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RATANA SUTTA PARITTA (SNP 2.1)

Yam kiñci vittam idha vā huram vā,

Saggesu vā yam ratanam panītam;

Na no samam atthi tathāgatena,

Idampi buddhe ratanam panītam;

Etena saccena suvatthi hotu.

yam ... tam ... what ... that ...

yam kiñci (ind.) [yam + kim + ci] whatever; everything; all

vitta (nt.) (1) wealth; property (2) delight; pleasure; lit. got

huram (ind.) there; in another world

sagga (m.) heaven; paradise

ratana (nt.) (1) jewel; gem (2) treasure (3) queen

paṇīta (adj.) fine; superior; sublime; lit. brought forward

sama (adj.) (1) level; even; balanced (2) like; equal (to); same (as)

sacca (nt.) truth

suvatthi (f.) $[su + \sqrt{as + ti}]$ well being; prosperity

Khayam virāgam amatam paņītam,

Yadajjhagā sakyamunī samāhito;

Na tena dhammena samatthi kiñci,

Idampi dhamme ratanam panītam;

Etena saccena suvatthi hotu.

khīyati is destroyed; is exhausted khīņa (pp. of khīyati) consumed; destroyed

khaya (m. from khīyati) wearing away; destruction

virāga (m.) fading of desire (for); dispassion (towards)

amata (nt.) (1) deathless state; immortality (2) deathless; immortal; undying

adhigacchati gets to; attains; obtains; lit. arrives at ajjhagā (imperf. of adhigacchati) got; obtained; achieved; lit. arrived at

samādahati (1) (of the mind) composes; stabilizes; collects (2) (of fire) kindles;

lights; lit. puts together

samāhita (pp. of samādahati) composed; centred; settled

Yam buddhasettho parivannayī sucim,

Samādhimānantarikaññamāhu;

[samādhim + ānantarikam + yam + āhu]

Samādhinā tena samo na vijjati,

Idampi dhamme ratanam panītam;

Etena saccena suvatthi hotu.

seṭṭha (adj.) (1) foremost; supreme; (2) chief; leader

vaṇṇayati (1) praises; extols (2) comments on; interprets; explains parivaṇṇayati describes; recommends; extolls; lit. praises all around suci (adj.) (1) clean; pure (2) (of tastes and smells) good; fine

antara (nt.) space between; interval; distance

ānantarika (adj.) immediate; without delay; with immediate results

 \sqrt{ah} ($\sqrt{)}$ speak

āhu (perf.3rd.pl. of āha) they say; lit. they said

vijjati $[\sqrt{\text{vid} + \text{ya} + \text{ti}}]$ (1) exists; is found; is present (2) is possible

Ye puggalā aṭṭha satam pasatthā,

Cattāri etāni yugāni honti;

Te dakkhiņeyyā sugatassa sāvakā,

Etesu dinnāni mahapphalāni;

Idampi sanghe ratanam panītam,

Etena saccena suvatthi hotu.

ye ... te ... who ... they ...

puggala (m.) person; individual

santa (m. irreg, from atthi) virtuous man; good person (from \sqrt{as}) satam (m.dat.pl. of santa, irreg) for virtuous people; for good people pasamsati praises; approves (of); commends pasattha (pp. of pasamsati) praised; commended; exalted

yuga (nt.) (1) yoke (2) pair; set of two

dadāti gives (to); offers (to) dinna (pp. of dadāti) given (to); offered (to)

phala (nt.) (1) fruit; berry (2) consequence; result

Ye suppayuttā manasā daļhena,

Nikkāmino gotamasāsanamhi;

Te pattipattā amatam vigayha,

Laddhā mudhā nibbutim bhunjamānā;

Idampi sanghe ratanam panītam,

Etena saccena suvatthi hotu.

payuñjati harnesses; employs; applies

payutta (pp. of payuñjati) intent; engaged

suppayutta (adj.) [su + payutta] fully engaged; diligently practising

manasa (adj.) focused on; lit. with such a mind

daļha (adj.) strong; firm; steady

nikkāmī (adj.) $[n\bar{i} + \sqrt{kam + *\bar{i}}]$ striving (in); active (in); lit. going out

pāpuṇāti reaches; attains; arrives (at)

patti (f. abstr. from pāpuṇāti) (1) reaching; getting (2) profit; share; lit. what is obtained

patta (pp. of pāpuṇāti) reached; attained; have arrived (at)

vigāhati enters, plunges into

vigayha (ger. of vigāhati) plunging into; diving into

labhati gets; receives; obtains

laddhā (abs. of labhati) having got; having obtained

mudhā (ind.) for free; freely; gratis; for nothing

nibbuti (f.) $[n\bar{i} + \sqrt{v\bar{a} + ti}]$ quenching; cooling; lit. blown away state

bhuñjamāna (prp. of bhuñjati) eating; consuming; enjoying

Khīņam purāņam navam natthi sambhavam,

Virattacittāyatike bhavasmim;

Te khīņabījā avirūļhichandā,

Nibbanti dhīrā yathāyam padīpo;

Idampi sanghe ratanam panītam,

Etena saccena suvatthi hotu.

khīyati is destroyed; is exhausted khīṇa (pp. of khīyati) consumed; destroyed

khaya (m. from khīyati) wearing away; destruction purāṇa (adj.) previous; old; ancient

nava (adj.) new; fresh

sambhavati comes to be; happens; occurs sambhava (m. from sambhavati) birth; origin; source (of)

rajjati finds pleasure (in); is enamoured (with)
virajjati becomes detached (from); loses interest (in)

viratta (pp. of virajjati) detached (from); without desire (for); lost interest (in)

āyati (f.)future; upcomingāyatika (adj. from āyati)upcoming; future

bīja (nt.) seed; germ

virūļhi (f.) growth; increase

chanda (m.) (1) interest; desire; wish (2) consent; agreement

nibbāti is extinguished; goes out; lit. blows away

dhīra (adj.) (1) stable; constant; reliable; firm (2) wise; intelligent

padīpa (m.) lamp; light; lighting

PATHAMABHAVASUTTA (AN 3.76)

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Atha kho āyasmā ānando yena bhagavā tenupasankami; upasankamitvā bhagavantam

abhivādetvā ekamantam nisīdi. Ekamantam nisinno kho āyasmā ānando bhagavantam etadavoca:

yena ... ten'upasankamati (idiom) wherever ... he approaches (him/it) abhivādeti bows down (to); pays high respect (to)

anta (m.) end; side; extreme ekamantaṁ (ind.) [ekaṁ + anta + aṁ] to one side; aside

vacati speaks avoca (aor. of vacati) said (to)

"bhavo, bhavo'ti, bhante, vuccati. Kittāvatā nu kho, bhante, bhavo hotī"ti?

"Kāmadhātuvepakkañca, ānanda, kammam nābhavissa, api nu kho kāmabhavo paññāyethā"ti?

"No hetam, bhante".

bhava (m.) being; becoming; existence

vuccati (pass. of vacati) is said to be; is called

tāva (ind.) that much; that far; still; at least kittāvatā (ind.) [ka + tāva + tā] in what way?; to what extent?

dhātu (f.) (1) state; property; condition (2) state of being; realm of existence

kāmadhātu (f.) realm of desire; world of sense pleasure

 $\sqrt{\text{pac}}$ ($\sqrt{\ }$) cook; mature; ripen vipaccati [vi + $\sqrt{\text{pac}}$ + ya + ti] bears fruit; gives results

vipakka (pp. of vipaccati) ripened; matured; given fruit vepakka (nt. from vipakka) ripening; maturing; bearing fruit

nābhavissa [na + abhavissa] would not exist

pajānāti knows clearly; understands; distinguishes

paññayati (pass. of pajānāti) is clearly known; is evident

paññāyetha (opt.reflx.3rd.sg. of it itself would be evident; it could be discerned

paññāyeyya)

"Iti kho, ānanda, kammam khettam, viññāṇam bījam, taṇhā sneho. Avijjānīvaraṇānam sattānam taṇhāsamyojanānam hīnāya dhātuyā viññāṇam patiṭṭhitam¹ evam āyatim punabbhavābhinibbatti hoti. (...)

khetta (nt.) field; plot of land

sneha (m.) moisture

nīvaraṇa (m.) obstacle; obstruction; hindrance; lit. blocking

satta (m.) $[\sqrt{as + a + tta}]$ being; living being; creature

samyojana (nt.) fetter; chain; bond; lit. yoking together

hīna (adj.) low; inferior; deficient

cetanā (f.) $[\sqrt{\text{cit} + \text{*anā}}]$ intending; willing

patthanā (f.) intending; wishing; aspiring; praying; longing

patiṭṭhahati [pati + \sqrt{tha} + a + ti] establishes; sets up; lit. stands before patiṭṭhita (pp. of patiṭṭhahati) firmly grounded (in); well established (in)

āyati (f.) future; what's coming

punabbhava (m.) appearing again; renewed existence; rebirth; future life

abhinibbatti (f.) birth; becoming; production

Rūpadhātuvepakkañca, ānanda, kammam nābhavissa, api nu kho rūpabhavo paññāyethā"ti?
"No hetam, bhante".

"Iti kho, ānanda, kammam khettam, viññāṇam bījam, taṇhā sneho. Avijjānīvaraṇānam sattānam taṇhāsamyojanānam majjhimāya dhātuyā viññāṇam patiṭṭhitam evam āyatim punabbhavābhinibbatti hoti. (...)

Arūpadhātuvepakkañca, ānanda, kammam nābhavissa, api nu kho arūpabhavo paññāyethā"ti?
"No hetam, bhante".

"Iti kho, ānanda, kammam khettam, viññāṇam bījam, taṇhā sneho. Avijjānīvaraṇānam sattānam taṇhāsamyojanānam paṇītāya dhātuyā viññāṇam patiṭṭhitam evam āyatim punabbhavābhinibbatti hoti. Evam kho, ānanda, bhavo hotī"ti.

^{1:} AN 3.77: cetanā patiţţhitā patthanā patiţţhitā

CUNDĪSUTTA (AN 5.32)

(AN 5.32, also in Iti 90, AN 4.34)

Ekam samayam bhagavā rājagahe viharati veļuvane kalandakanivāpe. Atha kho cundī rājakumārī pañcahi rathasatehi pañcahi ca kumārisatehi parivutā yena bhagavā tenupasankami; upasankamitvā bhagavantam abhivādetvā ekamantam nisīdi. Ekamantam nisinnā kho cundī rājakumārī bhagavantam etadavoca:

veļuvana (nt.) [veļu + vana] Bamboo Grove, a park outside Rājagaha; lit. bamboo forest

kalandaka (m.) squirrel

nivāpa (m.)

kumāra (m.)

young boy; prince

kumārī (f.)

young girl; princess

ratha (m.)

chariot; coach; carriage

kumārisata (nt.)

parivāreti

surrounds, follows

"Amhākam, bhante, bhātā cundo nāma rājakumāro, so evamāha:

'yadeva so hoti itthī vā puriso vā buddham saraṇam gato, dhammam saraṇam gato, saṅgham saraṇam gato, pāṇātipātā paṭivirato, adinnādānā paṭivirato, kāmesumicchācārā paṭivirato, musāvādā paṭivirato, surāmerayamajjapamādaṭṭhānā paṭivirato, so kāyassa bhedā param maraṇā sugatimyeva upapajjati, no duggatin'ti.

bhātar (m.) brother

yadeva [yam + eva] any; whichever itthī (f.) woman; female

saraṇa (nt.) shelter; refuge; help; lit. going to

ramati enjoys; finds pleasure (in)

paţiviramati [pati + vi + $\sqrt{\text{ram}}$ + a + ti] abstains (from); refrains (from); shuns; avoids

paṭivirata (pp. of paṭiviramati) abstained (from); desisted (from) bheda (m.) (1) death (2) schism; split; lit. breakup

maraṇa (nt.) death; dying

sugati (f.) good destination; happy fate; heaven; lit. going well

upapajjati is reborn (in); re-arises (in); lit. goes towards

duggati (f.) state of misery; bad destination; hell; lit. going badly

Sāham, bhante, bhagavantam pucchāmi:

