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# Executive summary

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Parsons Brinckerhoff Australia Pty Ltd (PB) has been commissioned by the Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism (DRET) to undertake preliminary multi-disciplinary site assessments at four locations in the Northern Territory with regard to their suitability for use as a low to medium level radioactive waste management facility. The facility is to be known as the Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Facility (CRWF).

Three Commonwealth owned and Defence-managed sites were selected for the studies which formed part of a larger assessment process involving the collection, collating and provision of site suitability assessments. The studies will provide a basis from which the Commonwealth Government can consider the future project requirements. The three initial sites are listed below:

- Mount Everard – Approximately 25 km north-west of Alice Springs
- Harts Range – Approximately 100 km north-east of Alice Springs
- Fishers Ridge – Approximately 40 km south-east of Katherine.

During the investigations of these three sites, an additional fourth ‘volunteer’ site – Muckaty Station (located approximately 110 km north of Tennant Creek) was nominated by the Traditional Owners (the Ngapa clan) and added to the scope of the investigations.

Desktop studies were undertaken to compile all geological and geotechnical information available for the four proposed repository sites. Based on this information field investigations were then conducted to determine the subsurface conditions at all four sites which included field mapping, test pitting and drilling programs. Test pits were excavated at each site to provide information on the soil profile, potential excavation conditions to 3–4 m depth and to obtain bulk samples for laboratory testing. The drilling program used a combination of diamond coring and open hole methods to provide information on soil and rock profiles to a maximum depth of 100 m. Boreholes were logged and samples collected for laboratory testing of representative units. All investigation sites were surveyed by a licensed surveyor to provide accurate coordinates and reduced levels.

All but one borehole were converted to groundwater monitoring wells and analysed for hydrogeological conditions. Additional boreholes were also conducted to provide information on potential shallow aquifers as well as to conduct falling head permeability tests in the upper 10 m of the soil/rock profile.

The regional geology of the Northern Territory indicates that the four sites have recorded very little tectonic activity during the Quaternary Period (last 1.7 million years). Seismic activity in the Northern Territory is also considered low. The largest earthquake within 200 km of any of the four sites, with a magnitude of 6.7 occurred in 1988 and was located approximately 130 km to the south of Muckaty Station, to the south-west of Tennant Creek. The area to the south-west of Tennant Creek has recorded over 400 seismic events since 1985 and the likely effects from any of these earthquakes on Muckaty Station may be limited to vibrations like a passing truck, hanging objects swaying, windows and doors

rattling and crockery clashes. There has been no recorded volcanic activity and geological maps report no potential volcanic sources in the vicinity of all four sites.

## Mount Everard

Mount Everard is underlain by Quaternary sediments comprising a thin surface of red brown fine silty Sands (SM) above sand Clay (CL) and clayey Sands (SC) to a depth of about 2.5 m and then a poorly to well cemented calcrete layer to about 5 m depth. Tertiary sediments were encountered to the full depth of the investigation (approx 70 m) and were comprised of fine to coarse Sandstones and Quartzites to a depth of about 53 m which grades below to a highly to extremely weathered Claystone. Groundwater was encountered in all the boreholes and ranged in depth from 33.2 m to 25.0 m below ground level (mbgl). The permeability of the underlying soils at Mount Everard may be classified as low to very low.

Mount Everard is located within the Armadeus Basin, an intracontinental structural sedimentary basin which covers an area of approximately 170,000 km<sup>2</sup>, containing Neoproterozoic (>800 Ma) to Devonian (~350 Ma) sediments. The basement geology of the area is complex derived from the underlying and nearby metamorphic sequences which form the MacDonnell Ranges.

## Harts Range

Harts Range is underlain by Quaternary sediments comprising a thin surface of red brown fine silty Sands (SM) above clayey Sands (SC) to a depth of about 7 m. Tertiary sediments were encountered to the full depth of the investigation (approx 100 m) and were comprised of fine to coarse Sandstones and Siltstones. Groundwater was encountered in all the boreholes and ranged in depth from 15 m to 28 m below ground level (mbgl). The permeability of the underlying soils at Harts Range may be classified as low.

Harts Range is located within the Harts Range complex, lower to middle Proterozoic aged volcano-sedimentary rocks deposited in a possible continental rift or failed rift of basement. The Alice Springs Orogeny (Devonian to Carboniferous, 300–400 million years ago) is responsible for the latest major uplift which has brought these rocks sufficiently close to the surface for their ultimate exposure through erosion.

## Fishers Ridge

Fishers Ridge is underlain by Quaternary sediments comprising a thin veneer of silty Sand (SM) overlying fine to coarse gravelly Sands and sandy Gravels with lateritic gravels to a depth of about 4.5 m. A sequence of Cretaceous to Cambrian Siltstones, Sandstones and Conglomerates were encountered to a depth of about 77 m which overly the Cambrian Tindall Limestone. Groundwater was encountered in most of the boreholes and ranged in depth from 6.5 m to 25 m to greater than 80 m depth. The permeability of the underlying soils at Fishers Ridge may be classified as low to very low.

Fishers Ridge is located within the Daly Basin which is a result of extensive marine transgression across the central and northern Australian craton, beginning in the early Middle Cambrian.

## Muckaty Station

The Muckaty site is underlain by Quaternary aeolian fine Sand (SP) and silty Sand (SM) with some minor outcrops of laterite. Two distinct provinces were identified at Muckaty. Province 1 consisted of a sand valley with sandy soils and some laterite underlain and surrounded by rocky ridges of Mudstone, Siltstones, Sandstone and Quartzite bedrock of the Hayward Creek Formation. Province 2 consisted of

an extensive sand plain on the north eastern section of the site which is underlain by Sandstones and Siltstones of the Cambrian Gum Ridge Formation overlying basalts of the Helen Springs Volcanics. A regional studies site at a rocky ridgeline north of Muckaty Station homestead encountered extensive Quartzite in outcrop and extending to a depth greater than 50 m. Groundwater was encountered in all boreholes and ranged in depth from 5.3 m to 39.5 m depth. The permeability of the underlying soils at Muckaty may be classified as medium for the upper sands and very low for the bedrock.

Muckaty Station is located within the Tomkinson Group which is a thick sequence of siliclastic units that alternate with six mixed siliclastic-carbonate intervals (between 1805–1710 Ma). This Group is a succession of shallow marine and continental sedimentary rocks, which the Hayward Creek Formation is the lower part of the sequence.

## **Geological and geotechnical considerations**

The geological profiles for the first three sites described above are very similar, shallow Quaternary sandy and clayey sand soils overlying laterite or calcrete layers overlying Tertiary or earlier sedimentary sequences. The profile for the fourth site, Muckaty Station consists primarily of Quaternary sandy soils over Cambrian volcanic basalt and Proterozoic sedimentary sequences.

Mount Everard has the most consistent geological profile whilst Fishers Ridge has the most complex profile to model. Mount Everard is relatively flat where surface processes such as flooding, landsliding and erosion is unlikely to occur. Harts Ranges is located on the western banks of the Ongeva Creek and may be subject to some flooding but landslides and erosion is unlikely. Fishers Ridge is located on a ridgeline, and whilst not subject to nearby flooding of the King River and Roper Creek, may be subject to erosion of the lateritic caprock and soils. Muckaty Station is relatively elevated and within prominent rocky ridges where surface processes such as flooding, landsliding and erosion is unlikely to occur.

All four sites would be classified as Class S (less than 20 mm movement) in accordance with AS2870 with rocky outcrops classified as Class A. Liquefaction is not considered to be likely at any of the four sites due to the deep, competent dry soils and deep water tables. Earthquake loading parameters range from 0.07 to 0.09 for the four sites.

Conventional excavation machinery is considered suitable for most sites to varying depths, ranging from 5 to 7 m for Mount Everard and Harts Ranges to less than 2 m at Muckaty Station. Rocky outcrop and bedrock at Muckaty Station will require drill and blast methods, whilst laterites at Fishers Ridge may require large excavation equipment and rock breaking methods.

Many of the construction materials expected to be required for the proposed facility may be sourced on site, with Mount Everard having the widest range of suitable materials located on-site, and Fishers Ridge limited to the laterites and underlying clay materials. Materials for pavements, hardstand areas, building pads, engineered fill and impermeable barriers may be acquired and utilised (with conditioning) on most sites.



# G1. Introduction

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The four proposed sites are shown in Figure G1.1.

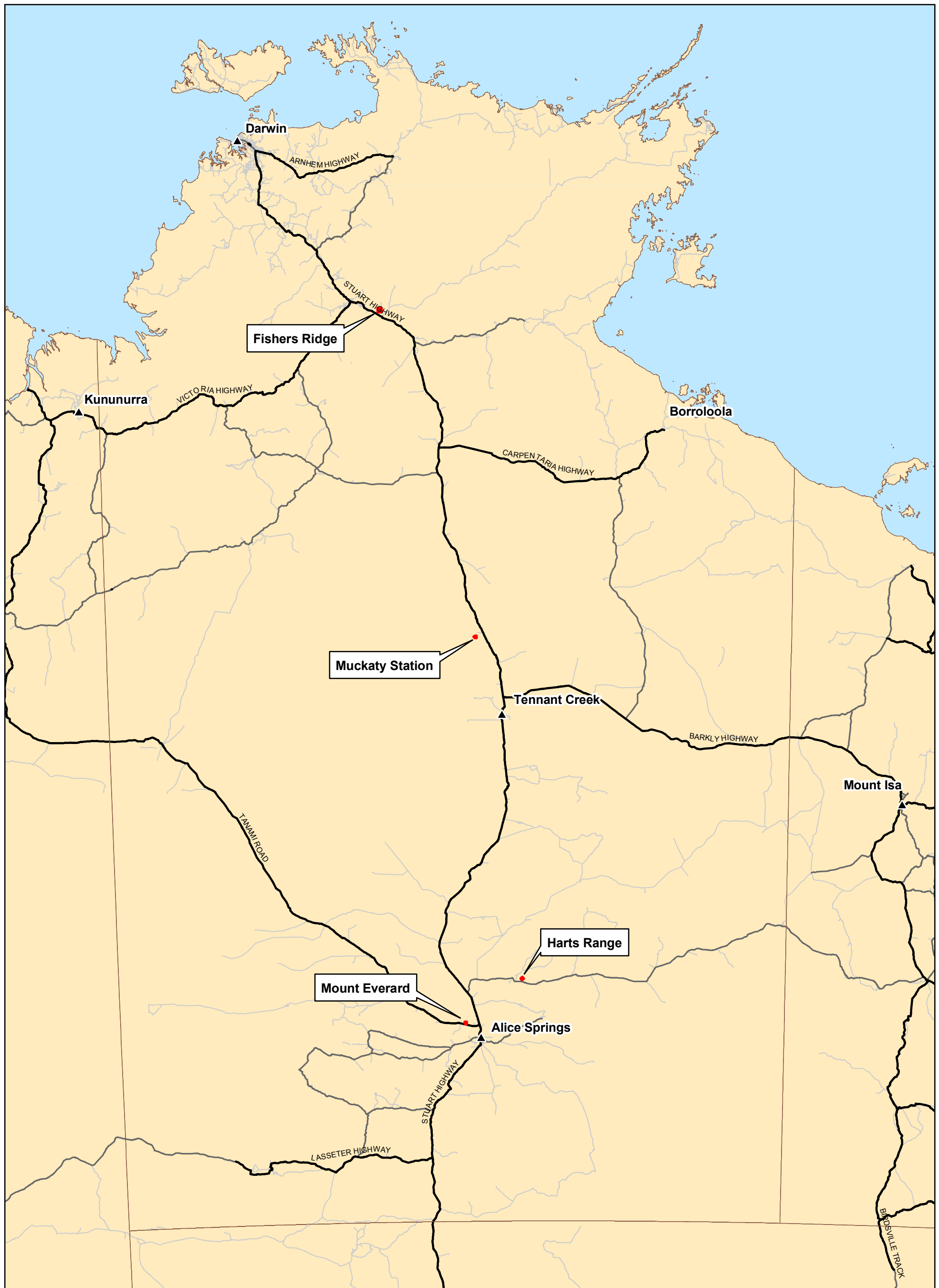
The purpose of the geological and geotechnical investigation is to assess the existing ground conditions within the proposed sites. This factual report outlines the procedures used to undertake the investigations and presents a summary of the encountered subsurface conditions as well as result of in-situ testing.

Site location plans, geological maps and representative photographs taken throughout the text. Detailed descriptions of the encountered sub-surface conditions are presented on the engineering test pit and borehole logs in Appendix A with laboratory test results from samples collected during the investigation are presented in Appendix B. In-situ permeability tests are presented in Appendix C.

## G1.1 Previous investigations

Woodward-Clyde/URS have prepared Environmental Program Reports and Environmental Management Plans for both the Mount Everard and Harts Range sites. These reports detail physical characteristics of the site and their groundwater monitoring well installation programs. Information from these reports has been collated as part of the PB investigation. PB is not aware of any previous investigations undertaken on either the Fishers Ridge or Muckaty Station sites.

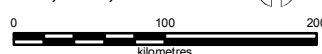
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- Environmental Management Plan, Mount Everard Radar Receiving Site, NT, 7 June 1999.
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**Commonwealth Radioactive Waste  
Management Facility Site Characterisation**  
Proposed repository sites  
**Figure G1.1**





## G2. Site characteristics

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### G2.1 Mount Everard

The Mount Everard site is a receiver station for an over-the-horizon (OTH) high frequency radar, and is located approximately 25 km north-west of Alice Springs (Figure G2.1). The existing facility occupies an area of approximately 12 km<sup>2</sup>.

The area of interest (the site) for the geotechnical investigation is located immediately to the south east of the existing facility and associated buildings in an area covering approximately 1.5 km<sup>2</sup>.

The site is currently owned by the Department of Defence (DOD) and is under the management of the No.1 Radar Surveillance Unit of the Royal Australian Air Force. The site is understood to be operated by British Aerospace.

Access to the radar facility is via the Tanami Road, a sealed road. However, access to the test locations and the site is along existing dirt tracks and firebreaks.

The site is generally flat with elevations within the site's boundaries from 726 m AHD to 732 m AHD. No major water courses or major overland flow paths were noted within the site.

Vegetation within the site includes native grasses and shrubs as well as weeds with some areas being cleared of all vegetation to accommodate some of the facilities infrastructure (Photograph G2.1).



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.1**  
**Typical surface layout and vegetation at**  
**Mount Everard site**

### G2.2 Harts Range

The Harts Range site is a transmitter station for an OTH high frequency radar, and is located approximately 100 km northeast of Alice Springs (Figure G2.2). The existing facility occupies an area of approximately 12 km<sup>2</sup>.

The area of interest (the site) for the geotechnical investigation is located immediately to the east and southeast of the existing facility and associated buildings and covers an area of approximately 1.5 km<sup>2</sup>. The site is owned by DOD and the management and operation arrangements are similar to that of the Mount Everard facility.

Access to the radar facility is via the Plenty Highway, a sealed road. However, access to the test locations and the site is along existing dirt tracks and firebreaks.

The site is generally flat with elevations within the site's boundaries ranging from 652 m AHD to 660 m AHD. Surface drainage tends to migrate towards Annamurra Creek to the west and Ongeva Creek to the east. A minor drainage channel was noted trending approximately north-south in the central northern part of the investigated site. The channel was dry at the time of the investigations.



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.2**  
**Typical surface layout and vegetation**  
**at Harts Range site**

Vegetation within the site includes native grasses and shrubs as well as weeds with some areas being cleared of all vegetation to accommodate some of the facilities infrastructure (Photograph G2.2).

## G2.3 Fishers Ridge

The Fishers Ridge site is located approximately 40 km south-east of Katherine and 5 km along an unsealed track to Banatjarl indigenous community (located at Charlie Toms Yards) on the northern side of the Stuart Highway (Figure G2.3).

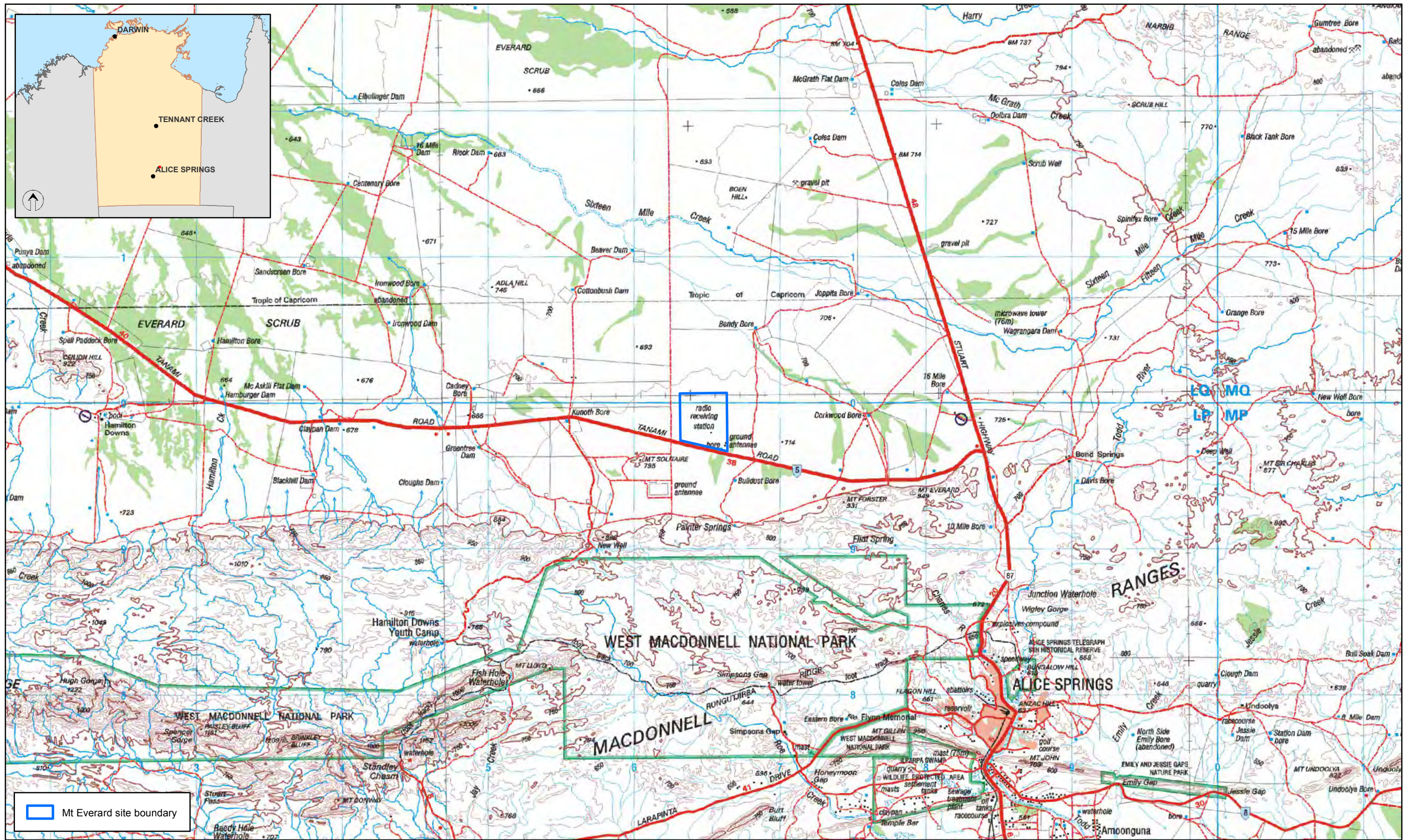
The area of interest (the site) for the geotechnical investigation is bounded by the King River and Roper Creek on the west and east respectively and covers an approximate area of 36 km<sup>2</sup> (6 km x 6 km). The site is currently under Commonwealth ownership and management and is leased to local pastoralists for grazing of livestock.

Recorded elevations across the site range from 191 mAHD to 219 mAHD. The site drains to the southwest as indicated by the general flow direction of the adjacent King River and Roper Creek (Photographs G2.3 to G2.5). Numerous wash-outs were encountered along the access track within the site with a maximum depth of approximately 0.3 m.

## G2.4 Muckaty Station

Muckaty Station is located approximately 110 km north of Tennant Creek (Figure G2.4). Muckaty Station is under the guardianship of several clans and is currently being leased by Mr. Ray Aylett. The property covers an area of approximately 2200 km<sup>2</sup> and is predominately used as a cattle station.





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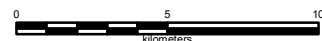




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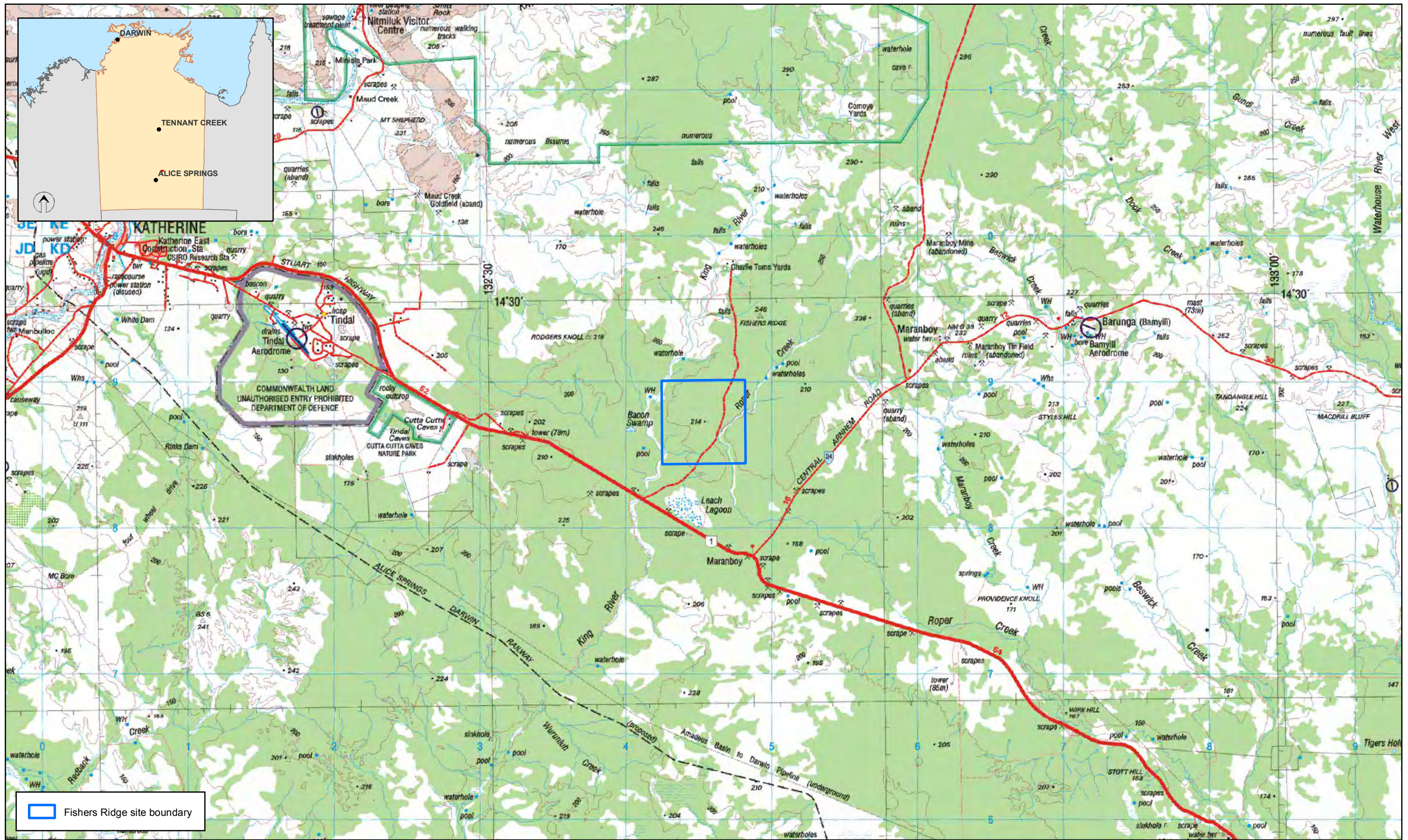
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Site Characterisation  
Harts Range location map  
Figure G2.2**

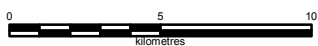




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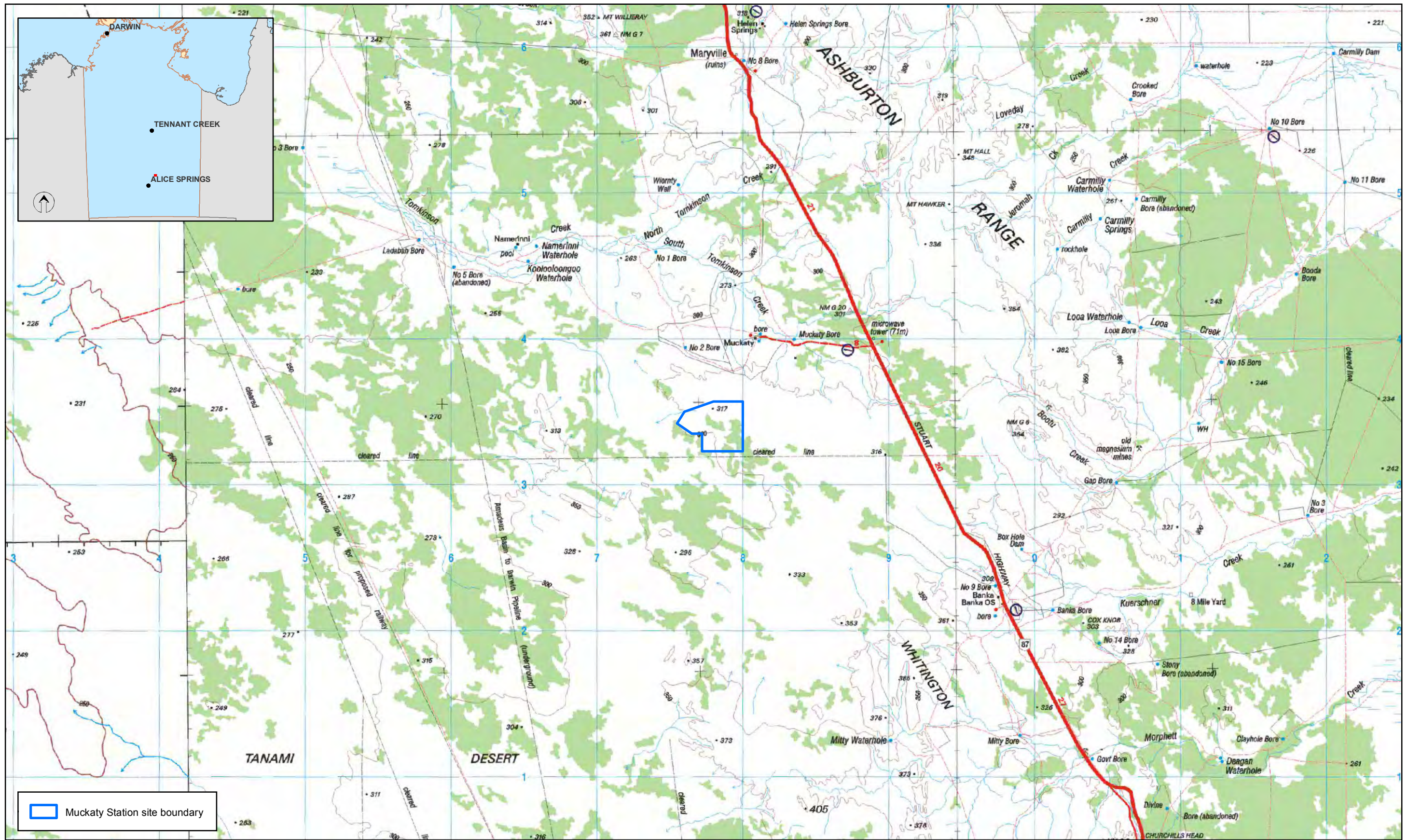
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 Muckaty Station site boundary

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The area of interest (the nominated site) for the geotechnical investigation is located immediately north of the Bootu Creek Mine haul road on the west side of the Stuart highway on traditional land under the guardianship of the Ngapa clan. The site is south of Muckaty Station homestead and covers an area of approximately 1166 Ha. A second area, approximately 12 km north of the main site, has been included in the investigation as part of regional studies on Muckaty Station in areas under the guardianship of the Ngapa clan.

Access to the nominated site is limited as the area is covered with scrub, rocky outcrops, sand valleys and plains and dry creeks (Photographs G2.6 and G2.7). Tracks were constructed for access, by means of grading, during the initial stages of the geotechnical investigation. Access to the regional studies site is via an existing track to the west of the Stuart Highway which follows the rocky ridgeline (Photograph G2.8).

The nominated site is gently undulating with some rocky outcrops and intermittent creek beds throughout whilst the regional studies site is a rocky ridgeline. Elevations for both sites range from 295 mAHD to 325 mAHD.



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.3**  
**Typical surface profile and vegetation**  
**at Fishers Ridge site**



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.4**  
**King River immediately west of the**  
**Fishers Ridge site**



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.5**  
**Roper Creek immediately east**  
**of the Fishers Ridge site**



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.6**  
**Muckaty Station looking north from**  
**Bootu Creek haul road**



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.7**  
**Extensive sand plains to north of**  
**Muckaty Station nominated site**



**PHOTOGRAPH G2.8**  
**Regional studies site on northern**  
**perimeter of Muckaty Station**



## G3. Pre-field work

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### G3.1 Desktop studies

At the commencement of the project desktop studies were undertaken on each of the four sites prior to site visits and investigations. The desktop studies investigated existing background data from all available sources and included the following data sets; airborne magnetic surveys, aerial photography, existing environmental reports, flora and fauna data, well data, Google Earth imagery, NT Strike, GIS and topographical, geological and hydrogeology maps.

The background data was collated and used to delineate the preliminary investigation areas and test locations based on the existing geology and hydrogeology data.

### G3.2 Site visits

Prior to the site investigations, each site was visited by the project team to provide preliminary assessment of the target areas. This enabled the site investigations to be planned with a focus on the most suitable area.

The site visits allowed the number and locations of tests (boreholes and test pits) to be chosen in order to gain the maximum amount of information for each site, as well as providing logistical preparations for the fieldwork.



## G4. Field investigation

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The geological and geotechnical field investigation was conducted during two periods and included a test pitting and drilling program at each of the four sites. The investigations at Mount Everard, Harts Range and Fishers Ridge were undertaken from 20 July 2006 to 27 August 2006 which required close consultation with and ultimately approval from the Department of Defence. The field investigations at Muckaty Station were undertaken during 20 February 2008 to 5 March 2008 after the site was nominated by the Northern Land Council and gazetted by the Commonwealth in mid 2007.

The field work was supervised by an Engineering Geologist and a Hydrogeologist from the PB Adelaide and Perth offices, with support from other field staff, in general accordance with AS1726-1993. A Senior Engineering Geologist from the PB Adelaide office was present on site for the first week of the investigation in 2006.

Figure G4.1 presents the locations of field investigation at Mount Everard, Figure G4.2 Harts Range, Figure G4.3 Fishers Ridge and Figure G4.4 Muckaty Station.

### G4.1 Test Pit program

Test pits were excavated at each site to provide information on the soil profile and potential excavation conditions to 3–4 m depth (or refusal). Bulk samples of representative soil units were collected for laboratory testing.

The test pits at the Mount Everard and Harts Range sites were excavated using a John Deere 315D backhoe (Photograph G4.1), which was supplied and operated by SDA Plumbing Pty Ltd of Alice Springs. The test pitting program for Fishers Ridge was carried out using a Komatsu PC75UU 7.5t tracked excavator (Photograph G4.2) supplied and operated by Kens Plumbing Pty. Ltd of Katherine. Kens Plumbing also supplied a bobcat, which was used to construct firebreaks around the drilling locations. The test pits at Muckaty Station were excavated using a John Deere 400 backhoe supplied and operated by Philips Earthmoving Pty Ltd of Tennant Creek, who also supplied earthmoving equipment for the construction of the access tracks.

Both backhoes and the excavator were in generally good condition and equipped with 450 mm toothed buckets. In addition to the test pits the machines were also used to excavate sump pits used during the diamond core drilling program at Mount Everard, Harts Range and Fishers Ridge. The sumps pits at Muckaty Station were excavated using a front end loader from Philips Earthmoving.

Table G4.1 summarises the test pit locations for the four sites.



**PHOTOGRAPH G4.1**  
John Deere 315D backhoe used to excavated test pits at Mount Everard and Harts Range site (photographed at Harts Range)

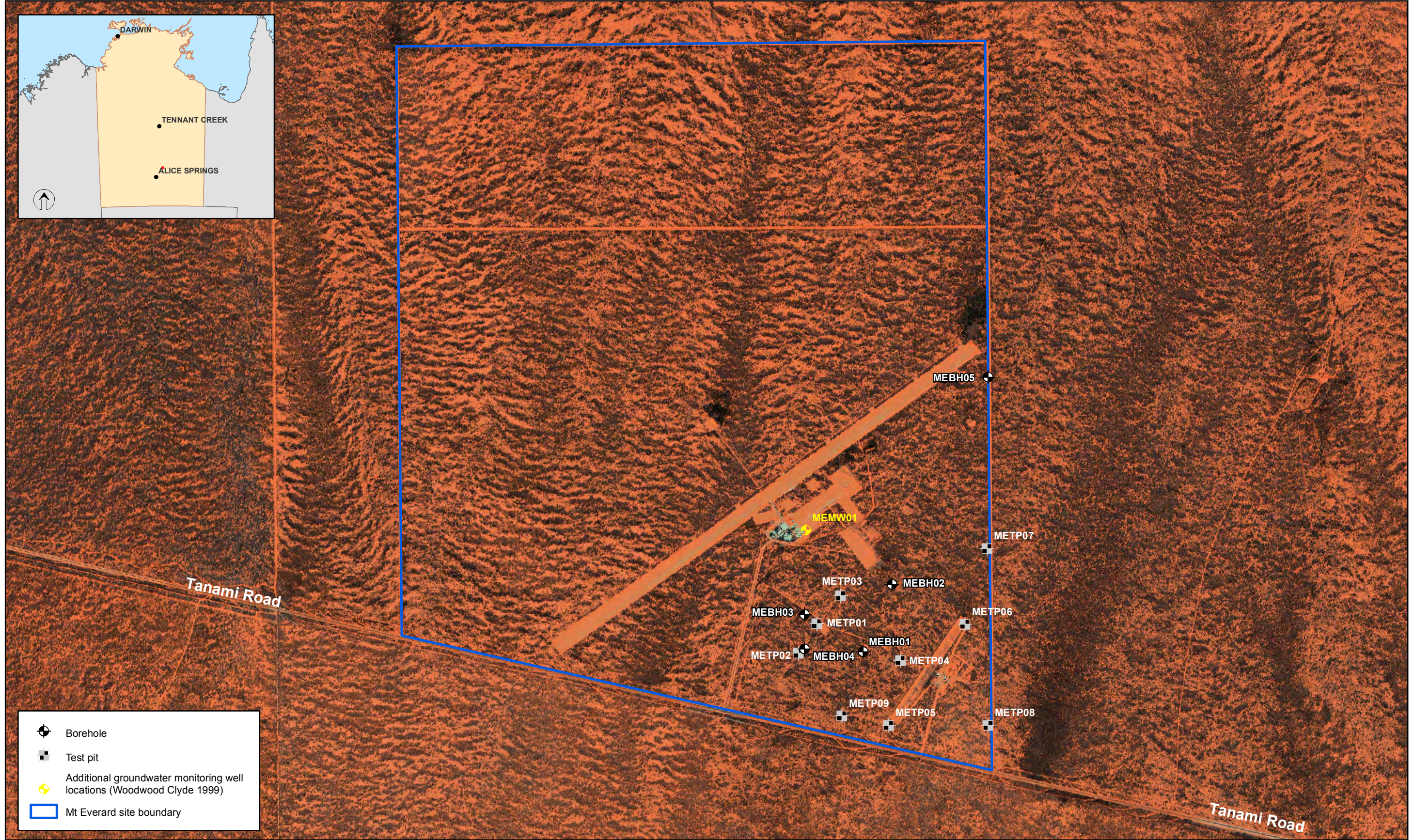






**PHOTOGRAPH G4.2**  
Komatsu PC75UU tracked excavator used to excavate test pits at Fishers Ridge site

**Table G4.1 Summary of test pit locations**

Site	Test pit no.	Date	Method	Final depth (m)	Co-ordinates GDA94		Elevation (mAHD)
					Easting	Northing	
Mount Everard	METP01	20/7/06	backhoe	2.7	365436.694	7397477.026	730.911
	METP02	20/7/06	backhoe	2.6	365336.843	7397315.986	731.548
	METP03	20/7/06	backhoe	2.4	365567.054	7397628.786	730.307
	METP04	20/7/06	backhoe	2.7	365894.298	7397276.214	731.472
	METP05	20/7/06	backhoe	2.7	365829.293	7396921.637	732.638
	METP06	20/7/06	backhoe	2.3	366247.065	7397473.784	730.459
	METP07	20/7/06	backhoe	2.6	366366.558	7397886.806	729.096
	METP08	20/7/06	backhoe	2.3	366371.393	7396921.858	732.018
	METP09	20/7/06	backhoe	2.6	365573.989	7396974.013	732.517
Harts Range	H RTP01	21/7/06	backhoe	3.0	444292.467	7459419.347	657.196
	H RTP02	21/7/06	backhoe	3.0	444400.186	7459697.772	656.473
	H RTP03	21/7/06	backhoe	3.0	444097.461	7460115.964	654.805
	H RTP04	21/7/06	backhoe	3.0	444302.436	7460383.040	654.497
	H RTP05	21/7/06	backhoe	3.0	444515.243	7460540.438	652.795
	H RTP06	21/7/06	backhoe	2.8	444931.851	7460508.529	652.535
	H RTP07	21/7/06	backhoe	2.6	445223.866	7460103.256	653.190
	H RTP08	21/7/06	backhoe	1.7	445004.386	7460004.791	653.666
	H RTP09	21/7/06	backhoe	3.0	444617.071	7459661.497	656.633
	H RTP10	21/7/06	backhoe	2.3	443815.740	7459719.745	656.782
Fishers Ridge	F RTP01	28/7/06	excavator	1.6	245816.426	8385585.652	198.78
	F RTP02	28/7/06	excavator	1.25	246767.049	8387919.714	202.44
	F RTP03	28/7/06	excavator	1.0	246547.248	8389154.113	213.10
	F RTP04	28/7/06	excavator	1.3	247053.930	8389626.786	216.79
	F RTP05	4/8/06	excavator	1.0	245517.219	8385321.580	204.56
	F RTP06	4/8/06	excavator	0.7	244794.274	8385787.981	202.65
	F RTP07	4/8/06	excavator	1.0	243209.501	8386921.930	191.59



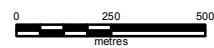


-  Borehole
-  Test pit
-  Additional groundwater monitoring well locations (Woodwood Clyde 1999)
-  Mt Everard site boundary

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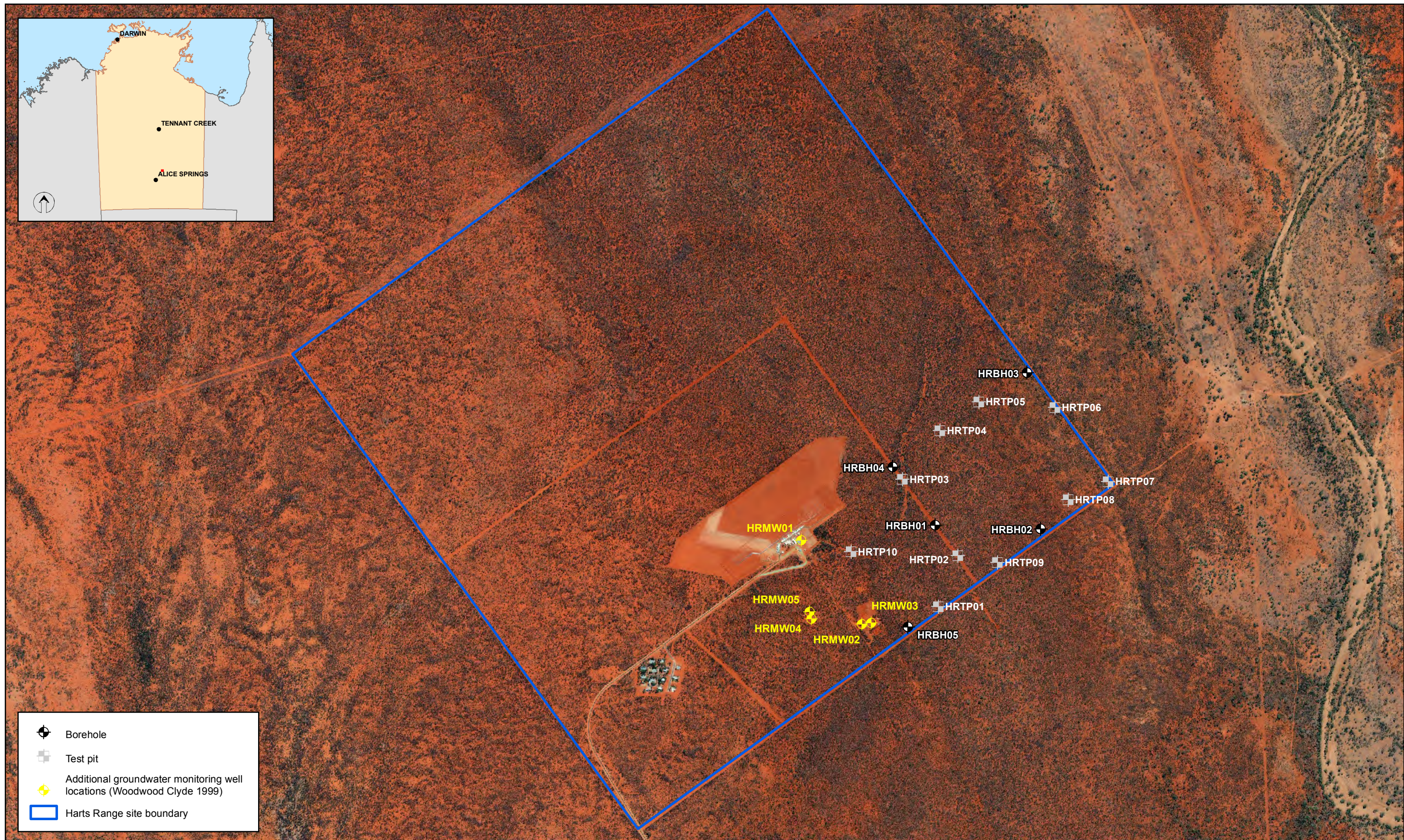
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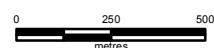




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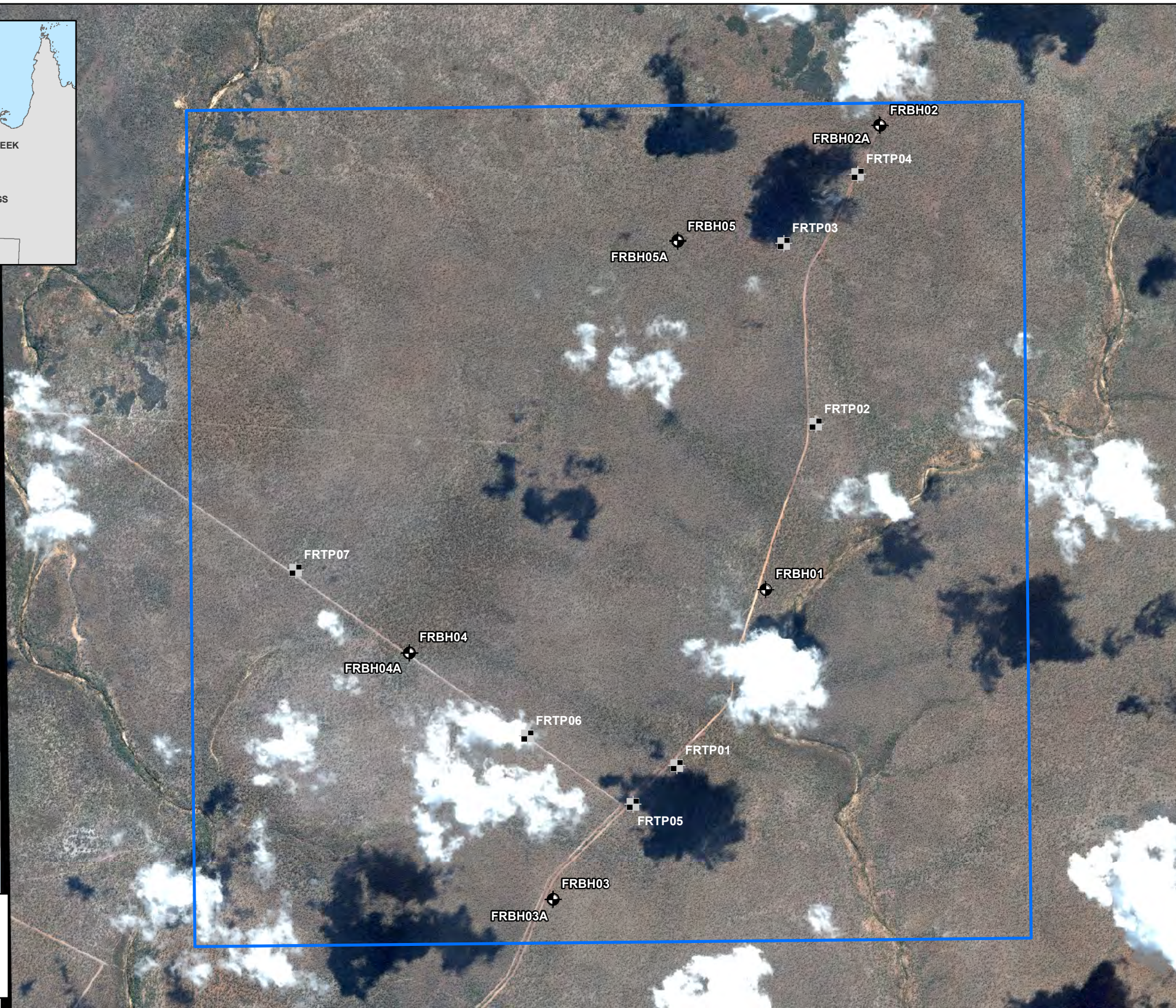
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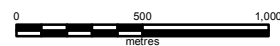


- Borehole
- Test pit
- Fishers Ridge site boundary

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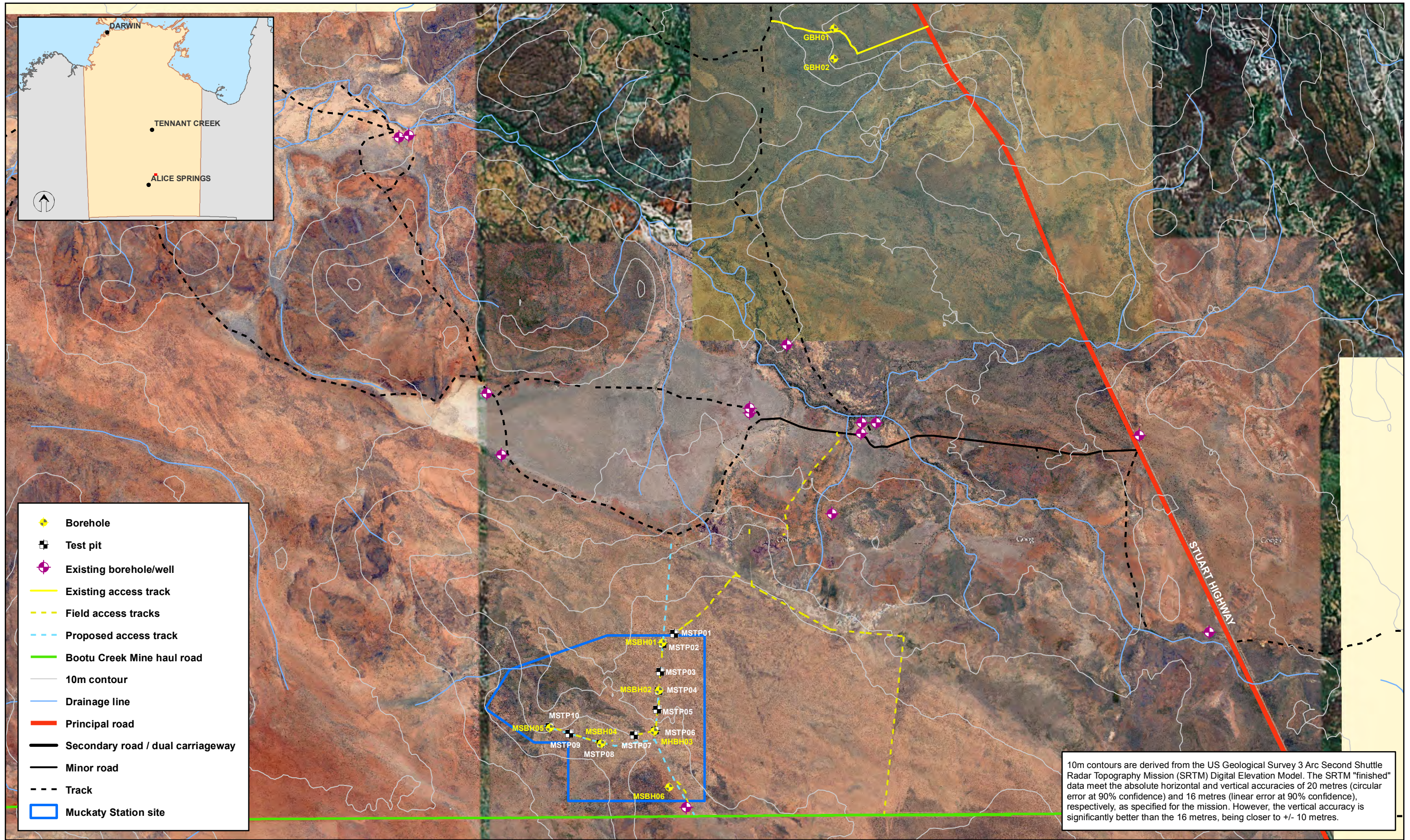
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Fishers Ridge field investigations  
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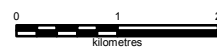




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Muckaty Station field investigations  
Figure G4.4



				Final depth (m)	Easting		Elevation (mAHD)
no.							
Muckaty Station*	MSTP01	05/03/08	backhoe	3.0	379377	7935738	322.613
	MSTP02	05/03/08	backhoe	3.1	379143	7935528	321.457
	MSTP03	05/03/08	backhoe	3.2	379094	7934954	325.619
	MSTP04	05/03/08	backhoe	3.0	379064	7934562	322.615
	MSTP05	05/03/08	backhoe	3.0	379031	7934180	318.917
	MSTP06	05/03/08	backhoe	2.4	378985	7933748	314.606
	MSTP07	05/03/08	backhoe	2.0	378556	7933649	309.958
	MSTP08	05/03/08	backhoe	2.6	377867	7933481	301.362
	MSTP09	05/03/08	backhoe	1.3	377226	7933687	305.493
	MSTP10	05/03/08	backhoe	1.2	376820	7933824	309.526

\*Note: Coordinates for test pits at Muckaty Station based on survey line.

## G4.2 Drilling program

A drilling investigation program was undertaken using a combination of methods to provide information on soil and rock profiles at each of the site to a maximum depth of 100 m. Boreholes were logged and samples collected for laboratory testing of representative units.

The drilling program was carried out using a Mark V Investigator drill rig mounted on a MACK truck supplied and operated by Drilling Solutions (SA) Pty. Ltd of Adelaide, SA (Photograph G4.3). Drill holes were located based on the desktop studies and preliminary site visits at each site. Holes were located to give a representation of the geology and groundwater on each site based on the existing geology, hydrogeology and magnetic survey information.

Five investigation boreholes were drilled at Mount Everard, Harts Range and Fishers Ridge. Two holes at each of these sites were drilled using HQ3 diamond coring techniques to provide detailed information on the soil and rock strata profile at each location. The cored boreholes were drilled to a depth to intercept the underlying basement rock or to a maximum depth of 100 m. All recovered rock core was retained on PVC splits, sealed in clear PVC tubing and stored in metal sore trays (Photograph G4.4).



**PHOTOGRAPH G4.3**  
Investigator Mark V drill rig on MACK truck at Fishers Ridge. Trailer with drilling supplies (drill rods, sand gravel, standpipe etc) behind rig



**PHOTOGRAPH G4.4**  
Recovered rock core retained on PVC splits, wrapped in PVC tubing and stored in metal core boxes

The remaining three boreholes at each site were drilled using rotary air boring (RAB) methods to at least 5 m below the groundwater level to supplement the cored borehole information.

All five boreholes on each site were converted to groundwater monitoring wells using 50 mm diameter Class 9 and Class 18 PVC standpipe (Photographs G4.5 to G4.7).



**PHOTOGRAPH G4.5**  
**Installation of groundwater monitoring well with Class 18 PVC standpipe (MEBH01)**



**PHOTOGRAPH G4.6**  
**Installation of well head cover (FRBH03A)**

At Fishers Ridge additional shallow boreholes to 6 m depth were drilled at four of the five borehole locations to provide shallow groundwater monitoring wells. As with the other two sites, all boreholes were converted to groundwater monitoring wells.

A total of eight boreholes were drilled at Muckaty Station, four HQ3 diamond boreholes and four RAB. Six boreholes were drilled at the nominated site, three open hole RAB boreholes and three HQ3 cored boreholes, covering the two provinces. The remaining two boreholes were drilled at the regional studies site,

comprising one open hole and one cored borehole to provide regional geological and hydrogeological information. All boreholes, with the exception of one, were converted to groundwater monitoring well, with installations of 50 mm Class 18 PVC. The cored borehole GBH02 collapsed on withdrawal of the drill rods and the PVC standpipe could not be installed. The borehole was subsequently grouted to surface.



**PHOTOGRAPH G4.7**  
**Completed groundwater monitoring wells FRBH02 (foreground) and FRBH02A (background)**

Table G4.2 summarises the borehole locations for each of the four sites.

**Table G4.2 Summary of borehole locations**

Site	Borehole no.	Date completed	Method	Final depth (m)	Co-ordinates GDA94		Elevation (mAHD)
					Easting	Northing	
Mount Everard	MEBH01	21/7/06	HQ3	69.7	365691.050	7397324.975	731.474
	MEBH02	25/7/06	HQ3	40.0	365847.594	7397692.621	730.097
	MEBH03	25/8/06	RAB	38.0	365370.465	7397527.717	730.984
	MEBH04	25/8/06	RAB	38.0	365371.123	7397339.910	731.634
	MEBH05	27/8/06	RAB	38.0	364975	7398798	726.341
Harts Range	HRBH01	21/7/06	HQ3	100.0	444275.823	7459866.446	656.550
	HRBH02	25/7/06	HQ3	35.0	444853.628	7459845.723	654.523
	HRBH03	25/8/06	RAB	20.0	444779.970	7460699.872	652.433
	HRBH04	25/8/06	RAB	32.0	444043.652	7460184.379	655.482
	HRBH05	27/8/06	RAB	35.0	444127.328	7459308.337	657.980
Fishers Ridge	FRBH01	6/8/06	HQ3	80.6	246425.501	8386789.992	197.00
	FRBH02	8/8/06	HQ3	31.0	247209.496	8389961.821	219.77
	FRBH02A	8/8/06	RAB	6.0	247204.632	8389963.567	219.80
	FRBH03	10/8/06	RAB	30.0	244973.814	8384672.521	203.73
	FRBH03A	10/8/06	RAB	6.0	244969.602	8384669.997	203.77
	FRBH04	10/8/06	RAB	30.0	243989.553	8386358.218	191.30
	FRBH04A	10/8/06	RAB	6.0	243987.942	8386355.284	191.22
	FRBH05	9/8/06	RAB	30.0	245824.350	8389170.461	214.52
	FRBH05A	9/8/06	RAB	6.0	245825.131	8389177.289	214.52
Muckaty Station	MSBH01	02/03/08	HQ3	40.2	379138.394	7935553.642	321.253
	MSBH02	23/02/08	RAB	41	379064.877	7934574.053	322.839
	MSBH03	04/03/08	HQ3	35.35	378968.453	7933736.591	314.606
	MSBH04	24/02/08	RAB	28	377880.503	7933479.240	301.208
	MSBH05	04/03/08	HQ3	30.15	376822.611	7933801.398	309.227
	MSBH06	25/02/08	RAB	48	379275.294	7932584.685	314.925
GBH01	GBH01	20/02/08	RAB	46	382663.736	7948164.503	313.324
	GBH02	28/02/08	HQ3	50.2	382661.081	7947539.932	312.253

## G4.3 Survey

All test locations were initially surveyed using a hand held GPS with a horizontal accuracy of  $\pm 5$  m. A more detailed follow on survey was then conducted at Mount Everard and Harts Range sites by GHD Pty. Ltd of Alice Springs and for the Fishers Ridge and Muckaty Station sites by Ausurv Pty Ltd of Darwin. The surveys were conducted to obtain elevations of the test locations and of the general site areas. The test locations are all reported in the GDA94 coordinate system to a sub metre horizontal accuracy and Australian Height Datum (AHD) to a vertical accuracy of 0.05 m. Additional survey points, tracks and traverses were also undertaken at each site to provide georeferencing points (for GIS aerial photographs) and cross sectional information. The collar locations and elevations of nearby wells and water bores were also surveyed.

## G4.4 Groundwater monitoring program

The groundwater monitoring wells were installed at depths determined by the groundwater levels recorded at each of the sites. At two borehole locations (HRBH01 and FRBH01) the base of the deep cored boreholes was backfilled with grout to below the screen level which was installed at the groundwater level. Groundwater monitoring data loggers were installed in two of the boreholes at each site, to record potential fluctuations in the groundwater table from climatic and seasonal variations.

Table G4.3 summarises the monitoring well installations and locations of data loggers.

**Table G4.3 Summary of monitoring well installations**

Site	Borehole no.	Borehole depth (m)	Well Installation (m)	Data logger installed
Mount Everard	MEBH01	69.7	0.0 – 69.7	
	MEBH02	40.0	0.0 – 40.0	Yes
	MEBH03	38.0	0.0 – 38.0	
	MEBH04	38.0	0.0 – 38.0	
	MEBH05	38.0	0.0 – 38.0	Yes
Harts Range	HRBH01	100.0	0.0 – 36.0	Yes
	HRBH02	35.0	0.0 – 35.0	Yes
	HRBH03	20.0	0.0 – 20.0	
	HRBH04	32.0	0.0 – 32.0	
	HRBH05	35.0	0.0 – 35.0	
Fishers Ridge	FRBH01	80.6	0.0 – 31.0	
	FRBH02	31.0	0.0 – 31.0	Yes
	FRBH02A	6.0	0.0 – 6.0	
	FRBH03	30.0	0.0 – 30.0	Yes
	FRBH03A	6.0	0.0 – 6.0	
	FRBH04	30.0	0.0 – 30.0	
	FRBH04A	6.0	0.0 – 6.0	
Muckaty Station	FRBH05	30.0	0.0 – 30.0	
	MSBH01	40.2	0.0 - 40.2	Yes
	MSBH02	41.0	0.0 – 41.0	
	MSBH03	35.35	0.0 – 35.35	
	MSBH04	28.0	0.0 – 28.0	Yes
	MSBH05	30.15	0.0 – 30.15	
	MSBH06	48.0	0.0 – 46.0	
	GBH01	46.0	0.0 – 46.0	

## G4.5 Permeability tests

Three falling head permeability tests (FHT) were performed adjacent to boreholes MEBH01, HRBH01, FRBH01 and MSBH03 on each site. Three boreholes were drilled to 1 m, 5 m and 10 m depths using RAB methods with the test being performed within a non-slotted 50 mm diameter PVC open ended standpipe (Photograph G4.8). The tests were carried out in accordance with BS 5930:1981 Hvorslev Method which involved the measurement of the falling water level with the standpipes over a period of time. Each standpipe was filled twice to facilitate saturation of the surrounding soil prior to conducting the falling head test. The test results are presented in Appendix C.



**PHOTOGRAPH G4.8**  
**50 mm non-slotted PVC standpipe used**  
**for the FHT tests at HRBH01**





## G5. Laboratory testing

Soil and rock samples were collected from each site during the test pitting and drilling programs and submitted to Coffey Geotechnics NATA accredited testing laboratory in Adelaide.

Tables G5.1 to G.3 summarise the test results obtained from the scheduled samples from the three sites. Mineralogical x-ray diffraction (XRD) studies on selected rock samples were sent to specialist laboratory AMDEL whilst petrographic analysis was conducted by Pontifex & Associates. Additional rock testing for Muckaty Station was conducted by the University of Melbourne.

Soil and rock classifications/terms are presented in Appendix A and laboratory test certificates for all of the tested samples are presented in Appendix B.

**Table G5.1 Summary of laboratory test results – chemical/physical**

Test Pit/ Borehole No.	Sample Depth (m)	Chloride (mg/kg)	Sulphate (mg/kg)	pH	Electrical conductivity (1:5 dS/m)	Resistivity (ohm m)
METP01	0.8 – 1.2	11	17	6.9		
METP07	0.4 – 0.8	3	4.8	7.2		
H RTP01	1.0-1.4	4.5	4.7	7.5	0.03	∞ 124 81
Fishers Ridge	Not tested					
MSTP01	1.5-1.6				0.04	∞ 1000 530
MSTP04	1.3-1.5				0.015	5500 2030 1150
MSTP09	0.5-0.8				0.015	∞ 1770 1010

**Table G5.2 Summary of laboratory test results – rock core**

Borehole No.	Sample depth (m)	Point load test (Is <sub>50</sub> MPa)	Uniaxial compressive strength (MPa)	Strength
MEBH01	6.7-7.0	0.062		Very Low
MEBH01	9.0-10.0		0.15 to 2.06	Very Low
MEBH01	12.1-12.2	0.09		Very Low
MEBH01	22.85-23.1	0.059		Very Low
MEBH02	13.4-13.6	0.425		Medium
HRBH01	9.0-10.0	0.031		Very Low
HRBH01	20.5-21.5	0.038		Very Low
FRBH01	9.8-10.2	0.03		Very low
FRBH02	1.0-1.3	0.013		Extremely Low
FRBH02	4.95-5.25	Insufficient sample -		
FRBH02	11.1-11.6	0.0		Extremely Low
FRBH02	15.5-15.8	0.061		Very Low
FRBH02	23.7-24.0	0.096		Very Low
MSBH01	6.0 – 6.18		36.43	High
MSBH01	10.65-10.95		9.89	Medium
MSBH03	19.0-10.25		55.63	High
MSBH05	5.0-5.3		27.23	High
MSBH05	10.85-11.25		6.44	Medium



**Table G5.3 Summary of laboratory test results – soil**

Test Pit/ Borehole No.	Sample Depth (m)	Soil Classification	Sand Fraction (%<2.36mm, >75µm)	Silt & Clay Fraction (%<75µm)	Liquid Limit (%)	Plastic Limit (%)	Plasticity Index (%)	Linear Shrinkage (%)	Maximum Dry Density (t/m <sup>3</sup> )	Optimum Moisture Content (%)	Coefficient of Permeability (m/sec)	4 day soaked California Bearing Ratio (CBR %)	Unsoaked CBR (%)	Emerson No.
METP01	0.8-1.2	CL	45	52	38	16	22	10.5	1.83	13	-	-	-	6
METP07	0.4-0.8	CL	43	56	35	17	18	9.5	1.9	12.6	3.7 x E-10	7	40	6
H RTP01	0.5-0.8	SM	78	22	17	13	4	1	2.14	6.5	-	-	-	-
H RTP01	1.0-1.4	SM	76	24	20	12	8	3.5	2.14	7.1	6.2 x E-10	30	130	5
H RTP06	1.5-1.8	SM	66	32	32	12	20	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
F RTP01	0.6-1.0	SM	42	21	26	17	9	5	1.96	11.9	1.5 x E-8	-	-	6
F RTP01	1.5 – 1.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.07	9	-	-	-	-
F RTP04	0.4-0.8	GM	34	14	25	13	12	6	2.22	8	-	40	220	-
M STP01	1.5-1.6	SM	82	18	-	-	-	0	1.93	7.8	6.3 x E-8	-	-	5
M STP06	2.0-2.2	SM	76	22	17	12	5	1.5	-	-	-	-	-	5
M STP09	0.5-0.8	SM	82	18	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	5



# G6. Tectonics and seismicity

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## G6.1 Tectonic setting

Figures G6.1 to G6.5 present the regional geology of the Northern Territory and tectonic settings of the four subject sites. The figures show the controlling structural geology of the regions including faulting, folding, shear zones and general geological terrains. The four sites have tectonic settings that have recorded very little tectonic activity during the Quaternary period (last 1.7 million years).

Mount Everard and Harts Range sites are located within a region of extensive deformation (Figures G6.2 and G6.3). The deformation history is extremely complex but is understood to have culminated in the Alice Springs Orogeny between 335–312 million years ago (Ma). The Strangways Event (1730 Ma) is considered to have resulted in much of the major deformation noted in the Harts Range Group rocks.

The post Carboniferous period is considered to one of continuous erosion, epeirogenic (extensive earth movements), and rejuvenation of older faults. Later uplift is illustrated by the elevation of the mid-Tertiary erosion surface significantly above the present erosion surface and associated minor faulting, folding resulting in scree production from the Tertiary units. This uplift is considered to predate the present erosion level.

Minor reference has been made to possible uplift in the Harts Range and Strangways Range or rejuvenation due to subsidence within Lake Eyre Basin during the Holocene (0–10,000 years) period.

The Fishers Ridge site is located in an area with relatively few significant fault or fold features, however a major lineament has been identified passing through the general site area, located near the northern margin of the Daly Basin (Figure G6.4). Magnetic surveys of this area indicate the presence of a major fault with south-block-down movement of basement. It is paralleled by a second lineament to the south, which may indicate a fault at greater depth beneath the Daly Basin. Such faults are understood to predate the Cambrian sedimentary rocks of the Daly Basin.

Limited volcanism and plutonic activity appear to have minimal influence on the rocks of the Daly Basin and hence the subject site, with exception of the Cullen Batholith at the northwest corner of the Daly Basin.

The Muckaty Station site is located in an area of regional faulting and volcanic events during the PreCambrian Era (Figure G6.5). The majority of the regional faulting, tilting and erosion occurred during the Proterozoic, when the main geological groups were

deposited. Volcanic activity associated with the Tomkinson Creek Group flood basalt occurred in the mid-Proterozoic.

Regional faulting and folding, erosion and peneplanation occurred during the Meso-Neoproterozoic. Minor faulting, tilting and erosion is thought to have occurred during the late Paleozoic. Some localised faulting occurred during the Miocene through to the present.

## G6.2 Seismic activity

Seismic activity recorded in the Northern Territory is presented in Figure G6.6. Figures G6.7 to G6.10 show earthquake measurements taken from the Geoscience Australia Earthquake Database within a 200 km radius of each of the four sites. In general, seismic activity within the Northern Territory is low.

The largest earthquake within 200 km of any of the four sites, with a magnitude of 6.7 occurred in 1988 and was located approximately 130 km to the south of Muckaty Station, to the south-west of Tennant Creek. The area to the south-west of Tennant Creek has recorded over 400 seismic events since 1985.

Potential earthquake damage at the sites is related to the distance from the earthquake epicentre, its magnitude and intensity, with this relationship demonstrated in Table G6.1 below (Hunt, 2007). Magnitude is a quantitative value computed from seismograph data (such as the Geoscience Australia network), whilst intensity is a qualitative value based on how people and objects respond to an event.

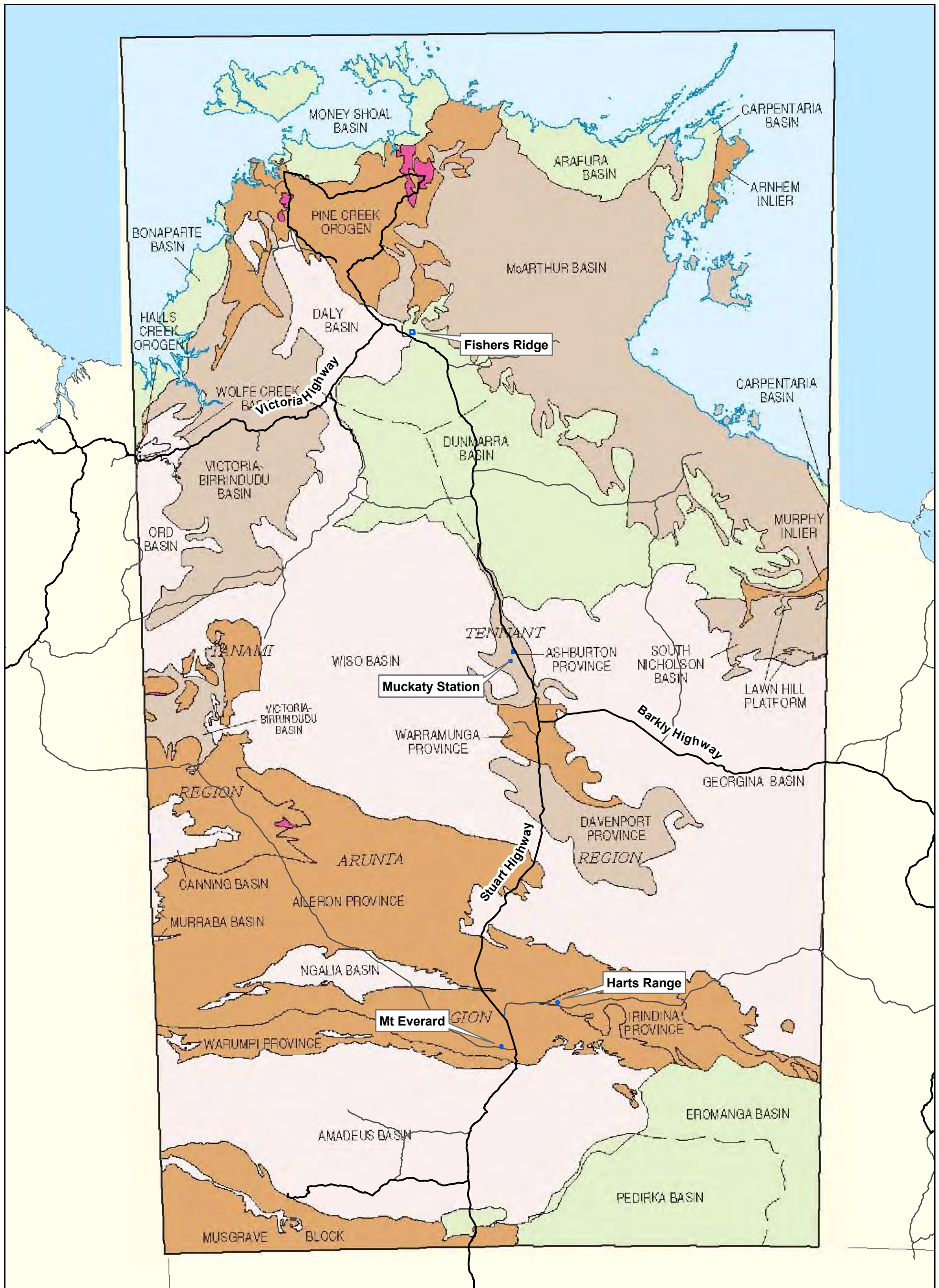
**Table G6.1 Source to site distance for earthquake damage**

Damage to Construction	Minimum Site Acceleration (g)	Earthquake		Maximum Distance Earthquake Source to Site (km)*
		Richter Magnitude	Modified Mercalli Intensity	
Stable foundation	0.15	6.0	VIII	20
	0.15	7.0	X	32
	0.15	8.0	XI	50
Soil liquefaction, permanent ground displacement	0.10	5.3	VII	1
	0.10	6.0	VIII	10
	0.10	7.0	X	50
	0.10	8.0	XI	150
Seismic-wave amplification in soft soil	0.05	7.0	X	230
	0.05	8.0	XI	400

\* Maximum distance for damage to good construction (mean excitation) in western United States. From *Civil Engineering*, ASCE, November 1993 referenced in Hunt, 2007.

Figure G6.11 below displays the recorded seismic events within a 200 km radius of Muckaty Station. The shaded zone indicates the maximum epicentre distance and minimum Richter Scale magnitude required for a seismic event to cause minimum site acceleration of 0.10 g or greater at Muckaty Station (based on Table G6.1 limits). It is





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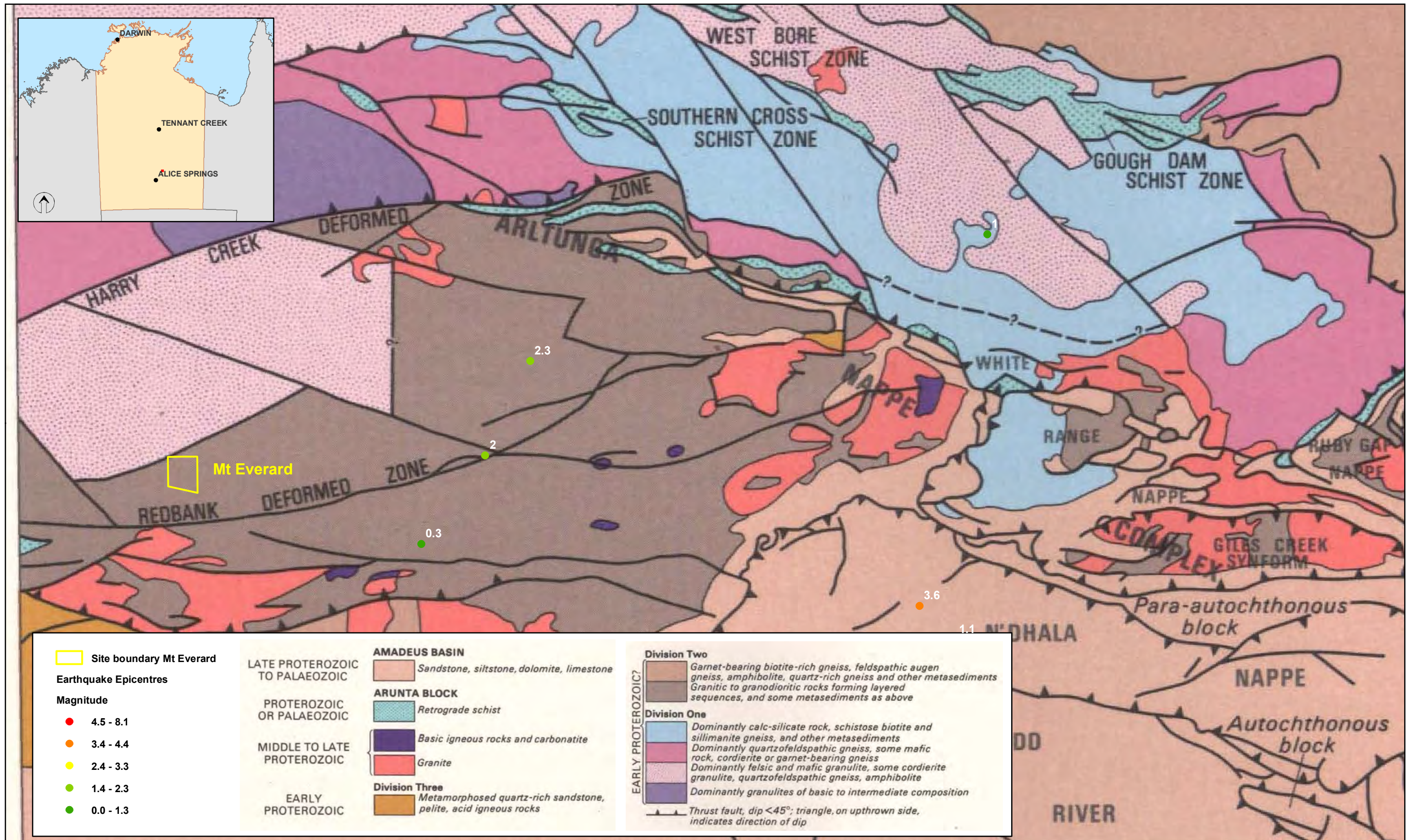
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Northern Territory geological regions  
**Figure G6.1**





Site boundary Mt Everard

Earthquake Epicentres

Magnitude

- 4.5 - 8.1
- 3.4 - 4.4
- 2.4 - 3.3
- 1.4 - 2.3
- 0.0 - 1.3

LATE PROTEROZOIC TO PALAEOZOIC

PROTEROZOIC OR PALAEOZOIC

MIDDLE TO LATE PROTEROZOIC

EARLY PROTEROZOIC

**AMADEUS BASIN**  
 Sandstone, siltstone, dolomite, limestone

**ARUNTA BLOCK**  
 Retrograde schist

Basic igneous rocks and carbonatite

Granite

**Division Three**  
 Metamorphosed quartz-rich sandstone, pelite, acid igneous rocks

**Division Two**  
 Garnet-bearing biotite-rich gneiss, feldspathic augen gneiss, amphibolite, quartz-rich gneiss and other metasediments  
 Granitic to granodioritic rocks forming layered sequences, and some metasediments as above

**Division One**  
 Dominantly calc-silicate rock, schistose biotite and sillimanite gneiss, and other metasediments  
 Dominantly quartzofeldspathic gneiss, some mafic rock, cordierite or garnet-bearing gneiss  
 Dominantly felsic and mafic granulite, some cordierite granulite, quartzofeldspathic gneiss, amphibolite  
 Dominantly granulites of basic to intermediate composition

Thrust fault, dip <math><45^\circ</math>; triangle, on upthrown side, indicates direction of dip

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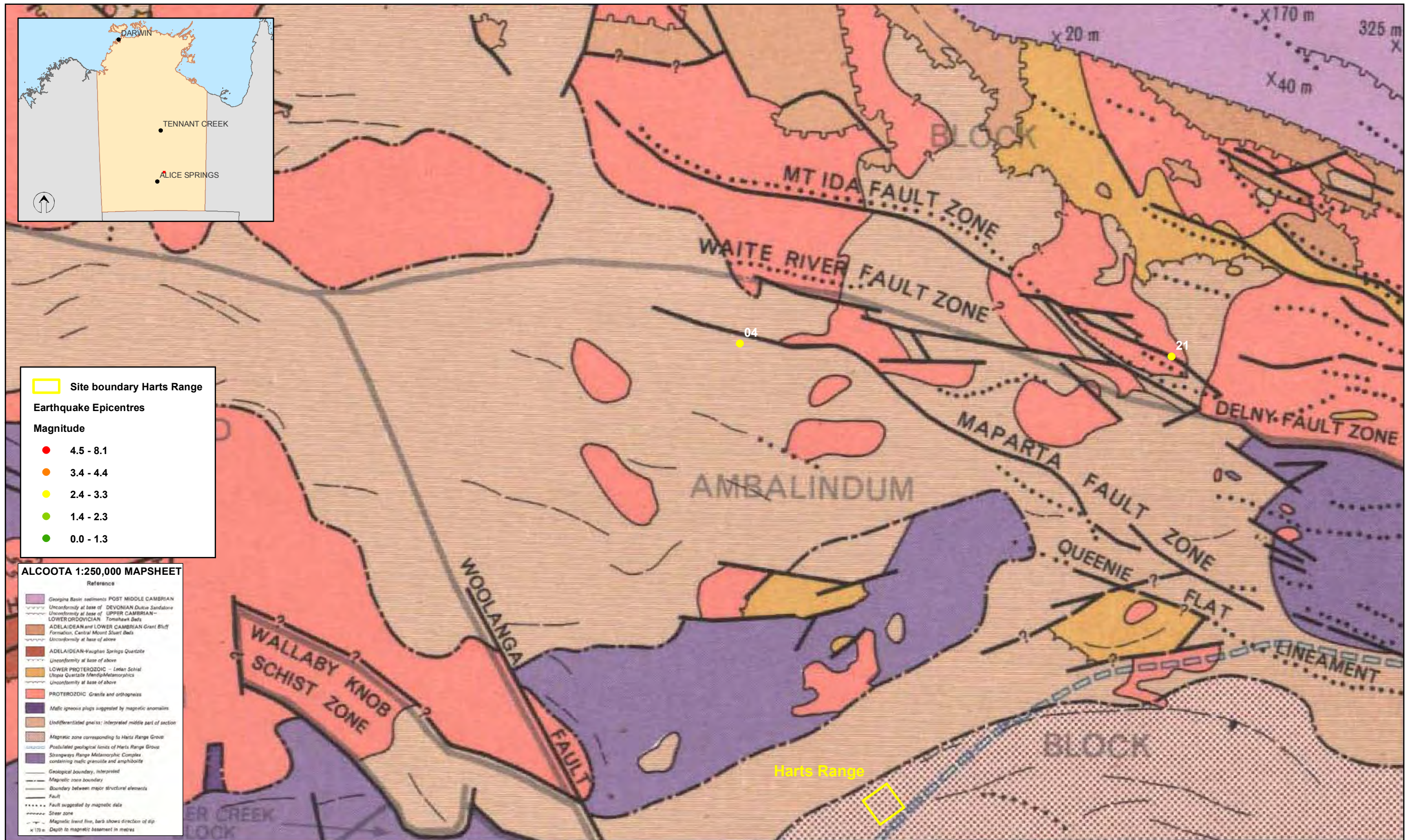
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 Mt Everard tectonic setting  
 Figure G6.2





**Site boundary Harts Range**

**Earthquake Epicentres**

**Magnitude**

- 4.5 - 8.1
- 3.4 - 4.4
- 2.4 - 3.3
- 1.4 - 2.3
- 0.0 - 1.3

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Reference

- Georgina Basin sediments POST MIDDLE CAMBRIAN
- Unconformity at base of DEVONIAN Dulcie Sandstone
- Unconformity at base of UPPER CAMBRIAN - LOWER ORDOVICIAN Tomahawk Beds
- ADELAIDEAN and LOWER CAMBRIAN Grant Bluff Formation, Central Mount Stuart Beds
- Unconformity at base of above
- ADELAIDEAN-Vaughan Springs Quartzite
- Unconformity at base of above
- LOWER PROTEROZOIC - Lelan Schist, Utopia Quartzite Mendip/Metamorphics
- Unconformity at base of above
- PROTEROZOIC Granite and orthogneiss
- Mafic igneous plugs suggested by magnetic anomalies
- Undifferentiated gneiss: interpreted middle part of section
- Magnetic zone corresponding to Harts Range Group
- Postulated geological limits of Harts Range Group
- Strangways Range Metamorphic Complex containing mafic granite and amphibolite
- Geological boundary, interpreted
- Magnetic zone boundary
- Boundary between major structural elements
- Fault
- Fault suggested by magnetic data
- Shear zone
- Magnetic lineament, barb shows direction of dip
- Depth to magnetic basement in metres

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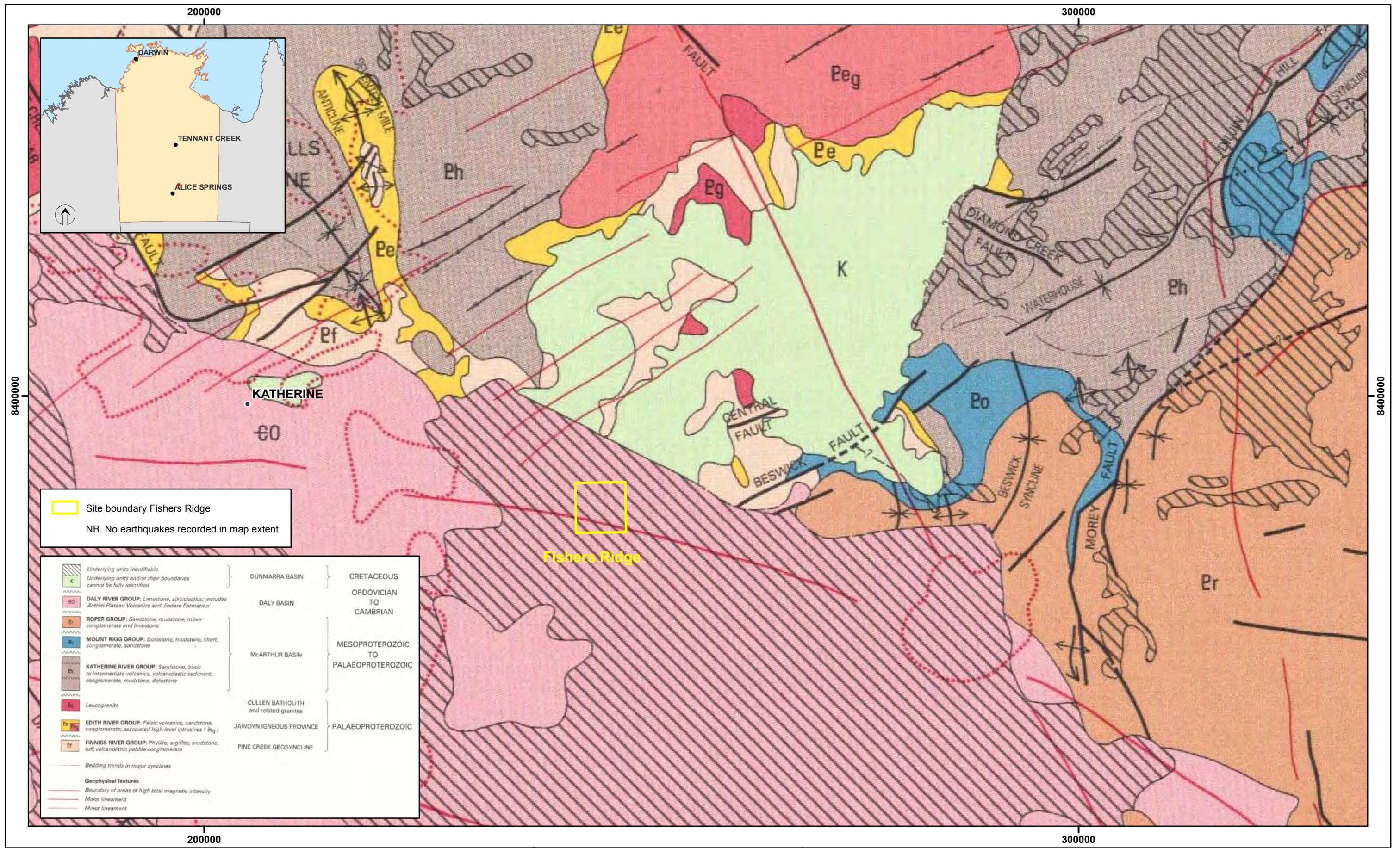
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 Harts Range tectonic setting  
**Figure G6.3**

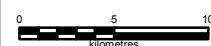




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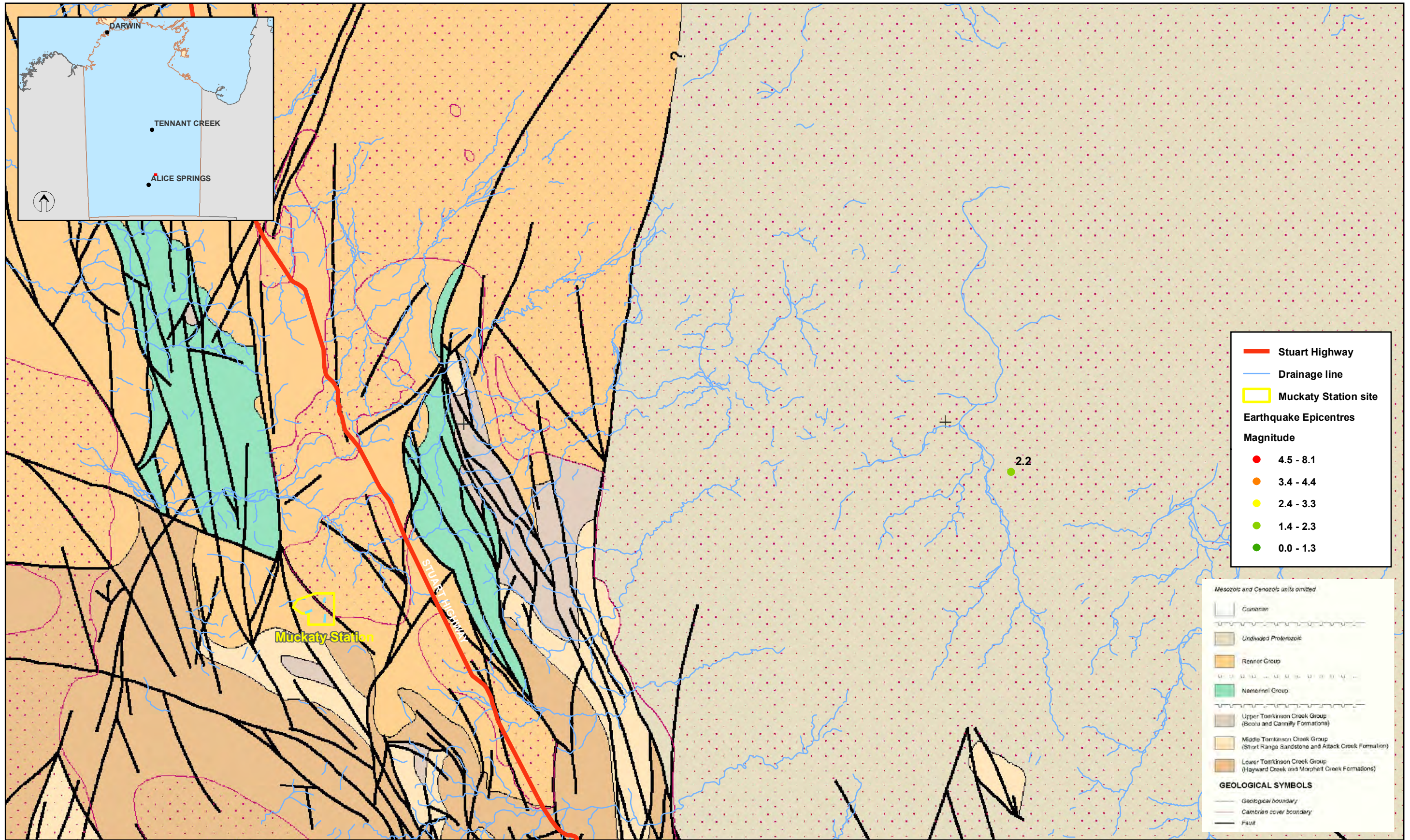
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 Fishers Ridge tectonic setting  
 Figure G6.4

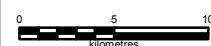




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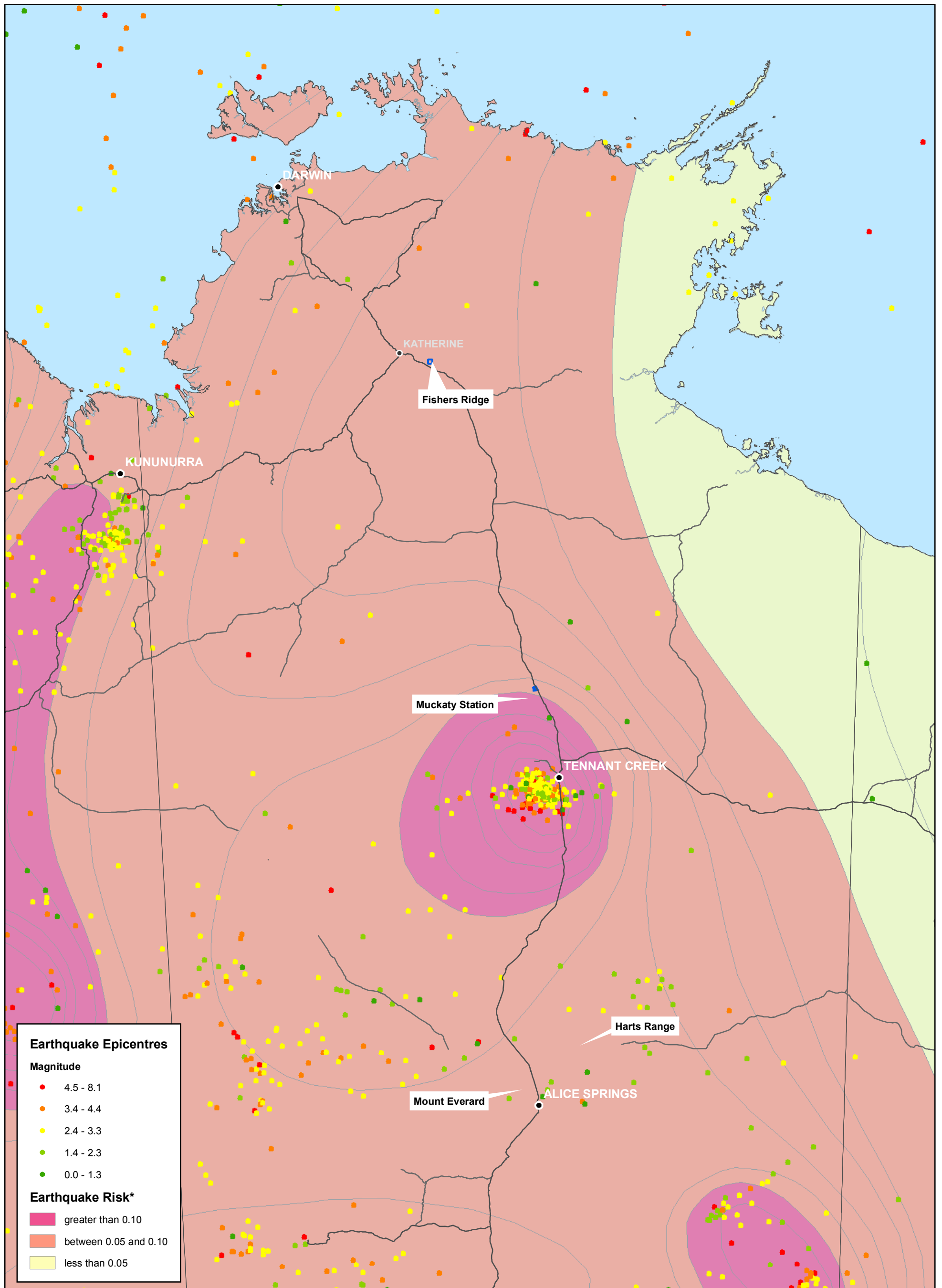
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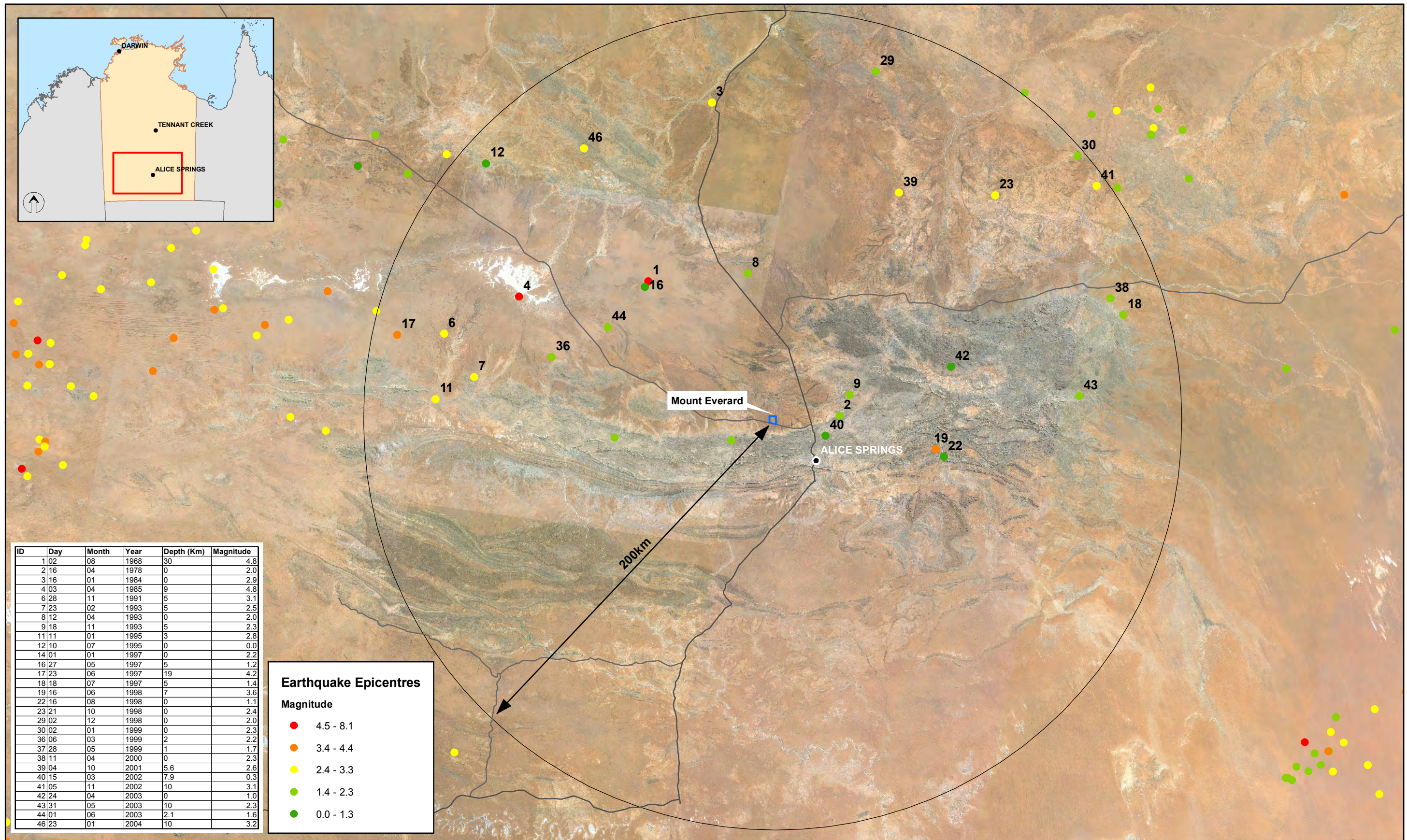
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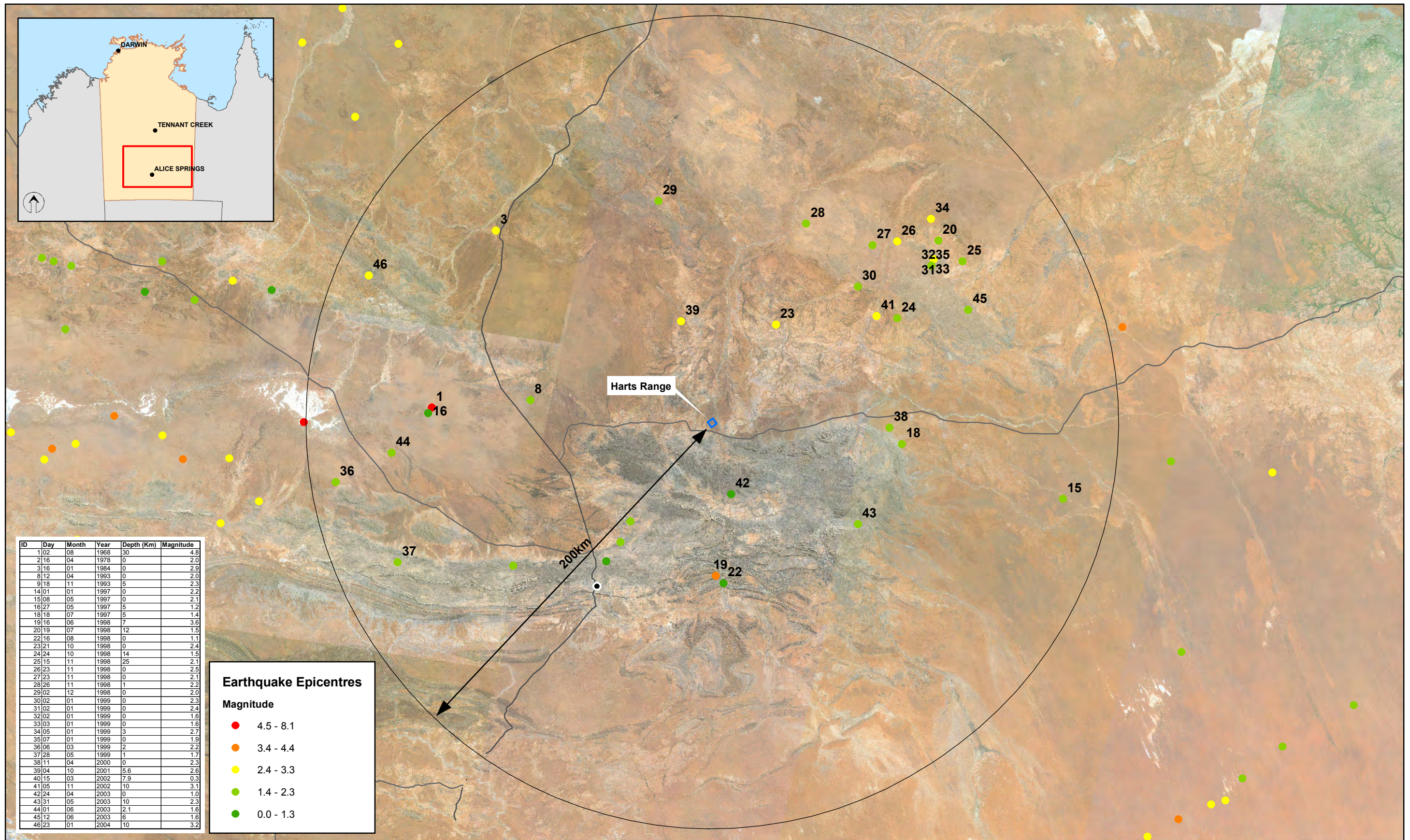
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Earthquake epicentres within Northern Territory  
**Figure G6.6**

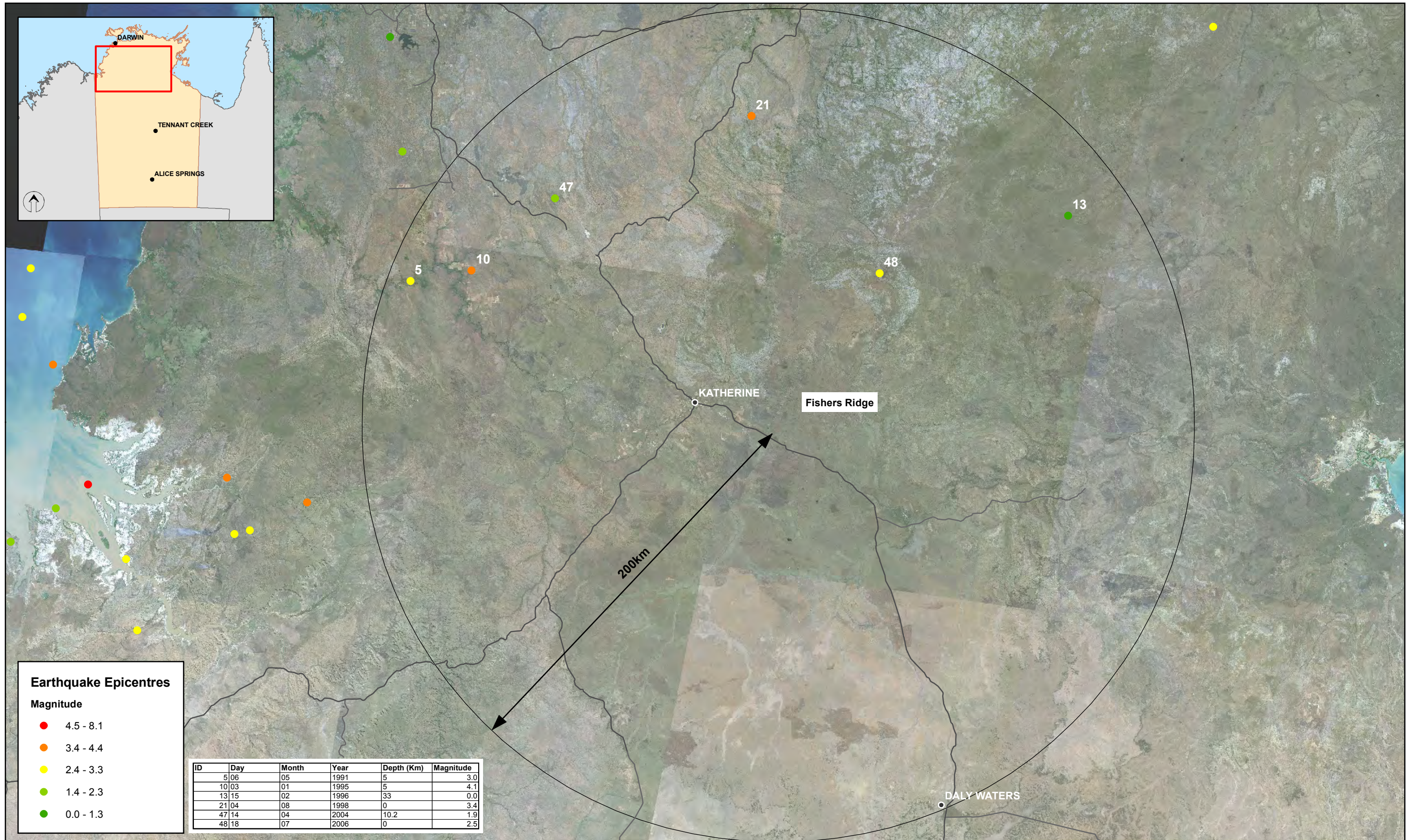












**Earthquake Epicentres**

**Magnitude**

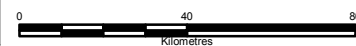
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5	06	05	1991	5	3.0
10	03	01	1995	5	4.1
13	15	02	1996	33	0.0
21	04	08	1998	0	3.4
47	14	04	2004	10.2	1.9
48	18	07	2006	0	2.5

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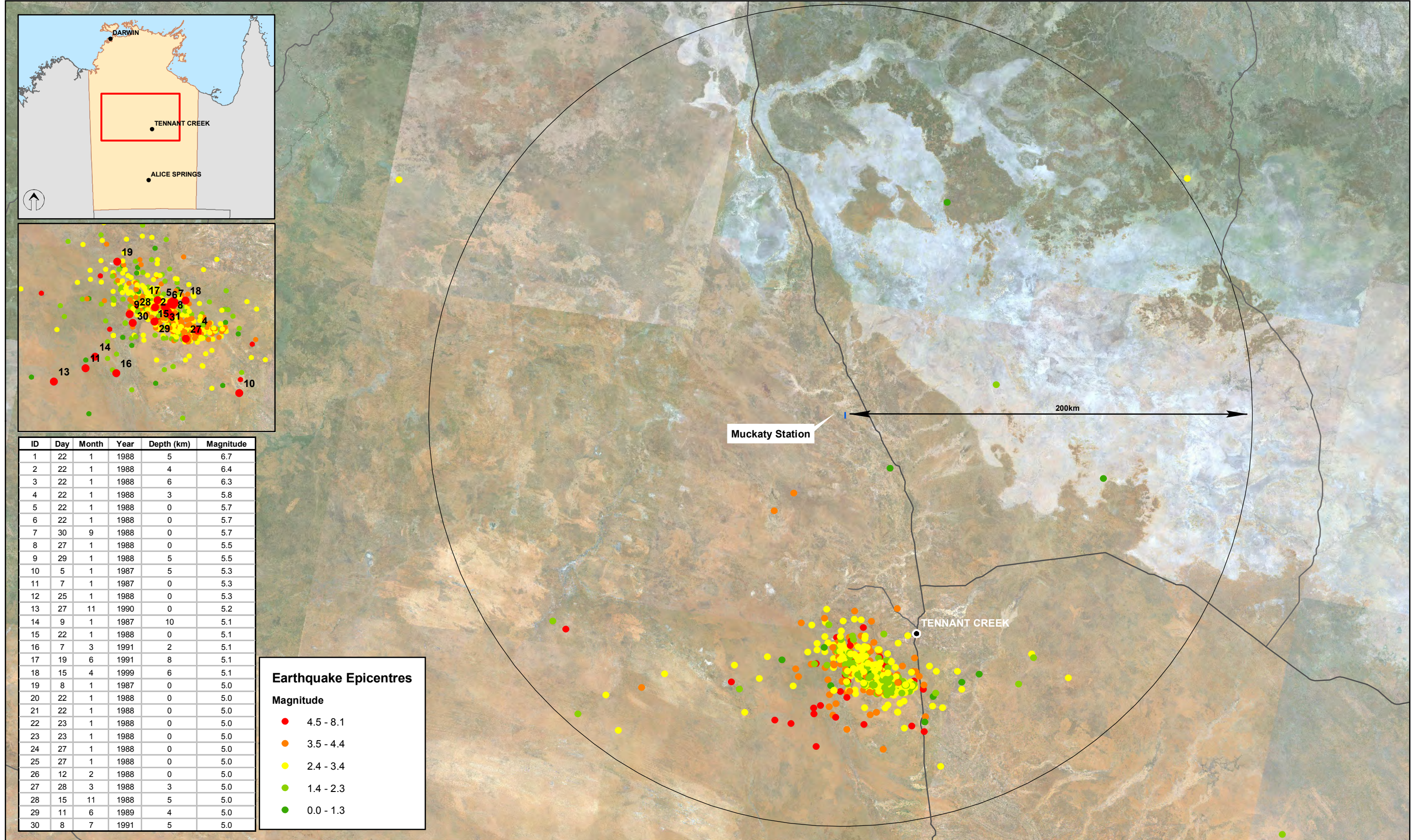
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Earthquake epicentres within 200km of Fishers Ridge  
**Figure G6.9**





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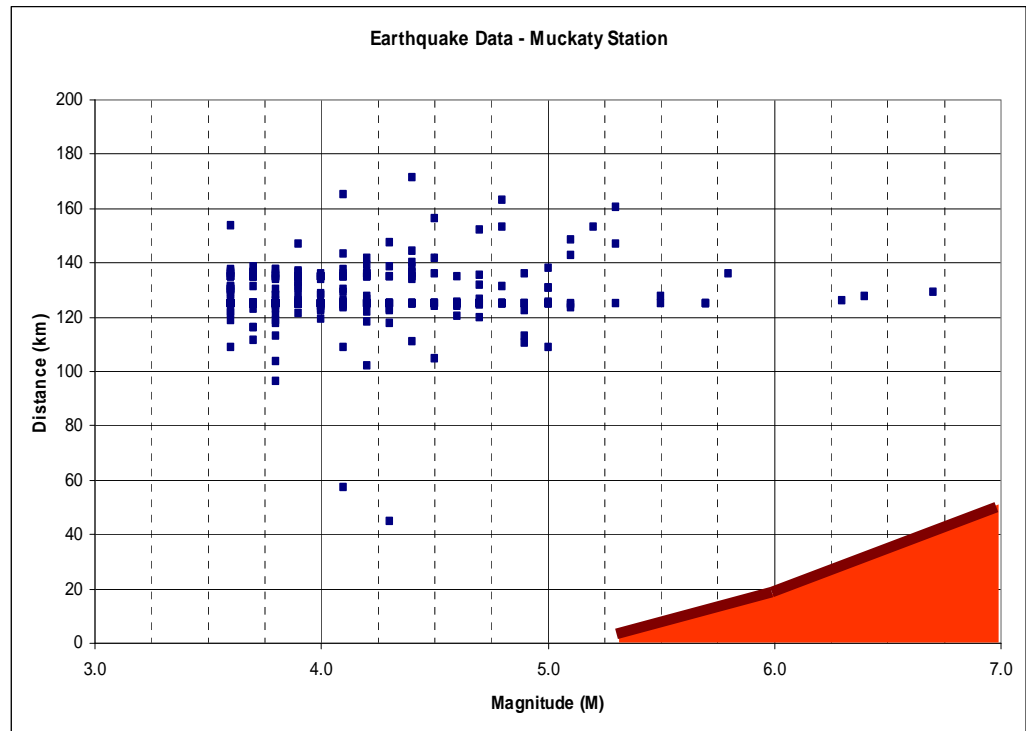
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Earthquake epicentres within 200km of Muckaty Station  
**Figure G6.10**



apparent that no recorded seismic events to date have caused greater than 0.10 g acceleration at Muckaty Station.

Given an Modified Mercalli Scale Intensity rating of *IV* (average peak ground acceleration 0.007–0.015 g), the likely effects from any earthquake located south-west of Tennant Creek on Muckaty Station may be limited to vibrations like a passing truck, hanging objects swaying, windows and doors rattling and crockery clashes (MM Scale 1956 Version, Hunt 2007).



**FIGURE G6.11**  
 Earthquake data within 200 km of Muckaty Station

### G6.3 Volcanic activity

There has been no recorded volcanic activity and geological maps report no potential volcanic sources in the vicinity of all four sites. However, persistent hydrothermal activity at Mataranka, approximately 50 km to the southeast of the Fishers Ridge site may indicate some ‘hot rock’ activity in the area associated with a deep plutonic heat source.





# G7. Subsurface conditions

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## G7.1 Mount Everard

### G7.1.1 Regional geology

Figure G7.1 presents the underlying geology of the Mount Everard area. The Alice Springs 1:250,000 Geological Series presents the site as underlain by a thick (up to 200 m) sequence of Quaternary and Tertiary sediments consisting of clay, silt, sand, gravel and conglomerates. The site is covered by a thin Quaternary layer of red clayey and sandy soil, red earth and oxidised clayey silty sand.

The underlying Tertiary rocks include siltstone, limestone, sandstones, pebbly sandstones with kaolinitic quartzose sandstone, siltstone and mudstones grading to poorly graded coarse grained conglomerate (Hale Formation) towards the base.

Mount Everard is located within the Amadeus Basin which covers an area of approximately 170,000 km<sup>2</sup> in the southern region of the Northern Territory. The Amadeus Basin is an intracontinental structural sedimentary basin, which forms part of what is known as the adjacent Centralian Superbasin which also includes the Officer, Ngalia and Georgina Basins.

The Amadeus Basin's sediments range from Neoproterozoic (>800 Ma) to Devonian (~350 Ma) and include dolostone, sandstone, limestone, quartzite, shale and evaporites deposited in a shallow marine environment. However, other sedimentary environments are also represented, including fluvial, glacial, barred basin, supratidal, shallow restricted carbonate shelves and open shallow to deep marine.

The basement geology of the area is complex, derived from the underlying and nearby metamorphic sequences which form the MacDonnell Ranges. To the immediate southwest is Mount Solitaire, composed of Charles River Gneiss. The metamorphics of the McDonnell Ranges are highly folded and deformed, with the main structural discontinuities steeply dipping to the north and associated with an anticline located to the south. Dykes, migmatites, pegmatitic seams and intense folding and faulting are common in the metamorphics. These metamorphics are likely to underlie the Tertiary sediments on the site.

## G7.1.2 Site geology

The geology of the site as determined by the investigation program is summarised in Table G7.1. The test pitting program encountered a thin veneer of red-brown Clayey Silty Sand (SM) covering the entire site which is considered to be of aeolian in origin.

**Table G7.1 Summary of Mount Everard geology profile**

Average depth (m)	Material description	Age/Formation
0 – 0.15	Clayey Silty Sand (SM), red-brown, dry, loose	<b>Quaternary</b>
0.15 – 0.5	Sandy Clay (CL/CI)/Clayey Sand (SC), red-brown, dry very stiff-hard	
0.5 – ~2.5	Sandy Gravelly Clay (CL/CI), purple-brown, dry very stiff-hard	
2.5 – 5	Calcrete, recovered as clayey Gravel and gravelly Clay, poorly to well cemented.	
5.0 – 49	Sandstone, fine to coarse grained with some pebbly zones and abundant fines throughout, extremely low to low strength with occasional moderate strength layers, generally highly weathered with extremely weathered zones, noticeable porosity in upper 30 m, variable fracture spacing averaging 100 mm – 300 mm. Indistinct bedding to massive, however noted fining upwards sequences in upper 30 m	<b>Tertiary</b> (Arltunga Beds grading towards Hale Formation at depth)
	Conglomerate, occasional beds (max 3.5 m – MEBH02), matrix supported, angular, max clast size 50 mm, polymictic, no orientation noted, clasts fractured and infilled	
49 – 53	Quartzite, coarse grained, extremely low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, fracture spacing 30 mm – 300 mm, massive	
53 – 62	Claystone, some fine to medium grained sand visible with some sandy layers throughout, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, massive, fracture spacing generally >1 m	
62 – 69.7	Interbedded Sandstone and Claystone. Sandstone fine to coarse grained, very thinly bedded, very low to moderate strength, highly to moderately weathered, fracture spacing 300 mm	

Underlying the surficial soils, all test pits, except test pit METP01, encountered very stiff to hard Sandy Clay (CL/CI)/Clayey Sand (SC), at depths ranging from 0.3 m to 0.8 m below existing surface levels.

Underlying this material, very stiff to hard Sandy Gravelly Clay (CI/CH) was encountered in all the test pits. A slight increase in sand content was noted in test pits METP06 and METP07. A distinct colour change was noted from red-brown to purple-brown with an increase in strength and occasional calcrete gravel inclusions with depth. Excavation rates generally decreased notably at approximately 2 m depth. Photographs from the test pits of the encountered soil profile at Mount Everard are presented in Appendix A.

Calcrete excavated as fine to coarse grained angular sandy gravel was encountered in test pits METP01, METP02 and METP08. All three test pits were terminated within the calcrete due to difficult excavation by the backhoe.

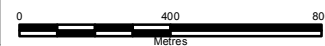




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Close correlation can be made between the five boreholes (MEBH01–MEBH05) drilled across the site. The cored boreholes MEBH01 and MEBH02 provided details on stratigraphy and the rock characteristics encountered, whilst boreholes MEBH03–MEBH05 provided confirmation of the consistency of the rock type over the remainder of the site.

In general, the calcrete extended to 5.0 m depth and overlies directly on a thick sequence of extremely to moderately weathered, extremely low to low strength Sandstone and Pebbly Sandstone with some Conglomerate beds grading below to extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to low strength Quartzite (Photographs G7.1 and G7.2). Very low to low strength Claystone underlies the Quartzite and grades into interbedded Claystone and Sandstone. These sediments are interpreted as being the Arltunga Beds.



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.1**  
**Typical soil profile of calcareous sandy gravel overlying weathered sandstone**



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.2**  
**Occasional Conglomerate beds encountered within the rock profile at Mount Everard**

Based on the boreholes logs from the earlier investigation conducted by Woodward-Clyde, it was expected to encounter basement rock similar to that of the nearby outcropping Gneiss (Charles River Gneiss, at Mount Solitaire). However, the deepest borehole extended to 69.7 m below existing surface and did not encounter any rock which was interpreted to be basement rock. The borehole was terminated at 69.7 m depth due to encountering claystone for over 15 m depth which would effectively provide an impermeable barrier to any infiltration from above.

Figure G7.2 provides a generalised geological cross section of the Mount Everard site. Table G7.1 summarises the soil and rock profile encountered at Mount Everard.

### G7.1.3 Mineralogy and petrology

Mineralogical and petrographic analysis of the upper sandstones/quartzitic rocks (5.0 m–49 m) determined a composition of up to 75% of unsorted angular quartz (dominant) with plagioclase and k-spar (trace/accessory), with muscovite/illite (15%) with minor kaolinite occurs as a weak clay cementing agent. Analysis of the underlying Claystone (53 m–62 m) reported crudely layered, pisolitic/nodular texture, predominantly composed of muscovite/illite (60%) with inter-particle carbonate (calcite, 25%). Minor, weakly layered, medium sand sized quartz grains occur throughout.



## G7.1.4 Groundwater

Groundwater was encountered in all of the Mount Everard boreholes and ranged in depth from 33.2 m to 35.0 m below ground level (mbgl). Table G7.2 summarises the groundwater information available from the boreholes on site.

**Table G7.2 Summary of recorded groundwater levels – Mount Everard**

Borehole No.	Date recorded		Recorded depth (mbgl)	
	Installation	Sampling	Installation	Sampling
MEBH01	24/7/06	16/10/2006	34.2	34.15
MEBH02	26/7/06	16/10/2006	33.2	33.17
MEBH03	25/8/06	16/10/2006	33.2	33.81
MEBH04	25/8/06	16/10/2006	-	34.46
MEBH05	27/8/06	16/10/2006	-	30.38
MEMW01	21/01/03	18/10/06	32.57	-
MEMW02	21/01/03	18/10/06	34.94	34.75
MEMW03	21/01/03	18/10/06	34.81	34.89
MEMW04	21/01/03	18/10/06	34.65	34.60

## G7.1.5 Permeability

Three Falling Head Tests (FHT) were performed adjacent to borehole MEBH01 at 1.0 m, 5.0 m and 10.0 m depth. The FHT tests results are summarised in Table G7.3 below.

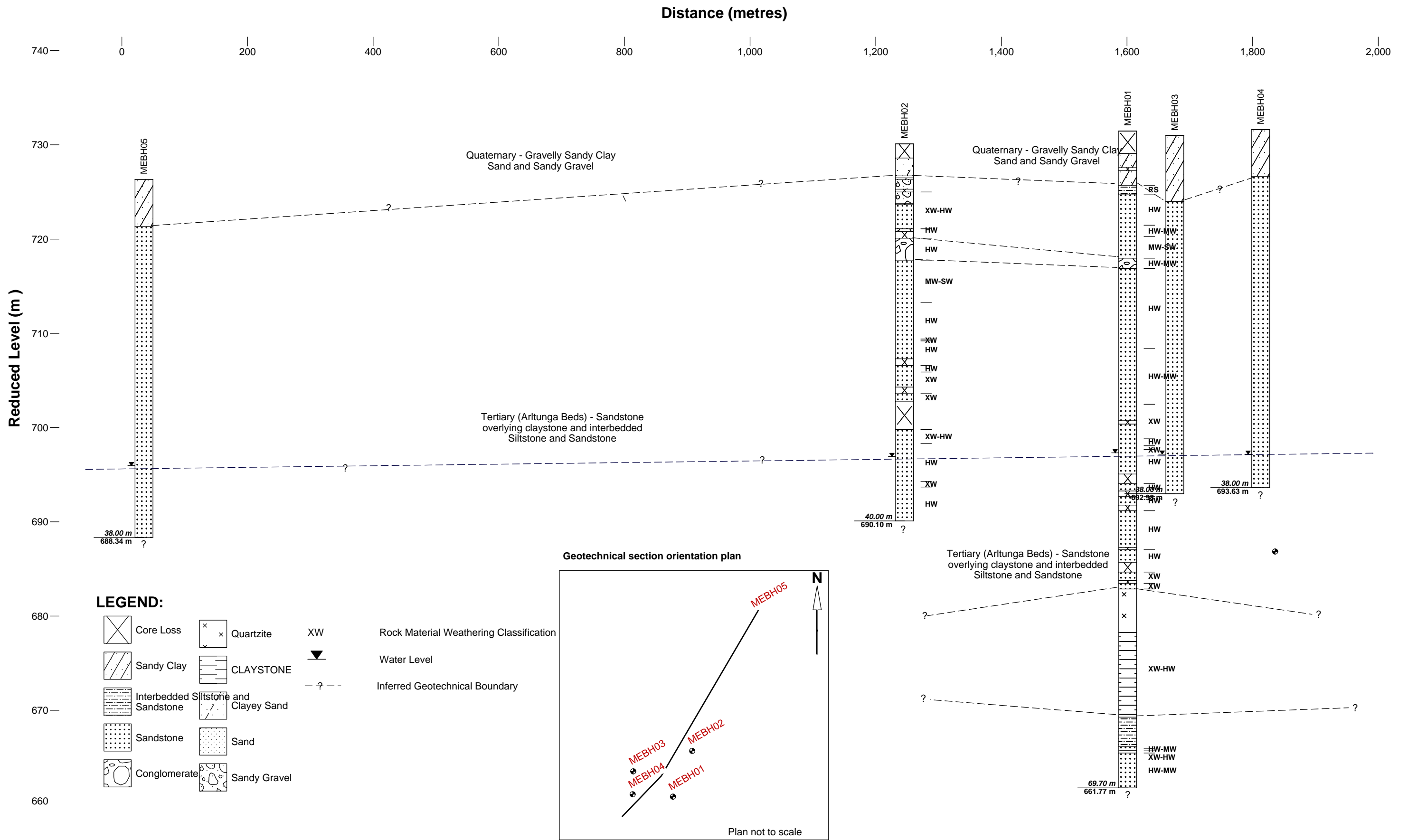
**Table G7.3 Summary of FHT results – Mount Everard**

Test location	Depth (m)	Permeability (k) (m/s)
MEBH01–1m	1.0	$7.5 \times 10^{-8}$
MEBH01–5m	5.0	$2.0 \times 10^{-7}$
MEBH01–10m	10.0	$1.5 \times 10^{-7}$

A falling head test was conducted by Woodward Clyde in borehole MEMW01 between 28.0 m and 49.0 m below surface levels (the total length of slotted section of installed standpipe). Initial groundwater level was at 32.85 m and after the addition of 100 L of water at the start of the test, the estimated permeability (k) was  $2.6 \times 10^{-7}$  m/s at 21.8 m depth.

The permeability of the underlying soils at Mount Everard may be classified as low to very low in accordance with Terzaghi & Peck (1967). Laboratory permeability testing on compacted clay samples recovered from METP01 reported  $K = 3.7 \times 10^{-10}$  m/s, which is classified as very low to practicably impermeable.



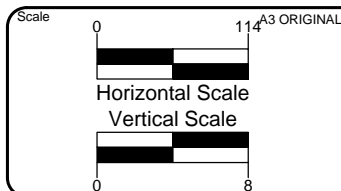


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## G7.2 Harts Range

### G7.2.1 Regional geology

Figure G7.3 presents the underlying geology of the Harts Range area. The Alcoota 1:250,000 Geological Series presents the site is underlain by Quaternary red earth clayey and sandy soils and aeolian sands with Quaternary/Recent alluvial sediments associated with watercourses to the west (Annamurra Creek) and east (Ongeva Creek).

The underlying Tertiary (Lower) deeply weathered (leached, mottled, ferruginised and in part kaolinitic and pisolitic) rocks include siltstone, sandstone and pebbly sandstone with minor conglomerate.

The basement geology of the area is complex, derived from the underlying and nearby metamorphic sequences which form the Harts Range Complex. These lower to middle Proterozoic aged rocks have a complicated structural and metamorphic history typical of the Arunta Block. The Harts Range Complex has been described as forming a cover-basement relationship with the Irindina Gneiss forming the lowest part of the sequence.

The Arunta Block is located to the north and northeast of the Amadeus Basin and is contained within the Centralian Superbasin. The relations between rock units in the Arunta Block (crystalline basement) are complex.

The Harts Range Complex rocks are thought to be a volcano-sedimentary suite deposited in a possible continental rift or failed rift of the basement about 1780 million years ago. Basic and ultrabasic volcanism and/or plutonism followed the initial rifting and sandstones, mudstones and some limestones were also deposited in the resultant basin. These sediments then underwent heating and deformation resulting from compression of the crust caused by the continuation of the Strangways event, ending at around 1730 million years ago. This later amphibolite facies metamorphism (involving folding and faulting) virtually destroyed the original characteristics of the rock except for the gross lithological variations which are now recognisable as compositional layering.

Other later orogenic events recorded elsewhere in the Arunta Block played a minor role in this area. The numerous crosscutting pegmatites are much younger and represent the conclusion of a tectonothermal phenomenon that occurred about 520 million years ago (Cambrian Period). The interaction of the pegmatites and the surrounding meta-sediments and meta-igneous rocks provides the right conditions for the formation of large, high-quality mineral specimens.

The Alice Springs Orogeny (Devonian to Carboniferous, 300–400 million years ago) is responsible for the latest major uplift which has brought these rocks sufficiently close to the surface for their ultimate exposure through erosion.

### G7.2.2 Site geology

The investigation program encountered a thin veneer (<0.3 m) of red-brown Clayey Silty Sand (SM) covering much of the site which is considered to be aeolian in origin.



Clayey Sand (SC) was encountered underlying the surface soils in all the test pits and in general extended to the limits of the test pit excavations. Observations made during the excavations indicate that the material encountered was generally medium dense to very dense with moisture contents ranging from damp to dry.

Medium dense Sandy Gravel (GP) was encountered in test pit HRTP06 at 2.4 m depth and appeared to be alluvial in origin, possibly associated with the nearby Ongeva Creek located to the east. The test pit partially collapsed below 2.4 m and was terminated at 2.8 m depth.

A layer of fine to coarse grained (gravel) angular rock fragments was encountered at 2.1 m depth in test pit HRTP07. This material was dense to very dense, easily excavated and remained stable throughout the excavation.

Calcrete/silcrete material was encountered at 1.6 m depth in test pit HRTP08. This material was excavated as very dense fine to coarse grained angular gravel with the excavation ending in refusal at 1.7 m depth. Photographs from the test pits of the encountered soil profile at Harts Range are presented in Appendix A.

Close correlation can be made between the five boreholes (HRBH01–HRBH05) drilled across the site. The cored boreholes HRBH01 and HRBH02 provide the most detail on the rock characteristics encountered, with boreholes HRBH03–HRBH05 providing confirmation of the consistency of the rock type.

In general, the rock within the site consists of a thick sequence of extremely to moderately weathered, extremely low to low strength Sandstone and Pebbly Sandstone with some Conglomerate beds overlying extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to low strength interbedded Siltstones and Sandstones. Some black veining, interpreted to be of possible carbonaceous in composition, was encountered within the weathered Sandstone at 25.5 m depth (Photograph G7.3).



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.3**  
**Black veining (carbonaceous)**  
**encountered within the weathered**  
**Sandstone and occurred throughout the**  
**profile at Harts Range, beginning at**  
**approximately 25.5 m depth**

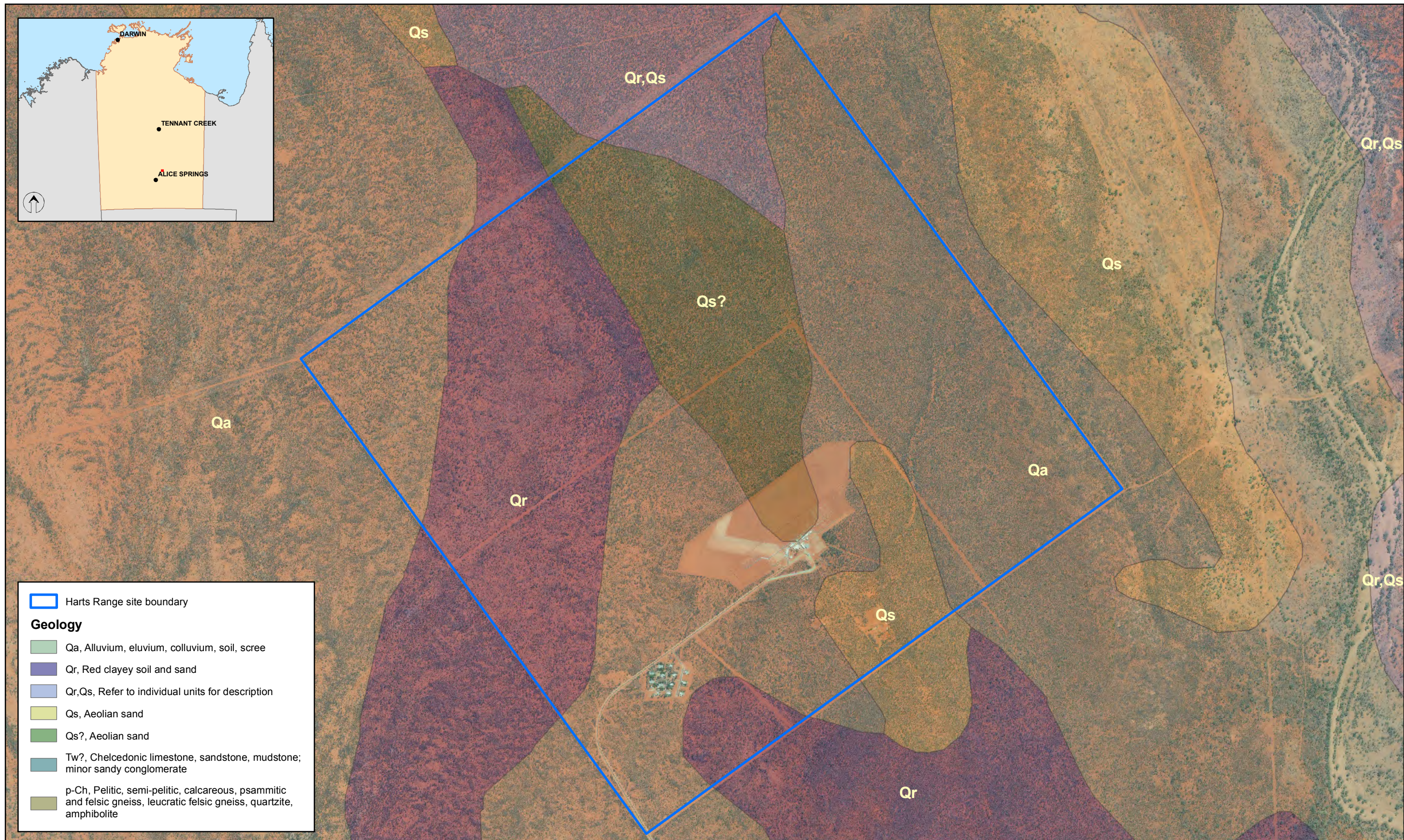
Based on the previous studies basement rock was expected to be encountered above 100 m depth.

However, borehole HRBH01 was terminated at 100 m within interbedded highly weathered, clay rich Siltstones and Sandstones. Outcrops of Gneiss were noted within approximately 1.5 km to the south of HRBH01 (Photographs G7.4 – G7.7).

Figure G7.4 provides a generalised geological cross section of the Harts Range site.

Table G7.4 summarises the soil and rock profile encountered at Harts Range.





Harts Range site boundary

**Geology**

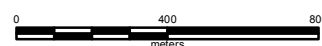
- Qa, Alluvium, eluvium, colluvium, soil, scree
- Qr, Red clayey soil and sand
- Qr,Qs, Refer to individual units for description
- Qs, Aeolian sand
- Qs?, Aeolian sand
- Tw?, Chelcedonic limestone, sandstone, mudstone; minor sandy conglomerate
- p-Ch, Pelitic, semi-pelitic, calcareous, psammitic and felsic gneiss, leucocratic felsic gneiss, quartzite, amphibolite

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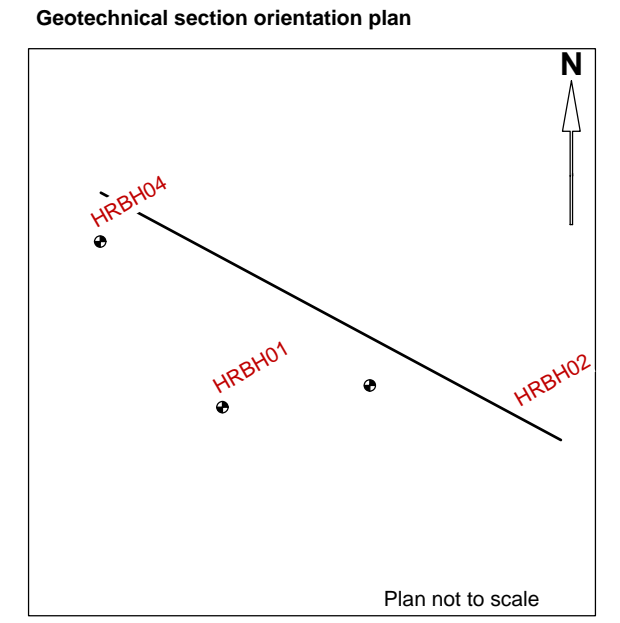
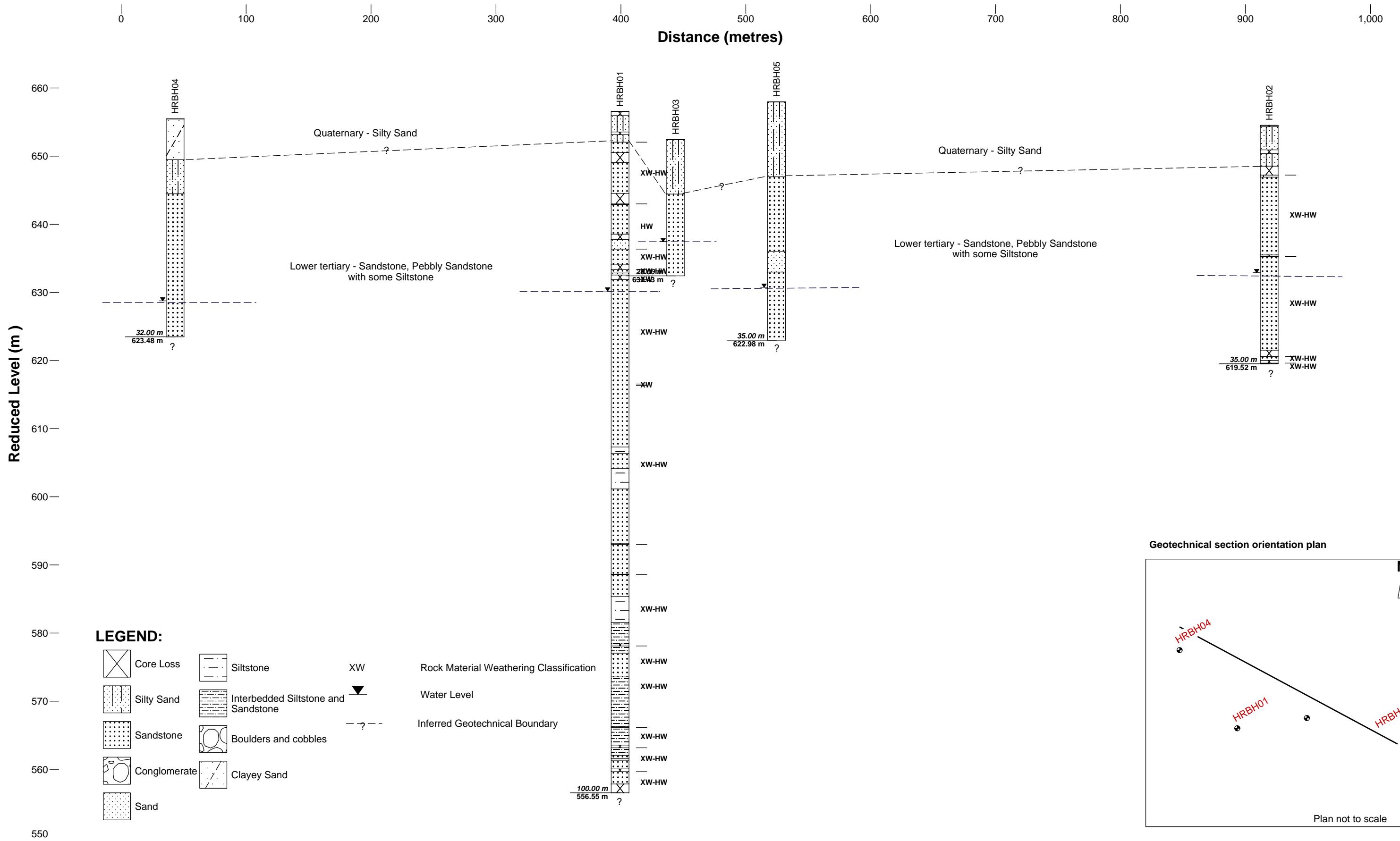
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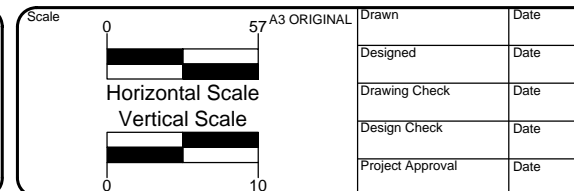
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**PHOTOGRAPH G7.4**  
Outcropping Gneiss approximately 1 km to south of Harts Range site



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.5**  
Large quartz vein exposed within Gneiss outcrop south of Harts Range. Vein had a maximum width of 3 m



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.6**  
Numerous smaller quartz veins were noted throughout the outcrop at Harts Range



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.7**  
Foliations noted throughout outcrop at Harts Range

### G7.2.3 Mineralogy and petrology

Mineralogical and petrographic analysis of the sandstone determined the mineralogy is dominated by angular to rounded quartz with abundant plagioclase, k-spar and detrital micas. Cementing in upper sequence is predominantly muscovite/illite with an increase in kaolinite cement with depth. Quartz content also decreases with depth. Various heavy mineral species were noted in the upper 10 m sequence to unknown depth.



**Table G7.4 Summary of Harts Range geology profile**

Average depth (m)	Material description	Age/Formation
0 – 0.25	Clayey Silty Sand (SM)/Sand (SW), red-brown, dry, loose (HRTP02, HRTP03, HRTP04, HRTP06, HRTP07)	Quaternary
0.25 – 3.0	Clayey Sand (SC), red-brown, generally dry, medium dense to very dense	
3.0 – 7.0	Clayey Sand, Sand with some Calcrete and alluvial deposits (as encountered in test pits)	
7.0 – 20	Pebbly Sandstone (HRBH01), fine to coarse grained with variable composition and grain size throughout, extremely low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, defect spacing generally 1000 mm with some core loss and occasional highly fractured sections, maximum particle size 50 mm, massive, clast supported in upper portion, clasts include quartz, gneiss, sandstone  Minor Conglomerate, fine to coarse grained, maximum particle size 30 mm, angular to sub-rounded clasts, matrix supported, massive.	Lower Tertiary
20 – 49	Sandstone, fine to coarse grained with some pebbly zones and abundant fines throughout, extremely low to low strength, generally highly weathered with extremely weathered zones, variable fracture spacing averaging 300 mm – 1000 mm. Indistinct bedding to massive, black veining throughout (organic)	
49 – 55	Siltstone, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, fracture spacing generally 1000 mm.  Interbedded with Sandstone (as above)	
55 – 71	Sandstone, fine to coarse grained with some pebbly zones and abundant fines throughout, extremely low to low strength, generally highly weathered with extremely weathered zones, variable fracture spacing averaging 300 mm – 1000 mm. Indistinct bedding to massive, black veining throughout (organic)	
71 – 100	Interbedded Sandstone and Siltstone, extremely low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, fracture spacing generally 300 mm-1000 mm	

## G7.2.4 Groundwater

Table G7.5 below lists the recorded groundwater levels at Harts Range during installation of the groundwater monitoring wells and during the groundwater sampling program carried out approximately eight weeks after installation. The groundwater levels ranged from approx 15 m to 28 m below ground level.

## G7.2.5 Permeability

Three FHT's were performed adjacent to borehole HRBH01 at 1.0 m, 5.0 m and 10.0 m depths. The tests results are summarised in Table G7.6 below.



**Table G7.5 Recorded groundwater levels – Harts Range**

Borehole No.	Date recorded		Recorded depth (mbgl)	
	Installation	Sampling	Installation	Sampling
HRBH01	16/8/06	20/10/06	23.5	26.38
HRBH02	17/8/06	19/10/06	21.4	21.69
HRBH03	20/8/06	19/10/06	14.9	14.98
HRBH04	19/8/06	19/10/06	26.3	27.1
HRBH05	21/8/06	20/10/06	22.5	27.03
HRMW4R	-	21/10/06	-	28.045
HRMW5R	-	21/10/06	-	27.105

**Table G7.6 Summary of FHT results – Harts Range**

Test location	Depth (m)	Permeability (k) (m/s)
HRBH01-1 m	1.0	$6.8 \times 10^{-7}$
HRBH01-5 m	5.0	$3.2 \times 10^{-7}$
HRBH01-10 m	10.0	$1.1 \times 10^{-7}$

A falling head test was conducted by Woodward Clyde in borehole HRMW01 between 20.0 m and 56.0 m below surface level (the total length of slotted section of installed standpipe). Initial groundwater level was at 19.35 m and rose to 19.65 m after the addition of 100 L of water at the start of the test, the estimated permeability (k) was  $2.65 \times 10^{-7}$  m/s.

The permeability of the underlying soils at Harts Range may be classified as low in accordance with Terzaghi & Peck (1967). Laboratory permeability test results of  $k=6.2 \times 10^{-10}$  m/s on clayey sand samples from HRTP01 is classified as very low to practicably impermeable.

## G7.3 Fishers Ridge

### G7.3.1 Regional geology

Figure G7.5 presents the underlying geology of the Fishers Ridge area. The Katherine 1:250,000 geological map presents the site is underlain by Quaternary to Neogene laterite and ferricrete mantel. Underlying this mantel are Cretaceous sandstone, siltstone and claystones with minor pebble conglomerates of fluvial, lacustrine and marine origins.

The Daly River Group underlies the site and consists of Ordovician to Cambrian fossiliferous dolomitic sandstone and dolostone of the Ooloo Dolostone and maroon to green siliclastic siltstone, dolomitic sandstone and siltstone interbeds, ooid dolograinstone dolomicrostone, dolomicrosparstone and dolomitic quartz sandstone, which are understood to originate from low to moderate energy peritidal and tidal flat environments.



The basal unit of the Daly River Group is the Tindall Limestone and consists of grey massive, bioclastic, mottled cryptomicrobial, onkoid and minor fenestral limestone with minor grey mudstone and maroon siltstone.

The Daly Basin is a result of extensive marine transgression across the central and northern Australian craton, beginning in the early Middle Cambrian. Initially peritidal siltstone was succeeded by dominantly open shelf marine conditions and accumulations of fossiliferous limestone (Tindall Limestone). Deposition of low energy, fine dolomitic-siliciclastic sediments (Jinduckin Formation) followed on peritidal flats during at least the latest Cambrian and earliest Ordovician. The succeeding Early Ordovician Ooloo Dolostone marks a more offshore ooid shoal facies.

Regional sedimentation then ceased until the Early Cretaceous, when pre-existing rock were mantled by a thin veneer of shallow marine to continental sands and silts during periods of sea level highstands. Paleogene, Neogene and Quaternary activity has been limited to processes of erosion, floodplain deposition and regolith, colluvium and local laterite development.

### G7.3.2 Site geology

The investigation program encountered a thin veneer of Silty Sand (SM) overlying fine to coarse grained, grey brown to light brown Silty Gravelly Sand (SP) and Silty Sandy Gravel (GP). From observations made during excavation this material is recorded to be medium dense to very dense in consistency and dry at the time of the investigation.

All of the Fishers Ridge test pits encountered very dense, dry laterite, which was excavated as mottled red brown to brown, dry, very dense sandy gravel with variable amounts of low plasticity fines. All of the test pits refused within the laterite profile. Photographs from the test pits of the encountered soil profile at Fishers Ridge are presented in Appendix A.

Drilling investigations determined the laterite was up to 4 m deep and overlies extremely low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered siltstone to approximately 17 m depth. Interbedded siltstone and sandstone sequences underlies the siltstone which grade below into extremely low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered sandstone. This profile was encountered in boreholes FRBH02–FRBH05.

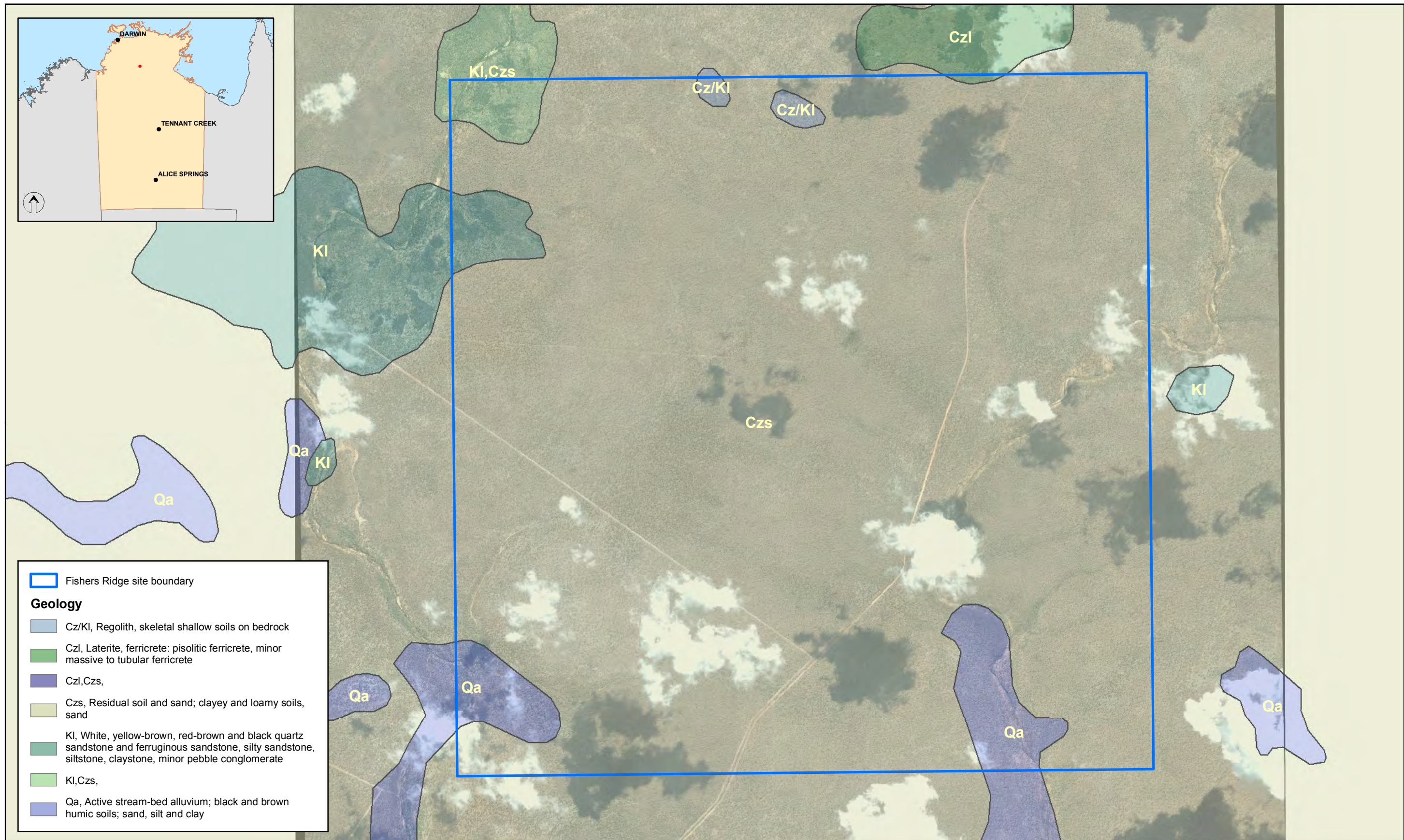
The encountered profile in FRBH01 differed slightly with approximately 4.5 m of laterite overlying a hard clay layer to a depth of 6.5 m. Sandstone, with minor Conglomerate (Photograph G7.8) was then encountered and extended to about 68 m depth where the sequence changes to Siltstone. Limestone of high to very high strength, interpreted as Tindall Limestone, was encountered at 77 m depth which exhibited in-filled solution cavities. Due to the hard, fractured nature of the limestone which was overlain by low strength sediments, recovery of rock core was extremely difficult and drilling was terminated at 80.6 m.

Outcrops of Laterite were noted approximately 1 km to the west of FRBH05 and along both the King River and Roper Creek (Photograph G7.9). No outcrops or exposures of Sandstone, Siltstone or Limestone were noted within the site boundaries.

Figure G7.6 presents a generalised geological cross section of the Fishers Ridge site.

Table G7.7 summarises the soil profile encountered during the test pitting program.





Fishers Ridge site boundary

**Geology**

- Cz/KI, Regolith, skeletal shallow soils on bedrock
- Czl, Laterite, ferricrete: pisolitic ferricrete, minor massive to tubular ferricrete
- Czl,Czs,
- Czs, Residual soil and sand; clayey and loamy soils, sand
- KI, White, yellow-brown, red-brown and black quartz sandstone and ferruginous sandstone, silty sandstone, siltstone, claystone, minor pebble conglomerate
- KI,Czs,
- Qa, Active stream-bed alluvium; black and brown humic soils; sand, silt and clay

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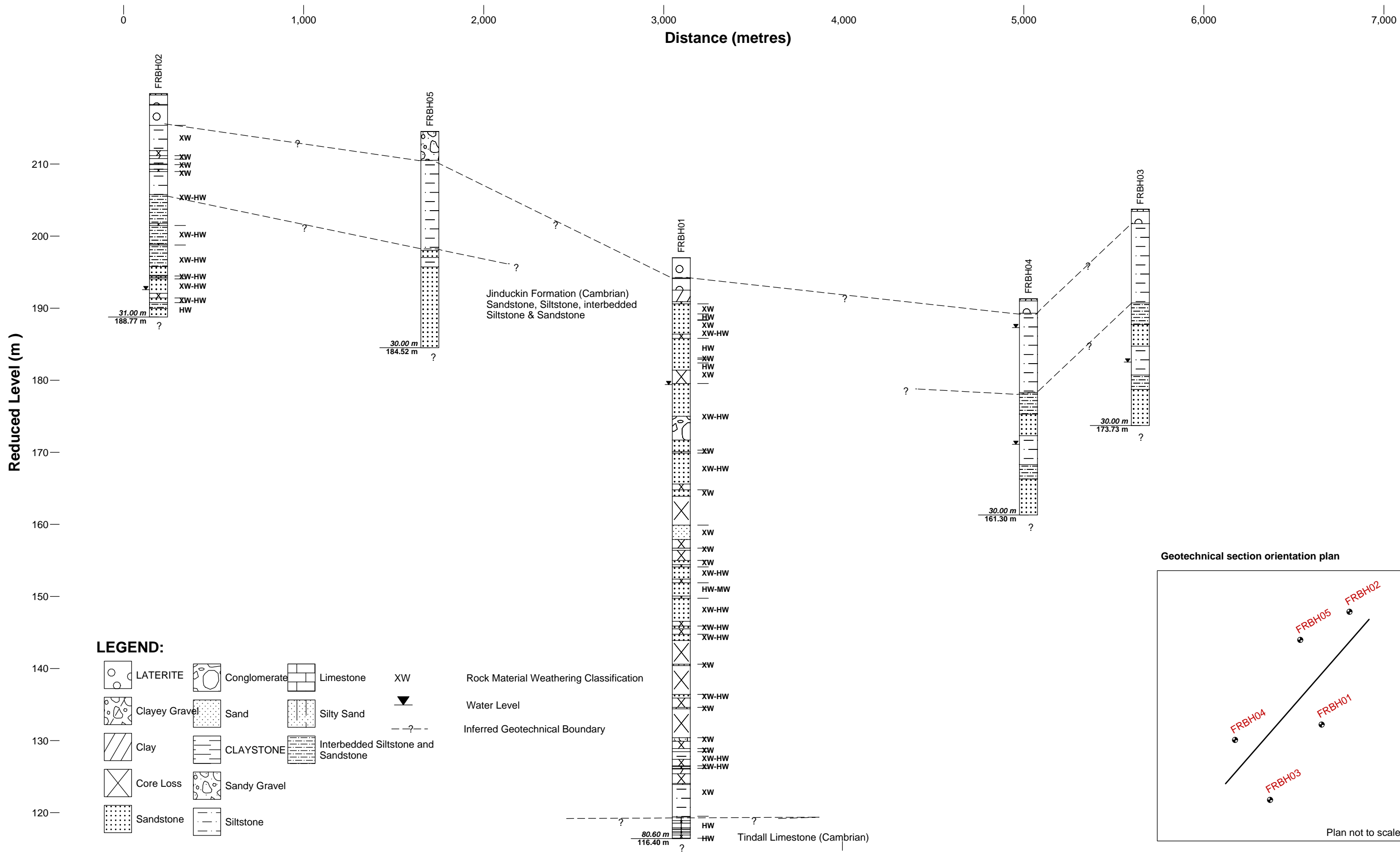
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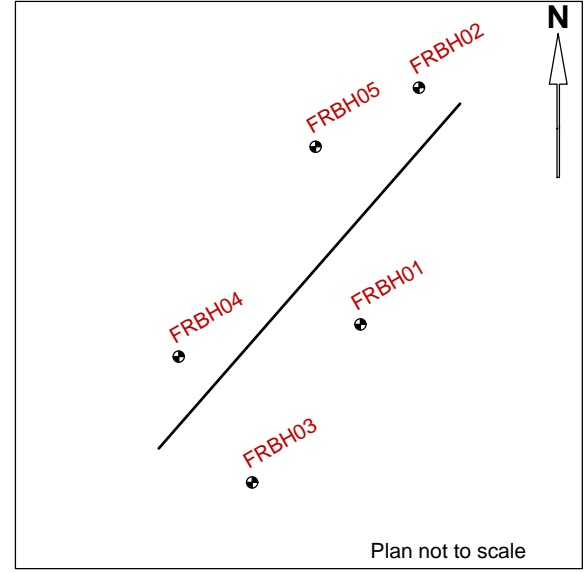




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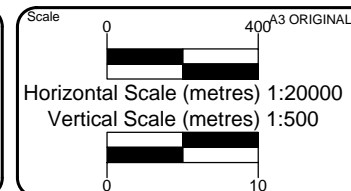
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|  | Clayey Gravel |  | Sand         |  | Silty Sand                          |  | Water Level                             |
|  | Clay          |  | CLAYSTONE    |  | Interbedded Siltstone and Sandstone |  | Inferred Geotechnical Boundary          |
|  | Core Loss     |  | Sandy Gravel |  |                                     |  |   |
|  | Sandstone     |  | Siltstone    |  |                                     |  |   |

**Geotechnical section orientation plan**



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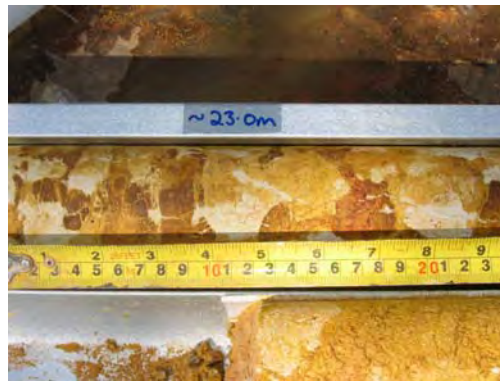
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**PHOTOGRAPH G7.8**  
Minor Conglomerate, with brecciated and in-filled clasts, within Sandstone sequences in FRBH01, Fishers Ridge



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.9**  
Laterite caprock at Fishers Ridge

**Table G7.7 Summary of Fishers Ridge geology profile**

Average depth (m)	Soil profile	Age/Formation
0.0 – 0.1	Silty Sand (SM), fine to medium grained, loose, dry	Quaternary
0.1 – 0.55	Silty Sandy Gravel (GP), Silty Gravelly Sand (SP), fine to coarse grained, medium dense to very dense, dry (FRTP01, FRTP02, FRTP05, FRTP06, FRTP07)	
0.55 – 1.6	Laterite, massive, moderate to high strength, excavated as sandy gravel, fine to coarse grained, very dense, dry.	
1.6 – 4.5	Silty Sand (SM), Silty Sandy Gravel (GP), Silty Gravelly Sand (SP) and Laterite. Generally medium dense to very dense, dry (as encountered in test pits)	
4.5 – 68 (FRBH01 only)	Sandstone, very fine to coarse grained, extremely low to low strength, extremely to high weathered. Occasional Claystone and Conglomerate beds.	Cretaceous
4.5 – 18 (FRBH02)	Siltstone, light grey – maroon, extremely low to low strength with occasional harder layers, extremely to highly weathered, generally highly fractured/brecciated and infilled. Occasional fine fine to medium grained sandstone layers. Abundant angular siltstone fragments in very fine grained matrix in places (FRBH02-FRBH05)	Ordovician (Ooloo Dolostone)  Over Cambrian (Jinduckin Formation)
	Sandstone, fine to coarse grained, angular to sub angular grains, extremely to highly weathered, massive, occasional Claystone and Conglomerate layers (matrix supported, momomictic, max clast size 20mm) (FRBH01)	
18 – 25	Interbedded Siltstone and Sandstone, extremely low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered	
25 – 68	Sandstone, fine to coarse grained (FRBH02-FRBH05), very fine to fine grained (FRBH01- gradually increasing grainsize to fine to coarse grained at ~32 m), mottled light brown, orange brown, grey, angular to sub angular grains, extremely low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, recovered as sandy clay in places. Faint horizontal bedding planes noted at 33 m. significant core loss between 31 m – 42 m and 53 m – 68 m.  Conglomerate, medium to coarse grained, max particle size 30 mm, polymictic, no orientation noted, matrix supported, extremely low strength	



depth (m)		Age/Formation
68 – 77	Siltstone, maroon with orange brown mottling, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, generally recovered as clayey silt/silty clay, occasional bands of fine to coarse grained angular gravel	
77 – >80.6	Limestone, very fine to fine grained, orange brown to grey with some black veining, high to very high strength, highly weathered, massive, crystalline texture, siliclastic, abundant solution cavities infilled with calcite and quartz, some Fe staining, highly fractures throughout	<b>Cambrian (Tindall Limestone)</b>

### G7.3.3 Mineralogy and petrology

Mineralogical and petrographic analysis of the sandstones from borehole FRBH01 reports the mineralogy to be dominated by fine grained, sub rounded to rounded Quartz and Kaolinitic cement. Samples analysed from borehole FRBH02 report the mineralogy is dominated by Kaolinite with sub-dominant/co-dominant Quartz. Although mineralogy is similar in both boreholes grain sizes vary significantly with the coarser grained Quartz rich Sandstone in borehole FRBH01 absent from the sequence encountered in borehole FRBH02.

### G7.3.4 Groundwater

Table G7.8 below lists the recorded groundwater levels at Fishers Ridge during installation of the groundwater monitoring wells. No other groundwater information was available for the site at the time of the investigation.

**Table G7.8 Recorded groundwater levels – Fishers Ridge**

Borehole No.	Date recorded		Recorded depth (mbgl)	
	Installation	Sampling	Installation	Sampling
FRBH01	6/8/06	25/10/06	17.6	24.86
FRBH02	8/8/06	25/10/06	27.2	Nil
FRBH02a	9/8/06	25/10/06	Nil	Nil
FRBH03	10/8/06	25/10/06	27.2	6.5
FRBH03a	10/8/06	25/10/06	Nil	Nil
FRBH04	10/8/06	25/10/06	18.2	6.77
FRBH04a	10/8/06	25/10/06	4.0	Nil
FRBH05	9/8/06	25/10/06	Nil	Nil
FRBH05a	9/8/06	25/10/06	Nil	Nil

Although no groundwater was encountered in FRBH05 and FRBH05a, on completion of the drilling substantial amount of warm air was being expelled from the 30 m deep FRBH05 borehole. During the groundwater sampling program, some eleven weeks after the well installation, it was noted that air was still being expelled from the dry



monitoring well. The source and mechanism for the air expulsion from the boreholes has not been investigated.

### G7.3.5 Permeability

Three FHT were performed adjacent to borehole FRBH01 at 1.0 m, 5.0 m and 10.0 m depths. The tests results are summarised in Table G7.9 below.

**Table G7.9 Summary of FHT results – Fishers Ridge**

Test location	Depth (m)	Permeability (k) (m/s)
FRBH01-1 m	1.0	$3.5 \times 10^{-7}$
FRBH01-5 m	5.0	$9.8 \times 10^{-10}$
FRBH01-10 m	10.0	Not determined*
FRTTP01	0.6-1.0	$1.5 \times 10^{-8}$ (re-moulded)

\* water level fell less than 100mm in approximately 14 hours

The permeability of the underlying soils at Fishers Ridge may be classified as low to very low in accordance with Terzaghi & Peck (1967). Laboratory permeability test results on gravelly clayey sands from Fishers Ridge recorded  $k=1.5 \times 10^{-8}$ , classified as low to very low.

## G7.4 Muckaty Station

### G7.4.1 Regional geology

Figure G7.7 shows the underlying regional geology of the Muckaty Station site, which comprises mainly of fine to very coarse grained Lower Proterozoic Quartz Sandstone and Pebbly Sandstone with interbedded Claystone and Siltstone of the Tomkinson Group. Around the Muckaty Station homestead is the Cambrian Helen Springs Volcanics.

Much of the west part of the sheet consists of a surface covering of Quaternary aeolian sand and silty sand with some minor outcrops of Laterite.

The Tomkinson Group consists of thick siliciclastic units that alternate with six mixed siliciclastic-carbonate intervals. This Group is a succession of shallow marine and continental sedimentary rocks, which the Hayward Creek Formation is the lower part of the sequence.

The Hayward Creek Formation is described as a thinly to very thickly bedded medium to very coarse sandstone and pebbly sandstone with minor pebble to cobble conglomerate (clasts of white vein quartz and white to pinkish cream quartz arenite), minor thinly bedded fine to medium sandstone, siltstone, mudstone and intraformational conglomerates, and basaltic lava. The depositional environment is fluvial to shallow marine, intertidal with periodic subaerial exposures.



Surface exposures of the Helen Springs Volcanics basaltic lava or flood basalt is limited but airborne magnetic imagery (TMI – Total Magnetic Intensity and Magnetic Depth, Figures G7.8 and G7.9) suggest the basalt may extend under the north-eastern corner of the nominated site and below the alluvial and aeolian sand plains which were targeted by several boreholes.

## G7.4.2 Site geology

Two distinct subsurface provinces have been identified within the nominated site. Province 1 predominantly consists of a sand valley with sandy soils and some laterite surrounded by low rocky ridges while Province 2 is a sand plain with slightly deeper sands occurring on the north-eastern corner of the nominated site (Figure G7.10). Both these provinces encountered up to five to six metres of Sand (SP) and silty Sand (SM) overlying bedrock material. The remainder of the site is covered by low rocky outcrops of the Hayward Creek Formation fine to coarse sandstones to conglomerates.

The regional investigation site, consisted of weathered and fractured Hayward Creek Formation sandstones and quartzite rock from the surface.

