

This table shows the results of the weekly sampling. We count the number of certain types of bacteria which indicate the presence of pollution mainly from sewage or livestock waste. Total coliforms, faecal coliforms and faecal streptococci are bacteria that are not directly harmful but they indicate the presence of pollution. We measure bathing water quality against the standards in the European Bathing Water Directive:

Excellent means the sample meets the strict guideline standards.

Good means the sample meets the mandatory standards.

Poor means that the sample did not meet the required standards in the Directive.

Date	Time	Total coliforms (colonies / 100ml)	Faecal coliforms (colonies / 100ml)	Faecal streptococci (colonies / 100ml)	Water quality
07/09/2010	13:17	<10	13	6	Excellent
03/09/2010	10:41	<10	<2	<2	Excellent
25/08/2010	16:51	<10	10	2	Excellent
16/08/2010	12:08	<10	2	<2	Excellent
11/08/2010	10:40	324	338	462	Good
03/08/2010	13:44	<10	6	<2	Excellent
29/07/2010	11:40	126	70	10	Excellent
21/07/2010	15:08	2200	1640	519	Good
12/07/2010	14:48	<10	13	11	Excellent
08/07/2010	10:03	865	115	40	Good
30/06/2010	11:11	<10	2	<2	Excellent
25/06/2010	12:10	<10	<2	<2	Excellent
15/06/2010	11:30	<10	<2	<2	Excellent
07/06/2010	16:20	<10	8	2	Excellent
01/06/2010	11:20	<10	2	<2	Excellent
26/05/2010	13:01	<10	4	11	Excellent
22/05/2010	12:10	<10	<2	<2	Excellent
13/05/2010	13:45	<10	<2	<2	Excellent
03/05/2010	10:20	<10	<2	<2	Excellent