PLANT FACT SHEET

Cornus amomum Mill.

GENUS *Cornus* **FAMILY** Cornaceae

COMMON NAMES Silk dogwood, Kinnikinnik

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A compact deciduous shrub. It grows about 3 m high. The leaves are dark green. They turn red in autumn. The flowers are white. The fruit are purplish-black.

HABITAT

Temperate. It suits hardiness zones 5-8.

NOTES

There are about 45 Cornus species. There are 4 Cornus species in tropical America.

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