

When does KPT happen

Consonant Gradation is when changes to certain letters occur in a word

Used in certain tenses/personal endings

Takes place between last and 2nd to last syllable

Does not happen when there is a s, h or t next to the consonants (like with maksaa)

Changes

Strong	Weak
kk	k
pp	p
tt	t
nt	nn
nk	ng
mp	mm
lt	ll
rt	rr
t	d
k	deleted
k	v
p	v
lke	lje
rke	rje



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