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This research deals with the study of register variation on social media posts about corona virus disease (Covid-19). The aim of this research is to investigate the types of register on social media posts specifically around covid-19 issues and to investigate the realization of register term in social media posts such as Instagram and twitter about covid-19 outbreak. The research is applied descriptive qualitative method. The data of this research is the text posts on social media that were taken through screenshot the posts identified register and note-taking. There 50 register terms found that were analyzed based on Miles and Huberman, including data reduction data display, and conclusion. Based on analysis, the research finding showed that register is realized based on Field, Tenor and Mode as the types of register. There are six function of register but the finding showed that realization of register on social media posts provided two functions such as information function and interaction function. The register terms are realized through monolingual (Bahasa) and Bilingual (Bahasa and English).

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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Background of Study

Register term is the realization of language variation which is created based on purpose and setting functionally as a representing something happens. It is used already widely practiced in various social context for particular purpose in which context of situation is a very determinant for register term. The used of register that appear of corona virus outbreaks (covid-19) which posted by user in social media have a reason to interest in social groups to use language variation.

Language variation is the subject of sociolinguistic studies, defined as a branch of linguistic that seeks to explain the characteristics of language variation with community characteristics Soewito (2005). The case of this varieties language is not only by researchers but social interaction activities has caused a unique of language of the covid-19 outbreak, there are also social groups who do not understand the register about corona virus (covid-19) outbreak.

Social media platforms have been important for submit information during covid-19 outbreak and become the media delivers news such as rumors and sometimes misinformation such as a facebook, twitter, youtube, instagram and whatsapp to create a sense of panic and confusion. The involvement of registers that appear in social media, especially Instagram in posting about covid-19 outbreak, makes users to understand the meaning of register.

In the fact, the use of term register realization in a language style and a variety of language such as english and indonesian as well as medical terms. Therefore, the substance of the register which aims to provide information about covid-19 is not well understood to society. This is very correlated lack of understanding which makes covid-19 case the victims increase. In other side, the use of the term register provides new insights to the social media user because there is a new language in epidomologi term that was previously incromprehension by the society.

For example: the register is **covid-19** (11 new covid-19 cases in Singapore on Sep.18, including 1 S'porean).



Language displayed in the register shows in social media that there is one language as known as monolingual. It uses to inform people who have an understanding in the english languages. The sentence above have register term is covid-19. This is register which state that 11 new covid-19 cases in Singapore increasing at all times. Sentence structure used consistent to syntac rules with subject (11 new covid-19), predicet(cases in singapore on sep 18) and object (1 singaporean). The language used in this register sentence used the majas

pleonasm, which is a metaphor that uses the same meaningful word to define something.

The study of register previously has one of investigate by many researchers about register such as Dicky Alvian Febriadi(2020). A Sociolinguistic Study of Register in "In The Heart Of The Sea" Movie. The results of this research described that there are function of register such as formal, consultative and casual and describe type of register situation such as mode, field and tenor by sailing in the movie. This research focused by analyzing register used in the movie focused on conversation as object and this research is doing investigate term register variation on covid-19 outbreak in social media focused on written as object in caption or hashtag posted on social media.

In this era, many people used internet to search information of register about covid-19 outbreaks in social media. They can get informs to know about register and found the new word. Register is variety of language based on the speaker or written such as Instagram and Twitter. In terms of culture, there is no balance because the cultural influence more bigger and feel the virus does not exist. In terms sociologis, depending personality. There are some people who believe in the virus the danger and it's just a conspiracy by china to make the country's economy crash and disobey healthy protocol. And in term pshycology, the corona virus disease (covid-19) outbreaks can be a very stressful and overwhelming time for world but this is a time for helping one another and pulling together as communities to assist with coping strategies and helping each another

come out stronger and this situation influence public communication on social media.

The urgency of term register because language displayed on social media not understood by society used english language and Indonesian language especially Instagram and Twitter from various sources by hastag or caption which aim's to know function of register as notice or warning. The term register very important of the pandemic to confirm the covid-19 case by society.

In this study, the researchers focus on investigating register variation on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) on Posts in Social Media studies register as a kind of a language variation. The researchers use the social media because there were so many register and easily get information. Social media has become a conduit for spreading rumors, mis-informations and many source such as Facebook, Instagram, Youtube, Whatsapp, and Twitter to create a sense a panic and confused . The researchers found many register on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) outbreak in the instastory and the homepage of social media such as "Pandemi", "Imported Case" , " Masa Transisi ", etc. The researcher was conduct a study entitled: *Investigating Register Variation On Coronavirus Disease (Covid-19) Posts In Social Media.*

B. Identification of The Problem

The research problems based on the background are formulated as follows:

1. There are a number of register variation used in social media posts about the outbreak corona virus disease did not remind of people.

2. The use of Register variation on reporting corona virus disease (covid-19) in social media have no clear a sense of meaning.
3. Register is realized in the social media through English term and Medical term in which the meaning is difficult to understand by people.

C. Scope and Limitation

The scope of this research is about a study of language variation in social context which is mainly limited on register variation in social media posts such as Instagram and Twitter about corona virus disease (covid-19). It was specifically investigate about the situations type of register and the realization of register in the social media.

D.The Formulation of The Study

Based on the identification of the study above, the problem are formulated as in the following:

1. What type of register are found in social media?
2. How is register variation realized in social media in posting Corona Virus Disease Covid-19?

E.Objectives of Study

Based on the problem of the study above, this study is intended to describe:

1. To investigate situations type of register are found in social media
2. To investigate realized of register variation in social media in posting Corona Virus Disease Covid-19

F. Significant of The Study

This research contributes both theoretical and practical in studies, especially about register variation on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) posts in Social Media.

1. Theoretical Significance

The results of this study are expect to widening knowledge readers. Specifically, regarding language variation (register), in this study the register variation in Covid -19 in posts social media. In addition, this research is expect to add to the treasure of research, especially in the field of sociolinguistic.

2. Practical Significance

a. For students, this research can be used as a reference for conducting register variation research.

b. For the community, this research can help people to more easily find out the meaning of the Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) posts in Social Media

c. For librarians, this research can be expected to be placed as one of the trending study of register.

CHAPTER II

REVIEW OF LITERATURE

1. Register

In general term, a register is a variety associated with a particular situation of use including particular communication purposes. The description of a register covers three major components: the situational context, the linguistic features, and the functional relationships between the first two components (Douglas Bieber : 2019).

Register describes lexical and grammatical characteristics that are typical of linguistic features. But registers are also explained for their situational context, for example whether they are generated in speech or writing, whether they are interactive, and what are their main communicative goals. One of the main arguments is that linguistic features are always functional when considered from a register perspective. That is linguistic features tend to occur frequently in registers because they are very suitable for the purpose and situational context of the register.

Register is a variety of language based on the speaker. It means that language which is used based on what is being done and the nature of its activities. In a certain group or community, the people who live in there usually use the language that is different from others. The linguistic features (specific expressions, lexico-grammatical and phonological features) and the particular

values of the three dimensions of field, mode and tenor determine the functional variety of a language. These three parameters can be used to specify the context of situation in which language is used. Field of discourse focuses on the entire situation, mode of discourse determines the function of language in particular situation, and tenor refers to the type of role interaction.

The concept of register according to functional systematic linguistics Halliday (1978:32) explains that register were a form of prediction, in the sense of knowing the situations and social context of language usage, language that will occur and be used. Thus, the phenomenon of registering certainly will experience a development both from the vocabulary and expression and developments in reference to its meaning.

1.1 Type of Register

According to Martin and Rose (2003), register distinguished into three general types or factor of dimension that affect register us by context situations. The context situations of register are included into Field, Mode and Tenor that affect register in its functions. Below are the types of register according to Martin and Rose:

a. Field

Field refers to what is happening, the nature of the social action that is taking place: what participants are engaged in, in which language figures as some essential component. It is concerned with generalizing across genres according to the domestic or institutional activity that is going on” (Martin and Rose, 2003: 252).

From the statement above, field includes what is the speakers talk about or what are they discuss about. Also it is about what situation the speakers involved in. Besides, it's purpose of the speakers in a conversation also one of aspects to this type.

It is focusing on the topic which occurs in speakers conversations. A situation may raise a topic which speakers involved into. Also, by notice it topic, listener can acquire the purpose of a conversation which occurred.

In other way, field is where we looking at what topics we are talking about, not the place. Field understanding is important to acquired by both speaker and listener to avoid misinterpretations due variation of knowledge of a field. Even if the speaker and listener are in the same occupation or professional field, there is slight chance that misunderstanding and misinterpretations occur for there is possibility that they have different experience or different flight hours.

b.Mode

“Mode refers to what part of language is playing, what it is that the participants are expecting language to do for them in the situation: the symbolic organization of the text, the status that it has, and its function in the context” (Martin and Rose, 2003: 243). A mode includes an action part of communications, whether spoken or written. How the speaker send their message is the aspect in mode concerned about. In a conversation, messages tend to sent by spoken but it does not mean that written is not used, just less according to situation occurs at the time.

Mode is what role is being played by language and other semiotic systems in the situation: (1) the division of labour between semiotic activities and social ones (ranging from semiotic activities as constitutive of the situation to semiotic activities as facilitating); (2) the division of labour between linguistic activities and other semiotic activities; (3) rhetorical mode: the orientation of the text towards field (e.g. informative, didactic, explanatory, explicatory) or tenor (e.g. persuasive, exhortatory, hortatory, polemic); (4) turn: dialogic or monologic; (5) medium: written or spoken; (6) channel: phonic or graphic” (Halliday, 2014: 33).

In simply way, mode is expected action of the audiences after utterances are delivered. Also the way we use to deliver register in written or spoken form. In this case, the possibility to understand written form of mode is lower than spoken due we may not knowing who are the speaker and the listener then we cannot elaborate what is the intention of the text and to whom it is intended, except direct written form such as texting, but it does not mean that texting is free misunderstanding way of written form. In spoken form, mode’s intention is much clearer and the possibility of misunderstanding is lower than written.

c. Tenor

“Tenor refers to who is taking a part to the nature of the participants, their statuses and roles; what kinds of roles relationships obtain, including permanent and temporary relationship of one kind of another, both the types of socially significant relationships in which they are involved” (Martin and Rose, 2003: 243).

Tenor concerned to who are the speakers and listeners. Their position in the conversation is also the main concern in this type. It is mostly about the identity of the people who are in the conversation. Tenor reveals relationship of the participants by knowing who they are in the conversation. “Tenor is who is taking part in the situation: (1) the roles played by those taking part in the socio-semiotic activity – institutional roles, status roles (power, either equal or unequal), contact roles (familiarity, ranging from strangers to intimates) and sociometric roles (affect, either neutral or charged, positively or negatively); and (2) the values that the interactants imbue the domain with (either neutral overloaded, positively or negatively)” (Halliday, 2014: 33).

As the previous statement, participant’s identities are main aspect of this type. The aspects of who are the speakers and listeners, their social statuses and roles and their influence in the conversation included into tenor. Every speaker have their positions in a occurred conversations which means they have their own influence in it.

“Tenor means that the goals of the situation, or intended outcomes, are concerned with tenor, more specifically with the relationship between speaker and addressee – with maintaining or changing this relationship, as when speakers try to bring their address closer to their own positions” (Halliday, 2014: 41). This is part of seeing to whom we talking to. We can see who is the listener and their connection to speaker who are present and participating in the conversation as well. From this part, it is quite important to see listener to avoid unnecessary utterances which may lead to confusions due the ignorance of listener.

Taken from three distinguished types of register above, register is not only focused on the utterances that are used but also from context situation of the time that the utterances performed. For short, field is about what is happening and what is done by the participants of the conversation, mode is what expected effect from performed utterances toward audience's future actions after the utterances are performed and tenor is who talks, what their status and roles. It is essential to acknowledge the situation context to avoid lost of track from register meanings and intentions at vary moments.

