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

Project Code: DLR Site ID: 207 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

**Site Information** 

Desc. By: M. DeCorte Locality:

Date Desc.: 10/04/91 Elevation: 240 metres Map Ref.: Sheet No.: 8257 GPS Rainfall: No Data Runoff: Northing/Long.: 7779736 AMG zone: 55 No runoff 460854 Datum: AGD66 Well drained Easting/Lat.: Drainage:

**Geology** 

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

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

**Land Form** 

Rel/Slope Class: Gently undulating rises 9-30m Pattern Type: Rises

1-3%

Morph. Type:CrestRelief:No DataElem. Type:HillcrestSlope Category:LevelSlope:1 %Aspect:0 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting

**Erosion:** 

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AHaplic Eutrophic Red Chromosol Medium Non-gravelly Clay-Principal Profile Form:Dr2.12

loamy Clayey Moderately deep

ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: Non-calcic brown

All necessary analytical data are available.

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

Vegetation: Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.51-1m, Very sparse. \*Species includes - Chrysopogon fallax, Heteropogon

contortus,

Bothriochloa pertusa Mid Strata - , , . \*Species includes - None recorded

Tall Strata - Tree, 6.01-12m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra, Eucalyptus erythrophloia

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

**Profile Morphology** 

A1 0 - 0.15 m Dark reddish brown (5YR3/4-Moist); ; Sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm,

Subangular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Medium (2-5mm) macropores, Dry; Firm consistence; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6.5 (Raupach, 0.05); Common,

medium (2-5mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -

B21 0.15 - 0.55 m Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); ; Light clay; Strong grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Angular blocky;

Smooth-ped fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Moderately moist; Very firm consistence; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6.8 (Raupach, 0.3); Few, very fine (0-

1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -

C 0.55 - 0.6 m ; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ;

Morphological Notes
Observation Notes

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

<u>Eusporatory Foot Resource.</u>											
Depth	рН	1:5 EC		hangeable Mg	Cations K	E) Na	changeable Acidity	CEC		ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m		9		Cmol (+)/					%
0 - 0.15 0.15 - 0.55	6.2A 6.1A		8.7J	3.8	0.4	0.3		11.11			2.70
0.55 - 0.6	6.5A										
Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	Pa GV	rticle CS	Size FS	Analysis Silt Clay
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3			%	J J,
0 - 0.15 0.15 - 0.55 0.55 - 0.6											
Depth	COLE		Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents						Ks	sat	K unsat
m		Sat.	0.05 Bar	0.1 Bar g/	0.5 Bar /g - m3/m3	1 Bar 3	5 Bar 15	Bar	mn	n/h	mm/h
0 - 0.15 0.15 - 0.55 0.55 - 0.6											

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## **Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile**

15F1\_CA

Exchangeable bases by 0.01M silver-thiourea (AgTU)+, no pretreatment for soluble salts Exchangeable bases by 0.01m (AgTU)+, no pretreatment for soluble salts 15F1\_K 15F1\_MG 15F1\_NA Exchangeable bases by 0.01m (AgTU)+, no pretreatment for soluble salts Exchangeable bases by 0.01m (AgTU)+, no pretreatment for soluble salts CEC by 0.01M silver-thiourea (AgTU)+

15F3 15N1 Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP)

4A1 pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension