



the Resultant Aspect

® the resultant aspect

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the past tense

the present tense

the future tense

Aspect

In grammar, aspect is a category of a verbal form or a verbal group that indicates continuousness, repetition, result, completedness, or timeliness. It is often considered that the English language has two aspects: 'the continuous aspect' (also known as 'the progressive aspect') and 'the perfect aspect' (also known as 'the perfective aspect'). The continuous aspect emphasizes [1] ↯ incomplete action or ♥ incomplete state [of mind], i.e. ↯ action or ♥ the state [of mind] that was, is, or will be continuous. The perfect aspect emphasizes [2] ↯ complete action or ♥ complete state [of mind], i.e. ↯ action or ♥ the state [of mind] that was, has been, or will be completed.

I reclassify 'the perfect aspect' into '⌚ the timely aspect' and '® the resultant aspect'.

⌚ The timely aspect emphasizes that ↯ the action happened, happens, or will happen or ♥ the state [of mind] was true, is true, or will be true at ⌚ a specific time in the past, ⌚ the time of speaking, ⌚ all times, or ⌚ a specific time in the future.

® The resultant aspect emphasizes that ↯ the action had happened, has happened, or will have happened or ♥ the state [of mind] had been true, has been true, or will have been true before ⌚ a specific time in the past, ⌚ the time of speaking, or ⌚ a specific time in the future.

Even though that 'I did it yesterday.' and 'I have done it.' are both ↯ complete actions, the first example, i.e. 'I did it yesterday.', emphasizes the time of ↯ action, and the second example, i.e. 'I have done it.', emphasizes the final ® result. The first example emphasizes that ↯ the action happened at ⌚ a specific time in the past, and the second example emphasizes that ↯ the action has happened before ⌚ the time of speaking.

It would not be easy to elucidate such somewhat subtle difference with only one term, i.e. 'the perfect aspect'.

Tense

In grammar, tense is a category of a verbal form or a verbal group that indicates time, i.e. ⌚ the past time, ⌚ the present time, or ⌚ the future time. Some people believe that the English language has only two tenses (⌚ the past tense and ⌚ the present tense) because in the English language (unlike, for example, in French, Spanish, or Italian) ⌚ the future tense cannot be expressed by a single verbal form; however, in the English language, ⌚ the future tense can be expressed by a verbal group, i.e. an appropriate modal verb and a verbal form or forms, e.g. 'I will do it tomorrow.'. In 'I will do it tomorrow.', 5th 'will' is the modal verb and 'do' is the main verb: 'will do' indicates ⌚ the future time and therefore it is the equivalent of ⌚ the future tense.

Time

Time is the continuous progress of existence in which the possible future events or the possible future realities pass through the present and become the actual past events or the actual past realities.

the Resultant Aspect

® The resultant aspect is a category of a verbal group that indicates ® result. ® The resultant aspect is interwoven with either ⌚ the past tense, ⌚ the present tense, or ⌚ the future tense. When ® the resultant aspect is interwoven with ⌚ the past tense, they jointly emphasize ® result before a specific time in the past. When ® the resultant aspect is interwoven with ⌚ the present tense, they jointly emphasize ® result before the time of speaking. When ® the resultant aspect is interwoven with ⌚ the future tense, they jointly emphasize ® result before a specific time in the future.

