

A few words/words derived from other languages that are a part of the Konkani lexicon



Portuguese

Pão (bread), *Caju* (cashew), *Tomat* (tomato), *Popai* (papaya), *Kuler* (spoon), *Garf* (fork),
Kustar (difficult), *Mãe* (mother), *Pai* (father), *Irmanv* (brother), *Kazar* (marriage)
Govet (drawer), *Sabaun* (soap), *Adogad* (lawyer), *Dotor* (doctor),
Lisavn (lesson), *Susegad* (laid-back)

Kannada

Duddu (money), *Tantim* (Eggs)

Arabic/Persian

Ajap (wonder), *Khobor* (news), *Buniad* (foundation), *Barik* (thin), *Dusman* (enemy),
Bazar (market), *Noxib* (fate), *Umed* (enthusiasm)

Of Dravidian Origin

Tandul (rice), *Naall* (coconut), *Methi* (fenugreek), *Mulo* (radish), *Pal* (house lizard)

Of Pre-historic Tribal Origin

Mer (field boundary), *Khazan* (type of farmland), *Kudd* (room), *Khomp* (hut),
Zonn (individual share of the surplus agricultural production)