

**Project Name:** Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD  
**Project Code:** DLR **Site ID:** 1982 **Observation ID:** 1  
**Agency Name:** QLD Department of Primary Industries

#### Site Information

<b>Desc. By:</b>	Barry, Earl	<b>Locality:</b>	
<b>Date Desc.:</b>	07/10/93	<b>Elevation:</b>	No Data
<b>Map Ref.:</b>	Sheet No. : 7858 GPS	<b>Rainfall:</b>	No Data
<b>Northing/Long.:</b>	7814834 AMG zone: 55	<b>Runoff:</b>	Moderately rapid
<b>Easting/Lat.:</b>	235989 Datum: AGD66	<b>Drainage:</b>	Moderately well drained

#### Geology

<b>ExposureType:</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 rises 9-30m 3-10%	<b>Pattern Type:</b>	Rises
<b>Morph. Type:</b>	Upper-slope	<b>Relief:</b>	No Data
<b>Elem. Type:</b>	Hillslope	<b>Slope Category:</b>	Gently inclined
<b>Slope:</b>	7 %	<b>Aspect:</b>	No Data

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

#### Erosion:

#### Soil Classification

<b>Australian Soil Classification:</b>	<b>Mapping Unit:</b>	N/A
Bleached-Mottled Eutrophic Brown Chromosol Thick Gravelly Loamy Clayey Deep	<b>Principal Profile Form:</b>	Dy3.43
<b>ASC Confidence:</b>	<b>Great Soil Group:</b>	Solodic 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, 0.51-1m, Mid-dense. \*Species includes - Heteropogon contortus, Themeda triandra  
Mid Strata - Tree, 1.01-3m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra, Petalostigma pubescens  
Tall Strata - Tree, 12.01-20m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra

**Surface Coarse Fragments:** 10-20%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, Quartz

#### Profile Morphology

A11	0 - 0.08 m	Very dark greyish brown (10YR3/2-Moist); ; Sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.04); Clear change to -
A12	0.08 - 0.19 m	Brown (10YR5/3-Moist); ; Sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.15); Clear change to -
A13	0.19 - 0.3 m	Light yellowish brown (10YR6/4-Moist); ; Coarse sandy clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.25); Clear change to -
A2e	0.3 - 0.42 m	Light yellowish brown (10YR6/4-Moist); ; Coarse sandy clay loam (Light); Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.4); Abrupt change to -
B21	0.42 - 0.6 m	Brown (10YR5/3-Moist); Mottles, 10YR4/6, 10-20% , 5-15mm, Distinct; Mottles, 10-20% ; Light medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.5); Clear change to -
B22	0.6 - 0.9 m	Dark yellowish brown (10YR4/6-Moist); Mottles, 10YR5/3, 2-10% , 5-15mm, Distinct; Mottles, 2-10% ; Sandy medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, Quartz, coarse fragments; Very few (0 - 2 %), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Soft segregations; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 7 (Raupach, 0.8);
B23	0.9 - 1.3 m	Dark yellowish brown (10YR4/6-Moist); ; Clay loam, sandy; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 8.5 (Raupach, 1.2);

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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 Cmol (+)/kg	Acidity			%

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile