कणान्न a. feeding on grains, abstr. **°ता** f.
कणिक m. = **कण**.
कणूकय्, pp. **°यंन्ती** being in distress.
कंण्टक m. thorn, prickle, point, sting, fish-bone; erection of the hair of the body; annoyance, vexation, pain; foe, enemy.
कण्टकित a. thorny, covered with erect hairs.
कण्टकिद्रुम & **°वृक्ष** m. thorn-tree.
कण्टकिन् a. thorny; m. thorn-plant.
कण्ठ m. (adj. —° f. **आ** & **ई**) throat, neck (lit. & fig.); sound, voice; —° often = having a thing at or in the throat.
कण्ठग a. reaching up to the throat.
कण्ठगत a. the same, being at or in the throat, cf. **कण्ठवर्तिन्**.
कण्ठग्रह m., **°ण** n. an embrace.
कण्ठभूषण n., ***°भूषा** f. ornament for the neck.
कण्ठवर्तिन् a. being in the throat i.e. ready to escape (life).
कण्ठसञ्जन n. hanging down from the neck.
कण्ठाश्लेष m. = **कण्ठग्रह**.
कंण्ठ्य a. being at or in the throat; produced by the throat, guttural.
कण्डन n. thrashing, husking; husk, chaff; f. **ई** mortar.
कण्डु, mostly **कण्डू** f. itching, scratching.
कण्डुर & **कण्डुल** a. itching.
कण्डूति f. = **कण्डु**.
कण्डूय्, **°यंति**, **°यंते** scratch; M. itch (lit. & fig.).
कण्डूयन n. scratching, itching.
कंण्व m. N. of an old Rishi, pl. his descendants.
कतक m. the Kataka tree; n. the nut of it (used for clearing water).
कतमं a. (pron. interr.) who or which (of many)?
कतर्ं (pron. interr.) who or which (of two)?
कतर्तस् (adv. interr.) on which of the two sides?
1**कंति** (pron. interr.) how many? w. **चिद्** & **अपि** some, several.
2**कति** m. N. of an ancient sage.
कतिथं w. **चिद्** (pron. indef.) the so and so maniest.
कतिधा (adv. interr.) in how many places or parts? how often? w. **चिद्** everywhere.
कतिपय, f. **ई** (**आ**) some, several. *Instr. & abl. n. adv. with some exertion, hardly.
कतिपयकुसुम a. having few flowers or blossoms.
कतिपयरात्रम् (acc. adv.) some days (lit. nights).
कतिपयाहस् (gen. adv.) after some days.
कतिविध a. how manifold?
कत्ता f. a die.*
कत्थ्, **कत्थते** (**°ति**) boast, praise, flatter; abuse, blame. — **वि** boast or brag of (instr.), praise, extol; degrade, humble (also C.).
कत्थन a. & n. boasting.
कथंरूप a. of what shape?
कथंवीर्य a. of what power?
कथक a. relating; m. relater, reciter.
कथंजातीयक a. of what kind?
कथन a. telling, tale, story.
कथनीय a. to be told or named.
कथंम् adv. how? in what way? whence? interr. & excl.; often followed by **नु** (= **कथम्** alone or = how much more, w. neg. how much less); also by **इव**, **नाम**, **खिद्**. With **चन**, **चिद्**, & (later) **अपि** indef. somehow, in any way, scarcely, hardly, a little (**कथम्** sometimes doubled); w. a negation (**कथं चन** also alone) in no way, by no means, not at all. **यथा कथं चिद्** howsoever, anyhow.
कथंभूत a. how being? of what quality?
कथय्, **°यति** (**°यते**), pp. **कथित** (q.v.) talk, converse with (instr. ± **सह**); relate, report, denounce, declare, explain, state. P. be called, pass for (nom.). — **परि** name. **प्र** announce, report. **वि** talk idly, chatter. **सम्** = S.
कथयितव्य a. to be told or mentioned.
1**कथा** adv. how? in what way? whence? In a. l. more frequent than **कथम्** q.v. — **यंथा कथा च** howsoever.
2**कथा** f. talk, conversation about (loc. or —°); tale, story of (gen. or —°); communication, mention, statement; discussion, dialogue. — **का कथा** what mention of i.e. to say nothing of (gen., loc., or **प्रति** w. acc.). **कैषा कथा** to say nothing of it. **कथां कृ** talk or think of (gen.).*
कथानक n. a short tale or story.