

- kī-**. Intensifying prefix. Numerous examples follow, including *kīhelu*, *kīkaha*, *kīkākala*, *kīlaha*, *kīmanamana*, *kī'o'e*, *kī'ohu'ohu*, *kī'ōnaha*. (Gram. 6.3.3.)
- kī-**. Intensifying suffix. See *auwalakt*, *hilikt*, *kūpakakt*, *makakt*, *mōkakt*, *pūkalakt*, *walawalakt*.
- kia**. 1. n. Pillar, prop, post, pole; mast of a ship, spar; nail, spike; rod used in snaring birds with gum; one who so snares birds; fish trap. Cf. *kia'aina*, *kia hō'ailona*, *kia manu*. (PPN *tia*.) 2. nvt. To concentrate or direct, especially in sorcery; evil force of black magic; a sorcerer might concentrate his prayers (*kia i ka pule*) to the destruction of an individual or object; to aim, as a gun. Cf. *kākia*, *mākia*. 3. vt. To steer. *Eng.* 4. Also *dia*. n. Deer, hart. *Eng.* 5. Also *sia*. nvs. Dear. *Eng.*
- kia-**. A prefix to types of canoes. See *kialoa*, *kiapā*, *kiapoho*, *kiapoko*.
- kia**. Pas/imp. similar to 'ia. See *holokia*, Gram. 6.6.3. (PPN *-tia*.)
- kī'ā**. Same as *pū'ā*, to feed from mouth to mouth. *Rare*.
- kia'aina**. n. Governor; governorship. *Lit.*, prop [of the] land. *Ko'u hāpai 'ia 'ana i kia'aina*, my elevation to the governorship.
- kī 'ā'ala**. n. Sweet basil (*Ocimum basilicum*), an aromatic herb of the mint family, with small white to reddish flowers, the leaves used to flavor food. (Neal 735.) Also *kīpaoa*. *Lit.*, fragrant *kī*.
- kia ao**. n. Cloud pillar. (Nah. 12.5.)
- kī'aha**. n. 1. Cup, pitcher, basin, tumbler, mug. See ex., *kāmau* 2. *Lepo kī'aha* (Isa. 45.9), clay vessel. 2. (*Cap.*) The Big Dipper (modern).
- kī'aha'aha**. vt. To pour liquid out of a cup or container (*ninini* is now in common use).
- kī'aha ani.ani**. n. Glass (for drinking). *Lit.*, glass cup.
- kī'aha inu waina**. n. Wineglass.
- kī'aha kī**. n. Teacup.
- kiaha.manu**. A fresh-water fish similar to *nāwao*. (And.)
- kī'aha 'o'oma**. n. Pitcher (*pika* is now in common use), vase. *Lit.*, concave tumbler.
- kī'aha pua.niki**. n. Goblet. *Lit.*, holding cup.
- kī'aho**. n. Cord or rope, as for hoisting a flag. *Rare*.
- kia hō'ai.lona**. n. Signpost, tall stop sign, any pillar or large object with a sign, or serving as a marker; image on the wall surrounding a temple. *Lit.*, sign pillar.
- kia ho'o.mana'o**. n. Monument, gravestone, memorial tablet, memorial, commemorative pillar.
- kia'i**. nvt. Guard, watchman, caretaker; to watch, guard, picket; to overlook, as a bluff. *Kia'i 'ai* (For. 5:479), food guardian. *Kia'i kupapa'u*, funeral wake or gathering. *ho'o.kia'i*. To post a watch. (PPN *ti'aki*.)
- kī'ai**. Var. of *ki'ei*.
- kia'i kai**. n. Coast guard. *Lit.*, sea guard.
- kia'i kino**. n. Bodyguard. (Laie 499.)
- Kī'ai.lana, Siailana**. n. Sea Island, *Gossypium barbadense*, a variety of cotton grown in Hawai'i. (Neal 565.) *Eng.*
- kia'i loko**. n. Guard of a fish pond.
- kia'i-ma-ka-lae**. n. 1. Beach plant like *kākalaioa*, but thornless. *Lit.*, guardian at the cape. 2. Same as *mākoko*, a variety of taro.
- kia'i ola**. n. Lifeguard.
- kia'i pō**. n. Night watchman, night watch.
- kia'i.po'o**. n. Bodyguard, security guard. *Lit.*, head guard.
- kia'i puka**. n. Guard at a gate or door, doorman, porter, gatekeeper.
- kia ka'a**. n. Chauffeur, driver. *Lit.*, car steerer.