'kathamrūpe kho, bhante, satthari pasanno kāyassa bhedā param maraṇā sugatimyeva upapajjati, no duggatim? Kathamrūpe dhamme pasanno ... Kathamrūpe sanghe pasanno ... Kathamrūpesu sīlesu paripūrakārī ... no duggatin'"ti?

sāhaṁ [sā + ahaṁ] then I; and I

pucchati asks; enquires; questions

kathamrūpa what kind?

satthari (m.) $[\sqrt{sas} + tar + i]$ in the teacher; in the master

sīla (nt.) (1) ethical/moral conduct; virtue (2) behaviour; habit

paripūra (adj.) full; filled up; complete paripūrakārī (adj.) [paripūra + kārī] who completely fulfils

"Yāvatā, cundi, sattā apadā vā dvipadā vā catuppadā vā bahuppadā vā rūpino vā arūpino vā saññino vā asaññino vā nevasaññināsaññino vā, tathāgato tesam aggamakkhāyati araham sammāsambuddho. Ye kho, cundi, buddhe pasannā, agge te pasannā. Agge kho pana pasannānam aggo vipāko hoti.

yāvatā (ind.) [yāva + tā] as long as; as far as; of all; to the extent that

pada (nt.) (1) foot (2) path; track; way sañjānāti knows; perceives; conceives saññī (adj. from sañjānāti) percipient (of); conscious (of)

tesam (pron.) [ta + esānam] for them; to them; to those; among them

agga (adj.) highest; supreme

akkhāti says (to); tells (to); explains (to) akkhāyati (pass. of akkhāti) is considered; is said to be

vipāka (m.) [vi + $\sqrt{\text{pac}}$ + *a] result; outcome; consequence; fruit; lit. ripening

Yāvatā, cundi, dhammā saṅkhatā, ariyo aṭṭhaṅgiko maggo tesaṁ aggamakkhāyati. Ye, cundi, ariye aṭṭhaṅgike magge pasannā, agge te pasannā. Agge kho pana pasannānaṁ aggo vipāko hoti.

Yāvatā, cundi, dhammā saṅkhatā vā asaṅkhatā vā, virāgo tesaṁ aggamakkhāyati, yadidaṁ — madanimmadano pipāsavinayo ālayasamugghāto vaṭṭupacchedo taṇhākkhayo virāgo nirodho nibbānaṁ. Ye kho, cundi, virāge dhamme pasannā, agge te pasannā. Agge kho pana pasannānaṁ aggo vipāko hoti.

Yāvatā, cundi, saṅghā vā gaṇā vā, tathāgatasāvakasaṅgho tesaṁ aggamakkhāyati, yadidaṁ – cattāri purisayugāni aṭṭha purisapuggalā, esa bhagavato sāvakasaṅgho āhuneyyo pāhuneyyo dakkhiṇeyyo añjalikaraṇīyo anuttaraṁ puññakkhettaṁ lokassa. Ye kho, cundi, saṅghe pasannā, agge te pasannā. Agge kho pana pasannānaṁ aggo vipāko hoti.

saṅkhata (pp. of saṅkharoti) mada (m.) [$\sqrt{\text{mad}} + \text{a}$] nimmadana (nt.) [nir + $\sqrt{\text{mad}} + \text{ana}$] pipāsa (adj.)

pipāsavinaya (m.)

ālaya (m.) samugghāteti

samugghāta (m. from samugghāteti)

vaṭṭa (nt.)

vattupaccheda (m.)

gaṇa (m.)

sāvaka (m.)

created; constructed; conditioned; fabricated; lit. put together

(1) excess; pleasure; indulgence (2) vanity; pride; conceit removing pride; crushing conceit; lit. de-intoxicating

thirsty; lit. wishing to drink

removal of thirst

(1) roost; perch; nest; home (2) attachment (to); clinging (to)

abolishes, uproots, removes

eradication; extermination; destruction (1) circle (2) cycle of existence; lit. round

breaking off cycle of existence

group; crowd

disciple; pupil; follower

Yāvatā, cundi, sīlāni, ariyakantāni sīlāni tesam aggamakkhāyati, yadidam – akhaṇḍāni acchiddāni asabalāni akammāsāni bhujissāni viññuppasatthāni aparāmaṭṭhāni samādhisamvattanikāni. Ye kho, cundi, ariyakantesu sīlesu paripūrakārino, agge te paripūrakārino. Agge kho pana paripūrakārīnam aggo vipāko hotī'ti.

kanta (adj.) charming; pleasant; desirable; agreeable

khaṇḍeti breaks into pieces, transgresses akhaṇḍa (adj. from na khaṇḍeti) unbroken; unfragmented; whole

chindati cuts off; severs

acchidda (adj. from na chindati)
unbroken; flawless; without cracks
sabala (adj.)
spotted; blotchy; mottled; patchy
spotted; speckled; blemished
bhujissa (adj.)
cleansing; freeing; liberating
pasamsati
praises; approves (of); commends
pasattha (pp. of pasamsati)
praised; commended; exalted

parāmasati touches; strokes; rubs

aparāmaṭṭha (pp. of na parāmasati) irreproachable; untouchable; untarnished; lit. not touched

samvattanika (adj.) leading (to); headed (to); conducive (to)

Aggato ve pasannānam,

aggam dhammam vijānatam;

Agge buddhe pasannānam,

dakkhiņeyye anuttare.

agga (adj.) highest; supreme

pasāda (m.) inspiration; faith; trust; confidence; lit. settling

pasanna (adj.) who has faith (in); who has confidence (in); lit. settled

vijānāti comprehends; understands

vijānatam (prp. of vijānāti) for those knowing; for those who understand

dakkhiṇā (f.) gift; donation

dakkhiṇeyya (adj.) worthy of offerings

anuttara (adj.) highest; unsurpassed; incomparable; lit. nothing higher

Agge dhamme pasannānam,

virāgūpasame sukhe;

Agge sanghe pasannānam,

puññakkhette anuttare.

virāga (m.) fading of desire (for); dispassion (towards)

upasamati becomes calm; ceases; is allayed puñña (nt.) merit; good deed; spiritual wealth

khetta (nt.) field; plot of land puññakkhetta (nt.) field of merit

Aggasmim dānam dadatam,

aggam puññam pavaḍḍhati;

