

Project Name: Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD
Project Code: DLR **Site ID:** 1139 **Observation ID:** 1
Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

Site Information

Desc. By:	Rogers, Gary	Locality:	
Date Desc.:	22/05/92	Elevation:	No Data
Map Ref.:	Sheet No. : 8058 GPS	Rainfall:	No Data
Northing/Long.:	7840520 AMG zone: 55	Runoff:	No Data
Easting/Lat.:	367599 Datum: AGD66	Drainage:	Imperfectly drained

Geology

Exposure Type:	No Data	Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.:	No Data
Geol. Ref.:	No Data	Substrate Material:	Undisturbed soil core, No Data

Land Form

Rel/Slope Class:	Gently undulating plains <9m 1-3%	Pattern Type:	Plain
Morph. Type:	Flat	Relief:	No Data
Elem. Type:	Plain	Slope Category:	Very gently sloped
Slope:	1 %	Aspect:	No Data

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting, Cracking

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:		Mapping Unit:	N/A
Endocalcareous-Endohypersodic Crusty Grey Vertosol Non-gravelly Medium fine Very fine Deep		Principal Profile Form:	Ug5.24
ASC Confidence:		Great Soil Group:	Grey clay

All necessary analytical data are available.

Site Disturbance: No effective disturbance other than grazing by hoofed animals

Vegetation: Low Strata - , , . *Species includes - Dichanthium species, Digitaria species, Cyperus species
Mid Strata - , , . *Species includes - None recorded
Tall Strata - Tree, 12.01-20m, Sparse. *Species includes - Eucalyptus brownii

Surface Coarse Fragments: 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz

Profile Morphology

A11	0 - 0.05 m	Dark grey (10YR4/1-Moist); ; Medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , ; Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.05); Clear change to -
B21	0.05 - 0.3 m	Dark grey (2.5Y4/1-Moist); ; Medium heavy clay; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , ; Field pH 8 (Raupach, 0.25); Clear change to -
B22	0.3 - 1.1 m	Grey (10YR5/1-Moist); ; Heavy clay; Moderate grade of structure, Lenticular; Smooth-ped fabric; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, distinct; Very few (0 - 2 %), Calcareous, Fine (0 - 2 mm), Soft segregations; , Gypseous, , , ; Field pH 8.5 (Raupach, 1);

Morphological Notes

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Laboratory Test Results:

Depth	pH	1:5 EC	Exchangeable	Cations	Exchangeable	CEC	ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	K	Na Cmol (+)/kg	Acidity	%
0 - 0.05	6.9A		9.4B	7.8	0.93	0.84		
0.05 - 0.3	7.4A							
0.3 - 1.1	8.3A		11B	8.9	0.24	8.7		

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile

10B	Extractable sulfur(mg/kg) - Phosphate extractable sulfur
15A2_CA	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_K	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_MG	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_NA	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15N1	Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP)
4A1	pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension