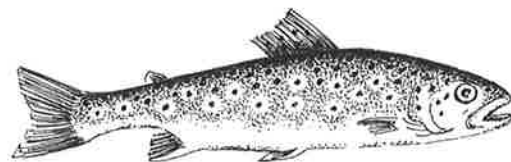


## Háttarsagnorðini

### 63. Set inn *shall* ella *should* § 217-219

- a \_\_\_\_\_ I open the window?  
b We \_\_\_\_\_ do it tomorrow.  
c The meeting \_\_\_\_\_ not take long.  
d What time \_\_\_\_\_ we come?  
e I think you \_\_\_\_\_ call your mother.  
f I \_\_\_\_\_ think he has found an answer by now.  
g If I \_\_\_\_\_ forget something, please let me know.  
h If you are a good boy, you \_\_\_\_\_ have an ice cream.



trout  
síl

- **Skal / skuldi** samsvarar ikki  
altíð við *shall / should*.  
Ofta nýta vit aðra málbering.

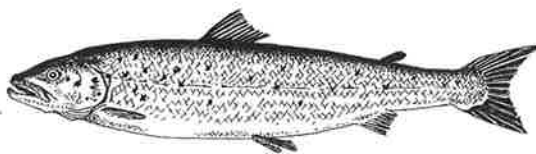
Vit **skuldu gista** á vallaraheiminum  
We *were (going) to stay* at the youth hostel

### 64. Umset til enskt § 220

- a Eg skal mæta henni klokkan 8. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
b Vit bíðaðu eftir, at bussurin skuldi koma. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
c Eg visti ikki, hvat eg skuldi gera. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### 65. Set inn *will* ella *would* § 222

- a He said he \_\_\_\_\_ do it.  
b He \_\_\_\_\_ be here in an hour.  
c They \_\_\_\_\_ come if you asked them.  
d \_\_\_\_\_ you please talk to him about it?  
e If it rains tomorrow, the match \_\_\_\_\_ be cancelled (avlýstur).  
f \_\_\_\_\_ you mind looking after my house while I'm away.  
g I remember your aunt. Every Sunday she \_\_\_\_\_ go to church.



salmon  
laksur

*Can* } kann merkja **at duga,**  
*Could* } **at vera fyrir fyrri.**

- Um einstakt avrik í tátíðini  
 nýta vit: *be able to*  
*manage to*

Noktandi kann tað eita:

- Í samansettum tíðum nýta vit  
 ein form av *be able to*.

He *can* speak French.  
 She *could* walk when she was ten months old.

He *was able to* get home before the rain started.  
 He *managed to* get home before ...

He *couldn't / wasn't able to* get home ...

He *hasn't been able to* do the job.  
 I wonder if he *will ever be able to* do it.

## 66. Set inn *can, could, managed to* ella ein form av *be able to* § 224 \*\*\*

- a (dugir at) He \_\_\_\_\_ walk on his hands.
- b (kláraði at) He \_\_\_\_\_ swim half way before he sank.
- c (dugdi at) She \_\_\_\_\_ swim when she was five.
- d (kláraðu at) They \_\_\_\_\_ pass the tests because they studied hard.
- e (kundu ikki) They \_\_\_\_\_ pay their *debt* (skuld).
- f (hefur ikki kunnað) He \_\_\_\_\_ pay me yet.
- g (skuldi kunnað) She \_\_\_\_\_ help you.

*Can / could* } kann merkja  
*May / might* } **at vera møguligt:**

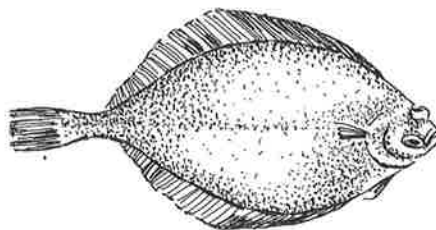
- Í samansettum tíðum nýta vit  
 ein form av *be possible to*

Anybody *can / could* join the club. (Tað er/var møguligt)  
 You *may / might* be right. (Tú hevur møguliga rætt)

It *hasn't been possible* for me to do the job.  
 One day it *will be possible* to travel to the stars.

## 67. Set inn *can* ella *could* § 224

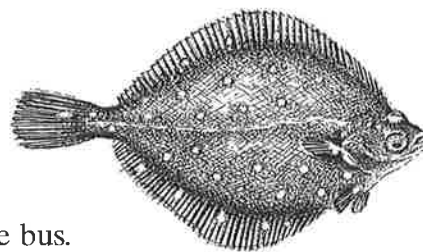
- a \_\_\_\_\_ I help you?
- b He said it \_\_\_\_\_ not be true.
- c Children \_\_\_\_\_ be very tiring.
- d I don't think this car \_\_\_\_\_ be repaired.
- e Do you think you \_\_\_\_\_ lend me some money?
- f It was a place where anything \_\_\_\_\_ happen.
- g Perhaps you \_\_\_\_\_ buy some milk when you go out?



