

(In this sense the root is used with substantives much in the same way as कृ. q. v.; e. g. दुःखं नी to reduce to misery; यज्ञं नी to reduce to subjection, win over; अस्तं नी to cause to set; विनाशं नी to destroy; परितोषं नी to gratify, please; शूद्रतां-दासत्वं &c. नी to reduce to the state of a Sūdra, slave &c.; साक्ष्यं नी to admit as a witness; इदं नी to inflict punishment upon, to punish; पुनरुक्ततां नी to render superfluous; विक्रयं नी to sell; भस्मतां-भस्मसाह-नी to reduce to ashes &c. &c. ) -8 To ascertain, investigate, inquire into, settle, decide; छलं निरस्य भूमेन व्यवहारान्नयेष्टुपः Y. 2. 19; एवं शास्त्रेषु भिक्षेषु बहुधा नीयते क्रिया Mb. -9 To trace, track, find out; एतैर्लिगेर्नयेत् सीमां Ms. 8. 252, 256; यथा नयस्यस्युक्पातैर्भृगस्य सृग्युः पर्व 8. 44; Y. 2. 151. -10 To marry. -11 To exclude from. -12 (Atm.) To instruct, give instruction in; शास्त्रे नयते Sk. -Caus. (नाययति-ते) To cause to lead, carry &c. (with instr. of agent); तेन मां सरस्तीरमनाययत् K. 38. -Desid. (निनीषति-ते) To wish to carry &c.

नी m. (Used at the end of comp) A leader, guide; as in ग्रामणी, सेनानी, अग्रणी.

नीत p. p. [ नी-कर्मणि क् ] 1 Carried, conducted, led. -2 Gained, obtained. -3 Brought or reduced to. -4 Spent, passed away. -5 Well-behaved, correct; see नी. -त् 1 Wealth. -2 Corn, grain.

नीतिः f. 1 Guidance, direction, management. -2 Conduct, manner of conducting oneself, behaviour, course of action. -3 Propriety, decorum. -4 Policy, prudence, wisdom, right course; आज्ञं हि कुटिलेषु न नीतिः N. 5. 103; R. 12. 69; Ku. 1. 22. -5 A plan, contrivance, scheme; Māl. 6. 3. -6 Politics, political science, statesmanship, political wisdom; आत्मोदयः परमलान्निर्द्वयं नीतिरितीयती Si. 2. 30; Bg. 10. 38. -7 Righteousness, moral conduct, morality. -8 The science of morality, morals, ethics, moral philosophy. -9 Acquirement, acquisition. -10 Giving, offering, presenting. -11 Relation, support. -Comp. -कुशल, -ज्ञ, -निष्ण, विद् a. 1. one versed in politics, a statesman, politician. -2 pru-

dent, wise. -घोषः N. of the car of Byihaspati. -दोषः error of conduct, mistake in policy. -बीजं a germ or source of intrigue; °निर्वापणं कृतं Pt. 1. -विद्या 1. political science, political economy. -2. moral science, ethics. -विषयः the sphere of morality or prudent conduct. -व्यतिक्रमः transgression of the rules of moral or political science. -2. error of conduct, mistake in policy. -शास्त्रं the science of ethics or of politics; morality. -साधिः method of policy; Pt. 2. 41.

नीतिमत् a. 1 Skilled in politics. -2 Wise, prudent, sagacious. -3 Moral.

नीयः Ved. 1 Leading, guiding. -2 A guide, leader.

नीका A channel for irrigation.

नीकारः See निकार.

नीकाश a. See निकाश; Si. 5. 35.

नीक्षणं Ved. A stick for stirring up and testing boiling rice (पाकपरीक्षासाधन).

नीच a. [निकृष्टतर्भा शोभां चिनोति, चि-ड Tv.] 1 Low, short, small, little, dwarfish. -2 Situated below, being in a low position; Bg. 6. 11; Ms. 2. 138; Y. 1. 131. -3 Lowered, deep (as a voice). -4 Low, mean, base, vile, worst; प्रारभ्यते न खलु विघ्नभयं नीचैः Bh. 2. 27; नीचस्य गोचरगतैः सुखमास्यते कैः 59; Bv. 1. 48. -5 Worthless, insignificant. -चा An excellent cow. -चं The lowest point of a planet. -Comp. -उक्तिः f. a low or vulgar expression. -उच्यते an epicycle. -उपगत a. situated low in the sky. -ग a. 1. going downwards, descending (as a river). -2. low, base, vile. (-गा) a river. (-गं) water. -गृहं (in astr.) the part of the heavens in which a planet stands at its lower point. -मोक्ष्यः onion. -योनिम् a. of low origin, low-born; s. नीचजाति. -वज्रः, -ज्ज a kind of gem (वैक्रान्त).

नीचक a. 1 Low, short, dwarfish. -2 Low, soft (as the voice). -3 Base, mean, vile.

नीच (चि) का An excellent cow; (also नीचकी).

नीचकिन् m. 1 The top of anything. -2 The head of an ox. -3 The owner of a good cow.

नीचकैस् ind. See नीचैस् below.

नीचा ind. Ved. Low, downward. नीचीकु 8 U. 1 To lower (as the voice). -2 To utter without an accent नीचीन a. Ved. Being low or below, downwards.

नीचैस् ind. (Often used with the force of an adjective) 1 Low, beneath, below, underneath, down, downwards; (opp. उपरि); नीचैर्गच्छ-त्युपरि च दशा चक्रनेमिक्रमेण Me. 109. -2 Bowing down humbly, modestly. R. 5. 62. -3 Gently, softly; नीचैर्वस्यति Me. 42. -4 In a low tone, with a low or depressed tone; नीचैः शंस हृदि स्थितो ननु स मे प्राणेश्वरः श्रोष्यति Amaru. 67; नीचैरनुदात्तः P. I. 2. 30. -5 Short, small, dwarfish; तथापि नीचैर्विनयाद्दृश्यत R. 3. 34. -m. N. of a mountain; नीचैराख्यं गिरिमधिवसे-स्तत्र विश्रामहेतोः Me. 25. -Comp. -गतिः f. slow pace. -मुख a. with downcast countenance.

नीडः, -डं [नितरामिलंति खगा अत्र नि-इल-क लस्य डः Tv.] 1 A bird's nest; S; 7. 11. -2 A bed, couch. -3 A lair, den. -4 The interior of a carriage. -5 A place in general, abode, resting-place -Comp. -उड्वः, -जः a bird.

नीडकः 1 A bird. -2 A nest.

नीड्रं (द्रं) [नितरां भ्रियते ध्रु मूलवि-क दीर्घः Tv.] 1 The edge of the thatch or roof. -2 A wood. -3 The circumference of a wheel. -4 The moon. -5 The asterism रेवति.

नीप a. Situated low, deep. -पः 1 The foot of a mountain. -2 The Kadamba tree (said to blossom in the rainy season); नीपः प्रदीपायते Me. 5. 14; सीमंते च स्फुटगमजं यत्र नीपं वधुनां Me. 65. -3 A species of Asoka. -4 N. of a family of kings; R. 6. 46. -प The flower of the Kadamba tree; Me. 21; R. 19. 37.

नीरं [Up. 2. 13] 1 Water; नीराग्निर्भलतो जनिः Bv. 1. 63. -2 Juice, liquor. -Comp. -ज a. aquatic. (-जः) 1. an otter. -2. a kind of grass (उशीर). (-जं) 1. a lotus. -2. a pearl. -दः a cloud; धीरध्वनिभिरलं ते नीरद मे मासिको गर्भः Bv. 1. 61; Si. 4. 52. -धरः a cloud; U. 6. 17. -धिः, -निधिः the ocean. -प्रियः a kind of reed. -रुहं a lotus.

नीराज् (निस्-राज्) Caus. 1 To cause to shine, illuminate, make