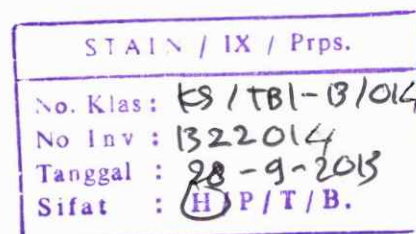


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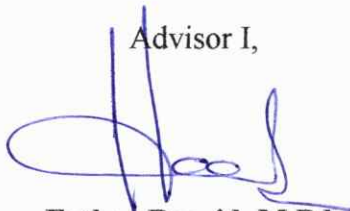
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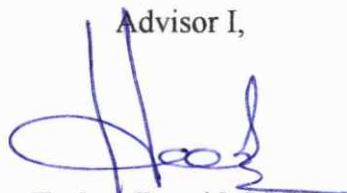
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This study is aimed to know the morphological errors which have been found in the students' expository essay as the data source of this study. The research design of this study is descriptive qualitative research. The researcher uses purposive sampling to take the sample and makes a criterion to get specific subject: they are English department students who are taking morphology. To collect the data the researcher uses data redundancy. The instruments of this study are the researcher herself and her morphological knowledge. The theory used to analyze the data is Burt and Krashen's theory, namely *Surface Strategy Taxonomy* including errors of omission, errors of addition, errors of misformation and errors of misordering. Based on the research finding and discussion, there are 107 items of morphological errors that have been found. As the result, the most dominant type of morphological error is error of omission. The errors of omission are 41 items or 38,31%, errors of addition are 40 items or 37,38%, errors of misformation are 22 item or 20,56% and errors of misordering are 4 items or 3,75%. The result of the data analysis above shows us that the fourth semester of English department students of STAIN Kediri still have difficulties in morphological process even they are in writing III and taking Morphological subject.

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