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Morphology – Part 3: Conjugation



Outline

- Forms of the verb
- *byrati*: personal forms
- *byrati*: nominal and invariable forms
- *byrati*: periphrastic forms
- Present stems
- Present
- Imperative
- Aorist
- Imperfect
- (Aspect: lectures on stem formation and syntax)

Forms of the verb

- Personal forms
 - present, imperative, aorist, imperfect
 - (future: only *bq̇d-e-* ‘become, will be’)
- Nominal forms
 - present active participle, present passive participle, past active participle, past passive participle, perfect active participle, verbal noun
- Invariable forms
 - infinitive, supine, present gerundive
- Periphrastic forms (auxiliary plus perfect active participle or infinitive)
 - perfect, pluperfect, conditional, future perfect; present prospective (“future”), past prospective (“future in the past”)

inf. *bъr-a-ti* (prs. *ber-*) ‘to collect’: personal forms

	present	imperative	aorist	
1sg	<i>ber-ǫ</i>	–	<i>bъr-a-x-ъ</i>	<i>bъr-aa-x-ъ</i>
2sg	<i>ber-e-ši</i>	<i>ber-i-∅</i>	<i>bъr-a-∅</i>	<i>bъr-aa-š-e</i>
3sg	<i>ber-e-tъ</i>	<i>ber-i-∅</i>	<i>bъr-a-∅</i>	<i>bъr-aa-š-e</i>
1du	<i>ber-e-vě</i>	<i>ber-ě-vě</i>	<i>bъr-a-x-o-vě</i>	<i>bъr-aa-x-o-vě</i>
2du	<i>ber-e-ta</i>	<i>ber-ě-ta</i>	<i>bъr-a-s-ta</i>	<i>bъr-aa-š-e-ta / -s-ta</i>
3du	<i>ber-e-te, -ta</i>	–	<i>bъr-a-s-te</i>	<i>bъr-aa-š-e-te / -s-te</i>
1pl	<i>ber-e-mъ</i>	<i>ber-ě-mъ</i>	<i>bъr-a-x-omъ</i>	<i>bъr-aa-x-o-mъ</i>
2pl	<i>ber-e-te</i>	<i>ber-ě-te</i>	<i>bъr-a-s-te</i>	<i>bъr-aa-š-e-te / -s-te</i>
3pl	<i>ber-ǫ-tъ</i>	–	<i>bъr-a-š-e</i>	<i>bъr-aa-x-ǫ</i>



present stem



infinitive stem



mostly inf. stem

bьr-a-ti / ber-: nominal and invariable forms

inf. *bьr-a-ti*

sup. *bьr-a-tъ*

ptc.prs.act. *ber-y, f. ber-ǫšt-i*

gdv.prs. *ber-ǫšt-e*

ptc.pst.act. *bьr-a-v-ъ, f. bьr-a-v-ъš-i*

ptc.pf.act. *bьr-a-l-ъ, f. bьr-a-l-a*

ptc.prs.pass. *ber-o-mъ, f. ber-o-m-a*

ptc.pst.pass. *bьr-a-n-ъ, f. bьr-a-n-a*

verbal noun *bьr-a-nij-e*

present stem

infinitive stem

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br-a-ti / ber-: periphrastic forms

perfect

bralъ, -a, -o jesъ

bralъ, -a, -o jesi

etc.

pluperfect

bralъ, -a, -o běxъ

bralъ, -a, -o bě

etc.

future perfect

bralъ, -a, -o bqdq

bralъ, -a, -o bqdeši

etc.

conditional

bralъ, -a, -o bimъ / byxъ

bralъ, -a, -o bi / by

etc.

present prospective (“future”)

xoštq/imatъ brati

past prospective (“future in the past”)

xotěaxъ brati

Verb classes: overview

Five classes

1. *e*-present

1sg *berǫ*, 3sg *beretъ* (inf. *bьrati*) 'collect'

2. *ne*-present

1sg *dvignǫ*, 3sg *dvignetъ* (inf. *dvignǫti*) 'move'

3. *je*-present

1sg *znajǫ*, 3sg *znajetъ* (inf. *znati*) 'know'

1sg *sъlǫ* (inf. *sъlati*), 3sg *sъletъ* 'send'

4. *i*-present

1sg *molǫ*, 3sg. *molitъ* (inf. *moliti*) 'pray'

5. athematic present

1sg *damъ*, 3sg *dastъ* (inf. *dati*) 'give'

only four verbs:

1sg *jesmъ* (inf. *byti*) 'am'

1sg *damъ* (inf. *dasti*) 'give'

1sg *jamъ* (inf. *jasti*) 'eat'

1sg *věmъ/vědě* (inf. *věděti*) 'know'

