

**DESCRIPTION OF *DOLICHORHYNCHUS (DOLICHORHYNCHUS)*
MOTIAII N. SP. (NEMATODA: TYLENCHIDA) AND OBSERVATIONS
ON *BASIROLAIMUS DUBIUS* (CHATURVEDI & KHERA, 1979)
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Abstract

Dolichorhynchus (D.) motiaii n. sp. isolated from sil around the roots of tuberose (*Polianthes tuberosa*) and motia Arabic jasmine (*Jasminum sambac*) and *Basirolaimus dubius* (Chaturvedi & Khera, 1979) Siddiqi 1986 isolated from soil around the roots of periwinkle (*Catharanthus roseus*) and china-rose (*Hibiscus rosa-sinensis*) from Karachi, Pakistan are described and illustrated herein. *Dolichorhynchus (D.) motiaii* comes close to *D. (D.) phaseoli*, *D.(D.) parvus*, *D.(D.) nigericus* and *D.(D.) prophasmi* on the basis of offset lip region, 12 longitudinal ridges and notched bursa. *Basirolaimus dubius* is reported for the first time from Pakistan.