PLANT FACT SHEET

Callicarpa giraldii Hesse ex Rehd.

GENUS *Callicarpa* **FAMILY** Verbenaceae

COMMON NAMES Azhuluzu, Beauty berry

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. The leaves are dark green and narrowly oval. The fruit are purple berries.

HABITAT

It is a temperate to subtropical plant. In Yunnan in China it grows below 1500 m above sea level. It grows in secondary forest.

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