

Habsburg

The Austrian Habsburg rulers originating in Alsace.

Habsburg family is among the oldest and most important monarchical genera in Europe. Members of the genus touch with the imperial throne of the Holy Roman Empire, the German, Czech, Hungary and the Spanish royal throne through marriage ties and the French and Portuguese throne, ruled over much of Europe, Africa and America (thanks to the Spanish overseas colonies) to finally become emperors of the Austrian Empire.

The origin of the genus

The origin of the family are shrouded in mystery. Old genealogists gave him the biblical origins, later Roman, others he was associated with the Franconian royal Merovingian gender. Until the 18th century there was a serious family history research. Frank James Hergott started genus derived from Alamannic Duke, who lived in the 7th century and regarded it as an ancestor not only of the Habsburg family as well as Lorraine. In contrast, Fridolin Kopp argued that certainly can be considered the same ancestor of the genus Guntram Vol. Rich. According to him, it is certain that the ancestors of the genus were Alamannic origin and had estates in Alsace, Swabia, Switzerland and northern (and particularly in Aargau Thurgau). His account confirmed and called. Acta Murensia, a collection of files monastery of Muri half of the 12th century (discovered in 1618), in which there held by the monks entered the genealogy of the founders of the Habsburg gender monastery.

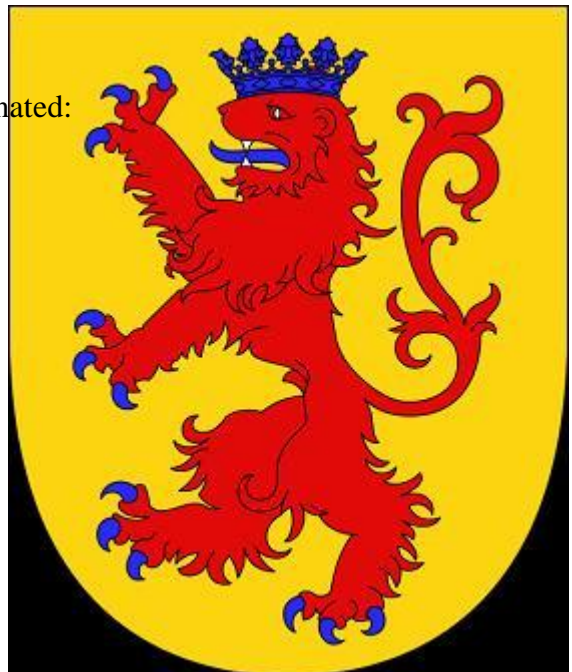
Extinction of the genus

Leopold's sons Joseph and Charles (both died without male offspring) Habsburg family in the male line died out. His successor in the person Karol's daughter Maria Theresa (marriage to Lorraine Duke Francis Stephen I went as a family of Habsburg-Lorraine. Pragmatic Sanction of Charles VI. Maria Theresa was awarded the right to Austrian heritage. Francis Stephen himself came from a family closely related with the Habsburgs. His grandmother, Eleanor Mary, wife of Duke Charles V of Lorraine was the daughter of Emperor Ferdinand III

The Habsburgs and Europe

From Habsburg (Habsburg-Lorraine), the genus originated:

- 18 Holy Roman Emperors
- 4 Austrian emperor
- 19 Czech kings
- 18 Kings of Hungary
- 7 Spanish kings
- 3 King of Portugal
- 1 Mexican Emperor
- 10 grand masters of the Teutonic Knights
- many religious and secular leaders



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Banat 1718 - 1918

Bosnia and Herzegovina 1908 - 1918

Bukovina 1775 - 1918

Bohemia and Moravia 1306 - 1307, 1438 - 1439, 1453 - 1457, 1526 - 1918

Dalmatia 1797, from 1815 to 1866

Gorica and Gradiska 1500 - 1918

Innská quarter of 1779 - 1819

Southern Netherlands 1477 - 1700, 1714 - 1797

Carinthia and Carniola 1335 - 1918

Lombardia 1714, from 1815 to 1859

Lužica 1438 - 1439, 1453 - 1457, 1526 - 1635

Wallachia 1718 - 1739

Modena 1815 - 1860

Naples 1516 - 1700, 1714 - 1735

Germany 1273 - 1291, 1298 - 1308, 1438 - 1740, 1745 - 1806

Parma 1735 - 1748, 1815 - 1847

Portugal 1580 - 1640

Front Austria 1379 - 1805

Austria and Styria 1276 - 1918

Salzburg 1805 - 1918

Sardinia 1516 - 1700, 1714 - 1720

Transylvania 1699 - 1918

Northern Netherlands 1477 - 1581

Northern Serbia 1718 - 1739

Sicily 1516 - 1700, 1720 - 1735

Silesia and Klodzko 1438 - 1439, 1453 - 1457, 1526 - 1742

Spain 1516 - 1700

Swiss territory 1273 - 1460

Trieste 1382 - 1918

Tuscany 1737 - 1807, 1815 - 1860

Tridensko 1803 - 1918

Tyrol 1363 - 1918

Hungary 1438 - 1439, 1453 - 1457, 1526 - 1918

Vorarlberg 1805 - 1918

Eastern Galicia 1772 - 1918

Württemberg 1520 - 1534

Western Galicia 1795 - 1809