

**Project Name:** Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD  
**Project Code:** DLR                      **Site ID:** 380                      **Observation ID:** 1  
**Agency Name:** QLD Department of Primary Industries

**Site Information**

<b>Desc. By:</b>	M. DeCorte	<b>Locality:</b>	
<b>Date Desc.:</b>	14/08/91	<b>Elevation:</b>	240 metres
<b>Map Ref.:</b>	Sheet No. : 8257    GPS	<b>Rainfall:</b>	No Data
<b>Northing/Long.:</b>	7739295 AMG zone: 55	<b>Runoff:</b>	Moderately rapid
<b>Easting/Lat.:</b>	487807    Datum: AGD66	<b>Drainage:</b>	Imperfectly 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, Granulite

**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>	4 %	<b>Aspect:</b>	No Data

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

**Erosion:**

**Soil Classification**

<b>Australian Soil Classification:</b>	<b>Mapping Unit:</b>	N/A
Eutrophic Mottled-Subnatic Brown Sodosol Medium Non-gravelly Sandy Clayey Shallow	<b>Principal Profile Form:</b>	Dy2.33
<b>ASC Confidence:</b>	<b>Great Soil Group:</b>	Solodized solonetz
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, 0.26-0.5m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Chrysopogon fallax, Heteropogon contortus,

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

                         Tall Strata - , , . \*Species includes - Eucalyptus erythrophloia, Eucalyptus crebra

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

**Profile Morphology**

A1	0 - 0.09 m	Dark greyish brown (10YR4/2-Moist); ; Loamy coarse sand; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; 0-2%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, angular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6.5 (Raupach, 0.05); Clear change
A2j	0.09 - 0.15 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); ; Loamy coarse sand; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, angular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Abrupt change to -
B21	0.15 - 0.45 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/6-Moist); Mottles, 5YR58, 2-10% , 0-5mm, Distinct; Mottles, 2-10% ; Coarse sandy medium clay; Strong grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Prismatic; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Very strong consistence; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, angular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 8.5 (Raupach, 0.3); Clear change to -
C	0.45 - 0.8 m	; Dry; Strong consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 8.5 (Raupach, 0.6);

**Morphological Notes**

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Laboratory Test Results:

Depth	pH	1:5 EC	Exchangeable Cations		Exchangeable Acidity		CEC	ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	K	Na			%
						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
		Sat.	0.05 Bar	0.1 Bar	0.5 Bar	1 Bar	5 Bar	15 Bar	
m					g/g - m3/m3				mm/h mm/h

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile