CHAPTER V

CONCLUSIONS AND SUGGESTIONS

This chapter elaborates the conclusions and suggestions of the research. The conclusions are based on the findings and discussions of the research, and the suggestions are made for further research in the future and those who are interested in this study.

5.1 Conclusions

The purpose of this research is to investigate the jargon formation processes in FJB Kaskus postings and also the context of situation underlying the use of jargons found in FJB Kaskus postings. Based on the results elaborated in findings and discussions, there are some points that can be concluded. First, the findings show that there are 51 jargons found with the total of 365 occurrences in FJB Kaskus postings. Those jargons can be divided into ten types of formation, they are 18 abbreviations (121 occurrences), 9 clippings (84 occurrences), 6 clipped compounds (35 occurrences), 6 borrowings (73 occurrences), 1 coinage (1 occurrence), 4 derivations (27 occurrences), 4 reduplications (16 occurrences), and 3 antonomasias (8 occurrences).

Second, as seen from the results, it can be concluded that abbreviation is the type of formation which has the most occurrences (121 occurrences or 33,15%), followed by clipping which has 84 occurrences (23,01%).

Lastly, it can be concluded that the jargons found in FJB Kaskus postings are used in various situations depending on the context. Most of them are used in friendly greeting, and offering with various tones in formal and informal register.
5.2 Suggestions

Morphology, especially the study of word formation has many interesting sides to be studied. Language phenomenon and variety of objects can be the topic of a research. This research is about jargon formation in online communication, especially in online trading. The objects of this research are 35 postings in FJB Kaskus. For online communication itself, there are a lot of objects that can be analyzed beside online trading forum, for example, the research can cover the jargon formation in communication in social network, communication in online chatting, online dating forum, and etc.

For further research in the future, there are some suggestions that can be considered. First, the researcher can explore more types of formation by extending the data and the scope of the study, for example, the research analyzes not only the posting in FJB, but also the comments from the reader. Second, the object of the research can be added, for example, not only online trading in one forum, but also in other forums because as we know, there are countless online trading forums and websites nowadays such as amazon.com, tokobagus.com, berniaga.com, ebay.com, even facebook page is also used to sell product(s). Third, further research might consider other aspects to complete the details of the data collected, for example, the analysis can cover the gender of the writer, and the age of the writer to make the analysis more convincing. Hopefully, this research will be useful for those who have an interest in linguistics and communication study.