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PREFACE

This first edition of Dnghu's *A Grammar of Modern Indo-European*, is a renewed effort to systematize the reconstructed phonology and morphology of the Proto-Indo-European language into a modern European language, after the free online publication of *Europaio: A Brief Grammar of the European Language* in 2006.

Modern Indo-European is, unlike Latin, Germanic or Slavic, common to most Europeans, and not only to some of them. Unlike Lingua Ignota, Solresol, Volapük, Esperanto, Quenya, Klingon, Lojban and the thousand invented languages which have been created since humans are able to speak, Proto-Indo-European is natural, i.e. it evolved from an older language – Middle PIE or IE II, of which we have some basic knowledge –, and is believed to have been spoken by prehistoric communities at some time roughly between 3000 and 2500 BC, having itself evolved into different dialects by 2500 BC – spoken until the split up of proto-languages in 2000 BC –, either from IE IIIa, like Proto-Greek and Proto-Indo-Iranian, or from IE IIIb, like Europe's Indo-European.

Proto-Indo-European has been reconstructed in the past two centuries (more or less successfully) by hundreds of linguists, having obtained a rough phonological, morphological, and syntactical system, equivalent to what Jews had of Old Hebrew before reconstructing a system for its modern use in Israel. Instead of some inscriptions and oral transmitted tales for the language to be revived, we have a complete reconstructed grammatical system, as well as hundreds of living languages to be used as examples to revive a common Modern Indo-European.

This grammar still focuses on the European Union – and thus the main Proto-Indo-European dialect of Europe, **Europe's Indo-European** –, although it remains clearly usable as a basic approach for the other known PIE dialects spoken at the time, like Proto-Anatolian for Turkey, Proto-Greek for Greece and Proto-Indo-Iranian for Western and Southern Asia, respectively. In this sense, Proto-European might be the best *lingua franca* for the Americas, while Proto-Aryan is probably the best for Asia.

The former Dean of the University of Huelva, Classical Languages' philologist and Latin expert, considers the Proto-Indo-European language reconstruction an invention; Spanish Indo-Europeanist Bernabé has left his work on IE studies to dedicate himself to “something more serious”; Francisco Villar, professor of Greek and Latin at the University of Salamanca, deems a complete reconstruction of PIE impossible; his opinion is not rare, since he supports the glottalic theory, the Armenian Homeland hypothesis, and also the use of Latin instead of English within the EU. The work of Elst, Talageri and others defending the ‘Indigenous Indo-Aryan’ viewpoint by N. Kazanas, and their support of an unreconstructible and hypothetical PIE nearest to Vedic Sanskrit opens still more the gap between the

mainstream reconstruction and minority views supported by nationalist positions. Also, among convinced Indo-Europeanists, there seems to be no possible consensus between the different ‘schools’ as to whether PIE distinguished between *ǫ* and *ǣ* (as Gk., Lat. or Cel.) or if those vowels were all initial *ǣ*, as in the other attested dialects (Villar), or if the Preterites were only one tense (as Latin *praeteritum*) with different formations, or if there were actually an Aorist and a Perfect.

Furthermore, José Antonio Pascual, a member of the Royal Spanish Academy (RAE), considers that “it is not necessary to be a great sociologist to know that 500 million people won’t agree to adopt Modern Indo-European in the EU” (Spa. journal *El Mundo*, 8th April 2007). Of course not, as they won’t agree on any possible question – not even on using English, which we use in fact –, and still the national and EU’s Institutions work, adopting decisions by majorities, not awaiting consensus for any question. And it was probably not necessary to be a great sociologist a hundred years ago to see e.g. that the revival of Hebrew under a modern language system (an “invention” then) was a utopia, and that Esperanto, the ‘easy’ and ‘neutral’ IAL, was going to succeed by their first World Congress in 1905.

Such learned opinions are only that, opinions, just as if Hebrew and Semitic experts had been questioned a hundred years ago about a possible revival of Biblical Hebrew in a hypothetical new Israel.

Whether MIE’s success is more or less probable (and why) is not really important for our current work, but a hypothesis which might be dealt with by sociology, anthropology, political science, economics and even psychology, not to talk about chance. Whether the different existing social movements, such as Pan-Latinism, Pan-Americanism, Pan-Sanskritism, Pan-Arabism, Pan-Iranism, Pan-Slavism, Pan-Hispanism, *Francophonie*, Anglospherism, Atlanticism, and the hundred different pan-nationalist positions held by different sectors of societies – as well as the different groups supporting anti-globalization, anti-neoliberalism, anti-capitalism, anti-communism, anti-occidentalism, etc. – will accept or reject this project remains unclear.

What we do know now is that the idea of reviving Europe’s Indo-European as a modern language for Europe and international organizations is not madness, that it is not something new, that it doesn’t mean a revolution – as the use of Spanglish, Syndarin or Interlingua – nor an involution – as regionalism, nationalism, or the come back to French, German or Latin predominance –, but merely one of the many different ways in which the European Union linguistic policy could evolve, and maybe one way to unite different peoples from different cultures, languages and religions (from the Americas to East Asia) for the sake of stable means of communication. Just that tiny possibility is enough for us to “lose” some years trying to give our best making the main Proto-Indo-European dialects as usable and as known as possible.

PREFACE TO THE FIRST EDITION

According to Dutch sociologist Abram de Swaan, every language in the world fits into one of four categories according to the ways it enters into (what he calls) the *global language system*.

- **Central:** About a hundred languages in the world belong here, widely used and comprising about 95% of humankind.
- **Supercentral:** Each of these serves to connect speakers of central languages. There are only twelve supercentral languages, and they are **Arabic, Chinese, English, French, German, Hindi, Japanese, Malay, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish** and **Swahili**.
- **Hypercentral:** The lone hypercentral language at present is English. It not only connects central languages (which is why it is on the previous level) but serves to connect supercentral languages as well. Both Spanish and Russian are supercentral languages used by speakers of many languages, but when a Spaniard and a Russian want to communicate, they will usually do it in English.
- **Peripheral:** All the thousands of other languages on the globe occupy a peripheral position because they are hardly or not at all used to connect any other languages. In other words, they are mostly not perceived as useful in a multilingual situation and therefore not worth anyone's effort to learn.

De Swaan points out that the admission of new member states to the European Union brings with it the addition of more languages, making the polyglot identity of the EU ever more unwieldy and expensive. On the other hand, it is clearly politically impossible to settle on a single language for all the EU's institutions. It has proved easier for the EU to agree on a common currency than a common language.

Of the EU's current languages, at least 14 are what we might call a 'robust' language, whose speakers are hardly likely to surrender its rights. Five of them (English, French, German, Portuguese and Spanish) are supercentral languages that are already widely used in international communication, and the rest are all central.

In the ongoing activity of the EU's institutions, there are inevitably shortcuts taken - English, French and German are widely used as 'working languages' for informal discussions. But at the formal level all the EU's official languages (i.e. the language of each member state) are declared equal.

Using all these languages is very expensive and highly inefficient. There are now 23 official languages: **Bulgarian, Czech, Danish, Dutch, English, Estonian, Finnish, French, German, Greek, Hungarian, Irish Gaelic, Italian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Maltese, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Slovak, Slovene, Spanish** and **Swedish**, and three *semiofficial* (?): **Catalan, Basque** and **Galician**. This means that all official documents must be translated into all the members'

recognized languages, and representatives of each member state have a right to expect a speech in their language to be interpreted. And each member state has the right to hear ongoing proceedings interpreted into its own language.

Since each of the twenty one languages needs to be interpreted/translated into all the rest of the twenty, 23×22 (minus one, because a language doesn't need to be translated into itself) comes to a total of **506** combinations (not taking on account the '*semiofficial*' languages). So interpreters/translators have to be found for ALL combinations.

In the old Common Market days the costs of using the official languages Dutch, English, French, and German could be borne, and interpreters and translators could be readily found. But as each new member is admitted, the costs and practical difficulties are rapidly becoming intolerably burdensome.

The crucial point here is that each time a new language is added, the total number of combinations isn't additive but multiplies: 506 + one language is not 507 but 552, i.e. 24×23 , since every language has to be translated/interpreted into all the others (except itself).

It is not hard to see that the celebration of linguistic diversity in the EU only lightly disguises the logistical nightmare that is developing. The EU is now preparing for more languages to come: **Romanian** and **Bulgarian** have been recently added, with the incorporation of these two countries to the EU; **Albanian**, **Macedonian**, **Serbian**, **Bosnian** and **Croatian** (the three formerly known as Serbo-Croatian, but further differentiated after the Yugoslavian wars) if they are admitted to the EU as expected; and many other regional languages, following the example of Irish Gaelic, and the three *semi-official* Spanish languages: **Alsatian**, **Breton**, **Corsican**, **Welsh**, **Luxemburgish** and **Sami** are likely candidates to follow, as well as **Scottish Gaelic**, **Occitan**, **Low Saxon**, **Venetian**, **Piedmontese**, **Ligurian**, **Emilian**, **Sardinian**, **Neapolitan**, **Sicilian**, **Asturian**, **Aragonese**, **Frisian**, **Kashubian**, **Romany**, **Rusin**, and many others, depending on the political pressure their speakers and cultural communities can put on EU institutions. It will probably not be long before **Turkish**, and with it **Kurdish** (and possibly **Armenian**, **Aramaic** and **Georgian** too), or maybe **Ukrainian**, **Russian** and **Belarusian**, are other official languages, not to talk about the *eternal candidates*' languages, **Norwegian** (in at least two of its language systems, **Bokmål** and **Nynorsk**), **Icelandic**, **Romansh**, **Monegasque** (Monaco) and **Emilian-Romagnolo** (San Marino), and this could bring the number of EU languages over 40. The number of possible combinations are at best above 1000, which doesn't seem within the reach of any organization, no matter how well-meaning.

Many EU administrators feel that to a great extent this diversity can be canceled out by ever-increasing reliance on the computer translation that is already in heavy use. It is certainly true that if we couldn't count on computers to do a lot of the translation 'heavy lifting', even the most idealistic administrator would never even dream of saddling an organization with an enterprise that would

quickly absorb a major part of its finances and energy. But no machine has yet been invented *or probably ever will be* that is able to produce a translation without, at the very least, a final editing by a human translator or interpreter.

The rapidly increasing profusion of languages in the EU is quickly becoming intolerably clumsy and prohibitively expensive. And this doesn't even count the additional expense caused by printing in the Greek alphabet and soon in the Cyrillic (Bulgarian and Serbian). Everyone agrees that all languages must have their 'place in the sun' and their diversity celebrated. But common sense suggests that the EU is going to be forced to settle on a very small number of working languages, perhaps only one, and the linguistic future of the EU has become the subject of intense debate.

Only in public numbers, the EU official translation/interpretation costs amount to more than 1.230 M€, and it comes to more than 13% of today's administrative expenditure of the EU institutions. There are also indirect costs of linguistic programmes aimed at promoting the learning of three or more languages since the *Year of Languages* (2001), which also means hundreds of millions of Euros, which haven't been counted in the EU's budget as linguistic expenditure, but are usually included in budget sections such as Cohesion or Citizenship. It is hard to imagine the huge amount of money (real or potential) lost by EU citizens and companies each day because of communication problems, not only because they *can't* speak a third party's language, but because they *won't* speak it, even if they can.

Preserving the strict equality is the EU's lifeblood, and it is a very disturbing thought that the strongest candidate for a *one-language EU* is the one with an established dominance in the world, **English**, which is actually only spoken by a minority within Europe. Latin and Artificial languages (as Esperanto, Ido or Interlingua) have been proposed as alternatives, but neither the first, because it is only related to romance languages, nor the second, because they are (too) artificial (invented by one person or a small group at best), solve the linguistic theoretical problems, not to talk about the practical ones.

The **Indo-European** language that we present in this work, on the contrary, faces not only the addressed theoretical problems - mainly related to cultural heritage and sociopolitical proud - but brings also a practical solution for the European Union, without which there can be no real integration. European nations are not prepared to give up some of their powers to a greater political entity, unless they don't have to give up some fundamental rights. Among them, the linguistic ones have proven harder to deal with than it initially expected, as they are raise very strong national or regional feelings.

Indo-European is already the grandmother of the majority of Europeans. The first language of more than 97% of EU citizens is Indo-European, and the rest can generally speak at least one of them as second language. Adopting Indo-European as the main official language for the EU will not mean giving up linguistic rights, but enhancing them, as every other official language will have then the same status

under their common ancestor; it won't mean losing the own culture for the sake of unity, but recovering it altogether for the same purpose; and, above all, it will not mean choosing a *lingua franca* to communicate with foreigners within an international organization, but accepting a National Language to communicate with other nationals within the same country.

NOTE. The above information is mainly copied (literally, adjusted or modified) from two of Mr. William Z. Shetter *Language Miniatures*, which can be found in his website:

- <http://home.bluemarble.net/~langmin/miniatures/Qvalue.htm>
- <http://home.bluemarble.net/~langmin/miniatures/eulang.htm>
- EU official expenditure numbers can be consulted here:
 - <http://europa.eu.int/rapid/pressReleasesAction.do?reference=MEMO/05/10&type=HTML&aged=0&language=EN&guiLanguage=en>
 - http://europa.eu.int/comm/budget/library/publications/budget_in_fig/dep_eu_budg_2007_en.pdf
- Official information about EU languages can be found at:
 - http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/policies/lang/languages/index_en.html
 - http://europa.eu.int/comm/education/policies/lang/languages/langmin/euromosaic/index_en.html

WHAT'S NEW IN THIS EDITION

This is *A Grammar of Modern Indo-European, First Edition*, with Modern Indo-European Language Grammatical system in **Pre-Version 4**, still in *beta* phase – i.e., still adjusting some important linguistic questions, and lots of minor mistakes, thanks to the contributions of experts and readers.

NOTE. A **version number** (N) is given to full revisions of the grammar, and each minor correction published must be given a different number to be later identified, usually ranging from N.01 to N.99. This book includes a full correction of version 3, but is still *Pre-Version 4*, which means the correction was not finished, and it is therefore still 3.xx. Full revisions are driven from beginning to end, so there should be a comment marking the end of the revised material. Since version 3.8x that note is already in the Etymological Notes section.

“*Europe’s Indo-European*” version 4 continues “*Modern Indo-European*” version 3 (first printed edition, since June 2007), and this in turn version 2, which began in March 2007, changing most features of the old “*Europaio*”/“*Sindhueuropaio*” concept of version 1 (*Europaio: A Brief Grammar of the European Language*, 2005-2006), in some cases coming back to features of *Indo-European 0.x* (2004-2005).

1. The artificial distinction in “*Europaio*” and “*Sindhueuropaio*” systems (each based on different dialectal features) brings more headaches than advantages to our Proto-Indo-European revival project; from now on, only a unified “*Modern Indo-European*”, based on Europe’s Indo-European (or *Proto-European*) is promoted. “*Sindhueuropaio*” (i.e. Proto-Indo-European) became thus a theoretical project for using the phonetical reconstructions of Late PIE.

2. Unlike the first simplified *Europaio* grammar, this one goes deep into the roots of the specific Indo-European words and forms chosen for the modern language. Instead of just showing the final output, expecting readers to accept the supposed research behind the selections, we let them explore the details of our choices – and sometimes the specifics of the linguistic reconstruction –, thus sacrificing simplicity for the sake of thorough approach to modern IE vocabulary.

3. The old Latin-only alphabet has been expanded to include Greek and Cyrillic writing systems, as well as a stub of possible Armenian, Arabo-Persian and Devanagari (abugida) systems. The objective is not to define them completely (as with the Latin alphabet), but merely to show other possible writing systems for Modern Indo-European, Modern Anatolian, Modern Aryan, and Modern Hellenic.

4. The traditional phonetic distinction of palatovelars was reintroduced for a more accurate phonetic reconstruction of Late PIE, because of the opposition found (especially among Balto-Slavic experts) against our simplified writing system. Whether satemization was a dialectal and phonological trend

restricted to some phonetic environments (PIE **k-** before some sounds, as with Latin *c-* before *-e* and *-i*), seemed to us not so important as the fact that more people feel comfortable with an exact – although more difficult – phonetic reconstruction. From versions 3.xx onwards, however, a more exact reconstruction is looked for, and therefore a proper explanation of velars and vocalism (hence also laryngeals) is added at the end of this book – coming back, then, to a simplified writing system.

4. The historically alternating *Oblique* cases *Dative*, *Locative*, *Instrumental* and *Ablative*, were shown on a declension-by-declension (and even pronoun-by-pronoun) basis, as Late PIE shows in some declensions a simpler, thus more archaic, reconstructible paradigm (as **i,u**) while others (as the thematic **e/o**) show almost the same Late PIE pattern of four differentiated oblique case-endings. Now, the 8 cases traditionally reconstructed are usable – and its differentiation recommended – in MIE.

The classification of Modern Indo-European nominal declensions has been reorganized to adapt it to a more Classic pattern, to help the reader clearly identify their correspondence to the different Greek and Latin declension paradigms.

5. The verbal system has been reduced to the reconstructed essentials of Late Proto-Indo-European conjugation and of its early dialects. Whether such a simple and irregular system is usable as is, without further systematization, is a matter to be solved by Modern Indo-European speakers.

The so-called Augment in **é-**, attested almost only in Greek, Indo-Iranian and Armenian, is sometimes left due to Proto-Indo-European tradition, although recent research shows that it was neither obligatory, nor general in Late PIE. It is believed today that it was just a prefix with a great success in the southern dialects, as *per-* (<PIE **per-**) in Latin or *ga-* (<PIE **ko-**) in Germanic.

6. The syntactical framework of Proto-Indo-European has been dealt with extensively by some authors, but, as the material hasn't still been summed up and corrected by other authors (who usually prefer the phonological or morphological reconstruction), we use literal paragraphs from possibly the most thorough work available on PIE syntax, Winfred P. Lehman's Proto-Indo-European Syntax (1974), along with some comments and corrections made since its publication by other scholars.

The timetable of the next grammatical and institutional changes can be followed in the website of the Indo-European Language Association.

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CONVENTIONS USED IN THIS BOOK

1. “Modern Indo-European” or MIE: To avoid some past mistakes, we use the term *Europaïom* only to refer to the *European language system*, or to the reconstructed **Europe’s Indo-European** (EIE) proto-language. The suitable names for the simplified Indo-European language system for Europe are thus *European language* or *European*, as well as “*Europaïo*”.

2. The **roots** of the reconstructed **Middle PIE language** (PIH) are basic morphemes carrying a lexical meaning. By addition of suffixes, they form stems, and by addition of desinences, these form grammatically inflected words (nouns or verbs).

NOTE. PIE reconstructed roots are subject to *ablaut*, and except for a very few cases, such ultimate roots are fully characterized by its constituent consonants, while the vowel may alternate. PIH roots as a rule have a single syllabic core, and by ablaut may either be monosyllabic or unsyllabic. PIH roots may be of the following form (where K is a voiceless stop, G an unaspirated and G^h an aspirated stop, R a semivowel (*r*, *l*, *m*, *n*, *u*, *ɨ*) and H a laryngeal (or s). After Meillet, impossible PIH combinations are voiceless/aspirated (as in **teub^h* or **b^heut*), as well as voiced/voiceless (as in **ged* or **deg*). The following table depicts the general opinion:

<i>stops</i>	-	K-	G-	G ^h -
-	[HR]e[RH]	K[R]e[RH]	G[R]e[RH]	G ^h [R]e[RH]
-K	[HR]e[RH]K	-	G[R]e[RH]K	G ^h [R]e[RH]K
-G	[HR]e[RH]G	K[R]e[RH]G	-	G ^h [R]e[RH]G
-G ^h	[HR]e[RH]G ^h	K[R]e[RH]G ^h	G[R]e[RH]G ^h	G ^h [R]e[RH]G ^h *

*This combination appears e.g. in *b^heu^hd^h*, *awake*, and *b^hei^hd^h*, *obey*, *believe*.

A root has at least one consonant, for some at least two (e.g. PIH *h₂ek* vs. EIE *ek-*, “*quick*”, which is the root for MIE adj. *ōkús*). Depending on the interpretation of laryngeals, some roots seem to have an inherent *a* or *o* vowel, EIE *ar* (vs. PIH *h₂ar-*), *fit*, EIE *ong^w* (vs. PIH *h₃eng^w*) “*anoint*”, EIE *ak* (vs. PIH *h₂ek*) “*keen*”.

By “root extension”, a basic CeC (with C being any consonant) pattern may be extended to CeC-C, and an s-mobile may extend it to s-CeC.

The total number of consonant, sonant and laryngeal elements that appear in an ordinary syllable are three – i.e., as the triliteral Semitic pattern. Those which have less than three are called ‘Concave’ verbs (cf. PIH *Hes*, *Hei*, *g^wem*); those extended are called ‘Convex’ verbs (cf. Lat. *plangō*, *spargō*, *frangō*, etc., which, apart from the extension in *-g*, contain a laryngeal); for more on this, *vide infra* on MIE Conjugations.

3. Verbs are usually shown in notes without an appropriate verbal noun ending *-m*, infinitive ending *-tu/-ti*, to distinguish them clearly from nouns and adjectives. They aren’t shown inflected in 1st P.Sg. Present either – as they should –, because of the same reason, and aren’t usually accented.

NOTE. Ultimate PIH reconstructed verbal roots are written even without an athematic or thematic ending. When an older laryngeal appears, as in PIH *pelh₂-*, it sometimes remain, as in EIE *pela-*, or in case of ultimate roots with semivowel endings [j], [w], followed by an older laryngeal, they may be written with ending -j or -w.

4. Adjectives are usually shown with an accented masculine (or general) ending *-ós*, although sometimes a complete paradigm *-ós, -á, -óm*, is written.

5. An acute accent is written over the vowel or semivowel in the stressed syllable, except when stress is on the *penult* (one syllable before the last) and in monosyllabic words. Accented long vowels and sonants are represented with special characters. The weak vowel of a possible diphthong is also accented; so in *eími*, *I go*, instead of *eimi*, which would be read usually as **eími* if left unaccented.

6. For *zero-grade* or *zero-ending*, the symbol \emptyset is sometimes used.

7. Proto-Indo-European vowel apophony or Ablaut is indeed normal in MIE, but different dialectal Ablauts are corrected when loan-translated. Examples of these are *komb^hastós*, from Lat. *confessus* (cf. Lat. *fassus sum*), from EIE *b^hā-*; EIE *d^haklís/dis^haklís*, as Lat. *facilis/difficilis*, from PIE *d^hē-*; MIE *saliō/ensaliō/ensaltō*, as Lat. *saliō/insiliō/insultō*, etc.

NOTE. Such Ablaut is linked to languages with musical accent, as Latin. In Italic, the tone was always on the first syllable; Latin reorganized this system, and after Roman grammarians' "penultimate rule", Classic Latin accent fell on the penultimate syllable if long, on the antepenultimate if short (hence Lat. *pu^dícus* but *mó^dicus*), thus triggering off different inner vocalic timbres or *Ablauts*. Other Italic dialects, as Oscan or Umbrian, didn't suffered such apophony; cf. Osc. *anterstataí*, Lat. *interstitae*; Umb. *antakres*, Lat. *integris*; Umb. *procanurent*, Lat. *procinuerint*, etc. Germanic also knew such tone variations. For more on this topic, see phonotactic development in Latin at <<http://www.cunyphonologyforum.net/SYLLPAPERS/Senhandoutnew.pdf>>.

8. In Germanic, Celtic and Italic dialects the IE intervocalic *-s-* becomes voiced, and then it is pronounced as the trilled consonant, a phenomenon known as Rhotacism; as with zero-grade *k^rs* [k^rs] from EIE stem *kers-*, *run*, giving 's-derivatives' O.N. *horskr*, Gk. *-koupos*, and 'r-derivatives' as MIE *k^rsos*, *wagon*, *cart*, from Celtic (cf. Gaul. *karros*, O.Ir., M.Welsh *carr*, into Lat. *carrus*) and *k^rsō*, *run*, cf. Lat. *carrō*. In light of Greek forms as *criterion*, *monastery*, etc., the suffix to indicate "place where" (and sometimes instrument) had an original IE *r*, and its reconstruction as PIE *s* is wrong.

9. Some loans are left as they are, without necessarily implying that they are original Indo-European forms; as Latin *mappa*, "map", *aiqi-*, "aeqi-", Celtic *pen-*, "head", Greek *sphaira*, "sphere", Germanic *iso-*, "ice", and so on. Some forms are already subject to change in MIE for a more 'purist' approach to a common EIE, as *ati-* for Lat. *re-*, *-ti* for (Ita. and Arm.) secondary *-tiō(n)*, etc.

10. In Romance languages, *Theme* is used instead of *Stem*. Therefore, *Theme Vowel* and *Thematic* refer to the Stem endings, usually to the *e/o* endings. In the Indo-European languages, *Thematic* roots are those roots that have a "theme vowel"; a vowel sound that is always present between the root of the

word and the attached inflections. *Athematic* roots lack a theme vowel, and attach their inflections directly to the root itself.

NOTE. The distinction between thematic and athematic roots is especially apparent in the Greek verb; they fall into two classes that are marked by quite different personal endings. Thematic verbs are also called $-\omega$ ($-\acute{o}$) verbs in Greek; athematic verbs are $-\mu$ ($-mi$) verbs, after the first person singular present tense ending that each of them uses. The entire conjugation seems to differ quite markedly between the two sets of verbs, but the differences are really the result of the thematic vowel reacting with the verb endings. In Greek, athematic verbs are a closed class of inherited forms from the parent IE language. Marked contrasts between thematic and athematic forms also appear in Lithuanian, Sanskrit, and Old Church Slavonic. In Latin, almost all verbs are thematic; a handful of surviving athematic forms exist, but they are considered irregular verbs.

The thematic and athematic distinction also applies to nouns; many of the old IE languages distinguish between “vowel stems” and “consonant stems” in the declension of nouns. In Latin, the first, second, fourth, and fifth declensions are vowel stems characterized by *a*, *o*, *u* and *e*, respectively; the third declension contains both consonant stems and *i* stems, whose declensions came to closely resemble one another in Latin. Greek, Sanskrit, and other older IE languages also distinguish between vowel and consonant stems, as did Old English.

11. PIE **d+t**, **t+t**, **dh+t** → MIE **st**; PIE **d+d**, **t+d**, **dh+d** → MIE **sd**; PIE **d+dh**, **t+dh**, **dh+dh** → MIE **sdh**; because of the common intermediate phases found in Proto-Greek, cf. Gk. *st*, *sth* (as *pistis*, *oisqa*), and Europe’s Indo-European, cf. Lat. *est*, “*come*”, and O.H.G. examples. For an earlier stage of this phonetic output, compare O.Ind. *sehí* < **sazdhi*, ‘*sit!*’, and not **satthi* (cf. O.Ind. *dehí*, Av. *dazdī*).

NOTE. It has been proposed an earlier **TT**→**TsT** (where T = dental stop), i.e. that the cluster of two dental stops had a dental fricative **s** inserted between them. It is based on some findings in Hittite, where cluster *tst* is spelled as *z* (pronounced as *ts*), as in PIH **h₁ed-ti**, “*he eats*” → **h₁etsti* → Hitt. *ezzi*. Confirmation from early intermediate and common (Late PIE) **-st-** are found e.g. in O.Ind. *mastis*, “*measure*”, from ***med-tis**, or Av. *-hasta-*, from ***sed-tós**. This evolution was probably overshadowed by other Aryan developments, see Appendix II.

12. PIE made personal forms of composed verbs separating the root from the so-called ‘prepositions’, which were actually particles which delimited the meaning of the sentence. Thus, a sentence like Lat. *uos supplico* is in PIE as in O.Lat. *sub uos placo*. The same happened in Homeric Greek, in Hittite, in the oldest Vedic and in modern German ‘*trennbare Verben*’. Therefore, when we reconstruct a verb like *accept*, MIE inf. **adkēptātus**, it doesn’t mean it should be used as in Classic Latin (in fact its ablaut has been reversed), or indeed as in Modern English, but with its oldest use: **kēptāiō ad**, *I accept*.

13. Reasons for not including the palatovelars in MIE writing system are 1) that, although possible, their existence is not sufficiently proven (see Appendix II.2); 2) that their writing because of tradition or ‘etymology’ is not justified, as this would mean a projective writing (i.e., like writing Lat. *casa*, but Lat. *centum*, because the k-sound before *-e* and *-i* evolves differently in Romance). The pairs \acute{g} \grave{G} and \acute{k} \grave{K} , have been proposed to write them, for those willing to differentiate their pronunciation.

The following abbreviations apply in this book:

IE	: Indo-European
IE II	: Middle PIE or PIH
PIH	: Proto-Indo-Hittite
IE III	: Late PIE
PIE	: Proto-Indo-European
EIE	: Europe's Indo-European
MIE	: Modern Indo-European

PGk	: Proto-Greek
Gk.	: (Ancient) Greek
Phryg.	: Phrygian
Thr.	: Thracian
Dac.	: Dacian
Ven.	: Venetic
Lus.	: Lusitanian
A.Mac.	: Ancient Macedonian
Illy.	: Illyrian
Alb.	: Albanian

PII	:Proto-Indo-Iranian
Ind.	: <i>Proto-Indo-Aryan</i>
O.Ind.	: Old Indian
Skr.	: Sanskrit
Hind.	: Hindustani
Hi.	: Hindi
Ur.	: Urdu
Ira.	: <i>Proto-Iranian</i>
Av.	: Avestan
O.Pers.	: Old Persian
Pers.	: Persian
Kur.	: Kurdish
Oss.	: Ossetian
Kam.	: Kamviri

Ita.	: Proto-Italic
Osc.	: Oscan
Umb.	: Umbrian
Lat.	: Latin
O.Lat.	: Archaic Latin
V.Lat.	: Vulgar Latin
L.Lat.	: Late Latin
Med.Lat.	: Mediaeval Latin
Mod.Lat.	: Modern Latin
O.Fr.	: Old French
Prov	: Provençal
Gl.-Pt.	: Galician-Portuguese
Gal.	: Galician
Pt.	: Portuguese
Cat.	: Catalan
Fr.	: French
It.	: Italian
Spa.	: Spanish
Rom.	: Romanian

PAn	: Proto-Anatolian
CA	: Common Anatolian
Hitt.	: Hittite
Luw.	: Luwian
Lyc.	: Lycian
Pal.	: Palaic
Lyd.	: Lydian

PGmc.	: Pre-Proto-Germanic
Gmc.	: Proto-Germanic
Goth.	: Gothic
Frank.	: Frankish
Sca.	: <i>Scandinavian (North Germanic)</i>
O.N.	: Old Norse
O.Ice.	: Old Icelandic
O.S.	: Old Swedish
Nor.	: Norwegian
Swe.	: Swedish
Da.	: Danish
Ice.	: Icelandic
Fae.	: Faeroese
W.Gmc.	: <i>West Germanic</i>
O.E.	: Old English (<i>W.Saxon, Mercian</i>)
O.Fris.	: Old Frisian
O.H.G.	: Old High German
M.L.G.	: Middle Low German
M.H.G.	: Middle High German
M.Du.	: Middle Dutch
Eng	: English
Ger.	: German
L.Ger.	: Low German
Fris.	: Frisian
Du.	: Dutch
Yidd.	: Yiddish (Judaeo-German)

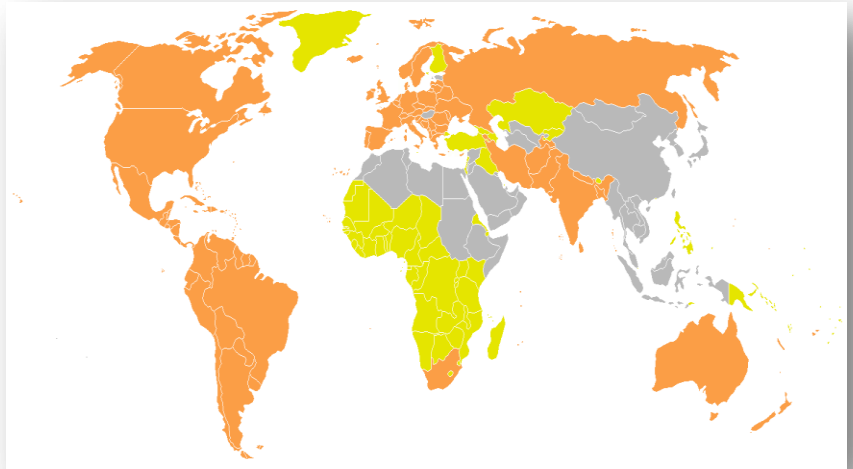
BSl.	: Balto-Slavic
Bal.	: <i>Proto-Baltic</i>
O.Lith.	: Old Lithuanian
O.Pruss.	: Old Prussian
Lith.	: Lithuanian
Ltv.	: Latvian
Sla.	: <i>Proto-Slavic</i>
O.C.S.	: Old Church Slavonic
O.Russ.	: Old Russian
O.Pol.	: Old Polish
Russ.	: Russian
Pol.	: Polish
Cz.	: Czech
Slo.	: Slovenian
Slk.	: Slovak
Ukr.	: Ukrainian
Bel.	: Belarusian
Bul.	: Bulgarian
Sr.-Cr.	: Serbo-Croatian

Cel.	: Proto-Celtic
Gaul.	: Gaulish
O.Ir.	: Old Irish
Sco.	: Scottish Gaelic
Ir.	: Irish Gaelic
Bret.	: Breton
Cor.	: Cornish
O.Welsh	: Old Welsh

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. THE INDO-EUROPEAN LANGUAGE FAMILY

1.1.1. The Indo-European languages are a family of several hundred languages and dialects, including most of the major languages of Europe, as well as many in Asia. Contemporary languages in this family include English, German, French, Spanish, Portuguese, Hindustani (i.e., Hindi and Urdu among other modern dialects), Persian and Russian. It is the largest family of languages in the world today, being



*In **dark**, countries with a majority of Indo-European speakers; in **light color**, countries with Indo-European-speaking minorities.*

spoken by approximately half the world's population as first language. Furthermore, the majority of the other half speaks at least one of them as second language.

1.1.2. Romans didn't perceive similarities between Latin and Celtic dialects, but they found obvious correspondences with Greek. After Roman Grammarian Sextus Pompeius Festus:

Suppum antiqui dicebant, quem nunc supinum dicimus ex Graeco, videlicet pro adspiratione ponentes <s> litteram, ut idem ὕλας dicunt, et nos silvas; item ἕξ sex, et ἑπτὰ septem.

Such findings are not striking, though, as Rome was believed to have been originally founded by Trojan hero Aeneas and, consequently, Latin was derived from Old Greek.

1.1.3. Florentine merchant Filippo Sassetti travelled to the Indian subcontinent, and was among the first European observers to study the ancient Indian language, Sanskrit. Writing in 1585, he noted some word similarities between Sanskrit and Italian, e.g. *deva/dio*, "God", *sarpa/serpe*, "snake", *sapta/sette*, "seven", *ashta/otto*, "eight", *nava/nove*, "nine". This observation is today credited to have foreshadowed the later discovery of the Indo-European language family.

1.1.4. The first proposal of the possibility of a common origin for some of these languages came from Dutch linguist and scholar Marcus Zuerius van Boxhorn in 1647. He discovered the similarities among Indo-European languages, and supposed the existence of a primitive common language which he called "Scythian". He included in his hypothesis Dutch, Greek, Latin, Persian, and German, adding later

Slavic, Celtic and Baltic languages. He excluded languages such as Hebrew from his hypothesis. However, the suggestions of van Boxborn did not become widely known and did not stimulate further research.

1.1.5. On 1686, German linguist Andreas Jäger published *De Lingua Vetustissima Europae*, where he identified an remote language, possibly spreading from the Caucasus, from which Latin, Greek, Slavic, ‘Scythian’ (i.e., Persian) and Celtic (or ‘Celts-Germanic’) were derived, namely *Scytho-Celtic*.

1.1.6. The hypothesis re-appeared in 1786 when Sir William Jones first lectured on similarities between four of the oldest languages known in his time: Latin, Greek, Sanskrit and Persian:

“*The Sanskrit language, whatever be its antiquity, is of a wonderful structure; more perfect than the Greek, more copious than the Latin, and more exquisitely refined than either, yet bearing to both of them a stronger affinity, both **in the roots of verbs and the forms of grammar**, than could possibly have been produced by accident; so strong indeed, that no philologer could examine them all three, without believing them to have sprung **from some common source**, which, perhaps, no longer exists: there is a similar reason, though not quite so forcible, for supposing that both the Gothic and the Celtic, though blended with a very different idiom, had the same origin with the Sanskrit; and the old Persian might be added to the **same family**”*

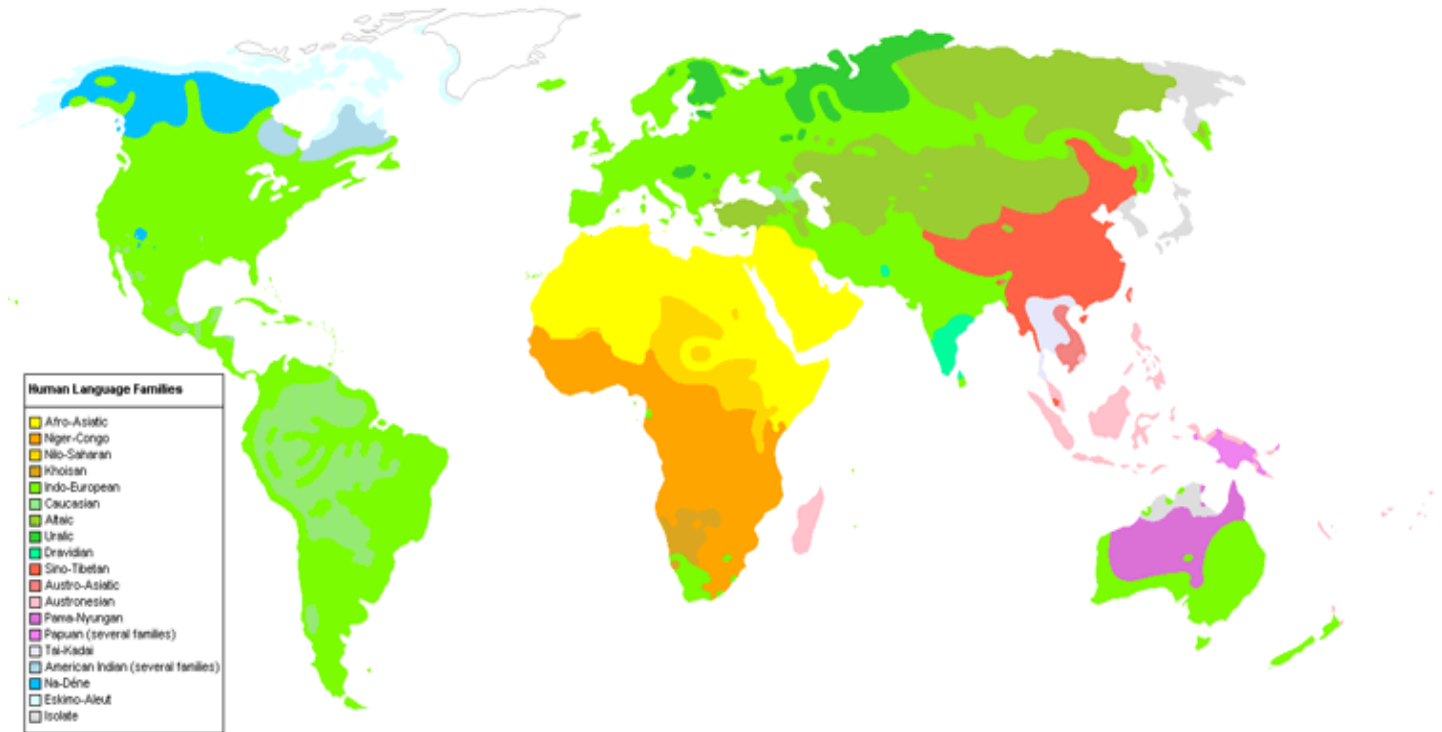
1.1.7. Danish Scholar Rasmus Rask was the first to point out the connection between Old Norwegian and Gothic on the one hand, and Lithuanian, Slavonic, Greek and Latin on the other. Systematic comparison of these and other old languages conducted by the young German linguist Franz Bopp supported the theory, and his *Comparative Grammar*, appearing between 1833 and 1852, counts as the starting-point of Indo-European studies as an academic discipline.

1.1.8. The classification of modern Indo-European dialects into ‘*languages*’ and ‘*dialects*’ is controversial, as it depends on many factors, such as the pure linguistic ones – most of the times being the least important of them –, and also social, economic, political and historical considerations. However, there are certain common ancestors, and some of them are old well-attested languages (or language systems), such as Classic Latin for modern Romance languages – French, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, Romanian or Catalan –, Classic Sanskrit for some modern Indo-Aryan languages, or Classic Greek for Modern Greek.

Furthermore, there are some still older IE ‘*dialects*’, from which these old formal languages were derived and later systematized. They are, following the above examples, *Archaic* or *Old Latin*, *Archaic* or *Vedic Sanskrit* and *Archaic* or *Old Greek*, attested in older compositions, inscriptions and inferred through the study of oral traditions and texts.

And there are also some old related dialects, which help us reconstruct proto-languages, such as Faliscan for *Latino-Faliscan* (and with Osco-Umbrian for an older *Proto-Italic*), the Avestan language for a *Proto-Indo-Iranian* or Mycenaean for an older *Proto-Greek*.

NOTE. Although proto-language groupings for early Indo-European languages may vary depending on different criteria, they all have the same common origin, the Proto-Indo-European language, which is generally easier to reconstruct than its dialectal groupings. For example, if we had only some texts of Old French, Old Spanish and Old Portuguese, Mediaeval Italian and Modern Romanian and Catalan, then Vulgar Latin – i.e. the features of the common language spoken by all of them, not the older, artificial, literary Classical Latin – could be easily reconstructed, but the groupings of the derived dialects not. In fact, the actual groupings of the Romance languages are controversial, even knowing well enough Archaic, Classic and Vulgar Latin...



Distribution of language families in the 20th century.

1.2. TRADITIONAL VIEWS

1.2.1. In the beginnings of the Indo-European or Indo-Germanic studies using the comparative grammar, the Indo-European proto-language was reconstructed as a unitary language. For Rask, Bopp and other Indo-European scholars, it was a search for *the* Indo-European. Such a language was supposedly spoken in a certain region between Europe and Asia and at one point in time – between ten thousand and four thousand years ago, depending on the individual theories –, and it spread thereafter and evolved into different languages which in turn had different dialects.

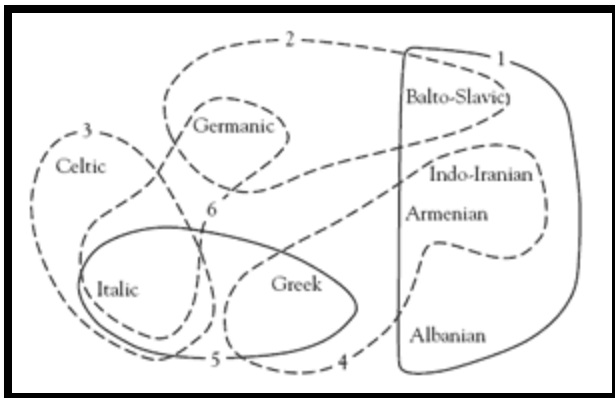
1.2.2. The *Stammbaumtheorie* or Genealogical Tree Theory states that languages split up in other languages, each of them in turn split up in others, and so on, like the branches of a tree. For example, a well known old theory about Indo-European is that, from *the* Indo-European language, two main

groups of dialects known as *Centum* and *Satem* separated – so called because of their pronunciation of the gutturals in Latin and Avestan, as in PIE **kn̥tóm**, “hundred”. From these groups others split up, as *Centum* Proto-Germanic, Proto-Italic or Proto-Celtic, and *Satem* Proto-Balto-Slavic, Proto-Indo-Iranian, which developed into present-day Germanic, Romance and Celtic, Baltic, Slavic, Iranian and Indo-Aryan languages.

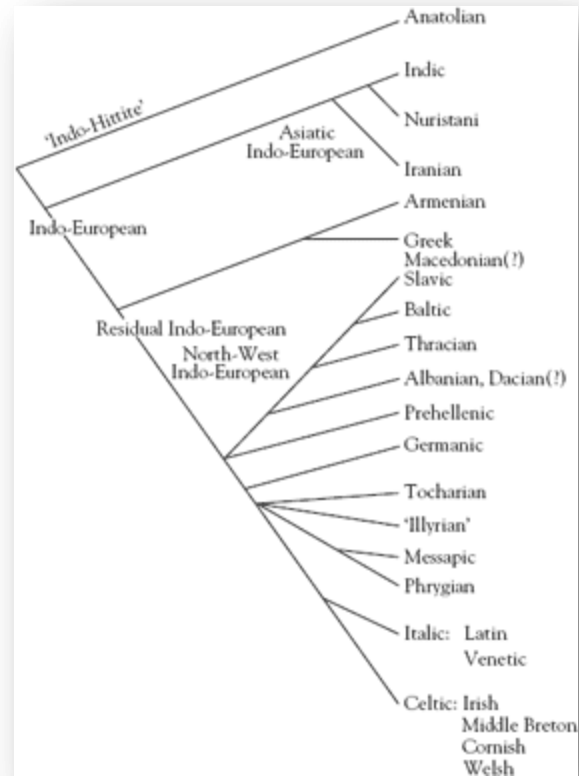
NOTE. The Centum and Satem isogloss is one of the oldest known phonological differences of Indo-European languages, and is still used by many to classify them in two groups, thus disregarding their relevant morphological and syntactical differences. It is based on a simple vocabulary comparison; as, from PIE **kn̥tóm** (possibly earlier ***dkn̥tóm**, from **dek̥n̥**, “ten”), Satem: O.Ind. *śatám*, Av. *satəm*, Lith. *šimtas*, O.C.S. *sto*, or Centum: Gk. *ἑκατόν*, Lat. *centum*, Goth. *hund*, O.Ir. *cet*, etc.

1.2.3. The *Wellentheorie* or Waves Theory, of J. Schmidt, states that one language is created from another by the spread of innovations, the way water waves spread when a stone hits the water surface. The lines that define the extension of the innovations are called isoglosses. The convergence of different isoglosses over a common territory signals the existence of a new language or dialect. Where isoglosses from different languages coincide, transition zones are formed.

NOTE. These old theories are based on the hypothesis that there was one common and *static* Proto-Indo-European language, and that all features of modern Indo-European languages can be explained in such a unitary



“Wave model” of some of the interrelationships of the Indo-European languages, J.P.Mallory and D.Q. Adams.



Modern tree diagram of the IE languages by Eric Hamp (1990).

scheme, by classifying them either as innovations or as archaisms of one old, rigid proto-language. The language system we propose for the revived Modern Indo-European is based mainly on that traditionally reconstructed Proto-Indo-European, not because we uphold the traditional views, but because we still look for the immediate common ancestor of modern Indo-European languages, and it is that old, unitary Indo-European that scholars had been looking for during the first decades of Indo-European studies.

1.3. THE THEORY OF THE THREE STAGES

1.3.1. Even some of the first Indo-Europeanists had noted in their works the possibility of older origins for the reconstructed (Late) Proto-Indo-European, although they didn't dare to describe those possible older stages of the language.

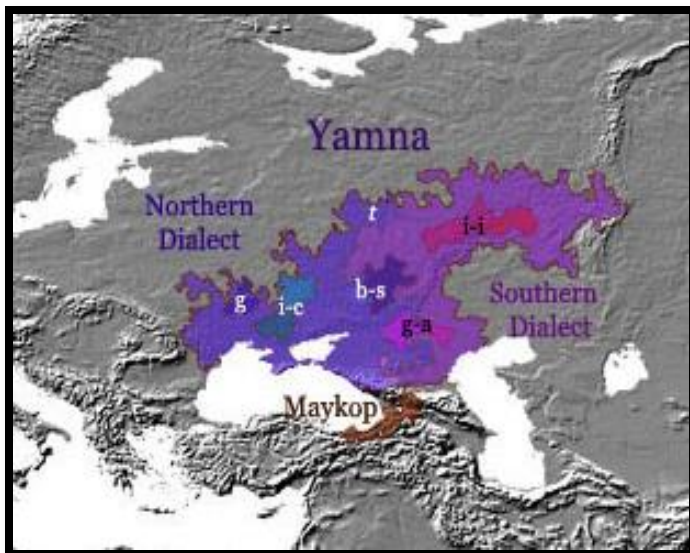
1.3.2. Today, a widespread Three-Stage Theory depicts the Proto-Indo-European language evolution into three main historic layers or stages:

1) Indo-European I or **IE I**, also

called *Early PIE*, is the hypothetical ancestor of IE II, and probably the oldest stage of the language that comparative linguistics could help reconstruct using internal reconstruction. There is, however, no common position as to how it was like or when and where it was spoken.

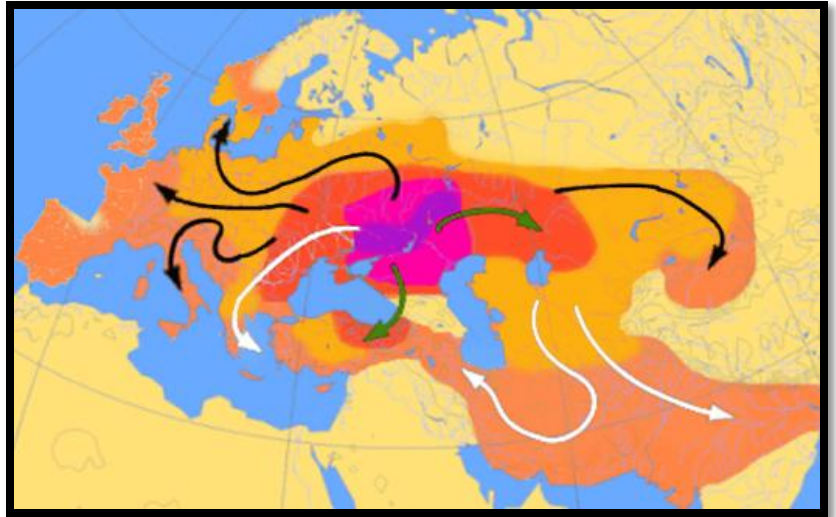
2) The second stage (3500-3000 BC) corresponds to a time before the separation of Proto-Anatolian from the common linguistic community where it coexisted with Pre-IE III. That stage of the language is called Indo-European II or **IE II**, *Middle PIE*, or *Indo-Hittite*. This is identified with the early Kurgan cultures in the Kurgan Hypothesis' framework.

3) The common immediate ancestor of the earliest known IE proto-languages – more or less the same static PIE searched for since the start of Indo-European studies – is usually called *Late PIE*, also



Indo-European III or **IE III**, often simply *Proto-Indo-European*. Its prehistoric community of speakers is generally identified with the Yamna or Pit Grave culture (cf. Ukr. *яма*, “pit”), in the Pontic Steppe, roughly between 3000-2500 BC. Pre-Proto-Anatolian speakers are arguably identified with the – already independent – Maykop cultural community.

Yamna culture ca. 3000 BC, roughly the time when Late PIE and Proto-Anatolian were spoken.

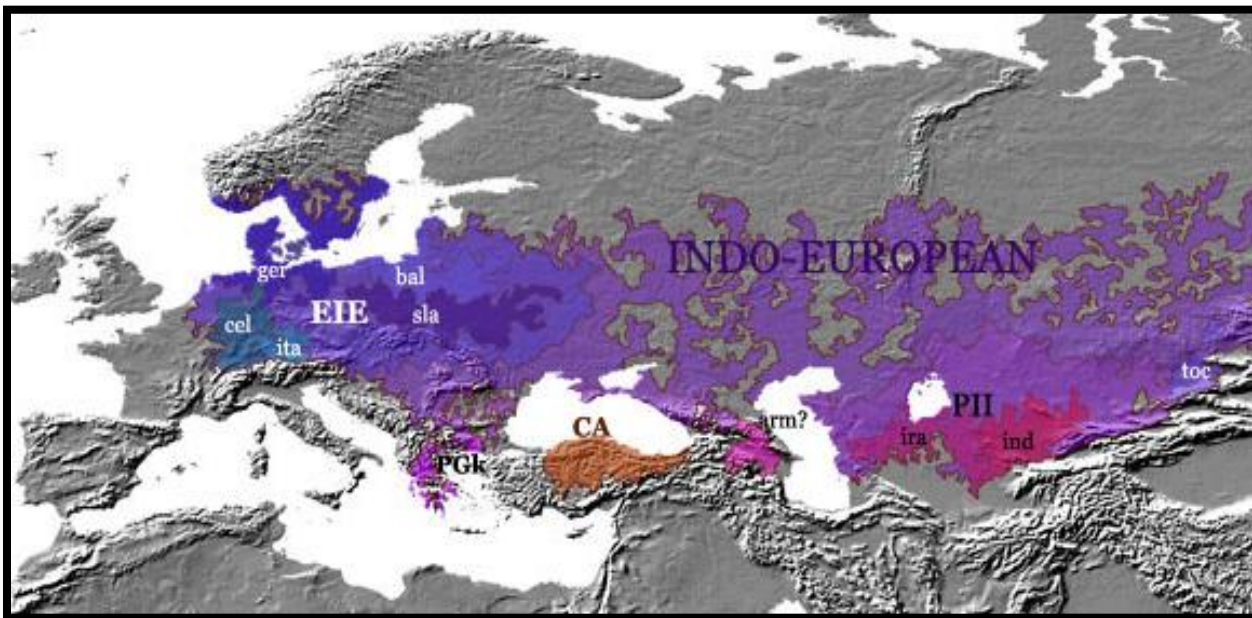


Expansion of IE 4000BC-1 AD, according to the Kurgan hypothesis.

NOTE. The development of this theory of three linguistic stages can be traced back to the very origins of Indo-European studies, firstly as a diffused idea of a non-static language, and later widely accepted as a dynamic dialectal evolution, already in the 20th century, after the discovery of the Anatolian scripts.

1.3.3. Another division has to be made, so that the dialectal evolution and this revival project is properly understood. Late PIE had at least two main dialectal branches, the *Northern* (or IE IIIb) and the *Southern* (or IE IIIa) ones. Terms like *Northwestern PIE* are commonly found in academic writings referring to the Northern Dialect, but we will use them here to name only the northern dialects of Europe, therefore excluding Tocharian. As far as we know, while speakers of *Southern* or *Graeco-Aryan* dialects (like Proto-Greek and Proto-Indo-Iranian) spread in different directions with the first Late PIE migrations ca. 2500 BC, speakers of Northern dialects remained still in loose contact in Europe, but for peoples like Proto-Tocharians who migrated to Asia. That so-called **Europe's Indo-European** – the ancestor of Celtic, Italic, Germanic, Baltic and Slavic dialects – is believed to have formed the last common Indo-European dialect continuum from ca. 2500-2000 BC in Northern Europe.

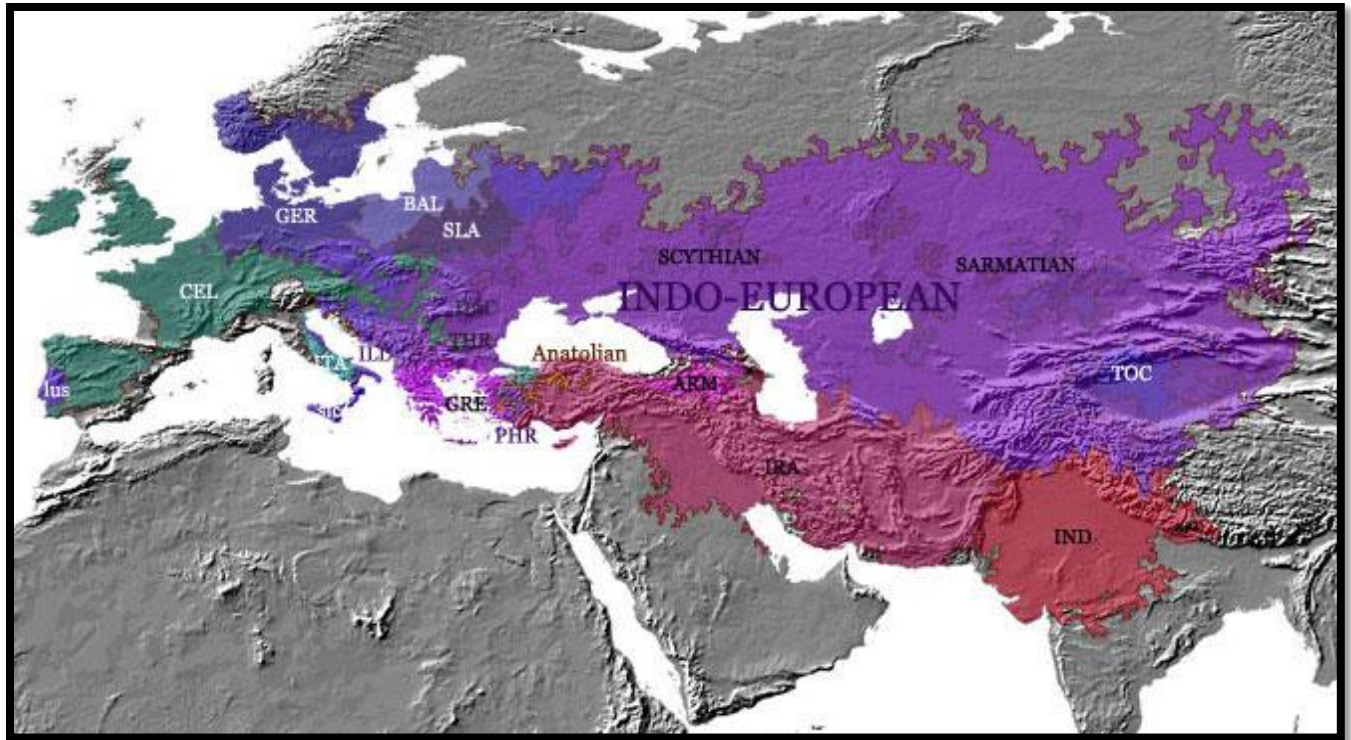
NOTE 1. On the so-called “Northwest Indo-European”, see N. Oettinger “*Grundsätzliche Überlegungen zum Nordwest-Indogermanischen*” in *Incontri Linguistici* 20 1997, and “*Zum nordwestindogermanischen Lexikon*” in *FS Meid* 70 1999. See also M. E. Huld in *Indo-Europeanization of Northern Europe* 1996; Adrados, Bernabé, Mendoza, *Manual de Lingüística Indoeuropea*, 1998; etc. Europe's Indo-European dialects show some common features, like a general reduction of the 8-case noun inflection system, the *-r* endings of the middle voice, as well as the lack (or late development) of *satemization*. The southern dialects, in turn, show a generalized Augment in *é-*, a general Aorist formation and an 8-case system –apparently also in Proto-Greek.



Spread of Late PIE dialects and Common Anatolian by ca. 2000 BC.

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NOTE 2. European dialects like Balto-Slavic and, to some extent, Italic, either because of general PIE innovative or archaic trends that only they maintained, or because of their original situation within the PIE dialectal territories in relation with the origin of the innovations – or just because they remained in contact with Southern Indo-European dialects after the first PIE split (e.g. through the Scythian or Iranian expansions) – show features usually identified with Indo-Iranian, as an 8-case noun declension and phonetic satemization, while having morphological features clearly common to Germanic and Celtic dialects, as the verbal system.

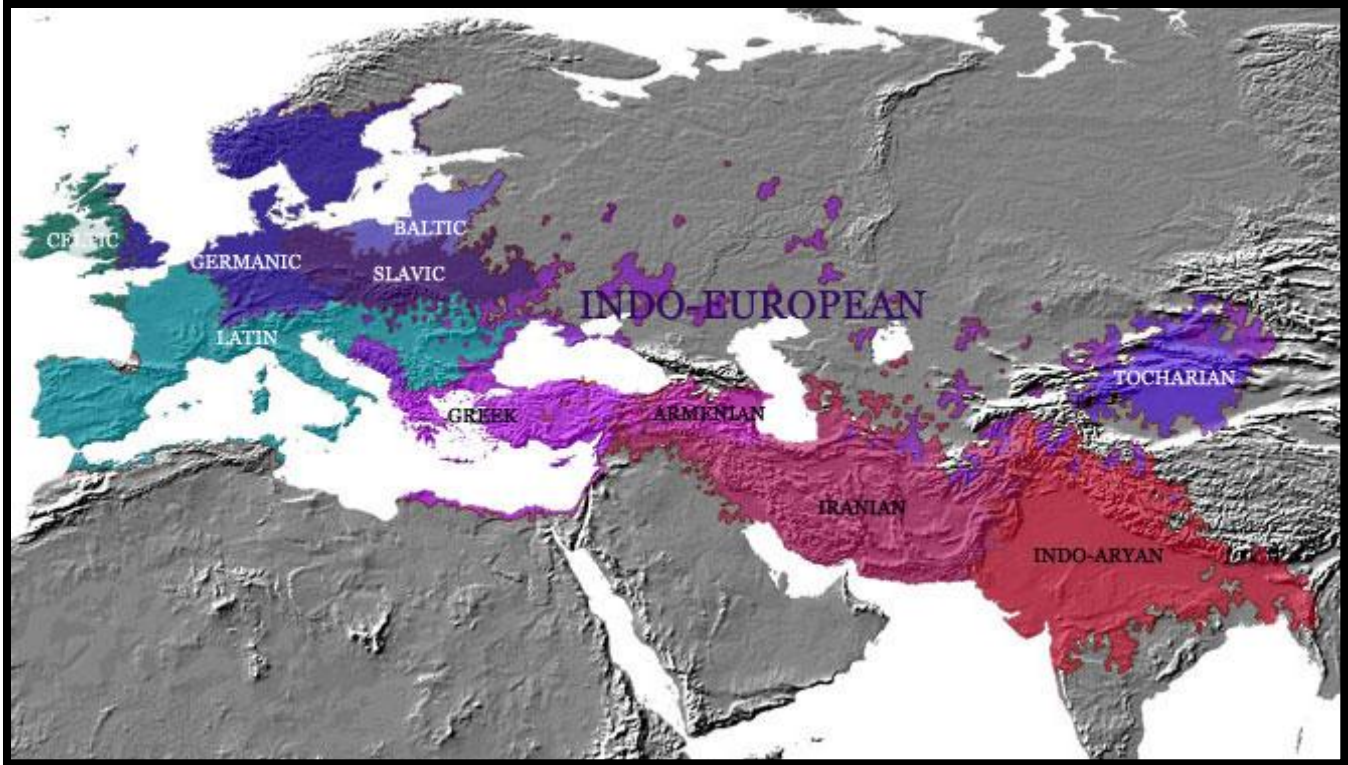


Indo-European dialects ca. 500 BC.

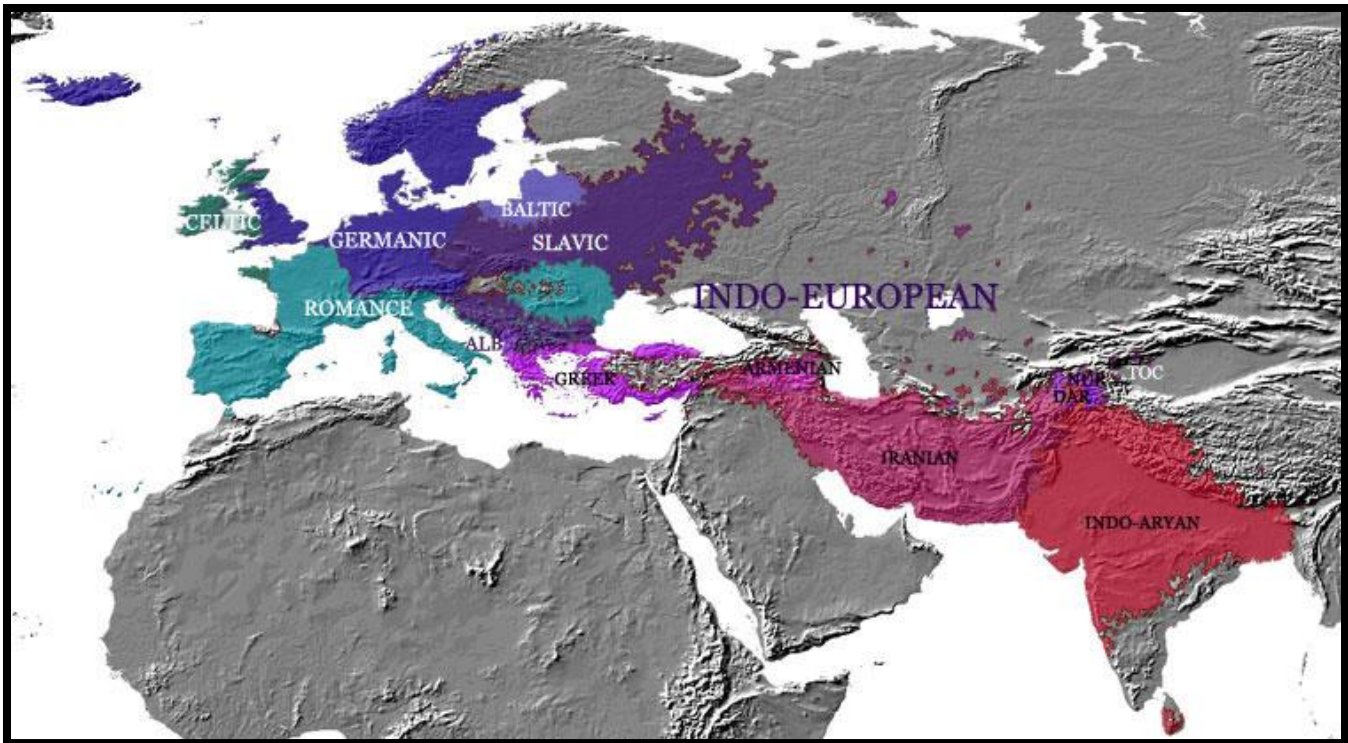
NOTE 3. The term Indo-European itself now current in English literature, was coined in 1813 by the British scholar Sir Thomas Young, although at that time there was no consensus as to the naming of the recently discovered language family. Among the names suggested were indo-germanique (C. Malte-Brun, 1810), Indoeuropean (Th. Young, 1813), japetisk (Rasmus C. Rask, 1815), indisch-teutsch (F. Schmitthenner, 1826), sanskritisch (Wilhelm von Humboldt, 1827), indokeltisch (A. F. Pott, 1840), arioeuropeo (G. I. Ascoli, 1854), Aryan (F. M. Müller, 1861), aryaque (H. Chavée, 1867), etc.

In English, *Indo-German* was used by J. C. Prichard in 1826 although he preferred *Indo-European*. In French, use of *indo-européen* was established by A. Pictet (1836). In German literature, *Indo-Europäisch* was used by Franz Bopp since 1835, while the term *Indo-Germanisch* had already been introduced by Julius von Klapproth in 1823, intending to include the northernmost and the southernmost of the family's branches, as it were as an abbreviation of the full listing of involved languages that had been common in earlier literature, opening the doors to ensuing fruitless discussions whether it should not be *Indo-Celtic*, or even *Tocharo-Celtic*.

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Indo-European dialects ca. 500 AD.



Indo-European dialects ca. 1500 AD.

1.4. THE PROTO-INDO-EUROPEAN *URHEIMAT* OR ‘HOMELAND’

1.4.1. The search for the *Urheimat* or ‘Homeland’ of the prehistoric Proto-Indo-Europeans has developed as an archaeological quest along with the linguistic research looking for the reconstruction of that proto-language.

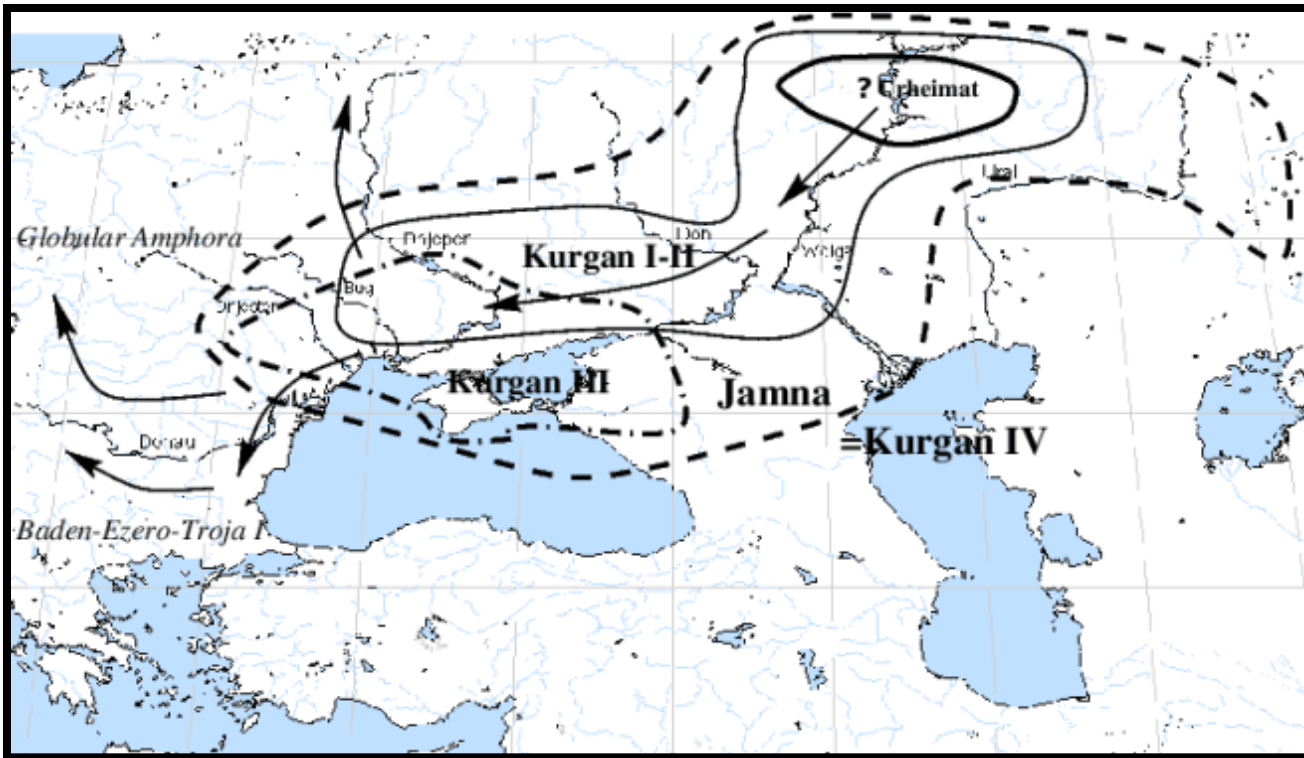
1.4.2. The **Kurgan hypothesis** was introduced by Marija Gimbutas in 1956 in order to combine archaeology with linguistics in locating the origins of the Proto-Indo-Europeans. She named the set of cultures in question “Kurgan” after their distinctive burial mounds and traced their diffusion into Europe.



Photo of a Kurgan (Archaeology Magazine).

1.4.3. According to her hypothesis, PIE speakers were probably a nomadic tribe of the Pontic-Caspian steppe that expanded in successive stages of the Kurgan culture and three successive “waves” of expansion during the 3rd millennium BC:

- **Kurgan I**, Dnieper/Volga region, earlier half of the 4th millennium BC. Apparently evolving from cultures of the Volga basin, subgroups include the Samara and Seroglazovo cultures.
- **Kurgan II–III**, latter half of the 4th millennium BC. Includes the Sredny Stog culture and the Maykop culture of the northern Caucasus. Stone circles, early two-wheeled chariots, anthropomorphic stone stelae of deities.
- **Kurgan IV** or Pit Grave culture, first half of the 3rd millennium BC, encompassing the entire steppe region from the Ural to Romania.
 - **Wave 1**, predating Kurgan I, expansion from the lower Volga to the Dnieper, leading to coexistence of Kurgan I and the Cucuteni culture. Repercussions of the migrations extend as far as the Balkans and along the Danube to the Vinča and Lengyel cultures in Hungary.
 - **Wave 2**, mid 4th millennium BC, originating in the Maykop culture and resulting in advances of “**kurganized**” hybrid cultures into northern Europe around 3000 BC – Globular Amphora culture, Baden culture, and ultimately Corded Ware culture.
 - **Wave 3**, 3000-2800 BC, expansion of the Pit Grave culture beyond the steppes; appearance of characteristic pit graves as far as the areas of modern Romania, Bulgaria and eastern Hungary.



Hypothetical Homeland or Urheimat of the first PIE speakers, from 4500 BC onwards. The Yamna (Pit Grave) culture lasted from ca. 3600 till 2200 BC. In this time the first wagons appeared. People were buried with their legs flexed, a position which remained typical for the Indo-Europeans for a long time. The burials were covered with a mound, a kurgan. During this period, from 3600 till 3000 IE II split up into Pre-IE III and Pre-Proto-Anatolian. From ca.3000 B.C on, Late PIE dialects began to differentiate and spread by 2500 westward (Europe's Indo-European), southward (Proto-Greek) and eastward (Proto-Aryan, Pre-Proto-Tocharian).

I. ARCHEOGENETICS AND INDO-EUROPEAN MIGRATIONS

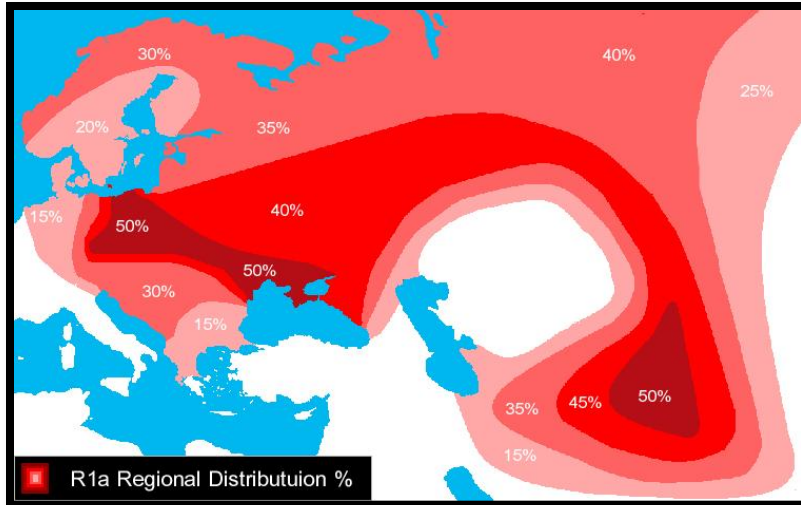
Cavalli-Sforza and Alberto Piazza argue that Renfrew (*v.i.*) and Gimbutas reinforce rather than contradict each other, stating that “genetically speaking, peoples of the Kurgan steppe descended at least in part from people of the Middle Eastern Neolithic who immigrated there from Turkey”.

NOTE. The genetic record cannot yield any direct information as to the language spoken by these groups. The current interpretation of genetic data suggests a strong genetic continuity in Europe; specifically, studies of mtDNA by Bryan Sykes show that about 80% of the genetic stock of Europeans originated in the Paleolithic.

Spencer Wells suggests that the origin, distribution and age of the **R1a1 haplotype** points to an ancient migration, possibly corresponding to the spread by the Kurgan people in their expansion across the Eurasian steppe around 3000 BC, stating that “there is nothing to contradict this model, although the genetic patterns do not provide clear support either”.

NOTE. R1a1 is most prevalent in Poland, Russia, and Ukraine, and is also observed in Pakistan, India and central Asia. R1a1 is largely confined east of the Vistula gene barrier and drops considerably to the west. The

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spread of Y-chromosome DNA haplogroup R1a1 has been associated with the spread of the Indo-European languages too. The mutations that characterize haplogroup R1a occurred ~10,000 years bp.

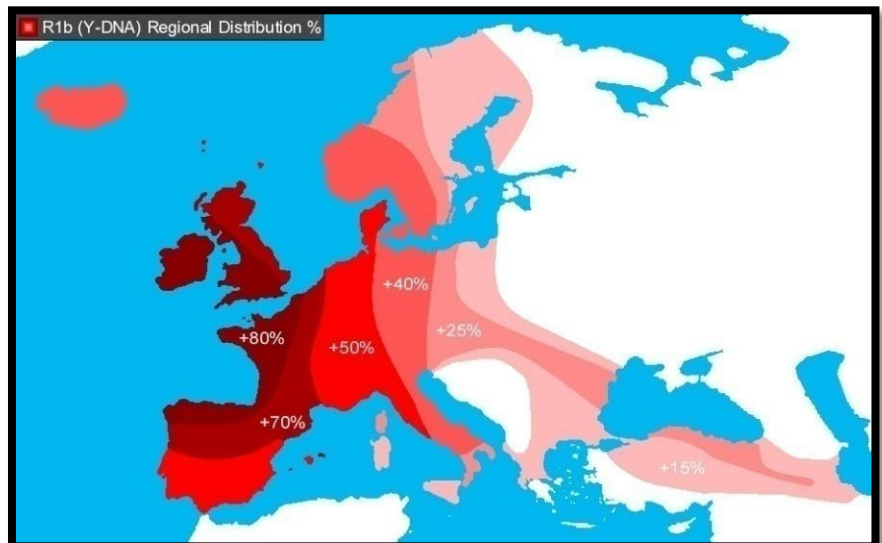
Haplogroup R1a1, whose lineage is thought to have originated in the Eurasian Steppes north of the Black and Caspian Seas, is therefore associated with the Kurgan culture, as well as with the postglacial

Ahrensburg culture which has been suggested to have spread the gene originally.

The present-day population of **R1b haplotype**, with extremely high peaks in Western Europe and measured up to the eastern confines of Central Asia, are believed to be the descendants of a refugium in the Iberian peninsula (Portugal and Spain) at the Last Glacial Maximum, where the haplogroup may have achieved genetic homogeneity. As conditions eased with the Allerød Oscillation in about 12,000 BC, descendants of this group migrated and eventually recolonised all of Western Europe, leading to the dominant position of R1b in variant degrees from Iberia to Scandinavia, so evident in haplogroup maps.

NOTE 1. High concentrations of Mesolithic or late Paleolithic YDNA haplogroups of types R1b (typically well above 35%) and I (up to 25%), are thought to derive ultimately of the robust Eurasiatic Cro Magnoid homo sapiens of the Aurignacian culture, and the subsequent gracile leptodolichomorphous people of the Gravettian culture that entered Europe from the Middle East 20,000 to 25,000 years ago, respectively.

NOTE 2. The most common subclade is R1b1b2a, that has a maximum in Frisia. It may have originated towards the end of the last ice age, or perhaps more or less 7000 BC, possibly in the northern European mainland and a close match of the present-day distribution of S21 and the territorial pattern of the Eastern Corded Ware cultures and the Single Grave cultures has been observed. Dupuy and his colleagues proposed



the ancestors of Scandinavian men from Haplogroup Hg P*(xR1a) or R1b (Y-DNA) to have brought Ahrensburg “culture” and stressed genetic similarity with Germany.

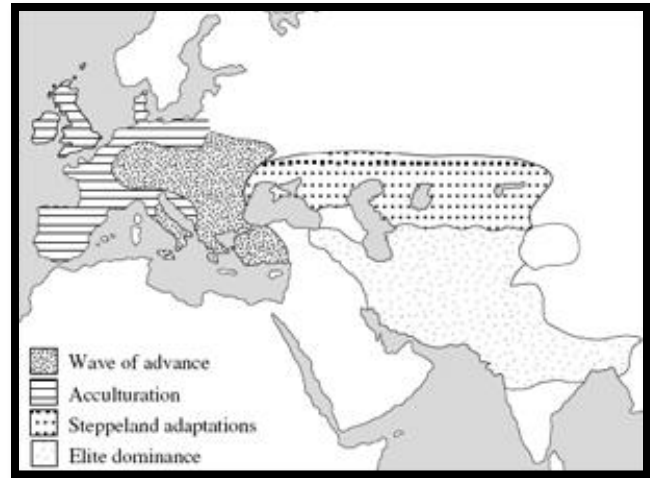
II. KURGAN HYPOTHESIS & PROTO-INDO-EUROPEAN LANGUAGES

ARCHAEOLOGY (<i>Kurgan Hypothesis</i>)	LINGUISTICS (<i>Three-Stage Theory</i>)
ca. 4500-4000 BC. <i>Sredny Stog, Dnieper-Donets and Sarama cultures, domestication of the horse.</i>	Pre-PIE is spoken, probably somewhere in the Pontic-Caspian Steppe.
ca. 4000-3500 BC. <i>The Yamna culture, the kurgan builders, emerges in the steppe, and the Maykop culture in northern Caucasus.</i>	Early PIE or IE I , the earliest Proto-Indo-European attainable by using the internal reconstruction method of comparative grammar.
ca. 3500-3000 BC. <i>The Yamna culture is at its peak, with stone idols, two-wheeled proto-chariots, animal husbandry, permanent settlements and hillforts, subsisting on agriculture and fishing, along rivers. Contact of the Yamna culture with late Neolithic Europe cultures results in kurganized Globular Amphora and Baden cultures. The Maykop culture shows the earliest evidence of the beginning Bronze Age, and bronze weapons and artifacts are introduced.</i>	Middle PIE is spoken. Pre-IE III and Pre-Proto-Anatolian dialects evolve in different communities but presumably still in contact, until the later becomes isolated south of the Caucasus and has no more contacts with the linguistic innovations of common Late PIE .
ca. 3000-2500 BC. <i>The Yamna culture extends over the entire Pontic steppe. The Corded Ware culture extends from the Rhine to the Volga, corresponding to the latest phase of Indo-European unity. Different cultures disintegrate, still in loose contact, enabling the spread of technology.</i>	Late PIE is spoken in different dialects , at least a Southern and a Northern one. Dialectal communities remain still in contact, enabling the spread of phonetic and morphological innovations, as well as early loan words. Proto-Anatolian , spoken in Asia Minor.
ca. 2500-2000 BC. <i>The Bronze Age reaches Central Europe with the Beaker culture of Northern Indo-Europeans. Indo-Iranians settle north of the Caspian in the Sintashta-Petrovka and later the Andronovo culture.</i>	The breakup of the southern IE dialects is complete. Proto-Greek spoken in the Balkans; Proto-Indo-Iranian in Central Asia; <u>Europe's Indo-European</u> in Northern Europe; Common Anatolian in Anatolia.
ca. 2000-1500 BC. <i>The chariot is invented, leading to the split and rapid spread of Iranians and other peoples from the Andronovo culture and the Bactria-Margiana Complex over much of Central Asia, Northern India, Iran and Eastern Anatolia. Greek Darg Ages and flourishing of the Hittite Empire. Pre-Celtics Unetice culture has an active metal industry.</i>	Indo-Iranian splits up in two main dialects, Indo-Aryan and Iranian. European proto-dialects like Germanic, Celtic, Italic, Baltic and Slavic differentiate from each other. A Proto-Greek dialect, Mycenaean, is already written in Linear B script. Anatolian languages like Hittite and Luwian are also written.
ca. 1500-1000 BC. <i>The Nordic Bronze Age sees the rise of the Germanic Urnfield and the Celtic Hallstatt cultures in Central Europe, introducing the Iron Age. Italic peoples move to the Italian Peninsula. Rigveda is composed. The Hittite Kingdoms and the Mycenaean civilization decline.</i>	Germanic, Celtic, Italic, Baltic and Slavic are already different proto-languages , developing in turn different dialects. Iranian and other related southern dialects expand through military conquest, and Indo-Aryan spreads in the form of its sacred language, Sanskrit.
ca. 1000-500 BC. <i>Northern Europe enters the Pre-Roman Iron Age. Early Indo-European Kingdoms and Empires in Eurasia. In Europe, Classical Antiquity begins with the flourishing of the Greek peoples. Foundation of Rome.</i>	Celtic dialects spread over Western Europe, German dialects to the south of Jutland. Italic languages attested in the Italian Peninsula. Greek and Old Italic alphabets appear. Late Anatolian dialects. Cimmerian, Scythian and Sarmatian in Asia, Paleo-Balkan languages in the Balkans.

NOTE. There are some research papers concerning the PCT available at <<http://www.continuitas.com/>>. Also, the PCT could in turn be connected with Frederik Kortlandt's Indo-Uralic and Altaic studies <<http://kortlandt.nl/publications/>> – although they could also be inserted in Gimbutas' early framework.

c. This is, in turn, related to the theories of a **Neolithic revolution** causing the peacefully spreading of an older pre-IE language into Europe from Asia Minor from around 7000 BC, with the advance of farming. It proposes that the dispersal (discontinuity) of Proto-Indo-Europeans originated in Neolithic Anatolia.

NOTE. Reacting to criticism, Renfrew by 1999 revised his proposal to the effect of taking a pronounced Indo-Hittite position. Renfrew's revised views place only Pre-Proto-Indo-European in 7th millennium BC Anatolia, proposing as the homeland of Proto-Indo-European proper the Balkans around 5000 BC, explicitly identified as the "Old European culture" proposed by Gimbutas.



Homeland question (mixing Neolithic and Kurgan hypothesis), J.P.Mallory & D.Q. Adams

As of 2005, Colin Renfrew seems to support the PCT designs and the usefulness of the Paleolithic assumptions. He co-authored a paper concluding: *Our finding lends weight to a proposed Paleolithic ancestry for modern Europeans* The above quotation coming as results of archaeogenetic research on mtaDNA where 150 x greater N1a frequency was found. The first European farmers are descended from a European population who were present in Europe since the Paleolithic and not coming as a wave of Neolithic migration as proposed in Renfrew's NDT.

II. Another hypothesis, contrary to the European ones, also mainly driven today by a nationalistic view, traces back the origin of PIE to Vedic Sanskrit, postulating that it is very *pure*, and that the origin can thus be traced back to the Indus Valley Civilization of ca. 3000 BC.

NOTE. Such Pan-Sanskritism was common among early Indo-Europeanists, as Schlegel, Young, A. Pictet (1877: *Les origines indoeuropéens*, Paris) or Schmidt (who preferred Babylonia), but are now mainly supported by those who consider Sanskrit almost equal to Late Proto-Indo-European. For more on this, see S. Misra (1992: *The Aryan Problem: A Linguistic Approach*, Delhi), Elst's *Update on the Aryan Invasion Debate* (1999), followed up by S.G. Talageri's *The Rigveda: A Historical Analysis* (2000), both part of "Indigenous Indo-Aryan" viewpoint by N. Kazanas, the "Out of India" theory, with a framework dating back to the times of the Indus Valley Civilization.

III. The Black Sea deluge theory dates the origins of the IE dialects expansion in the genesis of the Sea of Azov, ca. 5600 BC, which in turn would be related to the Bible Noah's flood, as it would have remained in oral tales until its writing down in the Hebrew *Tanakh*. This date is generally considered as rather early for the PIE spread.

NOTE. W.Ryan and W.Pitman published evidence that a massive flood through the Bosphorus occurred about 5600 BC, when the rising Mediterranean spilled over a rocky sill at the Bosphorus. The event flooded 155,000 km² of land and significantly expanded the Black Sea shoreline to the north and west. This has been connected with the fact that some Early Modern scholars based on Genesis 10:5 have assumed that the ‘Japhetite’ languages (instead of the ‘Semitic’ ones) are rather the direct descendants of the Adamic language, having separated before the confusion of tongues, by which also Hebrew was affected. That was claimed by *Blessed Anne Catherine Emmerich* (18th c.), who stated in her private revelations that most direct descendants of the *Adamic language* were Bactrian, Zend and Indian languages, related to her Low German dialect. It is claimed that Emmerich identified this way *Adamic language* as Early PIE.

1.6. RELATIONSHIP TO OTHER LANGUAGES

1.6.1. Many higher-level relationships between PIE and other language families have been proposed. But these speculative connections are highly controversial. Perhaps the most widely accepted proposal is of an Indo-Uralic family, encompassing PIE and Proto-Uralic, a language from which Hungarian, Finnish, Estonian, Saami and a number of other languages belong. The evidence usually cited in favor of this is the proximity of the proposed *Urheimaten* of the two proto-languages, the typological similarity between the two languages, and a number of apparent shared morphemes.

NOTE. Other proposals, further back in time (and correspondingly less accepted), model PIE as a branch of Indo-Uralic with a Caucasian substratum; link PIE and Uralic with Altaic and certain other families in Asia, such as Korean, Japanese, Chukotko-Kamchatkan and Eskimo-Aleut (representative proposals are Nostratic and Joseph Greenberg’s Eurasiatic); etc.

1.6.2. **Indo-Uralic** or Uralo-Indo-European is a hypothetical language family consisting of Indo-European and Uralic (i.e. Finno-Ugric and Samoyedic). Most linguists still consider this theory speculative and its evidence insufficient to conclusively prove genetic affiliation.

NOTE. Dutch linguist Frederik Kortlandt supports a model of Indo-Uralic in which the original Indo-Uralic speakers lived north of the Caspian Sea, and Proto-Indo-Europeans began as a group that branched off westward from there to come into geographic proximity with the Northwest Caucasian languages, absorbing a Northwest Caucasian lexical blending before moving farther westward to a region north of the Black Sea where their language settled into canonical Proto-Indo-European.

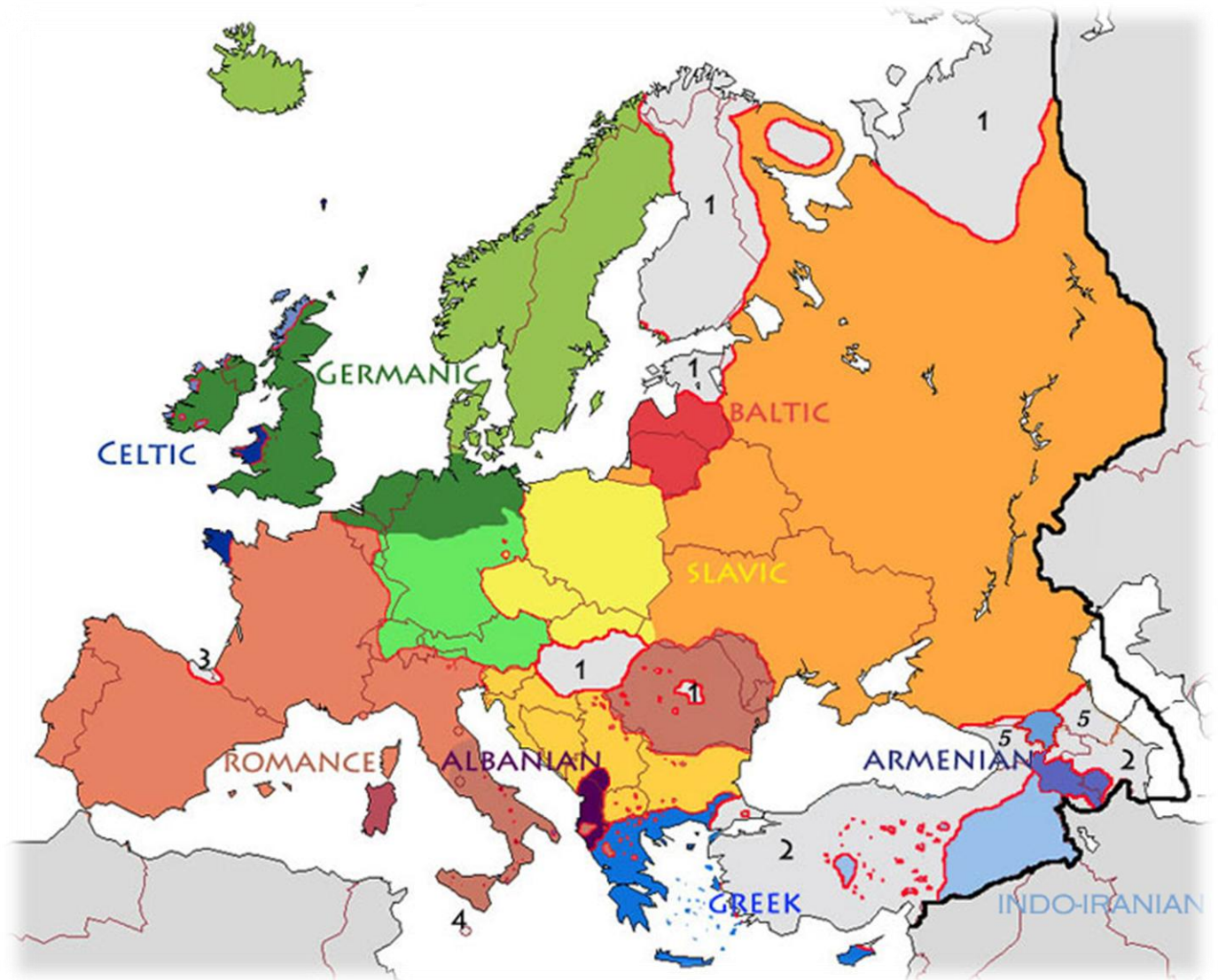
1.6.3. The most common arguments in favour of a relationship between Early PIE and Uralic are based on seemingly common elements of morphology, such as the pronominal roots **m-* for first person, **t-* for second person, **i-* for third person; case markings accusative **-m*, ablative/partitive **-ta*; interrogative/relative pronouns **k^w-* “*who?, which?*”, **j-* “*who, which*” to signal relative clauses; and a common SOV word order. Other, less obvious correspondences are suggested, such as the Indo-European plural marker **-es** (or **-s** in the accusative plural **-m̥-s**) and its Uralic counterpart **-t*. This same word-final assibilation of **-t* to **-s* may also be present in PIE second-person singular **-s** in

comparison with Uralic second-person singular **-t*. Compare, within Indo-European itself, **-s** second-person singular injunctive, **-si** second-person singular present indicative, **-tHa** second-person singular perfect, **-te** second-person plural present indicative, **tu** “you” (singular) nominative, **tei** “to you” (singular) enclitic pronoun. These forms suggest that the underlying second-person marker in Indo-European may be **t* and that the **u* found in forms such as **tu** was originally an affixal particle.

NOTE. The problem with lexical evidence is to weed out words due to borrowing, because Uralic languages have been in contact with Indo-European languages for millenia, and consequently borrowed many words from them.

Meaning	Early PIE	Proto-Uralic
“I, me”	me , “me” (Acc.), mene , “my” (Gen.)	<i>*mun</i> , <i>*mina</i> , “I”
“you” (sg)	tu (Nom.), twe (Acc.), tewe “your” (Gen.)	<i>*tun</i> , <i>*tina</i>
First person singular	-m	<i>*-m</i>
First person plural	-me	<i>*-me</i>
Second person singular	-s (active), -tHa (perfect)	<i>*-t</i>
Second person plural	-te	<i>*-te</i>
Demonstrative	so , “this, he/she” (animate nom)	<i>*ša</i> (3 rd person singular)
Interrogative pronoun (An.)	kwi- , “who?, what?”; kwo- , “who?, what?”	<i>*ken</i> , “who?”, <i>*ku-</i> , “who?”
Relative pronoun	jo-	<i>*-ja</i> (nomen agentis)
Accusative	-m	<i>*-m</i>
Ablative/partitive	-od	<i>*-ta</i>
Nominative/Accusative pl.	-es (Nom. pl.), -m̥s (Acc. pl.)	<i>*-t</i>
Oblique plural	-i (pronominal pl., cf. we-i- “we”, to-i- “those”)	<i>*-i</i>
Dual	-H₁	<i>*-k</i>
Stative	-s- (aorist); -es- , -t (stative substantive)	<i>*-ta</i>
Negative particle	nei , ne	<i>*ei-</i> [negative verb], <i>*ne</i>
“to give”	deh₃-	<i>*toHe-</i>
“to moisten”,	wed- , “to wet”, wodr- , “water”	<i>*wet_i</i> , “water”
“water”	mesg- , “dip under water, dive”	<i>*muške-</i> , “wash”
“to assign”,	nem- , “to assign, to allot”, h₁nomn̥- , “name”	<i>*nimi</i> , “name”
“metal”	h₂weseh₂- , “gold”	<i>*waške</i> , “some metal”
“trade”	mei- , “exchange”	<i>*miHe-</i> , “give, sell”
“fish”	(s)kvalo- , “large fish”	<i>*kala</i> , “fish”
“sister-in-law”	galou- , “husband’s sister”	<i>*käl₃</i> , “sister-in-law”
“much”	polu- , “much”	<i>*palj₃</i> , “thick, much”

1.7. INDO-EUROPEAN DIALECTS OF EUROPE



*Languages of Europe. The **black line** divides the zones traditionally (or politically) considered inside the European subcontinent. Northern dialects are all but Greek and Kurdish (Iranian); Armenian is usually considered a Graeco-Aryan dialect, while Albanian is usually classified as a Northern one. Numbered inside the map, non-Indo-European languages: 1) Uralic languages; 2) Turkic languages; 3) Basque; 4) Maltese; 5) Caucasian languages.*

SCHLEICHER'S FABLE: FROM PROTO-INDO-EUROPEAN TO MODERN ENGLISH

The so-called *Schleicher's fable* is a poem composed in PIE, published by August Schleicher in 1868, originally named "*The Sheep and the Horses*". It is written here in the different reconstructible IE dialects for comparison.

More information and changes at <<http://dnghu.org/en/indoeuropean-schleicher-fable/>>

The immediate parent dialect of each proto-language is enclosed in parentheses.

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Indo-Hittite (IE I), 3500 BC	Common Anatolian (PAn), 2500 BC	Europe's IE (IE IIIb), 2500 BC
H ₃ owis h ₁ ekwōs-k ^w e.	Howis ekwōs-k ^w e.	Owis ekwōs-k ^w e.
H ₃ owis, k ^w esjo w ₁ h ₁ neh ₂ ne h ₁ est,	Howis, k ^w esjo w ₁ neh ne est,	Owis, k ^w esjo w ₁ nā ne est,
h ₁ ekwoms spekét,	ekwoms spekét,	ekwoms spekét,
h ₁ oinom ɕ ₁ h ₃ úm wog ^h om wég ^h ontm ₃ ,	oikom g ₁ r ₁ úm wogom wégontm ₃ ,	oinom g ^w r ₁ úm wog ^h om wég ^h ontm ₃ ,
h ₁ oinom-k ^w e megeh ₂ m b ^h orom,	oikom-k ^w e megehm borom,	oinom-k ^w e megām b ^h orom,
h ₁ oinom-k ^w e d ^h h ₁ g ^h monm ₃ h ₁ oh ₁ ku b ^h érontm ₃ .	oikom-k ^w e dgmonm ₃ oku bérontm ₃ .	oinom-k ^w e d ^h g ^h monm ₃ ōkú b ^h érontm ₃ .
H ₃ owis nu h ₁ ékwo ^b hjos weuk ^w ét:	Howis nu ékwobos w ₁ k ^w ét:	Owis nu ékwob ^h os weuk ^w ét:
“K ₁ rd h ₂ ég ^h nutoi h ₁ moí,	“K ₁ rd xégnutor moí,	“K ₁ rd ág ^h nutoi moí,
h ₁ ekwoms h ₂ égontm ₃ wi ₁ rom wídn ₁ tei”.	ekwoms xégonm ₃ wirom wídn ₁ te”.	ekwoms ágontm ₃ wīrom wídn ₁ tei”.
H ₁ ekwōs tu weuk ^w ónt: “Klud ^h í, h ₃ owí!	Ekwōs tu weuk ^w ónt: “Kludí, howí!	Ekwōs tu weuk ^w ónt: “Klud ^h í, owí!
k ₁ rd h ₂ ég ^h nutoi n ₃ sméi wídn ₁ tb ^h jos:	k ₁ rd hegnutor n ₃ smé wídn ₁ tbos:	k ₁ rd ág ^h nutoi n ₃ sméi wídn ₁ tb ^h jos:
h ₂ ner, potis, h ₃ owjom-ɾ w ₁ h ₁ neh ₂ m ₃	hner, potis, howjom-ɾ w ₁ nehm	ner, potis, owjom-ɾ w ₁ nām
sweb ^h i g ^w hermóm westrom k ^w ɾneuti”.	swebi cermóm wéstrom k ^w ɾnūdi”.	seb ^h i g ^w hermóm westrom k ^w ɾneuti”.
H ₃ owjom-k ^w e w ₁ hneh ₂ ne h ₁ esti.	Howjom-k ^w e w ₁ neh ne esti.	Owjom-k ^w e w ₁ nā ne esti.
Tod kékluwos h ₃ owis h ₂ egrom b ^h ugét.	Tod kékluwos howis hegrom bugét.	Tod kékluwos owis agrom b ^h ugét.

Proto-Indo-Iranian (IE IIIa), 2500 BC	Proto-Greek (IE IIIa), 2500 BC	Proto-Celtic (EIE), 1000 BC
Awis aḱwās-ka.	Owis ekwoi-k ^w e.	Owis ek ^w oi-k ^w e.
Awis, kasja w ₁ nā na āst,	Ówis, k ^w eho w ₁ nā ne ēst,	Owis, k ^w esjo wlānā ne est,
akwams spaḱát,	ekwos spekét,	ek ^w os spekét,
aikam g ₁ úm wag ^h am wág ^h antm ₃ ,	oiwom k ^w h ₁ úm wok ^h om wek ^h ontm ₃ ,	oinom barúm woxom wéxontam,
aikam-ka mag ^h am b ^h aram,	oiwom-k ^w e megām p ^h orom,	oinom-k ^w e megam borom,
aikam-ka g ^h ámanm ₃ āku b ^h arantm ₃ .	oiwom-k ^w e k ^h thómonm ₃ ōku p ^h érontm ₃ .	oinom-k ^w e dxoniom āku berontam.
Awis nu aḱwab ^h jas áwaukat:	Ówis nu ékwop ^h os éweuk ^w et:	Owis nu ékwobos weuk ^w ét:
“K ₁ rd ág ^h nutai mai,	“K ₁ rd ák ^h nutoi moi,	“K ₁ rid áxnutor mai,
aḱwams aḱantam wīram wídn ₁ tai”.	ekwoms ágontm ₃ wīrom wídn ₁ tei”.	ek ^w os ágontom wīrom wídanti”.
Áḱwās tu áwawkant: “K ₁ rud ^h í avi!	Ékwoi tu éwewek ^w ont: “K ₁ lud ^h í, owí!	Ek ^w oi tu weuk ^w ónt: “K ₁ ludí, owí!
k ₁ rd ág ^h nutai n ₃ smái wídn ₁ tb ^h jas:	k ₁ rd ág ^h nutoi n ₃ sméi wídn ₁ tp ^h os:	k ₁ rid áxnutor ansméi wídn ₁ tb ^h jos:
nar, patis, awjam-ɾ w ₁ nām	anér, potis, owjom-ɾ w ₁ nām	ner, potis, owjom-ar wlānām
swab ^h i g ^h armám wastram k ₁ ɾnauti”.	sep ^h i k ^w hermóm westrom k ^w ɾneuti”.	sebi g ^w ermóm westrom k ^w ar ^w neuti”.
Awjam-ka w ₁ nā na asti.	Owjom-k ^w e w ₁ nā ne esti.	Owjom-k ^w e wlānā ne esti.
Tat ḱáḱruwas awis aḱram áb ^h ugat.	Tot kékluwos owis agrom ép ^h ugét.	Tod kéklowos owis agrom bugét.

1. Introduction

Proto-Italic (EIE), 1000 BC	Pre-Proto-Germanic (EIE), 1000 BC	Common Tocharian (PToch), 1000 BC
Owis ekwoi-k ^{we} .	Awiz exwaz-x ^{we} .	Owi jukweñ-ke.
Owis, k ^{wesjo} wlānā ne est,	Awiz, h ^{wes} wulnō ne est,	Owi, kuse wlānā ne es,
ekwos spekét,	ehwanz spexét,	jukwes späkät,
oinom grāwúm woxom wéxontem,	ainan karún wagan wéganðun,	enem karām wakṃ wākantām,
oinom-k ^{we} megam ðorom,	ainan-x ^{we} mekon baran,	enem-ke mākām parm,
oinom-k ^{we} xomonem ōku ðerontem.	ainan-x ^{we} gúmanan āxu bérandun.	enem-ke tkamnam ākā pärantām.
Owis nu ékwoφos weuk ^{wét} :	Awiz nu éxwamaz weux ^{wéd} :	Owi nä júkwebos wukät:
“Kord axnutor meí,	“Hurt ágnuðai meí,	“Kärt ágnātai me,
ekwos ágontom wīrom wídentei”.	exwanz ákanðun weran wítanðī”.	jukwes ákantān wirem witsante”.
Ekwoi tu weuk ^{wónt} : “Kluþí, owi!	Exwaz weux ^{want} : “Hludí, awi!	Jukweñ tā wukant: “Klutí, ow!
kord axnutor ensméi wídentφos:	hurt áknuðai unsmí wítunðmaz:	kärt áknete ansme wítantbe:
ner, potis, owjom-or wlānām	ner, faþiz, awjan-aur wulnōn	när, pats, owjāp-är wlānām
seþi g ^{hermóm} westrom k ^{worneuti} ”.	sibi warmán westhran h ^{wurneuþi} ”.	säpi särman wästram kärnuti”.
Owjom-k ^{we} wlānā ne esti.	Awjan-x ^{we} wulnō ne isti.	Owjāp-ke wlānā nä esti.
Tud kékluwos owis agrom ðugít.	þat héxluwaz awiz akran bukép.	Tä kāklewe owi ākre bekät.

Proto-Armenian (?), 1 AD	Proto-Slavic (EIE), 500 AD	Proto-Baltic (EIE), 500 AD
Hovih ēšwuh-k ^{he} .	Ovīs esvū-če.	Avis ašvai-ke.
Hovih, k ^{behjo} gálana ne ēs ^(th) ,	Ovīs, česo vlīna ne jazīt,	Avis, kaso vilno ne ašt,
ēšwoh sp ^{hek^{he}(th)} ,	esva speset,	ašvus spekīt,
enam erkúm wojā wéjonā,	inū žarūō vozū vézōtē,	ainam ģarū važam vēžantim,
enam-k ^{he} mekā borā,	inū-če meža borū,	ainam-ke meġam baram,
enam-k ^{he} zmonā ušu béronā.	inū-če žmonū asū bérōtē.	ainam-ke zmonam uoku bérantim.
Hovih nu ēšwoboh égojk ^{he} (th):	Ovīs nū ésvomū vjučēt:	Avis nu ašvamas vjaukīt:
“Sart égnut ^{he} me,	“Sriđ áznutē mě,	“Šird ágnutai mai,
ēšwuh ákont ^{hā} garā gítant ^{hi} ”.	esvū ágōtū virū vídēti”.	ašvai ágantim viram vídintei”.
Ēšwoh t ^{hu} égojk ^{hō} : “Ludí, hovi!	Esva tu vjučōt: “Sludí, ove!	Ašvus tu vjaukant: “Šludí, avi!
Sart égnut ^{hoi} asmí gítan ^(th) bos:	sriđ áznutē ēsmí vídētmū:	šird ágnutai insméi vídintmas:
a(n)ír, p ^{hot^{his}} , owjā-ar gálanam	ner, poðis, óvjemī-rī vlīnō	ner, pats, avjam-ir vilnom
(k)ibi ĵermā gesthrā k ^{harnoj^{thi}} ”.	sēbi germū vestrū črinjutī”.	sebi garmām vestram kirnjauti”.
Hovjā-k ^{he} gálana ne est ^{hi} .	Óvjemī-če vlīna ne jazītī.	Avjam-ke vilno ne ašti.
Da k ^{hék^hlugah} hovih akrā ébuke ^(th) .	To sésluvū ovīs agrū bugīt.	Ta šéšluvas avis agram bugīt.

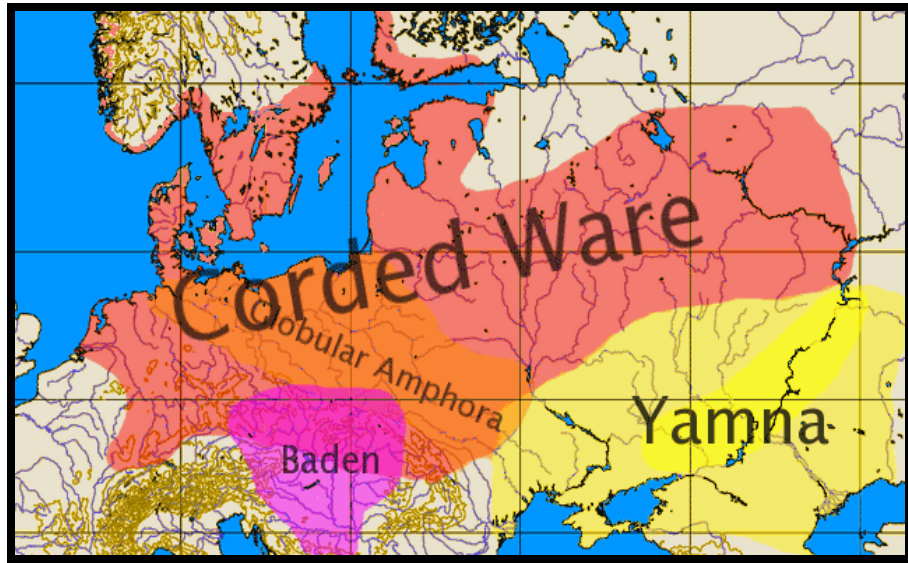
Translation: « *The Sheep and the Horses*. • A sheep that had no wool • saw horses, • one pulling a heavy wagon, • one carrying a big load, • and one carrying a man quickly. • The sheep said to the horses: • “My heart pains me, • seeing a man driving horses”. • The horses said: “Listen, sheep, • our hearts pain us when we see this: • a man, the master, makes the wool of the sheep • into a warm garment for himself. • And the sheep has no wool”. • Having heard this, the sheep fled into the plain. »

1.7.1. NORTHERN INDO-EUROPEAN DIALECTS

I. EUROPE'S INDO-EUROPEAN

The Northwestern Proto-Indo-European dialect, or **Europe's Indo-European**, was spoken in the European Subcontinent between ca. 2500-2000 BC, until it evolved into Proto-Celtic, Proto-Italic, Proto-Germanic, and Proto-Balto-Slavic. Its original common location is usually traced back to some place to the East of the Rhine, to the North of the Alps and the Carpathian Mountains, to the South of Scandinavia and to the East of the Eastern European Lowlands or Russian Plain, not beyond Moscow.

The Corded Ware complex of cultures traditionally represents for many scholars the arrival of the first speakers of Northern Dialects in central Europe, coming from the Yamna culture. The archaeological complex dates from about 3.000-2.000 BC. The Globular Amphorae culture may be slightly earlier, but the relation between these two cultures remains unclear.



Europe 2500-2000 BC. The Proto-Germanic homeland is traced back to Jutland and southern Scandinavia; present-day West Germany was the homeland for Proto-Celtic and Proto-Italic speakers; the Eastern zone corresponds to Balto-Slavic speakers.

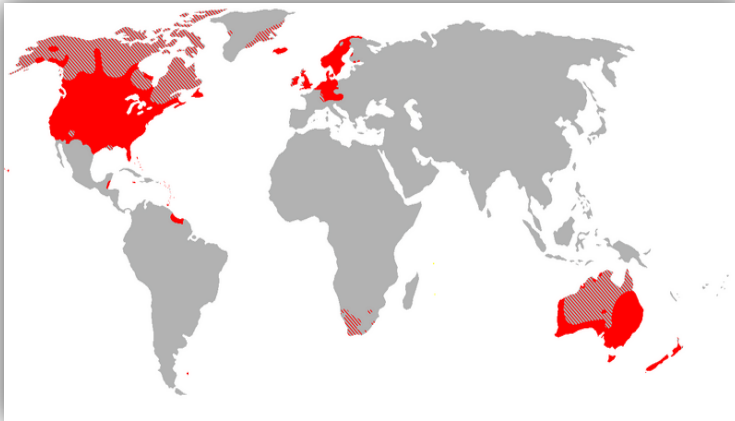
Evolution of PIH laryngeals in

EIE include vowel colourization and compensatory lengthening, many of them common to Late PIE:

- PIH **H**₁, the *neutral* laryngeal: **h**₁**a**→*a*, **h**₁**e**→*e*, **h**₁**o**→*o*; **ah**₁→*ā*, **eh**₁→*ē*, **oh**₁→*ō*.
- PIH **H**₂, the *a-colouring* laryngeal: **h**₂**a**→*a*, **h**₂**e**→*a*, **h**₂**o**→*a*; **ah**₂→*ā*, **eh**₂→*ā*.
- PIH **H**₃, the *o-colouring* laryngeal: **h**₃**e**→*o*, **h**₃**o**→*o*; **eh**₃→*ō*, **oh**₃→*ō*.
- PIE **ə** (PIH interconsonantal **-H-**) → *a*, as in PIH **ph**₂**tér** → EIE *patér* (cf. PII *pitár*)
- PIH **r**_h→*r̄*, **l**_h→*l̄*, **n**_h→*n̄*, **m**_h→*m̄*; also, **i**_h→*ī*, **u**_h→*ū*.
- PIH **H** before consonants → \emptyset : cf. PIH **h**₁**dōnts**, EIE *dōnts* (cf. PGk *odōnts*), “tooth”; PIH **h**₂**stér**, EIE *stér* (cf. PGk *astér*), etc.

NOTE. There are many variations in the laryngeal theories proposed by scholars, who reconstruct from just one (Szemerényi) to eight (Puhvel) or nine (Adrados); a general reconstruction of three laryngeals is commonly accepted for its simplicity and wide acceptance today. For more on this see Appendix II.3, The Laryngeal Theory.

A. GERMANIC



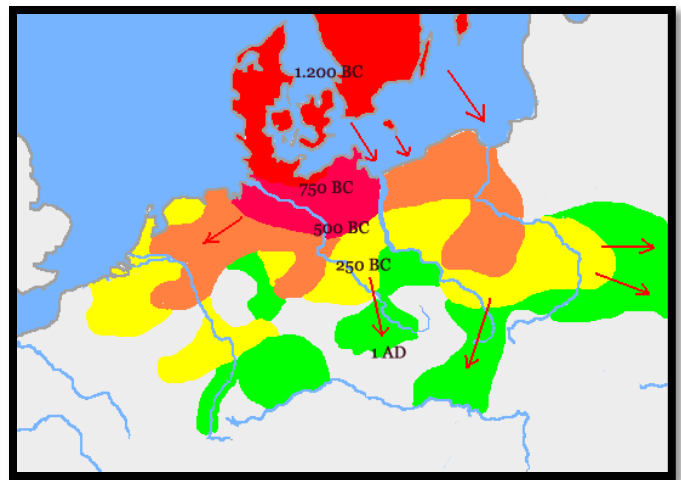
Spread of Germanic languages today.

The **Germanic languages** form one of the branches of the Indo-European language family. The largest Germanic languages are English and German, with ca. 340 and some 120 million native speakers, respectively. Other significant languages include a number of Low Germanic dialects (like Dutch) and the Scandinavian languages.

Their common ancestor is **Proto-Germanic**, probably still spoken in the mid-1st millennium B.C. in Iron Age Northern Europe, since its separation from an earlier **Pre-Proto-Germanic**, a dialect of Europe's Indo-European branch dated ca. 1000 BC. The succession of archaeological horizons suggests that before their language differentiated into the individual Germanic branches the Proto-Germanic speakers lived in southern Scandinavia and along the coast from the Netherlands in the west to the Vistula in the east around 750 BC. Early Germanic dialects enter history with the Germanic peoples who settled in northern Europe along the borders of the Roman Empire from the 2nd century.

NOTE. A few surviving inscriptions in a runic script from Scandinavia dated to ca. 200 are thought to represent a later stage of Proto-Norse; according to Bernard Comrie, it represents a *Late Common Germanic* which followed the "Proto-Germanic" stage.

The earliest evidence of the Germanic branch is recorded from names in the 1st century by Tacitus, and in a single instance in the 2nd century BC, on the *Negau helmet*. From roughly the 2nd century AD, some speakers of early Germanic dialects developed the *Elder Futhark*. Early runic inscriptions are also largely limited to personal names, and difficult to interpret. The Gothic language



Expansion of Germanic tribes 1200 BC - 1 AD.

was written in the Gothic alphabet developed by Bishop Ulfilas for his translation of the Bible in the 4th century. Later, Christian priests and monks who spoke and read Latin in addition to their native Germanic tongue began writing the Germanic languages with slightly modified Latin letters, but in Scandinavia, runic alphabets remained in common use throughout the Viking Age.

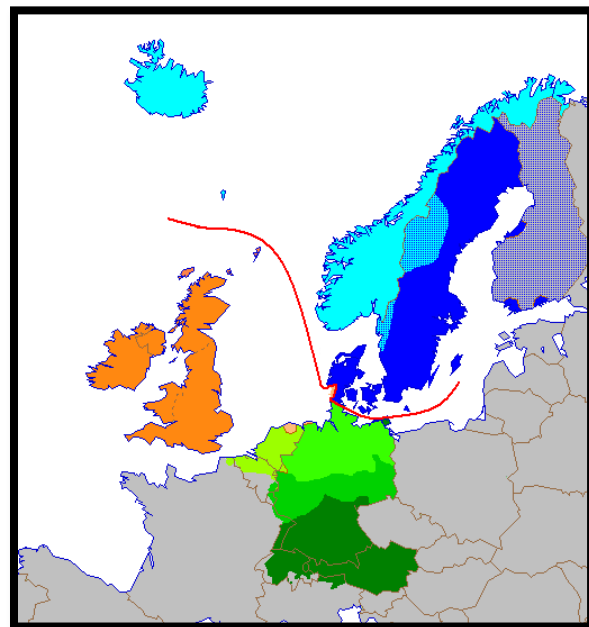
NOTE. W. P. Lehmann (1961) considered that Jacob Grimm's "First Germanic Sound Shift", or Grimm's Law and Verner's Law, which pertained mainly to consonants and were considered for a good many decades to have generated Proto-Germanic, were Pre-Proto-Germanic, and that the "upper boundary" was the fixing of the accent, or stress, on the root syllable of a word, typically the first. Proto-Indo-European had featured a moveable pitch accent comprising "an alternation of high and low tones" as well as stress of position determined by a set of rules based on the lengths of the word's syllables.

The fixation of the stress led to sound changes in unstressed syllables. For Lehmann, the "lower boundary" was the dropping of final -a or -e in unstressed syllables; for example, PIE **woid-á** >, Goth. *wait*, "knows" (the > and < signs in linguistics indicate a genetic descent). Antonsen (1965) agreed with Lehmann about the upper boundary but later found runic evidence that the -a was not dropped: Gmc. *ékwakraz ... wraitha*, "I wakraz ... wrote (this)". He says: "We must therefore search for a new lower boundary for Proto-Germanic".

The so-called **Grimm's law** is a set of statements describing the inherited Europe's Indo-European stops as they developed in Pre-Proto-Germanic. As it is presently formulated, Grimm's Law consists of three parts, which must be thought of as three consecutive phases in the sense of a chain shift:

- PIE voiceless stops change into PGmc. voiceless fricatives: **p**→*f*, **t**→*θ*, **k**→*x*, **k^w**→*x^w*.
- PIE voiced stops become PGmc. voiceless stops: **b**→*p*, **d**→*t*, **g**→*k*, **g^w**→*k^w*.
- PIE voiced aspirated stops lose their aspiration and change into plain voiced stops: **b^h**→*b*, **d^h**→*d*, **g^h**→*g*, **g^{wh}**→*g^w,g,w*.

Verner's Law addresses a category of exceptions, stating that unvoiced fricatives are voiced when preceded by an unaccented syllable: PGmc. *s*→*z*, *f*→*v*, *θ*→*ð*; as, PIE **b^hratēr** → PGmc. *brōþēr*, "brother", but PIE **mātér** → PGmc. *mōðēr* "mother".



Germanic dialects in Europe. The line divides Western from Northern dialects.

NOTE. Sometimes the shift produced allophones (consonants that were pronounced differently) depending on the context of the original. With regard to original PIE **k** and **k^w**, Trask (2000) says that the resulting PGmc. *x* and *x^w* were reduced to *h* and *h^w* in word-initial position. Consonants were lengthened or prolonged under some circumstances, appearing in some daughter languages as geminated graphemes. Kraehenmann (2003) states that Proto-Germanic already had long consonants, but they contrasted with short ones only word-medially. Moreover, they were not very frequent and occurred only intervocally almost exclusively after short vowels. The phonemes *b*, *d*, *g* and *g^w*, says Ringe (2006) were stops in some environments and fricatives in others.

Effects of the aforementioned sound laws include the following examples:

- **p→f**: PIE **pōds**, “foot”, PGmc. *fōts*; cf. Goth. *fōtus*, O.N. *fōtr*, O.E. *fōt*, O.H.G. *fuoz*.
- **t→þ,ð**: PIE **tritjós**, “third”, PGmc. *þriðjaz*; cf. Goth. *þridja*, O.N. *þriðe*, OE. *þrida*, O.H.G. *dritto*.
- **k→x,h**: PIE **kuntós**, “dog”, PGmc. *xundaz*; cf. Goth. *hunds*, O.N. *hundr*, O.E. *hund*, O.H.G. *hunt*.
- **k^w→x^w,h^w**: PIE **k^wos**, “what, who”, Gmc. *h^woz*; cf. Goth. *hwas*, O.N. *hverr*, O.S. *hwe*, O.E. *hwā*, O.Fris. *hwa*, O.H.G. *hwër*.
- **b→p**: PIE **werbō**, “throw”, Gmc. *werpō*; cf. Goth. *wairpan*, O.S. *werpan*, O.N. *verpa*, O.E. *weorpan*, M.L.G., Du. *werpen*, Ger. *werfen*.
- **d→t**: PIE **dekm**, “ten”, Gmc. *tehun*; cf. Goth. *taihun*, O.S. *tehan*, O.N. *tiu*, O.Fris. *tian*, O.Du. *ten*, O.H.G. *zehan*.
- **g→k**: PIE **goldós**, “cold”, Gmc. *kaldaz*; cf. Goth. *kalds*, O.N. *kaldr*, O.E. *cald*, O.H.G. *kalt*.
- **g^w→kw**: PIE **g^wiwós**, “alive”, Gmc. *k^wi(k)waz*; cf. Goth. *k^wius*, O.N. *kvikr*, O.E. *cwic*, O.H.G. *quec*.
- **b^h→b**: PIE **b^hrātēr**, Gmc. *brōþēr*; cf. Goth. *bróþar*, O.N. *brōþir*, O.E. *brōþor*, O.H.G. *bruoder*.
- **d^h→d**: PIE **d^hworis**, “door”, Gmc. *duriz*; cf. Goth. *daúr*, O.N. *dyrr*, O.E. *duru*, O.H.G. *turi*.
- **g^h→g**: PIE **g^hansis**, “goose”, Gmc. *gansiz*; cf. Goth. *gansus*, O.N. *gās*, O.E. *gōs*, O.H.G. *gans*.
- **g^{wh}→gw/g/w**: PIE **g^{wh}ormós**, “warm”, Gmc. *warmaz*; cf. O.N. *varmr*, O.E. *wearm*, O.H.G. *warm*.
PIE **g^{wh}ondos**, “fight”, Gmc. *gandaz*; cf. Goth. *gunþs*, O.N. *gandr*, O.E. *gūþ*, O.H.G. *gund*.

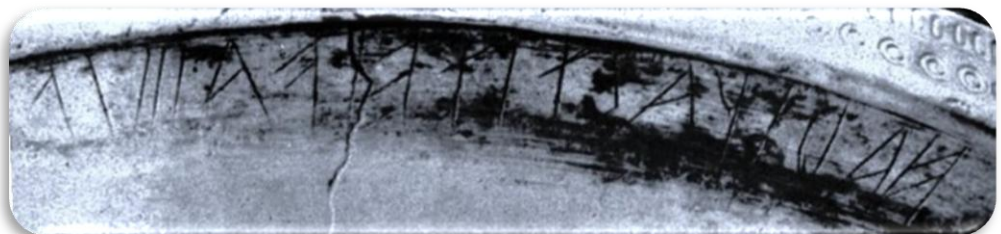
Known exception is that the voiceless stops did not become fricatives if they were preceded by PIE **s**., i.e. **sp**, **st**, **sk**, **sk^w**. Similarly, PIE **t** did not become a fricative if it was preceded by **p**, **k**, or **k^w**. This is sometimes treated separately under the Germanic *spirant law*.

About the PIE vowels: **a,o→a**; PIE **ā,ō→ō**. PGmc. had then short *i, u, e, a*, and long *ī, ū, ē, ō, æ?*

NOTE 1. A similar mergers happened in the Slavic languages, but in the opposite direction. At the time of the merge, the vowels probably were [ɔ] and [ɔ:] before their timbres differentiated into maybe [ɑ] and [ɔ:].

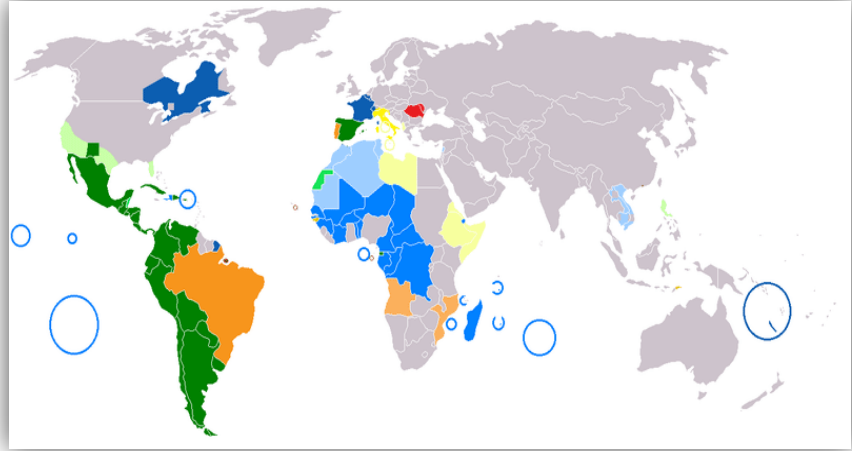
NOTE 2. PGmc. *æ* and *ē* are also transcribed as *ē¹* and *ē²*; *ē²* is uncertain as a phoneme, and only reconstructed from a small number of words; it is posited by the comparative method because whereas all probable instances of inherited PIE *ē* (PGmc. **ē¹*) are distributed in Gothic as *ē* and the other Germanic languages as *ā*, all the Germanic languages agree on some occasions of *ē* (e.g. PGmc. *hē²r* → Goth., O.E., O.N. *hēr*, “here”). Krahe treats *ē²* (secondary *ē*) as identical with *ī*. It probably continues PIE *ei* or *ēi*, and it may have been in the process of transition from a diphthong to a long simple vowel in the Proto-Germanic period. Gothic makes no orthographic and therefore presumably no phonetic distinction between *ē¹* and *ē²*. The existence of two Proto-Germanic [e:-] like phonemes is supported by the existence of two e-like Elder Futhark runes, *Ehwaz* and *Eihwaz*.

Negau helmet. It reads (read from right to left) harikastiteiva \\ip, translated as “Harigast the priest.



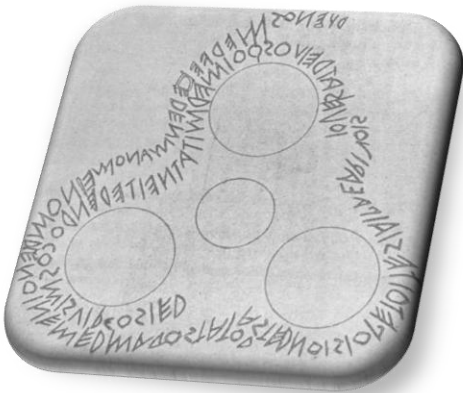
B. LATIN

The **Romance languages**, a major branch of the Indo-European language family, comprise all languages that descended from Latin, the language of the Roman Empire. Romance languages have some 800 million native speakers worldwide, mainly in the Americas, Europe, and Africa, as well as in many smaller regions scattered through the world. The



Regions where Romance languages are spoken, either as mother tongue or as second language.

largest languages are Spanish and Portuguese, with about 400 and 200 million mother tongue speakers respectively, most of them outside Europe. Within Europe, French (with 80 million) and Italian (70 million) are the largest ones. All Romance languages descend from Vulgar Latin, the language of soldiers, settlers, and slaves of the Roman Empire, which was substantially different from the Classical Latin of the Roman *literati*. Between 200 BC and 100 AD, the expansion of the Empire, coupled with administrative and educational policies of Rome, made Vulgar Latin the dominant native language over a wide area spanning from the Iberian Peninsula to the Western coast of the Black Sea. During the Empire's decadence and after its collapse and fragmentation in the 5th century, Vulgar Latin evolved independently within each local area, and eventually diverged into dozens of distinct languages. The oversea empires established by Spain, Portugal and France after the 15th century then spread Romance to the other continents – to such an extent that about two thirds of all Romance speakers are now outside Europe.



The Duenos (O.Lat. duenus, Lat. buenus) Inscription in Old Latin, ca. 6th century BC.

Latin is usually classified, along with Faliscan, as an **Italic** dialect. The Italic speakers were not native to Italy, but migrated into the Italian Peninsula in the course of the 2nd millennium BC, and were apparently related to the Celtic tribes that roamed over a large part of Western Europe at the time. Archaeologically, the Apennine culture of inhumations enters the Italian Peninsula from ca. 1350 BC, east to west; the Iron Age reaches Italy from ca. 1100 BC, with the Villanovan culture (cremating), intruding north to south. Before the Italic arrival, Italy was populated primarily by non-

Indo-European groups (perhaps including the Etruscans). The first settlement on the Palatine hill dates to ca. 750 BC, settlements on the Quirinal to 720 BC, both related to the Founding of Rome. As Rome extended its political dominion over Italy, Latin became dominant over the other Italic languages, which ceased to be spoken perhaps sometime in the 1st century AD.

The ancient Venetic language, as revealed by its inscriptions (including complete sentences), was also closely related to the Italic languages and is sometimes even classified as Italic. However, since it also shares similarities with other Western Indo-European branches (particularly Germanic), some linguists prefer to consider it an independent Indo-European language.

Italic is usually divided into:

- **Sabellic**, including:
 - **Oscan**, spoken in south-central Italy.
 - **Umbrian** group:
 - **Umbrian**.
 - **Volscian**.
 - **Aequian**.
 - **Marsian**.
 - **South Picene**.
- **Latino-Faliscan**, including:
 - **Faliscan**, spoken in the area around *Falerii Veteres*, north of the city of Rome.
 - **Latin**, which was spoken in west-central Italy. The Roman conquests eventually spread it throughout the Roman Empire and beyond.



Iron Age Italy, ca 800 BC. In central Italy, Italic languages. In southern and north-western Italy, other Indo-European languages. Venetic, Sicanian and Sicel were possibly also languages of the IE family.

NOTE. A specimen of Faliscan appears written round the edge of a picture on a patera: “*foied vino pipafō, cra carefo*”, which in Old Latin would have been “*hodie vinom bibabo, cras carebo*”, translated as “today I will drink wine; tomorrow I won't have any” (R. S. Conway, *Italic Dialects*). Among other distinctive features, it shows the retention of medial *f* which in Latin became *b*, and evolution of PIE *gh*→*f* (*fo-*, contrast Lat. *ho-*).



The Masiliana tablet abecedarium, ca. 700 BC, read right to left: ABGDEVZHΘIKLMN[E]OPŚQRSTUXΦΨ.

Phonetic changes from PIE to Latin include: **b^h**→f/b, **d^h**→f/b, **g^h**→h/f, **g^w**→w/g, **k^w**→kw/k, **p**→p/kw.

The Italic languages are first attested in writing from Umbrian and Faliscan inscriptions dating to the 7th century BC. The alphabets used are based on the Old Italic alphabet, which is itself based on the Greek alphabet. The Italic languages themselves show minor influence from the Etruscan and somewhat more from the Ancient Greek languages.

Oscan had much in common with Latin, though there are also some differences, and many common word-groups in Latin were represented by different forms; as, Lat. *uolo*, *uelle*, *uolui*, and other such forms from PIE **wel-**, *will*, were represented by words derived from **g^{her-}**, *desire*, cf. Osc. *herest*, “*he wants, desires*” as opposed to Lat. *uult* (id.). Lat. *locus*, “*place*” was absent and represented by Osc. *slaagid*.

In phonology, Oscan also shows a different evolution, as PIE **k^w**→ Osc. *p* instead of Lat. *kw* (cf. Osc. *pis*, Lat. *quis*); PIE **g^w**→ Osc. *b* instead of Latin *w*; PIE medial **b^h**, **d^h**→ Osc. *f*, in contrast to Lat. *b* or *d* (cf. Osc. *mefiai*, Lat. *mediae*), but v.s. Faliscan; etc.

Hence the reconstructed changes of PIE into Proto-Italic:

- Voiced labiovelars unround or lenite: **g^w**→g/w, **g^{wh}**→g^h.
- Voiced aspirates become first unvoiced, then fricativize:
b^h→p^h→ϕ→f; **d^h**→t^h→θ; **g^h**→k^h→x.

NOTE. About PIE intervocalic **g^h**→ Ita. *x*, linguists (see Joseph y Wallace 1991) generally propose that it evolves as Faliscan *g* or *k*, while in Latin it becomes glottal *h*, without a change of manner of articulation. Picard (1993) rejects that proposal citing abstract phonetic principles, which Chela-Flores (1999) discusses.

- PIE **s**→ Ita. *θ* before *r* (cf. Ita. *kereθrom*, Lat. *cerebrum*); unchanged elsewhere.

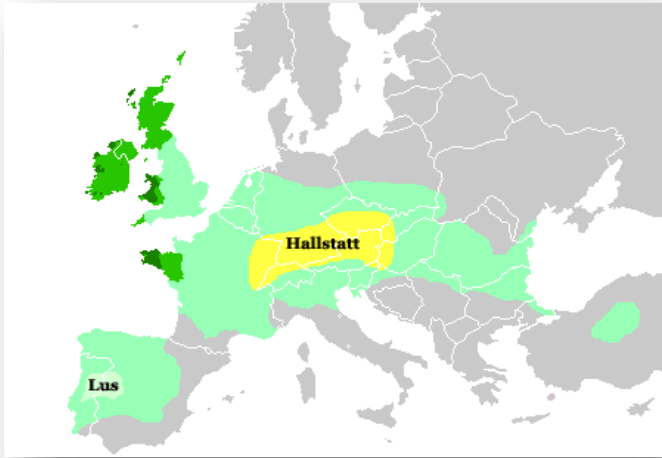
Up to 8 cases are found; apart from the 6 cases of Classic Latin (i.e. N-V-A-G-D-Ab), there was a Locative (cf. Lat. *proximae viciniae*, *domi*, *carthagini*; Osc. *aasai*, Lat. “*in arā*” etc.) and an Instrumental (cf. Columna Rostrata Lat. *pugnandod*, *marid*, *naualid*, etc; Osc. *cadeis amnud*, Lat. “*inimicitiae causae*”; Osc. *preiuatud*, Lat. “*prīuātō*”, etc.).

About forms different from original Genitives and Datives, compare Genitive (Lapis Satricanus:) *popliosio valesiosio* (the type in *-ī* is also very old, Segomaros *-i*), and Dative (Praeneste Fibula:) *numasioi*, (Lucius Cornelius Scipio Epitaph:) *quoiei*.



Forum inscription in Latin, written boustrophedon.

C. CELTIC



Diachronic distribution of Celtic peoples: maximal expansion (ca. 200 BC) and modern “Celtic nations” and Celtic-speaking territories.

The **Celtic languages** are the languages descended from Proto-Celtic, or “Common Celtic”, a dialect of Proto-Indo-European.

During the 1st millennium BC, especially between the 5th and 2nd centuries BC they were spoken across Europe, from the southwest of the Iberian Peninsula and the North Sea, up the Rhine and down the Danube to the Black Sea and the Upper Balkan Peninsula, and into Asia Minor (Galatia). Today, Celtic languages are now limited to a few enclaves in the British Isles and on the peninsula of Brittany in France.

The distinction of Celtic into different sub-families probably occurred about 1000 BC. The early Celts are commonly associated with the archaeological Urnfield culture, the La Tène culture, and the Hallstatt culture.

Scholarly handling of the Celtic languages has been rather argumentative owing to lack of primary source data. Some scholars distinguish Continental and Insular Celtic, arguing that the differences between the Goidelic and Brythonic languages arose after these split off from the Continental Celtic languages. Other scholars distinguish P-Celtic from Q-Celtic, putting most of the Continental Celtic languages in the former group – except for Celtiberian, which is Q-Celtic.

NOTE. There are two competing schemata of categorization. One scheme, argued for by Schmidt (1988) among others, links Gaulish with Brythonic in a **P-Celtic** node, leaving Goidelic as **Q-Celtic**. The difference between P and Q languages is the treatment of PIE **k^w**, which became **p* in the P-Celtic languages but **k* in Goidelic. An example is the Proto-Celtic verbal root *k^wrin-* “to buy”, which became *pryn-* in Welsh but *cren-* in Old Irish.

The other scheme links Goidelic and Brythonic together as an Insular Celtic branch, while Gaulish and Celtiberian are referred to as Continental Celtic. According to this theory, the ‘P-Celtic’ sound change of [k^w] to [p] occurred independently or regionally. The proponents of the Insular Celtic hypothesis point to other shared innovations among Insular Celtic languages, including inflected prepositions, VSO word order, and the lenition of intervocalic [m] to [β], a nasalized voiced bilabial fricative (an extremely rare sound), etc. There is, however, no assumption that the Continental Celtic languages descend from a common “Proto-Continental Celtic” ancestor. Rather, the Insular/Continental schemata usually consider Celtiberian the first branch to split from Proto-Celtic, and the remaining group would later have split into Gaulish and Insular Celtic.

Known PIE evolutions into Proto-Celtic include:

- Consonants: **p** → ϕ → *h* → \emptyset in initial and intervocalic positions. Cel. ϕs → *xs*, ϕt → *xt*

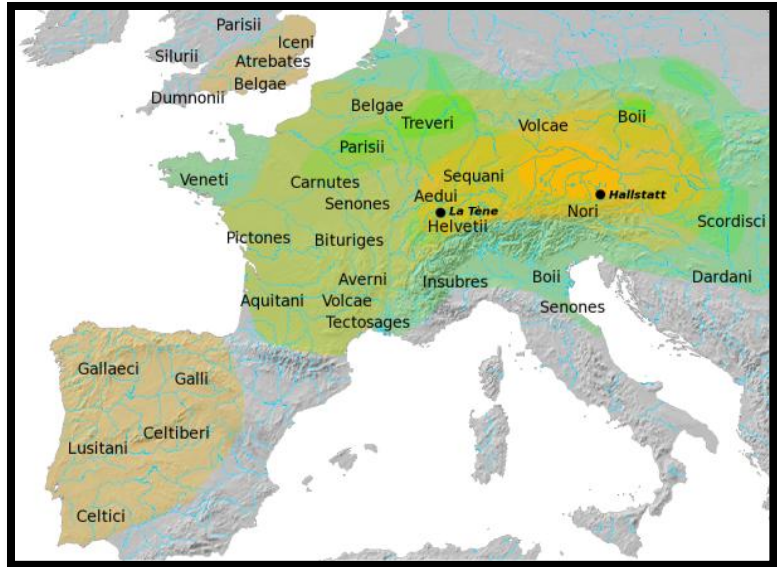
NOTE. PIE **p** was lost in Proto-Celtic, apparently going through the stages ϕ (perhaps in Lus. *porcos*, *v.i.*) and *h* (perhaps attested by the toponym *Hercynia* if this is of Celtic origin) before being lost completely word-initially and between vowels. PIE **sp-** became Old Irish *s* and Brythonic *f*; while Schrijver (1995) argues there was an intermediate stage *s ϕ* (in which ϕ remained an independent phoneme until after Proto-Insular Celtic had diverged into Goidelic and Brythonic), McCone (1996) finds it more economical to believe that **sp-** remained unchanged in PC, that is, the change **p** to ϕ did not happen when **s** preceded.

- Aspirated: **d^h** → *d*, **b^h** → *b*, **g^h** → *x*, **g^{wh}** → *g^w*; but **g^w** → *b*.
- Vowels: **ō** → *ā*, *ū* (in final syllable); **ē** → *ī*; PIE **u-w** → Cel. *o-w*.
- Diphthongs: **āi** → *ai*, **ēi** → *ei*, **ōi** → *oi*; **āu** → *au*, **ēu, ōu** → *ou*;
- Sonorants: **l̥** → *la*, *li* (before stops); **r̥** → *ar*, *ri* (before stops); **m̥** → Cel. *am*; **n̥** → Cel. *an*.

Italo-Celtic refers to the hypothesis that Italic and Celtic dialects are descended from a common ancestor, Proto-Italo-Celtic, at a stage post-dating Proto-Indo-European. Since both Proto-Celtic and Proto-Italic date to the early Iron Age (say, the centuries on either side of 1000 BC), a probable time frame for the assumed period of language contact would be the late Bronze Age, the early to mid 2nd millennium BC. Such grouping is supported among others by Meillet (1890), and Kortlandt (2007).

NOTE. One argument for Italo-Celtic was the thematic Genitive in *i* (*dominus, domini*). Both in Italic (*Popliosio Valesiosio*, Lapis Satricanus) and in Celtic (Leponitic, Celtiberian *-o*), however, traces of PIE genitive **-osjo** have been discovered, so that the spread of the *i*-Genitive could have occurred in the two groups independently, or by areal diffusion. The community of *-ī* in Italic and Celtic may be then attributable to early contact, rather than to an original unity. The *i*-Genitive has been compared to the so-called Cvi formation in Sanskrit, but that too is probably a comparatively late development.

Other arguments include that both Celtic and Italic have collapsed the PIE Aorist and Perfect into a single past tense, and the *ā*-subjunctive, because both Italic and Celtic have a subjunctive descended from an earlier optative in *-ā-*. Such an optative is not known from other languages, but the suffix occurs in Balto-Slavic and Tocharian past tense formations, and possibly in Hittite *-ahh-*.



Hallstatt core territory (ca. 800 BC) and influence (ca. 500 BC) and La Tène culture (ca. 450) and influence (ca. 50 BC), with some major Celtic tribes labeled.

D. SLAVIC

The **Slavic languages** (also called **Slavonic** languages), a group of closely related languages of the Slavic peoples and a subgroup of the Indo-European language family, have speakers in most of Eastern Europe, in much of the Balkans, in parts of Central Europe, and in the northern part of Asia. The largest languages are Russian and Polish, with 165 and some 47 million speakers, respectively. The oldest Slavic literary language was Old Church Slavonic, which later evolved into Church Slavonic.



Distribution of Slavic languages in Europe now and in the past (in stripes).

There is much debate whether Pre-Proto-Slavic branched off directly from Europe's Indo-European in 2000 BC, or whether it passed through a common **Proto-Balto-Slavic** stage which had necessarily split apart before 1000 BC in its two main sub-branches.



Historical distribution of the Slavic languages. The larger shaded area is the Prague-Penkov-Kolochin complex of cultures of the 6th to 7th centuries, likely corresponding to the spread of Slavic-speaking tribes of the time. The smaller shaded area indicates the core area of Slavic river names, dated ca. 500 AD.

The original homeland of the speakers of Proto-Slavic remains controversial too. The most ancient recognizably Slavic hydronyms (river names) are to be found in northern and western Ukraine and southern Belarus. It has also been noted that Proto-Slavic seemingly lacked a maritime vocabulary.

The Proto-Slavic language secession from common Proto-Balto-Slavic is estimated on archaeological and glottochronological criteria to have occurred between 1500-1000 BC. Common Slavic is usually reconstructible to around 600 AD.

By the 7th century, Common Slavic had broken apart into large dialectal zones. Linguistic differentiation received impetus from the dispersion of the Slavic peoples over a large

territory – which in Central Europe exceeded the current extent of Slavic-speaking territories. Written documents of the 9th, 10th & 11th centuries already show some local linguistic features.

NOTE. For example the Freising monuments show a language which contains some phonetic and lexical elements peculiar to Slovenian dialects (e.g. rhotacism, the word *krilatec*).

In the second half of the ninth century, the dialect spoken north of Thessaloniki became the basis for the first written Slavic language, created by the brothers Cyril and Methodius who translated portions of the Bible and other church books. The language they recorded is known as Old Church Slavonic. Old Church Slavonic is not identical to Proto-Slavic, having been recorded at least two centuries after the breakup of Proto-Slavic, and it shows features that clearly distinguish it from Proto-Slavic. However, it is still reasonably close, and the mutual intelligibility between Old Church Slavonic and other Slavic dialects of those days was proved by Cyril's and Methodius' mission to Great Moravia and Pannonia. There, their early South Slavic dialect used for the translations was clearly understandable to the local population which spoke an early West Slavic dialect.

As part of the preparation for the mission, the Glagolitic alphabet was created in 862 and the most important prayers and liturgical books, including the Aprakos Evangeliar – a Gospel Book lectionary containing only feast-day and Sunday readings – , the Psalter, and Acts of the Apostles, were translated. The language and the alphabet were taught at the Great Moravian Academy (O.C.S. *Vel'komoravské učilište*) and were used for government and religious documents and books. In 885, the use of the Old

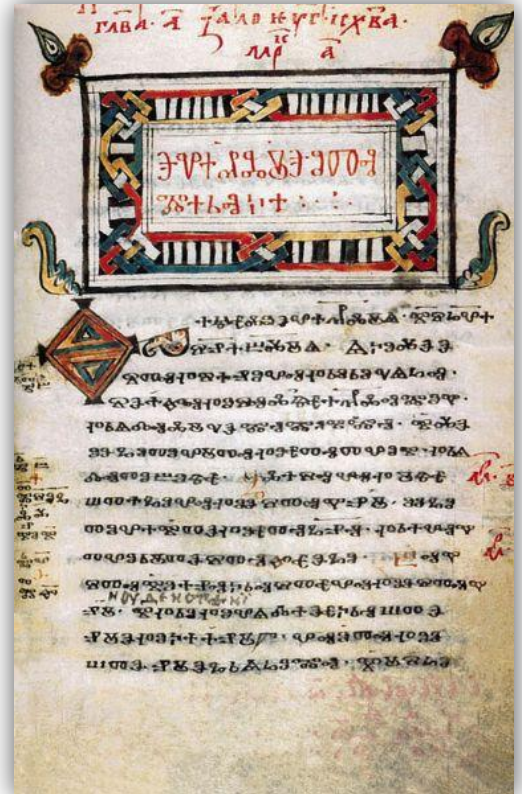
Church Slavonic in Great Moravia was prohibited by the Pope in favour of Latin. Students of the two apostles, who were expelled from Great Moravia in 886, brought the Glagolitic alphabet and the Old Church Slavonic language to the Bulgarian Empire, where it was taught and Cyrillic alphabet developed in the Preslav Literary School.

Vowel changes from PIE to Proto-Slavic:

- PIE **ī, ei** → Sla. *i₁*.
- PIE **ai, oi** → reduced **ai* (**āi/*ui*) → Sla. *i₂*.
- PIE **i** → **i* → Sla. *ь*.
- PIE **e** → Sla. *e*.
- PIE **en, em** → Sla. *ę*.
- PIE **ē** → Sla. *ě₁*.
- PIE **ai, oi** → **ai* → Sla. *ě₂*.
- PIE **ā, ō** → **ā* → Sla. *a*.
- PIE **a, o**, intervocalic **ə** → **a* → Sla. *o*.
- PIE **an, on, am, om** → **an, *am* → Sla. *ŏ*.
- PIE **u** → **u* → Sla. *у*.
- PIE **ū** → Sla. *y*.
- PIE **au, ou** → **au* → Sla. *u*.

NOTE 1. Apart from this simplified equivalences, other evolutions appear:

- The vowels *i₂*, *ě₂* developed later than *i₁*, *ě₁*. In Late Proto-Slavic there were no differences in pronunciation between *i₁* and *i₂* as well as between *ě₁* and *ě₂*. They had caused, however, different changes of preceding velars, see below.
- Late Proto-Slavic yers *ь, ь* < earlier *i, u* developed also from reduced PIE **e, o** respectively. The reduction was probably a morphologic process rather than phonetic.
- We can observe similar reduction of **ā** into **ū* (and finally *y*) in some endings, especially in closed syllables.
- The development of the Sla. *i₂* was also a morphologic phenomenon, originating only in some endings.
- Another source of the Proto-Slavic *y* is **ō* in Germanic loanwords – the borrowings took place when Proto-Slavic no longer had *ō* in native words, as PIE **ō** had already changed into **ā*.
- PIE **ə** disappeared without traces when in a non-initial syllable.
- PIE **eu** probably developed into **jau* in Early Proto-Slavic (or: during the Balto-Slavic epoch), and eventually into Proto-Slavic *ju*.



A page from the 10th-11th century Codex Zographensis found in the Zograf Monastery in 1843. It is written in Old Church Slavonic, in the Glagolitic alphabet designed by brothers St Cyril and St Methodius.

○ According to some authors, PIE long diphthongs **ēi**, **āi**, **ōi**, **ēu**, **āu**, **ōu** had twofold development in Early Proto-Slavic, namely they shortened in endings into simple **ei*, **ai*, **oi*, **eu*, **au*, **ou* but they lost their second element elsewhere and changed into **ē*, **ā*, **ō* with further development like above.

NOTE 2. Other vocalic changes from Proto-Slavic include **jo*, **jъ*, **jy* changed into **je*, **jъ*, **ji*; **o*, **ъ*, **y* also changed into **e*, **ь*, **i* after **c*, **з*, **s'* which developed as the result of the 3rd palatalization; **e*, **ě* changed into **o*, **a* after **č*, **ж*, **š*, **ž* in some contexts or words; a similar change of **ě* into **a* after **j* seems to have occurred in Proto-Slavic but next it can have been modified by analogy.

On the origin of Proto-Slavic consonants, the following relationships are regularly found:

- PIE **p** → Sla. *p*.
- PIE **b**, **b^h** → Sla. *b*.
- PIE **t** → Sla. *t*.
- PIE **d**, **d^h** → Sla. *d*.
- PIE **k**, **k^w** → Sla. *k*;
 - palatalized **kʲ* → Sla. *s*.
- PIE **g**, **g^h**, **g^w**, **g^{wh}** → Sla. *g*;
 - palatalized **gʲ*, **gʲ^h* → Sla. *z*.
- PIE **s** → Sla. *s*;
 - before a voiced consonant PIE [**z**] → Sla. *z*;
 - PIE **s** before a vowel when after **r**, **u**, **k**, **i**, probably also after **l** → Sla. *x*.
- PIE word-final **m** → Sla. *n* (<BSl. **n*).
- PIE **m̥** → Sla. *im*, *um*.
- PIE **n̥** → Sla. *in*, *un*.
- PIE **l̥** → Sla. *il*, *ul*.
- PIE **r̥** → Sla. *ir*, *ur*.
- PIE **w** → Sla. *v* (<BSl. **w*).
- PIE **j** → Sla. *j*.



Page from the Spiridon Psalter in Church Slavonic, a language derived from Old Church Slavonic by adapting pronunciation and orthography, and replacing some old and obscure words and expressions by their vernacular counterparts.

In some words the Proto-Slavic *x* developed from other PIE phonemes, like **kH**, **ks**, **sk**.

NOTE. For a detailed study of phonetic changes you can read Frederik Kortlandt's online article [From Proto-Indo-European to Slavic](http://www.kortlandt.nl/publications/arto66e.pdf) (1983) at <<http://www.kortlandt.nl/publications/arto66e.pdf>>.

E. BALTIC

The **Baltic languages** are a group of related languages belonging to the Indo-European language family and spoken mainly in areas extending east and southeast of the Baltic Sea in Northern Europe.

The language group is often divided into two sub-groups: Western Baltic, containing only extinct languages as Prussian or Galindan, and Eastern Baltic, containing both extinct and the two living languages in the group, Lithuanian and Latvian. While related, Lithuanian, Latvian, and particularly Old Prussian differ substantially from each other and are not mutually intelligible.

Baltic and Slavic share so many similarities that many linguists, following the lead of such notable Indo-Europeanists as August Schleicher and Oswald Szemerényi, take these to indicate that the two groups separated from a common ancestor, the **Proto-Balto-Slavic** language, dated ca. 2000-1400 BC.

NOTE 1. Until Meillet's *Dialectes indo-européens* of 1908, Balto-Slavic unity was undisputed among linguists – as he notes himself at the beginning of the *Le Balto-Slave* chapter, “L'unité linguistique balto-slave est l'une de celles que personne ne conteste”. Meillet's critique of Balto-Slavic confined itself to the seven characteristics listed by Karl Brugmann in 1903, attempting to show that no single one of these is sufficient to prove genetic unity. Szemerényi in his 1957 re-examination of Meillet's results concludes that the Balts and Slavs did, in fact, share a “*period of common language and life*”, and were probably separated due to the incursion of Germanic tribes along the Vistula and the Dnepr roughly at the beginning of the Common Era.

NOTE 2. Another theory was proposed in the 1960s by V. Ivanov and V. Toporov: that the Balto-Slavic proto-language split from the start into West Baltic, East Baltic and Proto-Slavic. In their framework, Proto-Slavic is a peripheral and innovative Balto-Slavic dialect which suddenly expanded, due to a conjunction of historical circumstances. Onomastic evidence shows that Baltic languages were once spoken in much wider territory than the one they cover today, and were later replaced by Slavic.



The most important of these common Balto-Slavic isoglosses are:

- Winter's law: lengthening of a short vowel before a voiced plosive, usually in a closed syllable.
- Identical reflexes of PIE syllabic sonorants, usually developing *i* and *u* before them.

NOTE. Kuryłowicz thought that *uR reflexes arose after PIE velars, and also notable is also older opinion of J.Endzelīns and R. Trautmann according to whom *uR reflexes are the result of zero-grade of morphemes that had PIE **o** → PBSL. **a* in normal-grade. Matasović (2008) proposes following internal rules after PIE syllabic **R** → BSl. **a*R: 1) **a*→**i* in a final syllable; 2) **a*→**u* after velars and before nasals; 3) **a*→**i* otherwise.

- Hirt's law: retraction of PIE accent to the preceding syllable closed by a laryngeal.
- Rise of the Balto-Slavic acute before PIE laryngeals in a closed syllable.
- Replacement of PIE genitive singular of thematic nouns with ablative.
- Formation of past tense in *-*ē* (cf. Lith. preterite *dāvė*, “he gave”, O.C.S. imperfect *bě*, “he was”)
- Generalization of the PIE neuter *to- stem to the nominative singular of masculine and feminine demonstratives instead of PIE **so-** pronoun, **so**, **sā**, **tod** → BSl. *tos*, *tā*, *tod*.
- Formation of so-called definite adjectives with a construction of adjective and relative pronoun; cf. Lith. *geràsis*, “the good”, vs. *gėras*, “good”; O.C.S. *dobrǫjb*, “the good”, vs. *dobrz*, “good”.

NOTE. ‘Ruki’ is the term for a sound law which is followed especially in Balto-Slavic and Indo-Iranian dialects. The name of the term comes from the sounds which cause the phonetic change, i.e. PIE **s** → *š* / *r*, *u*, *k*, *i* (it associates with a Slavic word which means ‘hands’ or ‘arms’). A sibilant [s] is retracted to [ʃ] after *i,u,r*, and after velars (i.e. *k* which may have developed from earlier **k**, **g**, **gʰ**). Due to the character of the retraction, it was probably an apical sibilant (as in Spanish), rather than the dorsal of English. The first phase (**s** → *š*) seems to be universal, the later retroflexion (in Sanskrit and probably in Proto-Slavic as well) is due to levelling of the sibilant system, and so is the third phase - the retraction to velar [x] in Slavic and also in some Middle Indian languages, with parallels in e.g. Spanish. This rule was first formulated for the Indo-European by Holger Pedersen.

Common Balto-Slavic innovations include several other prominent, but non-exclusive isoglosses, such as the satemization, Ruki, change of PIE **o** → BSl. **a* (shared with Germanic, Indo-Iranian and Anatolian) and the loss of labialization in PIE labiovelars (shared with Indo-Iranian, Armenian and Tocharian). Among Balto-Slavic archaisms notable is the retention of traces of an older PIE accent.

Baltic and Slavic languages also show a remarkable amount of correspondence in vocabulary; there are at least 100 words exclusive to Balto-Slavic, either being a common innovation (i.e. not of PIE origin) or sharing the same semantic development from PIE root. For example:

- BSl. **lėipā*, “tilia” → Lith. *liepa*, O.Prus. *līpa*, Ltv. *liēpa*; Sla. **lipa*.
- BSl. **rankā*, “hand” → Lith. *rankà*, O.Prus. *rānkan*, Ltv. *rūoka*; Sla. **rǫkà* (cf. O.C.S. *rǫka*).
- BSl. **galwā*, “head” → Lith. *galvà*, O.Prus. *galwo*, Ltv. *galva*; Sla. **golvà* (cf. O.C.S. *glava*).

F. FRAGMENTARY DIALECTS

MESSAPIAN

Messapian (also known as *Messapic*) is an extinct Indo-European language of south-eastern Italy, once spoken in the regions of Apulia and Calabria. It was spoken by the three Iapygian tribes of the region: the Messapians, the Daunii and the Peucetii. The language, a centum dialect, has been preserved in about 260 inscriptions dating from the 6th to the 1st century BC.

There is a hypothesis that Messapian was an Illyrian language. The Illyrian languages were spoken mainly on the other side of the Adriatic Sea. The link between Messapian and Illyrian is based mostly on personal names found on tomb inscriptions and on classical references, since hardly any traces of the Illyrian language are left.

The Messapian language became extinct after the Roman Empire conquered the region and assimilated the inhabitants.

Some phonetic characteristics of the language may be regarded as quite certain:

- PIE short **o**→*a*, as in the last syllable of the genitive *kalatoras*.
- PIE final **m**→*n*, as in *aran*.
- PIE **nj**→*nn*, as in the Messapian praenomen *Dazohonnes* vs. the Illyrian praenomen *Dazonius*; the Messapian genitive *Dazohonnihi* vs. Illyrian genitive *Dasonii*, etc.
- PIE **tj**→*tth*, as in the Messapian praenomen *Dazetthes* vs. Illyrian *Dazetius*; the Messapian genitive *Dazetthihi* vs. the Illyrian genitive *Dazetii*; from a *Dazet*- stem common in Illyrian and Messapian.
- PIE **si**→*ss*, as in Messapian *Vallasso* for *Vallasio*, a derivative from the shorter name *Valla*.
- The loss of final **-d**, as in *tepise*, and probably of final **-t**, as in *-des*, perhaps meaning “*set*”, from PIE **d^he-**, “*set, put*”.
- The change of voiced aspirates in Proto-Indo-European to plain voiced consonants: PIE **d^h**→*d*, as in Messapian *anda* (< PIE **en-d^ha-** < PIE **en-**, “*in*”, compare Gk. *entha*); and PIE **b^h**→*b*, as in Messapian *beran* (< PIE **b^her-**, “*to bear*”).
- PIE **au**→*ā* before (at least some) consonants: *Bāsta*, from *Bausta*.
- The form *penkaheh* – which Torp very probably identifies with the Oscan stem *pompaio* – a derivative of the Proto-Indo-European numeral **penk^we**, “*five*”.

If this last identification be correct it would show, that in Messapian (just as in Venetic and Ligurian) the original labiovelars (**k^w**, **g^w**, **g^wh**) were retained as gutturals and not converted into labials. The change of *o* to *a* is exceedingly interesting, being associated with the northern branches of Indo-

European such as Gothic, Albanian and Lithuanian, and not appearing in any other southern dialect hitherto known. The Greek *Aphrodite* appears in the form *Aprodita* (Dat. Sg., *fem.*).

The use of double consonants which has been already pointed out in the Messapian inscriptions has been very acutely connected by Deecke with the tradition that the same practice was introduced at Rome by the poet Ennius who came from the Messapian town Rudiae (Festus, p. 293 M).

VENETIC

Venetic is an Indo-European language that was spoken in ancient times in the Veneto region of Italy, between the Po River delta and the southern fringe of the Alps.

The language is attested by over 300 short inscriptions dating between the 6th century BC and 1st century. Its speakers are identified with the ancient people called *Veneti* by the Romans and *Enetoi* by the Greek. It became extinct around the 1st century when the local inhabitants were assimilated into the Roman sphere.

Venetic was a centum dialect. The inscriptions use a variety of the Northern Italic alphabet, similar to the Old Italic alphabet.

The exact relationship of Venetic to other Indo-European languages is still being investigated, but the majority of scholars agree that Venetic, aside from Liburnian, was closest to the Italic languages. Venetic may also have been related to the Illyrian languages, though the theory that Illyrian and Venetic were closely related is debated by current scholarship.

Interesting parallels with Germanic have also been noted, especially in pronominal forms:

- Ven. *ego*, “I”, acc. *mego*, “me”; Goth. *ik*, acc. *mik*; but cf. Lat. *ego*, acc. *me*.
- Ven. *sselboisselboi*, “to oneself”; O.H.G. *selb selbo*; but cf. Lat. *sibi ipsi*.

Venetic had about six or even seven noun cases and four conjugations (similar to Latin). About 60 words are known, but some were borrowed from Latin (*liber.tos*. < *libertus*) or Etruscan. Many of them show a clear Indo-European origin, such as Ven. *vhraterei* (< PIE **b^hraterei**), “to the brother”.

In Venetic, PIE stops **b^h→f**, **d^h→f**, **g^h→h**, in word-initial position (as in Latin and Osco-Umbrian), but to **b^h→b**, **d^h→d**, **g^h→g**, in word-internal intervocalic position, as in Latin. For Venetic, at least the developments of **b^h** and **d^h** are clearly attested. Faliscan and Osco-Umbrian preserve internal **b^h→f**, **d^h→f**, **g^h→h**.

There are also indications of the developments of PIE initial **g^w→w-**, PIE **k^w→kv** and PIE initial **g^{wh}→f** in Venetic, all of which are parallel to Latin, as well as the regressive assimilation of PIE sequence **p...k^w...** → **k^w...k^w...** (e.g. **penk^we** → **k^wenk^we*, “five”, **perk^wu** → **k^werk^wu*, “oak”), a feature also found in Italic and Celtic (Lejeune 1974).

LIGURIAN

The **Ligurian language** was spoken in pre-Roman times and into the Roman era by an ancient people of north-western Italy and south-eastern France known as the Ligures. Very little is known about this language (mainly place names and personal names remain) which is generally believed to have been Indo-European; it appears to have adopted significantly from other Indo-European languages, primarily Celtic (Gaulish) and Italic (Latin).

Strabo states “*As for the Alps... Many tribes (éthnê) occupy these mountains, all Celtic (Keltikà) except the Ligurians; but while these Ligurians belong to a different people (hetero-ethneis), still they are similar to the Celts in their modes of life (bíois).*”

LIBURNIAN

The **Liburnian language** is an extinct language which was spoken by the ancient Liburnians, who occupied Liburnia in classical times. The Liburnian language is reckoned as an Indo-European language, usually classified as a Centum language. It appears to have been on the same Indo-European branch as the Venetic language; indeed, the Liburnian tongue may well have been a Venetic dialect.

No writings in Liburnian are known, though. The grouping of Liburnian with Venetic is based on the Liburnian onomastics. In particular, Liburnian anthroponyms show strong Venetic affinities, with many common or similar names and a number of common roots, such as *Vols-*, *Volt-*, and *Host-* (<PIE **g^hos-ti-**, “*stranger, guest, host*”). Liburnian and Venetic names also share suffixes in common, such as *-icus* and *-ocus*.

NOTE. These features set Liburnian and Venetic apart from the Illyrian onomastic province, though this does not preclude the possibility that Venetic-Liburnian and Illyrian may have been closely related, belonging to the same Indo-European branch. In fact, a number of linguists argue that this is the case, based on similar phonetic features and names in common between Venetic-Liburnian on the one hand and Illyrian on the other.

The Liburnians were conquered by the Romans in 35 BC, and its language was eventually replaced by Latin, undergoing language death probably very early in the Common era.

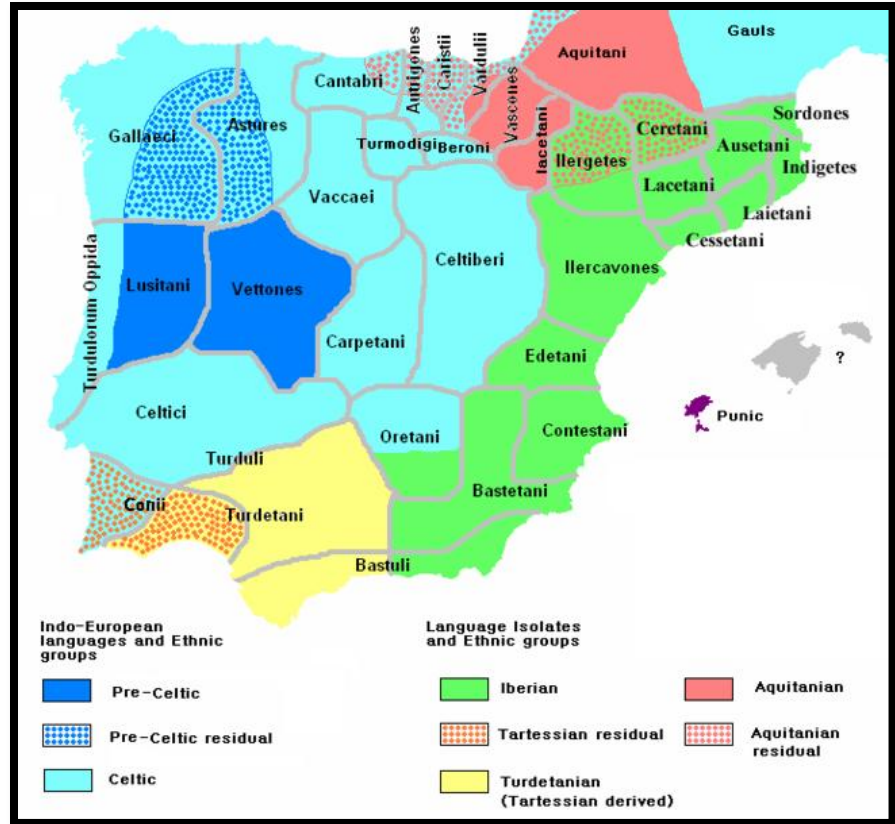
LUSITANIAN

Lusitanian (so named after the Lusitani or Lusitanians) was a Paleohispanic Indo-European language known by only five inscriptions and numerous toponyms and theonyms. The language was spoken before the Roman conquest of Lusitania, in the territory inhabited by Lusitanian tribes, from Douro to the Tagus rivers in the western area of the Iberian Peninsula, where they were established already before the 6th century BC.

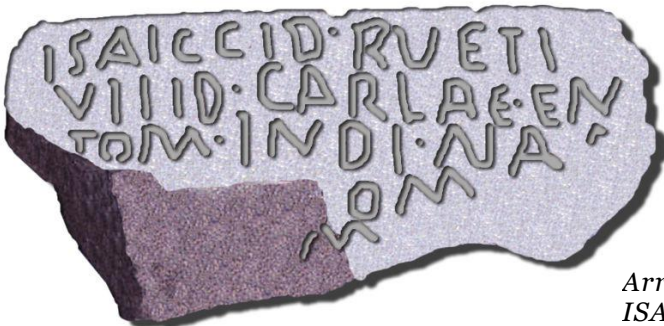
Their language is usually considered a Pre-Celtic (possibly Italo-Celtic) IE dialect, and it is sometimes associated with the language of the Vettones and with the linguistic substratum of the Gallaeci and Astures, based on archaeological findings and descriptions of ancient historians.

NOTE. The affiliation of the Lusitanian language within the Italo-Celtic group is still debated. There are those who endorse that it is a Celtic language, a theory largely based upon the historical fact that the only Indo-European tribes that are known to have existed in Portugal at that time were Celtic tribes. The apparent Celtic character of most of the lexicon –

anthroponyms and toponyms – may also support a Celtic affiliation. There is a substantial problem in the Celtic theory however: the preservation of PIE initial **p-**, as in Lusitanian *pater* or *porcom*, meaning “father” and “pig”, respectively. The Celtic languages had lost that initial **p-** in their evolution; compare Lat. *pater*, Gaul. *ater*, and Lat. *porcum*, O.Ir. *orc*. However, it does not necessarily preclude the possibility of Lusitanian being Celtic, because of the supposed evolution of PIE initial **p** → ***ϕ** → ***h** → Cel. **Ø**, so it might have been an early Proto-Celtic (or Italo-Celtic) dialect that split off before the loss of *p-*, or when *p-* had become ***ϕ** - (before shifting to *h-* and then being lost); the letter *p* of the Latin alphabet could have been used to represent either sound.



Classification of ethnic groups in Hispania ca. 200 BC.

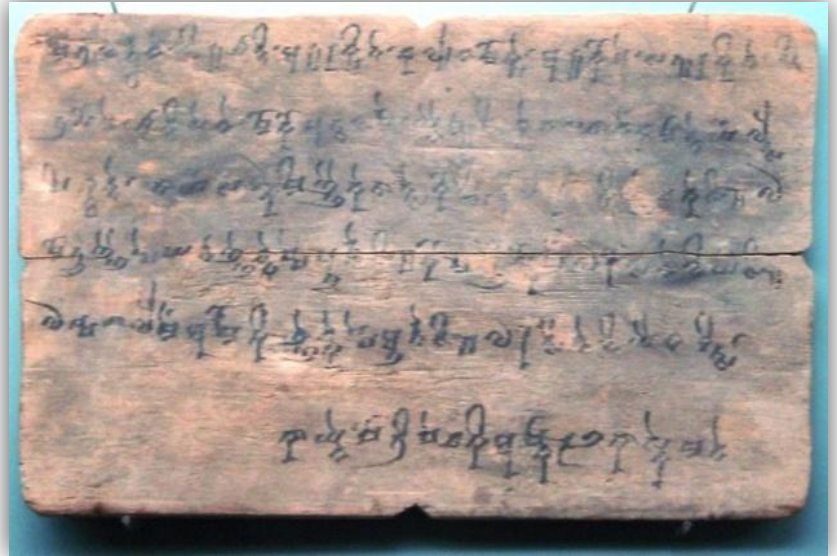


F. Villar and R. Pedrero relate Lusitanian with the Italic languages. The theory is based on parallels in the names of deities, as Lat. *Consus*, Lus. *Cossue*, Lat. *Seia*, Lus. *Segia*, or Marrucinian *Iovia*, Lus. *Iovea(i)*, etc. and other lexical items, as Umb. *gomia*, Lus. *comaia*m, with some other grammatical elements.

Arroyo de la Luz (Cáceres) Inscription:
 ISACCID·RVETI//PVPPID·CARLAE·EN//ETO
 M·INDI·NA. //...CE·IOM·//M·

II. NORTHERN INDO-EUROPEAN IN ASIA: TOCHARIAN

Tocharian or **Tokharian** is one of the most obscure branches of the group of Indo-European languages. The name of the language is taken from people known to the Greek historians (Ptolemy VI, 11, 6) as the Tocharians (Greek Τόχαροι, “*Tokharoi*”). These are sometimes identified with the Yuezhi and the Kushans, while the term *Tokharistan* usually



refers to 1st millennium Bactria. A

Wooden plate with inscriptions in Tocharian. Kucha, China, 5th-8th century.

Turkic text refers to the Turfanian language (Tocharian A) as *twqry*. Interpretation is difficult, but F. W. K. Müller has associated this with the name of the Bactrian *Tokharoi*. In Tocharian, the language is referred to as *arish-käna* and the Tocharians as *arya*.

Tocharian consisted of two languages; **Tocharian A** (Turfanian, Arsi, or East Tocharian) and **Tocharian B** (Kuchean or West Tocharian). These languages were spoken roughly from the 6th to 9th century centuries; before they became extinct, their speakers were absorbed into the expanding Uyghur tribes. Both languages were once spoken in the Tarim Basin in Central Asia, now the Xinjiang Autonomous Region of China.

Tocharian is documented in manuscript fragments, mostly from the 8th century (with a few earlier ones) that were written on palm leaves, wooden tablets and Chinese paper, preserved by the extremely dry climate of the Tarim Basin. Samples of the language have been discovered at sites in Kucha and Karasahr, including many mural inscriptions.

Tocharian A and B are not intercomprehensible. Properly speaking, based on the tentative interpretation of *twqry* as related to *Tokharoi*, only Tocharian A may be referred to as *Tocharian*, while Tocharian B could be called *Kuchean* (its native name may have been *kušĩññe*), but since their grammars are usually treated together in scholarly works, the terms A and B have proven useful. The common Proto-Tocharian language must precede the attested languages by several centuries, probably dating to the 1st millennium BC.

1.7.2. SOUTHERN INDO-EUROPEAN DIALECTS

I. GREEK

Greek (Gk. Ἑλληνική, “Hellenic”) is an Indo-European branch with a documented history of 3,500 years. Today, Modern Greek is spoken by 15 million people in Greece, Cyprus, the former Yugoslavia, particularly the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Bulgaria, Albania and Turkey.

The major dialect groups of the Ancient Greek period can be assumed to have developed not later than 1120 BC, at the time of the Dorian invasions, and their first appearances as



Ancient Greek dialects by 400 BC after R.D. Woodard (2008).

precise alphabetic writing began in the 8th century BC. The ancient Greeks themselves considered there to be three major divisions of the Greek people, into Dorians, Aeolians, and Ionians (including Athenians), each with their own defining and distinctive dialects. Allowing for their oversight of Arcadian, an obscure mountain dialect, and Cyprian, far from the center of Greek scholarship, this division of people and language is quite similar to the results of modern archaeological and linguistic investigation.

Greek has been spoken in the Balkan Peninsula since the 2nd millennium BC. The earliest evidence of this is found in the Linear B tablets dating from 1500 BC. The later Greek alphabet is unrelated to Linear B, and was derived from the Phoenician alphabet; with minor modifications, it is still used today.

Mycenaean is the most ancient attested form of the Greek branch, spoken on mainland Greece and on Crete in the 16th to 11th centuries BC, before the Dorian invasion. It is preserved in inscriptions in Linear B, a script invented on Crete before the 14th century BC. Most instances of these inscriptions are on clay tablets found in Knossos and in Pylos. The language is named after Mycenae, the first of the palaces to be excavated.

The tablets remained long undeciphered, and every conceivable language was suggested for them, until Michael Ventris deciphered the script in 1952 and proved the language to be an early form of Greek. The texts on the tablets are mostly lists and inventories. No prose narrative survives, much less myth or poetry. Still, much may be glimpsed from these records about the people who produced them, and about the Mycenaean period at the eve of the so-called Greek Dark Ages.

Unlike later varieties of Greek, Mycenaean Greek probably had seven grammatical cases, the nominative, the genitive, the accusative, the dative, the instrumental, the locative, and the vocative. The instrumental and the locative however gradually fell out of use.

NOTE. For the Locative in **-ei**, compare *di-da-ka-re*, ‘didaskalei’, *e-pi-ko-e*, ‘*Epikóhei*’, etc (in Greek there are syntactic compounds like *puloi-genēs*, ‘born in Pylos’); also, for remains of an Ablative case in **-ōd**, compare (months’ names) *ka-ra-e-ri-jo-me-no*, *wo-de-wi-jo-me-no*, etc.

Proto-Greek, a southern PIE dialect, was spoken in the late 3rd millennium BC, roughly at the same time as Europe’s Indo-European, most probably in the Balkans. The unity of Proto-Greek probably ended as Hellenic migrants, speaking the predecessor of the Mycenaean language, entered the Greek peninsula around the 21st century BC. They were then separated from the Dorian Greeks, who entered the peninsula roughly one millennium later, speaking a dialect that in some respects had remained more archaic.

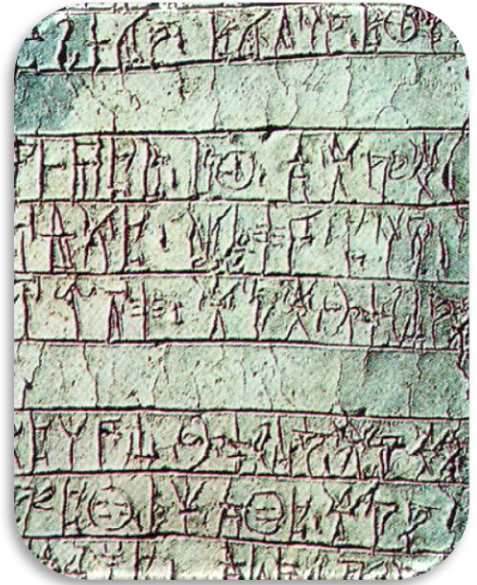
Proto-Greek was affected by a late satemization, evidenced by the (post-Mycenaean) change of labiovelars into dentals before *e* (e.g. *k^we* → *te* “and”).

The primary sound changes from PIE (and PIH laryngeals) to Proto-Greek include:

- Aspiration of PIE intervocalic **s** → PGk *h*.

NOTE. The loss of PIE prevocalic **s-** was not completed entirely, famously evidenced by *sus* “sow”, *dasus* “dense”; *sun* “with”, sometimes considered contaminated with PIE **kom** (cf. Latin *cum*) to Homeric / Old Attic *ksun*, is possibly a consequence of Gk. psi-substrate (See Villar).

- De-voicing of voiced aspirates: **b^h** → *p^h*, **d^h** → *t^h*, **g^h** → *k^h*, **g^wh** → *k^wh*.
- Dissimilation of aspirates (Grassmann’s law), possibly post-Mycenaean.
- PIE word-initial **j-** (not **Hj-**) is strengthened to PGk *dj-* (later Gk. ζ-).



Linear B has roughly 200 signs, divided into syllabic signs with phonetic values and logograms with semantic values.

- Vocalization of laryngeals between vowels and initially before consonants, i.e. $h_1 \rightarrow e$, $h_2 \rightarrow a$, $h_3 \rightarrow o$.

NOTE. The evolution of Proto-Greek should be considered with the background of an early Palaeo-Balkan sprachbund that makes it difficult to delineate exact boundaries between individual languages. The characteristically Greek representation of word-initial laryngeals by prothetic vowels is shared by the Armenian language, which also shares other phonological and morphological peculiarities of Greek, *vide infra*.

- The sequence CRHC (where C = consonant, R = resonant, H = laryngeal) becomes PIH **CRh₁C** → PGk *CRēC*; PIH **CRh₂C** → PGk *CRāC*; PIH **CRh₃C** → PGk *CRōC*.
- The sequence PIH **CRHV** (where V = vowel) becomes PGk *CaRV*.

NOTE. It has also been proposed that **Vk^w** → *uk^w*; cf. PIE **nok^wts**, “night” → PGk *nuk^wts* → Gk. *nuks/nuxt-*.

Later sound changes between the earliest Proto-Greek and the attested Mycenaean include:

- Loss of final stop consonants; final **m** → *n*.
- Syllabic **m** → *am*, and **n** → *an*, before resonants; otherwise both were nasalized **m/n** → *ã* → *a*.
- loss of *s* in consonant clusters, with supplementary lengthening, e.g. **esmi** → *ēmi*.
- creation of secondary *s* from clusters, **ntia** → *nsa*. Assibilation **tī** → *si* only in southern dialects.

Other attested changes between PIE and the earliest Greek dialects include:

- The PIE dative, instrumental and locative cases are syncretized into a single dative case. Some innovative desinences appear, as e.g. dative plural *-si* from locative plural **-su**.
- Dialectal nominative plural in *-oi*, *-ai* fully replaces Late PIE common **-ōs**, **-ās**.
- The superlative on *-tatos* (<PIE **-tm-to-s**) becomes productive.
- The peculiar oblique stem *gunaik-* “women”, attested from the Thebes tablets is probably Proto-Greek; it appears, at least as *gunai-* also in Armenian.
- The pronouns *houtos*, *ekeinos* and *autos* are created. Use of *ho*, *hā*, *ton* as articles is post-Mycenaean.
- An isogloss between Greek and the closely related Phrygian is the absence of *r*-endings in the Middle in Greek, apparently already lost in Proto-Greek.
- Proto-Greek inherited the augment, an IE prefix **é-** to verbal forms expressing past tense. This feature it shares only with Indo-Iranian and Phrygian (and to some extent, Armenian), lending support to a Southern or Graeco-Aryan Dialect.
- The first person middle verbal desinences *-mai*, *-mān* replace *-ai*, *-a*. The third singular *pherei* is an analogical innovation, replacing the expected PIE **b^héreti**, i.e. Dor. **pherei*, Ion. **pheresi*.
- The future tense is created, including a future passive, as well as an aorist passive.
- The suffix *-ka-* is attached to some perfects and aorists.
- Infinitives in *-ehen*, *-enai* and *-men* are created.

II. ARMENIAN



Distribution of Armenian speakers in the 20th Century.

Armenian is an Indo-European language spoken in the Armenian Republic and also used by Armenians in the Diaspora. It constitutes an independent branch of the Indo-European language family.

Armenian was traditionally regarded as a close relative of Phrygian, apparently closely related to Greek, sharing major isoglosses with it. The *Graeco-Armenian hypothesis* proposed a close relationship to the Greek language, putting both in the larger context of Paleo-Balkans languages – notably including Phrygian, which is widely accepted as an Indo-European language particularly close to Greek, and sometimes Ancient Macedonian –, consistent with Herodotus’

recording of the Armenians as descending from colonists of the Phrygians.

NOTE. That traditional linguistic theory, proposed by Pedersen (1924), establishes a close relationship between both original communities, Greek and Armenian, departing from a common subdialect of IE IIIa (Southern Dialect of Late PIE). That vision, accepted for a long time, was rejected by Clackson (1994) in *The linguistic relationship between Armenian and Greek*, which, supporting the *Graeco-Aryan* linguistic hypothesis, dismisses that the coincidences between Armenian and Greek represent more than those found in the comparison between any other IE language pair. Those findings are supported by Kortlandt in *Armeniaca* (2003), in which he proposes a continuum *Daco-Albanian / Graeco-Phrygian / Thraco-Armenian*.

The earliest testimony of the Armenian language dates to the 5th century AD, the Bible translation of Mesrob Mashtots. The earlier history of the language is unclear and the subject of much speculation. It is clear that Armenian is an Indo-European language, but its development is opaque.

NOTE. Proto-Armenian sound-laws are varied and eccentric, such as PIE **dw-** yielding Arm. *k-*, and in many cases still uncertain. In fact, that phonetic development is usually seen as **dw-** to *erk-*, based on PIE numeral **dw-**, “two”, a reconstruction Kortlandt (ibidem) dismisses, exposing alternative etymologies for the usual examples.

PIE voiceless stops are aspirated in Proto-Armenian, a circumstance that gave rise to the Glottalic theory, which postulates that this aspiration may have been sub-phonematic already in PIE. In certain

contexts, these aspirated stops are further reduced to *w*, *h* or zero in Armenian – so e.g. PIE **p’ots*, into Arm. *otn*, Gk. *pous*, “foot”; PIE **t’reis*, Arm. *erek’*, Gk. *treis*, “three”.

The reconstruction of Proto-Armenian being very uncertain, there is no general consensus on the date range when it might have been alive. If Herodotus is correct in deriving Armenians from Phrygian stock, the Armenian-Phrygian split would probably date to between roughly the 12th and 7th centuries BC, but the individual sound-laws leading to Proto-Armenian may have occurred at any time preceding the 5th century AD. The various layers of Persian and Greek loanwords were likely acquired over the course of centuries, during Urartian (pre-6th century BC) Achaemenid (6th to 4th c. BC; Old Persian), Hellenistic (4th to 2nd c. BC Koine Greek) and Parthian (2nd c. BC to 3rd c. AD; Middle Persian) times.



*Armenian manuscript, ca.
5th-6th AD.*

Grammatically, early forms of Armenian had much in common with classical Greek and Latin, but the modern language (like Modern Greek) has undergone many transformations. Interestingly enough, it shares with Italic dialects the secondary IE suffix *-tiō(n)*, extended from *-ti*, cf. Arm *թյուն* (*t’yun*).

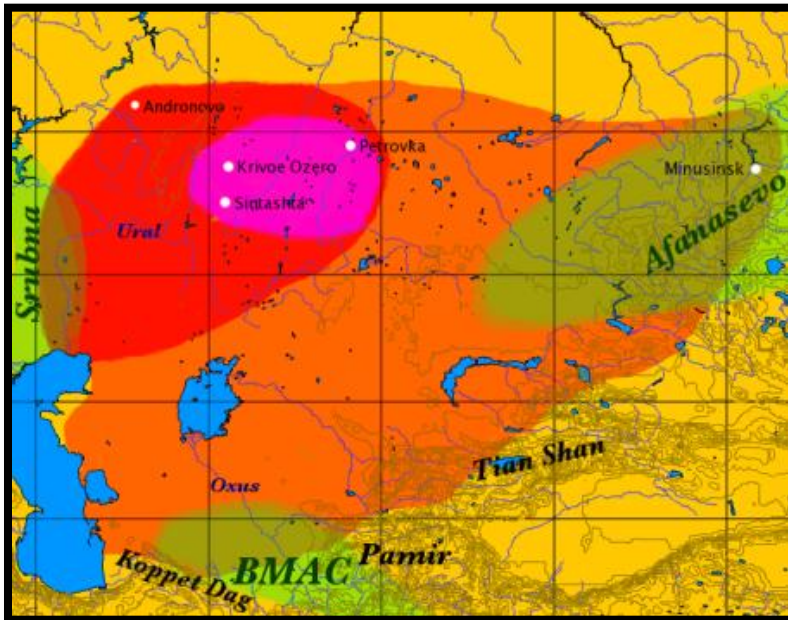
III. INDO-IRANIAN

The **Indo-Iranian language** group constitutes the easternmost extant branch of the Indo-European family of languages. It consists of four language groups: the Indo-Aryan, Iranian, Nuristani, and possibly Dardic, usually classified within the Indic subgroup. The term **Aryan languages** is also traditionally used to refer to the Indo-Iranian languages.

The contemporary Indo-Iranian languages form the largest sub-branch of Indo-European, with more than one billion speakers in total, stretching from Europe (Romani) and the Caucasus (Ossetian) to East India (Bengali and Assamese). A 2005 estimate counts a total of 308 varieties, the largest in terms of native speakers being Hindustani (Hindi and Urdu, ca. 540 million), Bengali (ca. 200 million), Punjabi (ca. 100 million), Marathi and Persian (ca. 70 million each), Gujarati (ca. 45 million), Pashto (40 million), Oriya (ca. 30 million), Kurdish and Sindhi (ca. 20 million each).

Proto-Indo-Iranians are commonly identified with the bearers of the Andronovo culture and their homeland with an area of the Eurasian steppe that borders the Ural River on the west, the Tian Shan on the east – where the Indo-Iranians took over the area occupied by the earlier Afanasevo culture –, and Transoxiana and the Hindu Kush on the south. Historical linguists broadly estimate that a continuum of Indo-Iranian languages probably began to diverge by 2000 BC, preceding both the Vedic and Iranian

cultures. A Two-wave model of Indo-Iranian expansion have been proposed (see Burrow 1973 and Parpola 1999), strongly associated with the chariot.



Map of the Sintashta-Petrovka culture (red), its expansion into the Andronovo culture during the 2nd millennium BC, showing the overlap with the BMAC in the south. The location of the earliest chariots is shown in purple.

Aryans spread into the Caucasus, the Iranian plateau, and South Asia, as well as into Mesopotamia and Syria, introducing the horse and chariot culture to this part of the world. Sumerian texts from EDIIIb Nirsu (2500-2350 BC) already mention the 'chariot' (*gigir*) and Ur III texts (2150-2000 BC) mention the horse (*anshe-zizi*). They left linguistic remains in a Hittite horse-training manual written by one "Kikkuli the Mitannian". Other evidence is found in references to the

names of Mitanni rulers and the gods they swore by in treaties; these remains are found in the archives of the

Mitanni's neighbors, and the time period for this is about 1500 BC.

The standard model for the entry of the Indo-European languages into South Asia is that the **First Wave** went over the Hindu Kush, either into the headwaters of the Indus and later the Ganges. The earliest stratum of Vedic Sanskrit, preserved only in the Rigveda, is assigned to roughly 1500 BC. From the Indus, the Indo-Aryan languages spread from ca. 1500 BC to ca. 500 BC, over the northern and central parts of the subcontinent, sparing the extreme south. The Indo-Aryans in these areas established several powerful kingdoms and principalities in the region, from eastern Afghanistan to the doorstep of Bengal.

The **Second Wave** is interpreted as the Iranian wave. The Iranians would take over all of Central Asia, Iran, and for a considerable period, dominate the European steppe (the modern Ukraine) and intrude north into Russia and west into central and eastern Europe well into historic times and as late as the Common Era. The first Iranians to reach the Black Sea may have been the Cimmerians in the 8th century BC, although their linguistic affiliation is uncertain. They were followed by the Scythians, who are considered a western branch of the Central Asian Sakas, and the Sarmatian tribes.

