何为虚拟语气?

• 英文动词不好惹

Tenses 时态

past 过去
present 现在
future 将来
16 in total 共 16 种时态

Voices of Verbs 语态

Active voice 主动语态
Passive voice 被动语态

• Moods of verbs /动词的氛围感

Moods of verbs 语气

- **indicative mood 陈述语气**

I bought this glass last year.　陈述事实

- **imperative mood 祈使语气**

Give it back to me. 请求、警告、建议、命令

- **subjunctive mood 虚拟语气**

I wish I could turn it into a coffee mug.

• 先说声音

假设过去（想象过去）

主要用到三个最高频的词组:

should have	→	should've	→	shoulda
would have	→	would've	→	woulda
could have	→	could've	→	coulda
might have	→	might've	→	mighta

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想象力可以改写过去：should have



Jennifer, you should've met Brad. 本应该去见下 Brad

（可能 Brad 之前在场，后来走了，实际 Jennifer 没有见到 Brad）

Jennifer, you should meet Brad. 应该去见下 Brad

（可能 Brad 就在附近，强烈建议她去见下）

Julia, you should've called me. 本应该打电话给我 （实际没有打）

Julia, you should call me. 应该打电话（将来的时间点）



President Trump should resign. 特朗普应该辞职

President Clinton should have resigned. 克林顿当时应该辞职

You should ask Trump. 你应该去问特朗普

You should have asked Clinton. 你当时应该问克林顿

You should've cleared your throat. 之前你应该清一下嗓子的

You should've watched Endgame. 之前你应该看下《复仇者联盟 4：终局之战》这部电影的

I should've started earlier. 我应该早点开始的

You should've seen the look on his face. 你应该当时看下他脸上的表情的

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小小练习：

我应该和他谈恋爱的。

I should have dated him.

我应该看那部电影的。

I should have watched that movie.

我应该读完那本书的。

I should have finished that book.

● 想象力可以改写过去：whould have



I would have called, but my phone ran out of battery.

前半句表示当时本来会打电话、想打电话的，but 后只是陈述当时的事实

I would have called, if my phone hadn't run out of battery.

if 是对过去进行“改写”

If I had made enough money, I would've bought a Porsche.

满足前面的条件（我赚了足够多的钱），我就会。。。

I would've started earlier, but the setup took quite a while.

要不然我就会早一点开始

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If we'd gone around them like I said, she would've given us those tickets.

如果你听我的话，插他们的队，她会给我们头等舱的票。

实际当时没有插队，也没有拿到头等舱的票



If I hadn't been Fox Books, and you hadn't been The Shop Around the Corner, I would have asked for your number.

如果我没有开福克斯书局，你没有开街角书店，我肯定会向你要电话。

实际两人都开了书店，男主人公也没问她要电话号码

小小练习：

如果不堵车我是会早点到的。

I would have arrived earlier, if there hadn't been a traffic jam.

如果不堵车我是不会面试迟到的。

I would not have been late for my interview, if there hadn't been a traffic jam.

● 想象力可以改写过去：could have

① 本能够做到，有可能性，差一点：



But still you could've called me later.

当时晚些你还是能够打给我的



What were you thinking?
I could've killed you!

刚才差一点就撞死你了

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He could've been more successful, if he had worked harder.
如果当时他更加努力工作的话，本来是能够可以更成功的。(有可能性，没有 would've 语气肯定)
I could've done better, if you had given me more time.
如果当时你给我更多时间，我本来是可以做得更好。
He could've passed the test, but he didn't try hard enough.
他本来能通过考试，但当时他没有足够努力去准备。
I could've bought a smaller apartment, but I have three kids.
我本来是可以买一个小一点的公寓，但我有三个孩子。

● 猜测过去：could have

② 可能之前发生了：

They could have given you the faster bike. 当时他们可能给了你更快的摩托车

They could have taken the class away from Ross. 当时他们可能会不让 Ross 教那个班

They could have been here before us. 在我们之前，他们可能来过

● 想象力可以改写过去：might have

① 惋惜、遗憾之意：

How different things might have been, if you had decided to have children.
如果当时你们决定要孩子，你们的生活会是多么不一样。

I might've married him, had children with him, grown old together with him…if he hadn't moved to Beijing.
如果不是他搬到北京，我很可能是已经和他结婚，生子，和他一起变老.....

② 可能之前发生了：

表示猜测过去：might have 和 could have 用法类似

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They might have taken the class away from Ross.
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might have → could have → would have → should have

对应的语气肯定的程度越来越强

- might have 原本可以…
- could have 某种条件下能够…（有可能）
- would have 某种条件下就会…
- should have 不需要任何条件就该…

综合练习：

I should've tipped the driver.

飞机晚点，司机非常耐心等待，我想好给小费但最后到酒店我忘记给小费

It would've made his day.

If you had tipped him, it would've made his day.

上两句，我表达如果刚才我给小费了，那么司机会很开心

I could've tipped the driver, but I did not have money with me.

当时是能给司机消费的，但当时身上没带钱

I might've tipped the driver. I don't really remember.

当时是可以给的（也可能没给），我不太记得了

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