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Agency Name: TAS Department of Primary Industries and Fisheries

**Site Information** 

**Desc. By:** H. Hawkins **Locality:** Charles McKinnon, Mountford near

Longwod

 Date Desc.:
 20/06/06
 Elevation:
 166 metres

 Map Ref.:
 GPS S.A. Off
 Rainfall:
 650

 Northing/Long.:
 5397347 AMG zone: 55
 Runoff:
 Slow

Easting/Lat.: 512414 Datum: GDA94 Drainage: Rapidly drained

Geology

ExposureType:Soil pitConf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.:No DataGeol. Ref.:QdSubstrate Material:No Data

**Landform** 

Rel/Slope Class: Undulating rises 9-30m 3-10% Plain Pattern Type: Morph. Type: Flat Relief: No Data Elem. Type: Plain Slope Category: Level % Aspect: 30 degrees Slope:

Surface Soil Condition Loose

**Erosion** 

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AAcidic Regolithic Class Undetermined Tenosol Very thick Nongravelly Sandy Very deepPrincipal Profile Form:N/A

ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: N/A

All necessary analytical data are available.

Site Disturbance

**Vegetation** 

**Surface Coarse Fragments** No surface coarse fragments

Profile Morphology

A11p 0 - 0.18 m Dark greyish brown (10YR4/2-Moist); , 0-0%; Loamy sand; Single grain grade of

structure, <2 mm;

Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Dry; Very weak consistence; Non-plastic; Non-sticky; Abundant, very fine

(0-1mm) roots; Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Abrupt, Wavy change to -

A12 0.18 - 0.62 m

mm, Angular

Dark yellowish brown (10YR4/6-Moist); , 0-0% ; Sand; Weak grade of structure, 10-20

blocky; Single grain grade of structure, <2 mm; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric;

Moderately moist; Very

weak consistence; Non-plastic; Non-sticky; Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth

change to -

B1 0.62 - 0.95 m

mm, Angular

Brownish yellow (10YR6/6-Moist); , 0-0%; Fine sand; Weak grade of structure, 20-50

blocky; Single grain grade of structure, <2 mm; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric;

Moderately moist; Very

weak consistence; Non-plastic; Non-sticky; Clear, Smooth change to -

B2 0.95 - 1.1 m

10YR46, 20-

 $Yellowish\ brown\ (10YR5/6\text{-Moist});\ Mottles,\ 10YR33,\ 10\text{-}20\%\ ,\ 5\text{-}15\text{mm},\ Distinct};\ Mottles,\ Mottl$ 

50%, 5-15mm, Distinct; Fine sand (Heavy); Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Angular

blocky; Single

grain grade of structure, <2 mm; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Moderately moist; Very

weak consistence; Non-plastic; Non-sticky;

**Morphological Notes** 

A12 Charcoal Observed from 25cm. Soft, dispersed, 2mm in size, black angular. Mottling observe in

A12 on the back of pit but not other 3 sides. Ver coarse, prominent, 10yr3/2. N46C 300-

550m

Charcoal Observed from 25cm. Soft, dispersed, 2mm in size, black angular. N46D

B1 sampled 650-

930mm

B2 1100mm

## **Observation Notes**

Substrate Not reached. Vegetation: Pasture Grass

## **Site Notes**

Mode of Geomorphic Activity: Aggraded. Geomorphic Agent: Sheet Wash.

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

De	pth	рН	1:5 EC	Ex Ca	changeabl	e Cations K	Na	Exchangeable Acidity	CEC	ECEC	ESP
r	n		dS/m		9		Cmol (+)/kg				%
0 -	0.075	6.1C 6.7A	0.062A	4.94A	0.19	0.32	0.06	0.02D 0G 0.03A		5.54B	
0.19	- 0.265	5.8C 6.5A	0.045A	4.68A	0.16	0.22	0.06	0.03D 0G 0.04A		5.16B	
0.3	- 0.55	4.6C 5.3A	0.015A	0.54A	0.08	0.16	0.05	0.01D 0.14G 0.57A		1.4B	
0.65	5 - 0.93	5C 5.7A	0.016A	0.72A	0.09	0.16	0.06	0.01D 0.1G 0.26A		1.29B	
0.9	7 - 1.1	5.9C 6.6A	0.018A	0.96A	0.22	0.2	0.09	0.01D 0G 0.08A		1.55B	

Depth	CaCO3	Organic C Clay	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	G۷	Particle Siz	e Analysis S Silt
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3		9	6
0 - 0.075		1.02B	84H 37.6I		0.1D					
0.19 - 0.265		0.95B	84H 36.1I		0.09D					
0.3 - 0.55		0.14B	26H 15.1I		0.02D					
0.65 - 0.93		0.1B	8H 4I		0.02D					
0.97 - 1.1		0.08B	5H 2I		0.02D					

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

10B_NR 12_NR_FE 12A1_CU	Extractable sulfur (mg/kg) - Not recorded Total element - Fe(%) - Not recorded DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12A1_00 12A1_FE	DTPA - extractable copper, zinc, manganese and iron
12A1_N	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 - meg per 100g of soil - Not recorded
15_NR_H	Hydrogen Cation - meg 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	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 for soluble	Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment
	salts
15G_C_AL2 By AAS	Exchangeable aluminium - meq per 100g of soil - Aluminium By KCl extraction and detremination
15G1	Exchange acidity (hydrogen and aluminium) by 1M potassium chloride

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15J\_H Sum of Ex. cations + Ex. acidity - Sum of basic exch. cations and exch. (Hydrogen)
15N1 Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESP)

15N1 Exchangeable sodium percentage (ESF 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

9B2\_COL Bicarbonate-extractable phosphorus - automated colour. Based on Colwell (1965). Method no

longer

recommended

9C2 Olsen-extractable phosphorus - automated colour