

ABSTRACT

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This research dealt with the thematic progression in business news of The Jakarta Post. The objectives of this study were (1) to discover the thematic progression in business news of The Jakarta Post, (2) to describe the cohesive elements realized in thematic progression, (3) to explain the reasons of using thematic progression in business news. The data were obtained from the clauses of thematic progression in business news of The Jakarta Post. This research applied qualitative research design. The analysis of this research is done with Miles, Huberman, and Saldana's Interactive Model (2014) which encompasses data condensation, data display, and verification drawing conclusion. The findings of this study showed that (1) there are four types that used namely constant theme pattern, linear theme pattern, split rheme pattern, and split theme pattern. (2) the cohesive elements were realized in thematic progression of business news namely reference, substitution, ellipsis, and conjunction. (3) the reason of using thematic progression were to make text applicable in narrative, argumentative, and expository genre.

Key words: textual function, thematic progression, cohesive elements, coherence level

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Penelitian ini mengenai tematik progresi di berita bisnis di koran The Jakarta Post. Tujuan penelitian ini adalah (1) untuk menemukan tipe tematik progresi, (2) untuk mengetahui elemen kohesi yang digunakan di theme dan (3) untuk mengetahui alasan mengapa penulis menggunakan tematik progresi di koran The Jakarta Post. Penelitian ini menggunakan desain penelitian kualitatif. Analisis penelitian dengan menggunakan teori dari Miles, huberman, dan Saldana (2014) yang mengemukakan data condensation, data display, dan drawing conclusion. Temuan penelitian ini menunjukkan bahwa (1) ada 4 tipe tematik progresi yaitu constant theme pattern, linear theme pattern, split rheme pattern, dan split theme pattern. (2) element kohesi yang direalisasikan adalah reference, substitusi, ellipsis, dan konjungsi. (3) alasan menggunakan tematik progresi adalah untuk membuat text tersebut sesuai dengan genre narasi, argumentasi dan eksposisi.

Key words: fungsi textual, tematik progresi, element kohesi,

