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## ABSTRAK

*Bahasa adalah alat untuk percakapan yang digunakan oleh semua orang dan digunakan oleh setidaknya dua orang. Penelitian ini bertujuan untuk mengetahui jenis tindak ilokusi ekspresif dan fungsi tindak ilokusi ekspresif dalam "Jonathan Ross Show". Teori jenis tindak ilokusi ekspresif yang ditemukan oleh Searle & Vanderveken (1985) dan fungsi tindak ilokusi ekspresif oleh Norrick (1978) digunakan untuk menganalisis data yang menggunakan transkrip dari acara talk show tersebut. Dalam beberapa video tersebut terdapat beberapa wawancara antara Jonathan Ross dengan lawan bicaranya sebagai tamu dalam talkshownya. Teknik penelitian yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah deskriptif kualitatif. Pendekatan pengumpulan data yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah observasi, yang berfokus pada penggunaan bahasa. Strategi ini melibatkan pengumpulan data dengan cara menonton acara talk show. Dengan demikian, pendekatan praktis yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah teknik non-partisipan, yang berarti tidak ada yang secara langsung berpartisipasi dalam wacana. Penelitian ini menganalisis data dengan menggunakan pendekatan padan pragmatis dan reduksi data untuk mengurangi duplikasi atau redundansi. Studi ini menggunakan cara informal dalam menyajikan temuannya. Strategi ini dipilih karena penelitian ini melibatkan penggunaan kata-kata dan frasa untuk mengkomunikasikan temuan-temuannya. Seperti yang diulas dalam teori Searle, ada dua belas jenis tindakan ekspressif dan didukung oleh teori Norrick tujuh fungsi tindakan ekspressif, jenis-jenis tindakan ekspressif yaitu: Berterima kasih, Meminta maaf, Memberi selamat, Memuji, Mengeluh, Memprotes, Menyesalkan, Memuji, Berbelasungkawa, Meratapi, Menyombongkan diri, dan Menyapa. Kemudian didukung oleh tujuh fungsi tindak ekspressif yaitu menunjukkan rasa terima kasih, menunjukkan rasa penyesalan, memuji, menghargai, dan berbelasungkawa, menunjukkan penerimaan, mengeluh. Berdasarkan hasil penelitian yang telah dibahas, dapat disimpulkan bahwa jenis tindak ekspressif yang paling dominan yang terdapat dalam "Jonathan Ross Show" adalah jenis tindak ekspressif menyapa dan fungsi yang paling dominan adalah apresiasi.*

**Kata kunci:** *Tindakan Ekspresif, Pragmatik, Acara Bincang-bincang*

## ***ABSTRACT***

*Language is an instrument for conversation that is used by everyone and is utilized by at least two individuals. This research aimed at finding out the type of expressive illocutionary acts and functions of expressive illocutionary acts in "Jonathan Ross Show". The type of expressive illocutionary acts theory discovered by Searle & Vanderveken (1985) and the functions of expressive illocutionary acts theory by Norrick (1978) were applied to analyze the data which used the transcript of the talk show. In some of the videos there were several interviews between Jonathan Ross and his interlocutors as guests on his talk show. This study's research technique was descriptive qualitative. The data gathering approach employed in this study is observation, which focuses on language use. This strategy involves gathering data by viewing talk show. Thus, the practical approach used in this study is the non-participant technique, which means that no one is directly participating in the discourse. This study analyzes the data using the pragmatic pairing approach and data reduction to reduce duplication or redundancy. This study employs an informal way of presenting its findings. This strategy was chosen since the study involves using words and phrases to communicate the findings. As reviewed in Searle's theory, there were twelve types of expressive acts and supported by theory Norrick seven functions of expressive acts. The types of expressive acts namely: Thank, Apologize, Congratulate, Compliment, Complain, Protest, Deplore, Praise, Condole, Lament, Boast, and Greet. Then it is supported by seven functions of expressive acts, namely showing gratitude, showing regret, praising, appreciation, and condoling, showing acceptance, complaining. Based on the results of the research has discussed, it can be concluded that the most dominant type of expressive action contained in "Jonathan Ross Show" is the expressive acts is greeting and the dominant function is appreciation.*

**Keywords:** Expressive Acts, Pragmatics, Talk Show

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### **MOTTO**

**“Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.” Philippians 4:6-7.**

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