

## ALGAL REPORT

CLIENT :	Australian Laboratory Services Pty Ltd SA
LABORATORY NO./BATCH NO. :	7484452 22-53362
LOCALITY :	EM2212385-005
SITE :	Bonneys
SAMPLE :	Surface
DATE SAMPLED :	29/06/2022
DATE ANALYSED :	5/07/2022
SAMPLED BY :	Sample analysed as received

**COMMENTS:** + A moderately diverse algal community was observed with current algal levels unlikely to influence water quality.

Sedgewick-Rafter Vol.(ml)	1.0235	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>Entomoneis</i>		2	0	98	1000	0.09770
<i>Naviculales</i>		20	0	977	1400	1.36786
<i>Nitzschia</i>		1	0	49	400	0.01954
<i>Pennales (small &lt;20um)</i>		140	0	6839	251	1.71666
<i>Pleurosigma</i>		0	1	2	2000	0.00391

### CHLOROPHYCEAE

<i>Ankistrodesmoideae</i>		290	0	14167	132	1.87005
<i>Chlamydomonads</i>		4	0	195	250	0.04885
<i>Chlorococcoids (&lt;10um)</i>		35	0	1710	60	0.10259
<i>Monoraphidium (small)</i>		55	0	2687	16	0.04299

### CYANOPHYCEAE

<i>Synechococcales small (iauv &lt;20)</i>		995	0	48608	5.25	0.25519
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### OTHER PHYTOPLANKTON

<i>Other small flagellates</i>		5	0	244	80	0.01954
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TOTAL BGA	48608	0.25519
TOTAL TOXIGENIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL POTENTIALLY TOXIC BGA	0	0.00000
TOTAL ALGAE	75576	5.54488

+ 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  $\beta$ -N-methylamino-L-alanine (BMAA) and its analogues. Therefore all cyanobacteria could be considered to pose a level of risk.

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