

póṣa, *m.* thriving, development; welfare.  
[√puṣ.]

pāúmśya, *n.* manliness; manly deed.  
[pums, 1211<sup>2</sup>.]

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[púruṣa, 1208f.]

√pyā (pyáyate [761d1]; ápyāsīt [882];  
pyātá). swell; overflow. [a collateral  
form of √pī, q.v.]  
+ ā, become full of or rich in.

prá, *prep.* forward, onward, forth, fore.  
[cf. πρῶ, 'before'; Lat. *prō*, later *prō*,  
'before'; Eng. *fore*: see also the follow-  
ing articles, and purás, purá, and púrva.]

prakaraṇa, *n.* treatment; discussion;  
subject of discussion, what's being talked  
about. [√1kr, 'do, put,' + pra.]

prakarṣa, *m.* (preference, advantage,  
*i.e.*) superiority. [√krṣ, 'draw,' + pra:  
for *mg*, cf. Eng. *preference*; also Ger.  
*Vor-zug*, 'preference, advantage,' with  
*vor-ziehen*, 'draw forward, prefer.']

prakāśá, *a.* shining out, clear; open;  
*i.e.*) openly, aloud. [√kāṣ + pra.]

prakṛti, *f.* that which one pre-supposes  
(voraus-setzt), *i.e.* the original or natural  
form or condition; nature. [√1kr, 'do,  
set,' + pra.]

prakopa, *m.* a boiling with rage; anger.  
[√kup + pra.]

prage, *adv.* early in the morning.

praçṛta-çikha, *a.* with loosened  
braids or flowing hair. [çikhā.]

práçetas, *a.* knowing, wise. [√cit +  
pra, cf. 1151.2b.]

√prach (preçhāti, -te; papráccha [794c];  
áprākṣīt; prakṣyāti; prṣtá; práṣtum;  
prṣtvá; -přcchya). ask; ask after, in-  
quire about; ask some one (*acc.*) about  
something (*acc.*), 61<sup>7</sup>. [true root-form  
praç (see 220, 241, and √vrçc), orig.  
\*prk: cf. θεο-πρόσ-ος, 'asking the gods';  
Lat. *prec-es*, 'prayers,' *proc-us*, 'suitor';  
Old High Ger. *fřäh-ēn*, Ger. *fřag-en*, 'ask':  
preçhāti is a *sk*-formation (\*prk-sketi),  
cf. Lat. *poscit*, \**porc-scit*, Old High Ger.  
*forskōt*, \**forsl-skōt*, 'asks for,' Ger. *forscht*,  
'inquires into.']

+ pari, ask.

+ vi, find out by inquiry.

+ sam, *mid.* consult with, converse or  
talk with.

prajā, *f.* -1. procreation; -2. offspring,  
children, descendants; -3. creatures,  
57<sup>1</sup>; *esp.* -4. folk, subjects, of a prince,  
16<sup>5</sup>. [√jan or jā + pra, 1147.]

prajā-kāmá, *m.* desire for offspring.  
[prajā + kāmá, 1264: *acc.*, 1267.]

prajā-kāma, *a.* possessing prajākāmá,  
*i.e.* desirous of offspring, 93<sup>6</sup>, 1<sup>12</sup>. [1296,  
1295.]

prajā-pati, *m.* -1. lord of creatures;  
-2. genius presiding over procreation,  
89<sup>19</sup>; -3. lord of creatures, *i.e.* creator  
or Prajāpati, 60<sup>19</sup>, see note. [*acc.*,  
1267a.]

prajāṛthe, *adv.* for the sake of offspring.  
[artha, 1116, 1302c4.]

prajāñā, *f.* understanding. [√jñā + pra.]

prajāñāta, *ppl.* well-known. [√jñā +  
pra.]

praṇaya, *m.* manifestation of one's af-  
fection. [√nī + pra: for ñ, see 192a.]

praṇayana, *n.* -1. a fetching; -2.  
means for fetching, vessel. [do.]

praṇava, *m.* the sacred syllable om.  
[√nu + pra, q.v.]

praṇāma, *m.* bow, reverent salutation.  
[√nam + pra.]

prañīta, *ppl.* see √nī + pra; -ās, *f. pl.*  
holy water.

prañītā-praṇáyana, *n.* the fetching  
of the holy water. [1250e.]

pratarám, *adv.* further, longer. [pra,  
473<sup>2</sup>, 1111c: cf. πρῶτερον, 'before.']

práti, *prep.* in reversed direction, back to,  
back against, against, in return; -1. to,  
towards, *w. acc.*, 2<sup>19</sup>, 23<sup>14</sup>; -2. with  
reference to, in respect to, *w. acc.*, 4<sup>7,17</sup>,  
13<sup>20</sup>; -3. over against, *i.e.* like; -4. in  
*cpds* [1313a]: before; on, *w. idea of con-*  
*stant repetition*; at; (back, *i.e.*) reflected;  
see the following words. [cf. ποτί, 'to';  
Lat. *por-* (\*port) in *por-rigere*, 'reach out  
to.']

pratiñā, *f.* promise. [√jñā + prati.]

prati-dinam, *adv.* on (each) day, daily.  
[1313a, 1310a and d: cf. *pratyaham*.]

pratipatti, *f.* the acquiring. [√pad +  
prati.]