

Coded Abbreviations

To cover a wide range of references we have introduced an alphabetical plan for abbreviations. We have divided it into the following six Series :

- (I) From A to Z
- (II) A to Z with combination of x.
- (III) A to Z with combination of y.
- (IV) A to Z with combination of z.
- (V) A to Z with combination of g.
- (VI) A to Z with combination of J. (for Journals)

During the process of the work, however, we could not avoid repetition and so as to avoid confusion, we have made use of numbers ¹ and ² after the brackets. These inconsistencies are :

1. (Dx)¹ and (Dx)² after Dx.
2. (Ox)¹ after Ox.
3. (Zx)¹ after Zx.
4. (Zy)¹ after Zy.
5. (Kz)¹ and (Kz)² after Kz.
6. (Mg)¹ after Mg.
7. (CJ)¹ after CJ.
8. (XJ)¹ after XJ.

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A Dravidian Etymological Dictionary by T. Burrow and M. B. Emeneau (B)

A History of India. Vol. I by Romila Thapar (C)

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