

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7241902 21-55807
LOCALITY :	EM2123012-003
SITE :	Bonneys
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	17/11/2021
DATE ANALYSED :	23/11/2021
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

COMMENTS: + A diverse range of algal taxa was observed. High levels of low biovolume BGA Synechococcales will impair water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0272	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>Chaetoceros</i>		194	0	9443	200	1.88863
<i>Naviculales</i>		1	0	49	1400	0.06815
<i>Nitzschia</i>		1	0	49	400	0.01947
<i>Pennales</i>		4	0	195	300	0.05841
<i>Pennales (small <20um)</i>		5	0	243	251	0.06109
<i>Pleurosigma</i>		0	4	8	2000	0.01558

CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Chlorococcoids (<10um)</i>		28	0	1363	60	0.08178
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CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Synechococcales small (iauv <20)</i>		2570	0	125097	5.25	0.65676
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DINOPHYCEAE

<i>Gymnodiniales</i>		1	0	49	2000	0.09735
<i>Gymnodiniales (small)</i>		2	0	97	500	0.04868

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

<i>Other small flagellates</i>		4	0	195	80	0.01558
<i>Prasinophytes</i>		1	0	49	100	0.00487

TOTAL BGA	125097	0.65676
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	136837	3.01633

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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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