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Multi-layer textual representation of pre-modern primary sources

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Diplomatic or interpretative?

Print editions

Interpretive edition MS A

Nel mezzo del camin di nostra vita
mi ritrovai per una selva oscura,

Diplomatic edition MS A

NEL Meço delcamin din(ost)ra . uita
mi ritrouai p(er) vna selua oscura .

Multi-layer edition

- Collation
- Cross-corpus textual search
- Tools

MS A

mi ritrovai per una selva oscura

MS B

mi ritrovai per una selva oscura

MS A

mi ritrouai p(er) vna selua oscura .

MS B

mi ritrouai p una selua oscura

Diplomatic edition

Collation

Diplomatic edition MS A

NEL Meço delcamin din(ost)ra . uita
mi ritrouai p(er) vna selua oscura .

Diplomatic edition MS B

nel mezo del cañin di nsã uita
mi ritrouai p una selua oscura

Diplomatic edition

Collation

Diplomatic edition MS A

NEL Meço delca**m**in di**n(ost)ra** . uita
mi ritrouai **p(er)** vna selua oscura .

Diplomatic edition MS B

nel mezzo del ca**m**in di **nsã** uita
mi ritrouai **p** una selua oscura



Diplomatic edition

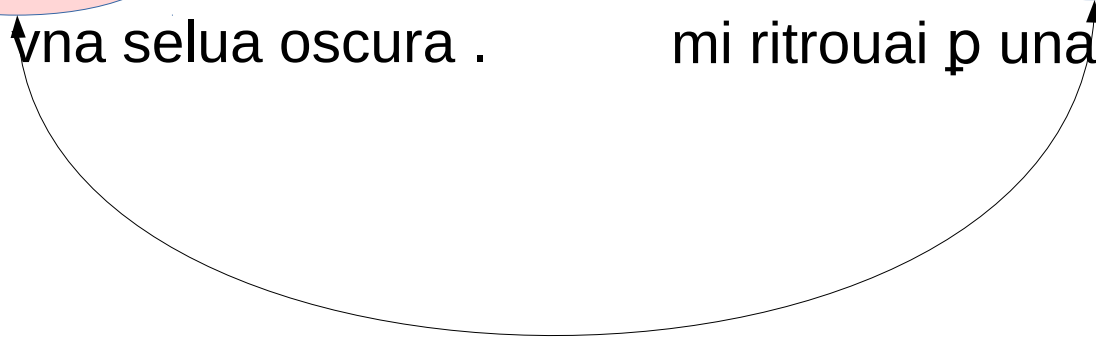
Collation

Diplomatic edition MS A

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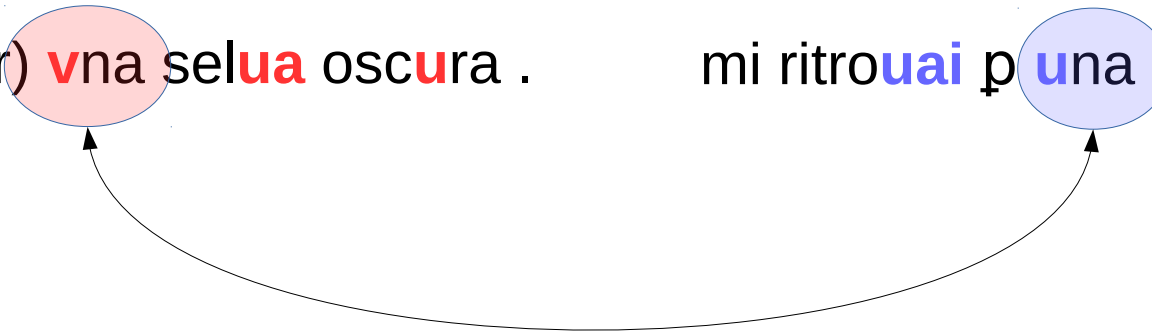
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mi ritro**uai** p **u**na sel**ua** osc**u**ra



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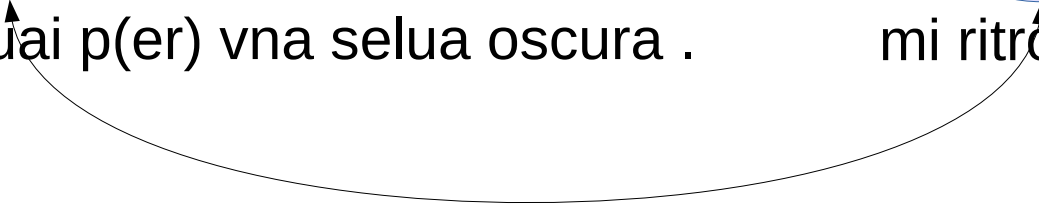
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Diplomatic edition

