

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	6796581 20-56146
LOCALITY :	EM2021368_006
SITE :	Salt Creek Outlet
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	30/11/2020
DATE ANALYSED :	3/12/2020
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse algal community was observed with small BGA and greens abundant. Water quality is likely to be impaired.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0145	Toxicogenic (T) or Potentially toxic (P)	- 200x	- 100x	Total Cell Count (cells/mL)	Individual Algal Unit Volume (um ³)	Total Biovolume (mm ³ /L)
Concentration	1 : 1	*	20	500			
Magnification							
Fields							

BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

<i>Amphora</i>		1	0	49	500	0.02464
<i>Centrales</i>		1	0	49	200	0.00986
<i>Nitzschia</i>		3	0	148	400	0.05914
<i>Pennales</i>		2	0	99	300	0.02957
<i>Pennales (small <20um)</i>		15	0	739	251	0.18556

CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Ankistrodesmoideae</i>		1140	0	56185	132	7.41646
<i>Chlorococcoids (<10um)</i>		6160	0	303598	60	18.21587
<i>Oocystis</i>		1	0	49	300	0.01479

CHRYSTOPHYCEAE

<i>Other Chrysophyceae</i>		2	0	99	350	0.03450
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CRYPTOPHYCEAE

<i>Cryptomonads</i>		2	0	99	320	0.03154
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CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Limnolyngbya (Planktolyngbya circumcreta)</i>		14	0	690	4.9	0.00338
<i>Oscillatoriales (iauv 1-100)</i>	P	0	63	124	60.8	0.00755
<i>Pseudanabaena</i>		7	0	345	12.5	0.00431
<i>Spirulina</i>		0	72	142	5.73	0.00081
<i>Synechococcales small (iauv <20)</i>		39680	0	1955643	5.25	10.26713

DINOPHYCEAE

<i>Dinoflagellates</i>		6	0	296	20000	5.91424
<i>Gymnodiniales</i>		6	0	296	2000	0.59142
<i>Gymnodiniales (small)</i>		6	0	296	500	0.14786
<i>Peridinales</i>		2	0	99	5000	0.49285

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

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Other small flagellates			40	0	1971	80	0.15771
TOTAL BGA					1956944		10.28318
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA					0		0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA					124		0.00755
TOTAL ALGAE					2321016		43.60921

+ 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.