The Medes, Parthians and Persians begin to appear on the Persian plateau from ca. 800 BC, and the Achaemenids replaced Elamite rule from 559 BC. Around the first millennium of the Common Era, the

Iranian Pashtuns and Baloch began to settle on the eastern edge of the Iranian plateau, on the mountainous frontier of northwestern Pakistan in what is now the North-West Frontier Province and Balochistan, displacing the earlier Indo-Aryans from the area.

The main changes separating Proto-Indo-Iranian from Late PIE include:

- Early “satemization” trend:
 - Loss of PIE labio-velars into PII plain velars: $\mathbf{k^w} \rightarrow k$, $\mathbf{g^w} \rightarrow g$, $\mathbf{g^{wh}} \rightarrow g^h$.
 - Palatalization of PII velars in certain phonetic environments: $k \rightarrow \check{k}$, $g \rightarrow \check{g}$, $g^h \rightarrow \check{g}^h$.
- Collapse of PIE ablauting vowels into a single PII vowel: $\mathbf{e, o} \rightarrow a$; $\mathbf{\bar{e}, \bar{o}} \rightarrow \bar{a}$.
 - A common exception is the Brugmann’s law.
- Grassmann’s law, Bartholomae’s law, and the Ruki sound law were also complete in PII.

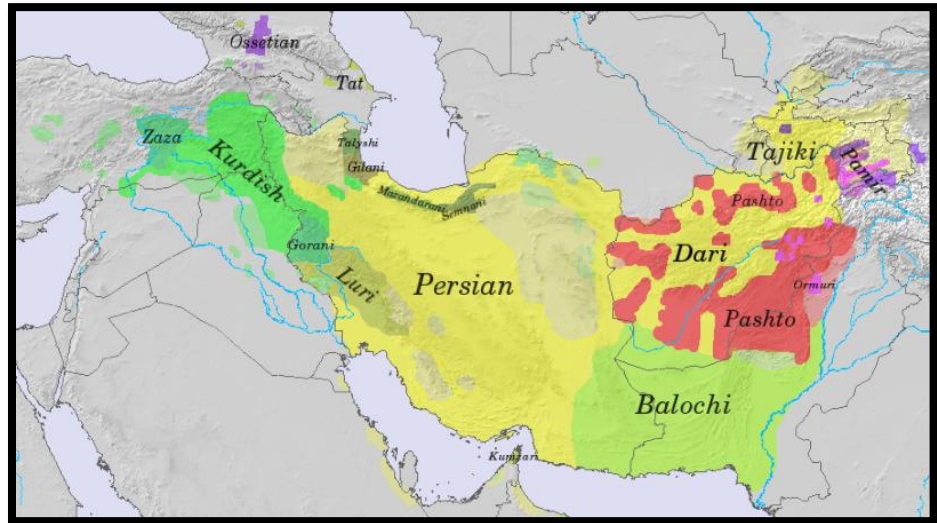
NOTE. For a detailed description of those Indo-Iranian sound laws and the “satemization” process, see Appendix II. For Ruki sound law, v.s. Baltic in §1.7.1.

- Sonorants are generally stable in PII, but for PIE $\mathbf{l} \rightarrow$ PII r , just like $\mathbf{l} \rightarrow r$.

Among the sound changes from Proto-Indo-Iranian to Indo-Aryan is the loss of the voiced sibilant *z; among those to Iranian is the de-aspiration of the PIE voiced aspirates.

A. IRANIAN

The **Iranian languages** are a branch of the Indo-Iranian subfamily, with an estimated 150-200 million native speakers today, the largest being Persian (ca. 60 million), Kurdish (ca. 25 million), Pashto (ca. 25 million) and Balochi (ca. 7 million).



Current distribution of Iranian dialects.

Proto-Iranian dates to some time after Proto-Indo-Iranian

breakup, or the early second millennium BC, as the Old Iranian languages began to break off and evolve separately as the various Iranian tribes migrated and settled in vast areas of southeastern Europe, the Iranian plateau, and Central Asia. The oldest Iranian language known, Avestan, is mainly attested through the Avesta, a collection of sacred texts connected to the Zoroastrian religion.

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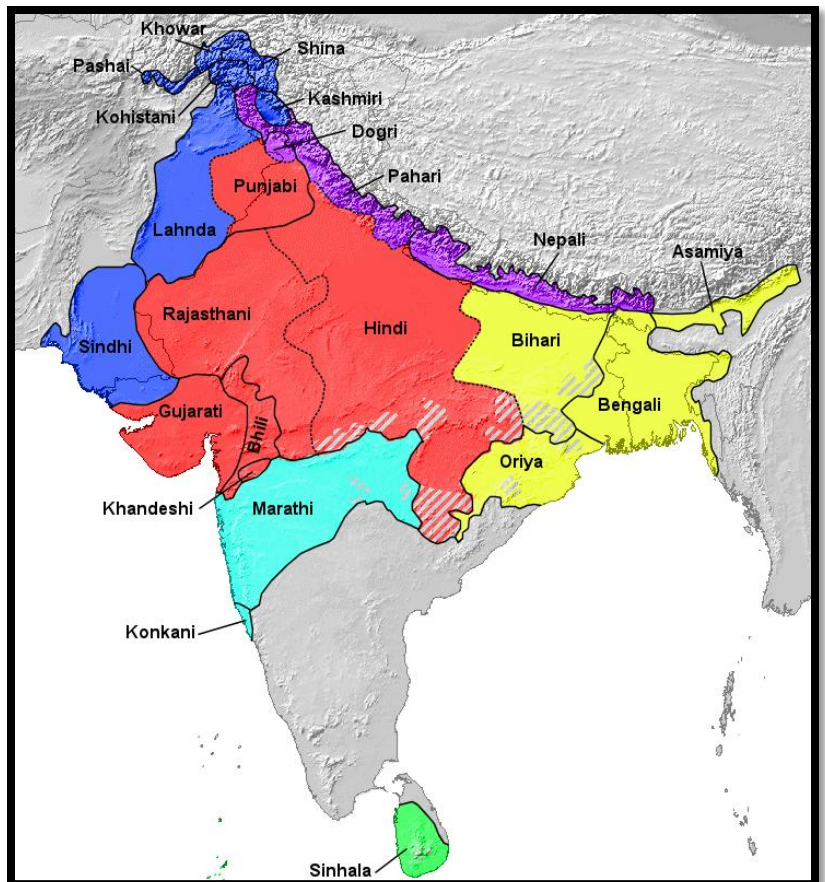
Linguistically, the Old Iranian languages are divided into two major families, the Eastern and Western group, and several subclasses. The so-called Eastern group includes Scythian, even though the Scyths lived in a region extending further west than the Western group. The northwestern branch included Median, and Parthian, while the southwestern branch included Old Persian.

B. INDO-ARYAN

The Indo-Aryan or **Indic languages** are a branch of the Indo-Iranian subfamily with a total number of native speakers of more than 900 million. The largest in terms of native speakers being Hindustani (Hindi and Urdu, about 540 million), Bangali (about 200 million), Punjabi (about 100 million), Marathi (about 90 million), Gujarati (about 45 million), Nepali (about 40 million), Oriya (about 30 million), Sindhi (about 20 million) and Assamese (about 14 million).

The earliest evidence of the group is from Vedic Sanskrit, the language used in the ancient preserved texts of the Indian subcontinent, the foundational canon of Hinduism known as the Vedas. The Indo-Aryan superstrate in Mitanni is of similar age as the Rigveda, but the only evidence is a number of loanwords.

In the 4th c. BC, the Sanskrit language was codified and standardised by the grammarian Panini, called “Classical Sanskrit” by convention. Outside the learned sphere of Sanskrit, vernacular dialects (Prakrits) continued to evolve and, in medieval times, diversified into various Middle Indic dialects.



C. NURISTANI

The recent view is to classify Nuristani as an independent branch of the Indo-Iranian language family, instead of the the Indic or Iranian group. In any event, it would seem they arrived in their present homeland at a very early date, and never entered the western Punjab of Pakistan.

1.7.3. OTHER INDO-EUROPEAN DIALECTS OF EUROPE

I. ALBANIAN

Albanian an Indo-European language spoken by over 8 million people primarily in Albania, Kosovo, and the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, but also by smaller numbers of ethnic Albanians in other parts of the Balkans, along the eastern coast of Italy and in Sicily, as well other emigrant groups.

The Albanian language has no living close relatives among the modern languages. There is no scholarly consensus over its origin and dialectal classification, although some scholars derive it from the Illyrian language, and others claim that it derives from Thracian.



Albanian dialects Gheg, Tosk. Communities of Arbëreshë- and Arvanitika-speakers

While it is considered established that the Albanians originated in the Balkans, the exact location from which they spread out is hard to pinpoint. Despite varied claims, the Albanians probably came from farther north and inland than would suggest the present borders of Albania, with a homeland concentrated in the mountains.

NOTE. Given the overwhelming amount of shepherding and mountaineering vocabulary as well as the extensive influence of Latin, it is more likely the Albanians come from north of the Jireček line, on the Latin-speaking side, perhaps in part from the late Roman province of *Dardania* from the western Balkans. However, archaeology has more convincingly pointed to the early Byzantine province of *Praevitana* (modern northern Albania) which shows an area where a primarily shepherding, transhumance population of Illyrians retained their culture.

The period in which Proto-Albanian and Latin interacted was protracted and drawn out over six centuries, 1st c. AD to 6th or 7th c. AD. This is born out into roughly three layers of borrowings, the largest number belonging to the second layer. The first, with the fewest borrowings, was a time of less important interaction. The final period, probably preceding the Slavic or Germanic invasions, also has a notably smaller amount of borrowings. Each layer is characterized by a different treatment of most vowels, the first layer having several that follow the evolution of Early Proto-Albanian into Albanian; later layers reflect vowel changes endemic to Late Latin and presumably Proto-Romance. Other formative changes include the syncretism of several noun case endings, especially in the plural, as well as a large scale palatalization.

Phrygian is attested by two corpora, one, Paleo-Phrygian, from around 800 BC and later, and another after a period of several centuries, Neo-Phrygian, from around the beginning of the Common Era. The Paleo-Phrygian corpus is further divided geographically into inscriptions of **Midas-city**, Gordion, Central, Bithynia, Pteria, Tyana, Daskyleion, Bayindir, and “*various*” (*documents divers*). The **Mysian** inscriptions show a language classified as a separate Phrygian dialect, written in an alphabet with an additional letter, the “*Mysian s*”. We can reconstruct some words with the help of some inscriptions written with a script similar to the Greek one.

Ancient historians and myths sometimes did associate Phrygian with Thracian and maybe even Armenian, on grounds of classical sources. Herodotus recorded the Macedonian account that Phrygians migrated into Asia Minor from Thrace (7.73). Later in the text (7.73), Herodotus states that the Armenians were colonists of the Phrygians, still considered the same in the time of Xerxes I. The earliest mention of Phrygian in Greek sources, in the *Homeric Hymn to Aphrodite*, depicts it as different from Trojan: in the hymn, Aphrodite, disguising herself as a mortal to seduce the Trojan prince Anchises, tells him

“*Otreus of famous name is my father, if so be you have heard of him, and he reigns over all Phrygia rich in fortresses. But I know your speech well beside my own, for a Trojan nurse brought me up at home*”. Of Trojan, unfortunately, nothing is known.

Its structure, what can be recovered from it, was typically Indo-European, with nouns declined for case (at least four), gender (three) and number (singular and plural), while the verbs are conjugated for tense, voice, mood, person and number.

Phrygian seems to exhibit an augment, like Greek and Armenian, as in Phryg. *eberet*, probably corresponding to PIE **é-b^her-e-t** (cf. Gk. *epheret*).

A sizable body of Phrygian words are theoretically known; however, the meaning and etymologies and even correct forms of many Phrygian words (mostly extracted from inscriptions) are still being debated.

A famous Phrygian word is *bekos*, meaning “*bread*”. According to Herodotus (*Histories* 2.9) Pharaoh Psammetichus I wanted to establish the original language. For this purpose, he ordered two children to be reared by a shepherd, forbidding him to let them hear a single word, and charging him to report the children’s first utterance. After two years, the shepherd reported that on entering their chamber, the



Phrygian inscription in Midas City.

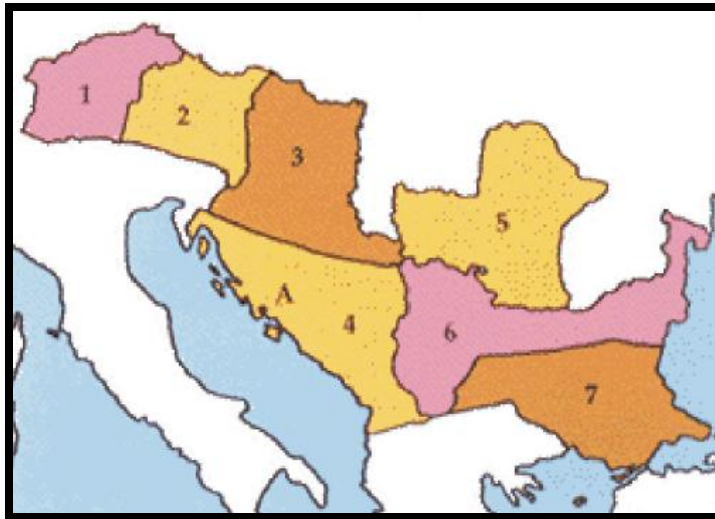
children came up to him, extending their hands, calling *bekos*. Upon enquiry, the pharaoh discovered that this was the Phrygian word for “*wheat bread*”, after which the Egyptians conceded that the Phrygian nation was older than theirs. The word *bekos* is also attested several times in Palaeo-Phrygian inscriptions on funerary stelae. It was suggested that it is cognate to Eng. *bake*, from PIE **b^heh₃g-**; cf. Gk. *phōgō*, “*to roast*”, Lat. *focus*, “*fireplace*”, Arm. *bosor*, “*red*”, and *bots* “*flame*”, Ir. *goba* “*smith*, etc.

Phryg. *bedu* (<PIE **wed-**) according to Clement of Alexandria’s *Stromata*, quoting one Neanthus of Cyzicus means “*water*”. The Macedonians are said to have worshiped a god called Bedu, which they interpreted as “*air*”. The god appears also in Orphic ritual.

Other Phrygian words include:

- Phryg. *anar*, “*husband*”, “*man*”, from PIE **(a)nér**, “*man*”; cf. Gk. *anér*, “*man, husband*”.
- Phryg. *belte*, “*swamp*”, from PIE root **b^hel-**, “*to gleam*”; cf. Gk. *baltos*, “*swamp*”.
- Phryg. *brater*, “*brother*”, from PIE **b^hrāter**; cf. Gk. *phrātēr*.
- Phryg. *ad-daket*, “*does, causes*”, from PIE stem **d^hē-k-**; cf. Gk. *ethēka*.
- Phryg. *germe*, “*warm*”, from PIE **g^{wh}ermós**; cf. Gk. *thermós*.
- Phryg. *gdan*, “*earth*”, from PIE **d^hghōm**; cf. Gk. *khthōn*.

B. ILLYRIAN



Roman provinces in the Balkans, 2nd century AD: A. Spalatum (Split); 1. Raetia; 2. Noricum; 3. Pannonia; 4. Illyricum; 5. Dacia; 6. Moesia; 7. Thracia.

The **Illyrian languages** are a group of Indo-European languages that were spoken in the western part of the Balkans in former times by ethnic groups identified as *Illyrians*: Delmatae, Pannoni, Illyrioi, Autariates, Taulanti.

The main source of authoritative information about the Illyrian language consists of a handful of Illyrian words cited in classical sources, and numerous examples of Illyrian anthroponyms, ethnonyms, toponyms and hydronyms. Some sound-changes and

other language features are deduced from what remains of the Illyrian languages, but because no writings in Illyrian are known, there is not sufficient evidence to clarify its place within the Indo-European language family aside from its probable *Centum* nature.

NOTE. A grouping of Illyrian with the Messapian language has been proposed for about a century, but remains an unproven hypothesis. The theory is based on classical sources, archaeology, as well as onomastic considerations. Messapian material culture bears a number of similarities to Illyrian material culture. Some Messapian anthroponyms have close Illyrian equivalents. A relation to the Venetic language and Liburnian language, once spoken in northeastern Italy and Liburnia respectively, is also proposed.

A grouping of Illyrian with the Thracian and Dacian language in a “Thraco-Illyrian” group or branch, an idea popular in the first half of the 20th century, is now generally rejected due to a lack of sustaining evidence, and due to what may be evidence to the contrary. Also, the hypothesis that the modern Albanian language is a surviving Illyrian language remains very controversial among linguists.

B. THRACIAN

Excluding Dacian, whose status as a Thracian language is disputed, **Thracian** was spoken in what is now southern Bulgaria, parts of Serbia, the Republic of Macedonia, Northern Greece – especially prior to Ancient Macedonian expansion –, throughout Thrace (including European Turkey) and in parts of Bithynia (North-Western Asiatic Turkey). Most of the Thracians were eventually Hellenized (in the province of Thrace) or Romanized (in Moesia, Dacia, etc.), with the last remnants surviving in remote areas until the 5th century.

As an extinct language with only a few short inscriptions attributed to it (*v.i.*), there is little known about the Thracian language, but a number of features are agreed upon. A number of probable Thracian words are found in inscriptions – most of them written with Greek script – on buildings, coins, and other artifacts. Some Greek lexical elements may derive from Thracian, such as *balios*, “*dappled*” (< PIE **b^hel-**, “*to shine*”, Pokorny also cites Illyrian as possible source), *bounos*, “*hill, mound*”, etc.

C. DACIAN

The **Dacian language** was an Indo-European language spoken by the ancient people of Dacia. It is often considered to have been a northern variant of the Thracian language or closely related to it.

There are almost no written documents in Dacian. Dacian used to be one of the major languages of South-Eastern Europe, stretching from what is now Eastern Hungary to the Black Sea shore. Based on archaeological findings, the origins of the Dacian culture are believed to be in Moldavia, being identified as an evolution of the Iron Age Basarabi culture.

It is unclear exactly when the Dacian language became extinct, or even whether it has a living descendant. The initial Roman conquest of part of Dacia did not put an end to the language, as Free Dacian tribes such as the Carpi may have continued to speak Dacian in Moldavia and adjacent regions

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as late as the 6th or 7th century AD, still capable of leaving some influences in the forming Slavic languages.

According to one hypothesis, a branch of Dacian continued as the Albanian language (Hasdeu, 1901). A refined version of that hypothesis considers Albanian to be a Daco-Moesian Dialect that split off from Dacian before 300 BC and that Dacian itself became extinct.

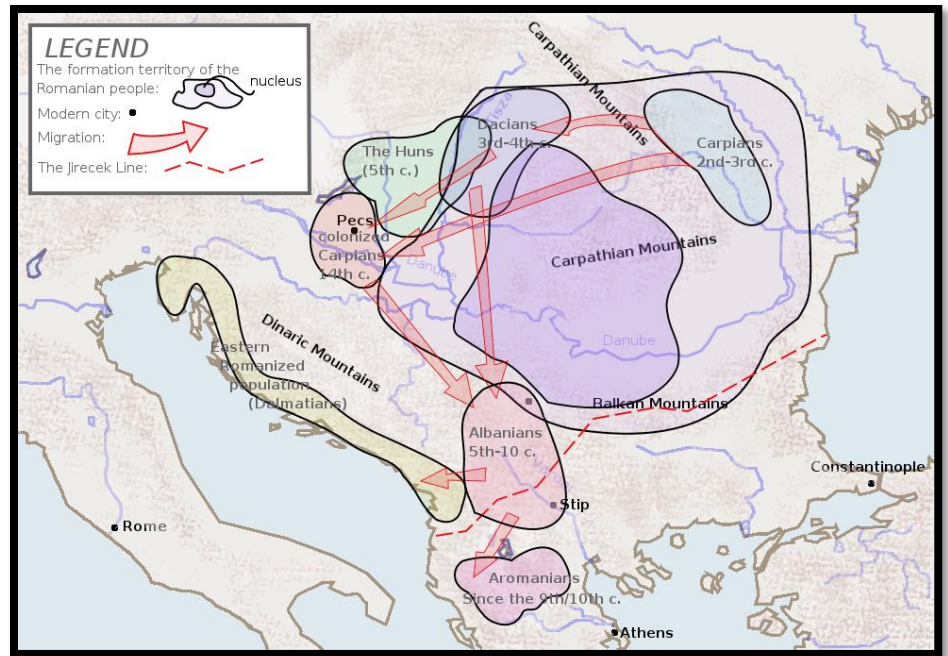
NOTE. The arguments for this early split before 300 BC include:

- Inherited Albanian words (e.g.

PIE **mātēr** → Alb. *motër*) shows the transformation Late PIE **ā** → Alb. *o*, but all the Latin loans in Albanian having an *ā* (<PIE **ā**) shows Lat. *ā* → Alb. *a*. Therefore, the transformation happened and ended before the Roman arrival in the Balkans.

- Romanian substratum words shared with Albanian show a Rom. *a* that corresponds to Alb. *o* when the source for both sounds is an original common *ā* (cf. *mazāre/modhull* < **mādzula*, “*pea*”; *raṭā/rosë* < **rātja*: “*duck*”); therefore, when these words had the same common form in Pre-Romanian and Proto-Albanian the transformation PIE **ā** → Alb. *o* had not started yet.

The correlation between these two facts indicates that the split between Pre-Romanian (the Dacians that were later Romanized) and Proto-Albanian happened before the Roman arrival in the Balkans.



Theoretical scenario: the Albanians as a migrant Dacian people

E. PAIONIAN

The **Paionian language** is the poorly attested language of the ancient Paionians, whose kingdom once stretched north of Macedon into Dardania and in earlier times into southwestern Thrace.

Classical sources usually considered the Paionians distinct from Thracians or Illyrians, comprising their own ethnicity and language. Athenaeus seemingly connected the Paionian tongue to the Mysian language, itself barely attested. If correct, this could mean that Paionian was an Anatolian language. On the other hand, the Paionians were sometimes regarded as descendants of Phrygians, which may put Paionian on the same linguistic branch as the Phrygian language.

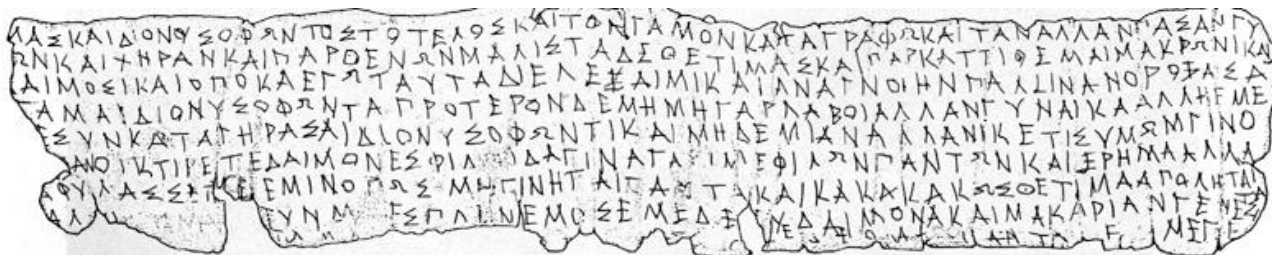
Modern linguists are uncertain on the classification of Paionian, due to the extreme scarcity of materials we have on this language. However, it seems that Paionian was an independent IE dialect. It shows **a/o** distinction and does not appear to have undergone Satemization. The Indo-European voiced aspirates became plain voiced consonants, i.e. **b^h→b**, **d^h→d**, **g^h→g**, **g^{wh}→g^w**; as in Illyrian, Thracian, Macedonian and Phrygian (but unlike Greek).

F. ANCIENT MACEDONIAN

The **Ancient Macedonian** language was the tongue of the Ancient Macedonians. It was spoken in Macedon during the 1st millennium BC. Marginalized from the 5th century BC, it was gradually replaced by the common Greek dialect of the Hellenistic Era. It was probably spoken predominantly in the inland regions away from the coast. It is as yet undetermined whether the language was a dialect of Greek, a sibling language to Greek, or an Indo-European language which is a close cousin to Greek and also related to Thracian and Phrygian languages.

Knowledge of the language is very limited because there are no surviving texts that are indisputably written in the language, though a body of authentic Macedonian words has been assembled from ancient sources, mainly from coin inscriptions, and from the 5th century lexicon of Hesychius of Alexandria, amounting to about 150 words and 200 proper names. Most of these are confidently identifiable as Greek, but some of them are not easily reconciled with standard Greek phonology. The 6,000 surviving Macedonian inscriptions are in the Greek Attic dialect.

The Pella curse tablet, a text written in a distinct Doric Greek idiom, found in Pella in 1986, dated to between mid to early 4th century BC, has been forwarded as an argument that the Ancient Macedonian language was a dialect of North-Western Greek. Before the discovery it was proposed that the Macedonian dialect was an early form of Greek, spoken alongside Doric proper at that time.



The Pella katadesmos, is a katadesmos (a curse, or magic spell) inscribed on a lead scroll, probably dating to between 380 and 350 BC. It was found in Pella in 1986

NOTE. Olivier Masson thinks that “in contrast with earlier views which made of it an Aeolic dialect (O.Hoffmann compared Thessalian) we must by now think of a link with North-West Greek (Locrian, Aetolian, Phocidian, Epirote). This view is supported by the recent discovery at Pella of a curse tablet which may well be the first

‘Macedonian’ text attested (...); the text includes an adverb “opoka” which is not Thessalian.” Also, James L. O’Neil states that the “curse tablet from Pella shows word forms which are clearly Doric, but a different form of Doric from any of the west Greek dialects of areas adjoining Macedon. Three other, very brief, fourth century inscriptions are also indubitably Doric. These show that a Doric dialect was spoken in Macedon, as we would expect from the West Greek forms of Greek names found in Macedon. And yet later Macedonian inscriptions are in Koine avoiding both Doric forms and the Macedonian voicing of consonants. The native Macedonian dialect had become unsuitable for written documents.”

From the few words that survive, a notable sound-law may be ascertained, that PIE voiced aspirates **d^h**, **b^h**, **g^h**, appear as δ (=d^[h]), β (=b^[h]), γ (=g^[h]), in contrast to Greek dialects, which unvoiced them to θ (=t^h), φ (=p^h), χ (=k^h).

NOTE. Since these languages are all known via the Greek alphabet, which has no signs for voiced aspirates, it is unclear whether de-aspiration had really taken place, or whether the supposed voiced stops β, δ, γ were just picked as the closest matches to express voiced aspirates **b^h**, **d^h**, **g^h**.

- PIE **d^hen^h₂-**, “to leave”, → A.Mac. δανός (d^[h]anós), “death”; cf. Attic θάνατος (t^hánatos). PIE **h₂aid^h-** → A.Mac. *ἄδραια (ad^[h]raia), ‘bright weather’, Attic αἰθρία (ait^hría).
- PIE **b^hasko-** → A.Mac. βάσκιοι (b^[h]áskioi), “fasces”. Compare also for A.Mac. ἄβροῦτες (ab^[h]roútes) or ἄβροῦτες (ab^[h]roútes), Attic ὄφρυς (op^hrús), “eyebrows”; for Mac. Βερενίκη (B^[h]ereníkē), Attic Φερενίκη (P^hereníkē), “bearing victory”.
 - According to Herodotus (ca. 440 BC), the Macedonians claimed that the *Phryges* were called *Brygoi* (<PIE **b^hrugo-**) before they migrated from Thrace to Anatolia ca. 1200 BC.
 - In Aristophanes’ *The Birds*, the form κεβλήπυρις (*keblēpyris*), “red-cap bird”, shows a voiced stop instead of a standard Greek unvoiced aspirate, i.e. Macedonian κεβ(α)λή (*keb^[h]alē*) vs. Greek κεφαλή (*kep^halē*), “head”.
- If A.Mac. γοτάν (*gotán*), “pig”, is related to PIE **g^wou-**, “cow”, this would indicate that the labiovelars were either intact (hence *g^wotán), or merged with the velars, unlike the usual Gk. βούς (*boús*).

NOTE. Such deviations, however, are not unknown within Greek dialects; compare Dor. γλεπ- (*glep-*) for common Gk. βλεπ- (*blep-*), as well as Dor. γλάχων (*gláchōn*) and Ion. γλήχων (*glēchōn*) for Gk. βλήχων (*blēchōn*).

- Examples suggest that voiced velar stops were devoiced, especially word-initially: PIE **genu-** → A.Mac. κάναδοι (*kánadoi*), “jaws”; PIE **gomb^h-** → A.Mac. κόμβους (*kómbous*), “molars”.
 - Compared to Greek words, there is A.Mac. ἀρκόν (*arkón*) vs. Attic ἀργός (*argós*); the Macedonian toponym *Akesamenai*, from the Pierian name *Akesamenos* – if *Akesa-* is cognate to Greek *agassomai*, *agamai*, “to astonish”; cf. also the Thracian name *Agassamenos*.

1.7.4. ANATOLIAN LANGUAGES

The **Anatolian languages** are a group of extinct Indo-European languages, which were spoken in Anatolia for millennia, the best attested of them being the Hittite language.

The Anatolian branch is generally considered the earliest to split off the Proto-Indo-European language, from a stage referred to either as Middle PIE or “*Indo-Hittite*” (PIH), typically a date ca. 3500 BC is assumed. Within a Kurgan framework, there are two possibilities of how early Anatolian speakers could have reached Anatolia: from the north via the Caucasus, and from the west, via the Balkans.

NOTE. The term *Indo-Hittite* is somewhat imprecise, as the prefix *Indo-* does not refer to the Indo-Aryan branch in particular, but is iconic for *Indo-European* (as in *Indo-Uralic*), and the *-Hittite* part refers to the Anatolian language family as a whole.



The approximate extent of the Hittite Old Kingdom under Hantili I (ca. 1590 BC) in **darkest**. Maximal extent of the Hittite Empire ca. 1300 BC is shown in **dark color**, the Egyptian sphere of influence in **light color**.

Attested dialects of the Anatolian branch are:

- **Hittite** (*nesili*), attested from ca. 1800 BC to 1100 BC, official language of the Hittite Empire.
- **Luwian** (*luwili*), close relative of Hittite spoken in Arzawa, to the southwest of the core Hittite area.
- **Palaic**, spoken in north-central Anatolia, extinct around the 13th century BC, known only fragmentarily from quoted prayers in Hittite texts.
- **Lycian**, spoken in Lycia in the Iron Age, most likely a descendant of Luwian, extinct in ca. the 1st century BC. A fragmentary language, it is also a likely candidate for the language spoken by Trojans.
- **Lydian**, spoken in Lydia, extinct in ca. the 1st century BC, fragmentary.
- **Carian**, spoken in Caria, fragmentarily attested from graffiti by Carian mercenaries in Egypt from ca. the 7th century BC, extinct ca. in the 3rd century BC.
- **Pisidian** and **Sidetic** (Pamphylian), fragmentary.
- **Milyan**, known from a single inscription.

There were likely other languages of the Anatolian branch that have left no written records, such as the languages of Mysia, Cappadocia and Paphlagonia.



Hittite pictographic writing

Anatolia was heavily Hellenized following the conquests of Alexander the Great, and it is generally thought that by the 1st century BC the native languages of the area were extinct.

Hittite proper is known from cuneiform tablets and inscriptions erected by the Hittite kings and written in an adapted form of Old Assyrian cuneiform orthography. Owing to the predominantly syllabic nature of the script, it is difficult to ascertain the precise phonetic qualities of a portion of the Hittite sound inventory.

NOTE. The script known as “Hieroglyphic Hittite” has now been shown to have been used for writing the closely related Luwian language, rather than Hittite proper. The later languages Lycian and Lydian are also attested in Hittite territory.

The Hittite language has traditionally been stratified – partly on linguistic and partly on paleographic grounds – into Old Hittite, Middle Hittite and New or Neo-Hittite, corresponding to the Old, Middle and New Kingdoms of the Hittite Empire, ca. 1750–1500 BC, 1500–1430 BC and 1430–1180 BC, respectively.

Luwian was spoken by population groups in Arzawa, to the west or southwest of the core Hittite area. In the oldest texts, eg. the Hittite Code, the Luwian-speaking areas including Arzawa and Kizzuwatna were called Luwia. From this homeland, Luwian speakers gradually spread through Anatolia and became a contributing factor to the downfall, after circa 1180 BC, of the Hittite Empire, where it was already widely spoken. Luwian was also the language spoken in the Neo-Hittite states of Syria, such as Milid and Carchemish, as well as in the central Anatolian kingdom of Tabal that flourished around 900 BC. Luwian has been preserved in two forms, named after the writing systems used: Cuneiform Luwian and Hieroglyphic Luwian.



Luwian use according to inscriptions found

For the most part, the immediate ancestor of the known Anatolian languages, **Common Anatolian** (the Late Proto-Anatolian spoken ca. 2500) has been reconstructed on the basis of Hittite. However, the usage of Hittite cuneiform writing system limits the enterprise of understanding and reconstructing

Anatolian phonology, partly due to the deficiency of the adopted Akkadian cuneiform syllabary to represent Hittite sounds, and partly due to the Hittite scribal practices.

NOTE. This especially pertains to what appears to be confusion of voiceless and voiced dental stops, where signs -dV- and -tV- are employed interchangeably different attestations of the same word. Furthermore, in the syllables of the structure VC only the signs with voiceless stops as usually used. Distribution of spellings with single and geminated consonants in the oldest extant monuments indicates that the reflexes of PIE voiceless stops were spelled as double consonants and the reflexes of PIE voiced stops as single consonants. This regularity is the most consistent in the case of dental stops in older texts; later monuments often show irregular variation of this rule.

Known changes from Middle PIE into Common Anatolian include:

- Voiced aspirates merged with voiced stops: **d^h→d**, **b^h→b**, **g^h→g**.
- Voiceless stops become voiced after accented long-vowel or diphthong: PIH **wēk-** → CA *wēg-* (cf. Hitt. *wēk-*, “ask for”); PIH **d^heh₁ti**, “putting” → CA *dādi* (cf. Luw. *taac-* “votive offering”).
- Conditioned allophone PIH **tj** → CA *tsj*, as Hittite still shows.
- PIH **h₁** is lost in CA, but for **eh₁→ē**, appearing as Hitt., Pal. *ē*, Luw., Lyc., Lyd. *ā*; word-initial **h₂→x**, non-initial **h₂→h**; **h₃→h**.

NOTE 1. Melchert proposes that CA *x* (voiceless fricative) is “lenited” to *h* (voiced fricative) under the same conditions as voiceless stops. Also, word-initial **h₃** is assumed by some scholars to have been lost already in CA.

NOTE 2. There is an important assimilation of laryngeals within CA: a sequence -VRHV- becomes -VRRV-; cf. PIH **sperh₁V-** → Hitt. *isparr-*, “kick flat”; PIH **sun-h₃-V-** → Hitt. *sunna-*, “fill”, Pal. *sunnuttil-*, “outpouring”; etc.

- PIH sonorants are generally stable in CA. Only word-initial **ṛ** has been eliminated. Word-initial **je-** shows a trend to become CA *e-*, but the trend is not complete in CA, as Hittite shows.
- Diphthong evolved as PIH **ei** → CA long *e*; PIH **eu** → CA *ū*. PIH **oi**, **ai**, **ou**, **au**, remain in CA.

NOTE. Common Anatolian preserves PIE vowel system basically intact. Some cite the merger of PIH **o** and **a** as a Common Anatolian innovation, but according to Melchert that merger was secondary shared innovation in Hittite, Palaic and Luwian, but not in Lycian. Also, the lengthening of accented short vowels in open syllables cannot be of Common Anatolian, and neither can lengthening in accented closed syllables.

- The CA nominal system shows an archaic productive declension in **-i**, **-u**. There are only two grammatical genders, animate and inanimate.
- Hittite verbs are inflected according to two general verbal classes, the *mi-* and the *hi-* conjugation.

NOTE. Rose (2006) lists 132 *hi-*verbs and interprets the *hi/mi* oppositions as vestiges of a system of grammatical voice, i.e. “centripetal voice” vs. “centrifugal voice”. Additionally, the Hittite verbal system displays two voices (active and mediopassive), two moods (indicative and imperative), and two tenses (present and preterite), two infinitive forms, one verbal substantive, a supine, and a participle.

1.8. MODERN INDO-EUROPEAN

1.8.1. Modern Indo-European (MIE) is therefore a set of grammatical rules – including its writing system, noun declension, verbal conjugation and syntax –, designed to systematize the reconstructed PIE language, especially its **Europe’s Indo-European** dialect, already described above as the *IE dialect continuum* spoken in Europe until ca. 2000 BC, to adapt it to modern communication needs. Because that language was spoken by a prehistoric society, no genuine sample texts are available, and thus comparative linguistics – in spite of its 200 years’ history – is not in the position to reconstruct exactly their formal language (the one used by learned people at the time), but only approximately how the spoken, vulgar language was like, i.e. the language that later evolved into the different attested Indo-European dialects and languages.

NOTE. Reconstructed languages like Modern Hebrew, Modern Cornish, Modern Coptic or Modern Indo-European may be revived in their communities without being as *easy*, as *logical*, as *neutral* or as *philosophical* as the million artificial languages that exist today, and whose main aim is to be supposedly ‘*better*’, or ‘*easier*’, or ‘*more neutral*’ than other artificial or natural languages they want to substitute. Whatever the sociological, psychological, political or practical reasons behind the success of such ‘*difficult*’ and ‘*non-neutral*’ languages instead of ‘universal’ ones, what is certain is that if somebody learns Hebrew, Cornish, Coptic or Indo-European (or Latin, German, Swahili, Chinese, etc.) whatever the changes in the morphology, syntax or vocabulary that could follow (because of, say, ‘*better*’ or ‘*purser*’ or ‘*easier*’ language systems recommended by their language regulators), the language learnt will still be the same, and the effort made won’t be lost in any possible case.

1.8.2. We deemed it worth it to use the Proto-Indo-European reconstruction for the revival of a complete modern language system, because of the obvious need of a common language within the EU, to substitute the current deficient linguistic policy. This language system, called *European* or *European language* (**Eurōpaiom**), is mainly based on the features of the European or Northwestern dialects, whose speakers – as we have already seen – remained in loose contact for some centuries after the first Late PIE migrations, and have influenced each other in the last millenia within Europe.

NOTE. As Indo-Europeanist López-Menchero puts it, “there are ‘three (Late) Proto-Indo-European languages’ which might be distinguished today:

- 1) The actual Proto-Indo-European language, spoken by a prehistoric people, the PIE speakers of the Bronze Age, some millennia ago;
- 2) The reconstructed Proto-Indo-European language, which is that being reconstructed by IE scholars using the linguistic, archaeological and historical data available, and which is imperfect by nature, based on more or less certain hypothesis and schools of thought; and
- 3) The Modern Indo-European language system which, being based on the later, and trying to come near to the former, is neither one nor the other, but a modern language systematized to be used in the modern world”.

NOTE 2. In that sense, some critics have considered the so-called “*Indo-European language revival*” to be different from (and thus not comparable to) other language revivals, like – as they put it – Hebrew or Cornish, because of the ‘obvious differences that will exist between that ancient Proto-Indo-European language and the Modern Indo-European or European language’. It is important to note that, even though there is a general belief that Modern Hebrew and Ancient Hebrew are the same languages, among Israeli scholars there have been continued calls for the “Modern Hebrew” language to be called “Israeli Hebrew” or just (preferably) “Israeli”, due to the strong divergences that exist – and further develop with its use – between the modern language spoken in Israel and its theoretical basis, Ancient Hebrew. On that interesting question, Prof. Ghil’ad Zuckermann considers that “Israelis are brainwashed to believe they speak the same language as the prophet Isaiah, a purely Semitic language, but this is false. It’s time we acknowledge that Israeli is very different from the Hebrew of the past”. He points out to the abiding influence of modern Indo-European dialects – especially Yiddish, Russian and Polish –, in vocabulary, syntax and phonetics, as imported by Israel’s founders. The same could certainly be said of Cornish and other language revivals, and even of some death languages with a continued use, like the Modern Latin language used by the Catholic Church, which is not comparable to the Classical Latin used by Cicero, not to talk about the real, Vulgar Latin used by Romans. See <<http://www.zuckermann.org/>>.

1.8.5. Words to complete the MIE vocabulary (in case that no common PIE form is found) are to be taken from present-day IE languages. Loan words – from Greek and Latin, like *philosophy*, *hypothesis*, *aqueduct*, etc. –, as well as modern Indo-European borrowings – from English, like *software*, from French, like *ambassador*, from Spanish, like *armadillo*, from German, like *Kindergarten*, from Italian, like *casino*, from Russian, like *icon*, from Hindi, like *pajamas*, etc. –, should be used in a *pure IE form* when possible. They are all Indo-European dialectal words, whose original meaning is easily understood if translated; as, e.g. Greek loan *photo* could be used as MIE ***phōtos** [‘p^hō-tos] or [‘fō-tos], a loan word, or as **bháuotos** [‘b^hawo-tos], a loan translation of Gk. “*bright*”; it is derived from genitive **bhauotós** (EIE **bhauesós**), in compound word **bhauotogrbhīā**, from verb **bhā**, *to shine*, which gives Gk. *phosphorus* and *phot*. The second, translated word, should be preferred.² See §2.9.4, point 4.

1.8.6. The use of modern PIE dialects is probably the best option as an International Auxiliary Language too, because French, German, Spanish, and other natural and artificial languages proposed to substitute English dominance, are only supported by their cultural or social communities, whereas IE native speakers make up the majority of the world’s population, being thus the most ‘democratic’ choice for a language spoken within international organizations and between the different existing nations.

NOTE 1. Because Europe’s Indo-European had other sister dialects spoken at the same time, **Hellenic** (Modern Proto-Greek) and **Aryan** (Modern Indo-Iranian) languages can also be revived in the regions where they are currently spoken in the form of modern dialects, as they are not different from MIE than Swedish from Danish, or Spanish from Portuguese. They might also serve as *linguae francae* for closely related languages or neighbouring regions, i.e. Aryan for Asia, Hellenic for Albanian- and Armenian-speaking territories.

NOTE 2. Anatolianism (Turkish *Anadoluculuk*) asserts that Turks descend from the indigenous population of ancient Anatolia, based on historical and genetic views. Supported by Turkish intellectuals in the 20th century, it became essential to the process of nation-building in Turkey, but was substituted by the Pan-Turkic nationalism Mustafa Kemal Atatürk discouraged before his death. If accepted again, Turks could embrace their historical culture by adopting **Anatolian** (CA), “*cousin dialect*” of EIE, PGk. and PII, as a modern second language for a modern Turkey, which shares close historical and cultural ties with the European Union and Asia.

NOTE 3. Even though it is clear that our proposal is different from the Hebrew language revival, we think that:

a) Where Jews had only some formal writings, with limited vocabulary, of a language already dead five centuries before they were expelled from Israel in 70 AD, Proto-Indo-European has a continued history of use and hundreds of living dialects and other very old dead dialects attested, so that its modern use can be considered ‘less artificial’. Thus, even if we had tablets dating from 2000 BC in some dialectal predominant formal EIE language (say, from Pre-Proto-Germanic), the current EIE reconstruction should probably still be used as the main source for Indo-European revival in the European Union.

b) The common culture and religion was probably the basis for the Hebrew language revival in Israel. Proto-Indo-European, whilst the mother tongue of some prehistoric tribe with an own culture and religion, spread into different peoples, with different cultures and religions. There was never a concept of “*Indo-European community*” after the migrations. But today Indo-European languages are spoken by the majority of the population – in the world and especially within Europe –, and it is therefore possible to use it as a *natural* and *culturally* (also “*religiously*”) neutral language, what may be a significant advantage of IE over any other natural language.

1.7.7. The noun **Eurōpaios** comes from adjective **eurōpaiós**, from special genitive **Eurōpai** of Old Greek Εὐρώπη (*Eurōpē*), Εὐρώπα (*Eurōpā*), both forms alternating already in the oldest Greek, and both coming from the same PIE feminine ending **ā** (see § 4.7.8). The Greek ending **-ai-o-** (see § 4.7.8 for more on this special genitive in **-ai**) turns into Latin **-ae-u-**, and so *Europaes*. The forms **Eurōpā** and **eurōpaiós** are, then, the ‘correct’ ones in MIE, as they are the original Classical forms of a Greek loan word widely used today in modern Indo-European languages – other dialectal variants, as **eurōpaís**, **eurōpaikós**, **eurōpaískós**, etc. could be also used.

NOTE 1. For Homer, *Eurōpē* was a mythological queen of Crete – abducted by Zeus in bull form when still a Phoenician princess –, and not a geographical designation. Later *Europa* stood for mainland Greece, and by 500 BC its meaning had been extended to lands to the north. The name *Europe* is possibly derived from the Greek words εὐρύς (*eurús*, “*broad*”, from PIH **h₁urhu-**) and ὤψ (*ops*, “*face*”, from PIH **h₃ekw-**), thus maybe reconstructible as MIE ***Ūrōqā** – *broad* having been an epithet of Earth in PIE religion. Others suggest it is based on a Semitic word cognate with Akkadian *erebu*, “*sunset*” (cf. Arabic *maghreb*, Hebrew *ma’ariv*), as from the Middle Eastern vantage point, the sun does set over Europe. Likewise, *Asia* is sometimes thought to have derived from a Semitic word such as the Akkadian *asu*, meaning “*sunrise*”, and is the land to the east from a Middle Eastern perspective, thus maybe MIE ***Erōbā**. In Greek mythology Ἐρεβος (*Erebos*, “*deep blackness/darkness or shadow*”) was the son of Chaos, the personification of darkness and shadow, which filled in all the corners and crannies of the world. The word is probably from PIH **h₁regwos** (cf. O.N. *rækk*, Goth. *riqis*, Skr. *rajani*, Toch. *orkäm*), although possibly also a loan from Semitic, cf. Hebrew *erebh* and Akkadian *erebu*, etc.

NOTE 2. ‘Europe’ is a common evolution of Latin a-endings in French; as in ‘Amerique’ for *America*, ‘Belgique’ for *Belgica*, ‘Italie’ for *Italia*, etc. Eng. *Europe* is thus a French loan word, as may be seen from the other continents’ names: *Asia* (not **Asy*), *Africa* (not **Afrik*), *Australia* (not **Australy*), and *America* (not **Amerik*).

NOTE 3. Only Modern Greek maintains the form Ευρώπη (*Eurōpī*) for the subcontinent, but still with adjective ευρωπαϊκό (*europaikó*), with the same old irregular a-declension and IE ethnic ending **-iko-**. In Latin there were two forms: *Europa*, *Europaes*, and lesser used *Europe*, *Europensis*. The later is usually seen in scientific terms.

NOTE 4. For adj. “European”, compare derivatives from O.Gk. *eurōpai-ós* (< IE **eurōp-ai-ós**), also in Lat. *europaé-us* -> M.Lat. *europé-us*, in turn giving It., Spa. *uropeo*, Pt., Cat. *uropeu*; from Late Latin base *europé-* (< IE **eurōp-ái-**) are extended **europa-is*, as Du. *uropees*; from extended **europa-anos* are Rom. *europene*, or Fr. *européen* (into Eng. *European*); extended **europa-iskos* gives common Germanic and Slavic forms (cf. Ger. *Europäisch*, Fris. *uropeesk*, Sca. *uropeisk*, Pl. *uropejski*, common Sla. *evropsk-*, etc.); other extended forms are Ir. *Eorpai-gh*, Lith. *europa-s*, Ltv. *eiropa-s*, etc. For European as a noun, compare, from **europé-anos*, Du., Fris. *europaan*, from **europé-eros*, Ger. *Europäer*, from ethnic *-*ikos*, cf. Sla. *evropejk-*, Mod.Gk. *eurōpai-kó*, etc.

The regular genitive of the word **Eurōpā** in Modern Indo-European is **Eurōpās**, following the first declension. The name of the European language system is **Eurōpáiom**, inanimate, because in the oldest IE dialects attested, those which had an independent name for languages used the neuter, cf. Gk. n.pl. Ἑλληνικά (*hēllēniká*), Skr. n.sg. संस्कृतम् (*saṃskṛtam*), also in Tacitus Lat. *uōcābulum latīnum*.

NOTE. In other IE languages, however, the language name is an adjective which defines the noun “language”, and therefore its gender follows the general rule of concordance; cf. Lat. f. *latīna lingua*, or the Slavic examples³; hence MIE **eurōpaiá dñghūs** or proper **eurōpaiá dñghwā**, *European language*.

1.7.8. The term Indo-European comes from Greek Ἰνδός (*hIndos*), *Indus river*, from Old Persian *Hinduš* - listed as a conquered territory by Darius I in the Persepolis terrace inscription.

NOTE 1. The Persian term (with an aspirated initial [s]) is cognate to *Sindhu*, the Sanskrit name of the Indus river, but also meaning *river* generically in Indo-Aryan (cf. O.Ind. *Saptasindhu*, “[region of the] seven rivers”). The Persians, using the word *Hindu* for *Sindhu*, referred to the people who lived near the Sindhu River as *Hindus*, and their religion later became known as *Hinduism*. The words for their language and region, *Hindī* or *Hindustanī* and *Hindustan*, come from the words *Hindu* and *Hindustan*, “India” or “Indian region” (referring to the Indian subcontinent as a whole, see **stā**) and the adjectival suffix **-ī**, meaning therefore originally “Indian”.

NOTE 2. Because the term *Indo-European* (or *Indogermanisch* in German) is common today to refer to the reconstructed language, we decided to use that traditional name to describe the Proto-European language we want to revive, as a way to familiarize the reader with the European or *Europaio* language system as a natural, dead language, to distinguish it clearly from other language inventions. However, when speaking in European language, *Sindhueurōpaiom* (“Indo-European”), *Přmo-Sindhueurōpaiom*⁸² (“Proto-Indo-European”), or *Eurōpās Sindhueurōpaiom* (“Europe’s Indo-European”) should to the theoretical linguistic concepts that refer to the ancient reconstructed dialects, while *Eurōpaiom* (“European”) is clearly the best name for the modern language, just like *Israeli* is probably the most suited name to refer to Modern Hebrew.

2. LETTERS AND SOUNDS

2.1 THE ALPHABETS OF MODERN INDO-EUROPEAN

2.1.1. Indo-European doesn't have an old writing system to be revived with. In the regions where the Europeans dwelled at least four thousand years ago, caves and stones probably still keep their ancient pictographic writings, which used logograms (graphemes) to represent a morpheme or a whole word, as did Egyptian hieroglyphic logographs or Old Chinese characters.

2.1.2. Indo-European dialects have adopted different alphabets during the last millennia, and all of them should be usable today – although the main alphabet for today's European Union is clearly the Latin one. This is a summary table of Proto-Indo-European phonemes and their regular corresponding letters in MIE alphabets: Greek, Latin, Cyrillic, Perso-Arabic and (alphasyllabary) Devanāgarī.

A. VOWELS AND VOCALIC ALLOPHONES

<i>Phoneme</i>	<i>Greek</i>	<i>Latin</i>	<i>Persian</i>	<i>Armenian</i>	<i>Cyrillic</i>	<i>Devan.</i>
[a]	Α α	A a		Ա ա	А а	अ
[e]	Ε ε	E e		Է է	Е е	ए
[o]	Ο ο	O o		Ո ո	О о	ओ
[a:]	Ἄ ἄ	Ā ā	ا	Ա ա	Ā ā	आ
[e:]	Η η	Ē ē		Է է	Ē ē	ऐ
[o:]	Ω ω	Ō ō		Ո ո	Ō ō	औ

[i]	Ι ι	I i		Ի ի	И и	इ
[i:]	Ἴ ἴ	Ī ī	ی	Ի ի	Й й	ई
[u]	Υ υ	U u		Մ մ	У у	उ
[u:]	Ψ ψ	Ū ū	و	Մ մ	Ӯ ӯ	ऊ

[r]	Ρ ρ	R r	ر	Ր ր	Р р	ऋ(ऌ)
[l]	Λ λ	L l	ل	Լ լ	Л л	ऌ(ऍ)
[m]	Μ μ	M m	م	Մ մ	М м	म
[n]	Ν ν	N n	ن	Ն ն	Н н	ण

NOTE. The underdot diacritic (dot below) might be used to mark the sonorants, as Ṛ ṛ, Ḷ ḷ, Ṇ ṇ, Ṃ ṃ, *v.i.*

B. CONSONANTS AND CONSONANTAL SOUNDS

<i>Phoneme</i>	<i>Greek</i>	<i>Latin</i>	<i>Persian</i>	<i>Armenian</i>	<i>Cyrillic</i>	<i>Devan.</i>
[p]	Π π	P p	پ	Պ պ	П п	प
[b]	Μπ μπ	B b	ب	Բ բ	Б б	ब
[b ^h]	Β β	Bh bh	بع	Բհ բհ	Бь бь	भ
[t]	Τ τ	T t	ت / ط	Տ տ	Т т	त
[d]	Ντ ντ	D d	د	Դ դ	Д д	द
[d ^h]	Δ δ	Dh dh	ذ	Դհ դհ	Дь дь	ध
[k]	Κ κ	K k	ک	Կ կ	К к	क
[g]	Γ γ	G g	گ	Գ գ	Г г	ग
[g ^h]	Γ γ	Gh gh	گع	Գհ գհ	Гь гь	घ
[k ^w]	Κ κ (Ϛ Ϛ)	Q q	ق	Ք ք	К' к'	क
[g ^w]	Γ κ γκ	C c	غ	Ղ ղ	Г' г'	ग
[g ^{wh}]	Γ χ γχ	Ch ch	غع	Ղհ ղհ	Гь' гь'	घ

[j]	Ι ι	J j, I i	ی / ژ	ԅ յ, Ի ի	Й й (J j), И и	य
[u]	Υ υ (Ϝ Ϝ)	W w, U u	و	Իւ	У у	व
[r]	Ρ ρ	R r	ر	Ր ր	Р р	र
[l]	Λ λ	L l	ل	Լ լ	Л л	ल
[m]	Μ μ	M m	م	Մ մ	М м	म
[n]	Ν ν	N n	ن	Ն ն	Н н	न
[s]	Σ σ Ϛ	S s	س	Ս ս	С с	स

2.1.2. The Latin Alphabet used for Modern Indo-European is similar to the English, which is in turn borrowed from the Late Latin *abecedarium*. We also consider some digraphs part of the alphabet, as they represent original Proto-Indo-European sounds, in contrast to those digraphs used mainly for transcriptions of loan words.

NOTE 1. The Latin alphabet was borrowed in very early times from a Greek alphabet and did not at first contain the letter G. The letters Y and Z were introduced still later, about 50 BC

NOTE 2. The names of the consonants in Indo-European are as follows - **B, be** (pronounced *bay*); **Bh, bhe** (*bhay*); **C, ce** (*gway*); **Ch, che** (*g^{wh}ay*); **D, de** (*day*); **Dh, dhe** (*d^hay*); **F, ef**; **G, ge** (*gay*); **Gh, ghe** (*g^hay*); **H, ha**; **K, ka**; **L, el**; **M, em**; **N, en**; **P, pe**; **Q, qu**; **R, er**; **S, es**; **T, te**; **V, ve**; **W, wa**; **X, xa** (*cha*); **Z, zet**.

2. Letters and Sounds

2.1.3. The Latin character **C** originally meant [g], a value always retained in the abbreviations *C.* (for *Gaius*) and *Cn.* (for *Gnaeus*). That was probably due to Etruscan influence, which copied it from Greek **Γ**, *Gamma*, just as later Cyrillic **Г**, *Ge*.

NOTE 1. In early Latin **C** came also to be used for [k], and **K** disappeared except before in a few words, as *Kal.* (*Kalendae*), *Karthago*. Thus there was no distinction in writing between the sounds [g] and [k]. This defect was later remedied by forming (from **C**, the original [g]-letter) a new character **G**. **Y** and **Z** were introduced from the Greek about 50 B.C., and occur mainly in loan words in Modern Indo-European.

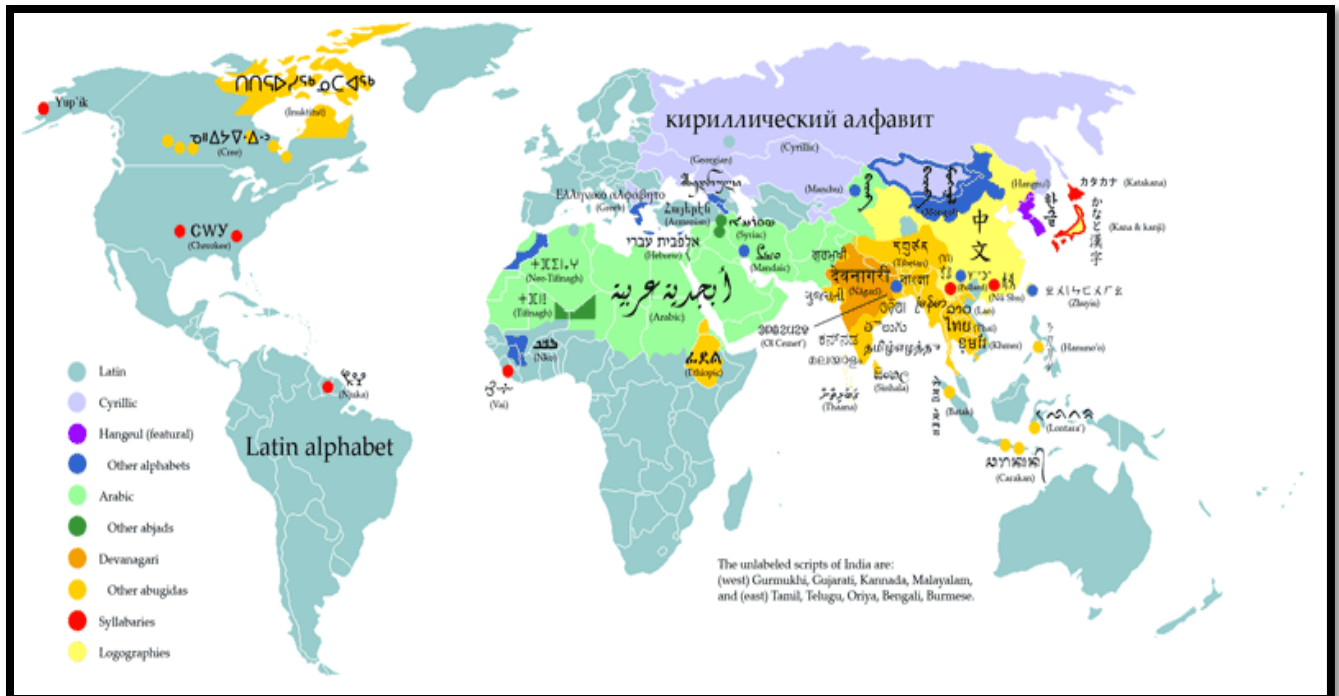
NOTE 2. In Modern Indo-European, **C** is used (taking its oldest value) to represent the Indo-European labiovelar [g^w] in PIE words, while keeping its different European values – [k], [ts], [ce], [tch], etc. – when writing proper names in the different modern IE languages.

2.1.4. The Latin [u] sound developed into Romance [v]; therefore **V** no longer adequately represented [u] and the Latin alphabet had to develop an alternative letter. Modern Indo-European uses **V** mainly for loan words, representing [v], while **W** is left for the consonantal sound [u].

NOTE. **V** originally denoted the vowel sound [u] (*oo*), and **F** stood for the sound of consonant [u] (from Gk. ϕ, digamma). When **F** acquired the value of our [f], **V** came to be used for consonant [u] as well as for the vowel [u].

2.1.5. The consonant cluster [ks] was in Ancient Greece written as Chi 'X' (Western Greek) or Xi 'Ξ' (Eastern Greek). In the end, Chi was standardized as [k^h] ([x] in modern Greek), while Xi represented [ks]. In MIE, the **X** stands for [x], as in the Greek and Cyrillic alphabets, and not as in English.

NOTE. The Etruscans took over **X** from Old Western Greek, therefore it stood for [ks] in Etruscan and then in Latin, and also in most languages which today use an alphabet derived from the Roman, including English.



Writing systems of the world today.

2.2. Classification of Sounds

2.2.1. The Vowels are **a, e, i, o, u**, and **ā, ē, ī, ō, ū**. The other letters are Consonants. The proper Indo-European Diphthongs are **ei, oi, ai, ēi, ōi, āi**, and **eu, ou, au, ēu, ōu, āu**. In these diphthongs both vowel sounds are heard, one following the other in the same syllable.

2.2.2. Consonants are either voiced (sonant) or voiceless (surd). Voiced consonants are pronounced with vocal cords vibration, as opposed to voiceless consonants, where the vocal cords are relaxed.

a. The voiced consonants are **b, bh, d, dh, g, gh, c, ch, l, r, m, n, z**, and **j, w**.

b. The voiceless consonants are **p, t, k, q, f, h, s, x**.

c. The digraphs **bh, dh, gh** and **ch** represent the proper Indo-European voiced aspirates, whereas **ph, th**, and **kh** are voiceless aspirates, mostly confined to foreign words, usually from Greek. They are equivalent to *p+h, t+h, k+h*, i.e. to the corresponding mutes with a following breath, as in English *loop-hole, hot-house, block-house*.

d. The consonants **r, l, m, n**, and the semivowels **j** and **w**, can function both as consonants and vowels, i.e. they can serve as syllabic border or center. There is a clear difference between the vocalic allophones of the semivowels and the sonants, though: the first, **i** and **u**, are very stable as syllabic center, while **r, l, m, n** aren't, as they cannot be pronounced more opened. Hence the big differences in their evolution, depending on the individual dialects.

2.2.3. The Mutes are also classified as follows:

<i>Labials</i>	p, b, bh
<i>Dentals</i>	t, d, dh
<i>Velars</i>	k, g, gh; q, c, ch

2.2.4. The Liquids are **l, r**. These sounds are voiced. The group **rh** represents the aspirated [r], mainly in words of Greek origin. Other groups include **rr**, the alveolar trill, and its aspirated counterpart **rrh**. There is also **lj**, the palatal lateral approximant.

2.2.5. The Nasals are **m, n**. These are voiced. The pair **nj** represents the palatal nasal (similar to the [n] sound in English *onion* or *canyon*).

2.2.6. The Fricatives are **s, h**. These are voiceless, but for the *s* before voiced consonants, where it is usually voiced. It is also possible to write – mainly for loan words – voiceless and voiced pairs: labiodentals, **f** and **v**; dentals, **th** and **dh**; post-alveolar **sh** and **zh**. And also the alveolar voiced **z**, and the dorsal voiceless **x**.

2.2.7. The Semivowels are found written as **i, j** and **u, w**. These are voiced.

NOTE. The semivowels are usually written with **i** and **u** when using the Latin alphabet. Only Proto-Indo-European roots and their derivatives have **j** and **w**; as in **wl̥qos**, *wolf*, **werdhom**, *verb*, **jugóm**, *yoke*, or **trejes**, *three*. When there is a consonantal sound before a sonant, it is always written **j** or **w**; as in **newn̥** [‘ne-ʷn̥], *nine*. For more on this, see § 2.9.4.

2.2.8. There are also some other frequent compounds, such as **ks**, **ts**, **dz**, **tsh**, **dzh**, ...

<i>Phonet. System</i>	<i>Labials</i>	<i>Coronals</i>	<i>*Palatovelars</i>	<i>Velars</i>	<i>Labiovelars</i>	<i>*Laryngeals</i>
<i>Voiceless</i>	p	t	<i>*kʲ</i>	k	kʷ	
<i>Voiced</i>	b	d	<i>*gʲ</i>	g	gʷ	
<i>Aspirated</i>	bʰ	dʰ	<i>*gʲʰ</i>	gʰ	gʷʰ	
<i>Nasals</i>	m	n				
<i>Fricatives</i>		s , z				<i>*h₁</i> , <i>*h₂</i> , <i>*h₃</i>
<i>Liquids</i>		r , l				
<i>Approximant</i>	ɰ		ɰ			

NOTE 1. [z] was already heard in Late Proto-Indo-European, as a different pronunciation (allophone) of [s] before voiced consonants, and because of that it is an alternative writing in MIE, as in PIE **nizdos** (for **ni-sd-os**), *nest*, which comes from PIE roots **ni**, *down*, and zero-grade **-sd-** of **sed**, *sit*.

NOTE 2. The existence of a distinctive row of PIE ‘satemizable’ velars, the so-called palatovelars, has been the subject of much debate over the last century of IE studies. Today the question is, however, usually deemed solved, with a majority of modern scholars supporting only two types of velars in Late PIE – generally Velars and Labiovelars, although other solutions have been proposed. The support of neogrammarians to the ‘palatals’ in Late PIE, as well as its acceptance in Brugmann’s *Grundriß* and Pokorny’s *Wörterbuch*, has extended the distinction to many (mainly etymological) works, which don’t deal with the phonological reconstruction problem directly. Palatovelars might be found in PII, though, and can be written as ǰ ǰ, Ǥ Ǥ, Ǧ Ǧ. See Appendix II.2.

The symbols *h₁*, *h₂*, *h₃*, with cover symbol *H* (traditionally *ə₁*, *ə₂*, *ə₃* and intervocalic *ə*) stand for the three supposed “laryngeal” phonemes of PIH, which had evolved differently already in Late PIE and in Anatolian. There is no consensus as to what these phonemes were, but it is widely accepted that PIH *h₂* was probably uvular or pharyngeal, and that *h₃* was labialized. Commonly cited possibilities are ɣ, ɟ, ɟʷ and x, χ~ħ, xʷ; there is some evidence that *h₁* may have been two consonants, ɣ and h, that fell together. See Appendix II.3.

2.3. SOUNDS OF THE LETTERS

2.3.1 The following pronunciation scheme is substantially that used by the common Europe’s Indo-European speakers in roughly 2500 BC, when the laryngeal phonemes had already disappeared, having coloured following vowels, and lengthened preceding ones.

NOTE. MIE cannot permit dialectal phonetic differences, whether vocalic or consonantal – like Grimm’s Law effects in PGmc. consonants, already seen –, because systematization in the pronunciation is especially needed when targeting a comprehensible common language. The situation for sister dialects Hellenic, Aryan and Anatolian is different, though.

2.3.2. Vowels:

[a:] as in <i>father</i>	[a] as in <i>idea</i>
[e:] as in <i>they</i>	[e] as in <i>met</i>
[i:] as in <i>meet</i>	[i] as in <i>chip</i>
[o:] as in <i>note</i>	[o] as in <i>pot</i>
[u:] as in <i>rude</i>	[u] as in <i>put</i>

NOTE 1. Following the mainstream laryngeals’ theory, Proto-Indo-Hittite knew only two vowels, e and o, while the other commonly reconstructed vowels were earlier combinations with laryngeals. Thus, short vowels PIE **a** < *h₂e*; **e** < (*h₁*)*e*; **o** < *h₃e*, (*h₁*)*o*; long vowels **ā** < *eh₂*; **ē** < *eh₁*; **ō** < *eh₃*, *oh*. The output of *h₂o* was either **a** or **o**, after the different schools. Short and long vowels **ĩ** and **ũ** are just variants of the semivowels **j* and **w*.

NOTE 2. The sonants may have been lengthened too (usually because of compensatory lengthenings), especially in the conjugation of verbs, giving thus [ɾ:], [j:], [m:], [n:], written as \bar{r} , \bar{l} , \bar{m} , \bar{n} . The semivowels can also have a prolonged pronunciation, giving allophones **ij** and **uw**. For more details on this see § 2.7.2.

NOTE 3. It is recommended to mark long vowels with a macron, ¯, and stressed vowels with a tilde, ˜. and reduplicated stems without an original vowel are represented with an apostrophe, ‘ (as in PGk. **q’qlos**, see **qel-**).

2.3.3. Falling Diphthongs and equivalents in English:

ěi as in <i>vein</i>	ěu e (<i>met</i>) + u (<i>put</i>)
õi as in <i>oil</i>	õu as <i>ow</i> in <i>know</i>
ăi as in <i>Cairo</i>	ău as <i>ou</i> in <i>out</i>

NOTE. Strictly speaking, **jě**, **jõ**, **jă**, as well as **wě**, **wõ**, **wă** (the so-called rising diphthongs) aren’t actually diphthongs, because **j-** and **w-** are in fact consonantal sounds. Nevertheless, we consider them diphthongs for syntax analysis; as in **Eu-rõ-pa-io-**, where the adjectival ending **-io** [iõ] is considered a diphthong.

2.3.4. Triphthongs:

There are no real triphthongs, as a consequence of what was said in the preceding note. The formations usually called triphthongs are **jěi**, **jõi**, **jăi**; **jěu**, **jõu**, **jău**; or **wěi**, **wõi**, **wăi**; **wěu**, **wõu** and **wău**; and none can be named strictly triphthong, as there is a consonantal sound [j] or [w] followed by a diphthong. The rest of possible formations are made up of a diphthong and a vowel.

NOTE. Triphthong can be employed for syntax analysis, too. But a semivowel surrounded by vowels is not one. Thus, in **Eurõpáiom**, [eu-ro:-’pa-ĩom], *European* (neuter noun), there aren’t any triphthongs.

There are several ways to generate breathy-voiced sounds, among them:

1. To hold the vocal cords apart, so that they are lax as they are for [h], but to increase the volume of airflow so that they vibrate loosely.

2. To bring the vocal cords closer together along their entire length than in voiceless [h], but not as close as in modally voiced sounds such as vowels. This results in an airflow intermediate between [h] and vowels, and is the case with English intervocalic [h].

3. To constrict the glottis, but separate the arytenoid cartilages that control one end. This results in the vocal cords being drawn together for voicing in the back, but separated to allow the passage of large volumes of air in the front. This is the situation with Hindustani.

2.3.4. Consonants:

1. **b, d, h, l, m, n**, are pronounced as in English.

2. **n** can also be pronounced as guttural [ŋ] when it is followed by another guttural, as English *sing* or *bank*.

3. **p, k, t** are plain as in Romance, Slavic or Greek languages, not aspirated as in English; **t** is never pronounced as *sh*, as in English *oration* or *creation*.

4. **g** always as in *get*. It had two dialectal pronunciations, simple velar and palatovelar. Compare the initial consonants in *garlic* and *gear*, whispering the two words, and it will be observed that before *e* and *i* the *g* is sounded farther forward in the mouth (more ‘palatal’) than before *a* or *o*.

5. **c** is pronounced similar to [g] but with rounded lips. Compare the initial consonant in *good* with those of the preceding example to feel the different articulation. The voiceless **q** has a similar pronunciation to that of **c**, but related to [k]; as *c* in *cool*.

6. **j** as the sound of *y* in *yes*, **w** as *w* in *will*.

7. Proto-Indo-European **r** was probably slightly trilled with the tip of the tongue (as generally in Romance or Slavic languages), but other usual pronunciations of modern Indo-European languages have to be admitted in the revived language, as French or High German *r*.

8. **s** is voiceless as in *sin*, but there are situations in which it is voiced, depending on the surrounding phonemes. Like the aforementioned [r], modern speakers will probably pronounce [s] differently, but this should not usually lead to misunderstandings, as there are no proper IE roots with original **z** or **sh**, although the former appears in some phonetic environments, v.s.

9. **bh, dh, gh, ch** are uncertain in sound, but the recommended pronunciation is that of the Hindustānī’s “voiced aspirated stops” *bh, dh, gh*, as they are examples of living voiced aspirates in an Indo-European language (see note). Hindustānī is in fact derived from Sanskrit, one of the earliest attested dialects of Late PIE.

10. **x** represents [x], whether with strong, ‘*ach-laut*’, such as *kh* in Russian *Khrushenko*, or *ch* in Greek *Christós*, or soft, with ‘*ich-laut*’, such as *ch* in German *Kirche* or *Lichtenstein*; but never like *ks*, *gz*, or *z*, as in English.

11. **z**, **v**, **f**, **sh**, are pronounced as in English.

12. **zh** is pronounced as in English *leisure*.

13. **tsh** corresponds to English *ch* in *chain*, and **tzh** to *j* in *jump*

14. The aspirates **ph**, **kh**, **th** are pronounced very nearly like English (aspirated) *p*, *k*, *t*.

15. There is also another value for **th**, which corresponds to English *th* in *thing*, and for **dh**, which sounds as *th* in *this*.

16. **rh**, **rr** and **rrh** have no similar sounds in English, although there are examples of common loan words, such as Spanish *guerrilla*, or Greek *rhotacism* or *Tyrrhenos*.

17. The pronunciation of **nj** is similar to English *onion* or *canyon*; and that of **lj** to English *million*.

18. Doubled letters, like **ll**, **mm**, **tt**, etc., should be so pronounced that both members of the combination are distinctly articulated.

2.4. SYLLABLES

2.4.1. In many modern languages, there are as many syllables in a word as there are separate vowels and diphthongs. This is not exactly so in Modern Indo-European. It follows, indeed, this rule too:

Eu-rō-pa-iós, **wer-dhom**⁴, **ne-wās**⁶, **ju-góm**⁵.

NOTE. The semivowels [u] and [i] are in general written **i** and **u**, as we already said, when they are used in the formation of new words, i.e., when they are not derived from PIE roots. That is why the adjective *European* is written **Eurōpaiós**, not **Eurōpajós**, and so its derived nominalized inanimate form, n. **Eurōpaiom**, *the European (language)*, or **Italia**, *Italy* and not **Italja**. In Proto-Indo-European stems and in words derived from them they are written with **j** and **w**; as, **trejes**¹⁵⁵, *three*, **newos**⁶, *new*, **dn̥ghuwes** [‘dn̥-g^hu-^ues], *languages*, etc.

2.4.2. Indo-European has also consonant-only syllables. It is possible to hear a similar sound in spoken English or German, as in *Brighton* [‘brai-t_ŋ] or *Haben* [‘ha-b_ŋ], where the final *n* could be considered vocalic. In this kind of syllables, it is the vocalic sonant (i.e. [r̥], [l̥], [m̥] or [n̥]) the one which functions as syllabic centre, instead of a vowel proper:

bhr̥gh¹²⁸ [b^hr̥g^h], *bury*; **wl̥qos**²³ [‘w̥l̥-k^wos], *wolf*; **dek̥m**¹⁵⁵ [‘de-k̥m], *ten*; **nōm̥**¹⁹ [‘no(:)-m̥], *name*.

NOTE 1. Words derived from these vocalic consonants differ greatly in modern Indo-European languages. For example, **dn̥ghwā** [‘dn̥-g^huā:], *language*, evolved as PGmc. *tungō*, and later English *tongue* or German *Zunge*,

while in archaic Latin it was pronounced *dingwa*, and then the initial *d* became *l* in Classic Latin, written *lingua*, which is in turn the origin of Modern English words “*linguistic*” and “*language*”.

NOTE 2. We maintain the old, difficult and somehow unstable vocalic sounds in search for unity. As such a phonetic system is not easy for speakers of modern Indo-European languages, the proposed alternative pronunciation is to add, if needed, an auxiliary schwa [ə] before or after the sonant. The schwa we are referring to is an unstressed and toneless neutral vowel sound. There are usually two different possible pronunciations, depending on the position of the schwa; as in **wlqos**, which can be pronounced [ˈʊ̯ əl-kʷos], the way it probably evolved into PGmc. *wulxʷaz*, and [ˈʊ̯ əkʷos], which gave Common Greek *wlukʷos*. Other possible examples are **dekṃ** [ˈde-kṃm] (cf. Lat. *decem*, Gmc. *texam*), and **nōmṃ** [ˈno(:)-mṃn] (cf. Lat. *nōmen*, Gmc. *namon*).

2.4.3. In the division of words into syllables, these rules apply:

1. A single consonant is joined to the following vowel or diphthong; as **ne-wos**⁶, **me-dhjos**⁷, etc.
2. Combinations of two or more consonants (other than the vocalic ones) are regularly separated, and the first consonant of the combination is joined to the preceding vowel; as **ok-tō**, *eight*, **pen-qe**, *five*, etc. but **a-gros**⁸, *field*, **s-qa-los**⁹, *squalus*.
3. In compounds, the parts are usually separated; as Gmc. loan-translation **aqā-lendhom** (**aqiā**¹⁰+**lendhom**¹¹), *island* (“*water thing+land*”), as Gmc. *aujō landom* (cf. O.E. *igland*, *ealand*), or Celtic **ambh-agtos** (**ambhi**¹²+**ag**¹³), *ambassador* (“*about+lead*”), as Lat. *ambactus*, “*servant*”.

2.5. QUANTITY

2.5.1. Syllables are distinguished according to the length of time required for their pronunciation. Two degrees of Quantity are recognized, *long* and *short*.

NOTE. In syllables, quantity is measured from the beginning of the vowel or diphthong to the end of the syllable.

2.5.3. A syllable is long usually,

- a. if it contains a long vowel; as, **mā-tér**¹⁴, *mother*, **dn-ghūs**³, *tongue*,
- b. if it contains a diphthong; as, **Eu-rō-pā**, *Europe*, **leuk-tom**¹⁵, *light*,
- c. if it contains any two non-syllabic consonants (except a mute with **l** or **r**).

2.5.4. A syllable is short usually,

- a. if it contains a short vowel followed by a vowel or by a single consonant; as, **čiwós**¹⁶ [gʷi(:)-ʷos], *alive*, or **leusō**¹⁷, *loosen*,
- b. if it contains a vocalic sonant; as, **ṛtkos**¹⁸ [ˈṛt-kos], *bear*, **nōmṃ**¹⁹ [ˈno:-mṃ], **dekṃ** [ˈde-kṃ].

2.5.5. Sometimes a syllable varies in quantity, viz. when its vowel is short and is followed by a mute with **l** or **r**, i.e. by **pl**, **kl**, **tl**; **pr**, **kr**, **tr**, etc.; as, **agrī**⁸. Such syllables are called *common*. In prose they are regularly short, but in verse they might be treated as long at the option of the poet.

NOTE. Such distinctions of long and short are not arbitrary and artificial, but are purely natural. Thus, a syllable containing a short vowel followed by two consonants, as *ng*, is *long*, because such a syllable requires more time for its pronunciation; while a syllable containing a short vowel followed by one consonant is *short*, because it takes less time to pronounce it.

2.6. ACCENT

2.6.1. There are stressed as well as unstressed words. The last could indicate words that are always enclitic, i.e., they are always bound to the accent of the preceding word, as **-qe**²⁰, *and*, **-r**²¹ [r], *for*; while another can be proclitics, like prepositions. The accent position can thus help to distinguish words.

2.6.2. In Modern Indo-European, each non-clitic word has one and only one accent. The possibility of secondary accents depends on the pronunciation.

Verbs in Main Sentences, as well as Vocatives, appear to have had also different, not fixed accents.

NOTE 1. The attested stress of Indo-European dialects shows a great diversity: Germanic and Old Irish stressed the first syllable, Slavic and Greek had a ‘semifree’ accent, Latin and Armenian (as Albanian) stressed usually the penultimate, etc.

NOTE 2. Baltic and Slavic dialects still show a Musical accent, while Greek and Sanskrit vocabulary seems to show remains of an old Musical accent. In Proto-Indo-European (as in Latin) there are clear traces of syncopes and timbre variations of short vowels near the accentuated ones, what suggests that Indo-European maybe changed a Musical accent for an Intensive one.

2.6.4. The Stress is free, but that does not mean anarchy. On the contrary, it means that each word has an accent, and one has to know – usually by way of practice – where it goes.

NOTE. Unlike Latin (which followed the ‘penultimate rule’), or French, in which the last syllable is usually accentuated, or Polish, Finnish, etc. Indo-European stress is (at least partly) unpredictable. Rather, it is lexical: it comes as part of the word and must be memorized, although orthography can make stress unambiguous for a reader, and some stress patterns are ruled out. Otherwise homophonous words may differ only by the position of the stress, and therefore it is possible to use stress as a grammatical device.

2.6.5. Usually, adjectives are accentuated on the ending; as in **eurōpaiós**, *European*, **angliskós**²², *English*, etc., while nouns aren’t; as, **Eurōpáios** (maybe ‘purer PIE’ *Eurōpaios*, with root accent), *European*, **Ángliskos**, *English(man)*. There are some other rules to be followed in the declension of nouns and in the conjugation of verbs, which will be later studied.

2.7. VOWEL CHANGE

2.7.1. Syllable creation is the most common of the various phonetic changes that modern Indo-European languages have undergone all along these millennia of continued change. Anaptyxis is a type of phonetic epenthesis, involving insertion of a vowel to ease pronunciation. Examples in English are *ath-e-lete*, *mischiev-i-ous*, or *wint-e-ry*. It usually happens by adding first a *supporting vowel* or *transition sound* (glide or *Gleitlaut*). After this, in a second stage, the added vowel acquires a fix tone, becoming a full vowel.

2.7.2. The sonants form unstable syllables, and thus vowel epenthesis is very common. For example, ***d̥n-ghwā*** becomes *t̥n-gō-* in Germanic and *d̥n-gwa* in Archaic Latin, while ***wl-qos***²³ was pronounced *wul-k^waz* (later *wulfaz*) in Pre-Proto-Germanic and *wlu-k^wos* (later *lukos*) in Proto-Greek.

The semivowels [i̯], [u̯] are more stable than sonants when they are syllable centres, i.e. [i] or [u]. But they have also some alternating pronunciations. When they are pronounced *lento*, they give the allophones [i̯i̯] and [u̯u̯], always written **ij** and **uw**. Alternating forms like **médhijos** (which gives Lat. *medius*), and **medhjos** (which gives O.Ind. *mádhjas* or Gk. *μέσσος*), probably coexisted already in Late Proto-Indo-European.

NOTE. With the creation of zero-grade stems, vocalization appears, as the original radical vowels disappear and new ones are added. That happens, for example, in root **bhr̥**²⁴- [b^hr̥], *carry*, (cognate with English *bear*), which can be reconstructed from IE languages as **bher-**, **bhor-** or **bhr̥-**. The same can be said of the semivowels [i̯] and [u̯] when they are syllable edges, being syllable centres [u] and [i] in zero-grades.

2.7.3. Laryngeals were probably aspirated phonemes (reconstructed as three to nine different sounds) that appear in most current reconstructions of Middle PIE. The effects of some laryngeals are directly attested in the Anatolian languages. In the other Indo-European dialects known – all derived from Late PIE – their old presence is to be seen mostly through the effects they had on neighboring sounds, and on patterns of alternation that they participated in.

NOTE. Because such phonemes weren't heard in Europe's Indo-European and the other Late PIE dialects, and because their original phonetic values remain controversial, we don't deem it useful to write them in a Modern Indo-European language system, but for the explanation of some alternating PIE roots or stems.

2.7.4. Another vocalizations appear in PIE dialects in some phonetic environments, as two occlusives in zero-grade, impossible to pronounce without adding a vowel; as e.g. **skp**, which evolved as Lat. *scabo* or Got. *skaban*. Although the dialectal solutions to such consonantal groups aren't unitary, we can find some general PIE timbres. As **a**, **i** with a following dental (especially in Gk. and BSl.) or **u**, also considered general, but probably influenced by the context, possibly when in contact with a labial,

guttural or labiovelar, as in Greek reduplicate **q'qlos**²⁵ ['k^w-k^wlos], *circle, wheel*, from **qel-**, *move around*, which was usually pronounced **qúqlos**; etc.

2.7.5. Vocalic prothesis (from Gk. προ-θεσις, *pre-putting*), is the appending of a vowel in front of a word, usually to facilitate the pronunciation. Prothesis differ, not only among PIE dialectal branches, but also frequently within the same language or linguistic group. Especially before [ɾ], and before [ʃ], [m], [ŋ] and [u], more or less systematically, a vowel is added to ease the pronunciation; as, **ṛtkos**¹⁸, *bear*, which gives Lat. *ursus* (cognate with Eng. *ursine*), Gk. αρκτος (as in Eng. *Arctic*) or Welsh *arth* (as in Eng. *Arthur*). The timbre of the added vowel is related neither to a linguistic group or individual language, nor to a particular phonetic or morphological environment.

NOTE 1. It is therefore not a good practice in Modern Indo-European to add such vowels in front of words, but, as seen in §2.4.2., an additional auxiliary schwa [ə] could be a useful way to facilitate pronunciation.

NOTE 2. The different dialectal evolution such old difficult-to-pronounce words can be explained without a need for more phonemes, just accepting that phonetic changes are not always due to an exact pattern or 'sound law'.

2.7.6. Syllable losses are often observed in IE languages. Syncope refers to the loss of an inner vowel, like brief vowels in Gothic; as, *gasts* from PGmc. *gastiz*, IE **ghostis**²⁶. Also after [u], long vowel, diphthong or sonant in Latin; as, *prudens* for *providens*, *corolla* for *coronala*, or *ullus* for *oinolos*.

Haplology, which consists of the loss of a whole syllable when two consecutive (identical or similar) syllables occur, as Lat. *fastidium* instead of *fastitidium*, or Mycenaean *aporeu* instead of *apiporeu*.

2.8. CONSONANT CHANGE

2.8.1. The so called s-Mobile (*mobile* pronounced as in Italian; the word is a Latin neuter adjective) refers to the phenomenon of alternating word pairs, with and without **s** before initial consonants, in stems with similar or identical meaning. This "moveable" prefix **s-** is always followed by another consonant. Typical combinations are with voiceless stops (**s)p-**, (**s)t-**, (**s)k-**, with liquids and nasals, (**s)l-**, (**s)m-**, (**s)n-**; and rarely (**s)w-**.

For example, Proto-Indo-European stem (**s)tauros**²⁷, perhaps originally meaning *bison*, gave PGmc. *stiuraz* (cf. Goth. *stiur*, O.E. *steor*, Ger. *Stier*, Eng. *steer*), Av. *staora*, but Gmc. *þiuraz* (cf. O.N. *þjórr*), Lat. *taurus*, Osc. *turuf*, Gk. *tauros*, O.C.S. *turъ*, Lith. *tauras*, Gaul. *tarbos*. Both variants existed side by side in Late PIE, but whereas some dialects have preserved the form with the s mobile, others all have words for *bull* which reflect the root without the sibilant.

Such pairs with and without **s** are found even within the same language, as Gk. (*s)tégos*, "roof", (*s)mikrós*, "little", O.Ind. (*s)tr*, "star", and so on.

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<i>IE stem</i>	<i>Meaning</i>	<i>Example with -s</i>	<i>without -s</i>
(s)kap-	<i>tool</i>	Gk. <i>skeparnion</i>	Lat. <i>capus</i>
(s)kel-	<i>crooked</i>	Ger. <i>Schielen</i>	Gk. <i>kolon</i>
(s)kep-	<i>cut, scrape</i>	Eng. <i>scab</i>	Lat. <i>capulare</i>
(s)ker-	<i>cut</i>	Eng. <i>shear, sheer</i>	Lat. <i>curtus</i>
(s)ker-	<i>bend</i>	Eng. <i>shrink</i>	Lat. <i>curvus</i>
(s)kleu-	<i>close</i>	Ger. <i>schließen</i>	Lat. <i>claudere</i>
(s)qalo-	<i>big fish</i>	Lat. <i>squalus</i>	Eng. <i>whale</i>
(s)tewd-	<i>thrust</i>	Goth. <i>stautan</i>	Lat. <i>tundo</i>
(s)mer-	<i>remember</i>	Skr. <i>smarati</i>	Eng. <i>mourn</i>
(s)nē-	<i>spin</i>	Ir. <i>snáthad</i>	Eng. <i>needle</i>
(s)melo-	<i>small animal</i>	Eng. <i>small</i>	Gae. <i>mial</i>
(s)neu-	<i>tendon, sinew</i>	Gk. <i>neuron</i>	Skr. <i>snavan</i>
(s)peik-	<i>magpie</i>	Ger. <i>Specht</i>	Lat. <i>pica</i>
(s)pek-	<i>spy, stare</i>	O.H.G. <i>spehon</i>	Alb. <i>pashë</i>
(s)plei-	<i>split</i>	Eng. <i>split, splinter</i>	Eng. <i>flint</i>
(s)perg-	<i>sparrow</i>	O.Eng. <i>spearwa</i>	Lat. <i>parra</i>
(s)tea-	<i>stand</i>	Lat. <i>sto</i> , Eng. <i>stand</i>	Ir. <i>ta</i>
(s)ten-	<i>thunder</i>	O.H.G. <i>donar</i>	O.Sla. <i>stenjo</i>
(s)twer-	<i>whirl</i>	Eng. <i>storm</i>	Lat. <i>turba</i>

NOTE 1. For **(s)ten-**, compare O.Ind. *stánati*, Gk. *sténō*, O.Eng. *stenan*, Lith. *stenù*, O.Sla. *stenjo*, and without **s-** in O.Ind. *tányati*, Gk. Eol. *ténnei*, Lat. *tonare*, O.H.G. *donar*, Cel. *Tanaros* (name of a river). For **(s)pek-**, cf. O.Ind. *spásati*, Av. *spašta*, Gk. *skopós* (<**spokós**), Lat. *spektus*, O.H.G. *spehon*, without **s-** in O.Ind. *pásyati*, Alb. *pashë*. For **(s)ker-**, cf. O.Ind. *ava-*, *apa-skara-*, Gk. *skéraphos*, O.Ir. *scar(a)im*, O.N. *skera*, Lith. *skiriù*, Illyr. *Scardus*, Alb. *hurdhë* (<***skrd-**), without **s-** in O.Ind. *kṛnāti*, Av. *kərəntaiti*, Gk. *keíro*, Arm. *kcorem*, Alb. *kjëth*, Lat. *caro*, O.Ir. *cert*, O.N. *horund*, Lith. *kkarnà*, O.Sla. *korúčü*, Hitt. *kartai-*, and so on.

NOTE 2. Some scholars believe it was a prefix in PIE (which would have had a causative value), while others maintain that it is probably caused by assimilations of similar stems – some of them beginning with an **s-**, and some of them without it. It is possible, however, that the original stem actually had an initial **s**, and that it was lost by analogy in some situations, because of phonetic changes, probably due to some word compounds where the last **-s** of the first word assimilated to the first **s-** of the second one. That helps to explain why both stems (with and without **s**) are recorded in some languages, and why no regular evolution pattern may be ascertained: so for example in **wlqoms spekiont**, *they saw wolves*, becoming **wlqoms pekiont**. See Adrados (1995).

2.8.2. Before a voiced or aspirated voiced consonant, **s** was articulated as voiced, by way of assimilation; as, **nizdos**²⁸ [ˈniz-dos], *nest*, or **mizdhós** [miz-ˈdʰos], *meed*, *salary*. When **s** forms a group with sonants there is usually assimilation, but such a trend is sometimes reversed by adding a consonant; as Lat. *cerebrum* (<Ita. *kereθrom*), from **kersrom**²⁹.

2.8.3. The **s** between vowels was very unstable in PIE, evolving differently in individual dialects; as, **snusós**³⁰, *daughter-in-law* (cf. Lat. *nurus*, O.H.G. *snur*). The most common examples of these phonetic changes appear in PIE **s** stems, when followed by a vowel in declension; as **nebhós**³¹, *cloud*, which gives O.C.S. *nebesa*, Gk. *νεφέλη*, or **genós**³², *race*, *stock*, *kind*, which gives Lat. *genus*, *generis*.

2.8.4. A sequence of two dentals – as **tt**, **dt**, **tdh**, **ddh**, etc. – was eliminated in all Indo-European dialects, but the process of this suppression differed among branches, some earlier dialects (as Vedic) showing little change, some others an **st** or **sdh**, and others **ss**. This trend began probably in Late PIE, and thus all EIE speakers knew such evolutions, which we sum up into a common intermediate stage **st**, **sdh**, etc., which was followed in some early IE dialects, and probably known to the rest of them.

NOTE. For more on this, see Conventions Used in this Book. For changes in Aryan, see Appendix II.

Examples in MIE are e.g. forms derived from PIE root **weid**³³, *know*, *see*, (cf. Lat. *vidēre*, Gmc. *wītan*, Eng. *wite*); as, p.p. **w(e)istós**, *known*, *seen*, from **w(e)id-tó-**, (cf. O.Ind. *vitta-*, but Gmc. *wīssaz*, Lat. *vīsus*, Gk. ᾄ-(φ)ιστος, Av. *vista-*, O.Pruss. *waist*, O.Sla. *věštъ*, O.Ir. *rofess*, etc.), which gives e.g. Latin **ad wistom**, *advice* (Lat. *ad visum*), or **wistiōn**, *vision* (Lat. *vīsiō*), in turn giving **qēlewistiōn**³⁴, *television*; Greek **wístōr**, *wise*, *learned man*, from Gk. ἵστωρ (*hístōr*) or φίστωρ (*wístōr*), which gives **wistoriā**, *history*, from Gk. ἱστορία (*hīstoría*); imperative **weisdhí!**, *see!*, as O.Lith. *weizdi* (< **weid-dhí**, cf. O.C.S. infinitive *viždo*), Sla. **eghweistī**, *certainly*, as O.C.S. *izvěštъ*, etc.

2.8.5. The manner of articulation of an occlusive or sibilant usually depends on whether the next phoneme is voiced or voiceless. So e.g. voiced **ag**³⁵, *carry*, gives voiceless **agtos** [ˈakt-os] (not reflected in MIE writings), cf. Gk. *ακτος* (*aktos*) or Lat. *actus*. The same happens with voiced aspirates, as in **legh**³⁶, *lie* (cognate to Eng. *log*), giving Gk. *λεκτρον* (*lektron*), Lat. *lectus*, O.H.G. *Lehter*; also, compare how voiceless **p-** becomes **-b**, when **pōds**³⁷, *foot*, is in zero-grade **-bd-**, as in Gk. *επιβδα* (*epibda*).

Examples of changes that might affect MIE orthography include sibilants from known s-roots, as **nizdos** for **nisdos**, **kerzrom** for **kersrom**, already seen; common variants, as **eghs**, **eks**, *of*, *out*, *from*; and dubious cognates, as **necrós**, *black*, and **noqts**, *night*, maybe from a common PIE suffixed *nog^w-t* or *nog^{wh}-t*.

2.8.6. Some difficult consonantal compounds may be so pronounced in Modern Indo-European as to avoid them, imitating its modern use; as, **klus(sk)ō** [ˈlu-s(k)o:], *listen* (cf. Gmc. *hluza*, O.Ind. *śróṣati*, O.Ir. *cluas*, Arm. *lur*, Toch. A *klyoṣ*, Lith. *kláusîti*, O.Bul. *slušati*, etc.), from **kleu-**³⁸, *hear*;

psūghologiā³⁹ [su:-g^ho-lo-'gi-a:], *psychology* (as Gk. ψυχολογία, from Gk. ψυχή, MIE **psū-ghá**, for some IE ***bhs-ū-gh-**), **sm̐weitikós**⁴⁰ [s-ʷi:-di-'kos], *sovietic* (O.Rus. съветъ, *suvetu*, for some ***ksu-**, loan-translation of Gk. συμβούλιον, *sumboulion*), **gnātiōn**⁴¹ [na:-'t̥i:ɔ:n], *nation* (as Lat. *natio*), **prkskō**⁴² [prs-'ko:/pors-'ko:/pos-'ko:], *ask, demand, inquire* (cf. Skr. *pr̥cchati*, Av. *pərəsaiti*, Pers. *pursēdan*, Lat. *poscere*, O.H.G. *forskōn*, Lith. *peršù*, O.Ir. *arcu*, Toch. *pärk*), etc.

NOTE. Verbs like ***klusinā**, a loan translation of English 'listen' (from IE **klu-s-**, *listen*, from **kleu-**, *hear*), should be avoided if possible in Modern Indo-European, for the sake of proper communication, if there is another common PIE verb with the same meaning; in this case, the verb is cognate with other IE verbs derived directly from **klus(sk)ō**, and therefore it is unnecessary to use the English tertiary formation shown. Such forms are too derived to be considered an Europe's Indo-European term proper; it would be like using Romance ***māturikāmi**, *get up early*, loan-translating Spanish "madrugar".

2.9. PECULIARITIES OF ORTHOGRAPHY

2.9.1. Indo-European words may show a variable orthography.

2.9.2. In many words the orthography varies because of alternating forms that give different derivatives; as in **dōmos**⁴³, *house*, but **dempśots**⁴⁴ [des-'po-ts], *master, lord, despot*, as Gk. δεσπότης (*despótēs*), Skr. *dampati*, Av. *dəŋ patōiš*, (with *fem.* **dempotniā**, [des-'po-nia]) or **demrom**, *timber*, as Gmc. *temran*, all from PIE root **dem-/dōm-**, *house*.

NOTE. The forms shown, Greek **dems-pót-ā**, as well as Indo-Iranian **dems-pót-is**, are secondary formations derived from the original Proto-Indo-European form; compare, for an original PIE ending **-t** in compounds, Lat. *sacerdōs* < ***-ōts**, O.Ind. *devastút-*, "who praises the gods", etc.

2.9.3. In other situations, the meaning is different, while the stems are the same; as, **gher**⁴⁵, *enclose, grasp*, which gives **ghortos**, *garden, enclosure*, hence *town* (cf. Gmc. *gardan*, Lat. *hortus*, Gk. *khortos*, Phry. *-gordum*, O.Ir. *gort*, Lith. *gardas*, O.C.S. *gradu*, Alb. *garth*, etc.), and **gher**⁴⁶, *bowels, fig. like, want*, giving **ghrēdhus**, *hunger*, etc.

2.9.4. In some cases, however, the grammatical rules of Modern Indo-European affect how a word is written. For example, the word **Spaniā**¹⁴⁰, *Spain*, could have been written **Spánjā**, or **Brittaniā**, *Britain*, **Brittanjā**; but we chose to maintain the letter **-i** when possible. We write **-j** or **-w** only in some specific cases, to differentiate clearly the Proto-Indo-European roots from its derivatives:

NOTE. Modern English *Britain* comes from O.Fr. *Bretaigne*, in turn from L.Lat. *Britannia*, earlier Lat. *Brittania*, itself from **Brittōn**, *Briton*, from Lat. *Britto*, *Brittonem*, from the Celtic name given to the Celtic inhabitants of Great Britain before the Anglo-Saxon invasion, MIE **Britts**, *Briton*. A more Germanic noun in Modern Indo-European would be **Brittonlendhom**, as it was known in Old English, *Breten-lond*, similar to the MIE term for "England", **Anglōlendhom**, *v.s.*

1. In PIE root vowels; as, **trejes** (possibly from earlier **tri-** or **trei-**), *three*, **jugóm**⁵ (from **jeug**), *yoke*, **sāwel**⁶⁸, *sun*, **newos**, *new*, (probably from **nu**, *now*), etc. Therefore, PIE roots with different articulations of the semivowel [u], [i] can be written differently; as, **neu-/nou-**, *shout*, but part. **now-ént-** “*announcing*” (not ~~**nouent-**~~), giving **nówentios** [‘no-ŭen-tjos], *messenger*, as Lat. *nūntius*, or **nówentiom**, *message*, as Lat. *nūntium*; also **cei-**⁴⁷, *live*, with variant **cjō-** (not ~~**eiō-**~~), giving **cjōiom** [‘gʷiō:-jom], *being, animal*, as Gk. ζῷον (*zōon*); there is also variant **cio-** (and not ~~**ejo-**~~), as in **cíos**, *life*, from Gk. βίος, and hence written **-i-** in compounds, as **ciologíā** [gʷiō-lo-’gi-a], *biology*, (in compound with **logos**¹³⁴, from Gk. λόγος), and not ~~**ejologíā**~~.

NOTE. This rule is also followed in declension; as, Nom. **owis**¹⁴⁹, Gen. **owjós**, not ~~**owios**~~ (for [o-’ujos]), from root **owi-**; or Nom. **pekū**¹⁵⁰, Gen. **pekuos**, for [‘pe-kuos], from root **pek-**.

2. In traditionally reconstructed stems with a semivowel; as **serw-**, *protect*, (which some derive from **ser-**⁴⁸), which gives extended **serwāiō**, *keep, preserve*, and **serwos**, *slave, servant*, or **cei-w-**, *live*, from which zero-grade **čiwós**, *alive, living*; **manu-**⁴⁹, *man*, which gives common **manus**, and Gmc. **manwos**, *man*, and adj. **manwiskós**, *human*; but cf. Latin **situs**, *place* (possibly but unlikely from PIE suffixed ~~***tki-tus**~~⁷⁷), is **situāiō**, *locate, situate*, and not ~~**sitwā**~~, etc.

NOTE 1. This rule is followed because of tradition in IE studies, and in scarcely attested roots, whose origin is not straightforward – as **serw-**, which could be from PIE **ser-**, but could also be just an Etruscan borrowing.

NOTE 2. Graeco-Latin loans like Lat. **situāiō**, from **situs**; Gk. **pornos**, *porn*, from **pornogrḃhós**, *pornograph*, from **porná**, *prostitute*; **rewolūtīōn**, *revolution*, from O.Fr. *revolution*, itself from L.Lat. *reuolutiō*, for which Latin had originally *res nouae*; or **ghostālis**, *hotel*, from Fr. *hôtel*, from L.Lat. *hostalis*, “*guest-house*”, from *hostis*, “*guest*”, for which Latin used *deuersorium*; etc. Such loan words are common to most modern IE languages, especially within Europe, and may therefore be left so in MIE, instead of trying to use another common older Proto-Indo-European terms.

3. In metathesized forms; as PIE **neu**⁵⁰, *tendon, sinew*, which gives stems **neuro-**, and **nerwo-**, i.e. **neurom**, *neuron*, from Gk. νεῦρον (as in abstract collective **neurá**), and **nerwos**, *nerve*, from Lat. *neruus*, probably Ita. *neurus*. Non-metathesized forms should be preferred in MIE, though.

NOTE. Following these first three rules, semivowels from Proto-Indo-European roots (whether inflected or not) should be clearly distinguished from the semivowels of derivatives extended in **-uo-**, **-io-**, **-nu-**, and so on.

4. When there is a consonantal sound before or after a sonant, whether a PIE root or not; as, **newŋ**, *nine*; **stājŋ**⁵¹, *fat*, **pāwŋ**⁵², *fire*, **prwós**¹⁵⁵, *first*, **perwŋtós**⁵³, *rocky*, etc.

5. When the semivowel **-j-** is followed or preceded by **i**, or the semivowel **-w-** is followed or preceded by **u**; as, **dreuwos**⁵⁴, *confidence*, **leuwā**⁵⁵, *lag*, **bolijós**⁵⁶, *big*, etc.

NOTE. This happens usually in inflected forms of nouns and verbs ending in [i:] or [u:]; as, **dŋghuwes**, *languages*, **bhruwés**, *of the brow*, etc.

6. In word-final position, usually in elisions at the end of imperative verbs, especially in spoken language; as **cemj'** for **cemie**, *come here*; or **takej'** for **takēie**, *shut up*.

NOTE. The omitted letters in a contraction are usually replaced by an apostrophe in European languages.

7. As a general exception, none of these rules should be followed in compounds, when the semivowel is the last sound of the first word; e.g., for **triathlom** (from Gk. *athlon*, “contest”), *triathlon*, we won't write **trjathlom**. Also, more obviously, **Sindhueurōpáiom**, and not **Sindhueurōpáiom**.

NOTE. In Modern Indo-European, compounds may be written with and without hyphen, as in the different modern Indo-European languages; for **Sindhueurōpáiom/Sindhu-Eurōpáiom**, compare Eng. *Indo-European*, Ger. *Indoeuropäisch*, Fr. *Indo-européen*, It., Sp. *indoeuropeo*, Gal.-Pt. *Indo-européu*, Cat. *indoeuropeu*, Du. *Indo-Europees*, Pol. *indoeuropejski*, Lit. *indoeuropiečių*, Ir. *Ind-Eorpach*, Russ. *индоевропейский*, Gk. *ινδοευρωπαϊκή*, Ira. *هندواروپا ای*, Hin. *हिन्द-यूरोपीय*, etc.

2.9.5. What many books on Late PIE reconstruct as [ə] or *schwa*, is generally written and pronounced in Modern Indo-European with a simple **a** (v.s. §1.7.1); as, PIH *ph₂tér-* → PIE *pátér-* → EIE **patér**⁻⁵⁷, *father*; PIH *b^hh₂tis* → PIE *b^hətis* → EIE **b^hatis**⁵⁸, *appearance*; PIH *anh₂* → PIE *anə* → EIE **ana**⁻⁵⁹, *breath*, from which derivatives MIE **ánamā**, *soul*, as Lat. *anima* (affected by Ablaut because of the ‘penultimate rule’ of Classic Latin), MIE **ánamos**, *wind*, as Gk. *άνεμος*, MIE **ánati**, *he breathes*, as Skr. *aniti*, and so on.

2.9.6. The forms with the copulative **-qe**²⁰, *and*, and disjunctive **-wě**, *or*, are usually written by adding it to the preceding word, as in Latin *-que*, but with a hyphen.

2.9.7. The capital letters are used at the beginning of the following kind of words:

a. the names of days⁶⁰, months⁶¹, seasons⁶² and public holidays; as, **Januarios**, *January*, **Samos**, *Summer*, **Newóm Jērom**, *New Year*, etc.

b. the names of people and places, including stars and planets; as, **Sāwel**, *Sun*, **Djēus**, *God*⁶³, **Teutiskolendhom**, *Germany* (loan-translated O.Ger. *Diut-isk-lant*, v.i. Compound Words §4.10).

NOTE. Unlike English, most European languages don't write adjectives in capital letters; **Eurōpa**, **Eurōpáios**, but **eurōpaiós**; **Teutiskolendhom**, **Teutiskos**, but **teutiskós**; **Brittaniā**, **Brittōn**, but **brittiskós**; etc.

c. people's titles, as **Prōbhastór**⁶⁴, *Professor*, **Kelomnelis**⁶⁵, *Colonel*, **Rēgtór**⁶⁶, *rector*, etc.

d. with **Nr̥tos** or **Skeuros**, *North*⁶⁷; **Suntos** or **Déksinā**, *South*⁶⁸; **Austos**, *East*⁶⁹ and **Westos**, *West*⁷⁰ and its derivatives. Also adjectives **Nr̥trós**, *Northern*, **Suntrós**, **Deksiós**, *southern*, **Austrós**, *eastern*, **Westros** or **Wesperós**, *West*.

e. in official or well-established place names; as **Kolossēom**, *Coliseum* (from Lat. *Colossēum*, in turn from **kolossós**, Gk. *κολοσσός*), **Plateiā**⁷¹, *the Square* (from Lat. *platea*, from PIE **pel-**, *flat*), etc.

2.9.8. The vocallic allophones [ɾ], [ʎ], [ɱ], [ŋ] may be written, as in Latin transliterations of Sanskrit texts, as **ṛ**, **ḷ**, **ṃ**, and **ṅ**, to help the reader clearly identify the sonants; therefore, alternative writings **ṃṛṭós**, *inmortal*, **ḷṃṭóm**, *hundred*, **wodṛ**, *water*, etc. are also possible.

2.10. KINDRED FORMS

Compare the following Europe's Indo-European words and their evolution in Germanic and Latin, with their common derivatives in Modern English.

<i>EIE</i>	<i>PGmc.</i>	<i>Gothic</i>	<i>O.Eng.</i>	<i>Latin</i>	<i>English (Lat.)</i>
patér , <i>father</i>	fader	fadar	fæder	pater	father (<i>paternal</i>)
septm , <i>seven</i>	sibun	sibun	seofon	septem	seven (<i>September</i>)
trabs , <i>dwelling, room</i>	þurp-	þaurp	þorp	trabs/trabēs	thorp (<i>trabecula</i>)
globiō , <i>hold, clench</i>	klupjō	-	clyppe	globus	clip (<i>globe</i>)
bhrātēr , <i>brother</i>	brōþēr	brōþar	brōþor	frāter	brother (<i>fraternal</i>)
bherō , <i>carry</i>	berō	baira	bere	ferō	bear (<i>infer</i>)
wertō , <i>turn</i>	werþō	wairþa	weorþe	uertō	worth (<i>versus</i>)
trejes , <i>three</i>	þrejez	þreis	þrēo	trēs	three (<i>trinity</i>)
dekṃ , <i>ten</i>	texan	taihun	ten,tien	decem	ten (<i>decimal</i>)
edō , <i>eat</i>	etō	ita	ete	edō	eat (<i>edible</i>)
dhēmi , <i>do, make</i>	dōmi	-	dōm	faciō (< <i>dha-k-iō</i> >)	do (<i>factor</i>)
dhersō , <i>be adroit</i>	dersō	ga-darsa	dearr	festus (< <i>dhers-tos</i> >)	dare (<i>manifest</i>)
leuk- , <i>light</i>	leux-	liuh-	lēoh-	lūc-	light (<i>lucid</i>)
kṛd , <i>heart</i>	xert-	hairt-	heort-	cord-	heart (<i>core</i>)
augō , <i>increase</i>	aukō	auka	eacie	augeō	eke (<i>augment</i>)
gn- , <i>know</i>	kunnō	kunna	cunne	(g)nōtus	can (<i>notice</i>)
ghostis , <i>guest</i>	gastiz	gasts	gæst, giest	hostis	guest (<i>hostile</i>)
bhrgh- , <i>mountain</i>	burg-	bairga-	beorg	fortis (O.Lat. <i>forctus</i>)	barrow (<i>force</i>)
leiq- , <i>leave</i>	leixw-	lihwa	læne	liqu-	lend (<i>relic</i>)
qi-/qo- , <i>what, who</i>	hwi-/hwo-	hwi-/hwa-	hwi-/hwæ-	qui-/quo-	why/what (<i>quote</i>)
cemiō , <i>come</i>	kʷemjō	kʷima	-cwem-	ueniō	come (<i>venue</i>)
čiwós , <i>alive</i>	kwi(k)waz	kʷius	cwic	uīuus	quick (<i>vivacity</i>)
lech- , <i>light</i>	lextaz	lihts	liht, lēoht	leuis	light (<i>levity</i>)
chormós , <i>warm</i>	warmaz	warm-	wearm	formus	warm (<i>furnace</i>)

3. WORDS AND THEIR FORMS

3.1. THE PARTS OF SPEECH

3.1.1. Words are divided into eight Parts of Speech: Nouns, Adjectives (including Participles), Pronouns, Verbs, Adverbs, Prepositions, Conjunctions, and Interjections.

3.1.2. A Noun is the name of a person, place, thing or idea: as, **Anglolendhom**, *England* (cf. O.E. *Engla land*, “land of the Angles”); **werdthom**⁷², *verb*; **markiā**⁷³, *mare*, **baktēriom**⁷⁴, n.pl. **baktēria**.

Names of particular persons and places are called Proper Nouns; other nouns are called Common.

NOTE. An Abstract Noun is the name of a quality or idea. A Collective Noun is the name of a group or a class.

3.1.3. An Adjective is a word that attributes a quality; as, **patrióm**⁵⁷, *parental*, **bhelá**⁷⁵, *bright*, **Teutiskós**⁷⁶, *German*, **entergñtiós**⁷⁷, *international*.

NOTE 1. A Participle is a word that attributes quality like an adjective, but, being derived from a verb, retains in some degree the power of the verb to assert.

NOTE 2. Etymologically there is no difference between a noun and an adjective, both being formed alike. So, too, all names originally attribute quality, and any common name can still be so used. Thus, **Rēgiā**⁶⁶ **Elisabhet II** or **Elizabhet** (cf. Gk. *Ελισ(σ)αβητ*, from Hebrew *Eli-sheva*, “God is an oath”), *Queen* (< **Cenis**⁷⁸) *Elizabeth II*, distinguishes this *Elizabeth* from other *Elizabeths*, by the attribute expressed in the name **Rēgiā**, *Queen*.

3.1.4. A Pronoun is a word used to distinguish a person, place, thing or idea without either naming or describing it: as, **egó**¹⁶¹, *I*; **twos**¹⁶³, *your*; **wejes**¹⁶², *we*.

Nouns and pronouns are often called Substantives.

3.1.5. A Verb is a word capable of asserting something: as, **bherō**, *I carry, bear*; **bhāti**, *it shines*.

NOTE. In English the verb is usually the only word that asserts anything, and a verb is therefore supposed to be necessary to complete an assertion. Strictly, however, any adjective or noun may, by attributing a quality or giving a name, make a complete assertion; as, **wīros**⁷⁹ **dwenós**⁸⁰ (**esti**), *the man (is) good*, unlike **dwenós wīros**, *the good man*; or **autom**⁸¹ **ghōdhóm** (**esti**), *the car is good*, unlike **ghōdhóm autom**, *the good car*. In the infancy of language there could have been no other means of asserting, as the verb is comparatively of late development.

3.1.6. An Adverb is a word used to express the time, place, or manner of an assertion or attribute: as, **per**⁸², *in front*, **epi**⁸³, *near*, **anti**⁸⁴, *opposite*.

NOTE. These same functions are often performed in Indo-European by cases of nouns, pronouns and adjectives, and by phrases or sentences.

3.1.7. A Preposition is a word which shows the relation between a noun or pronoun and some other word or words in the same sentence; as, e.g., **ad**⁸⁵, *at, to*, **al**⁸⁶, *beyond*, **de**⁸⁷, *from*, **kom**⁸⁸, *with*, **eghs**⁸⁹, *out*, **upo**⁹⁰, *up*, and so on.

3.1.8. A Conjunction is a word which connects words, or groups of words, without affecting their grammatical relations: as, **-qe**, *and*; **-wě**⁹¹, *or*, **-ma**, *but*, **-r**, *for*.

3.1.9. Interjections are mere exclamations and are not strictly to be classed as parts of speech, and may vary among IE dialects; as, **hej, haj, (á)hoj** (greeting), **hállo, hóllo**, (on the telephone); **ō** (vocative); **oh** (surprise); **(k)ha (k)ha** (laugh); **áu(tsh)** (pain); etc.

NOTE. Interjections sometimes express an emotion which affects a person or thing mentioned, and so have a grammatical connection like other words.

3.2. INFLECTION

3.2.1. Indo-European is an inflected language. Inflection is a change made in the form of a word to show its grammatical relations.

NOTE. Some modern Indo-European languages, like most Germanic and Romance dialects, have lost partly or completely their earliest attested inflection systems – due to different simplification trends –, in nominal declension as well as in verbal conjugation.

3.2.2. Inflectional changes sometimes take place in the body of a word, or at the beginning, but oftener in its termination:

bhabhā⁹², *the or a bean*; **snichés**⁹³, *of the snow*; **(egō) weghō**⁹⁴, *I ride*; **trātome**⁹⁵, *we crossed over*; **date**⁹⁶, *give!* (pl.)

3.2.3. Terminations of inflection had possibly originally independent meanings which are now obscured. They probably corresponded nearly to the use of prepositions, auxiliaries and personal pronouns in English.

Thus, in **bhares-m**⁹⁷, *the barley* (Acc.), the termination is equivalent to “*the*” or “*to the*”; in **bhleti**⁹⁸ [b^h]-’e-ti], *it blooms* (Indicative), and **bhlēti** [b^h]-’e:-ti] (Subjunctive), the change of vowel grade signifies a change in the mood.

3.2.4. Inflectional changes in the body of a verb usually denote relations of tense or mood, and often correspond to the use of auxiliary verbs in English:

(tu) déresi⁹⁹, *(thou) tear or are tearing*; **dore**, *he tore*; **(gi)gnōsketi**¹⁰⁰, *he knows*, **gégona**, *I knew* (see Verbal Inflection for Reduplication and its meaning)

3.2.5. The inflection of Nouns, Adjectives, Pronouns and Participles to denote gender, number and case is called Declension, and these parts of speech are said to be *declined*.

The inflection of Verbs to denote voice, mood, tense, number and person is called Conjugation, and the verb is said to be conjugated.

NOTE. Adjectives are often said to have inflections of comparison. These are, however, properly stem-formations made by derivations.

3.2.6. Adverbs, Prepositions, Conjunctions and Interjections are not inflected, and together form the group of the so-called Particles.

3.3. ROOT, STEM AND BASE

3.3.1. The body of a word, to which the terminations are attached, is called the Stem. The Stem contains the idea of the word without relations; but, except in the first part of compounds (cf. **Niterolendhom**¹⁰¹, the *Low Land or Netherland*, **klaustrobhocīā**¹⁰², *claustrophobia*, etc.), it cannot ordinarily be used without some termination to express them.

Thus the stem **kaput**¹⁰³ (n.) denotes *head*, hence also “*main*”; **kaput** (without ending) means *a head* or *the head*, as the Subject or Agent of an action or as Vocative, as well as *to a head* or *to the head*, as the Direct Object; with **-os** it becomes **kaputós**, and signifies *of a head* or *of the head*, and so on.

NOTE. In inflected languages like Indo-European, words are built up from Roots, which at a very early time were possibly used alone to express ideas. Roots are then modified into Stems, which, by inflection, become fully formed words. The process by which roots are modified, in the various forms of derivatives and compounds, is called stem-building. The whole of this process is originally one of composition, by which significant endings are added one after another to forms capable of pronunciation and conveying a meaning.

3.3.2. A Root is the simplest form attainable by analysis of a word into its component parts. Such a form contains the main idea of the word in a very general sense, and is common also to other words either in the same language or in kindred languages; cf. for **kaput**, *head*, **kap-**, from which **kapēlom**, *bowl*, *cranium* (cf. O.Ind. *kapālam*, O.E. *hafola*, “*head*”, maybe Lat. *capillum*, “*hair of the head*”).

NOTE. The reconstruction of Europe’s Indo-European looks for a very old language, and this has an obvious consequence on the general assertion that roots don’t mean anything. In fact, many reconstructed PIE roots mean something, even without adding a single ending. So, for example, the English word ‘*special*’ has a root *spec-* (also root of words like *speculate* or *species*) which expresses vaguely the idea of looking. In Modern Indo-European, however, the (Latin) adjective **spekiālis**, *special*, coexists with its original PIE root as a productive stem, as in verb **spekiō**, *observe*. Language evolution blurs the original meanings, and many roots had possibly ceased to be recognized as such before IE III - although less so than in modern languages. Consequently, sometimes (not very often) the reconstructed PIE roots which we use as independent words in Modern Indo-European actually lacked a proper meaning already in Late PIE; they are used because sometimes a common IE form is needed and only different words from the same root have been attested.

For example, the root of verb **demō**, *domesticate*, is **dem**⁻¹⁰⁴ (PIH *demh₂-*), which does not necessarily mean *to domesticate*, or *I domesticate*, or *domesticating*, but merely expresses vaguely the idea of *domesticating*, and possibly cannot be used as a part of speech without terminations – in fact, **dem**- (PIH *dem-*) is another root which means *house*, but is unrelated to the verb, at least in Late PIE. With the ending **-ti** it becomes **démeti**, *he/she/it domesticates*.

3.3.3. The Stem may be the same as the root; as, **sal-s**¹⁰⁵, *salt*, **bhléig-e-ti**¹⁰⁶, *he/she/it shines*; but it is more frequently formed from the root.

1. By changing or lengthening its vowel: from root **bhēl**⁻¹⁰⁷, *blow, swell*, **bhōl-os**, *ball*, or **bhol-ā**, *bullet*, and **bh̥l-os**, *bowl*. Also **dā**⁻¹⁰⁸, *divide*, gives **dai-mōn**, *demon* (from older Gk. *daimon*, *divider, provider*), and **dī-mōn**, *time, period* (from Gmc. *tīmōn*, which gives O.Eng. *tīma*, O.N. *timi*, Swe. *timme*; unrelated to Lat. *tempus*, MIE loan word **tempōs**).

2. By the addition of a simple suffix; as, **bher-ā**¹⁰⁹, *bear*, lit. “*brown animal*”, **lino-m**¹¹⁰, *flax*.

3. By two or more of this methods: **chn-tó-s**, (**chen**¹¹¹ in zero-grade, with participial ending **-to**, and masculine ending), *beaten*, **gon-iā-s**, *angles* (**genus**¹¹², *knee*, in o-grade with ending **-io-**, feminine in **-ā**, plural in **-s**).

4. By derivation and composition, following the laws of development peculiar to the language, which we will see in the corresponding chapters.

3.3.4. The Base is that part of a word which is unchanged in inflection: as, **cherm**⁻¹¹³ in **chermós**, *warm*, **eus**⁻¹¹⁴ in **eusō**, *burn*; **cou-** in **cōus**¹¹⁵, *cow*, etc.

a. The Base and the Stem are often identical, as in many consonant stems of nouns (as **cer-** in **cers**¹¹⁶, *mount*). If, however, the stem ends in a vowel, the latter does not appear in the base, but is variously combined with the inflectional termination. Thus the stem of **nochetós**, *naked*, is **nochet**⁻¹¹⁷; that of **ármos**¹¹⁸, *arm*, is **armo-**.

3.3.5. Inflectional terminations are modified differently by combination with the final vowel or consonant of the Stem, and the various forms of Declension and Conjugation are so developed.

3.4. GENDER

3.4.1. The Genders distinguished in Modern Indo-European are three: Masculine, Feminine (both are referred to as Animate) and Neuter or Inanimate.

3.4.2. The gender of Indo-European nouns is either *natural* or *grammatical*.

a. Natural Gender is distinction as to the sex of the object denoted: **bhrātēr**¹¹⁹ (m.), *brother*; **cenā**¹²⁰ (f.), *woman, wife*.

NOTE. Many nouns have both a masculine and a feminine form to distinguish sex: as, **Eurōpaios**, **Eurōpaiā**, *European* (nominalized adjectives), or **ekwos**, **ekwā**, *horse, mare*.¹²¹

NOTE 2. Names of classes or collections of persons may be of any gender. For example, **armātā** (f.), *army*; from PIE **ar-**, *fit together* (as in **armos**, *arm, upper arm, shoulder*, cf. Gmc. *armaz*, Lat. *armus*, Gk. ἀρμός); also **ghorós** (m.), *choir, chorus, dancing ground*, from PIE **gher-**, *grasp, enclose* – loan translated from Gk. χορός, originally “*an special enclosure for dancing*” in its origin, cf. Gmc. *gardaz*, **ghórdhos**, or Lat. *hortus*, **ghórtos**, both meaning *garden, yard, enclosure*.¹²²

b. Grammatical Gender is a formal distinction as to sex where no actual sex exists in the object. It is shown in the form of the adjective joined with the noun: as **swādús**¹²³ **noqtis**¹²⁴ (f.), *a pleasant night*; **mreghús**¹²⁵ **kantos**¹²⁶ (m.), *brief song (“singing”)*. The gender of the adjective is simply a gender of concordance: it indicates to which noun of a concrete gender the adjective refers to.

3.4.3. The neuter or inanimate gender differs from the other two in inflection, not in the theme vowel. The gender of the animates, on the contrary, is usually marked by the theme vowel, and sometimes by declension, vocalism and accent.

3.4.4. The neuter does not refer to the lack of sex, but to the lack of liveliness or life. Sometimes, however, animates can be designated as inanimates and *vice versa*.

While the distinction between masculine and feminine is usually straightforward, sometimes the attribution of sex is arbitrary; thus, different words for “*ship*”¹²⁷ or “*war*”¹²⁸ are found as feminine (as **nāus** or **wersā**), masculine (as **bhoids**, or Greek loan **pólemos**), and neuter (**wáskolom** or **crīgā**).

The masculine functions as the negative term in the opposition, i.e. when the gender is not defined, the masculine is used. This is a grammatical utility, one that is only relevant for concordance, and which has to do with the evolution of the language and its inflection.

The earliest PIE had probably no distinction of gender; when the inanimate appeared, it was marked by a different inflection, and the animates remained as the negative term in the opposition. After that, probably at the same time as the thematic declension (in **-e/o**) appeared, the feminine was differentiated from the remaining animates, with marks like the different stem vowel (usually **-a**) or vowel length (as **-ī**, **-ū**). Therefore, the feminine is the positive term of the opposition within the animates, because when we use it we reduce the spectrum of the animates to the feminine, while the masculine still serves as the negative (non-differentiated) term for both, the general and the animates, when used in this sense, i.e. when not differentiating the masculine from the other genders.

3.4.5. The animate nouns can have:

a. An oppositive gender, marked:

I. by the lexicon, as in **patér-māter**, *father-mother*, **bhrātēr**¹¹⁹-**swesōr**¹²⁹, *brother-sister*, **sunus**¹³⁰-**dhúg(a)tēr**¹³¹, *son-daughter*, etc.¹³²

II. by the theme vowel, as in **ekwos-ekwā**¹²¹, *horse-mare*, **włqos-włqia**²³, *wolf-she-wolf*.

III. by both at the same time, as in **wīros**⁷⁹-**cenā**¹²⁰, *male-female*.

b. An autonomous gender, that does not oppose itself to others, as in **nāus** (f.), *ship*, **pōds** (m.), *foot*, **egnís** (m.), *fire*, **owis** (f.), *sheep*, **jewōs**¹³³ (n.) or **lēghs** (f.), *law*.¹³⁴

c. A common gender, in nouns that are masculine or feminine depending on the context; as, **dhesós**, *god/goddess* (cf. Gk.Hom. θεός), **cōus**, *cow* or *bull* (cf. Gk. accompanied by **tauros**, as Scient. Eng. *bos taurus*), **nautā**, *sailor*, **djousnalistā**, *journalist*, **students**¹³⁵, *student*, etc.

d. An epicene gender, which, although being masculine or feminine, designates both sexes: as the feminine **sūs**¹³⁶, *pig*, or masculine **kakkā**¹³⁷, *shit* (as an insult).

3.4.6. The gender of a noun can thus be marked by the stem vowel (or sometimes by inflection), or has to be learnt: it is a feature of a word like any other. In its context, concordance is a new gender mark; a masculine noun has a masculine adjective, and a feminine noun a feminine adjective. However, not all adjectives differentiate between masculine and feminine, a lot of them (those in **-i-s**, **-u-s**, **-ēs**, **-ōn**, and many thematic in **-os**) are masculine-feminine: only the context, i.e. the noun with which they agree, helps to disambiguate them. This happens also in nouns with a common gender.

3.4.7. Most endings do not indicate gender, as in **patér** and **māter**. Only by knowing the roots in many cases, or by the context in others, is it possible to determine it. Some of the suffixes determine, though, totally or partially if they are masculine or feminine. These are the following:

1. **-os** marks masculine when it is opposed to a feminine in **-ā** or **-ī/-iǎ**, as in **ekwos-ekwā**, **włqos-włqiǎ**, **djēus-djewī**, etc. This happens also in adjectives in the same situation, as in **newos-newā**. In isolated nouns, **-os** is generally masculine, but some traces of the old indistinctness of gender still remained in Late PIE, as in the names of trees (among others). In adjectives, when the ending **-os** is not opposed to feminine, concordance decides.

2. **-ā** marks the feminine in oppositions of nouns and adjectives. It is usually also feminine in isolated nouns, in the first declension. But there are also traces of masculines in **-ā**, as, **ōsagā**, *charioteer*, *driver* (from **ōs**¹¹⁶, *mouth*, and **ag**¹³, *drive*), Lat. *auriga*; **nautā**, “*sailor*”, as Gk. ναύτης; or **slugā**, *servant*, as O.Sla. *slūga*, Lith. *slauga* “*service*”, O.Ir. *sluag*, “*army unit*”, etc.

3. **-ī/-iǎ**, is systematically feminine. It is used in nouns, and often in adjectives.

4. Finally, the roots ending in long vowels **-ī** and **-ū** are always feminines.

3.5. GENERAL RULES OF GENDER

3.5.1. Names of Male beings, and of Rivers, Winds, Months, and Mountains are masculine:

patér⁵⁷, *father*, **Góralos**¹, *Charles*, **Rein**¹³⁸, *the Rhine*, **Austros**⁶⁹, *south wind*, **Magios**⁶¹, *May*, **Urales**, *the Urals*.

NOTE. The Urals' proper name is **Uraliskás Corás**, Lat. **Urales Montes**, "Urals' Mounts", *Ural Mountains*, cf. Russ. Уральныйские горы (*Uralskiye gory*).

a. A few names of Rivers ending in **-ā** (as **Wolgā**), and many Greek names ending in **-ē(s)**, which usually corresponds to IE **-ā**, are feminine; others are variable or uncertain, generally retaining their oldest attested IE gender in MIE.

NOTE. The Russian hydronym Вólгa is akin to the Slavic words for "wetness, humidity" (cf. Russ. *влага*, *волога*), maybe from the same root as PIE base **wed-**, *wet*, easily borrowed in MIE from Slavic as **Wolgā**.

b. Some names of Mountains are feminines or neuter: as, **Alpes** (f. *pl.*), *the Alps*

NOTE. **Alpes**, from Latin *Alpes*, may have been related originally to the source of adjectives **albhós**¹³⁹ (*white*, cf. Hitt. *alpas*, v.i.) or **altós** (*high, grown up*, from IE **al**⁷⁹), possibly from a Celtic or Italic dialect.

3.5.2. Names of Female beings, of Cities, Countries, Plants, Trees and Gems, of many Animals (especially Birds), and of most abstract Qualities, are feminine:

mātér¹⁴, *mother*, **Djówiliā**⁶³, *Julia*, **Prangiā**¹⁴⁰, *France*, **Rōmā**, *Rome*, **pīnus**¹⁴¹, *pine*, **saniprījos**, *sapphire* (Gk. *sáppheiros*, ult. from Skr. *sani-priyah*, lit. "sacred to Saturn"), **wērós**¹²⁸, *true*.

a. Some names of Towns and Countries are masculine: as, **Montinecros**¹⁴², *Montenegro*; or neuter, as, **Jugtós Rēgiom**, *United Kingdom* (English name from masc. **Oinitós Gningodhōmos**¹⁴³), **Swiorēgiom**¹⁴⁴, *Sweden*, **Finnlendhom**¹⁴⁵, *Finland*.

b. A few names of Plants and Gems follow the gender of their termination; as, **kmtauriom** (n.), *centaury*, **ákantos** (m., Gk. *ἄκανθος*), *bearsfoot*, **úpolos** (m.), *opal*, from PIE **upo**, *up from under*.

NOTE. The gender of most of the above may also be recognized by the terminations, according to the rules given under the different declensions.

3.5.3. Indeclinable nouns, infinitives, terms or phrases used as nouns, and words quoted merely for their form, are neuter: **porētum**¹⁴⁶, *drive*, "**wétānom smeughtum**", "*smoking prohibited*"; **gummi**, *gum*.

NOTE 2. Eng. *gum* comes from O.Fr. *gomme*, from L.Lat. *gumma*, from Lat. *gummi*, from Gk. *kommi*, from Coptic *kemai*, hence MIE loans Lat. **gummis**, or Gk. **kommis**.

3.5.4. Many nouns may be either masculine or feminine, according to the sex of the object. These are said to be of Common Gender: as, **eksaliom**¹⁴⁷, *exile*; **cōus**¹¹⁵, *ox* or *cow*; **parents**¹⁴⁸, *parent*.

NOTE. Several names of animals have a grammatical gender, independent of sex. These are called epicene. Thus, **sūs**¹³⁶, *swine*, and **wļpēs**²³, *fox*, are always feminine.

3.5.5. Nouns, Pronouns, Adjectives and Participles are declined in MIE in two Numbers, singular and plural – Late PIE had also possibly a dialectal dual – and up to eight cases, Nominative, Vocative, Accusative, Genitive and Oblique - which is found subdivided into combinations of Dative, Locative, Instrumental and Ablative.

NOTE 1. European dialects show around six cases, but most of the oldest attested ones (PII, PGk, Ita.) and Balto-Slavic show remains of up to eight original cases, although the situation has evolved differently due to migrations and linguistic contacts. Traditional theories maintain that the original common PIE situation is a complex system of eight noun cases. On the contrary, a five-case system is for other scholars the oldest situation (of Middle PIE, as Anatolian dialects seem to show), later changed by some dialects by way of merging or splitting the five original cases. An eight-case system would have been, then, an innovation of individual dialects, just as the phonetic satemization. It is thus a general opinion that in IE III both dialectal trends (split and convergence of Obliques) coexisted. In this Grammar we follow the general, oldest trend, i.e. an eight-case inflection system.

NOTE 2. In the number we use singular and plural, and not dual, not only because of its doubtful existence in IE II and the objections to its reconstruction for Late PIE, but because it is also more practical in terms of modern Indo-European languages.

I. The Nominative is the case of the Subject of a sentence.

II. The Vocative is the case of Direct Address.

III. The Accusative is the case of the Direct Object of a verb. It is used also with many prepositions.

IV. The Genitive may generally be translated by the English Possessive, or by the Objective with the preposition *of*.

V. The Obliques might be found as:

a. The Dative, the case of the Indirect Object. It may usually be translated into English by the Objective with the preposition *to* or *for*.

b. The Locative, the place *where*.

c. The Instrumental, the thing *with*.

d. The Ablative, usually the Objective with *from*, *by*, *with*, *in* or *at*. It is often found with prepositions.

NOTE. The oblique cases appear in the English pronoun set; these pronouns are often called *objective pronouns*; as in *she loves me* (accusative), *give it to me* (dative) or *that dirt wasn't wiped with me* (instrumental), where *me* is not inflected differently in any of these uses; it is used for all grammatical relationships except the genitive case of possession and a non-disjunctive nominative case as the subject.

3.6. VOWEL GRADE

1. The vowel grade or Ablaut is normally the alternation between full, zero or lengthened grade vocalism. Europe's Indo-European had a regular ablaut sequence that contrasted the five usual vowel sounds called *Thematic*, i.e. **e/ē/o/ō/∅**. This means that in different forms of the same word, or in different but related words, the basic vowel, a short **e**, could be replaced by a long **ē**, a short **o** or a long **ō**, or it could be omitted (transcribed as ∅).

NOTE. The term *Ablaut* comes from Ger. *Abstufung der Laute*, “vowel alternation”. In Romance languages, the term *Apophony* is preferred.

2. When a syllable had a short **e**, it is said to be in the “*e-grade*”; when it had no vowel, it is said to be in the “*zero-grade*”, when in **o**, in “*o-grade*”, and they can also be “*lengthened*”. The *e-grade* is sometimes called “*full grade*”.

A classic example of the five grades of *ablaut* in a single root is provided by the following different case forms of EIE **patér**, *father*, and **ḡpatōr**, *fatherless*.

Ablaut grade	EIE	Greek		Case
<i>e-grade or full grade</i>	pa-ter-ḡ	πα-τέρ-α	pa-tér-a	Accusative
<i>lengthened e-grade</i>	pa-tér	πα-τήρ	pa-tér	Nominative
<i>zero-grade</i>	pa-tr-ós	πα-τρ-ός	pa-tr-ós	Genitive
<i>o-grade</i>	ḡ-pá-tōr-ḡ	ἄ-πά-τορ-α	a-pá-tor-a	Accusative
<i>lengthened o-grade</i>	ḡ-pa-tōr	ἄ-πά-τωρ	a-pá-tōr	Nominative

3. Late PIE had ablaut differences within the paradigms of verbs and nouns that were probably significant secondary markers. Compare for example for PIE **pertus**, *passing*, *passage*, (from verb **periō**, *go through*):

	PIE	root (per-)	suffix (-tu)
Nominative	per-tu-s	e-grade	zero-grade
Accusative	per-tu-m	e-grade	zero-grade
Genitive	pr-téu-s	zero-grade	e-grade
Dative	pr-t(eu)-ei	zero-grade	e-grade

4. Some common examples of different vowel grades (including their lengthened form) as found in Proto-Indo-European are the following:

Vowel Grade	Full (F)	Zero (∅)	Lengthened (L)
e/o - ∅ - ē/ō	ped, dom	pd, dm	pēd, dōm
ie/io - i - iē/iō	djeus	diwos/djus	djē-
ue/uō - u - uē/uō	kwon	kun-	kwōn
ei/oi - u/i - ēi/ōi	bheid	bhid	bhēid
eu/ou - u/i - ēu/ōu	bheud, ous	bhud, us	bhēud, ōus
ā/ē/ō - a - ā/ē/ō	bhle, bha, oku	bhla, bha, aku	bhlē, bhā, ōku
au/ai - u/i - āu/āi	bhau, aik	bhu	bhāu, āik
ēi/ōi - ū/ī - ēi/ōi	po(i)	pi	pōi

3. There are also some other possible vowel grade changes, as *a-grade*, *i-grade* and *u-grade*, which usually come from old root endings, rather than from systematized phonetic changes.

NOTE. It seems that the alternation **e/∅** in PIE was dependent on the accent. Compare **klewos/klutós**, **éimi/imés**, **patern/patrós**, etc., where the unaccented morpheme loses its vowel. This happened only in the oldest formations, though, as Late PIE had probably already lost this morphological pattern, freezing the older alternations into a more or less stable vocabulary without changes in vowel grade.

3.7. WORD FORMATION

3.7.1. Word Formation refers to the creation of new words from older ones. Indo-European scholars show an especial interest in Derivational Affixes (most commonly Suffixes), i.e. morphemes that are attached to a base morpheme, such as a Root or a Stem, to form a new word. The main affixes are:

A. Athematic suffixes:

a. The most simple is the zero-ending, i.e. root nouns like **dem-s** (Gk. *des-*), *house*, in consonant, as **neq-t-s** (Hitt. *nekuz*), *night*, or **men-s** (Av. *maz-*), *mind*, in **-r**, as **ghes-ōr** (Hitt. *kiššar*), *hand*, with apophony, Ac. **ghes-er-ṃ** (Hitt. *kiššeran*), Loc. **ghes-r-i** (Hitt. *kišri*, Gk. *kheiri*), with ending **-n**, as **or-ōn** (Hitt. *ḫara[š]*, stem *ḫaran-*, from PIH *h₃or-o-*, cf. O.H.G. *aro*, Eng. *erne*, Gk. *or-n-[is]*), *eagle*. Common examples include **rēgs**, as Lat. *rex*, Cel. *ri*, Gmc. *rīh*, Skr. *rāt*, **cōus**, as Lat. *bou*, Cel. *bó*, Gmc. *ko*, Skr. *gáu/go*, **mūs**, Lat. *mūs*, Gk. *μῦς*, Gmc. *mūs*, Sla. *mys*, Skr. *mū*, etc.

b. Also, the stem **r/n**, with **-r-** in ‘strong’ cases (Nom-Acc.) and **-n-** in the Obliques, is well represented in Anatolian; see Variable Nouns in the next chapter for more on these *heteroclites*.

c. An old stem in **-u-** appears e.g. in the words **gon-u**, *knee*, **dor-u**, *wood*, and **oj-u**, “lifetime”, cf. Av. *zānū*, *dārū*, *āiīū*, Skr. *jānu*, *dāru*, *āyu*, Gk. *góny*, *dóry*, *ou(kí)*, “no”, etc. Apophonic variants are found as full-grade **genw-**, **derw-**, **ejw-**, cf. Hitt. *genu-*, Lat. *genu-*, Sla. *dérw-o*, Gk. *ai(w)-eí*, etc.,

and as zero-grade **gn-ew**, **dr-ew**, (**aj-ew-**), as in Goth. *kniu*, Av. *yaoš*, Hitt. *ganu-t*, etc. Such zero-grades are found within Declension, in Composition (cf. Skr. *jñu-bādh-*, “kneeled”, Gk. *dru-tómos*, “timber-cutter”), and in Derivation, as e.g. **ju-wen-**, *vigorous*, *young* (cf. Skr. *yuván-*, Lat. *iuuen-is*).

d. A suffix **-it-**, which refers to edible substances, as **mel-it**, *honey* (cf. Gk. *mélit-*, Hitt. *milit*, Luw. *mallit*, Gmc. *mil-*), **sep-it**, *wheat* (cf. Hitt. *šepit*, Gk. *álphit*), etc.

B. Feminine and Abstract (Collectives):

a. A general PIH suffix **-(e)h₂** is found in Feminine, as in **senā**, *old* (<*seneh₂*, cf. Gk. *hénē*, Skr. *śanā-*, Lith. *senà*), **swekrū-**, *husband's mother* (<*swekrúh₂*-, cf. O.Sla. *svekrŭ*, Lat. *socrus*, O.H.G. *swigar*), in Abstract Collectives, as in Gk. **tomá**, *cut*, or **neurá**, *rope made from sinew* (cf. **neurom**, Eng. *neuron*), etc., and in the Nom.-Acc. Neuter singular of the collective that functions as Nom.-Acc. Plural (cf. Skr. *yugá*, Gk. *zygá*, Lat. *iuga*, Goth. *juka*, “jokes”, Hitt. *-a*, Pal. *-a/-ā*, etc.).

b. It is also very well attested a Feminine and Abstract Collective **-ī**, PIH **-ih₂**, with variant **-iā**, PIH **-ih₂/-jeh₂**, cf. Skr. *devī* (Gen. *dévyās*), “goddess”, *vṛkīs* (Gen. *vṛkías*), “she-wolf”, etc.

C. Thematic Suffixes, the most abundant affixes found in PIE Nominal and Adjectival derivation:

a. A simple **-o-**, which appears in some primary and secondary old formations, as **wlq-o-s**, *wolf*, **ṛtk-o-s**, *bear*, neuters **jug-óm**, *joke*, **werg-o-m**, *work*, adjectives **sen-o-**, *old*, **new-o-**, *new*, etc.

NOTE. The Distinction into primary and secondary is not straightforward, unless there is an older root attested; compare e.g. PIE **ekwo-s**, *horse*, which is usually deemed a derivation from PIH *h₁ek-*, “quick”, as in PIE **ōkús**.

Accented **-ó-** is deemed a secondary suffix which marks the possession of the base, as well as adjectives in **-ó-** with lengthened grade root, cf. PIE **cjā**, *bow's string*, as Skr. *jyá*, but **cjos**, *bow* (< “that has a bow's string”), as Gk. *biós*, or **swekurós** (> **swékuros**), *husband's father*, from **swekrús**, *husband's mother*, **deiwós**, from **djēus**, etc.

b. About the Root Grade, o-grade roots are found in two thematic types, barytone Action Nouns (cf. Gk. **tomos**, “slice”), and oxytones Agent Nouns and Adjectives (cf. Gk. **tomós**, “who cuts, acute”), both from PIE **tem-**, *cut*; zero-grade in neuters **jug-óm**, *joke*, from **jeug-**, *join*, and in second elements of compounds like **ni-sd-ós**, *nest*, from **sed**, *sit*, or **newo-gn-ós**, “newborn”, as Gk. *neognós*.

c. Adjectival suffixes **-jo-** and **-ijo-** have a relational sense, as in **cow-jós**, “of a cow/ox”, from **cow-**, *cow*, *ox*, as in Av. *gaoya-*, Skr. *gavyá* or *gávya*, Gk. *hekatóm-boios*, “that costs a hundred cows”, Arm. *kogi* (<**cow-ijo-**), “derived from the cow”, O.Ir. *ambuæ* (<**ñ-cow-ijo-**, as in Skr. *ágos*, Gk. *abouíteō*), “man without cows”, or e.g. **patriós**, *paternal*, **pediós**, “of the foot”, etc. As a nominal suffix, cf. Lat. *ingenium*, *officium*, O.Ir. *críde*, *setig*, Skr. *vairya*, *saujanya*, Sla. *stoletie*, *dolia*, etc.

d. Verbal adjectives in **-tó-** (Ind.-Ira. **-nó-**), with zero-grade verbal root, are common in secondary derivation, as in **klu-tós**, *heard, famous*, from **kleu-**, *hear*, cf. Skr. *śrutá-*, Av. *sruta-*, Gk. *klytós*, Lat. *in-clitus*, M.Ir. *rocloth*, O.H.G. *Hlot-*, Arm. *lu*, etc. They were incorporated to the Verbal inflection as participles and gerunds. For nouns in **-to-**, **-no-**, **-ti(j)-o-**, **-ni(j)-o-**, **-tu(w)-o-**, **-nu(w)-o-**, etc. cf. Skr. *svápn(i)ya*, *prāvīnya*, Lat. *somnium*, *dominium*, O.Ir. *blíad(a)in*, Sla. *sunie*, *cozarenie*, etc.

e. Other common thematic suffixes include **-nó-**, **-ro-**, **-mo-**, and diminutives in **-ko-**, **-lo-**, **-isko-**, etc. which may also be participial, ordinal or adjectival (from nouns) lengthenings. They are usually preceded by a vowel, as in **-e/onó-**, **-e/oro-**, and so on. Compare for example from **cher-**, *warm*, adjective **cher-mós**, *warm*, cf. Skr. *gharmá*, Av. *garəma-*, Gk. *thermós*, Toc. A. *särme*, Phryg. *Germiai*, Arm. *jerm*, Alb. *zjarm*, or o-grade **chor-mós** (cf. Gmc. *warmaz*, Lat. *formus*). **-bhó-** gives names of animals, as e.g. Gk. *éribhos*, “*kid*”.

f. A secondary suffix **-tero-/-toro-** marks the opposition of two notions, and is found in Anatolian (cf. Hitt. *nun-taras*, Adv. gen. “*from now*”), **en-terós/al-terós** (or **anterós**), “*the other (of two)*” (cf. Goth. *anþar*, Skr. *ántaras*, Lat. *alter*, etc.) opposed to a simple “*other*”, **aliós** (cf. Skr. *anyás*, Lat. *alius*, Gk. *állos*, Goth. *aljis*). This suffix is also found in some syntactic formations, as Gk. *deksiós – aris-terós, skaiós – deksi-terós*, both meaning “*right-left*” (Benveniste 1948).

g. The suffix **-wó-** is particularly found in words for “*alive*”, as **čī-wó-** (cf. Skr. *jīvás*, Lat. *uīuos*, O.Ir. *béo*, Welsh *buw*, Goth. *qius*) and “*death*”, as **mr-wó-** (cf. O.Ir. *marb*, Welsh *marw*, and also Lat. *mortuos*, Sla. *mǐrtvŭ*, where the **-t-** was possibly inserted influenced by **mr-tós**, “*mortal*”).

h. There are some instrumental suffixes, as **-tro-**, **-tlo-**, **-klo-**, **-dhro-**, **-dhlo-**, as Lat. *-trum*, *-c(u)lum*, *-brum*, *-bulum*, etc.; e.g. **ára-trom**, *plough*, cf. Gk. *árotron*, Lat. *aratrum*, O.Ir. *arathar*, Welsh *aradr*, Arm. *arawr*, Lith. *árklas*, etc.; also, Gk. *báthron*, O.Ind. *bharítram*, Goth. *fōdr*, etc.

i. Other common suffixes (also participial) are **-mēn-**, **-mon-**, **-mn-**, with secondary **-mn-to-**, **-men-o-**, **-men-t-** (and **-wen-t-**), etc., cf. Lat. *augmentum*, or Goth. *hlumant*, equivalent to O.Ind. *śrómatam*, both meaning “*reputation*”, from **kleu-**, *hear*, and so on.

NOTE. Detailed information on Proto-Indo-European word morphology with dialectal examples might be found at <http://dnghu.org/indoeuropean_noun_morphology.pdf>.

4. NOUNS

4.1. DECLENSION OF NOUNS

4.1.1. Declension is made by adding terminations to different stem endings, vowel or consonant. The various phonetic changes in the language have given rise to the different declensions. Most of the case-endings, as shown in this Modern Indo-European grammar, contain also the final letter of the stem.

Adjectives are generally declined like nouns, and are etymologically to be classed with them, but they have some peculiarities of inflection which will be later explained.

4.1.2. Nouns and adjectives are inflected in four regular Declensions, distinguished by their final phonemes – characteristic of the Stem –, and by the opposition of different forms in irregular nouns. They are numbered following Graeco-Latin tradition: First or **a-Declension**, Second or **o-Declension**, Third or **i/u-Declension**, Fourth or **Consonant Declension**, and the variable nouns.

NOTE. The *Second* or *o-Declension* is also the **Thematic Declension**, opposed to the rest – and probably older in the evolution of PIE nominal inflection –, which form together the **Athematic Declension**.

Decl.	Stem ending	Nom.	Genitive
1.	ā, ia/ī/iā (ē, ō)	-∅	-s
2.	e/o (Thematic)	-s	-os, -os(i)o, (-ī)
3.	i, u and Diphthong	<i>m., f.</i> -s, <i>n.</i> -∅	-e/ois, -e/ous, -(t)ios, -(t)uos
4.	Sonants & Consonants	-s, -∅	-(e/o)s
(5)	<i>Heteroclites</i>	-∅, -r	-(e)n

The Stem of a noun may be found, if a consonant stem, by omitting the case-ending; if a vowel stem, by substituting for the case-ending the characteristic vowel.

NOTE. Most Indo-Europeanists tend to distinguish at least two major types of declension, Thematic and Athematic. Thematic nominal stems are formed with a suffix **-o-** (in vocative **-e**), and the stem does not undergo *ablaut*. The Athematic stems are more archaic, and they are classified further by their *ablaut* behaviour: *acro-dynamic*, *protero-dynamic*, *hystero-dynamic* and *holo-dynamic*, after the positioning of the early PIE accent (*dynamis*) in the paradigm.

4.1.3. The following are General Rules of Declension:

a. The Nominative singular for animates ends in **-s** when the stem endings are **i, u, ī, ū**, Diphthong, Occlusive and Thematic (**-os**), or **-∅** in **ā, a**, Sonant and **s**; while in the plural **-es** is general, **-s** for those in **ā**, and **-os** for the Thematic ones.

- b. The Accusative singular of all masculines and feminines ends in **-m**; the Accusative plural in **-ms**.
- c. The Vocative singular for animates is always $-\emptyset$, and in the plural it is identical to the Nominative.
- d. The Genitive singular is common to animates and inanimates, it is formed with **-s**: **-s**, **-es**, **-os**. A very old alternative possibility is extended **-os-(i)o**. The Genitive plural is formed in **-ōm** (also **-ēm**), and in **-ām** in a-stems.
- e. The Obliques singular end usually in **-i**: it can be **-i**, **-ei**, **-ēi**, **-oi**, **-ōi** or **-āi**. In the plural, there are two series of declensions, with **-bh-** (general) and **-m-** (only Gmc. and Sla.), generally **-bhi**, **-bhis**, **-bhios**, **-bhos**, and (Gmc., BSl.) **-mis**, **-mos**, and also some forms in **-si** (plural mark **-s-** plus oblique mark **-i**), found mainly in Graeco-Aryan dialects.
- f. Inanimates have a syncretic form for Nom.-Ac.-Voc. in $-\emptyset$ in Athematic, or **-m** in Thematic. The plural forms end in **-a** or **-ā**.
- g. All Animates have the same form in the plural for Nom.-Voc., in **-es**.

4.1.4. The so-called Oblique cases – opposed to the Straight ones, Nom.-Acc.-Voc –, are Genitive and the Obliques, i.e. Dative, Locative, Instrumental and Ablative. However, the Ablative seems to have never been independent, but for thematic stems in some dialectal areas. The other three cases were usually just one local case in different contexts (what we call the Oblique), although Late PIE clearly shows an irregular Oblique declension system.

NOTE 1. There are some traces – in the Indo-European proto-languages which show divided Oblique cases – that could indicate a possible first division – from a hypothetical five-case-IE II– between a Dat. and a Loc.-Ins., and then another, more recent between Loc. and Ins (see Adrados). Languages like Sanskrit or Avestan show 8 cases, while some Italic dialects show up to 8 (cf. Osc. Loc. *aasai* for Lat. ‘*in ārā*’, or Ins. *cadeis ammud* for Lat. ‘*inimicitiae causae*’, *preiuatud* for Lat. ‘*prīuātō*’, etc.), while Latin shows six and a semisystematic Locative notion; Slavic and Baltic dialects show seven, Mycenaean Greek shows at least six cases, while Koiné Greek and Germanic show five.

NOTE 2. We know that the splitting and merging processes that affected the Obliques didn’t happen uniformly among the different stems, and it didn’t happen at the same time in plural and singular. Therefore, there was neither a homogeneous and definite declension system in IE III, nor in the dialects and languages that followed. From language to language, from stem to stem, differences over the number of cases and its formation developed. Firstly syncretism obscured the cases, and thereafter the entire system collapsed: after the time when cases broke up in others, as in most modern Slavic languages, another time came when all cases merged or were completely lost: so today in most Romance and Germanic languages, or in Slavic like Bulgarian. However, a Modern Indo-European needs a systematic declension, based on the obvious underlying old system, which usually results in 7-case paradigms (with Dat.-Abl. or Gen.-Abl.) in most inflected forms.

Nominal Desinences (Summary)

	Singular	Plural
NOM.	-s, -∅, (n. Them -m)	<i>m., f. -es, n. -ǎ</i>
ACC.	-m/-m̄	<i>m., f. -ms/-m̄s; n. -ǎ</i>
VOC.	-∅	<i>m., f. -es, n. -ǎ</i>
GEN.	-(e/o)s; -(e/o)s(i)o	-ǎm (dial -ēm)
OBL.	-i- (general Obl. mark)	-bh-i- , (dialectal -m-i-); -s-i/u
DAT.	-ei	-bh(i)os , (dial. -mos)
LOC.	-i	-su/i
INS.	-e, -bhi	-bhis , (dial. -mis); -ōis (Them.)
ABL.	-(e/o)s; -ēd/-ōd/-ād	-bh(i)os , (dial. -mos)

4.2. FIRST DECLENSION**4.2.1. FIRST DECLENSION**

1. They are usually Animate nouns and end in **ā**, and **ia/ī/iā**, and also rarely in **ē**, **ō**. Those in **ā** are very common, generally feminine in nouns and always in adjectives. Those in **ia/ī/iā** are always feminine and are also used to make feminines in the adjectival Motion. Those in **ō** and **ē** are feminine only in lesser used words. Those in **a** are etymologically identical to the Neuter plural in Nom.-Acc.-Voc.

2. MIE First Declension corresponds loosely to the Latin First Declension (cf. Lat. *rosa, rosae*, or *puella, puellae*), and to the Ancient Greek Alpha Declension (cf. Gk. *χώρα, χώρας*, or *τιμή, τιμής*).

a-Declension Paradigm

	Animate	Inanimate
NOM.	-∅	-∅
ACC.	-m	
VOC.	-∅	
GEN.	-s	
DAT.	-i	
LOC.	-i	
INS.	-∅, -bhi, (-mi)	
ABL.	-ād, (-s)	

NOTE 1. The entire stem could have been reduced to MIE **a** (hence *a-Declension*), because this is the origin of the whole PIE stem system in PIH, the ending *-(e)h₂*, see §1.7.1.

NOTE 2. Dat. **-i** is sometimes reconstructed as from a regular PIH Dat. **-ei**; as, **h₁ekweh₂-ei* → **ekwāi**.

3. It is therefore identical to those nouns in **r**, **n**, **s** of the Fourth Declension, but for some details in vocalism: the Gen. has an **-s** and not **-es/-os**; the difference between Nom. and Voc. is that of **-ā** and **-a**. The zero-grade of the Nom.-Acc.-Voc. in **ia/ī** stems is different from the Gen. in **-iā**.

4.2.2. FIRST DECLENSION IN EXAMPLES

1. Nominative Singular in **-∅**; as, **ekwā**⁷³, *mare*, **senā**⁷⁹, *old*.

Example of **ia/ī** stems are **potniā/potnī**⁴⁴, *lady*, **włqiā/włqi**, *she-wolf*, **djewiā/djewī**, *goddess* (maybe also Lat. *gallī* in the later extended *gallīna*, *rēgī* in *regīna*, etc.), as well as Pres.Part. feminines, as **prįjontiā/prįjontī**, “*who loves*”, *friend*, **wésntiā/wésntī**, “*who drives*”, *driver*, etc.

Those in **ē**, **ō**, which aren't found very often, can present an **-s** as well; as in Latin **bhidhēs** (Lat. *fides*, but also O.Lat. *fidis*), *trust*, **spekiēs**, *species*, etc.

Nouns in **ā** can also rarely present forms in **a**; as in Gk. Lesb. **Dika**.

2. Accusative Singular in **-m**; as, **ekwām**, **potniām/potnīm**, **bhidhēm**.

3. Vocative Singular in **-∅**. It is normally identical to the Nominative, but disambiguation could happen with distinct vowel grades, i.e. Nom. in **-ā**, Voc. in **-a**.

4. Genitive Singular in **-s**; as, **ekwās**, **senās**.

The theme in **ia/ī/iā** produces a Genitive Singular in **-ās**; as, **potniās**.

5. Dative-Ablative Singular in **-āi**, probably from an original Dat. **-ei** ending.

There is also a form **-ei** for themes in **ē** and in **iā**.

6. Locative in **-āi**, Instrumental in **-ā**, **-ā-bhi**, **-ā-mi**.

	<i>f. ekwā</i>	<i>f. potnia/potnī</i>	<i>f. spekiē-</i>	<i>adj. f. cowijā</i>
NOM.	ekwā	potniā/potnī	spekiēs	cowijā
ACC.	ekwām	potniām/potnīm	spekiēm	cowijām
VOC.	ekwā	potniā/potnī	spekiē	cowijā
GEN.	ekwās	potniās	spekiēs	cowijās
DAT.	ekwāi	potniāi	spekiei	cowijāi
LOC.	ekwāi	potniāi	spekiei	cowijāi
INS.	ekwā	potniā	spekiē	cowijā
ABL.	ekwād	potniās	spekiēd	cowijād

4.2.3. THE PLURAL IN THE FIRST DECLENSION

1. The following table presents the plural paradigm of the *a*-Declension.

NOM.	-s
ACC.	-ms
VOC.	-s
GEN.	-m
DAT.-ABL.	-bh(i)os (-mos)
LOC.	-su/i
INS.	-bhis (-mis)

NOTE. Nom. Pl. **-s** is often reconstructed as derived from older (regular) PIH pl. **-es**; as, **h₁ekweh₂-es* → **ekwās**.

2. The Nominative-Vocative Plural in **-s**: **ekwās, newās, cowijās**.

This form could obviously be confused with the Genitive Singular. In equivocal contexts we change preferably the accent (**ekwās, ekwāms, ekwām**).

3. The Accusative Plural in **-ms**: **ekwāms, newāms**.

4. The Genitive Plural in **-m**: **ekwām, newām**.

5. The Dative and Ablative Plural in **-bhos, -bhios** (dial. **-mos**); as, **ékwābh(i)os, ékwāmos**.

6. The Locative Plural in **-su** (also **-si, -se**); as, **ékwāsi, ékwāsu**.

6. The Instrumental Plural in **-bhis** (dial. **-mis**); as, **ékwābhis, ékwāmis**.

The Obliques have also special forms Gk. **-āisi, -ais**, Lat. **-ais**; as, Lat. *rosīs* < **rosais*.

	<i>f. ekwā</i>	<i>f. potnia/potnī</i>
NOM.	ekwās	potnias/potnīs
ACC.	ekwāms	potniam/potnīms
VOC.	ekwās	potnias/potnīs
GEN.	ekwām	potniām
DAT.	ékwābhios	pótniabhis
LOC.	ékwāsi	pótniasu
INS.	ékwābhis	pótniabhis
ABL.	ékwābhios	pótniabhis

4.3. SECOND DECLENSION

4.3.1. SECOND DECLENSION

1. The Stem of nouns of the Second Declension ends in **e/o**, and they are usually called *Thematic*. They can be animates and inanimates, as well as adjectives. The inanimates have an ending **-m** only in Nom.-Acc.-Voc. The animates, with a Nominative in **-s**, are generally masculine in nouns and adjectives, but there are also feminine nouns and animate adjectives in **-os**, probably remains of the old indistinctness of declension.

2. MIE Second Declension is equivalent to the Second Declension in Latin (cf. Lat. *dominus, dominī*, or *uinum, uinī*), and to the Omicron Declension in Greek (cf. Gk. *λόγος, λόγου*, or *δῶρον, δῶρου*).

o-Declension Paradigm

	<i>Animate</i>	<i>Inanimate</i>
NOM.	-os	-om
ACC.	-om	
VOC.	-e	
GEN.	-os, -os(i)o, (-ī)	
DAT.	-ōi	
LOC.	-ei/-oi	
INS.	-ē/-ō	
ABL.	-ēd/-ōd	

NOTE 1. This model could indeed have been written without the initial vowel **-o-**, given that the probable origin of this vowel is the ending vowel of some thematic stems, while other, primitive athematic stems were reinterpreted thereafter and this vowel was added to stem by way of analogy. So, for thematic stems, as **włqo-**, this paradigm could be read Nom. **-s**, Acc. **-m**, Voc. **-e**, Gen. **-s, -sio, -so, -ī**, and so on.

NOTE 2. Dat. **-ōi** is often interpreted as from an older PIE (regular) **-ei**; as, **włk^w-o-ei* → **włqōi**.

3. The Nominative and the Genitive in **-os** can be confused. This can only be solved with lengthenings, as in Gen. **-os-io** or **os-o**.

4.3.2. SECOND DECLENSION IN EXAMPLES

1. Nominative Singular Animate in **-os**; as in **włqos**, *wolf*, **dómūnos**, *lord*, adj. **čiwós**, *alive*.

2. Accusative Singular Animate in **-om**; as in **włqom**, **dómūnom**, **čiwóm**.

3. Vocative Singular Animate in **-e**; as in **włqe**, **dómūne**, **čiwé**.

5. The Nom.-Acc.-Voc. Sg. Inanimate in **-om**; as in **jugóm**⁵, *joke*, adj. **newom**, *new*, **mrwóm**, *dead*.

4. Genitive Singular in **-os, -osio, -e/oso** (also \bar{i}); as in **włqosio, mrwós, dómūnī**.

NOTE. The original form **-os** is rare, as the Genitive had to be distinguished from the Nominative. This disambiguation happens, as already said, by alternatively lengthening the ending or changing it altogether. The *o-Declension* is probably recent in PIE – even though it happened already in PIH, before the Proto-Anatolian split – and that’s why it is homogeneous in most IE dialects, without variations in vocalism or accent.

6. Dative Singular in **-ōi, -ō: włqōi, dómūnōi, newōi, mrwō**.

7. Locative Singular in **-oi, -ei: włqoi, dómūnoi, newoi, mrwói**.

8. Instrumental Singular in **-ō: włqō, cīwō, newō, mrwō**.

9. The Ablative Singular is formed in **-ōd**, and sometimes in **-ēd: włqōd, cīwōd, newōd**.

	<i>m. włqo</i>	<i>n. jugo</i>
NOM.	włqos	jugóm
ACC.	włqom	jugóm
VOC.	włqe	jugóm
GEN.	włqosio	jugós
DAT.	włqōi	jugói
LOC.	włqoi	jugói
INS.	włqō	jugó
ABL.	włqōd	jugód

4.5.3. THE PLURAL IN THE SECOND DECLENSION

1. The Thematic Plural system is usually depicted as follows:

	<i>Animate</i>	<i>Inanimate</i>
NOM.	-ōs, (-oi)	-ǎ
ACC.	-oms	
VOC.	-ōs, (-oi)	
GEN.	-ōm, (-ēm)	
DAT.-ABL.	-obh(i)os, (-omos)	
LOC.	-oisu/i	
INS.	-ōis	

NOTE. The ending **-ōs** is usually reconstructed as from an older (regular) pl. **-es**; as, $*włk^{wo}-(s)-es \rightarrow$ **włqōs**.

2. The Nominative-Vocative Animate Plural in **-ōs**; as, **włqōs, dómūnōs, wīrōs**.

3. The Accusative Animate Plural in **-oms**; as, **włqoms, dómūnoms, mrtóms**.

4. The Nom.-Voc.-Acc. Inanimate Plural in **-ā, -a**; as, **jugá/jugá, newa, mrwá**.
5. The Genitive Plural in **-ōm/-om** (and **-ēm**); as, **włqōm, dómūnōm, ceiwōm, jugóm**.
6. The Instrumental-Locative Plural in **-ois/-oisi**; **-ōis/-ōisi**, and also, as in the other declensions, Obliques in **-bhis, -bhos, -bhios** (**-mis, -mos**); as, **włqōisi, wīrōis, néwoisu, mrwōis**.

	<i>m. wlqo-</i>	<i>n. jugo-</i>
NOM.	włqōs	jugá
ACC.	włqōms	jugá
VOC.	włqōs	jugá
GEN.	włqōm	jugóm
DAT.	włqōbhios	jugóbhios
LOC.	włqōisi	jugóisu
INS.	włqōis	jugóis
ABL.	włqōbhios	jugóbhios

4.4. THIRD DECLENSION

4.4.1. THIRD DECLENSION PARADIGM

1. Third Declension nouns end in **i, u** (also **ī, ū**) and Diphthong. The Nominative ending is **-s**.
2. This declension usually corresponds to Latin nouns of the Third Declension in **-i** (cf. Lat. *ciuis, ciuis*, or *pars, partis*), and of the Fourth Declension in **-u** (cf. Lat. *cornū, cornūs*, or *portus, portūs*).

i/u-Declension Paradigm

	<i>Animate</i>	<i>Inanimate</i>
NOM.	-s	-∅
ACC.	-m	
VOC.	-∅	
GEN.	-s	
DAT.	-ei	
LOC.	-∅, -i	
INS.	-ī/-ū, (-bhi)	
ABL.	-s	

NOTE. Reduplication or combination with the alternating endings **-i, -ei/-oi** and **-u, -eu/-ou**, was a common resort in the attested dialects that distinguished Dat. and Loc. in this declension, as in **-i-ei, -ei-ei, -eu-ei**, and so on, to distinguish similar forms. A common distinction of Loc. **-i**, Dat. **-ei**, was known to most dialects of Late PIE,

while a general Instrumental in lengthened **-ī**, **-ū** (from a regular PIH Ins. ending *-e-h_i*) was commonly used; the Ablative, when it appears, shows the same declension as the Genitive.

3. The animates in **i** and **u** are masculine or feminine (indifferent to the distinction in adjectives); those in **ī** and **ū**, always feminine.

4. The **-s** can indicate Nominative and Genitive: the distinction is made through the full-grade of the vowel before the declension, i.e. Gen. **-ei-s** for **i**, **-ou-s** for **u** – but for those in **-ti**, **-tu** (type II), v.i.

NOTE. The Vocative of the animates is the same as the Nom.-Acc.-Voc. of the inanimates. In nouns differentiation isn't necessary, because they have different stem vowels; in adjectives, however, a Vocative singular animate **-i** can be an homophone with Nom.-Acc.-Voc. singular neuter **-i**; as e.g. m.Voc. **albhí**, n.Acc. **albhí**. This is a rare case, though, in which the context is generally enough for disambiguation.

4.4.2. IN I, U

1. Nominative Singular Animate in **-s**; as in **owis**¹⁴⁹, *ewe*, **noqtis**¹²⁴, *night*, **ghostis**²⁶, *guest*, **sūnus**¹³⁰, *son* (Gk. *suiús*), **medhus**, *mead*, **egnís**, *fire*, **manus**, *hand*, adj. **swādús**, *sweet*, etc.

2. Accusative Singular Animate in **-m**; as in **owim**, **noqtim**, **ghostim**, **sūnum**, **manum**, etc.

3. Vocative Singular Animate in **-ei** or **-i**, **-eu** or **-u**; as in **owei-owi**, **sūneu/sūnou-sūnu**, sometimes the same Nominative form, as systematically in Latin (cf. Lat. *hostis*).

4. The Nom.-Acc.-Voc. Singular Inanimate in **-i**, **-u**; as in **mori**, **pekū**¹⁵⁰, **medhu**, **swādú**¹²³.

5. Genitive Singular in **-eis** (**-ois**) or **-(t)ios**, **-eus** (**-ous**), **-(t)uos**; as in **egnéis**¹⁵¹, **sūnous**, **owéis** (also dial. **owios**), **manous**, **pekuos**, adj. **swādéus**.

6. Dative Singular in **-(ej)ei**, **-(ew)ei**, **-owei**, and long vowel, **-ēi**, **-ōwi**, **egnéi**, **noqtéi**, **owéi**, etc.

7. Locative Singular **-(ē)i**, **-(ē)wi**, **-owi**, Instrumental **-ī**, **-ū** or dial. **-bhi**; as **sūn(ē)ui**, **owí**, **owí**, etc.

	Type I		Type II		Neuter	
	<i>f. owi-</i>	<i>m. sūnu-</i>	<i>f. noq-ti-</i>	<i>m. senā-tu-</i>	<i>n. mori-</i>	<i>n. peku-</i>
NOM.	owis	sūnus	noqtis	senātus	mori	peku
ACC.	owim	sūnum	noqtim	senātum	mori	peku
VOC.	owi	sūnu	noqti	senātu	mori	peku
GEN.	owéis	sūnous	noqtios	senātuos	morois	pekeus
DAT.	owéi	sūnouei	noqtei	senátouei	moréi	pékouei
LOC.	owí	sūnoui	noqtí	senātui	morí	pekui
INS.	owí	sūnū	noqtī	senātū	morī	pekū
ABL.	owéis	sūnous	noqtios	senātuos	morois	pekeus

THE STRONG TYPE

1. Its inflection is similar to that of **i**, **u**, but they have no alternating vowels before the declension, and the **ī** and **ū** are substituted before vowel by **-ij**, **-uw**. They are always feminine, and they cannot be inanimates nor adjectives. They are mostly PIE roots, and found mainly in Indo-Iranian.

	<i>f. bhrū</i> ⁻¹⁵²	<i>f. dṅghū</i> ⁻³	<i>f. swekrū</i> ⁻¹³²	<i>f. dhī</i>
NOM.	bhrūs	dṅghūs	swekrūs	dhīs
ACC.	bhrūm	dṅghūm	swekrūm	dhijṃ
VOC.	bhrū	dṅghū	swekrū	dhī
GEN.	bhruwés	dṅghuwós	swekruwés	dhijós
DAT.	bhruwéi	dṅghuwéi	swekruwéi	dhijéi
LOC.	bhruwí	dṅghuwí	swekruwí	dhijí
INS.	bhrū(bhi)	dṅghú(bhi)	swekrú(bhi)	dhijí(bhi)
ABL.	bhruwés	dṅghuwós	swekruwés	dhijós

4.4.3. IN DIPHTHONG

1. There are long diphthongs **āu**, **ēu**, **ōu**, **ēi**, which sometimes present short vowels, as well as other endings without diphthong, i.e., **ā**, **ē**, **ō**.

NOTE. The last are probably remains of older diphthongs, from Middle PIE. Therefore, even though from the point of view of Late Proto-Indo-European there are only stems with variants **āu**, **ēu**, **ē**, etc, these can all be classified as Diphthong endings, because the original stems were formed as diphthongs in the language history. This kind of irregularities is usual in today's languages, as it was already four millennia ago.

In zero grade Genitives there are forms with **-i-** or **-ij-** or **-u-** or **-uw-**, depending on the diphthongs.

	<i>m. cōu</i> ⁻¹¹⁵	<i>m. djēu</i> ⁻⁶³
NOM.	cōus	djēus
ACC.	cōm	djēm/dijém
VOC.	cou	djeu
GEN.	cous	diwós
DAT.	cowéi	diwéi
LOC.	cowí	djewi/diwí
INS.	coū	djeū
ABL.	cous	diwós

NOTE 1. Some secondary formations – especially found in Greek – are so declined, in **-eus**, **-euos** as in Av. *bāzāus*, Arm., Gk. *Basileus*, possibly from PIE **-āus** (Perpillou, 1973) but Beekes (2007) considers it Pre-Greek.

NOTE 2. Stang's law governs the word-final sequences of a vowel + semivowel **j** or **w** + nasal, simplified in PIE so that semivowels are dropped, with compensatory lengthening of a preceding vowel, i.e. $V\omega M, VjM \rightarrow V:M$. It also supposedly applies to PIE laryngeals, $*Vh_2m > V:M$. Cf. PIE $dj\bar{e}m$, not $*djewm$; PIE $g^w\bar{o}m$, not $*g^w\bar{o}wm$, etc.

4.4.4. THE PLURAL IN THE THIRD DECLENSION

1. The following table depicts the general plural system, common to the Fourth Declension.

	<i>Animate</i>	<i>Inanimate</i>
NOM.	-es	-ǎ
ACC.	-ms	
VOC.	-es	
GEN.	-ǎm, (-ē̄m)	
DAT.-ABL.	-bh(i)os, (-mos)	
LOC.	-su/i	
INS.	-bhis, (-mis)	

NOTE. The inanimate plural forms, **-a** and **-ǎ**, correspond to an older stem vowel of PIE, $-h_2$ and $-eh_2$, following the Laryngeals' Theory.

2. Unlike in the Singular, in which only some Nominatives have an **-s**, in Nom.-Voc. Plural the **-s** is general, and there is always one fix-grade vowel, **e**. So, the opposition Singular-Plural in **-s/-es** is actually a \emptyset/e distinction. This opposition has also sometimes another mark, the vowel before the ending (see § 4.7).

3. The Nom.-Voc. Plural Animate is normally in **-es**; as in **cowes, owes, sūnes**, etc.

There are forms in **-ei-es** for **i** stems, as in **owejes**; in **-eu-es** for **u** stems, as in **sūneues**; in **ijes, -uwes** for **i, ū**; as in **bhruwes**; etc.

4. The Accusative Plural Animate is in **-ms**: **owims, sūnums, cōms/coums**.

NOTE. Some scholars reconstruct a general Accusative Plural ending **-ns**, because most of the attested proto-languages show either **-ns** (as some endings in Sanskrit or Germanic) or long vowel, sometimes followed by **-s**. Most scholars also admit an original, older **-ms** form (a logical accusative singular **-m-** plus the plural mark **-s**), but they prefer to reconstruct the attested **-ns**, thus (implicitly) suggesting an intermediate phase common to all proto-languages, i.e. PIE **-ms** \rightarrow $*-ns \rightarrow -ns/\bar{s}$. We don't know if such an intermediate **ns** phase happened in PIE or EIE, and if it did, if it was common to all dialects, or limited to those languages which present in some declensions **-ns**, and different endings in other declensions. What we do know with some certainty is that the form **-ms** existed, and at least since PIE, as the Anatolian dialects show.

5. Nom.-Voc. Acc. Plural Inanimate in **-ǎ, -a**: **pekwā, morja, medhwā, swādwā**, etc.

6. Genitive Plural Animate in **-om/-ōm** (and Gmc. **-ēm**): **owjom, noqtiom, sūnuwēm/sūnuwom, cowōm**, etc.

NOTE. The **-m** of the Acc. sg. Animate, Nom.-Acc.-Voc. sg. Inanimate and this case could sometimes be confused. It is disambiguated with the vocalic grade of the Genitive, full or lengthened, as the singular is always \emptyset .

	<i>f. owi-</i>	<i>m. sūnu-</i>	<i>f. bhrū-</i>	<i>m. cou-</i>
NOM.	owes	sūnes	bhruwes	cowes
ACC.	owims	sūnums	bhrūms	coums
VOC.	owes	sūnes	bhruwes	cowes
GEN.	owjom	sūnuwēm	bhruwōm	cowōm
DAT.	ówibhios	sūnumos	bhrūbhos	coubhios
LOC.	ówisi	sūnusu	bhrūse	cousi
INS.	ówibhis	sūnumis	bhrūbhis	coubhis
ABL.	ówibhios	sūnumos	bhrūbhos	coubhios

7. The Obliques are generally divided into two groups, in **-bh-** (that of Lat., Gk., Ind.-Ira., Arm., and Cel.) and in **-m-** (that of Gmc. and BSl.). There are, thus, **-bhis, -bhos, -bhios, -bhi**, and **-mis, -mos**; as, **sūnubhis, sūnubhos, sūnubhios, sūnumis, sūnumos**.

There is also another ending possible, that in **-s-i, -s-u, s-e**, generally Locative (in Ind.-Ira. and BSl.), but also possibly general Dat.-Loc.-Ins. (as in Greek); as, **sūnusi, sūnusu, sūnuse**.

In the Oblique Plural specialized system, which is a common feature of Proto-Balto-Slavic and Proto-Indo-Iranian dialects, (and, to some extent, of Proto-Greek and Proto-Armenian), the Instrumental was probably formed adding the plural mark **-s** to the Instrumental Singular of the Second Declension, **-bhi, -mi**. The Dat.-Abl. was then opposed in vowel stem to the Instrumental: **-bhos** or **-mos** against **-bhis** or **-mis**. The Locative was made with an **-s** marking the plural, and an **-i** which is the Loc. mark.

NOTE. Its origin is probably the plural mark **-s**, to which the local case ending **-i** is added. This is a general oblique ending in the thematic declension.

4.5. FOURTH DECLENSION

4.5.1. THE PARADIGM

1. The Stem of Nouns of the Second Declension ends in Consonant or Sonant, i.e. **-n, -r, -s**, Occlusive (especially **-t**), and rarely **-l, -m**. The inflection of animates is essentially the same as that of the Second or Thematic Declension.

2. Nouns of the Fourth Declension in MIE correspond to Latin nouns of First Declension in **-r** (cf. Lat. *magister, magistrī*), and Third Declension in consonant (cf. Lat. *prīnceps, prīncipis, phoenīx*,

phoenīcis, *cōnāmen*, *cōnāminis*, etc.), and to the Ancient Greek Labial and Velar declension (cf. Gk. Ἄραψ, Ἄραβος, or Φρύξ, Φρυγός).

The Nominative ending is **-s** (with Occlusive, **-m**, **-l**), but there is also a Nominative Sg. with pure stem vowel (desinence $-\emptyset$ and lengthened ending vowel), so that the full-grade Vocative is differentiated. And there is no confusion in Nom./Gen., as **-s** has a different vowel grade (Nom. **-s**, Gen. **-es** or **-os**).

Consonant-Declension Paradigm

	Occlusive, -m, -l	-r, -n, -s
NOM.	-s	$-\emptyset$ (long vowel)
ACC.	-ṃ	
VOC.	$-\emptyset$	$-\emptyset$ (full grade)
GEN.-ABL.	-e/os	
DAT.	-ei	
LOC.	-i	
INS.	-bhi, (-mi)	

NOTE. These specialized Oblique endings were probably already splitting in Late PIE, at least in a dialect-to-dialect basis. Compare Indo-Iranian Dat. *-ei*, Loc. *-i*; Italic Dat. *-ei*, Loc.-Inst.-Abl. *-i*; Greek Inst. *-bhi*; in Balto-Slavic Inst. *-mi*, and so on. There is no exact original pattern that includes every dialect, but we may reliably imply an original Oblique declension **-i**, which had split into **-i** (Loc.) and **-ei** (Dat.) already in Late PIE.

3. Inanimates have pure vowel stems with different vocalic grades. In nouns there should be no confusion at all, as they are different words, but neuter adjectives could be mistaken in Nominative or Vocative Animate. Distinction is thus obtained with vocalism, as in Animate **-ōn** vs. Inanimate **-on**, Animate **-ēs** vs. Inanimate **-es** (neuter nouns in **-s** are in **-os**).

4.5.2. IN OCCLUSIVE, M, L

1. Nominative Sg. Animates in **-s**; as, **dōms**, *house*, **pōds**³⁷, *foot*, **bhrghs**¹²⁸, *fort*, **dōnts**¹⁷³, *tooth*.
2. Accusative Singular Animate in **-ṃ**; as, **dōmṃ**, **pōdṃ**, **bhrghṃ**, **dōntṃ**.
3. Vocative Singular Animate in $-\emptyset$; as in **pōd**, **bhrgh**, **dōnt**.
4. The Nom.-Acc.-Voc. Singular Inanimate in $-\emptyset$, with various vocalisms; as in **kṛd**¹⁵³
5. Genitive Singular in **-es/-os**; as in **ped(e)s/pedés**, **dent(e)s/dentés**, **dem(e)s/demés**.
6. Dative Singular in **-ei**: **pedéi**, **dontéi**, **bhrghéi**, etc.
7. Locative Singular in **-i**: **pedí/pédi**, **dōnti**, **bhrghí**, etc.

	<i>m. ped-</i>	<i>m. dōnt-</i>	<i>n. kṛd-</i>
NOM.	pōds	dōnts	kṛd
ACC.	pōdṃ	dōntṃ	kṛd
VOC.	pōd	dōnt	kṛd
GEN.	pedés	dentós	kṛdós
DAT.	pedéi	dentéi	kṛdéi
LOC.	pedí	dentí	kṛdí
INS.	pedbhí	dentmí	kṛdbhí
ABL.	pedós	dentós	kṛdós

4.5.3. IN R, N, S

1. Nominative Singular Animate in $-\emptyset$ with lengthened vowel; as in **mā́tér** (also **mā́tēr**¹⁴), *mother*, **kwōn**¹⁵⁴, *dog*, **ghesōr**, *hand* (cf. Hitt. *kiššar*, Gk. *kheirí*), **orōn**¹³⁹, *eagle*.

Stems in **s**, **ṅdhergenés**, *degenerate*, **genōs**³², *kin*, **ausōs**⁶⁹, *dawn*, **nebhōs**³¹, *cloud*.

2. Accusative Sg. Animate in $-m$; as in **māterm**, **kwonṃ**, **ṅdhergenesṃ**, **áusosṃ**, **gheserṃ**.

3. Vocative Singular Animate in $-\emptyset$ with full vowel; as in **mā́tér**, **kuon** [*'ku-on*], **ausos**.

4. The Nom.-Acc.-Voc. Singular Inanimate in $-\emptyset$; as in **nōmṃ**, **genōs**.

The adjectives in **-s** have the neuter in **-es**: **sugenés** (from *h₂su-*, cf. Gk. *eugenes*, O.Ind. *suganaḥ*)

5. Genitive Singular in **-es/-os**; as in **mā́trés/mā́trós** (also **mā́trés**, **patrés**, **bhrā́trṣ**, etc.), **kunés/kunós**, **nomṃés/nomṃós**, **ornés**.

Nouns and adjectives in **-s** have an **e**, not an **o**, as the final stem vowel: **genesés**, but **ausosés**.

6. Dative Singular in **-ei**, Locative Singular in **-i**: **mā́terei**, **mā́teri**, **kwonei**, **ausoséi**, **ghesri** etc.

8. Instrumental Singular in **-bhi** (dialectal **-mi**): **mā́trbhí**, **kunbhí**, **ausosbhí**, etc.

	<i>m. kwon</i>	<i>f. mā́ter</i>	<i>n. genes</i>	<i>n. nōmṃ</i>	<i>adj. m. ndhergenes</i>
NOM.	kwōn	mā́tér	genōs	nōmṃ	ṅdhergenés
ACC.	kwonṃ	mā́term	genōs	nōmṃ	ṅdhergenesṃ
VOC.	kwon	mā́tér	genōs	nōmṃ	ṅdhergenés
GEN.	kunés	mā́trós	genesós	nōmṃós	ṅdhergeneses
DAT.	kunéi	mā́tréi	geneséi	nōmṃéi	ṅdhergenēsei
LOC.	kwoni/kuní	mā́t(é)rí	genesí	nōmṃí	ṅdhergenēsi
INS.	kunmí	mā́trbhí	genesmí	nōmṃbhí	ṅdhergenēsmi
ABL.	kunós	mā́trós	genesós	nōmṃós	ṅdhergenēsos

 4.5.4. THE PLURAL IN THE FOURTH DECLENSION

With a paradigm common to the Third Declension, here are some inflected examples.

	<i>m. kwon</i>	<i>f. māter</i>	<i>n. genos</i>	<i>m. dōnt-</i>	<i>n. nomn-</i>
NOM.	kwones	māteres	génesa	dōntes	nōmḡa
ACC.	kwonḡs	mātrḡs	génesa	dōntḡs	nōmḡa
VOC.	kwones	māteres	génesa	dōntes	nōmḡa
GEN.	kunóm	mātróm	genesóm	dōntóm	nōmḡóm
DAT.	kunmós	mātrbhíos	genesbhós	dōntbhíos	nōmḡbhíos
LOC.	kunsú	mātrḡsú	genessí	dōntsí	nōmḡsí
INS.	kunmí	mātrbhís	genesbhís	dōntbhís	nōmḡbhís
ABL.	kunmós	mātrbhíos	genesbhíos	dōntbhíos	nōmḡbhíos

 4.6. VARIABLE NOUNS

4.6.1. Many nouns vary in Declension, and they are called *Heteroclites*.

Note. i.e., “nouns of different inflections” (ἕτερος, “another”, κλινω, “to inflect”)

4.6.2. Heteroclitic forms are isolated and archaic, given only in Inanimates, as remains of an older system, well attested in Anatolian.

4.6.3. They consist of one form to mark the Nom.-Acc.-Voc, and another for the Obliques, as e.g.

a. Opposition \emptyset -*n*: **dēru**, **drunós**⁵⁴, *tree*; **ōs**, **ōsonós**, *mouth*.

b. Opposition *r*-(*e*)*n*: **aghōr**, **aghḡós**⁶⁰, *day*; **bhēmōr**, **bhēmḡés** *thigh*, **jēqr** (t), **jēqḡ(t)ós**, *liver*, **wodōr**, **wodenós** (cf. Got. *wato/watins*), **udōr**, **udḡ(t)ós** (cf. Gk. *údōr*, *údatos*), *water*, etc.

NOTE. For PIE root **bed(h)**, cf. Slav. *bedro*, Lat. *femur*, *feminis/femoris*; for PIE **jēqr**, cf. Gk. *hēpar*, Lat. *iecur*, Av. *yākarə*, for **jeqr** cf. Ved. *yákr̥t*, and compare its Obl. Skr. *yakn-ás*, Gk. *hēpat-os* < **hēpḡ(t)*.

4.6.4. The *Heteroclites* follow the form of the Genitive Singular when forming the Obliques. That is so in the lengthening before declension, vocalism, and in the accent too.

 4.7. VOCALISM BEFORE THE DECLENSION

4.7.1. The Predeclensional vowel is that which precedes the ending, even the \emptyset ending; i.e., we say that Nom. **patér**⁵⁷ has a long predeclensional vowel; that the Vocative **patér** has a full one, and that **patrés** has it \emptyset . Other examples of the three possibilities are **pōd**, **pod** and **-pd-**.

NOTE 1. The vocalic changes in timbre and grade aren't meaningful by themselves, they are multifunctional: they can only have meaning in a specific declension, and it is not necessarily always the same. They are thus disambiguating elements, which help distinguish homophones (i.e., words that sound alike).

NOTE 2. The lengthening of the predeclensional vowel in **r/n/s** stems has been explained (Szemerényi's law) as a consequence of an older (*regular*) Nom. **-s** ending; as PIE *ph₂tér-s*→*ph₂tēr*, *kwōn-s*→*kwōn*, etc.

4.7.2. Two kinds of nominal inflection have no alternating vowel: that in **i**, **u**, and that of the participles of Reduplicates.

4.7.3. Stems in **r** and **n** have two possibilities, both with a Nom. sg. in $-\emptyset$ and lengthened vowel.

1. Nom. with lengthened vowel, Acc., Voc. with full vowel, and Gen. $-\emptyset$. The timbre can be **e** or **o**, depending on the words.

a. In **r**, as in Nom. **mā[́]tér**, Acc. **mā[́]ter^ṃ**, Voc. **mā[́]tér**, Gen. **mā[́]trós**.

b. In **n**, in PIE root stems, as in *dog*: Nom. **kwōn/kuwō[́]n**, Acc. **kwon^ṃ/kuwon^ṃ**, Voc. **kuon/kuwon**, Gen. **kunós**.

2. Sometimes, the Genitive has a full grade as the Accusative and the Vocative. This grade is redundant, not necessary for the disambiguation of the Genitive from the Nominative. There are, as above, different timbres **e** and **o**, sometimes **o** in Nom.-Acc.-Voc., and **e** in Gen., sometimes **o** in Acc.-Voc.-Gen. and **e** in Obl.

4.7.4. There is usually the same vocalism in nouns ending in Occlusive.

An exception is made in the adjectives and participles in **-nt**, which present long vowel in the Nominative, full vowel in Accusative and Vocative, and zero-grade in the Genitive; cf. **bheró[́]nts/bheront^ṃ/bherntós** or **bheré[́]nts/bherent^ṃ/bherntós**.

NOTE. There are remains of what seems to be an older alternating vocalism in monosyllabics. The variants **ped/pod**, **neqt/noqt**, etc. suggest an original (i.e. IE II) paradigm Nom. **pō[́]d-s**, Acc. **pō[́]d-ṃ**, Gen. **ped-ós**. This is, again, mostly irrelevant for Modern Indo-European, in which both alternating forms may appear in frozen vocabulary, either with **o** or **e**.

4.7.5. Stems in **s** do not present a zero-grade. Animates, as already said, oppose a lengthened-vowel Nominative to the other cases, which have full vowel, i.e., Nom. **-ēs**, rest **-es**, Nom. **-ōs**, rest **-os**.

