

Topic :

Difference between men and women who speak various varieties of English languages .

### Introduction:

During last several decades , much attention has been paid to differences between men and women. The discussion of gender differences touches upon various fields of life and language is not exception. The investigation of park et al proved differences in males and females. Here we discuss the difference between males and females with respect to vocabulary, intonation , pronunciation and attitude.

### Women:

Women talks more than men, talk to much ,are more polite are hesitant complain and nag ask more question , support and overlap each other.

### Men:

Men swear more don't talk about emotions ,talk about sport more and machines , insult each other frequently, speaks with more authority and give more commands and interrupt more.

### Dominance Theory :

This is the theory that in mixed sex conversations men are more likely to interrupt women. It uses a fairly old study of a small samples of conversations, recorded by **DON ZIMMERMAN** and **CANDACE WEST** at university of California in 1975 . The subject of recordings were middle class and 35 . Zimmerman and West produce in evidence 31 segments of conversation.

### Differences:

#### 1; Pronunciation:

Phonological characteristics in English language used by both genders cannot be ignored.

#### Men:

Research by Ali that was based on teachers opinions and observations showed that male students usually demonstrate better abilities in pronunciation (82). The quantitative studies mentioned by Coates stated that about 50% of men evaluate their pronunciation accurately compared to 57% of women .

#### Women:

Wahyuningsh cooperated with the working class population and found out that in pronunciation, 'women had stronger preference for standards forms then men (83).

#### Fact:

The fact that women try to pronounce sounds clearer and more confident then men remains evident in everyday communication .

## 2; Intonation :

Intonation is another factor that may differentiate the way men and women use the English language.

### Women :

Women speech is defined as more emotional and conflict free and they tend to use high pitch voices because of the exciting psychological and social issues ,social, religious, political and cultural difference determine male and female prestige, wealth, and power making their pitch different.

### Men:

Men find it normal to use falling intonation to prove that they are confident in what they say and can use their problem anytime they want . Rising intonation of women may be a sign of politeness and necessity to show respect . Interruption of women is a more frequent case compared to the possibility to interrupt the men .

## 3; Vocabulary :

In the majority of cases researcher prefer to compare such groups of words as color words adjectives, adverb, diminutives are pronounced. A specific female related words that are not frequently used by men for a purpose .

### Men :

Ishikawa concluded that nouns are frequently used by men are 5569 cases and adjectives are 1582 cases and adverbs are 1548 cases . Diminutives in male speech maybe the signs of some psychological problems.

### Women :

ishikawa concluded that nouns are frequently used by female are 3908 cases and women add more adjectives 2165 cases for women and adverbs 1887 women .

Diminutives in female speech , It is normal for women to use such words as bookie.

## Conclusion:

It is concluded that communication plays an important role in human life , and the way of how men and women choose vocabulary, intonation, and pronunciation determines the benefits and challenges of the use of their language .