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Analysis of gender asymmetry in Chinese phraseology

The purpose is to identify signs of gender asymmetry in the phraseological fund of the Chinese language to determine the gender stereotypes of the Chinese. The scientific novelty of the study is the systematization of the features of gender-marked proverbs, sayings and chengyu. The result of the study is a classification of proverbs, sayings, and phraseological units of Chengyu according to semantic features reflecting the gender asymmetry of the phraseological fund of the Chinese language.

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