

Caladenia sp. 'central wheatbelt'

Name and Authority

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Common Name

Central Wheatbelt Spider Orchid

Complex Name

Caladenia filamentosa (Wispy Spider Orchids)

Originally Described by

Undescribed

Distribution and Habitat

Wyalkatchem to Tambellup, growing in sandy and sandy-clay soils in woodlands, shrublands and soil pockets on granite outcrops

Flowering Months

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Description

A common species 200–240 mm high with a hairy leaf 80–170 mm long by 2–5 mm wide and up to two creamy-white, yellow or red flowers 50–80 mm across.

Distinguishing Features

It is distinguished from the related Chameleon Spider Orchid (*Caladenia dimidia*) by its larger flowers, longer, often pendulous, petals and lateral sepals and generally later flowering period.

WA Conservation Code (Threatened Status)

Not Listed



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