

Non-iterative Iterative Reduplication

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Multiple Reduplication = Iterative Reduplication?

‘Copy Exponent’ ‘Copied Base’

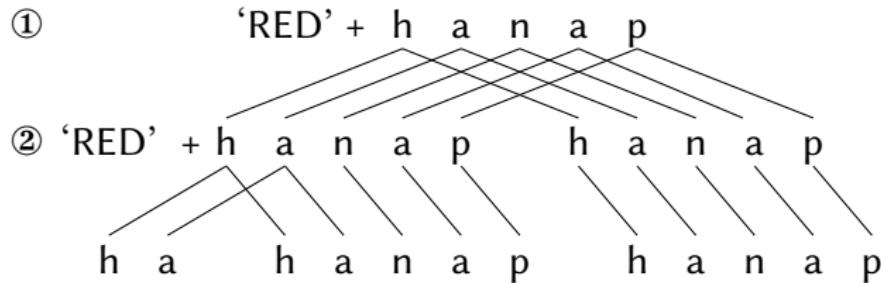
(1) Reduplication in Tagalog

(Mattes, 2007, 126)

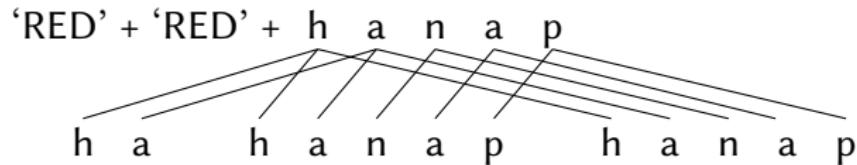
- a. nag- **du** ~ **man** siya **bulan** ~ **bulan**
BEG.Av-IPFV~DEM.DIST 3.Sg.AF PL~month
‘S/he goes there every month’
- b. ini an **ha** ~ **hanap** ~ **hanap** -on
DEM.Prox PB IPFV~PL~look.for-UG
‘here (they are) continuously searching’

Multiple Reduplication = Iterative Reduplication?

(2) Cyclic: Iterative application of copying

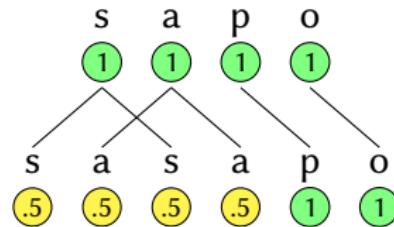


(3) Non-cyclic: One application of copying

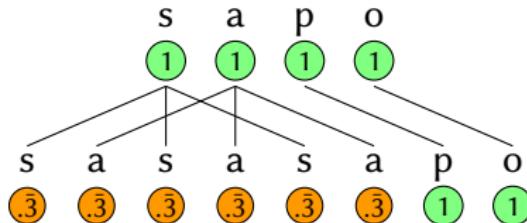


Main Claim

1. Copying in the phonology is **distribution of underlying activity**.



2. Multiple reduplication is **simultaneous distribution of activity**.



1. The Proposal in a Nutshell
2. Empirical Evidence: The Copying-Weakening Correlation
3. Copying as Weakening: Theoretical Modeling
4. Non-iterative Distribution of Activity
5. Discussion and Conclusion

1. The Proposal in a Nutshell

Gradient Symbolic Representation (Smolensky and Goldrick, 2016; Rosen, 2016)

- symbols in a linguistic representation can have **different activities**
- in the following, all output activity is 1
- different activities result in **gradient faithfulness violations**
 - weakly active elements are easier to delete than ‘normal’ segments
 - it is costly to realize weakly active elements

(4)

	b a t - p 1 1 1 .5	*CC	MAX	D _{EP}
a.	b a t p 1 1 1 .5 +.5	-1		-0.5
b.	b a t p 1 1 1 .5 -.5		-0.5	
c.	b a t p 1 1 1 .5 -1 +.5		-1	-0.5

X = ‘deleted’ elements
that are not realized
(-zero activity)

Proposal: Fission is Distribution of Activity

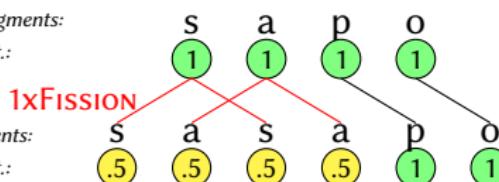
(5) GEN restriction on fission

Input element S_1 with activity A corresponds to x output elements S_1 with underlying activity A/x .

(6) Copying weakens **symmetrically**

Underlying segments:

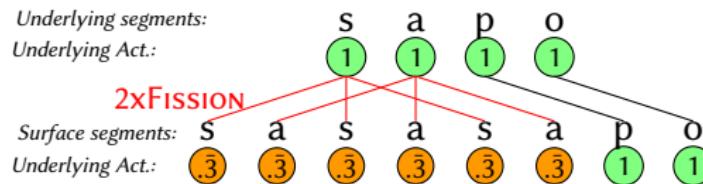
Underlying Act.:



(7) **More copying = more weakening**

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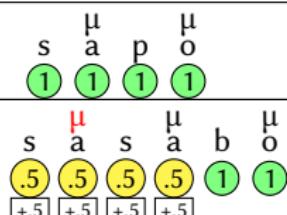
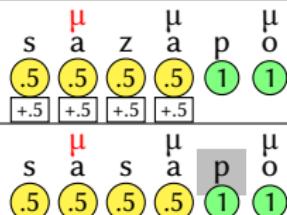
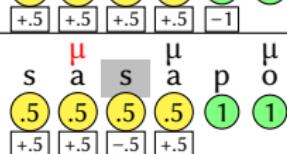
Underlying Act.:



Prediction: Weakening = Phonological Reduction

- elements that are weakened by copying are more prone to phonological reduction (=reduction, feature change)

(8)

	μ s a p o	IDENT	MAX
a.		-1	Change of a non-copied C
b.		-0.5	Change of a non-copied C
c.		-1	Deletion of a non-copied C
d.		-0.5	Deletion of a copied C

2. Empirical Evidence: The Copying-Weakening Correlation

The Copying-Weakening Correlation

(9) *The Copying-Weakening-Correlation (=CWC)*

Every copy operation weakens all the elements involved in the copying.

A. copying weakens **symmetrically**

→ reduction for the copy-exponent, the copied base, or both

B. **more copying implies more weakening**

→ different thresholds: reduction only for copied elements, reduction only for elements that are copied twice,...

A. Copying symmetrically weakens all elements

- (10) a. Reduction in the copy-exponent*

$$\square + \text{sapo} \Leftrightarrow \text{sə} \sim \text{sa po}$$

(McCarthy and Prince, 1995; Becker and Flack Potts, 2011)

e.g. Gitksan, Shuswap, Sanskrit...

- b. Reduction in the copied base

$$\square + \text{sapo} \Leftrightarrow \text{sa} \sim \text{sə po}$$

(Shaw and Howe, 1999; Struijke, 2000)

e.g. Tohono O'odham, Heiltsuk, Lushootseed,...

- c. Reduction in both copy-exponent and copied base

$$\square + \text{sapo} \Leftrightarrow \text{sə} \sim \text{sə po}$$

(Struijke, 2000)

e.g. Kwakwala, Hausa, Tagalog,...

*‘TETU in the reduplicant’=one main argument for correspondence-theory (McCarthy and Prince, 1995)

B. More copying implies more weakening: Complete avoidance in Kyuquot (Rose, 1981)

(11) Suffix-triggered reduplication

/tɬuk- <u>as</u> /	tɬu: ~ tɬuk'ʷas	'He has wide wrists'	p.312
/mitxʷ- <u>si(tɬ)-apa</u> /	mi: ~ mi:txʃitɬap	'He turned too much'	p.325
/?u-ħw'aɬ-apa/	?u: ~ ?u:ħw'aɬap	'He used it too much'	p.340

(12) Multiple reduplication-triggers: One copy-exponent

/m'aɬ- <u>as-apa</u> /	m'a: ~ m'a: tɬ?asap	'He has really cold wrists'	
	* m'a: ~ m'a: ~ m'a: tɬ?asap		
/tɬ'uk-a:n'uɬ-apa/	tɬ'u: ~ tɬ'u: kʷan'ɬap	'His legs are really big'	
/pumaɬ-suɬ-apa/	pu: c ~ pu: maɬ-suɬ-ap	'He has really itchy eyes'	

- a pattern that can be found in basically all Southern Wakashan languages (e.g. Stonham, 1994, 2004; Davidson, 2002; Kim, 2003b)

B. More copying implies more weakening: Reduction in Sikaiana (Donner, 2012)

(13) Repetitive reduplication

(Donner, 2012, 23+24)

a. *Bisyllabic repetitive reduplication*

sopo	sopo ~ sopο	'jump'
sepu	sepu ~ sepu	'dive'
motu	motu ~ motu	'snap'

b. *CV/C-reduplication in the plural*

sopo	s ~ so po	so ~ so po	'jump'
sepu	s ~ se pu	se ~ se pu	'dive'
moe	m ~ mo e	mo ~ mo e	'sleep'

c. *Obligatory C-reduplication if both are combined*

sopo	sopo ~ s ~ so po	* sopο ~ so ~ so po	'jump'
sepu	sepu ~ s ~ se pu	* sepυ ~ so ~ se pu	'dive'

Summary: The Copying-Weakening Correlation

(14)

	No Reduplication	1 x Reduplication	2 x Reduplication	
Lg 1		Reduction*		e.g. Palauan
Lg 2	No Reduction		Reduction*	e.g. Lushootseed
Lg 3	No Reduction		Reduction*	e.g. Sikaiana
Lg 4	No Reduction			e.g. Papapana

*in copy-exponent and/or copied base

3. Copying as Weakening: Theoretical Modeling

Copying as Weakening: Background Assumptions

Fission is distribution of activity

- all phonological elements have an underlying activity (=GSR)
- reduplication results from fission=equal distribution of underlying activity

1. Reduplication Results from Prosodic Affixation
2. Harmonic Grammar
3. Containment

1. Reduplication Results from Prosodic Affixation

(Marantz, 1982; Pulleyblank, 2009; Saba Kirchner, 2010, 2013a,b)

- reduplicative morphemes contain **segmentally empty prosodic nodes** that are filled with ‘copied’ elements
- copying is **fission** of segments violating (15)
(Spaelti, 1997; Struijke, 2000; Gafos, 2003; Nelson, 2003)

(15) INT_S : Assign -1 violation to every pair of output segments that correspond to the same input segment.

(16)

	μ	μ		$\mu > V$	$DEPS$	$*V:$	INT_S
a.	μ	μ		*	!		
b.	μ	μ					**

2. Harmonic Grammar (Legendre et al., 1990; Potts et al., 2010)

- ☞ constraints are **weighted**, not ranked

(17) Toy Example: Weighted Constraints

Input	C1	C2	C3	<i>Harmony Score</i>
	100	60	50	
a. Output candidate 1	-1			-100
b. Output candidate 2		-1	-1	-110
c. Output candidate 3		-2		-120

3. Containment (Prince and Smolensky, 1993/2004)

- no literal deletion; elements with **zero activity** remain unrealized
- non-realized elements can be enough to fill prosodic nodes
(Trommer, 2011; Trommer and Zimmermann, 2014; Zimmermann, 2017)

(18) $\mu > V$:
Assign -1 violation for every μ that does not dominate a vowel.

(19) $\boxed{\mu > V}_P$:
Assign -1 violation for every μ that does not dominate a
phonetically interpreted vowel.

3. Containment (Prince and Smolensky, 1993/2004)

(20) Copying and deletion of copied elements

μ	s	μ	a	μ	p	μ	o	μ	$\mu > V$	DEP	MAX	$\boxed{\mu > V}$ P	INTS	
	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					500	100	20	20	10	
a.	μ	s	μ	a	μ	p	μ	o	-1			-1		-520
b.		s	μ	a	μ	p	μ	o					-2	-220
c.		s	μ	a	μ	p	μ	o					-2	-200

Detailed description: The table illustrates copying and deletion of elements. Row 1 shows the initial state with four green circles labeled 1 under s, a, p, and o, and red mu symbols above them. Row 2 shows state 'a.' where each element has been copied once, resulting in four green circles labeled 1 under s, a, p, and o, and one red mu symbol above s. Row 3 shows state 'b.' where each element has been copied twice, resulting in four yellow circles labeled .5 under s, a, p, and o, and two red mu symbols above s and a. Row 4 shows state 'c.' where the first element has been deleted (indicated by a grey square), resulting in three yellow circles labeled .5 under s, a, p, and o, and one red mu symbol above s. The last row contains empty cells for further analysis.

Prediction 1: Thresholds for Symmetric Reduction

(21)

Weaker

- =Less protected by MAX, IDENT
- =More penalized by DEP



	No Reduplication	1 x Reduplication	2 x Reduplication
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Lg 3	No Reduction		Reduction*
Lg 4	No Reduction		e.g. Papapana

*in copy-exponent and/or copied base

Thresholds: More Copying = More Reduction

(22) Deletion: Cheaper for copied element

	μ μ s a p μ μ 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	MAX
☞ a.	s a s a p μ μ .5 .5 .5 .5 1 1 +.5 +.5 -.5 +.5	-0.5
b.	s a s a p μ μ .5 .5 .5 .5 1 1 +.5 +.5 +.5 +.5 -1	-1

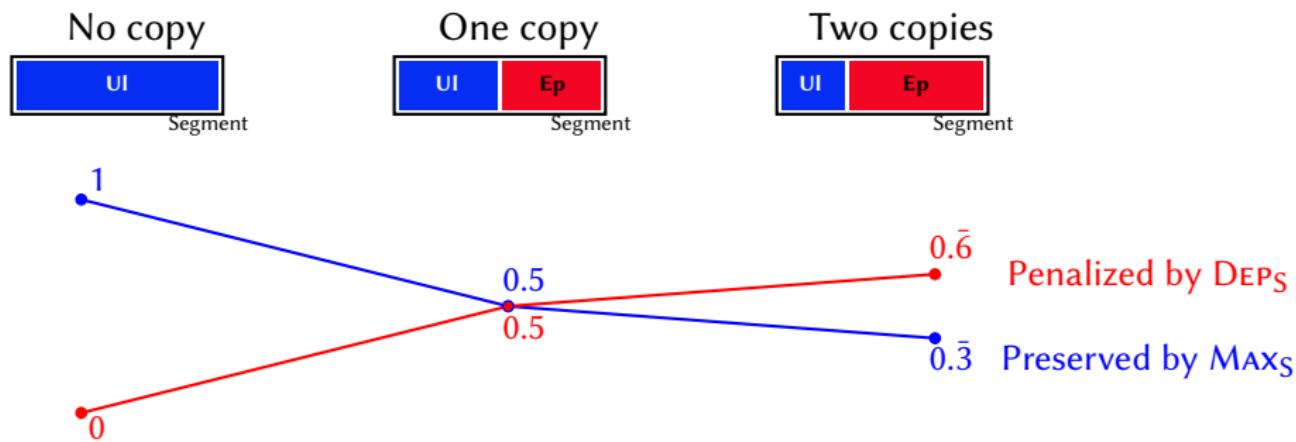
(23) Deletion: Even cheaper for multiply copied element

	μ μ s a p μ μ 1 1 1 1 1 1	MAX
☞ a.	s a s a s a p μ μ .3 .3 .3 .3 .3 .3 1 1 1 +.6 +.6 +.6 +.6 -.3 +.6	-0.3
b.	s a s a s a p μ μ .3 .3 .3 .3 .3 .3 1 1 1 +.6 +.6 +.6 +.6 +.6 +.6 -1	-1

Prediction 2: It Costs to Realize Copied Elements

- realizing copied elements implies adding of activity whereas deleting them does violate MAXS only partially

(24) Being copied: Decreasing the chances of surfacing



- predicts avoidance of copied elements just because they are copied

Lushootseed example: Reduction Only for Copied Vowels

Pattern

- vowels are reduced to /ə/ (=loss of all place features) if they are copied

- (25) a. *UNSTRV:
Assign -1 violation for every unstressed full V (=place features).
- b. ID-V:
For every input vowel with activity I, assign -I violations if the corresponding output vowel has a different place feature specification.

Lushootseed example: Reduction Only for Copied Vowels

- (26) a. $\text{ID-V} \gg * \text{UNSTRV}$
 b. $* \text{UNSTRV} \gg -0.5 \times \text{ID-V}$

- (27) Reduction in the copied base

μ j $\overset{\mu}{\text{u}}$ b $\overset{\mu}{\text{i}}$ l	ID-V	$* \text{UNSTRV}$	DEP	
	40	30	10	
a. j $\overset{\mu}{\text{u}}$ j $\overset{\mu}{\text{u}}$ b $\overset{\mu}{\text{i}}$ l (.5) (.5) (.5) (.5) (1) (1) (1) [+ .5] [+ .5] [+ .5] [+ .5]		-2	-2	-80
b. j $\overset{\mu}{\text{u}}$ j $\overset{\mu}{\text{u}}$ b $\overset{\mu}{\text{i}}$ l (.5) (.5) (.5) (.5) (1) (1) (1) [+ .5] [+ .5] [+ .5] [+ .5]	-1	-1	-2	-90
c. j $\overset{\mu}{\text{u}}$ j $\overset{\mu}{\text{ə}}$ b $\overset{\mu}{\text{i}}$ l (.5) (.5) (.5) (.5) (1) (1) (1) [+ .5] [+ .5] [+ .5] [+ .5]	-0.5	-1	-2	-70

Sikaiana example: Reduction Only for Multiply Copied Vowels

Pattern

- ♦ syncope for the monosyllabic copy-exponent is
 - optional for single reduplication ($s_0 \sim s_0 p_0 / s \sim s p_0$) and
 - obligatory for multiple reduplication ($s_0 p_0 \sim s \sim s_0 p_0$)

- ♦ an instance where copied elements are avoided simply because they are copied

Sikaiana: Optional Syncope for Single Reduplication (monosyllabic)

$$(28) \quad \boxed{\mu > V}_P + 0.5 \times \text{MAX} \sim 0.5 \times D_E P$$

μ	s	μ	p	μ	$\sigma > V_P$	D _E P	MAX	$\mu > V_P$	
	1	1	1	1	100	36	20	8	
a.	.5 +.5	.5 +.5	.5 +.5	.5 +.5	1	-2			-72
b.	.5 +.5	.5 -.5	.5 +.5	.5 +.5	1	-1.5	-0.5	-1	-72

*Simplification of the optionality that can be modeled in, e.g. MaxEnt (Johnson, 2002; Goldwater and Johnson, 2003; Wilson, 2006).

Sikaiana: Syncop in Multiple Reduplication Contexts

$$(29) \quad 0.6 \times D_{EP} + OCP_C \gg 0.3 \times MAX$$

$\sigma \sigma$	σ	σ	$\sigma > V_P$	D _{EP}	MAX	$\mu > V_P$
μ	μ	μ	100	36	20	8
s 1	o 1	p 1				
a.	σ	σ	σ	σ	σ	
	μ	μ	μ	μ	μ	
s .3	o .3	p .5	$o \sim s$.5	$o \sim s$.3	$o \sim s$.3	$o \sim s$.5
[+.6]	[+.6]	[+.5]	[+.5]	[+.6]	[+.6]	[+.5]
b.	σ	σ	σ	σ		
	μ	μ	μ	μ		
s .3	o .3	p .5	$o \sim s$.5	$o \sim s$.3	$o \sim s$.3	$o \sim s$.5
[+.6]	[+.6]	[+.5]	[+.5]	[+.6]	[-.3]	[+.6]

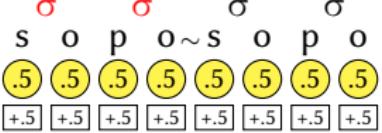
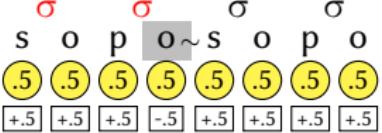
Additional Details: Reduction restricted to one vowel?

- copy-exponent deletion since copied V's are preferably avoided
 - copied elements **filling affixed μ : can be deleted**
(=lower weight of $\boxed{\mu > V}_P$)
 - copied elements filling affixed σ^* : never deleted
(=high weight of $\boxed{\sigma > V}_P$)
- and the penult stressed V is never deleted (=positional faithfulness)

*Or those already prosodified-dominated by a σ in the input.

Additional Details: No Syncope for Single Reduplication (bisyllabic)

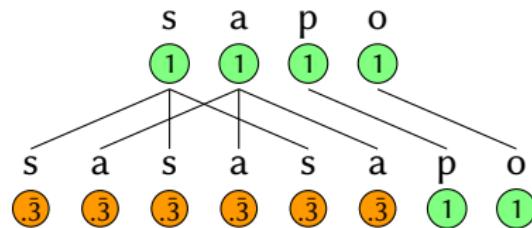
$$(30) \quad \boxed{\sigma > V}_P + 0.5 \times \text{MAX} \gg 0.5 \times \text{DEP}$$

$\sigma \sigma$ s o p o 1 1 1 1	$\boxed{\sigma > V}_P$	DEP	MAX	$\mu > V_P$	
	100	36	20	8	
a. 		-4			-144
b. 	-1	-3.5	-0.5		-236

4. Non-iterative Distribution of Activity

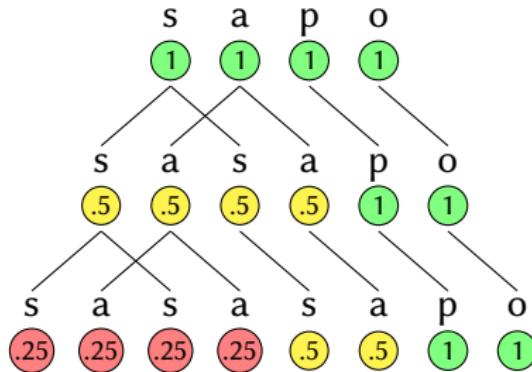
Iterative vs. non-iterative distribution of activity

(31) Non-iterative distribution of activity



→ **symmetric** weakening to
0. $\bar{3}$

(32) Iterative distribution of activity



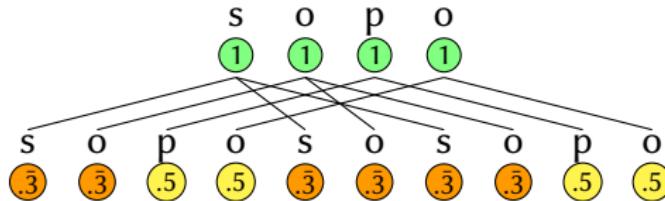
→ **asymmetric** weakening to
0.25 + 0.5

Iterative vs. non-iterative distribution of activity: Sikaiana

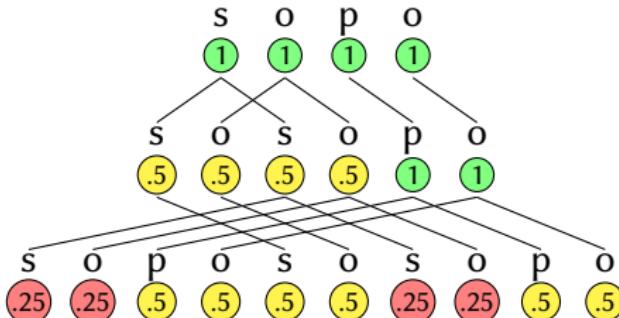
$/σσ + μ + sopo/ \rightarrow sopo \sim s \text{ [o]} \sim sopo$

→ the outermost bisyllabic copy-exponent copies the stem (not the adjacent string)

(33) Non-iterative multiple copying

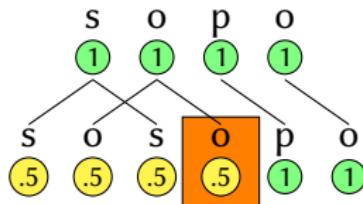


(34) Iterative multiple copying

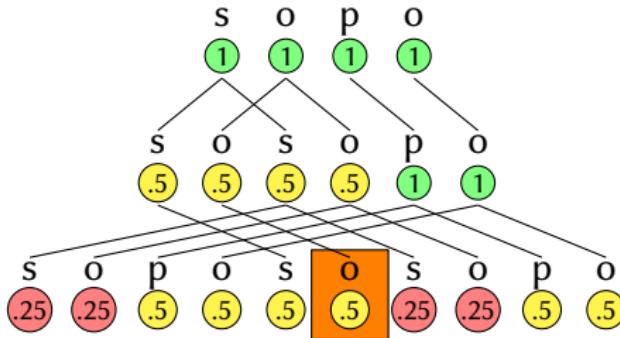


Iterative Copying and Reduction: Wrong Prediction

- (35) Single copying: Optional reduction of 0.5-segment



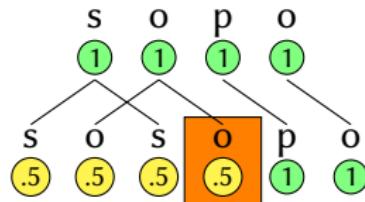
- (36) Multiply copying: Obligatory reduction of a 0.5-segment



