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| SPECIES | <i>Archontophoenix cunninghamiana</i> |
| COMMON NAME | Bangalow Palm or King Palm |
| ORIGIN | Brazil; New Zealand |
| DESIGN USE | Ornamental palm planted in clusters or individual |



HEIGHT

20m

SPREAD

2–2.5m

HABIT

Tall, handsome palm

FORM

Has a graceful appearance with leaves up to about 2 metres long, stiff pinnately compound feather-like fronds and have a tendency to rotate 90° to expose the whole leaf in profile

FLOWERS

Its flower colour is violet.

FLOWERING PERIOD

Mid-summer

FRUIT

Fruit is red, 1-1.4 cm long, 0.8-1.1 cm in diameter.

CLIMATIC TOLERANCES

More cold-tolerant than *A. alexandrae*.

HORTICULTURE

These palms can be grown in full sun (if the water is kept up to them), or in the shade. They do like more water than most palms, with some even thriving in poorly drained areas.

REFERENCES

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Archontophoenix_cunninghamiana

