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# GRAMMAR

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LIKOLO TSA LESOTHO

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# HO LITICHERE TSA LESOTHO

*Syllabus* e ncha ea likolo tsa Lesotho e laela hore *Grammar* ea Sesotho e rutoe likolong ho qala ka *Grade VI (Standard III)*. Empa *Grammar* eo ha e tla rutoa, e ka khona bukanyana e be teng eo litichere li ka ithusang ka eona, etsoe thuto eo e le thuto e ncha, eo li e-song ho e tloaele. Ka baka leo ba bang ba nkōpile hore ke leke ho ngola *Grammar* ena.

Mosebetsi oo ke o lumetse ka pelaelo, etsoe ke tse-ba hore ke mosebetsi o boima, o tsietsang, o ke keng oa kholisa litichere tse ngata. Litichere li tloaetse *Grammar* ea se-English, 'me li tla lebella hore *Grammar* ea Sesotho e sale *Grammar* ea se-English morao tabeng tsohle. Kanthe hase taba e ka etsoang. Puo e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe e na le mekhoha le melao ea eona, e sa tšoaneng le ea lipuo tse ling. Sesotho se hosele ho se-English haholo-holo. Se fapane le sona tabeng tse ngata, tse kholo, joaleka ha le bona Basotho ba fapane le ma-English mekhoeng e mengata-ngata.

Joale *Grammar* ea Sesotho e tšoanetse ho sala melao ea puo ea Sesotho morao le ho e hlonepha. Ba balang buka ena ba tla fumana hore, litabeng tse ngata, *Grammar* ea Sesotho e tšoanetse ho tsamaea ka litsela lisele, tse sa tšoaneng le tsa *Grammar* ea se-English.

Taba e joalo litichere li tla qala ho e bona khaolong ea *Adjective*, moo ho tla bonahala hore mantsoe a kang *monate, botsoa (lijo tse monate, batho ba botsoa)* hase *adjectives*, empa ke *nouns*. Ho joalo le khaolong ea *Pronoun*, moo ho tla fumanoa hore mantsoe a kang *tseo, bao*, ke *pronouns*, kanthe ka se-English a bitsoa *distinguishing adjectives*. Lebaka ke hore, ha re rata ho utloisisa mokhoa oa Sesotho hantle, ha re na ho talima feela, joaleka ho se-English, *mosebetsi* oo mantsoe a o sebetsang, empa re tšoanetse ho lemoha le sona *sebopeho* sa 'ona. Ke kōpa litichere hore li hlo-komele taba ena haholo.



Moo bothata bo boholo bo fumanoang teng ke ho *Verb*. Eona e ntsielitse haholo, 'me ke sitoa ho re, ke e nepile ka 'ngá tsohle. Hoja ka etsa kamoo nka beng ke ratile kateng, nka be ke kopantse, ha ho etsoa *parsing*, *verb* le *connective pronoun* ea eona, 'me ke nkile mantsoe a kang ana : *ke tlile*, *ba tsamaea*, joaleka ha eka ke lentsoe le le leng. 'Me nka be ke entse *parsing* ka ho re : *ke tlile*, *Indic. mood*, *Perfect tense*, *Ist pers. sing.*, *ba tsamaea*, *Indic. mood*, *Present tense*, *3rd pers.*, *Ist class. plur.* Empa taba ena ha ke e bona le baeletsi ba bang ba ka, ba ntlhōla ka mabaka a mang ao ba a hlhisitseng, 'me ka lumela ho etsa ka hosele. Bukeng ena re tla talima mantsoe a kang ana ; *ke tlile*, *ba tsamaea*, joaleka mantsoe a mabeli (kamoo a ngoliloeng kateng le hona). Ha ho etsoa *parsing*, ho tla thoe : *ke tlile* : *ke*, *connect. pron.*, *Ist pers. sing.*, e kopanyang *nomin.* ea eona le *verb* "tlile" ; *tlile*. *Ind. mood*, *Perfect tense* ea *verb* "ho tla," etc.

Ha ke e-so ho utloisise hore ho mekhoha eo e 'meli ke ofe o bonolo, o utloahalang, o loketseng ho ba teng ; empa ke batla ke kholoa hore mokhoa oo ke o amo-hetseng bukeng ena o tla kholisa ba bangata, o be bonolo le ho bana.

Bothata bo bong ke ba *Tenses*, 'me litichere li ka tšoha li khopjoa ha li sa lemohe litaba hantle. Puong ea se-English *tenses* li bolela *nako* ka mehla, kanthe Sesothong ho tla fumanoa *tense* e 'ngoe, *Potential Tense*, e sa boleleng nako hakakang. Leha ho le joalo, ke bolokile lebitso la *tense*, hore ke se ke ka ferekanya mehopolo ea batho ka ho iqapela lebitso le leng. Hape hō ekelitsoe le ka *tense* e 'ngoe e leng sieo ho se-English, *Habitual Tense*, hobane eona e teng Sesothong, 'me re tšoanetse ho ea ka seo re se fumaneng Sesothong, etsoe puo eo re etsang *Grammar* ea eona ke sona Sesotho. Litichere li hlokomele taba eo hantle, li e nahane, 'me li ke ke tsa hlola li makala haholo.

Ho joalo hape bakeng sa *Moods* ; ke ekelitse *moods* tse peli tse sieo ho se-English, ke ho re, *Dependent*.

*mood* le *Relative mood*; li teng puong ea Sesotho, re tšoanetse ho li kenya ho *Grammar* ea Sesotho.

Bothata bo boholo bo bile teng le bakeng sa *Compound Tenses, Auxiliary Verbs, Syntax* le *Analysis*.

Ha ke khotso hantle-ntle ka tse ling tseo ke li ngolileng, ke sitoa ho tiisa hore ke li nepile kaofela. Hoo ke ratang hore litichere li ho lemohe, ke hore ke 'na ea qalileng ho phunya tsela ena e ncha, eo ho seng motho le a mong ea seng a kile a e tsamaea. 'Me motho ea phunyang tsela a ke ke a lesa ho oela mekoting le ho lahleha. Ke moo ke kōpang litichere le batho bohle hore ba nthuse, ba mpontše moo ke fotsiseng, kapa ba mpotse moo ba sa utloisiseng. Taba tsena kaofela tsa *Grammar* ea Sesotho re ke re eletsane ka tsona *Leselinyaneng*, "Serapeng sa baruti ba likolo," kapa re ngollane ka tsona. 'Me ka mora' lilemonyana, ha buka ena e ka boela ea hatisoa, ke tla tseba ho e nepa ho e-na le kajeno, hobane etlaba likeletso tsa litichere li nthusitse. "Pharela banneng ha e hlōle." Feela, kea ba kōpa hore ba se ke ba phakisa ba nyatsa, ba e-so ho utloisise seo ke se bolelang; ba 'ne ba hopole ka mehla hore *Grammar* ea Sesotho e sitoa ho sala *Grammar* ea se-English morao tabeng tsohle, etsoe e hlalosa Sesotho e seng Sekhooa.

Taba e 'ngoe hape e ileng ea ntsietsa haholo, ke taba ea mabitso ao re tšoanetseng ho a bitsa ha re bolela *Parts of Speech*, leha e le mantsoe a mang a *Grammar*. Ka 'ng'e 'ngoe nka be ke ratile ha ho ka bōpjoa mantsoe a mang a Sesotho, a bolelang *Noun, Adjective, Pronoun, Verb, Tense, Mood*, etc. Empa ha ke imamela, ka bona hore hase bile hase taba eo nka e lekang.

Mabaka a mabeli. La pele ke hore ho thata ho bōpa mantsoe a joalo ao bohle ba tla a lumela hore a nepehile. Lebaka la bobeli ke hore, bana ha ba fetela pele ho *Grammar* ea se-English, ho tla ba bo-

nolo ho bona ha ba se ba tloetse mantsoe a se-English a bitsoang *grammatical terms*; kanthe ha eba ba tšoa-  
netse ho qala ka ho tloaela a mang a Sesotho, 'me kamorao ba boela ba fumana a mang a se-English ba ka ferekana mehopolo.

Feela tsietsi eo ke e bonang, ha ke entse kamoo ke entseng kateng, ke hore Sesotho sa buka ena se tšoa-  
kane haholo-holo le mantsoe a se-English. Ke taba eo ke tsebang hore e tla khopisa ba bangata. Feela ho no ho se kamoo nka etsang kateng; le holim'a taba ena ke tla thabela ho utloa mehopolo le likele-  
tso tsa litichere.

*Grammar* ena e loketse *Grade VI (Standard III)*, le *Division I (Standard IV)* likolong tsa Lesotho, mohlo-  
mong le eona *Division II (Standard V)*. E sebetsa bakeng sa Sesotho mosebetsi oo *First* le *Intermediate Grammar* ea *Davidson* e o sebetsang bakeng sa se-  
English. Ha eba ho ka fumanoa hoba thuto ena ea atleha likolong tsa Lesotho, re ka leka ka selemo se seng ho etsa *Grammar* e 'ngoe e lokelang *Division III (Standard VI)* le likolo tse kholo (*Institutions*).

Hore litichere li tsebe ho ruta bana ba *Standard III* lithuto tse lokelang, tse ke keng tsa e-ba boima ho feta tekanyo, re tšoaile ka\* likarolo (*paragraphs*) tseo li tšoaletseng ho li feta, tse loketseng ho rutoa bana ba *Standard IV* le *V* feela.

Ho entsoe le *buka ea likarabo*, moo litichere li tla fuma-  
na likarabo tse nepileng tsa lihlakiso (*Exercises*) tsohle tsa *Grammar* ena. Haholo teng ba tla fumana mehlala e meng ea *parsing* le *analysis* e tla ba thusa mosebetsing oa bona.

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§1. **Grammar** ke thuto e rutang melao ea puo, e bontšang kamoo puo e bōpiloeng kateng.

§2. **Puo** (*language*) e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe e bolela litaba. Taba e boleloang e bitsoa **sentence**, joaleka: *Molimo o bōpile batho; likhomo li fula masimong.*

*Sentence* e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe e etsoa ka **mantsoe** (*words*) a mang a kolokisoang ka melao e meng. *Sentence* ena: *Molimo o bōpile batho*, e entsoe ka mantsoe ana a mane: *Molimo, o, bōpile, batho.*

Lentsoe le leng le le leng le bōpjoa ka **melumo** (*sounds*) e meng; lentsoe lena: *Molimo*, le entsoe ka melumo e tšeletseng: *m, o, l, i, m, o.*

§3. Ka hoo, **Grammar** e na le likarolo tse tharo:

1. Thuto ea *melumo* (*sounds*) e bitsoang **Phonetics**.
2. Thuto ea *mantsoe* (*words*), e bitsoang **Etymology**.
3. Thuto ea *lipolelo* (*sentences*), e bitsoang **Syntax**.

Empa bukanyaneng ena re ke ke ra ithuta likarolo tseo tse tharo.

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## KHAOLO EA I

### MELUMO (SOUNDS)

\* §4. Melumo ea Sesotho e 41; ke ka eona mantsoe a Sesotho kaofela a bōpjoang, leha a le mangata haholo.

**Temoso.** Ho lemohue hore re bua ka *melumo*, e seng ka *liletere*. Re tšoanetse ho ela taba eo hloko, etsoe *melumo* le *liletere* e le ntho tse peli tse fapaneng. *Liletere* li tšoantša melumo, empa ha li e tšoantše ka mokhoa o phethehileng, etsoe: I° mohlomong letere e le 'ngoe e ka tšoantša melumo e 'meli, kapa e meraro, joaleka o, kamoo re ka bonang mantsoeng ana: *sefate sea oma, sefate se omile, motho* (o ke letere e le 'ngoe, empa melumo e tšoantšoang ka eona e

mefuta e meraro). 2° mohlomong liletere tse peli kapa tse tharo li etsa molumo o le mong, joaleka **sh** (*ho shapa*), **psh** (*ho pshatla*) (**sh** ke liletere tse peli, empa ho tšoantšoa molumo o le mong ka tsona).

§5. Melumo e aroloa koto tse peli: e meng ke **vowels**, e meng ke **consonants**.

**Vowel** ke molumo o ka bitsoang hantle leha o sa kopane le molumo o mong, joaleka **a, i, u**.

**Consonant** ke molumo oo re ka sitoang ho o bitsa hantle ha o sa kopane le *vowel*, joaleka **t, p, k**.

\* §6. **Vowels** tsa Sesotho ke **a, e, i, o, u**; ka ha e le **o** li na le melumo e meraro e fapaneng, melumo ea **vowels** Sesothong e ba 9. E bonoa mantsoeng ana: *taba*; *ho fela, ho felile, leru*; *lefifi*; *ho oma, li omile, motho*; *mofufutso*.

**Temoso**. Ho lemohue hore, leha melumo ea **vowels** e le 9, re mpa re e ngola ka liletere tse 5 feela; motho ha a bala o tšoanetse ho bitsa **o** le **e** hantle, hore melumo ea tsona e khethehe. Mantsoeng a seng makae ho khethoa molumo oa **ō** le **è**; joaleka **sehlōhō**, ho **tšèla** (metsi).

§7. Ho na le melumo e 'meli e tšoanang le **vowels**, empa hase **vowels** tse tletseng; melumo eo e ngoloa **o** le **e**, joaleka: *ngoana, eena*. Melumo ena e bitsoa **semi-vowels** (*vowel* tse halafo), hobane e kopana le **vowel** e e hlahlamang ho etsa molumo o le mong le eona.

\* §8. Melumo ea Sesotho ea **consonants** e 32, ke: **b, bj, ch, f, fsh, h, hl, j, k, kh, l, m, n, ng, ng', ny, p, ph, pj, psh, q, qh, r, s, sh, t, th, tj, tl, tlh, ts, tš**.

\* §9. Ho bitsoa **syllable**, molumo, kapa kopano ea melumo e ka bitsoang hang feela, ho sa boele ho ahlamisoa molomo, joaleka *mo-tše-a-re, tha-ba*.

Ka Sesotho **syllable** kaofela li qetella ka **vowel**, kapa ka **ng**, joaleka: *ba-lang bu-ka e-na ha-n-tle*.

**Temoso.** Ho lemohuoe hore *n*, *m*, *ng*, ha li le pel'a *consonants* li etsa *syllable*, leha e sa tlala hantlente, joaleka : *ha-n-tle*, *n-toa*, *m-pho*, *n-ku*. (1)

• Le eona *l* pel'a *l* e 'ngoe e etsa *syllable*, joaleka *mol-lo*, *ho fe-l-la*.

\* §10. Lentsoe le nang le *syllable* e le 'ngoe le bitsoa **monosyllable**, joaleka : *o re tu*, *ho ja*, *ho tla*.

Lentsoe le nang le *syllable* tse fetang bonngoe le bitsoa **polysyllable**, joaleka : *le-hlo-ho-no-lo*, *fu-thu-metseng*, *le-hla-ba-the*.

• **Temoso.** Lentsoe le nang le *syllable* tse peli le atisa ho bitsoa **dissyllable**, joaleka : *ta-ba*, *ra-ta*, *nō-ka*

Lentsoe le nang le *syllables* tse tharo le atisa ho bitsoa **trissyllable**, *mo-re-na*, *mo-lu-mo*, *mo-se-me*.

\* §11. Lentsoeng le leng le le leng ho na le *syllable* e 'ngoe e bitsoang ka matla ho e-na le tse ling ; ho thoe, *syllable* eo e **accented**, kapa e na le **accent**, joaleka : **matla**, **leru**. Sesothong *accent* e fumanoa ka mehla holim'a *syllable* e pel'a ea qetello (*syllable* eo e bitsoa *penult*), joaleka ; **mo-tho**, **n-toa**, **le-fa-tše**.

Ha *syllable* ea qetello ea lentsoe e qetella ka *ng*, **accent** e holim'a eona, joaleka : **n-toeng**, **le-fa-tšeng**. (2)

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\* Khethang *vowels*. *semi-vowels* le *consonants* (3) mantsoeng ana : Lerato, matsatsi, uena, letsoalo, ntoanele, lehlohonolong, talima, sekolo, bosiu, thiba, mpho, tsamaea, nku.

(1) Ho ngoloa *nku*, leha molumo oa 'nete e le *ngku*, ke ho re *n* pel'a *k* le *kh* e bitsoa *ng* ka mehla.

(2) Empa ha re talima *ng* ea qetello joaleka *syllable* (kamoo efelang e le eona), re ka re, mantsoe ana a ka aroloa joana : *n-loe-ng*, *le-fa-tšeng*, 'me eba *accent* e holim'a *penult*.

(3) Ho hlokomeloe hore ntho e tšoanetseng ho supjoa hase *liletere*, empa ke *melumo* ; lentsoeng la *ho tsoa*, ho se ke ha thoe *t*, *s* ke *consonants*, ho mpe ho thoe *ts* ke *consonant*.

\* Arolang mantsoe ao ka *syllables* tsa 'ona, le bontše moo *accent* e leng teng (ka ho bea holim'a *syllable* e nang le *accent*). Tsamaca, tšaba, tšabang, litaba, litabeng, emang, kokolofitoe, boela, ho tla, masole, maholimong, tlung, tsoaloa, ntho, ho lla, linkung, mollo, mollong, eena, o sieo.

## KHAOLO EA 2

### MEFUTA EA MANTSOE (PARTS OF SPEECH)

§12. Mantsoe 'ohle ke a mefuta e robileng meno e 'meli, e bitsoang **Parts of Speech** (mefuta ea Mantsoe).

Ke tsena :

- |              |                 |
|--------------|-----------------|
| 1. Noun      | 5. Adverb       |
| 2. Adjective | 6. Preposition  |
| 3. Pronoun   | 7. Conjunction  |
| 4. Verb      | 8. Interjection |

**Temoso.** Ho khethoa mofuta oa lentsoe ka ho ea ka sebopeliso sa lona, le ka mosebetsi oo lentsoe leo le o sebetsang puong.

#### 1. Noun (Lebitso)

§13. Noun ke lebitso leo re bitsang lintho kapa batho ka lona, joaleka: **Moshoeshoe, tau, Morija, bosoeu, sefate.**

**Hlaloso.** *Moshoeshoe* ke *noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso la motho e mong; *tau* ke *noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso la sebata se seng; *Morija* ke *noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso la motse o mong; *bosoeu* ke *noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso le bolelang 'mala o mong; *sefate* ke *noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso la ntho e 'ngoe.

#### HLAKISO EA 3.

Khethang *nouns* lipolelong tsena :

1. Bona, pere ke eo. 2. Sefate se selelele. 3. Bosiu boa sa. 4. Tau e bolaea batho. 5. Re ea sekolong. 6. Likhomo li robala ka sakeng. 7. Bitsa Lerata. 8. Ntate o kae? 9. Balisana ba aloa lipere naheng. 10. Basali ba sebetsa masimong. 11. Ba ile letsemeng la morena Letsie.

HLAKISO EA 4.

Bolelang mabitso a lintho tse tharo:

1 Tlung ea sekolo; 2 masimong; 3 naheng; 4 motseng; 5 sakeng; 6 tlung ea lōna; 7 levenkeleng.

HLAKISO EA 5.

Bolelang mabitso a :

1 Batho ba leshome; 2 metse e mehlano; 3 thaba tse hlano; 4 linōka tse hlano; 5 linaha tse hlano; 6 liphoofole tse leshome; 7 libetsa tse hlano.

2. Adjective.

§14. Adjective ke lentsoe leo re *khethang* (*limit*) *noun* har'a *nouns* tse ling tsa mofuta o le mong, kapa re *eketsang* ka lona *ho bolela* kamoo e leng kateng (*to qualify it*) joaleka : *pere e ntle* ; *motho e moholo* : *khomo tse peli*.

Hlaloso. — *Ntle* ke *adjective*, ka hobane e bolela kamoo *pere* e leng kateng ; e araba potso : ke pere e joang? *Moholo* ke *adjective*, ka hobane e bolela kamoo *motho* a leng kateng ; *peli* ke *adjective*, ka hobane e khetha (*limits*) *likhomo*, e bontša hore ho boleloa e seng *likhomo* feela, empa *likhomo* tse peli ; e araba potso e reng : ke *khomo tse kae* ?

*Adjective* ke ho re : lentsoe le *eketsang*.

Sesothong *adjectives* tsa 'nete li tsejoa le ka sebopeho sa tsona, ka hobane li nka *prefixes* tsa *noun* eo li e etsang *qualify*.

HLAKISO EA 6.

Supang *adjectives* lipolelong tsena :

1 Lipere tsa ka li ntle. 2 Ha re rate bana ba babe. 3. Ke rekile khomo e tšehlana. 4 U bolaile kubu tse kae? 5 Banna ba remile sefate se selelele. 6 Monna o ruile *likhomo* tse putsoa le tse khunong. 7 Ntate o na le bana ba bahlano. 8 Motse oa heso o moholo, o motle. 9 O hlabile linku tse 'ne.

HLAKISO EA 7.

Beang *adjectives* ka mora' *nouns* tsena :

1 Ntlo; 2 khomo; 3 pere; 4 sefate; 5 lipholo; 6 bosiu; 7 litlou; 8 leseli; 9 monna; 10 masimo; 11 moluoane.



### HLAKISO EA 8.

Beang *nouns* pel'a *adjectives* tsena :

1 Motle ; 2 tšehali ; 3 babe ; 4 lelelele ; 5 tšoeu ; 6 tšoana ; 7 motšo ; 8 sebe ; 9 mokae ; 10 ngata ; 11 mene ; 12 bararo ; 13 hlano ; 14 mane ; 15 tona ; 16 mokhutšoanyane ; 17 menyenyane ; 18 setenya.

### 3. Pronoun.

§15. **Pronoun** ke lentsoe le beoang sebakeng sa *noun*, joaleka : *Petrose o tlile koano, ke rata ho bua le eena. Likhomo tseo li tsoa kae? Ke rekile khomo le namane ea eona.*

Hlaloso. — Ho *sentence* ea pele *eena* ke *pronoun*, ka hobane e lutse sebakeng sa *Petrose* (ho no ho ka thoe: *Petrose o tlile koano, ke rata ho bua le Petrose*) : ho *sentence* ea boraro, *eona* ke *pronoun* ka hobane e lutse sebakeng sa *khomo* (ho no ho ka thoe: *ke rekile khomo le namane ea khomo*) ; ho *sentence* ea bobeli le teng li e lutse bakeng sa *likhomo*.

