

Abstract

This thesis deals with toponym of *Tschechei*, which has not been studied yet in detail. This topic is still relevant since even today the Czech Republic is also called *Tschechei* by natives and non-natives. In this work, three theories were formulated, which describe the etymology and usage of this term. These theories were then applied in diachronic and synchronic analyses to find out the meaning of the term *Tschechei* used by different users of a language. Furthermore, the corresponding theory was assigned to each use. This method proved that this term is present in diachronic as well as in synchronic language usage. This thesis presents a conclusion that the explanation and description of this toponym in the available dictionaries is not sufficient. Therefore, the term of *Tschechei* is defined as a separate dictionary entry for the prepared German-Czech dictionary.