

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	6956307 21-18638
LOCALITY :	EM2106129-004
SITE :	Mark Point
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	8/04/2021
DATE ANALYSED :	14/04/2021
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse range of algae was observed. Water quality is unlikely to be affected.

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Concentration	1 : 1	*	20	500			
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Fields							

### BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

Centrales - (5-10um)		95	0	4741	80	0.37932
Pennales (small <20um)		1	0	50	251	0.01253
Rhizosolenia		1	0	50	500	0.02496

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

Chlorococcoids (<10um)		35	0	1747	60	0.10481
Oocystis		1	0	50	300	0.01497
Planctonema		14	0	699	800	0.55899

### CRYPTOPHYCEAE

Cryptomonads		1	0	50	320	0.01597
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### CYANOPHYCEAE

Planktolyngbya		44	0	2196	3.8	0.00834
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		105	0	5241	5.25	0.02751

### DINOPHYCEAE

Dinoflagellates		2	0	100	20000	1.99641
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### OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		8	0	399	80	0.03194
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TOTAL BGA	7437	0.03586
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	15323	3.17576

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+ The comments are discretionary and are for the purpose of helping to understand WQ implications. The comments are not accredited by NATA.

The biovolume values reported are those derived from documented information, including scientific literature. These are average values and not those measured on individual samples.

A Certificate of analysis will follow, linked by the above batch number. Independent algal reports are forwarded to clients expeditiously to facilitate operational decision making.

\* P's and T's denote those cyanobacteria/blue-green algae (BGA) associated with toxin production in Australian waters. Overseas studies have shown other cyanobacteria to produce toxins. All contain lipopolysaccharides (LPS) in their cell wall and many have been found to produce  $\beta$ -N-methylamino-L-alanine (BMAA) and its analogues. Therefore all cyanobacteria could be considered to pose a level of risk.