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## **ALGAL REPORT**

CLIENT:	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA	
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7281145 21-59669	
LOCALITY:	EM2125413-004	
SITE:	Long Point	
SAMPLE:	Surface	
DATE SAMPLED :	13/12/2021	
DATE ANALYSED :	20/12/2021	
SAMPLED BY:	Sample analysed as received	

COMMENTS: + Low levels of algae are unlikely to influence water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml) 1 Concentration Magnification Fields	.0046 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								
Naviculales		0	1	2	1400	0.00279		
CHLOROPHYCEAE								
Chlorococcoids (<10um)		4	0	199	60	0.01195		
CRYPTOPHYCEAE								
Cryptomonads		3	0	149	320	0.04778		
CYANOPHYCEAE								
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		2	0	100	5.25	0.00052		
OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON								
Other small flagellates		1	0	50	80	0.00398		
Prasinophytes		10	0	498	100	0.04977		
TOTAL BGA		100				0.00052		
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA		0				0.00000		
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA				0		0.00000		
TOTAL ALGAE		998				0.11679		

<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.

\* 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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