I Abbreviations, symbols, figures, and tables

A Texts

AP   Atharvavedapariśiṣṭa (Sanderson 2004)
ĀpDh   Āpastamba Dharmasūtra (Olivelle 2000)
ĀUJA   Upāsakajanālaṅkāra by Ānanda (Saddhatissa 1965)
BauDh   Baudhāyana Dharmasūtra (Olivelle 2000)
BĀU   Bṛhadāraṇyaka Upaniṣad (Olivelle 1998)
BĀU_Ś   Commentary on Bṛhadāraṇyaka Upaniṣad by Śaṅkara (Shastri 1986)
BB   Buddha's birth-stories (Meiland 2009a, 2009b)
BhoB   Bhogasakti Grant B (Vats & Diskalkar 1939–1940)
BNMS   Nāradīya Manusaṃhitā by Bhavasvāmin (Lariviere 2003), cited by page number and line
BṛSm   Bṛhaspati Smṛti (Aiyangar 1941)
ChU   Chāndogya Upaniṣad (Olivelle 1998)
ChU_Ś   Commentary on Chāndogya Upaniṣad by Śaṅkara (Shastri 1982)
DSmCV   Smṛticandrikā by Devaṇabhaṭṭa, Vyavahāra section (Srinivasacharya 1988), cited by page number and line
GDh   Gautama Dharmasūtra (Olivelle 2000)
HDKh   Dānakhaṇḍa of Hemādri (Śiromaṇi 1871), cited by page number and line
HU   Hitopadeśa (Törzsök 2007)
KAŚ   Kauṭilya Arthaśāstra (Kangle 1969a)
KātSm   Kātyāyana Smṛti (Kane 1933)
KauU   Kauṣītaki Upaniṣad (Bodewitz 2002)
KNS   Kāmandakīya Nītisāra (Knutson 2021)
KRT   Kalhaṇa's Rājataraṅgiṇī (Stein 1892–1900)
KS   Kāṭhaka Saṃhitā (Schroeder 1971)
LaS   A Sanskrit Dictionary of Law and Statecraft (Olivelle 2015)
LDK   Dānakāṇḍa of Lakṣmīdhara (Brick 2015)
MBh   Mahābhārata (Sukthankar 1927–1959)
MDh   Mānava Dharmaśāstra (Olivelle 2005)

MDhC   Mānava Dharmaśāstra with commentaries (Mandlik 1886)
Mk_E   Gospel according to Mark (United Bible Societies 1976)
MNS   Mīmāṃsānyāyasaṃgraha by Mahādevavedāntin (Benson 2010)
Mt_L   Evangelium secundum Mattheum (Weber 1994)
Mt_E   Gospel according to Matthew (United Bible Societies 1976)
MU   Muṇḍaka Upaniṣad (Olivelle 1998)
NSmV   Nārada Smṛti, Vyavahārapadāni section (Lariviere 2003)
PT   Pañcatantra (Olivelle 2006b)
RPTN   Raghunātha Śiromaṇi's Padārthatattva Nirūpaṇa
         (Vindhyeśvariprasād Dvivedin 1903–1905 or Potter1957), cited by page num-
         ber and line
ṚgV   Ṛgveda (Müller 1890–1892)
SB   De beneficiis (Seneca 2011)
SV   Svatva Vicāra (Derrett 1976c)
ŚB   Śatapatha Brāhmaṇa (Sāmaśrāmi 1903–1906)
ŚRT   Śrīvara Rājataraṅgiṇī (Kaul 1966)
TS   Taittirīya Saṃhitā (Cowell 1866)
TU   Taittirīya Upaniṣad (Olivelle 1998)
UNBV   Nyāyabhāṣyavārttika by Bhāradvāja Uddyotakara (Thakur 1997), cited by
         page number and line
VaDh   Vasiṣṭha Dharmasūtra (Olivelle 2000)
VCh   Charter of Viṣṇuṣeṇa (Wiese & Das 2019), cited by *sthiti*
ViDh   Vaiṣṇava Dharmaśāstra (Olivelle 2009)
YSm   Yājñavalkya Smṛti (Olivelle 2019b)
YSmM   Yājñavalkya Smṛti with Mitākṣarā commentary by Vijñāneśvara (Olivelle &
         Davis, Jr. 2020)

B   Mathematical Symbols

a number of apprentices (in a partnership of artisans)
A   agent
b number of sons from a Brahmin wife
B   Brahmin
B   buyer, also B1, B2, etc.
b benefit
β probability
c cost
c_k class of potential bride k
c_v class of potential groom v
C_i private consumption by individual i (for example "corn")

d	cost to the king of providing *daṇḍa* (army and punishment)
δ	discount factor
D	gift (*dāna* in one-giver models)
D	sum of gifts by all the donors together, $D = \sum_{j=1}^{n} D_j$
D_G	the donor's loss from gifting
$D_G^{śakti}$	the donor's gift threshold
D^{Seneca}	gift in Seneca's sense (*beneficium*)
D^{Sh}	gift derived from the Shapley value
D_R	the receiver's gain from gifting
D_i	gift given by individual i in models with several donors
D_{-i}	sum of gifts by agents other than individual i
D_i^N	gift given by individual i in a Nash equilibrium
D^{n-sw}	gift under no-switching condition
D^{opt}	gift under no-switching and Pareto-optimality conditions
D_R^{opt}	receiver's gain from gifting under no-switching and Pareto-optimality conditions
DS	equality of demand and supply
e	number of experts (in a partnership of artisans)
f	a robber's fear of prosecution, a king's fear of revolt
F	father
g	number of givers
g^{opt}	number of givers under no-switching and Pareto-optimality conditions
G	donor, giver
i	payoff of victim fearing injury
IR	individual rationality
k	*kanyā* (potential bride)
k	number of sons from a *kṣatriya* wife
K	*kṣatriya*
L	loan
m	income (for supporting wives)
$\hat{m}$	income minimum (necessary for supporting wives)
M	man, also M1, M2, etc.
μ	merit technology factor
n	number of agents
p_a	initially announced price
p	price
P	sin (*pāpa*)
P	principal
π	probability
π_i	repayment probability for individual i or class i individual
Ph	fruit, result (*phala*)

r	number of receivers
$r^{\text{n-sw}}$	number of receivers under no-switching condition
r^{opt}	number of receivers under no-switching and Pareto-optimality conditions
r_m	monthly interest rate
r_y	yearly interest rate
R	receiver
s	supportability parameter
s	number of (advanced) students (in a partnership of artisans)
s	number of sons
S	seller
S	subject
S	son
$ś$	number of sons from a *śūdra* wife
Ś	*śūdra*
σ	degree of conviction (*śraddhā*)
sh	shame parameter (for begging)
Sh	Shapley value
t	tax payment
t	transference factor for sin
t	number of teachers (in a partnership of artisans)
tx	tax rate
τ	probability of trustworthiness
U	utility function
v	coalition function
v	number of sons from a *vaiśya* wife
v	*vara* (potential groom)
V	*vaiśya*
V	utility function
V	felicity
w	quantity of marriageable women
W	woman, also W1, W2, etc.
W	wealth, income
W_{i}	wealth or income owned by individual i

C   Other abbreviations

c.	century
CE	common era
BCE	before the common era
fn.	footnote

HW	current author
l.	line
p.	page
pp.	pages
s.v.	sub verbo
viz.	videre licet ("namely", "that is to say")
vol.	volume
←	stemming from, going back to
¬	"not" (used in the context of actions)

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