

Abstract in English

Mirativity in Spanish (with Reference to Czech)

This diploma thesis deals with mirativity in Spanish and Czech. The aim of this thesis is to introduce the category of mirativity and analyze its lexical, morphological and syntactic means of expression. In the first part, we use secondary literature to define key concepts such as mirativity, evidentiality and modality and we compare their similarities and differences. In addition, we discuss whether mirativity constitutes an independent language category, and we present various perspectives from other authors. In the second part, we analyze Spanish and Czech lexical, morphological and syntactic mirative features and we briefly mention suprasegmental and extralinguistic elements of mirativity. For these purposes, we use language corpora (*InterCorp*, *CORPES XXI*, *syn2020* and *Araneum Bohemicum Maximum*) and literature related to the topic. We also take into consideration the broad context. The outcome of this work is a complex typology of mirative features in Spanish and Czech.

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