Compare √ **ṛdh.** The asserted √ 2 **vṛdh** 'cut' (used only of the navel-string) rests on a too narrow foundation to be admitted; it is probably a specialized application of this root.

√ vṛṣ, 'rain'.

Pres. [1.] **várṣati** *etc.* V.+, **-te** *etc.* E.+ — [6.] **vṛṣate** *etc.* RV.S., **vṛṣant-** RV.

Perf. **vavarṣa vavṛṣus** *etc.* E.+ (**vavarṣus** E., **vavarṣvā́ṅs** MS.), **vavṛṣe** *etc.* E. (**vāvṛṣāṇá -ṣasva** RV.)

Aor. 2. **avṛṣāt**? TS. — 3. **avīvṛṣat** *etc.* E. [**avavarṣat.**] — 5. **ávarṣīt** *etc.* V.B.

Fut. 1. **varṣiṣyati** *etc.* B.U., **-te** E. — 2. **vraṣṭā́** MS.

Verb. **vṛṣṭá** V.+; **varṣitum** C., **-varṣṭos** B.; [**varṣitvā,**] **vṛṣṭvā** B., **-ṭvī** RV.; **-vṛṣya** C.

Sec. Conj.: [*Int.* **varīvṛṣ-.** —] *Desid.* **vivarṣiṣa-** (*in d.*). — *Caus.* **varṣáyati** *etc.* V.+

Deriv.: **-vṛṣ** V.+ **vṛṣa-** V.B.S. **varṣá** V.+ **varṣin** S.+ **varṣya** V.B.S. **varṣaṇa** S.+ **várṣuka** B. **vṛṣṭí** V.+ **várṣṭṛ** B. **varṣitṛ** C. **vivarṣiṣu** E. **vṛ́ṣan** V.+ **vṛṣṇi** V.+ **vṛṣabhá** V.+

The connection of **vṛ́ṣan** etc. with this root is questionable; and yet more that of **varṣman** V.+, **varṣimán** VS., **várṣīyas** V.+, **várṣiṣṭha** V.+, all of which may come from an aoristically extended form of √ 1 **vṛ** (like **párṣiṣṭha** etc. from √ 2 **pṛ**).

√ vṛh, bṛh, 'tear'.

Pres. [6.] **vṛháti bṛháti** *etc.* V.B.U.S.

Perf. **vavárha babarha vavṛhus** V.+

Aor. 1. **varhi** RV. — [3. **avīvṛhat, avavarhat.** —] 5. **barhīs -īt** RV. — 7. **avṛkṣat** *etc.* B.

[*Fut.* **varkṣyati, varhiṣyati; varḍhā, varhitā.**]

Verb. **vṛḍhá bṛḍha** B.S.; [**vṛḍhvā, varhitvā;**] **-vṛ́hya** B.U.S.; **-vṛhas** K.; **-várham -barham** B.

Sec. Conj.: *Pass.* **vṛhyate** *etc.* B. — [*Int.* **varīvṛh-.** — *Desid.* **vivṛkṣa-, vivarhiṣa-.** —] *Caus.* **barháyati** *etc.* RV. (**varhita** C.)

Deriv.: **-vṛha** S.+ **barhin, va-** E. **bárhaṇa, vá-** AV.+ **barhís**? V.+ **barha, va-** AV.+

Compare √ **bṛh.** The confusion of **b** and **v** goes back to the oldest time.

√ ven, 'long'.

Pres. [1.] **vénati** *etc.* V.B.

[*Perf. etc.* **vivena -ne; avivenat, avenīt -niṣṭa; veniṣyati -te, venitā; veven-, viveniṣa-, venaya-.**]

Deriv.: **venā́** V.B. **venyá** RV.