Mosebetsi o moholo oa *pronoun*, ke hore re se ke ra 'na ra pheta *noun* khafetsa.

§16. **Pronouns** tse ling li na le mosebetsi o kang oa *adjectives* ; li khetha (*limit*) kapa li supa (*distinguish*) *nouns*, joaleka : *khomo tseo ; batho bao ; lifate tsohle.*

Temoso. — *Pronouns* tsa mofuta oo li ka khethoa hantle ho *adjectives*, ka hobane li bōpjoa ka *pronominal prefixes*, hape ha li etelloe pele ke *relative pronouns*, joaleka *adjectives*.

### HLAKISO EA 9.

Supang *pronouns* :

1 Ke tšoanetse ho ja lijo tsa ka. 2 Ntlo ea hao ke efe? 3 Ke uena. 4 Pere tsa rōna li kae? 5 A re eeng ho eena. 6 Khomo tseo ke tsa hao. 7 Batho bano ba rekile liaparo tse ntle. 8 Molisa eo o lisa linku tsa hae hantle.

### HLAKISO EA 10.

Beang *pronouns* tse lokelang :

1 Pere tsa ..... kene tšimong ea ... 2 Na ... rekile khomo ... ? 3 Bana ... ke bana ba babe. 4 Ke rata ho bua le ... 5 Ke memile Petrose le mosali oa ... 6 Nama ... u ... rekile kae? 7 Ha e le Setenane ha ke ... rate. 8 Ke rata lijo ... butsoitseng hantle.

HLAKISO EA II

Khethang *nouns, adjectives, le pronouns* :

1 Tau e na le mohatla o molelele ; ke sebata se 'mala o mosehla.  
2 Lithupa tseo tse ntle u li fumane kae? 3 Ntlo ea hae e kholo haholo ; ke rata ho haha e joalo. 4 Bana ba monna enoa ke bana ba babe ; ha ba rate ho bapala le rōna. 5 Likhomo tsa ka lia mo lemela. 6 Batho bao ba tsoa kae? 7 Monna eno o hloile batho bohle.

4. Verb.

§17. Verb ke lentsoe leo re bolelang taba ka lona, kapa e le ketso (*action*), kapa e le kamoo ntho e 'ngoe e leng kateng (*state*); joaleka : *ngoana oa ja* ; *batho ba rata bana ba bona* ; *mollo oa tuka* ; *sefate se robehile*.

**Hlaloso.** *Oa ja* ke *verb*, ka hobane e bolela taba eo ngoana a e etsang. *Ba rata* ke *verb*, ka hobane e bolela seo batho ba se etsang. *Oa tuka* ke *verb*, ka hobane e bolela seo mollo o se etsang, *Se robehile* ke *verb*, ka hobane e bolela kamoo sefate se leng kateng, mokhoa oo se lutseng ka oona.

HLAKISO EA 12.

Bolelang *verbs* lipolelong tsena :

1 Morena o bitsitse batho ba hae. 2 Re jele lijo tse monate.  
3 U tla ea kae hosasane? 4 Setsomi se bolaile matsa a mangata.  
5 Ba rata nama haholo. 6 Nka etsa joang? 7 Molimo o boloka ntho tsohle. 6 Tsamaea, u late khomo ea ka. 9 Linku tsa hao li tla ba ngata. 10 Likobo tsa ka li tabohile.

HLAKISO EA 13.

Beang *verbs* ka mora' *nouns* tsena :

1 Morena ; 2 mosali ; 3 likhomo ; 4 sefate ; 5 pula ; 6 lehloa ;  
7 tšepe ; 8 tau ; 9 pere ; 10 khoeli ; 11 letsatsi ; 12 nōka ; 13 linonyana ; 14 ngoana ; 15 moea ; 16 bosiu.

HLAKISO EA 14.

Beang *nouns* pel'a *verbs* tsena :

1 ...oa lla ; 2 ...lia fula ; 3 ...le chabile ; 4 ...e robehile ; 5 ...li tla baleha ; 6 ... o u bitsitse ; 7 ... a luma ; 8 ... li bolaea likhomo ; 9 ... šea lla ; 10 ... li bea litholoana ; 11 .. e ne e le morena oa Lesotho ; 12 ... ea bohola.

HLAKISO EA 15.

Bolelang *nouns, adjectives, pronouns, verbs*.

1 Batho bao ba re boleletse litaba tse ngata. 2 Re sitoa ho li hopola hantle. 3 U tla tla neng ho 'na? 4 Letsatsi le chabile.

5 Re robetse hantle ka bosiu bona. 6 Likhomo tsa hao tse ntle u li rekile kae? 7 Litau li ne li le teng morung ona, empa li bolailoe ke litsomi. 8 Banna ba motse oo ba tsamaile.

### 5. Adverb.

§18. Adverb ke lentsoe le eketsang ho hlalosa *verb*, kapa *adjective*, kapa *adverb* e 'ngoe (ka se-English ho thoe, e etsa *modify*); joaleka: *pere ena e matha hantle*; *re tla tla hosasane*; *tlo koano*; *pholo eo e ntle haholo*.

**Hlaloso.** *Hantle* ke *adverb*, ka hobane e eketsa ho hlalosa kamoo pere e mathang kateng; *hosasane* ke *adverb*, ka hobane e hlalosa tsa ho tla ha ka, ka ho bolela hore ke tla tla neng; *koano* ke *adverb*, ka hobane e hlalosa moo ke tsoanetseng ho tla; *haholo* ke *adverb*, ka hobane e hlalosa kamoo pholo e leng ntle kateng.

*Adverb* e araba potso e reng: joang? neng? kae?  
*Adverb* ke ho re, lentsoe le pel'a *verb*.

#### HLAKISO EA 16.

Bolelang *adverbs* lipolelong tsena :

I Pere eo e botsoa hampe. 2 Morena o tlile maobane. 3 Re tla tsamaea hosasane. 4 Fate seo se senyehile haholo. 5 Khomo tseo li tsoa hole. 6 Re tla etsa joang? 7 U nkentse hampe haholo 8 Ke u bitsitse hangata. 9 Re tla ea kae? 10 O khathetse habohloko. 11 Ba matha kapele. 12 Lefatše leo le letle ruri.

#### HLAKISO EA 17.

Beang *adverbs* ka mora' *verbs*, *adjectives* [le *adverbs* tse ngotsoeng ka *italics*.

I Pere e *matha* ... 2 Pula e *nele* ... 3 O *nkentse* ... 4 Bo ea *sa* ... 5 Ngoana eo o *lla* ... 6 Mosali eo o sebeta *hantle* ... 7 Bana ba hao u ba *siile* ...? 8 Ba *tsamaea* ... 9 Nku eo e *ntle* ... 10 U *entse* —

#### HLAKISO EA 18

Khethang *nouns*, *adjectives*, *pronouns*, *verb* le *adverbs*.

1 Mosali o koetse ntlo ea hae hathata. 2 U nkotlile habohloko. 3 Lipere li tsoa mane. 4 Hosasane re tla ja nama ea khomo. 5 Khale Basotho ba ne ba rata ho loana haholo. 6 Makhooa a

entse mavenkele a mangata koano. 7 Re tla robala hamonate tlung eo. 8 Batho bano ba tsoa hole, ba fihlile koano ba khathetse hampe.

## 6. Preposition

§ 19. **Preposition** ke lentsoe le beoang pel'a *noun* kapa *pronoun* ho e kopanya le lentsoe le leng, joaleka : *ke ea ho eena* ; *ke tsamaea le Lerata* ; *ba babe joaleka uena*.

**Hlaloso.** — *Ho* ke *preposition*, ka hobane e kopanya *verb* "ke ea" le *pronoun* "eena"; *le* ke *preposition* ka hobane e kopanya *verb* "ke tsamaea" le *noun* "Lerata"; *joaleka* ke *preposition*, ka hobane e kopanya *adjective* "babe" le *pronoun* "uena".

*Preposition* ke ho re, lentsoe le beoang *pel'a* le leng.

### HLAKISO EA 19.

Bolelang *prepositions* lipolelong tsena:

1 Likhomo li tsamaea le lipere, 2 Re tla ea ho ntate. 3 Ba tsoa ha Letsie. 4 Basali bao ba lema ka mehoma ea Sesotho. 5 Re ea le thaba. 6 Sebetsang ka kelello. 7 Ha le rata ho lula le 'na e ka khona le sebetse ka makhethe. 8 Naha ea Barolong e hapiloe ke Makhooa.

### HLAKISO EA 20.

Khethang mefuta ea mantsoe :

1 O ea kerekeng ka Sondaga se seng le se seng. 2 O rata ho mamela litaba hantle. 3 Setefane o bina hamonate. 4 Lipina tseo a li binang li ntle haholo. 5 U tla ea kae hosasane? 6 Ma-English a loanne ntoa tse ngata le Basotho. 7 Lefika leo le melile fatše haholo. 8 Re tla ea hae joale. 9 O tsamaea pel'a rōna.

## 7. Conjunction

§ 20. **Conjunction** ke lentsoe le kopanyang *sentences* (lipolelo, litaba) tse peli, joaleka : *ba ile Maseru, 'me ba lutse teng nako e telele* ; *ke tla tla, ha u mpitsa* ; *re utloile kamoo u buang kateng*.

**Hlaloso.** — '*Me* ke *conjunction* ka hobane e kopanya *sentences* tsena tse peli : "ba ile Maseru", "ba lutse teng nako e telele"; *ha* ke *conjunction*, ka hobane e kopanya *sentences* tsena tse peli : "ke tla tla", "u mpitsa";

*kamoo* ke *conjunction*, ka hobane e kopanya *sentences* tsena tse peli: "re utloile," "u buang kateng."

HLAKISO EA 21.

Bolelang *conjunctions* lipolelong tsena:

- 1 Ba rata ha u ka ea ho bona. 2 Ha ke tsebe moo ba leng teng. 3 Re ne re kholoa hore u ke ke ua re bona. 4 Ke tla tla ha u mpitsa. 5 Ke bona hore taba li lokile. 6 Morena o nkhalafetse, ka hobane ha kea etsa kamoo a mpoleletseng. 7 Ba fihlile hoba letsatsi le likele. 8 Ke ne ke sa rate ho tla, etsoe ke sa iketla. 9 Na u tla ba teng, kapa u be sieo?

HLAKISO EA 22.

Khethang mefuta ea mantsoe:

- 1 O bitsa bana bao, empa ha ba mo arabe. 2 Bana ba khoale ba bitsana ka mololi. 3 Raka le shoetsoe ke molebo. 4 Ke tla ea moo uena u sitoang ho fihla. 5 Ngoana enoa o hana ho ithuta. 6 Basotho ba phela ka ho lema. 7 Litaba tsa hao li mpe haholo. 8 Re tla tsamaea hoba le fihle.

### 8. Interjection.

§ 21. *Interjection* ke lentsoe le bolelang makalo, tsietsi, thabo, tšabo, etc., joaleka: **jo! haiaha! oho! monna tooe! a litaba tse ntle!**

Mantsoe a kang: **e! che!**, a ka baloa har'a *interjections*, leha e le a kang: **ho re tu! ho re tlere! ho re keni!**

HLAKISO EA 23.

Bolelang *interjections* lipolelong tsena:

- 1 Ka shoa oee! 2 U kae, monna tooe? 3 Ra khutsa, ra re tu! 4 Mutlanyana a re ka mokoting keni. 5 A re phul har'a metsi. 6 Oho! monna, nkhahele. 7 Ao, mosali, na efela u rialo? 8 Che, ha ke rialo. — Eu? — E.

### 9. Particles.

§ 22. Ho sa na le mantsoenyana a se makae, ao re ka sitoang ho a khetha hantle, ao re tla a bitsa **Particles** (karolonyana). Ha re re: *mora oa ka*; *oa* e bitsoa *possessive particle* (*particle* ea ho rua); ha re re: *motho eo ke ntate*; *ke* e bitsoa *copulative particle* (*particle* ea ho kopanya); ha re re: *na ua tla?* *na* ke *interrogative*

*particle* (*particle* ea potso); ha re re: **ha** ke u rate; *ha* ke *negative particle* (*particle* ea ho latola).

### Parsing.

§ 23. Ho etsa **parsing** ke ho bontša hore lentsoe le leng le le leng la *sentence* e 'ngoe ke la mofuta (*part of speech*) ofe.

**Temoso.** — Motho, ha a rata ho khetha *part of speech* hantle, e ka khona a talime litaba tse peli ka hlokomelo.

1° A batlisise hore lentsoe le na le *mosebetsi* ofe.

2° Taba ea bobeli e tšoanetseng ho lemohua ke *sebopeho* sa lentsoe.

Bakeng seo re ka re: 1 *noun* e tsejoa ka *prefix* ea eona; 2 *adjective* e nka *prefix* ea *noun* ka mehla; 3 *pronoun* e tsejoa ka *pronominal prefix*; 4 *verb* e tsejoa ka hobane e ka beoa ho *moods* le *tenses*.

Taba ena e tšoanetse ho hlokomeloa hantle. Ha re nka mantsoe ana: *motho ea botsoa*, *motho ea leshano*, re ka re, *leshano*, *botsoa*, ke *adjectives*, ka hobane li etsa *qualify noun* (ke motho ea joang?—ea leshano), empa *sebopeho* sa tsona se supa hantle hore ke *nouns*. Efela ke *nouns*, empa li sebelisoa *mosebetsi oa adjectives*.

Ha re etsa *parsing*, re tla re: *motho ea botsoa*: *botsoa*, ke *noun* e sebelisoang *mosebetsi oa adjective* (ho khutsufatsa re ka e bitsa *noun-adjective*) Ho joalo le bakeng sa mantsoe ana: *motho ea joalo*, re ka re, *joalo* ke *adjective*, ka hobane e etsa *qualify noun* (ke motho ea joang?—ea joalo), empa ka *sebopeho* ke *adverb*, 'me efela ke *adverb*. Ha re etsa *parsing* re tla re: *motho ea joalo*: *joalo*, ke *adverb* e sebelisoang *mosebetsi oa adjective* (kapa ke *adverb-adjective*)

Hape, *pronouns* tse sebelisoang joaleka *adjectives* li ka khethoa ka *sebopeho* sa tsona feela, joaleka *khomo tseo*, *motho eo*, ka hobane li bōpjoa ka *prono-*

*minal prefixes*, kanthe adjectives li bōpjoa ka *nominal prefixes* (joaleka : *motho e moholo, khomo tse ntle*). Mantsoeng ana : *sefate se robebileng; robehileng e etsa qualify noun*, 'me ka hoo ba bang ba ka re ke *adjective*, kanthe sebopelo sa eona se bontša hantle hore ke *verb*, etsoe e le ho *Perfect Tense* le ho *Relative Mood*.

Mantsoeng ana : *motho eo o sebetsa ka matla*, ho ka thoe : *ka matla* ke *adverb* ka hobane e etsa *modify verb*, 'me efela e sebetsa mosebetsi oa *adverb* (ke *adverbial phrase*, ke ho re, kopano ea mantsoe a e-meng bakeng sa *adverb*). Empa ere ka ha *ka* e le *preposition*, le *matla* e le *noun*, re tla etsa *parsing* joana : ka *preposition* : *matla noun*.

#### Mehlala ea pele ea parsing

Hlaku tse ling tsa oela majoeng moo li se nang mobu o mongata.

Hlaku == *noun*.

tse == *pronoun*, e beoang bakeng sa *noun* "hlaku."

ling == *adjective*, e etsang *qualify* "hlaku."

tsa == *pronoun*, e emeng bakeng sa *hlaku*."

oela == *verb*, e bolelang seo "hlaku" li se etsang.

majoeng == *noun*.

moo == *conjunction*, e kopanyang *sentences* tsena "hlaku tse ling tsa oela majoeng," "moo li se nang mobu o mongata."

li == *pronoun*, e emeng bakeng sa "hlaku."

se == *negative particle*.

nang == *verb*, e bolelang seo "lihlaku" li se etsang.

mobu == *noun*.

o == *pronoun*, e beoang sebakeng sa "mobu."

mongata == *adjective*, e etsang *qualify* "mobu."

#### HLAKISO EA 24.

Etsang *parsing* ea mantsoe 'ohle a lipolelo tsena :

1 Litaba tseo ke li utloileng tsa ntšosa haholo. 2 Ntate o jeloe ke malimo mehlang ea lifaqane. 3 Moshoeshoe o loanne lintoa

tse ngata le Makhooa. 4 Ntoa ea Masole ha e tla loana, ke ha re khutla Koloni.

### KHAOLO EA 3.

#### NOUN

##### 1. Mefuta ea Nouns,

§ 24. **Noun** ke lebitso leo re bitsang batho kapa lintho ka lona, joaleka: *Moshoeshoe, Morija, tau, bo-soeu, nama, sefate.*

*Nouns* ke tsa mefuta e 'meli: *Proper Nouns* le *Common Nouns.*

§ 25. **Proper Noun** ke lebitso la motho a le mong, kapa sebaka se le seng, (naha, thaba, nōka, etc.) joaleka: *Stefane, Maseru, Lesotho Machache.*

Lebitso lena *Stefane* ke *proper noun* ka hobane ke lebitso le khethang monna e mong har'a ba bang; leha banna ba ka ba bangatanyana ba bitsoang *Stefane*, ka mehla ha re bolela lebitso leo, re ee re khethe monna e mong ea tsejoang.

*Maseru* ke *proper noun* ka hobane ke lebitso la motse o mong; *Lesotho* ke *proper noun* ka hobane ke lebitso la naha e 'ngoe; *Machache* ke *proper noun* ka hobane ke lebitso la thaba e 'ngoe.

§ 26. **Common Noun** (lebitso le akaretsang) ke lebitso le bitsang batho bohle ba mofuta o le mong, kapa lintho tsohle tsa mofuta o le mong, joaleka: *motho, ntja, nōka, bohobe.*

**Hlaloso.** — *Motho* ke *common noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso le lokelang batho kaofela; *ntja* ke *common noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso le lokelang lintja kaofela; *nōka* ke *common noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso le lokelang linōka tsohle; *bohobe* ke *common noun*, ka hobane ke lebitso le lokelang bohobe bofe le bofe.

#### HLAKISO EA 25.

Khetha *proper nouns* le *common nouns*:

- 1 Moea oa foka. 2 Lesotho ke naha e 'ngoe ea South Africa.  
3 Thaba tse ling tsa Lesotho ke Machache, Phofung, Thaba-Telle.  
4 Morena Moshoeshoe ke ntat'a Letsie. 5 'Musu oa England o bu-



soa ke George V. 6 Lichaba tsa Europe li matla haholo. 7 Tšimolohong Molimo o no o bōpe leholimo le lefatše. 8 Ke ahile motseng oa Morija. 9 Malimo a na a e-ja batho.

## 2 Sebopeliso sa Noun : root le prefix.

§ 27. *Common nouns* kaofela li bōpiloe ka mokhoa o le mong. E 'ngoe le e 'ngoe e likarolo li peli:

1) lentsoenyana le lekhutšoanyane le bitsoang **prefix** (ke ho re, ntho e beiloeng pele), ke eona hloho ea noun; 2) e ntoo ba **root** (motso) ea *noun*, eo re ka reng ke 'mele oa eona. Ha re nka *noun* ena "molisa," mo ke *prefix*, lisa ke *root*; ho "sefate", se ke *prefix*, fate ke *root*; ho "leseli", le ke *prefix*, seli ke *root*.

*Prefix* e tšoanetse ho ba teng ho *nouns* kaofela (tse se nang tsona, joaleka *ntate*, 'mè, ha li kaenyana). Ke lona letšoao la 'nete la puo ea Sesotho, le e khetang ho lipuo tse ling kaofela tsa Europe kapa Asia. Ke ka eona *prefix* ho ka khethoang hantle hore lentsoe le leng ke *noun*, kapa hase eona.

## 3 Singular le Plural Numbers : Classes tsa noun.

§ 28. Ha re talima *nouns* hantle, re bona hoba ho na le taba tse peli tse tšoanetseng ho khethoa: *Class* le *Number*.

1. *Nouns* kaofela li aroleloa **Classes** (lihlopha) tse 7 ka ho ea ka sebopeliso sa *prefixes* tsa tsona. Ke ho re, tseo *prefix* ea tsona e leng le li tsamaea hammoho, li etsa *class* e le 'ngoe; ho joalo le ho tseo *prefix* ea tsona e leng **bo**, **se** etc.

2. Hape, bongata ba *nouns* bo na le **Numbers** (palo) tse peli.

*Noun* ha e bolela ntho e le 'ngoe, ho thoe, e ho **Singular Number** (palo ea bonngoe), joaleka: *motho*, *sefate*, *leru*, *nku*.

*Noun* ha e bolela ntho tse peli, kapa tse tharo, tse 'ne, etc, ke ho re, tse fetang bonngoe, ho thoe, e ho

**Plural Number** (palo ea bongata), joaleka : *batho, lifate, maru, linku.*

Le eona *number* e tsejoa ka *prefix* ea *noun*.

HLAKISO EA 26.

Bolela *number* ea *nouns* tsena :

Nku, balisa, molamu, letsatsi, bosiu, mafutsana, Molimo, lipere, lilemo, metse, lefatše, sefi, monna, bo-'mè, morena, masole, mehloare, mapoli, motsoalle, bara, ngoetsi, ntlo, masimo, bohobe.

§ 29. **Class** ea *noun*, le **Number** ea eona, li tsejoa ka **prefixes**.

*Class* e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe ea *nouns* e na le *prefix* ea eona ea *singular number*, le *prefix* ea eona ea *plural number* : ke ho re, ha re rata ho tseba hore *noun* e 'ngoe ke ea *class* efe, leha e le *number* efe, e ka khona re talime *prefix* ea eona feela.

Ho bea *noun* ho *plural number* e ka khona ho fetoloe *prefix* ea eona, ka ho ea ka melao ea teng, kapa ka lenaneo lena :

	<i>Singular Number</i>		<i>Plural Number</i>	
	<i>prefix</i>	<i>noun</i>	<i>prefix</i>	<i>noun</i>
1st class	<b>mo</b>	<b>motho</b>	<b>ba</b>	<b>batho</b>
2nd „	<b>mo</b>	<b>motse</b>	<b>me</b>	<b>metse</b>
3rd „	<b>le</b>	<b>leru</b>	<b>ma</b>	<b>maru</b>
4th „	<b>se</b>	<b>sefi</b>	<b>li</b>	<b>lifi</b>
5th „	<b>n</b>	<b>nku</b>	<b>lin</b>	<b>linku</b>
6th „	<b>bo</b>	<b>bosiu</b>	<b>ma</b>	<b>masiu</b>
7th „	<b>ho</b>	<b>ho ja</b>		

**Hlaloso.** — Ha re talima lenaneo leo, re tla tseba ho khetha hantle *class* le *number* ea *noun* efe le efe. *Monna* ke *noun* ea *1st class, sing. number*, ka hobane *prefix* ea eona e le **mo** ; *banna* ke *noun* ea *1st class, plur. number*, ka hobane *prefix* ea eona e le **ba** ; *meluoane*, ke *noun* ea *2nd class, plur. numb.*, ka hobane *prefix* ea eona e le **me**, etc.

