



The
Word Order in
Western Asia
Corpus

metadata for the data set

Iranian — Talyshi (Lerik)

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Overview of the data set

data set	iran_talyshi_lerik
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texts	3
tokens	650 analyzed (650 total)

Metadata for individual texts

Text A

source	Miller (1930: 82–84) (WAV ✗ PDF ✓)
location	Lerik, Azerbaijan (38.7736° N, 48.4150° E)
recorded	1902
text type	traditional narrative
speaker	01 — male, age unknown
tokens	93 analyzed (93 total)

Text B

source	Miller (1930: 97–103) (WAV ✗ PDF ✓)
location	Lerik, Azerbaijan (38.7736° N, 48.4150° E)
recorded	1902
text type	traditional narrative
speaker	01 — male, age unknown
tokens	285 analyzed (285 total)

Text C

source	Miller (1930: 113–125) (WAV ✗ PDF ✓)
location	Lerik, Azerbaijan (38.7736° N, 48.4150° E)
recorded	1902
text type	traditional narrative
speaker	01 — male, age unknown
tokens	272 analyzed (272 total)

Background to the data set

The texts in this data set were collected by Boris Miller during field trips to Azerbaijan in 1902 and published in 1930 (Miller 1930). The texts are traditional narratives and folktales that were transcribed and translated into Russian. The publication contains many other types of texts and ethnographic materials representing different varieties of Talyshi, but only folktales from Lerik were used for this dataset.

References

Miller, Boris V. 1930. *Talyšskie teksty*. Moscow: RANION.