

lō-. Prefix, perhaps short for *lo'o-*, to obtain; cf. *lōhai*, *lōkahi*, *lōkea*, *lōmilo*, *lo'ohia*, *lo'okahi*, *lōpi'o*, *lōuhu*.

loa. 1. nvs. Distance, length, height; distant, long, tall, far, permanent. Cf. *loloa*, Gram. 8.7.5. *Mauna Loa* (name), long mountain. *Mea 'ole ia loa*, this distance was nothing. *E loa ke ola*, may life be long. *Noho loa*, to stay permanently (cf. *noho lō'ihī*, to stay a long time). *He aha ka loa o kēia pākaukau?* What's the length of this table? *Pau kukui pua i ka loa i lalo*, candlenut flowers blooming far down below. **ho'o.loa**. To stretch, extend, prolong, lengthen. (PPN *loa*.) 2. part. Very, very much, too, excessive, most. See *'a'ole*, Gram. 8.7.5. *Maika'i loa*, very good. *Wela loa*, too hot. *Ma ke kūkala ākea i nā mea koho ki'eki'e loa*, at public auction to the highest bidders. (PCP *loa*.) 3. conj. As soon as. *I loa no iāia e hala aku*, 'ō'ili ana ka makua kāne, no sooner had he gone, than the father appeared. 4. n. Head tax officer; government tax as contrasting with king's taxes. 5. n. A district (And.) or large section of it, contrasting with *poko*.

loa'a. nvs. To find, get, obtain, discover, acquire, have, take, earn, gain, incur, locate, procure, reach, receive, catch, win, succeed; gain, earnings, profit, spoils, harvest, revenue, income, winnings, receipts, wealth, product, property, success, solution, answer; to have or beget a child; to be born; to find none to compare with; unequalled, incomparable, successful (often pronounced *lo'a*: Gram. 2.7). This extremely common word is a model for *loa'a*-stative verbs: Gram. 4.4. See *ha'iloa'a*, *huina loa'a*. *Loa'a ka hale i ke ali'i*, the chief has a house. *Kanaka loa'a 'ole*, a person who gains little, has little. *He mea loa'a wale nō kēlā iā mākou*, that's something we can easily get. *He mau maka loa'a 'ole*, eyes not easily obtained [said affectionately of a high chief not easily approached]. *Ua 'ai au i kāna loa'a*, I've eaten his earnings [said in pride by a parent who is cared for by a son or daughter]. *He mea pili o ka loa'a* (Kep. 109), one to whom gain clings. *'O ka'u loa'a nō kēia*, this is what I've gained. *Ka mea e loa'a ana (ka mea e lo'ana)*, anything at all, whatever is to be had. *Ka manawa e loa'a ana*, any convenient time. *'O 'oe ka mea e loa'a ai a'u wāhine*, no ka mea ua pau loa ku'u waiwai iā lāua, 'a'ohē na'e he loa'a iki (FS 229), you're the one who can win my wives, because my wealth is entirely spent on the two without any success at all. *Loa'a au i ke anu*, I caught a cold; *lit.*, the cold catches me. *Loa'a Kāne-ālai*, *ke kupuna o lākou* (chant), their ancestor, Kāne-ālai, was born. *Ka'u kāne i loa'a ai 'oe*, my husband by whom you were begot. *E nānā wāhine a'e nō wau*, 'a'ole 'oe e loa'a, I look at all other women, there's not another your equal. *'A'ole e loa'a mai keiki o ke kaona* (song), none as fine as boys of the town. *Ma ka hīmeni*, 'a'ohē 'oe e loa'a, in singing you have no equal. **ho'o.loa'a**. To obtain, find, get; product, answer, etc. (PEP *loaka*.)

lo'a.ā. nvs. Rough jagged stone, either coral or lava; hence, hard, severe, as a taboo. *He kānāwai kū i ka lo'a'ā*, a cruel law.

loa'a.hia. Pas/imp. of *loa'a*.

loa'a . . . kāu. idiom. You'll get what's coming to you (rude). *E Pi'ikoi*, *he loa'a iho kō kāu i ka huahua* (Nak. 24), say, Conceited, [they] will get you by the testicles.

loala. To praise, extol, as a chief (poetic). (And.)

loa.loa. Redup. of *loa* 1; elongated garden plot, as for sweet potatoes (so used in 1848 land claims).

lo'a.lo'a. Same as *'alo'alo'a*, pitted, rough.

lo'e. n. Curve of a fishhook.

loea. nvs. Skill, ingenuity, cleverness; expert, clever, ingenious, adept, deft, technical, skillful, dexterous, handy, skilled; skilled person. *'Ike loea*, technical knowledge, knowledge of skills.

loea kā.lai.āina. nvi. Politician, politically expert.

loea kā.lai au.puni. n. Statesman.

lo'e.lo'e. Same as *mālo'elo'e*, aching.

lo'ewa. Same as *pa'ewa*.

