PLANT FACT SHEET

Prunus vachuschtii Bregadze

GENUS *Prunus* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

COMMON NAMES Alycha, Alucha

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

It can be eaten raw and is also used for a sauce for meat dishes.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. The fruit are green and turn yellow when ripe.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows between 500-700 m above sea level.

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