

**Project Name:** Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD  
**Project Code:** DLR **Site ID:** 2342 **Observation ID:** 1  
**Agency Name:** QLD Department of Primary Industries

**Site Information**

<b>Desc. By:</b>	M.G. Cannon	<b>Locality:</b>	
<b>Date Desc.:</b>	26/10/94	<b>Elevation:</b>	No Data
<b>Map Ref.:</b>	Sheet No. : 7960 GPS	<b>Rainfall:</b>	No Data
<b>Northing/Long.:</b>	7924468 AMG zone: 55	<b>Runoff:</b>	Moderately rapid
<b>Easting/Lat.:</b>	293974 Datum: AGD66	<b>Drainage:</b>	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>	No Data

**Land Form**

<b>Rel/Slope Class:</b>	Gently undulating plains <9m 1-3%	<b>Pattern Type:</b>	Alluvial plain
<b>Morph. Type:</b>	No Data	<b>Relief:</b>	No Data
<b>Elem. Type:</b>	Plain	<b>Slope Category:</b>	Very gently sloped
<b>Slope:</b>	1 %	<b>Aspect:</b>	No Data

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

**Erosion:**

**Soil Classification**

<b>Australian Soil Classification:</b>		<b>Mapping Unit:</b>	N/A
Haplic Eutrophic Red Kandosol Thin Non-gravelly Loamy Clayey Moderately deep		<b>Principal Profile Form:</b>	Gn2.12
<b>ASC Confidence:</b>		<b>Great Soil Group:</b>	Red earth
Confidence level not specified			

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

**Vegetation:** Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.51-1m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Themeda triandra, Bothriochloa decipiens  
Mid Strata - Shrub, 1.01-3m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Acacia species  
Tall Strata - Tree, 12.01-20m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra, Eucalyptus papuana

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

**Profile Morphology**

A11	0 - 0.05 m	Dark brown (7.5YR3/2-Moist); ; Fine sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.02); Clear change to -
A12	0.05 - 0.12 m	Brown (7.5YR4/3-Moist); ; Fine sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Clear change to -
A2	0.12 - 0.2 m	Yellowish red (5YR4/6-Moist); ; Fine sandy clay loam (Light); Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.15); Clear change to -
B21	0.2 - 0.5 m	Red (2.5YR4/6-Moist); ; Light clay; Weak grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Subangular blocky; Earthy fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 5.8 (Raupach,

**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			

0 - 0.05	6.1A	7.9B	2.5	1	0.11
0.12 - 0.2	6.3A				

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

0 - 0.05  
0.12 - 0.2

Depth	COLE	Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents							K sat	K unsat
		Sat.	0.05 Bar	0.1 Bar	0.5 Bar	1 Bar	5 Bar	15 Bar		
m					g/g - m <sup>3</sup> /m <sup>3</sup>				mm/h	mm/h

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**Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile**

15A2_CA	Exchangeable bases (Ca <sup>2+</sup> ,Mg <sup>2+</sup> ,Na <sup>+</sup> ,K <sup>+</sup> ) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_K	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_MG	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_NA	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
4A1	pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension