

The Demonstrative Pronoun *hic, haec, hoc* – *this/these*

	Masc		Fem		Neut	
	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural	Singular	Plural
Nom	hic-this man, this---	hi-these men, these---	haec-this woman, this---	hae-these women, these---	hoc-this thing, this---	haec-these things, these---
Gen	huius – of this man, of this---	horum-of these men, of these---	huius-of this woman, of this---	harum-of these women, of these---	huius – of this thing, of this---	horum of these things, of these---
Dat	huic – to/for this man, to/for this---	his-to/for these men, to/for these---	huic- to/for this woman, to/for this---	his – to/for these women, to/for these---	huic – to/for this thing, to/for this---	his-to/for these things, to/for these---
Acc	hunc-this man, this--- (d.o./obj of prep)	hos-these men, these--- (d.o./obj of prep)	hanc-this woman, this--- (d.o./obj of prep)	has-these women, these--- (d.o./obj of prep)	hoc – this thing, this--- (d.o./obj of prep)	haec- these things, these--- (d.o./obj of prep)
Abl	hoc-this man, this--- (obj of prep)	his-these men, these --- (obj of prep)	hac-this woman, this--- (obj of prep)	his-these women, these--- (obj of prep)	hoc – this thing, this--- (obj of prep)	his –these things, these--- (obj of prep)

These pronouns can be used alone. You supply *man, woman, thing, men, women, thing* after *this* (in the singular) *these* in the plural depending on the gender of the pronoun.

example: **hic** est laetus – **This man** is happy. **hic** is masc and singular so you translate it as **this man**

These pronouns can be used as adjectives with a noun. In this case they agree with the gender, number and case of the noun. The translation is just *this* or *these*. Nothing else is added except the definition of the noun in the same gender number and case.

example: **hic rex** est laetus – **This king** is happy. **hic** and **rex** are in the same gender, number and case so **hic** is translated as **this**. Nothing else is added except the meaning of the word **rex**.

More examples:

huius villa est magna – **This man's** house is large
This woman's house is large

huius mercatoris villa est magna – **This merchant's** house is large

hunc iuvabo – I will help **this man**

hunc equum iuvabo – I will help **this horse**

Cum his pugnabamus – we were fighting **with these men**
we were fighting **with these women**

Cum his militibus pugnabamus – we were fighting **with these soldiers**