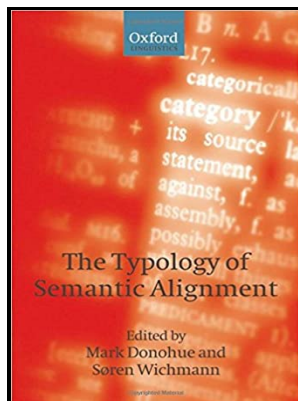# Typology of semantic alignment

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The Cariban language family consists of some 25 extant languages spoken in northern South America, primarily north of the Amazon in Brazil, Venezuela, and the three Guianas, with outliers spoken in Colombia and south of the Amazon in Brazil. Once we have data about what happened where, how do we actually compare particular semantic changes with one another? In the absence of the absolutive NP, the absolutive prefixes are identical to the prefix paradigms found on possessed nouns and postpositions, as seen in Table 2.

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In each case, two distinct source constructions have merged, with one source construction providing the morphosyntax of the intransitive clauses and a different source construction providing the morphosyntax of transitive clauses. The second problem points to the annotation and the analysis that would be needed in order to investigate the phenomenon sufficiently.

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I know this well, since we were struggling hard in a phylogenetic study of Sino-Tibetan languages, where we ended up discarding many interesting languages because the sources did not provide enough lexical data to fill in our wordlists. A true typology of change, however, must show what has not changed along with showing what has changed. As a precondition to assessing the relative plausibility of competing reconstructions, we also examine arguments that make the case for specific, local directions of change.

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