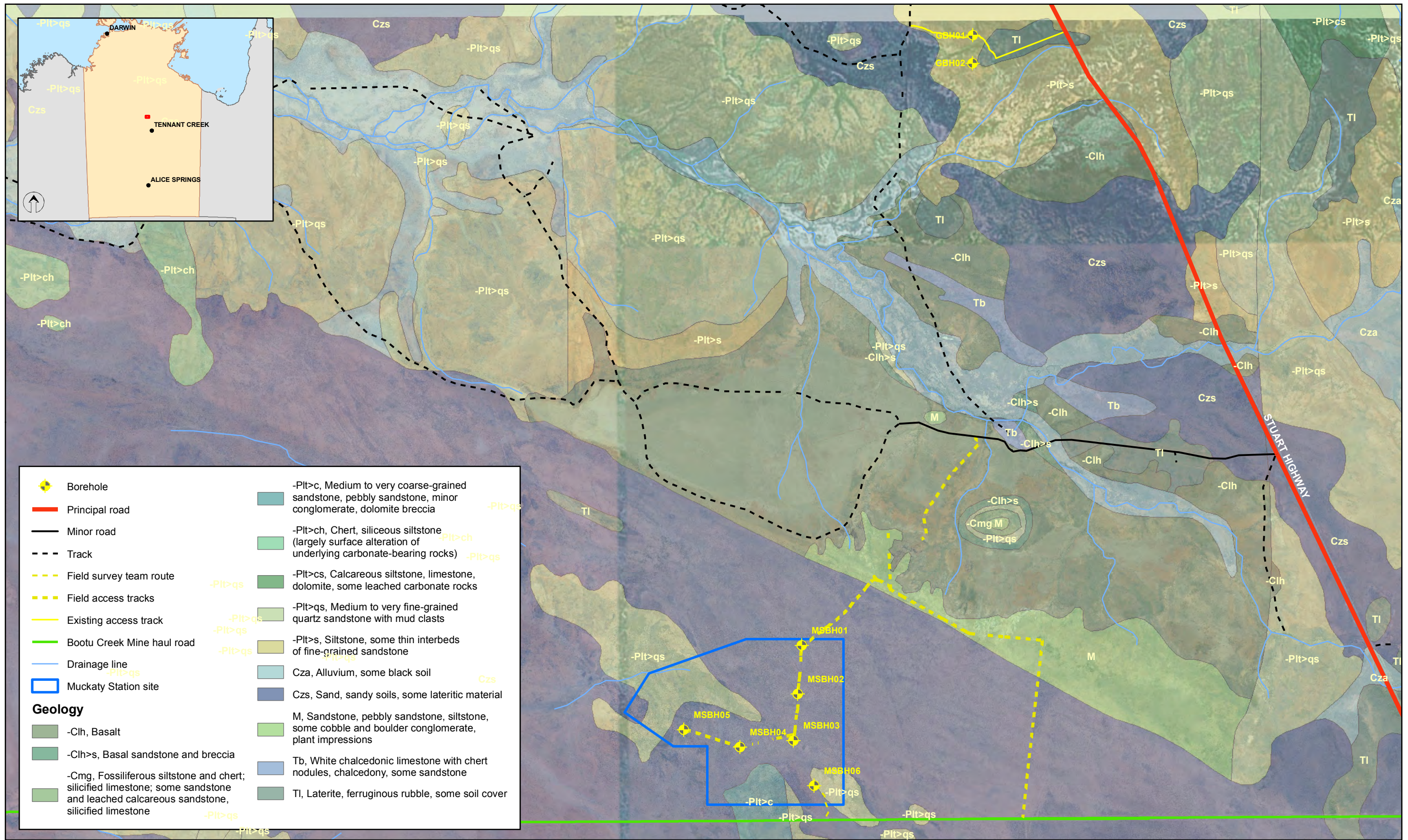
Photographs from the test pits of the encountered soil profiles at Muckaty Station are presented in Appendix A.

A summary of the subsurface profile encountered at Muckaty Station is presented in Table G7.10.

**Table G7.10 Muckaty Station Subsurface Profile (Province 1 and 2)**

Average depth (m)	Province	Soil profile	Formation/Age	
0.0 – 5m	1 / 2	Sand (SP), Silty Sand (SM), fine to medium grained, loose to dense, dry. Laterite, fine to very coarse, sub rounded to angular.		Quaternary
5 – 11m (MSBH01)	2	Siltstone/Sandstone, light grey to white, fine grained, claystone, white, highly to extremely weathered.	Gum Ridge Formation?	Cambrian
5 - >35m (MSBH01 & MSBH02)	2	Basalt, white to grey-green (some purple bands) low to very high strength, highly weathered to fresh, variable fracture spacing but becoming more intact below ~20m. abundant Augite throughout.	Helen Springs Volcanics	Cambrian
5 - >48m (MSBH03 & MSBH06)	1	Pebbly Sandstone, fine to very coarse grained, sub angular to rounded, quartz rich, highly to slightly weathered, low to high strength.	Hayward Formation	Lower Proterozoic
	1	Sandstone, fine to coarse grained, angular to sub angular grains, extremely to highly weathered		
5 - >48m (MSBH04 & MSBH05)	1	Predominantly Siltstone, extremely to highly weathered, very low to medium strength, with some interbedded mudstone and sandstone		



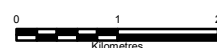


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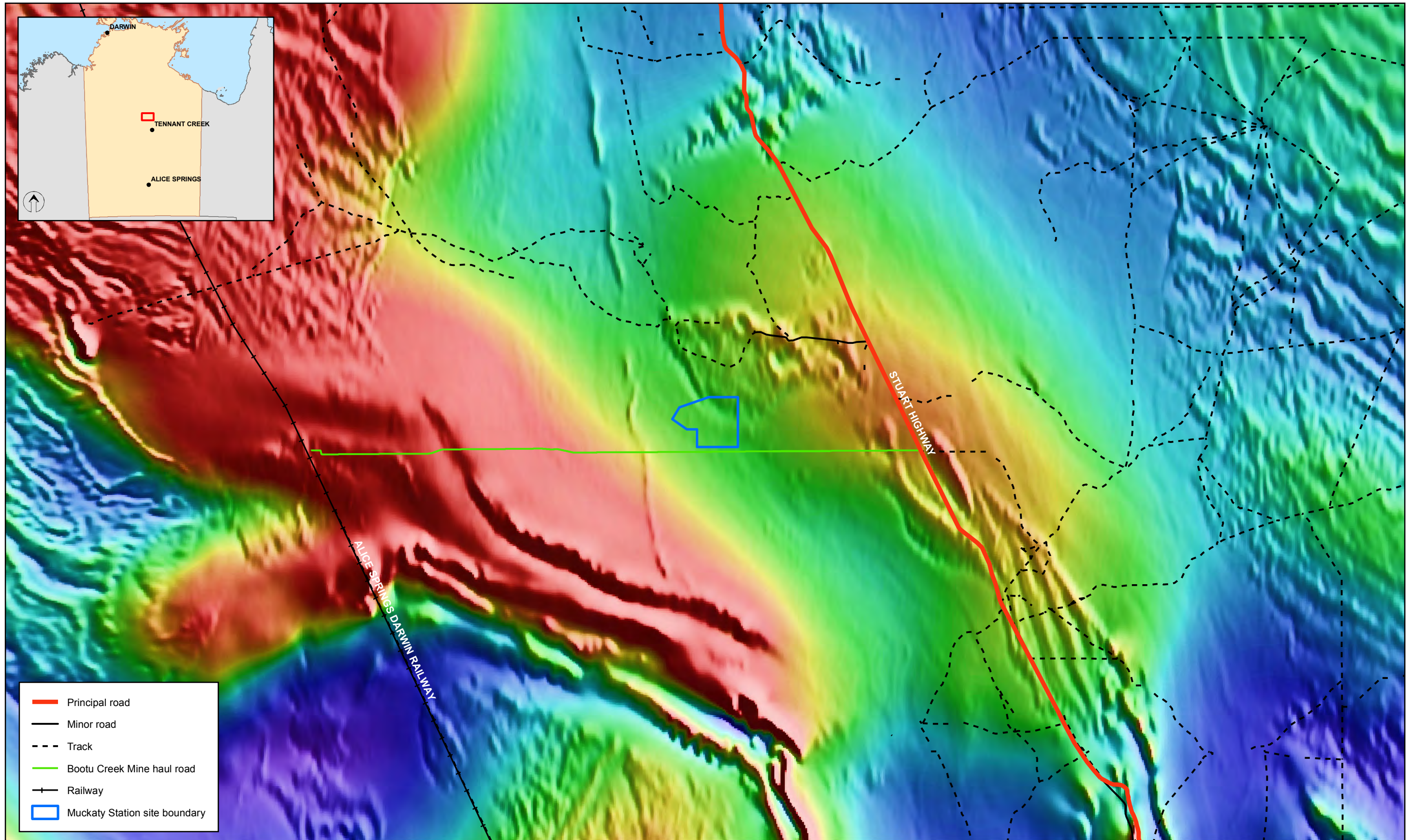
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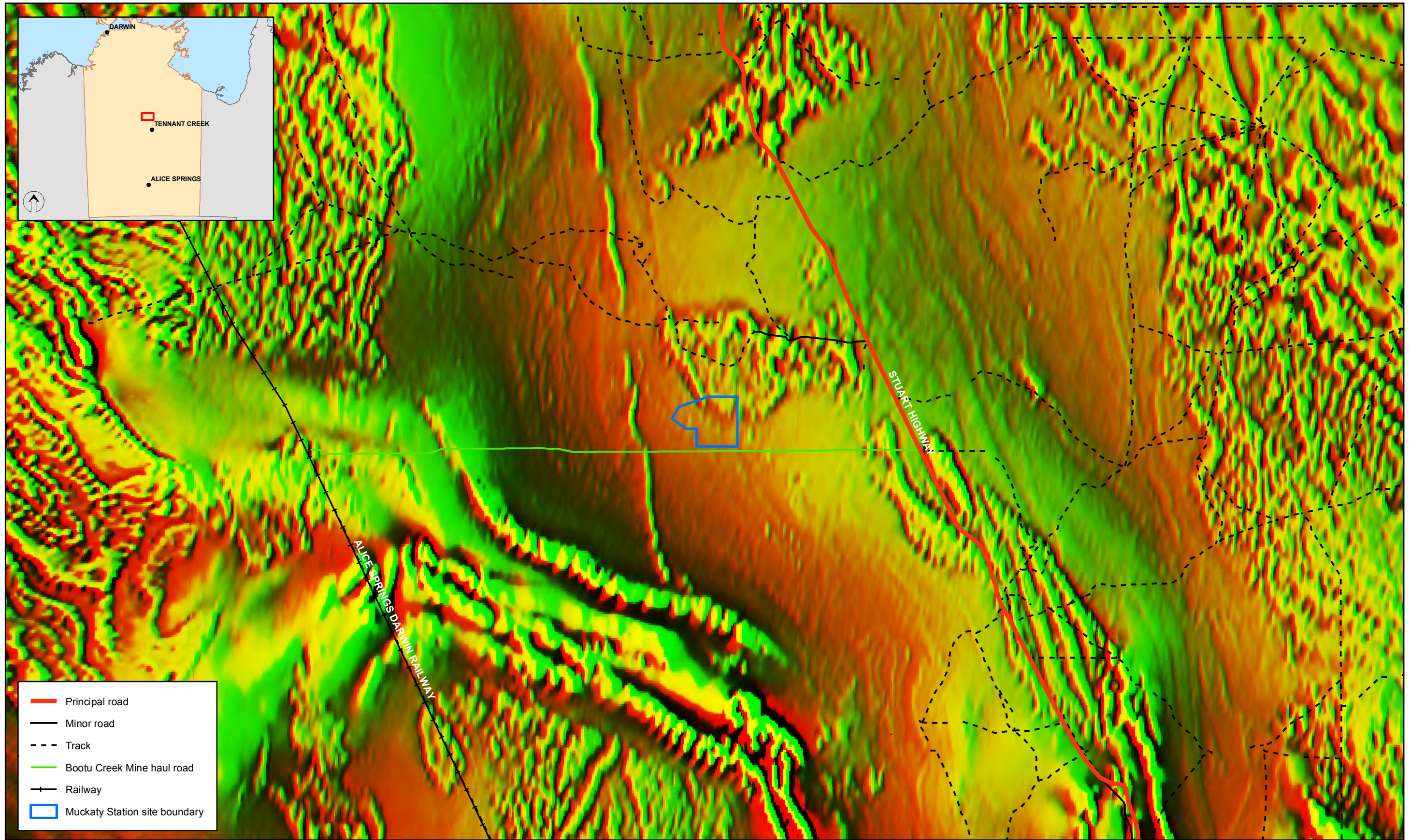
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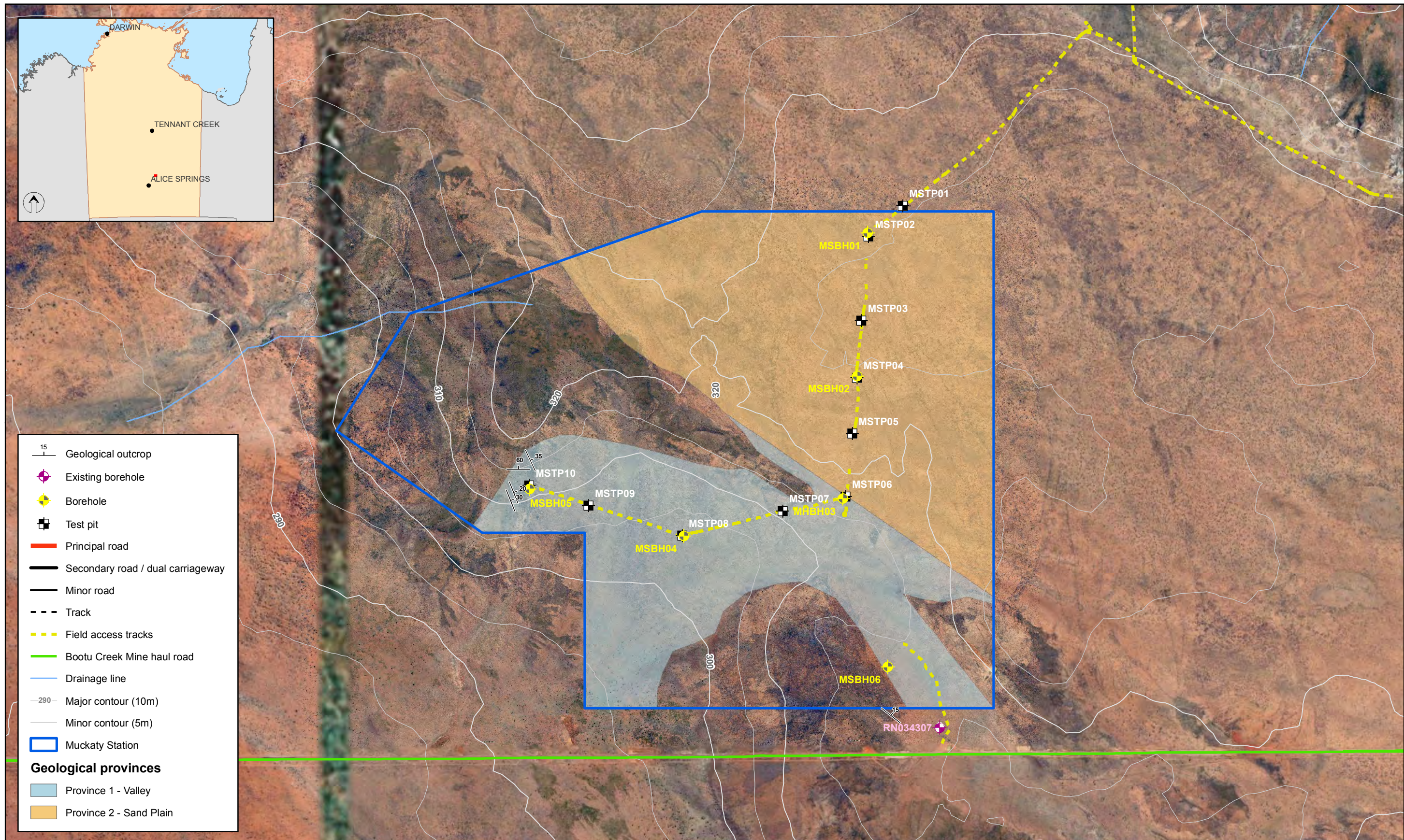
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Muckaty Station geological investigations  
Figure G7.10



#### G7.4.2.1 Province 1

Rock outcrops in low lying ridges (Photograph G7.10) surround Province 1 which is mainly covered by loose, dry sands and silty sands with some basal gravels above bedrock at shallow depths (<5 m, Photograph G7.11).



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.10**  
**Low rocky ridges to west of Province 1,**  
**Muckaty Station**



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.11**  
**Sandy valley between rocky ridges,**  
**Province 1, Muckaty Station**

Boreholes MSBH03 and MSBH06, encountered Pebbly Sandstone to approximately 4 m overlying fine to coarse grained highly to extremely weathered Sandstone and Quartz Sandstone. These coarse sediments were found to overlie Mudstones and Siltstones which extend to the limit of the boreholes. Boreholes MSBH04 and MSBH05 encountered predominately Mudstone and Siltstones, which was highly to extremely weathered and of varying defect spacing.

Borehole MSBH03 is on the boundary of Province 1 to Province 2 which confirms the aerial photographic interpretation of thin sands covering a saddle of the north-west to south-east ridgeline of sandstones and quartzites.

Figure G7.11 presents a generalised geological cross section of Province 1.

#### G7.4.2.2 Province 2

Province 2 is a very prominent sand plain (Photograph G7.12) that runs WNW-ESE which is bound by low lying mud plains to the north and the Hayward Creek Formation rocky ridges to the south.



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.12**  
**Sandy plain, Province 2, Muckaty Station**

MSBH01 and MSBH02 encountered up to 4.5 m of Sand and silty Sand overlying highly weathered basalt. The basalt extended to the limits of the boreholes and varied from highly to distinctly weathered in the upper 15–20 m and grading into slightly weathered to fresh relatively intact rock (few defects, Photograph G7.13). Interception of the basalt in the boreholes confirmed the interpretation from the airborne magnetic survey (Figures G7.8 and G7.9) of basalt



underlying the sand plains which would have its western edge between boreholes MSBH02 and MSBH03.



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.13**  
**Recovered core of slightly weathered, fractured basalt, Province 2, Muckaty Station**

In borehole MSBH01 the basalt of the Helen Springs Volcanic is overlain by sandstone and siltstones which have been interpreted as being from the Cambrian Gum Ridge Formation. The basal section of these sediments is clay rich and highly to extremely weathered and this may have resulted from insitu weathering of the sediments by ground water moving above the basalt layer.

Figure G7.12 presents a generalised geological cross section of Province 2.

#### G7.4.2.3 Rocky ridges

The remainder of the nominated site is covered by low lying rocky ridges which are outcropping Hayward Creek Formation sandstones, quartzite and conglomerates (Photographs G7.12 and G7.13). Surface mapping of these ridges confirmed the general stratigraphy and structural orientation of the units as presented in the Helen Springs geological map (Figure G7.10).

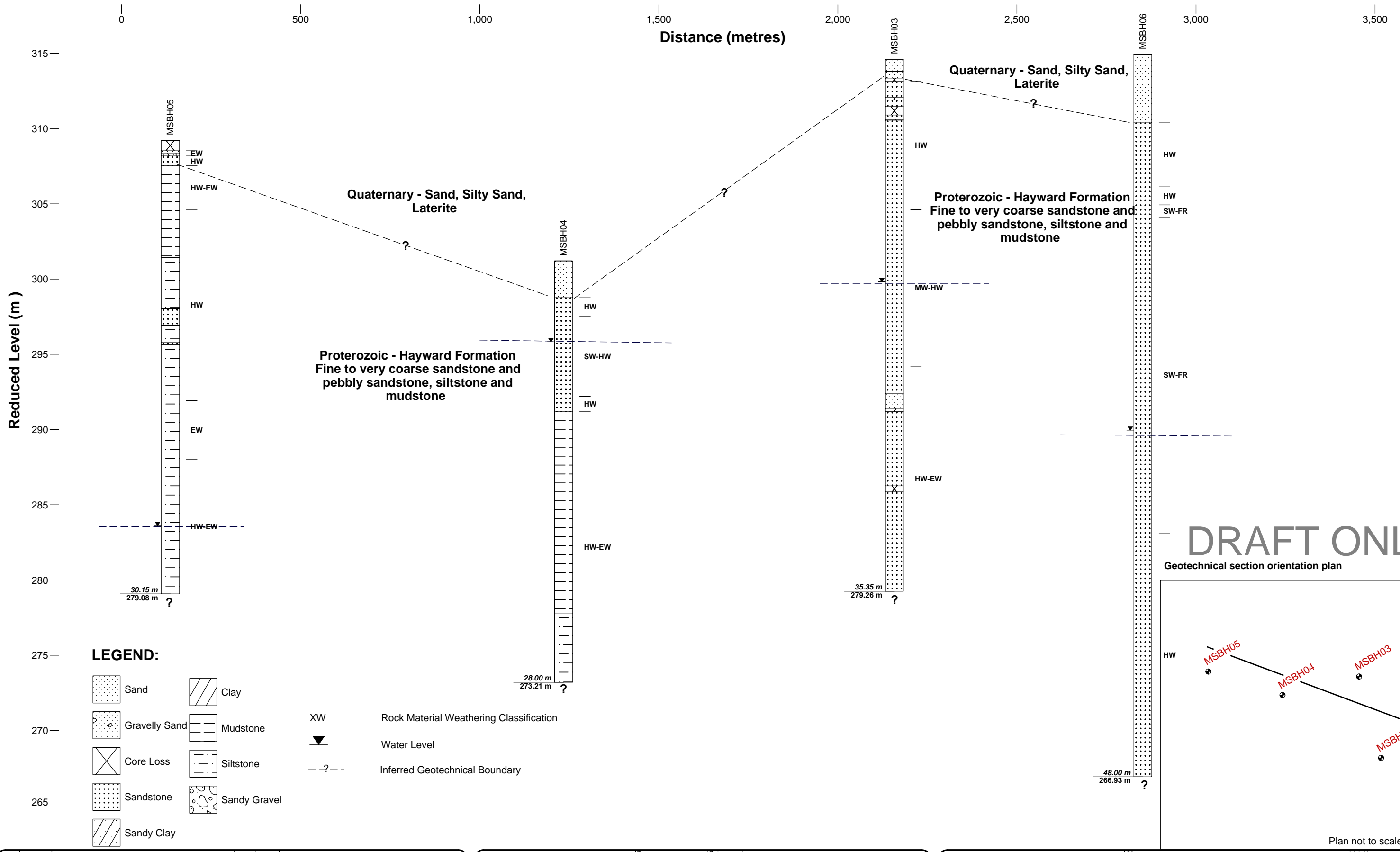


**PHOTOGRAPH G7.14**  
**Quartz sandstone with mud clasts in rocky ridge, southern boundary of nominated site, Muckaty Station**



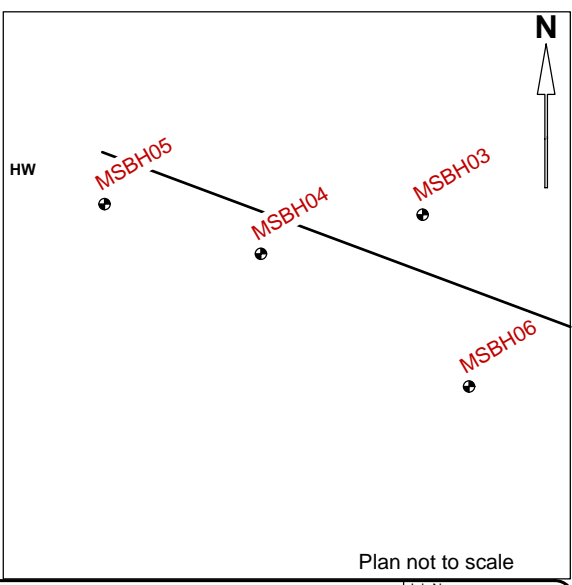
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**Quartz sandstone in rocky ridge, western boundary of nominated site, Muckaty Station**





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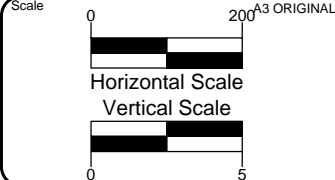
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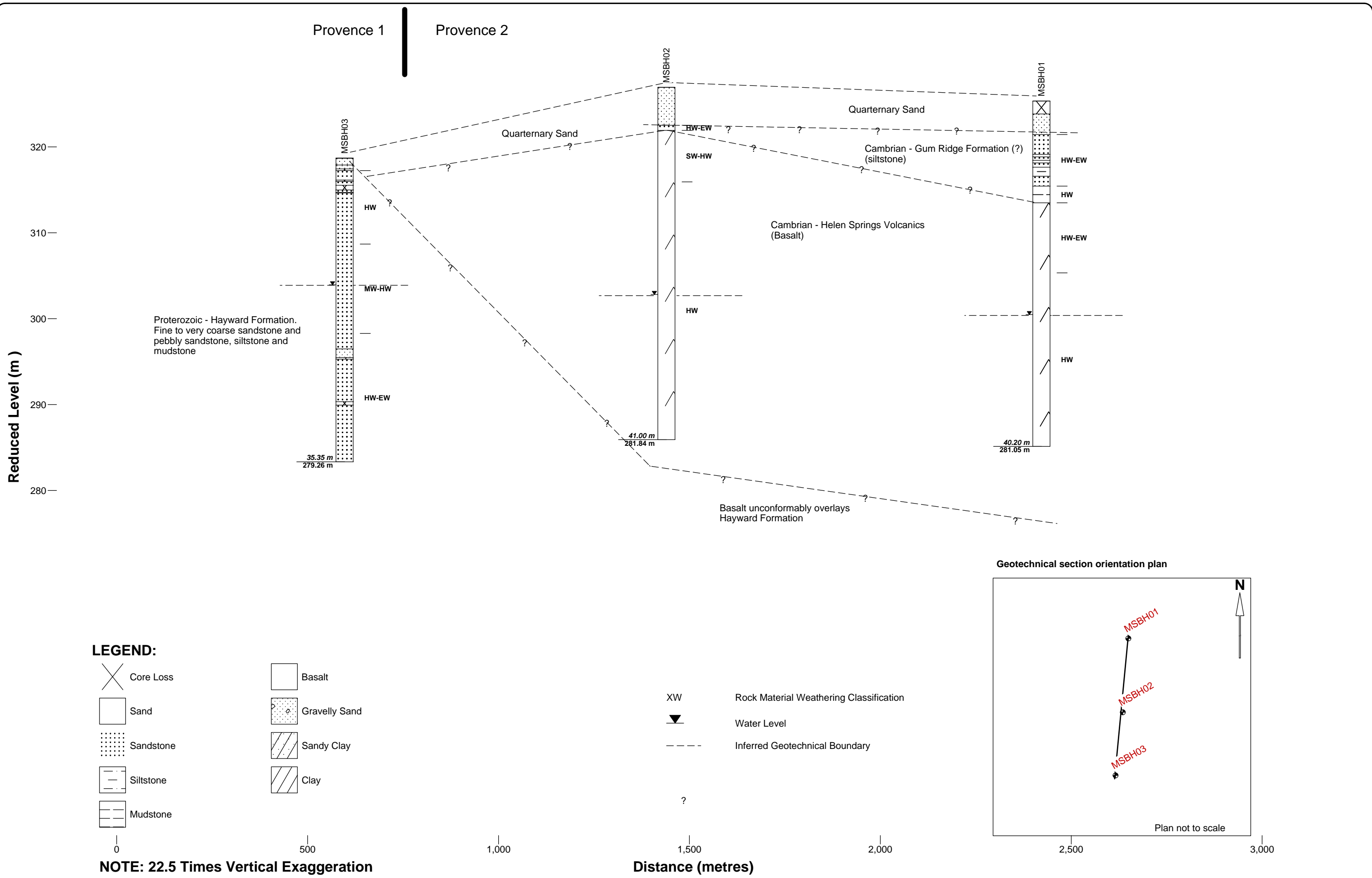
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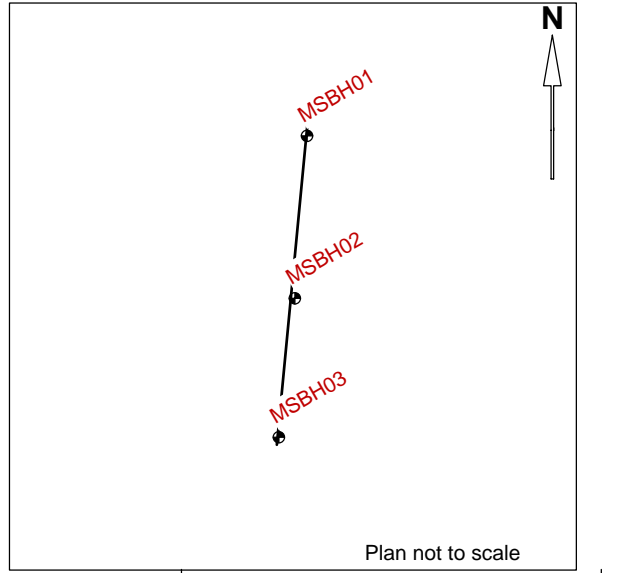


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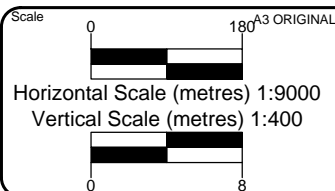
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#### G7.4.2.4 Regional investigation site

The regional investigation site is a prominent rocky ridgeline that extends west of the Stuart Highway for a distance of about 3 kms which is covered by extensive quartzite outcrop (Photographs G7.14 and G7.15). A deep gully bisects the ridgeline at its western end and boreholes were located in each of the western ridgelines to provide information for regional geology and groundwater studies.



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.16**  
**Rocky outcrop along regional site**  
**ridgeline, Muckaty Station**



**PHOTOGRAPH G7.17**  
**Quartzite outcrop along regional site**  
**ridgeline, Muckaty Station**

Boreholes GBH01 and GBH02 encountered Quartz Sandstone over highly fractured, medium to high strength Quartzite with numerous extremely weathered bands and clay seams to an investigation depth of approximately 50 m.

Figure G7.13 presents a generalised geological cross section of the regional site.

#### G7.4.3 Mineralogy and petrology

Mineralogical and petrographic of the basalt intercepted in MSBH01 at 28 m (sample #165904) depth identified calcium-plagioclase (with some sericitic alteration) and clinopyroxene as the dominant minerals with minor olivine, magnetite, carbonate and silica minerals, all typical of a slightly weathered to fresh basalt.

Above the basalt was a clay rich unit, identified within the borehole logs as highly weathered siltstone (MSBH01 9.9–11.85 m) which was identified as being a kaolinitic claystone with minor muscovite (sample #165902).

The highly weathered quartz sandstones intercepted in MSBH03 (20.3 m depth, sample #165912) were confirmed by the dominance of fine grained quartz in a kaolinitic matrix.

The highly weathered siltstones intercepted in MSBH05 (17.65 m depth, sample #165915) were confirmed by the dominance of ultrafine kaolinite with muscovite (altered to sericite) and a trace of fine quartz.

The highly weathered quartz sandstone intercepted in GHBH02 (46.9 m depth, sample #165908) were confirmed by the dominance of medium grained quartz grains with clay-sericite throughout (weathered feldspar/lithic fragments).



## G7.4.4 Groundwater

Table G7.11 below lists the recorded groundwater levels at Muckaty Station during installation of the groundwater monitoring wells. No other groundwater information was available for the site at the time of the investigation.

**Table G7.11 Recorded groundwater levels – Muckaty Station**

Borehole No.	Date recorded		Recorded depth (mbgl)	
	Installation	Sampling	Installation	Sampling
MSBH01	08/03/08	17/04/08	24.7	24.863
MSBH02	24/02/08	17/04/08	24.0	24.120
MSBH03	08/03/08	17/04/08	14.6	14.777
MSBH04	25/02/08	17/04/08	5.3	5.380
MSBH05	08/03/08	18/04/08	7.0	25.605
MSBH06	25/02/08	16/04/08	24	24.966
GBH01	23/02/08	16/04/08	39.5	40.095
GBH02	29/02/08	-	Nil	-

## G7.4.5 Permeability

Three FHT were performed adjacent to borehole MSBH03 at 1.0 m, 5.0 m and 10.0 m depths. The test results are summarised in Table G7.12 below.

**Table G7.12 Summary of FHT results – Muckaty Station**

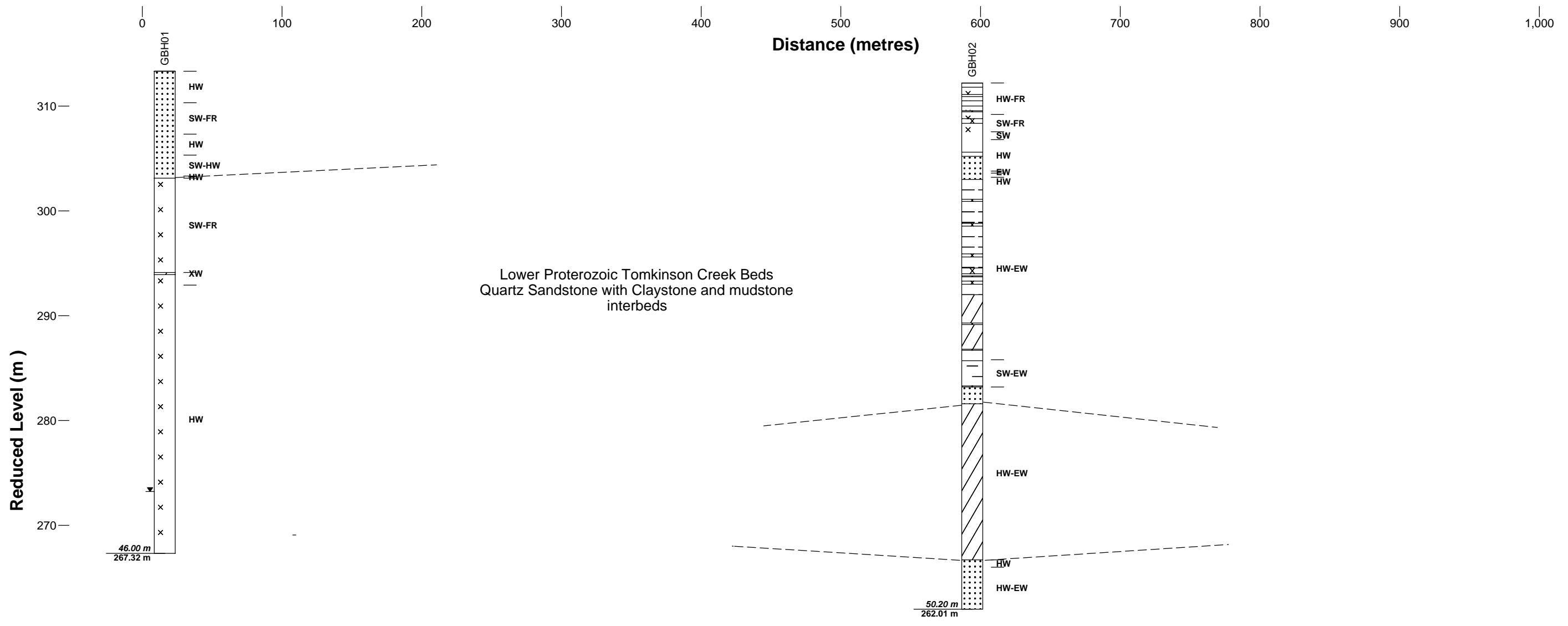
Test location	Depth (m)	Permeability (k) (m/s)
MSBH03-1m	1.0	$1.3 \times 10^{-6}$
MSBH03-5m	5.0	$1.2 \times 10^{-6}$
MSBH03-10m	10.0	$2.0 \times 10^{-8}$
MSTP01	1.5	$6.3 \times 10^{-8}$ (re-moulded)

The permeability of the underlying soils at Muckaty Station may be classified as medium for the upper sands and very low for the bedrock materials in accordance with Terzaghi & Peck (1967). Laboratory permeability test results on compacted sands from Muckaty Station recorded  $k=6.3 \times 10^{-8}$ , classified as low to very low.

## G7.5 Geological modelling

The geological profiles for the first three sites described above are very similar, shallow Quaternary sandy and clayey sand soils overlying laterite or calcrete layers overlying Tertiary or earlier sedimentary sequences. The profile for the fourth site,



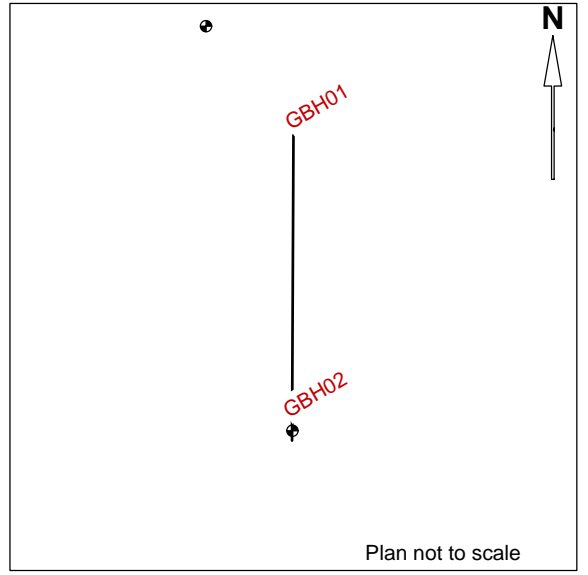


Lower Proterozoic Tomkinson Creek Beds  
Quartz Sandstone with Claystone and mudstone  
interbeds

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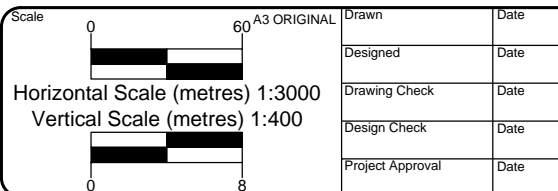
- Sandstone
- Quartzite
- Clay
- Core Loss
- Siltstone
- Mudstone
- Water Level
- Inferred Geotechnical Boundary
- XW Rock Material Weathering Classification

**Geotechnical section orientation plan**



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**NOTES**

- The subsurface conditions shown on this figure are considered accurate only at exploration locations. The subsurface conditions between these locations represents Parsons Brinckerhoff's preliminary assessment based on available data. The boundary between the various units has been inferred and should be confirmed for final design and construction.

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			Figure G7.13







Muckaty Station is similar however does not include the laterite of calcrete layers and consists primarily of Quaternary sandy soils over Proterozoic volcanic basalt and sedimentary sequences.

Mount Everard had the most consistent geological profile over the whole of the investigated site, both vertically and horizontally, which can be readily characterised through geological investigative techniques.

Harts Range had a similar geological profile to Mount Everard with the exception of the alluvial sediments covering the eastern portion of the site.

Fishers Ridge had the most complex geological profile of the four sites, influenced by the laterite layer, the rising ground to the east and the highly variable sediments overlying the Tindall Limestone, all factors causing difficulty in characterising and modelling Fishers Ridge.

Two distinct subsurface provinces have been identified at Muckaty Station; Province 1 siliclastic sediments consisting of Sandstones, Siltstone and Mudstones and Province 2, volcanics consisting of sandstones and basalt. It is expected that the basalt partially overlies sedimentary sequences within the site. The regional site investigated at Muckaty Station, has a consistent geological profile consisting of weathered and fractured sandstone from the surface over quartzite at depth.

## G7.6 Surface processes

Mount Everard was a relatively flat uniform site where surface processes such as flooding, landsliding or erosion is unlikely to occur.

Harts Range site is located on the western banks of the Ongeva Creek and may be subject to some flooding during peak flow events as evidenced by alluvial sediments covering the eastern portion of the site. Landslides and erosion is unlikely to occur at Harts Range due to the flat and clayey nature of the soils.

Fishers Ridge is located on a ridgeline and a site may be found along that ridgeline which would not be subject to flooding from the nearby King River and Roper Creek. Localised undermining of the laterite caprock may occur whilst the soils exhibited signs of gully erosion along the unsealed track traversing the Fishers Ridge site.

The Muckaty Station site is relatively elevated with a prominent rocky ridge trending north-west, approximately 2 km north of the Bootu Creek Mine haul road. To the north of the ridge there is rocky plateau area, which grades into an extensive clayey alluvial plain, which is controlled by the underlying flood basalt. The clayey alluvial plain is bordered to the north by rocky quartzite plateaus of the regional investigation site.







# G8. Geotechnical conditions

## G8.1 Geotechnical profile

Tables G8.1 to G8.4 summarises the geotechnical parameters estimated for the subsurface materials encountered during the investigation at Mount Everard, Harts Range, Fishers Ridge and Muckaty Station. The geotechnical parameters have been provided for materials to a depth of 10 m as excavations for the proposed development are not expected to extend below this depth.

**Table G8.1 Summary of geotechnical parameters – Mount Everard**

Depth (m)	Material	Geotechnical Parameters								
		Short term					Long term			
		$\phi$ (degrees)	$C_u$ (kPa)	$E_u$ (MPa)	$\nu$	$\gamma$ (kN/m <sup>3</sup> )	$\phi'$ (degrees)	$C'$ (kPa)	$E'$ (MPa)	$\nu'$
0.0 – 0.15	Silty Sand	30	0	25	0.3	16	30	0	20	0.3
0.5 – 5	Clayey Sand / Sandy Clay	0	100	40	0.4	20	22	10	35	0.3
2.5 – 5.0	Calcrete/ Sandy Clay	37	50	80	0.35	20	30	0	60	0.3
5.0 – 10.0	Sandstone			300	0.3				200	0.25

Note:  $\phi / \phi'$  = friction angle                       $C_u/C'$  = cohesion  
 $E_u/E'$  = Young' s Modulus                       $\nu/\nu'$  = Poisson' s Ratio  
 $\gamma$  = density



**Table G8.2 Summary of geotechnical parameters – Harts Range**

Depth (m)	Material	Geotechnical Parameters								
		Short term					Long term			
		$\phi$ (degrees)	$C_u$ (kPa)	$E_u$ (MPa)	$\nu$	$\gamma$ (kN/m <sup>3</sup> )	$\phi'$ (degrees)	$C'$ (kPa)	$E'$ (MPa)	$V'$
0.0 – 0.3	Silty Sand	30	0	25	0.35	16	30	0	20	0.3
0.3 – 7.0	Clayey Sand / Sandy	34	0	35	0.35	18	34	0	30	0.3
7.0 – 10.0	Sandstone			300	0.3				200	0.25

**Table G8.3 Summary of geotechnical parameters – Fishers Ridge**

	Material	Geotechnical Parameters								
		Short term					Long term			
		$\phi$ (degrees)	$C_u$ (kPa)	$E_u$ (MPa)	$\nu$	$\gamma$ (kN/m <sup>3</sup> )	$\phi'$ (degrees)	$C'$ (kPa)	$E'$ (MPa)	$V'$
0.1 – 0.5	Silty Sandy Gravel	35	0	40	0.35	19	35	0	35	0.3
0.5 – 4.5	Laterite	40	200	25	0.35	19	30	0	20	0.3
4.5 – 10.0	Pebbly Sandstone			300	0.3				200	0.25

**Table G8.4 Summary of geotechnical parameters – Muckaty Station**

	Material	Geotechnical Parameters								
		Short term					Long term			
		$\phi$ (degrees)	$C_u$ (kPa)	$E_u$ (MPa)	$\nu$	$\gamma$ (kN/m <sup>3</sup> )	$\phi'$ (degrees)	$C'$ (kPa)	$E'$ (MPa)	$V'$
0-1.0	Silty Sand	30	0	25	0.3	19	30	0	20	0.3
1.0-6.0	Sandstone			300	0.3				200	0.25
6.0-10.0	Siltstone			300	0.3				200	0.25



## G8.2 Site classification

In accordance with AS2870-1996 'Residential Slabs and Footings', all four sites are classified as **Class S** (less than 20 mm movement) due to the sandy and clayey sand sites underlain by calcrete or laterite to 4 m depth and weathered rock below. Sites with rocky outcrops would be classified as **Class A**.

## G8.3 Earthquake and liquefaction

Liquefaction is the phenomenon in which the strength and stiffness of a soil is reduced by earthquake shaking or other rapid loading. Liquefaction occurs when a soil loses strength due to a build-up of pore water pressure to a magnitude equal to the confining stress. Such a condition can occur due to the cyclic stress condition induced by earthquake forces and is generally associated with saturated sandy soils in a loose condition.

Examination of soil profiles from test pits and borehole logs at each of the sites reveals the presence of a layer of loose to dense/stiff to hard silty sands sandy clays and sands up to 5.0 m thick. However, observed groundwater table is generally deep (> 5 m). Therefore, these competent soils are not generally in saturated condition. Hence, the earthquake induced liquefaction susceptibility of these soils is low.

The following parameters should be used to calculate loads due to earth quake loading in accordance with AS1170.4-2007 'Structural design actions – Earthquake actions in Australia'.

- Site Hazard Factor (Z) (Mount Everard and Harts Range) = 0.08
- Site Hazard Factor (Z) (Fishers Ridge) = 0.07
- Site Hazard Factor (Z) (Muckaty Station) = 0.09
- Site sub-soil class (for all sites) = Class C C<sub>e</sub>, B<sub>e</sub> or A<sub>e</sub>
- Liquefaction potential (for all sites) = Low.

The above hazard factors are based on a 1 in 500 year annual probability of exceedance for areas within Northern Territory. As the facilities will be designed for long periods (300 years), additional seismic studies may be required to further define the above hazard factors for the long design life of the structures.

## G8.4 Durability

The soils encountered and sampled at each of the four sites are considered to be classified as Soil Conditions B i.e. low permeability soils or soils above groundwater and the chemical test results indicate that they are classified as non-aggressive for both concrete and steel in accordance with AS 2159-1995 'Piling – Design and Installation'.



## G8.5 Footings

Shallow footings for structures located at the three sites (Mount Everard, Harts Range and Fishers Ridge) may be founded on the very stiff sandy clay or the dense to very dense sand and clayey sand and silty sandy gravel not less than 0.4 m below existing surface levels where an allowable bearing capacity of 150 kPa may be adopted. Shallow footings could be founded in the loose sands encountered at Muckaty Station with an allowable bearing capacity of 100 kPa. Footings founded within the underlying weathered rock profile at all four sites may be proportioned for an allowable bearing capacity of 400 kPa.

## G8.6 Excavations

Conventional excavation machinery is considered suitable for excavations to approximately 5 m and 7 m depth below existing surface levels at Mount Everard and Harts Range respectively. Below these depths larger machinery and/or hydraulic rock breakers may be required to aid excavation of medium strength rock materials.

Conventional excavation machinery may encounter difficulties at relatively shallow depth (<1.5 m) at Fishers Ridge due to the laterite formations. It is considered likely that larger machinery and hydraulic rock breakers would be required if excavations are to extend below 1.5 m depth.

Conventional excavation machinery is considered suitable for excavations to approximately 1.0 to 2.5 m depth below existing surface levels within the two Provinces on Muckaty Station. Below these depths, on the rocky ridges surrounding the two Provinces larger machinery, hydraulic rock breakers and drill and blast methods may be required to aid excavation of medium to high strength rock materials

The stability of the excavations is unlikely to cause problems and it is considered that they would remain open without support. However, it is strongly recommended that no personnel be allowed to enter an excavation deeper than 1.2 m without appropriate support for that area of the excavation which is occupied. The sides of the excavations may be battered back at an angle of 1.5H:1V (33°) for short term and 2H:1V (~26.5°) for long term in the upper 3 m (Silty Sand, Sand, Clayey Sand) and 1H:3V (71.5°) in rock and laterite, which would negate the need for shoring.

## G8.7 Pavements

Subbase for roads on the four sites should comprise of engineered granular soils overlying natural subgrade soils. Based on the obtained laboratory CBR test results it is recommended that design CBR values of 7%, 30% and 40% are used in the pavement designs for Mount Everard, Harts Range and Fishers Ridge respectively. The sandy soils at Muckaty Station would have a recommended design CBR value of 10% whilst the rocky sub-grade of 40%.

It is recommended that the site is reconstructed so that surface and subsurface drainage is such that the integrity of the constructed pavement is not compromised due to water infiltration during rainfall or flooding events.

## G8.8 Construction materials

From the preliminary investigations, some of the construction materials for pavements, building pads, embankments and clay liners may be sourced on site. Mount Everard site would have the best range of construction materials available on-site, whilst Fishers Ridge is limited to the laterite and the underlying thin clay unit. Muckaty Station would have limited construction materials available on-site, limited to the upper sands and gravels from within the sand valleys and plains. Rock excavated from the bedrock and ridges may be crushed to produce some construction materials such as general fill and pavement materials.

Table G8.5 summarises the potential materials on each of the four sites.

**Table G8.5 Summary of potential construction materials – four sites**

	material	depth range (m)	Potential use
			Sub grade for pavements Hardstands/building pads Impermeable barrier Engineered fill
	Sandy Gravelly Clay	0.5 – 2.5	
	Calcrete	2.5 – 5	Pavement materials Hardstand/building pads
Harts Range	Sand	0.25 – 3.0	Subgrade for pavements Hardstand/building pads Engineered fill
	Clayey Sand	3.0 – 7.0	Hardstand/building pads Engineered fill Impermeable barrier
Fishers Ridge	Laterite (Sandy Gravel, Silty Sandy Gravel)	0.0 – 4.5	Subgrade for pavements Hardstand/building pads Engineered fill
	Clay (underlying laterite)	4.5 – 6.0	Impermeable barrier
Muckaty Station	Silty Sand	0-2.5	Subgrade for pavements Hardstand/building pads Engineered fill
	Weathered sandstone gravel	2.5-3.5	Subgrade for pavements Hardstand/building pads Engineered fill

Muckaty Station has a road construction borrow source located in the south eastern corner of the target area which was used in the construction of the Bootu Creek mine haul road.



## G8.9 Subsurface migration

Falling head permeability tests carried out at the four sites indicate that up to a depth of 10 m below existing surface levels migration of fluids would be greatly impeded by the very low permeability of the existing soil and rock profiles.

At depth, recovered rock core had a high clay content, which is considered to be a result of in-situ weathering resulting in a reduction of the porosity and therefore overall permeability of the profile.

However, highly fractured zones with occasional mineral infilling were noted, indicating some potential fluid flow may occur along these fractures.

## G9. Summary

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The geological and geotechnical investigation for the proposed development involved:

1. A test pitting program at each site, carried out using either a backhoe or tracked excavator. Up to ten test pits were excavated across each site and extended to a maximum depth of three metres.
2. A drilling program at each site. The boreholes were drilled using both rotary air boring (RAB) and HQ3 diamond coring techniques. Five boreholes were drilled at Mount Everard and Harts Range sites, nine boreholes at Fishers Ridge and eight boreholes at Muckaty Station. The boreholes ranged in depth from 6 m to 100 m.
3. All boreholes were converted to groundwater monitoring wells, samples from which were submitted for a range of testing. Groundwater levels were recorded during well installation and during sampling and provided information on the variations in the groundwater regime on the four sites. Two groundwater monitoring data loggers were installed within two separate borehole at each site with initial information downloaded during the groundwater sampling program.
4. Soil and rock samples collected from the test pitting and drilling programs were submitted for a range of testing.
5. Three falling head permeability tests were performed at 1 m, 5 m and 10 m depths at each of the sites adjacent to a cored borehole.
6. All test locations were initially surveyed using a hand held GPS with a follow on detailed survey of the sites conducted at the end of the field work.

The subsurface profile was the most consistent at Mount Everard and the least consistent, and therefore the most difficult to model, at Fishers Ridge. Muckaty Station encountered reasonably consistent profiles comprising shallow sands overlying bedrock over most of the site, with the remaining areas (including the Regional Studies Site) covered by outcropping rock.

These profiles are summarised and compared in Table G9.1 below.



**Table G9.1 Summary of subsurface conditions – four sites**

Site	General subsurface profile	Groundwater levels	General surface profile and elevation
Mount Everard	Up to 5 m of Silty Sand and Sandy Clay overlying thick sequence of Sandstone, Quartzite and Claystone. No basement rock encountered but was expected	Ranging from 30.38 m to 34.89 m bgl. Relatively small variation between installation and sampling	Generally flat with elevations from 726 m AHD to 732 m AHD
Harts Range	Thin layer of Clayey Sand and Sand overlying thick sequence of Sandstone, Pebbly Sandstone with some Siltstone. No basement rock encountered but was expected	Ranging from 14.98 m to 28.045 m bgl.	Generally flat with elevations from 652 m AHD to 660 m AHD
Fishers Ridge	Thin Silty Sand and Silty Sandy Gravel surface soil overlying up to 4 m of Laterite. Thick sequence of Siltstone and Sandstone overlying Limestone at 77 m depth. Target depth of 100 m not reached, however depth to Tindall Limestone confirmed.	Ranging from 6.5 m to 24.6 m bgl but highly variable across the site	Steady rise along ridgeline surrounded by King river and Roper creek, with elevations from 191 m AHD to 219 m AHD.
Muckaty Station	Thin Silty Sand overlying thick sequences of Basalt, Siltstone, Quartzite and Sandstone. No basement rock was encountered.	Ranging from 5.2 m to 40.0 m bgl. Highly variable across the site.	Gently sloping with a shallow valley through the centre. Bounded by a rocky ridgeline on the north west and south. Elevations range from 301.2 m AHD to 322.8 m AHD.

Table G9.2 summarises the permeability results obtained from tests conducted on the four sites, with Mount Everard having consistent very low permeability over the upper 10 m of the soil profile, whilst Fishers Ridge has very low permeability only below the laterite in the underlying clay materials. These low permeabilities offer significant restrictions to the flow of subsurface fluids with extensive weathering of the sediments below resulting in relatively low permeability profiles with occasional higher permeability fractured zones to basement rock. The sands overlying the bedrock at Muckaty Station are of medium permeability whilst the fractured bedrock materials were of very low permeability.

Seismic activity occurs about 130 kms south of Muckaty Station, whilst Mount Everard and Harts Range have slightly higher occurrence of seismic activity than the Fishers Ridge site, but all four sites are of low seismic and volcanic activity and liquefaction potential. The tectonic setting of all four sites is extremely complex with a series of major metamorphic/orogenic events influencing the geology and extending back to periods of placement of the basement rocks. Landslides are not considered of high risk at all four sites, whilst flooding may occur at Harts Range and localised erosion at Fishers Ridge.

**Table G9.2 Summary of permeability results (m/s) – four sites**

Test depth (m)	Site			
	Mount Everard	Harts Range	Fishers Ridge	Muckaty Station
1	$7.5 \times 10^{-8}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	$3.5 \times 10^{-7}$	$1.3 \times 10^{-6}$
5	$2.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$4.6 \times 10^{-7}$	$9.8 \times 10^{-10}$	$1.2 \times 10^{-6}$
10	$1.5 \times 10^{-7}$	$2.0 \times 10^{-7}$	Not determined	$2.0 \times 10^{-8}$
Compacted materials	$3.7 \times 10^{-10}$	$6.2 \times 10^{-10}$	$1.5 \times 10^{-8}$	$6.3 \times 10^{-8}$

Many of the construction materials expected to be required for the proposed facility may be sourced on site, with Mount Everard having the widest range of suitable materials located on-site, and Fishers Ridge limited to the laterites and underlying clay materials. Materials for pavements, hardstand areas, building pads, engineered fill and impermeable barriers may be acquired and utilised (with conditioning) on most sites.

Soil reactivity and durability of the four sites is very similar, being of Class S and Soil condition B. The underlying bedrock material at Muckaty Station and laterites at Fishers Ridge would be the most difficult to excavate and may require non-conventional excavation equipment whilst the two southern sites would use conventional excavation equipment.





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# G11. Limitations of geotechnical site investigation

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In making an assessment of a site from a limited number of boreholes or test pits there is the possibility that variations may occur between test locations. Site exploration identifies specific subsurface conditions only at those points from which samples have been taken. The risk that variations will not be detected can be reduced by increasing the frequency of test locations; however this often does not result in any overall cost savings for the project. The investigation programme undertaken is a professional estimate of the scope of investigation required to provide a general profile of the subsurface conditions. The data derived from the site investigation programme and subsequent laboratory testing are extrapolated across the site to form an inferred geological model and an engineering opinion is rendered about overall subsurface conditions and their likely behaviour with regard to the proposed development. Despite investigation the actual conditions at the site might differ from those inferred to exist, since no subsurface exploration programme, no matter how comprehensive, can reveal all subsurface details and anomalies.

The borehole logs are the subjective interpretation of subsurface conditions at a particular location, made by trained personnel. The interpretation may be limited by the method of investigation, and can not always be definitive. For example, inspection of an excavation or test pit allows a greater area of the subsurface profile to be inspected than borehole investigation, however, such methods are limited by depth and site disturbance restrictions. In borehole investigation, the actual interface between materials may be more gradual or abrupt than a report indicates.

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Final bore/profile logs are developed by geotechnical engineers based upon their interpretation of field logs and laboratory evaluation of field samples. Customarily, only the final bore/profile logs are included in geotechnical engineering reports. These logs should not under any circumstances be redrawn for inclusion in architectural or other design drawings. To minimise the likelihood of bore/profile log misinterpretation, contractors should be given access to the complete geotechnical engineering report prepared or authorised for their use. Providing the best available information to contractors helps prevent costly construction problems. For further information on this matter reference should be made to "Guidelines for the Provision of Geotechnical Information in Construction Contracts" published by the Institution of Engineers Australia, National Headquarters. Canberra 1987.

### **Geotechnical Involvement During Construction**

During construction, excavation is frequently undertaken which exposes the actual subsurface conditions. For this reason geotechnical consultants should be retained through the construction stage, to identify variations if they are exposed and to conduct additional tests which may be required and to deal quickly with geotechnical problems if they arise.

### **Report for Benefit of Client**

The report has been prepared for the benefit of the Client and no other party. PB assumes no responsibility and will not be liable to any other person or organisation for or in relation to any matter dealt with or conclusions expressed in the report, or for any loss or damage suffered by any other person or organisation arising from matters dealt with or conclusions expressed in the report (including without limitation matters arising from any negligent act or omission of PB or for any loss or damage suffered by any other party relying upon the matters dealt with or conclusions expressed in the report). Other parties should not rely upon the report or the accuracy or completeness of any conclusions and should make their own enquiries and obtain independent advice in relation to such matters.

### **Other Limitations**

PB will not be liable to update or revise the report to take into account any events or emergent circumstances or facts occurring or becoming apparent after the date of the report.





## **Appendix A**

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Engineering test pit and borehole logs and photographs with explanatory notes







## Explanatory Notes — Soil Description

In engineering terms soil includes every type of uncemented or partially cemented inorganic material found in the ground. In practice, if the material can be remoulded by hand in its field condition or in water it is described as a soil. The dominant soil constituent is given in capital letters, with secondary textures in lower case. The dominant feature is assessed from the Unified Soil Classification system and a soil symbol is used to define a soil layer as follows:

### UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION

The appropriate symbols are selected on the result of visual examination, field tests and available laboratory tests, such as, sieve analysis, liquid limit and plasticity index.

USC Symbol	
GW	Well graded gravel
GP	Poorly graded gravel
GM	Silty gravel
GC	Clayey gravel
SW	Well graded sand
SP	Poorly graded sand
SM	Silty sand
SC	Clayey sand
ML	Silt of low plasticity
CL	Clay of low plasticity
OL	Organic soil of low plasticity
MH	Silt of high plasticity
CH	Clay of high plasticity
OH	Organic soil of high plasticity
Pt	Peaty Soil

### MOISTURE CONDITION

- Dry - Cohesive soils are friable or powdery  
Cohesionless soil grains are free-running
- Moist - Soil feels cool, darkened in colour  
Cohesive soils can be moulded  
Cohesionless soil grains tend to adhere
- Wet - Cohesive soils usually weakened  
Free water forms on hands when handling

For cohesive soils the following codes may also be used:

- MC>PL Moisture Content greater than the Plastic Limit.  
MC~PL Moisture Content near the Plastic Limit.  
MC<PL Moisture Content less than the Plastic Limit.

### PLASTICITY

The potential for soil to undergo change in volume with moisture change is assessed from its degree of plasticity. The classification of the degree of plasticity in terms of the Liquid Limit (LL) is as follows:

Description of Plasticity	LL (%)
Low	<35
Medium	35 to 50
High	>50

### COHESIVE SOILS - CONSISTENCY

The consistency of a cohesive soil is defined by descriptive terminology such as very soft, soft, firm, stiff, very stiff and hard. These terms are assessed by the shear strength of the soil as observed visually, by the pocket penetrometer values and by resistance to deformation to hand moulding.

A Pocket Penetrometer may be used in the field or the laboratory to provide approximate assessment of unconfined compressive strength of cohesive soils. The values are recorded in kPa, as follows:

Strength	Symbol	Pocket Penetrometer Reading (kPa)
Very Soft	VS	< 25
Soft	S	20 to 50
Firm	F	50 to 100
Stiff	St	100 to 200
Very Stiff	VSt	200 to 400
Hard	H	> 400

### COHESIONLESS SOILS - RELATIVE DENSITY

Relative density terms such as very loose, loose, medium, dense and very dense are used to describe silty and sandy material, and these are usually based on resistance to drilling penetration or the Standard Penetration Test (SPT) 'N' values. Other condition terms, such as friable, powdery or crumbly may also be used.

The Standard Penetration Test (SPT) is carried out in accordance with AS 1289, 6.3.1. For completed tests the number of blows required to drive the split spoon sampler 300 mm is recorded as the N value. For incomplete tests the number of blows and the penetration beyond the seating depth of 150 mm are recorded. If the 150 mm seating penetration is not achieved the number of blows to achieve the measured penetration is recorded. SPT correlations may be subject to corrections for overburden pressure and equipment type.

Term	Symbol	Density Index	N Value (blows/0.3 m)
Very Loose	VL	0 to 15	0 to 4
Loose	L	15 to 35	4 to 10
Medium Dense	MD	35 to 65	10 to 30
Dense	D	65 to 85	30 to 50
Very Dense	VD	>85	>50

### COHESIONLESS SOILS PARTICLE SIZE DESCRIPTIVE TERMS

Name	Subdivision	Size
Boulders Cobbles		>200mm
		63mm to 200mm
Gravel	coarse	20mm to 63mm
	medium	6mm to 20mm
	fine	2.36mm to 6mm
Sand	coarse	600mm to 2.36mm
	medium	200mm to 600mm
	fine	75mm to 200mm



# Rock Description

The rock is described with strength and weathering symbols as shown below. Other features such as bedding and dip angle are given.

## ROCK QUALITY

The fracture spacing is shown where applicable and the Rock Quality Designation (RQD) or Total Core Recovery (TCR) is given where:

$$RQD (\%) = \frac{\text{Sum of Axial lengths of core} > 100\text{mm long}}{\text{total length considered}}$$

$$TCR (\%) = \frac{\text{length of core recovered}}{\text{length of core run}}$$

## ROCK STRENGTH

Rock strength is described using AS1726 & ISRM - Commission on Standardisation of Laboratory & Field Tests, "Suggested method of determining the Uniaxial Compressive Strength of Rock materials & the Point Load Index", as follows:

Extremely Low	EL	<0.03
Very Low	VL	0.03 to 0.1
Low	L	0.1 to 0.3
Medium	M	0.3 to 1
High	H	1 to 3
Very High	VH	3 to 10
Extremely High	EH	>10



Diametral Point Load Index test



Axial Point Load Index test

## ROCK MATERIAL WEATHERING

Rock weathering is described using the following abbreviation and definitions used in AS1726:

Residual soil	RS	Soil developed on extremely weathered rock, the mass structure & substance fabric are no longer evident; there is a large change in volume but the soil has not been significantly transported.
Extremely weathered	XW	Rock is weathered to such an extent that it has 'soil' properties, ie: it either disintegrates or can be remoulded in water.
Distinctly weathered	DW	Rock strength usually changed by weathering. The rock may be highly discoloured, usually ironstaining. Porosity may be increased by leaching, or may be decreased due to deposition of weathering products in pores.
Slightly weathered	SW	Rock is slightly discoloured but shows little or no change of strength from fresh rock.
Fresh	FR	Rock shows no sign of decomposition or staining.



Water level at date shown



Partial water loss



Water inflow



Complete water loss

## DEFECT SPACING/BEDDING THICKNESS

Measured at right angles to defects of same set or bedding.

Extremely closely spaced	<6 mm 6 to 20 mm	Thinly Laminated Laminated
Very closely spaced	20 to 60 mm	Very Thin
Closely spaced	0.06 to 0.2 m	Thin
Moderately widely spaced	0.2 to 0.6 m	Medium
Widely spaced	0.6 to 2 m	Thick
Very widely spaced	>2 m	Very Thick

## DEFECT DESCRIPTION

B	Bedding
F	Fault
C	Cleavage
J	Joint
S	Shear Zone
CS	Clay Seam

## PLANARITY/ROUGHNESS

P	Planar
Un	Undulating
St	Stepped
Sm	Smooth
Ro	Rough
Sk	Slickensided

The inclination if defects are measured from the perpendicular to the core axis.

## DRILLING METHODS

EE	Existing Excavation/Cutting
EX	Excavator
HA	Hand Auger
HQ	Diamond Core – 63mm
JET	Jetting
NMCL	Diamond Core – 52mm
NQ	Diamond Core – 47mm
PT	Push Tube
RAB	Rotary Air Blast
RD	Rotary Blade
RT	Rotary Tricone Bit
TC	Auger TC-Bit
V	Auger V-Bit
WB	Washbone
DT	Diatube
AS	Auger Screwing
BH	Backhoe
CT	Cable Tool Rig

## NFGWO No Free Groundwater Observed

The observation of groundwater, whether present or not, was not possible due to drilling water, surface seepage or cave in of the borehole/test pit.

## Graphic Symbols for Soils & Rocks

Typical symbols for soils and rocks are as follows. Combinations of these symbols may be used to indicate mixed materials such as clayey sand.

### Soil Symbols

#### Main components

	CLAY
	SILT
	SAND
	GRAVEL
	BOULDERS / COBBLES
	TOPSOIL
	PEAT

#### Minor Components

	Clayey
	Silty
	Sandy
	Gravelly

### Other

	FILL
	BITUMEN
	CONCRETE

### Rock Symbols

#### Sedimentary Rocks

	SANDSTONE
	SILTSTONE
	CLAYSTONE, MUDSTONE
	SHALE
	LAMINITE
	COAL
	LIMESTONE
	CONGLOMERATE

#### Igneous Rocks

	GRANITE
	BASALT
	UNDIFFERENTIATED IGNEOUS

#### Metamorphic Rocks

	SLATE, PHYLLITE, SCHIST
	GNEISS
	QUARTZITE

**NFGWE No Free Groundwater Encountered:** The borehole/test pit was dry soon after excavation; however groundwater could be present in less permeable strata. Inflow may have been observed had the borehole/test pit been left open for a longer period.

These tables are an extract from LANDSLIDE RISK MANAGEMENT CONCEPTS AND GUIDELINES as presented in Australian Geomechanics, Vol. 35, No. 1, 2000 which discusses the matter more fully.





# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP01

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **730.911 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 364536.694 N 7397477.023 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL ST L MD VST D H VD			
		0.10				SM	Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity	D			
						CI-CH	Sandy Gravelly CLAY, medium to high plasticity, red brown, fine to medium grained gravel (angular), fine to coarse grained sand				
	730	1		B		CI-CH	Sandy Gravelly CLAY, medium plasticity, purple brown, fine to medium grained angular gravel (quartz), fine to coarse grained sand				becoming moderately cemented at 0.8m, with colour change LL=38% PL=16% PI=22% LS=10.5% Emerson=6 MDD=1.93 t/m3 OMC=13.0% moderately to well cemented, possible hard stone material slow excavation
	729	2					CALCRETE, light grey to red brown, excavated as fine to coarse grained gravel				Calcrete gravels recovered at 2.2m, difficult to excavate
	728	3					END OF TEST PIT AT 2.70 m				
	727										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP02

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **731.548 m**

Co-ords: **E 365336.843 N 7397315.986 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL ST H	LD MD VD		
		0.20				SM	Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity with some fine gravel,	D			Damp layer between 0.05>150mm, root fibres
		0.50				CL-CH	Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, low to medium plasticity, red brown with traces of fine gravels				Slow excavation, no root fibres noted
	731						Gravelly Sandy CLAY, medium to high plasticity, purple brown, fine to coarse grained sub angular to sub rounded sand, fine sub angular to sub rounded gravel,				
		1									
		2									Some calccrete gravel fine to coarse, recovered at 2.2m Induration of lower area of clay, white mottling and some carbonate and iron sedimentation at base of clay
		2.50					CALCRETE, excavated as fine to coarse grained gravel, light grey to red brown				Difficult to excavate
	729						END OF TEST PIT AT 2.60 m				
		3									
	728										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP03

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **730.307 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 365567.054 N 7397628.786 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD			
	730	0.10				SM	Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity with traces fine gravel,	D				
						CL-Cl/SC	Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, low to medium plasticity, red brown with traces of fine angular gravel				Root fibres to 0.7m	
		0.70				Cl-CH	Gravelly Sandy CLAY, medium to high plasticity, purple brown, fine to coarse sub angular to sub rounded grained sand, fine sub angular to sub rounded gravel				slow excavation	
	729	1										
		2									Trace calcrete material at 2m, becoming very hard	
	728											
							END OF TEST PIT AT 2.40 m					
		3										
	727											

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP04

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **731.472 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 365894.298 N 7397276.214 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
WATER RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
							VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
	0.10				SM	Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity	Da			Roots in top 0.5m
	0.50				CL-CI/SC	Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, low to medium plasticity, red brown with traces of fine angular gravel	D			Slow excavation
	1.00				CI-CH	Gravelly Sandy CLAY, medium to high plasticity, purple brown, fine to coarse grained sub angular sand, fine sub angular to sub rounded gravel				
	1.50									
	2.00									
	2.50									Becoming very hard at 2.5m
	2.60									Becoming slightly calcareous @ 2.6m
	2.70					END OF TEST PIT AT 2.70 m				
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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP05

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **732.638 m**

Co-ords: **E 365829.293 N 7396921.637 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
WATER RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
							VS FB VL SL ST MD VST D H VD			
	0.20				SM	Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity, with traces of fine gravel	Da			
	0.50				CL-Cl/SC	Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, low to medium plasticity, red brown, with some fine sub angular to sub rounded gravel	D			
	732				Cl-CH	Gravelly Sandy CLAY, medium to high plasticity, purple brown, fine to coarse grained sub angular to sub rounded sand, fine sub angular to sub rounded gravel				slow excavation
	1									
	731									
	2									
	730									Very hard
										Trace calcareous material in base of test pit
	3					END OF TEST PIT AT 2.70 m				
	729									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP06

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **730.459 m**

Co-ords: **E 366247.065 N 7397473.784 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL ST MD VST D H VD			
		0.10			SM		Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity.	Da			
		0.45			CL- CI/SC		Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, low to medium plasticity, red brown, with some fine angular to sub rounded gravel	D			
	730	0.45			CL- CI/SC		Gravelly Clayey SAND/Sandy CLAY, medium to high plasticity, fine to coarse grained sand, purple brown, fine sub angular to sub rounded gravel. Some pockets/lenses have noticeable porosity. Readily breaks up when immersed in water				Traces of fine root fibres, slow excavation. Possible collapsable soils?
		1									
		1									
	729										Trace calcrete material at 1.8m
		2									Becoming very hard around 2m
		2									
		2.30					END OF TEST PIT AT 2.30 m				Calcrete excavated as fine to coarse angular gravel at base of test pit
	728										
		3									
		3									
	727										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP07

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **729.096 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 366366.558 N 7397886.806 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
	729	0.10			SM		Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained sand, red-brown, low plasticity,	D			Root fibres
		0.30			CL- CI/SC		Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, low to medium plasticity, red brown, with some fine sub angular gravel				
				B	CI- CH/SC		Gravelly Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, medium plasticity, fine to coarse grained sand, purple brown, fine sub angular to sub rounded gravel				LL=35% PL=17% PI=18% LS=9.5% CBR (soaked)=7% CBR (unsoaked)=40% Emerson=6 K (remoulded)=3.7E-10 Trace root fibres. Noticeable porosity in some places/lenses. readily disperses in water. possible collapsing soil.
	728	1									
	727	2									Trace calcrete material at 2.2m
							END OF TEST PIT AT 2.60 m				Calcrete excavated as fine gravel at base of test pit
	726	3									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## METP08

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **20/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **732.018 m**

Co-ords: **E 366371.393 N 7396921.858 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
	732	0.10				SM	Clayey Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity	D			Some root fibres
		0.30				CL-Cl/SC	Sandy CLAY/Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, low plasticity, red brown with some fine gravel				
						Cl-CH	Gravelly Sandy CLAY, medium to high plasticity, purple brown, fine to coarse grained sand, fine gravel (sub angular to sub rounded)				Slow digging
	731	1									
	730	2									Some calccrete material at 2.0m
		2.20					Calcrete at 2.2m, excavated as fine to coarse grained angular gravels				Calcrete at 2.2m, excavated as fine to coarse grained gravels
							END OF TEST PIT AT 2.30 m				Very hard
	729	3									

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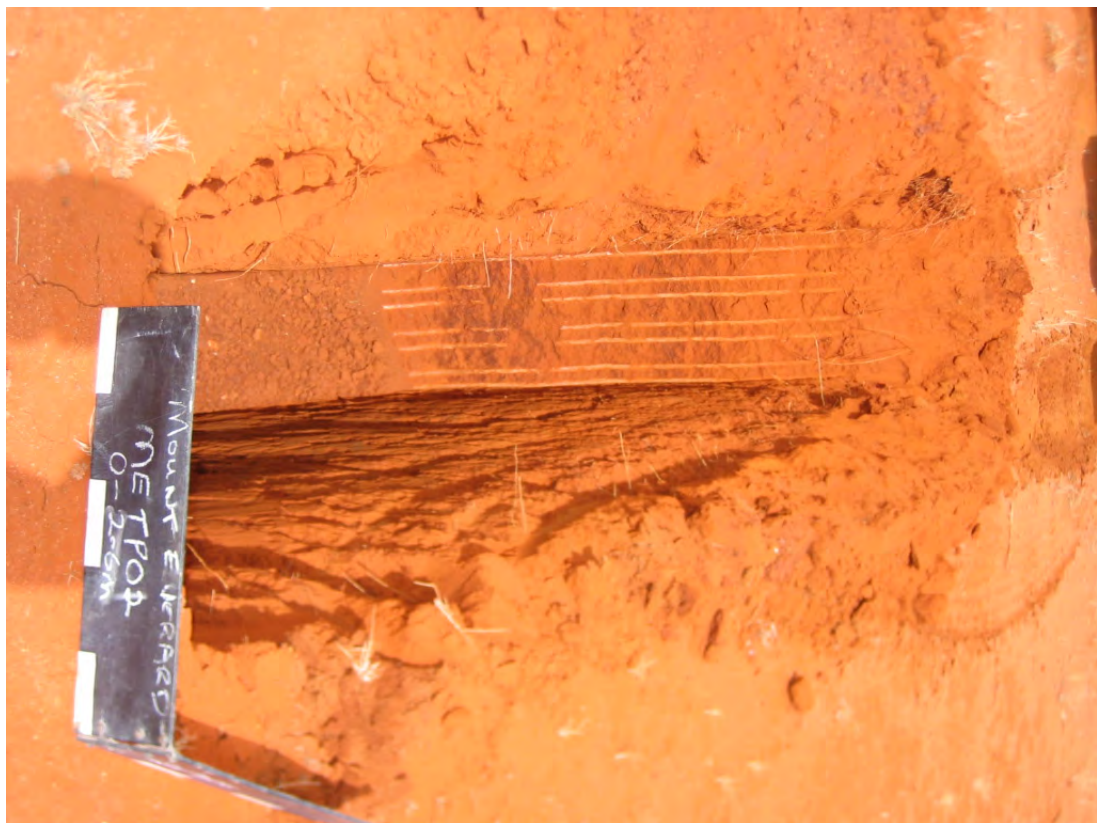
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METP01 0.0-0.27 m



METP02 0.00-2.6 m





METP03 0.0-2.4 m



METP04 0.0-2.7 m



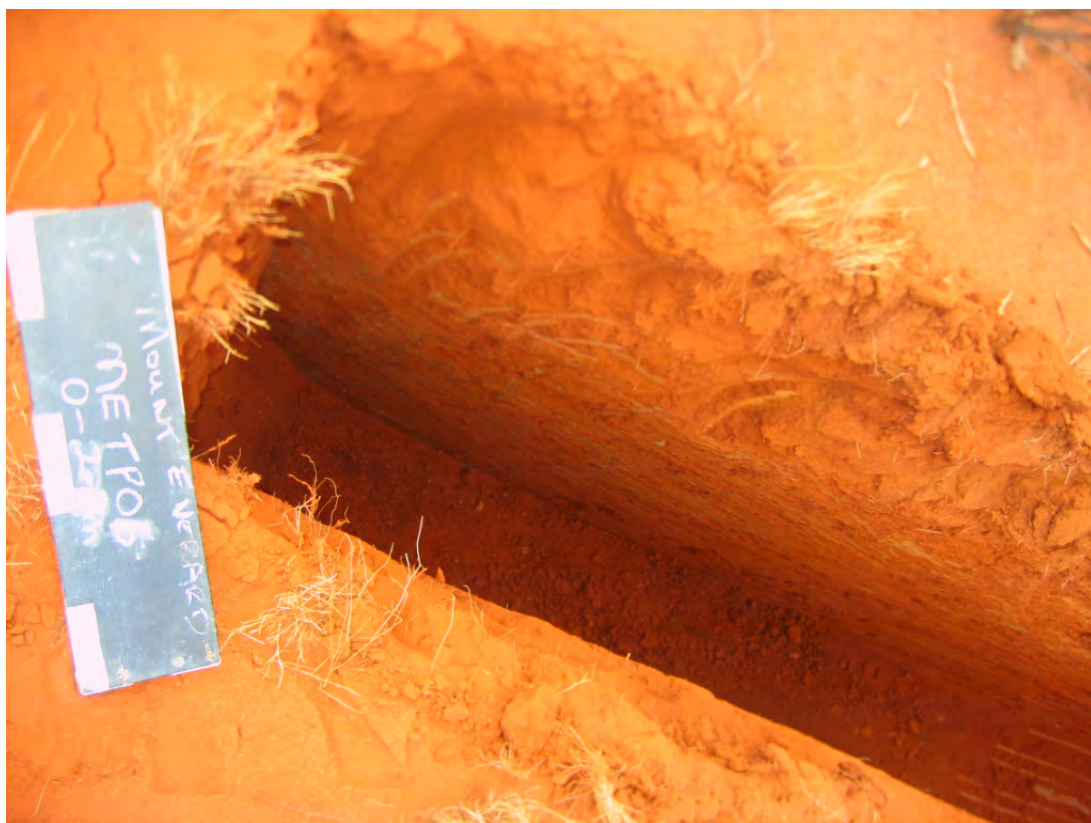


METP05 0.0-2.7 m



METP05 0.0-2.7 m





METP06 0.0-2.3 m



METP07 0.0-2.6 m



# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH01

SHEET 1 OF 7

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **24/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **731.474 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365691.05 N 7397324.975 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m		0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 54.9m Cement seal 0.0m - ~41m. Grout bridged at ~41m	0		731	0	Core Loss 0.0m - 2.4m				
				15		730	1					
				100		729	2.4	Gravelly Sandy CLAY. Red-brown, low plasticity, fine grained angular quartz, very stiff to hard				Occasional medium to coarse grained calcrete/silcrete gravel particles
				100		728	2.6	Gravelly Sandy CLAY. Red-brown with white calcite veining, low plasticity, cemented with angular silcrete gravels, hard, dry				Mottled red-brown/light grey/white @ 2.8m
				55		727	3.9	Core Loss 3.9m - 4.2m				
				100		726	4.2	Gravelly Sandy CLAY. Generally red brown with light grey to white mottling (calcite) fine to coarse grained sand, fine angular quartz gravel, poorly to moderately cemented				
				100		725	5.6	Interbedded SANDSTONE and CLAYSTONE. Red-brown to grey-green with abundant red-brown staining throughout, very low strength, extremely weathered with some angular fragments of extremely granitic gneiss.	RS			
				100	18	724	6.7	SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, grey-green with abundant red-brown staining, very low to low strength with some medium strength layers, highly weathered, granoblastic texture	HW			Sample MEBH01 6.7m - 7.0m
				68		723	7	Some minor CLAYSTONE layers				Quartz vein @ 8.0m, <10mm thick
						722	8					Numerous quartz veins <5mm thick. Some brecciated zones with fragments of gneiss and quartz veins between 9.0m - 9.15m

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH01

SHEET 2 OF 7

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **24/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **731.474 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 365691.05 N 7397324.975 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ				100	69	721	10.0		SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, red-brown, highly to moderately weathered, very low to low strength, massive  Noticeable porosity with some cavities up to 10mm wide.	HW-MW			Visibly coarser with colour change from grey green to red-brown. Some clasts up to 10mm. Solution cavities along calcite veins close to 11.2m
				100	99	720	11.0			MW-SW			Maximum particle size 20mm
				100	83	719	12.0						Sample MEBH01 12.1m - 12.4m
				100	83	718	13.0						
				100	80	718	13.5		CONGLOMERATE. Becoming coarser grained with generally medium sized angular gravel fragments including foliated gneiss, quartz, ployimictic, no orientation noted	HW-MW			Maximum particle size 50mm
				100	80	717	14.0		Colour change from red-brown to brown				
				100	80	717	14.5		SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, red-brown, highly to moderately weathered, very low to low strength, massive  Noticeable porosity with some cavities up to 10mm wide.	HW			Maximum particle size 20mm (angular to sub angular), random orientation  Becoming generally finer grained @ 15.5m occasional fine to medium grained gravel clasts
				100	98	716	15.0						Reddish brown colour
				100	98	715	16.0						Reddish brown colour
				100	100	714	17.0						
				100	100	713	18.0						Becoming coarser grained with maximum particle size 20mm
				100	75	712	19.0						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH01

SHEET 3 OF 7

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **24/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **731.474 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365691.05 N 7397324.975 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 FH 10 FO 30 300 1000 3000				
HQ							711		<p>SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, red-brown, highly to moderately weathered, very low to low strength, massive</p> <p>Noticeable porosity with some cavities up to 10mm wide. (continued)</p>	HW			Fine to coarse grained with very fine (silt/clay matrix)	
				100	100		21						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Becoming coarser grained with maximum particle size 10mm</li> <li>• Finer grained with occasional coarser clasts up to 10mm</li> </ul>	
							710							
				100	86		22							
							709							Sample MEBH 22.85m - 23.1m
							23				HW-MW			
				100	100		24							
							708							
							25							Colour change to mottled red-brown/brown/dark grey-black
				100	96		26							
							707							
							27						Generally highly weathered with occasional moderately weathered bands and of slightly higher strength	
				100	100		28						Some extremely weathered lenses	
							706							
							29							
				100	100		705							
							704							
							28							
				100	100		703							
							29			XW			Becoming extremely weathered and very low to low strength	
							702							

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH01

SHEET 4 OF 7

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **24/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **731.474 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365691.05 N 7397324.975 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 H 10 FH 30 TO 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ							701						
							30.7	X	Core Loss 30.7m - 31.1m				
				73	41		700		SANDSTONE. Recovered as Clayey Sandy Gravel/Gravelly Sandy Clay, very low strength, extremely weathered. Abundant angular quartz clasts up to 10mm. Colour change to brown with dark grey/ black angular clasts				
							699						
				100	90		698			HW			
							34			XW			Becoming mottled red-brown/brown. Slight increase in strength
							697			HW			
				100	100		696						
				90	80		695						Some angular quartz clasts up to 10mm
							36.4	X	Core Loss 36.4m - 36.55m				
				53	34		694		SANDSTONE. Recovered as Clayey Sandy Gravel/Gravelly Sandy Clay, very low strength, extremely weathered. Abundant angular quartz clasts up to 10mm. Color change to brown with dark grey/ black angular clasts	HW			
							38.2	X	Core Loss 38.2m - 38.8m				
				100	74		693		SANDSTONE. Recovered as Clayey Sandy Gravel/Gravelly Sandy Clay, very low strength, extremely weathered. Abundant angular quartz clasts up to 10mm. Color change to brown with dark grey/ black angular clasts	HW			
							39.7	X	Core Loss 39.7m - 40.3m				

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH01

SHEET 5 OF 7

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **24/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **731.474 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365691.05 N 7397324.975 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 FH	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ									Core Loss 39.7m - 40.3m (continued)				
					60	100	691		SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, reddish brown, angular clasts up to 20mm, highly weathered, very low to low strength	HW			Very consistent medium to coarse grained immature sandstone, angular clasts up to 20mm in places Occasional clay seam/extremely weathered layer grey, soft
			No backfill or grout				41						
							690						
					100	82	42						
							689						
							43						
					100	66	44						
							688						
							44.2		Core Loss 44.2m - 44.4m				
							687		SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, reddish brown, angular clasts up to 20mm, highly weathered, very low to low strength	HW			Several clay seams, recovered as clayey gravels
					86	84	45						
							686						
							45.8		Core Loss 45.8m - 46.8m				
							46						
					33	0	685						
							46.8		SANDSTONE. Medium to very coarse grained with high fines content, angular grains, extremely to very low strength, extremely weathered	XW			
							684						
							47.7		Core Loss 47.7m - 48.0m				
					80	80	48		SANDSTONE. Medium to very coarse grained with high fines content, angular grains, extremely to very low strength, extremely weathered	XW			
							683						
							48.8		QUARTZITE. Coarse grained, mottled light grey to grey green, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered quartz, mica, feldspar	XW HW			
					100	50	49						
							682						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH01

SHEET 6 OF 7

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **24/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **731.474 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365691.05 N 7397324.975 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 H 10 FH 30 FT 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ								x	QUARTZITE. Coarse grained, mottled light grey to grey green, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered quartz, mica, feldspar ( <i>continued</i> )	XW HW			
				100	37		51	x					
							51.6	x	QUARTZITE. Becoming finer grained with some coarse grained (up to 5-10mm) clasts, grey green, extremely low strength, extremely weathered				
				90	87		52	x					
							53	x					
							53.9	x	CLAYSTONE. Grey green with some red-brown mottling, some fine to medium grained sand visible, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered				
				76	100		54	x	Some coarser grained sandy lenses throughout				
							55	x					
				100	100		56	x					Calcite veining between 59.4m - 60.1m. Increase in strength (low to medium) Brecciation and infilling throughout
							57	x					
				100	38		58	x					
							59	x					
				100	100		60	x	Pebbly CLAYSTONE. Abundant sub-rounded clasts, brecciated and infilled, grading back to finer grained Claystone towards 60.1m				Sample MEBH01 59.55m - 59.9m
				66	66		66	x					

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH01

SHEET 7 OF 7

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **24/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **731.474 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365691.05 N 7397324.975 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 H 10 FH 30 F 100 S 300 SS 1000 S3 3000			
HQ							60.7		CLAYSTONE. Grey green with some red-brown mottling, some fine to medium grained sand visible, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered	XW HW			
							67.1		Some coarser grained sandy lenses throughout				
				100	100		67.0						
							62						
							62.9		Interbedded SANDSTONE and CLAYSTONE. Generally grey-green with red-brown mottling, fine grained sandstone very thinly bedded				
				100	100		66.9						
							63						
							66.8						
							64						
				100	100		66.7						
							65						
							65.3		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, generally grey green with red-brown clasts, brecciated and infilled, low to medium strength, highly to moderately weathered, very thinly bedded	HW MW XW HW			
				100	100		65.7						
							66.6		CLAYSTONE. Grey green with some red-brown mottling, some fine to medium grained sand visible, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered	HW MW			
							66.5						
							67		Some coarser grained sandy lenses throughout				
				100	100		66.4		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, generally grey green with red-brown clasts, brecciated and infilled, low to medium strength, highly to moderately weathered, very thinly bedded				
							68						
							66.3						
				100	100		69						
							66.2						
									END OF BOREHOLE AT 69.70 m				

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH02

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **25/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **26/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **730.097 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365847.594 N 7397692.621 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m		0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 28.0m Cement seal 0.0m - 6.0m	16		730			Core Loss 0.0m - 1.5m				
						729	1						
						728	2		Clayey SAND/Sandy CLAY. Fine to coarse grained, red-brown, med-high plasticity with some fine angular gravel, dry, very hard/dense				Some medium grained angular quartz gravels
					100	727	3						Light grey mottling @ 3.0m (carbonation - marbling effect)
						726	4		SAND. Medium to coarse grained, red-brown with some angular quartz gravel, loose Gravelly Sandy CLAY. Medium to high plasticity, red-brown, fine to coarse grained angular sand and gravel Clayey Sandy GRAVEL. Angular fine to coarse grained, red-brown, occasional hard cemented layers, some fines				
						725	5		Core Loss 4.8m - 5.1m				
					100	724	6		Clayey Sandy GRAVEL. Angular fine to coarse grained, red-brown, occasional hard cemented layers, some fines	XW HW			
			Backfilled 6.0m - 10.0m			723	7		Core Loss 6.3m - 6.45m SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, red-brown to brown, Abundant fine to medium grained angular quartz. Numerous clay seams up to 20mm thick				Sandstone appears to be thinly bedded
					90	722	8						Numerous quartz veins between 8.1m - 8.4m (<10mm)
					56	721	9		CONGLOMERATE. Coarse grained with sandy matrix, generally grey-brown, abundant angular quartz, very low to low strength, highly weathered, (monocitic?), no orientation noted Core Loss 9.3m - 10.0m	HW			

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH02

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **25/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **26/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **730.097 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365847.594 N 7397692.621 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 LH 10 TO 30 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ			Bentonite bridged @ 10.0m. No backfill below	46	0	720	10.8		CONGLOMERATE. Coarse grained with sandy matrix, generally grey-brown, abundant angular quartz, very low to low strength, highly weathered, (monomictic?), no orientation noted	HW			Sample MEBH02 10.8m - 10.9m Some interbedded conglomerate and pebbly sandstone below 11.0m
				100	100	719	11						
				100	100	718	12						
				100	100	717	13		Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, red-brown, low to moderate strength, highly to slightly weathered	MW-SW			Sample MEBH02 13.4m - 13.6m some grey/green banding throughout Colour change to mottled red/brown/grey-green @ 14.8m Colour change to grey-brown @ 15.4m
				100	100	716	14						
				100	100	715	15						
				100	100	714	16						
				100	100	713	17			HW			Becoming more weathered and low strength @ 17m. also increase in coarse grained clasts up to medium gravel size Occasional extremely weathered layers Some quartz veins 17.2m - 17.3m
				100	86	711	19						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH02

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **25/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **26/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **730.097 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365847.594 N 7397692.621 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 FH 10			
HQ				100	86		710		Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, red-brown, low to moderate strength, highly to slightly weathered (continued)	HW			Extremely weathered layer, sandy clay consistency
							21			XW			
							709			HW			
				100	73		22						
							708						
							22.8		Core Loss 22.8m - 23.5				
							707						
				53	53		23.5		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, mottled brown/red-brown, with some grey green, very low strength, extremely weathered (recovered as poorly cemented sands)	HW			
							706			XW			
				100	0		25						
							25.8		Core Loss 25.8m - 26.5m				
							704						
				46	0		26.5		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, mottled brown/red-brown, with some grey green, very low strength, extremely weathered (recovered as poorly cemented sands)	XW			
							27						
							27.3		Core Loss 27.3m - 30.3m				
							703						
							28						
				0	0		702						
							29						
				0	0		701						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH02

SHEET 4 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **MOUNT EVERARD**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **25/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **26/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **MKD/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **730.097 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 365847.594 N 7397692.621 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 LT 30 T 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ							700	X	Core Loss 27.3m - 30.3m (continued)				
				100	100		30.3		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, mainly brown with some red-brown mottling.	XW HW			
				100	80		31		Recovered as very stiff to hard clayey Sand with occasional low to moderate strength layers <200mm				
				100	90		32			HW			
				100	100		33						Becoming finer grained @ 32.8m
				100	90		34						
				100	100		35						
				100	100		36			XW			Becoming extremely weathered & extremely low strength @ 35.8m
				100	100		37			HW			Also becoming finer grained
				100	90		38						
				100	100		39						

16/10/06

END OF BOREHOLE AT 40.00 m

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH03

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>24/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>25/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>MOUNT EVERARD</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>730.984 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 365370.465 N 7397527.717 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FL ST H	FB VL L MD VST D H	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 26.0m Cement seal 0.0m - 6.0m	730	1				CL/C	Gravelly Sandy CLAY. Low to medium plasticity, reddish brown to brown, fine to coarse grained sand and gravel, dry			
				729	2					Variable amounts of gravel returned generally increasing amounts towards 7.0m			
				728	3								
				727	4								
				726	5								
				725	6								
			Backfilled 6.0m - 24.0	724	7.00								
				723	8					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.			
				722	9					variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered.			

