1. Record Nr. UNINA9910460174603321 Word formation in South American languages / / edited by Swintha **Titolo** Danielsen, Katja Hannss, Fernando Zuniga Pubbl/distr/stampa Amsterdam, The Netherlands;; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania:,: John Benjamins B.V., , 2014 ©2014 **ISBN** 90-272-6966-1 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (234 p.) Collana Studies in Language Companion Series, , 0165-7763; ; Volume 163 Disciplina 498 Indians of South America - Languages Soggetti Grammar, Comparative and general - Word formation Language and languages - Variation Languages in contact - South America Electronic books. South America Languages Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Word Formation in South American Languages; Editorial page; Title page: LCC data: Table of contents: Introduction and acknowledgments: 1. Zuniga: Nominal compounds in mapudungun; 2. Tacconi: Towards a characterization of compounding in Maka (Mataco-Mataguayan); 3. Cuneo: Augmentative in Toba (Guaycuruan): Form and function; 4. Admiraal and Danielsen: Productive compounding in Baure (Arawakan); 5. Vuillermet: Two types of incorporation in Ese Ejja (Takanan); 6. van Gijn: Reduplication in Yurakare (language isolate); 7. Hannß: Reduplication strategies in Kallawaya (mixed language) 8. Basso: Compounding in Kalapalo, a Southern Cariban language9. Alexander-Bakkerus: Nominalization in Cholon (Cholonan); 10 Acknowledgments; Nominal compounds in Mapudungun; 1. Introduction; 2. Basics of Mapudungun NP structure; 3. Nominal compounds; 3.1 The basics of nominal compounding; 3.2 Beyond the

basics; 3.2.1 Potential guirks; 3.2.2 Smeets (2008); 3.3 Appositional

constructions; 4 Conclusions; Abbreviations; Towards a

characterization of compounding in Maka; 1. Introduction; 2. Characteristics of the Maka community and language; 3. Compounding in Maka: General features

4. Internal structure of compounds 4.1 Noun + poss-Noun; 4.2 Attributive Predicate + poss-Noun; 4.3 poss-Noun + Attributive Predicate (unexpected order); 4.4 Negative Existential Predicate + poss-Noun; 4.5 Quantifier + Noun; 5. Composition in other languages from the Chaco region; 6. Conclusion; Abbreviations; Augmentative in Toba (Guaycuruan): 1. Introduction: 1.1 The Toba language: 1.2 Data sources and methodology; 1.3 Evaluative morphology; 2 The augmentative in Toba; 2.1 Morphological devices; 2.1.1 The (pejorative) augmentative suffix -nag; 2.1.2 The attributive suffix -day 3.1.3 Compounds with a linking morpheme 3.1.4 Exocentric noun compounds; 3.1.5 Reverse compounds; 3.1.6 Coordinate compounds; 3.2 Locative compounds; 3.3 Adjectival and numeral compounds; 3.4 Classifier compounds; 3.5 Multiple root compounds; 3.6 Discussion of Type 1 compounds; 4. Mixed compounds and incorporation (Type 2); 4.1 Mixed compounds; 4.2 Incorporation of nouns and classifiers; 4.3 Discussion of Type 2 compounds; 5. Verbal compounds (Type 3); 5.1 Verbal compounds leading to grammaticalization of suffixation; 5.2 Verbal compounds with empty verb root 5.3 Discussion of Type 3 compounds

Sommario/riassunto

In Amerindian languages and in many other agglutinative languages, subordination is often a matter of nominalization. In Cholon, a language spoken in North-Peru, this is certainly the case: nominalized forms coincide with subordinate clauses. In this language, a nominalized verb form can also be used as a main predicate. In this paper we study the different subordinate clauses that are formed with nominalizations. We then find out which nominalizations are part of a main predicate, and when this is the case. Keywords: Cholon; subordination; nominalized main predicates; syntactical nominalizati