4.7.6. We know already what happens with stems in **i**, **u**, which have two general models:

1. Nom. **-i-s**, Acc. **-i-m**, Voc. **-ei** or **-i**, Gen. **-i-os** / Nom. **-u-s**, Acc. **-u-m**, Voc. **-ei** or **-i**, Gen. **-u-os**

2. Nom. **-i-s**, Acc. **-i-m**, Voc. **-eu** or **-u**, Gen. **-ei-s** / Nom. **-u-s**, Acc. **-u-m**, Voc. **-eu** or **-u**, Gen. **-eu-s**

NOTE. This is an inversion of the normal situation: the Nom.-Acc.-Voc. has zero-grade (but for some Voc.), the Gen. \emptyset or full. Distinction is obtained through alternating forms; as in Voc., in which the ending **-ei** distinguishes it from Neuters in **-i**; or with changes of **e/o**.

4.7.7. Those in Long Diphthong alternate the diphthong (or long vowel) with **j** or **w**, which represents the \emptyset -grade; as in **djēus**⁶³, **djēm**, **diwós**; or **nāu-s**¹²⁷, **naw-ós**. Uniform vocalism (i.e., no vowel change) is generalized, though.

NOTE. These diphthongs reflect an older situation, of a vowel plus a laryngeal, and they are probably related to nouns in **a**, and also to those in **e** and **o**.

4.7.8. Stems in **ā** usually maintain an uniform vocalism: Nom.-Voc. **-ā**, Acc. **-ām**, Gen. **-ās**. But those in **iā/ī** may alternate Nom.-Voc. **-iā/-ī**, Gen. **-iās**.

There are also remains of **-ā** in Voc. (and even Nom.), as well as **-ai**, cf. Gk. γυναι (*gunai*, an example also found in Armenian), Gk. Ευρωπαί (Eurōpai) and other forms in **-ai** in Latin (as *rosae* < **rosai*), Old Indian and other IE dialects. The **-ē** and **-ō** endings have also traces of alternating phonetic changes.

NOTE. In O.Gk. Εὐρώπη (Eurōpē), Εὐρώπα (Eurōpā), the Genitive is *Eurōp-ai*, which gives also the thematic adjective *Eurōpai-ós*, hence Modern Indo-European adjective **Eurōpaiós**, **Eurōpaiá**, **Eurōpaióm**, and nominalized forms (with accent shift) **Eurōpáios/Eurōpaios**, **-om**, **-ā**. In Latin this **-ai-o-** corresponds to **-ae-u-**, and so *Europae-us*, **-a**, **-um**. See also § 1.7.7.

4.7.9. Finally, the Neuter stems distinguish the Nom.-Acc.-Voc. forms by having a predeclensional vowel, normally \emptyset (the ending is also \emptyset , but for thematic stems), as we have seen in nouns ending in **i**, **u**, **r**, **n** and Occlusive; as **madhu**, **nōmn**, **kṛd**. There are exceptions, though:

1. Nouns with lengthened or full vowel; as, Gk. **udōr**⁶¹ (cf. O.Ind. *áhar*) for EIE **udros**.
2. Nouns in **s** cannot have \emptyset -, they have **-o-** in nouns, **-e-** in adjectives; as in **genōs**, *race*; adj. **sugenēs**, *of good race*.
3. Finals **e/o** have a uniform predeclensional vowel, normally **o**, plus Nom.-Acc.-Voc ending **-m**.

NOTE 1. In the Oblique cases, neuters are declined like the animates.

NOTE 2. There are no neuters in **-a**, but for those which became common plural nouns, as e.g. n. **Bubliā**, *Bible*, lit. "the books", from Gk. **bubliom**, *book*.

4.8. VOCALISM IN THE PLURAL

4.8.1. Vocalism in the Plural is generally the same as in the Singular. In Nominative-Vocative and Accusative, the straight cases, the full vowel grade is general (there is no Nominative with lengthened vowel), and in the Genitive the zero-grade is general. But there are also some special situations:

1. There are examples of full vowel in Nom.-Voc.; stems in **-ei-es** and **-eu-es** (in **i**, **u** stems); in **-er-es**, **-or-es**; **-en-es**, **-on-es**; **-es-es**.

2. Sometimes, the vowel timbre varies; as, **akmōn-ákmenes**, or **kāmōn-kāmenes**, (*sharp*) *stone*, which give Lith. *akmuō/akmenes* and O.C.S. *kamy/kamene* respectively, and so on.

3. There are also some zero-grades, as Gk. *óies*, and some analogical forms, as Gk. *kúnes*, Lat. *carnes*.

4.8.2. The \emptyset -grade, an exception in the Nom.-Voc., is usual in Accusative Plural in **i**, **u** stems; as in derivatives with forms **-i-ns**, **-u-ns**.

As a general rule, then, the Plural has a full vowel: **ákmenes**, **māteres**, etc.

4.8.3. The stems in **s** of Inanimates in the Nom.-Acc.-Voc. Plural present **-es-a**, **-es-ā**: they follow the vowel timbre in the whole inflection, but for the Nom.-Acc.-Voc. Singular in **-os**. The rest are in \emptyset .

4.8.4. The general vocalism of the Genitive Plural is \emptyset . But the full grade is sometimes found, too; as in **ákmenom**. The most common stems in which the full grade can be found are **n** and sometimes **r**; as in **mātróm**, which could also be **māteróm**.

To sum up, Nominative Plural is usually opposed to Nominative Singular, while Genitive and Accusative tend to assimilate Singular and Plural. When the last are the same, full vowel is found in the Accusative, and \emptyset in the Genitive.

4.8.5. In the Obliques, where there is a distinction, the form is that of the Nominative Singular Animate or Nom.-Acc.-Voc. Singular Inanimate; and when, in any of them, there is a distinction between full- and \emptyset -grade, they take the last. An example of Animates is **ped-**, which gives Nom. **pōds**, Gen. **pedós**, Obl. Plural **podbhís**. In Inanimates it happens with **s** stems which have **-os** in Nom.-Acc. and **-es** in the other cases; as in **genōs**, **genesí**, **genesbhós**. And in Heteroclitics that oppose an **-n** in the cases that are not Nom.-Acc.-Voc. with **r**, **s** or \emptyset .

The zero-grade in the predeclensional syllable is very common, whether it has the Genitive vocalism or the full one; as, **kwōn/kunsí**. This \emptyset -grade is also found in **r** stems, as in **patrós**, **patrbbhíos**. And so in **i**, **u**, stems too, in Nom. and Acc. Sg., while **e** is otherwise found (in Nom. Pl., and sometimes in Gen. Sg. and Pl.). The Obliques Plural have \emptyset ; as, **egnibhios**, **egnisi**, **egnibhis**; **ghóstibhis**, etc.

4.9. ACCENT IN DECLENSION

4.9.1. Just like vocalic grades, the accent is used (normally redundantly) to oppose the *Straight* cases (Nom.-Acc.-Voc.) to the *Oblique* ones.

NOTE. This is one of the worst reconstructed parts of PIE, as each language has developed its own accent system. Only Vedic Sanskrit, Greek and Balto-Slavic dialects appear to have more or less retained the oldest accent system, and even these have undergone different systematizations, which obscure the original situation.

4.9.2. In monosyllabics, the alternating system is clearly observed:

Nom. **pōds**, Acc. **pōdm̐**, Gen. **pedés**.

Nom. **kwōn**, Acc. **kwonm̄**, Gen. **kunós**.

4.9.3. In polysyllabics, there is e.g. **dhúgatēr**¹³¹, **dhugatrós**, etc., but also **bhrāter**, **bhrātr̄s** (cf. Skr. *bhartuḥ*, O.N. *bróðor*), or **mātr̄s** (cf. O.Ind. *matúr*), **patr̄s** (cf. Got. *fadr̄s*), and so on.

1. Stems in **i**, **u**, had probably a root accent in Nom.-Acc., and a Genitive with accent on declension, as in the rest of examples.

2. Those in **ā** are not clearly reconstructed, therefore the alternating system is maintained.

3. The Vocative could be distinguished with the accent. The general rule, observed in Skr., Gk. and O.C.S., is that it is unstressed, but for the beginning of a sentence; in this case, the accent goes in the first syllable, to differentiate it from the Nominative with accent on declension.

NOTE. The accent in the Vocative is also related to the intonation of the sentence.

4.9.4. In the Plural system no general accent pattern can be found. Each IE dialect developed its own system to distinguish the homophones in Singular and Plural. In the Obliques, however, the accent is that of the Genitive, when it is opposed to the Nom.-Acc; as in **patr̄bhiós**, **mātr̄bhís**, etc.

NOTE. The so-called *qetwóres*-rule had been observed by earlier scholars, but has only recently attracted attention. It is a sound law of PIE accent, stating that in a word of three syllables **é-o-X** the accent will be moved to the penultimate, **e-ó-X**. Examples include **qetwores** < **qétwores**, *four*, singular accusatives of r-stems (cf. **swesorm̄** < **swésorm̄**, *sister*), of r/n-heteroclitica (cf. **ghesorm̄** < **ghésorm̄**, *hand*), of s-stems (cf. **ausosm̄** < **áusosm̄**). This rule is fed by an assumed earlier sound law that changes PIH **e** to PIE **o** after an accented syllable, i.e. **qetwores** < **qétwores** < ***qétweres**. Rix (1988) invokes this rule to explain why in the PIE Perfect the o-grade root is accented, e.g. **gegón-**/**gég-** < **gégen-**/**gég-**, *created, engendered*.

4.10. COMPOUND WORDS

4.10.1. *Nominal Compositum* or nominal composition is the process of putting two or more words together to form another word. The new word, called a Compound Word, is either a Noun or an Adjective, and it does not necessarily have the same meaning as its parts.

4.10.2. The second term of a Compound Word may be

- a) a Noun (Gk. *akró-polis*, “*high city, citadel*”)
- b) an Adjective (Gk. *theo-eíkelos*, “*similar to the gods*”) or
- c) a Noun adapted to the adjectival inflection (Gk. *arguró-tozos*, “*silver arc*”)

NOTE. Sometimes a suffix is added (cf. Gk. *en-neá-boios*, “*of nine cows*”), and the Compound Noun may have a different gender than the second term (cf. Lat. *trivium*, “*cross roads*”, from *trēs* and *uia*).

4.10.3. The first term is a Pure Stem, without distinction of word class, gender or number. It may be an Adverb, a Numeral (Gk. *trí-llistos*, “*suppliated three times*”, *polú-llistos*, “*very suppliated*”) or a

Pronoun (cf. O.Ind. *tat-puruṣa*, “that man”), as well as a Nominal-Verbal stem with Nominal (Gk. *andra-phónos*, “who kills a man”), Adjetival (Gk. *akró-polis*), or Verbal function (Gk. *arkhé-kakos*, “who begins the evil”), and also an Adjective proper (Gk. *polú-tropos*, “of many resources”).

4.10.4. Usually, the first term has zero-grade, cf. O.Ind. *ṅr-hán*, Gk. *polú-tropos*, Lat. *auī-(caps)*, etc. Common exceptions are stems in **-e/os**, as Gk. *sakés-palos*, “who shakes the shield” (Gk. *sákos*, “shield”), and some suffixes which are substituted by a lengthening in **-i**, cf. Gk. *kudi-áneira*, “who glorifies men” (Gk. *kudrós*), Av. *bərəzi-čaxra-*, “of high wheels” (Av. *bərəzant-*).

In Thematic stems, however, the thematic **-e/o** appears always, as an **o** if Noun or Adjective (Gk. *akró-polis*), as an **e** if Verb (Gk. *arkhé-kakos*).

4.10.5. The first term usually defines the second, the contrary is rare; the main Compound types are:

A. Formed by Verbs, cf. O.Ind. *ṅr-hán*, Gk. *andra-phónos* (Gk. *andro-* is newer) Lat. *auiceps*, O.Sla. *medv-ěďi*, “honey-eater”, bear, and also with the second term defining the first, as Gk. *arkhé-kakos*.

B. Nominal Determiners (first term defines the second), with first term Noun (cf. Gk. *mētro-pátōr*, “mother’s father”, Goth. *þiudan-gardi*, “kingdom”), Adjective (cf. Gk. *akró-polis*, O.Sla. *dobro-godŭ*, “good time”, O.Ir. *find-airgit*, “white plant”, Lat. *angi-portus*, “narrow pass”), or Numeral (cf. Lat. *trium*, from *uia*, Gk. *ámaza*, “chariot frame”, from *ázōn*).

C. Adjectival Determiners (*tatpuruṣa-* for Indian grammarians), with first term Noun (cf. Gk. *theo-eíkelos*, Goth. *gasti-gods* “good for the guests”), Adverb (cf. O.Ind. *ájñātas*, Gk. *ágnotos*, “unknown”, *phroudos*, “who is on its way”, from *pró* and *odós*).

D. Possessive Compounds (*bahu-vrihi-*, “which has a lot of rice”, for Indian grammarians), as in Eng. *barefoot*, “(who goes) with bare feet”, with the first term Noun (cf. Gk. *arguró-tozos*, O.Sla. *črŭno-vladŭ*, “of black hair”), Adjective (cf. Lat. *magn-animus*, “of great spirit”), Adverb (cf. O.Ind. *durmanás*, GK. *dus-menés*, “wicked”).

The accent could also distinguish the Determiners from the Possessives, as in O.Ind. *rāja-putrás*, “a king’s son”, from O.Ind. *rajá-putras*, “who has a son as king, king’s father”.

NOTE. The use of two-word compound words for personal names is common in IE languages. They are found in Ger. *Alf-red*, “elf-counsel”, O.H.G. *Hlude-rīch*, “rich in glory”, O.Eng. *God-gifu*, “gift of God” (Eng. *Godiva*), Gaul. *Orgeto-rix*, “king who harms”, Gaul. *Dumno-rix*, “king of the world”, Gaul. *Epo-pennus*, “horse’s head”, O.Ir. *Cin-néide* (Eng. *Kennedy*) “ugly head”, O.Ind. *Asva-ghosa*, “tamer of horses”, O.Ind. *Asvá-medhas*, “who has done the horse sacrifice”, O.Pers. *Xša-yāršā* (Gk. *Xérxēs*) “ruler of heroes”, O.Pers. *Arta-xšacā*, “whose reign is through truth/law”, Gk. *Sō-krátēs*, “good ruler”, Gk. *Mene-ptólemos*, “who faces war”, Gk. *Hipp-archus*, “horse master”, Gk. *Cleo-patra*, “from famous lineage”, Gk. *Arkhé-laos*, “who governs the people”, O.Sla. *Bogu-milŭ*, “loved by god”, Sla. *Vladi-mir*, “peaceful ruler”, from *volodi-mirom*, “possess the world”; etc.

5. ADJECTIVES

5.1. INFLECTION OF ADJECTIVES

5.1.1. In Proto-Indo-European, the noun could be determined in three different ways: with another noun, as in “*stone wall*”; with a noun in Genitive, as in “*the father’s house*”; or with an adjective, as in “*paternal love*”. These are all possible in MIE too, but the adjective corresponds to the third way, i.e., to that kind of words – possibly derived from older Genitives – that are declined to make it agree in case, gender and number with the noun they define.

5.1.2. The adjective is from the older stages like a noun, and even today Indo-European languages have the possibility to make an adjective a noun (as *English*), or a noun an adjective (*stone wall*). Furthermore, some words are nouns and adjectives as well: **wṛ̥sēn**⁷⁹, *male*, *man*, can be the subject of a verb (i.e., a noun), and can determine a noun.

Most stems and suffixes are actually indifferent to the opposition noun/adjective. Their inflection is common, too, and differences are usually secondary. This is the reason why we have already studied the adjective declensions; they follow the same inflection as nouns.

5.1.3. However, since the oldest reconstructible PIE language there were nouns different from adjectives, as PIE **wl̥qos** or **pōds**, and adjectives different from nouns, as **rudhrós**⁶¹, **solwós**, etc. Nouns could, in turn, be used as adjectives, and adjectives be nominalized.

NOTE. There were already in IE II some trends of adjective specialization, with the use of suffixes, vocalism, accent, and sometimes inflection, which changed a noun to an adjective and *vice versa*.

5.2. THE MOTION

5.2.1. In accordance with their use, adjectives distinguish gender by different forms in the same word, and agree with the nouns they define in gender, number and case. This is the *Motion* of the Adjective.

5.2.2. We saw in § 3.4. that there are some rare cases of Motion in the noun. Sometimes the opposition is made between nouns, and this seems to be the older situation; as, **patér-mātér**, **bhrātér-swesōr**.

But an adjective distinguishes between masculine, feminine and neuter, or at least between animate and neuter (or inanimate). This opposition is of two different kinds:

a. Animates are opposed to Inanimates by declension, vocalism and accent; as, **-os/-om**, **-is/-i**, **-nts/-nt**, **-ēs/-es**.

b. The masculine is opposed to the feminine, when it happens, by the stem vowel; as, **-os/-ā**, **-nts/-ntia** (or **-ntī**), **-us/-uī**.

The general system may be so depicted:

	<i>Animates</i>		<i>Inanimates</i>
	<i>Maskuline</i>	<i>Feminine</i>	<i>Neuter</i>
1.	-os	-ā	-om
2.	-is	-is	-i
3.	-nts	-ntiā̃/-ntī	-nt
4.	-ēs	-ēs	-es
5.	-us	-uī	-u

NOTE. The masculine-feminine opposition is possibly new to Late PIE; IE II – as the Anatolian dialects show – had probably only an Animate-Inanimate opposition. The existence of this kind of adjectives is very important for an easy communication because, for example, adjectives in **-ā** are only feminine (unlike nouns, which can also be masculine). An **o** stem followed by an **-s** in Nom. Sg. is animate or masculine, never feminine only, whilst there are still remains of feminine nouns in **-os**.

5.2.3. Compare the following examples:

1. For the so-called *thematic adjectives*, in **-ós**, **-ā̃**, **-óm**, cf. **kaikós**, **-ā̃**, **-óm**, *blind* (cf. Lat. *caecus*, Gk. *κακία*, *a north wind*), **akrós**, **-ā̃**, **-óm**, *sour*, **rudhrós**, **-ā̃**, **-óm**, *red*, **koilós**, **-ā̃**, **-óm**, *empty* (cf. Gk. *κοιλός*, maybe also Lat. *caelus*, *caelum*), **elḡhrós**, **-ā̃**, **-óm**, *light* (cf. Gk. *ἐλαφρός*), etc. But note the older root accent in **néwos**, **-ā̃**, **-om**, *new*.

2. For adjectives in **-ús**, **-uī̃**, **-ú**, cf. **swādús**, **-uī̃**, **-ú**, *sweet*, **mreghús**, **-uī̃**, **-ú**, *brief*, **lechús**, **-uī̃**, **-ú**, *light*, **tḡús**, **-uī̃**, **-ú**, *stretched*, **mḡdús**, **-uī̃**, **-ú**, *soft*, **ōkús**, **-uī̃**, **-ú**, *quick*. Other common examples include **āsús**, *good*, **bhanghús**, *dense*, **gherús**, *small*, *bad*, **cr(āw)ús**, *heavy*, **dalkús**, *sweet*, **dansús**, *dense*, **dhanghús**, *quick*, **lḡhús**, *light*, **maldús**, *soft*, **pḡhús**, *thick*, **tegús**, *fat*, *dense*, **tanghús**, *fat*, *obese*, **udhús**, *quick*, *immediate*, etc.

5.3. ADJECTIVE SPECIALIZATION

5.3.1. The specialization of adjectives from nouns is not absolute, but a question of grade, as e.g.

1. Stems in **-nt** are usually adjectives, but they were also assimilated to the verb system and have become (Present) Participles.

2. Words in **-ter** are nouns, and adjectives are derived usually in **-triós** and others.

3. Nouns in **-ti** have adjectives in **-tikós**, which usually has an ethnic meaning.

4. Sometimes distinction is made with alternating vowels: neuters in **-om** and adjectives in **-ēs**, **-és**.

The accent is normally used to distinguish thematic nouns in **-os** with adj. in **-ós** (mainly **-tós**, **-nós**).

NOTE. There are sometimes secondary processes that displace the accent from an adjective to create a noun; cf. Gk. *leukós*, “white”, *léukos*, “white spot”. These correlations noun-adjective were often created, but from some point onward the derivation of adjectives was made with suffixes like **-ment (-uent)**, **-jo**, **-to**, **-no**, **-iko**, etc. There are, however, abundant remains of the old identity between noun and adjective in IE III and therefore in Modern Indo-European. An example of the accent shift is that of **Eurōpaiio-**, which as an adjective is **eurōpaiós**, **eurōpaiá**, **eurōpaióm**, while as a noun the accent is shifted towards the root.

5.4. COMPARISON OF ADJECTIVES

5.4.1. In Modern Indo-European, as in English, there are three degrees of comparison: the Positive, the Comparative and the Superlative.

NOTE. There weren't degrees in the Anatolian dialects, and therefore probably neither in Middle PIE. It is thus an innovation of Late PIE, further developed by each dialect after the great IE migrations.

5.4.2. The Comparative is generally formed by adding **-iós**, which has variants **-ijó-** and **-ison**; as in **sen-iós** (Lat. *senior*), *older*, **meg-iós**, *bigger* (cf. “major”), etc.

5.4.3. The same suffix is the base for the Superlative **-istó-** (from **-is-to-**); as in **mreghwistós**, *briefest*, **newistós**, *newest*, etc.

Other dialectal Superlative suffixes include: O.Ind. and Gk. **-tero-**, Gk. **-tḡ-to-** (cf. Gk. *tato*) O.Ind. **-tṃo-** (cf. O.Sla., O.Ind. **prījó-tṃos**), Ita. and Cel. **-mo-**, **-sṃo-**, **-tṃo-**, and extended **-is-sṃo-**, **-uper-mo-**; cf. Lat. *summus* < **súp-mos**; Skr. *ádhamas*, Lat. *infimus* < **ńdh-mos**; lat. *maximus* < **mág-s-mos**; lat. *intimus* (cf. *intus*) < **én-/ń-t-mos**, *innermost*. These are all derivatives of the suffix **-mós**, i.e., [mos] or [ṃos]. The suffix is also present in other adjectives, but it took usually the Superlative degree.

5.4.4. It is interesting to point out that both suffixes, **-io-** (also **-tero-**) and **-is-to-**, had probably an original nominal meaning. Thus, the elongations in **-ios** had a meaning; as in Latin, where **junioses** and **senioses** were used for groups of age; or those in **-teros**, as **māterterā**, *aunt on the mother's side*, **ekwáteros**, *mule*.

NOTE 1. Probably forms like **junioses** are not the most common in IE, although indeed attested in different dialects; actually adjectival suffixes **-iós**, **-istós** are added to the root (in e-grade) without the initial suffixes, while **-teros** and **-tṃós** are added with the suffixes. Compare e.g. O.Ir. *sír*, cp. *sía* < **sēiós**, ‘longus, longior’; *lán* (*plēnus* cf. *lín* ‘numerus’), cp. *lia* < **plēiós** (Lat. *plouios*, Gk. *pléos*); cf. Lat. *plourume*, zero-grade Lat. *maios*, O.Ir. *mía*. So, for **júwenes** we find Umb. cp. *jovie* < **jowiē-s**, O.Ir. *óac* ‘iuuenis’, *óa* ‘junior’; *óam* ‘iuuenissimus’, O.Ind. *yúva(n)-* (*yúnah*), cp. *yávīyas-*, sup. *yávīṣṭa-h*.

NOTE 2. In Latin and Germanic, as already said, the intervocalic **-s-** becomes voiced, and then it is pronounced as the trilled consonant, what is known with the name of rhotacism. Hence Lat. *iuniores* and *seniores*.

5.5. NUMERALS

5.5.1. CLASSIFICATION OF NUMERALS

Modern Indo-European Numerals may be classified as follows:

I. Numeral Adjectives:

1. Cardinal Numbers, answering the question *how many?* as, **oinos**, *one*; **dwo**, *two*, etc.
2. Ordinal Numbers, adjectives derived (in most cases) from the Cardinals, and answering the question *which in order?* as, **přwos**, *first*; **áleros**, *second*, etc.
3. Distributive Numerals, answering the question *how many at a time?* as, **semni**, *one at a time*; **dwini** (also **dwisnoi**), *two by two*, etc.

II. Numeral Adverbs, answering the question *how often?* as, **smís**, *once*; **dwis**, *twice*, etc.

5.5.2. CARDINALS AND ORDINALS

1. These two series are as follows, from one to ten: ¹⁵⁵

	<i>Cardinal</i>	<i>Eng.</i>	<i>Ordinal</i>	<i>Eng.</i>
1.	oinos, oinā, oinom	<i>one</i>	přwós	<i>first</i>
2.	dwo, dwā, dwoi	<i>two</i>	alterós (dwoterós)	<i>second</i>
3.	trejes, tresrés/trisoires, tri	<i>three</i>	triós, trit(i)ós	<i>third</i>
4.	qetwor (qetwores, qetwesores, qetwôr)	<i>four</i>	qturós, qetwřtós	<i>fourth</i>
5.	penqe	<i>five</i>	přqós, penqtós	<i>fifth</i>
6.	s(w)eks (weks)	<i>six</i>	(*suksós), sekstós	<i>sixth</i>
7.	septm/septřn	<i>seven</i>	septmós	<i>seventh</i>
8.	oktō(u)	<i>eight</i>	oktōwós	<i>eighth</i>
9.	newř	<i>nine</i>	nowřós, neuntós	<i>ninth</i>
10.	dekř/dekřn	<i>ten</i>	dekřmós, dekřptós	<i>tenth</i>

NOTE. The Ordinals are formed by means of the thematic suffix **-o**, which causes the syllable coming before the ending to have zero grade. This is the older form, which is combined with a newer suffix **-to**. For seven and eight there is no zero grade, due probably to their old roots.

2. The forms from eleven to nineteen were usually formed by copulative compounds with the unit plus **-dekř**, *ten*.¹⁵⁶ Hence Modern Indo-European uses the following system:

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	<i>Cardinal</i>	<i>Ordinal</i>
11.	óindekṃ	oindekṃ(t)ós
12.	dwódekṃ	dwodekṃ(t)ós
13.	trídekṃ	tridekṃ(t)ós
14.	qetwṛdekṃ	qeturdekṃ(t)ós
15.	penqédekṃ	penqedekṃ(t)ós
16.	séksdekṃ	seksdekṃ(t)ós
17.	septrídekṃ	septṃdekṃ(t)ós
18.	októdekṃ	oktōdekṃ(t)ós
19.	newńdekṃ	newṇdekṃ(t)ós

3. The tens were normally formed with the units with lengthened vowel/sonant and a general - *kńtā/-kómt(a)*¹⁵⁷, “group of ten”, although some dialectal differences existed. ¹⁵⁸

	<i>Cardinal</i>	<i>Ordinal</i>
20.	(d)wīkṃtī	(d)wīkṃt(m)ós
30.	trīkómt(ǎ)	trīkomtós
40.	qetwṛkómt(ǎ)	qetwṛkomtós
50.	penqēkómt(ǎ)	penqēkomtós
60.	sekskómt(ǎ)	sekskomtós
70.	septṃkómt(ǎ)	septṃkomtós
80.	oktōkómt(ǎ)	oktōkomtós
90.	newńkómt(ǎ)	newṇkomtós
100.	(sṃ)kṃtóm	kṃtom(t)ós
1000.	túsṇtī, (sṃ)gheslo-	tusṇtītós

4. The hundreds are made as compounds of two numerals, like the tens, but without lengthened vowel. The thousands are made of the numerals plus the indeclinable **túsṇtī**:

	<i>Cardinal</i>	<i>Ordinal</i>
200.	dwokṃtī	dwokṃtós
300.	trikṃtī	trikṃtós
400.	qetwṛkṃtī	qetwṛkṃtós
500.	penqekṃtī	penqekṃtós
600.	sekskṃtī	sekskṃtós
700.	septṃkṃtī	septṃkṃtós
800.	oktōkṃtī	oktōkṃtós

900.	newḡkṃtī	newḡkṃtós
2000.	dwo/dwei/dwō túsṃtī	dwo tusṃtītóí, dwei tusṃtītás, dwō tusṃtītóm
3000.	trejes/trisoires/trī túsṃtī	trejes tusṃtītóí, trisoires tusṃtītás, trī tusṃtītóm

NOTE 1. These MIE uninflected cardinals are equivalent to most European forms; as, for *two hundred*, Lat. *quingenti*, Gk. *πεντακόσια*, and also Eng. *five hundred*, Ger. *fünfhundert*, Russ. *пятьсот*, Pol. *pięćset*, Welsh *pum cant*, Bret. *pemp-kant*. Inflected forms, such as modern Indo-European dialectal Da. *fem hundrede*, Fr. *cinq cents*, It. *cinquecento*, Spa. *quinientos*, Pt. *quinhentos*, Sr.-Cr. *petsto* (f. *pet stotina*), etc. are left for the ordinals in this Modern Indo-European system.

NOTE 2. In Germanic the hundreds are compounds made of a substantive “*hundred*”, MIE *kṃt(ṃ)-radhom*, Gmc. *khund(a)-ratham*, v.s., but we have chosen this – for us more straightforward – European form, found in Italic, Balto-Slavic and Greek.

5. The compound numerals are made with the units in the second place, usually followed by the copulative **-qe**:

f. **wīkṃtī oinā(-qe)**, *twenty (and) one*; m. **trīkomta qetwor(-qe)**, *thirty (and) four*; etc.

NOTE. Alternative forms with the unit in the first place are also possible in Modern Indo-European, even though most modern European languages think about numeric compounds with the units at the end. In fact, such lesser used formation is possibly the most archaic, maybe the original Late PIE. Compare e.g. for “*twenty-one*” (m.):

MIE **wīkṃtī oinos(-qe)**, as Eng. *twenty-one*, Swe. *tjuogoett*, Nor. *tjueen*, Ice. *tuttugu og einn*, Lat. *uiginti unus* (as modern Romance, cf. Fr. *vingt-et-un*, It. *ventuno*, Spa. *veintuno*, Pt. *vinte e um*, Rom. *douăzeci și unu*), Gk. *είκοσι ἓν*, Ltv. *divdesmit viens*, Russ. *двадцать один*, Pol. *dwadzieścia jeden*, etc.

For **oinoswīkṃtīqe**, maybe the oldest form, compare Gmc. (as Ger. *einundzwanzig*, Du. *eenentwintig*, Fris. *ienentweintich*, Da. *enogtyve*), and Lat. *unus et uiginti*, Skr. *ékaviṃśati*, Bret. *unan-warn-ugent*, etc.

6. In compounds we find:

sm-, *one-*; **du-**, **dwi-**, *two-*; **tri-**, *three-*; **q(e)tur-**, *four-*

5.5.3. DECLENSION OF CARDINALS AND ORDINALS

Of the Cardinals only **oinos**, **dwo**, **trejes** (and dialectally **qetwor**), as well as (**sm**)**gheslós**, are declinable.

a. The declension of **oinos**, **-ā**, **-om** has often the meaning of *same* or *only*. The plural is used in this sense; but also, as a simple numeral, to agree with a plural noun of singular meaning. The plural occurs also in phrases like **oinoi alterói-qe**, *one party and the other (the ones and the others)*.

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b. The declension of **sem-** (and o-grade **sōm-**), *one*, is as follows:

PIE <i>sem-/som-</i> , <i>one</i>		
NOM.	sems	sōms
ACC.	semṃ	sōmṃ
GEN.	sṃós	somós
D.-A.	sṃéi	soméi
L.-I.	sṃí, sémi	somí/sōmi

c. **Dwo**, *two*, and **trejes**, *three*, are thus declined:

	<i>dwo</i>			<i>trejes</i>		
	<i>m.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>n.</i>
NOM.	dwo	dwoi	dwā	trejes		trī
ACC.	dwom	dwoi	dwām	trims		trī
GEN.	dwosio		dwesās	trijom		
D.-A.	dwosmei		dwesiāi	tribhios		
LOC.	dwosmi		dwesiāi	trisu		
INS.	dwosmō		dwesiā	tribhis		

NOTE. **ámhō**, *both*, is sometimes declined like **dwo**, as in Latin.

d. **Túsṅtī**, *a thousand*, functions as an indeclinable adjective:

túsṅtī modois, *in a thousand ways*. **kom túsṅtī wīrōis**, *with a thousand men*

e. The ordinals are adjectives of the Fourth and Third Declensions, and are regularly declined.

6.3.2. Cardinals and Ordinals have the following uses:

a. In numbers below 100, if units precede tens, the number is generally written as one word; as in f. **dwāwīkṃtīqe**, *twenty one*; otherwise it is separated: **wīkṃtī dwā(-qe)**.

b. In numbers above 100 the highest denomination generally stands first, the next second, etc., as in English; as, *1764*, **túsṅtī septṅkṃtī sekskomta qetwor(-qe)**, or **túsṅtī septṅkṃtī qetworsekskomtaqe**.

NOTE. Observe the following combinations of numerals with substantives:

wīkṃtī oinos(-qe) wīrōs, or **wīkṃtī wīrōs oinos-qe**, *21 men*.

dwo túsṅtī penqekṃtī tridekṃ cenās, *2513 women*.

c. The Proto-Indo-European language had no special words for *million*, *billion*, *trillion*, etc., and these numbers were expressed by multiplication. In Modern Indo-European they are formed with IE common loan from Italic **sm̥ghésli** (cf. Ita. **(s)m̥ghēli* > O.Lat. *mīhīli* > Lat. *mille*), a derivative of **sm̥+gheslos** meaning “one thousand”; as, **sm̥ghesliōn**, *million*, **dwighesliōn**, *billion*, **trighesliōn**, *trillion*, etc. For the word *milliard*, *one thousand million*, **sm̥ghesliardos** might also be used.

d. Fractions are expressed, as in English, by cardinals in the numerator and ordinals in the denominator. The feminine gender is used to agree with **partis**, *part*, either expressed (with adjective) or understood (nominalized): *two-sevenths*, **dwā séptmāi** (or **dwā septmāi partes**); *three-eighths*, **trejes oktowāi** (or **trejes oktowāi partes**).

One-half is **(dwi)medhjā partis** or **(dwi)medhjom**.

NOTE. When the numerator is one, it can be omitted and **partis** must then be expressed: *one-third*, **tritā partis**; *one-fourth*, **qetwrtā partis**.

5.5.4. DISTRIBUTIVES

1. Distributive Numerals are usually formed with the zero-grade forms and the suffix **-ni**.

NOTE. These answer to the interrogative **qóteni?**, *how many of each?* or *how many at a time?*

1.	semni , <i>one by one</i>	20.	(d)wikr̥t̥ni
2.	dwi(s)ni , <i>two by two</i>	21.	(d)wikr̥t̥ni semni-qe , etc.
3.	tri(s)ni , <i>three by three</i>	30.	tr̥ikr̥t̥ni
4.	qturni	40.	qetw̥rk̥t̥ni
5.	p̥n̥qeni	50.	pen̥qek̥t̥ni
6.	sek(s)ni (older <i>*suksni</i>)	60.	seksk̥t̥ni
7.	sépt̥ni	70.	sept̥nk̥t̥ni
8.	óktōni	80.	oktōk̥t̥ni
9.	néw̥ni	90.	new̥nk̥t̥ni
10.	dék̥ni	100.	k̥r̥t̥ni
11.	semni dék̥ni	200.	duk̥r̥t̥ni
12.	dwini dék̥ni	1.000	tús̥r̥t̥ni
13.	trini dék̥ni	2.000	dwini tús̥r̥t̥ni
14.	qturni dék̥ni , etc.	10.000	dék̥ni tús̥r̥t̥ni

NOTE 1. The word for “one by one” can also be **sémgoli**, *one, individual, separate*, as Lat. *singuli*, from **semgolós**, *alone, single*, formed with suffixed **sem-go-lo-**, although that Lat. *-g-* is generally believed to be a later addition, i.e. proper MIE **sémoli**, from **sem-o-lós**.

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NOTE 2. Suffixed **trisni**, *three each*, is found in Lat. *trīni*, Skr. *trīṇi*, giving derivative **trisos**, *trine*, as Lat. *trinus*, as well as **trīsnitā**, *trinity*.

2. Distributives are used mainly in the sense of *so many apiece* or *on each side*, and also in multiplications.

5.5.5. NUMERAL ADVERBS

The Numeral Adverbs answer the question *how many times? how often?*, and are usually formed with **i** and sometimes a lengthening in **-s**.

1.	smís , <i>once</i>	20.	(d)wīkmtīs
2.	dwis , <i>twice</i>	21.	(d)wīkmtī smís-qe ,
3.	tris , <i>thrice</i>	30.	trīkomti
4.	qeturs , qetrus	40.	qetwṛkomti
5.	penqei	50.	penqekomti
6.	sek(s)i	60.	sekskomti
7.	séptmī	70.	septṁkomti
8:	oktōi	80.	oktōkomti
9.	néwṇi	90.	newṇkomti
10.	dékmi	100.	kṁtomi
11.	óindekmi	200.	dukṁtomi
12.	dwódekmi	1.000	túsṇtīs
13.	trídekmi	2.000	dwis túsṇtīs
14.	qetúrdekmi , <i>etc.</i>	10.000	dékmi túsṇtīs

5.5.6. OTHER NUMERALS

1. The following adjectives are called Multiplicatives, formed in PIE with common suffix **-io**, and also dialectally in compound with PIE root **pel**¹⁵⁹, *fold*, as zero-grade Gk., Ita., Gmc. and Ira. in **-plōs**, full-grade Gk., Gmc. and Cel. in suffixed **-pol-t-os**:

semiós, **smplós**, **óinpoltos**, *simple*, **semolós**, *single*, **oinikós**, *unique*; **dwoiós**, **dwiplós/duplós**, **dwéipoltos**, *double*, *twofold* (for full-grade **dwéi-plos**, cf. Goth. *twei-fls*, O.H.G. *zwi-fal*, “doubt”, Av. *bi-fra-*, “comparison”); **treijós**, **triplós**, **tréjespoltos**, *triple*, *threefold*; **qetworiós**, **qeturplós**, **qétworpoltos**, *quadruple*, *fourfold*, etc.; **młtiplós**, **młtipléks**, *multiple*, **mónoghopoltos**¹⁶⁰, *manifold*, etc.

NOTE. For **óinikos**, *any, anyone, unique*, compare Gmc. *ainagas* (cf. O.S. *enig*, O.N. *einigr*, O.E. *ænig*, O.Fris. *enich*, O.H.G. *einag*, Du. *enig*, Eng. *any*, Ger. *einig*), Lat. *unicus*; also O.Ir. *óen* into Sco. *aon*, from **oinos**, as Welsh *un*.

2. Other usual numerals (from Latin) are made as follows:

a. Temporals: **dwimós**, **trimós**, *of two or three years' age*; **dwiatnis**, **triatnis**, *lasting two or three years* (from **atnos**⁶²); **dwimēnsris**, **trimēnsris**, *of two or three months* (from **mēns**⁶¹); **dwiatniom**, *a period of two years*, as Lat. *biennium*, **smgheslatniom**, *millenium*.

b. Partitives: **dwisnāsios**, **trisnāsios**, *of two or three parts* (cf. Eng. *binary*).

c. Other possible derivatives are: **oiniōn**, *unity, union*; **dwisniōn**, *the two (of dice)*; **prwimanos**, *of the first legion*; **prwimāsíos**, *of the first rank*; **dwisnos** (distributive), *double*, **dwisnāsíos**, *of the second rank*, **tritāsíos**, *of the third rang*, etc.

NOTE 1. English *onion* comes from O.Fr. *oignon* (formerly also *oingnon*), from Lat. *unionem* (nom. *unio*), colloquial rustic Roman for a kind of onion; sense connection is the successive layers of an onion, in contrast with garlic or cloves.

NOTE 2. Most of these forms are taken from Latin, as it has influenced all other European languages for centuries, especially in numerals. These forms are neither the only ones, nor are they preferred to others in this Modern Indo-European system; they are mainly indications. To reconstruct every possible numeral usable in Indo-European is not the aim of this Grammar.

6. PRONOUNS

6.1. ABOUT THE PRONOUNS

6.1.1. Pronouns are used as Nouns or as Adjectives. They are divided into the following seven classes:

1. Personal Pronouns: as, **egó**, *I*.
2. Reflexive Pronouns: as, **swe**, *himself*.
3. Possessive Pronouns: as, **mos**, *my*.
4. Demonstrative Pronouns: as, **so**, *this*; **i**, *that*.
5. Relative Pronouns: as, **qis**, *who*.
6. Interrogative Pronouns: as, **qis?**, *who?*
7. Indefinite Pronouns: as, **áliqis**, *some one*.

6.1.2. Pronouns have a special declension.

6.2. PERSONAL PRONOUNS

6.2.1. The Personal pronouns of the first person are **egó**, *I*, **wejes**, *we*; of the second person, **tū**, *thou* or *you*, **juwes**, *you*. The personal pronouns of the third person - *he, she, it, they* - are wanting in Indo-European, an anaphoric (or even a demonstrative) being used instead.

NOTE. IE III had no personal pronouns for the third person, like most of its early dialects. For that purpose, a demonstrative was used instead; as, from **ki**, **id**, cf. Anatolian *ki*, Gmc. *khi-*, Lat. *cis-*, *id*, Gk. *ekeinos*, Lith. *sis*, O.C.S. *si*, etc. It is this system the one used in Modern Indo-European; although no unitary form was chosen in Late PIE times, the general pattern (at least in the European or Northwestern dialects) is obvious.

6.2.3. The Personal (Non-Reflexive) Pronouns are declined as follows (with *tonic* variants in italic):

<i>1st PERSON</i>	<i>Singular eg-, me⁻¹⁶¹</i>	<i>Plural we-, ns⁻¹⁶²</i>
NOM.	egó, egóm, I	wejes, ŋsmé, we
ACC.	mewóm; me, me	nōms, ŋsmé; nos, us
GEN.	mene; mo, mei, of me	ŋseróm; nos, of us
DAT.	meghei; moi	ŋsméi, nosbhos
LOC.	moí	ŋsmí, nossi
INS.	moio	nosbhis
ABL.	med	ŋsméd

<i>2nd PERSON</i>	<i>Singular tu-, te⁻¹⁶³</i>	<i>Plural ju-, ws⁻¹⁶⁴</i>
NOM.	tū, thou	juwes, jsmé, you
ACC.	tewóm; t(w)e, thee	wōms, jsmé; wos, you
GEN.	tewe; t(w)o, t(w)ei, of thee	wesróm; wos, of you
DAT.	tebhei; t(w)oi	jsméi, wosbhos; wos
LOC.	t(w)eí, t(w)oí	jsmí, wossi
INS.	t(w)oio	wosbhis
ABL.	t(w)ed	jusmé

NOTE 1. There is probably an original (regular) Acc. Pl. ending **nos-m-s* → **nōms** and **wos-m-s* → **wōms**. For detailed etymologies of these forms, see <http://dnghu.org/indoeuropean_personal_pronouns.pdf>.

NOTE 2. Other attested pronouns include 1st P. Nom. **eghóm** (cf. O.Ind. *ahám*, Av. *azəm*, Hom.Gk. *εγω*, Ven. *ehom*); Dat. sg. **meghei, tebhei, sebhei** in Osco-Umbrian and Slavic; **-es** endings in Nom. pl., **nsmés, jsmés**, attested in Att.-Ion. Gk. and Gothic. Also, Osco-Umbrian and Old Indian show variant (tonic or accented) series of Acc. Sg. in **-m**, as **mēm(e), twēm, tewe, usóm, s(w)ēm**. The 1st Person Dative form is often found reconstructed as **mébhi/*mébhei*, following the second form **tébhei** – for some scholars also **tébhi*.

For the Personal Pronouns of the third person singular and plural, the demonstrative **i** is used. See §6.5 for more details on its use and inflection.

a. The plural **wesjes** is often used for the singular **egó**; the plural **juwes** can also be so used for the singular **tū**. Both situations happen usually in formal contexts.

b. The forms **nseróm, wesróm**, etc., can be used partitively:

óinosqisqe nseróm, *each one of us*.

wesróm opniom, *of all of you*.

c. The genitives **mene, tewe, nseróm, wesróm**, are chiefly used objectively:

es mnāmōn nseróm, *be mindful of us*.

6.3. REFLEXIVE PRONOUNS

6.3.1. Reflexive Pronouns are used in the accusative and the oblique cases to refer to the subject of the sentence or clause in which they stand; as, **s(w)e lubhéieti**, *he/she loves himself/herself*; **sewe bhāmi**, *I talk about (of) me*, and so on.

a. In the first and second persons, the oblique cases of the personal pronouns were also commonly used as Reflexives: as, **me widēiō** (for **se widēiō**), *I see myself*; **nos perswādēiomos** (for **swe perswādēiomos**), *we persuade ourselves*, etc.

b. The Reflexive pronoun of the third person has a special form used only in this sense, the same for both singular and plural. It is thus declined:

swe ¹⁶⁵

ACC.	s(w)e , <i>myself, yourself, himself/herself/itself, ourselves, yourselves, themselves.</i>
GEN.	sewe , <i>of myself, yourself, himself/herself/itself, ourselves, yourselves, themselves.</i>
DAT.	sebhei, s(w)oi , <i>to myself, yourself, himself/herself/itself, ourselves, etc.</i>
LOC.-INS.	s(w)oí , <i>in/with myself, yourself, himself/herself/itself, ourselves, etc.</i>
ABL.	swed , <i>by/from/etc. myself, yourself, himself/herself/itself, ourselves, etc.</i>

6.4. POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS

6.4.1. The main Possessive pronouns in Modern Indo-European are:

1st PERSON	mewijós, meniós; (e)mos ,	ns(e)rós, nos , <i>our</i>
2nd PERSON	tewijós, t(e)wos , <i>thy, your</i>	us(e)ros, usós , <i>your</i>
REFLEXIVE	sewijós, swos , <i>my, your, his/her/its, our, your, their</i>	

These are really adjectives of the first type (**-ós, -á, -óm**), and are so declined.

NOTE 1. There are older Oblique singular forms which were assimilated to the thematic inflection by some Indo-European dialects, as **moi, toi, soi**, and its derivatives with **-s, -os, -w-**, etc. Forms in **-s(e)ros** are sometimes reconstructed along with another common **-s-t(e)ros**, as from Lat. *nostrum*, Cel. *aterom*, etc.

NOTE 2. PIE **sewijós, swos** is used only as a reflexive pronoun, referring to the subject of the sentence. For a possessive pronoun of the third person not referring to the subject, the genitive of a demonstrative must be used. Thus, **(i) paterm swom chenti**, *(he) kills his [own] father*; but **(i) paterm eso chenti**, *(he) kills his [somebody (m.) else's] father*.

6.4.3. Other forms are the following:

a. A possessive **qosós, -á, -óm**, *whose*, is formed from the genitive singular of the relative or interrogative pronoun (**qi/qo**). It may be either interrogative or relative in force according to its derivation, but is usually the former.

b. The reciprocals *one another* and *each other* may be expressed with **meitós** (cf. Goth. *missō*, O.Ind. *mithá-*, Lat. *mūtus*, Ltv. *mite-*, Ir. *mith-*, Bal-Sla. *meitu-*, etc.) or other common expressions, as Lat. **enter s(w)e** or **álteros...áalterom**, Gmc. **oinos...áalterom** (cf. Eng. *one another*, Ger. *einander*), etc.

álteros áalterī automs déukonti¹⁶⁶ (or **oinos áalterī automs déukonti**), *they drive each other's cars (one... of the other)*;

enter se lubhēionti (or **lubhēionti álteros áalterom**), *they love one another (they love among themselves)*; and so on.

6.5. ANAPHORIC PRONOUNS

6.5.1. Anaphora is an instance of an expression referring to another, the weak part of the deixis. In general, an anaphoric is represented by a pro-form or some kind of deictic. They usually don't have adjectival use, and are only used as mere abbreviating substitutes of the noun.

NOTE. The old anaphorics are usually substituted in modern Indo-European dialects by demonstratives.

They are usually integrated into the pronoun system with gender; only occasionally some of these anaphorics have been integrated into the Personal Pronouns system in Indo-European languages.

6.5.2. Modern Indo-European has a general anaphoric pronoun based on PIE root **i**. It can also be added to old **e** forms, hence **ei**.

NOTE. This root **i** is also the base for common PIE relative **jo**.

6.5.3. The other demonstrative, **so/to**, functions as anaphoric too, but tends to appear leading the sentence, being its origin probably the relative. They are also used for the second term in comparisons.

NOTE. Modern IE languages have sometimes mixed both forms to create a single system, while others maintain the old differentiation.

6.6. DEMONSTRATIVE PRONOUNS

6.6.1. The Demonstrative Pronouns **so**, *this*, and **i**, *that*, are used to point out or designate a person or thing for special attention, either with nouns, as Adjectives, or alone, as Pronouns, and are so declined:

so/to¹⁶⁷, *this*

	<i>Singular</i>			<i>Plural</i>		
	<i>m.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>f.</i>
NOM.	so	tod	sā	toi	tā	tāi/sāi
ACC.	tom	tod	tām	toms	tā	tāms
GEN.	tosio		tesās	tesom		tesom
DAT.	tosmōi		tesiāi	toibh(i)os, toimos		tābh(i)os, tāmos
LOC.	tosmi		tesiāi	toisu		tāsu
INS.	toi			toibhis, toimis		tābhis, tāmis
ABL.	tosmōd			toios		

NOTE. Different variants are observed in the attested dialects: 1) Nom. **so** is also found as **sos** in Old Indian, Greek and Gothic, and as **se** in Latin (cf. Lat. *ipse*). 2) Nom. **sā** is found as **sī** in Gothic and Celtic, also as **sjā** in Germanic. 3) Nom. Pl. **tāi** is general, while **sāi** is restricted to some dialects, as Attic-Ionic Greek. However, linguists like Beekes or Adrados reconstruct the Nominative form in **s-** as the original Proto-Indo-European form. 4) Oblique forms in **-bh-/-m-** are sometimes reconstructed as **-m-** only (Beekes).

i¹⁶⁸, that

	<i>Singular</i>			<i>Plural</i>		
	<i>m.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>f.</i>
NOM.	i	id	i	ei	ī	íes
ACC.	im	id	īm	ims	ī	īms
GEN.	eso, ejos		esās	esom		
DAT.	esmoi		esiāi	eibh(i)os, eimos		
LOC.	esmi		esiāi	eisu, -si		
INS.	eí			eibhis, eimis		
ABL.	esmōd			eios		

Deictic particles which appear frequently with demonstrative pronouns include **ko**, **ki**¹⁶⁹, *here*; **en**, **e/ono**¹⁷⁰, *there*; **e/owo**, *away, again*.

NOTE. Compare for PIE **is**, **se**, *he*, Lat. *is*, O.Ind. *saḥ*, *esaḥ*, Hitt. *apā*, Goth. *is*, O.Ir. *(h)í*; for **(e)ke**, **ghei-(ke)**, **se**, **ete**, *this (here)*, cf. Lat. *hic* (<**ghe-i-ke*), Gk. *ουτος*, O.Ind. *ay-am*, *id-am*, *esaḥ*, Hitt. *kā*, *eda* (def.), Goth. *hi-*, *sa(h)*, O.Ir. *sin*, O.Russ. *ceŭ*, *emom*; for **oise**, **iste**, **ene**, *this (there)*, cf. Lat. *iste*, Gk. *οιος* (<**oihos*), O.Ind. *enam* (clit.); for **el-ne**, *that*, cf. Lat. *ille* (<**el-ne**), *ollus* (<**ol-nos**), Gk. *εκεινος*, O.Ind. *a-sau*, *u-*, Goth. *jains*

6.7. INTERROGATIVE AND INDEFINITE PRONOUNS

6.7.1. INTRODUCTION

1. There are two forms of the Interrogative-Indefinite Pronoun in Modern Indo-European, and each one corresponds to one different class in our system, **qi** to the Substantive, and **qo** to the Adjective pronouns.

<i>SUBSTANTIVE</i>	<i>ADJECTIVE</i>
qis bhéreti? <i>who carries?</i>	qos wīros bhéreti? <i>what man carries?</i>
qim widéiesi? <i>what/who do you see?</i>	qom autom widéiesi? <i>which car do you see?</i>

NOTE 1. In the origin, **qi/qo** was possibly a noun which meant “*the unknown*”, and its interrogative/indefinite sense depended on the individual sentences. Later both became pronouns with gender, thus functioning as interrogatives (stressed) or as indefinites (unstressed).

NOTE 2. The form **qi** is probably the original independent form (compare the degree of specialization of **qo**, further extended in IE dialects), for which **qo** could have been originally the o-grade form (see Beekes, Adrados) – hence our choice of clearly dividing a *Substantive-qi* from an *Adjective-qo* in this Modern Indo-European system. Some Indo-European dialects have chosen the o-stem only, as Germanic, while some others have mixed them together in a single paradigm, as Indo-Iranian, Balto-Slavic or Italic. Compare Gmc. *khwo-* (cf. Goth. *hwas*, O.N.

hverr, O.S. *hwe*, O.E. *hwā*, Dan. *hvo*, O.Fris. *hwa*, O.H.G. *hwër*), Lat. *qui, quae, quod; quis, quid*, Osc. *pisi*, Umb. *púí, svepis*, Gk. *tis*, Sktr. *kaḥ*, Av. *ko*, O.Pers. *čiy*, Pers. *ki*, Phryg. *kos*, Toch. *kus/küse*, Arm. *ov, inčʻ*, Lith. *kas*, Ltv. *kas*, O.C.S. *kuto*, Rus. *kto*, Pol. *kto*, O.Ir. *ce, cid*, Welsh *pwyl*, Alb. *kush*, Kam. *kâčā*; in Anatolian, compare Hitt. *kuiš*, Luw. *kui-*, Lyd. *qi-*, Lyc. *tike*, and Carian *kuo*.

2. The Substantive Interrogative Pronoun **qi-?** *who?, what?*, is declined in the Singular as follows:

	<i>Singular</i>			<i>Plural</i>		
	<i>m.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>n.</i>
NOM.	qis		qid	qei(es)		qī
ACC.	qim			qims		
GEN.	qes(i)o, qeios			qeisom		
DAT.	qesmei			qeibh(i)os, qeimos		
LOC.	qesmi			qeisū, qeisi		
INS.	q(esm)í			qeibhis, qeimos		
ABL.	qosmōd			qeibh(i)os, qeimos		

3. The Adjective Interrogative Pronoun, **qo-?**, *who (of them)? what kind of? what? which?* is declined throughout like the Relative:

	<i>Singular</i>			<i>Plural</i>		
	<i>m.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>n.</i>
NOM.	qos	qā	qod	qoi	qās	qā
ACC.	qom	qām		qoms	qāms	
GEN.	qoso, qosio			qosom		
DAT.	qosmōi			qoibh(i)os, qoimos		
LOC.	qosmi			qoisū, qoisi		
INS.	q(osm)í			qoibhis, qoimis		
ABL.	qosmōd			qoibh(i)os, qoimos		

Qóteros?, *who of two?* is derived from the stem **qo** with the suffix **-tero**.

4. The Indefinite Pronouns **qi/qo**, *any one, any*, are declined like the corresponding Interrogatives.

<i>SUBSTANTIVE</i>	qis , <i>any one</i> ; qid , <i>anything</i>
<i>ADJECTIVE</i>	qos, qā, qod , <i>any</i>

5. The Adverbial form of the Indefinite-Interrogative pronoun is **qu**.

 6.7.2. COMPOUNDS

1. The pronouns **qi** and **qo** appear in various combinations.

a. The forms can be repeated, as in substantive **qisqis**, **qidqid**, or adjective **qosqos**, **qāqā**, **qodqod**; with an usual meaning *whatever, whoever, whichever*, etc.

b. In some forms the copulative conjunction **-qe** is added to form new pronouns (both as substantives and as adjectives), usually *universals*; as, **qisque**, *every one*: **qoterqe**, *each of two*, or *both*. **Qisque** is declined like the interrogative **qi**: substantive, **qisque**, **qidqe**, adjective, **qosqe**, **qāqe**, **qodqe**

c. Other forms are those with prefixes – deemed more modern –, like **aliqis** (substantive), *some one*, **aliqod** (adjective), *some*.

d. Forms with the numerals **oino-**, **sem-**, *one*, are also frequently pronouns; as in **oinos**, **oinā**, **oinom**, and **sēms** (gen. **semós**), *some, somebody, someone*.

óinosqisque, *each one*

e. The negatives are usually composed with negation particles, as **ne** or modal **mē**. As in **neqis**, **neqos**, **mēqis**, **n(ě)oin(os)** (cf. Eng. *none*, Ger. *nein*, maybe Lat. *nōn*), **noin(o)los** (Lat. *nullus*).

In the compound **óinosqisque**, *each one, every single one*, both parts are declined (genitive **óinosoqei**soqe), and they may be separated by other words:

ne en oinō qisqis qosqe, *not even in a single one*.

h. The relative and interrogative have a possessive adjective **qosos** (**-ā**, **-om**), *whose*.

i. Other Latin forms are **qāmtos**, *how great*, and **qālis**, *of what sort*, both derivative adjectives from the interrogative. They are either interrogative or relative, corresponding respectively to the demonstratives **tāmtos**, **tālis**, from **to**. Indefinite compounds are **qāmtoskomqe** and **qāliskomqe**.

j. It is also found as in compound with relative **jo**, as in **jos qis**, **jod qid**, *anyone, anything*.

h. An interrogative **mo-** is also attested in Anatolian and Tocharian.

 6.7.3. CORRELATIVES

1. Many Pronouns, Pronominal Adjectives and Adverbs have corresponding demonstrative, relative, interrogative, and indefinite forms in most Indo-European languages. Such parallel forms are called Correlatives. Some of those usable in Modern Indo-European are shown in the following table.

NOTE. Other common PIE forms include (**sol**)**wos**, *all*, cf. Gk. *ολοι*, O.Ind. *visva*, *sarva*, Hitt. *hūmant-*, O.Ir. *u(i)le*; **qāqos**, *each one*, cf. Gk. *εκατερος, εκαστος*, O.Ind. *pratiēka*, Hitt. *kuissa*, Gaul. *papon*, O.Ir. *cách*, Ru. *κακοῦ*, Goth. *ainhvaþaruh*; **qisqis**, *anyone*, cf. Gk. *τις, οστις*, O.Ind. *kacit*, *kaścana*, *kopi*, Hitt. *kuis kuis, kuis-as kuis*, Lat. *quisquis, quilibēt, quīvis*, Goth. *hvazuh, hvarjizuh*; **qiskomqe**, **qisimmoqe**, *whoever*, cf. Gk. *τις av, τις*

ean, O.Ind. *yaḥ kaś cit*, *yo yaḥ*, *yadanga*, Hitt. *kuis imma*, *kuis imma kuis*, *kuis-as imma (kuis)*, Lat. *quiscumque*, Goth. *sahvazuh saei*, Ger. *wer auch immer*, O.Ir. *cibé duine*, Russ. *кто бы ни*; **qéjespeioi**, *some*, cf. Gk. *οιτινες*, O.Ind. *katipaya*, Hitt. *kuis ki*, Russ. *несколько*; (**ed**)**qis**, *some(one) among many*, cf. Gk. *τις*, O.Ind. *anyatama*, Hitt. *kuis ki*, Lat. *ecquis*, *quis*, *aliquis*, Goth. *hwashun*, Russ. *едва́*, O.Ir. *nech*, *duine*; **enis**, *certain*, cf. Gk. *ενιαυτον*, O.Ind. *ekaścana* Lat. *quīdam*; **somós**, *the same*, cf. O.Ind. *sama*, Goth. *sama*, Russ. *самый*; **se epse**, **epe**, **s(w)el (e)pe**, *(him)self*, cf. Hitt. *apāsila*, O.Lat. *sapsa*, *sumpse*, *ipse*, Goth. *silba*, O.Ir. *fessin*, *fadessin* (>*féin*), Russ. *сам*, **neqis**, *noone*, cf. Gk. *ουδεις*, O.Ind. *na kaḥ*, Hitt. *UL kuiski*, Goth. *(ni) hwashun*, Gaul. *nepon*, O.Ir. *ní aon duine*, Lat. *nec quisquam*, Russ. *никто*; **álteros**, **ónteros**, *the other*, **alios**, **onios**, *some other*, etc.

<i>Demonstrative</i>	<i>Relative</i>	<i>Interrogative</i>	<i>Indefinite Relative</i>	<i>Indefinite</i>
i	qis	qis?	qisqis	aliqís
<i>that</i>	<i>who? what?</i>	<i>who? what?</i>	<i>whoever, whatever</i>	<i>some one, something</i>
tāmtos	qāmtos	qāmtos?	qāmtoskomqe	aliqāmtos
<i>so great</i>	<i>how (as) great</i>	<i>how great?</i>	<i>however great</i>	<i>some/other</i>
tālis/swo	qālis	qālis?	qāliskomqe	-
<i>such, so, this way</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>of what sort?</i>	<i>of whatever kind</i>	-
tom/toeno	qom/qieno	qāmdō/qieno?	qāmdōkomqe/éneo	aliqāmdō
<i>then ('this there')</i>	<i>when</i>	<i>when?</i>	<i>whenever</i>	<i>at some/other time</i>
totrō(d)	qitro	qitro?	qitṛqiter	aliqiter
<i>thither</i>	<i>whither</i>	<i>whither?</i>	<i>whithersoever</i>	<i>(to) somewhere</i>
ī	qā	qā?	qāqā	aliqá
<i>that way</i>	<i>which way</i>	<i>which way?</i>	<i>whithersoever</i>	<i>(to) anywhere</i>
tóendes	qíendes	qíendes?	qíendekomqe	aliqíende
<i>thence</i>	<i>whence</i>	<i>whence?</i>	<i>whencesoever</i>	<i>from somewhere</i>
qidhei/toko	qodhei/qisko	qodhei/qisko?	qódheiqisqe	aliqidhei/aliqodhei
<i>there ('this here')</i>	<i>where</i>	<i>where?</i>	<i>wherever</i>	<i>other place/somewhere</i>
tot	qot	qot?	qotqot	aliqót
<i>so many</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>how many?</i>	<i>however many</i>	<i>other, some, several</i>
tótients	qótients	qótients?	qótientskomqe	aliqótients
<i>so often</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>how often?</i>	<i>however often</i>	<i>at several times</i>
so	qos	qos	qosqos	aliqós
<i>this</i>	<i>who? which?</i>	<i>who? which?</i>	<i>whoever, whichever</i>	<i>some (of them)</i>

¹ Latin *(c)ibī*, *(c)ubī* is frequently reconstructed as a conceivable PIE ***qibhi**, ***qobhi**, but it is not difficult to find a common origin in PIE **qi-dhei**, **qo-dhei** for similar forms attested in different IE dialects; cf. Lat. *ubī*, Osc. *puf*, O.Ind. *kuha*, O.Sla. *kude*, etc. See <http://dnghu.org/indoeuropean_pronouns.pdf> for more information.

6.8. RELATIVE PRONOUNS

6.8.1. There are two general pronominal stems used as relative pronouns, one related to the anaphorics and one to the interrogative-indefinites.

6.8.2. Relative Pronoun **jo**, the o-stem derivative from **i**. It is inflected like **so/to** and **qo**.

	<i>Singular</i>			<i>Plural</i>		
	<i>m.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>f.</i>	<i>m.</i>	<i>n.</i>	<i>f.</i>
NOM.	jos	jod	jā	jói	jā	sái
ACC.	jom	jod	jām	joms	jā	jāms
GEN.	josio		jesās	jesom		
DAT.	josmōi		jesiāi	jeibh(i)os, jeimos		
LOC.	josmi		jesiāi	jeisu, jeisi		
INS.	jeí			jeibhis, jeimis		
ABL.	jesmōd			jeios		

6.8.3. **qo/qi**, *who, which*, has its origin in the interrogative pronouns, and are declined alike.

NOTE. Relative pronoun **jo-**, maybe from an older **hjo-*, is found in Gk. *hós*, Skr. *yá-*, Av. *ya-*, Phryg. *ios*, Cel. *io*. Italic and Germanic dialects use **qo-** as relative, in compound with **-qe** in Germanic. In Balto-Slavic, this pronouns is suffixed in some adjectives to create indefinites. It is also found as indefinite in compound with **qi/qo**, as in **jós qis, jód qid**, *anyone, anything*, as Gk. *hóstis hótti*, Skr. *yás cit, yác cit*.

6.9. IDENTITY PRONOUNS

6.9.1. With Identity pronoun we are referring to the English *self*, which is formed differently in most Indo-European dialects. The different possibilities are:

1. Those which come from a Pronoun, which are only valid for the third person, formed basically by the anaphoric pronoun lengthened with another particle:

- a. Greek **autós**, as Gk. *αὐτός*, from adverb **au**, *newly*, and the anaphoric **to**.
- b. Latin identity **idem** formed by **id** and ending **-em**.

2. Those formed from a Noun, with the sense *equal, same*, able to modify demonstrative or personal pronouns, and even having an autonomous pronominal use, with a pronoun declension:

The common Indo-European form is derived from adjective **somós**, *same, similar*.

NOTE. Common adjective **somós**, *same*, and different derivatives from PIE root **sem**, give Gmc. *samaz* (cf. O.S., O.H.G., Goth. *sama*, O.N. *sómr*, O.E. *same*, O.H.G. *samant*, Ger. *samt*, Du. *zamelen*), Lat. *similis*, (IE **smilís**) Gk. *ὁμός, ὁμοῦ, ὁμαλός*, Skr. *samaḥ*, Av. *hama*, O.C.S., O.Russ. *самъ*, Pol. *sam, sama*, O.Ir. *som, sáim* (from IE **sōmi**).

6.10. OPPOSITIVE PRONOUNS

6.10.1. There are two forms to express the opposition of two deictic or anaphoric pronouns.

6.10.2. The first type of opposition is made with the same word, meaning *what is different*. This is the same as the English *either...either* sentences.

6.10.3. Modern Indo-European has also terms itself oppositives, apart from the correlation sentences:

a. Derived from the oppositive suffix **-tero**:

súteros, *different*, from which Gmc. *sunteraz*, Ger. *sonder*, Gk *ατερ* (cf. Gk. ἕτερος, “*other, different, uneven*”), Lat. *sine*, “*without*”, O.Ind. *sanutar*, O.Sla. *svene*, O.Ir. *sain*, “*different*”.

qóteros, *either (of two)*, and **qúteros** (as Lat. *uter*), formed with adverb **qu** (from interrogative-indefinite **qi/qo**). The later appears also in common Indo-European loan from Lat. *neuter*, MIE **neqúteros**, “*neither one nor the other*”.

NOTE. The oldest interrogative form is probably **qóteros?**, *who of two?*, attested in different IE dialects.

áleros, *the other*, already seen.

NOTE. Another form is that of the deictic **en-/eno-** and **-teros**, as in **enteros**, also **anteros** (influenced by **alteros**), found in Germanic and Balto-Slavic dialects.

b. The Stem **al-**, **ali-** is very common in Modern Indo-European, the **-i** being a characteristic lengthening of the pronouns and not an adjectival one. Some usual forms are **alios**, **álidhei** (sometimes reconstructed as ***álibhi**, but cf. Lat. *alibi*, Gk. *αλλυδεις*, Goth. *aljab*, etc.), **aliqis**, etc.

7. VERBS

7.1. INTRODUCTION

7.1.1. VOICE, MOOD, TENSE, PERSON, NUMBER

1. The inflection of the Verb is called its Conjugation.
2. Through its conjugation the Verb expresses Voice, Mood, Tense, Person and Number.
3. The Voices are two: Active and Middle (or *Mediopassive*).
4. The Moods can be four: Indicative and Imperative are the oldest ones, while Subjunctive and Optative, which are more recent, are not common to all Indo-European dialects.
5. The General Tenses are three, *viz.*:
 - a. The Present
 - b. The Past or Preterite.
 - c. The Future

NOTE. The Future Stem is generally believed to have appeared in Late PIE, not being able to spread to some dialects before the general split of the proto-languages; the distinction between a Present and a Future tense, however, is common to all IE languages.

6. The Aspects were up to three:
 - a. For continued, not completed action, the Present.
 - b. For the state derived from the action, the Perfect.
 - c. For completed action, the Aorist.

NOTE 1. There is some confusion on whether the Aorist (from Gk. *αοριστος*, “*indefinite or unlimited*”) is a tense or an aspect. This reflects the double nature of the aorist in Ancient Greek. In the indicative, the Ancient Greek aorist represents a combination of tense and aspect: past tense, perfective aspect. In other moods (subjunctive, optative and imperative), however, as well as in the infinitive and (largely) the participle, the aorist is purely aspectual, with no reference to any particular tense. Modern Greek has inherited the same system. In Proto-Indo-European, the aorist was originally just an aspect, but before the split of Late PIE dialects it was already spread as a combination of tense and aspect, just as in Ancient Greek, since a similar system is also found in Sanskrit.

NOTE 2. The original meanings of the past tenses (Aorist, Perfect and Imperfect) are often assumed to match their meanings in Greek. That is, the Aorist represents a single action in the past, viewed as a discrete event; the Imperfect represents a repeated past action or a past action viewed as extending over time, with the focus on some point in the middle of the action; and the Perfect represents a present state resulting from a past action. This

corresponds, approximately, to the English distinction between “I ate”, “I was eating” and “I have eaten”, respectively. Note that the English “I have eaten” often has the meaning, or at least the strong implication, of “I am in the state resulting from having eaten”, in other words “I am now full”. Similarly, “I have sent the letter” means approximately “The letter is now (in the state of having been) sent”. However, the Greek, and presumably PIE, perfect, more strongly emphasizes the *state* resulting from an action, rather than the action itself, and can shade into a present tense.

In Greek the difference between the present, aorist and perfect tenses when used outside of the indicative (that is, in the subjunctive, optative, imperative, infinitive and participles) is almost entirely one of grammatical aspect, not of tense. That is, the aorist refers to a simple action, the present to an ongoing action, and the perfect to a state resulting from a previous action. An aorist infinitive or imperative, for example, does *not* refer to a past action, and in fact for many verbs (e.g. “kill”) would likely be more common than a present infinitive or imperative. In some participial constructions, however, an aorist participle can have either a tensal or aspectual meaning. It is assumed that this distinction of aspect was the original significance of the Early PIE “tenses”, rather than any actual tense distinction, and that tense distinctions were originally indicated by means of adverbs, as in Chinese. However, it appears that by Late PIE, the different tenses had already acquired a tensal meaning in particular contexts, as in Greek, and in later Indo-European languages this became dominant.

The meanings of the three tenses in the oldest Vedic Sanskrit, however, differs somewhat from their meanings in Greek, and thus it is not clear whether the PIE meanings corresponded exactly to the Greek meanings. In particular, the Vedic imperfect had a meaning that was close to the Greek aorist, and the Vedic aorist had a meaning that was close to the Greek perfect. Meanwhile, the Vedic perfect was often indistinguishable from a present tense (Whitney 1924). In the moods other than the indicative, the present, aorist and perfect were almost indistinguishable from each other. The lack of semantic distinction between different grammatical forms in a literary language often indicates that some of these forms no longer existed in the spoken language of the time. In fact, in Classical Sanskrit, the subjunctive dropped out, as did all tenses of the optative and imperative other than the present; meanwhile, in the indicative the imperfect, aorist and perfect became largely interchangeable, and in later Classical Sanskrit, all three could be freely replaced by a participial construction. All of these developments appear to reflect changes in spoken Middle Indo-Aryan; among the past tenses, for example, only the aorist survived into early Middle Indo-Aryan, which was later displaced by a participial past tense.

7. There are four IE Verbal Stems we will deal with in this grammar:

I. The Present Stem, which gives the Present with primary endings and the Imperfect with secondary endings.

II. The Aorist Stem, always Past, with secondary endings, giving the Aorist, usually in zero-grade, with dialectal augment and sometimes reduplication.

III. The Perfect Stem, giving the Perfect, only later specialized in Present and Past.

IV. The Future Stem, an innovation of Late PIE.

NOTE. Under the point of view of most scholars, then, from this original PIE verbal system, the Aorist merged with the Imperfect Stem in Balto-Slavic, and further with the Perfect Stem in Germanic, Italic, Celtic and Tocharian dialects. The Aorist, meaning the completed action, is then reconstructed as a third PIE *tense-aspect*, following mainly the findings of Old Indian, Greek, and also – mixed with the Imperfect and Perfect Stems – Latin.

8. The Persons are three: First, Second, and Third.

9. The Numbers in Modern Indo-European are two: Singular and Plural, and it is the only common class with the name. It is marked very differently, though.

NOTE. The reconstructed Dual, as in nouns, whether an innovation or (unlikely) an archaism of Late Proto-Indo-European dialects, is not systematized in MIE, due to its limited dialectal spread and early disappearance.

7.1.2. NOUN AND ADJECTIVE FORMS

1. The following Noun and Adjective forms are also included in the inflection of the Indo-European Verb:

A. Verbal Nouns existed in Proto-Indo-European, but there is no single common prototype for a PIE Infinitive, as they were originally nouns which later entered the verbal conjugation and began to be inflected as verbs. There are some successful infinitive endings, though, that will be later explained.

NOTE 1. It is common to most IE languages that a special case-form (usually dative or accusative) of the verbal nouns froze, thus entering the verbal inflection and becoming infinitives. Although some endings of those successful precedents of the infinitives may be reproduced with some certainty for PIE, the (later selected) dialectal case-forms may not, as no general pattern is found.

NOTE 2. A common practice in Proto-Indo-European manuals (following the Latin tradition) is to name the verbs conjugated in first person present, e.g. **esmi**, *I am*, for the verb **es**, *to be*, or **bherō** (also probably older Athematic **bhérmi**), *I carry*, for the verb **bhér-**, *to carry*.

B. The Participles are older adjectives which were later included in the verbal inflection.

I. The oldest known is the Present Participle, in **-nt**.

II. The Perfect Participle, more recent, shows multiple endings, as **-ues**, **-uos**, **-uet**, **-uot**.

III. Middle Participles, an innovation in Late PIE, end in **-meno**, **-mōno**, **-mno**; and also some in **-to**, **-no**, **-lo**, **-mo**, etc.

C. The Gerund and the Absolutive, not generalized in Late PIE, indicated possibility or necessity.

2. The Participles are used as follows:

A. The Present Participle has commonly the same meaning and use as the English participle in *-ing*; as, **woqánts**, *calling*, **legénts**¹³⁴, *reading*.

B. The Perfect Participle has two uses:

I. It is sometimes equivalent to the English perfect passive participle; as, **tektós**³⁴, *sheltered*, **adkēptós**, *accepted*, and often has simply an adjective meaning.

II. It is used with the verb **es**, *to be*, to form the static passive; as, **i woqātós esti**, *he is called*.

NOTE 1. Some questions about the participles are not easily conciled: in Latin, they are formed with **e** ending and are stems in **i**; in Greek, they are formed in **o** and are consonantal stems. Greek, on the other hand, still shows remains of the thematic vowel in participles of *verba vocalia -āiont-*, *-ēiont-*, etc. Latin doesn't.

NOTE 2. The static passive is a new independent formation of many Indo-European dialects, not common to Late PIE, but probably a common resource of Europe's Indo-European, easily loan translated from Romance, Germanic and Balto-Slavic languages into Modern Indo-European as auxiliary verb *to be + perfect participle*.

C. The Gerundive is often used as an adjective implying obligation, necessity, or propriety (*ought or must*); as, **i awisdhíjendhos esti**, *he must be heard*.

NOTE. The verb is usually at the end of the sentence, as in Latin, Greek and Sanskrit. In Hittite, it is behind the particles (up to seven in succession). In Old Irish it was either at the beginning of the sentence or in second place after a particle. For more on this, see PIE Syntax in Appendix I.

7.1.3. VOICES

1. In grammar, Voice is the relationship between the action or state expressed by a verb and its arguments. When the subject is the agent or actor of the verb, the verb is said to be in the Active. When the subject is the patient or target of the action, it is said to be in the Passive.

2. The Active and Middle (or *Mediopassive*) Voices in Modern Indo-European generally correspond to the active and passive in English, but:

a. The Middle voice often has a reflexive meaning. It generally refers to an action whose object is the subject, or an action in which the subject has an interest or a special participation:

(i) **wértetoi**, *she/he turns (herself/himself)*.

(ei) **wésntoi**, *they dress (themselves)*.

NOTE. This reflexive sense could also carry a sense of benefaction for the subject, as in the sentence "I sacrificed a goat (for my own benefit)". These constructions would have used the active form of "sacrificed" when the action was performed for some reason other than the subject's benefit.

b. The Mediopassive with Passive endings (in **-r**) is reserved for a very specific use in Modern Indo-European, the Dynamic or Eventive passives; as

(egó) **bhéromar 20^{t6s} Djówilioi**, *I became born on July 20th (or 20 Djówilī, “20 of July”)*.

moiros¹⁷¹ píngetor¹⁷², *the wall is being painted or someone paints the wall*, lit. “*the wall paints (impersonal mark)*”.

NOTE 1. The dynamic passive usually means that an action is done, while the static or stative passive means that the action was done at a point in time, that it is already made. The last is obtained in MIE (as usually in Germanic, Romance and Balto-Slavic dialects) with a periphrasis, including the verb **es**, *be*. Following the above examples:

(egó) **gn(a)tá/bh(e)rtá esmi 20^{6s} Djówilios**, *I (f.) was born on July 20*.

moiros pigtósⁱ (esti), *the wall (is) [already] painted*.

ⁱ The infix **-n** is lost outside the Present Stem; thus, the Participle is not **píngtós**, but **pigtós**. Nevertheless, when the **n** is part of the Basic Stem, it remains. See the Verbal Stems for more details on the Nasal Infix.

NOTE 2. The Modern Indo-European Passive Voice endings (in **-r**) are older Impersonal and PIE Middle Voice alternative endings, found in Italic, Celtic, Tocharian, Germanic, Indo-Iranian and Anatolian, later dialectally specialized for the passive in some of those dialects. The concepts underlying modern IE Passives are, though, general to the Northern dialects (although differently expressed in Germanic and Balto-Slavic), and therefore MIE needs a common translation to express it. For the stative passive, the use of the verb **es-**, *to be*, is common, but dynamic passives have different formations in each dialect. The specialized Mediopassive dialectal endings seems thus the best option keeping thus tradition and unity. See §§ 7.2.2 and 7.2.7.3.

c. Some verbs are only active, as, **esmi⁴⁴**, *be*, **edmi¹⁷³**, *eat*, or **dōmi⁹⁶**, *give*

d. Many verbs are middle in form, but active or reflexive in meaning. These are called Deponents: as, **kejai⁷⁷**, *lay*; **séqomai⁶⁰**, *follow*, etc.

7.1.4. MOODS

1. While IE II had possibly only Indicative and Imperative, a Subjunctive and an Optative were added in the third stage of Proto-Indo-European, both used in the Present, Perfect and Aorist. Not all dialects, however, developed those new formations further.

2. The Imperative is usually formed with a pure stem, adding sometimes adverbial or pronominal elements.

3. Some common Subjunctive marks are the stem endings **-ā**, **-ē**, and **-s**, but it is more usually formed with the opposition Indicative Athematic vs. Subjunctive Thematic, or Indicative Thematic vs. Subjunctive Thematic with lengthened vowel.

4. The Optative is differentiated from the Subjunctive by its characteristic suffix **-iē/-ī**; in thematic Tenses it is **-oi**, i.e. originally the same Subjunctive suffix added to the thematic vowel **-o**.

5. The Moods are used as follows:

a. The Indicative Mood is used for most direct assertions and interrogations.

b. The Subjunctive Mood has many idiomatic uses, as in commands, conditions, and various dependent clauses. It is often translated by the English Indicative; frequently by means of the auxiliaries *may, might, would, should*; sometimes by the (rare) Subjunctive; sometimes by the Infinitive; and often by the Imperative, especially in prohibitions.

c. The Imperative is used for exhortation, entreaty, or command; but the Subjunctive could be used instead.

d. The Infinitive is used chiefly as an indeclinable noun, as the subject or complement of another verb.

7.1.5. TENSES OF THE FINITE VERB

1. The Tenses of the Indicative have, in general, the same meaning as the corresponding tenses in English:

a. Of continued action,

I. Present: **bherō**²⁴, *I bear, I am bearing, I do bear*.

II. Imperfect: **bheróm**, *I was bearing*.

III. Future: **bhersō**, *I shall bear*.

b. Of completed action or the state derived from the action,

IV. Perfect: **(bhé)bhora**, *I have borne*.

V. Aorist: **(é)bheróm**, *I bore*.

NOTE. Although the Aorist formation was probably generalized in Late PIE, Augment is a dialectal feature only found in Ind.-Ira., Gk., Arm and Phryg. It seems that the great success of that particular augment (similar to other additions like Lat. *per-* or Gmc. *ga-*) happened later in the proto-languages. Vedic Sanskrit shows that Augment was not obligatory, and for Proto-Greek, cf. Mycenaean *do-ke/a-pe-do-ke*, Myc. *qi-ri-ja-to*, Hom. Gk. *πριατο*, etc.

7.2. FORMS OF THE VERB

7.2.1. THE VERBAL STEMS

1. The Forms of the verb may be referred to four basic Stems, called (1) the Present, (2) the Aorist, (3) the Perfect and (4) the Future.

NOTE. There are some forms characteristic of each stem, like the suffix **-n-** or **-sko**, which give generally Present stems. Generally, however, forms give different stems only when opposed to others.

2. There are some monothematic verbs as **esmi**, *to be*, or **edmi**, *eat* – supposedly remains of the older situation of IE II. And there are also some traces of recent or even nonexistent mood oppositions. To obtain this opposition there are not only reduplications, lengthenings and alternations, but also vowel changes and accent shifts.

3. There are also some other verbs, not derived from root words, the Denominatives and Deverbatives. The first are derived from nouns; as, **strowiō**, *strew, sprinkle*, from **strou-**, *structure*; the last are derived from verbs, as, **wediō**, *inform* (from **weid**-³³, *know, see*), also *guard, look after*.

NOTE. It is not clear whether these Deverbatives – Causatives, Desideratives, Intensives, Iteratives, etc. – are actually derivatives of older PIE roots, or are frozen remains, formed by compounds of older (IE II or Early PIE) independent verbs added to other verbs, the ones regarded as basic.

5. Reduplication is another common resource; it consists of the repetition of the root, either complete or abbreviated; as, **sisdō**, *sit down, settle down* (or **sizdō**, as Lat. *sisto*, Gk. *hidzein*, found in **nísdos/nízdos**, *nest*, from **sed**-⁴⁴, *sit*), **gígnoskō**, *know* (as Gk. *gignosko*, from **gnō**-¹⁰⁰), **mímnāskō**, *remember* (from **men**-¹⁷⁸, *think*), etc.

6. The Stem Vowel has no meaning in itself, but it helps to build different stems, whether thematic or semithematic (those which can be thematic and athematic), opposed to athematics. Thus, It can be used to oppose a) Indicative Athematic to Subjunctive Thematic, b) Present Thematic to Imperfect Athematic, c) Active to Middle voice, etc. Sometimes an accent shift helps to create a distinctive meaning, too.

7. Stems are inflected, as in the declension of nouns, with the help of lengthenings and endings (or “*desinences*”).

7.2.2. VERB-ENDINGS

1. Every form of the finite verb is made up of two parts:

I. The Stem. This is either the root or a modification or development of it.

II. The Ending or *Desinence*, consisting of:

a. The signs of Mood and Tense.

b. The Personal Ending.

Thus in the verb **bhér-se-ti**, *he will carry*, the root is **bher-**, *carry*, modified into the thematic future verb-stem **bher-s-e/o-**, *will carry*, which by the addition of the personal primary ending **-ti** becomes the meaningful **bhérseti**; the ending **-ti**, in turn, consists of the (probably) tense-sign **-i** and the personal ending of the third person singular, **-t**.

2. Verbal endings can thus define the verb Stem, Tense and Mood.

The primary series indicates present and future, and **-mi**, **-si**, **-ti**, and 3rd Pl. **-nti** are the most obvious formations of Late PIE. The secondary endings indicate Past; as, **-m**, **-s**, **-t** and 3rd Pl. **-nt**. The subjunctive and optative are usually marked with the secondary endings, but in the subjunctive primary desinences are attested sometimes. The imperative has \emptyset or special endings.

NOTE. Although not easily reconstructed, Late Proto-Indo-European had already independent formations for the first and second person plural. However, there were probably no common endings used in all attested dialects, and therefore a selection has to be made for MIE, v.i.

They can also mark the person; those above mark the first, second and third person singular and third plural. Also, with thematic vowels, they mark the voice: **-ti** Active Prim. | **-toi** Middle Prim. | **-tor** Passive, and so on.

3. The Augment was used in the southern dialects – i.e. Indo-Iranian, Greek & Armenian – to mark the Past Tense (i.e., the Aorist and the Imperfect). It was placed before the Stem, and consisted generally of a stressed **é-**, which is a dialectal Graeco-Aryan feature not generally used in MIE.

NOTE. Some common variants existed, as lengthened **é-**, cf. Gk. $\eta < \bar{e}/\bar{a}$ and $\omega < \bar{o}$, the so-called Wackernagel contractions of the Augment and the beginning of the verbal root, which happened already by 2000 BC. These are different from those which happened in Attic Greek by 1000 BC.

4. Modern Indo-European verbal endings, as they are formed by the signs for mood and tense combined with personal endings, may be organized in five series.

		ACTIVE		MIDDLE (or Middle-Passive)		
		Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary	Passive-only
Sg.	1.	-mi	-m	-(m)ai	-ma	-(m)ar
	2.	-si	-s	-soi	-so	-sor
	3.	-ti	-t	-toi	-to	-tor
Pl.	1.	-mes/-mos	-me/-mo	-mesdha	-medha	-mosr/-mor
	2.	-te	-te	-dhe	-dhue	-dhuer
	3.	-nti	-nt	-ntoi	-nto	-ntor

NOTE. The Middle is easily reconstructed for the singular and the third person plural of the secondary endings. For the rest of the Primary Endings there is no consensus as how they looked like in PIE. What we do know is:

1. that the Southern and Anatolian dialects show Middle Primary Endings in **-i**, and second plural forms in **-medha** (PIH *med^hh₂*), **-mesdha** (PIH *mesd^hh₂*), which may be also substituted by the common PIE forms in **-men-**, which is found as Gk. *-men*, Hitt. *-meni*.
2. that Latin, Italic, Celtic and Tocharian had Mediopassive Primary Endings in **-r**, whilst in Indo-Iranian and Anatolian, such endings coexisted with the general thematic **-oi**.
3. that therefore both Mediopassive endings (**-r** and **-oi**) coexisted already in the earliest reconstructible Proto-Indo-European; and
4. that the Middle endings were used for the Middle Voice in Graeco-Aryan dialects, while in the Northern dialects they were sometimes specialized as Passives or otherwise disappeared.

Thus, following the need for clarity in Modern Indo-European, we reserve the PIE endings in **-r** for the dynamic passive, and keep those in **-i** for the original Middle Voice.

5. The Perfect endings are as follows:

		Perfect
<i>sg.</i>	1.	-a
	2.	-ta
	3.	-e
<i>pl.</i>	1.	-mé
	2.	-té
	3.	-(é)r

6. The Thematic and Athematic endings of Active, Middle and Passive are:

Active		<i>Athematic</i>		<i>Thematic</i>	
		Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary
<i>sg.</i>	1.	-mi	-m	-ō, -omi	-om
	2.	-si	-s	-esi	-es
	3.	-ti	-t	-eti	-et
<i>pl.</i>	1.	-mes/-mos	-me/-mo	-omes/-omos	-ome/-omo
	2.	-te		-ete	
	3.	-nti	-nt	-onti	-ont

NOTE. Athematic Desinences in ***-enti**, as found in Mycenaean and usually reconstructed as proper PIE endings, weren't probably common PIE forms. Compare Att.Gk. *-aasi* (<*-ansi*<*-anti*), or O.Ind. *-ati*, both remade

from an original zero-grade PIE *-ŋti*. In fact, Mycenaean shows some clearly remade examples, as Myc. *e-e-esi* <**esenti* (cf. Ion. εων), or *ki-ti-je-si* (<*ktiensi*)

Mediopass.		Athematic		Thematic		PASSIVE*	
		Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary	Athematic	Thematic
sg.	1.	-mai	-ma	-ai, -omai	-oma	-mar	-ar, -omar
	2.	-soi	-so	-esoi	-eso	-sor	-esor
	3.	-toi	-to	-etoi	-eto	-tor	-etor
pl.	1.	-mesdha	-medha	-omesdha	-omedha	-mo(s)r	-omo(s)r
	2.	-dhe	-dhue	-edhe	-edhue	-dhuer	-edhuer
	3.	-ŋtoi	-ŋto	-ontoi	-onto	-ŋtor	-ontor

a. The secondary endings are actually a negative term opposed to the primaries. They may be opposed to the present or future of indicative, they may indicate indifference to Tense, and they might also be used in Present.

NOTE 1. It is generally accepted that the Secondary Endings appeared first, and then an **-i** (or an **-r**) was added to them. Being opposed to the newer formations, the older endings received a Preterite (or Past) value, and became then Secondary.

NOTE 2. Forms with secondary endings – i.e. without a time marker **-i** or **-r** (without distinction of time) –, not used with a Preterite value, are traditionally called Injunctives, and have mainly a modal value. The Injunctive seems to have never been an independent mood, though, but just another possible use of the original endings in Proto-Indo-European.

b. The Middle-Active Opposition is not always straightforward, as there are only-active and only-middle verbs, as well as verbs with both voices but without semantic differences between them.

7.2.3. THE THEMATIC VOWEL

1. Stem vowels are – as in nouns – the vowel endings of the Stem, especially when they are derivatives. They may be **i**, **u**, **ā**, **ē** (and also **ō** in Roots). But the most extended stem vowel is **e/o** (also lengthened **ē/ō**), called Thematic Vowel, which existed in PIH before the split of the Anatolian dialects, and which overshadowed the (older) athematic stems by Late PIE. The thematization of stems, so to speak, relegated the athematic forms especially to the aorist and to the perfect; most of the old athematics, even those in **-ā-** and **-ē-**, are usually found extended with thematic endings **-ie-** or **-io-** in IE III.

NOTE. The old thematics were usually remade, but there are some which resisted this trend; as **bherō**, *I bear*, **dō**, *I give*, or **i!**, *go!*

The stem vowel has sometimes a meaning, as with **-ē-** and **-ā-**, which can indicate state. There are also some old specializations of meanings, based on oppositions:

a. Thematic vs. Athematic:

- Athematic Indicative vs. Thematic Subjunctive. The contrary is rare.
- Thematic Present vs. Athematic Aorist, and *vice versa*.
- Thematic 1st Person Sg. & Pl. and 3rd Person Pl., and Athematic the rest.
- It may also be found in the Middle-Active voice opposition.

b. Thematic stem with variants:

- The first person, thematic in lengthened **-ō**.
- Thematic **o** in 1st Person Sg. & Pl. and 3rd Person Pl.; **e** in 2nd and 3rd Person Sg. and 2nd Pl. There is also an archaic 3rd Person Pl. in **e**, as in **sentī**, *they are*.

c. Opposition of Thematic stems. This is obtained with different vowel grades of the root and by the accent position.

2. In the Semithematic inflection the Athematic forms alternate with Thematic ones.

NOTE. The semithematic is for some an innovation of Late PIE, which didn't reach some of the dialects, while for others it represents a situation in which the opposition Thematic-Athematic and the Accent Shifts of an older system have been forgotten, leaving only some mixed remains.

7.2.4. VERB CREATION

1. With Verb Creation we refer to the way verbs are created from Nouns and other Verbs by adding suffixes and through reduplication of stems.

2. There are generally two kinds of suffixes: Root and Derivative; they are so classified because they are primarily added to the Roots or to Derivatives of them. Most of the suffixes we have seen (like **-u**, **-i**, **-n**, **-s**, etc.) is a root suffix.

Derivative suffixes may be:

- a. Denominatives, which help create new verbs from nouns; as, **-ie/-io**.
- b. Deverbatives, those which help create new verbs from other verbs; as, **-ei-** (plus root vocalism **o**), **-i-**, **-s-**, **-sk-**, **-ā-**, **-ē-** etc.

3. Reduplication is usual in many modern languages. It generally serves to indicate intensity or repetition in nouns; in the Proto-Indo-European verb it had two uses:

a. It helped create a Deverbative, opposed to root verbs, generally in the Present, especially in intensives; as, **bhérbher-** from **bher-**, *carry*, or **gálgal-** (cf. O.C.S. *glagoljā*) from **gal-**¹⁷⁴, *call*; etc.

NOTE. It is doubtful whether these are remains of an older system based on the opposition Root/Deverbative, prior to the more complicated developments of Late PIE in suffixes and endings, or, on the contrary, it is the influence of the early noun derivations.

b. Essentially, though, reduplication has lost its old value and marks the different stems, whether Present, Aorist or Perfect. There are some rules in reduplication:

- In the Present, it can be combined with roots and accent; as, **bhíbher-mi**, **gígnō-mi**, etc.
- In the Perfect, generally with root vocalism and special endings; as, **bhébhor-a**, **gégon-a**, etc.

NOTE. Reduplicated Perfects show usually o-grade root vowel (as in Gk., Gmc. and O.Ind.), but there are exceptions with zero-grade vocalism, cf. Lat. *tutudi*, Gk. *mémikha*, *tétaka*, *gégaa*.

- Full reduplications of intensives (cf. **bher-bher-**, **mor-mor-**) are different from simple reduplications of verbal Stems, which are formed by the initial consonant and **i** in the Present (cf. **bhi-bher-**, **mi-mno-**, **pí-bo-**), or **e** in the Perfect and in the Aorist (cf. **bhe-bher-**, **gé-gon**, **ké-klow-**).

NOTE. In other cases, reduplicated stems might be opposed, for example, to the Aorist to form Perfects or *vice versa*, or to disambiguate other elements of the stem or ending.

7.2.5. SEPARABLE VERBS

1. A Separable Verb is a verb that is composed of a Verb Stem and a Separable Affix. In some verb forms, the verb appears in one word, whilst in others the verb stem and the affix are separated.

NOTE. A Prefix is a type of affix that precedes the morphemes to which it can attach. A separable affix is an affix that can be detached from the word it attaches to and located elsewhere in the sentence in a certain situation.

2. Many Modern Indo-European verbs are separable verbs, as in Homeric Greek, in Hittite, in the oldest Vedic and in modern German ‘*trennbare Verben*’.

Thus, for example, the (Latin) verb **supplakātus**, *beg humbly*, *supplicate* (from **suppláks**, *suppliant*, from PIE **plāk-**, *be flat*), gives **sup wos (egó) plakāiō** (cf. O.Lat. *sub uos placō*), *I entreat you*, and not **(egó) wos-supplakāiō**, as Classic Lat. *uos supplicō*.

NOTE. German is well known for having many separable affixes. In the sentence Ger. *Ich komme gut zu Hause an* the prefix *an* in the verb *ankommen* is detached. However, in the participle, as in *Er ist angekommen*, “*He has arrived*”, it is not separated. In Dutch, compare *Hij is aangekomen*, “*He has arrived*”, but *Ik kom morgen aan*, *I shall arrive tomorrow*.

English has many phrasal or compound verb forms that act in this way. For example, the adverb (or adverbial particle) *up* in the phrasal verb *to screw up* can appear after the subject (“*things*”) in the sentence: “*He is always screwing things up*”.

Non-personal forms, i.e. Nouns and Adjectives, formed a *karmadharaya* with the preposition, as O.Ind. *prasādaḥ*, “favour”, Lat *subsidium*, *praesidium*, O.Ind. *apaciti*, Gk. *apotisis*, “reprisal”, etc.

NOTE. There are, indeed, many non-separable verbs, like those formed with non-separable prefixes; as, **re-**.

7.3. THE CONJUGATIONS

7.3.1. Conjugation is the traditional name of a group of verbs that share a similar conjugation pattern in a particular language, a Verb Class. This is the sense in which we say that Modern Indo-European verbs are divided into twelve *Regular Conjugations*; it means that any *regular* Modern Indo-European verb may be conjugated in any person, number, tense, mood and voice by knowing which of the twelve conjugation groups it belongs to, and its main stems.

NOTE. The meaning of Regular and Irregular becomes, thus, a matter of choice, although the selection is obviously not free. We could have divided the verbs into ten conjugations, or twenty, or just two (say Thematic and Athematic), and have left the less common types within them for a huge group of irregular verbs. We believe that our choice is in the middle between a simplified system (thus too artificial), with many irregular conjugations – which would need in turn more PIE data for the correct inflection of verbs –, and an extensive conjugation system – trying to include every possible inflection attested in Late PIE –, being thus too complicated and therefore difficult to learn.

It is clear that the way a language is systematized influences its evolution; to avoid such artificial influence we try to offer verbal groupings as natural as possible – of those verbs frequent in the Late Proto-Indo-European verbal system –, without being too flexible to create a defined and stable (and thus usable) system.

7.3.2. Modern Indo-European verbs are divided into two Conjugation Groups: the Thematic, newer and abundant in Late PIE, and the (older) Athematic Verbs. These groups are, in turn, subdivided into eight and four subgroups respectively.

NOTE. It is important to note that the fact that a root is of a certain type doesn't imply necessarily that it belongs to a specific conjugation, as they might be found in different subgroups depending on the dialects (for Eng. *love*, cf. Lat. *lubet*, Skr. *lubhyati*, Gmc. *liuban*), and even within the same dialect (cf. Lat. *scatō*, *scateō*). That's why Old Indian verbs are not enunciated by their personal forms, but by their roots.

Verbs cannot appear in different Conjugation Groups; they are either Thematic or Athematic.

NOTE 1. Some verbs (mainly PIE roots) are believed to have had an older Athematic conjugation which was later reinterpreted as Thematic, thus giving two inflection types and maybe the so-called Semithematic inflection (v.i.). Therefore, old root verbs like **bher-**, *carry*, may appear as **bhersī** or **bhèresī**, *you carry*, and so on.

NOTE 2. Instead of this simple classification of verbs into modern groupings (the MIE Conjugations), a common, more traditional approach is used in this grammar to explain how Proto-Indo-European verbs and verbal stems were usually built from roots and regularly conjugated.

I. THE THEMATIC CONJUGATION

The First or *Thematic* Conjugation Group is formed by the following 8 subgroups:

1) Root Verbs with root vowel **e** in the Present and **o** in the Perfect:

- Trilateral: **deikō, dikóm, doika, deiksō**, *show*, etc.
- Concave: **teqō, teqóm, toqa/tōqa, teqsō**, *escape*, **séqomai**, *follow*, etc.

NOTE. For IE **teqō**, cf. O.Ir. *téchid/táich* (<**e/ō**>).

2) Concave Root Verbs with non-regular Perfect vocalism. Different variants include:

- **labhō, lābha**, *take*; **lawō, lāwa**, *enjoy*, **slabai, slāboma**, *fall* (Middle Voice); **aidai**, *praise*.

NOTE. Compare Gk. *αἰδομαι*, O.ind. *ile*, Gmc. part. *idja-*. The first sentence of the Rigveda may already be translated to Modern Indo-European with the aforementioned verbs.

- **kano, kékana/kékāna**, *sing*.
- **legō, lēga**, *join, read, decide*.
- **lowō, lōwa**, *wash*.
- **rādō, rāda**, *shuffle, scrape, scratch*.
- **rēpō, rēpa**, *grab, rip out*.
- **rōdō, rōda**, *gnaw*.

3) *Verba Vocalia* (i.e., extended forms **-á-io-**, **-é-io-**, **-í-jo-**, **-ú-io-**)

- **amāiō**, *love*.
- **lubhēiō**, *love, desire*.
- **sāgijō**, *look for, search*.
- **arguiō** *reason, argue* (cf. Lat. *arguō*, Hitt. *arkuwwai*).

4) Verbs in **-io**:

- Trilateral: **kupiō, kup(i)óm, koupa, keupsō**, *be worried*.
- Concave: **jakiō, jēka**, *throw*.
- *Lamed-he*: **pariō, pepra/péprōka**, *produce*.
- Reduplicated Intensives: **kárkariō**, *proclaim, announce* (cf. Gk. *καρκαίρω*, but Skr. *carkarti*)

NOTE. Examples of thematic reduplicated intensives include also common forms like Greek *πορφύρω, παμπαινώ, γαργαίρω, μορμορώ, μερμηρίζω, καρχαλαώ, μαρμαίρω, δενδιλλώ, λαλεώ*, and, in other IE dialects, Slavic *glagoljo*, Latin ('broken' reduplication with different variants) *bombico, bombio, cachinno, cacillo, cracero, crocito, cucullio, cucurrio, curculio, didintrio, lallo, imbubino, murmillo, palpor, pipito, plipio, pipio, tetrinnio, tetrissito, tintinnio, titio, titubo*, and so on.

5) Intensives-Inchoatives in **-sko**.

- Of Mobile Suffix: **swēdhskō, swēdhióm, swēdhua, swēdhsō**, *get used to*.
- Of Permanent Suffix: **pṛkskó**, *inquire*.

6) With nasal infix or suffix.

- Perfect with o vocalism: **jungō, jugóm, jouga, jeugsō**, *join*.
- Reduplicated Perfect: **tundō, tét(o)uda/tút(o)uda**, *strike*.
- Convex: **bhrangō, bhrēga**, *break*.
- Nasal Infix and Perfect with **o** root: **gusnō, gousa** (cf. Lat. *dēgūnō, dēgustus*)
- Nasal Infix and Reduplicated Perfect: cf. Lat. *tollō, sustulii* (**supsi+tét-**), *lift*.

7) With Reduplicated Present

- **sisō, sēwa**, *sow*.
- **gignō, gegna, gégnāka**, *produce*.

8) Other Thematics:

- **płdō, pēp(o)la**,
- **w(e)idēiō, woida**,
- etc.

II. THE ATHEMATIC CONJUGATION

Verbs of the Second or **Athematic** Conjugation Group may be subdivided into:

1) Monosyllabic:

- In Consonant: **esmi, be, edmi, eat, ēsmāi, find oneself, be**.
- In **ā** (i.e. PIH **h*₂): **snāmi, swim, bhamāi, speak**.
- In **ē** (i.e. PIH **h*₁): **bhlēmi, cry, (s)remaī, calculate**.
- With Nasal infix: **leiq-** (**lineqti/linqṇti**), *leave*, **klew-** (**kluneuti/klununti**), *hear*, **pew-** (**punāti/punānti**), *purify*, etc. – but, see the suffixed (4.III) type below.

NOTE. These verbal types appear mostly in Indo-Iranian and Hittite examples, and could therefore be more properly included in the suffixed (4.III) type below.

- Others: **eīmi, go**, etc.

2) Reduplicated:

- **(sí)stāmi, stand**.
- **(dhí)dhēmi, set, place, jījēmi, throw**.

- **(dí)dōmi**, *give*.
- **(bhí)bheimi**, *fear*.
- **kíkumi/kuwóm/kékuwa**, *strengthen*.

3) Bisyllabic:

- **wémāmi**, *vomit*.

NOTE. Possibly Latin forms with infinitive *-āre*, Preterite *-ui* and participle *-itus* are within this group; as, *crepō*, *fricō*, *domō*, *tonō*, etc.

- **bhélumi**, *weaken*, (cf. Goth. *bliggwan*, “*whip*”)

NOTE. This verb might possibly be more correctly classified as *bheluiō*, within the Verba Vocalia, type 3) in **-u-** *io* of the Thematic Group.

4) Suffixed:

- In **nā** (<PIH *neh₂*): **pérnāmi**, *grant, sell* (cf. Gk. *περνημι*, O.Ir. *ren(a)id*, etc.), **qrínāmi**, *buy* (cf. O.Ind. *krīnāti*, O.Ind. *cren(a)im*, gr. *πρίαμαι*, etc).
- In **nu**: **árnumi/órnumi**, *rise (up)*.
- With nasal infix: **lineqmi (linqō)**, **bhenegmi (bhegō)**, **amneghti (amghō)**

NOTE. For these verbs Old Indian shows zero-grade root vowel and alternating suffixes. Greek shows the opposite behaviour, which should be preferred in Modern Indo-European because of its ease of use.

7.4. THE FOUR STEMS

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1. The Stems of the Present may be:

I. Roots, especially Thematic, but also Athematic and Semithematic.

II. Reduplicated Roots, especially Athematic.

III. Consonantal stems, all Thematic. They may end in occlusive, or **-s** and its lengthenings, like **-ske/o**; as, **prk-skó-**, *ask for, inquire*, from zero-grade of **prek-**, *ask*.

IV. In Vowel, Thematic in **-i-**, **-u-**, and Athematic in **-ā**, **-ē**.

V. In Nasal, Thematic and Athematic (especially in **-neu/-nu**, **-nā/-na**).

2. The Aorist Stem is opposed to the Present:

A. Aorist Athematic Roots vs. Present Roots and Reduplicates.

B. Aorist Thematic Roots vs. Athematic Presents.

C. Aorist Thematic Reduplicated Roots vs. Athematic Reduplicated Present.

D. Aorist with **-s** and its lengthenings, both Thematic & Athematic.

E. Aorist with **-t** and **-k** are rare, as Lat. *feci*.

F. Aorist with **-ā**, **-ē**, and **-i**, **-u**, & their lengthenings.

3. The Stems of the Perfect have usually root vowel **-ō̃**/**-ø**, with dialectal reduplication – mainly Indo-Iranian and Greek –, and some especial endings.

4. Modern Indo-European uses a general Future Stem with a suffix **-s-**, usually Thematic.

NOTE. The future might also be formed with the present in some situations, as in English *I go to the museum*, which could mean *I am going to the museum* or *I will go to the museum*. The Present is, thus, a simple way of creating (especially immediate) future sentences in most modern Indo-European languages, as it was already in Late PIE times.

5. To sum up, there are four inflected Stems, but each one has in turn five inflected forms (Indicative, Imperative, Subjunctive, Optative and Participle), and one not inflected (Verbal Noun). Verbal inflection is made with desinences (including \emptyset), which indicate Person, Time and Voice. The person is thus combined with the other two.

NOTE. The imperfect stem had neither a subjunctive nor an optative formation in Late PIE.

An example of the four stems are (for PIE verbal root **leiq**⁻¹⁵⁶, *leave*) **léiqe/o-** (or nasal **linéqe/o-**) for the Present, **(é)liqé/ó-** for the Aorist, **(lé)lóiq-** for the Perfect, and **léiqse/o-** for the Future.

7.4.2. THE PRESENT STEM

I. PRESENT STEM FORMATION PARADIGM

1. Verbal Roots (Athematic, Semithematic and Thematic) were not very common in Late PIE. They might have only one Stem, or they might have multiple Stems opposed to each other.

2. Reduplicates are usually different depending on the stems: those ending in occlusive or **-u-** are derived from extended roots, and are used mainly in verbs; those in **-s** and **-u** are rare, and are mainly used for the remaining stems.

3. The most prolific stems in Late PIE were those ending in **-i**, **-ē** and **-ā**, closely related. Athematics in **-ē** and **-ā** have mostly Present uses (cf. **dhē**⁻¹³⁴, *put*, *do*, **cā**⁻⁸², *go*), as Thematics in **-ske/o** (as **gnōsko-**, *know*, **prk-skó**⁻⁴², *inquire*) and Athematics or Thematics with nasal infix (i.e. in **-n-**, as **li-n-eq-**, *leave*, from **leiq**, or **bhu-n-dho-**, *make aware*, from **bheudh**⁻⁶⁰).

II. PRESENT ROOT STEM

1. A pure Root Stem, with or without thematic vowel, can be used as a Present, opposed to the Aorist, Perfect and sometimes to the Future Stems. The Aorist Stem may also be Root, and it is then distinguished from the Present Stem with 1) vowel opposition, i.e., full grade, o-grade or zero-grade, 2) thematism-athematism, or 3) with secondary phonetic differentiations (as accent shift).

Present verbal roots may be athematic, semithematic and thematic. The athematics were, in Late PIE, only the remains of an older system, and so the semithematics.

2. In Monosyllabic Roots ending in consonant or sonant, the inflection is usually made:

- a. in the Active Voice Sg., with root vowel **e** and root accent
- b. in the Active and Middle Voice Pl., root vowel \emptyset and accent on the ending.

The most common example is **es-**, *be*, which has a singular in **es-** and plural in **s-**. There are also other monosyllabic verbs, as **chen-**¹¹¹, *strike*, **ed-**¹⁷³, *eat*. Other roots, as **eí-**⁶¹, *go*, follow this inflection too.

		ed- , <i>eat</i>	chen- , <i>knok</i>	eí- , <i>go</i>	es- , <i>be</i>	dhē- , <i>set, put</i>	dō- , <i>give</i>
<i>sg.</i>	1.	edmi	chenmi	eími	esmi	(dhí)dhēmi	(dí)dōmi
	2.	edsi	chensi	eísi	essi	(dhí)dhēsi	(dí)dōsi
	3.	esti ⁱ	chenti	eíti	esti	(dhí)dhēti	(dí)dōti
<i>pl.</i>	1.	dme	chmés	imés	sme	(dhí)dhames	(dí)dames
	2.	dte	chnté	ité	ste	(dhí)dhate	(dí)date
	3.	denti	chnti	jenti	senti	(dhí)dhanti	(dí)danti

ⁱ MIE **ésti** < PIE ***édti**

NOTE. Most verbs are usually reconstructed with a mobile accent (as in Sanskrit), but we preserve the easier Greek columnar accent; it usually reads **dhidhamés**, **dhidhaté**, **dhidhánti**, or **didamés**, **didaté**, **didánti**.

3. There is also another rare verbal type, Root Athematic with full or long root vowel and fixed root accent, usually called Proterodynamic. It appears frequently in the Middle Voice.

4. Monosyllabic Roots with Long Vowel (as **dhē-** and **dō-**) are inflected in Sg. with long vowel, and in Pl. and Middle with **-a**. They are rare in Present, usually reserved for the Aorist.

5. Disyllabic Roots which preserve an athematic inflection have the Present in full/ \emptyset -vowel. The alternative \emptyset /full-vowel is generally reserved for the Aorist.

6. In the Semithematic Root Stem, the 3rd Person Pl. has often an ending preceded by Thematic **e/o**. That happens also in the 1st Person Sg., which often has **-o** or **-o-m(i)**; and in the 1st Person Pl., which may end in **-o-mos**, **-o-mo**.

NOTE. In an old inflection like that of the verbal root **es**, i.e. **esmi-smés**, sometimes a Semithematic alternative is found. Compare the paradigm of the verb *be* in Latin, where zero-grade and o vowel forms are found: **s-omi** (cf. Lat. *sum*), not **es-mi**; **s-omes** (cf. Lat. *sumus*), not **s-me**; and **s-onti** (cf. Lat. *sunt*), not **s-enti**. Such inflection, not limited to Latin, has had little success in the Indo-European verbal system, at least in the dialects that have been attested. There are, however, many examples of semithematic inflection in non-root verbs, what could mean that an independent semithematic inflection existed in PIE, or, on the contrary, that old athematic forms were remade and mixed with the newer thematic inflection (Adrados).

7. Thematic verbal roots have generally an **-e/o** added before the endings. Therefore, in Athematic stems **e/o** may be found in the 3rd P.Pl., in Semithematics in the 1st P.Sg. and Pl., and in Thematic it appears always.

Thematic inflection shows two general formations:

- a. Root vowel **e** and root accent; as in **déiketi**, *he/she/it shows*.
- b. Root vowel **ø** and accent on the thematic vowel, as in **dikóm** *he/she/it showed*.

The first appears usually in the Present, and the second in the Aorist, although both could appear in any of them in PIE. In fact, when both appear in the Present, the a-type is usually a Durative – meaning an action not finished –, while b-type verbs are Terminatives or Punctuals – meaning the conclusion of the action. This semantic value is not general, though, and is often found in Graeco-Aryan dialects.

NOTE. The newer inflection is, thus (in a singular/plural scheme), that of full/full vocalism for Present, **ø/ø** for Aorist. The (mainly) Root Athematic - and Semithematic - inflection in full/ø appears to be older than the Thematic one. The Thematic inflection probably overshadowed the Athematic and Semithematic ones in IE III, and there are lots of examples of coexisting formations, some of the newer being opposed to the older in meaning.

III. PRESENT REDUPLICATED STEM

1. Depending on its Formation, present stems may have either Full Reduplication, sometimes maintained throughout the conjugation, or Simple Reduplication, which normally consists of the initial consonant of the root followed by **-i-**.

Depending on its Meaning, reduplication may have a general value (of Iteration or Intensity), or simply opposed values in individual pairs of *Basic Verb-Deverbative*. Therefore, it helps to distinguish the verb in its different forms.

2. How Reduplication is made:

I. Full Reduplication, normally found in the Present Stem, repeats the Root or at least the group *consonant/sonorant+vowel+consonant/sonorant*; as, **gal-gal-**, *talk*, **bher-bher-**, *endure*, **mor-mor-/mur-mur-**, *whisper*, etc.

Full reduplication is also that which repeats a Root with *vowel+consonant/sonorant*; as, **ul-ul-**, *cry aloud* (cf. Lat. *ululāre*).

II. Simple Reduplication is made:

a. With *consonant + i*,

- in Athematic verbs; as, **bhi-bher**, *carry* (from **bher**),

- in Thematic verbs; as, **gi-gnō-sko-**, *know* (from **gnō**), etc. **si-sdo-**, *sit down, settle* (from zero-grade of **sed**, *sit*),

- Some Intensives have half full, half simple Reduplication, as in **dei-dik-**, *show* (from **deik-**).

- There are other forms with **-w, -u**, as in **leu-luk-**, *shine* (from **leuk-**, *light*).

- There are also some Perfect stems with **i**.

b. With *consonant + e/ē*, as **dhe-dhē-**, **de-dō-**, etc.

Simple Reduplication in **e** appears mainly in the Perfect, while **i** is characteristic of Present stems. Reduplication in **e** is also often found in Intensives in southern dialects.

NOTE. Formal reduplication in **-i** is optional in Modern Indo-European, as it is mostly a Graeco-Aryan feature; as, **gignōskō/gnōskō**, **didō/dō**, **pibō/pō(i)**¹⁷⁵, etc.

NOTE. Reduplication doesn't affect the different root vowel grades in inflection, and general rules are followed; as, **bībherti-bibharmés**, **(s)ístāmi-(s)istamés**, etc.

3. The different Meaning of Reduplicates found in PIE are:

- Indo-Iranian and Greek show a systematic opposition *Basic Verb - Deverbative Reduplicated*, to obtain an Iterative or Intensive verb.

- Desideratives are Reduplicates with **i** + Root + **-se/o**, as e.g. **men** vs. **mi-mṇ-so-**, *think*. Such Reduplicates are called Terminatives.

NOTE. Although the Iterative-Intensives, Desideratives and sometimes Terminatives did not succeed in the attested European dialects, we consider it an old resource of Late PIE, probably older than the opposition Present-Perfect. We therefore include this feature in the global MIE system.

IV. PRESENT CONSONANT STEM

1. Indo-European Roots may be lengthened with an occlusive to give a verb stem, either general or Present-only. Such stems are usually made adding a dental **-t, -d, -dh**, or a guttural **-k, -g, -gh** (also **-k, -g, -gh**), but only rarely with labials or labiovelars. They are all Thematic, and the lengthenings are added to the Root.

NOTE. Such lengthenings were probably optional in an earlier stage of the language, before they became frozen as differentiated vocabulary by Late PIE. Some endings (like **-sko**, **-io**, etc.) were still optional in IE III, v.i.

2. Here are some examples:

- **t** : **plek-tō**, *weave*, **kan-tō**, *sing*; **klus-tiō**, *hear, listen*, etc.

- **d** : **sal-dō**, *to salt*, **ekskel-dō**, *be eminent*, **pel-dō**, *beat*, etc.

NOTE. The lengthening in **-d** sometimes is integrated completely to the root (cf. Lat. *stridō*, *tendō*), or it appears only in some tenses, cf. Lat. *pellō*/*pepuli*/*pulsus*, but frec. *pulsō* & *pultō*, *-āre*.

- **dh** : **ghṛ-dhiō**, *gird*, **gawi-dhē**, *rejoice*; **wol-dhō**, *dominate*, etc.

- **k** : **ped-kā**, *stumble*, **pleu-kō**, *fly*, **gel-kiō**, *freeze*, etc.

- **g** : **tmā-gō**, from **tem-**, *cut*, etc.

- **gh** : **smē-ghō**, **nē-ghō**, *negate*, **stena-ghō**, etc.

- **p** : **wel-pō**, *wait*, from **wel-**, *wish, will*, etc.

- **bh** : **gnei-bhō**, *shave* (cf. **gneid-**, *scratch*), **skre(i)-bhō**, *scratch to write* (from **sker-**, *scratch, scrape*), **ster-bhō**, *die* (from **ster-**, *get stiff*), etc.

NOTE. These lengthenings are considered by some linguists as equally possible root modifiers in Proto-Indo-European to those in **-s**, **-sk**, **-n-**, **-nu**, **-nā**, etc. However, it is obvious that these ones (vide infra) appear more often, and that they appear usually as part of the conjugation, while the former become almost always part of the root and are modified accordingly. Whatever the nature and antiquity of all of them, those above are in Modern Indo-European usually just part of existing stems (i.e., part of the IE morphology), while the following extensions are often part of the conjugation.

3. Imperfect Stems in **-s** and its derivatives, as **-sk-** and **-st-**, are almost all Thematic.

NOTE. Thematic suffix **-ste/o** has usually an Expressive sense, meaning *sounds* most of the times; as, **breštō**, *tremble*, **bhrestō**, *burst, break*, etc.

4. Stems in **-s** have a common specialized use (opposed to Basic stems), marking the Preterite, the Future, and sometimes the Subjunctive.

NOTE 1. Aorist stems in **-s** are usually Athematic.

NOTE 2. Because of its common use in verbal inflection, deverbatives with a lengthening in **-s** aren't generally opposed in Meaning to their basic stems. There may be found some individual meanings in such opposed stem pairs, though, already in Late PIE; as, Insistents or Iteratives (cf. **wéid-s-o**, “*want to see, go to see*”, hence “*visit*”, as Lat. *vīsere*, Goth. *gaweisōn*, O.S. O.H.G. *wīsōn*, vs. Pres. **w(e)id-é-io**, *see, know*, as Lat. *vidēre*), Causatives, and especially Desideratives (which were also used to form the Future stem in the Southern Dialect). There is, however, no general common meaning reserved for the extended stem in **-s**. Compare also Lat. *pressī* <* *pres-sai* vs. Lat. *premō*; Lat. *tremō* vs. a Gk. *τρεω* <* *tre-sō*, O.Ind. *trásate*, ‘*he is frightened*’.

PRESENT CONSONANT LENGTHENINGS

A. Thematic suffix **-ske/o-** is added to Roots in zero-grade, especially to monosyllabics and disyllabics; as, **pr̥k-skó** (from **prek**⁴²), **cm-skó**, (from **cem**⁸²), **gnó-skō** (from **gnō**¹⁰⁰). It can also be added to Reduplicated stems, as **dí-dk-skō** (from **dek**⁸⁹), **gí-gnō-skō**, and to lengthened Roots, especially in **ī, u, ē, ā**, as **krē-skō** (from **ker**¹⁷⁵).

Sometimes these Deverbatives show limited general patterns, creating especially Iteratives, but also Inchoatives, Causatives, and even Determinatives or Terminatives.

This lengthening in **-sk-** seems to have been part of Present-only stems in Late PIE; cf. Lat. *flōrescō/flōruī*, Gk. *κικλησκω/κεκληκα*, and so on.

NOTE 1. Cases like IE verb **pr̥kskó**, *ask, demand* (cf. O.H.G. *forscōn*, Ger. *forschen*, Lat. *poscō*>*por(c)scō*, O.Ind. *pr̥ch*, Arm. *harc'anem*, O.Ir. *arcu*), which appear throughout the whole conjugation in different IE dialects, are apparently exceptions of the Late Proto-Indo-European verbal system; supporting a common formation of zero-grade root Iterative presents, compare also the form **(e)skó-** (<*h₁skó*), the verb **es-** with 'existential' sense, as O.Lat. *escit*, "is", Gk. *ēske*, "was", Hom. Gk. *éske*, Pal. *iška*, etc.

NOTE 2. Supporting the theory that **-sk** has a newer development than other lengthenings is e.g. the Hittite formation *duskiski(ta)* (cf. O.Ind. *túsyate*, 'silenter', O.Ir. *inna tuai* 'silencia'), which indicates that in Anatolian (hence possibly in IE III as well) such an ending – unlike the other endings shown – is still actively in formation.

B. Stems in **-n** are said to have a *nasal suffix* or a *nasal infix* – if added within the root. They may be Athematic or Thematic, and the most common forms are **-n, -neu/-nu, -nā**: as in **str-neu-mi/ster-nu-ō**, *spread*; **li-n-eq-mi/li-n-q-ō**, *leave*; **m̥l-n-ā-iō**, *soften*; **dhre-n-g-āiō**, *hold*; **pu-n-g-ō**, *prik*; **bhu-n-dh-ō**, *be aware*, **pla-n-tā-iō**, *plant*; etc. These verbs can be found also without the nasal suffix or infix, viz. **streu, leiq, mlā, dhreg, peug, plat**.

There are other, not so common nasal formations; as, **-ne/o**, i.e. **-[no]** or **-[n̥o]**, and (possibly derived from inflected **-neu** and **-nei**) the forms **-nue/o, -nie/o**. So for example in **sper-nō**, *scatter*, **p(e)l-nō**, *fill*.

NOTE. These formations are very recent to Late Proto-Indo-European. In Greek it is frequent the nasal suffix **-an**. Others as **-nue/o**, and **-nie/o** appear often, too; as Gk. *phthínuo*, Goth. *winnan* (from **wenwan*); Gk. *iaíno*, *pháinomai*, (see **bhā**) and Old Indian verbs in *-niati*.

V. PRESENT VOWEL STEM

1. Some roots and derivatives (deverbatives or denominatives) form the Thematic verb stems with **-ie/o**, and Semithematics in **-ī**, usually added to the stem in consonant .

The preceding vowel may be an *-ā-*, *-ē-*, *-i-* or *-u-*, sometimes as part of the root or derivative, sometimes as part of the suffix. Possible suffixes in *-io* are then also (the so-called *Verba Vocalia*) *-áio*, *-éio*, *-íjo* and *-úio*.

NOTE 1. Verbs in *-io* are usually classified as a different type of deverbatives (not included in *verba vocalia*); in these cases, the Root grade is usually \emptyset ; as, **bhudhiō**, *wake up*, from **bheudh-**; but the full grade is also possible, as in **spekiō**, *look*.

NOTE 2. Deverbatives in *-io* give usually Statives, and sometimes Causatives and Iteratives, which survive mainly in the European dialects (but cf. Gk. *ωθεω*, O.Ind. *vadhayati*, etc), as the especial secondary formation Causative-Iterative, with o-grade Root and suffix *-ěie/o*, cf. from **wes-**, *dress*, Active **woséieti** (cf. Hitt. *waššizzi*, Skr. *vāsáiyati*, Ger. *wazjan*, Alb. *vesh*), from **leuk-**, *light*, Active **loukéieti** (cf. Hitt. *lukiizzi*, Skr. *rocáyati*, Av. *raočayeiti*, O.Lat. *lūmina lūcent*), etc. There are also many deverbatives in *-io* without a general meaning when opposed to its basic verb.

NOTE 2. The Thematic inflection of these verbs is regular, and usually accompanied by the Semithematic in the Northern dialects, but not in the Southern ones, which don't combine them with *-i-*, *-ē-*, nor *-ā-*.

2. Thematic root verbs in *-io* are old, but have coexisted with the semithematics *-io/-i/-ī*. These verbs may be deverbatives – normally Iteratives or Causatives – or Denominatives.

NOTE. They served especially to form verbs from nouns and adjectives, as **wesnóm**, *price*, and **wesnēiō**, *value* (cf. Skr. *vasna-yá*), **nomṇ**, *name*, **nómṇiō**, *name* (cf. Got. *namnjan*), or **melit**, *honey*, **mḷitiō**, *take honey from the honeycomb* (as Gk. *blittō*), etc.

The deverbative inflection could have *-io*, *-éio*, or its semithematic variant.

NOTE 1. The State or Status value of these verbs is a feature mainly found in Balto-Slavic dialects, with verbs in *-ē* and *-ā*, whose inflection is sometimes combined with thematic *-ie/o*.

NOTE 2. About the usual distinction *-éiō/-ēiō*, it is apparently attested in Anatolian, Indo-Iranian, Greek and Armenian (cf. Arm. Gen. *síroy*, “*love*”, *sírem*, “*I love*” <**kejre-ié-*); Greek loses the *-j-* and follows (as Latin) the rule ‘*uocālis ante uocālem corripitur*’, what helps metrics. However, Greek had probably a present with long *ē* (as in non-liquid future and perfect). Mycenaean doesn't clarify the question; moreover, it is often accepted that forms like O.Ind. in *-ayati* are isolated. For pragmatic purposes, Modern Indo-European should follow always an ending *-ēiō*, which fits better into EIE reconstruction and Western poetry, which follows the Classical Greek and Latin metrics, as it is not so easy to include **lubheieti** (with three syllables) in the common classic hexameter... However, for modern dialectal purposes (i.e. to write in Hellenic, Aryan or Anatolian) it is probably safe to assume a common, old PIE dialectal (and very limited) trend to use *-éio*.

3. Stems in *-u* are rarely found in the Present, but are often found in the Preterite and Perfect stems.

NOTE. Stems in *-u* have, thus, an opposed behaviour to those in *-i*, which are usually found in Present and rarely in Preterite and Perfect.

In Present stems, **-u** is found in roots or as a suffix, whether thematic or athematic (but not semithematic), giving a stem that may normally appear as the general stem of the verb. It is therefore generally either part of the root or a stable lengthening of it.

NOTE. Common exceptions to this general rule concerning Late PIE verbs in **-u**, usually general stems, are different pairs **gheu-ghō**, **pleu-plō**, etc.

4. Root or stems in **-ē**, Athematic or mixed with **-i-**. Sometimes the **-ē** is part of the Root, sometimes it is a suffix added or substituting the **-e** of the Stem.

They may be verbs of State; as, **albhēiō**, *be white*, with a stative value. There are also Iterative-Causatives; Denominatives are usually derived from thematic adjectives in **e/o**.

NOTE. These are probably related with stems in **-i** (i.e., in **-ēie/o**) as in **albhēiō**, *be white*, **monēiō**, *remind*, *advise*, **senēiō**, *be old*.

Athematic examples are **lubhēiō**, *be dear*, *be pleasing*; **rudhēiō**, *blush*, *redde*; **galēiō**, *call* (not denominative).

5. Roots or stems in **-ā**, Athematic or mixed with **-i-**. They are spread throughout the general Verb system; as, **bhā(iō)**, *draw*; **dukā(iō)**, *drag*, *draw*; **amā(iō)**, *love*, etc.

NOTE. Some find apparently irregular formations as Lat. *amō*, “I love”, from an older **amā-iō**, mixed with **-i-**; however, they are sometimes reconstructed (viz. Adrados) as from ***amō**, i.e. in **-ā** without ending (cf. Lat. *amas*, *amat*,...); against it, compare common IE formations as Umb. *suboca*, “invoke”, Russ. *délaiu*, and so on.

About their Meaning, they may be (specially in Latin) Statives or Duratives, and sometimes Factitives opposed to Statives in **-ē** (cf. Hitt. *maršaḫ-marše-*, Lat. *clarāre-clarēre*, *albāre-albēre*, *nigrāre-nigrēre*, *liquāre-liquēre*). But there are also many deverbatives in **-ā** without a special value opposed to the basic verb.

Stems in **-ā** help create Subjunctives, Aorists, and Imperfectives. The use of **-ā** to make Iterative and Stative deverbatives and denominatives is not so common as the use **-ē**.

NOTE. There is a relation with verbs in **-i-** (i.e. in **-āio**), as with stems in **-ē**.

7.4.3. THE AORIST STEM

I. AORIST STEM FORMATION PARADIGM

1. The Aorist describes a completed action in the past, at the moment when it is already finished, as e.g. Eng. *I did send/had sent that e-mail before/when you appeared.*

NOTE. As opposed to the Aorist, the Imperfect refers to a durative action in the past (either not finished at that moment or not finished yet), as e.g. Eng. *I sent/was sending the e-mail when you appeared.*

2. The Aorist is made usually in \emptyset/\emptyset , Secondary Endings, Augment and sometimes Reduplication; as, 1st. P.Sg. (é)bheróm.

NOTE. Augment was obviously obligatory neither in Imperfect nor in Aorist formations in Late PIE (cf. Oldest Greek and Vedic Sanskrit forms), but it is usually shown in this grammar because tradition in IE studies has made Augment obligatory, and because a) the Aorist is mostly a literary resource, b) only Greek and Sanskrit further specialized it, and c) these dialects made Augment obligatory. It is clear, however, that for a Modern Indo-European of Europe it would be better to select an ‘Augment’ (if we had to) in **pro-**, as common Celtic *ro-*, in **kom-**, as regular Germanic *ga-*, or in **per-** as frequently found in Latin, instead of the Graeco-Aryan in **é-**.

3. The opposition of Present and Preterite stems is made with:

- a. Present Reduplicated Root vs. Aorist Basic Root; as, **sí-stā-mi**, *I stand*, vs. **stā-m**, *I have stood*.
- b. Thematic Present vs. Athematic Aorist in **-s**; as, **leiq-ō**, *I leave*, **lēiq-s-m**, *I was leaving*.
- c. Both stems Thematic, but with different vowel degrees; as, **leiq-ō**, *I leave*, **liq-óm**, *I have left*.

NOTE. Every stem could usually be Present or Aorist in PIE, provided that they were opposed to each other. And there could be more than one Present and Aorist stem from the same Root; as, for Thematic Present **leiq-ō**, *I leave*, which shows two old formations, one Athematic extended **lēiq-s-m** (the so-called sigmatic Aorist), and other Thematic zero-grade **liq-óm**.

4. There was a logical trend to specialize the roles of the different formations, so that those Stems which are rarely found in Present are usual in Aorists. For example, Thematic roots for the Present, and Aorists extended in (athematic) **-s-**.

NOTE. In fact, there was actually only one confusion problem when distinguishing stems in Proto-Indo-European, *viz.* when they ended in **-ē** or **-ā**, as they appeared in Presents and Aorists alike. It was through oppositions and formal specializations of individual pairs that they could be distinguished.

II. AORIST ROOT STEM

1. Athematic Aorist Root stems were generally opposed to Athematic Reduplicated Present stems, but it wasn't the only possible opposition in PIE.

NOTE. Such athematic Root stems aren't found with endings in consonant, though.

2. Monosyllabic Root Aorists are usually opposed to Presents:

- a. In **-neu**; as, **kluneuō**, from **kleu-**, *hear*, or **q̑rneuō**, from **q̑er-**, *make, do*; etc.

NOTE. For **kluneu-** cf. Buddh. Skr. *śruṇ*; Av. *surunaoiti*; Shughni *çin*; O.Ir. *cluineathar*; Toch. A and B *kälñ*. Skr. *śRṇo-/śRṇu-* < **kluneu-/klunu-** shows a loss of *u* analogous to the loss of *i* in *tRtīya-* ‘third’ < IE **tritjo-**.

- b. Reduplicated or in **-sko**, **-io**; as, **camskó**, from **cem-**, *come*, or **bhesiō**, from **bhes-**, *breathe*; etc.

c. Thematic Present; as, **ghewō**, from **ghew-**, *pour*; **bhawō**, from **bhā-**, *proclaim*.

3. Disyllabic Root Presents show a similar opposition pattern; as, **gígnōskō-gnō**, **bhaliō-bhlē**, etc.

The thematic vowel is the regular system in inflection, i.e. Present Sg. Active with full vowel, and *ø* in the rest.

NOTE. It seems that Proto-Indo-European disyllabic roots tended to generalize a unique form, disregarding the opposition pattern; as, **gnō-**, **bhlē-**, etc.

4. Thematic Aorist stems are the same ones as those of the Present, i.e. full-grade and zero-grade, e.g. **leiq-** and **liq-**, always opposed to the Present:

a. The **liqé/ó-** form (i.e. zero-grade) is usually reserved for the Aorist stem;

b. The **leiqe/o-** form (i.e. full-grade) is rarely found in the Aorist – but, when it is found, the Present has to be logically differentiated from it; e.g. from the Imperfect with Augment, viz. from **bhértus**, *to carry*, Pres. **bhéreti/bherti**, *he carries*, Imperf. **bherét/bhert**, *he was carrying*, Aorist **ébheret/ébhert**, *he carried*.

III. AORIST REDUPLICATED STEM

1. Aorist Reduplicated stems – thematic and athematic – are found mainly in Greek and Indo-Iranian, but also sporadically in Latin.

NOTE. Southern dialects have also (as in the Present) a specialized vowel for Reduplicated Aorists, v.i., but in this case it is unique to them, as the other dialects attested apparently followed different schemes. In Modern Indo-European the attested dialectal schemes are followed.

2. Aorist Thematic Reduplicates have a general vowel **e** (opposed to the **i** of the Present), zero-grade root vowel (general in Aorists), and sometimes also accent before the ending; as, **chechnō**, *I killed*, from **chen-**.

In roots which begin with vowel, reduplication is of the type *vowel+consonant*.

NOTE. This resource for the Aorist formation seems not to have spread successfully outside Graeco-Aryan dialects; however, the opposition of Present Reduplication in **i**, Preterite Reduplication in **e** (cf. Perfect Stem) was indeed generalized in Late Proto-Indo-European.

3. Some roots which begin with vowel form also Reduplicated Aorists; as **ágagom** (as Gk. ηγᾱγον, where η<ā<é+a – Wackernagel, hence ***é-agagom**)

4. Also, Causatives form frequently Reduplicated Aorists, cf. Lat. *momorit*, *totondit*, *sponondit*, etc., or O.Ind. *atitaram*, *ajijanam*, etc.

IV. AORIST CONSONANT STEM

1. As we have seen, Present Thematic stems in **-s-** are often Desideratives (also used as immediate Futures). The same stems serve as Aorists with secondary endings, usually reserved for the Aorist, generally called the Sigmatic Aorist (from Gk. σίγμα, “sigma”, i.e. Σ, σ or ς).

NOTE. Forms in **-so** are often found in Slavic; as, *vedu-veso, reco-reso*, etc.

2. The **-s-** is added:

a. to a Consonant ending and lengthened root vowel, in contrast with the Present in full vowel.

b. to a vowel **ā, ē, ō**, with the same stem as the Present, or to the noun from which the verb is derived. Those in **ē** and **ā** must have \emptyset root grade.

There is also a second Aorist mark: an **-e-** before the **-s-** (possibly an older Aorist mark, to which another mark was added); as, **alkō, alkesō**, *grow*, from **al-**; **mniō, mnesō**, *be mad*, from **men-**; etc.

NOTE. Thematic Aorist stems are mostly used as Presents in Indo-Iranian, Greek, Slavic, and Latin (cf. Lat. *dixī*).

3. Athematic stems in **-s-** are widespread in Late PIE. They were formerly added to the Root, whether monosyllabic or disyllabic, in consonant or vowel, opposed thus to the Present.

Monosyllabic or Disyllabic Aorist root stems in **i, u, ā, ē, ō**, have a fixed vowel grade (like most Athematic Root Aorists); e.g. the 3rd P.Pl. **plēnt**, from redupl. **pí(m)plēmi**, *fill* (i.e. in zero-/full-grade), or 3rd P.Pl. **pewisnt** from **pōnāmi**, *purify* (i.e. in full-/zero-grade).

The most frequent Aorist stems in PIE were monosyllabic roots ending in consonant or sonant.

NOTE 1. They usually have in Graeco-Aryan lengthened root vowel in the active voice, and zero-grade in the rest; as, **leiq-**, *leave*, from which **liq-** & **lēiq-s-ṃ**; so too from **qer-**, *make*, giving **qēr-s-ō**; or from **bher-**, *carry*, **bhēr-s-ō**, etc. Such lengthened vocalism in sigmatic aorists is probably an innovation in Late PIE.

NOTE 2. Aorists in **-s-** are then a modern feature of Late PIE, found in all its dialects (as Imperfects or Perfects in European dialects), but for Germanic and Baltic, possibly the dialects spoken far away from the core of the remaining Europe’s Indo-European dialect continuum, in close contact with other Late PIE dialects after the first migrations. Aorist stem formation in **-i-**, **-ē-**, **-ā-** are still more recent, appearing only in some proto-languages.

4. Some other common dialectal formations in **-s-**:

a. in **-is** (Latin and Indo-Aryan), **-es** (Greek); as, **genis-** from **gen**, *beget*; **wersis-** from **wers-**, *rain*; also, cf. Lat. *amauis* (*amāuistī*, and *amāuerām*<**-uisām**), etc.

b. in **-sā**, attested in Latin, Tocharian and Armenian.

c. in **-sē, -sie/o**, etc.

5. Stems in **-t-** function usually as Aorists opposed to Present stems, especially in Latin, Italic, Celtic and Germanic.

NOTE. While the use of **-t** for persons in the verbal conjugation is certainly old, the use of an extension in **-t-** to form verbal Stems seems to be more recent, and mainly developed in Europe's Indo-European.

6. Stems in **-k-** are rare, but there are examples of them in all forms of the verb, including Aorists.

V. AORIST VOWEL STEM

1. Aorists in **ā, ē**, are very common, either as pure stems with Athematic inflection, or mixed with other endings, as e.g. **-u-**.

NOTE. Stems extended in **-u-** are rarely found in Present stems, but are frequent in Preterites, and the contrary has to be said of stems in **-i-**. For more on this formations, *vide supra* the Present Vowel Stem section.

When opposed to a Present, stems extended in **-ā, -ē**, are often Aorists.

2. A common pattern in the opposition Present Stem vs. Aorist Vowel Stem is:

A. Present in **-i-** (thematic or semithematic) vs. Aorist in **-ē, -ā**; as, **mniō-mṇēiō**, *be mad*, **alkiō-alkāiō**, *be hungry*.

B. Present Thematic (in **-e/o**) vs. Aorist in **-ē, -ā**; as, **legō-legēiō**, *collect, speak*, **gntō-gntāuō**, *know*.

3. The use of stems in **-u-** is usually related to the Past and sometimes to the Perfect. Such endings may appear as **-u, -āu, -ēu, -ēuē, -āuā, -ēuā, -āuē**.

4. Stems in **-i/-ī** are scarcely used for Aorists, cf. **awisdhijō-awisdhīuī**, *hear*, Lat. *audīo, audīui*.

Aorist stems are often lengthened in **-e-** or **-i-**, to avoid the loss of consonants when extended in **-s-**.

7.4.4. THE PERFECT STEM

The Perfect stem (opposed to the Present) has **ō** or lengthened root vowel and special Perfect endings, Sg. **-a, -ta, -e**; 3rd Pl. **-r**. In Gk. and Ind.-Ira., the stem was often reduplicated, generally with vowel **e**.

NOTE. Originally the Perfect was probably a different Stative verb, which eventually entered the verbal conjugation, meaning the state derived from the action. PIE Perfect did not have a Tense or Voice value; it was opposed to the *Pluperfect* (or Past Perfect) and became Present, and to the Middle Perfect and became Active.

I. Root vowel is usually **ō/ø**; as, (Pres. 1stP.Sg., Perf. 1stP.Sg., Perf.1stP.Pl), **gignō-mi, gégon-a, gegn-mé**, *know*; **bhindh-ō, bhondh-a, bhṇdh-mé**, *bind*; **bheudh-ō, bhoudh-a, bhudh-mé**, *bid*;

But for different formations, cf. **kan-ō, (ké)kan-a, kṇ-mé**, *sing*; (for subgroups of conjugations, v.s.)

NOTE 1. Compare O.Ir. *cechan, cechan, cechuin (and cechain), cechnammar, cechn(u)id, cechnatar*. For examples of root vowel **ā**, cf. Lat. *scābī*, or Gk. *τεθηλα*, and for examples with root vowel **a**, cf. Umb. *procanurent*

(with ablaut in Lat. *procinuerint*) – this example has lost reduplication as Italic dialects usually do after a preposed preposition (cf. Lat. *compulī, detinuī*), although this may not be the case (cf. Lat. *concinuī*).

NOTE 2. There are also (dialectal) Perfects with lengthened Root vowel; as, from Latin **sedē-iō, sēd-a, sit**; **ed-ō, ēd-a, eat**; **cem-iō, cēm-a, come**; **ag-ō, āg-a, act**; from Germanic, **sleb-ō, séslēb-a, sleep**; etc.

II. The Endings of the Perfect are **-a, -ta, -e**, for the singular, and **-mé, -(t)é, -(ē)r**, for the plural.

III. Reduplication is made in **e**, and also sometimes in **-i** and **-u**.

NOTE. Apparently, Indo-Iranian and Greek dialects made reduplication obligatory, whereas European dialects didn't. Thus, as a general rule, verbs are regularly reduplicated in Modern Indo-European if the Present Stem is a reduplicate; as, Present **bhi-bher-**, Perfect **bhe-bhor-**, etc. Such a general rule is indeed subjected to natural exceptions; cf. Gk. *εγνοκα*, Lat. *sēuī* (which seems old, even with Goth. *saiso*), etc. Also, cf. Lat. *sedī*, from *sedeō* and *sīdo*, which don't let us reconstruct when is from PIE *sesdai*, and when from *sēdai*.

7.4.5. THE FUTURE STEM

1. Future stems were frequently built with a Thematic **-s-** ending, although not all Indo-European dialects show the same formations.

NOTE. The Future comes probably from Late PIE Desiderative-Causative Present stems, usually formed with extensions in **-s-** (and its variants), which probably became with time a regular part of the verbal conjugation in some dialects, whilst disappearing in others. In fact, whether using this formation or not, all Indo-European languages tended to differentiate the Present from the Future Tense. Usual resources found in Indo-European languages to refer to the future are 1) the *Present as Immediate Future*, 2) the *Present Subjunctive or Aorist with prospective value*, 3) *different Desiderative formations in Present*, and 4) *Verbal Periphrasis*.

Future stems were usually made in Proto-Indo-European dialects:

- a. With a simple Athematic **-s**, or with extended Thematic **-so, -sio, or -seio**.
- b. With root vowel **e**, i.e. in full-grade.
- c. With or without reduplication.

NOTE. Compare, for a common origin of the future in **-s-**, Sanskrit (and Baltic) futures in **-sia** (cf. Skr. *da-syā-mi*, Lith. *dou-siu*, “*I will give*”), Doric Greek in **-seo, -sio**, Classical Greek and Archaic Latin in **-so** (cf. O.Lat. *faxō, dhak-sō*, “*I will make*”, O.Lat. *peccas-sō*, from *peccāre*, Lat. *erō*, “*I will be*”, from **esō**, from IE **es-**, *be*, etc.), and Old Irish common Desideratives in **-s**. Also, some more dialectal additions are found appearing before the **-s-** endings; as, **-i-s-** in Indo-Iranian and Latin, **-e-s-** in Greek and Osco-Umbrian.

2. In Modern Indo-European, the Future is regularly made by adding a Thematic **-so, -sio** (or even **-seio**), following if possible the attested common vocabulary.

NOTE. The Future stem in **-s** is found neither in Germanic and Slavic dialects, nor in Classic Latin, which developed diverse compound futures. However, Indo-Iranian, Greek and Baltic show almost the same Future stems (along with similar formations in Archaic Latin, Osco-Umbrian and Old Celtic dialects), what means that the

Future stem had probably a common (but unstable) pattern already developed before the first migrations; apparently, Germanic and Slavic dialects, as well as the systematized Classic Latin, didn't follow it or later substituted it with their own innovative formations. We use it in Modern Indo-European, though, because a regular Future formation is needed.

For Germanic future compounds, compare general Germanic from **wertō**, PGmc. *werþō*, “become, turn into” (cf. Goth. *wairþan*, O.S., O.Du. *werthan*, O.N. *verða*, O.E. *weorðan*, O.Fris. *wertha*, O.H.G. *werdan*, Eng. *worth*, Ger. *werden*), from PIE **wer-**, *turn*. Also, **sk(e)lō**, Gmc. *skulō*, “owe, must” (cf. Goth. *skulan*, O.S. *sculan*, O.N., Swed. *skola*, O.H.G. *solan*, M.Du. *sullen*, Eng. *shall*, Ger. *sollen*), with a dialectal meaning shift from ‘obligation’ to ‘probable future’, related to O.E. *scyld* “guilt”, Ger. *Schuld*, also in O.N. *Skuld*; cf. O.Prus. *skallisnan*, Lith. *skeleti* “be guilty”, *skilti*, “get into debt”. Also, for Eng. “will”, from Gmc. *weljan*, “wish, desire”, compare derivatives from PIE **wel-**.

In Osco-Umbrian and Classic Latin, similar forms are found that reveal the use of compounds with the verb **bheu-**¹³⁰, *be, exist*, used as an auxiliary verb with Potential-Prospective value (maybe a common Proto-Italic resource), later entering the verbal conjugation as a desinence; compare Osc., Umb. *-fo-*, (cf. Osc., Umb. *carefo*, *pipafo*), or Lat. *-bo-*, *-be-* (cf. Lat. *ama-bo*, from earlier **amāi bhéwō*, or *lauda-bo*, from **laudāi bhewō*).

The common Slavic formation comes also from PIE **bheu-**, *be, exist, grow*, with extended **bhūtiō**, *come to be, become*, found in BSl. *byt-* (cf. O.C.S. *бѣиmu*, Russ. *бѣиmь*, Cz. *býti*, Pol. *być*, Sr.-Cr. *bíti*, etc.), and also in Lith. *būti*, O.Ind. *bhūtīś*, and Cel. *but-* (O.Ir. *buiθ*). Also, with similar meanings and forms, compare Gmc. *biju*, “be”, (cf. Eng. *be*, Ger. *bin*), or Lat. *fui*, “was”, also in zero-grade **bhutús**, “that is to be”, and **bhutúsos**, *future*, as Lat. *futūrus*, or Gk. *φύομαι*; from the same root cf. Goth. *bauan*, O.H.G. *buan*, “live”.

3. Conditional sentences might be built in some Proto-Indo-European dialects using common Indicative and Subjunctive formations. In Modern Indo-European, either such archaic syntax is imitated, or an innovative formation is used, *viz.* the Future Stem with Secondary Endings.

NOTE. Modern IE languages show a newer possibility for conditional inflection: using a *past form of the Future stem*, using the Future Stem with secondary endings, thus applying this modern (future) formation to the common Late PIE verbal system of Secondary Endings. However, conditional sentences might also be made with the available Late PIE verbal conjugation, using periphrasis with Indicative and Subjunctive (as Classic Latin), or with the Subjunctive and Optative (as Classical Greek), etc. Whether MIE speakers prefer to use the modern European Conditional Inflection or different periphrasis of PIE indicatives, subjunctives and optatives, is a practical matter outside the scope of this grammar.

In Sanskrit, the Conditional was built using the Future Stem with Secondary Endings; as, Skr. *daa-sya-ti*, “he will give”, vs. *daa-sya-t*, “he would give”, from IE **dō-**, or Skr. *abhavi-sya-mi*, “I will be”, *abhavi-sya-m*, “I would be”, from IE **bheu-**.

In Ancient Greek, the Optative is found as modal marker in the antecedent, which defines the conditional sense of the sentence; cf. εἰ πράσσοι τοῦτο καλῶς ἄν ἔχοι, “if he were to do that, it would turn out well”.

In Germanic dialects, the conditional is usually made with a verbal periphrasis, consisting of the modal (future) auxiliary verb in the past, i.e. *would* (or *should*, also *could*, *might*), and the infinitive form of the main verb, as in *I will come*, but *I would come*; compare also Ger. (fut.) *Ich werde kommen*, (cond.) *Ich würde kommen*.

While Latin used the indicative and subjunctive in conditional sentences, Romance languages developed a conditional inflection, made by the imperfect of Lat. *habēre*, cf. V.Lat. (fut.) *uenire habeo*, “*I have to come*”, V.Lat. (cond.) *uenire habēbam*, “*I had to come*”, as in Fr. (fut.) *je viendr-ai*, (cond.) *je viendr-ais*, Spa. (fut.) *yo vendr-é*, (cond.) *yo vendr-ía*, etc., cf. also the Portuguese still separable forms, as e.g. Pt. *fazê-lo-ia* instead of “*o fazería*”. Modern Italian has substituted it by another similar ending, from the perfect of Lat. *habēre*.

Full conditional sentences contain two clauses: the Protasis or condition, and the Apodosis or result, although this is a matter studied in detail by Indo-European Syntax.

7.4.6. OTHER FORMATIONS

MIDDLE PERFECT AND PAST PERFECT

a. It was a common resource already in Proto-Indo-European to oppose a new Perfect formation to the old one, so that the old became only Active and the newer Middle. Such formations were generalized in the southern dialects, but didn't succeed in the northern ones.

The new Perfect Middle stem was generally obtained with the Perfect stem in zero-grade and middle endings.

b. The Past Perfect or Pluperfect was also a common development of some dialects, opposing the new Perfect with secondary endings to the old Perfect, which became then a Present Perfect.

THE COMPOUND PAST

A special Past or Preterite is found in IE dialects of Europe (i.e., the northwestern dialects and Greek), sometimes called *Future Past*, which is formed by two elements: a verbal stem followed by a vowel (-**ā**, -**ē**, -**ī**, -**ō**), and an auxiliary verb, with the meanings *be* (**es-**), *become* (**bheu-**), *do* (**dhē-**), or *give* (**dō-**).

NOTE. Although each language shows different formations, they all share a common pattern and therefore have a common origin traceable to Late PIE, unstable at first and later systematized in the individual proto-languages.

The Compound Past may be studied dividing the formation in three main parts: the forms of the first and second elements and the sense of the compound.

1. The First Element may be
 - a. A Pure Root.
 - b. Past Stem with the same lengthening as the rest of the verb.

c. Past Stem lengthened, but alternating with the Present stem, i.e. normally Present zero-grade vs. Past in full-grade.

d. Past Stem lengthened vs. Thematic Present (and Aorist).

NOTE. Originally, then, Compound Pasts are derived from a root or a stem with vowel ending, either the Present or the Aorist Stem. They are, then, Pasts similar to the others (i.e. Imperfects and Aorists), but instead of receiving secondary endings, they receive a secondary stem (like the Perfect).

2. The second element is an auxiliary verb; as, **dhē-** in Greek and Germanic, **bheu-** in Latin and Celtic, and **dō-** in Balto-Slavic.

3. Their specific Past meaning could vary according to the needs of the individual dialects.

7.5. MOOD STEMS

7.5.1. INDICATIVE

The Indicative expresses the Real Action, in contrast to the other moods, which were specialized in opposition to the basic Indicative mood. It appears in the Four verbal Stems.

7.5.2. IMPERATIVE

The Imperative had probably in IE II the same basic stem of the Indicative, and was used without ending, in a simple Expressive-Impressive function, of Exclamation or Order. They were the equivalent in verbal inflection to the vocative in nominal declension.

Some Late PIE dialects derived from this older scheme another, more complex Imperative system, with person, tense and even voice.

NOTE. In Late PIE, only the person distinctions appear to have been generalized, and we have included only these known common forms in this MIE grammar.

It is also old, beside the use of the pure stem, the use of the Injunctive for the Imperative in the second person plural; as, **bhere!**, *carry! (thou)*, **bhérete!**, *carry! (you)*.

The Injunctive is defined as the Basic Verb, with Secondary Endings, without Augment. It indicated therefore neither the present nor the past, thus easily indicating Intention. It is this form which was generally used as the Imperative.

1. The Basic Stem for the Imperative 2nd P. Sg. is thus general;
2. The Injunctive forms the 2nd P. Pl.; and
3. the 3rd P. Sg. and the 3rd P. Pl. show a special ending **-tōd**.

NOTE. An ending **-u**, usually ***-tu**, is also reconstructed (Beekes); the inclusion of that ending within the verbal system is, however, difficult. A common IE ending **-tōd**, on the other hand, may obviously be explained as the

introduction into the verbal conjugation of a secondary Ablative form of the neuter pronoun **to**, *this*, a logical addition to an Imperative formation, with the sense of ‘*here*’, hence ‘*now*’, just as the addition of **-i**, ‘*here and now*’ to oppose new endings to the older desinences. They were specialized in some dialects as Future Imperatives.

The Imperative in Modern Indo-European is made with the Present Stem and Secondary Endings, and is thus generally divided into two main formations:

- a. The old, athematic Imperatives; as in **i!**, *go!*, from **eí**; or **es!**, *be!*; etc.

NOTE 1. In Root Athematic verbs, plural forms show $-\emptyset$ vowel and accent on the ending; as, **s-éntōd!**, *be they!*

NOTE 2. Some scholars reconstruct for the 2nd P. Sg. Athematic, along with the general zero-ending, a common **-dhí** ending, which seems to be very old too.

- b. Thematic Imperatives; as **bhere!**, *carry!*, or **age!**, *do!*, *act!*, etc.

Imperat.		Athem.	Them.
sg.	2.	$-\emptyset$, (-dhí)	-e
	3.	-tōd	-etōd
pl.	2.	-te	-ete
	3.	-ṛtōd	-ontōd

7.5.3. SUBJUNCTIVE

1. The Subjunctive is normally Athematic, usually in **-ā**, **-ē** and sometimes **-ō**, and always opposed to the Indicative. There are also Subjunctives in **-s**, probably newer than those in **-ē**, **-ā**.

NOTE. No subjunctive is found in BSL., which could mean that it was an innovation of Late PIE.

2. The Subjunctive Stem is made opposing it to the Indicative Stem, usually following these rules:

a. Indicative Athematic vs. Subjunctive Thematic; as, Ind. **esmi**, *I am*, Sub. **esō**, (*if*) *I be*.

b. Indicative Thematic vs. Subjunctive with Lengthened Thematic Vowel (not root vowel!); as, Ind. **bhèresi**, *you carry*, Sub. **bherēs**, *you may carry*, (*if*) *you carried*.

3. In Thematic Verbs the Subjunctive is made from the Present Stem, but in Athematic Verbs it is usually made from the Basic Stem; as, from **jeug-**, *join*, 1st P.Pres. **jungō**, Subj. **jungōm**; from **kleu-**, *hear*, 1st P.Pres. **kluneumi**, Subj. **klewōm**, not **klunéuōm**.

7.5.4. OPTATIVE

1. The Optative mood is a volitive mood that signals wishing or hoping, as in English *I wish I might*, or *I wish you could*, etc.

- 1) The Athematic Optative has an alternating suffix **-iē** (**-ije** after long syllable), usually in the singular, and zero-grade **-ī**, usually in the plural.

2) The Thematic Optative has a regular **-oi**. (probably the thematic **-o-** plus the reduced Opt. **-i**)

NOTE. Only Albanian, Avestan, Ancient Greek, Sanskrit, and to some extent Old Church Slavonic kept the subjunctive and optative fully separate and parallel. In Sanskrit it is only found in the earliest Vedic language, and the optative and imperative are in comparison less commonly used.

2. The Optative is built with Secondary Endings, and usually with zero-grade root vowel.

3. The Present Optative formations have usually root accent, while the rest show accent on the Optative suffix.

7.6. THE VOICE

7.6.1. ACTIVE VOICE

1. The characteristic Primary Endings are **-mi**, **-si**, **-ti**, 3rd Pl. **-nti**, while the Secondary don't have the final **-i**, i.e. **-m**, **-s**, **-t**, 3rd Pl. **-nt**.

NOTE. The secondary endings are believed to be older, being originally the only verbal endings available. With the addition of a deictic **-i**, which possibly indicated originally “*here and now*”, the older endings became secondary, and the newer formations became the primary endings.

Compare a similar evolution in Romance languages from Lat. *habere*, giving common Fr. *il y a*, “*there (it) is*”, or Cat. *i ha*, “*there is*”, while the Spanish language has lost the relationship with such older Lat. *i*, “*there*”, viz. Spa. *hay*, “*there is*” (from O.Spa. *ha+i*), already integrated within the regular verbal conjugation of the verb *haber*.

2. These Desinences are used for all verbs, whether Athematic or Thematic; as, **esti**, *he is*, or **bhéreti**, *he carries*. However, in the 1st P. Sg., most Late PIE Thematics end in **-ō**; as, **bherō**.

NOTE. These endings in **-ō** are probably remains of the older situation, in which no ending was necessary to mark the 1st P.Sg. (that of the speaker), and therefore, even though a desinence **-m** became general with time, the older formations prevailed, in some cases even along with the newer Thematic **-omi**.

Active		Athematic		Thematic	
		Primary	Secondary	Primary	Secondary
sg.	1.	-mi	-m	-ō, -omi	-om
	2.	-si	-s	-esi	-es
	3.	-ti	-t	-eti	-et
pl.	1.	-mes, -mos	-me, -mo	-omes, -omos	-ome, -omo
	2.	-te		-ete	
	3.	-nti	-nt	-onti	-ont

NOTE. The forms of the first person plural are not easily reconstructed (as every Indo-European dialect has developed its own endings) but they were usually formed with *-me-/-mo-* + \emptyset /Consonant (*-s*, *-n* or *-r*).

7.6.2. MIDDLE VOICE

1. The Middle Endings are generally those of the Active voice with a characteristic Middle voice *-o* (sometimes *-e*), in which the Primary Endings have an additional *-i*.

Middle		Primary	Secondary
sg.	1.	-(m)ai	-(m)a
	2.	-soi	-so
	3.	-toi	-to
pl.	1.	-mesdha	-medha
	2.	-dhe	-dhue
	3.	-ntoi	-nto

2. In the Moods, the endings attested in PIE are usually the same, but there were some exceptions; as,
 - Indicative Middle *-a-* vs. Subjunctive Middle *-ā*,
 - Subjunctive 1st P.Sg. *-ai* (and not *-ma*).

7.6.3. PASSIVE VOICE

1. The Passive voice didn't exist in the attested Proto-Indo-European language; it seems nevertheless useful to develop a common modern Indo-European grammatical formation, based on old PIE endings.

2. The *-r* ending was usual in the Middle formations of some early Indo-European dialects, and it had also a specific impersonal value. The *-r* has therefore two uses in Indo-European:

a. The *-r After the Stem* had usually in PIE an impersonal value, and it was also found lengthened as *-ro*, *-roi*, *-renti*, *-ronti*, *-rontoi*, etc.

NOTE. The *-r* was used in the 3rd P. Sg. & Pl., and it was extended in *-nt-* when necessary to distinguish the plural, giving initially the impersonal forms e.g. 3rd P.Sg. **déiketor**, "it is shown", and 3rd P.Pl. **déikontor**, "they are shown", with the impersonal ending *-r* which was later generalized in some dialects, spreading as Mediopassives in Hittite, Italic, Celtic, Latin and Tocharian. also, when a Middle form was needed, a Middle ending *-o* was added. The primary marker *-i* was used apparently with the same aim.

b. The *-r After the Ending* was usual in forms related to the so-called PIE Mediopassive Voice, attested in Latin, Osco-Umbrian, Celtic and Tocharian, as well as in Germanic, Indo-Iranian and

Anatolian dialects. In Celtic, Osco-Umbrian and Latin, they replaced the Middle Primary Endings, and acquired a Passive value.

NOTE 1. The oldest traceable meaning of the endings in **-r** in Proto-Indo-European, taking the Anatolian examples, show apparently the same common origin: either an impersonal subject or, at least, a subject separated from the action, which is a meaning very closely related to the later dialectally specialized use of a Passive Voice.

NOTE 2. There are no distinctions of Primary-Secondary Passive Endings, as the Secondary formations are the same oldest Mediopassive **-o** Endings. The newer **-i** (Middle) and **-r** (Impersonal) endings were added later and spread on a dialect-to-dialect basis, some of them using and/or mixing both of them, all specializing its use.

Passive		<i>Athematic</i>	<i>Thematic</i>
sg.	1.	-mar	-ar, -omar
	2.	-sor	-esor
	3.	-tor	-etor
pl.	1.	-mosr/-mor	-omosr/-omor
	2.	-dhuer	-edhuer
	3.	-ntor	-ontor

7.7. NOUN AND ADJECTIVE FORMS

7.7.1. INFINITIVES

1. The Infinitives are indeclinable nouns with non-personal verbal functions, which can be in some dialects as many as inflection, voice, aspect and even time.

NOTE. Infinitives are, thus, old nouns reinterpreted as forming part of the verbal conjugation.

2. The older Infinitives are the Verbal Nouns, casual forms inflected as nouns, sometimes included in the verbal inflection. A Verbal Noun is a declinable substantive, derived from the root of a verb.

NOTE. The difference in the syntax is important; the verbal noun is constructed as a substantive, thus - for example - with the object in the genitive; as, **wīrī chenom**, *the killing of a man*, opposed to an infinitive with an accusative; as, **chentus wīrom**, *to kill (Nom.) a man*, v.i.

3. Verbal Nouns were, thus, the normal way to express the idea of a modern Infinitive in the oldest PIE. They were usually formed with the verbal stem and a nominal suffix if Athematic, and is usually formed in MIE with the verbal stem plus neuter **-om** if Thematic; as, **bher-om**, *carrying*.

NOTE. Some IE dialects chose later between limited noun-cases of those verbal nouns for the Infinitive formation, generally Acc., Loc., Abl.; compare Lat. **-os** (sibilant neuter), Gmc. **-on-om** (thematic neuter), etc.

4. In Late PIE, two general infinitive suffixes were used, **-tu-** and **-ti-**. Such formations convey the same meaning as the English infinitive; as, **bhertus**, *carrying*.

NOTE. For generalized IE infinitive **-tu-**, cf. Lat. (active & passive supine) *-tum* (acc.) *-tū* (dat.-loc.) *-tui* (dat.), Gk. *-tós* (<*-*tewos*), Skr. *-tus*, *-tum* (acc.), Av. *-tos* (gen.), *-tave*, *-tavai* (dat.), *-tum*, Prus. *-twei* (dat.) *-tun*, *-ton* (acc.), O.Sla. *-tŭ* (supine), Lith. *-ty*, etc.; for **-ti-**, cf. Ved. *-taye* (dat), BSl., Cel. *-ti* (loc.), Lith. *-tie* (dat.), etc.; also, in **-m-en-**, cf. Skr. *-mane*, O.Gk. *-men(ai)*, etc. Also, a common ending **-dhuāi/-dhiāi** (Haudry) added to the Basic Verbal Stem (possibly originally related to the forms **-tu-**, **-ti-**) is the basic form behind Ved. *-dhyai*, Gk. Middle *-σθαί*, Umb. *-fi*, Toch. *-tsi*, as well as Latin gerunds and the for Germanic reconstructed ***-dhiōi**. Other forms include **-u-**, **-er/n-**, **-(e)s-**, extended **-s-**, **-u-**, **-m-**, also Gmc. **-no-** (as Goth. *ita-n*<*-*edo-no-*), Arm. **-lo-**, etc.

7.7.2. PARTICIPLES

1. The Participles are adjectives which have been assimilated to the verbal system, having thus verbal inflection.

NOTE. The reconstructed Proto-Indo-European shows an intense reliance on participles, and thus a certain number of participles played a very important role in the language.

2. Those in **-nt** are the older ones, and are limited to the Active voice and to the Present, Imperfect and Future; as, **bheróns/bherénts**, *who carries*.

3. The Perfect active has a suffix **-ués**, **-ués** (ø-grade **-us**), or **-uét**, **-uót**; as, **widuóts**, **widuós**, **eduós**, etc.

NOTE. Both the Present and Perfect participles are indeed inflected following the second declension; as, Nom. **-nts**, **-uos**, Acc. **-ntm**, **-uosm**, Gen. **-ntos**, **-usos**, Nom. pl. **-ntes**, **-uoses**, etc.

4. The Middle Participles have a common suffix **-meno-/-mēno-/-mṇo-** (originally probably adjectival) as; **alomṇós**⁷⁹, “*who feeds himself*”, *student*, (as Lat. *alumnus*, from **al**-⁷⁹), **dhēmṇá**, “*who suckles*”, *woman*, (as Lat. *femina*, from **dhēi**-¹²⁰).

5. The Participles have been also developed as Passives in some languages, and are also used in static passive formations in Modern Indo-European. They are usually formed with the Basic or Preterite Stem with the following suffixes:

a. **-tó-**; as, **altós**, *grown*; **dhetós**, *placed*; **kaptós**, *taken*; etc.

NOTE. The adjectives in **-to** imply reference to a Noun. They had usually zero-grade root vowel; as **liqtós**, *left*, **pigtós**, *painted*, and so on.

b. **-nó-** and its variants; as, **bheidhnós**, *parted*, *bitten*; **wṛgnós**, *worked*; **delānós**, *made*.

NOTE. Compare with adjectives in **-n**, as in **pl(e)nós** (cf. Goth. *fulls*, Eng. *full*, Lat. *plenus*), from **pel**.

c. **-mó-**; as, **prwimós**, *foremost*, *first* (cf. Toch. *parwät/parwe*, Lith. *pirmas*, O.C.S. *přrvŭ*, etc.).

NOTE. Latin *prīmus* is usually reconstructed as from **preismós** (cf. Paelignian *prīsmū*) or maybe **pristmós**, in any case (as the rest of IE words for ‘first’) from PIE **per-**; for its derivation from **prwimós**, see Adrados.

d. **-ló-**; see next section.

NOTE. All these Passive participles follow the first-type adjective declension, i.e. **-os, -ā, -om**.

7.7.3. GERUNDIVES AND ABSOLUTIVES

1. Verbal Adjectives are not assimilated to the verbal system of Tense and Voice. Those which indicate need or possibility are called Gerundives.

NOTE. Verbal Adjectives and Adjectives (as Verbal Nouns and Nouns) cannot be easily differentiated.

2. Whereas the same Passive Participle suffixes are found, i.e. **-tó-, -nó-, -mó-**, there are two forms especially identified with the Gerundives in Late PIE dialects:

a. **-ló-** and **-lí-** are found in Latin, Balto-Slavic, Tocharian and Armenian; as, **ṛbherelós**, *unbearable*, **ghabhilís**, *able* (as Lat. *habilis*), etc.

NOTE. For suffix **-lo-** as originally a participle suffix, cf. Russ. *videlŭ*, Lat. *credulus*, *bibulus*, *tremulus*, etc.

b. **-ió-** (a common lengthening to differentiate adjectives) is sometimes a gerundive of obligation, as well as **-tu-, -ti-, -ndho-**, etc.; as, **dhṛsiós**, *visible*; **gnotinós**, *that has to be known*; **seqondhós**, *second, that has to follow*; **gnaskendhós**, *that has to be born*; and so on.

c. **-món**, with a general meaning of ‘able’; as, **mnāmón**, *mindful*.

NOTE. For the “Internal Derivation” (after the German and Austrian schools) of this PIE suffix **-mn** > **-mon**, cf. Gk. *mnēma* > **mń-mṇ**, ‘reminder’, PIE **mnāmṇ**, into Gk. *mnémon* > **mnā-món**, ‘who remembers’; compare also Skr. *bráhmaṇ*, ‘prayer’, Skr. *brahmán*, ‘brahman’, etc.

3. The adverbial, not inflected Verbal Adjectives are called Absolutes or Gerunds. They were usually derived from the older Gerundives.

NOTE. Speakers of Modern Indo-European have to use verbal periphrasis or other resources to express the idea of a modern Gerund, as there is no common reconstructible PIE gerund. As the Verbal Nouns for the Infinitives, the Verbal Adjectives or Gerundives might be a good starting point to translate a modern IE Gerund.

A common Future (or Obligation) Passive Absolute ending, **-téu(ij)os**, (cf. Gk. *-τεος*, O.Ind. *-tavya*, O.Ir. *-the*, etc.), may also be used in MIE; as, **legtéu(ij)os**, *which has to be said, read or gathered*.

Because of its Passive use, it may be used only with transitive verbs.

7.8. CONJUGATED EXAMPLES

7.8.1. THEMATIC VERBS

I. PRESENT STEM

loutus¹⁷⁶, *to wash**PRESENT STEM low-o-*

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>Imperative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	lowō	lowōm	lowoim	-
	lówesi	lowēs	lowois	lowe
	lóweti	lowēt	lowoit	lówetōd
<i>pl.</i>	lówomes	lówōme	lówoime	-
	lówete	lówēte	lówoite	lówete
	lówonti	lowōnt	lowoint	lówontōd

MIDDLE-PASSIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	lowai	lowá	lowoia	lowar
	lówesoī	lowéso	lówoiso	lówesor
	lówetoi	lowéto	lówoito	lówetor
<i>pl.</i>	lówomesdha	lowómedhā	lówoimedha	lówomor
	lówedhe	lowédhue	lówoidhue	lówedhuer
	lówontoi	lowónto	lówojnto	lówontor

IMPERFECT

	<i>ACTIVE</i>	<i>MIDDLE</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	lowóm	lowá	lowár
	lowés	loweso	lowesor
	lowét	loweto	lowetor
<i>pl.</i>	lowome	lowómedha	lowomor
	lowete	lowedhue	lowedhuer
	lowónt	lowonto	lowontor

deiktus, *to show*

PRESENT STEM deik-o-

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>Imperative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	deikō	deikōm	deikoim	-
	déikesi	deikēs	deikois	deike
	déiketi	deikēt	deikoit	déiketōd
<i>pl.</i>	déikomes	déikōme	déikoime	-
	déikete	déikēte	déikoite	déikete
	déikonti	deikōnt	déikoint	déikontōd

MIDDLE-PASSIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	deikai	deikā	deikoia	deikar
	déikesoi	déikēso	déikoiso	déikesor
	déiketoi	déikēto	déikoito	déiketor
<i>pl.</i>	déikomesdha	déikōmedhā	déikoimedha	déikomor
	déikedhe	déikēdhue	déikoidhue	déikedhuer
	déikontoi	déikōnto	déikojnto	déikontor

IMPERFECT

	<i>ACTIVE</i>	<i>MIDDLE</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	deikóm	deiká	deikár
	deikés	deikeso	deikesor
	deikét	deiketo	deiketor
<i>pl.</i>	deikome	deikómedha	deikomor
	deikete	deikedhue	deikedhuer
	deikónt	deikonto	deikontor

weistus, to know, seePRESENT STEM **w(e)id-é-io-** (*Verba Vocalia*)

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>Imperative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	weidēiō	weidēiōm	weidēioim	-
	weidēiesi	weidēiēs	weidēiois	weidēie
	weidēietī	weidēiēt	weidēioit	weidēietōd
<i>pl.</i>	weidēiomēs	weidēiōmē	weidēioimē	-
	weidēiete	weidēiēte	weidēioite	weidēiete
	weidēionti	weidēiōnt	weidēioint	weidēiontōd

MIDDLE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	weidēiai	weidēiā	weidēioia	weidēiar
	weidēiesoi	weidēiēso	weidēioiso	weidēiesor
	weidēietoi	weidēiēto	weidēioito	weidēietor
<i>pl.</i>	weidēiomēsda	weidēiōmedhā	weidēioimedha	weidēiomor
	weidēiedhe	weidēiēdhue	weidēioidhue	weidēiedhuer
	weidēiontoi	weidēiōnto	weidēiojnto	weidēiontor

IMPERFECT

	<i>ACTIVE</i>	<i>MIDDLE</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	weidēióm	weidēiá	weidēiár
	weidēiés	weidēieso	weidēiesor
	weidēiét	weidēieto	weidēietor
<i>pl.</i>	weidēiome	weidēiómēda	weidēiomor
	weidēiete	weidēiedhue	weidēiedhuer
	weidēiánt	weidēionto	weidēiontor

NOTE. *Verba Vocalia* in **-éiō**, if they are not Causatives, have usually zero-grade, as in this example **widéiō**; cf. Lat. *vidēō*, *stūpēō*, *stūdēō*, etc., as in derivatives in **-n-** or **-io-**. However, without this sense they have usually full-grade, cf. Gk. *εἶδω*, Rus. *vižu*, and so on.

II. AORIST STEM

loutus, *to wash*

AORIST STEM **lou-s-** (*Sigmatic Aorist*)

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	lousm̄	lousóm	lousijēm
	lous(s)	lousés	lousijēs
	loust	lousét	lousijēt
<i>pl.</i>	lousme	lousome	lousīme
	louste	lousete	lousīte
	lousnt	lousónt	lousijnt

MIDDLE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	lousma	lousa	lousijā
	lous(s)o	lóuseso	lousīso
	lousto	lóuseto	lousīto
<i>pl.</i>	lóusmedha	lóusomedhā	lousímedha
	lousdhue	lóusedhue	lousīdhue
	lousnto	lóusonto	lousijnto

deiktus, *to show*

AORIST STEM **dik-ó-** (*zero-grade*)

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	dikóm	dikó	dikóim
	dikés	dikés	dikóis
	dikét	dikét	dikóit
<i>pl.</i>	dikome	dikōme	dikoime
	dikete	dikēte	dikoite
	dikónt	dikónt	dikóint

7. Verbs

MIDDLE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	diká	diká	dikoia
	dikeso	dikēso	dikóiso
	diketo	dikēto	dikoito
<i>pl.</i>	dikómedha	dikómedhā	dikóimedha
	dikedhue	dikēdhue	dikoidhue
	dikonto	dikōnto	dikójnto

weistus, to see, know

AORIST STEM **wid-ó-** (zero-grade)

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	widóm	widó	widóim
	widés	widés	widóis
	widét	widét	widóit
<i>pl.</i>	widome	widōme	widoime
	widete	widēte	widoite
	widónt	widónt	widóint

MIDDLE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	widá	widá	widoia
	wideso	widésso	widoiso
	wideto	widēto	widoito
<i>pl.</i>	widómedha	widómedhā	widóimedha
	widedhue	widēdhue	widoidhue
	widonto	widōnto	widójnto

III. PERFECT STEM

*loutus, to wash**PERFECT STEM lōw-/lou-*

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PAST*</i>	<i>MIDDLE*</i>
<i>sg</i>	lōwa	lōwō	lōwóim	lōwóm	lōwā
	lōuta	lōwes	lōwóis	lōwés	lōwesō
	lōwe	lōwet	lōwóit	lōwét	lōweto
<i>pl</i>	loumé	lówome	lōwoime	lōwome	lówomedha
	louté	lówete	lōwoite	lōwete	lówedhue
	lowr	lówont	lówóint	lówónt	lówonto

*deiktus, to show**PERFECT STEM doik-/dik-*

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PAST*</i>	<i>MIDDLE*</i>
<i>sg</i>	doika	doikō	doikóim	doikóm	doikā
	doikta	doikes	doikóis	doikés	dóikesō
	doike	doiket	doikóit	doikét	dóiketo
<i>pl</i>	dikmé	dóikome	doikoime	doikome	dóikomedha
	dikté	dóikete	doikoite	doikete	dóikedhue
	dikér	doikont	doikóint	doikónt	dóikonto

*weistus, to see, know**PERFECT STEM woid-/wid-*

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PAST*</i>	<i>MIDDLE*</i>
<i>sg</i>	woida	woidō	woidóim	woidóm	woidā
	woistaⁱ	woides	woidóis	woidés	wóidesō
	woide	woidet	woidóit	woidét	wóideto
<i>pl</i>	widmé	wóidome	woidoime	woidome	wóidomedha
	wistéⁱⁱ	wóidete	woidoite	woidete	wóidedhue
	widér	woidont	woidóint	woidónt	wóidonto

ⁱ From **woidta*. ⁱⁱ From **widté*.

IV. FUTURE STEM

loutus, to wash*FUTURE STEM lou-s-io-*

	<i>Future</i>	<i>Conditional*</i>
<i>sg</i>	lousiō	lousiom
	lósiesi	lousies
	lósieti	lousiet
<i>pl</i>	lósiomes	lósiome
	lósiete	lósiete
	lósionti	lousiont

deiktus, to show*FUTURE STEM deik-s-o-*

	<i>Future</i>	<i>Conditional*</i>
<i>sg</i>	deiksō	deiksom
	déiksesi	deikses
	déikseti	deikset
<i>pl</i>	déiksomes	déiksome
	déiksete	déiksete
	déiksonti	deiksont

weistus, to see, know*FUTURE STEM weid-s-o-*

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Conditional*</i>
<i>sg</i>	weidsō	weidsom
	wéidsesi	weidses
	wéidseti	weidset
<i>pl</i>	wéidsomes	wéidsome
	wéidsete	wéidsete
	wéidsonti	weidsont

7.8.2. ATHEMATIC INFLECTION

I. PRESENT STEM

estus, to be

PRESENT STEM **es-/s-**

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>Imperative</i>	<i>IMPERFECT</i>
<i>sg.</i>	esmi	esō	sīēm	-	esṃ
	essi	eses	sīēs	es (sdhi)	es(s)
	esti	eset	sīēt	estōd	est
<i>pl.</i>	smés	ésome	sīme	-	esme
	sté	ésete	sīte	(e)ste	este
	senti	esont	sijent	sentōd	esent
<i>Participle: sonts, sontia, sont</i>					

NOTE. Proto-Indo-European verb **es, be**, is a copula and verb substantive; it originally built only a durative aspect of present, and was therefore supported in some dialects (as Gmc., Sla., Lat.) by the root **bheu-**, *be, exist*, which helped to build some future and past formations.

For cognates of the singular forms and the 3rd person plural, compare Gmc. *ezmi, ezzi, esti, senti* (cf. Goth. *im, is, is, sind*, O.N. *em, est, es*, O.E. *eom, eart, ist, sind/sint*, O.H.G. *-, -, ist, sind*, Eng. *am, art, is, -*), Lat. *sum (<ésomī>), es(s), est, sunt (<sontī>)*, Gk. *εμί, εῖ, εστί, εἶσι* (Dor. *έντι*), O.Ind. *ásmi, ási, ásti, sánti*, Av. *ahmi* (O.Pers. *amiy*), *-*, *asti, hanti*, Arm. *em, es, ē, -*, O.Pruss. *asmai, assai, est*, Lith. *esmi, esi, esti*, O.C.S. *jesmь, jesi, jestь, sьtь (<sontī>)*, Russ. *есмь, еси, есть, суть (<sontī>)*, O.Ir. *am, a-t, is, it* (cf. O.Welsh *hint*) Alb. *jam, -, -, etc.*

kleutus; Error! Marcador no definido., to hear

PRESENT STEM **kluneu-/klunu-** (with Nasal Infix)

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>Imperative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	kluneumi	klewō	klunuījēm	-
	kluneusi	klewes	klunuījēs	klunéu(dhi)
	kluneuti	klewet	klunuījēt	kluneutōd
<i>pl.</i>	klunumes	kléwome	klunuīme	-
	klunute	kléwete	klunuīte	kluneute
	klununti	klewont	klunuījñt	klunéwñtōd

NOTE. Indicative forms may usually be read **klunumés, klunuté, klununti**, as in Vedic.

MIDDLE-PASSIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	kluneumai	klewā	klunuīma	kluneuar
	kluneusoi	kléweso	klunuīso	klunéuesor
	kluneutoi	kléweto	klunuīto	klunéuetor
<i>pl.</i>	klunéumesdha	kléwomedhā	klunuīmedha	klunéuomor
	kluneudhe	kléwedhue	klunuīdhue	klunéuedhuer
	klunewṅtoi	kléwonto	klunuījṅto	klunéuontor

NOTE. Athematic Optatives form the Present with zero-grade; cf. Lat. *siēm, duim*, Gk. *ισταιην, διδοιην, τιθειην*, O.Ind. *syaam (asmi), dvisyām (dvesmi), iyām (emi), juhuyām (juhkomi), sunuykām (sunomi), rundhyām (runadhmi), kuryām (karomi), krīnīyām (krīnāmi)*, etc. Exceptions are Lat. *uelim* (not *uulim*), Goth. (concave) *wiljau, wileis*, etc.

IMPERFECT

	<i>ACTIVE</i>	<i>MIDDLE</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	klunewṃ	klewā́	klunewár
	klunéus	kleweso	klunewesor
	klunéut	kleweto	klunewetor
<i>pl.</i>	kluneume	klewómedhā	klunewomor
	kluneute	klewedhue	klunewedhuer
	klunewṅt	klewonto	klunewontor

stātus⁶², *to stand*

PRESENT STEM (si)stā-/(si)sta-

ACTIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>Imperative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	(sī)stāmi	stāiō	(si)stājēm	-
	(sī)stāsi	stāies	(si)stājēs	(sī)stā(dhi)
	(sī)stāti	stāiet	(si)stājēt	(sī)stātōd
<i>pl.</i>	(sī)stames	stāiome	(si)stāime	-
	(sī)state	stāiete	(si)staíte	(sī)state
	(sī)stanti	stāiont	(si)stājṅt	(sī)stanti

NOTE. Indicative forms may usually be read *sistamés, sistaté, sistánti*, as in Vedic.

MIDDLE-PASSIVE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	(sí)stāmai	stāiā	(si)stāīma	(sī)stāmar
	(sí)stāsoi	stāieso	(si)stāīso	(sī)stāsor
	(sí)stātoi	stāieto	(si)stāīto	(sī)stātor
<i>pl.</i>	(sí)stāmesdha	stāiomedha	(si)stāīmedha	(sī)stāmor
	(sí)stādhe	stāiedhue	(si)stāīdhue	(sī)stāsdhuer
	(sí)stāntoi	stāionto	(si)stāījnto	(sī)stāntor

IMPERFECT

	<i>ACTIVE</i>	<i>MIDDLE</i>	<i>PASSIVE*</i>
<i>sg.</i>	(si)stām	(si)stāma	(si)stāmar
	(si)stās	(si)stāso	(si)stāsor
	(si)stāt	(si)stāto	(si)stātor
<i>pl.</i>	(si)stāme	(si)stāmedha	(si)stāmor
	(si)stāte	(si)stādhue	(si)stādhuer
	(si)stānt	(si)stānto	(si)stāntor

II. AORIST STEM

estus, *to be* (only Active)

AORIST STEM es-/s-

<i>sg.</i>	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
	esṃ	esóm	sīēm
	es(s)	esés	sīēs
	est	esét	sīēt
<i>pl.</i>	esme	esome	sīēme
	este	esete	sīēte
	esṃt	esónt	sijent

NOTE. The Aorist was built with the regular Aorist Stem and dialectal Augment, viz. **ēs-**(->é+es-), adding Secondary Endings. Compare Old Indian Sg. *āsam*, *ās*, *ās*, Pl. *āsma*, *āsta*, *āsan*, Gk. Hom. 1. Sg. ἦα, 2. Sg. hom. att. ἦσθα, 3. Sg. dor. etc. ἦς, Pl. hom. ἦμεν, ἦτε, ἦσαν, cf. also Lat. *erat*, Hitt. *e-eš-ta* (*ēsta*), Alb. *isha*.

bheutus, to become, beAORIST STEM **bhū-** or **bhuw-**

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	bhūm	bhuwóm	bhuwijēm
	bhūs	bhuwés	bhuwijēs
	bhūt	bhuwét	bhuwijēt
<i>pl.</i>	bhūme	bhuwome	bhuwīme
	bhūte	bhuwete	bhuwīte
	bhūnt/bhuwṇt	bhuwónt	bhuwijent
Pres. Part. bhuwonts , bhuwṇtia , bhuwont			

NOTE. The Verb **es-**, *be*, has been sometimes substituted or mixed in its conjugation (specially in past and future forms) by IE **bheu-**, *be, exist, grow*, compare Gmc. *bu-*, “ *dwell* ” (cf. Goth. *bauan*, “*live*”, O.E., O.H.G. *būan*, O.E. *bēon*, in *bēo, bist, biþ*, pl. *bēoþ*, or Ger. *bin, bist*, Eng. *be*), Lat. *fui*, “*I was*”, and *futurus*, “*future*”, Gk. *φύομαι*, O.Ind. *bhāvati, bhūtís, bhūtís*, Lith. *būti*, O.C.S. *бъиѹ*, Russ. *быть, был*, Pol. *być*, O.Ir. *buith*.¹⁷⁷

kleutus, to hearAORIST STEM **klū-**/**kluw-**

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	klwom	klwōm	klwijēm
	klwes	klwēs	klwijēs
	klwet	klwēt	klwijēt
<i>pl.</i>	klwome	klwōme	klwīme
	klwete	klwēte	klwīte
	klwont	klwōnt	klwíjent

MIDDLE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	klwomā	klwōma	klwijā
	klweso	klwēso	klwīso
	klweto	klwēto	klwīto
<i>pl.</i>	klwómesdha	klwómedha	klwímedha
	klwedhue	klwēdhuer	klwīdhue
	klwonto	klwōnto	klwíjnto

stātus, *to stand*

AORIST STEM (é-)stā-

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	stām	stāíó	stā́jēm
	stās	stāiés	stā́jēs
	stāt	stāiét	stā́jēt
<i>pl.</i>	stamé	stāiome	stā́ime
	staté	stāiete	stā́ite
	stant	stāíont	stā́jñt

MIDDLE

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>
<i>sg.</i>	stāma	stāíá	stā́jā
	stāso	stāieso	stā́iso
	stāto	stāieto	stā́ito
<i>pl.</i>	stāmedha	stāíomedha	stā́imedha
	stādhue	stāiedhue	stā́idhue
	stānto	stāionto	stā́jñto

III. PERFECT STEM

bheutus, *to become, be*

PERFECT STEM bhū-i- (Pres. – see Jasanoff 2003)

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PAST*</i>	<i>MIDDLE*</i>
<i>sg</i>	bhūia	bhūiō	bhūijēm	bhūióm	bhūiā
	bhūita	bhūiowes	bhūijēs	bhūiés	bhūieso
	bhūie	bhūiowet	bhūijēt	bhūiét	bhūieto
<i>pl</i>	bhūimé	bhūiowom	bhūjīme	bhūiome	bhūiomedha
	bhūité	bhūiowete	bhūjīte	bhūiete	bhūiedhue
	bhūiér	bhūiowont	bhūjīñt	bhūíont	bhūíonto

kleutus, to hear*PERFECT STEM ké-klou-*

	<i>Indicative</i>	<i>Subjunctive</i>	<i>Optative</i>	<i>PAST*</i>	<i>MIDDLE*</i>
<i>sg</i>	kéklowa	kéklowō	keklowijēm	keklowóm	kéklowā
	kéklouta	kéklowes	keklowijēs	keklowés	kékloweso
	kéklowe	kéklowet	keklowijēt	keklowét	kékloweto
<i>pl</i>	keklumé	kéklowome	keklowīme	keklowome	kéklowomedha
	kekluté	kéklowete	keklowīte	keklowete	kéklowedhue
	keklwér	kéklowont	keklowijñt	keklowónt	kéklowonto

IV. FUTURE STEM

bheutus, to become, be*FUTURE STEM bheu-s-o-*

	<i>Future</i>	<i>Conditional*</i>
<i>sg</i>	bheusō	bheusom
	bhéusesi	bheuses
	bhéuseti	bheuset
<i>pl</i>	bhéusomes	bhéusome
	bhéusete	bhéusete
	bhéusonti	bheusont

kleutus, to hear*FUTURE STEM kleu-s-o-*

	<i>Future</i>	<i>Conditional*</i>
<i>sg</i>	kleusō	kleusom
	kléusesi	kleuses
	kléuseti	kleuset
<i>pl</i>	kléusomes	kléusome
	kléusete	kléusete
	kléusonti	kleusont

7.8.3. OTHER COMMON PIE STEMS

I. THEMATIC VERBS

ROOT

- Present **lowō**, *I wash*, Imperfect **lowóm**, Aorist (é)**lousm̄**.
- Present **serpō**, *I crawl*, Imperfect **serpóm**, Aorist (é)**sṛpom**.
- Present **bherō**, *I carry*, Imperfect **bheróm**., Aorist (é)**bherom**.
- Present **bheugō**, *I flee*, Imperfect **bheugóm**, Aorist (é)**bhugom**.
- Present **bheidhō**, *I believe, persuade*, Imperfect **bheidhóm**, Aorist (é)**bhidhom**.
- Present **weqō**, *I speak*, Imperfect **weqóm**, Aorist (Them. Redupl.) (é)**weuqom**
- Present **tremō**, *I tremble*, Imperfect **tremóm**, Aorist (é)**tṛmom**.

NOTE. A particular sub-class of Thematic Presents without suffix is of the type Skr. *tudati*, which have Present Stems with zero-grade root-vowel, as **glubhō/gleubhō**, *skin*.

REDUPLICATED

There are many reduplicated thematic stems, analogous to the athematic ones:

- Present **gignō**, *I generate*, (from **gen-**), Imperfect **gignóm**, Aorist (é)**gnom**/(é)**genom**, Perfect **gégona**, P.Part. **gñtós** (cf. O.Ind. *jatá*, Lat. *nātus*).

NOTE. For **gñtós**, cf. O.Ind. *jātás*, Av. *zāta-*; Lat. *nātus*, Pael. *cnatois*, Gaul. f. *gnātha* “daughter”; O.N. *kundr* “son”, also in compound, cf. Goth. *-kunds*, “be a descendant of”, O.E. *-kund*, O.N. *-kunnr*.

