

Chapter 11, Problem 6: Extraposition and Adjectives

- A. (i) That Kim smokes is annoying.
(ii) It is annoying that Kim smokes.
(iii) That Kim smokes is surprising.
(iv) It is surprising that Kim smokes.

B.

$$\left\langle \text{obvious}, \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{adj-} \textit{kim} \\ \text{ARG-ST} \left\langle \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{HEAD} & \textit{nominal} \\ \text{VAL} & \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{SPR} & \langle \rangle \\ \text{COMPS} & \langle \rangle \end{array} \end{array} \right] \\ \text{INDEX} & s_2 \end{array} \right] \right\rangle \\ \text{SEM} \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{INDEX} & s_1 \\ \text{RESTR} & \left\langle \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{RELN} & \textit{obvious} \\ \text{SIT} & s_1 \\ \text{ARG} & s_2 \end{array} \right] \right\rangle \end{array} \right] \end{array} \right] \right\rangle$$

- C. In this answer, we have left out constraints inherited from *adj-kim* in order to focus on the combination of the constraints provided by the lexical entry and those provided by the lexical rule.

$$\left\langle \text{obvious}, \left[\begin{array}{l} \textit{word} \\ \text{SYN} \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{VAL} & \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{SPR} & \langle \text{[1]NP[FORM it]} \rangle \\ \text{COMPS} & \langle \text{[2]CP} \rangle \end{array} \right] \end{array} \right] \\ \text{ARG-ST} \left\langle \text{[1]}, \text{[2]} \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{INDEX} & s_2 \end{array} \right] \right\rangle \\ \text{SEM} \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{INDEX} & s_1 \\ \text{RESTR} & \left\langle \left[\begin{array}{ll} \text{RELN} & \textit{obvious} \\ \text{SIT} & s_1 \\ \text{ARG} & s_2 \end{array} \right] \right\rangle \end{array} \right] \end{array} \right] \right\rangle$$

- D.

