

# French causative construction

(1) Pierre *nourrit* Paul.

(1') Pierre *fait manger* Paul.

(2) Pierre *envoie* le paquet

(2') Pierre *fait envoyer* le paquet.

(3) Pierre *donne* la soupe à Paul.

(3') Pierre *fait manger* la soupe à Paul

SPACE 1

NP

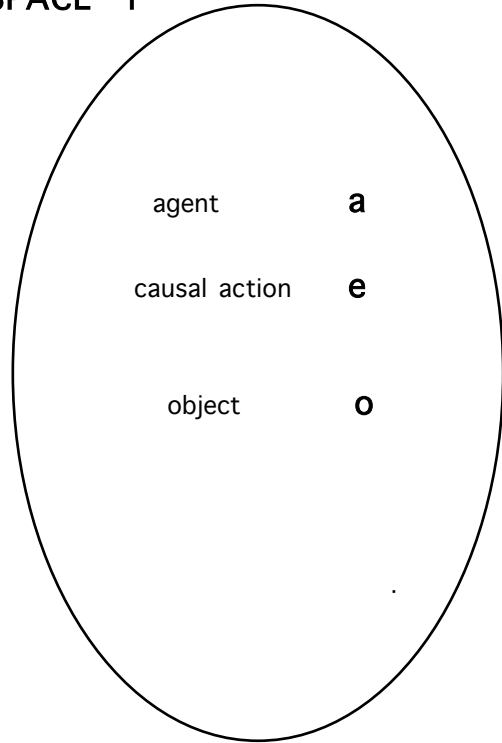
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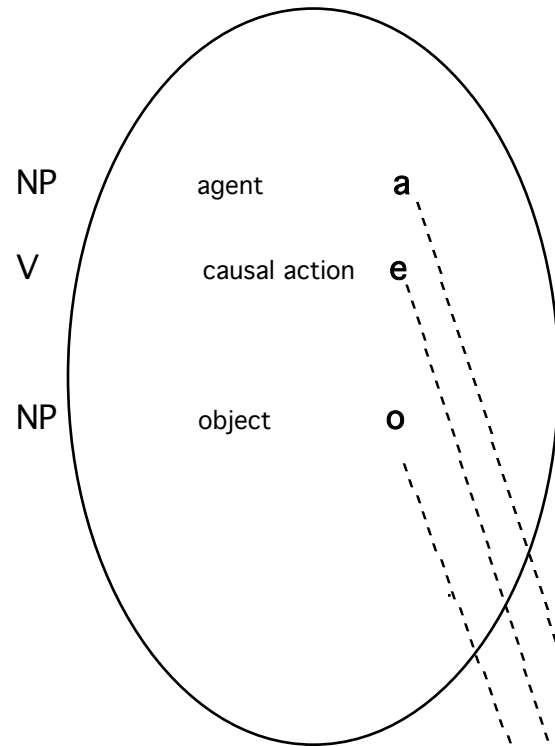
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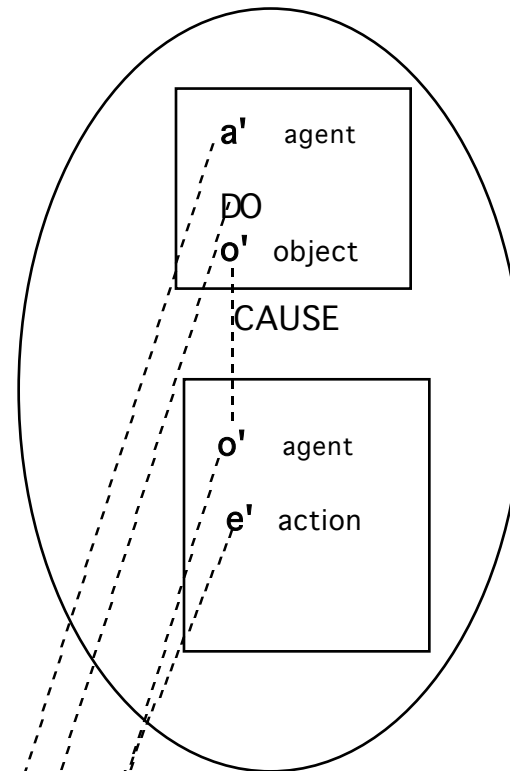
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SPACE 2

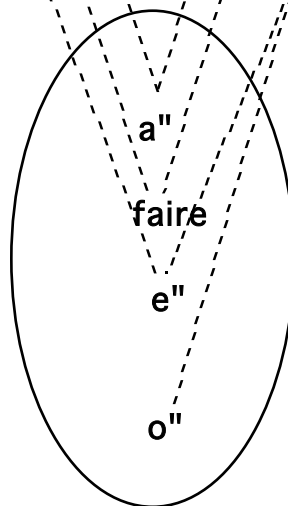


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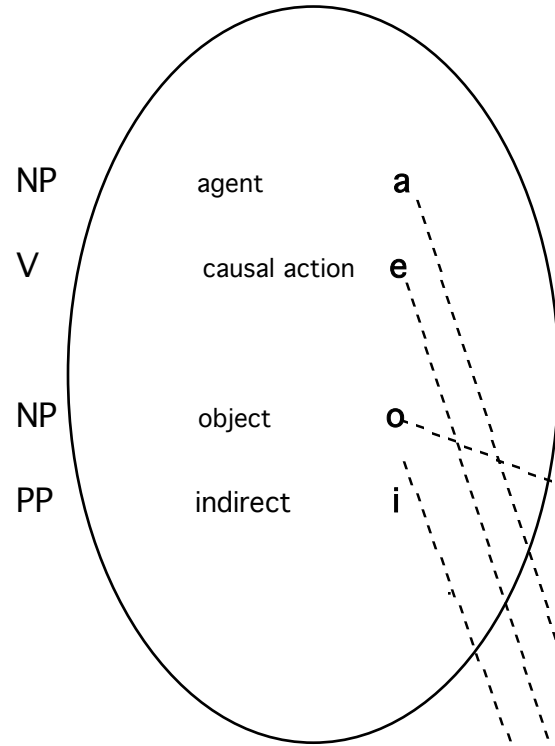
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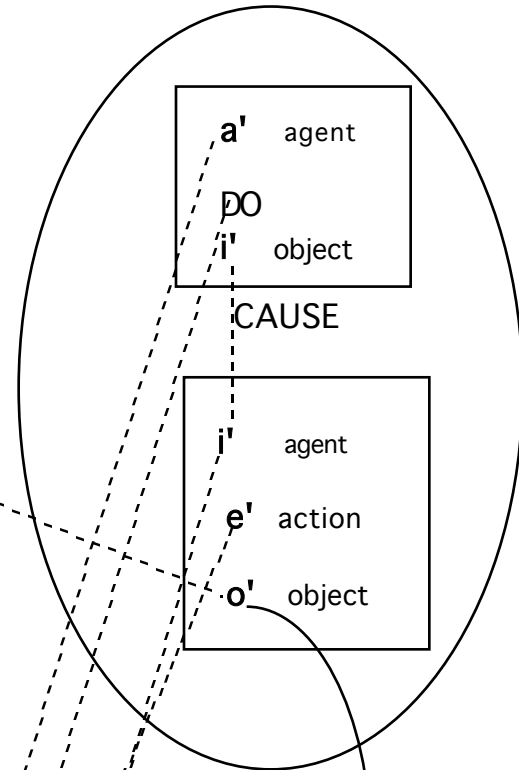


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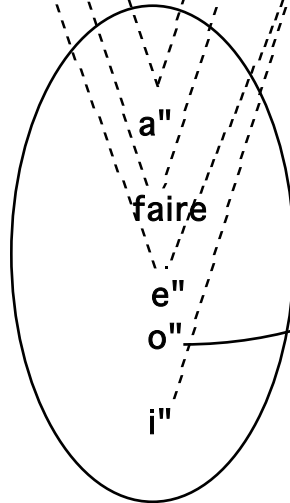
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