11bu	((baba)м)да)
((жежа01)м)нан)!тә11шы	((бала)м)нан)	((isca01)м)дан)!iy11ay	((baba)м)дан)
((жежа01)м)мен)!тә11кө	((бала)м)мен)		
((жежа01)м)менен)!тә11кө	((бала)м)менен)		

The example of animate noun “бала” and “baba” inflexion contains all word forms of the given noun and their morphological information (MI) which contains in abridged notation the information on the number, case which the noun

has, from what person the action takes place and its belonging to this or that person. Table II represents the inflexion of word example “бала” and “baba” by cases.

TABLE II: INFLEXION OF NOUN “БАЛА” (CHILD) AND “БАБА” (FATHER)

Rules (Kazakh)	Explanation	Examples	Rules (Turkish)	Explanation	Examples
((жежа01))!ат*	(noun, animateness, 01 vowel)! nominative case	((бала))	((isca01))!ya*	(noun, animateness, 01 vowel)! nominative case	((baba))
((жежа01)нын)!л*	((noun, animateness, vowel)нын)! genitive case	01 ((бала)нын)			
((жежа01)ға)!ба*	((noun, animateness, vowel)ға)! dative case	01 ((бала)ға)	((isca01)ya)!yö*	((noun, animateness, 01 vowel)ya)! dative case	((baba)ya)
((жежа01)ны)!та*	((noun, animateness, vowel)ны)! accusative case	01 ((бала)ны)	((isca01)yi)!be*	(noun, animateness, 01 vowel)yi)! accusative case	((baba)yi)
((жежа01)да)!жс*	((noun, animateness, vowel)да)! locative case	01 ((бала)да)	((isca01)da)!bu*	((noun, animateness, 01 vowel)da)! locative case	((baba)da)
((жежа01)дан)!шы*	((noun, animateness, vowel)дан)! initial case	01 ((бала)дан)	((isca01)dan)!ay*	(noun, animateness, 01 vowel)dan)! initial case	((baba)dan)
((жежа01)мен)!кө*	((noun, animateness, vowel)мен)! instrumental case	01 ((бала)мен)			

IV. CONCLUSION

Comparison of the ontological models of nouns of the Kazakh and Turkish languages allows to compare morphological rules for nouns of these languages. Comparison allows to formalize these rules by means of a semantic neural network for creation of the rule that based on the NLP systems.

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