Project Name: SCEAM - Soil Condition Evaluation & Monitoring Project, Tasmania

Site ID: Observation ID: 1 Project Code: SCEAM C23

Agency Name: TAS Department of Primary Industries and Water

Site Information

Desc. By: Darren Kidd Date Desc.: 20/04/05

Northing/Long.: Easting/Lat.:

Map Ref.:

Geology ExposureType: Soil pit Geol. Ref.:

Land Form

Rel/Slope Class: Undulating rises 9-30m 3-10%

Morph. Type: Flat Elem. Type: Backplain Slope: 3 %

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Firm

Erosion: No Data Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:

Humose-Acidic Dermosolic Oxyaquic Hydrosol Medium Non-gravelly Clay-loamy Clayey Deep

ASC Confidence:

All necessary analytical data are available. Site Disturbance: Cultivation. Irrigated, past or

present Vegetation:

Surface Coarse Fragments: None

Locality: near Roger River Elevation: 34 metres

Rainfall: 1393

Runoff: Moderately rapid Drainage: Poorly drained

Conf. Sub. is Parent. Mat.: No Data **Substrate Material:** No Data

Pattern Type: Alluvial plain Relief: No Data Slope Category: Very gently sloped

Aspect:

307 degrees





Profile Morphology

Α1 0 - 0.15 m Dark brown (10YR3/3-Moist); Silty clay loam; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Fine, (0 - 5) mm crack; Few (<1 per 100mm2) Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Moist; Firm consistence; Field pH 7.2 (pH meter); Many, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Abrupt,

Wavy change to -

Dark yellowish brown (10YR4/6-Moist); Light medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 B1t 0.15 - 0.35 m

mm, Subangular blocky; Moderate grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Few (<1 per 100mm2) Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Moist; Firm consistence; Slightly plastic; Normal plasticity; Slightly sticky; Field pH 6.5 (pH meter);

Common, very fine (0-1mm) roots; Clear, Smooth change to -

Dark yellowish brown (10YR4/6-Moist); Medium clay; Moderate grade of structure, 10-20 mm, B2t 0.35 - 1 m

Subangular blocky; Moderate grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Moist; Firm consistence; Slightly plastic; Normal plasticity; Slightly sticky; Few cutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Field pH 6.5 (pH meter); Few, very fine

Chemistry Data

			Organic C%	pH (H20)	pH (CaCl2)	EC (dS/m)	Exchangeable Bases (meq/100g)				ECEC	ESP	Olsen P Total N		Colwell_K
							Ca	Mg	Na	K	(meq/100g)	%	(mg/kg)	%	(mg/kg)
C23 0	to	75 mm	5.71	5.6	4.7	0.10	8.31	3.04	0.28	0.60	12.23	2.29	0.00	0.39	229
200	to	275 mm	2.81	5.8	4.8	0.04	4.34	3.21	0.18	0.42	8.15	2.21	0.00	0.16	163
300	to	600 mm	1.57	5.6	4.9	0.15	3.14	1.70	0.16	0.82	6.36	2.52	2.30	0.13	327
600	to	900 mm	1.06	5.4	4.5	0.07	1.22	1.51	0.14	0.19	4.65	3.01	1.40	0.09	73