

Major III

Indian Philosophical Systems – I

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The Common Characteristics of the Indian Systems

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Philosophy of the *Vedas* - Theism in *Vedas* – *Upaniṣads* – The relation between *Brahman* and *Ātman* – *Bhagavad Gītā* – *Niṣkāma Karma*

Unit – 3

Cārvāka: Epistemology – Metaphysics – Ethics

Unit – 4

Jainism: Epistemology – Metaphysics – Ethics

Unit – 5

Buddhism: Four Noble Truths – Theory of Momentariness

Books for Reference:

1. C.D.Sharma, A Critical Survey of Indian Philosophy
2. Datta and Chatterjee, An Introduction to Indian Philosophy