

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Background of the Research

Language is the method of communication that involves the use of particularly human and humans to communicate with human use sign, such as words and movements. In daily life, the people of course pronounce certain languages when speaking, whether it is Indonesian, regional languages as well as foreign languages such as English. In human live, languages is one of the most important things, by using the language, people can talk and write to other people in the society. When people know a language, people can speak and be understood by others who know that language. This means everyone has the capacity to produce sound that signify certain meanings and to understand or interpret the sound produced by others.

According to Burton (2016, p. 256), “if a language is a set of sentences, then the job of describing a language consists in indicating, for every sequence of words, whether or not that sequence counts as a grammatical sentence of the language”. In order to communicate in English well, someone must have proficiency in English both written and oral. By mastering English correctly, people will find it easy to communicate and even establish relationships with others. In English, writing is different from oral. It is assumed that written English is more difficult than spoken English. Furthermore, to become better in written English we must know about grammar first.

Biber (1999, p. 3) give an opinion that the vocabulary and grammar that someone use to communicate are influenced by a number of factors, such as the reason for the communication, the context, the people with whom we are communicating, and whether someone speaking or writing. Use in English and most grammars have focused on structural considerations cataloguing and describing the form and meaning of grammatical constructions. Based on the above explanation, it can be concluded that Grammar has been defined as the study structures. is a science that teaches how to speak, read and write English properly and correctly. So that we can speak, read, and write English properly and correctly.

When people discuss about conjunction, the writer says it is one of the parts of speech. In conjunction there are several types, such as coordinate conjunction, subordinate conjunction and correlative conjunction, but here the writer only focuses on coordinate conjunction. In studying conjunction, especially coordinate conjunction many problems are faced by many peoples. As well as less knowing the types of coordinate conjunction and how to process the use of coordinate conjunction in the sentence. Hence the writer interested to analyze the kinds and meaning coordinate conjunction of parts in it. By using Business News in The Jakarta Post and the writer will analyze also find kind and meaning the coordinate conjunction.

Conjunction is an important matter in English skill especially in grammar. Conjunction is a word that uses to join words, phrases, sentences or clauses. There are four types of conjunction, they are Coordinate Conjunction,

Subordinate Conjunction, Correlative Conjunction and Conjunctive Adverb. The functions of conjunction are as to show addition, reason, time, contrast, alternative choice, result, condition, purpose, manner, and to connect similar ideas. Conjunction can be found in the written and spoken text. The example of written text is newspaper and for the spoken text is speech.

In communication every human use conjunction, both in spoken language and written language. The function of using conjunction in communication is to tie a word with another word, a clause with another clause. So it will help us to understand the connection of the sentences or the paragraphs. Most of conjunctions are historically derived from other part of speech, particularly from preposition. So, it makes many students have difficulty to differentiate whether it is conjunction or not.

In this paper, "Business News The Jakarta Post" as the media to analysis the uses of conjunction. The Jakarta Post is an English newspaper which is published in every morning. The Jakarta Post has some columns such as headline, national, international, politics, business, features, art, culture, and also entertainment news.

To understand more about function and meaning of conjunction in the sentences, the writer takes some sentences in *Business News of The Jakarta Post*. The reason why the writer uses sentences in *Business News of The Jakarta Post* is the writer finds many conjunctions in sentence form. Such as, and, but, or, so, yet, as, however, for, not only but also, since, etc.

B. Question and Scope of the Research

1. Question of the Research

Based on the backgrounds of the research which have been explained above, there are some questions in the following:

- a. What kinds of the coordinating conjunction which in business news of The Jakarta Post Newspaper published on Monday, April 20th, 2020 and Tuesday, April 21th, 2020?
- b. What are the functions of the coordinating conjunction in business news of The Jakarta Post Newspaper published on Monday, April 20th, 2020 and Tuesday, April 21th, 2020?
- c. What are the dominant kinds of conjunctions used in News Businessw the Jakarta Post published on Monday, April 20th, 2020 and Tuesday, April 21th, 2020?

2. Scope of the Research

In this research, the analysis focuses on how to analyze the kinds, function and of the coordinating conjunction in business news of The Jakarta Post Newspaper. The writer tries to explain the meaning, kinds and functions of those coordinating conjunction which are used. The research takes Lingga, theory in his book of "*Advanced English Grammar for Toefl Preparation*". By classifiying and analyzing those coordinating conjunction, people can understand about the kinds coordinating conjunction and functions of those conjunction which are used.

C. The Objectives of Research

Here are the objectives related to the questions above:

1. This research is for explaining the coordinating conjunction that exist in Business News of The Jakarta Post Newspaper.
2. This research is for identifying the kinds, and the function of the coordinating conjunction in Business News of The Jakarta Post Newspaper.
3. This research is for finding out the coordinating conjunction dominant types of conjunctions used in Business News The Jakarta Post Newspaper.

D. The Significance of Research

Through this research, the writer hopes that the results of this research paper can be useful for readers to give a further insights and knowledges about English Syntax. The writer also hopes that this research can add the writer's knowledge and more about the kinds and function of conjunctions in business news of The Jakarta Post Newspaper.

Theoretically, this research is expected to provide a good explanation and understanding about coordinating conjunction, so that it can enrich the knowledge of the readers in the syntax field of conjunction, especially in function and kinds of coordinating conjunction.

Practically, this research is not only providing additional insights, but also new experience that is very useful for the writer. For readers, this research can provide understanding about how to interpreted used coordinating conjunction and can help give information for the readers how to study and

understand the function and kinds of coordinating conjunction in business news of The Jakarta Post Newspaper.

E. Operational Definition

In this part, several term or theories which are used in the research are explained. The definitions are as follows:

1. Grammar

Grammar is the study about sentence structures but it deals abroad than syntax, where syntax is sub-field of grammar. Grammar deals with functions of word, phrases, clauses to create a structured sentence.

2. Syntax

Syntax is sub-field of grammar which deals with how to create a structured sentence to form good sentence in a language.

3. Part of speech

Part of speech is word-class-classify in a language according to its categories, functions and meaning in a grammatical system.

4. Coordinating Conjunction

Coordinating conjunction is one of conjunction types which the fuction is as connector between two equal phrases, clauses, sentences or even paragraphs. It's different from subordinate which connects between two different sequences of sentences. e.g of coordinate conjunction is and, but, or, either, neither. Coordinating conjunction also called coordinators,

are conjunctions that join or coordinate two or more items (such as words, main clauses, or sentences) of equal syntactic importance.

F. Systematization of the Research

The systematic of the research means to present the research well edited composition. This research is divided into five chapters as follow:

Chapter I is an introduction. This chapter explains about the background of the research, question and scope of the research, objectives and significant of the research, operational definition and the system systematization of the research.

Chapter II is the theoretical description. This chapter consists about theories from many books of reference from the experts in their field or science to support the writer in researching this research such as explain about coordinating conjunction, kinds and function coordinating conjunction.

Chapter III is research methodology. This chapter explains about some parts. There are, method of the research, procedure of the research, technique of the data collection, technique of the data analysis and sources of the primary and secondary data.

Chapter IV is the analysis data. This chapter contains the analysis found in Buiness news of *The Jakarta Post*. This analysis will describe about the kinds of the coordinating conjunction, function of the coordinating conjunction and dominant kinds of coordinating conjunction in the business news.

Chapter V is the conclusion and suggestions. They include some explanations about conclusion (relates to hypothesis discussion) and suggestion (relates to significances of the research).

