

PREFACE

The eleventh volume of *Studies in Slavic and General Linguistics* is published on the occasion of the *TENTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF SLAVISTS* which will be held in Sofia, September 14-22, 1988. Next to the papers to be read at the congress the volume contains various other contributions. The collection of articles reflects the broad scope of activities of the Dutch Slavistic linguists. The reader will find articles on phonetics/phonology (including intonation), morphology, syntax and semantics, in the field of standard languages as well as dialects, in both synchronic and historical perspective.

The editors

A NOTE ON THE PRODUCTION OF THIS VOLUME

The collections of articles in our series can be produced only thanks to the fact that most of the contributors provide camera ready copies of their articles. This task has always been accomplished on golf ball typewriters, due to the special problems provided by Slavistic linguistic texts (other alphabets, various diacritics etc.) which impeded the conversion to wordprocessing. We would like to draw the attention of the readers which are confronted with the same problem that the appearance of the program *SIGNUM* operating on computers of the ATARI ST-series provides an excellent alternative. A considerable part of this volume (including some of the most complicated texts) has been produced with this "document processor". (See the articles by Barentsen/Hindriks, Gerritsen, Hendriks, Houtzagers, Odé, Proeme, Schuyt, van Tilburg and Vermeer.) (Eds.)