

Junagadh Inscription of Rudradaman

5.1 Do you know

Description	Image	Source
The Junagadh inscription refers to Satakarni as his relation		Lines 10-11 of the inscription.
Rudradaman is described as the lord of Akara, Avanti, the Anupa country, Anarta, Surashtra, Svabhra, Maru, Kachchha, Sindhu, Sauvira, Kukura, Aparanta, Nishada and other countries by dint of his own valour.		Line 9 of the inscription.
The history of the Sudarsan lake is given in this inscription		Lines 7-8 of the inscription
The qualities of a minister is given in the inscription		Line-16
The inscription tells us that Rudradaman had all this done in order to benefit cows and Brahmanas for a thousand years and for the sake of righteousness (dharma) and kirti(fame).		Line-15

5.2 Glossary

Staring Character	Term	Definition	Related Term
A	Amatya	Minister/Counsellor	
B	Bhrashtaraja	Deposed king	
D	Dharma	Righteousness	
K	Kirti	Fame	

	Kara-pana	Revenue or cess collected in cash/coins.	
P	Pranali	Channel/Conduit.	
	Pranaya	Benevolent tax	
P	Paura-janapada	Urban-rural	
S	Setubandha	Embankment	
	Tadaga	Tank	
V	Varna	Caste	

5.3 Bibliography

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