Cross-corpus textual search

Diplomatic edition

MS A - Divine Comedy

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Diplomatic edition

MS A - Guittone, Dolcezza alcuna...

e lo dolor per mezzo il volto appare



Diplomatic edition Tools (*lemmatization etc.*)

Diplomatic edition

MS A - Divine Comedy

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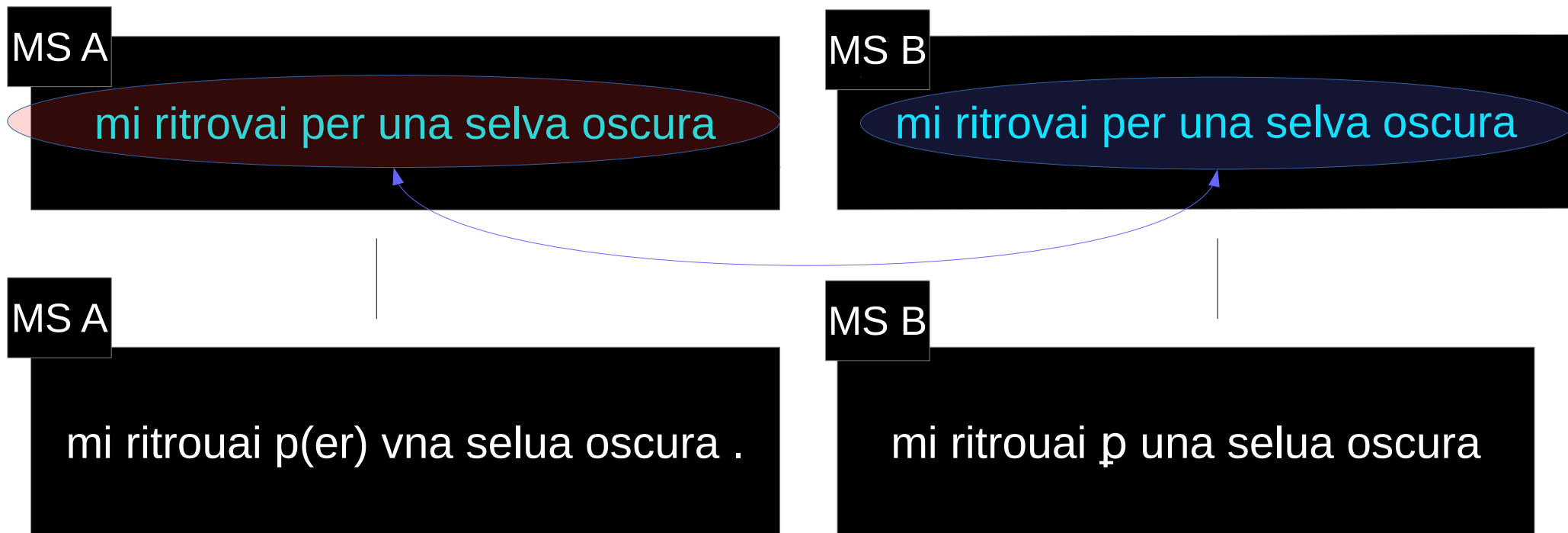
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MS B

mi ritrouai p una selua oscura

Multi-layer edition

- Collation
 - *Paleographical variants*



Multi-layer edition

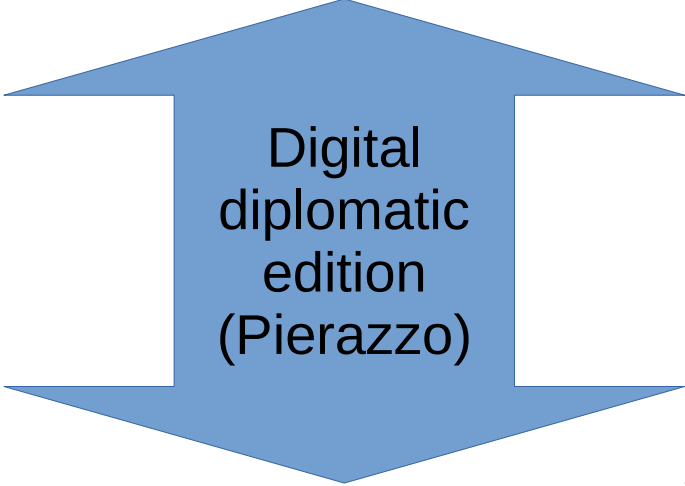
- Collation
 - *Paleographical* variants
 - *Linguistic* variants



Multi-layer edition

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Digital
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Linguistic sub-system

