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Site Information

Desc. By:	N.J. McKenzie	Locality:	
Date Desc.:	17/03/92	Elevation:	No Data
Map Ref.:	1:250000	Rainfall:	No Data
Northing/Long.:	6494800 AMG zone: 55	Runoff:	Moderately rapid
Easting/Lat.:	558100 Datum: AGD66	Drainage:	Well drained

Geology

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

Land Form

Rel/Slope Class:	No Data	Pattern Type:	Rises
Morph. Type:	Upper-slope	Relief:	No Data
Elem. Type:	No Data	Slope Category:	Very gently sloped
Slope:	2 %	Aspect:	No Data

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Hardsetting

Erosion:

Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:		Mapping Unit:	N/A
Red Dermosol		Principal Profile Form:	Gn4.12
ASC Confidence:		Great Soil Group:	N/A

Confidence level not specified

Site Disturbance: Limited clearing, for example selective logging

Vegetation: Low Strata - Tussock grass, 0.26-0.5m, Very sparse. *Species includes - None recorded
Mid Strata - Tree, 3.01-6m, Very sparse. *Species includes - Acacia species
Tall Strata - Tree, 12.01-20m, Sparse. *Species includes - Eucalyptus populnea, Callitris species

Surface Coarse Fragments: No surface coarse fragments

Profile Morphology

A11	0 - 0.03 m	Dark reddish brown (5YR3/3-Moist); Yellowish red (5YR4/6-Dry); ; Loam; Weak grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Platy; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; Field pH 6.5 (Raupach); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Sharp, Smooth change to -
A12	0.03 - 0.12 m	Dark reddish brown (5YR3/3-Moist); ; Loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; Field pH 6 (Raupach); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Gradual, Smooth change to -
A13	0.12 - 0.2 m	Dark reddish brown (5YR3/4-Moist); ; Clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Earthy fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; Field pH 6 (Raupach); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Gradual, Smooth change to -
B11	0.2 - 0.3 m	Dark reddish brown (2.5YR3/4-Moist); ; Clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; Field pH 6 (Raupach); Common, coarse (>5mm) roots; Diffuse, Smooth change to -
B12	0.3 - 0.4 m	Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); ; Light clay; Massive grade of structure; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; Field pH 6 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots;
B12	0.4 - 0.65 m	Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); ; Light clay; Massive grade of structure; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Very firm consistence; Field pH 6.5 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Gradual, Smooth change to -
B2	0.65 - 0.95 m	Dark red (10R3/6-Moist); , 2.5YR36, 20-50% , 15-30mm, Distinct; Light medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Polyhedral; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 7 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Diffuse, Smooth change to -
B31	0.95 - 1.3 m	Dark red (10R3/6-Moist); , 2.5YR36, 20-50% , 5-15mm, Prominent; , 7.5YR66, 20-50% , 5-15mm, Prominent; Light medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Polyhedral; Rough-ped fabric; Dry; Strong consistence; Many cutans, >50% of ped faces or walls coated, distinct; Field pH 7.5 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Diffuse, Smooth change to -

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B32 1.3 - 1.5 m Yellowish brown (10YR5/4-Moist); , 10R36, 20-50% , 30-mm, Prominent; Light medium clay; Moderate grade of structure; Rough-ped fabric; Strong consistence; 0-2%, cobbly, 60-200mm, subangular tabular, Quartz, coarse fragments; Many cutans, >50% of ped faces or walls coated, distinct; Very few (0 - 2 %), Calcareous, Medium (2 -6 mm), Soft segregations; Soil matrix is Moderately calcareous; Field pH 8 (Raupach); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots;

Morphological Notes

B31 Mottling is around fine root channels

Observation Notes

Substarte material mesozoic sediments?

