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

Project Code: DLR Site ID: 171 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

Site Information

Desc. By: M. DeCorte Locality:

Date Desc.:08/10/90Elevation:320 metresMap Ref.:Sheet No.: 8058 GPSRainfall:No DataNorthing/Long.:7823852 AMG zone: 55Runoff:Very slow

Easting/Lat.: 370720 Datum: AGD66 Drainage: Moderately well drained

<u>Geology</u>

ExposureType: No Data Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.: No Data

Geol. Ref.: No Data Substrate Material: Undisturbed soil core, Basalt

Land Form

Rel/Slope Class:Level plain <9m <1%</th>Pattern Type:PlainMorph. Type:FlatRelief:No DataElem. Type:PlainSlope Category:LevelSlope:1 %Aspect:0 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting, Surface crust

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification: Mapping Unit: N/A
Manganic Eutrophic Red Ferrosol Medium Non-gravelly ClayPrincipal Profile Form: Gn3.12

loamy Clayey Moderately deep

ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: Euchrozem

Analytical data are incomplete but reasonable confidence.

<u>Site Disturbance:</u> No effective disturbance other than grazing by hoofed animals

Vegetation: Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Very sparse. *Species includes - Bothriochloa ewartiana, Dichanthium

species

Mid Strata - Tree, 6.01-12m, Very sparse. *Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra, Eucalyptus papuana, Bursaria

incana

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

Surface Coarse Fragments: No surface coarse fragments

Profile Morphology

A11 0 - 0.02 m Dark yellowish brown (10YR3/4-Moist); ; Clay loam; Moderate grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Platy;

Smooth-ped fabric; Few (<1 per 100mm2) Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Dry; Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Abrupt, Smooth

change to -

A12 0.02 - 0.2 m Dark reddish brown (5YR3/3-Moist); ; Light clay; Strong grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Polyhedral;

Smooth-ped fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Dry; Weak consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, rounded, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Common (10 - 20 %), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Concretions; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6

(Raupach, 0.05); Many, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Diffuse, Smooth change to -

B21ct 0.2 - 0.5 m Dark reddish brown (5YR3/4-Moist); ; Light clay; Strong grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Polyhedral;

Smooth-ped fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Dry; Firm consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, rounded, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, prominent; Many (20 - 50%), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Concretions; Calcareous, Gypseous, Field pH 6.5 (Raupach, 0.3); Many, very fine

(0-1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -

B22c 0.5 - 0.6 m Yellowish red (5YR4/6-Moist); ; Strong grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Polyhedral; Smooth-ped

fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Dry; Firm consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, rounded, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Very many (50 - 100 %), Manganiferous, Coarse (6 - 20 mm), Concretions; Calcareous, Calcareous, Field pH 6.5

(Raupach, 0.6); Many, very fine (0-1mm) roots;

Morphological Notes
Observation Notes

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Laboratory Test Results:

Depth	рН	1:5 EC	Exchangeable Cations Ca Mg K			Exchangeable		CEC		ECEC		ESP
m			Ca Mg		K.	Na Acidity Cmol (+)/kg					%	
Depth	CaCO3	Organic	Avail. P	Total P	Total	Total	Bulk		rticle CS		Analysi	
m	%	С %	mg/kg	%	N %	K %	Density Mg/m3	GV	US.	FS %	Silt	Clay
Depth	COLE		Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents						Кs	at	K unsa	ıt
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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile