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| **Tag** | **Description** | **Example** |
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| **(** | contextual separator, left paren | ( |
| **)** | contextual separator, right paren | ) |
| **,** | punctuation mark, comma | , |
| **.** | punctuation mark, sentence closer | .;?\* |
| **:** | punctuation mark, colon | : |
| **AX** |  |  |
| **CC** | conjunction, coordinating | and, or, but |
| **CD** | cardinal number | fixe, three, 13% |
| **DT** | determiner | the, a, these |
| **EX** | existential there | there were six boys |
| **FW** | foreign word | mais |
| **IN** | conjunction, subordinating or preposition | of, on, before, unless |
| **JJ** | adjective | nice, easy, boring |
| **JJR** | adjective, comparative | nicer, easier, more boring |
| **JJS** | adjective, superlative | nicest, easiest, most boring |
| **LS** |  |  |
| **MD** | verb, modal auxillary | may, should, wouldn't |
| **NN** | noun, singular or mass | tiger, chair, laughter |
| **NNP** | noun, proper singular | Germany, God, Alice |
| **NNPS** | noun, proper plural | we met two Christmases ago |
| **NNS** | noun, plural | tigers, chairs, insects |
| **NP** | noun phrase | the pink panther |
| **PDT** |  |  |
| **PRP** | pronoun, personal | me, you, it |
| **PRP$** | pronoun, possessive | my, your, our |
| **RB** | adverb | extremely, loudly, hard |
| **RBR** | adverb, comparative | better |
| **RBS** | adverb, superlative | best |
| **RP** | adverb, particle | about, off, up |
| **S** | subject phrase | suzy [is telling [a lie]] |
| **SYM** |  |  |
| **TO** | infinitival to | what to do? |
| **UH** | interjection | oh, oops, gosh |
| **VA** | verb phrase and arguments | telling a lie |
| **VB** | verb, base form | think |
| **VBD** | verb, past tense | they talked |
| **VBG** | verb, gerund or present participle | programming is fun |
| **VBN** | verb, past participle | a sunken ship |
| **VBP** | verb, non-3rd person singular present | I think |
| **VBZ** | verb, 3rd person singular present | she thinks |
| **VP** | verb phrase | die laughing madly |
| **WDT** | determiner | which, whatever, whichever |
| **WP** | pronoun, personal | what, who, whom |
| **WP$** | pronoun, possessive | whose, whosever |
| **WRB** | adverb, wh- | where, when |