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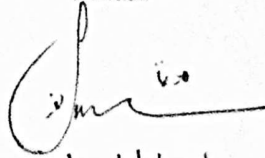
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diverse (movie, comic, coursebook, and so on). However, even though the previous studies have examined and explained in detail the Implicature and its type of their data source, just a few of them analyzed song lyrics that are important to analyze because songs nowadays are part of everyone's life and people cannot be separated from them. And most importantly, other researchers tend to analyze the whole album, but what makes this research more comprehensive than theirs is because my research is analyzing the song lyrics that are chosen from nine artists with different messages and meanings so the readers can get further knowledge and view. The reason why the researcher did not analyze the whole album from one artist is that one album from one artist tends to have the same concept (according to the concept of the album), and the song lyrics certainly should match the concept of the album and it makes the research not vary. In this study, the researcher will analyze the song lyrics that are chosen from nine artists. The song lyrics that the researcher has chosen are not just ordinary lyrics but meaningful and unique lyrics that somehow contain implied meanings. The unique lyrics mean that the lyrics contain words that are unusual. In this research, the researcher analyzed the implicatures found in song lyrics and the Implicature found in the listener's responses. The song lyrics that the researcher chose are Courage by Celine Dion, Lovely by Billie Eilish, Helium by Sia, Falling by Harry Styles, Back In The Water, and Where The Heart Is by HAEVN, Silence by Khalid, Homesick by Dua Lipa, Fools by Troye Sivan, and Birds by Imagine Dragons. The responses of the listeners will be taken from comments under the selected song's music videos on Youtube, and the criteria for selecting the

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| | | touch my heart... anytime when I feel this music tears fall down slowly. Thank for the nice composition lipa” | the song and the lyrics are touching so it brought tears to his/her when she/he listened to the song. | generalized conversational implicature |
| 4. | Renna B | “I so love this song. My favorite song of hers. Just sad that it’s underrated” | The comment implicates that the commenter hopes the song becomes popular due to the fact that it deserves it. | This comment categorizes as a generalized conversational implicature |
| 5. | Aishwarya | “Literally had goosebumps from the moment she started singing until the very end” | The comment implicates that the commenter listened to the song until the end of it and the song contains something so the commenter felt | This comment categorizes as a generalized conversational implicature |

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| | | | is a good song. | |
| 2. | Hakan BAYRAK | “This song deserves a couple of hundred million views” | The comment implicates that the song has only few viewers and the commenter considers the song should get a lot of views. | This comment categorizes as particularized conversational Implicature because it requires special context (this song has few viewers). |
| 3. | Anna E Cather | “I love this song! I understand the deep meaning of it! And its gripping” | The comment implicates that the lyric of the song has deep meaning | This comment categorizes as generalized conversational Implicature |

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| | | | and the commenter understand what is conveyed in the lyrics. | |
| 4. | Unknown Person | “Never felt tired to listen this song” | The comment implicates that she/he frequently listens to the song and never gets tired or bored of it. | This comment categorizes as a generalized conversational implicature |
| 5. | Ae*** | “Listen everyday...magical and beautiful song” | The comment implicates that the commenter really likes the song | This comment categorizes as a generalized conversational implicature |

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| | | too” | implies that people around him/her do not fit her/him and she wants it to be changed. | a context that attaches to it (the lyric of the song which the commenter quoted in the comment) |
| 3. | Sanilia Jane Willy | “Damn listening to this while being heartbroken is pretty shitty” | The comment implicates that the commenter is in heartbreak, and while listening to the song, the commenter felt like her/his heartbroken was getting worst. | This comment categorizes as generalized conversational Implicature |
| 4. | Abdullah Mahmud | “The most underrated song in the world” | The comment implicates that the song is really famous and the commenter | The comment categorizes as generalized conversational Implicature |

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| | | | happiness. | |
| 4. | darkery | ”its insane how every line, every word just describes what I never could speak out...the pain in a nutshell I’m so glad that music exists” | The comment implicates that the lyrics of the song represent what the commenter wanted to speak out but could not and he/she glad that this song is produced. | This comment categorizes as a generalized conversational implicature |
| 5. | Efson Freddy | “This song is like a hurricane. Your in the center which is calm and quiet and all around you is all your problems” | The comments implicates that when the commenter listened to this song he/she feels like in the middle of a storm. | This comment categorizes as generalized conversational Implicature |

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| | | heart. I miss you every day, mama. I love you” | this case, she/he lost her/his mother) and she/he felt the music deeply through it. | implicature due to the fact that it requires context. In this case, the context is the song that tells about losing someone you love. |
| 4. | Txan | “I really like the message this music video implies- spread your wings and fly high, don’t think about how anyone thinks about you” | The comment implicates that the commenter understands the lyrics and can figure out himself/herself the message that the song has brought. | This comment categorizes as generalized conversational Implicature |
| 5. | G Tuesday | “This song is such an amazing and beautiful song. It broke me and made me cry” | The comment implicates that everything in the song has a sad vibe, so that it made the commenter heartbreaking. | This comment categorizes as generalized conversational Implicature because it does not require |

