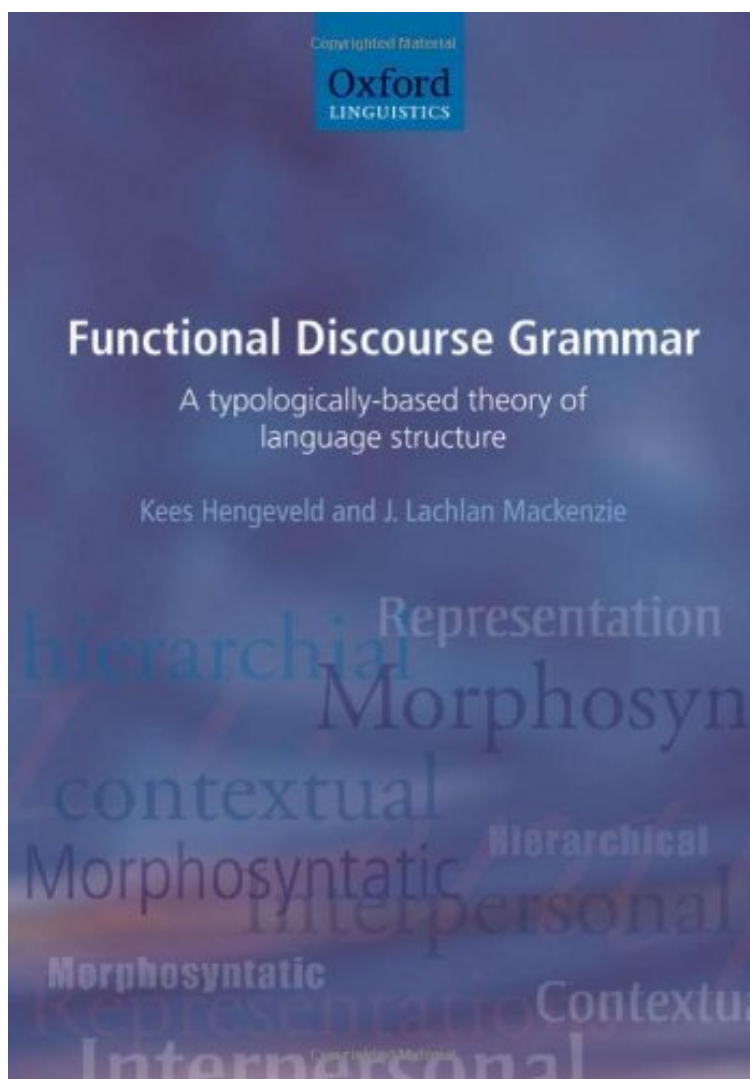


[Ebook free] File size: 38.Mb

# Functional Discourse Grammar: A Typologically-Based Theory of Language Structure



*Par Kees Hengeveld, J. Lachlan Mackenzie*  
*ePub | \*DOC | audiobook | ebooks |*  
*Download PDF*

Dtails sur le produit Publi le: 2008-09-15  
Sorti le: 2008-09-15  
Format: Ebook  
Kindle

[Ebook free] Functional Discourse  
Grammar: A Typologically-Based Theory  
of Language Structure

**Par Kees Hengeveld, J. Lachlan Mackenzie :**  
**Functional Discourse Grammar: A**  
**Typologically-Based Theory of Language**  
**Structure** before purchasing it in order to  
gauge whether or not it would be worth my  
time, and all praised Functional Discourse  
Grammar: A Typologically-Based Theory of  
Language Structure:

 **Download**

 **Read Online**

## Description :

Prsentation de l'diteurThis book is the first comprehensive presentation of Functional Discourse Grammar, a new and important theory of language structure. The authors set out its nature and origins and show how it relates to contemporary linguistic theory. They demonstrate and test its explanatory power and descriptive utility against linguistic facts from over 150 languages across a wide range of linguistic families. After a full introduction the book is divided into chapters concerned with the four levels of grammatical representation - pragmatic, semantic, morphosyntactic, and phonological - each of which has its own hierarchical structure.

Functional Discourse Grammar offers a thorough account of how the use and meaning of language influence linguistic form by conditioning two levels of formulation which feed into two levels of encoding, all with their own specific characteristics. The book offers an ideal introduction to the theory and its applications in typology and description for scholars in linguistics and related fields from graduate students upwards.

This book is the first comprehensive presentation of Functional Discourse Grammar, a new and important theory of language structure. The authors set out its nature and origins and show how it relates to contemporary linguistic theory. They demonstrate and test its explanatory power and descriptive utility against linguistic facts from over 150 languages across a wide range of linguistic families.

After a full introduction the book is divided into chapters concerned with the four levels of grammatical representation - pragmatic, semantic, morphosyntactic, and phonological - each of which has its own hierarchical structure. Functional Discourse Grammar offers a thorough account of how the use and meaning of language influence linguistic form by conditioning two levels of formulation which feed into two levels of encoding, all with their own specific characteristics. The book offers an ideal introduction to the theory and its applications in typology and description for scholars in linguistics and related fields from graduate students upwards.