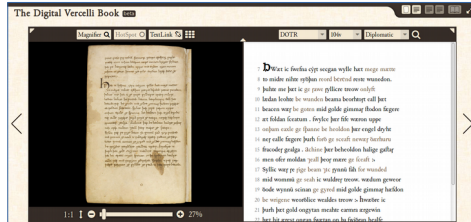
Sub-systems
(Orlandi)

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Graphical sub-system

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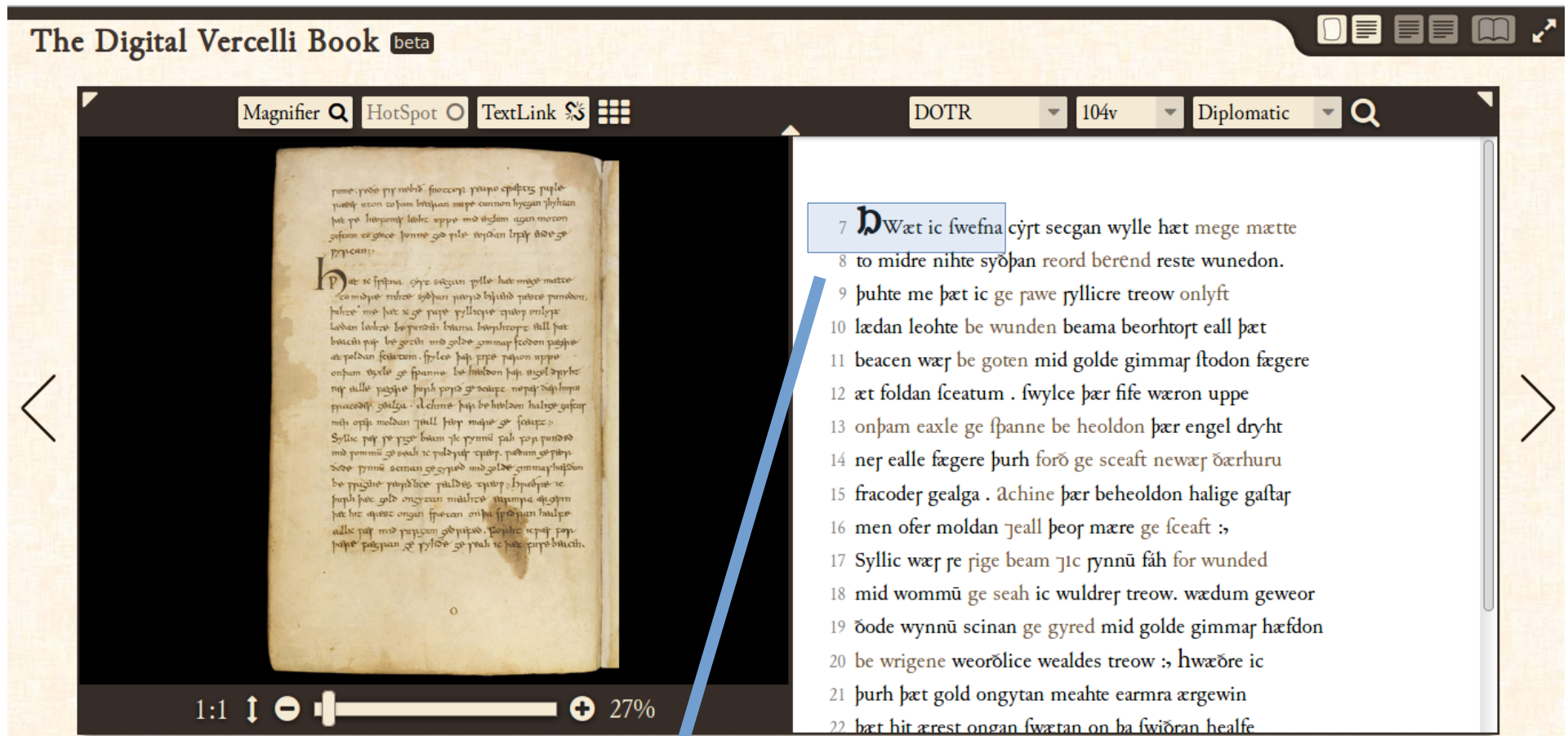
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The Digital Vercelli Book beta

Magnifier 🔍 HotSpot ○ TextLink 📄

DOTR 104v Diplomatic 🔍



The screenshot shows the 'The Digital Vercelli Book' interface in a web browser. The top navigation bar includes the title 'The Digital Vercelli Book' with a 'beta' tag, and icons for document, list, and search. Below this is a toolbar with 'Magnifier', 'HotSpot', and 'TextLink' buttons. The main content area is split into two panels. The left panel displays a manuscript page (104v) with Old English text in a Gothic script. The right panel shows the corresponding transcription in a modern font. A blue arrow points from the first line of the transcription, '7 Ðwæt ic fwefna', to a magnified view of this line in a separate box below the interface.

