

वासु *vāstu* (vb. 1. *vas*), m. and n. 1. The site of a building, a building-place. 2. Ground, Man. 3, 255. 3. A house.—**Comp.** *Pura-*, n. a ground fit for building a town, Hariv. 6409. *Prishtha-*, n. the upper room of a building, Man. 3, 91.

वासुक and **वासुक** *vāstūka*, n. A potherb, Lass. 79, 14 (ॐ).

वासोस्यति *vāstospati* (*vāstos*, gen. of *vāstu*), m. The deity of the house (Man. 3, 89), a name of Indra.

वास् *vāstra*, i. e. *vastra* + *a*, adj. Covered with cloth.

वास् *vāspa*, see *vāshpa*.

वाह *VĀH* (akin to *vah*), † **बाह** *BAH*, i. 1. Ātm. (in epic poetry, Par., MBh. 1, 6639), To endeavour. Caus. *vāhaya*, To employ, Man. 3, 68; 4, 86. Ptcple. of the pf. pass. *vāhita*, Mystified, Pañch. 64, 7. —With the prep. **सम्** *sam*, To stroke, MBh. 3, 11005. Caus. The same, Çāk. d. 69.

वाह *vāha*, i. e. *vah* + *a*, m. 1. Carrying, Hit. 81, 12 (*ati-bhāra-*, carrying too heavy burthens). 2. A vehicle, a conveyance of any kind, a car, Arj. 1, 1. 3. A horse, Arj. 4, 12. 4. A carrier of burthens. 5. The arm. 6. A bull. 7. A buffalo. 8. Air, wind. 9. A measure of capacity, nearly equal to a tou in freight.—**Comp.** *Ambu-*, m. a cloud, Daçak. in Chr. 201, 15. *Gandha-*, m. the wind, Gīt. 1, 35. *Jala-*, I. adj. carrying water, MBh. 2, 301. II. m. a cloud. *Purusha-*, m. Garuḍa, the vehicle of Vishṇu, Bhāg. P. 5, 24, 29. *Bhāra-*, m. a porter. *Marudrāhu*, i. e. *murut-*, m. smoke. *Rājavāha*, i. e. *rājan-*, m. a horse. *Vāyu-*, m. smoke. *Vāri-*, m. a cloud. *Çuka-*, m. Kāma. *Sādhu-*, m. a well-trained horse. *Sārtha-*, m. 1. the leader of a caravan, Pañch. 2, 1. 2. a great merchant,

Mṛicchh. 2, 3. 3. a merchant. *Skandha-*, m. an ox of burthen. *Havya-*, m. fire. *Hastivāha*, i. e. *hastin-*, m. a goad.

वाहक *vāhaka*, i. e. *vah* + *aka*, m. 1. A horseman. 2. A porter, Pañch. ii. d. 149; 156, 2.—**Comp.** *Jala-*, m. the water-bearer, a court officer, Pañch. 156, 21. *Tāmbula-*, m. the betel-bearer, a court officer, Pañch. 156, 21. *Ratha-*, m. the driver of a carriage, Nal. 22, 1. *Çiçu-*, m. a wild goat. *Skandha-*, m. an ox of burthen.

वाहन *vāhana*, i. e. *vah* + *ana*, n. 1. Carrying, Pañch. 253, 13; bearing, 83, 19. 2. Governing (of horses), Nal. 15, 2. 3. A vehicle, Hit. 126, 16; Man. 7, 222; a chariot, Hit. iv. d. 62; a horse, Man. 5, 29; an elephant.—**Comp.** *Dviya-*, m. Vishṇu (having a bird, Garuḍa, as his vehicle), Hariv. 3982. *Naru-*, adj. drawn by men, epithet and name of Kuvera, MBh. 3, 8358. *Mahisha-*, m. Yama. *Megha-*, m. 1. Indra. 2. Çiva. 3. a proper name, Rājat. 5, 64. *Yama-*, m. a buffalo. *Vāri-*, m. a cloud. *Çāli-*, m. the name of a king. *Çikhi(n)-*, m. Kārttikeya, the god of war. *Çveta-*, m. 1. the moon 2. Arjuna. *Harī-*, m. 1. Garuḍa. 2. Indra, Indr. 5, 54. *Havya-*, see s.v. *Hotra-*, m. a proper name.

वाहस *vāhasa* (vb. *vah*), m. The boa-constrictor.

वाहिक *vāhika* (vb. *vah*), m. 1. A car. 2. A large drum.—**Comp.** *Bhāra-*, I. adj. carrying burthens. II. m. a porter.

वाहिन *vāhin*, i. e. *rah* and *vāha*, + *in*, I. adj. (at the end of comp. words), Bearing, Pañch. 79, 16; carrying, Çāk. d. 57. II. f. ni. 1. An army, Hit. iii. d. 125. 2. A body of forces, consisting of 81 elephants, 81 cars, 243 horse, and 405 foot. 3. A river, Rām. 2, 66, 26, ed. Seramp.—**Comp.** *Dauḍa-*, m. a