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH03

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	24/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	25/8/06
Borehole Location:	MOUNT EVERARD	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	730.984 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 365370.465 N 7397527.717 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L ST MD VST D H		
RAB				720	11					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.  variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered. <i>(continued)</i>	D		Samples collected from 0.0m - 10.0m. Remainder of borehole logged from available drilling returns and correlated from cored boreholes MEBH01 & MEBH02  Decrease in drilling rate at approximately 12m - 15m. Slight colour change to mainly red brown
				719	12								
				718	13								
				717	14								
				716	15								
				715	16								
				714	17								
				713	18								
				712	19								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH03

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	24/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	25/8/06
Borehole Location:	MOUNT EVERARD	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	730.984 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 365370.465 N 7397527.717 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FL ST H	FB VL L MD VST D	
RAB			<p>Bentonite seal 24.0m - 25.0m</p> <p>Gravel filter pack 25.0m - 38.0m</p> <p>Slotted pipe section 26.0m - 38.0m</p>	710	21					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.	D		
				709	22					variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered. <i>(continued)</i>			
				708	23								
				707	24								
				706	25								
				705	26								
				704	27								
				703	28								
				702	29								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH04

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>25/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>26/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>MOUNT EVERARD</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>731.634 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 365371.123 N 7397339.91 GDA_94 Z_53</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS	FB VL L MD VST D H	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 26.0m Cement seal 0.0m - 6.0m	731	1			CL/C		Gravelly Sandy CLAY. Low to medium plasticity, reddish brown to brown, fine to coarse grained sand and gravel, dry	D		
				730	2					Variable amounts of gravel returned generally increasing amounts towards 7.0m			
				729	3								
				728	4								
				727	5								
				5.00									
				726	6					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.			
			Backfilled 6.0m - 24.0	725	7					variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered.			
				724	8					Variable colour from grey-green to red brown throughout			
				723	9								
				722									

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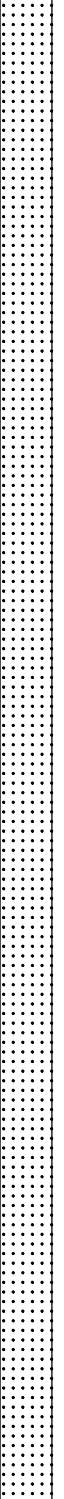


# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

# MEBH04

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	25/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	26/8/06
Borehole Location:	MOUNT EVERARD	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	731.634 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 365371.123 N 7397339.91 GDA_94 Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										VS FL SH	FB VL L ST MD VST D H	
RAB				721	11				SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.  variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered.  Variable colour from grey-green to red brown throughout ( <i>continued</i> )	D		<p>Samples collected from 0.0m - 10.0m. Remainder of borehole logged from available drilling returns and correlated from cored boreholes MEBH01 &amp; MEBH02</p>
				720	12							
				719	13							
				718	14							
				717	15							
				716	16							
				715	17							
				714	18							
				713	19							
				712								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH04

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>25/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>26/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>MOUNT EVERARD</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>731.634 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 365371.123 N 7397339.91 GDA_94 Z_53</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											FB VL VS L LL PL SH		
RAB			<p>Bentonite seal 24.0m - 25.0m</p> <p>Gravel filter pack 25.0m - 38.0m</p> <p>Slotted pipe section 26.0m - 38.0m</p>	711	21					<p>SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.</p> <p>variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered.</p> <p>Variable colour from grey-green to red brown throughout (<i>continued</i>)</p>	D		
				710	22								
				709	23								
				708	24								
				707	25								
				706	26								
				705	27								
				704	28								
				703	29								
				702									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

## MEBH05

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>27/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>27/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>MOUNT EVERARD</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>726.341 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 364975 N 7398798 GDA_94_Z_53</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FL ST H	FB VL L MD VST D	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 26.0m Cement seal 0.0m - 6.0m	726	0				CL/C	Gravelly Sandy CLAY. Low to medium plasticity, reddish brown to brown, fine to coarse grained sand and gravel, dry	D		
					1					Variable amounts of gravel returned generally increasing amounts towards 7.0m			
					2								
					3								
					4								
					5								
					6					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.			
					7					variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered.			
			Backfilled 6.0m - 24.0		8					Variable colour from grey-green to red brown throughout			
					9								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH05

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	27/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	27/8/06
Borehole Location:	MOUNT EVERARD	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	726.341 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 364975 N 7398798 GDA_94_Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										VS FL	FB VL L MD ST VD H	
RAB				716	11				SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.	D		<p>Samples collected from 0.0m - 10.0m. Remainder of borehole logged from available drilling returns and correlated from cored boreholes MEBH01 &amp; MEBH02</p>
				715	12				variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered.			
				714	13				Variable colour from grey-green to red brown throughout ( <i>continued</i> )			
				713	14							
				712	15							
				711	16							
				710	17							
				709	18							
				708	19							
				707								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MEBH05

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	27/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	27/8/06
Borehole Location:	MOUNT EVERARD	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	726.341 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 364975 N 7398798 GDA_94_Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											FB VL VS L S H	LD MD ST VD H	
RAB				706						SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional gravel, grey to red-brown, abundant fines, dry.  variable amounts of fine to coarse grained gravel with some clayey layers encountered.  Variable colour from grey-green to red brown throughout ( <i>continued</i> )	D		
					21								
					705								
					22								
					704								
					23								
					703								
					24								
					702								
					25								
					701								
					26								
					700								
					27								
					699								
					28								
					698								
					29								
					697								

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MEBH01 0.0-7.7 m



MEBH01 7.7-13.3 m





MEBH01 13.3-18.7 m



MEBH01 18.7-24.4



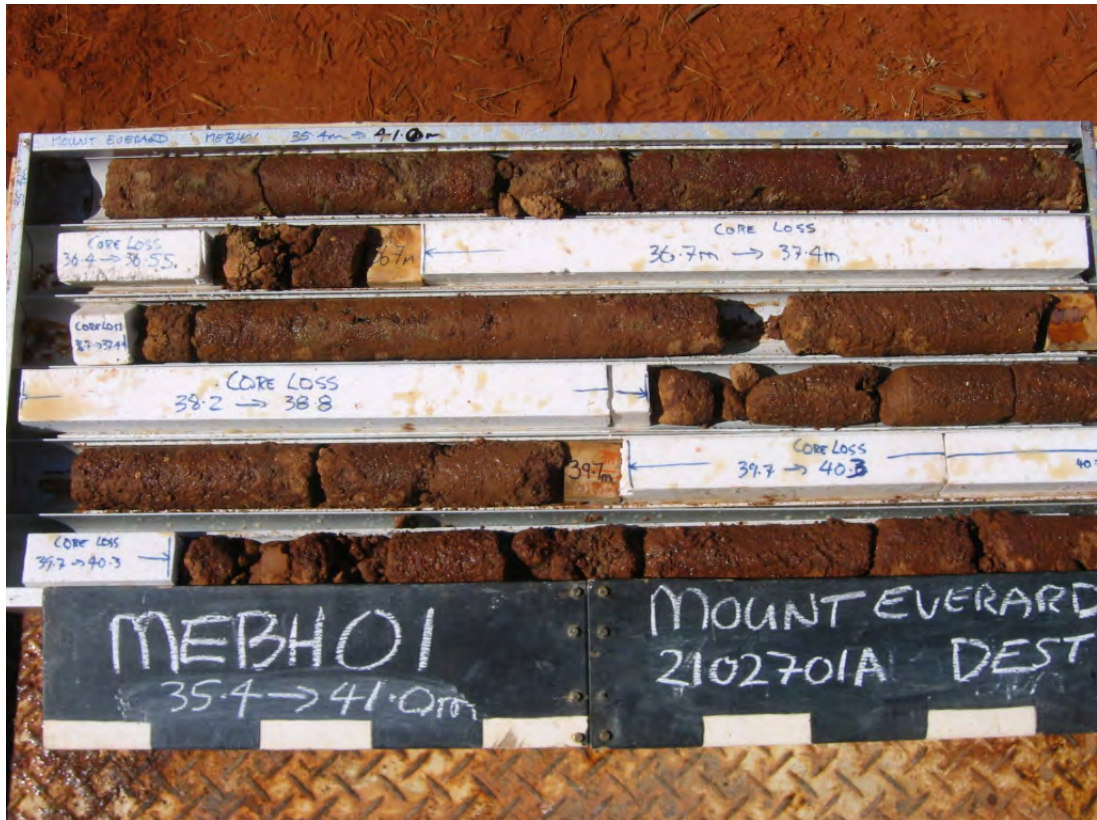


MEBH01 24.4-30.0 m



MEBH01 30.0-35.4 m





MEBH01 35.4-41.0 m



MEBH01 41.0-46.8 m





MEBH01 46.8-52.3 m



MEBH01 52.3-57.9 m





MEBH01 57.9-63.5 m



MEBH01 63.4-68.8 m





MEBH01 68.7-69.7 m



MEBH02 0.0-5.8 m



MEBH02 5.8-11.44 m





MEBH02 14.44-17.0 m



MEBH02 17.0-22.6 m





MEBH02 22.6-28.1 m



MEBH02 28.1-33.7 m





MEBH02 33.7-39.6 m



MEBH02 39.6-40.0 m



# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP01

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **657.196 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 444292.467 N 7459419.347 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD J ST L	MD VST D H VD	
	657			B	[Dotted Pattern]	SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown with some low plasticity fines	D			Some roots  LL=17% PL=13% PI=4% LS=1.0% MDD=2.14 t/m <sup>3</sup> OMC=6.5%
	656	1.00		B	[Diagonal Pattern]	SC	Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity fines with trace fine gravel				Easily excavated LL=20% PL=12% PI=8% LS=3.5% CBR (soaked)=30 CBR (unsoaked)=130% Emerson=5 K (remoulded)=6.2E-10
	655	2.00									
	654	3.00					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP02

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **656.473 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 444400.186 N 7459697.772 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
WATER RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE VS FB VL SL	RELATIVE DENSITY CONSISTENCY L MD ST D VST D H VD	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
	0.30				SM	Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity, with some fine angular gravel	M			Trace roots
656					SW	Sand, fine to coarse grained, red brown with low plasticity fines				Some roots
	1.20				SW	Sand, fine to coarse grained, red brown with an increase in low plasticity fines content (>30%)	D			Becoming dry at 1.2m
655										Becoming very dense at 1.9m, slow excavation
654										
	3					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				
653										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP03

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **654.805 m**

Co-ords: **E 444097.461 N 7460115.964 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL L ST MD VST D H VD			
		0.30			[Dotted pattern]	SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, reddish brown, with trace fines	Da			
	654	1			[Dotted pattern]	SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown with some fines				
		1.20			[Dotted pattern]	SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown with increase in low to medium plasticity fines				
	653	2			[Diagonal lines]	SW-SC	Clayey SAND/SAND, fine to coarse grained, medium to high plasticity, red brown				
	652										
		3					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				
	651										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP05

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **652.795 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 444515.243 N 7460540.438 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL ST L MD VST D H VD			
	652	1.00			[Dotted pattern]	SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, with some fines	D			Some roots in upper 200mm
		1.00			[Dotted pattern]	SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, with increase in fines				Becoming very dense, slow excavation
		2.00			[Dotted pattern]	SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, with some fines, and traces of fine angular gravel				
		3.00					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				
	649										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP06

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **652.535 m**

Co-ords: **E 444931.851 N 7460508.529 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
WATER RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE VS FB VL SL	RELATIVE DENSITY CONSISTENCY L MD ST D VST D H VD	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
	0.30				SM	Silty SAND, fine to coarse grained, reddish brown, low plasticity	D			Some roots
	0.62				SC	Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity fines, trace fine gravel	Da			Increase in fines Becoming very hard, slow excavation
	1.00				B					LL=32% PL=12% PI=20% LS=7.5%
	1.50				B					Trace rock fragments (gneiss) @ 2.0m
	2.40				GP	Sandy GRAVEL, fine to medium angular gravel, fine to coarse grained sand, brown				River gravel, partial collapse below 2.4m
	2.80					END OF TEST PIT AT 2.80 m				
	3.00									
	3.49									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP07

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **653.190 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 445223.866 N 7460103.256 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL L ST MD VST D H VD			
	653	0.30				SC	Silty Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, reddish brown, low plasticity fines	D			
						SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, with some fines and traces of fine angular gravel				
		1									
	652										
		2									
						GP	Cemented rock fragments and calcrete/silcrete, fine to coarse grained, white, fragments of gneiss and quartzite. Easily excavated.				
	651	2.10									
							END OF TEST PIT AT 2.60 m				Refusal @ 2.6m
		3									
	650										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP08

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **653.666 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 445004.386 N 7460004.791 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL ST MD VST D H VD			
		0.60				SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, with some fine angular gravel and fines	D			Surface veneer of silty sand Some roots in top 0.3m
	653					SC	Clayey SAND, fine to coarse grained, medium to high plasticity, red brown				Becoming very hard, slow excavation
	652	1.60					CALCRETE/SILCRETE, excavated as fine to coarse angular gravel grained gravel with fragments of angular quartz END OF TEST PIT AT 1.70 m				Refusal @ 1.7m
		2.00									
	651										
		3.00									
	650										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP09

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **656.633 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 444617.071 N 7459661.497 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
WATER RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE VS FB VL SL	RELATIVE DENSITY CONSISTENCY L MD ST D H VD	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
	656				SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, with some fines	D			Some rocks in upper 300mm
	1									Increase in fines
	655									Very hard at 1.9m, slow excavation
	2									
	654									
	3					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				Fragments of rock (Granitic Gneiss)
	653									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## H RTP10

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **21/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **21/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 315D**

Surface RL: **656.782 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 443815.74 N 7459719.745 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL ST H	MD VD		
	656	1				SW	SAND, fine to coarse grained, red brown, with some fines	D			Surface veneer of silty sand, roots in top 0.3m
	655	2									Increase in fines Becoming very hard, slow excavation
											Very hard, very slow to excavate
							END OF TEST PIT AT 2.30 m				Refusal @ 2.3m
	654	3									
	653										

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H RTP01 0.0-3.0 m



H RTP02 0.0-3.0 m





HRT03 0.0-3.0 m



HRT04 0.0-3.0 m



HRT05 0.0-3.0 m



HRT06 0.0-2.8 m





HRT07 0.0-2.6 m



HRT08 0.0-2.3 m



HRTF09 0.0-3.0 m





# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH01

SHEET 1 OF 10

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **13/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **16/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **656.550 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m	0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 24.0m Cement seal 0.0m - 6.0m	60		656	0.6	X	Core Loss 0.0m - 0.6m				Core sample recovered 0.0m - 10.0m
						655	1		Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity, loose to medium dense, dry, occasional poorly cemented bands.				
				100		654	2						
						653	3.3	X	Core Loss 3.0m - 3.4m				
				73		653	3.4		Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity, loose to medium dense, dry, occasional poorly cemented bands.				
						652	4		Some fine to medium angular gravel fragments				
						652	4.5		... @ 4.5m grading to ...				
				100	100	651	5		Pebbly SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, reddish brown, with angular to sub rounded clasts (clasts supported), poorly cemented with some stronger cemented bands throughout, occasionally larger than 50m angular fragments. Bedding not visible.	XW-HW			
						650	6	X	Core Loss 6.0m - 7.5m				Recovery of some angular pebbly fragments indicating alluvial channel sequence of sands.
			Backfilled 6.0m - 19.0m	0	0	650	7						
						649	7.5		Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, reddish brown, composition variable throughout with interlayered coarser and finer sands, clasts are angular to sub-rounded, supported, generally extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to very low strength.				recovered as medium to coarse grained sand between 8.0m - 8.3m, abundant mica and quartz.
				100	80	648	8						
						647	9						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH01

SHEET 2 OF 10

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **13/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **16/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **656.550 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 FH 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ									Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, reddish brown, composition variable throughout with interlayered coarser and finer sands, clasts are angular to sub-rounded, supported, generally extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to very low strength. (continued)	XW-HW			
				100	100		646						
							11						
							645						Occasional pebbly fragments recovered throughout.
							12		Core Loss 12.0m - 13.55m				Recovered material sand and pebbles fragments in core catcher.
				6	0		644						
							13						
				95	95		643		Conglomerate, fine to coarse grained, grey, angular to sub-rounded clasts, matrix supported. @ 13.65m grading to ... Pebbly SANDSTONE. As above with some grey banding, no bedding or orientation visible.	HW			Generally highly weathered with some extremely weathered bands, easily broken by hand throughout.
				100	100		642		Increase in pebbly fragments at 15.5m with some finer grained interlayered (quartzite pebbles)				
				100	100		641						
				100	100		640						Abundant mica and quartz throughout.
				100	100		639						
				100	100		638						
							18		Core Loss 18.0m - 18.8m				
				60	60		637		Several large fragments of gneiss showing augen foliation features, mainly recovered as cemented sand.				
							19						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH01

SHEET 3 OF 10

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **13/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **16/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **656.550 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 H 10 LT			
HQ			Gravel filter pack 20.0m - 36.0m	100	30		20.5		SANDSTONE. Very fine grained matrix with some medium to coarse grained sand (quartzite). Green grey with red brown and orange brown colour bands, red brown sections generally harder. Extremely weathered, very low strength.	HW XW HW			Sample HRBH01 20.5m-21.5m
				100	100		21						
				100	100		22						
				100	100		22.5		Core Loss 22.5m - 23.2m				
				53	0		23						
				53	0		23.5		SANDSTONE. Very fine grained matrix with some medium to coarse grained sand (quartzite). Green grey with red brown and orange brown colour bands, red brown sections generally harder. Extremely weathered, very low strength.	XW HW			
				53	0		23.7						
				56	0		24		Recovered as SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, loose. Core Loss 24.0m - 24.65m	XW			
				56	0		24.6						
				56	0		24.6		SANDSTONE. Very fine grained matrix with some medium to coarse grained sand (quartzite). Green grey with red brown and orange brown colour bands, red brown sections generally harder. Extremely weathered, very low strength.	XW HW			
				100	100		25						Colour change to light brown/tan to light grey similar composition. Becoming mottled grey-green/orange brown. Slight increase in strength. 25.6 m. Easily broken by hand throughout with occasional harder section can be moulded by hand with properties of a clayey sand, low plasticity. Sample HRBH01 26.5m-26.8m
				100	100		26						
				100	100		27						
				100	100		28						
				100	100		29						
				100	100		28						
				100	100		27						
				100	100		26						
				100	100		25						
				100	100		24						
				100	100		23						
				100	100		22						
				100	100		21						
				100	100		20						
				100	100		19						
				100	100		18						
				100	100		17						
				100	100		16						
				100	100		15						
				100	100		14						
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				100	100		12						
				100	100		11						
				100	100		10						
				100	100		9						
				100	100		8						
				100	100		7						
				100	100		6						
				100	100		5						
				100	100		4						
				100	100		3						
				100	100		2						
				100	100		1						
				100	100		0						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH01

SHEET 4 OF 10

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **13/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **16/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **656.550 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ									SANDSTONE. Very fine grained matrix with some medium to coarse grained sand (quartzite). Green grey with red brown and orange brown colour bands, red brown sections generally harder. Extremely weathered, very low strength. (continued)	XW-HW			Occasional black veining.
				100	100	626	31						
				100	100	625	32						
				100	100	624	33						
				100	100	623	34						
				100	100	622	35						Slight increase in strength.
				100	100	621	36						
				100	100	620	37						
				100	100	619	38						Sample HRBH01 37.9m-38.35m
				100	86	618	39						
				100		617							

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH01

SHEET 5 OF 10

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **13/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **16/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **656.550 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10			
HQ									SANDSTONE. Very fine grained matrix with some medium to coarse grained sand (quartzite). Green grey with red brown and orange brown colour bands, red brown sections generally harder. Extremely weathered, very low strength. (continued)	XW HW			Extremely weathered sand @ 40m. Recovered as slightly clayey sand. Extremely weathered siltstone between 39.9m to 40.1m. Recovered as slightly clayey sand.
				100	100		41						
							42						Sample HRBH01 42.1m-42.35m
				100	100		43						Becoming finer grained @ 43.1m. Still SANDSTONE but increase in clay matrix and reduction in overall grain size.
				100	100		44						Occasional siltstone band throughout with similar colour variation.
				100	100		45						
				100	100		46						
				100	100		47						Increase in black veining/patches, very fine grained dull luster, very soft organic.
				100	100		48						Sample HRBH01 48.0m-48.35m
				100	100		49						
							50		SILTSTONE. Mottled orange brown grey, extremely to highly weathered, very low to low strength.				Generally very fine grained, some fine grained sand visible.

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## HRBH01

SHEET 6 OF 10

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 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

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 Date Completed: **16/8/06**  
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 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 T 30 300 1000 3000			
HQ				100	100		50.5		SANDSTONE. Very fine grained matrix with some medium to coarse grained sand (quartzite). Green grey with red brown and orange brown colour bands, red brown sections generally harder. Extremely weathered, very low strength.	XW HW			Sample HRBH01 50.5m-50.75
				86	86		51						Sample HRBH01 51.7m-52.15m Band of black (organic) material @ 51.8m.
							52						Band of black (organic) material @ 52.0m.
				100	100		53		SILTSTONE/CLAYSTONE. Mottled grey/green to red brown, highly to extremely weathered, very low to low strength (no bedding visible), deep cracking on drying.				
				100	100		54		Interbedded SILTSTONE/SANDSTONE, similar colouration, abundant quarts in places within sandstone.				
				100	100		55						
				100	100		56		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, mottled red brown-grey, low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, abundant clay/fragments gravelly material.				
				100	100		57						
				100	100		58		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled grey-orange brown with occasionally black particles (organic?), very low to low strength, extremely weathered.				Sample HRBH01 58.2m-58.4m Abundant black (organic) veining and patches between 58.3m and 58.5m.
				100	100		59						

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## HRBH01

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Project: <b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed: <b>16/8/06</b>
Borehole Location: <b>HARTS RANGE</b>	Recorded By: <b>NH</b>
Project Number: <b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By: <b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting: <b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Hole Angle: <b>90°</b>	Surface RL: <b>656.550 m</b>
Borehole Diameter: <b>97 mm</b>	Bearing: <b>---</b>	Co-ords: <b>E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA_94 Z_53</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 LH 30 TH 100 TL 300 TO 1000 TT 3000			
HQ							596	[Dotted pattern]	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled grey-orange brown with occasionally black particles (organic?), very low to low strength, extremely weathered. (continued)	XW-HW			Abundant black organic patches between 60.3m and 61.6m.
				100	100		61	[Dotted pattern]					
							595	[Dotted pattern]					
				100	100		62	[Dotted pattern]					
							594	[Dotted pattern]					
							63	[Dotted pattern]					
							593	[Dotted pattern]	Core Loss 63.43m - 63.55m				
				94	65		64	[Dotted pattern]	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled grey-orange brown with occasionally black particles (organic?), very low to low strength, extremely weathered.	XW-HW			Black organic patches between 63.9m and 64.2m.
							592	[Dotted pattern]					
				100	100		65	[Dotted pattern]	SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, mottled grey-orange-brown some angular quartzite gravel Reduction in fines				
							591	[Dotted pattern]					
							60	[Dotted pattern]	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mostly grey-orange brown, increase in fines again.				
				100	100		67	[Dotted pattern]					
							589	[Dotted pattern]					
							68	[Dotted pattern]	Core Loss 67.9m - 67.95m				
				99	93		68	[Dotted pattern]	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mostly grey, reduction in fines.				
							588	[Dotted pattern]					
							69	[Dotted pattern]					
				100	100		587	[Dotted pattern]					

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH01

SHEET 8 OF 10

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Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>16/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>HARTS RANGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Hole Angle:	<b>90°</b>	Surface RL:	<b>656.550 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>97 mm</b>	Bearing:	<b>---</b>	Co-ords:	<b>E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA_94 Z_53</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 LH 30 T 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ							586		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mostly grey, reduction in fines. (continued)	XW-HW			
				100	100		71		SILTSTONE. Very fine grained, grey with occasional dark brown patches, very low strength, extremely weathered				
							585						
				100	100		73						Sample HRBH01 73.0m-73.25m
							584						
				100	100		74						
							583						
				100	100		75		Interbedded SILTSTONE/SANDSTONE, fine to medium grained, mostly grey with red/brown patches.				
							582						
				100	100		76						
							581						
				100	100		77						
							580						
				100	100		78						
							579						
				80	80		78.15		Core Loss 78.15m - 78.45m				
							578		Interbedded SILTSTONE/SANDSTONE, fine to medium grained, mostly grey with red/brown patches.				
							79						
							577						Sample HRBH01 79.6m-79.8m

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## HRBH01

SHEET 9 OF 10

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 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **13/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **16/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **656.550 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 444275.823 N 7459866.446 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 TO	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ				100	100		576		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, grey to brown, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered ( <i>continued</i> )	XW-HW			Black organic traces.
				100	100		575		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, grey, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered				
				100	100		574		SANDSTONE. Medium grained, grey with brown patches, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered.				
				100	100		573		Interbedded SILTSTONE/SANDSTONE, mainly brown with some grey streaks, fine to medium grained sandstone, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered				
				100	100		572						
				100	100		571						
				100	100		570						
				100	100		569						Slight increase in strength.
				100	100		568						
				100	100		567						

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## HRBH01

SHEET 10 OF 10

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 H 3 VH 10 EH 30 E 100 V 300 L 1000 S 3000			
HQ				80	0		90.3	X	Core Loss 90.3m - 90.4m	XW			Slight change in overall structure of rock. Increase in core loss due to weathered bands. May indicate second water level (aquifer).
				100	100		91		Interbedded SILTSTONE/SANDSTONE, mainly brown with some grey streaks, fine to medium grained sandstone, very low to low strength extremely to highly weathered	HW			
				100	100		92			HW			
				100	100		93	X	Core Loss 93.0m - 93.4m				
				73	73		94		Interbedded SILTSTONE/SANDSTONE, mainly brown with some grey streaks, fine to medium grained sandstone, very low to low strength extremely to highly weathered	XW			
				80	30		95		Extremely weathered SANDSTONE. Recovered as very loose fine to coarse grained sand between 94.5m to 95m				
				100	100		96		SILTSTONE. Generally very fine grained with some medium grained sand fragments, mottled grey to red brown, very low to low strength, high to extremely weathered.				
				100	100		97		... @ 95.3m grading to ... SANDSTONE. Very loose, fine to coarse grained. Abundant fines, similar colouration throughout.				
				100	100		98		SANDSTONE. Very loose fine to coarse grained. Abundant fines, similar colouration throughout.	XW			
				10	0		99	X	Core Loss 98.7m - 99.9m. Core slipped from catcher several times only 100mm recovered after several attempts.				

Hole terminated @ 100.0m

END OF BOREHOLE AT 100.00 m

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH02

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **17/8/06**  
 Date Completed:  
 Recorded By: **AT**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **654.523 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 444853.628 N 7459845.723 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m	EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 H 10			
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 22.0m Cement seal 0.1m - 6.0m	80	80	654	0.8	Core Loss 0.0m - 0.2m				Range from coarse to fine grained.
						653	1.6	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, loose, red brown, poorly cemented.				Some large gravel fragments 5-10mm in size.
						652	2	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, very loose, red brown, very poorly cemented.				
				100	100	651	3.6	Core Loss 3.45m - 4.15m				
				53	53	650	4.1	Silty SAND with very high gravel contents, red/brown, poorly cemented.				
				100	100	649	5					
			Backfilled 6.0m - 16.0m			648	6.0	Core Loss 6.0m - 7.3m				
				0	0	647	7.3	Weathered quartz and other rocks fragments.	XW-HW			Rock fragments 10-50mm
				100	100	646	7.6	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained with some coarse grains, mottled light grey/reddish brown, very low strength with occasional low to medium strength bands, extremely to highly weathered.				
						645	9	Abundant fines throughout				

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH02

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **17/8/06**  
 Date Completed:  
 Recorded By: **AT**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°**  
 Bearing: **---**  
 Surface RL: **654.523 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 444853.628 N 7459845.723 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 FH 30 TO 100 300 1000 3000			
RAB									SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained with some coarse grains, mottled light grey/reddish brown, very low strength with occasional low to medium strength bands, extremely to highly weathered.	XW-HW			
					100	644	11		Abundant fines throughout (continued)				
					100	643	12						
					100	642	13						
					100	641	14						
					100	640	15						
					100	639	16						Colour change to pale orange brown/tan and light grey
					100	638	17						
					100	637	18						Quartz fragments 0.1-1mm size interbedded within sandstone.
					86	636	19						
					86	635	19.02		Core Loss 19.02m - 19.24m				
							19.24			XW-HW			Black organic layering at 20m, intermittent.

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH02

SHEET 3 OF 4

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Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
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METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 VH 1 H 3 FH 10 TO 30 300 1000 3000			
RAB				100	100	634	21		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained with some coarse grains, mottled light grey/ pale orange brown, very low strength with occasional low to medium strength bands, extremely to highly weathered.	XW-HW			
				100	100	633	22		Abundant fines throughout with occasional dark red brown (Fe staining) patches (continued)				
				100	100	632	23						
				100	100	631	24						
				100	100	630	25						
				100	100	629	26		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained with some coarse grains, mottled light grey/deep red brown, very low strength with occasional low to medium strength bands, extremely to highly weathered.				
				100	100	628	27		Distinct colour change to deep red brown				
				100	100	627	28		Abundant fines throughout with occasional dark red brown Fe staining) patches				Occasional organic black traces.
				100	100	626	29						
				100	100	625							

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Slotted screen section 22.0 - 30.0m



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## HRBH02

SHEET 4 OF 4

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METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10			
RAB										XW-HW			Abundant black organic layers
				100	100		30.6		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained with some coarse grains, mottled light grey/light brown/tan, very low strength with occasional low to medium strength bands, extremely to highly weathered.				
							31		Distinct colour change to light brown/tan				
				100	100		32		Abundant fines throughout with some black silty bands (organic) and occasional quartz fragments				
							33		Core Loss 33m to 33.93m				
				33	33		34		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained with some coarse grains, mottled light grey/ light brown/tan, very low strength with occasional low to medium strength bands, extremely to highly weathered.	XW-HW			Abundant Black organic layers
				20	0		35		Abundant fines throughout with some black silty bands (organic) and occasional quartz fragments Core Loss 34.5m - 34.9m	XW-HW			
							36		SANDSTONE. Recovered as Sandy Gravel, fine to coarse grained with abundant fines, generally brown with some grey fragments END OF BOREHOLE AT 35.00 m				
							37						
							38						
							39						
							40						
							41						
							42						
							43						
							44						
							45						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH03

SHEET 1 OF 2

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>20/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>20/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>HARTS RANGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>652.433 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 444779.97 N 7460699.872 GDA_94 Z_53</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FL ST VD	FB VL LD VD	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 14.0m Cement seal 0.1m - 6.0m	652	0				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, dry, loose	D		
				651	1								
				650	2								
				649	3								
				648	4								
				647	5								
				646	6								
			Backfilled 6.0m - 12.0m	645	7								
				644	8					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional pebble sized clasts, light brown, high fines content throughout but variable, very low to low strength, dry			
				643	9								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH03

SHEET 2 OF 2

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	20/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	20/8/06
Borehole Location:	HARTS RANGE	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	652.433 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 444779.97 N 7460699.872 GDA_94 Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L ST MD VST D H		
RAB			<p>Bentonite seal 12.0m - 13.0m</p> <p>Gravel filter pack 13.0m - 20.0m</p> <p>Slotted pipe section 14.0m - 20.0m</p>	642	11					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional pebble sized clasts, light brown, high fines content throughout but variable, very low to low strength, dry ( <i>continued</i> )	D		<p>Samples collected from 0.0m - 10.0m. Remainder of borehole logged from available drilling returns and correlated from cored boreholes HRBH01 &amp; HRBH02</p>
				641									
				640									
				639									
				638									
				637						SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional pebble sized clasts, light brown, high fines content throughout but variable, extremely low strength, extremely weathered, wet, borehole colapsing from 14.9m	W		<p>Becoming wet at 14.9m. Decrease in strength. Recovered as loose sand.</p>
				636									
				635									
				634									
				633									<p>Borehole terminated @ 20.0m due to colapsing borehole</p>

END OF BOREHOLE AT 20.00 m

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH04

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>19/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>19/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>HARTS RANGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>655.482 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 444043.652 N 7460184.379 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											FB VL VS L LL PL SH		
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 20.0m Cement seal 0.1m - 6.0m	655	0				SC	Clayey SAND. Fine to coarse grained, brown, low to medium plasticity, dry	D		
				654	1								
				653	2								
				652	3								
				651	4								
				650	5								
				649	6					Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, brown, low plasticity, with increasing fine to coarse gravel with depth, occasional quartz fragments.			
			Backfilled 6.0m - 15.0m	648	7								
				647	8								
				646	9								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

## HRBH04

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>19/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>19/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>HARTS RANGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>655.482 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 444043.652 N 7460184.379 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS	FB VL L MD VST D H	
RAB				645	11.001					Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, brown, low plasticity, with increasing fine to coarse gravel with depth, occasional quartz fragments. (continued)	D		Samples collected from 0.0m - 10.0m. Remainder of borehole logged from available drilling returns and correlated from cored boreholes HRBH01 & HRBH02
				644						SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional pebble sized clasts, light brown, high fines content throughout but variable, extremely low strength, extremely weathered, dry			
				643									
				642									
				641									
				640									
				639									
				638									
				637									
				636									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH04

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	19/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	19/8/06
Borehole Location:	HARTS RANGE	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	655.482 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 444043.652 N 7460184.379 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L ST MD VD H		
RAB			Slotted pipe section 20.0m - 32.0m	635	21					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional pebble sized clasts, light brown, high fines content throughout but variable, extremely low strength, extremely weathered, dry (continued)	D		
				634	22								
				633	23								
				632	24								
				631	25								
				630	26								
				629	27								
				628	28								
				627	29								
				626									

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BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH04

SHEET 4 OF 4

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>19/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>19/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>HARTS RANGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>655.482 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 444043.652 N 7460184.379 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L ST MD VST D H		
RAB				625	31					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained with occasional pebble sized clasts, light brown, high fines content throughout but variable, extremely low strength, extremely weathered, dry (continued)	W		Becoming wet @ 29.8m. Borehole beginning to collapse below water level. Recovered as loose sand
				624						END OF BOREHOLE AT 32.00 m			Borehole terminated @ 32m.
				623	33								
				622	34								
				621	35								
				620	36								
				619	37								
				618	38								
				617	39								
				616									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH05

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	21/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	21/8/06
Borehole Location:	HARTS RANGE	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	657.980 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 444127.328 N 7459308.337 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS VL VH	LS LL LH	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 20.0m Cement seal 0.1m - 6.0m	657	1				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity, dry, occasional harder bands (reduction in drilling rate)	D		
				656	2								
				655	3								
				654	4								
				653	5								
			Backfilled 6.0m - 15.0m	652	6								
				651	7								
				650	8								
				649	9								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH05

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	21/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	21/8/06
Borehole Location:	HARTS RANGE	Recorded By:	AT
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	S. Blundell	Surface RL:	657.980 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 444127.328 N 7459308.337 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											FB VL VS L LL PL SH		
RAB				647	11.00				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity, dry, occasional harder bands (reduction in drilling rate) <i>(continued)</i>	D		Samples collected from 0.0m - 10.0m. Remainder of borehole logged from available drilling returns and correlated from cored boreholes HRBH01 & HRBH02
				646	12					Pebbly SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, reddish brown, with angular to sub rounded clasts, some harder cemented bands throughout, occasionally larger than 50m angular fragments			
				645	13								
				644	14								
				643	15								
				642	16								
				641	17								
				640	18								
				639	19								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## HRBH05

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism** Date Commenced: **21/8/06**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2** Date Completed: **21/8/06**  
 Borehole Location: **HARTS RANGE** Recorded By: **AT**  
 Project Number: **2145479A** Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Driller: **S. Blundell** Surface RL: **657.980 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **105 mm** Driller Lic No: Co-ords: **E 444127.328 N 7459308.337 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L J MD ST VD H		
RAB			Slotted pipe section 20.0m - 32.0m	20.00						SANDSTONE. Very fine to medium grained with abundant fines throughout, grey to red brown, very low strength, extremely weathered	D		
				637	21								
				636	22.022					Recovered as SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, loose.	W		
				635	23								
				634	24								
				633	25.025					SANDSTONE. Very fine to medium grained with abundant fines throughout, grey to red brown, very low strength, extremely weathered			
				632	26								
				631	27								
				630	28								
				629	29								

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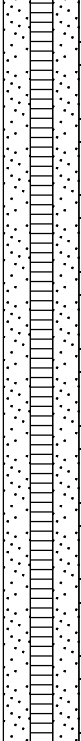
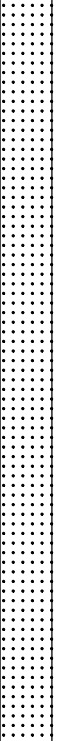
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## HRBH05

SHEET 4 OF 4

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>21/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>21/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>HARTS RANGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>AT</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>S. Blundell</b>	Surface RL:	<b>657.980 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 444127.328 N 7459308.337 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS VL VH	VS VL VH ST MD H	
RAB				627	31					SANDSTONE. Very fine to medium grained with abundant fines throughout, grey to red brown, very low strength, extremely weathered (continued)	W		
				626	32								
				625	33								
				624	34								
				623	35					END OF BOREHOLE AT 35.00 m			
				622	36								
				621	37								
				620	38								
				619	39								

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HRBH01 0.0-5.75 m



HRBH01 5.75-11.2 m





HRBH01 11.2-16.8 m



HRBH01 16.8-22.5 m





HRBH01 22.5-28.1 m



HRBH01 28.1-33.7





HRBH01 33.7-39.3 m



HRBH01 39.3-45 m





HRBH01 45-50.8 m



HRBH01 50.8-56.3 m





HRBH01 56.3-62 m

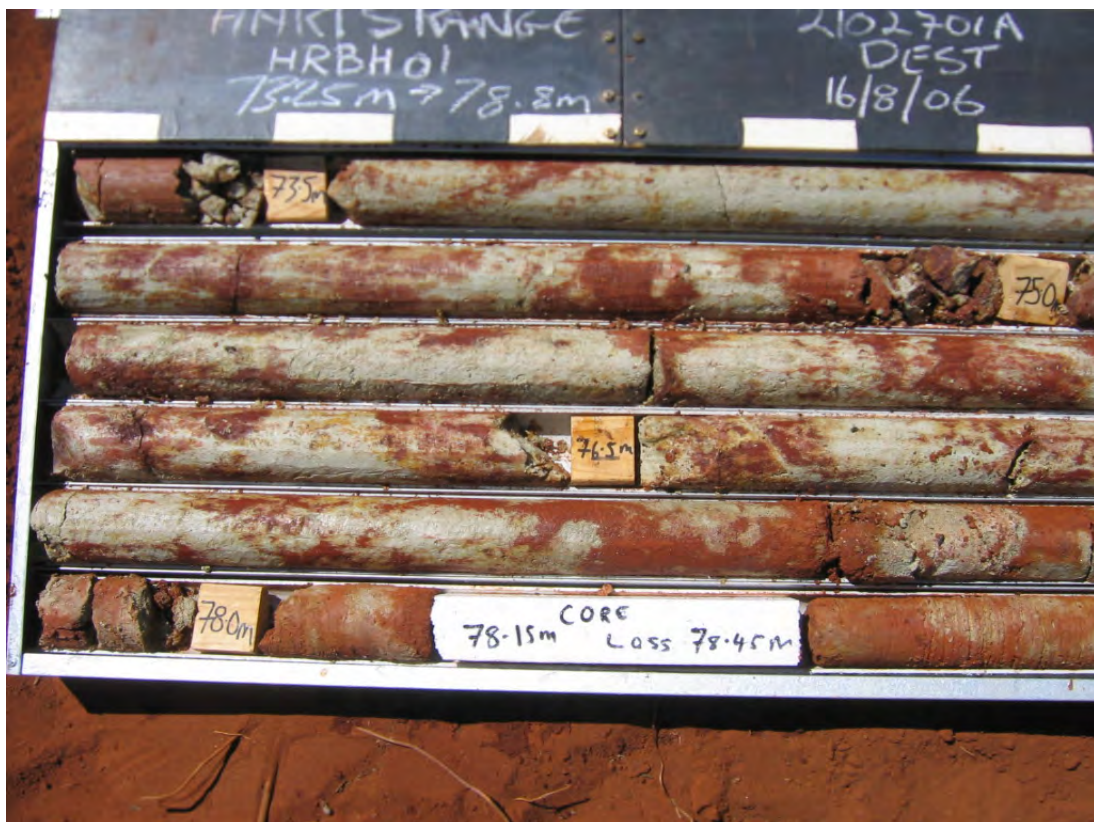


HRBH01 62-67.6 m





HRBH01 67.6-73.25 m



HRBH01 73.25-78.8 m





HRBH01 78.8-84.3 m



HRBH01 84.3-90.1 m





HRBH01 90.1-95.6 m



HRBH01 90.1-95.6m





HRBH01 90.1-95.6 m



HRBH01 95.6-100m





HRBH02 0-5.93 m



HRBH02 5.93-11.88 m





HRBH02 11.88-17.94 m

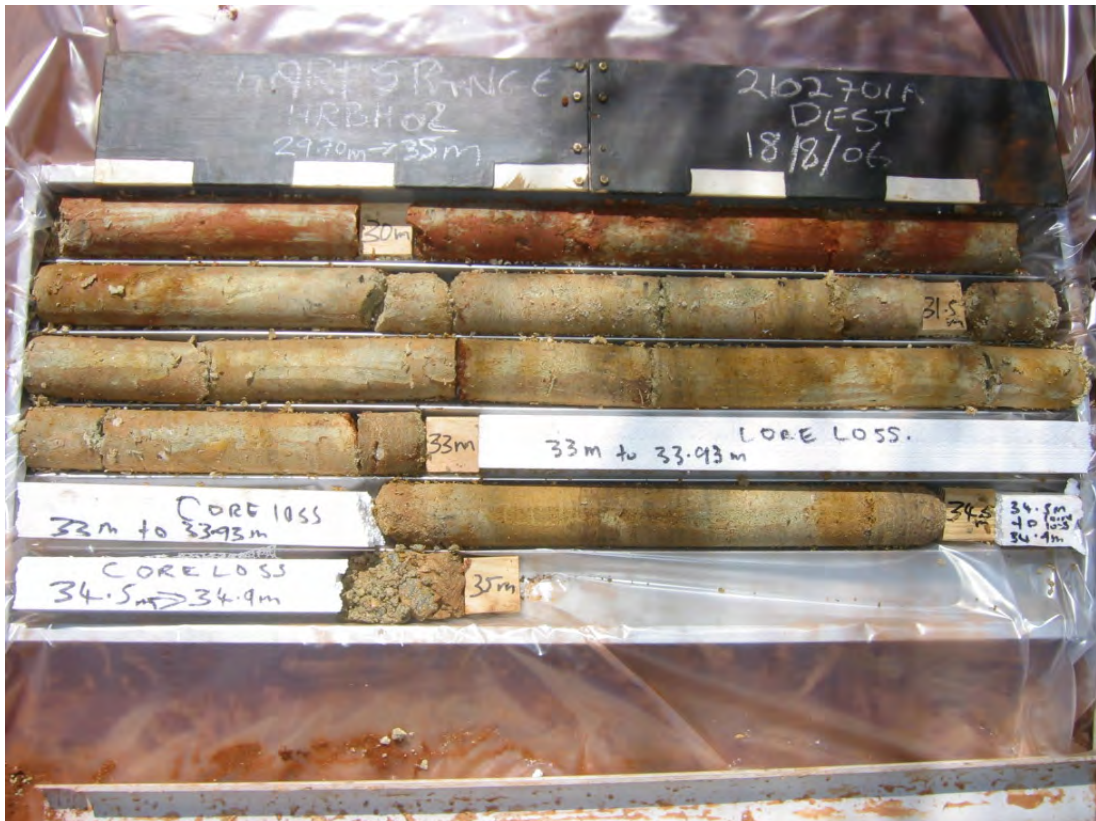


HRBH02 17.94-23.85 m





HRBH02 23.85-29.70 m



HRBH02 29.70-38 m



# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## F RTP01

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **28/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **Komatsu PC75UU**

Surface RL: **198.779 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 245816.426 N 8385585.652 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
		0.10				SM	Silty SAND, fine to medium grained, grey, low plasticity	D			
						SP	Silty Gravelly SAND, fine to coarse grained, grey brown, fine to medium grained sub rounded gravel, low plasticity	D			Many roots
		0.55					LATERITE, excavated as sandy gravel, fine to coarse grained, mottled red brown to brown with low plasticity fines	D			Slow excavation LL=26% PL=17% PI=9% LS=5% Emerson=6 MDD=2.07 t/m3 OMC=9.0% K (remoulded)=1.5E-8
		1					END OF TEST PIT AT 1.60 m				Refusal @ 1.6m
		1.60									
		1.97									
		2									
		3									
		4.95									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## F RTP02

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **28/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **Komatsu PC75UU**

Surface RL: **202.437 m**

Co-ords: **E 246767.049 N 8387919.714 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
								VS FB VL SL	LD J MD VST D	H VD		
		0.15				SM	Silty SAND, fine to medium grained, grey, low plasticity fines	D				Many roots
		0.45				SP	Silty Gravelly SAND, fine to coarse grained, light brown to grey brown, fine to medium grained sub rounded gravel, low plasticity fines	D				
N F G W E	202						LATERITE, excavated as sandy gravel, fine to coarse grained, red brown with some brown mottling, some low plasticity fines	D				Slow excavation  some highly clayey, coloured white
		1					END OF TEST PIT AT 1.25 m					Refusal @ 1.25m
	201											
		2										
	200											
		3										
	199											

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## F RTP03

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **28/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **Komatsu PC75UU**

Surface RL: **213.097 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 246547.248 N 8389154.113 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	VL L MD ST VD H		
	213	0.10				SM	Silty SAND, fine to medium grained, low plasticity, grey	D			
							LATERITE, excavated as fine to coarse angular gravel, red brown to brown, fine to coarse grained sand, low plasticity fines	D			Surface cover of fine to medium grained angular to sub rounded gravel
		1					END OF TEST PIT AT 1.00 m				Refusal @ 1.0m
	212										
		2									
	211										
		3									
	210										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## F RTP05

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **28/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **Komatsu PC75UU**

Surface RL: **204.557 m**

Co-ords: **E 245517.219 N 8385321.58 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL ST LMD VST D H VD			
		0.05				SM GP	Silty SAND, fine to medium grained, grey, low plasticity fines Silty Sandy GRAVEL, fine to coarse grained, light brown/tan, angular to sub rounded gravel, low plasticity fines	D D			
N F G W E	204	0.60					LATERITE, excavated as sandy gravel, fine to coarse grained, red brown, some low plasticity fines				Well cemented
		1					END OF TEST PIT AT 1.00 m				Refusal @ 1.0m
		203									
		2									
		202									
		3									
		201									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## F RTP07

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **28/7/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **Komatsu PC75UU**

Surface RL: **191.593 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 243209.501 N 8386921.93 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
	191	0.80				GP	Silty Sandy GRAVEL, fine to coarse grained, light brown/tan, low plasticity fines	D			Surface veneer of silty sand
		1					LATERITE, excavated as sandy gravel, fine to coarse grained, red brown				
		1					END OF TEST PIT AT 1.00 m				Refusal @ 1.0m
	190	2									
	189	3									
	188										

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F RTP01 0.0-1.6 m



F RTP 0.0-1.25 m





FRTPO3 0.0-1.0 m



FRTPO4 0.0-1.3 m





FRTP05 0.0-1.0 m



FRTP06 0.0-0.7 m





FRTP07 0.0-1.0 m



# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 1 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m	EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 EH 30	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ			Solid pipe section Surface to 16.0m bgl Grout from 6.0m bgl to surface	66					LATERITE. Mottled grey-green/red brown/yellow. Recovered a Sandy Clay, medium to high plasticity, fine to coarse grained with fine to coarse grained angular gravel, dry very hard/dense.				
				100			1						
				100			2						
				100			3		Clayey GRAVEL. Fine grained (sub angular), red brown, medium to high plasticity, dry dense.				
				100			4		LATERITE. Mottled grey-green/red brown/yellow. Recovered a Sandy Clay, medium to high plasticity, fine to coarse grained with fine to coarse grained angular gravel, dry, very hard/dense				
				100			5		.... grading to ....				
				100			6		CLAY. Medium to high plasticity, generally light grey with some red brown mottling, dry, hard				Some hard cemented layers at 4.9m-5.0m, 5.3m-5.4m & 5.0m
				100			7		CLAY. Medium to high plasticity, mottled yellow/brown/light grey with some fine sub angular gravel, dry, hard				Thin layer of Clayey Sandy Gravel at 6.0m. Angular, fine to medium grained gravel fragments which grades to weathered sandstone
				80	80		8		Core Loss 6.1m - 6.4m	XW			
				100	100		9		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, mottled light grey/red brown, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, massive. (quartz, feldspar)	HW			Occasional layers with fine to medium grained angular to sub-rounded gravel fragments
				100	100		10			XW XW- HW			Clay seam @ 8.6m - 20mm thick
				100	100		11						Clay seam @ 9.6m - 20mm thick
				100	100		12						Sample: FRBH01

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 2 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 FH 10 FT	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ										XW HW			9.8m-10.2m Clay seam @10.0m - 30mm thick
							10.6		Core Loss 10.6m - 11.2m				
				60	60		11		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled grey/orange brown/pink, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, massive. (quartz, feldspar)	HW			Increase in strength, decrease in weathering, colour change
				100	100		12						Sample: FRBH01 12.1m-12.6m
				100	100		13						
				100	100		14			XW HW			
				100	100		15			XW			
				33	0		16		Core Loss 15.6m - 17.45m				
				0	0		17						
				86	86		18		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled brown/tan/pink/light grey, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered.	XW HW			
				100	100		19		Interbedded with extremely weathered CLAYSTONE, generally light grey, extremely low strength				

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BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 3 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 H 10 FH 30 TO 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ				100	100				SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled brown/tan/pink/light grey, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered.	XW-HW			
							21		Interbedded with extremely weathered CLAYSTONE, generally light grey, extremely low strength (continued)				
				100	100		22		Interbedded SANDSTONE, fine to medium grained, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered and CONGLOMERATE, fine to coarse grained, very low to low strength,				CONGLOMERATE: Matrix supported. Max clast size 20mm, generally angular with occasional sub rounded clasts (monomictic). Clasts show heavy brecciation with infilling by very fine grained (Clay like) matrix. No orientation noted.
							23						
				100	100		24						Sample: FRBH01 22.65m-22.85m
							25						Fault - 25.0m inclined at 45 degrees. Within very fine grained matrix and exhibiting slickensides. Displacement not determined
				100	100		26		SANDSTONE. Very fine to fine grained, mottled light brown/tan/light grey, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered.				
							26.9		Recovered as clay at 26.9m				
				80	63		27		Core Loss 26.9m - 27.1m (Probable Clay seam)	XW			
							27.1			XW-HW			
				100	10		28		SANDSTONE. Very fine to fine grained, mottled light brown/tan/light grey, poorly sorted, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered. Abundant very fine to fine grained angular to sub-angular quartz grains				
							28.9		Recovered as clay at 26.9m				
				100	15		29						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 4 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
				100	100					EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 VH 1 H 3 LH 10 TH		30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ									SANDSTONE. Very fine to fine grained, mottled light brown/tan/light grey, poorly sorted, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered. Abundant very fine to fine grained angular to sub-angular quartz grains	XW-HW			
				80	0	166	31		Recovered as clay at 26.9m (continued) Core Loss 31.4m - 32.2m				31.35m - 31.5m Becoming coarser grained at 31.35m. Fine grained with some medium grained clasts
				73	0	165	32		SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, light grey to brown, extremely low strength, extremely weathered. Faint thin bedding planes noted. Abundant sub angular to rounded fine grained quartz (~50%) Core Loss 33.1m - 37.1m	XW			32.5m - 33.1m Much of the sample was lost due to its extremely weathered nature and extremely low strength. Samples recovered indicated presence of extremely weathered and low strength SANDSTONES with occasional CLAYSTONE layers.
				73	0	163	34						Complete water loss throughout extremely weathered SANDSTONE sequences
				0	0	162	35						
				33	0	160	37						
				100	0	159	38		SAND. Fine to coarse grained, orange brown to tan, moderately sorted. (Extremely weathered SANDSTONE) No matrix noted	XW			
				20	0	158	39		Core Loss 39.1m - 40.3m				

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BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 5 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 LH 30 TH 100 TL 3000			
HQ									Core Loss 39.1m - 40.3m (continued)				
					0		40.3		CLAYSTONE. Very fine grained with trace fine to medium grained clasts, orange brown to light grey, very low strength, extremely to highly weathered	XW			
					0		40.6		Core Loss 40.6m - 42.0m				
					60		42.2		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, orange brown to light grey, poorly sorted, angular to sub-rounded clasts, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, highly fractured throughout	XW			
					0		42.6		Core Loss 42.6m - 42.9m	XW-HW			
					70		42.9		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, tan to orange-brown, poorly sorted, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered.				
					100		44.6		Abundant medium grained, sub-rounded to rounded quartz grains				
					0		44.6		Core Loss 44.6m - 45.1m				
					50		45.1		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, light brown to light grey, poorly sorted, medium to high strength, highly to moderately weathered	HW-MW			
					100		46.9						
					100		47.2		Core Loss 46.95m - 47.25m				
					70		47.2		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, light brown to light grey with minor orange brown veining, poorly sorted, angular to sub-rounded grains, generally very low to low strength with occasional medium strength bands, highly weathered with some extremely weathered bands.	XW-HW			
					100		47.3						
					100		48						
					100		49						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 6 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 VH 1 H 3 FH 10			
HQ				43	10		50.45		Core Loss 50.45m - 51.1m	XW-HW			
							51.1		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, light brown to light grey with minor orange brown veining, poorly sorted, angular to sub-rounded grains, generally very low to low strength with occasional medium strength bands, highly weathered with some extremely weathered bands.	XW-HW			
				50	0		51.5		Core Loss 51.5m - 52.25m	XW-HW			
							52.25		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, light brown to light grey, poorly sorted, generally angular to sub angular with occasional sub-rounded clasts, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered	XW-HW			
				50	0		53.1		Core Loss 53.1m - 56.6m				
				0	0		54						
				0	0		55						
				20	0		56						
							56.6		SAND. Fine to medium grained, generally brown, with occasional fragments of lithic sandstone	XW			
				0	0		57		Core Loss 56.6m - 60.6m				
				0	0		58						
				33	0		59						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 7 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 WL 0.3 VH 1 WH 3 LH 10 LH 30 LH 100 LH 300 LH 1000 LH 3000			
HQ									Core Loss 56.6m - 60.6m (continued)				
							60.6		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, light brown, angular to subangular grains, poorly sorted, extremely to highly weathered, generally extremely low strength with some medium strength bands. Core Loss 61.1m - 62.4m	XW HW			Some coarse grained angular quartz between 60.9m - 61.1m. Recovered as poorly cemented sands with some hard angular fragments of sandstone
				13	0		61						
							62		CONGLOMERATE. Medium to coarse grained, with fine grained matrix, grey-brown-orange brown, matrix supported, extremely low strength (as a rock mass), extremely weathered. Maximum clast size 30mm, polymictic, no orientation noted. Matrix weathered to a sandy clay. Abundant fine to medium grained angular to sub-angular quartz grains Core Loss 62.6m - 64.1m	XW			Drill head shuddering as it descends indicating loose coarse gravels and probable cobble sized particles
				0	0		63						
							64						
				0	0		65						
				33	0		66						
							67		Clayey Sandy GRAVEL. Fine to coarse grained, angular to sub-rounded, medium to high plasticity clay. Abundant quartz gravel within clayey sand/sandy clay matrix Core Loss 67.1m - 68.1m	XW			
				33	0		68						
							69		Clayey Sandy GRAVEL. Fine to coarse grained, angular to sub-rounded, medium to high plasticity clay. Abundant quartz gravel within clayey sand/sandy clay matrix SILTSTONE. Orange brown - maroon. Extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, massive, some Fe oxidation. Interbedded with clay of high plasticity with some medium to coarse grained sand, brown to light	XW HW			
				100	0		69						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 8 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 VH 10 EL	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ				10	0				brown, hard Core Loss 69.6m - 70.5m (continued)				
				75	0		71.25		SILTSTONE. Orange brown - maroon. Extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, massive, some Fe oxidation. Interbedded with clay of high plasticity with some medium to coarse grained sand, brown to light brown, hard Core Loss	XW HW XW			
				26	0		72		SILTSTONE. Orange brown - maroon. Extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, massive, some Fe oxidation. Interbedded with clay of high plasticity with some medium to coarse grained sand, brown to light brown, hard Core Loss				
				100	0		73.25		CLAY, high plasticity, orange brown, with some fine to coarse grained sand, very stiff to hard, MC>PL Core Loss 71.6m - 72.95m				
				100	0		74		CLAY, high plasticity, orange brown, with some fine to coarse grained sand, very stiff to hard, MC>PL SILTSTONE. Maroon with occasional orange brown mottling, extremely low strength, extremely weathered, massive. Recovered as clayey silt/silty clay				
				100	0		75		Occasional bands of fine to coarse grained angular gravel				
				20	0		77						Colour change to mottled yellow-brown/maroon at 77.0m
				10	0		78		LIMESTONE. Very fine to fine grained, orange brown/grey with light grey and black veining, high to very high strength, highly weathered, massive, crystalline texture, siliclastic (notable fine quartz grains throughout)	HW			
				50	0		78.5		Solution cavities infilled with calcite, quartz and dark grey mineral (?). Some Fe staining. Core Loss 78.1m - 78.45m				
				100	0		79		LIMESTONE. Very fine to fine grained, orange brown/grey with light grey and black veining, high to very high strength, highly weathered, massive, crystalline texture, siliclastic				
				40	0		79.5						
				40	0		79.9						Sample: FRBH01

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH01

SHEET 9 OF 9

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **29/7/06**  
 Date Completed: **6/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **197.002 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 246425.501 N 8386789.992 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 LH 10		30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ				10	0		80.6	X				79.9m-80.1m
							80.5		HW			
							81					Borehole FRBH01 terminated at 80.6m
							82					
							83					
							84					
							85					
							86					
							87					
							88					
							89					

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH02

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **7/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **8/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **219.766 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 247209.496 N 8389961.821 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ				86	0		10.5	harder layers. Abundant angular gravel sized fragments of siltstone in places (orange-brown in colour), massive	XW			
				66	0		10.9	Occasional sandy layers Core Loss 9.75m - 9.85m	XW-HW			Sample: FRBH02 11.2m-11.6m
				100	100		12	SILTSTONE. Light grey, extremely low to low strength, generally extremely weathered with occasional harder layers. Abundant angular gravel sized fragments of siltstone in places (orange-brown in colour), massive				
				100	100		13	Occasional sandy layers (continued) Core Loss 10.5m - 10.8m SILTSTONE. Light grey - purple/maroon, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered, highly fractured (brecciated)				Sample: FRBH02 13.5m-13.8m
				100	100		14	occasional very fine to medium grained sandstone layers				
				100	100		15	Increase in Sandy layers. Grading to and interbedded Siltstone (as above) and very fine to coarse grained Sandstone, generally angular to sub angular grains very thinly bedded, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered				Sample: FRBH02 15.5m-15.8m
				100	100		16					
				100	100		17					
				100	100		18	Core Loss 18.0m - 18.3m				
				80	80		19	Interbedded Siltstone (as above) and very fine to coarse grained Sandstone, generally angular to sub angular grains very thinly bedded, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered	XW-HW			

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH02

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **7/8/06**  
 Date Completed: **8/8/06**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **219.766 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **97 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 247209.496 N 8389961.821 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 VH 1 H 3 EH 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ				90	90		199		Interbedded Siltstone (as above) and very fine to coarse grained Sandstone, generally angular to sub angular grains very thinly bedded, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered (continued)	XW-HW			
				100	90		201		Core Loss 20.85m - 21.0m	XW-HW			
				100	100		198		Interbedded Siltstone (as above) and very fine to coarse grained Sandstone, generally angular to sub angular grains very thinly bedded, extremely low to very low strength, extremely to highly weathered	XW-HW			
				100	100		197						
				100	100		196		SANDSTONE, Fine to coarse grained, brown, orange-brown, light grey, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, generally angular to subangular grains, recovered as sand in places				Sample: FRBH02 23.7m-24.0m Abundant cavities throughout Abundant fine angular quartz throughout
				90	33		195		Core Loss 25.2m - 28.35m				
							25.3		SANDSTONE (as above)	XW-HW			
							25.5		Core Loss 25.5m - 25.7m	XW-HW			
				86	73		194		SANDSTONE, Fine to coarse grained, brown, orange-brown, light grey, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, generally angular to subangular grains, recovered as sand in places	XW-HW			Sample: FRBH02 25.9m-26.2m
							193						
				60	42		192		Core Loss 27.7m - 28.35m				
							28						
							28.5		SANDSTONE, Fine to coarse grained, brown, orange-brown, light grey, very low to low strength, extremely to highly weathered, generally angular to subangular grains, recovered as sand in places	XW-HW			Sample: FRBH02 25.9m-26.2m
				100	100		191		Interbedded fine to coarse grained Sandstone and grey-maroon Siltstone. Low strength, highly weathered (similar to interbedded Sandstone and Siltstone above)	HW			Becoming generally finer grained @ 28.6m with less angular quartz Slight increase in strength & decrease in weathering
							190						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH02

SHEET 4 OF 4

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>7/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>8/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>FISHERS RIDGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Hole Angle:	<b>90°</b>	Surface RL:	<b>219.766 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>97 mm</b>	Bearing:	<b>---</b>	Co-ords:	<b>E 247209.496 N 8389961.821 GDA_94 Z_53</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 TO	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ					90	90			SANDSTONE. Generally fine to medium grained, brown to orange-brown, low strength, highly weathered, some fine angular quartz gravel ( <i>continued</i> )	HW			
							31		END OF BOREHOLE AT 31.00 m				
							31						
							32						
							33						
							34						
							35						
							36						
							37						
							38						
							39						
							40						

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH03

SHEET 1 OF 3

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>10/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>10/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>FISHERS RIDGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>C. Butler</b>	Surface RL:	<b>203.725 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 244973.814 N 8384672.521 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L ST MD VST D H		
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 18.0m Cement grout 0.0m - 6.0m  Backfilled 6.0m - 16.0m	0.30				SM		Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, reddish brown, low plasticity Sandy GRAVEL. Fine to medium grained, red-brown with some light grey (LATERITE)	D		
				203	1								
				202	2					SILTSTONE. Mottled red-brown to light grey, dry, fragments easily broken by hand			
				201	3					Mainly light grey colour, slight increase in strength of fragments. some cannot be broken by hand			
				200	4								
				199	5								
				198	6								
				197	7								
				196	8					Some red-brown colour @ ~8.0m			
				195	9								
				194									

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BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH03

SHEET 2 OF 3

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>10/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>10/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>FISHERS RIDGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>C. Butler</b>	Surface RL:	<b>203.725 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 244973.814 N 8384672.521 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											FB VL L MD ST VD		
RAB										Some red-brown colour @ ~8.0m <i>(continued)</i>	D		
				193	11								
				192	12								
				191	13					Interbedded SILTSTONE (dominant) (as above) and SANDSTONE.  Fine to medium grained, light brown to tan			
				190	14								
				189	15								
				188	16					SANDSTONE (dominant), light grey to light brown/tan, with interbedded SILTSTONE			
				187	17								
				186	18								
				185	19					SILTSTONE (dominant), mottled red-brown to light grey interbedded with SANDSTONE  Slight increase in strength			
				184									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH03

SHEET 3 OF 3

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism** Date Commenced: **10/8/06**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2** Date Completed: **10/8/06**  
 Borehole Location: **FISHERS RIDGE** Recorded By: **NH**  
 Project Number: **2145479A** Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Investigator MK-5/MACK** Driller: **C. Butler** Surface RL: **203.725 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **105 mm** Driller Lic No: Co-ords: **E 244973.814 N 8384672.521 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										VS FB VL L J MD ST VD H		
RAB				183	21				SILTSTONE (dominant), mottled red-brown to light grey interbedded with SANDSTONE  Slight increase in strength ( <i>continued</i> )	D		
				182	22							
				181	23				Interbedded SANDSTONE and SILTSTONE. Fine to medium grained sandstone. Mottled reddish-brown/light grey.  Many fragments cannot be broken by hand			
				180	24							
				179	25				SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained with some coarse grained angular quartz clasts, generally reddish-brown with some light grey			
				178	26							
				177	27				SANDSTONE (extremely weathered). Recovered as Sandy CLAY, medium to high plasticity, red-brown, fine to coarse grained	W		Becoming wet but no free water recovered from borehole during drilling
				176	28							
				175	29							
				174								

END OF BOREHOLE AT 30.00 m

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH04

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>10/8/06</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>10/8/06</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>FISHERS RIDGE</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Investigator MK-5/MACK</b>	Driller:	<b>C. Butler</b>	Surface RL:	<b>191.302 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>105 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 243989.553 N 8386358.218 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										VS	FB VL L MD VST D H	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 18.0m Cement grout 0.0m - 6.0m  Backfilled 6.0m - 16.0m  Bentonite seal 16.0m - 16.8m  Gravel filter pack 16.8m - 30.0m  Slotted screen section 18.0m - 30.0m	191.30 190 189 188 187 186 185 184 183 182 181 180 179 178 177 176 175 174 173 172 171 170 169 168 167 166 165 164 163 162	0.30 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29		SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, reddish brown, low plasticity Sandy GRAVEL. Fine to medium grained, red-brown with some light grey (LATERITE) SILTSTONE. Mottled red-brown to light grey, dry, fragments easily broken by hand  No samples recovered below 4.0m depth due to substantial water inflow. all samples were saturated with all fines being washed away.  Borehole was extended to 30.0m below existing surface levels.  Rock types inferred from completed log of FRBH03				

END OF BOREHOLE AT 30.00 m

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

# FRBH05

SHEET 1 OF 3

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	9/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	9/8/06
Borehole Location:	FISHERS RIDGE	Recorded By:	NH
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	C. Butler	Surface RL:	214.520 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 245824.35 N 8389170.461 GDA_94 Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL LL ST MD VST HD		
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.0m - 12.0m Cement seal 0.1m - 9.0m	214	1			GP		Sandy GRAVEL. Fine to coarse grained, red brown to orange brown, with some low plasticity fines (LATERITE)	D		Surface veneer of silty sandy gravel, fine to coarse grained grey, sub rounded to rounded, low plasticity, dry, loose. Similar to gibber gravels
				213	2								
				212	3								
				211	4					SILTSTONE. Mottled red brown to light grey, fragments easily broken by hand, some fragments showing brecciation and infilling			
		10/06		210	5					Occasional hard angular gravel fragments, gradual colour change to red-brown, light grey, maroon @ 5.0m.			
				209	6					Slight increase in strength. more angular fragment recovered, cannot be broken by hand			
				208	7								
				207	8								
				206	9								
			Bentonite seal 9.0m - 10.0m	205									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## FRBH05

SHEET 2 OF 3

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	9/8/06
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	9/8/06
Borehole Location:	FISHERS RIDGE	Recorded By:	NH
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Investigator MK-5/MACK	Driller:	C. Butler	Surface RL:	214.520 m
Borehole Diameter:	105 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 245824.35 N 8389170.461 GDA_94 Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS	FB VL L J MD ST VD H	
RAB			Gravel filter pack 10.0m - 30.0m	204	11.00					Occasional hard angular gravel fragments, gradual colour change to red-brown, light grey, maroon @ 5.0m.	D		
										Slight increase in strength. more angular fragment recovered, cannot be broken by hand ( <i>continued</i> )			
										Colour change to mainly light grey reddish brown (no maroon colour noted). Decrease in strength and reduction in fragment size recovered			
			Slotted pipe section 12.0 - 30.0m	203	12								
				202	13.00					Colour change to mottled orange-brown/light grey. Fragment can be broken by hand			
				201	14								
				200	15.00					Generally light grey in colour, some fine to medium grained angular quartz grains. Slight increase in average grain size to approximately very fine to fine grained sand			
				199	16								
				198	16.50					SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled red-brown/ light grey, dry.			
										Recovered as sand with occasional lithic fragments			
				197	17.50								
										SILTSTONE. Generally light grey in colour, some fine to medium grained angular quartz grains. Slight increase in average grain size to approximately very fine to fine grained sand			
				196	18								
				195	18.80					SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, light brown/tan to light grey, dry			
										Recovered as sand, abundant fine to medium grained quartz in places			

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FRBH01 0.0-5.6 m



FRBH01 5.6-11.3 m





FRBH01 11.3-17.0 m



FRBH01 17.0-22.6 m





FRBH01 22.6-28.35 m



FRBH01 28.35-33.9 m





FRBH01 33.9-39.7 m



FRBH01 39.7-45.1 m



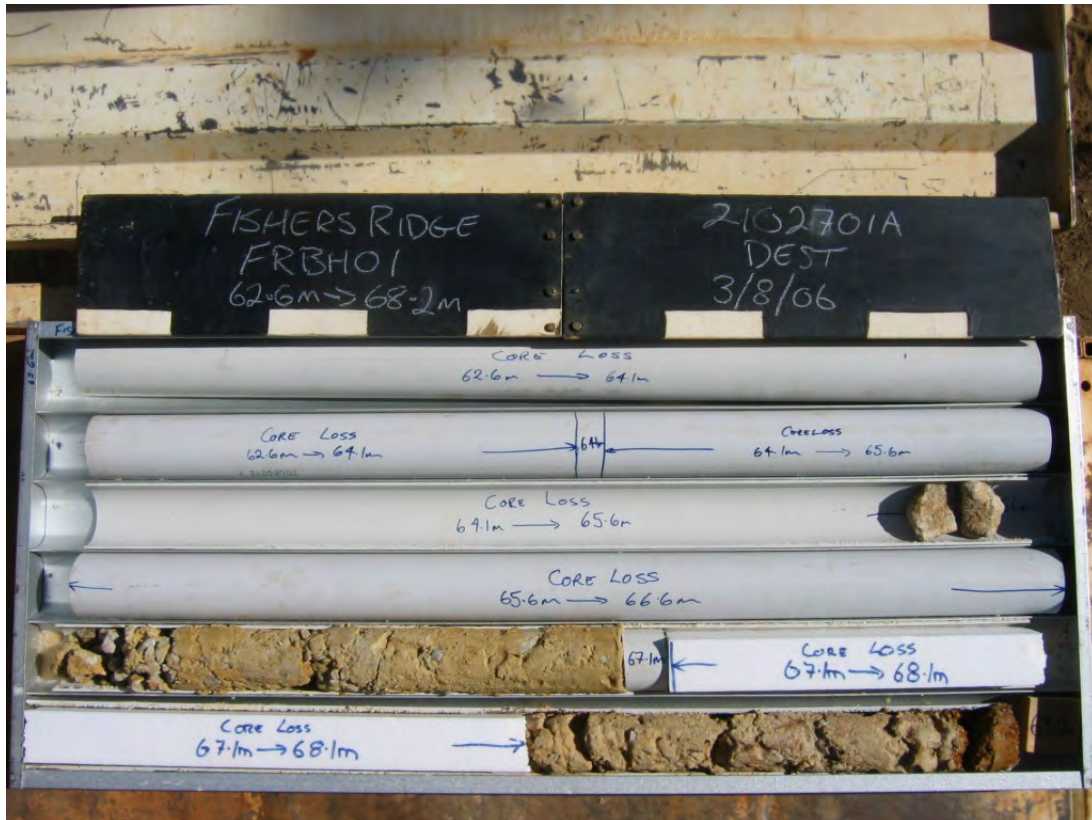


FRBH01 50.85-56.6 m



FRBH01 56.6-62.6 m





FRBH01 62.6-68.2 m



FRBH01 68.2-74.4 m





FRBH01 74.4-80.1 m



FRBH01 80.1-80.6 m





FRBH02 0.0-6.0 m



FRBH02 6.0-11.6 m





FRBH02 11.6-17.5 m



FRBH02 17.5-23.05 m





FRBH02 23.05-28.7 m



FRBH02 28.7-31.0 m



# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP01

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **322.613 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 379377 N 7935738 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
	322					SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt.	D			rootlets
	321	1.90		Sample 16576		SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt, trace pale orange mottling.				
	320	2.30				SP	SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red.				
		3					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				End of hole at 3.0m
	319	4									
	318										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP02

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **321.457 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 2 N 7935528 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
WATER	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
RL(m)							VS FB VL SL	VL L MD VST D H VD		
	0.20		Sample 165762	[Pattern]	SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse, red brown, low plasticity silt.				rootlets
	0.60			[Pattern]	SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse, red, low plasticity silt.				aeolian sand
	1.00			[Pattern]	SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse, red, low plasticity silt, trace pale orange mottling.				
	2.20			[Pattern]	SP	SAND. Fine to coarse grained, pale orange / red, medium dense.				
	3.10		Sample 165763	[Pattern]		END OF TEST PIT AT 3.10 m				End of hole at 3.1m

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP03

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **325.619 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 379094 N 7934954 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
	325	1				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt.	D			rootlets
	324	2				SP	SAND / SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, red, trace pale orange mottling, weakly cemented.				
	323	3					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.20 m				End of hole at 3.2m
	322	4									
	321										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP04

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **322.615 m**

Co-ords: **E 379064 N 7934562 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
		0.20				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt, rootlets.	D			
		0.22				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt.				
		0.21									
		0.24		Sample 165768		SP	SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red, trace silt, weakly cemented.				
		3.00					END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				End of hole at 3.0m
		3.19									
		3.18									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP05

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **318.971 m**

Co-ords: **E 379031 N 7934180 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
		0.20				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red / brown, low plasticity silt, roots.	D			
						SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red, low plasticity silt.				
	318	1									
	317	2									
		2.50				SP	SAND. Fine to coarse grained, pale orange / yellow, trace silt, weakly cemented.				
	316	3									
							END OF TEST PIT AT 3.00 m				End of hole at 3.0m
	315	4									
	314										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP06

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **314.606 m**

Co-ords: **E 378985 N 7933748 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
		0.20				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt.	D			
		0.34				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red, low plasticity silt.				
		1.80				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, pale orange / yellow, low plasticity silt, weakly cemented.				
		2.30		Sample 16576			SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, medium to high strength.				
							END OF TEST PIT AT 2.40 m				Refusal at 2.4m

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP07

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **309.958 m**

Co-ords: **E 378556 N 7933649 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD L ST MD VST D H VD		
		0.30				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt, rootlets.	D			
						SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse, red, trace pale orange mottling, low plasticity silt.				
	309	1				SP	SAND / SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale yellow / orange, weakly cemented, trace silt.				
		1.50									
	308	2					END OF TEST PIT AT 2.00 m				Refusal on high strength sandstone at 2.0m
	307	3									
	306	4									
	305										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP08

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **301.362 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 377867 N 7933481 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	LD MD ST VD		
	301					SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, trace silt.	D			
		1.70		Sample 16576		GP	GRAVEL. Fine to coarse grained, sandstone gravel fine to coarse grained, low strength, highly weathered, pale orange / brown with iron (laterite) staining.				
		2.60					END OF TEST PIT AT 2.60 m				End of hole at 2.6m
		3									
		4									

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP09

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **305.493 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 377226 N 7933687 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
WATER	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								VS FB VL SL	VL L MD ST VD		
		0.20				SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, low plasticity silt.	D			rootlets
	305			Sample 165768		SM	Silty SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red, low plasticity silt.				
		1.10				GP	GRAVEL. Fine to coarse grained, sandstone gravel fine to coarse grained.				
	304						END OF TEST PIT AT 1.30 m				Refusal on high strength sandstone at 1.3m
		2									
	303										
		3									
	302										
		4									
	301										

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# TEST PIT ENGINEERING LOG

TEST PIT NO.