*dab*  
 skrubba

68. Set inn *may* ella *might* § 226

I *may* / *might* be wrong (Might er óvissari enn *may*)



plaice  
reyðsprøka

- a It looks dark. We \_\_\_\_\_ have rain.
- b We thought that she \_\_\_\_\_ have missed the bus.
- c You \_\_\_\_\_ have told me that she wasn't coming.
- d He \_\_\_\_\_ have killed himself if you hadn't turned up.
- e This work \_\_\_\_\_ be difficult, but it is also very interesting.
- f He said that it \_\_\_\_\_ be his fault that everything went wrong.
- g She \_\_\_\_\_ act unwisely from time to time, but she is a good girl.

*Can* / *could* } verða nýtt um  
*May* / *might* } loyvi.

*Can* / *could* er vanligt talumál  
*May* / *might* er formligari mál

■ Tátíðarformarnir er hævískari

■ Um einstakt loyvi í tátíðini  
nýta vit *be allowed to*

■ Í samansettum tíðum eitur tað:

*Can* / *May* I borrow your car? (Kann eg...)

Yes, you *can*. / No, you *can't*.

Yes, you *may*. / No, I'm afraid you *may not*.

*Could* I use your phone, please? (Hevði eg kunnað...)

Yes, of course you *can*.

I wonder if I *might* use your phone (ógvuliga hævískt)

Yesterday, Peter *was allowed* to watch TV  
for an hour.

She *has always been allowed* to do as she pleases.  
I'm sure she *will be allowed* to go to the dance.

69. Set inn *can*, *could*, *may*, *might* ella ein form av *be allowed to* § 224-226 \*\*\*

- a \_\_\_\_\_ I have the butter, please?
- b She said I \_\_\_\_\_ come and see her as often as I liked.
- c Last night she \_\_\_\_\_ stay out late.
- d You \_\_\_\_\_ borrow as many books as you like.
- e He asked if he \_\_\_\_\_ have another piece of cake.
- f In Britain you \_\_\_\_\_ drive a car when you are seventeen.

■ He *cannot* / *can't* (Tað eitur ikki *can not*)

- **Must** og **have to** verða oftá nýtt hvørt um annað, men í summum förum er ein ávísur munur á týðninginum.

(Vegleiðandi reglur)

**Must** verður nýtt, tá ið okkurt er neyðugt, sannlíkt ella eyðsýnt.

Tann tosandi vísir **egnu áskoðan**.

**Have to** verður nýtt, tá ið onkur annar tók avgerðina, ella umstøðurnar krevja tað

■ Í tátíð nýta vit vanligu **had to** – í beinleiðis talu tó eisini **must**

■ Í samansettum tíðum nýta vit ein form av **have to**

Every man **must** do his duty.

The fingerprints proved that he **must** be the murderer.

Look at that man; he **must** be very old.

(Eg haldi, hann er gamal)

She **has to** wear glasses when reading.

(Eygnalæknin segði tað)

He **has to** sell his house.

They **had to** leave early.

He said that he **must** / **had to** go.

He **has had to** work a lot this week.

He **won't have to** work half as much next week.

## 70. Set inn **must** ella ein form av **have to** § 228 \*\*\*

- That \_\_\_\_\_ be the new teacher.
- Yesterday mother \_\_\_\_\_ work late.
- I \_\_\_\_\_ get up at six every morning.
- You \_\_\_\_\_ remember to buy milk on you way home.
- Many children in Britain \_\_\_\_\_ wear uniform at school.
- We couldn't repair the car ourselves. We \_\_\_\_\_ take it to a garage.
- You \_\_\_\_\_ work harder if you want to pass your examination.
- He hasn't been able to see me. He \_\_\_\_\_ work.
- You \_\_\_\_\_ be joking.

■ **Mustn't** = forboð

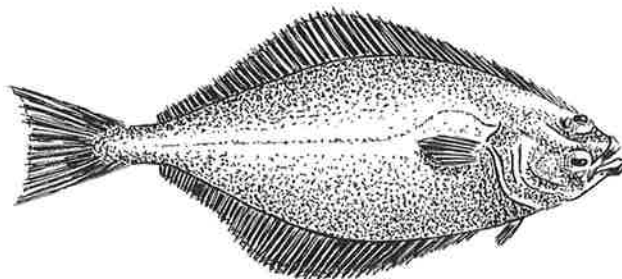
## 71. Set inn **mustn't** ella **don't have to** / **doesn't have to** \*\*\*

- You \_\_\_\_\_ touch that *switch* (kontakt). It is very dangerous.
- She \_\_\_\_\_ get up early. But she wants to do it.
- You \_\_\_\_\_ tell anyone what I said.
- You \_\_\_\_\_ eat this. It may not taste good.

