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Location

Buninyong Botanic Gardens, Cnr Scott and Inglis Streets,, BUNINYONG VIC 3357 - Property No T11437

Municipality

BALLARAT CITY

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - October 6, 2011

Contribution to landscape of historic garden
Rare or localised

A fine example of Spanish Fir uncommon in cultivation. The tree displays perfect form and is a dominant specimen in the Gardens. *Abies pinsapo* is also known as the Spanish fir as this particular variety is only found in the wild in a small region of mountainous mainland Spain. While it is not under immediate threat of extinction, it is rare and its natural habitat is a protected nature reserve.

Measurements: 04/1986

Spread (m): 11.5

Girth (m): 2.26

Height (m): 21

Estimated Age (yrs): 90

Condition: Good

Measurements: 6/03/2004

Spread (m): 9

Girth (m): 2.5

Height (m): 17

Estimated Age (yrs): 108

Condition: Good

Measurements: 08/2011

Spread (m): E-W 12.4; N-S 10.4

Girth (m): 2.5

Height (m): 21

Estimated Age (yrs): 115

Condition: Good

Access: Unrestricted

Classified: 08/05/1986

Other Names Spanish Fir,

Hermes Number 70936

Property Number

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