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DATE: **04/12/2020** 



## **ALGAL REPORT**

CLIENT:	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA					
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO.:	6796586 20-56146					
LOCALITY:	EM2021368_011					
SITE:	US Tauwichere					
SAMPLE:	Surface					
DATE SAMPLED :	1/12/2020					
DATE ANALYSED :	3/12/2020					
SAMPLED BY:	Sample analysed as received					

COMMENTS: + A highly diverse and abundant algal community was observed with current algal levels sufficient to impair water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml) Concentration Magnification Fields	1.0145 1 : 1	Toxigenic (T) or Potentially toxic (P)	- 200x 20	- 100x 500	Total Cell Count (cells/mL)	Individual Algal Unit Volume (um3)	Total Biovolume (mm3/L)
BACILLARIOPHYCEAE							
Centrales			2	0	99	200	0.01971
Nitzschia			2	0	99	400	0.03943
Pennales (small <20um)			310	0	15278	251	3.83489
CHLOROPHYCEAE							
Ankistrodesmus			50	0	2464	132	0.32528
Botryococcus			0	320	631	98	0.06182
Chlorococcoids (<10um)			55	0	2711	60	0.16264
Closterium			2	0	99	4130	0.40710
Colonial green (cells)			265	0	13061	100	1.30606
Crucigenia			280	0	13800	30	0.41400
Dictyosphaerium			60	0	2957	20	0.05914
Didymocystis			10	0	493	41	0.02021
Elakatothrix			2	0	99	45	0.00444
Eremosphaera			2	0	99	700	0.06900
Golenkinia			5	0	246	400	0.09857
Hyaloraphidium			1	0	49	750	0.03696
Lagerheimia			115	0	5668	500	2.83391
Nephrocytium			10	0	493	200	0.09857
Oocystis			290	0	14293	300	4.28783
Pediastrum			28	0	1380	60	0.08280
Planctonema			2420	0	119271	800	95.41646
Scenedesmus			190	0	9364	250	2.34105
Selenastrum			70	0	3450	250	0.86249
Tetraedron			3	0	148	150	0.02218
Tetrastrum			24	0	1183	40	0.04731

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CRYPTOPHYCEAE							
Cryptomonads			1	0	49	320	0.01577
CYANOPHYCEAE							
Aphanizomenonaceae family - straight		Р	0	8	16	67	0.00106
Limnolyngbya (Planktolyngbya circumcr	eta)		2120	0	104485	4.9	0.51198
Limnothrix/Geitlerinema/Anagnostidinen	па	Р	0	95	187	17.5	0.00328
Planktolyngbya			1150	0	56678	3.8	0.21538
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)			15720	0	774766	5.25	4.06752
TOTAL BGA		936132				4.79921	
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA		0				0.00000	
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA		203				0.00433	
TOTAL ALGAE				1143616		117.66685	

<sup>+</sup> 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.

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<sup>\*</sup> 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.