HLAKISO EA 27.

Bolela *number* le *class* tsa *nouns* tsena :

Mosali, leqheku, seriti, mafi, bohobe, lijo, lintoa, ntsintsi, lerata, mobu, mahetla, mekhoha, lerumo, lilemo, ntsu, limpho, linthe, sefahleho, mala, linko, leihlo, ntlo, molemi, mehloare.

HLAKISO EA 28.

Bolela *plural number* ea *nouns* tsena :

Monna, sethotsela, ntoa, bosiu, lerumo, letsatsi, molimo, molisa, sethunya, selomo, lefatše, nta, mokokotlo, leoto, leihlo, lerapo, seriti, mpshe, ntlo, lejoe, selemo, moluoane, ntoa, leru.

HLAKISO EA 29.

Bolela *singular number* ea *nouns* tsena :

Baruti, lirurubele, lilemo, melemo, limpa, marumo, linkoe, maleme, baahi, Matebele, lirope, mehatla, malimo, lintšoe, mantsoe, mahloko, Baroa, liolo, melamu, maliba, liliba, matlo, masole, bara.

\* § 30. Taba ena ea *prefixes* e tšoanetse ho hlokomeloa haholo, ka hobane ke tsona tseo e leng motheo oa puo ea Sesotho.

*Prefix* re ka e tšoantša ka ho re, ke *letšoao* la *noun*. Letšoao la sehlopha sa pele ke *mo* ho *singular number*, ke *ba* ho *plural number*; letšoao la sehlopha sa boraro ke le ho *singular*, ke *ma* ho *plural*, joalo-joalo, ho ea ho ile.

Mantsoe kaofela a lumellanang le *noun*, a tsamaeang le eona, a busoang ke eona, a tšoanetse ho nka *prefix* ea *noun*.

*Adjective*, ... *tle*, ha e tsamaea le *noun* e 'ngoe joaleka *motho*, e tla nka letšoao la eona *mo*, 'me ho tla thoe: *motho e motle*; ho *plural number* e tla nka letšoao la *ba*, la *batho*, 'me ho tla thoe: *batho ba batle*. Ha e tsamaea le *noun* "*sefate*," e tla nka letšoao la *se*, *sefate se settle*. Ha e tsamaea le *noun* "*letsatsi*," e tla nka letšoao la *le*: *letsatsi le letle*; ho *plural* e tla nka letšoao la *ma*: *matsatsi a matle*.

*Pronouns* le tsona li joalo, li bōpjoa ka *prefix* ea *noun* eo li beoang sebakeng sa eona. *Pronoun* e beoang sebakeng sa *noun* "*letsatsi*," e tla ba *lona*, joaleka: *ke*

*rata ho ora letsatsi le ho utloa mofuthu oa lona.* Pronoun e beoang sebakeng sa noun "sefate" e tla ba sona, joaleka: *ke lemile sefate, 'me ke tla ja litholoana tsa sona.*

*Verb* le eona ha e tsamaea le noun e tsoanetse ho kopanngoa le noun eo ka pronoun e tsoanang le prefix ea eona, joaleka: *letsatsi le chabile, sefate sea mela, linku, lia fula, motho oa bua, nku ea kutoa.*

Empa, joaleka ha ho ka lemohua ka sentences tse peli tsa ho qetella, *prefixes* tseo ho bōpjoang *pronouns* ka tsona li ba le sebōpeho seselenyana lihlopheng tse ling.

*Prefixes* tseo ho bōpjoang *pronouns* ka tsona re tla li bitsa *pronominal prefixes* (tse bōpang *pronouns*).

Kanthe tse beoang pel'a *nouns* le *adjectives* re li bitsa *nominal prefixes* (tsa *nouns*).

*Nominal Prefixes* li na le molumo oa tsona o tletseng, kanthe *pronominal prefixes* li na le molumo o khutsufalitsoeng lihlopheng tse ling, ke ho re, hohle moo **m** le **n** li leng teng liletere tseo tse peli li lahliloe.

Lenaneo la tsona ke lena :

	<i>Singular</i>		<i>Plural</i>	
	<i>prefixes</i>		<i>prefixes</i>	
	<i>nom.</i>	<i>pron.</i>	<i>nom.</i>	<i>pron.</i>
1st class	mo	o	ba	ba
2nd „	mo	o	me	e
3rd „	le	le	ma	a
4th „	se	se	li	li (tse)
5th „	n	e	lin	li (tse)
6th „	bo	bo	ma	a
7th „	ho	ho		

\* § 31. Puong tsa Europe tse kang se-English le se-Buru, ho na le *singular* le *plural numbers* joaleka Se-sothong, empa puong tseo *plural* e bōpjoa ka hosele, ke ho re ka mokhoa oa *suffixes* (liletere tse beoang ka mora' noun). Ka se-English *plural* e atisa ho etsoa ka ho eketsa s ka mora' noun, joaleka *boy, boys; girl, girls; house, houses*

Empa ho se-English ha re na **Classes**, joale-

ka ha re li bona Sesothong; teng *nouns* li aroloa ka mokhoa o mong osele, ke ho re, ka **Genders**. Ho se-English *nouns* kaofela tse bolelang tse tona, li ho *Masculine Gender* (mofuta o motona), joaleka: *man*, (monna), *king* (morena); tse bolelang tse tšehali li ho *Feminine Gender* (mofuta o motšehali), joaleka: *woman* (mosali), *queen* (mofumahali); tse bolelang lintho tseo ho sa khethoeng tse tona le tse tšehali li ho *Neuter Gender* (mofuta o sa khethoeng), joaleka: *house* (ntlo), *country* (naha), *river* (nōka), etc.

Taba eo e ke e hlokomeloe hantle-ntle haholo: se-English se khetha *nouns* ka *Genders* tse bolelang botšehali kapa bōtona; Sesotho se khetha *nouns* ka *Classes*, tse bōpjoang ka sebōpeho sa *prefixes* tsa tsona.

#### 4. *Nouns* tse bōpjoang ka ho kheloha mokhoa hanyenyane (exceptions).

\* § 32. *Nouns* tse ling li na le *prefixes* tse nang le sebōpeho se fetohileng hanyenyane.

1° Ho *1st class*, *prefix* **mo** e fetohile **ngo** mantsoeng ana: *ngoana*, *ngoanana*, *ngoale*; *plural* eona e lokile: *bana*, *banana*, *bale*.

2° Ho *1st* le *2nd class*, *prefix* **mo** ha e beoa pel'a *root* e qalang ka **b** e honyetse (*is contracted*), joaleka: 'musisi, 'mali; 'muso, 'mala; *plural* eona e lokile: *babusisi*, *babali*, *mebuso*, *mebala* (empa 'mele le 'mèlè li bolokile sebōpeho se honyetseng le ho *plural number*).

3° Ho *2nd class*, *prefix* **mo** e honyetse joalo le pel'a *root* e qalang ka **m**, joaleka 'metso (*ho metsa*) 'meno (*ho mena*); le eona *plural prefix* **me** e honyetse joalo.

4° Ho *3rd class plural* ho joaleka ha eka *prefix* ea *nouns* tsena: *meno*, *metsi* ke **me**, kanthe ke **ma**. (I)

5° Ho *5th class singular* le *plural*, **n** e oele pel'a *polysyllabic roots*, 'me ho joaleka hoja *nouns* tseo li se na *prefix* ho *singular number*, 'me ho *plural number*

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(I) *Me* e hlahile mantsoeng ao ka kopano ea *a* le *i*: *meno* = *ma-ino*; *metsi* = *ma-itsi*.

*prefix* ea tsona e le **li** (bakeng sa **lin**), joaleka: *kho-*  
*mo, likhomo ; toro, litoro ; pina, lipina, etc. (1)*

6° Ho 6th class, *prefix* **bo** e fetohile **jo** mantsoeng  
ana: *joang, joala (plural, majoang, majoala).*

\* § 33. *Nouns* tse ling ha li etsa *plural*. li nka  
*prefixes* tsa class esele.

1° *Mofumahali, morena, mofutsana* li nka *prefix* **ma**  
ea 3rd class: *mafumahali, marena, mafutsana.*

*Motsoalle* e nka *prefix* **me** ea 2nd class: *metsoalle.*

2° *Nouns* tse ling tsa 3rd class (*prefix* **le**) li ka nka  
ho *plural prefix* **li** (kapa **lin**) ea 5th class, empa li atisa  
ho ba le *plurals* tse peli, e 'ngoe ka **ma**, e 'ngoe ka  
**li**, joaleka: *legala, plur. liqala, maqala ; lerako, plur.*  
*lithako, marako ; lenaka, plur. linaka, manaka : leptheo,*  
*plur. liptheo, maptheo ; lesiba, plur. litšiba, masiba.*

3° *Nouns* tse ling tsa 5th class li nka *prefix* **ma** ea  
3rd class, joaleka: *ntlo, matlo ; tšimo, masimo ; namane,*  
*manamane ; koloi, makoloi.*

Mohlomong li ka ba le *plurals* tse peli: *nku, plur.*  
*linku, manku ; khomo, plur. likhomo, makhomo.*

**Temoso.** — *Nouns* tse joalo, ha ho etsoa *parsing* ea  
tsona, li tšoanetse ho beoa ho class e 'ngoe ho *singular*,  
le class e 'ngoe ho *plural*, ka ho ea ka *prefixes* tsa tso-  
na ; joaleka: *mofumahali, noun, 1st class sing. ; mafu-*  
*mahali, noun, 3rd class plur.*

\* § 34. *Nouns* tse ling tsa 1st class (2) ha li na  
*prefix* **mo** ea class eo, haholo ke tse bolelang leloko  
la motho, joaleka: *ntate, 'mè, nkhono, rangoane, 'ma-*  
*ngoane, malome, rakhali, matsale, 'nake, 'nyco.* Li etsa  
*plural number* ka ho nka *prefix* **bo**: **bo-ntate, bo-'mè,**  
**bo-nkhono, bo-rangoane, etc.**

**Temoso.** — *Prefix* eo e kopanngoa le noun ka le-  
tšoao - (le bitsoang *hyphen*), etsoe e sa kopane hantle-  
ntle le noun joaleka *prefixes* tse ling.

(1) Empa motho ea talimisisang mantsoe ao hantle-ntle a ka hla  
a bona mehlala e bontšang hobane **n** e ne e le teng ho 'ona.

(2) Morutuoa a lemohe boba *nouns* kaofela tsa 1st class li bolela  
batho, e seng lintho.

Hape ho lemohuoe hore *prefix* eo, **bo**, e ka beoa pel'a *nouns* tse ling tse nang le *prefix* **mo**, joaleka: *bo-moen'ao*, *bo-motsoala*, le pel'a *proper nouns*, joaleka: *bo-Letsie bo-Stefane*, etc.

\* § 35. *Nouns* tse ling li fumanoa ho *singular number* feela joaleka: *bohloa*, *bosoeu*, *bothata*, *Sesotho*, *Se-tebele*, etc. *Nouns* tseo haholo ke tseo e leng **abstract nouns** (I) tse nang le *prefix* **bo** kapa se.

Tse ling li fumanoa ho *plural number* feela, joaleka: *mali*, *metsi*, etc. (haholo ke tse nang le *prefix* **ma**).

HLAKISO EA 30.

Boelang *number* le *class* ea *nouns* tsena:

Tšimo, molamu, sebini, litšiba, 'metso, 'mèlè, mofufutso, lesoti, liriti, tau, litlou, Bataung, masimo, bo-ntate, serapa, joang, mafito, malome, moena, botšo, bohloko, mali, metsi, liremo, lephephe, meno, mahloko, setšoantšo, buka, litulo, mafura, 'meno.

HLAKISO EA 31.

Boelang *plural* ea *nouns* tsena:

Tšimo, mofumahali, leino, 'muso, 'mèlè, 'metso, ngoana, joang, lesiba, ngoale, nkhone, motsoala, ntlo, leqala, lerako, 'mala, nama-ne, 'mele, khomo, leihlo.

HLAKISO EA 32.

Boelang *singular* ea *nouns* tsena; le bolele tse se nang *singular*:  
Meno, mahlo, 'metso, babali, majoang, mali, litšiba, metsi, 'mèlè, mafutsana, mebala, lithoko, litulo, niasimo, makoloi.

5. Cases (litulo) tsa nouns.

§ 36. *Nouns* li ka sebetsa mesebetsi e meng har'a *sentence*. Haholo ke ka litulo tseo *noun* e li lulang, mesebetsi oa eona o ka tsejoang hantle. Ha re re: *motho o bolaile tau*, *noun* eo "motho" ke eona e etsang mesebetsi oa ho bolaea; *tau* eona ha e sebetse letho, empa e amiloe ke ketso ea motho ea ho bolaea. Kanthe ha re re: *tau e bolaile motho*, *tau* ke eona e etsang ketso eo ea ho bolaea, motho ke eena ea amiloeng ke ketso eo. Ke litulo feela tse bontšang hoba ke *motho* ea bolaileng, kapa ke *tau* e bolaileng.

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(I) *Abstract noun* ke e boelang mokhoa oa ntho, e seng ntho ruri, joaleka: *botšo*, *boima*.

*Noun* e bolelang mong a ketso e bitsoa **Subject** (moetsi), 'me ho thoe, e ho **Nominative Case**. *Noun* e bolelang ntho e amiloeng ke ketso ea *Subject* e bitsoa **object** (ntho e etsoang kapa e etsetsoang ho hong), 'me ho thoe, e ho **Objective Case**.

*Noun* ha e le ho *objective case* ho thoe, e busoa ke (*it is governed by*) lentsoe leo e leng *object* ea lona. Ha re re: *motho o bolaile tau*, re tla re, *tau* e ho *objective case*, e busoa ke *verb* "bolaile".

Le teng *noun* ha e latela *preposition*, e ho *objective case*, 'me ho thoe, e busoa ke *preposition* eo. Ha rere: *ke ea ho Letsie*, re tla re: *Letsie* e ho *objective case*, e busoa ke *preposition* "ho".

§ 37. Ha ho supjoa hore ntho e 'ngoe e ruuo a ke e 'ngoe, *noun* e bolelang ntho e ruiloeng e tšoanetse ho kopanngoa le *noun* e bolelang motho ea e ruileng ka lentsoenyana le bitsoang **Possessive Particle** (lentsoenyana la ho rua). Ha ho thoe: *pere ea Lerata*, *ea* ke *possessive particle* e kopanyang *pere* le *Lerata*: ha ho thoe: *sefate sa ntate*, *sa* ke *possessive particle* e kopanyang *sefate* le *ntate*.

*Noun* ha e latela *possessive particle*, e ho *objective case*, 'me ho tla thoe, e busoa ke *possessive particle*.

§ 38. **Possessive Particle** e tšoanetse ho lumellana le *noun* ea eona ka ho nka sebopeho se loketseng *class* le *number* ea eona.

Ke lena lenaneo la *possessive particles*.

		Sing.		Plur.		
Ist	cl.	<i>mora</i>	<b>oa</b> <i>morena</i>	<i>bara</i>	<b>ba</b> <i>morena</i>	
2nd		<i>motse</i>	<b>oa</b> „	<i>metse</i>	<b>ea</b> „	
3rd		<i>leruo</i>	<b>la</b> „	<i>marumo</i>	<b>a</b> „	
4th		<i>sefate</i>	<b>sa</b> „	<i>lifate</i>	<b>tsa</b> „	
5th		<i>nku</i>	<b>ea</b> „	<i>linku</i>	<b>tsa</b> „	
6th		<i>bohobe</i>	<b>ba</b> „	<i>mahobe</i>	<b>a</b> „	
7th		<i>ho ja</i>	<b>ha</b> „			



\* **Temoso.** — *Possessive particle* ea nouns tse kang *ntate*, 'mè, etc. ke **a**, ho *singular* le ho *plural* numbess, (bakeng sa *oa* le *ba*), joaleka : *ntat'a morena*, *bo-ntat'a morena* ; 'm'a *mosali oa ka*, *bo-'m'a mosali oa ka*.

§ 39. Ka ntle ho *nominative* le *objective cases*, Sesotho se na le *case* e 'ngoe e sa fumanoeng ho se-English : ke **Locative Case**, e bolelang hore *noun* e sebakeng (*locality*) se seng, kapa e lutse ho *sona*, kapa e ea ho *sona*, kapa e tsoa ho *sona*, joaleka : ke *ea tlung* (*tlung* e ho *locative case*, e bontšang sebaka seo ke eang ho *sona*).

*Locative case* e bōpjoa ka *suffix ng* e beoang ka *mor'a noun*, joaleka : *tšepe*, *tšepeng* ; *motho*, *mothong* ; *leru*, *lerung* ; *sefi*, *sefing* ; *phoofolo*, *phoofolong*.

*Noun* ha e qetella ka **a**, *locative case* e ba **eng**, joaleka *tsela*, *tseleng* ; *pina*, *pineng*.

**Hlaloso.** — Ha ho *thoe* ; ke *ea motseng*, *motseng* ke *locative case* ka hobane e bontša *moo* ke eang.

\* § 40. *Nouns* tse ling ha li ke li nka *suffix ng*, leha li le ho *locative case* ; ke :

1° *Proper nouns* tse bolelang metse, linaha, lithaba, linōka, etc., joaleka : ke *ea Lesotho*, ke *hahile Moriija*, *ba tsoa Machache*.

2° *Nouns* tse kang *Bochabela*, *Leboea*, *maria*, *khotla*, etc.

§ 41. *Proper nouns* tsa batho, leha e le *nouns* tse kang *ntate*, 'mè, etc., ha li beoe ho *locative case*, empa li latela *preposition* ho kapa **ha**, 'me ho ka *thoe*, li ho *objective case*, joaleka : ke *ea ho ntate* ; *re tsoa ha Masopha*.

#### HLAKISO EA 33.

Bolelang *locative case* tsa *nouns* tsena :

Sefate, thaba, ntlo, mohla, motho, moriti, Thaba-Bosiu, ntate, naha, balisana, Moshoeshoe, tafole, Lesotho, 'muso, motšeara, seliba, metsi, Stefane, nkhono, maria, Bophirimela, bosiu, joang, nōka.

**Mehlala ea bobeli ea parsing :**

Mora oa Stefane o isitse lipere motseng.

**Mora** = *noun, 1st class, sing. number, nominative case* ho verb "isitse".

**oa** = *possessive particle* ea *1st class sing.*, e kpanyang "mora" le "Stefane".

**Stefane** = *proper noun, objective case*, e busoang ke *possessive particle* "oa".

**o** = *pronoun.*

**isitse** = *verb.*

**lipere** = *noun, 5th class, plur. number, object. case*, e busoang ke verb "isitse".

**motseng** = *noun, 2nd class, sing. number, locative case.*

HAKISO EA 34.

Etsa parsing ea sentences tsena :

1 Ka matsatsi a mararo Tim a hloka sebaka sa ho ea mamela taba tsa Khitšane. 2 Tšiang tsena a hopola ho ea kerekeng. 3 Nōka ea Senqu e phallela Bophitimela. 4 Nonyana e 'ngoe ea lula lekaleng la sefate. 5 Morena o bitsitse batho ba hae hore ba tle pitsong. 6 Bana ba ka ba bolaile litau tse ngata Zambezi. 7 Re tsamaea le lerata.

**KHAOLO EA 4.**

**ADJECTIVE**

§ 42. **Adjective** ke lentsoe leo re khethang (*limit*) noun ka lona, kapa re hlalolang (*qualify*) kamoo noun e leng kateng; joaleka : *pere* e 'ngoe, *motho e mobe*. *Adjective* e tšoanetse ho nka *nominal prefix* ea noun eo e e hlalolang, joaleka : *nku* e *ntle*; *motho e moholo*; *bana ba babeli*; etc. Ho thoe, e lumellana (*agrees*) le eona ka *class* le *number*.

**Temoso.** — Ha re rata ho tseba hore na lentsoe le leng ke *adjective*, kapa che, e ka khona re lemohe litaba tse peli hantle : 1) *mosebetsi* oa lentsoe leo; 2) sebopeho sa lona. Ha re re : *litaba tseo*, lentsoe "tseo" le khetha (*limits*) noun "litaba"; 'me ka hoo le etsa *mosebetsi* oa *adjective*; leha ho le joalo hase *adjective* (empa ke *demonstrative pronoun*), hobane ha le na *no-*

*minal prefix* ea *noun* "litaba". Athe ha re re: *nku e ntle*, "ntle" ke *adjective* ea 'nete, ka hoba e hlalosa (*qualifies*) "nku", hape e nkile *nominal prefix* ea eona: Ha ho thoe: *motho ea matla*, lentsoe lena "matla" le hlalosa (*qualifies*) *noun* "motho", empa ka ha le sa nke *prefix* ea *noun*, ho bonahala hore hase *adjective* (ha e le ka 'nete ke *noun* e sebelisoang mosebetsi oa *adjective*).

§ 43. Ka ntle ho ho nka *nominal prefix* ea *noun*, *adjective* e tsoanetse ho kopanngoa le eona ka *relative pronoun* ea eona, e lumellanang le eona ka *class* le *number*.

Lenaneo la *adjectives* le *relative pronouns* ke lena :

	<i>Sing.</i>	<i>Plur.</i>
1st class	<i>motho e motle</i>	<i>batho ba batle</i>
2nd „	<i>motse o motle</i>	<i>metse e metle</i>
3rd „	<i>lerako le letle</i>	<i>marako a matle</i>
4th „	<i>sefate se setle</i>	<i>lifate tse ntle</i>
5th „	<i>nku e ntle</i>	<i>linku tse ntle</i>
6th „	<i>bosiu bo botle</i>	<i>masiu a matle</i>
7th „	<i>ho ja ho hotle</i>	

\* **Temoso.** — I. Ho lemohuoe hore ho 5th class *prefix n* e ba sieo pel'a *adjectives* tseo *root* ea tsona e leng *polysyllabic*, joaleka : *nku e tona*, *nku e tsehali*, *ntoa e kholo*, *lintho tse kholo*, etc.

