

Merge と Labeling を巡って  
(Remarks on Merge and Labeling)

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## General Introduction

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- (1) Creativity
- (2) Phrase Structure Building Mechanism  
hierarchical structure + recursiveness + category specification (labeling)  
(Chomsky and Halle 1968)
- (3) a. PS-Rules (Chomsky 1957, 1965)  
b. X-bar Theory (Chomsky 1970, 1981)  
c. Bare Phrase Structure (Chomsky 1994)
- (4) Chomsky (2013, 2015)  
a. free merge ← hierarchical structure + recursiveness  
b. minimal search ← category specification (label)
- (5) a. How “free” is merge?  
b. How to implement “obligatory” movement?  
c. What (features) can be a label?
- (6) How to deal with locality?  
“local domain” “phase” (Chomsky 1999)
- (7) Ontology of syntactic category (label)

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