

**Homework #1**  
**Due Wednesday 2/8/23**

**Swahili Verbal Morphology I**

Consider the Swahili data below, and answer the questions which follow.

atanipenda	'He will like me'	atanipiga	'He will beat me'
atakupenda	'He will like you'	atakupiga	'He will beat you'
atampenda	'He will like him'	atampiga	'He will beat him'
atatupenda	'He will like us'	ananipiga	'He is beating me'
atawapenda	'He will like them'	anakupiga	'He is beating you'
nitakupenda	'I will like you'	anampiga	'He is beating him'
nitampenda	'I will like him'	amekupiga	'He has beaten you'
nitawapenda	'I will like them'	amenipiga	'He has beaten me'
utanipenda	'You will like me'	amempiga	'He has beaten him'
utampenda	'You will like him'	alinipiga	'He beat me'
tutampenda	'We will like him'	alikutiga	'He beat you'
watampenda	'They will like him'	alimpiga	'He beat him'
atakusumbua	'He will annoy you'	wametulipa	'They have paid us'
unamsumbua	'You are annoying him'	tulikulipa	'We paid you'

- (i) Divide the words into morphemes, and list them in the following categories: roots, subject markers, object markers, and tense markers (NB: in case you've forgotten your grammatical terminology, the 'is/are X-ing' form is present progressive, and the 'has X-ed' form is present perfect).
- (ii) What is the order of morphemes in the Swahili verb? (That is, make a position class chart.)
- (iii) How would you say 'I am paying him'? \_\_\_\_\_
- (iv) How would you say 'We have annoyed you'? \_\_\_\_\_
- (v) What does the following Swahili word mean? walikutiga \_\_\_\_\_
- (vi) What does the following Swahili word mean? nimemsumbua \_\_\_\_\_