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Without their love and support, I will not be
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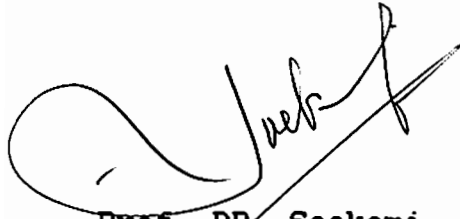
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Vowel harmony is a term discussed under phonology, especially the suprasegmental one. The analysis of vowel harmony covers the phenomenon both in segments and grammatical units larger than segment.

This thesis is about phonological aspect of Javanese in Surabaya dialect focused on the occurrence of vowel harmony. The researcher tries to describe and analyze the occurrence and the process of the vowel harmony.

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The researcher hopes this thesis will be useful for everyone who reads it to get deeper understanding about Javanese phonology especially the vowel harmony.