

Indefinite-partitive pronouns in the dialects of Hesse

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Within the project *Syntax of Hessian Dialects* (SyHD, www.syhd.info), indefinite-partitive or quantitative pronouns such as *ere* (plur. and fem. sing.) and *sen* (masc./neut. sing.) – originally pronominal genitive forms – have been explored in various syntactic contexts. In my talk, I will present both the methods of elicitation used (questionnaires and interviews) and the most important findings with respect to the areal structure as well as their implications for the syntactic distribution of these pronouns (cf. also *SyHD-atlas*). Furthermore, I will give a short introduction on how to use the online research tools of *SyHD-query* and the means of cartographic representation of *SyHD-maps*. Occasionally, a comparison will be drawn with the corresponding Dutch and Romance pronouns (Du. *er*, Fr./It. *en/ne*) and their behavior in the respective contexts.