PLANT FACT SHEET

Alnus glutinosa (L.) Gaertn.

GENUS *Alnus* **FAMILY** Betulaceae

COMMON NAMES Black alder, European alder

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves & Bark - medicine

DESCRIPTION

A tree.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. Arboretum Tasmania.

NOTES

The wood is burned and used for smoking meat.

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