Project Name: Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrypmle Shire, QLD

Project Code: DLR Site ID: 1204 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

**Site Information** 

Desc. By: Rogers, Gary Locality:

Date Desc.:17/06/92Elevation:No DataMap Ref.:Sheet No.: 8059 GPSRainfall:No DataNorthing/Long.:7851440 AMG zone: 55Runoff:No Data

Easting/Lat.: 386681 Datum: AGD66 Drainage: Imperfectly drained

**Geology** 

ExposureType: 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 Pattern Type: Plain

1-3%

Morph. Type: Simple-slope Relief: No Data

Elem. Type: Hillslope Slope Category: Very gently sloped

Slope: 1 % Aspect: No Data

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting

**Erosion:** 

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AEutrophic Mottled-Subnatric Brown Sodosol Thick Non-Principal Profile Form:Dy3.52

gravelly Loamy Clayey Moderately deep

ASC Confidence: Yellow podzolic soil

No analytical data are available but confidence is fair.

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

**Vegetation:** Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Very sparse. \*Species includes - Heteropogon contortus, Sporobolus

caroli

Mid Strata - , , . \*Species includes - Albizia basaltica

Tall Strata - Tree, 12.01-20m, Very sparse. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra, Eucalyptus brownii

**Surface Coarse Fragments:** No surface coarse fragments

**Profile Morphology** 

A11 0 - 0.12 m Dark brown (10YR3/3-Moist); ; Sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 8.5 (Raupach, 0.05); Clear change to 
A12 0.12 - 0.4 m Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); ; Clayey sand; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry;

Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 7.5 (Raupach, 0.2); Clear change

to -

A3 0.4 - 0.55 m Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); ; Sandy clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 7.5 (Raupach, 0.45); Abrupt

change to -

B21 0.55 - 0.8 m Brown (10YR5/3-Moist); Mottles, 10YR56, 20-50%, 5-15mm, Distinct; Mottles, 20-50%; Sandy

light medium clay; Massive grade of structure; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Dry; Very firm

consistence; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 8 (Raupach, 0.7);

**Morphological Notes** 

**Observation Notes** 

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

| Depth      | pН    | 1:5 EC       | Excha<br>Ca M                         | Cations<br>K | E:<br>Na             | xchangeable<br>Acidity | CEC             | E          | CEC   | ESP       |                       |
|------------|-------|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------|-------|-----------|-----------------------|
| m          |       | dS/m         | Ca IW                                 | y            | K                    | Cmol (+)/              |                 |            |       |           | %                     |
| 0.55 - 0.8 | 7.7A  |              |                                       |              |                      |                        |                 |            |       |           |                       |
| Depth      | CaCO3 | Organic<br>C | Avail.<br>P                           | Total<br>P   | Total<br>N           | Total<br>K             | Bulk<br>Density | Part<br>GV |       | ize<br>FS | Analysis<br>Silt Clay |
| m          | %     | %            | mg/kg                                 | %            | %                    | %                      | Mg/m3           | ٥.         |       | %         | One Olay              |
| 0.55 - 0.8 |       |              |                                       |              |                      |                        |                 |            |       |           |                       |
| Depth      | COLE  |              | Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents |              |                      |                        |                 |            | K sat |           | K unsat               |
| m          |       | Sat.         | 0.05 Bar                              |              | 0.5 Bar<br>g - m3/m3 | 1 Bar                  | 5 Bar 15        | Bar        | mm/h  |           | mm/h                  |

0.55 - 0.8

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## **Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile**

4A1 pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension