

A Review Article on Species used as *Musali* (*Curculigo orchioides*) and *Salam* (*Eulophia compestris*)

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Abstract

In day to day practice when we see the market samples of *Musali* it creates confusion in mind; which type *Musali* is sold by the vendor. These days various species of plants are used as *Musali* in different parts of India. Traditionally, *Salam* and *Salam panja* are also used as *Mushali*. To rule out all these differences and arrive to a definite conclusion. This is an attempt to collect the referances from *samhitas* and *nighantus* about *musali*. Botanically classify the species which are used as *musali*. Describe all the species which are in use as *musali* in a systematic manner.

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