Aggam āyu ca vaṇṇo ca,

yaso kitti sukham balam.

dadāti gives; offers; donates

dadanta (prp. of dadāti) giving; offering; bestowing pavaḍḍhati increases; develops; grows

āyu (nt.) life; longevity; age

vaṇṇa (m.) beauty; good looks; colour; appearance; lit. cover

yasas (m.) fame; reputation; renown kitti (f.) fame; renown; celebrity

Aggassa dātā medhāvī,

aggadhammasamāhito;

Devabhūto manusso vā,

aggappatto pamodatī"ti.

dātar (m.) giver; donor; who gives medhā (f.) wisdom; intelligence

medhāvī (m.) intelligent man; wise man; lit. who has wisdom

samāhita (pp. of samādahati) composed; centred; settled

samāhita (adj. in comps.) having; who has; endowed (with)
patta (pp. of pāpuṇāti) reached; attained; have arrived (at)
pamodati is delighted (with); is very happy (with)

modati $[\sqrt{mud + *a + ti}]$ is happy; enjoys himself; rejoices

muditā (f.) $[\sqrt{\text{mud} + \text{ita} + \bar{a}}]$ happiness (for); appreciation

EXERCISES

The blessed One is staying in Kajagana.
bhagavā rājagahe viharati
Cundī princess (rājakumārī) to the Blessed One said this
cundī rājakumārī bhagavantam etadavoca
My (amhākam) brother, called Cunda, the prince, he said this
Amhākam bhātā cundo nāma rājakumāro, so etadavoca / evamāha
A woman (itthī) or man (who) has gone (gato) to refuge to the Buddha.
itthī vā puriso vā buddham saraṇam gato
the break-up of the body, after death
kāyassa bhedā paraṁ maraṇā
at heaven (sugati) he appears / arises
sugatim upapajjati
I ask / enquire to the Blessed One
Aham bhagavantam pucchāmi
the best (agga) result / outcome
aggo vipāko
the things (which are) created / conditioned or uncreated / unconditioned
dhammā saṅkhatā vā asaṅkhatā vā
dispassion is considered (akkhāyati) the best
virāgo aggamakkhāyati
the craving-destruction
taṇhākkhayo
the incomparable merit-field of the world
anuttaraṁ puññakkhettaṁ lokassa
they fulfil (into, <i>loc.</i>) the moral precepts
te sīlesu paripūrenti
confident / faithful in the best teaching
agge dhamme pasannānam

INDULGENCE IN PLEASURE (1)

TWO KINDS OF PLEASANT FEELING

Sāmisam vā sukham vedanam vedayamāno 'sāmisam sukham vedanam vedayāmī'ti pajānāti.

Nirāmisam vā sukham vedanam vedayamāno 'nirāmisam sukham vedanam vedayāmī'ti pajānāti.

(DN 22)

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sāmisa (adj.) [sa + āma + isa] carnal; material; worldly; lit. with raw meat nirāmisa (adj.) [nir + āma + isa] not wordly; non-physical; spiritual
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PĀSĀDIKASUTTA (DN 29)

After the leader of the Jain sect, Nigantha Nāṭaputta died, his disciples are arguing and quarreling. Their lay supporters are disappointed in them and with a teaching poorly explained.

Ven. Ānanda and the novice Cunda goes to tell the Buddha about it.

He explains the various shortcomings of an incomplete spiritual path. One is fortunate $(l\bar{a}bh\bar{a})$ if one turns away from it. He explains the advantages of a complete teaching. One is fortunate if one practises following that system of training.

Spiritual companions (*sabrahmacārī*) should recite the teachings together (*saṅgāyitabbadhamma*). They should reach agreement on correct understanding through discussion (*saħñāpetabbavidhi*).

The Buddha gave teachings and made certain requisites allowable for the purpose of restrining defilements in the present and future.

Diṭṭhadhammikānam cevāham, cunda, āsavānam samvarāya dhammam desemi;

samparāyikānañca āsavānam paţighātāya.

The Jain practice is characterized by deprivation and self-torment, which can be impressive to witness. Comparatively, the disciples of the Buddha are living in comfort. He responds to the possible criticism that the spiritual path he teaches indulges in worldly vices, while at the same time showing that this path cultivates the type of pleasant feelings which lead to awakening and liberation.

Indulgence in pleasure (sukhallikānuyoga)

Cattārome, cunda, sukhallikānuyogā hīnā gammā pothujjanikā anariyā anatthasamhitā na nibbidāya na virāgāya na nirodhāya na upasamāya na abhiñnāya na sambodhāya na nibbānāya samvattanti. Katame cattāro? Idha, cunda, ekacco bālo pāņe vadhitvā vadhitvā attānam sukheti pīņeti. [..] adinnam ādiyitvā [...] musā bhaņitvā [...]

Puna caparam, cunda, idhekacco pancahi kamagunehi samappito samangibhuto paricareti. [...]

cattarome [cattaro + ime] these four

sukhallikā (f.) [√sukh + a + lla + ikā] worldly pleasure; hedonism

anuyoga (m.) practice of; devotion to; pursuit of; lit. yoking near

sukhallikānuyoga (m.) devotion to pleasure

ekacca (pron.) certain; one of; some of them

pāṇa (m.) breath; living being vadheti kills; slaughters; slays

sukheti makes happy

pīņeti gladdens; pleases; satisfies

ādiyati (1) takes; grasps; embraces (2) steals; takes

bhaṇati preaches

samappita (pp. of samappeti) provided (with); filled (with); having

samangībhūta (adj.) [samanga + bhūta] endowed (with); provided (with); possessing

paricareti enjoys oneself; amuses oneself; indulges (in); lit. causes to go around

Ţhānam kho panetam, cunda, vijjati yam añnatitthiyā paribbājakā evam vadeyyum:

'ime cattāro sukhallikānuyoge anuyuttā samaņā sakyaputtiyā viharantī'ti.

thānam vijjati (idiom)it is possible; lit. a basis existstittha (nt.)bank; shore; lit. crossing place

titthiya (m.) teacher of another sect; lit. fording place

aññatitthiya (adj.) [añña + titthiya] follower of another sect; lit. another fording place

anuyutta (adj.) devoted to; practised; lit. yoked near

Te vo 'mā hevam' tissu vacanīyā. [Te vo 'mā hi evam'iti assu vacanīyā.]

