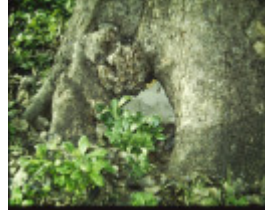

Pyrus communis



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Location

540 Archies Road,, WATERHOLES VIC 3875 - Property No T11290

Municipality

EAST GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 9, 2004

Contribution to the landscape
Outstanding size

This venerable specimen is the sole remnant of the market garden that serviced the local gold diggings community in the early 1900s. A cavity at the base of the tree was filled with concrete in approximately 1978 but it still continues to fruit profusely and shows satisfactory extension growth. *Pyrus communis*, is native to central and eastern Europe and southwest Asia and is one of the most important fruits of temperate regions. The tree is located south of the homestead (now Waterholes Guest House)

Measurements: 15/06/1996
Spread (m): 8

Girth (m): 2.25
Height (m): 16.75
Estimated Age (yrs): 100
Condition: Good

Access: Restricted
Classified: 08/08/1996

Other Names Common Pear, European Pear,

Hermes Number 70794

Property Number

This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.

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