**ABSTRACT** 

Twitter is one of the biggest social media platform that commonly used in

Indonesia. Not only used as personal account, many companies also have Twitter

account to reach their consumers. One of them is Flameon Footmate, a handmade

women shoes brand from Bandung that uses Twitter as effective and efficient

promoting tools through by word of mouth marketing.

This research aims to analyze the effect of independent variable of word of

mouth marketing which consists of talkers, topics, tools, taking part and tracking

on Flameon Footmate's Twitter, to dependent variable which is purchase decision.

The sample used in this analysis are @FLAMEONfootmate Twitter account's

followers who bought Flameon Footmate products, as many as 100 respondents

by using *incidental sampling* technique. The type of research that is used in this

study is descriptive causal (verificative) research. The research method is

quantitative and the data analysis technique used in this research is multiple linear

regression analysis.

Based on the results of the study, both of respondent's responses to word of

mouth marketing's and consumer's purchasing decisions in Flameon Footmate

perceived in criteria very well. Through the result from partial testing, four out of

five elements of word of mouth marketing are proven to provide significant and

positive influence on consumer's purchasing decisions, those are talkers, topics,

tools, and tracking, while taking part have no significant influence to purchase

decision. Elements of word of mouth marketing influence the consumer's

purchasing decisions with a total contribution of 39.5%, while the remaining

60.5% is influenced by other factors that are not examined in this study.

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