

64 native speakers of English

160 target sentences

followed by a comprehension question

Online self-paced reading experiment

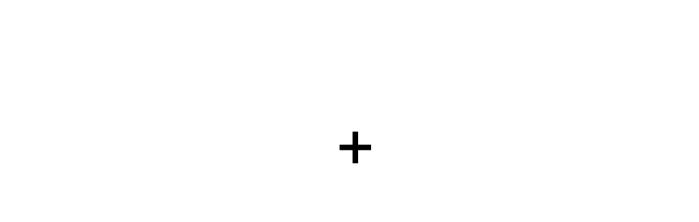


METHODOLOGY

2400 phrases uniques

300 ensembles de 5 mots uniques controlés pour leur fréquence et leur longueur





Observed

by

the

fox

cat

caught

mouse

in

barn

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stationary centered presentation with word-by-word segmentation

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Was the fox observed by the cat?

1 - Short Direct Relation

→ Observed by the fox, the **cat/snake** caught the **mouse** in the barn

2 - Short Indirect Relation

→ The fox that observed the **cat/snake** caught the **mouse** in the barn