7 Ðwæt ic fwefna cýrt secgan wylle hætt mege mætte
8 to midre nihte syððan reord berend reste wunedon.
9 þuhte me þæt ic ge fawe syllicre treow onlyft
10 lædan leohte be wunden beama beorhtost eall þæt
11 beacen wæs be goten mid golde gimmar stodon fægere
12 æt foldan sceatum . swylce þær fife wæron uppe
13 onþam eaxe ge spanne be heoldon þær engel dryht
14 neƿ ealle fægere þurh forð ge sceaft newæƿ ðærhuru
15 fracoder gealga . Achine þær beheoldon halige gaftar
16 men ofer moldan ƿeall þeoƿ mære ge sceaft ;
17 Syllic wæs ƿe fige beam ƿic ƿynnū fah for wunded
18 mid wommū ge seah ic wuldreƿ treow. wædum geweor
19 ðode wynnū scinan ge gyred mid golde gimmar hæfdon
20 be wrigene weorðlice wealdes treow . hwæðre ic
21 þurh þæt gold ongytan meahte earmra ærgewin
22 hætt hit ærest ongan fwætan on þa fwiðran healle

7 Ðwæt ic fwefna

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The Digital Vercelli Book beta

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DOTR 104v Interpretative

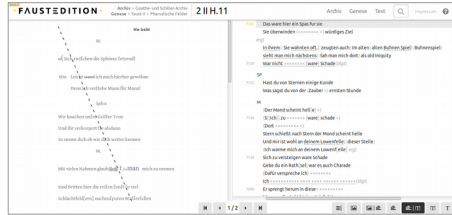
7 Hwæt ic swefna cyst secgan wylle **hæt** me gemætte
8 to midre nihte syððan reordberend reste wunedon.
9 þuhte me þæt ic gesawe syllicre treow on lyft
10 lædan leohte bewunden beama beorhtost eall þæt
11 beacen wæs begoten mid golde gimmas stodon fægere
12 æt foldan sceatum . swylce þær fife wæron uppe
13 on þam eaxlegespanne beheoldon þær engel dryht
14 nes ealle fægere þurh forðgesceaft ne wæs ðær huru
15 fracodes gealga . ac hine þær beheoldon halige gastas
16 men ofer moldan *and* eall þeos mære gesceaft .
17 Syllic wæs se sigebeam *and* ic synnum fah forwunded
18 mid wommum geseah ic wuldres treow . wædum geweor
19 ðode wynnum scinan gegyred mid golde gimmas hæfdon
20 bewrigene weorðlice *wealdes* treow . hwæðre ic
21 þurh þæt gold ongytan meahte earmra ærgewin
22 þæt hit ærest ongan swætan on þa swiðran healfe

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7 Hwæt ic swefna

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Multi-layer edition *Faust-Edition*



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fagft_{Documentary}

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Faust-Edition

beta 2

FAUST EDITION

Archiv > Goethe- und Schiller-Archiv
Genese > Faust II > Pharsalische Felder

2 II H.11

Archiv
Genese
Text

Q

Impressum

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Wie leicht

M.

M. (Sich zwischen die Sphinx fetzend)

Wie Leicht werd ich mich hierher gewöhne

Denn ich verfehe Mann für Mann!

Sphx

Wir hauchen unfre Geister Tone

Und ihr verkörpert sie alsdann

So nenne dich eh wir dich weiter kennen

M.

Mit vielen Nahmen glaubt man mich zu nennen

Sind Britten hier die reifen sonst so viel

Schlachtfeld[ern] nachzupuren Wafferfallen

7121 Das ware hier ein Spas für sie
Sie überwinden (xxxxxxx >) würdiges Ziel
erg)
In ihrem (: Sie wahnnten oft, (: zeugten auch) Im alten) alten Bühnen Spiel (: Bühnenspiel)
sieht man mich nächstens (: Sah man mich dort) als old Iniquity

7130 War nicht xxxxxxxx (ware) Schade (tilgt)

SP

7125 Hast du von Sternen einige Kunde
Was sagst du von der (Zauber >) ersten Stunde

M

(Der Mond scheint hell(e) >)
7130 (S({ich})) zu xxxxxxx (ware) schade >)
(Dort xxxxxxxx >)
Stern schießt nach Stern der Mond scheint helle
Und mir ist wohl an deinem Lowenfelle (: dieser Stelle)
(Ich warme mich an deinem Lowenf[elle] *erg)*
7130 Sich zu versteigen ware Schade
Gebe du ein Rath[set] war es auch Charade
(Dafür verspreche ich) xxxxxxxx
Ich xxxxxxxxxxx xxxxxx xxxxxx xxxxxx (tilgt)
7200 Er sprengt herum in diese xxxxxxxxxxx

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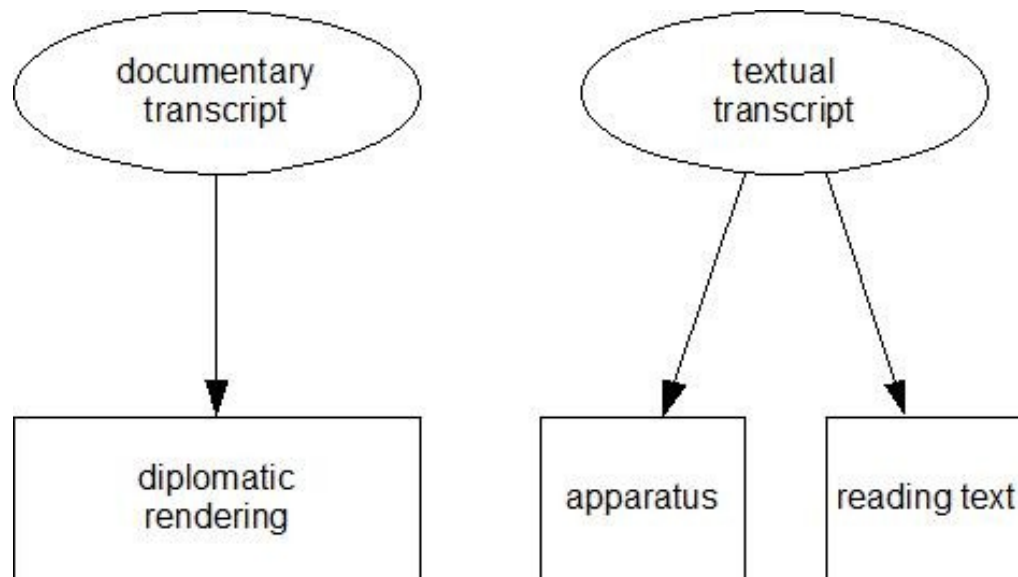
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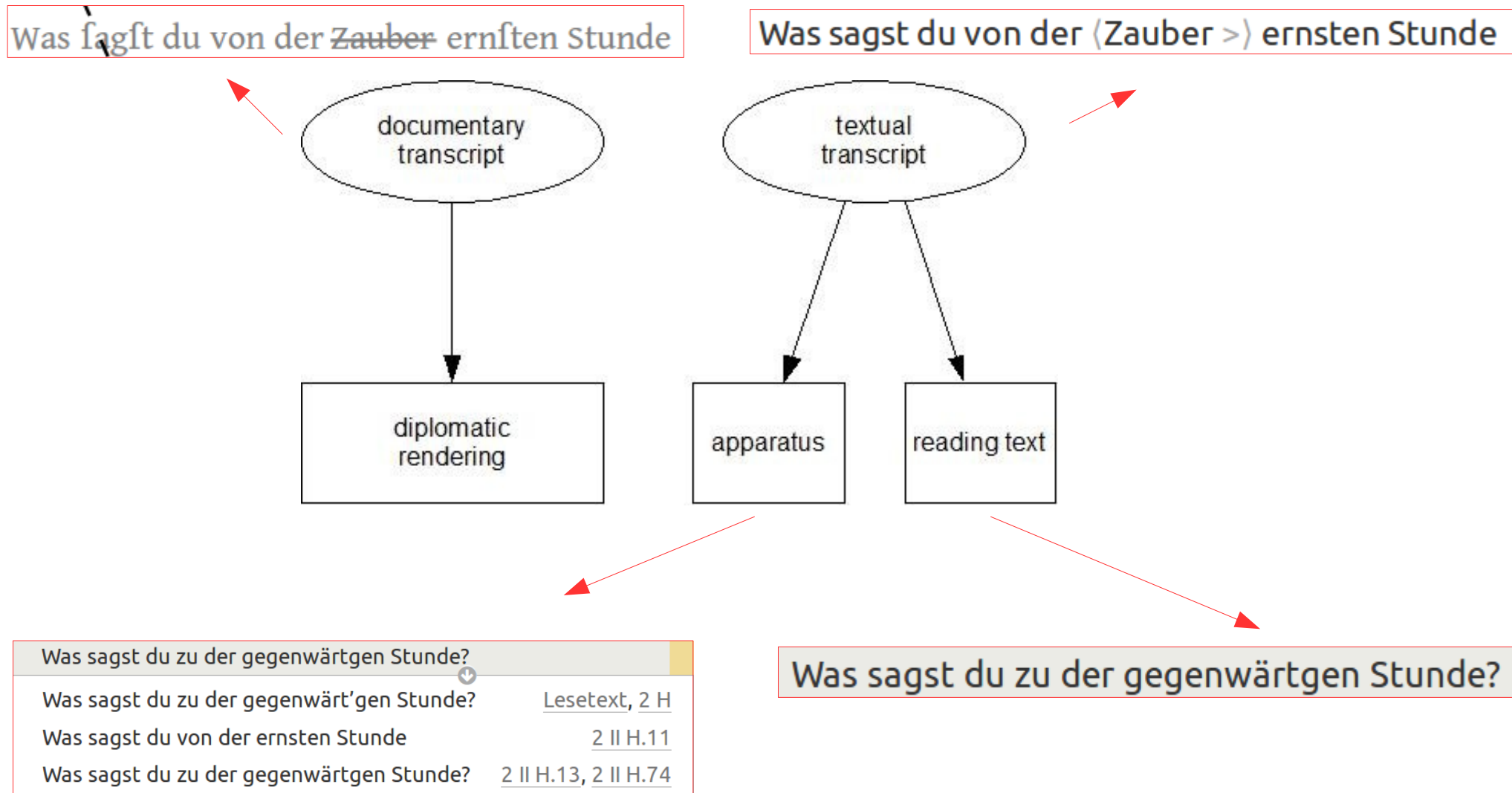
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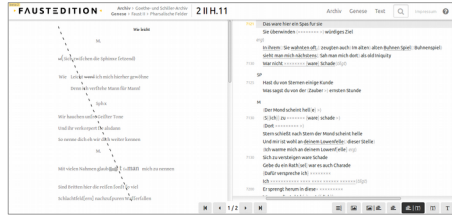
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sagst_{Textual}

