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

Project Code: DLR Site ID: 262 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

Site Information

Desc. By: M. DeCorte Locality:

Date Desc.: Elevation: 19/06/91 260 metres Map Ref.: Sheet No.: 8157 GPS Rainfall: No Data Northing/Long.: 7779690 AMG zone: 55 Runoff: Rapid 434591 Datum: AGD66 Well drained Easting/Lat.: Drainage:

<u>Geology</u>

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

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

**Land Form** 

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

1-3%

Morph. Type:FlatRelief:No DataElem. Type:PlainSlope Category:LevelSlope:1 %Aspect:80 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting

**Erosion:** 

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AEutrophic Mesonatric Black Sodosol Medium ModeratelyPrincipal Profile Form:Dd1.43

gravelly Clay-loamy Clayey Moderately deep

ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: Solodized All necessary analytical data are available. Solonetz

Site Disturbance: Extensive clearing, for example poisoning, ringbarking

Vegetation: Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Very sparse. \*Species includes - Aristida species, Eragrostis species

Mid Strata - Tree, 3.01-6m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Eremophila mitchellii Tall Strata - Tree, 6.01-12m, Mid-dense. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus brownii

Surface Coarse Fragments: 20-50%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, angular, Quartz

**Profile Morphology** 

A11 0 - 0.06 m Brown (10YR4/3-Moist); ; Coarse sandy clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric;

Common (1-5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Dry; Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , ;

, Gypseous, , ; Abrupt, Smooth change to -

A12 0.06 - 0.12 m Dark brown (10YR3/3-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam (Heavy); Massive grade of structure; Earthy

fabric; Common (1-5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Dry; Weak consistence; ,

Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Abrupt, Smooth change to -

A2e 0.12 - 0.14 m Dark brown (10YR3/3-Moist); Coarse sandy loam (Heavy); Massive grade of structure; Earthy

fabric; Common (1-5 per 100mm2) Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Dry; Firm consistence;

Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Abrupt, Smooth change to -

B21 0.14 - 0.55 m Very dark greyish brown (10YR3/2-Moist); Coarse sandy light clay; Strong grade of structure,

20-50 mm, Columnar; Strong grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Common (1-5 per 100mm2) Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Moderately moist; Very firm consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, angular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments;

Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ; Gradual, Smooth change to -

C 0.55 - 0.65 m ; , Calcareous, , ; , Gypseous, , ;

Morphological Notes
Observation Notes

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

Depth	рН	1:5 EC		hangeable C			changeable	ble CEC		ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m	Са	Mg	K	Na Cmol (+)/l	Acidity kg				%
0 - 0.06 0.14 - 0.55 0.55 - 0.65	6.3A 8.3A 8.8A		6.7J	10.1	0.1	3.2		15.9	I		20.13
Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	Pa GV	article CS	Size FS	Analysis Silt Clay
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3	•	00	%	Oilt Clay
0 - 0.06 0.14 - 0.55 0.55 - 0.65											
Depth	COLE		Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents						K sat		K unsat
m		Sat.	Sat. 0.05 Bar 0.1 Bar 0.5 Bar 1 Bar 5 g/g - m3/m3					5 Bar 15 Bar mm/h			mm/h
0 - 0.06 0.14 - 0.55 0.55 - 0.65											

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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 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)+ 15F1\_NA

15F3 15N1 Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP)

4A1 pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension