Abstract

The work describes and examines vowel quantity variation of deverbative nouns ending in –č, based on older field literature, which is also the source of the set of substantives for the partial research. In this research, the occurrence of short and long variants of the individual substantives in Czech National Corpus is examined, with focus especially on frequency, typical collocations and text styles. In the conclusion, the findings are summed up and several possibilities of further examination are outlined.

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