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### EXERCISE SET 1

1. *AND* 5 POINTS

Tackle the exercise on p. 18 (Portner 2005).

2. TRUTH-CONDITIONS 5 POINTS

Tackle the exercise on p. 22 (Portner 2005), incl. the second paragraph suggestion.

3. *TALL* 10 POINTS

Tackle the exercise on p. 65 (Portner 2005).

4. ADJECTIVES 10 POINTS

Tackle the exercise on p. 67 (Portner 2005).

5. ADVERBS 10 POINTS

Tackle the exercise on p. 72 (Portner 2005).

6. NAMES 10 POINTS

Tackle the exercise on p. 85 (Portner 2005).

7. QUANTIFIERS 10 POINTS

Tackle the exercise on p. 119 (Portner 2005) for 10 determiners.

8. COMPOSITIONALITY 10 POINTS

Provide a full semantic analysis (in as much glorious detail as you can) for:

(1) The cat which is cute likes Joy.

9. RESEARCH 30 POINTS

Pick any topic of your choice and research issues in its / for semantics. Write up a report, with full illustration where appropriate, of between 1,000 and 1,500 words.