Project Name: BAGO-MARAGLE FOREST SOIL SURVEY

Project Code: BGM\_FSS Site ID: 0165 Observation ID: 1

Agency Name: CSIRO Division of Soils (ACT)

**Site Information** 

Desc. By: P. Ryan Locality:

Date Desc.: 06/05/97 Elevation: No Data Map Ref.: Sheet No.: 8526 DGPS Rainfall: No Data Northing/Long.: 6030795 AMG zone: 55 Runoff: No Data 617215 Datum: AGD66 Well drained Easting/Lat.: Drainage:

**Geology** 

ExposureType: Soil pit Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.: Probable Geol. Ref.: Os Substrate Material: Schist

**Land Form** 

Rel/Slope Class:No DataPattern Type:No DataMorph. Type:Mid-slopeRelief:No DataElem. Type:HillslopeSlope Category:No DataSlope:31 %Aspect:270 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Loose

**Erosion:** 

**Soil Classification** 

Australian Soil Classification:Mapping Unit:N/AHaplic Mesotrophic Red Dermosol Medium Moderately<br/>gravelly Clay-loamy Clayey Moderately deepPrincipal Profile Form:Um6.33

ASC Confidence: Great Soil Group: No suitable group

All necessary analytical data are available.

Site Disturbance: No effective disturbance. Natural

**Vegetation:** 

<u>Surface Coarse Fragments:</u> 10-20%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular tabular, ; 10-20%, coarse gravelly, 20-60mm, subangular tabular,

**Profile Morphology** 

O1 0 - 0.04 m Organic Layer; ;

A1 0.04 - 0.21 m (7.5YR2.5/1-Moist); Biological mixing, 7.5YR32, 2-10%, Faint; Clay loam; Moderate grade of

structure, 2-5 mm, Polyhedral; 5-10 mm, Polyhedral; Rough-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Weak consistence; 20-50%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular, coarse fragments; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach); Many, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Common, medium (2-5mm)

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

B1 0.21 - 0.34 m Dark reddish brown (5YR3/3-Moist); Biological mixing, 5YR2.52, 2-10%, Faint; Light clay;

Strong grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Polyhedral; 2-5 mm, Polyhedral; Smooth-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Weak consistence; 20-50%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular, coarse fragments; Few cutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 5.5 (Raupach); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Few, medium (2-5mm) roots;

Gradual, Wavy change to -

B2 0.34 - 0.64 m Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); Biological mixing, 5YR2.52, 2-10%, Distinct; Light clay; Moderate

grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Angular blocky; 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Smooth-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Weak consistence; 10-20%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular, coarse fragments; Few cutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 5 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Few, medium (2-5mm) roots; Gradual, Irregular

change to -

BC 0.64 - 0.89 m Red (2.5YR4/6-Moist); Biological mixing, 7.5YR2.52, 0-2%, Distinct; Clay loam; Weak grade of

structure, 5-10 mm, Subangular blocky, Rough-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Weak consistence; 50-90%, medium gravelly, 6-20mm, subangular, coarse fragments; Field pH 4.5 (Raupach);

Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots;

**Morphological Notes** 

A1 Colluvial gravel.

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One infilled root channel.

ВС Increase in insitu gravel.

## **Observation Notes**

## Site Notes

WARNIPERS RD, COMP 14 GROWTH PLOT A

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## **Laboratory Test Results:**

Depth	рН	1:5 EC		hangeable Cations		Exchangeal		CEC	ECE	C ESP
m		dS/m	Ca	Mg	К	Na Cmol (+	Acidity )/kg			%
0 - 0.04										
0.04 - 0.21	3.94C		15.03H	2.74	1.3	0.03	0.89J 0K		19.99	9E
0.21 - 0.34	5.09C		7.15H	1.58	0.66	0	0.65J 0K		10.03	BE
0.34 - 0.64	5.05C		1.44H	1.29	0.55	0	2.18J 0K		5.45	E
0.64 - 0.89	4.06C		0.13H	0.71	0.75	0	4.31J 0K		5.91	E
Depth	CaCO3	Organic C	Avail. P	Total P	Total N	Total K	Bulk Density		rticle Size CS FS	Analysis Silt Clay
m	%	%	mg/kg	%	%	%	Mg/m3		%	
0 - 0.04										
0.04 - 0.21		8.54B		609.6B	0.3	1A	0.85	33.08		
0.21 - 0.34		3.25B		378.5B	0.1	5A	1.20	15.55		
0.34 - 0.64		1.2B		284B	0.0	7A	1.16	18.28		
0.64 - 0.89		0.44B		284.6B	0.0	4A		33.57		
Depth	COLE		Gravimetric/Volumetric Water Contents K sat						K unsat	
		Sat.	0.05 Bar	0.1 Bar	0.5 Bar	1 Bar	5 Bar 1	I5 Bar	_	_
m				g/g - m3/m3					mm/h	mm/h
0 - 0.04										
0.04.0.21										

0.04 - 0.21 0.21 - 0.34 0.34 - 0.64 0.64 - 0.89

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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