

ABBREVIATIONS =====

ABORI :	Annals of the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute.
ADS :	Āpastambadharmasūtra.
AIHT :	Ancient Indian Historical Tradition by Pargiter, F.E.
AIOC :	All India Oriental Conference.
AP :	Agni-Purāṇa.
ASHS :	Āsvalāyana Gryasūtra.
ASS :	Anandashram Sanskrit Series.
ASR :	Archaeological Survey of India, Annual Reports.
ASSI :	Archaeological Survey Reports of South India.
ASWI :	Archaeological Survey Reports of West India.
Atxi :	Atxi-smṛiti
AV :	Atharvaveda.
BDCRI :	Bulletin of the Deccan College Post-Graduate and Research Institute.

- BDS : Baudhāyana^a-Dharma-Sūtra.
- BG : Bhagavad-Gītā.
- BGP : Bhāgavata-Purāṇa.
- BhP : Bhaviṣya-Purāṇa.
- BI : Bibliotheca Indica Series, Calcutta.
- BORI : Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona.
- BP : Brahma-Purāṇa.
- BrP : Brahmāṇḍa-Purāṇa.
- Brvp : Brahmavaiyarta-Purāṇa.
- BSS : Bombay Sanskrit Series.
- BrU : Brhadāranyaka-Upaniṣad.
- Chap(s) : Chapter (s).
- CII : Corpus Inscriptionum Indicarum.
- Diak^{or DS} : Dakṣa-smṛiti.
- DM : Devi-mahatmya.
- Ed : Edited by or Editor or Edition.
- EI : Epigraphica Indica.

- EM : Epic Mythology.
- ERE : Encyclopaedia of Religion and Ethics.
- E.Tr. : English Translation.
- GDS : Gautama-Dharmasūtra.
- GOS : Gaikwad's Oriental Series.
- GP : Garuḍa-Purāṇa.
- Gr. R. : Gr̥hastharatnākara of Candēśvara.
- Guj. : Gujarātī.
- HDS : History of Dharmasāstra.
- HOS : Harvard Oriental Series.
- H.Tr. : Hindi Translation.
- HV : Hari-Vamśa.
- IA : Indian Antiquary.
- IHQ : Indian Historical Quarterly.
- Ind.Alt.: Indische Alterthumskunde, by Ch. Lassen.
- IU : Iṣopaniṣad.

JAOS :	Journal of the American Oriental Society.
JASB :	Journal of the Asiatic Society of Bengal, Calcutta.
JBBRAS :	Journal of Bombay Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society.
JBTS :	Journal of the Buddhist Text Society.
JBORS :	Journal of the Bihar and Orissa Research Society.
JOI :	Journal of the Oriental Institute, M.S. University of Baroda, Baroda.
JRAS :	Journal of the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland.
KE :	Kaṇḍikā - Purāṇa.
KP :	Kūrma-Purāṇa.
KU :	Kathopanishad.
LP :	Līṅga-Purāṇa.
Mbh :	Mahabharata.
MKP :	Mārkaṇḍeya-Purāṇa.
MP :	Matsya-Purāṇa (Ass Ed.).
MS :	Manuscript.
MS :	Manusmṛti.
MSS :	Manuscripts.
Mt. :	Mount.

NS or Nārada : Nārada-smṛti

NSP : Nirṇaya Sāgara Press.

OST : Oriental Sanskrit Texts by Muir, J.

OUP : Oxford University Press.

Parāśara : Parāśara-smṛti

PI : The Purāṇa Index (in 3 Volumes) by V.R.R. Dikshitar.

PIHC : Proceedings of the Indian History Congress.

PP : Padma-Purāṇa.

PUM : Parva-Mimamsa-Sūtra.

Rām. : Rāmāyana.

QJMS : The Quarterly
Journal of the
Mystic Society.

Re. : Revised by.

R.Tri (R Tri): Rampratap Tripathi.

RV : Rgveda.

Saṅkha : Saṅkha-smṛti

SBY : Satapatha-Brahmana.

SBE : Sacred Books of the East, Oxford.

SKP : Skanda-Purāṇa.

SU : Svetaśvataropaniṣad.



- TĀr. : Taittirīya - Āraṇyaka.
- TBr: Taittirīya - Brāhmaṇa.
- TS : Taittirīya - Saṃhitā.
- TU : Taittirīya - Upaniṣad.
- UP (s) : Upaniṣad (s).
- Vap : Vāmana - Purāṇa.
- VDS : Vasisthadharmasūtra.
- VI : Vedic Index by Macdonell A.A. and Keith A.B.
- ~~VIDS~~: Viṣṇudharmottara-purāṇa.
- VIDS : Viṣṇudharmasūtra.
- Viṣṇudharmottara : Viṣṇudharmottara - Purāṇa.
- VIŚP : Viṣṇu-Purāṇa.
- VM : Vedic Mythology.
- Vol (s) : Volume (s).
- VP : Vāyu-Purāṇa.

Vrp : Varāha-Purāṇa.

VS : Vājasneyī - Samhitā.

YS : Yājñavalkyasmṛti.

ZDMG : Zeitschrift der Deutschen Morgenländischen
Gesellschaft, Leipzig.