Na te vo sammā vadamānā vadeyyum, abbhācikkheyyum asatā abhūtena.

Cattārome, cunda, sukhallikānuyogā ekantanibbidāya virāgāya nirodhāya upasamāya abhiññāya sambodhāya nibbānāya samvattanti. Katame cattāro?

tissu [iti + assu]

vacanīya (ptp. of vacati) should be said; should be answered

vadamāna (prp. of vadati) speaking; saying

ācikkhatiinforms; tells (to); talks aboutabbhācikkhati [abhi + ācikkhati]misrepresents; falsely accusesasatā (ind.) [na + \sqrt{as} + a + tā]falsely; unjustly; lit. as not being

abhūtena (ind.) [$na + \sqrt{bh\bar{u} + ta + ena}$] falsely; untruthfully; lit. with something nonexistent

ekantanibbidā (f.) complete dis-enchantment; total disinterest; lit. only dispassion

Idha, cunda, bhikkhu vivicceva kāmehi vivicca akusalehi dhammehi savitakkam savicāram vivekajam pītisukham paṭhamam jhānam upasampajja viharati. Ayam paṭhamo sukhallikānuyogo. Puna caparam, cunda, bhikkhu vitakkavicārānam vūpasamā ajjhattam sampasādanam cetaso ekodibhāvam avitakkam avicāram samādhijam pītisukham dutiyam jhānam upasampajja viharati.

Ayam dutiyo sukhallikānuyogo.

ekodibhāva (m.) [ekodi + bhāva]

√vic	(root) separate
viviccati [vi + √vic + ya + ti]	is separate (from); is detached (from); is disengaged (from)
vivicca (ger. of viviccati)	separating (from); aloof (from)
viveka (m.) [vi + $\sqrt{\text{vic}}$ + *a]	(1) seclusion; solitude; detachment (2) discrimination; understanding
vivekaja (adj.) [viveka + ja]	born from seclusion; (or) born from discrimination
vūpasama (m.)	peace (of); calming (of); subsiding (of); settling (of)
ajjhatta (adj.) [adhi + atta]	inner; internal; personal; in oneself
pasīdati	(1) is bright; is calm; becomes clear (2) gains confidence; is inspired (3) is pleased; is happy; is appeased (4) settles down; subsides; calms down
sampasādana (nt. from sampasīdati)	calming; tranquillising; pacifying; settling
cetaso (m.)	of the mind; for (one having such a) mind

singleness; integration; unification; lit. unified state

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This bhikkhu comes from the town Ericeira.	
Eso bhikkhu Ericeira nigamasmā āgacchati.	
He needed food (there was a need), and a coffee-drink.	
Attho mam bhattena ca kāphī-pānena ca. / Bhattañca kāphī-pānañca attho hoti.	
Having walked for alms,	
(So,) Piṇḍāya caritvā,	
he gained (labbhati) many fruits and a coffe-drink from lay supporters.	
bahu phalāni ca kāphī-pānañca upāsakehi labbhati.	
From here, he goes to the eating-hall to eat.	
Tato dāna-sālam / bhattaggam bhuñjitum gacchati.	
After the meal, the hall should be swept.	
Pacchābhattam, tanṭhānam / dāna-sālam sammajjitabbam.	
Having eaten, having entered his hut, he meditates (jhāyati).	
Bhuñjitvā, so kuṭiṁ pavisitvā, jhāyati.	
The lay woman offers many material (āmisa) offerings for the support of the holy life.	
Upāsikā / -āyo bahu āmisā dānā deti brahmacariyānuggahāya.	
He understands that pleasant feeling.	
So taṁ sukhaṁ vedanaṁ pajānāti.	
The Blessed One teaches the Teaching for the restraint of defilements.	
Bhagavā āsavānam samvarāya dhammam deseti.	
Someone ($ekacca$), the fool, having killed ($vadhitv\bar{a}$) breathing-things, makes himself happy ($sukacca$)	heti).
Ekacco bālo pāņe vadhitvā attānam sukheti.	
And further, here someone, with the five strands of sensuality amuses himself (paricāreti).	
Puna caparam, idhekacco pañcahi kāmaguņehi attānam paricāreti.	
It doesn't lead to disenchantment and dispassion.	
Na nibbidāya na virāgāya samvattati.	
Sectarians (gone-forth) might / could speak like this:	
Paribbājakā evam vadeyyum:	
We don't see the advantages (ānisamsa) in this Discipline of the Noble Ones.	
Na passāma ānisamsā ete ariyassa vinaye.	
For one of excellent morality (sīlasampanna), non-remorse (avippaṭisāra) arises.	
Yam sīlasampannassa avippaţisāro uppajjati.	
For one of non-remorse, gladness (pāmojja) is born.	
Yam avippaţisārissa pāmojjam jāyati.	

INDULGENCE IN PLEASURE (2)

PĀSĀDIKASUTTA, CONT. (DN 29)

Puna caparam, cunda, bhikkhu pītiyā ca virāgā upekkhako ca viharati, sato ca sampajāno, sukhanca kāyena paṭisamvedeti, yam tam ariyā ācikkhanti 'upekkhako satimā sukhavihārī'ti tatiyam jhānam upasampajja viharati. Ayam tatiyo sukhallikānuyogo.

Puna caparam, cunda, bhikkhu sukhassa ca pahānā dukkhassa ca pahānā pubbeva somanassadomanassānam atthangamā adukkhamasukham upekkhāsatipārisuddhim catuttham jhānam upasampajja viharati. Ayam catuttho sukhallikānuyogo.

upekkhaka (adj.)

balanced; equanimous; non-reactive; looking on; lit. onlooker sampajāna (adj.)

clearly aware; fully knowing; completely comprehending giving up (of); letting go (of); removal (of); abandoning (of)

pubbeva [pubba + eva] just before; previous to; as before somanassa (nt.) [su + $\sqrt{\text{man}}$ + as + *ya] (mental) pleasure; happiness; joy

domanassa (nt.) (mental) suffering; distress; depression; grief attham gacchati (idiom) disappears; dissolves; vanishes; lit. goes home

atthaṅgama (m.) [atthaṁ + gama] disappearance; settling down; subsiding; lit. going home

upekkhāsatipārisuddhi (f.) purification of awareness by equanimity

Ime kho, cunda, cattāro sukhallikānuyogā ekantanibbidāya virāgāya nirodhāya upasamāya abhiññāya sambodhāya nibbānāya samvattanti.

Thānam kho panetam, cunda, vijjati yam añnatitthiyā paribbājakā evam vadeyyum:

'ime cattāro sukhallikānuyoge anuyuttā samaņā sakyaputtiyā viharantī'ti.

Te vo 'evam' tissu vacanīyā. Sammā te vo vadamānā vadeyyum, na te vo abbhācikkheyyum asatā abhūtena.

Sukhallikānuyogānisamsa

Ṭhānam kho panetam, cunda, vijjati, yam añnatitthiyā paribbājakā evam vadeyyum:

'ime panāvuso, cattāro sukhallikānuyoge anuyuttānam viharatam kati phalāni katānisamsā pāṭikankhā'ti?

Evamvādino, cunda, añnatitthiyā paribbājakā evamassu vacanīyā:

ānisamsa (m.) benefit (in); good result (of)

kati (pron.) [ka + ti] How many?

paţikankhati anticipates; expects; awaits; wishes for

pāṭikankha (adj. ptp. of paṭikankhati) to be expected; can be anticipated; lit. to be wished

'ime kho, āvuso, cattāro sukhallikānuyoge anuyuttānam viharatam cattāri phalāni cattāro ānisamsā pāṭikankhā. Katame cattāro?

Idhāvuso, bhikkhu tiṇṇam samyojanānam parikkhayā sotāpanno hoti avinipātadhammo niyato sambodhiparāyaṇo. Idam paṭhamam phalam, paṭhamo ānisamso.

samyojana (nt.) fetter; chain; bond; lit. yoking together

parikkhaya (m.) exhaustion; slow destruction; extinction; depletion

sotāpanna (adj.) [sota + āpanna] who has entered the stream

vinipāta (m.) state of suffering; purgatory; underworld; lit. bad fall avinipātadhamma (adj.) not liable to states of suffering; lit. not bad fall nature

niyata (adj.) (1) controlled; restrained (2) certain; unavoidable; of fixed destiny;

lit. controlled down

parāyaṇa (adj.) destined (for); culminating (in); going towards; lit. going beyond

sambodhiparāyaṇa (adj.) destined for full awakening

Puna caparam, āvuso, bhikkhu tiṇṇam samyojanānam parikkhayā rāgadosamohānam tanuttā sakadāgāmī hoti, sakideva imam lokam āgantvā dukkhassantam karoti. Idam dutiyam phalam, dutiyo ānisamso.

Puna caparam, āvuso, bhikkhu pañcannam orambhāgiyānam samyojanānam parikkhayā opapātiko hoti, tattha parinibbāyī anāvattidhammo tasmā lokā. Idam tatiyam phalam, tatiyo ānisamso.

tanutta (nt.) reduction; diminution; decrease; lit. thinness; thin state

sakadāgāmī (adj.) once-returner

sakideva [saki + eva] only once; just one time

dukkhassanta (m.) [dukkhassa + anta] end of suffering

orambhāgiya (adj.) lower; lit. connected to the lower part

opapātika (adj.) spontaneously reborn; spontaneously generated anāvattidhamma (adj.) not destined to return; lit. non-returning nature

Puna caparam, āvuso, bhikkhu āsavānam khayā anāsavam cetovimuttim paññāvimuttim diṭṭheva dhamme sayam abhiññā sacchikatvā upasampajja viharati. Idam catuttham phalam catuttho ānisamso.

Ime kho, āvuso, cattāro sukhallikānuyoge anuyuttānam viharatam imāni cattāri phalāni, cattāro ānisamsā pāṭikankhā'ti.

anāsava (adj.) taint-less; undefiled cetovimuttī (adj.) liberated by mind paññāvimuttī (adj.) liberated by wisdom

sayam (ind.) by one's own; oneself; one's own

abhiññā (f.) direct knowledge; higher understanding; lit. complete knowledge

EXERCISES

Friend, let us go to the Bamboo Grove.
Āvuso, veļuvanam gacchāma.
I will not go, but let the master go.
Aham na gacchissāmi, kho pana / atha kho ayyo gacchatu.
It is going to rain, the master should take an umbrella.
Devo vassissati, ayyo chattam hareyya / haratu.
Don't forget (neglect) your sandals.
Tumhākam upāhanāyo / pādukāyo mā ariñcasi.
Welcome Sir. You seem tired, (body/limbs) covered with veins.
Svāgatam bhante. Tumhe kilantam dissati, dhamanisanthatam.
Having returned, I will prepare a cup of juice for you.
Paccāgantvā, tuyham udaka'mallako / yūsam / pānam paṭiyādessāmi.
Good idea (well-thought). You are an intelligent man.
Sucintitam. Tumhe eko puriso paṇḍito / medhāvī.
Where is the sugar or honey?
Kattha phāṇitaṁ vā madhuṁ vā?
I'm sorry. We don't have. / There isn't.
Khamāpana / Vippaṭisāraṁ. Mayaṁ na labhāma. / Etaṁ natthi.
Never mind. I will drink it without sugar.
Tiţţhatu. Aham tam phāṇitam vinā pivissāmi.
Please give me the bean-broth (i.e. soya milk).
Detha me muggayūsam.
Sir, is this your cup?
Bhante, imam mallakam tumhākam / mallako āyasmatassa?
No, friend. My cup is here. That is yours.
No hetam āvuso. Mama mallako idhāsi. Tam tumhākam.
Please wash this cup and spoon.
Dhovetha imam mallakañca dabbiñca / kaṭacchuñca.
Thank you friend, I am delighted.
Anumodāmi, ayam pamodito / pamudito.
May you abide equanimous, mindful and happy.
Upekkhako sato sukhito viharatu.

INDULGENCE IN PLEASURE (3)

JHĀNĀDISUTTA (SN 53.1-12)

Seyyathāpi, bhikkhave, gaṅgā nadī pācīnaninnā pācīnapoṇā pācīnapabbhārā; evameva kho, bhikkhave, bhikkhu cattāro jhāne bhāvento cattāro jhāne bahulīkaronto nibbānaninno hoti nibbānapoṇo nibbānapabbhāro.

nadī (f.) river pācīna (adj.) eastern

ninna (adj.) sloping towards; inclining to; lit. bent down poṇa (adj.) sloping down to; inclining down to; leading to pabbhāra (adj.) sloping towards; inclining towards; leading to

pabbhāra (m.) mountain side; mountain slope

bhāventa (prp. of bhāveti) cultivating; developing

CETANĀKARAŅĪYASUTTA (AN 10.2)

"Sīlavato, bhikkhave, sīlasampannassa na cetanāya karaņīyam: 'avippaṭisāro me uppajjatū'ti.

Dhammatā esā, bhikkhave, yam sīlavato sīlasampannassa avippaţisāro uppajjati.

Avippaţisārissa, bhikkhave, na cetanāya karaṇīyam: 'pāmojjam me uppajjatū'ti. Dhammatā esā,

bhikkhave, yam avippaţisārissa pāmojjam jāyati.

sīlavata (nt.) precepts and practices; ethics and observances

sampanna (adj.) (1) fully grown; ripe; lit. succeeded (2) accomplished (in); fulfilled

sīlasampanna (adj.) accomplished in virtue; lit. succeeded in behaviour

cetanā (f.) intending; willing

karaṇīya (nt. / ptp.) (1) duty; obligation; lit. to be done (2) should be done vippaṭisāra (m.) remorse; regret; lit. remembering back negatively

pāmojja (nt.) joy; happiness; gladness

Sīlavato ... avippatisāro ... pāmojjam jāyati ... pīti uppajjati ... kāyo passambhati ... sukham

vediyati ... cittam samādhiyati ... yathābhūtam jānāti passati ... nibbindati virajjati ...

vimuttiñāṇadassanam sacchikaroti.

Iti kho, bhikkhave, nibbidāvirāgo vimuttiñāņadassanattho vimuttiñāņadassanānisamso;

yathābhūtañāṇadassanam nibbidāvirāgattham nibbidāvirāgānisamsam;

samādhi ... sukham ... passaddhi ... pīti ... pāmojjam ... avippaṭisāro ...

kusalāni sīlāni avippaţisāratthāni avippaţisārānisamsāni.

Iti kho, bhikkhave, dhamma dhamme abhisandenti, dhamma dhamme paripūrenti apārā pāram gamanāyā"ti.

attha $passambhati [pa + \sqrt{sambh} + a + ti]$

passaddhi (f.) [pa + $\sqrt{\text{sambh} + \text{ti}}$]

abhisandeti

apāra (nt.) pāra (nt.)

gamanāya (nt.)

(8) for the purpose of; for the sake of; for the benefit of

calms down; relaxes; becomes quiet

calmness; tranquillity; peace; stillness; serenity

fills up; fills to the brim; overflows; lit. causes to overflow

near shore far shore

to go (to); for going to see; for visiting

EXERCISES

Break down the sentence and fill out the details where applicable. (pos = part of speech)

Iti ajjhattam vā dhammesu dhammānupassī viharati, bahiddhā vā dhammesu dhammānupassī viharati, ajjhattabahiddhā vā dhammesu dhammānupassī viharati. Samudaya-dhammānupassī vā dhammesu viharati, vayadhammānupassī vā dhammesu viharati, samudaya-vaya-dhammānupassī vā dhammesu viharati.

word	pos		meaning	construction
Iti	ind		this	
ajjhattaṁ	ind	adv.acc.sg.	internally	adhi + atta
→ ajjhatta	adj		internal	
vā	ind	conj.	or	
dhammesu	noun	masc.loc.pl.	in mental phenomena	
dhammānupassī	adj		observing phenomena	dhamma + anupassī
→ anupassī	adj		observing	anupassati
→ anupassati	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	sees; observes	
viharati,				
,	verb	pr.3rd.sg	dwells	
bahiddhā	verb ind	pr.3rd.sg adv.	<u>dwells</u> <u>externally</u>	bahiddha
				bahiddha
bahiddhā	ind		externally	<u>bahiddha</u>

'Atthi dhamma'ti va panassa sati paccupaṭṭhitā hoti

word	pos		meaning	construction
'Atthi	verb	pr.3rd.pl.	there are	√as + ti
dhammā	noun	masc.pl.	mental phenomena	
'ti	<u>ind</u>		quote mark	iti
vā	ind	conj.	or	
panassa	sandhi		and for him	pana + assa
→ pana	ind		moreover; and so	
→ assa	pron	masc.dat.	for him	ima + ssa
sati	noun	fem.nom.sg.	mindfulness	

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word	pos		meaning	construction
paccupațțhitā	<u>adj</u> p <u>r</u>	o.; fem.nom.sg.	is present; is established	pati + upaṭṭhāti
→ paccupaṭṭhāti	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	attends to	
→ upaṭṭhāti	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	is nearby; lit. stands near	
hoti	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	is; exists	√hū + a + ti

yāvadeva ñāṇamattāya paṭissatimattāya

word	pos	meaning	construction
yāvadeva	sandhi	only for; as much as	yāva + eva
ñāṇamattāya	noun	fem.dat.sg. for a degree of (mere) knowi	ng
→ ñāṇa	noun	nt. knowledge; understanding	
→ mattā	noun	quantity; degree of	
pațissatimattāya	noun	fem.dat.sg. for a degree of mindfulness	S
→ paṭissati	noun	fem. self-awareness; rememberin	gpati + sati

anissito ca viharati, na ca kiñci loke upādiyati.

word	pos		meaning	construction
anissito	adj	pp.neg.nom.	detached; independent	a + nissita
→ nissayati	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	depends on; relies on	
ca	ind	conj.	and	
viharati,	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	dwells	
na	ind	neg.	not	
ca	ind	conj.	and	
kiñci	ind		something; anything	ka + iṁ + ci
loke	noun	masc.loc.sg.	in the world	
upādiyati.	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	grasps; clings to	upa + ādiyati
→ ādiyati	verb	pr.3rd.sg.	takes; grasps	√ādā + ya + ti

pabbajitaabhinhasutta (an 10.48)

Break down the sentence and fill out the details where applicable. (pos = part of speech)

'Dasayime, bhikkhave, dhammā pabbajitena abhinham paccavekkhitabbā. Katame dasa?

word	pos		meaning	construction
Dasayime,	sandhi		these ten	dasa + ime
bhikkhave,	noun	masc.voc.pl.	monks!	
dhammā	noun	masc.nom.pl.	things, qualities	
pabbajitena	noun	masc.instr.sg.	by a monastic / exiled	pp. of pabbajati
abhiṇhaṁ	ind		continuously; repeatedly	
paccavekkhitabbā.	adj	ptp.	should be reviewed	pati + ava + √ikkh + itabba
→ ikkhati	verb		looks at	
Katame	<u>pron</u>	nt.nom.pl.	Which one (of many)?	ka + tama
dasa?	ord		<u>ten</u>	
'Vevaṇṇiyamhi			I am not coloured	vevaṇṇiya + amhi
word	pos		meaning	construction
→ vevaṇṇiya		nt.		discolouration; removed colo
→ vevanniya → vanna	noun	masc.	colour; appearance	lit. cover
ajjhupagato'ti		<u>mase.</u>	who has reached / arrived at	
a))napagato ti	<u> </u>		vito has reached / arrived at	aum + apagata
Parapațibaddhā me jīvil	kā'ti pabbajitena a	abhiṇhaṁ pacca	vekkhitabbaṁ.	
word	pos		meaning	construction
'Parapaṭibaddhā	adj	bound	to other people; supported by	others
	_ pron		other; another person	
→ para				
→ para → paṭibandhati	verb	<u>a</u> tt	aches; binds (onto); lit. ties ba	ac <u>k</u>
•	•	att	raches; binds (onto); lit. ties ba	ac <u>k</u>

'Añño me ākappo karaṇīyo'ti pabbajitena abhinham paccavekkhitabbam.

word	pos	meaning	construction
'Añño	pron nom.	another; other	
me	pron	my; mine	
ākappo	noun masc.non	n.sg. conduct; behaviour	
karaṇīyo'ti	adj	should be done	
→ yogo karaṇīyo	idiom_	effort should be made	

'Kacci nu kho me attā sīlato na upavadatī'ti pabbajitena abhiņham paccavekkhitabbam.

word	pos		meaning	construction
'Kacci nu kho	idiom		Is it so? Perhaps?	
me	pron		me; mine	
attā	noun	masc.nom.pl.	self	
sīlato	noun	nt.abl.	from/about my conduct	
na	neg			
upavadatī'ti	verb	<u>bl</u> a	mes; criticizes; finds fault (w	it <u>h</u>)

'Kacci nu kho mam anuvicca viññū sabrahmacārī sīlato na upavadantī'ti pabbajitena abhiṇham paccavekkhitabbam.

word	pos		meaning	construction
'Kacci nu kho	idiom		Is it so? Perhaps?	
maṁ	pron		me; mine	
anuvicca	adj	ger.	investigating; finding out	anuvijjati
viññū	adj		wise; intelligent	
sabrahmacārī	noun	masc.nom.pl.	holy co-travellers	sa + brahma + cārī
sīlato	noun	nt.abl.	from/about my conduct	
na	neg			
upavadantī'ti	verb	bla	mes; criticizes; finds fault (w	it <u>h</u>)

vā

word	pos	meaning	construction
'Sabbehi			
me			
piyehi			
manāpehi			
nānābhāvo			
vinābhāvo'ti			
Kammassakomhi kamm word	adāyādo kammayoni pos	kammabandhu kammapaṭisaraı meaning	o, construction
'Kammassakomhi			
→ kammasaka			
kammadāyādo			
→ dāyāda			
kammayoni			
→ yoni			
kammabandhu			
→ bandhu			
kammapaṭisaraṇo,			
→ paṭisaraṇa			
vam kammam karissāmi paccavekkhitabbam.	kalyāṇaṁ vā pāpakar	n vā tassa dāyādo bhavissāmī'ti	pabbajitena abhiṇhaṁ
word	pos	meaning	construction
yaṁ			
kammaṁ			
karissāmi			

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word	pos	meaning	construction
pāpakaṁ			
vā			
tassa			
dāyādo			
bhavissāmī'ti			
Kathaṁbhūtassa me	rattindivā vītivattantī'ti p	abbajitena abhiṇhaṁ paccavek	khitabbaṁ.
word	pos	meaning	construction
Kathambhūtassa			
me			
rattindivā			
→ ratta			
→ divā			
vītivattantī'ti			
→ vītivattati			
→ vattati			
→ vītipatati			
→ patati			
Cacci nu kho'haṁ su	ññāgāre abhiramāmī'ti pa	abbajitena abhinham paccavekk	chitabbaṁ.
word	pos	meaning	construction
Kacci nu kho			
haṁ			
suññāgāre			
→ agāra			
abhiramāmī'ti			
→ ramati			

'Atthi nu kho me uttari manussadhammā alamariya-ñānada	assana-viseso adhigato.

word	pos	meaning	construction	
'Atthi nu kho				
me				
uttari				
manussadhammā				
alamariya				
ñāṇadassana				
viseso				
adhigato,				
paccavekkhitabbam.		o na maṅku bhavissāmī'ti pabbaji meaning		
paccavekkhitabbam. word	e sabrahmacārīhi puṭṭho pos	na mańku bhavissāmī'ti pabbaji meaning	tena abhiṇhaṁ construction	
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paccavekkhitabbam. word				
word so'ham pacchime				
word so'ham pacchime kāle				
word so'ham pacchime kāle sabrahmacārīhi				
word so'ham pacchime kāle sabrahmacārīhi puṭṭho				

 $Ime\ kho,\ bhikkhave,\ dasa\ dhamm\bar{a}\ pabbajitena\ abhinham\ paccavekkhitabb\bar{a}'ti.$