

or gunas recognised by the Vaiśeṣikas; it is of three kinds : भावना, वेग, and स्थितिस्थापकता q. q. v. v. -13 The faculty of recollection, impression on the memory; संस्कारमात्रजन्यं ज्ञानं स्मृतिः T. S. -14 A purificatory rite, a sacred rite or ceremony; संस्कारार्थं शरीरस्य Ms. 2. 66; R. 10. 78; (Manu mentions 12 such Samskāras viz. 1. गर्भाधान, 2. पुंसवन, 3. सीमन्तोन्नयन, 4. जातकर्मन्, 5. नामकर्मन्, 6. निष्क्रमण, 7. अन्नप्राशन, 8. चूडाकर्मन्, 9. उपनयन, 10. केशान्त, 11. समावर्तन, and 12. विवाह; see Ms. 2. 26 &c.; some writers increase the number to sixteen). -15 Purification, purity. -16 A rite or ceremony in general. -17 Investiture with the sacred thread; मांसं मूत्रं पुरीषं च प्राश्य संस्कारमर्हति Mb. 12. 165. 76. -18 Obsequial ceremonies. -19 A polishing stone; संस्कारोल्लिखितो महामणिरिव क्षीणोऽपि नालक्ष्यते Ś. 6. 5 (where संस्कार may mean 'polishing' also). -Comp. -पूत a. 1 purified by sacred rites. -2 purified by refinement or education. -भूषणम् (speech) adorned by correctness. -रहित, -वर्जित, -हीन a. (a person of one of the three higher castes) over whom the purificatory ceremonies, particularly the thread-ceremony, have not been performed and who therefore becomes a Vrātya or outcast; cf. व्रात्य. -शब्दः a word which gains its currency owing to संस्कार; संस्कारशब्दा एते आहवनीयादयः ŚB. on MS. 5. 3. 21.

संस्कारक a. Consecrating, purifying, refining &c.

संस्कारवत्त्वम् Refinement, elegance (of behaviour); संस्कारक्त्वाद्भवत्यसु चेतः Ki. 17. 6.

संस्कृत p. p. 1 Made perfect, refined, polished, cultivated. -2 Artificially made, highly wrought, carefully or accurately formed, elaborated. -3 Made ready, dressed, prepared; cooked. -4 Consecrated, hallowed; संस्कृतश्चापि रामेण जगाम गतिमुत्तमाम् Rām. 4. 57. 11. -5 Initiated into worldly life, married. -6 Cleansed, purified. -7 Adorned, decorated. -8 Excellent, best. -तः 1 A word formed regularly according to the rules of grammar, a regular derivative. -2 A man of any one of the first three castes over whom all the purificatory rites have been performed. -3 A learned man. -तम् 1 Refined or highly polished speech, the Sanskrit language; संस्कृतं नाम दैवी वागन्वाख्याता महर्षिभिः Kāv. 1. 33. -2 A sacred usage. -3 An offering, oblation (mostly Vedic). -Comp. -आत्मन् 1 one who has received purificatory rites; याजनाध्यापने नित्यं क्रियेते संस्कृतात्मनाम् Ms. 10. 110. -2 a sage. -उक्तिः f. 1 a polished word or language. -2 a Sanskrit word or expression.

संस्कृतिः 1 = संस्कार. -2 Preparation. -3 Perfection. -4 Determination. -5 (Modern usage) Civilization, culture.

संस्कृया 1 A purificatory rite. -2 Consecration. -3 Obsequies, a funeral ceremony. -4 Preparation.

संस्तम्भ 5, 9 P. (caus. also) 1 To stop, restrain, control; प्रयत्नसंस्तम्भितविक्रियाणां कथंचिदीशा मनसां बभूवुः Ku. 3. 34. -2 To paralyze, benumb; वृत्तिं मोहेन संस्तम्भयतेन्द्रियाणाम् Ku. 3. 73. -3 To take heart or courage, cheer up, compose, collect (oneself); संस्तम्भ राम भद्रं ते मा शुचः पुरुषोत्तम Rām. 4. 1. 115; देवि संस्तम्भयाःत्मानम् U. 4. -4 To make firm or immovable; एवं बुद्धेः परं बुद्ध्वा संस्तम्भ्यात्मानमात्मना Bg. 3. 43. -5 To support, prop up. -6 To confirm, establish, corroborate.

संस्तब्ध p. p. Supported, confirmed &c.; see संस्तम्भ.

संस्तम्भः 1 Support, prop. -2 Confirming, strengthening, fixing. -3 Stop, stay. -4 Stupefaction, paralysis. -5 Obstinacy.

संस्तम्भनम् 1 An obstructive remedy. -2 Stopping, arresting.

संस्तु 2 P. 1 To praise. -2 To extol, celebrate. -3 To praise in chorus. -4 To be acquainted with, be familiar or intimate with (chiefly in p. p. in this sense); अनेकशः संस्तुतमप्यनव्या नवं नवं प्रीतिरहो करोति Śi. 3. 31; Ki. 3. 2; see संस्तुत.

संस्तवः 1 Praise, eulogium; न वशं योषितो यान्ति न दानैर्न च संस्तवैः Pt. 4. 89. -2 Acquaintance, intimacy, familiarity; गुणाः प्रियत्वेऽधिकृता न संस्तवः Ki. 4. 25; नवैर्युगैः संप्रति संस्तवस्थिरं तिरोहितं प्रेम घनागमभियः 4. 22; Śi. 7. 31. -3 Agreeing together, harmony. -Comp. -प्रीतिः love through acquaintance.

संस्तवान a. 1 Praising properly. -2 Eloquent. -नः 1 A singer (उद्गातृ). -2 Joy, delight.

संस्तावः 1 Praise, celebration; स्वर्गसंस्तावं हि सामेति Ch. Up. 1. 8. 5. -2 Hymning in chorus. -3 The place which Brāhmanas repeating hymns and prayers occupy at a sacrifice; तयोरेष संस्तावो य एषोऽन्तर्हृदय आकाशः Bṛi. Up. 4. 2. 3.

संस्तुत p. p. 1 Praised, eulogized. -2 Praised together. -3 Agreeing together, harmonious. -4 Intimate, familiar; संकल्पनिर्वृतिषु संस्तुत एष दासः Māl. 7. 2. -5 Intended, aimed at; जयन्ति महतां संस्तुतापलापिन्यः कल्याणिन्यो नीलयः Māl. 10. 23/24. -6 Equal to; श्वविड्वराहोष्ट्रखरैः संस्तुतः पुरुषः पशुः Bhāg. 2. 3. 19.

संस्तुतिः f. Praise, eulogy.

संस्तृ -स्तृ 5, 9 U. 1 To spread, strew; प्रान्तसंस्तीर्णदर्भाः Ś. 4. 8. -2 To overspread.

संस्तरः 1 A bed, couch, layer; a bed of leaves &c.; नवपल्लवंसंस्तरेऽपि ते R. 8. 57; नवपल्लवंसंस्तरे यथा रचयिष्यामि तनुं विभावसौ Ku. 4. 34. -2 A sacrifice. -3 Propagation (of laws or customs).

संस्तारः 1 Spreading out, extension. -2 A bed, couch.