

ABSTRACT

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Since disagreements have been getting much attention from various researchers in numerous subjects, this thesis investigates them in villains' utterances. None of previous researchers have analyzed disagreements in villains' utterances. In addition, the similarities and the differences between male and female villains in applying the disagreeing strategies are also investigated to enrich the previous studies about disagreement in gender field.

The types of disagreeing strategies which help the researcher to analyze the disagreeing strategies in villains are based on Muntigl and Turnbull taxonomy (1998). Besides, some previous studies from Kozcogh (2011), Fahaarani and Molkizadeh (2013), Bavarsad *et al.* (2015), Aisyah (2015), and Heidari *et al.* (2015), inspire the researcher a lot in analyzing the similarity and the difference between male and female villains in applying the disagreements, since their study also analyzed the differences in men and women. Qualitative content analysis and descriptive research designs are chosen to investigate male and female villains' utterances which consist of disagreeing strategies. The researcher herself becomes the only instrument – human instrument. Reading and selecting the entire scripts of *Detective Conan movie series* become the steps of data collection. Then, the procedures of data analysis contain identifying, classifying, and elaborating the data. Drawing the conclusion is also the last step required.

56 utterances of disagreements from male villains and 48 utterances of disagreements from female villains are found. From those utterances, it is found new types beside the types from the taxonomy of Muntigl and Turnbull (1998). There are 6 new types found in male villains' utterances and 4 new types found in female villains' utterances. Further, there is a similarity and the differences exist between male and female villains in applying the disagreements. The result shows that male villains tend to use direct disagreements than female villains.