- Present **pibō**, *I drink* (from ***pípō**, from **pōi-**) Imperfect **pibóm**.
- Present **mimnō**, *I remember*, (from **men-**¹⁷⁸), Imperfect **mimnóm**.

IN -IO

Some of them are causatives.

- Present **spekiō**, *I watch*, Imperfect **spekióm**, Aorist (é)**speksm̄**, P.Part. **spektós**.
- Present **teniō**, *I stretch*, Imperfect **tenjóm**, Aorist (é)**tṇom**/(é)**tenóm**, Perfect **tétona**, P.Part. **tṇtós**.

VERBA VOCALIA

- Present **bhorēiō**, *I make carry*, from **bher-**, *carry*.
- Present **w(e)idēiō**, *I see, I know*, Imperfect **w(e)idēióm**, Aorist (é)**widóm**, Perfect **woida** P.Part. **wistós** (<***widtós**).
- Present **monēiō**, *I make think, remember*, as Lat. *moneo*, from **men**, *think*.

- Present **tromēiō**, *I make tremble*, from **trem**, *tremble*.

IN -SKO

Verbs built with this suffix have usually two main functions in the attested Proto-Indo-European verbs:

- Durative action, Intensive or Repetitive (i.e., *Intensive-Iterative*), as attested in Greek;
- Incompleted action, with an Inchoative value, indicating that the action is beginning.

Common examples include:

- Present **pr̥kskó**, *I ask, demand, inquire* (cf. Lat. *posco*, Ger. *forschen*, v.i.) from **prek**, *ask*.
- Present **gṛṇskai**, *I am born* (cf. Lat. *gnascor*) from zero-grade **gṛṇ-sko-**, lit. “*I begin to generate myself*”, in turn from reduplicated verb **gignō**, *generate*.
- Present **gnoskō**, **gígnōskō**, *I begin to know, I learn*, from **gnō-**, *know*.

WITH NASAL INFIX

- Present **jungo**, *join* (from **jeug-**), Imperfect **jungóm**, Aorist **jēugsṃ**.

NOTE. Compare O.H.G. [*untar-*] *jauhta* (as Lat. *sub-jugauī*), Lat. *jungō*, *-ere*, *-nxi*, *-nctus*, Gk. ζεύγνυμι, ζεύξαι ζυγηναι; O.Ind. *yunákti* (3. Pl. *yuñjánti* = Lat. *jungunt*), *yuñjati*, full-grade *yōjayati* (<**jeugēieti**); Av. *yaoj-*, *yuj-*; Lit. *jūngiu*, *jūngti*, etc. For Past Participles (with and without Present infix *-n-*), compare O.E. *geoht*, *iukt*, Lat. *junctus*, Gk. δεπθόο, O.Ind. *yuktá-*, Av. *yuxta-*, Lit. *jūngtas*, etc.

II. ATHEMATIC VERBS

ROOT

They are the most archaic PIE verbs, and their Present conjugation is of the old type Singular root vowel in full-grade, Plural root vowel in zero-grade.

- Present **esmi**, *I am*, vs. Imperfect **esṃ**, *I was/have been*.
- Present **eími**, *I walk*, vs. Imperfect **eím**, *I walked/have walked*.
- Present **bhāmi**, *I speak*, vs. Imperfect **bhām**, *I spoke/have spoken*.

NOTE. The verb *talk* is sometimes reconstructed as PIE ***āmi**, *I talk*, and Imperfect ***ām**, *I talked/have talked*; for evidence of an original **ag(h)-iō**, compare Lat. *aiō*, Gk. ην, Umb. *aiu*, Arm. *asem*. Thus, this paradigm would rather be Thematic, i.e. Present **ag(h)iō**, *I talk*, vs. Imperfect **ag(h)ióm**, *I talked/have talked*.

- Present **edmi**, *I eat*, vs. Imperfect **edṃ**, *I ate/have eaten*.

NOTE. Note that its Present Participle **dōnts/dents**, “*eating*”, might be used as substantive, meaning “*tooth*”.

- Present **welmi**, *I want*, vs. Imperfect **welṃ**, *I wanted/have wanted*.

REDUPLICATED

- Present **sístāmi** (from **stā-**, *stand*), Imperfect **(si)stām**, Aorist **(é)stām**, P.Part. **statós**.
- Present **déidikmi** (from **deik-**, *show*), Imperfect **deidikṃ**, Aorist **(é)dēiksṃ**, Perfect **dédoika**, P.Part. **diktós**.
- Present **dhídhēmi** (from **dhē-**, *do, make*), Imperfect **dhidhēm**, Aorist **(é)dhēm**, P.Part. **dhatós**.
- Present **dídōmi** (from **dō-**, *give*), Imperfect **didóm**, Aorist **(é)dōm**, P.Part. **datós**.
- Present **jījēmi**, *throw*, Imperfect **jijém**, Aorist **(é)jem**.

NOTE. For evidence on an original PIE **jījēmi**, and not ***jījāmi** as usually reconstructed, cf. Lat. pret. *iēcī*, a form due to its two consecutive laryngeals, while Lat. *iaciō* is a present remade (Julián González Fernández, 1981).

WITH NASAL INFIX

- **klunéumi**, *hear* (from **kleu-**), Imperfect **klunéwṃ**, Aorist **(é)klwom**, Perfect **kéklowa**, P.Part. **klutós**, meaning “*heard*” and also “*famous*”.

NOTE. For zero-grade **kleu-**, and not ***kl-**, as usually reconstructed (since Pokorny’s *Wörterbuch*), and for a suffix **-neu**, and not a nasal infix **-n-**, ***kl-n-eu-**, cf. Buddh. Skr. *śruṇ*; Av. *surunaōiti*; Shughni *çin*; O.Ir. *cluīnethar*; Toch. A and B *kāln*. Therefore, Skr. *śRṇo-/śRṇu-* < **kluneu-/klunu-** shows a loss of *u* analogous to the loss of *i* in *tRtíya-* ‘*third*’ < IE **tritijo-**.

- **punémi**, *rot* (from **pew**), Imperfect **puném**, Aorist **(é)pēwsṃ**.

8. PARTICLES

8.1. PARTICLES

8.1.1. Adverbs, Prepositions, Conjunctions and Interjections are called Particles. They cannot always be distinctly classified, for many adverbs are used also as prepositions and many as conjunctions.

8.1.2. Strictly speaking, Particles are usually defined as autonomous elements, usually clitics, which make modifications in the verb or sentence, but which don't have a precise meaning, and which are neither adverbs nor preverbs nor conjunctions.

8.1.3. Indo-European has some particles (in the strictest sense) which mark certain syntax categories:

a. Emphatics or Generalizers: they may affect the whole sentence or a single word, usually a pronoun, but also a noun or verb. The particle **ge/gi, ghe/ghi**, usually strengthens the negation, and emphasizes different pronouns.

NOTE 1. The origin of this particle is probably to be found in PIE **-qe**, acquiring its coordinate value from an older use as word-connector, from which this Intensive/Emphatic use was derived. Compare O.Ind. *gha, ha, hí*, Av. *zi*, Gk. *ge, -gí, -χί*, Lith. *gu, gi*, O.Sla. *-go, že, ži*. Also, compare, e.g. for intensive negative **neghi**, O.E. *nek*, O.Ind. *nahí*, Balt. *negi*.

NOTE 2. Also, if compared with Gk. *dé*, O.Ind. *ha*, O.Sla. *že*, a common PIE particle **che** might be reconstructed.

b. Verb Modifiers:

I. The old **-ti** had a Middle value, i.e. Reflexive.

NOTE. This is a very old value, attested in Anatolian, cf. Hitt. *za*, Pal. *-ti*, Luw. *-ti*, Lyd. *-(i)t*, Lyc. *-t/di*.

II. The modal **-man**, associated with the Indicative, expresses Potentiality (when used in Present) and Irreality (in the Past).

NOTE. It is probably the same as the conjunction **man, if**, and closely related to **-ma, but**.

III. The negative particle **mē**, associated with the Indicative or forms indifferent to the Moods.

c. Sentence categorizers: they indicate the Class of Sentence, whether negative or interrogative.

I. Absolute Interrogatives were introduced in European dialects by special particles, generally **an**.

NOTE. The origin could be the "Non-Declarative Sense" of the sentence, so that it could have been derived originally from the negative **ne/η**.

II. Negation has usually two particles, etymologically related:

- Simple negation is made by the particle **ne**, lengthened in some dialects with **-i, -n, -d**, etc.

- Mood negation or prohibitive is the particle **mē** (also **nē**).

NOTE. For PIE **mē**, compare Gk. μή, O.Ind.,Av.,O.Pers. *mā*, Toch. *mar/mā*, Arm. *mi*, Alb. *mos*. In some Proto-Indo-European dialects, **nē** (from **ne**) fully replace the function of **mē**, cf. Goth. *ne*, Lat. *nē*, Ira. *ni*. It is not clear whether Hitt. *lē* is ultimately derived from **mē** or **nē**.

d. Sentence Connectives: they introduce independent sentences or connect different sentences, or even mark the principal sentence among subordinates.

I. **so** and **to**, which are in the origin of the anaphoric pronoun we studied in § 6.5.

II. **nu**, which has an adverbial, temporal-consecutive meaning.

III. An introductory or connective **ṛ**, which is possibly the origin of some coordinate conjunctions.

8.2. ADVERBS

8.2.1. There is a class of invariable words, able to modify nouns and verbs, adding a specific meaning, whether semantical or deictic. They can be independent words (Adverbs), prefixes of verbal stems (Preverbs) – originally independent but usually united with it – and also a nexus between a noun and a verb (Appositions), expressing a non-grammatical relationship, normally put behind, but sometimes coming before the word.

NOTE. In the oldest PIE the three categories were probably only different uses of the same word class, being eventually classified and assigned to only one function and meaning. In fact, Adverbs are generally distinguished from the other two categories in the history of Indo-European languages, so that they change due to innovation, while Preverbs and Appositions remain the same and normally freeze in their oldest positions.

8.2.2. Adverbs come usually from old particles which have obtained a specific deictic meaning. Traditionally, Adverbs are deemed to be the result of oblique cases of old nouns or verbal roots which have frozen in IE dialects, thus losing inflection.

8.3. DERIVATION OF ADVERBS

8.3.1. Adverbs were regularly formed in PIE from Nouns, Pronouns and Adjectives as follows:

A. From Pronouns:

I. With a nasal lengthening, added systematically to zero-grade forms, which gives adverbs in **-am**; as, **tam**, **qam** (from Latin), or **peram** (as Gk. *peran*)

NOTE. They are usually interpreted as being originally Acc. Sg. fem. of independent forms.

II. An **-s** lengthening, added to the adverb and not to the basic form, giving sometimes alternating adverbs; as, **ap/aps**, **ek/eks**, **ambhi/ambhis**, etc.

III. An **-r** lengthening; as, **qor**, **tor**, **kir**, etc. which is added also to other derived adverbs. It is less usual than the other two.

NOTE. Compare for such lengthenings Goth. *hwar, her*, (O.E. *where, hier*), Lat. *cur*, O.Ind. *kár-hi, tár-hi*, Lith. *kur*, Hitt. *kuwari*. Also, IE **qor-i, tor-i, cir-i**, etc. may show a final circumstantial **-i**, probably the same which appears in the Oblique cases and in the Primary Verbal Endings, and which originally meant ‘*here and now*’.

Some older adverbs, derived as the above, were in turn specialized as suffixes for adverb derivation, helping to create compound adverbs from two pronoun stems:

- i. From the pronoun **de**, the nasalized **de-m** gives adverbs in **-dem, -dam**; as, **ídem, qídam**, etc.
- ii. From root **dhē**, *put, place*, there are two adverbs which give suffixes with local meaning, from stems of Pronouns, Nouns, Adverbs and Prepositions:
 - a. an Adverb in **-m, dhem/dhṃ**; as, **endhem, prosdhṃ**, etc.
 - b. an Adverb in **-i, dhi**, as in **podhi, autodhi**, etc.

NOTE. Compare from IE **de**, Lat. *idem, quidam*, O.Ind. *idān-im*; from **dh(e)m, dhi**, Gk. *-then, -tha, -thi*.

- iii. From PIE root **te**, there are some adverbial suffixes with mood sense – some with temporal sense, derived from the older modal. So **ta**; as, **ita** or **itadem, ut(a), prota, auta**, etc; and **t(e)m, utṃ, item, eitṃ**, etc.

NOTE. Compare from PIE **-ta** (PIH *-th₂*), Lat. *iti-dem, ut(i), ita*, Gk. *protí, au-ti*, O.Ind. *iti, práti*; from **t(e)m**, Lat. *i-tem*, Gk. *ei-ta, epei-ta*, O.Ind. *u-tá*.

B. From Nouns and Adjectives (usually Neuter Accusatives), frozen as adverbs already in Late PIE. The older endings to form Adverbs are the same as those above, i.e. generally **-i, -u** and **-(e)m**, which are in turn originally Adverbs. Such Adverbs have normally precise, Local meanings, not merely Abstract or Deictic, and evolve then usually as Temporals. Endings **-r**, nasal **-n** and also **-s**, as in the formation of Pronouns, are also found.

NOTE 1. It is not uncommon to find adverbs derived from nominal stems which never had inflection, thus (probably) early frozen as adverbs in its pure stem.

NOTE 2. From those adverbs were derived Conjunctions, either with Temporal-Consecutive meaning (cf. Eng. *then, so*) or Contrastive (cf. Eng. *on the contrary, instead*).

Adverbs may also end:

In **-d**: cf. Lat. *probē*, Osc. *prufēd*; O.Ind. *pascāt, adharāt, purastāt*.

In **-nim**: cf. Osc. *enim*, “*and*”, O.Ind. *tūsnim*, “*silently*”, maybe also *idānim* is **idā-nim*, not **idān-im*.

In **-tos**: cf. Lat. *funditus, diuinitus, publicitus, penitus*; O.Ind. *vistarataḥ, “in detail”, samkṣepataḥ, prasangataḥ, “occasionally”, nāmattaḥ, “namely”, vastutaḥ, “actually”, mata, “by/for me”*.

In **-ks**: cf. Lat. *uix*, Gk. *περιξ*, O.Ind. *samyak, “well”, prthak, “separately”, Hitt. hudak, “directly”*.

8.4. PREPOSITIONS

8.4.1. Prepositions were not originally distinguished from Adverbs in form or meaning, but have become specialized in use.

They developed comparatively late in the history of language. In the early stages of the Proto-Indo-European language the cases alone were probably sufficient to indicate the sense, but, as the force of the case-endings weakened, adverbs were used for greater precision. These adverbs, from their common association with particular cases, became Prepositions; but many retained also their independent function as adverbs.

8.4.2. Most prepositions are true case-forms: as the comparatives **ekstrós** (cf. *external*), **ndhrós** (cf. *inferior*), **suprós**, and the accusatives **kikrom**, **koram**, etc.

8.4.3. Prepositions are regularly used either with the Accusative or with the Obliques.

8.4.4. Some examples of common PIE adverbs/prepositions are:

ambhi, **mbhi**, *on both sides, around*; cf. O.H.G. *umbi* (as Eng. *by*, Ger. *bei*), Lat. *am*, *amb-*, Gk. *amphi*, *amphis*, O.Ind. *abhí*.

ana, *on, over, above*; cf. Goth. *ana*, Gk. *ánō*, *aná*, O.Ind. *ána*, O.C.S. *na*.

anti, *opposite, in front*; cf. Goth. *and*, Lat. *ante*, Gk. *antí*, O.Ind. *ánti*, *átha*, Lith. *añt*; Hitt. *ḫanti*.

apo, **po**, *out, from*; cf. Goth. *af*, lat. *ab*, *abs*, Gk. *apo*, *aps*, *apothēn*, O.Ind. *ápa*.

au/we, *out, far*; cf. Lat. *au-*, *uē-*, Gk. *au*, *authi*, *autár*, O.Ind. *áva*, *vi-*, Toc. *-/ot-*, O.C.S. *u*.

ebhi, **obhi**, **bhi**, *around, from, to, etc.*; cf. Lat. *ob*, “*towards, to*”, O.Ind. *abhi*, Av. *aiwi*, Goth. *bi*,

en(i)/n, *in*; cf. Goth. *in*, Lat. *in*, Gk. *en*, *ení*, O.Ind. *ni*, *nis*, Lith. *in*, O.C.S. *on*, *vŭ*.

epi, **opi**, **pi**, *towards here, around, circa*; cf. Gmc. *ap-*, *ep-*, Lat. *ob*, *op-*, *-pe*, Osc. *úp-*, Gk. *ἐπί*, *ἔπι*, *ὄπι*, *πι*, O.Ind. *ápi*, Av. *áipi*, Arm. *ev*, Lith. *ap-*, O.Ir. *iar*, *ía-*, *ei-*, Alb. *épërë*, etc.

et(i), **oti**, *also, even*; **ati**, *beyond, past; over, on the other side*; cf. Goth. *ip*, Lat. *et*, Gk. *eti*, O.Ind. *áti*, *átaḥ*, *at*, O.C.S. *otu*.

ndhí, *more, over*, **ndher(i)**, *down*; cf. Gmc. *under-*, Lat. *infra*, Gk. *éntha*, O.Ind. *ádhi*, *ádhaḥ*.

per, **pṛ**, *in front, opposite, around*; cf. Goth. *fra*, *faúr*, *faúra*, Lat. *pro*, *prae*, *per*, Gk. *perí*, *pará*, *pros*, O.Ind. *pári*, *práti*, *pra*, Lith. *per*, Ltv. *prett'*, O.C.S. *prě*.

qu, from interrogative-indefinites **qi/qo**;

ter, **tṛ**, *through*, cf. Gmc. *thurkh* (cf. Goth. *pairh*, O.S. *thuru*, O.E. *þurh*, O.Fris. *thurch*, O.H.G. *thuruh*, M.Du. *dore*, Ger. *durch*), Lat. *trans*, O.Ind. *tiraḥ*, Av. *taro*, O.Ir. *tre*, Welsh *tra*.

upo, *under, down*; **uper(i)**, *up*; cf. Goth. *uf*, *ufar* (as Eng. *up*, *over*, Ger. *auf*, *über*), Lat. *sub*, *super*, Gk. *upó*, *upér*, O.Ind. *úpa*, *upári*.

ad <i>to, near,</i>	perti <i>through, otherwise</i>
aneu <i>without</i>	pos/posti/pósteri <i>behind</i>
apóteri <i>behind</i>	poti <i>toward</i>
dē/dō <i>to</i>	pósteri/postrōd <i>behind</i>
ek/eksí <i>out</i>	prāi <i>in front, ahead</i>
ektós <i>except</i>	práiteri <i>along(side)</i>
entós <i>even, also</i>	prō(d) <i>ahead</i>
kamta <i>downward</i>	próteri <i>in front of</i>
kom <i>near</i>	prota <i>against</i>
nī <i>down</i>	rōdhí <i>because (of)</i>
obhi <i>on, over</i>	ani/santeri <i>separately</i>
ólteri <i>beyond</i>	úperi/upsí <i>on, over</i>
para <i>next to</i>	ut/utsí <i>up, out</i>
paros <i>ahead</i>	wī <i>separately</i>

8.5. CONJUNCTIONS

8.5.1. Conjunctions, like prepositions, are closely related to adverbs, and are either petrified cases of nouns, pronouns and adjectives, or obscured phrases: as, **qod**, an old accusative. Most conjunctions are connected with pronominal adverbs, which cannot always be referred to their original case-forms.

8.5.2. Conjunctions connect words, phrases or sentences. They are divided in two main classes, Coordinate and Subordinate:

a. Coordinates are the oldest ones, which connect coordinated or similar constructions. Most of them were usually put behind and were normally used as independent words. They are:

I. Copulative or disjunctive, implying a connection or separation of thought as well as of words: as, **qe**, *and*; **we**, *or*; **neqe**, *nor*.

NOTE. For PIE **neqe**, compare Lat. *ne-que*, Gk. οὔτε, Arm. *oc*, O.Ir. *nó, nú*, Welsh *ne-u*, O.Bret. *no-u*, Alb. *a-s*, Lyc. *ne-u*, Luw. *napa-wa*, and for PIE **mēqe**, in Greek and Indo-Iranian, but also in Toch. *ma-k* and Alb. *mo-s*. The parallel **newe** is found in Anatolian, Indo-Iranian, Italic and Celtic dialects.

II. Adversative, implying a connection of words, but a contrast in thought: as, **ma**, *but*.

NOTE. Adversative conjunctions of certain antiquity are **at(i)** (cf. Goth. *adh-*, Lat. *at*, Gk. *atár*), **(s)ma/(s)me** (cf. Hitt., Pal. *ma*, Lyd. *-m*, Lyc. *me*, Gk. *má, mé*, Messap. *min*), **auti** (cf. Lat. *autem, aut*, Gk. *aute, authis, autis, autár*), **ōd**, “*and, but*” (cf. O.Ind. *ād*, Av. (*ā*)*at*, Lith. *o*, Sla. *a*), etc. In general, the oldest IE languages attested use the same Copulative positive conjunctions as Adversatives, their semantic value ascertained by the context.

III. Causal, introducing a cause or reason: as, **nam**, *for*.

IV. Illative, denoting an inference: as, **igitur**, *therefore*.

NOTE. Newer particles usually are usually put before, and some of them are general, as the Copulative **eti**, *and* (as Lat. *et*, Gk. *eti*, nasalized **nti** in Germanic, as Goth., Eng. *and*), and Illative **ōd**, *certainly* (cf. O.Ind. *ād*, Lith. *o*, O.Sla. *a*), or **ōdqe** in Latin. Others were not generalized before the first PIE split, but could nevertheless be used in Modern Indo-European.

b. Subordinates connect a subordinate or independent clause with that on which it depends. They are:

I. **jo**, which has general subordinate value, usually Relative, Final or Conditional.

NOTE. For common derivatives of PIE **jo**, probably related to the relative pronoun, compare Hitt. *-a/-ya*, Toch. *-/yo*, and possibly Goth. *-ei*, Gk. *ei*, Gaul. *-io*. It was probably replaced by **qe**.

II. Conditional, denoting a condition or hypothesis; as, **man**, *if*; **neman**, *unless*.

III. Comparative, implying comparison as well as condition; as, **man**, *as if*.

IV. Concessive, denoting a concession or admission; as, **qāmqām**, *although* (Lit. *however much it may be true that*, etc.).

V. Temporal: as, **postqām**, *after*.

VI. Consecutive, expressing result; as, **ut(ei)**, *so that*.

VII. Final, expressing purpose; as, **ut(ei)**, *in order that*; **ne**, *that not*.

VIII. Causal, expressing cause; as, **qiā**, *because*.

Conjunctions are more numerous and more accurately distinguished in MIE than in English.

9. PROTO-INDO-EUROPEAN SYNTAX

9.1. THE SENTENCE

A Sentence is a form of words which contains a Statement, a Question, an Exclamation, or a Command.

- a. A sentence in the form of a Statement is called a Declarative Sentence: as, *the dog runs*.
- b. A sentence in the form of a Question is called an Interrogative Sentence: as, *does the dog run?*
- c. A sentence in the form of an Exclamation is called an Exclamatory Sentence: as, *how fast the dog runs!*
- d. A sentence in the form of a Command, an Exhortation, or an Entreaty is called an Imperative Sentence : as, *go, run across the Alps; or let the dog run*.

NOTE. After Lehman (1974), “*The fundamental order of sentences in PIE appears to be OV. Support for this assumption is evident in the oldest texts of the materials attested earliest in the IE dialects. The fundamental order of sentences in these early dialects cannot be determined solely by frequency of sentence patterns. For, like other linguistic constructions, sentence patterns manifest marked as well as unmarked order. Marked order is expected in literary materials. The documents surviving from the earliest dialects are virtually all in verse or in literary forms of prose. Accordingly many of the individual sentences do not have the unmarked order, with verb final. For this reason conclusions about the characteristic word order of PIE and the early dialects will be based in part on those syntactic patterns that are rarely modified for literary and rhetorical effect: comparative constructions, the presence of postpositions and prepositions, and the absence of prefixes, (...)*”.

Lehman is criticized by Friedrich (1975) who, like Watkins (1976) and Miller (1975), support a VO prehistoric situation, probably SVO (like those found in ‘central’ IE areas), with non-consistent dialectal SOV findings. In any case (viz. Lehman and Miller), an older IE I or IE II OV (VSO for Miller) would have been substituted by a newer VO (SOV for Miller, later SVO through a process of verb transposition) – thus, all Indo-European dialects attested have evolved (thus probably from a common Late PIE trend) into a modern SVO.

Modern Indo-European, as a modern IE language, may follow the stricter formal patterns attested in the oldest inscriptions, i.e. (S)OV, as in Vedic Sanskrit, Ancient Greek, Old Latin and Avestan. A newer, general (S)VO order (found in Greek, Latin, Avestan, Germanic, etc.), which reveals the change from OV in Early PIE towards a VO in Late PIE for the spoken language of Europe – and even some forms of literary uses, as e.g. journalism – could be used in non-formal contexts.

9.1.1. KINDS OF SENTENCES

PIE sentences were either Nominal, i.e. formed by nouns, or Verbal, if they included a verb.

I. A Subject and a Predicate. The Subject of a sentence is the *person or thing spoken of*. The Predicate is *that which is said* of the Subject.

a. The Subject is usually a Noun or Pronoun, or some word or group of words used as a Noun.

b. The Predicate of a sentence may be a Verb (as *the dog runs*), or it may consist of some form of **es** and a Noun or Adjective which *describes* or *defines* the subject (as *It is good*). Such a noun or adjective is called a Predicate Noun or Adjective.

II. In Proto-Indo-European, simple sentences may be composed of only one word, a noun or a verb; as, *God!*, or *(it) rains*.

NOTE 1. Nominal sentences of this type are usually Interjections and Vocatives. Verbal sentences of this type include Imperatives (at least of 2nd P.Sg.) and impersonal verbs, which had never a subject in the oldest dialects attested; as, for Eng. *(it) rains*, cf. Goth. *rineiþ*, Lat. *pluit*, Gk. *ὑεῖ*, Skt. *várṣati*. It is believed that when IE dialects became SVO in structure, so that a subject was required, the third singular anaphoric pronoun, corresponding to *it*, German *es*, French *il*, etc., was introduced as subject in such sentences. Such pronouns were introduced because SVO languages must have subjects in sentences, as do intransitive verbs in any OV language. Such verbs could be supplemented by substantives in various cases, among them the accusative. These constructions are especially prominent for verbs referring to the emotions; as, Lat. *miseret, pudet, taedet*, Skr. *kitavám tatāpa*. Compare also Cicero's Lat. *eōrum nōs miseret*, or O.H.G. *thes gánges thih nirthrúzzi*. In PIE sentences various case forms could be used with verbs. The simplest sentences may consist of verbs accompanied by nouns in seven of the eight cases; only the vocative is not so used. The nouns fill the role of objects or, possibly better stated, of complements.

NOTE 2. Besides the simple sentence which consists only of a verb, a simple sentence in the early dialects and in PIE could consist of a verb accompanied by a noun or pronoun as complement. A subject however wasn't mandatory. Nor were other constructions which may seem to be natural, such as indirect objects with verbs like 'give'. The root **dō-* or in its earlier form **deH-* had in its simplest sense the meaning 'present' and was often unaccompanied by any nominal expression (Lehman).

9.1.2. NOMINAL SENTENCE

Nominal sentences, in which a substantive is equated with another substantive, an adjective, or a particle, make up one of the simplest type of sentence in PIE.

NOTE 1. Such a type of sentence is found in almost every IE dialect; cf. Hitt. *attaš aššuš*, "the father (is) good", Skr. *tvám váruṇa*, "you (are) Varuna", O.Pers. *adam Dārayavauš*, "I (am) Darius", Lat. *omnia praeclara rara*, "all the best things (are) rare", etc. In all dialects, however, such sentences were restricted in its use to a especially formal use or, on the contrary, they are found more often than originally in PIE. Thus, in Latin and Germanic

dialects they are found in proverbs and sayings, as in Old Irish; in Greek it is also found in epic and poetry. However, in Balto-Slavic dialects the pure nominal sentence has become the usual type of nominal sentence, even when the predicate is an adverb or an adverbial case. However, such a use, which is more extended in modern dialects (like Russian) than in the older ones (as Old Slavic), is considered the result of Finno-Ugrian influence.

NOTE 2. In the course of time a nominal sentence required a verb; this development is in accordance with the subjective characteristic of PIE and the endings which came to replace the individual qualifier markers of early PIE. The various dialects no longer had a distinct equational sentence type. Verbs might of course be omitted by ellipsis. And, remarkably, in Slavic, nominal sentences were reintroduced, as Meillet has demonstrated (1906-1908). The reintroduction is probably a result of influence from OV languages, such as the Finno-Ugrian. This phenomenon illustrates that syntactic constructions and syntactic characteristics must be carefully studied before they can be ascribed to inheritance. In North Germanic too an OV characteristic was reintroduced, with the loss of prefixes towards the end of the first millennium A.D. (Lehmann 1970). Yet in spite of these subsequent OV influences, nominal sentences must be assumed for PIE.

A. There are traces of Pure Nominal Sentences with a predicate made by an oblique case of a noun or a prepositional compound, although they are not common to all Indo-European dialects.

NOTE. Apart from Balto-Slavic examples (due to Finno-Ugrian influence), only some isolated examples are found; cf. Skr. *havyáir Agnír mánuṣa írayádhyai*, “Agni must be prayed with the sacrifices of men”, Gk. *pàr hēpoige kai hálloi oi ké mé timḗsousi*, “near me (there are) others who [particle] will praise me” (Mendoza).

B. In addition to such expansions by means of additional nouns in nonrequired cases, sentences could be expanded by means of particles.

NOTE. For Lehman, three subsets of particles came to be particularly important. One of these is the set of preverbs, such as *ā*. Another is the set of sentence connectives, such as Hitt. *nu*. The third is the set of qualifier expressions, e.g., PIE *mē* ‘(must) not’. An additional subset, conjunctions introducing clauses, will be discussed below in the section on compound clauses.

Preverbs are distinctively characterized by being closely associated with verbs and modifying their meaning. In their normal position they stand directly before verbs (Watkins 1964).

Generally, thus, Concordance governed both members of the Pure Nominal Sentence.

NOTE. Unlike the personal verb and its complements (governed by inflection), the Nominal Sentence showed a strong reliance on Concordance between Subject and Predicate as a definitory feature: both needed the same case, and tended to have the same number and gender.

THE COPULATIVE VERB

The copulative verb **es** is only necessary when introducing late categories in the verbal morphology, like Time and Mood. Therefore, when the Mood is the Indicative, and the Time is neuter (proverbs without timing, or Present with semantic neuter) there is no need to use **es**.

NOTE 1. The basic form of nominal sentences has, however, been a matter of dispute. Some Indo-Europeanists propose that the absence of a verb in nominal sentences is a result of ellipsis and assume an underlying verb **es** ‘be’ (Benveniste 1950). They support this assumption by pointing to the requirement of such a verb if the nominal sentence is in the past tense; cf. Hitt. *ABU.ĪA genzuṽalaš ešta*, “My father was merciful”. On the contrary, Meillet (1906-1908), followed by Lehman and Mendoza, thought that nominal sentences did not require a verb but that a verb might be included for emphasis. This conclusion may be supported by noting that the qualifiers which were found in PIE could be used in nominal sentences without a verb. As an example we may cite a Hittite sentence which is negative and imperative, *1-aš 1-edani menahhanda lē idāluš*, “One should not be evil toward another one”. Yet, if a passage was to be explicit, a form of **es** could be used, as in Skr. *nákir indra tvád úttaro ná jyáyān asti*, “No one is higher than you, Indra, nor greater”.

NOTE 2. On the original meaning of **es**, since Brugmann (1925) meant originally “exist” hence its use as a copulative verb through constructions in which the predicate express the existence of the subject, as in Hom. Gk. *eím Oduseús Laertiádes*, “I am Odiseus, son of Laertes” (Mendoza). In PIE times there were seemingly other verbs (with similar meanings of ‘exist’) which could be used as copulatives; compare IE **bhū**, “exist, become, grow” (cf. O.Ind. *bhávati*, or as suppletives in Lat. past *fui*, O.Ir. *ba*, O.Lith. *búvo*, fut. *bùs*, O.C.S. impf. *bease*, etc.), Germanic **wes**, ‘live, dwell’.

9.1.3. VERBAL SENTENCE

The most simple structure of the common Indo-European sentence consists of a verb, i.e. the carrying out of an action. In it, none of the verbal actors (Subject and Object) must be expressed – the subject is usually not obligatory, and the object appears only when it is linked to the lexical nature of the verb.

NOTE. The oldest morphological categories, even time, were expressed in the PIE through lexical means, and many remains are found of such a system; cf. Hitt. *-za* (reflexive), modal particles in Gk. and O.Ind., modal negation in some IE dialects, or the simple change in intonation, which made interrogative or imperative a declarative sentence – in fact, the imperative lacks a mark of its own.

The relationship between the Subject and the Object is expressed through the case.

There is no clear morphological distinction between transitive and intransitive verbs in Proto-Indo-European.

NOTE. Some Indo-European dialects have specialized some verbal suffixes as transitives (causatives) or intransitives, as Gk. *-en*, Gmc. *-io*, Lat. *-a*, etc., while in some others a preverb combined with a verbal root makes the basic verb transitive or intransitive.

When subjects are explicitly expressed, the nominative is the case employed.

NOTE. Expression of the subject is the most prominent extension of simple sentences to include more than one substantival expression. Besides such explicit mention of the subject, predicates may consist of verbs accompanied by two or more nouns, in cases which supplement the meanings of the verbs (v.i.). Such constructions must be distinguished from the inclusion of additional nouns whose case forms indicate adverbial use.

Few verbs are mandatorily accompanied by two nouns.

1. the use of the dative in addition to the accusative, as in Skr. *tābhiām enaṃ pári dehi*, ‘Give him over to those two’.

2. the instrumental and ablative, as Skr. *áhan vṛtrám ... índro vájreṇa*, ‘Indra killed ... Vṛtra with his bolt’. Skr. *tvám dásyūmṛ ókaso agna ājah*, ‘You drove the enemies from the house, O Agni.’

NOTE. While the addition to these sentences which is indicated by the nouns in the instrumental and the ablative is essential for the meaning of the lines in their context, it does not need to be included in the sentence for syntactic reasons.

3. The causative accompanied by two accusatives, as Skr. *devāñ usataḥ pāyayā havíḥ*, ‘Make the desiring gods drink the libation’.

In such sentences the agent-accusative represents the object of the causative element: as Arthur A. Macdonell indicated (1916), in a corresponding simple sentence this noun would have been given in the nominative, as Skr. *devā havíḥ pibanti*, ‘The gods drink the libation’.

Accordingly a simple verb in PIE was at the most accompanied by one substantive, unless the additional substantive was complementary or adverbial.

LOCAL CASES: PREDICATES WITH TWO OR MORE SUBSTANTIVES

Nonmandatory case forms are found in great variety, as may be determined from the studies of substantival inflections and their uses. Five groups of adverbial elements are identified: (1) circumstance, purpose, or result; (2) time; (3) place; (4) manner; (5) means.

1) Additional case forms may be used to indicate the Purpose, Result, or Circumstance of an action.

So e.g. the Instrumental in Skr. *mṛḷáyā naḥ suastí*, ‘Be gracious to us for our well-being’.

The Dative was commonly used in this sense, as in the infinitival form Skr. *prá ṇa áyur jīvāse soma tārīḥ* ‘Extend our years, soma, for our living [so that we may live long].’,

NOTE. Cf. Hitt. *nu-kan mNana-Luin kuin DUMU.LUGAL ANA mNuwanza haluki para nehun*, ‘and the prince NanaLUiš whom I sent to Nuwanza to convey the message’ where Hittite dative noun *haluki*. (Raman 1973).

When an animate noun is involved, this use of the dative has been labeled the indirect object; as, Skr. *riṇákti kṛṣṇí raṛuśáya pánthām*, ‘Black night gives up the path to the red sun’.

NOTE. As these examples may indicate, the dative, like the other cases, must be interpreted with reference to the lexical properties of the verbal element.

2) A further adverbial segment in sentences indicates the Time of Occurrence. The cases in question are various, as in Skr. *dívā náктаṃ sárum asmád yuyotam*, ‘By day and during the night protect us from the arrow’.

NOTE. The nominal form *dívā*, which with change of accent is no longer an instrumental but an adverbial form outside the paradigm, and the accusative *náktam* differ in meaning. The instrumental, like the locative, refers to a point in time, though the “*point*” may be extended; the accusative, to an extent of time. Differing cases accordingly provide different meanings for nouns marked for the lexical category *time*.

3) Nouns indicating Place also differ in meaning according to case form:

A. The Accusative indicates the goal of an action, as in Lat. *Rōmam ire* ‘go to Rome’, Hitt. *tuš alkištan tarnahhe* ‘and those (birds) I release to the branch’ (Otten and Souček 1969:38 § 37).

B. The Instrumental indicates the place “over which an action extends” (Macdonell 1916: 306): *sárasvatyā yānti* ‘they go along the Sarasvatī’.

C. The Ablative indicates the starting point of the action: *sá ráthāt papāta* ‘he fell from his chariot’; and the following example from Hittite (Otten and Souček 1969): *iššaz (š)mit lālan AN.BARaš [d]āi*, ‘He takes the iron tongue out of their mouths.’

D. The Locative indicates a point in space, e.g., Skt. *diví* ‘in heaven’ or the locative *kardi* in the following Hittite example (Otten and Souček): *kardi-šmi-ja-at-kán dahhun*, ‘And I took away that [illness which was] in your heart’.

Nouns with lexical features for place and for time may be used in the same sentence, as in Skr. *ástam úpa náktam eti*, ‘He goes during the night to the house’. Although both nouns are in the Accusative, the differing lexical features lead to different interpretations of the case. In this way, inflectional markers combine with lexical features to yield a wide variety of adverbial elements.

4) Among the adverbial elements which are most diverse in surface forms are those referring to Manner. Various cases are used, as follows.

A. The Accusative is especially frequent with adjectives, such as Skt. *kṣiprám* ‘quickly’, *bahú* ‘greatly’, *nyák* ‘downward’.

B. The Instrumental is also used, in the plural, as in Skt. *máhobhiḥ* ‘mightily’, as well as in the singular, *sáhasā* ‘suddenly’.

Similar to the expression of manner is the instrumental used to express the sense of accompaniment: Skr. *devó devébhīr āgamat*, ‘May the god come [in such a way that he is] accompanied by the other gods’.

C. The Ablative is also used to express manner in connection with a restricted number of verbs such as those expressing ‘fear’: *réjante vísvā kṛtrímāṇi bhīṣā*, ‘All creatures tremble fearfully’.

5) Adverbial expressions of Means are expressed especially by the instrumental; as, Skr. *áhan vṛtrám ... índro vājreṇa*, ‘Indra killed ... Vṛtra with his bolt.’ The noun involved frequently refers to an instrument; cf. Hitt. *kalulupuš šmuš gapinit hulaliemi*, ‘I wind the thread around their fingers’.

Animate nouns may also be so used. When they are, they indicate the agent: *agnínā turváṣaṃ yádum parāváta ugrá devaṃ havāmahe*, ‘Through Agni we call from far Turvasa, Yadu, and Ugradeva’. This use led to the use of the instrumental as the agent in passive constructions.

9.2. SENTENCE MODIFIERS

9.2.1. INTONATION PATTERNS

The sentence was characterized in PIE by patterns of Order and by Selection.

A. Selection classes were determined in part by inflection, in part by lexical categories, most of which were covert.

NOTE. Some lexical categories were characterized at least in part by formal features, such as abstract nouns marked by *-ti-*, nouns in the religious sphere marked by *-u-* and collectives marked by **-h*.

B. In addition to characterization by means of order and categories of selection, the sentence was also delimited by Intonation based on variations in pitch.

To the extent that the pitch phonemes of PIE have been determined, a high pitch may be posited, which could stand on one syllable per word, and a low pitch, which was not so restricted.

NOTE. The location of the high pitch is determined by Lehman primarily from the evidence in Vedic; the theory that this was inherited from PIE received important corroboration from Karl Verner’s demonstration of its maintenance into Germanic (1875). Thus the often cited correlation between the position of the accent in the Vedic perfect and the differing consonants in Germanic provided decisive evidence for reconstruction of the PIE pitch accent as well as for Verner’s law, as in the perfect (preterite) forms of the root *deik-*, *show*.

	<i>PIE</i>	<i>Vedic</i>	<i>O.E.</i>	<i>O.H.G.</i>
<i>1 sg.</i>	dedóika	<i>didésa</i>	<i>tāh</i>	<i>zēh</i>
<i>1 pl.</i>	dedikmé	<i>didišimá</i>	<i>tigon</i>	<i>zigum</i>

Words were characterized on one syllable by a high pitch accent, unless they were enclitic, that is, unmarked for accent.

Accented words could lose their high pitch accent if they were placed at specific positions in sentences.

A. Vocatives lost their accent if they were medial in a sentence or clause; and finite verbs lost their accent unless they stood initially in an independent clause or in any position in a dependent clause in

Vedic. These same rules may be assumed for PIE. On the basis of the two characteristic patterns of loss of accent for verbs, characteristic patterns of intonation may also be posited for the IE sentence.

Judging on the basis of loss of high pitch accent of verbs in them, independent clauses were characterized by final dropping in pitch. For in unmarked order the verb stands finally in the clause.

Clauses, however, which are marked either to convey emphasis or to indicate subordination, do not undergo such lowering. They may be distinguished with final

NOTE. The intonation pattern indicated by apparently conveyed the notion of an emotional or emphatic utterance or one requiring supplementation, as by another clause. These conclusions are supported by the patterns found in Germanic alliterative verse. For, as is well known, verbs were frequently placed by poets in the fourth, nonalliterating, metrically prominent position in the line: *þeodcýninga þrym gefrūnon, of-people's-kings glory we-heard-of, 'We heard of the glory of the kings of the people'*. This placing of verbs, retained by metrical convention in Germanic verse, presumably maintains evidence for the IE intonation pattern. For, by contrast, verbs could alliterate when they stood initially in clauses or in subordinate clauses; *egsode eorlas, syððan ærest wearð, he-terrified men since first he-was, 'He terrified men from the time he first was [found]'*. *þenden wordum wēold wine Scyldinga, as-long-as with-words he-ruled the-friend of-the-Scyldings*. The patterns of alliteration in the oldest Germanic verse accordingly support the conclusions that have been derived from Vedic accentuation regarding the intonation of the Indo-European sentence, as do patterns in other dialects.

Among such patterns is the preference for enclitics in second position in the sentence (Wackernagel 1892). Words found in this position are particles, pronouns, and verbs, which have no accent in Vedic texts. This observation of Wackernagel supports the conclusion that the intonation of the sentence was characterized by initial high pitch, with the voice trailing off at the end. For the enclitic elements were not placed initially, but rather they occupied positions in which unaccented portions of words were expected, as in Skr. *prāvepā mā bṛható mādayanti, 'The dangling ones of the lofty tree gladden me'*. The pronoun *mā* 'me', like other such enclitics, makes up a phrase with the initial word; in this way it is comparable to unaccented syllables of individual words, as in Skr. *pravātejā iriṇe vārvṛtānāḥ, '[born] in a windy place, rolling on the dice-board'*

A simple sentence then consisted not only of a unit accompanied by an intonation pattern, but also of subunits or phrases. These were identified by their accent and also by patterns of permitted finals.

9.2.2. SENTENCE DELIMITING PARTICLES

The particles concerned are PIE **nu**, **so**, **to**, all of them introductory particles.

NOTE. Their homonymity with the adverb **nu**, **nun** and the anaphoric pronoun was one of the reasons earlier Indo-Europeanists failed to recognize them and their function. Yet Delbrück had already noted the clause-introducing function of Skr. *sa* (1888), as in Skr. *tāsya tāni śīrṣāṇi prá cicheda. sá yát somapānam āsa tátāḥ kapīñjalaḥ sám abhavat, 'He struck off his heads. From the one that drank soma, the hazel-hen was created'*. Delbrück identified *sa* in this and other sentences as a particle and not a pronoun, for it did not agree in gender with a noun in the sentence. But it remained for Hittite to clarify the situation.

In Hittite texts the introductory use of the particles is unmistakable (J.Friedrich 1960); *ta* and *šu* occur primarily in the early texts, *nu* in the later, as illustrated in the following Old Hittite example (Otten and Souček 1969): *GAD-an pešiemī šu- uš LÚ-aš natta aušzi* ‘I throw a cloth over it and no one will see them’.

Besides such an introductory function (here as often elsewhere translated ‘and’), these particles were used as first element in a chain of enclitics, as in *n-at-ši* ‘and it to-him’, *nu-mu-za-kan* ‘and to-me self within’ and so on.

NOTE 1. In Homeric Greek such strings of particles follow different orders, but reflect the IE construction, as in: *oudé nu soí per entrépetai phílon êtor, Olúmpie*, ‘But your heart doesn’t notice, Zeus’. As the translation of *per* here indicates, some particles were used to indicate the relationships between clauses marking the simple sentence.

NOTE 2. Many simple sentences in PIE would then be similar to those in Hittite and Vedic Sanskrit, such as those in the charming story taken by Delbrück from the Śatapathabrāhmaṇa. Among the simplest is Skr. *tám índro didveṣa*, ‘Indra hated him’. Presumably *tam* is a conflated form of the particle *ta* and the enclitic accusative singular pronoun; the combination is attested in Hittite as *ta-an* (J. Friedrich 1960). Besides the use of sentence-delimiting particles, these examples illustrate the simplicity of PIE sentences. Of the fifteen sentences in the story, only two have more than one nominal form per verb, and these are adverbial as observed above. Similar examples from the other early dialects could be cited, such as the Italic inscription of Praeneste, or the Germanic Gallehus inscription: *Ek HlewagastiR HoltijaR horna tawido*, ‘I, Hlewagastir of Holt, made the horn’. In these late texts, the subject was mandatory, and accordingly two nominal forms had come to be standard for the sentence. If however the subject is not taken into consideration, many sentences contained only one nominal element with verbs, in the early dialects as well as in PIE.

9.3. VERBAL MODIFIERS

9.3.1. DECLARATIVE SENTENCES

The Injunctive has long been identified as a form unmarked for mood and marked only for stem and person. It may thus be compared with the simplest form of OV languages.

By contrast the Present indicative indicates “mood”. We associate this additional feature with the suffix *-i*, and assume for it declarative meaning.

NOTE 1. Yet it is also clear that, by the time of Vedic Sanskrit and, we assume, Late PIE, the injunctive no longer contrasted directly with the present indicative. We must therefore conclude that the declarative qualifier was expressed by other means in the sentence. We assume that the means of expression was an intonation pattern. For, in normal unmarked simple sentences, finite unaccented verbs stood finally in their clause, as did the predicative elements of nominal sentences; Delbrück’s repeatedly used example may be cited once again to illustrate the typical pattern: *vísaḥ kṣatríyāya balīṃ haranti*, ‘The villagers pay tribute to the prince’. Since the verb *haranti* was unaccented, i.e., had no high pitch, we may posit for the normal sentence an intonation pattern in which the final elements in the sentence were accompanied by low pitch.

NOTE 2. Lehman supports this assumption by noting that a distinctive suprasegmental was used in Vedic to distinguish a contrasting feature, *interrogation* or *request* (Wackernagel 1896). This marker, called *pluti* by native grammarians, consisted of extra length, as in *ágnāzi* ‘O fire’ (3 indicates extra length). But a more direct contrast with the intonation of simple sentences may be exemplified by the accentuation of subordinate clauses. These have accented verbs, as in the following line from the Rigveda: *antás ca prágā áditir bhavāsi*, ‘If you have entered inside, you will be Aditi’. As the pitch accent on *ágā* indicates, verbs in subordinate clauses maintained high pitch, in contrast with verbs of independent clauses like *bhavāsi*. We may conclude that this high pitch was an element in an intonation pattern which indicated incompleteness, somewhat like the pattern of contemporary English.

Evidence from other dialects supports the conclusion that, in late PIE, Declarative sentences were indicated by means of an intonation pattern with a drop in accentuation at the end of the clause.

NOTE. In Germanic verse, verbs of unmarked declarative sentences tend to occupy unaccented positions in the line, notably the final position (Lehmann 1956). Although the surface expression of accentuation patterns in Germanic is stress, rather than the pitch of Vedic and PIE, the coincidence of accentuation pattern supports our conclusions concerning PIE intonation.

9.3.2. INTERROGATIVE SENTENCES

The Interrogation was apparently also indicated by means of Intonation, for some questions in our early texts have no surface segmental indication distinguishing them from statements, for example, Plautus *Aulularia* 213, *aetatem meam scis*, ‘Do you know my age?’

NOTE. Only the context indicates to us that this utterance was a question; we may assume that the spoken form included means of expressing Int., and in view of expressions in the later dialects we can only conclude that these means were an intonation pattern.

Questions are generally classified into two groups:

- A. Those framed to obtain clarification (*Verdeutlichungsfragen*), and
- B. Those framed to obtain confirmation (*Bestätigungsfragen*). This feature accompanies statements in which a speaker sets out to elicit information from the hearer.

NOTE. It may be indicated by an intonation pattern, as noted above, or by an affix or a particle, or by characteristic patterns of order, as in German *Ist er da?* ‘Is he here?’ When the Interrogative sentence is so expressed, the surface marker commonly occupies second position among the question elements, if the entire clause is questioned. Such means of expression for Int. are found in IE languages, as Lat. *-ne*, which, according to Minton Warren “occurs about 1100 times in Plautus and over 40 times in Terence” (1881). Besides expressions like Lat. *egone* ‘Me?’, sentences like the following occur (Plautus *Asinaria* 884): *Aúdin quid ait? Artemona: Aúdio*. ‘Did you hear what he is saying? Artemona: yes’

Other evidence for a postponed particle for expressing Int. is found in Avestan, in which *-na* is suffixed to some interrogatives, as in Av. *kas-nā* ‘who (then)?’; and in Germanic, where *na* is found finally in some questions in Old High German. Old Church Slavic is more consistent in the use of such a particle than are these dialects, as in *chošteši li* ‘Do you wish to?’ This particle is also used in contemporary Russian.

The particle used to express Interrogation in Latin, Avestan, and Germanic is homophonous with the particle for expressing negation, PIE **ne**.

NOTE. It is not unlikely that PIE *ne* of questions is the same particle as that used for the negative. As the interrogative particle, however, it has been lost in most dialects. After Lehman (1974), its loss is one of the indications that late PIE was not a consistent OV language. After Mendoza, the fact that such Interrogatives of a yes/no-answer are introduced by different particles in the oldest attested dialects means that no single particle was generalized by Late PIE; cf. Goth. *u*, Lat. *-ne, nonne, num* Gk. *ἤ, vó*, Skr. *nu*, Sla. *li*. However, the common findings of Hittite, Indo-Iranian, Germanic and Latin are similar if not the same. In any case, for most linguists, rather than a postposed particle, 1) Intonation was used to express the Interrogatives, as well as 2) Particles that were placed early in clauses, often Initially.

The partial Interrogative sentences are those which expect an aclaratory answer; they are introduced in PIE by pronominal or adverbial forms derived from interrogative **qi/qo**, always placed initially but for marked sentences, where a change in position is admitted to emphasize it.

NOTE. In some languages, Interrogatives may be strengthened by the addition of posposed particles with interrogative sense, as in Av. *kaš-na*. Such forms introduce indirect interrogatives when they ask about a part of the sentence. Indirect interrogatives in the form of Total interrogatives (i.e., not of yes/no-answer) are introduced by particles derived from direct interrogative particles (when there are) or by conditional conjunctions; as Hitt. *man*.

9.3.3. NEGATIVE SENTENCES

Indications of Negation, by which the speaker negates the verbal means of expression, commonly occupies third position in the hierarchy of sentence elements.

We can only posit the particles **ne** and **mē**, neither of which is normally postposed after verbs.

NOTE 1. For prohibitive particle **mē**, compare Gk. *μή*, O.Ind.,Av.,O.Pers. *mā*, Toch. *mar/mā*, Arm. *mi*, Alb. *mos*. In other IE dialects it was substituted by **nē**, cf. Goth. *ne*, Lat. *nē* (also as modal negation), Ira. *nī*. It is not clear whether Hitt. *lē* is ultimately derived from **mē** or **nē**. PIE **ne** is found as Goth.,O.H.G. *ni*, Lat. *nē-* (e.g. in *nequis*) O.Ind. *ná*, O.Sla. *ne*, etc. Sometimes it is found in lengthened or strengthened forms as Hitt. *natta*, Lat. *non*, Skr. *ned*, etc. A common PIE lengthened form is **nei**, which appears in Lat. *nī*, Lith. *neî*, Sla. *nī*, etc., and which may also ultimately be related to Proto-Uralic negative **ei-* (Kortlandt, v.s.).

NOTE 2. In the oldest languages, negation seems to have been preverbal; Vedic *nákis*, Gk. *oú tis, mé tis*, Lat. *nēmo*, OHG *nioman* ‘no one’, and so on. The negative element **ne** was not used in compounding in PIE

(Brugmann 1904); **ṛ-** had this function. Moreover, there is evidence for proposing that other particles were placed postverbally in PIE (Delbrück 1897). Delbrück has classified these in a special group, which he labels *particles*. They have been maintained postpositively primarily in frozen expressions: *ē* in Gk. *egōnē*, *ge* in *égōge* ‘I’ (Schwyzer 1939). But they are also frequent in Vedic and early Greek; Delbrück (1897) discusses at length the use of Skt. *gha*, Gk. *ge*, and Skt. *sma*, Gk. *mén*, after pronouns, nouns, particles, and verbs, cf. Lat. *nōlo* < *ne volo*, Goth. *nist* < *ni ist*, and also, negative forms of the indefinite pronoun as O.Ind. *má-kis*, *ná-kis*, Lat. *ne-quis*, etc. which may indicate an old initial absolute position, which could be also supported by the development of correlative forms like Lat. *neque*, etc., which combine negation and coordination. Lehman, on the contrary, believes in an older posposed order, characteristic of OV languages (i.e. a situation in IE II), because of the usually attributed value of emphasis to the initial position of negation, postverbal negation examples (even absolute final position in Hittite and Greek), the old existence of the form **nei**, as well as innovative forms like Lat. *ne-quis* or Gk. *ou-tis*.

NOTE 3. In Modern Indo-European, thus, negation should usually be preverbal, as in modern Romance languages (cf. Fr. *n’est*, Spa. *no es*, etc.), but it can be postponed in emphatic contexts, as it is usual in modern Germanic languages (cf. Eng. *is not*, Ger. *ist nicht*, etc.), as well as in very formal texts, thus imitating some of the most archaic findings of early PIE dialects.

9.4. NOMINAL MODIFIERS

9.4.1. ADJECTIVE AND GENITIVE CONSTRUCTIONS

1. Proto-Indo-European Attributive Adjectives were normally preposed.

NOTE. Delbrück summarizes the findings for Vedic, Greek, Latin, Lithuanian, and Germanic, giving examples like the following from Vedic: *śvetāḥ párvatāḥ*, ‘white mountains’ (1900). Lehman (1974) adds an example of Hitt. *šuppi watar*, ‘pure water’.

In marked constructions Adjectives might be postposed, as in *ásvaḥ śvetāḥ*, ‘a white horse, a gray’.

2. The position of the Attributive Genitive is the same as that of the Attributive Adjective.

NOTE. A striking example is given from the Old English legal language (Delbrück 1900): *ōðres mannes hūses dura*, ‘the door of the house of the other man’.

Like the adjective construction, the attributive-genitive construction may have the modifier postposed for marked effect, as is *sómasya* in SB 3.9.4.15 (Delbrück 1878): *kíṃ nas tátaḥ syād íti? prathamabhakṣá evá sómasyará jña íti*, ‘What might then happen for us?’ ‘The first enjoyment of [Prince] Soma’.

NOTE 1. The relatively frequent marked use of the genitive may be the cause for the apparently free position of the genitive in Greek and Latin. The ambivalent order may also have resulted from the change of these languages toward a VO order. But, as Delbrück indicates, the preposed order is well attested in the majority of dialects. This order is also characteristic of Hittite (J. Friedrich 1960). We may therefore assume it for PIE.

NOTE 2. In accordance with Lehman's views on syntactic structure, the attributive genitive, like the attributive adjective, must be derived from an embedded sentence. The sentence would have a noun phrase equivalent with that in the matrix sentence and would be a predicate nominal sentence. Such independent sentences are attested in the older dialects. Delbrück gives a number of examples, among them: *aṣṭáu ha vaí putrá ádites*, 'Aditi had eight sons'. *áhar devánām ásit*, 'Day belonged to the gods'. These sentences accordingly illustrate that the genitive was used in predicate nominative sentences to convey what Calvert Watkins has labeled its primary syntactic function: the sense "of belonging". When such a sentence was embedded in another with an equivalent NP, the NP was deleted, and the typical genitive construction resulted. Hittite also uses *s* as a genitive as well as a nominative marker. For "genitives" like *haššannaššaš* '(one) of his race' can be further inflected, as in the accusative *haššannaš-šan* '(to one) of his race' (J. Friedrich).

9.4.2. COMPOUNDS.

1. In the derivation of compounds special compounding rules apply.

The verbal compounds in a language observe the basic order patterns, For PIE we would expect an older OV order in compounds, as e.g. Skt. *agnídh-* 'priest' < *agni* 'fire' + *idh* 'kindle.'

NOTE. A direct relationship between compounds and basic syntactic patterns is found only when the compounds are primary and productive. After a specific type of compound becomes established in a language, further compounds may be constructed on the basis of analogy, for example Gk. *hippagros* 'wild horse', in contrast with the standard productive Greek compounds in which the adjectival element precedes the modified, as in *agriókhoiros* 'wild swine' (Risch 1944-1949). Here we will consider the primary and productive kinds of compounds in PIE.

2. Two large classes and other minor types are found:

A. the Synthetics (noun+noun), which make up the majority of the PIE compounds,

a. Pure Synthetics, i.e. noun+noun.

b. Synthetics in which the first element is adverbial, i.e. adverb+noun.

B. The Bahuvrihis.

C. Adjective + Nouns, apparently not so productive in PIE as in its dialects.

D. A small number of additive compounds.

SYNTHETICS

Synthetics consist of a nominal element preceding a verbal, in their unmarked forms, as in Skt. *agnídh-*, 'priest'. As in this compound, the relation of the nominal element to the verbal is that of *target*.

The particular relationship of nominal and verbal elements was determined by the lexical properties of the verb; accordingly, the primary relationship for most PIE verbs was that of *target*. But other nominal categories could also be used with verbs.

3. Kinds of Relationships:

- 1) The *Receptor* relationship, as Skr. *devahéḍana*, ‘*angering the gods*’.
- 2) The *Instrument* or *Means* relationship; as Skr. *ádrijūta*, ‘*speeded by the stones*’,
The compound *ṛtajā* of this passage may illustrate the *Time* relationship.
- 3) The *Source* relationship, as Skr. *añhomúc*, ‘*freeing from trouble*’.
- 4) The *Place* relationship, as Skr. *druṣád*, ‘*sitting in a tree*’.
- 5) The *Manner* relationship; as, Skr. *īśānakṛt*, ‘*acting like a ruler*’.

These compounds exhibit the various relationships of nominal constituents with verbal elements, as in Skr. *tvā-datta*, ‘*given by you*’.

NOTE. Synthetics attested in the Rigveda accordingly illustrate all the nominal relationships determinable from sentences. Synthetics are frequently comparable to relative constructions, as in the following sentence: *ágnír agāmi bhárato vṛtrahá purucétaṇaḥ*, ‘*Agni, the god of the Bharatas, was approached, he who killed Vṛtra, who is seen by many*’.

Besides the large number of synthetics of the NV pattern, others are attested with the pattern VN. These are largely names and epithets, such as *púṣṭi-gu*, a name meaning ‘*one who raises cattle*’ (RV 8.51.1.), and *sanád-rayi* ‘*dispensing riches*’.

BAHUVRIHIS

The second large group of PIE compounds, *Bahuvrihis*, are derived in accordance with the sentence pattern expressing Possession. This pattern is well known from the Latin *mihi est* construction (Bennett 1914; Brugmann 1911): *nulli est homini perpetuom bonum*, “*No man has perpetual blessings*”.

Lehman accounts for the derivation of bahuvrihis, like Lat. *magnanimus* ‘*great-hearted*’, by assuming that an equational sentence with a noun phrase as subject and a noun in the receptor category indicating possession is embedded with an equivalent noun, as in the following example (‘*great spirit is to man*’ = ‘*the man has great spirit*’):

On deletion of the equivalent NP (*homini*) in the embedded sentence, a bahuvrihi compound *magnanimus* ‘*greathearted*’ is generated. This pattern of compounding ceased to be primary and productive when the dialects developed verbal patterns for expressing possession, such as Lat. *habeo* ‘*I have*’.

Bahuvrihis may be adjectival in use, or nominal, as in the vocative use of *sūnari* ‘having good strength’ (made up of *su* ‘good’ and **xner-* ‘(magical) strength’) in Slr. *viśvasya hí prāṇanaṃ jīvanam tvé, ví yid uchási sūnari*, ‘For the breath and life of everything is in you, when you light up the skies, you who have good strength’. The Greek cognate may illustrate the adjectival use: *phéron d’ euénora khalkón* ‘They carried on board the bronze of good strength’. The bahuvrihis are accordingly similar to synthetics in being comparable to relative clauses.

NOTE. Although the bahuvrihis were no longer primary and productive in the later dialects, their pattern remained remarkably persistent, as we may note from the various *philo-* compounds in Greek, such as *philósophos*, ‘one who holds wisdom dear’, *phíloinos*, ‘one who likes wine’, and many more. Apart from the loss of the underlying syntactic pattern, the introduction of different accentual patterns removed the basis for bahuvrihis. As Risch pointed out, Greek *eupátōr* could either be a bahuvrihi ‘having a good father’ or a *tatpurusha* ‘a noble father’. In the period before the position of the accent was determined by the quantity of final syllables, the bahuvrihi would have had the accent on the prior syllable, like *rāja-putra* ‘having kings as sons’, RV 2.27.7, in contrast with the *tatpurusha* *rāja-putrá* ‘king’s son’, RV 10.40.3. The bahuvrihis in time, then, were far less frequent than *tatpurushas*, of which only a few are to be posited for late PIE. An example is Gk. *propátōr* ‘forefather’. If the disputed etymology of Latin *proprius* ‘own’ is accepted, ***pro-p(a)triós** ‘from the forefathers’, there is evidence for assuming a PIE etymon; Wackernagel (1905) derives Sanskrit compounds like *prá-pada* ‘tip of foot’ from PIE. Yet the small number of such compounds in the early dialects indicates that they were formed in the late stage of PIE (Risch).

NOTE 2. Dvandvas, such as *indrāviṣ’ nu* and a few other patterns, like the teens, were not highly productive in PIE, if they are to be assumed at all. Their lack of productiveness may reflect poorly developed coordination constructions in PIE (Lehmann 1969). Besides the expansion of *tatpurushas* and *dvandvas* in the dialects, we must note also the use of expanded root forms. Thematic forms of noun stems and derived forms of verbal roots are used, as in Skt. *deva-kṛta*, ‘made by the gods’. Such extended constituents become more and more prominent and eventually are characteristic elements of compounds, as the connecting vowel **-o-** in Greek and in early Germanic; Gk. *Apolló-dōros* ‘gift of Apollo’ (an *n-* stem) and Goth. *guma-kunds* ‘of male sex’ (also an *n-* stem). Yet the relationships between the constituents remain unchanged by such morphological innovations. The large number of *tatpurushas* in the dialects reflects the prominence of embedded-modifier constructions, as the earlier synthetics and bahuvrihis reflected the embedding of sentences, often to empty noun nodes. As noted above, they accordingly have given us valuable information about PIE sentence types and their internal relationships.

9.4.3. DETERMINERS IN NOMINAL PHRASES.

Nouns are generally unaccompanied by modifiers, as characteristic passages from an Archaic hymn of the Rigveda and from an Old Hittite text may indicate.

Demonstratives are infrequent; nouns which might be considered definite have no accompanying determinative marker unless they are to be stressed. The Demonstrative then precedes.

The relationship between such Demonstratives and accompanying Nouns has been assumed to be Appositional; it may be preferable to label the relationship a loose one, as of pronoun or noun plus noun, rather than adjective or article plus noun.

NOTE. In Homer too the “article” is generally an anaphoric pronoun, differing from demonstratives by its lack of deictic meaning referring to location (Munro). Nominal phrases as found in Classical Greek or in later dialects are subsequent developments; the relationship between syntactic elements related by congruence, such as adjectives, or even by case, such as genitives, can often be taken as similar to an appositional relationship (Meillet 1937).

To illustrate nominal phrases, cf. Vedic *eṣām marútām*, “*of-them of-Maruts*”. The nominal phrase which may seem to consist of a demonstrative preceding a noun, *eṣām marútām*, is divided by the end of the line; accordingly *eṣām* must be interpreted as pronominal rather than adjectival.

The following Hittite passage from a ritual illustrates a similar asyndetic relationship between the elements of nominal phrases (Otten and Souček 1969): *harkanzi- ma –an^dHantašepeš anduhšaš harša[(r)] –a^{giš}ŠUKUR^{hi.a}*, But the Hantašepa-gods hold heads of men as well as lances. In this sentence the nouns for ‘heads’ and ‘lances’ supplement ‘it’. Moreover, while the meaning of the last word is uncertain, its relationship to the preceding elements is imprecise, for it is a nominative plural, not an accusative. Virtually any line of Homer might be cited to illustrate the absence of close relationships between the members of nominal phrases; cf. *Odyssey nēūs dé moi héd’ héstēken ep’ agrou nósphi pólēos, en liméni Rheíthrōi hupò Néiōi huléenti*, ‘*My ship is berthed yonder in the country away from the city, in a harbor called Rheithron below Neion, which is wooded*’. The nouns have no determiners even when, like *nēūs*, they are definite; and the modifiers with *liméni* and *Néiōi* seem to be loosely related epithets rather than closely linked descriptive adjectives.

The conclusions about the lack of closely related nominal phrases may be supported by the status of compounds in PIE. The compounds consisting of Descriptive Adjectives + Noun are later; the most productive are reduced verbal rather than nominal constructions. And the bahuvrihis, which indicate a descriptive relationship between the first element and the second, support the conclusion that the relationship is relatively general; *rājá-putra*, for example, means ‘*having sons who are kings*’ rather than ‘*having royal sons*’; *gó-vapus* means ‘*having a shape like a cow*’, said of rainclouds, for which the epithet denotes the fructifying quality rather than the physical shape.

Accordingly, closely related nominal expressions are to be assumed only for the dialects, not for PIE. Definiteness was not indicated for nouns. The primary relationship between nominal elements, whether nouns or adjectives, was appositional.

The syntactic patterns assumed for late PIE may be illustrated by narrative passages from the early dialects. The following passage tells of King Hariśchandra, who has been childless but has a son after promising Varuna that he will sacrifice any son to him. After the birth of the son, however, the king asks Varuna to put off the time of the sacrifice, until finally the son escapes to the forest; a few lines suffice to illustrate the simple syntactic patterns.

AB 7.14.

athainam	uvāca	varuṇam	rājānam	upadhāva	putro
then-him	he-told	Varuna	king	you-go-to	son
Acc. sg.	Perf. 3 sg.	Acc. sg.	Acc. sg.	Imper. 2 sg.	Nom. sg.
me	jāyatām	tena	tvā	yajā	
to-me	let-him-be-born	with-	you	I-worship	
	Imper. 3 sg.	Inst. sg.	Acc. sg.	Mid. Pres.	
iti.	tatheti.	sa	varuṇam		
end-quotation	indeed-end	'he'	Varuna		
	(<tathā iti)	3 sg. Nom.			
rājānam	upasadāra	putro	me	jāyatām	tena
king	went-to	son	to-me	let-him-be-born	with-him
	Perf. 3 sg.				
tvā	yajā	iti.	tatheti.		
you	I-worship	end-quotation	indeed-end-quotation		
tasya	ha	putro	jajñe	rohito	nāma.
his, of-him	now	son	he-was-born	Rohita	name
Gen. sg. m.	Ptc.		Mid. Perf. 3 sg.		
taṁ	hovācājani	te	vai	putro	
him	Ptc.-he-told-he-was born	to-you	indeed	son	
Acc. sg.	Aor. Pass. 3 sg. Ptc.		Ptc.		
yajasva	māneneti.	sa			
you-worship	me-with-him-end-quotation	'he'			
Mid. Imper. 2 sg.	Acc. sg.-Inst. sg.				
hovāca	yadā	vai	paśur	nirdaśo	
Ptc.-he-told	when	indeed	animal	above-ten	
	Conj.	Ptc.	Nom. sg. m.	Nom. sg. m.	
bhavatyatha	sa	medhyo	bhavati.	nirdaśo	
he-becomes-then	he	strong	he-becomes	above-ten	
Pres. 3 sg.-Ptc.		Nom. sg. m.			
'nvastvatha	tvā	yajā	iti.		
Ptc.-let-him-be-then	you	I-worship	end-quotation		
Imper. 2 sg.	Acc. sg.				
tatheti.	sa	ha	nirdaśa	āsa	
indeed-end-quotation	he	now	above-ten	he-was	
				Perf. 3 sg.	

Then he [the Rishi Narada] told him [Hariśchandra]: “Go to King Varuna. [Tell him]: ‘Let a son be born to me.

With him I will worship you [= I will sacrifice him to you].”

“Fine,” [he said].

He went to King Varuna [saying]: “Let a son be born to me. I will sacrifice him to you.”

“Fine,” [he said]

Now his son was born. Rohita [was his] name.

[Varuna] spoke to him. “A son has indeed been born to you. Sacrifice him to me.”

He said thereupon: “When an animal gets to be ten [days old], then he becomes strong [= fit for sacrifice]. Let him be ten days old; then I will worship you.”

“Fine,” he said.

He now became ten.

As this passage illustrates, nouns have few modifiers. Even the sequence: *tasya ha putro*, which might be interpreted as a nominal phrase corresponding to ‘his son’, consists of distinct components, and these should be taken as meaning: “*Of him a son [was born]*”. As in the poetic passage cited above, nouns and pronouns are individual items in the sentence and when accompanied by modifiers have only a loose relationship with them, as to epithets.

9.4.4. APPOSITION

Apposition is traditionally “when paratactically joined forms are grammatically, but not in meaning, equivalent”.

NOTE. Because of the relationship between nouns and modifiers, and also because subjects of verbs were only explicit expressions for the subjective elements in verb forms, Meillet (1937) considered apposition a basic characteristic of Indo-European syntax. As in the previous passage, subjects were included only when a specific meaning was to be expressed, such as *putra* ‘son’. The element *sa* may still be taken as an introductory particle, a sentence connective, much as *iti* of *tathā iti*, etc., is a sentence-final particle. And the only contiguous nouns in the same case, *varunam rājānam*, are clearly appositional.

A distinction is made between *Appositional* and *Attributive* (Delbrück); an appositional relationship between two or more words is not indicated by any formal expression, whereas an attributive relationship generally is.

NOTE. Thus the relationships in the following line of the *Odyssey* are attributive: *arnúmenos hén te psukhén kai nóston hetairōn*, lit. “*striving-for his Ptc. life and return of-companions*”. The relationship between *hén* and

psukhēn is indicated by the concordance in endings; that between *nóston* and *hetairōn* by the genitive. On the other hand the relationship between the two vocatives in the following line is appositional, because there is no mark indicating the relationship: *tōn hamóthen ge, theá, thúgater Diós, eipè kai hēmīn*, ‘Tell us of these things, beginning at any point you like, goddess, daughter of Zeus’. Both vocatives can be taken independently, as can any appositional elements.

Asyndetic constructions which are not appositive are frequently attested, as Skr. *té vo hṛdé mánase santu yajñá*, ‘These sacrifices should be in accordance with your heart, your mind’. Coordinate as well as appositive constructions could thus be without a specific coordinating marker.

Comparable to appositional constructions are titles, for, like appositions, the two or more nouns involved refer to one person.

NOTE. In OV languages titles are postposed in contrast with the preposing in VO languages; compare Japanese *Tanaka-san* with *Mr. Middlefield*. The title ‘king’ with *Varuna* and similarly in the *Odyssey*, *Poseidáōni ánakti*, when *ánaks* is used as a title. But, as Lehman himself admits, even in the early texts, titles often precede names, in keeping with the change toward a VO structure.

Appositions normally follow, when nouns and noun groups are contiguous, as in the frequent descriptive epithets of Homer: *Tòn d’ ēmeíbet’ épeita theá, glaukōpis Athēnē*, ‘Him then answered the goddess, owl-eyed Athene’.

To indicate a marked relationship, however, they may precede (Schwyzer 1950). But the early PIE position is clear from the cognates: Skt. *dyaus pitā*, Gk. *Zeú páter*, Lat. *Jūpiter*.

9. 5. MODIFIED FORMS OF PIE SIMPLE SENTENCES

9.5.1. COORDINATION.

While coordination is prominent in the earliest texts, it is generally implicit.

The oldest surviving texts consist largely of paratactic sentences, often with no connecting particles.

New sentences may be introduced with particles, or relationships may be indicated with pronominal elements; but these are fewer than in subsequent texts.

Similar patterns of paratactic sentences are found in Hittite, with no overt marker of coordination or of subordination. J. Friedrich states that “purpose and result” clauses are not found in Hittite (1960), but that coordinate sentences are simply arranged side by side with the particle *nu*, as in the Hittite Laws. Conditional relationships too are found in Hittite with no indication of subordination (J. Friedrich 1960).

NOTE. The subordinate relationships that are indicated, however, have elements that are related to relative particles. Accordingly the subordination found in the early dialects is a type of relative construction. As such

examples and these references indicate, no characteristic patterns of order, or of verb forms, distinguish subordinate from coordinate clauses in PIE and the early dialects. Hermann therefore concluded in his celebrated article that there were no subordinate clauses in PIE (1895). For Lehman (1974), the paratactic arrangement which he assumed for PIE, however, is characteristic of OV languages. Hypotaxis in OV languages is often expressed by nonfinite verb forms and by postposed particles.

The arrangement of sentences in sequence is a typical pattern of PIE syntax, whether for hypotactic or for paratactic relationships.

Expressions for coordination were used largely for elements within clauses and sentences. When used to link sentences, conjunctions were often accompanied by initial particles indicating the beginning of a new clause and also indicating a variety of possible relationships with neighboring clauses.

NOTE. Sentence-connecting particles are, however, infrequent in Vedic and relatively infrequent in the earliest Hittite texts; Lehman concludes that formal markers of sentence coordination were not mandatory in PIE.

The normal coordinating particle in most of the dialects is a reflex of PIE **-qe**.

This is postposed to the second of two conjoined elements, or to both.

NOTE. Hittite *-a*, *-ia* is used similarly, as in *attaš annaš a* ‘father and mother’ (J. Friedrich 1960).

The disjunctive particle PIE **-wě** is also postposed

NOTE 1. In Hittite, however, besides the postposed disjunctive particles *-ku ... -ku* ‘or’, there was the disjunctive particle *našma*, which stood between nouns rather than after the last. This pattern of conjunction placement came to be increasingly frequent in the dialects; it indicates that the conjunction patterns of VO structure have come to be typical already by IE II.

NOTE 2. With the change in coordinating constructions, new particles were introduced; some of these, for example, Lat. *et*, Goth. *jah*, OE *and*, have a generally accepted etymology; others, like Gk. *kaí*, are obscure in etymology. Syntactically the shift in the construction rather than the source of the particles is of primary interest, though, as noted above, the introduction of new markers for the new VO patterns provides welcome lexical evidence of a shift. The syntactic shift also brought with it patterns of coordination reduction (*Ersparung*) which have been well described for some dialects (Behaghel). Such constructions are notable especially in SVO languages, in which sequences with equivalent verbs (S, V, O, Conj., S₂, V₁, O₂) delete the second occurrence of the verb, as M.H.G. *daz einer einez will und ein ander ein anderz*, ‘that one one-thing wants and another an other’.

Reduction of equivalent nouns in either S or O position is also standard, as in *Beowulf*.

NOTE. But in the paratactic structures characteristic of Hittite, such reduction is often avoided. In an SVO language the second *memijas* would probably not have been explicitly stated, as in: ‘now my speech came to be halting and was uttered slowly’. The lack of such reduction, often a characteristic of OV languages, gives an impression of paratactic syntax. Another pattern seeming to be paratactic is the preposing of “subordinate clauses,” either with no mark of subordination or with a kind of relative particle, as in the concluding passage of

Muršilis Sprachlähmung (Götze and Pedersen 1934). The second from last clause has no mark to indicate subordination; the earlier clauses contain a form of relative particle.

<i>IŠTU</i>	^{GIS} BANŠUR-ma-za-kán	kuizza	azikinun				
from	table-but-Refl.-Ptc.	from-which	I-was-accustomed-to-eat				
<i>IŠTU</i>	GAL-ja-kán	kuizza	akkuškinun				
from	beaker-and-Ptc.	from-which	I-was-accustomed-to-drink				
šašti-ja-za-kán	kuḫdani	šeškeškinun	<i>IŠTU</i>				
in-bed-and-Refl.-Ptc.	in-which	I-was-accustomed-to-sit	from				
^{URUD} DU ₁₀ xA-ia-za-kán	kuizza	arreškinun					
basin-and-Refl.-Ptc.	from-which	I-was-accustomed-to-wash					
kuit-ja	imma	ÚNUTU	anda	uḫerijan	ešta	nu	UL
what-and	else	utensil	Adv.-Ptc.	mentioned	it-was	now	not
kuitki	dattat	<i>IŠTU</i>	DINGIR ^{LI}	QATAMMA	SIXDI-at		
any	it-was-taken	from	god	likewise	it-was-determined		

‘The god also determined that nothing more should be used of the table from which I was accustomed to eat, of the beaker from which I was accustomed to drink, of the bed in which I was accustomed to sleep, of the basin in which I was accustomed to wash, and of whatever other article was mentioned’

In an SVO language like English, the principal clause, which stands last in Hittite, would be placed first. The interpretation of the preceding clause as a result clause is taken from Götze and Pedersen. The initial clauses contain relative particles which indicate the relationship to *kuitki* of the second-from-last clause; they also contain coordinating particles: *a*, *ia*. In this passage the clauses, whether coordinate or subordinate from our point of view, are simply arrayed in sequence. Each concludes with a finite verb which provides no evidence of hypotaxis. The sentence connectives which occur—repeated instances of *a/ia*—heighten the impression of coordination.

The absence in Hittite of verb forms – which are cognates of the Vedic and Greek optative and subjunctive – which came to be used largely to indicate subordination is highly consistent in its OV patterning, as such verb forms were not required.

Hittite however did not forego another device, which is used to indicate subordinate relationship in OV as well as VO languages, the so-called nonfinite verb forms. These are used for less explicit kinds of complementation, much the way relative constructions are used for more explicit kinds.

9.5.2. COMPLEMENTATION.

Compound sentences may result from the embedding of nominal modifiers.

NOTE. In VO languages embedded nominal modifiers follow nouns, whereas in OV languages they precede nouns. This observation has led to an understanding of the Hittite and the reconstructed PIE relative constructions. If we follow the standard assumption that in relative constructions a second sentence containing an NP equivalent to an NP in the matrix sentence is embedded in that matrix sentence, we may expect that either sentence may be modified. A sentence may also be embedded with a dummy noun; the verb forms of such embedded sentences are commonly expressed with nominal forms of the verb, variously called infinitives, supines, or participles. In OV languages these, as well as relative constructions, precede the verb of the matrix sentence.

An example with participles in the IE languages is Skr. *vāsānaḥ* in the last lines of the following Strophic hymn: *rúśad vāsānaḥ sudṛśīkarūpaḥ*, “*brightly dressing-himself beautifully-hued*”.

It may also have “*a final or consequential sense*”, as in the following Strophic hymn: *tvám indra srávitavā apás kaḥ*, ‘*You, O Indra, make the waters to flow.*’ Also in the poetic texts such infinitives may follow the main verb, as in *ábodhi hótā yajáthāya deván*, lit. “*he-woke-up priest for-sacrificing gods*”, ‘*The priest has awakened to sacrifice to the gods*’.

NOTE. The postposed order may result from stylistic or poetic rearrangement; yet it is also a reflection of the shift to VO order, a shift which is reflected in the normal position for infinitives in the other IE dialects. In the Brahmanas still, infinitives normally stand directly before the verb, except in interrogative and negative sentences (Delbrück). On the basis of the Brahmanic order we may assume that in PIE nonfinite verbs used as complements to principal verbs preceded them in the sentence. Hittite provides examples of preposed complementary participles and infinitives to support this assumption (J. Friedrich). Participles were used particularly with *har(k)*- ‘*have*’ and *eš-* ‘*be*’, as in *ueriian ešta* ‘*was mentioned*’; the pattern is used to indicate state.

INFINITIVES

1. Infinitives could indicate result, with or without an object (J. Friedrich 1960): *1-aš 1-an kunanna lē šanhanzi*, lit. “*one one to-kill not he-tries*”, i.e. ‘*One should not try to kill another*’.

2. Infinitives could be used to express purpose, as in the following example, which pairs an infinitive with a noun (J. Friedrich): *tuk-ma kī uttar ŠÀ-ta šiḡanna išhiull-a ešdu*, lit. “*to-you-however this word in-heart for-laying instruction-and it-should-be*”, i.e. ‘*But for you this word should be for taking to heart and for instruction*’.

3. The Infinitive could be loosely related to its object, as in examples cited by Friedrich, such as *apāš-ma-mu harkanna šan(a)hta*, lit. “*he-however-me for-deteriorating he-sought*”, i.e. ‘*But he sought to destroy me*’.

4. The complementary infinitive indicates the purpose of the action; as Friedrich points out, it is attached to the verb *śanhta* plus its object *mu* in a construction quite different from that in subsequent dialects.

NOTE. These uses are paralleled by uses in Vedic, as may be noted in the work of Macdonell (1916), from which some examples are taken in Lehman (1974). On the basis of such examples in Vedic and in Hittite, he assumes that infinitive constructions were used to indicate a variety of complements in PIE.

Hittite and Sanskrit also provide examples of Participles functioning appositionally or as adjectives indicating state (J. Friedrich 1960): *ammuk-uar-an akkantan IQ.BI, lit. to-me-Ptc.-indicating-quotation-him dying he-described, i.e. 'He told me that one had died.'*

NOTE. This pattern had been noted by Delbrück for the Rigveda, with various examples (1900:327), as *śíśihí mā śíśayám tvā śrñomi, 'Strengthen me; I hear that you are strong.'* The adjective *śíśayá* 'strengthening' is an adjective derived from the same root as *śíśihí*. Delbrück also noted that such "appositives" are indicated in Greek by means of clauses. Greek represents for Lehman accordingly a further stage in the development of the IE languages to a VO order. Yet Greek still maintained preposed participles having the same subject as does the principal verb, as in: *tēn mēn idōn gēthēse, lit. "it Ptc. seeing he-rejoiced"*

This pattern permits the use of two verbs with only one indicating mood and person; the nonfinite verb takes these categories from the finite.

Participles were thus used in the older period for a great variety of relationships. though also without indicating some of the verbal categories.

Dependent clauses are more flexible in indicating such relationships, and more precise, especially when complementary participles and infinitives follow the principal verb.

9.5.3. SUBORDINATE CLAUSES.

Indo-Europeanists have long recognized the relationship between the Subordinating Particles and the stem from which Relative Pronouns were derived in Indo-Iranian and Greek.

NOTE. Thus Delbrück has pointed out in detail how the neuter accusative form of PIE **jo-** was the basis of the conjunction **jod** in its various meanings: (1) Temporal, (2) Temporal-Causal, (3) Temporal-Conditional, (4) Purpose. He also recognized the source of conjunctive use in sentences like Skr. *yáj jáyathās tād áhar asya káme 'ñśóḥ pīyū 'śam apibo giriṣṭhām, 'On the day you were born you drank the mountain milk out of desire for the plant'.*

- 1) Relative clauses must have stood Before the Main Clause originally and
- 2) The earliest type of subordinate **jo-** clauses must have been the Preposed Relative constructions.

NOTE. This conclusion from Vedic receives striking support from Hittite, for in it we find the same syntactic relationship between relative clauses and other subordinate clauses as is found in Vedic, Greek, and other early

dialects. But the marker for both types of clauses differs. In Hittite it is based on IE **qid** rather than **jod**; thus, Hittite too uses the relative particle for indicating subordination. The remarkable parallelism between the syntactic constructions, though they have different surface markers, must be ascribed to typological reasons; we assume that Hittite as well as Indo-Aryan and Greek was developing a lexical marker to indicate subordination. As does *yad* in Vedic, Hitt. *kuit* signals a “loose” relationship between clauses which must be appropriately interpreted.

As J. Friedrich has stated (1960), *kuit* never stands initially in its clause. Sentences in which it is used are then scarcely more specifically interconnected than are conjoined sentences with no specific relating word, as in examples cited by Friedrich (ibid.): *nu taškupāi nu URU-aš dapiñanzi išdammašzi*, lit. Ptc. you-shout Ptc. city whole it-hears, ‘Now cry out [so that] the whole city hears’. Like this example, both clauses in a *kuit* construction generally are introduced with *nu* (J. Friedrich 1960). We may assume that *kuit* became a subordinating particle when such connections were omitted, as in Friedrich’s example. These examples illustrate that both *yád* and *kuit* introduce causal clauses, though they do not contain indications of the origin of this use.

It is therefore generally believed that Subordinates originated in Relative sentences, as Vedic, Old Irish, Avestan and Old Persian illustrate. Proverbs and maxims are a particularly conservative field in all languages, and even etymologically there are two series which especially often; namely, **qo-...to-**, and **jo-...to-**.

NOTE 1. For IE **qo-...to-**, cf. Lat. *cum...tum*, *qualis...talis*, *quam...tam*, or Lith. *kàs...tàs*, *kòks...tàs*, *kaîp...taîp*, *kíek...tíek*, etc., and for **jo-...to-**, Ved. *yás...sá tád*, *yáthā...táthā*, *yávat...távat*, Gk. *oios...toios*, *ósos...tósos*, O.Pers. *haya* (a compound from **so+jo**, with the same inverse compound as Lat. *tamquam*, from two correlatives), etc.

NOTE 2. For Haudry this correlative structure is the base for subordination in all Indo-European languages. Proto-Indo-European would therefore show an intermediate syntax between parataxis and hypotaxis, as the correlative structure is between a ‘loose’ syntax and a ‘locked’ one.

Lehman assumes that the use of Skr. *yád*, Hitt. *kuit*, and other relative particles to express a causal relationship arose from subordination of clauses introduced by them to an Ablative; cf. Skr. *ácittī yát táva dhármā yuyopimá* (lit. *unknowing that, because your law, order we-have-disturbed*), *má nas tásmād énaśo deva rīṣaḥ* (lit. *not us because-of-that because-of-sin O-god you-harm*), ‘Do not harm us, god, because of that sin [that] because unknowingly we have disturbed your law’.

As such relationships with ablatives expressing Cause were not specific, more precise particles or conjunctions came to be used. In Sanskrit the ablatival *yasmāt* specifies the meaning ‘because’.

Further, *yadā* and *yátra* specify the meaning ‘when’. In Hittite, *mān* came to be used for temporal relationships, possibly after combined use with *kuit*; *kuitman* expressed a temporal relationship even in Late Hittite, corresponding to ‘while, until’, though *mahhan* has replaced *mān* (J. Friedrich 1960 gives further details). The conjunction *mān* itself specifies the meanings ‘if’ and ‘although’ in standard

Hittite. In both Hittite and Vedic then, the “loose” relative-construction relationship between subordinate clauses and principal clauses is gradually replaced by special conjunctions for the various types of hypotactic relationship: Causal, Temporal, Conditional, Concessive.

Just as the Causal relationship developed from an Ablative modified by a Relative construction, so the Temporal and Conditional relationship developed from a clause modifying an underlying Time node.

The less differentiated and less precisely related subordinate clauses are often still evident, however, as in *yád* clauses of the Archaic hymn, Rigveda 1.167. For conciseness, only *yád* clauses will be cited here, with Hoffmann’s interpretation of each; the entire stanzas and their translations are given by Hoffmann (1967).

RV 1.167.5.	jóṣad	yád	īm	asuryā	sacádhyai
	she-desires	when	them	Asuryan	to-follow
<i>‘when the Asuryan will desire to follow them’</i>					

RV	arkó	yád	vo	maruto	haviṣmān
	song-of-praise	whenever,	for-you	Maruts	accompanied-by-libations
<i>‘if the song of praise accompanied by libations is designed for you, Maruts’</i>					

RV	sácā	yád	īm	vṛṣamaṇā	ahaṃyú
1.167.7.	together	because	them	manly-minded	proud
	sthirá	cij	jánīr	váhate	subhāgāḥ
	rigid	though	women	she-drives	well-favored

‘because the manly minded, proud, yet stubborn [Rodasi] brings along other favored women’

In these three stanzas *yád* introduces subordinate clauses with three different relationships: Temporal, Conditional, Causal. Such multiple uses of *yád* belong particularly to the archaic style; subsequently they are less frequent, being replaced by more specific conjunctions.

In addition to the greater specificity of subordinate relationship indicated by particles, the early, relatively free hypotactic constructions come to be modified by the dominant subjective quality of the principal verb. The effect may be illustrated by passages like the following from a Strophic hymn, in which the verb of the principal clause is an optative:

RV 1.38.4.

yád	yūyám	pr̥ṣnimātarō
if, when	you	having-Prsni-as-mother

mártāsaḥ	syātana
mortals	you-would-be

stotā	vo	amṛtaḥ	syāt
singer	your	immortal	he-would-be

‘Your singer would be immortal if [= in a situation when] you Maruts were mortals.’ (That is, if our roles were reversed, and you were mortals, then you would wish me to be immortal.)

This passage illustrates how the use of the Optative in the principal clause brings about a Conditional relationship in the Subordinate clause (see also Delbrück 1900). Through its expression of uncertainty the Optative conveys a Conditional rather than a Temporal meaning in the *yad* clause.

NOTE. Lacking verb forms expressing uncertainty, Hittite indicates conditional relationships simply by means of Particles (J. Friedrich 1960). Although several particles are used in Hittite to indicate various types of conditional clauses—*man ... mān* for Contrary-to-Fact, *takku* and *man* for Simple Conditionals—Hittite did not develop the variety of patterns found in other dialects. These patterns, as well described in the handbooks, are brought about not only by differing particles but also by the uses of the various tense and mood forms. Constructions in the dialects which have developed farthest from those of PIE are those in which the tense, mood, or person is modified in accordance with rules based on the verb form of the principal clause. Such shifts are among the most far-reaching results of the subjective quality of the Indo-European verb (Delbrück 1900).

Differences between the constructions in the various dialects reflect the changes as well as the earlier situation. In Homer, statements may be reported with a shift of mood and person, as in:

Odyssey	lissesthai	dé	min	autós,	hópōs	nēmertéa	eípēi
	request	Ptc.	him	self	that	true-things	he-may-say

‘You yourself ask him so that he tells the truth.’

The form *eípēi* is a third-person aorist subjunctive. If the statement were in direct discourse, the verb would be *eīpe*, second-person imperative, and the clause would read: *eīpe nēmertéa* ‘tell the truth’. Such shifts in person and mood would not be expected in an OV language; in Vedic, for example, statements are repeated and indicated with a postposed *iti*. The shifts in the other dialects, as they changed more and more to VO structure, led to intricate expression of subordinate relationships, through shifts in person, in mood, and in tense, as well as through specific particles indicating the kind

of subordination. The syntactic constructions of these dialects then came to differ considerably from that even in Vedic.

The earliest poems of the Vedas are transparent in syntax, as may be illustrated by Stanzas 9 and 10 of Hymn 1.167:

RV 1.167.9.	nahí	nú	vo	maruto	ánty	asmé
	never	Ptc.	your	Maruts	near	from-us
	ārátāc	cic	chávaso	ántam	āpúḥ	
	from-far	or	of-strength	end	they-reached	
	té	dhṛṣṇúnā	śávasā	śúsuvāńsó		
	they	bold	power	strengthened		
	‘rṇo	ná	dvéšo	dhṛṣatá	pári	ṣṭhuḥ
	flood	like	enmity	bold	against	they-stand

‘Never have they reached the limit of your strength, Maruts, whether near or far from us. Strengthened by bold power they boldly oppose enmity like a flood.’

RV 1.167.10.	vayám	adyéndrasya	préṣṭhā	vayám		
	we	today-Indra’s	most-favored	we		
	śvó	vocemahi	samaryé			
	tomorrow	we-wish-to-be-called	in-battle			
	vayám	purá	máhi	ca	no	ánu dyūn
	we	formerly	great	and	us	through days
	tán	na ṛbhukṣá	narám	ánu	ṣyāt	
	that	us chief	of-men	to	may-he-be	

‘We today, we tomorrow, want to be called Indra’s favorites in battle. We were formerly. And great things will be for us through the days; may the chief of men give that to us’.

Although the hymn offers problems of interpretation because of religious and poetic difficulties, the syntax of these two stanzas is straightforward; the verbs in general are independent of one another, in this way indicating a succession of individual sentences. Such syntactic patterns, though more complicated than those of prose passages, lack the complexity of Classical Greek and Latin, or even Homeric Greek. These early Vedic texts, like those of Old Hittite, include many of the syntactic categories found in the dialects, but the patterns of order and relationship between clauses had already changed considerably from the OV patterns of Middle PIE.

9.6. SYNTACTIC CATEGORIES

9.6.1. PARTICLES AS SYNTACTIC MEANS OF EXPRESSION

Noninflected words of various functions were used in indicating relationships between other words in the sentence or between sentences.

1. Some were used for modifying Nouns, often indicating the relationships of nouns to verbs. Although these were generally placed after nouns and accordingly were Postpositions, they have often been called Prepositions by reason of their function rather than their position with regard to nouns (Delbrück).

2. Others were used for modifying Verbs, often specifying more precisely the meanings of verbs; these then may be called Preverbs.

3. Others, commonly referred to as Sentence Connectives, were used primarily to indicate the relationships between Clauses or Sentences (Watkins 1964; Lehmann 1969).

9.6.1.1. POSTPOSITIONS.

Postpositions in the various dialects are found with specific cases, in accordance with their meanings.

Yet in the Old Hittite texts, the Genitive rather than such a specific case is prominent with Postpositions derived from Nouns, such as *piran* ‘(in) front’ (Neu 1970):

kuiš	LUGAL-ua-aš	piran	ēšzi
who	king's	front	he-sits
<i>‘whoever sits before the king’</i>			

Such postpositions came to be frozen in form, whether unidentifiable as to etymology; derived from nouns, like *piran*; or derived from verbs, like Skr. *tirás* (viz. Lehman). Further, as the language came to be VO, they were placed before nouns.

As case forms were less clearly marked, they not only “governed” cases but also took over the meanings of case categories. The preposition *tirás* (*tiró*), derived from the root **tr-* ‘cross’, illustrates both the etymological meaning of the form and its eventual development as preposition:

RV 8.82.9.	yám	te	śyenáḥ	padābharat
	what	for-you	eagle	with-foot-he-bore
	tiró		rājānsy	ásṛtam
	crossing, through		skies	not-relinquishing
	píbéd [<i><píba íd</i>]	asya	tvám	īśiṣe
	you-drink-indeed	of-it	you	you-are-master (for-your-benefit)

‘What the eagle brought for you in his claws, not dropping it [as he flew] through the skies, of that drink. You control [it for your own benefit].’

The syntactic use of such particles with nouns is accordingly clear.

9.6.1.2. PREVERBS.

1. Rather than having the close relationships to nouns illustrated above, particles could instead be associated primarily with Verbs, often the same particles which were used as Postpositions.

2. Such combinations of particles and verbs came to be treated as units and are found repeatedly in specific uses (Delbrück 1888).

A. Preverbs might occupy various positions:

1. If unmarked, they are placed before the verb;
2. If marked, they are placed initially in clauses (Watkins 1964).

NOTE. In the course of time the Preverbs in unmarked position came to be combined with their verbs, though the identity of each element is long apparent in many of the dialects. Thus, in Modern German the primary accent is still maintained on some verbal roots, and in contrast with cognate nouns the prefix carries weak stress: *erteilen* ‘distribute’, *Urteil* ‘judgment’. The steps toward the combination of preverb and verbal root have been described for the dialects, for example, Greek, in which uncombined forms as well as combined forms are attested during the period of our texts.

B. In the attested IE dialects:

- a. Preverbs which remained uncombined came to be treated as Adverbs.
- b. Combinations of Preverbs plus Verbs, on the other hand, eventually came to function like unitary elements.

The two different positions of preverbs in early texts led eventually to different word classes.

9.6.1.3. SENTENCE PARTICLES.

1. Particles were also used to relate sentences and clauses (J. Friedrich 1959:18, § 11):

takku	LÚ.ULÙ ^{LU} -an	EL.LUM	QA.AZ.ZU	našma	GÌR-ŠU	kuiški
if	man	free	his-hand	or	his-foot	someone
tuḡarnizzi	nušše	20	GÍN	KUBABBAR	paai	
he-breaks	Ptc.-to-him	20	shekels	silver	he-gives	

‘If anyone breaks the hand or foot of a freeman, then he must give him twenty shekels of silver.’

Particles like the initial word in this example indicate the kind of clause that will follow and have long been well described. The function of particles like *nu* is not, however, equally clear.

NOTE. Dillon and Götze related *nu* and the use of sentence connectives to similar particles in Old Irish (Dillon 1947). Such particles introduce many sentences in Old Irish and have led to compound verb forms in this VSO language. Delbrück had also noted their presence in Vedic (1888)

Since introductory *šu* and *ta* were more frequent than was *nu* in the older Hittite texts, scholars assumed that sentences in IE were regularly introduced by these sentence connectives. And Sturtevant proposed, as etymology for the anaphoric pronoun, combinations of **so-** and **to-** with enclitic pronouns, as in the well-known Hittite sequence *ta-at*, cf. IE **tod**, and so on (see Otten and Souček 1969 for the use of such particles in one text).

It is clear that sentence connectives were used in Hittite to indicate continued treatment of a given topic (Raman 1973). It is also found with Hittite relative constructions, a function which may also be ascribed to Vedic *sá* and *tád*.

NOTE. For Lehman (1974), since this use may be accounted for through post-PIE influences, sentence connectives may have had a minor role in PIE.

2. Other particles, like Hitt. *takku* ‘if’, probably had their counterparts in PIE, even if the surface forms were completely unrelated. This is also true for Emphatic Particles like Skr. *íd*; they were used after nouns as well as imperatives. Such emphatic particles combined with imperatives suggest the presence of Interjections, which cannot usually be directly reconstructed for PIE but are well attested in the several dialects.

3. A coordinate sentence connective **-qe** can clearly be reconstructed on the basis of Goth. *u(h)*, Skr. *ca*, Gk. *te*, Lat. *que*, and so on. But its primary function is the coordination of elements in the sentence rather than clauses or sentences.

NOTE. Moreover, when *ca* is used to connect verbs in the Vedic materials, they are parallel (Delbrück 1888); Delbrück finds only one possible exception. In an OV language the relating of successive verbs is carried out by means of nonfinite verbs placed before finite. We may then expect that coordinating particles had their primary use in PIE as connectors for sentence elements rather than for sentences.

Another such particle is **-wě** ‘or’. Like **-qe**, the particle indicating disjunctive ‘or’ was postposed, in retention of the original pattern as late as Classical Latin.

4. Particles in PIE may also have corresponded to verbal qualifiers.

a. The most notable of these is **mē**, which carried a negative modal meaning.

b. There is indication of such uses of particles in other patterns, for example, of Vedic *purá* ‘earlier’ to indicate the past, as apparently Brugmann was the first to point out (Delbrück 1888), and also Vedic *sma*, to indicate repeated action in the past (Hoffmann 1967). It is curious that *sma* is also found after *mā* in Vedic (Hoffmann 1967).

NOTE. Lehman suggested that such mood- and tense-carrying particles may have been transported from a postverbal to a preverbal position. Some particles may accordingly have been equivalent in an earlier stage of PIE to elements used after verbs to indicate verbal categories.

9.6.2. MARKED ORDER IN SENTENCES.

1. Elements in sentences can be emphasized, by Marking; the chief device for such emphasis is Initial Position.

Other sentence elements may also be placed in initial position for marking.

2. In unmarked position the preverb directly precedes the verb. Changes in normal order thus provide one of the devices for conveying emphasis.

Other devices have to do with Selection, notably particles which are postposed after a marked element.

3. Emphasis can also be indicated by lexical selection.

4. Presumably other modifications might also be made, as in Intonation.

The various syntactic devices accordingly provided means to introduce marking in sentences.

9.6.3. TOPICALIZATION WITH REFERENCE TO EMPHASIS.

Like emphasis, Topicalization is carried out by patterns of arrangement, but the arrangement is applied to coequal elements rather than elements which are moved from their normal order.

Topicalization by arrangement is well known in the study of the early languages, as in the initial lines of the Homeric poems. The Iliad begins with the noun *mēnin* ‘wrath’, the Odyssey with the noun *ándra* ‘man’. These, to be sure, are the only possible nouns in the syntactically simple sentences opening both poems: *mēnin áeide* ‘Sing of the wrath’ and *ándra moi éennepe* ‘Tell me of the man’. Yet the very arrangement of *moi* and other enclitics occupying second position in the sentence, in accordance with Wackernagel’s law, indicates the use of initial placement among nominal elements for topicalization.

The use of topicalization may be illustrated by a more complex set of sentences, such as the first address of Zeus in the *Odyssey*. Only the first lines of this will be quoted; but these indicate a shift in topic from the ‘*gods*’ to ‘*men*’, then to a particular man, Aegisthus, then to Agamemnon, and subsequently to Orestes (Lehman 1974).

Ὀ πόποι, ἡὼν δένυ θεοῦς βροτῶν αἰτιόονται; ἐκς ἡμέων γάρ φησι κάκ' ἐμμεναι, ἡοὶ δὲ καὶ αὐτοὶ, σφέϊσιν ἀσθαλίῃσιν ὑπὲρ μόρον ἄλγε' ἐκῆουσιν, ἡὼς καὶ νῦν Αἰγίσθος ὑπὲρ μόρον Ἀτρεΐδαο, γέμ' ἀλοκὸν μνῆστέν, τὸν δ' ἐκτανε νοστήσαντα,

‘Alas, how the mortals are now blaming the gods. For they say evils come from us, but they themselves have woes beyond what’s fated by their own stupidities. Thus Aegisthus beyond what was fated has now married the wedded wife of Agamemnon, and killed him on his return.’

As this passage and many others that might be cited illustrate, the basic sentence patterns could be rearranged by stylistic rules, both for emphasis and for topicalization. In this way the relatively strict arrangement of simple sentences could be modified to bring about variety and flexibility.

APPENDIX I: INDO-EUROPEAN IN USE

I.1. TEXTS TRANSLATED INTO MODERN INDO-EUROPEAN

These texts have been translated into PIE by Indo-Europeanist Fernando López-Mencheró, and modified to fit the Modern Indo-European grammatical rules.

NOTE. Additions, corrections and deletions are listed and changed files published at <http://dnghu.org/en/indo-european-bible-translation/>.

I.1.1. PATÉR ŊSERÉ (LORD'S PRAYER)

English	Latine	Ελληνικά	Eurōpáiom
Our Father, who art in heaven,	Pater noster, qui es in caelis:	Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς·	Patér Ŋseré, kémeloisi jos essi,
Hallowed be thy Name.	sanctificetur Nomen Tuum;	ἀγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου·	Nōmḡ sqénetoru tewe.
Thy kingdom come.	adveniat Regnum Tuum;	ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου·	Regnom cémiotōd tewe.
Thy will be done,	fiat voluntas Tua,	γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου,	dhidhētoru woliā Téwija,
On earth as it is in heaven.	sicut in caelo, et in terra.	ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς·	ita kémelei jota p̄tewijāi.
Give us this day our daily bread.	Panem nostrum cotidianum da nobis hodie;	τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον·	Qāqodjūtenom bharsiom ŋseróm edjéu dasdhi-nos
And forgive us our trespasses,	et dimitte nobis debita nostra,	καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν,	joqe dháleglāms ŋserāms parke,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.	Sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus nostris;	ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν·	swāi skéletbhos p̄árkomos.
And lead us not into temptation,	et ne nos inducas in tentationem;	καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκῃς ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν,	Enim mē noms pérítloi enke prōd,
But deliver us from evil. Amen	sed libera nos a Malo. Amen	ἀλλὰ ρύσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ. ἀμήν.	mō úpelēd nosēie nos. Estōd.

I.1.2. SLWĒIE MARIJA (HAIL MARY)

English	Latine	Ελληνικά	Eurōpáiom
Hail Mary, full of grace,	Ave María, gratia plena,	Θεοτόκε Παρθένε, χαίρε, κεχαριτωμένη Μαρία,	Slwēie Marija, crātiā plēnā tū,
the Lord is with thee;	Dominus tecum.	ὁ Κύριος μετὰ σοῦ.	Arjos twoio esti;
blessed art thou among women,	Benedicta tu in mulieribus,	εὐλογημένη σὺ ἐν γυναιξί,	súwoqnā cénāisi essi,
and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.	et benedictus fructus ventris tui, Iesus.	εὐλογημένος ὁ καρπὸς τῆς κοιλίας σου, ὅτι Σωτήρα ἔτεκες τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν	súwoqnos-ge úderosio two bhreugs estōd, Jēsus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God,	Sancta Maria, Mater Dei,		Noibha Marija, Déiwsio Mātér,
pray for us sinners,	ora pro nobis peccatoribus,		nosbhos ōrāie ágeswñtbhos,
now and at the hour of our death. Amen.	nunc et in hora mortis nostrae. Amen.		nūqe mrtios-ge nos daitei. Estōd.

I.1.3. KRĒDDHĒMI (NICENE CREED)

English	Latine	Ελληνικά	Eurōpáiom
We believe in one God,	Credo in unum Deo,	Πιστεύομεν εἰς ἓνα Θεὸν	Oinom krēddhēmi Deiwom,
the Father Almighty,	Patrem omnipoténtem,	Πατέρα παντοκράτορα,	Paterñ solwomághmonñ,
Maker of heaven and earth,	factórem cæli et terræ,	ποιητὴν οὐρανοῦ καὶ γῆς,	djēwepłtēwīdhōtñ,
and of all things visible and invisible.	visibílium ómnium et invisibílium;	ὀρατῶν τε πάντων καὶ ἀοράτων.	dṛkniōm sólwosom ñdṛkniōm-ge dhētōr;
And in one Lord Jesus Christ,	Et in unum Dóminum Iesum Christum,	Καὶ εἰς ἓνα κύριον Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν,	Arjom-ge Jēsum Ghristóm oinom,

the only-begotten Son of God,	Fílium Dei unigénitum,	τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ θεοῦ τὸν μονογενῆ,	Déiwosio Sūnúm oinógnātom,
begotten of the Father before all worlds (æons),	et ex Patre natum ante ómnia sæcula:	τὸν ἐκ τοῦ πατρὸς γεννηθέντα πρὸ πάντων τῶν αἰώνων,	Patros-jos gnātós aiwēd prāi solwēd,
Light of Light, very God of very God,	Deum de Deo, lumen de lúmine, Deum verum de Deo vero,	φῶς ἐκ φωτός, θεὸν ἀληθινὸν ἐκ θεοῦ ἀληθινοῦ,	Deiwos Deiwēd, leuksmḡ léuksmene, wērom Deiwom wērēd Deiwēd,
begotten, not made,	génitum non factum,	γεννηθέντα οὐ ποιηθέντα,	gentós, nē dhatos,
being of one substance with the Father;	consubstantiálem Patri,	ὁμοούσιον τῷ πατρί·	Patri kómbhoutis,
by whom all things were made;	per quem ómnia facta sunt;	δι' οὗ τὰ πάντα ἐγένετο·	josōd solwa dhaktá senti;
who for us men, and for our salvation, came down from heaven,	qui propter nos hómines et propter nostram salútem descéndit de cælis;	τὸν δι' ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἀνθρώπους καὶ διὰ τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν κατελθόντα	qos nosbhis rōdhí dhghómḡbhis kémelobhes kidét,
and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man;	et incarnátus est de Spírítu Sancto ex María Vírgine et homo factus est;	ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ σαρκωθέντα ἐκ πνεύματος ἁγίου καὶ Μαρίας τῆς παρθένου καὶ ἐνανθρωπήσαντα,	enim memsom Noibhēd Anmēd Wéwḡrtei Marijād eksí ándhesād, enim dhghomōn geneto;
he was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate, and suffered, and was buried,	crucifíxus étiam pro nobis sub Póntio Piláto, passus et sepúltus est;	σταυρωθέντα τε ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν ἐπὶ Ποντίου Πιλάτου, καὶ παθόντα καὶ ταφέντα,	eti krukídhētos nosbhis prōd Pontiei upo Pilatei, pastos sepēlitós-ge esti,
and the third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father;	et resurréxit tértia die secúndum Scriptúras; et ascéndit in cælum, sedet ad dēxteram Patris;	καὶ ἀναστάντα τῇ τρίτῃ ἡμέρᾳ κατὰ τὰς γραφάς, καὶ ἀνελθόντα εἰς τοὺς οὐρανοὺς, καὶ καθεζόμενον ἐκ δεξιῶν τοῦ πατρὸς	joqe ati tritiei stete djwí, skréibhmona ad kémelom-ge skānduós, Patri déksijāi sedēieti;

from thence he shall come again, with glory, to judge the quick and the dead;	et iterum venturus est cum glória iudicare vivos et mortuos;	καὶ πάλιν ἐρχόμενον μετὰ δόξης κρῖναι ζῶντας καὶ νεκρούς·	joqe dwonim kléwosē cemiast cīwóms mṛtoms-ge kómdhēnqos;
whose kingdom shall have no end.	cuius regni non erit finis;	οὐ τῆς βασιλείας οὐκ ἔσται τέλος.	qosio regnom nē antjom bhéwseti.
And in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and Giver of life, who proceedeth from the Father,	Et in Spíritum Sanctum, Dóminum et vivificántem: qui ex Patre <i>Filióque</i> procedit;	Καὶ εἰς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ Ἅγιον, τὸ κύριον, (καὶ) τὸ ζωοποιόν, τὸ ἐκ τοῦ πατρὸς ἐκπορευόμενον,	joqe Noibhom Anmom, potim ētrodhōtm-ge, Patre <i>Sūnewe-ge</i> proilóm,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spake by the prophets.	qui cum Patre et Fílio simul adorátur et conglorificátur; qui locútus est per Prophétas;	τὸ σὺν πατρὶ καὶ υἱῷ συμπροσκυνούμενον καὶ συνδοξαζόμενον, τὸ λαλῆσαν διὰ τῶν προφητῶν.	qei Patrē Súnuwē-ge semli áidetor enim magtáietor bhatos-jos próbhātms terqe esti.
In one holy catholic and apostolic Church;	Et in unam sanctam cathólicam et apostólicam Ecclésiam.	εἰς μίαν, ἀγίαν, καθολικὴν καὶ ἀποστολικὴν ἐκκλησίαν·	joqe oinām, noibhām, kḗtísolwām apostóleiām ékklētijām.
we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins;	Confíteor unum baptísma in remissionem peccatorum	ὁμολογοῦμεν ἓν βάπτισμα εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν·	Oinom bhatēiai agesupomoukom cadhmḡ;
we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.	et exspecto resurrectionem mortuorum et vitam ventúri sæculi. Amen.	προσδοκοῦμεν ἀνάστασιν νεκρῶν, καὶ ζωὴν τοῦ μέλλοντος αἰῶνος. Ἀμήν.	saitlōm-ge cejtām cémionqōm. Estōd

I.1.4. NOUDŌS SŪNŪS (PARABLE OF THE PRODIGAL SON)

	English	Latine	Ελληνικά	Eurōpaíom
11	“A certain man had two sons.	Homo quidam habuit duos filios:	Ἄνθρωπός τις εἶχεν δύο υἱούς.	Dhghomōn enis sūnuwe eiket.
12	And the younger of them said to his father, ‘Father, give me the portion of goods that falls to me.’ So he divided to them his livelihood.	et dixit adolescentior ex illis patri: Pater, da mihi portionem substantiæ, quæ me contingit. Et divisit illis substantiam.	καὶ εἶπεν ὁ νεώτερος αὐτῶν τῷ πατρί, Πάτερ, δός μοι τὸ ἐπιβάλλον μέρος τῆς οὐσίας. ὁ δὲ διείλεν αὐτοῖς τὸν βίον.	Joqe jowísteros patrei weuqét : Pater, rijós dasdhi moi aitim qāi meghei áineti, joqe rēim ibhom widhét.
13	And not many days after, the younger son gathered all together, journeyed to a far country, and there wasted his possessions with prodigal living.	Et non post multos dies, congregatis omnibus, adolescentior filius peregre profectus est in regionem longinquam, et ibi dissipavit substantiam suam vivendo luxuriose.	καὶ μετ' οὐ πολλὰς ἡμέρας συναγαγὼν πάντα ὁ νεώτερος υἱὸς ἀπεδήμησεν εἰς χώραν μακράν, καὶ ἐκεῖ διεσκόρπισεν τὴν οὐσίαν αὐτοῦ ζῶν ἀσώτως.	Enim nē péluwāms dināms pos, solwa garlós, jowísteros sūnús reu porsótenom oigheto londhom, idhei-qe rēim nudét sewe ghlóidotos ceiwents.
14	But when he had spent all, there arose a severe famine in that land, and he began to be in want.	Et postquam omnia consummasset, facta est fames valida in regione illa, et ipse cœpit egere.	δαπανήσαντος δὲ αὐτοῦ πάντα ἐγένετο λιμὸς ἰσχυρὰ κατὰ τὴν χώραν ἐκείνην, καὶ αὐτὸς ἤρξατο ὑστερεῖσθαι.	Enim ítāpo solwa cósissēt kom, dhrghótós molét ghrēdhus londhei ólnosmei, joqe egētum sepe bhwiqe.
15	Then he went and joined himself to a citizen of that country, and he sent him into his fields to feed swine.	Et abiit, et adhæsit uni civium regionis illius: et misit illum in villam suam ut pasceret porcos.	καὶ πορευθεὶς ἐκολλήθη ἐνὶ τῶν πολιτῶν τῆς χώρας ἐκείνης, καὶ ἔπεμψεν αὐτὸν εἰς τοὺς ἀγρούς αὐτοῦ βόσκειν χοίρους:	Itaqe cālós, qismei jugeto kēiwijom ólnosio lóndhī, im-qe sontiet porkoms pāsksi.
16	And he would gladly have filled his stomach with the pods that the swine	Et cupiebat implere ventrem suum de siliquis, quas porci manducabant: et nemo	καὶ ἐπεθύμει χορτασθῆναι ἐκ τῶν κεραιῶν ὧν ἤσθιον οἱ χοῖροι, καὶ οὐδεὶς	Atqe úderom skaliqāis plénātum gheríjeto porkōs edent-jams atqe neqis ismei dōt.

	ate, and no one gave him anything.	illi dabat.	ἐδίδου αὐτῷ.	
17	“But when he came to himself, he said, ‘How many of my father’s hired servants have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!’	In se autem reversus, dixit: Quanti mercenarii in domo patris mei abundant panibus, ego autem hic fame pereō!	εἰς ἑαυτὸν δὲ ἐλθὼν ἔφη, Πόσοι μίσθιοι τοῦ πατρός μου περισσεύονται ἄρτων, ἐγὼ δὲ λιμῷ ὥδε ἀπόλλυμαι.	Swei poti wṛtomnós, egt: qotioi patrós domei mísdhotes pasknīš spréigonti, kei egó au dhamī mṛījai!
18	I will arise and go to my father, and will say to him, “Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you,	surgam, et ibo ad patrem meum, et dicam ei: Pater, peccavi in cælum, et coram te:	ἀναστὰς πορεύσομαι πρὸς τὸν πατέρα μου καὶ ἐρῶ αὐτῷ, Πάτερ, ἡμαρτον εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν καὶ ἐνώπιόν σου,	arísomnos patérṃ eisō mene ad, joqe ismei seksō : Pater, kémelom proti tewom-qe antí memlai,
19	and I am no longer worthy to be called your son. Make me like one of your hired servants.”	jam non sum dignus vocari filius tuus: fac me sicut unum de mercenariis tuis.	οὐκέτι εἰμι ἄξιος κληθῆναι υἱός σου: ποιήσον με ὡς ἓνα τῶν μισθίων σου.	jāmi nē deknos egō, sūnús téwijos kluwētum: dhasdhi-me swāi qimqim mísdhotom tewe.
20	“And he arose and came to his father. But when he was still a great way off, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and fell on his neck and kissed him.	Et surgens venit ad patrem suum. Cum autem adhuc longe esset, vidit illum pater ipsius, et misericordia motus est, et accurrens cecidit super collum ejus, et osculatus est eum.	καὶ ἀναστὰς ἦλθεν πρὸς τὸν πατέρα ἑαυτοῦ. ἔτι δὲ αὐτοῦ μακρὰν ἀπέχοντος εἶδεν αὐτὸν ὁ πατήρ αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐσπλαγγνίσθη καὶ δραμῶν ἐπέπεσεν ἐπὶ τὸν τράχηλον αὐτοῦ καὶ κατεφίλησεν αὐτόν.	Ita aritós paterṃ ludhét sewe. Eti jom qeli bhūlo, em patēr tósiope drket, joqe ana kṛsents kómqēilio krūtós esti enim qolsom petlós em bhusāiét.
21	And the son said to him, ‘Father, I have sinned against heaven and in your sight, and am no longer worthy to be called your son.’	Dixitque ei filius: Pater, peccavi in cælum, et coram te: jam non sum dignus vocari filius tuus.	εἶπεν δὲ ὁ υἱός αὐτῷ, Πάτερ, ἡμαρτον εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν καὶ ἐνώπιόν σου, οὐκέτι εἰμι ἄξιος κληθῆναι υἱός σου.	Wedét óisosmōi sūnús: Pater, kémelom proti tewom-qe anti memlai: jāmi nē deknos egō, sūnús téwijos nōmnādhom

22	“But the father said to his servants, ‘Bring out the best robe and put it on him, and put a ring on his hand and sandals on his feet.	Dixit autem pater ad servos suos: Cito proferte stolam primam, et induite illum, et date annulum in manum ejus, et calceamenta in pedes ejus:	εἶπεν δὲ ὁ πατήρ πρὸς τοὺς δούλους αὐτοῦ, Ταχὺ ἐξενέγκατε στολήν τὴν πρώτην καὶ ἐνδύσατε αὐτόν, καὶ δότε δακτύλιον εἰς τὴν χεῖρα αὐτοῦ καὶ ὑποδήματα εἰς τοὺς πόδας,	nū mǐsdhatbhos bhato patēr sewe; bhersi: prismām dhrághete togām joqe tom westíjete, anom tosio ghéseni kerpioms-qe esio daste pedsí:
23	And bring the fatted calf here and kill it, and let us eat and be merry;	et adducite vitulum saginatum, et occidite, et manducemus, et epulemur:	καὶ φέρετε τὸν μόσχον τὸν σιτευτόν, θύσατε καὶ φαγόντες εὐφρανθῶμεν,	kom piwonḡ-qe bhérete loigom joqe chénete, joqe edāmos, joqe wldām terpāmos,
24	for this my son was dead and is alive again; he was lost and is found.’ And they began to be merry.	quia hic filius meus mortuus erat, et revixit: perierat, et inventus est. Et coeperunt epulari.	ὅτι οὗτος ὁ υἱὸς μου νεκρὸς ἦν καὶ ἀνέζησεν, ἦν ἀπολωλώς καὶ εὑρέθη. καὶ ἤρξαντο εὐφραίνεσθαι.	jodqid kei sūnús mene dhedhuwós ēst atqe coje ati: skombnós est, atqe wřētai. Enim wldām bhwijónt.
25	“Now his older son was in the field. And as he came and drew near to the house, he heard music and dancing.	Erat autem filius ejus senior in agro: et cum veniret, et appropinquaret domui, audivit symphoniam et chorum:	ἦν δὲ ὁ υἱὸς αὐτοῦ ὁ πρεσβύτερος ἐν ἀγρῷ: καὶ ὡς ἐρχόμενος ἤγγισεν τῇ οἰκίᾳ, ἤκουσεν συμφωνίας καὶ χορῶν,	Agrei au senísteros ēst sūnús: joqe jom cēmsēt enim domom nedisēt, kómkantum leigḡ-qe kluwét.
26	So he called one of the servants and asked what these things meant.	et vocavit unum de servis, et interrogavit quid hæc essent.	καὶ προσκαλεσάμενος ἓνα τῶν παιδῶν ἐπυνθάνετο τί ἂν εἶη ταῦτα.	Joqe neqom móghuwom ghawlós prket qid ghai-ke bhowsēnt.
27	And he said to him, ‘Your brother has come, and because he has received him safe and sound, your father has killed the fatted calf.’	Isque dixit illi: Frater tuus venit, et occidit pater tuus vitulum saginatum, quia salvum illum recepit.	ὁ δὲ εἶπεν αὐτῷ ὅτι Ὁ ἀδελφός σου ἦκει, καὶ ἔθυσεν ὁ πατήρ σου τὸν μόσχον τὸν σιτευτόν, ὅτι ὑγιαίνοντα αὐτόν ἀπέλαβεν.	Isqe sqet: bhrātēr tewe cēme enim piwonḡ patēr two chone loigom, jodqid tom cīwóm solwom ghōde.

28	“But he was angry and would not go in. Therefore his father came out and pleaded with him.	Indignatus est autem, et nolebat introire. Pater ergo illius egressus, cœpit rogare illum.	ὠργίσθη δὲ καὶ οὐκ ἤθελεν εἰσελθεῖν. ὁ δὲ πατὴρ αὐτοῦ ἐξελθὼν παρεκάλει αὐτόν.	kṛditós autim esti, joqe nē en eitum weluāt. Ar patēr ejos eksodlós, bhwijét im chestum.
29	So he answered and said to his father, ‘Lo, these many years I have been serving you; I never transgressed your commandment at any time; and yet you never gave me a young goat, that I might make merry with my friends.	At ille respondens, dixit patri suo: Ecce tot annis servio tibi, et numquam mandatum tuum præterivi: et numquam dedisti mihi hædum ut cum amicis meis epularer.	ὁ δὲ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν τῷ πατρὶ αὐτοῦ, Ἴδοὺ τοσαῦτα ἔτη δουλεύω σοι καὶ οὐδέποτε ἐντολήν σου παρήλθον, καὶ ἐμοὶ οὐδέποτε ἔδωκας ἔριφον ἵνα μετὰ τῶν φίλων μου εὐφρανθῶ:	Atqe se protiweqents, patri bhato sewe: edke totioms atnoms sístāmi twei upo, joqe neqom dikām tewe kleusō dus, atqe neqom meghei ghaidom desta wļdāi amikš senutéuijāi.
30	But as soon as this son of yours came, who has devoured your livelihood with harlots, you killed the fatted calf for him.’	Sed postquam filius tuus hic, qui devoravit substantiam suam cum meretricibus, venit, occidisti illi vitulum saginatum.	ὅτε δὲ ὁ υἱός σου οὗτος ὁ καταφαγὼν σου τὸν βίον μετὰ πορνῶν ἦλθεν, ἔθυσας αὐτῷ τὸν σιτευτὸν μόσχον.	Mō ita tom sūnús tewe kei, rēim loutsāis cṛālós cēme, ólnosmōi péiwonṃ loigom chonta.
31	“And he said to him, ‘Son, you are always with me, and all that I have is yours.	At ipse dixit illi: Fili, tu semper mecum es, et omnia mea tua sunt:	ὁ δὲ εἶπεν αὐτῷ, Τέκνον, σὺ πάντοτε μετ’ ἐμοῦ εἶ, καὶ πάντα τὰ ἐμὰ σὰ ἐστίν:	Atqe oise tosmōi weuqét: suneu, tū áiwesi moio essi, enim solwa menia téwija sonti.
32	It was right that we should make merry and be glad, for your brother was dead and is alive again, and was lost and is found.”	epulari autem, et gaudere oportebat, quia frater tuus hic mortuus erat, et revixit; perierat, et inventus est.	εὐφρανθῆναι δὲ καὶ χαρῆναι ἔδει, ὅτι ὁ ἀδελφός σου οὗτος νεκρὸς ἦν καὶ ἐζησεν, καὶ ἀπολωλώς καὶ εὐρέθη.	Wļdām autim terptum, joqe gaudhētum opos est, jodqid bhrātēr tewe kei dhedhuwós ēst atqe coje ati: skombnós ēst, atqe wṛētai.

I.1.5. NEWOS BHOIDĀ (NEW TESTAMENT) – JOHANES, 1, 1-14

	English	Latine	Ελληνικά	Eurōpaíom
1	In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.	in principio erat Verbum et Verbum erat apud Deum et Deus erat Verbum	Ἐν ἀρχῇ ἦν ὁ λόγος, καὶ ὁ λόγος ἦν πρὸς τὸν θεόν, καὶ θεὸς ἦν ὁ λόγος.	Pāriei Wṛdhom bhewet, joqe Wṛdhom Deiwei est ensí, joqe Deiwos Wṛdhom est.
2	He was in the beginning with God.	hoc erat in principio apud Deum	οὗτος ἦν ἐν ἀρχῇ πρὸς τὸν θεόν.	Ensí id pāriei Deiwei est.
3	All things were made through Him, and without Him nothing was made that was made.	omnia per ipsum facta sunt et sine ipso factum est nihil quod factum est	πάντα δι' αὐτοῦ ἐγένετο, καὶ χωρὶς αὐτοῦ ἐγένετο οὐδὲ ἓν. ὃ γέγονεν	Eisōd solwa gegner enim id aneu neqid gégnissēt josio gégone.
4	In Him was life, and the life was the light of men.	in ipso vita erat et vita erat lux hominum	ἐν αὐτῷ ζωὴ ἦν, καὶ ἡ ζωὴ ἦν τὸ φῶς τῶν ἀνθρώπων:	Ismi ceitā bhewet, joqe ceitā ēst dhghómonom leuks.
5	And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it	et lux in tenebris lucet et tenebrae eam non comprehenderunt	καὶ τὸ φῶς ἐν τῇ σκοτίᾳ φαίνει, καὶ ἡ σκοτία αὐτὸ οὐ κατέλαβεν.	Itaqe leuks skotei skéjeti, joqe oisām skotos nē twrét.
6	There was a man sent from God, whose name was John.	fuit homo missus a Deo cui nomen erat Iohannes	Ἐγένετο ἄνθρωπος ἀπεσταλμένος παρὰ θεοῦ, ὄνομα αὐτῷ Ἰωάννης:	Gnātós esti wīrós Deiwō sontonós Jōhanēs nōmḡtos.
7	This man came for a witness, to bear witness of the Light, that all through him might believe.	hic venit in testimonium ut testimonium perhiberet de lumine ut omnes crederent per illum	οὗτος ἦλθεν εἰς μαρτυρίαν, ἵνα μαρτυρήσῃ περὶ τοῦ φωτός, ἵνα πάντες πιστεύσωσιν δι' αὐτοῦ.	Tristimoniōi ludhét se, leukbhi tristidhēnts, ei solwoi ijo kreddhēsēnt.
8	He was not that Light, but was sent to bear witness of that Light.	non erat ille lux sed ut testimonium perhiberet de lumine	οὐκ ἦν ἐκεῖνος τὸ φῶς, ἀλλ' ἵνα μαρτυρήσῃ περὶ τοῦ φωτός.	Nē olne leuks, immō, leukbhi tristidhēnts.

9	That was the true Light which gives light to every man coming into the world.	erat lux vera quae inluminat omnem hominem venientem in mundum	ἦν τὸ φῶς τὸ ἀληθινόν, ὃ φωτίζει πάντα ἄνθρωπον, ἐρχόμενον εἰς τὸν κόσμον.	Leuks wērom ēst, solwom bhānuti dhghomonḡ, dhoubnom kod ludhlā.
10	He was in the world, and the world was made through Him, and the world did not know Him.	in mundo erat et mundus per ipsum factus est et mundus eum non cognovit	ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ ἦν, καὶ ὁ κόσμος δι' αὐτοῦ ἐγένετο, καὶ ὁ κόσμος αὐτὸν οὐκ ἔγνω.	Dhoubnei ēst, enim ijo dhoubnom gegner, atqe nē im dhoubnom gnōt.
11	He came to His own, and His own did not receive Him.	in propria venit et sui eum non receperunt	εἰς τὰ ἴδια ἦλθεν, καὶ οἱ ἴδιοι αὐτὸν οὐ παρέλαβον.	Somobhos ludhét, atqe im somói ghadont nei ad.
12	But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name:	quotquot autem receperunt eum dedit eis potestatem filios Dei fieri his qui credunt in nomine eius	ὅσοι δὲ ἔλαβον αὐτόν, ἔδωκεν αὐτοῖς ἐξουσίαν τέκνα θεοῦ γενέσθαι, τοῖς πιστεύουσιν εἰς τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ,	Jotioi im ghadónt, maghtim tobhos génonī dōt Diwoputla, esio nōmḡ kréddhēntbhos,
13	who were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God.	qui non ex sanguinibus neque ex voluntate carnis neque ex voluntate viri sed ex Deo nati sunt	οἱ οὐκ ἐξ αἱμάτων οὐδὲ ἐκ θελήματος σαρκὸς οὐδὲ ἐκ θελήματος ἀνδρὸς ἀλλ' ἐκ θεοῦ ἐγεννήθησαν.	joi nē ēsenos, neqe memsī woliās, neqe wīrī immō Déiwosio gnātōs sonti.
14	And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.	et Verbum caro factum est et habitavit in nobis et vidimus gloriam eius gloriam quasi unigeniti a Patre plenum gratiae et veritatis	Καὶ ὁ λόγος σὰρξ ἐγένετο καὶ ἐσκήνωσεν ἐν ἡμῖν, καὶ ἐθεασάμεθα τὴν δόξαν αὐτοῦ, δόξαν ὡς μονογενοῦς παρὰ πατρός, πλήρης χάριτος καὶ ἀληθείας.	Joqe Wṛdhom memsom wṛstós esti, enim pltomóm nossi dhēke ení, enim ejos qedos dṛkomes, qedos swāi oinógnāteiom Patrós wērotiō cratiā- qe plēnóm.

I.2 KOMTLOQIOM (CONVERSATION)

Common expressions in MIE include:

English	Eurōpaiom
hello	alā / gheuse
dear Peter:	qeime Perte:
welcome	crātós / sucmtós tū
good day	latom āsúm
good morning	wēsrom āsúm
good afternoon / evening	wesprom āsúm
good night	noqtim āsúm
how are you?	qotā waléiesi?
I am fine	walēiō sū
what is your name? [<i>how are you heard?</i>]	qotā kluwēiesi?
what is your name?	qid esti tebhei nōmṇ?
my name is Peter [<i>I am heard Peter</i>]	kluwēiō Pertos
my name is Peter	meghei Pertos nōmṇ
pleased to meet you	gaudhēiō tewe gnōtim
please [<i>I ask you</i>]	chedhō
thanks	méitimoms / moitmom
thanks (I give you)	prijēsna / prósēdiom (tebhei agō)
I thank you	prijēiō tewom
you are welcome, sir	esti sū, potei
excuse me	ṇgnōdhi
sorry/pardon me	parke
I am sorry	kesdō

don't worry	mē koisāie
good bye, darling	slwēj', prijótṇā
good luck	kobom āsúm
yes	dā / jai / ne-(ghi)
indeed	nem-pe / ita tod
no	nē / nei
alright	tagteĭ
attention	probhoudhos
where is the door	godhei dhweris?
here is what I asked	kei esti jod pṛkskóm
what is this?	qid (esti) tod?
this is food	pitús tod (esti)
what time is it?	qid esti daitis?
it is true	wērom tod
very good / the best	bhodistom / bhodsmom
everything is alright	solwa sū (ágontor)
how old are you?	qótobhos átnobhos tū?
I am ten years old [ten born I am]	dekṇ gnātós esmi
do you speak European?	bhāsoi (bhasoi) an Eurōpaiom?
I speak a little	páukolom bhāmoi
I don't understand you	nē tewom peumi
tell me what you think	seqe-moi qid kṇsēiāsi
I don't know	nē woida
shut up	takēj' (takēie)
sit down	sisde (sg.) / sísdete

	(pl.)
come here	cemj' (cemie) kom-ke
I'm going right now	nū ghenghō kom
what do you do or study?	qóterom ghléndhesi an dráiesi?
are they married?	esti lachéionti?
I love women	lubhēiō pelū dhémonāms / cenāms
write here your address	deikom skreibhe kei tewe
I live in the Main Street	Stoighei Magnéi ceiwō / trebhō
Lucrecia and I are friends	Lukretiā egó -qe ámeikes smes / ámeike swes
the cat meows in the garden	kattā ghortei mijaluti
the dog bites the cat	kattām mordéieti kwōn
the woman walks with the cat	kattā dhémonā aláietoi
I see the head of the cat	kattās dṛkō ghebhām
Where is the train?	qodhei esti douknom?
the train is here	douknom (esti) kei
I want to eat fish	welmi piskim ghostum
do you want to sleep with me?	welsi mojo sweptum?
yes, I wish for it	jai, moksi gherijai
no, you stink / smell bad	nē, smérdesi / bhagráiesi dus
it is hot! [how hot is	qām kaléieti!

it!]	
it is cold! [how cold is it!]	qām srīgēieti!
I go swimming to the lake everyday	laqom eimi dhochei snātum qāqei
can I smoke?	maghō (an) smeughtum?
may I smoke? [is it possible (for me) to smoke?]	maghniom meghei an smeughtum (esti)? esti moi smeughtum?
smoking prohibited	smeughtum wētānom
happy new year	ghoilom newom atnom

NOTE. About the sentence “*is it possible to smoke?*”, constructed with the verb **esti**, compare Lat. *est* in Ovid (*Metamorphoses* Book III, 479) *quod tangere non est*, “as it is not possible to touch”; also Virgil *est cernere*, “it can be seen”; also, for Gk.*esti(n)*, “it is possible”, compare Lucian (*The Parliament of the Gods*, 12) Ἔστιν, ὃ Ἑρμῆς, “is it possible, *Hermes*”.

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I.3 LATE PIE LEXICON

This lexicon, from <<http://dnghu.org/en/proto-indo-european-language/>> (available online with detailed etymological information), uses a **phonetic** writing; therefore, syllables from roots in [ew] are written *ew*, but otherwise appear as *eu*.

Some MIE writing rules do not apply. A **schwa** (ə) has been left in syllables with zero-vocalism, when articulation needs make it better to have a vowel, so that people are able to articulate them; as, *wəldhējō*, not **woldhējō*, *kerədsrom* not **keresrom*. The same **articulatory schwa** is used in some syllables, as nouns in *-mən*, or negation in *ən-* so that non-expert readers see there is a syllable. This way, it is nearer to voices with negation like Lat. *iniustus* or Gk. *aekon*, which add a syllable in metrics.

Apart from the articulatory schwa, another **etymological schwa** appears, representing an older PIH laryngeal, which in Late PIE is pronounced differently in each dialect. Laryngeal schwa is omitted if it is word-initial and appears alone, as in PIH *H₃bhruH*, or if the preceding syllable has full vocalism, as in *klamrós*, but it is written elsewhere, as in *pətēr*.

Another schwa case is **resonans cum laryngale occlusa**, i.e. a sequence XSHX, where S = sonant, X = consonant or sonant, H = laryngeal, and the group has zero vocalism. To distinguish the laryngeal tone and be able to separate pairs like full and leveled, the writing is the same as if it had full vocalism

The output is then the same as in Italic and Celtic, where long quantity is preserved (as in Old Indian), metrically equivalent to the two syllables that would be in Greek. So, for example, we have *mlākós* and *prāwos*. This rule hasn't been applied if the first sonant is preceded by *w* or *j*, as in *wəlnā*.

The **Latin** meaning and **Syntax** further define the **English** meaning and proper use of the **PIE** word.

English	Latin	PIE	Syn
abandoned	<i>solus</i>	ermos	adI
abound	<i>abundō</i>	spreigō	den
about	<i>per</i>	per(i), per(ti)	ind
above	<i>supra</i>	upsi	ind
absent	<i>absens</i>	apowésentis	adII
abundant	<i>abundans</i>	chonós	adI
abuse	<i>abūtōr</i>	dhebhō	intr
acarian	<i>acarus</i>	koris	fem
accelerate	<i>accelerō</i>	spreudō	intr
acorn	<i>glans</i>	céləndis	fem
acorn	<i>glans</i>	medjom	neu
acquire	<i>potior</i>	potíjomoj	inc
activate	<i>ciō</i>	kjējō	cau
active	<i>strēnuus</i>	strēnwos	adI
Adam's apple	<i>adamī malum</i>	croghos	mas
address	<i>directiō</i>	deikos	mas
adhere	<i>adhaerō</i>	gleibhō	tr
adjust	<i>adaptō</i>	árarjō	tr
administrate	<i>administrō</i>	médnumi	tr
adorn	<i>ornō</i>	mondō	tr
adorn	<i>ornō</i>	peikō	tr
advantage	<i>praestō</i>	(sí)stāmi antí/prāi	den
advise	<i>suadeō</i>	plākējō	cau
affirm	<i>aiō</i>	əgǵjō	intr
afflict	<i>affligō</i>	ághnumi	tr
after	<i>post</i>	pos(ti)	ind
afterwards	<i>postea</i>	pósteri	ind
again	<i>re(d)</i>	ati	ind
against	<i>contrā</i>	komtrōd	ind
against	<i>contrā</i>	proti	ind
aggravate	<i>exulceror</i>	odáugjomoi	intr
agitate	<i>agitō</i>	dhúnumi	tr
agitate	<i>permoueō</i>	kreutō	tr

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agitated	<i>agitātus</i>	kighrós	mas
agnus castus	<i>uitēx</i>	weitēks	mas
agonise	<i>praepatior</i>	cəlnāmi	intr
agreement	<i>pacta</i>	koimā	fem
agreement	<i>contractus</i>	meitrom	
air	<i>aer</i>	porā	fem
alas	<i>uae</i>	troughi	ind
alas	<i>uae</i>	wai	ind
alder	<i>alnus</i>	álesnos	fem
alder	<i>betullla</i>	wernā	fem
alife	<i>uūuus</i>	cejwos	adI
alike	<i>quasi</i>	jota sei	ind
allergy	<i>allergia</i>	dedrus	mas
alleyway	<i>angustiae</i>	smoughos	mas
along	<i>praeter</i>	práiteri	ind
already	<i>iam</i>	jāmi	ind
also	<i>quoque</i>	toqe	ind
altar	<i>āra</i>	āsā	fem
always	<i>semper</i>	áiw(es)i	ind
ancestor	<i>abauus</i>	strutjos	mas
and	<i>ac</i>	atqe	
and	<i>et</i>	enim	ind
and	<i>que</i>	qe	ind
and	<i>et</i>	joqe	ind
and also	<i>itaque</i>	itaqe	ind
and not	<i>neque</i>	neqe	ind
angelica	<i>angelica</i>	kwondhros	fem
angle	<i>angulus</i>	qedos	mas
animal	<i>bestiola</i>	bhugos	mas
animal	<i>animāl</i>	céjwotos	mas
animal	<i>animal</i>	smalos	mas
ankle	<i>talus</i>	spðros	
announce	<i>nuntiō</i>	kárkarjō	
annoy	<i>molestō</i>	peigō	tr
annoyance	<i>molestia</i>	oghlos	mas
annoying	<i>mōlestus</i>	mōlestos	adI

annoying	<i>molestus</i>	trudsmós	adI
anorak	<i>peplum</i>	kroknos	mas
another	<i>alius</i>	onjos	adII
another	<i>alius</i>	aljos	lois
announce	<i>nuntiō</i>	mðlgājō	tr
ant	<i>formīca</i>	mðrmeikā	fem
antique	<i>antiqūs</i>	ántijos	adI
anus	<i>ānus</i>	ghodos	mas
apart	<i>separātīm</i>	səni	ind
apparent	<i>appararens</i>	windos	adI
appear	<i>appareō</i>	mlōskō	intr
appease	<i>litō</i>	litājō	
appendix	<i>appendix</i>	plighā	fem
apple	<i>malum</i>	ábelos	mas
arch	<i>incuruō</i>	weitō	cau
arch	<i>flectō</i>	wekō	intr
ardour	<i>ardor</i>	aisdhom	neu
arid	<i>aridus</i>	kserós	adI
arm	<i>armus</i>	armos	mas
arm	<i>bracchium</i>	bhāghus	mas
arm	<i>braccium</i>	dóusontos	mas
armour	<i>armatūra</i>	twakos	neu
army	<i>exercitus</i>	korjos	neu
army	<i>exercitus</i>	strðtos	
around	<i>circum</i>	ambhí	ind
arrangement	<i>institūtiō</i>	stāmðn	neu
arrival	<i>aduentus</i>	ghētis	fem
arrive	<i>perueniō</i>	ghēmi	intr
arrow	<i>sagitta</i>	kēlom	neu
art	<i>ars</i>	artis	fem
article	<i>articulus</i>	melmðn	neu
articulation	<i>rotula</i>	anglos	mas
articulation	<i>artus</i>	kðnksos	mas
as	<i>quām</i>	qām	ind
ash	<i>cinis</i>	kinēs	fem
ashtree	<i>frāxinus</i>	bhðrksnos	fem

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ash tree	<i>ornus</i>	ósonos	fem
ask	<i>poscō</i>	p̄rkskō	tr
asp	<i>pōpulus tremula</i>	apsā	fem
aspect	<i>speciēs</i>	spekjēs	fem
aspire	<i>appetō</i>	wéénāmoi	tr
ass	<i>cūlus</i>	kūlos	mas
asunder-legged	<i>uārus</i>	wāros	mas
at	<i>ad</i>	ad	ind
at hand	<i>praestō</i>	práighestō	ind
at least	<i>quīdem</i>	ge	ind
at that point	<i>tam</i>	tām	ind
ate	<i>ēdī</i>	ghosóm	tr
attribute	<i>addicō</i>	bhagō	cau
attack	<i>impetus</i>	w̄rgos	
attack	<i>oppugnō</i>	wendhō	intr
attack (to be in)	<i>urgeō</i>	w̄rgējō	den
attention	<i>audientia</i>	kleutis	fem
auger	<i>terebra</i>	téredhrom	neu
augur	<i>augurium</i>	kailom	neu
augment	<i>augeō</i>	āugējō	cau
aunt	<i>amita</i>	ámetā	fem
aunt	<i>mātertera</i>	māterterā	fem
autumn	<i>autumnus</i>	osēn	mas
advanced	<i>prouectus</i>	prokos	adI
avoid	<i>uitō</i>	leinō	tr
awaken	<i>expergefaciō</i>	bhoudhējō	cau
axe	<i>ascia</i>	áksijā	fem
axe	<i>secūris</i>	sekūris	fem
axe	<i>secūris</i>	tekslā	fem
axle	<i>axis</i>	aksis	mas
babble	<i>locutiō sine sensu</i>	batā	fem
babble	<i>garrīō</i>	plabrājomoi	intr
babble	<i>blaterō</i>	lalājo	intr
baby	<i>lactans</i>	dhēljōs	mas
back	<i>retrō</i>	awou	ind

back	<i>dorsum</i>	gurnos	mas
back	<i>retrō</i>	retrōd	ind
backbone	<i>spīna</i>	w̄draghm̄n	neu
backwards	<i>retrō</i>	postrōd	ind
bad	<i>malē</i>	dus	ind
bad	<i>malus</i>	upelos	adI
badger	<i>mēlēs</i>	brokos	mas
bag	<i>follis</i>	bholghis	mas
bag	<i>saccus</i>	kórukōs	mas
bald	<i>glaber</i>	kalwos	adI
ball	<i>pīla</i>	ghroudos	mas
ball	<i>globus</i>	gugā	fem
ball	<i>pīla</i>	orghis	fem
ball	<i>pīla</i>	qeqlom	̄m
band	<i>uitta</i>	seimā	fem
bandy-legged	<i>ualgus</i>	walgos	adI
barbaric	<i>barbarus</i>	bábalos	and
barefoot	<i>planipēs</i>	bhosos	adII
bargain	<i>negotior</i>	wesnējō	tr
bark	<i>latrō</i>	baubājomoi	intr
barley	<i>hordeum</i>	ghórdejom	neu
barley	<i>hordeum</i>	jewom	neu
barrel	<i>dōlium</i>	dōljom	mas
basin	<i>uallis</i>	w̄lghis	fem
basket	<i>cista</i>	kistā	fem
basket	<i>cista</i>	qasjos	mas
basket	<i>sporta</i>	sportā	fem
basket	<i>uidulus</i>	woidlos	mas
bast	<i>liber</i>	lubhros	mas
bath	<i>lābrum</i>	lowtrom	neu
be	<i>sum</i>	esmi/somi/bhewmi	dur
be	<i>sum</i>	bhewmi	dur
be	<i>sum</i>	esmi	dur
be afraid	<i>metuō</i>	tīmējō	tr
be allowed	<i>licēt</i>	likējō	tr
be angry	<i>irāscor</i>	eisáskomoi	inc

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be annoying	<i>molestus (esse)</i>	piġejō	den
be bitter	<i>acūtus sum</i>	geigō	den
be born	<i>nāscor</i>	gnāskomoi	inc
be bright	<i>splendeō</i>	splōndējō	den
be cold	<i>algeō</i>	alghējō	den
be cold	<i>frigeō</i>	srigējō	den
be concealed	<i>lateō</i>	lōtējō	den
be curved	<i>uieō</i>	wijējō	den
be decayed	<i>moror</i>	stōntējō	
be experienced	<i>calleō</i>	kaldējō	den
be fit	<i>ualeō</i>	wōlējō	den
be flat	<i>plānus sum</i>	lōpējō	den
be followed	<i>secūtus ueniō</i>	swemōr	dur
be free	<i>uacūs sum</i>	ghōrējō	den
be high	<i>excellō</i>	kelsō	intr
be hot	<i>caleō</i>	kōlējō	den
be necessary	<i>oportet</i>	opos esti	intr
be pregnant	<i>gravidus sum</i>	kuwējō	den
be proper	<i>decet</i>	dekējō	intr
be rotten	<i>pūteō</i>	pūtējō	cau
be sad	<i>lugeō</i>	lugējō	den
be scratched	<i>carreō</i>	kōrsējō	den
be situated	<i>sum</i>	ēsmoi	intr
be strong	<i>uegeō</i>	wegō	dur
be strong	<i>uigeō</i>	wigējō	den
be swollen	<i>tumeō</i>	oidējō	den
be swollen	<i>tumeō</i>	tumējō	den
be thirsty	<i>sitiō</i>	tōrsējō	den
be used	<i>colō</i>	eukō	tr
be wet	<i>madeō</i>	mōdējō	den
be withered	<i>marceō</i>	mōrkējō	den
because	<i>quia</i>	jod qid	ind
beak	<i>rōstrum</i>	rōstrom	neu
beak	<i>rostrum</i>	srokṅā	fem
beam	<i>tignum</i>	tegnom	neu
beam	<i>trabs</i>	trabhis	fem

bean	<i>faba</i>	bhabhā	fem
bear	<i>ursus</i>	ōrtkos	mas
bear	<i>bherō</i>	bhermi (bherō)	tr
beard	<i>barba</i>	bhardhā	fem
bearing	<i>portātiō</i>	bhōrtis	fem
beast	<i>fera</i>	cherā	fem
beast of burden	<i>iumentum</i>	jōugsmōntom	mas
beastly	<i>ferīnus</i>	cherīnos	
beat	<i>uerberō</i>	wōleisō	tr
beat up	<i>contundō</i>	orgājō	tr
beautiful	<i>pulcher</i>	chaisos	adI
beautiful	<i>pulcher</i>	wēmos	adI
beaver	<i>fīber</i>	bhebhros	mas
become accustomed	<i>suēscō</i>	swēdhskō	inc
become vigorous	<i>uigescō</i>	kīikumi	intr
bed	<i>lectus</i>	spondhā	fem
bee	<i>apēs</i>	bheiklā	fem
beech	<i>fāgus</i>	bhāgos	fem
beer	<i>ceruisia</i>	ālumōn	neu
beer	<i>ceruisia</i>	kremom	neu
beer	<i>zythum</i>	sudhjom	mas
before	<i>ante</i>	antí	ind
before	<i>prae</i>	pōros	ind
before	<i>prae</i>	prāi	ind
before dawn	<i>anteluciō</i>	anksi	ind
beget	<i>gignō</i>	gignō	cau
begird	<i>cingō (to)</i>	jōsnumi	tr
beguile	<i>dēcipiō</i>	dreughō	cau
behind	<i>post</i>	apóteri	ind
belch	<i>ructō</i>	reugō	intr
believe	<i>crēdō</i>	krēddōmi	tr
belly	<i>uenter</i>	tarsós	mas
belong	<i>pertineō</i>	ainō	den
belt (for safety)	<i>cinctus</i>	wérunos	mas
bend	<i>curuō</i>	greugō	intr

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bending	<i>plecāmentum</i>	nðmtos	mas
beneficial	<i>benignus</i>	síslāwos	adI
benefit	<i>fruor</i>	lawō	
benefit	<i>lucrum</i>	lawtlom	
bent	<i>tortus</i>	kambos	adI
bent	<i>pandus</i>	pandos	mas
berry	<i>mōrum</i>	morom	neu
beseech	<i>precor</i>	prekō	tr
besides	<i>praeterea</i>	perom	ind
betrothed	<i>sponsus</i>	sponstós	mas
better	<i>melius</i>	bhodjós	adI
between	<i>inter</i>	éteri	ind
beware	<i>caueō</i>	kðwējō	den
beyond	<i>praeter</i>	ektós	ind
biceps	<i>biceps</i>	kiskā	fem
big	<i>grossus</i>	grotsos	adI
big	<i>magnus</i>	mðgnos	adI
bile	<i>fel</i>	cheldi	neu
bilge out	<i>excupāre</i>	semjō	tr
bind	<i>nectō</i>	nedskō	tr
bind	<i>ligō</i>	bhendhō	tr
bind	<i>nectō</i>	kikājō	tr
bind	<i>ligō</i>	ligājō	tr
bind	<i>alligō</i>	reigō	tr
bind	<i>ligō</i>	séinumi	tr
biped	<i>bīpēs</i>	dwipods	adII
birch	<i>betulla</i>	bherāgs	fem
bird	<i>avis</i>	awis	fem
bite	<i>admordeō</i>	denkō	tr
bite	<i>mordeō</i>	mordējō	tr
black	<i>āter</i>	ātros	adI
black	<i>āter</i>	dhoubhús	adI
black	<i>āter</i>	kðrsnos	
blackbird	<i>merula</i>	meslā	fem
blade	<i>aciēs</i>	akjēs	fem
blame	<i>culpō</i>	onējō	tr

blaze	<i>flagrō</i>	sweidō	
bleach	<i>aqua lixiuiaie</i>	kormnos	mas
bleat	<i>bēbō</i>	bebājō	intr
bleat	<i>bēbō</i>	blékājō	intr
blind	<i>caecus</i>	andhos	
blind	<i>caecus</i>	kaikos	adI
blister	<i>callus</i>	kaldos	mas
blister	<i>uensīca</i>	wenseikā	fem
block	<i>inctercludō</i>	mersō	tr
blood	<i>sanguis</i>	ēsðr	neu
blood	<i>cruor</i>	kruwós	mas
bloom	<i>floreō</i>	bhlosējō	den
blow	<i>exhalō</i>	(i)wēmi	tr
blow	<i>spirō</i>	bhesmi	intr
blow	<i>flō</i>	bhlāmi	tr
blow out	<i>ēmungō</i>	munkō	tr
blue	<i>caeruleus</i>	ghlastos	adI
boar	<i>aper</i>	apros	mas
board	<i>tabula</i>	ploutos	mas
boast	<i>glorior</i>	bhledō	intr
boast	<i>glorior</i>	ghelbō	intr
bodkin	<i>cuspis</i>	ēlā	
body	<i>corpus</i>	kðrpos	neu
boil	<i>feruō</i>	bherwō	inc
boil	<i>ferueō</i>	seutō	den
bold	<i>audax</i>	dhðrsus	adI
boldness	<i>audacia</i>	dhðrstis	fem
bone	<i>ossum</i>	ostis	mas
border	<i>limēs</i>	krēqā	fem
bore	<i>forō</i>	bhorājō	tr
both	<i>ambō</i>	ambhou	lois
boundary	<i>margō</i>	margōn	mas
bow	<i>arcus</i>	arqos	mas
bowels	<i>intestīnum</i>	gudom	
bowl	<i>testa</i>	tekstā	
box	<i>capsa</i>	kðpsā	fem

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boy	<i>ephebus</i>	kelots	mas
boy	<i>ephebus</i>	maqos	mas
boy	<i>puer</i>	póweros	mas
brain	<i>cerebrum</i>	kerðsrom	neu
bramble	<i>dūmus</i>	dristos	mas
bran	<i>furfur</i>	tolkos	mas
branch	<i>ramulus</i>	kankus	mas
branch	<i>ramus</i>	osdos	mas
branches	<i>foliamen</i>	cespis	fem
brass	<i>aes</i>	ajos	neu
brassy	<i>aereus</i>	ájesnos	adII
brave	<i>audāx</i>	tregsnos	mas
breach	<i>fissūra</i>	bhernā	
bread	<i>pānis</i>	bharsjom	neu
break	<i>frangō</i>	bhrðngō	tr
break	<i>defringō</i>	bhrúsnāmi	tr
break	<i>rumpō</i>	rumpō	tr
breast	<i>pectus</i>	bhrusos	mas
breath	<i>animus</i>	ánðmos	mas
breath	<i>halitus</i>	spoisnā	fem
breathe	<i>respirō</i>	etō	intr
breathe	<i>anhelō</i>	pneusō	intr
breeze	<i>aura</i>	áwelā	fem
brew	<i>concoquō</i>	bhrewō	tr
briar	<i>sentis</i>	ksentis	fem
bridge	<i>pons</i>	bhrēwā	fem
bright	<i>lucidus</i>	bhānús	adI
bright	<i>lucens</i>	leukós	adI
brilliant	<i>splendidus</i>	argós	adI
bring out	<i>prōmō</i>	dhraghō	tr
broad	<i>latus</i>	plátús	adI
brooch	<i>fibula</i>	bharkos	mas
brooch	<i>fibula</i>	dhéicodhlā	
brood	<i>prōlēs</i>	aglā	fem
brook	<i>amnis</i>	apnis	fem
brook	<i>rīuus</i>	reiwos	mas

broom	<i>genista</i>	aksteinos	fem
broom	<i>everriculum</i>	swoplom	neu
broth	<i>ius</i>	jeus	neu
brother	<i>frāter</i>	bhrātēr	mas
brother-in-law	<i>leuir</i>	daiwēr	mas
brotherly	<i>frāternus</i>	bhrátrijos	adII
brother's son	<i>sobrīnus</i>	bhrātreinos	mas
brown	<i>castaneus</i>	bhrounos	adI
bud	<i>geniculum</i>	gnoubhos	mas
bug	<i>cīmex</i>	keimēx	mas
building	<i>aedes</i>	aidhis	fem
building	<i>aedēs</i>	demos	neu
building place	<i>locus operum</i>	dðmpedom	neu
bull	<i>bouuculus</i>	porsis	mas
bull	<i>taurus</i>	tauros	mas
bulrush	<i>iuncus</i>	bhrughnos	fem
bulrush	<i>iuncus</i>	joinkos	mas
bumblebee	<i>crābrō</i>	krāsrōn	mas
bundle	<i>fascis</i>	bhaskis	mas
bundle	<i>fascis</i>	dhrighsós	mas
burglar	<i>fūr</i>	tājots	mas
burn	<i>ardeō</i>	aidhō	intr
burn	<i>urō</i>	smelō	dur
burn	<i>areō</i>	asējō	den
burn	<i>ardeō</i>	dhechō	dur
burn	<i>ūrō</i>	eusō	intr
burn	<i>combūrō</i>	konkējō	cau
burn	<i>cremō</i>	kremājō	cau
burnt	<i>ustus</i>	ustós	adI
burst in	<i>irrupō</i>	skekō	intr
bury	<i>inhumō</i>	ghrebhō	tr
bury	<i>sepeliō</i>	sepēlijō	tr
bush	<i>frutex</i>	bhrutēks	mas
bush	<i>dūmus</i>	dousmos	mas
bush	<i>arbustus</i>	qðrsnos	mas
but	<i>sed</i>	mō	ind

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butter	<i>aruīna</i>	arwā	fem
butter	<i>butyrum</i>	ghertom	neu
butterfly	<i>pāpiliō</i>	pāpeljos	mas
buttock	<i>clūnis</i>	klounis	fem
buttocks	<i>pūga</i>	pougā	fem
buy	<i>emō</i>	qrínāmi	
buy	<i>emō</i>	selō	tr
buzz	<i>susurrō</i>	susājō	intr
cabbage	<i>caulis</i>	kaulis	fem
cable	<i>mitra</i>	sneurom	neu
cable	<i>cable</i>	winis	fem
cackle	<i>gracillō</i>	grakijō	intr
cackle	<i>cacillō</i>	kaklājō	intr
calculate	<i>calculō</i>	deljō	tr
calf	<i>uitulus</i>	loigos	mas
calf	<i>uitulus</i>	wetlos	mas
call	<i>uocō</i>	ghawō	tr
calm	<i>calmōsus</i>	sēknis	adI
camp	<i>castra</i>	kastra	neu
can	<i>possum</i>	maghō	tr
cancer	<i>cancer</i>	ghθndhus	mas
cannabis	<i>cannabis</i>	worgjom	neu
canopy	<i>umbraculum</i>	skostrom	neu
captive	<i>captus</i>	kθptos	
car	<i>uehiculum</i>	woghnos	mas
carbon	<i>carbō</i>	kθrdhōn	mas
caress	<i>mulceō</i>	ghénumi	tr
carrot	<i>carota</i>	mθrkā	
carry	<i>portō</i>	portājō	tr
carry	<i>uehō</i>	weghō	tr
cart	<i>currus</i>	kθrsus	mas
carve	<i>scalpō</i>	skalpō	tr
carve	<i>caelō</i>	skreidō	tr
carve	<i>caelō</i>	smeidhō	tr
castle	<i>castellum</i>	kasterlom	neu
castrate	<i>castrō</i>	skerdō	

cat	<i>fēlēs</i>	kattā	fem
catch	<i>capiō</i>	kθpjō	tr
cattle	<i>armentum</i>	ármθntom	neu
cattle	<i>pecu</i>	peku	neu
cauldron	<i>catīnus</i>	qorjom	neu
cause	<i>causō</i>	winsō	cau
caution	<i>uas</i>	wadhis	mas
cave	<i>tugurium</i>	antrom	neu
cave	<i>specus</i>	speqos	mas
cavern	<i>cauerna</i>	kowθr	neu
cavity	<i>cauitās</i>	celom	
cedar	<i>cedrus</i>	bhrosdhos	fem
ceiling	<i>tectum</i>	tegtom	neu
cellar	<i>pitheūs</i>	gupā	fem
cereal	<i>cereāle</i>	dhōnā	fem
cereal	<i>cereāle</i>	jéwornjom	fem
cerebellum	<i>cerebēlum</i>	mosgom	neu
certain	<i>certō</i>	smā	ind
certain	<i>quīdam</i>	enis	adII
certainly	<i>certō</i>	dā	ind
certainly	<i>certō</i>	ghi	ind
certainly	<i>sīc</i>	ka	ind
certainly	<i>profectō</i>	toi	ind
chain	<i>catēna</i>	katēsna	fem
chain	<i>catēna</i>	seinus	mas
chalk	<i>crēta</i>	krētā	fem
chamber	<i>cella</i>	kēlā	fem
chance	<i>uicis</i>	wikis	fem
change	<i>mūtō</i>	mejnō	inc
character	<i>ingenium</i>	mōs	mas
charge	<i>naulus</i>	merkēds	fem
charioteer	<i>auriga</i>	θrots	mas
chatter	<i>blaterō</i>	blatsājō	intr
cheap	<i>uīlis</i>	wésolis	adI
cheat	<i>dēlūdō</i>	meugō	intr
cheer	<i>ouō</i>	owājō	tr

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cheese	<i>caseus</i>	qatsos	mas
cheese	<i>caseus</i>	tūrós	mas
cherry tree	<i>cornus</i>	kornos	
chest	<i>pectus</i>	pegtos	neu
chew	<i>mandō</i>	gjewō	tr
chew	<i>mandō</i>	mandō	tr
child	<i>pūpus</i>	pūpos	mas
child	<i>infans</i>	putlom	neu
chin	<i>mentum</i>	m̄ntom	neu
chin	<i>mentum</i>	smekslā	fem
chirp	<i>frigō</i>	bhrigijō	intr
chirp	<i>titīō</i>	titijō	intr
choke	<i>suffocō</i>	bhleusō	tr
choose	<i>ēligō</i>	opjō	tr
circle	<i>circus</i>	kirkos	mas
circuit	<i>circuitus</i>	ámhinom	neu
circulate	<i>uersor</i>	qelō	dur
citizen	<i>cīuis</i>	keiwis	and
city	<i>urbs</i>	polis	fem
ciurve	<i>incuruō</i>	qelpō	tr
civil	<i>cīuīlis</i>	kéiwijos	adII
clack	<i>glociō</i>	glokijō	intr
claim	<i>uindicō</i>	qéinumoi	tr
clang	<i>clangō</i>	klagjō	intr
classical	<i>classicus</i>	ántitjos	
clean	<i>mundus</i>	mūdnós	
clean	<i>purgō</i>	pewō	tr
cleanse	<i>putō</i>	s̄rpijō	
clear	<i>clārus</i>	aiskrós	kour
clear	<i>candidus</i>	bhlaidos	adI
cleave	<i>findō</i>	bhindō	cau
close	<i>claudō</i>	klawdō	tr
close	<i>claudō</i>	w̄rijō	tr
closed	<i>clausus</i>	klawstós	adI
cloth	<i>uestis</i>	westis	fem
cloud	<i>nūbes</i>	nebhis	fem

clown	<i>scurrā</i>	skoirsās	adII
club	<i>baculum</i>	baktlom	
club	<i>uirga</i>	lorgos	mas
club	<i>fustis</i>	seikā	fem
club	<i>uirga</i>	wísogā	fem
coal	<i>carbō</i>	ángelos	mas
coast	<i>litus</i>	molā	fem
coat	<i>sagum</i>	p̄ltom	
cockoo	<i>cucūlus</i>	kukūlós	mas
cockoo	<i>cucu facere</i>	kukulājō	intr
cockroach	<i>blatta</i>	blaktā	fem
cold	<i>frigidus</i>	ougros	adI
cold	<i>frīgus</i>	srigos	neu
collapse	<i>ruō</i>	rewō	inc / tr
collar	<i>monīle</i>	monīli	neu
collect	<i>carpō</i>	karpō	tr
collect	<i>legō</i>	legō	tr
collection	<i>collectiō</i>	kómāglom	neu
collection	<i>collectioo</i>	qejtis	fem
colony	<i>colonia</i>	ápowoiks	mas
colorant	<i>colorans</i>	keimos	neu
colour	<i>colōr</i>	kīwos	mas
colour	<i>color</i>	wornos	mas
coloured	<i>uarius</i>	p̄rqos	adI
colt	<i>equulus</i>	kánkestos	mas
comb	<i>pectō</i>	kesō	tr
comb	<i>pectō</i>	pekō	tr
comb	<i>pecten</i>	pektēn	mas
comb	<i>pectō</i>	pektō	tr
come	<i>ueniō</i>	cemjō	intr
come back	<i>redeō</i>	ghighējō	intr
come out	<i>pāreō</i>	pārējō	
command	<i>iubeō</i>	judhējō	tr
commit	<i>mandō</i>	m̄ndōmi	tr
common	<i>commūnis</i>	kóm̄moinis	adII
communicate	<i>communicō</i>	mesgō	tr

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community	<i>commūnitas</i>	kommoinitáts	fem
compasses	<i>circinus</i>	kirknos	mas
compete	<i>certō</i>	sperdhō	tr
complain	<i>queror</i>	kwésomoi	intr
complete	<i>complētus</i>	kómplēnos	adII
complexed (to be)	<i>tortus sum</i>	wðnghējō	den
compose	<i>compōnō</i>	qeјō	tr
comprehend	<i>teneō</i>	tðnējō	den tr
conceive	<i>concipere</i>	désāmi	tr
concubine	<i>paelex</i>	pareikā	fem
condense	<i>spissō</i>	steјō	inc
condition	<i>habitus</i>	dhēmðn	neu
conducted	<i>gessī</i>	elóm	tr
conflagration	<i>incendium</i>	dáwetus	mas
connect	<i>serō</i>	serō	tr
conscience	<i>conscientia</i>	kómwoistis	fem
consider	<i>opīnor</i>	mðnjō	den
consideration	<i>considerātiō</i>	qeistis	fem
consort	<i>coniux</i>	komјugs	epi
conspiracy	<i>coniurātiō</i>	jālos	mas
conspirator	<i>conspirātor</i>	jōrós	mas
conspire	<i>coniurō</i>	jánumi	tr
contain	<i>arceō</i>	ðrkējō	den tr
contend	<i>litigō</i>	bhogājō	intr
contend	<i>certō</i>	wikјō	dur
contrive	<i>machinor</i>	smudhnō	intr
convex	<i>conuexus</i>	weksós	adI
cook	<i>coquō</i>	peqō	tr
coot	<i>fulica</i>	bheléks	fem
copy	<i>imitor</i>	áimnumi	
core	<i>nucleus</i>	pūrós	mas
corn	<i>grānum</i>	niktis	fem
corner	<i>angulus</i>	bhðrstís	fem
cornice	<i>corona</i>	ghrendhā	fem
corruption	<i>tābēs</i>	tādhis	fem
couch	<i>solium</i>	stōlos	mas

cough	<i>tussis</i>	qostā	fem
cough	<i>tussiō</i>	tustijō	intr
coughing	<i>tussis</i>	tustis	fem
courage	<i>audacia</i>	nantis	fem
course	<i>cursus</i>	drewā	fem
course	<i>cursus</i>	kðrstus	mas
court	<i>curia</i>	kómwoirjom	neu
courtyard	<i>forum</i>	dhworom	neu
cousin	<i>cognātus</i>	jentēr	mas
cover	<i>uelō</i>	skemō	tr
cover	<i>obruō</i>	skeumō	tr
cover	<i>operiō</i>	skeutō	tr
cover	<i>tegō</i>	tegō	tr
cow	<i>bōs</i>	cows	and
cow	<i>bōs</i>	lāpos	mas
cow	<i>uacca</i>	wakkā	fem
crab	<i>cancer</i>	karkros	
crackle	<i>crepō</i>	krépāmi	intr
cradle	<i>cūnae</i>	gretlom	
crane	<i>grus</i>	gðrús	fem
crawl	<i>rēpō</i>	rēpō	intr
crawl	<i>serpō</i>	serpō	intr
crazy	<i>insānus</i>	dhwolnos	adI
create	<i>generō</i>	genesājō	cau
create	<i>creō</i>	krēmi	tr
creature	<i>crātūra</i>	teknom	neu
creep	<i>rēpō</i>	snðghјō	intr
crest	<i>crista</i>	kristā	fem
crime	<i>crīmen</i>	kreimðn	neu
crime	<i>dēlictus</i>	lōbā	fem
crimpy hair	<i>turbidō</i>	gouros	mas
crook	<i>amnis</i>	bhogjos	mas
crop	<i>messis</i>	sasjom	neu
cross	<i>crux</i>	kreuks	fem
cross	<i>transeō</i>	térnumi	tr
crossbeam	<i>patibulum</i>	ghlaghos	mas

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crow	<i>cornīx</i>	kornēiks	fem
crowd	<i>multitūdō</i>	plēdhwis	fem
crowd	<i>multitūdō</i>	slougos	mas
crown	<i>corōna</i>	grendjom	
crumb	<i>grūmus</i>	groumos	mas
crumb	<i>mīca</i>	smeikā	neu
crumble	<i>friō</i>	bhrijājō	tr
crush	<i>conterō</i>	mθrtājō	tr
crush	<i>pinsō</i>	pinsō	tr
cry	<i>drensō</i>	dhrensājō	intr
cry	<i>uāgiō</i>	wāghijō	intr
cry	<i>gemō</i>	kreugō	intr
cry	<i>clamor</i>	krigā	
cry	<i>rūdō</i>	reudō	intr
crying	<i>plōrātus</i>	roudos	mas
cudge	<i>dolō</i>	dolājō	tr
cuirass	<i>lorīca</i>	bhrusnjā	fem
cup	<i>calix</i>	kalēiks	mas
cup	<i>cūpa</i>	koupā	fem
curb	<i>arcuō</i>	bhegō	cau
curd cheese	<i>lac passum</i>	grutis	fem
curly	<i>crispus</i>	kripsos	adI
curtail	<i>dēminuō</i>	sneitō	tr
curve	<i>curua</i>	witjom	neu
curve	<i>curuō</i>	keubō	cau
curved	<i>camur</i>	kθmros	
curved	<i>curuus</i>	kθrwos	adI
cushion	<i>culcita</i>	qolkā	fem
custom	<i>mos</i>	swēdhus	fem
cut	<i>caedō</i>	kaidō	cau
cut	<i>exsecō</i>	kretō	tr
cut	<i>secō</i>	sékāmi	tr
cut	<i>secō</i>	tmāmi	tr
cut off	<i>amputō</i>	snadhō	tr
cut off	<i>separō</i>	spθltājō	tr
cut open	<i>incīdō</i>	bhθrijō	cau

cut out	<i>abscīdō</i>	drepō	
cut out	<i>abscīdō</i>	treukō	tr
dace	<i>phoxinus</i>	menis	mas
dad	<i>pappa</i>	appās	mas
dad	<i>atta</i>	attās	mas
dad	<i>pappa</i>	tātā	neu
damage	<i>clādēs</i>	klādis	mas
damage	<i>dētrimentum</i>	pēmθn	neu
damage	<i>perniciēs</i>	wolsom	neu
damage	<i>damnum</i>	dapnom	neu
damp	<i>imbuō</i>	bewō	tr
dare	<i>audeō</i>	dhθrsō	tr
dark	<i>fuscus</i>	dhóncelos	adI
dark	<i>obscurus</i>	dhoncos	adI
dark	<i>fuscus</i>	dhuskos	adI
dark	<i>obscurus</i>	keiros	adI
dark	<i>mulleus</i>	mθlnejós	adI
dark	<i>obscurus</i>	morcos	
dark	<i>obscurus</i>	skeuros	adI
darkness	<i>tenebrae</i>	recōs	mas
darkness	<i>tenebrae</i>	temesrās	fem
dart	<i>acumen</i>	golbhōn	mas
daughter	<i>filia</i>	dhugtēr	fem
daughter-in-law	<i>norus</i>	snusos	fem
dawn	<i>aurōra</i>	ausōsā	fem
dawn	<i>illūcescō</i>	áussketi	intr
day	<i>diēs</i>	dhochos	mas
day	<i>diēs</i>	djēws	mas
day	<i>diēs</i>	djnom	neu
day	<i>dies</i>	latom	mas
dead	<i>mortuus</i>	mθrtos	adII
dead	<i>mortuus</i>	mθrwos	adII
deaf	<i>surdus</i>	bodhrós	adI
deaf	<i>surdus</i>	dhoubhos	adI
dear	<i>cārus</i>	prijós	adI
death	<i>nex</i>	chentis	fem

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death	<i>fūnus</i>	dheunos	neu
death	<i>mors</i>	mǫrtis	fem
death	<i>nex</i>	neks	mas
debt	<i>dēbitum</i>	dhǫleglā	fem
deceive	<i>fallō</i>	chǫlnō	tr
deceive	<i>defraudō</i>	dhwerō	tr
deceive	<i>mentior</i>	melsō	tr
decide	<i>dēcernō</i>	skidjō	tr
decline	<i>decadō</i>	sterbhō	intr
decree	<i>consultus</i>	dhedhmós	mas
deer	<i>ceruus</i>	kerwos	mas
defame	<i>difāmō</i>	kǫlwijō	tr
defecate	<i>iunificō</i>	ghedō	tr
defecate	<i>cacō</i>	kakkājō	intr
defect	<i>mendum</i>	smeros	neu
defect	<i>dēfectus</i>	wolnos	neu
defective	<i>mancus</i>	mǫnkos	adI
defend	<i>dēfendō</i>	mághnumi	tr
deflect	<i>deflectō</i>	skélnumi	
delay	<i>mora</i>	morā	fem
delight	<i>fruor</i>	bhréucomoi	tr
demand	<i>exigō</i>	kupjō	tr
demon	<i>diabolus</i>	dhwosos	mas
dense	<i>crēber</i>	tǫnkros	adI
dense	<i>crēber</i>	tegús	adI
densify	<i>stipō</i>	stoipējō	cau
depart	<i>proficiscor</i>	óighomoi	intr
departure	<i>profectiō</i>	proitis	fem
deposit	<i>dēpositus</i>	loghos	mas
depressed	<i>dēpressus</i>	neiwós	adI
desert	<i>desertum</i>	teusqa	neu
desert	<i>desertum</i>	jélom	neu
deserve	<i>mereō</i>	mǫrējō	den
designate	<i>dēsignō</i>	mātējō	tr
desire	<i>desiderium</i>	aisskā	fem
desire	<i>desiderō</i>	gheríjomoi	tr

desire	<i>desiderō</i>	awējō	tr
desire	<i>desiderō</i>	chelō	tr
desire	<i>cupiō</i>	smegō	tr
desire	<i>desiderō</i>	wekmi	tr
desire	<i>concupiscō</i>	wenō	dur
desire eagerly	<i>auēō</i>	jǫntō	tr
destroy	<i>conterō</i>	dheukō	cau
destroy	<i>deleō</i>	nokējō	cau
destroy	<i>aboleō</i>	olējō	
detergent	<i>dētersiuum</i>	mūdlom	neu
devotion	<i>dēuotīō</i>	krǫbhтус	mas
devour	<i>uorō</i>	sleugō	tr
devour	<i>uorō</i>	cǫrājō	tr
devour	<i>uorō</i>	cerbhō	
dew	<i>ros</i>	dolghos	
diarrhea	<i>diarhea</i>	dhorjā	fem
dick	<i>crassus</i>	bhǫnghus	adI
die	<i>morior</i>	mǫríjomoi	intr
died	<i>mortus est</i>	walóm	intr
difference	<i>differentia</i>	kritis	fem
different	<i>differens</i>	íteros	
dig	<i>fodiō</i>	bhodhjō	tr
dig	<i>fodiō</i>	kánāmi	tr
dig out	<i>effodiō</i>	teukō	
dimension	<i>dīmensiō</i>	mētis	fem
dinner	<i>cēna</i>	kersnā	fem
dip	<i>bronca</i>	wǫronka	fem
direct	<i>directus</i>	dhǫnghus	adI
direct	<i>regō</i>	regō	tr
dirt	<i>immunditia</i>	kóqros	mas
dirt	<i>excrēmentum</i>	kwoinom	mas
dirty	<i>immundus</i>	coudhros	adI
dirty	<i>immundus</i>	salús	adI
dirty	<i>mancillō</i>	keqō	tr
dis-	<i>re(d)</i>	rēd/re	ind
disabled	<i>murcus</i>	mǫrkos	adI

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disgrace	<i>labēs</i>	ghálerom	neu
disguise	<i>uestiō</i>	mengō	tr
dishonour	<i>dedecus</i>	stupróm	neu
disk	<i>orbis</i>	orbhis	mas
dismantle	<i>dismontō</i>	dhruslijō	tr
dispersed	<i>rārus</i>	rārós	adI
dispossession	<i>spolium</i>	spoljom	neu
distaff	<i>colus</i>	qolus	fem
distribute	<i>distribuō</i>	nemō	tr
dive	<i>immergō</i>	cadhō	intr
divide	<i>diuidō</i>	kōljō	tr
divide	<i>diuidō</i>	weidhō	tr
divide up	<i>distribuō</i>	daimoi	tr
do	<i>faciō</i>	dhídhēmi- dhθkjō	tr
do harm	<i>damnō</i>	ghudjō	
do harm	<i>infensō</i>	kepō	tr
do military service	<i>militō</i>	dhreughō	den
do not?	<i>nonne</i>	nom nē	ind
docile	<i>infirmus</i>	glegos	adI
doctor	<i>medicus</i>	médodiks	epic
dog	<i>canis</i>	kolignos	mas
dog	<i>canis</i>	kwōn	mas
door	<i>foris</i>	dhweris	fem
door	<i>forēs</i>	wēr	neu
double	<i>duplus</i>	dwoplos	adII
doubt	<i>dubitō</i>	okējō	den
dough	<i>pasta</i>	reughmθn	neu
dough	<i>massa</i>	taismos	mas
dove	<i>columba</i>	dhombhos	mas
dove	<i>columba</i>	kólumbhos	mas
down	<i>sub</i>	nī	ind
dowry	<i>dos</i>	dōtis	fem
drag	<i>dūcō</i>	deukō	tr
drag	<i>trahō</i>	traghō	tr
drag	<i>uerrō</i>	wersō	
drag away	<i>abstrahō</i>	tenghō	tr

drapery	<i>drappus</i>	drappos	mas
draw	<i>stringō</i>	streigō	tr
draw tight	<i>stringō</i>	stringō	tr
dream	<i>somnus</i>	ónerjos	mas
dream	<i>somnium</i>	swepθr	neu
dream	<i>somnium</i>	swopnjom	neu
dream	<i>somniō</i>	swopnjājō	intr
dregs	<i>colluuiēs</i>	suljā	fem
dress	<i>uestiō</i>	westijō	tr
drink	<i>pōtiō</i>	pōtis	fem
drink	<i>bibō</i>	pibō	tr
drinking	<i>pōtus</i>	pōnom	neu
drip	<i>egguttō</i>	seilō	intr
drive	<i>condūcō</i>	enkō prō	tr
drizzle	<i>irrorātiō</i>	aghlóws	fem
drone	<i>fūcus</i>	bhouqos	mas
drop	<i>gutta</i>	bθndus	mas
drop	<i>stilla</i>	druptis	fem
drop	<i>gutta</i>	leibs	mas
drop	<i>gutta</i>	spakos	mas
drum	<i>bombus</i>	bámbalos	
drunken	<i>ebrius</i>	chθrnos	adI
drunken	<i>ebrius</i>	tēmos	mas
dry	<i>siccus</i>	kserós	adI
dry	<i>siccus</i>	sisqos	adI
dry	<i>siccus</i>	susdos	mas
dry	<i>siccus</i>	tθrstos	adI
dry	<i>siccus</i>	tθrsus	adI
dry	<i>torreō</i>	torsejō	cau
dry skin	<i>pellis sicca</i>	sterbhjnom	neu
duck	<i>anas</i>	anθts	mas / fem
dust	<i>puluis</i>	pelwos	neu
duty (religious)	<i>fas</i>	dhas	neu
dwell	<i>habitō</i>	trebhō	den
dwelling	<i>domicilium</i>	westus	mas

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eagle	<i>aquila</i>	éroros	mas
eagle owl	<i>bubō</i>	bughōn	mas
ear	<i>auris</i>	ousis	fem
early	<i>mane</i>	ájeri	ind
earth	<i>humus</i>	dhghðmós	mas
earth	<i>terra</i>	pðltéwija	fem
earth	<i>terra</i>	tersā	fem
eastern	<i>orientālis</i>	áusteros	
easy	<i>facilis</i>	reidos	adI
eat	<i>edō</i>	áknāmi	tr
eat	<i>edō</i>	edmi	tr
eat	<i>uescor</i>	wéskomoi	neu
edge	<i>ōra</i>	ōrā	fem
edge	<i>excellō</i>	bhrenō	intr
effort	<i>mōlimen</i>	molos	neu
egg	<i>ōuum</i>	ów(ij)om	neu
eight	<i>octo</i>	oktōu	
eighth	<i>octāūs</i>	oktowos	adII
eject	<i>iaciō</i>	jðkjō	tr
elbow	<i>ulnā</i>	olnā	fem
elder	<i>ebulus</i>	edhlos	fem
element	<i>ēlementum</i>	skōlos	mas
elm	<i>ulmus</i>	olmos	fem
elm	<i>ulmus</i>	woighos	fem
embank	<i>aggerō</i>	klāmi	tr
embryo	<i>fētus</i>	geltis	fem
embryon	<i>foetus</i>	cðrebhos	mas
employee	<i>famulus</i>	dhðmos	mas
empty	<i>uānus</i>	wāstos	adI
empty	<i>uānus</i>	wōnós	adI
empty	<i>hauriō</i>	ausijō	tr
enact	<i>sanciō</i>	sankijō	tr
encamp	<i>castrō</i>	kastrājō	tr
encircle	<i>circumdō</i>	gherdhō	tr
enclose	<i>amplexor</i>	twerō	tr
enclosure	<i>claustrum</i>	kaghos	mas

enclosure	<i>claustrum</i>	odhrom	neu
enclosure	<i>clausūra</i>	wðregis	mas
encouragement	<i>hortor</i>	ghoréejomoi	cau
end	<i>extrēmum</i>	bendā	fem
end	<i>fīnis</i>	dhignis	mas
end	<i>terminus</i>	termēn	mas
endeavour	<i>conitor</i>	rōdhjō	tr
endure	<i>resistō</i>	tulējō	den
enemy	<i>inimicus</i>	nemots	epic
enjoy oneself	<i>oblector</i>	terpō	intr
enjoyment	<i>delectātiō</i>	teptis	fem
enlarge	<i>augeō</i>	augējō	prog
enough	<i>satis</i>	satsi	ind
enough (to be)	<i>sufficiō</i>	dheughō	intr
entrails	<i>uisus</i>	sorwā	fem
entrails	<i>intestina</i>	sternom	neu
entrance	<i>ōstium</i>	ōstjom	neu
entrance	<i>iānua</i>	jānuwā	fem
envelope	<i>inuolūcrum</i>	wélwtrom	neu
envy	<i>inuidia</i>	ðrsjā	fem
equal	<i>aequus</i>	somós	adII m
equipment	<i>armāmenta</i>	kómopjom	neu
equipped with	<i>praeditus</i>	went	suff
erect	<i>horreō</i>	ghorsējō	cau
ermine	<i>mustēla erminea</i>	kormōn	mas
escape	<i>effugiō</i>	skeubhō	inc
estimate	<i>aestimō</i>	qíqeimi	tr
eternal	<i>aeūs</i>	aivos	adII
eternity	<i>aetas</i>	áiwoťats	fem
even	<i>aeqūs</i>	aiqos	adI
even	<i>etiam</i>	eti	ind
even	<i>glaber</i>	gladhros	adI
evening	<i>uesper</i>	wespros	mas
evident	<i>euidens</i>	gnōros	adI
evil	<i>scelus</i>	skelos	neu
excavator	<i>pāla</i>	kernos	mas

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excellent	<i>excellens</i>	bhodrós	adI
excellent	<i>excellens</i>	wēswoš	adI
excess	<i>excessus</i>	údcris	fem
exchange	<i>commūtātiō</i>	mojnos	mas
exchange	<i>mūtō</i>	mejō	inc
exchange	<i>mūtō</i>	moitājō	tr
excite	<i>excitō</i>	sprewō	tr
exclusive	<i>exclusōrius</i>	káiwelos	neu
exhaustion	<i>exhaustiō</i>	dh̄tis	fem
expect	<i>expectō</i>	welpō	tr
expel	<i>expellō</i>	(jí)jēmi	cau
experience	<i>experiō</i>	perijō	tr
expression	<i>dictus</i>	weqtlom	neu
extend	<i>extendō</i>	spánumi	
extend	<i>extendī</i>	spēmi	prog
extend	<i>tendō</i>	tendō	tr
extend	<i>prōtēlō</i>	tenšō	
extend	<i>prolongō</i>	tenjō	tr
extended	<i>extensus</i>	próstōrnos	adI
extension	<i>strātus</i>	stōrnos	mas
external	<i>exterior</i>	éksteros	adI
extinguish	<i>exstinguō</i>	césnumi	tr
extraordinary	<i>rārus</i>	ðnšwodhros	adI
exuberant	<i>laetus</i>	jōndros	adI
eye	<i>oculus</i>	oqos	mas
eyebrow	<i>brus</i>	bhrows	fem
fac	<i>procul</i>	dew	ind
face	<i>ūltus</i>	d̄rkā	fem
fact	<i>factum</i>	dhētis	fem
fair weather	<i>serēnus</i>	qoitros, koitros	adI
fall	<i>cadō</i>	kadō	prog
fall asleep	<i>sōpiō</i>	swōpijō	cau
fall asleep	<i>obdormiscor</i>	d̄rmijō	dur
fall down	<i>praecipitor</i>	piptō	tr
fall into	<i>ingruō</i>	ghrewō	
fallow	<i>ueruactum</i>	polkā	

false	<i>falsus</i>	m̄ljōš	adI
family	<i>familia</i>	gentis	fem
family	<i>familia</i>	wenjā	fem
famine	<i>esuriēs</i>	nōunā	fem
famous	<i>audītus</i>	klutós	adI
fan	<i>flābellum</i>	bhlādhrom	neu
fan	<i>flabellō</i>	prējō	intr
fancy	<i>lasciuiō</i>	lōškējō	
far	<i>procul</i>	porsōd	ind
far (from)	<i>procul</i>	qeli	ind
farewell	<i>abitiō</i>	đrtis	fem
farm	<i>uilla</i>	woikslā	fem
farmer	<i>agricola</i>	agrōqolās	mas
fart	<i>pedō</i>	pesdō	intr
fashion	<i>fabricor</i>	teksō	tr
fat	<i>adeps</i>	lajos	neu
fat	<i>crassus</i>	pimós	adI
fat	<i>pinguis</i>	piwōn	adI
fat	<i>obesus</i>	tōnghus	adI
father	<i>pater</i>	p̄tēr	mas
father-in-law	<i>socer</i>	šwekros	mas
fatherland	<i>patria</i>	p̄trjā	fem
fatherly	<i>paternus</i>	p̄trjos	adII
fault	<i>noxa</i>	agos	mas
fault	<i>culpa</i>	loktos	mas
fault	<i>mendum</i>	mendom	neu
fear	<i>paueō</i>	p̄wējō	den
fear	<i>metuō</i>	āghar	intr
fear	<i>timeō</i>	bhībheimi	tr
fear	<i>timeō</i>	dweimi	tr
fearful	<i>d̄irus</i>	dwoiros	adI
feast	<i>daps</i>	daps	mas
feast	<i>conuiuium</i>	wōldá	fem
feast	<i>daps</i>	westos	mas
feather	<i>plūma</i>	peróm	neu
feather	<i>penna</i>	petsnā	fem

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feather	<i>plūma</i>	plousmā	fem
feeble	<i>tener</i>	térðnros	adI
feed	<i>pāscō</i>	pāskō	tr
feel	<i>sentiō</i>	awisdhijō	tr
feel	<i>sentiō</i>	qeisō	tr
feel ashamed	<i>puđet</i>	aichesājō	den
fence	<i>saepēs</i>	saipis	mas
ferment	<i>fermentō</i>	jesō	
fern	<i>fīlix</i>	pratis	fem
ferret	<i>uīuerra</i>	wéiwersā	fem
few	<i>paucum</i>	pau	ind
field	<i>arūm</i>	arwom	neu
field	<i>pratūm</i>	maghos	mas
fierce	<i>saeuus</i>	saiwos	adI
fierceness	<i>tūlēs</i>	tonslis	fem
fifteen	<i>quīdecim</i>	penqdekðm	ind
fifth	<i>quīntus</i>	penqtos	adII
fifty	<i>quīnquaginta</i>	penqadkðmta	adII
fig	<i>fīcus</i>	bheikos	fem
fight	<i>pugna</i>	katos	mas
fight	<i>certō</i>	streudō	dur
file	<i>līma</i>	sleimā	fem
fill	<i>pleō</i>	(pīm)plēmi	tr
fill	<i>pleō</i>	pléenāmi	inc
filth	<i>situs</i>	mergis	fem
finch	<i>passer</i>	spingjā	fem
find	<i>inueniō</i>	(wí)wermi	tr
find	<i>nanciscor</i>	nðnkskomói	tr
finger	<i>digitus</i>	cistis	fem
finger	<i>digitus</i>	dékðmtulos	mas
fingernail	<i>unguis</i>	onchis	mas
finish	<i>fīniō</i>	cerjō	intr
fire	<i>ignis</i>	egnis	mas
fire	<i>ignis</i>	pēwðr	neu
firm	<i>fīrmus</i>	omos	adI
first	<i>prīmus</i>	prāwos	adII

first	<i>prīmus</i>	prismos	sup
first (of two)	<i>prīmus (a duobus)</i>	próteros	adII
fish	<i>piscis</i>	piskis	mas
fist	<i>pugnus</i>	penqstis	fem
fist	<i>pugnus</i>	pougnos	mas
five	<i>quīnque</i>	penqe	ind
fix	<i>fīxus</i>	pastos	adI
flake	<i>floccus</i>	bhlokos	mas
flame	<i>flamma</i>	bhlðgsmā	fem
flame	<i>focus</i>	bhokos	
flask	<i>obrussa</i>	óbrusjā	fem
flat	<i>plānus</i>	lergos	adI
flat	<i>plānus</i>	plākos	adI
flat	<i>plānus</i>	plānos	adI
flat-footed	<i>plautus</i>	plautos	adI
flax	<i>līnum</i>	leinom	neu
flea	<i>pūlēx</i>	puslēks	mas
fleabane	<i>pulicāria</i>	dhwestus	fem
flee	<i>fūgō</i>	bhougājō	cau
flee	<i>fugiō</i>	bhugjō	dur
fleece	<i>uellus</i>	gnebhis	fem
flexible	<i>flexibilis</i>	lugnós	adI
flight	<i>fūga</i>	bhougā	fem
flimmer	<i>fulgeō</i>	merkō	
flimmer	<i>micō</i>	míkāmi	dur
floor	<i>contabulātiō</i>	plārom	neu
flour	<i>farīna</i>	melwom	neu
flour	<i>farīna</i>	mlātóm	neu
flourishing	<i>fluorescentia</i>	ghlustis	adI
flow	<i>fluxus</i>	sorā	fem
flow	<i>fluō</i>	bhleucō	intr
flow	<i>meō</i>	mejājō	intr
flow	<i>fluō</i>	srewō	intr
flow	<i>fluō</i>	weisō	den
flow down	<i>dēfluō</i>	stelghō	intr
flower	<i>flōs</i>	bhlos	mas

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flower	<i>flos</i>	bhlōtis	fem
fluoresce	<i>superluceō</i>	bhelō	intr
flush away	<i>egerō</i>	rīnāmi	tr
flutter	<i>coruscō</i>	spəndō	intr
fly	<i>musca</i>	muskā	fem
fly	<i>aduolō</i>	petō	intr
fly	<i>uolō</i>	cəljājō	intr
foal	<i>pullus</i>	kurnos	
foam	<i>spūma</i>	spoi mā	fem
foenum	<i>hay</i>	koinos	mas
fog	<i>cāligo</i>	kalgōn	
fog	<i>nebula</i>	nebhā	fem
foggy, to be	<i>nebulosus sum</i>	wapējō	den
fold	<i>ouīle</i>	cijā	fem
fold	<i>flectō</i>	bheugō	
fold	<i>plicō</i>	plékāmi	cau
follow	<i>sequor</i>	séqomoi	dur
food	<i>pābulum</i>	pasknis	mas
food	<i>cibus</i>	pitús	mas
food	<i>pulmentum</i>	westā	fem
foot	<i>pēs</i>	podś	mas
footprint	<i>uestigium</i>	lorgā	fem
footprint	<i>peda</i>	pedom	neu
forbid	<i>uetō</i>	wétāmi	tr
force	<i>uis</i>	stolgos	mas
force	<i>impetus</i>	tewos	neu
force	<i>compellō</i>	twenkō	tr
force in	<i>intrūdō</i>	treudō	cau
ford	<i>portus</i>	pərtus	mas
forearm	<i>lacertus</i>	lakertos	mas
forehead	<i>frōns</i>	bhrówəntis	mas
foreigner	<i>aduena</i>	ghostis	and
foremost	<i>prīmus</i>	prijós	adII
forest	<i>silua</i>	kselwā	fem
forest	<i>lūcus</i>	loukos	mas
forest	<i>nemus</i>	nemos	neu

forget	<i>obliuiscor</i>	ledō	tr
fork	<i>furca</i>	ghabhlo m	neu
fork	<i>furca</i>	mergā	fem
form	<i>forma</i>	pərtus	
formerly	<i>ōlim</i>	ōlim	ind
fortieth	<i>quadragēsīm us</i>	qətwərorádkə mtəmos	adII
fortification	<i>mūnitūra</i>	karkar	mas
fortify	<i>mūniō</i>	moinijomoi	tr
forty	<i>quadrāgintā</i>	qətwərorádkə mta	adII
forty	<i>quadraginta</i>	qətworadkə m ta	adII
forwards	<i>prō</i>	prō(d)	ind
fountain	<i>fons</i>	awā	fem
fountain	<i>fons</i>	awen	neu
fountain	<i>fons</i>	dhontis	mas
four	<i>quattuor</i>	qətwəres	adII
four days	<i>quadriduum</i>	qətwərdjəwij om	neu
four each	<i>quaternī</i>	qətrosnōś	adII
four hundred	<i>quadrigenti</i>	qətwərkəmtō ś	adII
four hundreth	<i>quadrigentesi mus</i>	qətwərkəmté mtəmos	adII
four times	<i>quater</i>	qətros	ind
four years	<i>quadrienniū m</i>	qətwəratnjom	neu
fourteen	<i>quattuordecī m</i>	qətwrdekə m	ind
fourth	<i>quartus</i>	qətwərtos	adII
fox	<i>uulpēs</i>	wolpis	fem
foxglove	<i>digitālis purpurea</i>	spjonos	fem
fragment	<i>frūstum</i>	bhroustom	neu
fragrant	<i>fragrant</i>	swekos	adI
fraud	<i>dolus</i>	dolos	mas
fray	<i>diffilor</i>	sremsō	intr
free	<i>liber</i>	léudheros	adI
free	<i>recipiō</i>	nosējō	cau
freeze	<i>gelō</i>	prunsō	tr
frequent	<i>frequens</i>	menghos	adI
friend	<i>amīca</i>	ámeikā	fem

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friend	<i>amicus</i>	amēiks	mas
fringe	<i>antiae</i>	antjās	
from	<i>ab</i>	apo	ind
from	<i>ex</i>	extrōd	ind
from there	<i>inde</i>	imde	ind
from there	<i>inde</i>	totrōd	ind
from this side	<i>hinc</i>	kina	ind
from upwards	<i>dē</i>	dē	ind
from which	<i>unde</i>	jomde	rel
frost	<i>pruīna</i>	pruswá	fem
fruit	<i>fructus</i>	ágrēnom	neu
fruit	<i>frux</i>	bhreugs	mas
fry	<i>frigō</i>	bhagiō	tr
fry	<i>frigō</i>	bhreicō	tr
frypan	<i>sartagō</i>	landhom	neu
fuck	<i>futtuō</i>	eibhō	intr
fuel	<i>cibus ignis</i>	dawtis	fem
fugacious	<i>fugax</i>	tokwós	adI
full	<i>plēnus</i>	plénós	adI
full	<i>plēnus</i>	plētós	adI
fundament	<i>fundamentu m</i>	upósēdjom	neu
fungus	<i>fungus</i>	swombhós	mas
furniture	<i>suppellex</i>	endósēdjom	neu
furrow	<i>sulcus</i>	pðrká	fem
further	<i>ulterus</i>	ólteros	adI
furthest	<i>ultimus</i>	óltðmos	sup
gall	<i>bīlis</i>	bistlis	fem
gape	<i>hiō</i>	ghjājō	inc
garden	<i>hortus</i>	ghortos	mas
garlic	<i>ālius</i>	álujos	mas
gather	<i>cogō</i>	gercō	tr
gather	<i>cōgō</i>	katsājō	tr
gaul	<i>gallus</i>	galnos	mas
gaze	<i>prospectō</i>	qekō	
gentle	<i>gentilis</i>	klisrós	adI
germ	<i>germen</i>	genmðn	neu

get angry	<i>stomachor</i>	kðrdíjomoi	prog
get cumulated	<i>cumulō</i>	derghō	intr
get dressed	<i>induō</i>	ewō	inc
get drunk	<i>inebriō</i>	pojējō	cau
get dry	<i>serescō</i>	térsomoi	intr
get encrusted	<i>incrustor</i>	kreupō	inc
get furious	<i>saeuīō</i>	sājō	den
get in a space	<i>locus mihi est</i>	telpō	intr
get injured	<i>ferior</i>	steugō	inc
get tired	<i>dēfetiscor</i>	kmāmi	prog
gift	<i>dōnum</i>	dōnom	neu
gird	<i>cingō</i>	kingō	tr
girl	<i>puella</i>	maqā	fem
give	<i>dō</i>	(dí)dōmi	tr
give birth	<i>pariō</i>	pðrijō	tr
give joy	<i>sōlor</i>	sólájomoi	tr
give one's opinion	<i>opīnor</i>	tongējō	tr
glance	<i>fascis</i>	augá	fem
glare	<i>splendeō</i>	swelō	intr
glass	<i>pōculum</i>	pōtlom	
glide	<i>surrēpō</i>	sleidhō	intr
glimmer	<i>fulgeō</i>	bherkō	den
glimmer	<i>renideō</i>	ghlēmi	intr
globe	<i>globus</i>	globhos	mas
gloomy	<i>fuscus</i>	mauros	adI
glory	<i>gloria</i>	klewos	neu
glove	<i>digitābulum</i>	ghesris	fem
glow	<i>candō</i>	kandō	tr
glowing ash	<i>fauilla</i>	geulom	neu
glue	<i>glūten</i>	gloiten	neu
gnat	<i>cūlex</i>	kūleks	mas
gnaw	<i>frendō</i>	ghrendō	intr
gnaw away	<i>corrōdō</i>	trowō	tr
go	<i>eō</i>	ðrskomói	intr
go	<i>eō</i>	eimi	ður
go aside	<i>mē auertō</i>	greubhō	ður

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go away	<i>abeō</i>	cícāmi	inc
go down	<i>descendō</i>	keidō	intr
goat	<i>caper</i>	bokkos	mas
goat	<i>capra</i>	dighā	fem
goat	<i>hircus</i>	ghabhros	mas
goat	<i>capra</i>	kaprā	fem
goat	<i>caper</i>	kapros	
goatish	<i>haedīnus</i>	ghaidīnós	adII
god	<i>deus</i>	deiwos	mas
goddess	<i>dea</i>	deiwā	fem
godly	<i>dīūs</i>	déiwijos	adII
gold	<i>aurum</i>	ausom	neu
gold	<i>aurum</i>	ghəltom	neu
golden	<i>aureus</i>	ghəltnós	adII
good	<i>bonus</i>	āsús	adI
good	<i>bonus</i>	bhilis	adI
good	<i>bonus</i>	dwenos	adI
good	<i>bonus</i>	mānos	adI
good	<i>bonus</i>	probhwos	adI
goos	<i>anser</i>	ghansōr	mas
grace	<i>gratia</i>	rātóm	mas
grain	<i>grānum</i>	grānom	neu
grand-daughter	<i>neptis</i>	neptis	fem
grandfather	<i>auus</i>	awos	mas
grandfather	<i>aūs</i>	dhēdhjos	
grandmother	<i>amus</i>	anus	fem
grandmother	<i>auia</i>	áwijā	fem
grandson	<i>nepos</i>	nepēts	mas
granny	<i>anus</i>	annā	fem
grant	<i>donō</i>	pərnāmi	tr
grass	<i>grāmen</i>	ghrāsmən	neu
grass	<i>herba</i>	ghrāsom	əb
grave	<i>fossa</i>	bhodsā	fem
gravel	<i>calculus</i>	geisā	fem
greasy	<i>adipōsus</i>	liprós	adI
green	<i>uiridis</i>	chelwos	mas

grey	<i>cānus</i>	kasnos	mas
grey	<i>albogiluus</i>	pəlowós	adI
grey	<i>pallidus</i>	pálowos	adI
grey	<i>rāuus</i>	rāwos	adI
grill	<i>cratis</i>	kratis	fem
grind	<i>conterō</i>	ghrewō	cau
grind	<i>molō</i>	melō	tr
groan	<i>uncō</i>	onkājō	
groin	<i>inguen</i>	əncéen	fem
groin	<i>intestīnum</i>	ili	neu
groom	<i>pubēs</i>	pusbhis	mas
groove	<i>sulcus</i>	solkos	mas
ground	<i>fundus</i>	bhudhnos	mas
ground	<i>solea</i>	swólejā	fem
ground	<i>tellus</i>	telsus	fem
group	<i>caterua</i>	qelos	neu
grow	<i>crēscō</i>	krēskō	prog
grow	<i>crēscō</i>	ərdhjō	intr
grow fat	<i>pinguescō</i>	peidō	prog
grow thin	<i>tenuescō</i>	kerkō	inc
growl	<i>grunniō</i>	ghelijō	intr
grown	<i>grandis</i>	grəndhís	adI
grumble	<i>fremō</i>	ghremō	intr
grumble	<i>ringor</i>	wrəngomói	intr
grunt	<i>fremō</i>	bhremō	intr
grunt	<i>grunniō</i>	grundijō	intr
guerrilla	<i>guerrilla</i>	bhogā	fem
guest	<i>hospes</i>	ghóstipots	adII
guile	<i>astus</i>	astus	mas
guilty	<i>sons</i>	sontis	adI
gull	<i>mergus</i>	medgós	mas
gullet	<i>gula</i>	cəlā	fem
gulp	<i>lurcō</i>	slərgjō	tr
gum	<i>gingiua</i>	gengā	fem
gush	<i>scateō</i>	skatejō	dur
gush up	<i>exuberō</i>	bhrendhō	intr

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hail	<i>grandō</i>	grōdis	mas
hair	<i>capillum</i>	ghaitā	fem
hair	<i>capillum</i>	kaisrom	neu
hair	<i>caesariēs</i>	kerom	
hair	<i>pilus</i>	pilos	mas
hair	<i>capillum</i>	rewmθn	neu
hair	<i>uellus</i>	welnos	neu
hair	<i>caesariēs</i>	wondhos	
hair (strong)	<i>saeta</i>	saitā	fem
hairdresser	<i>tonsōr</i>	tonstór	adII
hairless	<i>caluus</i>	kalwos	adI
half	<i>medius</i>	sēmi-	adII
hall	<i>uestibulum</i>	werstidhlom	neu
ham	<i>perna</i>	persnā	fem
hammer	<i>malleus</i>	matlā	fem
hammer	<i>malleus</i>	ordhos	mas
hand	<i>manus</i>	ghēsθr	neu
hand	<i>manus</i>	ghestos	neu
hand	<i>manus</i>	mθnus	fem
handle	<i>ansa</i>	ansā	
handle	<i>stīua</i>	ghetlā	fem
handle	<i>manubrium</i>	skāpos	mas
handle	<i>gerō</i>	qérumi	dur
hang	<i>suspendō</i>	lembō	tr
hang	<i>pendō</i>	pendō	tr
happen	<i>accidō</i>	leidō	pro
hard	<i>dūrus</i>	kartús	adI
harm	<i>damnō</i>	dápnāmi	tr
harm	<i>damnum</i>	skodhos	mas
harn	<i>urīna</i>	wθreinā	
harrow	<i>occa</i>	ókētā	fem
harsh	<i>asper</i>	drismós	adI
harvest	<i>segēs</i>	θsnātis	fem
haste	<i>coactus</i>	spoudā	tr
hasten	<i>percurrō</i>	bhūsĵō	intr
hasten	<i>festinō</i>	skegō	intr

hatchet	<i>bipennis</i>	tōkslos	mas
hate	<i>ōdi</i>	odĵō (ōda)	tr
hatred	<i>ōdium</i>	ōdĵom	neu
have	<i>habeō</i>	eikō	tr
have fever	<i>febriō</i>	cerō	den
have taste	<i>sapiō</i>	sθpiĵō	tr
have wrinkle	<i>rugātus sum</i>	gθrbĕĵō	den
haven	<i>portus</i>	kopnos	mas
hawk	<i>accipiter</i>	ōqĵpteros	mas
hazel	<i>corilus</i>	kósolos	fem
hazelnut	<i>abellāna</i>	árusā	fem
head	<i>caput</i>	ghebhlā	fem
head	<i>caput</i>	kaput	neu
head	<i>caput</i>	kersθn	neu
head of cereal	<i>spīca</i>	speikā	fem
head towards	<i>uergō</i>	wergō	den
health	<i>ualētūdō</i>	kóilutāts	fem
healthy	<i>sānus</i>	koilús	adI
healthy	<i>sānus</i>	jekos	adI
heap	<i>struēs</i>	struwis	fem
hear	<i>clueō</i>	kluwĕĵō	den
hear	<i>audiō</i>	gheusō	
hear	<i>audiō</i>	kélnumi	tr
hearing	<i>audītus</i>	kleumθn	neu
heart	<i>cor</i>	kθrdi / kθrdĵom	neu
hearth	<i>fornus</i>	chornos	mas
heat	<i>calor</i>	cheros	neu
heat	<i>adoleō</i>	olĕĵō	cau
heath	<i>silua</i>	kaitom	neu
heave	<i>erigō</i>	erō	tr
heaven	<i>caelum</i>	kémelom	neu
heavy	<i>grāuis</i>	cθr(āw)ús	adI
heavy	<i>brūtus</i>	crθtos	adI
hedgheg	<i>er</i>	eghĵos	mas
hedgheg	<i>ēr</i>	ghēr	mas
heel	<i>calx</i>	persā	fem

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height	<i>summun</i>	kolmos	mas
hello	<i>heus!</i>	alā!	excl
helmet	<i>galea</i>	kelmos	mas
help	<i>adiuuō</i>	jewō	intr
hen	<i>gallīna</i>	kerkos	fem
henbane	<i>hyosciamus</i>	bhélunā	fem
herb	<i>herba</i>	lubhjá	fem
herd	<i>grex</i>	gregs	mas
herdsman	<i>pāstor</i>	cówqolos	mas
herdsman	<i>pāstor</i>	kerdhjos	mas
here	<i>hic</i>	kei	ind
heron	<i>ardea</i>	árdejā	fem
hesitate	<i>uacillō</i>	kénkomoi	intr
hide	<i>cēlō</i>	kēlājō	cau
hide	<i>abdī</i>	keudhō	
high	<i>altus</i>	altós	adI
high	<i>altus</i>	bhðrghos	adI
high	<i>superus</i>	úperos	
high	<i>altus</i>	úpselos	mas
hill	<i>collis</i>	kolnis	fem
hill	<i>mons</i>	montis	mas
himself	<i>se</i>	se	pron
himself	<i>sē</i>	sēd	ind
hinge	<i>cardō</i>	kðrdéén	
hint	<i>posterus</i>	apóteros	adI
hip	<i>coxa</i>	koksā	fem
hip	<i>lumbus</i>	londhwos	mas
his	<i>suus</i>	séwijos	adII
hiss	<i>stridō</i>	streidō	dur
hit	<i>contusiō</i>	bhenjom	
hit	<i>quatiō</i>	bhðtjō	tr
hit	<i>tundō</i>	bhlagō	tr
hit	<i>flīgō</i>	bhleicō	intr
hit	<i>quatiō</i>	bhutjō	tr
hit	<i>cūdō</i>	keudō	tr
hit	<i>offendō</i>	slakō	tr

hit	<i>quatiō</i>	steupō	tr
hoard	<i>refugium</i>	kusdhos	
hold	<i>possideō</i>	potējō	tr
hold	<i>retineō</i>	seghō	tr
hole	<i>orificium</i>	lugjā	fem
hollow	<i>cauitas</i>	dholos	mas
hollow	<i>uōla</i>	dhónejā	fem
hollow	<i>fouea</i>	ghéwejā	
hollow	<i>cauus</i>	kowos	adI
hollow out	<i>excauō</i>	skerbhō	tr
holy	<i>sanctus</i>	noibhos	adII
holy	<i>sacer</i>	kwentos	adII
holy	<i>sacer</i>	sakros	adI
honey	<i>mel</i>	melit	neu
honour	<i>mactō</i>	mðgtājō	tr
hoof	<i>ungula</i>	kophos	mas
hook	<i>ancus</i>	ankos	mas
hook	<i>hamus</i>	kenkos	mas
hook	<i>hāmus</i>	khamos	mas
hook	<i>uncus</i>	onkos	mas
hoopoe	<i>upupa</i>	ópopā	fem
hope	<i>spes</i>	spes	fem
horn	<i>cornū</i>	kðrnu	neu
hornbeam	<i>carpīnus betulus</i>	gðrbeinā	
hornless	<i>incornis</i>	kemos	adII
horse	<i>eqūs</i>	ekwos	mas
horse	<i>equus</i>	markos	mas
hostage	<i>obses</i>	gheislos	mas
house	<i>domus</i>	domos	fem
house	<i>domus</i>	weiks	mas
housemaster	<i>erus</i>	esos	m
hovel	<i>gurgustium</i>	cðrcestjom	neu
hover	<i>pullulo</i>	prewō	dur
how	<i>quālis</i>	qālis	adII
how	<i>ut</i>	qota	int
how	<i>quōmodo</i>	jota	rel

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how many	<i>quot</i>	qot(j)ōs	int
howbeit	<i>autem</i>	aw	ind
howgreat	<i>quantus</i>	qáwθntos	pron
howl	<i>ululō</i>	ululājō	intr
humble	<i>humilis</i>	wailos	mas
humiliate	<i>humiliō</i>	neidō	tr
hump	<i>gibba</i>	gibbā	fem
hundred	<i>centum</i>	kθmtom	ind
hunger	<i>famēs</i>	dhθmis	fem
hunger	<i>fames</i>	ghrēdhus	mas
hunt	<i>uēnātus</i>	woitā	fem
hunt	<i>uēnor</i>	(wí)weimi	tr
hurry	<i>festinō</i>	sperghō	intr
hurry	<i>accelerō</i>	speudō	tr
hut	<i>casa</i>	kleitis	fem
hut	<i>mapālia</i>	koutā	fem
I	<i>egō</i>	egō	pron
ice	<i>gelū</i>	eisom	neu
ice	<i>gelū</i>	gelu	neu
ice	<i>glaciēs</i>	glθgjēs	fem
ice	<i>glaciēs</i>	jegis	mas
icicle	<i>crustula</i>	krustā	fem
icicle	<i>stīria</i>	stejsjā	fem
ill	<i>aeger</i>	aigros	adI
illuminate	<i>illūminō</i>	bhánumi	tr
imbue	<i>inficiō</i>	magō	tr
immediate	<i>immediātus</i>	ūdhús	adI
immediately	<i>citō</i>	kitōd	ind
immortal	<i>immortālis</i>	θnmrótijos	adII
impel	<i>pellō</i>	peldō	tr
important	<i>sērius</i>	swērús	adI
impregnate	<i>tingō</i>	tengō	tr
in	<i>in-</i>	en	ind
in excess	<i>magis etiam</i>	θndhi	ind
in the middle	<i>in mediā parte</i>	meti	
in the morning	<i>mane</i>	prōi	ind

incise	<i>insecō</i>	ghelō	intr
incision	<i>incisiō</i>	bhθrmā	
incite	<i>sollicitō</i>	θrghējō	tr
incite	<i>incitō</i>	trenkō	tr
inclined	<i>prōnus</i>	nīqos	adII
include	<i>inclūdō</i>	glembhō	cau
increase	<i>augmentum</i>	augmθn	neu
increase	<i>augō</i>	augō	cau
indeed	<i>quippe</i>	qidpe	ind
indication	<i>indicātiō'</i>	deiktis	fem
indulge in	<i>indulgeō</i>	dhθlgējō	intr
infere	<i>dēdūcō</i>	densō	tr
inferior	<i>inferior</i>	nīteros	adI
inflate	<i>inflor</i>	bhleidō	intr
inflate	<i>infō</i>	pusjō	tr
inform	<i>ēnuntiō</i>	steumi	tr
insect	<i>insectus</i>	empis	fem
inside	<i>in</i>	endo	ind
inside	<i>intus</i>	entós	ind
inside	<i>interior</i>	ētθr	mas
insipid	<i>insipidus</i>	merwos	
inspect	<i>inspiciō</i>	skewō	tr
insult	<i>insultō</i>	pējō	tr
intellect	<i>intellectus</i>	menmθn	neu
intelligence	<i>sensus</i>	sθnstus	
intelligent	<i>callidus</i>	glēkis	adI
intend	<i>intendō</i>	mθnsjomói	neu
internal	<i>interior</i>	éteros	adI
interval	<i>interuallum</i>	éterom	neu
intestine	<i>intestīnus</i>	éteros	adI
intestine	<i>intestīna</i>	ghoros	mas
intestiones	<i>intestīnum</i>	routos	mas
invoke	<i>inuocō</i>	kiklēsķō	tr
iron	<i>ferrum</i>	isarnom	neu
irritate	<i>irritō</i>	prousijō	intr
island	<i>insula</i>	enslā	fem

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item	<i>item</i>	itim	ind
iuxta	<i>close to</i>	p̄ra	ind
ivy	<i>hedera</i>	khéderos	fem
jaws	<i>fauces</i>	gopos	mas
join	<i>iungō</i>	jungō	tr
joint	<i>artus</i>	artus	mas
joint	<i>artus</i>	koubos	mas
joke	<i>nuga</i>	ghloumos	
joke	<i>nugor</i>	ghleumi	intr
journey	<i>itō</i>	itājō	freq
joy	<i>gaudium</i>	gauthjom	neu
joyful	<i>alacer</i>	rōdos	adI
judge	<i>iudex</i>	jousdiks	adII
juice	<i>succus</i>	sapos	fem
juice	<i>sūcus</i>	soukos	mas
jump	<i>saltō</i>	rebhājō	intr
jump	<i>saltō</i>	dhérnumoi	intr
jump	<i>saliō</i>	leigō	intr
juniper	<i>picea</i>	lentos	fem
juniper	<i>iuniperus</i>	toksos	fem
just	<i>iūstus</i>	joustos	adI
keel	<i>carīna</i>	kareinā	fem
keep	<i>conseruō</i>	bherghō	tr
keep	<i>praeseruō</i>	kadhō	tr
key	<i>clāuis</i>	klāws	fem
kidney	<i>rēnis</i>	negrhōn	mas
kill	<i>necō</i>	nékāmi	tr
kin	<i>genus</i>	genos	neu
kindness	<i>beneficium</i>	prósēdjom	neu
king	<i>rex</i>	regs	mas
kingdom	<i>regnum</i>	regnom	neu
kingly	<i>regius</i>	regjos	adII
kiss	<i>basium</i>	kusis	mas
kiss	<i>sauia</i>	sówijā	fem
kiss	<i>osculō</i>	bhusājō	tr
knead	<i>commisceō</i>	bheurō	tr

knead	<i>depsō</i>	debhō	tr
knee	<i>genū</i>	genu	neu
knee	<i>genuflector</i>	teupō	inc
knock	<i>battuō</i>	bheldō	intr
knot	<i>nōdus</i>	nōdos	mas
knot	<i>nodus</i>	osbhos	mas
know	<i>nōscō</i>	(gí)gnōskō (gnōwa)	tr
know	<i>sciō</i>	skijō	tr
known	<i>nōtus</i>	gnōtós	adI
lack	<i>egeō</i>	egējō	den
lack	<i>careō</i>	k̄sējō	den
lack	<i>dēsum</i>	meitō	den
ladder	<i>scāla</i>	skandslā	fem
ladle	<i>trua</i>	trowā	fem
lake	<i>lacus</i>	ágherom	neu
lake	<i>lacus</i>	laqos	mas
lamb	<i>agnus</i>	agnos	mas
lamb	<i>ueruēx</i>	w̄rēn	mas
lame	<i>claudus</i>	klaudos	adI
lamp	<i>lampās</i>	lapsā	fem
land	<i>ager</i>	agros	mas
land	<i>campus</i>	kampos	mas
land	<i>regiō</i>	londhom	neu
land	<i>terra</i>	oud̄n	neu
land estate	<i>fundus</i>	kāpos	mas
landlady	<i>domina</i>	dómūnā	fem
landlord	<i>dominus</i>	dómūnos	mas
lap	<i>gremium</i>	gremjom	neu
lapwing	<i>uanellus</i>	cówijā	fem
large fish	<i>squalus</i>	sqalos	mas
last	<i>ultimus</i>	ópitjos	adII
last	<i>porstrēmus</i>	póst̄mos	sup
last year	<i>anno praeterito</i>	péruti	ind
late	<i>tarde</i>	lodi	neu
later	<i>posterus</i>	pósteros	adI
laugh	<i>cachinnus</i>	khákhatnos	mas

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laugh	<i>rīdeō</i>	wðrisdējō	intr
law	<i>lēx</i>	legs	fem
law	<i>iūs</i>	jous	neu
lax	<i>salmō</i>	loksos	mas
lay	<i>strāmðn</i>	strāmðn	
lazy	<i>pīger</i>	leskos	adI
lead	<i>dūxī</i>	nijóm	
lead	<i>plumbum</i>	plúwaidhom	neu
lead	<i>addūcō</i>	wedhō	tr
leader	<i>dux</i>	deuks	and
leaf	<i>folium</i>	bhuljom	neu
leaf	<i>folium</i>	leups	mas
lean	<i>nītor</i>	gneichō	intr
leap	<i>saltus</i>	rebhā	fem
leap	<i>saltō</i>	kekō	intr
learn	<i>dīscō</i>	didkskō	tr
leather	<i>corium</i>	korjom	neu
leave	<i>linquō</i>	linqō	tr
leek	<i>porrum</i>	pðrsom	neu
left	<i>laeūs</i>	laiwos	adII
left	<i>sinister</i>	soujós	adII
left-handed	<i>scaeuus</i>	skaiwós	adI
leg	<i>crus</i>	kanmā	fem
leg	<i>crūs</i>	krous	neu
legal suit	<i>lis</i>	stlitis	fem
legbent	<i>uatius</i>	watjos	adI
legitimate	<i>legitimus</i>	tðnktos	adI
lend	<i>commodō</i>	gherō	tr
lend	<i>commodātus</i>	loiqnom	neu
length	<i>longitudō</i>	dðlðnghotā	fem
leprosy	<i>leprae</i>	trudskā	fem
less	<i>minus</i>	mínusi	ind
less	<i>sētius</i>	séetjosi	
lessen	<i>minuō</i>	sewājō	prog
leuer	<i>uectis</i>	weghtis	fem
lick	<i>lingō</i>	linghō	tr

lie	<i>iaceō</i>	keimoi	inc
lie	<i>cubō</i>	kúbāmi	den
lie	<i>mentior</i>	leughō	intr
lie	<i>occubō</i>	leghō	den
lie open	<i>pateō</i>	pðtējō	den
life	<i>uita</i>	cejtā	fem
lifetime	<i>saeculum</i>	saitlom	neu
ligament	<i>ligāmen</i>	tenos	neu
light	<i>leuis</i>	lðnghros	adI
light	<i>leuis</i>	leghús	adI
light	<i>lux</i>	leuks	fem
light	<i>lūmen</i>	leuksmðn	neu
lighting	<i>illuminātiō</i>	bhānom	
like	<i>libet (mihi)</i>	lubhējō	tr
lily	<i>lilium</i>	leiljom	neu
limb	<i>membrum</i>	karōn	fem
lime	<i>calx</i>	kalkis	
lime	<i>tilia</i>	leipā	fem
limit	<i>līmes</i>	bhrēunā	neu
limp	<i>claudicō</i>	skðngjō	intr
line	<i>linea</i>	streibā	fem
line	<i>stria</i>	strigjā	fem
link	<i>nōdō</i>	nedō	tr
link	<i>ligō</i>	wédhnumi	tr
lion	<i>leō</i>	wlewā	fem
lip	<i>labrum</i>	ghelnom	neu
lip	<i>labrum</i>	lðbjom	neu
lip	<i>labrum</i>	mēknos	mas
liquid	<i>latex</i>	latēks	mas
liquid	<i>serum</i>	serom	neu
liquid	<i>liquor</i>	wðleiqos	neu
liquid (to be)	<i>liqueō</i>	wðliqējō	den
list	<i>seriēs</i>	rēimðn	neu
listen	<i>audiō</i>	kleumi	neu
little	<i>paucus</i>	paukos	adI
little owl	<i>noctua</i>	warnā	fem

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live	<i>uūō</i>	cejwō	dur
liver	<i>iecur</i>	jeqθr	neu
load	<i>onus</i>	onos	neu
lobster	<i>langusta</i>	kθmertos	mas
lock	<i>cirrus</i>	ghrendhos	neu
lock of hair	<i>crīnis</i>	pulgā	fem
lofty	<i>excelsus</i>	mlōdhrós	adI
long	<i>longus</i>	dθlθnghos	mas
long for	<i>aeō</i>	ghaidhō	tr
long hair	<i>caesariēs</i>	káisθrjēs	fem
longer time	<i>diutius</i>	peros	ind
long-lasting	<i>sērus</i>	sēros	adI
look	<i>speciō</i>	spekjō	tr
look like	<i>uideor</i>	prepō	intr
loom	<i>textrīnum</i>	weimθn	neu
lot	<i>copia</i>	koupnā	fem
lot	<i>cumulus</i>	teusmθn	neu
lotus	<i>lotus</i>	kémeros	fem
loud	<i>penetrans</i>	torós	adI
louse	<i>pedis</i>	lousēn	fem
love	<i>amō</i>	kāmi	tr
love	<i>amō</i>	stergō	tr
love	<i>amor</i>	wenos	neu
love	<i>amō</i>	amājō	tr
love potion	<i>uenēnum</i>	wenēsnom	neu
lovely	<i>cārus</i>	koimos	adI
lovely	<i>cārus</i>	leubhos	adI
lower	<i>inferus</i>	nérteros	adII
luck	<i>fortūna</i>	toughā	fem
lung	<i>pulmō</i>	pleumōn	mas
luxury	<i>sumptus</i>	ghloidos	mas
lynx	<i>lynx</i>	louksos	mas
magic	<i>magicus</i>	kudnos	adI
magic	<i>uenēficiumj</i>	soitos	mas
magic force	<i>magia</i>	kwedos	neu
magnanimous	<i>magnanimus</i>	mθgnánθmos	adI

magpie	<i>pīcus</i>	peikos	mas
maid	<i>uirgō</i>	ándhesā	fem
maim	<i>truncō</i>	skutājō	tr
make afraid	<i>terreō</i>	tersējō	intr
make bitter	<i>acerbō</i>	streubhō	tr
make hot	<i>foueō</i>	dhochējō	cau
make money	<i>lucror</i>	pelō	tr
make noise	<i>strepō</i>	bhelō	intr
make noise	<i>strepō</i>	strepō	intr
make up	<i>perspiciō</i>	dθrkjō	tr
male	<i>mās</i>	wersis	mas
man	<i>homō</i>	dhghomōn	mas
man	<i>homō</i>	mánnusos	mas
man	<i>uir</i>	woiros	mas
mane	<i>crīnis</i>	krisnis	fem
manner	<i>modus</i>	koitús	fem
mantle	<i>sagum</i>	sagom	neu
maple	<i>acer</i>	ákeris	fem
maple	<i>acer</i>	kleinos	fem
march	<i>itus</i>	cθmtis	fem
march	<i>itus</i>	oimos	mas
mare	<i>equa</i>	ekwā	fem
marrow	<i>medulla</i>	smerwā	fem
marry	<i>nūbō</i>	sneubhō	tr
marsh	<i>mariscus</i>	máreskos	mas
mass	<i>globus</i>	kōmos	mas
mass	<i>mōlēs</i>	mōlis	fem
mass	<i>massa</i>	sloidhos	mas
massacre	<i>trucidatiō</i>	agrā	fem
mast	<i>mālus</i>	masdos	neu
master	<i>dominus</i>	potis	mas
mate	<i>collēga</i>	bhendhros	mas
mate	<i>sodālis</i>	dāmos	mas
mattock	<i>ligō</i>	sligōn	mas
maxilla	<i>maxilla</i>	genus	neu
mead	<i>mel</i>	medhu	neu

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meager	<i>petilus</i>	pétðlos	adI
measure	<i>mensūra</i>	mestis	fem
measure	<i>mensūra</i>	metrom	neu
measure	<i>modus</i>	modos	neu
measure	<i>metior</i>	mēmi	tr
measure	<i>mētior</i>	mētjomoī	tr
meat	<i>carō</i>	memsom	ðneu
meet	<i>congređior</i>	katsájomoī	intr
meet	<i>accurrō</i>	mimđō	inc
meeting	<i>congregātiō</i>	komnom	neu
melodious	<i>melodicus</i>	bhendos	adI
melt	<i>tābēscō</i>	tādhēskō	intr
memory	<i>memoria</i>	menos	neu
memory	<i>memoria</i>	smemorjā	fem
mention	<i>mentiō</i>	mðntos	mas
mention	<i>allūdō</i>	cotējō	tr
metal	<i>metallum</i>	raudos	neu
midday	<i>meridiēs</i>	médhidjōws	mas
middle	<i>medius</i>	medhjos	adII
middle (in the)	<i>ob</i>	obhi	ind
middling	<i>sublestus</i>	leswos	adI
might	<i>potestās</i>	maghtis	fem
mild	<i>mitis</i>	loisós	adI
mild	<i>comēs</i>	moilos	adI
milk	<i>lac</i>	glakti	neu
milk	<i>mulgeō</i>	molgējō	tr
mill	<i>molīna</i>	moleinā	fem
millet	<i>milium</i>	meljom	neu
millstone	<i>mola</i>	cðráwenros	mas
mind	<i>mens</i>	mðntis	fem
miracle	<i>mirāculum</i>	smeirātloṃ	neu
miserable	<i>miser</i>	treughos	adI
missing	<i>absente</i>	sðnterí	ind
mist	<i>uapor</i>	mighlā	fem
mistletoe	<i>uiscum</i>	wiskom	neu
mistress	<i>domīna</i>	potnjā	fem

mix	<i>misceō</i>	miskējō	cau
mix	<i>permisceō</i>	krāmi	tr
model	<i>fiṅgō</i>	dhinghō	tr
modest	<i>modestus</i>	nesros	adI
molder	<i>putēscō</i>	pujō	inc
moment	<i>mōmentum</i>	mēqos	neu
money	<i>pecūnia</i>	alchos	mas
monster	<i>monstrum</i>	ansus	mas
month	<i>mēnsis</i>	mēnsis	mas
moo	<i>muḡiō</i>	muḡijō	intr
moon	<i>lūna</i>	louksnā	fem
more	<i>magis</i>	mðgsi	ind
more than that	<i>immō</i>	immō	adII
morning	<i>mane</i>	amros - amrei	mas
morning	<i>matina</i>	wēsros	mas
mortar	<i>mortārium</i>	mðrtāsjom	neu
moss	<i>muscus</i>	muskos	
mother	<i>mamma</i>	ammā	fem
mother	<i>māter</i>	mātéer	fem
mother-in-law	<i>socrus</i>	swekrús	fem
motley	<i>uarius</i>	pðrknos	adI
mould	<i>fūtis</i>	gheutis	fem
mound	<i>tumulus</i>	tumlós	mas
mount	<i>scandō</i>	skandō	dur
mountain	<i>mons</i>	ceri	neu
mountain	<i>mons</i>	pérkunjom	neu
mountain-path	<i>callis</i>	kðldis	fem
mouse	<i>glis</i>	gleis	mas
mouse	<i>mūs</i>	meus	neu
mouth	<i>ōs</i>	os	neu
mouthful	<i>bucca</i>	bukkā	fem
move	<i>cieō</i>	ðrnumi	intr
move	<i>moueō</i>	djejō	intr
move	<i>mutō</i>	meicō	intr
move	<i>moueō</i>	mowējō	cau
move	<i>migrō</i>	pelkō	intr

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move away	<i>spernō</i>	spðrnō	cau
movement	<i>mōmentum</i>	ðrnutis	fem
much	<i>multum</i>	pelu	ind
mucus	<i>mūcus</i>	moukos	
mud	<i>caenum</i>	korkos	adI
mud	<i>līmus</i>	leimos	mas
mud	<i>lutum</i>	mūtrom	neu
mud	<i>lūtum</i>	penom	neu
mud	<i>līmus</i>	sleimos	mas
multitude	<i>copiae</i>	luktos	mas
mundane	<i>mundānus</i>	cécālos	adI
murder	<i>interficiō</i>	chenmi	tr
murmur	<i>murmurō</i>	dðrðrājō	intr
murmur	<i>murmurō</i>	mðrmrājō	
muscle	<i>mūsculus</i>	kīkus	mas
muscle	<i>mūs</i>	meus / muskós	neu
must	<i>mustus</i>	mudstos	mas
mutilate	<i>mutilō</i>	kersō	tr
mutilated	<i>mutilus</i>	klambós	adI
mutter	<i>muttiō</i>	muttijō	den
mutual	<i>mutuus</i>	moitwos	adII
myop	<i>myops</i>	neukos	adI
mystery	<i>mysterium</i>	kelgā	fem
nail	<i>clāuus</i>	klawos	mas
nail	<i>clāuus</i>	onghlos	mas
nail	<i>pangō</i>	pðngō	tr
naked	<i>nūdus</i>	nócodos	adII
name	<i>nōmen</i>	nōmðn	neu
name	<i>praenōmen</i>	práinōmðn	neu
name	<i>nōmīnō</i>	kðlējō	tr
name	<i>nōmīnō</i>	nōmnājō	tr
nates	<i>natis</i>	nðtis	fem
navel	<i>umbīlicus</i>	onbhlos	mas
near	<i>propinquus</i>	nedjos	adI
near	<i>prope</i>	proqēd	ind
neck	<i>ceruix</i>	knokos	mas

neck	<i>collus</i>	mongos	fem
neck	<i>ceruix</i>	monos	mas
neck	<i>collum</i>	kolsos	mas
need	<i>necesse est</i>	ðnkējō	tr
needle	<i>acus</i>	akos	neu
neighbour	<i>uīcīnus</i>	épijos	adII
nest	<i>nīdus</i>	nisdos	mas
net	<i>rēte</i>	grebhos	mas
net	<i>nassa</i>	nedsā	fem
nettle	<i>urtica</i>	nedis	fem
network	<i>gerra</i>	gersā	fem
never	<i>nunquam</i>	neqom	ind
new	<i>noūs</i>	new(ij)os	adI
nigh	<i>propinquus</i>	proqos	adI
night	<i>nox</i>	noqtis	neu
night bird	<i>strīx</i>	streigs	fem
nightmare	<i>somnus terrorificus</i>	morā	fem
nine	<i>nouem</i>	newðn	ind
ninth	<i>nouenus (nōnus)</i>	néwðnos	adII
nipple	<i>tetta</i>	spēnos	mas
nit	<i>ouum</i>	sknidā	fem
no	<i>nē</i>	nē	ind
noble	<i>nōbilis</i>	atlos	adI
noble	<i>nōbilis</i>	mðglos	adI
nobody, nothing	<i>nemō, nihil</i>	neqis, neqid	pron
nod	<i>nuō</i>	newō	intr
noisy	<i>strepitosus</i>	bholós	adI
nord	<i>septentriō</i>	skouros	mas
nose	<i>nārēs</i>	nāsis	fem
not	<i>haud</i>	ghawōd	ind
not	<i>nē</i>	mē	ind
not at all	<i>nequaquam</i>	nei	ind
nourish	<i>alō</i>	alō	
now	<i>nunc</i>	nū	
now	<i>nunc</i>	numki	ind
nut	<i>nux</i>	knouks	fem

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oak	<i>robus</i>	aigā	fem
oak	<i>quercus</i>	perqos	fem
oak tree	<i>quercus suber</i>	grōbhos	fem
oakum	<i>stūpā</i>	stoupā	fem
oar	<i>rēmus</i>	retsmos	mas
oat	<i>auēna</i>	awignā	fem
oath	<i>sacramentum</i>	loughjom	neu
oath	<i>sacrāmentum</i>	oitos	mas
obedience	<i>oboedientia</i>	kleustis	fem
obey	<i>oboediō</i>	kleusō	tr
obscurity	<i>obscuritās</i>	temos	neu
observe	<i>seruō</i>	sōrwājō	tr
observe	<i>tueor</i>	tēwomoi	tr
occipital	<i>occipitium</i>	molhā	fem
occupation	<i>cūra</i>	koisā	fem
odor	<i>odor</i>	odós	mas
of this side	<i>citer</i>	kíteros	adI
oil	<i>oleum</i>	solpos	mas
oint	<i>unguō</i>	oncō	tr
oint	<i>linō</i>	linō	tr
ointment	<i>unguen</i>	oncēn	neu
old	<i>senex</i>	gerlós	adI
old	<i>senex</i>	senēks	mas
old (to become)	<i>sēnēscō</i>	gerō	prog
omoplate	<i>scapulae</i>	skubtis	fem
on	<i>insuper</i>	epi	ind
on account of	<i>causā</i>	rōdhí	ind
once	<i>semel</i>	semli	ind
one	<i>ūnus</i>	oinos	adII
one	<i>ūnus</i>	semos	mas
one-eyed	<i>unioculis</i>	kolnos	adII
onion	<i>caepa</i>	kaipā	fem
onion	<i>caepa</i>	krémusom	neu
open	<i>aperiō</i>	werjō	tr
open land	<i>rūs</i>	rows	neu
opening	<i>caula</i>	kaghlā	fem

opinate	<i>censeō</i>	kōnsējō	tr
opinion	<i>sententia</i>	dhōmós	mas
oppress	<i>angō</i>	amghō	tr
oppress	<i>opprimō</i>	ipjō	
or	<i>aut</i>	awti	ind
or	<i>ue</i>	we	encl
oral	<i>buccale</i>	goulos	mas
orange	<i>badius</i>	badjos	adI
order	<i>ordō</i>	kerdhos	mas
orphan	<i>orbus</i>	orbhos	adII
otherwise	<i>autem</i>	awtim	ind
otherwise	<i>altrinsecus</i>	perti	ind
otter	<i>lutra</i>	wōdrā	fem
our	<i>noster</i>	ōnserós	adII
out	<i>ex</i>	uti, ud	neu
outdoors	<i>forās</i>	rew	ind
outside	<i>ex</i>	ek(sí)	
over	<i>super</i>	(s)úperi	ind
over	<i>super</i>	uperi	ind
over there	<i>ultrā</i>	oltrōd	ind
owen	<i>fornus</i>	uqnós	mas
owl	<i>noctua</i>	káwonā	fem
own	<i>possideō</i>	ghōbhējō	tr
ox	<i>bos</i>	uksōn	and
pain	<i>dolor</i>	edunā	
pain	<i>dolor</i>	kormos	mas
paint	<i>pingō</i>	pingō	tr
palate	<i>palātum</i>	stōmōn	neu
pale	<i>tenuis</i>	bhlendhos	adI
palisade	<i>uallum</i>	edhār	neu
palm	<i>palma</i>	pōlmā	fem
panic	<i>horror</i>	mórmoros	mas
parent	<i>genitor</i>	gentór	mas
part	<i>pars</i>	aitis	fem
part	<i>pars</i>	pōrtis	fem
parterre	<i>lira</i>	leisā	fem

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particle	<i>particula</i>	bhrustóm	neu
partridge	<i>perdix</i>	kákabā	fem
pass	<i>perambulō</i>	trepō	tr
pass	<i>transeō</i>	jāmi	intr
passage	<i>trāiectiō</i>	teqom	neu
path	<i>sēmita</i>	sentos	neu
patient	<i>patiens</i>	tlātjos	adI
paunch	<i>pantex</i>	pōndēks	mas
pause	<i>cessātiō</i>	rowā	fem
pay attention	<i>faveō</i>	ghowējō	tr
pea	<i>cicer</i>	kikēr	mas
peace	<i>pax</i>	pags	fem
pebble	<i>calculus</i>	ghrowā	fem
pee	<i>uriina</i>	moighos	mas
peel	<i>glūbō</i>	gleubhō	tr
peg	<i>cippus</i>	kippos	mas
penetrate	<i>penetrō</i>	neghō	tr
penis	<i>pēnis</i>	bhalnós	mas
penis	<i>pēnis</i>	lalu	ind
penis	<i>mūtō</i>	moutos	mas
penis	<i>pēnis</i>	pesnis	mas
penis	<i>pēnis</i>	poutos	mas
penthouse	<i>cēnaculum</i>	kéliknom	neu
penury	<i>lack</i>	loigós	mas
people	<i>populus</i>	teutā	fem
people	<i>uulgus</i>	wolgos	neu
pepper	<i>piper</i>	píperi	neu
perch	<i>perca</i>	dhghusā	fem
perfect	<i>perfectus</i>	kómsqǫrtos	adI
perform	<i>efficiō</i>	sénumi	tr
perhaps	<i>forsan</i>	an	ind
period	<i>aetas</i>	áiwesos	mas
permissive	<i>permissiuius</i>	mǫldhos	adI
persecute	<i>persequor</i>	wǫrnāmi	tr
persecute	<i>persequor</i>	jeghō	tr
perspire	<i>spirō</i>	spoisājō	intr

phantom	<i>phasma</i>	lemsos	mas
pickaxe	<i>sacēna</i>	sǫkesnā	fem
piece	<i>fragmentum</i>	pǫrsnā	fem
pig	<i>porcus</i>	porkos	mas
pig	<i>sūs</i>	sews	mas
pig	<i>porcus</i>	trogos	mas
pike	<i>ueru</i>	ceru	neu
pile	<i>acerūs</i>	ákeswos	mas
pile	<i>sublīca</i>	kolnom	neu
pile up	<i>struō</i>	strewō	tr
pillage	<i>diripiō</i>	wélumi	tr
pillar	<i>sublicā</i>	stobhos	mas
pin down	<i>siffilō</i>	gangō	intr
pin down	<i>carinō</i>	karnājō	tr
pinetree	<i>pīnus</i>	bharwos	fem
pinetree	<i>abiēs</i>	dhanwos	fem
pink	<i>rosaceus</i>	elwos	
pinnaele	<i>pinaculus</i>	stertos	mas
pintle	<i>cnodax</i>	bendlā	mas
pipe	<i>canna</i>	strudsmā	fem
piss	<i>mingō</i>	minghō	intr
pit	<i>maciō</i>	mākājō	cau
pit	<i>scrobis</i>	skrobhis	fem
pitch	<i>pix</i>	peiks	fem
place	<i>locus</i>	stānom	neu
place	<i>locus</i>	stlokos	mas
place	<i>sinō</i>	sinō	tr
place	<i>condō</i>	stānējō	tr
plait	<i>plectō</i>	plektō	tr
plait	<i>plectō</i>	resgō	tr
plane	<i>ēfodiō</i>	glabhō	tr
planet	<i>planēta</i>	rewis	mas
planitiēs	<i>campus</i>	plātom	neu
plate	<i>lamina</i>	stlāmǫn	neu
platform	<i>catasta</i>	stātlom	neu
plea	<i>prex</i>	preks	fem

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pleasant	<i>amoenus</i>	seljos	adI
pleasant	<i>suavis</i>	swādús	adI
pleasant	<i>amoenus</i>	moghjos	adI
pleasantly	<i>libenter</i>	ghornim	ind
plough	<i>arātrum</i>	arātrom	neu
plough	<i>arō</i>	arājō	tr
plough animal	<i>iūmentum</i>	aghjā	fem
plough handle	<i>stīua</i>	steiwā	fem
ploughshare	<i>uomer</i>	wogsmis	
pluck	<i>uellicō</i>	gnebhō	tr
plum	<i>prunum</i>	sloiwom	neu
plump	<i>crassus</i>	kratsos	
pod	<i>siliqua</i>	gherghros	fem
pod	<i>siliqua</i>	skðliqā	fem
poet	<i>uatēs</i>	wātis	mas
point	<i>punctus</i>	ardis	fem
point	<i>cuspis</i>	glōghis	fem
poison	<i>uenēnum</i>	woisos	mas
pole	<i>asser</i>	pēlwis	fem
pole	<i>pertica</i>	pertā	fem
policeman	<i>tresuir</i>	worós	mas
polish	<i>līmō</i>	sleimājō	tr
pond	<i>lacus</i>	stagnom	neu
ponder	<i>medeor</i>	médomoi	intr
poodle	<i>lāma</i>	lāmā	fem
pool	<i>stagnum</i>	staknom	neu
poor	<i>pauper</i>	ormos	adI
poppy	<i>papauer</i>	mákōn	mas
porridge	<i>puls</i>	poltos	mas
portico	<i>antae</i>	antās	
portico	<i>porticus</i>	pðrgā	fem
portion	<i>portiō</i>	bhagos	mas
position	<i>status</i>	stðtus	mas
post	<i>mēta</i>	mētā	fem
post	<i>sparus</i>	sparos	mas
posterity	<i>subolēs</i>	trogchos	mas

pot	<i>aula</i>	auqslā	fem
pot	<i>catinus</i>	kumbhā	fem
potter wheel	<i>tornus</i>	dhroghnom	neu
pouch	<i>crumēna</i>	makēn	mas
pour	<i>fundō</i>	ghundō	cau
power	<i>potentia</i>	galnos	mas
powerful	<i>potens</i>	kúwðros	adI
praise	<i>laus</i>	loudis	mas
praise	<i>superbia</i>	molpā	fem
praise	<i>laudō</i>	cerō	tr
pray	<i>rogō</i>	chedhō	tr
pray	<i>precor</i>	meldhō	intr
pray	<i>ōrō</i>	ōrājō	tr
prayer	<i>prex</i>	modalhos	mas
precarious	<i>precārius</i>	dúsōpis	adI
preceding	<i>anterior</i>	preistos	adI
precipitate	<i>praecipitor</i>	krepō	intr
precision	<i>subtilitās</i>	nomðr	neu
predator	<i>praedator</i>	dhaunos	adI
prepare	<i>praeparō</i>	adējō	tr
presence	<i>praesentia</i>	weidos	neu
present	<i>praesens</i>	práiloghos	adII
press	<i>premō</i>	bhríkāmi	tr
press	<i>imprimō</i>	dhenghō	tr
press	<i>premō</i>	premō	tr
press	<i>premō</i>	presō	tr
press tightly	<i>comprimō</i>	kamō	tr
prevail	<i>praeualeō</i>	cínāmi	intr
previous	<i>praecēdens</i>	kintos	adII
previous	<i>anterior</i>	préwijos	adI
price	<i>pretium</i>	pretjom	neu
prick	<i>centrum</i>	kentrom	neu
prickle	<i>agna</i>	aknā	fem
prickle	<i>spīna</i>	speiksnā	fem
priest	<i>flāmen</i>	bhlaghmðn	neu
priest	<i>sacerdos</i>	sákrodhots	mas

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principal	<i>prīmus</i>	promos	sup
productive	<i>fēlix</i>	dhēlēiks	adI
profession	<i>ars</i>	kerdos	neu
profit	<i>compendium</i>	bhēwedā	fem
progeny	<i>progeniēs</i>	teukmθn	neu
promise	<i>spondeō</i>	spondējō	tr
promontory	<i>promontoriu m</i>	akrom	neu
promontory	<i>tumulus</i>	prostos	mas
promote	<i>foueō</i>	káknumi	tr
property	<i>possessiō</i>	rentus	fem
property	<i>possessiō</i>	selwā	fem
propice	<i>idōneus</i>	sinísteros	adI
propiety	<i>rēs</i>	rēis	fem
prosper	<i>maturō</i>	mājō	prog
protect	<i>tueor</i>	alkējō	tr
protect	<i>protegō</i>	pālājō	tr
protest	<i>querēla</i>	glaghá	fem
proud	<i>superbus</i>	bhorsos	adI
proud	<i>superbus</i>	meudos	adI
prove	<i>probō</i>	probhwājō	tr
provide	<i>asportō</i>	porējō	cau
provide	<i>parō</i>	sepō	tr
provision	<i>prouisiō</i>	penos	neu
pubescent	<i>pūbes</i>	mθrjos	mas
pulse	<i>erūm</i>	ercom	neu
pumice	<i>pūmex</i>	poimēiks	mas
punch	<i>pungō</i>	pungō	tr
puncture	<i>figō</i>	dheicō	tr
punish	<i>puniō</i>	membhō	tr
punishment	<i>poena</i>	woinā	fem
pure	<i>castus</i>	kθstos	adI
pure	<i>pūrus</i>	powros	adI
pus	<i>pūs</i>	puwos	neu
push	<i>agō</i>	agō	cau
push	<i>impellō</i>	kelō	tr
pustule	<i>pustula</i>	pustlā	fem

put	<i>ponō</i>	dhejō	tr
put	<i>pōnō</i>	stelō	tr
put forth	<i>prodō</i>	próddōmi	tr
put in order	<i>ordinō</i>	tagjō	tr
put off	<i>exuō</i>	nocējō	cau
put on	<i>mentior</i>	mθntíjomoι	tr
quadruped	<i>quadrupēs</i>	qθtwθrpods	adII
qualify	<i>qualificō</i>	tādējō	tr
queen	<i>regīna</i>	regeinā	fem
question	<i>quaestiō</i>	pθrkskā	fem
quick	<i>celer</i>	peimis	adI
quick	<i>uelox</i>	twθrtos	adI
quickly	<i>citō</i>	bhersι	ind
raffle	<i>sortior</i>	kleutō	tr
rag	<i>pannus</i>	kentom	mas
rag	<i>pannus</i>	pannos	mas
rage	<i>rabō</i>	rθbhjō	intr
rain	<i>pluō</i>	plewō	intr
rain	<i>pluuia</i>	plówijā	fem
raise	<i>tollō</i>	tθlnō	tr
ram	<i>ariēs</i>	agós	mas
ram	<i>ariēs</i>	erjos	mas
range	<i>ordinō</i>	kerdhō	tr
range	<i>ordinō</i>	réknumi	tr
rank	<i>agmen</i>	agmθn	neu
raven	<i>raucus</i>	korwos	adI
raw	<i>crūdus</i>	ōmós	adI
ray	<i>radium</i>	rθdjom	neu
raze	<i>rādō</i>	gneibhō	tr
razor	<i>nouācula</i>	ksnowātlā	fem
reach	<i>apīscor</i>	θpjō	inc
reach	<i>ic(i)ō</i>	aikō	tr
reach	<i>ic(i)ō</i>	ikjō	tr
realise	<i>percipiō</i>	pretō	tr
reap	<i>metō</i>	metō	tr
reason	<i>ratiō</i>	rθtis	fem

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reason	<i>arguō</i>	argujō	tr
receive	<i>accipiō</i>	tekō	tr
receive	<i>accipiō</i>	ghəndō	tr
recent	<i>recens</i>	kainós	adI
recitate	<i>recitō</i>	spelō	intr
reckon	<i>reor</i>	rēmoi	neu
reckon	<i>computō</i>	puwējō	tr
recline	<i>accumbō</i>	kumbō	intr
recommend	<i>suādeō</i>	swādējō	cau
red	<i>rūber</i>	dherghos	adI
red	<i>ruber</i>	rudhrós	adI
red (-haired)	<i>rūfus</i>	reudhos	adI
red ochre	<i>minium</i>	miljom	neu
reduce	<i>minuō</i>	mínumi	cau
region	<i>pagus</i>	pagos	mas
rejoice	<i>gaudeō</i>	gaudhējō	intr
rejoice oneself	<i>delector</i>	túsjomoi	intr
relative	<i>familiāris</i>	pāsós	mas
relative	<i>familiāris</i>	sweljos	mas
relax	<i>requiescō</i>	remō	intr
relief	<i>podium</i>	podjom	neu
religion	<i>religiō</i>	perístānom	neu
remain	<i>maneō</i>	mənjō	den
remain (water)	<i>remaneō</i>	stagō	den
remaining	<i>reliquus</i>	loiqós	adII
remember	<i>memini</i>	mímnāskō (memna)	intr
remnant	<i>reliquiae</i>	atiloiqos	mas
renew	<i>nouō</i>	newājō	tr
renowned	<i>nōbilis</i>	mōros	adI
rent	<i>locō</i>	keusō	tr
repair	<i>sarciō</i>	sərkijō	tr
repellent	<i>repellens</i>	aghlós	adI
replication	<i>effigēs</i>	aimom	neu
reprove	<i>orbiurgō</i>	kudājō	intr
reputation	<i>reputātiō</i>	kléuməntom	neu
request	<i>quaerō</i>	áisoskō	tr

require	<i>postulō</i>	bhedhō	intr
residence	<i>sedēs</i>	sedos	neu
resin	<i>bitūmen</i>	cetus	mas
resin	<i>resīna</i>	peitus	mas
resonate	<i>tonō</i>	tónāmi	intr
resound	<i>personō</i>	boukājō	intr
resound	<i>resonō</i>	gewō	intr
respect	<i>uereor</i>	wəréjomoi	tr
rest	<i>requiescō</i>	ermi	intr
rest	<i>quiēscō</i>	qejēskō	intr
rest	<i>requiescō</i>	təlijō	den
restrict	<i>obstringō</i>	strengō	
result	<i>ēueniō</i>	tenkō	prog
retain	<i>retineō</i>	dhermi	tr
retaliation	<i>ulciscātiō</i>	qoiná	fem
retire	<i>sēcēdō</i>	spleighō	intr
revenge	<i>represalia</i>	apóqoitis	fem
rheum	<i>grāmiaie</i>	grammā	fem
rheum	<i>lippa</i>	lippā	fem
rhyme	<i>rīma</i>	reimā	fem
rib	<i>costa</i>	kostā	fem
ribbon	<i>taenia</i>	tenā	fem
rich	<i>dīues</i>	deiwots	adI
riches	<i>ops</i>	ops	mas
ride	<i>equitō</i>	reidhō	tr
right	<i>dexter</i>	déksteros	adII
right	<i>rectus</i>	regtós	mas
right way	<i>uía recta</i>	jeunis	fem
rigid (to be)	<i>stupeō</i>	stupējō	den
ring	<i>anus</i>	anos	mas
ring	<i>anus</i>	krenghos	mas
rite	<i>ritus</i>	admən	neu
river	<i>flūius</i>	dānus	mas
river ford	<i>uadum</i>	wadhom	neu
road	<i>uia</i>	kelus	fem
roam	<i>uagor</i>	wəgájomoi	intr

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roar	<i>gemitus</i>	dhrēnos	mas
roar	<i>rugiō</i>	rugijō	intr
roaring	<i>fremitus</i>	ghromos	mas
rob	<i>fūror</i>	sterō	tr
rock	<i>rūpēs</i>	kárrēkā	fem
rock	<i>saxum</i>	ondos	neu
rock	<i>rūpēs</i>	pelsā	fem
rock	<i>trepidō</i>	kθrdjō	intr
rod	<i>uirga</i>	cosdhos	mas
rod	<i>lituus</i>	litwos	mas
rod	<i>ferula</i>	slatā	fem
roebuck	<i>gazella</i>	jorkos	mas
roe-deer	<i>alcēs</i>	alkis	mas / fem
roof	<i>tectus</i>	robhos	mas
room	<i>cubiculum</i>	kētjā	fem
root	<i>rādix</i>	rādēiks	fem
root	<i>rādix</i>	wθrdjā	fem
rope	<i>restis</i>	resgtis	fem
rope	<i>retinaculum</i>	sognos	mas
rotten	<i>cariēs</i>	kθrjēs	fem
rough	<i>rudis</i>	bhorcos	adI
rough	<i>raucus</i>	brenghos	adI
rough	<i>rudis</i>	dθmpus	adI
row	<i>rēmō</i>	rējō	intr
rowan tree	<i>sorbus</i>	sorbhos	fem
rub	<i>mulceō</i>	melkō	tr
rub	<i>teirō</i>	terjō	tr
rubber	<i>glūtinum</i>	gloidos	mas
rubbish	<i>immunditia</i>	ceudhos	neu
rubbish	<i>sordēs</i>	swordis	fem
rudder	<i>tēmō</i>	oisjā	fem
rude	<i>rudis</i>	rudlós	adI
ruin	<i>ruina</i>	rēwesnā	fem
ruin	<i>ruinō</i>	rikjō	tr
rule	<i>imperō</i>	wθldhējō	tr
ruler (in	<i>uirga</i>	stolbos	mas

topography)			
rūmen	<i>rūmen</i>	reusmθn	neu
ruminare	<i>rūminō</i>	reusmnājō	intr
rummage	<i>rūspor,</i>	ruspájomoi	
rumor (to produce)	<i>rūmorem faciō</i>	reumi	
run	<i>currō</i>	bhecō	intr
run	<i>currō</i>	dhewō	
run	<i>currō</i>	dremō (dídrāmi)	intr
run	<i>currō</i>	kθrsō	tr
run	<i>currō</i>	retō	intr
run around	<i>circumcurrō</i>	dhreghō	intr
run away	<i>ēcurrō</i>	teqō	intr
rush	<i>agitātiō</i>	sretus	mas
rust	<i>rōbīgō</i>	roudhstos	mas
rye	<i>sēcale cereāle</i>	wθrughis	mas
ryegrass	<i>lolium</i>	airā	fem
sack	<i>saccus</i>	coinos	mas
sacrifice	<i>sacrificium</i>	sákrodhokjom	neu
sad	<i>maestus</i>	creughos	adI
sad	<i>tristis</i>	gorgós	adI
sad	<i>tristis</i>	treistis	adI
sadness	<i>tristitia</i>	gorgnóm	neu
sailor	<i>nauta</i>	nawāgós	epic
saint	<i>sanctus</i>	kadros	adII
salary	<i>sālārium</i>	misdhom	neu
saliva	<i>salīua</i>	saleiwā	fem
salt	<i>sāl</i>	sāli	neu
salt	<i>sallō</i>	saldō	cau
sanctuary	<i>sanctuārium</i>	némētom	neu
sand	<i>sabulum</i>	samdhos	mas
sand/gravel	<i>saburra</i>	pēnsús	mas
sandal	<i>sandalia</i>	pedlom	neu
saucer	<i>patera</i>	pθterá	fem
say	<i>dīcō</i>	seqō	tr
scabies	<i>scabiēs</i>	skabhjēs	fem
scald-crow	<i>corūs</i>	bhodhwos	mas

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scale	<i>squāma</i>	bhrounóm	neu
scandal	<i>scandalum</i>	bhloskos	mas
scant	<i>insignificans</i>	mḏnwos	adI
scanty	<i>exiguus</i>	sneitos	adI
scar	<i>cicatrix</i>	kíkātrēiks	fem
scar	<i>cicātrix</i>	krenktis	fem
scatter	<i>dispergor</i>	skedō	intr
scene	<i>pulpitus</i>	polpos	mas
scold	<i>obiurgō</i>	lājō	tr
scorch	<i>accendō</i>	dáwnumi	tr
scrape	<i>abrādō</i>	gneidō	tr
scrape off	<i>abrādō</i>	greumō	tr
scrape out	<i>abrādō</i>	reubō	intr
scratch	<i>charaxō</i>	gḏrbhō	tr
scratch	<i>scabō</i>	gredō	tr
scratch	<i>ērōdō</i>	meukō	tr
scratch	<i>scabō</i>	skabhō	tr
scrath out	<i>desculpō</i>	meilō	tr
scream	<i>clamō</i>	waplājō	den
scythe	<i>falx</i>	dhēlgs	fem
sea	<i>mare</i>	mari	neu
sea	<i>mare</i>	tríjḏtos	mas
seabream	<i>sparus aurata</i>	atis	fem
seal	<i>phoca</i>	swelāks	mas
seam	<i>sūtūra</i>	sewmḏn	neu
season	<i>tempus</i>	jōrom	neu
seat	<i>sella</i>	sedlā	fem
seat	<i>solium</i>	sodjom	neu
second	<i>secundus</i>	dwóteros	adII
second	<i>secundus</i>	éteros	adII
second	<i>secundus</i>	ónteros	adII
secret	<i>secrētum</i>	rounā	fem
secrete	<i>abdō</i>	músnāmi	tr
secretion	<i>secrētīō</i>	seimḏn	neu
sect	<i>secta</i>	wereinā	fem
sedge	<i>ulua</i>	olwā	fem

sedge	<i>spartum</i>	sesqos	fem
see	<i>uideō</i>	dḏrkō	tr
see	<i>uideō</i>	oqō	tr
see	<i>uideō</i>	welō	tr
see	<i>uideō</i>	widējō	tr
seed	<i>sēmen</i>	sēmḏn	neu
seek	<i>sāgiō</i>	sāgijō	tr
seen	<i>uisus</i>	dḏrktis	fem
seesaw	<i>oscillō</i>	sweigō	prog
seeside	<i>litus</i>	leitos	neu
seize	<i>captō</i>	ghreibhō	tr
self	<i>sui</i>	sewe	igen es
sell	<i>uēnum</i>	wesnom	neu
send	<i>mittō</i>	smeitō	tr
send	<i>mittō</i>	sontējō	cau
send away	<i>amandō</i>	īljō	tr
separate	<i>sē</i>	wī	ind
separate	<i>sēparō</i>	derō	tr
serpent	<i>natrix</i>	natrēiks	fem
servant	<i>serūs</i>	ambhíqolos	mas
serve	<i>fungor</i>	bhúncomoi	intr
service	<i>seruitium</i>	upóstānom	neu
set	<i>instaurō</i>	staurējō	tr
set out	<i>orior</i>	ḏrijomoi	inc
settle	<i>sēdō</i>	sēdājō	cau
seven	<i>septem</i>	septḏm	ind
seventh	<i>septimus</i>	séptḏmos	adII
sew	<i>suō</i>	sewō	tr
sewer's awl	<i>sūbula</i>	sūdhlā	fem
shackle	<i>uinciō</i>	winkijō	tr
shadow	<i>umbra</i>	skotos	mas
shake	<i>agitor</i>	kreitsō	intr
shake	<i>agitō</i>	krotjājō	tr
shake	<i>quatīō</i>	qḏtjō	tr
shaker	<i>mixtarium</i>	mḏnkstrom	neu
shall	<i>debeō</i>	skelō	tr

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shameful	<i>puḍendus</i>	kaunós	adI
sharing	<i>socius</i>	sokjos	mas
sharp	<i>acer</i>	akris	adI
sharp	<i>acūtus</i>	gigrós	adI
sharp	<i>picans</i>	pikrós	adI
sharpen	<i>exacuō</i>	(kí)kēmi	tr
shatter	<i>disrumpō</i>	bhresjō	tr
shave	<i>abrādō</i>	ksnowājō	tr
shave	<i>rādō</i>	rādō	rac
shave	<i>tondeō</i>	tondējō	tr
sheath	<i>uagīna</i>	wageinā	fem
sheep	<i>ouis</i>	owis	fem
shelf	<i>pluteus</i>	skolpos	mas
shell	<i>concha</i>	konkhā	fem
shepherd	<i>pāstor</i>	pōimōn	mas
sherd	<i>scrūpus</i>	skroupos	mas
shield	<i>tegō</i>	rebhō	tr
shield	<i>scūtum</i>	skoitom	neu
shift	<i>permutātiō</i>	mejtis	fem
shimmer	<i>fulgeō</i>	bhθlgējō	den
shin-bone	<i>tibia</i>	teibhjā	fem
shine	<i>splendeō</i>	erqō	intr
shine	<i>luceō</i>	bhrēgō	intr
shine	<i>splendeō</i>	dhelō	intr
shine	<i>luceō</i>	lukējō	den
shine	<i>niteō</i>	nitējō	den
shine	<i>luceō</i>	skejō	den
ship	<i>nāuis</i>	nāws	fem
ship	<i>nāuis</i>	plowós	mas
shirt	<i>camisia</i>	kθrdsus	fem
shit	<i>merda</i>	coucis	fem
shit	<i>excrēmentum</i>	dherghs	fem
shit	<i>merda</i>	skerdā	fem
shit	<i>merda</i>	smerdā	fem
shit	<i>stercus</i>	sterkos	neu
shit	<i>stercus</i>	sterkos	neu

shiver	<i>tremō</i>	tresō	
shoe	<i>calceus</i>	kerpjós	mas
shoot	<i>disparō</i>	selgō	tr
shoot	<i>ēmittō</i>	skeudō	tr
shore	<i>ripa</i>	áperos	mas
short	<i>breuis</i>	mθrghús	mas
shoulder	<i>umerus</i>	omsos	mas
shoulder-blades	<i>scapulae</i>	pletjā	fem
show	<i>monstrō</i>	deikō	tr
shrew	<i>sorēx</i>	sworēx	
shriek	<i>crociō</i>	krokijō	intr
shuttle	<i>agitō</i>	kristājō	cau
sibling	<i>fraterculans</i>	sθmópθtōr	epi
sickle	<i>falcicula</i>	sθrpā	fem
side	<i>latus</i>	splighstós	mas
side	<i>latus</i>	stlātos	mas
sieve	<i>cribrum</i>	kreidhrom	neu
sieve	<i>colum</i>	sējdhlom	neu
sieve	<i>crinō</i>	krinō	tr
sieve	<i>cōlō</i>	sējō	tr
silent	<i>silens</i>	tausos	adI
silent (to be)	<i>sileō</i>	silejō	intr
silent (to be)	<i>taceō</i>	tθkējō	inc
silently	<i>silenter</i>	tausnim	ind
silver	<i>argentum</i>	árgθntom	neu
similar	<i>similis</i>	sθmlis	adI
simple	<i>merus</i>	meros	adI
sincere	<i>sincērus</i>	θndwojos	adI
sing	<i>canō</i>	kanō	intr
sing	<i>canō</i>	senchō	intr
single	<i>ūnicus</i>	óinoikos	adII
sink	<i>mergō</i>	mergō	cau
sink	<i>mergō</i>	senqō	inc
sip	<i>lambō</i>	lθmbō	tr
sip	<i>sorbeō</i>	sorbhējō	tr
sir		arjos	

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sir	<i>dominus</i>	audhos	mas
sister	<i>soror</i>	swesōr	fem
sister-in-law	<i>glōs</i>	glōs	fem
sister's son	<i>sobrīnus</i>	swesreinos	mas
sit	<i>sedeō</i>	sedējō	den
sit down	<i>sīdō</i>	sisdō	intr
site	<i>situs</i>	loghjom	neu
six	<i>sex</i>	seks / sweks	ind
sixth	<i>sextus</i>	sektos	adII
skeleton	<i>larua</i>	skroutos	mas
skillful	<i>habilis</i>	dhabhros	mas
skin	<i>cutis</i>	kutis	mas
skin	<i>pellis</i>	pelnis	fem
skirt	<i>falda</i>	baitā	fem
slack	<i>ēneruis</i>	mīnós	adI
slanting	<i>obliquus</i>	loksós	adI
slate	<i>ardesia</i>	lēwanks	fem
slave	<i>seruos</i>	dōsos	mas
sleep	<i>somnus</i>	swopnos	mas
sleep	<i>dormiō</i>	sesmi	
sleep	<i>dormiō</i>	swepō	dur
sleep	<i>traversa</i>	swelom	neu
slender	<i>gracilis</i>	kōrklos	adI
slender	<i>macer</i>	makrós	adI
slip	<i>labor</i>	slábomoi	intr
slip	<i>prolabor</i>	sleibō	
slip	<i>prolabor</i>	sleubō	inc
slip in	<i>irrēpō</i>	sméughnumi	tr
sloe	<i>prūnus spinōsa</i>	dherghnos	fem
slope	<i>clinō</i>	klóināmi	cau
slow	<i>lentus</i>	mōlsos	mas
slow	<i>tardus</i>	tárudos	adI
small	<i>parūs</i>	alpos	adI
small	<i>exigūs</i>	gherús	
small	<i>paruus</i>	paulos	adI
small pillar	<i>columella</i>	skolmā	fem

smaller	<i>minor</i>	meiwijós	adI
smell	<i>oleō</i>	bhrōgrājō	den
smell	<i>olō</i>	odējō	tr
smell	<i>olfaciō</i>	sísghrāmi	tr
smell good	<i>fragrō</i>	swekō	intr
smile	<i>arrideō</i>	smejō	intr
smog	<i>turbulentia</i>	sneudhs	fem
smoke	<i>fūmus</i>	dhoumos	mas
smoke	<i>fūmus</i>	smoughos	mas
smoke	<i>fūmō</i>	smeughō	intr
smooth	<i>glaber</i>	rastós	adI
smooth	<i>explanō</i>	sleigō	
snail	<i>cochlea</i>	sleimāks	mas
snake	<i>anguis</i>	enchis	fem
snake	<i>coluber</i>	kélodhros	mas
snake	<i>serpens</i>	snoghā	
snappy	<i>transpuntori us</i>	swerwos	adI
snare	<i>laqueus</i>	merghā	fem
snatch	<i>rapiō</i>	rōpjō	tr
sneeze	<i>sternuō</i>	stérnumi	intr
snore	<i>sternuō</i>	srenkō	intr
snore	<i>stertō</i>	stertō	intr
snow	<i>nix</i>	sneighs	fem
snow	<i>ninguit</i>	sníncheti	den
so	<i>ita</i>	ita	ind
so	<i>etenim</i>	mān	ind
so	<i>num</i>	nom	ind
so many	<i>tot</i>	tot(j)ōs	adII
so much	<i>tantus</i>	táwōntos	pron
sob	<i>hippitō</i>	gheipō	intr
soft	<i>mollis</i>	mōldus	adI
soften	<i>mollīō</i>	mōlduwijō	tr
softened	<i>ēmollitus</i>	mōldsnos	adI
soil	<i>solum</i>	bhudhmōn	neu
soldier	<i>milēs</i>	neros	mas
solid	<i>solidus</i>	dhobos	adI

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solid	<i>solidus</i>	māterós	mas
solidify	<i>solidificō</i>	greutō	intr
someone	<i>quisquis</i>	neqos	pron
someone	<i>ecquis</i>	edqis, edqid	pron
son	<i>filius</i>	sūnus	mas
song	<i>carmen</i>	kanmθn	neu
son-in-law	<i>gener</i>	gemros	mas
soon	<i>mox</i>	moksi	ind
soot	<i>fūligo</i>	dhoulis	
soot	<i>fuligō</i>	sotos	mas
sorrow	<i>maestitia</i>	croughnos	adI
soul	<i>animus</i>	etmθn	neu
sound	<i>sonitus</i>	dhwonos	mas
sound	<i>clangō</i>	klθngō	intr
sound	<i>sonō</i>	swénāmi	intr
soup	<i>ius</i>	supā	fem
sour	<i>amārus</i>	amrós	adI
sour	<i>acerbus</i>	sauros	adI
sow	<i>porca</i>	trogjā	fem
sow	<i>serō</i>	segō	tr
sow	<i>serō</i>	sisō	tr
sowing	<i>segēs</i>	segēts	fem
space	<i>spatium</i>	ghewos	es
spade	<i>pāla</i>	laghā	fem
sparrow	<i>parra</i>	parsā	fem
sparrow	<i>parra</i>	sparwos	mas
speak	<i>for</i>	bhāmoi	intr
speak	<i>loquor</i>	tlóqomoi	intr
speak	<i>loquor</i>	wíweqmi	tr
spear	<i>gaesum</i>	ghaisom	neu
spear	<i>hasta</i>	lostos	mas
spearshaft	<i>hasta</i>	ghastā	fem
speckled	<i>uarius</i>	bhθrktos	adI
speckled	<i>uarius</i>	mθrktos	adI
speech	<i>contiō</i>	θgtis	fem
speechless	<i>mutus</i>	muttis	adI

spelt	<i>ador</i>	ados	neu
spelt	<i>alica</i>	alēiks	
spend	<i>impendō</i>	neudō	tr
spend the night	<i>pernoctō</i>	awō	dur
spill	<i>effundō</i>	seikō	tr
spill	<i>effundō</i>	sujō	tr
spin	<i>neō</i>	snēmi	tr
spit	<i>spuō</i>	spewō	intr
splash	<i>respergō</i>	persō	intr
spleen	<i>lien</i>	spelghā	fem
splendid	<i>splendidus</i>	ghléiwos	adI
split	<i>fragmentum</i>	dθrnos	mas
split	<i>abiungō</i>	delō	tr
split	<i>scindō</i>	skθljō	tr
split	<i>scindō</i>	skerjō	tr
split	<i>scindō</i>	skindō	tr
split	<i>secō</i>	spleidō	tr
spoil	<i>ruinō</i>	deusō	tr
spoon	<i>ligula</i>	leiglā	fem
spot	<i>macula</i>	kālis	fem
spray	<i>ros</i>	ros	mas
spread	<i>sternō</i>	stθrnō	tr
spread	<i>mānō</i>	mānājō	intr
spring	<i>fons</i>	lendhā	fem
spring	<i>uēr</i>	wēsθr	neu
spring	<i>saliō</i>	sθljomoi	inc
spring	<i>scatō</i>	skatō	inc
spring	<i>exsultō</i>	skerō	intr
sprout	<i>germinō</i>	geimō	intr
sprout	<i>uireō</i>	wisējō	den
spurn	<i>contemnō</i>	tembhō	tr
square	<i>quadrum</i>	qθddrom	neu
squeak	<i>pipiō</i>	pipjājō	intr
squeeze	<i>exprimō</i>	wēsķō	tr
stab	<i>baculum</i>	pinjos	neu
stab	<i>talea</i>	tālejā	fem

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stable	<i>stābilis</i>	stārós	adI
stain	<i>maculō</i>	dherkō	cau
stain	<i>macula</i>	smitlā	fem
stain	<i>maculō</i>	sméenumi	inc
stalk	<i>calamus</i>	kólθmos	mas
stalk	<i>tibia</i>	tibhjá	neu
stall	<i>stābulum</i>	stādhlom	neu
stamp on	<i>conculcō</i>	stembhō	tr
stand	<i>stō</i>	(sí)stāmi	intr
standing post	<i>statiō</i>	stōtis	fem
star	<i>stella</i>	sterlā	fem
star	<i>stella</i>	steros	mas
star	<i>sīdus</i>	sweidos	neu
stare	<i>intueor</i>	stelpō	intr
start	<i>functionem incipiō</i>	dherbhō	inc
stay	<i>maneō</i>	wesō	den
steady	<i>fīrmus</i>	dhθrmos	adI
steal	<i>clepō</i>	klepō	tr
steal	<i>fūrōr</i>	tājō	tr
steam	<i>uapor</i>	bholos	mas
steam up	<i>uaporō</i>	dhemō	intr
steep	<i>ardūs</i>	θrdhwos	adI
steep	<i>clūs</i>	kloiwos	adI
step	<i>gradus</i>	cāmθn	neu
step	<i>uadō</i>	ghenghō	intr
step	<i>gredior</i>	ghrθdjomói	dur
sterile	<i>sterilis</i>	stérolis	adI
stick	<i>pīlum</i>	ghaisom	neu
stick	<i>uirga</i>	spōnos	mas
stick	<i>stīpēs</i>	steipēts	fem
stick	<i>pālus</i>	stupos	mas
stick	<i>pālus</i>	sworos	mas
stick	<i>haereō</i>	ghaisējō	den
stick	<i>adhaerō</i>	glínāmi	intr
stick	<i>adhaerō</i>	koljō	tr
stick	<i>haereō</i>	limpō	den

stick	<i>instigō</i>	stigājō	tr
sticky	<i>glutinoosus</i>	gloijós	adI
still	<i>dum</i>	dom	ind
stink	<i>foeteō</i>	smerdō	intr
stir up	<i>torqueō</i>	mendhō	tr
stock	<i>dēpositō</i>	kreumi	tr
stone	<i>lapis</i>	akmōn	mas
stone	<i>lapis</i>	lθpods	mas
stone	<i>saxum</i>	sθksom	neu
stool	<i>scamnus</i>	skabhnom	neu
stop	<i>dētineō</i>	stāwō	tr
stop	<i>strigō</i>	strigājō	intr
stop up	<i>obtuurō</i>	teurō	tr
stork	<i>ciconia</i>	kíkōnjā	fem
storm	<i>imber</i>	θmbhros	mas
storm	<i>procella</i>	twoimos	mas
story	<i>historia</i>	kleutrom	neu
strain	<i>adnītor</i>	kemō	intr
strainer	<i>colum</i>	rēti	neu
strap	<i>infula</i>	telsmθn	neu
strap	<i>lōrum</i>	wθlōrom	
straw	<i>palea</i>	pálejā	fem
stream	<i>flūmen</i>	bhleugsmθn	neu
stream	<i>amnis</i>	bhoglā	fem
stream	<i>cursus</i>	sroumos	
street	<i>uīa</i>	stoighos	mas
strenght	<i>uis</i>	belom	neu
strength	<i>uis</i>	weis	neu
strengthen	<i>corroborō</i>	dherghō	tr
stretched	<i>tentus</i>	tθntos	adI
strew	<i>spargō</i>	spargō	tr
strick	<i>fūnis</i>	dhōunis	mas
strike	<i>tundō</i>	bhínāmi	tr
strike	<i>mulceō</i>	bhreukō	tr
strike	<i>percellō</i>	keldō	tr
strike	<i>plangō</i>	plθngō	tr

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strike	<i>tundō</i>	tundō	tr
strike	<i>caedō</i>	wedhskō	tr
string	<i>corda</i>	strengom	
string	<i>fūnis</i>	tentrom	neu
stroll	<i>ambulō</i>	alájomoi	intr
strom	<i>fluxus</i>	srewtis	fem
strong	<i>robustus</i>	bélowents	neu
strong	<i>robustus</i>	melos	adI
strong	<i>robustus</i>	nertos	adI
study	<i>studium</i>	stoudjom	neu
stuff	<i>farcio</i>	bhðrkjō	tr
stumble	<i>titubō</i>	stemō	intr
stupid	<i>stultus</i>	mlākós	adI
stupid	<i>mōrus</i>	mōros	adI
stutter	<i>balbutiō</i>	lepō	intr
succeed	<i>eueniō benē</i>	bheughō	perf
success	<i>euentus</i>	kobom	neu
such	<i>tālis</i>	tālis	adII
suck	<i>sūgō</i>	seugō	tr
suck	<i>sūgō</i>	dheimi	tr
suck	<i>sūgō</i>	mendō	tr
sudden	<i>repentinus</i>	abhnos	adI
suffer	<i>patior</i>	pðtjomói	tr
suitor	<i>procus</i>	prokós	mas
sulphur	<i>sulpur</i>	swelplos	neu
summer	<i>aestus</i>	ghrensmos	mas
summer	<i>aestas</i>	samos	mas
summit	<i>cacumen</i>	bhroigos	mas
summit	<i>culmen</i>	kolmðn	neu
sun	<i>sōl</i>	sáwel(jos)	
superior	<i>superior</i>	(s)úperos	adI
supplementar y	<i>complementā rius</i>	wíteros	adI
support	<i>destina</i>	leghtrom	mas
support	<i>fulciō</i>	bhðlkjō	tr
support	<i>sustineō</i>	steutō	tr
surname	<i>cognōmen</i>	kómnōmðn	neu

swamp	<i>palus</i>	palwóds	mas
swan	<i>olor</i>	elōr	mas
sway	<i>oscillō</i>	kēwējō	intr
sweat	<i>sūdō</i>	swoidājō	intr
sweet	<i>dulcis</i>	dðlkus	adI
swell	<i>tumefaciō</i>	bhreusō	cau
swell	<i>tumescō</i>	pankō	intr
swell	<i>salum</i>	salom	neu
swell	<i>tumefaciō</i>	swelājō	tr
swell	<i>turgeō</i>	turgējō	den
swelling	<i>tumōr</i>	cotlós	mas
swelling	<i>turgentia</i>	keulom	neu
swelling	<i>pannus</i>	panknos	
swelling	<i>papula</i>	paplā	fem
swelling	<i>turgentia</i>	pounā	fem
swift	<i>rapidus</i>	ōkús	adI
swim	<i>nō</i>	snāmi	intr
swindle	<i>dēcrēscō</i>	swendhō	prog
sword	<i>ensis</i>	ðnsis	mas
sword	<i>gladius</i>	kladjos	mas
syrup	<i>dēfrutum</i>	bhrwtom	
table	<i>tabula</i>	speltā	
tablet	<i>tabella</i>	klāros	mas
tablet	<i>līra</i>	loisā	fem
tail	<i>cauda</i>	doklom	mas
tail	<i>caudula</i>	dumbos	mas
tail	<i>cauda</i>	ersā	fem
tail	<i>cauda</i>	ersábhajom	neu
tail	<i>cauda</i>	pukos	mas
take	<i>emō</i>	emō	tr
take	<i>emō</i>	labhō	tr
take care	<i>cūrō</i>	swerghō	tr
take possession	<i>potior</i>	áinumoi	tr
talk	<i>garriō</i>	gálgaljō	intr
talk	<i>garriō</i>	garsijō	intr
tame	<i>cicur</i>	kékuros	adI

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tame	<i>domō</i>	dómāmi	tr
taste	<i>gustus</i>	geustis	fem
taste	<i>gustō</i>	gusnō	tr
team	<i>squadra</i>	lāwós	mas
tear	<i>lacrima</i>	dakrus	fem
tear	<i>lacerō</i>	lðkesājō	cau
tear	<i>rōdō</i>	rōdō	tr
tear off	<i>uellō</i>	weldō	tr
tearing	<i>lacerātiō</i>	lðkós	mas
teat	<i>tetta</i>	tettā	fem
technique	<i>ars</i>	teksnā	fem
teeth	<i>dentēs</i>	gombhos	mas
tell	<i>narrō</i>	jekō	tr
tell	<i>narrō</i>	wedō	tr
tell off	<i>obiurgātiō</i>	lámðntom	neu
temple	<i>templum</i>	temlom	neu
temple	<i>tempus</i>	tenjom	neu
ten	<i>decem</i>	dekðm	ind
tendon	<i>tendō</i>	kenklom	
tendril	<i>cincinnus</i>	olgjā	fem
tension (engine)	<i>tortmentum</i>	tórk mðntom	neu
termite	<i>tarmes</i>	tðrmos	mas
terrible	<i>terrens</i>	ghouros	adI
terror	<i>terror</i>	tersós	mas
that	<i>ut</i>	ei	ind
that	<i>ille illa illud</i>	elne elnā elnod	
that one	<i>iste</i>	oisos	adII
that, the one that	<i>is quis</i>	jos (je), jā, jod	rel
the other one	<i>alter</i>	álteros	adII
then	<i>deinde</i>	ðndha	ind
then	<i>tum</i>	tom	ind
then	<i>tunc</i>	tom-ke	ind
there	<i>ibī</i>	idhei	ind
therefore	<i>ergō</i>	ar	ind
therefore	<i>propterea</i>	tori	ind
thick	<i>densus</i>	dðnsus	adI

thigh	<i>poples</i>	morjods	mas
thigh	<i>perna</i>	touknā	fem
thin	<i>flaccus</i>	bhlakkos	adI
thin	<i>tenuis</i>	speimis	adI
thin	<i>tenuis</i>	tðnus	adI
thing	<i>rēs</i>	weqtis	fem
think	<i>cōgitō</i>	sðntējō	
thinnen	<i>tenuefaciō</i>	kakō	cau
third	<i>tertius</i>	tritjos	adII
thirst	<i>sitis</i>	tðrstis	fem
this	<i>hic haec hoc</i>	ghei-ke ghāi-ke ghod-ke	
this	<i>is, ea, id</i>	is, id	pron
this	<i>hic hae hoc</i>	ke kā kod (eke ekā ekod)	
this	<i>iste ista istud</i>	se/sos sā/sī tod	
thorn	<i>spīna</i>	sqijā	fem
thorn	<i>spīna</i>	tðrnā	fem
thousand	<i>mille</i>	smeighsli	neu
thrash	<i>studeō</i>	studējō	den
thread	<i>quālus</i>	koreibs	mas
threaten	<i>minor</i>	tercō	tr
threatening	<i>minax</i>	torcós	adI
three	<i>trēs</i>	trejes trija trísoros	adII
three in a go	<i>trīnī</i>	trisnós	
three times	<i>ter</i>	trīs	ind
throat	<i>guttur</i>	bhðrugs	mas
throat	<i>guttur</i>	gutðr	mas
through	<i>trāns</i>	trāntis	ind
throw	<i>iaceō</i>	jðkējō	den
throw	<i>iaciō</i>	supājō	tr
throw away	<i>abiciō</i>	celō	tr
thrush	<i>turdus</i>	tðrsdos	mas
thumb	<i>pollēx</i>	polnēks	mas
thunder	<i>tonitrus</i>	tontrom	neu
thunder	<i>tonitrum</i>	torsmðn	neu
thunderbolt	<i>fulmen</i>	meldhjā	

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thurify	<i>turificō</i>	kodejō	tr
thus	<i>sīc</i>	seike	ind
tick	<i>rihipicephalus</i>	deghā	fem
tick	<i>ricinus</i>	rekā	
tile	<i>tegula</i>	teglā	fem
time	<i>tempus</i>	daitis	fem
time	<i>uix</i>	qđrtus	mas
time	<i>tempus</i>	tempos	neu
time	<i>tempus</i>	wetos	neu
time before dawn	<i>antelucānum</i>	ánksitjom	neu
tire	<i>fatigō</i>	lđnchō	cau
tired	<i>lassus</i>	cđlénós	adI
to	<i>ad</i>	ana	ind
to another place	<i>aliō</i>	áljote	ind
today	<i>hodie</i>	edjēw	ind
toga	<i>toga</i>	togā	fem
together	<i>cunctim</i>	sđm	ind
tomb	<i>sepulcrum</i>	sépeltram	neu
tomorrow	<i>cras</i>	krasi	ind
tongue	<i>lingua</i>	denchā	fem
tongue-tied	<i>balbus</i>	balbos	adI
tool	<i>instrumentum</i>	kaplos	mas
tooth	<i>dens</i>	dentis	mas
top	<i>turbēn</i>	kōnos	mas
torch	<i>fax</i>	chēks	fem
torch	<i>taeda</i>	dáwētā	fem
torment	<i>cruciō</i>	cedhō	tr
torpid (to be)	<i>torpeō</i>	tđrpējō	den
tortoise	<i>testudō</i>	ghelus	fem
torture	<i>tormētō</i>	rigjō	tr
totality	<i>integritās</i>	solwotāts	fem
touch	<i>commoueō</i>	krēwō	tr
touch	<i>tangō</i>	palpājō	tr
touch	<i>tangō</i>	tđngō	tr
tough	<i>rudis</i>	raukos	adI

towards	<i>uersus</i>	anta	ind
towards	<i>uersus</i>	poti	ind
towards there	<i>eō</i>	totrēd	ind
towards this side	<i>citrō</i>	kitrōd	
towel	<i>mantellum</i>	tergslom	neu
tower	<i>turris</i>	tursis	fem
tower	<i>ēmineō</i>	mđnįjomo	omc
town	<i>oppidum</i>	dounom	neu
track	<i>indāgō</i>	pentō	tr
traitor	<i>prōditor</i>	prōdđtór	adII
trap	<i>laciō</i>	lđkjō	
trap	<i>pedica</i>	segnom	neu
trap	<i>capiō</i>	ségnumi	tr
travel	<i>iter facere</i>	kelujō	intr
tread	<i>calcō</i>	spđrāmi	
treat	<i>consuēscō</i>	drewō	tr
tremble	<i>tremō</i>	tremō	dur
trestle	<i>uara</i>	stoghos	mas
trouble	<i>cūra</i>	kādos	neu
trouble	<i>inquietō</i>	oghlējō	cau
trough	<i>potārium</i>	aldhōn	mas
trousers	<i>pantalōnus</i>	skousā	fem
trout	<i>tructa</i>	perknā	fem
true	<i>uērus</i>	wēros	adI
trunk	<i>truncus</i>	stđmnos	mas
trunk	<i>stirps</i>	stērps	mas
trust	<i>fīdō</i>	bheidhō	tr
try	<i>cōnōr</i>	kōnįjomo	inc
tube	<i>conductus</i>	aulos	fem
tube	<i>conductus</i>	rebhrus	mas
tuff of hair	<i>caesariēs</i>	wđltis	fem
tunic	<i>tunica</i>	ruktus	mas
tunnel	<i>cuniculus</i>	bolkos	mas
turban	<i>tiara</i>	wosis	mas
turfgrass	<i>agrostis</i>	smelgā	fem
turkey	<i>pavō</i>	téturos	mas

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turmoil	<i>tumultus</i>	túmolos	mas
turn	<i>gyrō</i>	derbhō	intr
turn	<i>reuertor</i>	kwerpō	inc
turn	<i>gyrescō</i>	swerbhō	inc
turn	<i>torqueō</i>	torqējō	cau
turn	<i>uertō</i>	wərtō	tr
turn	<i>uoluō</i>	welwō	tr
turn around	<i>circumeō</i>	witājō	intr
turned aside	<i>perperām</i>	pérperənks	ind
turnip	<i>rāpum</i>	rāpom	neu
twenty	<i>uīgintī</i>	dwidkəmtói	adII
twin	<i>geminus</i>	jemós	neu
twisted	<i>tortus</i>	lordós	adI
two	<i>duo</i>	dwou, dwāu, dwou	adII
two each	<i>bīnī</i>	dwīsnōs	lois
two times	<i>bis</i>	dwīs	lois
udder	<i>ūber</i>	ūdhər	neu
udder	<i>ūber</i>	ūdhros	adI
ugly	<i>foedus</i>	bhoidhos	adI
ugly	<i>foedus</i>	bhoidos	neu
ugly	<i>turpis</i>	tərrpis	adI
un-	<i>in-</i>	ən	ind
unbind	<i>luō</i>	luwō (lewō)	tr
uncle	<i>avunculus</i>	áwontlos	mas
uncle	<i>patruus</i>	pətrujós	mas
under	<i>sub</i>	sup	ind
under	<i>sub</i>	upo	ind
underly	<i>inferior</i>	əndherós	adI
understand	<i>intelligō</i>	peumi	tr
unexpected	<i>necopiinus</i>	nekopīnós	mas
unfair	<i>iniustus</i>	ənjoustos	adI
union	<i>coniunctiō</i>	kómjougos	mas
unjustice	<i>iuuria</i>	ənjousjom	neu
unknown	<i>ignōtus</i>	əngnōtós	adI
unmade	<i>infectus</i>	əndhētós	adII
unmuddy	<i>illimis</i>	ənsloimis	adII

until	<i>tenus</i>	teni	ind
uppest	<i>summus</i>	(s)upmos	sup
use	<i>ūsus</i>	bhreugtis	fem
uter	<i>úterus</i>	úderos	mas
valley	<i>uallis</i>	klopnis	fem
value	<i>ualor</i>	wertos	mas
vanish	<i>abeō</i>	ghdhínāmi	inc
vegetable	<i>olus</i>	chelwos	neu
vegetation	<i>uiridia</i>	dhalnā	fem
veil	<i>rīca</i>	wəreikā	fem
veil	<i>obumbrō</i>	gheughō	tr
vein	<i>uēna</i>	weisnā	fem
venerate	<i>ueneror</i>	áidomoi	tr
very	<i>per-</i>	abhro-	prae fix
vessel	<i>fiscus</i>	bhidhós	mas
vessel	<i>collectāculum</i>	kaukos	mas
veteran	<i>ueterānus</i>	gerwós	mas
vibrate	<i>uibrō</i>	wibrājō	cau
victim	<i>uictima</i>	wéiktomā	fem
victory	<i>uictoria</i>	seghos	mas
vigor	<i>alacer</i>	ghoilos	adI
vigor	<i>uigor</i>	wərgā	fem
vigorous	<i>uiridis</i>	súnoros	mas
village	<i>uīcus</i>	woikos	mas
vine	<i>uītis</i>	weitis	fem
vine-leaf	<i>pampinus</i>	pámponos	mas
violent	<i>uiolentus</i>	twoisós	adI
violet	<i>liueus</i>	sleiwos	adI
virginal	<i>uirginālis</i>	poughos	adI
virtue	<i>decus</i>	dekos	neu
vis-à-vis	<i>aduersum</i>	seqi	ind
viscose	<i>conglūtīnōsus</i>	cobhōn	adI
vision	<i>conspectus</i>	dərktis	fem
visitor	<i>uisitātor</i>	setis	epic
vivid	<i>uiuidus</i>	coikos	adI
vivid	<i>uiuidus</i>	ētros	adI

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voice	<i>uox</i>	woqs	fem
vomit	<i>uomō</i>	wémāmi	tr
vow	<i>uoueō</i>	wochējō	tr
vulture	<i>ūltur</i>	bhāsos	mas
vulture	<i>uultur</i>	cəlturós	mas
wade	<i>sūra</i>	sworā	fem
wake up	<i>expergiscōr</i>	bheudhō	inc
wake up	<i>expergiscor</i>	gerjō	intr
walk	<i>ambulō</i>	steighō	intr
walk	<i>uādō</i>	wadhō	intr
walk silently	<i>uadō</i>	selkō	intr
wall	<i>mūrus</i>	mākesjā	
wall	<i>uallum</i>	walnom	neu
wall	<i>moenia</i>	dhoighōs	mas
walls	<i>moenia</i>	moinja	neu
walnut	<i>nux</i>	knuwā	fem
wander	<i>errō</i>	ersājō	den
want	<i>delectō</i>	torpējō	cau
war	<i>bellum</i>	dsā	fem
warm	<i>formus</i>	chormos	adI
warm	<i>calefaciō</i>	cherō	tr
warm (bo be)	<i>tepeō</i>	tepējō	den
warmth	<i>tepor</i>	topnos	mas
warn	<i>moneō</i>	monējō	cau
warp	<i>inflectō</i>	keukō	dur
warrior	<i>milēs</i>	meilēts	mas
wart	<i>uerrūca</i>	wersmθn	neu
wash	<i>purgō</i>	klewō	tr
wash	<i>lauō</i>	lowō	tr
wash	<i>lauō</i>	neicō	tr
wasp	<i>uespa</i>	wopsā	fem
watcher	<i>uigil</i>	bhulkos	mas
water	<i>aqua</i>	aqā	fem
water	<i>aqua</i>	wedθr	neu
water	<i>aqua</i>	wodā	fem
water	<i>aqua</i>	wopjā	fem

water	<i>rigō</i>	préusnumi	tr
watercress	<i>berrum</i>	cérurom	neu
wave	<i>unda</i>	tusnā	fem
wave	<i>unda</i>	wθndā	fem
way	<i>iter</i>	itθr	neu
way	<i>uia</i>	pontis	mas
way	<i>uia</i>	tropos	mas
way	<i>uia</i>	weghjā	fem
we	<i>nōs</i>	wejes / weje	pron
weak	<i>dēbilis</i>	klamrós	adI
weak	<i>lēnis</i>	lēnis	
weaken	<i>dēbilitō</i>	mlājō	cau
weakness	<i>dēbilitas</i>	bhelu	neu
wealth	<i>substantia</i>	opnā	fem
weapon	<i>arma</i>	wedhθr	neu
wear	<i>gerō</i>	gesō	tr
weasel	<i>mustela</i>	kérberos	mas
weather	<i>tempus</i>	wedhrom	neu
weave	<i>texō</i>	kekō	
weave	<i>texō</i>	webhō	tr
weave	<i>texō</i>	wegō	tr
webbing	<i>ricinium</i>	wθréikonjom	neu
wedge	<i>cuneus</i>	kúnejos	mas
wedge	<i>cuneus</i>	tθrmēts	fem
weed	<i>runcō</i>	runkō	tr
weed	<i>sarriō</i>	sθrijō	
weep	<i>fleō</i>	bhlēmi	intr
weft	<i>trāma</i>	traghsmā	fem
weigh	<i>pendō</i>	kenkō	inc
weight	<i>pondus</i>	pondos	neu
well	<i>puteus</i>	bhrewθr	neu
well	<i>benē</i>	sū	lois
went	<i>ī</i>	ludhóm	intr
went	<i>ī</i>	sodóm	intr
west	<i>occidens</i>	éperom	neu
wet	<i>madidus</i>	molqos	adI

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wet	<i>madidus</i>	wosmós	adI
wet	<i>rigō</i>	rðgājō	tr
wet (to be)	<i>umeō</i>	uchējō	den
what	<i>qui quae quod</i>	qis qid	int
wheat	<i>far</i>	bhar	neu
wheat	<i>farīna</i>	bharseinā	fem
wheat	<i>frūmentum</i>	bhreugsmðn	neu
wheel	<i>rota</i>	dhroghós	fem
wheel	<i>rota</i>	rotā	fem
wheelrim	<i>cantus</i>	kantos	mas
whelp	<i>catulus</i>	kuwos	mas
whelp	<i>cattulus</i>	mondós	mas
when	<i>quandō</i>	qðmdō	int
when	<i>cum</i>	qom	ind
when	<i>cum</i>	jom	rel
whenever	<i>sī</i>	sei	neu
where	<i>unde</i>	qomde	ind
where	<i>ubī</i>	qodhei	int
where	<i>quō</i>	qōi	ind
where (rel)	<i>ūbī</i>	jodhei	rel
wherefore	<i>quapropter</i>	jori	rel
wherefrom	<i>unde</i>	qotrōd	ind
whether	<i>ecquī, -quae, -quod</i>	edqos, -qā, -qod	pron
whey	<i>sērum lactis</i>	misgā	fem
which	<i>quā</i>	qād	ind
which	<i>uter</i>	qóteros	dh ^o r
whine	<i>hirriō</i>	ghirrijō	intr
whip	<i>lepeō</i>	wðlepējō	den
whip	<i>flagellum</i>	werbos	neu
whirl	<i>gurgues</i>	cðrcots	mas
whirl	<i>turbō</i>	tworbhōn	fem
whirl	<i>contorqueō</i>	snerō	intr
whirlpool	<i>uertex</i>	dhwolsā	fem
whisper	<i>susurrō</i>	swerō	intr
whisper	<i>susurrō</i>	swrswrājō	intr
whistle	<i>sībilō</i>	sweighlājō	intr

whistle	<i>siffilō</i>	sweisdō	
white	<i>albus</i>	albhos	adI
white	<i>candidus</i>	kweitos	mas
white-stained	<i>candidē maculātus</i>	bhlōros	
whither	<i>quō</i>	qote	int
whither	<i>quō</i>	qotrēd	ind
who, which	<i>quī quae quod</i>	qos qā(i) qod	rel
whoever	<i>quisque</i>	qāqos	pron
whole	<i>tōtus</i>	solwos	adII
whore	<i>merētrix</i>	loutsā	fem
whore	<i>scortum</i>	skortom	neu
why ?	<i>cūr</i>	qori	ind
wicked	<i>improbis</i>	ðnprobhvos	adI
wide	<i>latus</i>	plākos	adI
wide	<i>amplus</i>	urús	adI
widely known	<i>satis constans</i>	wíklutom	adII
widow	<i>uidua</i>	wídhewā	fem
wife	<i>uxor</i>	sðmloghós	fem
wife	<i>uxor</i>	uksōr	fem
wild	<i>ferus</i>	cheros	adI
wild	<i>rudis</i>	reudos	adI
will	<i>uolō</i>	welmi	tr
willow	<i>salix</i>	widhos	fem
willow	<i>salix</i>	salēiks	fem
win	<i>uincō</i>	winkō	tr
wind	<i>uentus</i>	wentos	mas
wind	<i>contorqueō</i>	gergō	cau
wind	<i>torqueō</i>	wondhējō	cau
window	<i>fenestra</i>	louksā	fem
wine	<i>uīnum</i>	woinos	mas
wine-cask	<i>cupa</i>	kðlpros	mas
wing	<i>āla</i>	agslā	fem
wing	<i>āla</i>	peterós	mas
winnow	<i>ventilō</i>	neikō	tr
winter	<i>hiems</i>	ghjems	mas
wipe	<i>abrādō</i>	mðntrājō	tr

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wipe	<i>tergō</i>	tergō	tr
wire	<i>filum</i>	chislom	neu
wire	<i>fūnis</i>	weiros	mas
wise	<i>nāuus</i>	gnōwos	
witch	<i>uenēfica</i>	wikkā	fem
with	<i>cum</i>	kθmti	dh°r
with	<i>cum</i>	kom	ind
withdraw	<i>remoueō</i>	anjō	tr
wither	<i>uiēscō</i>	wijēskō	inc
without	<i>sine</i>	θneu	ind
withdraw	<i>cēdō</i>	kesdō	intr
witness	<i>testis</i>	tristis	adII
wolf	<i>lupus</i>	wθlqos	mas
wolf	<i>lupus</i>	wailós	mas
woman	<i>mulier</i>	cenā	fem
woman	<i>mulier</i>	morignā	fem
womb	<i>uterus</i>	colbhos	mas
wonder	<i>admīror</i>	sméiromoi	tr
wonderful	<i>mīrus</i>	smeiros	adI
wood	<i>lignum</i>	deru	neu
woodpecker	<i>pīca</i>	kikjā	fem
woodpecker	<i>pīca</i>	peikā	fem
woodpiece	<i>lignum</i>	skoidos	mas
woodworker	<i>lignārius</i>	tetkōn	mas
wool	<i>lāna</i>	wθlnā	fem
word	<i>uerbum</i>	wθrdhom	neu
work	<i>labos</i>	drātis	fem
work	<i>laborō</i>	drājō	intr
work	<i>opus</i>	opos	neu
work	<i>laborō</i>	wθrgjō	intr
work	<i>labos</i>	wergom	neu
workman	<i>operārius</i>	drātór	mas
world	<i>mundus</i>	dhoubnom	neu
worm	<i>lombrīcus</i>	longhros	mas
worm	<i>lombrīcus</i>	ochis	mas
worm	<i>uermis</i>	qθrmis	mas

worm	<i>uermis</i>	wormis	mas
worn	<i>gestāmen</i>	bhoros	mas
worry	<i>turbō</i>	mérnumi	tr
worse	<i>dēterius</i>	pedjós	adI II
worship	<i>uēneror</i>	aisō	tr
worthy	<i>dignus</i>	deknos	adI
wound	<i>ulcus</i>	elkos	neu
wound	<i>feriō</i>	chendō	cau
wound	<i>uulnerō</i>	swérnumi	tr
wrap	<i>inuoluō</i>	weipō	tr
wrap out	<i>ēuoluō</i>	werpō	tr
wrapping	<i>tegmen</i>	wélwθmen	neu
wrath	<i>ira</i>	eisā	fem
wring out	<i>ēguttō</i>	légnumi	tr
wrinkle	<i>rūga</i>	gorbos	mas
wrist	<i>manicula</i>	dornom	neu
write	<i>scribō</i>	skreibhō	tr
yarn	<i>glomus</i>	glomos	neu
yawn	<i>hiātus</i>	ghanos	neu
year	<i>annus</i>	atnos	mas
yell	<i>clamō</i>	klāmājō	intr
yellow	<i>flāūs</i>	bhlāwos	adI
yellow	<i>glaesus</i>	knakos	adI
yes	<i>certō</i>	jāi	ind
yesterday	<i>herī</i>	dhghesi	ind
yew	<i>taxus</i>	oiwos	fem
yoke	<i>iugum</i>	jugóm	neu
you	<i>tū</i>	tū	pron
you	<i>uōs</i>	juwes / juwe	pron
young	<i>iuuenis</i>	júwθnkos	adII
young	<i>iuuenis</i>	júwenis	adII
young	<i>iuuenis</i>	juwōn	adI
young goat	<i>haedus</i>	ghaidos	mas
youngster	<i>iuuenis</i>	machos	mas
youth	<i>iuuebtūs</i>	machotis	fem
youth	<i>iuuentus</i>	júwθntā	fem

APPENDIX II: PROTO-INDO-EUROPEAN PHONOLOGY

II.1. DORSALS: THE PALATOVELAR QUESTION

1. Direct comparison in early IE studies, informed by the *Centum-Satem* isogloss, yielded the reconstruction of three rows of dorsal consonants in Late Proto-Indo-European by Bezzenger (1890), a theory which became classic after Brugmann (*Grundriss*, 1879) included it in its 2nd Edition. The palatovelars **k^j*, **g^j*, and **g^{jh}* were supposedly [k]- or [g]-like sounds which underwent a characteristic phonetic change in the satemized languages – three original “velar rows” had then become two in all Indo-European dialects attested.

NOTE. It is disputed whether Albanian shows remains of two or three series (cf. Ölberg 1976, Kortlandt 1980, Pänzer 1982), although the fact that only the worst known (and neither isolated nor remote) IE dialect could be the only one to show some remains of the oldest phonetic system is indeed very unlikely.

After that original belief, then, The centum group of languages merged the palatovelars **k^j*, **g^j*, and **g^{jh}* with the plain velars **k**, **g**, and **g^h**, while the satem group of languages merged the labiovelars **k^w**, **g^w**, and **g^{wh}** with the plain velars **k**, **g**, and **g^h**.

NOTE. Such hypothesis would then support an evolution [*k^j*] → [**k**] of *Centum* dialects before **e** and **i**, what is clearly against the general tendency of velars to move forward its articulation and palatalize in these environments.

2. The existence of the palatovelars as phonemes separate from the plain velars and labiovelars has been disputed. In most circumstances they appear to be allophones resulting from the neutralization of the other two series in particular phonetic circumstances. Their dialectal articulation was probably constrained, either to an especial phonetic environment (as Romance evolution of Latin [k] before [e] and [i]), either to the analogy of alternating phonetic forms. However, it is difficult to pinpoint exactly what the circumstances of the allophony are, although it is generally accepted that neutralization occurred after **s** and **u**, and often before **r** or **a**; also apparently before **m** and **n** in some Baltic dialects

NOTE. The original allophonic distinction was disturbed when the labiovelars were merged with the plain velars. This produced a new phonemic distinction between palatal and plain velars, with an unpredictable alternation between palatal and plain in related forms of some roots (those from original plain velars) but not others (those from original labiovelars). Subsequent analogical processes generalized either the plain or palatal consonant in all forms of a particular root. Those roots where the plain consonant was generalized are those traditionally reconstructed as having “plain velars” in the parent language, in contrast to “palatovelars”.

Many PIE linguists still believe that all three series were distinct in Late Proto-Indo-European, although newest research show that the palatovelar series were a later phonetic development of certain

Satem dialects, later extended to others; this belief was originally articulated by Antoine Meillet in 1893, and was followed by linguists like Hirt (1899, 1927), Lehman (1952), Georgiev (1966), Bernabé (1971), Steensland (1973), Miller (1976), Allen (1978), Kortlandt (1980), Shields (1981), Adrados (1995), etc.

NOTE. There is, however, a minority who consider the labiovelars a secondary development from the pure velars, and reconstruct only velars and palatovelars (Kuryłowicz), already criticized by Bernabé, Steensland, Miller and Allen. Still less acceptance had the proposal to reconstruct only a labiovelar and a palatal series (Magnusson).

There is residual evidence of various sorts in the Satem languages of a former distinction between velar and labiovelar consonants:

- In Sanskrit and Balto-Slavic, in some environments, resonant consonants (denoted by *R*) become *iR* after plain velars but *uR* after labiovelars.
- In Armenian, some linguists assert that *k^w* is distinguishable from *k* before front vowels.
- In Albanian, some linguists assert that *k^w* and *g^w* are distinguishable from *k* and *g* before front vowels.

NOTE. This evidence shows that the labiovelar series was distinct from the plain velar series in Late PIE, and cannot have been a secondary development in the Centum languages. However, it says nothing about the palatovelar vs. plain velar series. When this debate initially arose, the concept of a phoneme and its historical emergence was not clearly understood, however, and as a result it was often claimed (and sometimes still is claimed) that evidence of three-way velar distinction in the history of a particular IE language indicates that this distinction must be reconstructed for the parent language. This is theoretically unsound, as it overlooks the possibility of a secondary origin for a distinction.

3. The original (logical) trend to distinguish between series of “satemizable” dorsals, called ‘palatovelars’, and “non-satemizable” dorsals, the ‘pure velars’, was the easiest explanation found by neogrammarians, who apparently opened a different case for each irregularity they found. Such an initial answer should be considered erroneous today, at least as a starting-point to obtain a better explanation for this “phonological puzzle” (Bernabé).

NOTE. “Palatals” and Velars appear mostly in complementary distributions, what supports their explanation as allophones of the same phonemes. Meillet (1937) establishes the contexts in which there are only velars: before **a, r**, and after **s, u**, while Georgiev (1966) states that the palatalization of velars should have been produced before **e, i, j**, and before liquid or nasal or **w + e, i**, offering statistical data supporting his conclusions. The presence of palatalized velar before **o** is then produced because of analogy with roots in which (due to the apophonic alternance) the velar phoneme is found before **e** and **o**, so the alternance **k^{je}/*k^o* would be leveled as **k^{je}/*k^{jo}*.

Arguments in favor of only two series of velars include:

A) The plain velar series is statistically rarer than the other two, is entirely absent from affixes, and appears most often in certain phonological environments (described above).

B) Alternations between plain velars and palatals are common in a number of roots across different “*Satem*” languages, where the same root appears with a palatal in some languages but a plain velar in others. This is consistent with the analogical generalization of one or another consonant in an originally alternating paradigm, but difficult to explain otherwise.:

- **ak/ok-**, *sharp*, cf. Lith. *akúotas*, O.C.S. *ostru*, O.Ind. *asrís*, Arm. *aseln*, but Lith. *asrùs*.
- **akmn-**, *stone*, cf. Lith. *akmuõ*, O.C.S. *kamy*, O.Ind. *ásma*, but Lith. *âsmens*.
- **keu-**, *shine*, cf. Lith. *kiáuene*, Russ. *kuna*, O.Ind. *Svas*, Arm. *sukh*.
- **b^hleg-**, *shine*, cf. O.Ind. *bhárgas*, Lith. *balgans*, O.C.S. *blagu*, but Ltv. *blâzt*.
- **g^herd^h-**, *enclose*, O.Ind. *grhá*, Av. *g^or^oda*, Lith. *gardas*, O.C.S. *gradu*, Lith. *zardas*, Ltv. *zârdas*.
- **swekuros**, *father-in-law*, cf. O.Sla. *svekry*, O.Ind. *śvaśru*.

B) The existence of different pairs (“*satemized*” and “*not-satemized*”) in the same language, as e.g.:

- **selg-**, *throw*, cf. O.Ind. *srjāti*, *sargas*
- **kau/keu-**, *shout*, cf. Lith. *kaukti*, O.C.S. *kujati*, Russ. *sova* (as Gk. *kauax*); O.Ind. *kauti*, *suka-*.
- **kleu-**, *hear*, Lith. *klausyti*, *slove*, O.C.S. *slovo*; O.Ind. *karnas*, *sruti*, *srósati*, *śrnóti*, *sravas*.
- **leuk-**, O.Ind. *rokás*, *ruśant-*.

NOTE. The old argument proposed by Brugmann (and later copied by many dictionaries) about “*Centum loans*” is not tenable today. For more on this, see Szemerényi (1978), Mayrhofer (1952), Bernabé (1971).

C) Non-coincidence in periods and number of satemization stages;

- Old Indian shows two stages,
 1. PIE **k** → O.Ind. *s*, and
 2. PIE **k^we**, **k^wi** → O.Ind. *ke*, *ki*, & PIE **ske**, **ski** > O.Ind. *c* (cf. *cim*, *candra*, etc.).
- In Slavic, however, three stages are found,
 1. PIE **k** → *s*,
 2. PIE **k^we**, **k^wi** → *č* (*čto*, *čelobek*), and
 3. PIE **k^woi** → *koi* → *ke* gives *ts* (as Sla. *tsená*).

D) In most attested languages which present aspirated as result of the so-called “palatals”, the palatalization of other phonemes is also attested (e.g. palatalization of labiovelars before *e*, *i*, etc.), what may indicate that there is an old trend to palatalize all possible sounds, of which the palatalization of velars is the oldest attested result.

E) The existence of ‘Centum dialects’ in so-called Southern dialects, as Greek and some Paleo-Balkan dialects, and the presence of Tocharian, a ‘Centum dialect’, in Central Asia, being probably a northern IE dialect.

NOTE. The traditional explanation of a three-way dorsal split requires that all Centum languages share a common innovation that eliminated the palatovelar series. Unlike for the Satem languages, however, there is no evidence of any areal connection among the Centum languages, and in fact there is evidence against such a connection -- the Centum languages are geographically noncontiguous. Furthermore, if such an areal innovation happened, we would expect to see some dialect differences in its implementation (cf. the above differences between Balto-Slavic and Indo-Iranian), and residual evidence of a distinct palatalized series (such evidence for a distinct labiovelar series does exist in the Satem languages; see below). In fact, however, neither type of evidence exists, suggesting that there was never a palatovelar series in the Centum languages.

4. It is generally believed that Satemization could have started as a late dialectal ‘wave’ (although not necessarily), which eventually affected almost all PIE dialectal groups. The origin is probably to be found in velars followed by *e*, *i*, even though alternating forms like *gen/gon* caused natural analogical corrections within each dialect, which obscures still more the original situation. Thus, non-satemized forms in so-called Satem languages are actually non-satemized remains of the original situation, just as Spanish has *feliz* and not **heliz*, or *fácil* and not *hácil*, or French uses *facile* and *nature*, and not **fêle* or **nûre* as one should expect from its phonetic evolution. Some irregularities are indeed explained as borrowings from non-satemized dialects.

5. Those who support the model of the threefold distinction in PIE cite evidence from Albanian (Pedersen) and Armenian (Pisani) that they treated plain velars differently from the labiovelars in at least some circumstances, as well as the fact that Luwian apparently had distinct reflexes of all three series: **k^j* > *z* (probably [ts]); **k* > *k*; **k^w* > *ku* (possibly still [k^w]) (Craig Melchert).

NOTE 1. Also, one of the most difficult problems which subsist in the interpretation of the satemization as a phonetic wave is that, even though in most cases the variation **k^j/k* may be attributed either to a phonetic environment or to the analogy of alternating apophonic forms, there are some cases in which neither one nor the other may be applied. Compare for example *okītō(u)*, eight, which presents *k* before an occlusive in a form which shows no change (to suppose a syncope of an older **okītō*, as does Szemerényi, is an explanation *ad hoc*). Other examples in which the palatalization cannot be explained by the next phoneme nor by analogy are *swekrū-*, *husband's mother*, *akmon*, *stone*, *peku*, *cattle*. Such (still) unexplained exceptions, however, are not sufficient to consider the existence of a third row of ‘later palatalized’ velars (Bernabé, Cheng & Wang), although there are still scholars who come back to the support of the three velar rows’ hypothesis (viz. Tischler 1990).

NOTE 2. Supporters of the palatovelars cite evidence from the Anatolian language Luwian, which supposedly attests a three-way velar distinction **k^j→z* (probably [ts]); *k→k*; *k^w→ku* (probably [k^w]), defended by Melchert (1987). So, the strongest argument in favor of the traditional three-way system is that the the distinction

supposedly derived from Luwian findings must be reconstructed for the parent language. However, the underlying evidence “hinges upon especially difficult or vague or otherwise dubious etymologies” (see Sihler 1995); and, even if those findings are supported by other evidence in the future, it is obvious that Luwian might also have been in contact with *satemization* trends of other (Late) PIE dialects, that it might have developed its own satemization trend, and that maybe the whole system was remade within the Anatolian branch.

6. A system of two gutturals, Velars and Labiovelars, is a linguistic anomaly, isolated in the PIE occlusive subsystem – there are no parallel oppositions b^w - b , p^w - p , t^w - t , d^w - d , etc. Only one feature, their pronunciation with an accompanying rounding of the lips, helps distinguish them from each other. Labiovelars turn velars before **-u**, and there are some neutralization positions which help identify labiovelars and velars; also, in some contexts (e.g. before **-i**, **-e**) velars tend to move forward its articulation and eventually palatalize. Both trends led eventually to Centum and Satem dialectalization.

II.2. PHONETIC RECONSTRUCTION

II.2.1. PROTO-INDO-EUROPEAN SOUND LAWS

A few sound-laws can be reconstructed, that may have been effective already in Late PIE dialects, by internal reconstruction.

- Sievers’ Law (Edgerton’s Law, Lindeman’s option)
- Hirt’s Law
- Grassman’s Law
- Bartholomae’s Law

A. SIEVERS’ LAW

Sievers’ Law in Indo-European linguistics accounts for the pronunciation of a consonant cluster with a glide before a vowel as it was affected by the phonetics of the preceding syllable. Specifically it refers to the alternation between $*ij$ and $*j$, and possibly $*uw$ and $*u$, in Indo-European languages. For instance, Proto-Indo-European $*kor$ - jo - s became Gothic *harjis* “army”, but PIE $*kerd^h$ - jo - s became Proto-Germanic $*herdijas$, Gothic *hairdeis* [hærdīs] “shepherd”. It differs from an ablaut in that the alternation is context-sensitive: PIE $*ij$ followed a heavy syllable (a syllable with a diphthong, a long vowel, or ending in more than one consonant), but $*j$ would follow a light syllable (i.e. a short vowel followed by a single consonant). This was first noticed by Germanic philologist Eduard Sievers, and his aim was to account for certain phenomena in the Germanic languages. He originally only discussed $*j$ in medial position. He also noted, almost as an aside, that something similar seemed to be going on in the earliest Sanskrit texts (thus in the Rigveda *dāivya*- “heavenly” actually had three syllables in scansion (*dāivⁱya*-) but say *satya*- “true” was scanned as written). After him, scholars would find similar

alternations in Greek and Latin, and alternation between **uw* and **u*, though the evidence is poor for all of these. Through time, evidence was announced regarding similar alternations of syllabicity in the nasal and liquid semivowels, though the evidence is extremely poor for these, despite the fact that such alternations in the non-glide semivowels would have left permanent, indeed irreversible, traces.

The most ambitious extension of Sievers' Law was proposed by Franklin Edgerton in a pair of articles in the journal *Language* in 1934 and 1943. He argued that not only was the syllabicity of prevocalic semivowels by context applicable to all six Indo-European semivowels, it was applicable in all positions in the word. Thus a form like **djēus*, “*sky*” would have been pronounced thus only when it happened to follow a word ending with a short vowel. Everywhere else it would have had two syllables, **dijēus*.

The evidence for alternation presented by Edgerton was of two sorts. He cited several hundred passages from the oldest Indic text, the Rigveda, which he claimed should be rescanned to reveal hitherto unnoticed expressions of the syllable structure called for by his theory. But most forms show no such direct expressions; for them, Edgerton noted sharply skewed distributions that he interpreted as evidence for a lost alternation between syllabic and nonsyllabic semivowels. Thus say *śiras* “*head*” (from **śṛros*) has no monosyllabic partner **śras* (from **śros*), but Edgerton noted that it occurred 100% of the time in the environments where his theory called for the syllabification of the **r*. Appealing to the “*formulaic*” nature of oral poetry, especially in tricky and demanding literary forms like sacred Vedic versification, he reasoned that this was direct evidence for the previous existence of an alternant **śras*, on the assumption that when (for whatever reason) this **śras* and other forms like it came to be shunned, the typical collocations in which they would have (correctly) occurred inevitably became obsolete *pari passu* with the loss of the form itself. And he was able to present a sizeable body of evidence in the form of these skewed distributions in both the 1934 and 1943 articles.

In 1965 Fredrik Otto Lindeman published an article proposing a significant modification of Edgerton's theory. Disregarding Edgerton's evidence (on the grounds that he was not prepared to judge the niceties of Rigvedic scansion) he took instead as the data to be analyzed the scansions in Grassmann's *Wörterbuch zum Rig-Veda*. From these he concluded that Edgerton had been right, but only up to a point: the alternations he postulated did indeed apply to all semivowels; but in word-initial position, the alternation was limited to forms like **djēus/dijēus* “*sky*”, as cited above—that is, words where the “*short*” form was monosyllabic.

B. HIRT'S LAW

Hirt's law, named after Hermann Hirt who postulated it originally in 1895, is a Balto-Slavic sound law which states in its modern form that the inherited Proto-Indo-European stress would retract to

non-ablauting pretonic vowel or a syllabic sonorant if it was followed by a consonantal (non-syllabic) laryngeal that closed the preceding syllable.

Compare:

- PIE: **d^hūmós* “smoke” (compare Sanskrit *dhūmá* and Ancient Greek *thumós*) → Lithuanian *dūmai*, Latvian *dūmi*, Croatian/Serbian *dīm*.
- PIE **g^wrīwā* “neck; mane” (compare Sanskrit *grīvā*) → Latvian *grīva*, Croatian/Serbian *grīva*.
- PIE **p_lnós* “full” (compare Sanskrit *pūrṇá*) → Lithuanian *pilnas*, Latvian *pīlns*, Serbian *pūn*.

Hirt’s law did not operate if the laryngeal preceded a vowel, or if the laryngeal followed the second component of a diphthong. Therefore, Hirt’s law must be older than then the loss of laryngeals in prevocalic position (in glottalic theory formulation: to the merger of glottalic feature of PIE voiced stops who dissolved into laryngeal and buccal part with the reflexes of the original PIE laryngeals), because the stress was not retracted in e.g. PIH **tenh₂wós* (Ancient Greek *tanaós*, Sanskrit *tanú*) “thin” → Latvian *tiēvs*, and also older than the loss of syllabic sonorants in Balto-Slavic, as can be seen from the abovementioned reflexes of PIH **p_lh₁nós*, and also in e.g. PIH **d_lh₁g^hós* “long” (compare Sanskrit *dīrghá*, Ancient Greek *dolikhós*) → Lithuanian *ilgas*, Latvian *īlgs*, Croatian/Serbian *düg*.

It follows from the above that Hirt’s law must have preceded Winter’s law, but was necessarily posterior to Balto-Slavic oxytonesis (shift of stress from inner syllable to the end of the word in accent paradigms with end-stressed forms), because oxytonesis-originating accent was preserved in non-laryngeal declension paradigms; e.g. the retraction occurs in mobile PIH **eh₂-*stems so thus have dative plural of Slovene *goràm* and Chakavian *goràmi* (< PBSl. **-āmús*), locative plural of Slovene and Chakavian *goràh* (< PBSl. **-āsú*), but in thematic (o-stem) paradigm dative plural of Slovene *možēm* (< PBSl. **-mús*), locative plural of Slovene *možéh* and Chakavian *vlāsíh* (< PBSl. **-oysú*). The retraction of accent from the ending to the vowel immediately preceding the stem-ending laryngeal (as in PBSl. reflex of PIH **g^wrH-*) is obvious. There is also a strong evidence that the same was valid for Old Prussian (in East Baltic dative and locative plural accents were generalized in non-laryngeal inflections).

From the Proto-Indo-European perspective, the importance of Hirt’s law lies in the strong correspondence it provides between the Balto-Slavic and Vedic/Ancient Greek accentuation (which more or less intactly reflects the original Late PIE state), and somewhat less importantly, provides a reliable criterion to distinguish the original sequence of PIH **eH* from lengthened grade **ē*, as it unambiguously points to the presence of a laryngeal in the stem.

C. GRASSMANN'S LAW

Grassmann's law, named after its discoverer Hermann Grassmann, is a dissimilatory phonological process in Ancient Greek and Sanskrit which states that if an aspirated consonant is followed by another aspirated consonant in the next syllable, the first one loses the aspiration. The descriptive (synchronic) version was described for Sanskrit by Panini.

Here are some examples in Greek of the effects of Grassmann's Law:

- [t^hu-o:] θύω 'I kill an animal'
- [e-tu-t^he:] ἔτυθη 'it was killed'
- [t^hrik-s] θρίξ 'hair'
- [tri^h-es] τριχῆς 'hairs'
- [t^hap-sai] θάψαι 'to bury (aorist)'
- [t^hapt-ein] θάπτειν 'to bury (present)'
- [tap^h-os] τάφος 'a grave'
- [tap^h-e] ταφή 'burial'

In the reduplication which forms the perfect tense in both Greek and Sanskrit, if the initial consonant is aspirated, the prepended consonant is unaspirated by Grassmann's Law. For instance [p^hu-o:] φύω 'I grow': [pe-p^hu:-ka] πεφυκα 'I have grown'.

DIASPIRATE ROOTS

Cases like [t^hrik-s] ~ [tri^h-es] and [t^hap-sai] ~ [tap^h-ein] illustrates the phenomenon of *diaspirate roots*, for which two different analyses have been given.

In one account, the "underlying diaspirate" theory, the underlying roots are taken to be /t^hrik^h/ and /t^hap^h/. When an /s/ (or word edge, or various other sounds) immediately follows, then the second aspiration is lost, and the first aspirate therefore survives ([t^hrik-s], [t^hap-sai]). If a vowel follows the second aspirate, it survives unaltered, and therefore the first aspiration is lost by Grassmann's Law ([tri^h-es], [tap^h-ein]).

A different analytical approach was taken by the ancient Indian grammarians. In their view, the roots are taken to be underlying /tri^h/ and /tap^h/. These roots persist unaltered in [tri^h-es] and [tap^h-ein]. But if an /s/ follows, it triggers an "aspiration throwback" (ATB), in which the aspiration migrates leftward, docking onto the initial consonant ([t^hrik-s], [t^hap-sai]).

Interestingly, in his initial formulation of the law Grassmann briefly referred to ATB to explain these seemingly aberrant forms. However, the consensus among contemporary historical linguists is that the former explanation (underlying representation) is the correct one.

In the later course of Sanskrit, (and under the influence of the grammarians) ATB was applied to original monoaspirates through an analogical process. Thus, from the verb root *gah* ‘to plunge’, the desiderative stem *jighak^ha-* is formed. This is by analogy with the forms *bubhutsati* (a desiderative form) and *bhut* (a nominal form, both from the root *budh* ‘to be awake’, originally PIE **b^hud^h-*).

D. BARTHOLOMAE’S LAW

Bartholomae’s law is an early Indo-European sound law affecting the Indo-Iranian family, though thanks to the falling together of plain voiced and voiced aspirated stops in Iranian, its impact on the phonological history of that subgroup is unclear.

It states that in a cluster of two or more obstruents (s or a stop (plosive)), any one of which is a voiced aspirate anywhere in the sequence, the whole cluster becomes voiced and aspirated. Thus to the PIE root **b^heud^h* “learn, become aware of” the participle **b^hud^h-to-* “enlightened” loses the aspiration of the first stop (Grassmann’s Law) and with the application of Bartholomae’s Law and regular vowel changes gives Sanskrit *buddha-* “enlightened”.

A written form such as *-ddh-* (a literal rendition of the devanāgarī representation) presents problems of interpretation. The choice is between a long voiced stop with a specific release feature symbolized in transliteration by *-h-*, or else a long stop (or stop cluster) with a different phonational state, “murmur”, whereby the breathy release is an artifact of the phonational state. The latter interpretation is rather favored by such phenomena as the Rigvedic form *gdha* “he swallowed” which is morphologically a middle aorist (more exactly ‘injunctive’) to the root *ghas-* “swallow”, as follows: *ghs-t-a* > **gzdha* whence *gdha* by the regular loss of a sibilant between stops in Indic. While the idea of voicing affecting the whole cluster with the release feature conventionally called aspiration penetrating all the way to the end of the sequence is not entirely unthinkable, the alternative—the spread of a phonational state (but murmur rather than voice) through the whole sequence—involves one less step and therefore via Occam’s Razor counts as the better interpretation.

Bartholomae’s Law intersects with another Indic development, namely what looks like the deaspiration of aspirated stops in clusters with s: descriptively, Proto-Indo-European **leig^h-si* “you lick” becomes **leiksi*, whence Sanskrit *lekṣi*. However, Grassmann’s Law, whereby an aspirated stop becomes non-aspirated before another aspirated stop (as in the example of *buddha-*, above), suggests something else. In late Vedic and later forms of Sanskrit, all forms behave as though aspiration was simply lost in clusters with s, so such forms to the root *dugh-* “give milk” (etymologically **dhugh-*) show the expected devoicing and deaspiration in, say, the desiderative formation *du-dhukṣ-ati* (with the root-initial *dh-* intact, that is, undissimilated). But the earliest passages of the Rigveda show something different: desiderative *dudukṣati*, aor. *dukṣata* (for later *dhukṣata*) and so on. Thus it is apparent that

what went into Grassmann’s Law were forms like **dhugzhata*, *dhudhugzha-* and so on, with aspiration in the sibilant clusters intact. The deaspiration and devoicing of the sibilant clusters were later and entirely separate phenomena – and connected with yet another suite of specifically Indic sound laws, namely a ‘*rule conspiracy*’ to eliminate all voiced (and murmured) sibilants. Indeed, even the example ‘*swallowed*’ given above contradicts the usual interpretation of devoicing and deaspiration: by such a sequence, **ghs-to* would have given, first, **ksto* (if the process was already Indo-European) or **ksta* (if Indo-Iranian in date), whence Sanskrit **kta*, not *gdha*.

E. BRUGMANN’S LAW

Brugmann’s law, named for Karl Brugmann, states that Proto-Indo-European **o* (the ablaut alternant of **e*) in non-final syllables became **ā* in open syllables (syllables ending in a single consonant followed by a vowel) in Indo-Iranian. Everywhere else the outcome was **a*, the same as the reflexes of PIE **e* and **a*. The rule seems not to apply to “non-apophonic **o*”, that is, **o* that has no alternant, as in **poti-*, “master, lord” (thus Sanskrit *pati-*, not **pāti*, there being no such root as **pet-* “rule, dominate”). Similarly the form traditionally reconstructed as **owis*, “sheep” (Sanskrit *avi-*), which is a good candidate for re-reconstructing as PIEH **h₃ewi-* with an o-coloring laryngeal rather than an ablauting o-grade.

The theory accounts for a number of otherwise very puzzling facts. Sanskrit has *pitaras*, *mātaras*, *bhrātaras* for “fathers, mothers, brothers” but *svasāras* for “sisters”, a fact neatly explained by the traditional reconstruction of the stems as **-ter-* for “father, mother, brother” but **swesor-* for “sister” (cf. Latin *pater*, *māter*, *frāter* but *soror*; note, though, that in all four cases the Latin vowel in the final syllable was originally long). Similarly, the great majority of n-stem nouns in Indic have a long stem-vowel, such as *brāhmaṇas* “Brahmins”, *śvānas* “dogs” from **kwones*, correlating with information from other Indo-European languages that these were actually on-stems. But there is one noun, *ukṣan-* “ox”, that in the Rigveda shows forms like *ukṣāṇas*, “oxen”. These were later replaced by “regular” formations (*ukṣāṇas* and so on, some as early as the Rigveda itself), but the notion that this might be an **en-*stem is supported by the unique morphology of the Germanic forms, e.g. Old English *oxa* nom.singular “ox”, *exen* plural—the Old English plural stem (e.g., the nominative) continuing Proto-Germanic **uχsiniz* < **uχseniz*, with two layers of umlaut. As in Indic, this is the only certain Old English n-stem that points to **en-*vocalism rather than **on-*vocalism.

Perhaps the most startling confirmation comes from the inflection of the perfect tense, wherein a Sanskrit root like *sad-* “sit” has *sasada* for “I sat” and *sasāda* for “he, she, it sat”. It was tempting to see this as some kind of ‘therapeutic’ reaction to the falling-together of the endings **-a* “I” and **-e*

“*he/she/it*” as *-a*, but it was troubling that the distinction was found exclusively in roots that ended with a single consonant. That is, *dadarśa* “*saw*” is both first and third person singular, even though a form like **dadārśa* is perfectly acceptable in terms of Sanskrit syllable structure. This mystery was solved when the ending of the perfect in the first person singular was reanalyzed as PIH **-h₂e*, that is, beginning with an a-coloring laryngeal: that is, at the time Brugmann’s Law was operative, a form of the type **se-sod-h₂e* in the first person did not have an open root syllable. A problem (minor) for this interpretation is that roots that pretty plainly must have ended in a consonant cluster including a laryngeal, such as *jan-* < **genh₁-* “*beget*”, and which therefore should have had a short vowel throughout (like *darś-* “*see*” < **dork-*), nevertheless show the same patterning as *sad-*: *jajana* 1sg., *jajāna* 3sg. Whether this is a catastrophic failure of the theory is a matter of taste, but after all, those who think the pattern seen in roots like *sad-* have a morphological, not a phonological, origin, have their own headaches, such as the total failure of this “morphological” development to include roots ending in two consonants. And such an argument would in any case cut the ground out from under the neat distributions seen in the kinship terms, the special behavior of “ox”, and so on.

Perhaps the most worrisome data are adverbs like Sanskrit *prati*, Greek *pros* (< **proti*) (meaning “motion from or to a place or location at a place”, depending on the case of the noun it governs) and some other forms, all of which appear to have ablauting vowels. They also all have a voiceless stop after the vowel, which may or may not be significant. And for all its charms, Brugmann’s Law has few supporters nowadays – even Brugmann himself eventually gave up on it, and Jerzy Kuryłowicz, the author of the brilliant insight into the *sasada/sasāda* matter, eventually abandoned his analysis in favor of an untenable appeal to the agency of marked vs unmarked morphological categories. Untenable because, for example, it’s a commonplace of structural analysis that 3rd person singular forms are about as “unmarked” as a verb form can be, but in Indic it is the one that “gets” the long vowel, which by the rules of the game is the marked member of the long/short opposition.

F. WINTER’S LAW

Winter’s law, named after Werner Winter who postulated it in 1978, is a sound law operating on Balto-Slavic short vowels **e*, **o*, **a*, **i* and **u*, according to which they lengthen in front of unaspirated voiced stops in closed syllable, and that syllable gains rising, acute accent. Compare:

- PIE **sed-* “to sit” (that also gave Latin *sedeō*, Sanskrit *sīdati*, Ancient Greek *hézomai* and English *sit*) → Proto-Balto-Slavic **sēd-tey* → Lith. *sėsti*, O.C.S. *sěsti* (with regular Balto-Slavic **dt→st* change; O.C.S. and Common Slavic yat (ǐ) is a regular reflex of PIE/PBSl. long **ē*).

- PIE **ābl-* “apple” (that also gave English *apple*) → Proto-Balto-Slavic **ābl-* → standard Lithuanian *obuol̥ys* (accusative *óbuol̥i*) and also dialectal forms of *óbuolas* and Samogitian *óbulas*, O.C.S. *abl̥ko*, modern Croatian *jābuka*, Slovene *jábolko* etc.

Winter's law is important for several reasons. Most importantly, it indirectly shows the difference between the reflexes of PIE **b*, **d*, **g*, **g^w* in Balto-Slavic (in front of which Winter's law operates in closed syllable), and PIE **b^h*, **d^h*, **g^h*, **g^{wh}* (before which there is no effect of Winter's law). This shows that in relative chronology Winter's law operated before PIE aspirated stops **b^h*, **d^h*, **g^h*, merged with PIE plain voiced stops **b*, **d*, **g* in Balto-Slavic.

Secondary, Winter's law also indirectly shows the difference between the reflexes of PIE **a* and PIE **o* which otherwise merged to **a* in Balto-Slavic. When these vowels lengthen in accordance with Winter's law, one can see that old **a* has lengthened into Balto-Slavic **ā* (which later gave Lithuanian *o*, Latvian *ā*, O.C.S. *a*), and old **o* has lengthened into Balto-Slavic **ō* (which later gave Lithuanian and Latvian *uo*, but still O.C.S. *a*). In later development that represented Common Slavic innovation, the reflexes of Balto-Slavic **ā* and **ō* were merged, as one can see that they both result in O.C.S. *a*. This also shows that Winter's law operated prior to the common Balto-Slavic change **o* → **a*.

The original formulation of Winter's law stated that the vowels regularly lengthened in front of PIE voiced stops in all environments. As much as there were numerous examples that supported this formulation, there were also many counterexamples, such as OCS *stog̥* “stack” < PIE **stógos*, O.C.S. *voda* “water” < PIE **wod̥ór* (collective noun formed from PIE **wódr̥*). Adjustment of Winter's law, with the conclusion that it operates only on closed syllables, was proposed by Matasović in 1994 and which, unlike most of the other prior proposals, successfully explains away most counterexamples, although it's still not generally accepted. Matasović's revision of Winter's law has been used in the *Lexikon der indogermanischen Verben*. Other variations of blocking mechanism for Winter's law have been proposed by Kortlandt, Shintani, Rasmussen, Dybo and Holst but have not gained wide acceptance. Today Winter's law is taken for granted by all specialists in Balto-Slavic historical linguistics, though the exact details of the restrictions of law remain in dispute.

II.2.2. CONSONANTS

NOTES: ¹ After vowels. ² Before a plosive (p, t, k). ³ Before an unstressed vowel (Verner's Law). ⁴ After a (Proto-Germanic) fricative (s, f). ⁵ Before a (PIE) front vowel (i, e). ⁶ Before or after a (PIE) u. ⁷ Before or after a (PIE) o, u. ⁸ Between vowels. ⁹ Before a resonant. ¹⁰ Before secondary (post-PIE) front-vowels. ¹¹ After r, u, k, i (RUKI). ¹² Before a stressed vowel. ¹³ At the end of a word. ¹⁴ After u, r or before r, l. ¹⁵ After n.

Appendix II: Proto-Indo-European Phonology

PIE	Skr.	Av.	OCS	Lith.	Arm.	Toch.	Hitt.	Gk.	Lat.	O.Ir	Gmc.
*p	p [p]	p [p]	p [p]	p [p]	h [h]; w	p [p]	p [p]	p [p]	p [p]	∅; ch [x] ²	*f; *β ³ ;
*t	t [t]	t [t]	t [t]	t [t]	t' [tʰ]	t [t]; c	t; z ⁵	t [t]	t [t]	t [t]; th [θ]	*θ; *ð ³ ;
*R	ś [ɕ]	s [s]	s [s]	š [ʃ]	s [s]	k; ś [ɕ] ⁹	k [k]	k [k]	k [k]	c [k]; ch [x] ⁸	*x; *γ ³ ; k ⁴
*k	k [k]; c [c] ⁵	k [k]; c [tʃ] ⁵	k [k]; č [tʃ] ⁵ ; c [ts] ¹⁰	k [k]	k' [kʰ]		ku [kʷ]	p; t ⁵ ; k ⁶	qu [kʷ]; c [k] ⁷	c [k]; ch [x] ⁸	*xʷ; *γʷ; *w ³ ; kʷ ⁴
*kʷ											
*b	b [b]	b [b]	b [b]	b [b]	p [p]	p [p]	p [p]	b [b]	b [b]	b [b]	*p
*d	d [d]	d [d]	d [d]	d [d]	t [t]	ts [ts];	t [t]	d [d]	d [d]	d [d]; dh	*t
*ǵ	j [j]	z [z]	z [z]	ž [ʒ]	c [ts]	k [k]; ś [ɕ] ⁹	k [k]	g [g]	g [g]	g [g]; gh [ɣ] ⁸	*k
*g	g [g]; j [j] ⁵	g [g]; j [dʒ] ⁵	g [g]; ž [ʒ] ⁵ ; dz [dz] ¹⁰	g [g]	k [k]		ku [kʷ]	b [b]; d [d] ⁵ ; g [g] ⁶	u [w]; gu [gʷ] ¹⁵	b [b]; m, bh [w] ⁸	*kʷ
*gʷ											
*bʰ	bh	b [b]	b [b]	b [b]	b [b]; w	p [p]	p [p]	ph [pʰ]	f [f]; b ⁸	b [b]; m,	*β
*dʰ	dh	d [d]	d [d]	d [d]	d [d]	t [t]; c	t [t]	th [tʰ]	f [f]; d ⁸ ; b	d [d]; dh	*ð
*ǵʰ	h [h]	z [z]	z [z]	ž [ʒ]	j [dʒ]; z	k [k]; ś [ɕ] ⁵	k [k]	ch [kʰ]	h [h]; h [h]/g [g] ⁹	g [g]; gh [ɣ] ⁵	*γ
*gʰ	gh [gʰ]; h [h] ⁵	g [g]; ĵ [dʒ] ⁵	g [g]; ž [ʒ] ⁵ ; dz [dz] ¹⁰	g [g]	g [g]; ĵ [dʒ] ⁵		ku [kʷ]	ph [pʰ]; th [tʰ] ⁵ ; ch [kʰ] ⁶	f [f]; g [g] / u [w] ⁸ ; gu [gʷ] ¹⁵	g [g]	*γʷ
*gʷʰ											
*s	s [s];	h [h, x];	s [s]; x	s [s]; š [ʃ]	h [h]; s	s [s]; ś [ɕ]	š [s]	h [h]; s [s]	s [s]; r [r]	s [s]	*s; *z ³
*m	m [m]	m [m]	m [m];	m [m]; n	m [m];	m [m];	m [m];	m [m]; n [n]	m [m]	b [b]; m,	*m; ∅ ¹³
*n	n [n]	n [n]	n [n]	n [n]	n [n]	n [n]; ñ	n [n]	n [n]	n [n]	n [n]	*n
*l	r [r]	r [r]	l [l]	l [l]	l [l]; † [†]	l [l]	l [l]	l [l]	l [l]	l [l]	*l
*r	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	r [r]	*r
*j	y [j]	y [j]	j [j]	j [j]	∅	y [j]	y [j]	z [ʔzd/dz > z] / h [h]; ∅ ⁸	i [j]; ∅ ⁸	∅	*j
*ǵ	v [v]	v [w]	v [v]	v [v]	g [g] / w [w]	w [w]	w [w]	w > h / ∅ [w > h / -]	u [w > v]	f [f]; ∅ / w [w] ⁸	*w
PIE	Skr.	Av.	OCS	Lith.	Arm.	Toch.	Hitt.	Gk.	Lat.	O.Ir	Gmc.

II.1.3. VOWELS AND SYLLABIC CONSONANTS

PIE	PIH	Skr.	Av.	OCS	Lith.	Arm.	Toch.	Hitt.	Gk.	Lat.	O.Ir	Gmc.	
*e	*e	a	a	e	e	e	ä	e, i	e	e	e	i; ai [ɛ] ²	
	*h ₁ e												
*a	(*a ³)	a, ā ⁴	a, ā ⁴	o	a	a	ā	ha, a	a	a	a	a	
	*h ₂ e												
*o	*h ₃ e	a, ā ⁴	a, ā ⁴	o	a	o, a	a, e	a	o	o	o	a	
	*o												
*e	*h ₁	i	i, Ø	Ø	Ø	a, Ø	ā	a	e	a	a	a, Ø	
	*h ₂							h	a				
	*h ₃								o				
*-	*h ₁	Ø	Ø	Ø	Ø	e (a?)	Ø	a	e (o)	Ø	Ø	Ø	
	*h ₂							ha	a				
	*h ₃							a, ha	o				
*ē	*ē	ā	ā	ě	é	i	a/e?; ā? 8	e, i	ē	ē	ī	ē	
	*eh ₁												
*ā	(*ā ³)	ā	ā	a	o	a	a/o?	a, ah	ā > ē	ā	ā	ā	
	*eh ₂												
*ō	*ō	ā	ā	uo	u	a/ā?; ū? 8	a	a	ō	ō	ā; ū ⁸	ā	
	*eh ₃												
*i	*i	i	i	ь	i	i	ä	i	i	i	i	i	
*ī	*ih ₁	ī	ī	i	y [i:]	i or ⁰ a? 7	yā	i	ī	ī	ī	ī	ei [i:]
	*ih ₂								ī or ⁰ ā? ⁷				
	*ih ₃								ī or ⁰ ō? ⁷				
*ei	*ei	ē	ōi, aē ⁴	ě	ei, ie ⁵	i	e	ei	ī	īa, ē ⁶	ai	ae	
	*h ₁ ei												
*oi	*oi	ē	ōi, aē ⁴	ě	ai, ie ⁵	e	e	oi	ū	oe	ai	ae	
	*h ₃ ei												
*ai	(*ai ³)	ē	ōi, aē ⁴	ě	ai, ie ⁵	e	e	ay	ai	ae	ai	ae	
	*h ₂ ei												
*ēi	*ēi	āi; ā ⁸	āi; ā(i) ⁸	i					āi > ēi	ī?		ai	
*ōi	*ōi			y; u ⁸	ai; ui ⁸				ai	āi > ēi	ō	u ⁸	
*āi	*eh ₂ e					ě					āi > ēi	ae	
PIE	PIH	Skr.	Av.	OCS	Lith.	Arm.	Toch.	Hitt.	Gk.	Lat.	O.Ir	Gmc.	

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PIE	PIH	Skr.	Av.	OCS	Lith.	Arm.	Toch.	Hitt.	Gk.	Lat.	O.Ir	Gmc.
*u	*u	u	u	ъ	u	u	ä	u	u	u	u; o ¹	u; au
*ū	*uh ₁	ū	ū	y	ū	u or (w)a? ⁷	wā	u	u	ū	ū	ū
	*uh ₂								ū or (w)ā? ⁷			
	*uh ₃								ū or (w)ō? ⁷			
*eu	*eu	ō	ēu, ao ⁴	ju	iau	oy	u	u	eu	ū	ūa; ō ⁹	iu
	*h ₁ eu			u	au	o, au	ou	au	au			
*ou	*ou											au
	*h ₃ eu											
*au	(*au ³)					aw						
	*h ₂ eu											
*ēu	*ēu	āu	āu	u	iau					ū?		au
*ōu	*ōu								ō			
*ṛ	*ṛ	a	a	ę	iṛ; uṛ ¹⁴	am	ām	am	a	em	em am	um
*ṝ	*mH	ā	ā		iṛ; uṛ ¹⁴	ama	mā		mē, mā, mō	mā	mā	
*ṛm		am	am	ьm/ъ	iṛ; uṛ ¹⁴	am			am	em	am	
*ṛ	*ṛ	a	a	ę	iṛ; uṛ ¹⁴	an	än	an	a	en	en an	un
*ṝ	*nH	ā	ā		iṛ; uṛ ¹⁴	ana	nā		nē, nā, nō	nā	nā	
*ṛn		an	an	ьn/ъn	iṛ; uṛ ¹⁴	an			an	en	an	
*l	*l	ṛ	erē	ь/ъ	l; ul ¹⁴	al	äl	al	la	ol	li	ul
*l̄	*lH	ṛ; ūr	arē		l; ul ¹⁴	ala	lā		lē, lā, lō	lā	lā	
*ll		ir; ur	ar	ь/ъl	il; ul ¹⁴	al, la			al	el	al	
*r	*r	ṛ	erē	ь/ъr	r; ur ¹⁴	ar	är	ar	ra	or	ri	aur
*r̄	*rH	ṛ; ūr	arē		r; ur ¹⁴	ara	rā		rē, rā, rō	rā	rā	
*rr		ir; ur	ar	ьr/ъr	ir; ur ¹⁴	ar			ar	ar	ar	
PIE	PIH	Skr.	Av.	OCS	Lith.	Arm.	Toch.	Hitt.	Gk.	Lat.	O.Ir	Gmc.

NOTES: ¹ Before *wa*. ² Before *r*, *h*. ³ The existence of PIE non-allophonic *a* is disputed. ⁴ In open syllables (Brugmann's law). ⁵ Under stress. ⁶ Before palatal consonants. ⁷ The so-called breaking is disputed (typical examples are *proti-h₃k^wo- > Ved. *prátikam* ~ Gk. *πρόσωπον*; *g^wih₃uo- > Ved. *jivá-* ~ Arm. *keank'*, Gk. *ζωός*; *duh₂ro- > Ved. *dūrá-* ~ Arm. *erkar*, Gk. *δηρός*) ⁸ In a final syllable. ⁹ Before velars and unstressed ¹⁰ Before *ā* in the following syllable. ¹¹ Before *i* in the following syllable. ¹² In a closed syllable. ¹³ In the neighbourhood of labials. ¹⁴ In the neighbourhood of labiovelars.

II.3. THE LARYNGEAL THEORY

1. The **laryngeal theory** is a generally accepted theory of historical linguistics which proposes the existence of a set of three (or up to nine) consonant sounds that appear in most current reconstructions of the Proto-Indo-European language, which usually target Middle PIE or Indo-Hittite (PIH), i.e. the common IE language that includes Anatolian. These sounds have since disappeared in all existing IE languages, but some laryngeals are believed to have existed in the Anatolian languages.

NOTE. In this Modern Indo-European grammar, such uncertain sounds are replaced by the vowels they yielded in Late PIE dialects (an **-a** frequently substitutes the traditional *schwa indogermanicum*), cf. MIE **patér** for PIH **ph₂tér*, MIE **ōktō(u)**, *eight*, for PIH **h₃ekteh₃*, etc. Again, for a MIE based on the northwestern dialects, such stricter reconstruction would give probably a simpler language in terms of phonetic irregularities (*ablaut* or *apophony*), but also a language phonologically too different from Latin, Greek, Germanic and Balto-Slavic dialects. Nevertheless, reconstructions with laryngeals are often shown in this grammar as ‘etymological sources’, so to speak, as Old English forms are shown when explaining a Modern English word in modern dictionaries. The rest of this chapter offers a detailed description of the effects of laryngeals in IE phonology and morphology.

2. The evidence for them is mostly indirect, but serves as an explanation for differences between vowel sounds across Indo-European languages. For example, Sanskrit and Ancient Greek, two descendents of PIE, exhibit many similar words that have differing vowel sounds. Assume that the Greek word contains the vowel *e* and the corresponding Sanskrit word contains *i* instead. The laryngeal theory postulates these words originally had the same vowels, but a neighboring consonant which had since disappeared had altered the vowels. If one would label the hypothesized consonant as **h_i*, then the original PIH word may have contained something like **eh_i* or **ih_i*, or perhaps a completely different sound such as **ah_i*. The original phonetic values of the laryngeal sounds remain controversial (v.i.)

3. The beginnings of the theory were proposed by Ferdinand de Saussure in 1879, in an article chiefly devoted to something else altogether (demonstrating that **a* and **o* were separate phonemes in PIE). Saussure’s observations, however, did not achieve any general currency until after Hittite was discovered and deciphered in the early 20th century. Hittite had a sound or sounds written with symbols from the Akkadian syllabary conventionally transcribed as *ḫ*, as in *te-iḫ-ḫi*, “*I put, am putting*”. Various more or less obviously unsatisfactory proposals were made to connect these (or this) to the PIE consonant system as then reconstructed. It remained for Jerzy Kuryłowicz (*Études indoeuropéennnes I*, 1935) to propose that these sounds lined up with Saussure’s conjectures. Since then, the laryngeal theory (in one or another form) has been accepted by most Indo-Europeanists.

4. The late discovery of these sounds by Indo-Europeanists is largely due to the fact that Hittite and the other Anatolian languages are the only Indo-European languages where at least some of them are attested directly and consistently as consonantal sounds. Otherwise, their presence is to be seen mostly

through the effects they have on neighboring sounds, and on patterns of alternation that they participate in; when a laryngeal is attested directly, it is usually as a vowel (as in the Greek examples below). Most Indo-Europeanists accept at least some version of laryngeal theory because their existence simplifies some otherwise hard-to-explain sound changes and patterns of alternation that appear in the Indo-European languages, and solves some minor mysteries, such as why verb roots containing only a consonant and a vowel have only long vowels e.g. PIE **dō-* “give”; re-reconstructing PIH **deh₃-* instead not only accounts for the patterns of alternation more economically than before, but brings the root into line with the basic consonant - vowel - consonant Indo-European type.

5. There are many variations of the Laryngeal theory. Some scholars, such as Oswald Szemerényi, reconstruct just one. Some follow Jaan Puhvel’s reconstruction of eight or more (in his contribution to *Evidence for Laryngeals*, ed. Werner Winter). Most scholars work with a basic three:

- **h₁*, the “neutral” laryngeal
- **h₂*, the “a-colouring” laryngeal
- **h₃*, the “o-colouring” laryngeal

Many scholars, however, either insist on or allow for a fourth consonant, **h₄*, which differs from **h₂* only in not being reflected as Anatolian *ḫ*. Accordingly, except when discussing Hittite evidence, the theoretical existence of an **h₄* contributes little. Another such theory, but much less generally accepted, is Winfred P. Lehmann’s view that **h₁* was actually two separate sounds, due to inconsistent reflexes in Hittite. (He assumed that one was a glottal stop and the other a glottal fricative.)

Some direct evidence for laryngeal consonants from Anatolian:

PIE **a* is a rarish sound, and in an uncommonly large number of good etymologies it is word-initial. Thus PIE (traditional) *anti*, *in front of and facing* > Greek *antí* “against”; Latin *ante* “in front of, before”; (Sanskrit *ánti* “near; in the presence of”). But in Hittite there is a noun *ḫants* “front, face”, with various derivatives (*ḫantezzi* “first”, and so on, pointing to a PIH root-noun **h₂ent-* “face” (of which **h₂enti* would be the locative singular).

NOTE. It does not necessarily follow that all reconstructed PIE forms with initial **a* should automatically be rewritten as PIH **h₂e*.

Similarly, the traditional PIE reconstruction for ‘sheep’ is **owi-*, whence Skt *ávi-*, Latin *ovis*, Greek *óis*. But now Luvian has *ḫawi-*, indicating instead a reconstruction **h₃ewi-*.

But if laryngeals as consonants were first spotted in Hittite only in 1935, what was the basis for Saussure’s conjectures some 55 years earlier? They sprang from a reanalysis of how the patterns of vowel alternation in Proto-Indo-European roots of different structure aligned with one another.

6. A feature of Proto-Indo-European morpheme structure was a system of vowel alternations christened ablaut (*‘alternate sound’*) by early German scholars and still generally known by that term, except in Romance languages, where the term *apophony* is preferred. Several different such patterns have been discerned, but the commonest one, by a wide margin, is **e/o/zero** alternation found in a majority of roots, in many verb and noun stems, and even in some affixes (the genitive singular ending, for example, is attested as **-es**, **-os**, and **-s**). The different states are called ablaut grades; **e-grade** or *“full grades”*, **o-grade** and *“zero-grade”*.

Thus the root **sed-**, *“to sit (down)”* (roots are traditionally cited in the *e-grade*, if they have one), has three different shapes: ***sed-**, ***sod-**, and ***sd-**. This kind of patterning is found throughout the PIE root inventory and is transparent:

- ***sed-**: in Latin *sedeō* “am sitting”, Old English *sittan* “to sit” < ***set-ja-** (with umlaut) < ***sed-**; Greek *hédra* “seat, chair” < ***sed-**.
- ***sod-**: in Latin *solium* “throne” (Latin *l* sporadically replaces *d* between vowels, said by Roman grammarians to be a Sabine trait) = Old Irish *suideⁿ* /suðⁿe/ “a sitting” (all details regular from PIE ***sod-jo-m**); Gothic *satjan* = Old English *settan* “to set” (causative) < ***sat-ja-** (umlaut again) < PIE ***sod-eje-**. PIE ***se-sod-e** “sat” (perfect) > Sanskrit *sa-sād-a* per Brugmann’s law.
- ***sd-**: in compounds, as ***ni-** “down” + ***sd-** = ***nisdos** “nest”: English *nest* < Proto-Germanic ***nistaz**, Latin *nīdus* < ***nizdos** (all regular developments). The 3 pl. (third person plural) of the perfect would have been ***se-sd-ŕ** whence Indo-Iranian ***sazdŕ**, which gives (by regular developments) Sanskrit *sedur* /*sēdur*/.

Now, in addition to the commonplace roots of consonant + vowel + consonant structure there are also well-attested roots like ***dhē-** “put, place”: these end in a vowel, which is always long in the categories where roots like ***sed-** have full grades; and in those forms where zero grade would be expected, before an affix beginning with a consonant, we find a short vowel, reconstructed as ***ə**, or *schwa* (more formally, *schwa primum indogermanicum*). The cross-language correspondences of this vowel are different from the other five short vowels.

NOTE. Before an affix beginning with a vowel, there is no trace of a vowel in the root, as shown below.

Whatever caused a short vowel to disappear entirely in roots like ***sed-/*sod-/*sd-**, it was a reasonable inference that a long vowel under the same conditions would not quite disappear, but would leave a sort of residue. This residue is reflected as *i* in Indic while dropping in Iranian; it gives variously *e*, *a*, *o* in Greek; it mostly falls together with the reflexes of PIE ***a** in the other languages (always bearing in mind that short vowels in non-initial syllables undergo various adventures in Italic, Celtic, and Germanic):

• **dō-* “give”: in Latin *dōnum* “gift” = Old Irish *dán* /dān/ and Sanskrit *dāna-* (*â* = *ā* with tonic accent); Greek *dí-dō-mi* (reduplicated present) “I give” = Sanskrit *dádāmi*. But in the participles, Greek *dotós* “given” = Sanskrit *ditá-*, Latin *datus* all < **dā-tó-*.

• **stā-* “stand”: in Greek *hístēmi* (reduplicated present, regular from **si-stā-*), Sanskrit *a-sthā-* *t* aorist “stood”, Latin *testāmentum* “testimony” < **ter-stā-* < **tri-stā-* (“third party” or the like). But Sanskrit *sthitá-* “stood”, Greek *stasís* “a standing”, Latin supine infinitive *statum* “to stand”.

Conventional wisdom lined up roots of the **sed-* and **dō-* types as follows:

Full Grades	Weak Grades	
<i>sed-</i>, <i>sod-</i>	<i>sd-</i>	“sit”
<i>dō-</i>	<i>dā-</i>, <i>d-</i>	“give”

But there are other patterns of “normal” roots, such as those ending with one of the six resonants (***j w r l m n**), a class of sounds whose peculiarity in Proto-Indo-European is that they are both syllabic (vowels, in effect) and consonants, depending on what sounds are adjacent:

Root **b^her-/b^hor-/b^hr_o-* ~ *b^hr-* “carry”

• **b^her-*: in Latin *ferō* = Greek *phérō*, Avestan *barā*, Old Irish *biur*, Old English *bera* all “I carry”; Latin *ferculum* “bier, litter” < **b^her-tlo-* “implement for carrying”.

• **b^hor-*: in Gothic *barn* “child” (= English dial. *bairn*), Greek *phorēō* “I wear [clothes]” (frequentative formation, “carry around”); Sanskrit *bhāra-* “burden” (**b^hor-o-* via Brugmann’s law).

• **b^hr_o-* before consonants: Sanskrit *bhr_o-tí-* “a carrying”; Gothic *gabaurþs* /gaborθs/, Old English *gebyrd* /yebürd/, Old High German *geburt* all “birth” < **gaburdi-* < **b^hr_o-tí-*

• **b^hr-* before vowels: Ved *bibhrati* 3pl. “they carry” < **b^hi-b^hr-ṅti*; Greek *di-phrós* “chariot footboard big enough for two men” < **dwi-b^hr-o-*.

Saussure’s insight was to align the long-vowel roots like **dō-*, **stā-* with roots like **b^her-*, rather than with roots of the **sed-* sort. That is, treating “*schwa*” not as a residue of a long vowel but, like the **r* of **b^her-/b^hor-/b^hr_o-*, an element that was present in the root in all grades, but which in full grade forms coalesced with an ordinary *e/o* root vowel to make a long vowel, with ‘coloring’ (changed phonetics) of the *e*-grade into the bargain; the mystery element was seen by itself only in zero grade forms:

<i>Full Grades</i>	<i>Zero Grade</i>	
<i>b^her-</i> , <i>b^hor-</i>	<i>b^hr̥-</i> / <i>b^hr-</i>	“carry”
<i>deX</i> , <i>doX-</i>	<i>dĀ</i> / <i>dX-</i>	“give”

* **Ā** = syllabic form of the mystery element

Saussure treated only two of these elements, corresponding to our **h*₂ and **h*₃. Later it was noticed that the explanatory power of the theory, as well as its elegance, were enhanced if a third element were added, our **h*₁, which has the same lengthening and syllabifying properties as the other two but has no effect on the color of adjacent vowels. Saussure offered no suggestion as to the phonetics of these elements; his term for them, “*coéfficients sonantiques*”, was not however a fudge, but merely the term in general use for glides, nasals, and liquids (i.e., the PIE resonants) as in roots like **b^her-*.

As mentioned above, in forms like **dwi-b^hr-o-* (etymon of Greek *diphros*, *above*), the new “*coéfficients sonantiques*” (unlike the six resonants) have no reflexes at all in any daughter language. Thus the compound PIH **m̥ns-d^heh-* “to ‘fix thought’, be devout, become rapt” forms a noun **m̥ns-d^hh-o-* seen in Proto-Indo-Iranian **mazdha-* whence Sanskrit *medhá-* /*mēdha*/ “*sacrificial rite, holiness*” (regular development as in *sedur* < **sazdur*, *above*), Avestan *mazda-* “*name (originally an epithet) of the greatest deity*”.

There is another kind of unproblematic root, in which obstruents flank a resonant. In the zero grade, unlike the case with roots of the **b^her-* type, the resonant is therefore always syllabic (being always between two consonants). An example would be **b^hend^h-* “*tie, bind*”:

- **b^hend^h-*: in Germanic forms like Old English *bindan* “to tie, bind”, Gothic *bindan*; Lithuanian *beñdras* “chum”, Greek *peĩsma* “rope, cable” /*pēsma*/ < **phenth-sma* < **b^hend^h-sm̥*.
- **b^hond^h-*: in Sanskrit *bandhá-* “bond, fastening” (**b^hond^h-o-*; Grassmann’s law) = Old Icelandic *bant*, OE *bænd*; Old English *bænd*, Gothic *band* “he tied” < *(*b^he*)*b^hond^h-e*.
- **b^hṅd^h-*: in Sanskrit *baddhá-* < **b^hṅd^h-tó-* (Bartholomae’s law), Old English *gebunden*, Gothic *bundan*; German *Bund* “league”. (English *bind* and *bound* show the effects of secondary (Middle English) vowel lengthening; the original length is preserved in *bundle*.)

This is all straightforward and such roots fit directly into the overall patterns. Less so are certain roots that seem sometimes to go like the **b^her-* type, and sometimes to be unlike anything else, with (for example) *long* syllabics in the *zero* grades while at times pointing to a two-vowel root structure. These roots are variously called “*heavy bases*”, “*dis(s)yllabic roots*”, and “*seṭ roots*” (the last being a term from *Pāṇini’s grammar*. It will be explained below).

For example, the root “be born, arise” is given in the usual etymological dictionaries as follows:

A. PIE *gen-, *gon-, *gṇn-

B. PIE *genə-, *gonə-, *gṇ̄- (where ṇ̄ = a long syllabic ṇ)

The (A) forms occur when the root is followed by an affix beginning with a vowel; the (B) forms when the affix begins with a consonant. As mentioned, the full-grade (A) forms look just like the *bher- type, but the zero grades always and only have reflexes of syllabic resonants, just like the *b^hend^h- type; and unlike any other type, there is a second root vowel (always and only *ə) following the second consonant:

*gen(ə)-

- PIE *genos- neut s-stem “race, clan” > Greek (Homeric) génos, -eos, Sanskrit jánas-, Avestan zanō, Latin genus, -eris.
- Greek gené-tēs “begetter, father”; géne-sis < *genə-ti- “origin”; Sanskrit jáni-man- “birth, lineage”, jáni-tar- “progenitor, father”, Latin genitus “begotten” < genatos.

*gon(e)-

- Sanskrit janayati “beget” = Old English cennan /kennan/ < *gon-eje- (causative); Sanskrit jána- “race” (o-grade o-stem) = Greek gónos, -ou “offspring”.
- Sanskrit jajāna 3sg. “was born” < *ge-gon-e.

*gṇn-/*gṇ̄-

- Gothic kuni “clan, family” = OE cynn /kunn/, English kin; Rigvedic jajanúr 3pl.perfect < *ge-gṇn- (a relic; the regular Sanskrit form in paradigms like this is jajñur, a remodeling).
- Sanskrit jātá- “born” = Latin nātus (Old Latin gnātus, and cf. forms like cognātus “related by birth”, Greek kasí-gnētos “brother”); Greek gnēsios “belonging to the race”. (The ē in these Greek forms can be shown to be original, not Attic-Ionic developments from Proto-Greek *ā.)

NOTE. The Pāṇinian term “seṭ” (that is, sa-i-ṭ) is literally “with an /i/”. This refers to the fact that roots so designated, like jan- “be born”, have an /i/ between the root and the suffix, as we’ve seen in Sanskrit jánitar-, jániman-, janitva (a gerund). Cf. such formations built to “aniṭ” (“without an /i/”) roots, such as han- “slay”: hántar- “slayer”, hanman- “a slaying”, hantva (gerund). In Pāṇini’s analysis, this /i/ is a linking vowel, not properly a part of either the root or the suffix. It is simply that some roots are in effect in the list consisting of the roots that (as we would put it) ‘take an -i’.

The startling reflexes of these roots in zero grade before a consonant (in this case, Sanskrit ā, Greek nē, Latin nā, Lithuanian ìn) is explained by the lengthening of the (originally perfectly ordinary) syllabic resonant before the lost laryngeal, while the same laryngeal protects the syllabic status of the preceding resonant even before an affix beginning with a vowel: the archaic Vedic form jajanur cited above is structurally quite the same (*ge-gṇh₁-r̥) as a form like *da-dr̥ś-ur “they saw” < *de-dr̥k-r̥.

Incidentally, redesigning the root as **genh-* has another consequence. Several of the Sanskrit forms cited above come from what look like *o*-grade root vowels in open syllables, but fail to lengthen to *-ā-* per Brugmann's law. All becomes clear when it is understood that in such forms as **gonh-* before a vowel, the **o* is not in fact in an open syllable. And in turn that means that a form like O.Ind. *jajāna* "was born", which apparently *does* show the action of Brugmann's law, is actually a false witness: in the Sanskrit perfect tense, the whole class of *seṭ* roots, en masse, acquired the shape of the *aniṭ* 3 sing. forms.

There are also roots ending in a stop followed by a laryngeal, as **pleth₂-/*p_lth₂-* "spread, flatten", from which Sanskrit *pr̥thú-* "broad" masc. (= Avestan *pərəθu-*), *pr̥thivī-* fem., Greek *platús* (zero grade); Skt. *prathimán-* "wideness" (full grade), Greek *platamón* "flat stone". The laryngeal explains (a) the change of **t* to **th* in Proto-Indo-Iranian, (b) the correspondence between Greek *-a-*, Sanskrit *-i-* and no vowel in Avestan (Avestan *pərəθwī* "broad" fem. in two syllables vs Sanskrit *pr̥thivī-* in three).

Caution has to be used in interpreting data from Indic in particular. Sanskrit remained in use as a poetic, scientific, and classical language for many centuries, and the multitude of inherited patterns of alternation of obscure motivation (such as the division into *seṭ* and *aniṭ* roots) provided models for coining new forms on the "wrong" patterns. There are many forms like *tr̥ṣita-* "thirsty" and *tániman-* "slenderness", that is, *seṭ* formations to to unequivocally *aniṭ* roots; and conversely *aniṭ* forms like *píparti* "fills", *pr̥ta-* "filled", to securely *seṭ* roots (cf. the 'real' past participle, *pūrṇá-*). Sanskrit preserves the effects of laryngeal phonology with wonderful clarity, but looks upon the historical linguist with a threatening eye: for even in Vedic Sanskrit, the evidence has to be weighed carefully with due concern for the antiquity of the forms and the overall texture of the data.

Stray laryngeals can be found in isolated or seemingly isolated forms; here the three-way Greek reflexes of syllabic **h₁*, **h₂*, **h₃* are particularly helpful, as seen below.

- **h₁* in Greek *ánemos* "wind" (cf. Latin *animus* "breath, spirit; anger", Vedic *aniti* "breathes") < **anə-* "breathe; blow" (now **h₂enh₁-*). Perhaps also Greek *híeros* "mighty, super-human; divine; holy", cf. Sanskrit *iṣirá-* "vigorous, energetic".
- **h₂* in Greek *patér* "father" = Sanskrit *pitár-*, Old English *fæder*, Gothic *fadar*, Latin *pater*. Also **megh₂* "big" neut. > Greek *méga*, Sanskrit *máhi*.
- **h₃* in Greek *árottron* "plow" = Welsh *aradr*, Old Norse *arðr*, Lithuanian *árklas*.

The Greek forms *ánemos* and *árottron* are particularly valuable because the verb roots in question are extinct in Greek as verbs. This means that there is no possibility of some sort of analogical interference, as for example happened in the case of Latin *arātrum* "plow", whose shape has been distorted by the verb *arāre* "to plow" (the exact cognate to the Greek form would have been **aretrum*). It used to be

standard to explain the root vowels of Greek *thetós*, *statós*, *dotós* “put, stood, given” as analogical. Most scholars nowadays probably take them as original, but in the case of “wind” and “plow”, the argument can’t even come up.

Regarding Greek *híeros*, the pseudo-participle affix *-ro- is added directly to the verb root, so **ish₁-ro-* > **isero-* > **ihero-* > *híeros* (with regular throwback of the aspiration to the beginning of the word), and Sanskrit *iṣirá-*. There seems to be no question of the existence of a root **ejsh-* “vigorously move/cause to move”. If the thing began with a laryngeal, and most scholars would agree that it did, it would have to be **h₁-*, specifically; and that’s a problem. A root of the shape **h₁ejsh₁-* is not possible. Indo-European had no roots of the type **mem-*, **tet-*, **d^hred^h-*, i.e., with two copies of the same consonant. But Greek attests an earlier (and rather more widely-attested) form of the same meaning, *híaros*. If we reconstruct **h₁ejsh₂-*, all of our problems are solved in one stroke. The explanation for the *híeros/híaros* business has long been discussed, without much result; laryngeal theory now provides the opportunity for an explanation which did not exist before, namely metathesis of the two laryngeals. It’s still only a guess, but it’s a much simpler and more elegant guess than the guesses available before.

The syllabic **h₂* in PIE **ph₂ter-* “father” is not really isolated. The evidence is clear that the kinship affix seen in “mother, father” etc. was actually **-h₂ter-*. The laryngeal syllabified after a consonant (thus Greek *patḗr*, Latin *pater*, Sanskrit *pitár-*; Greek *thugátēr*, Sanskrit *duhitár-* “daughter”) but lengthened a preceding vowel (thus say Latin *māter* “mother”, *frāter* “brother”) — even when the “vowel” in question was a syllabic resonant, as in Sanskrit *yātaras* “husbands’ wives” < **jñt-* < **jñ₂-h₂ter-*).

LARYNGEALS IN MORPHOLOGY

Like any other consonant, Laryngeals feature in the endings of verbs and nouns and in derivational morphology, the only difference being the greater difficulty of telling what’s going on. Indo-Iranian, for example, can retain forms that pretty clearly reflect a laryngeal, but there is no way of knowing which one.

The following is a rundown of laryngeals in Proto-Indo-European morphology.

**h₁* is seen in the instrumental ending (probably originally indifferent to number, like English expressions of the type *by hand* and *on foot*). In Sanskrit, feminine *i-* and *u-* stems have instrumentals in *-ī*, *-ū*, respectively. In the Rigveda, there are a few old *a-* stems (PIE *o-* stems) with an instrumental in *-ā*; but even in that oldest text the usual ending is *-enā*, from the *n-* stems.

Greek has some adverbs in *-ē*, but more important are the Mycenaean forms like *e-re-pa-te* “with ivory” (i.e. *elephantē?* -*ě?*)

The marker of the neuter dual was **-ih₁*, as in Sanskrit *bharatī* “two carrying ones (neut.)”, *nāmanī* “two names”, *yuge* “two yokes” (< *yuga-i?* **yuga-ī?*). Greek to the rescue: the Homeric form *ósse* “the (two) eyes” is manifestly from **h₃ek^w-ih₁* (formerly **ok^w-ī*) via fully-regular sound laws (intermediately **ok^wje*).

**-eh₁-* derives stative verb senses from eventive roots: PIE **sed-* “sit (down)”: **sed-eh₁-* “be in a sitting position” (> Proto-Italic **sed-ē-je-mos* “we are sitting” > Latin *sedēmus*). It is clearly attested in Celtic, Italic, Germanic (the Class IV weak verbs), and Balto-Slavic, with some traces in Indo-Iranian (In Avestan the affix seems to form past-habitual stems).

It seems likely, though it is less certain, that this same **-h₁* underlies the nominative-accusative dual in *o*-stems: Sanskrit *vrkā*, Greek *lúkō* “two wolves”. (The alternative ending *-āu* in Sanskrit cuts a small figure in the Rigveda, but eventually becomes the standard form of the *o*-stem dual.)

**-h₁s-* derives desiderative stems as in Sanskrit *jighāṃsati* “desires to slay” < **g^{wh}i-g^{wh}ṇ-h₂s-e-ti-* (root **g^{wh}en-*, Sanskrit *han-* “slay”). This is the source of Greek future tense formations and (with the addition of a thematic suffix **-je/o-*) the Indo-Iranian one as well: *bhariṣyati* “will carry” < **bher-ḥ₁s-je-ti*.

-jeh₁-*/-ih₁-* is the optative suffix for root verb inflections, e.g. Latin (old) *siet* “may he be”, *sīmus* “may we be”, Sanskrit *syāt* “may he be”, and so on.

**h₂* is seen as the marker of the neuter plural: **-h₂* in the consonant stems, **-eh₂* in the vowel stems. Much leveling and remodeling is seen in the daughter languages that preserve any ending at all, thus Latin has generalized **-ā* throughout the noun system (later regularly shortened to *-a*), Greek generalized *-ǎ* < **-h₂*.

The categories “masculine/feminine” plainly did not exist in the most original form of Proto-Indo-European, and there are very few noun types which are formally different in the two genders. The formal differences are mostly to be seen in adjectives (and not all of them) and pronouns. Interestingly, both types of derived feminine stems feature **h₂*: a type that is patently derived from the *o*-stem nominals; and an ablauting type showing alternations between **-jeh₂-* and **-ih₂-*. Both are peculiar in having no actual marker for the nominative singular, and at least as far as the **-eh₂-* type, two things seem clear: it is based on the *o*-stems, and the nom.sg. is probably in origin a neuter plural. (An archaic trait of Indo-European morpho-syntax is that plural neuter nouns construe with *singular* verbs, and quite possibly **jugeh₂* was not so much “yokes” in our sense, but “yokage; a harnessing-up”.) Once that much is thought of, however, it is not easy to pin down the details of the “*ā*-stems” in the Indo-European languages outside of Anatolia, and such an analysis sheds no light at all on the **-jeh₂-*/**-ih₂-*

stems, which (like the **eh₂*-stems) form feminine adjective stems and derived nouns (e.g. Sanskrit *devī*- “goddess” from *deva*- “god”) but unlike the “*ā*-stems” have no foundation in any neuter category.

**-eh₂*- seems to have formed factitive verbs, as in **new-eh₂*- “to renew, make new again”, as seen in Latin *novāre*, Greek *neáō* and Hittite *ne-wa-aḫ-ḫa-an-t-* (participle) all “renew” but all three with the pregnant sense of “plow anew; return fallow land to cultivation”.

**-h₂*- marked the 1st person singular, with a somewhat confusing distribution: in the thematic active (the familiar *-ō* ending of Greek and Latin, and Indo-Iranian *-ā(mi)*), and also in the perfect tense (not really a tense in PIE): **-h₂e* as in Greek *oīda* “I know” < **wojd-h₂e*. It is the basis of the Hittite ending *-ḫhi*, as in *da-aḫ-ḫi* “I take” < **-ḫa-i* (original **-ḫa* embellished with the primary tense marker with subsequent smoothing of the diphthong).

**-eh₃* may be tentatively identified in a “directive case”. No such case is found in Indo-European noun paradigms, but such a construct accounts for a curious collection of Hittite forms like *ne-pi-ša* “(in)to the sky”, *ták-na-a* “to, into the ground”, *a-ru-na* “to the sea”. These are sometimes explained as *o*-stem datives in *-a* < **-ōj*, an ending clearly attested in Greek and Indo-Iranian, among others, but there are serious problems with such a view, and the forms are highly coherent, functionally. And there are also appropriate adverbs in Greek and Latin (elements lost in productive paradigms sometimes survive in stray forms, like the old instrumental case of the definite article in English expressions like *the more the merrier*): Greek *ánō* “upwards”, *kátō* “downwards”, Latin *quō* “whither?”, *eō* “to that place”; and perhaps even the Indic preposition/preverb *â* “to(ward)” which has no satisfactory competing etymology. (These forms must be distinguished from the similar-looking ones formed to the ablative in **-ōd* and with a distinctive “fromness” sense: Greek *ópō* “whence, from where”.)

PRONUNCIATION

Considerable debate still surrounds the pronunciation of the laryngeals and various arguments have been given to pinpoint their exact place of articulation. Firstly the effect these sounds have had on adjacent phonemes is well documented. The evidence from Hittite and Uralic is sufficient to conclude that these sounds were “guttural” or pronounced rather back in the buccal cavity. The same evidence is also consistent with the assumption that they were fricative sounds (as opposed to approximants or stops), an assumption which is strongly supported by the behaviour of laryngeals in consonant clusters.

The assumption that **h₁* is a glottal stop [ʔ] is still very widespread. A glottal stop would however be unlikely to be reflected as a fricative in Uralic borrowings, as appears to be the case, for example in the word *lehti* < **lešte* < PIE **bhlh₁-to*. If, as some evidence suggests, there were two **h₁* sounds, then one may have been the glottal stop [ʔ] and the other may have been the h sound [h] of English “hat”.

Rasmussen suggests a consonantal realization for $*h_1$ as [h] with a vocalic allophone [ə]. This is supported by the closeness of [ə] to [e] (with which it coalesces in Greek), its failure (unlike $*h_2$ and $*h_3$) to create an auxiliary vowel in Greek and Tocharian when it occurs between a semivowel and a consonant, and the typological likelihood of a [h] given the presence of aspirated consonants in PIE.

From what is known of such phonetic conditioning in contemporary languages, notably Semitic languages, $*h_2$ (the "a-colouring" laryngeal) could have been a pharyngeal or epiglottal fricative such as [ħ], [ʕ], [ħ], or [ʕ]. Pharyngeal/epiglottal consonants (like the Arabic letter ح (ħ) as in Muḥammad) often cause a-coloring in the Semitic languages.

Rasmussen suggests a consonantal realization for $*h_2$ as [x], with a vocalic allophone [ə].

Likewise it is generally assumed that $*h_3$ was rounded (labialized) due to its o-coloring effects. It is often taken to be voiced based on the perfect form $*pi-bh_3-$ from the root $*peh_3$ "drink". Based on the analogy of Arabic, some linguists have assumed that $*h_3$ was also pharyngeal/epiglottal [ʕ^w ~ ʕ^w] like Arabic ʕ (ayin, as in Arabic muʕallim = "teacher") plus labialization, although the assumption that it was velar [ɣ^w] is probably more common. (The reflexes in Uralic languages could be the same whether the original phonemes were velar or pharyngeal.)

Rasmussen suggests a consonantal realization for $*h_3$ as [ɣ^w], with a vocalic allophone [ə]

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III.1. MODERN INDO-EUROPEAN OR THE REVIVED PIE LANGUAGE

The idea arose in Easter 2004. I was studying at the Public Library of Badajoz with Mayte and some friends, and I kept reading some books about the Pre-Roman peoples of the Iberian Peninsula. The Lusitanians draw my attention, not only because they lived in our southwestern Iberian lands some millennia before us, but also because their old inscriptions were easily understood for somebody with little knowledge of Latin, and still it was classified as a “*Celtic-like Indo-European dialect*” by the author. I took some more books about Proto-Indo-European history, culture and language, and made my first notes about how could it be to inflect nouns and conjugate verbs in such an old language... and it didn't sound that strange.



European Union depicted as a single country.

Two years later, after months of (irregular) study and work, the enterprise I eventually decided to undertake is finished, the basis for a complete grammatical system is more or less done, and the websites are working. It doesn't matter whether Indo-European revival succeeds or not, my personal objective is achieved; at least the farthest I've been able to carry it.

However, I can't stop thinking about how to make good use of this work, how to benefit those who worked, work and will work on this project, as well as the European Union, turning this personal project into different not-for-profit businesses (*job-maker* corporations, so to speak), e.g. in the Badajoz-Elvas Eurocity, mainly for specialized workers, philologists, translators and interpreters, computer engineers, etc. I can only imagine two possible situations of success for the Indo-European language revival: either some regional, national or European public or private institutions support the project, and it is implemented and institutionalized in order; or, as it was originally planned, this turns to be an Open Source social movement, and consequently everyone tries to make a better project, with many different independent groups – institutions or individuals with limited resources –, which somehow manage to lead a disorderly revival.

