

māḍa, *gaṇḍa-māḍa*, *kulottuṅga-māḍa* (EI 29), *gandhavāraṇamāḍa* (or *gandhahasti-māḍa*), *cāmara-māḍa*, *uttama-gaṇḍamāḍa*, *padmanidhimalla-māḍa*, *rājarāja-māḍa*, *rājendracoḷa-māḍa*, etc. The *gaṇḍa-māḍa* is sometimes called *kārṣāpaṇa*, *niṣka* and *gaṇḍaniṣka* and is also characterised in a few cases with the epithet 'small'. See *māḍai*, *māḍha*. Note names like *kulottuṅga-māḍa*, a coin issued by the Coḷa king Kulottuṅga. See *JNSI*, Vol. XVI, p. 43.

(*CITD*), Telugu; half a *pagoda*; half of a *dinār* or the tenth of a *paṇa* (cf. *baḍi-māḍuvulu*); half or 50 per cent of revenue, etc.; a weight of gold; money in general. Four *māḍas* are equal to one *carṣam* (*karṣa* ?).

(*IE* 8-5), probably, payment of 50 per cent; see *māḍalu*.

māḍa-baḍi-pātuka (*CITD*), Telugu; an unknown coin with a fraction of the value of a *māḍa*. *Baḍi* means 'petty' and *pātika* 'a quarter'.

Madahastipādarakṣā-pālaka (IA 30), explained as 'the captain of the guards of elephants'.

māḍai (*IE* 8-8; EI 7), Tamil; same as *māḍha*, *māḍhā* and *māḍa*; cf. *rājarājaṅ-māḍai*, *madhurāntakaṅ-māḍai*, *bhujabalamāḍai* (EI 7), etc.; often a gold coin (SII 12). Tamil *māḍai* is the same as *māṣā* derived from Sanskrit *māṣaka*.

(*SITI*), name of a gold coin; a half *pagoda*; cf. *nellūr-māḍai* (*SITI*), a coin current in olden days and issued from Nellore; also known as *nellūr-ppudu-māḍai*; also cf. *gaṇḍagopālaṅ-māḍai*.

māḍalu (*IE* 8-5; EI 33), same as *māḍa*, a levy; probably, 'payment of 50 per cent'; cf. Kannaḍa *paṇṇasa* or *paṇṇāsa*.

maḍamba (EI 24), a territorial division.

Madana-tithi (IA 17), Caitra ba-di 13.

māḍāsyāta (CII 3), usually taken to be a word of uncertain import, but may really be the name of a locality.

maddala (SII 3), a musical instrument.

māḍha, *māḍhā* (*IE* 8-8; EI 28, 29, 30, 33), Oḍiyā; a silver coin; also a gold coin; 40 ratis in weight; same as *māḍa* or *māḍai*.

madhya (CII 1), middle course.

madhya-divasa (ML), mid-day.

madhya-kūrma (*Ep. Ind.*, Vol. XIV p. 98), probably, a plot of land elevated in the middle.

madhyama (CII 1), a class between the upper and the lower.