



AGRICULTURAL SOIL ANALYSIS REPORT

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Analysis requested by Indika Kelasekara. Your Job: Irrigation Area - Molong ORF

15-19 Brickworks Lane SOUTH GRAFTON NSW 2461

Sample ID:	Sample 1 Irrigation Area - Molong ORF	Heavy Soil	Medium Soil	Light Soil	Sandy Soil
Crop:	Soil Indika Kelasekara	Clay	Clay Loam	Loam	Loamy Sand
Client:					
Parameter		Method reference		N1340/1	Indicative guidelines - refer to Notes 6 and 8
Soluble Calcium (mg/kg)		677	1150	750	375
Soluble Magnesium (mg/kg)		138	160	105	60
Soluble Potassium (mg/kg)		200	113	75	60
Soluble Phosphorus (mg/kg)		2.1	15	12	10
Phosphorus (mg/kg P)	**Inhouse S10 - Morgan 1 **Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 9E2 (Bray 1) **Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 9B2 (Colwell) **Inhouse S3A (Bray 2)	2.4 8.9 3.7	45 ^{note 8} 80 90 ^{note 8}	30 ^{note 8} 50 60 ^{note 8}	24 ^{note 8} 45 48 ^{note 8}
Nitrate Nitrogen (mg/kg N)		1.5	15	13	10
Ammonium Nitrogen (mg/kg N)	**Inhouse S37 (KCl)	3.7	20	18	15
Sulfur (mg/kg S)		5.9	10.0	8.0	8.0
pH	Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 4A1 (1:5 Water)	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.3
Electrical Conductivity (dS/m)	Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 3A1 (1:5 Water)	0.063	0.200	0.150	0.120
Estimated Organic Matter (% OM)	**Calculation: Total Carbon x 1.75	2.6	> 5.5	> 4.5	> 3.5
Exchangeable Calcium (cmol _e /kg)	Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 15D3 (Ammonium Acetate)	6.6	15.6	10.8	5.0
(kg/ha)		2,960	7000	4816	2240
(mg/kg)		1,321	3125	2150	1000
Exchangeable Magnesium (cmol _e /kg)		1.7	2.4	1.7	1.2
(kg/ha)		466	650	448	325
(mg/kg)		208	290	200	145
Exchangeable Potassium (cmol _e /kg)		1.5	0.60	0.50	0.40
(kg/ha)		1,313	526	426	336
(mg/kg)		586	235	190	150
Exchangeable Sodium (cmol _e /kg)		0.14	0.3	0.26	0.22
(kg/ha)		72	155	134	113
(mg/kg)		32	69	60	51
Exchangeable Aluminium (cmol _e /kg)	**Inhouse S37 (KCl)	0.02	0.6	0.5	0.4
(kg/ha)		4.0	121	101	73
(mg/kg)		1.8	54	45	32
Exchangeable Hydrogen (cmol _e /kg)	**Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 15G1 (Acidity Titration)	0.15	0.6	0.5	0.4
(kg/ha)		3.4	13	11	8
(mg/kg)		1.5	6	5	4
Effective Cation Exchange Capacity (ECEC) (cmol _e /kg)	**Calculation: Sum of Ca,Mg,K,Na,Al,H (cmol _e /kg)	10	20.1	14.3	7.8
Calcium (%)		65	77.6	75.7	65.6
Magnesium (%)		17	11.9	11.9	15.7
Potassium (%)	**Base Saturation Calculations - Cation cmol _e /kg / ECEC x 100	15	3.0	3.5	5.2
Sodium - ESP (%)		1.4	1.5	1.8	2.9
Aluminium (%)		0.19	6.0	7.1	10.5
Hydrogen (%)		1.5			
Calcium/Magnesium Ratio	**Calculation: Calcium / Magnesium (cmol _e /kg)	3.9	6.5	6.4	4.2

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Zinc (mg/kg)		0.73	6.0	5.0	4.0
Manganese (mg/kg)	Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 12A1 (DTPA)	185	25	22	18
Iron (mg/kg)		72	25	22	18
Copper (mg/kg)		3.1	2.4	2.0	1.6
Boron (mg/kg)	**Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 12C2 (Hot CaCl ₂)	0.95	2.0	1.7	1.4
Silicon (mg/kg Si)	**Inhouse S11 (Hot CaCl ₂)	57	50	45	40
Total Carbon (%)	Inhouse S4a (LECO Trumac Analyser)	1.5	> 3.1	> 2.6	> 2.0
Total Nitrogen (%)		0.12	> 0.30	> 0.25	> 0.20
Carbon/Nitrogen Ratio	**Calculation: Total Carbon/Total Nitrogen	12	10–12	10–12	10–12
Basic Texture	**Inhouse S65	Clay
Basic Colour		Brownish
Chloride Estimate (equiv. mg/kg)	**Calculation: Electrical Conductivity x 640	40
Total Phosphorus (mg/kg)	Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 17C1 Aqua Regia	307	400–1500 P		
Chloride (mg/kg)	**Rayment & Lyons 2011 - 5A3a	<1	..		
Total Organic Carbon (%)	LECO Trumac Analyser - Inhouse S15b	1.5	< 0.5 (Very Low); 0.5–1.5 (Low); 1.5–2.5 (Medium); 2.5–5.0 (High); > 5.0 (Very High)		
Moisture Content (%)	**Inhouse S2 (105°C)	19.0	..		

Notes:

1. All results presented as a 40°C oven dried weight. Soil sieved and lightly crushed to < 2 mm.
2. Methods from Rayment and Lyons, 2011. *Soil Chemical Methods - Australasia*. CSIRO Publishing: Collingwood.
3. Soluble Salts included in Exchangeable Cations - NO PRE-WASH (unless requested).
4. 'Morgan 1 Extract' adapted from 'Science in Agriculture', 'Non-Toxic Farming' and LaMotte Soil Handbook.
5. Guidelines for phosphorus have been reduced for Australian soils.
6. Indicative guidelines are based on 'Albrecht' and 'Reams' concepts.
7. Total Acid Extractable Nutrients indicate a store of nutrients.
8. National Environmental Protection (Assessment of Site Contamination) Measure 2013, Schedule B(1) - Guideline on Investigation Levels for Soil and Groundwater. Table 5-A Background Ranges.
9. Information relating to testing colour codes is available on sheet 2 - 'Understanding your agricultural soil results'.
10. Conversions for 1 cmol/kg = 230 mg/kg Sodium, 390 mg/kg Potassium, 122 mg/kg Magnesium, 200 mg/kg Calcium
11. Conversions to kg/ha = mg/kg x 2.24
12. The chloride calculation of Cl mg/L = EC x 640 is considered an estimate, and most likely an over-estimate
13. ** NATA accreditation does not cover the performance of this service.
14. Analysis conducted between sample arrival date and reporting date.
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17. This report was issued on 12/08/2022.

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