

Project Name: Preliminary Assessment and Survey of Land Degradation in the Dalrymple Shire, QLD
Project Code: DLR **Site ID:** 941 **Observation ID:** 1
Agency Name: QLD Department of Primary Industries

Site Information

Desc. By:	Barry, Earl	Locality:	
Date Desc.:	31/08/92	Elevation:	380 metres
Map Ref.:	Sheet No. : 8057 GPS	Rainfall:	No Data
Northing/Long.:	7738264 AMG zone: 55	Runoff:	Moderately rapid
Easting/Lat.:	346198 Datum: AGD66	Drainage:	Imperfectly drained

Geology

Exposure Type:	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:	Level plain <9m <1%	Pattern Type:	Plain
Morph. Type:	Flat	Relief:	No Data
Elem. Type:	Plain	Slope Category:	Level
Slope:	1 %	Aspect:	No Data

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting, Soft

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:	Mapping Unit:	N/A
Sodic Mesotrophic Grey Kandosol Thin Non-gravelly Clay-loamy Clayey Moderately deep	Principal Profile Form:	Gn2.81
ASC Confidence:	Great Soil Group:	Grey earth

All necessary analytical data are available.

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

Vegetation: Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Mid-dense. *Species includes - Chrysopogon fallax, Cymbopogon bombycinus,
Themeda triandra Mid Strata - Tree, 3.01-6m, Sparse. *Species includes - Eucalyptus melanophloia
Tall Strata - Tree, 6.01-12m, Sparse. *Species includes - Eucalyptus melanophloia

Surface Coarse Fragments: No surface coarse fragments

Profile Morphology

A1	0 - 0.05 m	Dark brown (10YR3/3-Moist); ; Sandy clay loam; Moderate grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Platy; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , ; Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.05); Abrupt change to -
B21	0.05 - 0.25 m	Greyish brown (10YR5/2-Moist); ; Sandy light clay; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; 2-10%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, Quartz, coarse fragments; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 5.5 (Raupach, 0.2); Clear change to -
B22c	0.25 - 0.7 m	Greyish brown (10YR5/2-Moist); ; Sandy light clay; Massive grade of structure; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Dry; Loose consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, Quartz, coarse fragments; Common (10 - 20 %), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Nodules; , Calcareous, , , , Gypseous, , , Field pH 6 (Raupach, 0.6);

Morphological Notes

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Laboratory Test Results:

Depth	pH	1:5 EC	Ca	Exchangeable Mg	Cations K	Na	Exchangeable Acidity	CEC	ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m				Cmol (+)/kg				%
0 - 0.05	6.3A		1.1B	0.83	0.52	0.11				
0.05 - 0.25	5.8A									
0.25 - 0.7	6.3A		2.6B	2.7	0.24	0.56				

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile

10B	Extractable sulfur(mg/kg) - Phosphate extractable sulfur
15A2_CA	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 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
15N1	Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP)
4A1	pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension