

Word-Generator - pada-niṣpādikā

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In the case of Sanskrit, there are **three** numbers!

Number(vacanam)		
eka(singular)	dvi(dual)	bahu(plural)
bālakah बालकः	bālakau बालकौ	bālakāḥ बालकाः

Table: Sanskrit word forms corresponding to different numbers

case in English

English has prepositions.
For instance,

Preposition	Prepositional phrase
to	to the room
for	for her
on	on the table

Table: Examples of prepositional phrases in English

vibhakti in Hindi

Hindi has *parasargas*.

For instance,

<i>parasarga</i>	usage
ko को	rāma ko राम को
ke liye के लिये	rāma ke liye राम के लिये
para पर	meja para मेज़ पर

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There are **seven** such suffixes in **three** numbers!

Declension table for deva देव

	vacanam		
vibhaktiḥ	eka	dvi	bahu
prathamā प्रथमा	devaḥ देवः	devau देवौ	devāḥ देवाः
dvitīyā द्वितीया	devam देवम्	devau देवौ	devān देवान्
tr̥tīyā तृतीया	devena देवेन	devābhyām देवाभ्याम्	devaiḥ देवैः
caturthī चतुर्थी	devāya देवाय	devābhyām देवाभ्याम्	devebhyaḥ देवेभ्यः
pañcamī पञ्चमी	devāt देवात्	devābhyām देवाभ्याम्	devebhyaḥ देवेभ्यः
ṣaṣṭī षष्ठी	devasya देवस्य	devayoḥ देवयोः	devānām देवानाम्
saptamī सप्तमी	deve देवे	devayoḥ देवयोः	deveṣu देवेषु

We may have to remember all the 21 forms of any word if we have to speak, read or understand Sanskrit!

The Morph Generator (padaniṣpādikā) will help you in this **case**.

Let's experiment!

Links

<https://sanskrit.uohyd.ac.in/scl/>
<https://sanskrit.uohyd.ac.in:8081/scl/>
<https://scl.samsaadhanii.in/scl/>
<https://sanskrit.inria.fr/scl/>

Manual: <https://sanskrit.uohyd.ac.in/manual/>

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You may explore the Morph-Generator tool with the following prātipadikas (nominal

stem) -

हरि (पुल्लिङ्ग),

शम्भु (पुल्लिङ्ग),

पितृ (पुल्लिङ्ग)

रमा (स्त्रीलिङ्ग),

मति (स्त्रीलिङ्ग),

नदी (स्त्रीलिङ्ग),

धेनु (स्त्रीलिङ्ग),

पुष्प (नपुंसकलिङ्ग),

वन (नपुंसकलिङ्ग),

ज्ञान (नपुंसकलिङ्ग)

वारि (नपुंसकलिङ्ग)

Thank you!
Questions and comments are welcome.