2 Ho lemohuoe hape hore ho class *eo*, *consonant* ea pele ea *adjective* e ee e fetohle ho *adjectives* tse ling, joaleka : *nku e kholo* (athe: *motse o moholo*), *khomo e tsoeu* (kanthe: *motho e mosoeu*).

3. Ho lemohuoe hape hore ho 4th le 5th *Classes plural prefix li* e ba sieo pel'a *adjectives*, joaleka : *lifate tse kholo* (e seng : *tse likhoho*), *pere tse ngata* (e seng : *tse lingata*).— Ke ho *adjective 'ngoe* le *tonana* feela moo *prefix li* e bolokoang, joaleka : *linku tse ling*, *likhomo tsa litonana*.

HLAKISO EA 35.

**Khethang adjectives** mantsoeng ana:

1. Pere e ntle. 2 Batho ba babeli. 3 Sefate se seng. 4 Linku tseo tse tona. 5 Motho e moholo. 6 Mphe nama e ngata. 7 Letsatsi le leholo le nša koena bolibeng. 8. Bosiu bo botle. 9 Khomo e ntšo. 10 Lijo tse ntle, tse monate. 11 Ntlo e telele. 12 Masimo a mabe. 13 Ke ngoana mong? 14 Pere tse 'ne.

HLAKISO EA 36.

Beang *adjectives* tsena: — *be*, — *holo*, — *cha*, — 'ngoe, — *kae?* — *ngata*, — 'ne, — *raro*, ka mora' nouns tsena: *motho*, *sefate*, *motse*, *lerako*, *bosiu*, *khomo* (ho *singular* le *plural number*).

HLAKISO EA 37.

Beang *nouns* tse loketseng pel'a *adjectives* tsena:

1 ... e mokhutšoanyane; 2 ... se sebe. 3 ... tse 'ne. 4 ... a mararo. 5 ... o moholo. 6 ... e mebe. 7 ... bo boholo. 8 ... o mokae? 9 ... ba bane. 10 ... e 'ngoe. 11 ... tse ling. 12 ... le lelelele. 13 ... e khunong. 14 ... e mosoeu. 15 ... tse tenya.

HLAKISO EA 38.

Ntšang liphoso mantsoeng ana, le a bee hantle, 'me le bolele lebaka la kamoo le lokisitseng kateng.

1 Motho e kholo. 2 Nku e motšehali. 3 Banna e meraro. 4 Sefate o telele. 5 Masimo e ntle. 6 Ntlo a maholo. 7 Lipere tse babeli. 8 Motho e mpe. 9 Lifate tse ntle. 10 Pere e mosoeu. 11 Leseli a matle. 12 Marako e telelele.

§ 44. *Adjectives* tse bolelang 'mala li nka *suffix ana* ha eba *nouns* tseo li li hlalosang (*qualify*) li bolela ntho tse tšehali, joaleka: *pere e ntšo*, *pere e tšoana*; *khomo e khunong*, *khomo e khunoana*.

HLAKISO EA 39

\* Beang *adjectives* tsena kamoo li tšoanetseng ho ba kateng ho bolela botšehali:

Khomo e ntšo, e tšoeu, e tšehla, e khunong. e khoali, e putsoa, e phatšoa, e khoaba, e nala; nku e rolo, e tololi, e ntšo; motho e motšo, e mosoeu, e mosehla, e mofubelu.

\* § 45. *Adjective* ha e latela *verb* ho ba. e beoa feela ho se *relative pronoun*, empa e tšoanetse ho nka joaleka mehla *prefix* ea *noun* eo e e hlalosang, joaleka: *nku co e tla ba ntle*; *batho bao ba ne ba le bararo*; *batho ba se bakae*; *ntho e le 'ngoe*

§ 46. Ha ho etsoa *parsing*, ho boleloe hore *adjective* efe le efe e hlalosa (*qualifies*) *noun* efe, joaleka : *ke rekile khomo tse ntle* : *ntle, adjective* e hlalolang *noun* "khomo."

\* **Temoso.** — Ha eba *adjective* e supa botšehali, taba ena e ka boleloa ho *parsing*.

*Ke rekile khomo tse tšoana* : *tšoana, adjective* e bontšang botšehali, e hlalolang *noun* "khomo."

\* § 47. Ka ha *adjectives* li hlokahala haholo Sesothong, Sesotho se thiba sekheo seo ka ho sebelisa *nouns* tse ling, kapa *adverbs* tse ling, mosebetsi oa *adjectives*.

*Nouns* tseo li boloka *prefix* ea tsona ea mehla, 'me li kopanngoa le *noun* eo li e hlalolang ka *relative pronoun* feela, li sa nke *prefix* ea *noun* eo li e hlalolang. Ho joalo le bakeng sa *adverbs*. Joaleka : *bana ba molemo, likhomo tse botsoa, sefate se joalo*.

*Molemo, botsoa*, hase *adjectives*, empa ke *nouns* hantle; *joalo*, hase *adjective*, ke *adverb* hantle; empa li sebelisoa mosebetsi oa *adjectives* ka ho hlalosa (*qualify*) *noun*.

Ha ho etsoa *parsing* ea tsona, ho etsoe joana : *bana ba molemo* : *molemo, noun, 2nd class*, e etsang mosebetsi oa *adjective* (kapa e emeng bakeng sa *adjective*), e hlalolang *noun* "bana." *Sefate se joalo* : *joalo, adverb* e emeng bakeng sa *adjective*, e hlalolang *noun* "sefate."

**Temoso.** — I. Barutuo ba ke ba lemohe taba ena hantle, ba ithute ho khetha *adjectives* tsa 'nete ho *nouns* kapa *adverbs* tse emeng sebakeng sa *adjectives*.

*Adjectives* tsa 'nete li nka *nominal prefix* ea *noun* eo li e hlalolang; athe *nouns* le *adverbs* tsa emeng bakeng sa *adjectives* li boloka sebopeho sa tsona, leha li ka hlalosa *noun* efe kapa efe.

2. Ha e le mantsoe a kang : *sefate* se **senyehileng**, ho utloahala hantle hore *se senyehileng*, hase *adjective*, empa ke *verb*. Morutuo a ithute ho se fose tabeng eo.

HLAKISO EA 40.

\* Supang *adjectives* tsa 'nete, le supe le *nouns* le *adverbs* tse sebelisoang mosebetsi oa *adjectives*.

1 Pere tsa ka li ngata, li matla. 2 O jere phahlo e boima hampe. 3 Lerapo leo le sa le metsi. 4 Ke noele metsi a monate. 5 Ba rekile lesela le letle levenkeleng. 6 Bana ba molemo ba ratoa ke tichere. 7 Sale ena e theko e bonolo. 8 O filoe nku tse leshome, tse ntle, ke nta'ae. 9 Phahlo eo e bobebo. 10 Ke tsoa reka nku tse makholo a mabeli. 11 Moiloa ke motho ea thata. 12 Lesotho ke lefatše le letle. 13 Bohobe boo bo monate. 14 Ngoana eo o botsoa. 15 Botsoa ba hae bo boholo ruri.

**Mehlala ea boraro ea parsing :**

Ke rekile pere tse leshome, tse ntle.

Ke	—	<i>pronoun</i> .
rekile	—	<i>verb</i> .
pere	—	<i>noun, 5th cl. plur., objective case, e busoang ke verb "rekile"</i> .
tse	—	<i>pronoun, e kopanyang noun "pere" le "leshome"</i> .
leshome	—	<i>noun, 3rd cl. sing., e etsang mosebetsi oa adjective, e hlalosang noun "pere"</i> .
tse	—	<i>pronoun, e kopanyang noun "pere" le adjective "ntle."</i>
ntle	—	<i>adjective, e hlalosang noun "pere."</i>

HLAKISO EA 41.

Etsang *parsing* ea *sentences* tsena :

1 Makhooa a loanne lintoa tse ngata Lesotho. 2 Beng ba merafo ea Johannesburg ba batla banna ba matla. 3 Re tla ea mosebetsing. 4 Ntate o na le lipere tse ntle, tse lebelo. 5 Nkhono o tseba litšomo tse monate. 6 Re utloile litaba tse mpe. 7 Sefate se selele se teng tšimong ea ntate. 8 Ba mo tliselitse lerapo le metsi.

## KHAOLO EA 5.

### PRONOUN

§ 48. **Pronoun** ke lentsoe le beoang sebakeng sa *noun*, joaleka : *eena, bona, hae*.

**Temoso.** — *Pronouns* tse ling li beoa sebakeng sa *adjectives*, joaleka : *likhomo tseo ; motho ofe ?* Li tšoana le *adjectives* ka mosebetsi oa tsona, etsoe li khetha, kapa li supa (*distinguish*) *noun* : empa leha ho le joalo ke *pronouns*, kamoo sebopeho sa tsona se bontšang kateng, etsoe li bōpjoa ka *pronominal prefixes*.

§ 49. *Pronouns* ke tsa mefuta ena :

1 *Personal*, 2 *Relative*, 3 *Interrogative*, 4 *Demonstrative*, 5 *Indefinite Pronouns*.

#### 1. **Personal Pronouns.**

§ 50. **Personal Pronouns** li eme sebakeng sa *nouns*. Li khethoa joaleka *nouns* ka *class* le *number* ; hape ho khethoa le **Person** ho tsona.

**Persons** (batho) li tharo : ke *First*, *Second* le *Third Person*.

**Hlaloso ea Persons.** — Motho *ea buang*, *ea reng* : 'na, ho thoe ke **1st Person** (motho oa pele). Eo ke buang le eena, eo ke reng *ho eena* : *uena*, ho thoe, ke **2nd Person** (motho oa bobeli). Motho eo ke buang taba *tsa hae*, kapa ntho eo ke buang *ka eona*, ho thoe ke **3rd Person** (motho oa boraro). Ke ho re, ho *Personal Pronouns* ho tšoanetse ho supjoa : *person, case, class* le *number* (empa *class* eona e khethoa ho tsa *3rd person* feela).

§ 51. **Personal Pronouns** li mefuta e mene :

1 *Connective*, 2 *Substantive*, 3 *Possessive*, 4 *Reflexive Pronouns*.

Ke lena lenaneo la tsona ka *person, class* le *number*.

		Connective Pronouns		Substantive Pronouns	Possessive Pronouns
	Sing.	Nomin.		Object.	
Ist Pers.		ke	'n	'na	ka (me)
2nd „		u	u	uena	hao, o
3rd „	Ist. cl.	o (a)	mo	eena	hae, e
„	„ 2nd „	o		oona	oona
„	„ 3rd „	le		lona	lona
„	„ 4th „	se		sona	sona
„	„ 5th „	e		eona	eona
„	„ 6th „	bo		bona	bona
„	„ 7th „	ho		hona	hona

*Plur.*

Ist pers.		re		rōna	rōna, eso
2nd pers.		le		lōna	lōna, eno
3rd p.	Ist cl.	ba		bona	bona, abo
„	2nd cl.	e		eona	eona
„	3rd le 6th cl.	a		'ona	'ona
„	4th le 5th cl.	li		tsona	tsona

§ 52. **Connective Pronouns** (tse kopanyang), mosebetsi oa tsona ke ho kopanya *noun* le *verb* ea eona. Ka ntle ho moo, ha li na mosebetsi; li tsamaëa le *verb*, ka mehla, joaleka; ke *tlile*; monna o ile; sefate se robehile.

**Temoso.** — *Monna o ile*: o, connective pronoun ea 3rd pers. Ist cl. sing., e kopanyang *verb* “ile” le *nominative* ea eona “motho”. *Ke tlile*: ke, connective pronoun, Ist pers. sing., e kopanyag *verb* “tlile” le *nominative* ea eona “na” (leha empa “na” e sa boleloe moo, ho thoe e understood, ke ho re, e khopolong feela ea motho ea buang).

§ 53. **Pronouns** tseo ha li le *object* ea *verb*, re li bitsa ka khutšufatso **objective pronouns**, joaleka: *kea mo tseba*; *mo* ke *objective pronoun* ea 3rd pers. Ist cl. sing., e busoang ke *verb* “tseba”.



**Temoso.** *Objective Pronouns* ka mehla li beoa pele ho *verb*, haufi le eona. Ho lemohuoe hore *objective pronoun* n ea *Ist person*, e ngoloa hammoho le *verb* e e hlahlamang, joaleka: *ba ntseba*; hangata e fetola *consonant* ea pele ea *verb*: *ua mpona (ho bona)*, *ba nthata (ho rata)*.

§ 54. **Substantive Pronouns** ke tsona tse emeng bakeng sa *noun* hantle-ntle, tse sebelisoang mesebetsi eohle ea *noun*. E ka ba *subjects* tsa *verbs* (eba li ho *nominative case*); e ka ba *objects* tsa *verbs*, tsa busoa ke tsona, kapa ke *prepositions* (eba li ho *objective case*). Joaleka: *eena o tlile (eena e ho nominative case)*; *ba ikhethetse tsona (tsona e ho objective case e busoang ke verb "ikhethetse")*; *ba tla ho rōna (rōna e ho objective case e busoang ke preposition "ho")*.

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore *substantive pronoun* ea *2nd cl. sing.* e ngoloa *oona (motse ke oo, ke ahile ho oona)* ho e ketha ho ea *3rd cl. pl.* e ngoloang *'ona (marako ke ao, ke tla lula pel'a 'ona)*, leha ka molo-mong li bitsoa ka mokhoa o le mong.

§ 55. **Possessive Pronouns** (tsa ho rua) li latela *possessive particle* ka mehla, kapa (*locative*) *preposition* *ha*; joaleka: *mora oa ka, ha hao, nku ea rōna*.

\* **Temoso.** — Ho *2nd pers. sing.*, le *3rd pers. sing.* *Ist cl.*, *possessive pronouns* e ba *o* le *e* ka *mora' nouns* tse kang *ntate, 'mè*, etc., joaleka: *ntat'ao, 'm'ae, nkho-no'ae. (1)*

2. *Possessive pronouns* tsa *Ist* le *2nd pers., pl.* le *3rd pers. Ist cl. pl.*: *eso, eno, abo*, li sebelisoa feela moo re ratang ho bolela ntho eo motho a e ruileng le ba habo, joaleka: *mora oeso, banab'eso, nku eabo*.

§ 56. **Reflexive Pronoun** e 'ngoe feela bakeng sa *persons, classes*, le *numbers* tsohle; ke *i*, joaleka: *kea ipona, ba itseba*. E ho *objective case* ka mehla.

(1) Bakeng sa *parsing* ho ka etsoa joana: *ntat'ao*: *ao*, *possessive part. a* e kopaneng le *possessive o* ea *2nd pers. sing.*

E supa hore *subject* ea *verb* e ntse e le le *object* ea eona. Ha re re: *Stefane oa ipata*, re bolela hore ea patang ho hong ke “Stefane”, le hore seo a se patang ke eena “Stefane”.

**Temoso.** — *Reflexive pronoun* e ngoloa hammoho le *verb* joaleka ha eka ke ntsoe le le leng. Hangata *consonant* ea pele ea *verb* e fetoha ka mora' eona; joaleka: *kea bolaea*, *kea ipolaea*; *kea rata*, *kea ithata*.

Ho etsoe *parsing* joana: *kea ipolaea*: **i**, *reflexive pronoun*, e busoang ke *verb* “bolaea”.

#### HLAKISO EA 42.

Supang *personal pronouns*, le bolele hore ke tsa mefuta efe, le bolele *person*, *class* le *number* ea tsona.

1 Re ea ho bona. 2 Mpolelle litaba tsa hao. 3 Ntat'ao o tla re'ng? 4 Lōna le ea kae? 5 Re ithuta ho bala. 6 Ha eno ke hokae? 7 Ba tlile ha eso. 8 Ngoan'eso o rekile khomo e ntle, u tla noa lebese la eona. 9 Litaba tsa hao li bohloko haholo. 10 Re tla ea ha eno. 11 Ba ipolaisitse mosebetsi. 12 Ke tla u bona ha eso.

#### Mehlala ea bone ea parsing.

Ke u boleletse litaba tsa ka. Stefane o ikhahetse ntlo motseng oa heso.

Ke            = *connective pron.* ea *1st pers. sing.*, e kopanyang *verb* “boleletse” le *nominative* ea eona (*understood*).

u             = *obj. pron.*, *2nd pers. sing.*, e busoang ke *verb* “boleletse”.

boleletse = *verb*.

litaba       = *noun*, *5th cl. plur.*, *obj. case*, e busoang ke *verb* “boleletse”.

tsa          = *possessive part.* ea *5th cl. pl.* e kopanyang “litaba” le *poss. pron.* “ka”.

ka           = *poss. pron.*, *1st pers. sing.*, e busoang ke *poss. part.* “tsa”.

Stefane = *prop. noun*, *nomin.* ho *verb* “ikhahetse”.

- o = *con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing., e kopanyang verb "ikhahetse" le nominative ea eona "Stefane".*
- ikhahetse = *verb.*
- ntlo = *noun, 5th cl. sing., obj. case, e busoang ke verb "ikhahetse."*
- motseng = *noun, 2nd cl. sing., locative case.*
- oa = *poss. part. ea 2nd cl. sing., e kopanyang noun "motseng" le pronoun "heso."*
- heso = *poss. pron. ea 1st pers. plur., e busoang ke poss. part. "oa."*

HLAKISO EA 43.

Etsang parsing ea sentences tsena :

1 Basotho ba phela ka ho lema mobu. 2 Balisana ba alosa likhomo, 'me ba noa lebese la tsona. 3 Pitso e tla ba teng Maseru. 4 Koloi ea hao e robehile masimong. 5 Ba ipuela litaba feela. 6 Ntat'ao o tlile ho 'na maobane.

## 2. Relative Pronouns.

§ 57. **Relative pronouns** ke tse nang le mosebetsi oa ho kopanya *sentences* tse peli, kapa *noun* le *adjective*; joaleka: *ke bone sefate se melang hantle*; *khomo e ntle*; *motho ea matla*.

**Hlaloso** — Ha ho thoe: *ke bone sefate se melang hantle*, lentsoe lena "se" le eme bakeng sa *sefate*, hape le kopanya *sefate* le *verb* "melang", 'me le hona le na le mosebetsi oa ho kopanya *sentence* e reng: "*se melang hantle*" le *sentence* e reng: "*ke bone sefate*". Ho joaleka ha ho thoe: *ke bone sefate, sefate se mela hantle*.

Ha ho thoe: *ke rekile khomo e ntle*; *ke bona monna ea matla*: e le ea li eme bakeng sa *khomo* le *monna*, 'me li kopanya *nouns* tseo le *adjectives* (kapa *noun* — *adjectives*) tse li hlahlamang (ka 'ng'e 'ngoe: *e ntle*; *ea matla* ke *sentences* ruri, leha li sa tlala; ho joaleka ha ho thoe: *khomo e leng ntle*; *motho ea leng matla*).

§ 58. Ha e le ka sebopeliso li tšoana le *connective pronouns*, ha e se ho *1st class. sing.*, moo e leng e (kapa ea) le ho *4th* le *5th class plur.*, moo e leng tse; joale-

ka: *motho e motle, pere tse ntšo, lifate tse melang hantle.*  
Li ho *nominative case* ka mehla.

**Temoso.** — Ho *Ist cl. sing., relative pronoun* ke e pel'a *adjective*, ke ea pel'a *verb* kapa *noun* kapa *adverb* tse sebelisoang mosebetsi oa *adjectives*.

§ 59. Ho ka etsoa *parsing* joana:

Ke *bone sefate se melang hantle: se, rel. pron. ea 3rd pers., 4th cl. sing., e kopanyang verb "melang" le nominative ea eona "sefate"*.

*Motho e motle: e, rel. pron. ea 3rd pers., Ist cl. sing., e kopanyang noun "motho" le adjective "motle"*.

#### HLAKISO EA 44

Supang *relative pronouns*, 'me le etse *parsing* ea tsona.

1 Ke utloile litaba tse monate. 2 Batho ba babe ba tla otloa. 3 Stefane ke motho ea lokileng. 4 Ke bone likhomo tse ngata tse fulang masimong. 5 Ba fihlile ka bosiu bo fetileng. 6 Ngoana ea botsoa o iloa ke bohle. 7 Bana ba sa utloeng ba felisa pelo. 8 Ke 'na ke buileng. 9 Ke rōna re tla sebetsa. 10 Etsa tse leng ntle mahlong a Molimo. 11 Letsie ke Morena e moholo oa Lesotho. 12 Morena ea busang England o bitsoa George V.

#### Interrogative Pronouns.

§ 60. **Interrogative pronouns** ke tseo re botsang potso ka tsona; joaleka: *motho eo ke mang? le entse'ng?*

Li mefuta e 'meli.

1) Tse emeng sebakeng sa *nouns*. Ke *mang (sing.) bo-mang (plur.)*, bakeng sa *motho*, kapa *batho*; *eng*, kapa *ng*, bakeng sa *lintho*.

2) Tse emeng sebakeng sa *adjectives*. Ke *ofe, bafe*, etc.; eona e fumanoa ho *classes* le *numbers* tsohle; joaleka: *motho ofe? taba life?*

**Temoso.** — *Mang le mang, eng le eng, ofe le ofe* li ka bitsoa *compound interrogative pronouns*.

§ 61. Bakeng sa *parsing* ho ka etsoa joana: *u bone mang? mang: inter. pron., obj. case, e busoang ke verb "bone"*.

*U rekile khomo efe? efe: inter. pron., 5th cl. sing., e khethang noun "khomo."*

#### 4. Demonstrative Pronouns.

§ 62. **Demonstrative pronouns** li eme bakeng sa *adjective* ka mehla; mosebetsi oa tsona ke ho supa (kapa ho khetha) ntho. Li ba teng ho *classes* le ho *numbers* tsohle, 'me li tšoanetse ho lumellana le *nouns* tseo li li supang; joaleka: *batho bao, taba tsena*.

Li mefuta e meraro:

1) Tse supang ntho tse haufi: *motho enoa, sefate sena, leru lane*.

2) Tse supang ntho tse holenyana: *motho eo, sefate seno, leru leo*.

3) Tse supang ntho tse hole: *motho eane, sefate sela, leru lane*.

§ 63. Bakeng sa *parsing* ho ka etsoa joana: *ke hloile motho eo: eo: demonst. pron., 5th cl. sing.*, e khethang noun "motho".

*Ba rekile khomo ena: ena: demonst. pron., 5th cl. sing.*, e khethang noun "khomo."

#### 5. Indefinite Pronouns.

§ 64. **Indefinite pronouns** le tsona li eme bakeng sa *adjectives*; li bitsoa *indefinite* (tse sa khetheng ka mokhoa o phethehileng), ka hoba li supa *nouns* ka mokhoa o sa phethehang hantle, joaleka: *motho osele, batho bohle*.

Li peli feela, ke: *bohle, lohle*, etc.; le *osele, basele*, etc. Li fumanoa ho *classes* le *numbers* tsohle, 'me li tšoanetse ho lumellana le *nouns* tseo li li khethang.

**Temoso.** — Ho *2nd cl. sing.* ho ngoloa *oohle (motse oohle)*, ho *3rd cl. plur.* ho ngoloa *'ohle (maf'u 'ohle)*.

§ 65. Bakeng sa *parsing* ho etsoe joana: *batho bohle ba tla shoa: bohle: indef. pron., 1st cl. plur.*, e khethang noun "batho".

*Ke utloile taba lisele: lisele: indef. pron., 5th cl. plur.*, e khethang noun "taba".

HLAKISO EA 45.

Supang *interrogative, demonstrative, le indefinite pronouns*, 'me le etse *parsing* ea tsona.

1 Khomo tseo ke tsa mang? 2 U boletse taba life? 3 Ke rata lipere tseo tsohle. 4 U re'ng? 5 Ntlo eo u phelang ho eona ke efe? 6 Ha ke batle lijo tseo, ke rata lisele. 7 Khomo tsane li reki-loe ke ntate. 8 Lifate tsohle tsa hao li ntle haholo.

HLAKISO EA 46

Khethang *pronouns* kaofela ka mefuta ea tsona, le etse le *parsing* ea tsona.

1 Ke utloile litaba tse bohloko. 2 Ntate o lemile lifate tse beang litholoana tse monate. 3 Balisa bao ba lisa likhomo tsa mang? 4 Motho eo ea fetang tseleng ke Stefane. 5 Batho ba Maloting ba ruile linku tse ngata tse nang le boea bo botle. 6 Ke sekolo se rutang hantle. 7 Libuka tseo ke tsa eng? 8 Mphe thipa ea hao. 9 Ba re supisitse motho ea utsoang linku tsa heso. 10 U tla ho 'na na?

HLAKISO EA 47.

Ntšang liphoso mantsoeng ana, 'me le bolele lebaka la kamoo le lokisitseng kateng.

1 Likhomo bao li metle haholo. 2 Morena se bitsitse batho ba lona. 3 Re lemile koro o mongata. 4 Khomo oa Lerata le robe-hile leoto. 5 Likhomo bao bohle ke ba Stefane. 6 Lesotho o busoa ke Morena Letsie. 7 'Muso oa England e kholo haholo. 8 Khomo tsa ka ba ile kae? 9 Sekolo sa motse lena e ruta hantle 10, Liphahlo ao o theko se thata.

**Mehlala ea bohllano ea parsing**

U utloile litaba tseo ka mang? Lebuso o rekisitse ka pere ea hae. Ke buile le uena.

U = *connective pron., 2nd pers. sing.*, e kopanyang *verb* "utloile" le *nomin.* ea eona (*understood*).

utloile = *verb*.

litaba = *noun, 5th cl. plur., obj. case*, e busoang ke *verb* "utloile."

tseo = *demonst. pron., 5th cl. plur.*, e khethang *noun* "litaba."

ka = *preposition*.

mang = *inter. pron.*, e busoang ke *prep.* "ka."

Lebuso	==	<i>prop. noun, nom. case</i> ho verb "rekisitse."
o	==	<i>con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing., e kopanyang verb "rekisitse" le nominative ea eona "Lebuso."</i>
rekisitse	==	<i>verb.</i>
ka	==	<i>preposition.</i>
pere	==	<i>noun, 5th cl. sing., obj. case, e busoang ke prep. "ka."</i>
ea	==	<i>poss. part., 5th cl. sing., e kopanyang "pere" le "hae."</i>
hae	==	<i>poss. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing., e emeng bakeng sa "Lebuso," e busoang ke poss. part. "ea."</i>
Ke	==	<i>connect. pron, 1st pers. sing., e kopanyang verb "buile" le nomin. ea eona (understood).</i>
buile	==	<i>verb.</i>
le	==	<i>preposition.</i>
uena	==	<i>subst. pron, 2nd pers. sing., e busoang ke prep. "le."</i>

#### HLAKISO EA 48.

Etsang parsing ea sentences tsena :

1 Ke bona likhomo tse ngata tse fulang masimong. 2 Monna eo o tsamaile le bana ba hae bohle. 3 Linonyana tseo li ahile lihlaha tsa tsona lilomong tse tšabehang. 4 Litsie li jele koro ea ka. 5 Mekotatsie e tla Lesotho lehlabula, maria e ea linaheng tse ling. 6 Batho bao ba ratana le rōna.

### KHAOLO EA 6.

#### VERB

§ 66. **Verb** ke lentsoe leo re bolelang taba e 'ngoe ka lona, leha e le ketso (*action*), leha e le kamoo ntho e 'ngoe e leng kateng (*state*), joaleka: *monna oa tsamaea* ; *ke rata bana ba ka* ; *sefate se robehile*.

§ 67. Verbs li mefuta e 'meli, kapa e meraro : 1 *Transitive*, 2 *Intransitive*, 3 *Neuter verbs*.

**Transitive verbs** li bolela *ketso* e etsoang ke moetsi oa eona, 'me e ama ntho e 'ngoe (e fetela pele ho eona), joaleka : *ke otlile ntja* ; *ke emela ntate*. Ketso eo ke e etsang, ea ho *otla*, ha e felle moo feela, e fetela pele ho *ntja*, e ama eona. Ketso eo ke e etsang, ea ho *emela*, e fetela pele ho *ntate*, e ama eena.

2 **Intransitive verbs** le tsona li bolela *ketso*, empa e le ketso e fellang moo, e sa ameng ntho e 'ngoe, e sa feteleng ho eona ; joaleka *kea tsamaea*, *kea robala*.

3 **Intransitive verbs** tse ling ha li bolele ketso e etsoang ke motho, empa li bolela *ketsahalo*, kapa *mokhoa* (*state*) oo *noun* e leng ho oona, joaleka : *ke robehile*, *ba lahlehile*. Tse joalo li ka bitsoa **Neuter verbs**. Empa re ka 'na ra li kopanya le *Intransitive verbs*.

### Voice.

§ 68. **Transitive verbs** li na le *voices* (libopeho) tse peli, *Active voice* le *Passive voice*, joaleka : *kea rata*, *ba otlia* (*active*) ; *kea ratao*, *ba otloa* (*passive*).

**Active voice** ke sebopeliso seo *verb* e leng ho sona ha *subject* ea eona e bolela motho kapa ntho e angoang ke ketso ea *verb* : joaleka : *ntate o ratao ke 'na* ; *ntja e otloa ke bona*.

**Temoso.** — *Transitive verb* ha e beoa ho *passive voice*, *object* ea eona eba e fetoha *subject* ; joaleka : *monna o otla ntja*. Moo, *monna* ke *subject*. Kanthe ha ha beoa *verb* ho *passive voice*, 'me ho thoe : *ntja e otloa ke monna*, *ntja* joale e fetohile *subject*.

Ke ka taba ena re ka tsebang hantle-ntle ha *verb* e 'ngoe e le *transitive*.

2. **Intransitive verb** tse ling li ka beoa ho *passive voice*, empa ke ha *subject* ea tsona e ka ba *impersonal* feela (ke ho re, ha e sa bolele motho ofe le ofe), 'me *connective pronoun* e beoang pel'a tsona e le *ho* (kapa *ha*) ; joaleka : *hoa robaloa*, *hoa tsamaoa*.



HLAKISO EA 49

Khethang *verbs* mantsoeng ana, 'me le bolele ha li le *transitive* kapa *intransitive*.

1 Lifate lia mela. 2 Morena o bitsa batho ba hae. 3 Re halefile. 4 Ba mpona. 5 Re bua litaba. 6 Ntate oa kula. 7 Likhomo li lahlehile. 8 Ke mo hlometse. 9 Ba belaela ka 'na. 10 Stefane o fepa lipere. 11 Lipere ha li boee! 12 Monna eo o fetohile haholo. 13 Ke lutse. 14 Metsi ao a hloekile. 15 Bana bao ba bapala. 16 Lipere lia matha. 17 Ke noa metsi. 18 Ba ea Maseru.

§ 69. Verbs ha li le ho **passive voice**, ho beoa o pel'a vowel ea qetello ea *verb*; joaleka: *kea rata, kea ratoa; o ratile, o ratiloe*.

Mohlomong *consonants* tse ling (haholo *labials*) li fetoha pel'a o, joaleka: *ho fepa, ho fepjoa; ho roma, ho rongoa; ho tšaba, ho tšajoa; ho senya, ho senngoa*.

Mohlomong *vowel u* e eketsoa pel'a o joaleka: *ho siea, ho siuoa; ho bua, ho buuoa; ho roma, ho romuoa*, etc.

HLAKISO EA 50.

Etsang *passive voice* ea *verbs* tsena:

Ho ja, ho utloa, ho bea, ho etsa, ho mamela, ho hlonepha, ho lema, ho lekanya, ho thiba, ho mema, ho ea, ho noa, ho ngola, ho ruta, ho supa, ho lefa, ho fihlela, ho omana, ho batla, ho kha, ho tla.

HLAKISO EA 51.

Khethang *transitive verbs* tse ho *active* le ho *passive voice*.

1 Lifate tseo li robehile haholo; li sentsoe ke sefefe. 2 Bana bao ba ratoa haholo. 3 Ho uoa kae? 4 Hosasane ho tla sebetsoa haholo. 5 Re lemile masimo a mabeli. 6 Le tsoa kae? 7 Rea kula. 8 Khomo tseo li lisoa ke mang? 9 Ntate o folile. 10 U bitsitsoe ke mang? 11 Tšepe ea lla. 12 Khomo eo e llela nama-ne. 13 Le utloile'ng? 14 O lefile molato oa hae. 15 O lefisitsoe haholo. 16 Khomo e tšoaroa ka linaka. 17 Ba khathetse hampe.

**Moods le Tenses.**

\* § 70. Ka ntle ho *voice, verbs* li na le *Moods* le *Tenses*.

**Mood** e bolela mokhoa oo ketso e etsoang ka ona.  
**Tense** e bolela nako eo ketso e etsoang ke ona.

\* 71. **Moods** tsa Sesotho li supile; ke: 1 *Indicative*; 2 *Dependent Indicative*, kapa *Dependent*; 3 *Relative*; 4 *Subjunctive*; 5 *Optative*; 6 *Imperative*; 7 *Infinitive*.

\* § 72. **Indicative Mood** (*mood* ea ho supa) e bolela taba feela e etsoang, joaleka: *letsatsi le chabile*; *Moshoeshoe o na a busa Lesotho*; *likhomo lia fula*.

\* § 73. **Dependent Mood** e atisa ho fumanoa ka mora' *conjunction* "ha", joaleka: *ke tla 'mona ha a e-tla koano*; *ke tla tseba ha a le sieo*. E bolela taba e leng *dependent* (itšehelitseng) ho e 'ngoe.

*Dependent Mood* e tšoana le *Indicative* ka sebopeho sa eona, ha e se ho *3rd pers. sing.*, *Ist cl*, moo *connective pronoun* e leng **a**, bakeng sa **o** (joaleka: *leha a tlile*), le ho *negative conjugation* moo *negative particle* e leng **sa**, bakeng sa **ha** (joaleka: *leha ke sa tle*).

\* § 74. **Relative Mood** e ba teng ka mehla ka mora' *relative pronouns* le *relative conjunctions*, joaleka: *batho ba phelang hantle*; *ke ea moo ke ratang*.

E tsejoa ka *suffix ng*.

**Temoso.** — Ho *Future Tense* *suffix ng* e ba sieo; joaleka: *motho eo ke tla 'mona*.

\* § 75. **Subjunctive Mood** e atisa ho latela *conjunction* "hore", e atisa ho bolela ketso e laeloang kapa e lakatsoang; joaleka: *ke rata hore u tle koano*; *tlo, ke u rome*. E tsejoa ka *vowel* ea eona ea qetello, **e**.

\* § 76. **Imperative Mood** e bolela taelo, joaleka: *e-ea, khutla, tsamaeang*.

*Imperative mood* ha e na *connective pronoun*; e sebelisoa ho *2nd pers. sing.* le *plur.* feela; ha e le ho *plural number* e qetella ka *suffix ng*.

**Temoso.** — Ha e etelloa pele ke *objective pronoun*, sebopeho sa eona sea fetoha, *vowel* ea eona ea qetello e be **e** (*plur. eng*), joaleka: *mo late*; *ba bitseng*.

\* § 77. **Optative Mood** (*mood* ea ho lakatsa) e bolela takatso, kōpo, thapelo; joaleka : *ha a tle; ha ba ke ba tsamaee*.

Ka sebopeho e tšoana le *Subjunctive*; e khethoa ho eona ka *particle a* kapa *ha* e beoang pel'a *connective pronoun*.

\* § 78. **Infinitive Mood** e bolela ketso feela, ha e sa le *verb* hantle, e se e ka *noun* feela; joaleka : *ke rata ho tla; ba lakatsa ho ja nama*.

E tsejoa ka *nominal prefix* ea eona **ho**; joaleka : **ho tla, ho tsamaea**.

#### HLAKISO EA 52.

Bolelang *moods* tseo *verbs* li leng ho tsona.

1 Ke utloa ha ho thoe, ntoa e loanne maobane. 2 Mpolelle seo u ratang ho se etsa, 3 Tlo koano, ke u tsebise litaba. 4 Ke kamoo ke tsebang kateng. 5 E ka khona u etse seo ke u laetseng sona. 6 Re tšoanetse ho tsamaea. 7 Ha li ke li mathe. 8 Ka mo fumana a tsamaile. 9 Pere tsa tsoha li e-ba sieo ka sakeng. 10 Ha ke tsebe moo nka eang teng. 11 Ha u sa utloe, u tla hlhelo a ke kotsi. 12 Ba tla fihla ba re loantše. 13 Ema, u jare phahlo eo. 14 A feta a sa re bone.

#### Tenses

§ 79. **Tenses** li bolela nako eo ketso ea *verb* e etsahalang ka eona; joaleka : *kea tsamaea* (ka eona nako ena ea joale); *ke ile ka tsamaea* (ka nako e fetileng); *ke tla tsamaea* (ka nako e tlang).

**Temoso.** — *Tenses* li khethoa ho *Indicative, Dependent* le *Relative Moods* feela; ho tse ling ha li ke li khethoa.

§ 80. *Tenses* tsa Sesotho li ngata-ngata haholo ho feta tsa se-English.

Ho ka khethoa mefuta e 'meli ea tsona :

1 *Simple Tenses* : 2 *Compound Tenses*.

**Hlaloso.** — **Simple Tenses** (kapa tsa motheo) ke tse nang le *connective pronoun* e le 'ngoe feela; joaleka : **ke tlile, ba tla tsamaea; le ka bina**.

**Compound Tenses** (tse kopaneng, tse entsoeng ka tse ling) ke tse bōpjoang ka thuso ea *auxiliary verbs* (verbs tse thusang), 'me li na le *connective pronouns* tse peli, joaleka : ke ne ke tsamaea ; le ka be le tlile ; o na a tla tsamaea.

### Simple Tenses.

§ 81. **Simple Tenses** li tšeletse : ke 1. *Present*, 2. *Perfect*, 3. *Past*, 4. *Future*, 5. *Potential*, 6. *Habitual*.

§ 82. **Present Tense** (*tense* ea hona joale) e bolela ketso e etsahalang ka eona nako eo ho buuoang ka eona ; joaleka : kea ea ; ua tsamaea ; re bitsa bana ba rōna ; likhomo lia fula.

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohue hore ho *tense* eo, ha verb e sa lateloe ke letho, *connective pronoun* ea eona e na le sebopelo se selelele : kea ea ; ua tsamaea ; rea bitsa. Empa ha *verb* e lateloa ke mantsoe a mang, *connective pronoun* e ba e khutšoanyane : ke ea ho ntate ; u tsamaea hampe ; re bitsa bana ba rōna.

§ 83. **Perfect Tense** (*tense* e bolelang taba e phethehileng), e bolela hore ketso ea *verb* ke ketso e phethehileng, e seng e etsahetse ; joaleka : ke tlile ; ba fihlile ; ba u bone.

*Perfect Tense* e atisa ho bōpjoa ka *suffix ile*, leha empa hangata *suffix* eo e nka sebopelo seselenyana.

§ 84. **Past Tense** (*tense* ea nako e fetileng) e bolela hore ketso ea *verb* e entsoe pele, maobane, maoba, mohla monene ; joaleka : ka tsamaea ; letsatsi la likela.

*Past Tense* e tsejoe ka sebopelo sa *connective pronoun* ea eona, e leng : ka, ua, ra, la, tsa, etc.

*Past Tense* e atisa ho bōpjoa le ka *auxiliary verb* "ke ile, u ile," etc., kapa "nkile, u kile," etc., joaleka : ke ile ka tla ; u ile ua tla, etc.

§ 85. **Future Tense** (*tense* ea nako e tlang) e bolela hore ketso ea *verb* e tla etsahala nakong e tlang ; joaleka : ke tla tsamaea ; ba tla bona.

*Future Tense* e bōpjoa ka *auxiliary verb tla*.

§ 86. **Potential Tense** (1) e bolela ketso e ka etsoang, ho sa supjoe hore e tla etsoa, kapa e ke ke ea etsoa; joaleka; *nka tla*; *ba ka tsamaea*.

*Potential Tense* e bōpjoa ka *auxiliary verb ka*.

**Temoso.** — Ho 3rd pers., sing., 1st cl., connective pronoun e ba a (e seng o), joaleka: a ka tla.

§ 87. **Habitual Tense** (*tense* e bolelang tloaelo) e bolela ketso eo re tloaetseng ho e etsa, joaleka: *ke tsamaee*; *a bue*; *re etse*. (2).

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore ho 3rd pers., sing., 1st cl., connective pronoun ke a (e seng o). Ho *Indicative Mood* e atisa ho etelloa pele ke *auxiliary verbs*: *ke ee*, *ke 'ne*, *nke*, joaleka: o ee a etse, o 'ne a bue, o ke a tsamaee.

\* § 88. *Tenses* tseo kaofela li fumanoa ho *Indicative. Dependent*, le *Relative Moods* feela.

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore *Past* le *Habitual Tenses* ha li le ho *Dependent* le *Relative Moods* e ka khona li nke *compound forms* tsa tsona, ke ho re, li etelloe pele ke *auxiliary verbs* tsa teng; joaleka: *batho bao* ke ileng ka ba bona; *taba tseo* ke eeng ke li utloe; *leha* ke ile ka tla.

\* HLAKISO EA 53.

Bolelang *Tenses* le *Moods* tsa *verbs* tsena.

1 Ke rata ha u ka tla koano. 2 U mpitsitse ka baka la'ng? 3 Li-fate tseo li tla mela ha u li nosetsa hantle. 4 Na u ee u bale libuka na? 5 Ke bone likhomo tseo nka ratang ho li reka. 6 Ntate o shoele khale. 7 Khomo tsa ka li ile tsa e-shoa ha re tla tla koano. 8 U ile ua etsa'ng mehleng eo? 9 Tlo koano, u mpoelle litaba tsa hao. 10 Mpoelle seo ntat'ao a u boleletseng sona. 11 Ke bone likhomo tse ntle tseo ntate a tla li reka. 12 Monna eo o nyetse basali ba bararo. 13 Morena o laetse batho hore ba tle ho eena hosasane. 14 Ka tsamaea hantle. 15 A ba tle koano! 16 Ke rata ho bua le lona. 17 Na ke seo u seng u se entse?

(1) *Potential* ke ho re, ntho e ka etsoang.

(2) *Leha* e ngoloa joaleka *Subjunctive Mood*, e bitsoa ka hosele, ka ha e eo e qeteletseng ka eona e na le molumo osele.

### Compound Tenses.

\* § 89. **Compound Tenses** li bōpjoa ka thuso ea *Tenses* tse ling tsa *auxiliary verb* **ho ba**, e le 1. *Past auxiliary*; *ke ne, u no, o na* (kapa *ke na be*, etc); 2. *Future auxiliary*; *ke tla be*, etc; 3. *Potential auxiliary*: *nka be, u ka be*, etc.

*Auxiliary Tenses* tseo li beoa pel'a *Simple Tenses*, joaleka: **o na a tsamaea**; **nka be ke etsa**, etc.

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore: 1. *Simple Tense*, eo *auxiliary verb* e beoang pel'a eona, e na le sebopeho sa *Dependent Mood*, joaleka: **o na a tsamaea**: *ke ne ke e-tla*. 2. *Past le Habitual Tenses* li tšoanetse ho ba le *compound forms* tsa tsona ha li latela *auxiliary*; joaleka: *ke ne ke ile ka tla*; **o na a ee a etse**.

\* § 90. Ka *Past auxiliary ke ne* (*ke na be*), ho bōpjoa **Imperfect Tenses**, ke ho re *Tenses* tse bolelang hore ketso e ne e ntse e etsoa, kapa e entsoe, kapa e tla etsoa ka nako eo.

*Imperfect Tenses* tseo ke:

1 **Imperfect of the Present** (e atisa ho bitsoa *Imperfect* feela): *ke ne ke tsamaea* (mehleng eo ke ne ke le motho ea ntseng a tsamaea).

2 **Pluperfect**: *ke ne ke tsamaile*; *ke ne ke ile ka tsamaea* (mehleng eo ke ne ke le motho ea seng a tsamaile).

3 **Imperfect of the Future**: *ke ne ke tla tsamaea* (mehleng eo ke ne ke le ea tla tsamaea).

4 **Imperfect of the Potential**: *ke ne nka tsamaea* (mehleng eo ke ne ke le motho ea ka tsamaeang).

5 **Imperfect of the Habitual**: *ke ne ke ee ke tsamaee* (mehleng eo ke ne ke le motho ea eeng a tsamaee).

