

## Newer Observations on the Cultivation of 'Satavari' (*Asparagus racemosus*) in the Sandy Soil of Bundelkhand, Jhansi (U.P.)

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*During recent years the demand for drugs has been immensely increased resulting in the introduction of various adulterant and substitute drugs, therefore, the cultivation of genuine drugs is necessary to stop this practise. Satavari is one of the imported drugs of Ayurveda having varied therapeutic values. It is an easily culturable drug and trials for its propagation in the sandy soil of Bundelkhand have been undertaken. The results of the various studies done on the cultivation of Satavari in the sandy soil are presented in the paper.*

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