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- 1 What are the constituents of an XP → spec-head-complement
- 2 What does *merging* involve → a way of building syntactic structure by putting them together under a node
- 3 What is a *completed constituent* → XP
- 4 What is *complement* → an XP i) that satisfies some selectional requirement of a head; ii) helps to delimit the application of a constituent (meaning) = specifier
- 5 What is *adjunction* → the merging of two fully completed constituent
- 6 Exemplify the schemata in (44) → a) quickly kick the ball; b) walk the dog in the park; c) probably very carefully examine the data/very beautiful imitation leather boots; d) walk the dog in the park at 7; e) quickly kick the ball in the garden;
- 7 What is an *augmented XP* → XP+adjunction
- 8 What is a satellite → the XP that is adjoined
- 9 In what sense is the direct object an essential ingredient → it serves to narrow down the action, telling us what is the entity that is the target of the examining
- 10 What does the V select → 1 category; 2 semantic type

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- 1 What is an *argument* → a linguistic element that is required by the meaning of the V, for it to be able to discharge its full meaning
- 2 What is a *participant* → a real-life person/object that is described by the argument (= linguistic unit)
- 3 What are *thematic roles* → the linguistic names of the roles that participants play in real life situations, which is described by the V
- 4 How many thematic roles (= theta-roles) does Haegeman enumerate → 11
- 5 What is the relationship between theta-roles and arguments → one-to-one correspondance
- 6 Which positions do arguments sit in → S, complement position
- 7 What does *thematically related to* mean (p 195) →
- 8 What is a *VP-internal subject*
- 9 What is the semantic difference between lexical/full verbs and auxiliary verbs → 1 syntactic NICE; 2 the latter do not assign th-role
- 10 What is the difference between *lexical* and *functional* heads → +/- Th assignment

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- 1 What does *multiple auxiliaries* refer to
- 2 How does one identify the finite aux in a series of aux
- 3 What is the order of aux
- 4 What is wrong with (57a) → i) ternary branching; ii) empirical: gives wrong SAI prediction
- 5 Where do auxiliaries sit in the tree representation → heads of VP