Present

	<i>e-prs.</i>	<i>ne-prs.</i>	<i>je-prs.</i>	<i>i-prs.</i>	<i>athem. prs.</i>
1sg	<i>ber-ǫ</i>	<i>dvig-n-ǫ</i>	<i>zna-j-ǫ</i>	<i>mol'ǫ</i>	<i>da-mъ</i>
2sg	<i>ber-e-ši</i>	<i>dvig-n-e-ši</i>	<i>zna-j-e-ši</i>	<i>mol-i-ši</i>	<i>da-si</i>
3sg	<i>ber-e-tъ</i>	<i>dvig-n-e-tъ</i>	<i>zna-j-e-tъ</i>	<i>mol-i-tъ</i>	<i>das-tъ</i>
1du	<i>ber-e-vě</i>	<i>dvig-n-e-vě</i>	<i>zna-j-e-vě</i>	<i>mol-i-vě</i>	<i>da-vě</i>
2du	<i>ber-e-ta</i>	<i>dvig-n-e-ta</i>	<i>zna-j-e-ta</i>	<i>mol-i-ta</i>	<i>das-ta</i>
3du	<i>ber-e-te, -ta</i>	<i>dvig-n-e-te, -ta</i>	<i>zna-j-e-te, -ta</i>	<i>mol-i-te, -ta</i>	<i>das-te, das-ta</i>
1pl	<i>ber-e-mъ</i>	<i>dvig-n-e-mъ</i>	<i>zna-j-e-mъ</i>	<i>mol-i-mъ</i>	<i>da-mъ</i>
2pl	<i>ber-e-te</i>	<i>dvig-n-e-te</i>	<i>zna-j-e-te</i>	<i>mol-i-te</i>	<i>das-te</i>
3pl	<i>ber-ǫ-tъ</i>	<i>dvig-n-ǫ-tъ</i>	<i>zna-j-ǫ-tъ</i>	<i>mol-ę-tъ</i>	<i>dad-ę-tъ</i>

Imperative

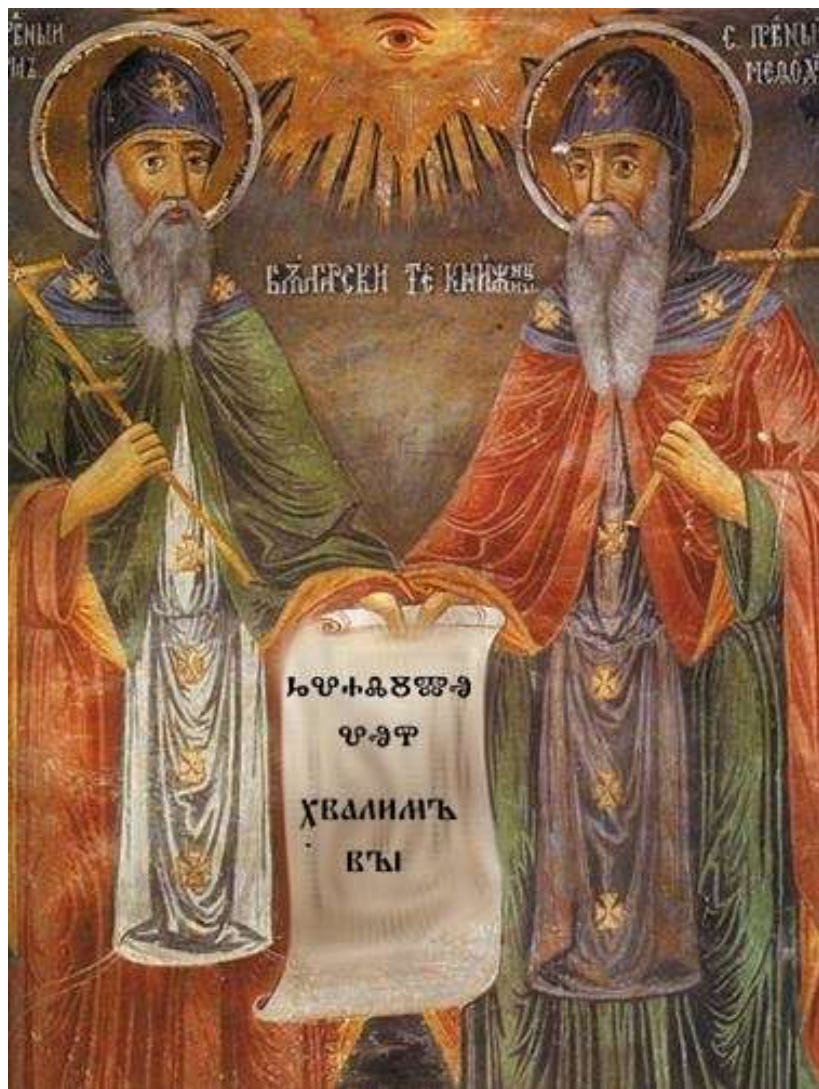
	<i>e-prs.</i>	<i>ne-prs.</i>	<i>je-prs.</i>	<i>i-prs.</i>	<i>athem. prs.</i>
1sg	–	–	–	–	–
2sg	<i>ber-i-∅</i>	<i>dvig-n-i-∅</i>	<i>zna-i-∅</i>	<i>mol-i-∅</i>	<i>dažd-ь</i>
3sg	<i>ber-i-∅</i>	<i>dvig-n-i-∅</i>	<i>zna-i-∅</i>	<i>mol-i-∅</i>	<i>dažd-ь</i>
1du	<i>ber-ě-vě</i>	<i>dvig-n-ě-vě</i>	<i>zna-i-vě</i>	<i>mol-i-vě</i>	<i>dad-i-vě</i>
2du	<i>ber-ě-ta</i>	<i>dvig-n-ě-ta</i>	<i>zna-i-ta</i>	<i>mol-i-ta</i>	<i>dad-i-ta</i>
3du	–	–	–	–	–
1pl	<i>ber-ě-mъ</i>	<i>dvig-n-ě-mъ</i>	<i>zna-i-mъ</i>	<i>mol-i-mъ</i>	<i>dad-i-mъ</i>
2pl	<i>ber-ě-te</i>	<i>dvig-n-ě-te</i>	<i>zna-i-te</i>	<i>mol-i-te</i>	<i>dad-i-te</i>
3pl	–	–	–	–	–

