GLOSSARY

Alu potato

Aosia bidwi a kind of soup that is given to delivered mother in three day

Asra je asra net

Arung/ thengol string made from young bamboo split to bind something.

Awla mairong non-boiled husked rice

Banlu bwddwn a very small variety of chili that has medicinal value

Banlu chili pepper

Banlu eonai fried chili pepper Banlu saonai egg roast/ burn

Barsigi (basikha) bibar a small red bitter flower

Besor mwigong mustard plant (brassica juncea)

Borkho a kind of fish lives in hole in water.

Burahud bathwn chutney of burahud (ginger like rhizome)

Burbulia a land insect that flies in the month of March

April.

Bwisag the beginning month of Bangla calendar.

Bwrsi hook

Bwthia - loach fish

Dao bibu intestine of chicken

Dahab hwnanwi na gurnai a kind of fishing method

Dahar langi a very large net for fishing.

Danggri large bundle of harvested paddy /A bulky sheaf of paddy

Denai bathwn pounded chutney

Dingkhi a traditional rice milling wooden equipment.

Dingkhia fern (diplazium esculentum (Retz) Sw. Athyriaceae)

Dudali thaso large variety arum

Duli a bamboo made granary for preserving rice

Dwuwn a kind of string especially in net.

Emphwu Eonai Silk worm fry

emphou eri moth

Engkhaori a small aquatic insect

Eonai fried

Fwrannai drying

Gangjema an edible aquatic insect

Gidalifwr The singers

Gongar Lapha lapha in spinach-like

Gorsi eonai gorsi fry (Indian bean fry)

gufur mwitha Roselle white colour

Guma gwthao a kind of edible grasshopper that is found in paddy

Gusengra bathwn cricket insect chutney

Gwmbri fithai a small creeper plant's frui

Gwranwi something in dry

Gwri a kind of local fish, snake head fish.

Gwri langi snack head fish net

Haat measuring unit

Haijeng ginger
Haldwi turmeric
Hasung tube

Helangshi an aquatic vegetable.

Hwnanwi giving/ adding

Jabsri a kind of vegetable plant

Jaluk black piper

Je net

Jonga/jongga an earthen pot for preserving jumai the rice beer.

Jekhai triangle shaped bamboo made fishing equipment.

Jongor multi spared iron fishing equipment

Jukham maize

Jumai dala flat bamboo pot to husk rice.

Jumai mairong rice for preparing jumai

Jwmwn buri the Bagh Rani Jwmwn jwla the Bagh Raja

Khakhi one end open and another closed cylinder shaped fishing trap.

Khala pulse khala

Khangkhrai crab

Khangkhrikhola teasle gourd(scientific name momordica dioica)

Khanthal begor jack fruit seed.

Kharwi alkali

Kharwi wngkhri - alkaline curry

Khasi a cutter iron equipment to harvest paddy.

Khathimala a kind of bamboo split that has very sharp cutting edges.

Khawi langi, a net that is used for fishing a particular fish khawi.

Kherkha/ khirkha a bamboo made pot used for drain wash

Khesari Dali a kind of pulse

Khobai a kind of bamboo made fishing basket trap.

Khodal spade

Khokha a kind of fishing trap

Khoma bibar a kind of flower having strong itching in its leaf.

Khuduna mwidru boil khuduna

Khumbra runai white guord boil

Khusia gwran dried eel fish

Khusung turtle

Lai mwigong vegetable mustard (Brassica juncea)

Lamnai jau the act of drying through spreading something.

Lao bottle guord

Lao lao liquid

Lapha a kind of leafy vegetable

Lapha gwbab alkaline lapha.

Magw month of Bangla calendar the Magh

Maisundri fish mint

Marahwnai act of separating rice or seed from straw.

Mwdwmswranai to make body free from pain

Mewai bamboo shoot
Mwiduful runai papaya boil
Mwikhun mushroom
Mwisungkha a vegetable

Mwitha gwja the deep red coloured mwitha of sour taste.

Mwitha phathw the white coloured mwitha (Hibiscus canafinus)

Mwswu goli cow shed

Mwthi a small bundle of harvested paddy.

Nafam fermented fish

Na gran/gwran dry fish Na gurnai fishing

Na gwran hangnai dried fish heating

Na gwri hangnai recipe of snack head fish heating.

Na phisa small fish

Na rudopnai fish boiling curry with spice or leafy vegetables.

Nasrai Assamese snack head

Nathur prawn

Nathur junai small prawn

Nomano the main house of Bodo community

Odal a kind of tree with fibre in its bark.

Onla khari. A kind of rice powder curry

Owal a wooden grinding equipment.

Phanthao brinjal

Pholo a bamboo made fishing trap

Sambram gufur garlic

Samo dakhwn a snail top covering its mouth.

Sandri an agricultural equipment to separate.

Saonai burn.

Sefali bibar jasmine flower

Sen a kind of bamboo made fishing trap

Sibing bathwn sesame pounded chutney.

Siflenai mashing

Sili a kind of fishing equipment.

Sithorni Bori. Herbal medicine locally prepared

Sobai wngkhri curry of urad dal or black pulse with alkali.

Sobkha bidwi a soup made of herbal plants

Sohra small fishing trap

Thafla slightly bitter

Tha ganda yam

Tha guna sweet potato
Thaisuri hog plum
Thao gwiwi non oiled

Tharai a kind of turmeric like plant that has flower and fruits.

Thopsi a wooden pounding equipment.

Thunthini a kind of vegetable

Tithi unit of counting day of a pakhsya in traditional way

Tola a unit of measurement to measure valuable things.

Wngkham dwiswm soaked rice

Wngkham gwjang cooked rice of day before

Zabrang a kind of spice seed imported from the country of Bhutan.