ABSTRACT

A pragmatic and linguistic peculiarity of English abbreviations is an actual scientific problem and has always been a hot topic for study. The intensity and complexity of their formation process determine the relevance (urgent) of the problem of abbreviations, and the necessity of the reference to its careful studying.

In the first part of this research we present some theoretical conclusions of Russian and foreign scientists about the abbreviations nature.

The second part is devoted to the pragmatic problems of abbreviations and some ways of their genesis and use.

The conclusion contains the basic results of the research performed.