Aorist

1sg	<i>id-ъ</i>	<i>věs-ъ</i>	<i>ved-ox-ъ</i>	<i>ję-s-ъ</i>	<i>mol-i-x-ъ</i>	inf. <i>mol-i-ti</i> 'pray': aor. <i>mol-i-x-</i> inf. <i>glagol-a-ti</i> 'talk': aor. <i>glagol-a-x-</i> inf. <i>vid-ě-ti</i> 'see': aor. <i>vid-ě-x-</i> inf. <i>kry-ti</i> 'hide': aor. <i>kry-x-</i> etc.
2sg	<i>id-e-∅</i>	<i>ved-e-∅</i>	<i>ved-e-∅</i>	<i>ję-tъ</i>	<i>mol-i-∅</i>	
3sg	<i>id-e-∅</i>	<i>ved-e-∅</i>	<i>ved-e-∅</i>	<i>ję-tъ</i>	<i>mol-i-∅</i>	
1du	<i>id-o-vě</i>	<i>věs-o-vě</i>	<i>ved-ox-o-vě</i>	<i>ję-s-o-vě</i>	<i>mol-i-x-o-vě</i>	
2du	<i>id-e-ta</i>	<i>věs-ta</i>	<i>ved-os-ta</i>	<i>ję-s-ta</i>	<i>mol-i-s-ta</i>	
3du	<i>id-e-te</i>	<i>věs-te</i>	<i>ved-os-te</i>	<i>ję-s-te</i>	<i>mol-i-s-te</i>	
1pl	<i>id-o-mъ</i>	<i>věs-o-mъ</i>	<i>ved-ox-o-mъ</i>	<i>ję-s-o-mъ</i>	<i>mol-i-x-o-mъ</i>	
2pl	<i>id-e-te</i>	<i>věs-te</i>	<i>ved-os-te</i>	<i>ję-s-te</i>	<i>mol-i-s-te</i>	
3pl	<i>id-ę</i>	<i>věs-ę</i>	<i>ved-oš-ę</i>	<i>ję-s-ę</i>	<i>mol-i-š-ę</i>	

Imperfect

1sg	<i>mol'-aa-x-ъ</i>	<i>id-ěa-x-ъ</i>	<i>b-ě-x-ъ</i>
2sg	<i>mol'-aa-š-e</i>	<i>id-ěa-š-e</i>	<i>b-ě-∅</i>
3sg	<i>mol'-aa-š-e</i>	<i>id-ěa-š-e</i>	<i>b-ě-∅, / b-ěa-š-e</i>
1du	<i>mol'-aa-x-o-vě</i>	<i>id-ěa-x-o-vě</i>	<i>b-ě-x-o-vě</i>
2du	<i>mol'-aa-š-e-ta / -s-ta</i>	<i>id-ěa-š-e-ta / -s-ta</i>	<i>b-ě-s-ta</i>
3du	<i>mol'-aa-š-e-te / -s-te</i>	<i>id-ěa-š-e-te / -s-te</i>	<i>b-ě-s-te / b-ěā-š-e-te</i>
1pl	<i>mol'-aa-x-o-mъ</i>	<i>id-ěa-x-o-mъ</i>	<i>b-ě-x-o-mъ</i>
2pl	<i>mol'-aa-š-e-te / -s-te</i>	<i>id-ěa-š-e-te / -s-te</i>	<i>b-ě-s-te</i>
3pl	<i>mol'-aa-x-∅</i>	<i>id-ěa-x-∅</i>	<i>b-ě-š-ę / b-ěa-x-∅</i>



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