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ABSTRACT

In this thesis, the writer analyzed auxiliary verbs and modal auxiliaries in Saul Bellow’s short story entitled “Looking for Mr. Green”. The scopes of this thesis are definition, function, type, type of tenses that used, and most dominant use. And in method of research the writer used library research as research design, quantitative data is applied as data, in data collecting method the writer used listening method with written technique and in data analysis the writer applied Junaidi and Suwono’s formula to get the percentage.

Auxiliary verb is helping verb, in sentence has particular function but hasn’t particular meaning. Auxiliary form is determined by subject and tenses. Auxiliary verb is helping verb that function to form passive voice, progressive aspect, perfect aspect, dummy, and emphasis. In addition, the writer found 16 types of auxiliary verbs in Bellow’s short story entitled “Looking for Mr. Green”, those are is, am, are, was, were, do, does, did, have, had, be, been, being, to be, used to, and need that use different tenses. And the most dominant use is auxiliary verb was with percentage 20.82 %.

Whereas, modal auxiliaries is words that have own meaning and only followed by base form. Sentence which uses modal auxiliaries, its change happens to modal auxiliaries and not to verb, the verb still base form. The functions of modal auxiliaries are to express present and past ability, expectation, preference, present need and present lack of need, past need and past lack of need, advice, advice about the past, present possibility and past possibility, probability, to request action, and permission. Besides, the writer found 9 types of modal auxiliaries in Bellow’s short story entitled “Looking for Mr. Green”, those are can, could, will, would, should,
ought to, must, have to, and might that use different tenses. And the most dominant use is modal auxiliaries could with percentage 18.26 %.
ABSTRAK

Dalam tesis ini, penulis menganalisis kata kerja bantu dan kata kerja bantu modal dalam cerita pendek Saul Bellow yang berjudul "Looking for Mr. Green".

Batasan dari tesis ini adalah definisi, fungsi, jenis, jenis tenses yang digunakan, dan penggunaan yang paling dominan. Dan dalam metode penelitian, penulis menggunakan penelitian perpustakaan sebagai metode penelitian, data kuantitatif diterapkan sebagai data, dalam metode pengumpulan data penulis menggunakan metode menyimak dengan teknik menulis dan dalam analisis data penulis menggunakan rumus Junaidi dan Suwono untuk mendapatkan persentase penggunaan yang paling dominan.

Auxiliary verbs adalah kata kerja bantu, yang dalam kalimat memiliki fungsi tertentu, tetapi tidak memiliki makna tertentu. Bentuk auxiliary verbs ditentukan oleh subjek dan waktu. Auxiliary verbs adalah kata kerja bantu yang berfungsi untuk membentuk kalimat pasif, aspek progresif, aspek waktu yang telah selesai, bentuk dummy, dan penekanan. Selain itu, penulis menemukan 16 jenis kata kerja bantu dalam cerita pendek Saul Bellow yang berjudul "Looking for Mr. Green", yaitu is, am, are, was, were, do, does, did, have, had, be, been, being, to be, used to, and need yang menggunakan tenses/ keterangan waktu yang berbeda. Dan penggunaan paling dominan adalah kata kerja bantu was dengan persentase 20.82%.

Sedangkan, modal auxiliaries adalah kata-kata yang memiliki arti sendiri dan hanya diikuti oleh bentuk dasar. Kalimat yang menggunakan modal auxiliaries, perubahan yang terjadi pada modal auxiliaries bukan pada kata kerja, kata kerja masih bentuk dasar. Fungsi modal auxiliaries adalah untuk mengekspresikan kemampuan masa sekarang dan masa lalu, harapan, pilihan/ sesuatu yang lebih
disukai, kebutuhan saat ini, kebutuhan masa lalu, saran, nasihat tentang masa lalu, kemungkinan masa sekarang dan masa lalu, meminta tindakan, dan izin. Selain itu, penulis menemukan 9 jenis modal auxiliaries dalam cerita pendek Saul Bellow yang berjudul "Looking for Mr. Green", yaitu can, could, will, would, should, ought to, must, have to, and might yang menggunakan tenses/ keterangan waktu yang berbeda. Dan penggunaan yang paling dominan adalah modal auxiliaries could dengan persentase 18.26%.
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