

# Findings of the Third Shared Task on Multilingual Coreference Resolution

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| Shared task                          | Languages | Zeros                        |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|
| SemEval 2010 (Recasens et al., 2010) | 7         | not stated                   |
| CoNLL 2012 (Pradhan et al., 2012)    | 3         | removed                      |
| CRAC 2022 (Žabokrtský et al., 2022)  | 10        | included (pre-defined slots) |
| CRAC 2023 (Žabokrtský et al., 2023)  | 12        | included (pre-defined slots) |
| CRAC 2024                            | 15        | included                     |

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2. more focus on zeros
  - three new languages with zeros: Ancient Greek, Old Church Slavonic, and Turkish
  - slots for zeros (empty nodes) must be predicted

# Datasets

# CorefUD 1.2

- public edition of CorefUD 1.2 (Nedoluzhko et al., 2022b)
- 21 coreference datasets for 15 languages
- harmonized using the same annotation scheme
- combines annotation of coreference/anaphora (always manual) with annotation of morphology and dependency syntax (manual if available, otherwise automatic)
- the format is valid CoNLL-U; coreference information stored in the MISC column
- we followed the train/dev/test split of the collection



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## Predicted file:

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# Data preprocessing and starting points

- CorefUD data adjusted for the shared task
- *Gold data*
  - exactly the same, except for a minor technical modification
  - train and dev set
- *Input data*
  - much closer to the real-world scenario
  - morpho-syntactic features replaced with outputs of UDPipe 2 (Straka, 2018)
  - empty nodes removed
  - coreference annotation removed
- Starting points

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| <b>Starting point</b>                     | <b>Baseline</b>    |                    |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
|   | <b>Empty nodes</b> | <b>Coreference</b> |
| <i>Coreference and zeros from scratch</i> | N                  | N                  |
| <i>Coreference from scratch</i>           | Y                  | N                  |
| <i>Refine the baseline</i>                | Y                  | Y                  |

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- PM head is GM head (spans to disambiguate if multiple heads are matching)
- mention heads in CorefUD defined syntactically (Udapi block `corefud.MoveHead`)



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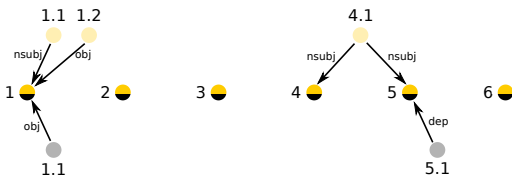
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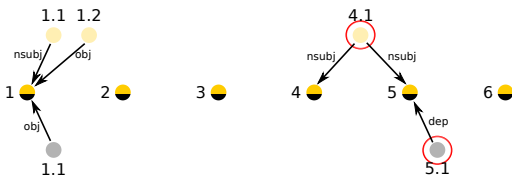
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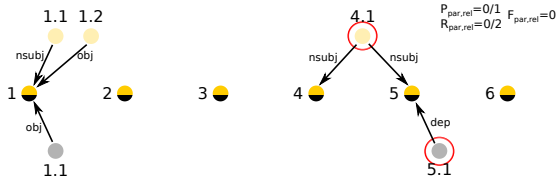
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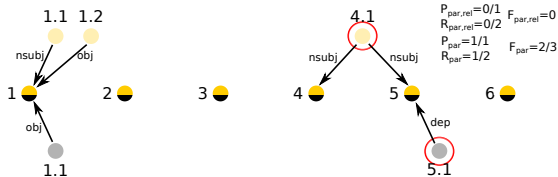
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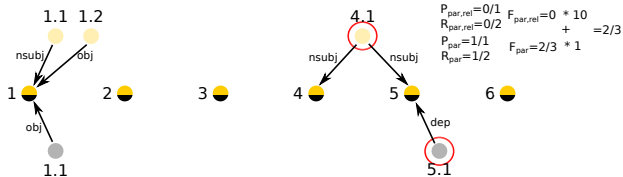
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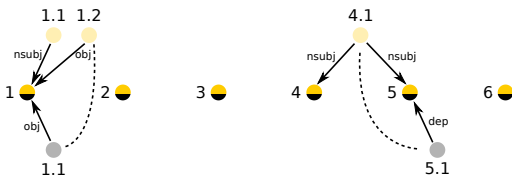
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- entities with a single mention deleted from both the GM and the PM

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  - B<sup>3</sup> (Bagga and Baldwin, 1998)
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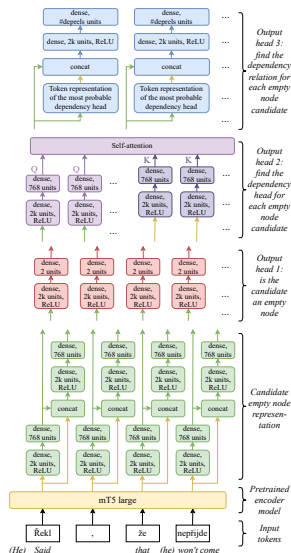
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- based on XLM-RoBERTa large (Conneau et al., 2020)
- two empty-node candidates for each word
- its representation processed by three prediction heads:
  - empty node
  - word order
  - dependency relation

- trained on a combination of all CorefUD datasets with zeros
- macro-avg F1 = 82.9

## • Coreference resolution

- same each year
- based on the system by (Pražák et al., 2021), originally proposed by (Lee et al., 2017)
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## Results and Comparison

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Same team three times in a row. Congratulations!

