

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7609401 22-60564
LOCALITY :	EM2215131-011
SITE :	Tilley U/S Morella
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	9/08/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	15/08/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse community of algal taxa were observed. Current levels are unlikely to influence water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0194	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

Centrales	0	1	2	200	0.00039
Entomoneis	0	1	2	1000	0.00196
Pennales	0	4	8	300	0.00235

CHLOROPHYCEAE

Chlorococcoids (<10um)	8	0	392	60	0.02354
Filamentous Green	0	2	4	386	0.00151
Monoraphidium (small)	19	0	932	16	0.01491
Tetraedron	0	1	2	150	0.00029

CHRYSOPHYCEAE

Other Chrysophyceae	1	0	49	350	0.01717
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CYANOPHYCEAE

Synechococcales small (iauv <20)	22	0	1079	5.25	0.00567
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OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates	5	0	245	80	0.01962
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TOTAL BGA	1079	0.00567
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	2715	0.08742

+ 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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