

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7217244 21-52414
LOCALITY :	EM2121437-004
SITE :	Long Point
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	26/10/2021
DATE ANALYSED :	8/11/2021
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A moderately diverse algal community was observed with current levels unlikely to impair water quality. Amended: Locality code corrected.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0311	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

<i>Licmophora</i>		0	9	17	850	0.01484
<i>Navicula</i>		0	1	2	1400	0.00272
<i>Pennales</i>		0	1	2	300	0.00058

CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Chlorococcoids (<10um)</i>		1	0	48	60	0.00291
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CRYPTOPHYCEAE

<i>Cryptomonads</i>		2	0	97	320	0.03103
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CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Oscillatoriales (iauv 1-100)</i>	P	0	124	241	60.8	0.01462
<i>Synechococcales small (iauv <20)</i>		18	0	873	5.25	0.00458

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

<i>Other small flagellates</i>		2	0	97	80	0.00776
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TOTAL BGA	1114	0.01921
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	241	0.01462
TOTAL ALGAE	1377	0.07905

+ 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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