

**[children's playing photographs] vs. [playing children's photographs]:
Mismatched prenominal participial phrases
in Marathi, Hindi-Urdu, Korean & Japanese**

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In many SOV languages of Asia that employ prenominal participial phrases (PPPs) to relativize the hearer must rely on context & pragmatics to infer restrictive as opposed to non-restrictive modification of an NP head. This paper describes a class of exceptions that depends on the mismatched modification of NPs denoting images by PPPs which pertain to the imaged entity (the 'image'). We use quantitative methods applied to data mined from online sources to demonstrate our hypothesis.