
From: jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, August 12, 2016 4:14 AM
To: Noam Chomsky
Subject: Re:

You had the power to move the furniture she had the power to tell you when =nd where :)

It's your term as I see it Chomsky vs t=e dubes

Living systems need energy hence th=y FEED . Plants vegetables all try to protect themselves . =A0 Skin poisons , etc. I believe the best benefit to cost ratio =A0relies on Deception And to know the mind of the predator or prey = language is the tool . It allows a shared understanding of mental o=jcts , mental states and mental actions .
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On Thursday, 11 August 2016, Noam Chomsky & [REDACTED] <mailto:[REDACTED]> wrote=

Great t=rm. Can I plagiarize it?

I guess one could say that a l=on and a gazelle have competing powers, but it somehow seems misleading.=C2 All living systems? How about Valeria and I furnishing our apa=tment together (I became an expert on rugs)? Or Morris and I writing=a book together?

Interestingly, I finished off the brisket an= pretty much the corned beef but am saving the pastrami. Great musta=d and bread too. The only problem is that the dog goes berserk unles= I give her little pieces. Must have Jewish genes.

On Thu, Aug 11, 201= at 9:53 PM, jeffrey E. <jee=acation@gmail.com><javascript:_e(%7B=7D,'cvml','jeevacation@gmail.com');> wrote:

= will now credit you with the derivation. Do a new term. - Dubes =A0 Data usage based enthusiasts

On Thur=day, August 11, 2016, Noam Chomsky <[REDACTED]><javascript:_e(%7B%67D, L=;cvml',[REDACTED]);> wrote:

E=ery act is is power in some small way. But the sense relevant to tho=e who write about power -- Morgenthau, Russell, etc. -- is coercive power.=C2 Like my telling my dog right now that I can't play with her.
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How about putting an animal with a human auditory and visual syste= in the same room as a human infant -- a chimp for example. And see =f it can learn speech or sign the way the infant does. Acquisition o= speech and sign are remarkably simllar. And we know that even with =uge training efforts, which the infant doesn't

need at all, results for the chimp will be zero. But interestingly, the facts as usual have no interest to the data-processing usage-based enthusiasts.

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On Thu, Aug 11, 2016 at 8:48 PM, Jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:

Even if far it could=act as a North Star . , power has many properties those might =
some . Is the ability to care for many Power? Is the ability to find new medicines power .

How about a challenge that says put a thing in a room and see if can learn a language .?

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On Thursday, August 11, 2016, Noam Chomsky [REDACTED] wrote:

Thinking about it. Keep realizing that I'm not Hilbert, and linguistics isn't 20th century math. The exciting problems I can think of are either too far from current understanding, or too theory-internal for the general significance to be easily perceived.

</=iv>Meanwhile, ran across a nice definition of "power," thinking about an earlier letter that you may have forgotten. From Hans Morgenstern: Power in the international context is "that untamed and barbaric=force which finds its laws in nothing but its own strength and its sole justification in its own aggrandizement."

On Thu, Aug 11, 2016 at 8:50 AM, Jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:

five questions =n language. the chomsky challenge. . =C2 50k in prizes. ?
use the internet to reach the brightest minds ? why not?

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