Project Name: SCEAM - Soil Condition Evaluation & Monitoring Project, Tasmania

Project Code: SCEAM Site ID: C11 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: TAS Department of Primary Industries and Fisheries

Site Information

Desc. By: R. Moreton Locality:

 Date Desc.:
 29/08/05
 Elevation:
 86 metres

 Map Ref.:
 GPS S.A. Off
 Rainfall:
 1097

Northing/Long.:5466456 AMG zone: 55Runoff:Moderately rapidEasting/Lat.:387580 Datum: GDA94Drainage:Well drained

<u>Geology</u>

ExposureType:Soil pitConf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.:No DataGeol. Ref.:TbSubstrate Material:Basalt

Landform

Rel/Slope Class: Undulating low hills 30-90m 3-10% Pattern Type: Low hills

Morph. Type:Upper-slopeRelief:No DataElem. Type:HillslopeSlope Category:Gently inclinedSlope:9 %Aspect:360 degrees

Surface Soil Condition Soft

**Erosion** Partial, Minor (sheet)

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AEutrophic Haplic Red Ferrosol Medium Medium Non-gravellyPrincipal Profile Form:N/AClay-loamy Clayey

ASC Confidence:

All necessary analytical data are available.

Site Disturbance

**Vegetation** 

**Surface Coarse Fragments** No surface coarse fragments

**Profile Morphology** 

 $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{Ap} \qquad \mbox{0 - 0.25 m} \qquad \mbox{Dark reddish brown (5YR3/3-Moist); , 0-0\% ; Strong grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Platy;}$ 

Moderate

grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Few (<1 per 100mm2)

**Great Soil Group:** 

N/A

Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Moderately moist; Weak consistence; Few, very fine (0-1mm)

roots; Clear,

Irregular change to -

B1 0.25 - 0.8 m

of structure,

Dark reddish brown (5YR3/4-Moist); Mottles, 5YR56, 0-2%, 0-5mm, Faint; Strong grade

50-100 mm, Platy; Moderate grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Polyhedral; Smooth-ped fabric; Few (<1 per

100mm2) Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Moist; Weak consistence; Few cutans,

<10% of ped faces

or walls coated, distinct; Few (2 - 10 %), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Soft

segregations; Few,

very fine (0-1mm) roots; Diffuse, Smooth change to -

B2 0.8 - 1 m Strong grade of Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); Substrate influence, 7.5YR46, 0-2% , 5-15mm, Distinct;

structure, 50-100 mm, Platy; Moderate grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Angular blocky;

Smooth-ped fabric;

Moist; Very weak consistence; 0-2%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, dispersed,

Basalt, coarse

fragments; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, distinct;

**Morphological Notes** 

Ap Evidence of compaction in AP Horizon. Penetration reistance: Soft

B1 Penetration reistance: Stiff. Slicken Sides (K) of Peds colour 5YR34. Evidence of

compaction in

B1 Horizon. Sampled from .25 to .50, Label C11C and .50 to .80, Label C11D.

B2

Penetration reistance: Stiff. Slicken Sides (K) of Peds colour 5YR36. Evidence of

compaction in

B2 Horizon. Sampled from .80 to 1.00m, Label C11E.

## **Observation Notes**

Site cultivated. No vegetation at time of observation. Substrate not reached during Soil Pit observation but likely to be Tertiary Basalt (BA).
Soil Class is Lapoinya.

## **Site Notes**

Property owner, Phillip Beswick. Element Slop Class: Gentle (3-10%). Mode of geomporhic Activity is Eroded. Geomorphic agent is

Volcanic. Inundation frequency was no inundatino.

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

Depth	рН	1:5 EC			le Cations	Na	Exchangeable	CEC	ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	K	Na Cmol	Acidity (+)/kg			%
0 - 0.075	5.2C 5.9A	0.083A	9.08A	3.07	0.97	0.24	0.15D 0.05G 0.2A		13.56B	
0.2 - 0.275	5.4C 6A	0.071A	7.81A	2.98	0.39	0.28	0.05D 0.03G 0.15A		11.61B	
0.25 - 0.5	6C 6.3A	0.115A	6.62A	2.02	0.11	0.35	0.01D 0G 0.0226125 A		9.122613B	
0.5 - 0.8	6.1C 6.2A	0.143A	6.47A	1.83	0.1	0.3	0.01D 0G 0.016475A		8.716475B	
0.8 - 1	6.1C 6.2A	0.119A	5.98A	2.15	0.1	0.31	0.01D 0G 0.019545A		8.559545B	

Depth	CaCO3	Organic C Clay	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	GV	Particle Size Analysis CS FS Silt
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3		%
0 - 0.075		3.33B	240H 0I		0.33D				
0.2 - 0.275		2.19B	42H 7.8I		0.2D				
0.25 - 0.5		0.89B	6H 1.9I		0.09D				
0.5 - 0.8		0.85B	7H 2I		0.08D				
0.8 - 1		0.92B	7H 2.6l		0.08D				

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

10B_NR	Extractable sulfur (mg/kg) - Not recorded
12_NR_FE	Total element - Fe(%) - Not recorded
12A1_CU	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12A1_FE	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12A1_MN	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12A1_ZN	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12C1	Calcium chloride extractable boron - manual colour
15_NR_AL	Aluminium Cation - meq per 100g of soil - Not recorded
15_NR_H	Hydrogen Cation - meq per 100g of soil - Not recorded
15A1_CA	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
for soluble	

salts

15A1_K for soluble	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
	salts
15A1_MG for soluble	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

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15G_C_AL2 By AAS	Exchangeable aluminium - meq per 100g of soil - Aluminium By KCI extraction and detremination
15G1	Exchange acidity (hydrogen and aluminium) by 1M potassium chloride
15J_H	Sum of Ex. cations + Ex. acidity - Sum of basic exch. cations and exch. (Hydrogen)
15N1	Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP)
18A1	Bicarbonate-extractable potassium
3A1	EC of 1:5 soil/water extract
4A1	pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension
4B2	pH of 1:5 soil/0.01M calcium chloride extract - following Method 4A1
6B2	Total organic carbon - high frequency induction furnace, volumetric
7A5	Total nitrogen - high frequency induction furnace, thermal conductivity
7C1a	Ammonium-N, in presence or absence of nitrite
7C1b	(Nitrate+nitrite)-N, in presence of nitrite
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Bicarbonate-extractable phosphorus - automated colour. Based on Colwell (1965). Method no 9B2\_COL

longer

9C2 Olsen-extractable phosphorus - automated colour