

Soil sampling and analysis Effluent Irrigation Area Coolamon Shire Council

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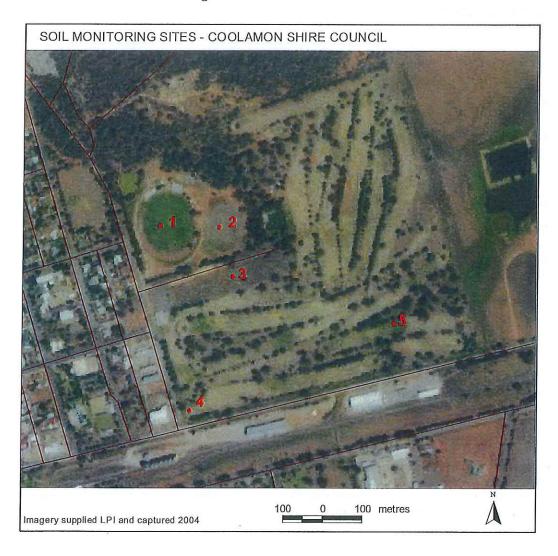
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Soil testing was carried out on the 12th of October 2015 at the request of Coolamon Shire Council, to satisfy statutory requirements outlined in the Environmental Protection Licence (EPL) - 7306.

Five soil sampling sites have been designated for monitoring in the EPL and are as follows:

- Point 1: The large football oval
- Point 2: The smaller football oval
- Point 3: The touch fields
- Point 4: South west corner of the golf course
- Point 5: Middle of the golf course



At the sampling sites the following pollutants are to be tested as per the EPL:

Pollutant	Units of measure	Frequency	Sampling Method
Available phosphorus	milligrams per kilogram	Special Frequency 1	Special Method 1
Conductivity	deciSiemens per metre	Special Frequency 1	Special Method 1
Exchangeable sodium percentage	percent	Special Frequency 1	Special Method 1
Nitrate	milligrams per kilogram	Special Frequency 1	Special Method 1
pH	pH	Special Frequency 1	Special Method 1

For the purposes of the table(s) above Special Frequency 1 means the collection of samples in every second year. For the purposes of the table(s) above Special Method 1 means representative composite samples must be taken of: (a) top soils; and (b) subsoils.

The basis for the soil sampling methodology will follow by reference the DEC Guidelines and is as follows:

Topsoil

A composite soil sample of 40 soil cores per site, taken at a depth of 0-10 cm; and

Subsoil

Composite subsoil samples of 5 cores at four depth intervals to 1 metre, within a 5 metre diameter plot. The four depths should fall within 10 -30, 30-60 and 60–100 cm depth increments.

Results

The Available Phosphorus was measured using the Colwell method. All samples were tested at Incitec-Pivot Nutrient Advantage Laboratory report number 021456712 with NATA accreditation 11958.

Topsoil analysis

Test	Site 1	Site 2	Site 3	Site 4	Site 5
Available Phosphorus mg/kg	240	68	51	18	250
Conductivity dS/m	0.10	0.10	0.07	0.05	0.16
Exchangeable Sodium Percentage %	2.4	5.3	8.7	1.3	10.0
Nitrate as N mg/kg	7.0	4	2	3	4
рН	7.4	8.0	8.3	6.5	8.1

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Subsoil analysis

Depth	Test	Site 1	Site 2	Site 3	Site 4	Site 5
10-30	Available Phosphorus mg/kg	110	18	60	7	72
cm	Conductivity dS/m	0.12	0.06	0.12	0.04	0.22
	Exchangeable Sodium Percentage %	6.4	6.2	11.0	2.1	24.0
	Nitrate as N mg/kg	5	2	2	1	1
	['] рН	7.9	8.2	8.3	7.0	8.8
30-60	Available Phosphorus mg/kg	17	7	22	<5	24
cm	Conductivity dS/m	0.12	0.05	0.14	0.06	0.49
	Exchangeable Sodium Percentage %	9.0	12.0	13.0	6.7	38.0
	Nitrate as N mg/kg	2	2	1	1	1
	рН	8.3	8.2	7.7	7.7	8.6
60-	Available Phosphorus mg/kg	7	<5	12	<5	7
100 ·	Conductivity dS/m	0.15	0.21	0.19	0.31	0.81
GIII	Exchangeable Sodium Percentage %	15.0	11.0	12.0	8.6	30.0
	Nitrate as N mg/kg	1	<1	<1	1	1
	рН	7.3	7.7	6.9	8.5	8.9

Comments

The levels of available phosphorus in the topsoil and subsoil is generally adequate for agronomic purposes with the exception of site 4 which is slightly below desirable levels.

