

# MEDICINAL PLANTS OF THE PHILIPPINES BY EDUARDO QUISUMBING

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**What did Eduardo Quisumbing discover?** Quisumbing was the author of numerous taxonomic and morphological papers, many of which deal with orchids, such as "Medicinal plants in the Philippines." Some of his other published works include "Teratology of Philippine Orchids," "The identity of Anota Violacea and Rhynchostylis Retus," "New or Noteworthy Philippine ...

**What are the 5 medicinal plants in the Philippines?** The Department of Health of the Philippines approved 10 medicinal plants namely Allium sativum (Garlic/Bawang), Blumea balsamifera (Nagal camphor/sambong), Cassia alata (Ringworm bush/akapulko), Clinopodium douglasii (Mint/yerba Buena), Ehretia microphylla (Scorpion bush/Tsaang Gubat), Momordica charantia (Bitter Melon ...

**What are the abundant medicinal plants in the Philippines?**

**Who is the father of Philippine orchidology?** Eduardo Quisumbing was born on this day in 1895. He was a pioneer in studying our country's rich flora, enough for him to be called as the "Father of Philippine Orchidology." He was an alumnus of the Universities of the Philippines and California, which he applied in his studies of orchids in the country.

**What are the contributions of Lourdes Quisumbing?** She was the founder and first President of the UNESCO-Asia Pacific Network for International Education and Values Education (APNIEVE), and was a former Secretary-General of the UNESCO National Commission of the Philippines (1990 to 1998). She was chairperson

emerita on the Board of Trustees for Miriam College.

**What is the botany department in the Philippines?** botany. The Botany Division is tasked primarily to make a systematic inventory of Philippine flora and vegetation. It maintains the national herbarium which is the reference collection of the different kinds of plants found in this country. At present the collection contains approximately 170,000 specimens.

**What is the strongest medicinal plant?**

**What are the anti inflammatory plants in the Philippines?** *Peperomia pellucida*, locally known as “ulasimang-bato” or “pansit-pansitan”, has long been used in Philippine traditional medicine for its analgesic, anti-inflammatory, and anti-hyperuricemic properties.

**What herb lowers blood sugar quickly?**

**Which is the king of all medicinal plants?** *Terminalia chebula* Retz. (Fam. Combretaceae), is called the 'King of Medicine' in Tibet and is always listed at the top of the list of 'Ayurvedic Materia Medica' because of its extraordinary power of healing.

**What is the most useful plant in the Philippines?** *Moringa* is one of the world's most useful trees and in the Philippines almost all parts of the plant are used for food and traditional medicine.

**What is the herb plant in the Philippines for urinary tract infection?** Use in the Philippines As a diuretic, sambong is an herb used to treat urolithiasis (urinary tract or kidney stones) and urinary tract infections, and thus reduces high blood pressure. Sambong works as an expectorant, an anti-diarrheal and an anti-spasmodic, all of which treat some symptoms of the common cold.

**Who is the Philippine creator God?** The ancient Indian [Indio i.e. the Tagalogs] name for God was Bathala, to whom they attributed the creation of the world.

**Who was known as the father of Filipino?** Jose Rizal, Father of Filipino Nationalism.

**Who is the first man who discovered Philippines?** The Philippines were claimed in the name of Spain in 1521 by Ferdinand Magellan, a Portuguese explorer sailing for Spain, who named the islands after King Philip II of Spain. They were then called Las Felipinas.

**What is the significant contribution of Quisumbing in the field of science?** Eduardo Quisumbing is pioneer in the study of Philippine medicinal plants where he made tremendous contribution. His book Medicinal Plants in Philippines is the forerunner of all researches on medicinal plants in the country. He was author of more than 129 scientific articles published here and abroad.

**What is the contribution of Alfredo C. Santos in the field of science?** He pioneered studies in the isolation and elucidation (or identifying the chemical structure) of chemical components from indigenous Philippine plants. In particular, he studied alkaloids, organic compounds that can be derived from plants and mostly contain basic nitrogen atoms.

**What is the educational philosophy of Lourdes Quisumbing?** Lourdes Quisumbing "Believes that education must strengthen the dignity of the learner as a human person.

**What made Gregorio Zara pursue a career in science?** ? Gregorio Zara pursue his career in science because of his dedicated in science and technology and to his position and works in government. Upon his go back to the Philippines, Dr. Zara was hired technical assistant on aviation matters at work from the Secretary of Department of Public Works and Communications (DPWC).

## **Sherwani: A Traditional Indian Garment**

### **What is a Sherwani?**

A sherwani is a long, knee-length or ankle-length coat-like garment worn by men in India and Pakistan. It is typically made of silk or brocade and features intricate embroidery, often in gold or silver thread. The sherwani is a traditional garment worn on special occasions such as weddings, festivals, and other formal events.

### **History of the Sherwani**

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The sherwani is believed to have originated in Persia during the Mughal Empire. It was initially worn by royalty and wealthy individuals as a formal attire. Over time, the sherwani became popular among the general population and evolved into a common garment for weddings and other important ceremonies.

### **Features of a Sherwani**

Sherwanis are characterized by their long, flowing shape and a high neckline with a V-shaped or rounded collar. They typically have buttons running down the center front and may have pockets on the sides. The embroidery on a sherwani is often elaborate and may include floral motifs, geometric patterns, or religious symbols.

### **Wearing a Sherwani**

Sherwanis are typically worn over a fitted churidar or dhoti, which are traditional Indian pants. They are often paired with a turban or other headgear, as well as traditional footwear such as mojaris or kolhapuris. Sherwanis can be customized according to personal preference, with different fabrics, embroidery, and colors available.

### **Significance of the Sherwani**

The sherwani is still a popular garment today and is considered a symbol of elegance and tradition in Indian and Pakistani culture. It is worn by both grooms and guests at weddings and other formal events. The sherwani also holds religious significance for some communities and is sometimes worn during religious ceremonies and festivals.

### **Semiconductor Physics and Devices: Basic Principles**

Semiconductors are materials that exhibit electrical properties intermediate between those of conductors and insulators. They have found widespread applications in electronic devices, including transistors, diodes, and solar cells.

**Question 1: What is the energy band structure of a semiconductor? Answer:** Semiconductors have a band gap between the valence band and the conduction band. The valence band is completely filled with electrons, while the conduction

band is empty.

**Question 2: How can semiconductors be doped to create n-type and p-type materials?** **Answer:** N-type semiconductors are created by adding donor impurities that provide extra electrons to the material. P-type semiconductors are created by adding acceptor impurities that remove electrons from the material.

**Question 3: What is a p-n junction?** **Answer:** A p-n junction is a semiconductor device that is formed by joining a p-type region and an n-type region. When the junction is biased in the forward direction, current flows easily. When the junction is biased in the reverse direction, current does not flow.

**Question 4: How does a transistor operate?** **Answer:** A transistor is a three-terminal semiconductor device that can be used to amplify or switch electrical signals. It consists of two p-n junctions connected back-to-back. By controlling the voltage applied to the base terminal, the flow of current between the emitter and collector terminals can be regulated.

**Question 5: What is the difference between a solar cell and a photodiode?** **Answer:** Solar cells are semiconductor devices that convert light energy into electrical energy. Photodiodes are semiconductor devices that convert light energy into an electrical signal. Solar cells are designed to generate power, while photodiodes are designed to detect light.

## **Swing Music on YouTube: A Q&A Guide**

### **What is swing music?**

Swing music, a vibrant and upbeat genre, emerged in the 1930s and gained immense popularity. Characterized by its fast tempo, syncopated rhythms, and improvisational solos, it became the soundtrack of the swing era.

### **What are the popular swing music YouTube channels?**

YouTube offers a vast collection of swing music content. Some popular channels include:

- **Benny Goodman:** The legendary clarinetist's channel features performances of his iconic swing hits.
- **Glenn Miller:** This channel showcases the timeless music of the Glenn Miller Orchestra, famous for its smooth and melodic sound.
- **Artie Shaw:** Explore the influential swing arrangements of Artie Shaw and his orchestra.

### How can I find specific swing music on YouTube?

Use keyword searches to find specific swing music tracks or artists. For example:

- "Swing music by Benny Goodman"
- "Best swing jazz playlist"
- "Live recordings of Glenn Miller Orchestra"

### What are the benefits of listening to swing music on YouTube?

YouTube provides convenient access to a vast library of swing music, allowing you to:

- Discover new songs and artists
- Explore different swing music eras and styles
- Enhance your music knowledge and appreciation

### Where can I find swing music dance lessons on YouTube?

YouTube also offers numerous swing dance lessons for beginners and experienced dancers. Popular channels include:

- **Swing Dance Connection:** Features step-by-step tutorials for various swing dances.
- **SwingStep:** Provides comprehensive lessons and choreography for East Coast and West Coast swing.
- **Swingin' With the Stars:** Teaches swing dance moves with a focus on partner work.

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