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- The book is divided in 4 parts:
- 1. Syntactic classification: inventory of all second tenses according to their syntactic position (autonomous or non-autonomous). Negative forms are studied and set up in their diachronic evolution.
- 2. Layout of the emphatic construct: after a discussion of the morphology of the second tenses, the author examines the ticklish problem of identifying the emphasized adjunct(s).
- 3. In the third part, she tried to figure out the importance of second tenses in the design of the strategy of communication, such as their role in the organization of a complex statement : meaning effects and role in questions, whether rhetorical or not.
- 4. The fourth part is devoted to modal forms, i.e. second



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