

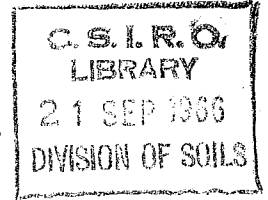
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Detailed Descriptions and Analytical Data for Soils of the
C.S.I.R.O. Pasture Research Station "Lansdown",
Townsville, Queensland.



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This memorandum contains additional detailed analytical data and soil descriptions to those recorded in Divisional Report 1/66, "Soils of the C.S.I.R.O. Pasture Research Station "Lansdown", Townsville, Queensland".

ABBREVIATIONS USED IN TABLES

T.S.S.	=	Total soluble salts by conductivity of 1:5 suspension.
NaCl	=	Chloride calculated as sodium chloride.
CaCO ₃	=	Carbonate calculated as calcium carbonate.
Org. C	=	Organic carbon by Walkley-Black.
N	=	Total nitrogen by Kjeldahl digestion.
P	=	Phosphorus. A.ppm. "Available phosphorus" by modified Truog acid extraction method. <u>Tot. %</u> "Total" phosphorus.
CS	=	Coarse sand.
FS	=	Fine sand.
Si	=	Silt.
C	=	Clay.
Exchangeable cations		
Total	=	Total exchange capacity.
Ca	=	Calcium.
Mg	=	Magnesium.
K	=	Potassium.
Na	=	Sodium.
H	=	Hydrogen.
m	=	moist.

Note: Unless otherwise specified all horizon boundaries in the morphological descriptions are gradational.

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Soil Series : Stockyard Loam
 Great Soil Group : Solodic
 Principal Profile Form : Dy3.43

Sample No. Horizon Morphological Description
Depth (Ins.)

T 18.1	A1	0-5	Dark grey-brown	(m. 10 YR 4/2)	loam	massive, friable and porous
.2	A2	5-15	Brown	(m. 10 YR 5/3)	sandy loam	massive, very porous, clear change to
.3	B21	15-24	Yellow-brown	(m. 10 YR 5/4)	medium-heavy clay	moderate blocky (1-1½" units)
.4	B22	24-36	Mottled yellow-brown	(m. 10 YR 5/4)	medium-heavy clay	very coarse prismatic grading to coarse blocky (1½-2" units) trace CO ₃
.5		36-48	Mottled brown and reddish brown	(m. 10 YR 4/3)	medium-heavy clay	as above
.6		48-60	As above	(m. 5 YR 4/4)	medium-heavy clay	moderate blocky (1-2" units) low CO ₃
.7		60-80	mottled reddish brown and dark grey-brown	(m. 5 YR 4/4)	sandy clay	moderate blocky (½-1½" units) low CO ₃
				(m. 10 YR 4/2)		

Location: Homestead Paddock

No.	pH	T.S.S. %	NaCl %	H ₂ O %	CaCO ₃ %	Org. C %	N %	P A.ppm.	Tot. %	Particle Size				Exchangeable Cations				Sat. %			
										CS %	FS %	Si %	C %	Total	Ca	Mg	K		Na	H	
.1	5.9	.03	<.01	1.1		1.2	.103	8	.008	15	54	18	14	12.0	5.4	1.8	.60	.15	4.0	66	
.2	6.2	.02	<.01	1.3				4													
.3	6.5	.02	<.01	3.2						19	35	11	34	14.4	6.6	3.6	.30	.10	3.8	74	
.4	6.7	.01	<.01	2.6																	
.5	7.3	.03	<.01	1.8																	
.6	8.2	.02	<.01	2.8	.7				.005					14.0	7.4	4.7	.27	1.05	0.6	96	
.7	8.6	.05	<.01	2.3					.006												

Soil Series : Woodstock Sandy Loam
 Great Soil Group : Yellow Earth-Yellow Podzolic Intergrade/Clay D horizon
 Principal Profile Form : Gn2.94

Sample No. & Depth (Ins.)	Horizon Depth (Ins.)	Morphological Description	
		Color	Texture
T 22.1 (0-3)	A1 0-3	Very dark grey-brown	sandy loam
.2 (3-9)	A2 3-9	Dark grey-brown	sandy loam
.3 (9-17)	B1 9-17	Light yellowish brown	sandy clay
.4 (17-30)	B2 17-30	Pale brown \bar{c} some red mottles	clay loam
.5 (30-36)	D1 30-36	As above	light medium clay
.6 (36-48)	D2 36-57	Yellow brown \bar{c} some light grey mottles	medium clay
.7 (48-57)		Some light grey mottles	
.8 (57-66)	D3 57-66	As above \bar{c} some red mottles	medium clay

Location: North west quarter of Woodstock paddock

No.	pH	T.S.S. %	NaCl %	H ₂ O 2%	CaCO ₃ %	Org. C %	N %	P		Particle Size			Exchangeable Cations				Sat. %		
								A.ppm.	Tot. %	CS %	FS %	Si %	C %	Total	Ca	Mg m.e./100g		K	Na
.1	5.8	.02	<.01	1.3	1.0	.069	4	.016	35	40	14	12	10	2.0	0.7	.45	.10	6.3	33
.2	5.9	<.01	<.01	1.0			4												
.3	6.3	<.01	<.01	2.0				.018	34	31	8	26	7	2.4	1.4	.07	.10	2.5	62
.4	6.5	<.01	<.01	2.6					26	29	6	38	9	2.2	2.2	.12	.25	4.3	52
.5	6.5	<.01	<.01	3.6					23	20	5	52	11	2.0	4.0	.11	.80	4.1	63
.6	6.5	<.01	<.01	3.6				.009											
.7	6.2	.03	.02	3.1															
.8	6.3	.04	.02	2.8															

Soil Series : Wyoming Sandy Loam
 Great Soil Group : Red Earth
 Principal Profile Form : Gn2.14

Morphological Description

Sample No. Horizon
 Depth (Ins.)

