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Some features of the theme-rhematic division of statements with temporal determinants

It is carried out an analysis of features of theme-rhematic division of the sentence from the point of view of communicative-functional approach. The object of the study is the verbal offer with temporal determinants. The authors draw attention to the fact that the offer with the same grammatical structure, depending on the context, may acquire a different actual division. Key units in this case are not individual words, and part of the actual division – "theme" and "rheme". The authors conclude that theme-rhematic division takes place at the border of two syntagmas. In addition, the composition of the temporal-determining member can change its usual position (after the verb) and locate at the first position only if it becomes part of the accented special topic.

Key words: actual division, communicative-functional approach, theme, rheme, syntagmatic segmentation, temporal determinants.

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