

A. Location : Listed by Samjaya among the northern Janapadas (also called Deśas 6. 10. 68) of Bhāratavarṣa (*ata ūrdhvaṃ janapadān nibodha*) 6. 10. 37, 5; (*ādirāṣṭrāḥ sukuṭṭās ca*) 6. 10. 43. B. Epic event : Afraid of Jarāsandha they, along with many others, took resort in the west (*jarāsandhabhayād eva praticim diśam āsritāḥ* ||... *sustharāś ca sukuṭṭās ca*) 2. 13. 24-25.

Sukumāra m. (sg.) : Name of a Varṣa. One of the Varṣas of the Śākadvīpa; It lay beyond the Jaladhāra mountain (*jaladhārāt paro rājan sukumāra iti smṛtaḥ*) 6. 12. 23.

Sudarśana m., nt. (sg.) : Name of a dvīpa.

A. Its form : Round, like a wheel (*parimaṇḍala; cakrasamsthita*) 6. 6. 12 (Nl. on Bom. Ed. 6. 5. 13 : *cakrasamsthita ity anena cakravat samsthitam samsthānam ākāro 'sya*); surrounded on all sides by salty ocean (*lāvaṇena samudreṇa samantāt parivāritaḥ*) 6. 6. 14. B. Description : It is rich with wealth and full of crops (*sampannadhanadhānyavān*) 6. 6. 14; it is covered with trees full of flowers and fruits (*vrkṣaiḥ puṣpaphalopetaiḥ (praticchannaḥ)*) 6. 6. 14; it has a variety of plants on all sides (*sarvaśuśadhisamāvāpaiḥ sarvataḥ paribṛñhitaḥ*) 6. 6. 16; covered with waters of rivers and with mountains looking like clouds; also covered with towns of different sizes and with countries which are beautiful (*nadījalapratichannaḥ parvataiś cābhra-samñibhaḥ* | *puraiś ca vividhākārāt ramyaiḥ janapadais tathā*) 6. 6. 13. C. Its special features : (1) Just as one can see one's face in a mirror, so can one see the

Sudarśana island in the orb of the moon (*yathā ca puruṣaḥ paśyed ādarśe mukham ātmanaḥ* | *evam sudarśanadvīpo dṛśyate candramanḍale*) 6. 6. 15; (2) On its two parts(?) there is a pippala tree, and on two parts a large hare (?) (*dviramśe pippalas tatra dviramśe ca śaśo mahān*) 6. 6. 16 (According to Nīlakaṇṭha's interpretation (which does not appear to be correct) of 6. 8. 18-19 (= Nl. 6. 5. 13) Sudarśana is another name of Jambūdvīpa : *sudarśano nāma jambūvrkṣaviśeṣas tannāmnānkīto 'yam dvīpaḥ sudarśanadvīpaḥ*. But the words *tasya nāmnā* in st. 19 refer to *jambūvrkṣaḥ* of st. 18 and not to the name *sudarśana* of that tree).

Sudāman m. (pl.) : Name of a Janapada.

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Sudāsārṇa m. (pl.) : Name of a Janapada.

Listed by Samjaya among the northern Janapadas (also called Deśas 6. 10. 68) of Bhāratavarṣa (for citation see Sudāman); (*sudāsārṇāś ca bhārata*) 6. 10. 41.

Sudeṣṇa m. (pl.) : Name of a Janapada.

Listed by Samjaya among the northern Janapadas (also called Deśas 6. 10. 68) of Bhāratavarṣa (for citation see Sudāman); (*mallāḥ sudeṣṇāḥ*) 6. 10. 45.

Sudoṣṇa m. (pl.) : Name of a Janapada.