

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	6750295 20-50047
LOCALITY :	EM2018692_004
SITE :	Snipe Point
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	21/10/2020
DATE ANALYSED :	26/10/2020
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + Excessive levels of small BGA and greens dominated the sample. Water quality will be impaired.

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### BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

Centrales		3	0	148	200	0.02950
Naviculales		0	3	6	1400	0.00826
Nitzschia		32	0	1574	400	0.62943
Pennales		1	0	49	300	0.01475
Pennales (small <20um)		1	0	49	251	0.01234

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

Ankistrodesmoideae		340	0	16719	132	2.20692
Chlamydomonads		3	0	148	250	0.03688
Chlorococcoids (<10um)		3440	0	169158	60	10.14949

### CHRYSTOPHYCEAE

Other Chrysophyceae		12	0	590	350	0.20653
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### CRYPTOPHYCEAE

Cryptomonads		3	0	148	320	0.04721
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### CYANOPHYCEAE

Planktolyngbya		17	0	836	3.8	0.00318
Spirulina		0	525	1033	5.73	0.00592
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		9020	0	443548	5.25	2.32863

### DINOPHYCEAE

Dinoflagellates		5	0	246	20000	4.91739
Gymnodiniales		13	0	639	2000	1.27852
Gymnodiniales (small)		7	0	344	500	0.17211
Peridinales		4	0	197	5000	0.98348

### OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		420	0	20653	80	1.65224
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TOTAL BGA	445417	2.33772
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	656085	24.68278

+ 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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