Site Notes

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Laboratory Test Results:

Depth m	pH	1:5 EC dS/m	Exchangeable Cations			Na Cmol (+)/kg	Exchangeable Acidity	CEC	ECEC	ESP %
			Ca	Mg	K					
0 - 0.03	6.4A	0.03A	4.1B	1.2	1			7.2A		
0 - 0.2										
0 - 0.2										
0.03 - 0.12	5.79A	0.02A	3.9B	1.1	0.67	0.04		7.9A		0.51
0.12 - 0.2	5.67A	0.02A	3.5B	1.1	0.47	0.04		7.1A		0.56
0.2 - 0.3	6.19A	0.02A	3.8B	1.5	0.31	0.03		6.1A		0.49
0.3 - 0.4	5.99A	0.01A	3.6B	1.5	0.25	0.09		6.2A		1.45
0.4 - 0.65	5.96A	0.02A	3.5B	1.7	0.19	0.11		6.3A		1.75
0.4 - 0.6										
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0.65 - 0.95	6.39A	0.03A	4.6B	2.1	0.36	0.1		8A		1.25
0.7 - 0.9										
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0.95 - 1.3	7.53A	0.03A	5.2B	1.9	0.6	0.18		10.5A		1.71
1.3 - 1.5	8.09A	0.07A	5.3B	2.1	0.57	0.25		9.7A		2.58
Depth m	CaCO ₃ %	Organic C %	Avail. P mg/kg	Total P %	Total N %	Total K %	Bulk Density Mg/m ³	Particle GV	Size CS	Analysis FS %
0 - 0.03			1.37B						0	
0 - 0.2							1.53			
							1.45			
							1.45			
							1.42			
0 - 0.2							1.53			
							1.45			
							1.45			
							1.42			
0.03 - 0.12			0.77B				1.64	1		
0.12 - 0.2			0.41B					1		
0.2 - 0.3			0.28B					2		
0.3 - 0.4			0.23B					3		
0.4 - 0.65			0.19B				1.48	2		
0.4 - 0.6							1.55			
							1.48			
							1.56			
							1.52			
0.4 - 0.6							1.55			
							1.48			
							1.56			
							1.52			
0.65 - 0.95			0.18B				1.76	3		
0.7 - 0.9							1.62			
							1.64			
							1.63			
							1.59			
0.7 - 0.9							1.62			
							1.64			
							1.63			
							1.59			
0.95 - 1.3	0.07B	0.11B						4		

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Laboratory Analyses Completed for this profile

15A2_CA	Exchangeable bases (Ca ²⁺ ,Mg ²⁺ ,Na ⁺ ,K ⁺) - 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_CEC	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_K	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_MG	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
15A2_NA	Exchangeable bases- 1M ammonium chloride at pH 7.0, pretreatment for soluble salts
19B1	Carbonates - manometric
3A1	EC of 1:5 soil/water extract
4A1	pH of 1:5 soil/water suspension
5A1	Chloride - 1:5 soil/water extract, potentiometric titration
6B2	Total organic carbon - high frequency induction furnace, volumetric
P10_GRAV	Gravel (%)
P10_S_0.20	0.20 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_1000	1000 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_125	125 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_2	2 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_20	20 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_2000	2000 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_250	250 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_31.2	31.2 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_500	500 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P10_S_63	63 micron (cumulative %) - Sedigraph
P3A1	Bulk density - g/cm ³
P3B2VL_15	15 BAR Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using disturbed sample on pressure plate
P3B2VL_5	5 BAR Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using disturbed sample on pressure plate
P3B3VLb001	0.01 BAR Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using undisturbed 73mm diameter and 75mm height core on suction plate taken from center of large core (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P3B3VLb003	0.03 BAR Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using undisturbed 73mm diameter and 75mm height core on suction plate taken from center of large core (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P3B3VLb005	0.05 BAR Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using undisturbed 73mm diameter and 75mm height core on suction plate taken from center of large core (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P3B3VLb01	0.1 BAR Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using undisturbed 73mm diameter and 75mm height core on suction plate taken from center of large core (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P3B3VLb05	0.5 BAR Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using undisturbed 73mm diameter and 75mm height core on suction plate taken from center of large core (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P3B3VLbSAT	Saturated Moisture m ³ /m ³ - Volumetric using undisturbed 73mm diameter and 75mm height core on suction plate taken from center of large core (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P4_50_McK	Unsaturated Hydraulic Conductivity - 50mm potential (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P4_sat_McK	Saturated Hydraulic Conductivity (CSIRO Div of Soil, DR 125, McKenzie and Jacquier, 1996)
P5_LS_MOD	Modified linear shrinkage (McKenzie, Jacquier and Ringrose-Voase, AJSR, 1994, 32, 931-8)