Levels of salinity in the topsoil and subsoil are generally low and should not cause any problems in the foreseeable future.

Exchangeable Sodium Percentage in the topsoil ranges from non-sodic to marginally sodic. Sodic soils can lead to problems with permeability, surface crusting and erosion. Subsoil levels range from 2.1 to 38.0 which are considered inherent to the local soil type.

Nitrate levels are considered very low and are inadequate for agronomic purposes.

Topsoil pH ranges from neutral to mildly alkaline. Subsoils range from nuetral to strongly alkaline.

References

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Sample No Test Code		021456712 E11	021456713 E11	021456714 E11	021456715 E11	021456716 E11	021456717 E11
Lab Results Received Date Paddock Name		21/10/2015 21/10/20 CSC CSC	21/10/2015 CSC		21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC
Sample Name		NO 1 0-10CM	NO 1 10-30CM	NO 1 30-60CM	NO 1 60-100CM	NO 2 0-10CM	NO 2 10-30CM
Sample Type		Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil
Sample Depth (cm) Sampling Date		0 - 10 12/10/2015	10 - 30 12/10/2015	30 - 60 12/10/2015	60 - 100 12/10/2015	0 - 10 12/10/2015	10 - 30 12/10/2015
Analyte / Assay	Unit	Value					
pH (1:5 Water)		7.4	7.9	8.3	8.6	8.0	8.2
pH (1:5 CaCl2)		6.6	6.9	7.1	7.3	6.9	6.9
Electrical Conductivity (1:5 Water)	dS/m	0.10	0.12	0.12	0.15	0.10	0.06
Chloride	mg/kg	13	16	24	32	<10	<10
Nitrate Nitrogen (NO3)	mg/kg	7	5.	2	1	4	2
Ammonium Nitrogen	mg/kg	3	2	1	1	3	2
Phosphorus (Colwell)	mg/kg	240	110	17	7	68	18
Phosphorus Buffer Index (PBI-Col)		66	60	82	77	47	35
Sulphate Sulphur (KCl40)	mg/kg	10	23	32	47	5	4
Cation Exchange Capacity	cmol(+)/kg	12.0	10.7	9.8	12.3	11.0	7.7
Calcium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	8.9	6.9	5.8	5.9	7.8	5.3
Magnesium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	1.4	1.8	1.9	3.5	1.3	1.0
Sodium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	0.29	0.69	0.89	1.80	0.58	0.48
Potassium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	1.20	1.20	1.10	0.87	1.20	0.88
Available Potassium	mg/kg	450	470	410	340	470	340
Aluminium (KCI)	cmol(+)/kg	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1
Aluminium (KCI)	mg/kg	12.0	11.0	12.0	25.0	12.0	13.0
Aluminium Saturation	%	1.1	1.1	1.4	2.2	1.2	1.8
Calcium % of cations	%	74.0	65.0	59.0	48.0	71.0	68.0
Magnesium % of cations	%	12.0	17.0	20.0	28.0	12.0	12.0



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Lab Results Received Date		21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015
Paddock Name		CSC	CSC	csc	CSC	CSC	CSC
Sample Name		NO 1 0-10CM	NO 1 10-30CM	NO 1 30-60CM	NO 1 60-100CM	NO 2 0-10CM	NO 2 10-30CM
Sample Type		Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil
Sample Depth (cm)	12	0 - 10	10 - 30	30 - 60	60 - 100	0 - 10	10 - 30
Sampling Date		12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015
Analyte / Assay	Unit	Value					
Sodium % of cations	%	2.40	6.40	9.00	15.00	5.30	6.20
Potassium % of cations	%	9.70	11.00	11.00	7,00	11.00	11.00

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Lab Results Received Date Paddock Name		21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015
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Sample Name		NO 2 30-60CM	NO 2 60-100CM	NO 3 0-10CM	NO 3 10-30CM	NO 3 30-60CM	NO 3 60-100CM
Sample Type		Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil
Sample Depth (cm)		30 - 60	60 - 100	0 - 10	10 - 30	30 - 60	60 - 100
Sampling Date		12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015
Analyte / Assay	Unit	Value					美国新
pH (1:5 Water)		8.2	7.7	7.9	8.3	7.7	6.9
pH (1:5 CaCl2)		6.6	6.7	6.8	7.1	6.6	6.0
Electrical Conductivity (1:5 Water)	dS/m	0.05	0.21	0.07	0.12	0.14	0.19
Chloride	mg/kg	<10	38	11	17	57	130
Nitrate Nitrogen (NO3)	mg/kg	2	<1	2	2	1	<1
Ammonium Nitrogen	mg/kg	1	1	1	2	1	1
Phosphorus (Colwell)	mg/kg	7	<5	51	60	22	12
Phosphorus Buffer Index (PBI-Col)		38	62	10	61	71	67
Sulphate Sulphur (KCl40)	mg/kg	5	78	4	6	19	43
Cation Exchange Capacity	cmol(+)/kg	7.1	14.3	3.4	10.4	9.7	8.1
Calcium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	3.5	5.5	1.5	5.6	4.5	3.0
Magnesium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	1.8	5.7	1.1	2.5	2.7	2.9
Sodium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	0.83	1.60	0.30	1.10	1.20	1.00
Potassium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	0.72	1.40	0.54	1.10	1.20	1.20
Available Potassium	mg/kg	280	540	210	440	480	480
Aluminium (KCI)	cmol(+)/kg	0.2	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Aluminium (KCI)	mg/kg	19.0	<9,0	<9.0	<9.0	<9.0	<9.0
Aluminium Saturation	%	2.9	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Calcium % of cations	%	50.0	39.0	43.0	54.0	47.0	37.0
Magnesium % of cations	%	25.0	40.0	32.0	24.0	28.0	35.0



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Nutrient Advantage Advice® Summary Report Sample No 021456718 021456719 021456720 021456721 021456722 021456723 Test Code E11 E11 E11 E11 E11 E11 Lab Results Received Date 21/10/2015 21/10/2015 21/10/2015 21/10/2015 21/10/2015 21/10/2015 Paddock Name CSC CSC CSC CSC CSC Sample Name NO 2 30-60CM NO 2 60-100CM NO 3 0-10CM NO 3 60-100CM NO 3 10-30CM NO 3 30-60CM Sample Type Soil Soil Soil Soil Soil Soil Sample Depth (cm) 30 - 60 60 - 100 0 - 10 10 - 30 60 - 100 30 - 60 Sampling Date 12/10/2015 12/10/2015 12/10/2015 12/10/2015 12/10/2015 12/10/2015 Analyte / Assay Value Sodium % of cations % 12.00 11.00 8.70 11.00 13.00 12.00 Potassium % of cations 10.00 9,60 16.00 15.00 11.00 13,00 Calcium/Magnesium Ratio 1.9 1.0 1.4 2.2 1.7 1.0

