

devasya prēṅkha, m. N. of a Sāman, ĀrshBr.; of a physician (author of a wk. on horses), Cat.; (ā), f. N. of Śiva's wife, L.; (ī), f., see below; n. a myst. N. of the sound *h*, L. — *ṭva*, n. the state of an ichneumon, MBh. *Nakulādyā*, f. the i° plant, L. *Nakulāndhatā*, f., *lāndhya*, n. 'i°-blindness,' a kind of disease of the eyes, Suśr. *Nakulēśa*, v.l. for *līśa* (below). *Nakulēśhā* or *śhākā*, f. 'liked by the i°,' a kind of medic. plant (cf. above), L. *Nakulōshthī*, f. (in music) a partic. stringed instrument.

Nakulaka, m. or n. an ornament shaped like an ichneumon, L.; m. a kind of purse (?), Divyāv.; (°likā), f. a female i°, Kād.

Nakulī, f. a female ichneumon, MantraBr.; MBh.; *Salmaia Malabarica*, L.; *Nardostachys Jatamansi*, L.; *saffron*, L.; = *śāṅkhinī*, L. — *vāg-īśvarī-mantra-vidhāna*, n. N. of wk. — *śa* (°līśa), m. a form of Bhairava, L.; a myst. N. of the sound *h*, ib.; — *darśana*, n. N. of wk.; — *pāsupata*, m. pl. a partic. sect, Sarvad.; — *yoga-pārāyana*, n. N. of wk.

नक्क *nakk*, cl. 10. P. *nakkayati*, to destroy, kill, Dhātup. xxxii, 54.

नक्त 1. *nakta*, n. night, RV.; AV. (*nāktā*, f. only in *naktayā*, q.v., and as du. with *ushāsā*; cf. °*sā-naktā* & *naktōshāsā*); eating only at n° (as a sort of penance), Yājñ.; Hcat.; (am), ind. by night (often opp. to *divā*), RV. &c. &c.; m. N. of a son of Prithu, VP.; of a son of Prithu-sheṇa and Ākūti, BhP.; (ā), f. (cf. above) Methonica Superba, L. [Cf. *nak* & *nakti*; Zā. *nakht-uru*, *nakht-ru*; Gk. *νύξ*; Lat. *nox*; Lith. *naktis*; Slav. *nošti*; Goth. *nahts*; Angl. Sax. *neahht*, *niht*, Engl. *night*, Germ. *Nacht*.] — *kāla-nirṇaya*, m. N. of wk. — *cārin* (L.), mfn. walking at night; m. an owl; cat; thief; a Rakshas (cf. *naktam-c*). — *prabhava*, v.l. for *naktam-pr*. — *bhojana*, n. the eating only at n° (cf. above), Hcat.; supper, W.; *jīn*, mfn. eating at n°, BhavP.; *jī-tva*, n. Kathās. — *mukhā*, f. evening, n°, L. (for *-mushā*?). — *vat*, mfn. eating only at n°, Hcat. — *vrata*, n. 'n°-observance,' eating at n° (& fasting by day), W. *Naktāndha*, mfn. blind at n°, Suśr.; *tāndhya*, n., ib. *Naktāsin*, mfn. eating only at n°, Vishṇu. *Naktōshāsā*, f. du. n° and morning, RV.

नक्तान (only °*tābhis*), night, RV. vii, 104, 18.

नक्तम (*m* before labials), ind., see 1. *nakta*. — *śamaya*, m. night-time, Naish. — *homā*, m. n°-oblation, TS. — *cara*, mf(ī)n. walking about at n°; m. any n°-animal or creature, GrS.; Gaut.; MBh. &c.; nocturnal demon, Rakshas, MBh.; Var. &c. (°*rēśvara*, m. the lord of the rovers or fiends, MBh.); the bdellium tree, W.; (ī), f. a female demon, Kathās. — *caryā*, f. the walking about at n°, MBh. — *cārin*, mfn. = *cara*, GrS.; Gaut.; Mn.; m. a cat, L. — *jātā*, mf(ā)n. grown at n° (herb), AV. — *dina*, n. sg. n° and day, Mālav. v, 13; (am), ind. = next, Kathās.; Pañc. — *divam*, ind. by n° and day, L. *Naktam-prabhava*, mfn. produced at n°; Var. (v.l. °*ta-pr*). *Naktam-bhāga*, mfn. having a nocturnal part, Var. *Naktam-bhogin*, mfn. = °*ta-bh*, MBh. iii, 13734 (v.l.)

नक्तयā, ind. at night, RV. iv, 11, 1.

नक्ति, f. night, RV. ii, 2, 2.

नक्क 2. *nakta* or *nakla* (?) n. (in astron.) N. of the fifth Yoga (= नक्षत्र).

नक्तक *naktaka*, m. dirty or ragged cloth, rag, wiper &c., L. (v.r. for *laktaka*).

नक्तमाल *naktamāla* or °*laka*, m. Pongamia Glabra, L.

नक्क *nakra*, m. (according to Pāṇ. vi, 3, 75 fr. *na + kra*) crocodile, alligator, Mn.; MBh. &c. (ifc. f. ā); the sign of the zodiac Scorpio, Gol.; (ā), f. a swarm of bees or wasps, L.; n. the nose (also ā, f.), L.; a partic. disease of the nose, L.; the upper timber of a door-frame, L. (cf. *nākra* and Pāṇ. vi, 3, 75). — *ketana*, m. N. of the god of love, Daś. (cf. *makara-k*). — *cakra*, n. a multitude of crocodiles, Pañcad. — *makshikā*, f. a kind of fly, L. — *rāj* or *-rājaka*, m. a shark or any other large sea animal (lit. king of the Nakras), L. — *hāraka*, m. id. (lit. seizer of the N°s), L.

नक्ष *naksh*, cl. 1. P. *ā.nakshati*, °*te* (perf. *nanakshūr*, °*kshē*, RV.; aor. *anakshīt*, Gr.; fut. *nakshishyati*, *nakshitā*, ib.) to come near,

approach, arrive at, get, attain, RV.; AV.; VS. (cf. 1. *naś*; *inaksh*).

Nakshat, mf(anti)n. approaching. °*shad-dā-bhā*, mfn. striking down any one that approaches (Indra), RV. vi, 22, 2.