MS A

lagft_{Documentary}

Íslendingabók_{Norm(alized)}



fenòina boc_{Facs(imile)}

Multi-layer edition

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AM 113 b fol. – Íslendingabók v. 1.0.4

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[Facs]

[ms: fol. 1r]

- 1 **enðing** **boc** gorþa ec fyrft by-
- 2 fcopom ǫrum, þorla^{fi} oc katli. oc
- 3 fynda c bæþi þeim oc Sæmundi þ.
- En
- 4 meþ því at þeim licapi fva at hava
- eþa þar vípur
- 5 au^{fi}a, þa scrifaða ec þesa of et
- fama far, fyr
- 6 vtan attar tolo oc cunga ævi, oc iqc
- e því er
- 7 mer varþ fíðan cu^{fi}ara oc nu er
- ger fagt a
- 8 þesi en a þeiri. En hvat^{fi} ef

[Dipl]

[ms: fol. 1r]

- 1 **(J)flendinga** **boc** gorþa ec fyrft by-
- 2 fcopom ǫrum, þorlaci oc katli. oc
- 3 fynda c bæþi þeim oc Sæmundi
- presti*. En
- 4 meþ því at þeim licapi fva at hava
- eþa þar vípur
- 5 auka, þa scrifada ec þesa of et
- fama far, fyr
- 6 vtan attar tolo oc *conunga* ævi, oc
- iqc e því er
- 7 mer varþ fíðan cunara oc nu er
- ger fagt a
- 8 þesi en a þeiri. En hvatki ef

[Norm]

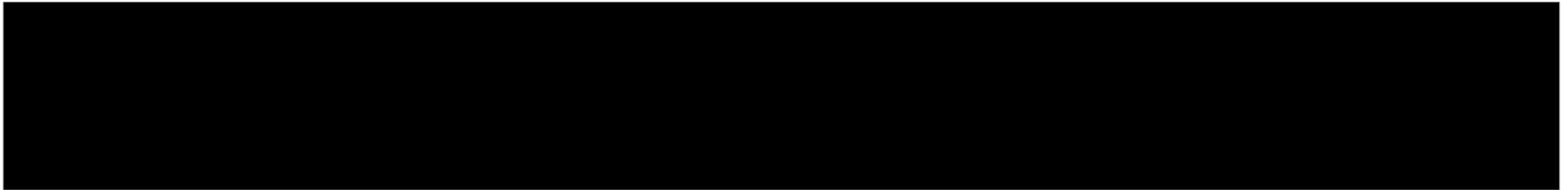
[ms: fol. 1r]