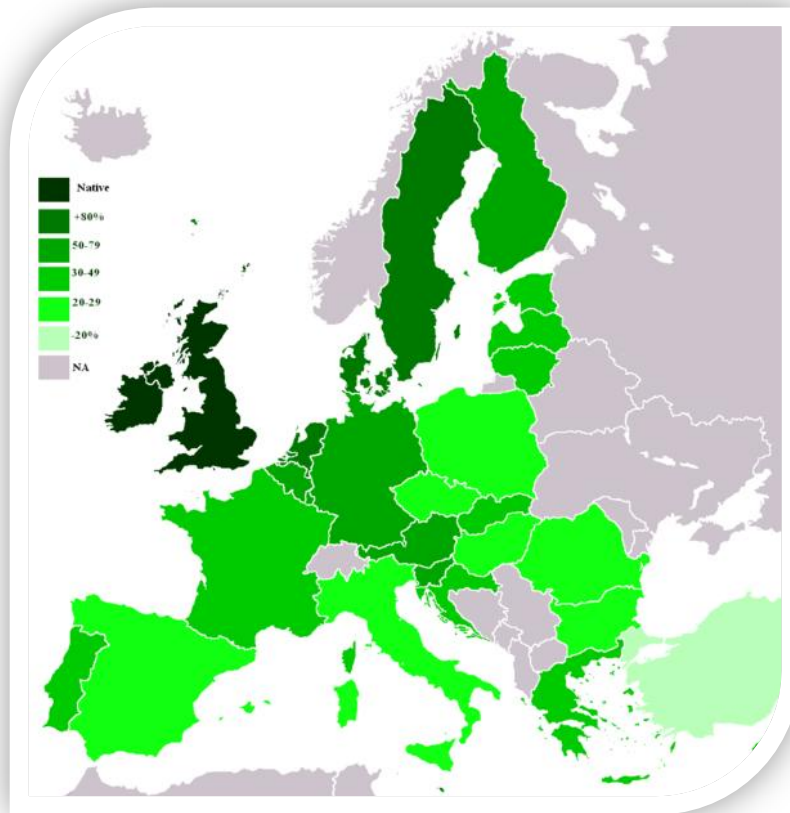
I think that, if it eventually succeeds, and if Europe manages to profit from these first confusing moments to keep all possible niches of this future market of Modern Indo-European, the output could be a radical change in the situation of the European economy in relation with the United States and other English-speaking countries, and especially a change in the perception that Europeans have of their Community and its peoples.

If we had to compare this project with traditional investments, we should say that, while the investment of public institutions in agrarian and industrial projects – or the investing of time and efforts of an individual in public competitions to become a civil servant – is like a guaranteed fixed deposit; to bet on this project – as an individual or an institution – is like investing in tiny and risky securities of a local Asian Stock Exchange. In the first case, the benefit is certain and well-known, whilst the second is a lottery, in which the amount invested can be completely lost or doubled with – apparently – the same probability.

The only reason why people would invest in such a lottery is because it is not only a matter of chance. We at Dnghu have believed in it, and still believe, investing a lot of time and money. I hope you believe in it too.

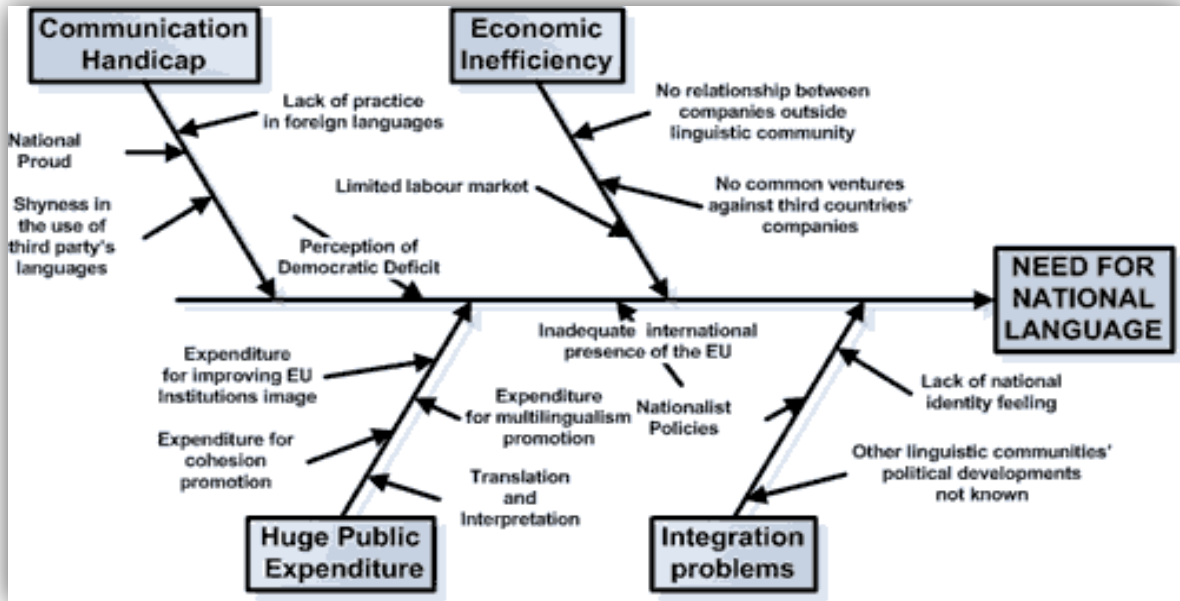
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Co-founder of Dnghu



Real knowledge of English within the European Union. Differently as what happens in Israel or the United States, the “common” language studied in almost every school and high school within the EU, English, is not learned as well as the own language. Whatever the sociological, cultural, anthropological, political and/or psychological reasons behind such behaviour, it is clear that Latin or artificial languages as Esperanto couldn’t solve this situation, either. Modern Indo-European, on the other hand, is a new possibility which could change completely our concept of a united Europe.

III.2. EUROPEAN UNION INEFFICIENCIES



Simplified Cause and Effect Diagram of Present-Day European Union Problems'

Some of the problems derived from the lack of one national language for the EU can be seen in this cause and effect diagram. This inefficient situation, already pointed out long ago, hadn't until recently any stable solution.

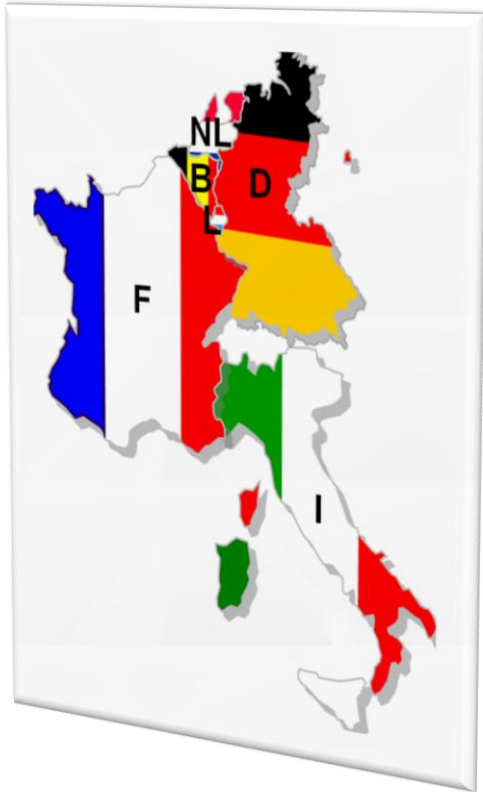
The revival of the Proto-Indo-European language makes it possible, with adequate linguistic policy and planning, to put an end to many of these problems and to open a new horizon for integration and collaboration between the citizens and regions of the European Union.

Since the very beginnings of the EEC, the three main languages (*working languages*), English, French and German, were used for every communication, while English was unofficially the *lingua franca* used by all in direct conversations and other immediate communication needs.

This model, the most logical and simple in the initial small European Community after WWII, has become obsolete, with the increase in the number of official languages and, at the same time, the growth of political demands for more presence in European institutions among defenders of national and regional or co-official languages.

It seems today that every hope of achieving a USA-like system – where English is the only official language for the Federation – is discarded: while in US history English has won in every Federal State

– although there is also co-officiality in some of them, like Spanish in New Mexico or French in Louisiana –, in Europe the Union does not lay its foundations on some English-speaking colonies of immigrants. On the contrary, the only reason why English is spoken as the European Union *lingua franca* is the predominant position of the United States within the international community since the foundation of the ECSC until today.



In the beginnings of the EEC, English as a lingua franca was the best linguistic policy.

The choice of English as the only official language for a future EU Federation is discarded; countries like France or Germany – and possibly Spain, Italy or Poland –, among others, would not accept it, as it would mean to abandon legitimate linguistic rights in favour of other States, without a sufficient justification in terms of population, political or economical relevance. The existence of a Nation with at least 25 official languages where none is over the others is a beautiful idea, and also an obvious utopia. At present, 23 languages – and four at least to come – are official, some semi-official (like Basque or Catalan), 3 of them *working languages* - i.e., *officially more important than the rest*-, and one, English, serves (unofficially) for general communication. This does not seem the best of the possible solutions: it lacks the European spirit necessary for correct integration between the different nations in a common country, and is clearly inefficient.

To date, only some isolated proposals had claimed to be intermediate solutions, as the adoption of Latin, or the use of supposedly ‘neutral’ invented languages (as Esperanto, Ido, Interlingua, etc.). In both cases, the main supposed advantage consists in not being any of the present European Union languages and, because of that, not having theoretical cultural barriers for its acceptance. Latin has been Europe’s *lingua franca* for centuries – before being substituted by French in the 18th century –, while Volapük and its following clones and remakes (as Esperanto and the like) were invented by individuals with an international vocation, aimed at (above all) being easy to learn. However, as both solutions are not living languages, and because they are obviously unable to become EU’s national language, the Europeans’ answer has been at best of indifference to such proposals, thus accepting the deficient linguistic *statu quo*.

MODERN HEBREW AND THE LAND OF ISRAEL

The language of Israel is Modern Hebrew: it is not their only language, as many old Israelis still speak better their old languages – like Judeo-Spanish or Yiddish (Judeo-German) – than modern Hebrew, and it is certainly not a very practical language from an international point of view. However, the Land of Israel needed a language, and even though they also had the possibility of choosing between different alternatives, as international languages (like French, English or Turkish), death languages (like Latin or its *equivalent*ⁱ to Hebrews, Aramaic), or even artificial language systems (as Volapük or Esperanto), they chose the historical language of Israel, Hebrew, a language dead 2.500 years before – after the conquest of Jerusalem by the Nebuchadnezzar II –, and transmitted and very formal 500 years older. Hebrew limited exactitude, and at was generalized, mainly but, in practice, it was a and ease of use and learning, learn today) the sacred texts European countries still have subjects in High School.



11th century Targum. Mediaeval remains are the oldest writings of Old Hebrew.

Babylonians under whose texts, mainly orally religious writings, are deemed could only be reconstructed with first opposition to the language because of religious concerns; language that united tradition as many Jews learned (and still in old Hebrew, just as many Latin and Greek as obligatory

Europe faces today a to defend more European customs union is maybe all countries, just a supranational entity with some delegated legislative powers. But if we want, as it seems, to achieve a Confederation-like State (like Switzerland) or even a European Federation (as the US or Germany), then the only linguistic non-utopic solution, which unites tradition and ease of use and learning, is Modern Indo-European or the revived Proto-Indo-European language, because it is the *grandmother* of the languages of almost all citizens of the EU. Modern Indo-European is free of regional meaning –that could hurt the national proud of the others –, and, at the same time, full of European common significance.

ⁱ Before the Jews were expelled from their homeland, they spoke Aramaic, which substituted Old Hebrew after the fall of Jerusalem.

III.3. MORE THAN JUST A *LINGUA FRANCA*, EUROPE'S NATIONAL LANGUAGE

The game theory is a branch of applied mathematics that studies strategic situations where players choose different actions in an attempt to maximize their returns. It studies optimal strategies of foreseen and observed behaviour of individuals in such games; it studies, then, the choice of the optimal behaviour when costs and benefits of each option are not fixed, but depend on the choice of the other players.

The following table is based on “Special Eurobarometer 243” of the European Commission with the title “Europeans and their Languages”, published on February 2006 with research carried out on November and December 2005. The survey was published before the 2007 Enlargement of the European Union, when Bulgaria and Romania acceded. This is a poll, not a census. 28,694 citizens with a minimum age of 15 were asked in the then 25 member-states as well as in the then future member-states (Bulgaria, Romania) and the candidate countries (Croatia, Turkey) at the time of the survey. Only citizens, not immigrants, were asked.

The first table shows what proportion of citizens said that they could have a conversation in each language as their mother tongue and as a second language or foreign language (only the languages with at least 2% of the speakers are listed):

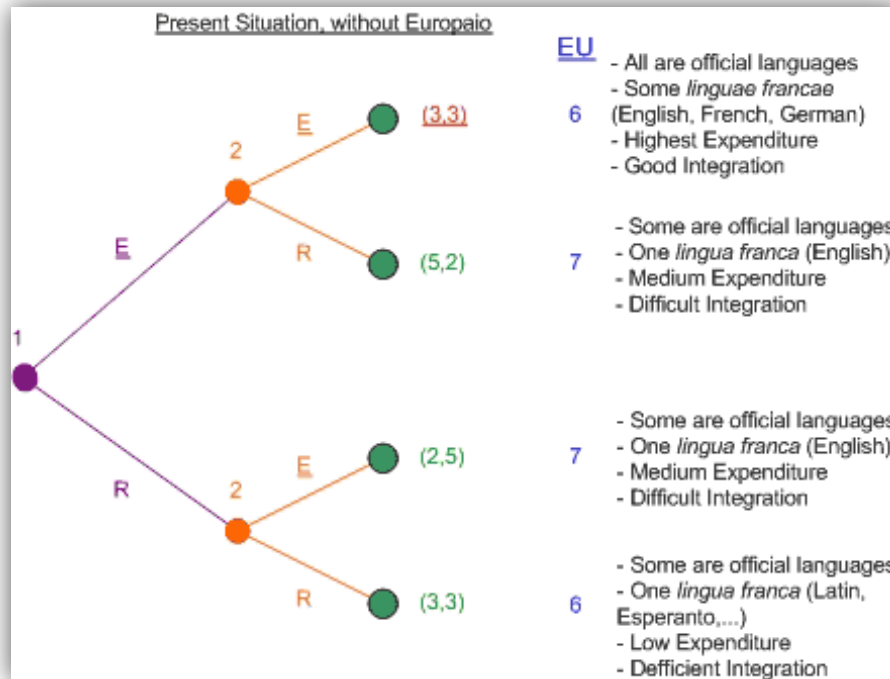
Language	Mother Tongue	Not Mother Tongue	Total Proportion
English	13%	38%	51%
German	18%	14%	32%
French	12%	14%	26%
Italian	13%	3%	16%
Spanish	9%	6%	15%
Polish	9%	1%	10%
Dutch	5%	1%	6%
Russian	1%	6%	7%
Swedish	2%	1%	3%
Greek	3%	0%	3%
Czech	2%	1%	3%
Portuguese	2%	0%	2%
Hungarian	2%	0%	2%
Slovak	1%	1%	2%
Catalan	1%	1%	2%

Languages spoken within the European Union (more than 2%). Data for EU25.

The European Union’s Linguistic Policy game is depicted here in extensive form, with a decision tree, where each vertex (or node) represents a point of choice for a player. The player is specified by a number listed by the vertex. The lines out of the vertex represent a possible action for that player. The payoffs are specified at the bottom of the tree.

In this simplified game there are 2 players. Player 1, who represents any linguistic community within the EU, moves first and choose between two options; one, (E) *Egoistical*, consists in favouring the own language, and the other (R), consists in *Renouncing* the own language in favor of any other option. Player 2, who represents other linguistic community within the EU, sees the move of player 1 and choose in turn E or R. For example, if player 1 chooses E and then player 2 chooses R, player 2 obtains 2 points and player 1 obtains 5 points; if he chooses E, both obtain 3 points each. The payoff of being able to speak the own language with better status than the other is then 5 -due to, say, national proud-, and the contrary -for the same reason- has a value of 2, while speaking both languages at the same level has a payoff of 3.

This – simplistically depicted – game is constantly played within the EU by the different linguistic communities: UK and Ireland for English, Germany and Austria mainly for German, France and Belgium for French,etc.

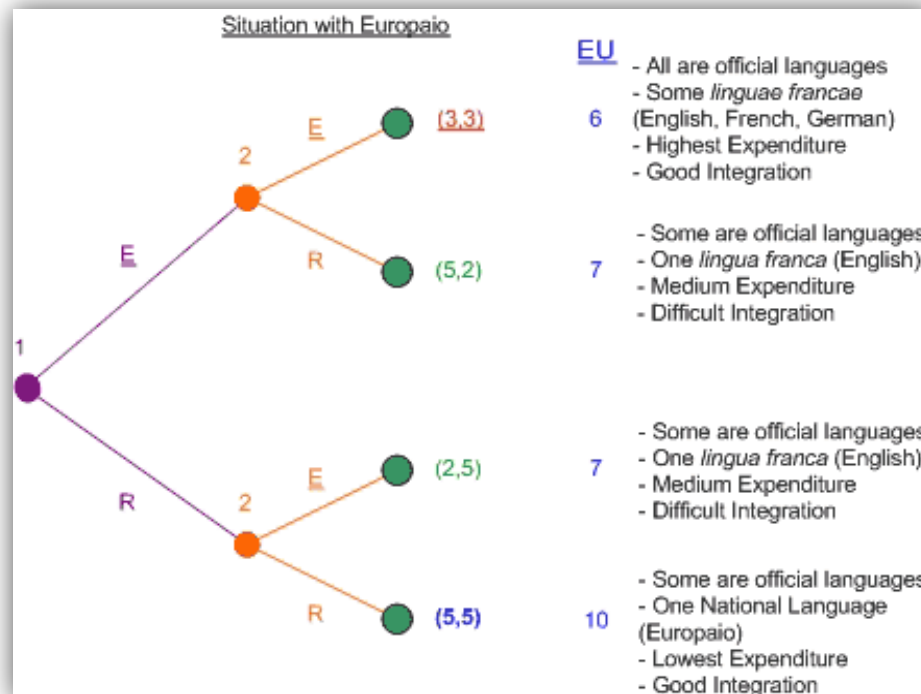


Present Situation of the linguistic policy in the EU, without Modern Indo-European.

The equilibrium obtained in this game is always the same, as every pair of players has in the *Egoistic* the best of their possible decisions. Player 1, which is the first to decide – let's say he decides first because he represents an important linguistic community, like the English, or a majority, like the German – obtains 5 or 3 points if he behaves *Egoistically*, but 3 or 2 points if he *Renounces* his linguistic rights. The first option (underlined) is the best in any of the possible events. For the second player, the payoff of behaving *Egoistically* is 3 or 5, while *Renouncing* his rights would give him 2 or 3 points. Again, the *Egoistical* behaviour is the best.

It is obvious, however, that this output (3,3) is inefficient for the EU, which would benefit from the sacrifice of some linguistic communities to obtain a better situation, although none is prepared to give up. Hence the unstable equilibrium, where everybody has an interest in changing the final output, in negotiations where the EU looks for the optimal punctuation of the scheme (7 points), with less languages – in the real world the EU chooses unofficially English as *lingua franca* and French and German for some other *working issues* –, while every community has an incentive to behave *Egoistically* to be, in a hypothetical situation, the one to enjoy the maximum output of 5 points.

After the introduction of Modern Indo-European (a systematized Proto-Indo-European), the payoff of the option in which both players renounce their linguistic rights change, but the solution of the game (at



European Union linguistic policy after the introduction of Modern Indo-European

least in theory), paradoxically, not.

The payoff of behaving *Egoistically* for both players is 3 or 5 points, while that of *Renouncing* is 2 or 5. Then, even after the introduction of *Europaio* as the alternative, the output of the game will still be the *Egoistic* one.

The global situation is completely different, though, as the equilibrium sought by the European Union is that which will give the maximum global payoff, 10; once obtained this equilibrium, no player will have incentives to change his decision, because his situation will not be better off. The game has, then, only one Nash Equilibrium, Pareto optimal, and the players (which are, in general, rational) will choose the strategies that agree with it.

The European Parliament. Can you imagine how European Parliamentary sessions are driven and followed by its multilingual members without a common national language? How can we expect a more democratic Europe without a common language for the Legislative, for the Executive, for Justice, for the Administration?



III.4. DNGHU, THE INDO-EUROPEAN LANGUAGE ASSOCIATION

Language planning refers to the deliberate efforts to influence the behaviour of others with respect to the acquisition, structure, or functional allocation of language. Typically it will involve the development of goals, objectives and strategies to change the way language is used. At a governmental level, language planning takes the form of language policy. Many nations have language regulatory bodies which are specifically charged with formulating and implementing language planning policies.

Language planning can be divided into three sub-dimensions:

Corpus planning refers to intervention in the forms of a language. This may be achieved by creating new words or expressions, modifying old ones, or selecting among alternative forms. Corpus planning aims to develop the resources of a language so that it becomes an appropriate medium of communication for modern topics and forms of discourse, equipped with the terminology needed for use in administration, education, etc. Corpus planning is often related to the standardization of a language, involving the preparation of a normative orthography, grammar, and dictionary for the guidance of writers and speakers in a speech community. Efforts at linguistic purism and the exclusion of foreign words also belong to corpus planning, and for a previously unwritten language, the first step in corpus planning is the development of a writing system.

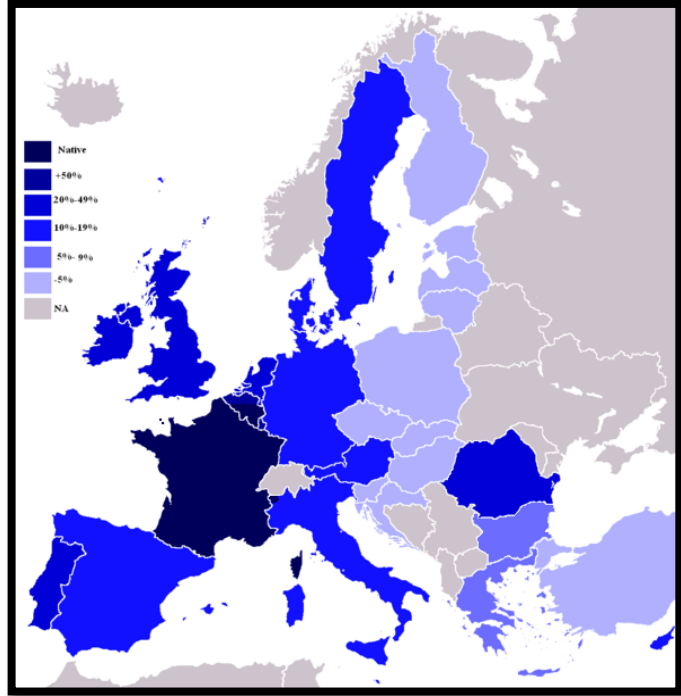
Status planning refers to deliberate efforts to allocate the functions of languages and literacies within a speech community. It involves status choices, making a particular language or variety an ‘official language’, ‘national language’, etc. Often it will involve elevating a language or dialect into a prestige variety, which may be at the expense of competing dialects. Status planning is part and parcel of creating a new writing system since a writing system can only be developed after a suitable dialect is chosen as the standard.

Acquisition planning concerns the teaching and learning of languages, whether national languages or second and foreign languages. It involves efforts to influence the number of users and the distribution of languages and literacies, achieved by creating opportunities or incentives to learn them. Such efforts may be based on policies of assimilation or pluralism. Acquisition planning is directly related to language spread. While acquisition planning is normally the province of national, regional, or local governments, bodies such as the British Council, Alliance française, Instituto Cervantes and Goethe-Institut are also very active internationally promoting education in their respective languages.

The main objective of the Dnghu Association is exactly to make use of its pioneering role in reviving the Indo-European language to become the reference institution for the development of Modern Indo-European or the revived Proto-Indo-European language, a set of grammatical rules necessary for proper communication in present-day Europe. This role includes:

A. Administering a group of experts in Indo-European linguistics, who should develop thoroughly the Corpus linguistics of Modern Indo-European, through a Consortium of universities and other renowned linguistic institutions, establishing guidelines and recommendations to be accepted by all. The Consortium should be located in some clearly Europeanist city, like Brussels, Strasbourg, Bologna, or otherwise where the first important university of Central Europe joins.

B. Also, as many resources as possible should be used to promote the birth of a social movement for revival: we called those projects “**Europaio**” – which is the easily recognizable name of the language system –, comprising Open Source software and other works and Wiki websites’ content under *Copyleft* licenses, to attract everyone to participate and join; and also – being consistent with real *Copyleft* premises – allowing everyone to develop their own projects in case they don’t like ours. This way, Indo-European revival is the only secured beneficiary of the community efforts (whether united or dispersed), and Indo-European has a bigger chance to become the future official language of the EU.



Knowledge of French in the European Union. Along with the knowledge of German, Spanish or Russian, all those who know at least English and French have it easier to learn the reconstructed Proto-Indo-European. If they learn Latin and Greek, they will have it still easier.

C. Lastly, incorporating a legal framework, the **Indo-European Language Association**, to manage and administer the aforementioned projects of language planning, dividing its activities into different zones, and trying to:

1. Publish grammars, referente guides, dictionaries, specialized reviews in Indo-European linguistics, collaborating with experts in Proto-Indo-European, and also arranging conferences and workgroups. Dnghu would be, then, a reference for works in or about the Indo-European language.
2. Publish learning methods, whether official or not, either free or proprietary, like manuals for school, high school or university students; CD-ROMs and other multimedia learning tools; distance courses through e-learning; translation software for individuals and professionals, etc.

3. Translate literary works, promote literary or general artistic creations, work in subtitles and dubbing of films, and all kinds of promotional activities addressed to the public, with a market of more than 400 million Europeans.

4. Organize language courses for individuals and companies, taught in every Dnghu center, with some special locations for intensive and summer courses under a only-Indo-European-spoken-here rule.

5. Broadcasting of news, television and radio programs in Indo-European, making use of the Internet and new multimedia technologies, trying to become a reference source for independent news, the way the BBC and the Deutsche-Welle are in their languages.

6. Receive public subsidies from the EU and the regions that host the Indo-European revival projects. Promote donations of individuals as a logical means to fund new technologies and free licences.

7. Function as Think Tank in Brussels, influencing the policies of the European Union with legal and legitimate means, pushing for a more pro-Europeanist approach and the Indo-European language adoption as the national language.

However detailed the European Union budget is, one cannot actually calculate the annual costs of not having a common national language as Modern Indo-European.

EU budget 2007 in figures

Expenditure estimates for EU policies (in billion EUR)	Budget 2007	Change from 2006
Sustainable growth	54.9	15.4 %
Competitiveness, including:	9.4	18.6 %
Education and training	0.9	31.0 %
Research	5.5	3.1 %
Competitiveness and innovation	0.4	53.6 %
Energy and transport networks	1.0	32.9 %
Social policy agenda	0.2	8.6 %
Cohesion, including:	45.5	14.8 %
Convergence	35.3	16.8 %
Regional competitiveness and employment	9.0	11.5 %
Territorial cooperation	1.1	-11.7 %
Natural resources, including:	56.3	1.0 %
Environment	0.2	17.9 %
Agricultural expenditure and direct aids	42.7	0.6 %
Rural development	12.4	3.0 %
Freedom, security and justice (including fundamental rights and justice, security and liberties, migration flows)	0.6	12.8 %
Citizenship (including culture, media, public health and consumer protection)	0.6	0.8 %
EU as a global player, including:	6.8 (*)	4.5 (%)
Pre-accession	1.3	16.5 % (*)
European neighbourhood	1.4	11.1 %
Development cooperation	2.2	-5.4 % (*)
Humanitarian aid	0.7	3.1 %
Democracy and human rights	0.1	9.6 %
Common foreign and security policy	0.2	55.2 %
Stability instrument	0.1	143.6 %
Administration, including:	6.9	5.1 %
European Commission	3.3	5.3 %
Other institutions	2.6	4.8 %
Compensations to new EU countries (%)	0.4	-58.6 %
Total	126.5	5.0 %

(*) Including Emergency Aid Reserve.
 (**) Excluding Budgetary and Financials.
 (***) Reduction due to the exceptional amounts allocated in 2006 to the past financial, Afghanistan and Iraq reconstruction efforts.
 (****) Areas still held by the accession candidates.

EUROPEAN UNION EXPENDITURE

The actual costs that the European Union bears because of not having a common national language (apart from some officiously selected *lingua franca*) is incalculable; just compare how businesses, politics, students and people behave within the United States, and how they function within the EU. Without a common language, the Union is nothing more than a customs union, whatever the intention of its member states. There are some limited and intentionally obscure statistics, though, as to how the direct expenditure of the EU institutions are:

Beginning with the *Lingua programme* in 1990, the European Union invests more than €30 million a year (out of a €120 billion EU budget) promoting language learning through the *Socrates* and *Leonardo da Vinci* programmes in: bursaries to enable language teachers to be trained abroad, placing foreign language assistants in schools, funding class exchanges to motivate pupils to learn languages, creating new language courses on CDs and the Internet and projects that raise awareness of the benefits of language learning.



Also, 13% of the annual budget for administration (6% of the European Union total) is dedicated to translation and interpretation, with more than 2.000 public employers working to translate and interpret – whether immediately or not – the most they can to every language pair. Recent statistics talk about 1.123 million euros invested in translation and interpretation, a total of 1% of the total budget, “2,28 euros per capita”, as the European Union likes to point out, i.e., 1 of each 100 euros that we pay in taxes for the Union is dedicated exclusively to the translation of papers, websites, to the Europarliament sessions, etc. Furthermore, we are paying 25 million euros for each language made official; however, only English is really promoted

Expenses related to the lack of a common language are impossible to ascertain.

within the institutions, French is sometimes also used, and Germans complaint because they want their language to be at least as important as French... And all this for “just 2,28 euros per capita” annually; wow, what a bargain!

François Grin, specialist in economics of linguistics and linguistic policy, published in 2005 a report in which he pointed out that Great Britain, because of the predominance of its language within the Union, had between 17.000 y 18.000 million euros a year for language learning, thus profiting from the need of the other member states (imposed by our public institutions) to learn English. Not to talk about the

other English-speaking countries (as the US, Canada, Australia, South Africa, etc.), which profit from Europeans because of our own choice.

Both specialized industries, of translating-interpreting in Brussels, and of language teaching and learning in the UK, could adapt themselves and profit from the increase of businesses and jobs based on Indo-European language translation and learning needs.

The loss of thousands of jobs of EU's translators and interpreters, as well as the decrease in UK's GDP because of the adoption of MIE, are then not only avoidable, but even just another excuse – they are in fact in a better position to handle such a change than other national companies and institutions within the EU. It is, then, a question of willingness (of Brussels and England) to adopt a common natural language, beyond almost every other consideration.

III.5. CONCLUSION

As a conclusion, we can only say that, paradoxically, even if this simple study was correctly made, there are three main factors which have determined the success of the Hebrew language revival, whilst other revival attempts, as that of Latin or Coptic, or artificial language adoptions (as Esperanto, Ido, Interlingua, Lojban, etc.) have completely failed:

1. The **real necessity** of a common language (not just a *lingua franca*) among tiny workgroups – as in the first schools of Israel, which needed a common language other than English or French to teach to multilingual pupils. Such immediate necessity could show the real need for a common language in Europe, and help boost the Indo-European language revival. As an example, compare that, even if mobile phones seem to be now a need for most people, fifteen years ago it was a luxury good, only owned by those who needed it the most, as brokers; it was because of that first step – with big economic efforts for a then still inaccurate technology – of those who needed it the most, that the rest of us realized the advantages of the new technology, and that it spread to reach everyone.

NOTE. As a first step toward the realizing of such actual need, we are currently implementing a change in European education for the next years – beginning with the Spanish education system in the 11th and 12th year –, namely the promotion of the teaching of a more general subject in the high school, “European Languages”, to substitute the current traditional optative/obligatory subjects “Latin”, “Greek” or “Classical Culture”, as well as third languages like “French”, “German”, “Russian”, “Italian”, etc.

The learning of such a subject (which would mainly give general notions on Proto-Indo-European and IE dialects of Europe like Latin, Germanic, Greek, Balto-Slavic, Celtic and Albanian) could easily demonstrate how those students who have passed it show 1) a greater understanding of foreign Indo-European languages of Europe, and especially 2) how they learn other European languages more easily, compared to those students who have

learnt merely a third IE language (either dead or alive), apart from the obligatory national and/or co-official and the second language.

2. The **individual will** of people to learn such a language. Unlike Esperanto, Latin, French or English, the Jews of Palestine learnt the reconstructed Modern Hebrew as an own language, not because of some external imposition, but mainly because of the thousands who (one-by-one or group-by-group) decided freely to learn it and use it openly with others. After more than a century of unending invented languages, there are still people who think that a language can be imposed by way of asserting the social advantages of its adoption – *viz.* ease of use, cultural ‘neutrality’, or even supposed “number of speakers”. However, their obvious lack of success, along with the boom of national and regional languages’ revival during the same period, shows that – whatever the underlying sociological and psychological foundations for such a behaviour –, it is not only cold reason and perfect philosophy what makes people learn and adopt a language as an own one, but also passion and desire, love for the own, interest for the old, maybe also fear for the foreign, etc.

3. The **support of public institutions**, from some point on, will also be necessary. However, we are convinced about its secondary role in the adoption of Modern Indo-European in Europe. With the television, the Internet, and other modern technologies, as well as *libre* culture and licences – and maybe also the growing culture of small private donations –, the support of the institutions of the European Union is not necessary in these first steps of the linguistic revival, until it becomes a language really used by young people within the Union.

ETYMOLOGICAL NOTES

Vocabulary is one of the best reconstructed parts of the Late Proto-Indo-European language. Indo-European studies have extensively dealt with the reconstruction of common PIE words and its derivatives, and lots of modern dictionaries of IE languages as Latin, English, German, Greek, Sanskrit, etc. already give etymologies in PIE roots apart from the oldest forms in their languages.

NOTE. There are some excellent free databases on IE etymologies, which make printed works unnecessary, as they become quickly outdated by the continued corrections and additions. Links to online databases on PIE and IE languages are available at our website, where Pokorny's Etymological Dictionary might be downloaded in PDF <<http://dnghu.org/en/Indo-European%20etymological%20dictionary/>> or directly consulted in HTML format at <<http://dnghu.org/indoeuropean.html>>. Common Proto-Indo-European words to be used in MIE can be looked for with the Pdf or Excell document at <http://dnghu.org/en/proto-indo-european-language/>, and our Indo-European translator-dictionary <<http://indo-european.info/>> allows translation of whole sentences and contains a Wiki Etymology Dictionary.

Good resources might also be found at <<http://www.indo-european.nl/>>, managed by the Department of Comparative Indo-European Linguistics at Leiden University, and in The Tower of Babel <<http://starling.rinet.ru/>>, a project oriented to Eurasiatic, Nostratic and the like, less focused on PIE proper, but sharing downloadable software and PDFs for quick offline queries.

These notes are not intended to substitute the existing reference works, and indeed not to substitute the common PIE vocabulary to be used in Modern Indo-European, but just to facilitate the comprehension of Proto-Indo-European roots in light of their derivatives (and related to the vocabulary used in this grammar), showing also reconstructed IE forms based on the common English vocabulary.

Many reconstructed derivatives are then from Germanic or from international words of Graeco-Latin origin, but this doesn't imply we recommend their use over other common PIE words: for example, Latin loans **gnātionālīs*, *national*, or **gnātionālītā-*, *nationality*, are not used in some Germanic and most Slavic languages, and should be substituted by other, 'purer' or 'less biased' Proto-Indo-European terms (see notes 41 and 77). Also, non-IE suffixes Lat. *aiqi-*, "*aequi-*", Gmc. *iso-*, "*ice-*", Gk. *geo-*, could be substituted by common PIE formations, and secondary formations as e.g. Lat. *re-*, "*again*", could be replaced by a 'purer' IE *ati-*, and suffix *-ti* could be used instead of secondary Ita., Arm. *-tio(n)*, etc.

NOTE. For Modern Indo-European *ār-* (PIH *arH-*), compare Hitt. *arha*, "*border*" (cf. *arha kisai*, "*dismantle*"), Gk. *ορος*, O.Ind. *āre*, "*far*", etc. However, its original meaning as a prefix was probably not "*(do) again*" as in Lat. *re-*, but instead "*get back to the original situation*" (a use replaced in Latin by prefix *dis-*), cf. Lat. *resuō*, "*unstitch*", *respicō*, "*look back*", *reiciō*, "*reject*", etc.

1. *Carlos Quiles*, translated as Modern Indo-European ***Górilos Kūriakī***, lit. *Old-man (Son-)of-"of-the-Lord"*:

a. *Carlos* is a popular Spanish name derived from Germanic **karilaz*, whose basic meaning is “old man”. In Finnish, the Germanic word was borrowed and survives almost unchanged as *karilas*. The Old Norse descendant of the Germanic word, *karl*, means “old man, servant”, and the Old High German equivalent, *karal/keral*, meaning “man, lover, husband”, has become the name *Karl* and noun *Kerl*, and appears also as O.Eng. *Ceorl* (Eng. *churl*), “freeman of the lowest class”. Middle High German *karl*, “freeman”, was adopted into northern French as *Charles*, from which we have the name Charles. The Medieval Latin form *Carolus* is based on the Old High German *karal*. The fame of *Carolus Magnus*, “Charles the Great”, or Charlemagne, added luster to the name *Carolus* and explains why the Slavic languages borrowed the name as their general word for “king”, *korol'* in Russian. Gmc. *karilaz/kerilaz* should thus be translated as proper PIE adjective **gorilós/gerilós**, and therefore as proper MIE name m. **Górilos**, f. **Górilā**, cf. Gk. *γηραλέος*, “old”, *γέρον* (as in Eng. *geriatrics*), O.C.S. *zvrěľь*; also, cf. O.Ind. *járant*, Lat. *glarea*, etc.

Compare also with the etymology for *gorilla*, MIE **gorillā**, coming from Gk. pl. *gorillai* (MIE **gorillās**), pl. of name given to wild, hairy women in Gk. translation of Carthaginian navigator Hanno's account of a tribe seen in his explorations along the N.W. coast of Africa (Sierra Leone), c. 500 B.C. Knowing that story, U.S. missionary Thomas Savage applied that name to the apes (Troglodytes gorills) he saw in that region in 1847.

b. *Quiles* is a genitive, and means “(son) of *quili*” (cf. Spa. *Quílez*, Cat. *Quilis*, Ast. *Quirós*, Gal-Pt. *Quiris*). It comes, from mediaeval noun *Quirici*->*Quili* (shortened and with *r*->*l*), a loan word from Gk. *Κυριακος* (Indo-European **kūriakos**), “of the Lord”, from which It./Spa. *Quirico*, Gl.-Pt. *Queirici*, Cat. *Quirce*, Fr. *Quirice*, O.N. *kirkja*, Eng. *church*, Scots *kirk* or Ger. *Kirche*. PIE root **keu-** means *swell*. IE **kūrios** means *master, lord*, as Gk. *κύριος*, and adjective *Kyriakos* was used as Roman cognomen *Cyriacos*. **Kūriakī** should then be the proper genitive of the MIE loan-translated Greek term, meaning.

2. For PIE root **bhā-** (PIH **b^heh₂* colored into **b^hah₁*) compare modern derivatives: zero-grade (**bha-**) suffixed **bhauknos**, *beacon, signal*, as Gmc. *bauknaz* (cf. O.E. *beacen*, O.Fris. *bacen*, M.Du. *bokin*, O.H.G. *bouhhan*, O.Fr. *boue*, “buoy”), **bhasiā**, *berry* (“bright-coloured fruit”), as Gmc. *bazjo* (cf. O.E. *berie, berige*, O.H.G. *beri*, Frank. *bram-besi* into O.Fr. *framboise*, “raspberry”, MIE **bhrambhasiā**); **bhanduos**, *banner, identifying sign, standard*, hence “company united under a particular banner” as Gmc. *bandwaz* (cf. Goth. *banwa*, also L.Lat. *bandum* into Sp. *banda*); suffixed zero-grade **bhauōs, bhautós**, *light*, as Gk. *φῶς, φωτός*, (MIE **bhauōs, bhauesós**), as in common borrowings **bhauotogrbhīā**, MIE **bhauesogrbhīā**, (see **gerbh-**), *photography*, or **bhauōsbhoros**, “bearing light”, *morning star, phosphorus*. See **bhā-** for more IE derivatives.

3. Modern derivatives from IE **dnghūs**, *language*, are usually feminine (as general **dnghwā**), but for extended in **-i** Bal.-Sla. **dnghwis**, cf. Baltic *leĩžuwis, inžuwis*, and further extended in **-k-**, Sla. *jězĩkь* (cf. Russ. *язык*, Pl. *język*, Cz. *jazik*, Sr.-Cr., Slo. *jezik*, Bul. *езук*). Compare, for the noun of the English (language), modern Indo-European words: neuter O.E. *Englisc*, Ger. *Englisch*, Du. *Engels*, Gk. n.pl. *Αγγλικά*; masculine is found in Scandinavian *engelsk*, in Romance – where the neuter merged with the masculine – Fr. *anglais*, It. *inglese*, Spa. *inglés*, Pt. *inglese*, as well as alternative Lat. *sermō latīnus*, and Slavic (following the masculine of the word “language”), Russ. *английский [язык]*, Pol. *język angielski*, Bul. *английску [езук]*, Sr.-Cro. *engleski [jezik]* etc.);

feminine (following the gender of “*language*”) Lat. *anglica* [*lingua*], Rom. [*limba*] *engleză*, or Slavic Cz. *angličtina*, Slo. *angleščina*, Bel. *английская*; or no gender at all, as in Arm. *angleren* [*lezu*].

4. PIE root **wer-**, *speak*, (PIH *werh₃*), gives MIE **wṛdhom**, *word*, as Gmc. *wurdam*, (cf. Goth. *waurd*, O.N. *orð*, O.S., O.Fris., O.E. *word*, Du. *woord*, O.H.G., Ger. *wort*), and **werdhom**, *word, verb*, as Lat. *uerbum*, as in **adwerdhiom**, *adverb*, or **prōwerdhiom**, *proverb*; also **weriō**, *say, speak*, metathesized in Greek, as in **werioneiā**, as Gk. εἰρωνεία; also, suffixed variant form **wrētōr**, *public speaker, rhetor*, as Gk. ῥήτωρ, and **wrēm̄n**, *rheme*. Compare also Umb. *uerfalem*, Gk. εἶπω, Skr. *vrata*, Av. *urvāta*, O.Pruss. *wīrds*, Lith. *vardas*, Ltv. *vārds*, O.C.S. *vračī*, Russ. *врать*, O.Ir. *fordat*; Hitt. *ueria*.

5. PIE base **jeug-**, *join* (probably from a root **jeu-**), evolved as O.H.G. [*untar*] *jauhta*, Lat. *jungō*, Gk. ζεύγνυμι O.Ind. *yunakti, yōjayati* (<**jeugeietī**), Av. *yaoj-, yuj-*, Lith. *jūngiu, jūngti*; gives common derivatives **jugóm**, *joining, yoke*; cf. Gmc. *jukam* (cf. Goth. *juk*, O.N. *ok*, O.S. *juk*, O.E. *geoc*, Dan. *aag*, M.Du. *joc*, Du. *juk*, O.H.G. *juch*, Ger. *Joch*), Lat. *iugum*, Gk. ζυγόν, O.Ind. *yugám*, Skr. *yogaḥ*, Arm. *luc* (with *-l* influenced by *lucanem*, “*unyoke*”), Toch. *yokām*, O.C.S. *igo*, Russ. *obža*, Cz. *jho*, Welsh *iau*, O.Cor. *ieu*, Bret. *ieo*; Hett. *yugan*; **jeugos**, *yoke*, as Goth. *jukuzi*, M.H.G. *jiuch*, Lat. *jūgerum* (from Lat. *jūgera*, IE **jóugesā**), Gk. ζεύχος, O.C.S. *ižesa*;

6. PIE adjective **newos**, **-ā, -om**, gives Germanic *newjaz*, (cf. Goth. *niujis*, O.N. *nýr*, O.Eng. *niowe*, O.Fris. *nie*, O.H.G. *niuwī*, Du. *nieuw*, Dan., Swed. *ny*), Lat. *nouus*, Osc. *núvellum*, Gk. νέος, O.Ind. *návas, návyas*, Skr. *navah*, Av. *nava-*, O.Pers. *nau*, Toch. *ñu/ñuwe*, Thrac. *neos*, Arm. նոր, O.Pruss. *nauns* (due to analogy with *jauns*), O.Lith. *navas*, Lith. *naũjas*, Ltv. *nāujš*, O.C.S. *novŭ*, O.Russ. *новь*, Polish *nowy*, Gaul. *Novio-*, O.Ir. *nūē*, Welsh *newydd*, O.Bret. *neuued*, Kamviri *nuĩ*, Kashmiri *nōv*, O.Osset. *nog*; Hitt. *newash*, Luw. *nāw*.

It was probably a full grade of **nu**, *now*, as Gmc. *nu* (cf. Goth. *nu*, O.N. *nū*, O.E. *nū*, O.Fris. *nu*, O.Ger. *nu*, Du. *nu*, Ger. *nun*), Lat. *nunc*, Gk. *vv, vvv*, O.Ind. *nū*, Av. *nu*, O.Pers. *nūram*, Toch. *nuṃ/nano*, O.Pruss. *teinu*, Lith. *nū*, Ltv. *nu*, O.C.S. *nune*, O.Ir. *nu-*, Alb. *tani*; Hitt. *nuwa*, Luw. *nanun*.

7. Indo-European **medhjos** (from PIE **me**, v.i.) gives Gmc. *medjaz* (cf. Goth. *midjis*, O.N. *miðr*, O.S. *middi*, O.E. *midd*, O.Fris. *midde*, O.H.G. *mitti*), Lat. *medius*, Osc. *mefiái*, Gk. μέσος, O.Ind. *mádhjam*, Skt. *mádhjah*, Av. *maidja-*, Pers. *mēān*, Illyr. *metu*, O.Arm. *mēj*, O.Pruss. *median*, Lith. *medis*, Ltv. *mežs*, O.C.S. *mežda*, O.Russ. *межу*, Polish *między*, Gaul. *Mediolānum*, O.Ir. *mid*, Welsh *mewn*, Kamviri *pāmüč*. West Germanic dialects have a common diminutive **medhjólós**, *middle*, as Gmc. *middilaz* (cf. O.E. *middel*, M.L.G., Du. *middel*, Ger. *Mittel*); Latin derivatives include **medhjālís**, *medial*, **medhjāliā**, *medal*, **medhjā**, *mediate*, **medhjōm**, *medium*, **entermedhjā**, *intermediate*, **medhjaiwālís**, *medieval*, **medhittersaniós**, *mediterranean*, etc.

PIE **me**, *in the middle of*, gives suffixed formes **medhi-**, *among, with*, as Gmc. *mid-*, and **meta-**, *between, with, beside, after*, as Gk. *meta*.

For PIE **aiw-**, also **ajus**, *vital force, life, long life, eternity*, compare Gmc. *aiwi* (as in O.N. *ei*, Eng. *aye, nay*), suffixed **aiwom**, *age, eternity*, in **medhjaiwom**, Middle Ages, **medhjaiwālís**, *mediaeval*, **prwimaiwālís**, *primeval*, **dhlongháiwotā**, *longevity*; further suffixed **áiwotā**, *age*, and **aiwoternós**, *eternal*, as Lat. *aeternus*, in **aiwoternitā**, *eternity*; suffixed **aiwōn**, *age, vital force, eon*, Gk. *aiōn*; zero-grade compound **jucejés**, “*having a vigorous life*”, *healthy* (from **cei-**, *live*), as Gk. *hugiēs*, in **jucejésinā (teksnā)**, “*(art) of health*”, *hygiene*, as Gk. *hugieinē (tekhnē)*; o-grade **ojus**, *life, health*, as Skr. *āyuh*, or Gk. *ouk*, from (**ne**) **ojus (qid)**, “*(not on your) life*”, in **ojutopiā**, from Gk. *οὐ, no*, and *τόπος, a place that doesn't exist*. See also **jeu-**, *vital force, youthful vigor*.

8. PIE **agros**, *field*, also *pasture*, *land*, *plain*, gives Gmc. *akraz* (cf. Goth. *akrs*, O.N. *akr*, O.E. *æcer*, O.Fris. *ekkr*, O.H.G. *achar*. Eng. *acre*), Lat. *ager*, Umb. *ager* (both from earlier Italic *agros*, *district*, *property*, *field*), Gk. *αγρός*, Skr. *ajras*, O.Arm. *art*.

9. Indo-European **sqalos**, *squalus*, *shark*, (cf. Lat. *squalus*) is probably cognate with **qalos**, *whale*, as in Gmc. *khwalaz* (cf. O.S. *hwal*, O.N. *hvalr*, O.E. *hwæl*, M.Du. *wal*, O.H.G. *wal*), possibly from an original **(s)qalos**, with a general meaning of “*big fish*”, then constrained in its meaning in individual dialects. See s-Mobile in § 2.8 for more on such related words.

10. Indo-European **aqiā**, “*thing on the water*”, “*watery land*”, *island*, is the source for Gmc. *aujō*, *island* (cf. Goth. *ahwa*, O.N. *á*, O.E. *īeg*, O.H.G. *aha*, O.Is. *ey*, M.H.G. *ouwe*, Eng. *is[land]*), as may be seen on **Skandinaqiā**, *Scandinavia* L.Latin mistaken form of **Skadinaqiā**, *Scadinavia*, “*south end of Sweden*”, loan-translation of Gmc. *skadinaujō*, “*danger island*” (cf. O.E. *Scedenig*, O.N. *Skaney*); first element is usually reconstructed as IE **skatom**, as in Gmc. **skathan*, meaning *danger*, *scathe*, *damage* (Goth. *scaþjan*, O.N. *skaða*, O.E. *sceaþian*, O.Fris. *skethia*, M.Du. *scaden*, O.H.G. *scadon*), which could be related to Greek α-σκηθης (*a-skēthēs*), *unhurt*. The source for **aqiā** is PIE root **aqā**, *water*, cognate with Lat. *aqua*, Russ. *Oká* (name of a river) and, within the Anatolian branch, Hitt. *akwanzi*, Luw. *ahw-*, Palaic *aku-*.

English writing “*island*” was influenced by French *isle*, from Lat. *insula*, itself from MIE **énsalā** (from **en-salos**, “*in the sea*”, from **salom**, *sea*, v.i.), giving derivatives **ensalarís**, *insular*, **ensalanós**, *islander*, **ensalinā**, *insuline*, etc.

11. IE **lendhom**, *land*, *soil*, *country*, *region*, gave Gmc. *landom* (cf. Goth., O.N., O.E., O.Fris., Du., Ger. *land*), and is derived from PIE **lendh-**, with the meaning of *land*, *steppe*; compare O.Pruss. *lindan*, O.C.S. *ledina*, Russ. *ljada*, Polish *ład*, Gaul. *landa*, O.Ir. *land*, Welsh *llan*, Bret. *lann*.

12. For PIE root **ámhbi**, **íbhi**, *around*, *about*, compare Gmc. *(um)bi* (cf. O.N. *um/umb*, O.E. *be/bi*, *ymbe*, M.Du. *bie*, O.H.G. *umbi*, *bi*, Du. *bij*, Ger. *um*, *bei*), Lat. *ambi*, *amb*, Gk. *ἀμφι*, Skr. *abhi*, Celt. *ambi*. It is probably derived from **ant(i)-bhi**, lit. “*from both sides*”, hence older PIH *-ŋb^{hi}*. For PIE **ánti**, *front*, *forehead*, compare Gmc. *andja* (*end*, originally “*the opposite side*”, cf. Goth. *and*, O.N. *endr*, O.E. *ende*, O.Fris. *enda*, O.H.G. *endi*), Lat. *antiae*, Osc. *ant*, Gk. *ἀντι*, Toch. *ānt/ānte*, Lith. *ant*, O.Ir. *étan*. Anatolian Hitt. *ḫanta*, Luw. *hantili*, Lyc. *xñtawata* support the hypothesis of an earlier PIH locative *h₂ént-i* – see **ant** and **ambhi**.

13. Proto-Indo-European **ag-**, *drive*, *draw*, *move*, *do*, *act*, compare Lat. *agere*, Gk. *αγειν*, O.Ir. *Ogma*, from which **agtiós**, *weighty*, as Gk. *αξιος*, **agrā**, *seizing*, as Gk. *αγρα*, and **agtos**, in **ambhagtos**, *one who goes around*, from Lat. *ambactus*, a loan word from Celtic. Other common derivatives include **agtēiuós**, *active*, **agtuālis**, *actual*, **agtuariós**, *actuary*, **agtuāiō**, *actuate*, **agénts**, *agent*, **agilís**, *agile*, **agitā**, *agitate*, **ambhaguós**, *ambiguous*, **komágolom**, *coagulum*, **ekságiom**, *essay*, **eksagtós**, *exact*, **eksagō**, *demand*, **ekságm̃**, *swarm*, later *exam*, **eksagm̃āiō**, *examine*, **eksagénts**, *exigent*, **eksaguós**, *exiguous*, **nawagāiō**, *navigate* (from **nāus**), **dhūmagāiō**, *fumigate*, (from **dhumós**, *smoke*) **fustagāiō**, *fustigate* (from Lat. *fustis*, “*club*”), **transagō**, *compromise*, **ṅtransagénts**, *intransigent* (from **ṅ-**, *un-*, see **ne**), **litagāiō**, *litigate* (from Latin loan **litágiom**, *litigation*), **prōdagō**, *drive away*, *to squander*, (from **prō-d-es**, *be good*), **prōdagós**, *prodigal*, **redagō**, *redact*, **retrōagō**, *drive back*, **retrōagtēiuós**, *retroactive*, **transagō**, *transact*; Greek **agogós**, *drawing off*, in **-agogos**, *-agogue* (“*leading*, *leader*”), as in **dāmagogos**, “*popular leader*”, *demagogue*

(from **dámos**, *people*), **supnagogikós**, *hypnagogic* (from **swep-**, *sleep*), **pawidagogos**, *pedagogue*, **protagonistā**, *protagonist* (Gk πρωταγωνιστής), **komagogā**, *synagogue*; suffixed **agtiós**, “weighty”, *worth, worthy, of like value, weighing as much*, as in **agtiomā**, *axiom*, Gk. ἀξιωμα, **agtiologíā**, *axiology*; suffixed **agrā**, *driving, pursuing, seizing*, as in Gk. *agrā*, in **podagrā**.

For PIE **dhūmos** or **dhūmós**, *smoke*, also *spirit*, Lat. *fūmus*, Gk. *thymos*, Skt. *dhūmaḥ*, O.Prus. *dumis*, Lith. *dumai*, O.C.S. *dymu*, M.Ir. *dumacha*, etc. The verb **dhūmāiō**, *smoke* (intr.), *steam*, is attested in Latin, Old Indian and (slightly different) in Greek, but used as transitive only in Late Latin. **Dhūmopōnom**, *smoke drinking*, (from **dhūmóm pibō**, from **pōi-**, *drink*), is used in Old Indian, hence usable for ‘medicinal’ smoking. For MIE transitive “smoke”, a common **smeughō** (also **smūghō**) is found, cf. Gmc. *smūk-a-*, *smauk-ia-*, Bal. *smaug-(-ja)*, tr., *smaug-a-* c., Sla. *smūglъ(jъ)*, Gk. *smūkhō*, etc.

NOTE. About the accent, cf. Lat. *fūmus*, O.Ind. *dhūmās*, Dybo and Kortlandt defend the tone on the first syllable, while Illyc-Svityc and others defend the tone found in Greek and Old Indian. The question is difficult to solve, in light of the situation found in Germanic, and the new (Late PIE) differentiation of nouns with initial accent and adjectives with final one. Maybe with full vowel the tone is on the root, and with zero vocalism it isn't, cf. Lat. *famulus* <*d^hHmó, Gk. *ἄτιμος* <*ḡqiHmos, etc.

Indo-European **swep-**, *sleep*, gives verb **swopiō**, as Lat. *sōpīre*, Gmc. *swab-ja*, **swepōs**, *deep sleep*, as Lat. *sopor*, in compound **sweposidhakós** (from **-dha-k-**), *soporific*; **swepnos**, *sleep*, as Lat. *somnus*, Gmc. *swif[f]-n-am.*, Av. *khun*, Bal. *sap-n-i-*, *sap-n-a-*, O.Ir. *sūan*, Sla. *snōtī*, *snъ*, Toch.B *spane*, **swepnolénts**, *somnolent*, or **ḡswepniom**, *insomnia*; zero-grade suffixed **súpnos**, Gk. *hypnos*, and in **supnotis**, *hypnosis*, **supnotikós**, *hypnotic*.

For Indo-European **pau**, *few, little*, compare derivatives **pawós**, Gmc. *fawaz* (cf. Goth. *fawai*, O.N. *far*, O.E. *feawe*, Dan. *faa*, O.Fris. *fe*, O.H.G. *foh*) or **paukós**, as Lat. *paucus*; suffixed metathesized form **parwós**, *little, small, neuter parwom, little, rarely*; compound **pauparós**, *producing little, poor* (IE **parós**, *producing*), as in **depauparāiō**, *depauparate*, and **enpauparāiō**, *impoverish*; suffixed zero-grade **púlā**, *young of an animal*, as Gmc. *fulōn* (cf. Goth., O.E. *fula*, O.N. *foli*, O.H.G. *folo*, O.Fris. *folā*, M.H.G. *vole*, Eng. *foal*, Ger. *Fohlen*); extended suffixed **putslos**, *young of an animal, chicken*, as Lat. *pullus*, and diminutive **putslolós**, Lat. *pusillus*, in **putslolanamós**, *pusillanimous*; also, for words meaning “boy, child”, compare suffixed **póweros**, as Lat. *puer*, **putos**, as Lat. *putus*, and **pawids**, as Gk. *παις* (stem *paid-*), in **pawideiā**, *education*, Gk. *παιδεία*, in **enquqlopawideiā**, *encyclopaedia*, from Modern Latin, itself from **enquqlios pawideiā**, Greek “ἐγκύκλιος παιδεία” “[well-]rounded education” (see IE **en, q'qlos**) meaning “a general knowledge”.

For IE **per-**, *produce, procure*, PIH *perh₂* (closely related to **per-**, *grant, allot*, both from **per-**, *traffic in, sell*), compare Latin *par-* (from zero-grade), in **parāiō**, *try to get, prepare, equip*, in **adparāiō**, *prepare*, **adpáratos**, *apparatus, apparel*, **enparāiō**, *command*, **enparātór**, *emperor, imperator*, **enparatēiuós**, *imperative*, **preparāiō**, *prepare*, **reparāiō**, *repair*, **separāiō**, *separate, sever*; suffixed **pariō**, *get, beget, give birth*, p.part. **partós**, in **partosiénts**, *parturient*, **partom**, *birth*, **repariō**, *find out*, **repartorium**, *repertory*; parallel suffixed participial form **parénts**, *parent*, as Lat. *parēns*; suffixed form **-parós**, *producing*.

Indo-European **per-**, *grant, allot (reciprocally, to get in return)*, gives derivatives as **partis**, *a share, part*, as Lat. *pars* (stem *part-*), in **partiō**, *divide up, share*, **partitós**, *divided, share*, **partitos**, *division, party*,

partíkolā, *particle* (with dim. **partikillā**, *parcel*), **dwipartitós**, *bipartite*, **kompartiō**, *compart*, **enpartiō**, *impart*, **repartiō**, *repart*, **partiōn**, *portion, a part*, Lat. *portiō*, in **prō partioní**, *in proportion, according to each part*, into **prōpartiōn**, *proportion*; **pār**, *equal*, as in **páritā**, *parity*, **kompārāiō**, *comapare*, **ḡpáritā**, *imparity*, etc.

14. PIE **mātér** (also **mátēr**, from PIH PIH *meh₂-ter-*) gave Gmc. *mōdar*, (cf. ON *móðir*, O.E. *mōdor*, O.S. *modar*, O.H.G. *muoter*, M.Du. *moeder*), Lat. *māter*, Osc. *maatréis*, Umb. *matrer*, Gk. *μήτηρ*, O.Ind. *mātā*, Skr. *mātār-*, Av. *mātar-*, Pers. *mādar*, Phryg. *mater*, Toch. *mācar/mācer*, Arm. *մայր* (*mair*), Alb. *motër*, O.Pruss. *mūti*, Lith. *mótė*, Ltv. *māte*, O.C.S., O.Russ. *mamu*, Polish *matka*, Gaul. *mātir*, O.Ir. *máthir*, Welsh *modryb*, Kamviri *motr*, Osset. *madæ*.

IE ending **-ter** usually indicates kinship (see also **pa-ter**, **bhrā-ter**, **dhuga-ter**, **jena-ter**), whilst **mā-** is a baby like sound found in the word for “mother” in non-Indo-European languages; as, Estonian *ema*, Semitic *umm*, Chinese *māma*, Apache, Navajo *-ma*, Vietnamese *ma*, Korean *eomma*, Malayalam *amma*, Zulu *umama*, Basque *ama*, Hawaiian *makuahine*, etc.; also, compare IE-related Hitt. *anna*, Hung. *anya*.

Compounds include **māternós** (or Lat. **māternālis**), *maternal*, **māternitā**, *maternity*, **mātríkolā**, *list, register*, and verb **mātríkolāiō**, *matriculate*, **mātríks**, *matrix*, **mātrimōniom**, *matrimony*; also, **māteriā**, *tree trunk* (<“matrix”, the tree’s source of growth), hence “hard timber used in carpentry”, hence (calque of Gk. *hūlē*, “wood, matter”), *substance, stuff, matter*, as in **māteriālis**, *material*; **mātrópolis** (from **polis**), *metropolis*, as Gk. *μητρόπολις*, as well as Greek goddess of produce (especially for cereal crops) *Demeter*, from **dē-māter**, which have been related to IE **de**, **da**, or **don**.

English “wedding” comes from O.E. *weddian* “pledge, covenant to do something” from Gmc. *wadjan* (cf. Goth. *ga-wadjon*, O.N. *veðja*, O.Fris. *weddia*, Ger. *Wette*), from PIE base **wadh-** “to pledge, to redeem a pledge”, as Lat. *vas* (gen. *vadis*), “bail, security”, Lith. *vaduoti* “to redeem a pledge”. Development to “marry” is unique to the English language.

15. PIE root **leuk-** means *bright, light, brightness*. Compare **leukis**, *light, flame*, as Lat. *lūx*, Gmc. *leukiz* (cf. O.Ice. *logi*, M.H.G. *lohe*), O.Ind. *rōcī-*, O.Pruss. *luckis*, Slav. *lučь*, Arm. *lois*, as in **leukíbheros**, “light-bearer”, *Lucifer* (from **bher-**, *carry*, as Greek **bhoros**, by *samprasarana* the initial desinence is lost, cf. Lat. *uir*<“*wiros*”, Lat. *sacer*<“*sakros* in *lapis níger*, etc.); suffixed **leukmōn**, Gmc. *liukmon* (cf. O.Ice. *ljōmi m.*, O.S. *liomo*, O.E. *lēoma* “radiance”, Goth. *lauhmuni* “lightning, flame”), and **leuksmen**, *light, opening*, as Lat. *lūmen*, for common derivatives adj. **leuksmenónts**, *luminous*, **enléuksmenā**, *illuminate*, etc.; **louksnā**, *moon*, as Lat. *lūna*, Praen. *Losna*, O.Pruss. *lauxnos*, Av. *raoxšnú*; M.Ir. *lūan*, O.Bulg. *luna*; as in **louksnālís**, *lunar*, **louksnātíkós**, *lunatic*, etc.; suffixed **loukstrom**, *purification*, as Lat. *lūstrum*; **leukstrāiō**, *purify, illuminate*, as Lat. *lustrare*, as in **enleukstrāiō**, *illustrate*; **leukodhrāiō**, *work by lamplight*, hence *lucubrate*, as Lat. *lucubrāre*, as in **eghleukodhrāiō**, *lucubrate*, (see **eghs**) and **eghleukodhrātiōn**, *elucubration*; suffixed **leukós**, *clear, white*, as Gk. *λευκός*; o-grade **loukēiō**, *shine*, as Lat. *lūcēre*, O.Ind. *rokáyati*, Av. *raočayeiti*, in **loukénts**, *lucent*, **loukeitós**, *lucid*, **ekloukeitāiō**, *elucidate*, **reloukēiō**, *shine*, **reloukénts**, *relucent*, **transloukénts**, *translucent*; zero-grade suffixed **luksnos**, *lamp*, as Gk. *lukhnos*; and also attributed by some to this root nasalized zero-grade Gk. *λύγξ*, *-γκός*, “lynx”, in any case MIE **lunks**. Common IE derivatives include Lat. *lux*, *lucere*, Osc. *lúvkis*, Umb. *uuvçis*, Gk. *λευκός*, O.Ind. *roká-*, Av. *raočant*, Toch. *luk*, Arm. *lois*, *lusin*, Lith.

laukas, Ltv. *lauks*, O.C.S. *luci*, Russ. *lug*, Gaul. *leux*, O.Ir. *luchair*, Welsh *llug*, Kamviri *luka*; Hitt. *lukezi*, Lyc. *luga*, Luw. *luha-*. Other common Germanic forms come from -t suffixed **léuktom**, *light*, as Gmc. *leukhtam* (cf. Goth. *liuhap*, O.N. *leygr*, O.E. *lēoht*, O.Fris. *licht*, M.Du. *lucht*, O.H.G. *lōh*, O.Ice. *lōn*), or **léuktiō**, *make light*, as Gmc. *leukhtjan* (cf. O.E. *lihtan*).

For PIE root **lech-**, *light, having little weight*, **lechús**, *light* (also found extended in **-is**) compare Lat. *levis*, Gk. *ἐλαχύς*, Skr. *laghús*, *raghús*, Av. *raghu-*, *rāvī* (from **raghvī*), Kashmiri *lo.t*, Toch. *-/lankūtse*, O.Pruss. *lāngiseilingins*, Lith. *lengva*, Ltv. *liegs*, Sla. *льгъкъ* (cf. O.C.S., O.Russ. *льгъкъ*, Russ. *лѣгкуй*, Pol. *lekki*, Cz. *lehký*, Sr.-Cr. *ла̀к*), O.Ir. *lugu*, *laigiū* (from **lagiōs*), Welsh *llai*, Alb. *lehtë*. Other IE derivatives include suffixed **lechtós**, Gmc. *likhtaz* (cf. Goth. *lihts*, O.N. *létrr*, O.E. *lēoht*, O.H.G. *liht*, Swed. *lätt*, O.Fris., M.Du. *licht*, Ger. *leicht*, Eng. *light*), *light*, and **lehtiō**, *lighten*, as Gmc. *likhtjan*; also from Latin **lechuāiō**, *lighten, raise*, Lat. *leuāre*, as in **léghuitā**, *levity*, **adlechuāiō**, *alleviate*, **eklechuāiō**, *elevate*, **relechuāiō**, *relieve*, **relechuántis**, *relevant*; variant **lachs**, *small*, as O.Ir. *lū-*; nasalized zero-grade **l̥nch-**, *lung, “light organ”*, as Gmc. *lungan* (cf. O.N. *lunge*, O.E., O.Fris. *lungen*, M.Du. *longhe*, Ger. *lunge*), but note that lung is said **pleumōn** in PIE, cf. Lat. *pulmon-*, Gk. *pleumon*, O.Ind. *kloman*, Bal. *plautia-*, Sla. *pl(j)ūtje*.

16. Adjective **cīwós** (zero-grade PIH *g^{wi}H-*), *alive*, is the source for Gmc. *kwikwaz* (cf. Goth. *quis*, O.N. *kvikr*, O.E. *cwicu*, O.Fris. *quik*, O.H.G. *quec*, Ger. *keck*, possibly also O.E. *cwifer*, Eng. *quiver*), lat. *uīus*, Osc. *bivus*, O.Ind. *jīvati*, Av. *ǰvaiti*, O. Pruss. *giwa*, Lith. *gyventi*, Ltv. *dzīvs*. It comes from PIE root **cei-**, *live*, compare Gk. *βίος* (*bios*), *ζωή* (*zoé*), Pers. *gaithā*, Toch. *śo/śai*, O.Arm. *keam*, O.C.S. *жцуму*, Russ. *жцумь*, Polish *żyć*, Gaul. *Biturīges*, O.Ir. *bethu*, Welsh *byd*.

17. PIE root **leus-**, *loosen, divide, cut apart*, gives extended verb **lusō**, *lose, forfeit*, Gmc. *lausan* (cf. O.N. *los*, O.E. *losian*, O.Is. *lyja*, Swe. *sofve*), with zero-grade part. **lusionós**, Gmc. *luzanaz*, (O.E., Du. *loren*, Ger. [*ver*]loren), **leusós**, *loose, untied*, Gmc. *lausaz* (cf. Goth. *laus*, O.N. *lauss*, O.E. *leas*, Dan. *løs*, M.Du., Ger. *los*). Compare also Lat. *luēs*, Gk. *λύω*, Skr. *lunāti*, Toch *lo/lau*, O.Ir. *loë*, Alb. *laj*; Hitt. *luzzi*. It is derived from PIE **leu-**.

18. For MIE **rtkos**, *bear, big animal*, from older **h₂(e)rtkos*, compare Lat. *ursus* (from Ita. *orsos*), Gk. *αρκτος*, Skr. *ṛkṣa*, Av. *aršam*, Pers. *xers*, Arm. *arj*, Gaul. *Artioni*, Welsh *arth*, Alb. *ari*, Kamviri *ic*, Osset. *ærs*. Common Modern borrowings include Latin **rtkinós**, *ursine*, **Artkikós**, *Arctic* (from metathesized **Arktikós*), **Antartkikós**, *Antartic* (see **anti**, *opposite, in front*), Welsh **Artkor(i)os**, *Arthur*.

19. Modern Indo-European **nōm̥**, *name*, from an older IE II *h₁noh₃m̥*, compare Gmc. *namōn* (cf. Goth. *namō*, O.N. *nafn*, O.E. *nama*, O.Fris. *nama*, O.H.G. *namo*, Du. *naam*), Lat. *nōmen*, Umb. *nome*, Gk. *ονομα*, O.Ind. *nāma*, Skr. *nāman*, Av. *nāman*, O.Pers. *nāma*, Toch. *ñom/ñem*, Arm. *անուն* (*anun*), O.Pruss. *emmes* (from *emnes*), Sla. *jm̥e-jm̥ene* (cf. O.C.S. *im̥e*, Rus. *имя*, Polish *imię*) Alb. *emër/emën*, O.Ir. *ainmm*, O.Welsh *anu*, O.Corn. *hanow*, Bret. *ano*, Kamviri *nom*; Hitt. *lāman*. Common modern words include Latin (from *nomen*, “name, reputation”), **nom̥ālís**, *nominal*, **nom̥āiō**, *nominate*, **dwinom̥iālís**, *binomial*, **kom̥nōm̥**, *cognomen*, **denom̥āiō**, *denominate*, **ṛnom̥iā**, *ignominy*, **nom̥klatōr**, *nomenclator*, **prāinōm̥**, *praenomen*, **prōnōm̥**, *pronoun*, **renōm̥**, *renown*; from Greek are **onom̥stikós**, *onomastic*, **-onom̥**, *-onym*, **ṛnom̥ós**, *anonymous*, **antonom̥siā** (from **anti**), *antonomasia*, **eponom̥ós**, *eponymous*, **suonom̥ós**, *euonymus*, **snteronom̥ós**, *heteronymous*, **somonom̥ós**, *homonymous*, **mātronom̥ikós**,

matronymic, **patronomnikós**, *patronymic*, **onomptοqiweiā**, *onomatopoeia*, **paronomnós**, *paronymous*, **pseudonómη**, *pseudonym* (from Gk. *pseudes*, “false”) **komonómη**, *synonym*. Compare also, for a Germanic dialectal lengthened verb **nōmiō**, *name*, O.Fris. *nōmia*, O.H.G. *be-nuomen*, possibly not reconstructible for PIE.

For PIE **qei-**, *pile up, build, make*, compare o-grade **qojos**, *body* (as in Eng. *cheetah*), as Skr. *kāyah*; suffixed **qoiwós**, *making*, (after Pokorny Gk. *ποι-φό-ς) in verb **qoiweiō**, *make, create*, as Gk. ποιεῖν, **qoiweitis**, *making*, and as Greek suffix **-qoiweitis**, *-poiesis*, Gk. ποιήσις, also from Lat. **qoiweitiā**, *poesy*, **qoiweimη**, *poem* (Gk. ποίημα), **qoiweitiā**, *poet* (Gk. ποιητής), **qoiweitikós**, *poetic*, **epoqiweiā**, *epopee*, etc..

Similar root PIE **qei-**, *pay, atone, compensate*, gives Gk. *time*, Skr. *cinoti*, Av. *kaena*, O.C.S. *cena*, Lith. *kaina*, as well as common MIE o-grade **qoinā**, *fine, penalty*, as Gk. *poine* into Lat. *poena*, as in **qoinālis**, *penal*, **qoinālitā**, *penalty*, **ηqóinitā**, *impunity*, **qoinologīā**, *penology*, **qoinitosiós**, *punitory*, **supqoinā**, *subpoena*.

20. For **-qe**, enclitic “and”, compare Goth, O.N. *-u(h)*, Lat. *-que*, Gk. *-τε*, Messap. *ti, si*, O.Ind., Ira. *-ca*, Phryg. *ke*, Ven. *kve*, Gaul. *-c*, O.Ir. *-ch-*; Hitt., Luw. *-ku*, Lyc. *-ke*.

For MIE non-clitic words meaning “and”, compare especially MIE **eti**, “out, further”, also “and”, as Goth. *ip*, O.N. *i*, O.E. *edw*, O.H.G. *ita-*, Lat. *etiam, et* (cf. Fr. *et*, It. *ed*, Spa.,Ca., *i*, Gl.-Pt. *e*, Rom. *și*), Gk. *eti*, O.Ind. *ati*, Av. *aiti*, O.Pers. *atīy*, Phryg. *eti*, Toch. *atas, aci/*, O.Pruss. *et-, at-*, Gaul. *eti, etic*, O.Bret. *et-*, O.Welsh *et-, at-*.

Common Germanic *untha* (cf. O.N. *enn*, O.E. *and, ond*, O.S. *endi*, O.Fris. *anda*, M.Du. *ende*, O.H.G. *enti*, Ger. *und*), reconstructed as MIE **nti**, is generally said to be ultimately from PIE **anti**, *in front*, although more conceivably a zero-grade form of nasalized ***enti**, from the aforementioned PIE **eti** (Adrados 1998). O.E. *eac*, “also” (as Eng. *eke*), Ger. *auch*, are used as the common conjunction in Da.,No. *og*, Swe. *och*, from **aug**, *increase*.

Slavic “a” comes from IE adverb **ad**, (PIH *h₂d*), “and, then”, as Skr. *fat*, “afterwards, then, so”, Av. *fat*, “afterwards, then”, while Slavic “(h)i” comes from IE conjunction **ei**, *and, if*, as in Gk. *e*.

21. IE **-r**, enclitic “for”, cf. Gk. *ar, ara, rá* (Cypriot *er*), O.Ind. *-r*, Lith. *ir*, “and, also”, *ar* (interrogative).

22. The *Angles* are members of a Germanic tribe mentioned by Tacitus, O.E. *Angeln*, from Lat. *Anglii*, lit. “people of *Angul*” (cf. O.N. *Öngull*), a region in what is now Schleswig-Holstein, in Northern Germany. The adjectives for the older inhabitants could then be reconstructed as Modern Indo-European **Angliós**. Modern adjective *English* is a common Germanic formation, derived from IE suffix **-isko-**; as, **Angliskós**, **Germaniskós**, **Teutiskós** (along with ‘Classic’ Graeco-Latin **Anglós**, **Anglikós**, **Germanós**, **Germanikós**, **Teutón**, **Teutonikós**), etc.

The noun **Germaniā** is from unknown origin. The Oxford English Dictionary records theories about the Celtic root *gair*. Another theory suggests *gar*, while the one that derive it from Gmc. *gaizo-* (cf. O.N. *geirr*, O.H.G. *ger*, O.E. *gar*, Ger. *Ger*) is one of the oldest theories proposed. It is still a common word in modern languages; as, Nor. *germansk*, Gk. *Γερμανός*, Rom. *german*, Ir. *Gearmáinis*, Sco. *Gearmailtis*, Arm. *germaneren*, Hindi *Jarman*, Alb. *gjermanishte*, etc. also in Non-Indo-European languages, like Maltese *Ġermaniż*, Hebrew *germani*, Georgian *germanuli*, Indonesian, Malay, Tagalog, Thai, Xhosa, *Jerman*, Amharic *järmän*.

23. For Indo-European **wlqos**, *wolf* (fem. **wlqiā/wlqi**), compare Gmc. *wulfaz* (cf. Goth. *wulfs*, O.S. *wulf*, O.N. *ulfr*, O.Fris., Du., O.H.G., Ger. *wolf*), Lat. *lupus*, Gk. *λύκος*, Skt. *vṛkas*, Av. *vehrka-*, O.Pers. *Varkana-* (*Hyrcania*, “wolf-land”, district southeast of the Caspian Sea), Albanian *ulk*, Lith. *vilkas*, O.C.S. *вѣлкѣ*; Rus. *волк*, Ukr. *вовк*. Closely related PIE words are **wail**, *wolf*, cf. O.Arm. *gayl*, O.Ir. *fáel*, and **wlpēs**, *fox*, cf. Lat. *uulpēs*, Gk. *αλωπηξ*,

Skr. *lopāsá*, Av. *urupis*, *raopis*, Pers. *rōbāh*, Arm. *aluēs*, lit. *lāpė*, Ltv. *lapsa*. These animals are also a symbol of lust in many old Indo-European dialects.

24. PIE root **ber-**, *bear*, *carry*, also *bear children*, gave Gmc. *beranan* (cf. Goth. *bairan*, O.N. *bera*, O.E., O.H.G. *beran*), Lat. *fero*, Umb. *fertu*, Gk. *φέρω*, O.Ind. *bhárati*, Av. *baraiti*, O.Pers. *baratuv*, Phryg. *ber*, Toch. *pär*, O.Arm. *berel*, Lith. *beriu*, Ltv. *beŗu*, O.C.S. *брьрму*, Rus. *беру*, Polish *biore*, O.Ir. *berim*, Welsh *cymmyrd*, Alb. *bie*, Kamviri *bor*. With the meaning of *give birth*, compare Eng. *birth*, Goth. *baurþei*, Ger. *Geburt*, Lat. *fors*, O.Ind. *bhṛtīṣ*, *bibhrāṇas*, O.Ir. *brith*, O.C.S. *брьрнъ*. Modern derivatives include **bhērā**, *bier*, Gmc. *bērō* (cf. O.N. *bara*, O.E. *ber*, O.Fr. *biere*, O.H.G. *bara*, O.Fris. *bere*, M.Du. *bare*, Eng. *bier*); o-grade **bhórnom**, *child*, Gmc. *barnam* (cf. O.E. *bearn*, Scots *bairn*); suffixed zero-grade **(kom)bhṛtis**, *birth*, as Gmc. *(ga)burthiz* (cf. Goth. *gabaurþs*, O.N. *byrðr*, O.E. *gebyrd*, Ger. *geburt*, Eng. *birth*), **bhṛtinios**, *burden*, as Gmc. *burthinjaz* (cf. Goth. *baurþei*, O.N. *byrðr*, O.S. *burthinnia*, O.E. *byrðen*, Ger. *bürde*); compound root **bhrenkō**, *bring* (from **bher+enk-**, *reach*), as Gmc. *brengan* (cf. Goth. *briggan*, p.t. *brohte*, pp. *broht*, O.Fris. *brenga*, O.E. *bringan*, M.Du. *brenghen*, O.H.G. *bringan*); from Latin *ferre* are common MIE **-bher**, *-fer*, **bhertilis**, *fertile*, **adbherénts**, *afferent*, **kombherentiā**, *conference*, **kikrombherentiā**, *circumference*, **kombherō**, *confer*, **debherō**, *defer*, **disbherō**, *differ*, **ekbherénts**, *effeferent*, **enbherō**, *infer*, **obhbherō**, *offer*, **präibherō**, *prefer*, **probherō**, *proffer*, **rebherō**, *refer*, **supbherō**, *suffer*, **transbherō**, *transfer*, **woqibheräiō**, *vociferate*; prefixed and suffixed zero-grade **probhrom**, *reproach*, in **obhprobhriom**, *opprobrium*; suffixed zero-grade **bhṛtus**, *chance* (from “a bringing, that which is brought”), as in **bhṛtuitós**, *happening by chance*, *fortuitous*, **bhṛtūnā**, *chance*, *good luck*, *fortune*; lengthened o-grade **bhōr**, *thief*, as in **bhortēiuós**, *furtive*, **bhorónkolos**, *furuncle*; from Greek *pherein* are o-grade noun **bhoros**, *carrying*, **-bhorā**, *-phore*, **-bhoretis**, *-phoresis*, **-bhoros**, *-phorous*, **am(bh)bhorā**, (from Lat., from Gk. *ambhíbhoreus*), **anábhōrā**, **diabhoretis**, **(a)subhōriā**, *euforia*, **metábhōrā**, **peribhéreiā**, **bheromonā**, etc.; suffixed **bhernā**, *dowry* (“something brought by a bride”), as in **parabhernaliā**.

For EIE **nāk-**, *reach*, *enough*, present with nasal infix **nankiō**, cf. Lat. *nanciō*, *nactus/nāctus*, Balt. *nāk*, o-grade prefixed (with intensive **kom-**) **kom-nākiō**, *suffice*, as Gmc. *ganōkh-* (cf. Goth. *ganohs*, O.N. *gnogr*, O.E. *genog*, O.Fris. *enoch*, Ger. *genug*). Ultimately from root **nek-** (PIH *Hnek-*), variant Greek **enk-**, *carry*, gives o-grade noun **onkos**, *burden*, *mass*, hence *a tumor*, as Gk. *ὄγκος*, Skr. *aṅśah*, as in **onkogénētis**, **onkologíā**; and Gmc. compound **bhrenkō**, *bring*, v.s. Compare also Gk. *ēneké*, O.Ind. *nákṣati*, Av. *nasaiti*, O.Ir. *-icc*, O.Ir., Welsh *-anc*, Hitt. *hink*.

Greek *eú-*, *ēú-*, is usually compared with Hittite *āssu*, *assija-*, Lyd. *ásaã*, Luw. N. Pl. *assammas* < PIH *(e)h₂su* “good”, MIE **āsús**, usually **su-** in compounds, cf. O.Ind. *su-*, Av. *hū-*, *hu-*, Sla. *sz-dorvъ(jb)*, Bal. *sū-dru-*; *sw-ei-ka*, Gaul *su-*, Ir *su-*, *so-*. The fact that all Greek dialects show the same evolution in this Indo-European root, is considered a rare phenomenon.

Attested derivatives include zero-grade Greek **q'qlos/qúqlos**, *circle*, *cycle*, Gk. *κύκλος*, (from which L.Lat. *cyclus*, Eng. *cycle*), Toch. *kukül/kokale*, e-grade **qéqlos**, *wheel*, as Gmc. *khwewlaz* (cf. O.N. *hvel*, O.E. *hwēol*, *hweogol*, O.S. *hiughl*, O.Fris. *hwel*, M.Du. *weel*), and Lith. *kāklas*, or neuter **qéqlom**, *chakra*, *circle*, *wheel*, as O.Ind. *cakram*, Av. *čaxra*, also found as metathesized ***qéqlōs**, *charkha*, as Old. Pers. *čarka-*, or Osset. *calx*. it is

also behind Lat. *populus*, although sometimes deemed from from o-grade of **pel-**, *full*, as seen in Germanic *folk* and Latin *plebs*, probably ultimately from **qeqlōs**, *circle*, thus “community”, and derivatives **qeqlālīs**, *public*, *popular*, **qeqlikós**, *public*, from O.Lat. *poplicus*, which was influenced by Lat. *pubes*, “adult”, into Lat. *publicus*, see <<http://www.apaclassics.org/AnnualMeeting/06mtg/abstracts/Southern.pdf>>. Other derivatives from PIE verbal root **qel**, meaning *revolve, move around, sojourn, dwell*, include Lat. *colere*, “till, cultivate, inhabit”, not originally o-grade in PIE (from basic form PIE **qel-** → **kwel-* → Lat. *col-*), as in **qélōn(os)**, *setler*, **qélōniā**, *colony*, **qeltós**, *cultivated*, **qeltōs**, *worship, cult*, **qeltēiuós**, *tilled*, **qeltēiuāiō**, *cultivate*, **qéltosā**, *culture*, **ṛqeltós**, *incult*, **ṛqélinos**, *inquiline*, etc; suffixed **qelōs**, “completion of a cycle”, *consummation, perfection, end, result, telos*, gives Gk. τέλος, -εος (remember that PIE [k^w] becomes Gk. [p] or [t] before certain vowels), giving **qeliós**, *perfect, complete*, from which **qeliologíā**, *teleology*, **qeliom**, *telium*, **qeliō**, *consecrate, fulfill*, in turn giving **qelesmṛ**, *consecration ceremony*, from which through Arabic *tilasm*, then It. *talismano* or Spa. *talismán* into Fr. *talisman*; from o-grade **qolso-**, “that on which the head turns”, *neck, hals*, are **qolsos**, Gmc. *kh(w)alsaz* (cf. Goth., O.N., Dan., Swed., Du., Ger. *hals*), and **qolsom**, as Lat. *collum*, from which derivatives **qolsár**, *collar*, **deqolsāiō**, *decollate, behead*, etc.; suffixed **-qelā**, *-colous*, and **enqelā**, *inhabitant* a Lat. *-cola*, *incola*; **ámqelos** (from **ambhi**, *around*), “one who bustles about”, *servant*, as Lat. *anculus*, giving dim. f. **amqillā**, *maidservant*; **qolos**, *axis of a sphere, pole*, as Gk. πόλος, also **-qólos**, *herdsman*, as **couqolos**, *cowherd*, (from **cōus**, *cow*), as Gk. βουκόλος, giving **couqolikós**, *bucolic*; also, **qolōs**, *wheel*, as Slavic *kolo*, *koles* (cf. O.C.S. *коло*, Russ. *колесо*, Pol. *kolo*); suffixed o-grade **qólenos**, *traffic*, as O.Ira. *-carana*, as in **wesāqólenos**, “sale-traffic”, *bazaar*, as O.Ira. *vahacarana* (see **wes-**), Pers. *bāzār*, hence also MIE partial loan **wesár** or loan **bazár**, *bazaar*. Compare also O.N. *hjōl*, Skr. *cáratī*, Av. *caraitī*, Old Prussian *-kelan*, Lith. *kelias*, O.Ir. *cul*, Alb. *sjell*; Luw. *kaluti-*; zero-grade variant **qṛin**, *again*, as Gk. πάλιν, as in **qṛíndromos** (from Gk. -δρόμος, *racecourse*), *palindrome*, **qṛínpsestos**, *palimpsest*, Gk. παλίμψηστος (from Gk. *psēn*, “scrape”).

A common word for wheel is **rotā**, from which Gmc. *radō* (cf. ON *rǫðull*, O.E. *rodur*, O.H.G. *rad*), Lat. *rota*, Skr. *ratha*, Av. *radha*, Lith. *ratas*, Ltv. *rats*, Gaul. *Roto-*, Ir. *rath*, Welsh *rhod*, Alb. *rrath*. Known modern derivatives are Celtic loan word *to-wó-rets*, formed by IE “do-upo-réts”, “a running up to”, which gives Mod. Eng. *tory*, from O.Ir. *tōir*, “pursuit”; also, **retondós**, *rolling*, which gave **rotondós**, *rotund*, ‘round’, as Lat. *rotundus*, even though “round” was said in PIE **wṛbhis**, “round in line”, **orbhis**, “round in plane”, and **orghis**, “round in space”.

25. Compare for PIE **ghostis**, *stranger, guest*, Gmc. *gastiz* (cf. Goth. *gasts*, O.N. *gestr*, O.E. *gæst*, O.Fris. *jest*, O.H.G. *gast*), Lat. *hostis, hospes* (*hostis-potes*) O.C.S. *gosti*, OCS *gostĭ*, Russ. *гость*, Polish *gość*; Luw. *gaši*. Compound **ghospóts**, *host*, (Lat. *hospes, guest*, originally *host*, “lord of strangers”), gives MIE **ghospotālis**, *hospitable*, and also **ghospotālis**, *hospital* (from M.Lat. *hospitale*, meaning *inn, large house, “guest house”*), reduced as **ghostālis**, *hostel*, from O.Fr. *hostel*, in turn from Lat. *hos(pi)tale*. For *hotel*, compare international borrowings from the same French word, with slightly different meanings Eng. *hostel-hotel*, Ger. *Gasthaus-Hotel*, Swe. *gstgiveri-hotel*, Ice. *gistihtel*, Spa. *hostal-hotel*, It. *ostello-hotel*, Pt. *hotel*, Russ. *гостиница* (*gostinitsa*), Uk. *готел* (*gotel*), Pol. *hotel*, Cz. *hostinec*, Pers. *hotel*, Ind. *hotel*, and also in non-Indo-European languages, as Finnish *hotelli*, Japanese *ホステル* (*hosuteru*) - *ホテル* (*hoteru*), Korean *호텔* (*ho-t’el*), Thai *โรงแรม* (*hō-ten*), etc. The word for ‘hotel’ in Latin, however, was *deuorsorium*, from the same root as Eng. *divert*.

26. More PIE derivatives related to **(s)tauros**, (also **steuros**, both maybe from PIE **ster-**) are Germanic **(s)teuraz** (cf. Goth. *stiur*, O.S. *stior*, O.N. *stjórr*, O.E. *steor*, O.H.G. *stior*, M.Du., Du. *stier*; Dan. *tyr*, Swed. *tjur*), Lat. *taurus*, Osc. *turuf*, Gk. *ταυρος*, Av. *staora*, O. Pruss. *tauris*, Lith. *tauras*, Ltv. *tauriņš*, O.C.S. *turu*, Rus. *tur*, Pol. *tur*, Gaul. *tarbos*, Welsh *tarw*, O. Ir. *tarb*, Oscan *turuf* and Alb. *taroč*.

27. Indo-European **nízdos**, *nest, resting place*, is a secondary PIE root, from **ni-**, *down*, + **sed**, *sit*. Compare Gmc. *nistaz*, Lat. *nidus*, O.Ind. *nidas*, Skr. *nīḍá*, Arm. *nist*, O.C.S. *гнездо*, Russ. *гнездо*, Polish *gniazdo*, O.Ir. *net*, Welsh *nyth*, Bret. *nez*. For **mizdhós**, compare Gmc. *mizdō* (Goth. *mizdō*, O.E. *mēd*, O.S. *mēda*, O.H.G. *mieta*), Gk. *μισθός*, Skr. *mīdhá*, Av. *mīzda*, Pers. *muzd*, *meed*, O.C.S. *mīzda*, Russ. *мзда́*.

28. PIE **ker**, *horn, head*, gave derivatives **kṛnos**, *horn*, Gmc. *khurnaz* (cf. Goth. *haur̥n*, O.E. *horn*, Ger. *Horn*, Du. *horen*), Lat., Celt. *cornū* (<**kórnus*, a blending with variant o-grade **korus**, as in Gk. *koru-*); **keruīks**, *neck*, from Lat. *cervīx*; **kérudos**, *male dear, hart*, from Gmc. *kherutas* (cf. O.H.G. *hiruz*, O.N. *hjørtr*, O.E. *heorot*, M.Du. *hert*, Ger. *Hirsch*); **keruos**, *deer*, as Lat. *ceruus*, Welsh *carw*; **kṛsniom**, Gk. *κρᾰνίον*, Lat. *cranīum*; **kṛsnotom**, *hornet* as Gmc. *khurznutu-* (cf. O.E. *hyrnetu*, *hurnitu*, Du. *horzel*); **kersrom** [ke-ʹrz-rom], *brain*, as Lat. *cerēbrum* (compare also O.N. *hjarni*, O.H.G. *hirni*, Ger. *Hirn*); other derivatives include Gk. *καρη*, Skr. *śiras*, *srngam*, Av. *sarah*, Pers. *sar*, Toch. *krāñi*, Arm. *sar*, O.Pruss. *kerpetis*, Lith. *szirszu*, Ltv. *šķirpta*, O.C.S. *чрѣнь*, Russ. *čerep*, Pol. *trzop*, Bret. *kern*, Alb. *krye*, Osset. *sær*.

29. For PIE **snusós**, *daughter-in-law*, compare Gmc. *snusaz* (cf. Goth. *schuos*, O.N. *snor*, O.E. *snoru*, O.H.G. *snur*), Lat. *nurus*, Gk. *vvoç*, Skr. *snuṣā*, Arm. *nu*, OCS *snūxa*, Russ. *чoxa*, Polish *snecha*, Alb. *nuse*.

30. PIE **nebhōs**, *cloud*, evolved as Skr. *nábhas*, Av. *nabah*, Lith. *debesis*, Ltv. *debess*, O.C.S. *nebo*, Russ. *nebo*, Polish *niebo*, O.Ir. *nem*, Cor. *nef*, Kamviri *niru*; Hitt. *nepiš*, Luw. *tappaš-*, Lyc. *tabahaza*. Suffixed **nébhelā** gives Gmc. *nibila* (cf. O.N. *niflhel*, O.E. *nifol*, O.H.G. *nebul*, also found in MIE patronymic **Nebhelṛkos**, Gmc. *Nibulunkhaz*, as O.H.G. *Nibulunc*, *Nibulung*), also Welsh *niwl*, Lat. *nebūla*, as in **nebhelós**, *nebulous*, and Gk. *nephelē*, as in **nebhelinā**, *nepheline*, **nebhelometrom**, *nephelometer*; suffixed **nebhologíā**, *nephology*; nasalized **nembhos**, *rain, cloud, aura*, as Lat. *nimbus*.

For PIE **mē**, *measure*, compare derivatives suffixed **mēlos**, *meal* “*measure, mark, appointed time, time for eating, meal*”, as Gmc. *melaz* (v.s.); suffixed **mētis**, *wisdom, skill*, as Gk. *mētis*, further suffixed **metiō**, *measure*, as Lat. *mētīrī*, in nasalized p.part. **mensós**, *measured*, **mentosāiō**, *measure*, **mentosālis**, *mensural*, **kommensosāiō**, *commensurate*, **dimensiōn**, *dimension*, **ṛmensós**, *immense*; **metrom**, *measure, rule, length, proportion, poetic meter* (referred by some to IE **med-**), as Gk. *μέτρον*, in **metrikós**, *metrical*, **diametrós**, *diameter*, **geometriā**, *geometry*, **wiswometrikós**, *isometric*, **metrologíā**, *metrology*, **kometriā**, *symmetry*. From the same root probably PIE base **méns**, *moon, month*, cf. Gk. *mēn*, Ion. *mēs*, Dor. *mēs*, gen. *mēnós*, Aeol. *mēnn-os*, O.Ind. *mās*, Av. *mō*, gen. *māṇhō*, Pers. *māh*, Umb. *menzne*, Sla. *mēsęcь*, Bal. *mēnō* (gen. *-es-es*), O.Ir. *mī*, gen. *mīs*, Welsh *mis*, Bret *miz*, Toch. A *mañ*, B *meñe*, Arm. *amis*, gen. *amsoy*, Alb. *muai*; derivatives include **ménā**, *month, moon*, as Gmc. *mēnōn* (cf. O.E. *mona*), Gk. *mēn*, *mēnē*, in derivatives **mēnopausā**, *menopause*, **ṛmēnosrewiā**, *amenorrhoea*, etc.; from Latin extended **mēnsis**, also suffixed in **-tr-**, cf. **-mēnstris**, in **mēnstruā**, *menstruate*, **mēnstruālis**, *menstrual*, **dwimēnstris**, *bimester*, **dwimēnstriālis**, *bimestrial*, **seksmēnstris**, *semester*, **trimēnstris**, *trimester*, etc. (see also zero-grade suffix **-m(ṛst)ris**,

month). Compare also suffixed Germanic **ménōts**, as Gmc. *mēnōth-* (cf. Goth. *menoþs*, O.N. *manaðr*, O.E. *mōnath*, M.Du. *manet*, O.H.G. *manod*, Du. *maand*, Ger. *Monat*),

PIE **mē** referred also to certain qualities of mind, as suffixed o-grade **mōtos**, mind, disposition, as Gmc. *mothaz* (cf. Goth. *moþs*, O.N. *mōðr*, O.Fris. *mod*, M.Du. *moet*, O.H.G. *muot*, Du. *moed*, Ger. *Mut*), and Latin **mōs**, *wont*, *humor*, *manner*, *custom*, as in loan words (affected by rhotacism) **mosālís**, *moral*, **mosōs**, *custom*, **mosónts(ós)**, *morose*.

Also, PIE root **mē**, *big*, *many*, gives suffixed **mē-r-**, **mēri**, as Sla. *měŗь*, Gmc. *mērī*, **mēros**, Gaul *-māros*, O.Ir. *mār*, *māu*, Cymr *mawr*, *mwyr*, Corn *moy*, Bret *meuror*, and o-grade Gk. *-mōro-*; also deemed from this root, comparative **mēisós**, *greater*, *more*, as Gmc. *maizōn* (cf. O.S. *mera*, O.N. *meiri*, O.Eng. O.Fris. *mara*, O.H.G. *mero*, M.Du. *mere*, Ger. *mehr*), Osc. *mais*, Av. *mazja*, O.Ir. *mōr*; also, superlative **mēistós**, *most*, Gmc. *maistaz*; (Lat. *maes*, “more”, comes from **meg-**).

IE **medō**, *take appropriate measures*, *measure*, gives Gmc. *metan* (cf. Goth. *mitan*, O.E. *metan*, O.Fris., O.N. *meta*, Du. *meten*, Eng. *mete*, Ger. *messen*), also found in Germanic as **kommediō**, *measure*, Gmc. *(ga)mætijaz* (cf. O.N. *mætr*, O.E. *gemæte*, O.H.G. *gimagi*, Eng. *meet*, Ger. *gemäß*); another PIE use for **mēdos**, “*smart measure taker*, *wise counselor*”, hence “*healer*, *physician*, *medicine man*”, found in Av. *vī-mad-*, Gk. *Mηδος*, *Mηδης*, and in secondary Lat. *medicus*, MIE **médikos**, behind verb **medēiō**, Lat. *medeor*, *-ērī* “*look after*, *heal*, *cure*”, as in Av. *vī-maḍayanta.*; derivatives include **medikāiō**, *medicate*, **medikinā**, *medicine*, **medikós**, *medical*, **remediom**, *remedy*; **meditāiō**, *think about*, *consider*, *reflect*, *meditate*; suffixed **medes-**, giving (influenced by Lat. *modus*) **medestós**, “*keeping to the appropriate measure*”, *moderate*, **ṛmedestós**, *inmodest*; **medesā**, “*keep within measure*”, *moderate*, *control*, **ṛmedesātós**, *inmoderate*; **medontiā**, *Medusa*, from Gk. *medein*, “*rule*”; suffixed o-grade **modos**, *measure*, *size*, *limit*, *manner*, *harmony*, *melody*, *mood*, as in **modā**, *mode*, **modelos**, *model*, **modesnós**, *modern*, **modidhakāiō**, *modify*, **modolāiō**, *modulate*, **módolos**, *module*, *modulus*, **kommodā**, *commode*, **kommoditā**, *commodity*, **adkommodāiō**, *accomodate*; suffixed o-grade **modios**, *a measure of grain*; lengthened o-grade **mōds**, *ability*, *measure*, as in **mōdō**, *have occasion*, *to be permitted or obliged*, as Gmc. *mōtan* (cf. Goth. *gamotan*, O.Fris. *mota*, O.E. *motan*, M.L.G. *moten*, Du. *moeten*, Ger. *müssen*, Eng. *must* from O.E. part. *moste*).

31. PIE verb **gen-**, *give birth*, *beget*, *produce*, is a well-attested root which gives derivatives referring to aspects and results of procreation and to familial and tribal groups, e.g. **genōs**, *race*, *stock*, *kind*, *gender*, as Lat. *genus*, *generis*, Gk. *γένος*, Skr. *janaḥ*, giving derivatives **genesāiō**, *generate*, **genesālis**, *general*, **genesātiōn**, *generation*; alternate base **gn̥-a-**, giving **gn̥tis**, *natural*, *native*, *clan*, *kin*, *race*, as Gmc. *kundiz* (cf. O.E. *gecynd*, Eng. *kind*), Lat. *gentis*, Gk. *γένεσις*, Skr. *jāta*, Lith. *gentis*; reduplicate **gignō**, *beget*, cf. Lat. *gignere*, Gk. *γίγνεσθαι*, Skr. *jajanti*, Av. *zīzanti*, with past participle **gn̥tós**, Lat. **genitós**, as in **genitór**, **genitālis**, **komgenitālis**, etc.; **gn̥nskō**, *be born*, from Lat. *gnāscī*, as in **gn̥ntós**, *born*, maybe also **prāign̥ntis**, *pregnant*, from older Lat. *praegnās*, later remade *praegnans*, etc. zero-grade lengthened **gn̥-** (v.i.), **komgn̥ntós**, *cognate*; **genios**, *procreative divinity*, *inborn tutelary spirit*, *innate quality*; **engenuós**, *born in (a place)*, *native*, *natural*, *freeborn*, then *ingenuous*, and **genuīnós**, *genuine*; **engeniom**, *inborn character*, later *engine*, and **engeniónts(ós)**, *ingenious*; **endogenā**, *native*, *indigen*; **genmēn**, *germen*, as in **genmenāiō**, *germinate*, **genmenālis**, etc. Compare also Gmc. *kunjam*, Osc. *genetaí*, Umb. *natine*, Skr. *janati*, Pers. *zāēdan*, Phryg. *cin*,

Thrac. *zenis*, Toch. *kän*, Arm. *cnanim*, Lith. *gimdyti*, Ltv. *znots*, OCS *zęť*, Russ. *зять*, O.Ir. *ro-genar*, Welsh *geni*, Alb. *dhëndër/dhândër*, Kam. *zut*; Hitt. *genzu*.

32. tu-stem Lat. *nütū* (maior- under likewise) “from birth”, therefrom *nütūra* “birth; nature, natural qualities or disposition, character; an element, substance, essence, nature”; praegnūs “pregnant”, new praegnans, from *-gnūtis.

33. From PIE root **weid-**, see, *know*, compare Gmc. *wītan* (Goth. *weitan*, O.N. *vita*, O.S., O.E. *witan*, O.H.G. *wizzan*), Lat. *uidēre*, Gk. *ιδειν, ειδοσ, οιδα*, Doric Gk. *woida*, Skr. *vēdah*, Av. *vaēda*, Phryg. *wit-*, Arm. *gitem*, O.Pruss. *widdai* (from *vidājet*), Lith. *vėizdmi*, O.C.S. *видѣти*, Pol. *widzieć*, Rus. *видеть*, Gaulish *vindos*, O.Ir. *ro-fetar*, Welsh *gwyn*, Breton *gwenn*, Kashmiri *vūčhūn*. Derivatives include **weistos** (<***wéidtos**), *learning, wisdom, knowledge, appearance, form, manner*, as Gmc. *wissaz* (cf. O.N. *viss*, O.S., O.Fris., O.E. *wīs*, O.H.G. *wiz*, O.Fr. *guise*, Du. *wijs*, Ger. *weise*, Eng. *wise*); suffixed **weidōs**, *form, shape*, as Gk. *eidos*, in **wéidolom**, *idol, eidolon*, as Gk. *εἶδωλον*; zero-grade form **widiom**, *knowledge, understanding, intelligence, mind*, as Gmc. *witjam* (cf. O.N. *vit*, O.S. *wit*, O.Fris. *wit*, O.H.G. *wizzi*, O.E. *wit*, Dan. *vid*, Swed. *vett*, Ger. *Witz*), also **ṛwidiom**, *ignorance* (cf. Goth. *unwiti*); from zero-grade **widēiō**, *see, look*, as Lat. *uidēre*, O.Ind. *vēdayati*, Goth. *witan*, -*aida*, O.Ice. *veita*, O.C.S. *vidēti*, Lith. *pavydėti*, Goth. *witan*, -*aida*, O.Ir. *fōid-*, pl. *fōidit*; PIE derivatives include **weidsō**, “visit” (<“wish to see”), cf. Lat. *vīsō*, -*ere*, Umb. *revestu* “revisit”, Goth. *gaweisōn*, O.S. O.H.G. *wīsōn*; **windō**, *find*, cf. O.Ind. *vindati*, Ir. *finn-*, Arm. *gint*, etc.; **widā**, cf. O.Ind. *vidā*, Welsh *gwedd* as in **Ŋwidā**, *Hades, the underworld*, perhaps “the invisible”, as Gk. *Haidēs/Aidēs*; **widiā**, O.Ind. *vidyā*, Av. *viḍya ds.*; O.Ir. *airde*, Welsh *arwydd*, O.S. *giwitt*, O.H.G. (gi)wizzi, O.E. *witt*, Goth. *unwiti*, O.H.G. *wizzī* O.H.G. *gi-*, *ir-wizzēn*, M.L.G. *witte*, etc.; es-stem, as in **weidōs**, *form, shape*, cf. Gk. *eidos*, in **wéidolom**, *idol, eidolon*, as Gk. *εἶδωλον*; cf. O.Ind. *vēdas*, Gk. *εἶδος*, Lith. *vėidas*, O.C.S. *vidъ*, M.Ir. *fiad m.* “Ehrenbezeugung”, O.Ir. *fiad*, Welsh *yngywydd*, M.Bret. *a goez*; other formation **weid-so-** Goth. -*weis*, O.Ice. *vīss*, O.H.G. O.S. O.E. *wīs*, O.H.G. *wīs(a)*, O.E. *wīs(e)*, perhaps also **widēsā**, Gk. *ἰδέα* “outer apparition, shape, sight” (if *Fιδέσα); **wistós** (<***widťós**, *uisós* in Latin), *seen*, as in **wistā**, *visa*, **wistiōn**, *vision*, **wistōs**, *visor*, **adwistom**, *advice*, **adwistāiō**, *advise*, **enwidiāiō**, *envy*, **ekwidénts**, *evident*, **prowidēiō**, *foresee*, **prowistós**, *foreseen*, **ṛprowistós**, *unforeseen*, **ṛprowistāiō**, *improvise*, **enterwidēiō**, *interview*, **enwidiónts(ós)**, *invidious*, **prāiwidēiō**, *previse*, **prowidēiō**, *provide*, **prowidénts**, *prudent*, **rewidēiō**, *review*, **rewistāiō**, *revise*, **superwistāiō**, *supervise, survey*; suffixed **wistór** (<***widťór**), *wise, learned, learned man*, Gk. *histōr*, in **wistoriā**, *history*, Gk. *ιστορία*.

34. Indo-European **qēl-**, *far*, gives prefixes **qēle-**, *far off*, from Gk. *τηλε-* (related to **qēleios**, Gk. *τελεος*, *end, goal, result*), and **qlai-**, *long ago*, Eng. *paleo-*, from **qlaiós**, *old, ancient*, Gk. *παλαιός*. This PIE base is possibly related (as a lengthened form) to **qel-**, *move around*; cf. Skr. *caramah*, Welsh *pellaf*, Bret. *pell*.

It is discussed whether *television* was formed in Eng. or borrowed from Fr. *télévision*, in either case from Gk. *tele-*, “far off, afar, at or to a distance”, and Lat. *vision*. Other proposals for the name of this then-hypothetical technology were *telephote* (1880) and *televista* (1904). The technology was developed in the 1920s and ‘30s. Loan-translated in Ger. as *Fernsehen*.

English technology comes from PIE **tek-**, Gk. *tektōn*, O.Ind. *takman*, *tak-ia-*; Sla. *tǫkǫti*, *tǫkǫ*; Osset. *taxun*, Arm. *tekhem*, usually extended **tek-s-**, *weave*, also *fabricate*, *plait*, cf. O.N. *þexla*, O.H.G. *dehsa*, Lat. *textō*, Skr. *takṣati*, Bal. *takiš-ia-*, Sla. *tǫčb*, *tǫčjā*, Hitt. *takš*. Common derivatives include **tékstus**, *thread*, *wire*, “*thing woven*”, later *text*, cf. Gmc. *takhtuz* (cf. O.N. *thātr*, O.H.G. *tāht*, common in Gmc. for “*roof*”), Lat. *textus*, **komtekstus**, *context*, **prāitekstus**, *pretext*; suffixed **tekslā**, *web*, *net*, *warp of a fabric*, also *weaver’s beam* (to which the warp threads are tied), cf. Lat. *tēla*, Russ. *tesla*, Ir. *tál*, also found in adj. **suptekslís**, *thin*, *fine*, *precise*, *subtle* (< ***sup-tekslā**, “*thread passing under the warp*”, *the finest thread*); suffixed **teksōn**, *weaver*, *maker of wattle for house walls*, builder, **tekstōr**, *builder*, **tekstōn**, *carpenter*, *builder*, as in **tekstonikós**, *tectonic*, or **arkhitekstōn**, *architect* (from Gk. *arkhein*, “*begin*, *rule*”); **teksnā**, *art*, *craft*, *skill*, as Gk. *tekhne*, in **teksnikós**, *technical*, **teksnologiā**, *technology*.

Another common IE root for “*weave*” was **webh-** (<PIH *Hw-*) as in verb **webhō**, Gmc. *webanan* (cf. O.N. *vefa*, O.E. *wefan*, O.H.G. *weban*, M.L.G., M.Du., Du. *weven*, Eng. *weave*, Ger. *weben*), Skr. *ubhati*, Av. *ubdaēna*, O.Pers. *baftan*, Pers. *bāfad*, Toch. *wāp/wāp*, Arm. *ven*, Hitt. *hupala*, *hupiki*, *hupra-*, Alb. *vegjë*. A common Germanic word is **wobh(i)ā**, *web*, *fabric*, as Gmc. *wobō* (cf. O.S. *webbi*, O.N. *vefr*, O.E. *webb*, O.H.G. *weppi*, Du. *webbe*, Ger. *gewebe*), Gk. *huphē*, also in English loan word **Wíralts Wítá Wobhiā**, *World Wide Web*, *WWW*. Maybe originally the same root as **webh-**, *wander*, *move back and forth as in weaving*, as Gmc. *wabjan* (cf. O.N. *vafra*, O.E. *wafian*, *wæfre*, M.E. *waveren*, M.H.G. *waben*, L.Ger. *wabbeln*), Bal. *webždē*, *wibždē*.

Proto-Indo-European **wi**, *apart*, *away*, is the source for adj. **witós**, *wide*, as Gmc. *withas* (cf. O.S., O.E., O.Fris. *wid*, O.N. *viðr*, Du. *wijd*, O.H.G. *wit*, Eng. *wide*, Ger. *weit*), and also for **wit(e)ros/m**, *against*, lit. “*more apart*”, as Skr. *vitaram*, Gmc. *withros* (cf. Goth. *wipra*, O.S. *withar*, O.N. *viðr*, O.E. *wið*, O.H.G. *widar*, M.Du., Du. *weder*, Du. *weer*, Eng. *with*, Ger. *wieder*). Compare other derivatives as Skr. *vi*, Av. *vi-*, Hitt. *na-wi* “*not yet*”, O.C.S. *vutoru*, “*other*, *second*”, as Russ. *emopoŭ*.

35. PIE **agō**, *drive*, *draw out or forth*, *move*, *set in motion*, gives O.N. *aka*, Lat. *agere*, *actus*, Osc. *acum*, Gk. *ἄγω*, Skr. *ájati*, *ajiráh*, Av. *azaiti*, Toch. *āk*, Arm. *acem*, O.Ir. *ad-aig*, *āin*, O. Welsh *agit*; probably Hitt. *aggala-*, “*furrow*”. For more on **ag-**, v.i.

36. For root **legh-**, *lie down*, *rest*, verb **leghiō**, as Gmc. *ligjan* (cf. Goth. *ligan*, O.N. *liggja*, O.E. *licgan*, O.Fris. *lidzia*, M.Du. *ligghen*, O.H.G. *liggan*), Cel. *leghjo*, Sla. *ležjō*; cf. Lat. *lectus*, Gk. *λεχῶ*, Toch. *lake/leke*, Lith. *atlagai*, Ltv. *lagača*, O.C.S. *lego*, Russ. *лежѣть*, Polish *leżeć*, Gaul. *legasit*, O.Ir. *lige*, Welsh *gwal*; Hittite *lagi*.

37. PIE root **ped-**, *foot*, Nom. **pōds**, cf. Gmc. *fōts* (cf. Goth. *fōtus*, O.N. *fōtr*, O.E. *fōt*, O.H.G. *fuoz*, Du. *voet*), Lat. *pedis*, Umb. *peři*, Gk. *πεζός*, Dor. *πός*, Skr. *padám*, Av. *pâda-*, Pers. *pa*, Arm. *het*, Toch. *peṃ/paiyye*, Lith. *pėdq*, Ltv. *pėda*, O.C.S. *пѣшь*, Russ. *néuuŭ*, Pol. *pieszy*, Alb. *poshtë*, Osset. *fad*; Hitt. *pata*, Lyc. *pede-*, Luw. *pati-*.

38. The common verb **klus(sk)ō**, *listen*, comes from zero-grade of PIE **kleu-**, *hear*, and it has derivatives refer also to *fame*, *word* or *loud*, as in Gmc. *khlusinōn*, ‘*listen*’ (cf. O.E. *hlysnan*, O.H.G. *hlosen*, Eng. *listen*), *khlūdaz*, ‘*loud*’ (cf. Goth. *hliuþ*, O.N. *hljóðr*, O.N. *hlud*, O.H.G. *hlut*), Lat. *chuēre*, Gk. *κλυω*, *κλέος* (as in Ἡρακλῆς, *Herakles*), Skr. *śru*, *sṛnoti*, *çrāváyati* Av. *sraota-*, *surunaoiti*, *sṛavayeiti*, M.Pers. *srod*, Pers. *sarāyīdan*, Illyr. *cleves*, Toch. *klyos*, *klāw*, Arm. *lu*, O.Lith. *šlāvė*, *šlovė*, Lith. *klausau*, *šlónė*, Ltv. *klausīt*, *slava*, *slave*, O.C.S. *slusati*, *slava*, *slovo*, Russ. *слово*, *слава*, Pol. *słowo*, *ślawa*, Gaul. *clu*, O.Ir. *clunim*, Welsh *clywaf*, Alb. *quhem*.

The common Slavic word to define themselves, O.C.S. словѣне, словѣньскѣ, reconstructed as an older base [*kʰlou-*], if ultimately Indo-European (cf. for **klutós**, “*heared, famous*”, Skr. *śrutá-*, Av. *sruta-*, Gk. *lytós*, Lat. *in-clitus*, M.Ir. *rocloth*, O.H.G. *Hlot-hari*, Arm. *lu*), is a demonym whose first reference is probably found in Ptolemy, who identified tribes called *Stavanoi* and *Soubenoi*, then translated (6th century) as M.Lat. *Sclaueni/Sthlaueni*, M.Gr. *Σκλαβηνοί/Σθλαβηνοί*. It is thus probably related to either *slava, fame*, (as *slaviane*), thus “*glorious people*”, or from *slovo, speech*, (as *slověne*), therefore originally meaning “*member of the speech community*” (cf. Albanian noun for themselves, *shqipetár*, derived from *shqipónj, understand*), in contrast with the Germans, who were in O.C.S. *nemici*, related to *nemu ‘dumb’*. Compare with the Greek custom of using βαρβαρος to mean “*foreign, strange, ignorant*” (derivatives are Lat. *barbārus*, Eng. *barbarian*) from PIE base **barbar-**, echoic of unintelligible speech, like that of foreigners (cf. Skt. *barbara-*, *stammering*, also “*non-Aryan*”). Therefore, a proper MIE reconstruction for such Slavic term is **Klówenos**, *Slav*, for словѣне, and **Kloweniskós**, *Slavic*, for словѣньскѣ, but – because the reconstruction is uncertain, and modern crossed borrowings are usual–, modern loan words **Slawenos**, **Slaweniskós** should be preferred.

For common MIE terms – which could be also written with initial **klo-** instead of **slo-/sla-**, compare: **Slawenos**, *Slav*; **Slaweniskós**, *Slavic*; **Sloweniskā**, *Slovakia*; **Sloweniā**, *Slovenia*; **Sloweniskós**, *Slovak*; **Slowenikós**, *Slovene*; **Augoslawiā**, *Yugoslavia*. The later is a compound of MIE reconstructed **augós**, *southern*, from **ug-** (proper IE reconstruction of Slavic *jug-*), originally referring to a southern wind, possibly ultimately from PIE root **aug-**, with derivatives meaning *increase, enlarge*, as already seen.

39. PIE root **bhes-** *breathe, blow*, gave Skr. *bhas-*, Gk. *ψυχειν*, and is probably of imitative origin. Its zero-grade **bhs-** gives supposedly ***bhsūghá** [(b^h)su:-k^ha:], *spirit, soul*, originally *breath, life*, “*the invisible entity behind the physical body*” (personified as *Psyche*, the lover of *Eros*), a MIE loan word (**bhsūgho-** in compounds) from Gk. *ψυχή*, with an unreconstructed Greek ending **-kh-**, probably PIE **-gh-**. In light of O.Ind. *bábhasti*, some would rather reconstruct PIE **spu-**, hence MIE metathesized **psūghá**.

40. Usually reconstructed preposition and preverb ***ksun**, *with, together*, as Gk. *ξυν*, is explained as **kom** via Greek-psi substratum (Villar). Slavic *su-, so/s*, normally compared with the Greek form, could in turn come from zero-grade **sm** (see **sem**, *one*), as O.Ind. *sa*. Then compound **smweitus**, *council*, from Slavic *so-vetu*, is also formed by O.C.S. *вѣтъ, counsel, advice* (a loan-translation in Gk. *βουλή* in ‘*συμ-βούλιον*’), which comes from PIE root **weiti-**, *declare, condemn*, cf. Av. *vaēð*, Sla. *větъ*, Bal. *wait-* f., cf. O.Pruss *waitiāt*, Lith. *vaitenù*.

41. IE **gñtis**, *birth, family*, lit. “*that which has been born*” (ultimately from **gen-**), cf. O.Ind. *jātis*, Lat. *nāti-o*, Umb. *natine*, O.E. O.E. (*ge*)*cynd* f. “*kind of, nature, quality, origin, source, beginning; an ancestor, descendant*” (Eng. *kind*), from base **gn-**, as **gn̥s**, O.Ind. *jā-s* “*descendant*”, as **gn̥iá**, *pra-jā* “*progeny*”, **gn̥pots**, *jās-patis*, “*paterfamilias*”. Political sense has gradually taken over from racial meaning “*large group of people with common ancestry*”, hence MIE **gñtis** (or Lat. loan **gn̥tiōn**) *nation, stock, race*, and common derivatives include **gñtís**, *national* (<**gn̥tiōnālís**) or **gñtitā**, *nationality*, or **gñtēiuós**, *native*, “*innate, produced by birth*”, etc. suffixed **-tu** (v.i.), **gñtū**, *from birth*, in **gñtūrā**, *birth; nature, natural qualities or disposition, character; an element, substance, essence, nature*.

42. PIE root for **prkskó** is **prek-**, *ask, entreat, pray*, and is cognate with Gmc. *frēkhnan* (cf. Goth. *fraihnan*, O.N. *fregna*, O.E. *frignan*, O.H.G. *frāga*), Lat. *prex*, Osc. *aparsam*, Umb. *pepurkurent*, Skr. *praçnás, prās*, Av.

frāsa, Toch. *prak/prek*, Arm. *harčanem*, Lith. *prašaũ*, Ltv. *prasu*, O.C.S. *npocumu*, Russ. *npocúmb*, Pol. *prosić*, Welsh *archaf*, Ir. *arco*, M.Bret. *archas*. Common MIE derivatives include **preks**, *prayer*, as Lat. *prex*, and verb **prekaiō**, *entreat, pray*, as Lat. *precāri*, in **prekasiós**, *precarious* (PIE proper is **dúsopis**, cf. O.Ir. *domme* ‘poor’ <**dus-op-smjo*, Lat. *inops*, O.Ind. *durāpah* ‘hard to obtain’, etc), **deprekaiō**, *deprecate*, **enprekaiō**, *imprecate*; from **prkskō** is extended **p(o)rs(k)stolaiō**, *ask, request, postulate*, as Lat. *postulāre*.

43. Modern Indo-European words for “house”:

A. Derivatives from an original PIE root **dem-** are **dōms**, acc. **dōmṃ**, *house, ‘shelter’*, cf. Gk. nom. *dō*, acc. *dōma*, Arm. acc. *tun*, also found as common o-stem **domos**, cf. Lat. loc. *domī*, Umb. *dāmoa*, Gk. δόμος, δῆμος (*deme*), O.Ind. *dāmas*, Av. *dqm*, Toch. *tam/tām*, Arm. *tun*, Lith. *namas*, Ltv. *nams*, O.C.S. домъ, Rus. дом, Pol. *dom*, Welsh *tŷ*. Also common is the u-stem **domus** (cf. Lat. *domus, domūs*; O.Ir. *dom-*, *dam-*, O.C.S. *domъ*, O.Russ. *domovъ*, Arm. *tanu*, etc.), which gives **dómūnos**, “house-lord” (cf. O.Ind. *damūnas*, “housemate”, Lat. *dominus*, “lord”, see Latin *ablaut*), and adjective **domūnikós**. From IE **dōmn** is Gk. δῶμα, *dome*. Probably from same root is base **demō**, *build*, as Gk. δέμω, found as “settle, fit” in Goth. *ga-timan*, O.S. *teman*, O.H.G. *zeman*, giving dialectal **demrom**, *timber*, Gmc. *temran* (cf. Goth. *timrjan*, O.N. *timbr*, O.E. *timber*, O.Fris. *timber*, O.H.G. *zimbar*, Ger. *Zimmer*); cf. also Gmc. *tumfetiz*, (Eng. *toft*, from O.N. *topt*), Gk. δάπεδον, Lith. *dimstis*.

B. For ‘house’ in Germanic languages MIE reconstructs a common **kusom**, *dwelling, shelter*, from Gmc. *khusam* (cf. Goth. *-hus*, O.N., O.E., O.Fris. *hus*, Du. *huis*, Ger. *Haus*), probably related to PIE root (s)**keu-**, *cover, conceal*. Compare in **keudh(i)o**, *hide, conceal*, Gmc. *kluthjanan* (O.E. *hyde*), Gk. κεύθω, and other derivatives like **keudhis**, *covering*, Gmc. *khudiz* (cf. O.N. *huð*, O.E. *hyd*, O.Fris. *hed*, M.Du. *huut*, Ger. *Haut*); Gmc. *skeujam* *cloud, cloud cover*, (cf. Goth. *skuggwa*, O.N. *scy, skuggi*, O.E. *sceo, scua*, O.S. *scio*, O.H.G. *scuwo, scūr*, O.Ice. *skāli, skjöl*, M.H.G. *hode*, Ger. *Scheuer*), Lat. *cutis, scutum, ob-scurus*, Gk. κύτος, Skr. *kostha, skunati*, Arm. *cim*, Lith. *kėvalas*, Ltv. *skura*, Rus. *kishka*, O.Ir. *cūl*, Welsh *cuddio*.

C. PIE root **kat-**, *hut, shed* is probably the source of Romance *casa*, hence PIE **katiā** or **katsā**, as in Gmc. *khathra* (cf. O.E. *headōr*), Lat. *catena, cassis* (<**kat-tis**), *castrum* (<**kat-trom**) Av. *kata-*, Pers. *kad*, O.C.S. *kotici, kotú*, O.Ir. *cathir*, Welsh *cader*. The different warlike meanings found are explained by confusion with a similar PIE root, **kat-**, *troop, battle*, in **katus, katā**, cf. Gmc. *kathu-*, *katho* (cf. O.N. *hoð*, O.E. *heapu*, O.H.G. *hathu*), Skr. *śātru*, “enemy”, Toch. *keta, kete*, O.C.S. *kotora*, Gaul. *catu*, O.Ir. *cath*, Welsh *cad*.

Compare also from other works, Swe. *kåta*, Nor. *kota/kote/kåte* (probably borrowed from Uralic *kota*, as Finnish *koti*, Est. *koðu*, Hung. *ház*), and also Skr. *cātvāla-*, Av. *čāiti*, Toch B *kotai-*, Alb *katua*, as well as other unexplained words like Bul. *кѡца*, Srb.-Cro. *kuća*, Slovene *hiša*, all meaning *hut, shed, house, or hole, prison*, some of them reconstructed as ultimately from PIE root **ket-**, *storage pit* (Mallory-Adams).

D. Old Greek οἶκος (*oikos*), *house*, comes from IE **woikos**, which gave also Gk. οἰκία, *house*, and Gk. οἰκησις, *dwelling, administration*, and Gk. οἰκητός, *inhabitant*; in MIE, it has universal loan-translations like **woikonómia**, *economy*, originally “household, management”, from **woikonomos**, *econome, “manager, steward”*, **woikologíā**, *ecology*, **woikosōmenos**, *world, inhabited world* (into Proto-Greek *woikohōmeno-* -> Att. Gk. οἰκουμένη [γῆ], “inhabited [land]”). It is the o-grade form of **weikos**, *village, dwelling, “group of houses”*, (cf. Lat. *uīcus*, Skr. *vesah*, OCS *vīsī*, Russ. *ves’*, Pol. *wieś*, Lith. *viešas*), as in **weikinos**, *neighbour, weikinitā*, *neighborhood*, or loan **weikslā** (from It. *villa, country house, villa, farm*, from Lat. *villa*). The noun

is derived from PIE root **weiks**, *clan, village*, “social unit above the household”; compare Goth, O.H.G. *weihs*, O.E. *wic*, Skr. *viś*, Av. *vīs*, O.Pers. *vitham*, Ltv. *viesis*, Alb. *vis*; cf. also O.Pruss. *waispattin*, Lith. *viešpats*, MIE **weikspóts**, “clan-master”, *landlord*, a compound equivalent to **dems-póts**, “house-master”, *landlord*, and similar to **ghos-póts**, “guest-master”, *host*.

MIE suffix **-nomiā**, **-nomos** come from IE **nomos**, *custom, law, usage, method*, Gk. νόμος, in turn from PIE verb **nemō**, *allot, distribute, divide, manage*; cf. Gmc. *niman* (cf. Goth. *niman*, O.N. *nema*, O.E. *naemel*, *numol*, O.H.G. *nēman*, Eng. *numb*, *nim*, Ger. *nehmen*), Gk. νέμειν, Av. *nəmah*, Toch. *ñemek*, Lith. *nuomas*, Ltv. *noma*, Russ. *nemoj*, O.Ir. *nem*. Other known derivatives include **nómesos**, *number, division*, as Lat. *numerus*, **nomesālís**, *numeral*, etc. **nomā**, *pasturage, grazing*, hence “a spreading, a spreading ulcer”, *noma*, from which **nomads** is derived (Lat. *nomas*); also, **nomimós**, *regular, ordinary*, hence “coin, money”, as Lat. *nummus*, Gk. νομμος; **nomismatis**, Lat. *numismatis*, in **nomismatikā**, *numismatics*, from **nomismn**, *current coin, custom* (from O.Gk. νόμισμα, lit. “what has been sanctioned by custom or usage”), from IE verb **nomísō**, “to hold or own as a custom, usage, to use customarily, practise, to be used to a thing” (as Gk. νομιζω, in turn from νόμος). Also, **Németis**, Gk. *goddess of vengeance*, from Gk. Νέμεσις, “indignation, jealousy, vengeance” lit. “distribution, partition”.

E. For Indo-Aryan *ghar*, compare a common IE root **ghers-**, *court, yard*.

44. For PIE base **potis**, *powerful, able, capable*; also *lord, master*, compare **potō**, “be able”, (from Lat. *potere*), from which **poténts** (Lat. pres.p. *potens*) and **poténtiā**; cf. also Gk. *posis*, Skt. *patih*, Lith. *patis*. Also found in compounds **potsō**, *be able*, (Lat. *posse*, from **potis**, *able*, and **es**, *be*), as in **potsibhilís**, *possible*, “that can be done”, and **potsedēiō**, *possess* (from Lat. *possidēre*, from **potis**, “as master”, and **sedēiō**, *sit*), which gives **potsestiōn** (<***pot-s-edtion**), *possession*, forms which are properly expressed by **potēiō**, as O.Lat. *potēō*, a verb usual in Romance through a V.Lat. *potere*, cf. Fr. *pouvoir*, Ita. *potere*, Pt., Spa. *poder*, Rom. *putere*, etc.

For PIE **esmi** (PIH *h₁es*), *be*, compare Goth. *ist*, O.N. *es*, O.E. *is*, O.H.G. *ist*, Lat. *est*, Osc. *súm*, Umb. *sent*, Gk. *esti*, Skr. *asti*, Av. *asti*, O.Pers. *astiy*, Toch. *še/šei*, Arm. *ē*, O.Pruss. *asmai*, Lith. *esmi*, Ltv. *esmu*, O.C.S. *jesti*, Russ. *есмь*, Polish *jest*, O.Ir. *am*, Alb. *është/âsht*; Hitt. *asa*, Lyc. *es*, Luw. *as*, Lyd. *e-*, Palaic *aš-*.

a. A proper Indo-European word meaning “owe, possess” was PIE verb **eikō**, *be master of, possess*, Skr. *iṣṭe*, *iṣah*, Avestan *iṣti*, *iṣvan-*, and **eikōn**, *property, eikenós*, *master, owner*; as Gmc. *aigan-an* (cf. Goth. *aigan*, O.Fris. *aga*, O.N. *eiga*, O.E. *āgan*, O.H.G. *eigan*, Eng. *ought*), O.Ind. *íśáná-*, Toch. A *akām̐tsune*, B *ekaññi*.

b. For PIE **sed-**, *sit*, compare verb **sedēiō**, *sit*, as Lat. *sedēre*, O.Ind. *sādayati*, Av. *ni-šādayeiti* with, O.Cz. *seděti*, Germanic remade *sitjan* (cf. Goth. *sitan*, O.S. *sittian*, O.N. *sitja*, O.E. *sittan*, O.Fris. *sitta*, M.Du. *sitten*, O.H.G. *sizzan*, *sezzal*), Welsh *seddu*; p.part. **sestós** (<***sedtós**) *sat*, hence **sestos**, “seat”, cf. O.Ind. *sattá-*, Av. *-hasta-*, Lat. *sessus*, O.Ice. O.E. *sess*, also Lith. *séstas* and Lith. *sóstas*, O.Pruss. *sosto*; causative **sodēiō**, *place, plant*, as Goth. *saþjan*, O.Ice. *setia*, O.H.G. *sezzen*, Lat. *adsuidi*, O.C.S. *saditi*; with reduplication **sisdō** (**sizdō**), *put, place*, cf. O.Ind. *sídati* (<si-zd-ati), Av. *hiðaiti*, Gk. *ἵζω*, Lat. *sīdō* (<si-zdō), Umbr. *sistū*; **sedlos/sedlā** (from ***sed-tlo-**) *seat, position*, as Gmc. *setlaz* (cf. Goth. *sitls*, M.L.G., M.Du. *setel*, O.E. *setl*, Du. *zetel*, Ger. *Sessel*), Lat. *sella*, O.C.S. *sedlo*, O.E. *sadol*, etc.; giving **sedentasiós**, *sedentary*, **sédikom**, *siege*, (from L.Lat. *sedicum*, although besiege from Lat. *is situā*, possibly from IE **tkei-**), **dissedēiō**, *disagree*, **dissedénts**, *dissident*,

adsedēiō, *assist, assess, help*, **adseduós**, *assiduous*, **präisedēiō**, *preside*, **resedēiō**, *reside*, **supsediom**, *subsidy* (but **supsisdō**); Greek ἔδρα, Ice. *setr*, is PIE **sedrā**, *chair, throne, face of a geometric solid*, hence loan translations **komsedrós**, *sitting in council*, **komsedriom**, *council* (from which Hebrew *sanhedrīn*, from Gk. συνέδριον), **eksedrā**, *exedra*, **kátsedrā**, *cathedra*, **katsedrālis**, *cathedral, bishop's see*, **qetrasedrom**, *tetrahedron*; Also, from Latin **sēdēs**, *see, seat, residence*, **sēdā**, *sedate, settle, calm down*; prefixed and suffixed **pisediō**, *sit upon, push, press* (**pi**, from **epi**) O.Ind. *pīdayati*, Gk. πῆζω (<πi-σεδiω), **kesdō**, *give up, give after*, as Av. *syazd-*, *sižd-*, Lat. *cēdo*, as well as *necesse* “*necessary*”, **nekestis** (<*ne-ke-sd-tis*, “*not something to give after*”); for lengthened **sēdāiō**, *calm down, sedate*, cf. Lat. *sēdāre*, M.L.G. *sāten*; for suffixed **sestis**, *seat*, cf. O.Ind. *satti-*, Av. *šasti-*, Umb. *sersitu*, further suffixed as **sestiōn**, *session*, Lat. *sessiō* (<**sessis*); compare also Gk. ἔζομαι, Skr. *sad*, Av. *nišaḍayeiti*, O.Pers. *niyašayadan*, Pers. *nešastan*, Toch. *sātḱ*, Arm. *nstil*, O.Pruss. *sīdons*, Lith. *sédėti, sėdžiu, sėsti, sėdu* Ltv. *sėdēt, sėdu*, Slav. *sěděti, sědī* (O.C.S. сѣдѣти, сѣждѣ, Russ. *сидѣть, сесть* Pol. *siedzić, sęsti, sęd* (cf. O.C.S. сѣсти, сждѣ, O.Russ. сѣсти, сяду, Pol. *siąść, siąde*), Gaul. *essedum*, O.Ir. *saidim*, Welsh *seddu*, Ir. *suidh*.

45. For PIE **ghortos** with the sense of *garden, fenced place* compare Gmc. *gardaz* (cf. Goth. *gards*, O.N. *garðr*, O.E. *geard*, O.Fris. *garda*, Du. *gaard*, O.H.G. *gart*), also Lat *hortus, cohorts*, Osc. *heríad*, Gk. *χορτος*, Skr. *grhá-*, Phrygian *-gordum*, Lith. *žardas*, Ltv. *zārds*, Gaul. *gorto*, O.Ir. *gort*, Welsh *garth*, Bret. *garz*, Alb. *garth-*; Hitt. *gurtas*. Note the Balto-Slavic terms related to this root and beginning with [g] – as Lith. *gardas*, O.C.S. *gradu*, Rus. *gorod, -grad*, etc. – not affected by *satemization*, explained as Gmc. borrowing.

46. IE **ghrēdhus**, *hunger*, gives Gmc. *grēduz* (cf. Goth. *gredus*, O.E. *grædum*, cognate with Skt. *grdh*, Gk. *-gyros*). From the same PIE root is **ghṛtāiō**, *urge on, encourage* (from Lat. *hortārī*, giving **eksghṛtāiō**, *exhort*), **ghṛis**, *grace, favor* (from Gk. *χαρις*, which gives **ghṛismā**, *charism*, or (A)**sughṛistiā**, *Eucharist*), **ghṛēiō**, *it is necessary* (from Gk. *χρη*, which gives **ghṛestós**, *useful*, and **ghṛestoméndhia**, *chrestomathy*). With the – possibly older – sense of *bowels*, compare Gmc. *gernjan* (O.N. *gorn*, O.Eng. *gearn*, O.H.G. *garn*, Eng. *yarn*), O.E. *gorst*, Lat. *hernia, horrēo*, Gk. *χορδή, χέροος*, Skr. *hirah, haršate*, Av. *zaršayamna*, Arm. *dzar*, Lith. *žarna*, Ltv. *zarna*, Russ. *зор*, O.Ir. *garb*, Welsh *garw*, Alb. *derr*; Hitt. *karat*, and adj. Gmc. *grēdigaz* (cf. O.S. *gradag*, O.N. *graðr*, O.Eng. *graedig*, Eng. *greedy*).

47. PIE root **ceiw-**, *live*, PIH **g^weih₃-*, with metathesized variant **cjo-** (older **g^wjeh₃*, coloured to **g^wjoh₃*) gives derivatives zero-grade **ciwós** (<*g^wih₃-*), *living, alive*, as Gmc. *kwi(k)waz* (cf. Goth. *quis*, O.N. *kvikr*, O.E. *cwicu*, O.Fris. *quik*, O.H.G. *quec*, Ger. *keck*, Eng. *quick*), Lat. *uīus*, Osc. *bivus*, O.Pruss. *giwa*; verb **ciwō**, *live*, as Lat. *uīuō*, O.Ind. *jīvati*, Sla. *živъ(jъ)*, Bal. *giwa*; **ciwoparós**, *viviparous, living, alive*, as Lat. *vivipārus*, and shortened **ci(wo)parā**, *viper, “bearing live young”*, from Lat. *vipēra* (both from IE **parós**, v.s.); with k-suffix: **ciwāks**, *lively, vivacious*, cf. Lat. *vīvāx*, Lith. *gyvókas*, O.Ind. *jīvaka-*; with t-suffix **ciwotā**, *life*, cf. Lith. *gyvatà*, O.C.S. *životъ*, O.Ind. *jīvatha-h*, Lat. *uīta*, in **ciwotālis**, *vital*. Compare also O.E. *cwifer*, Gk. *βίωμα*, Av. *gaēthā, jigaēsa*, O.Pers. *gaihā*, Pers. *zēstan*, Toch. *śo/śai*, Arm. *keam, giwāntei*, Lith. *gýti, gyventi*, Ltv. *dzīvs, dzīt*, O.C.S. *живъ, жуму*, Russ. *жить, живѣ*, Polish *żyć, żyje*, Gaul. *Biturīges*, O.Ir. *bethu*, Welsh *byd*.

48. PIE root **ser-** gives **sérōs**, “*guardian*”, *heroe*, Gk. *ἥρως*, and general verbal base **serw-**, *guard, protect*, in **serwāiō**, *keep, preserve*, Lat. *seruāre*, **serwiō**, *serve*, as Lat. *seruīre*, and **serwos**, *slave, servant*, Lat. *seruus*

(forms also found in other Italic dialects, cf. Osc. *serevkiđ*, ‘protection’, *ooserclom*, usually considered borrowings from Etruscan); cf. also O.Ind. Av. *haraiti*, *pasuš-haurvō*, “shepherd”, Gmc. *sarwia*, Bal. *serg-*, Sla. *stergt*.

49. To refer to a *person, man*, PIE had root **manu-**, Indo-Iranian **manus**, Germanic **manwos** and Balto-Slavic o-grade **monw(i)os**. Compare Gmc *manwaz/mannaz* (cf. Goth. *manna*, O.N. *mǫðr*, O.E. *mann*, O.S., O.H.G. *man*, Ger. *Mann*), Skr. *manuḥ*, Av. *manu-*, Pers. *mærd*, Kurd. *mêr*, Lith. *žmogus*, O.C.S. *mōžǐ*, Russ. *муж*, Polish *mąż*, Kamviri *mânša*. Compare also with Ger. *Mensch*, Du. *mens*, Nor., Da. *menneske*, Swe. *människa*, Ice. *manneskja*, from Gmc. *manniskaz*, IE **manwiskos**, *person, human* (cf. Romany *manush*, from Skr. *manuḥ*). A common European borrowing is **ṛbhudhománwos**, from compound **ṛ(bhi)+bhudhom** (from Gmc. *budam*, O.N. *bodh*, “command”) + **manwos**, *ombudsman*, with the exception of some regionally translated terms, as Fr. *médiateur*, Spa. *defensor del pueblo*, etc.

Some names for ‘German’, ‘Germany’, (Fr. *allemand*, Spa. *alemán*, Pt. *alemão*, Cat. *alemany*, Celtic, like Welsh *Almaeneg*, Bret. *Alaman*, Indo-Iranian, as Pers. *almani*, Kurd. *elman*; and even non-IE, as Turkish *Alman*, Arabic *almanya*, Azeri *Alman*, Basque *alemanera*, Guarani *Alemanigua*, Malagasi *alema*, Khmer *alaman*, Tagalog *Aleman*), in turn a loan word from the tribal name that the neighboring *Alamanni* used for themselves. The term comes from Gmc. compound *Ala-manniz*, PIE reconstructed **Alomanwis**, with first word from PIE root **al-**, therefore originally meaning lit. “all men”.

EIE **al-**, *all, alo-* in compounds; derivatives include adjectives like Germanic **alnós**, *all*, as Gmc. *allaz* (cf. Goth. *alls*, O.N. *allr*, O.E. *all, eall*, eal-, O.Fris., O.H.G. *al*); maybe also in Latin **al(n)erós**, *instructed, well-informed*, Lat. *alers, allers*; and Baltic **aliós**, *all*, cf. Bal. *al-ja-*.

50. PIE stem **(s)neu-** (cf. Skr. *snavan-*, Arm. *nearđ*), an extension of **(s)nē-**, *spin, sew*, which gives derivatives **nētlā**, *needle*, (with instrumental suffix **-tlo-**), as Gmc. *nēthlō* (Goth. *nēþla*, O.S. *nathla*, O.N. *nál*, O.E. *næðlæ*, O.Fris. *nedle*, O.H.G. *nādala*), **snotá**, *snood*, as Gmc. *snōdō*, or **nēmṇ**, *thread*, as Gk. *νημα*. Compare also Lat. *neō*, Gk. *νεῖν, νηθω*, Skr. *snājati*, Ltv. *snāte*, O.C.S. *niti*, Russ. *нумъ*, O.Ir. *snáthat*, Welsh *nyddu, nodwydd*.

51. For derivatives of PIE root **stāi**, *hide, stone, also thicken, stiffen*, compare **stoinos**, *stone*, Gmc. *stainaz* (cf. Goth. *stains*, O.N. *steinn*, O.E. *stan*, O.H.G., Dan. *steen*, Ger. *Stein*), and **stājṛ**, *solid fat*, from Gk. *στεαρ*; compare also Gk. *stia, stion*, Skr. *stjajāt*, Av. *staj*, O.C.S. *stena*.

52. PIE root **pūr/pāwr**, *fire, bonfire*, is probably derived from an older **peh₂wr* (cf. Hitt. *paḥḫur*) and has an irregular Genitive **pūnós**. Compare Goth. *fōn*, Gk. *πυρ*, Osc. *purasiāi*, Umb. *pir*, Skr. *pu*, Toch. *por/puwār*, Arm. *hur*, O. Pruss. *panno*, Polish *perz*, Cz. *pýř*. The suffixed form **pūris**, *fire*, gave Gmc. *fūris* (cf. O.N. *fúrr*, O.E. *fȳr*, O.Fris. *fūr*, M.Du. *vuur*, O.H.G. *fūr*).

53. IE **per-** means *lead, pass over*, as in verb **periō**, cf. Gk. *πείρω* (<*perio*), O.C.S. *na-perjō*; adj. **perwntós**, *rocky*, noun **pérwntos**, *mountain*, as Skr. *parvataḥ*; **pertā**, *cliff, rock* (possibly earlier “bedrock”, “what one comes through to”), as Lat. *petra*, Gk. *πέτρα* (both dissimilated as **petrā*, which means ‘feather’ in MIE, v.i., hence name *Peter*, from Lat. *Petrus*, should be **Pertos**; **pertus**, *place for crossing over*, ford as Gmc. *ferthuz* (cf. O.N. *fjörðr*, Eng. *firth*), compare zero-grade **prtus**, *going, entrance, passage*, modern *ford, harbor, port*, as Gmc. *furthuz* (cf. O.Fris. *forda*, O.E. *ford*, O.H.G. *furt*, Ger. *Furt*), Lat. *portus*, O.Welsh *rit*, Welsh *rhyd*. Other derivatives include o-grade **porēiō**, *drive, ship, travel*, Gmc. *farjan* (cf. Goth. *farjan*, O.H.G. O.E. *faran*, O.Ice. *fara*, O.S. *ferian*, O.H.G. *ferien, ferren*, O.Ice. *ferja*), also iterative behind Lat. *portāre*, MIE **poritāiō**, *carry*, and

poritá, *gate*; **peritós**, *experienced*, Lat. *peritus*; **poros**, *journey, passage, way*, as Gk. πόρος; **porḥos**, *feather*, as Gmc. *farnaz* (cf. O.E. *fearn*, M.Du. *varn*, O.S., O.H.G. *farn*, Eng. *fern*), Skr. n. *parṇa-*, Av. n. *parəna-*, Lith. *sparṇas*, Ltv. *spārns*; lengthened **pōrēiō**, *lead, lead across, bring to safety*, as O.C.S. *pariti*, O.Ind. *pārayati*, Gmc. *fōrjan* (cf. O.E. *gefera*, O.H.G. *fuoren*, M.E. *fere*, Ger. *führen*).

The name Portugal is MIE **Pr̥tukalē**, *Port of “Kale”*, as Lat. *Portucale*, with the second term of uncertain origin, although some relate it to PIE sources akin to Lat. *Gallus*, “*Gallic*”, also related to similar Celtic names giving *g-* or *w-* (<*g^w*?) as *Gallaecia*, *Wallacia*, *Wales*, etc. (hence maybe ***-cale**), Lat. *calidus*, “*warm*”, or Lat. *calx*, “*lime*”.

54. English word “*true*” comes from O.E. *triewe* (W.Saxon), *treowe* (Mercian), *faithful, trustworthy*, from Gmc. *treuwjaz* (cf. Goth. *triggws* O.N. *trygggr*, O.Fris. *triuwi*, Du. *getrouw*, O.H.G. *gatriuwu*, Ger. *treu*), ultimately from PIE adj. **derwós**, **dr(e)wós**, “*belonging to the tree*”, *wooden*, hence “*firm, strong*” also suffixed **dreurós**, as dissimilated Lat. *dūrus* (<**drew-r-os*), *hard*; common PIE noun **dōru** (n.), *tree, oak, wood*, from root **deru-**, also **drew-**: cf. Gmc. *trewan* (cf. Goth. *triu*, O.N. *tré*, O.S. *trio*, O.E. *trēow*, O.Fris. *tre*), O.C.S. *dravъ*, Gk. *δρυς, δόρυ*, Skr. *dru*, *dáru*, Av. *dāuru*, O.Pers. *duruva*, Pers. *deraxt*, Toch. *or*, Arm. *tram, cař*, O. Pruss. *drawine*, Lith. *derva*, Ltv. *dreve*, O.C.S. *дрѣво*, O.Rus. *дрова*, Rus. *депесо*, Pol. *drwa*, Gaul. *Dervus*, O.Ir. *daur, derb*, Welsh *derwen*, Alb. *drusk, dru/drû*, Kam. *dâa*; Hitt. *ta-ru*, Luw. *tarweja-*, and also A.Mac. *darullos*.

55. For IE root **leu-**, *cut off, separate, divide, cut apart*, compare **louwā**, Gmc. *lawwō* (Swe. *lagg*, Eng. *lag*), O.Ir. *loë, lo*, Russ. *láva*, Lith. *lóva*, Ltv. *lāva*. For zero-grade forms, compare **lúō**, *loosen, release, untie*, as Gk. *λύω*, Lat. *luō*, **lúēs**, *plague, pestilence* (< “*dissolution, putrefaction*”), from Lat. *luēs*, and also **selúō**, *loosen, untie*, as Lat. *soluere* (from PIE **s(w)e-lúo-**), into p.part. **selwotós**, *untied*, as lat. *solūtus*, etc.

56. PIE **belis**, *power, strength*, gives O.H.G. *pal*, O.Fris. *pall*, Lat. *dē-bīlis*, Gk. *βελτίων*, Skr. *báliyān, bálisṭhas*, *bálam*, Phryg. *balaios*, O.Ir. *adbal*, M.Ir. *bolg*, Welsh *balch*, Kamviri *bâlim*. O.C.S. *болѣу, болѣши, болѣ*, Russ. *болѣшій*, Ukr. *бїльшій*, Bulg. *бóле*.

57. Indo-European *father*, **patér**, is possibly an earlier compound formed by baby-speak sound like **pa-** (compare modern baby words in your language beginning with *p+vowel*), probably earlier **ph₂-*, and IE common suffix for relatives **-ter**, a pattern followed in “*mother*” and other family members, too. It evolved as Gmc. *fader* (cf. Goth. *fadar*, O.N. *faðir*, O.E. *fæder*, O.H.G. *fater*), Lat. *pater*, Osc. *patír*, Umb. *pater*, Gk. *πατήρ*, Skr. *pitár-*, Av. *pitar-*, O.Pers. *pitā*, Pers. *pedar*, Toch. *pācar/pācer*, Arm. *hair*, Gaul. *ātir*, O.Ir. *athir*, Welsh *gwaladr*, Kashmiri *petūr*, Osset. *fjd*.

58. Indo-European **bhatis**, *appearance, phase*, gives Greek *φάσις (phasis)*. It is related to verb **bhaniō**, “*bring to light*”, *makes visible, cause to appear, show*, as Gk. *φαίνειν (phainein)*, suffixed from common PIE verb **bhāmi**, *shine*. It gives also derivatives **bhantós**, *visible*, **bhantom**, *phantom*, **bhantasíā**, *fantasy*, **énbhatís**, *emphasis*, **enbhatikós**, *emphatic*, **epibhaniā**, *epiphany*, **bhaniomenom**, *occurrence, circumstance*, also *phenomenon*, from Lat. *phaenomēnon*, in turn from Gk. *φαινόμενον*, etc.

59. For PIE **ana-**, *breathe, blow, spirit*, compare Goth. *uzanan, andi*, O.N. *anda, önd* O.E. *eðian, ðþian*, Lat. *animus*, Osc. *anamum*, Gk. *anemos*, Skr. *ānas, aniti*, Av. *āntya*, Toch. *āñcām/āñme*, Arm. *anjn, hov*, Lith. *anuoti*, O.C.S. *vonja*, Russ. *von'*, O.Ir. *anál, animm*, Welsh *anysbryd, anadl*, Alb. *ajë/áj*.

60. The reconstruction of common words for each day in a Seven-Day Week is almost impossible, if not through the adoption of numbers, from one to seven, like the one used by the Roman Catholic Church (Lat. *Feriae*, used in Portuguese, see **dhēs-**), Armenia, Greece, Iran, as well as in Arabic, Georgian and Hebrew. However, there seems to be a common old (pagan) pattern, followed in Greek (and partly in Sanskrit), and loan-translated from it in Latin and from this in Germanic.

PIE **dhēs** (possibly an extension of **dhē-**, *set*) is the reconstructed base for words applied to various religious concepts, as **dhēsīās**, *holidays*, Lat. *fēriae*, (O.Lat. *fēsiae*), **dhēstos**, *festive*, Lat. *fēstus*, in **dhēstēiuós**, *festive*, **dhēstēiuālis**, *festival*; also, zero-grade **dhasnom**, *temple*, as Lat. *fānum*, in **dhasnatikós**, *fanatic*, **prodhasnós**, *profane*. Sometimes said to be derived from this root, compare Gk. θεός (*theós*) “god”; however, because of Lith. *dvasià* “ghost”, M.H.G. *getwüs* “ghost” and forms as Gk. θεῶσ-φατος, “spoken from god”, θεσπέσιος, θεσπις “divine”, it is reconstructed (after Hirt) as Proto-Greek *θFεός from PIE **dhwesós**, and therefore related to Hom. θέειον and θέιον, Att. θεῖον “sulphur steam, sulphur” (*θFεσ-(ε)ιον?). Thus MIE **dhwesós**, *god*, for common Gk. θεός, in **apodhwesotis**, *apotheosis*, **ṛdhwesós**, *atheistic*, **ṛdhwesismos**, *atheism*, **endhwesosiasmós**, *enthusiasm* (Gk. ἐνθουσιασμός), **pántdhwesiom**, *pantheon*, Gk. Πάνθειον, etc.

NOTE. In Latin, the **s** before **m**, **n**, **l**, disappears, and the preceding vowel shows a compensatory lengthening; cf. Duenos: *cosmis* > *cōmis*; Columna Rostrata *-resmom* > *rēmum*; *fasnom* > *fānum*, **habēsna* > *habēna*, **catēsna* > *catēna*; *candēsla* > *candēla*, **quaisēsla* > *querēla*, etc.

For PIE “*feast*”, a more common verbal root **wes-** was used, cf. Goth. *wisan*, ON *vist*, O.E. *wesan*, O.H.G. *wist*, Lat. *vescor*, Skr. *anuvāvase*, Av. *vastra*, Lith. *švest*, Pol. *wesele*, O.Ir. *fíach*, Welsh *gwest*, Hitt. *weši*.

A. The word for “*day*” (as opposed to “*night*”) in Indo-European comes usually from a common **dinom** (especially in compounds), originally “*daylight*”, derived from PIE root **diw-**, *shine*, as Eng. *lent*, from Gmc. compound *langa-tin-*, (probably lit. “*longer daylight*”, cf. O.S. *lentin*, O.E. *lencten*, M.Du. *lenten*, O.H.G. *lenzo*), Lat. *nun-dinum* (compare also general *diēs*, as in Eng. *diurnal*, from base **djeu-*), Skr. *dīnam*, O.C.S. *днь*, Russ. *день*, Pol. *dzień*, O.Ir. *tre-denus*, Alb. *gdhin*; it is also found as full grade **deinos**, Goth. *sin-teins*, and f. **deinā**, in O.Pruss. *deina*, Lith. *diena*, Ltv. *diena* – compare also Lat. fem. **dinā**, in *nun-dinae*.

B. Germanic ‘*day*’ comes from old PIE **agh-**, *day*, older **h₂egh*, considered as a span of time, hence “*24 hours*”, from IE **aghōr**, **aghṛ-**, n. cf. Skr. *ahar*, *ahn-*, Av. *azan-*; compare for an original EIE n. **dhaghōr**, **dhaghṛ-**, *halfday of 12 hours, daylight*, Germanic *dōg-* (<**dhāgh-*?) O.N. *dōgn*, O.Da.,Da.,Swe. *dōgn*; also O.N. *dōgr*, O.Swe., O.Da. *dōger* O.E., *dōgor* (-er), -es (along with the common innovative Gmc. *dagaz* <**dhaghos*, as in Eng. *day*, Ger. *Tag*, etc.) where the initial **dh-** is interpreted as from (possibly the original) PIE root **dhech-**, *burn* – which gave derivatives with the sense of “*hot season*”, “*summer*”, thus maybe evolved ***dh-agh-** to mean “*hot part of the day*”, *daylight* –, as in O. Pruss. *dagis*, Lith. *dagas*. Compare from **dhech-** Lat. *fovēre*, Gk. *-πτανος*, Skr. *dahati*, *dah*, Av. *dažaiti*, Pers. *dāg*, Toch. *tsäk/tsäk*, Lith. *degti*, Ltv. *degt*, OCS *žešti*, Russ. *šžigat’*, *žgučij*, Polish *żgę*, Ir. *daig*, Alb. *djek*. C

Here is a brief explanation of possible loan-translations of the names of week days into Modern Indo-European in three different calendars, Pagan (like Greek, Roman and Germanic, as well as Sanskrit calendars, the last followed in Indian timekeeping, i.e., modern Hindi, Telugu, Gujarati, Bengali, and even Tamil and Malayalam,

beginning in Monday), International (beginning in Monday, similar to the traditional Slavic one), and Christian (counting in **Dhēsiās**, *feasts*, from Ecc.Lat. *Feriae*, see **dhēs-**), viz:

I. Monday should be **Mēnsós (dinom)**, “*Moon’s (day)*”. Compare Gmc. *Monan-dagaz*, L.L. *Lunæ dies*, Gk. *ἡμερα Σεληνης*, and Skr. *Soma vāsara* (Beng. *Shombar*). Also, ‘neutral’ **Přwóm (dinom)**, “*First (day)*”, and Christian **Seqondhá (Dhēsiā)**, “*Second (Feast)*”, i.e. “*Feast following Sunday*”.

PIE **seq-**, *follow*, gives derivatives verb (middle-only) **séqomai**, *follow*, Lat. *sequor*, Gk. *hepomai*, Skr. *sacate*, Av. *hačaitē*, O.Pers. *hačā*, Toch. *säk/*, Lith. *sekti*, Ltv. *sekt*, Ir. *sech* Welsh *hep*. Common modern MIE words include p.part. **seqtós**, Lat. *secūtus*, Gk. *ἐπτός*, Lith. *-sèktas*, and Latin derivatives **seqtór**, *eager follower*, **seqtā**, *party, sect*, **séqelā**, *sequel*, **seqentiā**, *sequence*, **komseqénts**, *consequent*; from 3rd p. sg. **séqetoi**, pass. **séqetor**, cf. O.Ir. *sechithir*, Lat. *sequitur*, **ekseqomai**, *carry out, accomplish, follow up, carry out, pursue judicially, punish, execute*, **ekseqtós**, *accomplished, carried out*, **obhseqiom**, *present*, **obhseqiós**, *obsequious*, **perseqomai**, *persecute*, **proseqomai**, *prosecute*, **supseqomai**, *follow immediatly*, **supseqénts**, *subsequent*; from es-stem **seqōs** extended **seqestér**, “*follower, mediator, depositary*, **seqestrāiō**, *kidnap*, **séqestrom**, *sequestrum, kidnapping*; **seqós**, *following, along, alongside of*, cf. Lat. *secus*, O.Ind. *sácā*, as in **ekstrēmseqós**, *from outside, extrinsic*, **entrēmseqós**, *from inside, intrinsic*; **seqnom**, *identifying mark, sign* (from “*standard that one follows*”), Lat. *signum*, also **seqnā**, *sign*, **adseqnāiō**, *assign*, **komseqnāiō**, *consign*, **deseqnāiō**, *designate, design*, **reseqnāiō**, *return, give back*; suffixed **soqios**, *ally, companion, friend* (“*follower*”), cf. Lat. *socius*, O.H.G. *beinsegga*, O.S. *segg*, O.E. *sec3*, O.Ice. *seggr*, Alb. *shoku* and verb **soqiēiō**, cf. Lat. *soquare*, Gk. *ἀσσοῦ* “*help, stand by*” (<**sm-soqiēiō**); **soqio-**, *socio-*, **sóqitis**, Av. zero-grade *āskiti*, “*association*” (full grade *hačiti*- “*Begleitung*”), Lat. *ad-soqiā-ti-*, **sóqietā**, *society*, etc.

II. Tuesday is **Taronós (dinom)**, *Thunder’s (day)*, as it is the day of the gods of war. Mars was called *Mavōrs* in some poetry (Virgil VIII, 630), and *Mamers* was his Oscan name. He was also known as *Marmor*, *Marmar* and *Maris*, the latter from the Etruscan deity *Maris*. If compared with Greek mythology, Ares (Ancient Greek Ἄρης) is the son of Zeus and Hera. Though often referred to as the Olympian god of warfare, he is more accurately the god of savage warfare, bloodlust or slaughter. There may be a connection with the Roman war god Mars, via common Indo-European **mar-**, *crush, smash, destroy, break*, possibly through Gk. Ἄρης (<**Mrēs?*); cf. Lat. *morētum*, Gmc. *marjan*, Gk. *maráinō*, *márnamai*, O.Ind. *mṛṇāti*, pass. *mūryáte*, ptc. *mūrṇá-*; *ā-marītár-*, “*destroyer*”, Hitt. *marrija-*. Compare for a general IE god of war **Tarōn** (<PIH *-rH-*) *thunder, the Thunderer*, cf. Gmc. *thunr-* (maybe influenced by the former PIE root, cf. O.N. *þorr*, O.E. *þunor*, O.Fris. *thuner*, M.Du. *donre*, O.H.G. *donar*), Hitt. *ṽTarḫu-*, *ṽTarḫunna-*, “*storm god*”, Pashto Pashto *tanā/tanā*, *təṇā/təṇā* f., Sla. *t[ā]ronъ*, *təronъ*, Gaul (in Lat.) *Taranis* “*thunder god*”; Ir *torann*; Cymr *taran id*, Bret. *taran*. For modern names, cf. Gmc. *Tiwaz-dagaz*, (althoug *Tiw*, from PIE **deiw-**, thus, is in fact etymologically related to Gk. *Zeus* and Lat. *Iove*, v.i.), loan-translated from L.L. *Martis dies*, *ἡμερα Αρεως*, “*day of Ares*”, and compare also Skr. *Mangala vāsara* (Beng. *Monggolbar*), identified with *Karttikeya*, the god of war. Compare for PIE **eis-**, originally maybe denoting “*passion, vigor*”, hence ‘*anger, wrath*’: cf. Lat. *ira*, Gk. *οἰστρος*, *ἱερος*, Ἄρης, Skr. *isirah*, Av. *aēšma* (as in *Asmodeus*, v.i.). English “*iron*” comes from Gmc. *isarnan* (cf. O.S. *isarn*, O.N. *isarn*, O.E. *isærn*, M.Du. *iser*, O.H.G. *isarn*), borrowed from Celtic *isarnon* (cf. O.Ir. *iarn*, Welsh *haiarn*), from IE **ajos** (gen. **ájesos**, PIE root **ajos-**, older *h₂ejos*), originally *metal* (“*vigorous, powerful material*”); compare also Gmc. *ajiz*, (cf. Goth. *aiz*, O.N.

eir, O.E. *ār*, O.H.G. *ēr*, *ehern*), Lat. *aes*, Umb. *ahesnes*, Skr. *ayaḥ*, Av. *ayañh*, Pers. *āhan*, Gaul. *Isarnodori*, O.Ir. *iarn*, Welsh *haearn*. Also, **Alterom** (**dinom**) or Christian **Tritiá** (**Dhēsīā**).

III. *Wednesday* comes from North Gmc. *Wodenaz-dagaz*, “day of Odin” (cf. O.N. *Óðinsdagr*, O.S. *odensdag*, O.E. *Wōd(e)nesdæg*, O.Fris. *wōnsdei*, M.Du. *Wudensdach*; but, from uncertain origin, compare O.Fris. *wērendei*, Du. *wonseldach*, South. Ger. *guotentag*, and even Eng. *Wednesday* and Du. *waansdei*, as well as Low Ger. and Du. dial. with initial *g-*), loan-translated originally from L.L. *dies Mercurii*, “day of Mercury”, in turn from Gk. *ἡμερα Ερμου*, “day of Hermes”, Lat. *Mercurius* (from **merk-**, Etruscan root for various economic aspects, as in **mérkātos**, market, or **merkāiō**, buy) and Gk. *Ἐρμῆς*, (also from unknown origin, with some relating it to *ἔρμα*, a square pillar), both equivalent to Skr. *Budha vāsara* (Beng. *Budhbar*), “day of Budha”, the name of the planet Mercury, a son of Chandra, the moon, in Hindu mythology, but the three are unrelated to the Nordic concept of *Odin*, the “sky-god”, equivalent to Lat. *Jupiter* or Gk. *Zeus*.

NOTE. *Rübekeil* (2003:29) draws attention to the suffix variants **-ina-* (in *Óðinn*) vs. **-ana-* (in *Woden*, *Wotan*). This variation, if considered at all, was dismissed as “suffix ablaut” by earlier scholars. There are, however, indications from outside Old Norse of a suffix **-ina-*: English *Wednesday* (rather than **Wodnesday*) via umlaut goes back to **wōðina-*. *Rübekeil* concludes that the original Proto-Germanic form of the name was **Wōðinaz*, yielding Old Norse *Óðinn* and unattested Anglo-Saxon **Wēden*, and that the attested West Germanic forms are early medieval “clerical” folk etymologies, formed under the impression of synchronic association with terms for “fury”. The Pre-Proto-Germanic form of the name would then be **Wātinos*. *Rübekeil* suggests that this is a loan from Proto-Celtic into pre-Proto-Germanic, referring to the god of the **wātis*, the Celtic priests of mantic prophecy, so that the original meaning of the name would be “he [the god/lord] of the *Vates*” (p. 33), which he tentatively identifies with *Lugus*.

Lugus was a deity apparently worshipped widely in antiquity in the Celtic-speaking world. His name is rarely directly attested in inscriptions, but his importance can be inferred from placenames and ethnonyms, and his nature and attributes are deduced from the distinctive iconography of Gallo-Roman inscriptions to Mercury, who is widely believed to have been identified with *Lugus*, and from the quasi-mythological narratives involving his linguistic descendants, Irish *Lugh* and Welsh *Lleu Llaw Gyffes*.

Julius Caesar in his *De Bello Gallico* identified six gods worshipped in Gaul, by the usual conventions of *interpretatio Romana* giving the names of their nearest Roman equivalents rather than their Gaulish names. He said that “Mercury” was the god most revered in Gaul, describing him as patron of trade and commerce, protector of travellers, and the inventor of all the arts. The Irish god *Lug* bore the epithet *samildánach* (skilled in all arts), which has led to the widespread identification of Caesar's Mercury as *Lugus*. Mercury's importance is supported by the more than 400 inscriptions into him in Roman Gaul and Britain. Such a blanket identification is optimistic – *Jan de Vries* demonstrates the unreliability of any one-to-one concordance in the *interpretatio Romana* – but the available parallels are worth considering. It has been suggested that the Germanic deity *Wotan* (English *Woden*) was influenced by Gaulish Mercury and his name is possibly reflected in Germanic *Loki*. There is no one-to-one correspondence between Germanic and Celtic gods, though.

Proto-Celtic *Lug-u-s should probably be related to Proto-Celtic *lug- meaning “oath, pledging, assurance” on the one hand and “deceive” on the other (derived from PIE root **leugh-**, oath, swear, bemoan, lie; Juliette Wood interprets his name as deriving from Proto-Celtic *lug-, oath, which would support this identification of Mercury as a god of contracts; cf. Cel. *lugjo-m* → OIr *lu(i)ge*, Gmc. *liug-a-* (cf. Eng. *lie*, Ger. *lügen*), Sla. *lŏgāti*, *lŏžjō*; Hitt. *haluga*, “message”. Hence the most suitable name for a Wednesday in an Indo-European Pagan week should be from **Lughus**, “Oath/Contract/Message-god” (into Cel. *Lugus*, Gmc. *Loki*, equivalent to Lat. *Mercurius*, Gk. *Hermes*, origin of Gmc. *Odin*), hence **Lughous (dīnom)**, “Mercury’s (day)”.

III.A. Indo-Aryan term *Budha* (and also *Buddha*) comes from PIE verb **beudhō**, *awake, notice, become aware*, cf. O.Ind. *bódhati*, *bódhate*, Av. *baodaiti*, Gk. *πέιθομαι*, Gmc. *biuthan* (cf. Goth. *anabiudan*, O.N. *bjóða*, O.E. *bēodan*, O.H.G. *biotan*), O.Bulg. *bljudō*; participle **bustós** (<***budh-to-**), “awakened, wise; recognized” cf. Skr. *buddháh*, Gk. *-πυστος*; also, nasalized **bundhō**, *learn, find out, perceive, make aware, announce*, cf. Gk. *πυνθάνομαι*, Lith. *bundu*, O.Ir. *-bond-*; and noun f. **bustis** (<***budh-ti-**) *understanding, mind, opinion, intention*, as O.Ind. *buddhí-*, Av. *-busti-*, Gk. *πύστις*; for **beustór** (<***beudh-ter-**), *expert, knower*, cf. O.Ind. *boddhár-*, also in Gk. *πενστήριος* (“questioning”); for es-stem n. **beudhōs**, *awareness, perceptivity*, Av. *baodah-* adj. **beudhés** “perceiving”, as Gk. Hom. *ἀ-πενθής* “unexplored, unacquainted; ignorant”; **budhrós**, *watching, aware*, Av. *-budra-*, O.Bulg. *бѣдрѣ*, Lith. *budrūs*; **beudhis**, *cognition*, Av. *baoidi-*, O.Ind. *bódhi-*; compare also Gk. *peithein*, *pistis*, Av. *buidjeiti*, Pers. *bēdār-šudan*, O.Pruss. *budē*, Lith. *budinti*, Ltv. *budīt*, O.C.S. *beda*, *bljudo*, Russ. *бѣдет*, Pol. *budzić*, O.Ir. *buide*, Welsh *bodd*, Kamviri *bidi*.

III.B. The new, non-pagan model (cf. M.H.G. *mittewoche*, M.L.G. *middeweke*, Du.dial. *Midswiek*, Fris. *metswik*, Norw. dial. *mækedag*, Mod.H.G. dial. *Mittag*, Eng.dial. *Mid-week*, and also unrelated Ice. *þriðjudagur*, “third-day”), influenced by Gothic, was probably adopted from Gk. or Lat. missionaries, avoiding the old pagan week, and is also found in Slavic – and Hungarian – *srēda*, lit. “middle” (cf. O.C.S. *srěda*, Rus. *sreda*, Pol. *sroda*), loan-translated from Lat. *media hebdomas*, itself a loan word from Gk. *ἐβδομάδα*, from *ἑβδομάς*, *seven*, from PIE **septmā** (cf. Gk. *ἐβδομαδικός*, “belonging to the week”, Alb. *javë* “week” common Alb. b→v phonetic mutation), translated in L.Lat. as *septimāna*, from Lat. *septem*; compare also words for “week” from PIE **septm** in Srb. *седмица*, Cro. *sedmica*, Bulg. *седмица*, Bret. *sizhun*, Lith. *savaitė*, Hindi *haftā*, Hung. *hét* (from an Iranian source, cf. Kurdish *heft*, “seven”). Then, **Medhjǎ (Séptmā)**, “mid-week”, as well as ‘neutral’ **Tritióm (dīnom)** or Christian **Qetwrtǎ (Dhēsīā)**.

Other Indo-European terms for common periods of days:

III.B.1. From IE **wigā**, *turning, succession, variation*, hence “work, trade, week”, comes Eng. *week*, Gmc. *wikō-* (cf. Goth. *wikō*, O.N., O.S. *vika*, O.E. *wice/wican*, O.Fris. *wike*, M.Du. *weke*, O.H.G. *wecha*, Ice. *vika*, even Finnish *viikko*), as Skr. *viṣṭi*, also in **wigis**, *variation, change*, hence *trade, exchange*, cf. Lat. *uix*, *uicis*, O.Ir. *fiach*, Ice. *-vīxl*, O.S. *wehsāl*, O.H.G. *wēhsal*, *wehsil*, all from PIE **weik/weig**, *bend, wind*; cf. Gmc. *wik-* (e.g. Eng. *wicker*), *waikwaz* (Eng. *weak*), etc.

III.B.2. Other common word for “week” in Slavic is O.C.S. *ten dzień* (cf. Pol. *tydzień*, Slovak *týždeň*, Slovene *teden*, Ukr. *тиждень*, Cz. *týden*), translated as MIE **tod dīnom**, “this day”.

III.B.3. Ltv. *nedēļa* is a loan word from Rus. *неделя* (*nedělja*), originally Sunday in Slavic languages, IE **Nedhēlā**, Russ. *не-делать*, “no-work(ing day)”, composed of:

For PIE **ne**, *no*, *not*, and EIE negative particle **nē**, compare Gmc. *ne-*, *na-*, (cf. Goth. *ni*, ON *né*, O.E. *ne*, O.H.G. *ne*, Eng. *no*), Lat. *nē*, *ne-*, Osc. *ne*, Skr. *na*, Av. *na*, O.Pers. *na*, Pers. *ن*, O.Pruss. *ne*, Lith. *ne*, Ltv. *nē*, Russ. *не*, *нет*, Polish *nie*, O.Ir. *ní*, Welsh *ni*, *na*, Alb. *nuk*, Hitt. *natta*, Luw. *ni-*, Lyc. *ni-*, Lyd. *ni-*; also common is zero-grade suffix **n-** [ŋ], as Gmc. *un-*, Lat. *in-*, Umb. *an-*, Gk. *a-*, *an-*, Skr. *a-*, *an-*, Toch. *an-/en-*, Arm. *an-*, frequently found in PIE compounds, as **ncowijós**, “man without cows” (cf. Skr. *ágos*, Gk. *aboúteō*, O.Ir. *ambuaē*), **nmrtós**, *immortal* (cf. O.Ind. *amṛta-*, Av. *amaša-*, Gk. *ἀμβροτος*), **nudrós**, *without water* (cf. Skr. *anudrás*, Gk. *ánydros*), **ngnōtós**, *unknown* (cf. Skr. *ájñātas*, *ágnōtos*), **ngn(n)tós**, *unborn*, etc. A common derivative is MIE **nóin**, *no*, *none*, originally “not one, not any” (from **n(e)-óinos**), giving Gmc. *nean* (cf. O.S., M.L.G. *nen*, O.N. *neinn*, M.Du., Du. *neen*, O.H.G., Ger. *nein*), possibly analogous to Lat. *nōn*, *non-*, although usually explained as nasal extension of o-grade negative particle **nē**.

PIE root **dhē-**, *set*, *put*, *place*, gives Gmc. *dēdiz* (Eng. *deed*, Ger. *Tat*), *dōn* (Goth. *gadēþs*, O.E. *dōn*, O.H.G. *tuon*, O.N. *dalidun*, O.S. *duon*, O.Fris. *dua*, M.E. *de*, Ger. *tun*), Lat. *faciō/fēcī*, *facilis*, *condere*, *abdomen*, *fās*, Osc. *faciad*, Umb. *feitu*, Gk. *θήκη*, *θέμα*, *θέτω*, *τίθημι*, Skr. *dádhāti*, Av. *dadāiti*, O.Pers. *adadā*, Phryg. *dak-*, Toch. *täs/täs*, Thrac. *didzos*, Arm. *ed*, Lith. *dedù*, *dėtis*, Ltv. *dēt*, O.C.S. *благодѣтъ*, *дѣти*, *дѣлати*, Russ. *дѣтъ*, *дѣлать*, Pol. *dziać*; *działać*, Gaul. *dede*, Welsh *dall*, Alb. *ndonj*; Hitt. *dai*, Lyc. *ta-*.

IV. *Thursday* is, after the Greek and Roman calendars, a day consecrated to **djēus**, Zeus and Jupiter respectively; cf. Gk. *ἡμερα Διός* (Gk. *Zeus* has gen. *Dios*), Lat. *Iovis dies*, both the “sky-gods” – compare also Hindu *Guru vāsara*, “day of the preceptor”, for Vjasa, the supreme preceptor of mankind, and Beng. *Brihoshpotibar*, “day of Brihoshpoti” (equivalent to Jupiter), the guru of the Devas and the arch-nemesis of Shukracharya, the guru of the Danavas. In loan-translated Gmc. *thonaras-dagaz* (cf. O.N. *Þorsdagr*, O.E. *Þurresdæg*, O.Fris. *thunresdei*, M.Du. *donresdach*, Du. *donderdag*, O.H.G. *Donares tag*), the day is dedicated to a Germanic god whose name is often related to PIE root **(s)ténō**, *resound*, *thunder*, as in Lat. *tonāre*, Skr. *tánjati*, Pers. *tundar*, Pashto *taṇā*; but for **Tarōn**, *the Thunderer*, v.s. Therefore, **Diwós (dinom)**, “Sky-God’s (day)”, **Qturóm (dinom)**, “fourth (day)” or **Penqtá (Dhēsīā)**, “fifth (Feast)”.

V. *Friday* is “Frigga’s day”, wife of Odin in Germanic mythology, goddess of heaven and married love, loan-translation of Lat. *Ueneris dies*, “day of (planet) Venus”, in turn translated from Gk. *ἡμερα Αφροδιτης*, “day of Aphrodite”, the goddesses of love, lust and beauty; also, Skr. *Shukra vāsara* (Beng. *Shukrobar*), where Shukra is the name for Venus, one of the Navagrahas, a male planet for the Hindus and named after the Guru Shukracharya. *Αφροδιτη* comes from Phoenician *ʿAštart*, “Astarte”, influenced by Gk. *ἀφρός*, *foam*, having parallels to Indo-European “dawn” god(desse)s, as Vedic Skr. *Ushas*, Lat. *Aurora* (reinterpreted as a-Decl. **Áusos-ā*), IE **Ausōs**. Latin Venus comes from **wenōs**, *love*, *sexual desire*, *loveliness*, *beauty*, *charm*, from PIE **wenō**, *desire*, *strive for*, and **wṇskō**, *wish*, cf. Gmc. *wunskan* (*O.Ice. ósk*, *O.E. wūsc-*, *O.H.G. wunsc*, etc.), O.Ind. *vānchati*; or **wenesnom**, Lat. *uenenum*, “venom”. Compare for this root Gmc. *winnwan* (“seek to gain”, O.E. *wynn*, Eng. *win*), Gmc. *wunēn*, (“become accustomed to, dwell”, cf. O.E. *wunian*, Ger. *wohnen*, Eng. *won*), Gmc. *wanian* (“accustome, train”, cf. O.E. *wenian*, Eng. *wean*), Lat. *uenia*, *uēnāri*, Skr. *vanas-*, *vanam*, *vanati*, *vanik*, *vanijah*, Av. *vanaiti*, Toch. *wani/wna*, *wins-/winsk*, Arm. *gun*, Cel. *wenj* (cf. O.Ir. *fine*, O.Bret. *coguenou*, Welsh *gwen*,

Bret *gwenn*); Hitt. *wen-*, *went-* (for more on this root v.i. Sla. *voin'*, “soldier”). For *Frigg*, compare Gmc. *Frijedagaz* (cf. O.N. *frijadagr*, O.E. *frigedæg*, O.Fris. *frigendei*, M.Du. *vrīdach*, Du. *vrījdag*, Ger. *Freitag*), from IE **prijā**, *friend*, in Germanic *woman*, *wife* – also *Freyja*, goddess of love and beauty in Norse mythology – Gmc. *Frijō* (cf. O.N. *Freyja*, O.E. *frea*, O.S. *frua*, M.Du. *vrouwe*, Ice. *Freyjudagr*, Ger. *Frau*, Eng. *Freyja*), itself from PIE root **prai-**, *like*, *love*, which gave **prijós**, *dear*, *beloved*, *friend*, later *noble*, as Gmc. *frijaz* (cf. Goth. *freis*, O.E. *freo*, M.H.G. *vri*, Ger. *frei*, Du. *vrij*), and other derivatives related to *free*, *love*, *friend*, like **pritus**, *peace* as Gmc. *frithuz* (O.H.G. *fridu*, L.Lat. *exfredāre*, Eng. *afraid*), **prijonts**, “*beloved*”, *friend*, as Gmc. *frijands* (cf. Goth. *frijonds*, O.N. *frændi*, O.E. *frēond*, O.Fris. *friund*, M.H.G. *friunt*, Ger. *Freund*); also, compare Gk. *πραος*, Skr. *priyah*, *prīṇāti*, Av. *frā*, Ltv. *prieks*, O.C.S. *prějati*, *prijatelji*, Russ. *прямель*, Polish *przyjaźń*, *sprzyjać*, O.Ir. *riar*, Welsh *rhydd*; therefore, **Ausosés (dinom)**, “*Dawn’s (day)*”, **Penqtóm (dinom)**, “*fifth (day)*”, **Sekstá (Dhēsīā)**, “*sixth (Feast)*”.

VI. **Saturday** is a partial loan-translation from Lat. *Saturni dies*, “*day of Saturn*”, itself translated from Gk. *ἡμερα Κρονου*, “*day of Cronus*”; compare also Skr. *Shani vāsara* (Beng. *Shonibar*), from *Sani*, one of the nine Navagraha or primary celestial beings, embodied in the planet *Saturn*. *Saeturnus* was an Italic god of agriculture, poss. a borrowing from Etruscan, although folk-etymology relates it to PIE **sējō**, *sow*, from which Gmc. *sējan* (cf. O.H.G. *sāen*, O.S. *sāian*, O.E. *sāwan*, O.Ice. *sā*), Lith. *sėju (sėti)*, O.C.S. *sejō (sejati)*, p.part. **satós**, *sowed*, also reduplicated verb **s(ē)isō**, cf. Lat. *serō*, Goth. *saian* (<*saísō*), **satór**, *sower*, hence folk-etymology reconstruction of Ita. **Satornos**, *the Sower*. Compare O.E. *Sæterdæg/Sæternesdæg*, Du. *zaterdag*, O.Fris. *saterdi*, M.L.G. *satersdach*; Ir. *dia Sathuirn*, Welsh *dydd Sadwrn*. However, an ancient Nordic custom is preserved in O.N. *laugardagr*, Dan. *lørdag*, Swed. *lördag*, lit. “*bath day*” (cf. O.N. *laug*, “*bath*”). Ger. *Samstag* (from O.H.G. *sambaztag*) appears to be from Vulg. Lat. *sambatium*, from Gk. **sambaton*, a colloquial nasalized variant of *sabbaton* “*sabbath*”, also attested in Slavic (cf. O.C.S. *sabota*, Rus. *subbota*, *simbata*) and even Hung. *szombat*; also Romance (cf. Fr. *samedi*, It. *sabato*, Spa. *sábado*, Pt. *sabado*). The *sabbath* is observed by the Jews as a day of rest, and comes from Hebrew *shabbath*, prop. “*day of rest*”, from *shabath* “*he rested*”. Hence, only two names appear to be correct for MIE, IE pagan **Satorni (dinom)**, “*Sower’s (day)*”, and Christian **Sabbatom**.

VII. **Sunday**, the last day of the week – first according to religious tradition –, is the “*day of the sun*”, Lat. *dies solis*, loan-translated from Gk. *ἡμερα Ηλιου*, compare also Skr. *Ravi vāsara* (Beng. *Robibar*); according to Hinduism, *Ravi* is *Surya*, the Sun. Therefore, the pagan version should be **Sāwlós (dinom)**, “*Sun’s (day)*”, gen. of **Sāwel**, *sun*, v.i., and in Christian tradition, following Lat. *dominicus dies*, Gk. *Κυριακος*, (from Gk. *κυριος*, *lord*, with a different IE base), **Kuriakós/Domūnikós (dinom)**.

Indo-European root **keu-**, *swell*, in verb **kwēiō**, cf. Skr. *śvayatē*, Lat. *inciēns* “*pregnant*” (<**en-cūiens*, as Eng. as Eng. *enceinte*), Gk. *kuéō*, probably with the sense *vault*, *hole*, behind PIE o-grade **kow(i)os**, *hollow*, *cave*, also **kowā** (as V.Lat. *cova*), as Lat. *cauus* (but cf. Port. *covo*), Gk. *κόοι*, Bal. *čāwā*, Sla. *sūjь(jь)*, M.Ir. *cūa*, Bret. *kéo*, *cave*, **kowesna**, *cavern*, **kówitā**, *cavity*, **komkowós**, *concave*, **ekskowāiō**, *excavate*; **kówilos**, *hollow*, **kowiliā**, *belly*, as Gk. *κοιλία*, and **kówilom**, *coelom*, as in Eng. derivatives *-cele*, *celiac*, *-coel*; **kwos**, *hollow place*, *cavity*, as in **kówodeiā**, *poppy head*, Gk. *κώδεια*, which gives **kowodeinā (-inā)**, “*alkaloid*”, *codeine*; zero-grade shortened **kúmelos**, *heap*, *mass*, *cumulus*, as Lat. *cumulus*, **kumelāiō**, *cumulate*, or **adkumelāiō**, *accumulate*; zero-grade **kūrós**, “*swollen*”, *strong*, *powerful*, hence **kūrios**, *master*, *lord*, as Gk. *κυριος*, as in

kūriakós, “of the lord”, as in MIE **Kūriakóm** [dōm̄], *Lord’s* [dome] (Gk. *dōma*, *dōmatos*, from **dōms**, “house”, see **dem-**), as Late Greek *kūriakon* [dōma] (cf. Med. Gk. *kūrikon*, into W. Gmc. *kirika*, as O.E. *ciricem*, Eng. *church*, Ger. *Kirche*), used for houses of Christian worship since c.300, especially in the East, though it was less common in this sense than **ekklētíā** (from Gk. *ekklesia*, see **kel-**) or **basilikā** (from loan adj. *basiliká*, *royal*, Gk. βασιλική, from *basiliós*, *king*); from **keu-** (v.s.), **kūmn**, *a swelling, wave*, with Greek derivatives as Eng. *cyma*, *cyme*, *cymo-*, *kymo-*.

Indo-European **kel-**, *shout, call*, PIEH **kelh₂*, gives verb **kālēmi**, cf. Gk. Aeol. κάλημι, Umb. *kar̄itu*, *kar̄etu*, *carsitu* (<**kalētōd*), variant Gk. *klēmi*, which gives **ekklētíā**, *assembly, church*, as Gk. ἐκκλησία; and corresponding to (newer) thematic Gk. καλέω, Lat. **caleō* (<**kalēiō**) in “*Dies te quinque, respectively septem, calo, Iuno Covella*”, and in **kālendās**, *calends*, from Lat. *kalendae* (first day of the month, when it was publicly announced on which days the nones and ides of that month would fall) giving **kālendāsiom**, *calendar*; ζ -suffixed **klāmāiō**, *call, shout, cry out, claim*, cf. Lat. *clamāre*, O.Ind. *krāndati* (<**klem-d-?*), O.E. *hlimman*, *hlymman*, *hlimme*, *hlemm* (<**hlaμμi*), O.H.G. (*h*)*limmen*, O.N. *hlymja*, O.H.G. *hlaμμōn*; as in **klāmānts**, *clamant*, **klāmōs**, *clamor*, **adklāmāiō**, *acclaim*, **deklāmāiō**, *declaim*, **eksklāmāiō**, *exclaim*, **proklāmāiō**, *proclaim*, **reklāmāiō**, *reclaim*; **komkaliom** (from **kom-**, *together*, and zero-grade **kīh-*→IE **kal-*io-***), *meeting, gathering, council* (“*a calling together*”); **kalāiō**, *call out, gather*, as Lat. *calāre*, Ltv. *kaluōt*, as in **enterkalāiō**, *intercalate*, **kalātōr**, *gatherer*, **nom̄kalātōr**, *nomenclator*; suffixed **klārós** (from zero-grade **kīh*), *bright, clear*, as in **deklārāiō**, *declare*; zero-grade **klastis**, *summons, division of citizens for military draft, hence army, fleet*, from Lat. *classis*, also *class*, from PIE *d-*-suffixed ***klad-tis**, cf. Gk. κέλαδος.

