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Theme: Contrastive study between Japanese and Marathi for the benefit of Marathi speaking learners of Japanese and Indian and Japanese teachers.

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Background:

There is always a powerful influence of the first language on the learning process of a new language. As it is many times said, there are quite a few similarities between Marathi and Japanese, in terms of grammar, the learners and teachers tend to rely on the structural similarities and there are quite a few errors occurring due to some erroneous understanding/ lack of understanding of similarities and differences the learners have. We intend to study the corresponding structures of these two languages in terms of syntax and semantics.

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