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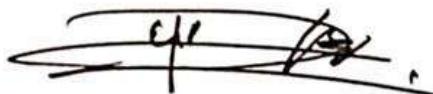
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This research aims to examine figurative language in Selected Jazz Songs' Lyrics. Jazz songs have lyrics that contain hidden meanings in them, jazz song lyrics discuss many stories from the life of the lyricist himself or from the surrounding environment so the researcher were interested in analyzing jazz genre songs. Apart from that, the lyrics of jazz songs have complexity and emotionality meaning of the lyrics, so in this study, the researcher answered the problem formulation, namely (1) What are the types figurative languages found in the jazz selected song lyrics (2) What are the meanings of the figurative language found in the jazz selected song lyrics.

This research used a qualitative descriptive method to analyze data. The procedure applied in this research is descriptive and explanatory, the researcher used jazz songs from YouTube music playlists created by redlist.com to describe the data and the researcher used the website azlyrics.com to analyze the lyrics. The researcher analyzed based on Kennedy's (1979) theory, which consists of comparative, contradictory, and correlative. The data used is song lyrics formed into text.

This study found a total 32 data of figurative languages that are found in 12 selected jazz songs. From the results of the analysis, it was found that the types of personification and hyperbole were the types that were often used, with a total of 9 data. This is followed by the metaphor type, namely 8 data, and then the litotes type has a total of 2 data, namely 2 data. Next, the lowest data is for the types of irony, synecdoche, symbol, and simile, namely only 1 data. It was found that jazz songs use figurative language to express deeper emotions, images, and stories. The meaning of each song from the figurative language type is divided into three types. First, comparative, which consists of personification as a description of human characteristics in objects other than humans. Then, metaphor is a comparison between two things indirectly, and simile is a comparison that uses conjunctions. Second, contradictions are found in the type of hyperbole, such as the use of excessive statements, litotes as an expression of something that aims to humiliate, and irony as the use of conveying words that are contrary to what is intended. Then, in this analysis, the only correlatives found were the synecdoche type as the use of a word to represent a whole, and the symbol type as conveying a comparison of an object that has a representation of another object.

Keywords: Figurative Language, Jazz, Lyrics, Songs

ABSTRAK

Kartika, D. D. S. 2024. *Analisis Bahasa Kiasan pada Lirik Lagu Jazz Pilihan.*
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Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk meneliti bahasa kiasan dalam pilihan lirik lagu Jazz. Lagu jazz memiliki lirik yang mengandung makna tersembunyi di dalamnya, lirik lagu genre jazz banyak membahas tentang kisah cerita dari kehidupan seorang penulis lirik itu sendiri ataupun dari lingkungan sekitar sehingga peneliti tertarik untuk menganalisis dari lagu jazz. Selain itu, lirik lagu jazz memiliki kompleksitas dan emosionalitas dalam makna liriknya, sehingga dalam studi ini peneliti menjawab rumusan masalah yaitu (1) Jenis bahasa kiasan apa saja yang terdapat pada pilihan lirik lagu jazz (2) Apa makna bahasa kiasan yang terdapat pada pilihan lirik lagu jazz.

Penelitian ini menggunakan pendekatan metode deskriptif kualitatif untuk menganalisis data. Prosedur ini diterapkan pada penelitian ini bersifat deskriptif dan eksplanatif, peneliti menggunakan lagu-lagu jazz dari daftar putar musik YouTube yang dibuat oleh redlist.com untuk mendeskripsikan data dan peneliti memakai web azlyrics.com untuk menganalisis lirik. Peneliti menganalisis berdasarkan teori Kennedy (1979) yang terdiri dari komparatif, kontradiktif, dan korelatif. Data yang digunakan ialah lirik lagu dibentuk menjadi sebuah teks.

Penelitian ini menemukan total 32 data bahasa kiasan yang ditemukan dalam 12 lagu jazz terpilih. Dari hasil analisis ditemukan bahwa jenis personifikasi dan hiperbola menjadi jenis yang sering digunakan dengan total 9 data. Diikuti dengan jenis metafora yakni 8 data, kemudian untuk jenis litotes memiliki jumlah yakni 2 data. Selanjutnya untuk data terendah ialah pada jenis ironi, sinekdoke, simbol, dan simile yakni hanya 1 data. Ditemukan bahwa lagu jazz menggunakan bahasa kiasan untuk mengekspresikan emosi, gambaran, dan cerita yang lebih mendalam. Makna setiap lagu dari jenis bahasa kiasan dibagi menjadi tiga jenis. Pertama, komparatif yang terdiri dari personifikasi sebagai gambaran sifat manusia pada objek selain manusia. Kemudian, metafora sebagai perbandingan antara dua hal secara tidak langsung, dan simile sebagai perbandingan yang menggunakan kata hubung. Kedua, kontradiktif ditemukan jenis hiperbola sebagai penggunaan pernyataan yang berlebihan, kemudian, litotes sebagai ungkapan sesuatu yang bertujuan untuk merendahkan, dan ironi sebagai penggunaan penyampaian kata yang bertentangan dengan yang dimaksudkan. Kemudian, korelatif yang pada analisis ini hanya ditemukan jenis sinekdoke sebagai penggunaan suatu kata untuk mewakili keseluruhan dan jenis simbol sebagai penyampaian sebuah perbandingan suatu benda yang mempunyai representasi benda lain.

Kata Kunci: Bahasa Kiasan, Jazz, Lirik, Lagu

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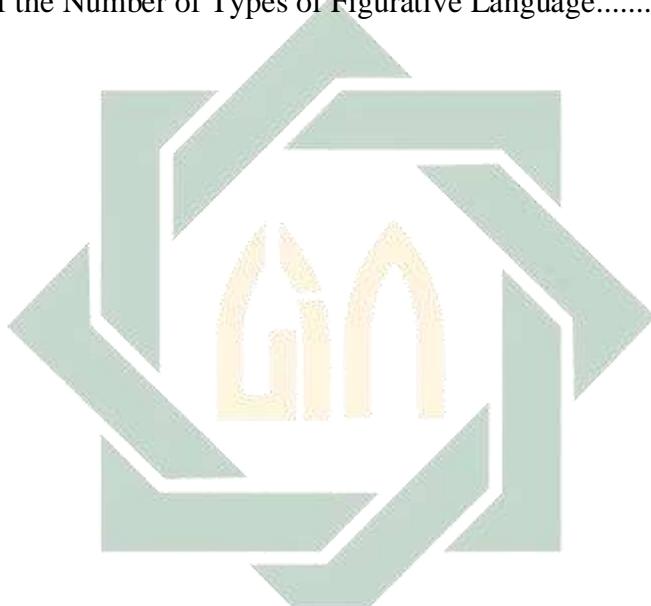
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