

Caladenia interjacens

Name and Authority

Caladenia interjacens Hopper & A.P.Br.

Synonyms (previous names)

Arachnorchis interjacens; *Calonemorchis interjacens*

Common Name

Walpole Spider Orchid

Complex Name

Caladenia huegelii (King Spider Orchids)

Originally Described by

Stephen Hopper & Andrew Brown in *Nuytsia* 14:98-101, Figs. 15O-S (2001)

Distribution and Habitat

Walpole to West Cliff Point, growing in sandy soil on consolidated coastal dunes.

Flowering Months

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Description

A distinctive, coastal [species](#) 300–600 mm high with a hairy leaf 80–200 mm long by 5–15 mm wide and up to two white to pale pinkish-white flowers 50–100 mm across.

Distinguishing Features

It is distinguished from superficially similar White Spider Orchid (*Caladenia longicauda*) by its shorter [petals](#), [clubbed sepals](#) and often pale pink suffused flowers.

WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Priority Four



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