- 1 **Íslendingabók** gørða ek fyrst by-
- 2 skupum órum, Þorláki ok Katli, ok
- 3 sýnda k bæði þeim ok Sæmundi
- presti*. En
- 4 með því at þeim líkaði svá at hafa
- eða þar viðr
- 5 auka, þá skrifaða ek þessa of et
- sama far, fyr
- 6 útan áttartölu ok konunga ævi, ok
- jók k því es
- 7 mér varð síðan kunnara ok nú es
- gerr sagt á
- 8 þessi en á þeiri. En hvatki es es í

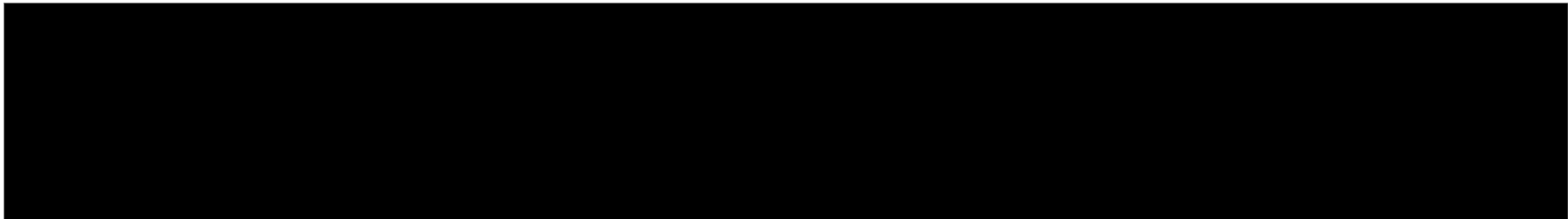
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Ursus Beneventanus, De nomine (IX Cent.)

