

Core Arguments in Universal Dependencies



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 - ▶ Word order (left of predicate, right of predicate)
 - ▶ Case morphology (Nom, Acc, Dat, Gen, Abl, Ins, Loc, Voc)
 - ▶ Adposition (+ case)

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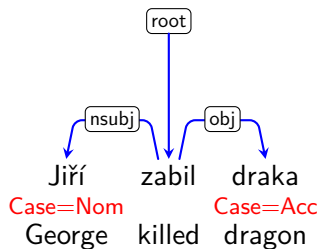
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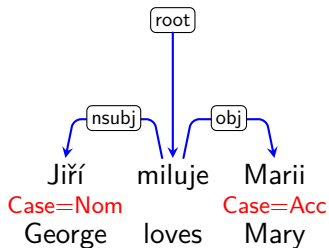
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- Indirect object: questionable benefit
 - ▶ Only for two-obj predicates, only if the other is “better”
 - ▶ OR: all non-accusative objects (whether or not double-obj)
 - ▶ OR: make language-specific

Thank You!
Questions?
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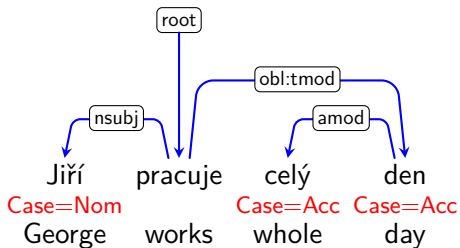
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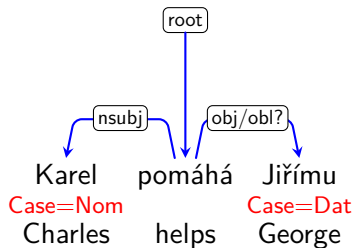
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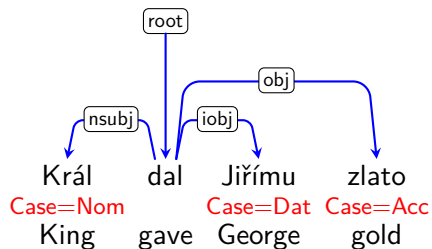
Adjunct with “Core Coding”



“Transitives” with Bare Dative



What is Indirect Object?



Two Accusatives

