

LING 130: Semantics: Meaning in Language

Problem Set #5:

Tense and Event Theory

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1 Tense Theory

Using the definitions of tense in Chapter 6 on page 174, you will need to extend the Highgrove model from chapter 3.

- (1) Problem 6.1, page 179-180.
- (2) Problem 6.2, b, c, page 180.

2 Event Theory

- (3) Use the diagnostics we covered in class, and those in the book to determine the event classification for the verbs in Problem 6.3, on page 184.
- (4) Problem 6.4, a, b, on page 190.