

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7609360 22-60563
LOCALITY :	EM2215130-009
SITE :	Salt Creek Outlet
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	9/08/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	12/08/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

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

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0116	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			
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BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

<i>Nitzschia</i>		1	0	49	400	0.01977
<i>Pennales</i>		2	0	99	300	0.02966
<i>Pennales (small <20um)</i>		1	0	49	251	0.01241

CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Chlorococcoids (<10um)</i>		1750	0	86497	60	5.18980
<i>Monoraphidium (small)</i>		376	0	18584	16	0.29735
<i>Monoraphidium (large)</i>		0	1	2	400	0.00079

CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Planktolyngbya</i>		35	0	1730	3.8	0.00657
<i>Synechococcales small (iauv <20)</i>		8760	0	432977	5.25	2.27313

DINOPHYCEAE

<i>Dinoflagellates</i>		1	0	49	20000	0.98853
<i>Gymnodiniales</i>		75	0	3707	2000	7.41400
<i>Gymnodiniales (small)</i>		25	0	1236	500	0.61783
<i>Peridinales</i>		2	0	99	5000	0.49427

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

<i>Other small flagellates</i>		345	0	17052	80	1.36418
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TOTAL BGA	434707	2.27971
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	562130	18.70828

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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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