

The cultivation of *Setaria* and *Panicum* in Taiwan

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Foxtail millet (*Setaria italica*) and common millet (*Panicum miliaceum*) are the two most representative millets grown in the aboriginal villages in Taiwan since 5000 years ago. This paper investigated the current cultivation methods of both millets in Taiwan and the correlation of the known species, domestication, genetic diversity, and distribution patterns due to cultivation methods. In addition, *Setaria* and *Panicum*'s utilization, nutrition as well as the economic value will be discussed.