**Hlaloso.** — *Imperfect* ke ho re, e sa phethahalang hantle. *Tenses* tseo li bitsoa joalo ka hobane li bolela liketso tse neng li sa phetheha mehleng ea tsona.

\* § 91. Ka *Potential auxiliary ke tla be*, ho bōpjoa *Future Tenses*:

1 **Compound Future**: *ke tla be ke tsamaea*, kapa: *ke tla be ke tsamaee* (mehleng e tlang ke tla ba motho ea tsamaeang).

**2 Future of the Perfect :** *ke tla be ke tsamaile* (mehleng e tlang ke tla ba motho ea seng a tsamaile).

\* § 92. *Ka Potential auxiliary nka be, ho bōpjoa Conditional Tenses* (ke ho re, tse bolelang taba tse ka beng li etsoa, kapa li entsoe ka *lebaka* la hore ho itseng).

**1. Conditional of the Present :** *nka be ke tsamaea* (nka ba motho ea tsamaeang).

**2. Conditional of the Perfect :** *nka be ke tsamaile* (hona joale nka be ke le motho ea seng a tsamaile).

**Temoso.**—*Compound Tenses* tse ngata tse ling li teng, empa mona re bolela feela tse atisang ho fumanoa.

\* § 93. *Compound Tenses* letsona li fumanoa ho *Indicative, Dependent, le Relative Moods*, joaleka : *leha a na a tsamaile ; likhomo tseo ke neng nka li reka ; batho bao u neng u utloa litaba tsa bona.*

**Temoso.**—Ho lemohuoe hore ho *Relative Mood* ke *auxiliary* e nkang *suffix ng*, joaleka : *litaba tseo ke neng ke li utloa.*

\* § 94. Ha ho etsoa parsing ea *Compound Tenses*, ho, etsoe joana : *o na a ile : a...a, connect. pron., 3rd pers., sing. 1st cl. ; na...ile, Pluperfect Tense, Ind. Mood, ea verb "ho ea"*

**Temoso.**—Ha ho ratoa joalo, ho ka etsoa parsing ea *auxiliary verb* pele, ha ntoo etsoa ea *verb* ea bobeli, ho ntoo etsoa ea *verb* eohle ; joaleka : *o na a ile : na, Imp. Tense, Ind. Mood ea aux. verb "ho ba" ; ile Past. Tense, Ind. Mood ea verb "ho ea" ; na...ile, Plup. Tense, Ind. Mood ea verb "ho ea."*

Empa ho etsa joalo, e ka ba ho lelefatsa mosebetsi feela.

#### HLAKISO EA 54.

Bolelang *Tenses* le *Moods* tsa *verbs* tsena :

1 Malefane o tla ea Maseru hosasane. 2 Re ne re mo utloile. 3 Ke tseba kamoo a neng a sebetsa kateng. 4 U no u tla re'ng? 5 Nka be ke buile le uena, hoja ka tseba hoba u no u fihlile. 6 U no u tla etsa'ng hojane ke sa ka ka u thibela? 7 Ke likhomo tseo ke neng ke rata ho li rekisa. 8 O na a ile a bua. 9 Ntate o na a mpitsitse khale. 10 U ka be u entse'ng?

### Conjugation.

\* § 95. Ho bitsoa conjugation lenaneo la *Moods* le *Tenses* kaofela tsa *verb*.

*Conjugations* tsa Sesotho li peli:

1) **Affirmative Conjugation**, e leng sebōpeho seo *verb* e nang le sona ha e bolela ketso e etsoang, ha e re, ntho e teng.

2) **Negative Conjugation**, e leng sebōpeho seo *verb* e nang le sona ha e latola ketso. kapa taba, ha e re, e sieo.

*Affirmative Conjugation* ke eo re seng re e bone.

#### Negative Conjugation.

\* § 96. **Negative conjugation** e tsejoa ka *negative particle* (*particle* ea ho latola), **ha, sa, se,** e beoang pele ho *verb*. Hape *Tenses* le *Moods* li ba ka hoselelyana ho *Affirmative Conjugation*.

#### Indicative, Dependent le Relative Moods.

\* § 97. *Present, Perfect,* le *Future Tenses* ke *Simple Tenses* ruri, ke ho re tse nang le *connective pronoun* e le ngoe.

- 1 **Present**: *ha ke rate, ha u rate, ha a rate,* etc.
- 2 **Perfect**: *ha kea rata, ha ua rata, ha a rata,* etc.
- 3 **Future**: *ha ke tl'o rata, ha u tl'o rata, ha a tl'o rata,* etc.

**Temoso.** — *Ha ke tl'o rata,* ke ho re: *ha ke tle ho rata*; ke ho re, e bōpjoa ka *aux. verb* "tla," e lateloang ke *Infinitive Mood* ea *verb* e 'ngoe (ke ka baka leo ho ngoloang *tl'o* ka *apostrophe*).

\* § 98. Ho *Dependent Moods negative particle* **ha e fetoha sa,** 'me e beoa ka mora' *connective pronoun*.

1. **Present**: (*leha*) ke **sa** rate; (*taba tseo*) ke **sa** (li) rateng.
2. **Perfect**: (*leha*) ke **sa** rata; (*taba tseo*) ke **sa** (li) ratang.
3. **Future**: (*leha*) ke **sa** tl'o rata; (*taba tseo*) ke **sa** tl'o (li) rata.

*Past, Potential,* le *Habitual Tenses* li bōpjoa ka thuso ea *auxiliary verb* **ka**.

1. **Past**: *ha kea ka ka rata; ha ua ka ua rata,* etc.



2. **Potential** : *ha nka ke ka rata ; ha u ka ke ua rata*, etc. (1).

3. **Habitual** : *ha nke ke rata, ha u ke u rata*, etc.

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore *Past* e bōpjoa *ka Negative Perfect* ea verb *ka* ; *Potential ka Negative Potential* ea verb *ka* ; *Habitual ka Negative Habitual* ea verb *ka*.

Ho lemohuoe hape hore *ka mora' Past* le *Potential auxiliary* ho beoa *Past Tense* ea *principal verb* (2) ; *ka mora' Habitual auxiliary* ho beoa *Present Tense*.

\* § 99. Ho *Dependent* le *Relative Moods*, *negative particle* e ba *sa*, 'me e beoa *ka mora' connective pronoun* ea *auxiliary verb*.

1. **Past** : (*leha*) *ke sa ka ka rata ; (taba tseo) ke sa kang ka (li) rata*, etc.

2. **Potential** : (*leha*) *nke ke ka rata ; (taba tseo) u ke keng ua (li) rata*, etc.

3. **Habitual** : (*leha*) *ke sa ke ke rata ; (taba tseo) u sa keng u (li) rata*, etc.

**Temoso.** — 1) Ho lemohuoe hore ho *Relative Mood* **ke aux. verb** e nkang *relative suffix ng*.

2) Ho lemohuoe le hore sebopelo sa *Potential* se hohle haholoanyane, hoo re ka sitoang le ho bona *negative particle sa*. Hape ho lemohuoe hore *nke ke ka rata*, e ka sebetsa le mosebetsi oa *Indicative Mood*, *leha empa ka sebopelo e le Dependent Mood*.

*Compound Imperfects, Futures* le *Conditionals* li etsoa joaleka ho *Affirmative Conjugation* ka *aux. verb ke ne, ke tla be, nka be* tse beoang pel'a *Negative verb* sebopelohong sa eona sa *Dependent*.

#### **Imperfects :**

1. **Imperfect** ea **Present** : *Ke ne ke sa tsamaee*.

2. **Pluperfect** : *Ke ne ke sa tsamaea ; ke ne ke sa ka ka tsamaea*.

3. **Imperfect** ea **Future** : *Ke ne ke sa tl'o tsamaea*.

(1) *Negative Potential Tense* e atisa ho sebetsa mosebetsi oa *Future Tense* ; ka hoo re ka e bitsa *Future Tense*.

(2) Ho bitsoa joalo *verb* e latelang *auxiliary verb*.

4. **Imperfect ea Potential** : *Ke ne nke ke ka tsamaea.*

5. **Imperfect ea Habitual** : *Ke ne ke sa ke ke tsamaea.*  
**Futures :**

6. **Compound Future** ; *Ke tla be ke sa tsamaee.*

7. **Future ea Perfect**. *Ke tla be ke sa ka ka tsamaea.*  
**Conditionals :**

8. **Conditional ea Present** : *Nka be ke sa tsamaee.*

9. **Future ea Perfect** : *Nka be ke sa ka ka tsamaea,*  
*kapa, nka be ke sa tsamaea.*

\* § 100. **Subjunctive** : *(e ka khona) ke se tsamaee, kapa ke se ke ka tsamaea.*

**Imperative** : *Se tsamaee, se tsamaeeng.*

**Infinitive** : *Ho se tsamaee.*

\* HLAKISO EA 55.

**Bolelang Tenses le Moods tsa verbs tse mona :**

1 Ke ne ke sa tsebe hobane u tlike koano. 2 Ha ba ka ba etsa letho. 3 Nke ke ka ea pitsong. 4 Lipere tseo ha li mathe hantle. 5 Ha le sa tle ho 'na, le ke kela fumana chelete. 6 Ha hoa hatsela. 7 Nka be ke sa tla, hoja ka tseba hore taba li joalo. 8 Ha a ka ke a phela hantle. 9 Ea seng ha e tšoane. 10 U se ke ua mpoelala. 11 Ntja peli ha li hlōloe ke sebata. 12 Ha ngoana a sa lle, m'ae a ke ke a lemoha letho. 13 U iketlile, u sa sebetse letho.

\* HLAKISO EA 56.

**Bolelang Tenses le Moods tsa verbs tsena, le bolele ha li le ho affirmative kapa ho negative conjugation.**

1 Ha moroetsana a isoa bohali, o neoa melao ke baholo ba hae, eoka eona a tšoanetseng ho ea hlonepha ba habo monna ea monyetseng. 2 Taba ea pele, a utloe matsal'ae e motona le matsal'ae e motšehali. 3 Ho se ke ha utluoa taba e mpe e boleloang bakeng sa hae. 4 Ha pula e hana ho na, eba e ka khona e ileloe. 5 Mohla e neleng, ngaka e lumeletsoeng hore pula e nele ka tšebetso ea eona, ebe e neoa khomo. 6 Ngaka ha e rutoe mejo. 7 Monna ke nku, ha a ke a lla. Ha li shoe ka qhoa le le leng. 9 Phuthi e tsoha ka meso, e anyese.

HLAKISO EA 57.

1 Bolelang Tenses tse simple tse 6 tsa verbs tsena : ho bea, ho etsa, ho utloa, ho bina, ho tšoara, ho makala.

2 Bolelang Imperfect Tenses tsa tsona.

3 Bolelang Compound Futures le Conditionals tsa tsona.

E be ho affirmative le ho negative conjugation.

\* § 101. Ha ho etsoa parsing ea verbs tse ho negative conjugation, ho etsoe joana : ngoana eo ha a ithute.

*hantle* : a : *conn. pro. ea 3rd pers. sing., 1st cl.* ; ha ... ithu te : *Present Tense, Ind. Mood, neg. conj. ea verb "ho ruta"*.

*Morena ha a ka a re lefisa* : a ... a : *connect. pron. 3rd pers. sing., 1st cl.* ; ha .. ka ... lefisa : *Past Tense, Ind. Mood, neg. conj., ea verb "ho lefisa"*.

### Person le Number.

\* § 102. Ka *Grammar ea se-English*, ha ho etsoa *parsing ea verb*, ho ee ho supjoe *person le number*, ke ho re, *verb e be ho singular*, kapa ho *plural number*, hape e be ea *1st, 2nd*, kapa *3rd person*.

Empa Sesothong, *person le number* li bonoa ka *connective pronoun* feela, sebopheo sa *verb* sona ha se ke se fetoha.

Ka baka leo, ha re etsa *parsing ea Sesotho*, re ke ke ra supa *person le number ea verb*.

Ntho tsena re tla li supa ho *connective pronoun* feela, joaleka : *morena oa busa* : *morena, noun ea 1st cl., sing. numb., nom. ea verb "busa"* ; *oa* : *connect. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl., sing. numb. e lumellanang le noun "morena"* ; *busa* : *Present Tense, Ind. Mood ea verb "ho busa."*

### Irregular Verbs.

\* § 103. Sesothong ha ho *Irregular Verbs*, ke ho re, *verbs tse bōpjoang ka mokhoa osele ho tse ling* ; tshole li bōpjoa ka mokhoa o le mong.

Feela *Perfect Tense* e bōpjoa ka hosele ho *verbs tse ngatanyana*, haholo tse qetellang ka *la, na, sa, tsa*, etc. joaleka : *ho makala, maketse* ; *ho bina, binne* ; *ho tšosa, tšositse* ; *ho eketsa, ekelitse* ; *ho etsa, entse* ; *ho tšoara, tšoere* ; *ho re, itse* ; *ho ema, eme*, etc.

### HLAKISO EA 58.

Bolelang *Perfect Tense* ea *verbs* tsena :

Ho tla, ho fiela, ho bontša, ho apara, ho phahama, ho na, ho shoa, ho omana, ho lakatsa, ho khanna, ho bona, ho ja, ho hana, ho jara, ho leba, ho lula, ho ngola, ho sala.

\* § 104. *Verbs tse ling tse monosyllabic* (tse nang le *syllable* e le 'ngoe feela) li eketsa e qalong ea tsona ho *Tenses tse ling*, joaleka : *ho ja, ho noa, ho tsoa, ho fa, ho*

*hloa, ho kha, etc. (I); joaleka: ke ne ke e-ja, ba ile ba e-noa, tsa e-shoa, etc.*

\* HLAKISO EA 59.

Beang *verbs* ho ja, ho ea, ho fa, ho shoa, ho tla, ho kha, ho hloa tulong tse feela.

1. Ke ile ka ... 2 Ba ile ba ... 3 Re ile ra ... 4 O ile 'a ... 5 Li ile tsa...6 Re ne re...7 Li ne li...8 A ile a...9 E ile ea...10 O ile oa...

**Copulative Verb ho ba.**

\* § 105. *Verb ho ba* e bitsoa **copulative verb** (verb e kopanyang), ka hobane e na le mosebetsi o le mong feela, oa ho kopanya *subject* ea *sentence* le *predicate* ea eona, ha *predicate* eo e le *noun, pronoun, adjective* kapa *adverb*. *Verb* eo e na le melao ea eona e fapa-fapaneng le melao ea mehla.

1° Ho *Tenses* kaofela, ka ntle ho *Present Tense* (le *Compound Tenses* tse entsoeng ka eona), e ea ka melao eohle ea *verbs* tse ling; joaleka: *ke tla ba molemo; o hile molemo; ha a ka a ba molemo, etc.*

2° Ho *Present Tense* e ea ka melao ena:

a) Ho *Indicative Mood, verb ho ba* e ba sieo; ho leng teng ke *connective pronoun* feela; joaleka: *motho eo o molemo; batho bao ba molemo.*

Ho *Negative Conjugation, negative particle ha* e beoa pel'a *pronoun*: *ha a molemo.*

b) Ho *Dependent Mood* ho beoa *verb le* (ho *neg. conjug. se*); joaleka: *(leha) a le molemo; (leha) a se molemo.*

Ho *Relative Mood* ho beoa *leng le seng*: *motho ea leng molemo; batho ba seng molemo.*

Ho joalo le ho *Compound Tenses (Imperfects, Compound Futures, le Conditionals)* tse bōpjoang ka *Present Tense*; joaleka: *o na a le molemo: o tla be a le molemo.*

\* § 106. 1. *Verb* eo ha e saloa morao ke *noun, kapa pronoun*, 'me *subject* ea eona e le ea *3rd pers. sing.*, kapa *plur*, eba, ho *Present Ind.*, ho beoa *copulative particle ke*, bakeng sa *connective pronoun*; joaleka: *motho eo ke morena; batho bao ke Basotho.*

(1) E ena e bitsoa *euphonic e*, ke ho re e e beoang ka baka la ho natefelo a ha molomo; e ena e kopanngoa le verb ka *hyphen (-)*.

Ho *negative conjugation, copulative particle* e ba hase ; joaleka : *motho eo hase morena.*

(Ha ho etsoa *parsing* ho etsoe joana : *motho eo ke morena : ke cop. part.* e kopanyang *noun* "motho" le *noun* "morena.")

Ho *Dependent le Relative Mood tsa Present le ho Tenses le Moods* tse ling, ho beoa *connective pronoun* e bakeng sa *class* efe le efe ; joaleka : *motho eo e ne e le morena ; motho eo e ile ea e-ba morena.*

2. Empa ha *verb "ho ba"* e saloa morao ke *adjective, noun-adjective, adverb,* le *noun* ho *locative case,* eba ho beoa pel'a eona *connective pronoun* ea *class,* le *number* ea *nominative* ea eona, joaleka : *motho eo ● motle : pere eo e ntle ; fate tseo li mpe.*

\* § 107. *Verb "hoba"* ha e saloa morao ke *preposition* le e na le sebopeliso sesele ho *Present Tense ;* joaleka : *ke na le ngoana ; (leha) ke e-na le ngoana.*

Ho *negative conjugation, preposition* le e oela fatše ; joaleka : *ha ke na ngoana ; (leha) ke se na ngoana.*

**Temoso.** — Ha ho etsoa *parsing* ho ka etsoa joana : *Ke na le ngoana :*

*Ke* = *connective pronoun, 1st pers. sing.*

*na* = *Ind. Mood, Present Tense, ea copulative verb "ho ba."*

*le* = *preposition* e kopanyang *verb "na"* le *noun "ngoana."*

*ngoana* = *noun* e busoang ke *prep. "le."*

### Derivative Verbs.

\* § 108. Ho bitsoa **Derivative Verbs,** *verbs* tse ling tse bōpjoang ka tse ling ka thuso ea *suffixes* tse ling tse beoang ka mora' tsona. Mefuta e meholo ho tsona ke :

1. *Directive,* 2 *Causative,* 3 *Intensive,* 4 *Stative,* 5 *Reciprocal,* 6 *Inversive,* 7 *Iterative.*

\* § 109. **Directive verbs.** Li bitsoa joalo, ka hore ketso ea tsona e etsoa ka ho leba ka 'ng'a ka ho ho hong (*in the direction of something*), li bōpjoa ka *suffix*

**ela** ; li bolela hore ketso ea *verb* e etsoa ka 'ng'a ka ho ho hong, kapa ho e mong ; joaleka : *ho tseba, ho tsebela ; ho utloa, ho utloela.*

Verbs tse qetellang ka *sa, tsa, ntša, nya* li nka *suffix etsa* bakeng sa **ela** ; joaleka : *ho etsa, ho etsetsa ; ho senya, ho senyetsa ; ho tlisa, ho tlisetsa.*

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore *transitive verb* ha e etsoa *Directive* e ka ba le *objects* tse peli ; joaleka : *ke utloa litaba ; ke u utloela litaba.*

\* HLAKISO EA 60.

Etsang *Directive* ea *verbs* tsena :

Ho etsa., ho bina, ho ema, ho hama, ho senya, ho rata, ho kenya, ho kena, ho sa, ho ja, ho feta, ho sebetsa, ho sisa, ho ngola, ho ala ho botsa, ho senola, ho omanya, ho shoa.

\* § IIO. **Causative Verbs** li bōpjoa ke *suffix isa* ; li bolela hore ketso ea *verb* e bakoa (*is caused*) ke *subject* ea eona ; joaleka *ho tsamaea, ho tsamaisa ; ho utloa, ho utloisa. Kea u tsamaisa = ke etsa hore u tsamaee.*

*Causative* ea *verbs* tse ngata e bōpjoa ka hoselenyana ; joaleka : *ho bona, ho bontša ; ho makala, ho makatsa ; ho omana, ho omnanya ; ho apara, ho apesa ; ho roala, ho roesa ; ho ja, ho jesa, etc.*

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore *transitive verb* ha e fetoha *Causative* e ka ba le *objects* tse peli ; joaleka : *ke tseba litaba ; ke u tsebisa litaba.*

HLAKISO EA 61.

Etsang *Causative* ea *verbs* tsena :

Ho bona, ho utloa, ho nyala, ho jara, ho roala, ho soaba, ho lumela, ho araba, ho loka, ho laela, ho tloha, ho omana, ho kotula, ho bolla, ho hlca, ho hlōla, ho hlaba, ho bua, ho ribolla, ho hata.

\* § III. **Intensive Verbs** li bōpjoa ka ho bea *suffix isa* ka mora' *Causative verbs* ; tseo li bolela ketso e etsoang ka matla a maholo (I) ; joaleka : *ho rata, ho ratisisa ; ho bona, ho bontšisa.*

**Temoso.** — Le eona *directive suffix ela* ha e phetoha habeli (*is duplicated*), ke ho re ha e le **ella** (= **elela**), e

(I) *Intensive* ke ho re, ka matla a maholo.

atisa hangata ho bolela ketso e matla; joaleka: *ho hata, ho hatella; ho hana, ho hanella*. Mohlomong *suffix* eo e bolela hore ketso e ba mpe; joaleka: *ho utloella*.

\* § 112. **Stative Verbs**, ke ho re, tse bolelang hore ketso ea verb e se e fetohile mokhoa (*state*), li bōpjoa ka *suffix eha*; joaleka: *ho senya; ho senyeha, ho rata, ho rateha; ho bōpa, ho bōpeha*.

Mohlomong, bakeng sa *eha* ho ba le *suffix ahala*; joaleka: *ho utloahala, ho tsebisahala*.

**Temoso.** — *Verbs* tseo li ba *intransitive*, kapa *neuter* ka mehla.

\* § 113. Ka *suffix ana* ho bōpjoa **Reciprocal Verbs**, ke ho re, tse bolelang hore re etsetsana ho hong le e mong: oa re etsetsa, le rōna rea mo etsetsa; joaleka: *ho rata, ho ratana; ho bona, ho bonana*.

\* § 114. Ka *suffixes oha, ola, olla* ho bōpjoa **Inversive Verbs**, ke ho re, tse bolelang hore ketso ea verb e etsolohile, e phethohile (*is inverted*), joaleka *ho qhaneha, ho qhanolla; ho bofa, ho bofolla; ho etsa, ho etsolla*.

\* § 115. Ka *suffix aka* ho bōpjoa **Iterative Verbs** ke ho re, tse bolelang hore ketso ea verb e phethoa hangata (I); joaleka: *ho roba, ho robaka; ho hlaba, ho hlabaka*.

