

# Tree Information Sheet

## Common Name

Royal Poinciana

## Botanical Name

*Delonix regia*

## Origin

Native to northern and western Madagascar.

## Description

Deciduous tree with a widespread umbrella shaped canopy and fine feathery, layered foliage. The tree is broader than tall, growing to a mature height of 10 metres and spread between 10 - 15 metres.

The tree has fern-like leaves and produces large, showy, scarlet to red, pea-like flowers in mid-summer.



Close-up of Royal Poinciana flowers



Mature Royal Poinciana