

Adjective Valence Online Database

Old Persian

Table: 2.1.11 nominative without adposition

adjective form	šiyāta
role frame	A.NOM.SG - A(šiyāta) - V(become)
suggested valency	jīva:šiyāta
primary text	jīva:šiyāta:bavatiy:utā:marta:artāvā:bavatiy
original orthography	
analyzed text	jīva šiyāta bavatiy utā marta artāvā bavatiy
gloss	living.NOM.SG.M happy.NOM.SG.M become.3.SG.PRES and dead.NOM.SG.M blessed.NOM.SG.M become.3.SG.PRES
translation	"he both becomes happy while living and becomes blessed while dead."
comments	Kent 1953:151 Valence complement in nominative case is a very unusual example. In this case, we cannot decide whether it was possible for Old Persian to use nominative as a complement as this is the only occurrence of such a feature. If the verb is underst
source	XPh 55-56



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