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Abhāva	Absence.
Abhedaikatvasaṁkhyā	When a number in general is expressed from which any
	number can be understood.
Adhīṣṭa	A respectful command; polite expression of wish with
	felicitation.
Ajahatsvārthā	It mainly concerns the compounds and lays down that each
	member of the compound expresses its individual meaning
	and that the compound has no separate denotative function.
Ākāṅkṣā	Expectancy which means incompleteness of the sense of a
	word due to the absence of another word.
Akarmaka	Intransitive which does not require or expect any object to
	be covered by its activity. The grammarians hold that the
	verbal activity and its fruit are centred in one and the same
	substratum in the case of the intransitive roots.
Ākhyāta	A verbal form. But in the philosophical treatises of Nyāya,
	Mīmāṃsā and Vyākaraṇa, ākhyāta is generally taken in the
	sense of a conjugational ending.
Āmantraṇa	Permission to do as one likes.
Anukaraṇa	Imitation; a word, uttered in imitation of another;
	Onomatopoetic word.
Anukārya	The word which has been imitated.
Anvaya	Concomitance; the positive relation of smoke with fire can
	be termed as anvaya.
Anvaya-vyabhicāra	Inconstancy of co-presence.
Anvaya-vyatireka	Agreement in presence and agreement in absence. This is the
	basis upon which the knowledge of the invariable
	concomitance depends.
Arthaniyama	Restriction with reference to the meaning of the case-
	endings.
Arthāpatti	Presumption. It is a means of knowledge.
Āsatti	Proximity, i.e. utterance of words without interval.

Āśraya	Substratum. In the VBS the conjugational affixes are held to
	denote the substratum of action or result.
Ativyāpti	Over-extension of a definition. When a rule or definition
	applies to places where it should not apply, it is said to suffer
	from the defect of <i>Ativyāpti</i> .
Āvāpodvāpa	Method of agreement and disagreement.
Avyāpti	A definition is said to suffer from the defect of <i>Avyāpti</i> when
	it does not cover the instances, for which it is formulated.
Avyayībhāva	Name of compounds in which the first member generally
	plays the role of the principal word.
Bahuvrīhi	Name of the compounds which denote objects quite distinct
	from those which are shown by the constituent members of
	the compounds.
Balavadaniṣṭānanubandhitva	Property of not being associated with a greatly undesired
	result.
Bhāvanā	The term <i>bhāvanā</i> has several meaning. The grammarians
	hold it on a par with action (vyāpāra) denoted by a verbal
	root. The Naiyāyikas list it under samskāra which having
	been produced by experience gives rise to memory . The
	Mīmāmsakas define it as the particular activity of an agent
	conducive to the production of that which is to come into
	being. This may be explained by the following example .
	Viṣṇumitra o rders Devadatta to bring a cow . The former
	intends to generate an inclination in the latter's mind so that
	he may be prompted to bring the cow. The intention or effort
	on the part of Viṣṇumitra and Devadatta's inclination are
	both called <i>bhāvanā</i> which, according to the Mīmāṃsakas is
	denoted by the affix added to the verbal root to form the
	optative or the imperative.
Bhāvapratyaya	A class of affixes which denote the sense of some state or
	quality.
Bhāvavācya	In bhāvavācya the post-verbal affix agrees with bhāva
	(action) and is always in the person singular because <i>bhāva</i>

	is taken to be a single whole.
Dharma	A property which qualifies a thing or a letter or a word.
Dharmin	A qualified which is qualified by a property (dharma).
Dhātu	A word which denotes action and result . The Pāṇinian
	dhātupāṭha includes about 2200 roots which can be called
	primary roots as contrasted with the secondary roots. The
	letter are divided into two main groups: 1. Roots derived
	from the roots. 2. Roots derived from the basic elements
	other than the roots.
Dvandva	Name of the compounds formed by two or more words used
	in the same case. A dvandva compound takes place either in
	the sense of mutual relationship or collection.
Dvigu	A subdivision of the <i>tatpuruṣa</i> compounds which are formed
	with a numeral as the first member.
Guṇa	Attribute; the second out of the three degrees of a vowel,
	namely the primary degree, guṇa degree and vṛddhi degree.
<i>Iṣṭasādhanatva</i>	Property of being the means to a desired end.
Jahatsvārthā vṛtti	A grammatical function in which the constituent members of
	an accomplished or finished word give up their individual
	sense and give rise to a single unified meaning.
Jāti	A generic property which has been accepted by the
	Grammarians as one of the five denotations of nominal
	stems.
Kāla	Time notion in general expressed in connection with an
	activity in three ways: past, present and future.
Kalpanāgaurava	Prolixity in speculation; extravagance of speculation.
Kāraka	Literally means the doer of an action. Actually the word
	kāraka means the capacity, instrumental in bringing about an
	action. This capacity is looked upon as the sense of the case-
	endings. There are six kārakas: kartṛ (nominative), karman
	(accusative), karaṇa (instrumental), sampradāna (dative),
	apādāna (ablative), adhikaraņ (locative). Saṃbandha
	(genitive) is not accepted as a kāraka by the Sanskrit

	Grammarians.
Karaṇa	Instrument; the term also signifies the most efficient means
	for accomplishing an act.
Karmadhāraya	A Variety Of Tatpuruṣa Compounds In Which The First
	Member Is Generally A Qualifier (Viśeṣaṇa) having the
	same declensional ending as the second member has.
Karmakartṛ	An object of the transitive verb which functions as the
	subject when there is marked facility of action; a reflexive
	subject; the prompted subject used in the accusative (See
	<i>VBS</i> , p. 196)
Karman	Object of a transitive verb defined as something which the
	agent or the doer of an action wants primarily to achieve. It
	is described to be of three kinds with reference to the way in
	which it is obtained from the activity. 1. Vikārya, when a
	transformation or change is noticed in the object as a result
	of the verbal activity. 2. Prāpya, the object in which no
	change is seen by the action of the subject. 3. Nirvartya,
	when the object is brought into being under a specific name.
Karmavācya	Passive voice; in karmavācya the post-verbal affix agrees
	with the object of the verb.
Kartṛ	Agent of an action; subject; name of a kāraka or instrument
	in general, of an action, which produces the fruit or result of
	an action without depending on any other instrument.
Kartṛvācya	Active voice; in <i>kartṛvācya</i> the pose-verbal affix agrees with
	the agent (kartṛ) of the verb.
Kriyā	Verbal quality; philosophically speaking it is defined as
	sattā appearing in temporal sequence in various things.
Kṛt	A class of post-verbal affixes other than the conjugational
	ones; primary affixes.
Kṛti	Effort. It is denoted by the post-verbal affixes according to
	the Naiyāyikas. The Grammarians view it as action in
	general.
Kṛtisādhyatva	Property which resides in an object that can be accomplished

	or achieved by one's effort; feasibility.
Kubjaśaktivāda	The theory that the faculty of denotation residing in a word
	is known so far as the denotation of the word is concerned
	whereas it is unknown in respect of its relational meaning.
Lakāras	Ten sets of verbal or conjugational endings representing
	tenses and modalities.
Lakṣaṇā	Faculty of indication or implication residing in a word. It
	subordinates or abandons the real meaning of a word and
	helps comprehend a different but related meaning.
Liṅga	Gender which is accepted by the Grammarians as one of the
	five meanings of a nominal stem.
Nimantraṇa	Invitation; assigning a duty, that is, directing a person like a
	grandson on the necessary occasions such as śrāddha
	ceremonial meal.
Nipāta	Particle which possesses no gender and number, and after
	which the case-ending is elided.
Paryudāsa	Negation for the sake of exclusion. In this particular sense,
	the particle $na\tilde{n}$ is compounded with the nouns.
Phala	Fruit of an action that goes to the agent. It also means the
	result of a grammatical operation or grammatical injunction.
Prakaraṇa	Context; a section where a particular subject is treated.
Prākṛta-dhvani	Primary sound which manifests the sphota which is the
	meaning bearing unit according to the Grammarians.
Prakṛti	Original base of a word which is used in language by the
	addition of affixes. It has two kinds: 1. Roots 2. Nominal
	stems.
Prārthana	Request; solicitation
Prasajya	One of the two kinds of negation. In this sense the particle
	$na\tilde{n}$ is used independently with a verbal form or a verbal
	activity.
Prātipadika	A word which is possessed of some sense, but which is
	neither a root nor an affix.
Pratyāhāra	An abbreviation having the first and last letters of a group of

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	Saṅkhyā	Number.
Samsarga Syntactical connection between words which is necessary	Sampraśna	Inquiry or deliberation.
zymany zymany	Samsarga	Syntactical connection between words which is necessary
for the comprehension of the meaning of a sentence.		for the comprehension of the meaning of a sentence.

