

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7684098 22-69466
LOCALITY :	EM2216763-006
SITE :	North Jacks Point
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	31/08/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	6/09/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse range of algae was observed. Levels may impact on water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0242	Toxigenic (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		3	0	146	200	0.02929
Pennales		6	0	293	300	0.08787
Pennales (small <20um)		2	0	98	251	0.02451

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

Chlorococcoids		830	0	40519	500	20.25971
Monoraphidium (small)		84	0	4101	16	0.06561
Monoraphidium (large)		0	1	2	400	0.00078

### CRYPTOPHYCEAE

Chroomonas		28	0	1367	60	0.08202
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### CYANOPHYCEAE

Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		2240	0	109354	5.25	0.57411
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### DINOPHYCEAE

Gymnodiniales		0	18	35	2000	0.07030
Gymnodiniales (small)		1	0	49	500	0.02441

### EUGLENOPHYCEAE

Euglena		0	1	2	7000	0.01367
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### OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		2	0	98	80	0.00781
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TOTAL BGA	109354	0.57411
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	156064	21.24009

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+ 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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