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Speech act is the action or intention of a speaker when they use language in context, and listeners infer what it means. Illocutionary act is the demonstration of saying, which is committed with the planned of speaker by expressing a sentence like asking, stating, questioning, ordering, promising, apologizing, requesting and threatening. The researcher analyzed illocutionary acts which was specifically investigated the types and the functions of illocutionary acts used in *John Wick Chapter 4 Movie*.

The data of this research are provided in the form of utterances of the main character which contain the type of illocutionary acts and its function. The data were classified based on Searle's theory to find the type of illocutionary acts, namely representative, directive, commissive, expressive, and declarative, and Leech's theory to find its function in the conversation, namely competitive, convivial, collaborative, and conflictive. The descriptive qualitative method was used to analyze the data of this research.

The findings showed that there were all the five types of illocutionary acts found in this research. And the type of illocutionary acts found most in this movie was directive. And the researcher also found all the four functions of illocutionary acts. The function of illocutionary acts found most in this category was competitive.

The researcher anticipates that the future researchers should examine the idea of illocutionary acts in more various subject, for example, video digital broadcast, Program, paper and numerous others. The researcher also anticipates that the future researchers should investigate illocutionary acts with various hypotheses or viewpoints.