Occurrence of Theme=Recipient (Double Object Construction)

The occurrence of a double object construction was investigated, that is: whether both the recipient and the theme of a ditransitive verb are treated like the patient of a mono-transitive verb. Although it cannot be entirely excluded, there is no clear example in the present data set of that construction type, if both NP marking and verbal agreement are taken into account. See Occurrence of Recipient=Patient and Occurrence of Theme=Patient for construction types observed in ditransitive clauses. This feature would deserve a more thorough investigation.

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| Feature value | # of varieties displaying it | % |
| Present | 0 | 0 |
| Absent | 48 | 81 |
| Indeterminate | 11 | 19 |