CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of the Study

Language is a communication tool that used by human to communicate each other. We use language to express our feeling, ideas, and emotion to other people. As long as we are human that always need each other, we have to learn and master the language to communicate each other. We not only learn language of our country, but also need to learn other language in the world, such as Arabic and English. English is international language, so we can communicate with other people in the world use English. According to Wardaugh (2006:1) when two or more people communicate with each other in speech, we can call the system of communication that they employ a code. In most cases that code will be something we may also want to call a language. Language is not just words that used by society. Language has a rule which is known as grammar. That rules arrange about how to use language correctly, such as for make statement, use language in passive and active sentences, etc.

According to Edward Sapir (1921), language is a purely human and non-instinctive method of communicating ideas, emotions and desires by means of voluntarily produced symbol.

Language in sociolinguistic is not only as communication tool, but also as social system and part of the culture in society. Sociolinguistic also study about the use of language in society that influence by social factor.

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Evin-Tripp, Groesjean (in http://fathurrokhmancenter.wordpress.com) said that there are four factors that influence language choice in social interaction, that are participant, situation, discourse content, and interaction function factor. Situation factor refer to location, monolingual speaker, formality level, and intimacy. Discourse content factor refer to topic and type of vocabulary. Interaction function factor include the aspect of raising status, creating the social gab, forbid someone in or out from the topic, and command or asking.

In daily life, people use language differently each other according to the situation. It is called language variation. It means that people communicate each other use different language. It is because they have different culture and knowledge.

Nowadays, movie is very interesting thing for people, especially teenagers. It is because many movie makers use the newest technology that makes the movie more attractive. They make movie with interesting story and effect. There are many genres in the movie, such as action, animation, comedy, documentary, family, horror, musical, romance, sport, war, adventure, biography, crime, drama, fantasy, history, music, mystery, sci-fi, and thriller. The most favorite genre around teenagers is animation and fantasy. Movie with those genre need high imagination from the writer and the director. Usually, that movie show many attractive effects that make people who watch very interested.

One of the famous fantasy movie genres is Harry Potter. Harry Potter is movie series that made based on the best seller novel written by famous

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novelist in British, Joanne Kathleen Rowling, or better known as J.K. Rowling. The success of Harry Potter is because the imaginative of the writer, the director, and the actors that plays their characters in the movie very well.

There are seven series of this movie, that are, *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*, *Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secret*, *Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban*, *Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire*, *Harry Potter and the Order of the Phoenix*, *Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince*, *and Harry potter and the Deathly Hallows*. All of the novel and the movie are best seller. The famous of this movie, makes the main actor be the richest man in Britain. The movie that starring by Daniel Radcliffe as Harry Potter is very well-loved by teenagers until occur the fans of Harry Potter called *Potterhead*. Things that make this movie very interesting are the story of the school of wizards and the unique name of magic formulas that created by the author.

This movie tells us about the school of wizards that invisible by normal people. No one can see this school except they are come from a wizard's family. Because of the differentiation between the wizards and normal people, create the registers among the wizards to communicate each other so that the normal people cannot understand what they are talking about.

Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone is the first novel by J.K. Rowling. It tells about the first year Harry Potter in Hogwart. Harry Potter is an average bespectacled 11 years old boy who has lived with the Dursley family ever since his parents died in a car crash. For some reason the family has always mistreated him. On his 11th birthday, a giant man named Rubeus

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Hagrid hands him a letter telling him that he has been accepted as a student at the Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry. Harry learns that his parents were wizards and were killed by an evil wizard Voldemort, a truth that was hidden from him all these years. He embarks for his new life as a student, gathering two good friends Ron Weasley and Hermionee Granger along the way. They soon learn that something very valuable is hidden somewhere inside the school and Voldemort is very anxious to lay his hands on it.

Because of the famous of the novel and movie Harry Potter, make the writer be anxious to find out the registers that used by the wizards that occur in the movie. It will be interesting for the *Potterhead* (fans of Harry Potter) to more understand the meaning of the registers in the magic world. There are many terms that used in the magic world, such as the name of the places, people's names, and the magic formulas. In this research, the writer use registers to analyze the phenomenon that happens in the movie. But, the writer limits the research only in the first series of the movie, *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*. It is because this movie which bring Harry Potter to the success.

1.2 Statement of Problems

In this research the writer want to discuss the problem related to the studies which are:

1. What are the registers that occur in *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* movie?

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2. What are the meanings of registers that occur in *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* movie?

1.3 Objective of the Study

After doing observation in the language of wizards in Harry Potter movie, the writer illustrated the objective of the study into two objectives below:

1. To find out the register that occurs in *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* movie.
2. To find out the meanings of registers that occurs in *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone* movie.

1.4 Significant of the Study

Through this study, the writer hopes that it can give contribution to the study of linguistics in general and sociolinguistics in particular, especially about language variation, register in movie. So it can inspire other researcher or reader to know more about the relation between society and language that they used. It is also useful for fantasy's movie lovers especially Harry Potter lovers to know more about the wizards' live in the movie and understand the magic formula that used by J. K Rowling to make the story more interesting and can entertain people.

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1.5 Scope and Limitation

This study is concern with sociolinguistics study, especially about register. We can elaborate the data from Harry Potter movies. The scope of this study is one of the seven series Harry Potter that made based on the novel written by Joanne Kathleen Rowling or better known as J.K. Rowling. The writer limited this study only in the first series of Harry Potter movies, *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*. The channel used was spoken and written because the movie was in video and subtitle form.

1.6 Organization of the Study

This study is consists of five chapters. The first chapter is introduction comprises background of the study, statement of problems, purpose of the study, scope and limitation, the organization of the study, and the last definition of key terms. The second chapter is about review of Related Study. Chapter three consists of Methodology. The fourth chapter is about Analysis and Discussing. The last chapter or the fifth explains about conclusion of the study.

1.7 Definition of Key Terms

Sociolinguistic :According to Holmes (1992:1) sociolinguistics is the study of the relation between language and

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	society. It is learn how language and society related each other.
Register	:Wardhaugh (2006:52) stated that Registers are sets of language items associated with discrete occupational or social groups. Surgeons, airline pilots, bank managers, sales clerks, jazz fans, and pimps employ different registers.
Harry Potter	:The main character in the *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*.
J.K. Rowling	:British writer of the best seller novel, Harry Potter.

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