Project Name: EDEN BURNING STUDY AREA

Project Code: 1000638 Site ID: EDB\_SA27 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: CSIRO Division of Soils (ACT)

**Site Information** 

Desc. By: P. Ryan Locality:

Date Desc.: Elevation: 19/07/87 310 metres Map Ref.: Sheet No.: 8823 1:25000 Rainfall: No Data Northing/Long.: 5877600 AMG zone: 55 Runoff: No Data Easting/Lat.: 735370 Datum: AGD66 Well drained Drainage:

**Geology** 

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

**Land Form** 

Rel/Slope Class:No DataPattern Type:No DataMorph. Type:Upper-slopeRelief:0 metresElem. Type:HillcrestSlope Category:No DataSlope:7 %Aspect:225 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Loose

**Erosion:** 

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AN/APrincipal Profile Form:Dg3.6

ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: Yellow podzolic soil

Confidence level not specified

Site Disturbance: No effective disturbance other than grazing by hoofed animals

**Vegetation:** 

Surface Coarse Fragments: No surface coarse fragments; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, Quartz

**Profile Morphology** 

O1 0 - 0.02 m Organic Layer; ; Loamy coarse sand; Moist; Clear, Wavy change to 
Nery dark grey (10YR3/1-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam; Weak grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Granular; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; 10-20%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach); Many, medium (2-5mm) roots; Many, coarse (>5mm) roots; Clear, Wavy change to -

A2 0.08 - 0.17 m Grey (2.5Y5/1-Moist); ; Coarse sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Granular; Earthy fabric; Dry; Weak consistence; 10-20%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Field pH 4.5 (Raupach); Many, medium (2-5mm) roots; Many, coarse

(>5mm) roots; Gradual, Wavy change to -

B2 0.17 - 0.52 m Very pale brown (10YR7/4-Moist); ; Sandy loam; Weak grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Granular;

Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Dry; Firm consistence; 10-20%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, coarse fragments; 10-20%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular, dispersed, coarse fragments; Field pH 4.5 (Raupach); Common, medium (2-5mm) roots;

BC 0.52 - 0.67 m Yellow (10YR7/6-Moist); ; Firm consistence; 20-50%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular,

undisturbed, coarse fragments; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach); Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Few, medium

(2-5mm) roots;

**Morphological Notes** 

A2 B2 horizon is dry & hydrophobic - possibly dispersive. Also a dominant

ped size 5-10mm.

**Observation Notes** 

Just below crest. High surface charcoal levels.

**Site Notes** 

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

Depth	рН	1:5 EC		hangeable Vig	Cations K	E: Na	xchangeable Acidity	CEC		ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m		J		Cmol (+)/					%
0.02 - 0.08	3.28I 4.21H		0.95F	0.44	0.23	0.15	3.08G				
0.08 - 0.17	3.17l 4.22H		0.42F	0.31	0.13	0.11	2.66G				
0.32 - 0.4	3.79I 4.69H		0.16F	0.28	0.15	0.13	2.39G				
Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	Pai GV	rticle CS	FS	Analysis Silt Clay
m	70	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3			%	
0.02 - 0.08		6.23A		22F	<0.0	)1E		32.3			
0.08 - 0.17		3.85A		16F	<0.0			29			
0.32 - 0.4		1.98A		13.8F	<0.0	)1E		31			
Depth	COLE		Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents						K s	at	K unsat
m		Sat.	0.05 Bar	0.1 Bar g/	0.5 Bar g - m3/m	1 Bar 3	5 Bar 15 I	3ar	mm	/h	mm/h
0.00 0.00											

0.02 - 0.08 0.08 - 0.17 0.32 - 0.4

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

15D1\_CA Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) - 1M ammonium acetate at pH 7.0, pretreatment for

soluble salts; manual leach

15D1\_K Exchangeable bases and CEC - 1M ammonium acetate at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts;

manual leach

15D1\_MG Exchangeable bases and CEC - 1M ammonium acetate at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts;

manual leach

15D1\_NA Exchangeable bases and CEC - 1M ammonium acetate at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts;

manual leach

15G\_C\_AL2 Exchangeable aluminium - meq per 100g of soil - Aluminium By KCl extraction and detremination By

AAS

2A1 Air-dry moisture content

4A\_C\_1 pH of soil - pH of 1:1 soil/water suspension
4C\_C\_1 pH of 1:1 soil/1M potassium chloride suspension
6A1 Organic carbon - Walkley and Black

7A1 Total nitrogen - semimicro Kjeldahl, steam distillation

9A\_NR Total element - P(%) - Not recorded

P10\_GRAV Gravel (%)