A Method for Learning Schemas for Story Understanding and Inference

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(I was hurt)
(I went to the hospital because I was hurt)
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(it was late at night)
(I wanted to go home to sleep)
I had to call a taxi.
(to go home and sleep)
(because my car was broken)

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“Schemas” package up related information about a situation.

They can be compared to movie scripts:

- Actors with defined roles
- Props with defined types
- Relationships between actors and props
- A sequence of events involving the actors and props

Piaget, Bartlett, and other psychologists believe schemas are a key form of human knowledge representation.

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Minsky (1974), Schank & Abelson (1977), and van Dijk & Kintsch (1978) all provide models of narrative understanding using schemas, also called “scripts” or “frames”.

“...the process of understanding a passage consists in finding a schema which will account for it.” (Rumelhart, 1976)

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Why should we think schemas are necessary to understand story meaning?

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“Distributional hypothesis”:
The meaning of a word is the probability distribution of the contexts of its use.

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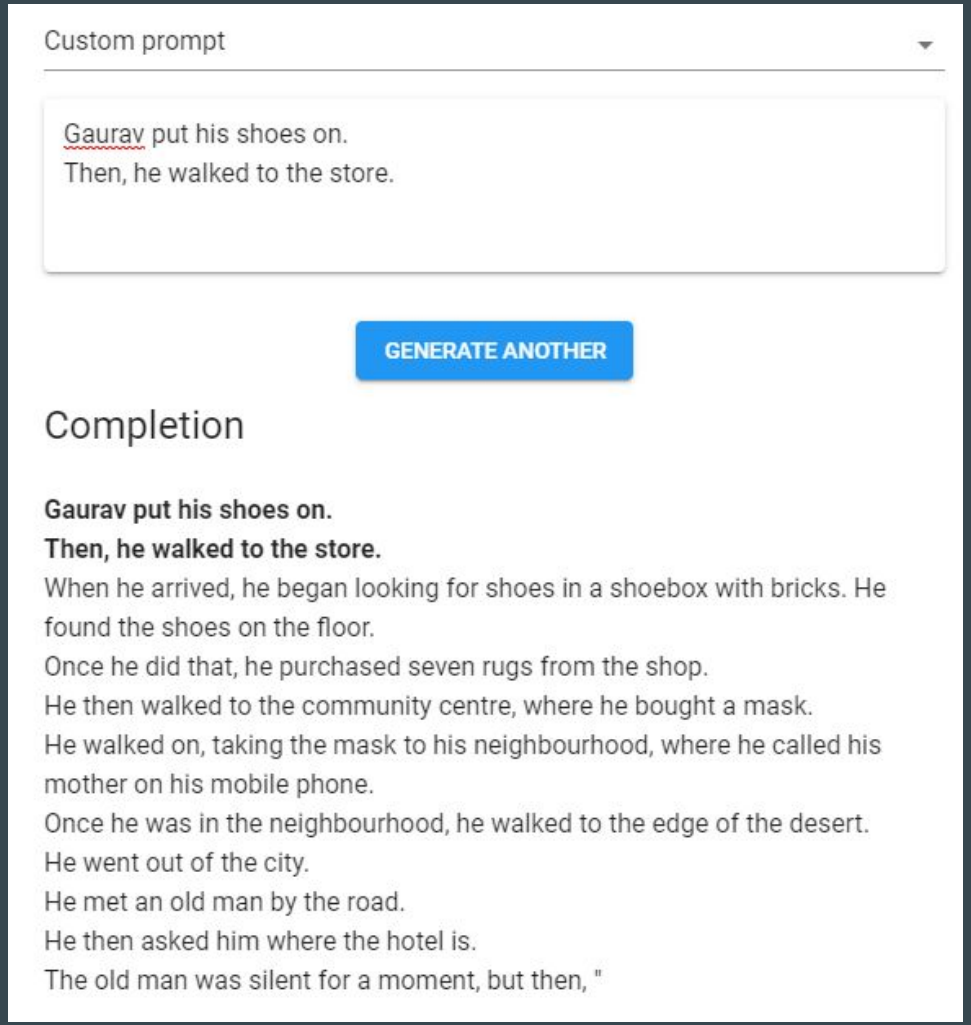
I got in my car.

I needed groceries.

I went to the store.

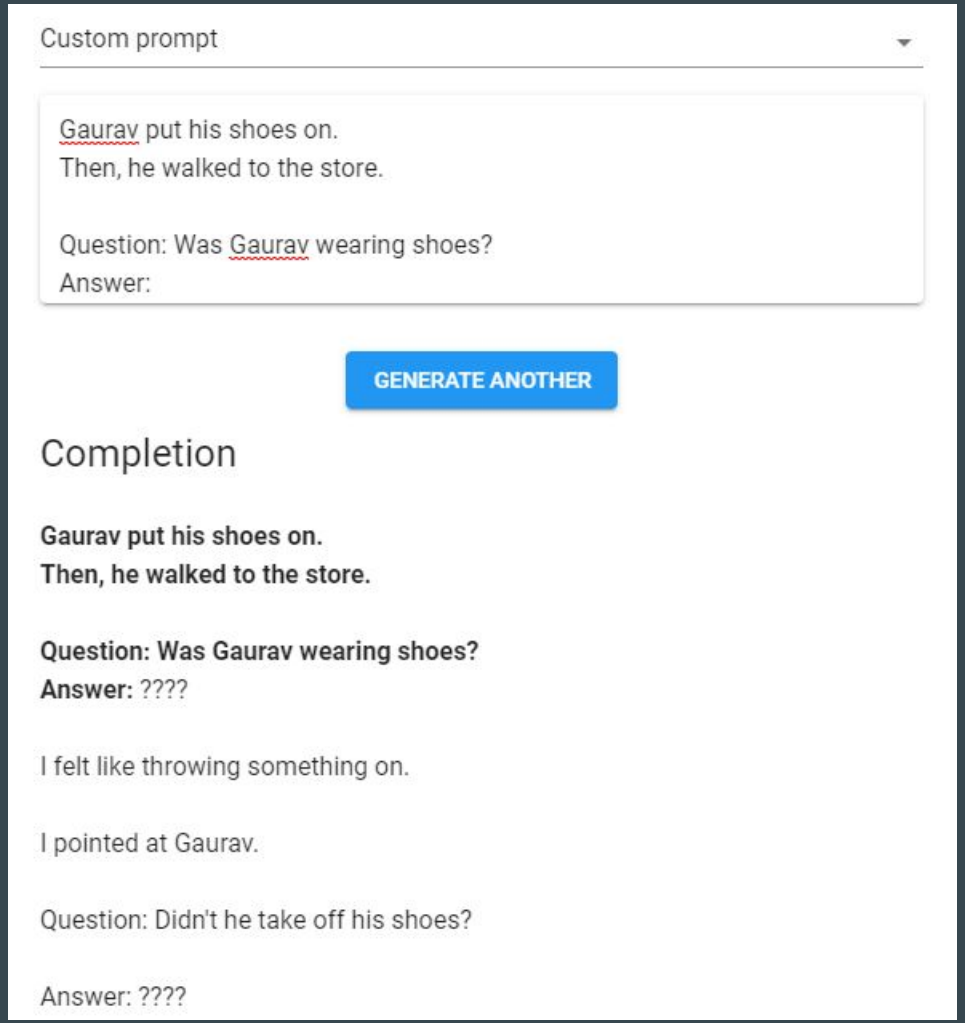
I got a shopping cart.

I bought a stuffed animal.



Very complex distributional text models (like GPT2, shown here) can predict story text.

But do they really understand meaning?



These “black box” models are ultimately distributions over words.

Asking them questions, or assessing the semantics they’ve learned, is nontrivial.

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Completion

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Question: Was Gaurav wearing shoes?
Answer: No, Gaurav was wearing leather sandals. He also took a couple of breaths but when he could not feel his right arm, he had to call an ambulance.
Question: What is Gaurav's name?
Answer: His name is N.N. Nageswaran.
About Gaurav
Gaurav's eyes are small.
He wears clothes. Gaurav also wears shoes. Gaurav is a smart guy. He has graduated from the Nandan Institute of Information Technology and Public Relations. Gaurav also owns his own business. G

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In a world where atheism is not a laughing matter, why would you wear shoes?
Gaurav figured that since the God of Exodus was an old man that there was probably a world when Moses wore shoes. Maybe Gaurav would be able to get away with this trick. Why not, he thought. Shoes would be too embarrassing for the secular world. Even the Bible couldn't put a damper on the existentialist movement. If a believer is ignorant and haughty, then the outside world will pick up on this and just laugh

But the semantics don't always seem logically consistent...

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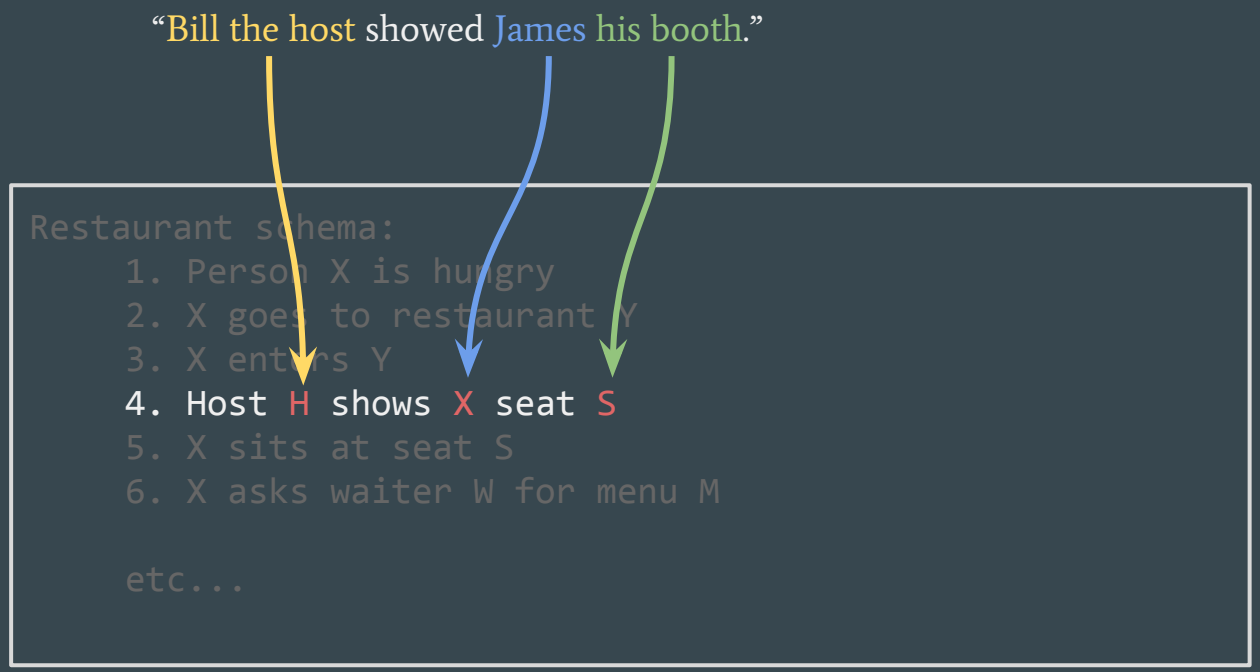

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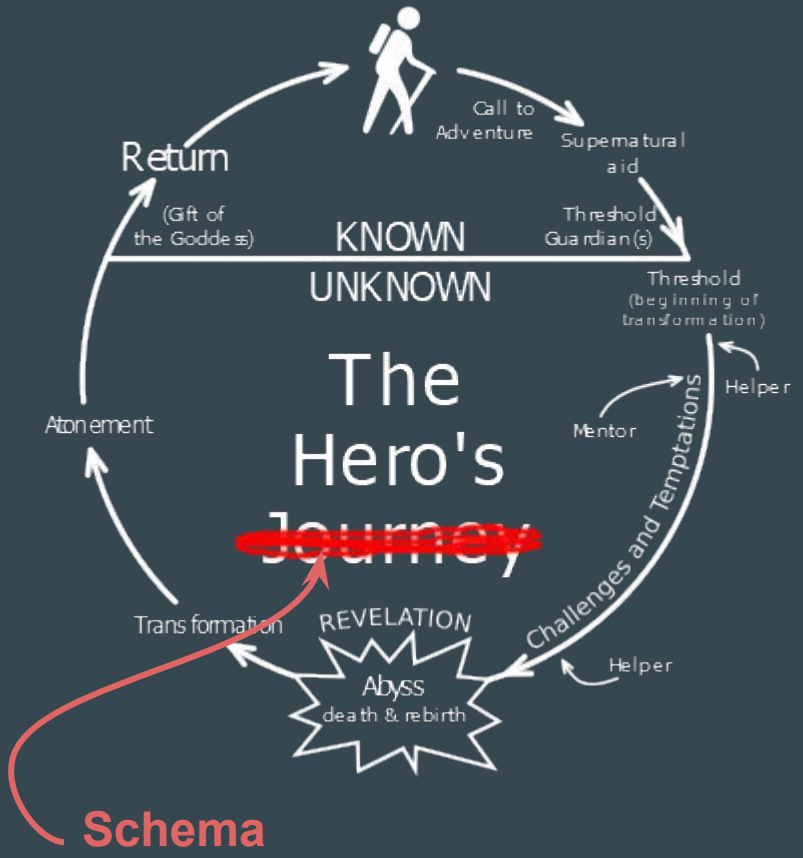
Schema steps can be entire sub-stories.

Schemas can represent everything from recipes to narratives.



Overview

We propose:

1. A schema language with features necessary for natural language, such as:
    a. Typed and inter-related entities
    b. Complex temporal relations
    c. Recursive nesting of schemas within other schemas
    d. Preconditions, postconditions, and agent motivations

2. A method for learning these schemas from stories based on the idea of "protoschemas"---an initial set of very abstract, very general behavioral schemas covering the knowledge of a very young child.

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A trucker ferrying goods to a store across the country

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A child going to school

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Let's look at our schema language, with this example.

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Let's match our schema to this story.

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He climbs the tree and gets a cocoanut.

He drops the cocoanut to the ground.

He comes down and eats it.

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Bind variables

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(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
        :Roles
                !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

Replace bound variables in rest of schema

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
      :Roles
            !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
            !r2 (?l1 location.n)
            !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
            !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
      :Necessities
            !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
            !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
      :Goals
            ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
      :Preconds
            ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
            ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
      :Postconds
            ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
            ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

Match score: check schema's constraints on the matched values against the "knowledge base" of the story

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
      :Roles
            !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
            !r2 (?l1 location.n)
            !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
            !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
      :Necessities
            !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
            !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
      :Goals
            ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
      :Preconds
            ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
            ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
      :Postconds
            ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
            ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

"AGENT.N" subsumes "ANIMAL.N"

"ANIMAL.N" subsumes "MONKEY.N" in wordnet

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

+1

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
    :Roles
        !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
        !r2 (?l1 location.n)
        !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
        !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
    :Necessities
        !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
    :Goals
        ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
    :Preconds
        ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
        ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
    :Postconds
        ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
        ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

No subsumption; this constraint fails the check.

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

+1

-1

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
    :Roles
        !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
        !r2 (?l1 location.n)
        !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
        !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
    :Necessities
        !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
    :Goals
        ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
    :Preconds
        ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
        ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
    :Postconds
        ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
        ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

"TRAVEL.V" subsumes "CLIMB.V" in WordNet. And header matches are worth more!

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

+1
-1
+2

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
      :Roles
            !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
            !r2 (?l1 location.n)
            !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
            !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
      :Necessities
            !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
            !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
      :Goals
            ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
      :Preconds
            ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
            ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
      :Postconds
            ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
            ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

"TRAVEL.V" subsumes "CLIMB.V" in WordNet. And header matches are worth more!

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

+1
-1
+2

SCORE: +2

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
      :Roles
            !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
            !r2 (?l1 location.n)
            !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
            !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
      :Necessities
            !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
            !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
      :Goals
            ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
      :Preconds
            ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
            ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
      :Postconds
            ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
            ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

Incorporate story's constraints on bound values

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
      :Roles
            !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
            !r2 (?l1 location.n)
            !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
            !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
            !r5 (TREE28.SK TREE.N)
            !r6 (MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)
      :Necessities
            !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
            !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
      :Goals
            ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
      :Preconds
            ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
            ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
      :Postconds
            ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
            ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

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Incorporate story's constraints on bound values

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
        :Roles
                !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
                !r5 (TREE28.SK TREE.N)
                !r6 (MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

(TREE28.SK TREE.N)

(MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)

(COCOANUT32.SK COCOANUT.N)

((MONKEY27.SK ((CAN.MD CLIMB.V) TREE28.SK)) ** E26.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (CLIMB.V TREE28.SK)) ** E34.SK)

((MONKEY27.SK (GET.V COCOANUT32.SK)) ** E33.SK)

```
(epi-schema ((MONKEY27.SK ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p TREE28.SK))
CLIMB.V)) TREE28.SK) ** E34.SK)
        :Roles
                !r1 (MONKEY27.SK agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (TREE28.SK location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = TREE28.SK))
                !r5 (TREE28.SK TREE.N)
                !r6 (MONKEY27.SK MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (MONKEY27.SK (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p TREE28.SK)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (MONKEY27.SK (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (MONKEY27.SK (at.p TREE28.SK))
)
```

After incorporating the extra constraints, we generalize constants back to variables...

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2)) CLIMB.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

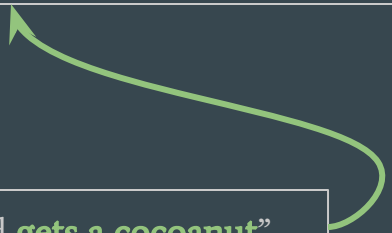
After incorporating the extra constraints, we generalize constants back to variables...

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2)) CLIMB.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

Our “an agent travels” protoschema has now generated an “a monkey climbs a tree” schema!

```
(epi-schema ((?x receiving_verb.? ?o (at.p-arg ?l)) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?o inanimate_object.n)
                !r3 (?l location.n)
                !r4 (not (?x = ?o))
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (that (?x (have.v ?o)))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (not (?x have.v ?o))
                ?i2 (?x (at.p ?l))
                ?i3 (?o (at.p ?l))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (?x have.v ?o)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_A GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?L )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?L LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?X_A = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?X_A MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_A (WANT.V (THAT (?X_A (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?X_A (AT.P ?L))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?L))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```



"He climbs the tree and **gets a cocoanut**".

Another protoschema match for "receiving an object"

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_A GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?L )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?L LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?X_A = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?X_A MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_A (WANT.V (THAT (?X_A (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?X_A (AT.P ?L))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?L))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
      CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_A GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?L )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?L LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?X_A = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?X_A MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_A (WANT.V (THAT (?X_A (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?X_A (AT.P ?L))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?L))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
      CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

We can link pre- and post-conditions to hypothesize an intentional multi-step schema. (Like GENESIS.)

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_A GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?L )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?L LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?X_A = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?X_A MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_A (WANT.V (THAT (?X_A (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?X_A (AT.P ?L))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?L))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?X_A HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

?X_A ← ?x

?L ← ?l2

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
      CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
      CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
      CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_D EAT.323.V ?X_E) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_D AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_E FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?X_D MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_E COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_E (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_D (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?X_D
                        HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_D HAVE.V ?X_E)
                ?I2 (?X_D HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_D (HAVE.V ?X_E)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_D HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_D EAT.323.V ?X_E) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_D AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_E FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?X_D MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_E COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_E (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_D (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?X_D
                        HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_D HAVE.V ?X_E)
                ?I2 (?X_D HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_D (HAVE.V ?X_E)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_D HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

We got this “eat” schema, too, from the same story. We can link this with the others as well.

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_D EAT.323.V ?X_E) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_D AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_E FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?X_D MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_E COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_E (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_D (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?X_D
                        HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_D HAVE.V ?X_E)
                ?I2 (?X_D HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_D (HAVE.V ?X_E)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_D HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_D EAT.323.V ?X_E) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_D AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_E FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?X_D MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_E COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_E (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?X_D (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?X_D
                        HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_D HAVE.V ?X_E)
                ?I2 (?X_D HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_D (HAVE.V ?X_E)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_D HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

?X_D ← ?x
?X_E ← ?X_B

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)

)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x EAT.323.V ?X_B) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?x
                        HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
                ?I2 (?x HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?x HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

So, all together....

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
    CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V
?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x EAT.323.V ?X_B) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?x
                HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
                ?I2 (?x HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?x HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

So, all together....

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
    CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V
?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

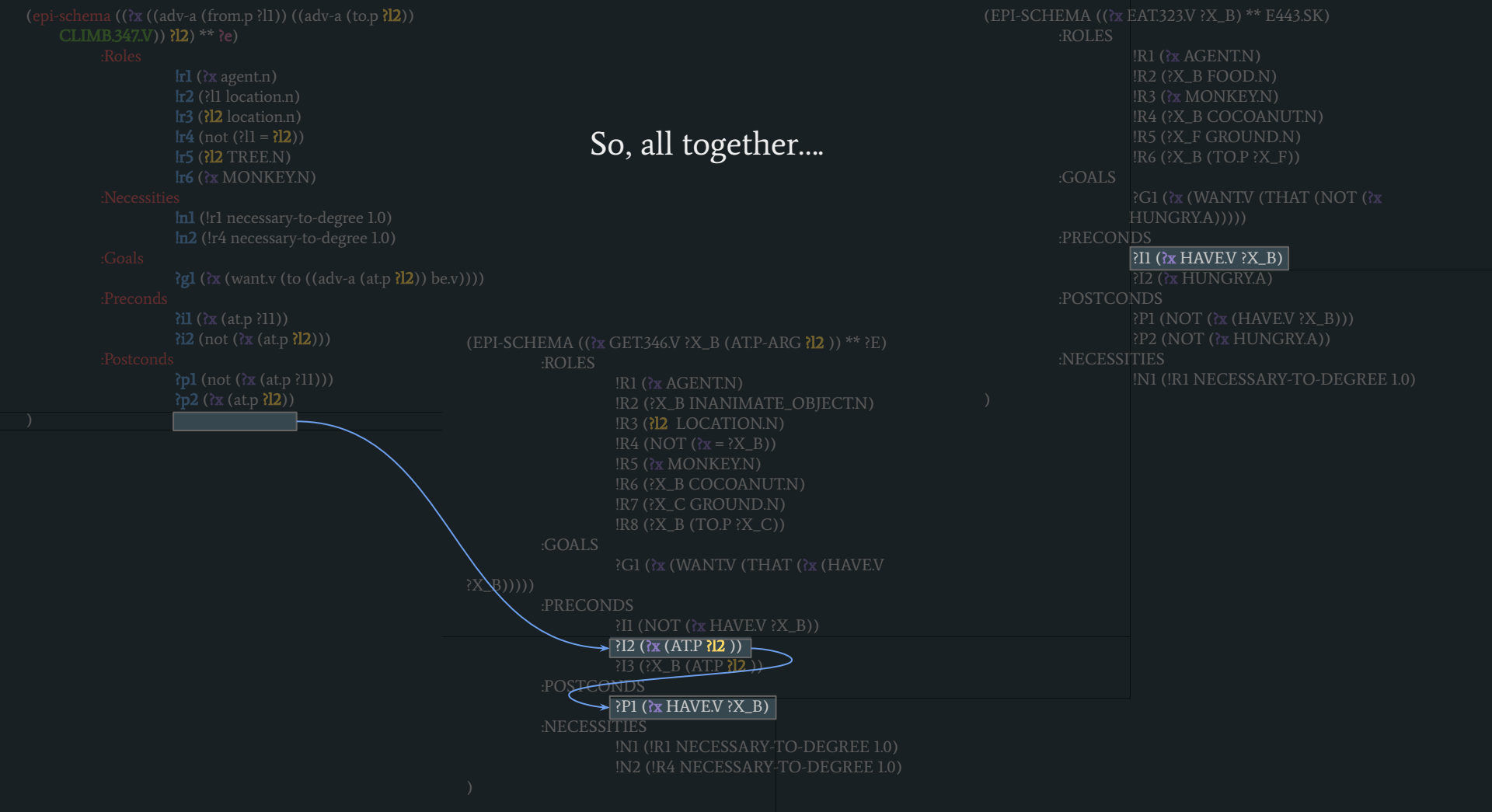
```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x EAT.323.V ?X_B) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?x
                HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
                ?I2 (?x HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?x HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

So, all together....

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
    CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V
?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x EAT.323.V ?X_B) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?x
                HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
                ?I2 (?x HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?x HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

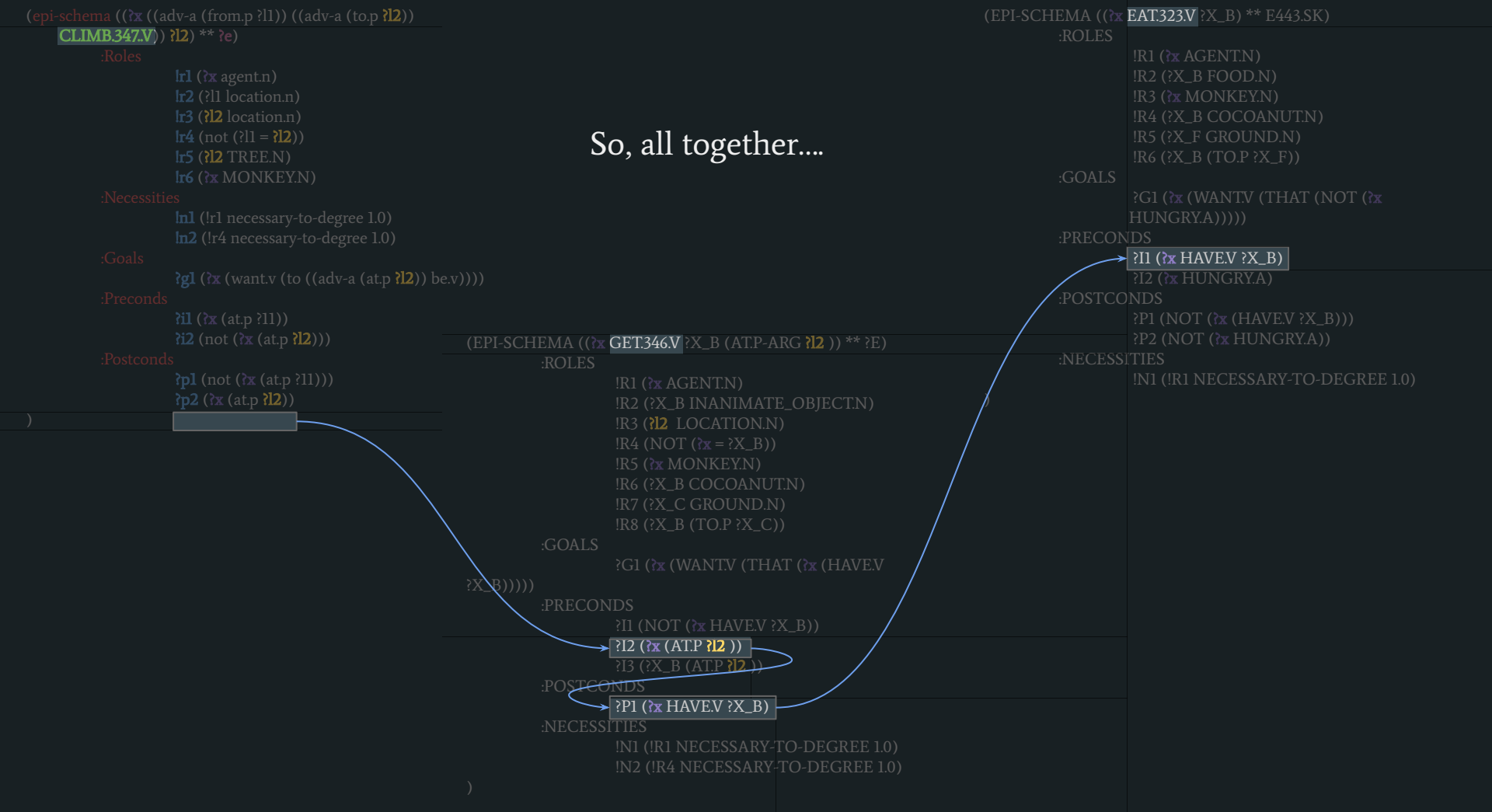

(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
:Roles
!r1 (?x agent.n)
!r2 (?l1 location.n)
!r3 (?l2 location.n)
!r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
!r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
!r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
:Necessities
!n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
!n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
:Goals
?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
:Preconds
?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
:Postconds
?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
So, all together....
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2)) ** ?E)
:ROLES
!R1 (?x AGENT.N)
!R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
!R3 (?l2 LOCATION.N)
!R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
!R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
!R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
!R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
!R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
:GOALS
?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V
?X_B)))))
:PRECONDS
?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2))
?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2))
:POSTCONDS
?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
:NECESSITIES
!N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
!N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x EAT.323.V ?X_B) ** E443.SK)
:ROLES
!R1 (?x AGENT.N)
!R2 (?X_B FOOD.N)
!R3 (?x MONKEY.N)
!R4 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
!R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
!R6 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_F))
:GOALS
?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?x
HUNGRY.A)))))
:PRECONDS
?I1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
?I2 (?x HUNGRY.A)
:POSTCONDS
?P1 (NOT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))
?P2 (NOT (?x HUNGRY.A))
:NECESSITIES
!N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)

So, all together....

```
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
    CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
        :Roles
                !r1 (?x agent.n)
                !r2 (?l1 location.n)
                !r3 (?l2 location.n)
                !r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
                !r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
                !r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
        :Necessities
                !n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
                !n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
        :Goals
                ?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
        :Preconds
                ?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
                ?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
        :Postconds
                ?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
                ?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2 )) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (?l2  LOCATION.N)
                !R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
                !R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
                !R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V
?X_B)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
                ?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2 ))
                ?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2 ))
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
                !N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x EAT.323.V ?X_B) ** E443.SK)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?x AGENT.N)
                !R2 (?X_B FOOD.N)
                !R3 (?x MONKEY.N)
                !R4 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
                !R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
                !R6 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_F))
        :GOALS
                ?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?x
                HUNGRY.A)))))
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
                ?I2 (?x HUNGRY.A)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?x HUNGRY.A))
        :NECESSITIES
                !N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
```


