ABSTRACT

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Language style occurs in daily conversation as well as in a movie conversation since a movie is created as close as it can be to the daily life. The data were taken from conversation and the utterances by the characters on that movie and were analyzed qualitatively by using the theory from Joos (1967) about language style, and it was combined with the theory from Holmes (1992) which stated the function of language. The data were collected through observation and note taking. From 19 data there are four types of language style and six types of language function were found. The language styles are four data for formal style, three data for consultative style, nine data for casual style, and three data for intimate style. Casual style is the most dominant type in this movie. The six function of language that found by the researcher are four data for expressive, nine data for directive, three data for referential, one data for metalinguistic, one data for poetic, and one data for phatic. The most function of language occurred in the data analysis is directive function.

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