

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7428786 22-19601
LOCALITY :	EM2207234-018
SITE :	Salt Creek Outlet
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	21/04/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	27/04/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + High levels of low biovolume BGA, diatoms and greens will impair water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0168	Toxicogenic (T) or Potentially toxic (P)	- 200x	- 100x	Total Cell Count (cells/mL)	Individual Algal Unit Volume (um3)	Total Biovolume (mm3/L)
Concentration	1 : 1	*	20	500			
Magnification							
Fields							

BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

Nitzschia		640	0	31471	400	12.58851
Pennales		2	0	98	300	0.02950

CHLOROPHYCEAE

Ankistrodesmoideae		590	0	29013	132	3.82966
Chlorococcoids (<10um)		1840	0	90480	60	5.42880
Oocystis		11	0	541	300	0.16227

CHRYSOPHYCEAE

Other Chrysophyceae		1	0	49	350	0.01721
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CRYPTOPHYCEAE

Cryptomonads		1	0	49	320	0.01574
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CYANOPHYCEAE

Limnothrix/Geitlerinema/Anagnostidinema	P	0	95	187	17.5	0.00327
Spirulina		0	250	492	5.73	0.00282
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		4760	0	234068	5.25	1.22886

DINOPHYCEAE

Gymnodiniales		18	0	885	2000	1.77026
Gymnodiniales (small)		2	0	98	500	0.04917
Peridinales		1	0	49	5000	0.24587

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		21	0	1033	80	0.08261
Raphidophytes		1	0	49	7000	0.34422

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TOTAL BGA	234747	1.23494
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	187	0.00327
TOTAL ALGAE	388562	25.79877

+ 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 β -N-methylamino-L-alanine (BMAA) and its analogues. Therefore all cyanobacteria could be considered to pose a level of risk.

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