

au·then·tic /ô'THen(t)ik/

adjective

1. of undisputed origin; genuine.

"the letter is now accepted as an authentic document" synonyms: genuine, real, bona fide, true, veritable; More

2. MUSIC

(of a church mode) comprising the notes lying between the principal note or final and the note an octave higher.



au·thor·i·ta·tive /əˈTHôrə,tādiv/

adjective

able to be trusted as being accurate or true; reliable.
 "clear, authoritative information and advice"
 synonyms: reliable, dependable, trustworthy, sound, authentic, valid, attested, verifiable; accurate
 "authoritative information"

 commanding and self-confident; likely to be respected and obeyed. "she had an authoritative air" synonyms: assured, confident, assertive; More

true /troo/ 🐠

<mark>adjectiv</mark>e

in accordance with fact or reality.

 "a true story"
 synonyms: correct, accurate, right, verifiable, in accordance with the facts, what actually/really happened, well documented, the case, so; More

2. accurate or exact.

"it was a true depiction" synonyms: accurate, true to life, faithful, telling it like it is, fact-based, realistic, close, lifelike "a true reflection of life in the 50s"

re·al·i·ty /rēˈalədē/

noun

 the world or the state of things as they actually exist, as opposed to an idealistic or notional idea of them.

"he refuses to face reality" synonyms: the real world, real life, actuality; More

 the state or quality of having existence or substance. "youth, when death has no reality"

per·cep·tion /pərˈsepSH(ə)n/

noun

the ability to see, hear, or become aware of something through the senses. "the normal limits to human perception"

- the state of being or process of becoming aware of something through the senses.
 "the perception of pain" synonyms: recognition, awareness, consciousness, appreciation, realization, knowledge, grasp, understanding, comprehension, apprehension; formal cognizance
 "our perception of our own limitations"
- a way of regarding, understanding, or interpreting something; a mental impression.
 "Hollywood's perception of the tastes of the American public" synonyms: impression, idea, conception, notion, thought, belief, judgment, estimation "popular perceptions of old age"

per spective

noun

- the art of drawing solid objects on a two-dimensional surface so as to give the right impression of their height, width, depth, and position in relation to each other when viewed from a particular point.
 "a perspective drawing"
- a particular attitude toward or way of regarding something; a point of view.
 "most guidebook history is written from the editor's perspective"
 synonyms: outlook, view, viewpoint, point of view, POV, standpoint, position, stand, stance,
 angle, slant, attitude, frame of mind, frame of reference, approach, way of looking,
 interpretation
 "her perspective on things had changed"

un·seen

/ˌənˈsēn/ ๗

adjective

not seen or noticed.

"it seemed she might escape unseen"

synonyms: hidden, concealed, obscured, camouflaged, out of sight, invisible, imperceptible, undetectable, unnoticeable, unnoticed, unobserved; mysterious "an unseen sniper"

not foreseen or predicted.

"unseen problems"

BRITISH

(of a passage for translation in a test or examination) not previously read or prepared.

Thoughts and Feelings



Syntactic Sugar for English

Pragmatic Eloquence Wendy Closson





























Exaggerated Absolute

{specific measurements} > always, never, everywhere, etc

Vagueness in Precision

{specific measurements} > many, few, some, soon, etc

Impending Doom

{doom} > impact level, probability, prevention, mitigation

Capitulation of Responsibility

{I choose } > make me
 {I want} > have to

Feelings Mask

I think | It seems | I am > I feel

Should Shame

could > should What kept you from...?

Sarcasm

What am I angry about?

{specific measurements} > many, few, some, soon, etc {specific measurements} > always, never, all, everywhere, etc {doom} > impact level, probability, prevention, mitigation {I choose } > make me {I want} > have to I think | It seems | I am > I feel could > should

Soon





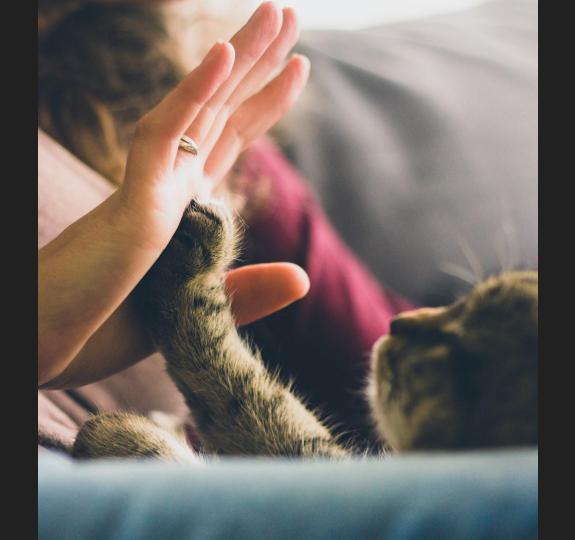
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Technical Debt

Now What?











Questions?

