

Project Name: Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD
Project Code: DLR **Site ID:** 1719 **Observation ID:** 1
Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

Site Information

Desc. By: Rogers, Gary	Locality:
Date Desc.: 13/05/93	Elevation: No Data
Map Ref.: Sheet No. : 8055 GPS	Rainfall: No Data
Northing/Long.: 7656360 AMG zone: 55	Runoff: Very slow
Easting/Lat.: 394964 Datum: AGD66	Drainage: Poorly 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: Level plain <9m <1%	Pattern Type: Plain
Morph. Type: Flat	Relief: No Data
Elem. Type: Plain	Slope Category: Level
Slope: 1 %	Aspect: No Data

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Self-mulching

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:	Mapping Unit: N/A
Gypsic Regolithic Calcic Calcarosol	Principal Profile Form: Ug5.24
ASC Confidence:	Great Soil Group: Grey clay
Confidence level not specified	

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

Vegetation: Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Very sparse. *Species includes - Enneapogon species, Cyperus species,
Digitaria species
Mid Strata - Tree, 3.01-6m, Very sparse. *Species includes - Acacia cambagei, Acacia argyrodendron

Tall Strata - Tree, 6.01-12m, Mid-dense. *Species includes - Acacia argyrodendron, Acacia harpophylla

Surface Coarse Fragments:

Profile Morphology

A11	0 - 0.1 m	Dark greyish brown (2.5Y4/2-Moist); ; Sandy light clay; Strong grade of structure, <2 mm, Granular; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; Few (2 - 10 %), Calcareous, Medium (2 - 6 mm), Soft segregations; , Gypseous, , ; Soil matrix is Very highly calcareous; Field pH 9.5 (Raupach, 0.05); Clear change to -
B21	0.1 - 0.6 m	Greyish brown (2.5Y5/2-Moist); ; Sandy medium clay; Strong grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; Very few (0 - 2 %), Manganiferous, Fine (0 - 2 mm), Nodules; Few (2 - 10 %), Calcareous, Medium (2 - 6 mm), Soft segregations; , Gypseous, , ; Soil matrix is Very highly calcareous; Field pH 9.5 (Raupach, 0.3); Gradual change to -
B22	0.6 - 1.2 m	Greyish brown (2.5Y5/3-Moist); ; Sandy medium heavy clay; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Angular blocky; Moderate grade of structure, Lenticular; Smooth-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Strong consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; Few cutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Very few (0 - 2 %), Manganiferous, Fine (0 - 2 mm), Nodules; Few (2 - 10 %), Calcareous, Medium (2 - 6 mm), Soft segregations; , Gypseous, , ; Soil matrix is Very highly calcareous; Field pH 9.5 (Raupach, 0.9); Gradual change to -
B23	1.2 - 2.1 m	Light olive brown (2.5Y5/4-Moist); Mottles, 2.5Y4/3, 2-10% , 0-5mm, Faint; Mottles, 2-10% ; Sandy medium heavy clay; 20-50 mm; Smooth-ped fabric; Moist; Strong consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; Very few (0 - 2 %), Manganiferous, Fine (0 - 2 mm), Nodules; Few (2 - 10 %), Calcareous, Medium (2 - 6 mm), Soft segregations; Many (20 - 50 %), Gypseous, Medium (2 - 6 mm), Crystals; Soil matrix is Very highly calcareous; Field pH 9.5 (Raupach, 1.9);

Morphological Notes

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Laboratory Test Results:

Depth	pH	1:5 EC	Exchangeable Cations			Exchangeable		CEC	ECEC		ESP	
m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	K	Na	Acidity					%
						Cmol (+)/kg						

Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	Particle		Size	Analysis	
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3	GV	CS	FS	Silt	Clay
										%		

Depth	COLE	Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents						K sat	K unsat	
m		Sat.	0.05 Bar	0.1 Bar	0.5 Bar	1 Bar	5 Bar	15 Bar		
					g/g -	m3/m3			mm/h	mm/h

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile