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| PART 1: Comments | | |
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| Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications? | The style/ language quality is not really good. As there are a hard recurrence, many time identical ideas reaper. Similar form style noticed from one section to a another etc.  All these points are mentioned below, have to be adjusted.   * It is also right to reveal that the methodology is acceptable. |  |
| Optional/General comments | 1. The approach as the research method followed are very suitable.  * **About the Introduction:**  1. Some repeated ideas have to be removed (do not fill your text):  * (All events and occurrences as well as the entire life path of the characters in are described in such a way that the reader can follow the storyline step by step. ~~Readers are led to follow the storyline from beginning to end.)~~ * The language used is the ~~language used in the everyday life~~ standard/ usual/ ordinary level. * No need to make comparison between the novel and other kind of literary works: (Novels have intrinsic elements ~~that are much more complete than other types of prose works~~.) (novel literary works use simple language, but by utilizing an interesting and evocative style of language~~. Unlike the language of poetry which is dense, concise, full of symbols and metaphors and imaginative~~.) (Novel literary works present problems that are broader in scope and deeper ~~compared to other types of prose, such as short stories or folk tales~~.) and so on.  1. Novels have intrinsic elements that are ~~much more~~ complete ~~than other types of prose works. The main intrinsic elements of novel literary works~~ they are: (1) the theme or core or basis of the story, (2) characters or characterization, (3) plot or plot or storyline, (4) background or setting, and (5) diction or language style. ~~Analysis of the novel is an analysis of the intrinsic element.~~ 2. Second, the characters or perpetrators of the story. ~~Characters in the story~~ have a distinctive character ~~or character that is certainly different from other characters. The character or character of the character~~ is described by ~~the novelist~~ in a direct or indirect way. 3. Huge amount of definitions/ citations, better be moved into the part of literature review. In the introduction: mark only a panoramic view about the topic, the problem/ or secondary questions, importance and the aim of the study.  * **LITERATURE REVIEW**  1. Review comment N°8 2. Reduce the number of citations, show your proper style by analysing them, give more illustration from the novel to emphasize your efforts in.  * **RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**  1. Characterization refers to the characters who live the story, while character, ~~character, and character~~ refer to the characters and their attitudes ~~of the characters~~ that will be interpreted by the reader. 2. Avoid repetition (it is already known all these such informations) : ~~Interpretation is more a quality of a character who lives the story in question. The character of the story is a character created by the author.~~ 3. ~~Based on the results of interpretation and analysis of the various main character characters of the novel,~~ a number of main ~~character~~ characters can be identified in the novel Brɑstless by Betty Sitorus.   ~~The main characters of the novel~~ are shocked and worried, afraid of something, affection, patient, optimistic, alert, believe in traditional medicine, have faith, and think positively.   1. Data from 1 until 14, as other citations have to be translated in English, or their meaning reformulated in English too. So that the foreign reader can certainly understand them. 2. Many repeated ideas/ same sentences forms appear several times all the study body.. |  |

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