61. MIE **Januarios** is probably from IE **janos**, Lat. *Janus*, ancient Ita. deity, guardian god of portals, patron of beginnings and endings, lit. “*gate, arched passageway*” from PIE **eími**, *go* (cf. Skt. *janaḥ*). Other Roman months are **Februarios** (pl. of Lat. *februum*, *purifications*, unkn. origin), **Martios**, (from Ita. god *Mars*, *Mamers* in Oscan, borrowed from the Etruscan deity *Mariś* as a war/agricultural god *Mars* and equated with Greek *Ares* by *interpretatio romana*, v.s. IE **mar-**), **Aprilis** (from Ita. goddess *Venus*, Etruscan *Apru*, possibly from Gk. *aphrodite*), **Magios** (from Lat. *Maia*, from PIE **meg-**, *great*), **Jūnios** (from Lat. *Jūnō*, possibly from PIE **jeu-**), **Djówilios** (from Lat. *Iūlius Caesar*, from **djēus**, *god*), **Augustos** (from Lat. *Augustus Caesar*, from **aug**), **Sept̄m̄ris**, **Oktōm̄ris**, **Now̄m̄ris**, **Dek̄m̄ris**, all from IE numbers following the Roman calendar (which began in March) and adj. suffix **-m(nst)ris**, Lat. *-bris*, from PIE **mēns**, *month*.

a. For PIE **eími**, *go, walk*, compare Goth. *iddja*, O.E. *ēode*, Lat. *ire, iter*, Umbrian *ier*, Oscan *eítuns*, Gk. εἰμί, ἰών, Skr. *ēti, imas, ayanam*, Av. *aēiti*, O.Pers. *aitiy*, Toch. *i*, O.Pruss. *eit*, Lith. *eiti*, Ltv. *iet*, O.C.S. *iti, id̄o* Rus. *uđmu*, Polish *íśc*, Gaulish *eimu*, O.Ir. *ethaim*, Kamviri *ie*; Luw. *i-*.

b. For PIE **meg-**, *great*, compare derivatives **megos**, cf. Skr. *maha-*, Gk. *μέγας*, Phryg. *meka-*, Pers. *meh*, Gmc. extended Gmc. *mekilaz* (cf. Goth. *mikils*, O.E. *micel*, O.N. *mikill*, O.H.G. *mihhil*, M.E. *muchel*), comparative **megiós**; compare also Skr. *mahayati, mahat-*, Av. *mazant*, Illyr. *mag*, Toch. *māk/mākā*, Arm. *mec*, Gaul. *Magior̄ix*, O.Ir. *mochtae*, Welsh *Maclgwn*, Alb. *madh*, Kurd. *mezin*; Hitt. *makkes*.

c. PIE root **jeu-**, “*vital force, youthful vigor*”, and its suffixed zero-grade en-stem **juwōn**, *young, youngling*, cf. Skr. *yuván-*, Lat. *iuvēn-is*, give **juw̄n̄kós**, *young*, as Gmc. *juwungaz/jungaz*, (Goth. *juggs*, O.S., O.Fris. *jung*,

O.N. *ungr*, O.E. *geong*, M.Du. *jonc*, O.H.G. *junc*) Lat. *juvencus*, Umb. *iveka*, *iuenga* O.Ind. *yuvaśáh*, *yuvaká-h* and Cel. *yowankos* (cf. Gaul. *Jovincillus*, O.Ir. *ac*, Welsh *ieuanc*); **juwents**, **juwntis**, *young*, as Gmc. *juwunthiz/jugunthiz* (cf. Goth. *junda*, O.S. *juguth*, O.E. *geogu*, O.Fris. *jogethe*, M.Du. *joghet*, O.H.G. *jugund*), O.Ind. *yúvant-*, f. *yuvatí-h*, into **júwntā**, *youth*, Goth. *junda* and **júwntūts**, Lat. *juventūs*, O.Ir. *ōetiu*, *ōitiu*. For Lat. *Jūnō*, if the name of the goddess stands for “*the young one*”, is from stem **jūn-**, as in Lat. *jūnīx*, *jūnior*, O.Ind. *yūnī*, Av. *yūnō*, hence in any case MIE **Jūnōn**.

d. PIE root **aug-**, *increase*, gives verb **augēiō**, *increase, augment, enlarge, spread, extend*, cf. Lat. *augēre*, Gmc. *aukan* (cf. Goth. *aukan*, O.H.G. *ouhhōn*, O.S. *ōkian*, O.E. *ēacian*, *īecan*); **augtōr**, *promoter, producer, father, progenitor, author*, cf. Lat. *auctor*, Umb. *uhtur*; **augtīs**, *increased, high*, cf. O.Ltv. *aukts*, Lat. *auctus*, Ltv. *aūgt*, Thrac. *Αύθί-*, O.Pruss. *aucti-*, *aucktai-*, **augtis**, *an increasing*; hence, from the bidding, *auction*, as Lat. *auctiō*; **augmōn**, *increase, growth, augment*, as Lat. *augmen(tum)*, Lith. *augmuō*, O.Ind. *ōjmán-*. For es-stem **augōs**, “*vigorousness, strength*”, cf. O.Ind. *ōjas-* n., Av. *aajah-*, *aogah-*, O.Pruss. *aūgus*, also behind Lat. *augur* (“*divine favor, increase*”→“*he who obtains favorable presage*”→“*diviner*”), as in **enaugosāiō**, *inaugurate*; extended **augostos**, *high, highness*, cf. Lat. *augustus* (*highness, “consecrated, holy; majestic, dignified”*), Lith. *áuks̄tas*, Ltv. *aūksts*. Variant and o-grade **wogsēiō**, *allow to grow, make grow*, as Goth. *wahsjan* (cognate with Du. *was*, Ger. *Wachs*, Eng. *wax*), Gk. *ἀ(ρ)έξω*, O.Ind. *vakṣayati*, Av. *vaxšaiti*, and noun **wogstus**, *waist*, Gmc. *wakhstus* (cf. Goth. *wahstus*, O.N. *vaxtr*, Swed. *vstm*, O.H.G. *wahst*); also extended in **-s** causative-iterative in Gk. *αὔξω*, also behind **augsilium**, *aid, support, assistance*, from Lat. *auxilium*

e. Compare for MIE **mēns**, *moon, month*, cf. Lat. *mēnsis*, Gk. *μην*, Skr. *māsah*, Av. *maoñh*, Pers. *māh*, Toch. *mañ/meñe*, Arm. *amis*, O. Pruss. *menig*, Lith. *mėnuo*, Ltv. *meness*, O.C.S. *meseci*, Russ. *mesjac*, Pol. *miesiac*, O.Ir. *mí*, Welsh *mis*, Alb. *muaj*, Kurd. *mang*, Kamviri *mos*, Osset. *mæj*. Vide *supra*, under **mē**, *measure*.

62. For season, year, time, PIE had different words

A. From root **jēr-**, as **jērom**, *year, season*, cf. O.Pers. (*duš*)*jaram*, Gmc. *jæram* (“*year, season*” cf. Goth. *jer*, O.S., O.H.G. *jar*, O.N. *ar*, O.E. *gēar/gēr*, Dan. *aar*, O.Fris. *ger*, Du. *jaar*, Ger. *Jahr*); **jōrā**, *hour, season*, from Gk. *hώρα* (“*hour, season, year*” as in Mod.Eng. *horoscope, hour*); also, compare Lat. *hornus*, Av. *jare*, O.C.S. *jaru*, probably originally “*that which goes a complete cycle*”, from older verbal root PIH *h₂eí*, *go*, v.s.

A.a. The best option for “*season*” in MIE would be to use **jērós daitis**, “*year-time*”, loan-translated from IE compounds like Ger. *Jahreszeit*, Fris. *jiertiid*, Du. *jaargetijde*, Swe., Da. *årstid*, Rom. *anotimp*, Lith. *metų laikas*, Russ. *время года*, Pol. *pora roku*, Cz. *roční období*, Slov. *letni čas*, Bret. *koulz-amzer*, etc., as a compound from gen. of **jērom**, followed by **daitis**, *period of time*, as Skr. *díti-h*, “*the distributing*”, Gmc. *tīthiz* “*division of time*” (cf. O.N. *tīð*, O.S., O.E. *tīd*, Du. *tijd*, O.H.G. *zīt*, Ger. *Zeit*), Arm. *tī*, gen. *tioy* “*age, years, days, time*” (<**dī-t(i)-*), suffixed zero-grade form of IE **dā-**, *divide, cut up*; for extended **dām-**, *tribe, family*, into **dāmos**, Gk. *δῆμος*, Dor. *ḍāμος* m. “(*people’s division*) *people, area; the single region in Athens*”, O.Ir. *dām*, O.Welsh *dauu*; in addition Hitt. *da-ma-a-iš* (*damaiš?*) “*an other, foreigner, stranger*”, from “**foreign people*”, Pedersen Hitt. 51 ff.

A.b. Greek word for “*season*” is IE **epsoghá**, Gk. *εποχή*, *epoch*, from PIE roots **epi**, *on, at*, and **sogh-**, o-grade of **seghō**, *hold*, as in Gk. *ἔχω*, Skr. *sáhate*, Gaul. *Sego-*, ; other derivatives are **seghōs**, *victory* (<“*a holding or conquest in Battle*”), as Gmc. *sigiz-* (cf. Goth. *sigis*, O.H.G. *sigi*, East Gmc. *Sigi-merus*, *Segi-mundus* etc., O.H.G. *sigir-ōn*; O.H.G. *sigu* m., O.E. *sigor*), Gaul. *Segisū*(**-ō*), *Sego-*, M.Ir. *seg*, Welsh *hy*, *Illyr. Segesta*; **seghús**,

strong, into **seghurós**, *strong, victorious*, cf. Gmc. *sigus* (cf. O.H.G. *Sigur-*), Lat. *seuērus*, O.Ind. *sáhu-ri-*, Gk. ἔχυρός, ὄχυρός; **sgholá**, *school*, as Gk. σχολή, **sghémp**, *scheme*, as Gk. σχῆμα.

A.c. Also, MIE zero-grade **satios**, *sowing, season, multitude, crowd* (from *seed, sperm*, into *generation, progeny*) as L.Lat. *sessiōnis* (O.Fr. *seison*, Eng. *season*, Du. *seizoen*, Rom. *sezon*), from Lat. *satiō* (<*satjiōn*) O.Ir. *sa(i)the* (<*sətjo-*), Welsh *haid* f., Bret. *hed* m., Alb. *hedh*; for full grade **sētis**, *seed, semen*, cf. in Gmc. *sēthiz* (cf. Goth. *sēþs*, O.N. *sāð*, O.S. *sād*, O.Fris. *sed*, M.Du. *saet*, O.H.G. *sāt*, Ger. *Saat*), Welsh, Bret. *had*, Corn. *has*; from PIE **sē-**, *sow* (v.s. **Satornos**), as in **sējō**, *sow*, cf. Gmc. *sējan* (Goth. *saian*, O.N. *sá*, O.E. *sāwan*, M.Du. *sayen*, O.H.G. *sāen*), Skr. *sāya-*, Lith. *seju, sėti*, Ltv. *sēt, sėti*, O.C.S. *sejo, sejati*, Russ. *сеять*, Pol. *siać*, Welsh *hil*, O.Ir. *sí*, and Hitt. *sai*. It gave also a common **sēmēn**, *seed, semen, sperm*, cf. Lat. *sēmen* (*Sēmōnēs*, “*seed gods*”), Umb. *semenies*, O.H.G., O.S. *sāmo*, O.Pruss. *semen*, O.C.S. *sěmę*, Rus. *семя*, Ger. *Samen*, even Finn. *siemen*.

A.d. Other word is **statis**, *stay, stand, position*, into Lat. *statiōnis* (cf. Spa. *estación*, Pt. *estação*, Cat. *estació*), cf. O.Ind. *sthíti-* f., Av. *stāti-* ‘*stehen, Aufstellung*’, Gk. *στάσις, -εως* (from which **statikós**, *static*, Gk. *στατικός, στάσιμος*), Lat. *statim, statiō*, Osc. *statif*, Gmc. *stathiz* (cf. Goth. *staþs*, O.Ice. *staðr*, O.H.G. *stat*, O.E. *stede, styde*), O.C.S. *postatъ, stati*, Inf. Lith. *stóti*, Ltv. *stāt*, O.Pruss. *stāt*; and **status**, *position, statuō, put, place*, as Gmc. *stathuz, stathwan* (cf. Goth. *staþa*, O.Ice. *stqð, stqðva*<**staþwō(n)*), O.S. *stath*, O.H.G. *stad, stado*; M.L.G. *stade*), Lat. *status, statuō*, Umb. *statita*, Bret. *steut*, Welsh *ystawd*, Bret. *steudenn*, Lith. *statùs*. Ultimately from PIE **stā-**, *stand*, with derivatives meaning “*set down, make or be firm*” and “*place or thing that is standing*”, as in IE **stōdhā**, *stallion, studhorse, steed*, as Gmc. *stōdō* (cf. O.N. *stoð*, O.H.G. *stuot*, O.E. *stod*, M.H.G. *stud*, M.L.G. *stod*, Ger. *Stute*, and also O.C.S. *stado*, “*herd*”, Lith. *stodas*, “*a drove of horses*”), Welsh *an-sawdd* “*das Festmachen*”, O.Ir. *sādud* (**stūdh-ī-tu-*), and causative verb Gmc. *stōþia*, in Goth. *-stōþjan* “*begin*”, O.Ice. *stōða*, also in Lith. *stāčias*, Lith. *statinė*; compare for **stā-** Lat. *sistere, stō*, Umb. *stahmei*, Osc. *staiet*, Gk. ἵστασθαι, ἵστός, στῦλος, Skt. *tiṣṭhati*, Av. *hištaiti*, O.Pers. *aištata*, Pers. *istādan, -stan* (*country*, lit. “*where one stands*”), Phryg. *eistani*, Toch. *štām/stām*, Arm. *stanam*, O.Pruss. *postāt, stacle*, Lith. *stojus*, Ltv. *stāt*, O.C.S. *стоѡму, цмоꙗ, stanu, staru* (*old*, lit. “*long-standing*”), O.Russ. *cmamu, cmany*, Pol. *stoję, stać*, O.Ir. *táu, sessam*, Welsh *gwastad*, Alb. *shtuara*; Hitt. *išta*, Luw. *išta-*, Lyc. *ta-*

A.e. Hindustani *mausam* (Hindi मौसम, Urdu موسم) comes from Persian *موسم*, in turn from Arabic *مَوْسِم*, *weather, season, time*.

B. Romance languages have words derived from PIE **atnos**, *year* (from “*a period gone through*”), which gave Germanic and Italic words, cf. Goth. *dat. pl. aþnam*, Lat. *annus* (modern Romance Fr., Rom. *an*, It. *anno*, Pt. *ano*, Spa. *año*, Cat. *any*), Osc.-Umb. *akno-*, from IE **at-**, *go*, as in Skr. *atati, goes, walks, wanders*, note the possible relation to PIE root **en-**, *year*, as Gk. *ένος*, O.Ind. *hāyaná-*.

C. Modern Slavic languages have different words for “*year, season*”.

C.a Some dialects have IE o-grade **ghodhós**, originally *fit, adequate, belonging together* (v.i. for Eng. *good*), which developed into O.C.S. *zodъ, time, “pleasing time”*, giving O.Rus. *zodъ*, Cro. *godina*, Bulg. *година* (cf. Ukr. *zodi*, Pol. *gody*, Cz. *hod*, Bulg. *годé*, Srb. год, Slov. *gôd*), also adopted in Ltv. *gads* (cf. ‘proper’ Latvian derivatives, *gadigs, gadit*), from PIE base **ghedh-**, *unite, “be associated, suitable”*, also with the meaning of “*good*”.

C.b. Another common Slavic word is Pol., Cz., Slovak *rok*, Ukr. *рік* (also, cf. Russ. *с-рок*), from O.C.S. *рѣка*, *arm*, *hand* (cf. Russ. *рука*, Ukr., Bel. *рука́*, Slov. *róka*, Pol. *ręka*), also found in Lith. *rankà* (gen. *rañkà*), Ltv. *rùoka*, “hand” (cf. Russ. *rancko*, gen. *rānkan*, Lith. *renkù*, *rinkaũ*, *riñkti*, *parankà*) with the year as a notion of a “cubit measurement of time”; the word is believed to be ultimately from a source akin to a nasal extended IE **wr̥nkā**, from PIE **wer-**, *turn, bend* (maybe through O.Ind. *vrag*, “corner, angle”, *vrangr*, “scythe”).

C.c. Finally, compare Slovene *leto*, Russ.pl. *лет*, Pol. *lata*, Cz., Slovak. *leto* (cf. also Russ. *лето*, Pol. *lato*, “summer”), from PIE **latom**, *warm season*, Sla. *leto*, Gaul *lat...* (in Calendar of Coligny), Ir. *laidhe*, “day”.

D. In Celtic, a common isolated root is found, MIE **bhled-**, cf. O.Ir. *bladain*, Ir. *bliain*, Sc. *bliadhna*, Welsh *blwyddyn*, Bret. *bloaz*, Corn. *bledhen*.

E. For “year” in modern Iranian languages, compare Av. *sarəd*, O.Pers. *ýâre*, Persian *سال* (*sâl*), Kurdish *sal*, Pashto *kâl*, Zazaki *serre*, all from PIE **jēr-**, already seen. Also borrowed in Hindustani as *sâl* (Urdu *سال*, Hindi *साल*), although some Indo-Aryan languages derive it from Skr. *वर्षम्* (*varsham*, as Marathi *वर्ष*, *varsha*, and Malayalam *varsham*), “year, summer, rain season”, a word which some derive from the sound of the rain, from a Dravidian source.

F. Another PIE word with a similar meaning is **wet-**, *year, of last year, age*, (cf.), which gives derivative **wetōs**, *year, age, old*, as Lat. *vetus, veteris* or Gk. *ἔτος*, dial. *wetos*, Bal. *wet-uš-a*, Sla. *vetъxъ(jъ)*, *vetъxъ*, Alb. *vjet*; cf. Gmc. *fir-d*, “last year”, (O.N. *ī fjord*, O.H.G. *vērt*), **wétolos/m**, *yearling*, as Lat. *vitulus* and Gk. *ἔταλον*; cf. Skr. *vatsaḥ*, Osc. *vezkeí*, O.Lith. *vetušas*, O.C.S. *vetūcū*, Russ. *вѣчный*, Pol. *wiotchy*, O.Ir. *fethim*, Corn. *guis*, Alb. *vjet*; Hitt. *witt*.

I For Summer: PIE masc. **Samos**, *summer*, gives **samā**, *year, season*; compare Gmc. *sumaraz* (cf. O.N., O.S. *sumar*, O.E. *sumor*, O.F. *sumur*, M.Du. *somer*, O.H.G. *sumar*), Skr. *samā*, Av. *hama*, Toch. *šme/šmāye*, Arm. *amař*, Kurdish *havîn*; it is also a common Celtic word (<*samo-*>), cf. O.Ir. *samain*, *samuin*, *samfuin*, Ir. *Samhain*, Sc. *Samhradh*, O.Welsh *ham*, Welsh *haf*, Bret. *hañv*.

I.a. For Lat. *aestātis* (cf. Fr. *été*, It. *estato*, Cat. *estiu*, also secondary Spa. *estío*, Pt. *estio*) a MIE **Aistā** (<***aidht(o)-tā**>) is reconstructed, from common PIE root **aidh-**, *burn, illuminate*; cf. Lat. *aedēs*, Gk. *αἶθω*, O.Ind. *štakā*, *índdhē* (nasalized form), Av. *aēsma-*, Lith. *iesmė*, O.Cz. *niestěje*, Slov. *istěje*.

I.b. Another common form is derived from **Wēsṛ**, *spring* (vide infra), as Lat. *veranum* (*tempus*), “(time) of spring” (cf. Spa. *verano*, Pt. *verão*, Rom. *vară*), Lith., Ltv. *vasara*, Alb. *verë*.

I.d. For the common Slavic word, PIE n. **Latom**, cf. Russ. *лето*, Pol. *lato*, Cz. *léto*, Srb.-Cro. *ljeto*.

II. MIE has for Autumn, Fall, different Indo-European words referring to “harvest”. PIE masc. **Osēn** (Gen. **Osñós**), *autumn, harvest*, from older **h₃esh₃en*, as in Balto-Slavic, giving O. Pruss. *assanis*, Rus. *осень*, Ukr. *осиень*, Pol. *jesień*, Srb.-Cro. *jesen*, Slovak *jeseň*, Lat. *annōna*, Gk. *πωρον*, O.Ir. *ēorna* (<**esornja*>), Arm. *ashun*, and also *earn*, in Gmc. *aznojanan* (cf. Goth. *asans*, O.N. *önn*, O.E. *earnian*, *esne*, O.H.G. *aran*, Ger. *Ernte*).

II.a. **Kérpistos**, *harvest*, Gmc. **kharbistas* (cf. Goth. *hárban*, O.N. *hverfa*, O.S. *hervist*, O.E. *hærfest*, O.H.G. *hwerban*, Du. *herfst*, Ger. *Herbst*), from PIE **kerp-**, *pluck, gather, harvest*, cf. Lat. *carpere*, Gk. *καρπος*, Skr. *kṛpana-*, Toch. *kārp/kārp*, Lith. *kerpu*, O.Ir. *carr*, M.Ir. *cerbaim*, Welsh *par*.

II.b. **Autúmnos** (Lat. *Autumnus*, of Etruscan origin), is the common word in Romance languages and English.

II.c. In Baltic ‘autumn’ is found as Ltv. *rudens*, Lith. *ruduo*, originally “red season”, derived from PIE **reudhós**, *red, ruddy*. Compare Gmc. *rauthaz* (cf. Goth. *rauþs*, O.N. *rauðr*, O.E. *rēad*, Dan. *rød*, O.Fris. *rad*, M.Du. *root*, O.H.G. *rōt*), Lat. *ruber*, (Lat.dial. *rufus*), Osc. *rufriis*, Umb. *rufriu*, Gk. ἐρυθρός; Skr. *rudhira-*, Av. *raoidita-*, Toch. *rtār/ratre*, O.C.S. *rudru*, Rus. *рдець, румяньй*, Pol. *rumiany*; Lith. *raudas*, Ltv. *ruds*, Gaul. *Roudos*, O.Ir. *ruad*, Welsh *rhudd*, Bret. *ruz*.

III. For MIE *Winter*: There is a common PIE masc. **Ghjem** (gen. **ghjmós**), *winter*; compare O.N. *gói*, Lat. *hiems*, Gk. *χειμα* (Mod. Gk. *χειμώνας*), Skr. *heman*, Av. *zimo*, Pers. زمستان (*zemestān*), *dai*, Toch. *śarme/śimpriye*, Arm. *dzmeř*, Old Prussian *semo*, Lith. *žiema*, Ltv. *ziema*, OCS *zima*, Russ. *зима*, Polish *zima*, Gaul. *Giamillus*, Ir. *gaimred*, Sc. *Geamhradh*, Welsh *gaeaf, geimhreadh*, Bret. *goañv*, Alb. *dīmër/dimën*, Kurdish *zivistan, zistan*, Kamviri *zē*; Hittite *gimma-*. From the same root, compare **ghjemrināiō**, *hibernate*, from Lat. *hibernāre*, from which also (**tempōs**) **ghjemrinom**, Lat. (*tempus*) *hibernum*, “time of winter” (cf. Fr. *hiver*, Ita.,Pt. *inverno*, Spa. *invierno*, Rom. *iarnă*), or **ghjemriă**, *chimera*, from Gk. χίμαιρα.

III.a. In Germanic, however, the word comes from Gmc. *wentruz* (cf. Goth. *wintrus*, O.N. *vetr*, O.E., O.Fris., Du. *winter*, O.S., O.H.G. *wintar*, Ger. *winter*, Dan., Swed. *vinter*), thus IE **Wendrus**, “watery season”, from PIE root **wed-/wod-/ud-**, *wet, water*. Compare for IE general **wōdṛ** and zero-grade **udṛ-** (or nasalized **wondṛ-/undṛ-**), Gmc. *watar*, (cf. Goth. *watō*, O.N. *vatn*, O.E. *wæter*, O.H.G. *wazzar*, O.Fris. *wetir*, Du. *water*), Lat. *unda*, Umb. *utur*, Gk. ὕδωρ, Skr. *udan*, Toch. *wār/war*, Phryg. *bedu*, Thrac. *udrēnas*, Arm. *get*, O. Pruss. *wundan*, Lith. *vanduo*, Ltv. *ūdens*, O.C.S., O.Russ. *вода*, Pol. *woda*, O.Ir. *uisce*, Welsh *gwer*, Alb. *ujë*, Kashmiri *odūr*; also, Hitt. *watar*, and Ancient Macedonian *bedu*. And for alternate form **udros**, *water, “water-creature”, otter*, cf. Gmc. *utraz* (cf. O.N. *otr*, O.E. *oter*, O.H.G. *ottar*, Swed. *utter*, Dan. *odder*, Du. *otter*), Lat. *lutra*, Gk. ὑδρος, Skr. *udra*, Av. *udra*, Lith. *ūdra*, O.C.S. *vydra*, Russ. *vydra*, O.Ir. *uydr*, *odoirme* Ir. *odar*, Osset. *wyrd*; also, derivative **úderos, wénderos**, *belly*, compare Ger. *wanast*, Lat. *uterus, uenter*, Skr. *udara*, Av. *udaras*, Lith. *vėdaras*, Ltv. *vėders*. As with IE “fire” (**pāwṛ-egnís**), Indo-European had two different roots for “water”, one inanimate, referring to an inanimate substance, and the other, **apos**, *water* (animate), referring to water as a living force (cf. Sk. *apah*), which comes probably from an older IE II root **h₂p-*, giving PIE **piskos**, *fish*, older **h₂p-isko-*, cf. Gmc. *fiskaz* (cf. Goth. *fisks*, O.N. *fiskr*, O.E. *fisc*, O.H.G. *fisc*, Du. *vis*, Ger. *Fisch*), Lat. *piscis*, Russ. *peskar*, Polish *piskorz*, O.Ir. *asc*, Welsh *pysgodyn*.

IV. For Modern Indo-European *Spring*: The common PIE word was **Wēsṛ**; compare O.N. *var*, Swe. *vår*, Lat. *vēr*, from which L.Lat. *prima vera* (cf. Spa.,Pt.,It. *primavera*, Rom. *primăvară*), Gk. *éap*, Skt. *vasantah*, Pers. *𐎱𐎠𐎼𐎿* (*bāhār*), Kur. *bihar*, Lith. *vasara*, Lith.,Ltv. *pavasaris*, O.C.S. *vesna*, Russ. *весна*, Pol. *wiosna*, Gael. *Earrach*, and even Turkish *ilkbahar, bahar*, a borrowing from Iranian.

IV.a. The spring is usually considered the first season, hence the common resource of taking words for ‘fore’ or ‘early’ followed by ‘year’, as MIE **Prōjērom**; cf. Dan. *forår*, Du. *voorjaar*, Ger. *Frühjahr*, Bul. *пролет*, Srb.-Cro. *proljeće*, Slovene *pomlad*, Alb. *pranverë*, originally lit. “fore-year”; also, Ger. *Frühling*, from M.H.G. *vrueje*, or Cz. *jaro*, Slovak *jar*, from **jērom**. Also, in French, the older *primevère* was substituted in the 16th c. for *printemps*, O.Fr. *prin tans, tamps prim*, from Lat. *tempus primum*, lit. “first time, first season”, which also influenced Mid.Eng. *prime-temps*; cf. also Faer. *maitiid*. For “fore” in compounds, there is IE **prā**, *before*, as Gmc. *fura* (cf. Goth. *faiura*, O.N. *fyrr*, O.E. *fore*, O.Fris. *fara*, O.H.G. *fora*, Ger. *vor-*), Gk. *πάρος*, Skr. *purā*, Av. *paro*, Hittite

para-, as well as IE **prō-**, *before, in front of*, as Gmc. *fra-* (cf. Goth. *fram*, O.N. *frā*, O.E. *fram*, Scots *fro*, Ger. *vor-*), Ita. *pro-*, Gk. *προ-*, Ind. *pra-*, Slav. *pra-*, Celt. *ro-*; although Eng. “*fore*” itself comes from PIE **per-**, base of prepositions with meanings like *forward, through*, and other extended senses.

IV.b. Another common Germanic term is **Dl̥nghódeinos**, as Gmc. *langa-tinaz*, lit. “*long-day*”, (cf. O.S. *lentin*, O.E. *lencten*, M.Du. *lenten*, O.H.G. *lenzo*, Eng. *Lent*, Du. *lente*, Ger. *Lenz*), from **dl̥nghós**, *long*, as Gmc. *lanngaz* (cf. Goth. *laggs*, O.N. *langr*, O.E., O.H.G. *lang*, M.Du. *lanc*), Lat. *longus*, Gk. *δολιχός*, Skr. *dīrgha*, Av. *darāga*, O.Pers. *darga*, Pers. *derāz*, O.Pruss. *ilgi*, Lith. *ilgas*, Ltv. *ilgs*, OCS *dl̥gŭ*, Russ. *dolgij*, Pol. *dhugi*, Gaul. *Loggostalētes*, O.Ir. *long*, Welsh *dala*, Alb. *gjatë*, Kashmiri *dūr*, Hitt. *dalugaes*; and IE **deinos**, a root meaning “*day*”, *vide supra*. The compound probably refers to the increasing daylight in Spring.

63. Indo-European **Djēus**, *sky-god, sky*, and **Deiwos**, *god*, (the later formed by *e-insertion* of zero-grade **diw-**), means originally *shine*, usually *sky, heaven*, hence *sky god*; cf. Gmc. *Tīwaz* (O.N. *Tyr*, Eng. *Tiu*, also in *Tuesday*), Lat. *deus, Iovis*, as in *Iuppiter* (from older *o-grade of Djēus patēr*, “*o father Iove*” cf. O.Ind. *devaḥ pitar*, Gk. *Zeus pater*), Gk. *Zeῦς*, gen. *Διός*, Skr. *devaḥ* (as in *Devanāgarī*), O.Pers. *daēva*-(as in *Asmodeus*), O.C.S. *deivai*, Lith. *devas*. From zero-grade **djous** is extended **djowis**, Lat. *Iouis*, “*Jupiter*”, as adjective **djowiliós**, “*descended from Jupiter*”, Lat. *Iūlius* (name of a Roman gens), into **Djowilios**, *July*. The form **deiwos**, as Gmc. *tīwaz*, Lat. *deus*, gives **déiwismos**, *deism*, **déiwitā**, *deity*, **deiuidhakós**, *deific*, **addéiwos**, *bye* (“*I commend you to God*”, cf. Fr., Eng., Ger. *adieu*, It. *addio*, Spa. *adiós*, Pt. *adeus*, Cat. *adeu*, Nor. *adjø*, Swe. *adjö*, Gk. *avrio*, Slo. *adijo*, Lux. *äddi*, Papiamentu *ayo*, etc.), **deiwinós**, *divine*; **deiwēs**, *rich* (“*fortunate, blessed, divine*”), as Lat. *diues*; **diwiós**, *heavenly*, as in **Diwianā**, *Diana*, as Lat. *Diāna*, *moon goddess*; also **djēus** with the meaning of *day*, cf. Lat. *diēs*, O.Ir. *die*, W.Gmc. *zīo*, Arm. *tiw*, as in **edjeu**, *today*, cf. O.Ind. *adyā*, *adyá*, Lat. *hodie*, O.Ir. *indiu*, Welsh *heddyw*, Hitt. *anisiwat*, or **médhidjōus**, *midday, noon*, which gives **medhidjōwonos**, “*of or at midday*”, also *meridian*, and adjective, **medhīdjowonós**, “*of or relating to a meridian, meridional*” from Lat. *merīdiānus*, **qōtidjowonós**, *quotidian* modern derivatives include **djewālís**, *daily, dial*, **djewāsiós**, *diary*, **djētā**, *daily routine, diet, national or local legislative assembly* (alteration influenced by **djē** from **díaitā**, *way of living, diet*, from Gk. *δίαιτα* into Lat. *diaeta*), **djousnós**, *diurnal, “of the day”, daily*, as in **djousnālís**, *diurnal, daily*, hence as noun “*breviary, journal*” (as Fr. *journal*), and also “*salary*” (as Prov. *jornal*), **djousnom**, *day, djóusnātā*, *day, day’s travel, journey, midday*; **doilós**, *clear, evident, apparent, manifest, obvious*, as O.E. *-tol*, M.Ir. *dōel*, Lith. *dailūs*, and e-grade Hom. *δέελος* (**δειελος*), Alb. *diel*, as in **psūghodoilikós**, *psychedelic*, an English loan word using Greek loan words. Also, with the sense of *shining, clear, day*, compare Goth. *sinteins*, Lat. *nundinum, nundinae*, O.Ind. *dinam*, Welsh *diw*, Bret. *deiz*, Arm. *tiw*, Prus. *deinan*, Lith., Latv. *diena*, O.C.S. *день*, Pol. *dzien*, Ukr., Rus. *день*, etc.

The origin of Germanic word for “*God*” is probably Gmc. *guthan* (cf. Goth. *gub*, O.E. *god*, O.N. *guð*, Du. *god*, Ger. *Gott*), from zero-grade **ghutóm**, *God, “the Invoked*”, cf. Skr. *hūta-*, *invoked, called*, an epithet of Indra, Av. *zūta-*, from PIE **ghawō**, *call, invoke*, compare u-stem **ghutus**, into O.Ir. *guth* m. “*voice*” in addition Gaul. *gutuate* a class of priests, probably from **ghutupatēr** “*father (i.e. Master) of Invocations (a god)*”; although some trace it to **ghutom** “*poured, libated*”, from PIE root **gheu-**, *pour, pour a libation*, compare Alb. *zot*, “*god*”, O.Ind. *hōtrā*, M.Pers. *zōt*, Av. *zaoθra*, all of which apparently from PIE **gheutrom**; p.part. **ghutós**, *poured in fire, sacrificed*; as Gmc. *giutan* (cf. Goth. *giutan*, ON *gjta*, O.E. *guttas*, O.H.G. *giozan*, Ger. *giessen*, Eng. *gut*), Lat.

fūtis, Gk. *χεiv*, Skr. *juhoti*, Av. *zaotar*, Pers. *zōr*, Toch. *ku*, Phryg. *Zeuman*, Arm. *dzulel*. Originally neutral in Gmc., the gender of “*God*” shifted to masculine after the coming of Christianity. Following Watkins, “(...)given the Greek facts, the Germanic form may have referred in the first instance to the spirit immanent in a burial mound”, therefore O.E. *god* was probably closer in sense to Lat. *numen*, a Latin term for the power of either a deity or a spirit that informs places and objects. A better word to translate *Deus* might have been *Æsir*, Gmc. *ansuz* (cf. O.N. *Ás*, O.E. *Ós*), a name for the principal gods of the pantheon of Norse mythology, but it was never used to refer to the Christian God. It survives in English mainly in the personal names beginning in *Os-* (cf. *Oswin*, *Oswald*, *Osborn*, etc.). The Germanic noun is believed to be derived from PIE **ansus**, *breath, god*, related to Skr. *asura* and Av. *ahura*, with the same meaning; though in Sanskrit *asura* came to mean “*demon*”. v.i. for more on meaning shift for substituted deities in IE languages. **Ansus** is in turn related to **ana-**, *breathe*, v.s.

64. **Prōbhastōr** comes from Lat. *professor*, agent noun from *profitieri*, from Lat. *pro-*, “*forth*”, and p.part. **bhastós** (<**bhat-tós*), “*acknowledge, admit, confess*”, as Lat. *fateri* (pp. *fassus*), zero-grade from PIE roots **bhā-**, *speak*, and **pro-**, already seen.

65. MIE **Kelomnelis**, *Colonel*, comes from It. *colonnella*, “*commander of a column of soldiers at the head of a regiment*”, from *compagna colonella*, “*little column company*” from IE **kelomnā**, Lat. *columna*, “*projecting object, pillar, column*”, compare from o-grade **kolnos**, M.Ir. *coll* “*head, guide, leader*”, Lith. *kálnas*, Ltv. *kaļns* “*mountain*”, also in **koln̥bhóm**, *summit, end, colophon*, from Gk. *κολοφών*; all from PIE **kel-**, *be prominent*, also *hill*, from which **kelomn̥**, *top, summit*, as Lat. *columen*, newer *culmen*. Other derivatives from the same root are zero-grade **k̥lnis**, *hill*, as Gmc. *khulniz* (cf. O.N. *hallr*, O.E. *hyll*, M.Du. *hill*, L.Ger. *hull*), Lat. *collis*, Slav. *сѣлнѣ* (cf. Ser.-Cr. *čûn*, Cz. *člun*, Russ. *čoĭn*), and **k̥lmos**, *islet in a bay, meadow*, as Gmc. *khulmaz* (cf. O.N. *holmr*, O.E. *holm*), Gallo-Roman *calma*, probably Pre-Celt.; extended form Lat. *excellere* (<**ekskeldō**) *raise up, elevate*, also “*be eminent, excel*”.

66. Indo-European **reg-** meant originally probably *straight line*, hence “*move or direct in a straight line*”, *rule, guide, lead*. Compare common derivatives like verb **regō** *direct, rule, lead straight, put right*, as Lat. *regere*, Gk. *ορεγειν*, Av. *razeyeiti*; **regtós**, *right, straight, upright, righteous, wise, true*, as Gmc. *rekhtaz* (cf. Goth. *raihts*, O.N. *rettr*, O.E. *riht*, O.H.G., O.Swed. *reht*, Ger. *recht*, Eng. *right, straight*), Lat. *rectus*, Gk. *ὀρεκτός*, O.Pers. *rahst-*, *aršta-*, Pers. *rahst*, Lith. *teisus*, O.Ir. *recht*, Welsh *rhaith*, Breton *reiz*; **regmen**, cf. O.Ind. *rasman-*, Gk. *ῥεγμα*, Lat. *regimen*; **rēgs**, *ruler, leader, king*, as Lat. *rēx*, Skr. *rājā*, O.Ir. *rī*, Goth. *reik*; adj. **rēgiós**, *royal*, O.Ind. *rājyá-*, Lat. *rēgius*, from Celtic (cf. Gaul. *-rix*, O.Ir. *ri*, gen. *rig*, Gael. *righ*) into Gmc. *rīkjaz*, “*rich, wealthy*”, (cf. Goth. *reiks*, O.N. *rikr*, O.E. *rice*, O.H.G. *rihhi*, O.Fris. *rike*, Du. *rijk*, Ger. *Reich*, Eng. *rich*), noun **rēgiom**, *kingdom, domain*, cf. O.Ind. *rājyá-*, *rājya-*, M.Ir. *rīge*, Goth. *reiki*; modern terms include **rēgālis**, *royal, kingly, regal*; **rēgolā**, *straight piece of wood, rod*, hence “*rule*”, and as verb “*regulate*”, from Lat. *rēgula* and L.Lat. *rēgulāre*; o-grade **rogā**, *ask* (<“*stretch out the hand*”), from Lat. *rogāre*; and lengthened **rōgio**, from Gmc. *rōkjan - rakjan* (cf. O.N. *rækja*, O.E. *reccan*, O.H.G. *girochan*, Ger. *geruhen*, Eng. *reck*). Derivatives include **rēgtōr**, *ruler, rector, director*, cf. Lat. *rēctor*, Skr. f. *rāstrī*, n. *rāstrá-*, Av. *rāstar-*, etc.

67. **North**: from PIE root **ner-** *below, under*, also *on the left*, hence, “*with an eastward orientation*”, *north*, as north is to the left when one faces the rising sun, giving **Nrtos** as Gmc. *nurthaz* (O.N. *norðr*, O.E. *norð*), borrowed into most European languages; cf. also Skt. *narakah*, Gk. *enerthen*, Osc.-Umb. *nertrak*.

Originally PIE had **(s)kew(e)ros**, *cold wind, north wind, north*, cf. W.Gmc. *skūraz* (cf. Goth. *skura*, O.N. *skúr*, O.S., O.H.G., O.E. *scūr*, Ger. *Schauer*, Eng. *shower*), Lat. *caurus*, Arm. *c'urt/c'urd*, Lith. *šiaurus, šiaurys, šiaure*, O.C.S. *severu*, Russ. *sever*.

I. Other IE derivatives for “*left*” are:

I.1. Indo-European **laiwós**, *left*, as Gmc. *laewaz* (cf. ON *lén*, O.E. *lǣw*, O.H.G. *lēwes*), Lat. *laevus*, Gk. *laios*, Illyr. *Levo*, Lith. *išlaivoti*, O.C.S. *lěvŭ*, Russ. *levyj*, Polish *lewy*. English “*left*” is maybe also derived from the same root, through an extended **laiwt-**, although probably from a source meaning “*weak*”; cf. O.E. *lyft*, E.Fris. *luf*, Du. dial. *loof*, M.Du., Low Ger. *luchter, luft*.

Common Germanic vocabulary include Ger. *link*, Du. *linker*, from O.H.G. *slinc*, M.Du. *slink*, related to O.E. *slincan* “*crawl*”, Swe. *linka* “*limp*”, *slinka* “*dangle*”.

I.2. PIE **soujós**, *left*, was the source for Skr. *savya*, Av. *haoya*, Toch. *-/saiwai*, OCS *šujŭ*, Russ. *šuj*, Welsh *aswy*.

I.3. A reconstructed IE **sen-** is in the origin of Romance **senesterós**, *left, on the left side*, as Lat. *sinister* (opposite of *dexter*), meaning prop. “*the slower or weaker hand*” [Tucker], but Buck suggests it’s a euphemism, connected with the root of Skt. *saniyan* “*more useful, more advantageous*”.

Spa. *izquierda*, Gl.-Pt. *esquerda*, Cat. *esquerra* are late borrowings from Basque *ezkerra*.

II. Indo-European derivatives for “*right*”:

II.1. The opposite of **ner-** in PIE was probably **deks-**, *right*, hence **Deksinā/Deksiós** *south* (facing east), giving Goth. *taihswa*, O.H.G. *zeso*, Lat. *dexter*, Oscan *destrst*, Umb. *destrame*, Gk. *δεξιός*, Skr. *dakšina*, Av. *dašina*, Kashmiri *dachūn*, Toch. *täk/*, Lith. *dešinė*, OCS *desnaya; desnŭ*, Russ. *деснуца*, Gaul. *Dexsiva*, O.Ir. *dech*, Welsh *deheu*, Alb. *djathtë*. Common derivatives from Latin are **dekstrós**, *right, on the right side*, hence *skilful, dexter*, as, as in **dekstéritā**, *dexterity*, or **ambhidekstrós**, *ambidextrous*.

II.2. The usual derivative for *right* (in both senses, *direction* and “*straight, just*”) in modern Romance and Germanic languages is still made from oldest **regtós** (cf. Eng. *right*, Ger., Du. *recht*, Da., Nor. *rett*, Swe. *rätt*, Spa. *recto*, Pt. *reto*), ultimately from PIE **reg-**, although a usual Romance derivative comes from prefixed Lat. *directus* (cf. Fr. *droit*, Spa. *derecho*, It. *diritto*, Pt. *direito*, Rom. *drept*, Cat. *dret*), and a usual Germanic one is suffixed as Gmc. *rektikhaz* (cf. Ger. *richtig*, Da. *rigtig*, Nor., Swe. *riktig*); also found in both, Lat. and borrowed in Gmc. is adj. **komregtós**, *correct* (as Ger., Da. *korrekt*, Fr., Du. *correct*, Spa. *correcto*, Pt. *corretto*).

II.3. Another usual word in Slavic languages comes from PIE verbal root **bheu-** (PIH *bheuh₂-*), *be, exist, grow*, (see more on **bheu-**), as zero-grade reduced suffixal form **-bhw-**, as in **probhwós**, “*growing well or straightforward*”, hence *right, upright, correct*, as Slavic *prōvos* (cf. O.Russ., O.C.S. *праѡѡ*, Pol. *prawy*, Cz., Slk. *pravý*, Sr.-Cr., Slo. *pràv*), Lat. *probus*, O.Ind. *prabhús*.

68. **South**: related to base of Gmc. *sunnon*, from **suntŋ, sun**, (**swen-/sun-** are alternate nasalized roots for PIE **sāwel**) with the sense of “*the region of the sun*”, Ger. *Süd, Süden* are from a Du. pronunciation. O.Fr. *sur, sud* (Fr. *sud*), Sp. *sur, sud-* are loan words from Gmc., perhaps from O.N. *suðr*. Compare Gmc. *sawel/sunnon* (Goth. *sauil, sunno*, O.N. *sól, sunna*, O.Eng. *sigel, sunne*, O.H.G. *sunna*) Lat. *sōl*, Gk. *ἥλιος*, Skr. *sūras*, Av. *hvarə*, Pers. - *farnah-*, Kamviri *su*, Toch. *swāñce/swāñco*, Alb. *(h)yll*, O. Pruss. *saule*, Lith. *saulė*, O.C.S. *slunice*, O.Russ. *сѡлнце*, Pol. *słońce*, Welsh *haul*, O.Ir. *súil*.

69. The *East* is the direction in which the Sun breaks, from PIE **aus-**, *dawn*; cf. Gmc. *austo/austraz* (O.N. *austr*, O.E. *ēast*, O.H.G. *ōstra*, Du. *oost*, Ger. *Osten*), Lat. *aurōra*, *auster*, Gk. *αυριον* (*aurion*), *ἠως* (*ēōs*), Skr. *uśās*, Av. *uśastara*, Lith. *aušra*, Ltv. *ausma*, Russ. *утро*, O.Ir. *usah*, *fáir*, Welsh *gwawr*. For Modern Indo-European we will use generally **Austos** as Gmc. *East*, and **Austrós** as Gmc. *Eastern* (*austraz*) and for Lat. *auster*; as, **Austrorēgiom**, *Austria* (cf. Gmc. *austro+rikjan*, Ger. *Oesterreich*), **Australiā** (from Lat. *Terra Australis*, MIE **Austrá(lis) Térsā**, *Southern Land*), etc.

70. *West*: Pie root **wes-** is root for words meaning *evening*, *west*, as **wést(e)ros**, *west*, Gmc. *westraz* (cf. O.N. *vestr*, Du. *west*, Ger. *West*), **wespros**, *evening*, Gk. *ἑσπερος* (*hesperos*), Lat. *vesper*, **wéskeros** O.C.S. *večeru*, Lith. *vakaras*, Welsh *ucher*, O.Ir. *fescor*, perhaps an enlarged form of PIE base **we-**, *to go down* (cf. Skt. *avah*), and thus lit. “*direction in which the sun sets*”.

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71. Lat. *platea*: *courtyard*, *open space*, *broad street*, comes from Gk. *plateia* (*hodos*), *broad (way)*, fem. of **plátús**, *broad*, Gk. *πλατυς*, from PIE stem **plat-**, *spread out*, *broad*, *flat*. Cf. Gmc. *flataz*; Lat. *planta*; Skt. *prathati*, Gk. *pelanos*, Hitt. *palhi*; Lith. *platus*, *plonas*; O.Ir. *lethan*. Related to **plāk-**, *to be flat*; cf. Gmc. *flakaz* (Eng. *flake*), Lat. *plācāre*, Gk. *plax*. Both extended forms of PIE base **plā-** (from **pel-**), *flat*, *spread*; cf. Gmc. *felthuz* (Eng. *field*), Lat. *plānus*, Gk. *plassein*, Sla. *polje*, etc.

IE **plat** is an extension of PIE root **pel-**, *flat*, and *spread*. Compare **péltus**, *flat land*, *field*, as Gmc. *felthuz* (cf. O.Fris. *feld*, O.E. *feld*, M.H.G. *velt*, Ger. *Feld*, Eng. *field*, even Finnish *pelto*, “*field*”, from Proto-Germanic), **plárus**, *floor*, *ground*, as Gmc. *flōruz* (cf. O.N., O.E. *flor*, M.H.G. *vlur*, M.Du. *vloer*, Ger. *Flur*, Eng. *floor*) or Welsh *llawr*, **plānós**, *flat*, *level*, *even*, *plain*, *clear*, from Lat. *plānus*; **pímā**, *palm*, as Lat. *palma*; **plānētā**, “*wandering*”, *planet*, as Gk. *πλανήτης*, from **plānā**, *wander* (<“*spread out*”), from Gk. *πλανασθαι*; also zero-grade **pladhio**, *mold*, “*spread out*”, as Gk. *πλασσειν* (*plassein*), hence **plastikós** (<“*pladhtiko-*), **pládhmā**, -**pladhia**, **plastós** (<“*pladhto-*), etc. In Slavic there are o-grade **polís**, *open*, and **pólā**, *broad flat land*, *field*.

The old territory of the tribe of *Polans* (*Polanie*), MIE **Polános**, had a name which became that of the Polish state in the 10th century. MIE **Póliskā**, Pol. *Polska* (Eng. *Poland*, “*land of the Poles*”), expressed both meanings, and comes from IE adjectival suffix **-isko-**, as in **poliskós**, *polish*, **Póliskos**, *Pole*, f. **Poliská dínghūs** or n. **Póliskom**, *polish language*. The name of the tribe comes from a PIE source akin to Polish *pole*, “*field*, *open field*”), from IE **pólā**.

72. PIE **wer**, *speak*, is the source of zero-grade **wórdhom**, *word*, as Gmc. *wurdan* (cf. Goth. *waurd*, O.N. *orð*, O.S., O.E., O.Fris. *word*, Du. *woord*, O.H.G. *wort*), full-grade **wérdhom**, *verb*, from Lat. *verbum* (originally “*word*”), as in **adwérdhiom**, *adverb*, and **prōwérdhiom**, *proverb*, **prāiwérdhiom**, *preverb*; **wério**, *say*, *speak*, as Gk. *ειπειν*, from which **werioneiá**, *irony*, as Gk. *ειρωνεία*; **wrētór**, *public speaker*, *rhetor*, as Gk. *ρήτωρ*, from which **wrētórikā**, *rhetoric*, as Gk. *ρητορική*, or **wrémn**, *word*, *rheme*, as Gk. *ῥημα*; compare also,

with the sense of *speak, command, agree, call, summon, lie*, etc., Umb. *uerfalem*, Skr. *vrata-*, Av. *urvāta*, Old Prussian *wīrds*, Lith. *vardas*, Ltv. *vārds*, OCS *vračĭ*, Russ. *врачъ*, O.Ir. *fordat*, Hitt. *ueriga*.

73. Indo-European **ékwoś**, **ékwā**, and **krsos**, have also another synonym in Celtic and Germanic – maybe a borrowing from Gaulish –, **márkiā**, *mare*, as Gaul. *markan*, O.Ir. *marc*, Welsh *march*, Bret. *marh*, and Gmc. *markhjon*, cf. O.N. *marr*, O.E. *nearh*, also fem. O.S. *meriha*, O.N. *merr*, O.E. *mere/myre*, O.Fris. *merrie*, O.H.G. *marah*, Eng. *mare*, Ger. *Mähre*.

74. PIE root **bak**, used for “*staff*”, is the source for **bákolom**, *rod, walking stick*, as Lat. *baculum*, and diminutive **bákillom**, *staff, bacillum*, and possibly **nbakillós**, *imbecile, weak, feeble*. Also, for **báktrom**, *rod*, from Gk. *βάκτρον*, and its diminutive **baktériom**, *bacterium, little rod*, for Gk. *βακτηριον*. French loan words *débâcle* (MIE **debákolā**) and *baguette* (from It. *bacchetta*, from *bacchio*, in turn from Lat. *baculum*) are also modern derivatives. Compare also Lith. *bakstelėti*, Ltv. *bakstīt*, O.Ir. *bacc*, Welsh *bach*.

75. For Indo-European **bhel**, *light, bright*, also *gleam*, compare Gmc. *blaik-* (cf. Goth. *bala*, O.N. *bāl, blár, bleikr*, O.E. *blæcern, blæcan, blæwen*, O.H.G. *blecken, bleich, blāo*), Lat. *flagrāre; flāvus*, Oscan *Flagiúi; Flaviies*, Gk. *φλεγειν; φαλος*, Skr. *bharga; bhālam*, Phryg. *falos*, Toch. *pālk/pālk*, Illyr. *balta*, Thrac. *balios*, Arm. *bal*, O.Pruss. *ballo*, Lith. *blagnytis, baltas*, Ltv. *balts*, Russ. *belyj*, Polish *biały*, Gaul. *Belenos*, Ir. *beltene, blár*, Welsh *bal, blawr*, Alb. *ballë*. Thus e.g. Modern Indo-European **Bhalkikós**, *Baltic*, **Bhelārús**, *Belarus*, “*White Ruthenia*”, and possibly **Bhélgiā/Bhélgikā**, from the Celtic tribe of the **Bhélgās**, *Belgae* for the Romans.

76. IE **téuta** means originally *people, tribe*; as Gmc. *theudo* (cf. Goth. *þiuda*, O.N. *þjóð*, O.E. *þeoð*, O.H.G. *diutisc*, M.Du. *duitsch*, Eng. *Dutch*, Ger. *Deutsch*, Ice. *Þýska*, L.Lat. *theodice*, It. *tedesco*), Osc. *touto*, Umb. *totam*, Illyr. *teuta*, O.Prus. *tauto*, Lith. *tauta*, Ltv. *tauta*, Gaul. *teuto*, O.Ir. *tath*; Hitt. *tuzzi*. Lyc. *tuta*. Today the Germanic adjective equivalent to MIE **Teutiskós** is mainly used to describe Germans (also in a wider sense of German-speaking people) and Germany (cf. Dan., Nor, Swe. *tysk*, Du. *Duits*, Ice. *Þýskur*, Lat. *theodisco*, It. *tedesco*, Rum. *tudestg*, even Chinese *dǔ*, Japanese *doitsu*, Korean *dogeo*, or Vietnamese *Đức*), hence **Téutiskom**, *German language*, **Teutiskoléndhom**, *Germany*, from O.H.G. *Diutisklant*, Ger. *Deutschland*.

Finnish and Estonian derivatives are from loan word *saksa*, MIE **Sáksōn**, from L.Lat. *Saxō, Saxonēs*, in turn from West Germanic tribal name *Saxon*, traditionally regarded as from **sóksom**, Germanic *sakhsam*, “*knife*”, (cf. O.E. *Seaxe*, O.H.G. *Sahsun*, Ger. *Sachse*), therefore ‘*Saxon*’ could have meant lit. “*warrior with knives*”, “*swordsmen*”, related to **sókā**, *cutting tool, saw*, as Gmc. *sagō* (cf. O.E. *seax, secg*, O.N. *sōg*, Norw. *sag*, Dan. *sav*, M.Du. *saghe*, Du. *zaag*, O.H.G. *saga*, Ger. *Säge*), from PIE root **sek**, *cut*. Athematic **sekā**, as Lat. *secāre*, gives common derivatives like **séktiōn**, *section*, **sekméntom**, *segment*, **enséktom**, *insect*, **sektór**, *sector*, **dissekā**, *dissect*, etc. Other derivatives include **skend**, *peel of, flay*, and **skends**, *skin*, as Gmc. *skinths* (cf. O.N. *skinn*, O.H.G. *scinten*, Ger. *schinden*, Flem. *schinde*); **sáksom**, *stone* (maybe from “*broken-off piece*”), from Lat. *saxum*; **sékítā**, *sickle, scythe*, as Gmc. *segithō* (cf. O.S. *segasna*, O.E. *sigði*, M.L.G. *segede*, M.Du. *sichte*, O.H.G. *segensa*, Ger. *Sense*). Compare also Lat. *sacēna*, Slavic *sěko, sěkti* (cf. O.C.S. *сѣкъ, сѣшти*, O.Rus. *сѣку, сѣчу*, Pol. *siec, siece*, Srb.-Cro. *sijecem, sijehi*), O.Lith. *įsekti, išsekt*, O.Ir. *doescim*, Ir. *ésgid*, Bret. *scant*, Alb. *shat*.

77. Adjective **entergñtis** comes from **enter+gn̥tis**⁴¹ and is a usual modern loan word (from Lat. terms *inter+natio*) in Romance and Germanic languages, as well as in Celtic and South Slavic. In some Slavic modern languages, even though the same Latin borrowings exist (cf. Russ. *нация, интернационал-*, Pol. *nacja*,

internacional-, etc.), the usual compound is made by **medhjonorodhós** (cf. Russ. *между+народный*, Pol. *między+narodowy*, etc.) from PIE **médhjos**, *middle*, and **nórodhs**, *nation*.

Indo-European **éinter**, *between, among*, gave Lat. *inter*, and is found in common loan words **enteriós**, *interior*, **enternós**, *intern*, and **enternālis**, *internal*. Also, compare other similar derivatives like **ént(e)ro**, as in **éntrō**, *inward, within*, from Lat. *intrō*, as in **entroduko**, *introduce*, **entrospeko**, “*look inside*”, *introspect* (see **spek**); or **éntrā**, *inside, within*, from Lat. *intrā*, as in verb **entrā**, *enter*, or suffix **entra-**, *intra-*; also found in **énterim**, (with ablative suffix **-im**), **entrīnseqós** (from **énterim** and **séqos**, *alongside*), and **entmós**, *innermost, intime*, and its verb **entmā**, *intimate*, with **-mo-** being a superlative suffix. Similar IE words include **entós**, *within*, from Gk. *εὐτός*, **énterom**, *intestine, enteron*, from Gk. *ἔντερον*, and Skr. *antara-*.

The previous derivatives are ultimately derived from PIE root **en**, *in*, which gives Gmc. *in(nan)* (cf. Goth. *in*, O.N., O.Swe. *i*, O.E. *inn, inne*, O.Fris. O.H.G. M.Du., Eng. *in*), Lat. *in*, Gk. *εν*, Skr. *an-*, O.Pruss. *en*, Lith. *i*, Ltv. *iekšā*, O.C.S. *on-*, O.Ir. *in*, Welsh *yn-*, Luw. *anda*.

Other common derivatives include **enerós**, *inner, further in*, from Gmc. comparative *innera*; Gk. and Lat. **endós**, *inner, within*, which gives **endostruós**, *diligent, industrious*, from Lat. *industrius* (O.Lat. *indostruus*), thus **éndostruā**, *industry*, and Lat. loan word **endogénts**, *indigent*. Extended **ens**, *into*, as Gk. *εις* (*eis*), which gives **epensódiom**, *episode*, from IE **epi** and **ensódios**, *entering*, from Gk. *εισόδιος* (*eisodios*). Further suffixed **ensō**, *within*, gives **ensoterikós**, *esoteric*, and **ensotropikós**, *esotropic*, from Greek *ἔσω*.

B. Common IE words for *people, race, men, nation*, apart from **téuta**, **génos**, **man**, **wīros**:

B.1. For Balto-Slavic **rodhs**, *kind, sort, genre, family, clan*, and **nórodhs**, *people, nation* – look at the parallelism with **génōs** and **gnātiōn** –, compare Lith. *rasmė*, Ltv. *rads, rasma, raža* (from older **rādhiā**), O.C.S., O.Russ. *родъ*, Russ. *род, народ*, Pol. *ród, naród*, etc. It is deemed to be o-grade form of PIE **redh**, *rise out, extend forth*, an Indo-European base akin to PIE verb **wrōdh**, *grow up*, and also *high, steep*; compare Skr. *várdhati*, Av. *varait*, Alb. *rit*, and (doubtfully) Arm. *ordi*, “*son*”, Lat. *arbor*, “*tree*” (possibly but unlikely PIE ***wrdhōr**, maybe better MIE Lat. loan **árbōr**), Hitt. *hardu*. A common derivative is zero-grade suffixed **wrdhuós**, *straight*, with MIE comp. elem. **wrdho-**, as Gk. *ὀρθο-*, Eng. *ortho-*.

Compare also **wrād**, *root, branch*, as Gmc. *wrōt-* (cf. O.N. *rōt-*), **wrádiks**, *root*, as Lat. *rādix*; and zero-grade derivatives **wrdis**, as Gmc. *wurtiz* (cf. O.E. *wyrt*, O.H.G. *wurz*), **wrdjā**, *wort, root*, as Gmc. *wurtjō* (cf. O.E. *wyrt*), Gk. *rhiza*; or zero-grade suffixed **wrádmos**, *branch*, as Lat. *rāmus*.

A common Indo-European preposition is reconstructed as PIE **anō**, *on*, as Lat. *in-* (in some cases, and also *an-*), Gk. *ἀνά, ἄνω*, Av. *ana*, also *on, up, upon*, as Gmc. *ana, anō* (cf. Goth. *ana*, O.N. *á*, O.E. *an, on, a*, O.H.G. *ana*, Du. *aan*), and variant Balto-Slavic form **no**, as Slavic *na* (cf. O.C.S. *na*, Ukr., Bul., Russ. *на*, Cz., Pol. *na*), O.Pruss. *no, na*, Lith. *nuō*, Ltv. *nūo*.

B.2. Tucker suggests from the same PIE base **redh** a common Romance **rádhios**, *staff, spoke of a wheel, beam of light*, as Lat. *radius*, which gives **rádhiā**, *race*, from L.Lat. *radia* into It. *razza*, Fr., Eng. *race*, Spa. *raza*, Pt. *raça*. In any case, whether originally related or not, both words are written this way in Modern Indo-European.

B.3. A common Germanic word is **pílgom**, *people, men*, from Gmc. *folkam* (cf. O.N. *folk*, O.E. *folc*, O.Fris. *folk*, M.Du. *volc*, Ger. *Volk*), which is usually compared with Lith. *pulkas*, O.C.S. *pluku*, both believed to have been borrowed from Proto-Germanic. It is related to **plédhūs**, *people, multitude*, as Lat. *plēbs, plēbēs*, and **plédhuos**,

multitude, as Gk. *πλήθος*, all from PIE root **pel**, *fill, be full*. Other derivatives include **plnós**, *full*, as Gmc. *fulnaz*, *fullaz* (cf. Goth. *fulls*, O.N. *fullr*, O.E. *full*, O.Fris. *ful*, O.H.G. *fol*, Ger. *voll*); **plío**, *fill*, as Gmc. *fulljan* (cf. O.S. *fulljan*, O.N. *fylla*, O.E. *fyllan*, O.Fris. *fella*, Du. *vullen*, Ger. *füllen*); lengthened **plē**, *fill*, and **plēnós**, *filled, full*; **plaus**, *plus*, from Lat. *plūs* (earlier O.Lat. *plous*); o-grade **polús**, *much, many*, from Gk. *πολύς*; verb **plēdhuo**, *be full*, as in **plēdhuōrā**, *plethora*, from Gk. *πληθώρα*; adjective **plērós**, *full*, as Gk. *πληρης*; **plēiōn**, *more*, as Gk. *πλεῖον*; or **pleistós** (superlative), *most*, as Gk. *πλεῖστος*.

B.4. Latin *populus*, “*people*”, is usually seen as a borrowing from Etruscan. It is, however, reconstructed today as from **qel**⁻²⁴, hence **qeqlos**, v.s.

B.5. Indo-European **lúdhis**, *people*, is found in Gmc. *liudi* (cf. Goth. *liudan*, O.N. *ljlōd*, O.H.G. *liut*, Ger. *Leute*, also found in Ger. *Lette*, Eng. *Lett*, mediaeval noun for *Latvian*), Osc. *Lúvfreís*, O. Pruss. *ludis*, Lith. *liaudis*, Ltv. *ļaudis*, OCS *ljudŕje*, Russ. *люди*, Pol. *lud*, O.Ir. *luss*, Welsh *llysiaw*, Alb. *lind*. It comes from PIE verb **léudh**, *mount up, grow* – compare the parallelism with **genōs/gnatiōn**, **wrōdh/redh** –, as Skr. *rodhati*, Av. *raodha*. Also, **leudherós**, *free*, maybe originally “*belonging to the people, public*” (although the semantic development is obscure), as in Lat. *liber*, Gk. *ελευθερος*, and common derivatives like **leudherālís**, *liberal*, **leudherā**, *liberate*, **léudhertā**, *liberty*, **deleudherā**, *deliver*, etc.

B.6. Another PIE common root is **kei**, *lie, bed, couch, beloved, dear*; as **kéiuom**, *members of a household, hind*, O.E. *hūwan*; **kéiuidhā**, *measure of land, household, hide*, O.E. *hīgid, hīd*; **kéiuís**, *citizen, member of a household*, Lat. *cīuis*, as in **keiuikós**, *civic*, **keiuiłís**, *civil*, or **kéiuitā**, *city*; **kéilijos**, *companion*, as Eng. *ceilidh*, from O.Ir. *céle*; **koinā**, *cradle*, from Lat. *cunae*; **koimā**, *put to sleep*, and also **kóimā**, *village*, as in Gk. *κοιμη-*, *κώμη*, and common borrowing **koimātériom**, *cemetery*, from Lat. *coemeterium*, itself from Gk. *κοιμητήριον*; zero-grade **kiuós**, *auspicious, dear*, as in Skr. *śiva-*; **kéims**, *person, servant*, and **kéimiā**, *household, domestic servants, family*, as O.C.S. *сѣмь, сѣмѣна*, O.Russ. *сѣмѣна, сѣмьца*, Ukr. *сім'я*, Bulg. *семеѣство*, O.Pruss. *seimīns*, Lith. *šeimà, šeimyna*, Ltv. *sàime*. Also, compare Lith. *kaimas*, “*village*”.

It gives secondary root (t)**kei** (from **ad+kei**), *settle, dwell, be home*, as in (t)**kóimos**, *home, residence, village*, from Gmc. *khaimaz* (cf. Goth. *haims*, O.N. *heimr*, O.E. *hām*, O.Fris. *hem*, M.Du. *hame*, O.H.G. *heim*), which gives **koimghórdhos**, *shelter, hangar*, from Gmc. *haimgardaz* into O.Fr. *hangard*; **tkiso**, *found, settle*, metathesized form from Gk. *κτιζειν*; also possibly Italic suffixed **sítus** (from older metathesized ***ktítus**), *location, situs*, and **situā**, *situate, locate*; compare from metathesized **tkitis**, Gk. *ktisis*, Skr. *kṣiti*, Av. *šiti*.

B.7. Common PIE **wel**, *crowd, throng*, is reconstructed for MIE **wólgos**, *common people, multitude, crowd*, as in Lat. *uulgus*, and adjective **wolgālís**, “*of or pertaining to the common people, common, everyday, ordinary*”, then extended with time as pejorative *vulgar*; cf. Skr. *vargaḥ*, “*division, group*”, and also Gk. *ειλειν*, M.Bret. *gwal'ch*, Welsh *gwala*.

B.8. Another MIE common loan translation is **swédhnos**, *band of people living together, nation, people*, from Gk. *ἔθνος* (*ethnos*), lit. “*people of one's own kind*” from PIE reflexive **s(w)e-**. Compare also derivatives **swedhnikós**, *ethnic*, **swédhniā**, *ethnia, race*.

B.9. Latin **persónā**, *person*, (from Etruscan *phersu*, “*mask*”, and this from Gk. *πρόσωπον*), and **familiā**, *family, household*, from Lat. *fámolos*, “*servant*”, (compare parallelism with Balto-Slavic pair **keims/kéimiā**), both of uncertain etymology, are left as loan words in Modern Indo-European.

78. MIE **régios**, *king*, **régiã**, *queen*, are Germanic loans from Celtic, in turn derived from PIE lengthened base **rēg**, a common Indo-European word for the tribal king. The correct Latin loan-translations are **rēgs**, *king*, **régīnā**, *queen* (possibly suffixed earlier **rēgī-**), while those from Sanskrit are **rēgēn**, *raja*, **rēgenis**, *rani*; Indo-European **régiom** is the Celtic source for Germanic words meaning *realm, kingdom, empire*, as Gmc. *rikjam* (cf. O.N. *rīki*, O.E. *rīce*, O.H.G. *rihhi*, Ger. *Reich*).

English “*queen*”, from O.E. *cwen*, “*queen, female ruler*”, also “*woman, wife*” comes from Gmc. *kweniz*, ablaut variant of *kwenō* (source of Mod.Eng. *quean*), from PIE **cénā**, “*woman, wife*”, *vide infra*. Indo-European languages have usually the same words for King and Queen, using the feminine marker when necessary. English, however, had a meaning (and phonetic) shift that could be used in Modern Indo-European – as with “*Chancellor*” instead of “*Prime Minister*” for Germany and Austria – to remember this peculiarity of the English language, hence **Cénis** between parenthesis.

79. For **wíros**, *man, freeman*, as in Eng. *were-wolf*. Compare Gmc. *weraz* (cf. Goth. *wair*, O.E. *wer*, O.N. *verr*), Lat. *uir*, Umb. *viru*, Skr *vīra*, Av. *vīra*, Toch. *wir*, O.Pruss. *wirs*, Lith. *vyras*, Ltv. *vīrs*, Gaul. *uiro-*, O.Ir. *fer*, Wel. *gwr*. Usual derivatives are **wírīlis**, *virile*, **wírtūts**, *manliness, excellence, goodness, virtue*, **wírtuónts(ós)**, *virtuous, skilled, of great worth, virtuoso*, **dekmwíros**, *decemvir (commission of ten men)*, or **komwíriã**, “*men together*”, *curia, court*. It is found in compound **wirwíqos** (from shortened **wíros**), *werewolf*, as Gmc. *wer-wulfaz* (cf. O.E. *werewulf*, O.H.G. *werwolf*, M.Du. *weerwolf*, Swed. *varulf*, and also Frank. *wer-wulf* into O.Fr. *garoul*, then *leu-garoul*, from Lat. *lupus*, itself from **wíqos**, hence Eng. *loup-garou*, lit. “*wolf-werewolf*”), and **wíralts**, *world*, v.i.

Common IE words for *man, male*, apart from **mánus**:

I. The common Romance word comes from Lat. *homō* (cf. Fr. *homme*, It. *uomo*, Spa. *hombre*, Pt. *homem*, Cat. *home*), in turn from IE **dhghómōn**, *man, “earthling”, human being*, (cf. Arm. տղամարդ, *dghamard*, “*man*”), which gives derivatives **dhghomonidós**, *hominid*, dim. **dhghomonkolós**, *homuncule*, **dhghomokídiom**, *homicide*, **dhghomonátion**, *homage* (from Oc. *homenatge*), closely related with **dhghómános**, *human, kind, humane*, both related with MIE **dhghómos**, *earth, ground, soil*, as Lat. *humus*, (cf. Osc. *huntruīs*, Umb. *hondomu*) which gives common derivatives as **dhghomilís**, *low, lower, humble*, and **dhghomilitā**, *humility*, **dhghomiliã**, *humiliate*, **eksdhghomã**, *exhume*, **endhghomã**, *inhume*, **transdhghomã**, *move livestock seasonally*, as in Eng. *transhumance*. They all come from PIE root **dhghem**, *earth*, (as in Pers. *zamīn*, Kashmiri *zamin*), which gives common IE **dhghōm** [g^ho:m] (gen. **dhghmós** [g^hm̥-’os]), *earth*, and other derivatives as **(dh)ghmōn** [g^hm̥-on], *man, “earthling”*, in Gmc. *gumōn* (cf. Goth. *guma*, O.N. *gumi*, O.E. *guma*, O.H.G. *gomo*, found in Eng. *bridegroom*, Ger. *Bräutigam*; Mod. Eng. *groom* was altered 16th c. by folk etymology after *groom* “*boy, lad*”, itself from a source akin to verb *grow*); metathesized in Greek as *ghdhōm*, Gk. *χθών*, as in **autodhghóm**, *autochthon*; zero-grade **dhghm** [g^hm̥], *on the ground*, as Gk. *χαμαί*, as in **dhghmléōn**, *chameleon* (“*ground-lion*”, *lizard*, **léōn** is from Semitic origin adopted in Greek and Latin), **dhghmmélōn**, *chamomile* (“*ground-melon*”, from Lat. loan word **mélōn**, *melon*, short for Gk. *mēlo-peppōn*, “*apple-gourd*”); the common Balto-Slavic words come from IE **dhghemiã**, *land, earth*, as O.Pruss. *same*, Lith. *žemė*, Ltv. *zeme*, O.Russ. *zemi*, Pol. *ziemia*, Cz. *země*, also found as *zemlja*, in O.C.S., Russ., Srb.-Cro., etc. Other common IE

derivatives are Skr. *kṣa*, Phryg. *zemelo*; *zamelon*, Thrac. *semele*; *semela*, Toch. *tkam/keṃ*, O.Ir. *du*, Welsh *dyn*, Alb. *dhè*, Osset. *zæxx*; Hitt. *tekan*, Luw. *dakam-*,

I.1. Common words for *earth, land*, apart from **dhghōm**, **polā**, and **léndhom**:

I.1.a. Germanic “*world*” comes from **wíralts**, “*life or age of man*”, as Gmc. *wirald-* (cf. O.N. *verold*, O.S. *werold*, O.E. *woruld*, *worold*, O.Fris. *warld*, O.H.G. *weralt*, Du. *wereld*, Ger. *Welt*, Sca. *jord*), a compound of **wīros**, *man*, (cf. Hebrew *adam*, “*man*”, and *adamah*, “*earth*” and the opposite with Lat. *homō*, “*earthling*”, already seen), and **altós**, *grown up*, hence *old*, *adult*, and *tall, high, deep*, as Gmc. *althaz* (cf. (cf. Goth. *alþeis*, O.E. *eald*, O.Fris. *ald*, Du. *oud*, Ger. *alt*), Lat. *altos*, as in **eksaltā**, *exalt*, or **altitūdōn**, *altitude*.

Adjective **altós** comes from PIE root **al**, *grow, nourish*, found in **almós**, *nurturing, nourishing* (as in **almá mātér**, “*nourishing mother*”, *university*); Latin verb **alo**, *nourish*, from which pres.part. **alomnós**, *being nourished* (from which **álomnos**, *fosterling, step-child, alumnus, student*), **alobhilís**, *alible*, **aloméntom**, *aliment*, as well as suffixed compound **adalesko**, *grow up*, as in **adaleskénts**, *adolescent*, or part. **adaltós**, *grown up, adult*; suffixed causative compound **apaleio**, *retard the growth of, abolish*; compound **prólēs** (from **pro-alēs**), *offspring*; and extended **aldho**, *get well*, as in Gk. ἄλθαία.

The proper IE word for *old* is **senós**, cf. Goth. *sineigs*, ON *sina*, Lat. *senex*, Gk. *henos*, Skr. *sana*, Av. *hana*, Arm. *hin*, Lith. *senas*, Ltv. *sens*, Gaul. *Senognatus*, O.Ir. *sen*, Welsh *hyn*. It is found (from Lat. *senex*, MIE **sénēks**, *an elder*), in **senátus**, *senate*, **senilís**, *senile*, **seniós**, *older*, as in Latin **sénios**, *senior, señor, signore, sir, sire*, **senéktūts**, *senectitude*, etc. A common fem. **sénā** is attested as Gk. *hénē*, Skr. *śanā-*, Lith. *senà*, Lyc. *lada*.

I.1.b. Romance *terra*, “*earth, Earth*”, comes from PIE **térsā**, “*dry land*”, in derivatives like **tersános**, *terrain*, **suptersaniós**, *subterranean*, **tersaqiós** (from **térsa+áqa**), *terraqueous*, etc. PIE **ters**, *dry*, which gives **trstus**, *dryness, thirst*, Gmc. *thurstuz* (cf. O.E. *thurst*), **trskós**, *dried*, as Gmc. *thurskaz* (cf. O.N. *thorskr*, O.E. *cusck*); **torsē**, *dry, parch, burn*, as Lat. *torrēre*, also as loan word in **torsénts**, *torrent*, or **torsidós**, *torrid*, p.part. **torstós**, *burnt*, into **torstā**, *toast*, and noun **torstátā**; zero-grade **tr̥sos**, *tarsos, frame of wickerwork* (originally for drying cheese), hence *a flat surface, sole of the foot, ankle*, Gk. ταρσός.

I.1.c. English “*earth*” comes from Gmc. *erthō* (cf. Goth. *airþa*, O.N. *jörð*, O.E. *eorðe*, M.Du. *eerde*, O.H.G. *erda*), hence MIE **ertā**, “*ground, soil, dry land*”, also used for the “*physical world*” (as opposed to the *heavens* or the *underworld*), from PIE root **er-**.

I.1.d. Latin *mundus*, “*universe, world*”, lit. “*clean, elegant*” is from unknown origin, hence loan word MIE **móndos**, which gives **mondānós**, *mundane, “belonging to the world”*, (as distinct from the Church), used as a translation of Gk. κόσμος (MIE loan word **kósmos**) in its Pythagorean sense of “*the physical universe*” (the original sense of the Gk. word was “*order, orderly arrangement*”). L. *mundus* also was used of a woman’s “*ornaments, dress*”, and is related to the adj. **mondós**, *clean, elegant*.

Proto-Indo-European had a common root **wes**, for *dress, clothe*, compare Gmc. *wazjan* (cf. Goth. *gawasjan*, O.N. *verja*, O.E. *werian*, O.H.G. *werian*, Eng. *wear*, Ger. *Wehr*), Lat. *uestire*, Gk. *hennynai*, Skr. *vaste*, Av. *vastē*, Toch. *wäs/wäs*, Arm. *zgenum/zkenum*, Welsh *gwisgo*, Bret. *gwiska*, Alb. *vesh*; Hittite *waš-*. Common Latin derivatives are **wéstis**, *garment*, in **dewestio**, *devest*, **enwestio**, *invest*, **transwestio**.

I.1.e. Greek **gē**, *earth*, possibly from IE **gā**, (cf. Gk. m.γῆ, f. γαῖα) is also from unknown origin, and is left so in derivatives, as **geō-** (maybe IE **gairo-**?); compared with Sumerian Goddess *Ki-*, also meaning “*Earth*”.

I.1.f. English “ground” comes from Gmc. *grunduz* (cf. O.N. *grunn*, O.E. *grund*, O.Fris. *grund*, Du. *grond*, Ger. *Grund*), of unknown origin, MIE **grúndus**, *foundation, ground, surface of the earth, originally deep place, bottom, bottom of the sea.*

I.2. English “bride” comes from Gmc. *bruthiz* (cf. Goth. *brups*, O.E. *bryd*, O.Fris. *breid*, Du. *bruid*, O.H.G. *brut*, and from this into Mid.Lat. *bruta*, and from this into O.Fr. *bruy*), possibly originally *daughter-in-law*, later also “*woman being married*”, *bride*. In ancient IE custom, the married woman went to live with her husband’s family, so the only “newly-wed female” in such a household would be the daughter-in-law. Reconstructed as MIE **bhrútis**, it is probably derived as zero-grade from PIE verb **bhrew**, *boil, bubble, effervesce, burn*, with derivatives referring to *cooking* and *brewing*, as **bhrútom**, *broth*, from Gmc. *brutham* (cf. O.E. *broþ*, V.Lat. *brodum*). Other derivatives include extended **bhréuwo**, *brew*, as Gmc. *breuwan* (cf. O.N. *brugga*, O.E. *breowan*, O.Fris. *briuwa*, M.Du. *brouwen*); **bhréutom**, *cooked food, leavened bread*, as Gmc. *brautham* (O.E. *brēad*, O.N. *brot*, Dan. *brød*, Ger. *Brot*); variant lengthened **bhrēto**, *warm*, giving o-grade denominative **bhrōtá**, “*a warming*”, *hatching, rearing of young, brood*, as Gmc. *brōdō*, and verb **bhrōtio**, *rear young, breed*, as Gmc. *brōdjan*, *roast flesh*, or **bhrétōn**, *roast flesh*, as Gmc. *brēdōn* (cf. O.H.G. *brāto*, O.Fr. *braon*); **bhrésā**, *burning coal, ember*, hence (from O.Fr. *brese*) *braise, breeze, braise*; **bhémōn**, *yeast*, as Gmc. *bermōn* (cf. O.E. *beorma*, M.L.G. *barm*, Du. *berm*), or further suffixed **bherméntom**, *yeast, ferment*, as Lat. *fermentum*; extended **bherwē**, *be boiling or fermenting*, as Lat. *feruēre*, as in **bherwénts**, *fervent*, **bherwór**, *fervor*, **eghbherwesko**, *effervesce*, etc.; and, as very archaic words for spring, compare **bhrúnōn**, as Gmc. *brunnon*, and suffixed **bhréwr**, as Gk. φρέαρ, as in **bhrewtikós**, *phreatic*. From an original PIE root **bher-** are also Skr. *bhurati*, Gk. *phurdēn-migdēn*, Gaul. *Voberā*, O.Ir. *bréo*, M.Ir. *berbaim*, Welsh *beru*, Alb. *burmë*, and also probably lengthened **bhrē**, *smell, breathe*, from which **bhrétos**, *odor, exhalation, breath*, as Gmc. *brēthaz* (cf. ON *bráðr*, O.E. *bræþ*, O.H.G. *brādam*, Ger. *Brodem*).

II. A form almost restricted to West Germanic is **koirós**, *gray*, hence “*gray-haired*”, *venerable, old*, as Gmc. *khairaz* (cf. O.E. *hār*, O.H.G. *her*, comp. *herro*, “*noble*”, Ger. *Herr*, Du. *heer*, MIE **kóireros**), from PIE **koi**, *shine*.

III. A Greek form comes from IE **h₂ner*, *man*, with basic sense of *vigorous, vital, strong*, as in **nēr**, Gk. *άνήρ* (*anēr*), and zero-grade in compounds as **nro-**, *andro-*, **-nros**, *-androus*, “*having men*”, **-nriā**, *-andry*, etc.

IV. Hindustani *ādmī* (Hindi: आदमी, Urdu: آدمی), from Persian *آدم* itself from Arabic *آدم*, also found in Turkish *adam*, cf. *אדם* (*adam*), which is the origin of the Biblical name Adam.

V. A curious form is Romanian *bărbat* (MIE **bhardhátos**), “*bearded*”, from Lat. *barba*, from Italic *farba* (cf. Celtic *barfa*, as in Welsh *barf*), a metathesized form of PIE **bhárdhā**, *beard*, attested in European dialects. Compare Gmc. *bardō* (also “*hatchet, broadax*”, cf. O.H.G. *barta*, as in *halmbarta*, into M.Fr. *hallebarde*, Eng. *halberd*), O.Pruss. *bordus*, Lith. *barzdà*, Ltv. *barzda*, *bārda*, O.C.S. *бpада*, Russ. *бopодa*, Polish *broda*. English “*beard*” comes from **bhárdhos**, Gmc. *bardaz* (cf. Goth. *bars*, O.N. *barðr*, O.E. *beard*, M.Du. *baert*, O.H.G. *bart*),

80. **Dwenós**, *good* (< “*useful, efficient, working*”), as Lat. *bonus*, comes from PIE **dew**, *do, perform, show favor*; also, compound **dwenignós**, *benign* (from PIE **gen**), or adverbial form **dwénē**, *well*, as in **dwenēdéiktiōn**, *benediction*, **dwenēdhaktór**, *benefactor*, etc.; diminutive **dwenelós**, *handsome, pretty, fine*, as Lat. *bellus*; **dwēio**, *make blessed*, as Lat. *beāre*, in **dwēiatós**, *blessed*, **dwēiatidhakā**, *betify*, etc.; also

possibly but unlikely related to **dunamikós**, *dynamic* (from **dúnamis**, Gk. δύναμις, *force*). The Germanic word for *good* is *gōdaz* (cf. O.Eng. *gōd*, O.N. *gōðr*, Du. *goed*, O.Ger. *guot*, *gigat*, Goth. *gōþs*, *gadilings*, Ger. *gut*, *gütlich*), from Modern Indo-European **ghōdhós**, which comes from PIE root **ghedh**, *to unite, join, fit*. Compare Skr. *gadhjas*, Lith. *guōdas*, Ltv. *gads*, *gūods*, Alb. *ngeh*, *ngae*, O.C.S. *godŭ*, Russ *зодѣ*, Polish *gody*, Toch. *kātk/kāt̃k*.

81. **Áutom**, *auto*, is a diminutive of **automóghwibhili**, *automobile*, from Gk αὐτο- *self, one's own*, (in turn from αὐτός, *self, same*, from IE **au**) and PIE **meghw**, *move*, in **moghwē**, cf. Lat. *mouēre* (cf. also Lat. *uoueō* <***woghw-ējō**), Hitt. *mugawar*; it is usually reconstructed as from PIE **mew**, *move*, as PIE zero-grade noun **motós**, *moved, movement*, (cf. Lat. *motus*, Gk. *ameusasthai*, *amuno*, Skt. *-muta*, *mivati*, Lith. *mauti*, etc.). The words **krsos** (or **kárros**) and **krsom** (or **kárrom**), from Celtic and Latin (in turn from PIE **kers**, *run*) cognate with Modern English *car*, mean in Modern Indo-European *charriot, cart, wagon*, originally “*wheeled vehicle*”.

For PIE **kers**, compare zero-grade **krso**, *run*, as Lat. *currere*, giving modern derivatives as **krsos**, *course*, **krsénts**, *current*, **krsór**, *cursor*, **komkrso**, *concur*, **komkrsos**, *concurso*, **diskrso**, *think up*, **diskrsos**, *discourse*, **ekskrsiōn**, *excursion*, **enkrso**, *incur*, **enterkrso**, *mingle with*, **enterkrsos**, *a running between, interposition*, **obhkrso**, *occur*, **rekrso**, *recur*, etc.; **krsos**, or as loan word **kárros**, *two-wheeled wagon*, giving derivatives as **krsáriā**, *career*, **krsikā**, *carry, charge*, **diskrsikā**, *discharge*, **krsikatósā** (or **karikatúrā**, from Italian), etc., and **krspéntom**, *two-wheeled carriage*, from which **krspéntásios**, *carpenter*. See also a possible Germanic cognate **krsos**, *horse*.

82. PIE **per** is the root for particles and words meaning “*forward, through*”, and a wide range of extended senses such as “*in front of, before, early, first, chief, toward, against, near, at, around*”. Derivatives include **péri**, Gmc. *fer-*, *far-* (cf. Eng. *for-*, Du., Ger. *ver-*), which is used as intensive prefix denoting *destruction, reversal* or *completion*; its superlative is **per(e)ro**, *farther away, far*, as Gmc. *fer(e)ra* (cf. O.N. *ffarre*, O.E. *feorr*, Du. *ver*, Ger. *fern*); **per**, *per-*, *through, for*, as Lat. *per*; **péri**, *around, near, beyond, over*, as Gk. *περι*, Skr. *pari*, O.Iran. *pari*; **per-**, *around, again*, as Slavic *per-*. Also, zero-grade **pr**, *before, in*, Gmc. *fur*, as Eng. *for*; **prt**, *forward*, as Gmc. *furth*, Eng. *forth*; **pftero**, *farther away*, Gmc. *furthera*, Eng. *further*; **pr**, **por**, *forth, forward*, as Lat. *por-*; **prśōd**, *forward, parget*, as Lat. *porrō*; **prmós**, Gmc. *fruma/furma*, Eng. *former*; **prmístós**, *foremost*, Gmc. *frumista/furmista*; **prístós**, *first, foremost*, Gmc. *furista*; **prówariā**, “*forward part of a ship*”, *prow*, from Gk. *πρόρα*; **prowtós**, *first, foremost*, as Gk. *πρωτο*; **pfra**, *before, fore*, as Gmc. *fura*; **pára**, *beside, alongside of, beyond*, as Gk. *παρα*; **prō**, *forward, away from*, as Gmc. *fra*; **prómo**, *from*, as Gmc. *fram*; **prówā**, *lady*, Gmc. *frōwō*, from **prówom**, *lord*, Gmc. *frawan*; **prówós**, *true*, as Slavic *pravu*; **pro**, *before, for, instead*, as Lat. *pro*; **pronos**, *leaning, forward*, as Lat. *pronus*; **proqe**, *near*, as Lat. *prope*; **proqinqós**, *near*, as Lat. *propinquus*; **proq(i)smós**, *nearest*, as Lat. *proximus*, as in verb **adproqsmā**, *approximate*; **probhwós** (**bhw-o-**, *grow*, from PIE root **bhew**), *growing well or straightforward, upright, good, virtuous*, as Lat. *probus*; **pro**, *before, forth, in front, forward*, as Gk. *προ*, Skr. *pra-*; **proteros**, *before, former*, as Gk. *προτερος*; (**p)ro**, intensive prefix as Celtic *ro*; extended forms **prāi**, **prei**, *before*, as Lat. *prae*; **préijos**, *former, higher, superior*, as Lat. *prior*; **preiwós**, *single, alone* (“*standing in front*”, “*isolated from others*”), as Lat. *prius*, as in **preiwτός**, *private*; maybe ***propreiwós**, but more likely **prop(a)triós**, *one's own, particular*, as Lat. *proprius*; **preismós**, *first, foremost*, as Lat. *prīmus*; **préismkaps** (from **preismós+kaps**), *leader, chief, emperor*, as Lat. *prīnceps*

(analogous to Ger. *fürsten*, from the same source as Eng. *first*); **preistanós**, *former, earlier*, as Lat. *přīstinus*; **préscus**, *old, old man*, (**cu-**, “going”, from verb **cā**, *go*), as in Gk. *πρέσβυς*; **próti/pros**, *against, toward, near, at*, as Gk. *προς*. Other derivatives include Skr. *prā*, Lith. *per, pro*, Hitt. *per*. From **přmo-**, *first*, cf. O.S. *formo*, O.E. *forma* (superl. *fyrmost*), Lith. *přimas*, O.Pruss. *přimas*, probably Lat. *prandium* “breakfast” from **přm-ediom**; and Greek Gk. *πρωτος*, from ***př-to-**, reshaped from original PIE **přmo-**, hence modern Greek loan “proto-“ properly translated as Europe’s IE **přmo-**, as in **Přmo-Sindhueurōpaiom**.

For IE **cā**, *go, come*, and **cem**, *come*, compare Gmc. *kuman* (cf. Goth. *quiman*, O.E. *cuman*, Ger. *kommen*, Eng. *come*), as in **bhicem**, *become*, as Gmc. *bikuman* (from **ámghi**); **cémōn**, “*he who comes*”, *guest*, in **welcémōn**, *welcome*, “*a desirable guest*” (from PIE **wel**, *wish, will*), as Gmc. *wilkumōn*; suffixed **cemio**, *come*, as Lat. *uenire*, in **adcemio**, *advene*, **adcémtos**, *advent*, **adcemtósā**, *adventure*, **adcemtā**, *avenue*, **kikromcemio**, *circumvent*, **komtrācemio**, *contravene*, **komcemio**, *convene*, **komcémτος**, *convent*, **komcémtiōn**, *convention*, **ekcémτος**, *event*, **ekcemuālis**, *eventual*, **entercemio**, *intervene*, **encemio**, *invent*, **encemtósium**, *inventory*, **prāicemio**, *prevent*, **procemio**, *come from*, **recemio**, *return*, **supcemio**, *souvenir*, **supcémtiōn**, *subventio*, **supercemio**, *supervene*; suffixed **cmio**, as Gk. *bainein*, *go, walk, step*, with **cātis**, *basis, a stepping, tread, base*, and **-catos**, *going*, and **-catā**, agential suffix, “*one that goes or treads, one that is based*”, as in **akrocātā**, *acrobat*, as Gk. *ἀκροβάτης*, **anacātis**, **diacātis**, **acātiā**, **diacmio**, *go through*, in **diacātā**, *diabetes*; also **cāmā**, *step, seat, raised platform*, as Gk. *bēma*.

From PIE **wel**, *wish, will*, are derivatives **wel(l)io**, *desire*, as Gmc. *wil(l)jan* (cf. Goth. *wiljan*, O.S. *willian*, O.N. *vilja*, O.E. *wyllan*, O.Fris. *willa*, O.H.G. *wellan*, Du. *willen*, Ger. *wollen*), also **wéliā**, *desire, will, power*, as Gmc. *wiljōn*, and **wélā**, *well-being, riches, wealth*, as Gmc. *welōn*; o-grade **wolio**, *choose*, as Gmc. *waljan* (cf. Goth. *waljan*, Ger. *wählen*), also **wolós**, *good, well*, as Frank. *walaz*, into **wolā**, *take it easy, rejoice*, as Frank.Lat. *ualāre* (then O.Fr. *galer*), as in **wolántis**, *gallant*, also from Frankish **wolopā**, *gallop, wallop*, from O.Fr. *galoper* (O.N.Fr. *waloper*); from basic form **wel(l)io**, *wish, desire*, as Lat. *uelle* (present stem o-grade Lat. *uol-*), as in **weleitā**, *velleity*, **wolítiōn**, *volition*, **wolontāsiós**, *voluntary*, **dwenēwolénts**, *benevolent*, **maliwoléntiā**, *malevolence*; probably extended adjective **welpís**, *pleasing*, in adverb **wólup**, *with pleasure*, into **wolúptā**, *pleasure*, as Lat. *uoluptās*, into **woluptuónts(ós)**, *voluptuous*. Compare also Gk. *elpis*, Skt. *vřnoti*, *varyah*, *varanam*, Av. *verenav-*, Lith. *velyti*, O.C.S. *voljo*, *voliti* “*will*”, and *veljo*, *veleti*, “*command*”, Welsh *gwell*.

83. Indo-European **épi, ópi**, *near, at, against*, is the base for **op** (and reduced prefixal **op-**), “*before, to, against*”, as Lat. *ob, ob-*, also “*on*”, as O.C.S. *ob*; **epi**, “*on, over, at*”, as Gk. *ἐπι*, or **opisten**, “*behind, at the back*”, as Gk. *opisthen*; zero-grade **pi**, *on*, in Gk. *piezein* (see sed); and **ops**, *extra on the side, with*, as **ópsom**, *condiment, cooked food*, as in **opsóniom**, *supply*, as Gk. *ὀψώνιον*.

84. Proto-Indo-European root **ánt**, *front, forehead*, had a common derivative **ánti**, *against*, and also *in front of, before, end*; **ántia**, *end, boundary*, as Gmc. *andja* (cf. Goth. *and*, O.N. *endir*, O.E. *ende*, O.Fris. *enda*, O.H.G. *endi*); Lat. *ante*, as in **antiénts**, *ancient, antiriós, anterior*, etc.; **enantios**, *opposite*, as Gk. *εναντιος*; **antiqós**, “*appearing before, having prior aspect*” (in compound with PIE **oq-**, see), *former, antique*, as Lat. *antiquus*; **ńti**, *away from, until, unto*, as Gmc. *und*; **ántos**, *end*, as Skr. *antah*. Other IE derivatives attested are Osc. *ant*, Toch. *ānt/ānte*, Lith. *ant*, O.Ir. *étan*, Hitt. *hanta*, Luw. *hantili*, Lyc. *xñtawata*.

The former particle builds a common compound, probably a plural (see plural declension), **ánt-bhi**, “from both sides”, giving PIE **ám̥bhi** (earlier **h₂n̥-bʰi*), *around*, as Gk. ἀμφί, *both, both sides*, which gives **ambhíciōs**, *amphibious*, as Gk. ἀμφίβιος, or **ambhithéatrom**, *amphitheatre*, from Lat. *amphitheatrum*, itself from Gk. ἀμφιθέατρον; MIE **ambhi**, **ambh**, “around, about”, as in Latin, gives **ambholā**, *go about, walk, ambulate*, **ambholántiā**, *ambulance*, **prāiambholós**, *walking in front*, **prāiámbholom**, *preamble*; also, Gmc. *umbi* (cf. O.N. *um*, *umb*, O.E. *bi*, *be*, *ymbe*, Du. *bij*, O.H.G. *umbi*, *bi*, Ger. *um*, *bei*, Eng. *by*, *but*); from Celtic, **ambhágτος**, *ambassador, servant, vassal*, and **ambhágtiā**, *embassy*, from Lat. *ambactos*, from Celt. *amb(i)actos*. Also, in other IE languages, Skr. *abhitah*, Av. *aiwito*, *aibi*, O.Pers. *abiy*, Toch. *āmpi*, Lith. *abu*, O.C.S. *oba*, Gaul. *ambi-*, O.Ir. *imb-*, Ir. *um*, Welsh *am*.

85. PIE **ad**, *to, near, at, toward, by*, gives Gmc. *at* (cf. O.N., Goth. *at*, O.E. *æt*, O.Fris. *et*, O.H.G. *az*), Lat. *ad*, Osc. *adpúd*, Umb. *ař*, Skr. *adhi*, Phryg. *addaket*, Gaul. *ad*, O.Ir. *ad*, Welsh *add*, and Ancient Macedonian *addai*.

86. Compare for PIE root **al**, *beyond*, as in **olse-**, **olsos**, as O.Lat. *ollus*, *ols*, which gives **olteriós**, *ulterior*, **oltmós**, *last*, **oltmā**, *ultimate*, etc. Also, suffixed forms with adj. comp. **-tero-**, **alterós**, and alternative **anterós**, “the other of two”, *second, other*, cf. Lat. *alter*, *adulterāre*, Gmc. *antharaz* (Goth. *anþar*, O.S. *athar*, O.N. *annarr*, O.E. *oper*, Ger. *ander*), Skr. *antarah*, Lith. *antras*, see **dwo**. Other derivatives are **aliós**, **alnós**, *else, otherwise*, “other of more than two”, as well as **alienós**, **alenós**, *foreign, alien*; compare Gmc. *aljaz* (Goth. *aljis*, O.N. *allr*, *elligar*, O.E. *elles*, *el-lende*, O.H.G. *all*, *eli-lenti*), Lat. *alius*, *aliēnus*, Osc. *allo*, Gk. ἄλλος, Skr. *anja*, *áraṇa-*, Av. *anja-*, *airjō*, O.Pers. *ārija*, Toch. *alje*, *ālak/allek*, Phryg. *alu-*, Arm. *ail*, Gaul. *alla*, O.Ir. *oll*, *aile*, Welsh *allan*, *ail*; Lyd. *alaś*, probably Hitt. *uli-*, *aluś*.

Sometimes said to be derived from PIE **al-**, common noun and adjective **ari(j)ós** comes in fact from a PIE root **(a)re-**, **(a)rī-** (or **rē-**, **rēi-**), “move, pass”, cf. Run. *arjostēR*, O.Ind. *ariar(i)yá-*, *ār(i)ya-*, *āryaka*; Av. *airyō*, O.Pers. *ariya-*, Gaul. *ario-*, O.Ir. *aire*; compare also IE superlative **aristós**, Gk. ἀριστος, “best in birth and rank, noblest”; hence N. pl. names **Arijánom**, *Iran*, and **Arijanós**, *Iranian*, also ‘*aryan*’, “the most distinguished, the noblest”, coming from Skr. *ārjah*, “noble, honorable, respectable”, the name Sanskrit-speaking invaders of India gave themselves in the ancient texts, originally “belonging to the lords”. Ancient Persians gave themselves the same name (cf. O.Pers. *arija-*, Pahlavi *ry n*, *Parthian aryān*); in Ardashir’s time *ērān* (from Avestan gen. pl. *Ariyānām*) retained this meaning, denoting *the people* rather than *the state*.

87. PIE **de** is the base of different prepositions and adverbs; as, o-grade lengthened **dō**, *to, toward, upward*, Gmc. *tō* (cf. O.S., O.Fris. *to*, O.E. *tō*, Du. *too*, O.H.G. *zuo*, *ze* Ger. *zu*); compound **qámdo** (from **qo**), as Italic *quando*; **de**, *from, out of*, as **deterós**, and **deteriós**, *worse*, which gives **deteriosā**, *deteriorate*. Also, compare Lat. *donec*, Gk. suffix *-de*, Lith. *da-*, O.C.S. *do*, Celtic *dī*, O.Ir. *do*.

88. Preposition **kom**, *beside, near, by, with*, is attested as Latin *cum* (O.Lat. *com*), *co-*, Slavic (cf. O.C.S. *kŭ*, Russ. *κ*, *κο*, *κο-*, O.Pol. *k*, *ku*), also Gk. *kata*, Hitt. *katta* (< zero-grade **km-ta**), in Germanic as participial, collective and intensive prefix *ga-* (cf. Goth., O.H.G. *ga-*, O.N. *g-*, O.E. *ge-*), “together, with”, also marker of the past participle, and in Celtic *kom-*, O.Ir. *cét-*, Welsh *cant/gan*. Other derivatives include Latin **kómtrā**, *against, opposite*, as **komtrāsíós**, *contrary*; also, compare usually reconstructed IE ***ksun**, as Gk. ξυν, which is deemed a greek-psi substrate (Villar) from **kom**, also in metathesized **komiós**, *common, shared*, as Gk. κοινός, hence **Komiá**, *Koine*, from Gk. κοινή. Also, the **-m** is usually lost in final syllables before vowel (as in metric), cf. Lat.

animum aduertere>*animaduertere*. In Modern Indo-European, the **-m** is always written, although it may be pronounced without it.

89. For PIE **eghs**, *out*, and variant form **eks**, compare Lat. *ex*, Oscan *eh-*, Umbrian *ehe-*, Gk. *eks*, Old Prussian *is*, Lith. *iš*, *iž*, Ltv. *is*, *iz*, O.C.S. *iz*, *izъ*, *is*, Russ. *iz*, Gaul. *ex-*, O.Ir. *ass*, Welsh *a*, Alb. *jashtë*. For verbal compounds found in different languages, compare **ek(s)bhero**, *carry out* (from **bher**, *carry*), cf. Gk. ἐκ-φέρω, Lat. *ef-ferō*, O.Ir. *as-biur*, or **eksei**, *go out* (from **eí**, *go*), cf. Gk. ἔξ-εἶμι, Lat. *ex-eō*, Lith. *iš-eĩti*, O.C.S. *iz-iti*. Derivatives include **eks**, **eks-**, *out of, away from*, as Lat. *ex*, *ex-*; **eks**, **ek**, *out of, from*, as Gk. *ex*, *ek*, as in **ekso-**, *exo-*, **eksotikós**, *exotic*, **eksoterikós**, *exoteric*, **komekdoká**, *synecdocha* (see **dek**), from Gk. συνεκδοχή; suffixed comparative variant **ekstrós**, *outward* (feminine **ekstrā**, *on the outside*), as in **ekstrāniós**, *extrange*, **ekstrnós**, **ekstriós**, *exterior*, **ekstrnālis**, *external*, etc; **ekstmós**, *outermost, extreme* (**-mo-** functioning as superlative, see comparison of adjectives), cf. **entmós**, but also **ekstrēmós**, as Lat. *extrēmus*; **eghskmtós**, *outermost, last*, Gk. ἔσχατος, as in **eghskmtologiā**, *eschatology*; Celtic *eks*, *out (of)*, or Balto-Slavic *iz*, *from, out of*.

For PIE **dek**, *take, accept*, compare **dekē**, *be fitting* (from “*be acceptable*”), Lat. *decēre*, as in **dekénts**, *decent*; suffixed causative o-grade **dokē**, *teach* (from “*cause to accept*”), as Lat. *docere*, as in derivatives **dokénts**, **dokilís**, *docile*, **doktór**, **doktrínā**, **dokoméntos**, etc.; **doko**, *appear, seem, think* (from “*cause to accept or be accepted*”), as in **dókmn**, *dogma*, **dokmntikós**, *dogmatic*, **doktologiā**, *doxology* (from **leg**), **parádoktos**, *conflicting with expectation*, as Gk. παράδοξος (from **para-**, *beside*, see **per**) as in **parádoktom**, *paradox*, as Lat. *paradoxum*, or **wrdhodoktíā** (see **wrdho-**, *straight*), *orthodoxy*, **wrdhódoktos**, *orthodox*, as Gk. ὀρθόδοξος; suffixed form **dékōs**, *grace, ornament*, as Lat. *decus*, *decoris*, and loans **dekosā**, *decorate*, **dekós**, *seemliness, elegance, beauty*, **dekosós**, *decorous*; **deknós**, *worthy, deserving, fitting, deign*, **déknitā**, *dignity*, **komdeknós**, *condign*, **deknidhakā**, *dignify*, **disdeknā**, *disdain*, **endeknā**, *indign*, **endeknānts**, *indignant*; reduplicated **didksko**, *learn*, Lat. *discere*, as in loans **di(dk)skípolos**, *disciple*, **di(dk)skiplínā**, *discipline*; Greek words include **pandéktās**, as Gk. πανδέκται, **ekdeko**, *understand*, **komekdeko**, *take on a share of*, as Gk. συνεκδέχεσθαι, and **komekdoká**, *synecdoche*, as Gk. συνεκδοχή; also, o-grade suffix **dókos**, *beam, support*, as Gk. δοκός, in **dwiplodókos**, *diplodocus* (see **dwo**).

90. For PIE **upo**, *under, up from under, over*, compare Gmc. *upp* (cf. Goth. *iup*, O.E. *up*, *uppe*, O.H.G. *uf*, M.L.G. *up*, Ger. *auf*); **uponos**, “*put or set up*”, *open*, as Gmc. *upanaz* (cf. O.N. *opinn*, O.E. *open*, O.H.G. *offan*, Swed. *öppen*, Dan. *aaben*, O.Fris. *epen*); suffixed **upt(o)**, *frequently*, as Gmc. *uft(a)* (cf. Goth. *ufta*, O.N. *opt*, O.Fris. *ofta*, Dan. *ofte*, Ger. *oft*); variant **sup**, as Lat. *sub*, in **súpter**, *secretly*, as Lat. *subter*, and **súpo**, as Gk. ὑπο-; variant **upso** (cf. also Hitt. *upzi*), as Greek **úpsos**, *height, top*; from compound **upo-sto-** (for **st-** see **stā**), “*one who stands under*”, *servant, young man*, as Cel. *wasso-*, into V.Lat. *uassus*, hence MIE **upóstos**, *vassal*; **úpolos**, *opal*, Skr. *upalah*, variant of **uperós**, *lower*, as Skr. *upara-* (from **upo**, Skr. *upa*, “*below*”), later borrowed as Gk. *opallios*, Lat. *opalus*. Compare Gmc. *upp*, Ita. *sub/sup*, Gk. *hupo*, Ind.-Ira. *upa*, Toch. */spe*, BSL. *po*, Cel. *wo* (cf. Gaul. *Vo-*, O.Ir. *fo*, Welsh *go*).

91. For PIE **-wē**, *or*, cf. Lat. *ue*, Gk. *φέ*, *ή*, O.Ind.,Ira. *vā*, Toch. *wa-t/pa-t*, Cel. *ue*, O.Ir. *[n]ó*, *[n]ú*, Welsh *[ne-]u*.

92. PIE **bhábhā**, *bean, broad bean*, as Lat. *faba*, O.Pruss. *babo*, Russ. *боб*, Pol. *bób*, Welsh *ffâen*, Alb. *bathë*; also variant forms **bháunā**, as Gmc. *baunō* (cf. O.N. *baun*, O.E. *bēan*, O.H.G. *bona*, Ger. *Bohne*), and **bhákos**, *lentil*, as Gk. *φακός*.

93. Indo-European **snéich**, *snow* (and noun **snéichs**, *snow*), as Skr. *snēha*, Av. *snaēža*, Toch. *śiñcatstse*, O.Pruss. *snaygis*, Lith. *sniegas*, Ltv. *sniegs*, O.C.S. *snegu*, Russ. *снег*, Polish *śnieg*, O.Ir. *snechta*, Welsh *nyf*. Other derivatives are o-grade **snóichos**, as Gmc. *snaiwaz* (cf. Goth. *snaiws*, O.N. *snjór*, O.E. *snāw*, O.S., O.H.G. *sneo*, O.Fris., M.L.G. *sne*, M.Du. *snee*, Du. *sneeuw*), and zero-grade **snichs**, as Lat. *nix*, *niuis*, and **sníchā**, as Gk. *νίφα*.

94. Verb **wegh**, *go, transport in a vehicle, move*, is attested as “*have weight, lift, carry*” in Gmc. *wegan* (cf. Goth. *gawigan*, O.S. *wegan*, O.N. *vega*, O.E. *wegan*, O.Fris. *wega*, Du. *wegen*, O.H.G. [*bi*] *wegan*, Ger. *bewegen*, *wiegen*), Lat. *vehō*, Osc. *veia*, Umb. *aṛveitu*, Gk. *ekhos*, Skr. *vahati*, Av. *vazaiti*, Toch. *wkäm/ yakne*, O.Pruss. *vessis*, Lith. *vežu*, Ltv. *vest*, O.C.S. *vesti*, Russ. *vezti*, Polish *wieźć*, Gaul. *Uecturius*, O.Ir. *fecht, fén*, Welsh *gwain*, Alb. *vjedh, udhë*. Common derivatives include **wéghā**, *weight, unit of weight, wee*, from Gmc. *wēgō*; **wéghtis**, *weight*, as Gmc. (*ga*) *wikhtiz* (cf. O.N. *vætt*, O.E. *gewiht*, O.Fris. *wicht*, M.Du. *gewicht*); **wéghos**, *way, course of travel*, as Gmc. *wegaz* (cf. Goth. *wigs*, O.E., O.S., Du., O.H.G. *weg*, O.N. *vegr*, O.Fris. *wei*); o-grade **wóghnos**, *wagon*, as Gmc. *wagnaz* (cf. O.N. *vagn*, O.E. *wægn*, O.S., O.H.G. *wagan*, O.Fris. *wein*, Eng. *wain*); **wóghlos**, *populace, mob, multitude* (<“*moving mass*”), as Gk. *οἶλος*; from Lat. *uehere* is p.part. **weghtós**, *carried*, giving **weghtór**, *vector*, **wegheménts**, *vehement*, **wéghikolom**, *vehicle*, **komwéghtiōn**, *convection*, etc.; **wéghiā**, *way, road*, as Lat. *uia*, giving **weghiátikom**, *voyage, travel*, Lat. *uiaticum*, **weghiátikālís**, *viatical*, **komweghiā**, *convey*, and **komwóghis**, *convoy* (loan-translated from Fr. *convoier*, variant of *conveier*), **deweghiā**, *deviate*, **obhweghiā**, *obviate*, **obhweghiós**, *obvious*, **prāiweghiós**, *previous*, **weghiādéuktos**, *viaduct*, etc.; also, **weghsā**, *agitate* (from “*set in motion*”), as Lat. *uexāre*; also, **komweghsós**, *convex*, (“*carried or drawn together to a point*”), from Lat. *conuexus*.

95. Originally PIE root **ter**, *over*, gives verb **tero**, *cross over, pass through, overcome*, as Skr. *tirati, tarati*; also contracted as athematic **trā**, as probable O.Lat. *trāre*, which gave **tran(t)s**, *across, over, beyond, through*, as Lat. *trans*. Other derivatives include zero-grade **trilos**, *hole* (<“*a boring through*”), as Gmc. *thurilaz* (cf. O.E. *þyrel*, M.H.G. *dürchel*, Eng. *thrill*); **trqe**, *through*, as Gmc. *thurkh/thurukh* (cf. Goth. *þairh*, O.S. *thuru*, O.E. *þurh*, O.Fris. *thruçh*, M.Du. *dore*, Du. *door*, O.H.G. *durh*); also, in **néktār**, *nectar, drink of gods*, from **nek**, *death*, and **-tar**, *overcoming*, as Gk. *νέκταρ*, and derivative **nektarínā**; verb **trāio**, *protect*, as Iranian *thrāja-*; extended **truks**, *savage, fierce, grim* (from “*overcoming, powerful*”), as Lat. *trux*, as **trukulénts**, *truculent*; and therefore also nasalized extended **trunks**, *trunk, deprived of branches or limbs, mutilated* (from *overcome, maimed*), Lat. *truncus*. Compare all IE derivatives meanig *through, beyond*: Gmc. *thurkh*, Lat. *trans*, Umb. *traf*, Gk. *tar*, Skr. *tiras*, Av. *tarə*, O.Ir. *tre*, Welsh *tra*.

For **neks**, *death, dead person, murder, violent death*, compare ON *Naglfar*, Lat. *nex*, Toch. *näk*, Lith. *našlys*, Ir. *éc*, Welsh *angeu*. Derivatives include **nekrós**, *dead, corpse*, as Gk. *νεκρός*; verb **nekio**, *injure, harm*, as Skr. *naśyati*, Av. *nasyeiti*, and its o-grade **nokē**, as Lat. *nocēre*, giving common derivatives as **nokénts**, *nocent*, or **ṅnokénts**, *innocent*, or **nokuós**, *nocuous*; also o-grade **noksá**, *injury, hurt, damage*, as Lat. *noxa*, in **noksiós**, *harmful, noxious*, and **obhnoksiós**, *obnoxious*.

96. Indo-European verb **dō**, *give*, evolved (outside Germanic languages) as Lat. *dare*, Osc. *dede*, Umb. *dadad*, Gk. *δίδομι*, Skr. *dā, dádati*, Av. *dadāiti*, Pers. *dadātuv*, Pers. *dādan*, Phryg. *dadón*, Arm. *tal*, O.Pruss. *dātwei*, Lith. *dúoti*, Ltv. *dot, deva*, O.C.S. *damu*, Russ. *дать*, Pol. *dać*, Gaul. *doenti*, O.Ir. *dán*, Welsh *dawn*, Alb. *dhashë*, (Tosk *dhënë*, Geg *dhqñë*), Osset. *daettyñ*, Kashmiri *dýyūñ*; Hitt. *dā*, Luw. *da-*, Lyd. *da-*, Lyc. *da*. Derivatives

include zero-grade (as Lat. *dare*) **datós**, *given*, from which **dátā**, *date* (The Roman convention of closing every article of correspondence by writing “*given*” and the day and month, meaning “*given to messenger*”, led to **data**, “*given (pl.)*” becoming a term for “*the time and place stated*”), **datéiuos**, *dative* (“*the case of giving*”), **dátom**, *datum, trade*, **transdo**, (from **trans+da**), *deliver, hand over, trade*, part. **transdatós**, *delivered, handed over*, from which **transdátion**, *delivery, surrender, a handing over/down*, meaning both in Romance languages and English, as Lat. *traditio*, which gave O.Fr. *tra(h)ison* (Anglo-Fr. *treson*, Eng. *treason*, cf. It. *tradimento*, Spa. *traicio*), and O.Fr. *tradicion* (Eng. *tradition*, Fr. *tradition*, It. *tradizione*, Spa. *tradicio*); **perdo**, *do away with, destroy, lose, throw away*, as in **perdátion**, *ruin, destruction, perdition*; **redo**, *give back, return, restore, giving part*; **redatós**, *rendered*, and derivative **redátā**, *rent, payment for use of property* (Romance *rendita* through V.Lat. *reddita*, influenced by Lat. *vendita*, “*sold*”, or maybe Lat. *prendita*, “*taken*”); **wesnomdo**, (from **wésnom**, v.i.), *sell, praise*, as Lat. *uendere* (contacted from Lat. *uendumare*, from older *uēnumdare*); also **dónom**, *gift*, as in **dónór**, *donor*, **dōnā**, *give, present, donate*, **komdōnā**, *condone*, **dónátion**, *donation*, **dōnatéiuos**, *donative*, **perdōnā**, *grant, forgive, pardon*; **dótis**, *dowry, marriage, portion*, as Lat. *dos*, also Slavic **dōtiā**, *gift, dacha*, as Russ. *dacha*; **dórom**, *gift*, as Gk. *δωρον*; part. **dótis**, *something given*, as Greek *δόσις*, giving **antídodom**, *antidote*, lit. “*given against*”, **anékdotā**, *anecdote*, **apódotis**, *apodosis*, etc.

For PIE **wes**, *buy*, compare **wésnom**, *sale*, from Lat. *uēnum*, as in **wesnālis**, *venal*; suffixed **wosno**, *buy*, as in **wosnā**, *buying*, **opswosn**, *cooked food*, **opswosno**, *buy food*, hence **opswósniom**, *purchasing of provisions*, as Gk. *ὀψώνιον*, from which **monopswósniom**, *monopsony*; **wésā**, *sale*, which gives Eng. *bazaar* (see **qel**); suffixed **weslís**, *cheap, base*, hence *worthless, vile*, as Lat. *uīlis*, with derivatives like **weslihdakā**, *hold cheap, vilify*, **weslipendo**, *vilipend* (from **(s)pen**).

From PIE root **wes**, *live, dwell, pass the night*, compare Germanic derivatives meaning *to be*, as o-grade *was* (as O.E. *wæs*), lengthened *wēz* (cf. O.E. *wære*), or *wesan* (cf. O.N. *vesa, vera*, “*be*”), or Lat. *Vesta*, *household goddess*, **wástus**, *town*, “*place where one dwells*”, from Gk. *astu*, into Lat. *skill, craft (practiced in a town)*, as in **wastutós**, *astute*; also, **wésenom**, *house*, as Pers. *vahanam*, as in **diwésenom/diwán**, *divan*, from O.Ira. *dipivahanam*, “*document house*”, from *dipī-*, *writing, document*, from Akkadian *tuppu*.

Indo-European **(s)pen**, *draw, stretch, spin*, gives **spenuo**, *spin*, as Gmc. *spinnan* (cf. Goth. *spinnan*, O.N., O.Fris. *spinna*, O.H.G. *spinnan*, Dan. *spinde*, Du. *spinnen*, Ger. *spinnen*), from which **spéntrā**, “*spinner*”, *spider*, as Gmc. *spinthrō* (cf. O.E. *spīþra*, Dan. *spinder*, and other cognates M.L.G., M.Du., M.H.G., Ger. *spinne*, Du. *spin*); extended **pendē** (intransitive), *hang*, and **pendo**, *cause to hang, weigh*, p.part. **penstós** (<***pendto-**), with frequentative **penstā**, *weigh, consider*, as Lat. *pensāre*, as in **pendénts**, *pendant*, **pendolom**, *pendulum*, **penstion**, **penstom**, *weigh, peso*, **adpende**, *append*, **adpéndiks**, *appendix*, **kompendiā**, *compend*, **kompéndiom**, *compendium*, **kompenstā**, *compensate*, **dependē**, *depend*, **dependo**, *pay, expend*, **ekspendo**, *expend*, **enpendo**, *inpend*, **propendē**, *propend*, **rekompénstā**, *recompense*, **supspendo**, *suspend*, etc.; suffixed **péniā**, *lack, poverty* (< “*a strain, exhaustion*”), as Gk. *πενια*, usually found as suffix -**peniā**; **peno**, *to toil*, and o-grade **pónos**, *toil*, verb **pono**, *toil*, as in **geoponikós**, *geoponic*, **lithoponos** (from Gk. loan word **lithos**, *stone*), *lithopone*; o-grade **(s)pon-**, as in **spono**, *span, stretch, bind*, as Gmc. *spannan* (cf. O.E. *spannen*, O.H.G. *spannan*, M.Du. *spannen*), **sponā**, *span*, Gmc. *spanō* (cf. O.E. *spann*; Gmc. word was borrowed into M.L. *spannus*, hence It. *spanna*, O.Fr. *espanne*, Fr. *empan* “*distance*”); also, **spongá**, *clasp*,

spangle, from Gmc. *spangō* (cf. M.Du. *spange*); **póndos**, *weight*, giving Latin expression **lībra pōndō**, “*balance by weight*” (borrowed into Gmc. *punda*, “*pound*”, cf. Goth. *pund*, O.Fris., O.N. *pund*, O.H.G. *pfunt*, Ger. *Pfund*, M.Du. *pont*); **póndōs**, *weight*, giving derivatives (affected by rhotacism, cf. Lat. *pondus*, *ponder-*), **pondesā**, *weigh*, *ponder*, as in **prāipondesā**, *preponderate*; also, compare **sponde**, “*of one’s own accord*”, as Lat. *sponte* (maybe from Gmc. *spanan*, “*entice*”), as in **spondaniós**, *spontaneous*.

97. Indo-European **bhāres-/bhars-**, *spelt*, *barley*, *grain*, is the root for Gmc. *bariz/barz* (cf. Goth. *barizāns*, O.N. *barr*, and also O.E. *bær-lic*, i.e. “*barley-like*”), Lat. *far* (stem *farr-*), Osc., Umb. *far*, Phryg. *brisa*, OCS *brašino*, Welsh *bara*. Latin derivatives include **bhar(s)ínā**, *farina*, **bhar(s)inākiós**, *farinaceous*, **bharságō**, *farrago*, *medley*, *mix of grains for animal feed*.

98. PIE verb **bhél** means *thrive*, *bloom*, *sprout*, as in **bhóliom**, *leaf*, as Lat. *folium*, Gk. *φύλλον*, as in **eksbholiā**, *exfoliate*, **debholiā**, *defoliate*, **perbholiā**, *perfoliate*, **prtbhóliom**, *portfolio*, etc; suffixed o-grade **bhlōuo**, *to flower*, *blow*, as Gmc. *blōwan* (cf. O.E. *blawan*, O.H.G. *blaen*), **bhlómōn**, *flower*, *blossom*, as Gmc. *blōmōn* (cf. Goth. *blōma*, O.S. *blomo*, O.N. *blómi*, Du. *bloem*, O.H.G. *bluomo*, Eng. *bloom*); **bhlōs**, *flower*, *blossom*, as Gmc. **bhlōs-** (cf. O.E. *blōstm*, *blōstma*, Eng. *blossom*), Lat. *flōs* (stem *flōr-* due to rhotacism), as in **bhlōsā**, *flora*, **bhlōsālis**, *floral*, etc.; **bhlótom**, *blood*, as Gmc. *blōthan* (cf. Goth. *bloþ*, O.N. *blóð*, O.E., O.Fris. *blōd*, M.Du. *bloet*, O.H.G. *bluot*), **bhlōdio**, *bleed*, as Gmc. *blōthjan* (cf. O.N. *blæða*, O.E. *blēdan*, Ger. *bluten*), **bhlōtisā**, *bless*, lit. “*treat or hallow with blood*”, (originally a blood sprinkling on pagan altars, this word was chosen in O.E. Bibles to translate Lat. *benedicere* and Gk. *eulogein*, and is not found with this sense in other Germanic dialects); **bhlótos**, *blade*, *leaf*, from Gmc. *blathaz* (cf. O.N. *blad*, O.Fris. *bled*, Ger. *blatt*). Other derivatives include Oscan *Fluusaí*, Toch. *pält/pilta*, O.Ir. *bláth*, Welsh *blawd*.

A proper PIE word for *blood* is **kréwis** (earlier root **kreuh₂*), as in O.E. *hrot*, Lat. *cruor*, Gk. *κρέας*, O.Ind. *krauíṣ*, Av. *xrū-*, *xrūm*, O.Pruss. *krawian*, Lith. *kraujas*, Ltv. *krevele*, OCS *крѣвь*, O.Pol. *kry*, Russ. *кровь*, O.Ir. *cró*, Welsh *crau*. A common adjective is o-grade **krowós**, *raw*, *uncooked*, “*bloody*”, as Gmc. *khrawaz* (cf. O.N. *hrár*, O.E. *hrēaw*, M.Du. *rau*, O.H.G. *hrāo*, Eng. *raw*, Ger. *roh*), Lat. *crudus*, O.Ind. *kruras*, Av. *xrūra-*.

99. IE verb **der**, *split*, *peel*, *flay*, as Gmc. *teran* (cf. Goth. *gatairan*, O.E. *teran*, O.S. *terian*, M.Du. *teren*, O.H.G. *zeran*), Gk. *δερειν*, Skr. *darati*, Arm. *terem*, O.C.S. *dera*, and **dérom**, *piece*, as Bret. *darn*; **drtom**, “*something separated or discarded*”, *turd*, Gmc. *turdam* (cf. O.E. *tord*, O.N. *tord-*, M.Du. *torde*, Du. *tort-*); **der(r)is**, *leather covering*, *derris*, from Gk. *δερρις*; **dérmn**, *skin*, *derma-*, as Gk. *δέρμα*, in compounds **dérmnto-**, *dermato-*.

English “*tear*” (*drop from eye*), comes from PIE **dákrus**, attested as Gmc. *takhruz* (cf. Goth. *tagr*, O.N. *tár*, O.Fris. *tar*, O.E. *tēahor*, O.H.G. *zahar*), Lat. *lacrima* (from suffixed **dákrū-mā**, O.Lat. *dacrūma*, compare with evolution of O.Lat. *dīngua* -> Lat. *līngua*), Gk. *δάκρυ*, Skr. *ásru*, Av. *asrūazan*, Toch. *ākär/akrūna*, Arm. *arc’unk’*, Lith. *ašara*, Ltv. *asara*, O.Ir. *dér*, Welsh *deigr̃yn*.

100. PIE root **gno**, *know*, gives derivatives **gnēuo**, as Gmc. *knē(w)an*, (cf. O.E. *cnāwan*, O.H.G. *bichnaan*, *irchnaan*), **gno**, *know*, *know how to*, *be (mentally) able to*, Gmc. *kunnan* (cf. Goth. *kannjan*, O.N. *kenna*, O.E. *cunnan*, O.Fris. *kanna*, O.H.G. *irchennan*), o-grade causative **gónio**, *make known*, *declare*, as Gmc. *kannjan* (cf. O.N. *kenna*, O.E. *cennan*, Eng. *ken*), **gntós**, *known*, *well-known*, *usual*, *excellent*, *familiar*, as Gmc. *kunthaz* (cf. O.E. *cūth*, Eng. *couth*), **gntitā**, *knowledge*, *acquaintance*, *friendship*, *kinfolk*, as Gmc. *kunthithō* (cf. O.E. *cyththu*); **gnōsko**, **komgnōsko**, *get to know*, *get acquainted with*, as in **gnōtitiā**, *notice*, **gnōtiōn**, *notion*,

gnōtosiós, *notorious*, **komgnítiōn**, *cognition*, **rekomgnōsko**, *recognize*, etc.; suffixed **-ro-**, as **ḡgnōrā**, *not to know, disregard, ignore*, or **gnāros**, *knowing, expert*, and verb **gnar(r)ā**, *tell, relate, narrate*; **gnōdhlis**, *knowable, known, famous, noble*, as Lat. *nōbilis*; part. **gnōtós**, *known*, noun **gnōtis**, *knowledge, inquiry*, **gnómōn**, *judge, interpreter*, **prognōtis**, **diagnōtis**, **agnōtiā**, etc., as Gk. γνῶσις, γνώμων; **gn̄tis**, *knowledge*, as Av. *zainti-*; also probably **gnótā**, *note, mark, sign, cypher*, as Lat. *nota*, as in **adgnōtā**, *annotate*, **komgnōtā**, *connote*, etc., and also **gnórmā**, *carpenter's square, rule, pattern, precept, norm*, as in **gnormālís**, *normal*, **apgnormālís**, *abnormal*, **eghnormís** (from **eghs+gnorm-**), *irregular, extraordinary, very large*, possibly a borrowing from Etruscan through Greek **gnórmōn**, γνώμων, *carpenter's square, rule*. For IE derivatives, compare Lat. *nōscō/cognōscō*, Umb. *naratu*, Gk. γινῶσκειν, Skr. *jānāti*, Av. *paitizānanti*, O.Pers. *xšnāsātiy*, Toch. *knān/nān*, Arm. *canot'*, O.Pruss. *posinnāts*, Lith. *žinoti, žinaũ*, Ltv. *zināt, zinu*, O.C.S., O.Russ. *знати, знаѡ*, Russ. *знать*, Polish *znać*, Ir. *gnath*, Welsh *gnawd*, Alb. *njeh*, Kashmiri *zānun* Osset. *zon*; Hitt. *kānes*.

101. PIE root **ni**, *down, below*, gives derivatives Skr. *ni*, Gk. *neiothen*, O.C.S. *nizu*, Russ. *низ*. A common derivative is **nitero-**, *down, downwards, below, beneath*, as **niteros** in Gmc. *nitheraz* (cf. O.S. *nithar*, O.N. *niðr*, O.E. *niþera, neoþera*, O.Fris. *nither*, Du. *neder*, Ger. *nieder*), or **niterom** in Skr. *nitaram*.

For PIE **ndher**, *under*, also possibly derived from **ni**, compare Gmc. *under* (cf. Goth. *undar*, O.N. *undir*, O.Fris. *under*, Du. *onder*, O.H.G. *untar*), Pers. *zēr*, Arm. *ēndhup*; also, compare **ndhos**, *below*, as Skr. *adhah*; **ndhrós**, *lower*, as Av. *aðara-*, Lat. *īferus*, and **ndhriós**, *inferior*; **ndhrnos**, *lower, inferno*, and **ndhrnālís**, *infernal*; **ndhrā**, *infra, below*.

English *hell*, a translation of Lat. *infernus*, comes from an o-grade noun derived from PIE **kel**, *cover, conceal, save*, (cf. Skr. *cala*, O.Ir. *cuile*), viz. **koliá**, *the underworld* (from “concealed place”), Gmc. *khaljō* (cf. O.N. *hel*, O.E., O.Fris. *helle*, Ger. *Hölle*, Goth. *halja*; Eng. *hell* may be from O.N. *Hel, the underworld, goddess of death*, another transfer of a pagan concept and its word to a Christian idiom); **kol(I)á**, *covered place, hall*, as (dialectally geminated) Gmc. *khallō* (cf. Goth. *halja*, O.N. *höll*, O.E. *heall*, O.H.G. *halla*, Du. *hal*); suffixed **koleiós**, *sheath*, as Gk. *κολεός*; zero-grade **kíos**, *hole, hollow*, as Gmc. *khulaz* (cf. Goth. *us-hulon*, O.N. *holr*, O.Fris., O.H.G. *hol*, O.E. *hol, hulu*, M.Du. *hool*, Ger. *hohl*, Eng. *hole, hull*); extended **klām**, *in secret*, as Lat. *clam*, in **klamdestēinós**, *clandestine* (possibly a merge of **klam-de-** and **entestēinós**, *internal*, from **entos**, *within*, which gives pl. **entestēina**, *intestine*), **kalupio**, *cover, conceal*, as Gk. *kaluptein*, part. **kaluptós**, *covered*, as in **(a)sukalúptos**, from Lat. *eucalyptus*, and MIE **apokalúptis**, *revelation*, from Gk. *ἀποκάλυψις*, also *apocalypse*, from Church Lat. *apocalypsis*; **kélmōs**, *helmet, helm*, “protective covering”, as Gmc. *khelmas* (cf. Frank. *helm*, O.E. *helm*, O.H.G. *helm*, M.Fr. *helmet*, dim. of *helme*); **obhkolo**, *cover over*, and part. **obhkoltós**, *covered, occult*, from which **obhkoltā**, *to occult*; suffixed **kólōs**, from Lat. *color*; **kélnā**, *storeroom, chamber, cellar*, as Lat. *cella*; **kéliom**, *lower eyelid, cilium*; lengthened-grade **kēlā**, *hide*, like in **komkēlā**, *conceal*.

102. A Proto-Indo-European stem **(s)klau**, *hook, crooked or forked branch* (used as a bar or bolt in primitive structures) is reconstructed for **kláustrom**, *bar, bolt, barrier*, as Lat. *claustrum*, and **kláustrā**, *dam, wall, barricade, stronghold*, for Lat. *claustra*; **kláwos**, *nail*, for Lat. *clauus*; **kláwis**, *key*, for Lat. *clauis*; **skláuso**, *close*, Gmc. *skhleusan* (cf. O.E. *beclysan*, O.H.G. *sliozan*, Ger. *schlieel*); also, compare Gk. *kleidos, klobos*, Lith. *kliuti, kliaudziu, kliuvu*, O.C.S. *kljucu, kljuciti*, O.Ir. *clo*, M.Ir. *clithar*.

PIE verb **bhec**, *run, flee*, is attested in Balto-Slavic as Lith. *begu*, O.C.S. *begu, bezati*; also **bhécios**, *stream*, (possibly from an unattested verb **bhécio**) in Gmc. *bakjaz* (cf. O.N. *bekkr*, Eng. *beck*); and in Greek with the meaning of *flee in terror*, also o-grade verb **bhoco**, *put to flight, frighten*, and noun **bhócos**, *panic, flight, fear*, as Gk. φόβος (hence **-bhociā**, Gk. -φοβία).

103. For PIE **ka(u)put**, *head*, and also fig. *top, upper end, chief person, leader*, compare Gmc. *khaubuthan* (Goth. *haubiþ*, O.N. *haufuð*, O.E. *heafod*, O.H.G. *houbit*, O.Fris. *haved*, Ger. *Haupt*), Skr. *kapucchala*, Lat. *caput*.

104. PIE verb **dem**, *domesticate*, gives o-grade **domio**, *tame, domesticate*, as Gmc. *tamjan* (cf. Goth. *gatamjan*, O.E. *temja*, O.E. *tem*, O.H.G. *zemmen*); **domós**, *domesticated, tame*, Gmc. *tamaz* (cf. O.N. *tamr*, O.S., O.Fris., M.L.G., M.Du., O.E. *tam*, O.H.G. *zam*, Ger. *zahn*); **domā**, *tame, subdue*, as Lat. *domāre*; **dmno**, *tame*, as Gk. δαμναν, with derivative **ndmántis** [n̥-dm̥-’ants], *not malleable, adamant*, (lit. “not domesticable”) and also *diamond*, from Vulg.Lat. *diamas,-antis*, altered from Lat. *adāmas,-antis*, from Gk. ἄδάμας. Other derivatives include Skr. *dāmyati*, Av. *dam*, Pers. *dām*, O.Ir. *damnaim*, Welsh *addef*, Osset. *domun*; Hitt. *damaašzi*.

For **spek**, *observe, look at*, compare **spékōn**, *watcher, spy*, as Gmc. *spekhōn* (cf. Frank. *spehon*, O.H.G. *spehon*, M.Du. *spien*, Ger. *spähen, Spion*, Eng. *spy*); from Lat. *specere* are **spékimēn**, **spéktrom**, **spekolā**, *especulate*, **spékolom**, **adspéktos**, *aspect*, **ekspektā**, *expect*, **perspektéiuā**, *perspective*, **respektā**, *look, respect*, **supspektā**, *suspect*, etc.; **spékiēs**, *seeing, sight, form, species*, as in **spekiālís**, *special*; **speks**, *watcher, “he who sees”*, in Lat. compounds; **dēspekā**, *despise, look down on*; metathesized Grek forms as **spekio** (Gk. *skepio*), *examine, consider*, as in **spektikós**, *skeptic*, Gk. σκεπτικός; or o-grade **spókos** (Gk. *skopos*), *one who watches, or object of attention, aim, target*, (as Eng. *scope*) and verb **spokē**, *see*, as in modern **jorospókos**, *horoscope*, lit. “time-watcher”, from Gk. ὠροσκόπος, **qēlespókiom**, from Mod.Lat. *telescopium*, or **epispókos**, *overseer, bishop* (Eng. *bishop* comes from O.E. *bisceope*, itself from Vulgar Latin *ebiscopus*), **epispokālís**, *episcopal*, etc. – the change *spek->skep* happened comparatively late in Greek to be reconstructed in a proper common IE language.

105. For PIE **sals**, *salt*, compare Lat. *sāl*, Umb. *salu*, Gk. *hals*, Skr. *salila*, Illyr. *Salapia*, Toch. *sāle/sālyiye*, Arm. *ağ*, O.Pruss. *sal*, Lith. *saldus*, Ltv. *sāļš*, OCS *solī*, Russ. *соль*, Polish *sól*, O.Ir. *salann*, Welsh *halen*, Alb. *gjelbson*. It gives derivatives as **sáldom**, Gmc. *saltom* (cf. O.S., O.N., O.Fris., Goth. *salt*, O.E. *sealt*, O.H.G. *salz*, Du. *zout*), zero-grade **sídiā**, *salt, salt marsh, souse*, as Gmc. *sultjō* (cf. M.E. *cylte*, Dan., Nor. *sylt*, Eng. *silt*, and O.Fr. *sous*, into Eng. *souse*), **saldō**, *to salt*, as Lat. *sallere*, and p.part. **salstós** (<**saldtós*), as in **sálstā**, *sauce, salsa*; from Lat. *sāl* is **salásiom**, *salary*, **salátā**, *salad*, or **salámis**; it gives also words for sea, from “salty water”, as in Greek, or in Latin **sáloom**.

PIE root **sol** (or **solh₂*) means *whole*, and is attested in common derivative **soluós**, *whole, intact, uninjured*, as Gk. ὅλος (Ion. οὔλος), Skr. *sarvah*, Av. *haurva*, O.Pers. *haruva*, giving modern words like **soluokáustom**, *holocaust* (from neuter Lat. *holocaustum*, itself from Gk. ὀλόκαυστος, “burned hole”), **soluograbhikós**, *holographic* (for **gerbh-**, v.i. A), or **katsoluikós**, *universal, catholic* (as Lat. *catholīcus*, Gk. καθολικός, for **kat**, v.i. B). Also, compare **solidós**, *solid*, in **komsolidā**, *consolidate*, **solidāsiós**, *jointly liable* (source akin to Eng. *soldier*), **sol(i)dátos**, *soldier*, from Lat. *solidātus* (from **sólidos**, a Roman gold coin, also *salary*, lit “one having pay”, cf. It. *soldato*, Fr. *soldat*, Spa., Pt. *soldado*, Swe., Nor., Ger. *soldat*, Du. *soldaat*, Russ., Ukr. *солдат* etc.); **sólos**, *whole, entire, unbroken*, as **solikitós**, *solicit, solicitous*, or **solemnís**, *solemn*, from Lat. (dialectal

geminated form) *sollus*; as zero-grade **sálūts**, *health*, as in **salutā**, *greet*; also in **saluós**, *whole, safe, healthy, uninjured*, from Lat. *salvus* (into O.Fr. *sauf*, and then to Eng. *safe*).

A. For PIE **gerbh**, *scratch*, compare Gmc. *kerban* (cf. O.E. *ceorfan*, O.H.G. *kerban*, Eng. *carve*, Ger. *kerben*); zero-grade **gr̥bhis**, *a cutting(off)*, as Gmc. *kurbiz* (O.E. *cyrf*, Eng. *kerf*); o-grade **gróbbhis**, *edible crustacean*, as Gmc. *krabiz/krab(b)* (cf. O.E. *crabba*, O.N. *krafla*, O.H.G. *kerbiz*, L.Ger. *krabben*, Eng. *crab, crayfish, crawl*); **grbho**, *scratch, draw, write*, as **gr̥bhmn** [‘gr̥bh^h-mn̥], *picture, letter, piece of writing*, and **gr̥bh^hmā**, *line*, with derivatives as (loan words) **gr̥bh^hmtikā**, *grammar*, from Gk. γραμματική, and **gh̥rbhikos**, *graphic*, **anāgr̥bhmn**, *anagram*, **epígr̥bhmn**, *epigram*, **nghrbhíā**, *agraphia*, **epigr̥bhā**, *epigraph*, as Gk. ἐπιγραφή, **parāgr̥bhos**, *paragraph*, **prógr̥bhmn**, *programme*, etc; also, W.Gmc. *grafa*, “*count*” (cf. M.Du. *graave*, M.L.G. *grave*, Ger. *graf*, Eng.-*grave*), possibly a borrowing from **gr̥bhéus**, Gk. *grapheus*, “*scribe*”. For other IE derivatives, compare O.Pruss *gīrbin*, Ltv. *grīpsta*, O.C.S. *žrěbŭ*, Russ. *žrebij*, Arm. *kerel/gerel*, Alb. *gërvish*.

B. For PIE **kat-**, *down*, compare Greek **kata**, *down*, and suffixed form **kátolos**, *young puppy, young of animals* (“*dropped*”), as Latin *catulus*.; also found in Ice. *haðna*, M.H.G. *hatele*, Sla. *kotiti se* (cf. Russ. *kotít’sja*), dial. *koťka*, Sr.-Cr. *kot*, Pol. *wy-kot*

106. For Indo-European **bhlēig**, *shine*, compare Gmc. *blīkh(j)an* (cf. O.N. *blíkja*, O.Ice. *bleikr*, O.H.G. *blīhhan*, *bleih*, O.E. *blīcan*, Ger. *Blech*), Lith. *blaikštaūs*, *blaikštýtis*, *blyškėti*, Ltv. *blīžgēt*, *blaiskums*, O.C.S. *блѣкѣ*, *блѣцѣ*, Russ. *blesk*, Pol. *blask*.

107. PIE verb **bhel**, *blow, swell, inflate*, is the root for various derivatives including round objects and the notion of tumescent masculinity; as, **bhlā**, *round vessel, rounded object, bowl, bole, boll*, as in Gmc. *bullō* (cf. O.N. *bolle*, *bolr*, O.E., O.H.G. *bolla*, M.H.G. *bole*, M.Du. *bolle*, *bille*); zero-grade and **bhlōn**, *fuller*, as Lat. *fullō*; **bhlōnos**, *bull*, as Gmc. *bullōnaz* (cf. O.N. *boli*, O.E. *bula*, M.Du., Ger. *bulle*), **bhlōkos**, *bull*, as Gmc. *bullukaz* (cf. O.E. *bulluc*), **bhlīnos**, *phallus*, as Gk. φαλλός; o-grade (dialectally geminated -l in Germanic) **bhól(I)os**, *ball*, **bhól(I)ā**, *ball, bullet, round roll*, **bhól(I)ikos**, *testicles, bollix* (cf. O.E. *beallucas*); **bholtós**, *bold*, from Gmc. *balthaz* (cf. Goth. *balþei*, O.N. *ballr*, *baldr*, O.E. *bald*, *beald*, O.H.G. *bald*); suffixed **bhólnis**, *bellows, inflated ball*, as Lat. *follis* (cf. Eng. *follicle, folly, fool*); possibly **bhálaniā**, *whale*, from Gk. φάλαινα.

108. MIE **dímōn**, *time*, is a loan translation from Germanic *tīmōn*, (cf. O.Eng. *tīma*, O.N. *timi*, Swe. *timme*), and is derived from PIE root **dā**, *divide*, as in **dāmos**, *people, land* (from “*division of society*”), from Gk. δημοσ, as in **dāmokratíā**, *democracy* v.i., **dāmogrbhíā**, *demography*, **epidāmíā**, **pandāmíā**, **dāmagógos**, etc.; alternative root **dajo**, *divide*, as in **geōdáisia**, *earth division, geodesy*; **dáimōn**, *divider, provider*, hence *divinity*, later “*demon, daimon*”, v.i.; **d(á)itis**, *division of time, time, season*, as Gmc. *tīdiz* (cf. O.S., O.E. *tid*, Du. *tijd*, O.H.G. *zit*, Ger. *Zeit*, Eng. *tide*), and verb **dītio**, *happen*, from “*occur in time*”, Gmc. *tīdjan* (cf. O.E. *tīdan*).

It is unrelated to Lat. *tempus*, which has an unknown origin. For the Latin word and its derivatives, Modern Indo-European uses loan word **témpōs**; as, **komtempōsāsiós**, *contemporary*; **témpōsā**, *temple* (cf. Lat. *tempora* > V.Lat. *tempula*); **tempesā**, *temper, moderate, regulate*; **tempōsiā**, *temporize*, etc.

PIE **krátos**, *power, strength*, (like Gk. κράτος) gives suffix **-kratíā**, *power, rule*, as Gk. -κρατία, adjective **kratús**, *strong*, as Gk. κρατυς or alternative **kartús**, *hard*, as Gmc. *kharthus* (cf. Goth. *hardus*, O.N. *harðr*, O.E. *heard*, O.H.G. *harto*, Du. *hard*), maybe from PIE root **kar-**.

Greek δαίμων meant *divinity*. For Greeks and Romans *dæmons* were *supernatural beings* “replete with knowledge”, “divine power”, “fate” or “god”, not necessarily evil. Within the Christian tradition, ideas of “demons” derived as much from the literature that came to be regarded as apocryphal and even heretical as it did from the literature accepted as canonical. It happened more or less like with PIE **djéus** (originally meaning *heaven, sky*, hence *sky-god*, cf. O.E. *Tig*, Lat. *deus*, Gk. *Zeús*, Skr. *devaḥ*, Lith. *devas*, O.C.S. *deivai*), reduced in its Persian meaning as a special (bad) kind of divinity, giving *daēva-*, “spirit, demon”, so in *Asmodeus*, Old Persian *Æshma*, later *Æshmadæva*.

109. PIE root **bher-**, with derivatives meaning *brown, shining*, gives **bhrúnós**, *brown, shining*, as Gmc. *brūnaz* (cf. O.E. *brūn*, O.N. *brúnn*, M.Du. *bruun*, adopted into Romance languages through M.L. *brunus*, cf. It., Sp. *bruno*, Fr. *brun*); reduplicated **bhébhrus**, *brown animal, beaver*, as Gmc. *bebruz* (cf. O.E. *beofor*, O.H.G. *bibar*, Low Ger. *bever*), Lith. *bebrus*, Cz. *bobr*, Welsh *befer*; **bhērā/bhérnus**, *bear*, lit. “brown animal” (as O.E. *bera*, O.H.G. *bero*, from Gmc. *berō*, or O.N. *björn*, from Gmc. *bernuz*). Compare Lat. *fiber*, Gk. *phrynos*, Skr. *bhallas*, *babhrus*, Av. *bawra*, Toch. *parno/perne*, *paräm/perne*, O.Pruss. *bebrus*, Ltv. *bērs*, *bebrs*, Lith. *bėras*, *bebras*, Russ. *bobr*, Gaul. *Bibrax*, Welsh *befer*.

110. Indo-European **linom**, *flax*, although sometimes considered a borrowing from a non-Indo-European language, is found in many IE dialects; as, Gmc. *linam* (cf. Goth. *lein*, O.E. *lin*, O.H.G. *lin*, O.N. *lín*, Ger. *Leinen*, Eng. *linen*), Lat. *linum*, Gk. *linon*, O.Pruss. *linno*, Lith. *linas*, Ltv. *lini*, O.C.S. *līnŭ*, Russ. *lěn*, Polish *len*, O.Ir. *lín*, Welsh *llin*, Alb. *liri/līni*.

For PIE **wínā**, *wool*, compare Gmc. *wulnō* (cf. Goth. *wulla*, O.N. *ull*, O.E. *wull*, O.Fris. *wolle*, M.Du. *wolle*, O.H.G. *wolla*, Du. *wol*, Ger. *Wolle*), Lat. *lāna*, *uellus*, Gk. *lēnos*, Skr. *ūrṇā*, Av. *varəṇā*, Pers. *gurs*, O.Pruss. *wilnis*, Lith. *vilna*, Ltv. *vilna*, O.C.S. *vlūna*, Russ. *volna*, Pol. *welna*, Lith. *vilna*, O.Ir. *olan*, Welsh *gwan*; Hitt. *hulana*.

111. PIE **chen**, *strike, kill, slay*, as Gk. *θείνω*, *φόνος*, Skr. *hánti*, Av. *ǰainti*, O.Pers. *ajanam*, Arm. *gan*, O.Pruss. *guntwei*, *gunnimai*, Lith. *genù*, *giñti*, *ginù*, *ginti*, Ltv. *dzeņu*, *dzīt*, O.C.S. *гънати*, *женъ*, O.Russ. *гънати*, *жену*, Cz. *hnáti*, *ženu*, Polish *gnać*, O.Ir. *gonim*, Ir. *gandr*, *gonadh*, Alb. *gjanj*; Hitt. *kwen*, Lyd. *qēn-*; Slavic *гънапъ*, which stands out in a Satem dialect, appears to be from a source akin to O.Ind. (*ā*)*ghnānās*, Av. *avaǰnāna-*, an original **ghn-** form, which didn't undergo the satemization trend. It gives derivatives as o-grade **chónōn**, *slayer, cause of ruin or destruction*, as Gmc. *banōn* (cf. Goth. *banja*, O.N. *bani*, O.E. *bana*, O.Fris. *bona*, O.H.G. *bana*), which gives also MIE loan word **choná**, *way, road*, as in **autochoná**, *Autobahn*, cf. M.H.G. *ban*, *bane*, Ger. *Bahn*, “way, road” (from “strike” in a technical sense like “swath”); suffixed **chútiā**, *war, battle*, as Gmc. *gundjō* (cf. O.Ice. *gandr*, O.E. *gūþ*, O.N. *gunnr* into O.E. *gunne*, giving Mod. Eng. *gun*), also in **chntiāpánōn**, *standard, battle flag*, as O.H.G. *gundfano*, It. *gonfalone* (for **pan-**, v.i.); suffixed form **chend**, giving prefixed verbs in Latin as **dēchendo**, *ward off, defend*, and **obhchendo**, *strike against, be offensive, offend*; also, suffixed zero-grade **chútros**, *poison*, as Pers. *zahr*, O.Ira. *jathra-*.

112. PIE **génus**, *knee*, perhaps originally *angle*, gives Lat. *genū*, Gk. *gonu*, Skr. *jānu*, Av. *znum*, Pers. *zānu*, Illyr. *Genusus*, Toch. *kanweṃ/kenīne*, Arm. *cunr*, Russ. *зено*; Hitt. *genu*, Palaic *ginu-*. Variants include Greek o-grade forms, as **gónus**, *knee*, which gives **polúgonom**, *polygonum*, and **góniā**, *angle, corner*, which gives **gonós**, *angled*, and derivative neuter suffix **-gonom**, Eng. *-gon*; also, alternate form **gnew-**, giving neuter noun

gnéwom, *knee*, as Gmc. *knewam* (cf. Goth. *kniū*, O.N. *kne*, O.E. *cnēo*[*w*], O.Fris. *kni*, M.Du. *cnie*, O.H.G. *kniū*), and extended verb **gnewio**, *kneel*, “*with bent knee*”, as Gmc. *knewjan* (cf. Goth. *knussjan*, O.E. *cneow*[*l*]*ian*, Eng. *kneel*), or Gk. *γῡνξ*.

Another meaning for PIE **génus** is *jawbone, cheek, jaw*. Compare Gmc. *gennuz* (from variant **génwus**, cf. Goth. *kinnus*, O.N. *kinn*, O.E. *cin*, O.H.G. *chinni*, Eng. *chin*, Ger. *Kinn*), Lat. *gena*, Gk. *genus*, Skr. *hanu* (from alternative form **ghénus**), Av. *zanu*, Pers. *goune(h)*, Phryg. *azon*, Toch. *śanwem*, Arm. *cnaut*, Lith. *žandas*, Ltv. *zods*, Welsh *genou*, O.Ir. *gin*, and Ancient Macedonian *kanadoi*. A common derivative is zero-grade alternative **gúdhos**, *jaw*, from Greek.

113. PIE **chers**, *heat, warm*, gives common derivatives as Germanic alternative forms **chrenuo**, *burn, be on fire*, intransitive, as Gmc. *brennan* (cf. Goth. *brinnan*, O.N. *brenna*, O.E. *beornan*, *byrnan* O.H.G. *brinnan*), and **chrenuio**, *burn, kindle*, transitive, as Gmc. *brannjan* (cf. O.E. *bærnan*); **chróndos**, *burning or flaming torch*, hence also *sword*, as Gmc. *brandaz* (cf. O.E. *brand*, *brond*, Du. *branden*, also Frank. *brand*, into O.Fr., O.Prov. *brand*); **chermós/chormós**, *warm, hot*, and **chérmā**, *heat*, neuter **chérmom**, giving **-chermiā**, Eng. *-thermy*, as Gk. *θερμος*. Also, Lat. **chórkaps**, (**-kaps** is Lat. agential suffix, *-kaps*, “*-taker*”, from PIE **kap**), *forceps*; **chórnos**, *oven*, as Lat. *furnus*; **chórniks**, *arch, vault* (from “*vaulted brick oven*”), as in **chornikā**, *fornicate*; **chrtom**, *clarified butter, ghee*, as Skr. *ghṛtam*. Other known derivatives are Skr. *ghṛṇa*, Av. *garəma*, O.Pers. *garmapada*, Pers. *garm*, Phryg. *germe*, Thrac. *germas*, Arm. *jerm*, O.Pruss. *goro*, Lith. *garas*, Ltv. *gars*, Russ. *žar*, O.Ir. *fogeir*, Welsh *gori*, Alb. *zjarr*, Kashmiri *germi*, *garū'm*; Hitt. *war*.

114. Indo-European verb **éus**, *burn*, is attested in Gmc. *uzjan* (cf. ON *usli*, and in compound [*aim*]*uzjo*, cf. as O.N. [*eim*]*yrja*, O.H.G. [*eim*]*uria*, O.E. [*æm*]*erge*, Ger. [*Amm*]*ern*, Eng. [*emb*]*er*), Lat. *ūrō*, Gk. *heuō*, Skr. *oṣati*, Lith. *usnis*, Ltv. *usna*, Alb. *ushël*.

115. PIE root **noch-**, *naked*, gives **nochetós/nochotós**, as Gmc. *nakwethaz/nakwathaz* (cf. Goth. *naqap̥s*, O.N. *nökkviðr*, O.Swed. *nakuþer*, O.E. *nacod*, O.Fris. *nakad*, O.H.G. *nackot*, M.Du. *naket*), **nochedós**, as Lat. *nūdus*, **nochmós**, metathesized in Gk. *γυμνος* (*gymnos*), as in **nochmasiā**, *gymnastics*, **nochmástā**, *gymnast*, from Gk. *γυμναστής*, etc., and **nochnós**, as Skr. *nagna*, Av. *maǰna*, O.Pers. *nagna-*; compare also Lith. *nuogas*, Ltv. *nogs*, OCS *nagŭ*, Russ. *nagoj*, Polish *nagi*, O.Ir. *nocht*, Welsh *noeth*, Kashmiri *naṅgay*, Hitt. *nekumant*.

116. Indo-European **cer**, *mount*, gives also **corá**, *mountain*; cf. Hom.Gk. *βορέης*, Att.Gk. *βορέας*, *βορράς*, O.Ind. *giríṣ*, Av. *gairi-*, O.Pers. *gar*, *gīr*, Arm. *ler*, O.Pruss. *garian*, Lith. *girià*, *guras*, O.C.S. *гора*, *горѣ*, Russ. *zopa*, Pol. *góra*, Alb. *gur*.

English word “*mount*” comes from Anglo-Fr. *mount*, itself from O.Fr. *mont* and O.E. *munt*, both from Lat. *mons*, *montis*, MIE **móntis**, *mountain*, (cf. Welsh *mynydd*), which gives **montanós**, *mountainous*, **móntaniā**, *mountain* (from V.Lat. *montanĕa*, feminine noun of V.Lat *montaneus*, in turn from Lat. *montanus*), **montíkolos**, *monticule*, **montā**, *go up, ascend, climb, mount*, as in **admontā**, *amount*. It is derived from PIE base **men**, *stand out, project*, source of some Western Indo-European words for projecting body parts, as zero-grade **mítos**, *mouth*, Gmc. *munthaz* (cf. Goth. *munþs*, O.N. *munnr*, O.E. *muþ*, O.Fris. *muth*, M.Du. *mont*, Ger. *Mund*), or **méntom**, *chin*, as Lat. *mentum*; **múā**, *projecting point, threat*, Latin *minae*, giving **mnákiā**, *menace*, **prōmnā**, *drive (animals) onward*, (from **prō**, *forth*, and **mnā**, *drive animals with shouts*), as in **prōmnátā**, *promenade*; **mnē**, *project, jut, threaten*, as **ekmnē**, *stand out*, giving **ekmnénts**, *eminent*, **enmnē**, *overhang*,

giving **enmnénts**, *imminent*, or **promnē**, *jut out*, as in **promnénts**, *prominent*, or **promntósiom**, *promontory*, from p.part. **promntós**.

A proper PIE word for “mouth” is **ōs**, as in O.E. *ōr*, ON *oss*, Lat. *ōs*, Skr. *ās*, *oṣṭha*, Av. *aosta*, O.Pruss. *austo*, Lith. *uosta*, Ltv. *osta*, Russ. *usta*, Kamviri *áša*, Hitt. *aiš*. Derivatives affected by rhotacism are usually from Lat. stem *ōr-*, as in **ōsālís**, *oral*, **ōsidhákios**, *orifice*, but most are not affected, as dim. **óskillom**, *swing* (from “small mask of Bacchus”), giving verb **óskillā**, *oscillate*, and noun **óskillátiōn**, *oscillation*; also, **óskolom**, *osculum*, giving **enóskolā**, *provide with an opening*, *inosculate*, and also **óstiom**, *door*, *ostium*, giving **óstiásios**, *doorkeeper*, *ostiary* (M.Eng. *hostiary*), etc.

117. PIE root **cóus**, fem. *cow*, or masc. *bull*, *ox*, perhaps ultimately imitative of lowing (cf. non-IE Sumerian *gu*, Chinese *ngu*, *ngo*), gives Gmc. *kōuz* (>*kūz*, cf. O.N. *kú*, O.E. *cū*, O.H.G. *cuo*, Eng. *cow*, Ger. *Kuh*), Lat. *bōs* (stem *bou-*), Gk. *bous*, Skr. *gauḥ*. Derivatives include **coukánā**, *horn*, *trumpet*, “*bellower*” (compound with **kan-**, singer, v.i.), **coukanatór**, *buccinator*; **cóucalos**, *gazelle* (orig. “*wild cow*”), later *buffalo*, as Gk. βούβαλος (compare with Lat. *būbulus*, and as alternative **cówalos** with Skr. *gavalaḥ*, all referring to wild animals); suffixed **cóunos**, *ox*, as Pali *goṇa-*; **cóuros**, *wild ox*, as Skr. *gaurah*; zero-grade suffixed **cwā**, as in compound **smkmtómewā**, *hecatomb*, “*sacrifice of a hundred oxen*” (see **sem**, one, **kmtóm**, hundred), Gk. εκατόμβη. Compare all IE derivatives: Gmc. *kōuz*, Lat. *bōs*, Osc. *buv-*, Umb. *bum*, Gk. βovς, Skr. *gaus*, Av. *gāus*, Pers. *gāv*, Thrac. *bonassos*, Toch. *ko/keŭ*, Arm. *kov* Ltv. *gous*, Russ. *govjado*, O.Ir. *bó*, Welsh *buw*, Kamviri *go*, Kashmiri *gāv*, Osset. *gal*.

118. Noun **ármos**, *arm*, *upper arm*, earlier **h₂armo-*, is attested as Gmc. *armaz* (cf. Goth. *arms*, O.N. *armr*, Eng. *earm*, O.H.G. *aram*, O.S., M.Du., *arm*, O.Fris. *erm*), Lat. *armus*, Gk. ἀρμός, Skr. *irmas*, Arm. *armunk*, O.C.S. *ramo*, O.Pruss. *irmo* Osset. *arm*. Interesting derivatives include **árma**, (pl. of **ármom**), *tools*, *arms*, **armatós**, *armed*, **armátā**, *army*, **armátolos**, *armadillo*, **armatósā**, *armature*, loan word **alármā** (from O.It. *allarme*, from *all'arme*, “*to arms*”, which could be loan-translated as **ad armā**), **disarmā**, *disarm*, loan word **gendárme** (“*mounted soldiers*, *men-at-arms*”, from O.Fr. *gent-d'armes*, which could be loan-translated as **gntármā**); **armoníā**, from Gk. ἀρμός, *joint*, *shoulder*. Base **arm-** comes ultimately from PIE root **ar-**, which gives derivatives like **ártis**, *art*, *skill*, *craft*, from Lat. *ars*, as in verb **artio**, *instruct in the arts*, as Lat. *artire*, and its p.part. **artitós**, *skilled in the arts*, which gives **artitiános**, *artisan* (from It. *artigiano*, from V.Lat. *artitiānus*), **artístā**, *lettered person*, *artist*, from Med.Lat. *artista*; further suffixed **artiós**, *fitting*, *even*, as Gk. ἄρτιος; **ártus**, *joint* (Lat. *artus*, translation of Gk. *arthron*, v.i.) as in **artíkolos**, *joint*, *article*; **artós**, *tight*, as in **artā**, *compress*, and **komartā**, *coarctate*; **árdhrom**, *joint*, from Gk. ἄρθρον, as in **ardhrótis**, **enardhrótis**, **komardhrótis**, etc.; suffixed superlative **aristós**, *best*, as in **aristokratíā**, *aristocracy*, from Gk. ἀριστοκρατία.

Probably from the same root are (then o-grade suffixed form) **órdhio**, *begin to weave*, as Lat. *ōrdīrī*; further suffixed **órdhōn**, *order* (originally a row of threads in a loom), from Lat. *ōrdō*, as in loan words **órdhonā**, *order*, **órdhonatós**, *ordinate*, *orderly*, **komórdhonā**, *coordinate*, **supórdhonā**, *subordinate*, **enórdhonā**, *inordinate*, **órdhonāsiós**, *ordinary*, etc.; or differently suffixed **ōrnā**, *adorn*, *ornate*, as Lat. *ōrnāre*.

Also variant form **rē**, *consider*, *reckon*, *confirm*, *ratify*, as Lat. *rērī*, as in **ratós**, *calculated*, which gives **rātiōn**, *calculation*, *ration*, *ratio*, *reason*, or **rátā**, *rate*, (Med. Lat. *rata*, from Lat. *prō ratā parte*, “*according to a fixed part*”, MIE **prō rátā párti**); suffixed **redho**, *advise*, *explain*, *counsel*, and **rédhos**, *counsel*, *opinion*, as Gmc.

redan, redaz (cf. Goth. *rapjo*, O.N. *radan, redan*, O.Fris. *reda*, Du. *raden*, O.H.G. *radja, reda, ratan*, Eng. *read, rede, dread*, Ger. *reden, Rede, raten*), as in **redhislio**, *riddle*, Gmc. *redisljan* (cf. O.E. *rædels*, O.S. *radisli*, M.Du. *raetsel*, Du. *rakadset*, O.H.G. *radisle*, Ger. *Rätsel*, Eng. *riddle*).

119. For PIE **bhrātēr**, *brother*, compare Gmc. *brothar* (cf. Goth. *brōþar*, ON *bróðir*, O.E. *brōþor*, O.H.G. *bruoder*), Lat. *frāter*, Osc. *fratrúm*, Umb. *fratrom*, Gk. φράτηρ (*phrātēr*), Skr. *bhrātṛ*, Av. *brātar*, O.Pers. *brātar*, Pers. *barādar*, Kurd. *bra*, Phryg. *brater*, Illyr. *bra*, Toch. *pracer/procer*, Arm. էղբայր (*elbayr* <*erbair), O.Pruss. *brāti, bratrikai*, Lith. *broterėlis, brolis*, Ltv. *brātāritis, brālis*, OCS *brampъ, bramъ*, Russ. *bram*, Polish *brat*, Gaul. *brātir*, O.Ir. *bráthir* Welsh *brawd*, Kamviri *brō*, Kashmiri *boy*, Osset. *ærvad* Lyd. *brafr-*, Venetic *vhraterei*., Derivatives include common **bhrātrīā**, *brotherhood*, *phratry*, as O.Cz. *bratřie*, O.Pol. *braciá*, Gk. φράτρια; O.Ind. *bhrātryam*; also, Latin derivatives **bhrā**, *fra, monk*, **bhrāternālís**, *fraternal*, **bhrāternitā**, *fraternity*, **bhrāternitiā**, *fraternize*, **kombhrātēr**, *confrere*, **bhrātrikídiom**, *fratricide (the killing)*, **bhrātrikídā**, *fratricide (the killer)*.

120. For **céna**, *woman, wife*, originally maybe “*honoured woman*”, compare Gmc. *kwenōn* (cf. Goth. *qino*, O.N. *kona*, O.S. *quan*, O.E. *cwene*, O.H.G. *quena*, Eng. *quean*), Gk γυνή, O.Ind. *janis, gnā*, Av. *jainish, gənā*, Pers. ۛن (zæn), Phryg. *bonekos*, Toch. *śäm/śana*, Arm. *kin*, O.Pruss. *genno*, O.C.S. *žena*, Russ. *žena*, Polish *żona*, Alb. *zonjë*, O.Ir. *ben*, Welsh *benyw*; Luw. *wanatti*. Derivatives include West Gmc. **cénis**, *woman, wife, queen*, as Gmc. *kwēniz* (cf. Goth. *qéns*, O.E. *cwen*, see “*queen*”), and Greek **cnā** [g^wη-ā], giving **-cnā**, *-gyne*, **cnō-**, *gyno-*, **-cnós**, *-gynous*, **-cniā**, *-gyny*, and derivatives with **cnai-ko-** (see *a-declension* in nouns for more on this special derivative, which appears also in Armenian, and which gives Mod.Gk. γυναικα), *gyneco-*, as **cnaiokratīā**, *gynecocracy*, **cnaiologīā**, *gynecology*, etc., as well as V.Gk. γυννίς, *effeminate*, etc.

For other IE derivatives meaning “*woman, wife*” compare:

I. Latin has:

I.A. From PIE **dhē(i)**, *suck, suckle*, (also “*produce, yield*”), as **dhēmna**, *woman*, lit. “*she who suckles*”, as Lat. *femina* (cf. Fr. *femme*, Rom. *femeie*, as Mod.Eng. *female*), **dhēmnaīnós**, *feminine*, **ekdhēmna**, *effeminate*, similar to **dhēlus**, *female, fruitful* as Gk. θήλυς. Other derivatives from the same root include **dhētós**, *pregnancy, childbearing, offspring*, with adj. **dhētós, -ā, -óm**, *pregnant*; suffixed reduced **dhēkuondós**, *fruitful, fecund*; **dhénom**, *hay* (from “*produce*”), as Lat. *fēnum, faenum*; **dhēl(I)ā**, *suck*, as in **dhēl(I)ātiōn**, *fellatio*; **dhēlíks**, *fruitful, fertile, lucky, happy*, as Lat. *felix*, as in **dhēlikitā**, *happiness, felicity*, **ndhēlikitā**, *unhappiness, infelicity*, **dhēlikitā**, *felicitate*; **dhēlá**, *mother’s breast, nipple*, as Gk. θηλή, hence **endodhēlá**, *endothelium*, **epidhēlá**, *epithelium*, **medhjodhēlá**, *mesothelium*. Other derivatives include Gmc. *dē-/dā-* (Goth. *daddjan*, O.Swed. *dia*, O.H.G. *tila*), Skr. *dhayati, dhayah*, O.C.S. *dojiti, dojilica, deti*, Russ. *демъ*, Pol. *dzieję*, O.Prus. *dadān*, Lith. *dele*, O.Ir. *denaim, dinu*.

I.B. From **dómūnos**, *lord* (cf. O.Ind. *damūnas*, Lat. *dominos*), is **dómūnā**, *woman, woman in charge, lady*, Lat. *domina* (cf. It. *donna*, Cat. *dona*, also found as Fr. *dame*, Spa. *doña/dueña*, Pt. *dona*), derived from **dómos**, *house*, already seen. From Fr. *dame* are loan words as Nor. *dame*, Ger. *Dame*, etc. as well as Eng. *madame, madam, ma’am*, from O.Fr. *ma dame*, lit. “*my lady*”, from L. *mea domina* (cf. It. *madonna*), MIE **mā dómūnā**.

I.C. Lat. *mulier* (cf. Spa. *mujer*, Pt. *mulher*, Rom. *muiere*) is reconstructed as MIE **mliér**. Although probably unrelated, compare **melg**, *to milk* (in parallel with the pair **dhē-dhēmna**), as in zero-grade **mílgē**, *to milk*, as

Lat. *mulgēre*; full grade **melg**, *to milk*, as Gmc. *melkan* (cf. O.N. *mjólka*, O.E., O.H.G. *melcan* Du., Ger. *melken*), and **mélugs**, *milk*, as Gmc. *meluks* (cf. Goth. *miluks*, O.N. *mjöl̥k*, O.E. *meoluc*, *milc*, O.H.G. *miluh*, Du. *melk*, Ger. *Milch*); compare Lat. *mulgeō*, Gk. *amelgō*, Skr. *marjati*, Toch. *malke/malkwer*, Lith. *melžti*, Russ. *molozivo*, O.Ir. *bligim*, Welsh *blith*, Alb. *mjelalso*. Also, variant **melks**, *milk*, compare Gk. ἀμέλω, Lith. *malkas*, *melzu*, Ltv. *malks*, O.C.S. мѣлѣко, Russ. *молоко*, Polish *mleko*.

A similar (maybe related through an earlier zero-grade *-(**m**)*l̥k-t-*) PIE word is (**ga**)**lakts**, *milk*, as Gk. *galakt-*, Lat. *lact-*, also Hitt. *galank*, found in (**ga**)**laktiós**, *milky*, **galaktikós**, *galactic*, **galáktiā**, *galaxy*, etc.

PIE **mélits** (early **mélh₁-it-*), *honey*, could be also originally related; compare Gmc. *miliths* (cf. Goth. *miliþ*, Eng. *mildēaw*, O.H.G. *milltou*, Eng. *mildew*, Ger. *Mehltau*), Lat. *mel*, Gk. *melitos*, Arm. *meṛ*, Gaul. *Melissus*, O.Ir. *mil*, Welsh, Cor. *mel*, Alb. *mjal*; Hitt. *mit*, Luw. *mallit-*, Palaic *malit-*.

And all the aforementioned PIE bases may have been originally (but unlikely) derived from root **mel/mol** (from older **melh₁*), *to grind, rub, crush*, with derivatives referring to various ground or crumbling substances. Common derivatives include **mélúōn**, *flour, meal*, as Gmc. *melwan* (cf. Goth. *malan*, O.N. *mala*, O.E. *melu*, O.H.G. *malan*, Eng. *meal*, Ger. *malen*), **mídā**, *soil, earth*, as Gmc. *muldō* (cf. Goth. *mulda*, O.N. *mold*, O.Fris., O.E. *molde*, O.H.G. *molta*); **molá**, *millstone, mill (coarse meal customarily sprinkled on sacrificial animals)*, as in Lat. *molere*, which gives **molāsís**, *molar*, **molínom**, *mill, moulin*, **enmolā**, *immolate*, **ekmolo**, *grind out*, as in **ekmoloméntom**, *emolument, gain*, originally *a miller's fee for grinding grain*; suffixed **mélijom**, *millet*, as Lat. *milium*; suffixed variant **málnios**, *hammer, mallet*, Lat. *malleus*; zero-grade Greek **míā**, **míos**, *millstone, mill*; extended **míinos**, *pancake*, as O.Russ. *blinu*. Also, compare Umb. *kumaltu*, Toch. *malyw-/mely-*, Arm. *malem*, Lith. *mal̥ti*, Ltv. *malt*, OCS *melję*, Russ. *melju*, Polish *mleć*, O.Ir. *melim* Welsh *malu*, Alb. *miell*; Hitt. *mallanzi*.

PIE root **mel** means also:

a. IE (**s**)**mel**, “soft”, with derivatives referring to soft or softened materials of various kinds. Extended as **meldo**, *melt*, as Gmc. *meltan*; **meldio**, *milt*, as Gmc. *miltja* (cf. O.E., M.Du. *milte*), **móldos**, *malt*, as Gmc. *maltaz* (cf. O.N. *malt*, O.E. *malt*, *mealt*, Ger. *Malz*); suffixed variant **mlédsnos**, *slime*, as Gk. *blennos*; **mldús**, *soft*, as Lat. *mollis*; nasalized variant **mlandós**, *smooth, caressing, flattering, soft-spoken*, as Lat. *blandus*; variant form **smeld**, *smelt*, as Gmc. *smelt* (cf. O.E. *smelt*, *smylt*, O.H.G. *smalz*, M.Du, M.L.G. *smelten*, Ger. *Schmelz*, and O.Fr. *esmail*), also loan word (from a Gmc. source into It. *smalto* or Prov. *esmalt*), **smáldos**, *smalt, enamel, glaze*; extended **meldhiós**, *mild*, as Gmc. *mildjaz* (cf. Goth. *mildþja*, O.N. *mildr*, O.E. *milde*, O.Fris. *milde*, O.H.G. *milti*, Du. *mild*); **máldhā**, *mixture of wax and pitch*, as Gk. *maltha*; **mélskos**, *mild, mellow*, as Gmc. *milskaz* (cf. O.E. *melisc*, *mylsc*, Eng. *mulch*), *mlakos*, *soft*, as Gk. **mlakós** [m̥-a-’kos], *soft*, as Gk. *μαλακός*, as in **mlakologíā**, *malacology*, **osteomlákiā**; Celtic **móltōn**, *sheep*, as O.Fr. *moton* into Eng. *mutton*; zero-grade **mlús**, *blunt, dull, dim*, as Gk. *amblus*. Other derivatives include Skr. *mrduḥ*, Lat. *molere*, Gk. *myle*, O.C.S. *mlato*, also borrowing Finnish *mallas*.

English “soft” comes from O.E. *softe* “gentle, easy, comfortable”, from W.Gmc. *samfti*, MIE from Gmc. *samftijaz* “level, even, smooth, gentle, soft” (cf. O.S. *safti*, O.H.G. *semfti*, Ger. *sanft*, M.Du. *sachte*, Du. *zacht*), MIE **sombhtís**, **sombhtijós**, from IE base **som-** “fitting, agreeable”, as in modern English compound **sombhtoworá**, *software*.

For PIE **wer**, *perceive, watch out for*, compare **(kom)worós**, *watchful, aware, alert, wary*, as Gmc. *(ga)waraz* (cf. Goth. *wars*, O.N. *varr*, O.S. *giwar*, O.E. *(ge)wær*, O.H.G. *giwar*, M.Du. *gheware*, Eng. *wary*, Ger. *gewahr*); suffixed **wórtos**, *guard, watching, keeper*, as Gmc. *wardaz* (cf. O.S. *ward*, O.N. *vörðr*, O.E. *weard*, O.H.G. *wart*, also Fr., Da. *garde*, Spa., Pt. *guarda*, also into Eng. ‘lord’ and ‘steward’), and **wortā**, *guard, ward*, as Gmc. *wardōn* (cf. O.N. *varða*, O.S. *wardon*, O.E. *warian*, *wearian*, O.Fris. *wardia*, O.H.G. *warten*, M.Du. *waerden* Ger. *warten*, O.N.Fr. *warder*, O.Fr. *garder*); **worá**, *goods, protection, ware*, as Gmc. *waro* (cf. O.E. *waru*, O.Fris. *were*, M.Du. *were*, M.H.G., Ger. *ware*, Du. *waar*, Swed. *vara*, Dan. *vare*), as in English loan translations **sombhtoworá**, *software*, and **kartuworá**, *hardware* (see **kratós**); also, suffixed **wóruos**, *guard*, as Gk. *ouros*; variant **sworā**, see, as Gk. *horān*, in **panswóramn**, *panorama*; suffixed **werē**, *respect, feel awe for*, as Lat. *uerērī*, in **rewerē**, *revere*.

b. MIE **mel**, *strong, great*, **meliós**, *better* (originally “stronger”), as Lat. *melior*, in **meliosā**, *meliorate*; suffixed zero-grade **mltos**, *much, many*, as Lat. *multus*; compare also Osc. *moltam*, Umbr. *motar*, *mutu*, Gk. *mela*, Ltv. *milns*.

c. IE **mel**, *false, bad, wrong*, gives Latin **mális**, *ill*, **malós**, *bad*, (< **mali-gnós**, *harmful*, from PIE **gen**), as in **malghábitos**, *malady*, from **mali-ghabitós**, *in poor condition* (see **ghabh**), **malária**, “*bad air*”, *malaria* (from **malá-áweriā**), **malidhaktór**, *malefactor*, **malidhakós**, *malefic*, etc.; zero-grade **mls**, into **mlsbhāmós**, “*speaking evil*”, *blaspheme* (from **bhā**, *speak*); **meliós**, *treacherous*, as Av. *mairiia-*, into Eng. ‘*markhor*’.

II. Germanic has:

II.A. English “*wife*” is possibly from PIE nominal root **ghwībhs**, *shame, pudenda*, as Toch. *kip/kwipe*, “*female pudenda*”, giving **(gh)wíbhom**, *woman, wife*, (with semantic weakening from the original meaning) from Gmc. *wībam* (cf. O.N. *vif*, O.S., O.Fris., O.E. *wif*, Dan., Swed. *viv*, M.Du. *wijf*, O.H.G. *wib*, Ger. *Weib*). Some reconstruct this root as ultimately from the same source as general IE **cénā**, *woman*.

English “*woman*” is an especial compound restricted to English and Dutch, lit. “*woman-man*”, O.E. *wīfmann*, from *wīf* ‘*adult female*’, Eng. *wife*) and *mann*, later *wimman* (pl. *wimmen*), as Du. *vrouwmens*, “*wife*”; it was originally opposed to *wæpen-mann*, “*weapon-man*”, *male*, with clear sexual overtones.

MIE **wébnom**, *weapon*, is the regular IE reconstruction of Gmc. *wepnam* (cf. O.S. *wapan*, O.N. *vapn*, Dan. *vaaben*, O.Fris. *wepin*, M.Du. *wapen*, O.H.G. *waffen*, Ger. *Waffe*), without known derivatives outside Germanic.

II.B. Indo-European **prówā**, *mistress, woman*, gives Gmc. *frawō* (cf. O.H.G. *frouwa*, M.H.G. *vrouwe*, Ger. *Frau*, Du. *vrouw*, Yiddish *froy*), and comes from PIE **per**.

III. Common Hindustani *aurat* (cf. Urdu عورت, Hindi अर्त) comes from Pers. عورت, in turn from Arabic عَوْرَة (*imperfection*), although the usual Persian word is *zæn*, from Indo-European **cénā**.

121. Proto-Indo-European **ékwos** may have been a suffixed form **eku-** akin to the lengthened o-grade adjective **ōkús**, *swift, fast* (as Lat. *ocior*, *ocius*, Gk. *ὠκύς*, Skr. *āsús*); compare Gmc. *ekhwaz* (cf. Goth. *aiha*, O.N. *iór*, O.Eng. *eoh*) Lat. *equus*, Gk. *ἵππος*, Skt. *asva*, Av. *asva-*, Phryg. *es'*, Pers. *aspa/asb*, Kamviri *ušpa*, Toch. *yuk/yakwe*; Old. Pruss. *awinan*, Lith. *ašva*, Gaul. *epos*, O.Ir. *ech/each*; Welsh *ebol*; Arm. *ēš*, Thrac. *esvas*, Venetic *ekvon*; Hitt. *asúwas* Lyc. *esbe-*. Common words derived from Greek are **ekwopótmos**, *hippopotamus* (from Gk. **pótmos**, *river*, from **pet**, v.i.), lit. “*river-horse*”, **ekwokámpos**, *hippocampus*, **ekwodrómos** (from Gk. *-δρόμος*, *racecourse*), *hippodrome*, **ekwogrúps**, *hippogriff* (from It. *grifo*, Lat. *gryphus*, Gk. *grúps*).

For PIE **pet**, *rush, fly*, compare derivatives **pétrā**, *feather*, as Gmc. *fethrō* (cf. O.N. *ffjōðr*, O.E. *feðer*, M.Du. *vedere*, Ger. *Feder*), **peto**, *go toward, seek*, as Lat. *petere*, as in **petitiōn**, **petolánts**, *petulant*, **adpeto**, *strive after*, **adpetitos**, *strong desire, appetite*, **kompeto**, *compete*, **enpeto**, *attack*, **énpetus**, *impetus*, **enpetuós**, *impetuous*, **repeto**, *repeat*; **pétnā**, *feather, wing*, as Lat. *penna, pinna*, as in diminutive **petnákolom**, *pinnacle*; **propetiós** (in compound with **pro-**, *forward*), *favorable, gracious, propitious*, originally a religious term meaning “*falling or rushing forward*”, hence “*eager*,” “*well-disposed*” said of the gods; also, from alternative root **pte-**, **ptérōn**, *feather, wing*, and **ptérūks**, *wing*, as Gk. *πτερον*, as in compounds **ptero-** and **-pteros**, **-pterūks**; **ptīlōn**, *soft feathers, down, plume*; **pténos**, *winged, flying*; reduplicate **pipto**, *fall*, and verbal adjective **ptótós**, *falling, fallen*, and nominal derivatives **ptótis**, *fall, ptosis*, and **ptóm̄n**, *a fall, fallen body, corpse*, as in **kompipto**, *converge, coincide*, from which **komptótós**, *intersecting*, and **ḡkomptótós**, *not intersecting, asymptote*, and also **kómptōm̄n**, *a happening, symptom of a disease*; o-grade **pótm̄os** (in compound with Gk. suffix *-amo-*), “*rushing water*”, *river*; **péttrom**, *feather, leaf*, as Skr. *pattram*.

Modern English “*horse*” comes from Gmc. *khursaz* (cf. O.Eng. *hors*, O.N. *hross*, O.Fris. *hors*, M.Du. *ors*, Du. *ros*, O.H.G. *hros*, Ger. *Roß*), which has an uncertain origin; following Germanic phonetic changes it should be translated as MIE **krsos**, which is possibly related with PIE **kers**, *run* (cf. O.N. *horskr*, Lat. *currere*, Lith. *karsiu*, Celtic *karr*), hence maybe originally the same PIE word **krsos**, giving Celtic **kárros**, *wagon*.

122. For PIE **gher**, *grasp, enclose*, compare derivatives as verb **ghrdhio**, *gird, girt*, and noun **ghrdhs**, *girdle, girth*, as Gmc. *gurd-* (cf. O.N. *gjörðh*, O.E. *gyrdan, gyrdel*); suffixed o-grade **ghórtos**, *enclosure*, hence *garden, pasture, field*, as Gmc. *gardaz* (cf. Goth. *gards*, O.N. *garðr*, O.E. *geard*, O.Fris. *garda*, O.H.G. *garto*, Du. *gaard*), Lat. *hortus*, Gk. *khortos*, O.Ir. *gort*, Bret. *garz*, and also, with a wider meaning of *house, village, town, city*, compare Goth. *garþs* and O.Ice. *gerði*, Phryg. *-gordum*, Gk. *κορθιλαι*, Alb. *garth, -dhi*, Toch. *kerciye*, and (not satemized) O.Ind. *grhás*, Av. *garəðō*, Lith. *gār̄das, gardinys*, O.C.S. *zpadъ*, Rus. *zopod, -zpad*, Pol. *gród*, hence Proto-Balto-Slavic *gardōs*, suggesting an irregular evolution (for satemized Baltic forms, cf. O.Pruss. *sardis*, Ltv. *zardi*). Also, prefixed and suffixed zero-grade **komghrtis**, *enclosure, yard, company of soldiers, multitude, cohort*, as Lat. *cohors, cohortis*, or *cors, cortis*, hence also *court*, as in **komghrtisīā**, *courtesy, curtsy*, or **komghrtitiā**, *cortege*, **komghrtitiānos**, *courtier*, (from It. *cortigiano*) and **komghrtitiānā**, *courtesan*; and Greek **ghóros**, *dancing ground, dance, dramatic chorus*, as in **ghorális**, *choral, chorale* (for Med.Lat. *cantus chorālis*, MIE **ghorālis kántos**), or **ghoristā**, *chorister*, etc.

123. Adjective **swādús**, *sweet, pleasant*, is the origin of Gk. *ἡδύς*, Skr. *svādu*, Av. *xwāsta*, Toch. *swār/swāre*, Lith. *sūdyti*, Polish *ślodki*, Gaul. *Suadu*, O.Ir. *sant*, Welsh *chwant*, and even of further suffixed **swāduis*, *delightful*, as Lat. *suāuis*. Also, compare derivatives from PIE root **swād-**, as **swādiós**, *sweet*, as Gmc. *swotijaz* (cf. Goth. *sutis*, O.N. *sōtr*, O.S. *swoti*, O.E. *swēte*, O.H.G. *suozī*, M.Du. *soete*, Eng. *sweet*, Ger. *süß*); **swādē**, *advise, urge* (<“*recommend as good*”), as in modern derivatives **swástiōn** (<**swādtio-*), *advice*, **disswādē**, **perswādē**; also, **swādōs**, *pleasure, aedes*, as Gk. *ἡδός*, and further suffixed **swādonā**, *pleasure*, as Gk. *ἡδονή*, giving modern derivatives **swādonikós**, *hedonic*, and **swādonismos**, *hedonism*.

124. PIE root **neqt-** comes probably from an older verbal root **neq**, *be dark, be night*. Common words attested are usually from o-grade **nóqts/nóqtis** (but compare older Hitt. *nekuz*, maybe from IE II **néqus**), as Gmc. *nakhts* (cf. Goth. *nahts*, O.N. *natt*, O.E. *niht, neaht*, O.H.G. *naht*, O.Fris., Du., Ger. *nacht*), Lat. *nox* (stem *noct-*),

Gk. *νύξ*, Skr. *nakti*, Toch. *nakcu/nekciye*, Old Prussian *naktin*, Lith. *naktis*, Ltv. *nakts*, O.C.S. *nosti*, Russ. *ночь*, Polish *noc*, O.Ir. *innocht*, Welsh *nos*, Alb. *natë*. Derivatives include **nóqtuā**, *night owl*; and suffixed plain verbal root **necrós**, *black*, as Lat. *niger*, as in **denecrā**, *blacken, soil*, hence *denigrate*.

125. For PIE **mreghús**, *brief*, compare zero-grade **mrghijós**, “*short-lasting*”, hence *pleasant*, as Gmc. *murgijaz* (cf. Goth. *gamaurgjan*, O.E. *myrige*, O.H.G. *murgi*, Eng. *merry*), or extended **mreghúis*, as Lat. *brevis*; compare also Gk. *brakhus*, Av. *mərəzujiti*.

126. Indo-European **kan**, *sing*, gives Gmc. *khanjo* (cf. O.E. *hana*, O.H.G. *henna*, M.Du. *henne*), *khan(e)nī* (cf. O.E. *hen, henn*), Lat. *canere*, frequentative **kantā**, as Lat. *cantāre*, as in **kantātā**, **adkántos**, *accent*, **enkantā**, *enchant*, **enkantātiōn**, *incantation*, **enkántēiuos**, *incentive*; suffixed **kánā**, *singer*; **opskan**, “*one that sings before the augurs*”, as Lat. *oscen*, *a singing bird used in divination*; **kánmēn**, *song, poem, charm*, Lat. *carmen*.

127. Different PIE words for “*ship, nave*”:

I. For Indo-European **náus/náwis**, *ship, nave*, possibly from an earlier verbal root **nau**, *swim*, compare O.E. *nōwend*, ON *nōr*, Lat. *navis*, Gk. *ναύς*, Skr. *nāu*, Av. *navāza*, O.Pers. *nāviyā*, Arm. *nav*, Ir. *nau*, Welsh *noe*, Alb. *anije*, Osset. *nau*. Common derivatives include **nawālis**, *naval*, **nawigā**, *navigate*, **náwigiom**, *ship*, (pl. **náwigia**, *ships*, from which Eng. *navy*); from Gk. *ναύς, ναύτης*, are MIE **náutā**, *sailor, mariner*, **nautikós**, *nautical*, **nautílos**, *sailor, nautilus*, **āweronáutā**, *aeuronaut* (see **wer**, *air*), **aqanáutā**, *aquanaut* (see **aqā**, *water*), **astronáutā**, *astronaut* (see **astér**, *star*), **kosmonáutā**, *cosmonaut* (from Gk. **kósmos**, *cosmos*).

I.1. The English term “*mariner*” comes from PIE **móris**, *sea, lake, pond*, as Gmc. *mariz* (cf. Goth. *marei*, O.N. *marr*, O.E. *mere*, O.H.G. *marī*, M.Du. *meer*, Ger. *Meer*), Lat. *mare*, Skr. *maryādā*, O.Pruss. *mary*, Lith. *marios*, Ltv. *mare*, O.C.S. *morje*, Russ. *more*, Polish *morze*, Gaul. (Are)morici, O.Ir. *muir*, Welsh *môr*, Alb. *përmjerr*; giving derivatives **móriskos**, *marsh, water-logged land*, as Gmc. *mariskaz* (cf. O.E. *mersc, merisc*, O.Fr. *maresc, mareis*, Du. *mars*, Ger. *Marsch*); **morinós**, *marine*, **moriqéltosā**, *mariculture*, **oltrāmorinós**, *ultramarine*.

I.2. For IE **áwis** (earlier **h₂ewis*), *bird*, compare Lat. *avis*, Umb. *avif*, Gk. *aetos*, Skr. *vis*, Av. *viš*, Arm. *hav*, Lith. *višta*, Ltv. *vista*, Ir. *aoi*, Welsh *hwyad*; derivatives include **awiāsiós**, *aviary*, **awiqéltosā**, *aviculture*, **awiātiōn**, *aviation*, and MIE loan word for *aeroplane*, **awión** (cf. Fr. *avion*, Spa. *avión*, Pt. *avião*, Rom.,Slo. *avion*); **awispéks**, *augur, auspice* (“*observer of birds*”, see **spek**, *observe*).

Possibly from o-grade are **ówjom**, *egg* (also alternative form **ójjom**, both from earlier **h₁óh₂wiom*), as Gmc. *ajjam* (cf. Goth. *ada*, O.N. *egg*, O.E. *æg*, O.H.G. *ei*, Eng. [cockn]ey) Lat. *ōuum*, Gk. *ōion*, Pers. *xāyah*, Kurd. *hék*, Arm. *dzu*, O.C.S. *ajise*, Rus. *jajco*, Ir. *ubh*, Welsh *ŵy*, Bret. *ui*, Alb. *ve,vo*. From Latin are **owjalís**, *oval*, **ówjolos**, *ovule, ovolo*, or **owjásios**, *ovary*; from dim. **owjókos**, O.Ira. *āvuyakah*, are MIE ‘*partial*’ loan word **owjár** or ‘*full*’ loan word **kawjár**, *caviar*, from M.Pers. *khāvyar*, through Turkish into French *caviar*.

For “*aeroplane*”, different words exist in MIE, as loan words (from English using Latin words) **āweroplánom**, from **āwēr+plánom** (cf. Lat. *aeroplanum*, Eng. *airplane*, Gk. *αεροπλάνο*, It.,Spa.,Pt. *aeroplano*, Lith. *aeroplanas*, Russ. *аэроплан*, Pol. *aeroplan*, Alb. *aeroplan*, even Saami *jarplan*, Hebrew *āvīrōn*, etc.), Germanic **pleukomāghaná**, from **pléuk+māghaná** (cf. Ger. *Flugmaschine*, Da. *flyvemaskine*, *flyver*, Swe. *flygmaskin*, Fris. *fleanmasine*) or **plánom** (cf. Swe. [flyg]plan, Eng. *plane*), Balto-Slavic [**somo**]lékts (m., cf. Lith. *lèktuvas*, Russ. *самолёт*, Ukr. *лімак*, Pol. *samolot*, Cz. *letadlo, letoun*, Slk. *lietadlo*, Bulg. *самолет*, Slo. *letaló*).

An Indo-European root (**á**)**wer**, *raise, lift, hold suspended*, older **h₂wer*, is reconstructed for different Greek derivatives: **awero**, *raise*, and **awrtériā**, *windpipe, artery*, also **metáworos**, *meteor, “lifted in the air”* (from **méta-**, *meta-*, and **-aworós**, *lifted*), Gk. μετέωρος; **áwēr**, *air* (from lengthened **āwer-**), as in **āweriālis**, *aerial*, or **malá-āweriā**, *malaria*, lit. “*bad air*” (see Lat. **malós**, *bad*); zero-grade **áurā**, *breath, vapor, aura*.

