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The Problem statements of this research are: What are the punctuation used by students in writing background of study and what are the common errors that created by students in writing background of study.

The subjects are three theses belong to three students` of English Department. The objects are the punctuation used by students` in their background of study and the common punctuation errors in their background of study. The writer read the theses and analyzed the punctuations and punctuations errors created by students in their background of study. After collected, the data are analyzed with theories and explained descriptive-qualitatively.

The result shows that the writer found 8 punctuations such as commas, period, parentheses, colon, quotation marks, semi colon, questions marks and apostrophe. There are 108 commas, 116 period, 9 parentheses, 3 colon, 6 quotation marks, 6 semi colon, 1 questions marks and apostrophe 16 from 120 sentences in this research. In this research, the writer also found there are 6 punctuation errors in this research, 1 missing period after last sentence, 1 missing quotation marks, 1 do not use apostrophe on plural nouns ending in "s", 3 comma splices, 1 missing colon and 2 missing comma.

#### **ABSTRAK**

Asratiah. 2017. Analisis Tanda Baca Pada Skripsi Mahasiswa di UIN ANTASARI Banjarmasin. Skripsi. Jurusan Bahasa Inggris, Fakultas Tarbiyah dan Keguruan. Dosen Penasehat: (I) Nani Hizriani, M.A. (II) Puji Sri Rahayu, M.A

**Kata kunci:** Skripsi bahasa Inggris, tanda baca, kesalahan pada tanda baca

Rumusan masalah: Apa saja tanda baca yang dipakai oleh mahasiswa dalam penulisan latar belakang di skripsi bahas inggris dan apa saja kesalahan penggunaan tanda baca dalam penulisan latar belakang di skripsi bahasa inggris mahasiswa.

Subjek penelitian ini adalah tiga skripsi bahasa inggris mahasiswa. Objek penelitian ini adalah tanda baca dan kesalahan tanda baca yang terdapat pada penulisan latar belakang di skripsi para mahasiswa. Penulis membaca seluruh skripsi dan menganalisis tanda baca dan kesalahan tanda baca yang terdapat pada penulisan latar belakang di skripsi para mahasiswa. Setelah penulis mengumpulkan data, data lalu di analisis dengan teori dan dijelaska menggunakan penelitian kualitatif.

Hasil penilitian menunjukkan bahwa terdapat 8 tanda baca yaitu koma, titik, tanda kurung, titik dua, tanda petik, titik koma, tanda Tanya, dan apostrop. Ada 108 koma, 116 titik, 9 tanda kurung, 3 tanda petik, 6 tanda petik, 6 titik koma, 1 tanda Tanya dan 16 apostrop dari 120 kalimat di penelitian ini. Pada penelitian ini juga penulis menemukan 6 kesalahan dalam penggunaan tanda baca, yaitu 1 ketinggalan titik pada akhir kalimat, 1 ketinggalan tanda petik,, 1 tidak menggunakan apostrop pada kata ganti kepunyaan, 3 salah menempatan koma, dan 2 ketinggalan koma.

# Motto

# Allah says,

"When a slave of mine draws near to me a span, I draw to him cubit, and if he draws near to me a cubit, I draw near to him a fathom, and if he comes to me walking, I go to him running.

\_\_ Al-Bukhari

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