
Eucalyptus camaldulensis



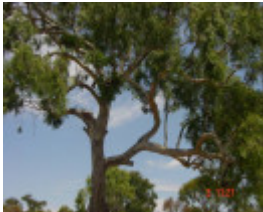
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Location

Bundoora Park, Plenty Road,, BUNDOORA VIC 3083 - Property No T11081

Municipality

DAREBIN CITY

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - December 18, 2007

Curious growth form

An attractive River Red Gum (*Eucalyptus camaldulensis*) in good condition growing amongst a large stand dominating the landscape of Bundoora Park. The tree contains a natural graft, forming a loop between two separate branch systems, approximately 11 metres above the ground. A study by Schleiger & George (1984) hypothesised that a branch grew down and abutted an upwardly directed limb. After initial rubbing to expose the sapwood, the two limbs gradually united. The physical contribution of the graft loop was to strengthen the tree in the strongest upwind direction.

The tree is located in Bundoora Park, east of the carpark/toilet area

Measurements: 03/1984

Spread (m): 20

Girth (m): 3.3

Height (m): 17.5

Estimated Age (yrs): 200+

Condition: Good

Measurements: 05/2011

Spread (m): 15

Girth (m): 3.3

Height (m): 17

Estimated Age (yrs): 220+

Condition: Good

Access: Unrestricted

Classified: 11/09/1986

Other Names The 'Loop Tree', River Red Gum,

Hermes Number 70589

Property Number

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