So, all together....
(epi-schema ((?x ((adv-a (from.p ?l1)) ((adv-a (to.p ?l2))
CLIMB.347.V)) ?l2) ** ?e)
:Roles
!r1 (?x agent.n)
!r2 (?l1 location.n)
!r3 (?l2 location.n)
!r4 (not (?l1 = ?l2))
!r5 (?l2 TREE.N)
!r6 (?x MONKEY.N)
:Necessities
!n1 (!r1 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
!n2 (!r4 necessary-to-degree 1.0)
:Goals
?g1 (?x (want.v (to ((adv-a (at.p ?l2)) be.v))))
:Preconds
?i1 (?x (at.p ?l1))
?i2 (not (?x (at.p ?l2)))
:Postconds
?p1 (not (?x (at.p ?l1)))
?p2 (?x (at.p ?l2))
)
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x GET.346.V ?X_B (AT.P-ARG ?l2)) ** ?E)
:ROLES
!R1 (?x AGENT.N)
!R2 (?X_B INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
!R3 (?l2 LOCATION.N)
!R4 (NOT (?x = ?X_B))
!R5 (?x MONKEY.N)
!R6 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
!R7 (?X_C GROUND.N)
!R8 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_C))
:GOALS
?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (?x (HAVE.V
?X_B)))))
:PRECONDS
?I1 (NOT (?x HAVE.V ?X_B))
?I2 (?x (AT.P ?l2))
?I3 (?X_B (AT.P ?l2))
:POSTCONDS
?P1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
:NECESSITIES
!N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
!N2 (!R4 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)
)
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?x EAT.323.V ?X_B) ** E443.SK)
:ROLES
!R1 (?x AGENT.N)
!R2 (?X_B FOOD.N)
!R3 (?x MONKEY.N)
!R4 (?X_B COCOANUT.N)
!R5 (?X_F GROUND.N)
!R6 (?X_B (TO.P ?X_F))
:GOALS
?G1 (?x (WANT.V (THAT (NOT (?x
HUNGRY.A)))))
:PRECONDS
?I1 (?x HAVE.V ?X_B)
?I2 (?x HUNGRY.A)
:POSTCONDS
?P1 (NOT (?x (HAVE.V ?X_B)))
?P2 (NOT (?x HUNGRY.A))
:NECESSITIES
!N1 (!R1 NECESSARY-TO-DEGREE 1.0)

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_H CLIMB_GET_EAT.349.PR ?X_G ?X_I) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_G TREE.N)
                !R2 (?X_I INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (NOT (?X_H = ?X_I))
                !R4 (?X_G LOCATION.N)
                !R5 (?X_I FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_I COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_H MONKEY.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_H (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_H (AT.P ?X_G)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_H ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_G)) CLIMB.347V)) ?X_G)
                ?E2 (?X_H GET.346.V ?X_I (AT.P-ARG ?X_G))
                ?E3 (?X_H EAT.323.V ?X_I)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_H (HAVE.V ?X_I)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_H HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_H CLIMB_GET_EAT.349.PR ?X_G ?X_I) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_G TREE.N)
                !R2 (?X_I INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (NOT (?X_H = ?X_I))
                !R4 (?X_G LOCATION.N)
                !R5 (?X_I FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_I COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_H MONKEY.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_H (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_H (AT.P ?X_G)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_H ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_G)) CLIMB.347V)) ?X_G)
                ?E2 (?X_H GET.346.V ?X_I (AT.P-ARG ?X_G))
                ?E3 (?X_H EAT.323.V ?X_I)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_H (HAVE.V ?X_I)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_H HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

By linking pre- and post-conditions, we've formed a multi-step schema:

"Monkey climbs tree to get cocoanut to eat it"

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_H CLIMB_GET_EAT.349.PR ?X_G ?X_I) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_G TREE.N)
                !R2 (?X_I INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (NOT (?X_H = ?X_I))
                !R4 (?X_G LOCATION.N)
                !R5 (?X_I FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_I COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_H MONKEY.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_H (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_H (AT.P ?X_G)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_H ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_G)) CLIMB.347V)) ?X_G)
                ?E2 (?X_H GET.346.V ?X_I (AT.P-ARG ?X_G))
                ?E3 (?X_H EAT.323.V ?X_I)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_H (HAVE.V ?X_I)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_H HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

By linking pre- and post-conditions, we've formed a multi-step schema:

"Monkey climbs tree to get cocoanut to eat it"

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_H CLIMB_GET_EAT.349.PR ?X_G ?X_I) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_G TREE.N)
                !R2 (?X_I INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (NOT (?X_H = ?X_I))
                !R4 (?X_G LOCATION.N)
                !R5 (?X_I FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_I COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_H MONKEY.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_H (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_H (AT.P ?X_G)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_H ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_G)) CLIMB.347V)) ?X_G)
                ?E2 (?X_H GET.346.V ?X_I (AT.P-ARG ?X_G))
                ?E3 (?X_H EAT.323.V ?X_I)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_H (HAVE.V ?X_I)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_H HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

New temporal constraints on episodes impose the order

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_H CLIMB_GET_EAT.349.PR ?X_G ?X_I) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_G TREE.N)
                !R2 (?X_I INANIMATE_OBJECT.N)
                !R3 (NOT (?X_H = ?X_I))
                !R4 (?X_G LOCATION.N)
                !R5 (?X_I FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_I COCOANUT.N)
                !R7 (?X_H MONKEY.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_H (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_H (AT.P ?X_G)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_H ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_G)) CLIMB.347V)) ?X_G)
                ?E2 (?X_H GET.346.V ?X_I (AT.P-ARG ?X_G))
                ?E3 (?X_H EAT.323.V ?X_I)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_H (HAVE.V ?X_I)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_H HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

Same idea, different story...

Let's demonstrate *predictions*.

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
                !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
                !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
                !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                        ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
                ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
                ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

The cow left the barn.
It went out to **the field**.
The other cows were out in **the field**.
The cow found **a spot of grass**.
The cow ate **the grass**.

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
                !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
                !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
                !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                        ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
                ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
                ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

The cow left the barn.
It went out to **the field**.
The other cows were out in **the field**.
The cow found **a spot of grass**.
The cow ate **the grass**.

Schema:

“A cow goes to a field, finds a spot of grass, and eats grass”

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
                !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
                !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
                !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                        ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
                ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
                ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

The cow left the barn.
It went out to **the field**.
The other cows were out in **the field**.
The cow found **a spot of grass**.
The cow ate **the grass**.

Once learned, this schema unexpectedly matched to another story...

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
                !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
                !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
                !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                        ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
                ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
                ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

This is red clover.
The bees like it.
They find sweet nectar in the clover flowers.
They take the nectar home to make honey.
Here is white clover.
It is sweet.
It has nectar, and bees like it, too.
It grows in the fields with red clover and yellow buttercups.
Horses and cows eat clover.

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
                !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
                !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
                !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                        ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
                ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
                ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

The schema was invoked because of some shared words...

This is red clover.
The bees like it.
They **find** sweet nectar in the clover flowers.
They take the nectar home to make honey.
Here is white clover.
It is sweet.
It has nectar, and bees like it, too.
It grows in the **fields** with red clover and yellow buttercups.
Horses and **cows eat** clover.

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
                !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
                !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
                !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                        ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
                ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
                ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
                !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
                !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

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```
(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR
     FLOWER.N)))

(NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)

(NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)

(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FIELD738.SK (PLUR FIELD.N))

((BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK))
     FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK) ** E722.SK)
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```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
      :ROLES
            !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
            !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
            !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
            !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
            !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
            !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
      :PRECONDS
            ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
            ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
      :STEPS
            ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                  ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
            ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
            ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
      :POSTCONDS
            ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
            ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
      :EPISODE-RELATIONS
            !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
            !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
            !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
            !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

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(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR
     FLOWER.N)))

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(NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)

(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FIELD738.SK (PLUR FIELD.N))

((BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK))
     FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK) ** E722.SK)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
      :ROLES
            !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
            !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
            !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
            !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
            !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
            !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
      :PRECONDS
            ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
            ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
      :STEPS
            ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                  ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
            ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
            ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
      :POSTCONDS
            ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
            ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
      :EPISODE-RELATIONS
            !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
            !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
            !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
            !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

```
(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR
     FLOWER.N)))

(NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)

(NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)

(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FIELD738.SK (PLUR FIELD.N))

((BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK))
     FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK) ** E722.SK)
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```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
      :ROLES
            !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
            !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
            !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
            !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
            !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
            !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
      :PRECONDS
            ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
            ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
      :STEPS
            ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                  ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
            ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
            ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
      :POSTCONDS
            ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
            ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
      :EPISODE-RELATIONS
            !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
            !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
            !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
            !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
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?X_C ← BEES715.SK
?X_B ← NECTAR1.SK
?E2  ← E722.SK
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```
(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR
     FLOWER.N)))

(NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)

(NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)

(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FIELD738.SK (PLUR FIELD.N))

((BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK))
     FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK) ** E722.SK)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((?X_C GO_FIND_EAT.566.PR ?X_A ?X_B ?X_D) ** ?E)
      :ROLES
            !R1 (?X_A FIELD.N)
            !R2 (?X_B (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
            !R3 (?X_B SPOT.N)
            !R4 (?X_C COW.N)
            !R5 (?X_D FOOD.N)
            !R6 (?X_D GRASS.N)
      :PRECONDS
            ?I1 (?X_C (AT.P ?L1_2))
            ?I2 (NOT (?X_C (AT.P ?X_A)))
      :STEPS
            ?E1 (?X_C (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P ?X_A))
                  ((ADV-A (FROM.P ?L1)) GO.563.V))) ?X_A)
            ?E2 (?X_C FIND.562.V ?X_B)
            ?E3 (?X_C EAT.564.V ?X_D)
      :POSTCONDS
            ?P1 (NOT (?X_C (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
            ?P2 (NOT (?X_C HUNGRY.A))
      :EPISODE-RELATIONS
            !W1 (?E1 BEFORE ?E2)
            !W2 (?E2 BEFORE ?E3)
            !W3 (?E1 DURING ?E)
            !W4 (?E2 DURING ?E)
)
```

?X_C ← BEES715.SK
?X_B ← NECTAR1.SK
?E2 ← E722.SK
?X_A ← FIELD738.SK

```
(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR
     FLOWER.N)))

(NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)

(NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)

(BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))

(FIELD738.SK (PLUR FIELD.N))

((BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK))
     FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK) ** E722.SK)
```

This formula matched, too.
Not all matched pieces are steps.
Just “seeing a field” can remind us of this cow schema!

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1     (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4     (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5     (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6     (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7     (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8     (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9     (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1         (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3         (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
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```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1     (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4     (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5     (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6     (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7     (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8     (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9     (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1         (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3         (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
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```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1    (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4    (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5    (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6    (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7    (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8    (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9    (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1       (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3       (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
```

WordNet lowest common hypernym of COW.N and BEE.N is ANIMAL.N

New schema is only 50% sure agent is bee or cow, but 100% sure it's an animal.

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1     (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4     (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5     (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6     (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7     (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8     (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9     (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1         (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3         (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
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```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1     (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4     (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5     (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6     (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7     (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8     (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9     (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1         (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3         (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
```

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1     (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4     (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5     (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6     (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7     (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8     (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9     (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1         (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3         (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
```

Only one step is “confirmed” from the story...

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1     (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4     (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5     (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6     (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7     (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8     (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9     (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1         (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3         (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
```

But instead of “unconfirmed steps”, couldn’t we call these “predictions”?

```
(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1    (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4    (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5    (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6    (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7    (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8    (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9    (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1       (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3       (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
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“I observe that some bees found some sweet nectar in some clover flowers...”

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(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1     (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4     (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5     (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6     (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7     (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8     (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9     (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1         (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3         (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
```

“Maybe they left their home to go to a field first?”

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(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1    (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4    (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5    (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6    (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7    (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8    (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9    (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1       (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3       (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
                !W1  (?E1 BEFORE E722.SK)
                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
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“And maybe they ate some grass afterward?”

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(EPI-SCHEMA ((BEES715.SK GO_FIND_EAT.861.PR FIELD738.SK NECTAR1.SK ?X_D) ** ?E)
        :ROLES
                !R1    (FIELD738.SK FIELD.N)
                !R2_1 (NECTAR1.SK NECTAR.N)
                !R2_2 (NECTAR1.SK SWEET.A)
                !R2_3 (NECTAR1.SK (OF.P (K GRASS.N)))
                !R2_4 (NECTAR1.SK SPOT.N)
                !R4    (BEES715.SK COW.N)
                !R5    (?X_D FOOD.N)
                !R6    (?X_D GRASS.N)
                !R7    (BEES715.SK (PLUR BEE.N))
                !R8    (FLOWERS721.SK ((NN CLOVER.N) (PLUR FLOWER.N)))
                !R9    (BEES715.SK ANIMAL.N)
        :PRECONDS
                ?I1 (BEES715.SK (AT.P ?L1_2))
                ?I2 (NOT (BEES715.SK (AT.P FIELD738.SK)))
        :STEPS
                ?E1       (BEES715.SK (OUT.ADV ((ADV-A (TO.P FIELD738.SK)) ((ADV-A (FROM.P HOME724.SK)) GO.860.V))) FIELD738.SK)
                E722.SK (BEES715.SK ((ADV-A (IN.P FLOWERS721.SK)) FIND.562.V) NECTAR1.SK)
                ?E3       (BEES715.SK EAT.564.V ?X_D)
        :POSTCONDS
                ?P1  (NOT (BEES715.SK (HAVE.V ?X_D)))
                ?P2 (NOT (BEES715.SK HUNGRY.A))
        :EPISODE-RELATIONS
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                !W2 (E722.SK BEFORE ?E3)
                !W3 (E722.SK (AT-ABOUT NOW178))
        :CERTAINTIES
                !C1 (!R4 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C2 (!R7 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 1 2))
                !C3 (!R9 CERTAIN-TO-DEGREE (/ 2 2))
)
```

(Note: that prediction is weaker, because it still has an unmatched variable inside it.)

Evaluation

We have a corpus of 561 simple children's stories taken from ROCstories (Mostafazadeh et al., 2016) and a children's "first reader" collection.

We will split these stories (and any more we acquire) into development and test sets. (The former to develop new protoschemas & our matching code.)

The test set will be used to learn as many schemas as possible.

Evaluation

Once the schemas are learned, we will evaluate their usefulness for story understanding by rating the appropriateness of their predictions.

We will use two rating methods: human judges and an automated narrative cloze task.

Human Evaluation

Our schemas will generate three kinds of prediction:

1. Temporal predictions (What happened before that? What happened after that?)

2. Attribute predictions (“He ate a cocoanut.” => “He was a monkey.”)

3. Motivational predictions (“He climbed the cocoanut tree because he was hungry.”)

Human Evaluation

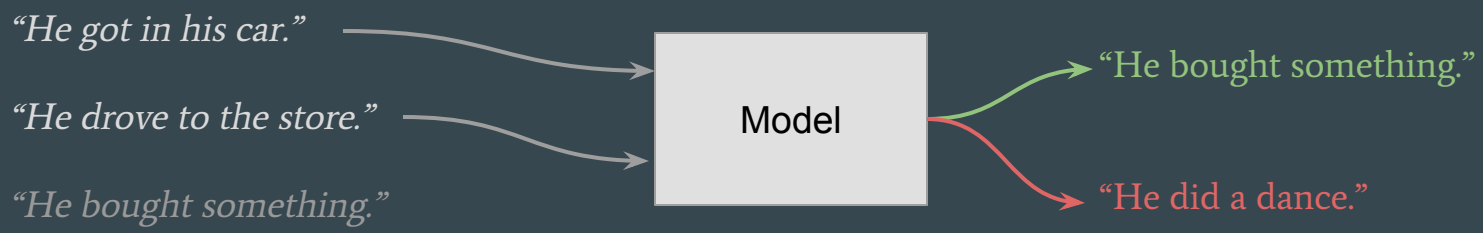
We'll render the Episodic Logic predictions to English.

Untrained human judges (e.g. turkers) will rate the likelihood and novelty of the predictions.

Automated Narrative Cloze Evaluation

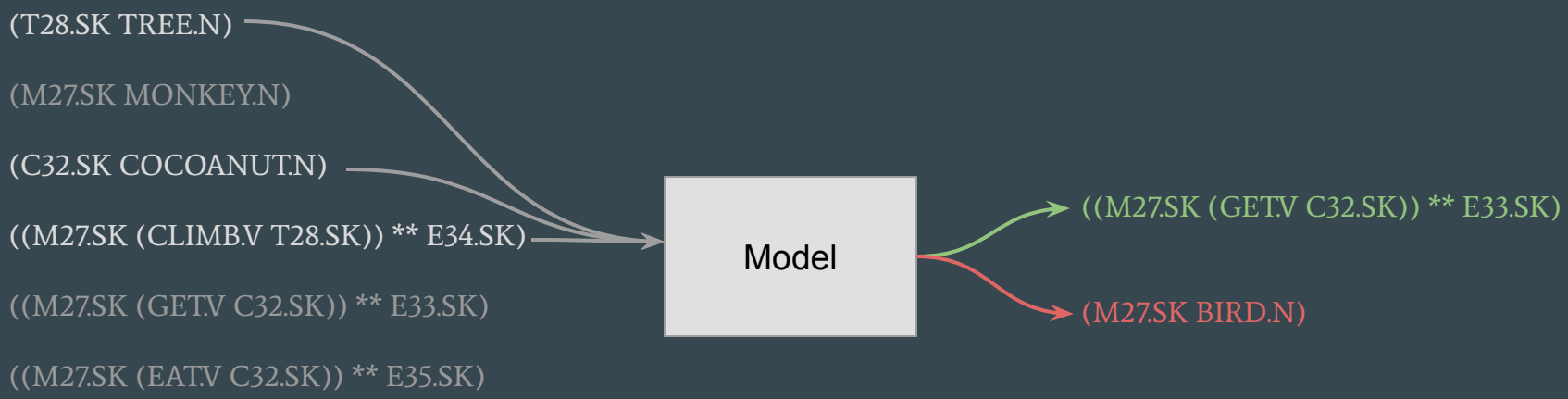
Chambers & Jurafsky (2008) introduced the “narrative cloze” test for evaluating their scripts.

It rated a model’s ability to predict “held-out” events from a sequence.



Automated Narrative Cloze Evaluation

We can modify this to allow the schemas to predict held-out EL formulas.



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Matching Algorithm

Algorithm 1 Basic algorithm for matching a story to a schema

INPUT: set of story EL formulas $STORY$, a candidate schema SCH, number of shuffles $SHUF$
OUTPUT: best schema $match$
$match \leftarrow null$
for i from 0 to $SHUF$ **do**
  $STORY \leftarrow shuffle(STORY)$
  for ϕ in $STORY$ **do**
    for ψ in SCH **do**
      if ϕ and ψ unify with variable bindings B **then**
        $SCH \leftarrow SCH$ with all bindings in B applied
  if $score(SCH) > score(match)$ **then**
    $match \leftarrow SCH$