

ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7684060 22-64963
LOCALITY :	EM2216764-007
SITE :	Tilley D/S Nth O/L
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	31/08/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	7/09/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

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

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0172	Toxigenic (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

Centrales		1	0	49	200	0.00983
Fragilariaceae		2	0	98	500	0.04915
Pennales		0	1	2	300	0.00059
Pennales (small <20um)		2	0	98	251	0.02468

CHLOROPHYCEAE

Chlamydomonads		4	0	197	250	0.04915
Chlorococcoids (<10um)		23	0	1131	60	0.06783
Monoraphidium (small)		19	0	934	16	0.01494

CRYPTOPHYCEAE

Cryptomonads		6	0	295	320	0.09438
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CYANOPHYCEAE

Leptolyngbya		24	0	1180	2.36	0.00278
Oscillatoriales (iauv 1-100)	P	0	54	106	60.8	0.00646
Planktolyngbya		8	0	393	3.8	0.00149
Pseudanabaena		0	23	45	12.5	0.00057
Synechococcales small (iauv <20)		42	0	2064	5.25	0.01084

DINOPHYCEAE

Peridinales		0	1	2	5000	0.00983
Prorocentrum		0	4	8	3000	0.02359

OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

Other small flagellates		2	0	98	80	0.00786
Prasinophytes		0	6	12	100	0.00118

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TOTAL BGA	3788	0.02214
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	106	0.00646
TOTAL ALGAE	6712	0.37517

+ 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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