

THE FORMAL TECHNIQUE OF THE ISOLATING THEMATICALLY NEUTRAL LEXICON (OLD RUSSIAN TEXTS ARE EXAMPLES)

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The notions of Thematically marked and Thematically neutral lexicon are introduced in the article. The technique of the system weighing the words by two functional parameters: direct (frequent - Q-parameter) and indirect (the length of the word - F-parameter) is offered. The first parameter characterizes the functioning of the word in the exact text, the second parameter reflects its functioning on a longer period of time so long that its functioning has enough time to influence the length of the word. The index of the thematically marked word is introduced (**InTheM**), which is calculated by the formula **InTheM = Q-weight - F-weight**. Q-weight is the word weight of its frequency and F-weight is the word weight of its length. It is appeared that 98% of the words with negative index from the source vocabulary are thematically neutral words.