

**Project Name:** SCEAM - Soil Condition Evaluation & Monitoring Project, Tasmania  
**Project Code:** SCEAM **Site ID:** C22 **Observation ID:** 1  
**Agency Name:** TAS Department of Primary Industries and Water

**Site Information**

**Desc. By:** R. Moreton  
**Date Desc.:** 18/04/05  
**Map Ref.:**  
**Northing/Long.:**  
**Easting/Lat.:**

**Locality:** Near Montagu  
**Elevation:** 7 metres  
**Rainfall:** 1065  
**Runoff:** Very slow  
**Drainage:** Imperfectly drained

**Geology**

**Exposure Type:** Soil pit  
**Geol. Ref.:** Qa  
**Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.:** No Data  
**Substrate Material:** No Data

**Land Form**

**Rel/Slope Class:** Undulating rises 9-30m 3-10%  
**Morph. Type:** Flat  
**Elem. Type:** Fan  
**Slope:** 1 %  
**Pattern Type:** Alluvial fan  
**Relief:** No Data  
**Slope Category:** Level  
**Aspect:** 5 degrees

**Surface Soil Condition (dry):** Firm

**Erosion:** No Data

**Soil Classification**

**Australian Soil Classification:**  
 Basic Arenic Inceptic Tenosol Medium Non-gravelly Loamy  
 Sandy Moderately deep

**ASC Confidence:**

Analytical data are incomplete but reasonable confidence.

**Site Disturbance:** Cultivation. Irrigated, past or present

**Vegetation:**

**Surface Coarse Fragments:** 0-2%, cobbly, 60-200mm



**Profile Morphology**

A1	0 - 0.2 m	Black (10YR2/1-Moist); Sandy loam; Moderate grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Polyhedral; Weak grade of structure, <2 mm, Polyhedral; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Moderately moist; Very weak consistence; Non-plastic; Slightly sticky; Field pH 6.6 (pH meter); Many, fine (1-2mm) roots; Gradual, Smooth change to -
A3	0.2 - 0.4 m	Black (10YR2/1-Moist); Sandy clay loam; Weak grade of structure, 50-100 mm, Angular blocky; Weak grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Angular blocky; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Few (<1 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Moderately moist; Very weak consistence; Non-plastic; Slightly sticky; Cultivation pan, Uncemented, Continuous, Concretionary; Field pH 6.6 (pH meter); Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -
2B1	0.4 - 0.52 m	Black (10YR2/1-Moist); Silty clay loam; Massive grade of structure; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Moderately moist; Very weak consistence; Slightly plastic; Normal plasticity; Slightly sticky; Organic pan, Weakly cemented, Continuous, Massive; Field pH 6.8 (pH meter); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -
2B2	0.52 - 0.75 m	Black (10YR2/1-Moist); 0-2%, 5-15mm, Distinct, 10YR5/1; Clayey sand; Massive grade of structure; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Moderately moist; Very weak consistence; Non-plastic; Slightly sticky; Field pH 6.9 (pH meter); Few, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -
2BC	0.75 - 1.1 m	Dark grey (10YR4/1-Moist); Clayey sand; Massive grade of structure; Sandy (grains prominent) fabric; Moist; Very weak consistence; Non-plastic; Slightly sticky; Field pH 7 (pH)

**Chemistry Data**

			Organic	pH	pH	EC	Exchangeable Bases (meq/100g)				ECEC	ESP	Olsen P	Total N	Colwell_I
			C%	(H2O)	(CaCl2)	(dS/m)	Ca	Mg	Na	K	(meq/100g)	%	(mg/kg)	%	(mg/kg)
C22	0	to 75 mm	4.89	6.2	5.4	0.17	12.35	5.51	0.53	0.31	18.70	2.83	0.00	0.52	210
	200	to 275 mm	2.69	6.6	5.7	0.09	13.12	5.31	0.47	0.19	19.09	2.46	0.00	0.21	80
	400	to 520 mm	1.57	7.2	6.6	0.10	11.29	4.21	0.45	0.14	16.23	2.77	4.00	0.16	54
	520	to 750 mm	0.77	6.8	6.2	0.09	7.18	3.29	0.34	0.09	10.99	3.09	2.30	0.09	43