- kia.kahi**. nvs. Person of fixed purpose; with one accord or purpose; in unison, constant; alone, unique, supreme, only one. *'Akahi lani a 'oukou e 'ike ai, he lani kiakahi ka lani o nā moku* (chant for Haku o Hawai'i), you know but one chief, a single supreme chief is the chief of the islands.
- kia kahi**. n. Sloop; one-masted vessel.
- kia keiki**. n. Fawn.
- kia.kia manu**. Redup. of *kia manu*.
- kī'aki'ena**. n. Small cave, fissure, as used for burial. *Ni'ihau*.
- kia kolu**. n. Three-masted vessel.
- kia.kona, diakona**. n. Deacon.
- kia.kono, diakono**. Var. of *kiakona*. (Roma 16.1.) (Gr. *diakonos*.)
- kia.kula, tiasura**. Same as *keakula*. (Isa. 60.13.)
- kī ala.kā'i**. n. Tonic, keynote (music). *Lit.*, leading key (*Eng.*).
- Kia-lehua**. n. Ni'ihau wind.
- kī'alo**. vt. To dig out, as the eyes, to scoop out; to reach out with a scooping movement. Cf. *pō'alo*.
- kia.loa**. n. 1. Long, light, and swift canoe. *Fig.*, a tall, well-proportioned woman. 2. Same as *kākā*, a kind of net fishing. 3. Fishing grounds: also *pōhākialoa*. (Kam. 76:90.)
- kia lua**. n. Brig, two-masted vessel, two-masted schooner.
- kia lua pe'a heke**. n. Brig. *Lit.*, topsail two masts.
- kia luna**. n. Topmast.
- kia manu**. nv. Birdcatcher, birdcatching by gumming; to catch birds by gumming. *Ea mai ke ali'i kia manu, ua wehi i ka hulu o ka mamo* (hula chant for Ka-lā-kaua), the birdcatching chief arises, adorned with the feathers of the *mamo*.
- kī'amo**. n. Plug, stopper; sanitary napkin or napkin of any sort; any nozzle inserted in the rectum (*'amo*).
- kiana.pauka, giana pauda**. n. Dynamite. *Lit.*, giant powder. *Eng.*
- kiani**. vt. To flick, flip, wave gently, as the hand overhead in a hula gesture; to wheel and dip, as a soaring bird; frisky. Cf. *ani*, to wave. *'Ai kiani*, to nab at food.
- kia nui**. n. Mainmast.
- kia.pā**. n. Swift-sailing canoe; any vessel equipped with cross spars, bark.
- Kia-pa'a.kai**. n. North Star. *Lit.*, pillar of salt, so called because, like Lot's wife, it was immovable.
- kia.pali**. n. Term used in 1848 land claims, perhaps a steep hill.
- kia.poho**. n. A canoe with a deep, curving hull.
- kia.poko**. n. A short canoe with a rounded hull, as used for fishing near the shore.
- kia.polō, diabolō**. nvs. Devil; devilish. (Gr. *diabolos*.)
- kī'apu**. nvt. Ti leaf folded into a cup and used for dipping water; the two hands rounded to form a cup for drinking water; to cup the hand; to catch with cupped hands, as tiny fish; ladle. Cf. *'apu*, cup. *Ua 'ike aku au i ka wai, me ka i'a kī'apu i ka lima* (chant for Ka-pi'o-lani), I saw the water, and the fish caught in cupped hands.
- kī'apu'apu**. n. A name for the curved portion of a canoe rim. (For. 5:612-3.)
- kī.au**. nvi. To gallop; to walk lightly and swiftly; fast movement. *Ma'ō nō ka lio i kīau a'e nei*, the horse just went trotting yonder.
- kī.au.au**. 1. Redup. of *kīau*. 2. Interj. encouraging workers, as in drawing an unfinished canoe hull from the forest to the shed at the seashore where it was to be completed. *Pau kēia kīauau 'ana a ke keiki* (Nak. 62), after the boy's chant urging fast action. *Kīauau, kīauau, kīauau! holo auau, holo auau, holo auau!* (canoe-hauling chant), fast, fast, fast! run quick, run quick, run quick! 3. vt. To smooth out wrinkles from tapa or clothes with light, deft touches.
- kiawe**. 1. n. Algaroba tree (*Prosopis pallida*), a legume from Peru, first planted in 1828 in Hawai'i, where, in dry areas, it has become one of the commonest and most useful trees (Neal 413-4.) 2. nvi. A streak; to stream gracefully, as rain in the wind; to sway, as branches. *Ka ua kiawe i luna o ka lā'au*, the rain streaming down on the tree. *ho'o.kiawe*. Caus/sim.
- kī.awe.awe**. Redup. of *kiawe* 2.
- kiawe 'ula**. n. Faint streak of red, as in the rainbow or in the clouds.