loha. 1. vs. Drooping, wilting; hanging low, as a branch;

beaten down, as by rain. *Fig.*, sullen, spiritless, depressed, unsociable, subordinate, inferior. 2. nvt. Trimmings of corners and ridge of a thatched house; to put on these trimmings (FS 25). 3. Short for *aloha*. 4. n. A variety of banana. 5. A var. name for the *kilu* game (And.)

lō.hai. nvt. Lever or stick used in prying up or raising heavy articles; to lift thus.

loha.loha. 1. Redup. of *loha* 1, 3. 2. Var. of *lohelohe* 2. 3. n. Cocoon.

lohe. vt. To hear, mind, obey, listen; to feel, as the tug of a fishing line; obedient. See idiom, *a'o* 1. *Lohe pono*, to listen carefully, attentive, to hear correctly. *Lohe mai i ke a'o*, heed the teachings. *Lohe mai ke a'o*, how terrible [in idioms]. *Lohe wale*, to hear vaguely, as rumors. *Pau ka 'ike*, *pau ka lohe*, in a coma, unconscious. **ho'o.lohe**. Caus/sim.; obedient; to mind, heed; attention (a military command). See *mea ho'olohe*. *Ho'olohe 'ole*, inattentive, not heeding, unreceptive, unresponsive; to disobey. *He kanaka ho'olohe i kauoha*, a person obedient to commands.

lohea. Pas/imp. of *lohe*; audible.

lohe.lau. 1. n. Wall and gable plates in house. 2. vs. Exhausted, worn-out, dilapidated.

lohe lau ā.heā. See *āheā*.

lohe.lohe. 1. Redup. of *lohe*; to listen carefully, eavesdrop. *He 'ilio lohelohe* (PH 75), a dog [sacrificed to obtain] obedience. **ho'o.lohe.lohe**. Caus/sim. *Ho'olohelehe 'olelo*, to eavesdrop. 2. n. Larvae of the dragonfly; this was used in hula ceremonies because *lohe* means to hear and obey. See *pua'alohelohe*. Also *po'olānuī*, *lohaloha*. 3. Rare var. of *lohaloha* 1. *Lohelohe i honua*, poetic name for banana plant because its fruit droops (*loha*), to the ground (*i honua*). *Lohelohe pele-unu Mahiki i ka ua*, Mahiki is beaten down and made musty by the rain. 4. n. Cocoon.

lohena. n. Hearing, obedience. Cf. *lohe*. *He lohena ka'u i ka 'olā'olā* (chant), I heard a gurgling.

lohe 'ō.lolo. n. Hearsay, gossip.

lohe pepeiao. nv. Hearsay; to hear of. *He lohe pepeiao mai ko'u*, 'a'ohē he 'ike maka, I've just heard [about it], but have not seen for myself.

lohi. vs. 1. Slow, tardy, late, retarded, backward, deliberate, gradual; to delay. *'Ōlelo lohi*, speak slowly. *E hele, lohi!* Half step, march! **ho'o.lohi**. To delay, make slow, detain; to go slowly, procrastinate, dillydally lag. (PCP *lo(f,s)j*.) 2. Short for *'alohi*, sparkle, shine. *I ka papa lohi a 'o Maukele*, in the bright flats of Maukele. *Ka wai lohi o Maleka* (song), the sparkling water of America [alcoholic drink].

lohia. 1. Pas/imp. of *lohi* 1, 2. *Wai lohia*, sparkling water, intoxicating drink. 2. Short for *lo'ohia*. (Mat. 4.24.)

lohi'au. vs. Slow, retarded, backward, languid. *Lohi'au Puna i ke akua wahine*, Puna is handicapped, retarded, set back, by the goddess. Cf. *Lohi'au*, the unsuccessful suitor of Pele and Hi'iaka.

lohi.lohi. Redup. of *lohi* 1, 2. **ho'o.lohi.lohi**. Redup. of *ho'olohi*. (Kel. 37.) (PEP *lo(f,s)ilo(f,s)i*.)

lohina. n. Delay.

loi. vt. To look over critically; to look at as though searching for flaws, scrutinize. (Probably PPN *loi*.)

lo'i. n. Irrigated terrace, especially for taro, but also for rice; paddy.

loia. 1. Rare var. of *loea*, skill. 2. Var. of *loio*, lawyer.

lo'i'ai. n. Taro patch.

loia.like, roialiti. nvs. Royalist. Eng.

loie. Rare var. of *loina* 1.

lō.iele. 1. nvs. Sluggish, slow; slowness; to loiter, dillydally. Cf. *-iele*. *He aha ke kumu o kou lōiele?* Why are you so slow? 2. n. Fool.

lō'ihī. 1. nvs. Length, height, distance; long. Also *lōkihi*. *Lō'ihī ke ala*, the road is long. *Lō'ihī a'e nei ka manawa*, long since. **ho'o.lō'ihī**. To lengthen, extend, prolong. 2. (Cap.). Young undersea volcano 30 kilometers southeast of Hawai'i Island.