

Project Name: Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD
Project Code: DLR **Site ID:** 1457 **Observation ID:** 1
Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

Site Information

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| Desc. By: | Bright, J (Mitch) | Locality: | |
| Date Desc.: | 01/10/92 | Elevation: | No Data |
| Map Ref.: | Sheet No. : 8056 GPS | Rainfall: | No Data |
| Northing/Long.: | 7724170 AMG zone: 55 | Runoff: | Moderately rapid |
| Easting/Lat.: | 388544 Datum: AGD66 | Drainage: | Poorly drained |

Geology

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

Land Form

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| 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: | 2 % | Aspect: | No Data |

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Cracking, Firm

Erosion:

Soil Classification

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| Australian Soil Classification: | | Mapping Unit: | N/A |
| Endocalcareous Epipedal Grey Vertosol | | Principal Profile Form: | Ug5.24 |
| ASC Confidence: | | Great Soil Group: | Grey clay |

Analytical data are incomplete but reasonable confidence.

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

Vegetation: Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.51-1m, Very sparse. *Species includes - Eulalia aurea, Aristida species
Mid Strata - , , . *Species includes - None recorded
Tall Strata - Tree, 12.01-20m, Isolated plants. *Species includes - Acacia argyrodendron, Lysipillum carronii

Surface Coarse Fragments: 20-50%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, Quartz

Profile Morphology

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| A1 | 0 - 0.03 m | Very dark grey (10YR3/1-Moist); ; Medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Platy; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.01); Clear change to - |
| B1 | 0.03 - 0.2 m | Dark grey (10YR4/1-Moist); ; Medium heavy clay; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Polyhedral; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; 0-2%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.2); Gradual change to - |
| B21 | 0.2 - 0.8 m | Dark grey (10YR4/1-Moist); ; Medium heavy clay; Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Lenticular; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; 2-10%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; Very few (0 - 2 %), Calcareous, Fine (0 - 2 mm), Nodules; , Gypseous, , ; Soil matrix is Moderately calcareous; Field pH 8.5 (Raupach, 0.8); Gradual change to - |
| B22 | 0.8 - 1.1 m | Dark grey (10YR4/1-Moist); ; Medium heavy clay; Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Lenticular; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; 2-10%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; Very few (0 - 2 %), Calcareous, Fine (0 - 2 mm), Nodules; , Gypseous, , ; Soil matrix is Slightly calcareous; Field pH 8.5 (Raupach, 1.1); |

Morphological Notes

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Laboratory Test Results:

| Depth | pH | 1:5 EC | Ca | Exchangeable Mg | Cations K | Exchangeable Na | CEC | ECEC | ESP |
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| m | | dS/m | | | | Cmol (+)/kg | | | % |
| 0.03 - 0.2 | 7A | | | | | | | | |
| 0.2 - 0.8 | 8.4A | | | | | | | | |
| 0.8 - 1.1 | 8.5A | | | | | | | | |

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile

4A1 pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension