



## Tense and Aspect Across Languages

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- Dimensions of synchronic and diachronic variation, such as what we can learn from the investigation of micro-variation (language varieties/language time slices) for meso- and macro-variation of tense and aspect, as well as language change.
- Case studies on specific tense or aspect categories, in a particular set of languages/language varieties/language slices/language families and their impact on linguistic theory.
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