

Water quality — Detection and enumeration of intestinal enterococci —

Part 2: Membrane filtration method

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National foreword

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- Part 0 *Introduction*
- Part 1 *Glossary*
- Part 2 *Physical, chemical and biochemical methods*
- Part 3 *Radiological methods*
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Note The tests described in this British Standard should only be carried out by suitably qualified persons with an appropriate level of microbiological expertise. Microbiological chemical procedures should be followed throughout.

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