Nakshatra, n. (m. only RV. vi, 67, 6; prob. fr. √*naksh*, cf. *naksh dyām*, i, 33, 14 &c.) a star or any heavenly body; also applied to the sun; n. sg. sometimes collectively 'the stars,' e.g. vii, 86, 1, RV. &c. &c.; an asterism or constellation through which the moon passes, a lunar mansion, AV. &c. &c. (27, later 28, viz. Śrāviṣṭhā or Dhanishṭhā, Śata-bhishaj, Pūrva-bhādrapāda, Uttara-bh°, Revatī, Āśvinī, Bharanī, Kṛttikā, Rohiṇī or Brāhmī, Mṛiga-śiras or Āgrahāyanī, Ārdrā, Punarvasū or Yāmakau, Pushya or Sidhya, Āśleshā, Maghā, Pūrva-phalgunī, Uttara-ph°, Hasta, Citrā, Svātī, Viśākhā or Rādhā, Anurādhā, Jyeshṭhā, Mūla, Pūrva-śādhā, Uttaraśh°, Abhijit, Śravaṇa; according to VarBṛS. Revatī, Uttara-phalgunī, °*ra-bhādrapāda* & °*rāshādhā* are called *dhruvāni*, fixed; in the Vedas the Nakshatras are considered as abodes of the gods or of pious persons after death, Sāy. on RV. i, 50, 2; later as wives of the moon and daughters of Dakṣha, MBh.; Hariv. &c.; according to Jainas the sun, moon, Grahas, Nakshatras and Tārās form the Jyotishkas); a pearl, L. — *kalpa*, m. N. of a Pariś. of AV. — *kānti-vistāra*, m. the white Yāvanāla flower. — *kūrma*, m. (or *-cāra*, m., *-vibhāga*, m.) N. of ch. xiv of VarBṛS. — *kośa*, m. N. of a list of stars. — *graha-yuty-adhikāra*, m. N. of ch. of Sūryas. — *grahōtpāta*, m. N. of the 63rd Pariś. of AV. — *grāma-yājaka*, m. = °*tra-y*, MBh. — *ca-kra*, n. a partic. diagram, Tantras; the N°s collectively, W.; the sphere of the fixed stars, MW. — *cintā-maṇi* & *-cūḍā-m*, m. N. of wks. — *jā*, mfn. star-born, m. son of the stars, AV. — *jātaka* & °*kādi-bhāva-phala*, n. N. of wks. — *tārā-rājāditya*, m. a partic. Samādhi, Buddh. — *darśā*, m. star-gazer, VS. — *dāna-vīdhī*, m. N. of wk. — *devata*, mfn. having the N°s as deities, ĀśvGr. — *devatā-kathana* & *-dohada-sāntika*, n. N. of wks. — *dvamdva*, n. a N° compound (as *tishya-punarvasu*), Pāṇ. i, 2, 63. — *nātha*, m. 'lord of the N°s,' the moon, Hariv. — *nāman*, n., *-ni-ghaṇṭu* & *-nirṇaya*, m. N. of wks. — *nemi*, m. the pole-star, L.; the moon, L.; N. of Vishṇu, MBh.; f. the N° Revatī. — *nyāsa*, m. N. of ch. of PSarv. — *pa*, m. = *-nātha*, L. — *paṭalōpāya-dāna*, n. N. of wk. — *pati*, m. = *-pa*; *-nandana*, m. the planet Mercury, Vāstuv. — *patha*, m. 'star-path,' the starry sky, Hcar.; *-varcas*, n. its splendour, R. — *pāthaka*, m. 'star-reader,' astrologer, Cat. — *pāta*, m. N. of wk. — *purusha*, m. (astrol.) a human figure representing the N°s (also *-ka*); a ceremony in which such a figure is worshipped; N. of ch. of the VāmP.; *-vrata*, n. N. of a partic. observance & of ch. of the MatsyaP. — *pūjita*, mfn. 'star-honoured,' auspicious, MW. — *prakarana*, n., *-prasna*, m., *-phala*, n., *-bhakti*, f., *-bhukta-ghaṭi-cakra*, n. N. of wks. — *mandala*, n. star-cluster, Cat. — *mārga*, m. = *-patha*, MBh. — *mālā*, f. star-circle, star-group, R.; the N°s collectively, Var.; a necklace of 27 pearls, ib.; a partic. ornament for an elephant's head, Kād. (°*lāya*, Nom. Ā. °*yate*, ib.); a kind of dance, W.; N. of sev. wks. — *mālikā*, f., *-yajña*, m. N. of wks. — *yājaka*, mfn. offering oblations to the N°s, MBh. — *yoga*, m. conjunction of (moon with the) N°s, ib.; *-dāna*, n. N. of wk.; *-gin*, mfn. connected with N°s, MBh.; Hariv.; f. pl. chief stars in the N°s, L. — *rāja*, m. 'king of the stars,' AV.; the moon, MBh.; R.; N. of a Bodhi-sattva, Buddh.; *-prabhāva-bhāsa-garbha*, m. N. of a B°-s°, ib.; *-vikrīḍita*, m. a partic. Samādhi, ib.; *-samkusumitā-bhijña*, m. N. of a B°-s°, ib. — *lokā*, m. pl. the world of the N°s, ŚBr.; sg. the starry region, firmament, MW. — *vartman*, n. = *-patha*, L. — *vāda-mālikā*, *-vādāvalī*, f. N. of wks. — *vidyā*, f. 'star-knowledge,' astronomy, ChUp.; Mn. — *vidhāna*, n. N. of wk. — *vithī*, f. path of the N°s, MBh. — *vriksha*, m. a tree consecrated to a N°, L. — *vriṣhti*, f. 'star-shower,' shooting stars, L. — *vyūha*, m. = *-bhakti*. — *śavas* (*naksh*), mfn. equal to stars in number, RV. x, 22, 10 (Sāy. 'going to the gods'). — *sānti*, f., *-śuddhi-prakarana*, n. N. of wks. — *sampatsara*, n. a particular form of year, Var. — *sattra*, n. = *nakshatrēṣṭi*; N. of wk.; *-prayoga*, m., *-hautra*, n., *irēṣṭi-prayoga*, m., *irēṣṭi-hautra-prayoga*, m. N. of wks. — *samucaya*, m. 'assemblage of N°s,' N. of wk. — *sūcaka*,

m. 'star-indicator,' astrologer, Var. — *stoma*, m. N. of a partic. Ekāha, ŚāṅkhSr. — *sthāpana*, n. N. of wk. *Nakshatrādhīpa*, m. the regent of a N°, Cat.; *°pati*, m. 'chief of N°s,' N. of Pushya, Lalit. *Nakshatrābhidhāna*, n. N. of wk. *Nakshatrāśraya*, mfn. relating to a star or N°, MānGr. *Nakshatrēśa*, m. = °*tra-nātha*, Caurap. *Nakshatrēṣṭakā*, f. N. of partic. sacrificial bricks, TS.; ĀpŚr. *Nakshatrēṣṭi*, f. a sacrifice to the N°s; N. of wk.; *-nirūpana*, n., *-paddhati*, f., *-prayoga*, m., *-homa*, m., *-hautra*, n. N. of wks. *Nakshatrōpajivin*, m. 'subsisting by the N°s,' astrologer, Yājñ. iii, 289, Sch.

Nakshatrin, m. 'having or holding the stars,' N. of Vishṇu, MBh. xiii, 6996 (cf. °*tra-nemi*).

Nakshatriya, mfn. relating to the stars or Nakshatras, containing a number equal to that of the N°s, i.e. 27, AV.; VS. &c.

Nakshya, mfn. to be approached, RV. vii, 15, 7.

नख *nakh* or *nañkh*, cl. 4. & 1. P. *nakhyati*, *nakhati* & *nañkhati*, to go, move, Naigh. ii, 14; Dhātup. v, 20, 21.

नख *nakhā*, m. n. (fr. √*nagh* [?], cf. *nagha-māra*; prob. not fr. *na + kha* in spite of Pāṇ. vi, 3, 75; ifc. f. ī) a finger-nail, toe-nail, claw, talon, the spur of a cock, RV. &c. &c. (°*khāni* √*kṛi* or √*klrip*, to cut the nails, Kauś.; Mn.); = 20, Sūryas; n. and (ī), f. Unguis Odoratus, VarBṛS.; Hcat.; m. part, portion. [Cf. Gk. *ὄνυξ*, stem *ō-vvχ*; Lat. *unguis*; Lit. *nāgas*; Slav. *nogiti*; Angl. Sax. *naegel*; Engl. *nail*; Germ. *Nagel*.] — *kuṭṭa*, m. 'nail-cutter,' barber, L.; N. of an author, Sāh. — *khādin*, mfn. biting (lit. eating) the n°s, Mn.; MBh. — *gucca-phalā*, f. a kind of pulse, L. — *ccheda*, m. (MW.); *°dana*, n. (Mn.; Suśr.) n°-cutting. — *cohe-dya*, mfn. to be slit by the n°s, Bhpr. — *jāha*, n. n°-root, L. — *dāraṇa*, m. 'tearing with the claws,' falcon, hawk, L. — *nīkṛintana*, m. or n. n°-scissors, ChUp. — *nirbhinna* (°*khā-n*), mfn. split asunder with the n°s, TS.; Pāṇ. vi, 2, 48, Kās. — *nishpāvikā* or °*pāvi*, f. a kind of pulse, L. — *nyāsa*, m. inserting the claws, Ragh. — *pada*, n. n°-mark, scratch, Megh.; Unguis Odoratus, VarBṛS. Sch. — *parṇī*, f. a kind of plant (= *vriścika*), L. — *puñja-phalā*, f. a kind of pulse, L. — *pushpī*, f. Trigonella Corniculata, L. — *pūrvikā*, f. = *nishpāvi*, L. — *praca*, n., g. *mayūra-vyaṇsakādi*. — *phalinī*, f. a kind of pulse, L. — *bhinna*, mfn. scratched or torn off with a n°, W. — *muca*, n. 'n°-looser,' bow, L. — *m-paca*, mf(ā)n. n°-scalding, Pāṇ. iii, 2, 34, Kās.; scanty, shallow (water), Kāv. — *rajanī*, f. a kind of plant and its fruit, L. — *rañ-janī*, f. n°-scissors, L. — *lekha*, m. n°-painter, L. — *lekha*, f. a scratch with the nail, n°-painting, MW. — *vādāna* (Āpast.) & *-vādya* (L.), n. 'n°-music,' noise made with the finger-nails. — *vilekhā*, f. a scratch, W. — *visha*, mfn. having venom in the n°s or claws, L. — *vishkira*, m. 'tearing or rending with the claws,' scratcher, Mn. v, 13. — *vriksha*, m. a kind of tree, L. — *vraṇa*, n. 'n°-wound,' scratch, W. — *śāṅkha*, m. a small shell, L. *Nakhāṇsu*, m. elegance or brightness of the finger-n°s, W. *Nakhāgrā*, n. n°-point, ŚBr. *Nakhāghāta*, m. = °*kha-vraṇa*, L. *Nakhāṅka*, m. n°-mark, Kāv.; Unguis Odoratus, L. *Nakhāṅga*, n. a kind of perfume, L. *Nakhācchoṭanikā*, f. (√*cut*) making a noise with the n°s (as a token of applause or approval), HPariś. *Nakhā-nakhi*, ind. n° against n°, close fighting (with mutual scratching), MBh. viii, 2377 (cf. *keśā-keśi*). *Nakhāyudha*, mfn. 'claw-armed,' Pañc. ii, 511; *-tva*, n. ib. 512, m. a lion; tiger; cock, L.; monkey, R. *Nakhāri*, m. N. of an attendant of Śiva, L. *Nakhārtha*, m. a kind of perfume, Gal. *Nakhāli* or °*likā*, f. a small shell (cf. °*kha-śāṅkha*). *Nakhāvapūta*, mfn. purified with the nails; pl. N. of partic. grains, MaitrS. *Nakhāsin*, m. 'eating with claws,' an owl, L.

Nakhaka, m. N. of a Nāga-rāja, L.

Nakharā, mfn. shaped like a claw, curved, crooked, ŚBr., MBh.; m. a curved knife, MBh.; Daś.; m., f(ā) or n. nail, claw, Var.; Pañc. &c. nail-scratch, Cat.; (ī), f. Unguis Odoratus, L. — *rajanī*, f. v.l. for *nakha-r*, g. *haritaky-ādi*, Kās. *Nakharāyudha*, m. a lion; tiger; cock, L. (cf. *nakhāy*). *Nakharāhva*, m. Nerium Odorum, L.

Nakhālu, m. a kind of tree (= *nakha-vriksha*), L.

Nakhin, mfn. having nails or claws; thorny, prickly, ŚBr.; m. a clawed animal, lion, L.