

**Project Name:** SCEAM - Soil Condition Evaluation & Monitoring Project, Tasmania  
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#### Site Information

**Desc. By:** R. Moreton **Locality:** Property owner, Michael Creswek.  
 Property name, Quamby View. Site located 200m NW of

Homestead.

**Date Desc.:** 02/08/05 **Elevation:** 293 metres  
**Map Ref.:** GPS S.A. Off **Rainfall:** 1032  
**Northing/Long.:** 5400372 AMG zone: 55 **Runoff:** Moderately rapid  
**Easting/Lat.:** 474911 Datum: GDA94 **Drainage:** Moderately well drained

#### Geology

**Exposure Type:** Soil pit **Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.:** Almost certain or certain  
**Geol. Ref.:** Tb **Substrate Material:** , Basalt

#### Landform

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

**Morph. Type:** Lower-slope **Relief:** No Data  
**Elem. Type:** Hillslope **Slope Category:** Gently inclined  
**Slope:** 3 % **Aspect:** 180 degrees

**Surface Soil Condition** Soft

#### Erosion

#### Soil Classification

**Australian Soil Classification:** **Mapping Unit:** N/A  
 Haplic Mesotrophic Red Ferrosol Thick Slightly gravelly Clay- **Principal Profile Form:** N/A  
 loamy Clayey Deep  
**ASC Confidence:** **Great Soil Group:** N/A  
 All necessary analytical data are available.

#### Site Disturbance

#### Vegetation

**Surface Coarse Fragments** 0-2%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, ,

#### Profile Morphology

<p>A11p 0 - 0.12 m            Moderate grade of            blocky; Earthy fabric;            plastic; Normal            coarse fragments;</p>	<p>Very dark brown (7.5YR2/2-Moist); Dark brown (7.5YR3/4-Dry); , 0-0% ; Clay loam;            structure, 2-5 mm, Polyhedral; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Subangular            Few (&lt;1 per 100mm<sup>2</sup>) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Moist; Loose consistence; Slightly            plasticity; Slightly sticky; 2-10%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, dispersed,            Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -</p>
<p>A12p 0.12 - 0.3 m            mm, Polyhedral;            100mm<sup>2</sup>) Fine (1-            Slightly sticky; 2-            fine (0-1mm) roots;</p>	<p>Very dark brown (7.5YR2/2-Moist); , 0-0% ; Clay loam; Moderate grade of structure, 2-5            Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Earthy fabric; Few (&lt;1 per            2mm) macropores, Moist; Very weak consistence; Slightly plastic; Normal plasticity;            10%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, dispersed, coarse fragments; Few, very            Abrupt, Wavy change to -</p>
<p>B1t 0.3 - 0.55 m            Distinct; Mottles,            of structure,            plasticity;            fragments; Gradual,</p>	<p>Dark reddish brown (2.5YR3/4-Moist); Substrate influence, 5YR46, 0-2% , 0-5mm,            2.5YR46, 0-2% , 0-5mm, Distinct; Clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Moderate grade            2-5 mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; Slightly plastic; Normal            Moderately sticky; 2-10%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, subrounded, dispersed, coarse            Smooth change to -</p>
<p>B21t 0.55 - 0.9 m            2.5YR46, 0-</p>	<p>Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); Substrate influence, 5YR46, 0-2% , 0-5mm, Distinct; Mottles,            2% , 0-5mm, Distinct; Medium clay (Light); Massive grade of structure; Moderate grade of</p>

structure, 2-5	mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; Moderately plastic; Normal
plasticity; Very	sticky; 2-10%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, subrounded, dispersed, coarse fragments;
Gradual, Smooth	change to -
B22t 0.9 - 1.12 m	Yellowish red (5YR4/6-Moist); , 0-0% ; Light clay; Massive grade of structure; Strong
grade of structure,	5-10 mm, Subangular blocky; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; Moderately plastic;
Normal	plasticity; Very sticky; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, faint;

**Morphological Notes**

A11p	Penetration resistance: Soft
A12p	Penetration resistance: Firm

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B1t Penetration resistance: Stiff. Fragments of charcoal in B1 Horizon. Sampled from .30 to .55m, Label N6C.  
 B21t Penetration resistance: Stiff. B21 Horizon sampled from .60 to .90m, Label N6D.  
 B22t Penetration resistance: Stiff. Slicken Sides (K) of Peds have colour of 5YR4/6. B22 Horizon sampled from .90 to 1.12m, Label N6E.

#### Observation Notes

Substrate rock of Basalt (BA) not reached during Soil Pit observation. Coarse fragments on surface contain BA grain size 0.06-2mm, crystalline texture with massive structure. No vegetation, weed regrowth. Soil class is Yolla

#### Site Notes

Element slope class is gentle. Mode of geomorphic activity is eroded or aggraded. With the geomorphic agent volcanic. Inundation frequency was recorded as no inundation.

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#### Laboratory Test Results:

Depth m	pH	1:5 EC dS/m	Ca	Exchangeable Mg	Cations K	Na Cmol (+)/kg	Exchangeable Acidity	CEC	ECEC	ESP %
0 - 0.075	5.7C 6.4A	0.097A	14.57A	2.95	1.44	0.18	0D 0G 0A		19.14B	
0.175 - 0.25	5.6C 6.3A	0.06A	14.94A	2.85	0.29	0.19	0D 0G 0A		18.27B	
0.3 - 0.55	5.7C 5.8A	0.191A	9.08A	1.65	0.14	0.19	0.01005D 0G 0.059825A		11.11983B	
0.6 - 0.9	6C 6.2A	0.1A	6.5A	1.1	0.06	0.12	0.0059D 0G 0.040675A		7.820675B	
0.9 - 1.12	6.2C 6.5A	0.052A	6.69A	1.8	0.07	0.27	0.006495D 0G 0.014675A		8.844675B	

Depth m	CaCO3 %	Organic C Clay %	Avail. P mg/kg	Total P %	Total N %	Total K %	Bulk Density Mg/m3	Particle GV CS	Size FS %	Analysis Silt
0 - 0.075		5.1B	137H 27.9I		0.45D					
0.175 - 0.25		5.42B	110H 24.2I		0.52D					
0.3 - 0.55		1.69B	12H 4.2I		0.16D					
0.6 - 0.9		0.86B	8H 3.1I		0.08D					
0.9 - 1.12		0.67B	9H 3.1I		0.06D					

#### 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 for soluble	Exchangeable bases (Ca <sup>2+</sup> ,Mg <sup>2+</sup> ,Na <sup>+</sup> ,K <sup>+</sup> ) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment salts
15A1_K for soluble	Exchangeable bases (Ca <sup>2+</sup> ,Mg <sup>2+</sup> ,Na <sup>+</sup> ,K <sup>+</sup> ) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment salts
15A1_MG for soluble	Exchangeable bases (Ca <sup>2+</sup> ,Mg <sup>2+</sup> ,Na <sup>+</sup> ,K <sup>+</sup> ) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment salts
15A1_NA for soluble	Exchangeable bases (Ca <sup>2+</sup> ,Mg <sup>2+</sup> ,Na <sup>+</sup> ,K <sup>+</sup> ) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, no pretreatment salts

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15G_C_AL2	Exchangeable aluminium - meq per 100g of soil - Aluminium By KCl extraction and detremination
By AAS	
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
9B2_COL	Bicarbonate-extractable phosphorus - automated colour. Based on Colwell (1965). Method no
longer	
	recommended
9C2	Olsen-extractable phosphorus - automated colour