



LAND RESOURCES of **COLINTA TRIAL PADDOCKS MCARTHUR RIVER STATION**

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LAND UNIT DESCRIPTIONS

Ridges crests and upper slopes with 5-30% slope; extensive rock outcrop and surface stone; rapidly drained; rapid run off Lithosols (Rudosols) uniform texture sand and loamy sand surface 90% stone throughout. Eucalyptus leucophloia; Eucalyptus ferruginea and Eucalyptus dichromophloia low open woodland Erythrophleum chlorostachys and Terminalia canescens over ground cover dominated by

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Lower slopes with <5% slope; extensive surface stone and gravel; well drained; rapid run off Lithosols (Rudosols) uniform texture; loamy sand and sandy loam surface; 10-50% gravel throughout. Eucalyptus leucophloia; *Erythrophleum chlorostachys* and *Eucalyptus tectifica* mid high open woodland over a shrubland of *Terminalia canescens* and *Carissa lanceolata* with ground cover dominated by *Plectrachne pungens*.

Level plain minor footslopes adjacent to units 1 and 2 with <1% slope; hard setting surface; common termite mounds Red and yellow earths (Kandosols); red earths up to 5% gravel throughout; yellow earths have occasional yellow mottles and 5% surface gravel and up to 30% gravel in subsoil. *Eucalyptus argillacea*; Lysiphllum cunninghamii and Erythrophleum chlorostachys mid high open woodland over a ground cover of

Seepage area with <1% slope; soft surface; poorly drained. Black massive earths with gradational texture; loam surface; sandy clay loam subsoil; 10% calcareous concretions in subsoil (Hydrosols). Eucalyptus papuana;

Broad drainage floors with <0.5% slope; hardsetting surface; imperfectly drained; slow run off. Earthy sands and minor yellow earths with uniform texture; loamy sand surface with loamy sand and clayey sand subsoil; sandy clay loam in yellow earths; 10-40% gravel in subsoil (Tenosols). Eucalyptus pruinosa; Melaleuca acacioides and Atalaya hemiglauca low to mid high open woodland over a ground cover of Heteropogon contortus; Eulalia fulva

Levees and prior streams with <1% slope; soft surface; well drained; slow run off. Earthy sands with uniform texture: loamy sand and sandy loam surfaces with loamy sand to light sandy clay loam subsoils; up to 10% gravel in subsoil (Tenosols)*Eucalyptus tectifica; Eucalyptus confertiflora* and *Eucalyptus argillacea* mid high open woodland over a groundcover of *Heteropogon contortus*; Eriachne sp. and Sorghum sp.

Incised drainage lines and tributaries; short steep slopes; common streambank and gully erosion; common laterite outcrop. Earthy sands with uniform texture, sand and loamy sand throughout (Hydrosols). Variable community structure of *Eucalyptus camaldulensis* and *Eucalyptus polycarpa* with *Lysiphllum cunninghamii* and

> Example of Land Unit Descriptions - Landform description

- Soil description

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Vegetation description

MAP DISCLAIMER:

Land resource information has been derived from aerial photograph interpretation and field data describing landform, soil and vegetation. Mapping has been collected according to the national standards and prepared at a scale of 1:50 000. Enlarging this map beyond this scale will not provide further detail.

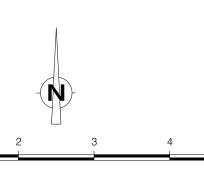
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Black numbered lines are 5000 metre intervals of the Map Grid of Australia (MGA) Zone 53 Transverse Mercator Projection Horizontal Datum: GDA 94



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