

- (2) nalə ɲa Lozom-də tu (1→3)
tomorrow 1SG PN-ACC beat_{1.1A}
‘Tomorrow I will beat Lozom.’
- (3) ni ədɛ-də ɸ-si nəŋə (2→3)
2SG 3SG-ACC INV-kill COP
‘You will kill him (someday)’
- (4) məgə ɲa-də də-β-zwa (3→1)
yesterday 1SG-ACC PFV-INV-push_{2.1O}
‘Yesterday I was pushed (by somebody).’
- (5) məgə ni Lozom-də də-v-li (2→3)
yesterday 2SG PN-ACC PFV-INV-release
‘You released Lozom yesterday. (You don’t remember.)’
- (6) na s^hə-də də-t^hə ɲə (2→3)
2SG who-ACC PFV-beat₂ INT
‘Who did you beat?’
- (7) Lozom-də gə tə! (2→3)
PN-ACC IMP beat₁
‘(You) beat Lozom! (imperative)’

*In the examples above, stem₁ indicates imperfective verb forms, and stem₂ for perfective verb forms.

Figure 1: Inverse marking in declarative sentences

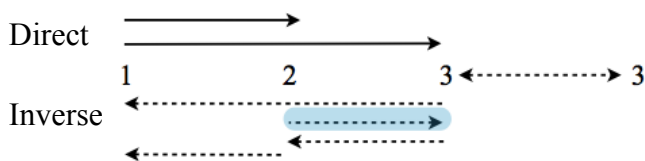
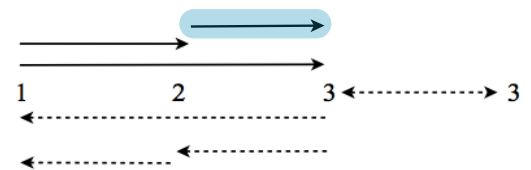


Figure 2: Inverse marking in wh-questions/ imperative sentences



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