

**Project Name:** Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD  
**Project Code:** DLR **Site ID:** 1262 **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>	29/06/92	<b>Elevation:</b>	320 metres
<b>Map Ref.:</b>	Sheet No. : 8059 GPS	<b>Rainfall:</b>	No Data
<b>Northing/Long.:</b>	7854583 AMG zone: 55	<b>Runoff:</b>	Moderately rapid
<b>Easting/Lat.:</b>	392027 Datum: AGD66	<b>Drainage:</b>	Well drained

#### Geology

<b>Exposure Type:</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>	Undulating plains <9m 3-10%	<b>Pattern Type:</b>	Plain
<b>Morph. Type:</b>	Crest	<b>Relief:</b>	No Data
<b>Elem. Type:</b>	Hillcrest	<b>Slope Category:</b>	Gently inclined
<b>Slope:</b>	3 %	<b>Aspect:</b>	No Data

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

#### Erosion:

#### Soil Classification

<b>Australian Soil Classification:</b>		<b>Mapping Unit:</b>	N/A
Haplic Ferric-Petroferric Red Kandosol Thick Non-gravelly Sandy Clay-loamy Moderately deep		<b>Principal Profile Form:</b>	Gn2.12
<b>ASC Confidence:</b>		<b>Great Soil Group:</b>	Red earth

All necessary analytical data are available.

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

**Vegetation:** Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Aristida species, Heteropogon contortus  
Mid Strata - Tree, 1.01-3m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Acacia species  
Tall Strata - , , . \*Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra, Eucalyptus polycarpa

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

#### Profile Morphology

A11	0 - 0.14 m	Dark brown (7.5YR3/3-Moist); ; Clayey sand; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Many (20 - 50 %), Ferromanganiferous, Very coarse (20 - 60 mm), Nodules; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6.5 (Raupach, 0.05); Abrupt change to -
A12	0.14 - 0.3 m	Dark reddish brown (5YR3/4-Moist); ; Clayey sand; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Many (20 - 50 %), Ferromanganiferous, Very coarse (20 - 60 mm), Nodules; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 7 (Raupach, 0.2); Clear change to -
B1	0.3 - 0.45 m	Reddish brown (2.5YR5/4-Moist); ; Sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Very many (50 - 100 %), Ferromanganiferous, Very coarse (20 - 60 mm), Nodules; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 7 (Raupach, 0.35); Clear change to -
B2	0.45 - 0.75 m	Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); ; Sandy clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Very many (50 - 100 %), Ferromanganiferous, Very coarse (20 - 60 mm), Nodules; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6.5 (Raupach, 0.55);

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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 - 0.14	6.5A		4.6B	0.68	0.33	0.03				
0.14 - 0.3	6.7A									
0.3 - 0.45	6.5A									
0.45 - 0.75	6.1A		1.5B	0.79	0.2	0.04				

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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