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

Observation ID: 1 Project Code: SCEAM Site ID: C39

**Agency Name:** TAS Department of Primary Industries and Water

Site Information

Desc. By: Heather Hawkins Near Paradise Locality: Date Desc.: 07/07/06 Elevation: 489 metres Map Ref.: Rainfall: 1322 Northing/Long.: Runoff: Slow

Easting/Lat.: Drainage: Moderately well drained

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

Land Form

Rel/Slope Class: Rolling hills 90-300m 10-32% Pattern Type: Hills Relief: No Data Morph. Type: Upper-slope

Elem. Type: Hillslope Slope Category: Moderately inclined Slope: 15 % Aspect: 115 degrees

Surface Soil Condition (dry): Firm

Erosion: No Data Soil Classification

Australian Soil Classification:

Acidic Dystrophic Red Ferrosol Medium Non-gravelly Clay-loamy Clayey Moderately deep

**ASC Confidence:** 

All necessary analytical data are available. Site Disturbance: Limited clearing

Vegetation:

Surface Coarse Fragments: 2-10%, cobbly, 60-200mm, , keratophyre

**Profile Morphology** 

-0.03 - 0 m Organic Layer; (/-Moist); Moist; Clear, Wavy change to -01

Α1 0 - 0.17 m Dark reddish brown (5YR3/3-Moist); Clay loam; Strong grade of structure, 10-20 mm, Subangular blocky; Strong grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Many (>5 per 100mm2) Very fine (0.075-1mm) macropores, Common (1-5 per 100mm2) Fine (1-2mm) macropores, Moderately moist; Weak consistence; Moderately plastic; Normal plasticity; Slightly sticky; 2-10%, cobbly, 60-200mm, subangular, dispersed, Dolerite, coarse

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

B1t 0.17 - 0.4 m Reddish brown (5YR4/4-Moist); Substrate influence, 0-2%, 5-15mm, Faint, 10R4/6; Light clay;

> Strong grade of structure, 20-50 mm, Subangular blocky; Strong grade of structure, 2-5 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Weak consistence; Moderately plastic; Normal plasticity; Slightly sticky; 2-10%, cobbly, 60-200mm, subangular, dispersed, Dolerite, coarse fragments; 10-20%, cobbly, 60-200mm, subangular, dispersed, Dolerite, coarse fragments; Fewcutans, <10% of ped faces or walls coated, faint; Few, fine (1-2mm) roots; Few, medium (2-5mm) roots; Few, coarse (>5mm) roots; Clear, Wavy change to

fragments; Common, fine (1-2mm) roots; Common, medium (2-5mm) roots; Few, coarse

B21t 0.4 - 0.59 m Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); Substrate influence, 0-2%, 5-15mm, Faint, 10R4/6; Light medium clay; Strong grade of structure, 50-100 mm, Subangular blocky; Strong grade of structure,

5-10 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Weak consistence; Moderately plastic; Normal plasticity; Slightly sticky; 10-20%, cobbly, 60-200mm, subangular, dispersed, Dolerite, coarse fragments; 0-2%, stony, 200-600mm, subangular, dispersed, Dolerite, coarse fragments; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or walls coated, faint;

Few, coarse (>5mm) roots; Abrupt, Wavy change to -

Dark red (2.5YR3/6-Moist); Substrate influence, 0-2%, 5-15mm, Faint, 10YR4/6; Light B22t 0.59 - 0.8 m

medium clay; Strong grade of structure, 50-100 mm, Subangular blocky; Strong grade of structure, 5-10 mm, Subangular blocky; Rough-ped fabric; Moderately moist; Weak consistence; Moderately plastic; Normal plasticity; Slightly sticky; 10-20%, cobbly, 60-200mm, subangular, dispersed, Dolerite, coarse fragments; 0-2%, stony, 200-600mm, subangular, dispersed, Dolerite, coarse fragments; Common cutans, 10-50% of ped faces or

walls coated, faint; Few, coarse (>5mm) roots;

**Chemistry Data** 

			Organic C%	рН (H20)	pH (CaCl2)	EC (dS/m)	Exchan <sub>t</sub> Ca	geable Ba Mg	ses (meq/1 Na	Ο,	ECEC (meq/100g)	ESP %	Olsen P (mg/kg)	Total N %	Colwell_K (mg/kg)
39	to	75 mm	8.21	5.3	4.5	0.10	6.76	5.38	0.19	0.98	14.58	1.30	6.00	0.42	392
175	to	250 mm	3.55	5.2	4.4	0.06	2.97	1.90	0.15	0.60	8.31	1.81	2.80	0.25	246
400	to	580 mm	1.01	5.4	4.5	0.02	0.30	0.43	0.16	0.16	4.51	3.55	0.60	0.10	50
600	to	800 mm	0.94	5.5	4.4	0.02	0.18	0.42	0.19	0.11	4.68	4.06	0.50	0.09	39

