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ABSTRAK

Komunikasi verbal tidak dapat lepas dari proses pengucapan (bunyi) dari bahasa tersebut. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mendeskripsikan ketidaktepatan pengucapan bunyi vokal dan bunyi konsonan dari pidato Joko Widodo di APEC CEO Summit 2014, The World Economic Forum on East Asia 2015, dan The World Press Freedom Day 2016 berdasarkan standar Received Pronunciation (RP) dan faktor-faktor yang memengaruhi suara vokal dan suara konsonan yang diucapkan oleh bapak Joko Widodo dalam pidato beliau. Penelitian ini merupakan penelitian deskriptif kualitatif. Dalam pengumpulan data, peneliti menggunakan metode observasi atau simak dengan teknik simak bebas libat cakap. Pada proses analisis data, peneliti menggunakan metode padan dengan teknik fonetis artikulasi. Ditemukan bahwa bunyi-bunyi konsonan /θ/, /ð/, /v/, /z/, /ʃ/ diucapkan secara tidak benar. Bunyi-bunyi vokal /ə/, /ɒ/, /ɛ/, /ɪ/, /e/, /i/ diucapkan secara tidak konsisten. Bunyi-bunyi diftong /iə/, /eɪ/, /əʊ/ and /aʊ/ diucapkan secara tidak benar. Bunyi konsonan /l/ pada bagian tengah kata tidak diucapkan. Bunyi-bunyi konsonan /t/, /s/, /k/ pada akhir kata dihilangkan. Konsonan [-y] yang berbunyi /i/ pada akhir kata diucapkan sebagai /e/. Bunyi-bunyi diftong /iə/, /eɪ/, /əʊ/ and /aʊ/ diucapkan sebagai /i/, /ʌ/, /ɛ/, /ə/, /e/, dan /ɔ/. Akibatnya, faktor-faktor yang memengaruhi kesalahan bunyi-bunyi vokal dan konsonan dalam bahasa Inggris Bapak Jokowi adalah pengaruh bahasa ibu, perbedaan sistem suara antara bahasa Indonesia dan bahasa Inggris, pengaruh dari penulisan terhadap pengucapan, latar belakang pendidikan, dan latar belakang lingkungan.

Kata Kunci: Bunyi Konsonan, Bunyi Vokal, Pengucapan, Pidato

ABSTRACT

Verbal communication cannot be separated from the process of pronunciation (sound) in language. This research aims to describe English vowel and consonant sounds mispronounced by Mr. Jokowi's speech in APEC CEO Summit 2014, The World Economic Forum on East Asia 2015, and The World Press Freedom Day 2016 based on the standard of Received Pronunciation (RP) and factors influencing the incorrect English vowel and consonant sounds. This research is a descriptive qualitative research. In collection of data, the researcher used observation (*simak*) method to the uninvolved conversation observation technique (*simak bebas libat cakap*). In analyzing the data, the researcher used method of identity (*padan*) with articulation phonetic techniques. It is found that the consonant sounds /θ/, /ð/, /v/, /z/, /ʃ/ are pronounced incorrectly, the vowel sounds /ə/, /ɒ/, /ɛ/, /ɪ/, /e/, /ʊ/ are pronounced inconsistently, and the diphthong sounds /ɪə/, /eɪ/, /əʊ/ and /aʊ/ are pronounced incorrectly. The consonant sound /l/ in the middle of the word is not pronounced. The consonant sound /j/ in the middle of the word is omitted. The consonant sounds /g/, /tʃ/, /r/ are pronounced same as the spelling. The consonant sounds /t/, /s/, /k/ at the end of the word are omitted. The consonant [-y] sounded /ɪ/ at the end of the word pronounced as /e/. The diphthong sounds /ɪə/, /eɪ/, /əʊ/ and /aʊ/ are pronounced as /ɪ/, /ʌ/, /ɛ/, /ə/, /e/, and /ɔ/. Finally, factors influencing the incorrect English vowel and consonant sounds of Mr. Jokowi are mother tongue interference, sound system differences between Indonesian and English, the influence of spelling on pronunciation, educational background, and environmental background.

Keywords: Consonant Sound, Pronunciation, Speech, Vowel Sound

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Sesungguhnya tiada berputus asa dari rahmat Allah, melainkan
kaum yang kafir.*
(QS. Yusuf: 87)

*Bahasa is a must,
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