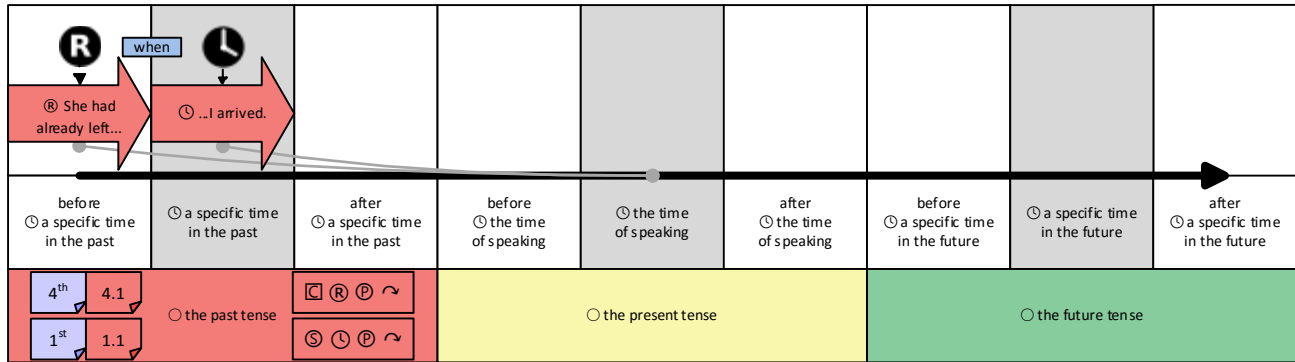
Examples

The underneath example, i.e. 'She had already left when I arrived.', is a combination of 4th the 4th Compound Resultant Past Active Interweavement and 1st the 1st Simple Timely Past Active Interweavement. The main clause, i.e. 'she had already left', is in 4th the 4th Compound Resultant Past Active Interweavement; and the subordinate clause, i.e. 'when I arrived', is in 1st the 1st Simple Timely Past Active Interweavement.

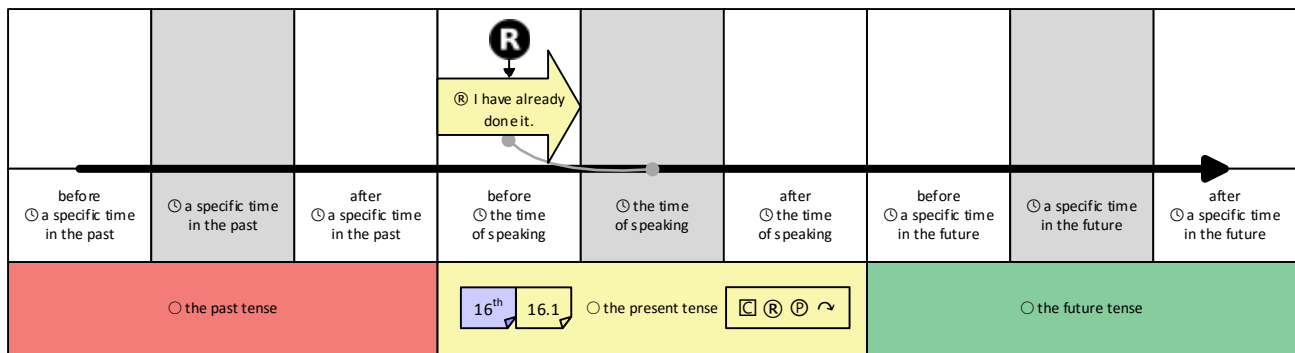
47th The subordinating conjunction 'when' 47th C47.1 is used to introduce the subordinate clause that indicates ⌚ a specific time before which the event that is described in the main clause had happened, i.e. the main clause had happened before the subordinate clause happened.

The subordinate clause 'when I arrived' is in 1st the 1st Simple Timely Past Active Interweavement, which 1st 1.1 [in 1st the indicative mood] is used to indicate [in + the positive] that the subject performed the action at ⌚ a specific time in the past (⌚ the specific time in the past is established by 1st the 1st interweavement).

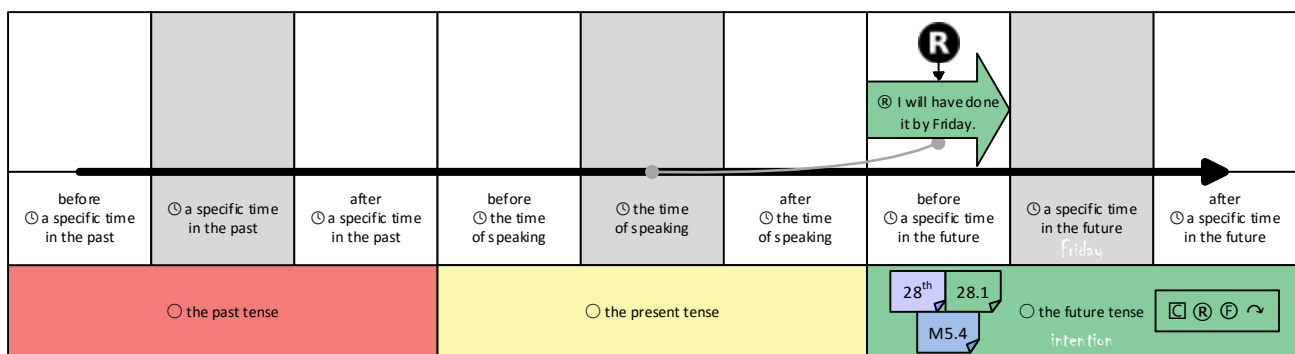
The main clause 'she had already left' is in 4th the 4th Compound Resultant Past Active Interweavement, which 4th 4.1 [in 1st the indicative mood] is used to indicate [in + the positive] that the subject Ⓜ had performed Ⓜ the action before Ⓜ a specific time in the past Ⓜ the specific time in the past is established by 1st the 1st interweavement, i.e. Ⓜ the subordinate clause 'when I arrived'.



