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## GERMAN TOWN

In the south-east of the Region near German Town, Dublin Town and to the east of Cornwall, is a series of low hills formed on Tertiary basalt.

The soils are gradational and range in colour from red to dark reddish brown.

The open-forest is predominantly stringybark, swamp gum, blue gum, white gum and black wattle.

Although some areas remain undeveloped, the major land use is grazing.

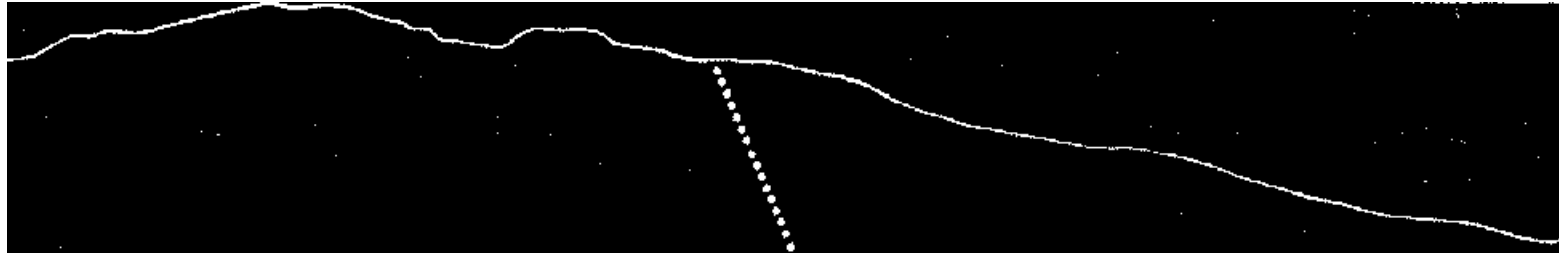
Moderate sheet erosion is the major hazard.

Evidence of small earth flows can be seen on some scarps throughout the system.

**LAND SYSTEM**

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German Town



COMPONENT	1	2
PROPORTION %	45	55
CLIMATE	Average Annual Rainfall 750-1 000 mm	
GEOLOGY	Tertiary basalt	
TOPOGRAPHY		
Land form	Low hills	
Position	Crests and small plateaux	Scars and lower slopes
Average Sideslope °	6	10
NATIVE VEGETATION	Open-forest	
Structure		
Association	Stringy bark, swamp gum, blue gum, black wattle	White gum, stringybark, black wattle
SOIL	Dark reddish brown (2.5 YR 3/4) gradational soil	Red (2.5 YR 4/8) gradational soil
Surface Texture	Clay loam	
Permeability	Moderate	
Average Depth m	1.2	1.0
PRESENT LAND USE	Grazing, nature conservation	
HAZARDS	Moderate sheet erosion	