## MSTP10

SHEET 1 OF 1

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Test Pit Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **5/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **5/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Excavation Method: **John Deere 400**

Surface RL: **309.526 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 376820 N 7933824 GDA\_94\_Z\_53**

Test Pit Information				Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
WATER RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE VS FB VL SL	RELATIVE DENSITY CONSISTENCY L MD ST D VST D H VD	HAND PENETROMETER (kPa)	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
	309				GP	Sandy GRAVEL. Fine to coarse grained, pale orange / red, fine to coarse sand, some pebbles, quartz sand / gravel, sandstone highly weathered, low strength, recovered as sandy gravel, increasing strength with depth, becoming pale yellow.	D			
	308					END OF TEST PIT AT 1.20 m				Refusal on high strength purple/red silt/sandstone at 1.2m
	307									
	306									
	305									

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MSTP01 0.0-3.0 m



MSTP02 0.0-3.1 m





MSTP03 0.0-3.2 m

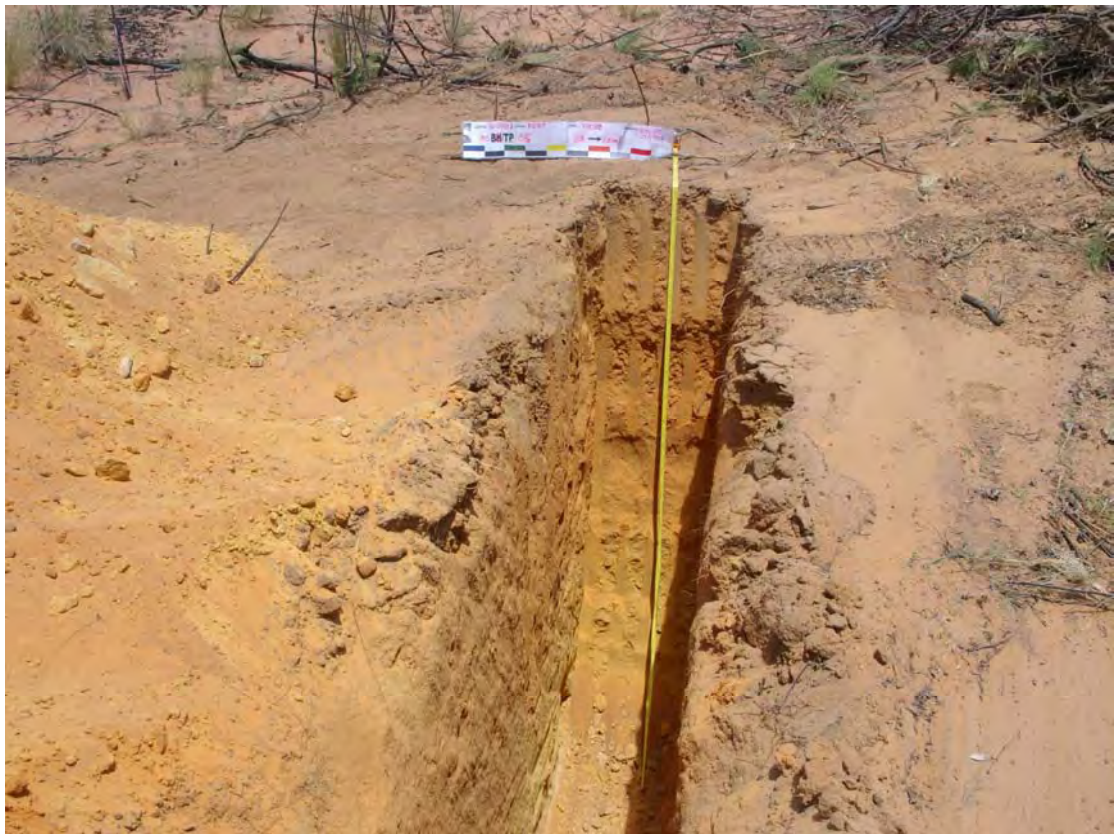


MSTP04 0.0-3.0 m





MSTP05 0.0-3.0 m



MSTP06 0.0-2.4 m





MSTP07 0.0-2.0 m



MSTP08 0.0-2.6 m





MSTP09 0.0-1.3 m



MSTP10 0.0-1.2 m



# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH01

SHEET 1 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **2/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **3/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH/CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **321.253 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 379138.394 N 7935553.642 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m	0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ3			Solid pipe section 0.1m-22.2m Cement grout 0.0m-6.0m	0	0	321	1	X	CORE LOSS 0.0m-1.5m				
						320	1.5		SAND. Fine to medium grained, red brown, loose to medium dense, some fines, dry.				
						319	2						
				100	20	318	3						
						317	3.9		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, light grey with orange brown and red brown bands, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered.	HW-EW			
				100	50	316	5						
			Backfilled 6.0m-18.6m			315	6						Sample 6.0m-6.19m surface, no recovery due to water.
				100	65	314	6.2		SILTSTONE. Fine grained, light grey / white, slightly weathered, medium to high strength variable.				Some quartz infilled dessication cracks at 6.5m
						314	6.5		SANDSTONE. Fine grained, light grey to white, medium to high strength, slightly weathered to fresh, becoming fine to medium grained with some coarse grains at 6.8m.				Highly fractured
						314	6.9		SILTSTONE. Very fine grained, light grey / white, slightly weathered, medium to high strength.				rythmic sequences/banding
				100	100	313	7.2		SANDSTONE. Fine grained, light grey to white, medium to high strength, slightly weathered to fresh				near vertical fracture
						313	7.7		Interlaminated SILTSTONE and SANDSTONE. Sandstone with fine to medium grained quartz, medium to high strength, slightly weathered to fresh.				
						312	8.2		...grading to... SANDSTONE. fine to coarse grained, grey to red-brown, slightly to highly weathered, medium strength, angular to sub-rounded quartz, fining upwards				some infilled (quartz) dessication crack
						312	9						becoming very coarse at
						312	9.9						

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH01

SHEET 2 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **2/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **3/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH/CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **321.253 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 379138.394 N 793553.642 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 EH 30			
HQ3							311		SILTSTONE/CLAYSTONE. light grey to white, very fine to coarse grained, with some medium grained red-brown spots, core is of medium strength but can be scratched by knife, some pockets fine to medium grained (continued)	HW			9.85m Very coarse grained phenocrysts of soft (finger nail can scratch) white, dull lustre, white streak (soapstone) Sample 10.65m-10.95m Chert pieces at 10.85m, enteralithic. Marbling effect throughout. Mudstone with white mineral (talc?).
				100	88		310						
							11.8		BASALT. Fine grained (crystalline texture), purple with white, highly to extremely weathered, low to very low strength, quartz, feldspar, augite (green)	HW-EW			Box 2 core easily broken by hand
				100	100		12.3		BASALT. light grey to white, very fine to coarse grained, with some medium grained red-brown spots, core is of medium strength but can be scratched by knife, some pockets fine to medium grained				Abundant augite and soft white mineral (talc?), not calcareous, sand grains, highly weathered, break up easily in hand. Sample 13.8m-13.9m
							12.9		BASALT. Fine grained crystalline texture, mottled and layered red brown / light grey, with some grey minerals, extremely high strength highly to extremely weathered.				
				100	100		13.9		BASALT. Fine to very coarse grained, grey with grey layers, extremely weathered, extremely low strength, some brown layers throughout (~100mm).				
							14.3		BASALT. Brown with green mineralisation, very fine to coarse grained (crystalline), extremely weathered, extremely low strength, augite mineral throughout (sometimes along banding)-horizontal.				Fault, slickensides, augite.
				100	100		15						
							16.3		BASALT. Fine to coarse grained (crystalline), brown with white minerals throughout, red brown, extremely weathered, extremely low strength.				
				100	100		17						Box 3
							18						much augite (<10%), some black mineralisation, manganese oxide?
				100	100		19						Increase in black mineralisation to 30% at 19.4m also increase in strength
							302						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH01

SHEET 3 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **2/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **3/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH/CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **321.253 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 379138.394 N 793553.642 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 VH 3 H 10 FH 30	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ3			Filter pack 20.0m-40.2m	100	100	301	200		<p><b>BASALT.</b> Crystalline, very fine to fine grained, mainly brown with grey-green yellow brown and metallic black mineralisation throughout (30%), some colour banding noted below 28.9m ~100 to 150mm thick at 20° (light and dark bands), highly weathered, medium to high strength, gritty feel.</p>	HW			
				100	20	300	21			Highly fractured, possible water inflow, similar RL as open hole 1 Water loss			
				50	0	299	22			Highly fractured, near vertical open and infilled fractures.			
			Slotted pipe section 22.2m-40.2m	100	0	298	23			Box 4			
				100	53	297	24						
				100	56	296	25						
				100	6	295	26			Vertical fracture, clean, rough, irregular			
				100		294	27			Increase in strength and core quality, becoming more crystalline			
				100	100	293	28			Box 5 Sample 28.1m-28.25m			
				100		292	29						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH01

SHEET 4 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **2/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **3/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH/CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **321.253 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 379138.394 N 793553.642 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 FH 10 HT				
HQ3							291		<p><b>BASALT.</b> Crystalline, very fine to fine grained, mainly brown with grey-green yellow brown and metallic black mineralisation throughout (30%), some colour banding noted below 28.9m ~100 to 150mm thick at 20° (light and dark bands), highly weathered, medium to high strength, gritty feel. <i>(continued)</i></p>	HW			<p>Fracture, 60°, irregular, rough, clean Occasional similar fractures throughout, some infilled with white mineral (calcite)</p> <p>Darker / lighter banding, continues throughout, some segregation of minerals (**?) noted in places</p> <p>Fracture, 60°, irregular, rough, infilled with black mineral.</p> <p>Fracture, 60°, irregular, rough, infilled calcite, augite.</p> <p>1.5m unbroken core run recovered.</p> <p>Fracture, 60°, irregular, rough, infilled calcite, augite.</p> <p>Fracture, 60°, irregular, rough, infilled calcite, augite.</p>	
				100	100		31							
							290							
							32							
				100	100		289							
							33							
							288							
				100	100		34							
							287							
							35							
				100	100		286							
							36							
							285							
				100	100		37							
							284							
							38							
							283							
							39							
							282							

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH01

SHEET 5 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **2/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **3/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH/CRP**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **321.253 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 379138.394 N 793553.642 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 LH 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
						281			END OF BOREHOLE AT 40.20 m	HW			MSBH01 terminated at 40.2m
						41							
						280							
						42							
						279							
						43							
						278							
						44							
						277							
						45							
						276							
						46							
						275							
						47							
						274							
						48							
						273							
						49							
						272							

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

## MSBH02

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **23/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **24/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **150 mm**

Driller:  
 Driller Lic No:

Surface RL: **322.839 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 379064.877 N 7934574.053 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS VL VH	LS LD LH	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.1m-22m Cement grout 0.15m-6.0m	322	1					SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, angular to sub angular, dry, loose to medium dense, quartz.			
				321	2								
				320	3								
				319	4								
				4.40									
				318	5					Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, fine to coarse grained gravel (pebble clasts) sub rounded, dry, low to medium strength.			
				5.00									
				317	6					BASALT. Fine to medium grained, light grey to white, with black spots / green throughout, medium to very high strength, slightly to highly weathered, abundant quartz,			
			Backfill 6.0m-18.9m	316	7								Trace clay recovered
				315	8								
				314	9								Some pink colour throughout porphyritic texture
				313									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

## MSBH02

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **23/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **24/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **150 mm**

Driller:  
 Driller Lic No:

Surface RL: **322.839 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 379064.877 N 7934574.053 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
											FB VS VL LL PL	LD ST MD VD H		
RAB				312	11					BASALT. Fine to medium grained, light grey to white, with black spots / green throughout, medium to very high strength, slightly to highly weathered, abundant quartz, <i>(continued)</i>			Clean blade at 10.0m. Problems getting rods back down hole (partial collapse) Hard, fine grained, some pink red porphyritic texture - put hammer on Colour change to light grey	
				311	12									Increase in green mineral content
				310	13									Some trace green clay
				309	14									
				308	15									Slightly lower strength below 15m
				307	16									
				306	17									Predominantly green colour below 16m, abundant green mineral
				305	18									Rock recovered as green - brown sand with abundant fines
				304	19									Properties of a clay
				303										

Bentonite seal  
18.9m-20.3m

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH02

SHEET 3 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **23/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **24/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **150 mm**

Driller:  
 Driller Lic No:

Surface RL: **322.839 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 379064.877 N 7934574.053 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13			
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS		
											VS VL L ST MD VST D H				
RAB			Filter pack 20.3m-41m  Slotted pipe section 22m-41m	302	21					BASALT. Fine to medium grained, light grey to white, with black spots / green throughout, medium to very high strength, slightly to highly weathered, abundant quartz, <i>(continued)</i>			Mainly red brown / brown colour, less green mineral content - becoming slightly moist		
				301	22									Mainly brown colour below 22m	
				300	23										
				299	24									Switch to blade at 24m	
				298	25									Increase in moisture content, recovered as brown sand, fine to medium grained with many fines.	
				297	26						BASALT. Fine to medium grained, brown / dark brown / purple brown, low to medium strength, highly weathered, quartz.			Decrease in moisture content - dry.	
				296	27										
				295	28										
				294	29										
				293											

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH02

SHEET 4 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism** Date Commenced: **23/2/08**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2** Date Completed: **24/2/08**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station** Recorded By: **NH**  
 Project Number: **2145479A** Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack** Driller: Surface RL: **322.839 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **150 mm** Driller Lic No: Co-ords: **E 379064.877 N 7934574.053 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L J MD ST VD H		
RAB				30.00						BASALT. Fine to medium grained, dark brown / brown green, low to medium strength, highly weathered, quartz/augite			As drill rods were lowered back down water was ejected at 30-28m
				292	31								
				291	32								
				290	33								Less green colour at 33m, mainly dark brown / brown, slight increase in strength.
				289	34								
				288	35								Becoming moist.
				287	36								
				36.45						BASALT. Fine grained, purple / brown, medium to high strength, highly weathered.			Becoming drier and purple in colour
				286	37.037					MUDSTONE. Fine grained, colour change to white with some black spots, siliceous, high to very high strength.			Change to hammer at 37m (small hammer used) higher strength encountered below 37m, no sample recovered below 37m due to water.
				285	38								
				284	39								
				283									

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH03

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **314.606 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 378968.453 N 7933736.591 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ3			Solid pipe section 0.1m-11.35m Cement grout 0.15m-5.0m	100			0.8	SAND. Fine to coarse, brown.				
							0.6	SAND. Fine to coarse, red, some low plasticity silt.				
							1.0	Gravelly SAND. Fine to coarse, red, fine to medium gravel.				
							1.2	CORE LOSS 1.25m-1.45m				
				77	25		1.4	SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale yellow / orange, some fine grained quartz gravel, subrounded to angular, fine grained matrix.	HW			calcrete nodule
							2.2	Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale yellow orange, fine grained, quartz gravel, subangular to angular, fine grained matrix.				
				75	20		2.5	CORE LOSS 2.55m-2.7m				
							2.7	Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale yellow orange, fine grained, quartz gravel, subangular to angular, fine grained matrix.				
							3.1	CORE LOSS 3.15m-3.7m				
				63	7		3.7	Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale yellow orange, fine grained, quartz gravel, subangular to angular, fine grained matrix.				
							4.0	Sandy CLAY. Medium to low plasticity, pale orange to pale white, fine to medium grained.				
							4.6	SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, white to pale brown / grey, orange / red brecciated, infilled sections				
			Bentonite seal 5.0m-6.0m	100	53		5.0	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, pale white to pale pink, some pale grey / white siltstone matrix.				
							5.7	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, pale pink, brecciated / fractured (angular) with pale grey / white mudstone / siltstone matrix.				gravel patch bridged 50mm clay, pale grey / white, medium to high plasticity
			Gravel bridged at 6.0m depth				6.0					
				100	66		7.1	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, pale pink, quartz, infilled cemented fractures at 5-15mm spacing, infilled with mudstone / siltstone, <1mm wide, moderately to highly weathered, medium to high strength, >90% quartz.				
							7.1					
				100	69		8.0					
							8.0					
				100	55		9.0					slow drilling

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH03

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **314.606 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 378968.453 N 7933736.591 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 FH 10				
HQ3							100		<p>SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, quartz sand, pale pink, moderately to highly weathered, medium to high strength, highly fractured and cemented with thin layers of red / orange silt / clay &lt;1mm thick, occasional fracture cemented with silt / mudstone, pale grey / white.</p>	MW-HW			Sample 10.0m-10.25m	
						304	11							
					100	52	303	12						
					100	53	302	13						
					100	58	301	14						
					100	54	300	15						
					100	54	299	16		<p>Quartz rich SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, moderately to highly weathered, medium to high strength, pale pink, infilled joints and fractures with silt / mudstone, pale grey / white, 15-50mm spacing.</p>				Sample 15.15m-15.4m
					100	38	298	17						
					100	44	297	18						
					100	44	296	19						
							295							

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Slotted pipe section 11.35m-35.35m

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH03

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **314.606 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 378968.453 N 7933736.591 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 M 1 H 3 VH 10 TO			
HQ3				100	35		20.3		SANDSTONE. Medium to coarse grained, pale pink / orange, highly to extremely weathered, very low to medium strength, highly fractured.	MW-HW			Sample 20.3m-20.65m
							21			HW-EW			sand layer
				67	10		22						
							22.5		SAND. Coarse grained, very weak extremely weathered SANDSTONE.				
							22.6		SAND. Fine grained, very weak extremely weathered SANDSTONE.				
				100	0		23		CLAY. White, low to medium plasticity.				
							23.5		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale pink, extremely to highly weathered, very low to low strength, highly fracture and broken, bedding <10° from horizontal.				
				100	0		24						
				100	0		25						
				100	0		26						
				71	0		27						rattling from rig
							27.5		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale grey / pink, extremely to highly weathered, very low strength.				
				100	0		28						
							28.35		CORE LOSS 28.35m-28.75m				losing water below 28.35m
				100	0		28.5		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale grey / pink, extremely to highly weathered, very low strength, highly fractured throughout with numerous sandy clay seams.				

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH03

SHEET 4 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **CRP/NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **314.606 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 378968.453 N 7933736.591 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 TO	30 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ3			Filter pack 30.15m-35.35m	58	0	284	31		SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, pale grey / pink, extremely to highly weathered, very low strength, highly fractured throughout with numerous sandy clay seams. (continued)	HW				
				93	0	283	32			EW				
				83	0	282	33							sand layer ~100mm
				100	66	281	34							
				100	56	280	35							
						279	36		END OF BOREHOLE AT 35.35 m				Borehole terminated at 35.35m.	
						278	37							
						277	38							
						276	39							
						275								

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH04

SHEET 2 OF 3

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	24/2/08
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	24/2/08
Borehole Location:	Muckatya Station	Recorded By:	NH
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Mark V Mack	Driller:		Surface RL:	301.208 m
Borehole Diameter:	150 mm	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	E 377880.503 N 7933479.24 GDA_94 Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL LL ST MD VST D H		
RAB			Slotted pipe section 10.0m-28.0m	291	11					MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey to white, with some red throughout, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, dry to moist.			sample mainly recovered at light grey to white powder
				290									colour change to green - grey and white, with some red throughout
				289	12					MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, red brown - pink - green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, dry to moist.			red brown / pink layer ~300mm thick
				288									change to blade at 13m - wet pink clay on hammer as withdrawn from hole
				287									colour change to green / red brown / pink, slightly moist, slight increase in strength below 14.5m
				286									
				285									
				284									
				283									mainly red brown / brown at 18.2m
				282									darker red brown colour, slight increase in moisture content

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH04

SHEET 3 OF 3

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	24/2/08
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	24/2/08
Borehole Location:	Muckaty Station	Recorded By:	NH
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Mark V Mack	Driller:	Surface RL:	301.208 m
Borehole Diameter:	150 mm	Driller Lic No:	Co-ords:	E 377880.503 N 7933479.24 GDA_94 Z_53

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L J MD ST D H		
RAB				281						MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, red brown - pink - green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, dry to moist. (continued)			
					21								
				280									
					22								
				279									
					23								
				278									material recovered as powder, decrease in moisture content
				23.40						SILTSTONE. Very fine grained, grey to red brown, extremely low to very low strength, highly weathered, dry.			colour change to dark grey
					24								
				277									
					25								
				276									
					26								slight increase in moisture content
				275									
					27								
				274									minimal recovery of sample
					28					END OF BOREHOLE AT 28.00 m			
				273									
					29								
				272									

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH05

SHEET 1 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **309.227 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 376822.611 N 7933801.398 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m		0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ3			Solid pipe section 0.1m-11.0m Cement grout 0.15m-3.0m	53	17	309		CORE LOSS 0.0m-0.7m				
							0.7	SAND. Fine to coarse grained, brown, loose.	EW			
							0.8	Sandy GRAVEL. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, angular, loose.	HW			can be easily broken by hand
							1.0	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mottled red brown / grey / yellow brown, very low strength, highly weathered, quartz.	HW-EW			some siltstone? Layers <50mm, slightly coarser, occasional sections fissile
				100	0	307	2	MUDSTONE. Mainly grey with red brown and yellow throughout, highly to extremely weathered, very low to low strength.				drilling mud colour alternates between red and grey
			Backfilled 3.0m-10.0m	100	45	306	3					mainly light grey with red brown, brecciated and infilled
				100	60	305	4		HW			red brown, some shaley bands <50mm throughout, brecciated, infilled. no bedding noted but breaks cleanly horizontally
				100	100	304	5					increase in strength Sample 5.0m-5.3m Box 1
				100	100	303	6					
				100	100	302	7					Sample 7.0m-7.2m
				100	100	301	8	SILTSTONE (interbedded with fine grained SANDSTONE). Mottled and layered purple / red brown / grey, mostly fine to very fine sand, highly weathered, low to medium strength, faint bedding planes at 20°, thinly bedded, laminated, some brecciated infilled sections ~200mm.				
				100		300	9					

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH05

SHEET 2 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **309.227 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 376822.611 N 7933801.398 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 EH 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
HQ3			Filter pack 10.0m-30.15m			299				HW			
			Slotted pipe section 11.0m-30.15m	100	100	298	11		SILTSTONE (interbedded with fine grained SANDSTONE). Mainly siltstone, light grey / red brown, massive, occasional 20° laminated zone, highly weathered, low to medium strength.				Sample 10.85m-11.25m
				100	100	297	12		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, red brown, very low to medium strength, highly weathered, thinly bedded 10-20°, slightly coarse grained, mainly medium grained at 12.25m.				
				100	100	296	13		SILTSTONE (interbedded with fine grained SANDSTONE). Mainly siltstone, light grey / red brown, massive, occasional 20° laminated zone, highly weathered, low to medium strength.				
				100	100	295	14		SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, red brown, very low to medium strength, highly weathered, thinly bedded 10-20°.				
				100	100	294	15		SILTSTONE. Light grey to red brown, some fine to medium grained sandstone bands <100mm.				
				100	100	293	16						
				100	0	292	17		SILTSTONE (interbedded with fine grained SANDSTONE). Mainly siltstone, light grey / red brown, massive, occasional 20° laminated zone, highly weathered, low to medium strength.	EW			Sample 17.65m-18.15m
				100	0	291	18		SILTSTONE. Brecciated and infilled siltstone, numerous clay seams at fractures, mosaic of siltstone fragments and clay seams, extremely low strength, extremely weathered.				Highly fractured and clay infilled, recovered as clayey gravel, possible water inflow
				100	0	290	19						

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH05

SHEET 3 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **309.227 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 376822.611 N 7933801.398 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 H 10 F 30 T 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ3				100	0	289	21		SILTSTONE. Brecciated and infilled siltstone, numerous clay seams at fractures, mosaic of siltstone fragments and clay seams, extremely low strength, extremely weathered. (continued)	EW			
				100	57	288	22		SILTSTONE. Banded purple / light grey, highly to extremely weathered, very low strength, some fine grained sandstone layers (<50mm) throughout, thinly bedded, massive?, highly fractured in places.	HW-EW			Box 4 Sample 22.2m-22.5m
				100	100	287	23						
				100	100	286	24						Mainly red brown colour with some light grey inclusions / veins, thin bedding ~10-20°
				100	100	285	25						
				100	100	284	26						
				100	100	283	27						
				100	100	282	28						Sample 27.9m-25.2m
				100	100	281	29						
				100	100	280							

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH05

SHEET 4 OF 4

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **4/3/08**  
 Date Completed: **4/3/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **309.227 m**  
 Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 376822.611 N 7933801.398 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										EL 0.03 VL 0.1 L 0.3 W 1 VH 3 FH 10	30 100 300 1000 3000		
						279			END OF BOREHOLE AT 30.15 m				Borehole terminated at 30.15m
							31						
						278							
							32						
						277							
							33						
						276							
							34						
						275							
							35						
						274							
							36						
						273							
							37						
						272							
							38						
						271							
							39						
						270							

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH06

SHEET 1 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckaty Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **25/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **25/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **150 mm**

Driller:  
 Driller Lic No:

Surface RL: **314.925 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 379275.294 N 7932584.685 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS % L	FB VL L L ST MD VST D H	
RAB			Solid pipe section 0.1m-26.0m Cement grout 0.15m-6.0m	314	1					SAND. Fine to coarse grained, red brown, angular to subangular, some fines, dry, loose to medium dense.			
				313	2								
				312	3.00					SAND. Becoming coarser grained, red brown, angular to subangular, some fines, dry, loose to medium dense.			
				311	4								
				4.50									
				310	5					Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, red brown / grey, fine grained gravel, some pebbles (quartz), angular to sub rounded, low to medium strength, highly weathered, dry, abundant quartz, lighter in colour below 6m			
				309	6								increase in strength and pebble size with some strongly cemented sand fragments recovered
			Backfilled 6.0m-26m	308	7								
				307	8								
				8.80									increase in strength, absence of medium to coarse gravel and pebbles
				306	9					SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, light brown / light grey, angular to sub rounded, highly weathered, medium to high strength, dry			slow drilling
				9.50									
				305									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

## MSBH06

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	25/2/08
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	25/2/08
Borehole Location:	Muckatya Station	Recorded By:	NH
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Mark V Mack	Driller:	Surface RL:	314.925 m
Borehole Diameter:	150 mm	Driller Lic No:	Co-ords:	E 379275.294 N 7932584.685 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										VS VL VH	FL FD FH	
RAB				304	11				<p>Pebbly SANDSTONE. Fine to coarse grained, light brown, fine to coarse grained gravel and pebbles (quartz), angular to sub rounded, high to extremely high strength, slightly weathered to fresh, dry. <i>(continued)</i></p> <p>ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to coarse grained, light grey to white, angular to subangular, slightly weathered to fresh, very high to extremely high strength, dry.</p>			switched to hammer
				303	12							
				302	13							
				301	14							
				300	15							
				299	16							recovered mainly as powder with visible angular quartz, white, dry
				298	17							driller noted some bands drilled through produced less dust, possibly indicating **
				297	18							very light grey
				296	19							back to white colour
				295								

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BOREHOLE NO.

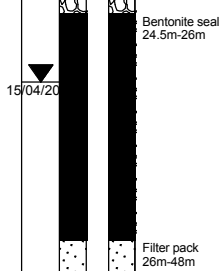
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SHEET 3 OF 5

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	25/2/08
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	25/2/08
Borehole Location:	Muckatya Station	Recorded By:	NH
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Mark V Mack	Driller:	Surface RL:	314.925 m
Borehole Diameter:	150 mm	Driller Lic No:	Co-ords:	E 379275.294 N 7932584.685 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											FB VS VL L ST MD VST D H		
RAB				294	21					ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to coarse grained, light grey to white, angular to subangular, slightly weathered to fresh, very high to extremely high strength, dry. (continued)			some medium sized red brown / red grains (<10%) - lithic fragments
				293	22								stopped drilling for 10mins to check for water - NIL
				292	23								extremely high strength, very slow drilling
				291	24								slow drilling 10-15mm
				290	25								slow drilling 10-15mm
				289	26								slightly quicker drilling <10mm
				288	27								increase in red brown / red grains (~25%)
				287	28								
				286	29								
				285									



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BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH06

SHEET 4 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **25/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **25/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **150 mm**

Driller:  
 Driller Lic No:

Surface RL: **314.925 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 379275.294 N 7932584.685 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL LL ST MD VST HD		
RAB			Slotted pipe section 26.0m-48.0m	284	31					ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to coarse grained, light grey to white, angular to subangular, slightly weathered to fresh, very high to extremely high strength, dry. (continued)			stopped at 30m on 25/02/08 at 6pm hole dipped 26/02/08 - no water in hole
				283	32								less dust below 31m . slightly darker colour mainly light grey to light brown
				282	33								slightly lower strength (increase in dust at 32.5m but less than above 31m) Mainly red brown colour between 32m and 33m Minimal dust and sample recovery
				281	34								Increase in dust (less than above 31m)
				280	35								
				279	36								Stopped drilling for 20mins to check for water - NIL
				278	37								
				277	38								
				276	39								
				275									

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BOREHOLE NO.

## MSBH06

SHEET 5 OF 5

Client:	Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism	Date Commenced:	25/2/08
Project:	RADWASTE 2	Date Completed:	25/2/08
Borehole Location:	Muckatky Station	Recorded By:	NH
Project Number:	2145479A	Log Checked By:	MKD

Drill Model/Mounting:	Mark V Mack	Driller:	Surface RL:	314.925 m
Borehole Diameter:	150 mm	Driller Lic No:	Co-ords:	E 379275.294 N 7932584.685 GDA_94 Z_5

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY /CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS FB VL L J MD ST VD H		
RAB				274	41					ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to coarse grained, light grey to white, angular to subangular, slightly weathered to fresh, very high to extremely high strength, dry. (continued)			
				273	42								slight increase in moisture content, slightly darker colour, some returns clay**?
				272	43								
				271	44								
				270	45								
				269	46								Minimal recovery
				268	47								Minimal recovery
				267	48					END OF BOREHOLE AT 48.00 m			Borehole terminated at 48m. When rods were withdrawn they were wet.
				266	49								
				265									

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MSBH01 0.0-6.3 m



MSBH01 6.3-11.9 m





MSBH01 11.9-17.2 m

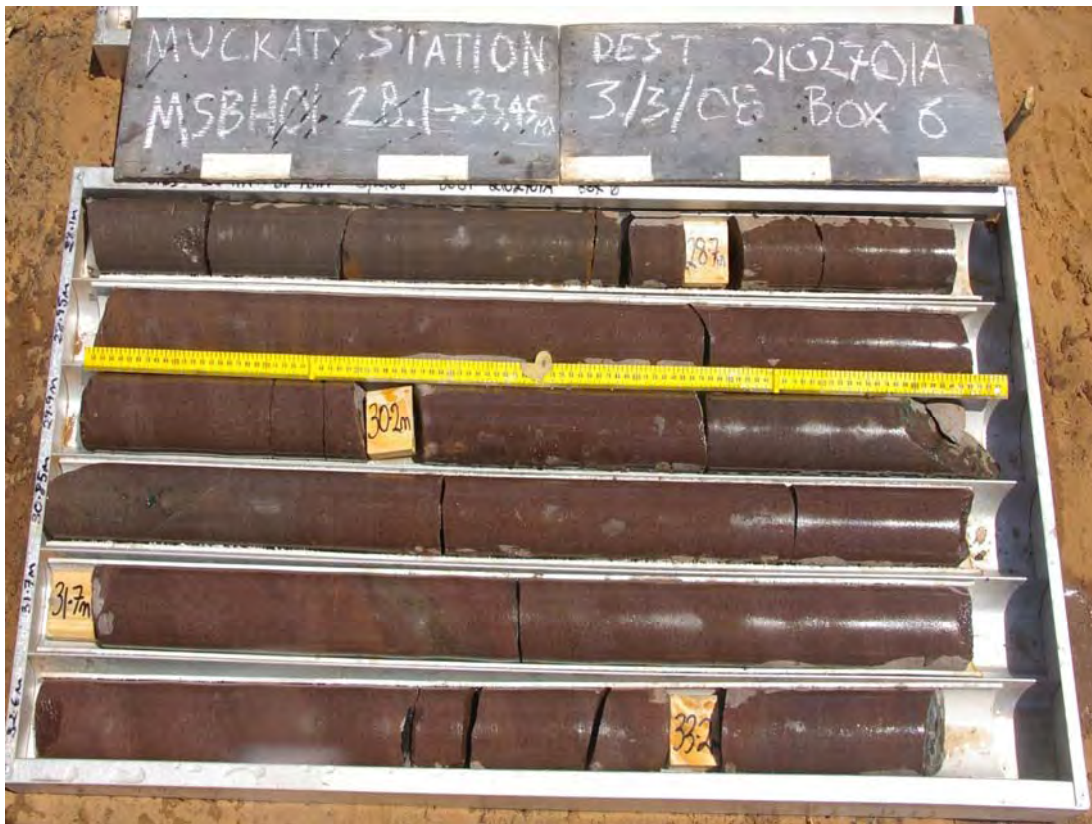


MSBH01 17.2-22.7 m



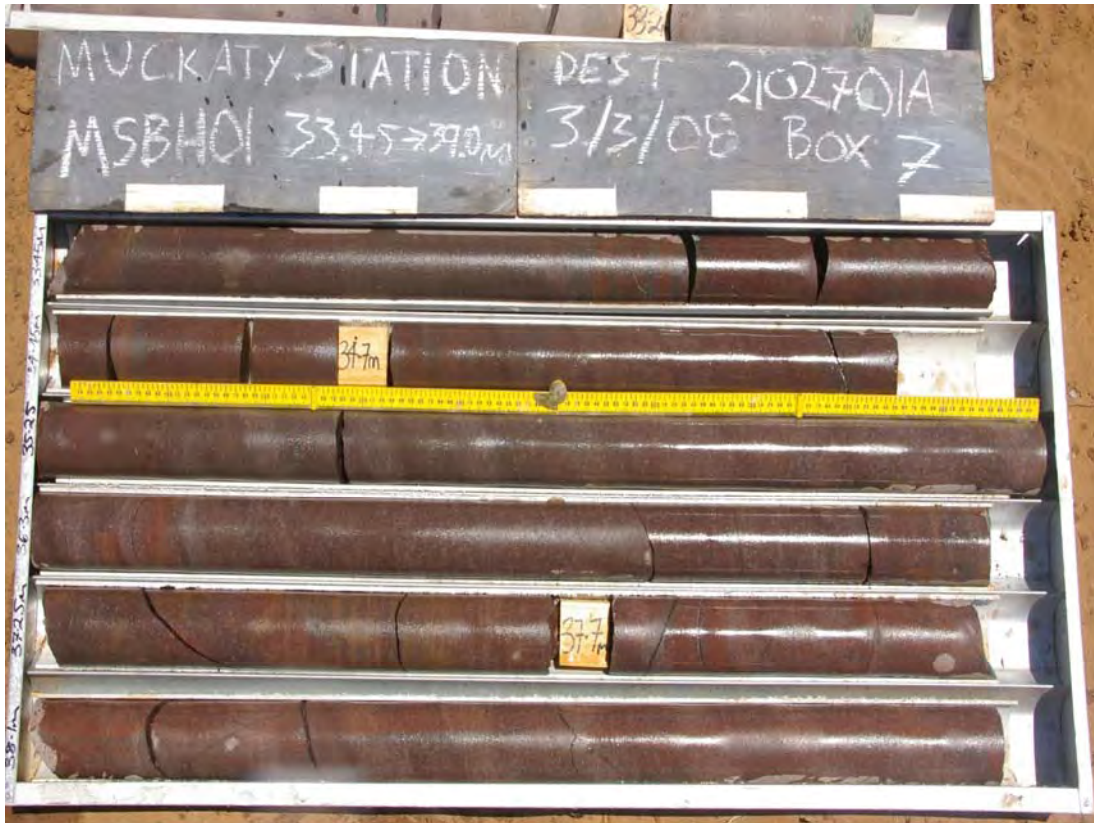


MSBH01 22.7-28.1 m



MSBH01 28.1-33.45 m





MSBH01 33.45-39.0 m



MSBH01 39.0-40.2 m





MSBH03 0.0-5.3 m



MSBH03 5.3-10.6 m





MSBH03 10.6-16.0 m



MSBH03 16.0-21.15 m





MSBH03 21.15-25.80 m



MSBH03 25.8-30.85 m





MSBH03 30.85-35.35 m



MSBH05 0.0-5.3 m





MSBH03 30.85-35.35 m



MSBH05 0.0-5.3 m



MSBH05 5.3-10.8 m





MSBH05 10.8-16.45 m



MSBH05 16.45-21.8 m





MSBH05 21.8-27.25 m



MSBH05 27.25-30.15 m



# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

**GBH01**

SHEET 1 OF 5

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>20/2/08</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>21/2/08</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>Muckatya Station</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Mark V Mack</b>	Driller:		Surface RL:	<b>313.324 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>150 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 382663.736 N 7948164.503 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
										VS	FB VL LL ST MD VST D H	
RAB			Cement grout 0.0m-6.0m	313	1				SANDSTONE/ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to coarse grained, purple / red brown, some grey and brown, low to medium strength, highly weathered, quartz, mica, angular to subangular quartz grains, dry.			Surface cover of gravelly sand, fine to coarse grained sand, brown / red brown, fine to coarse gravel with cobbles. dry, loose, generally angular with some subrounded (pebbles)
				312	2							Orthoquartzite, fine to medium grained, SW to Fresh, high to very high strength, light grey / red brown, blocky, highly fractured (photo).
				311	3				SANDSTONE/ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to coarse grained, purple / red brown, some grey and brown, increase in strength to high / very high, becoming slightly weathered to fresh, quartz, mica, angular to subangular quartz grains, dry.			
				310	4							
				309	5							
				308	6				SANDSTONE/ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, light grey to white, increase in strength to high / very high, becoming slightly weathered to fresh, quartz, mica, angular to subangular quartz grains, dry.			
			Backfilled 6.0m-28.0m	307	7				SANDSTONE/ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, light grey to white, high / very high strength, slightly weathered to fresh, some layers highly weathered lower strength, red brown / brown layers, ~10mm, more weathered bands throughout, quartz, mica, angular to subangular quartz grains, dry.			
				306	8							
				305	9				SANDSTONE/ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, light grey to white, medium to high strength, slightly to highly weathered, increase in weathered red brown / orange brown bands, quartz, mica, angular to subangular quartz grains, dry.			
				304	9.20							

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

**GBH01**

SHEET 2 OF 5

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>20/2/08</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>21/2/08</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>Muckatya Station</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Mark V Mack</b>	Driller:		Surface RL:	<b>313.324 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>150 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 382663.736 N 7948164.503 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS	
											VS VL VH	LS LD LH		
RAB				10.20 303						<p>SANDSTONE/ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, light grey to white, high to very high strength, slightly to highly weathered, weathered red brown / orange brown bands, quartz, mica, angular to subangular quartz grains, dry. <i>(continued)</i></p> <p>QUARTZITE. Amorphous, light grey to red brown, very high to extremely high strength, slightly weathered to fresh.</p>			Slow progress through light grey quartzite	
					11									Thin clay seams throughout, hammer not operating ~50-100mm thick
					302									
					12									
					301									
					13									
					300									
					14									
					299									
					15									
					298									
					16									
					297									
					17									
					296									
					18									
					295									
					19									
					294					CLAY SEAM.				
					19.20									
					19.40									

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

**GBH01**

SHEET 3 OF 5

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>20/2/08</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>21/2/08</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>Muckaty Station</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Mark V Mack</b>	Driller:		Surface RL:	<b>313.324 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>150 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 382663.736 N 7948164.503 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS VL L ST MD VST D H		
RAB				293	20.40			X	X	QUARTZITE. Amorphous, light grey to red brown, very high to extremely high strength with numerous low strength clay seams throughout, some highly weathered bands (red brown - brown), slightly weathered to fresh. <i>(continued)</i>			
					21			X	X	QUARTZITE. Amorphous, light grey to red brown, low to medium strength, some highly weathered bands (red brown - brown), highly weathered, high fines (clay) content at 20.4m.			Slight decrease in strength, increase in clay content
					22			X	X				
					23			X	X				
					24			X	X				
					25			X	X				
					26			X	X	QUARTZITE. Amorphous, pink - white, low to medium strength, some highly weathered bands (red brown - brown), highly weathered.			
					27			X	X				Change to cutter bit
					28			X	X				Change back to hammer
					29			X	X	QUARTZITE. Amorphous, white, low to medium strength, some highly weathered bands (red brown - brown), highly weathered.			
					284			X	X				

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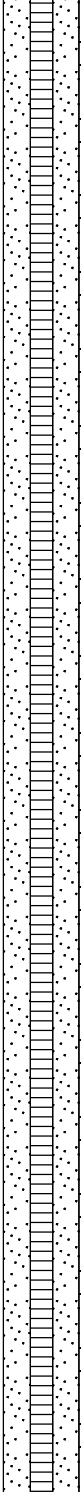
BOREHOLE NO.

**GBH01**

SHEET 4 OF 5

Client:	<b>Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism</b>	Date Commenced:	<b>20/2/08</b>
Project:	<b>RADWASTE 2</b>	Date Completed:	<b>21/2/08</b>
Borehole Location:	<b>Muckatya Station</b>	Recorded By:	<b>NH</b>
Project Number:	<b>2145479A</b>	Log Checked By:	<b>MKD</b>

Drill Model/Mounting:	<b>Mark V Mack</b>	Driller:		Surface RL:	<b>313.324 m</b>
Borehole Diameter:	<b>150 mm</b>	Driller Lic No:		Co-ords:	<b>E 382663.736 N 7948164.503 GDA_94 Z_5</b>

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS % L	FB VL L J MD VST D H	
RAB				30.00				X	X	QUARTZITE. Amorphous, grey white, low to medium strength, highly weathered.			
				283				X	X				
					31			X	X				
				282				X	X				
					32			X	X				
				281				X	X				
					33			X	X				
				280				X	X				
					34			X	X				
				279				X	X				
					35			X	X				
				278				X	X				
					36			X	X				
				277				X	X				
					37			X	X				
				276				X	X				
					38			X	X				
				275				X	X				
					39			X	X				
				274				X	X				

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# BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

**GBH01**

SHEET 5 OF 5

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **20/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **21/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **150 mm**

Driller:  
 Driller Lic No:

Surface RL: **313.324 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 382663.736 N 7948164.503 GDA\_94 Z\_5**

Borehole Information							Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	WELL CONSTRUCTION	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	FIELD TEST	SAMPLE	GRAPHIC LOG	USC SYMBOL	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	MOISTURE	RELATIVE DENSITY / CONSISTENCY	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
											VS % L	FB VL L MD VST D H	
RAB		19/04/2008		40.00				X	X	QUARTZITE. Amorphous, grey, low to medium strength, highly weathered.			
				273				X	X				
					41			X	X				
				272				X	X				
					42			X	X				
				271				X	X				
					43			X	X				
				270				X	X				
					44			X	X				
				269				X	X				
					45			X	X				
				268				X	X				
					46			X	X				
				267						END OF BOREHOLE AT 46.00 m			End of borehole at 46m. Hammer blocked at 46m. No water encountered at end of drilling
					47								
				266									
					48								
				265									
					49								
				264									

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

**GBH02**

SHEET 1 OF 6

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **29/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **312.205 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 382660.962 N 7947541.993 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information						Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
HQ3							COMMENCE CORING AT 0 m				
			63	0	312	0.40	ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, red brown - light grey, extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to low strength. Top 0.6m recovered as gravels with section of clayey sands (extremely weathered) up to 300mm thick bedding variable**? (horizontal) in less weathered sections, sub angular to sub rounded.	HW-FR			
			66	0	311	1.10	CORE LOSS 1.1m-1.3m				
			52	0	310	1.70	ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, red brown - light grey, extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to low strength, sub angular to sub rounded.				
				0	309	2.20	CORE LOSS 1.7m-2.2m				
				0	309	2.65	ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, red brown - light grey, extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to low strength, sub angular to sub rounded.	SW-FR			Recovered fragments are very high strength but poor quality core (RQD=0)
				0	309	2.75	CORE LOSS 2.65m-2.75m				
				0	309	3.00	ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained, red brown - light grey, extremely to highly weathered, extremely low to low strength, sub angular to sub rounded.	SW-FR			Recovered as angular orthoquartzite gravels (very high strength)
				0	309	3.40	ORTHOQUARTZITE. Light to dark grey, very high to extremely high strength fragments but highly fractured, slightly weathered to fresh, faint banding (light to dark grey noted**), generally amorphous but with some granular structure noted.				
			55	0	308	3.85	CORE LOSS 3.4m-3.85m				
				0	308	4.65	ORTHOQUARTZITE. Light to dark grey, very high to extremely high strength fragments but highly fractured, slightly weathered to fresh, faint banding (light to dark grey noted**), generally amorphous but with some granular structure noted.	SW			High to very high strength fragments, fractures generally ~10mm thickness
			100	0	307	5.00	ORTHOQUARTZITE. Fine to medium grained (mainly fine grained), light grey with some orange staining around loose fragments, highly to slightly weathered, low to very low strength, **? fractures infilled with clay, no orientation, some light to dark banding.	HW			Fractured and infilled (photo)
			83	0	306	6.60	SILTSTONE. Grey / green, highly weathered layers, medium strength, thinly bedded (~30°) some coarser (fine sand) laminae				may be a mudstone
			100	0	305	7.00	SANDSTONE. (Quartz), fine to medium grained, mainly grey with some red/purple laminae, medium to high strength, highly weathered, sub angular to sub rounded, thinly bedded (25°-30°).				highly fractured, all clay infilled
			100	10	304	8.00					
			100	0	303	9.20	MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, layers of brecciated siltstone with claystone infilling, no bedding visible, some red patches throughout, bedding / lamination at ~60°.	EW			extremely weathered, recovered as gravelly clay
				0	303			HW			
				0	303			HW-EW			becoming extremely to highly weathered, bedding not visible, medium grained quartz grains in clay matrix Red colour between 9.4m-9.6m

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# CORED BOREHOLE ENGINEERING LOG

BOREHOLE NO.

## GBH02

SHEET 2 OF 6

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **29/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack** Hole Angle: **90°** Surface RL: **312.205 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 382660.962 N 7947541.993 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information						Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
								EL VL M H VH EH	0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	10 30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ3			100	71	302		MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, layers of brecciated siltstone with claystone infilling, no bedding visible, some red patches throughout, bedding / lamination at ~60°. (continued)	HW EW			Numerous clay infilled fractures, no orientation. Numerous beds and layers of fine to very fine grained SANDSTONE (saprolitic)
					301	11.10	CORE LOSS 11.1m-11.3m				Sample 10.65m-11.0m Surface covered with fine to coarse quartz gravel and cobbles and boulders with clay sand fines, material easily broken by hand, material recovering as clayey sand and gravel
			83	0	300	12	MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, layers of brecciated siltstone with claystone infilling, no bedding visible, some Red patches throughout, bedding / lamination at ~60°.				Probably not saprolitic, just brecciated siliceous siltstone infilled with clay
			100	0	299	13					
					299	13.40	CORE LOSS 13.4m-13.65m				
			66	0	298	14	MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, brecciated siliceous siltstone with clay/claystone infilling, highly fractured				
			30	0	297	15					core easily broken by hand
			100	17	296	16					
			100	0	296	16.30	CORE LOSS 16.3m-16.6m				core easily broken by hand
			40	0	295	17	MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, brecciated siliceous siltstone with clay/claystone infilling, highly fractured				Sample 17.1m-18.15m
			100	70	294	18					Coarse sand layer (50mm), purple
			27	0	294	17.65	CORE LOSS 17.65m-18.2m				
			80	30	293	18.20	MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, brecciated siliceous siltstone with clay/claystone infilling, highly fractured				
			19	0	293	18.40	CORE LOSS 18.4m-18.5m				
			100	100	293	18.90	MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, brecciated siliceous siltstone with clay/claystone infilling, highly fractured				
					293	19.20	CORE LOSS 18.9m-19.2m				

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BOREHOLE NO.

## GBH02

SHEET 3 OF 6

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/2/08**  
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 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm** Bearing: **---** Co-ords: **E 382660.962 N 7947541.993 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information						Field Material Description					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	10 30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ3			100	100	292	20.20	MUDSTONE. Very fine grained, grey / green, very low to low strength, highly to extremely weathered, brecciated siliceous siltstone with clay/claystone infilling, highly fractured (continued) Mainly clay / saprolite with layers of grey siltstone (up to 100mm), medium strength, Clay is generally grey with some red + orange-brown throughout, very low to low strength	HW-EW			Box 4
			100	100	291	21					
			100	100	290	22					
			90	90	289	22.90-23.05	CORE LOSS 22.9m-23.05m Mainly clay / saprolite with layers of grey siltstone (up to 100mm), medium strength, Clay is generally grey with some red + orange-brown throughout, very low to low strength				
			86	46	288	24					
			100	100	287	25					
			86	46	286	25.40-25.50	CORE LOSS 25.4m-25.5m Mainly clay / saprolite with layers of grey siltstone (up to 100mm), medium strength, Clay is generally grey with some red + orange-brown throughout, very low to low strength Increase in **, grey, medium to high strength, numerous clay layers ranging from 40mm to 100mm, ****????	SW-EW			Box 5 Better recovery of core below 26m
			100	57	285	26.50	SILTSTONE. Light grey/grey/white, slightly weathered, medium to high strength, laminated light grey/white/darker grey to dark grey, some coarser grained lenses, numerous clay layers -ranging from 10mm-100mm	EW			Cross lamination noted (photo)
			100	100	284	28					
			92	92	283	28.90-29.0	CORE LOSS 28.9m-29.0m SANDSTONE. Very fine to medium grained (quartz), layered red-brown/grey, highly to extremely weathered, extremely low to low strength, grading to clay with medium grained quartz layers at ~29.8m	HW-EW			

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BOREHOLE NO.

## GBH02

SHEET 4 OF 6

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **29/2/08**  
 Recorded By: **NH**  
 Log Checked By: **MKD**

Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**

Hole Angle: **90°**  
 Bearing: **---**

Surface RL: **312.205 m**  
 Co-ords: **E 382660.962 N 7947541.993 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

Borehole Information						Field Material Description						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	GRAPHIC LOG	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10 30 100 300 1000 3000			
HQ3					282				HW			
			100	75		30.60		Interlayered CLAY and highly to extremely weathered SANDSTONE (quartz), some sections (<100mm) show lamination, clay is grey with red brown - orange brown veins and inclusions. Some shaley layers (fissile laminations)				
			100	100		281						core easily broken by hand
			100	100		280						
			100	100		279						
			100	100		278						
			100	100		277						
			100	100		276						
			100	100		36.40		Interlayered CLAY and highly to extremely weathered SANDSTONE (quartz), slightly stronger.				slightly stronger
			100	100		275						Box 7
			100	100		274						
			100	100		273						
			100	100		39.40		Interlayered CLAY and highly to extremely weathered SANDSTONE (quartz), slightly weaker.				Sample 39.85m-40.0m

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BOREHOLE NO.

**GBH02**

SHEET 5 OF 6

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/2/08**  
 Date Completed: **29/2/08**  
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Drill Model/Mounting: **Mark V Mack**      Hole Angle: **90°**      Surface RL: **312.205 m**  
 Borehole Diameter: **96 mm**      Bearing: **---**      Co-ords: **E 382660.962 N 7947541.993 GDA\_94 Z\_53**

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
METHOD	SUPPORT	WATER	CORE RECOVERY	RQD	RL(m)	DEPTH(m)	SOIL/ROCK MATERIAL FIELD DESCRIPTION	WEATHERING	INFERRED STRENGTH Is(50) MPa	AVERAGE DEFECT SPACING mm	STRUCTURE AND ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS
									0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10	10 30 100 300 1000 3000	
HQ3						272	Interlayered CLAY and highly to extremely weathered SANDSTONE (quartz), slightly weaker. <i>(continued)</i>	HW-EW			Box 8
						41					
			100	100		271					
			100	100		42					
			100	100		270					
			100	100		43					
						269					
			100	100		44					
			100	100		268					
			100	100		45					
						267					
			100	100		45.50	SANDSTONE. Fine to medium grained, mainly purple with grey layers thinly bedded/ thickly laminated, highly weathered, moderate strength, bedding / lamination at ~10°, some extremely weathered laminae. Grading into...	HW			fractured section of rock, possible inflow by water Sample 46.9m-47.15m
						46	SANDSTONE. Extremely to highly weathered sandstone, weathering to claystone, some fine to medium grains throughout	HW-EW			
						46.20					
			100	100		47					Box 9
						265					
			100	100		48					Box 9
						264					
			100	100		49					Sample 49.7m-49.9m
						263					

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BOREHOLE NO.

## GBH02

SHEET 6 OF 6

Client: **Department of Resources, Energy and Tourism**  
 Project: **RADWASTE 2**  
 Borehole Location: **Muckatya Station**  
 Project Number: **2145479A**

Date Commenced: **28/2/08**  
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
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									0.03 0.1 0.3 1 3 10 30 100 300 1000 3000			
					262		.....	END OF BOREHOLE AT 50.20 m				Box 10
						51						
					261							
						52						
					260							
						53						
					259							
						54						
					258							
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						56						
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						57						
					255							
						58						
					254							
						59						
					253							

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GBH02 0.0-4.9 m



GBH02 4.9-9.4 m





GBH02 9.4–14.8 m



GBH02 14.8–20.15 m



GBH02 20.15-25.65 m



GBH02 25.65-31.25 m





GBH02 31.25-36.7 m



GBH02 36.7-42.4 m



GBH02 42.4-48.05 m



GBH02 48.05-50.0 m

## **Appendix B**

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Laboratory test results





## Laboratory test results

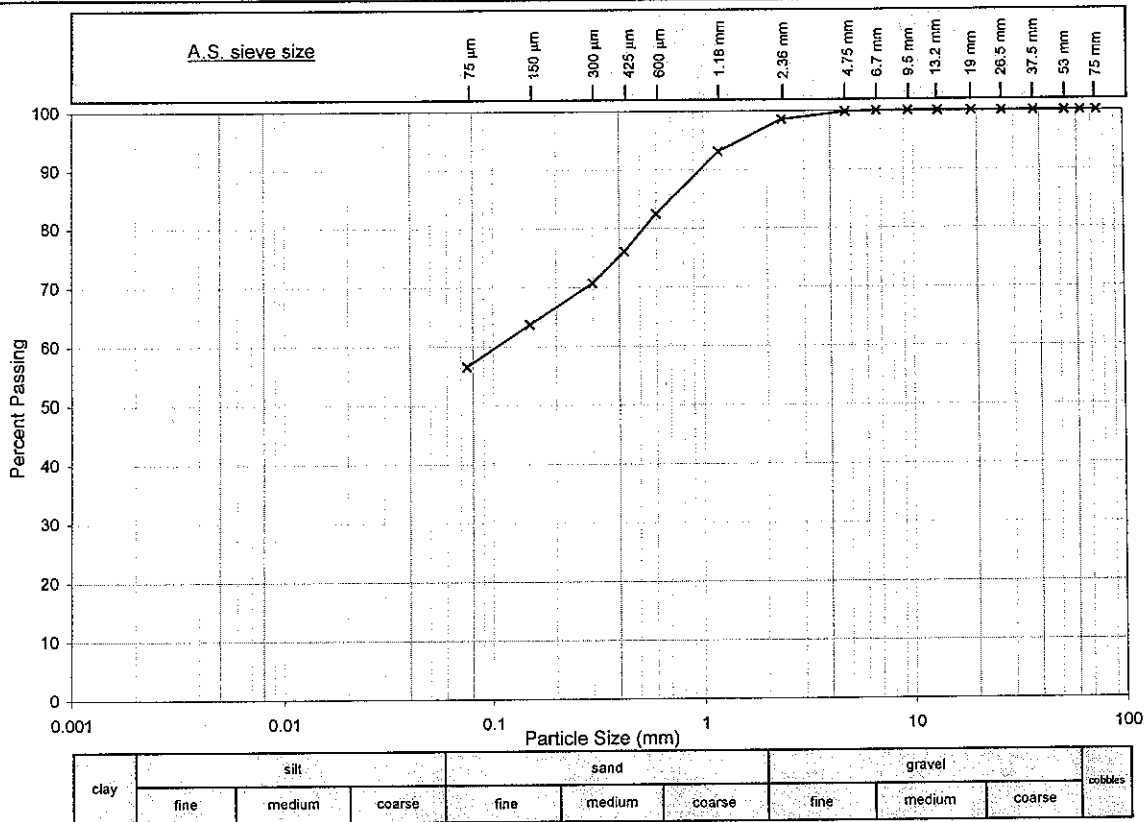
Laboratory Sample reference numbers and locations in laboratory test certificates.

Coffey Lab sample number	Site	Sample location
9042	MOUNT EVERARD	ME TP 01 0.8 - 1.2
9043		ME TP 07 0.4 - 0.8
9044		ME BH 01 6.7 - 7.0
9045		ME BH 01 12.1 - 12.4
9046		ME BH 01 22.85 - 23.1
9047		ME BH 01 59.55 - 59.9
9048		ME BH 02 10.8 - 10.9
9049		ME BH 02 13.4 - 13.6
9050		ME BH O4 2.0 & 3.0
9051	HARTS RANGE	HR TP 01 0.5 - 0.8
9052		HR TP 01 1.0 - 1.4
9053		HR TP 06 1.5 - 1.8
9054		HR BH 01 9.0 - 10.0
9055		HR BH 01 20.5 - 21.5
9056		HR BH 01 26.5 - 26.6
9057		HR BH 01 48.0 - 48.35
9058		HR BH 03 1.0m
9059		HR BH 04 2m & 3m
9060		HR BH 05 9m & 10m
9061	FISHERS RIDGE	FR TP 01 0.6 - 1.0
9062		FR TP 04 0.4 - 0.8
9063		FR BH 01 9.8 - 10.2
9064		FR BH 01 12.1 - 12.6
9065		FR BH 01 22.65 - 22.85
9066		FR BH 02 1.0 - 1.3
9067		FR BH 02 4.95 - 5.25
9068		FR BH 02 11.2 - 11.6
9069		FR BH 02 15.5 - 15.8
9070		FR BH 02 23.7 - 24.0
165761	MUCKATY STATION	MSTP01 1.5 – 1.6m
165764		MSTP04 1.3 – 1.5m
165765		MSTP06 2.0 – 2.2m
165768		MSTP09 0.5 – 0.8m
165902		MSBH01 10.65 – 10.95m
165904		MSBH01 28.1 – 28.25m
165908		GBH02 46.9 – 47.15m
165912		MSBH03 20.3 – 20.65m
165915		MSBH05 17.65 – 18.15m
165901		MSBH01 6.0-6.18m
165902		MSBH01 10.65-10.95m
165910		MSBH03 10.0-10.25m
165913		MSBH05 5.0-5.3m
165914		MSBH05 10.85-11.25m

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 Principal: Report No. 06057/AA-R38  
 Project: SUBMITTED SAMPLES  
 Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Sample No.: 9043 Sample Identification: ME TP07, 0.4 - 0.8 m



Particle Size Distribution AS1289 3.6.1			Atterberg Limits and Moisture Content			
Sieve Size	% Passing	Specification	Test	Method	Result	Spec.
150 mm	100		Liquid Limit	% AS1289 3.1.2	35	
75 mm	100		Plastic Limit	% AS1289 3.2.1	17	
53mm	100		Plasticity Index	% AS1289 3.3.1	18	
37.5 mm	100		Linear Shrinkage	% AS1289 3.4.1	9.5	
26.5 mm	100		Moisture Content	% AS1289 2.1.1	ND	
19.0 mm	100		Sample History: <input type="checkbox"/> Natural State <input type="checkbox"/> Air Dried <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven Dried			
13.2 mm	100		Preparation Method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Sieved <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sieved			
9.5 mm	100		Linear shrinkage: <input type="checkbox"/> Crumbling <input type="checkbox"/> Curling			
6.7 mm	100		Mould Length: 250 mm			
4.75 mm	100		ND = not determined NO = not obtainable NP = non plastic			
2.36 mm	99		Classification:			
1.18 mm	93		SANDY CLAY, MEDIUM PLASTICITY, BROWN RED, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED SAND			
600 µm	82					
425 µm	76					
300 µm	71					
150 µm	64					
75 µm	56					

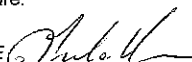
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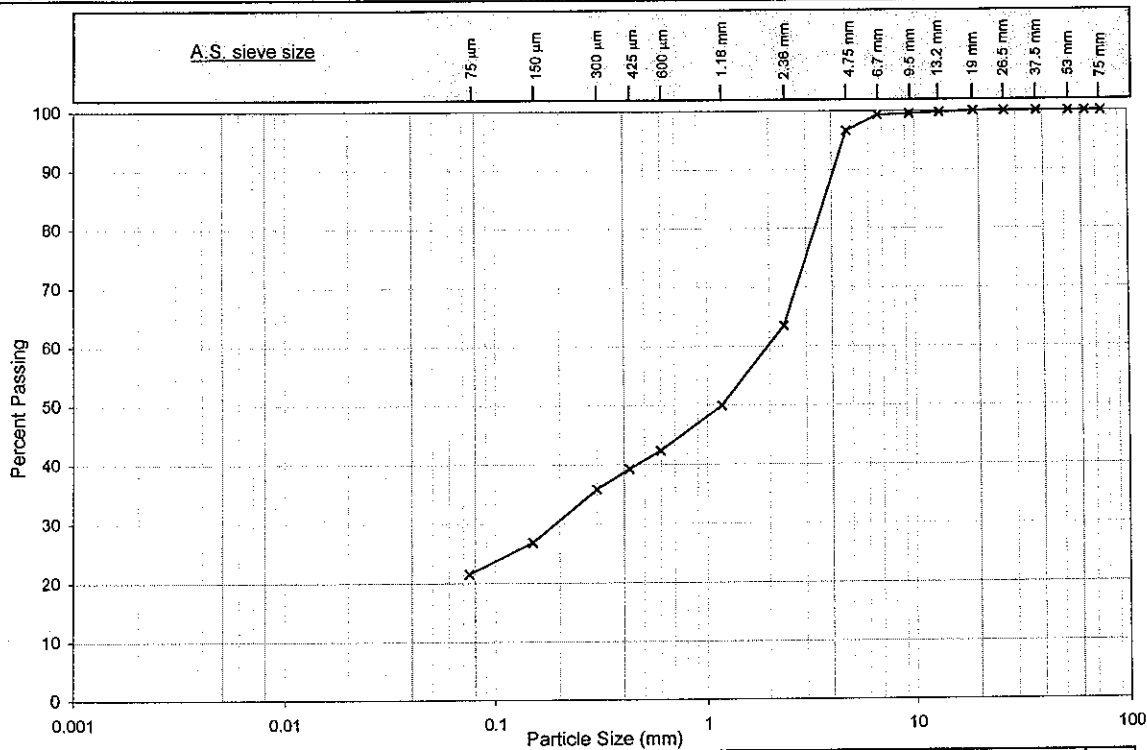
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**Project:** SUBMITTED SAMPLES  
**Location:** RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

**Sample No.:** 9061 **Sample Identification:** FR TP01, 0.6 - 1.0 m



clay	silt			sand			gravel			cobbles
	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	

Particle Size Distribution AS1289 3.6.1			Atterberg Limits and Moisture Content			
Sieve Size	% Passing	Specification	Test	Method	Result	Spec.
150 mm	100		Liquid Limit	% AS1289 3.1.2	26	
75 mm	100		Plastic Limit	% AS1289 3.2.1	17	
53mm	100		Plasticity Index	% AS1289 3.3.1	9	
37.5 mm	100		Linear Shrinkage	% AS1289 3.4.1	5.0	
26.5 mm	100		Moisture Content	% AS1289 2.1.1	ND	
19.0 mm	100		Sample History: <input type="checkbox"/> Natural State <input type="checkbox"/> Air Dried <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven Dried			
13.2 mm	100		Preparation Method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Sieved <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sieved			
9.5 mm	100		Linear shrinkage: <input type="checkbox"/> Crumbling <input type="checkbox"/> Curling			
6.7 mm	99		Mould Length: 254 mm			
4.75 mm	97		ND = not determined NO = not obtainable NP = non plastic			
2.36 mm	63		<b>Classification:</b>			
1.18 mm	50		GRAVELLY SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, PALE BROWN, WITH SOME LOW PLASTICITY CLAY			
600 µm	42					
425 µm	39					
300 µm	36					
150 µm	27					
75 µm	21					

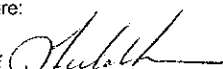
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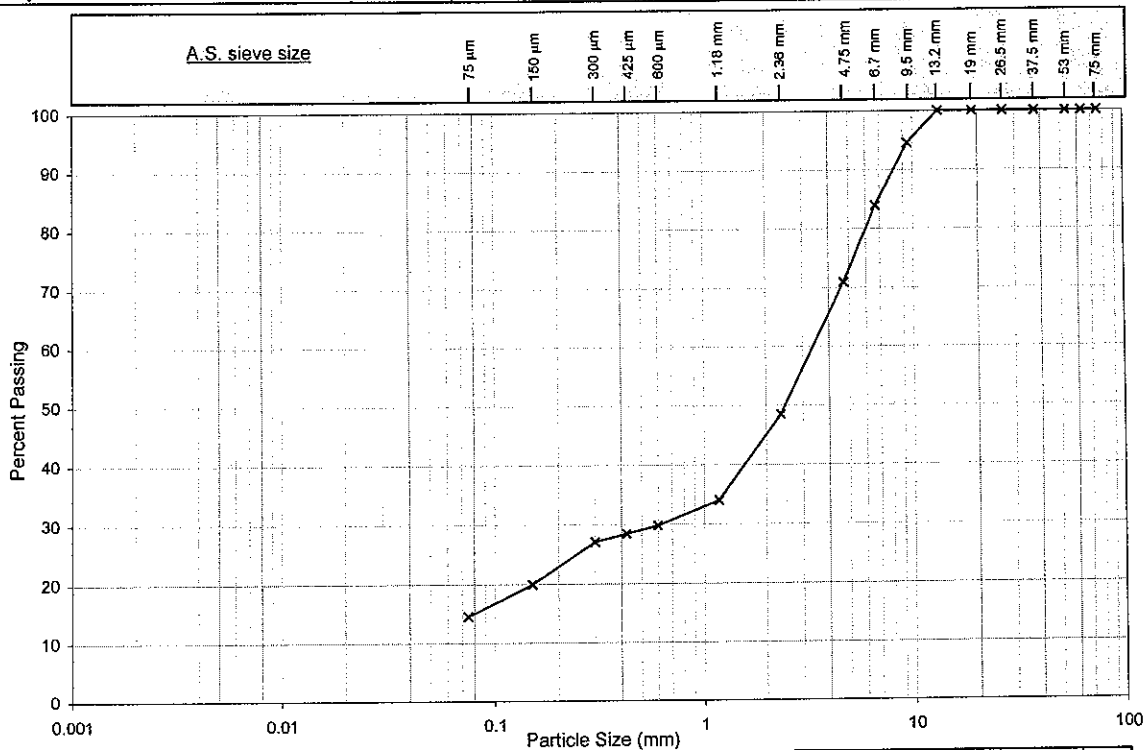
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Project: SUBMITTED SAMPLES  
Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Sample No.: 9062 Sample Identification: FR TP04, 0.4 - 0.8 m



clay	silt			sand			gravel			cobbles
	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	

Particle Size Distribution AS1289 3.6.1			Atterberg Limits and Moisture Content			
Sieve Size	% Passing	Specification	Test	Method	Result	Spec.
150 mm	100		Liquid Limit	% AS1289 3.1.2	25	
75 mm	100		Plastic Limit	% AS1289 3.2.1	13	
53mm	100		Plasticity Index	% AS1289 3.3.1	12	
37.5 mm	100		Linear Shrinkage	% AS1289 3.4.1	6.0	
26.5 mm	100		Moisture Content	% AS1289 2.1.1	ND	
19.0 mm	100		Sample History: <input type="checkbox"/> Natural State <input type="checkbox"/> Air Dried <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven Dried			
13.2 mm	100		Preparation Method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Sieved <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sieved			
9.5 mm	95		Linear shrinkage: <input type="checkbox"/> Crumbling <input type="checkbox"/> Curling			
6.7 mm	84		Mould Length: 254 mm			
4.75 mm	71		ND = not determined NO = not obtainable NP = non plastic			
2.36 mm	48		Classification:			
1.18 mm	34		GRAVELLY SAND, FINE TO COARE GRAINED, BROWN, RED, LOW PLASTICITY FINES			
600 um	30					
425 um	28					
300 um	27					
150 um	20					
75 um	14					

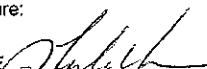
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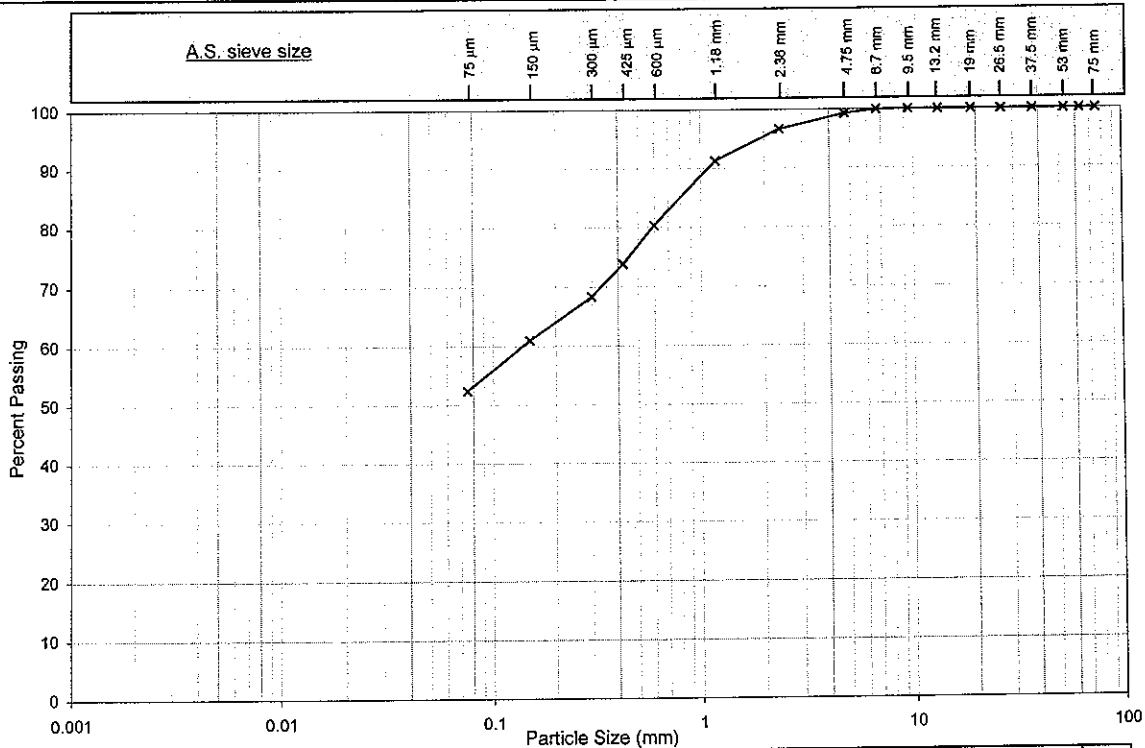
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Project: SUBMITTED SAMPLES  
Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Sample No.: 9042 Sample Identification: ME TP01, 0.8 - 1.2 m



clay	silt			sand			gravel			cobbles
	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	


Particle Size Distribution AS1289 3.6.1			Atterberg Limits and Moisture Content				
Sieve Size	% Passing	Specification	Test	Method	Result	Spec.	
150 mm	100		Liquid Limit	% AS1289 3.1.2	38		
75 mm	100		Plastic Limit	% AS1289 3.2.1	16		
53mm	100		Plasticity Index	% AS1289 3.3.1	22		
37.5 mm	100		Linear Shrinkage	% AS1289 3.4.1	10.5		
26.5 mm	100		Moisture Content	% AS1289 2.1.1	ND		
19.0 mm	100		Sample History:				
13.2 mm	100		<input type="checkbox"/> Natural State <input type="checkbox"/> Air Dried <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven Dried				
9.5 mm	100		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Sieved <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sieved				
6.7 mm	100		Linear shrinkage: <input type="checkbox"/> Crumbling <input type="checkbox"/> Curling				
4.75 mm	99		Mould Length: 250 mm				
2.36 mm	97		ND = not determined NO = not obtainable NP = non plastic				
1.18 mm	91		<b>Classification:</b>				
600 µm	80		SANDY CLAY, MEDIUM PLASTICITY, BROWN / RED, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED SAND				
425 µm	74						
300 µm	68						
150 µm	61						
75 µm	52						

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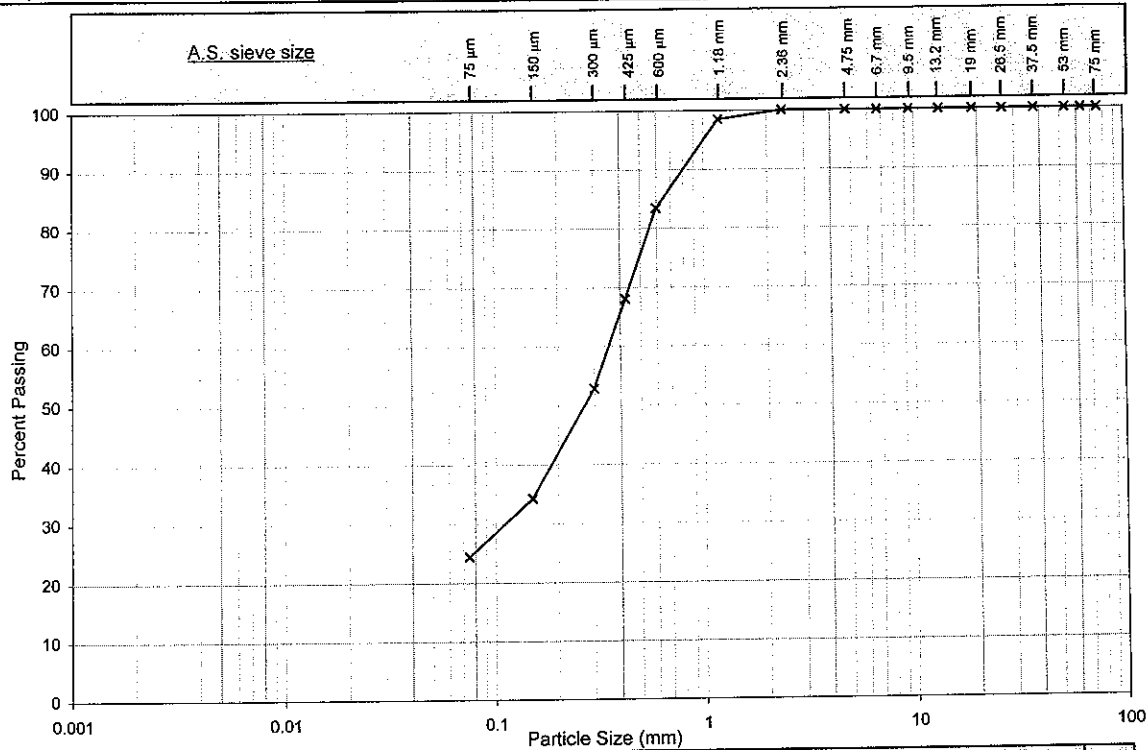


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Principal: Report No. 06057/AA-R43  
Project: SUBMITTED SAMPLES  
Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Sample No.: 9052 Sample Identification: HR TP01, 1.0 - 1.4 m



clay	silt			sand			gravel			cobbles
	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	

Particle Size Distribution AS1289 3.6.1			Atterberg Limits and Moisture Content			
Sieve Size	% Passing	Specification	Test	Method	Result	Spec.
150 mm	100		Liquid Limit	% AS1289 3.1.2	20	
75 mm	100		Plastic Limit	% AS1289 3.2.1	12	
53mm	100		Plasticity Index	% AS1289 3.3.1	8	
37.5 mm	100		Linear Shrinkage	% AS1289 3.4.1	3.5	
26.5 mm	100		Moisture Content	% AS1289 2.1.1	ND	
19.0 mm	100		Sample History: <input type="checkbox"/> Natural State <input type="checkbox"/> Air Dried <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven Dried			
13.2 mm	100		Preparation Method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Sieved <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sieved			
9.5 mm	100		Linear shrinkage: <input type="checkbox"/> Crumbling <input type="checkbox"/> Curling			
6.7 mm	100		Mould Length: 254 mm			
4.75 mm	100		ND = not determined NO = not obtainable NP = non plastic			
2.36 mm	100		<b>Classification:</b>			
1.18 mm	98		SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, BROWN / RED, WITH SOME LOW PLASTICITY CLAY			
600 µm	83					
425 µm	68					
300 µm	53					
150 µm	34					
75 µm	24					

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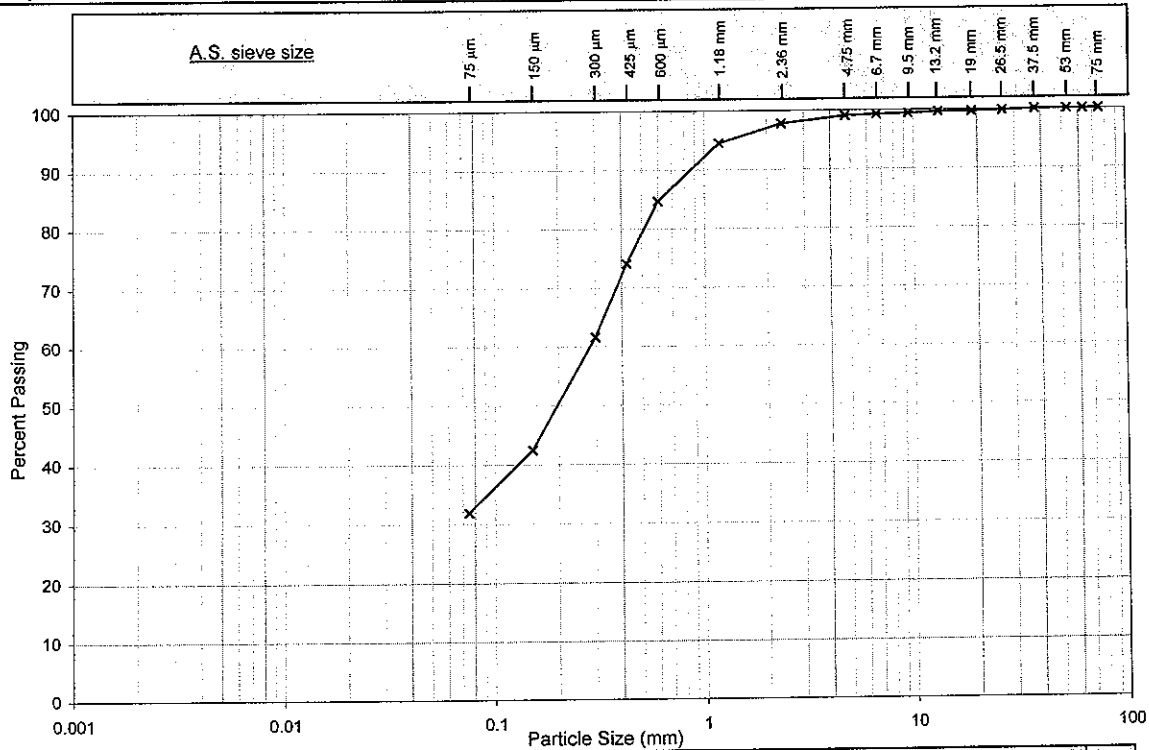
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**Particle Size Distribution & Atterberg Limits**

