PLANT FACT SHEET

Myrceugenia lanceolata (Juss. ex J. St. Hil.) Kausel

GENUS *Myrceugenia* **FAMILY** Myrtaceae

COMMON NAMES Arrayancillo

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are used for jelly, yam and pies. They are also eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 3 m tall. The flowers are white. They have 4 petals.

HABITAT

In Chile it grows from sea level to 2,000 m altitude. It grows near water with its roots in water. It grows along rivers and lakes. It grows in full sun. It can grow in light shade. It suits hardiness zone 8. It can tolerate some frost and snow.

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