

**Project Name:** Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD  
**Project Code:** DLR                      **Site ID:** 654                      **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>	31/05/91	<b>Elevation:</b>	No Data
<b>Map Ref.:</b>	Sheet No. : 8159-3    GPS	<b>Rainfall:</b>	No Data
<b>Northing/Long.:</b>	7859195 AMG zone: 55	<b>Runoff:</b>	Moderately rapid
<b>Easting/Lat.:</b>	414289    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, Sandstone

#### Land Form

<b>Rel/Slope Class:</b>	Gently undulating rises 9-30m 1-3%	<b>Pattern Type:</b>	Rises
<b>Morph. Type:</b>	Crest	<b>Relief:</b>	No Data
<b>Elem. Type:</b>	Plain	<b>Slope Category:</b>	Level
<b>Slope:</b>	1 %	<b>Aspect:</b>	130 degrees

#### Surface Soil Condition (dry):

#### Erosion:

#### Soil Classification

<b>Australian Soil Classification:</b>	<b>Mapping Unit:</b>	N/A
Haplic Eutrophic Red Chromosol Medium Non-gravelly Silty Silty Shallow	<b>Principal Profile Form:</b>	Dy2.22
<b>ASC Confidence:</b>	<b>Great Soil Group:</b>	Red podzolic soil
No analytical data are available but confidence is fair.		

**Site Disturbance:** Limited clearing, for example selective logging

**Vegetation:** Low Strata - , , . \*Species includes - Heteropogon contortus, Chrysopogon fallax, Bothriochloa species  
Mid Strata - Tree, 3.01-6m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus erythrophloia, Eucalyptus crebra  
Tall Strata - Tree, 6.01-12m, Sparse. \*Species includes - Eucalyptus crebra, Eucalyptus erythrophloia

**Surface Coarse Fragments:** 0-2%, , , Sandstone

#### Profile Morphology

A	0 - 0.08 m	Dark reddish brown (5YR3/4-Moist); ; Silty loam; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Platy; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Prismatic; Earthy fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.05); Common, fine (1-2mm) roots;
A2	0.08 - 0.2 m	Yellowish red (5YR4/6-Moist); ; Silty loam (Light); Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Subangular blocky; Earthy fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.2); Few, fine (1-2mm) roots;
B2	0.2 - 0.4 m	Yellowish red (5YR5/6-Moist); ; Silty light clay; Strong grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Strong grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 7 (Raupach, 0.3); Few, fine (1-
BC	0.4 - 0.45 m	; Strong grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Angular blocky; Strong grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 8 (Raupach, 0.45); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots;
C	0.45 - 0.5 m	; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ,

#### 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 - 0.08	6.1A
0.2 - 0.4	6.2A
0.4 - 0.45	7A

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 - 0.08  
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0.4 - 0.45

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**Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile**

4A1                      pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension