

Potentially Toxigenic (PTOX) Cyanobacteria Report

Project: Lacawac Sanctuary

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Sample ID	<u>Site</u>	<u>Collected</u>
LittleTwin72419-1	Little Twin Site 1	24 July 2019
LittleTwin72419-2	Little Twin Site 1	24 July 2019

Method

A one mL aliquot of each sample was prepared using a Sedgewick Rafter cell. The samples were scanned at 100X for the presence of potentially toxigenic (PTOX) cyanobacteria using a Nikon Eclipse TE200 inverted microscope equipped with phase contrast optics. Higher magnification was used as necessary for identification and micrographs.

Results

LittleTwin72419-1

The potentially toxigenic (PTOX) cyanobacterium *Dolichospermum* sp. (3 filaments per mL) was observed.

LittleTwin72419-2

PTOX cyanobacteria were not observed.

Potential toxin producing genera observed include:

Microcystins	Saxitoxins	Anatoxin-a	Cylindrospermopsin
Dolichospermum	Dolichospermum	Dolichospermum	Dolichospermum

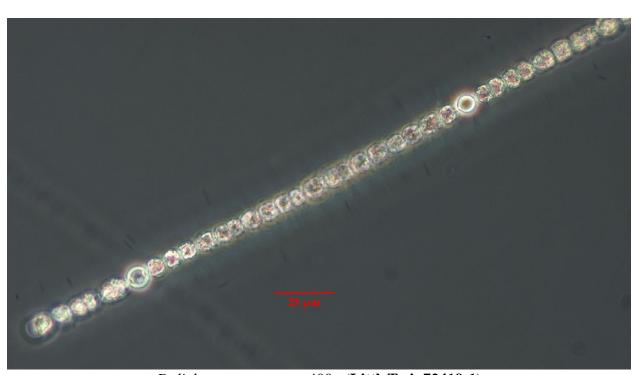
Recommendations

Based on the limited PTOX cyanobacteria presence, analyses are not currently recommended.





Micrographs



Dolichospermum sp. at 400x (LittleTwin72419-1)

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