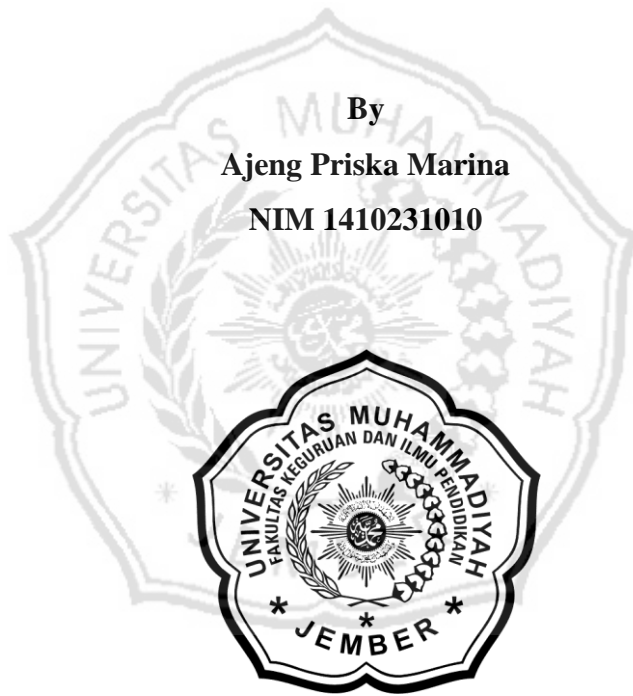


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PREFACE

Thanks to Allah for all His blessings and loves. He gave me power to finish my thesis.

My thesis focuses on reading comprehension. This thesis is written to make readers understand about the use of humorous text to increase reading comprehension. Reading becomes one of the important language skills that students need since the first time they start to study English. It needs some way and solution to improve the students' reading through available teaching strategy, in this case the researcher used humorous text.

Besides, one of the reasons to conduct this research is intended to know "how can the use of humorous text improve students' reading comprehension of the tenth grade students' at SMAN Pakusari in 2017/2018 Academic Year?"

It will hopefully give the information of using humorous text to improve the students' reading comprehension. This thesis will also become a consideration for the English teachers to use humorous text in the teaching and learning process at the school. The researcher realizes that this thesis has weaknesses and the correction is hoped.

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