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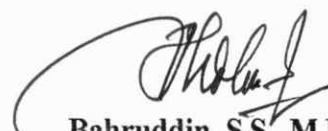
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Cohesion is one of the criteria of text. It refers to the linguistic features which help make a sequence of sentences a text. It occurs in a text through the use of devices that link across sentences. There are two kinds of cohesion, they are grammatical cohesion and lexical cohesion. And argumentative essay is an essay that used to persuade readers in the writer line. There are links in the essays to make the text sequence and one of the link is grammatical cohesion.

This study is conducted to find out the correlation between frequency of grammatical cohesion and quality of argumentative essay. To know their correlation, researcher used *Pearson Product Moment*. The study involved 85 samples from 120 populations. The data is secondary data that got from the TOFLE lecture class C, D and E. The data are collected through documentation.

The data showed that the frequency of grammatical cohesion is heterogeneous. The total of grammatical cohesion is 5794. The mean of grammatical cohesion frequency is 68.16 and the minimum of the frequency is 30 and the highest is 122. In another side, the quality of students' argumentative essay is 45 – 85. The average of the score is 65.79. Analysis of the two variables started with Kolmogorov-Smirnov Test to know the normality. The result is 0.343 for frequency of grammatical cohesion and 0.312 of quality of students' argumentative essay. Then, both of data are analyzed using *Product Moment* formula. The result showed that the *sig* value of the correlation is 0.04 with the coefficient correlation is 0.308. Therefore, the null hypothesis that there is no correlation between the variables is rejected. And the correlation between the variables is weak.

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