

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7609393 22-60564
LOCALITY :	EM22151-003
SITE :	Long Point
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	8/08/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	12/08/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse algal community was observed, but current combined levels are insufficient to impact water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0195	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			
Magnification							
Fields							

BACILLARIOPHYCEAE

<i>Aulacoseira</i>		1	0	49	2860	0.14026
<i>Centrales</i> - (5-10um)		4	0	196	80	0.01569
<i>Chaetoceros</i>		0	5	10	200	0.00196
<i>Cocconeis</i>		0	1	2	450	0.00088
<i>Naviculales</i>		1	0	49	1400	0.06866
<i>Pennales</i> (small <20um)		7	0	343	251	0.08617

CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Chlamydomonads</i>		2	0	98	250	0.02452
<i>Chlorococcoids</i> (<10um)		17	0	834	60	0.05002
<i>Crucigenia</i>		20	0	981	30	0.02943
<i>Monoraphidium</i> (small)		7	0	343	16	0.00549
<i>Oocystis</i> (small)		4	0	196	100	0.01962
<i>Planctonema</i>		0	89	175	800	0.13968
<i>Tetrastrum</i>		4	0	196	40	0.00785

CRYPTOPHYCEAE

<i>Cryptomonads</i>		11	0	539	320	0.17263
<i>Cryptomonas</i>		2	0	98	320	0.03139

CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Leptolyngbya</i>		0	8	16	2.36	0.00004
<i>Planktolyngbya</i>		56	0	2746	3.8	0.01044
<i>Synechococcales</i> small (iauv <20)		34	0	1667	5.25	0.00875

DINOPHYCEAE

<i>Gymnodiniales</i> (small)		1	0	49	500	0.02452
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OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

<i>Other small flagellates</i>		3	0	147	80	0.01177
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TOTAL BGA	4429	0.01923
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	8734	0.84978

+ 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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