

Data Repository for “A new paleoprecipitation proxy based on soil magnetic properties: Implications for expanding paleoclimate reconstructions” by Hyland et al.

Table DR1. List of modern soil sites and climatic variables, including literature sources.

Sample ^a	Location ^b	G/H ratio	MAP (mm/yr)	MAT (°C)	RMMPC (mm/yr)	Sample ^a	Location ^b	G/H ratio	MAP (mm/yr)	MAT (°C)	RMMPC (mm/yr)
1.01	Wongan Hills, WA (Austr.)	0.53	405	25.7	61	AC2	Williams, AZ (USA)	0.38	550	9.9	41
1.02	Narrogan, WA (Austr.)	0.35	475	22.4	74	ALT	Davis Creek, CA (USA)	0.34	315	8.1	55
1.03	Pickering, WA (Austr.)	1.00	950	22.5	184	AME	Honey Lake, CA (USA)	0.05	140	10.3	84
1.04	Dawesville, WA (Austr.)	1.00	1120	23.1	117	BAL	Santa Paula, CA (USA)	0.27	455	15.7	69
1.05	Dudinin, WA (Austr.)	0.55	370	23.2	59	BLAC	Coos Bay, OR (USA)	1.71	1780	11.3	70
1.06	Boyup Brook, WA (Austr.)	0.74	690	22.8	104	BOU	Lucerne Valley, CA (USA)	0.17	100	16.7	31
1.07	Bridgetown, WA (Austr.)	0.18	425	22.4	131	CA2	Seligman, AZ (USA)	0.29	295	11.2	43
1.08	Bannister, WA (Austr.)	0.40	440	23.7	114	CAU	Moores Creek, NV (USA)	0.09	125	12.4	23
1.09	Marradong, WA (Austr.)	0.58	645	23.7	128	COH	Little Giant, CA (USA)	0.90	1320	16.0	157
1.10	Frankland River, WA (Austr.)	0.19	365	21.0	82	DEJ	American House, CA (USA)	2.40	2110	5.3	232
2.01	Montilla, COR (Spain)	0.56	600	16.5	84	GS2	Casa Grande, AZ (USA)	0.20	215	21.0	23
2.02	Montilla, COR (Spain)	0.63	600	16.5	84	HOA	Rock Creek, CA (USA)	1.48	1540	6.7	328
3.01	Albion, NE (USA)	0.53	710	9.1	92	ISHI	Humboldt, CA (USA)	1.82	1905	11.0	257
4.01	Pulau Batam (Indonesia)	2.62	2600	28.1	233	LAV	Adelanto, CA (USA)	0.26	205	16.7	31
4.02	Pulau Batam (Indonesia)	2.75	2900	26.5	233	LOR	Carr Lake, CA (USA)	1.68	1775	5.3	232
4.03	Broadway, GLOU (U.K.)	1.33	975	10.6	43	MAR	Brentwood, CA (USA)	0.25	305	16.3	61
4.04	Guiyang, GUIZ (China)	1.34	1295	15.2	193	MIL	Wasco, CA (USA)	0.14	180	17.3	99
5.01	Willowdale, WA (Austr.)	1.00	1180	23.6	212	MIN	French Gulch, CA (USA)	1.37	1525	12.1	170
5.02	Jarrahdale, WA (Austr.)	0.83	1170	22.5	214	MO	Ann Arbor, MI (USA)	0.85	930	9.7	10
6.01	Alegrete, RGS (Brazil)	1.83	1900	22.1	291	MUR	Rosamond, CA (USA)	0.09	130	17.1	34
6.02	Santa Maria, RGS (Brazil)	2.70	2450	18.8	25	N95	Northfield, MN (USA)	0.81	860	6.3	97
6.03	Porto Alegre, RGS (Brazil)	1.70	1750	20.6	54	NH	Manistee, MI (USA)	0.76	840	8.6	64
6.04	Mineiros, GOIAS (Brazil)	2.33	2450	24.3	73	OS2	Dexter, MI (USA)	0.68	740	9.6	84
6.05	Itaberai, GOIAS (Brazil)	1.65	1700	22.5	314	PAR	Boonville, CA (USA)	1.56	1520	11.8	399
7.01	Esla River, LEON (Spain)	0.56	450	12.0	35	PUTT	Emigrant Gap, CA (USA)	1.43	1525	5.3	232
7.02	Guadalquivir, COR (Spain)	0.75	650	18.2	100	STAG	Camel Peak, CA (USA)	1.95	1970	5.3	232
8.01	Lake Danao, LEYTE (Phili.)	2.62	3300	27.2	170	TIN	Soda Springs, CA (USA)	1.62	1650	5.3	232
8.02	Ipil, LEYTE (Phili.)	2.12	2500	27.2	170	USAL	Mendocino, CA (USA)	1.26	1270	10.6	368
8.03	Can Adieng, LEYTE (Phili.)	2.33	2450	27.2	170	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Singh and Gilkes (1992) 2. Torrent et al. (2010) 3. Geiss et al. (2004) 4. France and Oldfield (2000) 5. Anand and Gilkes (1987) 6. Schwertmann and Kampf (1985) 7. Torrent et al. (1980) 8. Navarette et al. (2008) 9. Curi and Franzmeier (1987) 10. Schulze (1981) 11. Prudencio et al. (2011) 12. Wang et al. (1989) 13. Bigham et al. (1978) 					