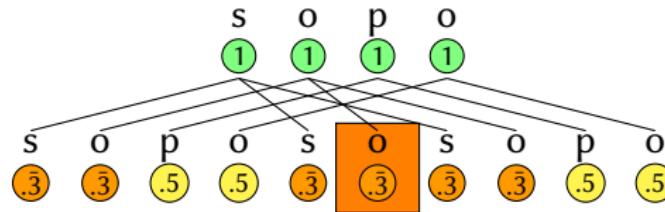
multiple copying does not further weaken the segment affected by reduction

Non-iterative Copying and Reduction: Correct Prediction

(37) Single copying: Optional reduction of 0.5-segment



(38) Multiply copying: Obligatory reduction of a 0.3̄-segment

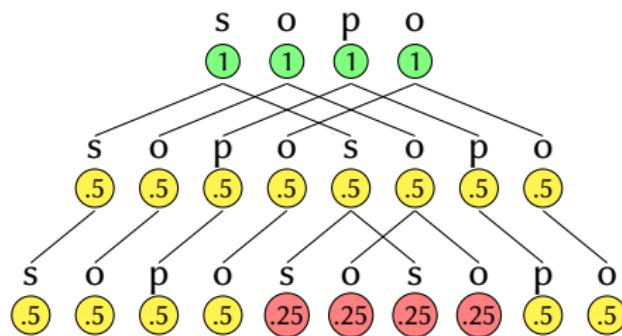


multiple copying further weakens the segment affected by reduction

A Possible Solution: Infixation

(39) [PL_μ [REP _{$\sigma\sigma$} – stem]]

(40) Iterative copying and infixation of the plural agreement marker



→ ‘counter-cyclic interfixation – the worst of the worst’
 (Gereon Müller, this morning)

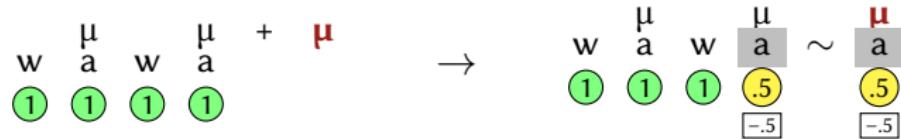
5. Discussion and Conclusion

Further Prediction

- Complete reduction in copy-exponent and copied base (e.g. Sikaiana'/Ahousaht')?

- systematically attested as subtraction of prosodically defined portions to express morphological category
(e.g. Dressler, 2000; Arndt-Lappe and Alber, 2012; Zimmermann, 2017)
- e.g. Aymara accusative /wawa + Acc/ -> [waw]
(Briggs, 1976; Hardman, 2001; Coler, 2010)

(41) Aymara subtraction as ‘reduplication’



Conclusion

- the Copying-Weakening Correlation is evidence for redefining fission as **distribution of underlying activity** and for adopting a phonological account to reduplication
- multiple reduplication contexts must in principle allow for **simultaneous multiple copying** to predict that all copied elements are **symmetrically weakened by every copy operation**
 - vs. a cyclic model where every reduplicative morpheme=1 cycle
 - vs. an inherently iterative model as Serial Template Satisfaction in HS (McCarthy et al., 2012)

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Max and DEP and GSR

- (42) a. **DEP** : For every pair of corresponding input output elements with underlying activity I and an output activity O where $I < O$: Assign $-(O-I)$ violations.
- b. **Max** : For every pair of corresponding input output elements with underlying activity I and an output activity O where $I > O$: Assign $-(I-O)$ violations.

Further Predictions 2-4

- If output elements can have weak activity and thus violate markedness gradually (cf. Zimmermann (2018a,c,b); vs. Smolensky and Goldrick (2016); Rosen (2016)), copy-exponents and copied bases are predicted to **tolerate more marked structure**
 - e.g. marked structures in copy-exponent in Oowekeyala (Howe, 2000)
 - e.g. copy-exponents as exceptional non-undergoers in Mojeño Trinitario (Rose, 2014; Marquardt, 2018)
- Weakening not only implies reduction but also being an easier target for **other phonological processes** (e.g. assimilation)
- The same typology is expected for **phonotactic copying** (Kawahara, 2007; Kitto and de Lacy, 1999)

Further Prediction 5

- **Phonetic differences** between elements with different (underlying) activity?