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| CorPipe-single  | 70.18        | 80.42        | 72.82        | 74.82        | 57.11        | 61.62         | 67.02        | 74.39        | 78.08        | 58.61         | 79.75        | 67.89        | 66.01        | 67.18        | 60.09        | 67.32        | 75.19        | 78.92          | 76.60           | 75.20        | 81.21        | 53.43        |
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| Ritwikmishra    | 16.47        | 0.00         | 0.00         | 0.00         | 6.79         | 25.35         | 48.90        | 0.00         | 0.00         | 53.12         | 0.00         | 43.72        | 5.60         | 0.09         | 33.40        | 30.32        | 44.78        | 0.00           | 0.00            | 0.00         | 53.88        | 0.00         |



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|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| CorPipe-2stage  | <b>73.90</b> | 82.22        | <b>74.85</b> | <b>77.18</b> | <b>61.58</b> | 69.53         | 71.79        | <b>75.66</b> | <b>79.60</b> | 68.89         | <b>82.46</b> | 68.16        | <b>71.34</b> | <b>72.02</b> | 63.17        | <b>69.97</b> | <b>75.79</b> | <b>79.81</b>   | <b>78.01</b>    | <b>78.50</b> | <b>83.22</b> | <b>68.18</b> |
| CorPipe         | 72.75        | 81.02        | 73.71        | 75.84        | 60.72        | <b>71.68</b>  | 71.45        | 74.61        | 79.10        | <b>69.75</b>  | 80.98        | <b>68.77</b> | 68.53        | 70.86        | 60.32        | 68.12        | 75.78        | 79.55          | 77.52           | 77.03        | 83.09        | <b>59.37</b> |
| CorPipe-single  | 70.18        | 80.42        | 72.82        | 74.82        | 57.11        | 61.62         | 67.02        | 74.39        | 78.08        | 58.61         | 79.75        | 67.89        | 66.01        | 67.18        | 60.09        | 67.32        | 75.19        | 78.92          | 76.60           | 75.20        | 81.21        | <b>53.43</b> |
| Ondfa           | 69.97        | <b>82.46</b> | 70.82        | 75.80        | 54.97        | 71.40         | <b>71.91</b> | 70.53        | 74.15        | 55.58         | 81.94        | 62.69        | 61.64        | 61.56        | <b>64.86</b> | 69.26        | 71.97        | 74.51          | 72.07           | 76.34        | 80.47        | <b>64.49</b> |
| BASELINE-GZ     | 54.60        | 69.59        | 68.93        | 66.15        | 27.56        | 47.21         | 55.65        | 63.18        | 63.54        | 33.08         | 70.64        | 53.62        | 31.87        | 24.60        | 41.65        | 54.64        | 62.00        | 64.96          | 63.70           | 67.00        | 65.83        | <b>51.16</b> |
| BASELINE        | 53.16        | 68.32        | 64.06        | 63.83        | 24.51        | 47.21         | 55.65        | 63.19        | 63.54        | 33.08         | 69.58        | 53.62        | 28.76        | 24.60        | 35.14        | 54.51        | 62.00        | 64.96          | 63.70           | 66.24        | 65.83        | <b>44.05</b> |
| DFKI-CorefGen   | 33.38        | 34.77        | 32.89        | 30.88        | 22.52        | 23.07         | 45.85        | 35.49        | 46.59        | 32.69         | 37.76        | 36.34        | 25.87        | 37.96        | 23.53        | 33.85        | 42.73        | 37.92          | 35.69           | 27.19        | 47.79        | <b>9.65</b>  |
| RitwikmishraFix | 30.63        | 27.05        | 0.00         | 0.00         | 6.79         | 25.35         | 48.90        | 48.64        | 61.47        | 53.12         | 30.04        | 43.63        | 5.60         | 0.12         | 33.40        | 30.28        | 44.31        | 56.41          | 53.17           | 0.00         | 53.89        | <b>20.97</b> |
| Ritwikmishra    | 16.47        | 0.00         | 0.00         | 0.00         | 6.79         | 25.35         | 48.90        | 0.00         | 0.00         | 53.12         | 0.00         | 43.72        | 5.60         | 0.09         | 33.40        | 30.32        | 44.78        | 0.00           | 0.00            | 0.00         | 53.88        | <b>0.00</b>  |

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| CorPipe-single  | 79        | 72        | 60        | 73        | 83        | 78         | 60        | 68        | 79        | 63        |
| Ondfa           | <b>87</b> | 79        | 66        | 72        | 90        | 81         | <b>66</b> | <b>77</b> | 86        | <b>82</b> |
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| BASELINE        | 77        | 72        | 61        | 56        | 83        | 66         | 49        | 53        | 82        | 70        |
| DFKI-CorefGen   | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0          | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         |
| RitwikmishraFix | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0          | 0         | 0         | 0         | 0         |
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