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

Project Code: SCEAM Site ID: N12 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: TAS Department of Primary Industries and Fisheries

Site Information

Desc. By: D.B. Kidd Locality: Woodrising, Near Cressy

Date Desc.: 21/09/05 Elevation: 158 metres Map Ref.: GPS S.A. Off Rainfall: 606 Northing/Long.: 5376563 AMG zone: 55 Runoff: Slow

513494 Datum: GDA94 Drainage: Poorly drained Easting/Lat.:

Geology

ExposureType: Soil pit Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.: Probable

Geol. Ref.: No Data **Substrate Material:** 0.8 m deep, No Data

Landform

Rel/Slope Class: Gently undulating rises 9-30m 1-3% Pattern Type: Terraced land

(alluvial)

Morph. Type: Simple-slope Relief: No Data

Very gently sloped Elem. Type: **Slope Category:** Terrace flat

Slope: 3 % Aspect: 1 degrees

Surface Soil Condition Firm

Erosion

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification: Mapping Unit: N/A Vertic Mottled-Subnatric Brown Sodosol Medium Non-gravelly **Principal Profile Form:** N/A

Loamy Clayey Deep

ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: N/A

Analytical data are incomplete but reasonable confidence.

Site Disturbance

Vegetation

Surface Coarse Fragments No surface coarse fragments

Profile Morphology

0 - 0.18 m Very dark greyish brown (10YR3/2-Moist); , 0-0%; Fine sandy loam; Weak grade of

structure, 10-20 mm,

Subangular blocky; Earthy fabric; Fine, (0 - 5) mm crack; Few (<1 per 100mm2) Very fine

(0.075-1 mm)macropores, Moderately moist; Firm consistence; Non-plastic; Non-sticky; Very few (0 - 2

%),

Ferruginous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Nodules; Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Abrupt, Smooth change to

0.18 - 0.24 m Light brownish grey (2.5Y6/3-Moist); , 0-0%; Clayey sand; Weak grade of structure, 10-Α2

20 mm, Angular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Firm consistence; Non-plastic; Non-sticky;

Many (20 - 50

%), Ferruginous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Nodules; Silcrete, Weakly cemented, Discontinuous, Massive:

Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Abrupt, Wavy change to -

B21 0.24 - 0.46 m Brown (10YR4/3-Moist); Mottles, 10R48, 10-20%, 5-15mm, Prominent; Mottles, 10YR41,

10-20%, 5-15mm, Prominent; Medium heavy clay; Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular

blocky; Rough-

ped fabric; Moderately moist; Very firm consistence; Slightly plastic; Normal plasticity; Moderately sticky;

Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, distinct; Few (2 - 10 %),

Ferruginous, Medium (2

-6 mm), Nodules; Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Clear, Wavy change to -

B22 0.46 - 0.72 mMottles, 10YR41, 2-

Dark yellowish brown (10YR4/4-Moist); Mottles, 10R48, 2-10%, 5-15mm, Distinct;

10%, 5-15mm, Faint; Medium heavy clay; Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Prismatic; Rough-ped

fabric; Moderately moist; Firm consistence; Moderately plastic; Normal plasticity;

Moderately sticky; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, distinct; Gradual, Smooth change B23 0.72 - 0.9 m Light olive brown (2.5Y5/4-Moist); Mottles, 10YR48, 2-10%, 5-15mm, Distinct; Heavy

clay; Massive

grade of structure; Rough-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Very firm consistence;

Moderately plastic;

Normal plasticity; Moderately sticky; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls

coated, distinct;

Morphological Notes

N12C sampled 30-45cm N12D sampled 46-70 cm B21 B22 N12e sampled 70-90cm B23

Observation Notes

In a certified seed paddock

Site Notes

Geomorphic Activity: Aggraded. Geomorphic Agent: Sheet Wash.

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Laboratory Test Results:

•	Depth	pН	1:5 EC		xchangeab		Na	Exchangeable	CEC	ECEC	ESP
	m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	K	Na Cmol	Acidity (+)/kg			%
	0 - 0.075	6C 6.6A	0.256A	9.95A	2.36	0.44	0.48	0.01D 0G 0.03A		13.26B	
	0.2 - 0.275	5.5C 6.3A	0.119A	6.25A	4.02	0.23	0.61	0.03D 0G 0.05A		11.16B	
	0.3 - 0.45	5C 5.6A	0.223A	4.84A	11.91	0.17	2.52	0.0334D 0.05G 0.067825A		19.50783B	
	0.46 - 0.7	5.8C 6.2A	0.4A	3.04A	12.15	0.17	4.59	0.0218D 0G 0.0318A		19.9818B	
	0.7 - 0.9	6.1C 6.4A	0.554A	3.96A	11.89	0.22	5.21	0.0184D 0G 0.0284A		21.3084B	

Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	GV	Particle Size Analysis CS FS Silt	
m	%	Clay %	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3		%	
0 - 0.075		2.46B	79H 29.9I		0.22D					
0.2 - 0.275		1.19B	21H 7.5I		0.12D					
0.3 - 0.45		1.3B	2H 0.6I		0.12D					
0.46 - 0.7		0.42B	1H 0.7l		0.06D					
0.7 - 0.9		0.42B	1H 0.6l		0.04D					

Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile

10B_NR Extractable sulfur (mg/kg) - Not recorded 12_NR_FE 12A1_CU Total element - Fe(%) - Not recorded

DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron

12A1_FE 12A1_MN	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12A1_WIN	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12A1_ZIN 12C1	Calcium chloride extractable boron - manual colour
15 NR AL	Aluminium Cation - meg per 100g of soil - Not recorded
	Hydrogen Cation - meg per 100g of soil - Not recorded
15_NR_H	
15A1_CA	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
for soluble	
	salts
15A1_K	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
for soluble	
	salts
15A1 MG	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
for soluble	
	salts
15A1_NA	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
for soluble	
	salts
15G_C_AL2	Exchangeable aluminium - meq per 100g of soil - Aluminium By KCl extraction and detremination
By AAS	

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Exchange acidity (hydrogen and aluminium) by 1M potassium chloride Sum of Ex. cations + Ex. acidity - Sum of basic exch. cations and exch. (Hydrogen) Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP) 15J_H 15N1

18A1 Bicarbonate-extractable potassium 3A1 EC of 1:5 soil/water extract pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension 4A1

pH of 1:5 soil/0.01M calcium chloride extract - following Method 4A1 Total organic carbon - high frequency induction furnace, volumetric 4B2 6B2 Total nitrogen - high frequency induction furnace, thermal conductivity 7A5

Ammonium-N, in presence or absence of nitrite 7C1a 7C1b (Nitrate+nitrite)-N, in presence of nitrite

9B2_COL Bicarbonate-extractable phosphorus - automated colour. Based on Colwell (1965). Method no

longer

recommended

9C2 Olsen-extractable phosphorus - automated colour