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Lab Results Received Date		21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015	21/10/2015
Paddock Name		CSC	CSC	CSC	CSC	CSC	CSC
Sample Name		NO 4 0-10CM	NO 4 10-30CM	NO 4 30-60CM	NO 4 60-100CM	NO 5 0-10CM	NO 5 10-30CM
Sample Type	,	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil
Sample Depth (cm)	,	0 - 10	10 - 30	30 - 60	60 - 100	0 - 10	10 - 30
Sampling Date		12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015
Analyte / Assay	Unit	Value		ar .			
pH (1:5 Water)		6.5	7.0	7.7	8.5	8.1	8.8
pH (1:5 CaCl2)		5.3	5.6	6.3	7.7	6.9	7.6
Electrical Conductivity (1:5 Water)	dS/m	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.31	0.16	0.22
Chloride	mg/kg	<10	<10	12	91	27	86
Nitrate Nitrogen (NO3)	mg/kg	3	1	1	1	4	1
Ammonium Nitrogen	mg/kg	2	2	1	1	1	1
Phosphorus (Colwell)	mg/kg	18	7	<5	<5	250	72
Phosphorus Buffer Index (PBI-Col)		55	46	55	68	97	59
Sulphate Sulphur (KCl40)	mg/kg	2	1	2	11	4	12
Cation Exchange Capacity	cmol(+)/kg	9.7	9.5	15.6	24.0	14.6	11.7
Calcium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	6.2	6.1	7.5	12.0	7.4	4.4
Magnesium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	2.1	2.0	5.7	8.3	4.0	3.2
Sodium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	0.13	0.20	1.00	2.10	1.50	2.80
Potassium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	1.30	1.20	1.40	1.50	1.60	1.20
Available Potassium	mg/kg	510	450	540	590	630	490
Aluminium (KCI)	cmol(+)/kg	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Aluminium (KCI)	mg/kg	<9.0	<9.0	<9.0	<9.0	<9.0	<9.0
Aluminium Saturation	%	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0	<1.0
Calcium % of cations	%	64.0	64.0	48.0	50.0	51.0	38.0
Magnesium % of cations	%	21.0	21.0	36.0	34.0	28.0	28.0



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Lab Results Received Date Paddock Name		21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC			
Sample Name		NO 4 0-10CM	NO 4 10-30CM	NO 4 30-60CM	NO 4 60-100CM	NO 5 0-10CM	NO 5 10-30CM			
Sample Type		Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil	Soil			
Sample Depth (cm)		0 - 10	10 - 30	30 - 60	60 - 100	0 - 10	10 - 30			
Sampling Date		12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015	12/10/2015			
Analyte / Assay	Unit	Value								
Sodium % of cations	%	1.30	2.10	6.70	8.60	10.00	24.00			
Potassium % of cations	%	13.00	12.00	8.80	6.30	11.00	11.00			
Calcium/Magnesium Ratio		3.0	3.1	1.3	1.4	1.9	1.4			

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Lab Results Received Date Paddock Name		21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC			
Sample Name		NO 5 30-60CM	NO 5 60-100CM			
Sample Type Sample Depth (cm) Sampling Date		Soil 30 - 60 12/10/2015	Soil 60 - 100 12/10/2015			
Analyte / Assay	Unit	Value	12/10/2015	EASON AND LOCAL		
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pH (1:5 Water)		8.6	8.9			
pH (1:5 CaCl2)		7.6	8.1			a .
Electrical Conductivity (1:5 Water)	dS/m	0.49	0.81			
Chloride	mg/kg	330	600			
Nitrate Nitrogen (NO3)	mg/kg	1	1			,
Ammonium Nitrogen	mg/kg	1	1			
Phosphorus (Colwell)	mg/kg	24	7			
Phosphorus Buffer Index (PBI-Col)		49	42			
Sulphate Sulphur (KCl40)	mg/kg	62	120			
Cation Exchange Capacity	cmol(+)/kg	13.6	19.9			
Calcium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	3.5	6.7			
Magnesium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	3.8	6.1			
Sodium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	5.10	5.90		,	
Potassium (Amm-acet.)	cmol(+)/kg	1.10	1.30			
Available Potassium	mg/kg	450	520			
Aluminium (KCI)	cmol(+)/kg	<0.1	<0.1			
Aluminium (KCI)	mg/kg	<9.0	<9.0	a a		
Aluminium Saturation	%	<1.0	<1.0			
Calcium % of cations	%	26.0	33,0			
Magnesium % of cations	%	28.0	30.0			10



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Lab Results Received Date Paddock Name		21/10/2015 CSC	21/10/2015 CSC			L _A	
Sample Name		NO 5 30-60CM	NO 5 60-100CM				
Sample Type		Soil	Soil				
Sample Depth (cm)		30 - 60	60 - 100				
Sampling Date		12/10/2015	12/10/2015				
Analyte / Assay	Unit	Value					
Sodium % of cations	%	38.00	30.00				
Potassium % of cations	%	8.40	6.70	λ			
Calcium/Magnesium Ratio		0.9	1.1				

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