#### HLAKISO EA 62.

Bolelang sebopheo seo *verbs* tsena li leng ho sona, hore na li *Causative, Directive, Stative, Reciprocal*, etc; le be le bolele *verbs* tseo li bōpiloeng ka tsona.

Ho fetana, ho utloisisa, ho robeha, ho panolla, ho sebeletsa, ho sitisa, ho bolaela, ho epolla, ho ngolla, ho hatella, ho lumellana, ho senyetsa, ho mathisa, ho botsisa, ho bonahala, ho pitlaka, ho hlalotsetsa, ho mamelisisa, ho ahlōlela, ho loantšana, ho emela, ho emisa, ho tšoarella, ho lebella.

#### Auxiliary Verbs.

\* § 116. Ho bitsoa **Auxiliary Verbs** (tse thusang) tseo ho ithusoang ka tsona ho tlatsa mosebetsi oa tse ling; ha li bolele letho e le tsona, mosebetsi oa tsona ke ho thusa *verbs* tse ling feela; joaleka ha ho thoe: *nka*

(I) *Iterative* ke ho re, ho phetha hangata.

'na ka bua : verb "ka 'na" ke *auxiliary verb* ; ha e sala e le 'notši ha e ke e bolela letho, empa ha e beiloe pel'a "ka bua" e bolela hore ketso ea ho bua ke be ke ntse ke e etsa haleletsana.

**Temoso.** — *Auxiliary verbs* tse ling tse kang ho tla, ho ba, ho ka, etc, re se re kile ra li bona ha re bontša conjugation ea verbs, hore ke tseo Sesotho se ithusang ka tsona ho bōpa *Tenses* tse ling ; joaleka : ke tla etsa ; a ka tsamaea ; o tla be a tle.

\* § 117. *Auxiliary verbs* tsa Sesotho li ngata haholo ; re tla hlahisa li se kae feela, tseo re atisang holi fumana.

1 se : ke se ke etsa ; o se a tla etsa.

2 sa : ke sa etsa ; o sa entse ; ha a sa tla etsa.

3 ntoo, ntano : u tle ho 'na ; u ntano tsamaea.

4 'na : ke ntse ke bona ; ke tla 'ne ke bone ; nka 'na ka bona.

5 hla : o hlile o entse ; ka hla ka bua ; o tla hle a tsamaea.

6 ba : ke tla be ke bone ; nka ba ka bona ; o bile o tsamaile.

7 mpa : nka mpa ka tla ; ke tla mpe ke tle.

8 tsoatsoa : ke tsoatsoa ke e-tla ; o tsoatsoile a bua.

**Temoso.** — Ha ho etsoa *parsing*, e ka khona ho kopanngoe *auxiliary verb* le verb e e hlahlamang, joaleka ha eka ke ntho e le 'ngoe ; 'me *Tense* le *Mood* tse tla boleloa e be tsa *auxiliary verb*, joaleka : ke se ke etsa : ke ... ke : *con. pron.* ; se ... etsa : *Ind. Mood, Present Tense* ea verb "ho etsa" le *auxiliary verb* "se". Ke sa etsa : ke. *con. pron.* ; sa etsa, *Ind. Mood, Pres. Tense* ea verb "ho etsa" le *aux. verb* "sa". Nka mpa ka tla : n ... ka : *con. pron.* ; ka mpa ... tla, *Ind. Mood, Pot. Tense* ea verb "ho tla" le *auxiliary verb* "mpa".

#### HLAKISO EA 64.

Bolelang *auxiliary verbs* le *Tenses* le *Moods* tsa tsona.

1 Basotho ba se ba tsoetse pele haholoanyane. 2 Hlo u bua, molakan'a ka. 3 Ha ke sa u batla. 4 Basotho ba ile ba 'na ba loana halelele le ma-Buru. 5 Ba buile ho 'na, ba ntoo tsoela pele. 6 Sala moo ke be ke khutle. 7 Ke tsoatsoile ke u batla tsatsi lohle, ka u hloka. 8 Nka mpa ka ea moo. 9 Bashanyana bano ba ntse ba ithuta ka matla. 10 Ba ne ba se ba tliile. 11 Imamele pele, u ntoo bua. 12 Mohlankana eo o rata ho 'na a bua ka mehla.



### Interrogation (Potso)

\* § 118. Ha ho etsoa potso (*interrogation*) ho atisa ho beoa *interrogative particle* na qalong kapa qetellong ea sentence : joaleka : Na ua nthata ? U bona batho bao na ?

#### Mehlala ea botšelela ea parsing :

Fekisi a qala ho ba hlalose tsa taba tsohle tse neng li mo hlorisa. A pheta tsohle-tsohle, ho tla fihla moo ba mo fumaneng teng.

Fekisi	= <i>prop. noun, nomin.</i> ho verb "ho qala".
a	= <i>con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing.,</i> e kopanyang verb "qala" le <i>nom.</i> ea eona "Fekisi".
qala	= <i>Ind. Mood, Past Tense</i> ea verb "ho qala".
ho hlalose tsa	= <i>Inf. Mood</i> ea verb "ho hlalose tsa", <i>obj.</i> ea verb "qala".
ba	= <i>obj. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. plur., obj.</i> ea verb "hlalose tsa".
litaba	= <i>noun, 5th cl. plur., obj.</i> ea verb "hlalose tsa".
tsohle	= <i>indef. pron., 5th cl. plur.,</i> e lumellanang le <i>noun</i> "litaba".
tse	= <i>rel. pron., 5th cl. plur.,</i> e kopanyang verb "neng...hlorisa", e lumellanang le <i>noun</i> ea eona "litaba" ( <i>understood</i> ).
neng...hlorisa	= <i>Rel. Mood, Impft. Tense</i> ea verb "ho hlorisa".
li	= <i>con. pron., 5th cl. plur.,</i> e kopanyang <i>auxiliary verb</i> "neng", le verb "hlorisa".
mo	= <i>obj. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing., obj.</i> ea verb "hlorisa".
A	= <i>con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing.,</i> e kopanyang verb "pheta" le <i>nom.</i> ea eona "Fekisi" ( <i>understood</i> ).
pheta	= <i>Ind. Mood, Past Tense</i> ea verb "hopheta".
tsohle-tsohle	= <i>indef. pron., 5th cl. plur.,</i> e lumellanang le <i>noun</i> "litaba" ( <i>understood</i> ), eo e leng <i>object</i> ea verb "pheta".

ho tla fihla	= <i>Inf. ea verb</i> "ho fihla", e bōpiloeng ka <i>aux. verb</i> "tla".
moo	= <i>conjunction</i> .
ba	= <i>con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. plur., e ko-panyang verb</i> "fumaneng" le <i>nom. ea eona</i> "batho" ( <i>understood</i> ).
mo	= <i>obj. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing., obj. ea verb</i> "fumaneng".
fumaneng	= <i>Rel. Mood, Perf. Tense ea verb</i> "ho fumanana".
teng	= <i>adverb</i> .

#### HLAKISO EA 65

Etsang parsing ea *sentences* tsena.

1. Banana ha ba ea naheng monakalaling, ba ee ba tsamaee ba pepile bana ba banyenyane, 'me banana ba bang bao bo-'m'a bona ba hlokgang masea a pepuoang, bona ba ea monakalaling ba sa pepa. 2 Mohlomong ka tsatsi le leng, ere ba sa le moo, ho tle pula, kapa lerōle, ho etsoa lerata, ho thoe ke ba bang: A re baleheng. 3. Balisana ba tloaetse ho khetha liqalo moo ba lulang teng, phahameng, kapa leralleng feela moo ba tsebiling ho fumana majoe a ho keta. 4 Ba re, leha ba ba busetsa morao ka majoe, ha a mang a ba o'tla habohlokonyana holim'a lihloho, ba se ke ba lla, ba llela khang; ke papali, kapa mokhoa oa balisana, ha ho ke ho lloa le ho loana; seqata-majoana ha se lleloe, ke sa balisana.

#### KHAOLO EA 7

##### ADVERBS

§ 119. *Adverb* ke lentsoe le leng le eketsang ho hla-losa (*modify*) mokhoa oa *verb*, kapa oa *adjective* (le *noun* e sebelisoang mosebetsi oo), leha e le oa *adverb* e 'ngoe; joaleka: o tsamaea kapele; o motle ruri; ba bina hantle haholo.

\* § 120. *Adverb* ke tsa mefuta e meraro:

1) *Adverbs of time* tse bolelang nako); joaleka: kajeno, hosasane, maobane, kamorao, kapele, hape, khale, haufi, etc.

2) *Adverbs of place* (tse bolelang sebaka); joaleka: hole, moo, mane, kantle, holimo, tlase, hare, kooa, koana, kapele. (1)

(1) Ho lemohuoe hore kapele, kamorao, etc. e ka ba *adverbs of time* ha li bolela nako, athe ha li bolela sebaka ke *adverbs of place*. Taba eo e hlokomeloe ha ho etsoa *parsing*.

3) *Adverbs of manner or cause* (tse bolelang *mokhoa kapa lebaka*); joaleka: *joalo, joana, hampe, hathata, hantle, hampe, feela, ruri, habeli, hakakang, joang?* etc.

**Temoso.** — Ho *Grammars* tse ling tsa se-English ho boetse ho khethoa mefuta e meng ea *adverbs*, ke ho re tsa *degree, measure*, etc., empa tse joalo li ka 'na tsa kopanngoa le *adverbs of manner or cause*.

\* HLAKISO EA 66.

Khethang *adverbs*, 'me le bolele hore na ke tsa *nako, sebaka, kapa mokhoa* (kapa *lebaka*).

I Ntat'ae o mo rata haholo. 2 Lipere tseo li matha kapele. 3 Re tsamaea butle. Fetela pele, ngoan'eso. 4 Joale, u tla re'ng? 5 Ha ke bone hore le ka etsa joang. 6 Ke u bone morao. 7 O mpotile kamorao. 8 U bona'ng moo? 9 Motho eo o thata hakakang! 10 U tla mpheta hakae? 11 Tlo koano. 12 Hosasane u ke u sebetse kantle. 13 Ba ea hole. 14 Ke khale ke le teng. 15 Ba sebelitse hampe haholo.

### Mehlala ea bosupa ea parsing:

Bana ba ka ba sebetsa hantle.

Bana	= <i>noun, 1st cl. plur., nomin.</i> ho verb "sebetsa".
ba	= <i>poss. part., 1st cl. plur., e lumellanang le noun</i> ea eona "bana".
ka	= <i>poss. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. plur., e busoang</i> ke <i>poss. part.</i> "ba".
ba	= <i>con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. plur., e kopanyang verb</i> "sebetsa" le <i>nomin.</i> ea eona "bana".
sebetsa	= <i>Ind. Mood, Present Tense, ea verb</i> "ho sebetsa".
hantle	= <i>adverb</i> ea mokhoa, e etsang <i>modify verb</i> "sebetsa".

## KHAOLO EA 8.

### PREPOSITIONS

§ 121. **Prepositions** ke mantsoenyana a beoang pel'a *noun* kapa *pronoun*, ho e kopanya le *verb*, kapa lentsoe le leng, joaleka: *ke tsamaea le uena*.

*Prepositions* tsa Sesotho ha li kae, ke: **ho, le, ka, ke**. Tsena li ntse li lateloa ke *objective case*, joaleka: *ke ea ho eena; o nkotlile ka thupa*.

*Preposition* e 'ngoe ke **ha**; eona ha e lateloa ke *personal pronoun*, *pronoun* eo e ba *possessive pronoun* (etsoe "ha")

e le *possessive particle* ea *locative*), joaleka: *ke ea ha hao*; *ba tsoa ha eso*.

Mohlomong *preposition* ka e beoa pel'a *locative case*, joaleka: *o lutse ka thabeng*; *o tsoa ka motseng*. Hape e ka lateloa ke *prepositions* ho, ha; joaleka: *ke ea ka ha hao*; *o tsoa ka ho eena*.

*Nouns* kapa *adverbs* tse ling ha li lateloa ke *prepositions* ho le ha, kapa ke *possessive particle* a, li etsa *compound prepositions* (I), joaleka: *haufi le, morao ho, pel'a, ka pele ho, malebana le*, etc.; joaleka: *o tsamaea ka pele ho rōna*; *ba lutse haufi le motse*; *o fetile pel'a rōna*.

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohue hore *adverbs* "kapele," "kamorao," etc., ha li etsoa *compound prepositions*, li ee li ngoloe joana: *ka pele ho, ka morao ho*, etc. Hape ho lemohue hore ka mora' ha le a ho beoa *possessive pronoun*, joaleka: *ka mora' hao, pel'a ka, holim'a hae*.

HLAKISO EA 67.

Bolelang *prepositions*, le khethe le tseo e leng *compound prepositions* I Banab'eso ba tliile ho rōna. 2 O ahile ha Mofoka. 3 Ntate o achapile ka thupa e kholo. 4 Ke tšoeroe ke serame. 5 O ile le nōka. 6 U lutse holim'a mokoti. 7 O na a tsamaea ka pele ho bona. 8 Ba ne ba bua ka rōna. 9 Likhomo li alosa ke balisana. 10 Re tla tsamaea ka mora' hao. 11 Batho bana ba re thetsitse ka mashano a bona. 12 Le re'ng ho rōna?

**Mehlala ea boroba meno e 'meli ea parsing :**

Ntate o nthomile ho uena.

- Ntate = *noun*, *1st cl. sing., nomin.* ho *verb* "romile".  
o = *con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing.*, e kopanyang *verb* "romile" le *nomin.* ea eona "ntate."  
n = *obj. pron., 3rd pers. sing., object* ea *verb* "romile."  
romile = *Ind. Mood, Perfect Tense* ea *verb* "ho roma."  
ho = *prep.* e kopanyang *verb* "romile" le *pronoun* "uena."  
uena = *subst. pron., 2nd pers. sing., obj. case*, e bu-soang ke *prep.* "ho."

(1) Ke ho re, tse kopaneng le mantsoe a mang.

## KHAOLO EA 9. CONJUNCTIONS

§ 122. **Conjunctions** ke mantsoe a kopanyang *sentences* tse peli, joaleka : *ke tšile ha hao, empa ha kea ka ka u bona ; o tsoa moo u eang teng.*

*Conjunctions* tse atisang ho fumanoa Sesothong ke : 'me, kapa, empa, moo, kamoo, hore, hobane, etsoe, ha, leha, ka ha, athe, etc. Mantsoe a kang *eitse ha, ere ka, eare hoba, etc.,* a ka bitsoa *compound conjunctions.*

### HLAKISO EA 68.

Bolelang *conjunctions* mantsoeng ana :

I Ke tla utloa bohloko ha u sa ee moo ke u romang teng. 2 U teng, athe ke sa tsebe. 3 Ba rata hore a tle koano. 4 Ka fihla hobane u tsamaee. 5 Batho bao ba tšile koano, empa re ne re le sieo. 6 O ile a sebetsa hantle, 'me a lefshoa haholo. 7 Ha ke tsebe kamoo u entseng kateng. 8 Mōrena o mo lefisitse, hobane o hanne ho tla ha a bitsoa. 9 Eitse ha a e-tla, a lula fatše. 10 O tla tla, kapa ha a tl'o tla. 11 Kea kholoa hoba o tla ba teng. 12 Leha u ka etsa joang le joang, a ke ke a ba khotso.

**Mehlala ea boroba mono o le mong ea parsing :**

Bona moo u hatang teng.

Bona = *Imper. Mood, 2nd pers. sing., ea verb "ho bona."*  
 moo = *conjunction e kopanyang sentence "bona" le sentence "u hatang teng."*  
 u = *con. pron., 2nd pers. sing., e kopanyang verb "hatang" le nomin. ea eona (und.).*  
 hatang = *Pres. Tense, Rel. Mood ea verb "ho hata"*  
 teng = *adverbea sebaka e etsang modify verb "hatang."*

## KHAOLO EA 10. INTERJECTIONS

§ 123. **Interjection** ke lentsoe le bolelang tšabo, makalo, thabo, pitso, etc., joaleka : *Oho ! tlo koano. Jo 'na 'na oee ! ntate o shoele. Monna tooe ! tlo koano. Helang, basali ting ! Ashe ! Haiaha ! Ao ! Oee ! Eu !*

Re ka bala har'a *interjections* mantsoe a mangata a atisang ho latela verb *ho re* : joaleka : *a re tu ; ntlo eo e re tlere ; a re ka mokoting keni ; ho re bjoa ; ho re ntil, etc.*

**Mehlala ea leshome ea parsing :**

Eitse hoba ke tlohe, ka 'mona a lutse holim'a lefika, 'me ka re : Jo 'na, o tla oa habohloko.

Eitse hoba = *comp. conj.* e kopanyang *sentence* "ka 'mona ... " le *sentence* "ke tlohe."

ke = *con. pron., 1st pers. sing.,* e kopanyang *verb* "tlohe" le *nomin. ea eona (understood)* "na."

tlohe = *Subj. Mood, ea verb* "ho tloha".

ka = *con. pron.,* e kopanyang *verb* "'mona" le *nomin. ea eona (understood).*

mo = *obj. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing., obj. ea verb* "bona."

bona = *Ind. Mood, Past Tense ea verb* "ho bona."

a = *con. pron. 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing.,* e kopanyang *verb* "lutse" le *nomin. ea eona (understood).*

lutse = *Depend. Mood, Perf. Tense, ea verb* "ho lula."

holim'a = *comp. prep. e kopanyang verb* "lutse" le *noun* "lefika."

lefika = *noun, 3rd cl. sing., obj. case, e busoang ke preposition* "holim'a."

'me = *conj. e kopanyang sentence* "ka 'mona" le *sentence* "ka re."

ka = *con. pron., 1st pers. sing., e kopanyang verb* "re" le *nomin. ea eona (und.).*

re = *Ind. Mood, Past Tense, ea verb* "ho re."

jo 'na = *interjection.*

o = *con. pron., 3rd pers., 1st cl. sing., e kopanyang verb* "tla oa" le *noun ea eona (und.).*

tla oa = *Ind. Mood, Future tense, ea verb* "ho oa."

habohloko = *adverb e etsang modify verb* "tla oa."

\* HLAKISO EA 69.

Etsang *parsing* ea *sentences* tsena :

1 Ntja ea hao e bolaile katse ea ka. 2 Motho o motle ha a rori-soa ke ba bang. 3 Bohloko ba seeta bo utluoa ke leoto. 4 Seqatamajoana ha se lleloe, ke sa balisana. 5 Ngoana ea sa lleng o shoela tharing. 6 Ntho e hlajoang joalo e bitsoa thatho, e hlajoa ka lema-

oana le bitsoang lehlabo leo ba lohang liroto ka lona. 7 Mehlang ea khale bashemane ha ba rereloa lebollo, ba ne ba lemelo a mabele ka selemo se seng, ba ntano bolotsoa ka selemo sa bobeli ho mabele ao ba a lemetsoeng. 8 Ha moroetsana a isoa bohali, o neoa melao ke baholo ba hae, eo ka eona a tšoanetseng ho ea hlonepa bomatsal'ae. 9 E, ka 'nete, u tla tseba Basotho hantle mekhoeng ea bona, joaleka ha ho tsejoa sefate ka litholoana tsa sona. 10 Mohlankana ha a na a qosa lenyalo ho baholo ba hae, o na a tšoanetse ho raha moritšoana. 11 Eare hobane a itokise joalo, a tsoela ntle; a ema, a re tlekelele. 12 A ithuta puo ea bona kapele, 'me a tseba ho buisana le bona.

## KHAOLO EA II. ANALYSIS EA SENTENCES

§ 124. **Sentence** ke mantsoe a kopantsoeng ka mokhoa oa hore a bolele taba e 'ngoe e utloahalang, e tletseng.

Ha ke re: *mosali eo e motle*, ha kea bolela taba e tletseng, e utloahalang ruri, empa ha ke re: *mosali eo e motle o tla nyaloa ke Lebuso*, eba ke boletse taba e utloahalang, e tletseng, eba ke *sentence*.

§ 125. Ho etsa **analysis** ea *sentence* ke ho e arola ka mokhoa oo re ka bonang kamoo e bōpiloeng kateng, le hore e na le likarolo life. *Analysis* ke ho re: ho arola.

§ 126. *Sentence* e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe e na le likarolo tse peli tse kholo, tseo re ka li tšoantšang ka hloho le 'mele; karolo tseo tse peli ke *Subject* le *Predicate*.

1. **Subject** ke lentsoe le bolelang ntho eo re buang litaba tsa eona.

2. **Predicate** ke lentsoe (kapa mantsoe) le hlaosang seo re se bolelang holim'a ntho eo.

Ha re nka *sentence* ena: *likhomo lia fula*, re ka e arola joana: **Subject**: *likhomo*; **Predicate**: *lia fula*.

Re bua ka *likhomo*, ka hoo "*likhomo*" ke *subject*; re bolela hore *lia fula*, ka hoo "*lia fula*" ke *predicate*.

§ 127. *Simple Sentence* (ke ho re *sentence* e bolelang taba e le 'ngoe), e na le:

1. *Subject* e le 'ngoe, 2. *verb* e le 'ngoe (ka ntle ho *Infinitive*), joaleka: *moea oa foka*; *pula ea na*; *batho ba tsamaea*.

**Temoso.**—Ha eba *Sentence* e etsoa ka *verb* “*ho ba*”, verb eo e ka ba *understood*, joaleka : *likhomo tseo li ntle*.

HLAKISO EA 70.

Beang *predicate* ka mora' *subjects* tsena :

I Batho ... 2 Lipere ... 3 Sefate ... 4 Lehloa ... 5 Ntate ...  
6 Bosiu ... 7 Tau ... 8 Linku ... 9 Morena ... 10 Bana ...  
11 Moruti ... 12 Pitsa ...

HLAKISO EA 71.

Beang *subjects* pel'a *predicates* tsena :

I ... ba bua. 2 ... lea chaba. 3 ... e nele. 4 ... ea kutoa.  
5 ... o buile. 6 ... li nonne. 7 ... e tla ratoa. 8 ... sea mela.  
9...ea hahuoa. 10...tsa matha. 11...boa phehuoa. 12 ... ba ithuta.

HLAKISO EA 72.

Arolang *sentence* e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe ka *subject* le *predicate*.

