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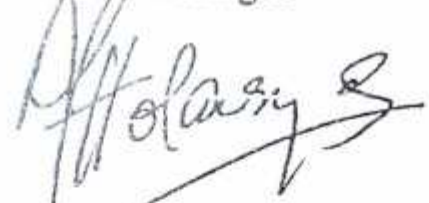
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#### ABSTRACT

This study aims to determine what strategies are used by EFL students. To achieve this goal, this study used quantitative research in the form of a survey study. The original questionnaire used in this study was from Vandergrift (2006), modified by Movahed (2014) which consists of 21 statements. The data analysis of this study explains what listening strategies are used by EFL students in English Department of Language Education. That data are classified into metacognitive awareness in the theory of listening strategies Movahed (2014): problem solving ( $X = 5.03$ ), planning evaluation ( $X = 4.9$ ), directed attention ( $X = 3.82$ ), person knowledge ( $X = 3.63$ ), mental translation ( $X = 3.62$ ). The research findings show that problem solving strategies are the most common the strategy is often used ( $X = 5.03$ ) while the lowest strategy is people mental translation ( $X = 3.62$ ). This shows that students organize themselves such as complaints and problems when students translate what they often hear. This strategy represents trouble and translation.

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