I-nun

נגש
נפל

Qal Trio
A-type has Special Pattern

General Rule

Syllable final Nun Assimilates with following consonant & leaves a dagesh forte

- Niph Impf Nun Remains! takes its own vowel & follows strong pattern
- w/II-Guttural Resists doubling Nun Remains Guttural takes Patah

Specific Rule for Qal Trio

O-type: Qal Impf, Impt, Inf C with "O" theme vowel

A-type: Qal Impf, Impt, Inf C with "A" theme vowel

- Nun Assimilates: יִגַּשׁ Qal Impf — Dagesh forte
- Nun Disappears: Qal Impt גֵּשׁ, גֶּשֶׁת Qal Inf C — Dagesh lene!

Qal Trio paradigm
יִגַּשׁ
גַּשׁ
גֶּשֶׁת

Special Cases

לקח
Behaves like a Pe-Nun verb of A-type in Qal Trio

נתן
Acts like Pe-Nun A-type but sere instead of patah

I-yod

ילד

Qal Trio
Disappears w/o a Trace

Historically Pe-Waw

Active

- **Syllable Initial**: Pe consonant is YOD (strong verb behavior)
- **Syllable Final**
  - Vocalic Waw
    - Hifil & Nifal (וֹ): Hifil Perf 3ms הוֹלִיד; Hifil Impf 3ms יוֹלִיד; Nifal Perf 3ms נוֹלַד
    - Hofal (וֹ): הוֹלַד Hofal Perf 3ms
  - Consonantal Waw w/ dagesh: Nifal Impf יִוָּלֵד; הִוָּלֵד Nifal Inf C
- **Qal Trio**: Yod vanishes w/o a trace
  - Qal Trio paradigm: יֹלֵד; לֵד; לֶדֶת
  - הלך follows Qal Trio Pattern
  - Pe Waw w/ צ (except יצא) mimic Pe-Nun A-type behavior
- **Qal Stative** (expresses state or quality) follows Historically Pe-Yod

Historically Pe-Yod

Yod stays in all forms but quiesces outside Perfect

Qal Perf 3ms יָטַב
Qal Impf 3ms יִיטַב
Hifil Impf 3ms יֵיטִיב

Exception:
Qal Perf: יָכֹל
Imperf: יוּכַל

Stative
Qal Perf 3ms יָרֵא
Qal Impf 3ms יִירָא

Watch for defectively written verbs
הֵטִיב → הֵיטִיב
Because the yod that remains in these types of verbs becomes the *matres* everywhere that the pe-consonant would be syllable final, there may be occasions when it is written defectively.

Middle Weak

בוא שִׂים שׁוב
Lexical form is Qal Inf C

Middle Root ONLY shows up in Qal Trio

QAL Stem

Middle Consonant only in Qal Trio - Impf/Impt/Inf C

- Perf
  - Consonant Sufformative → Patah theme vowel שַׁבְתִּי
  - Otherwise → Qames
- Impf → Qames Preformative

Perf & Participle Identical
שָׁב 3ms Pf; שָׁב ms Part
שָׁבָה 3fs Pf; שָׁבָה fs Part
Only Diff is Accent Shift

Due to retraction of accent Waw Cons & Impf results in apocopation (vowel reduction)
וַיָּשָׁב יָשׁוּב
QAL Impf: sureq reduces to qamets hatuf
וַיָּשֶׂם יָשִׂים
HIFIL Impf: hireq yod reduces to segol

Waw Cons w/ Impf for Qal & Hifil is identical (or nearly identical)
Qal: וַיָּשָׁב; וַיָּשֶׂם
Hifil: וַיָּשֶׁב; וַיָּשֵׂם

HIFIL

Expect Hireq Yod Infix (י)
if not Hireq Yod then sere or segol

Qal & Hif of Middle I type are identical
may see Qal form with sureq instead of hireq yod. This is analogical back formation
יָשׂוּם יָשִׂים
qal/hif qal

Preformative OUTSIDE Perf & Part is Qames (ד)

Preformative for PERF is Sere (..)
w/ consonant initial sufformative the sere reduces to hateph-patah & a holem waw is inserted before the sufformative
הֲקִימוֹתָ הֲקִימ

Nifal preformative is qames (ד)
Note: holem waw before consonant sufformative

D-STEM

- Doubled stems reduplicate final root
- Dagesh NOT present
- First vowel for all is holem

Piel (Polel) שׁוֹבֵב
Pual (Polal) שׁוֹבַב
Hitpael (Hitpolel) הִשְׁתּוֹבֵב metathesis

Piel in Middle Weak can also show up Reduplicated following Geminate Pattern
כִּלְכֵל Pilpel

Hofal preformative is sureq (וֹ)

Ayin-Ayin

סבב

סב Normal

w/ sufformative

- vowel initial: attaches directly יָסֹבוּ Qal Impf 3mp; הֵסֵבוּ Hif Pf 3cp
- consonant initial
  - Perfect: preceded by וֹ סָבוֹתָ Qal Pf 2ms; הֲסִבוֹתָ Hif Pf 2ms
  - Imperfect: preceded by יֻ תֻּסַבְּנָה Qal Impf 3fp

סבב Dissociated

w/o sufformative

- Qal Inf A סָבוֹב
- Qal Part סוֹבֵב
- Qal Part ALWAYS Dissociated even w/ ending (even fs, mp, fp)

D-stems

- Dissociated
  - strong
  - like Middle Weak: first vowel: וֹ double radical no dagesh; Polal סוֹבַב
- Reduplicated: סִבְסֵב Pilpel

NOTE: Qal Part ms = Polel Pf 3ms
סוֹבֵב=סוֹבֵב

Qal Perf 3ms, 3fs, & 3cp can be either dissociated or reduced
סָבַב or סַב

סב Reduced

w/o sufformative

- יָסֹב Qal Impf 3ms
- הֵסֵב Hif Pf 3ms
- יָסֵב Hif Impf 3ms

Qal & Hif IMPF can also appear with dagesh in first root
יִסֹּב Qal Impf 3ms
יַסֵּב Hif Impf 3ms

NOTE: Waw Cons & Qal/Hif Impf Middle Weak = Double Ayin

Watch for vowel reduction:
sureq --> qamets hatuf
sere --> segol

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