Project Name: BAGO-MARAGLE FOREST SOIL SURVEY

Project Code: BGM\_FSS Site ID: 0122 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: CSIRO Division of Soils (ACT)

**Site Information** 

Desc. By: N.J. McKenzie Locality:

 Date Desc.:
 07/05/96
 Elevation:
 1169 metres

 Map Ref.:
 Sheet No.: 8526
 DGPS
 Rainfall:
 No Data

 Northing/Long.:
 6046641 AMG zone: 55
 Runoff:
 No Data

Easting/Lat.: 604464 Datum: AGD66 Drainage: Imperfectly drained

Geology

ExposureType: No Data Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.: Probable Geol. Ref.: Sqg Substrate Material: Granodiorite

**Land Form** 

Rel/Slope Class:No DataPattern Type:No DataMorph. Type:Simple-slopeRelief:No DataElem. Type:HillslopeSlope Category:No DataSlope:2 %Aspect:180 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Firm

**Erosion:** 

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AYellow KandosolPrincipal Profile Form:Gn4.81ASC Confidence:Great Soil Group:N/A

All necessary analytical data are available.

Site Disturbance: No effective disturbance. Natural

Vegetation:

**Surface Coarse Fragments:** 

**Profile Morphology** 

A11 0 - 0.05 m Dark reddish brown (5YR3/2-Moist); Mottles, 5YR33, 20-50%, Faint; Silty clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Rough-ped fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; 0-2%, coarse gravelly, 20-

60mm, angular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Field pH 4.5 (Raupach); Abundant, very

fine (0-1mm) roots; Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Abrupt, Smooth change to -

A12 0.05 - 0.17 m Black (5YR2.5/1-Moist); ; Silty clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Polyhedral;

Rough-ped fabric; Moist; Very weak consistence; 2-10%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, angular, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Few cutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 4.5 (Raupach); Many, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Clear,

Smooth change to -

A2 0.17 - 0.22 m Very dark grey (5YR3/1-Moist); ; Silty clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Polyhedral;

Rough-ped fabric; Moist; Very weak consistence; 20-50%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, angular, stratified, Quartz, coarse fragments; Few cutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 6.5 (Raupach); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Abrupt, Smooth

change to -

2B21 0.22 - 0.45 m Brownish yellow (10YR6/6-Moist); Substrate influence, 10YR64, 20-50%, Distinct; Light clay;

Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Polyhedral; Rough-ped fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; 2-10%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, angular platy, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach); Common, very fine

(0-1mm) roots; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Gradual, Smooth change to -

2B22 0.45 - 0.9 m Light yellowish brown (10YR6/4-Moist); Substrate influence, 10YR78, 20-50%, Distinct; Light

clay; Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Polyhedral; Rough-ped fabric; Moist; Weak consistence; 2-10%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, angular platy, dispersed, Quartz, coarse fragments; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 5.5

(Raupach); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Gradual, Smooth change

2B3 0.9 - 1.35 m White (10YR8/2-Moist); Substrate influence, 7.5YR68, 20-50%, Distinct; Substrate influence,

10-20%, Distinct; Medium sandy clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Wet; Very weak consistence; Very few (0 - 2%), Manganiferous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Soft segregations, weak, segregations; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Abrupt, Smooth change to -

 $3D \hspace{1cm} \textbf{1.35 - 1.75 m} \hspace{1cm} \textbf{Reddish yellow (7.5YR6/8-Moist); Substrate influence, 10YR73, 20-50\%, Prominent; Light clay;} \\$ 

Massive grade of structure; Wet; Firm consistence; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-

1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -

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4C1 1.75 - 1.9 m Light brownish grey (10YR6/2-Moist); Substrate influence, 10YR82, 10-20%, Distinct; Sandy

loam; Massive grade of structure; Wet; Very weak consistence; Field pH 6 (Raupach);

## **Morphological Notes**

A11 Thin organic root mat with a layer of more brown oxidised iron evident.

A12 Very dark uniform layer with relatively low faunal activity due to worms and som-e

compaction due to cattle and horses. Mica evident.

A2 Sharp transition to the B hor mica evidenent. Faint hint of a much coarser pedality

(perhaps materials with some clear pedological fabric and other parts more like a B3.

2B22 Very similar to layer 4 but more pale.

Abundant large roots of mica 2-4mm in diameter pale colours due to water loggi-ing.
Contrasting clay layer. Material has no pedologic fabric and may be either alluvium ck or

some form of fine grained intrusion (aplite).

4C1 C horizon again with very large micas and other feldspars (orthoclase)

## **Observation Notes**

Complex profile unit may be alluvial or due to the PM. Very open gently colluvial site with grazed grass. Stellulata wood-land with sedgelands along creeks.

## **Site Notes**

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Depth	pH	1:5 EC	Exc	hangeable		E	Exchangeable	CEC	ECEC	ESP
m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	K	Na Cmol (+)	Acidity )/kg			%
0 - 0.05	3.97C		0.06H	0.12	0.11	0.05	2.66J		3E	
0.05 - 0.17	3.84C		2.05H	1	0.31	0.14	0K 6.45J		9.94	<b>=</b>
0.17 - 0.22	3.87C		0.88H	0.51	0.13	0.08	0K 5.15J		6.74E	<b>=</b>
0.22 - 0.45	3.87C		0.86H	0.87	0.26	0.08	0K 4.6J 0K		6.66	≣
0.45 - 0.9	3.88C		1.16H	1.3	0.17	0.07	5.47J 0K		8.16E	<b>=</b>
0.9 - 1.35	3.96C		0.63H	0.75	0.15	0.05	2.42J 0K		4.01E	≣
1.35 - 1.75	3.83C		1.97H	2.61	0.53	80.0	9.69J 0K		14.87	E
1.75 - 1.9	3.92C		0.58H	0.71	0.2	0.07	2.36J 0K		3.92E	≣
Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density	Par GV	ticle Size	Analysis Silt Clay
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3		%	J J,
0 - 0.05 0.05 - 0.17		11.83B 5.63B		916.1E 569.2E			0.88	7.51 7.95		
0.17 - 0.22		2.38B		343.7E	-		0.00	32.54		
0.22 - 0.45		0.74B		176.4E			1.06	11.99		
0.45 - 0.9		0.54B		152.7E			1.00	14		
0.9 - 1.35		0.14B		99.8B				10.98		
1.35 - 1.75 1.75 - 1.9		0.25B 0.09B		188.6E 146.7E	-			6.84 11.58		
Depth	COLE		Grav	imetric/Vo	olumetric \	Water Con	tents		K sat	K unsat
m		Sat.	0.05 Bar		0.5 Bar g - m3/m	1 Bar 13	5 Bar 15 l	Bar	mm/h	mm/h
0 005										

<sup>0 - 0.05</sup> 0.05 - 0.17 0.17 - 0.22 0.22 - 0.45

<sup>0.45 - 0.9</sup> 0.9 - 1.35 1.35 - 1.75 1.75 - 1.9

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

15\_NR Sum of Ex. cations + Ex. acidity - Not recorded

15E1\_AL 15E1\_CA Exchangeable AI - by compulsive exchange, no pretreatment for soluble salts

Exchangeable bases (Ca2+,Mg2+,Na+,K+) by compulsive exchange, no pretreatment for soluble

Exchangeable H - by compulsive exchange, no pretreatment for soluble salts 15E1\_H

Exchangeable bases, CEC and AEC by compulsive exchange, no pretreatment for soluble salts 15E1\_K 15E1\_MG Exchangeable bases, CEC and AEC by compulsive exchange, no pretreatment for soluble salts 15E1\_NA Exchangeable bases, CEC and AEC by compulsive exchange, no pretreatment for soluble salts

Air-dry moisture content 2A1

pH of 1:5 soil/0.01M calcium chloride extract - following Method 4A1 4B2 6B2 Total organic carbon - high frequency induction furnace, volumetric

7A2

Total nitrogen - semimicro Kjeldahl , automated colour Total Phosphorus (ppm) - semimicro kjeldahl, automated colour 9A3

P10\_GRAV Gravel (%)

P3A1 Bulk density - g/cm3