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Principal: Report No. 06057/AA-R44  
Project: SUBMITTED SAMPLES  
Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Sample No.: 9053 Sample Identification: HR TP06, 1.5 - 1.8 m



clay	silt			sand			gravel			cobbles
	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	

Particle Size Distribution AS1289 3.8.1			Atterberg Limits and Moisture Content			
Sieve Size	% Passing	Specification	Test	Method	Result	Spec.
150 mm	100		Liquid Limit	% AS1289 3.1.2	32	
75 mm	100		Plastic Limit	% AS1289 3.2.1	12	
53mm	100		Plasticity Index	% AS1289 3.3.1	20	
37.5 mm	100		Linear Shrinkage	% AS1289 3.4.1	7.5	
26.5 mm	100		Moisture Content	% AS1289 2.1.1	ND	
19.0 mm	100		Sample History: <input type="checkbox"/> Natural State <input type="checkbox"/> Air Dried <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven Dried			
13.2 mm	100		Preparation Method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Sieved <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sieved			
9.5 mm	99		Linear shrinkage: <input type="checkbox"/> Crumbling <input type="checkbox"/> Curling			
6.7 mm	99		Mould Length: 254 mm			
4.75 mm	99		ND = not determined NO = not obtainable NP = non plastic			
2.36 mm	98		Classification:			
1.18 mm	95		CLAYEY SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, BROWN / RED, LOW PLASTICITY			
600 µm	85		CLAY, TRACE OF GRAVEL			
425 µm	74					
300 µm	62					
150 µm	42					
75 µm	32					

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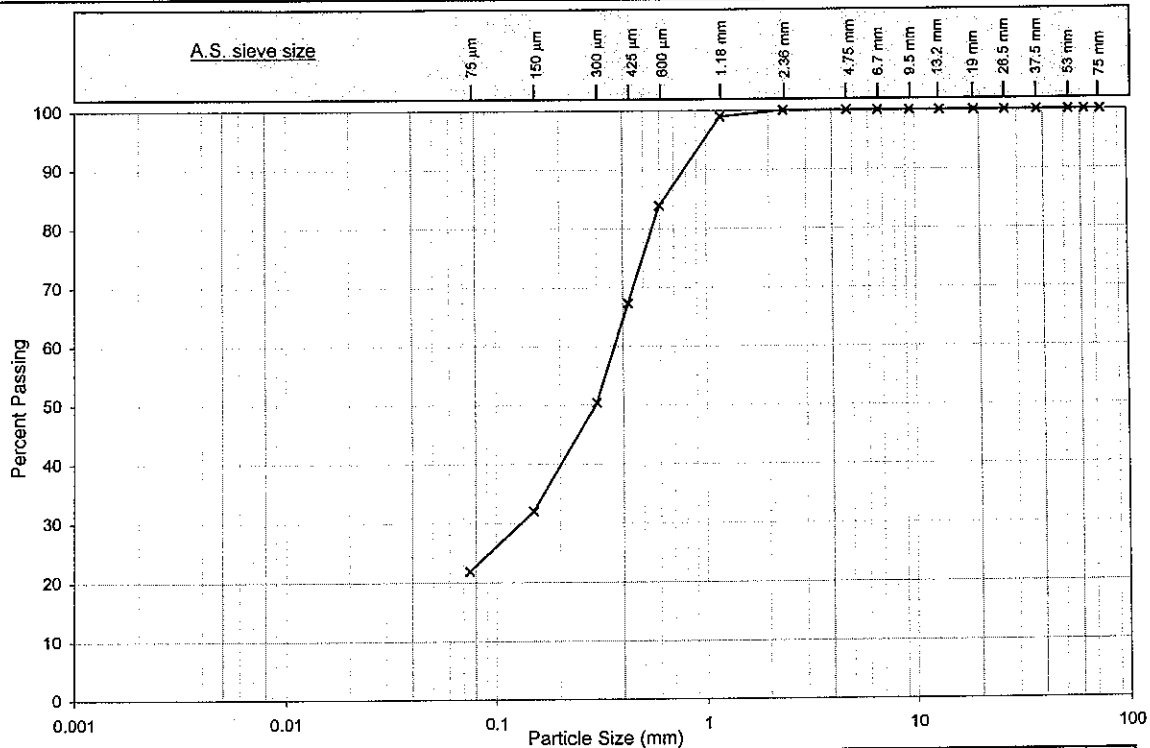
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Principal: Report No. 06057/AA-R45  
Project: SUBMITTED SAMPLES  
Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Sample No.: 9051 Sample Identification: HR TP01, 0.5 - 0.8 m



clay	silt			sand			gravel			cobble
	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	fine	medium	coarse	

Particle Size Distribution AS1289 3.6.1			Atterberg Limits and Moisture Content			
Sieve Size	% Passing	Specification	Test	Method	Result	Spec.
150 mm	100		Liquid Limit	% AS1289 3.1.2	17	
75 mm	100		Plastic Limit	% AS1289 3.2.1	13	
53mm	100		Plasticity Index	% AS1289 3.3.1	4	
37.5 mm	100		Linear Shrinkage	% AS1289 3.4.1	1.0	
26.5 mm	100		Moisture Content	% AS1289 2.1.1	ND	
19.0 mm	100		Sample History: <input type="checkbox"/> Natural State <input type="checkbox"/> Air Dried <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oven Dried			
13.2 mm	100		Preparation Method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry Sieved <input type="checkbox"/> Wet Sieved			
9.5 mm	100		Linear shrinkage: <input type="checkbox"/> Crumbling <input type="checkbox"/> Curling			
6.7 mm	100		Mould Length: 250 mm			
4.75 mm	100		ND = not determined NO = not obtainable NP = non plastic			
2.36 mm	100		Classification:			
1.18 mm	99		SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, BROWN / RED, LOW PLASTICITY FINES			
600 um	84					
425 um	67					
300 um	50					
150 um	32					
75 um	22					

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## test results

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**LEVEL 3, 101 PIRIE STREET, ADELAIDE SA 5000**

principal :

project : **SUBMITTED SAMPLES**

location : **RADWASTE 2 - 2101701A**

job no : **06057/AA**

laboratory : **ADELAIDE**

report date : **October 16, 2006**

test report no. : **06057/AA-R48**

test procedure: **AS1289 6.7.2, 2.1.1**

test date : **27/09/06 - 10/10/06**

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	REMOULDED DRY DENSITY (t/m <sup>3</sup> )	REMOULDED MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	FIELD MOISTURE CONTENT (%)	COEFFICIENT OF PERMEABILITY (m/sec)
<b>SAMPLE NO. 9043</b>  <b>ME TP07, 0.4 - 0.8 m</b> <b>SANDY CLAY, MEDIUM PLASTICITY, BROWN RED, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED SAND</b>	1.90	12.6	7.1	3.7 x E-10
<b>SAMPLE NO. 9052</b>  <b>HR TP01, 1.0 - 1.4 m</b> <b>SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, BROWN RED, WITH SOME LOW PLASTICITY CLAY</b>	2.14	7.1	5.6	6.2 x E-10
<b>SAMPLE NO. 9061</b>  <b>FR TP01, 0.6 - 1.0 m</b> <b>GRAVELLY SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, PALE BROWN WITH SOME LOW PLASTICITY CLAY</b>	1.96	11.9	8.7	1.5 x E-8
<p><b>NOTES:</b></p> <p>1. SAMPLES REMOULDED TO 98% OF MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY AT OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT (MODIFIED)</p> <p>2. 100% MATERIAL PASSES 19 mm SIEVE FOR EACH SAMPLE</p>				

remarks : **SAMPLES TESTED AS RECEIVED**

## test results

client : <b>PARSON BRINCKERHOFF</b> LEVEL 3, 101 PIRIE STREET, ADELAIDE SA 5000	job no : <b>06057/AA</b>
principal :	laboratory : <b>ADELAIDE</b>
project : <b>SUBMITTED SAMPLES</b>	report date : <b>October 16, 2006</b>
location : <b>RADWASTE 2 - 2101701A</b>	test report no. : <b>06057/AA-R49</b>
test procedure.: <b>AS1289 5.2.1, 2.1.1</b>	test date : <b>16/10/06</b>

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	MODIFIED COMPACTION TEST	
	MAXIMUM DRY DENSITY (t/m <sup>3</sup> )	OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT (%)
<b>SAMPLE NO. 9042</b> <b>ME TP01, 0.8 - 1.2 m</b> <b>SANDY CLAY, MEDIUM PLASTICITY, BROWN RED, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED SAND</b>	1.93	13.0
<b>SAMPLE NO. 9051</b> <b>HR TP01, 0.5 - 0.8 m</b> <b>SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, BROWN RED, LOW PLASTICITY FINES</b>	2.14	6.5
<b>SAMPLE NO. 9053</b> <i>0.6 → 1.0 m</i> <b>FR TP01, 1.5 - 1.8 m</b> <b>CLAYEY SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, BROWN RED, LOW PLASTICITY CLAY, TRACE OF GRAVEL</b>	2.07	9.0

remarks : **SAMPLES TESTED AS RECEIVED**



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## california bearing ratio test results

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principal :	laboratory : <b>ADELAIDE</b>
project : <b>SUBMITTED SAMPLES</b>	report date : <b>October 09, 2006</b>
location : <b>RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A</b>	test report no. : <b>06057/AA-R34</b>

test procedure : **AS1289 6.1.1**  
laboratory compaction method : **AS1289 5.1.1**

sample number :		<b>9043</b>	<b>9043</b>	
depth: m		<b>0.4 - 0.8</b>	<b>0.4 - 0.8</b>	
location:		<b>METP07</b>	<b>METP07</b>	
date sampled:		-	-	
date tested:		<b>3/10/06</b>	<b>3/10/06</b>	
material description:		-	-	
maximum dry density: t/m <sup>3</sup>		<b>1.94</b>	<b>1.94</b>	
optimum moisture content: %		<b>12.5</b>	<b>12.5</b>	
field moisture content %		<b>7.1</b>	<b>7.1</b>	
retained on 19mm AS sieve: %		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	
+ 19mm material included:		<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	
C.B.R. test	before soaking	dry density t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>1.89</b>	<b>1.89</b>
		density ratio %	<b>97.5</b>	<b>97.5</b>
		moisture content %	<b>12.8</b>	<b>12.8</b>
		moisture ratio %	<b>102.5</b>	-
	after soaking	dry density t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>1.89</b>	-
		density ratio %	<b>97.5</b>	-
		moisture content %	<b>15.8</b>	-
	number of days soaked:	<b>4</b>	<b>UNSOAKED</b>	
	surcharge: kg	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	
	moisture content	top 30 mm	<b>18.7</b>	-
		remaining sample	<b>15.5</b>	-
	after test %			
	swell after soaking: %	<b>0.6</b>	-	
	penetration: mm	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.5</b>	
C.B.R. value: %	<b>7</b>	<b>40</b>		

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## california bearing ratio test results

client : <b>PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF LEVEL 3, 101 PIRIE STREET, ADELAIDE SA 5000</b>	job no : <b>06057/AA</b>
principal :	laboratory : <b>ADELAIDE</b>
project : <b>SUBMITTED SAMPLES</b>	report date : <b>October 09, 2006</b>
location : <b>RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A</b>	test report no. : <b>06057/AA-R35</b>

test procedure : **AS1289 6.1.1**  
laboratory compaction method : **AS1289 5.1.1**

sample number :		<b>9052</b>	<b>9052</b>		
depth: m		<b>1.0 - 1.4</b>	<b>1.0 - 1.4</b>		
location:		<b>HR TP01</b>	<b>HR TP01</b>		
date sampled:		-	-		
date tested:		<b>3/10/06</b>	<b>3/10/06</b>		
material description:		-	-		
maximum dry density: t/m <sup>3</sup>		<b>2.19</b>	<b>2.19</b>		
optimum moisture content: %		<b>7.0</b>	<b>7.0</b>		
field moisture content %		<b>5.6</b>	<b>5.6</b>		
retained on 19mm AS sieve: %		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		
+ 19mm material included:		<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>		
C.B.R. test	before soaking	dry density t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>2.15</b>	<b>2.15</b>	
		density ratio %	<b>98</b>	<b>98</b>	
		moisture content %	<b>6.6</b>	<b>6.6</b>	
		moisture ratio %	<b>94.5</b>	-	
	after soaking	dry density t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>2.15</b>	-	
		density ratio %	<b>98</b>	-	
		moisture content %	<b>8.9</b>	-	
	number of days soaked:		<b>4</b>	<b>UNSOAKED</b>	
	surcharge: kg		<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	
	moisture content	top 30 mm	<b>9.9</b>	-	
		remaining sample	<b>9.1</b>	-	
	swell after soaking: %		<b>0.04</b>	-	
	penetration: mm		<b>2.5</b>	<b>5.0</b>	
	<b>C.B.R. value: %</b>		<b>30</b>	<b>130</b>	

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principal : laboratory : **ADELAIDE**  
project : **SUBMITTED SAMPLES** report date : **October 09, 2006**  
location : **RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A** test report no. : **06057/AA-R36**

test procedure : **AS1289 6.1.1**  
laboratory compaction method : **AS1289 5.1.1**

sample number :		<b>9062</b>	<b>9062</b>		
depth: m		<b>0.4 - 0.8</b>	<b>0.4 - 0.8</b>		
location:		<b>FR TP04</b>	<b>FR TP04</b>		
date sampled:		-	-		
date tested:		<b>3/10/06</b>	<b>3/10/06</b>		
material description:		-	-		
maximum dry density: t/m <sup>3</sup>		<b>2.22</b>	<b>2.22</b>		
optimum moisture content: %		<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>		
field moisture content %		<b>5.8</b>	<b>5.8</b>		
retained on 19mm AS sieve: %		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		
+ 19mm material included:		<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>		
C.B.R. test	before soaking	dry density t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>2.19</b>	<b>2.19</b>	
		density ratio %	<b>98.5</b>	<b>98.5</b>	
		moisture content %	<b>7.0</b>	<b>7.0</b>	
		moisture ratio %	<b>87.5</b>	-	
	after soaking	dry density t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>2.19</b>	-	
		density ratio %	<b>98.5</b>	-	
		moisture content %	<b>10.9</b>	-	
	number of days soaked:		<b>4</b>	<b>UNSOAKED</b>	
	surcharge: kg		<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	
	moisture content	top 30 mm	<b>13.2</b>	-	
		remaining sample	<b>11.2</b>	-	
	after test %				
	swell after soaking: %		<b>0.04</b>	-	
penetration: mm		<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.5</b>		
C.B.R. value: %		<b>40</b>	<b>220</b>		

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# determination of emerson class number

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location : <b>RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A</b>	test report no. : <b>06057/AA-R37</b>

test procedure : <b>AS 1289 3.8.1</b>	date sampled:	material source:
sample number: <b>9043</b>		
sample identification: <b>ME TP07, 0.4 - 0.8 m</b>		

**test data**

**air dried crumbs**

time start of test: **11.05 am**

time dispersion commences: -

time dispersion completed: -

**remoulded material**

time start of test: **11.27 am**

time dispersion commences: -

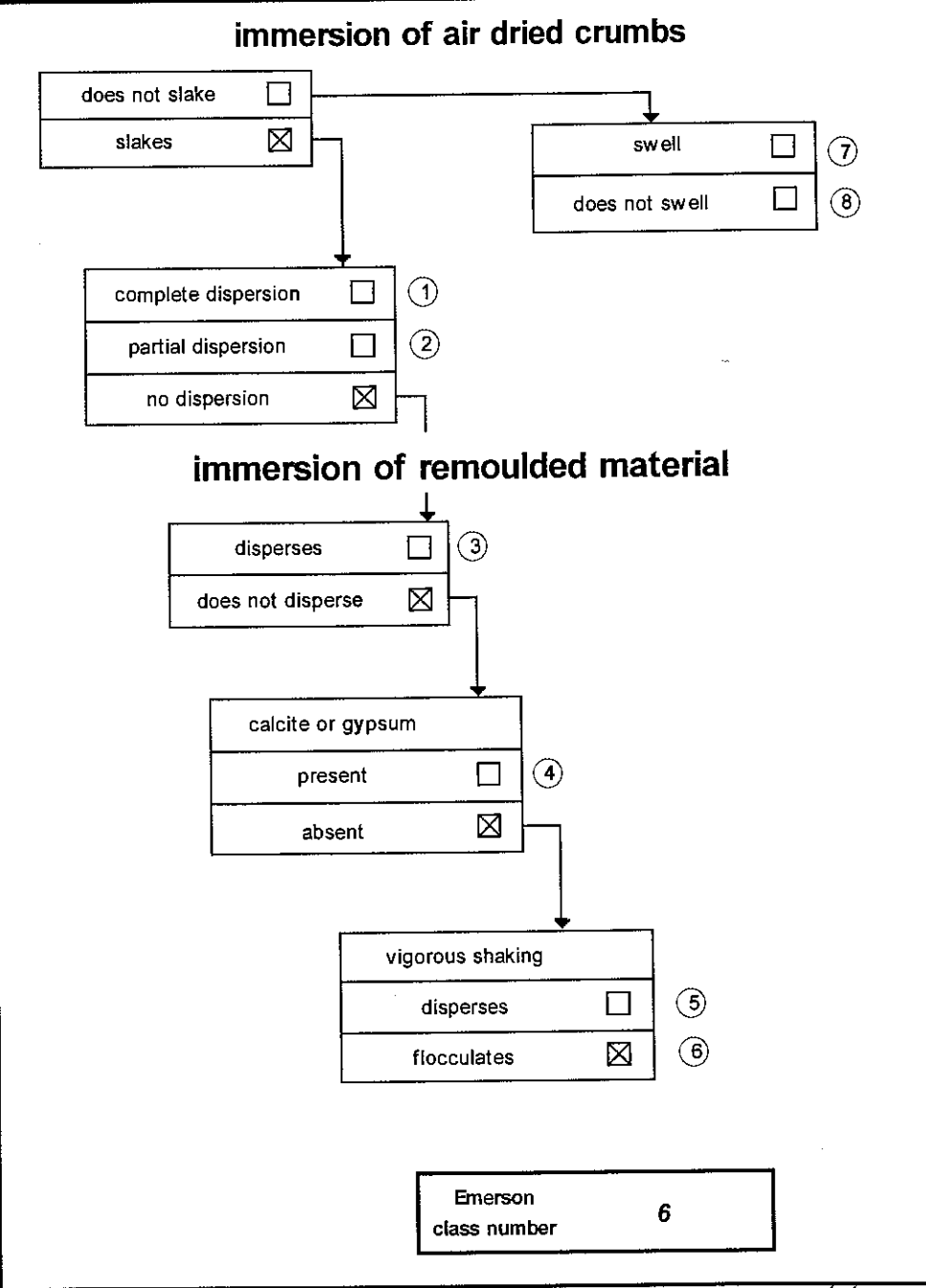
time dispersion completed: -

**material description**

**SANDY CLAY, MEDIUM PLASTICITY, BROWN RED, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED SAND**

type of water used: **distilled**

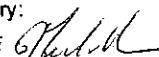
water temperature:      ° C



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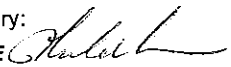


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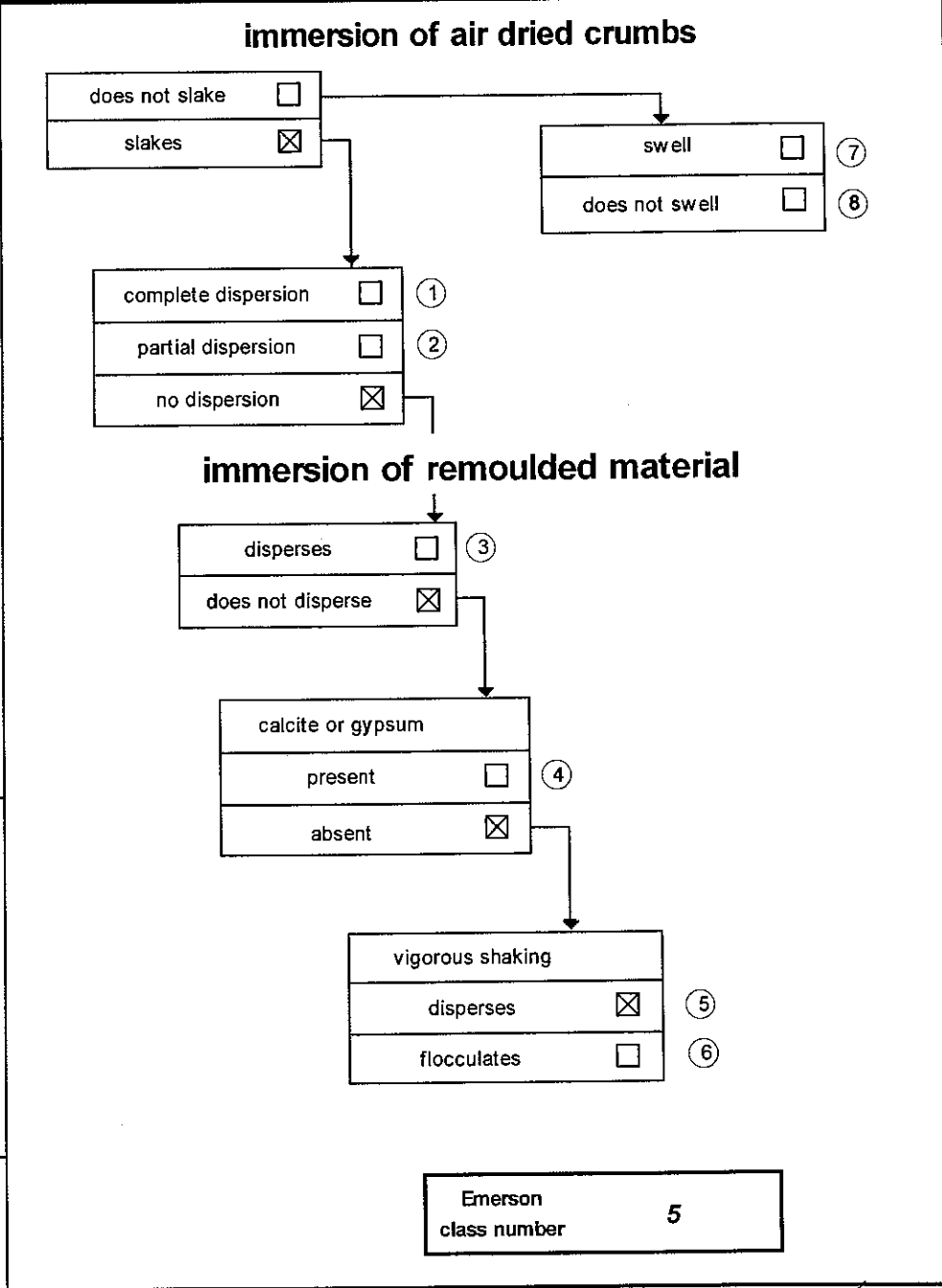
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# determination of emerson class number

client : <b>PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF</b> <b>LEVEL 3, 101 PIRIE STREET, ADELAIDE SA 5000</b>	job no : <b>06057/AA</b>
principal :	laboratory : <b>ADELAIDE</b>
project : <b>SUBMITTED SAMPLES</b>	date : <b>October 11, 2006</b>
location : <b>RADWASTE2 - 2102701A</b>	test report no. : <b>06057/AA-R46</b>

test procedure : <b>AS 1289 3.8.1</b>	date sampled:	material source:
sample number: <b>9052</b>		
sample identification: <b>HR TP01, 1.0 - 1.4 m</b>		


test data
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>air dried crumbs</b></p> <p>time start of test:                   <b>11.05 am</b></p> <p>time dispersion commences:       -</p> <p>time dispersion completed:       -</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>remoulded material</b></p> <p>time start of test:                   <b>11.27 am</b></p> <p>time dispersion commences:       -</p> <p>time dispersion completed:       -</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>material description</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SAND, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED, BROWN, RED, WITH SOME LOW PLASTICITY CLAY</b></p>
<p>type of water used: <b>distilled</b></p> <p>water temperature:           ° C</p>



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job no : **06057/AA**

principal :

laboratory : **ADELAIDE**

project : **SUBMITTED SAMPLES**

date : **October 11, 2006**

location : **RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A**

test report no. : **06057/AA-R47**

test procedure : **AS 1289 3.8.1**

date sampled:

material source:

sample number: **9042**

sample identification: **ME TP01, 0.8 - 1.2 m**

### test data

#### air dried crumbs

time start of test: **10.03 am**

time dispersion commences:

time dispersion completed:

#### remoulded material

time start of test: **10.27 am**

time dispersion commences:

time dispersion completed:

#### material description

**SANDY CLAY, MEDIUM PLASTICITY, BROWN, RED, FINE TO COARSE GRAINED SAND**

type of water used: **distilled**

water temperature: **20° C**

### immersion of air dried crumbs

does not slake <input type="checkbox"/> slakes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	swell <input type="checkbox"/> (7) does not swell <input type="checkbox"/> (8)
complete dispersion <input type="checkbox"/> (1) partial dispersion <input type="checkbox"/> (2) no dispersion <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

### immersion of remoulded material

disperses <input type="checkbox"/> (3) does not disperse <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	calcite or gypsum present <input type="checkbox"/> (4) absent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
vigorous shaking disperses <input type="checkbox"/> (5) flocculates <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (6)	

**Emerson class number 6**





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## Results

Report No: 175537

0610900/001 9042	0610900/002 9043	0610900/003 9052
20/07/06 25/10/06	20/07/06 25/10/06	20/07/06 25/10/06

### ANIONS (SOLUBLE) by ION CHROMATOGRAPHY, DRY WEIGHT

Method: 208 Units: mg/kg

Chloride	11	3.0	4.5
Sulphate	17	4.8	4.7

### OVEN MOISTURE CONTENT

Method: 100 Units: % w/w

Moisture	6.1	6.0	4.8
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### pH MEASUREMENT

Method: 226 Units: pH Units

pH (1:5 in DHP Water)	6.9	7.2	7.5
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# Aggregate/Soil Test Report

**Report No: MAT:MEND08S-03263**

**Issue No: 1**

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**Client:** Parsons Brinckerhoff  
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**Principal:**

**Job No:** LABTMEND00508AA

**Project:** SUBMITTED SAMPLES - 2008

**Lot No:** TRN:



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NATA Accredited Laboratory Number: 431  
Date of Issue: 24/04/2008

## Sample Details

**Sample ID:** MEND08S-03263  
**Client Sample:** 165761  
**Date Sampled:** 23/04/2008  
**Source:**  
**Material:**  
**Specification:** AS Grading  
**Sampling Method:** Submitted by client  
**Location:** MUKATY STATION, MSTP01, 1.5 - 1.6 m.,

## Particle Size Distribution

**Method:** AS 1289.3.6.1  
**Drying by:** Oven

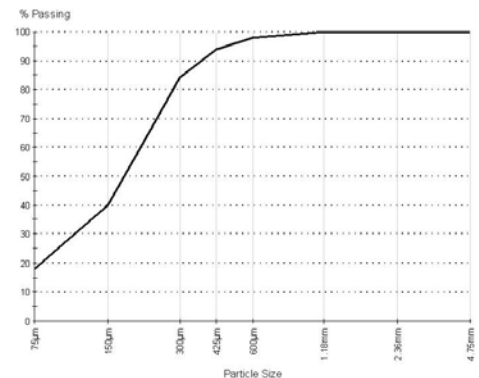
**Note:** Sample Washed

Sieve Size	% Passing	Limits
4.75mm	100	
2.36mm	100	
1.18mm	100	
600µm	98	
425µm	94	
300µm	84	
150µm	40	
75µm	18	

## Other Test Results

Description	Method	Result	Limits
Maximum Dry Density (t/m <sup>3</sup> )	AS 1289.5.2.1	1.97	
Optimum Moisture Content (%)		7.8	
Oversize Sieve (mm)		19.0	
Oversize Material (%)			
Sample History	AS 1289.1.1	Oven-dried	
Preparation	AS 1289.1.1	Dry Sieved	
Linear Shrinkage (%)	AS 1289.3.4.1	0.0	
Mould Length (mm)		250	
Crumbing		No	
Curling		No	
Liquid Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.1.2	NO	
Method		One Point	
Plastic Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.2.1	NO	
Plasticity Index (%)	AS 1289.3.3.1	NP	
Moisture Content (%)	AS 1289.2.1.1	2.6	
Permeability (m/sec)	AS 1289.6.7.2	6.3 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>	
Laboratory Moisture Ratio		101.5	
Laboratory Density Ratio		98.0	
CompactiveEffort		MODIFIED	
Method of Compaction		5 LAYERS	
Surcharge Applied (Kg)		4.5	
Pressure Applied (Kpa)		0	
Material Retained And Later Discarded (%)		0.0	
Sieve Size (mm)		2.36	
Emerson Class Number	AS 1289.3.8.1	Class 5	
Soil Description			
Type of Water		Distilled	
Temperature of Water (°C)		22.0	

## Chart



## Comments

N/A

# Aggregate/Soil Test Report

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## Sample Details

**Sample ID:** MEND08S-03265

**Client Sample:** 165765

**Date Sampled:** 23/04/2008

**Source:**

**Material:**

**Specification:** AS Grading

**Sampling Method:** Submitted by client

**Location:** MUCKATY STATION, MSTP06, 2.0 - 2.2 m.,

## Particle Size Distribution

**Method:** AS 1289.3.6.1

**Drying by:** Oven

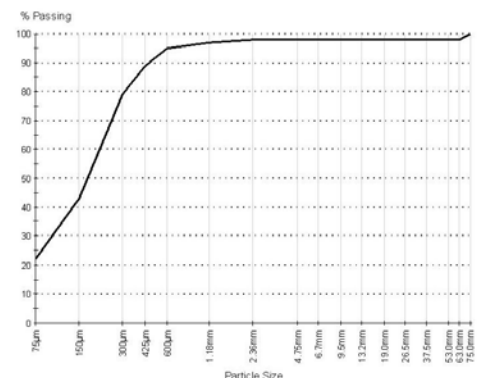
**Note:** Sample Washed

Sieve Size	% Passing	Limits
75.0mm	100	
63.0mm	98	
53.0mm	98	
37.5mm	98	
26.5mm	98	
19.0mm	98	
13.2mm	98	
9.5mm	98	
6.7mm	98	
4.75mm	98	
2.36mm	98	
1.18mm	97	
600µm	95	
425µm	89	
300µm	79	
150µm	43	
75µm	22	

## Other Test Results

Description	Method	Result	Limits
Sample History	AS 1289.1.1	Oven-dried	
Preparation	AS 1289.1.1	Dry Sieved	
Linear Shrinkage (%)	AS 1289.3.4.1	1.5	
Mould Length (mm)		254	
Crumbling		No	
Curling		No	
Liquid Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.1.2	17	
Method		One Point	
Plastic Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.2.1	12	
Plasticity Index (%)	AS 1289.3.3.1	5	
Emerson Class Number	AS 1289.3.8.1	Class 5	
Soil Description			
Type of Water		Distilled	
Temperature of Water (°C)		22.0	

## Chart



**Comments**  
N/A



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## Sample Details

**Sample ID:** MEND08S-03266  
**Client Sample:** 165768  
**Date Sampled:** 23/04/2008  
**Source:**  
**Material:**  
**Specification:** AS Grading  
**Sampling Method:** Submitted by client  
**Location:** MUCKATY STATION, MSTP09, 0.5 - 0.8 m.,

## Particle Size Distribution

**Method:** AS 1289.3.6.1  
**Drying by:** Oven

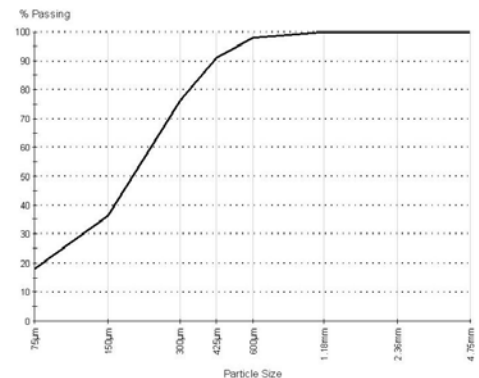
**Note:** Sample Washed

Sieve Size	% Passing	Limits
4.75mm	100	
2.36mm	100	
1.18mm	100	
600µm	98	
425µm	91	
300µm	76	
150µm	36	
75µm	18	

## Other Test Results

Description	Method	Result	Limits
Sample History	AS 1289.1.1	Oven-dried	
Preparation	AS 1289.1.1	Dry Sieved	
Linear Shrinkage (%)	AS 1289.3.4.1	0.0	
Mould Length (mm)		250	
Crumbling		No	
Curling		No	
Liquid Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.1.2	NO	
Method		One Point	
Plastic Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.2.1	NO	
Plasticity Index (%)	AS 1289.3.3.1	NP	
Emerson Class Number	AS 1289.3.8.1	Class 5	
Soil Description			
Type of Water		Distilled	
Temperature of Water (°C)		22.0	

## Chart



## Comments

N/A

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## Sample Details

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**Client Sample:** 165765

**Date Sampled:** 23/04/2008

**Source:**

**Material:**

**Specification:** AS Grading

**Sampling Method:** Submitted by client

**Location:** MUCKATY STATION, MSTP06, 2.0 - 2.2 m.,

## Particle Size Distribution

**Method:** AS 1289.3.6.1

**Drying by:** Oven

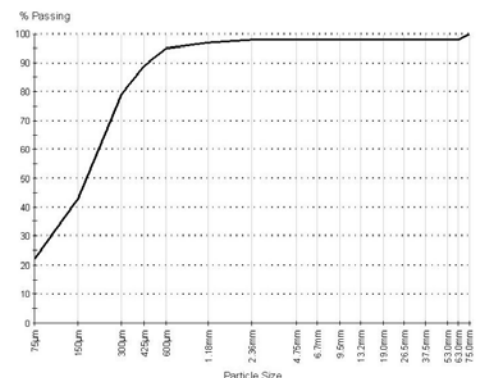
**Note:** Sample Washed

Sieve Size	% Passing	Limits
75.0mm	100	
63.0mm	98	
53.0mm	98	
37.5mm	98	
26.5mm	98	
19.0mm	98	
13.2mm	98	
9.5mm	98	
6.7mm	98	
4.75mm	98	
2.36mm	98	
1.18mm	97	
600µm	95	
425µm	89	
300µm	79	
150µm	43	
75µm	22	

## Other Test Results

Description	Method	Result	Limits
Sample History	AS 1289.1.1	Oven-dried	
Preparation	AS 1289.1.1	Dry Sieved	
Linear Shrinkage (%)	AS 1289.3.4.1	1.5	
Mould Length (mm)		254	
Crumbling		No	
Curling		No	
Liquid Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.1.2	17	
Method		One Point	
Plastic Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.2.1	12	
Plasticity Index (%)	AS 1289.3.3.1	5	
Emerson Class Number	AS 1289.3.8.1	Class 5	
Soil Description			
Type of Water		Distilled	
Temperature of Water (°C)		22.0	

## Chart



**Comments**  
N/A

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## Sample Details

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**Client Sample:** 165761  
**Date Sampled:** 23/04/2008  
**Source:**  
**Material:**  
**Specification:** AS Grading  
**Sampling Method:** Submitted by client  
**Location:** MUKATY STATION, MSTP01, 1.5 - 1.6 m.,

## Particle Size Distribution

**Method:** AS 1289.3.6.1  
**Drying by:** Oven

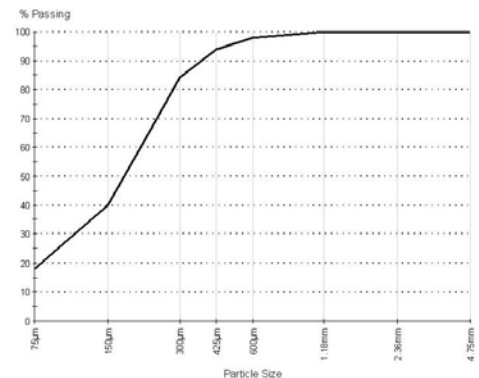
**Note:** Sample Washed

Sieve Size	% Passing	Limits
4.75mm	100	
2.36mm	100	
1.18mm	100	
600µm	98	
425µm	94	
300µm	84	
150µm	40	
75µm	18	

## Other Test Results

Description	Method	Result	Limits
Maximum Dry Density (t/m <sup>3</sup> )	AS 1289.5.2.1	1.97	
Optimum Moisture Content (%)		7.8	
Oversize Sieve (mm)		19.0	
Oversize Material (%)			
Sample History	AS 1289.1.1	Oven-dried	
Preparation	AS 1289.1.1	Dry Sieved	
Linear Shrinkage (%)	AS 1289.3.4.1	0.0	
Mould Length (mm)		250	
Crumbing		No	
Curling		No	
Liquid Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.1.2	NO	
Method		One Point	
Plastic Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.2.1	NO	
Plasticity Index (%)	AS 1289.3.3.1	NP	
Moisture Content (%)	AS 1289.2.1.1	2.6	
Permeability (m/sec)	AS 1289.6.7.2	6.3 x 10 <sup>-8</sup>	
Laboratory Moisture Ratio		101.5	
Laboratory Density Ratio		98.0	
CompactiveEffort		MODIFIED	
Method of Compaction		5 LAYERS	
Surcharge Applied (Kg)		4.5	
Pressure Applied (Kpa)		0	
Material Retained And Later Discarded (%)		0.0	
Sieve Size (mm)		2.36	
Emerson Class Number	AS 1289.3.8.1	Class 5	
Soil Description			
Type of Water		Distilled	
Temperature of Water (°C)		22.0	

## Chart



## Comments

N/A



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**Principal:**

**Job No:** LABTMEND00508AA

**Project:** SUBMITTED SAMPLES - 2008

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Date of Issue: 24/04/2008

## Sample Details

**Sample ID:** MEND08S-03266

**Client Sample:** 165768

**Date Sampled:** 23/04/2008

**Source:**

**Material:**

**Specification:** AS Grading

**Sampling Method:** Submitted by client

**Location:** MUCKATY STATION, MSTP09, 0.5 - 0.8 m.,

## Particle Size Distribution

**Method:** AS 1289.3.6.1

**Drying by:** Oven

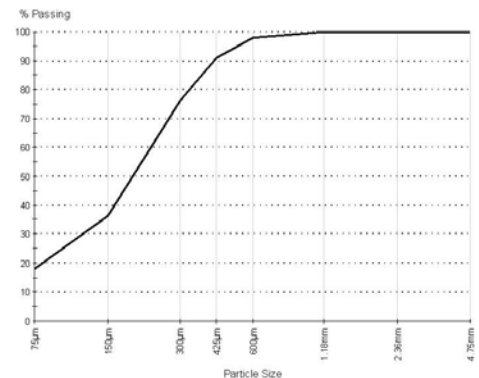
**Note:** Sample Washed

Sieve Size	% Passing	Limits
4.75mm	100	
2.36mm	100	
1.18mm	100	
600µm	98	
425µm	91	
300µm	76	
150µm	36	
75µm	18	

## Other Test Results

Description	Method	Result	Limits
Sample History	AS 1289.1.1	Oven-dried	
Preparation	AS 1289.1.1	Dry Sieved	
Linear Shrinkage (%)	AS 1289.3.4.1	0.0	
Mould Length (mm)		250	
Crumbling		No	
Curling		No	
Liquid Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.1.2	NO	
Method		One Point	
Plastic Limit (%)	AS 1289.3.2.1	NO	
Plasticity Index (%)	AS 1289.3.3.1	NP	
Emerson Class Number	AS 1289.3.8.1	Class 5	
Soil Description			
Type of Water		Distilled	
Temperature of Water (°C)		22.0	

## Chart



**Comments**  
N/A

# POINT LOAD STRENGTH INDEX REPORT

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Job No. 06057/AA

Client: PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF  
LEVEL 3, 101 PIRIE STREET, ADELAIDE SA 5000  
Project: Submitted Samples  
Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Date: 19/10/2006  
Tested by: RD / MF  
Checked by: *Q*  
Test Report No: 06057/AA-R55

Test locality: Adelaide  axial/irregular lump test  diametral test Test Method : AS4133.4.1

Rock Sample Description	moisture condition	W	L	D	P	De	Is	Is(50)	COMMENTS
		specimen width (axial/irregular lump)	sample length (diametral)	platen separation	load		P/D or P/De <sup>2</sup>		
		(mm)	(mm)	(mm)	(kN)	(mm)	(MPa)	(MPa)	
ME BH 01 6.7 - 7.0	N	60.9	-	44.8	0.2	58.9	0.1	0.1	VL (axial)
ME BH 01 12.1 - 12.2	N	59.9	-	47.5	0.3	60.2	0.1	0.1	VL (axial)
ME BH 01 22.85 - 23.1	N	-	106.0	60.7	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	VL (diametral)
ME BH 02 13.4 - 13.6	N	-	105.0	59.7	1.4	0.0	0.4	0.4	VL (diametral)
HR BH 01 9.0 - 10.0	N	-	71.0	58.6	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	VL (diametral)
HR BH 01 20.5 - 21.5	N	146.1	-	34.9	0.2	80.6	0.0	0.0	VL (axial)
FR BH 01 9.8 - 10.2	N	-	85.0	59.8	0.1	0.0	0.03	0.03	VL (diametral)
FR BH 02 1.0 - 1.3	N	-	78.0	61.6	0.05	0.0	0.01	0.01	VL (diametral)
FR BH 02 4.95 - 5.25	N	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	INSUFFICIENT SAMPLE
FR BH 02 11.1 - 11.6	N	-	35.2	50.6	0	60.6	0.00	0.00	VL (axial)

NOTES:  
SAMPLES TESTED AS RECEIVED

Date: 16/11/06

Signature:  
W J FIELDHOUSE

# POINT LOAD STRENGTH INDEX REPORT

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Job No. 06057/AA

Client: PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF  
LEVEL 3, 101 PIRIE STREET, ADELAIDE SA 5000  
Project: Submitted Samples  
Location: RADWASTE 2 - 2102701A

Date: 19/10/2006  
Tested by: *RD*  
Checked by: *[Signature]*  
Test Report No: 06057/AA-R56

Test locality: Adelaide  axial/irregular lump test  diametral test Test Method : AS4133.4.1

Rock Sample Description	moisture condition	W	L	D	P	De	Is	Is(50)	COMMENTS
		specimen width (axial/irregular lump) (mm)	sample length (diametral) (mm)	platen separation (mm)	load (kN)	(mm)	P/D or P/De <sup>2</sup> (MPa)	(MPa)	
FR BH 02 15.5 - 15.8	N	-	95.5	59.8	0.2	0.0	0.06	0.06	VL (diametral)
FR BH 02 23.7 - 24.0	N	-	69.2	57.7	0.3	0.0	0.09	0.10	VL (diametral)

NOTES:  
SAMPLES TESTED AS RECEIVED

Date: 16/11/06

Signature:  
W J FIELDHOUSE *[Signature]*



## test results

client : <b>PARSONS BRINKERHOFF</b>	job no : <b>MEND06057 AA</b>
principal :	laboratory : <b>Lane Cove West</b>
project : <b>SUBMITTED SAMPLES</b>	report date : <b>9 November 2006</b>
location : <b>RADWASTE 2 - 2102701 A</b>	test report no. : <b>RT-0 296</b>
test procedure. : <b>AS 4133.4.2: AS 4133.1.1.1</b>	test date : <b>31 Oct. &amp; 8 Nov. 2006</b>

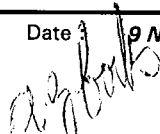
Sample Identification	UNIAXIAL COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH			
	ROCK CORE TEST RESULTS			
<b>Borehole</b>	<b>BH 1</b>	<b>BH 1</b>	<b>BH 1</b>	<b>BH 1</b>
<b>Sample Number</b>	<b>9054</b>	<b>9054</b>	<b>9054</b>	<b>9063</b>
<b>Sample</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	
<b>Depth</b> m	<b>9.0 to 10.0</b>	<b>9.0 to 10.0</b>	<b>9.0 to 10.0</b>	<b>9.8 to 10.2</b>
<b>Date Tested</b>	<b>31 October 2006</b>	<b>31 October 2006</b>	<b>31 October 2006</b>	<b>8 November 2006</b>
<b>Number of Specimens tested</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Average Diameter</b> mm	<b>58.6</b>	<b>59.1</b>	<b>61.6</b>	<b>60.8</b>
<b>Height</b> mm	<b>126</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>141</b>
<b>UNIAXIAL COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH</b> MPa	<b>0.15</b>	<b>0.84</b>	<b>1.08</b>	<b>2.06</b>
<b>Wet Density</b> t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>1.84</b>	<b>1.77</b>	<b>1.91</b>	<b>1.88</b>
<b>Dry Density</b> t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>1.76</b>	<b>1.72</b>	<b>1.80</b>	<b>1.80</b>
<b>Moisture Content</b> %	<b>4.4</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>
<b>Time to Failure</b> min	<b>1.85</b>	<b>1.77</b>	<b>2.47</b>	<b>4.46</b>
<b>Mode of Failure</b>	<b>axial</b>	<b>axial</b>	<b>shear</b>	<b>axial</b>
<b>Sample Description</b>	<b>sandstone</b>	<b>sandstone</b>	<b>sandstone</b>	<b>sandstone</b>
<b>Height:Diameter Ratio</b>	<b>2.15:1</b>	<b>2.09:1</b>	<b>1.40:1</b>	<b>2.32:1</b>
<b>Angle between axis of loading &amp; bedding plane</b>	<b>massive</b>	<b>massive</b>	<b>massive</b>	<b>massive</b>
<p><i>The average Uniaxial Compressive Strength for the four samples was 1.03 MPa</i></p> <p><i>These tests did not comply with AS 4133.1.2 in the following respects:</i></p> <p><i>Insufficient number of samples tested.</i></p> <p><i>All samples were shorter than the requirements.</i></p> <p><i>All tests failed below the calibrated range of the testing machine.</i></p>				

remarks : **The samples were delivered to our laboratory by courier on the 23rd October 2006, wrapped in poly bags, split PVC Pipe, & bubble wrap.**  
**Specimens were tested at room temperature and relative humidity conditions.**  
**A Wykeham Farrance/Civilab 1500kN compression machine was used.**



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Date **9 November 2006**  


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**PROJECT:** P.B. RADWASTE 2  
**CLIENT:** COFFEY GEOSCIENCES PTY. LTD.  
**JOB NO:** 06057/AA  
**TESTING:** Resistivity, Conductivity (1:5)  
**TEST DATE:** 06/11/06  
**CERT. NO:** 10728

BH	Depth (m)	Resistivity (ohm m)	Water added (ml)	Conductivity (1:5) dS/m
HR TP 01	1.0 - 1.4	∞	0	0.03
		124	50	
		81	90	

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**CLIENT:** COFFEY GEOTECHNICS / PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF

**LOCATION:** 2102 701A - RADWASTE 2 - 4<sup>th</sup> SITE

**JOB NO:** 508 AA

**TESTING:** Resistivity  
Electrical Conductivity (AS 4419)

**TEST DATE:** 29/04/08

**CERT. NO:** 11772

Sample I.D.	Depth (m)	Resistivity (ohm m)	Water added (mls)	Electrical Conductivity(dS/m)
08/426 165761 - MSTP01 08 S - 3263	1.5 - 1.6	∞ 1000 530	0 50 85 (Saturated)	0.040
08/427 165764 - MSTP04 08 S - 3264	1.3 - 1.5	5500 2030 1150	0 50 90 (Saturated)	0.015
08/428 165763 - MSTP09 08 S - 3266	0.5 - 0.8	∞ 1770 1010	0 50 85 (Saturated)	0.015

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## Analytical Report

Coffey Environments Pty Ltd (SA)  
 Level 1,  
 2-3 GREENHILL ROAD  
 WAYVILLE  
 SA 5034

Contact : WESTLEY FIELDHOUS  
 Batch Number : 0610900  
 Job Ref : 06057/AA  
 Sample(s) Received : 25/10/2006  
 Report No : 175537

### Methods:

100 Moisture Content  
 208 Anions (Soluble) by Chromatography, Dry Weight  
 226 pH Measurement, Soil

9042 = METP01 0.8 - 1.2  
 9043 = METT07 0.4 - 0.8  
 9053 = ARTP01 1.0 - 1.4

### Attached Results Approved by:

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All samples tested as submitted by client.

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## Results

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0810900/001 9042	0810900/002 9043	0810900/003 9052
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20/07/06 25/10/06	20/07/06 25/10/06	20/07/06 25/10/06
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### ANIONS (SOLUBLE) by ION CHROMATOGRAPHY, DRY WEIGHT

Method: 208 Units: mg/kg

Chloride	11	3.0	4.5
Sulphate	17	4.8	4.7

### OVEN MOISTURE CONTENT

Method: 100 Units: % w/w

Moisture	6.1	6.0	4.8
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### pH MEASUREMENT

Method: 226 Units: pH Units

pH (1:5 in DHP Water)	6.9	7.2	7.5
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# California Bearing Ratio Test Results

client : <b>PARSONS BRINCKERHOFF</b> <b>LEVEL 3, 101 PIRIE STREET, ADELAIDE SA 5000</b>	job no : <b>00508/AA</b>
principal :	laboratory : <b>ADELAIDE</b>
project : <b>SUBMITTED SAMPLES - 2008</b>	report date : <b>18 June 2008</b>
location : <b>MUKATY STATION</b>	test report no. : <b>00508/AA-R1</b>

test procedure: **AS 1289 6.1.1**  
laboratory compaction method: **AS 1289 5.1.1**

sample number:		<b>3263 / 3264 (COMBINED)</b>	<b>3263 / 3264 (COMBINED)</b>		
depth:	m	-	-		
location:		<b>SAMPLE 165761 &amp; SAMPLE 165764</b>	<b>SAMPLE 165761 &amp; SAMPLE 165764</b>		
date sampled:		<b>UNKNOWN</b>	<b>UNKNOWN</b>		
date tested:		<b>21/04/08</b>	<b>17/04/08</b>		
material description:		<b>SAND, ORANGE</b>	<b>SAND, ORANGE</b>		
maximum dry density:	t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>1.97</b>	<b>1.97</b>		
optimum moisture content:	%	<b>8.0</b>	<b>8.0</b>		
field moisture content:	%	<b>2.6</b>	<b>2.6</b>		
retained on 19mm AS sieve:	%	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		
+ 19mm material included:		<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>		
C.B.R. test	before soaking	dry density:	t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>1.94</b>	<b>1.94</b>
		density ratio:	%	<b>98.5</b>	<b>98.5</b>
		moisture content:	%	<b>7.9</b>	<b>7.9</b>
		moisture ratio:	%	<b>99</b>	<b>99</b>
	after soaking	dry density:	t/m <sup>3</sup>	<b>1.93</b>	-
		density ratio:	%	<b>98</b>	-
		moisture content:	%	<b>10.9</b>	-
	number of days soaked:		<b>4</b>	<b>UNSOAKED</b>	
	surcharge:	kg	<b>13.5</b>	<b>13.5</b>	
	moisture content:	%	<b>11.1</b>	-	
		%	<b>10.8</b>	-	
	swell after soaking:	%	<b>0.37</b>	-	
penetration:	mm	<b>2.5</b>	<b>2.5</b>		
<b>C.B.R value:</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>80</b>		

remarks:

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**TEST DATE:** 29/04/08

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08/428 165768 - MSTP09 08 S - 3266	0.5 - 0.8	∞ 1770 1010	0 50 85 (Saturated)	0.015

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Client Sample ID		165761	165765	165768
14B Henley Beach Rd	Lab Number	08-Ap10108	08-Ap10109	08-Ap10110
Mile End	Matrix	Soil	Soil	Soil
SA 5000	Sample Date	Apr 21, 2008	Apr 21, 2008	Apr 21, 2008
<b>Analysis Type</b>	<b>LOR</b>	<b>Units</b>		
% Moisture	0.1	%	2.5	1.5
Chloride	5	mg/kg	11	12
Organic Matter %	0.01	% w/w	-	6.3
pH (1:5 Aqueous extract)	0.1	units	7.1	8.2
Sulphate (S)	10	mg/kg	< 10	< 10
Total Sulphur(S)	100	mg/kg	< 100	< 100
<b>Alkalinity</b>				
Bicarbonate Alkalinity-mg CaCO3/L	10	mg/kg	-	34
Carbonate Alkalinity-mg CaCO3/L	10	mg/kg	< 10	< 10

COMMENTS:



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Coffey Geotechnics Pty Ltd SA 14B Henley Beach Rd Mile End SA 5000	Client Sample ID Lab Number QA Description Matrix Sample Date Units	RPD BATCH Soil Apr 21, 2008 1.9 < 1	165761 08-Apr10108 Spike % Recovery Soil Apr 21, 2008 % Recovery - 115	Method blank Batch Soil Apr 21, 2008 mg/L < 0.5 < 1
Analysis Type Chloride Sulphate (S)				

COMMENTS:



## Interim Analytical Report

Coffey Environments Pty Ltd (SA)  
Level 1,  
2-3 GREENHILL ROAD  
WAYVILLE  
SA 5034

Contact : WESTLEY FIELDHOUS  
Batch Number : 0612465  
Job Ref : 06057/AA  
Sample(s) Received : 08/12/2006  
Interim Report No : 178220


### Methods:

100 Moisture Content  
252 Calcium Carbonate Content #  
402-AES Elements by ICP-AES, Dry Weight  
404FIMS Mercury by Vapour AAS, Dry Weight  
406-MS Elements by ICP-MS, Dry Weight  
E3795 Walkley & Black - Total Organic Carbon

*Interim report only. Please destroy when final report received.*



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## Results

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	0612465/001 9044	0612465/002 9046	0612465/003 9047	0612465/004 9049	0612465/005 9050
	21/07/06 12/12/06	22/07/06 12/12/06	22/07/06 12/12/06	25/07/06 12/12/06	25/08/06 12/12/06
<b>CALCIUM CARBONATE CONTENT, % HCl SOLUBLE</b>					
Method: 252 Units : %					
Calcium Carbonate #	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending
<b>ELEMENTS by ICP-AES, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 402-AES Units: mg/kg unless stated					
Aluminium	15000	12000	28000	11000	12000
Iron	22000	18000	18000	26000	25000
Sulphur #	31	53	47	100	81
<b>MERCURY by VAPOUR-AAS, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 404FIMS Units: mg/kg					
Mercury	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01
<b>METALS by ICP-MS, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 406-MS Units: mg/kg					
Arsenic	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	2.6
Cadmium	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0
Chromium	30	32	24	47	32
Cobalt	8.4	5.2	8.7	12	6.5
Copper	16	9.9	14	16	10
Lead	9.0	6.5	15	13	8.9
Nickel	16	12	29	13	11
Silver	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0
Strontium	74	33	150	43	54
Tin	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0
Uranium #	<2.0	<2.0	2.6	<2.0	<2.0
Zinc	25	24	7.7	17	13
<b>OVEN MOISTURE CONTENT</b>					
Method: 100 Units: % w/w					
Moisture	3.4	1.8	5.5	1.9	2.4
<b>TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON in soil</b>					
Method: E3795 Walkley & Black (W&B) Units: %					
Total Organic Carbon	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending

## Results

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	0612465/006 9052	0612465/007 9054	0612465/008 9056	0612465/009 9043	0612465/010 9057
	21/07/06 12/12/06	14/08/06 12/12/06	14/08/06 12/12/06	20/07/06 12/12/06	15/08/06 12/12/06
<b>CALCIUM CARBONATE CONTENT, % HCl SOLUBLE</b>					
Method: 252 Units : %					
Calcium Carbonate #	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending
<b>ELEMENTS by ICP-AES, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 402-AES Units: mg/kg unless stated					
Aluminium	8400	6300	12000	-	19000
Iron	18000	14000	27000	-	62000
Sulphur #	25	24	54	18	30
<b>MERCURY by VAPOUR-AAS, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 404FIMS Units: mg/kg					
Mercury	<0.01	<0.01	0.03	-	<0.01
<b>METALS by ICP-MS, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 406-MS Units: mg/kg					
Arsenic	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	-	<2.0
Cadmium	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	-	<2.0
Chromium	31	21	30	-	100
Cobalt	5.3	6.9	16	-	51
Copper	6.9	14	20	-	59
Lead	3.6	5.0	14	-	18
Nickel	7.6	9.5	11	-	59
Silver	<2.0	3.4	<2.0	-	<2.0
Strontium	17	20	47	-	29
Tin	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	-	<2.0
Uranium #	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	-	<2.0
Zinc	8.9	14	22	-	76
<b>OVEN MOISTURE CONTENT</b>					
Method: 100 Units: % w/w					
Moisture	0.7	0.7	3.0	1.9	2.8
<b>TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON in soil</b>					
Method: E3795 Walkley & Black (W&B) Units: %					
Total Organic Carbon	Pending	Pending	Pending	-	Pending



## Results

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	0612465/011 9059	0612465/012 9060	0612465/013 9062	0612465/014 9064	0612465/015 9065
	19/08/06 12/12/06	21/08/06 12/12/06	28/07/06 12/12/06	29/07/06 12/12/06	30/07/06 12/12/06
<b>CALCIUM CARBONATE CONTENT, % HCl SOLUBLE</b>					
Method: 252 Units : %					
Calcium Carbonate #	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending
<b>ELEMENTS by ICP-AES, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 402-AES Units: mg/kg unless stated					
Aluminium	8800	8300	15000	9300	8700
Iron	16000	17000	120000	13000	120000
Sulphur #	18	24	13	16	23
<b>MERCURY by VAPOUR-AAS, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 404FIMS Units: mg/kg					
Mercury	<0.01	<0.01	0.03	<0.01	<0.01
<b>METALS by ICP-MS, DRY WEIGHT</b>					
Method: 406-MS Units: mg/kg					
Arsenic	<2.0	<2.0	9.6	<2.0	12
Cadmium	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0
Chromium	27	24	210	25	74
Cobalt	6.3	7.6	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0
Copper	9.0	13	10	6.0	31
Lead	4.6	4.0	24	5.5	9.2
Nickel	8.8	10	4.6	<2.0	2.6
Silver	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0
Strontium	17	26	13	5.5	4.1
Tin	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0	<2.0
Uranium #	<2.0	<2.0	2.4	<2.0	3.5
Zinc	13	14	3.3	2.5	5.1
<b>OVEN MOISTURE CONTENT</b>					
Method: 100 Units: % w/w					
Moisture	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.0	0.8
<b>TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON in soil</b>					
Method: E3795 Walkley & Black (W&B) Units: %					
Total Organic Carbon	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending	Pending

## Results

Interim Report No: 178220

0612465/016 0612465/017  
 9066 9070

7/08/06 8/08/06  
 12/12/06 12/12/06

### CALCIUM CARBONATE CONTENT, % HCl SOLUBLE

Method: 252 Units : %

Calcium Carbonate #	Pending	Pending
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### ELEMENTS by ICP-AES, DRY WEIGHT

Method:402-AES Units: mg/kg unless stated

Aluminium	11000	3800
Iron	97000	2200
Sulphur #	11	17

### MERCURY by VAPOUR-AAS, DRY WEIGHT

Method: 404FIMS Units: mg/kg

Mercury	0.02	<0.01
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### METALS by ICP-MS, DRY WEIGHT

Method: 406-MS Units: mg/kg

Arsenic	7.7	<2.0
Cadmium	<2.0	<2.0
Chromium	120	14
Cobalt	<2.0	<2.0
Copper	15	7.7
Lead	20	4.0
Nickel	2.1	<2.0
Silver	<2.0	<2.0
Strontium	2.5	24
Tin	<2.0	<2.0
Uranium #	<2.0	<2.0
Zinc	3.1	3.8

### OVEN MOISTURE CONTENT

Method: 100 Units: % w/w

Moisture	1.1	0.6
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### TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON in soil

Method: E3795 Walkley & Black (W&B) Units: %

Total Organic Carbon	Pending	Pending
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### Sample Comments:

0612465/001 Au not tested at Amdel Melbourne

## MINERALOGY OF SAMPLES

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Mineral	9044	9046	9047	9052
Quartz	A-SD	SD		D
Plagioclase	Tr	Tr-A		Tr-A
K-feldspar	Tr-A	Tr-A		A
Amphibole				Tr
Muscovite/illite	D	D	D	SD
Kaolinite	A	A		Tr
Calcite	Tr		A-SD	
Magnesite				Tr
Anatase				
Woodhouseite				

Mineral	9054	9057	9066	9070
Quartz	D	CD	Tr-A	CD
Plagioclase	A	Tr		
K-feldspar	SD	A		
Amphibole	Tr			
Muscovite/illite	Tr	CD		Tr
Kaolinite		A	D	CD
Calcite				
Magnesite				
Anatase		Tr	Tr	Tr
Woodhouseite			Tr	

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## **MINERALOGICAL REPORT No. 8972** *by Ian R. Pontifex MSc.*

November 21st, 2006

**TO :** Mr Ross Dingle  
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**YOUR REFERENCE :** Your Job No. 06057/AA (Lab O/N Mend  
061072)

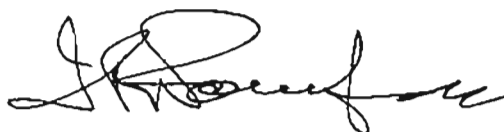
**MATERIAL :** Drill core pieces

**IDENTIFICATION :** Sample Numbers 9046 to 9070 (not consecutive,  
nine in all)

**WORK REQUESTED :** Thin section preparation, description and report  
to include photomicrographs (and XRD).

**SAMPLES & SECTIONS :** Returned to you with this report.

**DIGITAL COPY :** Enclosed with hard copy of this report.



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## **INTRODUCTION**

Nine samples of drill core pieces are described in this report from petrographic thin sections. Most of these samples are very clay-rich with mottled limonite staining, and some loosely-consolidated/weakly-cemented ferruginous and ferruginised sands, all apparently from a deeply weathered (saprolitic/lateritic) profile.

Given these characteristics, all samples required extensive impregnation and processing of the sections in oil to minimise the loss of friable and water-sensitive components. Also, it will be understood that fine clays cannot necessarily be positively identified by optical microscopy and given the potential importance of clays in samples such as these, it was considered necessary to obtain XRD mineralogical analyses for this purpose.

In this respect, Coffey (Ross Dingle) had already arranged XRD on most of these samples with AMDEL and Pontifex was copied with that data 17/11/06, with the exception of sample numbers 9049, 9063 and 9068, not in the original Coffey request, therefore Pontifex separately arranged for XRD at AMDEL for these three samples. All XRD data is incorporated within the individual petrographic descriptions.

21 photomicrographs are also integrated with the descriptions as requested.

## INDIVIDUAL DESCRIPTIONS

**Sample 9046**                      **Massive to weakly layered, unsorted fine to very coarse and immature sand, of quartz >> microcline > micas. Semi-consolidated, with up to 25 vol% intergranular weak clay cement (kaolin), incorporating minor porosity.**  
**MC, BH01**  
**22.85 – 23.1m**

**XRD :**                      Quartz - dominant. Plagioclase - trace-accessory, K-spar - trace/accessory, Muscovite/illite - dominant, Kaolinite - accessory

### Macroscopic

This handspecimen is seen to consist of random to weakly layered, apparent very loose-packed aggregate of unsorted medium to very coarse sand grains of quartz >> rock fragments, with ubiquitous weak clay cement plus porosity forming about 1/3 of the rock.

### Microscopic

Petrographic examination of this thin section indicates about 75% unsorted loose-packed single crystal fragments and rock fragments, with about 25% intergranular clays > fine porosity. Individual components are listed and semi-quantified as follows (with these same characteristics shown in the following photomicrograph):

	<b>Approx. vol. % of whole sample</b>
*    Angular single-crystal fragments and lesser composite (rock) fragments of quartz >> microcline, with a size range of 1mm to 3.5mm maximum dimension	40%
*    Angular single crystal fragments and rare composite (rock) fragments of quartz >> microcline, with a size range of 0.15mm to 1mm [Approx vol % microcline/K-spar included in the above, is about 20% as seen stained yellow on the section offcut treated with sodium cobalti nitrite.]	25%
*    Flakes of mica (mostly altered/oxidised-limonitic muscovite) > fragments of hornblende, alone or composite with quartz-feldspar as rock fragments, mostly <1.5mm	7-10%



**Sample 9047**                      **“Clay rock” (saprolitic?) Petrologically seen to have a broadly layered and combined pelletal structure, with supergene calcrete as an irregular network matrix. Sporadic brown “incipiently-lateritic” pisolites and minor quartz sand grains. XRD indicates that the dominant phyllosilicate is muscovite/illite.**

**MC, BH01**

**59.55 to 59.9m**

**XRD :**              Muscovite/illite - dominant, Calcite - accessory/subdominant

### **Macroscopic**

This handspecimen consists predominantly of pale yellowish-cream, to buff-coloured clay, incorporating scattered and weakly layered equant to subrounded reddish brown (ferruginous) grains/small pebbles, of lateritic appearance. This appears to represent saprolite in a deeply weathered soil profile. Reaction to dilute HCl indicates “substantial” carbonate (calcite) largely camouflaged by the clay.

### **Microscopic**

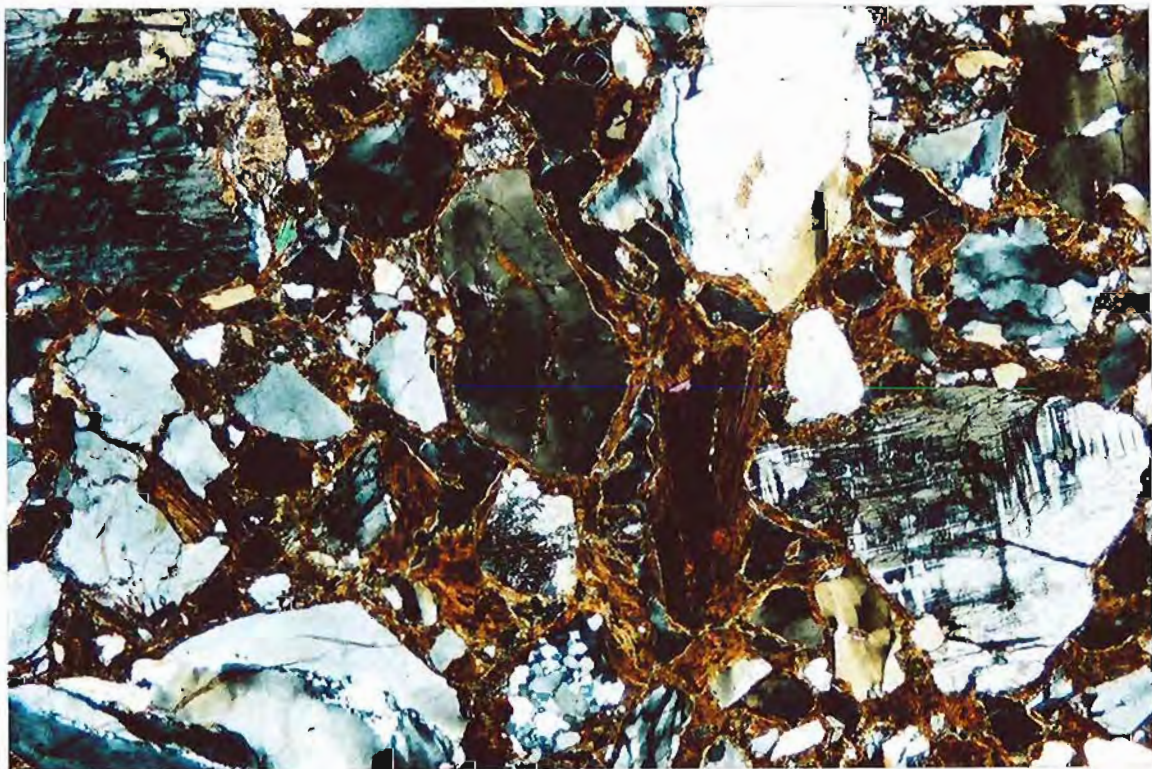
Gross mineralogy/composition of this sample as seen in thin section is:

	<b>Approx. vol. % of whole sample</b>
* Clay, pale-cloudy to clear in thin section, commonly nodular/pelletal	40%
* Clay, relatively intensely limonitic-brown-stained (pisolitic)	20%
* Carbonate, microcrystalline between the above	25%
* Quartz sand grains	7-10%

[The AMDEL XRD indicates the clays to be illite]

The thin section reveals detail of an overall structure of crudely layered clay pellets/small nodules/pisolites, subrounded/subequant, diameter mostly 0.5mm to 1.5mm, rarely to 2.5mm. These are loose-packed and have similar average size within poorly defined layers, and in section seen to be pale, weakly iron stained to clouded.

- \* Accessory grains of oxidised opaque-oxide garnets, tourmaline, goethite pellets 2-3%
- \* Intergranular 'clays' including recognisable fine altered muscovite, mostly accretionary around the above grains/fragments as a weak cement. The AMDEL XRD indicates these clays to be muscovite/illite>> kaolinite 15%
- \* Porosity occurs sporadically through the clay cement on a scale of <0.5 to 3mm, as seen in the section. 7-10%



**Fig 1**

**Sample 9046**

0.45 mm

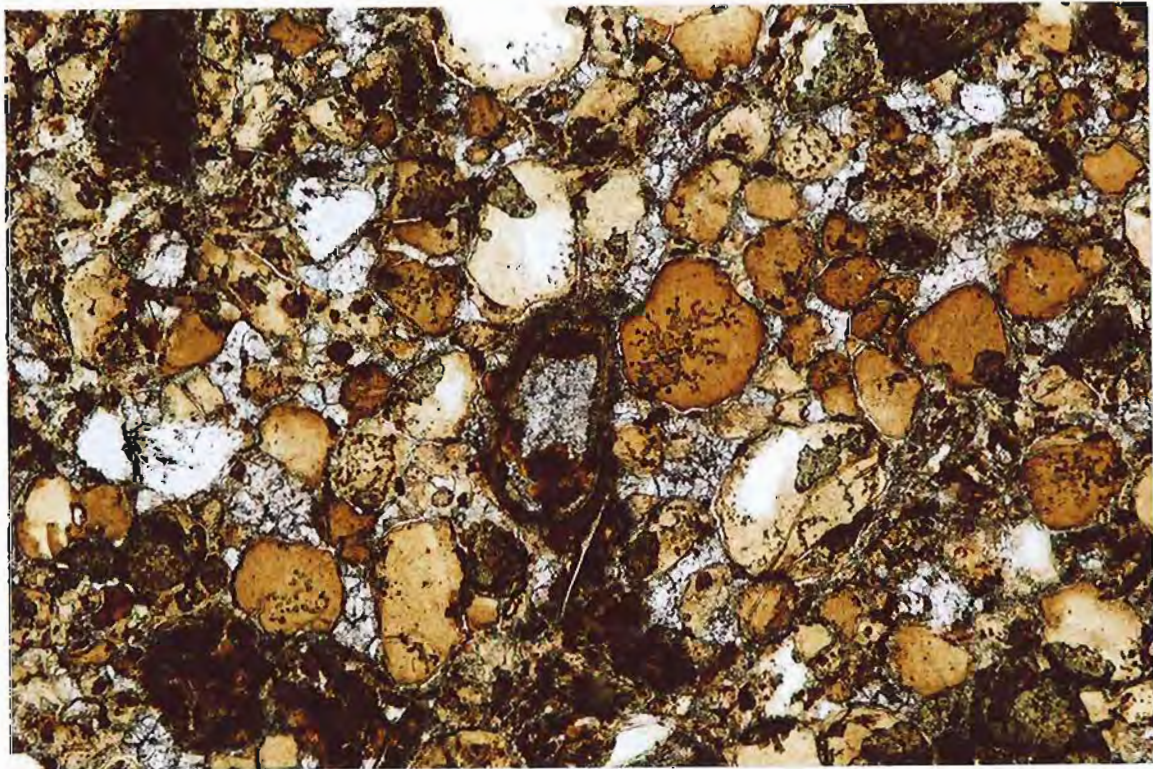
Thin section (TS), crossed nicols (Xnic), magnification (x20). Typical field of view predominantly of a loose aggregate of unsorted angular grains and fragments of quartz (whitish) and microcline (cross-hatch twinned). Intergranular weak cement of limonitic kaolin (running grains) also porosity and rare muscovite (coloured).



Darker brownish, relatively intensely ferruginised and subrounded nodules/spheroids are generally larger, and more sparsely and randomly scattered. In this context, they seem to be pseudo-lateritic.

Microcrystalline to cryptocrystalline calcite forms discontinuous networks between the above and this appears to be a permeation of supergene calcrite. Minor scattered medium sand-size grains of quartz are weakly layered.

This sample also seems to be saprolitic, possibly a leached zone below laterite.



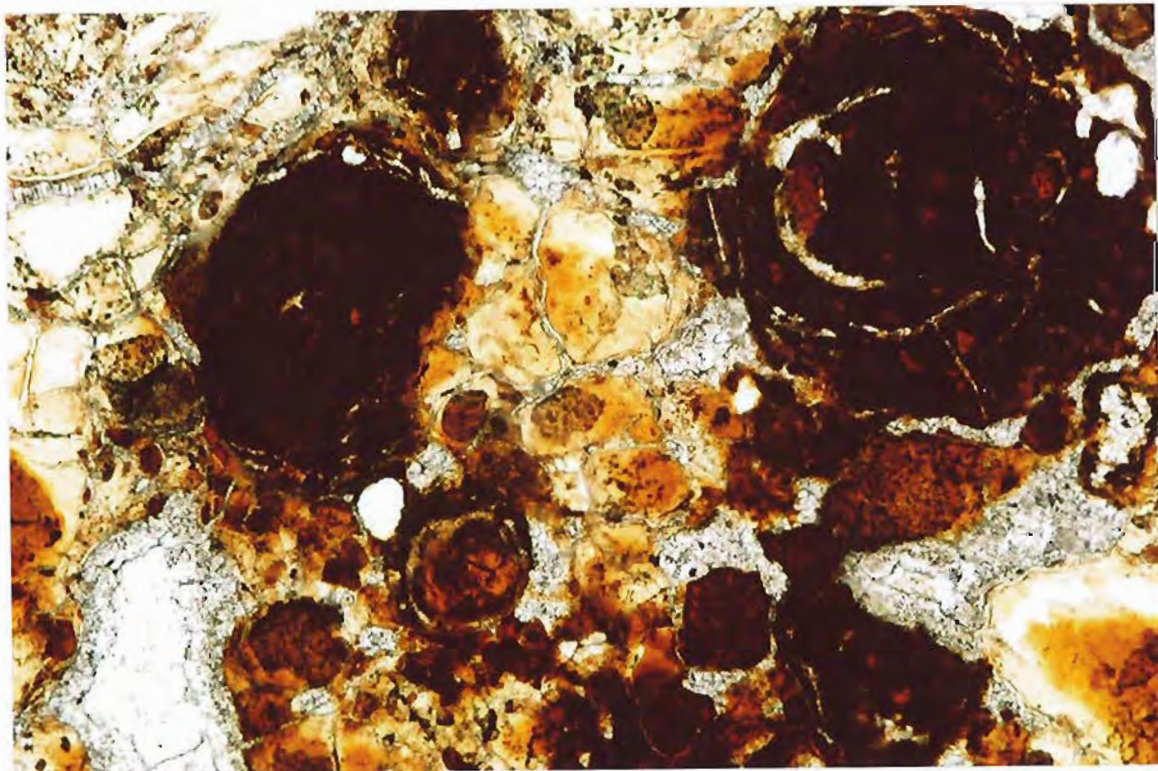
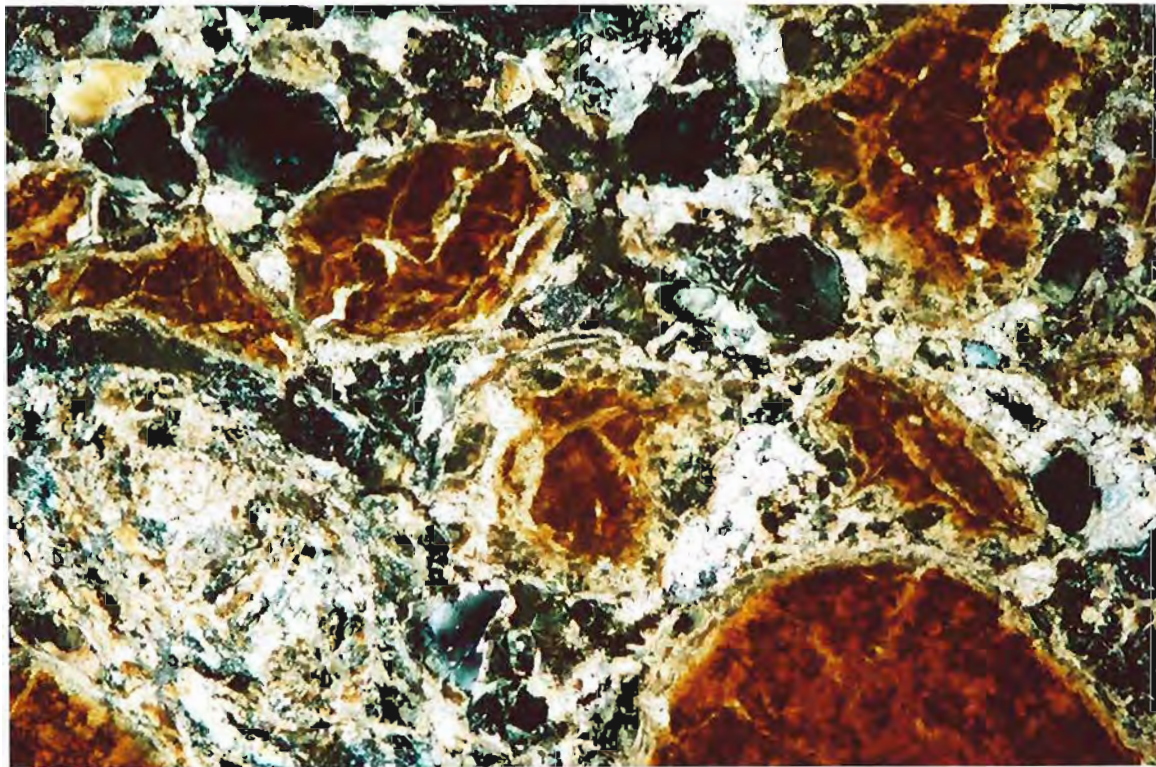
**Fig 2**

**Sample 9047**

TS. Ordinary light (OL), (x20). General view of loose-packed small nodules or pellets of clouded clay (illite according to XRD). Scattered clear angular grains of quartz. Matrix/cement of calcrite.

0.45 mm





**Figs 3 & 4**

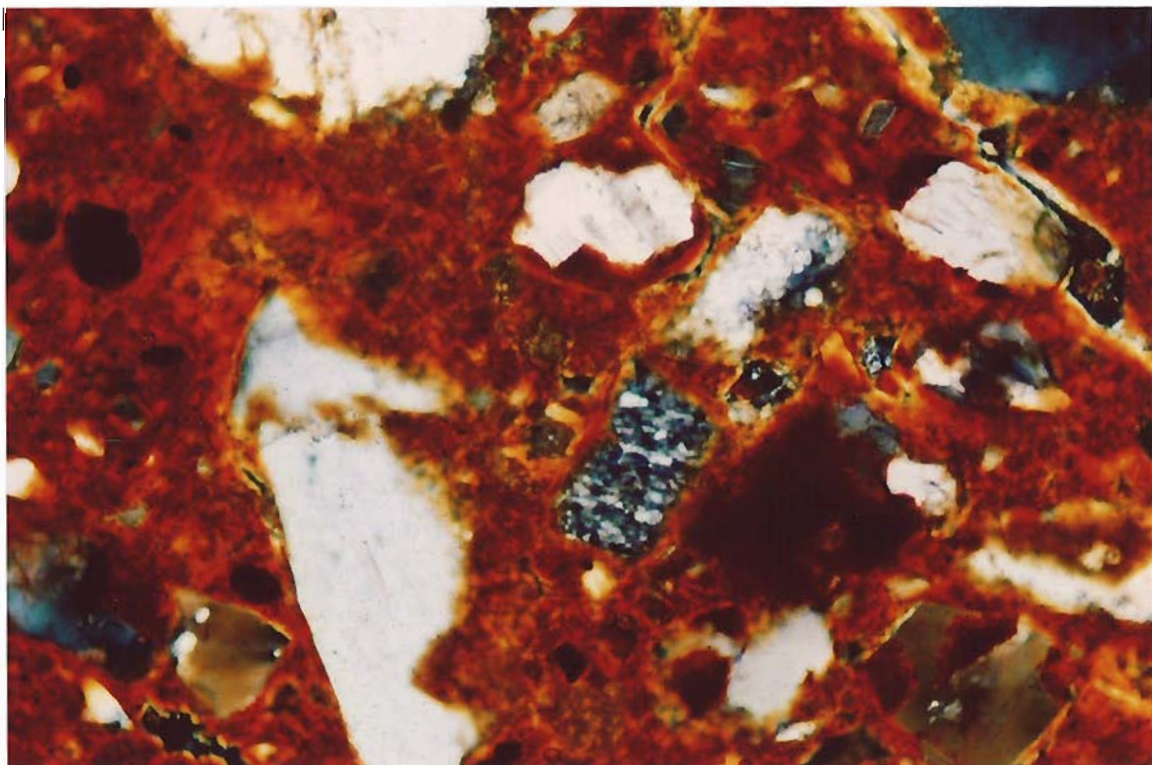
**Sample 9047**

TS, OL, (x50). Higher magnification, showing nodules of illite, also ferruginised/lateritic, weak cement of mostly clear calcrete.

0.18 mm







**Figs 5 & 6**

**Sample 9049**

0.18 mm

TS. Xnic (x50). Typical field of view, unsorted mostly angular grains of quartz >> K-spar and (coloured) mica flakes. Matrix/weak cement of ferruginous-clays, indicated by XRD to be hematitic-kaolinitic, possibly together with the reported muscovite (including illite?)



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**Sample 9054**                      **Massive poorly consolidated, unsorted medium to very coarse quartz-rich sand. Subordinate grains of K-spar, minor/accessory muscovite, biotite, hornblende, opaque oxide, epidote, tourmaline, garnets, zircons, ?sillimanite. Weak cement of limonitic illitic clays with porosity.**

**HR, BH01**

**9.0 to 10.0m**

**XRD :**            Quartz - dominant.    Plagioclase - accessory, K-spar - sub-dominant, Amphibole – trace, Muscovite/illite - trace.

