PLANT FACT SHEET

Cavendishia axillaris A. C. Sm.

GENUS *Cavendishia* **FAMILY** Ericaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A climbing shrub. It grows 60-150 cm tall. The leaves are alternate and broadly oval. The flowers are in clusters in the axils of the leaves. The flowers are bottle shaped and pink to white to yellow. The fruit are round blue berries.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows up to 500-1,100 m above sea level. It suits the wet tropics.

REFERENCES

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