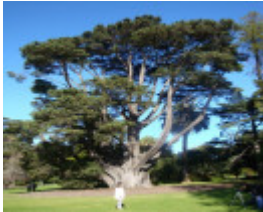

Hesperocyparis macrocarpa



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Location

Royal Botanic Gardens, Birdwood Avenue, MELBOURNE VIC 3004 - Property No T11848

Municipality

MELBOURNE CITY

Level of significance

State

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - September 28, 2005

Contribution to historic garden or park
Outstanding size

Located on the Hopetoun lawn and possibly the largest example of the species in the world. An enormous tree, although it dropped one of its branches in 1981. Presumably planted by Baron von Mueller, Director of Gardens, 1857 - 73. He mentions planting Monterey Cypresses in this region of the Gardens in Annual Reports in 1858 and 1864.

The tree canopy has been extensively cabled

Measurements: 06/2003
Spread (m): E-W 31; N-S 31
Girth (m): 10.62
Height (m): 29
Estimated Age (yrs): 142
Condition: Fair

Access: Unrestricted
Classified: 08/09/1982

Other Names Monterey Cypress, Cupressus,

Hermes Number 71352

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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