Sannidhi	Proximity, that is, utterance of words without interval.
Sarvanāma	Pronoun. There is no definition as such given of the word
	pronoun but the words, called pronoun, are enumerated in
	Pāṇini's Grammar (1.1.27 to 1.1.36)
Sattva	An accomplished object; one of the three elements
	constituting all objects. The state of the predominance of
	sattva consists in masculineness, according to the
	Grammarians.
Sphoṭa	Internal word (śabda) which communicates the meaning. It
	is revealed when the word is uttered by the speaker and
	heard by the addresses.
Śruti	A direct Vedic statement.
Sūtra	Aphorism; a very short and concise enunciation laying down
	something in a scientific treatise.
Tādātmya	Relation of non-difference; limiting relation of absentee
	(pratiyogin) to a mutual absence (anyo'nyābhāva).
Taddhita	Secondary affixes added to the words other than the verbal
	roots.
Tamas	One of the three elements constituting all objects. The other
	two are sattva and rajas and the state of evenness of the
	three elements is neuterness.
Tātparya-grāhaka	Signifier of the purport.
Tātparya-jñāna	Knowledge of the intention of the speaker.
Tātparyārthavivaraṇa	The elucidation of a word which is semantically obtained.
Tatpuruṣa	Name of a class of compounds in which generally the
	second member plays the role of the principal.
Uddeśya	Subject-part of a sentence as opposed to the predicate-part.
	But in the Vaiyākarṇabhūṣaṇasāra, uddeśya is denoted by
	the fourth triplet of declensional endings. It is the case which
	the agent aims at through the object as an instrument in that
	respect.
Upādhi	A limiting adjunct.
Upasarga	Prefixes which are added before the verbs.

Vākya	Sentence giving an idea in a single unit of expression
	consisting of the verb with its <i>kārakas</i> or instruments and
	adverbs.
Vaikṛta-dhvani	Secondary sound which is the cause of the continued
	perception of the already manifested <i>sphoṭa</i> (q.v.).
Vākyabheda	Syntactical disunity. It occurs when a sentence is construed
	in a manner that it conveys more than one independent
	sense.
Vārtika	An additional statement which is as much authoritative as
	the original one to which it is appended for the purposes of
	correction, completion of explanation. Kātyāyana wrote
	about 4000 Vārttikas on the sūtras of Pāṇini's Aṣṭādhyāyī.
Vidhi	Injunction, that is, inducing or commanding a subordinate
	person to do something. Vidhi as the denotation of lin is
	pravartanā qualified by the absence of an inhibitory factor.
Viśeṣaṇa	Adjective; a qualifying word which generally agrees with
	the substantive in number, gender and case-ending.
Viśeṣya	Qualificand, substantive as opposed to an adjective
	(Viśeṣaṇa).
Vyakti	An individual which is the abode of universal and which,
	according to the Grammarians, is one of the meanings of a
	nominal stem.
Vyāpaka	That which covers or applies to the whole in entirely.
Vyāpāra	An activity denoted by a verbal root. It is described to be
	made of a series of continuous subordinate activities carried
	on by different agents and instruments helping the process of
	the main activity.
Vyapekṣā	Mutual expectancy in the sense which obtains between two
	different words connected with each other in a sentence.
Vyāpyatva	Property residing in a term which is pervaded by a more
	extensive term.
Vyatireka	Absence; non-concomitance, the association of the absence
	of fire with the absence of smoke can be called <i>vyatireka</i>

	kind of concomitance. To put it differently <i>vyatireka</i> is the uniform experience of the co-absence of fire and smoke.
Vyatireka-vyabhicāra	Inconstancy of co-absence.
Yogavibhāga	Bifurcation of a rule (<i>sūtra</i>). This technical device is resorted to in Pāṇini's <i>Aṣṭādhyāyī</i> in order to derive certain words which otherwise would not be possible according to Pāṇini's rules.
Yogyatā	Consistency among the words in a sentence.