**Project Name: Knox Creek Plain survey (Kununurra)** 

**Project Code:** Site ID: Observation ID: 1 KNX 0134

Agency Name: Agriculture Western Australia

Site Information

Desc. By: Noel Schoknecht Locality: 13/06/94 Elevation:

Date Desc.:

Map Ref.: Rainfall: No Data Northing/Long.: 8275799 AMG zone: 52 Runoff: No Data 499937 Datum: AGD84 Drainage: Poorly drained Easting/Lat.:

Geology

ExposureType: Soil pit Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.: No Data Geol. Ref.: No Data **Substrate Material:** No Data

**Land Form** 

Rel/Slope Class: Level plain <9m <1% Pattern Type: Plain Morph. Type: Relief. No Data Flat Elem. Type: Plain **Slope Category:** No Data Slope: 0 % Aspect: No Data

Surface Soil Condition Cracking

**Erosion:** 

Soil Classification

**Australian Soil Classification:** N/A Mapping Unit: **Principal Profile Form:** N/A ASC Confidence: **Great Soil Group:** N/A

Confidence level not specified

Site No effective disturbance other than grazing by hoofed animals

**Vegetation:** 

Surface Coarse ; 20-50%, , subrounded, Shells

**Profile** 

Dark greyish brown (10YR4/2-Moist); Mottles, 10YR56, 2-10%, 0-5mm, Faint; Medium A11 0 - 0.1 m clay; Strong

grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Very firm

No Data

consistence; Field

pH 6.6 (pH meter); Clear change to -

A12 0.1 - 0.47 m

100-200 mm,

Dark greyish brown (10YR4/2-Moist); ; Medium heavy clay; Strong grade of structure,

Prismatic; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Very strong consistence; Field pH 7.8 (pH meter);

Gradual change to

B21 0.47 - 0.77 m

mm, Angular

Dark greyish brown (10YR4/2-Moist); Medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 50-100

blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Very strong consistence; Very few (0 - 2

%), Calcareous,

Fine (0 - 2 mm), Concretions; Field pH 8 (pH meter); Gradual change to -

B22 0.77 - 1.15 m

Angular blocky;

Brown (10YR4/3-Moist); ; Medium heavy clay; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm,

Smooth-ped fabric; Moist; Strong consistence; Very few (0 - 2 %), Calcareous, Fine (0 - 2

mm),

Concretions; Field pH 8.2 (pH meter); Clear change to -

B23 1.15 - 2 m Brown (10YR4/3-Moist); ; Medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 50-100 mm, Angular

blockv:

Smooth-ped fabric; Moist; Very firm consistence; Common (10 - 20 %), Gypseous, Fine

(0 - 2 mm),

Crystals; Very few (0 - 2 %), Calcareous, Fine (0 - 2 mm), Concretions; Field pH 8.4 (pH

meter);

# **Morphological Notes**

# **Observation Notes**

#### **Site Notes**

Surface stone 50-200mm cover >30% - from conglomerate at Mulligans hill. Moderately gilgaied & occasionally cracked self-mulching

surface. Main roots to 0.8 ang wide cracks to 0.5m. V.prominent slickensides in layer5 and some in 2,3 and 4.

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# **Laboratory Test Results:**

Depth	рН	1:5 EC	Exchangeable Ca Mg	e Cations K	Exchangeable Na Acidity	CEC	ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m	ou ing		Cmol (+)/kg			%
0 - 0.1	6.3B 6.7H	47B	14.64A	1.51	1.06			
0.1 - 0.47	7B 7.7H	37B	14.7A	1.17	3.56			
0.47 - 0.77	7.4B 7.8H	130B	14.73E	0.62	6.26	43B		14.56
0.77 - 1.15	7.6B 7.8H	370B	12.3E	0.68	7.84	44B		17.82
1.15 - 2	7.7B 7.8H	440B	11.63E	0.55	6.86	37B		18.54
1.55 - 2	7.8B 8H	440B	12.31E	0.49	6.68	35B		19.09

Depth	CaCO3	Organic C Clay	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	GV	Particle CS	Size FS	Analysis Silt
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3			%	
0 - 0.1 61.3		0.56D		53B	0.035E						16.1
0.1 - 0.47 67		0.32D		48B	0.019E						15.6
0.47 - 0.77 69		0.3D		49B	0.019E						15
0.77 - 1.15 66.1		0.18D		41B	0.013E						13.4
1.15 - 2 55.1		0.08D		35B	0.008E						10.7
1.55 - 2 54.4	3C	0.08D		40B	0.007E						12.3

### **Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile**

<u>Laboratory</u> / triar	your completed for the prome
12A1_ZN 15A1_CA for soluble	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
	salts
15A1_CEC 15A1_K for soluble	Exchangeable bases (CEC) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment for soluble salts Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
	salts
15A1_NA for soluble	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
	salts
15C1_CA pretreatment for	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - alcoholic 1M ammonium chloride at pH 8.5,
	soluble salts
15C1_CEC 15C1_K soluble salts	CEC - alcoholic 1M ammonium chloride at pH 8.5, pretreatment for soluble salts Exchangeable bases and CEC - alcoholic 1M ammonium chloride at pH 8.5, pretreatment for
15C1_NA soluble salts	Exchangeable bases and CEC - alcoholic 1M ammonium chloride at pH 8.5, pretreatment for
15N1_a 19B_NR 3_NR 4_NR 4B1	Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP) - Auto calculated from available using CEC Calcium Carbonate (CaCO3) - Not recorded Electrical conductivity or soluble salts - Not recorded pH of soil - Not recorded pH of 1:5 soil/0.01M calcium chloride extract - direct

5_NR	Water soluble Chloride - Cl(%) - Not recordede
6A1_UC	Organic carbon (%) - Uncorrected Walkley and Black method
7A1	Total nitrogen - semimicro Kjeldahl, steam distillation
9A3	Total Phosphorus (ppm) - semimicro kjeldahl, automated colour
P10_1m2m	1000 to 2000u particle size analysis, (method not recorded)
P10_20_75	20 to 75u particle size analysis, (method not recorded)
P10_75_106	75 to 106u particle size analysis, (method not recorded)

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P10\_NR\_C
P10\_NR\_Saa
P10\_NR\_Saa
P10\_NR\_Z
Silt (%) - Not recorded arithmetic difference, auto generated
P10\_NR\_Z
P10106\_150
P10150\_180
P10180\_300
P10180\_300
P10300\_600
P10300\_600
P106001000
P106001000

Clay (%) - Not recorded
arithmetic difference, auto generated
Silt (%) - Not recorded
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