

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7791210 22-70933
LOCALITY :	EM2218952-009
SITE :	Salt Creek Outlet
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	29/09/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	5/10/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

**COMMENTS:** + A diverse community of algal taxa were observed. Current levels may impact water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0151	Toxicogenic (T) or Potentially toxic (P)			Total Cell Count (cells/mL)	Individual Algal Unit Volume (um3)	Total Biovolume (mm3/L)
Concentration	1 : 1	*	- 200x	- 100x			
Magnification			20	500			
Fields							

### BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

Centrales		2	0	99	200	0.01970
Pennales		3	0	148	300	0.04433
Pennales (small <20um)		2	0	99	251	0.02473

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

Chlorococcoids (<10um)		1710	0	84228	60	5.05369
Monoraphidium (small)		17	0	837	16	0.01340

### CHRYSOPHYCEAE

Other Chrysophyceae		1	0	49	350	0.01724
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### CRYPTOPHYCEAE

Cryptomonads		3	0	148	320	0.04729
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### CYANOPHYCEAE

Planktolyngbya		15	0	739	3.8	0.00281
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		11280	0	555610	5.25	2.91695

### DINOPHYCEAE

Gymnodiniales		0	1	2	2000	0.00394
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### OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		105	0	5172	80	0.41375
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TOTAL BGA	556349	2.91976
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	647131	8.55783

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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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