

**Appendix 1.** Subject information on aphasic participants

Case	Name	Etiology	DH	Damage Place	Aphasia	TPO
1	K. <b>A.</b>	stroke	left	FR,TEM	B	20
2	M. <b>L.</b>	stroke	left	TEM, FR,Ins	B	5
3	R. <b>E.</b>	stroke	left	PA	TM	22
4	T. <b>P.</b>	stroke	left	FR, TEM,	TM	15

Note: (DH=damaged hemisphere; TPO=time post onset in month; B=Broca; TM= Transcortical Motor; FR=Frontal; PA=parietal; TEM=Temporal, ins=insula); PAR= parietal .

**Appendix 2.** Root compound nouns

number	compound noun	syntactic		semantic		Part of speech
		head		END	EX	
		I	F		O	
1	<i>toxmmorG</i> (egg)	+		+	+	
2	<i>râhâhan</i> (rail road)	+		+	+	
3	<i>mâšinhesâb</i> (calculator)	+		+	+	
4	<i>mâšintahrir</i> (type writer)	+		+	+	
5	simboksel(wirerope)	+		+	+	
6	râhpelle (stairway)	+		+	+	
7	mušxormâ (ferret)	+		+	+	
8	?âčârboks (socket wrench)	+		+	+	
9	taxtegušt (chopping board)	+		+	+	
10	talemuš (mouse trap)	+		+	+	
11	<i>ruznâme</i> (paper)		+		+	

12	<i>ketâbxâne</i> (library)	+	+	+
13	<i>kamânarre</i> (saw)	+	+	+
14	<i>gurxar</i> (zebra)	+	+	+
15	dâruxâne (drugstore)	+	+	+
16	golmix(doornail)	+	+	+
17	širmâhi (walrus)	+	+	+
18	sagmagas (gadfly)	+	+	+
19	zabtsot (cassette player)	+	+	+
20	xarčang (crab)	+	+	+

Note: (UN, unknown head; I, initial; F, final; END, endocentric; EXO, exocentric; N, noun).

### Appendix 3. Synthetic compound nouns

number	Compound noun	syntactic		semantic		Part of speech
		head	END	EXO	N + verb	
		I	F	I	F	
1	medâdtarâš (sharpener)	+		+		+
2	rištarâš (shaver)	+		+		+
3	dastband(handcuff)	+		+		+
4	pâband(fetter)	+		+		+
5	kamarband(belt)	+		+		+
6	medâdpâkkon(eraser)	+		+		+
7	nâxonçir(nail scissor)	+		+		+
8	jâru(broom)	+		+		+

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9	pâru(snow shovel)	+	+	+
10	dastkeš (gloves)	+	+	+
11	havâpeymâ (palne)	+	+	+
12	xatkeš (ruler)	+	+	+
13	âbpâš (watering pot)	+	+	+
14	damâsandž(thermometer)	+	+	+
15	simčin(clipper)	+	+	+
16	bolandgu (loudspeaker)	+	+	+
17	gelgir(mudguard)	+	+	+
18	durban (camera)	+	+	+
19	kârtxân (card reader)	+	+	+
20	Širjuš (boiling milk)	+	+	+

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#### Appendix 4. Simple nouns (N=40)

*tofang* (gun), *parvâne* (butterfly), *qeyči* (scissor), *divâr*(wall), *qatâr* (train), *gorbe* (cat), *kâktus* (cactus), *?anâr*(pomegranate), *qurbâqe* (frog), *bošqâb* (dish), *fenjân*(cup), *qâyeq* (boat), *medâd* (pencil), *bastani* (ice cream), *čakoš* (hammer), *qomqome* (thermos), *rubâh* (fox), *terâktor* (tractor), *ketâb* (book), *sandali* (chair), *kâmpyo(u)ter* (computer), *kafš* (shoe), *mâhi* (fish), *?arre* (saw), *sanjâqak* (dragonfly), *pirâhan* (shirt), *kolâh* (hat), *felâmingu* (flamingo), *zarrâfe* (giraffe), *li:vân* (glass), *kâleske* (carriage), *šalqam* (turnip), *Khodkâr* (pen), *naqše* (map), *mesvâk* (toothbrush), *sâbun* (soap), *quri* (pot), *bâdemjân* (eggplant), *kelid* (key), *kâm[i]yun* (truck).