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ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT:	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA				
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7328733 22-06265				
LOCALITY:	EM2201088-004				
SITE:	Long Point				
SAMPLE:	Surface				
DATE SAMPLED :	21/01/2022				
DATE ANALYSED :	1/02/2022				
SAMPLED BY:	Sample analysed as received				

COMMENTS: + Current algal levels are unlikely to influence water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml) Concentration Magnification Fields	1.036 1 : 1	Toxigenic (T) or Potentially toxic (P)	- 200x 20	- 100x 500	Total Cell Count (cells/mL)	Individual Algal Unit Volume (um3)	Total Biovolume (mm3/L)			
BACILLARIOPHYCEAE										
Centrales			0	1	2	200	0.00039			
Chaetoceros			1	0	48	200	0.00965			
Pennales			0	2	4	300	0.00116			
CHLOROPHYCEAE										
Chlorococcoids (<10um)			2	0	97	60	0.00579			
CYANOPHYCEAE										
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)			9	0	434	5.25	0.00228			
OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON										
Other small flagellates			11	0	531	80	0.04247			
TOTAL BGA		434				0.00228				
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA		0				0.00000				
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA				0		0.00000				
TOTAL ALGAE		1116				0.06174				

⁺ 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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