^a Sample numbers correspond to cited literature list, and named samples are from this study.

^b Locations are either from the literature, or are the nearest climate monitoring center.

^c RMMPC (range of mean monthly precipitation) is the difference between mean wet-month precipitation and mean dry-month precipitation values.

Table DR2. List of mean annual precipitation estimates (MAP) for the Green River Basin region during the EECO based on G/H ratio, CIA-K, depth to Bk horizon (DBK), and MlnA proxies.

Sample	Age (Myr)	G/H	CIA-K ^a	DBK ^a	MLnA ^b	MAP (mm/yr)
Niland Tongue	52.6*					1000 (+434, -303)
1	51.95	330 (± 157)		448 (± 147)		
3	51.92	320 (± 157)		392 (± 147)		
4	51.90			363 (± 147)		
15	51.81	401 (± 157)		642 (± 147)		
24	51.75		1013 (± 181)	501 (± 147)		
38	51.59		890 (± 181)			
39	51.58		988 (± 181)			
40	51.57		715 (± 181)			
45	51.53	421 (± 157)		363 (± 147)		
46	51.52	651 (± 157)		392 (± 147)		
47	51.51	892 (± 157)		620 (± 147)		
50	51.48	973 (± 157)		937 (± 147)		
62	51.37	822 (± 157)	842 (± 181)	937 (± 147)		
64	51.35	792 (± 157)	1085 (± 181)	914 (± 147)		
65	51.34		1096 (± 181)			
66	51.33		1023 (± 181)			
70	51.30	591 (± 157)	1104 (± 181)	864 (± 147)		
71	51.29		579 (± 181)			
72	51.28	461 (± 157)				
78	51.22			392 (± 147)		
82	51.18	290 (± 157)		501 (± 147)		
87	51.14			475 (± 147)		
91	51.10			721 (± 147)		
93	51.08	240 (± 157)	364 (± 181)	526 (± 147)		
94	51.05	350 (± 157)		642 (± 147)		
105	50.98		975 (± 181)			
106	50.97	410 (± 157)	624 (± 181)			
107	50.96		952 (± 181)			
112	50.90	360 (± 157)		620 (± 147)		
Little Mountain	49.5*					769 (+332, -232)

^a Hyland and Sheldon (2013)

^b Wilf (2000)

* Age estimates based on Smith et al. (2003)

Table DR3. G/H ratios from a lateral transect through an early Eocene paleosol (HB1, Wyoming)

Sample	Horizon	Distance from section (m)*	G/H ratio	MAP (mm yr ⁻¹)
Δ-a	A	60	0.21	-----
Δ-b	B	60	0.31	360.4
Δ-c	A	140	0.41	-----
Δ-d	B	140	0.32	370.4
Δ-e	A	340	0.38	-----
Δ-f	B	340	0.28	330.3
Δ-g	A	900	0.59	-----
Δ-h	B	900	0.32	370.4

* Distance from section is the horizontal distance between the sampling location and the stratigraphic section sampled for climate reconstructions in Table DR2 (same paleosol as sample HB-94).

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