For Indo-European **pleu**, *flow*, compare metathesized Lat. *pluere*, *rain*, as in **plewiós**, *rainy, pluvius*, **plewiālis**, *pluvial*; Greek **pléutis**, *sailing, pleusis*; zero-grade suffixed **plúos**, *trough, basin*, dissimilated in Greek *pyelos*; suffixed **pléumōn**, “*floater*”, *lung*, as Lat. *pulm* (from *plumon*), Gk. *pneumōn* (influenced by **pneu**, “*breath*”), Skr. *kloman*, O.Pruss. *plauti*, Lith. *plaučiai*, Ltv. *plaušas*, Russ. *pljuče*, Serb. *pluća*, as in **pleumonós/pleumonāsiós**, *pulmonary*, or **pleumoníā**, *pneumonia*; o-grade **plóutos**, *wealth, riches* (<“*overflowing*”), as in **ploutokratíā**, *plutocracy* (see **kratos**), as Gk. *πλουτοκρατία*; o-grade lengthened **plōwo**, *flow*, as Gmc. *flōwan* (cf. O.N. *flóa*, O.E. *flōwan*, O.H.G. *flouwen*, Du. *vloeien*), suffixed **plótus**, *flowing water, deluge, flood*, as Gmc. *flōthuz* (cf. Goth. *fiodus*, O.N. *flōð*, O.E. *flōd*, O.Fris. *flod*, M.Du. *vloet*, Ger. *Flut*); extended **pleuko**, *soar through air, fly*, also *swim*, as Gmc. *fleugan* (cf. O.N. *flügja*, O.E. *flēogan*, O.H.G. *fliogan*, M.Du. *vlieghe*, Ger. *fliegen*), Lith. *plaukiu*, and **pléukā**, *fly, flying insect*, as Gmc. *fleugōn* (cf. O.S. *fleiga*, O.N. *fluga*, O.E. *flēoge*, M.Du. *vlieghe*, Ger. *Fliege*), and also maybe **pleuko**, *flee, take flight*, as Gmc. *fleukhan* (cf. O.N. *fjöja*, O.E. *flēon*, O.H.G. *fliohan*, Du. *vlieden*, Ger. *fliehen*, although sometimes reconstructed as Gmc. *thleukhan*, as Goth. *þliuhan*, then later influenced by this root), causative **ploukio**, *put to flight*, as Gmc. *flaugjan* (cf. O.E. *flygan*, *flegan*, Eng. *fley*), **pléukikā**, *arrow*, from Gmc. *fleugika* (cf. Frankish into O.Fr. *flèche*, It. *freccia*, Spa.,Pt. *flecha*); zero-grade **plúktis**, *flight*, as Gmc. *flugtiz* (cf. O.E. *flyht*, *fluht*, Low Ger. *flugt*, Ger. *Flucht*); also **plúgos**, *bird*, dissimilated as Gmc. *fuglaz* (cf. Gothic *fugls*, O.E. *fugol*, O.N. *fugl*, M.Du. *voghel*, Ger. *vogel*, Goth. *fugls*), also in **plúgilos**, *wing*, as Gmc. *flugilaz* (cf. M.H.G. *vlügel*, Ger. *Flügel*); extended **pleudo**, *float, swim*, as Gmc. *fleutan* (cf. O.E. *flēotan*), and **pléutos**, *fleet, swift*, as Gmc. *fleutaz* (cf. O.N. *fljōtr*, O.E. *fleot*), also as zero-grade **plud(i)o**, *float*, as Gmc. *flotōn* (cf. O.E. *flotian*, Fr. *flotter*, Spa. *flotar*, also from same root Lith. *plaukti*, Du. *vloeien*),

PIE **pneu**, *breath*, is probably an imitative root, which appears in **pneuso**, *sneeze*, as Gmc. *fneusan* (cf. O.N. *fnysa*, O.E. *fnēosan*, O.H.G. *fnehan*, Eng. *sneeze*), zero-grade **pnus(k)o**, *sneezing, snore*, as Gmc. *fnus(k)an* (affected by rhotacism, cf. O.E. *fnora*, similar to M.H.G. *snarchen*, Du. *snorken*, Ger. *schnarchen*, Swed. *snarka*), and variant **pneso**, *snort, gnash one’s teeth*, as Gmc. *fnesan* (cf. O.E. *fnāran*, Eng. *sneer*). Modern Greek derivatives include o-grade **pnówiā**, **-pnówiā**, *breathing*, and **pnowā**, *breath*, as in **ñpnówiā**, *apnea*, **(a)supnówiā**, *eupnea*, **superpnówiā**, *hyperpnea*, **supopnówiā**, *hypopnea*, etc.; also, **pnéumn**, *breath, wind, spirit*, as in **pneumo-**, **pneumnto-**.

Also, a Modern Indo-European reconstructed **lúptus**, *air, sky*, is the source of Gmc. *luftuz* (cf. Goth. *luftus*, O.E. *lyft*, O.N. *lopt*, O.H.G. *luft*, Du. *lucht*).

For **magh**, *be able, have power*, compare Gmc. *magan* (cf. Goth. *magan*, O.N. *mega*, O.E. *magan*, O.H.G. *magan*, Ger. *mögen*, Eng. *may*, also into V.Lat. *exmagāre*, MIE [d]eksmaghā, “*deprive of power*”, *frighten*, O.Fr. *esmaier*, Anglo-Norman *desmaier*, Eng. *dismay*, Spa. *desmayar*), Att.Gk. *μῆχος*, Dor.Gk. *μᾶχος*, Skr. *magha*, Toch. *mokats*, Arm. *mart’ans*, Lith. *māgulas*, *magùs*, *mégstu*, *mégti* Ltv. *meigt*, Sla. *mogø*, *mogti*, (cf. O.C.S. *могъ, мовути*, O.Russ. *могу, мочу*, Russ. *мочь*, Pol. *móc*, *mogę*, Sr.-Cr. *могу, моћу*, Cz. *mohu*, *můžeš*,

moci); **mághtis**, *power*, as Gmc. *mahtiz* (cf. Goth. *mahts*, O.N. *mattr*, O.E. *miht*, *meht*, O.Fris., M.Du. *macht*, Ger. *Macht*, Eng. *might*), **mághinom**, *power, strenght*, as Gmc. *maginam* (cf. O.E. *mægen*, O.N. *megenn*, Eng. *main*); suffixed lengthened **māghaná**, *machine, device*, “*that which enables*”, from Att.Gk. *μηχανή*, Dor.Gk. *μαχανά*, **māghanikós**, *mechanic*, and **māghanísmos**, *mechanism*, from Mod.Lat. *mēchanismus*, or **māghano-**; suffixed **mághus**, *magus, member of a priestly caste, magician*, (from “mighty one”), as O.Pers. *maguš* (said by ancient historians to have been originally the name of a Median tribe, borrowed into Gk. *μάγος* and then into Lat. *magus*), as in **maghikós**, *magic*, or **mághikā**, *sorcery, magic*, (as O.Fr. *magique*, from Lat. *magice*, from Gk. *magikē*, fem. of *magikos*) or **Mághes**, *Magi*.

Common MIE **lekto**, *fly* (cf. O.C.S. *летѣти, лештѣ*, Russ. *лететь*, Pol. *lecieć, leceć*, also O.C.S. *лѣтати*, Russ. *летать* Pol. *latać*), and noun **lekts**, “*flyer*”, *airplane*, (cf. Russ. *лѣт*, Sr.-Cr.,Slo. *lèt*, Pol. *lot*, Cz. *let*) is reconstructed for Balto-Slavic common words, cf. Lith. *lekiù, lėkti, lakstýti*, Ltv. *lèkt, lēcu, lēcu, lēkat*; compare also O.H.G. *lecken*, Nor. *lakka*, Ger. *löcken*, Lat. *lōcusta*, Gk. *ληκῶν, λάξ, λακτίζω*.

I.3. PIE (a)**stér**, earlier **h₂ster*, is found in Gk. *ἀστήρ*, **asterískos**, *asterisk*, **asterowéidā**, *asteorid* (in compound with Gk. *-ο-ειδής*, IE **-o-weidā**, from **wéidos**, *shape, form*, from **weid**, *see, know*) as Gk. *ἀστεροειδής*, **astro-**, as Gk. *ἀστρο-*, **astrālís**, *astral*, **ástrom**, as Gk. *astron*, into Lat. *astrum*, as in **disástrom**, *disaster*; suffixed **stersā**, Gmc. *sterzōn* (cf. Goth. *stairno*, O.S. *sterro*, O.N. *stjarna*, O.E. *steorra*, O.Fris. *stera*, O.H.G. *sterro*, Du. *ster*, Ger. *Stern*), **stérlā**, as Lat. *stēlla*, as in **sterlalís**, *stellar*, **komsterlātiōn**, *constellation*. Also, compare Skr. *tāras, str̥bhis*, Pers. *setāre*, Kurd. *stérk/estére*, Oss. *sthalý*, Toch. *šre/šćiryē*, Arm. *astl*, Welsh *seren*, Kam. *ṛášto*, Hitt. *šittar*.

II. Indo-European **bheid**, *split*, as Gmc. *bītan* (cf. Goth. *beitan*, O.E. *bītan*, O.Fris. *bita*, M.Du. *biten*, Ger. *beissen*), zero-grade **bhídís**, *bite, sting*, as Gmc. *bitiz* (cf. O.E. *bite*), or **bhídā**, *bit, a pice bitten off*, as Gmc. *bitōn* (cf. O.N. *biti*, O.E. *bite, bita*), **bhidhrós**, *bitter, sharp*, as O.E. *bit(t)er*, **bhoidhio**, *harass or hunt with dogs*, as Eng. *bait* or *abet*, Gmc. *baitjan* (cf. O.N. *beita*, O.Fr. *beter*), **bhóids**, *boat* (< “*dugout canoe*” or “*split planking*”), as Gmc. *bait-* (cf. O.E. *bāt*, Ger., Du. *boot*, Da.,Nor.,Swe. *båt*, also O.Fr. *batel*, Fr. *bateau*, It. *battello*, Spa. *bote*, Sco. *bàta*, Welsh *bad*, Hi. pot, even Estonian *paat*, Japanese *bōto*, etc.); also nasalized zero-grade **bhindo**, *split*, as Lat. *findere*, with p.part. **bhistós** (< **bhidto-*) giving **bhístiōn**, *fission*, **bhistósā**, *fissure*.

III. Greek *baris* “*Egyptian boat*”, from Coptic *bari* “*small boat*”, was adopted as **bár(i)kā** in Latin, as O.Fr. *barge* (from M.L. *barga*, and into Bret. *bag*, Eng. *barge*), Gk. *βάρκα*, It. *barca*, Spa., Pt. *barco, barca*, Rom. *barcă*, Alb. *varkë*, Slo. *barka*.

IV. Germanic “*ship*” is reconstructed as MIE **skibs**, *ship, boat*, from Gmc. *skip-* (cf. O.N., O.S., Goth. *skip*, O.E., M.Du. *scip*, O.H.G. *skif*, Dan. *skib*, Swed. *skepp*, Du. *schip*, Ger. *Schiff*, Yid. *shif*), possibly a zero-grade extended derivative from **skei** (in turn derived from PIE **sek**), *cut, split*, giving suffixed **skéinā**, *shin, shinbone*, (as O.E. *scinu*), or **ekskéinā**, *backbone, chine*, as O.Fr. *eschine*; from Lat. *scire*, “*know*” (from “*separate one thing from nother, discern*”), are MIE **skejéntia**, *knowledge, learning, science*, **komskejéntiā**, *conscience*, inchoative **skeisko**, *vote for*, giving **skéitom**, *decree*, from which **pledhuweskéitom**, *plebiscite* (see **plēdhūs**, *people*); **skíjenā**, *knife*, as O.Ir. *scīan*, Eng. *skean*; **skeido**, *separate, defecate*, as Gmc. *skītan* (cf. O.N. *skīta*, O.E. *scītan*, O.H.G. *skīzzan*, Eng. *shīt*); **skidio**, *split*, as (aspirated) Gk. *σχίζειν*, found in **skísmn**, *schism*, **skidio-**, *schizo-*; nasalized zero-grade **skindo**, *split*, as Lat. *scindere*, p.part. **skistós** (< **skidto-*), in **skístiōn**, *scission*, also in

ekskindo, *exscind*, **prāiskindo**, *prescind*, **reskindo**, *rescind*; extended **skeito**, *separate*, as Gmc. *skaithan* (cf. Goth. *skaidan*, O.S. *skethan*, O.E. *scēadan*, *scadan*, O.Fris. *sketha*, M.Du. *sceiden*, O.H.G. *sceidan*, Du. *scheiden*, Ger. *scheiden*), **skéitom**, *log*, *stick*, *snowshoe*, hence *ski*, as O.N. *skīdh*, from Gmc. *skīdam*, also as MIE loan word **skī(t)**; **skóitom**, *shield* (< “board”), as Lat. *scūtum*; extended *skeipo*, *slice*, *split*, as Gmc. *skīfan*, as in O.N. *skīfa*, M.E. *sheve*, M.L.G. *schever*, Eng. *sheave*, *skive*, *shiver*.

V. For Slavic “*lod-*” (cf. O.C.S. *лѡдиу*, *лѡдиу*, O.Russ. *лодьа*, *лодька*, Ukr. *лодь*, Bel. *лодька*, Pol. *łódź*, Cz. *lod’*, *lodí*, Sr.-Cr. *lađa*, Slo. *ládja*, Bul. *лѡдя*) a common Slavic *oldī*, MIE **óldīs**, is reconstructed (cf. Lith. *aldijà*, *eldijà*), also attested as O.E. *ealdod*, “*alviolum*”, Swe. *ålla*, Da. *aalde*, *olde*, Nor. *olda*, dial. *olle*.

VI. Common Greek loan words for “*boat*”, also “*crab*, *beetle*”, are **karábīōn**, as Gk. *καράβιον*, borrowed in O.C.S., Russ. *корабль*, O.Pol. *korabia*, Ukr. *корабель*, Slk. *koráb*, Sr.-Cr. *korab*, *корабаль*, also Rom. *caraban*, also **kárabos**, as Gk. *κάραβος*, borrowed in Lat. *carabus* (cf. Fr. *caravelle*, It. *caravella*, Spa. *carabela*, Pt. *caravela*), Alb. *karabishte*, even Arab *qārib*, as well as (probably) **skarabáios**, *scarab*, as V.Lat. *scarabaius* (cf. Fr. *scarabée*, It. *scarabeo*, Spa. *scarabajo*, Pt. *escaravelho*, also in Gk. *Σκαραβαίος*, Russ., Bul. *скарабеѡ*, Sr.-Cr. *skarabej*, etc.). Probably unrelated to Eng. “*crab*”, from IE **gerbh**, “*scratch*”.

VII. For Persian *کشتی* (*kešti*, “*ship*”, found in Hindustani *kašti* (cf. Hi. *कश्ती*, Ur. *کشتی*), from a source akin to Indo-Iranian *kath*, “*wood*”, MIE **kadh**, **kástis** (< **kadh-ti-*), possibly non-IE, but maybe a secondary root derived from an earlier **ka-*, related to *forest*, *wood*; compare with Indo-European roots **kat-** (“*hut*”, cf. Lat. *casa*, Av. *kata-*, Pers. *kad*, v.s.), **kaito-** (“*forest*”, v.i) and **kald-** (“*wood*”, as O.C.S. *klada* “*beam*, *timber*”, Gk. *klados* “*twig*”, O.Ir. *caill* “*wood*”, and zero-grade **kídom**, Gmc. *khultam*, cf. O.E., O.Fris., M.Du. *holt*, O.H.G. *holz*)

Indo-European root **kaito-**, *forest*, *uncultivated land*, also *wood*, is attested (in Celtic and Germanic) as Gaul. *kaito-briga* (Lat. *cēto-briga*), O.Welsh *coit*, O.Cor. *cuit*, Bret. *coet*, and also from **káitis**, Gmc. *khaithis* (cf. Goth. *haiþi*, O.N. *heiðr*, O.E. *hæð*, O.H.G. *heida*, Eng. *heath*, Ger. *heide*), and loan-translated Germanic **káitinos**, *heathen*, as Gmc. *khaithinaz* (cf. Goth. *haiþnō*, O.N. *heiðinn*, O.E. *hæðen*, O.H.G. *heidan*), from Lat. *paganus*, from Lat. *pagus*, “*land*”.

Proto-Indo-European **pag**, also **pak**, *fasten*, gives **pakio**, *join*, *fit*, as gmc. *fōgjan* (cf. O.E. *fēgan*, Eng. *fay*), nasalized **panko**, *seize*, as Gmc. *panhan* (cf. O.E. *fang*, *feng*, Du. *vangen*, O.H.G. *fangen*), and **pango**, *fasten*, as Lat. *pangere*, as in **enpango**, *impinge*, or loan words **kompagtós**, *compact*, **enpágtos**, *impact*; **pāks**, *peace* (from “*a binding together by treaty or agreement*”), as Lat. *pax*, in **pakidhakā**, *pacify*, **pakidhakós**, *pacific*; **pakisko**, *agree*, as Lat. *paciscī*, as **paktós**, *agreed*, **páktom**, *pact*; **pákslos**, *stake* (*fixed in the ground*), *pole*, as Lat. *pālus*, in MIE **pákslikiā**, *palisade* (from V.Lat. *pālicea*, into Prov. *palissada*, Fr. *palissade*, Spa. *palizada*), **enpakslā**, *impale*, **tripakslīā**, *work hard* (from **tripáksliom**, *instrument of torture*, from **tri-pakslī**, *having three stakes*, Lat. *tripaliāre*, Fr. *travailler*, It. *travagliare*, Spa. *trabajar*, Pt. *trabalhar*, Cat. *treballar*, Filipino *trabaho*, etc., also Eng. *travel*, from Fr. *travail*); loan **pákslā**, *spade*, as Lat. *pāla*; lengthened-grade **pāgos**, “*boundary staked out on the ground*,” *district*, *village*, *country* (cf. Fr. *pays*, It. *paese*, Pt., Spa., Cat. *país*, Rom. *pajais*), as in **pāgānós**, *country-dweller*, *civilian*, then extended as *pagan*, and **pāgéntis**, *inhabitant of a district* (as Lat. *pāgēnsis*, M.Fr. *paisant*, Eng. *peasant*, Spa. *paisano*, Cat. *pagès*, etc.), **pāginā**, “*trellis to which a row of vines is fixed*”, hence (by metaphor) *column of writing*, *page*, as Lat. *pāgina*; **prōpāgā**, *propagate* (from “*fix*

before”, with **prō-**, *before*); **pagno**, *fasten, coagulate*, as in **pāgtós**, *coagulated*, Gk. πηκτός, or **pāgtinā**, *pectin*, and **págos**, *mass, hill*.

VIII. Common Slavic word *cheln*, “boat”, (cf. Russ. челн, Ukr. човен, Cz. člun, Slk. čln, Slo. čoln), MIE **tsheln**, was the name used by the Cossacks of Zaporizhian Sich within the first military campaigns of the Russian Navy against the Tatars and Turks, using sailboats and rowboats, in the 16th-17th centuries.

IX. Persian *qayeq* and Greek καϊκι, “boat”, are from a source akin to French *caïque*, It. *caicco*, i.e. probably Turkish *kayik*, O.Turkish *qayghug*, maybe from an old Turkic (or otherwise old Asian) word, possibly related to American Indian *kayak*, and American Spanish *cayuco*. Hence, MIE **kájik**, *boat, caïque, kájak, kayak*.

A PIE root similar (but unrelated) to these non-IE words is **kaikós**, *blind*, as Goth. *haihs*, Lat. *caecus*, Gk. *kaikias*, Skr. *kekara*, Lith. *keikti*, Polish *Kajko*, O.Ir. *caech*, Welsh *coeg*.

A common Iberian word for “bat” is MIE **kaikomūs**, “blind mouse” (cf. Gl.-Pt. *morcego*, Spa. *murciégalo*, Cat. *muricec*), from PIE **mūs**, *mouse*, Gmc. *mūs* (cf. O.N., O.Fris., M.Du., O.E., O.H.G. *mūs*, Eng. *mouse*, Ger. *Maus*), Lat. *mūs*, Gk. *mūs*, Skr. *mūṣ*, Av. *mus*, Pers. *muš*, Arm. *muk/mug*, Lith. *musė*, O.C.S. *mysu*, Russ. *мышь*, Polish *mysz*, Alb. *mi*, Kamviri *musa*. Compare for MIE **pleukomūs**, **lektomūs**, “flying mouse”, as Da. *flagermus*, Nor. *flaggermus*, Swe. *fladdermus*, Fae. *flogmús*, Du. *vleermuis*, Ger. *Fledermaus*, Russ. *летучая мышь*, Bel. *лятучая мыш*;; cf. also Sr.-Cr. *slepi miš*, *šišmiš*, etc. Also, cf. words for *night*, Gk. *νυκτερίδα*, Lat. *uespertilio*.

X. Persian *jahāz*, also found in Hindustani (cf. Hi. जहाज, जहाज़, Ur. جہاز), is of Arabic origin.

XI. English *vessel* comes from O.Fr. *vessel*, in turn from V.Lat. *uascellum* “small vase or urn”, also “a ship” (cf. Fr. *vaisseau*, It. *vascello*, Cat. *vaixell*, Spa. *bajel*, and, from Lat. pl.n. *uascēlla*, Spa. *vajilla*, Pt. *baixela*), dim. of *uasculum*, itself a dim. of *uās* “vessel” (cf. Fr. *vase*, It., Spa., Pt. *vaso*, Cat. *vas*), hence MIE loan words **wās**, *vessel, vase, wáskolom, vessel, ship*.

128. Indo-European words for “war, battle”:

I. A common PIE word seems to have been **kóros**, *war, strife*, as O.Pers. *kāra*, Pers. *kārzār*, Kurd. *šer*, O.Pruss. *kargis*, Lith. *karas*, Ltv. *kaŗš*, Russ. *кара*, Pol. *kara*; with derivatives **kórios**, *armed force, war-band, host, army, troop*, as Gmc. *kharjaz* (cf. Goth. *harjis*, O.N. *herr*, O.E. *here*, O.H.G. *heri*, Eng. *heriot*, Ger. *Heer*), Lith. *karias*, Gaul. [Tri]corii, O.Ir. *cuire*; **koriános**, *ruler, leader, commander*, as Gk. *koiranos*; **koriobhérgchos**, “army hill”, *hill-fort, later shelter, lodging, army quarters*, as Gmc. *kharjabergaz* (cf. O.N. *herbergi*, O.E. *herebeorg*, Du. *herberg*, Ger. *Herberge*, Swedish *härbärke*; meaning shift in Eng. *harbor*, into Welsh *harbwr*, see **bhergh**, v.i. for Germanic *haven, “harbour”*); **koriowóldhos**, *army-commander, herald (woldho, rule, power, see wal)*, as Gmc. *kharja-waldaz* (cf. Anglo-Norman *herald*, Ger. [Wappen]herold, Fr. *héraut*, It. *araldo*, Spa. *heraldo*, Pt. *arauto*, etc.), **korionéstom**, “army provisions”, *harness* (from **néstom**, *food for a journey, see nes*), as Gmc. *kharja-nestam* (cf. O.Fr. *harneis*, Eng. *harness*); denominative **korio**, *harry, ravage, plunder, raid*, as Gmc. *kharjōn* (cf. O.E. *hergian*); **korikréngchos**, “host-ring”, *assembly, public square (kréngchos, ring, see sker)*, as Gmc. *kharihring* (cf. O.It. *aringo, arringa*, Prov. *arenga*, Eng. *harangue*, Spa. *arenga*, etc.).

I.1. PIE **wal**, *be strong*, is found as suffixed stative **walē**, Lat. *ualēre*, as in **walós**, *strong*, **wálōs**, *strength, komtrāwálōs, countervail, walénts, brave, valiant, waléntiā, valence, ambhiwaléntiā, ambivalence, walidós, valid, ŋwalidós, invalid, adwális, avail* (from Fr. *aval*), **komwalēsko, convalesce, ekwaluā, evaluate, praīwalē, prevail, walideiko, say farewell**, (see **deik, show**), **walidéiktiōn, valediction, aiqīwalē,**

have equal force (as Lat. *aequi-*, Eng. *equi-*), **aiqiwalénts**, *equivalent*; extended o-grade **woldho**, *rule, govern*, as Gmc. *waldan* (cf. O.S., Goth. *waldan*, O.N. *valda*, O.E. *wealdan, wieldan*, O.Fris. *walda*, O.H.G. *waltan*, Ger. *walten*, Eng. *wield*), and suffixed **wólstis** (<**wold-ti-*), *rule*, as Sla. *volstb* (cf. O.C.S. *vlasti*, Russ. *власть, власть*), as in **opwólstis**, *oblast*, Sla. *ob-volstb* (cf. O.C.S. *область*, O.Russ. *облоость*, Cz. *oblast*, etc.).

PIE verbal root **deik**, *show, pronounce solemnly*, gives Lat. *dícere, say, tell*, as in borrowings **déiktiōn**, *diction*, **deiktā**, *dictate*, **déiktātos**, *dictate*, **déiktom**, *dictum*, **addeiktós**, *addict*, **dwenideiko** (see **dwenós**, *good*), *bless*, **dwenédéiktiōn**, *benediction*, **komdéikiōn**, *condition*, **komtrādeiko**, *contradict*, **ekdeiko**, *edict*, **enterdéiktom**, *interdict*, **jowosesdeikós**, *juridicial*, (Lat. *iūs, iūris*, corresponds to MIE **jówos, jowosés**, see rhotacism), **jowosedéiktion**, *jurisdiction*, **malideiko**, *maledict*, **prāideiko**, *predict*, **wērideiko**, “*tell the truth*” (see **wērós**, *true*), **wērideikós**, *veridical*, **wēridéiktos**, *verdict*; suffixed zero-grade verb **dikā**, *proclaim*, Lat. *dicāre*, as in **apdikā**, *abdicate*, **dedikā**, *dedicate*, **prāidikā**, *predicate*; agential suffix **-dik-**, in **éndiks**, *index, indicator, forefinger*, **endikā**, *indicate*, also **jówosdikis**, *judge*, Lat. *iūdex*, **jowosdikiālís**, *judicial*, **prāijowosdikā**, *prejudge*, **prāijowosdikiom**, *prejudice*; **wíndiks**, *surety, claimant, avenger*, as Lat. *uindex*, as in **wíndikā**, *vindicate, avenge, take revenge*; **deikno**, *show*, **déikmn**, *sample, pattern*, as in **deiktis**, *deixis*, **deiktikós**, *deictic*, **paradéikmn**, *paradigm*, **apódeiktis**, *proof, demonstration, policy* (cf. Gk. *ἀπόδειξις*, into Lat. *apodixa*, “*receipt*”, then It. *polizza*, into Fr. *police*, Spa. *póliza*, etc.); zero-grade **dikā**, *justice, right, court case*, as in **komdikós**, *syndic*, as Gk. *σύνδικος*, **dhesodikā**, *theodicy*, and **diko**, *throw* (from “*direct an object*”), as in **diskos**, *disk*, Gk. *δίσκος*; o-grade **doikuā**, *toe (“pointer”)*, as Gmc. *taihuo* (cf. O.N. *ta*, O.E. *tahe*, O.Fris. *tane*, O.H.G. *zecha*, M.Du. *te*). Variant form **deig-** gives o-grade **doigio**, *show, instruct*, as Gmc. *taikjan* (cf. Goth. *ga-teihan*, O.E. *tācan*, O.H.G. *zihan*, Eng. *teach*, Ger. *zeihen*), **dóignom**, *mark, sign, token*, as Gmc. *taiknam* (cf. Goth. *taikns*, O.S. *tekan*, O.N. *teikn*, O.E. *tācen, tācn*, O.H.G. *zeihhan*, O.Fris., M.Du. *teken*, Du. *teken*, Ger. *zeichnen*), zero-grade **dígitos**, *finger* (from “*pointer, indicator*”).

Indo-European **wērós** (earlier **werh₁-o-*), *true, trustworthy*, and **wérā**, *faithfulness, faith*, hence *pledge, agreement, promise, treaty*, gives Gmc. *wēro-* (cf. O.E. *wār*, O.Du., O.H.G. *war*, Du. *waar*, Ger. *wahr*), Lat. *verax* (cf. O.Fr. *verai*, Anglo-Fr. *verrai*, O.E. *verray*, Eng. *very*), O.C.S. *вѣра*, Russ. *вера*, Pol. *wiara*, Bul. *вяра*, Welsh *gwyr*, O.Ir. *fír*. Derivatives include **wērāks**, *truthful, veracious*, **wéritā**, *verity*, **wēridhakā**, *verify*, etc.

I.2. PIE **nes**, *turn out well, rest, return safely home*, gives O.Gk. *nehomai* (**ninsomai*), O.Ind. *nasate*, Toch. *nas-/nes-*; also, suffixed **néstom**, *food for a journey*, as Gmc. *nestam* (cf. O.E., O.H.G., O.N. *nest*), as in **korionéstom**, *harness* (for **kóros**, *war*, v.s.); o-grade **nóstos**, *a return home*, as Gk. *vóστος*, found in common **nostalgíā**, in compound with Gk. borrowing **-algíā**, Gk. *αλγία*, from **álgos**, *pain*, Gk. *ἄλγος*.

I.3. PIE **(s)ker**, *turn, bend*, gives Germanic nasalized extended **skreng**, *wither, shrivel up*, as Gmc. *skrink*, **kréngā**, *a crease, fold*, (cf. O.N. *hrukka*, Eng. *ruck*), and **krengio**, *wrinkle* (cf. Frank. *hrukjan*, O.Fr. *fronce*, Eng. *flounce*), as Gmc. *khruk-*; nasalized extended **krénghos**, *circle, something curved, ring*, as Gmc. *khringaz*, (cf. O.E. *hring*, O.N. *hringr*, O.Fris. *hring*, M.Du. *rinc*, Ger. *Ring*), also found in O.Fr. *renc, reng*, “*line, row*”, which gives loan words **krenghs**, *rank, range*, **adkrengho**, *arrange*; extended *kreukios*, *back*, as Gmc. *khrujjaz* (cf. O.N. *hryggr*, O.E. *hrycg*, O.Fris. *hregg*, O.S. *hruggi*, O.H.G. *hrukki*, Du. *rug*, Eng. *ridge*, Ger. *Rücken*); suffixed variant **kurwós**, *bent, curved*, as Lat. *curuus*, as in **kúrwā**, *curve*, **kurwatós**, *curved*, or **kurwatósā**, *curvature*; suffixed extended **krísnis**, *hair*, as Lat. *crínis*, **krístā**, *tuft, crest*, as Lat. *crista*, **kripsós**, *curly*, as

metathesized Lat. *crispus*, hence MIE **krispós**, *crisp*; expressive **krisā**, *wiggle the hips during copulation*, as Lat. *crīsāre*, in **krísom**, *crissum*; reduplicated **kíkros**, *ring* (metathesized as **kirkos* in Latin), also *circus*, **kíkrolos**, *circle*, **kikrom-**, *circum-*, **kíkrā**, *go around*, hence *search*, **rekíkrā**, *research*; suffixed o-grade **korónós**, *curved*, as in **korónā**, *anything curved, kind of crown*; variant **kurtós**, *convex*, as in **kurtósis**.

Another similar PIE root is (s)**ker**, *cut*, also “*shear, separate*” as in Gmc. *skeran* (cf. O.E. *scieran*, *sceran*, Low Ger., Du. *scheren*, Eng. *shear, sheer*), Gk. *keirein*, Skr. *krnati, krntati*, Lith. *skiriu*, O.Ir. *scaraim*, Welsh *ysgar, ysgyr*, Hitt. *karsh*; **skéros**, *share, portion, division*, as Gmc. *skeraz* (cf. O.N. *skör*, O.E. *scēar, scearu, scaru*, O.H.G. *scara*, Ger. *Schar*); **skérā**, *scissors*, as O.E. *scēar*, in **skērbhérgs**, “*sword protector*”, *scabbard*, as Gmc. *skerberg* (cf. O.H.G. *scarberc*, O.Fr. *escauberc*, see **bhergh**); **skfā**, *notch, tally, score*, from Gmc. *skuro* (cf. O.N. *skor*, O.E. *scoru*); **skóriom**, *low reef* (“*something cut off*”), as Gmc. *skarjam* (cf. O.N. *sker*, Eng. *scar, skerry*), **skórpos**, *diagonally-cut end of a board*, as Gmc. *skarfaz* (cf. O.N. *skarfr*, Eng. *scarf*), suffixed o-grade **skórdos**, *cut, notch*, as Gmc. *skardaz* (cf. O.E. *sceard*, Eng. *shard*); **skrdós**, *short*, and **skfdos**, *skirt, shirt* (“*cut piece*”), as Gmc. *skurtaz* (cf. O.N. *skyrta*, Swed. *skjorta*, O.E. *scort, sceort; scyrte*, M.Du. *scorte*, M.H.G. *schurz*, Du. *schort*, Ger. *Schurz*); extended **skermo**, *protect*, as Gmc. *skirman* (cf. O.H.G. *skirmen*, O.Fr. *eskermir*), as in MIE **skérmā**, *skirmish* (cf. Eng. *skirmish*, Du. *schermutseling*, Swe. *skärmytsling*, O.It. *scaramuccia*, Spa. *escaramuza*, etc.), **skérmos**, *shield*; variant form **kórōn**, *flesh*, as Lat. *caro* (stem *carn-*), as in **koronālis**, *carnal*, **koronātiōn**, *carnation*, **koron(es)lechālis**, *carnival*, (cf. O.It. *carnevale*, haplology from Lat. *carneleuare*) also MIE partial loan **karnichālis**, **koroniuorós**, *carnivorous*; **kóriom**, *leather* (from “*piece of hide*”), as Lat. *corium*; **krtós**, *short*, as Lat. *curtus*; Greek **kórmos**, *trimmed tree trunk*, **kóris**, *bedbug* (from “*cutter*”); **skfā**, *shore*, as Gmc. *skurō* (cf. O.E. *scora*, M.L.G. *schor*, M.Du. *scorre*); **kórtaks**, *bark* (“*that which can be cut off*”); **kértsnā**, *meal* (“*portion of food*”), as Lat. *cēna*; **skerbhós**, *cutting, sharp*, as Gmc. *skarpaz* (cf. Goth. *skarp-*, O.S. *scarp*, O.N. *skarpr*, O.E. *scearp*, O.Fris. *skerp*, Du. *scherp*, Ger. *scharf*), **skróbā**, “*pieces*”, *remains*, as Gmc. *skrapo*, **skróbho**, *scrape*, as Gmc. *skraban*, **skróbis**, *trench, ditch*, as Lat. *scrobis*, or **skróbhā**, *a sow* (from “*rooter, digger*”), as Lat. *scrōfa*; extended suffixed **epikrsiós**, *at an angle, slanted, “biased”*, as Gk. *epikarsios* (cf. Fr. *biais*, Eng. *bias*).

I.4. Germanic “*haven*” comes from IE **kápnā**, *harbour*, perhaps “*place that holds ships*”, from P.Gmc. **khafnō* (cf. O.N. *hofn*, O.E. *hæfen*, M.L.G. *havene*, Ger. *Hafen*, also O.N. *haf*, O.E. *hæf*, “*sea*”), from PIE **kap**, *grasp* (compare with **ghabh**) cf. Skr. *kapati*, Gk. *kaptein*, Ltv. *kampiu*, O.Ir. *cacht*, Welsh *caeth*. Common derivatives include **káptiom**, *handle*, as Gmc. *khafjam* (cf. O.E. *hæft*, O.H.G. *hefti*, Du. *hecht*, Eng. *haft*, Ger. *Heft*); basic form **kap**, *have, hold*, as Gmc. *khabb-* (cf. Goth. *haban*, O.N. *hafa*, O.S. *hebbjan*, O.E. *habban*, O.Fris. *habba*, Eng. *have*, Ger. *haben*); **kapigós**, “*containing something*”, *having weight, heavy*, as Gmc. *khafigaz* (cf. O.N. *hebig*, O.E. *hefig*); **kápokos**, *hawk*, as Gmc. *khabukaz* (cf. O.N. *haukr*, O.E. *h[e]afoc*, M.Du. *havik*, Ger. *Habicht*, compare with Russ. *kobec*); **-kaps**, “*taker*”, as Lat. *-ceps*; **kapio**, *take, seize, catch, lift*, as Gmc. *hafjan* (cf. Goth. *hafjan*, O.N. *hefja*, O.E. *hebban*, Du. *heffen*, Ger. *heben*), Lat. *capere*, as in **kapáks**, *capable, capacious*, **káptiōn**, *caption*, **kaptēiuā**, *captivate*, **kaptēiuós**, *captive*, **kaptós**, *captive*, **kaptór**, *captor*, **kaptosā**, *capture*, **antikapio**, *anticipate*, **komkapio**, *conceive*, **dekapio**, *deceive*, **ekskapio**, *except*, **enkapio**, *incept*, **enterkapio**, *intercept*, **preismkáps**, *prince*, **moineskáps**, *citizen*, **moineskápiom**, *city, municipality*,

obhkapā, *occupy*, **partikapā**, *participate*, **perkapio**, *ceceive*, **rekapio**, *receive*, *recover*, *recuperate*, **supkaptibhilís**, *susceptible*; variant Greek **kōpā**, *oar*, *handle*.

PIE **ghabh**, also **ghebh**, *give* or *receive*, has derivatives as Gmc. *geban* (cf. Goth. *giban*, O.N. *gefa*, O.E. *giefan*, O.H.G. *geban*, Eng. *give*, Ger. *geben*), Lat. *habēre*, Oscan *hafiar*, Umbrian *habe*, Skr. *gabhasti*, Lith. *gabana*, Ltv. *gabana*, O.C.S. *gobino*, Gaul. *gabi*, O.Ir. *gaibid*, Welsh *gafael*, Alb. *grabit/grabis*. Common derivatives include **perghebh**, *give away*, *give up*, *leave off*, *remit*, as Gmc. *fargeban* (cf. Eng. *forgive*, Du. *vergeven*, Ger. *vergeben*); **ghébh̄tis**, *something given* (or *received*), *gift*, as Gmc. *giftiz* (cf. O.N. *gipt*, *gift*, O.Fris. *jeftē*, M.Du. *ghifte*, Ger. *Mitgift*), **ghóbbholom**, *something paid* (or *received*), *tribute*, *tax*, *debt*, as Gmc. *gabulam* (cf. O.E. *gafol*, M.H.G. *gaffel*, Eng. *gavel*, Ger. dial. *gaffel*); **ghabhē**, *hold*, *possess*, *have*, *handle*, and **ghabitā**, *dwell*, as Lat. *habēre*, *habitāre*, in **ghabbhilís**, *habile*, *able*, **ghábitos**, *habit*, **ghabbhitābbhilís**, *habitable*, **ghabbhitānts**, *habitant*, **ghábbhitā**, *habitat*, **eksghabhē**, *exhibit*, **enghabē**, *inhibit*, **proghabē**, *prohibit*; **deghabhe**, *owe*, as Lat. *debere*, as in **deghabitós**, *due*, **deghábbhitom**, *debit*, **deghábbhita** (n.pl), *debt*.

The proper PIE term for debt seems to be **deléghlā**, cf. O.Ir. *dligim*, Goth. *dulgs*, O.Sla. *dlъgъ*, and also Lat. *in-dulgeō*, Gk. *ἐν-δελεχίης*, Alb. *glatë*, etc., presumably from extended **d(e)legh-**, from **del**, *long*, see **dlongho-**.

I.5. For PIE **bhergh**, *hide*, *protect*, compare Gmc. *bergan* (cf. Goth. *bairgan*, O.N. *bjarga*, O.H.G. *bergan*, Ger. *bergen*), OCS *brěgq*, Russ. *bereč'*, as in zero-grade **bhrghio**, *bury*, Gmc. *burgjan* (cf. O.E. *byrgan*, Eng. *bury*).

Related PIE **bhergh**, *high*, with derivatives referring to *hills* and *hill-forts*, gives Lat. *fortis*, Skr. *barhayati*, Av. *bərəzant*, Pers. *burj*, Thrac. *bergas*, Illyr. *Berginium*, Toch. *pärk/pärk*, Arm. *bardzut'iun*, Russ. *bereg*, Gaul. *Bergusia*, O.Ir. *brí*, Welsh *bre*, *bera*, Alb. *burg*; Hitt. *parku*, Lyc. *prije;pruwa*, A.Mac. *Berga*. Common MIE derivatives include borrowing **isobhérghs**, *iceberg* (for MIE loan **iso-**, Gmc. *isa-*, “ice”, cf. O.N. *iss*, O.E. *is*, O.Fris. *is*, Du. *ijs*, Ger. *Eis*), zero-grade **bhrghs**, *hill-fort*, *castle*, hence *fortified town*, *city*, as Gmc. *burgs* (cf. Goth. *baurgs*, O.N. *borg*, O.E. *burg*, *burh*, *byrig*, O.H.G. *berg*, Eng. *borough*, Ger. *Burg*, into Lat. *burgus*, O.Fr. *burg*, O.Spa. *burgo*, etc.), **bhrghwórōn**, “city protector”, *townsman*, as Gmc. *burg-warōn* (see **wer**, cf. O.H.G. *burgari*, Eng. *burgher*); suffixed zero-grade **bhrgh̄tis**, *strong*, **bhr̄gh̄tiā**, *force*, as Lat. *fortis*, *fortia* (some relate it to **dher**), in **ekbhr̄gh̄tis**, *effort*, **enbhr̄gh̄tiā**, *enforce*, **bhr̄gh̄tidhakā**, *fortify*, **reenbhr̄gh̄tiā**, *reinforce*, etc.

The proper IE word for “ice” is **jeg**, which gives Lith. *iža*, Ltv. *ieze*, Russ. *ikra*, O.Ir. *aig*, Welsh *ia*, and suffixed **jégilos**, *ice*, *icicle*, *glacier*, as Gmc. *jekilaz* (cf. O.N. *jaki*, dim. *jökull*, O.E. *gicel*, O.H.G. *ichil*, M.E. [*is*]ykle, Ger. *gicht*, *oighear*, Eng.dial. *ickle*, Eng. [*ic*]icle).

PIE root **gel-**, *cold*, gives Lat. *gelū*, Oscan *gelan*, Lith. *gelmenis*, Gk. *gelandron*; extended adjective **goldós** gives Gmc. *kaldaz* (cf. Goth. *kalds*, O.N. *kaldr*, O.E. *cald*, *ceald*, O.H.G. *kalt*), O.C.S. *hlad*, Pol. *chlód*.

PIE **dher**, *hold firmly*, *support*, gives **dhermós**, *firm*, *strong*, as Lat. *firmus*, in **addhermā**, *affirm*, **komdhermā**, *confirm*, **ndhermós**, *infirm*, *ill*, **ndhermāriā**, *infirmery*; suffixed zero-grade **dhrónos**, *seat*, *throne* (from “support”); suffixed **dhérmn**, *statute*, *law*, as Skr. *dharma* (“that which is established firmly”); suffixed **dhérenā**, *a holding firm*, Prakrit *dharana*; **dhóros**, *holding*, as Ira. *dāra-*, Pers. *-dār*.

IE **wer**, *cover*, gives **wériā**, *defence*, *protection*, as Gmc. *werjōn* (cf. Goth. *warjan*, O.N. *ver*, O.E. *wer*, O.Fris., M.Du. *were*, O.H.G. *wari*, Eng. *weir*, Du. *weer*, Ger. *Wehr*); compound **apwerio**, *open*, *uncover*, (**ap-**, *off*, *away*, see **apo**), as Lat. *aperire*, as in **apwertós**, *opened*, *overt*, **apwertósā**, *aperture*, *overture*; **opwerio**, *cover* (**op-**,

over, see **epi**), as Lat. *operire*, as in **komopwerio**, *cover*; **wértros**, *enclosure*, as Skr. *vatah*; o-grade **wornio**, *take heed, warn*, as Gmc. *warnōn* (cf. O.E. *warenian*, O.N. *varna*, O.H.G. *warnon*, Eng. *warn*, Ger. *warnen*), in **worónts**, *warrant, authorization*, (cf. O.N.Fr. *warant*, O.Fr. *garant*), **worontíā**, *warranty, guaranty* (cf. O.N.Fr. *warantir*, Fr. *garantie*), **woro**, *guard, protect* (cf. O.Fr. *garer*, *guerrer*), in **worótikom**, *garage*, **worio**, *defend, protect* (cf. O.Fr. *guarir*), **wórisōn**, *garrison*, **wornio**, *to equip* (cf. O.Fr. *guarnir*).

Derivatives of PIE **apo**, or **ap-**, *off, away*, are Gmc. *af-* (cf. Goth., O.N. *af*, O.E. *of*, *æf*, O.Fris. *af*, *of*, O.H.G. *ab*, *aba*, Eng. *of*, *off*, Du. *af*, Ger. *ab*), Lat. *ab*, Gk. *apo*, Ind.-Ira. *apa*, Bl.-Sl. *po*. Common MIE words include **apton**, *behind*, as Gmc. *aftan* (cf. O.E. *æftan*, Eng. *aft*, *abaft*), **aptero**, *after, behind*, as Gmc. *aftar* (cf. O.E. *æfter*), **apuko**, *turned backward*, as Gmc. *afugo* (cf. O.N. *öfugr*, O.E. *awk*); variant **po-**, *on, in*, as Balto-Slavic *po*, Latin extended **post**, also in verb **posino** (from Lat. *pōnere*, from *po+sinere*, “*leave, let*”, of obscure origin), p.part. **positós**, both giving common MIE **pógrom**, **posteriós**, *posterior*, **postmr̥tim**, (see PIE **mer**), *postmortem*, **positósā**, *posture*, **positiōn**, **adposine**, **adpositiōn**, **komposino**, *compose*, **kompositiōn**, **komtrāpositós**, **deposino**, **depositós**, **disposino**, *dispose*, **eksposino**, *expose*, **enposino**, *impose*, **enpositós**, *imposed*, **enpósitom**, *impost*, **enterposino**, *interpose*, **obhposino**, *oppose*, **obhpositiōn**, **supposino**, *suppose*, **suppositiōn**, *supposition*, **transposino**, *transpose*, etc.

For PIE **mer**, *rub away, harm*, compare **morá**, *goblin, incubus*, as Gmc. *marōn* (cf. O.E. *mare*, *mære*, Eng. [*night*]mare), O.Ir. *Morri*[gain], Bulg., Serb., Pol. *mora*, Fr. [*cauche*]mar; **mfo**, *waste away, wither*, as in **mrasmós**, *marasmus*, as Gk. μαρασμός; **mrtáriom**, *mortar* (from “*ground down*”) as Lat. *mortāriom*; extended **mordē**, *bite*, as Lat. *mordēre*, as in **mordáks**, *mordacious*, **remordē**, *remorse*, etc.; suffixed **mórbhos**, *disease*, as Lat. *morbus*, in **morbhidós**, *morbid*. Probably the same root is **mer**, *die* (cf. Hitt. *mer*), with derivatives **mftrom**, *murder*, as Gmc. *murthra-* (cf. Goth. *maurþr*, O.N. *morð*, O.E. *morðor*, O.Fris. *morth*, M.Du. *moort*, Ger. *Mord*, also in M.Lat. *murdrum*, O.Fr. *mordre*), **mftis**, *death*, as Lat. *mors*, O.Ind. *mṛtiṣ*, Lith. *mir̥tis*, Ltv. *mir̥te*, Sla. *m̥rtь* (cf. O.C.S. [с̣]мр̣ьмь, с̣ from *svō-*, reflexive **swe-**, Russ. *смерть*, O.Slo. *sm̥ti*, Pol. *śmierć*, Cz. *smrt*, etc.), with common Latin derivatives **mrtālis**, *mortal*, **mrtidhakā**, *mortify*, **admortisā**, *amortize*; **mrio**, *die*, with irregular p.part. **mrtuós**, *death*, as Lat. *morire*, *mortuus*, in **mrtuāsiós**, *mortuary*, **mribhundós**, *moribund*, **mrtuótikom**, *mortgage* (from O.Fr. *mort* and *gage*, “*pledge*”, from Frank. *wadja*, “*pledge*”, IE **wotio**); common adjectives **mrwós**, *death*, **mrtós**, *mortal*, as Gk. βροτος, **nmrtós** [n̥-mṛ̥-tos], *immortal, undying*, hence also *divine*, as Lat. *immortalis*, Gk. ἄμβροτος, Skr. *amrtam*; **mortiós**, *mortal*, as O.Pers. *martiya*, into Gk. *manticore*. Other IE derivatives include Skr. *marati*, Av. *miryēite*, O.Pers. *amariyata*, Pers. *mordan*, Kurd. *mirin*, Arm. *meñil*, Lith. *mirti*, Ltv. *mirt*, O.C.S. *mṛtvũ*, Russ. *meret'*, Pol. *mord*, *umrzeć*, Gaul. *marvos*, O.Ir. *marb*, Welsh *marw*, Kamviri *m̥e*, Osset. *maryn*.

MIE **assassinós** via Fr. and It., from Arabic *hashishiyin* “*hashish-users*” pl. of *hashishiy*, from *hashish* (Arabic *hashish* “*powdered hemp*”, lit. “*dry herb*”, from *hashsha* “*it became dry, it dried up*”). A fanatical Ismaili Muslim sect of the time of the Crusades, with a reputation for murdering opposing leaders after intoxicating themselves by eating hashish. The pl. suffix *-in* was mistaken in Europe for part of the word (cf. *Bedouin*).

II. IE **wers**, *confuse, mix up*, (compare with IE **ers**), gives common **wérsos**, *confusion*, and loan word fem. MIE **wérsā** (see rhotacism), both from Gmc. *werzaz* (cf. O.S. *werran*, O.H.G. *werran*, Ger. *verwirren*; Eng. *war* is from O.E. *wyrre*, *werre*, from O.N.Fr. *were*, from Frank. *werra*, as O.H.G. *werra*, *strife*, borrowed in Fr.

guerre, It.,Spa.,Pt,Cat. *guerra*); comparative **wersiós**, *worse*, and superlative **wersistós**, *worst*, as Gmc. *wersizōn*, *wersistaz* (cf. Goth. *wairsiza*, O.S. *wirs*, *wirsista*, O.N. *verri*, *verstr*, O.E. *wyrsa*, *wyrsta*, O.Fris. *wirra*, *wersta*, O.H.G. *wirsiro*, *wirsisto*); **wřstis**, *sausage* (from “mixture”), as Gmc. *wurstiz* (cf. O.H.G. *wurst*)

PIE **ers**, *be in motion*, gives variant **rēs**, *rushing, race*, as Gmc. *rēsan* (cf. O.N. *rás*, O.E. *ræs*, M.Du. *rasen*, Ger. *rasen*); suffixed **ersā**, *wander*, Lat. *errāre*, as in **ersātikós**, *erratic*, **ersāta**, *errata*, **ersāniós**, *erroneous*, **ersór**, *error*, **apersātiōn**, *aberration*; zero-grade **řsis**, *poet, seer*, Skr. *rsiḥ*.

III. Indo-European **wen**, *strive after, wish, desire, be satisfied*, is the source for **wóinos**, *soldier*, and **wóinā**, *war*, as Sla. *voin’* (O.C.S., O.Russ. *воиѣ*, Ukr. *воїн*, Sr.-Cr., Slo.,Bul. *vojnĭk*, Cz.,Slk. *vojin*) and *vojna*; with similar meanings of *hunt, chase, pursue*, cf. O.N. *veiðr*, O.E. *waþ*, O.H.G. *weida*, Lat. *venāri*, Gk. *ἔμααι*, O.Ind. *vēti*, Av. *vayeyiti*, Lith. *vejù*, *výti*, O.Ir. *fiad*. Other IE derivatives include **wénos**, *desire*, as Skr. *vanas*; **wénuo**, *win*, Gmc. *winn(w)an* (cf. f. Goth. *gawinnen*, O.S. *winnan*, O.N. *vinna*, O.E. *winnan*, O.Fris. *winna*, O.H.G. *winnan*, Du. *winnen*), suffixed zero-grade **wniā**, *pleasure, joy*, as Gmc. *wunjō* (cf. O.E. *wen*, *wynn*, Ger. *Wonne*); stative **wnē**, *be content, rejoice*, extended as *be accustomed to, dwell*, as Gmc. *wunēn* (cf. O.E. *wunian*, O.S. *wunon*, O.Fris. *wonia*, O.H.G. *wonen*, Eng. *wont*); suffixed causative o-grade **wonē**, *accustom, train, wean*, as Gmc. *wanjan* (cf. O.N. *venja*, O.E. *wenian*, Du. *vennen*, O.H.G. *giwennan*, Ger. *gewöhnen*); **wénis**, *hope*, and verb **wēnio**, *expect, imagine, think*, as Gmc. *wēniz* and *wēnjan* (cf. Goth. *wenjan*, O.S. *wanian*, O.N. *væna*, O.E. *wenan*, O.Fris. *wena*, O.H.G. *wanen*, Ger. *wähnen*, Eng. *ween*); suffixed zero-grade **wnsko**, *desire, wish*, **wńskos**, *wish*, as Gmc. *wunskan*, *wunskaz* (cf. O.N. *æskja*, O.E. *wyscan*, M.Du. *wonscen*, O.H.G. *wunskan*); **wénōs**, *love*, giving **wenesā**, *worship, venerate*, **wenesiós**, *venereal*, etc., with rhotacism as Lat. *uenus*, *ueneris*; **wenésnom**, *poison* (originally *love poison*), as Lat. *uenēnum*, **wéniā**, *favor, forgiveness*, Lat. *uenia*; **wenā**, *hunt*, from Lat. *uēnārī*; **wénom**, *forest*, as Skr. *vanam*.

IV. Indo-European **cer-** (or **g^werh₂*), *heavy*, gives **crús**, *heavy, venerable*, as Goth. *kaurus*, Gk. *βαρύς*, Skr. *guruh*, **crųspháirā**, *barysphere* (from Gk. *spháirā*, *sphere*), **crųtonos**, *baritone*, and extended Lat. **g^wruís*, *heavy, weighty, grave*, as Lat. *gravis*, **cfúitā**, *gravity*, **cruā**, *burden*, **adcruā**, *aggravate*, etc.; **cfōs**, *weight, heaviness*, as Gk. *βάρος*, as in **wiswocfōs**, *isobar* (from Gk. *ἴσος*, *equal*, probably either from **widwós**, *who has seen*, from **weid**, *know, see*, or **wiswós**, *all*, as O.Ind. *visvaḥ*); **uderi** (see **ud**); **crūtós**, *heavy, unwieldy, dull, stupid, brutish*, as Lat. *brūtus*; **crígōs**, *strenght, vigor*, **crígā**, *strife*, as in **crígátā**, *brigade*, found in Celt. *brīgo* (cf. Prov. *briu*, Spa. *brío*), Gmc. *krīg* (cf. O.H.G. *krēg*, *chrēg*, M.H.G. *kriec*, Sca. *krig*, Ger. *Krieg*), Cel. *brīgā* (cf. O.Ita. *briga*, Fr. *brigade*); **cérnā**, *millstone*, as Gmc. *kwernōn* (Goth. *quirnus*, O.N. *kvern*, O.E. *cweorn*, O.Fris. *quern*, O.H.G. *quirn*, Eng. *quern*, Ger. *Querne*), Skr. *grava*, Arm. *erkan*, O.Pruss. *girnoywis*, Lith. *girna*, *girmos*, Ltv. *dzirnis*, O.C.S. *zrunuwi*, Russ. *žěrnov*, Pol. *żarno*, O.Ir. *braó*, Welsh *brevan*.

V. Indo-European **dwéllom**, *war*, also *duel* (O.Lat. *duellum*, Lat. *bellum*), is maybe cognate with O.Ind. *dunoti*, *duta-*, O.Gk. *du*, *duero*, Alb. *un*, from a PIE verbal root **du** meaning *torment, pain*; common Latin loans include **dwelligerántis**, *belligerent* (from Lat. **dwelligerā**, *make war*, from Lat. *gerere*, “*wage*”), **kástos dwélli**, *casus belli* (see **kad**).

For PIE **kad**, *fall, befall*, also *die*, compare Lat. *cadere*, O.Ind. *sad*, Arm. *chacnum*, M.Ir. *casar*, Welsh *cesair*, Corn. *keser*, Bret. *kasarc’h*; Latin derivatives include **kadáuēr**, *cadaver*, **kadénts**, *cadent*, **kadéntiā**, *cadence*, *chance*, **adkado**, *happen*, **adkadénts**, *accident*, **enkado**, *happen*, **enkadénts**, *incident*, **dekado**, *decay*,

obhkado, *fall*, **obhkádents**, *occident*, and from p.part. **kastós** (<**kadto-*), giving **kastkátā**, *cascade*, **kástos**, *case*, **kastuālís**, *casual*, **kastuístā**, *casuist*, **obhkástos**, *sunset*, **obhkástiōn**, *occasion*, etc.;

A similar but probably unrelated PIE root is **dheu** (older **dheuh₂*), *die*, also **dhwei**, found as **dhoutós**, *dead*, Gmc. *dauthaz* (cf. O.E. *dēad*), o-grade **dhóutus**, *death*, (with suffix **-tus** indicating “act, process, condition”), as Gmc. *dauthuz* (cf. O.E. *dēath*); suffixed o-grade **dhowio**, *die*, as O.N. *deyja*; extended zero-grade **dhwino**, *diminish*, *languish*, as Gmc. *dwinan* (cf. O.E. *dwinan*, Du. *dwijnen*, Eng. *dwindle*). The verb comes probably from **dhew**, *close*, *finish*, *come full circle*; cf. Lat. *funus*, *-eris*, Arm. *di* (gen. *diog*), Cel. *dwutu-* (cf. OIr *duth*). Derivatives include suffixed zero-grade **dhúnos**, *enclosed*, *fortified place*, *hill-fort*, as Gmc. *dūnaz* (cf. O.E. *dūn*, M.Du. *dūne*, Eng. *down*, *dune*); also, from the same source is Celtic *dūnos*, “*hill*, *stronghold*”, borrowed in Gmc. *tūnaz* (cf. O.E. *tun*, Eng. *town*); **dhúnōs**, *funeral*, as Lat. *fūnus*.

The same IE root **dhew** means also “*run*, *flow*”, as in Gmc. *dauwaz*, (cf. O.E. *deaw*, M.Du. *dau*, Eng. *dew*), Skr. *dhautiḥ*, M.Pers. *davadan*; and also “*shine*, *be light*”, as O.Gk. *theousan*, O.Ind. *dhavala-*, Av. *fraavata*.

VI. Common Greek loans are **pólemos**, *war*, Gk. *πόλεμος*, giving **polemikós**, *hostile*, hence *polemic*.

129. For PIE **swésōr**, (possibly from reflexive **swe**, and **ésōr**, *woman*, then lit. “*woman of one’s own kin group*” in an exogamous society, see also **swe-kuro-**), with zero-grade alternative **swésr**, compare Gmc. *swestr-* (cf. Goth. *swistar*, O.N. *systir*, O.S. *swestar*, O.E. *sweostor*, *swuster*, O.Fris. *swester*, M.Du. *suster*, O.H.G. *swester*, Du. *zuster*, Eng. *sister*, Ger. *Schwester*), Lat. *soror*, O.Gk. *eor*, Skr. *svasṛ*, Av. *xvañhar*, Pers. *xāhar*, Toch. *ṣar/ṣer*, Arm. *k’uyr*, O.Pruss. *swestro*, Lith. *sesuo*, O.C.S. *sestra*, Russ. *cecmpa*, Pol. *siostra*, Gaul. *suiior*, O.Ir. *siur*, Welsh *chwaer*, Kamviri *sus*. It gave common derivatives latin **swesrikídiom**, *sororicide*, **swesorālís**, *sororal*, suffixed **swesrínos**, *cousin*, from Lat. *sobrīnus*, “*maternal cousin*”.

130. For PIE **súnus**, also **súnjus**, *son*, compare Gmc. *sunuz* (cf. Goth. *sunus*, O.N. *sonr*, O.E. *sunu*, O.S., O.Fris. *sunu*, O.H.G. *sunu*, M.Du. *sonne*, Dan. *søn*, Swed. *son*, Du. *zoon*, Ger. *Sohn*), Gk. *huios*, Skr. *sunus*, Av. *hunush*, Arm. *ustr*, Lith. *sunus*, O.C.S. *synu*, Rus., Pol. *syn*, from PIE root **su**, *give birth*, Skr. *sauti*, O.Ir. *suth*.

I. For Romance words from Lat. *filius*, MIE **dhéilios**, “*suckling*”, *son*, and **dhéiliā**, *daughter*, as in **dhéiliālís**, *filial*, **addheiliā**, *affiliate*; probably from PIE **dhēi**, *suck*, although some relate it to PIE **bhew**, *be*, *exist* (in both IE **dh-** and **bh-** evolved as Lat. *f-*), thus maybe IE ***bhúlios** – but, v.i. for Slavic derivative ‘*diti*’ meaning “*child*, *son*”, from the same root **dhēi**.

For IE **bhew**, *be*, *exist*, *grow*, and common derivative **bhwijo**, *be*, *become*, give Gmc *biju* (cf. O.E. *beon*, O.H.G. *bim*, *bist*, Eng. *be*), Skt. *bhavaḥ*, *bhavati*, *bhumih*, Lat. *fieri*, *fui*, Gk. *phu-*, Lith. *bu’ti*, O.C.S. *byti*, O.Ir. *bi’u*, Rus. *быть*; **bhowo**, *live*, *dwell*, as Gmc. *bowan* (cf. O.N. *buā*, *buask*, O.H.G. *buan*, Eng. *bound*, *husband*, Ger. *bauen*); zero-grade **bhútlos**, *dwelling*, *house*, from Gmc. *buthlaz* (cf. O.E. *bold*, *byldan*, M.Du. *bodel*, Eng. *build*), **bhwo**, *bring forth*, *make grow*, as Gk. *phuein*, as in **bhútos**, **bhútom**, *plant*, and **bhútis**, *growth*, *nature*, as in **bhútikā**, *physics*, **bhútikós**, *physic*, **epíbhutis**, *epiphysis*, **diábhutis**, *diaphysis*, **supóbhutis**, *hypophysis*, etc.; suffixed **bhutús**, “*that is to be*”, and Lat. *futurus*, MIE **bhutúros**, *future*; zero-grade **bhúrom**, *dweller* (especially *farmer*), gives Gmc. *buram* (cf. O.E. *bur*, Eng. *bower*, Ger. *Bauer*), **kombhúrom**, *dweller*, *peasant*, (cf. O.E. *gebur*, M.Du. *gheboer*, *ghebuer*, Eng. *neighbor*, Du. *boer*, *boor*), **bhúriom**, *dwelling*, as Gmc. *burjam* (cf. O.E. *byre*), or **bhúwis**, *settlement* (cf. O.N. *byr*, Eng. *by*[*law*]); **bhúlom**, *tribe*, *class*, *race*, Gk. *φύλον*, and **bhúlā**, *tribe*, *clan*, as in Eng. *phylum*, *phyle*, *phylo-*; zero-grade reduced suffixal form **-bhw-** in Lat. compounds

dubhwiós, *doubtful* (from zero-grade of **dwo**, *two*), Lat. *dubius*, **dúbhwitā**, *doubt*, Lat. *dubitāre*, **probhwós**, *upright*, Lat. *probus*, “*growing well or straightforward*”, **superbhwós**, *superior, proud*, “*being above*”, as Lat. *superbuus*; **bhóumos**, *tree* (“*growing thing*”), as Gmc. *baumaz* (cf. O.E. *beam*, M.Du. *boom*, Eng. *beam*).

II. Slavic “*diti*”, “*child, son*”, comes from Slavic *děte*, *děť* (cf. O.C.S. *дѣту*, S.C.S. *дѣтъ*, Russ. *дутья*, Pol. *dziecię*, Cz. *dítě*, Bul. *деме*), MIE **dhéitis**, “*suckling*”, *child*, (see also Lat. *filius*), from PIE **dhēi**, also found in Lat. *fēlāre*, *fēmina*, Gk. *θήσατο*, *θηλή*, O.Ind. *dhātavē*, Lith. *dėlė*, O.Ir. *dínim*.

III. Germanic “*maiden*” comes from Indo-European **mághotis**, *maid, young womanhood, sexually inexperienced female, virgin* (dim. **mághotinom**, “*little maid*”), as Gmc. *magadinam* (cf. O.E. *mægeð*, *mægden*, O.S. *magath*, O.Fris. *maged*, O.H.G. *magad*, Ger. *Magd*, *Mädchen*), from **mághus**, *young person of either sex, unmarried person*, cf. O.E. *magu*, Avestan *magava*, O.Ir. *maug*.

131. Indo-European **dhúg(a)tēr**, older **dhug(h₂)ter*, *daughter*, Gmc. *dukter* (cf. Goth. *dauhtar*, O.N. *dóttir*, O.E. *dohtor*, O.H.G. *tohter*, Scots, Du. *dochter*, Swe. *dotter*), Osc. *fútir*, Gk. *θυγατήρ* (*thugatēr*), Skr. *duhitṛ*, Av. *duydar*, Pers. *doxtar*, Toch. *ckācar/tkacer*, Arm. *dustr*, O.Pruss. *duckti*, Lith. *duktė*, O.C.S. *dūšti*, Russ. *дочь*, *dočer’*, Gaul. *duxtīr*, Kamviri *jü*; Hitt. *duttariyatiyaš*, Luw. *duttariyata*.

132. Other PIE common words referring to relatives, apart from **patēr**, **mātēr**, **bhrātēr** and **snúsos** are:

A. IE **jén(a)tēr**, older **jenh₂ter*, *brother-in-law’s wife*, gives Lat. *ianitricēs*, Gk. *einatēr*, Skr. *yātar*, Phryg. *ianatera*, Arm. *ner*, Lith. *jentė*, Ltv. *ietere*, Russ. *jatrov’*, Pol. *jątrew*, Kamviri *iāri*.

B. IE **dáiwēr** (older **deh₂iwer*), *husband’s brother*, O.E. *tācor*, O.H.G. *zeihhur*, Lat. *lēvir*, Gk. *dāēr*, Skr. *devar*, Kurd. *diš/héwer*, Arm. *taygr*, Lith. *dieveris*, Ltv. *dieveris*, OCS *děverĭ*, Russ. *dever’*, Pol. *dziewierz*.

C. A comon **gálōus** (PIE **gh₂lōus*) gave Gk. *galōs*, Phryg. *gelaros*, O.C.S. *zlūva*, Russ. *zolovka*, Pol. *zełwa*.

D. For PIE **áwos**, **áwjos**, *paternal grandfather, maternal uncle* (originally **h₂eu_h₂os*, an adult male relative other than one’s father), compare Gmc. *awaz* (cf. Goth. *awó*, O.E. *ēam*, O.H.G. *ōheim*, Ger. *Oheim*), Lat. *avus*, *avunculus*, Gk. *aia*, Arm. *hav*, O.Pruss. *awis*, Lith. *avynas*, O.C.S. *uy*, Russ. *uj*, Pol. *wuj*, Gaul. *avontīr*, O.Ir. *aue*, Welsh *ewythr*; Hitt. *huhhas*. Also found in feminine **áwjā**, *grandmother* (cf. Lat. *avia*).

E. IE **népōts** (gen. **neptós**), *grandson, nephew*, gives Gmc. *nefat-* (cf. O.E. *nefa*, O.H.G. *nevo*, Eng. *nephew*, Ger. *Neffe*), Lat. *nepōs*, Gk. *anepsios*, Skr. *napāt*, Av. *napāt*, O.Pers. *napā*, Pers. *nave*, Lith. *nepuotis*, O.C.S. *nestera*, Russ. *nestera*, Pol. *nieściora*, Gaul. *nei*, OIr. *necht*, *níath*, Welsh *nai*, Kamviri *nāvo*, Alb. *nip*.

F. PIE **swékuros**, *father-in-law*, give Gmc. *swikhura-* (cf. Goth. *swaihrō*, O.N. *sværa*, Eng. *swēor*, O.H.G. *swehur*, *swagur*), Gk. *hekuros*, Skr. *śvaśura*, Av. *xvasura-*, Arm. *skesur*, Lith. *šešuras*, O.C.S. *svekūrŭ*, Russ. *svekrov’*, Pol. *świekra*, Welsh *chwegr*, Alb. *vjehërr*, Kamviri *č.uč.* probably ultimately derived from fem. **swekrūs**, *mother-in-law*, as O.H.G. *swigar*, Ger. *Schwieger*, Lat. *socrus*, Skr. *śvaśrū*, O.Sla. *svekry*, etc.

133. PIE **jéwos**, *norm, right, law* (possibly from PIE **jeu**, *bind*), as in O.Ind. *yōh*, Av. *yaožda*, refers in MIE to the body of rules and standards to be applied by courts; **jówos**, *law*, as Lat. *iūs*, *iūris* (O.Lat. *iouis*), and **jowosā**, *swear*, Lat. *jūrō* (O.Lat. *iouesat*, see rhotacism), p.part. **jowosātós**, *swearing*, giving Latin common borrowings **jowosístos**, *jurist*, **apjowosā**, *abjure*, **adjowosā**, *adjure*, **komjowosā**, *conjure*, **jówosātos**, *jury*, **enjowosā**, *injury*, **perjowosā**, *perjure*, **jowoseskomséltos**, *jurisconsult*, **jowosesproweidéntiā**, *jurisprudence* (from **proweidéntiā**, from IE **per** and **weid**); Italo-Celtic **jowest(i)ós**, *just*, as Lat. *iustus*, O.Ir. *huisse* (<**justjos*).

MIE **komselo**, *counsel, call together, deliberate, consider*, as Lat. *consulere*, found in Lat. *consulere senatum*, MIE **komséltu senátum**, “*to gather the senate (to ask for advice)*”, from **kom-** “with” + **selo** “take, gather together” from PIE base **sel-** “to take, seize” .

134. For “law” as a written or understood rule or the body of rules from the legislative authority, i.e. the concept of Lat. *lex*, MIE has different words:

I. Latin *lex, legis*, comes possibly from PIE lengthened ***lēgs**, hence lit. “collection of rules” (see PIE **leg**, *collect*), although it is used as Modern Indo-European **lēghs** (both IE **g** and **gh** could evolve as *g* in Latin), from PIE **leg**, *lie, lay*, because its final origin remains uncertain, and this root gives also Germanic o-grade **lóghom**, *law, “that which is set or laid down”*, Gmc. *lagam* (cf. O.N., O.E. *lagu, lag-*, O.H.G. *lāga*, Eng. *law*, Sca. *lov*, Ger. *Lage*), with common derivatives **lēghālís**, *legal*, **lēghitimā**, *legitimate*, **lēghiālís**, *loyal*, **lēgheslatór**, *legislator*, **preiwoleghiom**, *privilege* (“a law affecting one person”, from **preiwós**, *private*), and from Latin denominative **léghā**, *depute, commission, charge, legate* (“engage by contract”), as Lat. *legāre*, are **léghātom**, *legacy*, **komléghā**, *colleague*, **komléghiālís**, *collegial*, **deléghātos**, *delegate*, **reléghā**, *relegate*. Other known derivatives include **léghio**, *lay*, as Gmc. *lagjan* (cf. Goth. *lagjan*, O.S. *leggian*, O.N. *leggja*, O.E. *lecgan*, O.Fris. *ledza*, O.H.G. *lecken*, M.Du. *legghan*, Eng. *lay*, Ger. *legen*, Du. *leggen*), suffixed **léghros**, *lair, bed*, as Gmc. *legraz* (cf. O.E. *leger*, O.H.G. *legar*, M.Du. *leger*, Eng. *lair*), and **léghtos**, *bed*, as Lat. *lectus*; o-grade Greek **lóghos**, *childbirth, place for lying in wait*. Cf. Gk. *lekhesthai*, Toch. *lake/leke*, Lith. *at-lagai, lagaminas*, Ltv. *lagača*, O.C.S. *lego, ležati*, Russ. *ležat’*, Pol. *leżeć*, Gaul. *legasit*, O.Ir. *lige*, Welsh *gwely*, Hitt. *laggari*.

For the same sense of “that which is set or laid down”, compare IE **statútom**, Lat. *statutum*, “statute”, from Lat. *statuere*, “establish” or **statúmos**, Lith. *istatymas*, from *istatyti* “set up, establish” (from IE **stā**, *stand, set down*); also, Ger. *Gesetz* (from O.H.G. *gisatzida*, IE **kom+sedio**, *set*).

For PIE **stā**, *stand, “place or thing that is standing”*, compare common derivatives **stálos**, *stool*, as Gmc. *stōlaz* (cf. Goth. *stols*, O.N. *stoll*, O.E. *stōl*, O.H.G. *stuol*, O.Fris. *stol*, Ger. *Stuhl*), **stántiā**, *stance, stage*, **stātēiuós**, *stative*, **kikromstántiā**, *circumstance*, **komstántis**, *constant*, **komtrāstā**, *contrast*, **di(s)stā**, **distántis**, *distant*, **ekstántis**, **enstántis**, **obhstákolos**, **obhstātrikós**, *obstetric*, **supstántiā**, *substance*; **stámēn**, *thread of the warp* (a technical term), *stamen*; **stámōn**, *thread*, as Gk. *stēmōn*; **starós**, *old, “long-standing”*, as Slavic *staru*; zero-grade nasalized extended **stanto**, *stand*, as Gmc. *standan* (cf. O.N. *standa*, O.E., O.S., Goth. *standan*, O.H.G. *stantan*, Swed. *stå*, Du. *staan*, Ger. *stehen*), as in **ndherstanto**, *stand under*, **stántkarts** (see **kar-**, *hard*), *standard*; suffixed **stámmis**, *stem*, as Gmc. *stammiz* (cf. O.N. *stafn*, O.S. *stamm*, O.E. *stemn*, *stefn*, O.H.G. *stam*, Dan. *stamme*, Swed. *stam*, Ger. *Stamm*); **státis**, *place*, as Gmc. *stadiz* (cf. Goth. *staþs*, O.S. *stedi*, O.N. *staðr*, O.E. *stede*, O.H.G. *stat*, Swed. *stad*, Du. *stede*, Ger. *Stadt*), Lat. **státim**, *at once, stat*, **státiōn**, *a standing still, station*, **armistátiom**, *armistice*, **sāwelstátiom**, *solstice*; Greek **státis**, *standing, stanstill*, **statós**, *placed, standing* as Gmc. *stadaz* (cf. O.N. *stadr*, Eng. *bestead*), Gk. *statos*, as in **-stat**, **statikós**, *static*; **dekstanā**, *make firm, establish, destine*, **obhstanā**, *set one’s mind on, persist*; **státus**, *manner, position, condition, attitude*, with derivatives **statúrā**, *height, stature*, **statuo**, *set up, erect, cause to stand*, and **superstáts** (Lat. *superstes*), *witness, “who stands beyond”*; **stádhom**, *stable, “standing place”*, as Lat. *stabulum*; **stadhlís**, *standing firm, stable*, **stadhlisko**, *establish*; Greek **-statās**, *-stat, one that causes to stand, a standing*; zero-grade reduplicated **sisto**, *set, place, stop, stand*, as Lat. *sistere*, in **komsisto**, *consist*, **desisto**, *desist*, **eksisto**, *exist*, **ensisto**, *insist*,

entersistátíom, *interstice*, **persisto**, *persist*, **resisto**, *resist*, **supsiso**, *subsist*, and from Gk. *histanai*, with **státis**, *a standing*, as in **apostátis**, **katastátis**, **epistátis**, **epistámā**, *knowledge* (Gk. ἐπιστήμη), **epistāmologíā**, **supostátis**, *hypostasis*, **ikonostátis**, **wiswostátis**, **metastátis**, **próstatā**, **komsto**, *establish*, **komstámn**, *system*; **sistos**, *web, tissue, mast* (“that which is set up”), Gk. ἰστός, **sistoghfbhmn**, *histogram*, etc.; compound **pórstis**, *post*, “that which stands before” (**por-**, *before, forth*, see **per**), Lat. *postis*; extended **stau**, “*stout-standing, strong*”, as **stáua**, *place, stow*, Gmc. *stōwō*; o-grade Greek **stóuiā**, *porch*, in **stōuikós**, *stoic*; suffixed extended **stáuros**, *cross, post, stake* (see also **stáuros**, *bull*), **enstaurā**, *restore, set upright again*, **restaurā**, *restore, rebuild*, **restauránts**, *restaurant*; zero-grade extended **stūlos**, *pillar*, as in **epistūlos**, **supostūlos**, **oktōstūlos**, **peristūlos**, **prostūlos**; **steuirós**, *thick, stout, old*, as Skr. *sthavirah*; suffixed secondary form **steu-**, suffixed **stéurā**, *steering*, as Gmc. *steurō*, and denominative verb **steurio**, *steer*, as Gmc. *steurjan* (cf. Goth. *stuirjan*, O.N. *styra*, O.Fris. *stiora*, O.E. *steran*, *stieran*, O.H.G. *stiuren*, Du. *sturen*, Ger. *steuern*), a verb related to **stéuros**, *large domestic animal, ox, steer* (see **stáuros**), and **stéurikos**, *calf, stirk*. Derivatives include Gmc. *standan*, Lat. *stare*, Osc. *staíet*, Umb. *stahmei*, Gk. *histami*, Skr. *tiṣṭhati*, Av. *hištaiti*, O.Pers. *aištata*, Pers. *istādan*, Phryg. *eistani*, Toch. *štām/stām*, Arm. *stanam*, O.Pruss. *stacle*, Lith. *stoti*, Ltv. *stāt*, O.C.S. *stati*, Russ. *stat’*, Polish *stać*, O.Ir. *tá*, Welsh *gwastad*, Alb. *shtuara*; Hitt. *išta*, Luw. *išta-*, Lyc. *ta-*.

II. PIE **leg**, *collect*, with derivatives meaning *speak*, gives Lat. *legere*, “*gather, choose, pluck, read*”, Gk. *legein*, “*gather, speak*”, from which MIE **légtiōn**, *lection, lesson*, **legtós**, *read*, **legtósā**, *lecture*, **legéndā** (from a gerundive), *legend*, **legibhilís**, *legible*, **légiōn**, **komlego**, *gather, collect*, **komlégtiōn**, *collection*, **dislego**, *esteem, love*, **dislegénts**, *diligent*, **eklego**, *elect*, **eklégtiōn**, *election*, **enterlego**, *choose*, **enterlegē**, *perceive*, **enterlegénts**, *intelligent*, **ne(g)lego**, *neglect*, **prāilego**, *prelect*, **sakrilegós**, *one who steals sacred things*, **sakrilégiom**, *sacrilege* (see **sak**), **selego**, *select*, **sortilégos**, *diviner* (see **ser**) **sortilégiom**, *sortilege*; **légsikom**, *lexicon*, **-logos**, *-logue*, **-logiā**, *-logy*, **katalego**, *to list*, **katálogos**, *catalogue*, **dialego**, *discourse, use a dialect, dialogue*, **dialégtos**, *dialect*, **légtis**, *speech, diction*, **dislegtíā**, *dyslexia*, **eklegtikós**, *eclectic*, etc.; **légnom**, *wood, firewood* (“that which is gathered”), as Lat. *lignum*; **lógos**, *speech, word, reason*, as Gk. λόγος, as in **lógikā**, *logic*, **logikós**, *logic*, **logístikā**, *logistic*, **análogos**, *analogous*, **apologíā**, *apology*, **epílogos**, *epilogue*, **komlogísmos**, *syllogism*, **prólogos**, *prologue*.

For PIE **sak**, *sanctify*, gives **sakrós**, *holy, sacred, dedicated*, as Lat. *sacer* (O.Lat. *saceres*), in **sakrā**, *make sacred, consecrate*, **sakristános**, *sacristan*, **komsakrā**, *consecrate*, **eksakrā**, *execrate*; compound **sakrodhóts**, *priest*, “*performer of sacred rites*” (for **dhōt**, *doer*, see **dhē**), as Lat. *sacerdōs*, in **sakrodhótālís**, *sacerdotal*; nasalized **sankio**, *make sacred, consecrate*, with p.part. **sanktós**, *sacred*, as Lat. *sancire*, *sanctus*, as in **sanktidhakā**, *sanctify*. Compare also Osc. *sakrim*, Umb. *sacra*, and (outside Italic) maybe all from IE ***saq**, *bind, restrict, enclose, protect*, as IE words for both “*oath*” and “*curse*” are regularly words of *binding* (Tucker).

Also, with the meaning of “*holy*”, PIE root **kwen**, gives suffixed zero-grade **kwínslom**, *sacrifice*, as Gmc. *khunslam* (cf. Goth. *hunsl*, O.N. *hunsl*, O.E. *hūsl*, *hūsel*, Eng. *house*), Av. *spanyah*, O.Pruss. *swints*, Lith. *šventas*, Ltv. *svinēt*, O.C.S. *světŭ*, Russ. *svjatoj*, Polish *święty*.

PIE **ser**, *line up*, gives Lat. *serere*, “*arrange, attach, join (in speech), discuss*”, as in **sériēs**, **adsero**, *assert*, **desertós**, *desert*, **dissertā**, *dissertate*, **eksero**, *put forth, stretch out*, **ensero**, *insert*; **sérmōn**, *speech*,

discourse, as Lat. *sermō*; **srtis**, *lot, fortune* (perhaps from the lining up of lots before drawing), as in **srtiásios**, *sorcerer*, **komsrtis**, *consort* (“*who has the same fortune*”); **sérā**, *lock, bolt, bar*, (perhaps “*that which aligns*”).

III. For PIE **dhē**, *set, put, place*, gives some common terms referring to “(divine) *law, right, fate*” (cf. Eng. *doom*), cf. Gmc. *dōn* (cf. Goth. *gadeths*, O.N. *dalidun*, O.E. *dōn*, O.H.G. *tuon*, Eng. *do*, Ger. *tun*) Lat. *faciō*, Osc. *faciād*, Umb. *feitu*, O.Gk. *tithēmi*, Skr. *dadhāti*, Av. *daðaiti*, O.Pers. *adadā*, Phryg. *dak-*, Thrac. *didzos*, Toch. *täs/täs*, Arm. *ed*, Lith. *dėti*, Ltv. *dēt*, Russ. *det’; delat’*, Polish *dziać; działać*, Gaul. *dede*, Welsh *dall*, Alb. *ndonj*, Hitt. *dai*, Lyc. *ta-*. Common MIE words include **dhētós**, *set down, created*, as O.Ira. *datah*; suffixed **dhētis**, “*thing laid down or done*”, *law, deed*, Gmc. *dēdiz* (cf. O.E. *dæd*, Eng. *deed*); **dhékā**, *receptacle*, Gk. *θήκη*, Eng. *theca*, as in **apodhékā**, “*store, warehouse*”, then extended as *pharmacy* (and also to Spa. **bodega** and Fr. **boutique**, both left as MIE loans), as in **apodhékários**, *apothecary*, **apodhékion**, *apothecium*, **publiodhékā** (from Greek loan **búbliom**, *book*, from the Greek name of the Phoenician city *Gubla*, **Búblos** or **Cúblos**, Gk. *βύβλος*, as in n.pl. **Búbliā**, *bible*, lit. “*the books*”), *library*, **ambhidhékion**, *amphithecium*, **endodhékion**, *endothecium*, **peridhékion**, *perithecium*; o-grade **dhō**, *do*, as Gmc. *dōn*; suffixed and prefixed **apdhómēn**, *belly, abdomen*, Lat. *abdōmen*, perhaps “*part placed away, concealed part*”; suffixed **dhómos**, *judgement*, “*thing set or put down*”, and **dhómio**, *judge*, as Gmc. *dōmaz, dōmjan* (cf. Goth. *dōms*, O.N. *dōmr*, O.E. *dōm, dēman*, Eng. *doom, deem*; also into Russ. *Duma*, from a Germanic source), also as abstract suffix -**dhómos** indicating *state, condition, power* (cf. O.N. *-domr*, O.E. *-dom*, Du. *-dømme*, Eng. *-dom*); zero-grade **komdho**, *put together, establish, preserve*, as Lat. *condere*, in **apskomdho**, *abscond*, **rekomdhitós**, *recondite*, and suffixed **komdhio**, *season, flavor*, as Lat. *condire*, in **komdhiméntom**, *condiment*; suffixed zero-grade form **dhakio**, *do, make*, as Lat. *facere*, usually found as Latin combining form -**dhaks**, Lat. *-fex*, “*maker*”, -**dhakion**, Lat. *-ficium*, “*a making*”, both Eng. *-fice*, and -**dhakā**, Lat. *-ficāre*, -**dhakio**, Lat. *-facere*, both normally Eng. *-fy*; some common words include -**dhakients**, *-facient*, **dháktos**, *fact*, **dháktiōn**, *faction*, **dhaktór**, *factor*, **dhaktoríā**, *factory*, **addhaktā**, *affect*, **addhaktiōn**, *affection*, **amplidhakā**, *aplify*, **artidháktos**, *artifact*, **artidhákion**, *artifice*, **dweiatidhakós**, *beatific*, **komdhaktiōn**, *confection*, **komdhaktionā**, *confect*, **dedhakio**, *fail*, **dedhakiénts**, *deficient*, **nisdodhakio**, *nidify* (see **nisdos**, *nest*), **aididhakā**, *edify* (from Lat. **aidis**, *a building*), **aididhákion**, *edifice*, **ekdháktos**, *effect*, **endhaktā**, *infect*, **jowostidhakā**, *justify*, **malidhaktór**, *malefactor*, **manudhaktósā**, *manufacture* (see **mánus**, *hand*), **modidhakā**, *modify*, **gnotidhakā**, *notify*, **opidháks**, *workman* (see **op**, *work*), **opidhákion**, *service, duty, business, occupation, performance of work*, (from Lat. *opificium*, later *officium*), **op(i)dhakínā**, *office*, (cf. Lat. *opificina*, later *officina*), **perdhakio**, *finish*, **perdhaktós**, *perfect*, **ōsidhákion**, *orifice* (see **ōs**, *mouth*), **ekdhakio**, *accomplish*, **ekdháktos**, *effect*, **ekdhakiénts**, *efficient*, **ekdhakáks**, *efficacious*, **endhaktā**, *infect*, **pontidháks**, *pontifex* (see IE **pent**), **prāidháktos**, *prefect*, **prodháktos**, *profit*, **prodhakiénts**, *profiting* (Eng. “*proficient*”), **putridhakio**, *putrify* (see **pu**, *rot*), **qālidhakā**, *qualify* (see **qo**), **pertidhakā**, *petrify*, **rāridhakā**, *rarefy* (from borrowing **rārós**, *rare*, Lat. *rārus*), **regtidhakā**, *rectify* (see **regtós**, *right, straight*), **redhakio**, *feed, reflect*, **redhaktóriom**, *refectory*, **reudhidhakio**, *redde*, **reudhidhakiénts**, *rubefacient*, (see **reudhós**, *red*), **sakridhakā**, *sacrify*, **satisdhakio**, *satisfy* (see **sā**), **supdhakio**, *suffice*, **supdhakiénts**, *sufficient*; from Lat. **dhákiēs**, *shape, face* (“*form imposed on something*”), are **dhakiālís**, *facial*, **superdhákiēs**, *surface*; further suffixed **dhaklís**, *feasible, easy*, as Lat. *facilis* (from O.Lat. *facul*), as in

dháklitā, *ability, power, science*, also noun **dhaklís**, with the sense of *faculty, facilities*, **disdháklitā**, *difficulty*; **dhās**, *divine law, right*, as Lat. *fas*; reduplicated Greek **dhidho**, *put*, Gk. *tithenai*, as in **dhátis**, *a placing*, Gk. θέσις, also *thesis*, and adjective **dhatós**, *placed*, as in **dhatikós**, *thetic*, **anadhámn**, *anathema*, **antidhátis**, *diadhasis*, **epidhátos**, **supodhakā**, *hypothecate*, **supodhátis**, *hypothesis*, **metadhátis**, **par(a)endhidho**, *insert*, **parendhátis**, *parenthesis*, **prosdhátis**, *prothesis, prosthesis*, **komdhátis**, *synthesis*; **dhámn**, “*thing placed*,” *proposition, theme*, Gk. θέμα, as in **dhamntikós**, *thematic*; reduplicated Sanskrit **dhedhē**, *place*, Skr. *dadhāti*, p.part. **dhatós**, *placed*, Skr. *-hita-*.

In Proto-Indo-European, another common verb meaning “*make*” existed, **qer**, as Skr. *karoti*, “*he makes*”, as in **Sómsqrptom**, *Sanskrit*, Skr. *saṃskṛtam*; also, common derivatives Greek **qéras**, *monster*, or dissimilated **qélōr**, *monster, peloria*; also, suffixed **qérmn**, *act, deed*, as Skr. *karma*.

III.1. Indo-European **op**, *work, produce in abundance*, include **ópōs**, *work*, Lat. *opus*, with denominative verb **opesā**, *operate*, as Lat. *operārī*, as in **óperā**, *opera* (affected by Lat. rhotacism), **komopesā**, **manuopesā**, *maneuver*; **openentós**, *rich, wealthy, opulent*, as Lat. dissim. *opulentus*, **ópnis**, *all* (from “*abundant*”), Lat. *omnis*, as in **ópnihbos**, *omnibus*; **optmós**, *best* (“*wealthiest*”), as Lat. *optimus*; **komópiā**, *profusion, plenty*, also *copy*, as in **komopionts(ós)**, *copious*.

III.2. For PIE **pent**, *tread, go*, compare Gmc. *finthan*, “*come upon, discover*” (cf. Goth. *finþan*, O.N. *finna*, O.E. *find*, O.S. *findan*, M.Du. *vinden*, Ger. *finden*); suffixed **póntis**, *way, passage*, found in Lat. *pōns*, “*bridge*” (earliest meaning of “*way, passage*” preserved in priestly title **pontidháks**, *pontifex*, “*he who prepares the way*”), also found in Russ. *nymь*, “*path, way*” (as in ‘*sputnik*’, *fellow traveler*, which could be translated as MIE “**kompontinikós**”); zero-grade **pnto**, *tread, walk*, in **peripntetikós**, *peripatetic*, Gk. περιπατητικός; suffixed **pántos**, from Iranian (cf. Av. *panta* (nominative), *paθa* (genitive) *way*, Old Persian *pathi-*), into W.Gmc. through Scythian, as Gmc. *patha-* (cf. O.E. *paþ*, *pæþ*, Fris. *path*, M.Du. *pat*, O.H.G. *pfad*, Eng. *path*, Du. *pad*, Ger. *Pfad*).

III.3. For PIE **pu**, *rot, decay* (from older **puh*, it becomes **pū**, **puw-** before vowels), compare **pūlós**, *rotten, filthy*, as Gmc. *fūlaz* (cf. Goth. *fūls*, O.N. *fúll*, O.E. *fūl*, O.H.G. *fūl*, M.Du. *voul*, Ger. *faul*), **pūtrís**, *rotten*, as Lat. *puter*, **púwos/m**, *pus*, as Lat. *pūs*, Gk. *puon*, *puos*, also in **enpuwo**, *suppurate*, as in **enpuwémn**, *empyema*.

III.4. Indo-European root **man-**, *hand*, gives Lat. **mánus**, with derivatives **manudiā**, *manage* (from V.Lat. *manidiāre*, into O.It. *maneggiare*, Fr. *manager*, Eng. *manage*, Spa. *manejar*, etc.), **manuālis**, *manual*, **manúdhriom**, *handle, manubrium* (from instr. suffix **-dhro-**), **manteno**, *maintain* (see **ten**), **manikóisā** (from Lat. *cura*, Archaic Latin *koisa*, “*cure*”), **manighestós**, *caught in the act, blatant, obvious*, (see **chedh**), **manuskreibhtós**, *handwritten* (see **skreibh**), **manuskreibhtom**, *manuscript*; **manúpolos**, *handful* (for **-polos**, *full*, see **pel**), **manupolā**, *manipulate*; **mankós**, *maimed in the hand*; **mankáps**, “*he who takes by the hand*” *purchaser*, (*-ceps*, agential suffix, “*taker*”; see **kap**), in **ekmankapā**, *emancipate*; **mandā**, “*to put into someone’s hand*,” *entrust, order*, from Latin compound *mandāre*, (*-dare*, “*to give*”, see **dō**, although possibly from “*put*”, see **dhē**), **mandátom**, *mandate*, **kommandā**, *command, entrust, commend*, **kommándos**, *commando*, **komtrāmandā**, *countermand*, **demandā**, *demand*, **rekommandā**, *recommend*.

III.4.a. PIE **ten**, *stretch*, gives derivatives suffixed **tendo**, *stretch, extend*, as Lat. *tendere*, in **adtendo**, *attend*, **komtendo**, *contend*, **detendo**, *detent*, **distendo**, *distend*, **ekstendo**, *extend*, **entendo**, *intend*, **prāitendo**, *pretend*, **suptendo**, *subtend*; **portendo**, *portend* (“*to stretch out before*”, a technical term in augury, “*to*

indicate, presage, foretell”); suffixed **tenio**, Gk. *teinein*, with o-grade **ton-** and zero-grade **títis**, a *stretching*, *tension*, *intensity*, as in **katatóniā**, **entítis**, *entasis*, **epítítis**, *epitasis*, **supotenióntiā** (Gk. ὑποτείνουσα), *hypotenusa*, **protítis**, *protasis*, **komtonikós**, *syntonic*, etc.; reduplicated zero-grade **tétnos** [‘te-tŋ-os], *stiff*, *rigid*, as Gk. τέτανος, also *tetanus*; suffixed **téntrom**, *loom*, as Skr. *tantram* (cf. Pers. *tār*); stative **tenē**, *hold*, *keep*, *maintain* (from “*cause to endure or continue, hold on to*”), as lat. *tenēre*, in **tenáks**, *tenacious*, *tenor*, **apstenē**, *abstain*, **komtenē**, *contain*, **komtenuós**, *continuous*, **komtenuā**, *continue*, **detenē**, *detain*, **entertenē**, *entertain*, **tenánts**, *holder*, *tenant*, *lieutenant*, **manutenē**, *maintain*, **obhtenē**, *obtain*, **pertenē**, *pertain*, **pertenáks**, *pertinacious*, **retenē**, *retain*, **suptenē**, *sustain*; derivatives meaning “*stretched*”, hence “*thin*” include **tnús**, as Gmc. *thunniz*, *thunwiz* (cf. O.N. *þunnr*, O.E. *thynne*, W.Fris. *ten*, O.H.G. *dunni*, M.L.G. *dunne*, Du. *dun*, Ger. *dünn*, Eng. *thin*), **tenús**, *thin*, *rare*, *fine*, as Lat. *tenuis*, in **adtenuā**, *attenuate*, **ekstenuā**, *extenuate*, **tenrós**, *tender*, *delicate*, as Lat. *tener*, (**en**)**tenresko**, *touch*, *intenerate*; derivatives meaning “*something stretched or capable of being stretched, a string*” include Greek **ténōn**, *tendon*, o-grade suffixed **tónos**, *string*, hence *sound*, *pitch*, *tone*, and suffixed zero-grade **tńia**, *band*, *ribbon*.

III.4.b. PIE **chedh**, *ask*, *pray*, gives suffixed **chedhio**, *pray*, *entreat*, Gmc. *bidjan* (cf. O.E. *biddan*, Ger. *bitten*, O.E. *bid*), **chédhom**, *entreaty*, as Gmc. *bidam* (cf. Goth. *bida*, O.E. *bedu*, *gebed*, O.H.G. *beta*, M.Du. *bede*, Eng. *bead*, Ger. *bitte*); **chestós** (< **chedhto-*), into Lat. *-festus*, giving **ŋchestós**, *hostile* (from “*inexorable*”), **manuchestós**, *manifest*, *caught in the act*.

Some assign Lat. *-festus* to a common PIE **dhers**, *dare*, *be bold*, as Gmc. *derzan* (cf. Goth. *gadars*, O.E. *dearr*, *durran*, Eng. *dare*), Gk. *thrasys*, Skt. *dadharśa*, O.Pers. *darš-*, O.C.S. *druzate*.

III.4.c. PIE **skreibh**, *cut*, *separate*, *sift* (an extension of **sker**), used as *scratch*, *incise*, hence *write*, as Lat. *scribere*, giving **skreibhtós**, *written*, **skréibhā**, *scribe*, **skréibhtos**, *script*, **skreibhtóriom**, *scriptorium*, **skréibhtā/skreibhtósā**, *scripture*, **adskreibho**, *ascribe*, **kikromskreibho**, *circumscribe*, **komskreibho**, *conscript*, **deskreibho**, *describe*, **enskreibho**, *inscribe*, **prāiskreibho**, *prescribe*, **proskreibho**, *proscribe*, **reskreibho**, *rescript*, **supskreibho**, *subscribe*, **superskreibho**, *superscribe*, **tran(s)skreibho**, *transcribe*; from Greek is **skréibhos**, *scratching*, *sketch*, *pencil*, as Eng. *scarify*.

III.5. Common PIE **sā**, *satisfy*, as zero-grade **satós**, *sated*, *satiated*, as Gmc. *sathaz* (cf. Goth. *saþs*, O.N. *saðr*, O.H.G. *sat*, M.Du. *sat*, Eng. *sad*, Ger. *satt*, Du. *zad*), verb **satio**, *satisfy*, *sate*, as Gmc. *sathōn* (cf. O.E. *sadian*, Eng. *sate*); suffixed zero-grade **saturós**, *full (of food)*, *sated*, as Lat. *satur*, in **sátorā**, *satire*, Lat. *satyra*, and **saturā**, *saturate*, Lat. *saturā*; **satís**, *enough*, *sufficient*, as Lat. *satis*, **satiā**, **satisdhakio**, *satisfy*, **satiatā**, *satiety*; **sadrós**, *thick*, as Gk. *hadros*.

135. Indo-European root (s)**teu**, *push*, *stick*, *knock*, *beat*, is behind suffixed **studo**, *be diligent* (“*be pressing forward*”), Lat. *studere*, giving **stúdiom**, *eagerness*, then “*study*, *application*”, as in **studiā**, *study*, M.L. *studiāre*; other derivatives include extended (s)**teupo**, *push*, *stick*, *knock*, *beat*, as Gk. *typtein*, *typos*, Skt. *tup-*, *tundate*, Goth. *stautan* “*push*”, O.N. *stuttr*, and common Germanic **steupós**, *high*, *lofty*, as Gmc. *staupaz* (cf. O.E. *steap*, O.Fris. *stap*, M.H.G. *stouf*, Eng. *steep*).

136. PIE **sūs**, *pig*, *swine*, and derivatives **swinos/-m**, give Gmc. *swinam* (cf. Goth. *swein*, O.S., O.Fris. M.L.G., O.H.G., O.E. *swin*, M.Du. *swijn*, Du. *zwijn*, Ger. *Schwein*), **súkā**, *sugō* (cf. O.N. *sýr*, O.E. *sū*, O.S., O.H.G. *su*, Du.

zeug, Eng. *sow*, Ger. *Sau*), cf. Lat. *sūs*, *suinus*, Umb. *sif*, Gk. *hūs*, Skr. *sūkara*, Av. *hū*, Toch. *-/suwo*, Ltv. *sivēns*, O.C.S. *svinija* Russ. *svin*, Polish *świnia*, Celtic *sukko* (cf. O.Ir. *socc*, Welsh *hwch*, O.E. *hogg*), Alb. *thi*.

Related Indo-European **pórkos**, *young or little pig*, gives Gmc. *farkhaz* (cf. O.E. *fearh*, M.L.G. *ferken*, O.H.G. *farah*, M.Du. *varken*, Ger. *Ferkel*, Eng. *farrow*), Lat. *porcus*, Umb. *purka*, Gk. *porkos*, Kurd. *purs*, O.Pruss. *parstian*, Lith. *paršas*, Russ. *porosja*, Polish *prosię*, *prosiak*, Gaul. *orko* O.Ir. *orc*, Lusitanian *porcos*.

137. PIE **kákkā**, *shit, excrement*, and verb *shit*, cf. Ger. *Kacke*, Lat. *cacāre*, Gk. *kakkaō*, Pers. *keke(h)*, Arm. *k'akor*, Lith. *kaka*, Russ. *kakat'*, O.Ir. *cacc*, Welsh *cach*.

Other words for “*shit*” are Gmc. *skitan*, from PIE **skeit-**, “*split, divide, separate*”, and Lat. **ekskreméntom**, from **ekskerno**, “*separate*”, therefore both revealing an older notion of a “*separation*” of the body.

For IE **krei**, *sieve, discriminate, distinguish*, compare **kéidhrom/kéitrom**, *sieve*, as Gmc. *khriþram* (cf. O.E. *hriddar*, *hriddel*, Eng. *riddle*), Lat. *crībrum*; suffixed **kréimēn**, *judgment, crime*, as Lat. *crīmen*, as in **kreimenālís**, *criminal*, **rekreimenā**, *recriminate*, **diskréimēn**, *distinction*, **diskreimenā**, *discriminate*; suffixed zero-grade **krino**, *sift, separate, decide*, as metathesized Lat. *cernere*, in p.part **kritós**, (Lat. **kirtos*) *certain*, **komkrino**, *concern*, **komkrítos**, *concert*, **dekrítos**, *decree*, **diskrino**, *discern*, **diskomkritā**, *disconcert*, **ekskrino**, *separate*, **ekskritós**, *separated, purged*, **ekskritā**, *excrete*, **ekskriméntom**, *excrement*, **krititúdōn**, *certitude*, **ṅkrititúdōn**, *incertitude*, **swekrino**, *secern*, **swekritā**, *secret*, **swekritis**, *secretary*; suffixed zero-grade **krinio**, *separate, decide, judge, explain*, as Gk. κρίνειν, in **kritis**, *crisis*, **kritikós**, *critic*, **kritériōn**, *criterion*, **diakritikós**, *diacritic*, **endokrinós**, *endocrine*, **eksokrinós**, *exocrine*, **supokritā**, *hypocrisy*, **kritā**, *judge*, **saimntokritā**, *hematocrit* (MIE **saimn-**, **saimnto-**, *blood*, are loan words from Gk. αἷμα, -ατος, probably MIE **saimn**, cf. O.Ind. *is*, O.H.G. *seim*, Ger. *Honigseim*).

a. For Indo-European **méigh**, *urinate, sprinkle*, hence “*mist, fine rain*”, also “*mix*” cf. Gmc. *mihstu-* (cf. Goth. *maihstus*, O.N. *míga*, O.E. *miscian*, *mistel*, O.H.G. *miskan*, Du.dial. *mieselen*, Swed. *mäsk*, Ger. *mischen*), *maisk-* (cf. O.E. *māsc*, *meox* Swed. *mäsk*, Ger. *Maisc*, Eng. *mash*), Lat. *mingere*, *meiere*, Gk. *omeikhein*, Skr. *mehati*, Av. *maēsati*, Kurd. *méz*, Gk. *omeihein*, Toch. *-/mišo*, Arm. *mizel*, Lith. *myžti*, Ltv. *mīzt*, Russ. *mezga*, Pol. *miazga*. Latin *micturire* comes from suffixed **míghtus**, in **mightusio**, *want to urinate, micturate*.

b. PIE **wem**, *vomit*, gives O.N. *váma*, Lat. *vomere*, Gk. *emeso*, Skr. *vamiti*, Av. *vam*, Pers. *vātāk*, O.Pruss. *wynis*, Lith. *vemti*, Ltv. *vemt*.

c. PIE **sp(j)ew**, *spit*, gave Gmc. *spjewan* (cf. Goth. *spiewan*, ON *spýja*, O.E. *spiwan*, O.H.G. *spīwan*, Eng. *spew*, Ger. *speien*), Lat. *spuere*, Gk. *ptuein*, Skr. *ṣṭivati*, Av. *spāma*, Pers. *tuf*, Arm. *t'us*, Lith. *spjauti*, Ltv. *spļaut*, O.C.S. *pljujō*, Russ. *pljuju*, Pol. *pluć*, Osset. *thu*,

d. **kwas**, *cough*, gave Gmc. *hwostan* (cf. O.N. *hósta*, O.E. *hwōsta*, O.H.G. *huosto*, Ger. *Husten*, Skr. *kasāte*, Toch. */kosi*, Lith. *kosėti*, Ltv. *kāsēt*, Russ. *kašljat'*, Pol. *kaszleć*, Ir. *casachdach*, Welsh *pas*, Alb. *kollje*, Kam. *kāsa*.

138. The name of the Rhine comes from Ger. *Rhine*, in turn from M.H.G. *Rin*, ultimately from an IE dialect, originally lit. “*that which flows*”, from PIE **rej**, *flow, run*, as Gk. *rhein*, with derivatives including suffixed **rinuo**, *run*, as Gmc. *rinwan*, *rinnan*, (cf. Goth., O.S., O.E. O.H.G., *rinnan*, O.N. *rinna*, M.Du. *runnen*, Ger. *rinnen*), Gmc. *ril-* (cf. Dutch *ril*, Low German *rille*, Eng. *rill*); suffixed **réiwos**, *stream, river*, as Lat. *rīuus*.

139. IE **albhós**, *white*, gives derivatives Lat. *albus*, Umb. *alfu*, Gk. *alphos*, Russ. *lebed'*, Lyc. *alb-*. Other derivatives are **álbhos**, **álbhis**, “*white thing*”, *elf* (from “*white ghostly apparition*”), as Gmc. *albaz*, *albiz* (cf.

O.N. *alfr* Eng. *ælf*, Gm. *Alps*, Eng. *elf*, also in Welsh *elfydd*, and in **Álberōn**, *Oberon* from a Germanic source akin to O.H.G. *Alberich*, into O.Fr. *Auberon*), and fem. **álbhiniā**, *elfin*; Latin derivatives include **albhínós**, *albino*, **álbhom**, *album*, **álbhomōn**, **albhómonā**, *albumen*.

MIE **Albhániā**, *Albania*, comes from M.Gk. *Ἀλβανία*. Although the name of Albania in its language is different (Alb. *Shqipëria*, “*Land of the eagles*”), it appeared only after the Turkish invasions, and the name **Albhániā** is internationally used today. Probably the terms for Albanian speakers of Greece and Italy (as *Arvanite*, *Arber*, *Arbëreshë*, etc.) are also derived from this older noun.

A proper IE word for “*eagle*” is **órōn** (from older **h₃oron*, cf. Hitt. *ḫarā-*), as Gmc. *arnuz* (cf. Goth. *ara*, O.N. *ari*, O.E. *earn*, O.H.G. *arn*, Eng. *erne*, Ger. *Aar*), **órnis**, *bird*, as in Gk. *ornitho-*, and other derivatives from PIE root **or-**, *large bird*, cf. Gk. *orneon*, Arm. *arciv*, Old Prussian *arelis*, Lith. *erelis*, Ltv. *ērglis*, Russ. *orel*, Pol. *orzel*, O.Ir. *irar*, Welsh *eryr*, Alb. *orë*.

Álbhā, *Scotland*, is a Scots- and Irish-Gaelic name for *Scotland*, as well as **Álbhiōn**, *Albion*, which designates sometimes the entire island of Great Britain and sometimes the country of England. The “*white*” is generally held to refer to the cliffs of white chalk around the English town of Dover, in the south of Great Britain.

Common MIE names are **Skotts**, *Scot*, **Skott(isk)léndhom**, *Scotland*, and Germanic **Skottiskós**, *scottish*.

For “*white, shining*”, compare also PIE **argós**, **argís**, as Goth. *unairkns*, O.E. *eorcnan(stān)*, Lat. *arguō*, Osc. *aragetud*, Gk. *arguros*, *erchan*, Skr. *arjuna*, Av. *arəzah*, Phryg. *arg*, Thrac. *arzas*, Toch. *ārki/arkwi*, Arm. *arcat’*, Gaul. *Argentoratum*, O.Ir. *argat*, Welsh *ariant*, Hitt. *ḫarkiš*. Common derivatives include Latin **argéntom**, *silver*, *argent*, **argentínā**, *argentine*; Greek **argil(I)os**, *white clay*, *argil*, **argúros**, *silver*, **arginouís**, *brilliant*, *bright-shining*; IE **argús**, *brilliant*, *clear*, in **argúio**, *make clear*, *demonstrate*, *argue*, Lat. *arguere*; suffixed **argrós**, *white*, Gk. *argos*.

140. Germanic loan words from Frankish might be translated (because of Grimm’s Law, already seen) as MIE **prangós**, Gmc. **frankaz*, “*frank*”, and **Prángos**, Gmc. **Frankaz*, “*freeman, a Frank*”, (cf. O.E. *Franca*, O.H.G. *Franko*, M.L. *Franc*, Eng. *Frank*, Lith. *franču*, etc.), and **Prángiskos**, Gmc. **Frankiskaz*, “*Frankish*” (cf. O.E. *frencisc*, Eng. *French*, Swe. *Fransk*, Du. *frans*, etc.), giving also IE **Prángiā**, Gmc. **Frankjo-*, *France* (as Fr. *France*, and not **Prangā**, which would have given Fr. *Franché*), and **Prangiakós**, or maybe secondary **Prangosiskós** (or **Prangosistós**), *French*, cf. Ger. *Französisch*, Rom. *frantuzește*, Russ. *французский*, Pol. *francuski*, etc. – the common Romance adj. from Lat. *Francensis* (cf. Fr. *français*, It. *franzese*, Spa. *francés*, etc.), ***prangénts(is)**? seems too a secondary formation to be used in PIE.

Other country names in MIE:

a. *Spain*: Phoenician/Punic *ʾÎ-špānîm* “*the isle of hares*” (where initial “*hi*” is a definite article). The Phoenician settlers found hares in abundance, and they named the land in their Canaanite dialect. The Latin-speaking Romans adapted the name as *Hispania*. The Latin name was altered among the Romance languages through O.Fr. *Espagne* and *espagnol* (through M.L. *Hispaniolus*), and entered English from Norman French, hence MIE **Hispániā**, *Hispania*, and **Hispanós**, *Hispaniard*, **Hispanikós**, *Hispanic*, and modern European words **Spániā**, *Spain*, **Spanós**, *Spanish*, cf. Lat. *hispānus*, Gk. *ispanós*.

b. *Greece*: From Gk. *Γραικοί*, Lat. *Graecus* (claimed by Aristotle to refer to the name of the original people of Epirus) is the general international name, hence MIE **Graikós**, *Greek*, **Gráikiā**, *Greece*. However, the proper old

name is **Sewlēnós**, *Hellene, Greek*, (possibly from “*luminary, bright*”), as Gk. Ἑλληνας, **Sewlēnikós**, *Hellenic*, and **Sewlās** or **Sewládā**, *Hellas/Ellas/Ellada, Greece*, a word possibly related to Gk. ἥλι- (*hel-*) “*sun, bright, shiny*”, (cf. Gk. *helios*, “*sun*”, from IE **sāwel**), in turn possibly related to the tribe of the *Selloi*, Gk. Σελλοί.

c. *Denmark*: The **Dhānes**, *Danes* (Lat. *Dani*), were the dominant people of the region since ancient times. The origin of their tribal name is unknown, although it could be a Latin borrowing from a Germanic name, and as Gmc. *dan-* is IE **dhen-**, it is possibly related to PIE **dhen**, “*low, flat*”, in reference to the lowland nature of most of the country (cf. etymology of *Poland* and *Netherland*). **Dhan(ēm)márg(ā)**, *Denmark*, (“*the March of the lowlanders*”), with Gmc. gen. **-ēm**, is then from compound **Dhan** (in gen.pl) + **márg**, *boundary, border*.

PIE **márg**, *boundary, border*, gives derivatives **márg(s)**, Gmc. *mark-*, “*boundary, border territory*”, also “*landmark, boundary marker*”, and “*mark in general*” (and in particular a mark on a metal currency bar, hence a unit of currency), cf. Goth. *marka*, O.N. *mörk*, O.E. *mearc, merc*, O.Fr. *marc*, O.Fris. *merke*, Du. *merk*, Ger. *Mark*, Sca. *mark*, and **márgio**, *note, notice*, Gmc. *markjan* (cf. O.N. *merki*, O.H.G. *merken*, O.E. *mearcian*), in **remárgio**, *remark*; also, derived from Germanic, compare fem. **márgā**, “*mark out, mark*”, Gmc. *markōn* (cf. Frank. *markōn*, O.It. *marcare*), and “*border country, march, marc*”, Gmc. *markō* (cf. O.Fr. *marche*, M.Lat. *marca*), and. Other derivatives include **márgōn**, *border, edge, margin*, as Lat. *margo*, in (**ek**)**márgonā**, *emarginate*; Celtic variant **mrógis**, *territory, land*, **mrógos**, *district*, (cf. O.Ir. *mruig, bruig*, Welsh *bro*, Corn. *bro*, Bret. *broin*), in compound from British Celtic **Kommrógos**, *Welsh*, “*fellow countryman*” (cf. Welsh *Cymro*), as in **Kommrógiā**, *Wales*, Welsh *Cymru*.

d. **Rōmaníā**, *Romania*, comes from **Rómā**, *Rome*, hence the same MIE adjective **Rōmānós** for (ancient and modern) *Roman* and *Romanian* people (cf. Rom. *români*), although modern borrowings MIE **Rōmāniós/Rōmānianós** and **Rōmānistós** (cf. common endings Rom. *-eană, -ește*) could be used for *Romanian*. Older variants of the name were written with *-u*, as Eng. *Rumania* (probably a French-influenced spelling, from Fr. *Roumanie*), as Rom. *rumâni*.

141. From PIE **pej**, *be fat, swell*, are derivatives zero-grade **pítuitā**, *moisture exuded from trees, gum, phlegm*, as in **pítuitáriā**, *pituitary*; **pínus**, *pine tree (yielding a resin)*, as Lat. *pīnus*, in **píniā**, *pine*, *piña*, **píniōn**, *piñon*; suffixed **píwōn**, *fat*, as Skr. *pīvan*, Gk. *pīōn*; suffixed **pīweriós**, *fat, fertile*, as Skr. *pīvarī*, Gk. *píeira*, in **Píweriā**, “*fertile region*”, cf. O.Ir. *Īweriū* (Ir. *Eire*, M.Welsh *Iwerydd, Iwerddon*, also in O.E. *Īras*, Eng. *Ire[land]*), Gk. *Pieriā* (a region of Macedonia, cf. Eng. *Pierian Spring*); extended o-grade **póitos**, *plump, fat*, in verb **póitio**, *fatten*, Gmc. *faitjan*, p.part. **poiditós**, *fattened*, giving **póiditos**, *fat*, as Gmc. *faitithaz* (cf. O.N. *feitr*, O.E. *fætt*, Du. *vet*, Ger. *fett*). Compare also Lat. *pinguis* (a mix of Lat. *funguis*, Gk. *pakhus*, and Lat. *opīmus*, Gk. *pimelh*). Gk. *pitys*, Skr. *pituh, pitudaruh, payate*, Lith. *pienas*.

“*Pine tree*” in PIE is **gelunā**, found in O.N. *giolnar*, Gk. *kheilos*, Arm. *jelun/čelun*, Lith. *pušis*, Ir. *giúis*.

142. IE reconstructed **gningos**, “*leader of the people*”, *king*, as Gmc. *kuningaz* (cf. O.N. *konungr*, O.H.G. *kuning*, O.E. *cyning*, Du. *koning*, Dan. *konge*, Ger. *könig*), is related to O.E. *cynn*, “*family, race*”, Mod. Eng. *kin* (see **gen**); O.C.S. *kunegu* “*prince*” (cf. Rus. *knyaz*, Boh. *knez*), Lith. *kunigas* “*clergyman*”, and Finnish *kuningas* “*king*”, are deemed loans from Germanic. MIE neuter **gningodhōmos** is a loan translation of Eng. *king-dom*, Du. *konge-dømme* (see **dhē**), as **gningorégiom** is for Gmc. *kuninga-rikjam* (cf. Du. *koninkrijk*, Ger. *Königreich*,

Da. *kongerige*, Swe. *kungarike*, Nor. *kongerike*). However, note that the proper O.E. word for “kingdom” was simply *rīce*, as PIE and MIE **région**.

143. The international name **Montinécros**, from **necrós móntis**, *black mount(ain)* (after the appearance of Mount Lovćen or its dark coniferous forests), was given by Italian conquerors, possibly from Venice. The term was loan-translated in Slavic (substituting their older name, Sla. *Zeta*) as **Krsná Corá** (or **Krsnocóriā**), from **krsnós**, *black* (cf. Sla. *čurnu*, O.Pruss. *kirsnan*, Lith. *kirsnas*, Skr. *kṛsna*, from PIE **kers**), and **corá**, *mount(ain)*.

PIE nominal root **kers**, *heat, fire*, gives **kértā**, *hearth, “burning place”*, as Gmc. *kherthō* (cf. O.E. *heorð*, O.Fris. *herth*, M.Du. *hert*, Ger. *Herd*); zero-grade **krdhōn**, *charcoal, ember, carbon*, as Lat. *carbō* (in light of Gmc. *kherth-*, O.Ind. *kūdayāti*), extended **kremā**, *burn, cremate*, as Lat. *cremāre*; suffixed extended Greek **kerámos**, *potter’s clay, earthenware*, as in **keramikós**, *ceramic*; and in colour (apart from **krsnós**, *black*), compare extended verb **krāso**, *color*, as Russ. *krasit’*.

144. MIE **Swéones** (maybe orig. **Swíonís**), *Suiones*, from **Swéōn**, *swede*, is a proper reconstruction for Gmc. *swioniz*, (cf. O.E. *Sweon*, *Sweonas*); in O.N. *svear/svíar*, the *n* disappeared in the plural noun, still preserved in the old adjective Swe. *svensk*, MIE **Sweoniskós**, *swedish*. The name became part of a compound, MIE **Sweotéutā**, “*The Suione People*” (see **teutā**), as O.N. *Svíþjóð*, O.E. *Sweoðeod* (cf. Ice. *Svíþjóð*, Eng. *Sweden*, Ger. *Schweden*, Du. *Zweden*). The only Germanic nation having a similar naming was the Goths, who from the name Gmc. *Gutans* (cf. *Suehans*, “*Swedes*”) created the form *gut-þiuda*. The name *Swethiuth* and its different forms gave rise to the different IE names for Sweden (cf. M.Lat. *Suetia*, Gk. *Σουηδία*, Hi. *Svī.dan*, Pers. *Sued*, Lith. *Švedija*, Russ. *Швеция*, Pol. *Szwecja*, even Maltese *Svezja*, Heb. *Shvedia*, Jap. *Suwēden*, Kor. *Seuweden*, etc). Another modern (Scandinavian) compound comes from MIE **Sweorégion**, “*The Realm of the Swedes*”, cf. O.N. *Svíariki*, O.E. *Swēoriče* (cf. Swe. *Sverige*, Da.,Nor. *Sverige*, Fae. *Svøriki*, Ltv. *Zviedrija*, Saami *Sveerje*, *Svierik*). Another Germanic compound that has not survived into modern times is **Sweoléndhom**, “*The Land of the Swedes*”, as O.E. *Swēoland*.

145. Germanic **Finnléndhom**, “*Land of the Finns*”, comes from the Norsemen’s name for the Sami or Lapps, **Finn** or **Finnós**, *Finn* (cf. O.N. *finnr*, O.E. *finnas*). The word may be related to Eng. *fen* or *find*.

English “*fen*” is probably from an original IE **pánio-**, “*marsh, dirt, mud*”, as Gmc. *fanja-* (cf. Goth. *fani*, O.E. *fen*, *fenn*, O.Fris. *fenne*, Du. *veen*, Ger. *Fenn*), borrowed in It., Sp. *fango*, O.Fr. *fanc*, Fr. *fange*; compare also Skr. *pankaḥ*, O.Pruss. *pannean*, Gaul. *anam*.

146. A PIE base **per-**, *traffic in, sell* (“*hand over, distribute*”, see **per**), is behind **enterpreso**, *negotiate*, as in **enterpréts**, *go-between, negotiator, interpret*, verb **enterpretā**, *interpret*; **prétiom**, *price*, Lat. *pretium*, in **pretiōsós**, *precious*, **adpretiā**, *appreciate*, **depretiā**, *depreciate*; **perno**, *sell*, as in **porná**, *prostitute*, as Gk. *πορνη*, in **pornogrphós** (or abb. **pornós**), *pornographic, porno*.

Other meanings of IE base **per-** (from **per**, see also verb **pero**), are *try, risk* (from “*lead over*”, “*press forward*”), and *strike*. Compare from the first meaning extended **péros**, *danger*, as Gmc. *fēraz* (cf. O.S.,O.N. *fár*, O.E. *fær*, Ger. *Gefahr* Eng. *fear*); suffixed **perítlom**, *danger, peril*, as Lat. *perículum*; suffixed and prefixed **eksperio**, *try, learn by trying*, as in **ekspertós**, *tried*, **ekspértos**, *experienced, expert*, **eksperiméntom**, *experiment*, **eksperiéntiā**, *experience*; **périā**, *trial, attempt*, as Gk. *πειρα*, in **periátā**, *pirate*, as Gk. *πειρατής*, **emperiākós**, *empiric*. From the second meaning is extended Latin *pre-m-, pre-s*, as in **premo**, *press*, **presós**,

pressed, giving **présiōn**, *pressure*, **depremo**, *depress*, **deprésiōn**, *depression*, **ekspremo**, *express*, **ekspresós**, *express*, **ekspresós**, *espresso*, **enpremo**, *impress*, **enpremtós/enpresós**, *impressed*, **enpremtā**, *imprint*, **obhpremo**, *oppress*, **obhpresós**, *oppressed*, **repremo**, *repress*, **represós**, *repressed*, **reprementā**, *reprimand*, **suppremo**, *suppress*, **suppresós**, *suppressed*.

147. Latin **eksáliom**, *exilium*, “banishment”, comes from **eksál**, Lat. *exul*, “banished person”, from **eks**, “away”, and PIE **al**, “wander”, as in Gk. *alasthai*.

148. MIE **parénts**, *father or mother, ancestor*, as Lat. *parens*, comes from verb **paro**, *bring forth, give birth to, produce*, Lat. *parere*, from PIE base **per-**, *bring forth*, as in **parā**, *make ready*, in **prāiparā**, *prepare*; for IE derivatives referring to young animals, cf. O.E. *fearr*, “bull”, O.H.G. *farro*, Ger. *Farre*, Gk. *poris*, Skr. *prthukah*, Lith. *pariu*, Cz. *spratek*.

149. Indo-European **ówis** (older **h₂owi-*), *sheep*, gives Gmc. *awiz* (cf. Goth. *awēþi*, ON *ær*, O.E. *ēow*, O.H.G. *ouwi*, M.Du. *ooge*, Eng. *ewe*, Ger. *Aue*), Lat. *ovis*, Umbrian *uvem*, Gk. *ois*, Skr. *avika*, Toch. *āuw*, Arm. *hoviv*, O. Pruss. *awins*, Lith. *avis*, Ltv. *avs*, Russ. *овца*, Polish *owca*, O.Ir. *ói*, Welsh *ewig*, Hitt. *hawī*, Luw. *hāwi-*, Lyc. *xabwa*. A common Latin derivative is **owinós**, *ovine*.

150. PIE root **pek**, *pluck*, gives **pékū**, *cattle*; compare Gmc. *fehu* (Goth. *faihu*, O.N. *fé*, O.E. *feoh*, O.H.G. *fihu*, Eng. *fee*, *fellow*, Ger. *Vieh*), Lat. *pecu*, *pecū*, Gk. *πεκω*, Skr. *paśu*, Av. *pasu*, Arm. *asr*, O. Pruss. *pecku*, Lith. *pekus*, Alb. *pilë*. Common derivatives include **pékudom**, *feudal estate, feud*, from Med.Lat. *feudum*, from Gmc. *fehu*; **pekūniā**, *property, wealth*, as Lat. *pecunia*, gives **pekūniāsiós**, *pecuniary*, **ṛpekūniós**, *impecunious*; and suffixed **pekūliom**, *riches in cattle, private property*, gives **pekūliālis**, *peculiar*, and **pekulā**, *peculate*.

151. PIE **egnís**, *fire*, referred to fire as a living force (compare **áqā-após**), different to the inanimate substance **páwr**, and gave known IE derivatives as Lat. *ignis*, Skr. *agni*, Lith. *ugnis*, Ltv. *uguns*, OCS *ognĭ*, Russ. *огонь*, Polish *ogień*, Alb. *enjte*; Hitt. *agniš*. However, in Modern Indo-European (due to the disappearance of such old distinctions) both words have usually come to mean the same, with many dialects choosing only one as the main word for a general “fire”.

152. Proto-Indo-European **bhrūs**, *brow*, is found in Ger. *brū-* (O.E. *brū*, Nor. *brún*, Ger. *Braue*, Eng. *brow*), Gk. *οφρύς*, Skr. *bhrus*, Pers. *abru*, Toch. *pärwām/pärwāne*, O.Pruss. *wubri*, Lith. *bruvis*, O.C.S. *bruvi*, Russ. *бровь*, Polish *brew*, Cel. *briva* (>**bhréwā**, *bridge*), O.Ir. *bru*; Ancient Macedonian *abroutes*.

153. For Indo-European **kerd**, *heart* (old inflection Nom. **kerds**, Acc. **kérdm**, Gen. **krdós**, cf. Anatolian *kart-*s), compare suffixed **kérdōn**, as Gmc. *khertōn* (cf. Goth. *hairto*, O.S. *herta*, O.N. *hjarta*, O.E. *heorte*, O.H.G. *herza*, Du. *hart*, Eng. *heart*, Ger. *Herz*), Lat. *cor* (stem *cord-*, from **krd**), Gk. *kardia*, Skr. *hṛdaya*, Av. *zərədā*, Arm. *sird/sirt*, O. Pruss. *seyr*, Lith. *širdis*, Ltv. *sirds*, O.C.S. *sřǐdĭce*, *sreda*, Russ. *serdce*, Pol. *serce*, O.Ir. *cride*, Welsh *craidd*, Bret. *kreiz*, Kamviri *zāra*. Common MIE words are from Latin zero-grade **krdiālis**, *cordial*, **adkrdā**, *accord*, **komkrdā**, *concord*, **diskrdā**, *discord*, **rekrdā**, *record*; further suffixed zero-grade Greek **krdiā**, *heart*, also *stomach, orifice*, gives **krdiakós**, *cardiac*, **endokrdiom**, *endocardium*, **epikrdiom**, *epicardium*, **megalokrdiā**, **perikrdiom**, *pericardium*; from compound **kred-dha-**, “to place trust” (an old religious term, from zero-grade of **dhē**, *do, place*), is **kreddho**, *believe* (a separable verb) as Lat. *credere* (cf. Fr. *croire*, It. *credere*, Spa. *creer*, Pt. *acreditar*, *crêr*, Rom. *crede*), in **kredhénts**, *credence*, **kredhibhilís**, *credible*, **kredhitos**, *credit*, **kred dhō**, “I believe”, **kredholós**, *credulous*.

West Germanic “believe” comes from IE **komloubhio**, “to hold dear”, esteem, trust, as Gmc. *galaubjan* (cf. O.E. *geleafa*, *ge-lēfan*, *gelyfan*, Du. *geloven*, Ger. *glauben*), from PIE verbal root **leubh**, care, desire, love, as L. *lubet* (later *libet*), Osc. *loufit*, Skt. *lubhyati*, Lith. *liaupsė*, O.C.S. *ljubŭ*, Pol. *lubić*, Alb. *lum*. Common derivatives include **leubhós**, dear, beloved, as Gmc. *leubaz* (cf. Goth. *liufs*, O.N. *ljutr*, O.E. *leof*, O.Fris. *liaf*, O.H.G. *liob*, Eng. *lief*, Ger. *lieb*), also o-grade **lóubhā**, permission, as Gmc. *laubō* (cf. O.E. *leafe*, Eng. *leave*); from zero-grade **lúbhā**, love, is Gmc. *lubō* (cf. Goth. *liufs*, O.N. *ljúfr*, O.E. *lufu*, O.Fris. *liaf*, O.H.G. *liob*, Eng. *love*, not found elsewhere as a noun, except O.H.G. *luba*, Ger. *Liebe*); also zero-grade stative **lubbē**, be dear, be pleasing, as Lat. *libēre* (O.Lat. *libēre*); also, **lúbhīdōn**, pleasure, desire, as Lat. *libīdō*.

North Germanic verb “tro” comes from IE **deru**, faith, trust, as Eng. *trust*.

Slavic verb for believe, **werio**, comes from **werós**, true, cf. Russ. *верю*, Pol., *wierzyć*, Sr.-Cr. *vjerovati*, Slo. *verovati*, etc.

154. IE **kwōn**, dog, gives derivatives Gmc. *khundas* (from **kun(t)ós**, originally Genitive, cf. Goth. *hunds*, O.E. *hund*, O.N. *hundr*, O.H.G. *hunt*, Eng. *hound*, Ger. *Hund*), Lat. *canis*, Gk. *kuōn*, Skr. *śvan*, Av. *spā*, Pers. *sag*, Phryg. *kunes*, Thrac. *dīnu-*, Dacian *kinu-*, Toch. *ku/ku*, Arm. *šun*, O.Pruss. *sunis*, Lith. *šuo*, Ltv. *suns*, Russ. *suka*, Pol. *suka*, Gaul. *cuna*, O.Ir. *cū*, Welsh *ci*, Alb. *shakë*; Hitt. *śuwanis*, Lyd. *kan-*. Derivatives **kwonikós**, cynic, from Gk. *κυνικός*; variant Lat. **kánis** gives **kanásiós**, pertaining to dogs, **kanários**, canary, **kaninós**, canine.

155. Compare the well-attested derivatives of PIE numerals from one to ten:

I. The usual IE word for one is **óinos**, (earlier **h₁oinos*) one, only, attested as Gmc. *ainaz* (cf. Goth. *ains*, O.N. *einn*, O.E. *ān*, O.H.G. *ein*, Dan. *een*, O.Fris. *an*, Du. *een*), Lat. *ūnus* (O.Lat. *oīnus*), Osc. *uīnus*, Umb. *uns*, Gk. *οἷν*, O.Pruss. *aīns*, Lith. *vienas*, Ltv. *viens*, O.C.S., (єд)иһъ, иһо-, O.Russ. [oð]иһъ, [oð]иһа, Polish [jed]en, Gaul. *oīnos*, O.Ir. *óin*, Welsh *un*, Kamviri *ev*, Alb. *një/nji*, Osset. *xy* (*iu*). Slavic prefix *ed-* comes from IE **ek**, “out”.

PIE root **oi-**, earlier **h₁ói*, (which gives **óinos**) had other rare compounds, as **óiwos**, one alone, unique, as Gk. *oi(w)os*, Av. *aēva*, O.Pers. *aiva*, **óikos**, (maybe **óiqos**) one, as Hitt. *aika-*, O.Ind. *éka-*, Hindi एक (*ek*), Urdu اڪ (*ik*), Rro. *yek*, Pers. *ۛ* (*yek*), Kashmiri *akh*. It had also vowel grades **ei-**, **i-**, as in **ijo-**, Gk. *iō*.

Derivatives include **alnóinos**, “all one”, alone, from **alnós óinos**, as W.Gmc. *all ainaz* (cf. Eng. *alone*, Ger. *alleine*, Du. *alleen*), **nóin(os)**, “not one”, none, from **ne óinos**, as Gmc. *nain-az* (cf. O.S., M.L.G. *nen*, O.N. *neinn*, O.E. *nan*, M.Du., Du. *neen*, O.H.G., Ger. *nein*, Eng. *none*), Lat. *nōn* (cf. also Lat. *nec unus* in It. *nessuno*, Spa. *ninguno*, Pt. *ninguém*); from Latin are **óiniōn**, union, **oīnio**, unite, **oīnitós**, united, **óinitā**, unity, **oīnitā**, unite, **adoinā**, join, **komadoinā**, coadunate, **oīnanamós**, unanimous, **oīnikórnis**, unicorn, **oīniwérsos**, universe; suffixed **oīnikós**, one, anyone, and sole, single, as Gmc. *ainigaz* (cf. O.S. *enig*, O.N. *einigr*, O.E. *ænig*, O.Fris. *enich*, Du. *enig*, Ger. *einig*, Eng. *any*), Lat. *ūnicus*, also in **óinkiā**, one twelfth of a unit, as Lat. *ūncia*.

For ordinal MIE **prwós** [pɾː-wós], first, also dialectal **preismós**, **prowtós**, **pristós** [pɾː-is-’tos] (see more derivatives from **per**, forward, through, in front of, before, early, hence “foremost, first”, cf. Hitt. *para*, Lyc. *pri*), compare Gmc. *furistaz* (cf. O.N. *fyrstr*, O.E. *fyrst*, O.H.G. *furist*, *fruo*, Eng. *first*, Ger. *Fürst*, *früh*), Lat. *primus*, Osc. *perum*, Umb. *pert*, Gk. *prōtos*, Skr. *prathama*, Av. *paoiriia*, *pairi*, Osset. *fyccag*, *farast*, Toch. *parwät/parwe*, O.Pruss. *pariy*, Lith. *pirmas*, Ltv. *pirmais*, O.C.S. *přrvŭ*, Russ. *pervyj*, Polish *pierwszy*, O.Ir. *er*, Welsh *ar*, Alb. *i parë*, Kam. *pürük*.

PIE root **sem-**, *one, together, united* (Nom. **séms/sōms**, Gen. **s(e)mós/somós**, and as prefix **sm̥**), which refers to the unity considered as a whole, and appears usually in word compounds, as in **seme**, *at once, at the same time*, **sémel**, *one time*, as Lat. *simul*, **ensémel**, *at the same time, ensemble*; **sémele**, *formerly, once*, etc. Compare Gmc. *sam-* (cf. Goth. *sama*, O.N. *sami*, O.E. *sum*, O.H.G. *saman*, Eng. *some*, Ger. [zu]*sammen*), Lat. *semel*, Gk. *heis*, Skr. *sakṛt*, Av. *hakeret*, O.Pers. *hama*, Toch. *sas/še*, Arm. *mi*, Lith. *sa*, Russ. *сам*, O.Ir. *samail*, Welsh *hafal*, Alb. *gjithë*, Kam. *sâ~*; Hitt. *san*, Lyc. *sñta*.

Derivatives include Greek full grade **semdekmkomlabikós**, *hendecasyllabic* (from MIE borrowing **kómlabā**, *syllable*, Gk. *sullambanein*, *to combine in pronunciation*, from **kom** and Gk. *lambanein*, *to take*), **semodhesismos**, *henotheism* (see **dhēs**), **suposem**, *hyphen* (see **supo**); **smkmtóm**, see **kmtóm**, *hundred*; suffixed **sémel**, *at the same time*, Lat. *simul*, as in **semeltaniós**, *simultaneous*, **adsemelā**, *assemble*; **sem(g)olós**, *alone, single*, Lat. *singulus*; compound **sémper** (see **per**), *always, ever* (“*once and for all*”), Lat. *semper*; o-grade **som**, *together*, Skr. *sam*, and zero-grade extended **súm̥n**, *together with, at the same time*, as Gk. *hama*; o-grade suffixed **somós**, *same*, as Gmc. *samaz* (cf. O.N. *samr*, Eng. *same*), Gk. *homos*, in **somo-**, *homo-*, **somio-**, *homeo-*, **sómilos**, *crowd*, **somiliā**, *discourse, homily*, Gk. *ὁμιλία*; **somlós**, *like, even, level*, in **nsomlós**, *anomalous*, **somlogrbhikós**, *homolographic*; lengthened **sómis**, *fitting, agreeable*, (< “*making one*”, “*reconciling*”), as Gmc. *somiz* (cf. O.N. *sæmr*, Eng. *seem, seemly*), also in **sōmo-**, *self*, Russ. *sam(o)*; zero-grade **sm̥-**, as Gk. *ha-*, *a-*, “*together*” (the ‘*a copulativum*’, ‘*a athroistikon*’) as e.g. in *a-delphos* “*brother*”, from **sm-celbhos** literally “*from the same womb*” (cf. Delphi), cognate to English *same* (cf. Symbel), or Skr. *saṃ-*, present e.g. in the term for the language itself, viz. **s(o)ms-qr̥tā**, Skr. *saṃ-s-kr̥tā* “*put together*”; **simplós**, *simple*, Lat. *simplus*, Gk. *haploos, haplous*, also **simpléks**, “*one fold*”, *simple*, as Lat. *simplex*, in **simplékitā**, *simplicity*; suffixed **súm̥mos**, *one, a certain one*, also **smmos**, *like*, as Gmc. *sumaz* (cf. O.E. *sum*, *-sum*, Eng. *some*, *-some*); **smmlós**, *of the same kind, like, similar*, as Lat. *similis*, **adsmmlā**, *assimilate*; usually reconstructed ***sínteros**, *one of two, other*, as Gk. *heteros* (older *hateros*), although **sínteros** (cognate with Lat. *sine*) should be used.

Compare also **sémi**, *half*, generally as first member of a compound, as Gmc. *sēmi-* (cf. O.E. *sām-*, in compounds *samblind, samlæred*, “*half-taught, badly instructed*”, *samstorfen*), Gk. *hēmi*, and Lat. *semi-* and **sémis**, *half*.

II. The forms for “*two*” alternate **dwo/do**, with **duw-/du-**, cf. Gmc. *two-* (cf. Goth. *twai*, O.N. *tveir*, O.E. *twā*, O.H.G. *zwene*, Eng. *two*, Ger. *zwei*), Lat. *duo*, Osc. *dus*, Umb. *tuf*, Gk. *δύο*, Skr. *dva*, Av. *duua*, Pers. *duva*, Pers. *do*, Toch. *wu/wi*, Arm. *erku*, O.Pruss. *dwāi*, Lith. *du/dvi*, Ltv. *divi*, O.C.S. *dŭva*, Russ. *два*, Pol. *dwa*, Gaul. *vo*, O.Ir. *dá*, Welsh *dau*, Kamviri *dü*, Alb. *dy*; Hitt. *dā-*, Lyc. *tuwa*. See also **ám̥bhos**, *both*.

Common PIE “*second*” was **alterós** (from PIE **al**, *beyond*) and **anterós**, “*the other of the two, the second, other*”, cf. Gmc. *antharaz* (cf. O.S. *athar*, O.N. *annarr*, Ger. *ander*, Goth. *anþar*), Lat. *alter*, Lith. *antras*, Skt. *antarāh*, both senses still found in some modern languages, cf. Da. *anden*, Swe. *andra*, Nor. *andre*, Ice. *annar*.

To avoid ambiguity, some languages have renewed the vocabulary, as in suffixed participial Lat. **seqondós**, *following, coming next, second* (from PIE **seq**, *follow*), borrowed in English *second*, while others have made compounds imitating the general ordinal formation in their dialects (cf. Ger. *zweite*, Du. *tweede*, Gk. *δεύτερος*, Skr. *dvitīya*, Fr. *deuxième*, Ir. *dóú*, Bret. *daouvet*, etc.), hence MIE **dwoterós**, **dwitós**, **dwiós**, etc.

Slavic languages have undergone a curious change, retaining the same words for “other” and “second” (and therefore the ambiguity), but using a word for “friend” (hence “other”), from IE **deru**, *be firm, solid* (hence also “be trustworthy”), compare O.Sla. *δρωγъ*, giving Russ. *δρωгъ*, O.Pol. *drug*, Sr.-Cr., Slo. *drûg*, Cz., Slk. *druh*, O.Pruss. *draugiwaldûnen*, Lith. *draûgas, sudrugti*, Lath. *dràugs*, and even Germanic (cf. verbs Goth. *driugan*, O.N. *draugr*, O.E. *dréogan*, Eng. dial. *dree*, “endure”, and as noun Goth. *gadraúhts*, O.H.G. *trucht, truhtin*).

III. For PIE root **tri- trei-** (cf. Hitt. *tri-*, Lyc. *trei*), giving IE **tréjes**, *three*, compare Gmc. *thrijiz* (cf. Goth. *þreis*, O.N. *þrír*, O.E. *þrēo*, O.H.G. *drī*, Eng. *three*, Ger. *drei*), Lat. *trēs*, Umb. *trif*, Osc. *trís*, O.Gk. *τρεις*, Gk.Cret. *τρῆες*, Gk.Lesb. *τρῆς*, Skr. *tráyas, tri*, Av. *thri*, Phryg. *thri-*, Illyr. *tri-*, Toch. *tre/trai*, Arm. *erek'*, O.Pers. *çi*, Pers. *se*, O.Pruss. *tri*, Lith. *trỹs*, Ltv. *trīs*, Sla. *trъje* (cf. O.C.S. *trъje*, O.Russ. *mpue*, O.Cz. *třie*, Polish *trzy*), Gaul. *treis*, O.Ir. *treí*, Welsh *tri*, Alb. *tre*. Modern derivatives include zero-grade **trístis** (from **tri+st**, see **stā**), “third person standing by”, witness, as Lat. *testis*, in **trístā**, *witness*, **trístāments**, *testament*, **tristikolos**, *testicle*, **adtristā**, *attest*, **komtristā**, *contest*, **detristā**, *detest*, **obhtristā**, *obtest*, **protristā**, *protest*, **tristidhakā**, *testify*; suffixed o-grade form **trójā**, *group of three*, gives Russian **tróikā**.

For ordinal **trit(i)ós, trtijós**, compare Gmc. *thridjaz* (cf. Goth. *þridja*, O.N. *þriðe*, O.E. *þrida*, O.Fris. *thredda*, O.S. *thridio*, O.H.G. *dritto*, M.L.G. *drudde*, Du. *derde*, Ger. *dritte*), Lat. *tertius*, Gk. *tritos*, Skt. *trtiyas*, Avestan *thritya*, Lith. *trecias*, O.C.S. *tretiji*, O.Ir. *triss*, with common derivatives including **trítiom**, *tritium*.

IV. Alternating forms of four are **qetwor, qtwor, qetur, qetr, qetwr**. Unlike *one, two, three*, the inflected forms of “four”, i.e. m. **qetwóres**, f. **qetwesóres**, n. **qetwór**, are not common to all IE dialects; compare Gmc. *fe(d)wor* (cf. Goth. *fidwor*, O.N. *ffórir*, O.S. *fiwar*, O.Fris. *fiuwer*, Frank. *fitter-*, O.E. *fēower*, O.H.G. *feor*, Eng. *four*, Ger. *vier* Dan. *fire*, Sw. *fyra*), Lat. *quattuor*, Osc. *petora*, Umb. *petor*, Gk.Hom. *τέσσαρες, πίσυρες*, Gk.Ion. *τέσσαρες*, Gk.Dor. *τέτορες*, O.Ind. *catvāras, catúras*, Av. *čathwar, čaturam*, Pers. *čahār*, Kurd. *čwar*, Thrac. *ketri-*, Toch. *štwar/štwer*, Arm. *č'ork'*, O.Pruss. *keturjāi*, Lith. *keturì*, O.Ltv. *cetri*, O.C.S. *četyri*, Russ. *четыре*, Pol. *cztery*, Gaul. *petor*, O.Ir. *cethir*, Welsh *pedwar*, Bret. *pevar*, Alb. *katër*, Kam. *što*; Lyc. *teteri*.

For ordinal adjective **qeturós, qetwrtós** (also **qeturτός**), compare Gmc. *fedworthaz* (cf. O.E. *fēortha*, *fēowertha*, O.H.G. *fiordo*, M.Du. *veerde*, Ger. *vierte*, Eng. *fourth*), Lat. *quārtus*, Lith. *ketvirtas*, Russ. *четвёртый*, Cz. *čtvrtý*, Ir. *ceathrú*, Welsh *pedwaredd*.

V. For Indo-European **pénqe**, *five*, compare Gmc. *finfe* (cf. Goth. *fimf*, O.S. *fiþ*, O.N. *fimm*, O.E. *fiþ*, O.H.G. *funf*), Lat. *quinque*, Osc. *pompe*, Umb. *pumpe*, Gk. *πέντε*, Skr. *pañca*, Av. *pañča*, O.Pers. *panča*, Phryg. *pinke*, Toch. *pāñ/piś*, Arm. *hing*, O.Pruss. *pēnkjāi*, Lith. *penki*, Ltv. *pieci*, O.C.S. *peŕi*, Russ. *пять*, Polish *pięć*, Gaul. *petpe*, O.Ir. *cóic*, Welsh *pump*, Alb. *pesë*, Kam. *puč*; Luw. *paⁿta*.

For ordinal **penqtós**, compare Gmc. *finfthaz* (cf. Eng. *fifth*, Du. *vijfde*, Ger. *fünfte*, Sca. *femte*, etc.), Lat. *quintus*, Gk. *πέμπτος*, Lith. *penktas*, Russ. *пяты*, Cz. *pátý*, Ir. *cúigiú*, Welsh *pumed*, Bret. *pempvet*, etc.

VI. For PIE “six”, **sweks** and **seks** (also **weks** in Arm. *vec'*, originally then probably PIE ***sweks**), compare Gmc. *sekhs* (cf. Goth. *saihs*, O.S. *seks*, O.N., O.Fris. *sex*, O.E. *siex*, O.H.G. *sēhs*, M.Du. *sesse*), Lat. *sex*, Osc. *sehs*, Umb. *sehs*, Gk. *ἕξ*, Skr. *ṣaṣ*, Av. *khšwuaš*, Pers. *šeš*, Osset. *æxsæz*, Illyr. *ses-*, Toch. *šäk/škas*, O.Pruss. *usjai*, Lith. *šeši*, Ltv. *seši*, O.C.S. *šestī*, Russ. *шесть*, Polish *sześć*, Gaul. *suex*, O.Ir. *sé*, Welsh *chwech*, Alb. *gjashtë*, Kam. *šu*.

For **s(w)ekstós**, compare Gmc. *sekhstaz* (cf. O.E. *siexta*, Fris., Ger. *sechste*, Du. *zesde*, Da. *sjette*) Latin *sextus*, Gk. *ἕκτος*, Lith. *šeštas*, Russ. *шестой*, Cz. *šestý*, Sr.-Cr., Slo. *šesti*, Ir. *séu*, Welsh *chweched*, Bret. *c'hwec'huet*, etc.

VII. For PIE **séptm**, **septín**, *seven*, compare Gmc. *sebn* (cf. O.S. *sibun*, O.N. *sjau*, O.E. *seofon*, O.Fris. *sowen*, *siugun*, O.H.G. *sibun*, Du. *zeven*), Lat. *septem*, Oscan *seften*, Gk. ἑπτὰ, Skr. *saptá*, Av. *hapta*, Pers. *haft*, Osset. *avd*, Toch. *špät* (*šäpta-*)/*šukt*, Arm. *evt'n*, O. Pruss. *septīnjai*, Lith. *septynì*, Ltv. *septīņi*, O.C.S. *sedmǐ*, O.Russ. *семь*, Polish *siedem*, Gaul. *sextan*, O.Ir. *secht*. Welsh *saith*. Alb. *shtatë* (from **septmtí-**), Kamviri *sut*; Hitt. *šipta-*.

For ordinal **septm(m)ós**, compare Gmc. *sebnthaz* (cf. Eng. *seventh*, Ger. *siebente*, Du. *zevende*, Da. *syvende*, Swe. *sjunde*), Lat. *septimus*, Gk. ἑβδομος, Lith. *sekmas*, Russ. *седьмой*, Ir. *seachtú*, Welsh *seithfed*, Bret. *seizhvet*.

VIII. For PIE **óktō(u)**, *eight*, older **h₃ekteh₃*, compare Gmc. *akhto(u)* (cf. Goth. *ahtau*, O.N. *átta*, O.E. *eahta*, O.H.G. *ahto*), Lat. *octō*, Osc. *uhto*, Gk. οκτώ, Skr. *aṣṭa*, Av. *ašta*, O.Pers. *ašta*, Toch. *okät/okt*, Arm. *ut'*, O.Pruss. *astōnjai*, Lith. *aštuoni*, Ltv. *astoņi*, OCS *osmǐ*, Russ. *восемь*, Polish *osiem*, Gaul. *oxtū*, O.Ir. *ocht*, Welsh *wyth*, Alb. *tëte*, Kam. *uṣṭ*; Lyc. *aitāta-*.

For common ordinal **oktowós**, or newer imitative formations **oktotós**, **oktomós**, compare Gmc. *akhtothaz* (cf. Eng. *eighth*, Ger. *achte*, Du.,Fris. *achtste*, Swe. *åttonde*), Lat. *octavus* (but cf. Fr. *huitième*), Gk. *ógdoos*, Russ. (в)осемьмой, Cz. *osmý*, Ir. *ochtú*, Welsh *wythfed*, Bret. *eizhvet*.

IX. PIE **néwn** (older **h₂néwn*), *nine*, gave Gmc. *niwun* (cf. Goth.,O.H.G. *niun*, O.Fris. *niugun*, O.N. *nú*, O.E. *nigon*), Lat. *novem*, Osc. *nuven*, Umb. *nuvīm*, Gk. ἐννέα, Skr. *nava*, Av. *nauua*, O.Pers. *nava*, Pers. *noh*, Toch. *ñu*, Arm. *inn*, O.Pruss. *newīnjai*, Lith. *devynì*, Ltv. *deviņi*, O.C.S. *devęti*, Russ. *девять*, Polish *dziewięć*, Gaul. *navan*, O.Ir. *nói*, Welsh *naw*, Alb. *nëntë/nândë*, Kam. *nu*; Lyc. *ñuñtāta-*. Slavic common form *devęť*, from PIE **néwn̄tis**, is also found in O.N. *niund*, Gk. (f.) ἐννέας, O.Ind. *navatīś*, Av. *navaiti-*. For ordinals **nown(n)ós**, **neuntós**, compare Gmc. *niunthaz* (cf. Eng. *ninth*, Ger. *neunte*, Du. *negende*, Da. *niende*, Swe. *nionde*), Lat. *nonus*, *nouenus*, (but Fr. *neuvième*), Gk. *έννατος*, Russ. *девятый*, Cz. *devátý*, Ir. *naoú*, Welsh *nawfed*, Bret. *navvet*.

X. For PIE **dékm(t)** [*'de-km̄*], also **dekín**, *ten*, compare Gmc. *tekhun* (cf. Goth. *taihun*, O.S. *tehan*, O.N. *tíu*, O.Fris. *tian*, O.E. *tīen*, O.Du. *ten*, O.H.G. *zēhen*), Lat. *decem*, Osc. *deken*, Umb. *desem*, Gk. δέκα, Skr. *daśa*, Av. *dasa*, Pers. *datha*, Dacian *dece-*, Toch. *šāk/šak*, Arm. *tasn*, O.Pruss. *desīmtan*, Lith. *dešimt*, Ltv. *desmit*, O.C.S. *desęti*, Russ. *десять*, Polish *dziesięć*, Gaul. *decam*, O.Ir. *deich*, Welsh *deg*, Alb. *dhjetë/dhetë*, Kam. *duc*.

For ordinal **dek(m)ós**, **dekmtós**, compare Gmc. *tekhunthaz* (cf. O.E. *teogoþa*, Ger. *zehnte*, Du.,Da. *tiende*, Swe. *tionde*, Eng. *tithe*, *tenth*), Lat. *decimus*, Gk. *dékatos*, Lith. *dešimtas*, Russ. *десятым*, Cz. *desátý*, Ir. *deichiú*, Welsh *degfed*, Bret. *dekvvet*.

156. This is the general situation in PIE (cf. e.g. for “*twelve*”, Ved.Skr. *dvādaśa*, Lat. *duodecim*, Gk. δώδεκα, Ir. *dó dheag*, etc.), although some dialectal differences are found:

a. In Slavic and dialectal Baltic, a peculiar form **-nódek(m)** (**-pódek(m)**), lit. “*on ten*”, is used, e.g. **qeturnódek(m)** (**qetworpódek(m)**) “*four on ten*”, as Russ. *четырнадцать*, i.e. *четыре+на+дцать*, (Ltv. *četrpadsmīt*, i.e. *četri+pad+desmit*), cf. Pol. *czternaście*, Cz. *čtrnáct*, Sr.-Cr. *četrnaest*, etc.

b. Germanic and dialectal Baltic use compounds with MIE **-liq(a)**, *left over* (see **leiq**), in Germanic only **óinliq(a)**, “*one left (beyond ten)*”, as Gmc. *ain-lif* (cf. Goth. *ain-lif*, O.E. *endleofan*, O.H.G. *elf*, Eng. *eleven*), Lith. *vienio-lika*, **dwóliq(a)**, “*two left (beyond ten)*”, as Gmc. *twa-lif* (cf. Goth. *twalif*, O.S. *twelif*, O.N. *tolf*, O.E. *twelf*, O.Fris. *twelef*, M.Du. *twalef*, O.H.G. *zwelif*), Lith. *dvy-lika*; also, compare Lithuanian *try-lika*, “*thirteen*”, *keturio-lika*, “*fourteen*”, etc.

For PIE **leiq**, *leave*, compare Gmc. *laikhwnjan* (cf. Goth. *leiħan*, O.N. *ljá*, O.E. *lānan* O.H.G. *līhan*, Eng. *lend*, Ger. *leihen*), Lat. *linquō*, Gk. *leipō*, Skr. *riṇakti*, Av. *raexnah*, Pers. *rēxtan*, Arm. *lk'anem*, O.Pruss. *polijeki*, Lith. *likti*, Ltv. *likt*, Russ. *olek*, O.Ir. *léicid*. Common derivatives include **ekléiqtis**, *eclipse*, *ellipsis*, Gk. ἔλλειψις; o-grade **lóiqnis**, *loan*, as Gmc. *laikhwniz* (cf. O.N. *lān*, Eng. *loan*), **loiqnio**, *lend*, as Gmc. *laikhwnjan*, ; nasalized **linqo**, *leave*, as Lat. *linquere*, in **delinqénts**, *delinquent*, **relinqo**, *relinquish*, **relí(n)qā**, *relic*, etc.

c. It is believed that in some Germanic dialects an inflected form of **-dekm-** was possibly used (cf. O.E. *-tēne*, *-tīne*, *-týne*, Eng. *-teen*), maybe IE ***-dekmis**.

157. The suffix **-k(o)mtǎ**, *ten times*, comes probably ultimately from zero-grade PIE ***dkmtH**, from **dékm(t)**, *ten*, and is found as Lat. *-gintā*, Gk. *-konta*; it is also found in Germanic full-grade **dekmtós**, *tenth*, Gmc. *teguntha-* (cf. O.E. *tegotha*, *tēohta*, Eng. *tenth*, *tithe*).

Germanic suffix *-tig*, “group of ten”, representing “ten” in cardinal numbers (as Eng. *sixty*, *seventy*, etc.), possibly an independent Gmc. root (cf. O.E., Du. *-tig*, O.Fris. *-tich*, O.N. *-tigr*, O.H.G. *-zig*, *-zug*), existed as a distinct word in Goth. *tigjus*, O.N. *tigir*, “tens, decades”. Germanic retains traces of an old base-12 number system, as the words *eleven*, “leave one”, and *twelve*, “leave two”, show, v.s. Old English also had *hund endleofantig* for 110 and *hund twelftig* for 120. One hundred was *hund teantig*. O.N. used *hundrað* for 120 and *þusend* for 1,200. *Tvauhundrað* was 240 and *þriuhundrað* 360.

Balto-Slavic dialects use the forms that MIE reserves for the tens (due to their different formation), i.e. “(unit)+ten”, e.g. *three-ten*, as Russ. *mpuðyamь* (i.e. *mpu* + *ðyamь*), Ltv. *trīšdesmit* (i.e. *trīs*+*desmit*); cf. also Pol. *trzydzieści*, Sr.-Cr. *trideset*, etc.

158. For IE **(d)wikrntī**, *twenty*, originally then ***dwi-dkomt-**, compare Lat. *vīgintī*, Gk. *εἴκοσι*, Skr. *viñśati*, Av. *visaiti*, Pers.) بَست -*bēst*), Toch. *wiki/ikām*, Arm. *k'san*, Gaul. *vocontio*, O.Ir. *fiche*, Welsh *ugain*, Alb. *njēzet/njizet*, Kamviri *vici*. For newer formations in Balto-Slavic, as MIE **dwo+dekm**, cf. Lith. *divdesmit*, Russ. *двадцать*, Pol. *dwadzieścia*, Cz. *dvacet*, Sr.-Cr., Bul. *dvadeset*, Slo.,Slk. *dvajset*, Rom. *douăzeci*.

Indo-European tens are generally found in the oldest – or more archaic – attested dialects as compounds of zero-grade numbers with **-dkomt-**, as **trikómt(ǎ)** (Lat. *trīgintā*, Gk. *triákonta*, Ir. *tríocha*, Skr. *triñśat*), **qetwrkómt(ǎ)** (cf. Lat. *quadrāgintā*, Gk. *tessarákonta*, Skr. *catvāriñśat*), **penqekómt(ǎ)** (cf. Lat. *quinqūāgintā*, Gk. *pentékonta*, Ir. *caoga*, Skr. *pañcāśat*), **s(w)ekskómt(ǎ)** (cf. Lat. *sexāgintā*, Gk. *exékonta*, Ir. *seasca*, Skr. *ṣaṣṭiḥ*), **septmkómt(ǎ)** (cf. Lat. *septuāgintā*, Gk. *heptákonta*, Ir. *seachtó*, Skr. *saptatiḥ*), **newnkómt(ǎ)** (cf. Lat. *nonāgintā*, Gk. *ennenékonta*, Ir. *nócha*, Skr. *navatiḥ*).

For PIE **kmtóm**, *hundred*, (probably from ***dkmtóm**, a zero-grade suffixed form of **dékm**, *ten*), compare Gmc. *khunda* (cf. Goth. *hund*, O.H.G. *hunt*), Lat. *centum*, Gk. *εκατόν*, Skr. *śata*, Av. *satem*, Pers. *sad*, Toch. *kānt/kante*, O.Lith. *šim̃tas*, Ltv. *simts*, O.C.S. *sūto*, Russ. *cmo*, Pol. *sto*, Gaul. *cantam*, O.Ir. *cét*, Welsh *cant*. Also, West Germanic dialectal MIE **krnt(m)-radhom** (for **rádhom**, *number*, see **ar**), *khund(a)-ratham*, as O.N. *hundrað*, O.E. *hundred*, Ger. *hundert*, Eng. *hundred*.

A general Proto-Indo-European inflected noun for “thousand” was **(sm)ghéslos**, **-om**, **-ā**, (*one thousand*, as Skr. *sahasram*, Av. *hazarəm*, Pers. *hāzar*, Toch. *wälts/yaltse*, Russ. *число*, Cz. *číslo*. Common MIE derivatives

include **ghéslioi**, *thousand*, as O.Gk. χίλιοι, in **gheslo-**, *kilo-*, and Latin derivatives from *mille*, O.Lat. *mī(hī)lī*, in turn from an older PIE suffixed **sm-ghesl-ī**.

The usual (uninflected) Germanic and Balto-Slavic common form **túsntī**, “*massive number*” hence “*thousand*”, gave Gmc. *thusundi* (cf. Goth. *þusundi*, O.N. *þúsund*, O.E. *þūsunt*, O.Fris. *thusend*, O.H.G. *þūsunt*, Du. *duizend*), Toch. *tumane/tmām*, Lith. *tūkstantis*, Ltv. *tūkstots*, OCS *tysŕŕsti*, Russ. *тысяча*, Polish *tysiąc*. It is possibly related to PIE **tew**, *swell*, and some consider it an older ***tūs-kmtī->*túsmtī/túsomtī**, “*swollen hundred*”.

159. For IE **pel**, *fold*, compare o-grade nouns **paltōn**, *fold*, as Gmc. *falthan* (cf. Goth. *falþan*, O.N. *falda*, O.E. *faldan*, *fealdan*, M.L.G. *volden*, Ger. *falten*), and combining forms **-paltos**, as Gmc. *-falthaz* (cf. Goth. *falþs*, O.N. *-faldr*, O.E. *-feald*, *-fald*, Ger. *-falt*), and **-plōs**, as Lat. *-plus*, Gk. *-πλος*, *-πλόος*, also as Gk. *πολύς*, still used in modern Greek. Extended IE base **pleks**, *plait*, gives o-grade **plóksom**, *flax*, as Gmc. *flakhsam* (cf. O.E. *fleax*, O.Fris. *flax*, Ger. *Flachs*), full-grade **-pleks**, *-fold*, in compounds such as **dupleks**, **tripleks**, **mltipleks**, etc., and as verb **plekā**, *fold*, *plicate*, Lat. *plicāre*, in **adplekā**, *apply*, **komplekā**, *complicate*, **kómpleks**, *complice*, **eksplekā**, *deploy*, **deeksplekā**, *deploy*, *display*, **enplekā**, *involve*, *implicate*, *employ*, **enplekitós**, *implicit*, **replekā**, *replicate*, *reply*; suffixed **plekto**, *weave*, *plait*, *entwine*, as Lat. *plectere*, p.part. **plekstós** (from ***plekttos**), as in **plékstos**, *plexus*, **amplekstos**, *amplexus*, **komplekstio**, *entwine*, **komplekstós**, *complex*, **perplekstós**, *confused*, *perplexed*; Greek **plektós**, *twisted*.

160. For PIE **mónoghos** (root **menegh-**), *much*, *many*, compare Gmc. *managaz* (cf. Goth. *manags*, O.S. *manag*, O.E. *monig*, *manig*, O.Fris. *manich*, Swed. *mången*, Du. *menig*, Ger. *manch*), O.C.S. *munogu*, Russ. *многo*, Cz. *mnoho*, O.Ir. *menicc*, Welsh *mynych*. The compound **monoghopóltos**, *manifold*, is common to Germanic dialects, cf. Goth. *manag-falþs*, O.E. *monigfald* (Anglian), *manigfeald* (W.Saxon), O.Fris. *manichfald*, M.Du. *menichvout*, Swed. *mångfalt*, etc.

161. For PIE first person **egó**, **egóm**, (and later also attested as Gmc. and Sla. **eg-**), compare Gmc. *ek* (cf. Goth. *ik*, O.Fris. *ik*, O.E. *Ic*, O.N. *ek*, O.H.G. *ih*, Norw. *eg*, Dan. *jeg*, Eng. *I*, Ger. *ich*), Lat. *ego*, Umb. *eho*, Gk. *ἐγώ*, Av. *azəm*, O.Lith. *eš*, O.Pruss., Ltv. *es*, O.C.S. *azь*, O.Russ. *язь*, O.Pol. *jaz*, Kam. *ōc*; Hitt. uk, Carian uk. Dialectal Skr. *aham*, Ven. *eχo*, could show a variant form **eghó(m)**, while Slavic *azь* and Anatolian *ug* forms show maybe another old o-grade variant ***ógo**, although this is disputed. Derivatives from inflected **me(ghi)** include Gmc. *me(ke)* (cf. O.N., Goth. *mik*, O.E. *me*, *mec*, O.H.G. *mih*), Lat. *me*, Umb. *mehe*, Ven. *mego*, Gk. *eme*, Skt. *mam*, Av. *mam*, Russ. *mne*, O.Ir. *mé*, Welsh *mi*, Alb. *mua*, etc.

162. For PIE **wéjes**, *we*, compare Gmc. *weyz* (cf. Goth. *wit*, *weis*, O.S. *wi*, O.N. *vit*, *vér*, O.E. *wē*, O.Fris. *wi*, O.H.G. *wir*, Dan. *vi*, Du. *wij*), Skr. *vayam*, Av. *vaēm*, O.Pers. *vayam*, Toch. *was/wes*, Lith., O.Pruss. *mes* (<**wes*), Ltv. *my* (<**wes*), Arm. *mek* (<**wes*), Hitt. *wēs*. For inflected IE **ns-**, **nos**, compare Gmc. *uns-* (cf. Goth. *unsar*, *ugkis*, ON *oss*, *okkr*, O.E., *us*, *uncer*, O.S., O.Fris. *us*, O.H.G. *unsih*, *unser*, Swed. *oss*), Lat. *nōs*, Gk. *hmeis* (<**nsmé**, cf. Eol. *amme*), *no*, Skr. *nas*, Av. *nō*, O.Pers. *amaxām*, Toch. *nás*, O.Pruss. *noušon*, Lith. *nuodu*, Russ. *nas*, Polish *nas*, O.Ir., Welsh *ni*, Alb. *ne*; Hitt. *anzās*.

163. For Indo-European **tū**, *you* (sg.), compare Gmc. *thū* (cf. Goth. *þu*, O.N. *þú*, O.E. *þu*, O.H.G. *thu*, Eng. *thou*, Ger. *du*), Lat. *tū*, Osc. *tiium*, Umb. *tiú*, Gk. *su*, Skr. *tvam*, Av. *tū*, O.Pers. *tuva*, Toch. *tu/tuwe*, Arm. *du*, O.Pruss. *toū*, Lith. *tu*, Ltv. *tu*, O.C.S., Russ. *ty*, Polish *ty*, O.Ir. *tú*, Welsh *ti*, Alb. *ti*, Kam. *tü*; Hitt. *tuk*.

164. PIE **júwes**, *you* (pl.), gives Gmc. *iuwiz* (cf. Goth. *jus*, O.N. *yor*, O.S. *iu*, O.E. [g]ē-*ow*, O.Fris. *iu-we*, M.Du. *u*, O.H.G. *ir*, *iu-wih*), Osc.-Umb. *uēs*, *-uus*, Gk. *humeis*, Skr. *yūyam*, Av. *yūžəm*, Toch. *yas/yes*, Arm. *dzez*, O.Pruss. *ioūs*, Lith. *jūs*, Ltv. *jūs*, Celt. *swis* (<*swēs), Alb. *ju* (<**u*), Hitt. *sumēs*. For **wos**, **jus-**, compare Lat. *vōs*, Umb. *uestra*, Skr. *vas*, Av. *vō*, O.Pruss. *wans*, Russ. *vy*, *vas*, Polish *wy*, *was*.

165. Indo-European reflexive **s(w)e** gave Goth. *sik*, O.N. *sik*, O.H.G. *sih*, Ger. *sich*, Lat. *sē*, *sibi*, Oscan *síféi*, Umbrian *seso*, Gk. *heos*, Skr. *sva*, Av. *hva*, Phryg. *ve*, Arm. *ink's*, O.Pruss. *sien*, *sin*, Lith. *savo*, Ltv. *sevi*, O.C.S. *se*, Russ. *sebe*, *-sja*, Alb. *vetë*; Carian *sfes*, Lyd. *śfa-*. Derivatives include suffixed **sélbhos**, *self*, Gmc. *selbaz* (cf. Goth. *silba*, O.N. *sjalfr*, O.E. *seolf*, *sylf*, O.Fris. *self*, Du. *zelf*, O.H.G. *selb*), **s(w)ebh(ó)s**, “*one’s own*”, *blood relation*, *relative*, as Gmc. *sibjas* (cf. Goth. *sibja*, O.S. *sibba*, O.E. *sibb*, O.Fris., M.Du. *sibbe*, O.H.G. *sippa*, Eng. *sib*, Ger. *Sippe*); suffixed **swóinos**, “*one’s own (man)*”, *attendant*, *servant*, also *sheperd*, as Gmc. *swainaz* (cf. O.N. *sveinn*, O.E. *swan*, O.S. *swen*, O.H.G. *swein*, Eng. *swain*); suffixed **s(u)w-**, as in **suwikidā**, *sucide*, and **swómis**, “*one’s own master*”, *owner*, *prince*, as Skr. *svāmī*; extended **sed**, **sē**, *without*, *apart* (from “*on one’s own*”); suffixed o-grade **sōlos**, *by oneself alone*, Lat. *sōlus*, as in **sōlitāsíos**, *solitary*, **desōlā**, *desolate*; suffixed **swēdhsko**, *accustom*, *get accustomed*, as Lat. *suēscere*, as in **komswēdhsko**, *accustom*, p.part. **komswēstós** (<***komswēdh(sk)to-**), in **komswēstūdōn**, *consuetude*, *custom*, **deswēstūdōn**, *desuetude*, **manswēstūdōn**, *mansuetude*; suffixed extended **swetrós**, *comrade*, *companion*, as O.Gk. *hetaros*; suffixed form **sweinós**, *self*, as O.Ir. *féin*, as in *Sinn Fein*; suffixed **swétos**, *from oneself*.

Some linguists connect the pronoun to an older PIE root **swe-** meaning *family*, in turn related with **su**, *be born*, which would have frozen in ancient times through composition in words like **sw-esōr**, lit. “*woman of the own family*” (from **sw-**, “*family, own*” and **ésor-**, *woman*), as opposed to the generic **ésōr** or **cénā**, *woman*.

166. For PIE **deuk**, *lead*, also “*pull, draw*”, compare Gmc. *teuhan* (cf. O.E. *tēon*, O.H.G. *ziohan*, Eng. *tug*, Ger. *ziehen*, *Zug*), M.Welsh *dygaf*, Alb. *nduk*; zero-grade suffixed **dúkā**, *draw*, *drag*, Gmc. *tugōn* (cf. O.E. *togian*, Eng. *tow*), and prefixed **ekdukā**, *lead out*, *bring up*, *educate*, in Lat. *ēducāre*; suffixed o-grade **doukē**, *bind*, *tie*; **dóukmos**, *descendant*, *family*, *race*, *brood*, hence “*team*”, as Gmc. *tauhmaz*, O.E. *tēam*, and denominative verb **doukmio**, *beget*, *teem*, as Gmc. *taukhmjan*, O.E. *tēman*, *tīeman*; basic form gives Latin derivatives **déuks**, *duke*, **apdeuko**, *abduct*, **addeuko**, *adduce*, **aqādéuktos**, *aqueduct*, **kikromdéuktiōn**, *circumduction*, **komdeuko**, *conduce*, *conduct*, **dedeuko**, *deduce*, *deduct*, **ekdeuko**, *educe*, **endeuko**, *induce*, **entrodeuko**, *introduce*, **prodeuko**, *produce*, **redeuko**, *reduce*, **sedeuko**, *seduce*, **supdeuko**, *subdue*, **transdeuko**, *traduce*.

167. For PIE **so**, *this*, as O.E. *se* (later replaced by *th-*, in *the*), Gk. *ho*, *he*, Skt. *sa*, Avestan *ha*, O.Ir. *so*, had also a Germanic feminine **sjā**, “*she*”, Gmc. *sjō*, as O.E. *sēo*, *sīe*. A common loan word is variant form **sei-** in compound with **ki**, *here*, giving **séiki**, *thus, so, in that manner*, as Lat. *sic* (cf. for Romance “*yes*”, Fr. *si*, It. *sì*, Spa., Cat. *sí*, Pt. *sim*). From inflected form **to** are Gmc. *thē* (cf. O.E. *the*, M.Du. *de*, Ger. *der*, *die*), L. *ta[lis]*, Gk. *to*, Skr. *ta-*, BSl. *to*, also alternative Greek borrowing **tnto-**, *tauto-*; from neuter **tod** is Gmc. *that*; from accusative **tām** are adverbial Latin **tāmdem**, *at last, so much, tandem*, and **tāmtos**, *so much*, and from its reduced form **tā-** is suffixed **tális**, *such*.

168. From PIE **i** are derivatives **jénos** (see **éno**), *that, yon*, as Gmc. *jenaz* (cf. Goth. *jains*, O.N. *enn*, O.Fris. *jen*, O.H.G. *ener*, M.Du. *ghens*, O.E. *geon*, Ger. *jener*), and as extended **jend-**, **jéndonos**, *yond, yonder, beyond*, as Gmc. *jend(anaz)*, O.E. *geond(an)*; extended form **jái** gives O.E. *gēa*, Ger., Dan., Norw., Sw. *ja*, Eng. *yeah*; relative

stem **jo** plus particle gives **jóbbho**, “doubt”, *if*, as Gmc. *jaba* (cf. O.E. *gif*, O.N. *ef*, *if*, O.Fris. *gef*, O.H.G. *ibu*, *iba*, Ger. *ob*, Du. *of*); basic form **i**, Lat. *is*, neuter **id**, *it*, and **ídem**, *same*, as in **identikós**, *identical*, **idémítā**, *identity*, **identidhakā**, *identify*; suffixed **íterom**, *again*, **íterā**, *iterate*, **reíterā**, *reiterate*, **ítem**, *thus, also*.

For MIE reconstructed **lig**, *body, form, like, same*, compare Germanic derivatives **komlígios**, “like”, *having the same form*, lit. “with a corresponding body”, as Gmc. *galikaz* (cf. Goth. *galeiks*, O.S. *gilik*, O.N. *glikr*, O.E. *gelic*, Du. *gelijk*, Ger. *gleich*), analogous, etymologically, to MIE **kombhormís**, Lat. *conform*; verb **ligio**, *please*, as Gmc. *likjan* (cf. Goth. *leikan*, O.N. *lika*, O.E. *lician*, O.Fris. *likia*, O.H.G. *lihhen*).

For MIE reconstructed **bhórmā**, *form*, compare Lat. *forma*, “form, mold, shape, case”, and Greek μορφη, “form, shape, beauty, outward appearance”, equivalent to IE **mórbhā**, hence both possibly from a common PIE root **merbh-/bherm**, “form”.

169. For **ko**, **ki**, *here*, compare as Gmc. *khi-* (cf. Goth. *hita*, ON *hér*, O.E. *hit*, *he*, *her*, O.H.G. *hiar*, Eng. *it*, *he*, *here*), Lat. *cis*, Lith. *šis*; Hitt. *kāš*, Luw. *zaš*. Also, a common particle **ke** is found, as in O.Lat. *hon-ce* (Lat. *hunc*), Gk. *keinos* (from **ke-eno**), also Hitt. *ki-nun*, “now”.

170. PIE **éno**, *there*, gave Gmc. *jenos* (in compound with **i**), Skr. *ena-*, *anena*, O.C.S. *onu*, Lith. *ans*.

171. Common loan word Latin *murus*, “wall”, comes from O.Lat. *moiros*, *moerus*, i.e. MIE **móiros**, with common derivatives **moirális**, *of a wall*, and n.pl. **moirália**, as Fr. *muraille*, Spa. *muralla*, Eng. *mural*. This word is used normally in modern Indo-European languages to refer to an “outer wall of a town, fortress, etc.”, as Ger. *Mauer*, Du. *muur*, Sca. *mur*, Fr. *mur*, It., Spa., Pt. *muro*, Ca. *mur*, Lith. *muras*, Pol. *mur*, Ir. *mur*, Bret. *mur*, Alb. *mur*, etc., while most IE languages use another word for the “partition wall within a building”, as MIE **wállom**, *wall, rampart, row or line of stakes*, a collective from **wállos**, *stake*, as Lat. *uallum*, *uallus* (cf. O.E. *weall*, O.S., O.Fris., M.L.G., M.Du. *wal*, Swe. *vall*, Da. *val*, Ger. *Wall*), MIE **pariéts**, as Lat. *paries*, *parietis* (cf. It. *parete*, Spa. *pared*, Pt. *parede*, Rom. *perete*), MIE **stáinā** (cf. O.C.S. *stena*, Russ. *стена*, Sr.-Cr., Slo. *stena*, Cz. *stěna*, Pol. *ściana*, also compare loans Ltv. *siena*, Lith. *siena*, Finn. *seinä*, Est. *sein*). IE **móiros** comes from PIE **mej**, *strengthen, pole*, as in Gmc. *mairja-* (cf. O.Eng. *mære*, *gemære* “limit, boundary”, O.Ice. *landa-mæri*), O.Ind. *mití-*, Pers. *mēḫ* “peg, plug, nail” (<**maiḫa*), O.Ir. [-*tuid*]men, and extended Lith. *mita*, Sla. **moisto** or **meisto** (from PIE ***me/o-itto**), as in O.Bulg. *město*, Ser.-Cr. *mjesto*, Cz. *místo*, etc.

For Indo-European root **stāi-**, *stone*, compare Slavic **stáinā**, *wall*, and o-grade **stóinos**, *stone*, as Gmc. *stainaz* (cf. Goth. *stains*, O.N. *steinn*, O.E. *stan*, O.H.G. *stein*, Da. *steen*); suffixed **stájr**, *solid fat, suet*, as Gk. *στέαρ*, in **stájríkós**, *stearic*, etc; cf. also Gk. *stia*, *stion*, “pebble”, Skr. *styayate* “curdles, becomes hard”, Av. *stay-* “heap”.

172. For PIE **peig**, also **peik**, *cut, mark (by incision)*, compare derivatives **péik(o)lā**, *cutting tool, file, saw*, as Gmc. *fīkh(a)la* (cf. O.E. *feol*, *fil*, O.H.G. *fila*, M.Du. *vile*, Eng. *file*, Ger. *Feile*), Lith. *pela*, O.C.S. *pila*; nasalized zero-grade **pingo**, *embroider, tattoo, paint, picture* (presumably from “decorate with cut marks” to “decorate” to “decorate with color”), as Lat. *pingere*, in p.part. **pigtós**, *painted*, **pigtósā**, *painting, picture*, **pigmńtom**, *pigment*, **depingo**, *depict*; suffixed zero-grade form **pikrós**, *sharp, bitter*, as Gk. *pikros*; o-grade **poikilós**, *spotted, pied, various*, as Gk. *poikilos*. Compare, with the sense of “mark, decorate”, Skr. *pingaḥ*, *pesalah*, *pimsati*, O.C.S. *pisati*, *pegu*, “variegated”, O.H.G. *fehjan* “adorn”, Lith. *piesiu* “write”.

173. For PIE **ed**, *eat*, originally *bite*, compare Gmc. (pro)etan (cf. Goth. *itan*, ON *eta*, O.E. *etan*, *fretan*, O.H.G. *ezen*, *frezzan*, M.Du. *eten*), Lat. *edere*, as in **edibhílís**, *edible*, **komedo**, *comedo*, Lat. *comedere*, p.part.

komestós, (<***komedto-**) as in **komestibilís**; compound **prám(e)diom**, “*first meal*”, *lunch* (from **prām**, *first*), as Lat. *prandium*; suffixed **edunā**, *pain* (from “*gnawing care*”), as Gk. *odunē*. Compare Lat. *edō*, Osc. *edum*, Gk. *edō*, Skr. *ad*, Av. *ad*, Thrac. *esko-*, Toch. *yesti*, Arm. *utel*, O.Pruss. *ist*, Lith. *ėsti*, Ltv. *ēst*, Russ. *jest’*, Polish *jeść*, O.Ir. *esse*; Hitt. *at*, Luw. *ad-*, *az-*, Palaic *ata-*.

Proto-Indo-European **donts** (old gen. **dentós**), *tooth*, originally present participle **h₁dent*, “*biting*”, gives Gmc. *tanth-tunth* (cf. Goth. *tunþus*, O.E. *tōð*, pl. *teð*, cf. O.N. *tönn*, O.S. *tand*, O.Fris. *toth*, O.H.G. *zand*, Dan., Swed., Du. *tand*, Ger. *Zahn*), Lat. *dentis*, Gk. *odous/donti*, Skr. *dantam*, Pers. *dandān*, Lith. *dantis*, Russ. *desna*, O.Ir. *dét*, Welsh *dant*, Kam. *dut*. Modern derivatives include Germanic **dńtskos**, *canine tooth*, *tusk* (cf. O.E. *tux*, *tusc*, O.Fris. *tusk*), Latin **dentālis**, *dental*, **dentístā**, *dentist*, **endentā**, *indent*, **tridénts**, *trident*, and Greek **-donts**, **donto-**, as Gk. *odōn*, *odous*, in **dontologíā**, *odontology*, etc.

174. Proto-Indo-European **gal**, *call*, *shout*, gave expressive **gallo**, as Gmc. *kall-* (cf. O.N. *kalla*, O.E. *ceallian*, O.H.G. *halan*, Eng. *call*), also found in Latin noun **gállos**, *cock* (< “*the calling bird*”), as Skr. *usakala*, “*dawn-calling*”, M.Ir. *cailech*, (but also associated with *Gallus*, Gallic, as if to mean “*the bird of Gaul*”), in **gallinakiós**, *gallinaceous*; **gálsos**, *voice*, as O.C.S. *glasŭ*, as in *glasnost*; also, reduplicated **gálgalos**, *word*, as O.C.S. *glagolu*. Also found in Gk. *kaleo*, *kelados*, Lith. *kalba*, “*language*”.

175. For Proto-Indo-European verbal root **pō(i)**, *drink*, compare common derivatives Lat. *pōtāre*, *pōtus*, *bibō*, Umb. *puni*, Gk. πῖνω, πόσις, Gk.Lesb. πώνω (Fut. πίομαι, Aor. ἔπιον, Impf. πῖθι, Perf. πέπωκα), O.Ind. *píbati*, *pítás*, *pítís*, also *páti*, *pāyáyati*, *páyatē*, Thrac. *pinon*, Arm. *əmpelik’*, O.Pruss. *poutwei*, *poieiti*, Lith. *puotà*, Sla. *pī-* (cf. O.C.S. *pitiĭ*, *piju*, O.Russ. *numu*, Pol. *pić*, *piju*, Cz. *píti*, *piji*, Sr.-Cr. *nuĭmu*, *nuĭĕm*, Slo. *píti*, *píjem*, etc.), O.Ir. *ibim*, Welsh *yfed*, Alb. *pi* (aor. *pīva*); Hitt. *pas*. For MIE common words, compare **pōtós**, *drunk*, as Lat. *pōtus*, in **pōtā**, *drink*, Lat. *pōtāre*; suffixed zero-grade **pótis**, *drink*, *drinking*, in **kompótiom**, “*with drinking*”, *feast*, *banquet*, *symposium*, as Gk. συμπόσιον, and further suffixed Latin **pótiōn**, *a drink*, *potion*, as Lat. *pōtiō*, or; zero-grade **píros**, *feast*, as O.C.S. *pirŭ* (cf. also general zero-grade **pī**, Sla. *pij-*, “*drink*”); suffixed nasal **pīno**, *drink*, as Gk. *pīnein*; suffixed **pótlom**, *drinking vessel*, *cup*, *bowl*, as Skr. *pātram*; suffixed reduplicated zero-grade *pipo-*, whence **pibo**, *drink*, as O.Ind. *píbati*, Sla. *pivo*, also in Lat. *bibere*, where it is assimilated to **bibo*.

A common term for “*beer*”, thus, could be Modern Indo-European neuter **píbo**, as both common European words are derived from PIE reduplicated verb **píbo**, compare Lat. *bibere* (cf. O.E. *beor*, O.N. *bjórr*, Du.,Fris.,Ger. *bier*, Ice. *bjór*, Fr. *bière*, It.,Cat. *birra*, Rom. *bere*, Gk. *μίρα*, Pers. *abejo*, Bul. *бyра*, Ir. *beoir*, Welsh *bîr*, Bret. *bier*, Alb. *birrë*, also Hebrew *bîrah*, Turkish *bira*, Arabic *bîra*, Jap. *bîru*, Chinese *píjü/bihluh*, Maori *pia*, Thai *biya*, Malay *bir*, Indonesian *bir*, Swahili, Vietnamese *bia*), and Slavic *pivo* (cf. Russ.,Ukr. *нуво*, Pol. *piwo*, Cz.,Sr.-Cr. *pivo*, Bel. *niea*, Mac. *нуво*, also Mongolian *нуво*, Azeri *pivo*, etc.). For other terms, compare MIE **áluts**, *ale*, as Gmc. *aluth* (cf. O.E. *ealu*, O.S. *alo*, O.N.,Sca. *øl*, Ice. *öl*, Ltv.,Lith. *alus*, O.C.S. *olu*, Slo. *ol*, Rom. *olovină*, also Est. *õlu*, Finn. *olut*), perhaps from a source akin to Lat. *alumen*, “*alum*”, or to PIE root **alu**, a root with connotations of “*sozcery*, *magic*, *possession*, *intoxication*”. Another term comes from Cel.-Lat. *cerevisia* -> *cervesia* (cf. Spa. *cerveza*, Pt. *cerveja*, Occ.,Cat. *cervesa*, Gal. *cervexa*, Filipino, Tagalog *servesa*, Ilongo *serbisa*, Cebuano *sirbesa*, Tetum *serveja*, etc.), in turn from agricultural Goddess Lat. *Ceres*, from PIE **ker**, *grow*, and possibly Lat. *vis*, “*strength*”, from IE **wíros**, *man*.

For PIE **ker**, *grow*, compare **kérēs**, as Lat. *Cerēs*, goddess of agriculture, especially the growth of grain, in **kereális**, *cereal*; extended form **krē-**, in **krēio**, *bring forth, create, produce* (< “to cause to grow”), *create*, as Lat. *crēāre*, also in **prōkrēiā**, *procreate*, **krēiatiōn**, *creation*; suffixed **krēsko**, *grow, increase*, as Lat. *crēscere*, in **krēskénts**, *crescent*, **komkrēsko**, *grow together, harden*, p.part. **komkrētós**, in **komkrētā**, *concrete*, **adkrēsko**, *accrue*, **dekrēsko**, *decrease*, **enkrēsko**, *increase*, **rekrēsko**, *increase*, also *recruit*, **ekskrēsko**, *grow out*, in **ekskrēskéntiā**, *excrescence*, p.part. **ekskrētós**, *grown out*, in **ekskrētā**, *separate, purge*; suffixed o-grade **kórwos**, “*growing*”, *adolescent, boy, son*, and **korwá**, *girl*, as Gk. *kouros, koros*, and *korē*; compound **smkērós**, “*of one growth*”, *sincere* (from zero-grade **sm-**, *same, one*), as Lat. *sincērus*.

176. For PIE root **lew**, *wash*, cf. Lat. *lauāre*, Gk. *louein*, Gaul. *lautro*, Arm. *loganam/lokanam*, O.Ir. *lóathar*, Welsh *luddw*, Hitt. *lahhuzzi*. Compare derivatives **lóukā**, as Gmc. *laugō* (cf. O.N. *laug*, O.E. *lēðran*, O.H.G. *louga*, Eng. *lather*, Ger. *Lauge*); from Latin variant **lawo**, zero-grade **-lwo** in compounds, are **dislúwiom**, *deluge*, **adlúwiōn**, *alluvion*, **komlúwiom**, *colluvium*, **eklúwiom**, *eluvium*, etc.; from athematic **lawā** are **lawatóriom**, *lavatory*, **lawābho**, **lawātrínā**, *bath, privy*, as Lat. *lātrīna*, etc.

177. The verb ‘to be’ in Old English was a compound made up of different sources. *Bēon* and *wesan* were only used in certain tenses (mixed with original PIE **es**). *Bēon* was used in the present tense to express permanent truths (the ‘gnomic present’), while *wesan* was used for the present participle and the preterite.

Wesan comes from Germanic **wīsan* (cf. Goth. *wesan*, O.N. *vesa*, O.E. *wesan*, O.H.G. *wesan*, Dutch *wezen*, Ger. *war*, Swe. *vara*) from Indo-European **wes**, *dwelt, live*, as in Celtic *westi-* (cf. Old Irish *feiss*). Common English forms include *was* (cf. O.E. *wæs*) and *were* (cf. O.E. Sg. *wære*, Pl. *wæron*).

178. For PIE **men**, *think*, compare zero-grade suffixed (**kom**)**mńtis**, *mind*, as Gmc. (*ga*)*munthiz* (cf. Goth. *muns*, O.N. *minni*, O.E. *gemynd*, Ger. *minne*), Lat. *mēns* (*ment-*), in **mntālis**, *mental*, **demńtis**, *dement*, **mńtiōn**, *remembrance, mention*; also, **mntós**, “*willing*”, as Gk. *-matos*, as in **automńtikós**, *automatic*; suffixed **mnio**, *be mad*, as Gk. *mainesthai*, and **mńios**, *spirit*, as Av. *mainiius*; also fem. **mńiā**, *madness, mania*, as Gk. *maniā*, in **mńiakós**, *maniac*; full-grade **méntiā**, *love*, as Gmc. *minthjō* (cf. O.H.G. *minna*, M.Du. *minne*); reduplicated **mimno**, *remember*, as Lat. *meminisse*, in **mimnéntōd**, *memento* (imperative), **kommimnesko**, *contrive by thought*, as Lat. *commināscī*, **kommentásiom**, *comment*, **remimnesko**, *recall, recollect*, **remimneskénts**, *reminiscent*; **mántis**, *seer*, as Gk. *mantis*; **méntros**, *counsel, prayer, hymn*, as Skr. *mantrah*; suffixed **ménōs**, *spirit*, as Gk. *menos*; o-grade causative **monē**, *remind, warn, advise*, as Lat. *monēre*, in **mónitiōn**, *monition*, **monitór**, *monitor*, **mónstrom**, *portent, monster*, **admonē**, *admonish*, **demonstrā**, *demonstrate*, **prāimonítiōn**, **supmonē**, *summon*; maybe also from this root is suffixed **Móntuā**, *Muse*, which gives usual Greek loans **montuáikos**, *mosaic*, as Gk. *Μωσαϊκός*, **montuéiom**, *museum*, as Gk. *μουσεῖον*, **montuiká**, *music*, as Gk. *μουσική*; extended **mnā**, reduplicated **mimnāsko**, *remember*, as Gk. *mimnēskein*, giving **mnāstós**, *remembered*, **ṛmnāstós**, “*not remembered*”, from which **ṛmnāstíā**, *oblivion, amnesty*, as Gk. *ἀμνηστία*, and **ṛmnásiā**, *amnesia*, **mn(á)mn**, *memory*, as Gk. *mnēma*, **mnámōn**, *mindful*, **mnāmonikós**, *mnemonic*, **mnámā**, *memory*, as Gk. *mnēmē*; also, from PIE expression **mens dhē**, “*set mind*”, is compound noun **mnsdhē**, *wise*, as Av. *maz-dā-*.

A similar IE root is **mendh**, *learn*, which in zero-grade **mndhā** gives Gk. *manthanein* (Aorist stem *math-*), as in **mndhāmtikós**, *mathematical*, **ghrēstomńdheiā**, *chrestomathy*, etc.

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