

3. 構造と文法

3.1. 文のパターン

- (1) a. [S The doctor would prefer [S' for John to stay in the hospital]].
b. [S He didn't ask [S' if she would go there]].
c. [S All kids must [VP know [S' that they are loved by their parents]]].
d. I know [NP a man [S' that kissed Mary]].
- (2) Phrase Structure Rules:
 - a. S NP INFL VP
 - b. VP V S'
 - c. S' COMP S
 - d. NP Det N S'
- (3) a. John thinks [S' that Mary told the police [S' that Bill has committed the crime]].
b. This is [NP a man [S' that feeds [NP the cat [S' that chased [NP the mouse [S' that ate the rice]]]]]].

3.2. 単語によって決まるパターン

- (4) VP V (NP) (PP) (PP) (Measure) S
- (5) -criterion (の一部)
Thematic requirement on the predicates as basic lexical property
Thematic matching between predicates and its syntactic arguments
- (6) Projection Principle:
If a predicate selects _____ in the lexicon, _____ is selected in syntax as well.

3.3. 範疇を超えた共通性

- (7) a. V: [VP destroy [NP the city]]
V: [VP envy [NP others]]
b. N: [NP destruction (of) [NP the city]]
c. A: [AP afraid (of) [NP death]]
A: [AP envious (of) [NP others]]
d. P: [PP in [NP the box]]
- (8) a. V: [VP believe [S' that he is honest]]
b. N: [NP belief [S' that he is honest]]
c. A: [AP aware [S' that he is honest]]
d. P: [PP except [S' that he is honest]]
- (9) a. V: [VP may [V' destroy the city]]
b. N: [NP the [N' destruction of the city]]
c. A: [AP much [A' afraid of death]]
d. P: [PP right [P' on the table]]
- (10) X-bar schemata:
 - a. X'' Specifier X'
 - b. X' X Complement