

		Modals	Adverbs	Other phrases
Certainty	100%	will		
High probability		must	Certainly Surely	I'm convinced that We feel certain that He knows for sure that It's very likely that
		ought to should		
		could		
Mild probability	50%	may / can	Probably	It's likely I'm not sure that /if /whether We don't know that / if / whether I can't say that / if / whether
Low probability		might	Perhaps Maybe	They seem to
		can't		
Certainty	0%	won't		

Contexte présent ou futur : **modal + verb**

Contexte passé : **modal + have + participe passé**

Certainty 100%

will

It **will rain** tomorrow

High probability

must

She **must be** ill

The road is wet : it **must have rained**.

ought to
should

It **ought to be** true
It **should rain** tomorrow

She **should have forgotten** the meeting

could

It **could rain** tomorrow

She **could have been** ill.

Mild probability 50%

may / can

She **may be** ill

She **may have lost** her keys

Low probability

might

She **might be** ill
It **might rain** tomorrow

She **might have overslept**.

can't

You **can't be** serious!

She **can't have forgotten** the meeting.

Certainty 0%

won't