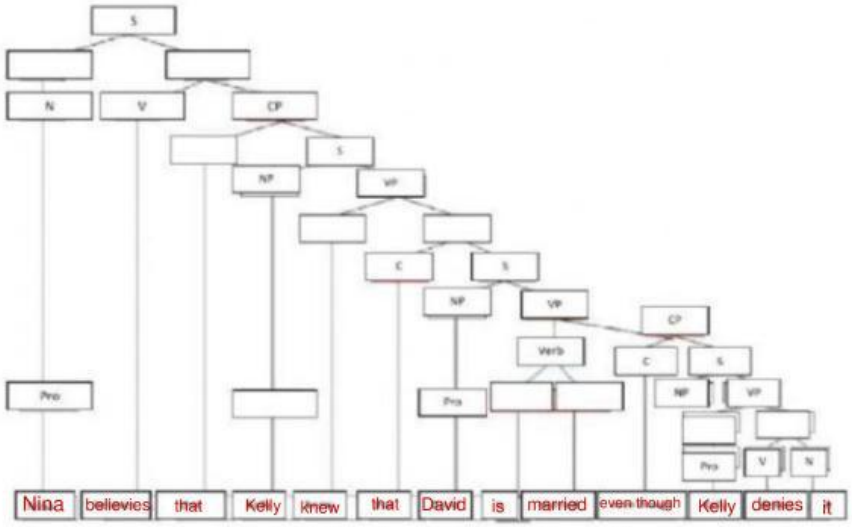
TEST 1: SYNTAX

Syntantic Analysis

I. Sentence: Nina believes that Kelly knew that David is married even though Kelly denies it.

INSTRUCTIONS: Analyze the sentence and write the type of phrases or part of speech. Use the following abbreviations.

S (Sentence) **NP** (Noun Phrase) **VP** (Verb Phrase) **N** (Noun) **V** (verb) **CP** (Complementizer phrase) **Pro** (Pronoun or Proper Noun) **Det** (Determiner) **Art** (Article) **Adj** (Adjective) **Aux** (Auxiliary verb)



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II.

Identify the following lexical categories in the passage below: (a) nouns, (b) adjectives, (c) degree adverbs, (d) general adverbs, and (e) prepositions.

On the court, she openly displayed a perfectly outrageous cheek towards the officials who had recently been appointed by the club. At home, she was an incredibly warm and loving human being, full of sensitivity for people's feelings.

NOUNS:

ADJECTIVES:

DEGREE ADVERBS:

GENERAL ADVERBS:

PREPOSITIONS:

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III. Identify the major functions in the following sentences [subject (S), verb group (Vgrp), direct object (dO), indirect object (iO), subject complement (SC), object complement (OC) and prepositional complement (PC)] Vgrp: [intens], [trans], [ditrans], [complex], [intrans], [prep]

1.(1) [The girl in the palace] [had dyed] [her hair] [deep purple].

(2) [The balloons] [are ascending].

(3) [Richard] [has promised] [me] [his spaghetti machine]

(4) [This sedan-chair] [should prove] [useful].

(5) [Someone] [has stolen] [my contact lenses].

(6) [It] [doesn't sound] [much fun].

(7) [The candidate's antics] [did not amuse] [the board of examiners].

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(8) [The committee] [nominated] [her] [Acrobat of the Year].

(9) [Egbert] [has been feeding] [the cat] [smoked salmon].

(10) [I] [would like] [my curry] [as hot as you can make it].

(11) [We] [don't allude] [to his third ear].

(12) [The main witness for the prosecution] [has disappeared].

(13) [He] [has applied] [for a gun licence].

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