

Class 10: Correspondence review

To do

- Fijian assignment (on last week's material) is due tomorrow (Fri)
- Next reading is Moreton 2008 (due Tuesday)
- Project: have 1st meeting with me by the end of this week

1 Trick question

- Does /tui/ → [ty] violate IDENT-IO(round)?

2 Correspondence (McCarthy & Prince 1995) = Part-numbering

- Every segment in the input bears a unique index (and perhaps every unit of structure, including features, moras, syllables...), usually written as a subscript number.
- The relation of *correspondence* between input and output segments is encoded by identical indices (subscripted numbers).

	/t ₁ u ₂ i ₃ /	IDENT(round)	IDENT(back)
<i>a</i>	[t ₁ y ₂]		*
<i>b</i>	[t ₁ y ₃]	*	

- Candidate *a* says that /t₁/ corresponds to [t₁], and /u₂/ corresponds to [y₂].
 - Another way to write that: Corr(/t₁/,[t₁]), Corr(/u₂/,[y₂]).
 - Yet another way: Candidate *a*'s correspondence relation = {(t₁/,[t₁]), (u₂/,[y₂])}
 - We can also draw it:

<i>input</i>	<i>output</i>
/t/	[t]
/u/	[y]
/i/	

- You'll probably never see a tableau with candidates this outrageous, but they are candidates:

	/p ₁ a ₂ t ₃ o ₄ k ₅ /	
<i>a</i>	[p ₁ a ₂ t ₃ o ₄ k ₅]	
<i>b</i>	[p ₅ a ₁ t ₄ o ₂ k ₃]	
<i>c</i>	[p ₁ a ₁ t ₁ o ₁ k ₁]	
<i>d</i>	[p ₆ a ₇ t ₈ o ₉ k ₁₀]	

(I left space in case we want to consider some constraints that this violates)

3 Good and bad correspondence relations

Faithfulness constraints (aka *correspondence constraints*) regulate these relations.

Here are the ones proposed by McCarthy & Prince. We add “**IO**” to specify that we’re talking about input-output correspondence.

IDENT(F)-IO	(don’t change feature values)	If an input segment and an output segment correspond, they must bear identical values for feature [F].
MAX-C-IO	(don’t delete)	Every consonant in the input must have a correspondent in the output.
MAX-V-IO		Every vowel in the input must have a correspondent in the output.
DEP-C-IO	(don’t insert)	Every consonant in the output must have a correspondent in the input.
DEP-V-IO		Every vowel in the output must have a correspondent in the input.
LEFT-ANCHOR(X)-IO		If there is an input segment A at the left edge of X (X = word, stem, phrase, whatever) in the input, and an output segment B is at the left edge of the same X in the output, A must correspond to B.
RIGHT-ANCHOR(X)-IO		If there is an input segment A at the right edge of X (X = word, stem, phrase, whatever) in the input, and an output segment B at the right edge of X in the output, A must correspond to B.
UNIFORMITY-IO	(don’t coalesce)	Nothing in the output can have more than one correspondent in the input.
INTEGRITY-IO	(don’t split)	Nothing in the input can have more than one correspondent in the output.
LINEARITY-IO	(don’t metathesize)	If A precedes B in the input, and A and B both have correspondents in the output, then A’s output correspondent has to precede (but not necessarily immediately precede) B’s output correspondent.
O-CONTIGUITY-IO	(don’t intrude)	If A immediately precedes B in the input, and A and B both have correspondents in the output, then A’s output correspondent has to <u>immediately</u> precede B’s output correspondent.
I-CONTIGUITY-IO	(don’t skip)	If A immediately precedes B in the output, and A and B both have correspondents in the input, then A’s input correspondent has to <u>immediately</u> precede B’s input correspondent.

(MAX = *maximize* the preservation of material in the input

DEP = every segment in the output should *depend* on a segment in the input.)

- Given the input /p₁a₂t₃o₄k₅/, devise, for each of the correspondence constraints above, an output candidate that violates it.
- Can you think of a candidate that violates DEP but not I-CONTIG?
- Can you think of a candidate that violates MAX but not O-CONTIG?
- Can you think of a candidate that violates DEP and L-ANCHOR(Word) in the same place?
- Can you think of a candidate that violates MAX and R-ANCHOR(Word) in the same place?

- Does /p₁a₂t₃o₄a₅/ → [p₁a₂t₃w₄a₅] violate MAX-C-IO?

4 Where it gets tricky

- Does this violate O-CONTIG: /p₁a₂t₃o₄k₅/ → [p₁a₂t₃a₄u₄k₅]? I-CONTIG?

We usually don't worry about it. CONTIG constraints were designed to regulate deletion and insertion inside a candidate (as opposed to at the edge), so they probably wouldn't appear in a tableau with that candidate.

- Does this violate IDENT(round): /t₁u₂i₃/ → [t₁y_{2,3}]?

Struijke 2001 & Struijke 2000, working on reduplication, proposes that faithfulness constraints should be defined existentially:

- IDENT(F)-IO: if A is an input segment with one or more output correspondents, at least one of A's output correspondents must have the same value for [F] as A does.
because this is asymmetrical, I guess we'd also need
- IDENT(F)-OF: if B is an output segment with one or more input correspondents, at least one of B's input correspondents must have the same value for [F] as B does.

5 Strings that can be subject to correspondence

- Input-Output
- Base-Reduplicant
- Output-Output (Benua 1997; Crosswhite 1998; Kenstowicz 1996; Steriade 2000; Burzio 1999 and many others)
- Variant-Variant (Kawahara 2002)

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