

#	RV Term	Equivalent Avestan Term	Comment
1	Veda	Avesta	Both from the root word Vid to know. Veda is to know and Avesta is unknowable
2	Apam Napat	Apam Napat	son of water, a divinity
3	Aryaman	Airyaman	member of a religious sodality
4	Asura	Ahura	RV demon, avesta god
5	Atharvan	Athaurvan	fire priest
6	Deva	Daeva	god in RV, demon in avesta
7	hiranya	zaranya	gold
8	hotr	zaotr	sacrificing priest
9	jihva	hizva	tongue
10	kshatra	khshathra	field
11	maksa	maksi	fly
12	mitra	mithra	a divinity
13	nabhanedista	nabanazdishta	rv, son of Manu, in Av - nearest in relation rv divinity, demon in Av. Nasatya and Dasra are the 2 Ashvini Twins
14	Nasatya	nanhaithya	
15	Prthu	Parathu	broad
16	rsti	arsti	spear
17	sena	haena	army
18	soma	haoma	both have the same soma extraction ritual
19	vrtrahan	varathraghna	slayer of enemy
20	yajna	yasna	sacrifice
21	yama	yima	name
22	s/o vivasvat	s/o vivahvant	name
23	sarasvati	harahvati	saraswati river
24	sapta sindhu	hapta hindu	indus region. this is the only reference to India in AV
25	sarayu	harayu	river sarayu
26	dasa	daha	name of dravidians
27	dasyu	dahyu	name of dravidians
28	Gathas	Rig	Interestingly the only way to interpret Gathas is to use Vedic Sanskrit [ <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gathas#Language">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gathas#Language</a> ]
29	Avesta	Vedas	Both exist in multiple texts - Yajur, Sama, Atharva, Brahmanas, Aranyakas etc. Avesta has yasna, vendidad etc. <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Avesta#The_Yasna">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Avesta#The_Yasna</a>
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