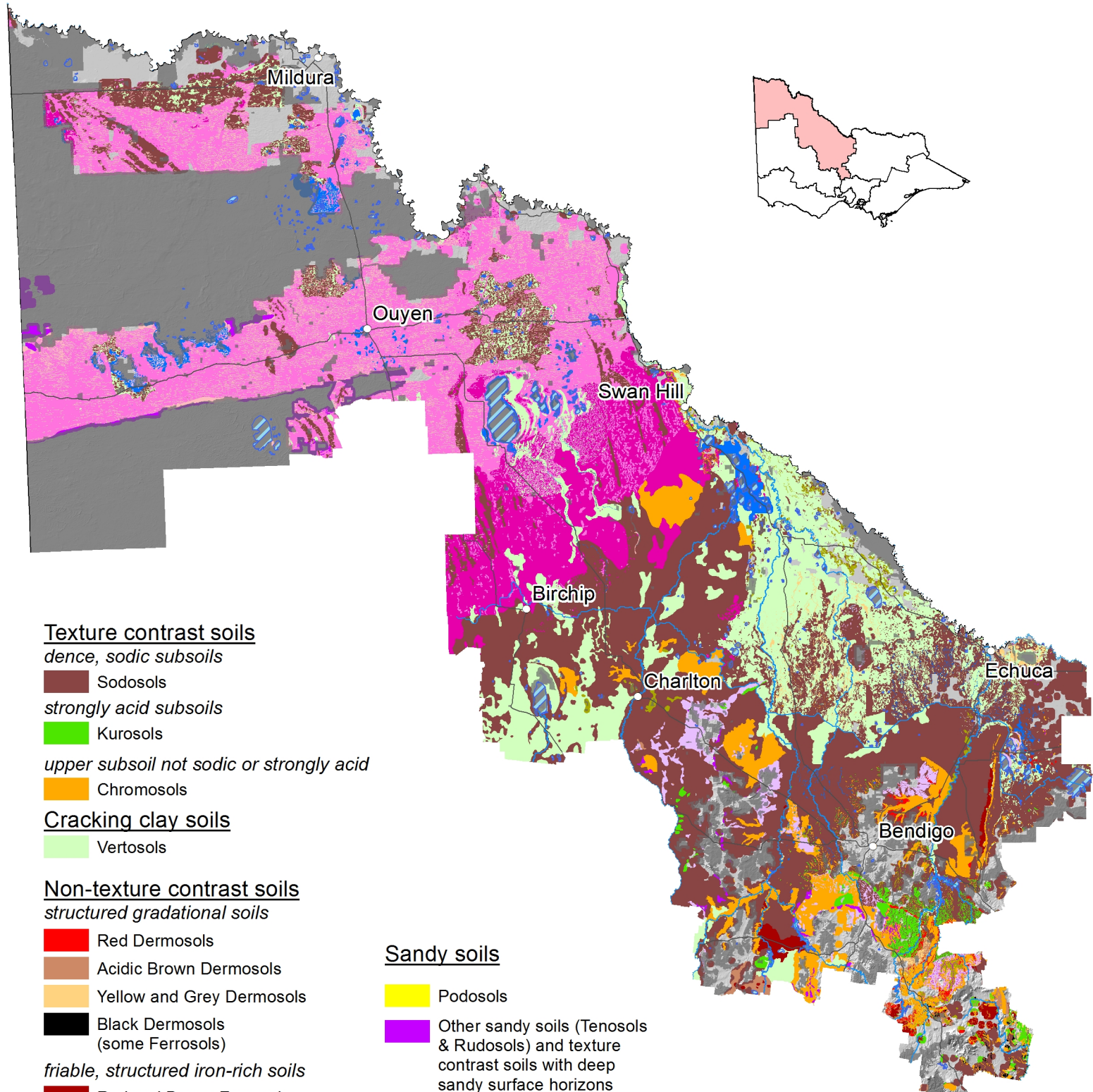



Soils in the Loddon Mallee Grain Cropping Region




Texture contrast soils


dence, sodic subsoils

 Sodosols


strongly acid subsoils

 Kurosols

upper subsoil not sodic or strongly acid


 Chromosols


Cracking clay soils

 Vertosols


Non-texture contrast soils

structured gradational soils


 Red Dermosols

 Acidic Brown Dermosols

 Yellow and Grey Dermosols

 Black Dermosols
(some Ferrosols)


friable, structured iron-rich soils


 Red and Brown Ferrosols

weakly structured gradational soils


 Kandosols


calcareous gradational soils


 Calcarosols (medium texture)

 Calcarosols (heavy texture)

Sandy soils

 Podosols


 Other sandy soils (Tenosols & Rudosols) and texture contrast soils with deep sandy surface horizons

 Calcareous sands






Shallow stony soils

 Shallow, stony soils

Wet soils

 Hydrosols

Legend

-  Major Towns
-  Major Roads
-  Major and Moderate Rivers
-  Public Land
-  Water bodies



0 25 50 100 150

Kilometres