The underneath example, i.e. 'I have already done it.', is in 16th the 16th Compound Resultant Present Active Interweavement, which emphasizes Ⓜ the present result, and which 16th 16.1 [in 1st the indicative mood] is used to indicate [in + the positive] that the subject Ⓜ has performed Ⓜ the action before Ⓜ the time of speaking. Ⓜ The present tense, Ⓜ the resultant aspect, and Ⓜ the active voice are interwoven into 16th the 16th interweavement, jointly emphasizing Ⓜ result before the time of speaking.















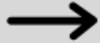













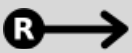

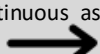
The underneath example, i.e. 'I will have done it by Friday.', is in 28th the 28th Compound Resultant Future Active Interweavement, which 28th 28.1 [in 1st the indicative mood] is used to indicate [in + the positive] that the subject → will have performed Ⓜ the action before Ⓜ a specific time in the future. Ⓜ The specific time in the future is established by the adverbial of time/deadline 'by Friday', which is introduced by the preposition 'by'. Ⓜ The future tense, Ⓜ the resultant aspect, and Ⓜ the active voice are interwoven into 28th the 28th interweavement, jointly emphasizing Ⓜ result before a specific time in the future.
















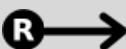




















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























Please note that all aforementioned examples are in Ⓜ the active voice, i.e. 4th, 16th, and 28th. Ⓜ The resultant aspect can be used in Ⓜ the passive voice, i.e. 5th, 17th, and 29th, and in = the complementary state, i.e. 6th, 18th, and 30th as well.

	past tense  active voice 	present tense  active voice 	future tense  active voice 
simple or compound structure   timely aspect 	1 st the 1 st Simple Timely Past Active Interweavement	13 th the 13 th Simple Timely Present Active Interweavement	25 th the 25 th Compound Timely Future Active Interweavement
compound structure  resultant aspect 	4 th the 4 th Compound Resultant Past Active Interweavement	16 th the 16 th Compound Resultant Present Active Interweavement	28 th the 28 th Compound Resultant Future Active Interweavement
compound structure  resultant continuous aspect 	7 th the 7 th Compound Resultant Continuous Past Active Interweavement	19 th the 19 th Compound Resultant Continuous Present Active Interweavement	31 st the 31 st Compound Resultant Continuous Future Active Interweavement
compound structure  continuous aspect 	10 th the 10 th Compound Continuous Past Active Interweavement	22 nd the 22 nd Compound Continuous Present Active Interweavement	34 th the 34 th Compound Continuous Future Active Interweavement

	past tense  passive voice 	present tense  passive voice 	future tense  passive voice 
compound structure  timely aspect 	2 nd the 2 nd Compound Timely Past Passive Interweavement	14 th the 14 th Compound Timely Present Passive Interweavement	26 th the 26 th Compound Timely Future Passive Interweavement
compound structure  resultant aspect 	5 th the 5 th Compound Resultant Past Passive Interweavement	17 th the 17 th Compound Resultant Present Passive Interweavement	29 th the 29 th Compound Resultant Future Passive Interweavement
compound structure  resultant continuous aspect 	8 th the 8 th Compound Resultant Continuous Past Passive Interweavement	20 th the 20 th Compound Resultant Continuous Present Passive Interweavement	32 nd the 32 nd Compound Resultant Continuous Future Passive Interweavement
compound structure  continuous aspect 	11 th the 11 th Compound Continuous Past Passive Interweavement	23 rd the 23 rd Compound Continuous Present Passive Interweavement	35 th the 35 th Compound Continuous Future Passive Interweavement

