

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSSIONS AND SUGGESTIONS

Conclusion

The short story entitled “*Symbol and Sign*” by Vladimir Nabokov (1948) is story that contain of lexical relations. Therefore, the researcher assume that all of types of lexical relations which is based on Saeed (2009), such as homonymy, polysemy, synonymy, opposites (antonymy), hyponymy, meronymy, member-collection, and portion-mass are includein this short story.

However , the result of research showen that there are 29 data found in this research. The 29 data found are told us about seven types of lexical relations that contain in short story “*symbol and sign*”, they are homonymy, synonymy, oppsites (antonymy), hyponymy, meronymy, portion-mass and member-collection. They are 3 data present the relationship called synonymy, 11 data are antonymy, 5 data are hyponymy, 3 data are meronymy, and 4 data are member collection , 1 portion-mass and 1 data is homonym.

Unfortunately, the result also tells us that one of the important type of lexical relations which is also include in Saeed’s theory is not appear in this story, it because no word share about both written and spoken form but has multiple meaning.

Finally, this reseach also tells us about the dominant types of lexical relations that found in this short story. That is the relation called antonymy or opposite meaning. Which is told by 11 data findings.

Suggestions

From the conclusion above, there are some suggestions follow. Firstly, the researchers expects to the next researcher who wants to take the similar research can do more perfectly, because according to Saeed (2009), there are eight types of lexical relations, namely homonymy, polysemy, synonymy, opposites (antonymy), hyponymy, meronymy, member-collection, and portion-mass. When the research which has been conducted by Sutadi (2013) did not find homonymy; this research did not found polysemy. As well, they are also the importants types of lexical relations. So, it can be an opportunity for the next researchers for conduct the similar research in others source of data in order to find all types of lexical relations above, include the types that did not find in short story “*symbol and sign*” a short story written by Vladimir Nabokov (1948). Secondly, the researcher also expect to the teachers or lecturers to give the deeper understanding about lexical relations, espescially dealing with this theory, in order to make the students gain more understanding, easy to read and write the research related.

However, the researcher hopes this research will be a contribution as the reading reference that will increase readers’ knowledge about lexical relations espescially types that Saeed explains in his theory in order to help them to read and write a

research in the related topic . Therefore, in order to make this research more completely, the suggestions from the lecturers and readers are really needed.

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