

78 experimental sentences



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particle position

VP semantic transparency

the project / the fancy project / the fancy and complex project

monolingual similarity scores from Gordon and Hayes (2005)

adjacent or shifted

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SENTENCES EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN

SHORT NPS	TRANSPARENCY	PARTICLE POSITION	SENTENCE
	Transp.	Adj.	Max will finish <u>up</u> the project
		Shift.	Max will finish the project <u>up</u>
	Opaque	Adj.	Max will screw <u>up</u> the project
		Shift.	Max will screw the project <u>up</u>
LONG NPS	Transp.	Adj.	Max will finish <u>up</u> the new and complex project
		Shift.	Max will finish the new and complex project <u>up</u>
	Opaque	Adj.	Max will screw <u>up</u> the new and complex project
		Shift.	Max will screw the new and complex project <u>up</u>