

1) All they could see was the blue water surrounding their periwinkle sailboat.

RB PP MD ~~VBD~~ VBD DT JJ NN UUG PP\$ JJ NN

RB = Adverb

PP = Pronoun

MD = Modal Verb

VB ~~VBD~~ = Verb

VBD = Linking Verb

DT = Determiner / Article

JJ = Adjective

NN = Noun

UUG = Gerund Verb

PP\$ = Possessive Pronoun

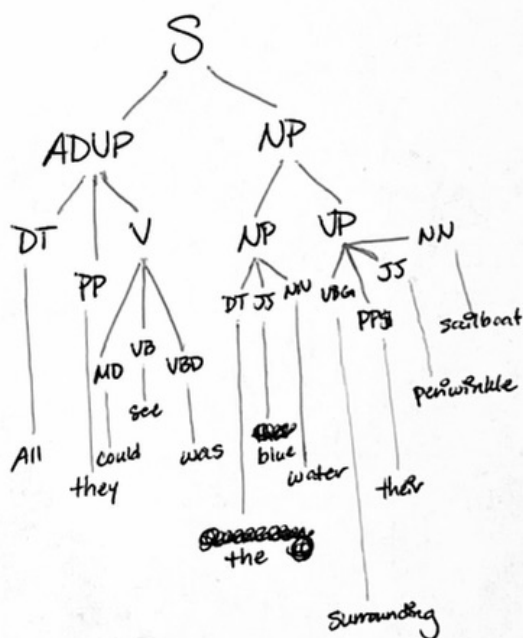
2) PSG Tree

ADVP = Adverb Phrase

NP = Noun Phrase

VP = Verb Phrase

S = Sentence

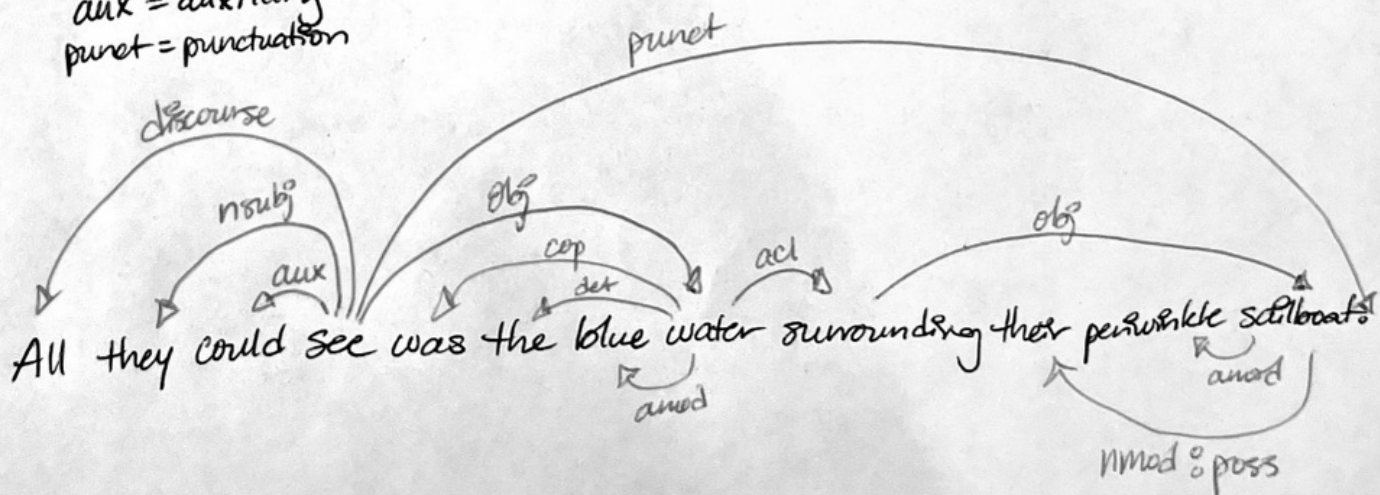


3)

~~ns~~ nsubj = nominal subject
discourse = nominal dependency
aux = auxiliary
punct = punctuation

obj = direct object
cop = copula
det = determiner

amod = adjectival modifier
acl = casual modifier of noun
nmod:poss = possessive nominal modifier



4) See

All they could see was the blue water surrounding their periwinkle sailboat.
Arg1 Arg0 argm-mod V

- predicate = see
- arg0 = they (does action to predicate // agent)
- arg1 = all (is acted upon // patient)
- argm-mod = ~~m~~ could (modifier modal describes predicate)

Was

All they could see was the blue water surrounding their periwinkle sailboat.
Arg1 V Arg2

- predicate = was
- arg1 = "All they could see"
- Arg2 = "the blue water surrounding their periwinkle sailboat"
(entity being used in action // instrument)

Surrounding

All they could see was the blue water surrounding their periwinkle sailboat.
Arg1 V Arg2

- predicate = surrounding
- Arg1 = the blue water
- Arg2 = their periwinkle sailboat

5) In terms of readability, I think the PSG tree is the best. It clearly breaks down each part of the sentence along w/ categorizing the words. The downside is the ambiguity of the format. It's easy to ~~confuse~~ mix up the meaning of a sentence w/ the PSG tree.

For dependency parsing, the sentence meaning is more clear but, it can be hard to follow along w/ the many arrows directing each word's meaning. LR parse gave the most detail & info about the sentence, along w/ clearly breaking up each part.