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### ON THE ORIGIN OF SOME COMPOUND VERBAL AFFIXES IN MEGRELIAN

In the Megrelian dialects of the Kolkhis lowland there are verb prefixes as “dɣamušis (always, never) and “Sadyemušis taš iqi (It will always last so) “dɣamušis metuniš makiminal vardag” he has never done anything in his lifetime”).

The latter is freely substituted by the direct order “mušayas” (always in his lifetime) and “muš dya do moscrebas”.