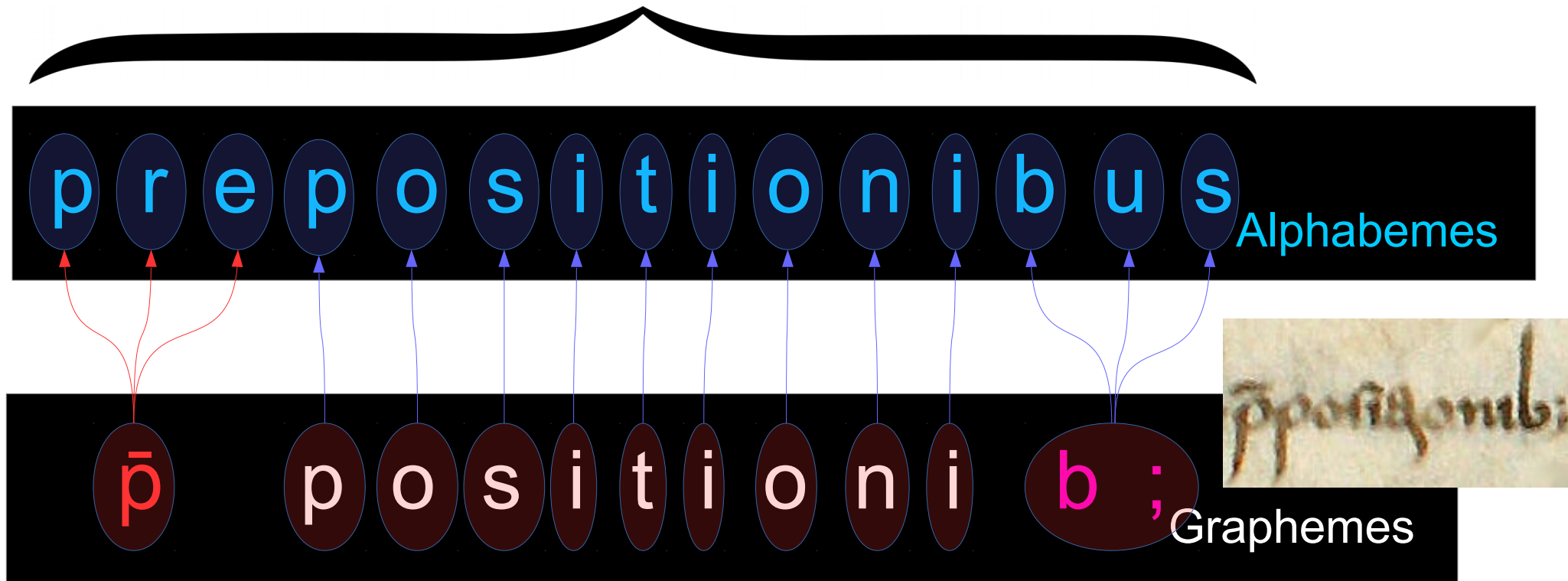


MS Casanatensis 1086



Textual layers

*[praepositio, -onis,
abl. plur.]*_{Word}



Textual layers

MS A

MS B

*[praepositio, -onis,
abl. plur.]*_{Word}

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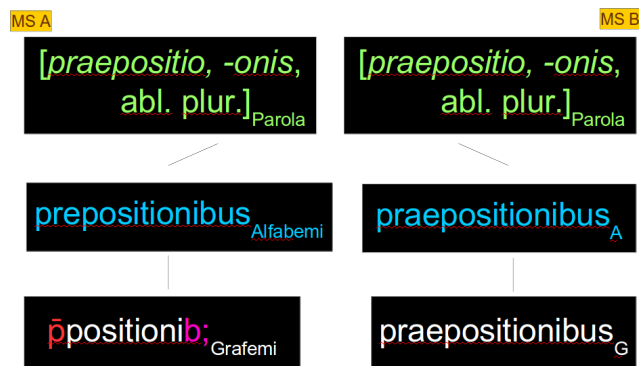
prepositionibus_{Alphabemes}

praepositionibus_A

p̄positionib;_{Graphemes}

praepositionibus_G

Textual layers

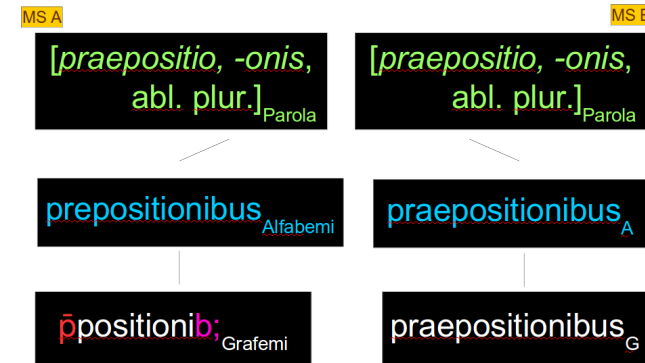


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- *Describing Handwriting, Part IV: Recapitulation and Formal Model*, in the digipal.eu blog

Ursus

Innovations from Orlandi

- Edition on many *semiotic layers* (sub-systems)



- “Table of signs”

Graphemes	Alphabemes	Grapheme Visualization	Type	Notes
a	a	a	Alphabetic	
b	b	b	Alphabetic	
c	c	c	Alphabetic	
d	d	d	Alphabetic	
e	e	e	Alphabetic	
æ	ae	ē	Alphabetic	An 'e'
f	f	f	Alphabetic	

Ursus

Visualization

est cognomentum propriae qualitatis , de qua et priscianus e contra
est □ cognomentū □ ppriē □ qualitatis , [2v.a.2] de qua □ et priscianus □ e contra

nomen dixit quod est proprium uniuscuiusque non potest esse propria
nomen □ dixit · □ quod est propriū □ unius□ cuius[2v.a.3] q; □ non □ potest □ eē □ ppria

qualitas . praenomen accipitur quando quis nascitur . nomen communis
qualitas ; □ praenomen □ accipitur □ quando qs [2v.a.4] nascitur ; **n**omen □ comunis

Ursus

Visualization

est cognomen propriae qualitatis , de qua et priscianus e contra
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"cognomentum": [cognomentum] Nominal, Positive, II decl, Singular Nominative, Neuter,

nomen dixit quod est proprium uniuscuiusque non potest esse propria
nomen dixit · quod est propriú unius cuius_[2v.a.3]q; non potest eē ppria

qualitas . praenomen accipitur quando quis nascitur . nomen communis
 qualitas ; ☐ **p**raenomen ☐ accipitur ☐ quando **qs** [2v.a.4] nascitur ; **n**omen ☐ **c**omunis

Ursus

Visualization

prepositionibus

p̄positionib;

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Visualization

"praepositionibus": [praepositio] Nominal, Positive, III decl, Plural Ablative, Feminine,

prepositionibus

p̄positionib;

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Visualization

"praepositionibus": [praepositio] Nominal, Positive, III decl, Plural Ablative, Feminine,

preposit

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positionibus</w>
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p̄position

Ursus

Flexibility

"uniuscuiusque": [unusquisque] Nominal, Positive, Regularly irregular decl, Singular Genitive, Feminine, Graphical variation B,

uniuscuiusque

unius cuius_[2v.a.3]q;

Ursus

Future development: collation

MS A

"propriae": [proprius] Nominal, Positive,
II decl, Singular Genitive, Feminine

propriae

propriae

MS B

"propriae": [proprius] Nominal, Positive,
II decl, Singular Genitive, Feminine

proprie

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