1.2 Functional Varieties of Register

Halliday (in Nababan, 1985: 42) states that the register function includes:

1. Instrumental functions

Namely the language oriented to the listener or interlocutor. The language used to regulate the listener's behavior so that the interlocutor wants to obey or follow what is expected by the speaker or writer. This can be done by a speaker or writer by using expressions that express a request, appeal, or seduction.

2. Interaction function

Namely the function of language oriented to contact between parties who are communicating. Register in this case serves to establish and maintain relationships and show feelings of friendship or social solidarity. The expressions used are usually of a fixed pattern, such as when we meet, meet, ask about the situation, ask for farewell, and so forth.

3. Personality or personal functions

Namely the function of languages that are oriented to speakers. Language is used to bring together things that are personal. In matters relating to him.

4.The problem solver or heuristic

Namely the function of the use of language contained in expressions that ask, according to, or state an answer to a problem or problem. The language used is usually as a tool for learning all things, investigating reality, looking for facts, and explanations. The expressions used in this function are in the form of a question that demands explanation or explanation.

5. Imagination function

Namely the function of using language oriented to the mandate or intention to be conveyed. Language in this function is used to express and convey thoughts or ideas and feelings of a speaker or writer.

6. Information function

Namely the use of language that serves as a tool to provide news or information so that others can know.

3. Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19)

Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) is a disease caused by infection of the SARS-CoV-2 virus, first identified in the city Wuhan in the Hubei of China in December 2019. Covid 19 has spread to various countries in the world, including Indonesia. The number of positive cases of corona viirus(covid-19) in Indonesia continuos to grow. The most common symptoms of covid-19 are dry cough, fever, and shortness of breath. It is estimated tht symptoms can appear between 2-14 days after exposure even though there are isolated cases that indicate this may take longer. If you experience symptoms, you must stay at home to prevent the spread of the disease to the community. Wearing a face mask will help prevent the spread of the disease to others.

The movement #stayathome is not just a campaign on social media. But it is a concrete step that we can take together to fight the covid-19 pandemi or corona virus disease. By way of spreading important information and positive messages related to the virus. One of them, through Instagram. Not only users, but government, brands, communities, small and medium –sized entrepreneurs, to the content creators also contribute to the fight against this virus through positive messages that they connvey.

Many social media users make registers about the covid-19 pandemi using hastag and slogan. Register is a language variation that appears in context this situations This makes it easier for us as recipients and reliable source when reading in one of social media especially Instagram and Twitter. Social media has an impact on the number of Instagram users who create personal hastags

regarding corona virus disease (covid-19) . There are the word of register has not been heard by many people. Language variations show to social media users interested, such as hastag and news. This become interest in doing research on register about covid-19 posting on social media.

4 .Social Media

Social media is an online media, with its users can easily participate, share, and create the contents of blog, social networks, wikis, forums and the virtual world and the most common forms of social media used by people through out the world.

The function of social media itself is a platform where can interact with people and from the social media. Language situation that stable, there are major varieties of highly divergent, highly codified, often more grammatically complex in language used in formal education but not used by section various of the community for casual converstion.

Social media is also a medium for socializing with each other and done online that allows humans to interact with each other without being limited by space and time.

4.1 Instagram

Instagram is a social network that is most popularity used to post photos. Users upload photo digitally, apply filters to edit their apperance and share the photo with another user.(Lansverk,2014).

Instagram announced that it had already reached one million members after only two months in operation.less than a year later, more than 150 milion

photos had been uploaded to the site. By 2011, the site had grown to include 10 million users. In August 2011, Facebook acquired Instagram with a \$1 billion offer in cash and stock. Ever since, Instagram has continued to flourish, especially among business.

Language influence the users of Instagram, which there are many people who has made studied about language variation (register) in the COVID-19 outbreak situation.

4.2 Twitter

(Susanti, 2016) The presence of social media is a history that brings changes to the human communication process is done by doing face to face, group and mass communication, change completely with the development of virtual communication technology, mainly internet. According to Renkeman (Jaya, 2012) someone's communication patterns is so huge until someone create a new kind of text. Twitter is one of social networking service implied in microblogging category or short blogging in one paragraph in one post.

Language also affects the use of Instagram, which a fairly stable language variation (register) in which exists the main varieties of highly codified and generally learned from formal education and used in formal writing and speech but not used by various community section for casual conversation.

B. Relevance of Studies

The study of register is one of the studies used to find out the meaning of register used in several social media about COVID-19. There are some similar

research studies that had been conducted before. The results of the research is described as follows:

1. The study had done by Alis Rahmati (2014). The study about *A Sociolinguistic Analysis of Register Used in Soccer Page of Social Media Facebook*. This research described and classify about the data which categories as the register from status or chat in facebook. The data was collected from status or chat in facebook. The data was analyzed from classifying the data which categories as the register. The finding are based on linguistic form and meaning of register used in soccer page. This research have the relevance related to the research to conducted. This research have relationship the variation forms and meaning of the register about covid-19.

2. The study has done by Corrie yuliana Lubis (2016). The study about *A Register Analysis in Online Shope Term Facebook*. The research describe and classify about the the terms that are categorized as register used in online shop community in facebook, by the formations (abbreviation, clipping, coinage, acronyms). In this research, Corrie finds that the register that are used by the online shop facebook are 100 items. It consist of single words, phrases and sentences and found score words that categorized as new words that have not been included in the dictionary and the people tend to make new terms in explaining what they are talking about in order to make the conversation simpler. Those kind of the categories to identify the kind of register are dipping, blending, coinage, abbreviation, acronym, borrowing and compounding. This research has relevance related to the research to be conducted.

3. The study has done by Farikha Nur Alfi (2013). The study about *A Sociolinguistics Analysis of Register Used in Online Shop of Social Media*. The research described and classify about the register which were taken from Facebook and how the words were created and used the buyers and used in online shop by the content of the meaning (lexical).

