ABSTRACT

Japanese is one of language that have many kind of language variation. There are formal and informal language, man and woman's language, youth's language, and many more. There is one kind of language which have unique feature and widely used among Japanese youngster, which is called Gyaru Go (Gal's Language). Gyaru go is non standard language that made and used by gyaru. In Japanese society, gyaru is well known with their unique sense of fashion and ability to make a slang word. This thesis will examine the structure and meaning of gyaru go. To know about the structure of gyaru go, it will do by analyzing the forming process of word. And for examine the meaning, it will do by analyzing the change and connection between the meaning. This research use 'Shibuya Go Jiten '09-'10' as the data resources. There are 125 gyaru go in it. Those gyaru go is classificated in nine kind of forming process method and nine kind of change and connection of meaning. The result of analysis of the word structure show, that most of gyaru go in Shibuya Go Jiten '09-'10 are made by merging two word (konkō) and shorten the word (shōryaku). While, the result of analysis of the meaning show, that most of the meaning of gyaru gois made by connection between the word component that form the gyaru go.

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