I Basali ba tsamaile. 2 Uena u tle. 3 Bosiu bo tla sa. 4 Kho-  
mo e lahlehile. 5 Ntate o mpitsitse. 6 Litau lia puruma. 7 Ntsi-  
ntsi ea rura. 8 Joang bo ponne. 9 Liphoofole lia noa. 10 Pere  
e ne e raha. 11 Khoeli e bolile. 12 Ntja ea loma.

### Subject

\* § 128. *Subject* e ka ba *simple* kapa *enlarged*. **Simple Subject** (e etsoang ka ntsoe le le leng feela), e ka ba *noun*, kapa *pronoun*, joaleka : *lipere lia matha* ; *eena o tlile* ; *bao ba tsamaile*.

*Simple Subject* e ka ba *enlarged* (e ka lelefa-  
tsoa) :

1 Ka *adjective*, kapa *noun* e sebelisoang mosebetsi  
oa *adjective*.

2 Ka *noun* kapa *pronoun* ka mora' *possessive particle*.

3 Ka *noun* in *apposition* (1).

4 Ka lentsoe lefe le lefe (*noun, demonstrative* kapa  
*indefinite pronoun*) le sebelisoang mosebetsi oa *adjective*.

Joaleka : *Morena* e moholo o *tlile* ; *motho ea mosa o fihlile* : *ntat'a Lerata oa kula* ; *mora oa hae o tlile* ; *ntate Filemone o shoele* ; *lipere tseo li rekiloe* ; *likhomo tsohle li lahlehile*.

(1) *Noun* ha e eketsoa ka *noun* ea bobeli e bolelang taba e le 'ngoe, joaleka : *morena Masopha, ntate Nakasi, noun* eo ea bobeli e bitsoa *apposition*.



HLAKISO EA 73.

Bolelang mantsoe ao e leng *enlargement's tsa subject*.

I Lipere tsa ka tse tšoeu li rekilibe ke Makhooa. 2 Morena Masopha o shoela ka 1898. 3 Monna eona o tlile ho sebeisa ha ka. 4 Mora oa hao o lisiise mabele a ka. 5 Banna bohle ba Lesotho ba tšjanetse ho ntša lekhetso.

\* § 129. Mohlomong *subject* e ka ba sieo, empa ho ka bonoa hantle hore na ke efe e tšoanetseng ho ba teng (ho thoe: e *understood*, ke ho re, e khopolong ea motho, leha a sa e bolele ka molomo). Ha ho thoe: *mosali oa hao o tlile, empa oa ka o sa le sieo*, batho kaofela ba tseba hore, ha ho thoe, *oa ka*, ke ho re: *mosali oa ka*. Ha ho thoe: *ba tlile* ho tsejoa hantle hore, re bolela batho bao re tsoa bua ka bona.

Ha ho thoe: *boa sa*, ho tsejoa hore *subject* e *understood* ke *bošiu*. Ha ho thoe: *e n'le*, *subject* e *understood* ke *pula*; *le sele*, *subject* e *understood* ke *leholimo*; *le lumile*, *subject* e *understood* ke *letsolo*. joalo-joalo.

**Temoso.** — Ha ho etsoa *parsing* ea *sentence* eo: *le khethchile*, ho tla etsoa joana:

**le** = *connect. pron., 3rd pers. 3rd class sing., e konyang verb "khethehile" le nominative ea eona (und.) "lehloa."*

Ha ho etsoa analysis ho ka etsoa joana: *Subject: (lehloa, und.); Predicate: le khethchile.*

**Predicate.**

\* § 130. *Predicate* e etsoa: I ka *verb* e 'ngoe e nang le *connective pronoun* ea eona. joaleka: batho ba tla; ntate o tsamaile; kapa: 2, ka *copulative verbs* ho ba le ho ka, *noun, adjective, pronoun adverb* kapa *phrase* (ke ho re: *noun, adjective, adverb, pronoun* e etelloang pele ke *relative pronoun* kapa ke *possessive particle*), joaleka ngoana eo o tla ba motle; nku e ne e le teng; khomo tseo e tla ba tsa hao; ngoana eo o ka ntat'ae.

**Temoso.** — Ho 'ne ho hopoloe hore ho *Pres. Tense, Ind. Mood, verb "ho ba"* ha e boleloe (e *understood*), joaleka: *mosali eo o motle; sefate ha se eo; batho ba teng.*

Hape ho hopoloe hore ha *verb* "ho ba" e lateloa ke *noun*, eba ho *Present Tense, Ind. Mood*, ho sebetsoa ka *copulative particle* ke (kapa *hase*, ha *verb* e le *negative*), joaleka : *motho eo ke monna* ; *motho eo hase monna*.

Ho *Tenses* le *Moods* tse ling, *connective pronoun* e ba e ka mehla, joaleka : *motho eo e tla ba morena*.

Ha ho etsoa *arsing* ea *sentence* eo, ho ka thoe : **e : con. pron., 3rd pers., 5th cl. sing.,** e kopanyang *copulative verb* "tla ba" le *noun* ea eona "motho".

Ha ho etsoa *analysis*, ho ka thoe : *Subject* : *motho eo* ; *Predicate* : *e tla ba morena*.

\* HLAKISO EA 74.

Arolang *sentence* e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe ka *subject* le *predicate*, joalo :

<i>Subject</i>	<i>Predicate</i>
Mosali oa ka	o motie
Ntat'a Lesoli	o tsamaile

1 Monyako oa ntlo o butsoe. 2 Monna o tsamaile. 3 Khomo tsa ka li ntle. 4 Sefate seo ke moluoane. 5 Ba bang ba shoole. 6 U tlile neng koano? 7 Monna eo o mosa. 8 Tholoana tseo li monate. 9 Basali ba tena mese. 10 Letsa si le eme. 11 Baahi ba Lesotho ba bangata. 12 Lerumo leo le bohale.

### Object

\* § 131. Ha *predicate* e le *transitive verb* e ho *active voice* e ka ba le **Direct Object**.

*Direct object* eo ke *noun* kapa *pronoun*, kapa lentsoe lefe le lefe, leha e le *phrase* efe le efe e sebelisoang mosebetsi oa *noun*, joaleka : *morena o busa sechaba* ; *ntate o mo lelekile* ; *tichere e ruta ho bala* ; *ke tseba tsa hao* ; *ba bona likhomo*.

\* § 132. *Verbs* tse ling li ka ba le *direct object* tse peli ; tse joalo, haholo li *Causative* kapa *Directive*, joaleka : *batho bao ba u tsebisitse litaba* ; *ntate o re file nama* ; *tichere o ruta bana lipalo* ; *o re boleletse litaba*.

\* HLAKISO EA 75.

Bolelang *direct object* ho *sentences* tsena :

1 Ke bona likhomo. 2 Ba rata ho tsamaea. 3 Lipere li fula joang. 4 Mosali o sila lipabi. 5 U ja ljo tsa hao, 'na ke ja tsa ka. 6 O na a oka ba hlabalobeng. 7 Lerumo le ntlhabile. 8 Utseba'ng?

9 Ba palama lipere. 10 Ke utloile litaba. 11 Ke khetha tseo. 12 Ke ja tsohle. 13 Ba re bontša litaba. 14 O nkamohile pere. 15 Ke tla u alima chelete.

\* § 133. *Direct object* e ka ba **enlarged** (lelefatsoa), ka *adjective, possessive pronoun, etc.*, joaleka *subject*; joaleka : *ke rekile pere tse ntle*; *ke bone ntat'a Lebuso*; *ke ne ke tseba morena Masopha*; *o palama pere eo*; *ba ja lijo tsa bona*.

**Temoso.** — Ho lemohuoe hore *object* le eona e ka ba *understood*; joaleka : *u ja lijo tsa hao, 'na ke ja tsa ka* (ke ho re, *lijo tsa ka*).

\* HLAKISO EA 76.

Bolelang *enlargements* tsa *direct object* ho *sentences* tsena :

1 Batho bao ba ruile lipere tse ngata. 2 Re bone tau tse bohale. 3 Ntate o rekile nku e nonneng. 4 Basotho ba loanne lintoa tse telele. 5 Monna eo o hahile matlo a mabeli. 6 O u rutile lithuto tse molemo. 7 Johanne o bala buka e kholo. 8 Ba utsoitse lipere tse ngata tsa ntate. 9 Ke rata batho bohle. 10 Morena o lefisitse batho ba hae. 11 Molimo o bōpile lintho tsohle. 12 Ke u boleletse litaba tse ngata.

### Extension ea Predicate.

\* § 134. *Predicate* e ka ba **extended** (ekeletsoa), kapa *modified* (hlaloso), ka *adverb*, kapa ka lentsoe lefe le lefe, kapa mantsoe afe le afe a sebelisoang mosebetsi oa *adverb* (ke ho re, *noun* e etelloang pele ke *preposition, noun* ho *locative case, Infinitive, etc.*), joaleka : *re phela hamonate*; *re tlile ho reka lipere*; *bana bao ba tsamaea ka lipina*; *re tsoa nōkeng*; *ba tla fihla neng?* *ba tlile ka selemo se fetileng*.

\* § 135. *Extensions* tsa *predicate* li bolela *nako* (neng?), *sebaka* (hokae?); kapa *mokhoa* kapa *lebaka* (joang? ka baka la'ng?) la ketso eo *sentence* e e bolelang.

Ka hoo *extension* e ba tsa :

1. *Time* (nako); joaleka : *ke tla fihla hosasa*.

2. *Place* (sebaka), joaleka : *o ile mane*.

3. *Manner* le *cause* (mokhoa, lebaka), joaleka : *ba lutse hampe*.

\* HLAKISO EA 77.

Bolelang *extensions* tsa *predicate* ho *sentences* tseo, 'me le bolele hore na ke tsa nako, sebaka, kapa mokhoa (kapa lebaka).

1 Ke tla ea Natala. 2 Ba tla fihla hona moo ka veke e tlang  
3 Batho bao ba sebetsa ka matla. 4 Kajeno Basotho ba se ba lema ka lipлуу. 5 Boea bo bongata maloting. 6 U tla mpheta hakae?  
7 Ba tsamaile hang-hang feela. 8 Ngoana eo o lutse kammoho.  
9 Bana ba ea sekolong motšoare. 10 Le tšile ke'ng ho mpolaea?  
11 Moshoeshoe o na a ahile Thaba-Bosiu. 12 Ngoahola-kola ke ne ke le England.

\* Mehlala ea Analysis.

1. Molisana o isitse likhomo masimong.
2. Morena o re bitselitse ha hae maobane.
3. Lipere tseo li matha kapele.
4. Hosasane, re tla ea Morija.

<i>Subject.</i>	<i>Predicate.</i>	<i>Object.</i>	<i>Extension.</i>
1 Molisana	o isitse	likhomo	masimong
2 Morena	o bitseli- tse	re	ha hae maobane
3 Lipere tseo	li matha		kapele
4 (rōna)	re tla ea		hosasane Morija

HLAKISO EA 78.

\* Etsang *analysis* ea *sentences* tsena:

1 O akhetse thipa ka nōkeng. 2 'Mutlanyana o na a kene lekokong la tau. 3 Ka selemo se fetileng ke ne ke le Maseru.  
4 Balisana ba tla phunya mehoang hosasane. 5 U rata motho eo ke'ng? 6 Masimo a beile haholo Thabana-Morena. 7 Tsoa kapele. 8 Kajeno moruti o rutile halelele. 9 Lipina tseo li binoa hamonate haholo. 10 Lipere tsa rōna li khathetse habohloko. 11 Re tla tsamaea le uena. 12 Moea o no o foka hampe ka bosiu bona.

Complex Sentences.

\* § 136. Ho bitsoa **Complex Sentence**, *sentence* eo e seng *sentence* e le 'ngoe feela, empa e na le *sentences* tse ling tse bitsoang *subordinate* (tse busoang), kapa *de-*

*pendent* (tse okameloang), tse kopaneng le *sentence* e kholo (*principal sentence*) ka mokhoa oo li etsang ntho e le 'ngoe, e ke keng ea aroloa; joaleka: *o rata hore ke tle*; *a fihla hobane ke tlohe*; *ke ea moo u ileng teng*.

*Sentences* tseo tse nyenyane, tseo *sentence* e kholo e etsoang ka tsona, li bitsoa *clauses* (sentencenyana).

**Temoso.** — *Sentence* tseo li *complex*, ka hobane li entsoe, e 'ngoe le e 'ngoe, ka *clauses* tse kopaneng haholo. Ho *sentence* ena:

1. *O rata hore ke tle*, ho na le *clauses* tsena: "*o rata*", "*ke tle*"; 'me li kopanngoa ka *conjunction* *hore*.

2. *A fihla hobane ke tlohe*, ho na le *clauses* tsena: "*a fihla*", "*ke tlohe*"; 'me li kopanngoa ka *conjunction* *hobane*.

3. *Ke ea moo u ileng teng*; *clauses* li peli le teng: "*ke ea*", "*u ile teng*"; li kopanngoa ka *conjunction* *moo*.

\* § 137. *Subordinate clauses* li kopanngoa le *principal clauses* ka *conjunction*, kapa ka *relative pronouns*; mohlomong li e latela feela, ho se *conjunction* e li kopanyang.

Ha re khetha *subordinate clauses* re ka re, li mefuta e meraro:

1 *Noun Clause*; 2 *Adjective Clause*; 3 *Adverbial Clause*.

Li khethoa ka ho ea ka mosebetsi oo li o etsang, tse ling li sebetsa mosebetsi oa *nouns*, tse ling oa *adjectives*, tse ling oa *adverbs*.

\* § 138. **Noun Clause** ke e sebetsang mosebetsi oo *noun* e o sebetsang.

*Noun Clause*, e ka ba:

1 *Subject* ea *clause* e 'ngoe; joaleka: *ha u e-tla koano ho tla ba hotle* (ho joaleka ha ho thoe: **ho tla ha hao koano ho tla ba hotle**).

2 E ka ba *predicate* e latelang *verb* "*ho ba*"; joaleka: *taba e batlehang ke hore a tle koano* (ho joaleka ha ho ka thoe: *taba e batloang ke ho tla ha hae koano*).

3 E ka ba *direct object* ea *verb* e 'ngoe; joaleka: *ke rata hore u tle koano*.

4 E ka latela *possessive particle*; joaleka: *ha ke na sebaka sa hore ke etse joalo; o na a mo neile taelo ea hore a tsamaee.*

\* HLAKISO EA 79.

Bolelang *noun sentences* :

1 Re utloile lesinano la hore o bohloko. 2 Ke rata ha u ka tla koano. 3 U no u itse u ke ke ua tla. 4 O na a sa tsebe hore ke mang. 5 Re tseba hobane re tla shoa. 6 O na a hopotse hore re tla finla kajeno. 7 Moo u eang ke hokae? 8 Ha ke tsebe kamoo a etsang kateng. 9 Joale ke ha a tla tla koano.

\* § 139. **Adjective Clause** ke *clause* e sebetsang mosebetsi oa *adjective*, oa ho etsa *qualify noun* e 'ngoe; joaleka: *ke rata lipere tse mathang hantle; ba lemile lifate tse beang haholo.*

*Adjective clause* e qala ka mehla ka *relative pronoun* kapa *demonstrative pronoun*, 'me e beoa ho *Relative Mood*; mohlomong e ka qala ka *relative adverb* e kang moo; joaleka: *ke bone moo a ipatileng teng (= sebaka seo a ipatileng ho sona).*

\* HLAKISO EA 80.

Bolelang *adjective sentences*.

1 Ke bone bashanyana ba palameng lipere. 2 Ba rekile nku e nonneng. 3 Bana bao ke ba rutang ba bangata haholo. 4 Morena o mphile lijo tse butsoitseng hantle. 5 A nkenya moo ho nong ho se na motho. 6 Ha ke tsebe litaba tseo u mpoellang tsona. 7 Batho ba sebetsang hantle, ba tla fumana moputso. 8 Lebaka ke lefe leo u mputsitseng ka lona? 9 Morena o na a tsamaea le banna ba hlometseng. 10 Stefane ha a ka a kh'loa ke seo u 'moleletseng sona.

\* § 140. **Adverbial Clause** e sebetsa mosebetsi oa *adverb*, ke ho re, oa ho etsa *modify verb, adjective, kapa adverb.*

Ka ha *adverbs* e le tsa *time* (nako), *place* (sebaka), *manner* (mokhoa); ka mokhoa o joalo *adverbial clauses* ke tsa *time, place* kapa *manner*; joaleka: *o tlile hoba ke tsamaee (adv. clause of time); o tlile moo ke neng ke le teng (adv. clause of place); o tlile a sa tsebe*

(*adv. clause of manner*); o tlike hobane ke ne ke 'mitsa  
(*adv. clause of manner*). (1)

\* HLAKISO EA 81.

Bolelang *adverbial clauses*, le bolele hore na ke tsa *time, place, kapa manner or cause*.

1 Hoba ntoa e fele o ile a tla koano. 2 Ke sa rata ho ea moo ke hopotseng teng. 3 Taba tseo li bohloko, hoba ha li fele. 4 Ba tla sebetsa kamoo ba sa hopoleng kateng. 5 Eare ha bo e-sa, a be a tsoile meeling ea Lesotho. 6 Bosiu ba e-sa a se a le hole. 7 A matha haholo hore a tlohe motseng oo o mobe. 8 Ha motho a le moo holim'a lithaba tseo, o na a ka bona hole. 9 Ho tla ba joang ha ke fihla? 10 Eare hobane a ipehe joalo ho Morena, a robala boroko bo bolelele. 11 A fihla ke e-s'o be teng. 12 A makatsoa ke lintho tsohle, hobane ho eena li be li le ncha.

\* HLAKISO EA 82.

Bolelang *subordinate clauses*, le hore na ke *noun, adjective kapa adverbial clauses*.

1 Ha ke ile khotla, lekhotla la re, ngoan'eso a ee ha habo, a se ke a ntsekisa lintho tseo ke li filoeng ke ntate. 2 Hoba ntate a hlokahale, ke buile le 'mè, ka re, ke ntša likhomo, ke reka linku. 3 E-re ka ha e ne e se e le mantsiboea, letsatsi la mo thusa ka ho likela. 4 Ka motsotso oo a ikutloa hore o phonyohile. 5 Le ka etsa ka 'na kamoo le hopotseng. 6 Batho ba tla hammoho le mosali oa hae ea neng a se a roetse thapo. 7 Ke oona mokhoa oo a phonyohileng ka oona matsohong a malimo. 8 Kea kholoa hore e mong le e mong o tla utloisisa taba eo ke e boletseng. 9 Sehlōhō se fetisang ke ha ba lahla bana ba bona. 10 Ke sitoa ho botsa potso eo, hoba e mong o se a e botsitse. 11 Ke leboha ha le mphile mosebetsi. 12 Re ka be re buile, hojane u re botsitse.

**Mehlala ea Analysis ea Complex Sentence.**

Hape, ntoeng, ngoan'abo motho ea hlabiloeng o ee a lumele kapele hore le eena tsatsi leo e hle e mpe e be la hae joalo, kamoo a ikutloang hore a ke ke a feta ngoan'abo.

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(1) Ka 'ng'e 'ngoe, e ka bitsoa *adverbial clause of cause*, empa ho tla lekana ha re sa khethe *manner le cause*, re ntse re li bitsa ka bitso le le leng feela la "*manner*" (mokhoa).

Clause	Kind of Clause	Connect.	Subjct	Predicate	Object	Ext. n.
a) Hape, ntoeng, ngoan'abo motho o ee a lumele kapele	Prin. clause		ngoan'a-bo motho	o ee a lumele		hape, ntoeng kapele
b) ea hlabiloeng	Adj. clau. e hla-losang "ngoa-n'abo motho" (a)	ea	(motho) und.	ea hlabiloeng		
c) hore le eena letsatsi leo e hle empe e be la hae joalo	Noun clause, obj. ea "o ee a lumele" (a)	hore	letsatsi leo	e hle empe e be la hae le eena		joalo
d) kamoo a iku-tloang	Adv. clause (of manner) eetsang modify "o ee a lumele" (a)	kamoo	(eena) und.	a iku-tloang		
e) hore a ke ke a feta ngoan'abo.	Noun clause obj. ea "iku-tloang" (d)	hore	(eena) und.	a ke ke a feta	ngoan'abo	



Etsang *analysis ea sentences* tse na :

1. Phuthi e anyesa lelinyane la eona ka meso, ha e tšaba hore litsomi li se ke tsa e raka e e-so ho le anyese. 2 Mofere-ferèng ofe le ofe o le qhalang, le batlana le ngoan'eno. 3 Ho thoe, litsietsing tsa hao u n'o ipeha ho eo u mo tšepang, a tle a u llele letsetse, ha u lla ka seo u nang le sona. 4 Ha eba ba lumela le morali oà bona, ba tla tlotsa leqosa ka mafura, e be pontšo ea hore ba lumetse taba tsa hae. 5 Ha moroetsana a isoa bohali, o neoa melao ke baholo ba hae, eo ka eona a tšoanetseng ho ea hlompha ba habo monna ea mo nyetseng. 6 A leke kahohle kamoo a ka tsebang ho khahlisa monna oa hae, le bao a tsoetsoeng ke bona, joaleka ha eka o tsoetsoe tlung eo.

### Compound Sentence.

\* § 141. Ho bitsoa **Compound Sentence**, *sentence* e bōpiloeng ka *clauses* tse peli tse *principal* (kapa *independent*, ke ho re tseo e 'ngoe e sa busoeng ke e 'ngoe ea tsona); joaleka: *ke tlile koano, empa ha kea ka ka u bona*. *Clauses* tse peli tseo li bitsoa *coordinate* (tse tsamaeang hammoho).

*Coordinate Clauses* li kopanngoa ka *conjunctions* tse kang: *athe, kapa, empa, 'me*, etc.

Mohlomong li latelana ho se *conjunctions*; joaleka: *ba tsamaea, ba ea hole*.

### \* HLAKISO EA 84.

Bolelang *coordinate le complex sentences*.

1 Ke ile ha hao, empa ka fumana u le sieo. 2 Ba ile ba loana 'me ba ntšana kotsi hampe. 3 Ke ne ke rata ho ea Maseru, athe ke lahlehile. 4 Na o tla tla, kapa ha a tl'o tla? 5 Bana bao ba ea sekolong hosasa, 'me ba tsoa motšoare. 6 Pula e nele kajeno, empa hosasane le tla sa. 7 O na a li roka butle, hore batho ba se tšohe ba utloa, le tsona eaka lia tseba, tsa khutsa, tsa re tu.



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