C. Conceptual Framework

When people interact with others in society, anytime, anywhere they must be use a language. Without a language people will find some troubles when they do their activities and toward the others. Sociology of language is emphasizes its notice toward both of activities above, even active and passive communicate too other and language attitudes. From the explanations above we found the term of sociology of language which called sociolinguistic. Sociolinguistic as the study which focuses on the characteristic and variety of language and the relationship of linguistic with the variaty and function of language in society.

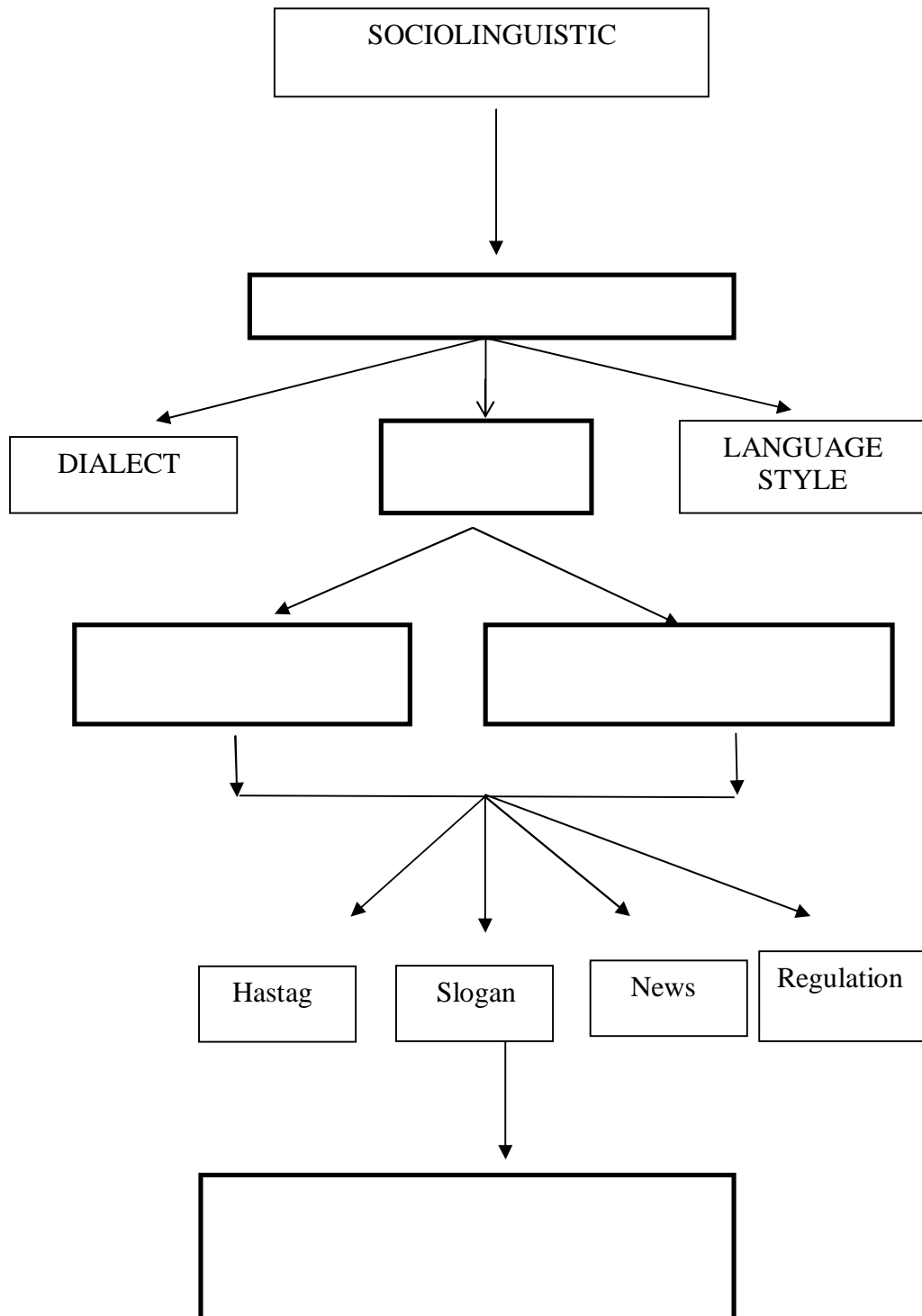
There are several language variation that arise in community about covid-19 especially, Indonesia. Language variation has three parts namely dialect, register, and language style. Variety is a specific set of linguistic items or human speech patterns (presumably sound, words, grammatically features, etc) which we can connect with some external factor apparently, a geographical area or a social group.

Register can simply described as variations of the language according to its use, while the dialect as a language variation based on users register on this concept is not limited to the choice of word but also includes the choices of the

use of text structure and texture and language style to the typical ways in which one or more people do a particular thing.

Considering language variation that arise, this study has two objectives which are related to registers that appear posting covid-19 on social media. The first objective is to investigate the lexical semantic meaning in covid-19 post social media and the second purpose to investigate the realization of register(form) in the hastag, slogan,news and regulation contained post social media about covid-19.

The Diagram of Conceptual Framework



CHAPTER III

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

A. Research Design

The type of this study is qualitative research method . Qualitative research is a research that does not use producer of statistic analysis or other quantification (Moleong,2007: p.6). This research was conduct by using descriptive qualitative research. Creswell (1994) stated that qualitative descriptive research in that the researcher was interested in process, meaning and understanding gain through word. The researcher take a qualitative research for this study to investigate the meaning of the word register variation on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) on Posts in Social Media. Researcher retriive data from the web page in twitter and instagram story and stasured , it is considered to be more effective in collecting data. The object of this research in the realization of register (form) and meaning of the register variation on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) on Posts in Social Media.

B. Source of Data

The data of this research is the social media posts or status about Corona virus Disease (Covid-19) such as Hastag, Slogan, News, and Regulations that would be taken from the social media such as Instagram and Twitter as the main of data source. The data was specifically limited taken on the text of various post in the social media.

C. The Technique for Data Collecting

The research data was collecting through the following steps:

1. Open a social media and looking web page twitter and instagram story.
Find someone's post on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19)
2. Reading the status on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) posts in social media .
3. Collecting references related to investigate register .

D. The Technique of Data Analyzing

Technique of data analysis in this study was use interactive theory from Miles and Huberman (2007). They divide the steps in data analysis activities with several parts, namely : data collection (data collection), data reduction, data presentation (data display) and conclusion (Verification).

1. Data Collection

In the analysis data collections of observations based on categorization in accordance with the problem of this study which data collecting from social media, especially in Instagram and Twitter post about corona virus disease (covid-19) starting from read the caption, identifying register , do note-taking and collecting references related to investigate the data.

2. Data Reduction

Data reduction is a form of sharpening analyzing, clasifying, directing, discarding unnecessary data in order organize data in such a way so the final

conclusion could be draw and verify (Miles and Huberman, 2007:16).In this step the data collected from reference, especially Instagram, Twitter and Facebook can analysis, unnecessary data can be removed and then the conclusion about register variation on Corona Virus Disease(Covid-19) was be obtained.

3. Data Display

After reduction the data, the next step will display was drawing. The data was classify to investigate the difference between the lexical semantic and the realization of register (form) on Corona Virus Disease (Covid-19) posts in Social Media.

4. Conclusion (Verification).

The last step after the data display was draw conclusion and verification. It will be used to describe all of the data and found the answer to analyzing of lexical meaning their post in social media based on register variation.

CHAPTER IV

DATA AND DATA ANALYSIS

A. Data

After collecting all the data, the researcher is finally investigated only 50 register terms. The whole data of the research are involved about covid-19 outbreaks that found in the social media posts such as Instagram and Twitter. The brief data of this research are listed as follow:

Table 4.1

The Term of Register

No	Register
1	Lockdown
2	PSBB
3	Stay At Home
4	Stay Safe
5	Stay Healthy
6	Quarantine
7	Pandemic
8	WFH(Work From Home)
9	New normal
10	Handwashing

11	Social Distancing
12	Physical Distancing
13	Flattening the curve
14	Herd Immunity
15	PDP (Patient under surveillance)
16	ODP (People under observations)
17	OTG(people without symptoms)
18	Covid-19
19	Outbreaks
20	Rapid Test
21	Swab test
22	Self-isolation
23	Isolation
24	PSBL (Pembatasan Sosial Berskala Lokal)
25	Sterilisasi
26	Antiseptik
27	Sars-CoV-2
28	Disinfektan
29	Termal Gun
30	Discarded
31	Masker N-95
32	Kematian
33	Masa Transisi
34	Protokol Kesehatan
35	Adaptasi Kebiasaan Baru (AKB)
36	Pelaku perjalanan
37	Fasyenkes

38	Zona
39	Local Transmission
40	Pasien Positif
41	APD(Alat Pelindung Diri)
42	Epidemi
43	Endemi
44	Imported Case
45	Corona (Co V)
46	Self-Quarantine
47	Local Transmission
48	KLB(Kejadian Luar Biasa)
49	Spesimen
50	Klaster

B.Data Analysis

The data were taken from register on covid-19 outbreak post in social media. The researcher investigated register of covid-19 outbreaks in instagram and twitter.

4.1 Types Of Register

The research analysis is done through applying Halliday's theory which is specifically concerns on analyzing text based on context of situations Such as field, mode, and tenor. After having analyzed the whole data, it found that the data are classified into three types such as field, tenor and mode. The analysis is briefly investigated below:

Data 1 . Setiap Individu punya peran (mari bersama sama menghadapi masa AKB (adaptasi kebiasaan baru)



From the data above sentence to register term is AKB (Adaptasi Kabiasaan Baru). AKB that found as abbreviation from adaptasi kebiasaan baru. The field in the sentences of the register term has meaning shows for man or woman has same role in the habit of he new habits including work situation always uses a mask, handwashing and keep distance. Mode is written sentences in register term , the reader was taked an active role in following all the regulation set by government to get used to a new lifestyle. Tenor is this register term was made by **Rosamegautma-LIDM**. A sentence used by monolingual because language displayed only one language in Bahasa. It's aim as information function text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

Data 2: Kota Tangerang selama 14 hari kedepan akan memasuki perpanjangan masa PSBB dan PSBL di RW yang termasuk Zona merah.



The sentence above has three register terms, there are PSBB, PSBL and Zone. PSBB, PSBL and Zone that found as abbreviation.

1. The register term of PSBB (Pembatasan Sosial Berskala Besar) including field because this stasured inform about limited specific activities that suspected of covid-19 infection in tanggerang. It's aim's as interaction function to expression of ask situation about covid-19 case.
2. PSBL (Pembatasan Sosial Berskala Lokal) including field field because this stasured inform about public safety broadband license in environmental scope . It's aim's as interaction function to expression of public safety in Tangerang and ask situation about covid-19 case.
3. The field created because this stasured inform about Zone has meaning an area of a city that is used for a particular purpose or activity marked by black, red, orange and green increases in casualties.

Tenor in register term of PSBL, PSBB and Zone was made by @kotatanggerang to appeals to all social media users in Tangerang city know the information about area. It's aim as informational function that provide news so that others can know what happening in Tangerang City. A sentence used in posted by monolingual because language displayed only one language in Bahasa.

Data:3 Kenapa ODP dan PDP tidak ada tanda naik atau turun digambar?



The sentence above has two register terms, there are ODP and PDP. ODP (orang dalam pengawasan) and PDP (pasien dalam pengwasan) that found as abbreviation.

1. The field was created because this register term of ODP has meaning people under observation experience symptoms not show in the picture and not grafik significant. It's aim as interaction functions used to expression about situation in covid-19 case to knows victims.

2. The field of the register term of PDP has meaning given above so check it out related information about grafik not significant. Tenor in register term of PDP and ODP was made by Budi Ilham retweet from BNPN INDO. It's aim as

interaction functions used to expression about situation in covid-19 case. A sentence used by monolingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language.

Data 4: 2-3 weeks #flatten The Curve semula, sebab banyak carriers yang bawak balik dari aktiviti kempen minggu lepas.

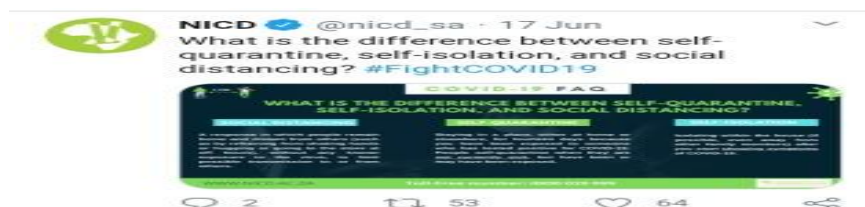


The sentence above has register terms, there are **Flatten the curve and stayathome**.

1. The field of Flatten the curve has meaning we need to try to reduce the stepness of the increase in the number of infections. It's aim as information functions text as a a tool to provide news to others people can know.

2. The field of stay at home has meaning staying at home to take care of a child instead of working somewhere else. It's aim as information functions text as provide news to other people to stay at home. Tenor in register term flatten the curve and stay at home was made by @wal from malaysia. A sentence used by bilingual because language displayed used Malaysia as first language and English as a second language.

Data 5 : Difference between self-isolation and quarantine.



The sentence above has two register terms, there are **self-isolation** and **quarantine**.

1. The field was created because this stasured informs to the reader about difference both Self-isolation has meaning appears to be more frequent in people with histories of avoiding attachment. It's aim as information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

2. The field of Quarantine has meaning a strict isolation imposed to prevent the spread of disease and difference handle a strict isolation to prevent the spread of disease with quarantine has same meaning. In tenor was made register term of self-isolation and quarantine by @ NICD. It's aim as information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know. A sentence used by monolingual because language displayed used english as first language. it's aim as information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

Data 6: Sterilisasi penyemprotan disinfektan Pasar Muara Rapak Selama 3 Hari.



From the data above to have two register term, there are sterilisasi and disinfektan. Register term that found sterilisasi as a synonym and disinfektan used code mixing .

1.The field because this stasured inform about Sterilisasi has meaning the destruction of all living microorganisms as pathogenic or saproptic bacteria, vegetative form and spore. . It's aim as information functions text as a a tool to provide news to others people can know

2.The field because this stasured inform about Disinfektan has meaning cleasing and d disinfectant product. Mode has been written about register term hoped the reader are designed to influence reader the public is be careful to keep healthy and keep using masks. Tenor in the register term was mad by @covid19kemenkesRI. A sentence used by monolingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language. It's aim as information functions text as a a tool to provide news to others people can know.

Data 7: Klaster guru kembali bertambah pemerintah terima bantuan APD(alat pelindung diri).



The sentence above has two register terms, there are Cluster and APD (Alat Pelindung Diri). Register term that found Cluster as a synonym and APD as a acronym Alat pelindung diri.

1. The field because this statused inform about Cluster has meaning a group of similar things or people positioned closely together. It's aim as information functions text as a a tool to provide news to others people can know. Mode in register term cluster hoped the reader are designed to influence and informed the public many teachers are affect by covid-19 outbreaks.

2. The field because this statused informs about APD (Alat pelindung diri) has meaning a label has become increasingly popular in recent years. Tenor in the register term Cluster and APD was made by @covid19kemenkesRI. It's aim as information functions text as a a tool to provide news to others people can know. A sentence used by bilingual

because language displayed used bahasa as first language and English as second language.

Data 8: Munculnya kebijakan WFH (work from Home) ditengah pandemi covid-19 telah mengubah cara kerja sebagian besar perusahaan dan karyawan di Indonesia.



The sentence above has register terms, there are **wfh and pandemic**. Register term that found wfh as abbreviation and pandemi as synonym.

1. The field because this stated inform about WFH that employee is working from their house and pandemic has meaning outbreak of disease that spreads quickly and affect many individuals at the same time. Mode in register term, it was hoped the reader register are designed to influence reader to informed the public to work at home in the midst pandemic that has swept in the world.

2. The field because this stated inform about Pandemic that an outbreak of a disease that occurs over a wide geographic area and typically affects a significant propotion of the population. Tenor in the register term WFH and Pandemic was made by @kata ai. A sentence used by blingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language and english as second language. It's aim

as information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

Data 9: Saat new normal diterapkan, kasus covid-19 justru meningkat di korsel.



The sentence above has two register terms, there are new normal and covid-19. Register term that found new normal as idiomatic and covid-19 as abbreviation.

1. The field because this stasured about new normal informs to the reader about covid-19 cases are increasing when a new normal condition is imposed which allows people to do activities and always follow healthy protokol . New normal has meaning a new way of living and going about our lives,works, and interactions with other people and covid-19 has meaning illness caused by SARS-CO-V 2. It's aim information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

2. The field because this stasured about covid-19 to inform the readers a mild to severe respiratory illnes that is caused by a coronavirus transmitted chiefly by contact with infectious material. Tenor in the register term new normal and

covid-19 was made by @pinterpolitik retweet from kemenkeRI . It's aim information functions text as a a tool to provide news to others people can know. A sentence used by bilingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language and english as second language.

Data 10 : Jaga jarak buat saling jaga #Socialdistancing dan #Phsycal Distancing
Menjaga Jarak Fisik tanpa membatasi hubungan sosial.



From the data above to register term are social distancing and physical distancing. Register term that found sentence used code mixing as the use of language units from one language to another to expand the style or variety language.

1. The field was created because this stuated about Social Distancing to informs the reader about important keep distance in the context situations and keeping a safe space between yourself and other people from household. Mode in register term, it was hoped the readerfollow restraining orders and to protect

person whom have low condition social interaction with anyone and keep a distance but still meet the health protocol. It's aim as information function text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

2. Physical Distancing has meaning limiting the number of people and limit the contact. The aim status posted in instagram as information function text to give public important social distancing and physical distancing stay away from bad healthy especially severe cold, high temperature and respiratory disorders. Tenor in this register Social distancing and physical distancing was made by @kemenkesRI. A sentence used by bilingual because language displayed not only one language but used English and in Bahasa.

Data 11: Sedikit nasehat StayatHome,Stay healthy dan StaySafe kepada rakyat Malaysia.



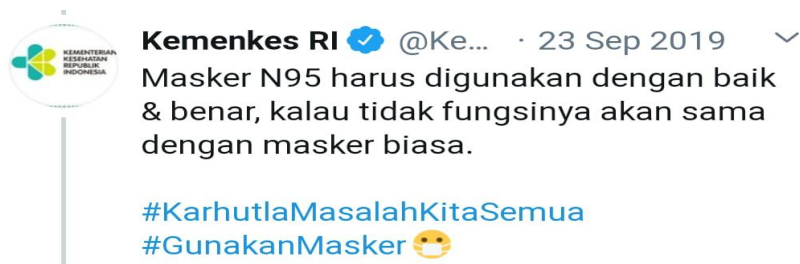
From the data above have three register term,there are StayatHome,Stay healthy and StaySafe. Register term that found sentence used code mixing as the use of language units from one language to another to expand the style or variety language.

1. The field was created because this status informs to the reader about advice the Malaysia people to important stay at home. Stay at home has meaning people from leaving their homes for anything activities. It's aim as information function text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

2. The field was created because this status informs to the reader about Stay Healthy, it was hoped the reader eating the right food and keeping fit. It's aim as information function text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

3. The field was created because this status informs to the reader about Stay Safe, it was hoped the reader protect from danger covid-19. The sentence has meaning the advice given is in the interest of the common public without exception. Tenor in register term was made by @kemenkesRI. It's aim as information function text as a tool to provide news to others people can know. A sentence used by bilingual because language displayed not only one language but used English as a second language and in Bahasa as first language.

Data 12: Kegunaan masker N-95 harus digunakan dengan baik dan benar.



The sentence above has register terms, there is **Mask N-95**. Register term that found sentence used code mixing.

The field was created because this register term informs to using mask n-95 usually in hospital if not using with good have no effect, it was hoped the reader register are designed to influence reader to informed the public is more concerned with he conditions about this outbreak and always using mask with good rules. Mode in register term ,it was hoped the reader to informed the public is more concerned with the condition about covid-19 case. Tenor in register term mask n-95 was made by @kemenkesRI. It's aim as information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know. The sentence has means show of data that confuses reader on social media the spread of covid-19 through masks that do not comply with standard national health. A sentence used by monolingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language.

Data 13: Handwashing is one of the best ways to protect yourself and your family from getting sick.



The sentence above has register terms, there is handwashing.

1. The field was created because this stated informs to the reader about handwashing to cleaning one's hands with soap and clean water can make virus gone and protect the family how to effectively wash hands and do not touch the fact.
2. Mode in register term, it was hoped the rader register are designed to influence reader to informed the public after reading the directions.
3. Tenor inregister term was made by @CDC (Keseshatan). It's aim as information functions text as a a tool to provide news to others people can know. A sentence used by monolingual because language displayed used english as first language.

Data 14: besok,swab test massal dan rapid test kembali digelar di pasar muara rapak.



The sentence above has register terms, there are swab test and rapid test . Register term that found sentence used code mixing. The sentence has meaning there will be a swab test and rapid test. One of the markets will be conducted in the Muara Rapak .

1. Mode in register term swab test , it was hoped the reader register are designed to influence reader to informed the public who are in the area immediately come to do the swab test and rapid test. It's aim as interaction functions text as to show expression about situation happened.

2. Mode in register term examination of **rapid test** in Indonesia, carried out using blood sample. While the swab test used mucus samples taken from the

nose and throat. It's aim as interaction functions text as to show expression about situation happened. Tenor in register term was made by @ covid-19bpn. A sentence used by bilingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language and english as second language.

Data 15: Mini Lockdown, strategi Jokowi untuk daerah atasi Covid-19.



The sentence above has two register terms, there are lockdown and covid-19. Register term that found sentence used code mixing as the use of language units from one language to another to expand the style or variety language.

1. The field was created because this status informs to the reader about Lockdown to condition imposed as during outbreaks of an epidemic in which people to stay in their homes and limit activities outside the home. It's aim as interaction function to show feelings about the situations for lose covid-19.

2. The field was created because this status informs to the reader about Covid-19 to illness caused by SARS-Co-V-2 and overcome covid-19 outbreak, the president republic of Indonesia Mr.Joko Widodo take small action in several city. Tenor in register term was made by @brahmastayudha. It's aim as interaction function to show feelings about the situations for lose covid-19. A

sentence used by bilingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language and english as a second language.

Data 16: Herd Immunity ini adalah kebijakan pemerintah menangani covid-19 outbreak.



The sentence above has register terms, there is Herd immunity and Outbreaks. Register term that found sentence used code mixing.

1. The field was created because this status informs to the reader about Herd immunity to improve the immune through vaccination. Mode in register term, it was hoped the public is important to herd immunity because the way maintain immunity. It's aim as information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

2. The field was created because this status informs to the reader about Outbreak to give the reader in this situation always improve the immune through vaccination. Tenor in register term was made by @Kemenkes Ri. It's aim as information functions text as a tool to provide news to others people can know.

A sentence used by bilingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language and english as second language.

Data 17: Thermal Gun tidak merusak otak



The sentence above has register terms is Termal Gun. Register term that found sentence used code mixing as the use of language units from one language to another to expand the style or variety language.

