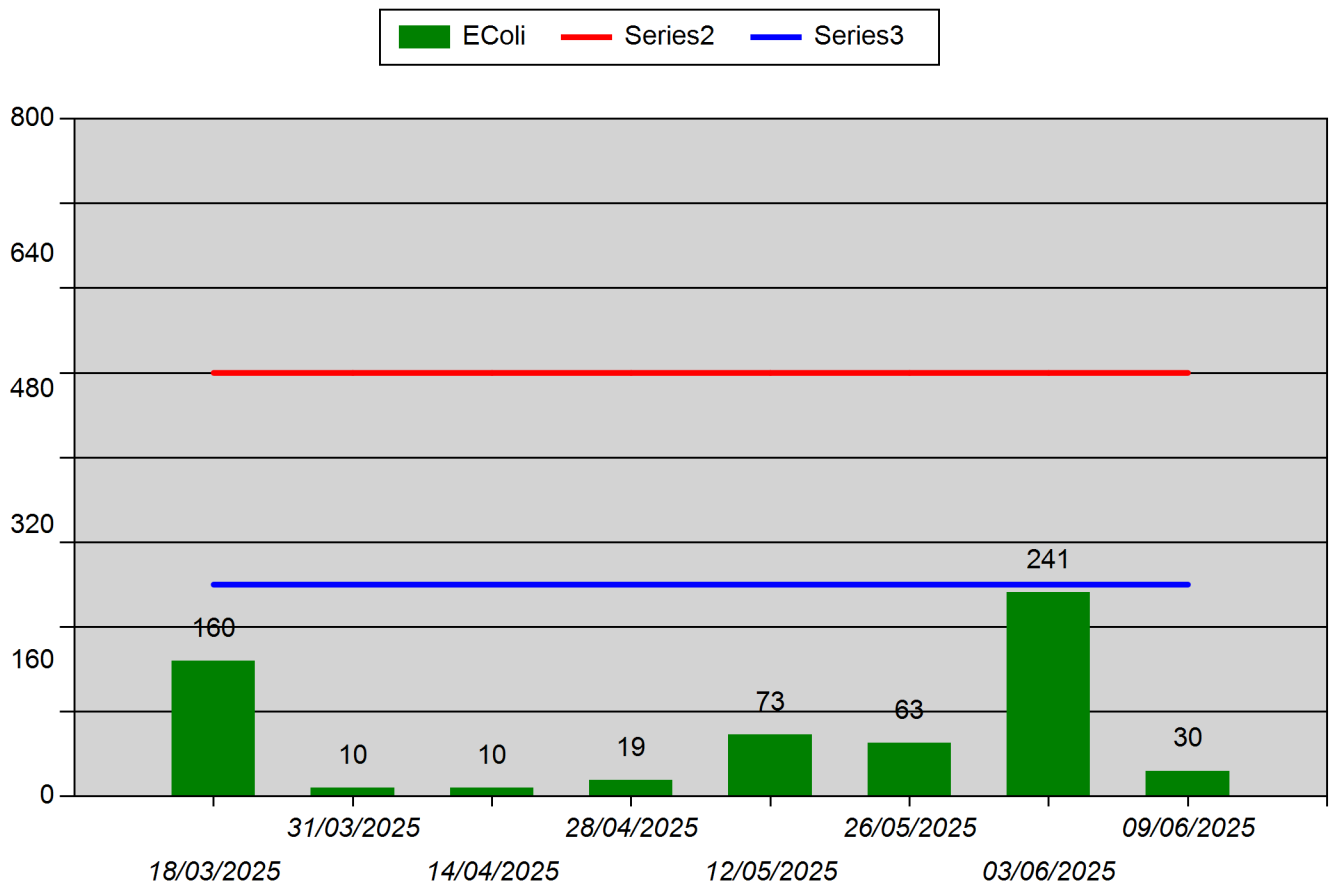


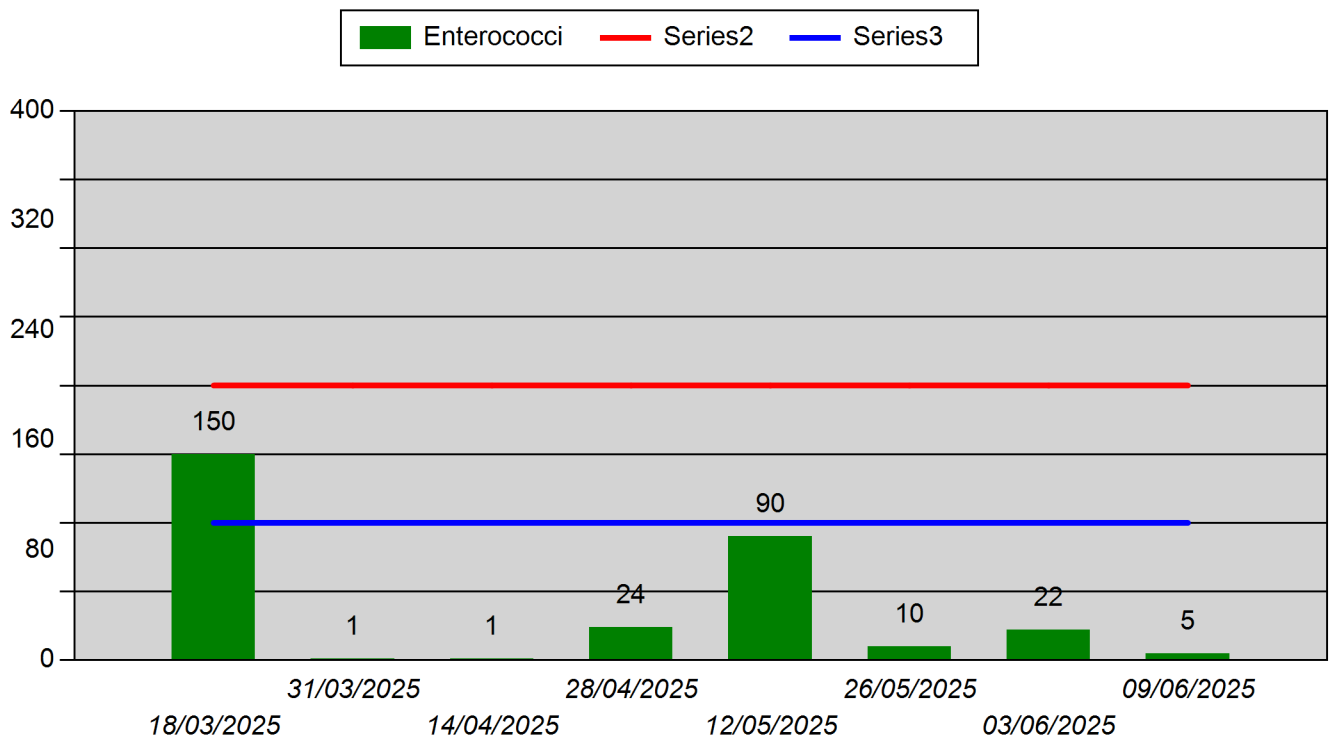
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WHAT DO THESE RESULTS MEAN?

Bacteria Name	E. Coli	Enterococci
Amount Sampled	cfu/100ml	cfu/100ml
Excellent Quality	250(*)	100(*)
Good Quality	500(*)	200(*)
Test Date		
18/03/2025	160	150
31/03/2025	10	1
14/04/2025	10	1
28/04/2025	19	24
12/05/2025	73	90
26/05/2025	63	10
03/06/2025	241	22
09/06/2025	30	5

(*) Based upon a 95-percentile evaluation

Blue Flag and Bathing Water Quality

The bathing water is continuously monitored for the different types of bacteria shown in the tables above and is tested at least every 15 days. In this table you can see when the water has been analysed and how many bacteria were found.

A small number of bacteria will tell you that the water is very clean - a high number of bacteria will tell you that the water may be polluted.

E. Coli	Escherichia coli is a faecal coliform and indicator organism because it occurs in the intestinal flora of both animals and humans. Contamination allows the organism to spread to water environments where its presence indicates faecal contamination.
Enterococci	Enterococci are widely distributed in the environment and are normal commensals of the intestinal tracts of animals, birds and humans. Its presence is indicative of faecal contamination.