PLANT FACT SHEET

Cornus sessilis Torr.

GENUS *Cornus* **FAMILY** Cornaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tall deciduous shrub. It grows 3 m tall. The young shoots are green. The leaves are tapering. The flowers are small and bright yellow. They are in large bracts which fall off. They appear of bare wood. The fruit are purple-black and glossy.

HABITAT

Temperate. It suits hardiness zones 7-9.

NOTES

There are about 45 Cornus species.

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