Project Name: EDEN BURNING STUDY AREA

Project Code: 1000638 Site ID: EDB_SA45 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: CSIRO Division of Soils (ACT)

Site Information

Desc. By: P. Ryan Locality:

 Date Desc.:
 04/09/87
 Elevation:
 210 metres

 Map Ref.:
 Sheet No.: 8823
 1:25000
 Rainfall:
 No Data

 Northing/Long.:
 5876750 AMG zone: 55
 Runoff:
 No Data

Easting/Lat.: 734640 Datum: AGD66 Drainage: Moderately well drained

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:Lower-slopeRelief:0 metresElem. Type:HillslopeSlope Category:No DataSlope:16 %Aspect:90 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Soft

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AN/APrincipal Profile Form:Uc2.22ASC Confidence:Great Soil Group:Podzol

Confidence level not specified

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

Vegetation:

Surface Coarse Fragments: 10-20%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, Quartz

Profile Morphology

O1 0 - 0.05 m Organic Layer; ; Coarse sandy clay loam; Moist; Clear, Smooth change to -

A11 0.05 - 0.18 m Black (10YR2/1-Moist); Coarse sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, <2 mm, Granular; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; Field pH 4 (Raupach); Many, fine (1-2mm) roots; Many,

medium (2-5mm) roots; Many, coarse (>5mm) roots; Abrupt, Smooth change to -

A12 0.18 - 0.25 m Very dark greyish brown (10YR3/2-Moist); ; Coarse sandy loam; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm,

mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, Sand, coarse fragments; Field pH 4 (Raupach); Many, fine (1-2mm) roots; Many, medium (2-5mm) roots; Many, coarse (>5mm) roots; Sharp, Wavy change to -

A2c 0.25 - 0.35 m Light brownish grey (10YR6/2-Moist); ; Coarse sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 5-10

mm, Polyhedral, Earthy fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, Sand, coarse fragments; Field pH 4 (Raupach); Common, fine (1-2mm)

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

B2 0.35 - 0.49 m Light yellowish brown (10YR6/4-Moist); , 10-20% , Faint; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm,

Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Firm consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, Sand, coarse fragments; 20-50%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, subangular, dispersed, Sand, coarse fragments; Few cutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, distinct; Few (2 - 10%), Ferruginous, Coarse (6 - 20 mm), Soft segregations, weak, segregations; Few (2 - 10%), Ferruginous, Coarse (6 - 20 mm), Nodules, weak, segregations; Organic (humified), , ; Field pH

4.5 (Raupach); Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Common, medium (2-5mm) roots;

Cr 0.49 - 1.15 m ; 50-90%, cobbly, 60-200mm, subrounded, reoriented, Sand, coarse fragments; 50-90%, stony,

200-600mm, subrounded, reoriented, Sand, coarse fragments; 50-90%, cobbly, 60-200mm,

subangular, reoriented, Sand, coarse fragments;

Morphological Notes

A2c Ped coating = organic. Some small amount of illuviated OM in B2plus Fe-

nodules.

Observation Notes

GSG = P? Large boulders of partially weathered granite in lower profile. Thick saprolite.

Site Notes

DP54 - above crk line

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Laboratory Test Results:

| Depth | рН | 1:5 EC | | hangeable Mg | Cations K | E Na | xchangeable Acidity | CEC | EC | EC | ESP | |
|---|----------------|-------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------------|------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------|----------|-----------|--|
| m | | dS/m | J | | Cmol (+)/kg | | | | | | % | |
| 0.05 - 0.13 | 3.19l 4.01H | | 0.03F | 1.58 | 0.11 | 0.04 | 0.84G | | | | | |
| 0.25 - 0.35 | 3.46l 4.47H | | 0.07F | 0.48 | 0.26 | 0.06 | 1.31G | | | | | |
| 0.35 - 0.43 | 3.65I 4.67H | | 0.04F | 0.6 | 0.14 | 0.05 | 1.22G | | | | | |
| Depth | CaCO3 | Organic C | Avail. P | Total P | Total N | Total K | Bulk Density | | ticle Si | • | s Clay | |
| m | % | % | mg/kg | % | % | % | Mg/m3 | | (| % | - | |
| 0.05 - 0.13 0.25 - 0.35 0.35 - 0.43 | | 8.36A 0.77A 1.26A | | 42F 10F 12F | <0.0 <0.0 <0.0 |)1E | | 29.7 28.2 26.5 | | | | |
| Depth | COLE | | Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents | | | | | | K sat | K unsa | K unsat | |
| m | | Sat. | 0.05 Bar 0.1 Bar 0.5 Bar 1 Bar 5 Bar 15 B g/g - m3/m3 | | | | | Bar | mm/h | n/h mm/h | | |
| 0.05 - 0.13 | | | | | | | | | | | | |

^{0.25 - 0.35} 0.35 - 0.43

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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

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 (%)