PLANT FACT SHEET

Alnus serrulata (Aiton) Willd.

GENUS *Alnus* **FAMILY** Betulaceae

COMMON NAMES Hazel alder, Smooth alder

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: tea, Possibly medicine

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 2.5-4 m tall. The trunk is 15 cm across. The edges of the leaves have fine teeth.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It often grows near streams. It suits hardiness zones 5-8. Arboretum Tasmania.

NOTES

The bark is used as a tea for medicine.

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