

Project Name: Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD
Project Code: DLR **Site ID:** 742 **Observation ID:** 1
Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

Site Information

Desc. By: M.G. Cannon	Locality:
Date Desc.: 18/09/91	Elevation: 190 metres
Map Ref.: Sheet No. : 8258 GPS	Rainfall: No Data
Northing/Long.: 7803672 AMG zone: 55	Runoff: No Data
Easting/Lat.: 472486 Datum: AGD66	Drainage: No Data

Geology

ExposureType: No Data	Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.: No Data
Geol. Ref.: No Data	Substrate Material: Undisturbed soil core, No Data

Land Form

Rel/Slope Class: Gently undulating plains <9m 1-3%	Pattern Type: Alluvial fan
Morph. Type: Lower-slope	Relief: No Data
Elem. Type: Fan	Slope Category: Very gently sloped
Slope: 1 %	Aspect: 80 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:	Mapping Unit: N/A
Eutrophic Mottled-Subnatic Brown Sodosol Thick Non-gravelly Sandy Clayey Moderately deep	Principal Profile Form: Db1.23
ASC Confidence:	Great Soil Group: Solodic soil

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, 0.51-1m, Mid-dense. *Species includes - Heteropogon contortus, Chrysopogon fallax

Mid Strata - Tree, 3.01-6m, Mid-dense. *Species includes - Eucalyptus platyphylla, Grevillea striata

Tall Strata - Tree, 6.01-12m, Sparse. *Species includes - Eucalyptus platyphylla, Grevillea striata

Surface Coarse Fragments: No surface coarse fragments

Profile Morphology

A11	0 - 0.05 m	Dark brown (10YR3/3-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.05); Clear, Smooth change to -
A12	0.05 - 0.2 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; 0-2%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, rounded, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Clear, Smooth change to -
A21c	0.2 - 0.48 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; 0-2%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, rounded, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Many (20 - 50 %), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Nodules; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.3); Clear, Smooth change to -
A22e	0.48 - 0.49 m	Light brownish grey (10YR6/2-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; Few (2 - 10 %), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Soft segregations; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Abrupt change to -
B2	0.49 - 0.9 m	Yellowish brown (10YR5/8-Moist); Substrate influence, 10YR62, 10-20% , 15-30mm, Prominent; Substrate influence, 2.5YR46, 10-20% ; Medium heavy clay; Strong grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Prismatic; Strong grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 8.5 (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	7A
0.49 - 0.9	7.3A

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			%		

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile

4A1 pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension