

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7007873 21-25384
LOCALITY :	EM2108900-004
SITE :	Snipe Point
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	12/05/2021
DATE ANALYSED :	18/05/2021
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse community of algal taxa was observed with low biovolume BGA Synechococcales most numerous. Current levels are likely to impact water quality.

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Concentration	1 : 1	*	20	500			
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BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

Naviculales		0	1	2	1400	0.00272
Nitzschia		150	0	7274	400	2.90951
Pennales (small <20um)		1	0	48	251	0.01217

CHLOROPHYCEAE

Ankistrodesmoideae		34	0	1649	132	0.21763
Chlorococcoids (<10um)		760	0	36854	60	2.21123

CHRYSOPHYCEAE

Other Chrysophyceae		1	0	48	350	0.01697
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CYANOPHYCEAE

Planktolyngbya		15	0	727	3.8	0.00276
Pseudanabaena		0	15	29	12.5	0.00036
Spirulina		0	56	109	5.73	0.00062
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		8240	0	399573	5.25	2.09776

DINOPHYCEAE

Dinoflagellates		4	0	194	20000	3.87935
Gymnodiniales (small)		30	0	1455	500	0.72738
Peridinales		1	0	48	5000	0.24246

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		14	0	679	80	0.05431
Prasinophytes		2	0	97	100	0.00970

TOTAL BGA	400438	2.10151
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	448786	12.38494

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Biologist

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Biologist

DATE: **19/05/2021**

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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.