### **Macroscopic**

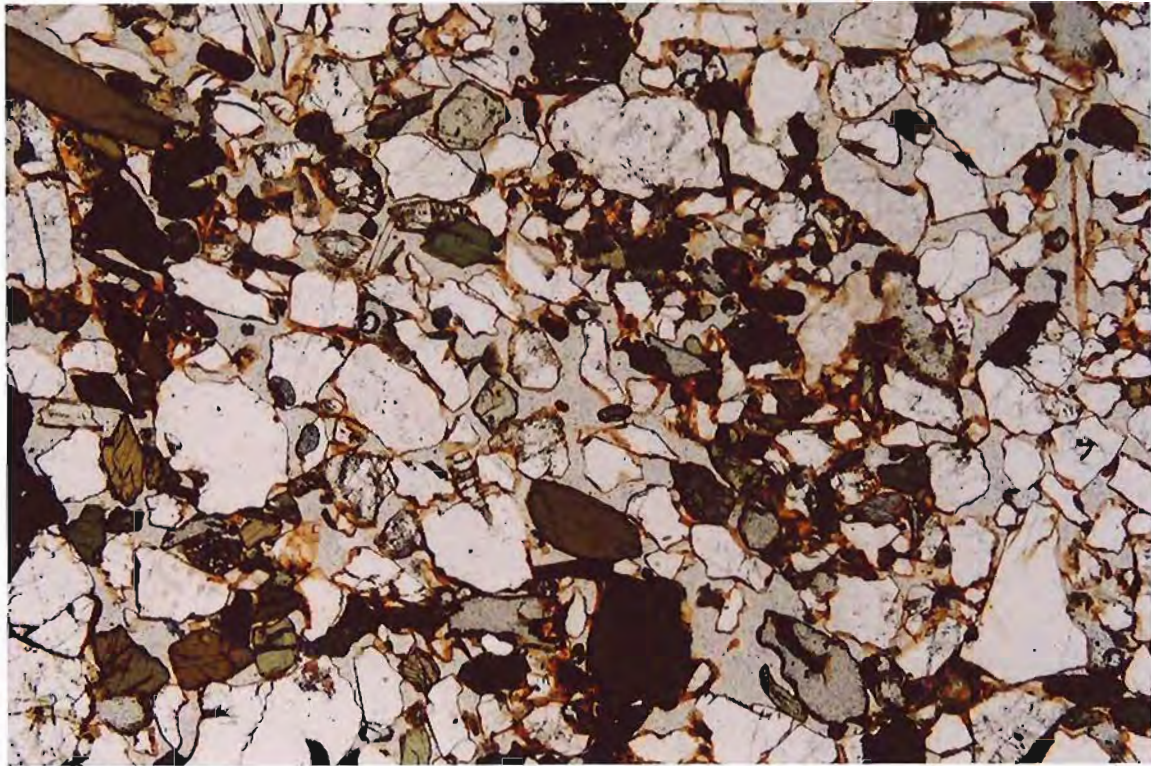
Hand specimen seen as a poorly consolidated, unsorted and medium to very coarse sand, loosely cemented by reddish brown ferruginised clay-matrix. Minor K-spar stained yellow on the section offcut. Accessory dark grains of iron oxide, micas ?mafic silicate.

### **Microscopic**

Petrographically confirmed as a massive, heterogeneous/unsorted loose-packed aggregate of mostly subrounded quartz grains > K-spar, with numerous miscellaneous grain, all as listed below.

	<b>Approx. vol. % of whole sample</b>
*    Quartz grains, mostly single-crystal subrounded, 0.25mm to 5mm size	40%
*    Feldspar grains, K-spar >> plagioclase, same morphology and unsorted size as for quartz, some composite	25%
*    Detrital muscovite and (oxidised)-biotite	10%
*    Hornblende, dark green median size grains	7%
*    Opaque-oxide, median size grains (?hematite)	5-7%
*    Epidote > tourmaline and smaller garnets	5-7%
*    Kyanite, ?sillimanite, complex composite	<5%
*    Zircons, accessory small grains	<3%
*    Intergranular areas of weak limonitic-clay cement as rims on above grains, together with subequal porosity, total volume % approx	15-20%

The XRD indicates that the clays are illitic and it is noted that the abundance of the various accessory (heavy mineral) grains is too small to expect detection by XRD.



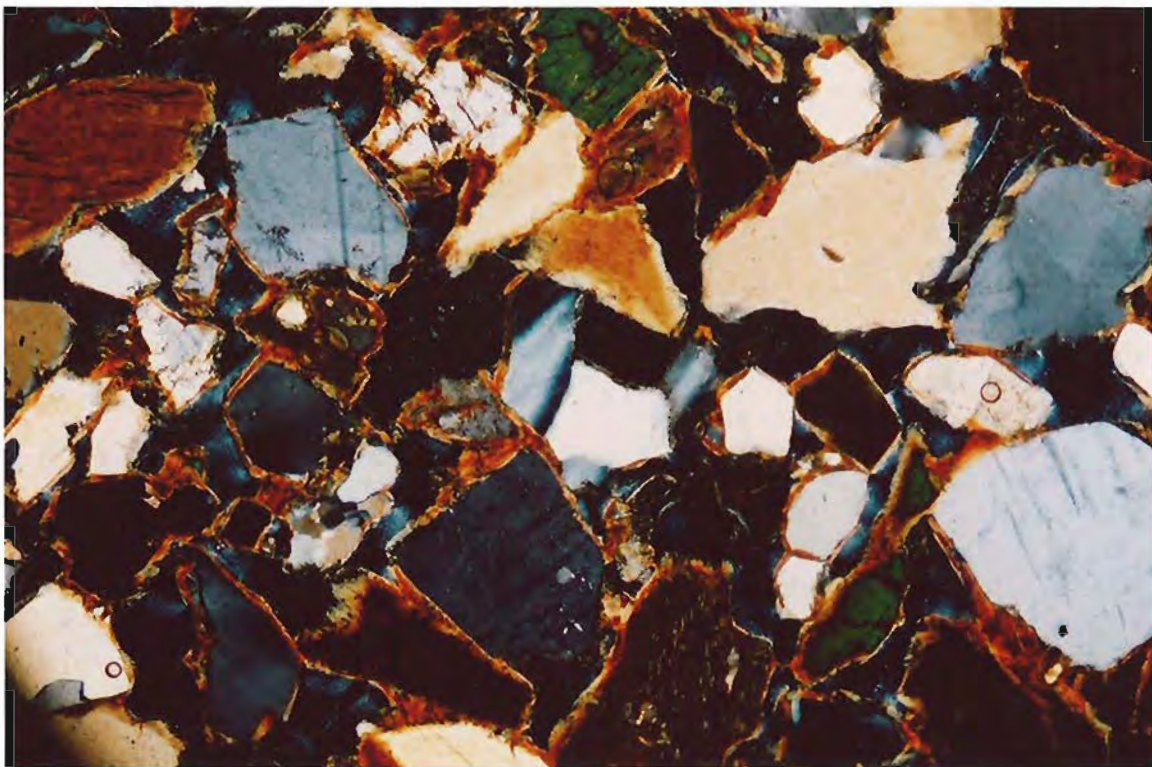
**Fig 7**

**Sample 9054**

TS. OL (x20). Lowest magnification, loosed packed and unsorted aggregate of clear angular mostly quartz > feldspar grains, other darker and coloured grains of various heavy-mineral grains as listed.

0.45 mm





**Figs 8 & 9**

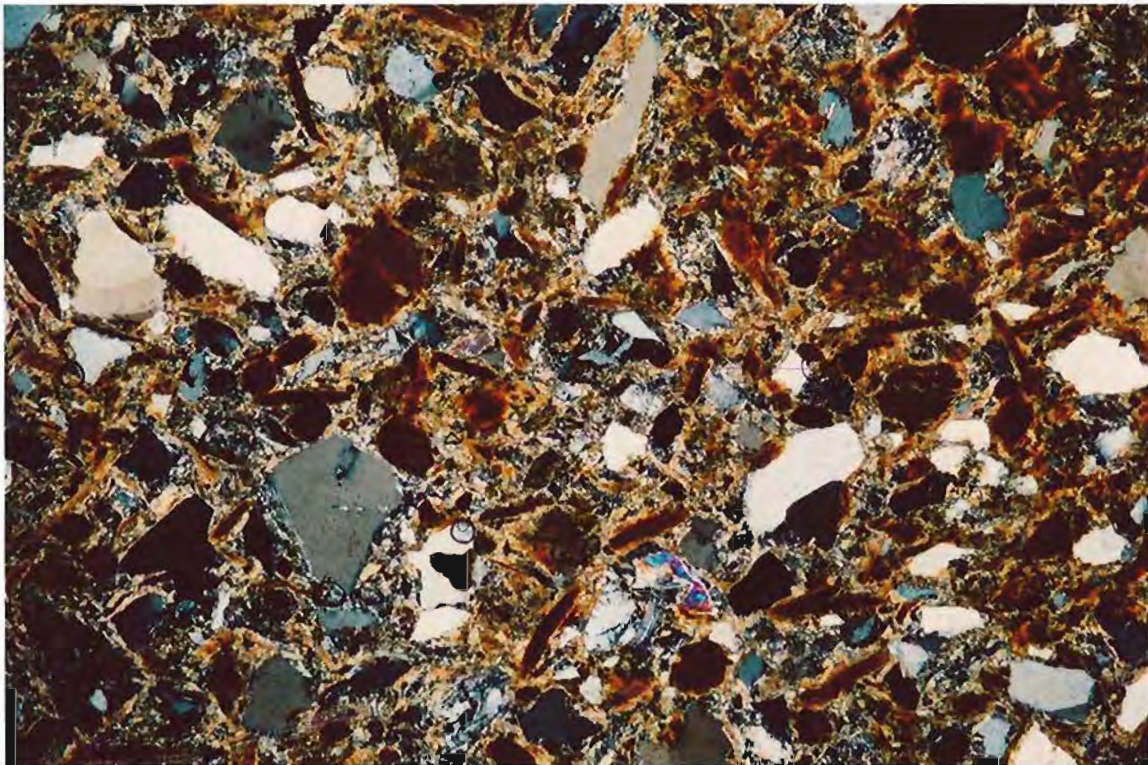
**Sample 9054**

0.18 mm

TS. Xnic. (x50). Higher magnification, Xnic, shows detail of Fig 7, and particularly in Fig 9 shows rimming of grains by weak cement of ferruginous clay material (illitic).







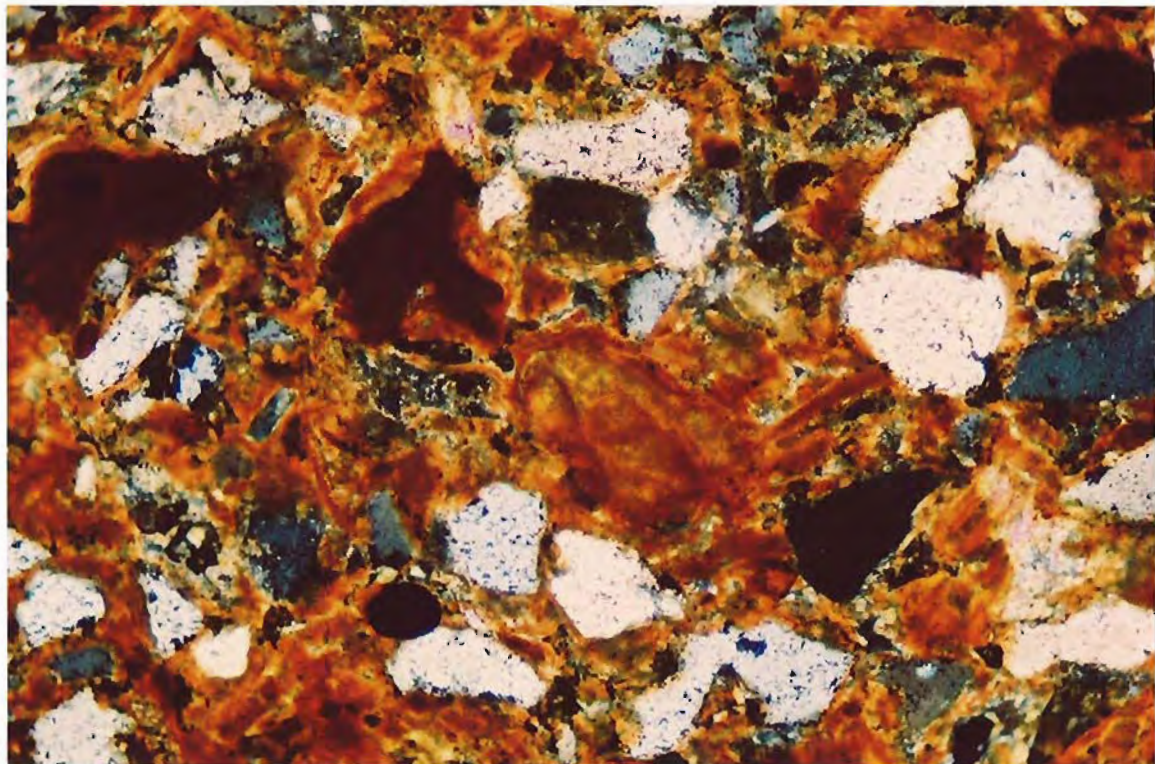
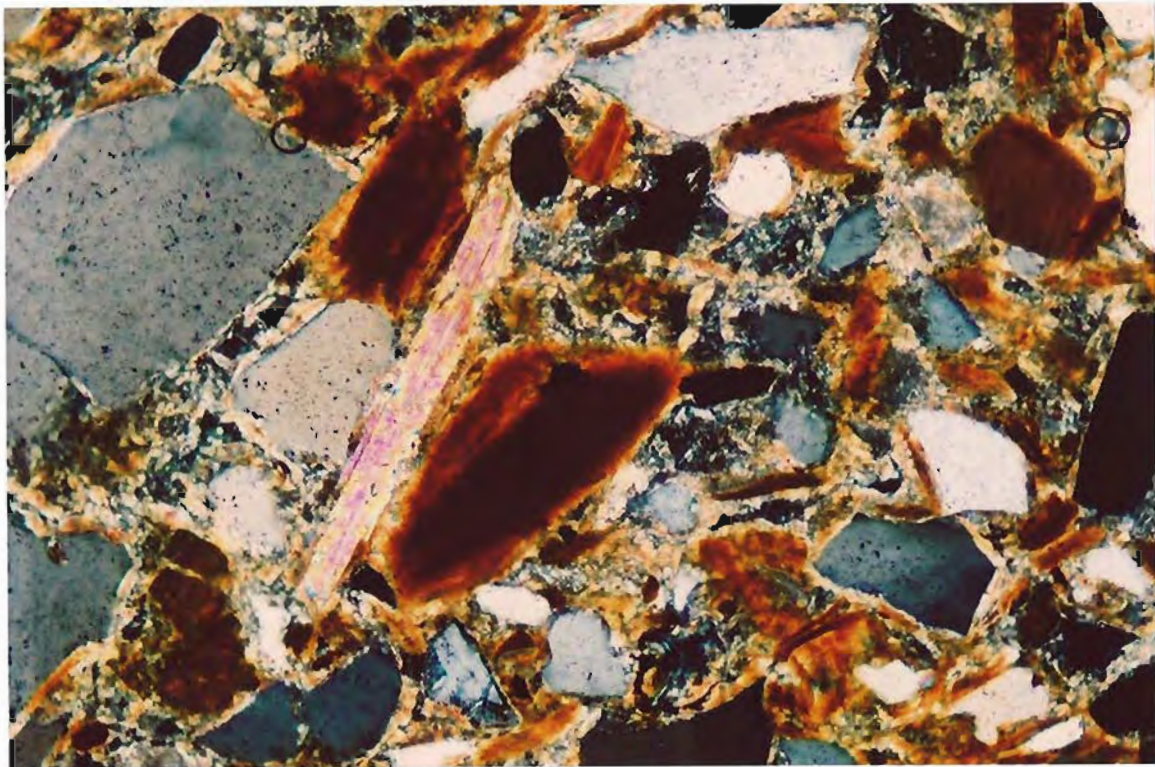
**Fig 10**

**Sample 9057**

TS. Xnic (x50). Relatively low magnification showing loose packed mostly angular grains of quartz and detrital ferruginised-brownish micas, random to weakly layered. Very fine interstitial matrix/weak cement.

0.18 mm





**Figs 11 & 12**

**Sample 9057**

0.09 mm

TS. Xnic. (x100). Higher magnification shows detail of Fig 10, notably coloured mica flake in Fig 11. Fig 12 has less discrete micas, with more matrix of limonitic matrix which in fact also incorporates poorly defined, very fine muscovite/illite and kaolinite, indicated largely by the XRD.



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**Sample 9063**                      **Massive unconsolidated medium-grained sand within**  
**FR BH01**                            **extensive kaolinitic bulk host rock. Irregular areas of**  
**9.8 to 10.2m**                        **intense reddish-brown goethite impregnation, in sharp**  
   **contact with equally irregular areas of the same pale-**  
   **cream, non-ferruginised sandy clay rock.**

**XRD :**                      Quartz - dominant. Kaolinite - subdominant, Goethite - accessory, Anatase - trace

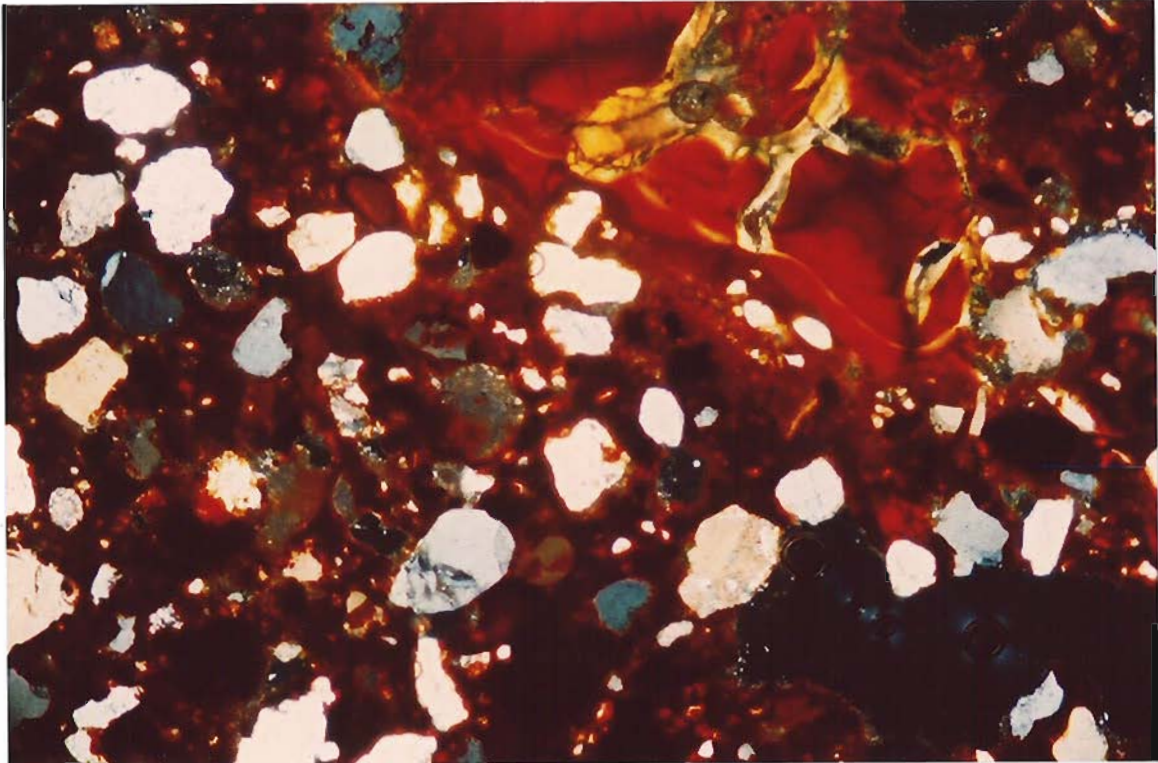
**Macroscopic**

Most of this core piece is very pale (unoxidised), but there are local domains of brick-red-brownish intense limonite ( $\pm$  goethite staining). Contact between these colour domains is sharp/distinct. Composition and texture of the rock is otherwise homogeneous throughout, macroscopically seen to consist of coarse quartz sandgrains within a relatively weak and water-sensitive clay cement (which XRD indicates is kaolinite).

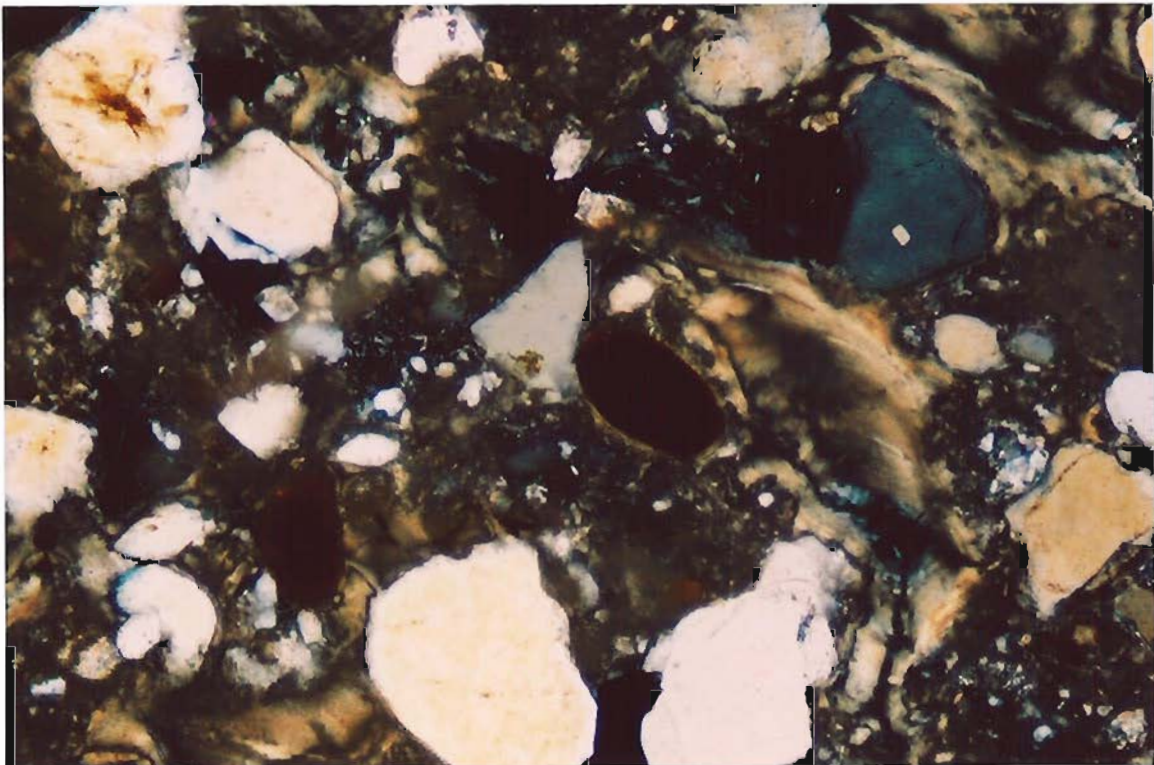
**Microscopic**

The petrography confirms all of the above, with the gross mineralogy seen in thin section as follows:

	<b>Approx. vol. % of whole sample</b>
*      Quartz sand grains, variably subrounded to rounded, and some angular, size range 0.1mm to (rarely) 0.7mm, average about 0.3mm	40%
*      Other detrital grains, relatively minor, mostly opaque secondary Fe and Ti-oxide including anatase leucosene and goethite, rare tourmaline	~5%
*      Kaolinitic cement, locally (and typically) with fine colloform texture, partly wrapping around quartz grains. In the intensely ferruginised domains these clays are intensely permeated by opaque goethite.	50%



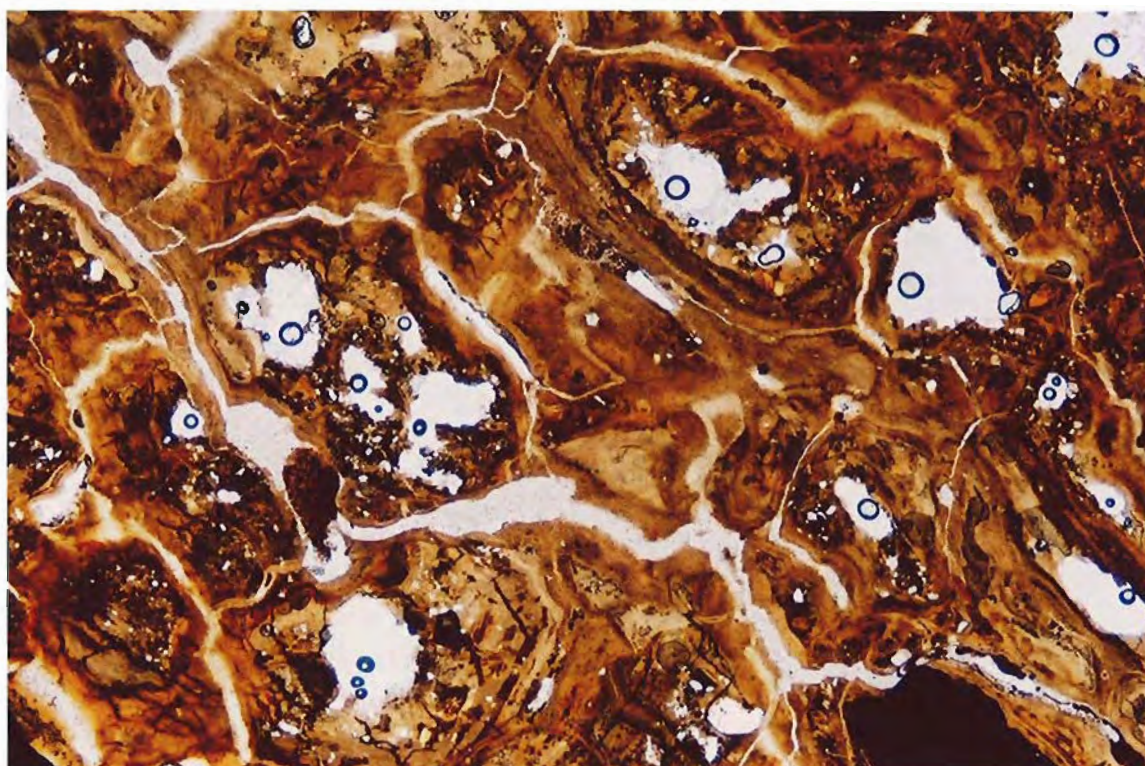
**Fig 13** **Sample 9063** 0.18 mm  
TS. OL (x50). Photo in an area of reddish-ferruginised kaolinitic matrix with scattered quartz sand grains, variably angular to rounded.



**Fig 14** **Sample 9063** 0.09 mm  
TS. OL (x100). This photo in an area of non-ferruginised matrix showing typical clouding and swirl-feathery textures inherent to the kaolinitic matrix. Also numerous scattered quartz grains.







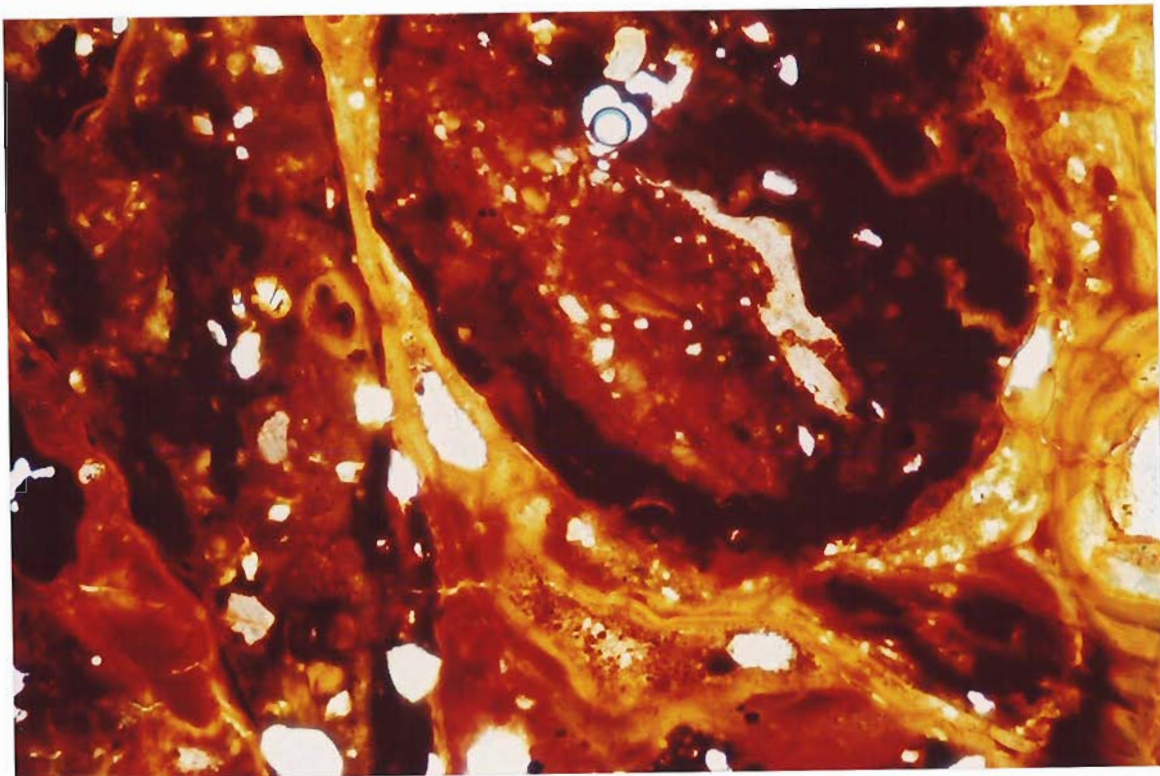
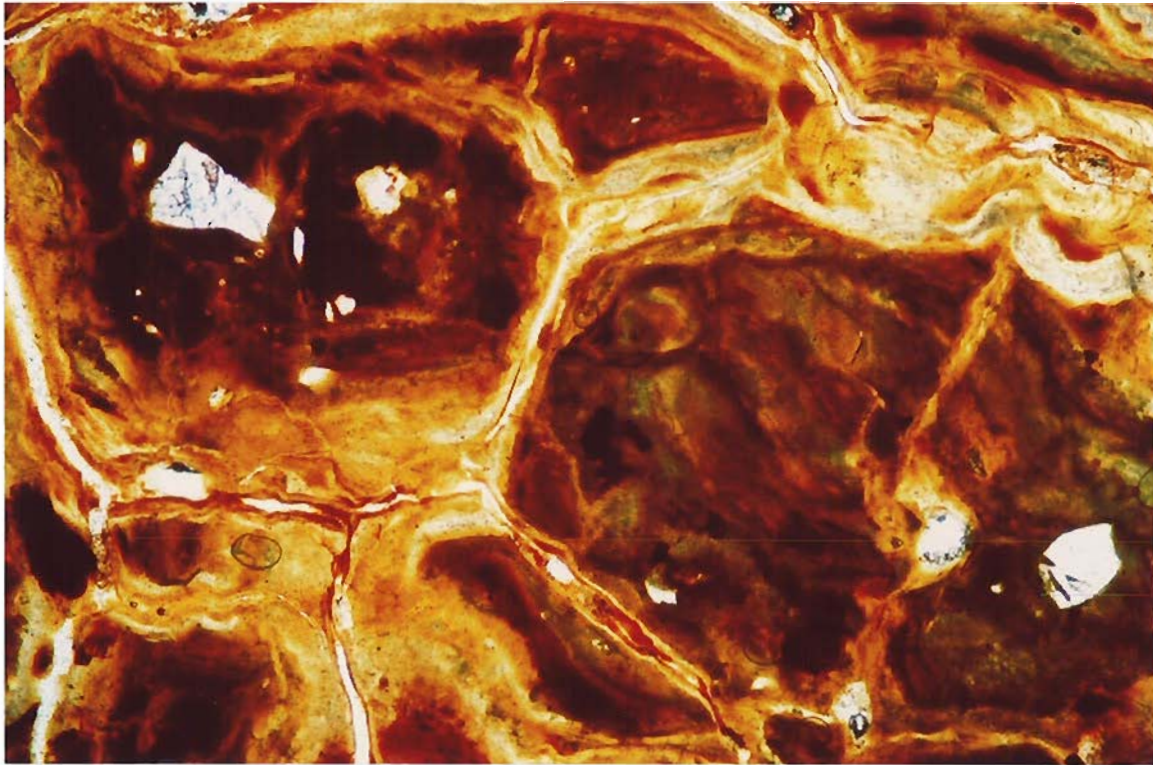
**Fig 15**

**Sample 9066**

TS. OL (x20). Massive kaolin-rich rock showing accretionary and incipient nodular domains (not uncommon in saprolite). Minor secondary networks of similarly micro-colloform kaolin stringers between sparse scattered quartz grains.

0.18 mm





**Figs 16 & 17**

**Sample 9066**

0.18 mm

TS. OL. (x50). Higher magnification of Fig 15, showing detail, and particularly in Fig 17, accretionary hematite-goethite as incipient lateritic nodules.

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**Sample 9068**                      **Homogeneous, massive compact to vaguely layered/bedded**  
**FR BH052**                        **kaolinite rock. Minor extremely fine muscovite/illite and**  
**11.2 to 11.6m**                    **angular quartz-silt grains evenly scattered throughout.**  
**Minor network threads of limonite.**

**XRD :**              Quartz - subdominant, Kaolinite - dominant, Muscovite - trace/accessory,  
Woodhouseite - trace

### **Macroscopic**

Homogeneous massive extremely fine pale clay rock, with minor random threads and stringers of reddish limonite. XRD indicates the (dominant) clay as kaolinite.

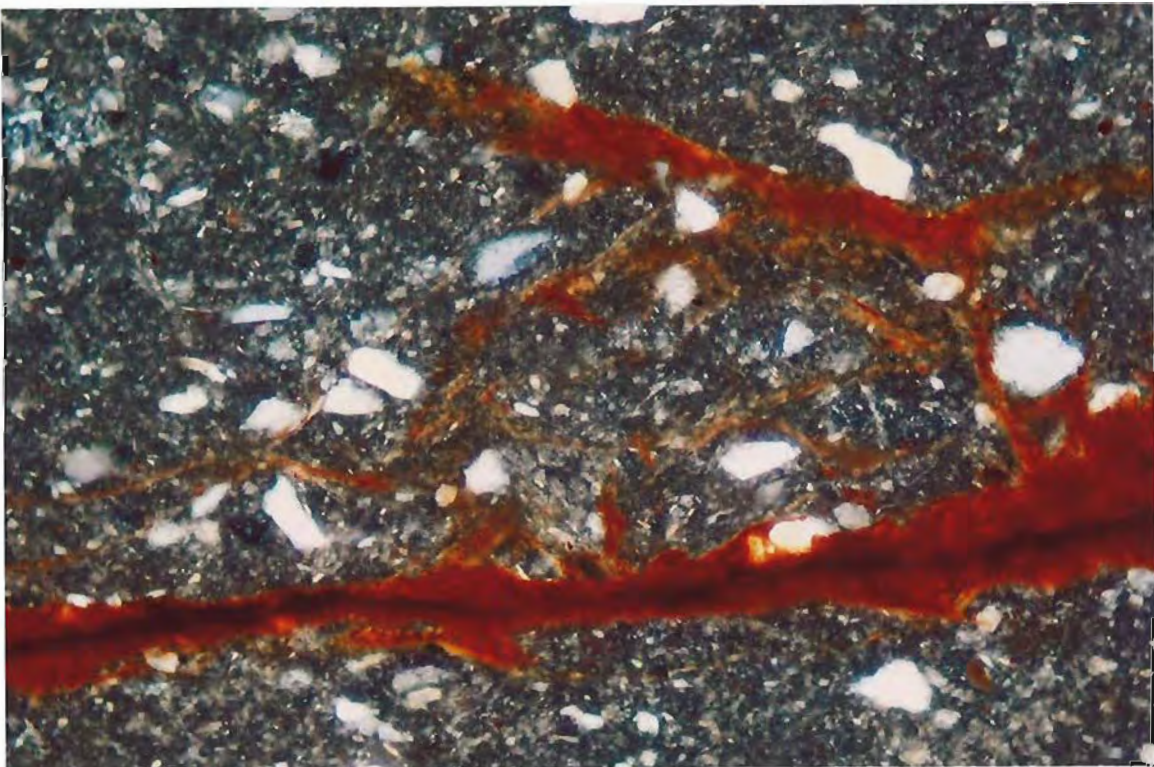
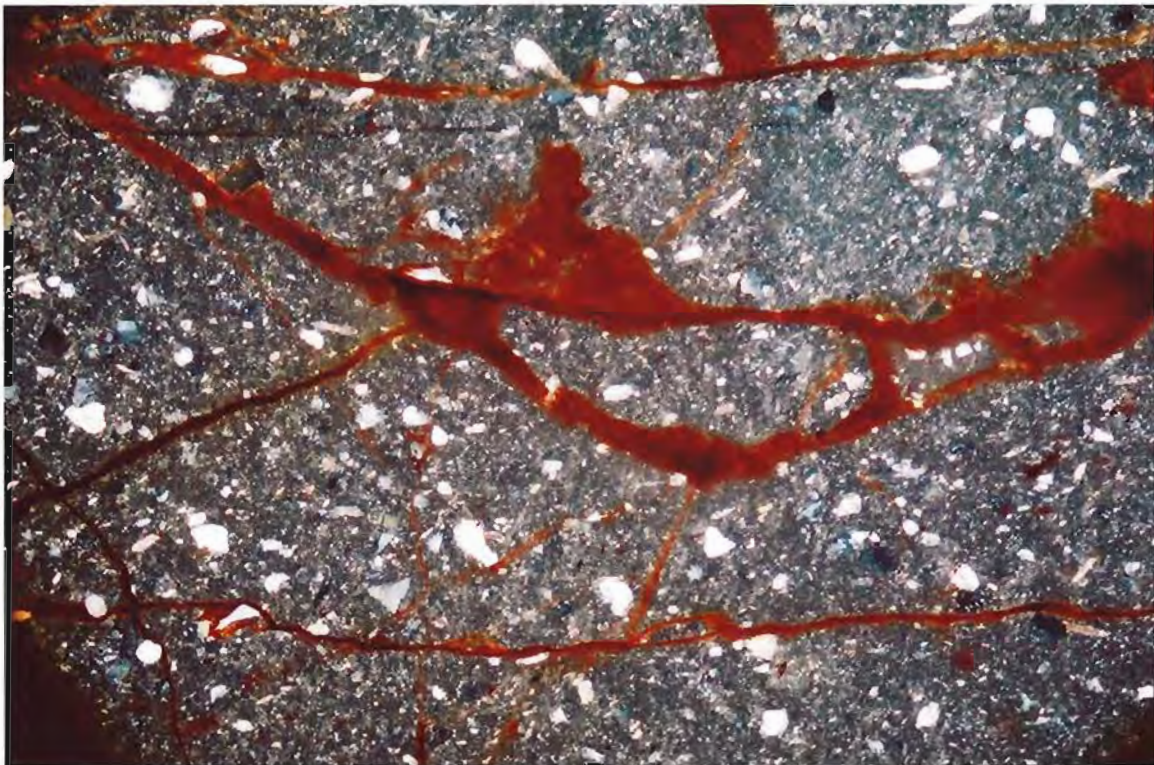
### **Microscopic**

The petrography confirms that at least 65% of this sample consists of homogeneous, massive to weakly bedded, quite compact ultrafine clay, which XRD identifies as kaolinite. This clay component includes dispersed extremely fine individual (20 micron) flakes of (optically recognisable) muscovite and equally fine but more diffuse and less discrete apparent silica.

Angular quartz grains, 20 micron to (rarely) 150 micron size, i.e. basically silt size, are evenly disseminated to vaguely layered/bedded throughout, forming up to 20% of the thin section area.

Numerous threads, braided stringers and networks of limonite have a sporadic distribution but mostly subparallel to the vague bedding/layering.





**Figs 18 & 19**

**Sample 9068**

TS. Xmic (x50 and x100). Typical field of view. Scattered generally angular silt size grains scattered/weakly-layered through a bulk matrix of heterogeneous compact extremely fine kaolinite (identified by XRD). Minor threads and stringers of limonite.

0.18 mm & 0.09 mm

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**Sample 9070**                      **Homogeneous, massive compact and vaguely bedded pale**  
**FR BH02**                            **kaolinite-rich rock. Minor fine muscovite/illite, angular**  
**23.7 to 24.0**                        **quartz silt, and more mostly rounded quartz sand grains,**  
   **sporadically along bedding and in lenses. Minor limonite**  
   **staining.**

**XRD :**                      Quartz - co-dominant, Kaolinite - co-dominant, Muscovite/illite - trace,  
   Anatase - trace.

### **Macroscopic**

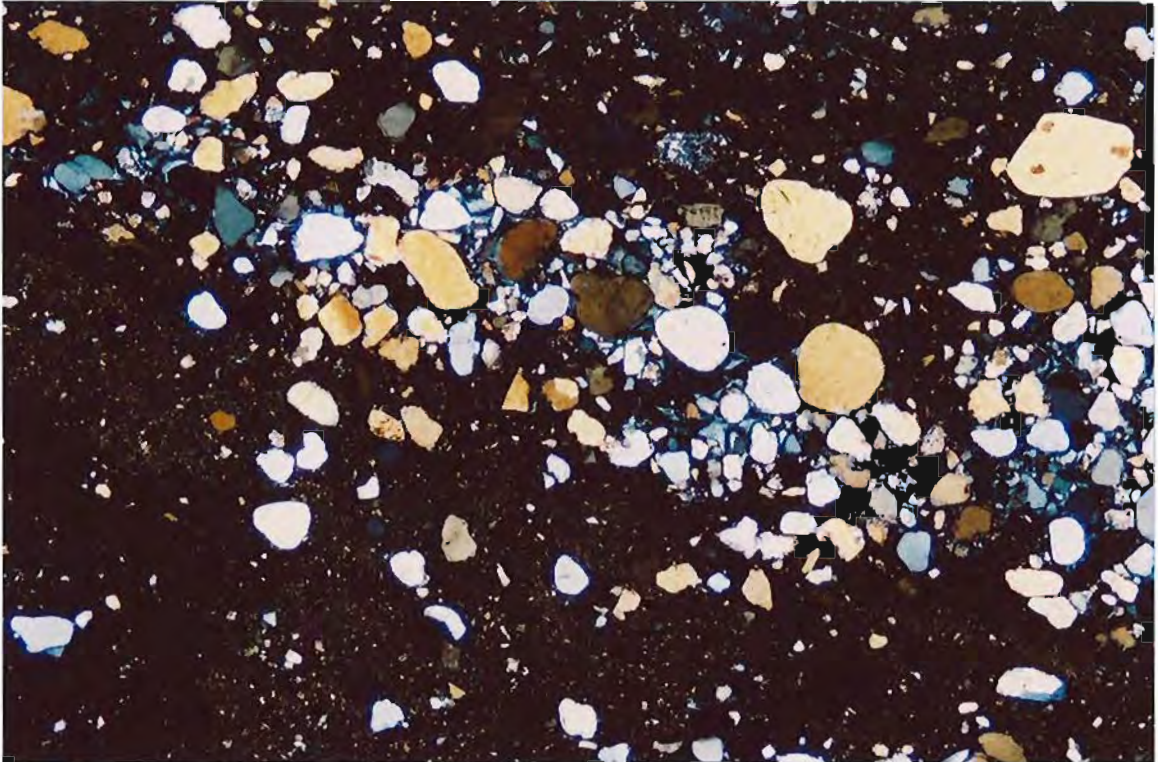
This handspecimen is dominated by homogeneous compact and massive pale clay, which XRD identifies as kaolinite. Minor rounded quartz sand grains are seen under binocular microscope, distributed along poorly defined/discontinuous bedding planes.

### **Microscopic**

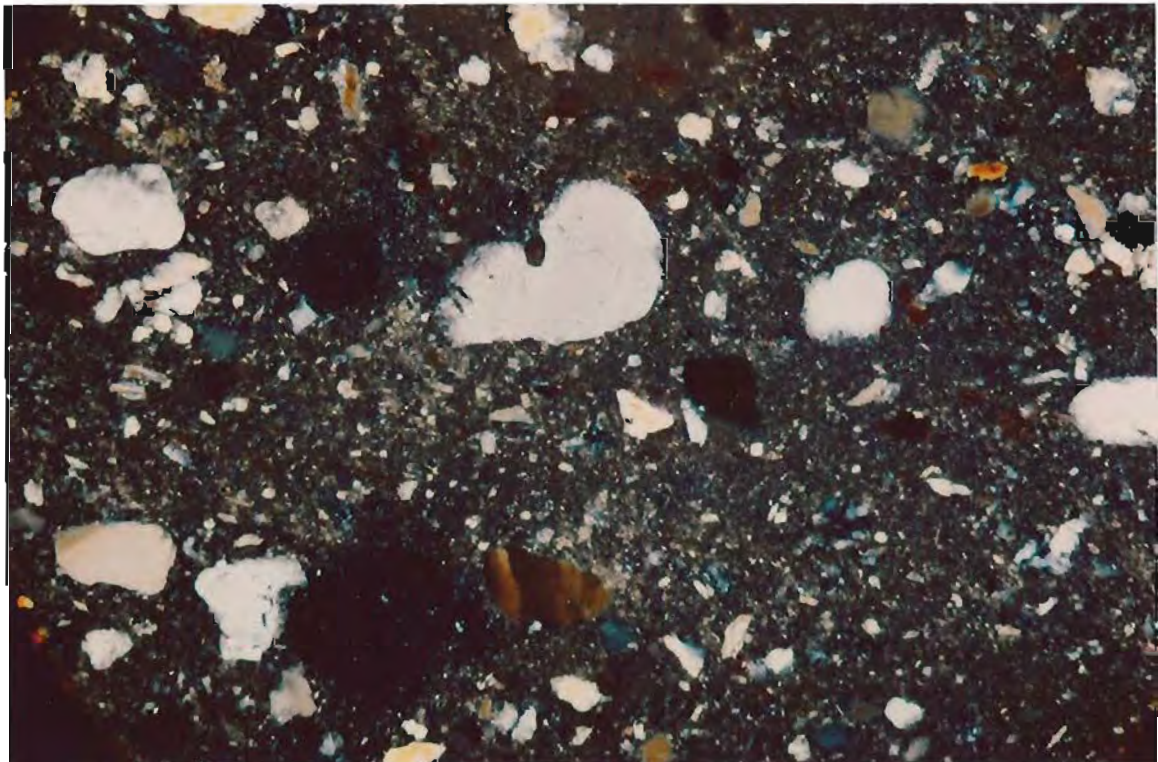
The petrography confirms that up to 60% of this sample consists of compact clays (kaolinite) with minor intricately mixed extremely fine muscovite (+ illite). These minor pelitic components and sparse apparent titaniferous dust define a weak lenticular layering/bedding, all basically the same as in the sample above at 11.2m.

Detrital angular grains of quartz silt are scattered along vague bedding planes, (the same as at 11.2m). This sample however also contains quartz sandgrains 0.2mm to (rarely) 0.8mm, mostly subrounded to rounded, mostly discontinuous along bedding, some locally clustered within small lenses.





**Fig 20** **Sample 9070** 0.45 mm  
TS. Xnic (x20). Bulk kaolin-rich host rock (basically black), incorporating rounded quartz sand grains in this case clustered within an irregular lens.



**Fig 21** **Sample 9070** 0.18 mm  
TS. Xnic (x50). Higher magnification of fine (silt) and coarser rounded quartz grains more widely scattered through massive kaolin-rich host rock.



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## APPENDIX #1: AMDEL XRD OF THREE SAMPLES ARRANGED SEPARATELY BY PONTIFEX

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### MINERALOGY OF SAMPLES

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

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#### 2. PROCEDURE

The samples were pulverized then analysed by X-ray diffraction to identify the minerals present.

#### 3. RESULTS

The semi-quantitative mineralogy of the sample follows.

Mineral	9049	9063	9068
Quartz	D	D	SD
Kaolinite	A	SD	D
Muscovite	A	Tr-A	
K-feldspar	Tr-A		
Woodhouseite	Tr		
Goethite	Tr-A		
Hematite	Tr		
Anatase	Tr		

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A = Accessory. Components judged to be present between the levels of roughly 5 and 20%.  
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## APPENDIX #2: AMDEL XRD OF EIGHT SAMPLES UNDERTAKEN INDEPENDENTLY FOR COFFEY – RESULTS COPIED TO PONTIFEX

### MINERALOGY OF SAMPLES

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Samples were received from Ross Dingle of Coffey Geoscience, Adelaide with a request for determination of their mineralogy. They were from Job No. 06057/AA

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Muscovite/illite	D	D	D	SD
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Calcite	Tr		A-SD	
Magnesite				Tr
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Muscovite/illite	Tr	CD		Tr
Kaolinite		A	D	CD
Calcite				
Magnesite				
Anatase		Tr	Tr	Tr
Woodhouseite			Tr	

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**MINERALOGICAL REPORT No. 9338**  
*by Ian R. Pontifex MSc.*

June 12th, 2008

**TO :** Mr Ross Dingle  
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**YOUR REFERENCE :** Work Order No. 1014

**MATERIAL :** Drill core segments (5), Muckaty Station

**IDENTIFICATION :** 165902, 904, 908, 912, 915

**WORK REQUESTED :** Thin section preparation, description and report  
with photomicrographs.

**SAMPLES & SECTIONS :** Returned to you with this report.

**DIGITAL COPY :** CD enclosed with hard copy of this report.

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## **INTRODUCTION**

This report provides petrological descriptions of thin sections examined by optical microscopy of five drill core segments, cut from larger pieces. Sample representation is:

Drill Hole	Depth (m)	Sample number (this report)
MSBH01	10.65 – 10.95	165902
MSBH01	28.1 – 28.25	165904
GBH02	46.9 – 47.15	165908
MSBH03	20.3 – 20.65	165912
MSBH05	17.65 – 18.15	165915

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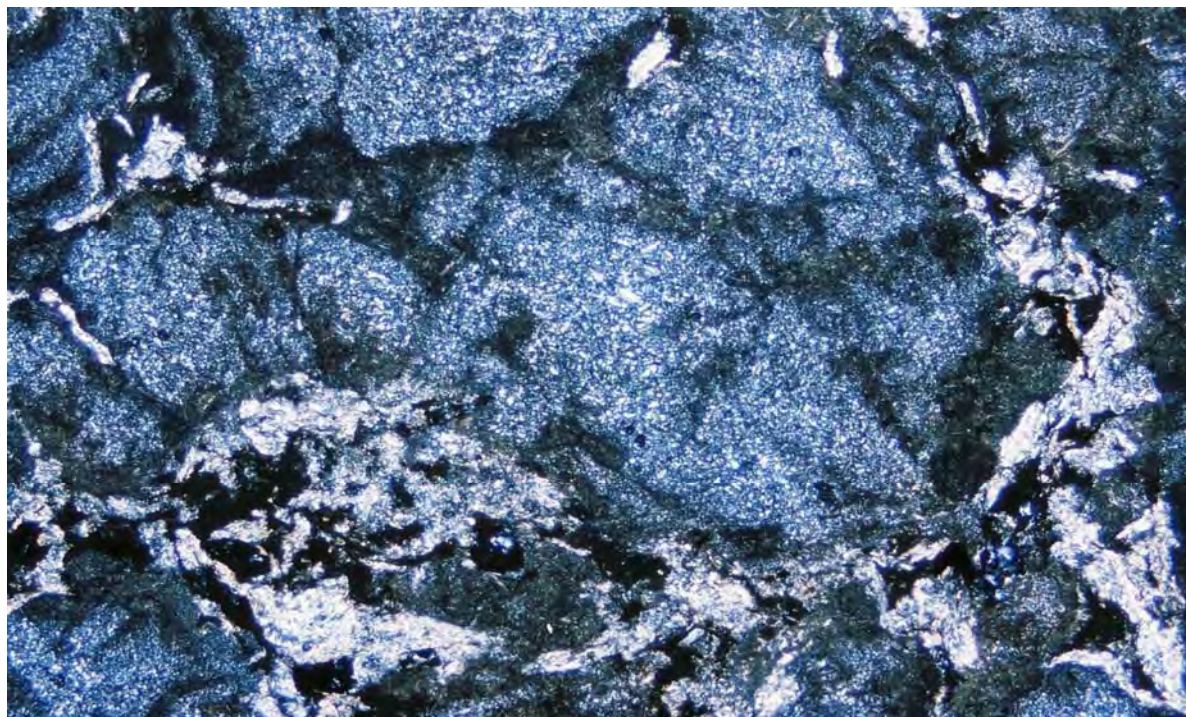
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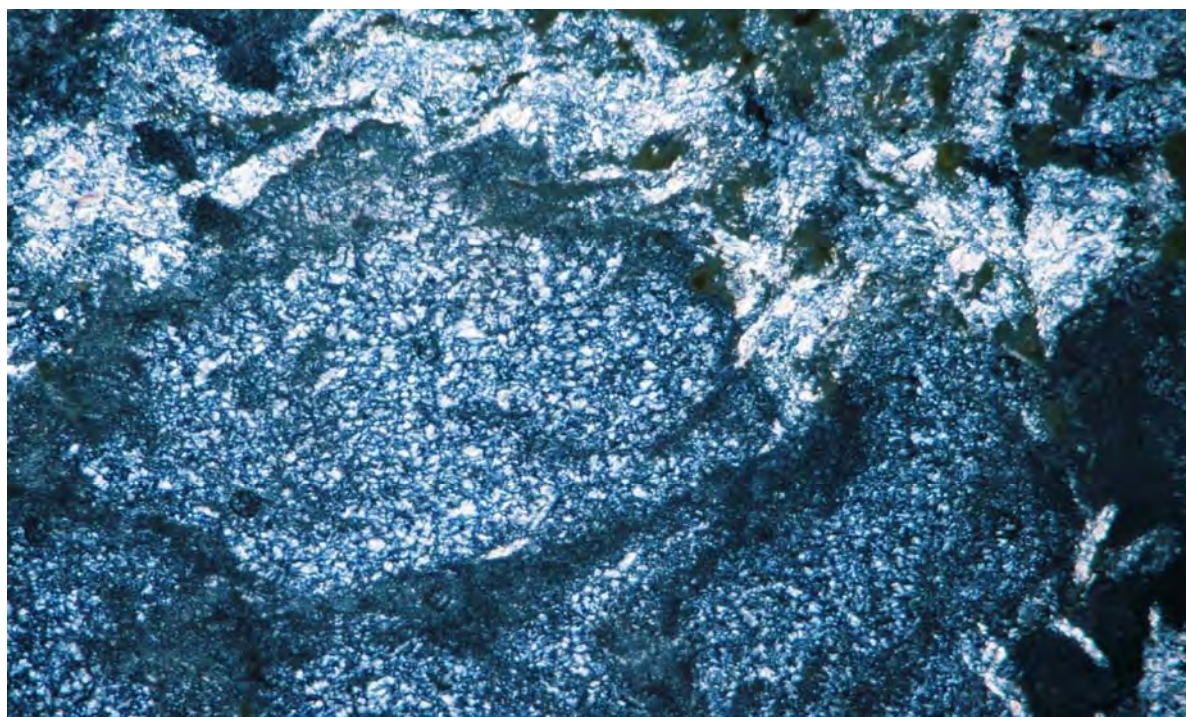


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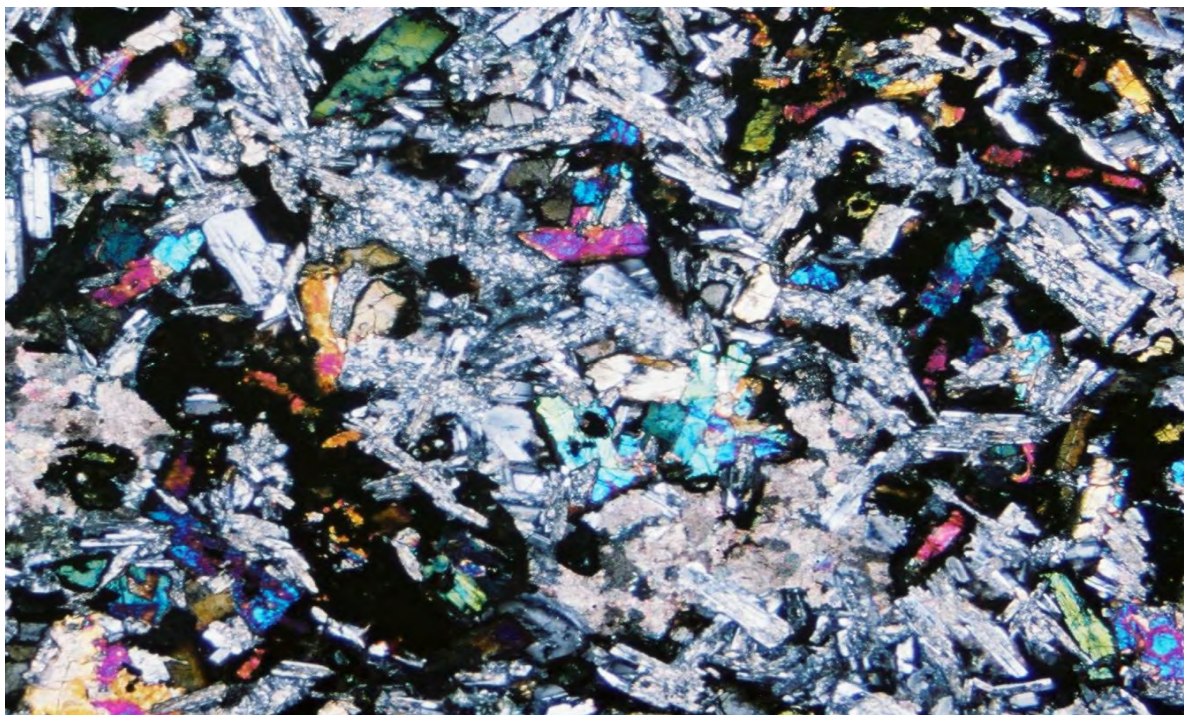
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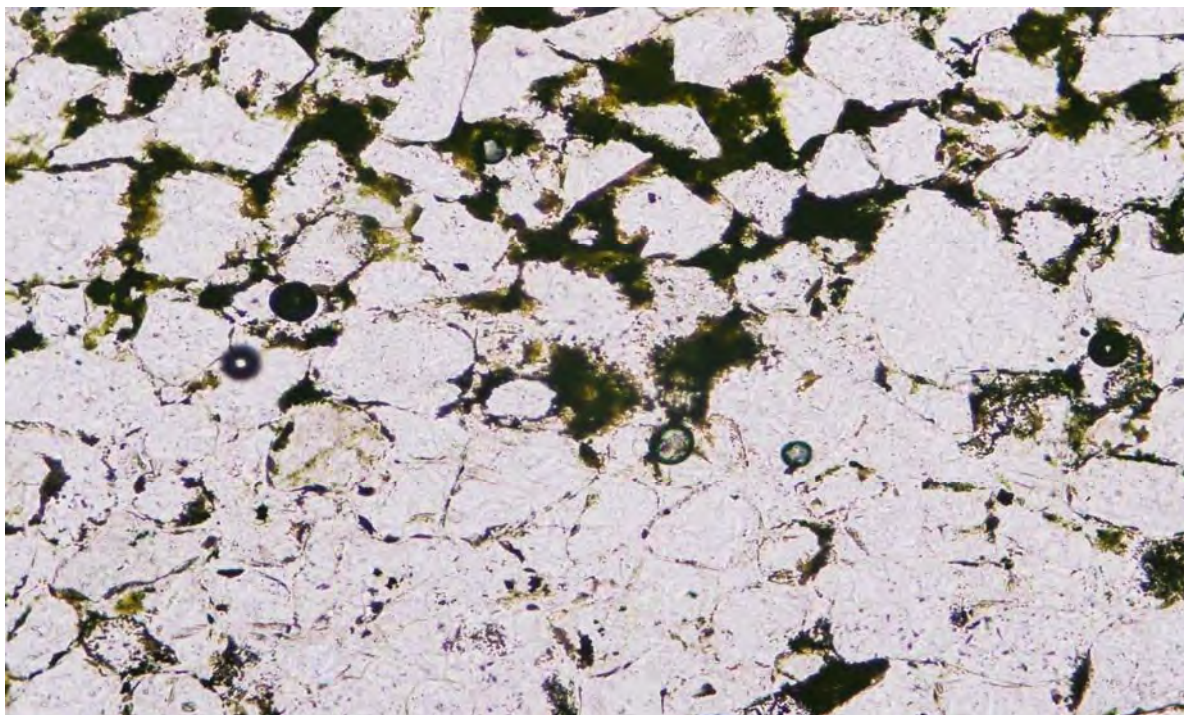
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**GBH02, 46.9**  
**(3257)**

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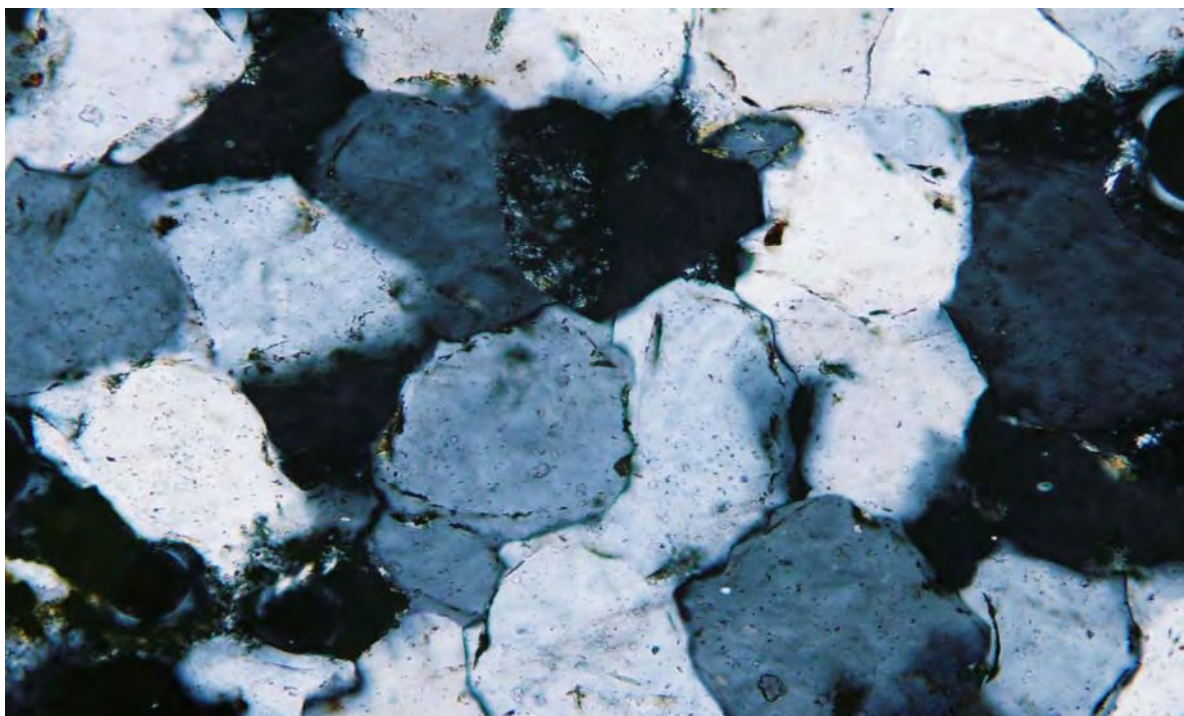


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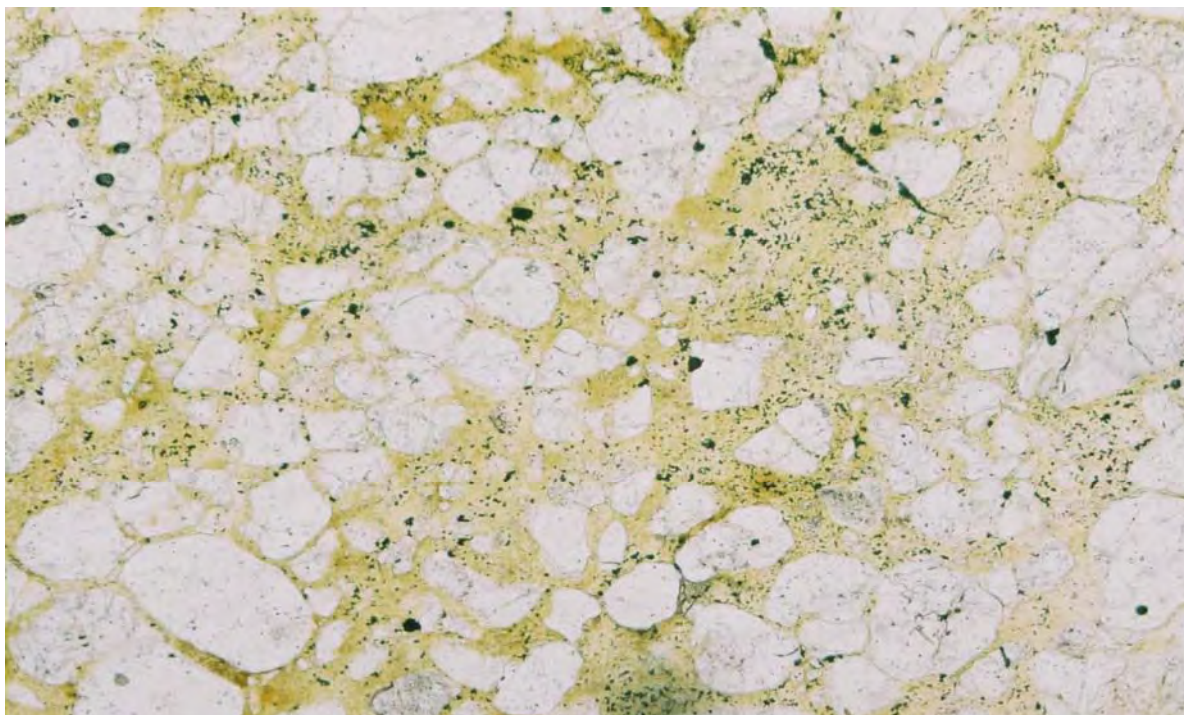
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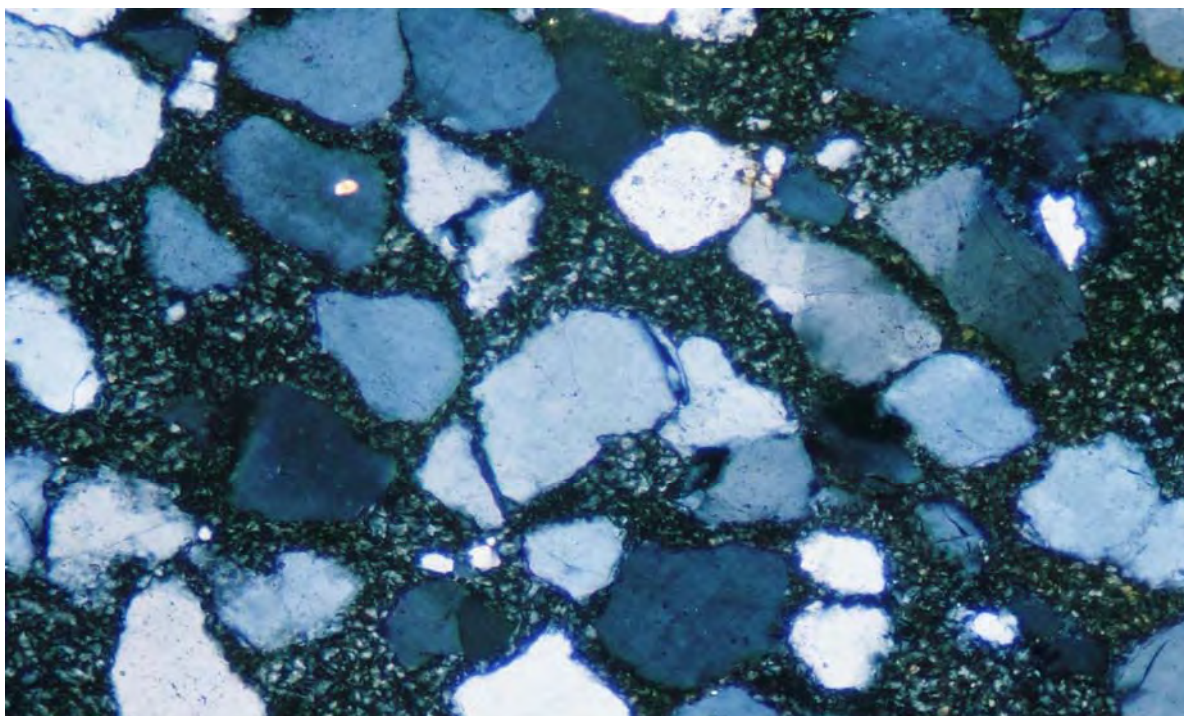


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MSBH05, 17.65m**

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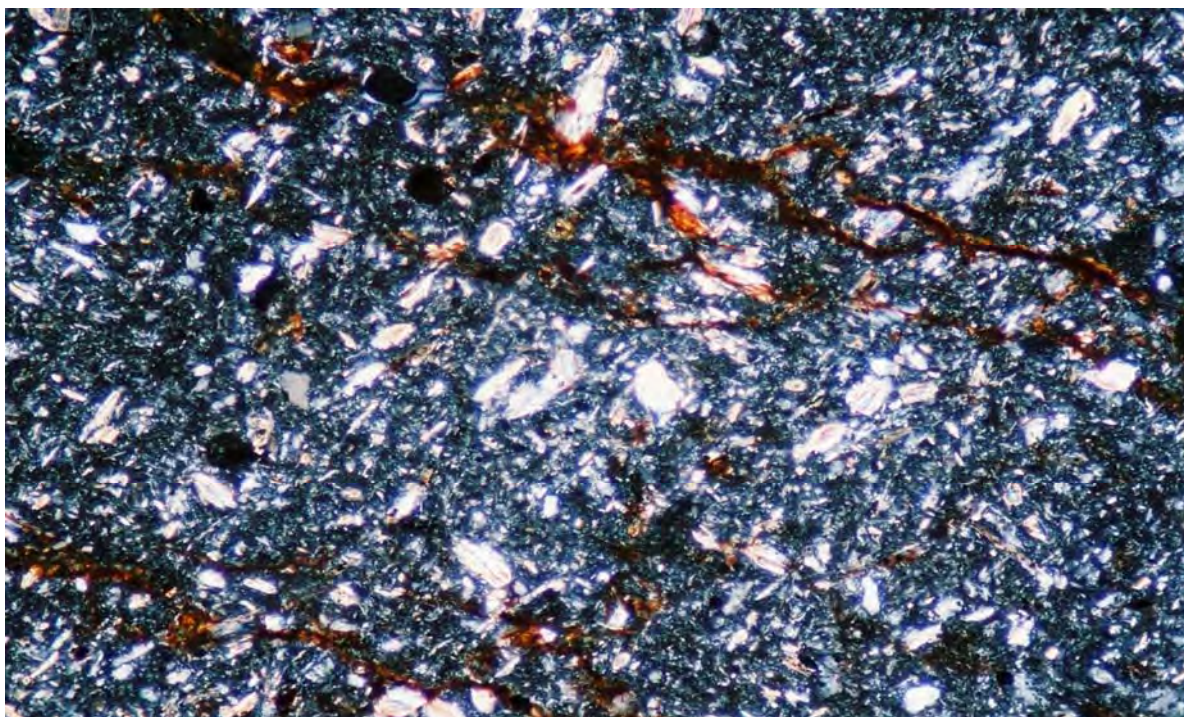
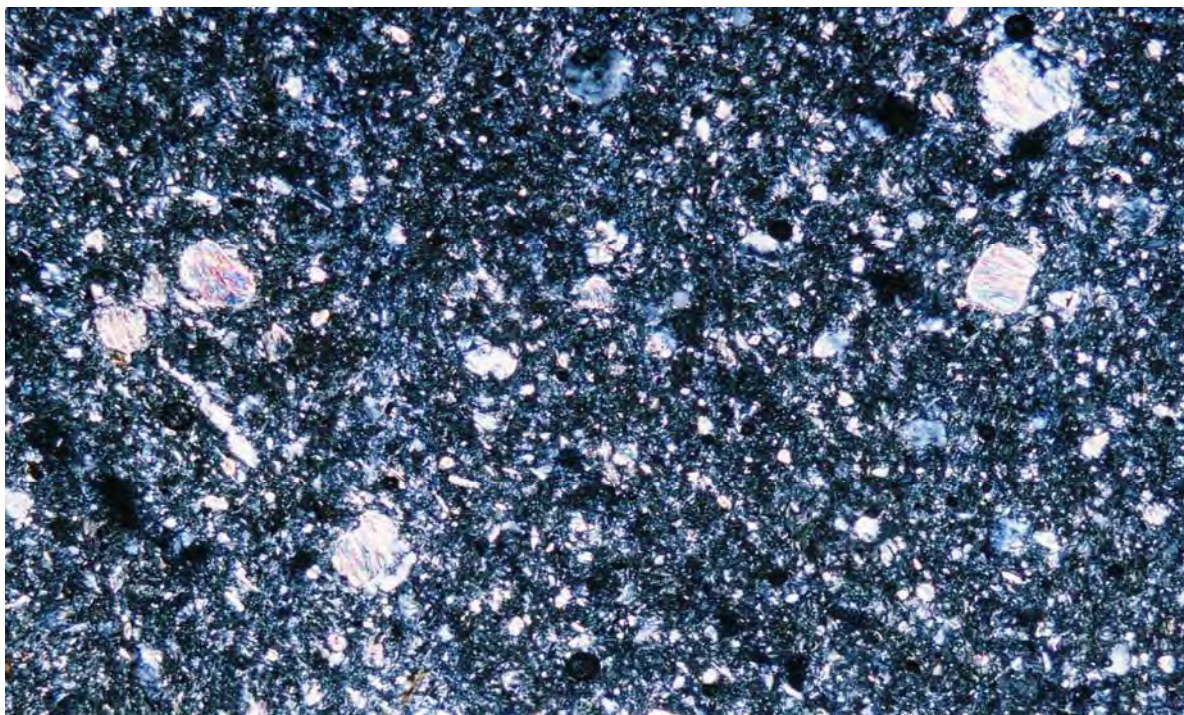
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June 12th, 2008

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MILE END SA 5031

**YOUR REFERENCE :** Work Order No. 1014

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**IDENTIFICATION :** 165902, 904, 908, 912, 915

**WORK REQUESTED :** Thin section preparation, description and report  
with photomicrographs.

**SAMPLES & SECTIONS :** Returned to you with this report.

**DIGITAL COPY :** CD enclosed with hard copy of this report.

**PONTIFEX & ASSOCIATES PTY. LTD.**

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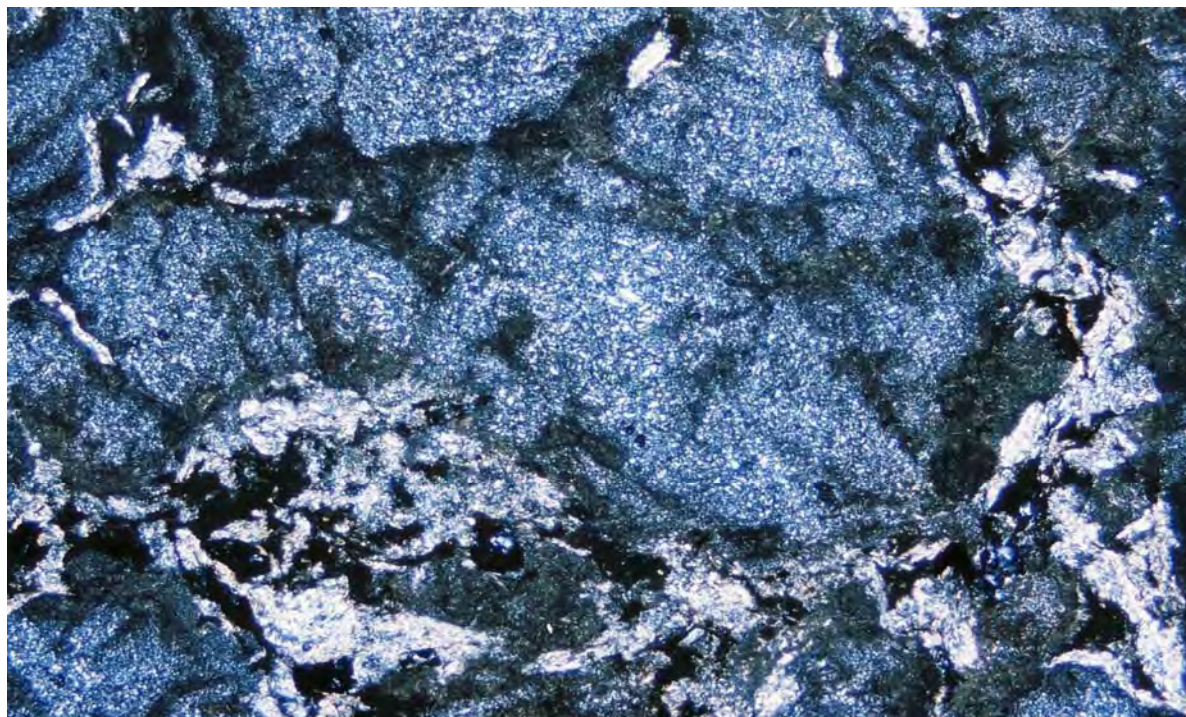
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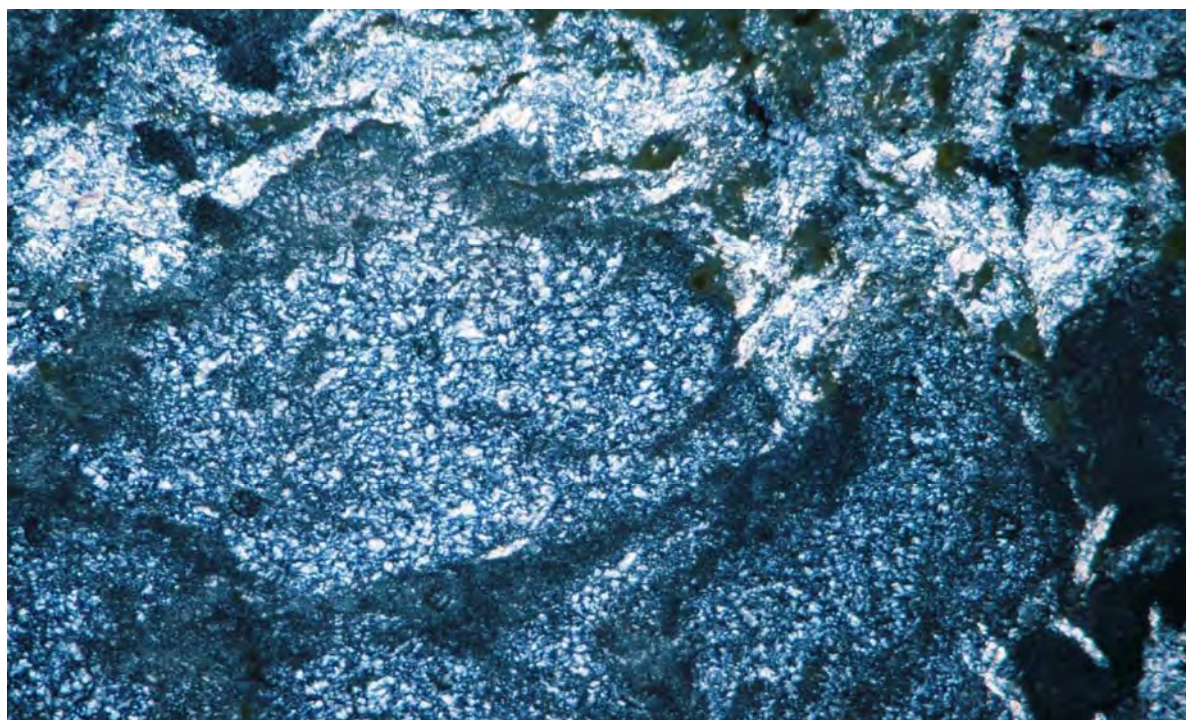


