

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7366807 22-11365
LOCALITY :	EM220391-013
SITE :	Sth Policeman Point
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	23/02/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	28/02/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

**COMMENTS:** + A diverse range of algal taxa were observed. Current levels may impact water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0242	Toxigenic (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		720	0	35149	400	14.05975
Pennales		2	0	98	300	0.02929
Pennales (small <20um)		3	0	146	251	0.03676

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

Ankistrodesmoideae		2120	0	103495	132	13.66139
Carteria		1	0	49	300	0.01465
Chlorococcoids (<10um)		910	0	44425	60	2.66550

### CYANOPHYCEAE

Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		14720	0	718610	5.25	3.77270
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### DINOPHYCEAE

Gymnodiniales (small)		2	0	98	500	0.04882
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### OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Raphidophytes		4	0	195	7000	1.36692
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TOTAL BGA	718610	3.77270
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	902265	35.65578

+ 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.

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