## 72. Umset og set inn \*\*\*

Tú skalt nýta ein form av háttarsagnorðunum

- a** (átti at) You \_\_\_\_\_ have your hair cut.
- b** (mátti vera) He \_\_\_\_\_ at the airport at four.
- c** (fara kanska) We \_\_\_\_\_ to the cinema tonight.
- d** (hevði verið) It \_\_\_\_\_ nice if I could see you tonight.
- e** (skuldi) If anything \_\_\_\_\_ prevent you from coming, please, let me know.
- f** (dugdi at) She \_\_\_\_\_ read when she was four.
- g** (Dugir tú at) \_\_\_\_\_ play the guitar.
- h** (Kann eg) \_\_\_\_\_ smoke here?
- i** (Hann er kanska) \_\_\_\_\_ in his office.
- j** (Hevði eg kunnað) \_\_\_\_\_ borrow your car today.
- k** (er ongantíð sloppin) She \_\_\_\_\_ to have an *opinion of her own* (sína egnu meining).
- l** (hefur dugað) She \_\_\_\_\_ to swim for many years.
- m** (hefur ongantíð dugað) He \_\_\_\_\_ to swim.
- n** (mást ikki) You \_\_\_\_\_ be late.
- o** (havi verið noydd at) I \_\_\_\_\_ do everything myself.
- p** (er kanska) I don't know why he isn't here; he \_\_\_\_\_ ill.
- q** (tú kanst) Of course \_\_\_\_\_ help him if you like, but it is not necessary.
- r** (hevði kanska) If you had asked him, he \_\_\_\_\_ helped you.
- s** (eg havi ikki kunnað/ tað hevur ikki verið møguligt ) I have wanted to go on holiday, but \_\_\_\_\_



halibut  
kalvi

# Háttarsagnorðini

the modal verbs

Háttarsagnorðini eru: *shall, will, can, may, must, ought to*

Felags fyri háttarsagnorðini:

- Tey eru altíð hjálparsagnorð
- Tey standa bert í nútíð ella tátíð
- Tey hava einki -s í 3. pers. eintali
- Tey verða ikki umskrivað við *do / does / did*
- Eftir háttarsagnorð stendur navnháttur uttan *to* (men tað eitur *ought to*)

## Nútíð

*shall*  
*will*  
*can*  
*may*  
*must*  
*ought to*

## Tátíð

*should*  
*would*  
*could*  
*might*  
*(must) had to*  
*ought to*

Har formarnir vanta, kunnu vit nýta

*have to*  
*want to, be willing to*  
*be able to, be possible to, be allowed to*  
*be allowed to, be possible to*  
*have to*  
dømi: (will)  
*I have wanted to help you*  
(eg havi viljað hjálpt tær)

## Shall / should

- *Shall* sigur frá framtíð. (Sí framtíð síðu 29)

*I shall pick you up at 9 o'clock*  
*We shall do it tomorrow*

*Eg komi eftir tær kl. 9*  
*Vit gera tað í morgin*

- Í summum førum verður *shall* nýtt júst sum á føroyskum

*Skal eg hjálpa tær?*  
*Skulu vit fara?*  
*Tað skal ikki henda aftur*

*Shall I help you?*  
*Shall we go?*  
*It shan't happen again*

- Í øðrum førum svarar 'skal' á føroyskum ikki til *shall* á enskum

*Eg skal gista á vallaraheimi*  
*Hann visti ikki, hvar hann*  
*skuldi fara*  
*Hann skal mæta henni kl. 7*

*I am going to stay at a youth hostel*  
*He didn't know where to go*  
(eisini: *where he should go*)  
*He is to meet her at seven*

**will / would** Will sigur frá framtíð  
Stytt eitur það 'll

*He'll be here* at five o'clock  
(Hann verður her kl. 5)

Will verður eisini nýtt um vilja

*Will you marry me?*  
(Vilt tú giftast við mér)

would kann merkja hevd / hævdu

*They would come* if you asked them  
(Tey hævdu komið, um tú baðst tey)

**can / could** kann merkja at duga  
at kunna  
at sleppa

*Can you play the piano?*  
*He couldn't pay the money*  
*Can / Could I borrow your car today?*

**may / might** verður nýtt um loyvi  
um móguleika  
um óvissu

*May I see your passport, please?*  
*We may have rain tomorrow*  
*I may / might be wrong*

**must** Must verður nýtt um at noyðast  
Tað verður mest nýtt í nútíð

*You must clean your own shoes*

Í títíð eitur það vanliga *had to*

*He had to leave the country*  
(Hann noyddist at fara av landinum)

*must not* verður nýtt um forboð

{ *We mustn't smoke here*  
*We are not allowed to...*

**ought to** merkir átti at, skuldi

*You ought to see the doctor*

Í talumáli er vanligt at stytta

shall not → shan't  
will not → won't  
cannot → can't  
may not → mayn't  
must not → mustn't

should not → shouldn't  
would not → wouldn't  
could not → couldn't  
might not → mightn't  
ought not → oughtn't