The field of Termal Gun was created because this stasured posted about temperature screening check to society for detection covid-19 case. Mode in register term, it was hoped to the reader not misunderstanding about used termal gun and termal gun can not damage the brain because it does not laser,radioactive like X-Ray but only used Infra Red. Tenor in register term was made by @kemenkesRI. A sentence used by bilingual because language displayed used bahasa as first language and english as a second language. It's aim as information function as to show provides news or information about situation happened.

4.2 The Realization of Register Variation in Posting covid-19 on Social Media

The reader get information with reading the caption or hastag in social media used Indonesia and English Language. For people who understand only one language and language displayed including Monolingual while people who understand both language displayed including Bilingual. The realization of register variation in posting covid-19 on social media is functionally aimed to share various informations to society.

Based on the theory, there are 6 function of register used by researcher in analyzing this arena. After having analyzing, there are several register terms realized as Information functions such as shown on field :

- In data 1 that found shows for man or woman has same role in the habit of the new habits including work situation always uses a mask, handwashing and keep distance. This sentence has roles provide news to others people can know.
- In data 4 that found try to reduce the stepness of the increase in the number of infections. This sentence has roles provide news to others people can know what the meaning.

Register term realized as interaction function such as shown on mode :

- In the data 2 that found area of a city that is used for a particular purpose or activity marked by black, red, orange and green increases in case covid-19. This sentence used to expression ask about the situation about register term .
- In the data 3 that found the data ODP and PDP not show in the picture and not grafik significant. This sentences used to expression about situation in covid-19 case to knows victims.

CHAPTER V

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

A. Conclusion

Based on the results and investigated the data analysis of the corona virus disease (covid-19) outbreaks found in chapter four, the research draw some conclusions as follows:

1. There are 50 register terms are found in social media based on 3 types of register such as 22 register term of field, 14 register term of mode and 14 register term of tenor showed in corona virus disease (covid-19) outbreaks posted in social media especially Instagram and Twitter.
2. There are 6 function of register in covid-19 and only found 2 function of register such as 35 data as information function and 15 data as interaction function in realization of register term by caption and hastag on covid-19 posted in social media.

B.Suggestion

After seeing the results of this study, the writer offered some suggestion to be considered by those who were interested in studying about language variation (register) and making further research about it. They were as the following:

1. For the student's of English Department should learn more about sociolinguistic regarding to language variation (register), especially that ones that happened in society.

2. For the researcher, it was suggsted that other researchers should make further reseacerhs should make further research about register in linguistic form, the meaning of register and realized form register that possibly appeared later on.

3. It was suggested that the social media users, especially twitter and Instagram about register on covid-19 post in social media should understand the meaning of register and get realized forms about covid-19, so they could understand the use of language variation (register) covid-19 outbreaks in social media.

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APPENDIXES



DATA 1



DATA 2



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DATA 3



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@DGHisham @MuhyiddinYassin elok sangat tu #StayAtHome 🏠 2-3 weeks #FlattenTheCurve semula, sebab banyak carriers yang bawa balik dari aktiviti kempen minggu lepas



DATA 4

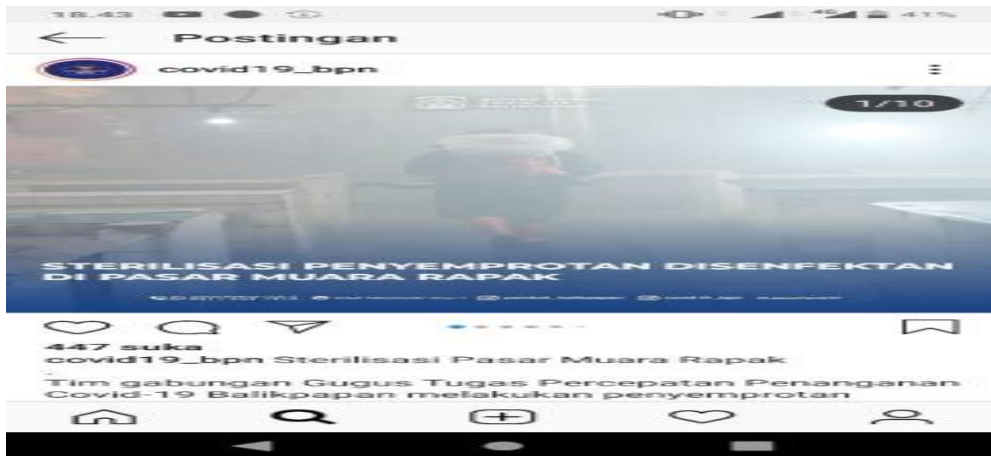


NICD @nicd_sa · 17 Jun

What is the difference between self-quarantine, self-isolation, and social distancing? #FightCOVID19



DATA 5



DATA 6



DATA 7



DATA 8



Pinterpolitik.com @pinterpol... · 2 Jun
Saat new normal diterapkan, kasus #COVID19 justru meningkat di Korsel. Akhirnya batal deh new normal. Gimana Indonesia nih? #infografis #politik #pinterpolitik #newnormal
pinterpolitik.com/jokowi-harapan...

DATA 9



DATA 10



DATA 11



Kemenkes RI @Ke... · 23 Sep 2019

Masker N95 harus digunakan dengan baik & benar, kalau tidak fungsinya akan sama dengan masker biasa.

#KarhutlaMasalahKitaSemua
#GunakanMasker 😊

DATA 12



DATA 13



DATA 14



Brahmasta Yudha @Brahma... · 29 Sep
Mini Lockdown, Strategi Jokowi untuk Daerah Atasi Corona

#Covid_19 #Lockdown #Indonesia

DATA 15



#KataNalar @ZAEffendy · 3 Apr
Kalau benar "herd immunity" ini adalah pilihan kebijakan pemerintah, saatnya RAKYAT MENUNTUT MUNDUR PEMIMPIN YANG MENCELAKAKAN BANGSANYA dan TIDAK MAMPU MENANGANI PANDEMI #COVID19 ??!!

DATA 16



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