

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	6874001 21-07778
LOCALITY :	EM2101680_019
SITE :	Tilley Swamp Drain
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	3/02/2021
DATE ANALYSED :	8/02/2021
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

**COMMENTS:** + A moderately diverse algal community was observed with diatoms most numerous. Water quality may be mildly impacted.

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Concentration	1 : 1	*	20	500			
Magnification							
Fields							

### BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

<i>Chaetoceros</i>		0	27	53	200	0.01062
<i>Fragilariaceae</i>		37	0	1819	500	0.90972
<i>Naviculales</i>		2	0	98	1400	0.13769
<i>Pennales</i>		3	0	148	300	0.04426
<i>Pennales (small &lt;20um)</i>		3	0	148	251	0.03703

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Ankistrodesmus</i>		3	0	148	132	0.01947
<i>Chlamydomonads</i>		2	0	98	250	0.02459
<i>Chlorococcoids (&lt;10um)</i>		23	0	1131	60	0.06786
<i>Oocystis</i>		2	0	98	300	0.02950
<i>Selenastrum</i>		18	0	885	250	0.22128

### CHRYSTOPHYCEAE

<i>Other Chrysophyceae</i>		2	0	98	350	0.03442
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### CRYPTOPHYCEAE

<i>Cryptomonads</i>		1	0	49	320	0.01574
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### CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Planktolyngbya</i>		9	0	443	3.8	0.00168
<i>Pseudanabaena</i>		0	48	94	12.5	0.00118
<i>Synechococcales small (iauv &lt;20)</i>		153	0	7524	5.25	0.03950
<i>Synechococcales large (iauv 20-86)</i>		0	20	39	54	0.00212

### EUGLENOPHYCEAE

<i>Lepocinclis</i>		0	1	2	29307	0.05765
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### OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

<i>Other small flagellates</i>		11	0	541	80	0.04327
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TOTAL BGA	8100	0.04449
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	13416	1.69758

+ 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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