

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7545135 22-57032
LOCALITY :	EM2213883-008
SITE :	Morella Basin @ O/L
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	21/07/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	26/07/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse algal community was observed with current levels unlikely to influence water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0242	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		4	0	195	200	0.03905
Chaetoceros		9	0	439	200	0.08787
Pennales		1	0	49	300	0.01465

CHLOROPHYCEAE

Chlamydomonads		2	0	98	250	0.02441
Chlorococcoids (<10um)		21	0	1025	60	0.06151
Cosmarium		1	0	49	500	0.02441
Dictyosphaerium		12	0	586	20	0.01172
Lagerheimia		1	0	49	500	0.02441
Monoraphidium (small)		55	0	2685	16	0.04296
Oocystis		2	0	98	300	0.02929

CRYPTOPHYCEAE

Cryptomonads		2	0	98	320	0.03124
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CYANOPHYCEAE

Komvophoron		0	33	64	33	0.00213
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		21	0	1025	5.25	0.00538

DINOPHYCEAE

Dinoflagellates		1	0	49	20000	0.97637
Gymnodiniales		8	0	391	2000	0.78110
Gymnodiniales (small)		6	0	293	500	0.14646
Peridinales		4	0	195	5000	0.97637

EUGLENOPHYCEAE

Phacus		0	1	2	6000	0.01172
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OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		17	0	830	80	0.06639
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TOTAL BGA	1089	0.00751
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	8220	3.35744

+ 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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