Project Name: EDEN BURNING STUDY AREA

Project Code: 1000638 Site ID: EDB_SA36 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: CSIRO Division of Soils (ACT)

Site Information

Desc. By: P. Ryan Locality:

Elevation: Date Desc.: 01/09/87 310 metres Map Ref.: Sheet No.: 8823 1:25000 Rainfall: No Data Northing/Long.: 5878050 AMG zone: 55 Runoff: No Data 733780 Datum: AGD66 Rapidly drained Easting/Lat.: Drainage:

Geology

 ExposureType:
 Soil pit
 Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.:
 No Data

 Geol. Ref.:
 Dgwa
 Substrate Material:
 Sand

Land Form

Rel/Slope Class:No DataPattern Type:No DataMorph. Type:Mid-slopeRelief:0 metresElem. Type:HillslopeSlope Category:No DataSlope:14 %Aspect:270 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Loose

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification: Mapping Unit: N/A
N/A Principal Profile Form: Gn2.34
ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: Yellow earth

Confidence level not specified

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

Vegetation:

Surface Coarse Fragments: No surface coarse fragments; No surface coarse fragments

Profile Morphology

O2 0 - 0.02 m Organic Layer; ; Wet; Abrupt, Smooth change to -

A2c 0.02 - 0.27 m Light yellowish brown (10YR6/4-Moist); ; Coarse sandy clay loam; Single grain grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Few, medium (2-

5mm) roots; Few, coarse (>5mm) roots; Diffuse, Wavy change to -

B1 0.27 - 0.42 m Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); ; Coarse sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 10-20

mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Firm consistence; Few (2 - 10 %), Organic (humified), Coarse (6 - 20 mm), Soft segregations; Few (2 - 10 %), Organic (humified), Coarse (6 - 20 mm), Nodules; Many, fine (1-2mm) roots; Many, medium (2-5mm) roots; Many, coarse (>5mm) roots;

Diffuse, Wavy change to -

B2 0.42 - 0.62 m Yellowish brown (10YR5/6-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm,

Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Firm consistence; Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Common,

medium (2-5mm) roots; Gradual, Irregular change to -

BC 0.62 - 0.92 m ; Coarse sandy clay; Weak grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak

consistence; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Clear, Wavy change to -

C 0.92 - 0.92 m ; Very firm consistence;

Morphological Notes

O2 (no A1 horizon) Bottom of A2 horizon were organic-Fe nodules (hard),

possibly associated withroot kinin.

A2 to B2 colluvium.

B2 Also domminant ped size of 10-20mm.

Observation Notes

Site process also depositional. Unsure about GSG. Downslope from tors - ridgeline. Minimal

profile

development. Sand gets coarser with increasing depth.

Site Notes

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Laboratory Test Results:

Depth	рН	1:5 EC		hangeable			Exchangeable	CEC	EC	EC ESP
m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	K	Na Cmol (+)	Acidity)/kg			%
0.02 - 0.1	3.41I 4.5H		1.09F	0.72	0.25	0.05	1.04G			
0.32 - 0.4	3.72l 4.98H		0.33F	0.82	0.3	0.09	1.87G			
0.62 - 0.92	3.92l 5.16H		0.26F	2.82	0.25	0.13	0.96G			
Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	Pai GV	rticle Siz	•
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3		9	
0.02 - 0.1 0.32 - 0.4 0.62 - 0.92		4.68A 1.31A 0.64A		33F 19F 82F	<0.0 <0.0 <0.0)1E		26.8 38.7 43.6		
Depth	COLE		Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents						K sat	K unsat
m		Sat.	0.05 Bar 0.1 Bar 0.5 Bar 1 Bar 5 B g/g - m3/m3			5 Bar 15 I	Bar	mm/h	mm/h	
0.02 - 0.1										

0.32 - 0.4 0.62 - 0.92

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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 (%)