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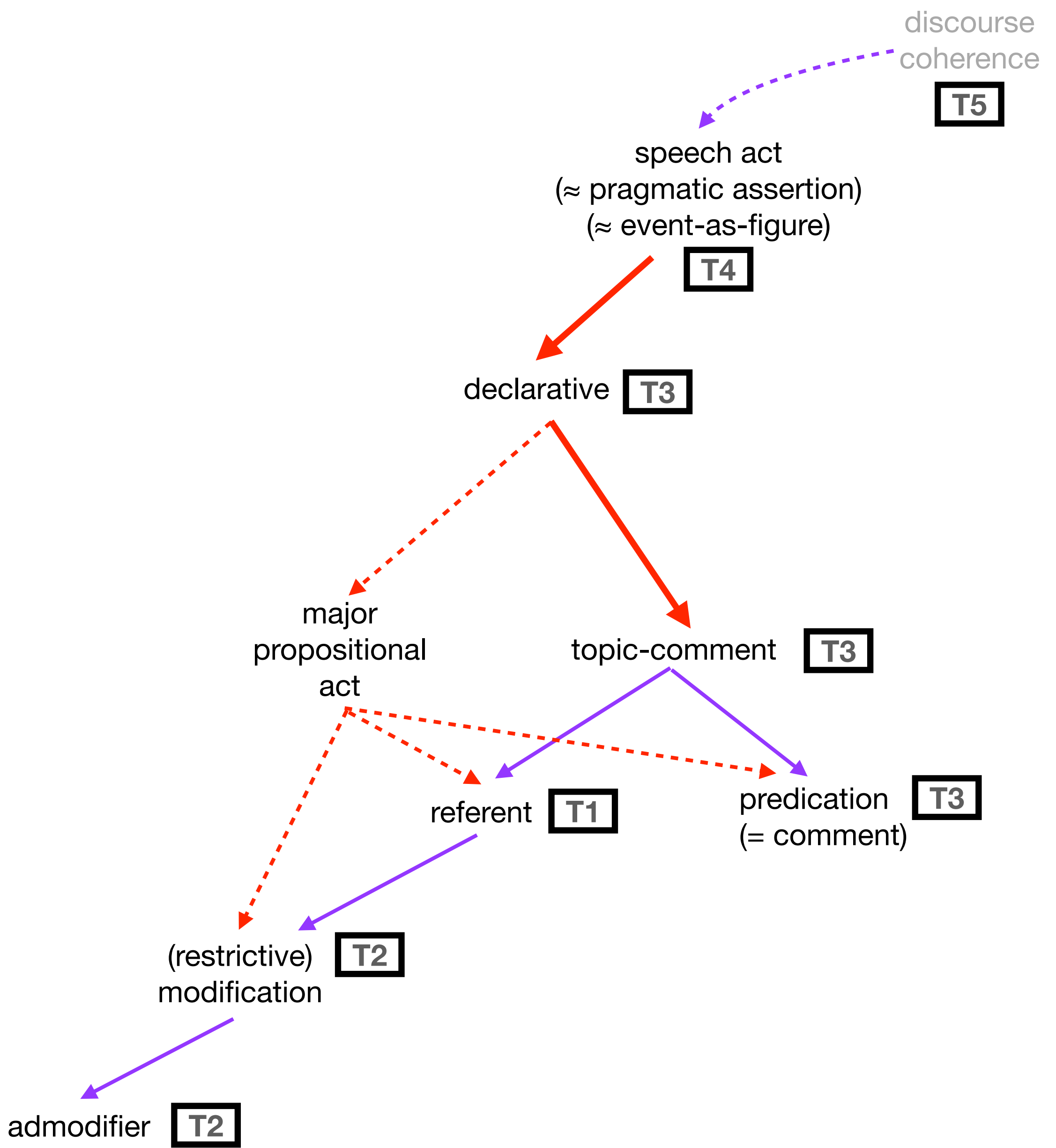
Taxonomy, Partonomy, Attributes

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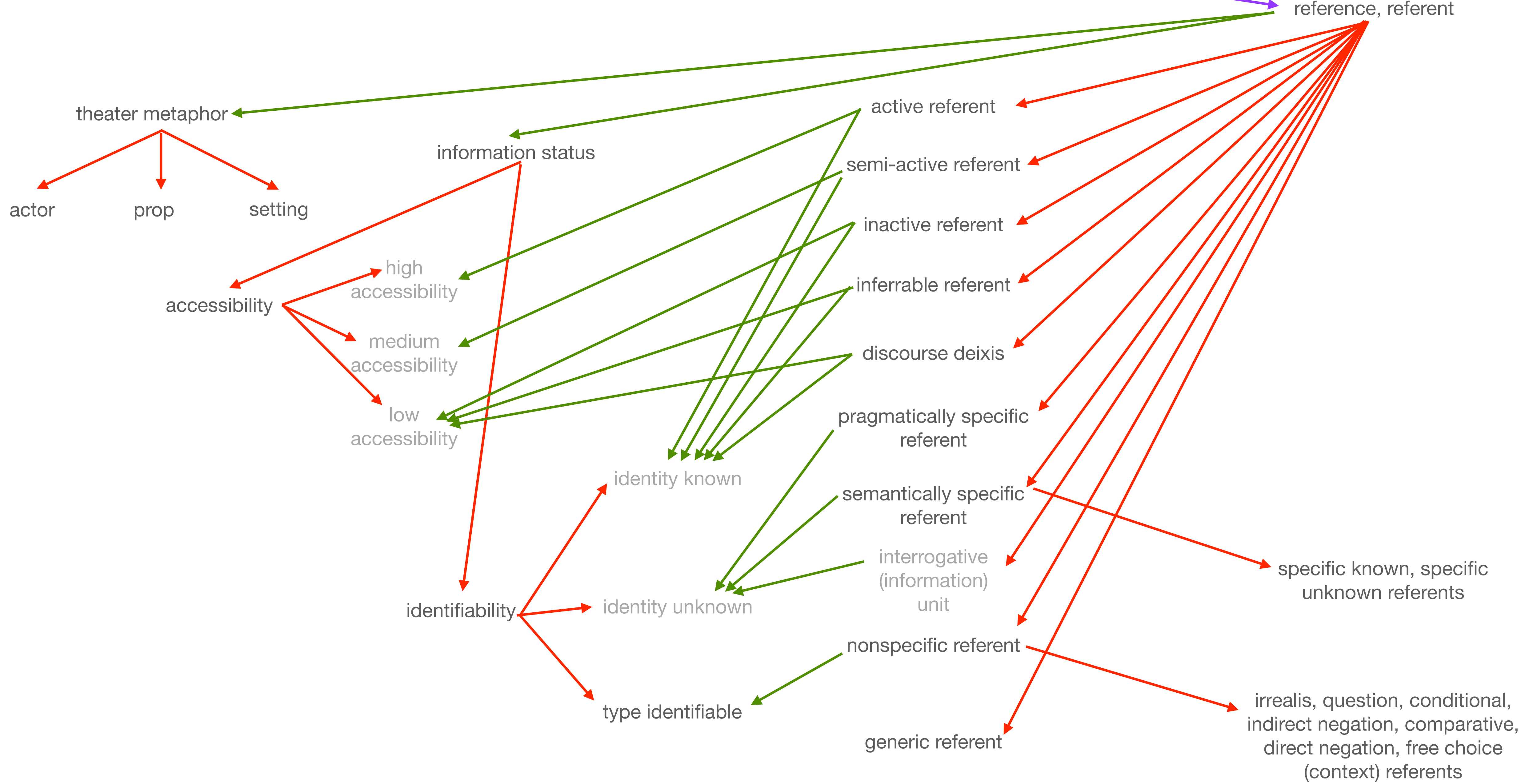
-  taxonomic relation
-  prototype hyponym
-  other hyperonym-hyponym relation
-  marginal or not really hyponym
-  primary partonomic relation
-  head partonym
-  other partonomic relation
-  feature/attribute relation
- information information packaging term not in *Morphosyntax* (but should be)
- T#** this tree is linked to Tree # at this node

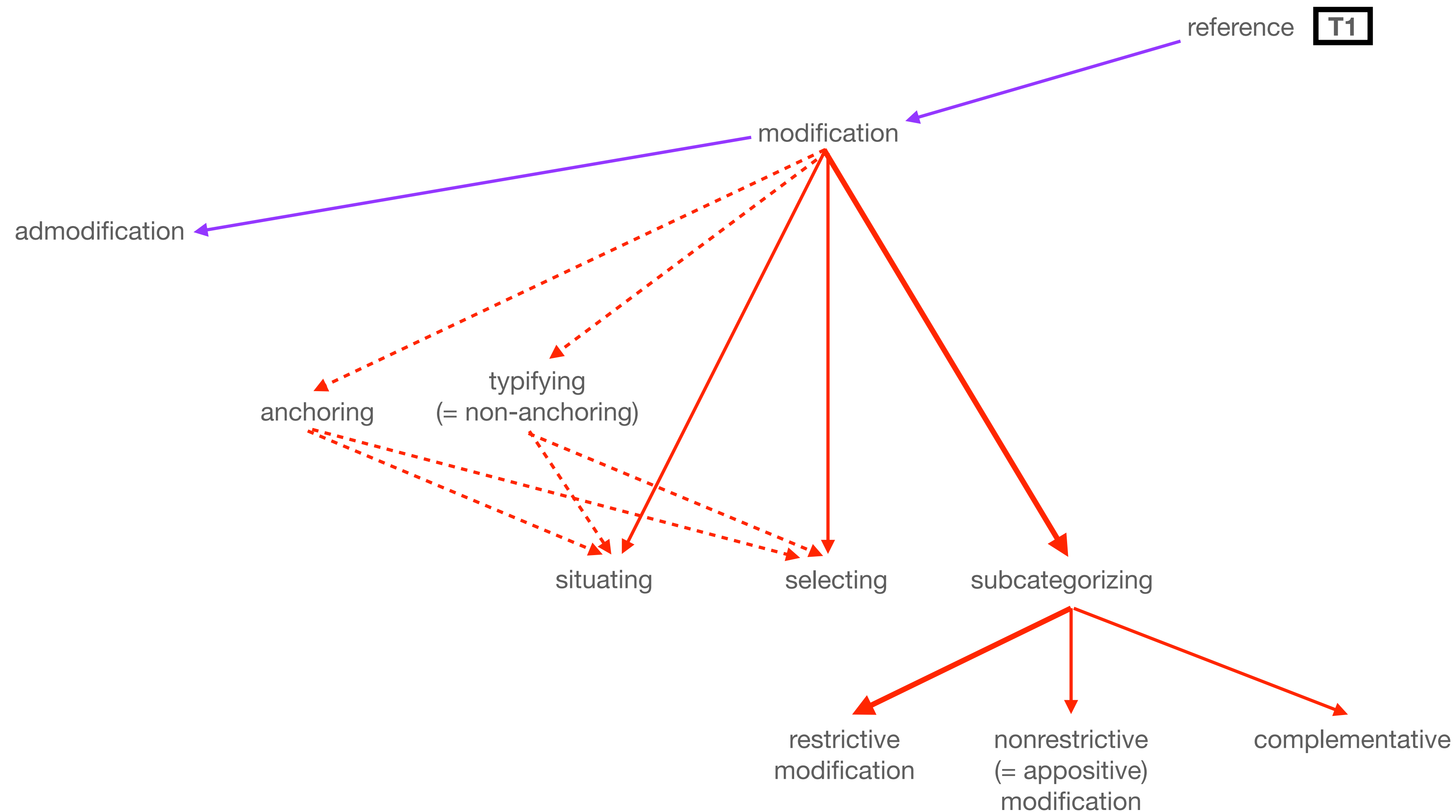
THE TRUNK OF THE TREE



Tree 1

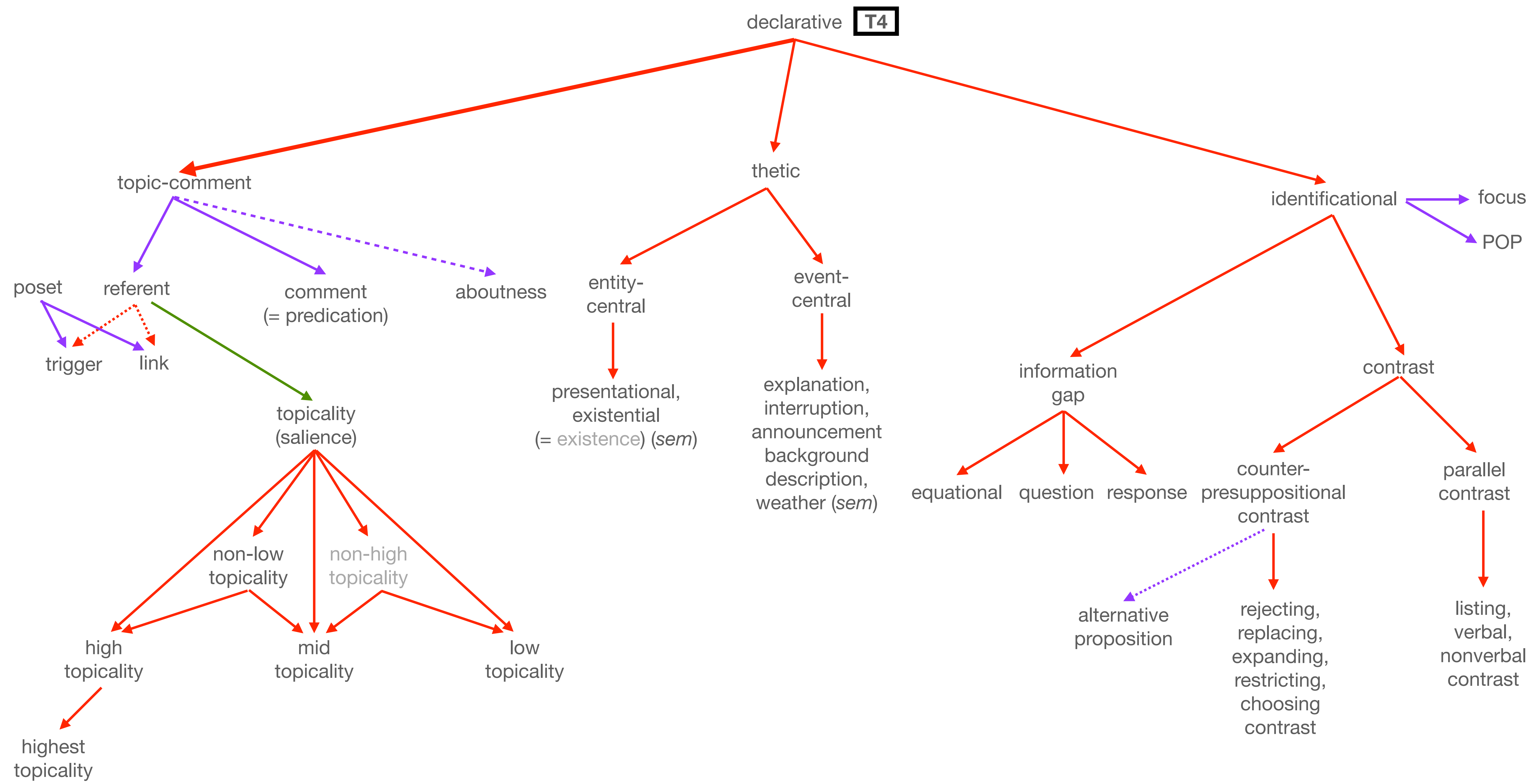
predication
(= comment) **T3**

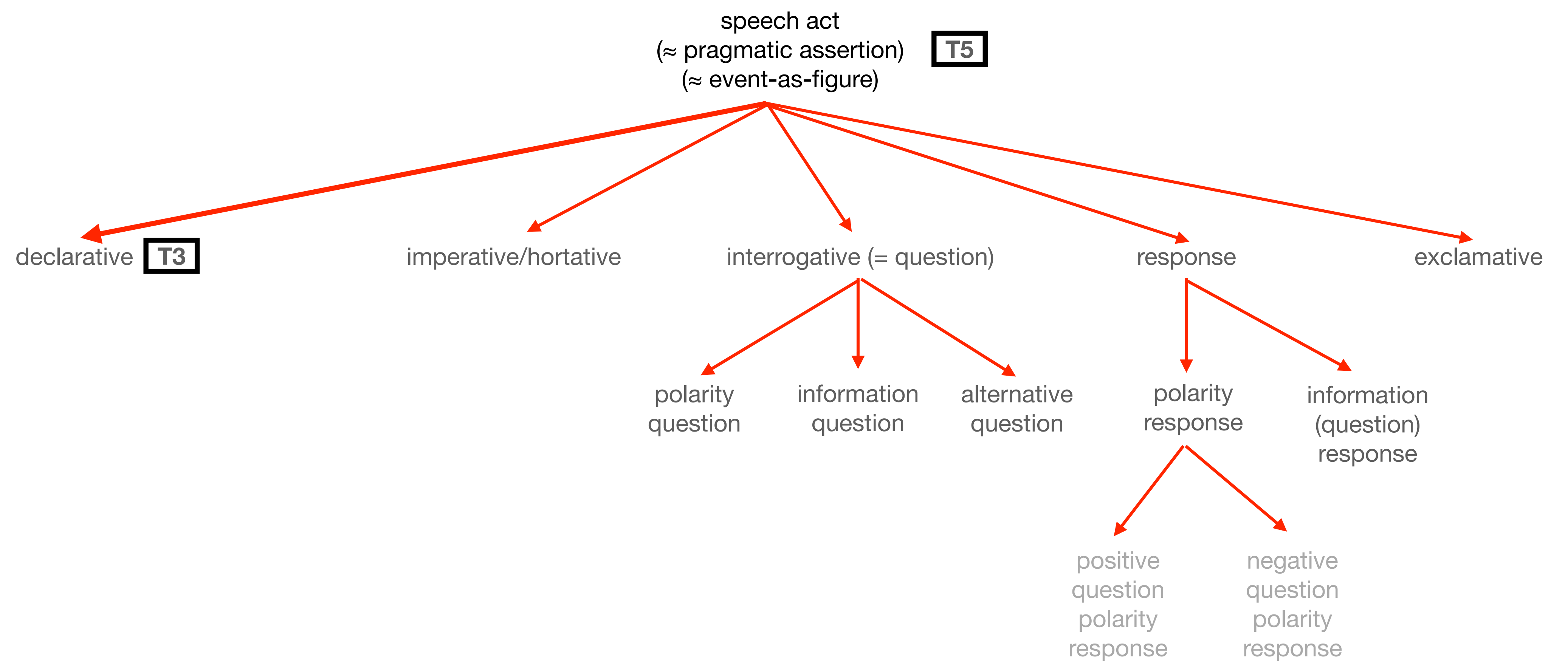




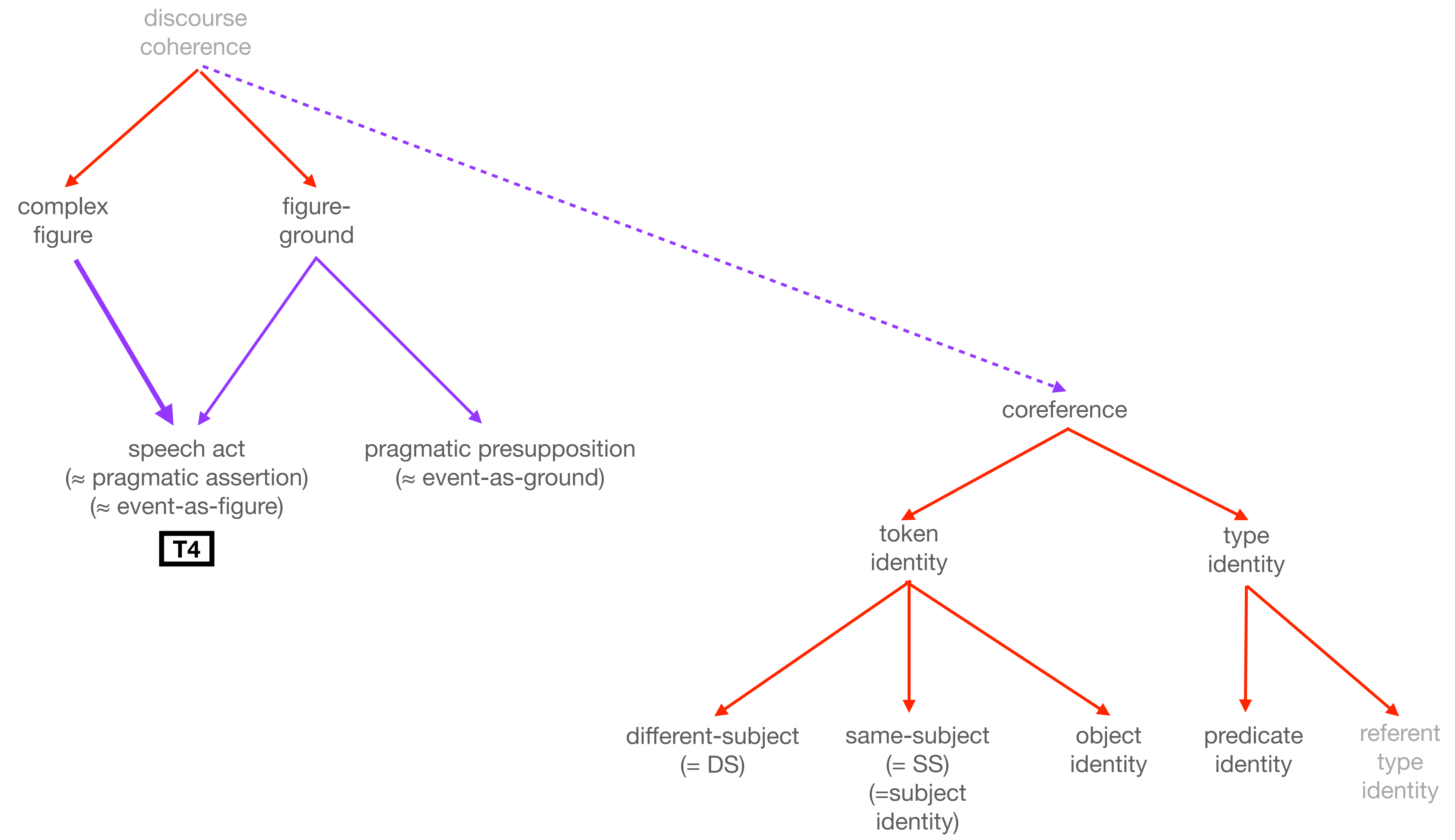
NB: In *Morphosyntax*, I treated subcategorizing, selecting and situating as subtypes of modification. However, in Croft (2007) I analyzed the three as also applying to predication. Selecting and situating correspond roughly to aspect and tense/modality respectively. I do not cover these latter phenomena in *Morphosyntax*, except as they are part of TAMP constructions. Subcategorizing characterizes at least some types of complex predication (e.g. manner complex predicates, which are event-oriented), but I do not focus on that in *Morphosyntax*.

Tree 4





Tree 5



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