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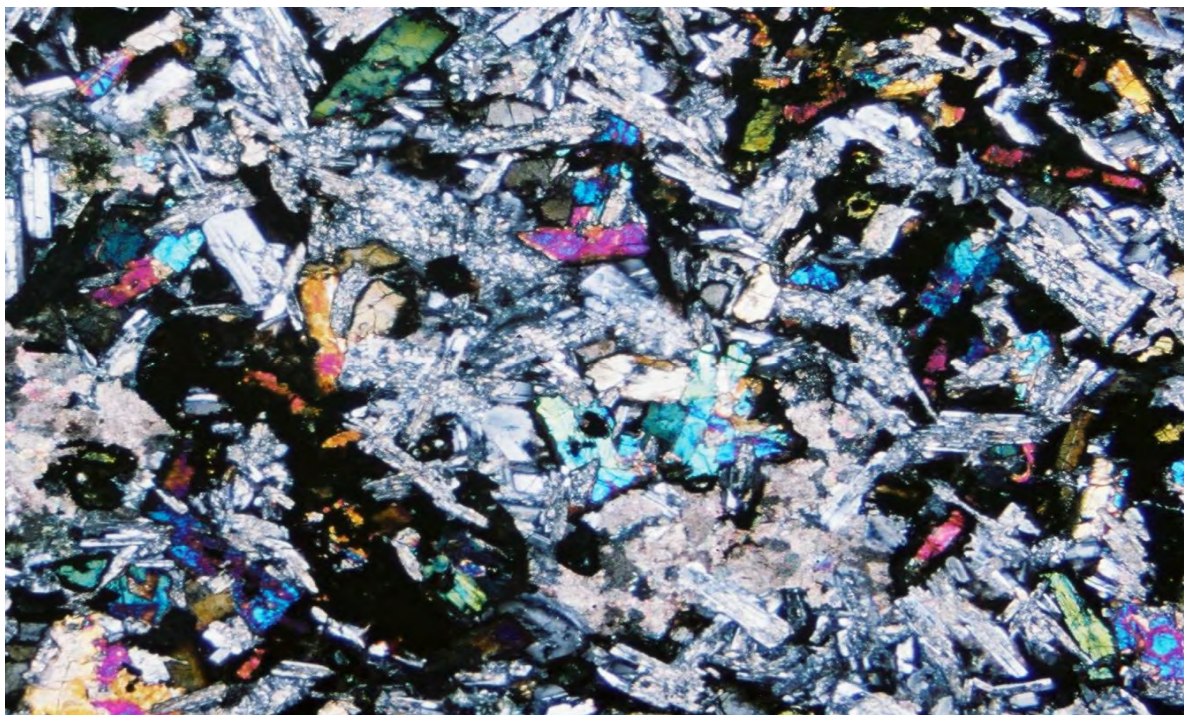
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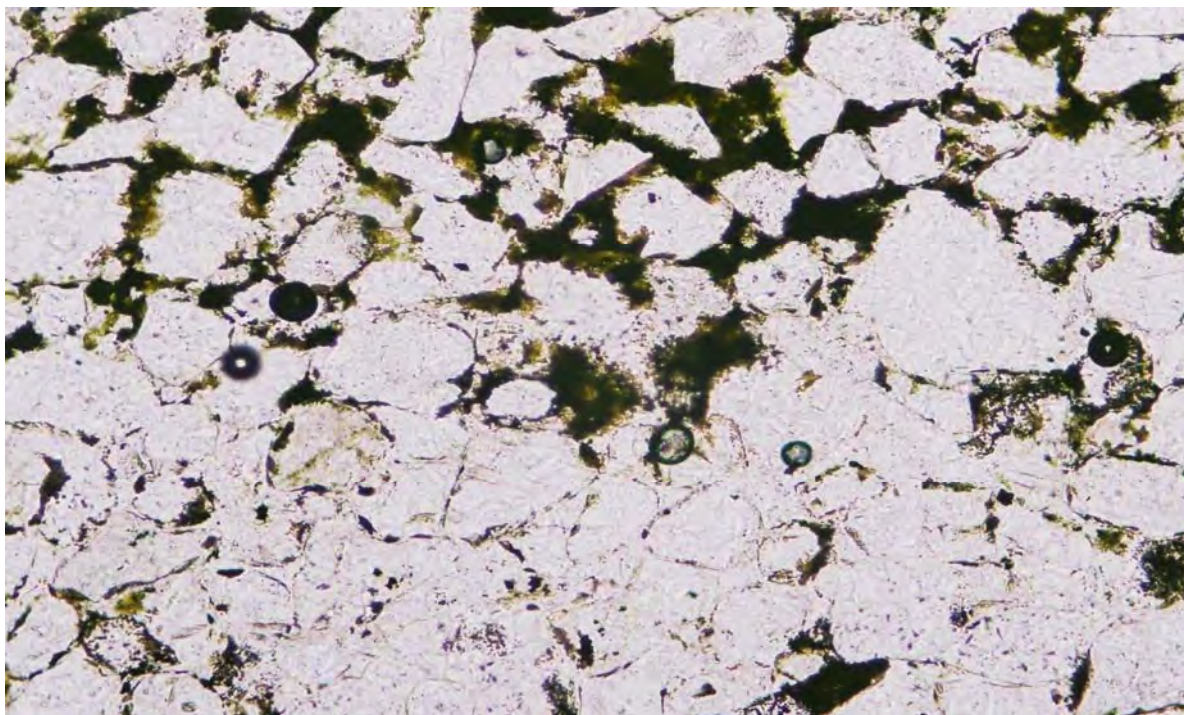
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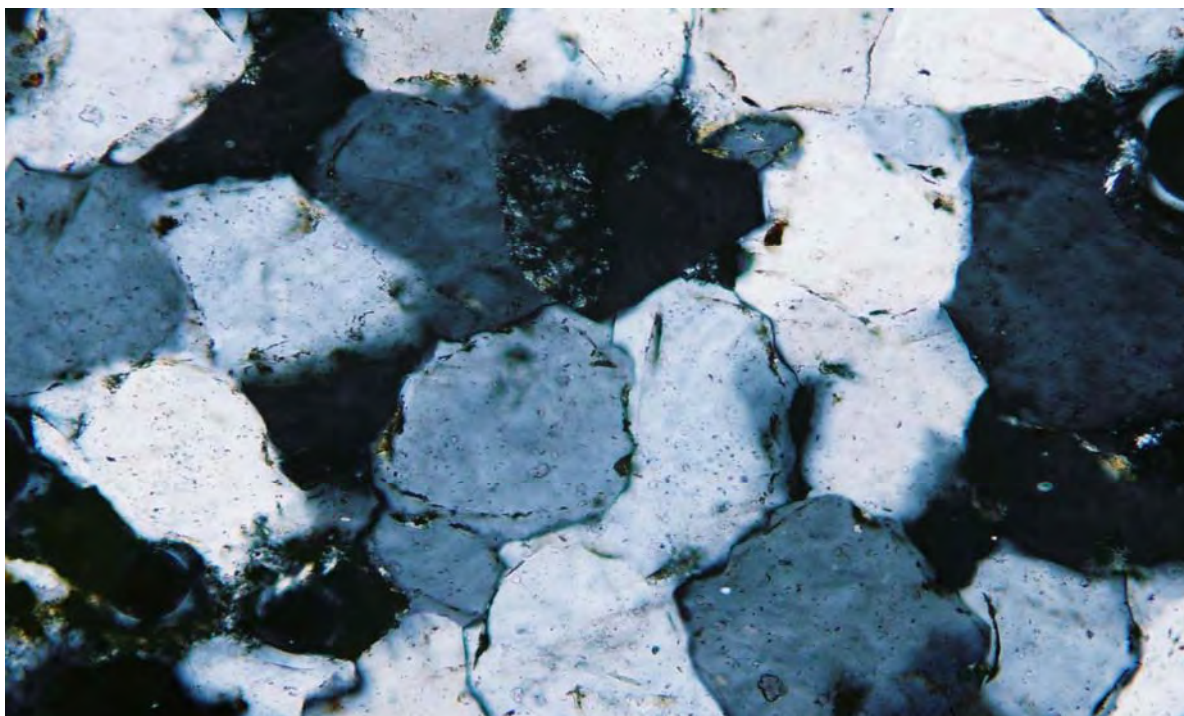


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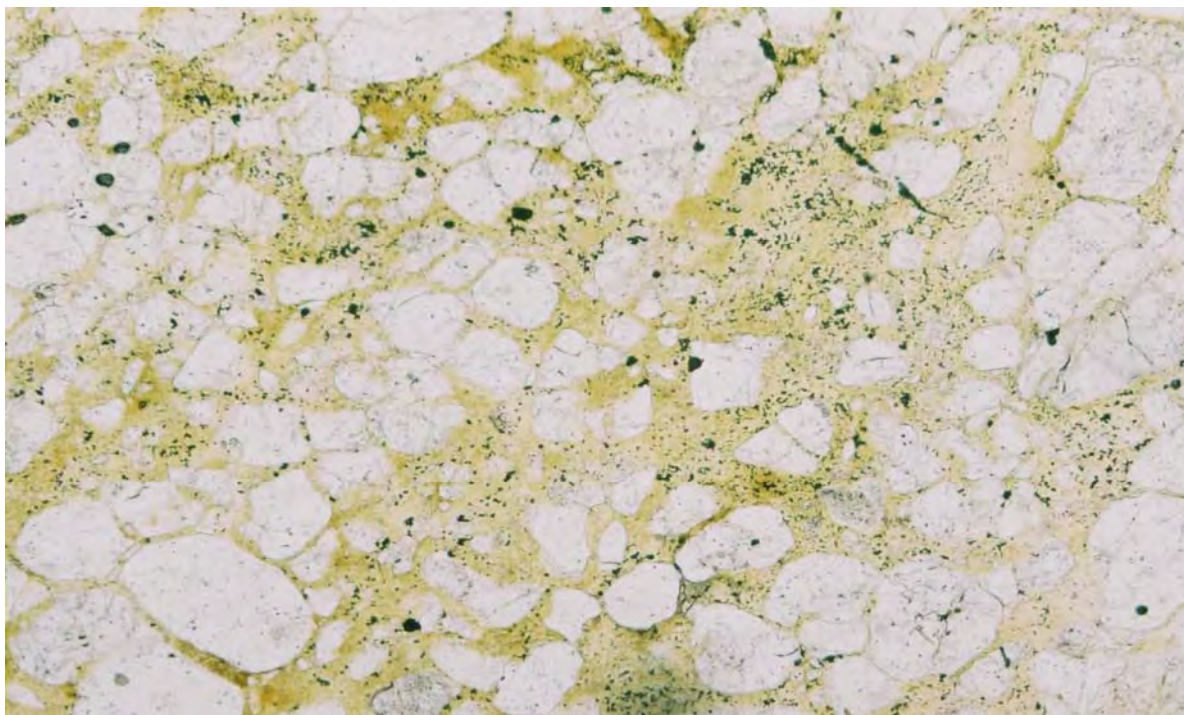
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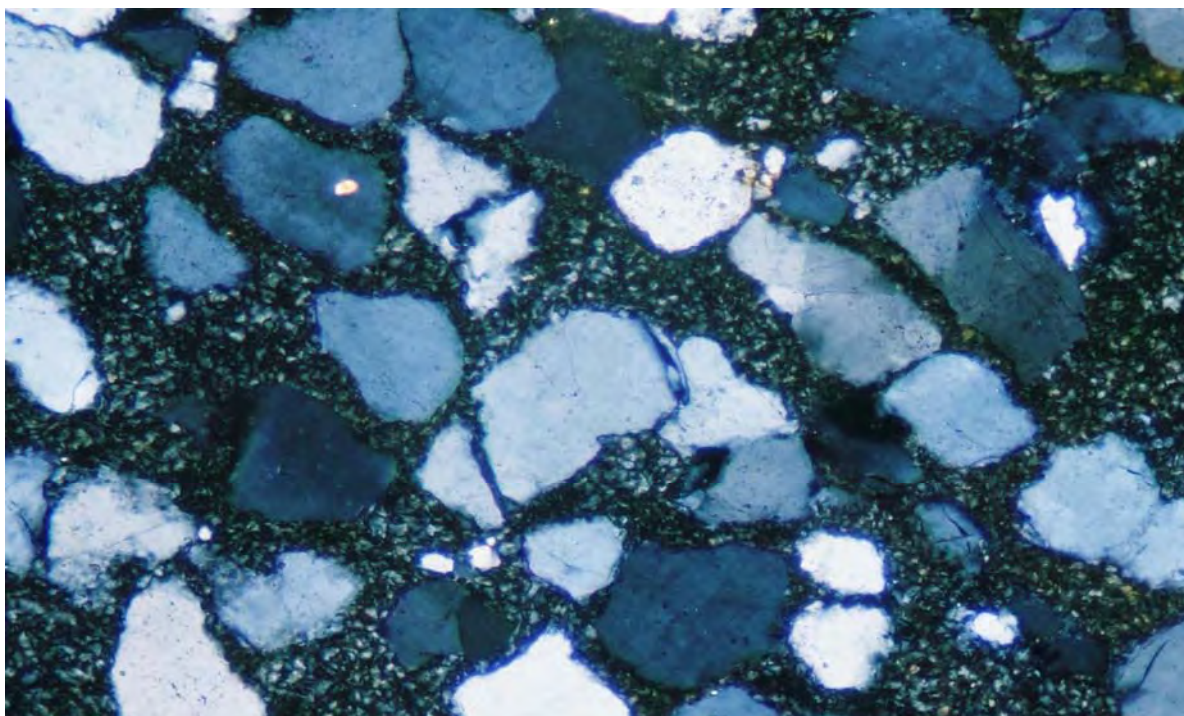


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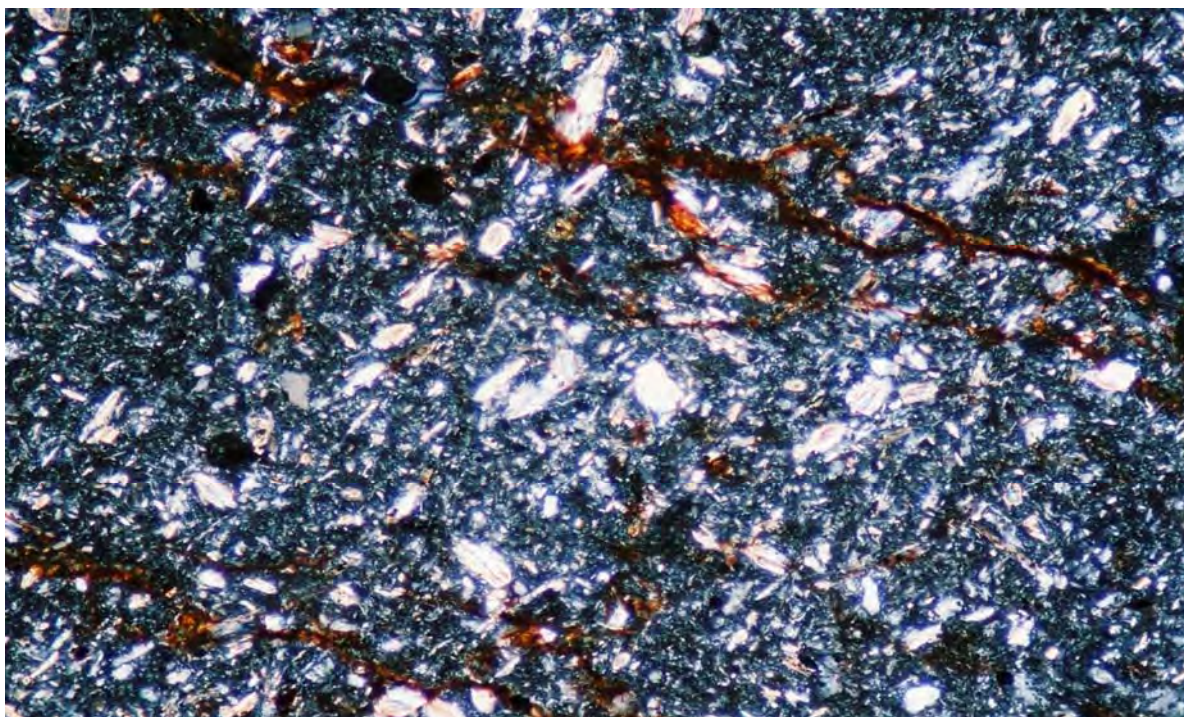
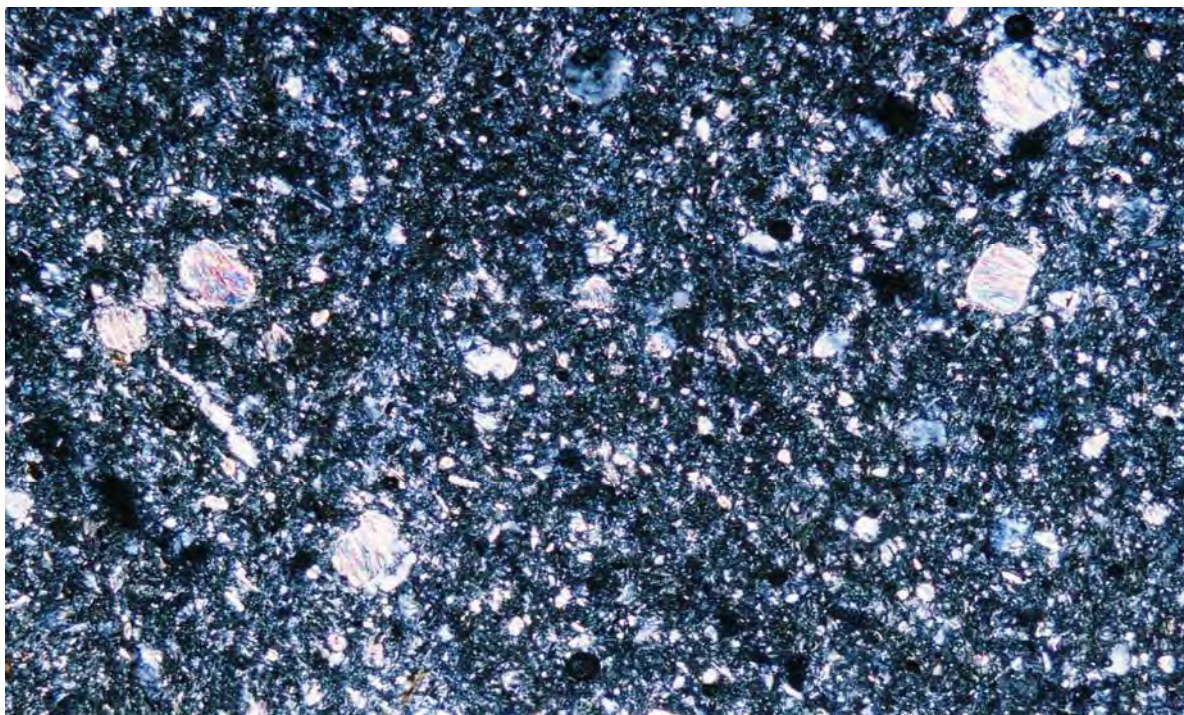
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19 JUNE 2008





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Sample Depth	6.0-6.18	10.65-10.95	10.0-10.25	5.0-5.3	10.85-11.25
Sample Number	3252	3253	3258	3260	3261
Sklerograf Hardness	31	15	42	14	9
Shore Hardness	25	9	40	8	4
Brinell Hardness	174	61	253	58	28
Rockwell C Hardness	16	5	26	5	2
Rockwell B Hardness	87	49	107	48	33
Rockwell A Hardness	54	38	63	37	29
Density (kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) (Saturated)	2440	2394	2507	2322	2261
Density (kg/m <sup>3</sup> ) (Dry)	2351	1896	2435	2022	1935
P-Wave Velocity (m/sec)	3012	1328	5071	2292	1305
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Dynamic E (GPa)	13.03	1.58	62.09	-5.56(?)	3.29
Dynamic Poisson's Ratio	0.35	-0.66(?)	0.06	-1.33(?)	0.00(?)
Transmitted Amplitude Ratio	0.18	0.42	0.94	0.34	0.32
Static Secant E (GPa)	13.04	2.42	21.68	5.76	1.87
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Unconfined Shear Strength (MPa)	36.43	9.89	55.63	27.23	6.44
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Mode of Failure	Shear on cemented joint @ 47° to axis, + Axial cleavage.	Shear @ 22° to axis, + Axial cleavage.	Axial cleavage.	Rough shear @ 20° to axis, + Shear on limonite coated joint @ 8° to axis.	Conjugate shears @ 20° @ 17° to axis.
Normal Stress $\sigma$ on joint or weakness plane (Mpa)	19.48			0.53	
Shear Stress $\tau$ on joint or weakness plane (Mpa)	18.17			3.75	
Deduced cohesion (MPa)		2.00		4.96	1.08
Angle of Shearing Resistance (inferred)		46°		50°	53°
E/Compressive Strength Ratio	447.3	225.9	672.3	195.2	272.9
Specific Energy (kJ/m <sup>2</sup> )	73.7	34.3	85.7	155.1	39.7
Maximum Distortional Strain Energy (kJ/m <sup>3</sup> )	32.3	17.2	24.5	64.3	8.9
Rock Toughness Index	2.02	3.46	1.54	5.69	6.16
Fracture Energy (Nm)	31.85	15.17	37.84	69.51	17.87
Specific Fracture Energy (Nm/MPa)	0.87	1.53	0.68	2.55	2.77
Fracture Energy (Nm) STANDARDIZED	7.23	3.36	8.42	15.22	3.90
Specific Fracture Energy (Nm/MPa) STANDARDIZED	0.20	0.34	0.15	0.56	0.60
Failure Load (kN)	106.2	28.8	164.4	81.0	19.0
Specimen Diameter (mm)	60.90	60.70	60.90	60.90	60.90
Specimen Length (mm)	148.40	153.00	151.50	153.90	154.60
Length:Diameter ratio	2.44	2.52	2.49	2.53	2.54
Porosity (%)	3.64	20.82	2.87	12.92	14.41

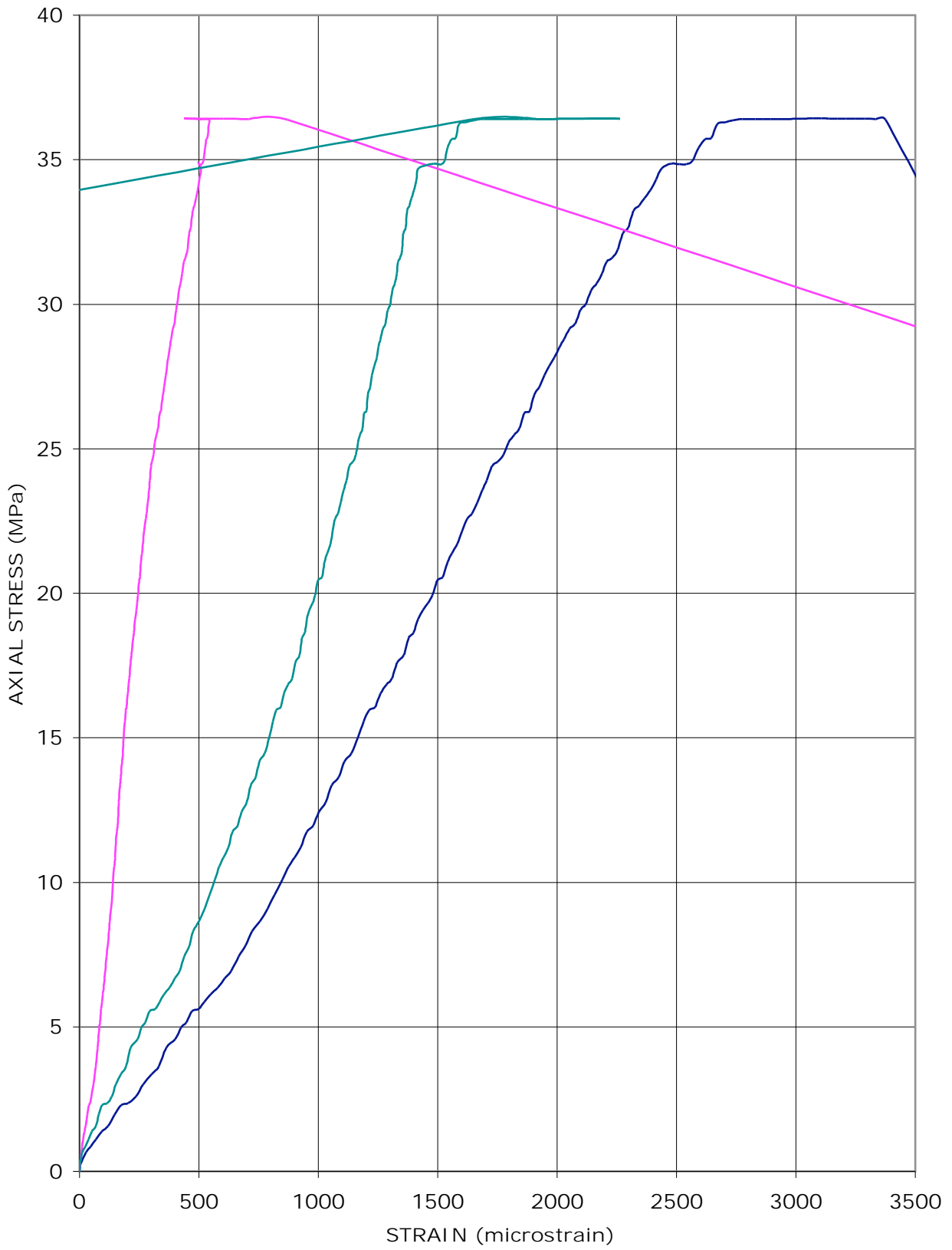
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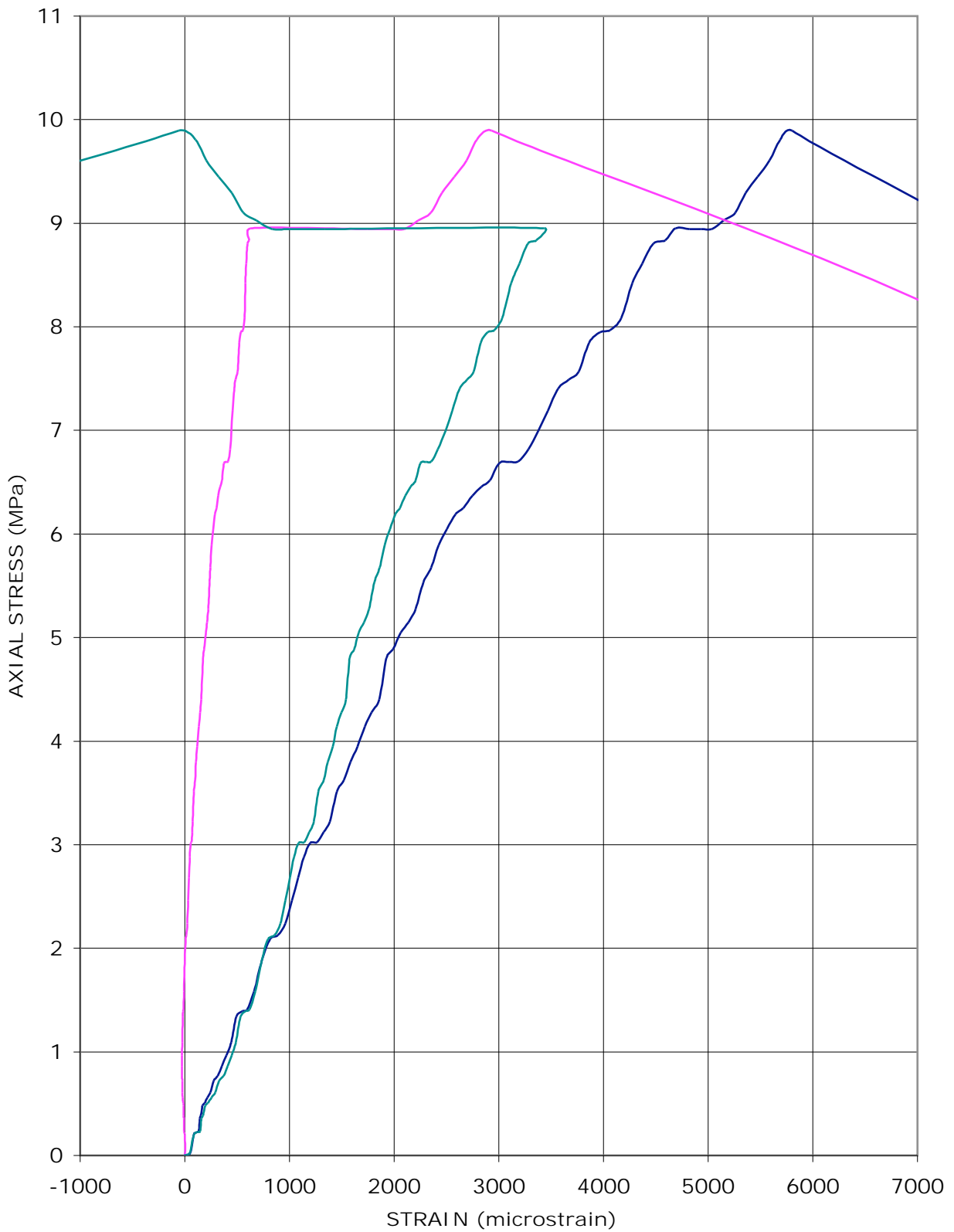
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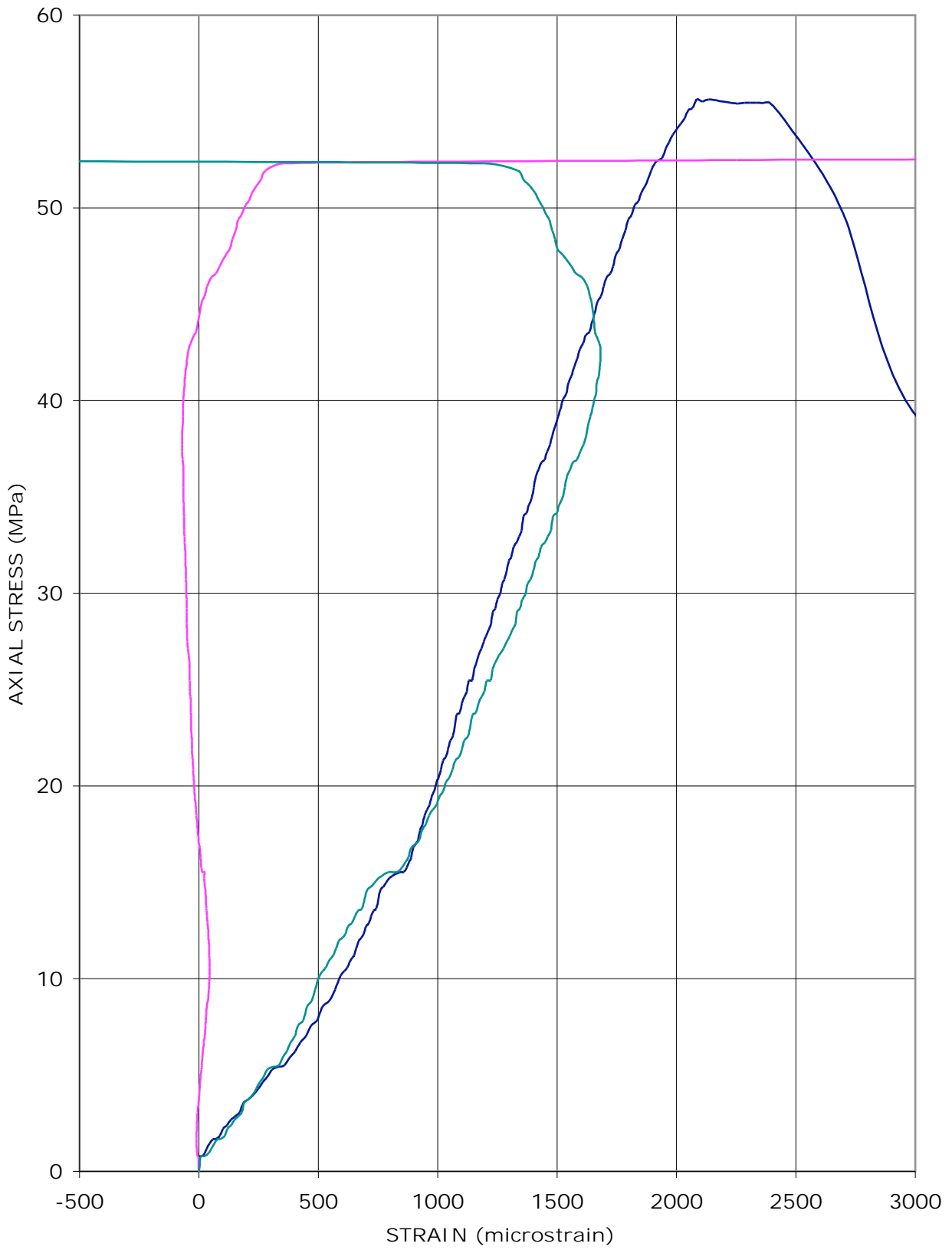


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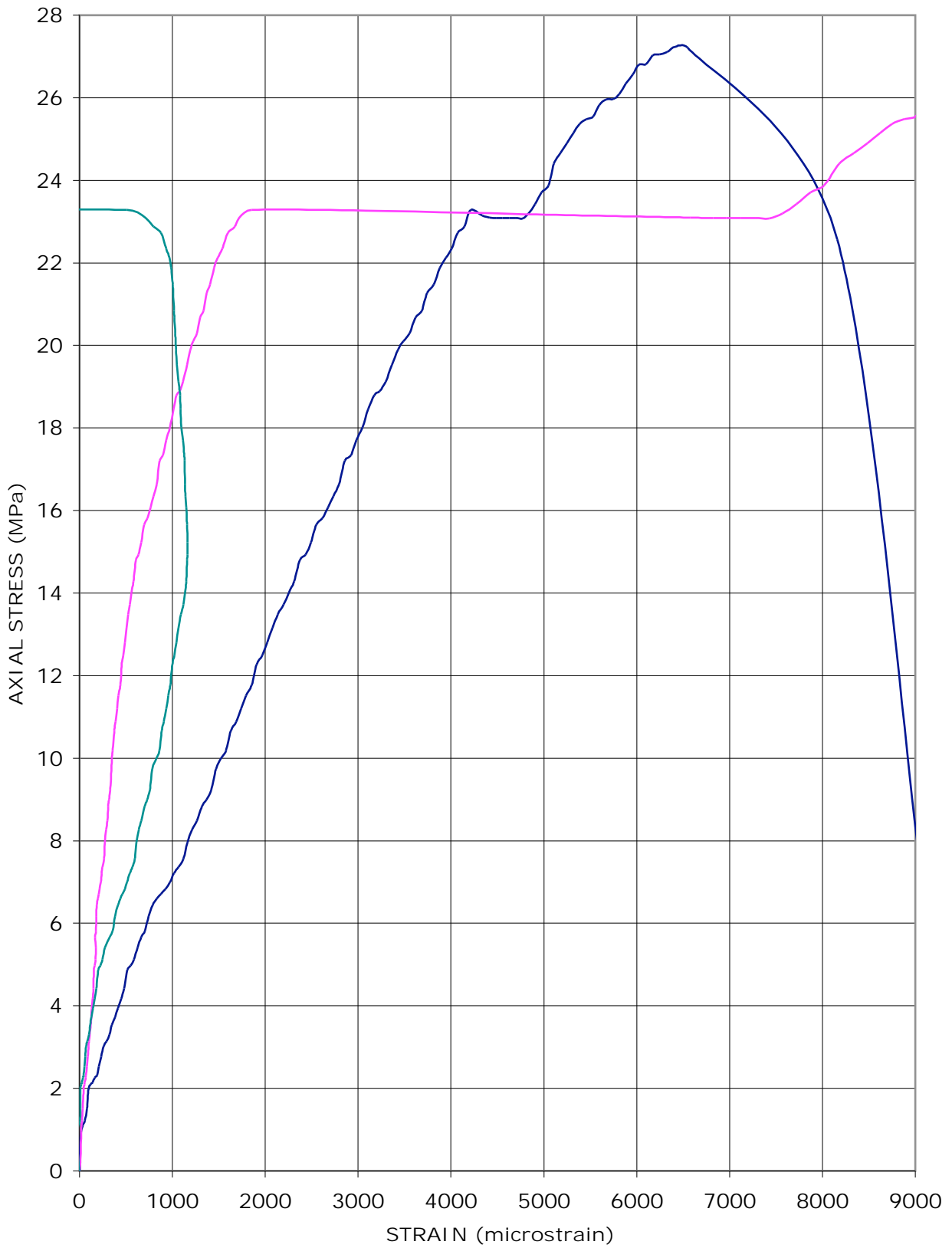
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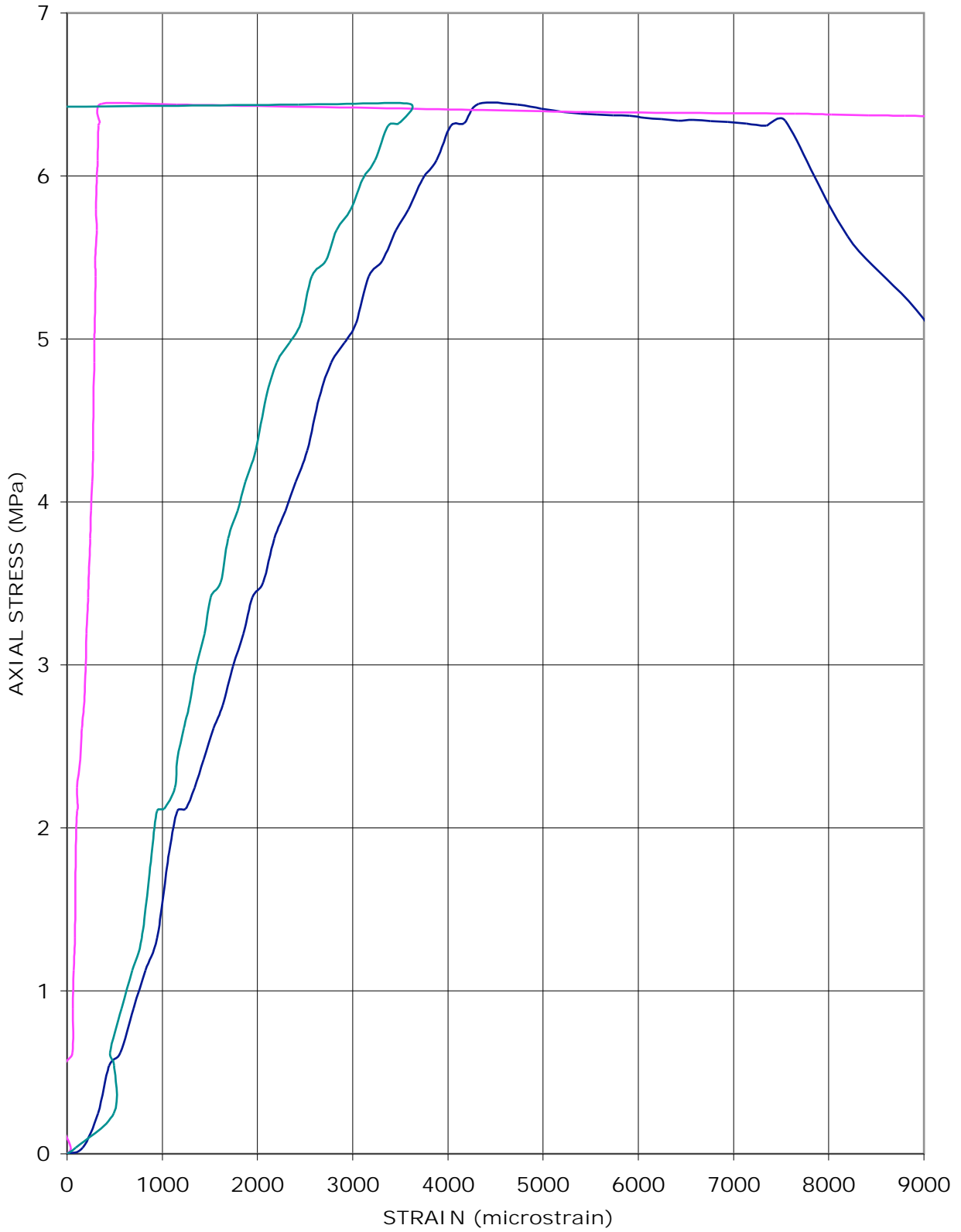
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## **Appendix C**

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Falling head permeability test  
results





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 PROJECT Radwaste 2  
 LOCATION Mount Everard  
 SUBJECT FALLING HEAD PERMEABILITY TEST

DATE 21-Jul-02  
 PROJECT 2102701A  
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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **MEBH01-1m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500  
 Length of open hole or = 0.0000  
 Depth of soil in casing (m) = 1.0000  
 Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020  
 Groundwater level (m) = 698.2740  
 Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 731.4740

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 1.5  
 bottom of casing 1.5  
 height of casing above surface 0.5  
 initial ground water level 33.2 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.001936

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
(mins)	(seconds)				
1	60	0.320	731.154	32.880	1.0000
2	120	0.345	731.129	32.855	0.999239659
3	180	0.360	731.114	32.840	0.998783455
4	240	0.375	731.099	32.825	0.998327251
5	300	0.390	731.084	32.810	0.997871046
6	360	0.405	731.069	32.795	0.997414842
7	420	0.415	731.059	32.785	0.997110706
8	480	0.430	731.044	32.770	0.996654501
9	540	0.445	731.029	32.755	0.996198297
10	600	0.460	731.014	32.740	0.995742092
15	900	0.525	730.949	32.675	0.993765207
20	1200	0.575	730.899	32.625	0.992244526
25	1500	0.620	730.854	32.580	0.990875912
30	1800	0.665	730.809	32.535	0.989507299
35	2100	0.705	730.769	32.495	0.988290754
40	2400	0.735	730.739	32.465	0.987378345
45	2700	0.775	730.699	32.425	0.9861618

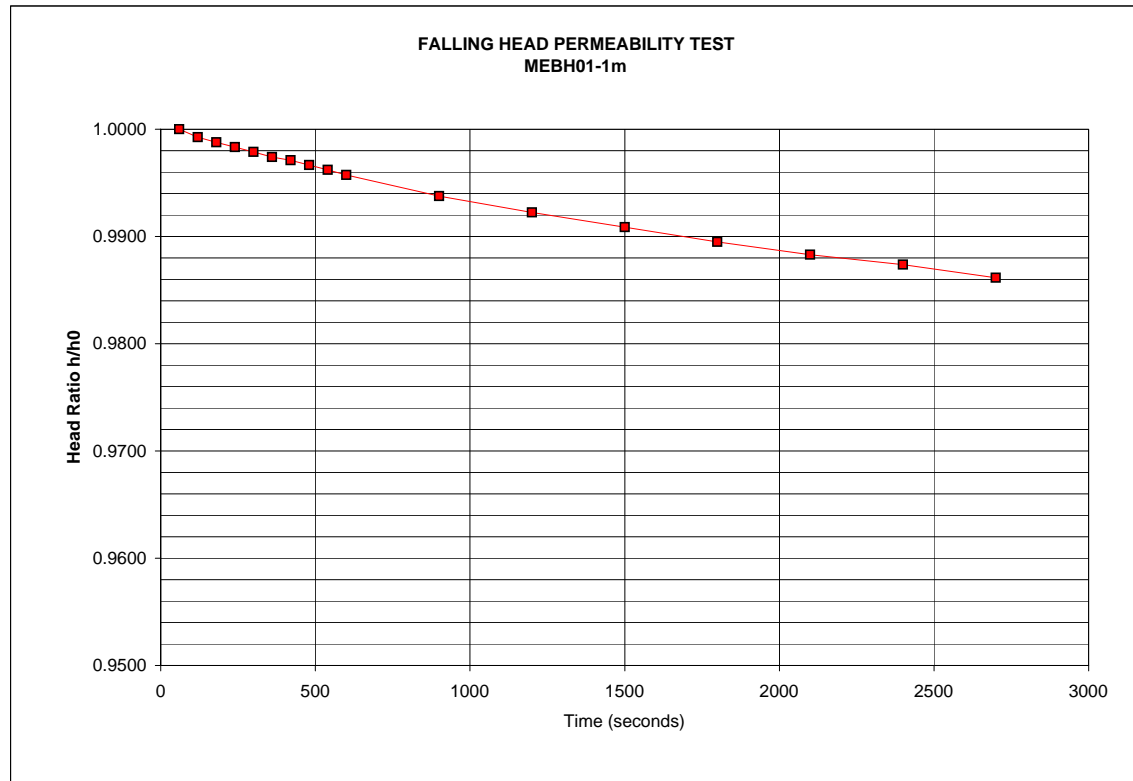
Intake Factor, F,

Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
<b>X</b> Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0019

Intake Factor F = 0.1375

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
b	0- 600	1.1E-07 m/sec
b	0- 2700	7.5E-08 m/sec



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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **MSBH03-5m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500

Length of open hole or = 0.0000

Depth of soil in casing (m) = 3.9200

Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020

Groundwater level (m) = 86.0000

Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 100.0000

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 4.35  
 bottom of casing 4.35  
 height of casing above surface 0.43  
 initial ground water level 14 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.000499

Time (mins)	Time (seconds)	Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
0.00	0	0.000	100.000	14.000	1.0000
0.17	10	0.050	99.950	13.950	0.996428571
0.33	20	0.110	99.890	13.890	0.992142857
0.50	30	0.200	99.800	13.800	0.985714286
0.67	40	0.230	99.770	13.770	0.983571429
0.83	50	0.270	99.730	13.730	0.980714286
1.00	60	0.320	99.680	13.680	0.977142857
1.25	75	0.390	99.610	13.610	0.972142857
1.50	90	0.450	99.550	13.550	0.967857143
1.75	105	0.530	99.470	13.470	0.962142857
2.00	120	0.590	99.410	13.410	0.957857143
3.00	180	0.800	99.200	13.200	0.942857143
4.00	240	1.020	98.980	12.980	0.927142857
5.00	300	1.180	98.820	12.820	0.915714286
10.00	600	1.790	98.210	12.210	0.872142857
15.00	900	2.760	97.240	11.240	0.802857143
20.00	1200	3.250	96.750	10.750	0.767857143
25.00	1500	3.450	96.550	10.550	0.753571429
30.00	1800	3.560	96.440	10.440	0.745714286
40.00	2400	3.650	96.350	10.350	0.739285714
50.00	3000	3.690	96.310	10.310	0.736428571
60.00	3600	3.710	96.290	10.290	0.735

**Intake Factor, F,**

X	Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
	Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
	Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
	Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0005

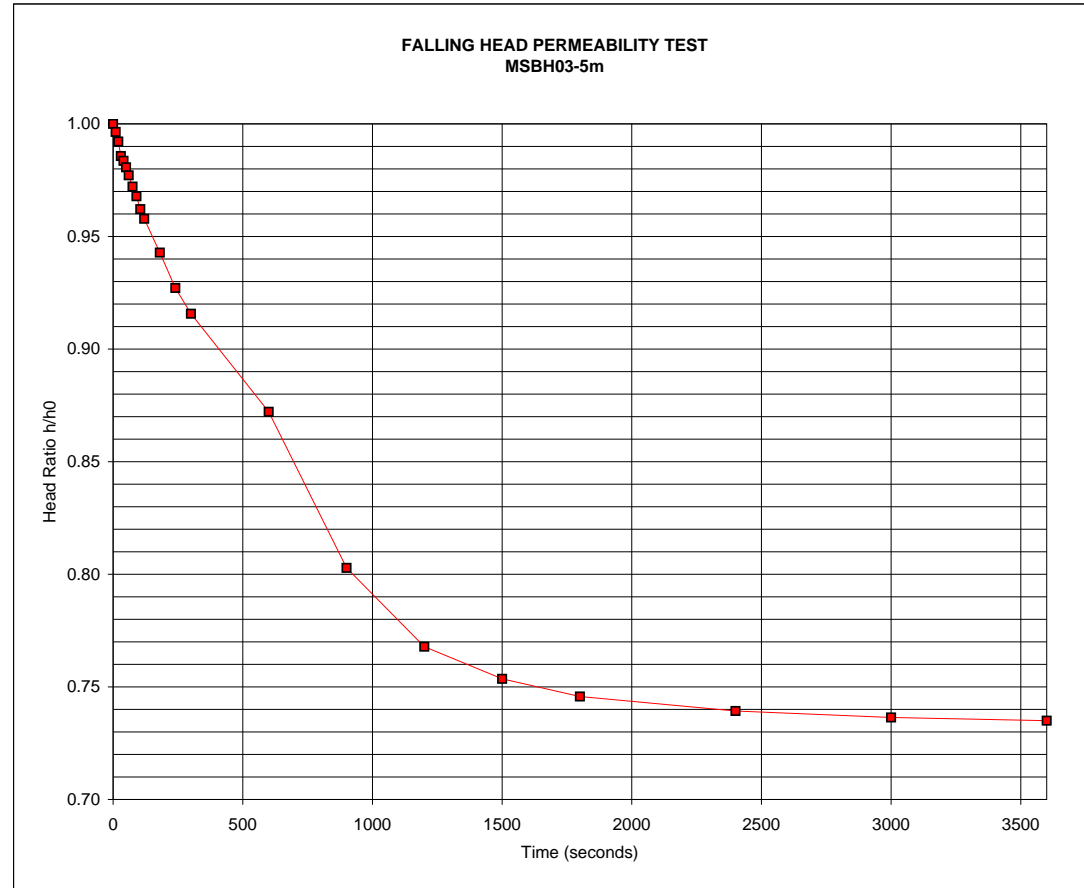
F = 0.1375

**Permeability Calculations**

Case Time Intervals

b 0- 1200 k = 3.1E-06 m/sec

b 0- 3600 k = 1.2E-06 m/sec





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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **MSBH03-1m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m)	=	<b>0.0500</b>
Length of open hole or	=	0.0000
Depth of soil in casing (m)	=	0.9800
Cross-sectional area (m <sup>2</sup> )	=	0.0020
Groundwater level (m)	=	300.0000
Elevation of casing/hole (RL m)	=	<b>314.0000</b>

**Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:**

bottom of borehole	<b>1.44</b>
bottom of casing	<b>1.44</b>
height of casing above surface	<b>0.46</b>
initial ground water level	<b>14</b> deeper than borehole

**Figure 7 BS 5930:1981**

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F =	0.100000
Case (b) F =	0.137500
Case (c) F =	#DIV/0!
Case (d) F =	#DIV/0!
Case (e) F =	0.100000
Case (f) F =	0.001975

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H <sub>0</sub>
(mins)	(seconds)				
0.00	0	0.000	314.000	14.000	1.0000
0.17	10	0.090	313.910	13.910	0.993571429
0.33	20	0.110	313.890	13.890	0.992142857
0.50	30	0.130	313.870	13.870	0.990714286
0.67	40	0.240	313.760	13.760	0.982857143
0.83	50	0.260	313.740	13.740	0.981428571
1.00	60	0.270	313.730	13.730	0.980714286
1.25	75	0.280	313.720	13.720	0.98
1.50	90	0.320	313.680	13.680	0.977142857
1.75	105	0.360	313.640	13.640	0.974285714
2.00	120	0.400	313.600	13.600	0.971428571
3.00	180	0.530	313.470	13.470	0.962142857
4.00	240	0.640	313.360	13.360	0.954285714
5.00	300	0.750	313.250	13.250	0.946428571
10.00	600	1.050	312.950	12.950	0.925
15.00	900	1.290	312.710	12.710	0.907857143
20.00	1200	1.430	312.570	12.570	0.897857143

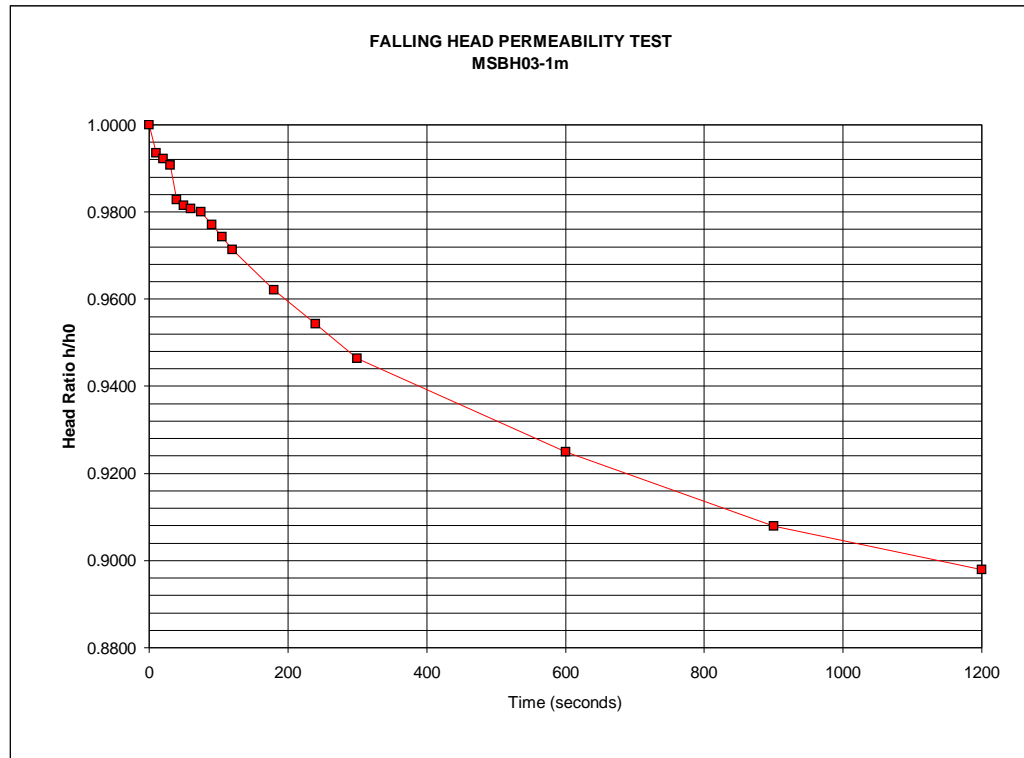
**Intake Factor, F,**

X	Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
	Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
	Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
	Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0020

**Intake Factor F = 0.1375**

**Permeability Calculations**

Case	Time Intervals	k =
b	<b>0- 600</b>	<b>1.9E-06 m/sec</b>
b	<b>0- 1200</b>	<b>1.3E-06 m/sec</b>



Variable Head Test Borehole Number **FRBH01-5m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m)	=	<b>0.0500</b>
Length of open hole or	=	0.0000
Depth of soil in casing (m)	=	5.0000
Cross-sectional area (m <sup>2</sup> )	=	0.0020
Groundwater level (m)	=	-12.5000
Elevation of casing/hole (RL m)	=	<b>0.0000</b>

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole	<b>5</b>
bottom of casing	<b>5</b>
height of casing above surface	<b>0</b>
initial ground water level	<b>12.5</b> deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F =	0.100000
Case (b) F =	0.137500
Case (c) F =	#DIV/0!
Case (d) F =	#DIV/0!
Case (e) F =	0.100000
Case (f) F =	0.000392

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
(mins)	(seconds)				
1	60	0.017	-0.017	12.483	1.0000
2	120	0.017	-0.017	12.483	1
3	180	0.017	-0.017	12.483	1
4	240	0.017	-0.017	12.483	1
5	300	0.017	-0.017	12.483	1
6	360	0.017	-0.017	12.483	1
7	420	0.017	-0.017	12.483	1
8	480	0.018	-0.018	12.482	0.999919891
9	540	0.018	-0.018	12.482	0.999919891
10	600	0.018	-0.018	12.482	0.999919891
15	900	0.018	-0.018	12.482	0.999919891
20	1200	0.018	-0.018	12.482	0.999919891
30	1800	0.020	-0.020	12.480	0.999759673
40	2400	0.023	-0.023	12.477	0.999519346
50	3000	0.025	-0.025	12.475	0.999359128
60	3600	0.027	-0.027	12.473	0.999198911
120	7200	0.039	-0.039	12.461	0.998237603

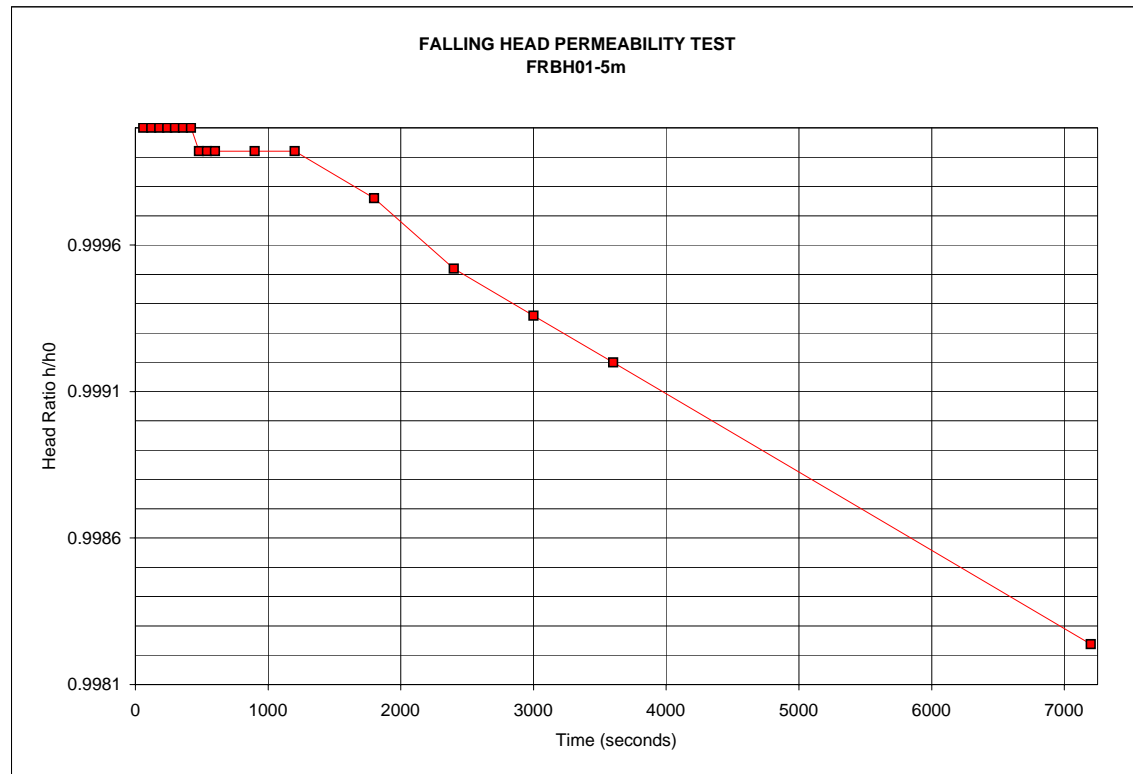
Intake Factor, F,

Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
<b>X</b> Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0004

F = **0.1375**

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
<b>b</b>	<b>0- 1200</b>	<b>1.0E-09 m/sec</b>
<b>b</b>	<b>0- 7200</b>	<b>3.5E-09 m/sec</b>



Variable Head Test Borehole Number **FRBH01-1m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m)	=	<b>0.0500</b>
Length of open hole or	=	0.0000
Depth of soil in casing (m)	=	1.0000
Cross-sectional area (m <sup>2</sup> )	=	0.0020
Groundwater level (m)	=	-16.5000
Elevation of casing/hole (RL m)	=	<b>0.0000</b>

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole	<b>1</b>
bottom of casing	<b>1</b>
height of casing above surface	<b>0</b>
initial ground water level	<b>16.5</b> deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F =	0.100000
Case (b) F =	0.137500
Case (c) F =	#DIV/0!
Case (d) F =	#DIV/0!
Case (e) F =	0.100000
Case (f) F =	0.001936

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
(mins)	(seconds)				
1	60	0.560	-0.560	15.940	1.0000
2	120	0.680	-0.680	15.820	0.992471769
3	180	0.700	-0.700	15.800	0.991217064
4	240	0.730	-0.730	15.770	0.989335006
5	300	0.770	-0.770	15.730	0.986825596
6	360	0.790	-0.790	15.710	0.985570891
7	420	0.810	-0.810	15.690	0.984316186
8	480	0.810	-0.810	15.690	0.984316186
9	540	0.825	-0.825	15.675	0.983375157
10	600	0.840	-0.840	15.660	0.982434128
20	1200	1.000	-1.000	15.500	0.972396487

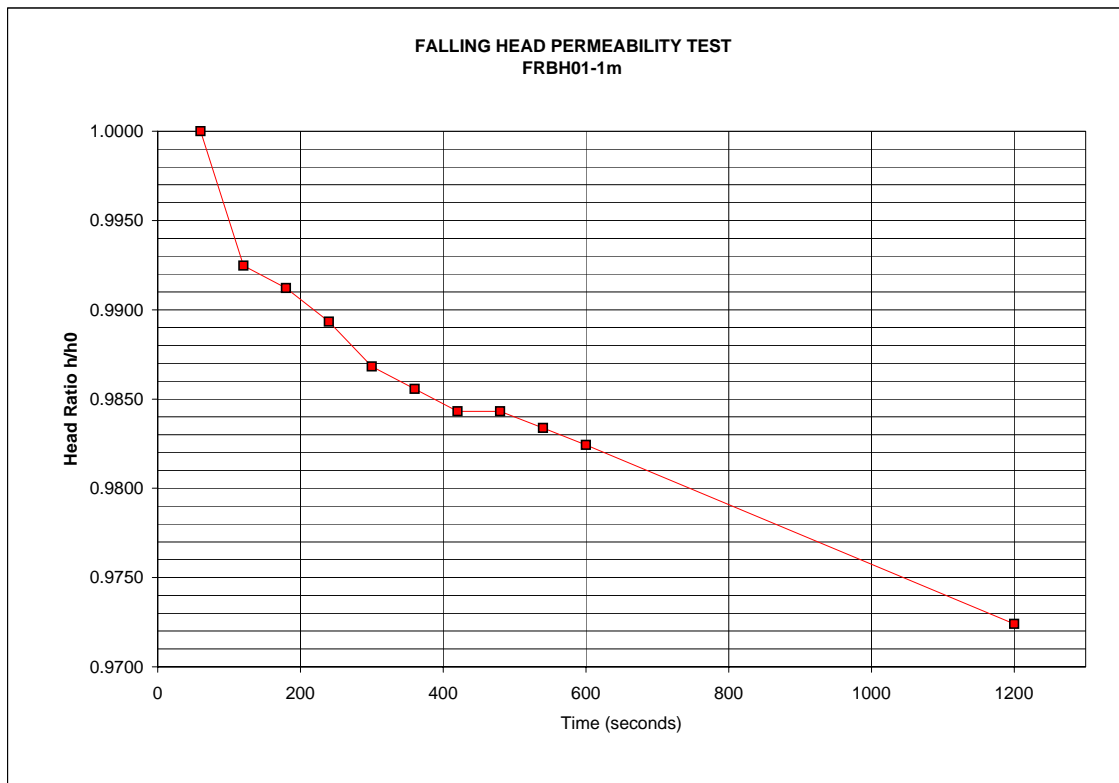
Intake Factor, F,

Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
<b>X</b> Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0019

Intake Factor **F = 0.1375**

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
<b>b</b>	<b>0- 480</b>	<b>5.4E-07 m/sec</b>
<b>b</b>	<b>0- 1200</b>	<b>3.5E-07 m/sec</b>





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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **HRBH01-10m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500  
 Length of open hole or = 0.0000  
 Depth of soil in casing (m) = 10.0000  
 Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020  
 Groundwater level (m) = 631.6500  
 Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 656.5500

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 11.4  
 bottom of casing 11.4  
 height of casing above surface 1.4  
 initial ground water level 24.9 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.000196

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
(mins)	(seconds)				
1	60	0.010	656.540	24.890	1.0000
2	120	0.030	656.520	24.870	0.999196464
3	180	0.040	656.510	24.860	0.998794697
4	240	0.060	656.490	24.840	0.997991161
5	300	0.100	656.450	24.800	0.99638409
6	360	0.150	656.400	24.750	0.994375251
7	420	0.150	656.400	24.750	0.994375251
8	480	0.160	656.390	24.740	0.993973483
9	540	0.170	656.380	24.730	0.993571716
10	600	0.180	656.370	24.720	0.993169948
20	1200	0.300	656.250	24.600	0.988348734
30	1800	0.430	656.120	24.470	0.983125753
40	2400	0.540	656.010	24.360	0.978706308
50	3000	0.630	655.920	24.270	0.975090398
60	3600	0.700	655.850	24.200	0.972278023
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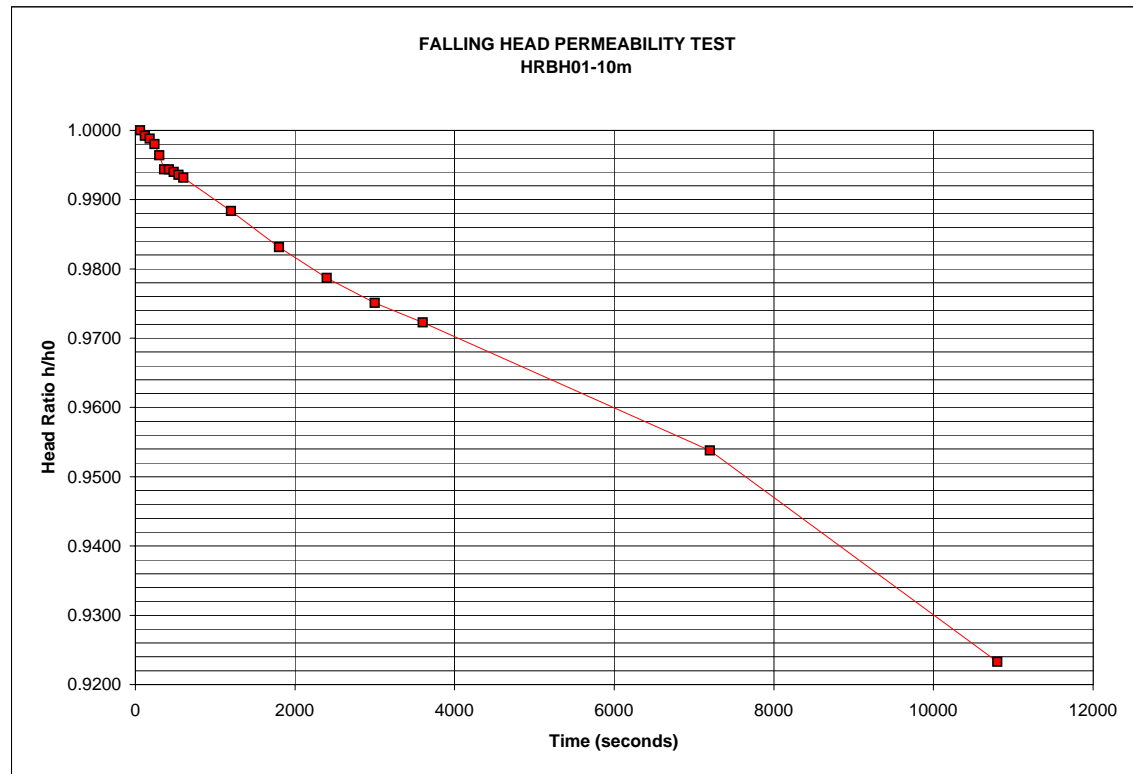
Intake Factor, F,

X	Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
	Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
	Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
	Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0002

F = 0.1375

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
b	0- 600	1.8E-07 m/sec
b	0- 10800	1.1E-07 m/sec



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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **HRBH01-5m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500  
 Length of open hole or = 0.0000  
 Depth of soil in casing (m) = 5.0000  
 Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020  
 Groundwater level (m) = 631.7000  
 Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 656.5500

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 6.35  
 bottom of casing 6.35  
 height of casing above surface 1.35  
 initial ground water level 24.85 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.000392

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H <sub>0</sub>
(mins)	(seconds)				
1	60	0.200	656.350	24.650	1.0000
2	120	0.340	656.210	24.510	0.994320487
3	180	0.600	655.950	24.250	0.983772819
4	240	1.370	655.180	23.480	0.952535497
5	300	1.470	655.080	23.380	0.948478702
6	360	1.480	655.070	23.370	0.948073022
7	420	1.590	654.960	23.260	0.943610548
8	480	1.670	654.880	23.180	0.940365112
9	540	1.670	654.880	23.180	0.940365112
10	600	1.700	654.850	23.150	0.939148073
20	1200	2.670	653.880	22.180	0.89979716
30	1800	3.040	653.510	21.810	0.884787018
40	2400	3.580	652.970	21.270	0.862880325
50	3000	3.880	652.670	20.970	0.850709939
60	3600	4.030	652.520	20.820	0.844624746
120	7200	4.980	651.570	19.870	0.806085193
180	10800	5.520	651.030	19.330	0.784178499

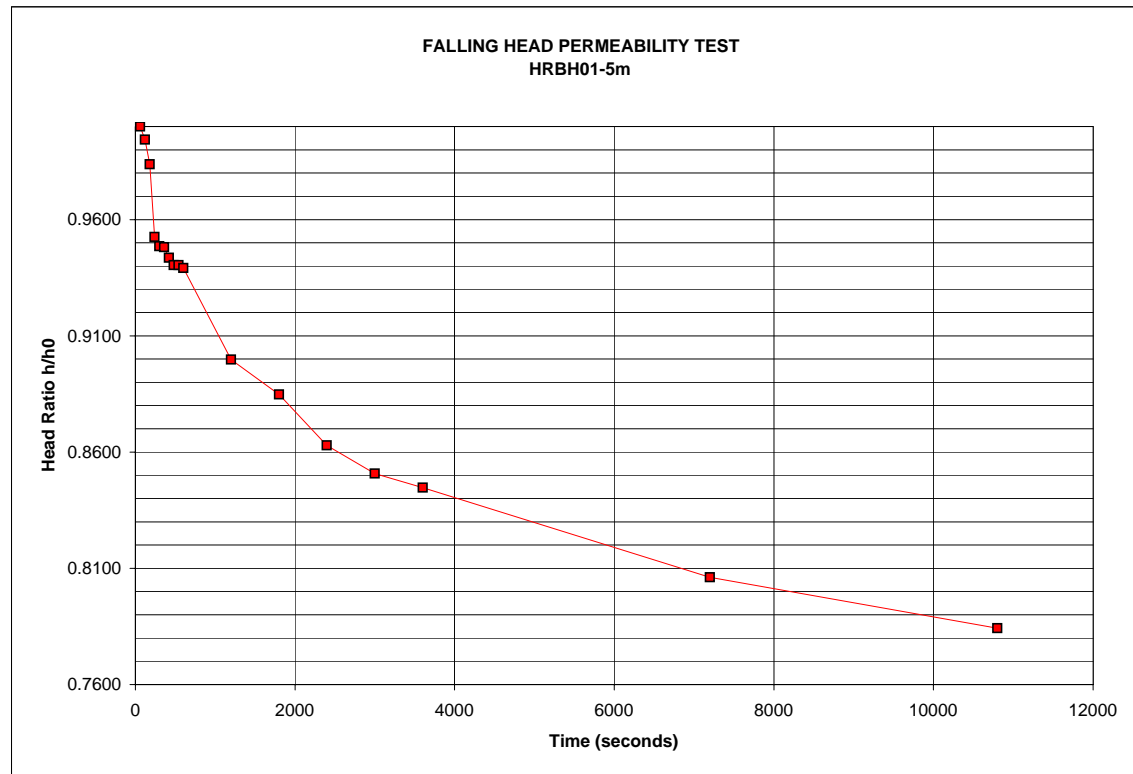
Intake Factor, F,

X	Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
	Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
	Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
	Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0004

F = 0.1375

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
b	0- 600	1.7E-06 m/sec
b	0- 10800	3.2E-07 m/sec



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 PROJECT Radwaste 2  
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 SUBJECT FALLING HEAD PERMEABILITY TEST

DATE 21-Jul-02  
 PROJECT 2102701A  
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Variable Head Test Borehole Number HRBH01-1m

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500  
 Length of open hole or = 0.0000  
 Depth of soil in casing (m) = 1.0000  
 Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020  
 Groundwater level (m) = 631.1000  
 Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 656.5500

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 1.95  
 bottom of casing 1.95  
 height of casing above surface 0.95  
 initial ground water level 25.45 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.001936

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
(mins)	(seconds)				
1	60	0.200	656.350	25.250	1.0000
2	120	0.480	656.070	24.970	0.988910891
3	180	0.970	655.580	24.480	0.96950495
4	240	1.360	655.190	24.090	0.954059406
5	300	1.400	655.150	24.050	0.952475248
6	360	1.470	655.080	23.980	0.94970297
7	420	1.470	655.080	23.980	0.94970297
8	480	1.490	655.060	23.960	0.948910891
9	540	1.500	655.050	23.950	0.948514851
10	600	1.530	655.020	23.920	0.947326733
20	1200	1.530	655.020	23.920	0.947326733

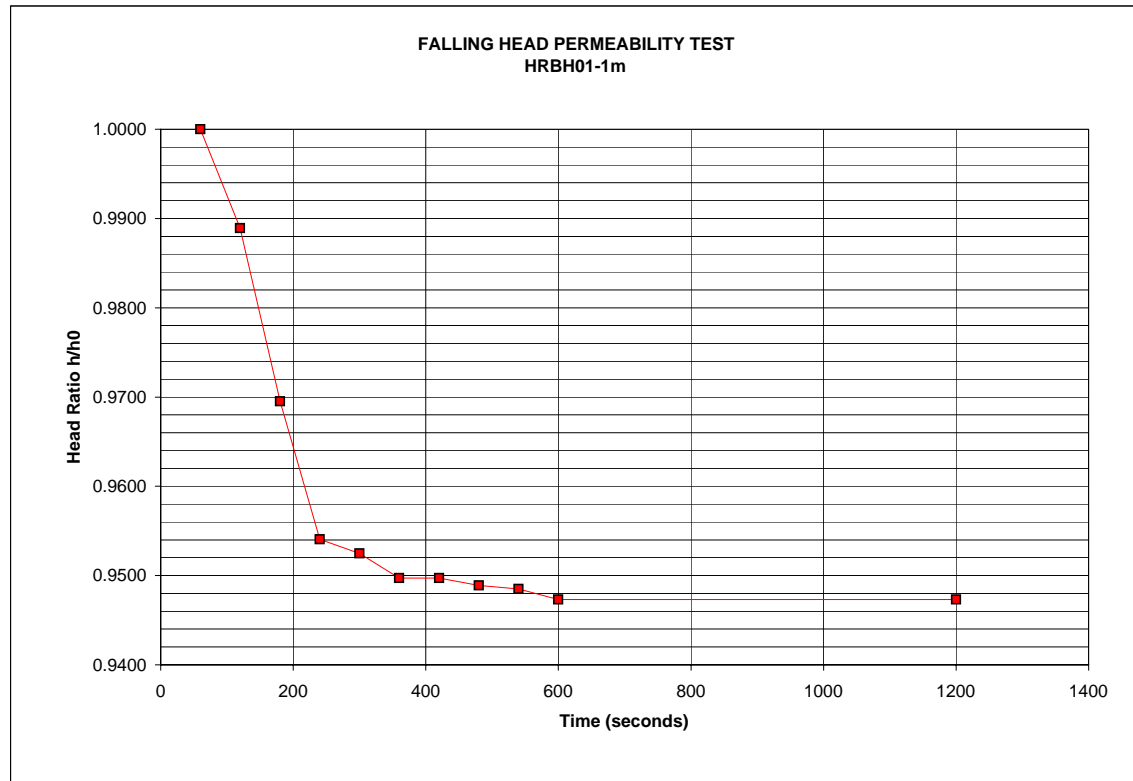
Intake Factor, F,

Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
X Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0019

Intake Factor F = 0.1375

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
b	0- 240	3.7E-06 m/sec
b	0- 1200	6.8E-07 m/sec





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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **MEBH01-10m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500  
 Length of open hole or = 0.0000  
 Depth of soil in casing (m) = 10.0000  
 Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020  
 Groundwater level (m) = 695.9210  
 Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 730.9110

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 10.69  
 bottom of casing 10.69  
 height of casing above surface 0.69  
 initial ground water level 34.99 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.000196

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H <sub>0</sub>
(mins)	(seconds)				
0.5	30	0.003	730.908	34.987	1.0000
1	60	0.007	730.904	34.983	0.999885672
2	120	0.017	730.894	34.973	0.999599851
3	180	0.032	730.879	34.958	0.999171121
4	240	0.047	730.864	34.943	0.99874239
5	300	0.062	730.849	34.928	0.998313659
10	600	0.165	730.746	34.825	0.995369709
15	900	0.270	730.641	34.720	0.992368594
20	1200	0.350	730.561	34.640	0.99008203
25	1500	0.440	730.471	34.550	0.987509646
30	1800	0.505	730.406	34.485	0.985651814
40	2400	0.605	730.306	34.385	0.982793609
50	3000	0.710	730.201	34.280	0.979792494
60	3600	0.880	730.031	34.110	0.974933547
120	7200	1.190	729.721	33.800	0.966073113
180	10800	1.610	729.301	33.380	0.954068654
240	14400	1.790	729.121	33.200	0.948923886

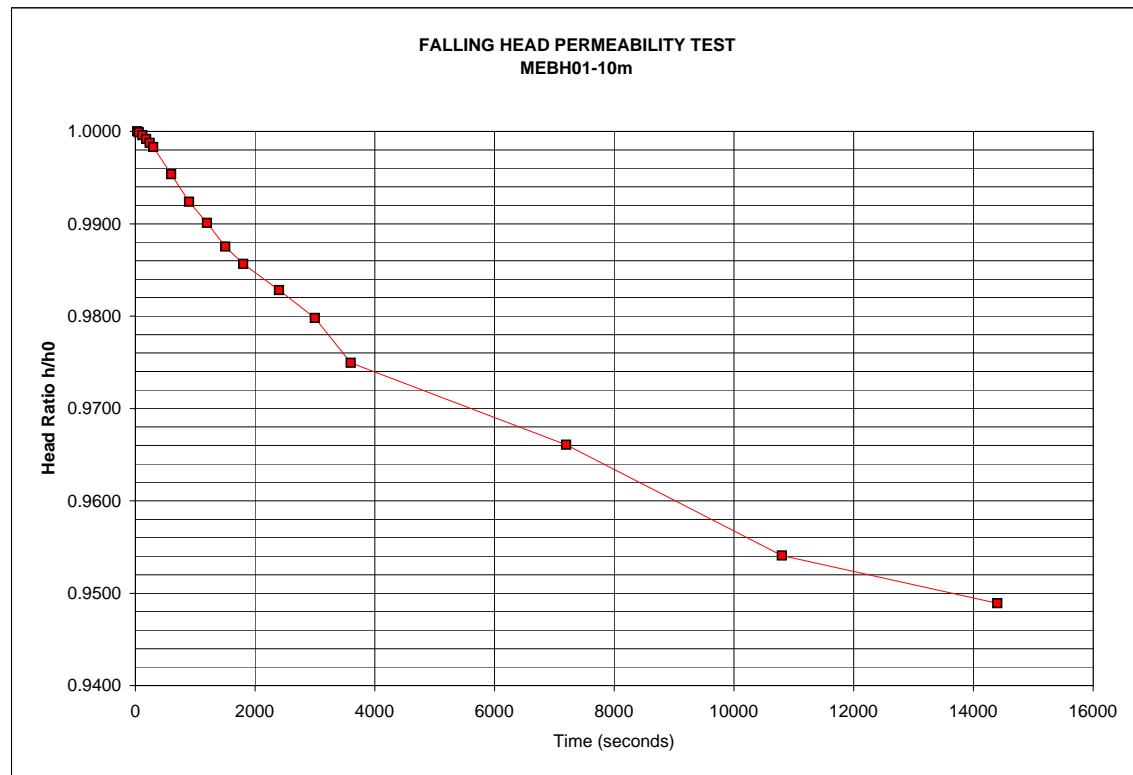
Intake Factor, F,

X	Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
	Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
	Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
	Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0002

F = 0.1375

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
b	0- 3600	1.0E-07 m/sec
b	0- 14400	5.2E-08 m/sec



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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **MEBH01-5m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500  
 Length of open hole or = 0.0000  
 Depth of soil in casing (m) = 5.0000  
 Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020  
 Groundwater level (m) = 702.2740  
 Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 731.4740

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 6.1  
 bottom of casing 6.1  
 height of casing above surface 1.1  
 initial ground water level 29.2 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.000392

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
(mins)	(seconds)				
1	60	0.795	730.679	28.405	1.0000
2	120	0.945	730.529	28.255	0.99471924
3	180	1.040	730.434	28.160	0.991374758
4	240	1.100	730.374	28.100	0.989262454
5	300	1.150	730.324	28.050	0.9875022
6	360	1.190	730.284	28.010	0.986093998
7	420	1.220	730.254	27.980	0.985037845
8	480	1.260	730.214	27.940	0.983629643
9	540	1.280	730.194	27.920	0.982925541
10	600	1.300	730.174	27.900	0.98222144
15	900	1.390	730.084	27.810	0.979052984
25	1500	1.540	729.934	27.660	0.973772223
30	1800	1.610	729.864	27.590	0.971307868
40	2400	1.730	729.744	27.470	0.96708326

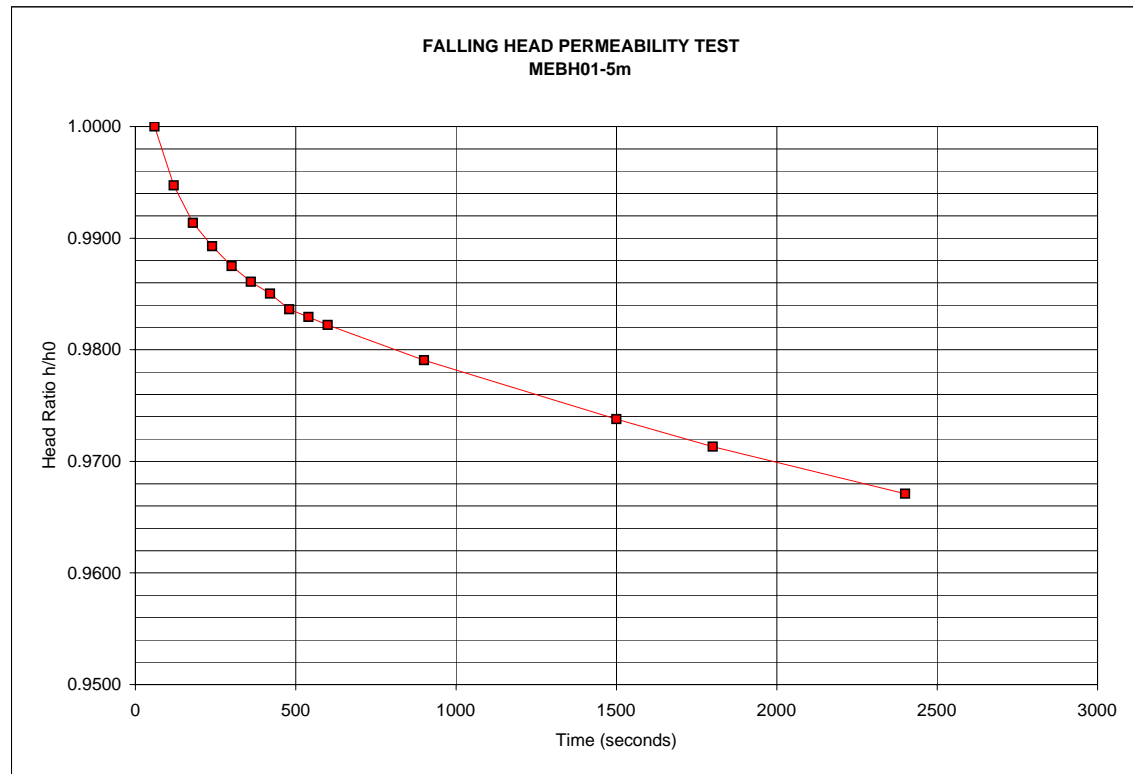
Intake Factor, F,

X	Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
	Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
	Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
	Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
	Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0004

F = 0.1375

Permeability Calculations

Case	Time Intervals	k =
b	0- 600	4.7E-07 m/sec
b	0- 2400	2.0E-07 m/sec



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 PROJECT Radwaste 2  
 LOCATION Muckaty Station  
 SUBJECT FALLING HEAD PERMEABILITY TEST

DATE 18-Jun-08  
 PROJECT 2145479A  
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Variable Head Test Borehole Number **MSBH03-10m**

The method calculation is outlined in BS5930:1981 Hvorslev Method.

$$k = A/F(T_2 - T_1) \times (\log_e(H_1/H_2))$$

k = permeability of the soil

A = cross-sectional area of borehole or casing (m<sup>2</sup>).

F = intake factor, see separate calculation.

T = basic time factor or time in seconds

H = height above groundwater level

Borehole/casing diameter (m) = 0.0500  
 Length of open hole or = 0.0000  
 Depth of soil in casing (m) = 10.0000  
 Cross-sectional area (m<sup>2</sup>) = 0.0020  
 Groundwater level (m) = 86.0000  
 Elevation of casing/hole (RL m) = 100.0000

Depth below top of casing/standpipe to:

bottom of borehole 10.78  
 bottom of casing 10.78  
 height of casing above surface 0.78  
 initial ground water level 14 deeper than borehole

Figure 7 BS 5930:1981

Values of intake factors, F, in borehole permeability tests

Case (a) F = 0.100000  
 Case (b) F = 0.137500  
 Case (c) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (d) F = #DIV/0!  
 Case (e) F = 0.100000  
 Case (f) F = 0.000196

Time		Depth (m)	Water Level	Head	H/H0
(mins)	(seconds)				
0	0	0.000	100.000	14.000	1.0000
60	3600	0.070	99.930	13.930	0.995

**Intake Factor, F,**

Case (a)	Soil flush with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
X Case (b)	Soil flush with bottom in uniform soil	0.1375
Case (c)	Well point or hole extended at impervious boundary	#DIV/0!
Case (d)	Well point or hole extended in uniform soil	#DIV/0!
Case (e)	Soil in casing with bottom at impervious boundary	0.1000
Case (f)	Soil in casing with bottom in uniform soil	0.0002

F = 0.1375

**Permeability Calculations**

Case b Time Intervals 0- 3600 k = 2.0E-08 m/sec

