

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7428788 22-19601
LOCALITY :	EM2207234-020
SITE :	3.2km Sth of Salt Ck
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	21/04/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	27/04/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + High levels of low biovolume BGA, diatoms and greens will impair water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0333	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			
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BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

<i>Nitzschia</i>		360	0	17420	400	6.96797
<i>Pennales</i>		1	0	48	300	0.01452

CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Ankistrodesmoideae</i>		1360	0	65809	132	8.68673
<i>Carteria</i>		1	0	48	300	0.01452
<i>Chlorococcoids (<10um)</i>		2460	0	119036	60	7.14217
<i>Oocystis</i>		9	0	435	300	0.13065

CRYPTOPHYCEAE

<i>Cryptomonads</i>		1	0	48	320	0.01548
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CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Synechococcales small (iauv <20)</i>		22680	0	1097455	5.25	5.76164
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DINOPHYCEAE

<i>Gymnodiniales</i>		10	0	484	2000	0.96777
<i>Gymnodiniales (small)</i>		1	0	48	500	0.02419

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

<i>Other small flagellates</i>		12	0	581	80	0.04645
<i>Prasinophytes</i>		1	0	48	100	0.00484
<i>Raphidophytes</i>		1	0	48	7000	0.33872

TOTAL BGA	1097455	5.76164
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	1301508	30.11565

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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 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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