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The study was conducted to analyze and determine the effect of the Store Atmosphere on purchasing decisions and customer satisfaction. The Solo restaurant, Gorontalo City branch. The results showed that (1) Store atmosphere directly had a positive and significant effect on purchasing a positive but not significant effect on customer satisfaction; (3) The purchase decision directly has a positive and significant effect on customer (through purchasing decisions) has a positive and significant effect on customer satisfaction. Every company is always trying to be successful in companies and trying to be able to achieve its goal of creating and retaining customers. Maintaining customers is a challenge for companies tha company. In the selection and purchase of a product, consumers are much influenced by other factors that encourage consumers to make purchdecisions are the hope of every company. The purchasing decision is a decision chosen by someone in determining or considering one of sever revealed by Kotler and Armstrong (2008) purchasing decisions are the stages in the purchasing decision process where consumers actually buy which individuals is directly involved in obtaining and using the goods or services offered. Price, quality, and service are no longer the main cons atmosphere is an important factor for a consumer in choosing where to eat. A comforTable and homey atmosphere becomes a material conside or visit certain restaurants. Not a few consumers who prefer to eat in a restaurant rather than eating at home with a reason to like the atmospher One way to win the competition is to make something different. Store atmosphere can be an alternative to differentiate one restaurant from anot every business, certain products are found with prices that range from even slightly different. Store atmosphere can be more reason for consum will visit and buy. This is as said by Utami (2008) that the atmosphere is a combination of physical characteristics, such as architecture, layout, li which aim to design emotional responses and customer perceptions and to influence customers in buying products. Store atmosphere not only a customer satisfaction. Although all the determinants of customer satisfaction need to be considered in research and practice, for the most part, t level of satisfaction in the restaurant and café industry. A store atmosphere is a combination of emotional things. According to Mowen and Minor emotional state of customers, which then encourages increasing or reducing purchases. The impact of the store atmosphere can create the imp purchases or just buy enough and may not intend to go back again to buy at that place. The impression obtained has an impact on customer sat seeing market opportunities and the desires and needs of customers to be able to provide satisfaction to customers so as not to turn to competit writer is interested to know in more detail about the influence of Store Atmosphere on purchasing decisions and customer satisfaction. The auth as a place to conduct research, because this restaurant does not only sell a variety of foods and beverages, is strategically located, and can cre place design that provides a special attraction for consumers or potential customers. Site selection is also based on the ease of access to data a store atmosphere is the status of affection and cognition that is understood by consumers in a restaurant, although it may not be fully realized by Pawitra, 2001). A store atmosphere is a combination of planned physical messages. According to Foster (2008). Store atmosphere can be desc purchases that produce special emotional effects that can cause consumers to make purchases. The store atmosphere has elements that affect This study refers to the theory of Berman and Evans (2010) because the elements of the atmosphere can be operationalized in restaurants or ca Evans mention that the atmosphere element consists of: Exterior (shop front). The exterior of a store has a strong influence on the store's ima sometimes judge a store from its front. The front of a store is the entire physical exterior of a store. Included in the exterior are entrances, storefr materials; General Interior. When consumers are in a shop, many elements influence their perception. Bright lights, sounds, and aromas that c store equipment such as shelves, storefronts that can be planned based on their usefulness and aesthetics; Store layout (layout). Includes str available floor sections, classifying products to be offered, managing traffic in the shop. The division of store space includes rooms: Selling spac merchandise space. Personnel space or employee space which is a special room for the employees. Customer space or space for consumers; are the signs used to provide information to consumers. The indicators used are posters, signs, special event pictures, and wrapping media.

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The purchase decision is a selection made on two or more choices (Schiffman & Kanuk, 2008). A consumer who wants to make a choice then he must have a choice. For consumers, the purchasing decision process is an important activity because in the process contains various steps that occur sequentially before the consumer makes a decision. Complicated decision-making processes often involve several decisions; a decision involves a choice between two or more alternative actions. Decisions always require a choice between several different behaviors (Setiadi, 2013). According to Kotler (2009), satisfaction is someone's happy or disappointed feelings that arise after comparing perceptions or impressions on the performance or results of a product and its expectations. This opinion is the same as stated by Tjiptono and Chandra (2016) which states that customer satisfaction or dissatisfaction is the response given to the evaluation of the perceived discrepancy between previous expectations and the actual performance of the product after its use so that it can be said if the performance is below expectations, the customer will feel unsatisfied. So satisfaction is a function of perception or impression of performance and expectations. If the performance is below expectations, the customer is not satisfied. If the performance exceeds ‰ xpectations, the customer will be very satisfied or happy. Westbrook and Raeilli in Tjiptono (2014) argue that consumer satisfaction is an emotional response to experiences relating to certain products or services purchased, retail outlets, or even behavior patterns (such as shopping behavior and buying behavior) and the overall market. Emotional responses are triggered by cognitive evaluation processes that compare perceptions or beliefs about individual objects, actions (or conditions with the values of needs, and desires) of individuals. There are several methods that each company can use to measure and monitor the satisfaction of its customers and competing customers as stated by Kotler cited in (Tjiptono, 2014). Kotler (2009) defines four methods for measuring customer satisfaction, including: • System of complaints and suggestions; • Ghost Shopping (mystery Shopping); • Run customer analysis; • Customer satisfaction survey. Besides, Tjiptono (2014) states that consumer satisfaction has the 110wing indicators: • Feeling happy consumers; • The desire to make repeat purchases; • Recommend to others; • Consumers have a positive memory for the company. The variables in this study consisted of two variables, namely the Store Atmosphere (X1) independent variable with 4 indicators: Exterior, General Interior, Store Layout, Interior Display. Purchase decision (X2) with 5 indicators, namely: Identification of Needs, Information Search, Alternative Evaluation, Purchase Decision, Post-Purchase the dependent variable Customer satisfaction (Y) is lowered into 4 indicators, namely: Feelings of happy Behavior And consumers, the desire to make repeat purchases, Recommend to others, Consumers have positive memories of the company. The samples used in this study were 67 visitors to the Wong Solo Restaurant Branch in Gorontalo City. The technique used in this study is non-probability sampling, where all elements in the population do not have the same opportunity to be selected as a sample (Ferdinand, 2006). This is done because, given the limited time available, the sampling method uses accidental sampling and convenience sampling. The analysis results above show that the t-count value for the Store Atmosphere variable was obtained at 1.164 while the t-Table value was at a significance level of 5% and the degree of free n-k-1 or 67-2-1 = 64 was 1.998. If the two t-values are compared then the t-count value is still smaller than the t-Table value (1.164 < 1.996). So that at 95% confidence level Store Atmosphere has a positive but not significant effect on customer satisfaction at Wong Solo Restaurant Branch in Gorontalo City. Descriptive results regarding customer satisfaction found that customer satisfaction lies in the criteria that are "satisfied" with a score of 80.00%. So it can be said that customers feel a high level of satisfaction with the Gorontalo City Wong Solo Restaurant Branch which will encourage customers to become loyal customers. Satisfaction is achieved when quality meets and exceeds the expectations, desires, and needs of consumers. Conversely, if the quality does not meet and exceed the expectations, desires, and needs of consumers, satisfaction is not achieved. Consumers who are not satisfied with the goods or services they consume will look for other companies that can provide their needs. This result is supported by the results of research by Nur Aina Abdul Jalil et al

(2015), and Rahman (2015) were the results found that there is a significant effect of Store Image on Customer Satisfaction. The results of testing the hypothesis of the influence of purchasing decisions on customer satisfaction in the Wong Solo restaurant, Gorontalo City Branch are presented below: The analysis results above show that the t-count value for the purchase decision variable is 5.793 while the t-Table value is at a significance level of 5% and the degree of freedom n-k-1 or 67-2-1 = 64 is 1.998. If the two t-values are compared then the t-count value is still greater than the t-Table value (5.793> 1.996). So that the 95% confidence level of purchasing decisions has a positive and significant effect on customer satisfaction at Wong Solo Restaurant, Gorontalo City Branch. Descriptive results regarding purchasing decisions found that by 83.91% the score of respondents' answers to the purchase decision which means it lies in the criteria of "good". This shows that the customers of Gorontalo City Wong Solo Restaurant Branch have decision stages in making an appropriate purchase which means the products sold by the Gorontalo City Wong Solo Restaurant Branch are following the tastes and desires of consumers or customers. The results of the study were supported by research conducted by Susanto. (2013); Saputra et al (2017) where the results of the study prove that purchasing decisions affect consumer satisfaction.



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