

Abstract

The purpose of this thesis and its research is to cover the asexual community in terms of identification and characteristics of sexual life. In **theoretical part** the groups Gray-A, demisexual and aromantic are described. It compares the approaches of asexuality as a disorder and as a sexual orientation. It discusses asexuality and relationships, celibacy or physical contact.

The **research** gathered data about group prevalence, self-identification, sexual preferences – real as well as ideal, masturbation and pornography. The **research sample** accounted for 160 respondents from the AVEN forum.

The online questionnaire was prepared especially for this thesis. The data are presented as whole as well as divided into two age groups – the younger (18-23) and older (24-59) group. The significant difference was found in these areas: usage of sex toys/objects of sexual pleasure, number of sexual partners, relationship status and the age of first sexual intercourse.

Theoretical part – in concordance with research – shows, that a portion of asexuals: has relationships, uses pornography and sexual toys, is romantic and experiences various types of sex.