

## ABSTRACT

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Semantics is commonly known as the study of meaning in a language. This Study Entitled: “A *SEMANTIC ANALYSIS OF METAPHOR IN THE NORTH AMANATUN DIALECT OF UAB METO*”. This research analyzed about semantic analysis of metaphor found in the North Amanatun Dialect of Uab Meto”. The purposes of this research are: (1) Identifying the types of metaphor which are found in the North Amanatun Dialect” and (2) identifying the dominant types of metaphor in the North Amanatun Dialect of Uab Meto. This research is analyzed by using descriptive qualitative method because the writer uses description based on the quality comprehensive in the analysis. Based on the metaphor classification the theory of Ullman, 2009: 266-270, the writer found that there are four types of metaphor in the North Amanatun Dialect including Concrete to Abstract Metaphors, Anthropomorphic Metaphors, Synesthetic Metaphors, and Animal Metaphors. Meanwhile the writer also found that the dominant type of metaphor is concrete to abstract metaphors with the number 12 Sentences, followed by the Anthropomorphic Metaphors and Synesthetic Metaphors are 5 sentences for each type, and the last type is Animal Metaphor. The results of this research could be extra information in studying semantic meaning that focused on metaphor, forms of metaphor, and metaphorical meanings.

**Key Words:** Semantic, Metaphor, Types of Metaphor

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Semantik pada dasarnya dikenal sebagai ilmu yang mempelajari tentang makna bahasa . penelitian ini berjudul: “*ANALISIS SEMANTIK MENGENAI METAFOR DALAM DIALEK AMANATUN BAHASA DAWAN (UAB METO)*”. Tujuan penelitian ini adalah: (1) mengidentifikasi jenis – jenis metaphor Dalam Dialek Amanatun Uab Meto” dan (2) mengidentifikasi jenis metaphor yang paling dominan dalam Dialek Amanatun Bahasa Dawan (Uab Meto). Metode yang digunakan dalam penelitian ini adalah metode deskriptif kualitatif. Berdasarkan teori metaphor yang dikemukakan oleh Ullman, 2009: 266-270, penulis menemukan bahwa ada 4 jenis metaphor dalam dialek Amanatun yakni Metafor Konkrit ke Abstrak, Metafor Antromorfis, Metafor Sinestetik, dan Metafor Hewan. Penulis juga menemukan bahwa jenis metaphor yang paling dominan dalam dialek Amanatun yakni Metafor Konkrit ke Abstrak dengan jumlah 12 kalimat, diikuti oleh Metafor Antromorfis dan Metafor Sinestetik dengan masing – masing 5 kalimat, dan jenis metaphor yang paling sedikit ditemukan yakni Metafor Hewan.

**Key Words:** Semantik, Metafor, Jenis–Jenis Metafor