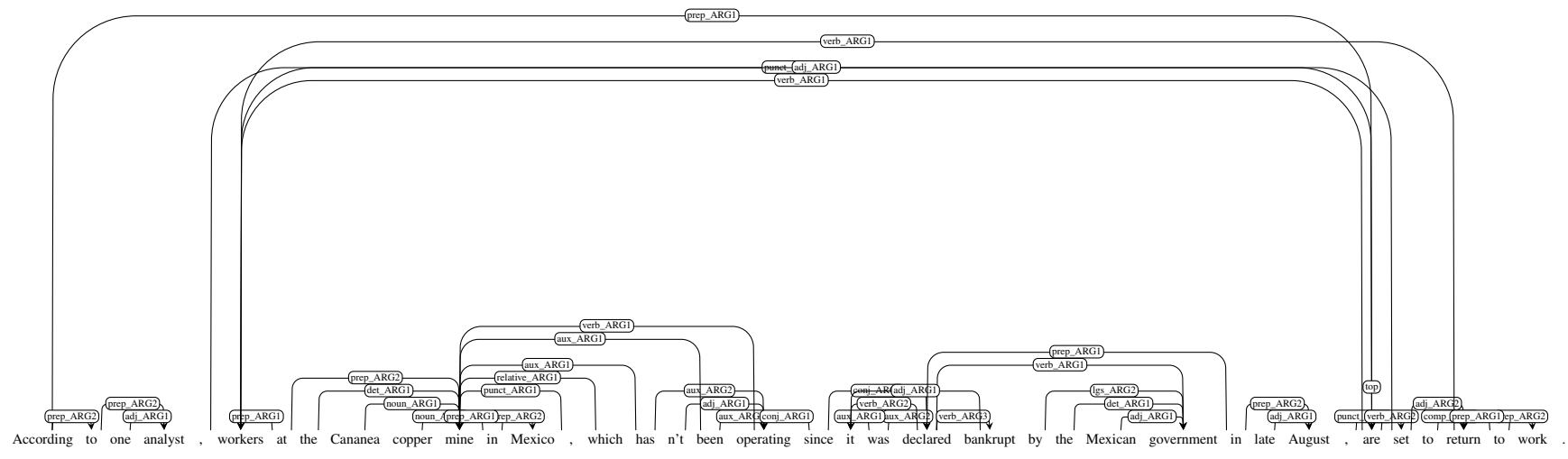


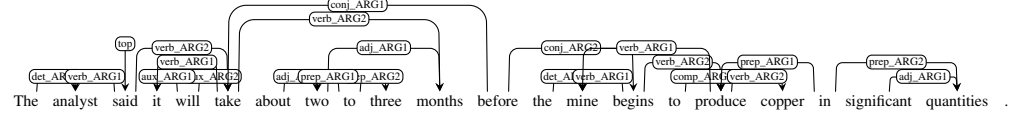
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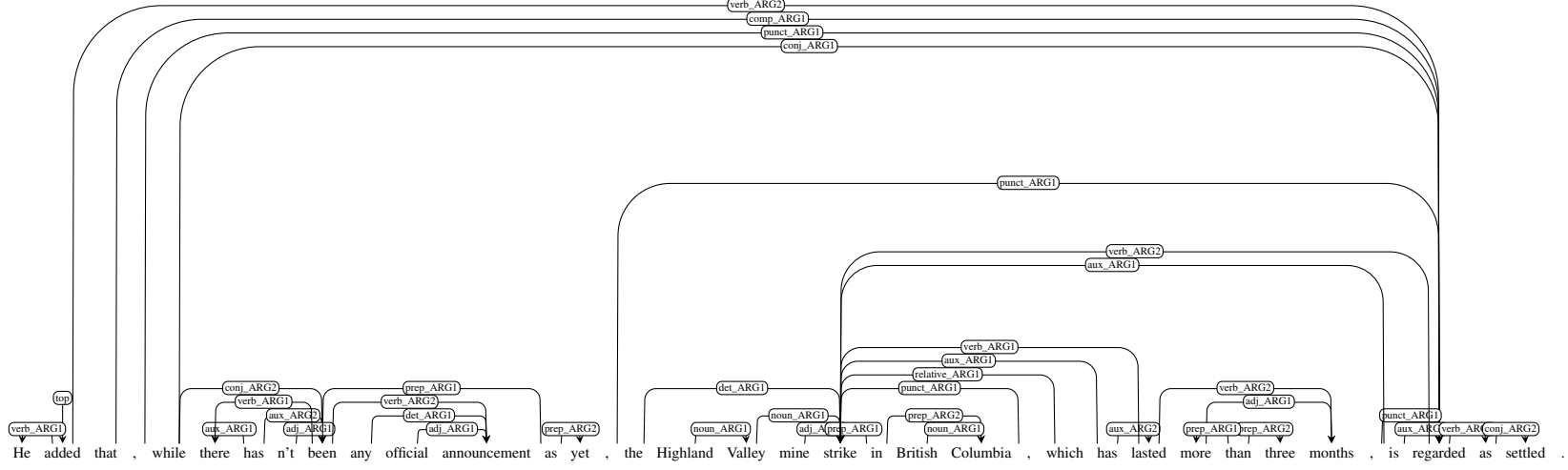




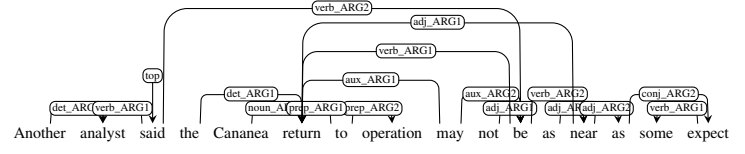
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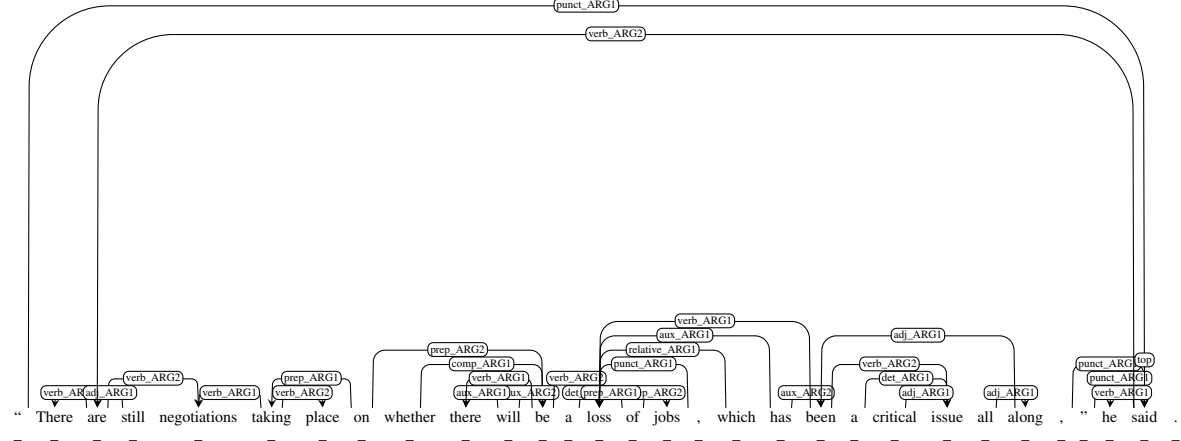
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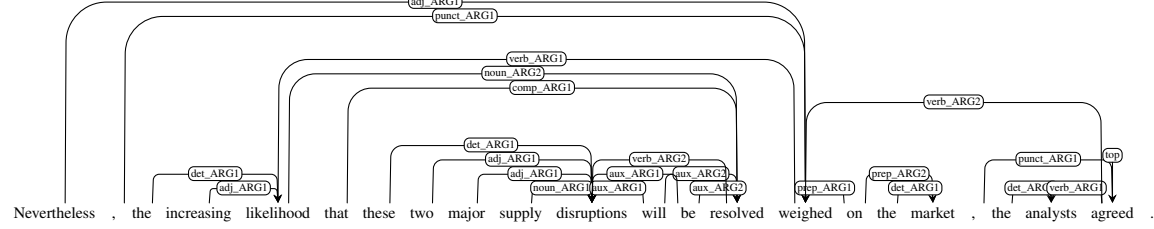
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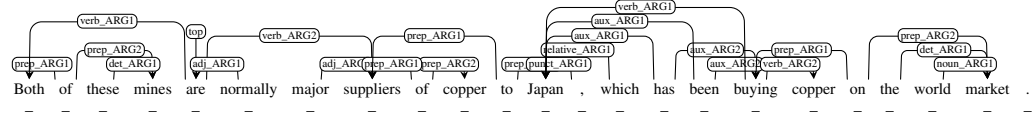
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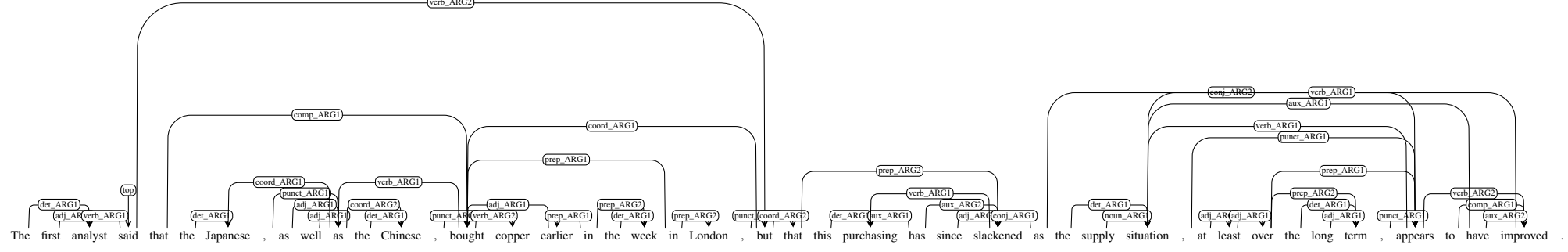
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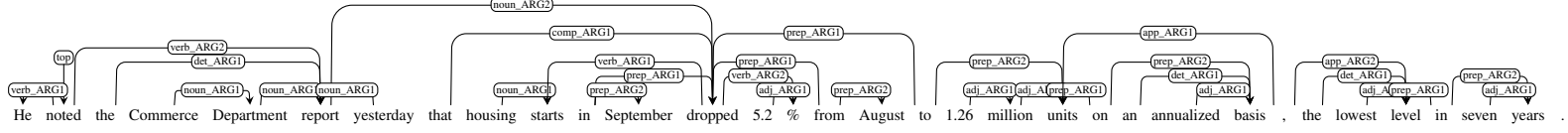
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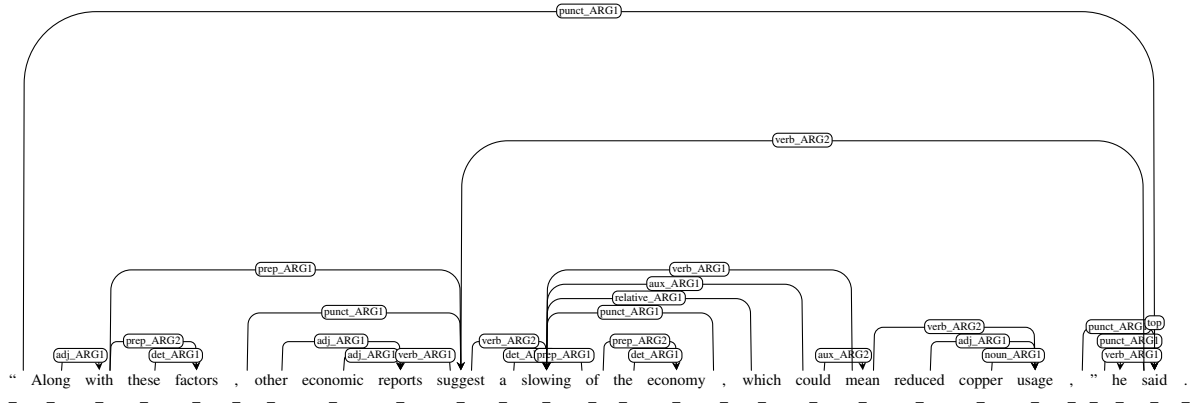
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SUGAR :

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Futures prices extended Tuesday's gains.

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The March delivery ended with an advance of 0.16 cent a pound to 14.27 cents, for a two-day gain of 0.3 cent.

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According to one dealer, Japan said it has only 40,000 tons of sugar remaining to be shipped to it this year by Cuba under current commitments.

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The announcement was made because of reports Tuesday that Cuba would delay shipments to Japan scheduled for later this year, into early next year.

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The dealer said the quantity mentioned in the Japanese announcement is so small that it's meaningless.

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One analyst said he thought the market continued to be supported to some degree by a delay in the Cuban sugar harvest caused by adverse weather.

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The dealer said India might be the real factor that is keeping futures prices firm.

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That country recently bought 200,000 tons of sugar and had been expected to seek a like quantity last week but did n't.

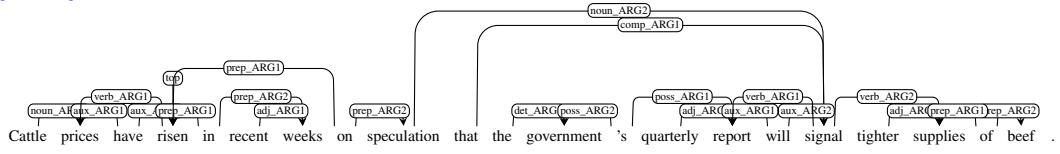
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"It's known they need the sugar, and the expectation that they will come in is apparently giving the market its principal support," the dealer said.

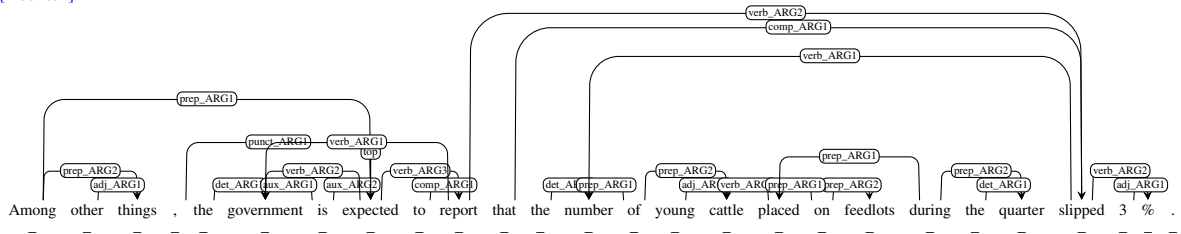
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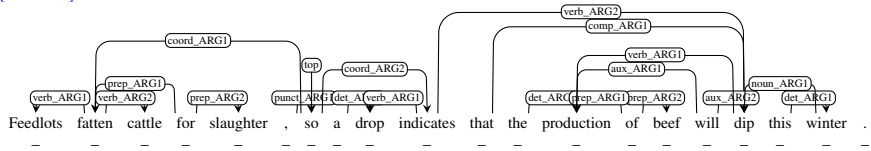
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