CHAPTER 4

CONCLUSION

This study is the analysis of directive speech act found in Donal Duck comic “The Avenger I.” The objective of this study is to analyze the directive speech act found in Donald Duck comic based on the contextual factors which influence the speaker to use the directive speech act. Moreover, the intention implied through the directive function is simultaneously found out. The data were analyzed based on the theory of directive speech act proposed by Leech (1983) and the theory of context proposed by Leech (1983).

After analyzing 22 data, the writer found that there are some intentions implied through the directive function in the utterance of the characters of Donald Duck comic. They are command (10 data), beg (2 data), request (4 data), suggestion (3 data), offer (1 data) and invitation (2 data). Therefore, it can be concluded that the directive speech act performed by the characters’ utterance are mostly in the form of command. Moreover, the command is mostly used by the Donald Duck character.

The contextual factors influencing the use of the directive speech acts by the characters of Donald Duck comic are the goal of the utterance, the addressee of the utterance, and the addressee of the utterance. It is found that the goal of utterance and the addressee of the utterance are the major factor which influences the use of the directive speech act.