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## Acreage retreat

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**T**ranquillity encompasses this private acreage retreat that is nestled within a spectacular bushland setting in Tallebudgera Valley. Two architect-designed single-level residences gracefully curve with the stunning landscape to take full advantage of breathtaking views that span across the valley of Springbrook, the Cuggels and Mt Tallebudgera.

A long, private driveway meanders through the elevated 20ha property to the two separate residences that are joined by a double carport.

Details throughout the main residence harmonise with the natural setting while creating a contemporary elegance including timber cabinetry in the kitchen, a stone feature around the wood heater, vast walls of glass stacker doors to invite the outside in, and high ceilings that create a sense of space.

Aboriginal art decorates feature poles in the entrance garden that opens to a tiled, open-plan living space that incorporates a

timber and stone kitchen, a relaxed sitting area, an open dining space and the living room that opens to a separate outdoor room hemmed with tropical plants.

A seamless merge with the great outdoors is created through stacker doors that open to a covered alfresco entertaining and dining area that has an outdoor kitchen and commanding mountain views.

Manicured gardens, designed by landscaper Michael Degood, beset the house and include a rock waterfall that cascades into an idyllic pond dotted with waterlilies.

A stone paved walkway lined with tall

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