Sample No.	Horizon Depth (Ins.)	Color	Soil Reaction	Texture	Other
T 25.1	A1 0-3	Dark brown	(m. 7.5 YR 3/2)	sandy loam	massive, clear change to
.2	A2 3-10	Reddish brown	(m. 5 YR 4/4)	sandy loam	massive, earthy, low 1/8" FeMn nodules
.3	B1 10-18	Yellowish red	(m. 5 YR 4/6)	sandy clay loam	as above with low fine gravel
.4	B2 18-28	Yellowish red	(m. 5 YR 4/6)	light to medium clay	as above
.5	28-34 34 +	Yellowish red Unsorted waterworn gravels 1 to 6"	(m. 5 YR 4/6)	gritty clay	massive, earthy, much waterworn gravel with gritty clay matrix

Location:

No.	pH	T.S.S. %	NaCl %	H ₂ O %	CaCO ₃ %	Org. C %	N %	P		Particle Size	Exchangeable Cations				Sat. %								
								A.ppm.	Tot. %		CS %	FS %	Si %	C %		Total	Ca	Mg	K	Na	H		
.1	6.5	.02	<.01	1.2		1.1	.079	63	.050	18	59	14	11	9	5.0	1.0	.42	.10	.10	.10	2.2	74	
.2	6.4	.01	<.01	3.0				42	.041	44	34	13	8	6	3.8	.9	.21	.10	.10	.10	.5	91	
.3	6.2	.02	<.01	1.0						31	28	11	30	9	3.8	1.1	.34	.10	.10	.10	3.5	61	
.4	6.4	<.01	<.01	2.6																			
.5	6.3	<.01	<.01	1.3																			

Soil Series : Sandalwood Sandy Loam
 Great Soil Group : Solodic - Solodized Solonetz
 Principal Profile Form : Dy2.43

Sample No. & Depth (Ins.)	Horizon Depth (Ins.)	Morphological Description									
		T 31.1 (0-1) .2 (1-6) .3 (6-15) .4 (15-24) .5 (24-36) .6 (36-44)	A1-A2 B21 B22 B 24-44	0-1 1-6 6-15 15-24 24-44	Dark grey-brown Dark brown Brown Brown Light yellowish brown some faint red brown mottles	(m.10 YR 4/2) (m.10 YR 4/3) (m.10 YR 5/3) (m.10 YR 5/3.5) (m.10 YR 6/3.5)	P A.ppm.	4/2 4/3 5/3 5/3.5 6/3.5	sandy loam medium clay (sandy) medium clay (sandy) medium clay (sandy) medium clay (sandy)	platy grading to massive, weak columnar breaking to coarse blocky, low 1/2" gravel moderate blocky (1/2-1" units) low 1/8" FeMn nodules moderate blocky (1-1 1/2" units) low 1/2" CO3 nodules weak blocky, low CO3 nodules and low 1/4" gravel	Sat. %

Location: Sandalwood Paddock

No.	pH	T.S.S. %	NaCl %	H ₂ O 2%	CaCO ₃ %	Org. C %	N %	P		Particle Size				Exchangeable Cations				Sat. %		
								A.ppm.	Tot. %	CS %	FS %	Si %	C %	Total	Ca	Mg	K		Na	H
.1	6.3	.12	.08	0.9		1.5	.090	10	.018	22	44	21	13	9	3.0	2.2	.28	.20	3.3	62
.2	6.7	.22	.15	2.0		.4		4	.011	19	36	23	22	12	2.6	3.0	.09	3.8	2.9	77
.3	8.0	.61	.45	4.2	.3					15	35	21	30	13	2.8	4.0	.06	5.9	.7	95
.4	8.6	.84	.69	3.6						15	34	19	32	14	2.2	3.8	.15	8.0	0	100
.5	9.2	.65	.48	4.2	4.0				.009											
.6	9.3	.65	.46	4.4																

Soil Series : Flagstone Sandy Loam
 Great Soil Group : Yellow earth - Yellow Podzolic Intergrade
 Principal Profile Form : Dy4.41

Morphological Description

Sample No.	Horizon Depth (Ins.)	Morphological Description
T 37.1	A1 0-2½	sandy loam
.2	A21 2½-9	sandy loam
.3	A22 9-20	sandy loam
.4	B21 20-26	sandy clay loam
.5	B22 26-36	sandy clay loam
.6	B3 36-45	sandy clay loam
.7	C 45-54	clayey grit

Location: 5 mile north of Lansdowne Creek, Lansdown Paddock

No.	pH	I.S.S. %	NaCl %	H ₂ O 2%	CaCO ₃ %	Org. C %	N %	P A.ppm.	Tot. %	Particle Size				Exchangeable Cations				Sat. %		
										CS %	FS %	Si %	C %	Total	Ca	Mg	K		Na	H
.1	5.5	.04	<.01	<1.0		.6	.046	4	.005	20	71	2	7	3	1.2	0.3	.20	.15	1.0	66
.2	5.2	.04	<.01	<1.0						46	44	5	6	2	0.2	0.2	.09	.14	1.7	25
.3	5.1	<.01	<.01	<1.0					.008	36	27	8	30	5	1.0	0.9	.30	.20	2.5	50
.4	5.1	<.01	<.01	<1.0																
.5	4.9	<.01	<.01	3.6																
.6	4.8	<.01	<.01	1.0					.008											
.7	4.9	<.01	<.01	1.0																