

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7007881 21-25384
LOCALITY :	EM2108900_012
SITE :	US Tauwiche
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	12/05/2021
DATE ANALYSED :	20/05/2021
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

**COMMENTS: +** A diverse algal community was observed with excessive levels of low biovolume BGA present. Potentially toxic BGA were noted. Water quality is likely to be impaired and a health risk may be posed.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0099	Toxicogenic (T) or Potentially toxic (P) *	- 200x 20	- 100x 500	Total Cell Count (cells/mL)	Individual Algal Unit Volume (um3)	Total Biovolume (mm3/L)
Concentration	1 : 1						
Magnification							
Fields							

### BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

<i>Centrales</i>		4	0	198	200	0.03961
<i>Licmophora</i>		0	2	4	850	0.00337
<i>Nitzschia</i>		3	0	149	400	0.05941
<i>Pennales</i>		3	0	149	300	0.04456
<i>Pennales (small &lt;20um)</i>		2	0	99	251	0.02485

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Ankistrodesmus</i>		24	0	1188	132	0.15685
<i>Botryococcus</i>		0	70	139	98	0.01359
<i>Chlorococcoids (&lt;10um)</i>		24	0	1188	60	0.07129
<i>Colonial green (cells)</i>		36	0	1782	100	0.17824
<i>Crucigenia</i>		42	0	2079	30	0.06238
<i>Dictyosphaerium</i>		0	28	55	20	0.00111
<i>Didymocystis</i>		4	0	198	41	0.00812
<i>Eremosphaera</i>		1	0	50	700	0.03466
<i>Hyaloraphidium</i>		10	0	495	750	0.37132
<i>Lagerheimia</i>		10	0	495	500	0.24755
<i>Oocystis</i>		92	0	4555	300	1.36647
<i>Pediastrum</i>		8	0	396	60	0.02376
<i>Planctonema</i>		122	0	6040	800	4.83216
<i>Scenedesmus</i>		50	0	2475	250	0.61887
<i>Selenastrum</i>		3	0	149	250	0.03713
<i>Staurastrum</i>		1	0	50	2000	0.09902
<i>Tetraedron</i>		3	0	149	150	0.02228
<i>Tetrastrum</i>		16	0	792	40	0.03169

### CYANOPHYCEAE

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<i>Aphanizomenonaceae family - straight</i>		P	626	0	30993	67	2.07654
<i>Chrysosporum</i>		P	0	36	71	69	0.00492
<i>Dolichospermum - straight (≥8µm)</i>			0	51	101	433	0.04373
<i>Limnolyngbya (Planktolynbya circumcreta)</i>			4160	0	205961	4.9	1.00921
<i>Microcystis</i>		P	0	700	1386	74	0.10258
<i>Planktolynbya</i>			6180	0	305971	3.8	1.16269
<i>Pseudanabaena</i>			72	0	3565	12.5	0.04456
<i>Raphidiopsis</i>		P	204	0	10100	59	0.59590
<i>Synechococcales small (iauv &lt;20)</i>			26220	0	1298148	5.25	6.81528
<b>DINOPHYCEAE</b>							
<i>Gymnodiniales</i>			1	0	50	2000	0.09902
<b>EUGLENOPHYCEAE</b>							
<i>Euglena</i>			0	2	4	7000	0.02773

TOTAL BGA	1856296	11.85542
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	42550	2.77995
TOTAL ALGAE	1879224	20.33045

+ 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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