Вопрос Инфо

Уважаемые участники!

Олимпиадное задание по направлению «Фундаментальная и прикладная лингвистика» состоит только из инвариантной части. Это означает, что вам нужно постараться решить все задачи и ответить на все вопросы, чтобы претендовать на призовые места.

Использование черновиков, сторонних ресурсов и справочных материалов строго запрещено. Верим в ваш успех!

Вопрос **1** Балл: 35,00



The Last of the Blind Watchman.

"you won't leave old Pew, mates—not old Pew!"

R.L. Stevenson

A blind watchman has been hired to guard a garden. The garden is a regular circle and is surrounded by a fence with gates at equal intervals. At daytime, some gates are open and some are closed by the visitors. At night time, all gates need to be closed. The blind watchman started closing the gates, but realized that he has no idea how many gates there are, or how long the fence is, so that, however far he proceeds, he cannot know when he completed the circle and would not know when he is done with all the gates. All he can do is to move along the fence and check whether a gate is closed or open and to close or open it. (He cannot do anything else – e.g. he cannot modify the fence, leave objects, make any measurements such as measurements of curvature etc.) How can the blind watchman make sure he closed all the gates?

Вопрос 2

Балл: 65,00

Фундаментальная и прикладная лингвистика



Watch your step, kakadzi!

Step 1. Suggest interlinear morphological glosses to the examples that follow (only nominals, no need to gloss verbal forms).

Step 2. Explain the functions of all suffixes you observed (so that the explanation efficiently and economically – i.e. parsimoniously – accounts for their use in all examples).

Step 3. Suggest NP boundaries; discuss alternative analyses if you find any.

Step 4. Indicate all typologically unusual traits of flagging (marking of the role of the NP) that you observe in the language.

- kunarpa lapani
 'The dog ran.'
- 2. kuṇar̃pa lapani mana dʒaṭi 'The dog ran with a stick.'
- kakadzipa lapani.'The goanna* ran.'
- 4. ŋanpayipa lapani yawata dzati 'The man rode a horse.'
- 5. manapa nana nanpayilu 'The man saw the stick.'
- 6. yawatapa nana nanpayilu 'The man saw the horse.'
- 7. kunarpa nana nanpayilu yawata dzatilu 'The man on the horse saw the dog.'
- ŋanpayipa kurapapa dani kakadailu 'The goanna bit the man on the hand.'
- 9. kuṇarpa piṇa ṇanpayilu kurapalu 'The man hit the dog with his hand.'
- kunarpa pina nanpayilu mana dzatilu 'The man hit the dog with a stick.'
- 11. dzinalpa kandzini nanpayilu dzinalu 'The man trod on the spear with his foot.'
- 12. dzinalpa kandzini nanpayilu puut dzatilu 'The man trod on the spear with his boot.'

^{*}Goanna - a species of lizards