

# Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld

## File Geodatabase Table

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### Tags

Theta, soil moisture, real dielectric constant, environment, Hydra, SMAPVEX12, calibration, geoscientificInformation

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## ArcGIS Metadata ►

### Topics and Keywords ►

THEMES OR CATEGORIES OF THE RESOURCE environment, geoscientificInformation

\* CONTENT TYPE Downloadable Data

THEME KEYWORDS environment, geoscientificInformation

THESAURUS ►

TITLE ISO 19115 Topic Categories

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THEME KEYWORDS Theta, soil moisture, real dielectric constant, Hydra, SMAPVEX12, calibration

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### Citation ►

TITLE Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld

PRESENTATION FORMATS digital document

FGDC GEOSPATIAL PRESENTATION FORMAT tabular digital data

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### Resource Details ►

DATASET LANGUAGES English (CANADA)

SPATIAL REPRESENTATION TYPE \* text table

PROCESSING ENVIRONMENT Microsoft Windows 7 Version 6.1 (Build 7601) Service Pack 1; ESRI ArcGIS 10.0.5.4400

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#### ARCGIS ITEM PROPERTIES

\* NAME Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld

\* LOCATION

file:///\\mbwinnfs106\\gis\$\\data8\\projects\\land\\soil\\SMAPVEX12\\data\\Geodatabase\\SMAPVEX\_MASTER.gdb

\* ACCESS PROTOCOL Local Area Network

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## Geoprocessing history ►

### PROCESS

#### PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:18:04

TOOL LOCATION c:\program files (x86)\arcgis\desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CopyRows

#### COMMAND ISSUED

```
CopyRows Soil_Moisture_Handheld2
W:\data8\projects\land\soil\SMAPVEX12\data\Kurt\SMAPVEX_MASTER2.gdb\Soil_Moist
ure_Handheld2 #
```

INCLUDE IN LINEAGE WHEN EXPORTING METADATA No

#### PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:21:29

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data  
Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

```
CalculateField Soil_Moisture_Handheld2 Sample_Date [Sample_Dat] VB #
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INCLUDE IN LINEAGE WHEN EXPORTING METADATA No

#### PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:22:50

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data  
Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

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CalculateField Soil_Moisture_Handheld2 Sample_Time [Sampe_Time] VB #
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PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:24:36

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes>Data  
Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

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CalculateField Soil_Moisture_Handheld2 Site_ID_1 "[Site_ID] " VB #
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#### PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:25:30

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes>Data  
Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld2 Site\_ID [Site\_ID\_1] VB #

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PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:27:02

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld2 Soil\_Moisture\_Cal [Soil\_Moist] VB #

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PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:28:38

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

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PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:29:20

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

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PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:30:12

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld2 Source [Source\_1] VB #

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PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:30:37

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld2 Calibration [Calibratio] VB #

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PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:31:07

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld2 Source\_1 "[Comments]" VB #

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PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2012-12-21 08:31:45

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld2 Comments "[Source\_1]" VB #

INCLUDE IN LINEAGE WHEN EXPORTING METADATA No

PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2013-02-18 08:01:44

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

#### COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld Site\_ID 31-13 VB #

INCLUDE IN LINEAGE WHEN EXPORTING METADATA No

#### PROCESS

PROCESS NAME

DATE 2013-02-18 08:02:06

TOOL LOCATION C:\Program Files (x86)\ArcGIS\Desktop10.0\ArcToolbox\Toolboxes\Data Management Tools.tbx\CalculateField

#### COMMAND ISSUED

CalculateField Soil\_Moisture\_Handheld Site\_ID "31-13" VB #

INCLUDE IN LINEAGE WHEN EXPORTING METADATA No

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## Distribution ►

DISTRIBUTION FORMAT

\* NAME File Geodatabase Table

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## Fields ►

DETAILS FOR OBJECT [Soil\\_Moisture\\_Handheld ►](#)

\* TYPE Table

\* ROW COUNT 39831

DEFINITION

Soil moisture data recorded using handheld Hydra and Theta soil moisture probes.

DEFINITION SOURCE

AAFC

FIELD [OBJECTID ►](#)



\* ALIAS OBJECTID

\* DATA TYPE OID

\* WIDTH 4

\* PRECISION 0

\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION

Internal feature number.

DESCRIPTION SOURCE

ESRI

DESCRIPTION OF VALUES Sequential unique whole numbers that are automatically generated.

Hide Field OBJECTID ▲

FIELD Calibration ►

\* ALIAS Calibration

\* DATA TYPE String

\* WIDTH 50

\* PRECISION 0

\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION

Type of calibration applied to the measured soil moisture values.

DESCRIPTION SOURCE

AAFC

LIST OF VALUES

VALUE General

DESCRIPTION The soil moisture reading was corrected using a generic calibration equation.

ENUMERATED DOMAIN VALUE DEFINITION SOURCE AAFC

VALUE Field Level

DESCRIPTION The soil moisture reading was corrected using a site-specific calibration equation.

ENUMERATED DOMAIN VALUE DEFINITION SOURCE AAFC

Hide Field Calibration ▲

FIELD Sample\_Time ►

\* ALIAS Sample\_Time

\* DATA TYPE String

\* WIDTH 50

\* PRECISION 0

\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION

Time the soil moisture reading was taken.

DESCRIPTION SOURCE

AAFC

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FIELD Comments ►

\* ALIAS Comments

\* DATA TYPE String

\* WIDTH 50

\* PRECISION 0

\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION

Values greater than 60% soil moisture are flagged as "High value - organic" for forage and pasture sites and "High value - flagged" for mineral soils.

DESCRIPTION SOURCE

AAFC

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FIELD Site\_ID ►

- \* ALIAS Site\_ID
- \* DATA TYPE String
- \* WIDTH 50
- \* PRECISION 0
- \* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION

Identification number of the site at which the reading was taken.

DESCRIPTION SOURCE

AAFC

*Hide Field Site\_ID ▲*

FIELD Soil\_Real\_Dielectric ►

- \* ALIAS Soil\_Real\_Dielectric
- \* DATA TYPE Double
- \* WIDTH 8
- \* PRECISION 0
- \* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION

Measured soil real dielectric constant.

DESCRIPTION SOURCE

AAFC

*Hide Field Soil\_Real\_Dielectric ▲*

FIELD Source ►

\* ALIAS Source

\* DATA TYPE String

\* WIDTH 50

\* PRECISION 0

\* SCALE 0

FIELD DESCRIPTION

Type of soil moisture probe used to take the reading (Hydra or Theta).

DESCRIPTION SOURCE

AAFC

LIST OF VALUES

VALUE Hydra

DESCRIPTION Hydra probe soil sensor

ENUMERATED DOMAIN VALUE DEFINITION SOURCE AAFC

VALUE Theta

DESCRIPTION Theta probe soil sensor

ENUMERATED DOMAIN VALUE DEFINITION SOURCE AAFC

*Hide Field Source ▲*

FIELD Soil\_Moisture\_Cal ►

\* **ALIAS**   Soil\_Moisture\_Cal

\* **DATA TYPE**   Double

\* **WIDTH**   8

\* **PRECISION**   0

\* **SCALE**   0

**FIELD DESCRIPTION**

Calibrated soil moisture reading.

**DESCRIPTION SOURCE**

AAFC

*Hide Field Soil\_Moisture\_Cal ▲*

**FIELD Sample\_Date ►**

\* **ALIAS**   Sample\_Date

\* **DATA TYPE**   Date

\* **WIDTH**   8

\* **PRECISION**   0

\* **SCALE**   0

**FIELD DESCRIPTION**

Date reading was taken.

**DESCRIPTION SOURCE**

AAFC

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**Metadata Details ►**

METADATA LANGUAGE English (CANADA)

METADATA CHARACTER SET utf8 - 8 bit UCS Transfer Format

SCOPE OF THE DATA DESCRIBED BY THE METADATA dataset

SCOPE NAME \*dataset

LAST UPDATE 2012-12-21

ARCGIS METADATA PROPERTIES

METADATA FORMAT ArcGIS 1.0

METADATA STYLE ISO 19139 Metadata Implementation Specification

STANDARD OR PROFILE USED TO EDIT METADATA FGDC

CREATED IN ARCGIS FOR THE ITEM 2012-12-21 08:17:57

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AUTOMATIC UPDATES

HAVE BEEN PERFORMED Yes

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