		past tense  complement  	present tense  complement  	future tense  complement  		
simple or compound structure   timely aspect 	3 rd	the 3 rd Simple Timely Past Complementary Interweavement	15 th	the 15 th Simple Timely Present Complementary Interweavement	27 th	the 27 th Compound Timely Future Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant aspect 	6 th	the 6 th Compound Resultant Past Complementary Interweavement	18 th	the 18 th Compound Resultant Present Complementary Interweavement	30 th	the 30 th Compound Resultant Future Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant continuous aspect 	9 th	the 9 th * Compound Resultant Continuous Past Complementary Interweavement	21 st	the 21 st * Compound Resultant Continuous Present Complementary Interweavement	33 rd	the 33 rd * Compound Resultant Continuous Future Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  continuous aspect 	12 th	the 12 th * Compound Continuous Past Complementary Interweavement	24 th	the 24 th * Compound Continuous Present Complementary Interweavement	36 th	the 36 th * Compound Continuous Future Complementary Interweavement

		past tense  active voice 	past tense  passive voice 	past tense  complement  		
simple or compound structure   timely aspect 	1 st	the 1 st Simple Timely Past Active Interweavement	2 nd	the 2 nd Compound Timely Past Passive Interweavement	3 rd	the 3 rd Simple Timely Past Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant aspect 	4 th	the 4 th Compound Resultant Past Active Interweavement	5 th	the 5 th Compound Resultant Past Passive Interweavement	6 th	the 6 th Compound Resultant Past Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant continuous aspect 	7 th	the 7 th Compound Resultant Continuous Past Active Interweavement	8 th	the 8 th Compound Resultant Continuous Past Passive Interweavement	9 th	the 9 th * Compound Resultant Continuous Past Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  continuous aspect 	10 th	the 10 th Compound Continuous Past Active Interweavement	11 th	the 11 th Compound Continuous Past Passive Interweavement	12 th	the 12 th * Compound Continuous Past Complementary Interweavement

	present tense  active voice 	present tense  passive voice 	present tense  complement 
simple or compound structure   timely aspect 	13 th the 13 th Simple Timely Present Active Interweavement	14 th the 14 th Compound Timely Present Passive Interweavement	15 th the 15 th Simple Timely Present Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant aspect 	16 th the 16 th Compound Resultant Present Active Interweavement	17 th the 17 th Compound Resultant Present Passive Interweavement	18 th the 18 th Compound Resultant Present Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant continuous aspect 	19 th the 19 th Compound Resultant Continuous Present Active Interweavement	20 th the 20 th Compound Resultant Continuous Present Passive Interweavement	21 st the 21 st * Compound Resultant Continuous Present Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  continuous aspect 	22 nd the 22 nd Compound Continuous Present Active Interweavement	23 rd the 23 rd Compound Continuous Present Passive Interweavement	24 th the 24 th * Compound Continuous Present Complementary Interweavement
	future tense  active voice 	future tense  passive voice 	future tense  complement 
compound structure  timely aspect 	25 th the 25 th Compound Timely Future Active Interweavement	26 th the 26 th Compound Timely Future Passive Interweavement	27 th the 27 th Compound Timely Future Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant aspect 	28 th the 28 th Compound Resultant Future Active Interweavement	29 th the 29 th Compound Resultant Future Passive Interweavement	30 th the 30 th Compound Resultant Future Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  resultant continuous aspect 	31 st the 31 st Compound Resultant Continuous Future Active Interweavement	32 nd the 32 nd Compound Resultant Continuous Future Passive Interweavement	33 rd the 33 rd * Compound Resultant Continuous Future Complementary Interweavement
compound structure  continuous aspect 	34 th the 34 th Compound Continuous Future Active Interweavement	35 th the 35 th Compound Continuous Future Passive Interweavement	36 th the 36 th * Compound Continuous Future Complementary Interweavement