

Professional style includes scientific style, practical-expert style and popular educational style. The initial theoretical introduction is followed by an analysis on four levels: pragmatic, discursive, the theme-rheme structure and lexical-syntactic. The analysis is based on a comparison of texts which belong to various areas of professional style and thematically pertain to the subject of ecology.

Description of linguistic means is used as a foundation for the analysis on the syntactic and lexical level as well as the analysis of specific features in syntactic, morphological and lexical structure:

- syntactic approach examines the use of various sentential constructions and word order in relation to the standards of professional style;
- morphological approach focuses on the use of grammatical tenses and grammatical moods
- lexical approach surveys the use of terminology and word-forming process.

The method applied determines specific requirements for analysis on individual levels: on the pragmatic level we study pragmatic factors of the communication act.

On the discursive level we describe overall organization and types of textual units.

On the theme-rheme structure we focus on the arrangement of semantic components within a sentence from the functional sentence perspective and the potential of these components to integrate utterance into larger trans-sentential structures.

Syntactic and lexical level reflects the explication of linguistic means of French professional style.

The analysis of pragmatic factors showed, that the way individual texts deal with given subjects corresponds to the requirements of the recipient.

Except for two cases the texts employ the informative communicative function.

Each text presents the theme in a different way.