PLANT FACT SHEET

Rhamnus alnifolia L'Her

GENUS *Rhamnus* **FAMILY** Rhamnaceae

COMMON NAMES Alder-leaved buckthorn

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bark - flavouring

DESCRIPTION

A medium sized shrub. It grows 50-150 cm high. The flowers are in clusters of 2-5. The leaves are 5-12 cm long and have 10-14 veins.

HABITAT

A temperate plant.

NOTES

There are about 150 Rhamnus species.

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