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# Cordyline australis



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## Location

Portland Botanic Gardens, Glenelg Street., PORTLAND VIC 3305 - Property No T11069

## Municipality

GLENELG SHIRE

## Level of significance

State

## Heritage Listing

National Trust

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## Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 20, 2004

Contribution to the landscape  
Outstanding size  
Outstanding example of species

A native of New Zealand, the Cabbage Tree (*Cordyline australis*) was very popular in the late 1880s and can be found in many historic gardens. This specimen is the largest known in cultivation in Victoria.

March 2015: Andrew Blackman observed the tree to be in much better condition than a previous visit 10 years ago during drought.

Measurements: 05/1985  
Spread (m): 10.4  
Girth (m): 3.4  
Height (m): 11.1  
Estimated Age (yrs): 120  
Condition: Excellent

Measurements: 25/01/2004  
Spread(m): 10.4  
Girth (m): 4.7  
Height (m): 10  
Estimated Age (yrs): 139  
Condition: Fair

Access: Unrestricted  
Classified: 13/06/1985

Other Names      Cabbage Tree,  
Hermes Number    70576  
Property Number

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