

**Project Name:** Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD  
**Project Code:** DLR                      **Site ID:** 1143                      **Observation ID:** 1  
**Agency Name:** QLD Department of Primary Industries

**Site Information**

<b>Desc. By:</b>	Rogers, Gary	<b>Locality:</b>	
<b>Date Desc.:</b>	01/06/92	<b>Elevation:</b>	420 metres
<b>Map Ref.:</b>	Sheet No. : 8058    GPS	<b>Rainfall:</b>	No Data
<b>Northing/Long.:</b>	7841941 AMG zone: 55	<b>Runoff:</b>	No Data
<b>Easting/Lat.:</b>	359475    Datum: AGD66	<b>Drainage:</b>	Imperfectly drained

**Geology**

<b>ExposureType:</b>	No Data	<b>Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.:</b>	No Data
<b>Geol. Ref.:</b>	No Data	<b>Substrate Material:</b>	Undisturbed soil core, No Data

**Land Form**

<b>Rel/Slope Class:</b>	Rolling low hills 30-90m 10-	<b>Pattern Type:</b>	Low hills
<b>Morph. Type:</b>	Crest	<b>Relief:</b>	No Data
<b>Elem. Type:</b>	Hillcrest	<b>Slope Category:</b>	Gently inclined
<b>Slope:</b>	5 %	<b>Aspect:</b>	180 degrees

**Surface Soil Condition (dry):**    Hardsetting

**Erosion:**

**Soil Classification**

<b>Australian Soil Classification:</b>		<b>Mapping Unit:</b>	N/A
Haplic Dystrophic Red Kurosol Medium Moderately gravelly Loamy Clay-loamy Moderately deep		<b>Principal Profile Form:</b>	Dr2.11
<b>ASC Confidence:</b>		<b>Great Soil Group:</b>	Non-calcic brown soil

All necessary analytical data are available.

**Site Disturbance:** Limited clearing, for example selective logging

**Vegetation:**    Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Cenchrus ciliaris, Panicum species, Themeda

Mid Strata - , , . \*Species includes - None recorded

Tall Strata - Tree, 1.01-3m, Closed or dense. \*Species includes - Acacia torulosa

**Surface Coarse Fragments:** 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, angular, Quartz

**Profile Morphology**

A1	0 - 0.18 m	Reddish brown (5YR4/4-Moist); ; Sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.03); Clear change to -
B2	0.18 - 0.55 m	Yellowish red (5YR4/6-Moist); ; Clay loam, sandy; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; 10-20%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach, 0.35); Clear change to -
C	0.55 - 0.7 m	Weak red (10R4/4-Moist); ; Sandy loam; Moderate grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Polyhedral; 10-20%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 5.5 (Raupach, 0.6);

**Morphological Notes**

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**Laboratory Test Results:**

Depth	pH	1:5 EC	Ca	Exchangeable Mg	Cations K	Na	Exchangeable Acidity	CEC	ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m				Cmol (+)/kg				%
0 - 0.18	5.3A		0.49B	0.17	0.49	0.02				
0.18 - 0.55	4.7A									
0.55 - 0.7	4.7A		0.56B	0.19	0.13	0.03				

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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