Project Name: EDEN BURNING STUDY AREA

Project Code: 1000638 Site ID: EDB\_SA57 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: CSIRO Division of Soils (ACT)

**Site Information** 

Desc. By: P. Ryan Locality:

Elevation: Date Desc.: 09/09/87 300 metres Map Ref.: Sheet No.: 8823 1:25000 Rainfall: No Data Northing/Long.: 5878270 AMG zone: 55 Runoff: No Data 734490 Datum: AGD66 Well drained Easting/Lat.: Drainage:

**Geology** 

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

**Land Form** 

Rel/Slope Class:No DataPattern Type:No DataMorph. Type:Lower-slopeRelief:0 metresElem. Type:HillslopeSlope Category:No DataSlope:35 %Aspect:135 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Loose

**Erosion:** Partial, Minor (sheet)

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification: Mapping Unit: N/A
N/A Principal Profile Form: Uc4.24
ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: Lithosol

Confidence level not specified

Site Disturbance:

Vegetation:

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

**Profile Morphology** 

O1 0 - 0.03 m Organic Layer; ; Sandy loam; Moist; Clear, Smooth change to -

A1 0.03 - 0.15 m Very dark grey (10YR3/1-Moist); ; Medium sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm,

Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Very weak consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Field pH 4 (Raupach); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Common, medium (2-5mm) roots; Gradual, Wavy

change to -

A2 0.15 - 0.23 m Dark greyish brown (10YR4/2-Moist); ; Medium sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 5-10

mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric; Moist; Firm consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; 20-50%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Field pH 5 (Raupach); Common, medium (2-

5mm) roots; Common, coarse (>5mm) roots; Abrupt, Wavy change to -

B2 0.23 - 0.53 m Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); ; Weak grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Polyhedral; Earthy fabric;

Weak consistence; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subrounded, dispersed, coarse fragments; 20-50%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subrounded, dispersed, coarse fragments; 20-50%, fine gravelly, 2-6mm, subangular, dispersed, coarse fragments; Field pH 5 (Raupach); Common,

medium (2-5mm) roots; Common, coarse (>5mm) roots;

**Morphological Notes** 

A1 Dominant ped size also 10-20mm.

A2 Dominant ped size also 10-20mm.

## **Observation Notes**

Shallow profile resting on rock.

## **Site Notes**

DP94 - steep lower slope above dry crk

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

Edbordtory root recounts.												
Depth	рН	1:5 EC		hangeable Vig	Cations K	Na	Exchangeable Acidity	CEC	E	CEC	E	SP
m		dS/m				Cmol (+					9,	6
0.03 - 0.11	3.03I 3.86H		0.79F	1.25	0.37	0.15	1.33G					
0.15 - 0.23	3.71I 4.62H		0.33F	0.37	0.11	0.06	0.94G					
0.33 - 0.41	4.11I 4.7H		0.05F	0.21	0.12	0.06	1.22G					
Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Density		ticle S	FS	Analysis Silt (	
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3			%		
0.03 - 0.11 0.15 - 0.23 0.33 - 0.41		9.39A 1.68A 1.5A		51F 28F 35F	<0.0 <0.0 <0.0	1E		22.1 24.4 31				
Depth m	COLE	Sat.	Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents 0.05 Bar 0.1 Bar 0.5 Bar 1 Bar 5 Bar 15 Bar g/g - m3/m3						K sat		K unsat	
0.03 - 0.11												

0.15 - 0.23 0.33 - 0.41

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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 (%)