







Firstly, identifying the modal verbs used in Thomas Hardy's *The Mayor of Casterbridge* Novel by underlining and bolding in order to get the easier categorizing the data in which going to be analyzed. Secondly, categorizing the modal verbs types Thomas Hardy's *The mayor of Casterbridge* Novel in order to get the easier classifying the data and deal with the answering of the first question stated in the statement of the problem in this research. The last one is providing the result in to the form of tabling.

Meanwhile, to answer the second question which was stated in the statement of the problem in this research, the writer provided some steps to answer. Firstly, understanding well the types of modality used in Thomas Hardy's *The Mayor of Casterbridge* Novel in order to get helping the way of doing the interpretation. Secondly, giving the interpretation to the modality used in Thomas Hardy's *The mayor of Casterbridge* Novel as well as possible in order to get answering the last question stated in the statement of the problem in this research. Thirdly is giving the conclusion to the data analyzing as the answer of the whole research problems that stated in the background of study in order to get the easier in comprehending the result of the goal of this study.