- gradient phonetic effects are well-attested: e.g. subphonemic gradience in word-final devoicing, nasal place assimilation, flapping (e.g. Braver, 2013), vowel harmony is gradient; gets weaker the farther it spreads (McCollum, 2018),...
- optional deletion in Sikaiana single reduplication might in fact be a phonetic effect rather than optional phonological deletion (and optional variation between /C₁V₁~C₁V₁.../ and /C₁~C₁V₁.../ is well-attested in Austronesian, e.g. Hoava (Davis, 2003; Blevins, 2005) or Doku (Unger, 2018))

A. C-Reduction in the Copy Exponent: Gitksan (Brown, 2008)

- fixed segmentism reduplication with /i/ (and /a/ next to gutturals)

(43) Plural reduplication (Brown, 2008, 147+148)

dzap	d z i p ~ d z a p	'make, do'
dulpx ^w	d i l ~ d u l px ^w	'to be short'
?isx ^w	? a s ~ ? i s x ^w	'stink, smell'

- deaffricativization, deglottalization (+predictable voicing), and depalatalization in the copy-exponent

(44) Plural reduplication and C-reduction (Brown, 2008, 147+148)

m'ats	m i s ~ m' a ts	'to hit, strike'	ts	→	s
t'u:ts'x ^w	d i s ~ t' u: ts' x ^w	'be black'	X'	→	X
maʃx ^w	m i s ~ m a ʃ x ^w	'white'	ʃ	→	s
iʃxw	a s ~ i ʃ xw	'stink, smell'			

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- (45) Plural reduplication and C-reduction (Brown, 2008, 147+148)

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maʃx ^w	m i s ~ m a ʃ x^w	'white'	ʃ	→	s
iʃxw	a s ~ i ʃ xw	'stink, smell'			

→ no such reduction outside of reduplication contexts

- (46) Preservation of glottalization and affricates (Brown, 2008, 127)

hi-ts'aqt 'the tip of it' (+DEF-prefix)/
 si-ts'aq' 'dig, gather clams' (+INTR-prefix)/

B. V-Reduction in the Copied Base: Lushootseed

(Broselow, 1983; Bates et al., 1994; Urbanczyk, 2001)

- alternation between fixed vowel reduplication /Ci-/ and /CV-/

(47) Diminutive Reduplication (Urbanczyk, 2001, 195-207)

a. *Fixed V in copy-exponent*

dú:k ^w	'knife'	d í ~ d u:k ^w	'small knife'
g ^w ədíl	'sit'	g ^w í ~ g ^w ədil	'sit down briefly'

b. *V-Reduction without fixed V*

júbil	'die, starve'	jú ~ jø bil	'small animal dies'
s-túlæk ^w	'river'	s- tú ~ tə læk ^w	'creek'

c. *V-Deletion without fixed V*

pástəd	'white person'	pá ~ p stəd	'white child'
?úsil	'dive'	?ú ~ ? sil	'shallow dive'

C. Reduction in Copy Exponent and Copied Base: Kwak'wala

(Boas, 1947; Kalmar, 2003; Saba Kirchner, 2010)

- suffixation of /m'u:t/ 'refuse, useless' accompanied by reduplication

(48) Reduction in the copied base (Saba Kirchner, 2010, 177-80)

a.	səl	'drill'	səl ~ sə mu:t	'left after drilling'
	kən	'scoop up'	kən ~ kə mu:t	'left after scooping up'
b.	k'a:p	'(mouse) gnaw'	k'a: ~ k'əp m'u:t	'gnawings of mouse'
	ti:ɬ	'bait'	ti: ~ təɬ m'u:t	'remains of bait'

(49) Reduction in the copy exponent (Saba Kirchner, 2010, 176-79)

a.	məndz	'cut kindling wood'	mə ~ mən dzəmu:t	'left after cutting kindling woods'
	c'əm'	'melt'	c'ə ~ c'əm' əm'u:t	'left after melting'
b.	q ^w , a:l'	'scorch'	q ^w ,ə ~ q ^w , a:l' əmu:t	'embers'
	sa:q ^w ,	'peel bark'	sa: ~ sa:q ^w , əmu:t	'left after peeling bark'

C. Reduction in Copy Exponent and Copied Base: Kwak'wala

- reduction avoids stress clashes (*HH) and builds unmarked iambic feet LH, LL, H (H=V: or sonorant coda) (Struijke, 2000; Saba Kirchner, 2010)

(50)	e.g.	*expected			surface	
		H	H	H	LH	H
a.	səl	(səl)	(səl)	(mu:t)	(sə . səl)	(mu:t)
b.	k'a:p	(k'a:p)	(k'a:p)	(mu:t)	(k'ə . k'a:p)	(mu:t)
c.	məndz	(mən)	(mən)	LH (dzə.mu:t)	(mə . mən)	(dzə.mu:t)

- these repairs are bound to copy exponents and copied bases

(51)	surface			*repair	
	H	H	H	LH	LH
	(ts'ó:)	(l'èm)	(y'à:)	(ts'ə.l'èm)	(y'ə.y'à:)

Avoidance of Multiply Copied Segments: Sikaiana

- in Sikaiana multiply-copied segments are so weak that they are only tolerated under affix-syllables*, not affix-moras
- that **only vowels are deleted**, not consonants: only DEPV is important and MAXV less important enough; the weighting for DEPC and MAXC is different

Footnote: This is an instance of ‘anti-anti-gemination’
(Odden, 1988; Bakovic, 2005; Rose, 2000)

- attested in other Austronesian languages (e.g. Nukuoro, Carroll and Soulik, 1973)
- could alternatively triggered by an OCP that is violated by C₁VC₁ but not by C₁C₁ (=a geminate), cf. Rose (2000)

*And within the stem that is already prosodified prior to affix concatenation.

