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**Complex Predicates**  
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This book examines various linguistic phenomena and determines that certain constructions should be treated as complex predicates. Specifically, the book explores auxiliary and verb combinations in future, perfect, and passive constructions; causative constructions, verb complex constructions with raising and control verbs; subject and object predicates; depictive secondary predicates (1); resultative constructions (2); and particle verb combinations. The properties of all these constructions are studied on a broad empirical basis, mainly with data from German.

- (1) **Er ißt das Fleisch roh.**  
he eats the meat raw
- (2) **Er fährt das Auto kaputt / zu Schrott.**  
he drives the car broken to junk