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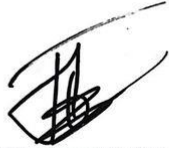
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This research aimed to find out kinds, meanings of deixis and to analyze the potential deixis used in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL) in *Mavka; The forest Song* movie by Malamuzh and Oleksandra Ruban. In this research, the researcher used qualitative research methodology. To collect the data, the researcher used documentation technique. and to analyze the data the researcher used descriptive analysis. The results showed that there were 293 deixis in terms of 260 person deixis in line with 114 first person deixis, 94 second persons deixis, and 52 third person deixis. Then 10 place deixis, 12 time deixis, 5 discourse deixis, and 6 social deixis.

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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

This chapter presents background of the research, formulation of the problem, objectives of the research and significance of the research.

A. Background of the Research

Language is a communication tool for a person to express aspirations that are thought and felt, so it has a certain role, one of which is to express what is implied in the mind. Basically, human activities are related to language activities (Ainiyah et al., 2019). Language has a very important role in human communication and interaction, in communication there is often a problem, such as a miscommunication between speakers and listeners regarding the meaning of words related to their context. It is closely related to the science of pragmatics.

Pragmatics is a dynamic process involving the speaker and listener and the physical, social, and linguistic context of the utterance and the possible meanings of the utterance. Pragmatics is a field of science that studies the meanings conveyed by speakers and interpreted by listeners. Pragmatics is very important to learn because pragmatics is the study of the relationship between linguistic forms and the use of those forms (Yule, 2006).

There are several branches of pragmatic studies, one of which will be studies, that is deixis. This needs to be learn so that there is no misunderstanding of the words containing deixis, that it easier for readers and listeners to understand the meaning, message or information conveyed by the speaker. The study of deixis is a way to know the relationship between language and context in the structure of the language itself. To be able to know the meaning of a word, it must also be known who, where, and when the word was spoken. Therefore, deixis is identification of a meaning contained in language and can be known if it is in the context of the event or situation of the speaker.

Deixis is a word derived from the Greek Deitikos, which means to point through language. Any linguistic form used to achieve this goal is called a deictic expression. When we see an object and ask what it is, we will use the deictic expression to point something in the immediate context (Yule, 1996). Deixis can be interpreted as a word, phrase, or form of expression whose reference can change depending on who the speaker is, when the time is, and where the place or location where the language unit is spoken (Aci, 2019).

Deixis are words that contain the meaning of the speech situation (persona, time, and place) in which they are used. Deixis focus on the relationship between language structure and context utterance (Levinson, 1983). There are five kinds of deixis, the first one is person deixis, for instances, *I have slept so long*. The second one is place deixis, *everybody know us here*. The third one is time deixis, *everything is fine now*. The fourth one is discourse deixis, *but my dreams is to fill my whole life with music*. And the last one is social deixis, *yes, madam*.

In addition deixis it also help in teaching where in learning process there must be effective communication between the teacher and students, so that students understand the explanation of the material presented by the teacher, with deixis helps learners in comprehending language usage and it creating effective communication.

Deixis not only helps them to understand the material delivered by the teacher and understand the use of language. But it also helps in grammar. Deixis can be used in learning english for example is to helping in grammar, in this movie there are words, sentences and expressions in every conversation by the characters that contain deixis so it is have relationship between the word with grammar such as there are dialogue shows pronoun, adverb of time, adverb of place, and conjunction. So it help and can be used in learning and to increase knowledge in learning grammar.

This research focused on deixis in *Mavka :The Forest Song* movie by Malamuzh and Oleksandra Ruban. The reason choose this title because deixis is not only found in everyday life but also in literary works, for example in movies. Most of deixis found in movie, therefore this research use movie as the data source.

Movie as a media or communication tool is not only for entertainment, but also to convey messages to the audience because it contains the reality of daily life. Movies will be very useful if the audience understands the meaning of the speech spoken in the movie. The researcher choose *Mavka: The Forest Song* movie by Malamuzh and Oleksandra Ruban which tells the story of a woman named Mavka who faces impossible choices and her duty as the guardian of the Heart of the Forest, Mavka falls in love with a talented young human named Lukash. the kind of love that allows human nature to discover its wonders and reveal its best abilities.

In fact, there were some preliminary studies discussed about deixis, one of them was a study by Ainiyah (2019) which was very different from the researcher's study. In other words, Ainiyah's study discussed only two kinds of deixis but the researcher's study discussed about five kinds of deixis, and has such a contribution to Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL), related to teaching grammar.

B. Formulation of the Problem

Based on the description of the background, the formulation of the problem in this research is

1. What kinds and meanings of deixis are found in *Mavka: The Forest Song* movie by Malamuzh and Oleksandra Ruban?
2. How deixis are potential used in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL) ?

C. Objectives of the Research

1. To identify and classify the kinds and meanings of deixis found in *Mavka: The Forest Song* movie by Malamuzh and Oleksandra Ruban.
2. To analyze the potential deixis used in Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL).

D. Significance of the Research

This research has significance for the following practices :

1. The Researcher Herself

Hopefully this research can improve the researcher is understanding of linguistics, especially in the field of pragmatics concerning deixis in *Mavka: The Forest Song* movie.

2. Readers

I hope this research provides additional useful information and motivation for reader to gain a deeper understanding of deixis.

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