Sikaiana, tested with the Maxent Grammar Tool (Hayes, 2009)

Weights

MAX_C : 39.510925583659265

MAX_V : 17.130320954981542

DEP_C : 0.0

DEP_V : 17.143113638603637

$\mu > V_p$: 0.0

$\sigma > V_p$: 3.6237071556071663

CONT: 5.91793226522023

Probabilities

$\sigma + \text{sopo}$

$\text{so} \sim \text{sopo}$: 0.9998680938615468 

$\text{sop} < o > \sim \text{sopo}$: 7.225023388204955E-5

$\text{so} < \text{po} > \sim \text{sopo}$: 1.9017384152256463E-13

$< \text{sopo} > \sim \text{sopo}$: 4.995851293881543E-21

$\mu + \text{sopo}$

$\text{so} \sim \text{sopo}$: 0.49773317757419294 

$s < o > \sim \text{sopo}$: 0.5009270527781152 

$< so > \sim \text{sopo}$: 4.900172127756463E-7

$o \sim \text{sopo}$: 0.0013392796304789309

$\sigma + \mu + \text{sopo}$

$\text{sopo} \sim \text{so} \sim \text{sopo}$: 0.0020702788740010795

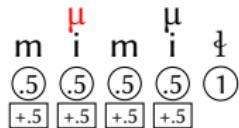
$\text{sopo} \sim s < o > \sim \text{sopo}$: 0.995297845849349 

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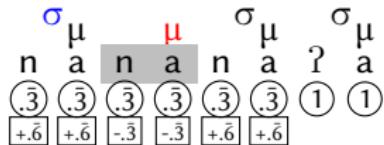
Avoidance of Multiply Copied Segments: Ahousaht Nuuchahnulth

- we see the expected deletion of **all multiply copied elements** (under certain affix nodes): $\text{DEP}_C/\text{DEP}_V$ and $\text{MAX}_C/\text{MAX}_V$ have same weight

- (52) a. No Deletion under affixed μ : Single copying



- b. Deletion under affixed μ : Multiple copying



Contiguous Morpheme Copying

(53) MCONT

For every pair of output elements O_1 and O_2 corresponding to input elements I_1 and I_2 that belong to the same morpheme and I_1 directly precedes I_2 :

Assign * for every O_1 that is not directly followed by O_2 and for every O_2 that is not directly preceded by O_1 .

- a non-existential version demanding **contiguous linear order for all instances of an element** and hence subsumes (54-a+b)

(54) CONTIGUITY (McCarthy and Prince, 1995, 123)

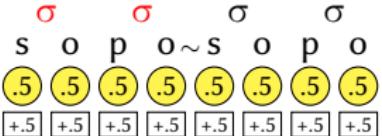
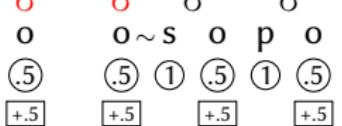
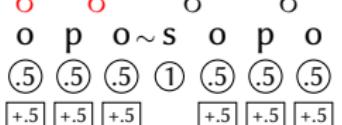
I-CONTIG ('No skipping')

The portion of S_1 standing in correspondence forms a contiguous string.

O-CONTIG ('No intrusion')

The portion of S_2 standing in correspondence forms a contiguous string.

Contiguous Morpheme Copying

$\sigma \sigma$ s o p o 1 1 1 1	$\sigma > V_p$	MCONT	DEP	MAX	INT	
	100	50	36	20	5	
a. 			-4		-4	-164
b. 		-3	-2		-2	-232
c. 		-1	-3		-3	-173

Laryngeal Reduction in Copy-Exponent and Copied Base: Tagalog

- ‘Contractions of this type never occur in non-reduplicated bases such as /daʔán/ ‘road’ or /bulhok/ ‘hair’, nor (as already noted) do they occur in reduplicated disyllables that do not contain a laryngeal consonant between like vowels’ (Blust, 2007, 7)

(55) Reduplication in Tagalog (Blust, 2007, 7)

búhos	‘pouring’	b-al-usbós	‘grain spilled from package’
laʔáb	‘spreading flame’	l-ag-abláb	‘noisy conflagration’
laʔás	‘cracked’	laslás	‘ripped’
láhad	‘opening of the hand’	ladlád	‘opened’
sáhaŋ	‘potency’	saŋsáŋ ~ sansáŋ	‘strong agreeable odor’
súhol	‘bribe’	sulsól	‘instigation to do evil’
suʔój	‘advance against odds’	suŋsóŋ	‘go against wind’
tahán	‘cessation’	tantán	‘cessation’

V shortening in Copy-Exponent and Copied Base: Hausa

- (56) Adjectival reduplication (Inkelas and Zoll, 2005, 87)

gishiri:	'salt'	gishiri-gishiri	'salty'
búhu:	'sack'	búhu-búhu	'sacklike'
gá:ri:	'flour'	gá:ri-gá:ri	'powdry'